

Project: Parkinson Disease Prediction using Machine Learning

- **Objective:** Develop a machine learning model to predict whether a person has Parkinson's disease based on health metrics and voice features.
 - **Dataset:** [Parkinson's Disease Dataset](#)
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Project Goals:

1. Importing Libraries and Dataset:

- **Load required Python libraries:**
 - Pandas for handling datasets.
 - NumPy for numerical operations.
 - Matplotlib/Seaborn for data visualization.
 - Sklearn for data preprocessing, model training, and evaluation.
 - XGBoost for high-performance machine learning classification.
 - Imblearn to handle imbalanced data.
- **Load the dataset using Pandas and explore its structure.**

2. Data Preprocessing:

- **Handle missing values if any.**
- **Normalize/scale numerical features for better model performance.**
- **Encode categorical variables if required.**
- **Check for class imbalance and apply SMOTE (Synthetic Minority Over-sampling Technique) if necessary.**
- **Split dataset into training and testing sets (80%-20%).**

3. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA):

- **Visualize feature distributions using histograms and boxplots.**
- **Use correlation heatmaps to identify the most important features for prediction.**
- **Identify trends in voice features that contribute to Parkinson's disease.**

4. Model Training and Selection:

- **Train different machine learning models:**
 - **Logistic Regression**
 - **Random Forest**
 - **Support Vector Machine (SVM)**
 - **XGBoost (Extreme Gradient Boosting)**
- **Compare model performance using accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score.**

5. Model Evaluation and Prediction:

- **Evaluate the best model based on classification metrics.**
 - **Test the model with new patient data to predict Parkinson's disease.**
 - **Use ROC-AUC curves to assess model performance.**
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Conclusion:

- **This model helps in early Parkinson's disease detection using voice and movement-related data.**
- **Future improvements can involve Deep Learning models for better accuracy.**