

Omicron Variant Detection and Prediction on CT-Scan Images Using CNN and RNN

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Abstract— near the end of 2021, China launched its initial investigation into the Omicron case, which involved people. Since then, Omicron has multiplied to almost every country in the world. To solve this problem, quick work is needed to identify Omicron-contaminated individuals everywhere. This research article suggests using the RNN and CNN Algorithm to quickly detect and predict Omicron infections. A global pandemic caused by COVID-19 has resulted in an increase in daily inflammatory events and fatalities. Researchers are actively creating and improving various mathematical CNN and RNN approaches to forecast the infection. The prediction and detection of the Omicron form of COVID-19 presented new issues for the medical community because of its prevalence in humans.

Accurate prediction of Omicron, the most pathogenic pathogen, is critical for effective public health policy and utilization measurement. This research paper aims to evaluate the performance of CNN and RNN algorithms for predicting the emergence and spread of omicron. The study compares and analyses the results obtained with different algorithms, including decision trees, random forests, support vector machines, and depth learning models. A comprehensive dataset of genomic sequences, epidemiological data, and other relevant features is used for training and testing the model. Performance metrics such as correctness, precision, recall, and F1-score are used to evaluate and compare the algorithms. The findings of this study contribute to the development of robust predictive models for omicron detection, assisting public health authorities in early detection and containment strategies.

Keywords—Omicron, Covid-19, CNN, RNN, Health, CoV.

I. INTRODUCTION

Global public health has faced substantial obstacles as a result of the Omicron version of the SARS-CoV-2 virus's emergence and rapid dissemination. [1]. Accurate and timely identification of viral variants is crucial for effective disease management and containment strategies. Computed Tomography (CT) scans have been widely utilized as a diagnostic tool for respiratory diseases, including COVID-19 [1,2]. In recent years, deep learning techniques, such as Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN) and Recurrent Neural Networks (RNN), have shown great potential in medical image analysis. In this context, leveraging CNN and RNN for the prediction of the Omicron variant using CT

scan images can provide valuable insights and aid in early detection and diagnosis.

CT scan images provide detailed information about the structural changes in the lungs, offering an opportunity to identify characteristic patterns associated with different viral variants. CNNs, with their ability to automatically learn and extract meaningful features from images, have proven effective [3] in various medical imaging tasks. By applying CNNs to CT scan images, important spatial features related to the Omicron variant can be detected, aiding in accurate classification.

However, CT scan images also contain temporal information that can provide additional insights into the progression and evolution of the viral infection. RNNs are specifically designed to capture sequential dependencies and temporal patterns, making them well-suited for analysing sequences of CT scan images. By incorporating RNNs into the prediction framework, the model can consider the sequential nature of the scans, enabling the detection of subtle changes and dynamic patterns associated with the Omicron variant over time.

The integration of CNN and RNN architectures for the prediction of the Omicron variant using CT scan images holds significant promise. By leveraging both spatial and temporal information, these models can provide a comprehensive analysis that aids in accurate and timely identification of the viral variant. However, it is important to emphasize that these predictive models should not replace the expertise of medical professionals but should be utilized as complementary tools to support clinical decision-making.

One of the most popular ways to diagnose pneumonia all around the world is through chest radiography (X-ray) [4]. The chest xray is a quick, inexpensive, and frequently employed clinical method. Cheap Xrays subject the patient to less radiation than computed tomography (CT) and magnetic resonance imaging (MRI). The polymerase chain reaction (PCR), which replicates specific DNA sequences in vitro, uses DNA polymerase.

In this study, we aim to explore the effectiveness of CNN and RNN-based approaches for the prediction of the Omicron variant using CT scan images. We will investigate the ability of these models to extract spatial features from individual scans and capture temporal dynamics across multiple scans. Through an evaluation of their performance on a carefully curated dataset, we aim to provide insights into the potential of deep learning techniques in assisting with the

early identification and diagnosis of the Omicron variant, ultimately contributing to more effective management of the COVID-19 pandemic.

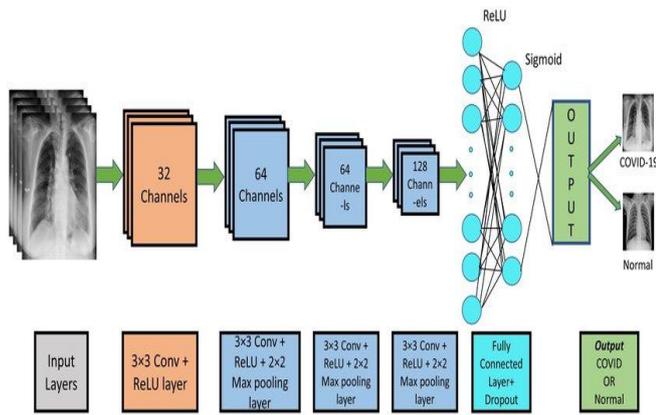


Figure 1: Showing the proposed model flow using the ERNN method

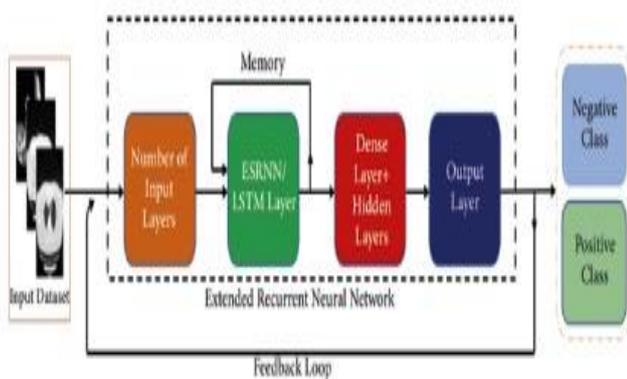


Figure 2: Showing the proposed model flow using the ERNN method

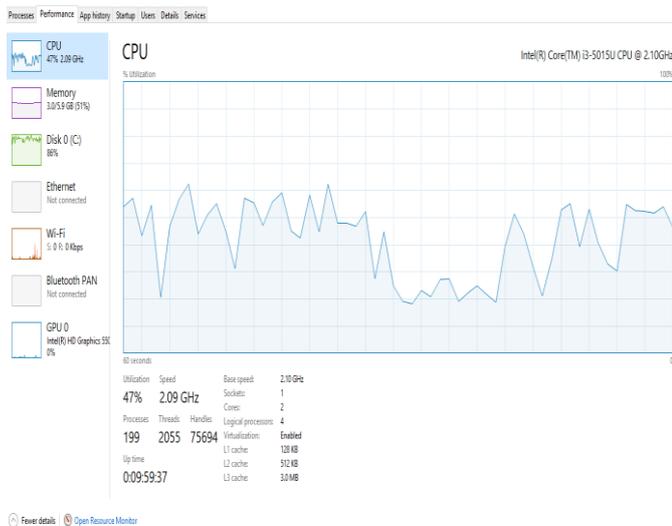


Figure 3: collection from the Google database and the Kaggle data set on the CPU utilisation of Omicron CT-scan

II. LITERATURE SURVEY

The COVID-19 pandemic, which affected the world in 2020, resulted in a significant number of infections and loss of human lives. The outbreak, caused by specific coronaviruses similar to SARS and MERS, led to severe respiratory symptoms and impacted various organs in addition to the respiratory system. Medical facilities, including intensive care units (ICUs), faced challenges due to overwhelming cases. In response, researchers turned to advanced technologies like RNN (Recurrent Neural Networks) for medical research and diagnostics, including the detection of diseases in remote endoscopy images, identification of malaria parasites, recognition of lung infections, and prognosis of various illnesses using X-ray imaging systems.

Following the emergence of the Omicron variant in 2019, researchers worldwide engaged in extensive trial and error, research, and treatment efforts to understand and manage the new variant. Governments implemented measures such as quarantines, online education, businesses and travel restrictions to mitigate the spread of COVID-19. Real-time analysis and prediction models became crucial to guide public health responses and provide clear guidelines for combating the virus.

To address the need for accurate predictions, the authors of a study utilized a combined CNN_LSTM (Convolutional Neural Network – Long Short-Term Memory) model with the time-series data set to predict COVID-19 infections. The CNN-LSTM encoder-decoder technique significantly improved the performance of the predictions. The analysis incorporated both the proposed RNN-based model and a CNN-based model with a modified version of LSTM to determine factors such as the death ratio, number of infected patients, and recovered individuals.

Researchers explored the innate and adaptive immune cells interact in the context of COVID-19 induction. They highlighted the social and environmental risks associated with infectious diseases and proposed various strategies, such as merging ribavirin and interferon-b together, and evaluating the effectiveness of different vaccine doses against variants like Omicron. In most cases, Convolutional Neural Network, Recurrent Neural Networks, and combined models incorporating deep learning techniques were found to be accurate and efficient in detecting and predicting COVID-19.

In summary, researchers have been actively utilizing CNN and RNN models to understand and address the challenges posed by COVID-19, including the prediction of infections, identification of variants, and evaluation of treatment options. These advanced techniques offer valuable insights and have the potential to contribute significantly to combating the pandemic.

Table1: CNN and RNN approaches' drawbacks

CNN	RNN
(I) low precision and accuracy	(I) Unable to accurately recognize small data objects

(II) High rate Of errors	(II) Suitable for data label prediction but unsuitable for segmentation
(III) A lengthy complexity	(III) low precision and accuracy
(IV) Can't handle big data	(IV) very prone to error

The ECNN approach's steps

- 1: select a data set
- 2: Pre-prepare the training data set
- 3: Produce the training data set
- 4: Rearrange the data set
- 5: Choosing Labels and Features
- 6: X is Normalised and Labels are Converted to Categorical collection
- 7: Divide X and Y for CNN
- 8: Establish, coordinate, and instruct the CNN model
- 9: Model Correctness and Score

The ERNN approach steps

- 1: import the necessary libraries.
- 2: processing to data set
- 3: combine Recurrent Neural Networks with expanded neurons.
- 4: carry out 10-fold cross-validation on two classes.
- 5: Import the entire supported Keras deep learning library
- 6: Reset all of Extended Recurrent Neural Networks parameters
- 7: Improve the Extended Recurrent Neural Networks component and the loss calculation function.
- 8: Improving the 10-folded yield component with two classes
- 9: Adding up the Extended Recurrent Neural Networks parameters
- 10: Modifying the Extended Recurrent Neural Networks during model preparation
- 11: involve loading the Omicron disease infection picture data set
- 12: dividing it into two classes in order to predict the severity of the infection.
- 13: The trained model's result and model termination

III. SYSTEM METHODOLOGY

1. Existing System: CNN and RNN are two excellent technologies that are used by academics for in-depth learning. Despite their shortcomings, these methods are in fact widely used and produce excellent results.

There are accessible strategies for superlative learning, such as the Recurrent Neural Network organisation. Problems with RNN statistics

The drawbacks are:

- Less precision
- Increase in temporal complexity
- Longer execution time
- Finding that frequently introduces errors
- Little data

2. Proposed System: The following procedure was used in this study to collect data in a methodical manner. First, we compiled research from archives, journals, conferences, and disciplines of digital humanities and computer science. Despite the fact that we were aware of several other locations and these broad needs may be satisfied by industries like law, security and surveillance, and document processing, thus we felt our selections were adequate to present the current conversation on the subject at hand as a place to start for the current discussion of there. Over the past six years, we have curated all releases (inclusive of 2015-2020) to the most recent on these websites. There were two factors involved in selecting 2015 as the starting year. On the one hand, recent developments in the application of neural networks or so-called deep learning have significantly improved modern AI.

There are accessible deep learning techniques such as Extended Recurrent Neural Networks (RNN) and others.

Benefits of the ECNN algorithm:

- Accuracy for floods
- Time savings
- brief working periods,
- degrees of marginal error
- big data management

The three stages of the proposed model are classification, dimension reduction and feature extraction, and CNN image pre-processing.

• Pre-processing of the image: In the pre-processing step, the image is changed must satisfy the demands of the stage after that. While noise and other items in the image are blurred, the edges are sharpened filtered out. X-ray images are also altered in this case. A noise-reduction mechanism filter is present.

• Dimension Reduction and Feature Extraction Stage: The local features are revealed once the 400*400-pixel local hill pattern was found. The Haar wave transformation is employed to reduce this feature vector to a one-dimensional form because it is too huge to be utilised in the classification procedure.

• Classification Stage: Classifying images is done through the technique of image classification. A categorization system is a database in one of the aforementioned categories where predefined patterns are examined to place the detected object in the appropriate class. Image recognition is a crucial and challenging task that is used in many applications.

3. Input Dataset: On a 16,733 CT-scan images were collected in this dataset from the Kaggle repository (source:

covid19-omicron-and-delta-variant - CT scan data_sets, available at <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/m0hammadamiresraghi>), this proposed architecture was tested. An excerpt of the input data set, which was split into the graphic below illustrates training and test scenarios used during the experimentation_phases.



Figure 4: collection of Omicron virus input images

The proposed architecture is shown in Figure 1. Using the ECNN algorithm to forecast and detect Omicron, The ERNN method's algorithm starts at the stage at which it takes the input dataset that was obtained from the public Kaggle repository and applies those data to various layers of the intended CNN devices.

The ERNN technique-based proposed structure for Omicron prediction and detection is shown in Figure 2. The ERNN or LSTM layer, as well as dense and hidden input layers, are tested for accuracy, precision, and error ratio. The submitted data set's positive and negative classifications served as the model's training examples.

IV. EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

Letting the picture data explore regions and portions that correspond to core assumptions is the central concept behind the system's design and implementation. Such structure designs therefore represent the structure, components, moduli, insides, and problems of the fundamental performance. In terms of data collection, analysis, and definition of procedures and policies, there is some breadth and collaboration. The benefits of the application are taken into account when evaluating capabilities and implementations.

Now that the system is put in place by particular needs, it also hopes to generate a sizeable degree.

ECNN algorithm: The proposed strategy required CNN to enlarge in order to create all-inclusive ECNN(s), taking into account increased exactness, execution, and time complexity. The aforementioned algorithmic processes explain and list the methods that were utilized to try for a quick execution time while achieving high accuracy and a low error rate.

Algorithm ERNN: The procedures of the aforementioned algorithm utilized to carry out using the gathered Omicron dataset and the ERNN method. As a result, the mathematics

improve accuracy while using less processing time and classifying picture data earlier than anticipated.

V. RESULT

The findings for picture data detection using ECNN-ERNN, Google Net, and VGG-16 on a data set obtained from The Kaggle repository are as follows.

Performance review methods include: The results of the general test were estimated and produced using the most often used factual methodologies, including exactness, accuracy, review, F1-score, responsiveness, and quality. In one study, the measurable results were addressed with a 95% confidence interval because to the limited sample size, which was in line with a recently revealed text that similarly used a tiny data set.

Accuracy: This represents all cases of effectively recognised events that have been reported at any given time. When the associated methods are applied, precision is not entirely established.

$$Accuracy = \frac{Tn + Tp}{Fp + Tn + Fn + Tp}$$

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Precision: It is defined as the culmination of clearly anticipated favourable results followed by exactly what was anticipated.

$$Precision = \frac{Tp}{Fp + Tp}$$

$$Fp + Tp$$

Recall: The word "recall" speaks of the statistically distinct distribution of significant results.

$$Recall = \frac{Tp}{Fp + Tn}$$

$$Fp + Tn$$

The Omicron dataset's execution flow epochs, which offer two types, namely negative and positive, are shown in the graphic below.

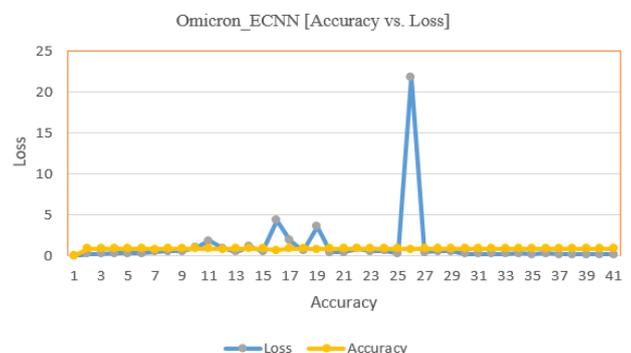


Figure 5: Accuracy vs. loss of Omicron ECNN data.

The flow over epochs in the Omicron data set as implemented by the proposed model's ERNN technique is shown in the figure below.

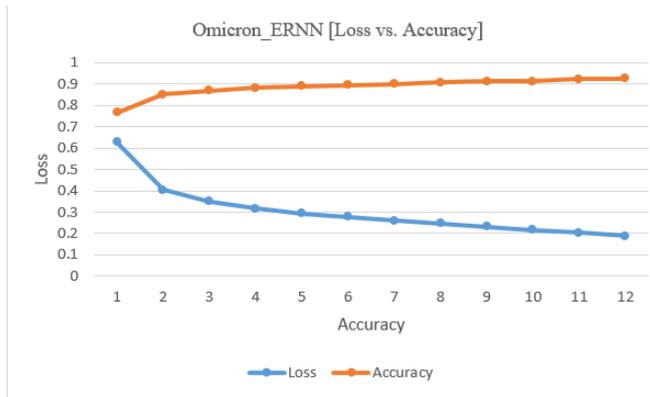


Figure 6: Accuracy vs. loss of Omicron ERNN data.

VI. CONCLUSION

Recurrent neural networks (RNN) and convolutional neural networks (CNN) for the early detection and diagnosis of the Omicron variant utilizing CT scan images demonstrates remarkable potential. These models can efficiently evaluate and extract significant information from CT scans by utilizing the strength of deep learning algorithms, which helps to produce precise predictions of the Omicron variety. In the beginning of the prediction process, the CNN component is quite important. It has the ability to automatically recognize and learn pertinent patterns and structures within the CT scan images. The pooling layers enable dimensionality reduction and feature selection, while the convolutional layers aid in capturing local information like texture, edges, and forms. By effectively identifying patterns linked to the Omicron variation, the CNN is able to accurately classify CT scans thanks to this hierarchical feature extraction.

By identifying temporal dependencies and sequential patterns in the CT scan images, the RNN component improves the predictive powers even more. Recurrent layers enable the model to take into consideration contextual data from numerous scans, accounting for the evolution of the Omicron variation over time. The identification of minor changes and patterns that might not be visible in individual photos alone is made possible by this temporal modeling.

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