



## PREDICTION OF HEPATITIS DISEASE USING THE MACHINELEARNING TECHNIQUE

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### Abstract:

This work is to choose the best tool for the diagnosis and detection of hepatitis as well as for the prediction of the life expectancy of hepatitis patients. In this work, A comparative study between various Machine learning tools and Neural networks were carried out. The performance metrics based on the accuracy rate and the mean square error. The machine learning (ML) algorithms such as Random Forest Classifiers (RFC), K Nearest Neighbor (KNN), and Artificial Neural Networks (ANN) were considered as the classification and prediction tools for diagnosing Hepatitis disease. A brief study on the above algorithms were performed based on the prediction accuracy of disease diagnosis. All the ML Algorithms were implemented and validated using python as platform. Hepatitis B including chronic liver disease is quite common in this world, and may cause damage to hepatocytes. The range may form healthy carrier to decompensate cirrhosis. In medicine, diagnosis is the "Recognition of a disease or stipulation by its apparent signs and symptoms". An important issue in medical diagnosis is a stratification, which refers to the sorting of patients based on the severity of the disease.

In case the clinical problems lie beyond the physician's competence, the solution is to consult a specialist, a common, expert opinion is either unavailable or not available in a timely fashion. The physician is left without the adequate time to devote to each case and struggling to keep up with the newest developments in his field owing to or to increasing expectations of the highest in quality health care and the rapid growth of ever more detailed medical knowledge. In this, as we have described and the Hepatitis can be generalized.

### 1. Introduction

Hepatitis is a medical condition characterized by inflammation of the liver. The liver is an essential organ in the body that performs many vital functions, including detoxifying harmful substances, producing bile, storing glucose, and synthesizing proteins. Hepatitis can be caused by various factors, including viral infections, alcohol, drugs, autoimmune diseases, and metabolic disorders. Symptoms of hepatitis can vary depending on the cause and severity of the disease. Some of the common symptoms include fatigue, jaundice (yellowing of the skin and eyes), abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, and loss of appetite. In some cases, hepatitis can cause chronic liver disease, liver failure, or liver cancer.



## 2. PROPOSED METHOD

We proposed a machine learning-based diagnosis method for the identification of Hepatitis disease in this work. Machine learning predictive models include ANN, RFC, KNN and SVM are used for the identification of Hepatitis disease. The data set is extracted from UCI repository which consists of 155 instances with 20 attributes. In this hepatitis database, out of 155 instances 75 of them have missing values. To get sufficient data for training, validation and testing, the data augmentation technique was used.

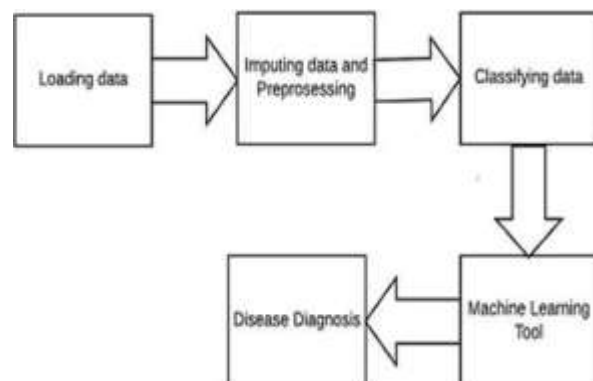
## 3. Working

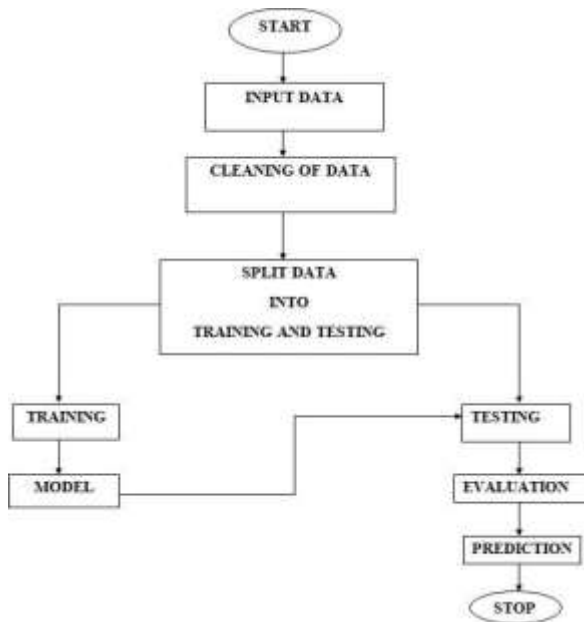
The data set is extracted from UCI repository which consists of 155 instances with 20 attributes. Since ML learns from examples, sufficient and smoothed data have to be given to the network model. To get sufficient data, data imputation was performed on the available dataset.

The presence of missing data in any field, if not handled wisely may result in incorrect prediction and affects the quality of the result. In this hepatitis database, out of 155 instances 75 of them have missing values. To get sufficient data for training, validation and testing, the data augmentation technique was used. Data augmentation was performed thrice to increase the precision of the results. Out of all the instances of the dataset, the missing values corresponding to the instances are removed and the imputation process was performed on the basis of remaining data. The performance of the imputation method was evaluated using the metric error rate, in which the imputed data is compared with the data with non-missing values in the attribute. After

loading the data and pre-processing phase, classification of the data is carried out. Data

Classification is carried out in two phases, namely training phase and classification phase. In the training phase, the data is classified into training set and validation set. After that, the classifier algorithm builds the classifier with the training dataset. In the second classification phase, the trained model is used for disease classification and the life expectancy of the Hepatitis person. The data is divided into training (60%), testing (20%) and validation (20%) in a stratified manner. There are mainly three stages in implementing the machine learning code as well as neural network namely; training, validating and testing. In our research, with the given hepatitis dataset, initially the data was split in to these three categories using stratified splitting. After this, we train the data using suitable machine learning tool and then the data for validation is given to the network. Using the trained network, the testing data is validated, and this is the phase which gives the accuracy of prediction of life expectancy of patients with Hepatitis. SVM, KNN and neural network are the ML tools that we have used in this work.



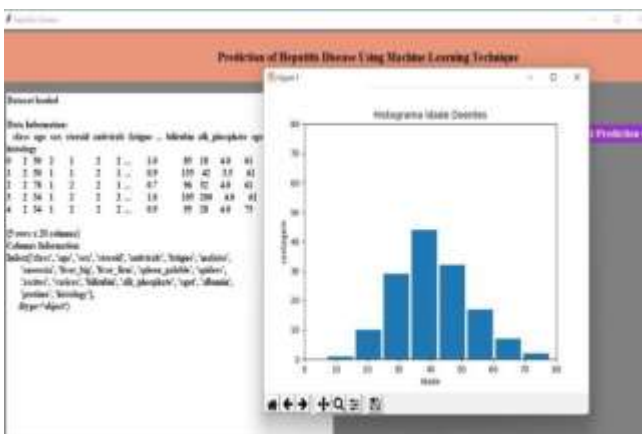


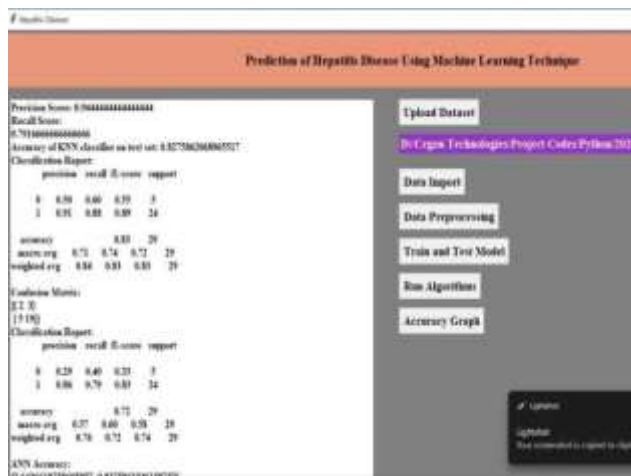
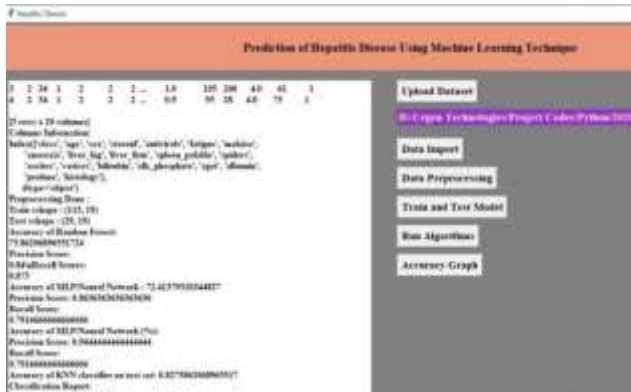
#### 4. Results and Discussion

A histogram is a graphical representation of the distribution of a set of continuous data. It is a bar graph-like representation where the data is divided into a set of intervals, called bins, and the height of each bar represents the

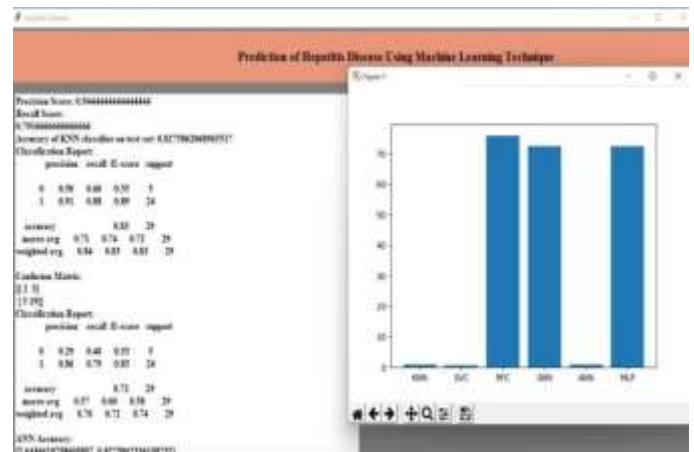
number of data points that fall into that bin. The width of each bin represents the range of values that fall into that bin. Histograms are commonly used in data analysis to visualize the shape of the distribution of the data.

By examining the histogram, we can identify features such as the central tendency, spread, skewness, and the presence of outliers in the data. Histograms are particularly useful when dealing with large data sets, as they can quickly provide an overview of the data distribution. They are also a useful tool for identifying patterns in data and for identifying trends over time. Histograms can be created using many statistical software packages, and many spreadsheet programs also include built-in tools for creating histograms. The shape of the histogram is affected by the number of bins, so it's important to choose an appropriate number of bins to ensure that the distribution is accurately represented. Here the histogram is taken between count of patients and their respective age and divided into set of similar continuous data.





hepatitis diagnosis and treatment, leading to better patient outcomes. However, it's crucial to note that machine learning models should complement expert medical diagnosis rather than replacing it. Overall, the application of machine learning in hepatitis prediction is a significant development in healthcare that can make a significant impact on patient care and outcomes.



## 5. Conclusion

In summary, machine learning techniques have demonstrated great potential in predicting hepatitis based on patient data. Several algorithms such as Support Vector Machines (SVMs), Random Forest Classifier (RFC), and Artificial Neural Networks (ANNs) have shown high accuracy and sensitivity in this task. These models can be trained on various features such as clinical and laboratory data and can provide useful insights into the underlying factors that contribute to hepatitis.

The use of machine learning in healthcare has the potential to improve the accuracy of

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