Maintenance Manual

Development

The technology stack used is Python based, and the environment used to manage packages was the Conda virtual environment. All development for this project was done using an M1 MacBook Air, apart from Jupyter Notebooks(file extension .ipynb), which were exported into Google Colab and ran. This is because they required more compute.

Conda environment

The Conda environment used is called hons. The environment.yml file acts as a single source of truth. To replicate the development environment:

- 1. Clone this repository.
- 2. cd into the honours_project directory
- 3. Run the command:

conda env create --file environment.yml

Note: To update the local environment after the environment.yml file has been updated, use the command conda env update --file environment.yml.

Dependencies

- A .env file that contains a Hugging Face token(\$HF_TOKEN). You can create this with the commands touch .env and nano .env to edit the file if you are on a Unix machine or MacOS. An example .env file is shown in .env.example. The Hugging Face token can be acquired by going to the HuggingFace tokens page, located here.
- Ollama installed on your machine.
- Conda which can be run by following the instructions above.
- TailwindCSS is a CSS library with pre-existing styles. It can be downloaded using npm install tailwindcss @tailwindcss/cli. After adding new styles to the webview/templates html files, you can use the command npx @tailwindcss/cli -o webview/static/css/tailwindstyles.css to update the .css file with the new styles. This is done so that there is always a local version of the CSS file inside the repository; allowing the report to work offline.

Tests

To run the builtin tests, run python3 -m unittest discover. These tests, among other things, check whether the relevant files are present in the ./datasets folder.

Directory Structure

The honours project directory is split up into 7 folders:

- datasets which is designed to hold all the .csv files.
- logs which keeps the debug logs of all the scripts.
- manuals which holds the user manual and the maintenance manual.
- modelfiles which holds example Modelfiles designed for use with Ollama.
- scripts which holds the HPC scripts.
- tests which are a series of tests written using Python's unittest library, that check whether the correct datasets are downloaded.
- webview which houses the radiology tool, written in HTMX and hosted using Flask. The radiology tool can be accessed using flask run.
- utils which houses the schema and the prompts used in this experiment.

The main files are:

- .env.example an example of a .env file which is required for running the Jupyter notebooks. This should be renamed to .env after downloading the repository.
- dataManipulation.py a script to get the training dataset for this project from the CT-RATE dataset.
- environment.yml which is a list of the packages required to run this project.
- evaluateData.py which is the evaluation suite after performing the inference.
- finetuning.ipynb is the fine-tuning notebook.

Note that the finetuning ipynb notebook requires an Nvidia GPU on your system. This has different requirements so it is best to run it on Google Colab using a Tesla T4 GPU.