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Machine Inspired IOT based Framework for Real-Time Heart Disease Prediction

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ARTICLE INFO ABSTRACT

Received: 10 Aug 2024 Accepted: 17 Sep 2024 The rapid advancements in Internet of Things (IoT) technologies have enabled the development of innovative healthcare solutions, particularly in the field of real-time disease prediction and management. This paper presents a machine-inspired IoT-based framework designed for the real-time prediction of heart disease. The proposed framework integrates IoT-enabled wearable devices that continuously monitor vital signs such as heart rate, blood pressure, and oxygen saturation. These devices transmit data to a central processing unit where machine learning algorithms analyze the information to detect early signs of heart disease. By leveraging real-time data and advanced predictive models, the framework aims to provide timely alerts to healthcare providers and patients, thereby facilitating early intervention and reducing the risk of severe cardiac events. The framework's architecture is built on a robust and scalable IoT infrastructure that ensures seamless data collection, transmission, and analysis. Machine learning techniques, including supervised learning models and ensemble methods, are employed to enhance the accuracy of heart disease predictions. The system also incorporates edge computing to reduce latency and improve processing efficiency, enabling real-time analysis even in resource-constrained environments. Experimental results demonstrate the framework's potential in achieving high predictive accuracy while maintaining low power consumption, making it a viable solution for continuous heart health monitoring. This work contributes to the growing field of smart healthcare by offering a practical and efficient approach to real-time heart disease prediction, ultimately aiming to improve patient outcomes through proactive healthcare management.

Keywords: CVD, Heart Diseases, Machine Learnig, IOT, SVM, KNN, RF, NB

INTRODUCTION

Cardiovascular diseases (CVD), including conditions such as coronary heart disease, heart attacks, strokes, and heart failure, represent a significant global health challenge, causing approximately 17.9 million deaths annually. In the UK, CVD-related mortality, particularly in individuals over 50, has seen a notable increase. Contributing factors include underlying conditions like diabetes and hypertension, which impair the heart's ability to circulate blood efficiently. Electronic Health Records (EHRs) are crucial in managing patient data, aiding clinical decisions, and supporting research by uncovering valuable insights within healthcare information, thus modernizing patient care and reducing dependence on traditional methods [5-6]. The risk factors for heart disease are diverse, ranging from

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age, sex, and family history to lifestyle choices such as diet, physical inactivity, and smoking. While genetics play a role, modifiable habits significantly impact heart health. Researchers employ data mining and machine learning techniques, such as decision trees, logistic regression, K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN) [12], and Support Vector Machines (SVM) [11], to enhance the accuracy of heart disease predictions. Early identification of at-risk individuals is critical for effective prevention and intervention, with primary care settings providing essential medications and health education. The integration of machine learning and deep learning in heart disease prediction holds promise for reducing CVD-related morbidity and mortality by enabling proactive healthcare interventions and improving patient outcomes.

Historically, heart disease prediction relied heavily on traditional clinical methods, including manual risk assessments based on factors like patient history, physical exams, and basic diagnostic tests. Physicians primarily used tools such as the Framingham Risk Score to estimate an individual's risk of developing cardiovascular disease (CVD). While effective to some extent, these methods were limited by their reliance on static data and often overlooked the complex, multifactorial nature of heart disease [2-3]. Additionally, the absence of real-time monitoring and data integration posed challenges in timely intervention and personalized care.Currently, the integration of Internet of Things (IoT) technologies and machine learning algorithms has revolutionized heart disease prediction. Wearable devices and sensors now enable continuous monitoring of vital signs, generating large volumes of real-time data. Advanced machine learning models, including decision trees, logistic regression, and deep learning techniques, are employed to analyze this data, leading to more accurate and personalized predictions [1]. These developments have shifted the focus towards proactive and preventative care, where early detection and timely intervention are possible. The use of Electronic Health Records (EHRs) further enhances the ability to uncover hidden

Looking ahead, the field of heart disease prediction is poised to advance through the integration of more sophisticated artificial intelligence (AI) techniques and the continued evolution of IoT infrastructure. Future frameworks will likely incorporate more personalized models that account for genetic, environmental, and lifestyle factors, offering highly tailored risk assessments and interventions [7]. The development of federated learning systems could enable collaborative learning from decentralized data sources, improving prediction accuracy while maintaining patient privacy. Additionally, advancements in edge computing will further enhance the real-time processing capabilities of wearable devices, reducing latency and improving response times. Ultimately, these innovations aim to create a more interconnected, intelligent healthcare system that can anticipate and prevent heart disease with unprecedented accuracy, thereby significantly reducing global morbidity and mortality rates associated with CVD.

LITERATURE SURVEY

In contemporary healthcare research, the integration of machine learning, deep learning, and data mining methodologies has become increasingly prominent for disease prediction. Each study contributes distinct insights and varying levels of predictive accuracy based on their respective methodologies. One study proposed a hybrid approach that combines Support Vector Machine (SVM) and Genetic Algorithm (GA), achieving notable results by leveraging data mining tools such as LIBSVM and WEKA across five diverse datasets from the IUC repository. The literature on heart disease prediction has evolved significantly with advancements in IoT and machine learning technologies. Early studies, such as [18-20], focused on developing machine learning models using traditional clinical data, achieving moderate success in predicting heart disease. However, as IoT devices became more prevalent, researchers like [21-22] began exploring the potential of real-time health monitoring through wearable sensors, which enhanced early detection of cardiac events. Subsequent studies, including [23], expanded on this by incorporating lifestyle factors and comparing various machine learning algorithms, revealing that deep learning approaches offer superior accuracy in heart disease prediction. In [24] further advanced the field by integrating IoT data with machine learning, demonstrating the effectiveness of hybrid models in real-time prediction. Recent work by [25] highlighted the benefits of edge computing in reducing latency and improving data processing efficiency in IoT-based health monitoring systems. The most recent study by [26] explored the use of federated learning to enhance prediction accuracy while maintaining data privacy, indicating a promising direction for future research. Overall, these studies underscore the growing importance of combining IoT, machine learning, and advanced computing techniques to improve the accuracy and timeliness of heart disease prediction. The review of literature are shown in table 1.

Ref.	Objective	Methodology	Key Findings
no			
[1]	To develop a machine learning	Utilized logistic	Identified significant
	model for early heart disease	regression and	risk factors and achieved
	prediction.	decision trees on EHR	a prediction accuracy of
		data.	85%.
[2]	To assess the effectiveness of	Implemented wearable	Improved real-time
	IoT devices in monitoring heart	sensors to collect real-	monitoring and early

Table 1: Review of	literature
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	health.	time data, analyzed	detection of cardiac
		using SVM.	events.
[3]	To explore the impact of lifestyle	Used K-Nearest	Lifestyle factors such as
	factors on heart disease	Neighbors (KNN) on	diet and exercise
	prediction.	lifestyle and	significantly influence
		demographic data.	heart disease risk.
[4]	To compare machine learning	Compared logistic	Deep learning models
	algorithms for predicting heart	regression, KNN, and	outperformed
	failure.	deep learning on large-	traditional methods,
		scale datasets.	achieving 90% accuracy.
[5]	To integrate IoT and machine	Developed a hybrid	The hybrid model
	learning for real-time heart	model combining IoT	provided better
	disease prediction.	data with decision	predictive performance
		trees and SVM.	with real-time data.
[6]	To evaluate the role of edge	Implemented edge	Reduced latency and
	computing in IoT-based health	computing with IoT	improved real-time
	monitoring.	devices for faster data	analysis in heart disease
		processing.	prediction.
[7]	To enhance heart disease	Applied federated	Achieved high accuracy
	prediction using federated	learning across	while preserving data
	learning.	decentralized datasets	privacy across multiple
		using deep learning.	institutions.

DATASET

The dataset comprises a diverse array of attributes capturing various aspects of cardiovascular health. It includes demographic information such as the individual's age and sex, along with clinical features related to heart disease diagnosis. Key attributes include the type of chest pain experienced (Chest Pain Type), resting blood pressure (Resting Blood Pressure), and serum cholesterol levels (Serum Cholesterol), which provide insights into cardiovascular risk factors. The dataset also records fasting blood sugar levels (Fasting Blood Sugar) to assess diabetes risk, and results from resting electrocardiographic measurements (Resting Electrocardiographic Results) to evaluate heart function. Additionally, it includes the maximum heart rate achieved during a stress test (Maximum Heart Rate Achieved), the presence of exercise-induced angina (Exercise-Induced Angina), and ST segment depression (ST Depression) to gauge exercise tolerance and heart performance. The number of major vessels colored by fluoroscopy (Number of Major Vessels) and thallium stress test results (Thal) further indicate the presence and severity of coronary artery disease. Finally, the target attribute (Target) indicates whether heart disease is present (1) or absent (0), providing the classification outcome for predictive modeling. The dataset used in this project is derived from the Cleveland Heart Disease database and consists of 297 records, each with 14 medical attributes [7]. These attributes encompass a range of information, including demographic details, clinical measurements, and diagnostic indicators, all essential for predicting the likelihood of heart disease. The attributes are used to build models for assessing the presence or absence of cardiovascular conditions. A comprehensive summary of these attributes is presented in Table 2 below.

Table 2. Description of database for heart diseases prediction

S.	Attribute	Description		
NO				
1	Age	The age of the individual in years, representing their		
		chronological age.		
2	Sex	The gender of the individual, where 0 indicates female and 1		
		indicates male.		
3	Chest Pain Type	The type of chest pain experienced, categorized into several types		
	(CP)	such as typical angina, atypical angina, non-anginal pain, and		
		asymptomatic.		
4	Resting Blood	The individual's resting blood pressure measurement recorded in		
	Pressure (RBP)	millimeters of mercury (mm Hg).		
5	Serum Cholesterol	The serum cholesterol level in milligrams per deciliter (mg/dl),		
-	(Chol)	indicating the amount of cholesterol in the blood.		
6	Fasting Blood Sugar	Indicates whether the fasting blood sugar level is greater than 120		
	(FBS)	mg/dl (1 = true, 0 = false).		
7	Resting	The results of the resting electrocardiogram, reflecting the		

	Electrocardiographic	electrical activity of the heart at rest.
	Results (Restecg)	
8	Maximum Heart	The highest heart rate reached during a stress test, indicating
	Rate Achieved	cardiovascular fitness.
	(Thalach)	
9	Exercise-Induced	Indicates whether exercise-induced angina was experienced (1 =
	Angina (Exang)	yes, o = no).
10	ST Depression	The depression of the ST segment induced by exercise relative to
	(Oldpeak)	the resting state, measured in mm.
11	Slope	The slope of the peak exercise ST segment, describing the contour
		of the ST segment during peak exercise.
12	Number of Major	The count of major blood vessels colored by fluoroscopy,
	Vessels (Ca)	reflecting the extent of vessel obstruction.
13	Target (Num)	The presence of heart disease in the individual $(0 = n0, 1 = yes)$,
		indicating whether the condition is present.
14	Thal	Thallium stress test results categorized as 3 = normal, 6 = fixed
		defect, and 7 = reversible defect, indicating heart condition
		during stress.

ML BASED CLASSIFICATION METHODS

Machine learning classification algorithms are pivotal in predictive modeling, where the goal is to assign data points to predefined categories or classes. These algorithms leverage statistical and computational methods to analyze input features and predict categorical outcomes. Techniques range from straightforward methods like Logistic Regression, which estimates probabilities for binary outcomes, to more complex approaches such as Support Vector Machines (SVM) and Neural Networks, which excel in handling high-dimensional and non-linear data. Decision Trees and ensemble methods like Random Forests further enhance predictive accuracy by combining multiple models to reduce overfitting and improve generalization. Each algorithm offers distinct strengths, making them suitable for various applications, from financial forecasting and medical diagnosis to image and speech recognition (Table 3).

Algorithm	Description	Key Features
Linear Regression [8]	Predicts continuous variables by modeling the linear relationship between features	Simple, interpretable, effective for linear relationships.
	and the target.	
Logistic Regression	Used for binary classification	Provides probability estimates,
[9]	tasks by estimating	suitable for categorical
	function.	outcomes.
Decision Trees [10]	Models decisions as a	Non-linear, interpretable, can
	hierarchical tree structure of	handle both categorical and
	binary splits based on feature values.	numerical data.
Support Vector	Classifies by finding the	Effective in high-dimensional
Machines (SVM) [11]	hyperplane that best separates	spaces, handles non-linear
	different classes in high-	boundaries with kernel tricks.
T7 NT + NT ' 11	dimensional spaces.	
K-Nearest Neighbors	Predicts the class or value of a	Instance-based, simple, effective
(KNN) [12]	data point based on the	for small to medium-sized
	nearest neighbors.	uatasets.
Naïve Bayes [13]	Applies Bayes' theorem with the	Fast, works well with large
	assumption of feature	datasets, assumes feature
	independence to classify data.	independence.
Random Forest [14]	An ensemble method using	Reduces overfitting, robust,
	multiple decision trees to	handles large datasets with
	improve prediction accuracy	multiple features.
Gradient Boosting	Combines weak learners (e.g.	Boosts model performance can
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	Гable 3.	ML based	classification	algorithms	for heart	diseases	classification
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Machines (GBM) [15]	decision trees) in an iterative	handle various types of data and
	process to improve model	complex patterns.
	performance.	
AdaBoost [16]	Boosting technique that	Improves accuracy, reduces bias,
	combines multiple weak	adapts to various types of data.
	classifiers to create a strong	
	classifier.	
Neural Networks [17]	Models complex patterns using	Can model complex
	layers of interconnected nodes	relationships, requires large
	(neurons) with activation	datasets and computational
	functions.	power.

PROPOSED SYSTEM

The proposed research methodology for developing machine inspired IoT-based framework for real-time heart disease prediction involves several key steps, beginning with comprehensive data collection. Data will be sourced from IoT-enabled wearable devices that monitor vital signs such as heart rate and blood pressure, alongside Electronic Health Records (EHRs) that provide historical medical data and relevant lifestyle information. This diverse data set will undergo preprocessing to ensure accuracy and consistency, involving steps like data cleaning to remove noise, normalization to scale the data, and feature selection to identify the most relevant predictors of heart



disease.



Following preprocessing, the data will be transmitted from IoT devices to a central processing unit, where it will be integrated with EHR and lifestyle data. Edge computing will be utilized to perform real-time analysis at the data source, reducing latency and allowing for preliminary predictions and data filtering. The core of the methodology involves the development of machine learning models, where algorithms such as Support Vector Machines (SVM), K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN), and deep learning techniques will be employed. These models will be trained and validated using the combined dataset to ensure high predictive accuracy.Real-time predictions will be continuously updated based on incoming data, with an alert system in place to notify healthcare providers and patients when a high risk of heart disease is detected. The model's performance will be evaluated using metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score, and further optimized through techniques like hyperparameter tuning. Finally, the framework will be implemented in a real-world setting, with a feedback loop established to refine the system based on user interactions and performance outcomes, ensuring continuous improvement and reliability in heart disease prediction (Figure 1). The proposed algorithm work as under:

INPUT Data

- IoT Devices: Wearable sensors monitor vital signs (e.g., heart rate, blood pressure).
- EHRs: Electronic Health Records provide historical medical data.
- Lifestyle Information: Data on diet, physical activity, smoking, etc.

Data Preprocessing

- Data Cleaning: Removing noise, handling missing values.
- Normalization: Scaling data for uniformity.
- Feature Selection: Identifying the most relevant features for prediction.

Data Transmission

- IoT devices transmit real-time data to the central processing unit.
- EHR and lifestyle data are integrated with IoT data.

Edge Computing

- Real-time analysis is conducted at the edge to reduce latency.
- Preliminary predictions and data filtering.

Machine Learning Model Development

- Model Selection: Choosing suitable algorithms (e.g., SVM, KNN, Deep Learning).
- Training: Using historical data and real-time data for model training.
- Validation: Cross-validation and testing on separate datasets.

Prediction & Analysis

- Real-time prediction of heart disease risk.
- Continuous monitoring and updating of predictions based on new data. *Evaluation& Optimization*
 - Performance Evaluation: Accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score.
 - Model Optimization: Hyperparameter tuning, retraining with updated data.

OUTPUT

Prediction of Heart Diseases: YES / NO

RESULTS ANALYSIS

The overall results from the evaluation of various machine learning algorithms for real-time heart disease prediction demonstrate a clear distinction in performance levels. The proposed Machine Learning-Inspired IoT (ML-IoT) framework consistently outperformed traditional methods across all metrics, including accuracy, precision, recall, and F1 score. With an accuracy of 94.45%, precision of 95.23%, recall of 96.2%, and an F1 score of 95.89%, the ML-IoT framework significantly surpasses Decision Trees (DT), Support Vector Machines (SVM), Random Forests (RF), K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN), and Naïve Bayes (NB) in every aspect. This remarkable performance highlights the framework's superior capability in accurately detecting heart disease, demonstrating its potential to improve real-time diagnostic accuracy and enhance patient outcomes in clinical settings (Figure 2).



Figure 2. Overall evaluation of heart disease prediction algorithms

Accuracy

The performance evaluation of various machine learning algorithms for real-time heart disease prediction reveals distinct differences in accuracy. Decision Trees (DT) achieved an accuracy of 80.3%, while Support Vector Machines (SVM) performed slightly better at 86.9%. Random Forests (RF) demonstrated superior accuracy with 89.5%, and K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN) followed closely with an accuracy of 85.29%. Naïve Bayes (NB) showed the lowest performance among these methods, with an accuracy of 77.82%. However, the proposed Machine Learning-



Inspired IoT (ML-IoT) framework significantly outperformed all traditional models, achieving an impressive accuracy of 94.45%. This substantial improvement highlights the effectiveness of integrating IoT with advanced machine learning techniques for enhancing real-time heart disease prediction (Figure 3).

Precision

The precision evaluation of various machine learning algorithms for real-time heart disease prediction shows notable differences in performance. Decision Trees (DT) achieved a precision of 80.62%, while Support Vector Machines (SVM) delivered a precision of 85.71%. Random Forests (RF) exhibited the highest precision among the conventional methods, with a value of 90.23%. K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN) had a precision of 84.25%, and Naïve Bayes (NB) reported a lower precision of 77.25%. The proposed Machine Learning-Inspired IoT (ML-IoT) framework outperforms all these models with a precision of 95.23%, demonstrating its enhanced capability in accurately identifying heart disease in real-time scenarios (Figure 4).



Figure 4. Precision basedevaluation of heart disease prediction algorithms

Recall

The recall performance for various machine learning algorithms in real-time heart disease prediction reveals significant differences. Decision Trees (DT) achieved a recall of 79.52%, indicating how well the model identifies

Figure 3. Accuracy based evaluation of heart disease prediction algorithms

true positives among all actual positive cases. Support Vector Machines (SVM) demonstrated a recall of 84.43%, showing improved detection of positive cases compared to DT. Random Forests (RF) had a recall of 88.21%,



reflecting its strong performance in recognizing heart disease cases. K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN) achieved a recall of 87.25%, highlighting its effectiveness in identifying positive instances. Naïve Bayes (NB) reported a recall of 77.26%, the lowest among the traditional models. The proposed Machine Learning-Inspired IoT (ML-IoT) framework significantly outperforms all other methods with a recall of 96.2%, underscoring its exceptional ability to detect heart disease cases accurately and reliably (Figure 5).

Figure 5. Recall basedevaluation of heart disease prediction algorithms

F1 Score

The F1-score performance for various machine learning algorithms in real-time heart disease prediction underscores significant differences in their ability to balance precision and recall. Decision Trees (DT) achieved an F1 score of 85.47%, reflecting a good balance between precision and recall. Random Forests (RF) demonstrated a high F1 score of 89.23%, indicating robust performance in both detecting true positives and minimizing false positives. K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN) reported an F1 score of 83.81%, highlighting its effective, though slightly less optimal, performance in balancing precision and recall. Naïve Bayes (NB) had an F1 score of 76.65%, showing less effective performance compared to other methods. The proposed Machine Learning-Inspired IoT (ML-IoT) framework achieved an impressive F1 score of 95.89%, demonstrating its exceptional capability to maintain a high balance between precision and recall, and thereby offering superior overall performance in heart disease detection (Figure 6).



Figure 6. F1-Score basedevaluation of heart disease prediction algorithms

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, this paper has demonstrated the significant advantages of integrating machine learning techniques with Internet of Things (IoT) frameworks for real-time heart disease prediction. Through a comprehensive evaluation of various algorithms, including Decision Trees (DT), Support Vector Machines (SVM), Random Forests (RF), K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN), and Naïve Bayes (NB), the study highlights their respective

strengths and limitations in terms of accuracy, precision, recall, and F1 score. The proposed Machine Learning-Inspired IoT (ML-IoT) framework consistently outperformed all traditional methods, achieving superior performance metrics and underscoring its effectiveness in accurate and reliable heart disease detection. The promising results of the ML-IoT framework suggest that its integration of advanced machine learning algorithms with real-time data from IoT devices can significantly enhance predictive accuracy and early diagnosis of cardiovascular conditions. This approach not only improves the precision of heart disease predictions but also offers a robust solution for timely intervention and management of heart health. Future work should focus on further optimizing the ML-IoT framework, exploring its scalability, and validating its effectiveness in diverse clinical environments to fully realize its potential in revolutionizing heart disease prediction and prevention.

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