



DIABETIC RETINOPATHY DETECTION USING DEEP NEURAL NETWORK

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Abstract– Diabetic Retinopathy (die-uh-BET-ik ret-ih-Nop-uh-thee) is a diabetic complication that effects eyes. It is caused by damage to the blood vessels of the light – sensitive tissues at the back of eye (retina). The condition can developed in anyone who has type 1 or type 2 diabetes. This paper focus on a desktop application that will help you to the identification of diabetic retinopathy. The screening occur in real time. The application can be developed using a tensor flow deep neural network architecture. Here it is trained and tested more than thousands of images. During the creation of deep neural network we will create five layers, 2 pool layer and 2 convolution layer and one fc layer. Fc layers are used to detect specific global configurations of the features detected by the lower layers in the net. In this model there are two options for screening that are one for image screening and one for real time screening. For this desktop application there is no need of internet connection for its working and it can be used as an easy manner.

Keywords: Diabetic Retinopathy, tensor flow, pool layer, convolution layer, FC layer

I. INTRODUCTION

Diabetic Retinopathy (DR) is the disease affecting blood vessels in the retina where capillary vessels in particular are vulnerable to high glucose levels caused by diabetes. DR is the most common complication of diabetes and the leading cause of blindness. The most significant predictor of the prevalence of DR is the duration of the diabetes [8]. Patients with diabetes are at risk of developing retinal micro vascular complications that can cause vision loss, and indeed, diabetes is the leading cause of incident blindness among the working age population. Early detection of Diabetic Retinopathy will help to stop the leading to blindness [9]. Annual screening of the retina is recommended but presents a huge challenge, given that the global prevalence of diabetes was estimated to be 9% among adults in 2015. If detect early enough, effective treatment of Diabetic Retinopathy is a strong area of research [7].

Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs), a branch of deep learning, have a large record for applications in image analysis and image interpretation, including medical imaging also. Network architectures designed to work in an image

data were routinely built already before many years with many helpful applications and surpassed other approaches to many highly challenging tasks like handwritten character recognition [3]. However, it is not until several breakthroughs in neural networks such as the implementation, rectified linear units of them and the increase in computing power through graphical processor units that they become viable for more complex image recognition problems.

In this application we categorize the images as the images which effected with Diabetic Retinopathy and images that doesn't effected with Diabetic Retinopathy. Here we carried out to operations that are training and testing of images [4]. Once we did it we can identify the effecting of Diabetic Retinopathy in the given image. Here we can do two operations with the desktop applications that are check the occurrence of Diabetic Retinopathy in a given image and also the real time screening through the camera.

II. METHODOLOGY

The methodology for this concept will consist of mainly five steps. The first step is the Database collection then preprocessing the third step is Feature Extraction after that Training and final step is Testing. These steps can be described as below:

DATASET COLLECTION

It is necessary to collect the required image for training. Diabetic Retinopathy dataset with annotation and images are collected during this step.

PREPROCESSING

Preprocessing will help to filter the images in the dataset and avoid noises. This organization of image data helps in training the neural network. Once the data is organized it is ready for preprocessing which involves two steps [6]:

Filtering: To make the images more smooth and reliable a convolution filter is used. The images in the dataset will consist of some noises such as color variations, shadows etc. the step of filtering will help to avoid these type of noises.

Conversion: The step of conversion will included that the conversion of size. That is in a single word 'resizing'. Here it is resizes all the images in the dataset into 256X256 pixels [10].

FEATURE EXTRACTION

Each class will contain certain features, so the feature of each class must be extracted and separated. The images will be divided into five layers in this step. That is 2 pool layers, 2 convolution layer and one FC layer.

TRAINING

In the training phase we train out machine learning model with the features and the system will generate a knowledge base.

TESTING

It is the final step of the methodology. Here the system classifies the new input with the knowledge bases.

Implementing convolutional neural network has become a popular method in the biomedical field. Furthermore, the neural network can be used in detecting brain tumors and analyzing x-ray images. The application is powered by a tensor flow deep neural network architecture that is trained and tested on 16,798 fundus images. These images are preprocessed to remove noise and prepare them to be fed into neural network [5][11]. Preprocessing steps involve averaging all the images using a 5x5 filter to improve the quality of images and then these images are resized to 256x256 pixels. After preprocessing the input dataset is fed into the neural network.

The developed desktop application was tested in real time on test dataset images. Since the test dataset contains images of both categories of Diabetic Retinopathy and no Diabetic Retinopathy, so it is used as source for real time image analysis as one would be capturing image of an actual subject [12]. Once the process is done, for all the images the same process will repeated.

We can also calculate some factors such as specificity, accuracy and sensitivity for all the images that we want to be tested and the images that will capture at the time of real time screening.

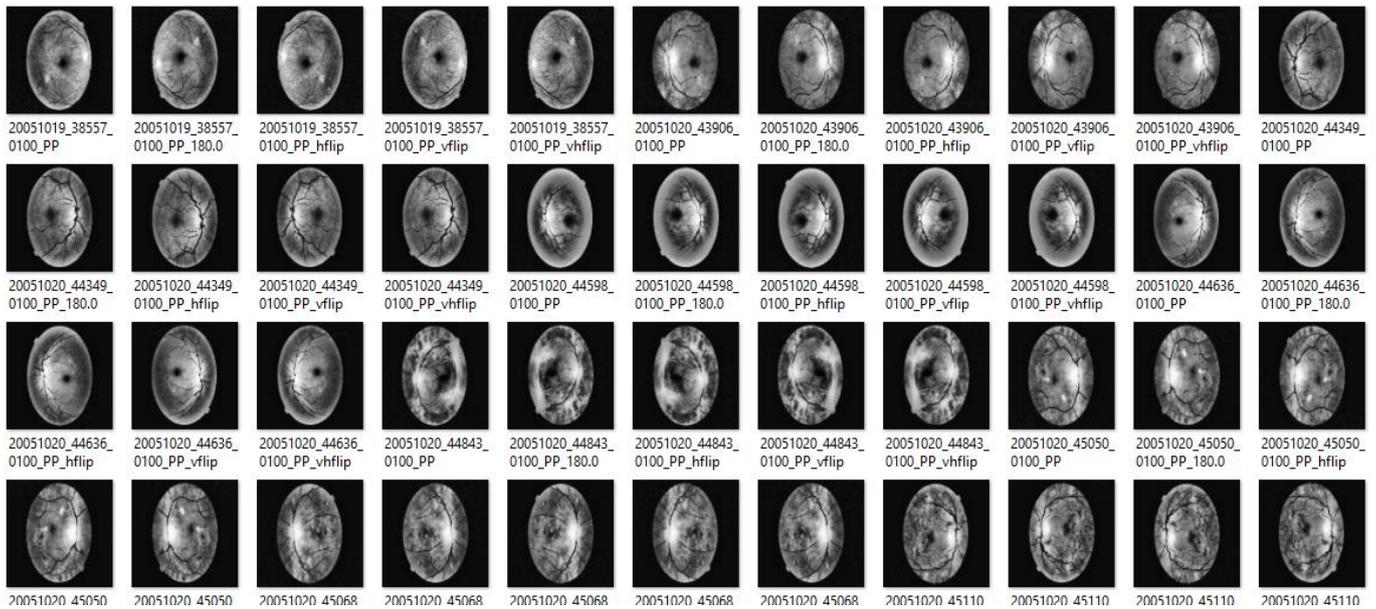


Figure 1: fundus image database set

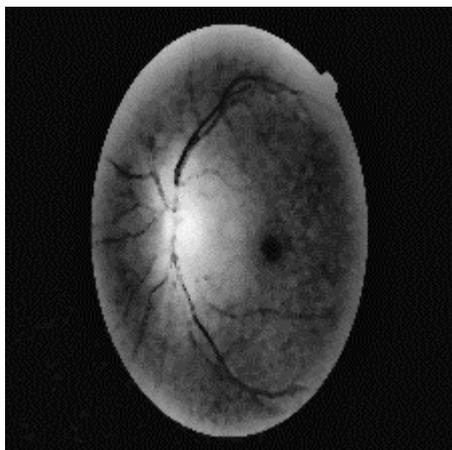


Figure 2: no Diabetic Retinopathy

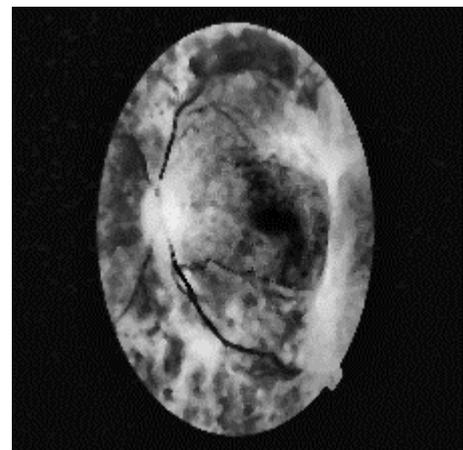


Figure 3: Diabetic Retinopathy

III. DEEP NURAL NETWORK

Deep learning is a part of boarder family or machine learning methods based on artificial neural networks. Learning can be supervised, semi-supervised or unsupervised. Deep neural network is mode of Deep learning architecture. It is an artificial network [2]. These artificial network may be used for predictive modeling, adaptive control and applications where they can be trained via a dataset.

The utilized neural network architecture is based on Mobile Nets. This network is built on depth wise convolution layers which are further divided into depth wise and point wise convolution, except for the first layer which is a fully connected layer [1]. Depth wise convolution is used for applying a single filter on every input channel while point wise convolution is used to form a linear combination of the output from the depth wise layer. There are two non-linearity used: batch norm and ReLU after each layer.

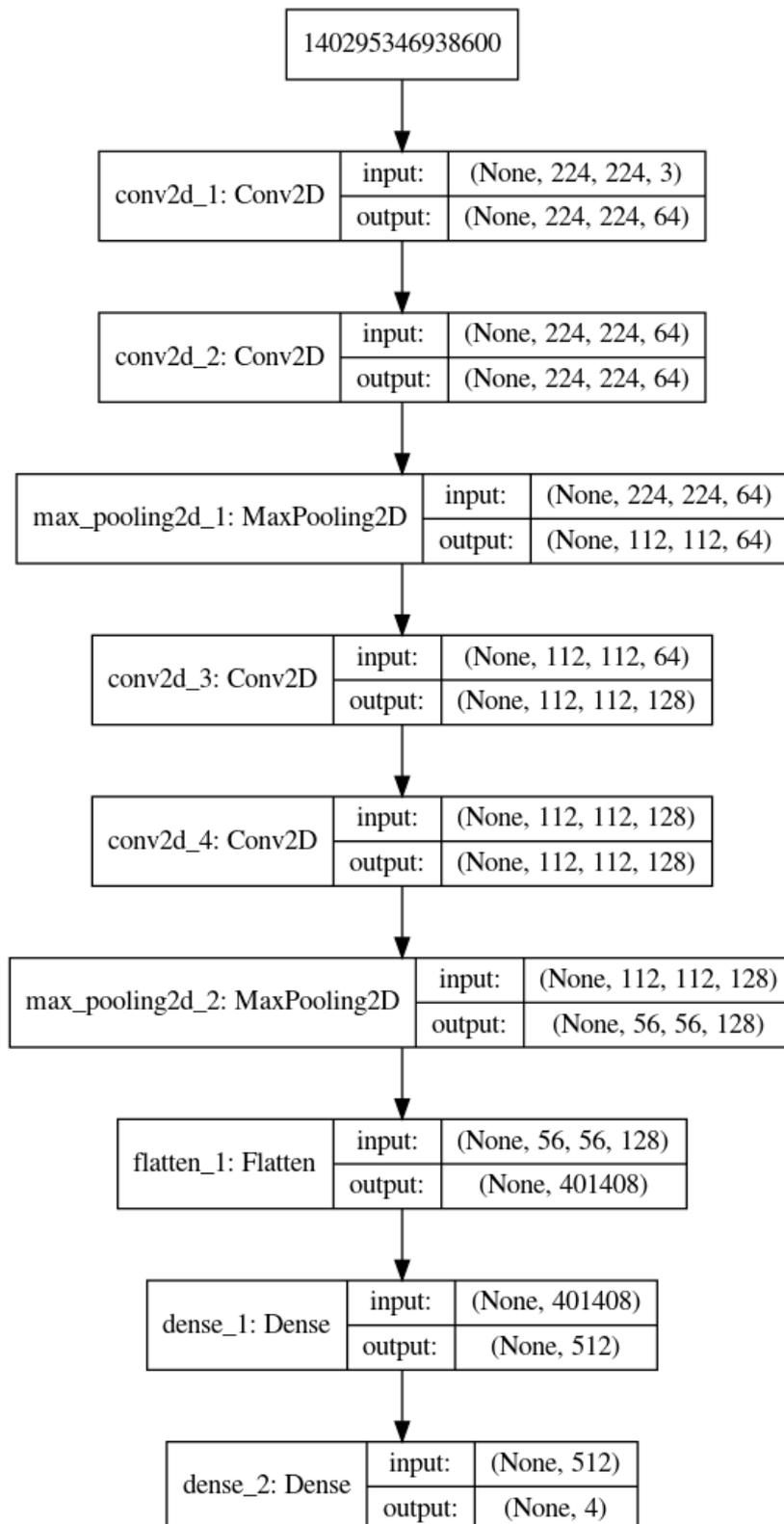


Figure 4: Deep neural architecture for the system

Neural network process information in a similar way that the human brain does the network is composed of a large number of highly interconnected processing elements working in parallel to solve a specific problem. It cannot be programmed to perform specific tasks.

IV. RESULT

The result of the proposed system is that a message box that contains the alert that Retinopathy and no Retinopathy. And there are two options for checking, one is for checking the presence of retinopathy in image that is uploaded by the user, and another option is for real time screening by capture the image through the camera.

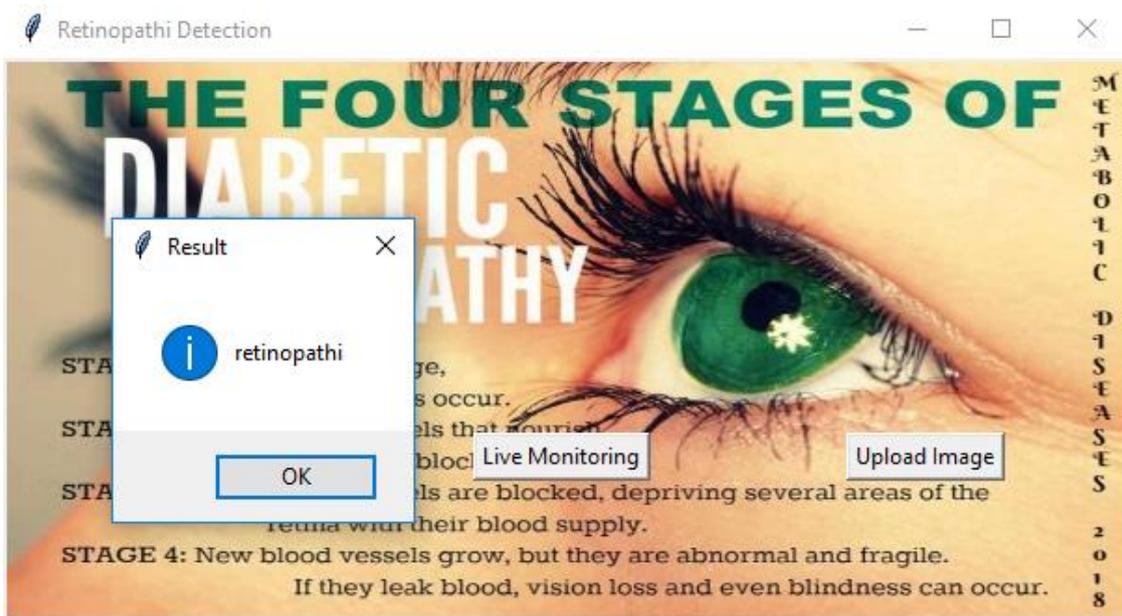


Figure 5: Result while uploading image

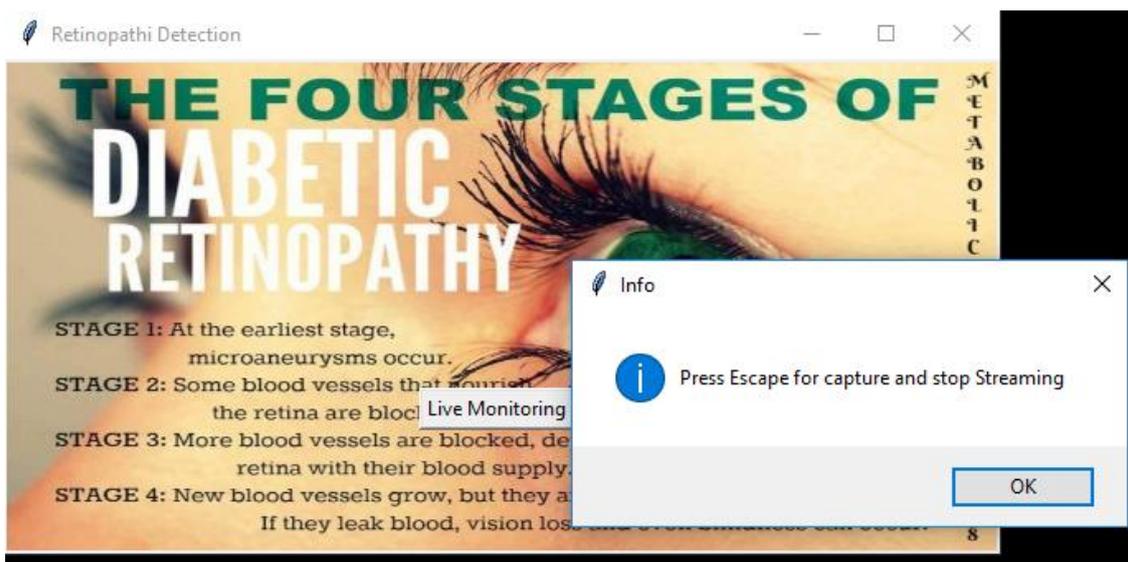


Figure 6: Result while real time screening

V. CONCLUSION

The described neural network model based Desktop application works well for identification of Diabetic Retinopathy. The application makes use of the deep neural network architecture that is trained on thousands of images on the collected dataset of images. Now the application only work for give an alert that the image of eye is effected with Diabetic Retinopathy or not. We can develop a system with spotting the effected part of the given image. The system can be developed easily using the python language. Rather than the desktop application, we can developed it also as an

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