

CovidVision: Advanced COVID-19 Detection From Lung X-Rays With Deep Learning

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1.INTRODUCTION

CovidVision is an innovative application of deep learning in medical imaging, specifically designed to identify COVID-19 infections from lung X-rays. Utilizing convolutional neural networks (CNNs), a highly effective deep learning algorithm for image analysis, CovidVision aims to provide a fast and scalable diagnostic solution. This AI-powered approach not only accelerates the diagnostic process but also enables early detection of COVID-19 infections, which is crucial for timely treatment and effective virus containment.

The incorporation of artificial intelligence (AI) in medical diagnostics, as demonstrated by CovidVision, showcases the transformative potential of technology in the healthcare sector. By employing advanced AI algorithms, CovidVision seeks to improve the accuracy and reliability of COVID-19 diagnosis, ultimately contributing to better patient outcomes. This innovation can also help alleviate the strain on healthcare systems by providing a rapid and efficient diagnostic tool, allowing healthcare professionals to focus on delivering quality care to patients.

As advancements continue in the field of AI-powered medical diagnostics, solutions like CovidVision are expected to play a vital role in addressing current and future pandemics. By harnessing the power of deep learning, these technologies can provide healthcare professionals with a powerful tool to combat infectious diseases, contributing to a more resilient and responsive global health landscape.

1.1 Project Overview

The COVID-19 Detection System is an advanced AI-driven platform designed to enhance the diagnosis of COVID-19 through the analysis of lung X-ray images. Leveraging deep learning technology, specifically the Xception model, this system aims to provide a fast, accurate, and non-invasive diagnostic tool for healthcare professionals. Users can upload lung X-ray images via a secure web interface, where the images undergo automatic preprocessing to standardize size and normalize pixel values. The Xception model then analyzes these images to identify patterns and anomalies associated with COVID-19, generating detailed diagnostic reports that include likelihood scores and highlighted areas of concern. With a focus on accuracy and speed, the system supports timely medical intervention and decision-making.

1.2 Objectives

- Create a cnn model for analysing the lung x rays to detect sign of covid
- Collect the necessary data (x rays - both positive and negative)
- Train the deep learning model
- Optimize it for better accuracy
- Evaluate the models performance by testing out
- Develop an interface for integrating the model into an application

2. PROJECT INITIALIZATION AND PLANNING PHASE

2.1. Define Problem Statement:

In times of heightened COVID-19 cases, hospitals face a surge in patients needing urgent medical care. The traditional approach of diagnosing COVID-19 using lung X-rays is slow and resource-intensive, adding strain on healthcare workers and causing delays in crucial triage and treatment decisions. This bottleneck not only hinders the smooth management of patients but also undermines the level of care delivered. The extended time required for radiologists to analyze each X-ray increases the risk of delayed treatment for patients, potentially exacerbating their conditions and leading to poorer outcomes.

For a healthcare professional, we are trying to implement an efficient system for diagnosis and treatment. However, the hospital will be overwhelmed with the influx of patients, resulting in significant delays in getting individuals diagnosed and treated. This overwhelming situation demands that we prioritize and treat patients based on the severity of their condition quickly. The current system's inefficiency in handling the high volume of cases adds to the stress and concern about providing adequate care to all patients.

2.2. Project Proposal (Proposed Solution):

To tackle this pressing challenge, there is a critical requirement for a sophisticated, automated system that can rapidly and precisely assess lung X-rays. An automated system leveraging deep learning and artificial intelligence could streamline the diagnostic process, significantly reducing the time needed to identify COVID-19 cases from lung X-rays. This solution would expedite diagnosis, allowing healthcare providers to make quicker, more informed decisions and prioritize treatment for those in urgent need.

Implementing such a system would not only alleviate the burden on healthcare workers but also enhance the overall efficiency of patient management during emergencies. By reducing diagnostic delays, healthcare professionals could improve patient outcomes and better manage the distribution of resources. Ultimately, this technological advancement would ensure that patients receive timely and appropriate care, improving the quality of healthcare delivery during critical periods.

2.3. Initial Project Planning:

The project planning for the COVID-19 detection system using lung X-rays outline the functional requirements. Sprint 1 will be focused on Data Collection and Preprocessing where tasks such as understanding and loading data, data cleaning and Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA). Sprint 2 involves Model Development and Model Tuning and Testing where the model will be trained ,evaluated, tuned and trained. In Sprint 3, The focus shifts to Web Integration and Deployment. HTML templates will be created and local deployment will be done. Sprint 4 is dedicated to the Project Report, involves tasks such as report and report template creation.

3. DATA COLLECTION AND PREPROCESSING PHASE

3.1. Data Collection Plan and Raw Data Sources Identified :

The data collection plan for the COVID-19 detection system using lung X-rays and deep learning is a comprehensive approach designed to gather high-quality and relevant datasets essential for developing an accurate and robust diagnostic model. The plan involves the following steps:

1. Identify Datasets: The first step is to identify datasets specifically related to COVID-19 detection that utilize lung X-rays and deep learning techniques. These datasets are crucial as they provide the raw data needed to train and validate the model.

2. Prioritize Balanced Datasets: It is essential to prioritize datasets that have a balanced distribution of COVID-19 positive, pneumonia, and normal cases. A balanced dataset ensures that the model is trained and validated across a wide range of conditions, enhancing its accuracy and reliability in real-world scenarios.

Raw Data Sources Identified:

The raw data sources for this project are sourced from the Kaggle website, a well-known platform for datasets and competitions in data science and machine learning. The sample data provided includes essential information such as COVID-19 status, X-ray images, and other relevant details necessary for analysis.

1. Covid-19 Radiography Database:

This dataset is a collection of chest X-ray images curated for COVID-19 detection and related research. It includes images of patients diagnosed with COVID-19, pneumonia, and normal cases, providing a comprehensive set of data for training deep learning models

2. CoronaHack Chest X-ray Dataset:

This dataset comprises chest X-ray images aimed at diagnosing COVID-19 and other related illnesses. It contains a variety of images, including those of COVID-19 positive patients, pneumonia patients, and healthy individuals, making it a valuable resource for developing diagnostic models.

Access Permissions for both: The dataset is publicly accessible but requires a Kaggle account for download

3.2. Data Quality Report

The Data Quality Report Template is designed to systematically identify and rectify data quality issues from the selected sources, highlighting severity levels and resolution plans. For the COVID-19 detection project using lung X-rays, the following issues were identified:

Dataset 1 (Covid19 radiography database):

1.Data Quality Issue: The dataset contains a disproportionate number of normal files.

Resolution Plan: To address this issue, we will delete some of the normal files to balance the dataset, ensuring a more even distribution of COVID-19 positive, pneumonia, and normal cases.

2.Data Quality Issue: The dataset is disorganized, with an excessive number of images for regular pictures and an insufficient number of images for COVID-19 cases.

Resolution Plan: To rectify this imbalance, we will include another dataset, specifically the Coronahack Chest X-ray Dataset from Kaggle. This additional dataset will provide more COVID-19 cases and help balance the overall dataset, enhancing the robustness of our model training and validation processes.

3.3. Data Preprocessing

The project on COVID-19 detection using lung X-rays involves a dataset consisting of images in various formats, including training, validation, and testing sets. The images are resized to a target size of 150x150 pixels for one model and 256x256 for another model. Values are normalized using the Xception preprocessing function. Data augmentation techniques such as random horizontal flipping, rotation, and zooming are employed to improve model generalization. Denoising is not done explicitly but is integrated into the data augmentation process. Edge detection is not applied as the model learns features through its layers. Color space conversion is performed within the preprocessing layers. Image cropping is not applied, as the model works with resized images directly. Batch normalization is implemented within the architecture itself. The data preprocessing steps include loading data, resizing, normalization, data augmentation, color space conversion, and batch normalization, but not edge detection or explicit denoising.

4.MODEL DEVELOPMENT PHASE

4.1 Model Selection Report:

CNN(Convolutional neural network):

This is a deep learning model built using TensorFlow and Keras. The preprocessing stage includes data augmentation techniques such as random rotations and rescaling to enhance the dataset. The model architecture follows a Keras Sequential design, consisting of data augmentation layers, two Conv2D layers with ReLU activation, each followed by MaxPooling2D layers, a Flatten layer, a Dense layer with 32 units, a Dropout layer with a 20% dropout rate, and a final Dense layer with a sigmoid activation for binary classification. The model is compiled using the Adam optimizer with a learning rate of 0.0001, binary cross-entropy loss, and accuracy as the evaluation metric. The data is loaded and augmented in real-time using ImageDataGenerator, with a 70-30 split for training and validation. The model is trained for 25 epochs, but the results show a training accuracy of around 80-81%.

Xception with imagenet:

The proposed deep learning model is designed for classifying chest X-ray images, with a focus on detecting COVID-19. It employs the Xception architecture, a deep convolutional neural network pre-trained on the ImageNet dataset, known for its high accuracy and efficiency in image classification tasks. The input layer accepts 150x150 pixel images with 3 color channels (RGB), and the Xception model outputs a 2048-dimensional feature vector after the global average pooling layer. A fully connected dense layer with 2 output units and a sigmoid activation function is added to predict the probability of the input image belonging to each class, such as Normal or Pneumonia. The data preparation process involves using image data generators for the training, validation, and test sets, with augmentation techniques like zooming, brightness adjustment, and width and height shifts applied to enhance the model's generalization capability. The model is trained using the Adamax optimizer with a learning rate of 1e-4 and binary cross-entropy loss function for 30 epochs, resulting in high accuracy on both the training and validation datasets, with the validation accuracy peaking around 98%.

4.2. Initial Model Training Code, Model Validation and Evaluation Report

CNN:

```
[4] train_data_dir= "Xray_train_data"

[5] IMAGE_SIZE = (256, 256)
    IMAGE_SHAPE = IMAGE_SIZE + (3,)

▷ data_augmentation = keras.Sequential([
    tf.keras.layers.RandomRotation(
        factor=(-0.2, 0.3),
        fill_mode='reflect',
        interpolation='bilinear',
        seed=None
    ),
    tf.keras.layers.Rescaling(
        scale=1/.255,
        offset=0.0
    ),
])

[6]
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model=tf.keras.Sequential([
    data_augmentation,
    tf.keras.layers.Conv2D(8, (3,3), activation='relu', input_shape=IMAGE_SHAPE),
    tf.keras.layers.MaxPooling2D(pool_size=(2, 2), strides=None, padding="valid"),
    tf.keras.layers.Conv2D(16, (3,3), activation='relu'),
    tf.keras.layers.MaxPooling2D(pool_size=(2, 2), strides=None, padding="valid"),
    tf.keras.layers.Flatten(),
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(32),
    tf.keras.layers.Dropout(.2, input_shape=(32,)),
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(1, activation='sigmoid')
])

[7]

▷ from tensorflow.keras.optimizers import Adam

model.compile(optimizer=Adam(learning_rate=0.0001),
              loss='binary_crossentropy',
              metrics = ['accuracy'])

[42]
```

```

from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing.image import ImageDataGenerator
img_height, img_width=64,64
batch_size=16
train_datagen = ImageDataGenerator(validation_split=0.3) # set validation split

train_generator = train_datagen.flow_from_directory(
    train_data_dir,
    target_size=(img_height, img_width),
    batch_size=batch_size,
    class_mode='binary',
    subset='training') # set as training data
# Splitting images for validation set
validation_generator = train_datagen.flow_from_directory(
    train_data_dir, # same directory as training data
    target_size=(img_height, img_width),
    batch_size=batch_size,
    class_mode='binary',
    subset='validation') # set as validation data

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[43]

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... Found 14729 images belonging to 2 classes.
    Found 6311 images belonging to 2 classes.

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XCEPTION:

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train_datagen = ImageDataGenerator(preprocessing_function=tf.keras.applications.xception.preprocess_input, zoom_range=0.1, brightness_range=[0.5, 1.3],
                                   width_shift_range=0.1, height_shift_range=0.1, validation_split=0.1)
test_datagen=ImageDataGenerator(preprocessing_function=tf.keras.applications.xception.preprocess_input)

```

```

BATCH_SIZE=64
path="Coronahack-Chest-XRay-Dataset/Coronahack-Chest-XRay-Dataset/"
train_images=train_datagen.flow_from_dataframe(dataframe=df_meta[df_meta["Dataset_type"]=="TRAIN"],x_col='X_ray_image_name',y_col='Label',
                                                color_mode='rgb', class_mode='categorical',target_size=(150,150),
                                                batch_size=BATCH_SIZE,shuffle=True,seed=1234,subset='training',
                                                directory=path+"/train")

val_images=train_datagen.flow_from_dataframe(dataframe=df_meta[df_meta["Dataset_type"]=="TRAIN"],x_col='X_ray_image_name',y_col='Label',color_mode='rgb',
                                             class_mode='categorical',target_size=(150,150),batch_size=BATCH_SIZE,shuffle=True,seed=1234,
                                             subset='validation', directory=path+"/train")

test_images = test_datagen.flow_from_dataframe(dataframe=df_meta[df_meta["Dataset_type"]=="TEST"],x_col='X_ray_image_name',y_col='Label',
                                              color_mode='rgb',class_mode='categorical',target_size=(150,150),batch_size=BATCH_SIZE,shuffle=False,
                                              directory=path+"/test")

```

```

inputs = tf.keras.layers.Input((150,150,3))
base_model=tf.keras.applications.xception.Xception(include_top=False, weights="imagenet",input_shape=(150,150,3), pooling='avg')
x=base_model(inputs)
output=layers.Dense(2, activation='sigmoid')(x)
model=tf.keras.models.Model(inputs=inputs, outputs=output)

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model.compile(Adamax(learning_rate=1e-4), loss='binary_crossentropy',metrics=['accuracy'])
history = model.fit(train_images, validation_data=val_images, epochs=30)

```

Training and Validation Performance Metrics

```
trainer.model.fit(train_generator, validation_data=validation_generator, epochs=25)

Epoch 1/25: 17s 18ms/step - accuracy: 0.7805 - loss: 0.4054 - val_accuracy: 0.4261 - val_loss: 1.1449
Epoch 2/25: 15s 10ms/step - accuracy: 0.7833 - loss: 0.4070 - val_accuracy: 0.4245 - val_loss: 1.1621
Epoch 3/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7890 - loss: 0.4074 - val_accuracy: 0.4245 - val_loss: 1.1738
Epoch 4/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7867 - loss: 0.4102 - val_accuracy: 0.4206 - val_loss: 1.1881
Epoch 5/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7859 - loss: 0.4087 - val_accuracy: 0.4203 - val_loss: 1.1876
Epoch 6/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7834 - loss: 0.4039 - val_accuracy: 0.4208 - val_loss: 1.1921
Epoch 7/25: 19s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7899 - loss: 0.4092 - val_accuracy: 0.4206 - val_loss: 1.2032
Epoch 8/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7891 - loss: 0.4097 - val_accuracy: 0.4262 - val_loss: 1.2132
Epoch 9/25: 19s 16ms/step - accuracy: 0.7888 - loss: 0.4028 - val_accuracy: 0.4283 - val_loss: 1.2214
Epoch 10/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7819 - loss: 0.4086 - val_accuracy: 0.4258 - val_loss: 1.2258
Epoch 11/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7900 - loss: 0.4043 - val_accuracy: 0.4258 - val_loss: 1.2267
Epoch 12/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7892 - loss: 0.4093 - val_accuracy: 0.4256 - val_loss: 1.2408
Epoch 13/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7910 - loss: 0.4032 - val_accuracy: 0.4264 - val_loss: 1.2436
Epoch 14/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7868 - loss: 0.4013 - val_accuracy: 0.4201 - val_loss: 1.2526
Epoch 15/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7826 - loss: 0.4040 - val_accuracy: 0.4264 - val_loss: 1.2623
Epoch 16/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7858 - loss: 0.4081 - val_accuracy: 0.4266 - val_loss: 1.2727
Epoch 17/25: 19s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7935 - loss: 0.4073 - val_accuracy: 0.4253 - val_loss: 1.2814
Epoch 18/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7883 - loss: 0.4046 - val_accuracy: 0.4281 - val_loss: 1.2876
Epoch 19/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7890 - loss: 0.4026 - val_accuracy: 0.4262 - val_loss: 1.2918
Epoch 20/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7892 - loss: 0.4030 - val_accuracy: 0.4239 - val_loss: 1.3131
Epoch 21/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7893 - loss: 0.4078 - val_accuracy: 0.4253 - val_loss: 1.3155
Epoch 22/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7908 - loss: 0.4047 - val_accuracy: 0.4259 - val_loss: 1.3172
Epoch 23/25: 19s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7929 - loss: 0.4058 - val_accuracy: 0.4253 - val_loss: 1.3242
Epoch 24/25: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7909 - loss: 0.4080 - val_accuracy: 0.4256 - val_loss: 1.3423
Epoch 25/25: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7889 - loss: 0.4021 - val_accuracy: 0.4229 - val_loss: 1.3223
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```
[0]: model.compile(optimizer=tf.keras.optimizers.Adam(), loss=tf.keras.losses.BinaryCrossentropy(from_logits=True), metrics=['accuracy'])
history = model.fit(train_images, validation_data=val_images, epochs=50)

Epoch 1/50: 17s 18ms/step - accuracy: 0.7805 - loss: 0.4054 - val_accuracy: 0.4261 - val_loss: 1.1449
Epoch 2/50: 15s 10ms/step - accuracy: 0.7833 - loss: 0.4070 - val_accuracy: 0.4245 - val_loss: 1.1621
Epoch 3/50: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7890 - loss: 0.4074 - val_accuracy: 0.4245 - val_loss: 1.1738
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Epoch 22/50: 18s 13ms/step - accuracy: 0.7908 - loss: 0.4047 - val_accuracy: 0.4259 - val_loss: 1.3172
Epoch 23/50: 19s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7929 - loss: 0.4058 - val_accuracy: 0.4253 - val_loss: 1.3242
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Epoch 25/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7889 - loss: 0.4021 - val_accuracy: 0.4229 - val_loss: 1.3223
Epoch 26/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7905 - loss: 0.4014 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.3385
Epoch 27/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7915 - loss: 0.4008 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.3547
Epoch 28/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7925 - loss: 0.4002 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.3709
Epoch 29/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7935 - loss: 0.3996 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.3871
Epoch 30/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7945 - loss: 0.3990 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.4033
Epoch 31/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7955 - loss: 0.3984 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.4195
Epoch 32/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7965 - loss: 0.3978 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.4357
Epoch 33/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7975 - loss: 0.3972 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.4519
Epoch 34/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7985 - loss: 0.3966 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.4681
Epoch 35/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.7995 - loss: 0.3960 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.4843
Epoch 36/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8005 - loss: 0.3954 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.5005
Epoch 37/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8015 - loss: 0.3948 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.5167
Epoch 38/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8025 - loss: 0.3942 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.5329
Epoch 39/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8035 - loss: 0.3936 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.5491
Epoch 40/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8045 - loss: 0.3930 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.5653
Epoch 41/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8055 - loss: 0.3924 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.5815
Epoch 42/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8065 - loss: 0.3918 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.5977
Epoch 43/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8075 - loss: 0.3912 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.6139
Epoch 44/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8085 - loss: 0.3906 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.6301
Epoch 45/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8095 - loss: 0.3900 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.6463
Epoch 46/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8105 - loss: 0.3894 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.6625
Epoch 47/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8115 - loss: 0.3888 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.6787
Epoch 48/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8125 - loss: 0.3882 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.6949
Epoch 49/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8135 - loss: 0.3876 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.7111
Epoch 50/50: 18s 20ms/step - accuracy: 0.8145 - loss: 0.3870 - val_accuracy: 0.4254 - val_loss: 1.7273
```

5. Model Optimization and Tuning Phase

5.1. Tuning Documentation

```
model=tf.keras.Sequential([
    data_augmentation,
    tf.keras.layers.Conv2D(8, (3,3), activation='relu', input_shape=IMAGE_SHAPE),
    tf.keras.layers.MaxPooling2D(pool_size=(2, 2), strides=None, padding='valid'),
    tf.keras.layers.Conv2D(16, (3,3), activation='relu'),
    tf.keras.layers.MaxPooling2D(pool_size=(2, 2), strides=None, padding='valid'),
    tf.keras.layers.Flatten(),
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(32),
    tf.keras.layers.Dropout(.2, input_shape=(32,)),
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(1, activation='sigmoid')
])

from tensorflow.keras.optimizers import Adam

model.compile(optimizer=Adam(learning_rate=0.0001),
              loss='binary_crossentropy',
              metrics = ['accuracy'])
```

The optimizer used is Adam with a learning rate of 0.0001. The loss function is binary cross-entropy. The input size is 256, 256, 3. The model was trained for 25 epochs.

```
inputs = tf.keras.layers.Input((150,150,3))
base_model=tf.keras.applications.xception.Xception(include_top=False, weights='imagenet',input_shape=(150,150,3), pooling='avg')
x=base_model(inputs)
output=layers.Dense(2, activation='sigmoid')(x)
model=tf.keras.models.Model(inputs=inputs, outputs=output)

model.compile(Adamax(learning_rate=1e-4), loss='binary_crossentropy',metrics=['accuracy'])
history = model.fit(train_images, validation_data=val_images, epochs=30)
```

The activation function used is Adamax with a learning rate of 1e-4. The loss function is binary cross-entropy. The input shape is 150,150,3. The base model used is Xception with ImageNet weights. The model was trained for 30 epochs, and after 30 epochs, the accuracy was 99.76% with a validation accuracy of 98.67%, which was the highest achieved.

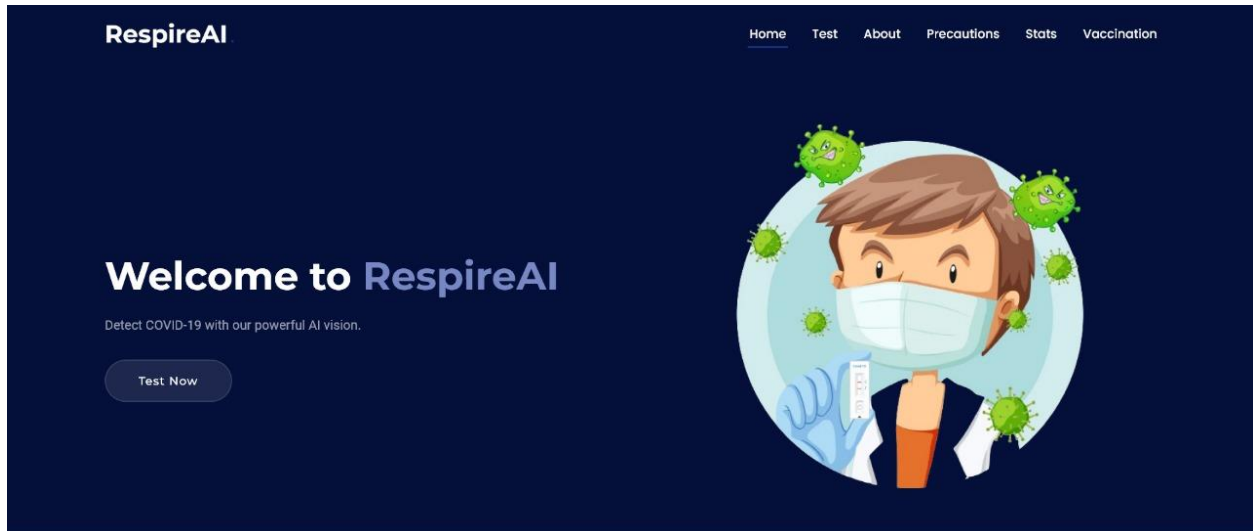
5.2 Final model selection justification:

XCEPTION: The training process of the Xception model demonstrates strong performance, with high accuracy and low loss on both the training and validation datasets. The validation accuracy reaches around 98%, and the loss decreases significantly over the training epochs, suggesting that the model is able to generalize well to unseen data. The use of transfer learning allows the Xception model to fine-tune its already powerful feature extraction capabilities, which were initially developed for general image classification tasks, to the specific problem of COVID-19 detection from chest X-ray images. This approach leverages the model's pre-existing knowledge and adapts it to the target domain, enhancing the model's effectiveness for the given task.

6.Results

The model is being shown through a website created using flask and HTML to detect COVID19

6.1 Output screenshots:



All we need is an X-Ray scan of your lungs.



Scan



Covid19 negative result:



Scan

File IM-0009-0001.jpeg received and processed

The probability of the patient in this scan having COVID-19 is
20.38%. This means you **DO NOT** have COVID-19!


The Analysis revealed a class 0 diagnosis at 79.62147%
(Class 1 implies a COVID 19 Diagnosis and Class 0 implies a Healthy Diagnosis)



Covid19 positive result:

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Scan

File COVID-428.png received and processed

The probability of the patient in this scan having COVID-19 is **99.95%**.

This means you **probably have** COVID-19, Find possible treatments [here](#) and [here](#)

The Analysis revealed a class 1 diagnosis at 99.95256%
(Class 1 implies a COVID 19 Diagnosis and Class 0 implies a Healthy Diagnosis)

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About Us

Harness the power of advanced technology to provide accurate and efficient COVID-19 detection using lung X-ray images

We aim to support healthcare professionals in diagnosing and managing COVID-19, especially in areas with limited access to rapid testing facilities.

Our solution is built on the robust TensorFlow framework and leverages the Xception architecture, pre-trained on ImageNet, and fine-tuned for COVID-19 detection. We incorporate advanced data augmentation techniques to enhance model generalization and ensure high accuracy across diverse X-ray images.

We prioritize the privacy and security of our users' data. All uploaded images are encrypted and processed securely, ensuring that patient confidentiality is maintained at all times.

- ✓ **Accuracy:** Our deep learning model is rigorously tested and validated, offering high diagnostic accuracy.
- ✓ **Efficiency:** Get quick results, enabling timely decision-making for healthcare professionals.
- ✓ **Accessibility:** Our platform is designed to be user-friendly, making advanced diagnostic tools accessible to all.

We envision a world where advanced technology bridges the gap in healthcare accessibility, providing crucial diagnostic tools to combat pandemics like COVID-19. By continuously improving our models and expanding our services, we strive to contribute to global health and well-being.



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Precautions

- **Proper X-ray Technique:** Ensure that the X-ray images are captured with proper positioning and exposure settings. Inaccurate images can lead to incorrect results.
- **Hygiene and Safety:** Follow all recommended hygiene practices when handling patients and X-ray equipment to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) and sanitize equipment after each use.
- **Consult Healthcare Professionals:** This platform is intended to assist healthcare professionals and should not replace professional medical advice or diagnosis. Always consult a healthcare professional for a comprehensive evaluation and diagnosis.
- **Regular Calibration:** Regularly calibrate X-ray machines to ensure the accuracy and quality of the images. Poorly calibrated machines can produce substandard images, affecting the diagnostic process.



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7. Advantages And Disadvantages

Advantages

- **Rapid Diagnosis:** The CovidVision system provides quick analysis of lung X-rays, allowing for faster diagnosis compared to traditional methods. This is crucial for timely treatment and containment of the virus.
- **High Accuracy:** Utilizing the Xception deep learning model, CovidVision achieves a validation accuracy of around 98%, ensuring reliable detection of COVID-19 from X-ray images.
- **Scalability:** The system is designed to be scalable, making it suitable for deployment in various healthcare settings, from large hospitals to small clinics, especially in resource-limited areas.
- **Cost-Effective:** By using existing X-ray infrastructure and enhancing it with AI, CovidVision provides a cost-effective solution for COVID-19 detection without the need for expensive and time-consuming tests.
- **Non-Invasive:** The use of lung X-rays for detection is a non-invasive method, which is safer and more comfortable for patients compared to other diagnostic methods like nasal swabs or blood tests.
- **Support for Healthcare Providers:** The detailed diagnostic reports generated by CovidVision assist healthcare providers in making informed decisions, improving patient care and outcomes.
- **Enhanced Accessibility:** The integration with web-based interfaces allows for remote diagnosis, which can be particularly beneficial in under-resourced or remote areas where access to healthcare professionals is limited.

Disadvantages

- **Dependence on Image Quality:** The accuracy of the system is highly dependent on the quality of the X-ray images. Poor quality or improperly taken X-rays can lead to inaccurate results.
- **Limited to COVID-19 Detection:** While highly effective for detecting COVID-19, the system is specialized and may not perform as well in identifying other respiratory conditions or diseases without further training and modification.
- **Initial Setup and Training:** Setting up the system and training the model require significant computational resources and expertise in deep learning, which may not be readily available in all healthcare settings.
- **Data Privacy Concerns:** Handling and processing patient data, including X-ray images, pose significant privacy and security concerns that must be addressed through robust data protection measures.
- **Bias and Generalization:** The model's performance can be affected by the diversity of the training dataset. If the dataset is not representative of the wider population, the system might not generalize well to all patient demographics.
- **Integration Challenges:** Integrating the AI system with existing healthcare IT infrastructure can be complex and may require significant time and resources to ensure seamless operation.
- **Regulatory and Ethical Issues:** The deployment of AI in healthcare must navigate regulatory approvals and ethical considerations, which can be time-consuming and challenging to address comprehensively.

8.Conclusion

This project aims to revolutionize COVID-19 diagnostics by leveraging deep learning to deliver rapid and accurate detection from lung X-rays. This advanced AI system will support healthcare providers in making timely and reliable diagnoses, thereby improving patient outcomes and reducing the strain on healthcare systems. By providing a scalable and cost-effective solution, CovidVision will be particularly beneficial in resource-limited settings, ensuring broader access to critical diagnostic tools and enhancing overall healthcare efficiency during the pandemic and future respiratory disease outbreaks.

9.Future Scope:

Develop real-time monitoring systems that can alert healthcare providers to potential COVID-19 cases or other respiratory issues as soon as X-ray images are captured.

Enhance the system's accessibility and usability in remote and under-resourced areas globally, possibly through mobile applications or portable X-ray devices.

Incorporate data from other imaging techniques like CT scans and MRI to improve diagnostic accuracy and cover a broader range of medical conditions.

10.Appendix

10.1 Source Code

Flask:

```
from flask import Flask, render_template, redirect, send_from_directory, request, jsonify
from werkzeug.utils import secure_filename
import os
os.environ['TF_ENABLE_ONEDNN_OPTS'] = '0'
from model import preprocess, predict_result
import json
```

```
app = Flask(__name__)
```

```
cwd = os.path.realpath(__file__).rstrip("app.py")
```

```
@app.route('/')
def home():
    return render_template("index.html")
```

```
@app.route("/predict", methods=["POST"])
def predict():
```

```
    if 'file' not in request.files:
        return jsonify({"error": "No file part"}), 400
    file = request.files['file']
    if file.filename == '':
        return jsonify({"error": "No selected file"}), 400
    if file:
        filename = secure_filename(file.filename)
        # file_path = os.path.join(app.config['UPLOAD_FOLDER'], filename)
        file_path = cwd + "static\\" + filename
        print(file_path)
        file.save(file_path)
```

```

# Perform your prediction or processing here using file_path
print(filename)

img = preprocess(file_path)
prediction = predict_result(img)

print(prediction)

os.remove(file_path)

summary = ""
if prediction[0] == 0 :
    summary = f"The probability of the patient in this scan having COVID-19 is
<big><b>{round((1 - prediction[1]) * 100, 2)}%</b></big>. \
    This means you <b>DO NOT</b> have COVID-19!"
else:
    summary = f"The probability of the patient in this scan having COVID-19 is
<big><b>{round(prediction[1] * 100, 2)}% </b></big>. <br>\
    This means you <b>probably have</b> COVID-19, Find possible treatments <a
target='_blank' href='https://www.mygov.in/covid-19/'>here</a> and <a href =
'https://indiacovidguidelines.org/' target='_blank'> here </a>"

result = {
    "status": f"File {filename} received and processed",
    "diagnosis" : f"The Analysis revealed a class {prediction[0]} diagnosis at
{round(prediction[1] * 100, 5)}%\
    <br> (Class 1 implies a COVID 19 Diagnosis and Class 0 implies a Healthy
Diagnosis)",
    "predictions" : summary
}

return jsonify(result)

if __name__ == '__main__':

```

```
app.run(debug = True)
```

DL MODELS: [github link](#)

10.2 Github and Project Demo link

<https://github.com/isananya/Xrayception>

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ufpznFHtDNzAlH5pTopvnCZM2Qgca47q/view?usp=drive_link