Classification of Wildtype and Mutant Zebrafish Brains via Computational Method

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Abstract

Classification of biological creatures' phenotypes has long been a field that scientists study at. In this project, we utilize support vector machine to distinguish structures of Zebrafish's brains by using data generated from landmark analysis [1]. We create a tool for biologists to intuitively classify three-dimensional biological shapes into two groups, usually defined as wild type and mutant, and understand which part of the shapes have the most impact on the classification result. This project derives from Professor Barresi's biological image analysis research at Smith College.

Introduction

This project derives from Professor Barresi's biological image analysis research at Smith College and provides a tool to classify the structures within zebrafish brains via support vector machine. Our goal is to distinguish the wild and mutant types of zebrafish brain's structures. Schwartz, a student in Barresi Lab, used landmarks analysis to divide the points in the three-dimentional images into small wedges and computed the landmark, which is the most representative point, within each wedge. The image of signals in a Zebrafish brain is shown in Figure 1. The shape is divided into 30 slices, and each slice is further divided into 8 wedges. The landmark in each wedge is calculated by taking the median distance of all points in each wedge, R. We use number of points in each wedge and median r to run SVM models to do classifications.

Programming Languages

Two programming languages are used in this study, Python and **R**. Python is used to run our model and output the result in the correct format. **R** is used generally for data cleaning and creating interactive user interface.

Git, `knitr`, and Reproducible Research

Reproducible research and open source are two main points of emphasis in this honors project. As scholars place more emphasis on the reproducibility of research studies, it is essential for us to make our code publicly available for people to recreate both the model and the user interface.

`knitr` [2] and Github are used in this project to make the study reproducible, ranging from the initial data source to the `nyctaxi` package to the statistical data analysis. We used an **R** package called `rticles` to write this paper. This tool allows authors to create reproducible and dynamic technical scientific paper in **R** Markdown. It also allows users to embed **R** code and interactive applicationis, and output into PDF. `rticles` helps users to efficiently put together scientific paper with similar format [3]. Github is used to store the scripts for our final paper, and the source code for our final production which contains the final model and user interface.

Literature Review

Research in developmental biology has relied on the analysis of morphological phenotypes through qualitative examination of maximum intensity projections that surrender the power of three dimensional data. Statistical methods to analyze visual data are needed, particularly to detect subtle phenotypes [1].

Landmark Analysis   Landmarks describe a shape by locating a finite number of points on each specimen. There are three basic types of landmarks: scientific, mathematic and pseudo-landmarks. A scientific landmark is a point assigned by an expert that corresponds between objects in some scientifically meaningful way, for example the corner of an eye. Mathematical landmarks are points located on an object according to some mathematical or geometrical property of the figure. Since it does not assume a preference of one location to another, it is particularly useful in automated morphological recognition and analysis for under-studied structure. Pseudo-landmarks are constructed points on an object, located either around the outline or in between scientific or mathematic landmarks. It is often used to approximate continuous curves [4]. This research has chosen to calculate an automatic set of landmarks distributed

across the structure in order to avoid introducing bias due to expectations about where   45
biological differences should emerge.   46

Schwartz et al. [1] have utilized the open source program, Ilastik, which employs a   47
training based machine learning, to eliminate the image noise. Then they preformed   48
principal component analysis to align commissures between samples, reducing   49
misalignment artifacts, and implemented a cylindrical coordinate system which   50
preserves image dimensionality normally lost in maximum intensity projection (MIP),   51
which facilitates presentation of the data, but sacrifices much of the complexity and   52
relational data contained in the image. Then they reduced the points identified by the   53
program as belonging to the structure to a set of landmark points that describe the   54
shape and distribution of signal corresponding to the structure. Finally, using the   55
landmark system, we are able to identify and quantify structural differences and   56
changes in signal distribution between wild type and mutant commissures.   57

Support Vector Machine   Schwartz et al.[1] used Random Forest machine leaning   58
method to classify the landmarks. Although the classification is quite accurate, it is   59
difficult to interpret the result from biological aspects. Instead of doing classification on   60
all of the landmarks at the same time, we decided to do classifacation on one landmark   61
at a time via Support Vector Machine. The SVM algorithm is a classification algorithm   62
that provides state-of-the-art performance in a wide variety of application domains,   63
image classification. During the past few years, SVM has been applied very broadly   64
within the field of computational biology especially in pattern recognition problems,   65
including protein remote homology detection, microarray gene expressions analysis,   66
prediction of protein-protein interactions, etc. In 1999, Jaakkola et al [5] ushered the   67
development of homology detection algorithms with a paper that garnered the "Best   68
paper" award at the annual Intelligent Systems for Molecular Biology conference. Their   69
primary insight was that additional accuracy can be obtained by modeling the   70
difference between positive and negative examples. Because the homology task required   71
discriminating between related and unrelated sequences, explicitly modeling the   72
difference between these two sets of sequences yields an extremely powerful method.   73
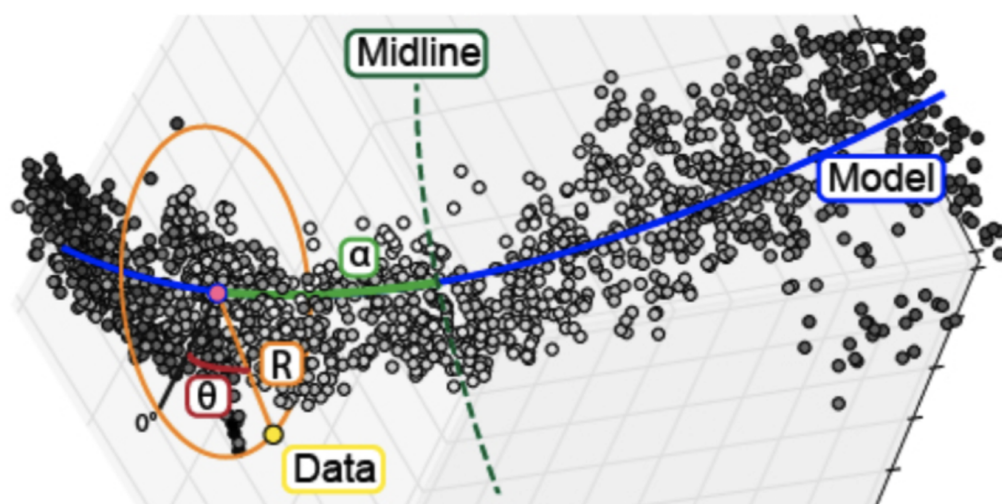
Data and Variables   74

Fig 1. Landmark

We have 43 wildtypes samples (n_1) and 35 mutant samples (n_2) for training and testing. There are 152 landmarks (N) for each sample, with each of them containing the following variables:

- number of points in each wedge
- median r (micro-meter): the median of the distances to the center of the slice of all the points in each wedge
- α (micro-meter): distance from the center of the landmark to the midline
- θ (radian): the degree the describes the location of a wedge within each slice

We used the number of points and the median r to do classification via support vector machine. For missing median r values due to absence of points in particular wedge, we filled them with the median value of all the points in that wedge.

Tidy Data

The raw landmarks data is a wide table containing the sample index and all the columns holding information regarding the minimum and maximum values of α and θ, number of points, median r value, and the type of sample for a particular sample in each landmark. and The value in each cell refers to the median r value or number of points. However, because all of such variables were joined by underscores in the variable names, such as `-14.29_-4.76_-0.79_0.0_50_pts` or `-14.29_-4.76_-0.79_0.0_50_r`, it was very difficult to see what each column actually represented. Thus, the data set was restructured to have the sample index, minimum and maximum α, minimum and maximum θ, number of points, median r, and type of sample each be its own column.

Hence, three key functions were used from the tidyr package [6]: gather(), separate(), and spread(). The gather() function separated the dataset into key and value pairs for each index. The key was the column name containing all essential information connected by underscores and the value included the number of points or median r value. Then, the separate() function separated the result from the gather function divided the column connected by underscore into 5 different columns, named as `min_alpha`, `max_alpha`, `min_theta`, `max_theta`, and `ptsOrR`. This was added to the result of the gather function that contained the index and value of each cell, either median r or number of points. Afterwards, the spread() function widened the already wide table by expanding the `ptsOrR` column by creating two columns, each column representing median r and the number of points.

Dealing with Missing Values

Support Vector Machine (SVM) cannot be fit to data with missing values. For wedges that do not have any points, median r cannot be calculated, which means that these sample will be eliminated when running SVM. Wedges without points have biologically meanings, so we should not ignore these wedges in our model. In order to keep the wedges in our model, we need to artificially pick a median r value to replace the missing ones. SVM is sensitive to outliers, so we cannot pick an r value that could become outliers. We decided to calculate the mean of median r for the nth landmark of all 78 samples, and then we replace the missing median$r$ values with the 2 * median r value for each landmark of each channel.

Support Vector Machine

The goal of SVM is to find a separation line $f(x) = (\beta_0 + \beta_1 \cdot x_1 + \beta_2 \cdot x_2)$ that separates the nearest data as cleanly as possible. The parameters β are found by solving

the optimization problem –to maximize Margin subject to some restrictions – in 2   120
dimensions below [7].   121
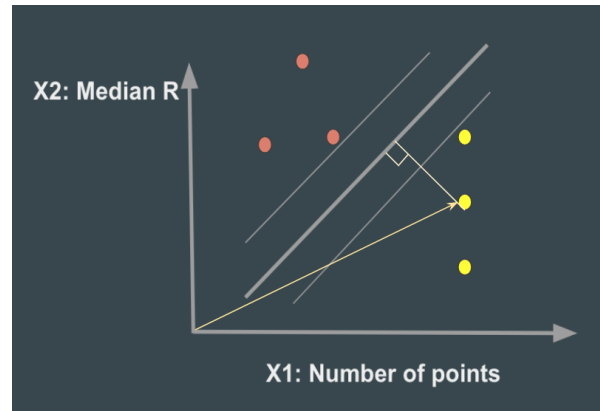
Fig 2. SVM model

$$\begin{aligned}
&\sum_{i=1}^{n} \beta_i^2 = 0 \\
&y_i * (\beta_0 + \beta_1 \cdot x_1 + \beta_2 \cdot x_2) \geq M(1 - \varepsilon_i) \\
&\varepsilon_i \geq 0 \\
&\sum_{i=1}^{n} \varepsilon_i \leq C
\end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

- M: Margin is the sum of distance of the two closest points from each class to the   122
  separation line.   123
- ε_i : slack variable.   124
- C: Tuning parameter, toleration of total misclassification.   125

The slack variable ε_i tells us where the ith observation is located, relative to the   126
separation line and relative to the margin. If $\varepsilon_i = 0$ then the ith observation is on the   127
correct side of the margin. If $\varepsilon_i > 0$ then the ith observation is on the wrong side of the   128
margin. If $\varepsilon_i > 1$ then it is on the wrong side of the separation line.   129

The tuning parameter C bounds the sum of the ε_i, and so it determines the number   130
and severity of the violations to the margin and to the separation line that we will   131
tolerate. We can think of C as a budget for the amount that the margin can be violated   132
by the n observations. If $C = 0$ then there is no budget for violations to the margin,   133
and it must be the case that $\varepsilon_1 = ... = \varepsilon_n = 0$. For $C > 0$ no more than C observations   134
can be on the wrong side of the separation line, because if an observation is on the   135
wrong side of the separation line then $\varepsilon_i > 1$. As the budget C increases, we become   136
more tolerant of violations to the margin, and so the margin will widen. Conversely, as   137
C decreases, we become less tolerant of violations to the margin and so the margin   138
narrows.   139

y_i is the vector representing the coordinate of a data point. The dot product of y_i 140
and the function of the seperation line gives the perpendicular distance from the data   141
point to the separation line: 142

$$y_i * (\beta_0 + \beta_1 * x_1 + \beta_2 * x_2)$$

If the dot product is greater than 0, the observation falls at the right side of the   143
separation line and vice versa.   144

In general, we want to find a classification that the distance from a data point to the   145
separation line is larger than the margin, while we can tolerate some points being in the   146
middle of the margins or misclassified.   147

Cross-Validation

For our project, we have access to 43 wild-type samples and 35 mutant-type samples. Due to this limited sample size, we decided to use a leave-one-out cross validation method to test our model.

For each testing sample, we built 152 SVMs for each landmark. For each SVM, we used 10-fold cross validation to select a tuning parameter C value among 0.1, 1 and 10.

Final Product: Two-Step Interactive Classification Tool

We created a two-step interactive classification tool which allows users to simply input a data file and get an visualization of the modeling result. There are two main components in the tool:

General Workflow

Fig 3 displays the overall workflow leading to the final product of classification. It begins with the cleaning and restructuring of the raw landmarks data. The tidied landmarks data that has the NA values filled contains 152 distinct landmarks. Each landmark has its own representative SVM model that used the 77 samples out of 78 for training from applying the leave-one-out cross validation method. That one sample that is left out from each landmark is used for testing the model that was built from the 77 samples. Then, based on the training accuracy of each model, only those that consist of reliable landmarks are filtered out. The number of wildtypes and mutants predicted with each model are calculated and this leads to the final classification result of using SVMs.

Step One: Data Processing and Modeling

This step is implemented using **Python** (version 3) and packages including `pandas`, `numpy` and `sklearn` are required. Users would need to run and interact with the Python script `svm.py` to pre-process the data and build the model. Then, they would need to run another script `analyse_results.py` to analyse the raw results and produce aggregated results.

The script `svm.py` contains two components: a general-purpose `svm_classification()` function that builds a SVM model to classify points for a perticular landmark and a `main()` function that runs the `svm_classification()` function for each landmark.

The script `analyse_results.py` contains three components: a helper function `get_result_file_pathes()` that returns a list of result file pathes in the output folder; a helper function `process_row_data()` that takes a path of raw data file and returns one with accuracy scores calculated and attached; a `main()` function that runs the two helper function to process all raw data files and generates an aggregated `CSV` file comtaining results from all samples.

User Interaction

As shown in **Fig 4** and **Fig 5**, several user inputs are taken from users when they run the python scripts.

Input File 189

Input file must contain landmark data. Variables that are needed for classification are 190
required to be included in the input file. In our analysis, we used number of points in 191
each wedge within the 3D shape and the median r of points in each wedge. 192

Sample input file 193

Fig 6 shows a ramdom sample of an input file for the script `svm.py`. The columns 194
`stype` (sample type), `landmark_index` and `sample_index` are arequired and the other 195
two columns (`pts` and `r` in this example) are the two parameters for building SVM. 196

Output File 197

Fig 7 shows the columns of the final result file produced by the `analyse_results.py` 198
script. The first 4 columns are describing the testing sample's information while the rest 199
of the columns are all precision statistics discribing the accuracy of the model built. 200
Here are the discriptions of all the columns: 201

- `sample_index`: sample index of the testing sample 202
- `landmark_index`: the index of the landmark 203
- `type`: the actual type of the testing sample 204
- `pred`: the prediction made by the model 205
- `type0_0`: number of type 0 samples that are classified as type 0 in the 206
  corresponding landmark's SVM 207
- `type0_1`: number of type 0 samples that are classified as type 1 in the 208
  corresponding landmark's SVM 209
- `type1_1`: number of type 1 samples that are classified as type 1 in the 210
  corresponding landmark's SVM 211
- `type1_0`: number of type 1 samples that are classified as type 0 in the 212
  corresponding landmark's SVM 213
- `type0_precision`: percentage of samples that are classified by the corresponding 214
  landmark's SVM as type 0 are really of type 0 215
- `type0_recall`: percentage of type 0 samples that are classified by the 216
  corresponding landmark's SVM as type 0. 217
- `type0_f1`: hermonic mean of `type0_precision` and `type0_recall` 218
- `type0_num`: number of type 0 samples in the training dataset 219
- `type1_precision`: percentage of samples that are classified by the corresponding 220
  landmark's SVM as type 1 are really of type 1 221
- `type1_recall`: percentage of type 1 samples that are classified by the 222
  corresponding landmark's SVM as type 1 223
- `type1_f1`: hermonic mean of `type1_precision` and `type1_recall` 224
- `type1_num`: number of type 1 samples in the training dataset 225
- `overall_precision`: weighted average of `type0_precision` and 226
  `type1_precision` 227
- `overall_recall`: weighted average of `type0_recall` and `type1_recall` 228
- `overall_f1`: weighted average of `type0_f1` and `type1_f1` 229

Step Two: Interactive Visualization Tool 230

After building SVM models in step one, we insert the output from the SVM models into 231
step two to visualize the results. Steps two uses the accuracy scores output from step 232
one to create a user-friendly app which generates visualizations to help users to 233
understand the SVM results. 234

The repository containing the shiny app can be access by doing the following: 235

```
install.packages("devtools")
devtools::install_github("liwencong1995/SDS-Capstone-Zebrafish")
```

The file containing the source code of the shiny app can be found in `9.FinalModel` 236
folder of the repository. The file is named as `shiny_app.R`. 237

Input 1: Data File and Variables 238

Input `CSV` data file must be stored in a folder called `data` under your working directory, 239
and the `CSV` file must be named as `output_data.csv`. If you do not know what your 240
working directory is, you can check it by using the function `getwd()` in base **R**. 241
All SVM models from step one produce the following 9 accuracy measurements: 242

1. Precision score of type 0 243
2. Recall score of type 0 244
3. F1 score of type 0 245
4. Precision score of type 1 246
5. Recall score of type 1 247
6. F1 score of type 1 248
7. Overall precision score 249
8. Overall recall score 250
9. Overall F1 score 251

These 9 accuracy scores are the variables needed in the second step of the user 252
interface to create the visualizations. 253

Input 2: User Inputs 254

Users can select `channel` and `sample index` to filter the input dataset to only keep the 255
observations that users are interested in. 256
In addition, users can set the threshold of the following variables: 257

- Overall precision score 258
- Overall recall score 259
- Overall F1 score 260

The dataset used to create the visualizations is rendered everytime users cahnge one 261
or multiple thresholds. Our app filters out the observations that do not fulfill the 262
threshold requirements and uses the resulting dataset to update the histograms and 263
heatmaps. 264

Output: Interactive User Interface 265

This interactive user interface was built upon several **R** packages: 266

- `dplyr` [8] 267
- `data.table` [9] 268
- `ggplot2` [10] 269
- `shiny` [11] 270

We visualize the 9 accuracy scores by using both histograms and the corresponding 271
heatmaps that display the scores inlcuded in the histograms in rectangular shapes that 272
are colored with different shades of blue according to their magnitudes. The positions of 273

the shapes are determined with respect to their relative positions within the biological
structure. In the study of Zebrafish, we used the relative positions of the wedges used in
landmark analysis to determine the position of the wedges in the heatmap.

There are 10 tabs included in the user interface of the app: 1 Accuracy Threshold
Summary tab and 9 accuracy score visualization tabs.

Figure 5 displays the Accuracy Score Threshold Summary tab of the first sample of
AT channel. Users can drag the dot on the slidebar to set the thresholds of overall
precision, recall, and f1 scores. The threshold of the three scores are updated in the
summary table. Default thresholds are 0 for all three accuracy measurements. We then
use the landmark observations that fulfill the threshold requirements to predict the type
of the sample of choice by doing a majority vote. We simply count the total number of
landmarks that are classified as type 0 and type 1, and then we determine whether
there are more of them that are classified as type 0 or type 1. The type that gets more
vote is the predicted type of the sample. The resuting predicted sample type is also
updated in the summary table.

Other information, such as the true type of the sample and the number of wildetypes
and mutants used in training the SVM models are also included in the summary table.

Figure 6 displays the Precision Score Visualization tab of the first sample of AT
channel. In this case, all three thresholds are at default level, 0. Therefore, all
landmarks' precision scores are shown in both the histogram and the heatmap.

Figure 7 also displays the Precision Score Visualization tab of the first sample of AT
channel. In this case, recall and f1 scores' thresholds are at default level and precision
threshold is set to be 0.75. Therefore, only landmarks that have precision scores that are
equal to or greater than 0.75 are shown in the visualizations. As shown in the histogram,
all values less than 0.75 are removed from the histogram in figure 6. Some of the blocks
in figure 6 are turned into blank blocks after the precision threshold is increased to 0.75.

Users can also choose to observe the SVM results of ZRF channel. Figure 8 displays
the Precision Score Visualization tab of the first sample of ZRF channel with all
thresholds equal to 0. More sample visualizations of other accuracy scores can be found
in Appendix A.

Conclusion and Discussion

Strengths

Our final product has several strengths:

Easy Interpretation

In the previous method random forest, the number of predictors p exceeds the number
of samples. Schwartz applied Principle Componen Analysis to reduce the dimension of
the predictors. The problem with dimension reduction is that the parameters gaining
weights at last are linear combinations of the original landmarks. While the patterns of
the first several projections still make sense, the minor projections are very random and
thus difficult to interpret.

The SVM model run on each landmark data gives insightful analysis of which
landmark, or which part of the Zebrafish brain, has more predictive power.

Implementing User Feedback

We have implemented feedbacks from users in our user interface. Originally, our shiny
app only produces visualizations of one channel's data, but we added an additional
variable, `channel`, for users to analyze three-dimentional data with more or multiple

channels. Because of this improvement, it is more convenient for users to compare and contrast results from different channels.

Limitations and Improvements

Interaction Between Channels and sections

Our SVM model only make prediction based on a single channel's information and the SVM is run for one single landmark at a time. It does not consider the interactions between channels and between different sections of the sample.

Iterating Machine Learning

Instead of cross-validation, better results could be achieved by using iterating machine learning method. In iterative machine learning we repeat the process of training and testing several times. At the first round the user gives examples of objects belonging to some classes and the machine learning algorithm is trained with this data. In the second round, the algorithm shows examples of objects it thinks that belong to these classes. Now, the user merely adds objects to the improved training set which the machine learning algorithm has put into a wrong class. That is, the user only corrects the "misunderstandings" of the algorithm. In this way we can concentrate on difficult examples of objects that are hard to classify. Such objects may lie close to the decision boundaries or in the periphery in the multidimensional feature space. This iterative process is continued until the machine learning algorithm does not make any mistakes or the classification results do not improve anymore. It will improve our classification results and thus is likely to help make better predictions for unknown type [12].

Future Study

Interaction Between Channels

If more time is given, we could add factors that describe the interaction between channels into our SVM model in order to combine information from multiple channels to predict sample type.

Improving User Interface

Since we have only received feedback from three users at Smith College, we would love to get more feedbacks from other scientists and improve our model and user interface accordingly.

Improving Model Accuracy

Acknowledgements

Appendix A: Shiny App Accuracy Score Visualizations

Recall Score Visualization tab of the first sample of AT channel

Recall Score Visualization tab of the first sample of AT channel with recall threshold equals to 0.75

F1 Score Visualization tab of the first sample of AT channel   360

F1 Score Visualization tab of the first sample of AT channel   361
with f1 threshold equals to 0.75   362

Appendix B: Source Code for User Interface

Support Vector Machine

```python
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix, classification_report
from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
from sklearn.svm import SVC
from sklearn.metrics import f1_score, precision_score, recall_score


'''
A function that builds a SVM model with linear kernel to classify points
to two classes.

Inputs:
training_landmarks - a pandas dataframe containing all training landmark
                     data.
index              - a perticular landmark id of interest. eg. '101'
x_names            - a list of explanatory variable names.
                     eg. ['pts', 'r']
y_name             - a string representing response variable name.
                     eg. 'stype'
class0             - name of the first class. eg. 'wt-at'
class1             - name of the second class. eg. 'mt-at'
C_values           - a list of tunning variable C (penalty parameter
                     of the error term) that the method would grid-search
                     on. Default value is [0.1, 1, 10].


Output:
svm                - the SVM model trained from the training dataset
type0_0            - among the training samples, the number of class0 type
                     samples with chosen landmark predicted as class0 type.
type0_1            - among the training samples, the number of class0 type
                     samples with chosen landmark predicted as class1 type.
type1_1            - among the training samples, the number of class1 type
                     samples with chosen landmark predicted as class1 type.
type1_0            - among the training samples, the number of class1 type
                     samples with chosen landmark predicted as class0 type.
'''
def svm_classification(training_landmarks, index, x_names, y_name, class0,
        class1, C_values = [0.1, 1, 10] ):
    # filter out the landmarks needed
    chosenLandmark = landmarks[landmarks.landmark_index==index]
    chosenLandmark = chosenLandmark[np.isfinite(chosenLandmark['r'])]

    # create training and testing data
    X = chosenLandmark[x_names]
    y = chosenLandmark[y_name]

    # check whether both classes exist
    count_1 = chosenLandmark[y_name].str.contains(class1).sum()
```

```python
        count_0 = chosenLandmark[y_name].str.contains(class0).sum()

        if (count_1 < 2 or count_0 < 2):
            return None, None, None, None, None

        # find the best C value by cross-validation
        tuned_parameters = [{'C': C_values}]
        clf = GridSearchCV(
            SVC(kernel='linear'), tuned_parameters, cv=10, scoring='accuracy')
        clf.fit(X.values, y.values)
        best_c = clf.best_params_['C']

        svc = SVC(C=best_c, kernel='linear')
        svc.fit(X, y)

        prediction = svc.predict(X)

        # print confusion matrix
        print("confusion matrix: ")
        cm = confusion_matrix(y, prediction)
        cm_df = pd.DataFrame(cm.T, index=svc.classes_, columns=svc.classes_)
        print(cm_df)

        # Statistics of training precision:
        # number of wild type samples with this landmark predicted as wild type.
        type0_0 =0
        # number of wild type samples with this landmark predicted as mutant type.
        type0_1 = 0
        # number of mutant type samples with this landmark predicted as mutant type
        type1_1 = 0
        # number of mutant type samples with this landmark predicted as wild type.
        type1_0 = 0

        for i in range (len(y)):
            _y = y.values[i]
            _p = prediction[i]

            if _y==class1 and _p==class1:
                type1_1 = type1_1 + 1
            elif _y==class1 and _p==class0:
                type1_0 = type1_0 + 1
            elif _y==class0 and _p==class0:
                type0_0 = type0_0 + 1
            elif _y==class0 and _p==class1:
                type0_1 = type0_1 + 1

        return svc, type0_0, type0_1, type1_1, type1_0


if __name__ == "__main__":
    # Get Datafile
    landmarks = pd.DataFrame()
```

```python
while(landmarks.shape[0]<2):
    filename = str(input("Please enter dataset's path: "))
    try:
        landmarks = pd.read_csv(filename)
    except Exception:
        print ("Error in reading the file.
            Please check whether file exists.")

# Column names
columns = list(landmarks)
# Check column names
if 'stype' not in columns:
    print("Incorrect column names: Please
        name your sample type's column as 'stype' ")
    exit()
if 'sample_index' not in columns:
    print("Incorrect column names: Please name your
        sample index's column as 'sample_index' ")
    exit()
if 'landmark_index' not in columns:
    print("Incorrect column names: Please name your
        landmark index's column as 'landmark_index' ")
    exit()

# Get Parameters' column names
parameters = list(set(columns) -
    set(['stype', 'sample_index', 'landmark_index']))

# Get class names
class0 = ''
class1 = ''
classes = list(set(landmarks['stype'].values))
while (class0 not in classes):
    class0 = str(input("Please enter name of type 0: "))
while (class1 not in classes):
    class1 = str(input("Please enter name of type 1: "))

# Remove rows with NaN values
for parameter in parameters:
    landmarks = landmarks[np.isfinite(landmarks[parameter])]

# Get sample id
sample = pd.DataFrame()
while(sample.shape[0]<2):
    sample_id = str(input("Please enter a VALID sample index: "))
    sample = landmarks[landmarks.sample_index==sample_id]

# Get result file's name and create the file with column names
result_file_name = str(input("Please enter result file path: "))
result_file = open(result_file_name, 'w')
result_file.write('sample_index,stype,
    landmark_index,pred,type0_0,type0_1,type1_1,type1_0\n')
```

```python
        result_file.close()

        # Get existing landmark ids
        landmark_ids = sample['landmark_index']

        # Get Actual Type (the Label)
        stype = sample.iloc[0]['stype']

        leave_one_out = landmarks[landmarks.sample_index!=sample_id]
        for l in landmark_ids.values:
            print ("======================================")
            print ("landmark: ", str(l))
            svc, type0_0, type0_1, type1_1, type1_0 = \
                svm_classification(training_landmarks = leave_one_out,
                                                index = l,
                                                x_names = ['pts', 'r'],
                                                y_name = 'stype',
                                                class0 = class0,
                                                class1 = class1,
                                                C_values = [0.1, 1, 10])
            if (svc is None):
                print("One of the classes have too few samples
                    for this landmark, so skipping it.")
                continue

            prediction = \
                svc.predict(sample[sample.landmark_index==l][['pts', 'r']])[0]
            result = ','.join(str(x) for x in [sample_id, stype, l, prediction,
                type0_0, type0_1, type1_1, type1_0 ]) + '\n'
            print('result:', result)

            result_file = open(result_file_name, 'a')
            result_file.write(result)
            result_file.close()
```

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Package Dependency

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```r
# Shiny App--------------------------------------------------
# Loading packages needed in the creation of the Shiny App
library(dplyr)
library(data.table)
library(ggplot2)
library(shiny)
```

User Input

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```r
# User Input --------------------------------------------------
# Please modify the file directory accordingly
```

```r
data <- fread("data/output_data_type0.csv")

# List of input variables -----------------------------------
list_of_indices <- c(unique(data$sample_index))
# Please add or subtract channels from the list_of_channels accordingly
list_of_channels <- c("type0", "type1")
```

User Interface

```r
# User Interface
ui <- fluidPage(
  titlePanel(title=h4("Classification of Wildtype and Mutant
                       Zebrafish Brains via Computational Method",
                       align="center")),

  # Sidebar containing all input variables
  sidebarLayout(

    # User Inputs
    sidebarPanel(
      selectInput("sampleindex", "Sample Index:", list_of_indices),
      selectInput("channel", "Channel:", list_of_channels),

      # Input accuracy score threshold: 0-1 intervals
      sliderInput("precision", "Precision Rate Threshold:",
                  min = 0, max = 1,
                  value = 0, step = 0.01),
      sliderInput("recall", "Recall Rate Threshold:",
                  min = 0, max = 1,
                  value = 0, step = 0.01),
      sliderInput("f1", "F1 Rate Threshold:",
                  min = 0, max = 1,
                  value = 0, step = 0.01)
    ),

    # Output
    mainPanel(
      tabsetPanel(
        tabPanel("Accuracy Threshold",tableOutput("values")),
        #heatmaps and histograms, side by side
        tabPanel("Type 0 Precision", fluidRow(
          splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                      plotOutput("plot2"), plotOutput("plot1"))
          )),
        tabPanel("Type 1 Precision", fluidRow(
          splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                      plotOutput("plot4"), plotOutput("plot3"))
          )),
        tabPanel("Precision",fluidRow(
          splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                      plotOutput("plot6"), plotOutput("plot5"))
```

```
      )),
      tabPanel("Type 0 Recall", fluidRow(
        splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                    plotOutput("plot8"), plotOutput("plot7"))
      )),
      tabPanel("Type 1 Recall", fluidRow(
        splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                    plotOutput("plot10"), plotOutput("plot9"))
      )),
      tabPanel("Recall",fluidRow(
        splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                    plotOutput("plot12"), plotOutput("plot11"))
      )),
      tabPanel("Type 0 F1", fluidRow(
        splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                    plotOutput("plot14"), plotOutput("plot13"))
      )),
      tabPanel("Type 1 F1", fluidRow(
        splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                    plotOutput("plot16"), plotOutput("plot15"))
      )),
      tabPanel("F1",fluidRow(
        splitLayout(cellWidths = c("40%", "60%"),
                    plotOutput("plot18"), plotOutput("plot17"))
      ))
      )
    )
  )
)
```

Shiny App Server

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```
# Server-------------------------------------------------------
server <- function(input,output) {

  #loading data needed to create visualizations
  dat <- reactive({

    # Please modify the file directory accordingly
    path <- paste0("data/output_data_", input$channel, ".csv")
    # path <- paste0("7.aggregatedResults/", input£channel,
    "_2med_renamed_2.csv")
    data <- fread(path)

    # Please modify the file directory accordingly
    landmark_xy <- fread("data/landmark_xy.csv")
    # landmark_xy <- fread("3.InputData/tidy/landmark_xy.csv")

    # Adding position of each landmark
    data <- data %>%
      left_join(landmark_xy, by="landmark_index")
```

```r
    # Adding baselines to the data file
    data_base <- data %>%
      filter(overall_precision >= input$precision,
             overall_recall >= input$recall,
             overall_f1 >= input$f1) %>%
      mutate(# type 0
             type0_p_b = type0_num/(type0_num+type1_num),
             type0_r_b = 1,
             type0_f1_b = 2*type0_p_b*type0_r_b/
               (type0_p_b + type0_r_b),

             # type 1
             type1_p_b = type1_num/
               (type0_num+type1_num),
             type1_r_b = 1,
             type1_f1_b = 2*type1_p_b*type1_r_b/
               (type1_p_b + type1_r_b),

             # overall
             p_b = (type0_p_b * type0_num + type1_p_b *type1_num)/
               (type0_num+type1_num),
             r_b = (type0_r_b * type0_num + type1_r_b *type1_num)/
               (type0_num+type1_num),
             f1_b = (type0_f1_b * type0_num + type1_f1_b *type1_num)/
               (type0_num+type1_num)
             )

  #filter out the sample not interested
  test <- data_base %>%
    filter(sample_index == input$sampleindex)

  #return dataset
  print(test[1,])
  test
  })

# Reactive expression to create data frame of all input values
sliderValues <- reactive({

  # Getting the true type of the sample
  type <- dat()$type[1]

  # Doing majority vote and perdicting the type of the sample
  test_pred <- dat() %>%
    filter(overall_precision >= input$precision,
           overall_recall >= input$recall,
           overall_f1 >= input$f1)%>%
    group_by(pred) %>%
    summarise(N = n()) %>%
    mutate(max = max(N)) %>%
    mutate(predict = ifelse(N == max, TRUE, FALSE)) %>%
```

```
      filter(predict == TRUE)
    prediction <- test_pred$pred[1]

    # summary table
    data.frame(
      Name = c("Precision Rate Threshold",
               "Recall Rate Threshold",
               "F1 Rate Threshold",
               "Type",
               "Prediction",
               "Number of Type 0 Samples Used In Model",
               "Number of Type 1 Samples Used In Model"),
      Value = as.character(c(input$precision,
                             input$recall,
                             input$f1,
                             type,
                             prediction,
                             mean(dat()$type0_num),
                             mean(dat()$type1_num)
                             )),
      stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
})

# Show the threshold values in an summary table
output$values <- renderTable({
  sliderValues()
})

# precision ------------------------------------------------
output$plot1 <- renderPlot({
  p1 <- ggplot(dat(),aes(x = column, y = row)) +
    geom_tile(aes(fill = type0_precision)) +
    xlab("Alpha") +
    ylab("Theta") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                       breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                       labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
    scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                       breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                       labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
    scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                          breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
  p1
})

output$plot3 <- renderPlot({
  p3 <- ggplot(dat(),
               aes(x = column, y = row)) +
    geom_point() +
    #scale_color_viridis() +
    geom_tile(aes(fill = type1_precision)) +
    xlab("Alpha") +
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```
        ylab("Theta") +
        scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                           breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                           labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
        scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                           breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                           labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
        scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                              breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
    p3
})

output$plot5 <- renderPlot({
  p5 <- ggplot(dat(),
              aes(x = column, y = row)) +
        geom_point() +
        #scale_color_viridis() +
        geom_tile(aes(fill = overall_precision)) +
        xlab("Alpha") +
        ylab("Theta") +
        scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                           breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                           labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
        scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                           breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                           labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
        scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                              breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
    p5
})

output$plot2 <- renderPlot({
  baseline <- mean(dat()$type0_p_b)
  p2 <- qplot(dat()$type0_precision, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p2
})

output$plot4 <- renderPlot({
  baseline <- mean(dat()$type1_p_b)
  p4 <- qplot(dat()$type1_precision, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p4
})
```

```
output$plot6 <- renderPlot({
  baseline <- mean(dat()$p_b)
  p6 <- qplot(dat()$overall_precision, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p6
})

# recall -----------------------------------------------------
output$plot7 <- renderPlot({
  p7 <- ggplot(dat(),aes(x = column, y = row)) +
    geom_tile(aes(fill = type0_recall)) +
    xlab("Alpha") +
    ylab("Theta") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                       breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                       labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
    scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                       breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                       labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
    scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                          breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
  p7
})

output$plot9 <- renderPlot({
  p9 <- ggplot(dat(),
               aes(x = column, y = row)) +
    geom_point() +
    #scale_color_viridis() +
    geom_tile(aes(fill = type1_recall)) +
    xlab("Alpha") +
    ylab("Theta") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                       breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                       labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
    scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                       breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                       labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
    scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                          breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
  p9
})

output$plot11 <- renderPlot({
  p11 <- ggplot(dat(),
                aes(x = column, y = row)) +
    geom_point() +
```

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```
    #scale_color_viridis() +
    geom_tile(aes(fill = overall_recall)) +
    xlab("Alpha") +
    ylab("Theta") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                       breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                       labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
    scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                       breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                       labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
    scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                          breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
  p11
})

output$plot8 <- renderPlot({
  baseline <- mean(dat()$type0_r_b)
  p8 <- qplot(dat()$type0_recall, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p8
})

output$plot10 <- renderPlot({
  baseline <- mean(dat()$type1_r_b)
  p10 <- qplot(dat()$type1_recall, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p10
})

output$plot12 <- renderPlot({
  baseline <- mean(dat()$r_b)
  p12 <- qplot(dat()$overall_recall, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p12
})

# f1 ---------------------------------------------------------------
output$plot13 <- renderPlot({
  p13 <- ggplot(dat(),aes(x = column, y = row)) +
    geom_tile(aes(fill = type0_f1)) +
```

```
        xlab("Alpha") +
        ylab("Theta") +
        scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                           breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                           labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
        scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                           breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                           labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
        scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                              breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
  p13
})

output$plot15 <- renderPlot({
  p15 <- ggplot(dat(),
                aes(x = column, y = row)) +
        geom_point() +
        #scale_color_viridis() +
        geom_tile(aes(fill = type1_f1)) +
        xlab("Alpha") +
        ylab("Theta") +
        scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                           breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                           labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
        scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                           breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                           labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
        scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                              breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
  p15
})

output$plot17 <- renderPlot({
  p17 <- ggplot(dat(),
                aes(x = column, y = row)) +
        geom_point() +
        #scale_color_viridis() +
        geom_tile(aes(fill = overall_f1)) +
        xlab("Alpha") +
        ylab("Theta") +
        scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 20),
                           breaks=c(1, 10, 19),
                           labels=c("-90.51", "0", "90.51")) +
        scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 9),
                           breaks=c(1, 4.5, 8),
                           labels=c("-3.14","0","3.14")) +
        scale_fill_continuous(limits=c(0, 1),
                              breaks=seq(0,1,by=0.25))
  p17
})

output$plot14 <- renderPlot({
```

```
  baseline <- mean(dat()$type0_f1_b)
  p14 <- qplot(dat()$type0_f1, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p14
})

output$plot16 <- renderPlot({
  baseline <- mean(dat()$type1_f1_b)
  p16 <- qplot(dat()$type1_f1, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p16
})

output$plot18 <- renderPlot({
  baseline <- mean(dat()$f1_b)
  p18 <- qplot(dat()$overall_f1, geom = "histogram") +
    geom_vline(xintercept=baseline, linetype="dashed",
               color = "red") +
    scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 1)) +
    xlab("Precision") +
    ylab("Count")
  p18
})
}
```
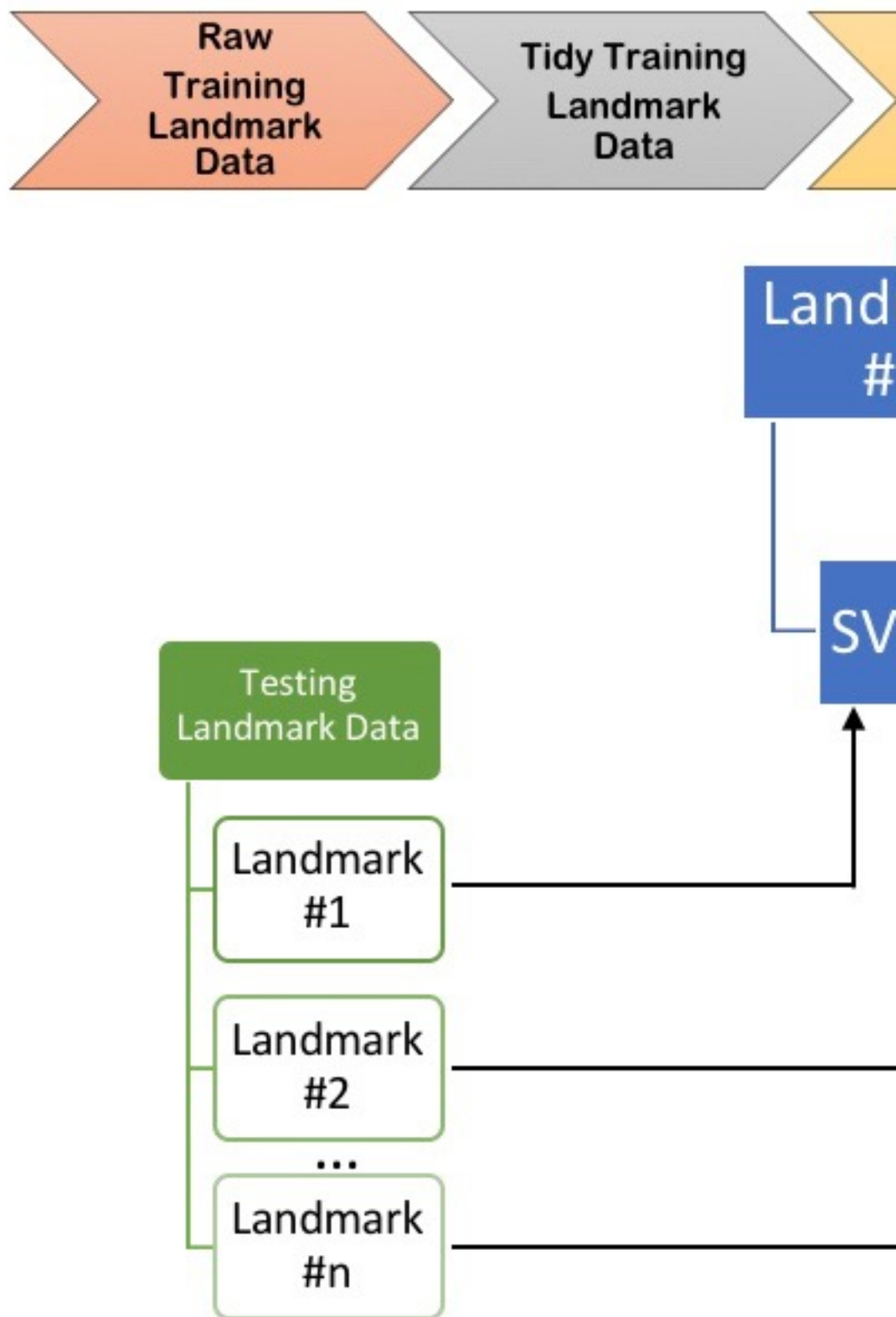
Outputting the Shiny App

```
# Creating the Shiny App
shinyApp(ui, server)
```

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```
[Dejias-MacBook-Pro:SDS-Caps
Please enter 'AT' or 'ZRF'
Enter 0 for filling NaN val
Please enter a VALID sample
Please enter result file na
```

Fig 4. Example of User Interaction in Step One of the User Interface

```
Dejias-MacBook-Pro:SDS-Capstone-Zebrafish dejiatang$ python 1.CodePython/analyse_results.py
[Please enter raw results' folder name: 5.output_AT_2med
Please enter result file path: test.csv
```

Fig 5. Example of User Interaction for Running svm.py

	sample_index	pts	r	stype	landmark_index
4475	128	6251	4.151089	wt-at	58
7062	141	8414	9.091117	wt-at	91
11637	114	0	31.192271	wt-at	150
627	103	1	2.088584	wt-at	9
3570	326	866	14.366965	mt-at	46

Fig 6. Sample Data Input File of First Step of the User Interface

```
sample_index       12008 non-null object
landmark_index     12008 non-null int64
type               11856 non-null object
pred               12008 non-null object
type0_0            12008 non-null float64
type0_1            12008 non-null float64
type1_0            12008 non-null float64
type1_1            12008 non-null float64
type0_precision    12008 non-null float64
type0_recall       12008 non-null float64
type0_f1           12008 non-null float64
type0_num          12008 non-null float64
type1_precision    12008 non-null float64
type1_recall       12008 non-null float64
type1_f1           12008 non-null float64
type1_num          12008 non-null float64
overall_precision  12008 non-null float64
overall_recall     12008 non-null float64
overall_f1         12008 non-null float64
```
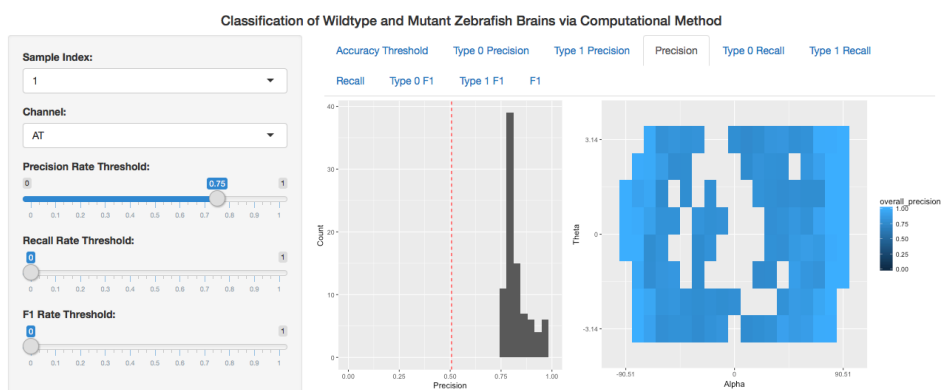
Fig 7. Sample Data Output File of First Step of the User Interface
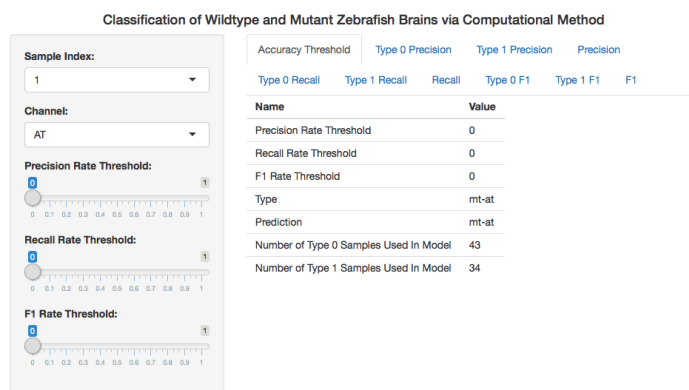
Fig 8. User Interface: Accuracy Threshold Summary Tab of AT Channel
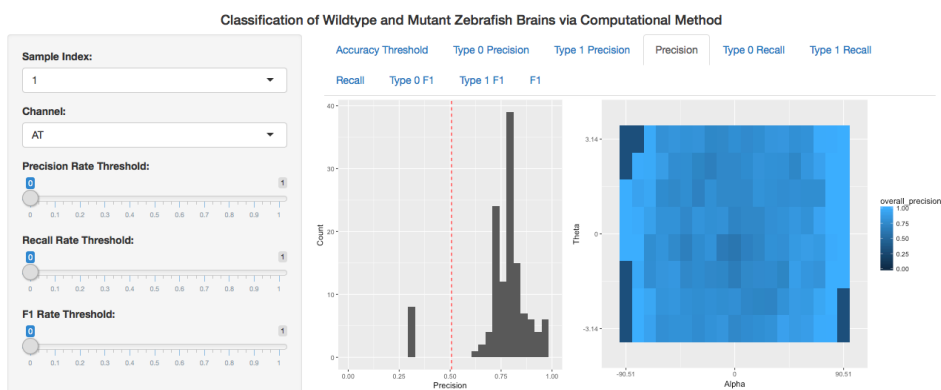
Fig 9. User Interface: Precision Score Visualization Tab of AT Channel

Fig 10. User Interface: Precision Score Visualization Tab of AT Channel, with precision threshold = 0.75
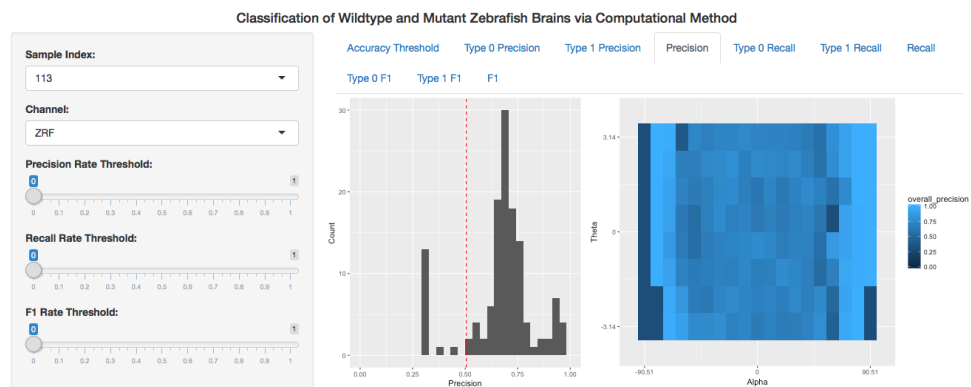
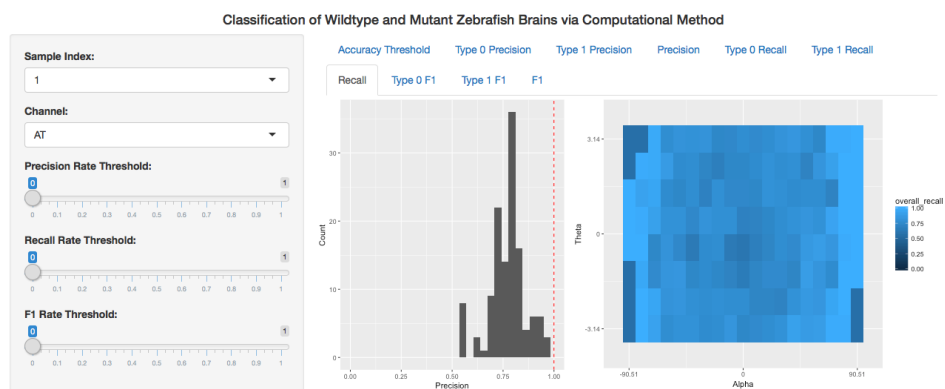**Fig 11.** User Interface: F1 Score Visualization Tab of ZRF Channel

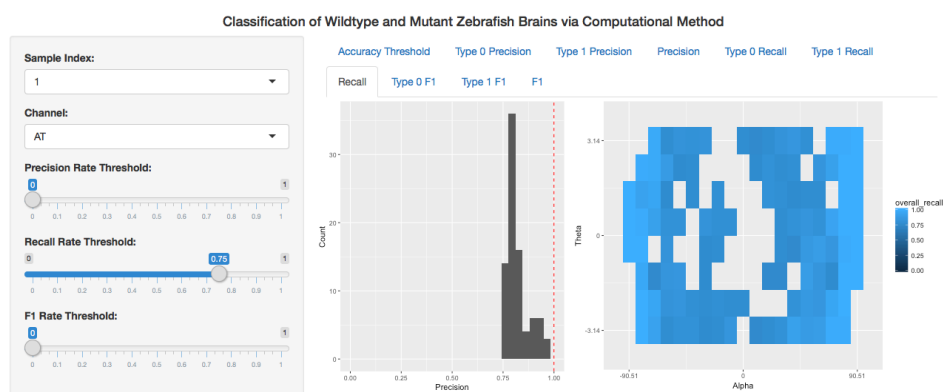**Fig 12.** User Interface: Recall Score Visualization Tab of AT Channel
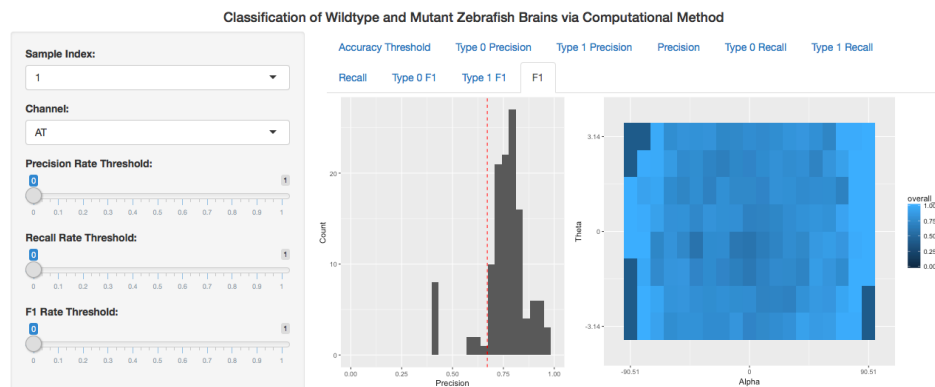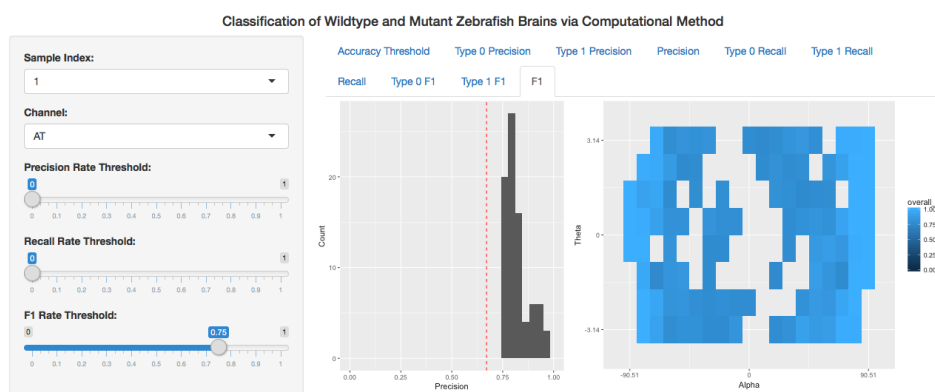

Fig 13. User Interface: Recall Score Visualization Tab of AT Channel, with recall threshold = 0.75

Fig 14. User Interface: F1 Score Visualization Tab of AT Channel

Fig 15. User Interface: F1 Score Visualization Tab of AT Channel, with f1 threshold = 0.75