FOURIER–MELLIN TRANSFORM FEATURES FOR MALARIA PARASITES CLASSIFICATION USING MICROSCOPIC IMAGES

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Abstract:
Malaria is an infectious disease transmitted by mosquitoes that affects humans and other animals. Malaria is responsible for the effects of fever, tiredness, vomiting and headaches. Yellow skin, convulsions, a coma, or death can lead to severe cases. Symptoms usually start 10-15 days after a mosquito is bitten. The early diagnosis is required for malaria. In this study, the automatic classification of malaria system is discussed. Initially, the input images are given to Fourier–Mellin transform for feature extraction and Support Vector Machine (SVM) classifier is used for classification. The performance of malaria system produces the classification accuracy of 92% using SVM classifier.

Keywords: Malarial parasite, Fourier-Mellin transform, Support vector machine, Accuracy

INTRODUCTION

Image processing techniques are used to identify and later recognize a parasite as a target group [1]. Three category photos were correctly categorized, with a lower recognition rate in one category. The algorithm is used across various color spaces to find optimum output in microscopic images with a blood stream [2]. This is useful in telepathology and can automate malaria screening in rural areas with minimal health-care personnel.

A method to automate a technician's manual work to reduce the human error and increase the accurate diagnosis of malaria [3]. An groundbreaking digital technique that detects parasite protozoa of the Plasmodium genus as part of the technical advances in bio imaging processing.
Investigate the best feature selection approach for automated computer training in wholslide images of peripheral blood streams, based on malaria detection [4]. For through classification carried out, confusion matrices are created. Several classification performance measures are recorded. In the event of a poorly qualified technician, false detection can occur.

The major drugs for prophylaxis and malaria prevention are antimalarial antivolates [5]. A particular group of mutations in the dihydrophalate reductase is readily used to improve resistance to pyrimethamine and proguanil antifolates. Malaria is an infectious disease and is treated frequently through Giemsa's staining blood streak microscopic assessment [6-8]. Since the assessment process automation creates a severe health problem

Classification of the malaria parasite in this analysis is presented. The remainder of the paper is structured as follows: Section 2 addresses the techniques and resources used to classify malaria. Section 3 discusses the experimental observations and discussions. The final segment closes the identification of malaria parasites.

**Methods and Materials**

The support vector machines (SVMs) are strong but scalable, supervised, classification and regression machine learn algorithms. Yet they are commonly used in problems of grouping. SVMs were first implemented in the 1960s but later refined in 1990. Compared to other machine learning algorithms, SVMs have a special method of execution. Recently, since they can handle both continuous and categorical variables, they are increasingly common. A SVM model is essentially the representation in multidimensional space of multiple groups in a hyperplane. The hyperplane is iteratively generated by SVM to minimise the error. SVM aims at splitting the data into groups so that a full limited hyperground can be achieved (MMH). In reality, SVM is implemented with a kernel that translates a data field into the form required. Input data space. SVM uses a kernel trick strategy in which the kernel takes a small input field and makes the kernel a higher dimension space. In plain terms, the kernel transforms problems that cannot be divided into separable problems by introducing more dimensions. SVM is better, more mobile and more precise. Such kernel types used by SVM are as follows. Great precision and strong function with wide spaces are provided in SVM classifiers. SVM classifiers essentially use a subset of training points, which means that they have a very small amount of memory. In fact
they have not enough time to train massive datasets. Another downside is that SVM classificators function with conflicting groups not well.

Initially, the input malarial parasite images are given to Fourier–Mellin transform for decomposition. Finally, SVM classifier is used for prediction.

**Fourier–Mellin transform:**
The Mellin transformation is an integral transformation in mathematics which can be seen as the multiplicative version of the Laplace on both sides. This integrative transform is intimately linked to Dirichlet series theory and is widely used in number theory, mathematical statistics and asymptotic expansion theory; it has a close connection with Laplace transformation and Fourier transformation, as well as the theory of the use and function of gamma. In computational science, the Mellin Transform has a wide scale invariance property in analyzing algorithms. The scale of the Mellin Transform of a scaled function is equal to the magnitude of the original input function [9]. This invariance scale property is analogous to the change invariance property of the Fourier Transform. The magnitude of a time-changing Fourier transform is equal with the magnitude of the original Fourier transformation.

**SVM Prediction:**
SVM is a supervised algorithm for machine learning that can be employed for classification or regression. But it is primarily used in problems of classification. SVM is the supervised algorithm used to train machines and to solve problems with classification or regression [10-11]. It uses the kernel trick technique to transform the data and determines the optimal boundary between possible outputs on the basis of these transformations. SVM is an algorithm for machine learning that is used to categorize or regress problems. The kernel trick is a strategy for transforming the data and then it determines an optimal boundary between the possible outputs, based on these transformations.

**Results and Discussion**
The images are given to Fourier–Mellin transform for feature extraction and SVM classifier is used for prediction. The classification accuracy, sensitivity and specificity are shown in Table1.

**Table 1 Malarial parasite detection system using Fourier-Mellin transform**

| Fourier–Mellin transform levels | Performance of SVM classifier (%) |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                               | Accuracy | Sensitivity | Specificity |

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From the above table, it is observed that the overall classification accuracy is 93% and its sensitivity and specificity are 94% and 92% by using Fourier-Mellin transform and SVM classifier.

**Conclusion:**

An automatic classification of malaria parasite using SVM is described in this study. Initially the images are given to Fourier-Mellin transform for feature extraction. The SVM classifier is used for final output prediction. The overall classification accuracy is 93% by using SVM classifier. It’s sensitivity and specificity are 94% and 92% by using Fourier-Mellin transform and SVM classifier.

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