Early Diagnosis of Diseases Using Image Processing of Human Nails

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INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Overview

Our project represents a groundbreaking fusion of state-of-the-art image processing techniques and healthcare, spearheading a pioneering methodology for the early diagnosis of diseases through the analysis of human nails. Leveraging the capabilities of cutting-edge machine learning and advanced algorithms, we are developing a sophisticated and resilient system capable of precisely detecting even the most subtle changes in nail attributes, thereby facilitating the timely detection of potential underlying health concerns. This interdisciplinary undertaking is poised to revolutionize the preventive healthcare landscape, empowering individuals and healthcare practitioners to take proactive measures in safeguarding their health and well-being. By enhancing the capabilities of early disease detection, our project aims to foster a paradigm shift in healthcare, emphasizing proactive management and personalized interventions for better health outcomes.

1.2 Purpose

The fundamental purpose of our project is to serve as a vital bridge between conventional healthcare methodologies and the latest technological innovations. We aspire to introduce a cutting-edge tool that leverages intricate nail analysis for the early detection of diverse diseases. Our mission is to offer a seamlessly user-friendly interface paired with a robust diagnostic model, enabling swift interventions and tailored healthcare approaches. By doing so, we seek to enhance the overall quality of life for individuals while simultaneously alleviating the strain on healthcare systems. Through the integration of advanced technology into healthcare practices, we aim to empower both individuals and healthcare providers, fostering a proactive approach to health management and disease prevention.

LITERATURE SURVEY

Existing Problem:

At present, the predominant dependence on subjective human observation for the diagnosis of nail-related diseases presents substantial obstacles, such as the potential for misinterpretation and the inadvertent oversight of crucial symptoms. Furthermore, the inherent constraints of human vision, which encompass the incapacity to discern nuanced colour alterations and texture differentials, frequently impede the accurate and timely identification of diseases. To tackle these critical challenges, our project is dedicated to implementing an automated, high-precision system capable of objectively and efficiently scrutinizing the intricate nuances of nail appearance. By doing so, we aim to revolutionize

the landscape of early disease detection and prevention, mitigating the risks associated with delayed or inaccurate diagnoses and ultimately enhancing healthcare outcomes for individuals.

References:

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Problem Statement Definition:

In the healthcare domain, many diseases can be predicted by observing the colour and shape of human nails. A white spot here, a rosy stain there, or some Winkler projection may be an indication of disease in the body. Problems in the liver, lungs, and heart can show up in your nails. Doctors observe the nails of patients to get assistance in disease identification. Usually, pink nails indicate a healthy human. Healthy nails are smooth and consistent in colour. Anything else affecting the growth and appearance of the fingernails or toenails may indicate an abnormality. A person's nails can say a lot about their health condition. The need of such systems to analyse nails for disease prediction is because the human eye is having subjectivity about colours, having limitation of resolution and small amount of colour change in a few pixels on the nail not being highlighted to human eyes which may lead to wrong result, whereas computer recognize small colour changes on nails.

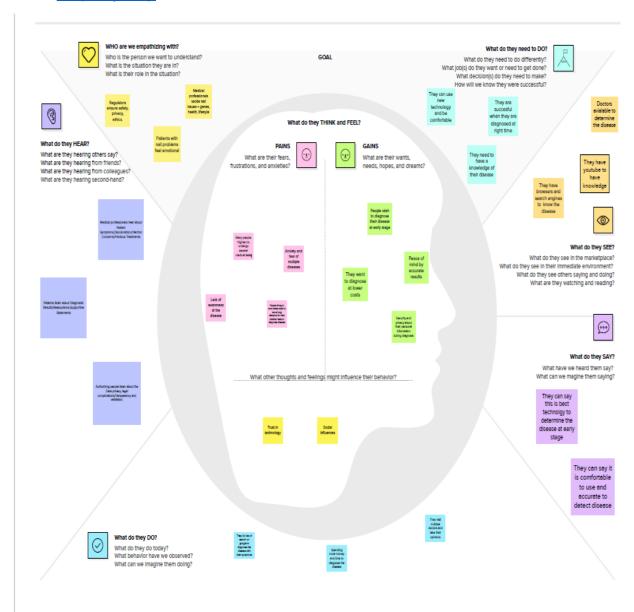
To overcome the above problem, we are building a model which is used for the prevention and early detection of Nail Disease, basically nail disease diagnosis depends on the different characteristics like colour, shape, texture etc. Here the person can capture the images of the nail and then the image will be sent to the trained model. The model analyses the image and detects whether the person is having nail disease or not and its type.

IDEATION & PROPOSED SOLUTION

3.1 Empathy Map

To clearly see the empathy map link is given below:

Link:- Empathy Map



3.2 Ideation & Brainstorming

To clearly see the empathy map link is given below:

Link:- Brainstorming



Define your problem statement

What problem are you trying to solve? Frame your problem as a How Might We statement. This will be the focus of your brainstorm.

5 minutes

PROBLEM

How might we determine the disease effortlessly which should be acknowledged at the early stage using Human Nails?





Brainstorm

Write down any ideas that come to mind that address your problem statement.

(1) 10 minutes

You can select a sticky note and hit the pencil (switch to sketch) icon to start drawing!

Sravan

Create Image Visulization Tool using CNN Sample collection of nail and testing Use of Open Cv and detecing the disease live

Taking microscopic images and training the model Creating an web app which can bes used at home itself Visually Detecting the disease by gaining knowledge

Srushik

use of transfer learning models imporves acccuracy by fine tuning.

Autoencoders can be used for feature extration and image reconstruction

Making Al-model User friendly for both Professionals and Patients reature Selection
Techniques to reduce dimensionality and enhance effiency

Techniques to Augmentation methods are used to increase University of Dataset

Ganesh

Implement rigorous data cleaning to eliminate noise from nail image dataset

Enable real-time analysis of capture nail images and provide immediate feedback triently interface that allows easy image capture, submission and retrieval of diagnostic results

Use of Open Cv and detecing the disease live Ensuring data security protocols and privacy measures to ensure confidentiality

Model optimization by minimizing false positives and false negatives

Anusha

Use DL model for advanced pattern recognition in nail images

Implement transfer learning strategies to leverage pretrained models Integration with existing healthcare systems

Establish a framework for continuous model evaluation and performance monitoring

Create Image Visulization Tool using CNN Enhance techniques for dataset augmentation to enhance the robustness



Group ideas

Take turns sharing your ideas while clustering similar or related notes as you go. Once all sticky notes have been grouped, give each cluster a sentence-like label. If a cluster is bigger than six sticky notes, try and see if you and break it up into smaller sub-groups.

① 20 minutes

TIP

Add customizable tags to sticky notes to make it easier to find, browse, organize, and categorize important ideas as themes within your mural.

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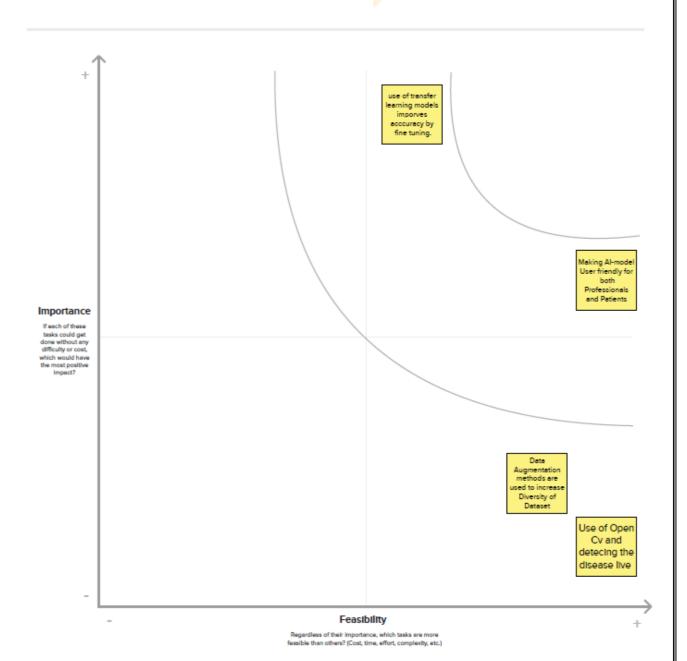
Prioritize

Your team should all be on the same page about what's important moving forward. Place your ideas on this grid to determine which ideas are important and which are feasible.

① 20 minutes

TIP

Participents can use their cursors to point at where sticky notes should go on the grid. The facilitator can confirm the spot by using the laser pointer holding the H key on the keyboard.



REQUIREMENT ANALYSIS

4.1 Functional requirement

- 1. **Image Capture and Processing:** The system must allow users to capture clear and high-resolution images of their nails for subsequent analysis.
- 2. **Automated Disease Detection:** The system should be able to automatically detect various nail diseases based on colour, texture, and shape analysis of the captured images.
- 3. **Diagnostic Report Generation:** The system should generate comprehensive and easily interpretable diagnostic reports based on the analysis of nail images, outlining potential diseases and recommended actions.
- 4. **User Interface:** The user interface should be intuitive and user-friendly, allowing for easy navigation and interaction with the system.
- 5. **Database Management:** The system should maintain a secure and efficient database to store and manage patient information, including captured nail images, diagnostic reports, and historical data.
- 6. **Integration with Healthcare Systems:** The system should be capable of seamless integration with existing healthcare systems, enabling efficient sharing of diagnostic information with healthcare professionals and facilitating follow-up actions.
- 7. **Alerts and Notifications:** The system should provide timely alerts and notifications to both users and healthcare providers in the case of critical or concerning diagnostic results, ensuring prompt follow-up and intervention.
- 8. **Continuous Learning and Improvement:** The system should be designed to continuously learn from new data and feedback, improving its disease recognition capabilities and enhancing the accuracy of its diagnostic predictions over time.

4.2 Non-Functional requirements

- 1. Reliability: The system should be highly reliable, ensuring consistent and accurate disease detection results.
- 2. Security: The system must prioritize data security, employing robust encryption and access control measures to safeguard sensitive patient information.
- Performance: The system should demonstrate high performance, ensuring fast and efficient image processing and diagnostic report generation even during peak usage periods.

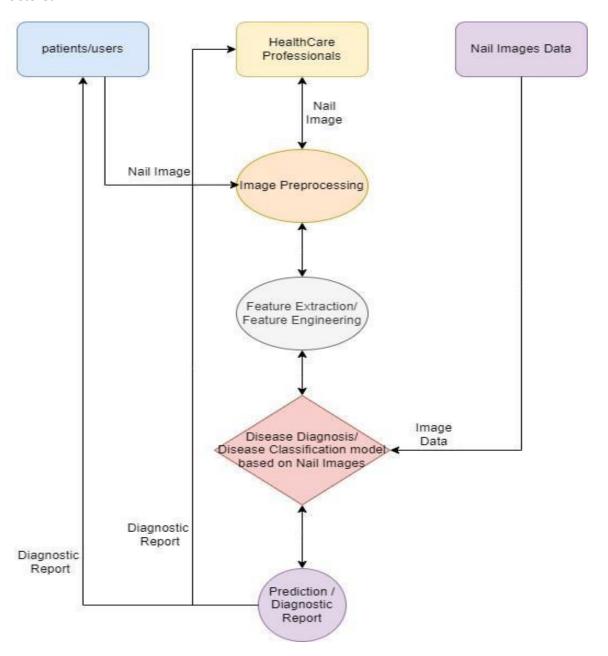
- 4. Scalability: The system should be designed to accommodate a growing number of users and data without compromising its performance or efficiency.
- 5. Usability: The system should be user-friendly and accessible to individuals with varying levels of technological proficiency, minimizing the need for extensive training or technical support.

PROJECT DESIGN

5.1 Data Flow Diagrams & User Stories

Data Flow Diagrams:

A Data Flow Diagram (DFD) is a traditional visual representation of the information flows within a system. A neat and clear DFD can depict the right amount of the system requirement graphically. It shows how data enters and leaves the system, what changes the information, and where data is stored.



User Stories

User Type	Functional Requiremen t (Epic)	User Story Numb er	User Story / Task	Acceptance criteria	Priorit y	Releas e
Custo mer (Web User)	Registration	USN-1	As a user, I want to fill my details like name, mail id, password to sign up so that I can have access to my account whenever I need.	I can access my account Through registered mail id.	High	Sprint- 1
		USN-2	As a user, I want to receive confirmation email once I have filled signup form so that I can verify whether email address is correct or not.	I can receive confirmation email & click confirm	High	Sprint- 1
	Login	USN-3	As a user, I want to log into the application by entering correct email & password so that I can access the portal	The system should verify whether password is correct or not	High	Sprint- 1
	Password Recovery	USN-4	As a user, I want the option to recover my account password in case I forget it, to regain access to my account.	The system should provide a secure password recovery mechanism via email or phone verification.	Low	Sprint- 3
	Access Account History	USN-5	As a user, I want to view my account activity and transaction history to track my usage and monitor any changes or activities within my account.	The system should provide a clear and comprehensive account history log, including details of transactions, logins, and other relevant activities.	Medium	Sprint-2
Healthcare Professional s/Patients (Web User)	Image Upload	USN-6	As a healthcare professional, I want to upload nail images for disease prediction.	The system should allow the user to upload high-resolution images securely.	High	Sprint-1
Develope rs	Algorithm Improvement	USN-7	As a developer, I want to continuously update and refine the deep learning algorithm for enhanced disease prediction accuracy.	The system should allow developers to integrate new data and update the algorithm seamlessly without disrupting the user experience.	Medium	Sprint-2
System Adminis trators	Data Management	USN-8	As a system administrator, I want to ensure the secure storage and management of patient data and images.	The system should employ robust encryption and access control measures to protect sensitive patient information.	Medium	Sprint-2

5.2 Solution Architecture

Solution architecture is a complex process – with many sub-processes – that bridges the gap between business problems and technology solutions. Its goals are to:

- Find the best tech solution to solve existing business problems.
- Describe the structure, characteristics, behaviour, and other aspects of the software to project stakeholders.
- Define features, development phases, and solution requirements.
- Provide specifications according to which the solution is defined, managed, and delivered.

Solution Architecture Diagram:

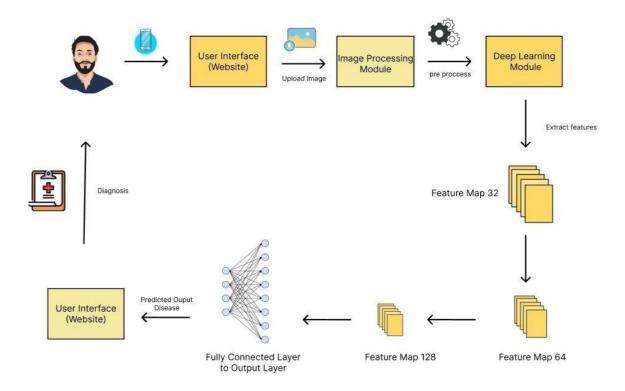


Figure 1: Architecture and data flow of the Disease Prediction Website using Image Processing of Human Nails

PROJECT PLANNING & SCHEDULING

6.1 Technical Architecture

Technical Architecture:

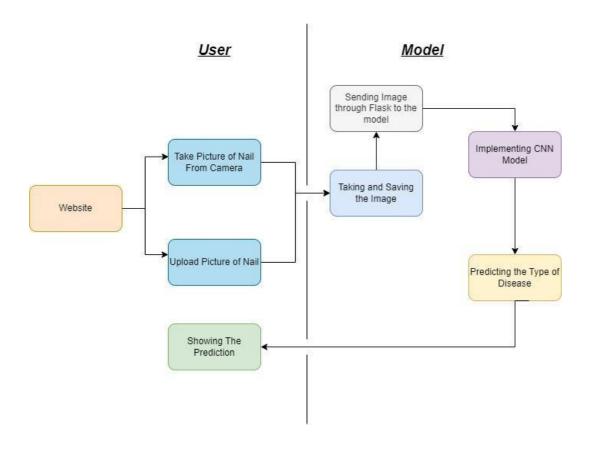


Table-1: Components & Technologies:

S.No	Component	Description	Technology
1.	User Interface	Web UI	HTML, CSS, JavaScript
2.	Application Logic-1	Building CNN Model	Python
3.	Application Logic-2	Use of flask to connect from model to webapplication	Flask
4.	Application Logic-3	Use of Camera to capture Image	Camera
5.	Machine Learning Model	To Recognize the Pattern of the Image	Convolutional Neural Network, TransferLearning Models (Ex: VGG16, VGG19, ResNet-19)
6.	Infrastructure (Server / Cloud)	Application Deployment on Local System Local	VS-Code

Table-2: Application Characteristics:

S.No	Characteristics	Description	Technology
1.	Open-Source Frameworks	Open-source frameworks refer to using software frameworks that are publicly accessible, can be modified.	TensorFlow, Keras & Flask
2.	Security Implementations	Security implementations are essential to protect patientdata and confidentiality of the image processing system. As this is a simple model it is not necessary of security implementations.	None
3.	Scalable Architecture	AWS Well-Architected/Azure Architecture providesa framework to help cloud architects build secure, high- performing, resilient, and efficient architectures.	AWS or Microsoft Azure
4.	Availability	Use of load balancers to distribute traffic, and geographically distributed servers to ensure high availability.	AWS or Microsoft Azure
5.	Performance	Performance of model involves ensures that application can handle a significant number of image processing requests per second, use ofcache and CDN's efficiently.	Utilize hardware acceleration (GPU's)

6.2 Sprint Planning & Estimation

Product Backlog, Sprint Schedule, and Estimation (4 Marks)

Sprint	Functional Requirement (EPIC)	User Story Num ber	User Story/Task	Stor y Poin ts	Prio rity	Team Memb ers
print-1	Registration	USN-1	As a user, I want to fill my details like name, mail id, password to sign up so that I can have access to my account whenever I need.	3	High	Anusha
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Project Tracker, Velocity & Burndown Chart: (4 Marks)

Sprint	Total Story Points	Duration	Sprint Start Date	Sprint End Date (Planned)	Story Points Completed (as on Planned Date)	Sprint Release Date (Actual)
Sprint-	10	5 Days	25 Oct 2023	29 Oct 2023	10	29 Oct 2023
Sprint-	8	4 Days	30 Oct 2023	2 Nov 2023	8	2 Nov 2023
Sprint-	1	1 Day	3 Nov 2023	3 Nov 2023	1	3 Nov 2023

Velocity:

Average Velocity (Sprint 1) = Sprint Duration/velocity = 10/5 = 2

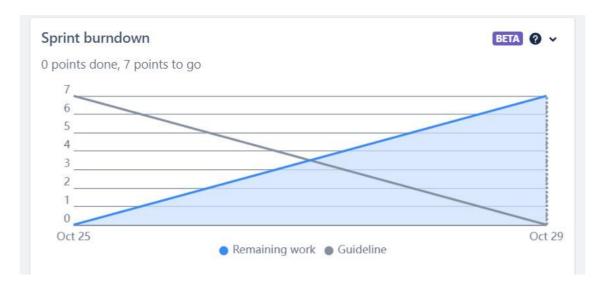
Average Velocity (Sprint 1) = Sprint Duration/velocity = 8/4 = 2

Average Velocity (Sprint 1) = Sprint Duration/velocity = 1/1 = 1

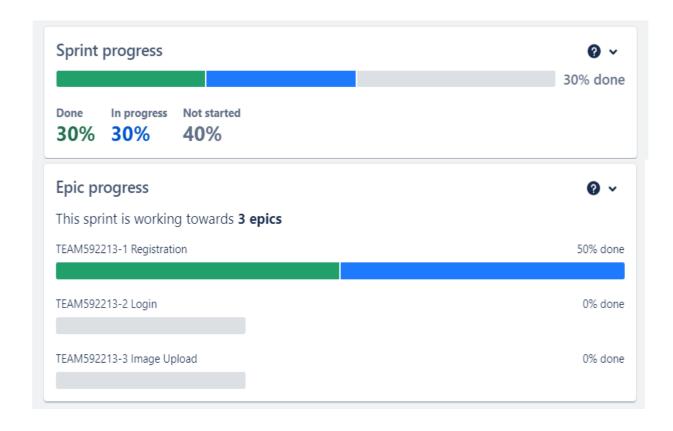
Total Average Velocity = 2

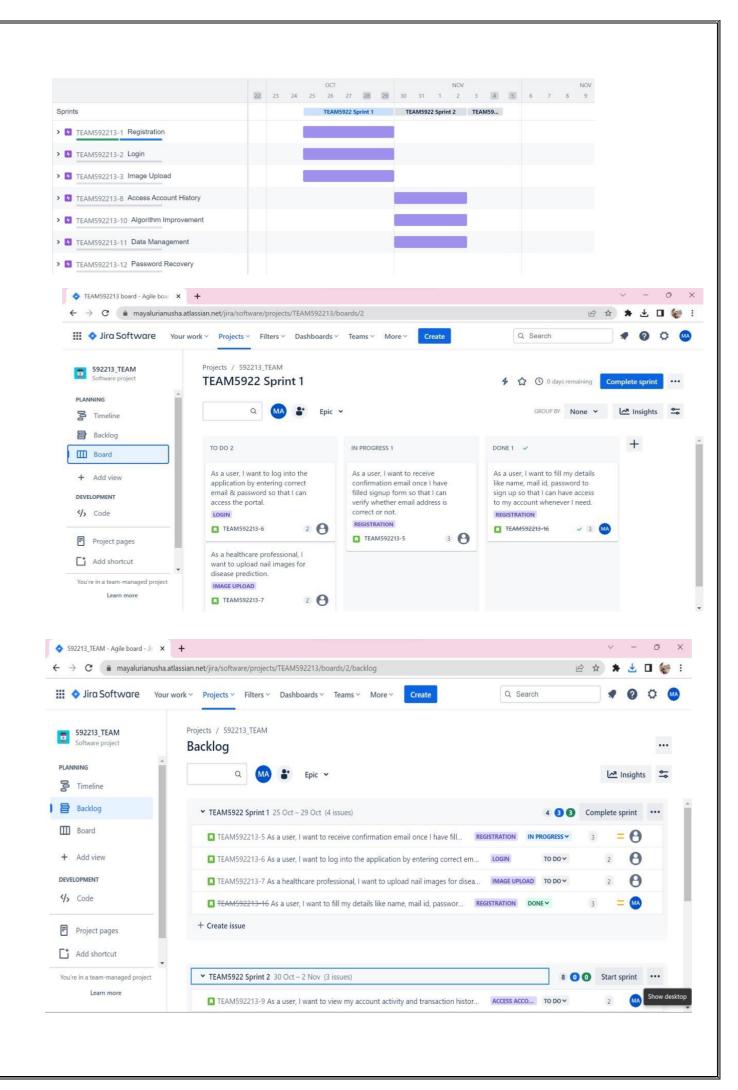
Burndown Chart:

A burn down chart is a graphical representation of work left to do versus time. It is often used in agile software development methodologies such as Scrum. However, burn down charts can be applied to any project containing measurable progress over time.



6.3 Sprint Delivery Schedule





CODING & SOLUTIONING

7.1 Feature 1- Model Training

Data Collection

The following dataset has been used.

Dataset: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1AXTYsbiarS1TCAgfj0mancTSrJYYMWMs?usp=sh aring

The dataset has already been divided into train and test folders. Therefore, we need not further divide it.

Importing Model Building Libraries

Importing the necessary libraries.

```
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Dense,Flatten,Input
from tensorflow.keras.models import Model
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing import image
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing.image import ImageDataGenerator,load_img
from tensorflow.keras.applications.vgg16 import VGG16,preprocess_input
from glob import glob
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

Loading the Model

Addition of Flatten Layers

For VGG16 model, we need to keep the Hidden layer training as false, because it hastrained weights

```
for layer in vgg.layers:
   layer.trainable = False

x = Flatten()(vgg.output)
```

Addition of Output Layer

Our dataset has 17 classes, so the output layer needs to be changed as per the dataset

```
prediction = Dense(17,activation = 'softmax')(x)
```

17 indicates no of classes, SoftMax is the activation function we use for categoricaloutput Adding fully connected layer

Creation of a Model Object

```
model = Model(inputs=vgg.input,outputs=prediction)
```

We have created inputs and outputs in the previous steps and we are creating a model and fitting to the vgg16 model, so that it will take inputs as per the given and displays the givenno of classes. Summary of the model:

model.summary()					
Model: "model"					
Layer (type)	Output Shape	Param #			
input_1 (InputLayer)					
block1_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 255, 255, 64)	1792			
block1_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 255, 255, 64)	36928			
block1_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 127, 127, 64)	0			
block2_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 127, 127, 128)	73856			
block2_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 127, 127, 128)	147584			
block2_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 63, 63, 128)	0			
block3_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 63, 63, 256)	295168			
block3_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 63, 63, 256)	590080			
block3_conv3 (Conv2D)	(None, 63, 63, 256)	590080			
block3_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 31, 31, 256)	0			
block4_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 31, 31, 512)	1180160			
block4_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 31, 31, 512)	2359808			
block4_conv3 (Conv2D)	(None, 31, 31, 512)	2359808			
block4_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 15, 15, 512)	0			
block5_conv1 (Conv2D)	(None, 15, 15, 512)	2359808			
block5_conv2 (Conv2D)	(None, 15, 15, 512)	2359808			
block5_conv3 (Conv2D)	(None, 15, 15, 512)	2359808			
block5_pool (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 7, 7, 512)	0			

```
flatten (Flatten) (None, 25088) 0

dense (Dense) (None, 17) 426513

Total params: 15141201 (57.76 MB)
Trainable params: 426513 (1.63 MB)
Non-trainable params: 14714688 (56.13 MB)
```

Configuration of the Learning Process

- 1. The compilation marks the concluding stage in the model creation process. Once compiled, the training phase can commence. The loss function is employed to identifyerrors or discrepancies within the learning process. Keras mandates the specification of a loss function during the model compilation phase.
- 2. Optimization represents a crucial procedure that fine-tunes the input weights by assessing the predictions against the defined loss function. In this case, the Adamoptimizer is employed for optimization purposes.
- 3. Metrics serve as tools for evaluating the overall performance of your model. They share similarities with the loss function; however, they are not actively involved in the training process.

```
model.compile(
    loss='categorical_crossentropy',
    optimizer = 'adam',
    metrics = ['precision'],run_eagerly=True
)
```

Importation of the Image Data Generator Library

Within this phase, we will focus on enhancing the image data to mitigate undesirable distortions and accentuate critical image features essential for subsequent processing. This involves the implementation of various geometric transformations such as rotation, scaling, translation, and more.

Image data augmentation is a valuable technique employed to effectively increase the scale of a training dataset by generating modified versions of the existing images within the dataset. The Keras deep learning neural network library offers the functionality to train models using image data augmentation through the utilization of the ImageDataGenerator class. Let us proceed by importing the ImageDataGenerator class from the TensorFlow Keraslibrary.

from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing.image import ImageDataGenerator

Configuration of the Image Data Generator Class

We instantiate the ImageDataGenerator class and configure the specific data augmentation techniques. These techniques primarily include:

- 1. Image shifts utilizing the width_shift_range and height_shift_range arguments.
- 2. Image flips facilitated by the horizontal_flip and vertical_flip arguments.
- 3. Image rotations enabled through the rotation_range argument.
- 4. Image brightness adjustments managed by the brightness_range argument.
- 5. Image zoom functionality controlled by the zoom_range argument.

By constructing an instance of the ImageDataGenerator class, we can effectively apply these augmentation techniques to both the training and test datasets.

Application of Image Data Generator functionality to Trainsetand Test set

Let us proceed by implementing the ImageDataGenerator functionality to both the Training set and Test set using the code provided below. This will be accomplished by employing the "flow from directory" function.

The function returns batches of images from the specified subdirectories. Arguments:

- Directory: Refers to the directory housing the dataset. If the labels are "inferred," the
 directory should consist of subdirectories, each containing images corresponding to
 aspecific class. Otherwise, the directory structure will be disregarded.
- batch_size: Denotes the size of the data batches, set to 10.
- target_size: Specifies the dimensions for resizing images post-reading from the disk.
- class mode:

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- 'int': Indicates that the labels are encoded as integers (e.g., suitable forsparse_categorical_crossentropy loss).
- 'categorical': Implies that the labels are encoded as a categorical vector (e.g.,appropriate for categorical_crossentropy loss).
- 'binary': Signifies that the labels (limited to 2) are encoded as float32 scalars with values 0 or 1 (e.g., used for binary_crossentropy).
- None: Suggests the absence of labels.

Loading our data and performing Data Augmentation

We notice that 655 images belong to 17 classes for training and 183 images belonging to 17 classes for testing purposes.

List of classes we have:

```
{'Darier_s disease': 0,
 'Muehrck-e s lines': 1,
 'aloperia areata': 2,
 'beau s lines': 3,
 'bluish nail': 4,
 'clubbing': 5,
 'eczema': 6,
 'half and half nailes (Lindsay_s nails)': 7,
 'koilonychia': 8,
 'leukonychia': 9,
 'onycholycis': 10,
 'pale nail': 11,
 'red lunula': 12,
 'splinter hemmorrage': 13,
 'terry_s nail': 14,
 'white nail': 15,
 'yellow nails': 16}
```

Model Training

Now, we proceed to train our model utilizing the designated image dataset. The model undergoes training for a total of 11 epochs, with the current state of the model being savedafter each epoch if the encountered loss is the least recorded up to that point. Notably, the training loss exhibits a consistent decrease across almost every epoch throughout the 11- epoch training cycle, indicating potential room for further model refinement.

The "fit_generator" function is employed to facilitate the training of the deep learning neural network.

Arguments:

 steps_per_epoch: This parameter determines the total number of steps taken from thegenerator once an epoch is completed and the subsequent epoch begins. The value of steps_per_epoch can be calculated by dividing the total number of samples in the dataset by the batch size.

- Epochs: An integer denoting the desired number of epochs for training the model.
- Validation_data: This argument can assume one of the following forms:
 - · An inputs and targets list.
 - A generator.
 - An inputs, targets, and sample_weights list, facilitating the evaluation of the lossand metrics for any model once each epoch concludes.
- Validation_steps: This argument is utilized only when the validation_data is a
 generator. It dictates the total number of steps taken from the generator before it is
 halted at the conclusion of each epoch. The value of validation_steps can be
 determined by dividing the total number of validation data points in the dataset by
 thevalidation batch size.

```
import sys
#fit the model
r = model.fit_generator(
    training_set,
    validation_data=test_set,
    epochs=11,
    steps_per_epoch=len(training_set)//3,
    validation_steps=len(test_set)//3
)
```

Accuracy after 11 epochs:

```
⟨ipython-input-33-8343a613715a⟩:3: UserWarning: `Model.fit generator` is deprecated and will be removed in a future version. Pl∈
 r = model.fit generator(
Epoch 1/11
3/3 [=====
         Epoch 2/11
3/3 [================================ ] - 6s 2s/step - loss: 0.4990 - accuracy: 0.8906 - val_loss: 0.3634 - val_accuracy: 0.9531
Epoch 3/11
3/3 [====
                     ====] - 6s 2s/step - loss: 0.3643 - accuracy: 0.9635 - val_loss: 0.3288 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
Epoch 4/11
              ========] - 7s 3s/step - loss: 0.4542 - accuracy: 0.8802 - val_loss: 0.3934 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
3/3 [=====
Epoch 5/11
             =========] - 5s 2s/step - loss: 0.4245 - accuracy: 0.9219 - val_loss: 0.3191 - val_accuracy: 0.9688
3/3 [======
Epoch 6/11
3/3 [=====
           Epoch 7/11
          3/3 [=====
Epoch 8/11
            =========] - 6s 2s/step - loss: 0.3462 - accuracy: 0.9688 - val_loss: 0.3258 - val_accuracy: 0.9688
3/3 [=====
Epoch 9/11
                  =======] - 5s 2s/step - loss: 0.4886 - accuracy: 0.9091 - val_loss: 0.3702 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
3/3 [====
Epoch 10/11
               ========] - 4s 2s/step - loss: 0.4202 - accuracy: 0.9371 - val_loss: 0.3700 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
3/3 [===
Epoch 11/11
```

Model Saving

```
model.save('vgg-16-nail-disease.h5')
```

The model is saved with .h5 extension.

Evaluation is a process during the development of the model to check whether the model is the best fit for the given problem and corresponding data. Load the saved model using load_model

```
from tensorflow.keras.models import load_model
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing import image
from tensorflow.keras.applications.inception v3 import preprocess_input
import numpy as np

model = load_model('vgg-16-nail-disease.h5')
```

Model Testing

Taking an image as input and checking the results

```
img_data = image.load_img('/content/th.jpeg', target_size=(255,255))
img_data
```



Resizing the image

```
image_resized = tf.reshape(img_data, (-1, 255, 255, 3, 1))
image_resized = tf.squeeze(image_resized)
image_resized
```

```
x = image.img_to_array(image_resized)
x = np.expand_dims(x,axis = 0)
x
```

Predicting:

```
pred =np.argmax(model.predict(x),axis=1)
op =['Darier_s disease','Muehrck-e_s lines','aloperia areata','beau_s lines',
    'bluish nail','clubbing','eczema','half and half nailes (Lindsay_s nails)',
    'koilonychia','leukonychia','onycholycis','pale nail','red lunula',
    'splinter hemmorrage','terry_s nail','white nail','yellow nails']
result = str(op[pred[0]])
result

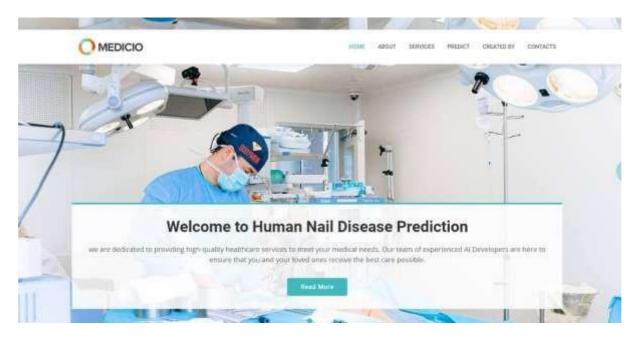
1/1 [=======] - 0s 20ms/step
'white nail'
```

7.2 Feature-2 Web Interface

HTML File Creation

Having completed the model training, our next step involves constructing a Flask applicationthat will operate within the confines of our local browser, offering a user interface for interaction. Within the Flask application, the input parameters are extracted from the HTML page. These parameters are subsequently utilized by the model to predict the estimated cost for the incurred damage, with the results promptly displayed on the HTML page, thereby informingthe user. Upon user interaction with the UI and selection of the "Image" button, a subsequentpage is presented, enabling the user to choose the desired image and acquire the corresponding prediction output.

We created the index.html file using html







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Python Code Building

Step 1: Import libraries

```
from tensorflow.keras.models import load_model
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing import image
from flask import Flask,render_template,request
import os
import numpy as np
```

Step 2 : Load our model to create flask application

```
app = Flask(__name__)
model = load_model(r"nail.h5",compile = False)
@app.route('/')
```

Step 3 : Redirect to index page

```
def index():
    return render_template("index.html")
```

Step 4: Showcasing prediction on UI

In this section, we define a function that requests the selected file from the HTML page viathe post method. The received image file is then saved to the "uploads" folder within the same directory, utilizing the OS library. Subsequently, we employ the "load image" class from the Keras library to retrieve the saved image from the specified path. Various image

processing techniques are applied to the retrieved image, which is then forwarded to the model for class prediction.

The outcome is a numerical value representing a specific class (e.g., 0, 1, 2, etc.), which resides at the 0th index of the variable "preds." This numerical value is assigned to the declared index variable. The corresponding class name is then derived and assigned to the "predict" variable, which is subsequently rendered on the HTML page for user reference.

Application Execution

Finally, we will run the application.

```
""" Running our application """

if __name__ == "__main__":

app.run(debug =False, port = 8080)
```

Follow the steps outlined below to execute your Flask application:

- 1. Open the Anaconda prompt from the Start menu.
- 2. Navigate to the directory where your "app.py" file is located.
- 3. Type the command "python app.py" in the Anaconda prompt.
- 4. The local host where your application is running, typically indicated as http://127.0.0.1:8080/, will be displayed.
- Copy the aforementioned local host URL and paste it into your preferred webbrowser. This action will direct you to the web page interface.
- 6. Proceed to input the necessary values, and subsequently click the "Predict" button toinitiate the prediction process.
- 7. The resulting prediction will be displayed on the web page for your observation and analysis.

Final Output Display

Prediction 1:

PREDICITION

Our predictive models can detect early signs of diseases and health conditions from your health data to identify patterns and potential risks. Our technology-driver predictions are highly accurate, reducing false positives and negatives.

Upload Image Here To Identify the Disease

Result: The classified Disease is : Yellow Nails

Prediction 2:

PREDICITION

Our predictive models can detect early signs of diseases and health conditions from your health data to identify patterns and potential risks. Our technology-driven predictions are highly accurate, reducing false positives and negatives.

Upload Image Here To Identify the Disease

Choose...



Result: The classified Disease is: Beau_s Lines

Thus, the project is ended.

PERFORMANCE TESTING

Model Performance Testing:

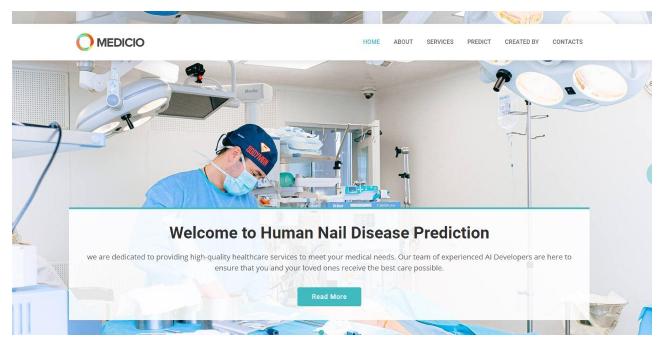
Accuracy: 93%

Validation accuracy: 95%

```
<ipython-input-33-8343a613715a>:3: UserWarning: `Model.fit_generator` is deprecated and will be removed in a future version. Planta deprecated and will be removed in a future version.
  r = model.fit_generator(
Epoch 1/11
3/3 [=====
                          :=======] - 13s 1s/step - loss: 0.4664 - accuracy: 0.8951 - val_loss: 0.3508 - val_accuracy: 0.9219
Epoch 2/11
                    =========] - 6s 2s/step - loss: 0.4990 - accuracy: 0.8906 - val_loss: 0.3634 - val_accuracy: 0.9531
3/3 [=====
Epoch 3/11
                                      - 6s 2s/step - loss: 0.3643 - accuracy: 0.9635 - val_loss: 0.3288 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
3/3 [=====
Epoch 4/11
                                        7s 3s/step - loss: 0.4542 - accuracy: 0.8802 - val_loss: 0.3934 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
Epoch 5/11
3/3 [=====
                                      - 5s 2s/step - loss: 0.4245 - accuracy: 0.9219 - val_loss: 0.3191 - val_accuracy: 0.9688
Epoch 6/11
                                      - 7s 2s/step - loss: 0.4078 - accuracy: 0.9323 - val loss: 0.3519 - val accuracy: 0.9688
3/3 [=====
Epoch 7/11
                                      - 6s 2s/step - loss: 0.4663 - accuracy: 0.9323 - val_loss: 0.3629 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
Epoch 8/11
3/3 [=====
                                       6s 2s/step - loss: 0.3462 - accuracy: 0.9688 - val_loss: 0.3258 - val_accuracy: 0.9688
Epoch 9/11
                                      - 5s 2s/step - loss: 0.4886 - accuracy: 0.9091 - val_loss: 0.3702 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
3/3 [=====
Epoch 10/11
3/3 [===
                                      - 4s 2s/step - loss: 0.4202 - accuracy: 0.9371 - val_loss: 0.3700 - val_accuracy: 0.9375
Epoch 11/11
                        :=======] - 6s 2s/step - loss: 0.3769 - accuracy: 0.9323 - val_loss: 0.3139 - val_accuracy: 0.9531
```

RESULTS

9.1 Output Screenshots



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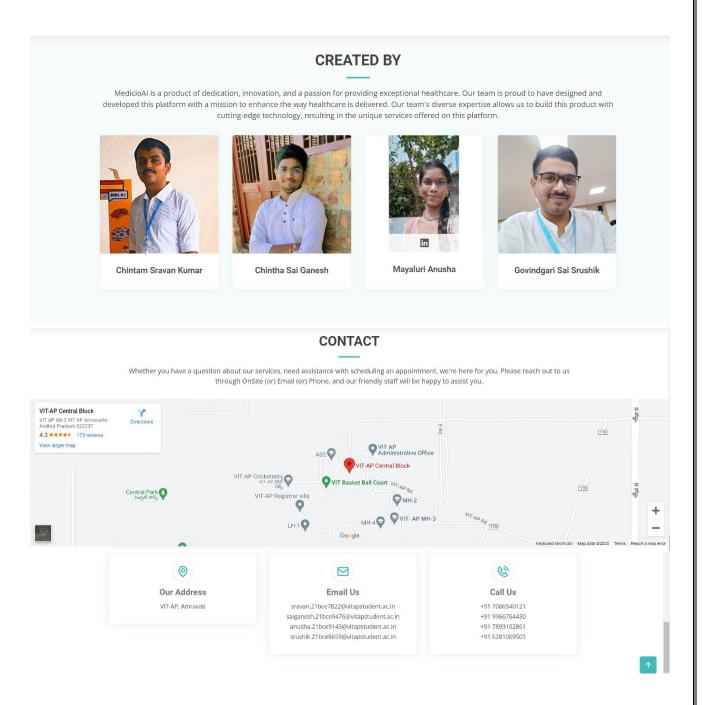
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ADVANTAGES & DISADVANTAGES

Advantages:

- 1. Early Diagnosis: Using image processing of human nails allows for the early detection of diseases. This can lead to more effective treatment and better patient outcomes.
- 2. Non-Invasive: Unlike traditional diagnostic methods, this approach is non-invasive, making it more comfortable for patients.
- 3. Cost-Effective: Image processing techniques are generally cost-effective, which can make healthcare more affordable.

- 4. Large-Scale Screening: The method can be applied for large-scale population screening, aiding in the early identification of diseases in communities.
- 5. Reduced Human Error: Automation through image processing reduces the risk of human error in diagnosis.

Disadvantages:

- 1. Dependency of Image Quality: The accuracy of diagnosis heavily depends on the quality of the nail images. Poor quality images can lead to inaccurate results.
- 3. Limited to Certain Diseases: This method may not be suitable for the diagnosis of all diseases, and its application is currently limited to 17 Diseases.
- 4. Ethical and Privacy Concerns: Collecting and processing medical images raises privacy concerns, and ethical considerations regarding data usage must be addressed.

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, the "Early Diagnosis of Diseases Using Image Processing of Human Nails", the model developed is utilizing the VGG19 architecture, has demonstrated significant promise in the field of medical diagnostics. The advantages of early disease detection, non-invasiveness, cost-effectiveness, and reduced human error highlight the potential impact of this approach on healthcare. However, it is crucial to acknowledge the challenges and limitations associated with image quality, disease applicability, and ethical concerns.

This project not only represents a technological breakthrough but also underscores the importance of interdisciplinary collaboration between healthcare and computer science. The successful implementation of VGG19 for nail image analysis paves the way for future research and innovation in the realm of medical image processing. As we move forward, it is essential to continue refining our methodology, expanding the scope of diseases that can be diagnosed through this approach, and addressing ethical and privacy considerations to ensure the responsible use of patient data.

FUTURE SCOPE

The "Early Diagnosis of Diseases Using Image Processing of Human Nails" project opens the door to various future research avenues and enhancements. Some of the key areas of future scope include:

- 1. Disease Expansion: The project can be extended to include the diagnosis of a broader range of diseases, allowing for a more comprehensive and versatile diagnostic tool.
- 2. Enhanced Image Quality: Research on improving image quality and standardization techniques can enhance the reliability and accuracy of diagnosis.
- 3. Machine Learning Algorithms: Exploring other advanced machine learning algorithms and deep learning architectures can further refine the diagnostic capabilities.

4. Clinical Validation: Collaborating with healthcare professionals for clinical validation and testing of the system in real-world healthcare settings.

The future scope of this project not only promises to refine and expand its applications but also to contribute to the broader landscape of healthcare and medical imaging. By addressing these areas, the project can have a more significant and lasting impact on the early diagnosis of diseases using image processing of human nails.

APPENDIX

Demo Link:-

https://drive.google.com/file/d/15U4m9uRsBVDrQad9N7CGF8 mxAWKobFf/view?usp=sharing

Github Repo Link:-

https://github.com/smartinternz02/SI-GuidedProject-591054-1697539511

Code:

```
import tensorflow as tf
tf. version
!pip install -q kaggle
!mkdir ~/.kaggle
!cp kaggle.json ~/.kaggle
!kaggle datasets download -d saisrushikgovindgari/nail-disease-dataset
!unzip /content/nail-disease-dataset.zip
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import os
import cv2
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
train path="/content/Nail Disease DataSet/Train"
test_path="/content/Nail Disease DataSet/Test"
x train=∏
for folder in os.listdir(train path):
  sub path=train path+"/"+folder
  for img in os.listdir(sub_path):
    image path=sub path+"/"+img
    img arr=cv2.imread(image path)
    img arr=cv2.resize(img_arr,(255,255))
    x train.append(img arr)
```

```
x test=[]
for folder in os.listdir(test_path):
  sub path=test path+"/"+folder
  for img in os.listdir(sub_path):
    image path=sub path+"/"+img
    img arr=cv2.imread(image path)
    img arr=cv2.resize(img arr,(255,255))
    x test.append(img arr)
train x=np.array(x train)
test x=np.array(x test)
train x=train x/255.0
test x=test x/255.0
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing.image import ImageDataGenerator
train datagen = ImageDataGenerator(rescale
=1./255,zoom range=0.2,shear range=0.2,horizontal flip = True)
test_datagen = ImageDataGenerator(rescale =1./255)
#Applying data augmentation for training data
training set = train datagen.flow from directory('/content/Nail Disease
DataSet/Train',
                           target size=(255,255),
                           class mode = 'categorical',
                           batch size = 10)
#Applying data augmentation for testing data
test set = test datagen.flow from directory('/content/Nail Disease DataSet/Test',
                           target size=(255,255),
                           class mode = 'categorical',
                           batch size = 10)
train y=training set.classes
test y=test set.classes
training set.class indices
train y.shape,test y.shape
from tensorflow.keras.applications.vgg19 import VGG19
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Dense, Flatten
from tensorflow.keras.models import Model
vgg19=VGG19(input shape=[255,255]+[3],weights='imagenet',include top=False)
for layer in vgg19.layers:
 layer.trainable = False
x = Flatten()(vgg19.output)
output = Dense(17,activation='softmax')(x)
vgg=Model(vgg19.input,output)
vgg.summary()
vgg.compile(loss = 'sparse categorical crossentropy',
        optimizer = 'adam',
        metrics =['accuracy','mse'],
        run eagerly=True)
#Early stopping to avoid overfitting of model
```

```
from tensorflow.keras.callbacks import EarlyStopping
early stop=EarlyStopping(monitor='val loss',mode='min',verbose=1,patience=5)
history = vgg.fit(train x, train y,
           validation data=(test x,test y),
           epochs=17,
           batch size=7,
           steps per epoch=(len(training set))
# accuracies
plt.plot(history.history['accuracy'], label='train acc')
plt.plot(history.history['val accuracy'], label='test acc')
plt.legend()
plt.savefig('vgg-acc-rps-1.png')
plt.show()
# loss
plt.plot(history.history['loss'], label='train loss')
plt.plot(history.history['val_loss'], label='test loss')
plt.legend()
plt.savefig('vgg-loss-rps-1.png')
plt.show()
vgg.evaluate(test x,test y)
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score, classification report, confusion matrix
import numpy as np
#predict
y pred=vgg.predict(test x)
y pred=np.argmax(y pred,axis=1)
#get accuracy score
print(accuracy score(y pred,test y))
#get classification report
print(classification_report(y_pred,test_y))
import seaborn as sns
#get confusion matrix
print(sns.heatmap(confusion_matrix(y_pred,test_y),annot=True))
vgg.save('vgg-16-nail-disease.h5')
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing import image
import numpy as np
img=image.load img('/content/Nail Disease DataSet/Train/Muehrck-e s
lines/10.PNG', target size=(255,255))
resized image = tf.reshape(img, (255, 255, 3))
resized image = tf.squeeze(resized image)
resized image
x = image.img to array(resized image)
x = np.expand dims(x,axis = 0)
```

```
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pred =np.argmax(vgg.predict(x),axis=1)
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```