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A Talk on

Research & Development Project

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Part 1: Discriminative Localization in Medical Images

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Introduction

- Identifying Deep Features in Medical Images is a challenge being work upon intensively.
- Not only it is important to classify a tissue to be unhealthy, but to identify which part of the tissue makes it unhealthy.
- The task of the project is to form a Class Activation Map (CAM) which suggests which region of the image influences a particular decision.
- Helpful in identifying deep features in data.

Related Work

• Zhou et al [1], 2016, used the idea of Class Activation Map (CAM) for Class Localization in an image.







A typical CNN with Fully Connected Layers



Global Average Pooling



Average of each layer is calculated and used as a feature



Proposed Model

Dataset

- The dataset used was ICIAR 2018 Grand Challenge on BreAst Cancer Histology.
- Contains 400 images each of 2048 x 1536 pixels.
- Dataset is divided into 4 classes Benign, In-Situ, Invasive and Normal.
- The images were further divided into smaller sized images for processing and training.

Initial Training on BACH dataset

- Inception V3 was used for training on the dataset. This work was done separately by Deepak Anand and Aditya Golatkar.
- The training resulted in a validation accuracy of $\sim 84\%$.
- The results are were satisfactory since the competition dataset is challenging enough.
- The trained model in this step was used for modification and generation of the Class Activation Map (CAM) discussed before.

Modification in the architecture

- Dense Layer is removed as discussed before.
- Global Average Pooling Layer is added.
- And finally Softmax Activation Function is used to get the final probabilities.

Results from fine-tuning

- Fine tuning on the modified architecture resulted in a validation accuracy of $\sim 81\%$.
- The marginal drop in the accuracy is expected due to change in the architecture and significant reduction in the number of features.
- Weights for Softmax Classification is obtained for further use in generating heatmaps.

An important point to note

• Since we have removed the **Fully Connected Layer**, the architecture is now size independent, that is, we can give an input of any dimensions and get a results corresponding to the input.

Heatmap Generation

- Now that we have our weights and our architecture, we start the much awaited task of visualization.
- We experimented with patches and full images and obtained heatmaps and compared to results.

Results (on patches)



Original Label: Benign

Activation Map: Benign

Original Label: In-Situ

Activation Map: Benign

Results (on complete images) Original Class - **In-Situ**



Activation Map : Benign



Activation Map : InSitu

Results (on complete images) Original Class - **In-Situ**







Activation Map : Normal

An Interesting Observation



- This is a **Normal** cell with an **Benign** activation class.
- Although the probability of it being In Situ is less, but the red spots on the image can be inferred as the most vulnerable part of the cell.
- Provides an early-detection features if the training is accurate.

Conclusion

- The proposed method can be applied to any trained CNN architecture with an ease.
- Although the new architecture compromises on its validation accuracy, it is sufficient for visualization purpose.
- The proposed model opens up the possibility of getting deep features which may not be obvious otherwise.
- The proposed method can be easily extended to other datasets and architectures due to it being size invariant.

Future Work

- Testing this on other Medical Image datasets, both with highly accurate models and with less accurate models.
- To make a stand-alone generic algorithm to take a model and change it so as to obtain CAM.

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Part 2: Annotator App

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Introduction

- Annotation of Data is a very important task in Medical Imaging.
- Annotation can be a long and tedious task if not done with proper softwares and device.
- Aperio ImageScope is the currently used software in the research group.
- Although the software offers great user experiences, it is available only on Windows OS.
- Being a good alternative, Android App would ease the task of annotation to a large extent.

Block Diagram of Developed Application



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Layout of the App



Future Work

- An option to load multiple images simultaneously so as to make the annotation task faster.
- Feature to zoom the image while Annotating.

References

• Image Editor Android App. <u>https://github.com/siwangqishiq/ImageEditor-Android</u>

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