

ABSTRACT

This framework predicts the disease based on the inputs provided by the patients in the form of symptoms. It gives an idea of predicting multiple disease using machine learning algorithms. It is very useful for predictive analysis in healthcare. Early prediction of disease helps in best diagnosis. Over the years the use of disease prediction tools along with concerning the health of the patient has been increased due to a variety of diseases and less doctor patient interaction. The aim of developing this model is to help to solve the health related issues by assisting the physicians to predict and diagnose the disease at an early stage. Machine learning algorithms like random forest, decision tree classifiers, support vector machine and naïve bayes classifier gives maximum accuracy in prediction purpose. This project shows the performance of these algorithms in predicting the disease based on symptoms.

Keywords— Disease prediction, Decision tree, Naïve bayes, Random forest, Support vector machine, Machine learning, Symptoms.

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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 INTRODUCTION

Disease Prediction using Machine Learning is a system which predicts the disease based on the information provided by the user. It also predicts the disease of the patient or the user based on the information or the symptoms he/she enter into the system and provides the accurate results based on that information. If the patient is not much serious and the user just wants to know the type of disease, he/she has been through. It is a system which provides the user the tips and tricks to maintain the health system of the user and it provides a way to find out the disease using this prediction. Now a day's health industry plays major role in curing the diseases of the patients so this is also some kind of help for the health industry to tell the user and also it is useful for the user in case he/she doesn't want to go to the hospital or any other clinics, so just by entering the symptoms and all other useful information the user can get to know the disease he/she is suffering from and the health industry can also get benefit from this system by just asking the symptoms from the user and entering in the system and in just few seconds they can tell the exact and up to some extent the accurate diseases. This DPUML is previously done by many other organizations but our intention is to make it different and beneficial for the users who are using this system. This Disease Prediction Using Machine Learning is completely done with the help of Machine Learning and Python Programming language with Tkinter Interface for it and also using the dataset that is available previously by the hospitals using that we will predict the disease. Now a day's doctors are adopting many scientific technologies and methodology for both identification and diagnosing not only common disease, but also many fatal diseases. The successful treatment is always attributed by right and accurate diagnosis. Doctors may sometimes fail to take accurate decisions while diagnosing the disease of a patient, therefore disease prediction systems which use machine learning algorithms assist in such cases to get accurate results. The project disease prediction using machine learning is developed to overcome general disease in earlier stages as we all know in competitive environment of economic development the mankind has involved so much that he/she is not concerned about health according to research there are 40% peoples how ignores about general disease which leads to harmful disease later. The main reason of ignorance is laziness to consult a doctor and time concern the peoples have involved themselves so much that they have no time to take an appointment and consult the doctor which later results into fatal disease.

According to research there are 70% peoples in India suffers from general disease and 25%of peoples face death due to early ignorance the main motive to develop this project is that a user can sit at their convenient place and have a check-up of their health the UI is designed in such a simple way that everyone can easily operate on it and can have a check-up.

1.2 INTRODUCTION TO PYTHON AND MACHINE LEARNING

1.2.1 PYTHON

Python is a general-purpose interpreted, interactive, object-oriented, and high-level programming language. It was created by Guido van Rossum during 1985- 1990. Like Perl, Python source code is also available under the GNU General Public License (GPL). This tutorial gives enough understanding on Python programming language. Python is a high-level, interpreted, interactive and object-oriented scripting language. Python is designed to be highly readable. It uses English keywords frequently where as other languages use punctuation, and it has fewer syntactical constructions than other languages.

Python is a MUST for students and working professionals to become a great Software Engineer especially when they are working in Web Development Domain. I will list down some of the key advantages of learning Python:

- Python is Interpreted – Python is processed at runtime by the interpreter. You do not need to compile your program before executing it. This is similar to PERL and PHP.
- Python is Interactive – You can actually sit at a Python prompt and interact with the interpreter directly to write your programs.
- Python is Object-Oriented – Python supports Object-Oriented style or technique of programming that encapsulates code within objects.
- Python is a Beginner's Language – Python is a great language for the beginner-level programmers and supports the development of a wide range of applications from simple text processing to WWW browsers to games.

Following are important characteristics of Python Programming –

- It supports functional and structured programming methods as well as OOP.

- It can be used as a scripting language or can be compiled to byte-code for building large applications.
- It provides very high-level dynamic data types and supports dynamic type checking.
- It supports automatic garbage collection.
- It can be easily integrated with C, C++, COM, ActiveX, CORBA, and Java.

1.2.2 PYTHON TKINTER

Python has a lot of GUI frameworks, but Tkinter is the only framework that's built into the Python standard library. Tkinter has several strengths. It's **cross-platform**, so the same code works on Windows, macOS, and Linux. Visual elements are rendered using native operating system elements, so applications built with Tkinter look like they belong on the platform where they're run. Although Tkinter is considered the de-facto Python GUI framework, it's not without criticism. One notable criticism is that GUIs built with Tkinter look outdated. If you want a shiny, modern interface, then Tkinter may not be what you're looking for. However, Tkinter is lightweight and relatively painless to use compared to other frameworks. This makes it a compelling choice for building GUI applications in Python, especially for applications where a modern sheen is unnecessary, and the top priority is to build something that's functional and cross-platform quickly.

To create a tkinter app:

- Importing the module – tkinter
- Create the main window (container)
- Add any number of widgets to the main window
- Apply the event Trigger on the widgets.

There are various widgets like button, canvas, checkbutton, entry, etc. that are used to build the python GUI applications.

Table 1 : TKinter widgets

S N	Widget	Description
1	Button	The Button is used to add various kinds of buttons to the python application.
2	Canvas	The canvas widget is used to draw the canvas on the window.
3	Checkbutton	The Checkbutton is used to display the CheckButton on the window.

4	Entry	The entry widget is used to display the single-line text field to the user. It is commonly used to accept user values.
5	Frame	It can be defined as a container to which, another widget can be added and organized.
6	Label	A label is a text used to display some message or information about the other widgets.
7	ListBox	The ListBox widget is used to display a list of options to the user.
8	Menubutton	The Menubutton is used to display the menu items to the user.
9	Menu	It is used to add menu items to the user.
10	Message	The Message widget is used to display the message-box to the user.
11	Radiobutton	The Radiobutton is different from a checkbutton. Here, the user is provided with various options and the user can select only one option among them.
12	Scale	It is used to provide the slider to the user.
13	Scrollbar	It provides the scrollbar to the user so that the user can scroll the window up and down.
14	Text	It is different from Entry because it provides a multi-line text field to the user so that the user can write the text and edit the text inside it.
14	Toplevel	It is used to create a separate window container.
15	Spinbox	It is an entry widget used to select from options of values.
16	PanedWindow	It is like a container widget that contains horizontal or vertical panes.
17	LabelFrame	A LabelFrame is a container widget that acts as the container
18	MessageBox	This module is used to display the message-box in the desktop based applications.

1.2.3 MACHINE LEARNING

The term Machine Learning was coined by Arthur Samuel in 1959, an American pioneer in the field of computer gaming and artificial intelligence, and stated that “it gives computers the ability to learn without being explicitly programmed”. And in 1997, Tom Mitchell gave a “well-posed” mathematical and relational definition that “A computer program is said to learn from experience E with respect to some task T and some performance measure P, if its performance on T, as measured by P, improves with experience E.

Machine Learning is the latest buzzword floating around. It deserves to, as it is one of the most interesting subfields of Computer Science. So what does Machine Learning really mean?

Let's try to understand Machine Learning in layman's terms. Consider you are trying to toss a paper into a dustbin.

After the first attempt, you realize that you have put too much force into it. After the second attempt, you realize you are closer to the target but you need to increase your throw angle. What is happening here is basically after every throw we are learning something and improving the end result. We are programmed to learn from our experience.

This implies that the tasks in which machine learning is concerned to offer a fundamentally operational definition rather than defining the field in cognitive terms. This follows Alan Turing's proposal in his paper "Computing Machinery and Intelligence", in which the question "Can machines think?" is replaced with the question "Can machines do what we (as thinking entities) can do?" Within the field of data analytics, machine learning is used to devise complex models and algorithms that lend themselves to prediction; in commercial use, this is known as predictive analytics. These analytical models allow researchers, data scientists, engineers, and analysts to "produce reliable, repeatable decisions and results" and uncover "hidden insights" through learning from historical relationships and trends in the data set(input).

Suppose that you decide to check out that offer for a vacation. You browse through the travel agency website and search for a hotel. When you look at a specific hotel, just below the hotel description there is a section titled "You might also like these hotels". This is a common use case of Machine Learning called "Recommendation Engine". Again, many data points were used to train a model in order to predict what will be the best hotels to show you under that section, based on a lot of information they already know about you. So if you want your program to predict, for example, traffic patterns at a busy intersection (task T), you can run it through a machine learning algorithm with data about past traffic patterns (experience E) and, if it has successfully "learned", it will then do better at predicting future traffic patterns (performance measure P). The highly complex nature of many real-world problems, though, often means that inventing specialized algorithms that will solve them perfectly every time is impractical, if not impossible. Examples of machine learning problems include, "Is this cancer?", "Which of these people are good friends with each other?", "Will this person like this movie?" such problems are excellent targets for Machine Learning, and in fact, machine learning has been applied to such problems with great success.

Machine learning implementations are classified into three major categories, depending on the nature of the learning "signal" or "response" available to a learning system which is as

follows:-

- **Supervised learning:** When an algorithm learns from example data and associated target responses that can consist of numeric values or string labels, such as classes or tags, in order to later predict the correct response when posed with new examples comes under the category of Supervised learning. This approach is indeed similar to human learning under the supervision of a teacher. The teacher provides good examples for the student to memorize, and the student then derives general rules from these specific examples.
- **Unsupervised learning:** Whereas when an algorithm learns from plain examples without any associated response, leaving to the algorithm to determine the data patterns on its own. This type of algorithm tends to restructure the data into something else, such as new features that may represent a class or a new series of un-correlated values. They are quite useful in providing humans with insights into the meaning of data and new useful inputs to supervised machine learning algorithms.

As a kind of learning, it resembles the methods humans use to figure out that certain objects or events are from the same class, such as by observing the degree of similarity between objects. Some recommendation systems that you find on the web in the form of marketing automation are based on this type of learning.

- **Reinforcement learning:** When you present the algorithm with examples that lack labels, as in unsupervised learning. However, you can accompany an example with positive or negative feedback according to the solution the algorithm proposes comes under the category of Reinforcement learning, which is connected to applications for which the algorithm must make decisions (so the product is prescriptive, not just descriptive, as in unsupervised learning), and the decisions bear consequences. In the human world, it is just like learning by trial and error.

Errors help you learn because they have a penalty added (cost, loss of time, regret, pain, and so on), teaching you that a certain course of action is less likely to succeed than others. An interesting example of reinforcement learning occurs when computers learn to play video games by themselves.

In this case, an application presents the algorithm with examples of specific situations, such as having the gamer stuck in a maze while avoiding an enemy. The application lets the algorithm know the outcome of actions it takes, and learning occurs while trying to avoid what it discovers to be dangerous and to pursue