# Detecting Cancer Metastases on Gigapixel Pathology Images

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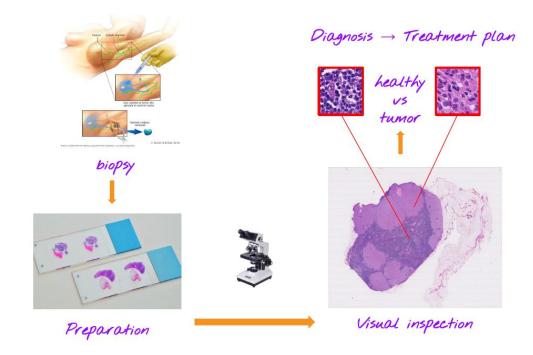
#### **Motivation**

Tumor examination

- Require expertise
- Time consuming
- Error prone

Deep learning can improve

Speed, accuracy



#### **Method - Dataset Generation**

Data point: image patch at level 0 and 1, size 299x299

Label: if tumor cell exists in 128x128 center

Choose "normal" and "tumor" with equal probability (balanced dataset)

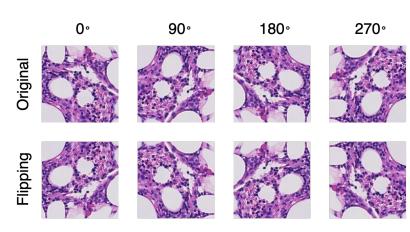
Select slide containing chosen class of patch uniformly

Sample patch from the slide with >50% tissues

## **Method - Image Augmentation**

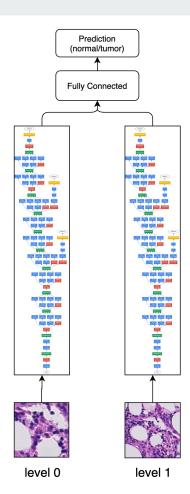
Rewrite ImageDataGenerator to ensure two input images get the same preprocessing

- Rotation 90 degrees
- Flipping (vertical & horizontal)
- Shift (8 pixels)



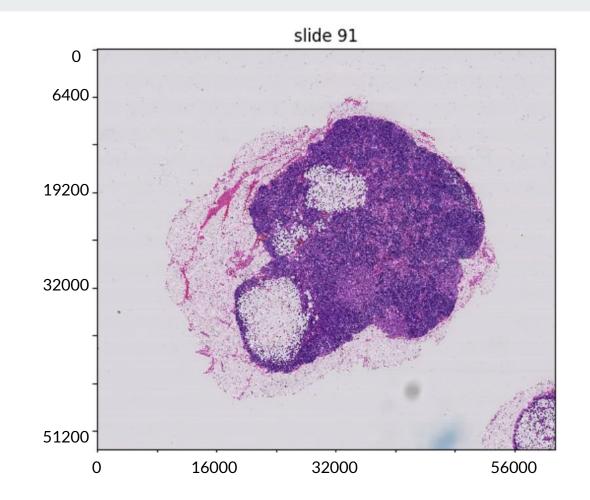
#### Method - Model

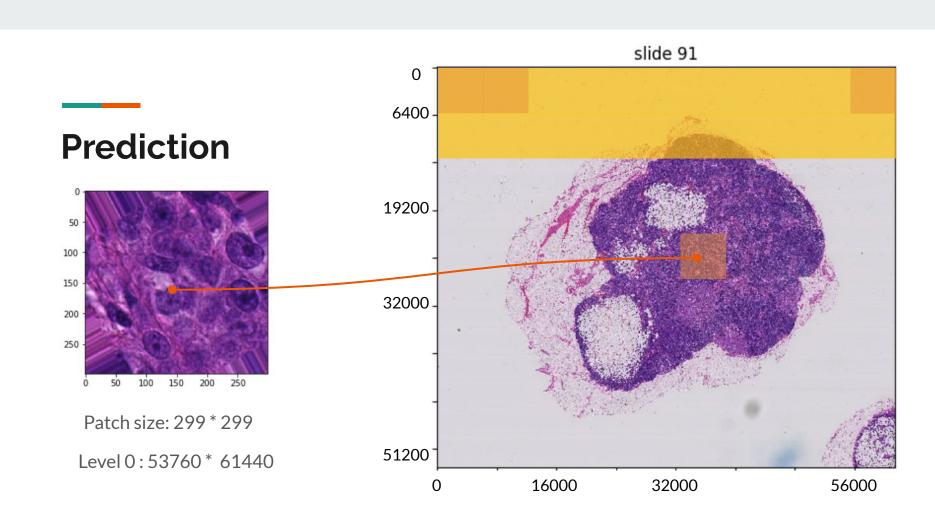
- Inception as base
- Input are two images at level 0 and 1 respectively
- Concatenate final layer from Inception
- Predict label with fully connected layer



#### **Prediction**

- Generate 299\*299 patches for each row
- Skip patches with tissue percentage < 50</li>
- Get predicted probabilities from trained model
- Choose a threshold to determine if a patch has tumor





#### **Evaluation**

Precision

Recall

Recall = 
$$\frac{\text{true positive}}{\text{true positive} + \text{false negative}}$$

F1 score

F1 score = 
$$2 * \frac{\text{precision*recall}}{\text{precision+recall}}$$

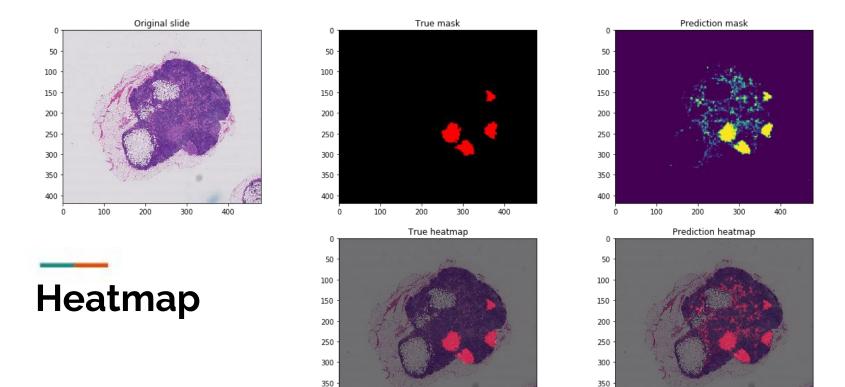
Predicted

		Negative	Positive
Actual	Negative	True Negative	False Positive
	Positive	False Negative	True Positive

Positive: Tumor Negative: Normal

# Results

Threshold	Precision	Recall	F1 score
0.5	0.54	0.94	0.69
0.7	0.71	0.90	0.80
0.9	0.90	0.83	0.86



Heatmaps for true mask and prediction (slide 91)

#### **Future Work**

- Generate more training data to improve the accuracy using GCP
- Compare the performance of multi-scale model with the single-scale model

# **Code Walkthrough**