

Force Prediction using OCT Sensor Data by Linear Regression, CNN and RNN

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Abstract. Content of this student project is to develop a model that gives information about the force acting at a needle tip while plunging it against a tissue. The purpose is to give the operator some kind of force feedback without measuring it explicitly. Input of this model is an optical coherence tomography (OCT) signal that is measured at the needle tip. Three models which are linear regression, convolutional neural network and recursive neural network are considered.

Keywords: Machine learning, linear regression, CNN, RNN, optical coherence tomography

1 Introduction

2 Measurement Set Up

3 Models

3.1 Linear Regression

3.2 CNN

3.3 RNN

4 Results

References