



## **Study of Brain Tumor Detection of MRI Brain Image using Deep Learning**

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### **ABSTRACT**

Brain tumor detection from MRI brain images has become an important research area in medical imaging due to the increasing need for accurate and early diagnosis. Manual analysis of MRI scans by radiologists is time-consuming and may lead to diagnostic errors because of complex tumor structures and varying image quality. To overcome these limitations, this study presents a deep learning-based approach for automatic brain tumor detection using MRI brain images. The proposed system utilizes Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) architecture for feature extraction, classification, and identification of tumor regions from MRI datasets. Image preprocessing techniques such as resizing, normalization, and noise reduction are applied to improve image quality and enhance detection performance. The deep learning model is trained and tested on labeled MRI brain image datasets to classify images into tumor and non-tumor categories with high accuracy. Experimental results demonstrate that the proposed method achieves improved accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score compared to conventional machine learning techniques. The developed system assists radiologists in fast and reliable diagnosis, reduces human effort, and enhances clinical decision-making in healthcare applications.

**Keywords:** - MRI Brain Image, Deep Learning, Classification

### **1. INTRODUCTION**

Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) is one of the most widely used medical imaging techniques for diagnosing brain tumors because it provides detailed information about soft tissues and brain structures. Brain tumors are abnormal growths of cells inside the brain that can severely affect the nervous system and may become life-threatening if not detected at an early stage. Accurate and timely identification of brain tumors is therefore essential for effective treatment planning and improving patient survival rates. Traditionally, radiologists manually examine MRI brain images to identify tumor regions; however, manual diagnosis is time-consuming, complex, and prone to human errors due to variations in tumor size, shape, texture, and image quality [1, 2].

In recent years, deep learning techniques have shown significant success in medical image analysis because of their ability to automatically learn complex features from large datasets. Among various deep learning methods, Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) are highly effective for image classification and pattern recognition tasks. CNN-based models can automatically extract important features from MRI brain images without requiring manual feature engineering, resulting in improved detection accuracy and reduced computational complexity [3].

This study focuses on the detection of brain tumors from MRI brain images using deep learning techniques. The proposed system applies preprocessing methods such as image resizing, normalization, and noise removal to enhance image quality before classification. A CNN-based deep learning architecture is then employed to classify MRI images into tumor and non-tumor categories. The performance of the proposed method is evaluated using different parameters such

as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score. The developed approach aims to assist healthcare professionals in rapid and reliable brain tumor diagnosis while reducing diagnostic workload and improving medical decision-making [4, 5].

Imaging tumors with more accuracy plays pivotal role in the diagnosis of tumors. A benign brain tumor grows step by step, has specific boundaries, and at times spreads. In spite of the fact that its cells are not malignant, this tumor made out of benign cells and situated in indispensable ranges can be considered life debilitating. A malignant brain tumor develops rapidly, has unpredictable boundaries, and spreads to adjacent brain zones [6]. Despite the fact that they are now and again called brain cancer, malignant brain tumors don't fit the meaning of cancer since they don't spread to organs outside the brain and spinal string. Metastatic (optional) brain tumors start as cancer elsewhere in the body and spread to the brain. They shape when cancer cells are passed on into the circulatory framework to the brain. The most generally perceived cancers that spread to the brain are lung cancer and breast cancer. A metastatic brain tumor is a cancer that spreads from elsewhere in the body to the brain. MRI is widely used because it gives better quality images of the brain and cancerous tissues, compared with other medical imaging techniques such as X-Ray or Computed Tomography (CT). As being a non-invasive technique, MRI is majorly used. The basic principle behind MRI is to generate images from MRI scan using strong magnetic field and radio waves of the body, which helps in investigating the anatomy of the body [7, 8]. The brain images are obtained using Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), which are prone to noise and artifacts such as labels and intensity variations during acquisition. In addition, there are many structures in the brain image such as cerebrospinal fluid, grey matter, and white matter and skull tissues apart from the tumor [9].

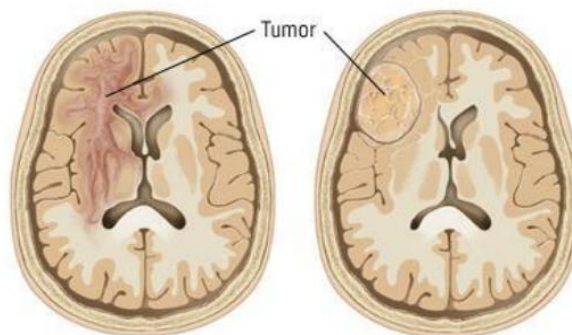


Figure 1: Brain Tumor

## 2. LITERATURE REVIEW

**R. Bhuvaneshwari et al. [1]**, proposed a hybrid deep learning architecture for accurate brain tumor classification using MRI brain images. The authors focused on improving classification performance by combining multiple deep learning techniques to enhance feature extraction and tumor identification accuracy. The proposed hybrid framework integrated Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN) with advanced feature learning methods to capture complex tumor characteristics from MRI datasets. Image preprocessing techniques such as normalization and resizing were applied to improve image quality and reduce noise effects. The model was trained on different categories of brain tumor images and evaluated using performance parameters such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score. Experimental analysis demonstrated that the hybrid architecture



achieved better classification accuracy compared to traditional machine learning and standalone deep learning models. The study highlighted that combining deep learning approaches can significantly improve automated brain tumor diagnosis and assist radiologists in clinical decision-making processes.

**S. Özcan et al. [2]**, presented a deep learning-based approach for brain tumor detection using MRI brain images. The research mainly focused on developing an automated system capable of detecting tumors accurately with reduced human intervention. The authors utilized Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN) for extracting deep image features and classifying tumor and non-tumor MRI images. Various preprocessing techniques such as image enhancement, normalization, and segmentation were implemented to improve detection efficiency. The study emphasized the importance of deep learning in medical image analysis because of its capability to automatically learn hidden patterns from large image datasets. The proposed system was trained and validated on MRI datasets containing different tumor categories. Performance evaluation showed high detection accuracy and improved sensitivity compared to conventional approaches. The researchers concluded that deep learning techniques can provide reliable support for early diagnosis and treatment planning in healthcare applications.

**R. Jansi et al. [3]**, developed a deep learning-based brain tumor detection system using multimodal MRI images. The study utilized different MRI modalities to improve tumor detection performance and provide more detailed information about tumor regions. The authors employed deep neural network models for extracting significant features from multimodal MRI scans and classifying brain tumors effectively. The preprocessing stage included noise removal, image normalization, and segmentation techniques to enhance image quality and improve learning capability. The proposed system was capable of identifying tumors with improved accuracy by utilizing information from multiple MRI modalities simultaneously. Experimental results demonstrated better classification performance, higher sensitivity, and reduced false detection rates when compared to traditional single-modality approaches. The study concluded that multimodal MRI combined with deep learning techniques can significantly enhance the reliability and efficiency of automated brain tumor diagnosis systems.

**L. Hamawy et al. [4]**, proposed brain tumor detection using various deep learning models for MRI image analysis. The research investigated the effectiveness of multiple deep learning architectures in detecting and classifying brain tumors from medical images. Different CNN-based models were implemented and compared to identify the most efficient architecture for tumor detection tasks. The study included image preprocessing methods such as resizing, filtering, and normalization to improve the quality of MRI images before feature extraction. The models were evaluated using metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and loss functions. Experimental findings showed that deep learning models achieved high classification performance and reduced manual diagnostic effort. The authors emphasized that automated tumor detection systems can support healthcare professionals by providing faster and more accurate diagnostic results in clinical environments.

**S. S. Tuppad et al. [5]**, presented a study on brain tumor classification using deep learning models. The authors focused on comparing different deep learning algorithms to identify the most suitable model for accurate brain tumor classification from MRI images. The proposed approach involved



image preprocessing, feature extraction, and classification stages to improve tumor recognition performance. Several CNN architectures were implemented and analyzed based on their learning capability and classification efficiency. The study used MRI datasets containing multiple tumor classes and evaluated the models using parameters such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score. Results indicated that deep learning models provided superior performance compared to conventional image processing and machine learning techniques. The researchers concluded that deep learning-based classification systems can play an important role in early brain tumor diagnosis, reducing human error, and improving healthcare decision-making systems.

**S. Karpakam et al. [6]**, a brain cancer is the development of synapses that are strange, some of which might advance into disease. The most common method for detecting brain tumors is a magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) scan. The cerebrum's strange tissue development should be visible on the X-ray pictures, which uncover. Profound learning and AI strategies are utilized to distinguish cerebrum growths in various exploration distributions. It just takes an exceptionally short measure of time to foresee a brain cancer when these calculations are applied to X-ray pictures, and the expanded precision simplifies patient therapy. The radiologist is able to quickly make decisions thanks to these forecasts. Deep learning, a convolution neural network (CNN), an artificial neural network (ANN), a self-defined neural network, and the existence of a brain tumor are utilized in the proposed strategy.

**Monisha Barakala et al. [7]**, the humanoid system's most important component is the human brain. Brain cancers are brought about by cells that develop and isolate in the cerebrum in manners that shouldn't. As brain cancers develop, they can transform into cerebrum disease. PC vision is vital to human wellbeing since it removes the requirement for individuals to pursue precise choices. The most common and safest ways to get an image using magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) are CT scans, X-rays, and MRI scans. Small things can be found using MRI. We want to discuss the various ways that brain MRI can be used to find brain cancer in our paper. In this study, we removed noises from an MR image prior to processing with the bilateral filter (BF). The binary thresholding and Convolution Neural Network (CNN) segmentation methods were then used to locate the tumor region. Training datasets, test datasets, and validation datasets are all available. Our machine will be able to determine whether or not the subject has a brain tumor. A few proportions of execution, like exactness, responsiveness, and particularity, will be utilized to check the outcomes out. These thick layers separate highlights and all elements are passed to a completely associated layer. Brain MRI features are extracted more effectively by dense networks. Because MRI provides additional details about the structure and functions of cells, this work is conducted using MRI. It is hoped that the proposed work will perform better than other works of a similar nature.

**N. N P. Patil et al. [8]**, the idea behind the proposed work is to use image segmentation to automatically detect autism. CNN is the most remarkable strategy for biomedical picture division where a few variations are proposed. The modified UNet segmentation method for image segmentation and classification known as Alpha-Beta Pruned UNet, which is a UNet dimensionality reduction technique, is the primary focus of the proposed work. Along with the results of the experiments, a metric is also used to compare UNet and the proposed algorithm.



**Fatih Ozyurta et al. [9]**, one of the recent hot topics is super-resolution, which raises the resolution of images to new heights. A brain magnetic resonance image (MRI)'s important information is made more visible and clear by increasing the image's resolution in terms of the information it contains. As a result, the associated image's tumor borders will be more easily identified. Brain tumor detection using super-resolution convolutional neural networks and extreme learning machine algorithms (SR-FCM-CNN) has been proposed in this study. Using the Super Resolution Fuzzy-C-Means (SR-FCM) method for tumor detection from brain MR images, this study aimed to efficiently segment tumors. Following that, extreme learning machine (ELM) classification and feature extraction using the pretrained SqueezeNet architecture from convolutional neural network (CNN) architectures were carried out. In the trial studies, it has been resolved that brain cancers have been exceptionally divided and eliminated utilizing SR-FCM technique. A smaller, with fewer parameters, neural network model was used to extract features using the SqueezeNet architecture. Using SR-FCM, a diagnosis of segmented brain tumors has been made with an accuracy rate of 98.33% using the proposed approach. This rate is more prominent 10% than the pace of acknowledgment of brain growths partitioned with fluffy C-implys (FCM) without SR.

**A. M. Hasan et al. [10]**, advances in the space of man-made reasoning, AI, and clinical imaging innovations have permitted the improvement of the clinical picture handling field for certain shocking outcomes over the most recent twenty years. These developments empowered the clinicians to see the human body in high-goal or three-layered cross-sectional cuts, which brought about an expansion in the precision of the conclusion and the assessment of patients in a harmless way. The ability of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) brain scan classifiers to extract meaningful features is the fundamental step. Accordingly, many works have proposed various strategies for highlights extraction to order the unusual developments in the brain X-ray examines. In recent times, the application of deep learning algorithms to medical imaging has resulted in remarkable performance gains in the classification and diagnosis of complex pathologies like brain tumors. In this paper, a profound learning highlight extraction calculation is proposed to extricate the pertinent elements from X-ray brain examines. The modified gray level co-occurrence matrix (MGLCM) method is used to extract handcrafted features simultaneously. The support vector machine (SVM) is used as a classifier to enhance the MRI brain scan classification process by combining the extracted relevant features with handcrafted features. The acquired outcomes demonstrated that the mix of the profound learning approach and the high quality elements removed by MGLCM works on the precision of grouping of the SVM classifier up to 99.30%.

**Problem Identification:-**

- One of the most crucial tasks in any brain tumor detection system is the isolation of abnormal tissues from normal brain tissues.
- Interestingly, domain of brain tumor analysis has effectively utilized the concepts of medical image processing, particularly on MR images, to automate the core steps, i.e. extraction, segmentation, classification for proximate detection of tumor.

- The past works of many researchers under medical image processing and soft computing have made noteworthy review analysis on automatic brain tumor detection techniques focusing segmentation as well as classification and their combinations.

### 3. BRAIN TUMOR USING DEEP LEARNING

The malignant and benign are two main categories of the brain tumor. The skull is pressurized to enlarge from inside in case of growth of any benign or malignant tumor. This tumor leads to cerebrum lesion and that could be dangerous to existence also. The brain tumor is divided into two kinds - primary or secondary. The tumor which happens in the cerebrum is known as primary brain cancer. Various gray matters are gentle. An optional cerebrum tumor is additionally metastatic mind tumor. This tumor starts because of spreading of disease cells spread in the cerebral matter as of an additional limb in which lung or bosom is included. The encephalon could start inside the brain or it spread to from the rest of the organs of anatomy. It can broaden to the cerebrum. The growth rate and the position of a brain tumor investigate its impacts on the function of nervous system. The kind of brain tumor and also its size and location have assisted in prescribing the treatment options of brain tumor.

#### Deep Learning

Deep Learning is a subset of machine learning that uses artificial neural networks with multiple hidden layers to learn complex patterns and features from large amounts of data automatically. It is inspired by the structure and functioning of the human brain, where interconnected neurons process information and make decisions. Deep learning algorithms can analyze images, text, audio, and other forms of data with high accuracy, making them highly useful in applications such as medical diagnosis, computer vision, speech recognition, natural language processing, and autonomous systems.

In deep learning, data is passed through multiple layers of neurons, including input layers, hidden layers, and output layers. Each layer extracts important features from the input data and transfers the learned information to the next layer. During training, the network adjusts its weights using optimization algorithms such as backpropagation and gradient descent to minimize prediction errors. Popular deep learning architectures include Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN), Recurrent Neural Networks (RNN), Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM), Autoencoders, and Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs).

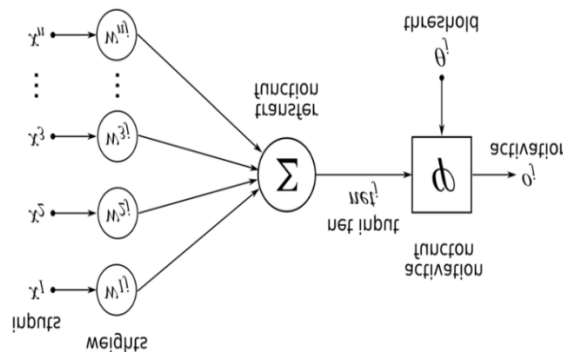


Figure 2: Neural Network



For medical image analysis, especially brain tumor detection using MRI images, CNN models are widely used because they can automatically extract important image features such as edges, textures, and tumor regions without manual feature engineering. Deep learning techniques improve classification accuracy, reduce human effort, and support faster diagnosis compared to traditional machine learning approaches. Due to their high performance and adaptability, deep learning models are increasingly applied in healthcare, cybersecurity, agriculture, robotics, and communication systems.

#### **4. CONCLUSION**

In this study, a deep learning-based approach for brain tumor detection using MRI brain images has been presented to improve the accuracy and efficiency of medical diagnosis. The proposed system utilized deep learning techniques, particularly Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN), for automatic feature extraction and classification of tumor and non-tumor MRI images. Image preprocessing methods such as normalization, resizing, and noise reduction were applied to enhance image quality and improve model performance. Experimental analysis demonstrated that deep learning models can achieve high accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score compared to conventional machine learning methods. The developed approach reduces manual effort, minimizes diagnostic errors, and supports radiologists in early tumor identification and treatment planning. Therefore, deep learning techniques provide an effective and reliable solution for automated brain tumor detection in healthcare applications. Future work can focus on integrating advanced architectures, multimodal MRI datasets, and real-time clinical implementation to further enhance detection performance and diagnostic reliability.

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