

PyRadiomics toolbox in Python

In this notebook, we will load 2 brain datasets with segmentations of brain tumors. The `radiomics` package will be used to extract a set of features, and the "signatures" will be compared.

For more detailed examples and links to source code, visit <http://radiomics.io> (<http://radiomics.io>).

```
In [ ]: # Radiomics package
        from radiomics import featureextractor

        import six, numpy as np
```

Setting up data

Here we use SimpleITK (referenced as `sitk`, see <http://www.simpleitk.org/> (<http://www.simpleitk.org/>) for details) to load two brain images and the corresponding segmentations as label maps.

```
In [ ]: import os
        import SimpleITK as sitk

        from radiomics import getTestCase

        imagepath_1, labelpath_1 = getTestCase('brain1')
        imagepath_2, labelpath_2 = getTestCase('brain2')

        image_1 = sitk.ReadImage(imagepath_1)
        label_1 = sitk.ReadImage(labelpath_1)
        image_2 = sitk.ReadImage(imagepath_2)
        label_2 = sitk.ReadImage(labelpath_2)
```

Show the images

Using `matplotlib.pyplot` (referenced as `plt`), display the images in grayscale and labels in color.

```
In [ ]: # Display the images
%matplotlib inline
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

plt.figure(figsize=(20,20))
# First image
plt.subplot(2,2,1)
plt.imshow(sitk.GetArrayFromImage(image_1)[12,:,:], cmap="gray")
plt.title("Brain #1")
plt.subplot(2,2,2)
plt.imshow(sitk.GetArrayFromImage(label_1)[12,:,:])
plt.title("Segmentation #1")

# Second image
plt.subplot(2,2,3)
plt.imshow(sitk.GetArrayFromImage(image_2)[8,:,:], cmap="gray")
plt.title("Brain #2")

plt.subplot(2,2,4)
plt.imshow(sitk.GetArrayFromImage(label_2)[8,:,:])
plt.title("Segmentation #2")

plt.show()
```

Extract the features

Using the `radiomics` package, first construct an `extractor` object from the parameters set in `Params.yaml`. Then generate features for the two images.

```
In [ ]: import os
# Instantiate the extractor
params = os.path.join(os.getcwd(), '..', 'examples', 'exampleSettings', 'Params.yaml')

extractor = featureextractor.RadiomicsFeatureExtractor(params)
result_1 = extractor.execute(image_1, label_1)
result_2 = extractor.execute(image_2, label_2)
```

Prepare for plotting

Because we'd like to plot the feature vectors, create `numpy` arrays for features starting with `original_` (excluding meta-features).

```
In [ ]: # Make an array of the values
feature_1 = np.array([])
feature_2 = np.array([])

for key, value in six.iteritems(result_1):
    if key.startswith("original_"):
        feature_1 = np.append ( feature_1, result_1[key])
        feature_2 = np.append ( feature_2, result_2[key])
```

Plot

Plot the two feature vectors and the difference. Feature values have a wide range of magnitudes and are plotted on a log scale.

```
In [ ]: plt.figure(figsize=(20,20))
plt.subplot(3,1,1)
plt.plot(feature_1)
plt.yscale('log')
plt.title ( "Features from brain #1")

plt.subplot(3,1,2)
plt.plot(feature_2)
plt.yscale('log')
plt.title ( "Features from brain #1")

plt.subplot(3,1,3)
plt.plot(feature_1 - feature_2)
plt.yscale('log')
plt.title ( "Difference")
plt.show()
```