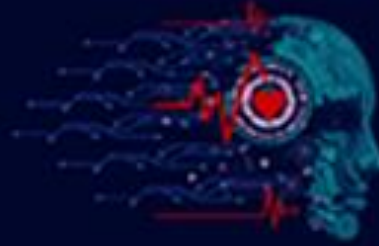


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Medical Image Analysis With Limited Data



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Roadmap to AI Excellence

- Establish National AI Research Centers partner with global institutions to accelerate knowledge transfer and expertise building.
- Invest in AI Education and Workforce Development
- Develop Strategic AI Policies and Ethical Frameworks including data sharing and intellectual property protection.
- Provide funding and infrastructure for startups in healthcare, agriculture, and smart cities.
- Build a National AI Ecosystem with Global Outreach

AI in Medical Imaging

Benefits

- Improved accuracy and speed of diagnosis
- Reduced healthcare costs
- Enhanced patient outcomes
- Improved efficiency
- Frees Up doctor's time
- Better utilization of resources
- Improved patient experience

AI in Medical Imaging

Challenges and Limitations

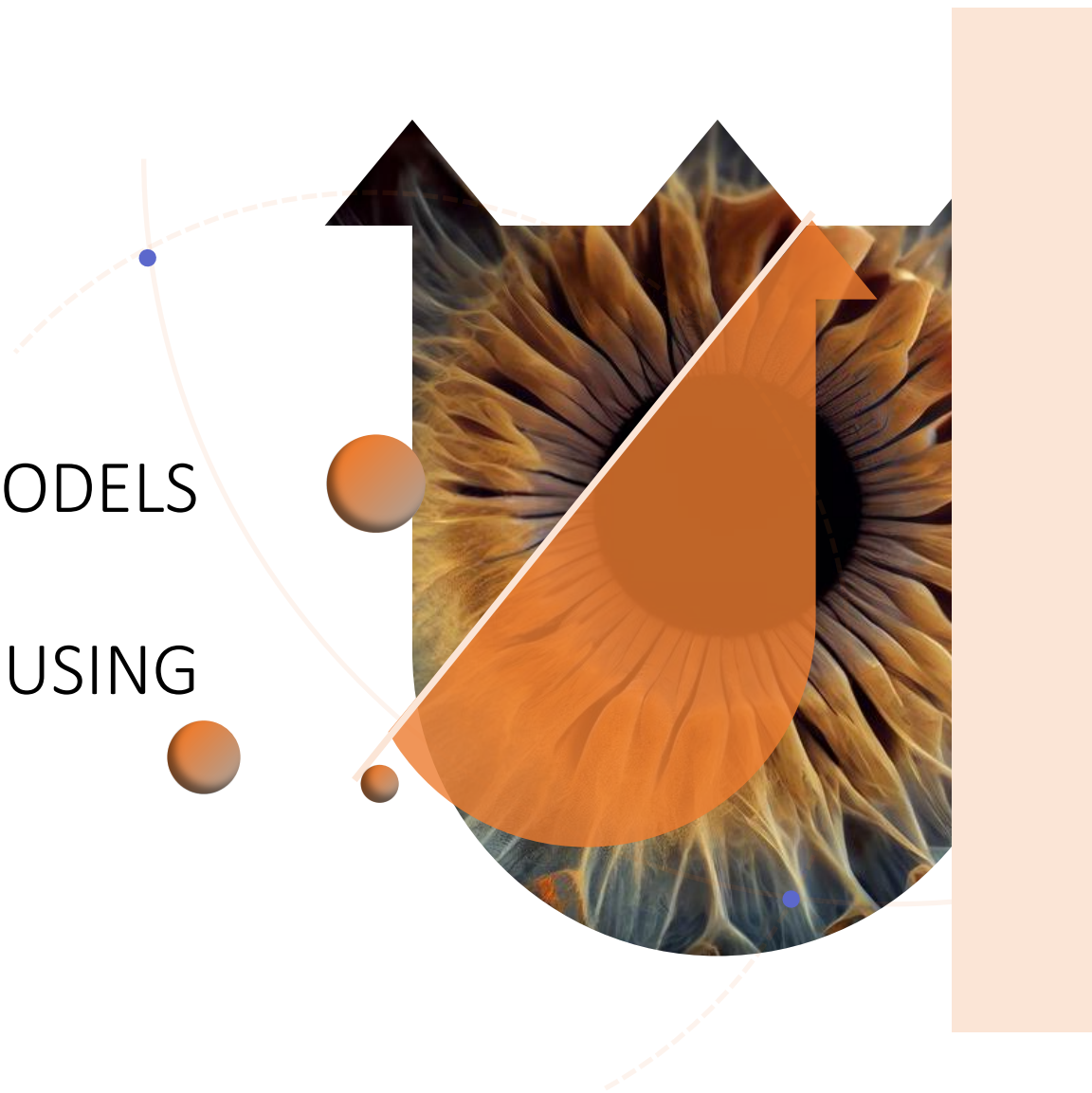
- Data quality and quantity
- Ethics and privacy concerns
- Regulatory and legal issues
- Technical limitations
- Lack of interpretability

AI in Medical Imaging

Future

- Integration with electronic health records (EHRs)
- Advancements in image acquisition technology
- Continued development of AI algorithms
- Personalized medicine
- Improved patient outcomes

ADVANCED AI MODELS FOR AMD CLASSIFICATION USING OCT IMAGES

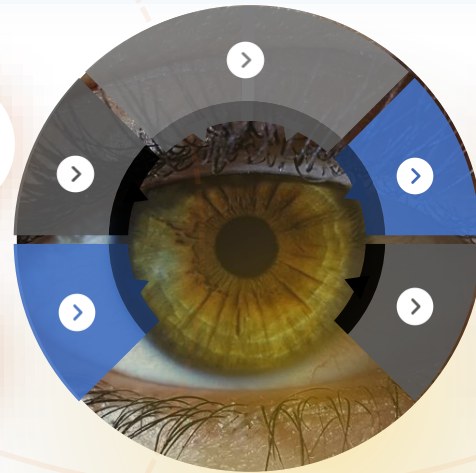


OUTLINE

Introduction (Age-related Macular degeneration)

AI role in medical
imaging

AI in age-related Macular
degeneration AMD



Our research methods
and results

Final message takeaway
AI tips

INTRODUCTION

AI AND ML IN MEDICINE:

Many medical applications use artificial intelligence and machine learning to ease solve itriguing problems, reach accurate medical decision or invistaigate certian aspects.
(e.g. Segmentation, disease prediction)

Deep learning's impact on ophthalmology.

An example in research is the use of deep learning in opthamology as it aided in segmentation of images and predicted disease such as age-related macular degeration.

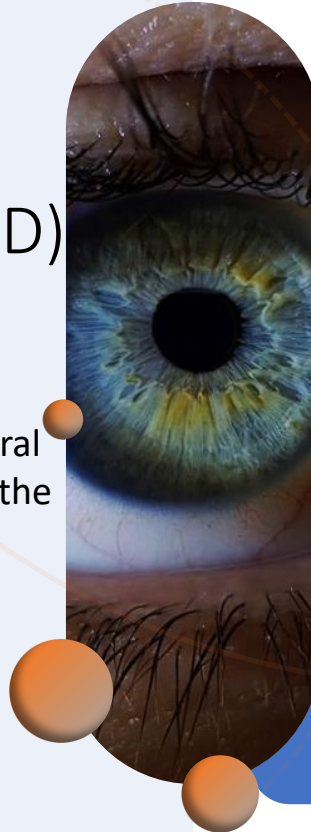
Importance of early diagnosis in AMD.

ML algorithms demonstratied high accuracy rates in identifying drusen and RPE abnormality^{1,2}



OVERVIEW OF AGE-RELATED MACULAR DEGENERATION (AMD)

- What is AMD?
- An eye condition that can blur central vision occurs when aging damages the macula (the part of the eye responsible for clear, direct vision.)
- Global impact and prevalence.

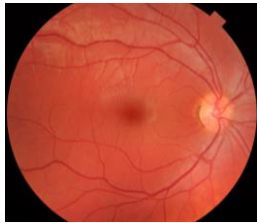


- AMD is one of the principal causes of loss of sight globally, affecting roughly 8.7% of people worldwide (it is affecting 2.5 M in Canada alone in 2023).

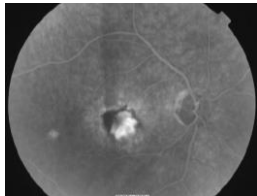
- Diagnostic techniques for AMD.

- Fundus photography, fluorescein, indocyanine green angiography (ICG), and optical coherence tomography

OVERVIEW OF AGE-RELATED MACULAR DEGENERATION (AMD)



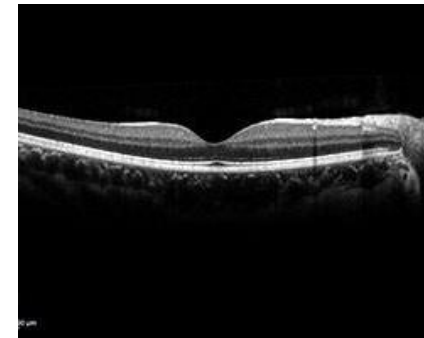
Fundus
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Fluorescein



ICG



OCT

AI IN AMD DIAGNOSIS

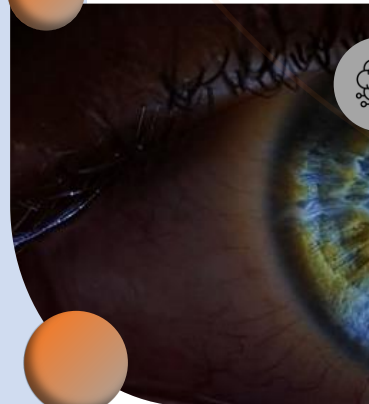


AI'S ROLE IN EARLY DETECTION OF AMD.:
deep learning such as convolutional neural networks (CNNs), analyse retinal images and identify key features of AMD, like drusen and Retinal Pigment Epithelium (RPE) abnormalities, with high accuracy.



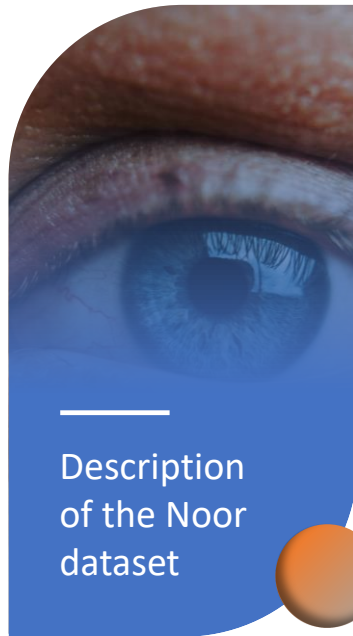
SUCCESSES AND CHALLENGES IN AI APPLICATIONS FOR AMD:

AI (i.e. CNN) has successfully enhanced early AMD detection with high accuracy but faces challenges like occasional misclassification and the need for further refinement and integration into clinical practice.



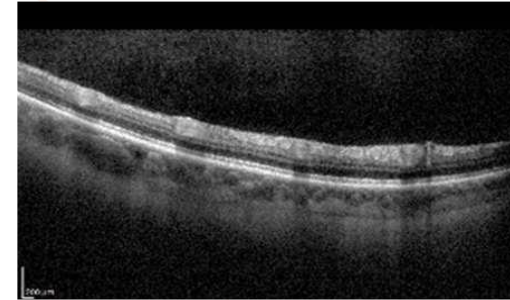
AI MODELS AND CORRESPONDING PERFORMANCE METRICS:
AI models like ResNet and EfficientNet have achieved accuracy rates of up to 99.76% in AMD detection.

DATASET AND PREPROCESSING

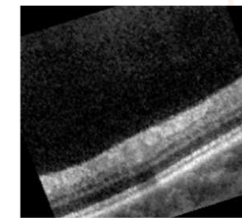


Data distribution (Normal, Drusen, choroidal neovascularization CNV).

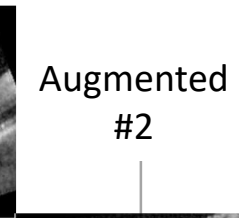
Data preprocessing steps.



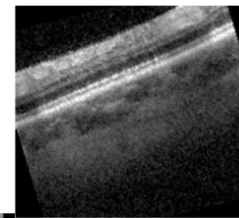
Original
OCT
image



Augmented
#1



Augmented
#2



Augmented
#3

Artistic Break



*WATERLILY POND AND
JAPANESE FOOTBRIDGE 1899*

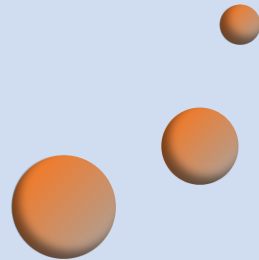


*THE JAPANESE FOOTBRIDGE
1922*

DEEP LEARNING MODELS EMPLOYED

OVERVIEW OF THE MODELS USED:

ResNet, EfficientNet, EfficientNet with Attention and ensembled model



ADVANTAGES OF EACH MODEL:

ResNet excels at deep pattern recognition, EfficientNet balances efficiency with accuracy, and EfficientNet with Attention improves focus on critical details for better accuracy.

Ensembled model: maximizes the strengths of individual models while mitigating their potential weaknesses.



RESULTS – PERFORMANCE METRICS

Summary of performance metrics: The proposed ensemble model outperformed other methods, achieving the highest F1 scores of 89% for Normal, 89% for Drusen, and 97% for CNV, with an overall accuracy of 92%.

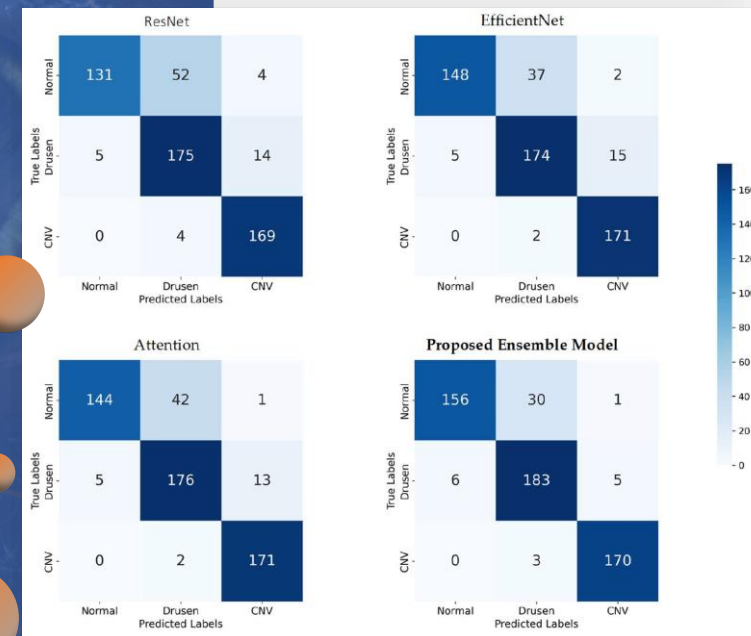
PROPOSED ENSEMBLE MODEL CONFUSION MATRIX:

Normal:
The ensemble model correctly classified 156 instances as Normal, with 30 misclassified as Drusen and 1 as CNV.

Drusen:
183 instances were correctly classified as Drusen. There were 6 instances misclassified as Normal and 5 as CNV.

CNV:

170 instances of CNV were correctly classified, with 3 misclassified as Drusen.

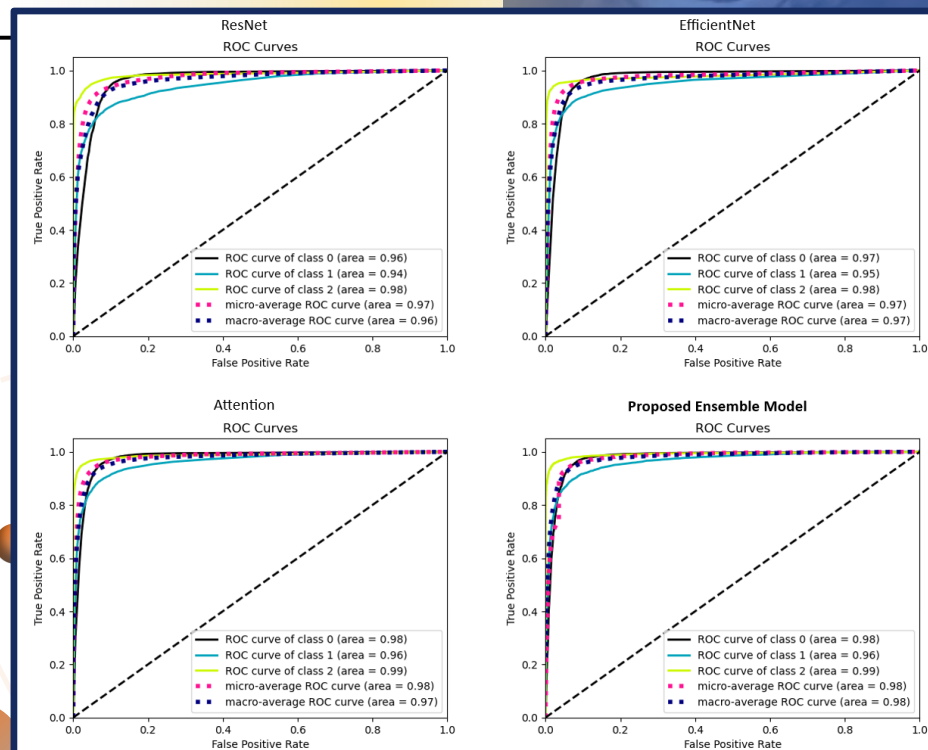


RESULTS - ROC

PROPOSED
ENSEMBLE
MODEL ROC
CURVE:

Class 0 (AUC = 0.98):
Consistently
excellent
performance.

Class 1 (AUC = 0.96):
Maintains high
accuracy.



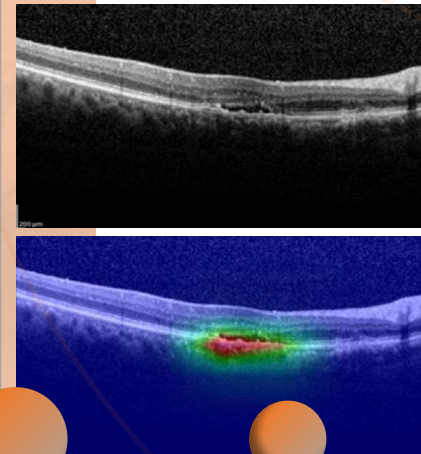
Class 2 (AUC = 0.99):
Outstanding
classification
accuracy.

Micro-Average ROC
(AUC = 0.98):
Highest overall
performance among
models.

Macro-Average
ROC (AUC = 0.98):
Most balanced and
effective
performance across
all classes.

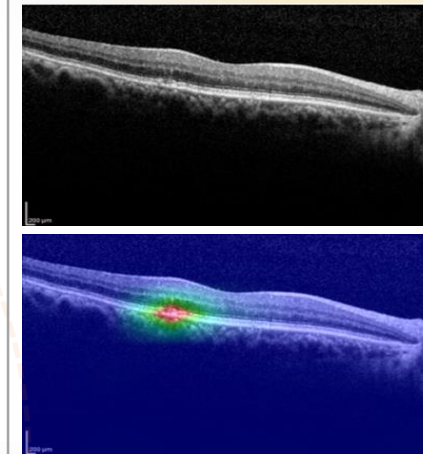
CLASS ACTIVATION MAPS (CAMs)

CNV Detection:
CAMs showed our models pinpointing critical CNV features like neovascular membranes and fluid accumulation in OCT images.



Class:
CNV
Prediction:
CNV

Class
Activation
Map for
CNV



Class:
DRUSEN
Prediction:
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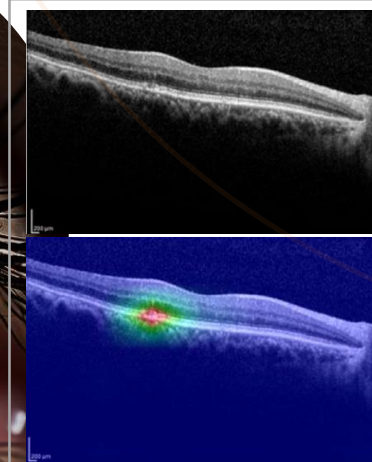
Drusen detection :
CAMs effectively highlighted drusen deposits and retinal changes, aiding precise classification.

Enhanced model interpretability:
CAMs provided insights into model decisions, confirming focus on clinically relevant areas in OCT images.

CLASS ACTIVATION MAPS (CAMS)

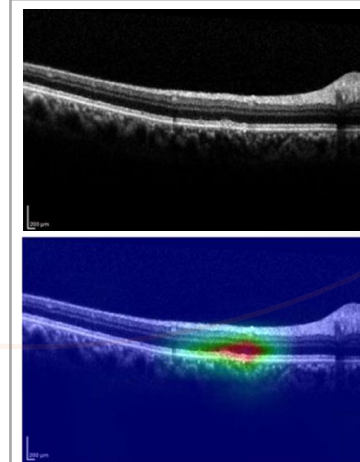
How CAMs provide
insights into model
decision-making.

Examples of CAMs for
CNV and Drusen.



Class:
DRUSEN
Prediction:
DRUSEN

Class
Activation
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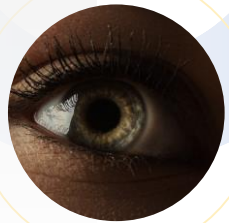


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COLLABORATIVE ERROR ANALYSIS AND DATASET REFINEMENT

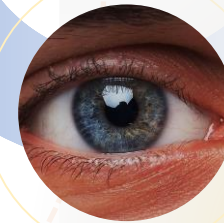
Importance of
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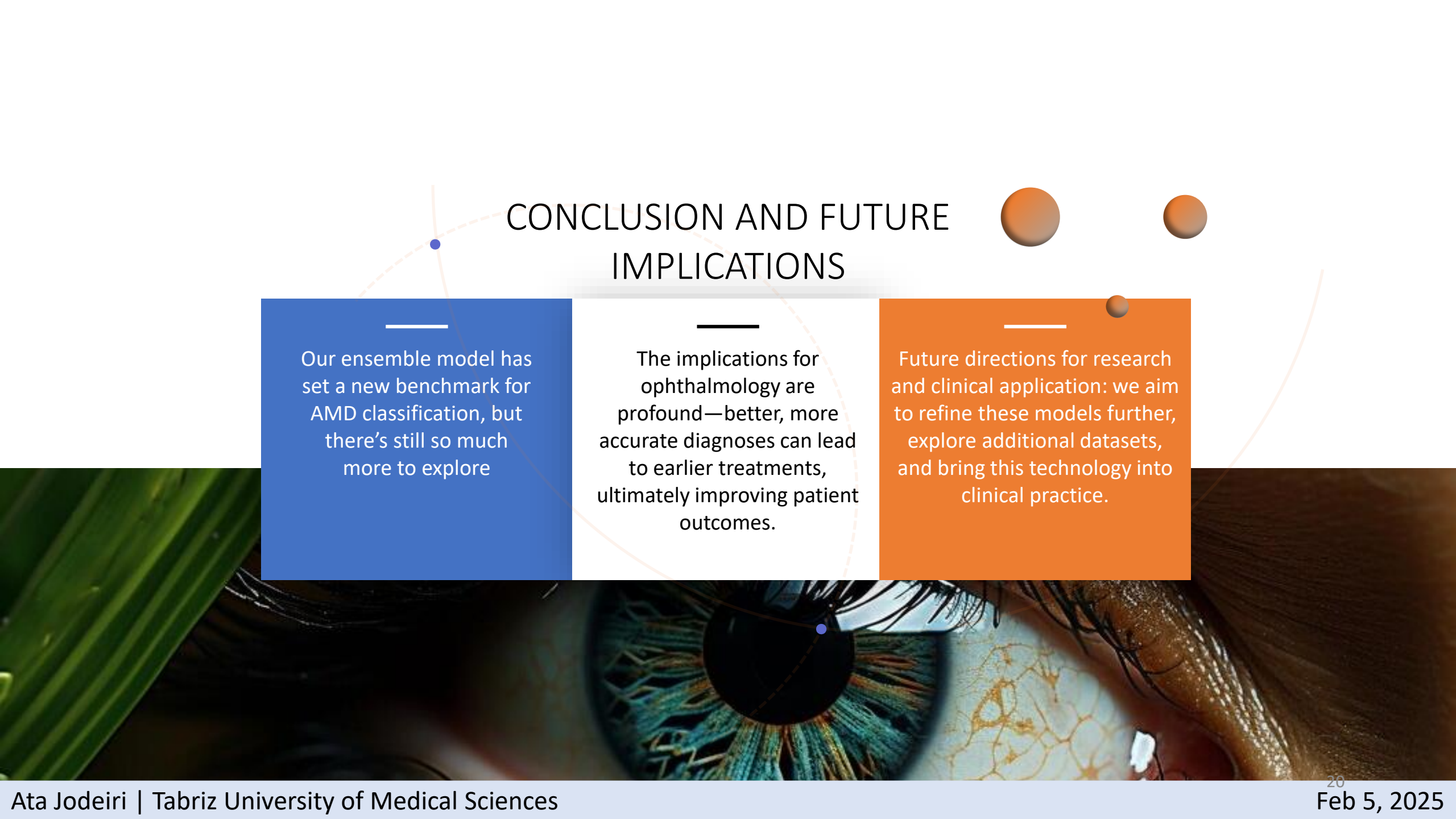


Process and
outcomes of the
collaborative error
analysis..



Improvement in
model accuracy
after refinement.





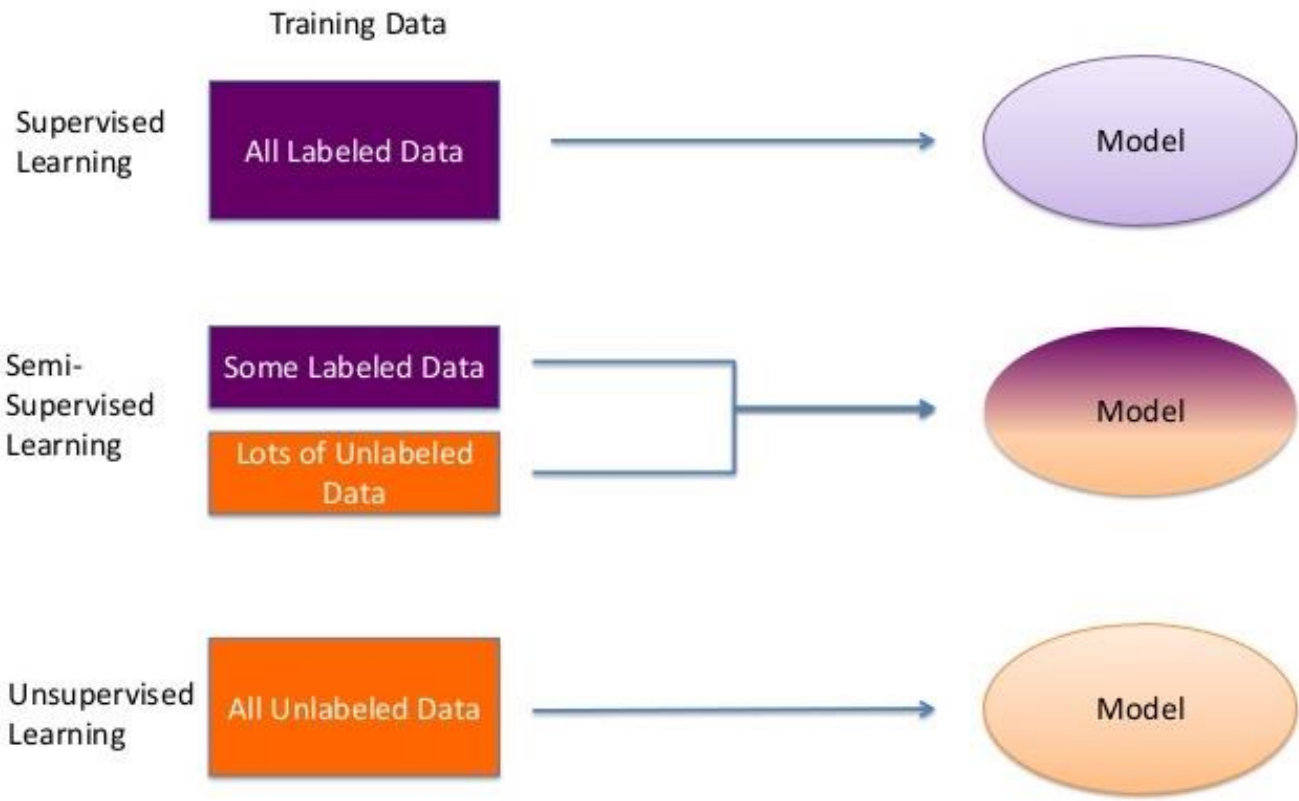
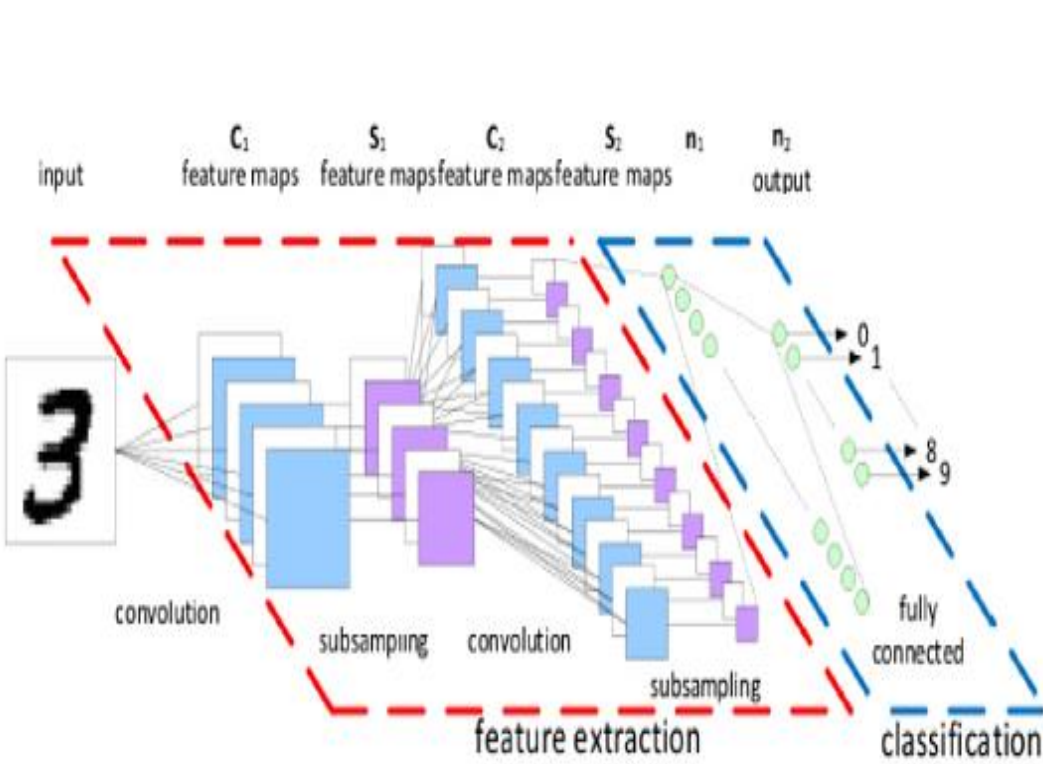
CONCLUSION AND FUTURE IMPLICATIONS

Our ensemble model has set a new benchmark for AMD classification, but there's still so much more to explore

The implications for ophthalmology are profound—better, more accurate diagnoses can lead to earlier treatments, ultimately improving patient outcomes.

Future directions for research and clinical application: we aim to refine these models further, explore additional datasets, and bring this technology into clinical practice.

AI Applications in Diagnostic:



Objectives:

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graph LR; A[Supervised model design & development for AMD detection] --> B[Choosing supervised optimized parameters]; B --> C[Semi-supervised model design & development to obtain SL results]; C --> D[Results evaluation: accuracy, precision,...];
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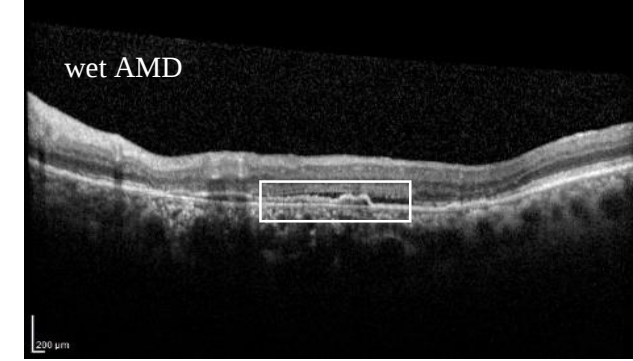
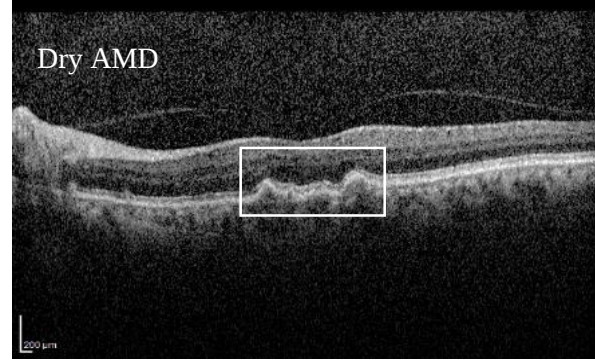
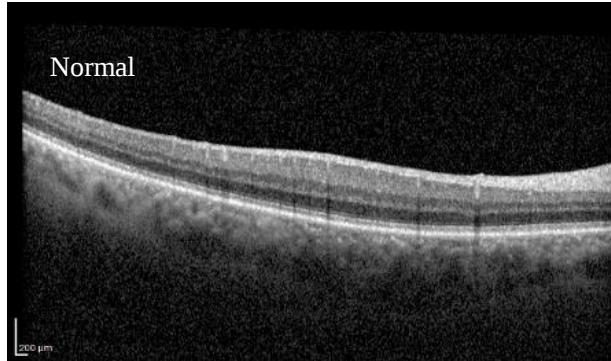
Supervised model design & development for AMD detection

Choosing supervised optimized parameters

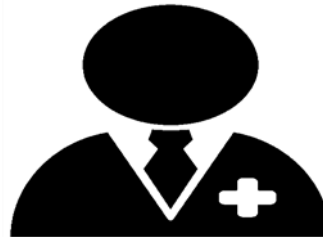
Semi-supervised model design & development to obtain SL results

Results evaluation: accuracy, precision,...

Dataset:

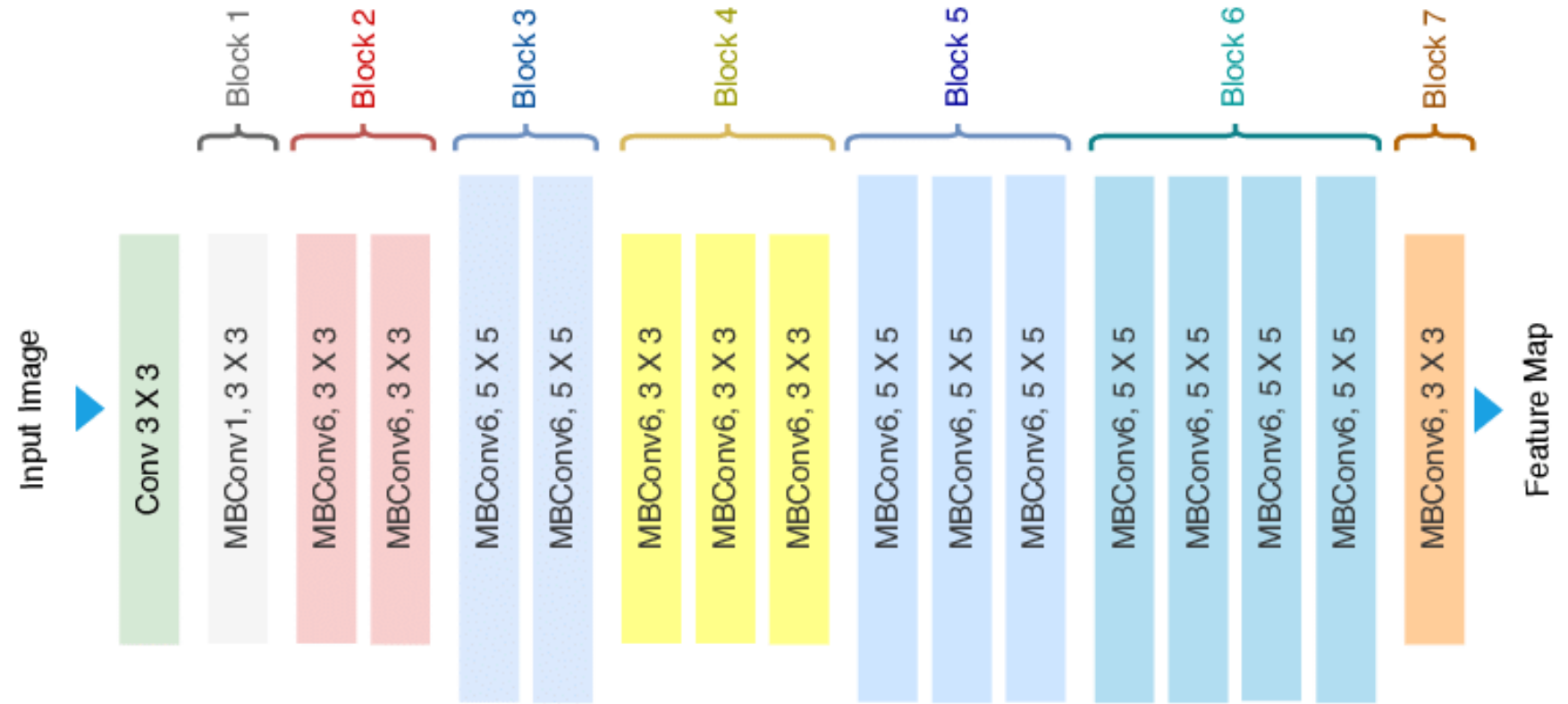


**16822 OCT images of
AMD cases**

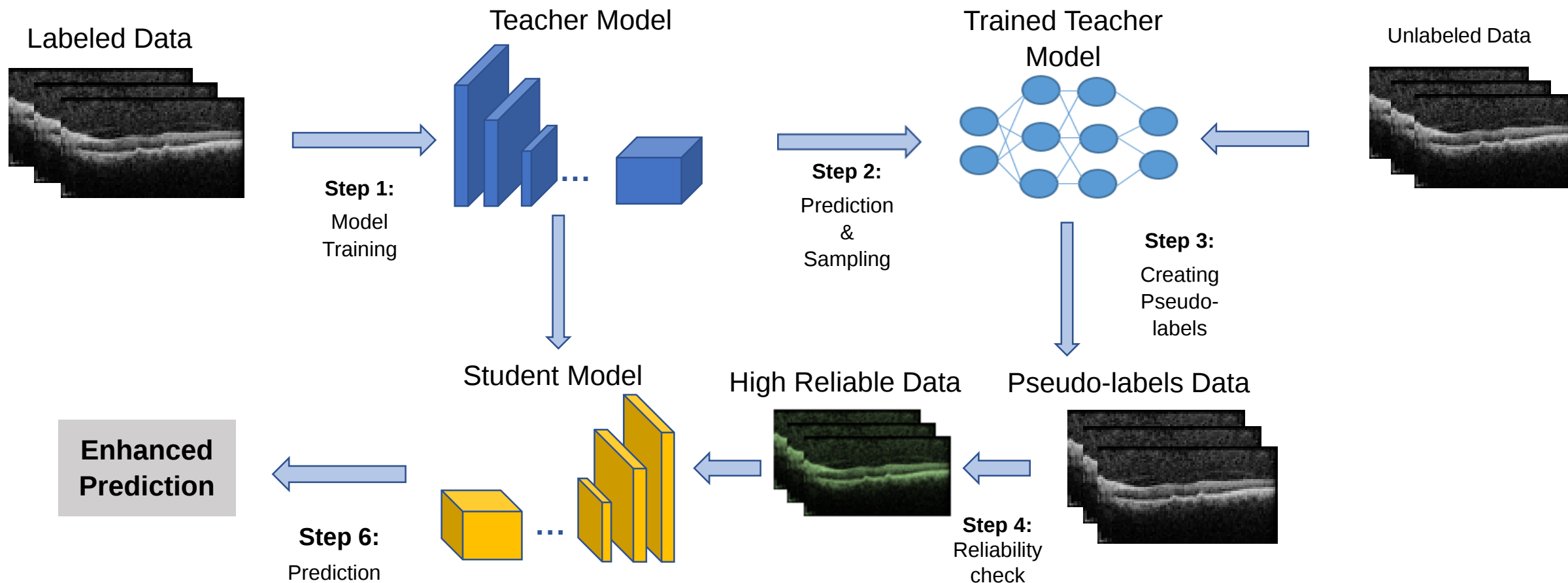


Proposed model: Optimized EfficienNet

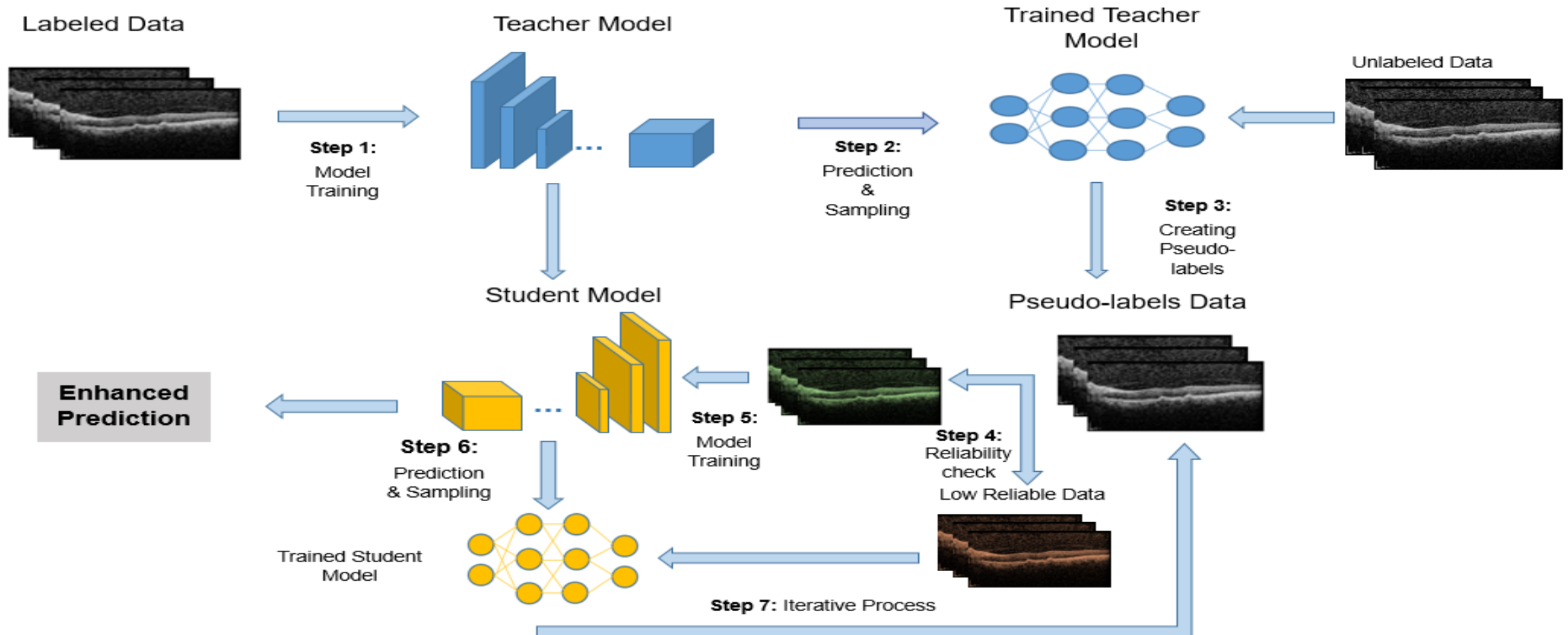
- Transfer Learning
- Data Augmentation
- Pre-trainable Layers



Proposed model: Teacher/Student



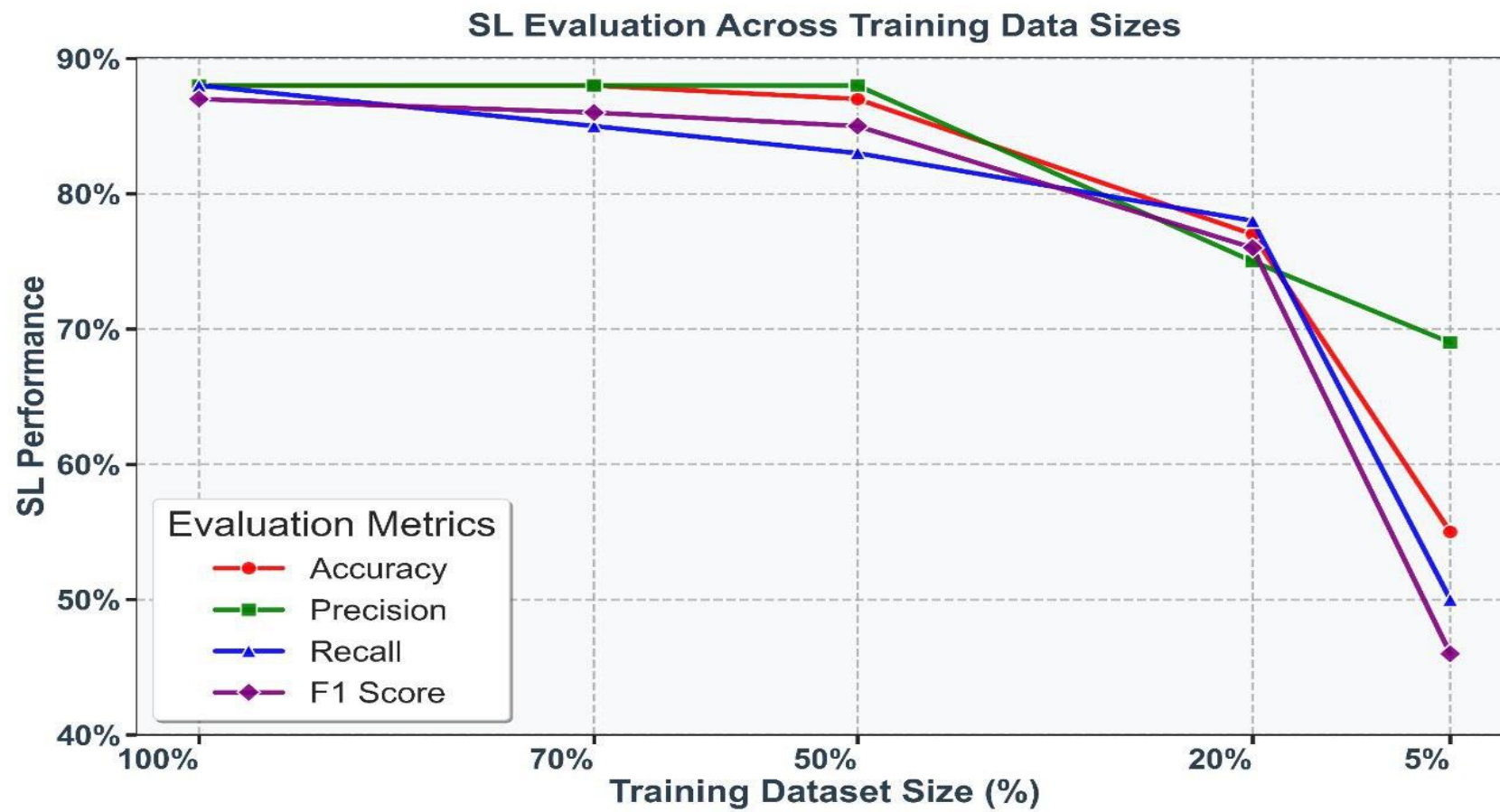
Proposed model: Iterative Teacher/Student



SL results:

F1 score (%)	Recall (%)	Precision (%)	Accuracy (%)	Augmentation	Pre-trainable layers	Weights	No.
87/33	87/66	87/33	87/14	✓	✓	ImageNet	1
86	84/66	88/33	86/27	×	✓	ImageNet	2
76/66	75	76/66	77/31	✓	×	ImageNet	3
78/33	77	80/33	79/19	×	×	ImageNet	4
85	85/33	86/66	86/27	✓	✓	×	5
69	66/33	73	69/39	×	✓	×	6

SL Limited Data Results:



TS Results: 70% of Train Data

F1 score (%)	Recall (%)	Precision (%)	Accuracy (%)	Total images	Pseudo labels	Pre-trainable layers	SL model
86	85/33	87/66	88/44	7535	×	✓	Teacher
87	85/66	88/33	88/71	9094	1559	✓	Student
71	69	76/23	75/70	7535	×	×	Teacher
72	69/66	76/66	76/55	7776	241	×	Student

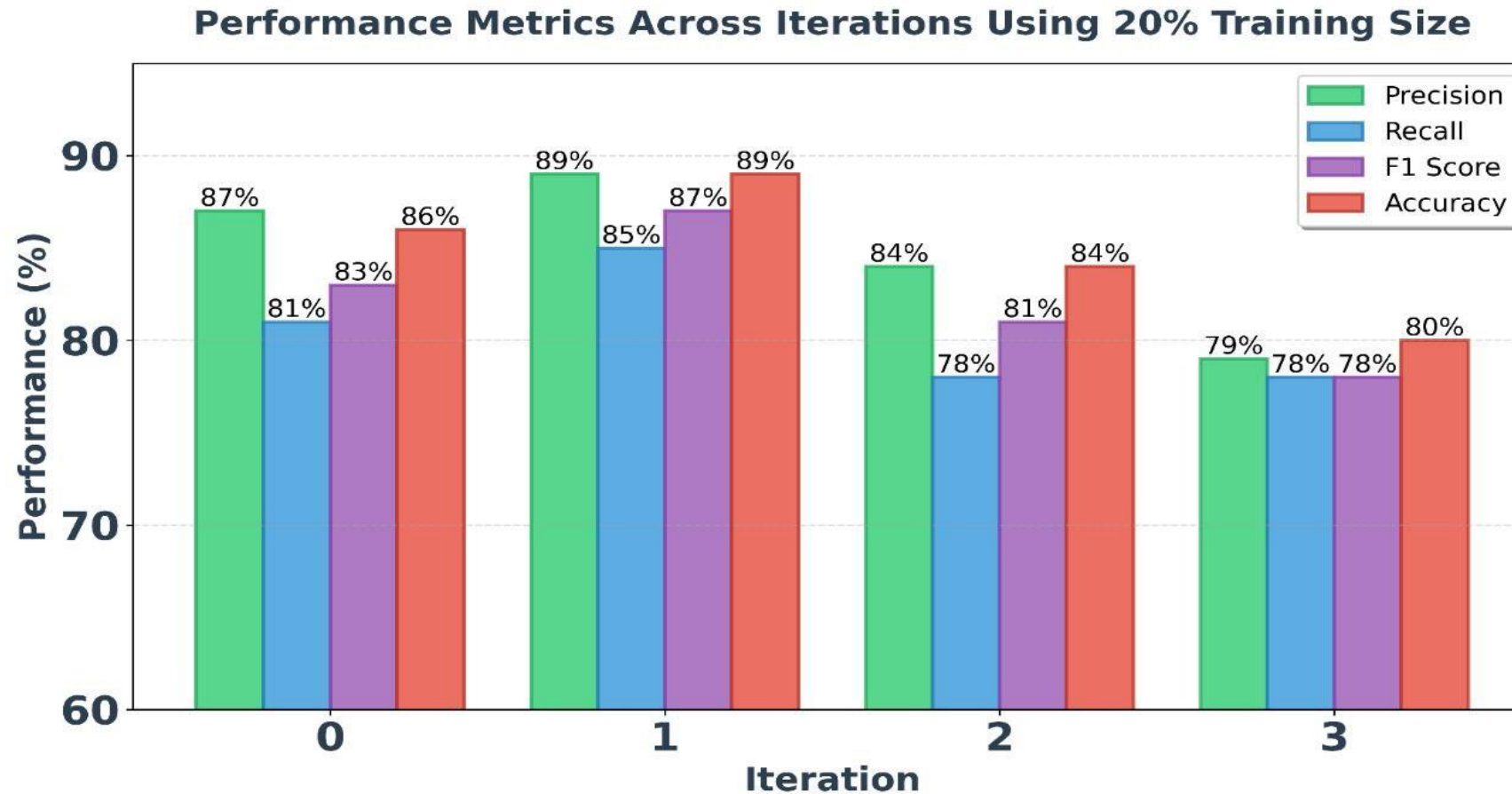
TS Results: 50% of Train Data

F1 score (%)	Recall (%)	Precision (%)	Accuracy (%)	Total images	Pseudo labels	Pre-trainable layers	SL model
85/33	83/33	88	87/10	5255	×	✓	Teacher
85	83	89	88/32	7160	1905	✓	Student
71	68/66	76	75/28	5255	×	×	Teacher
70/33	68	75/33	75/03	5666	411	×	Student

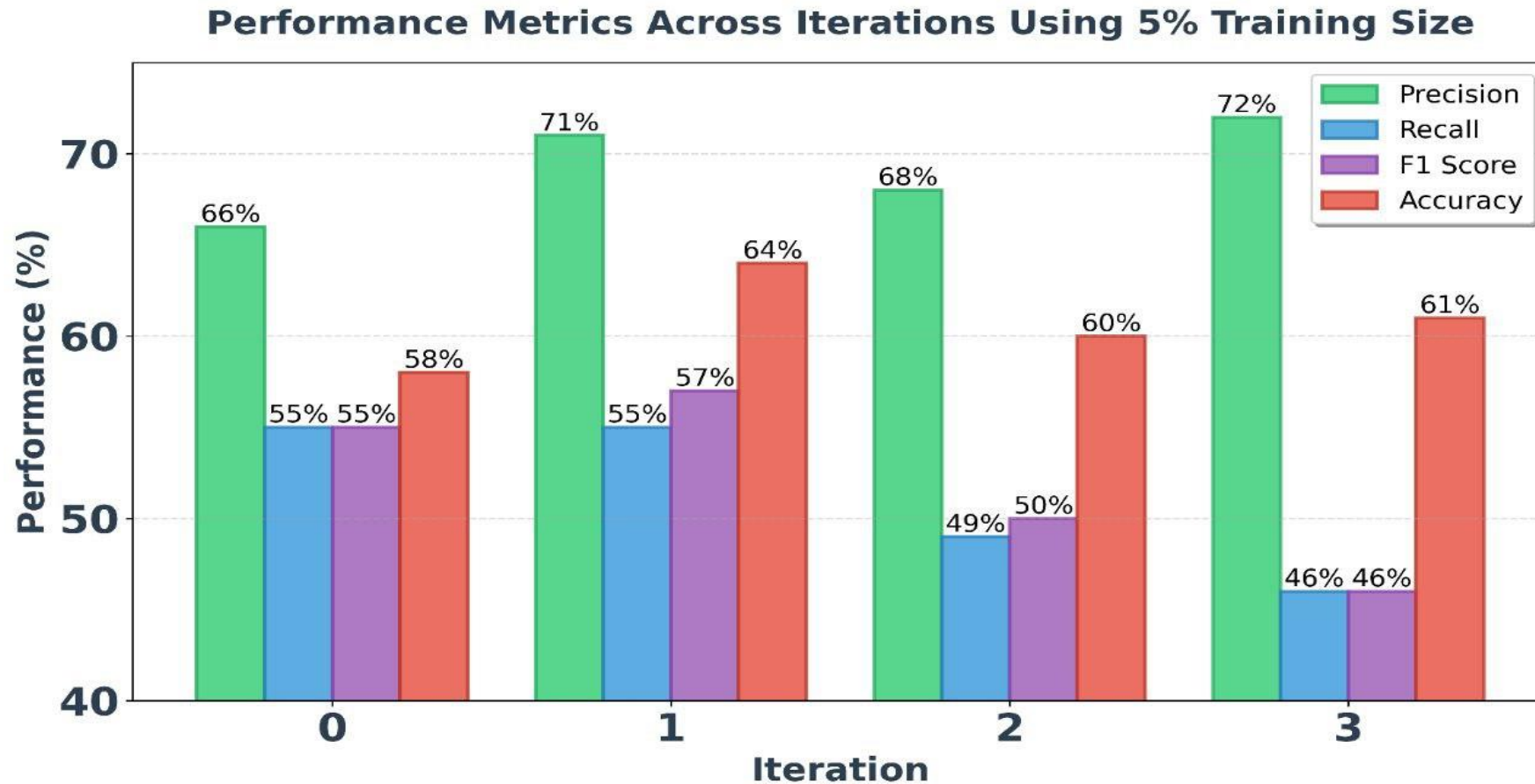
TS Results: 20% of Train Data

F1 Score (%)	Recall (%)	Precision (%)	Accuracy (%)	Pseudo labels	Confidence level
79	77	84	82/15	8648	0%
82	81	85	84/25	5440	90%
83	81/66	87/33	86/01	4529	95%
82	80	89	85/31	2816	99%

ITS Results: 20% of Train Data



ITS Results: 5% of Train Data



Discussion:

Best parameters , Transfer Learning , Data Augmentation

Discussion

Critical role of Pre-Trainable Layers in increasing the SL accuracy by 7% to 10%

selected parameter settings stability even in accuracy reduction in limited datasets

Discussion:

Discussion

14% Increasing of the SSL model accuracy with Pre-Trainable Layers

effective pseudo-labeling strategy in SSL models

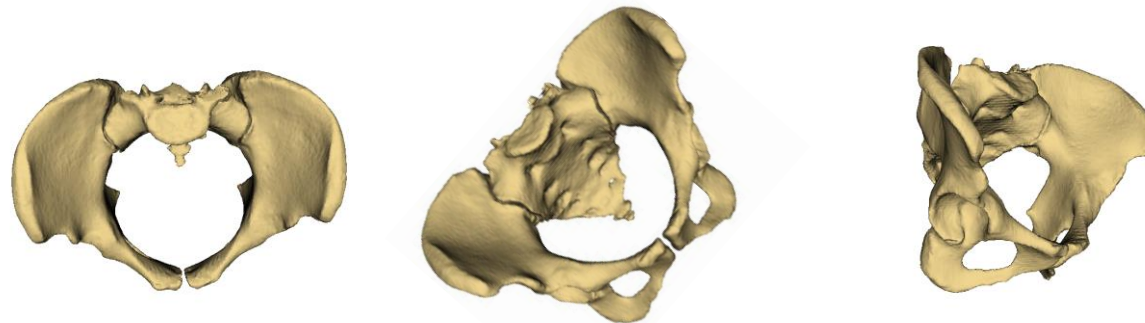
strict confidence level in generating pseudo-labels

necessity of balanced approach in adding high pseudo-labels to new train dataset

AI in Medical Imaging

Applications | Pelvic Tilt Estimation

- Total Hip Arthroplasty (THA) is one of the most prevalent orthopedic operations that is mostly used for the treatment of osteonecrosis, osteoarthritis, and developmental dysplasia of the hip
- In THA, pelvic tilt in standing position is an important factor in cup alignment planning.

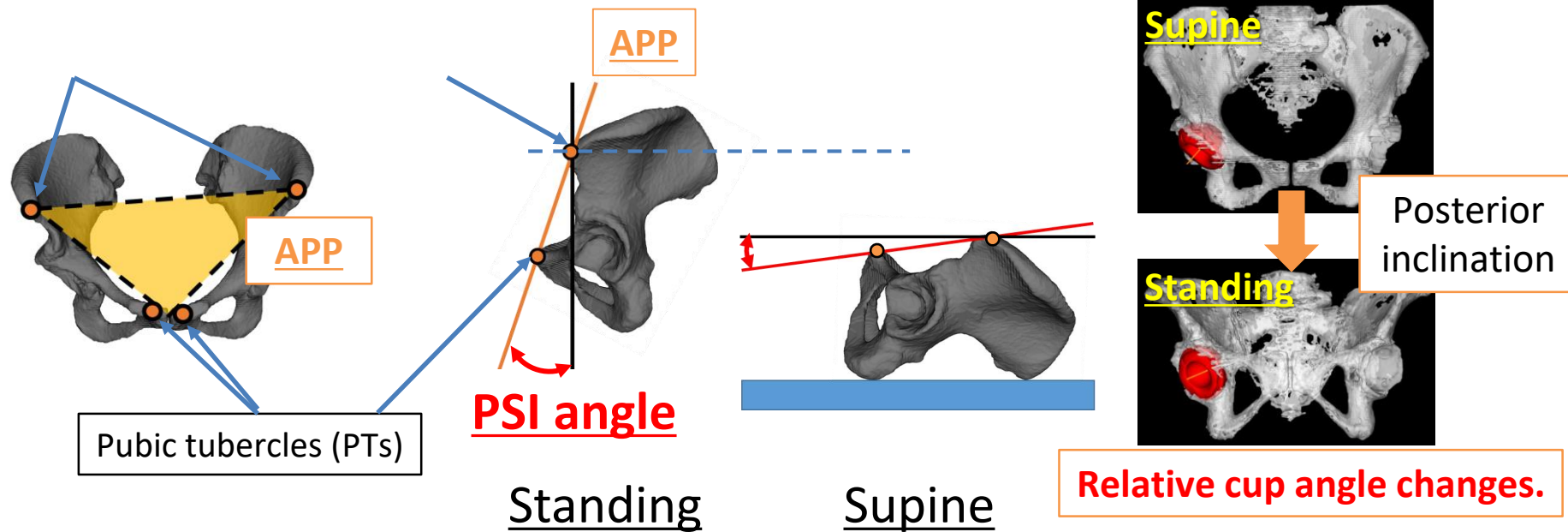


Ata Jodeiri, Yoshito Otake, et. al. - EPiC Series in Health Sciences (2018)
Estimation of Pelvic Sagittal Inclination From Anteroposterior Radiograph Using Convolutional Neural Networks

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- PSI angle is defined by angle between anterior pelvic plane (APP) and vertical direction.

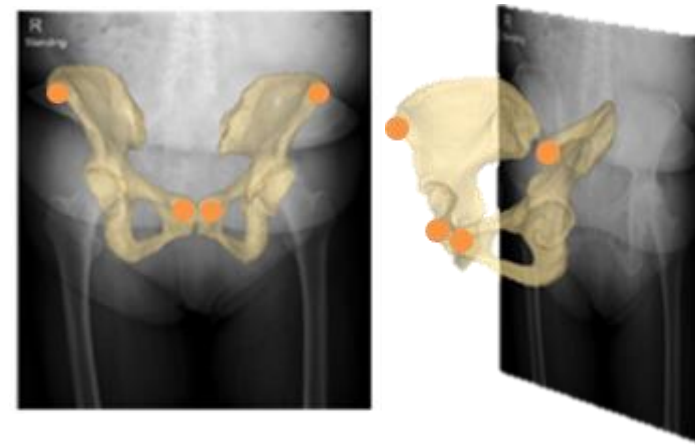


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Automated 2D-3D registration of radiograph (standing) and CT image (supine position).

Uemura, Keisuke et al., "Change in Pelvic Sagittal Inclination From Supine to Standing Position Before Hip Arthroplasty," *J. Arthroplasty*, 32,8 (2017): 2568–2573.

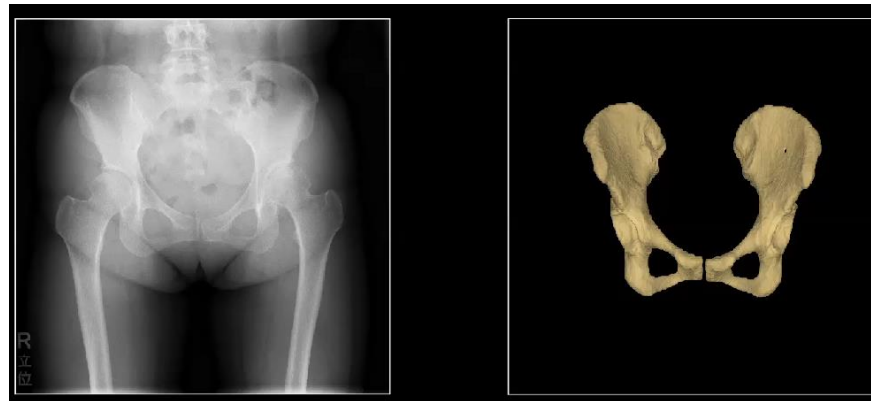


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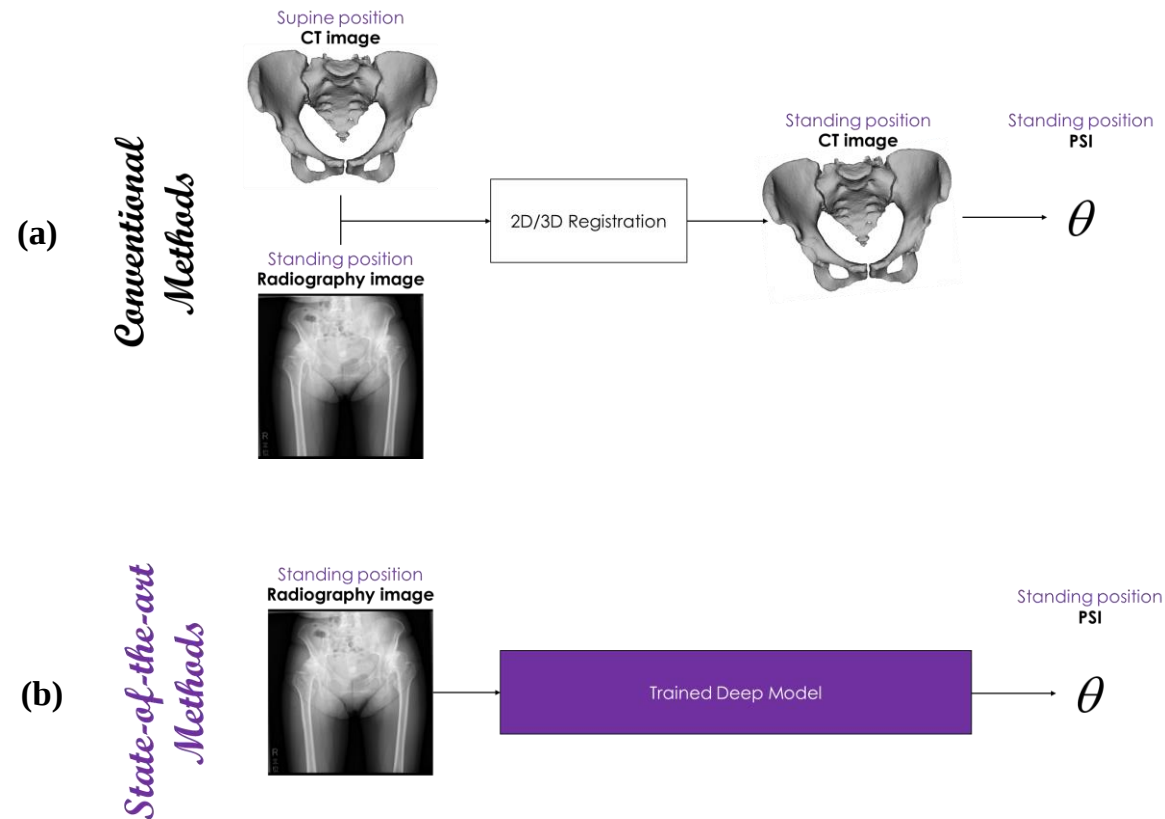
Summary of CT dataset

Hospital	Osaka Univ. Hospital, Dept. of Orthopaedic Surgery
Study population	Patients who are subjected to THA surgery
Number of cases	475 cases (Male:69, Female:406, Average age : 59 y.o.)
Patient position	Supine
Matrix size and voxel dimension	Approx. 512 x 512 x 550 [voxels] (0.7 x 0.7 x 1 [mm ³])



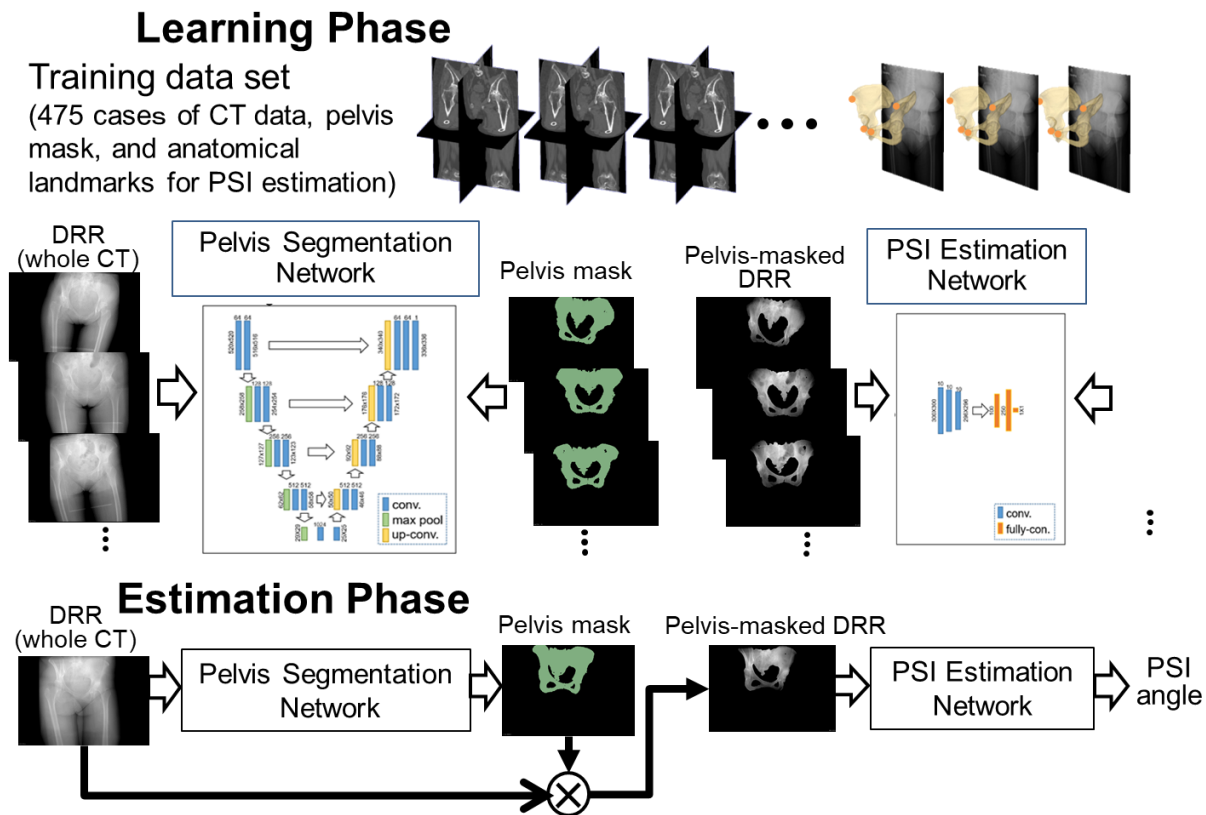
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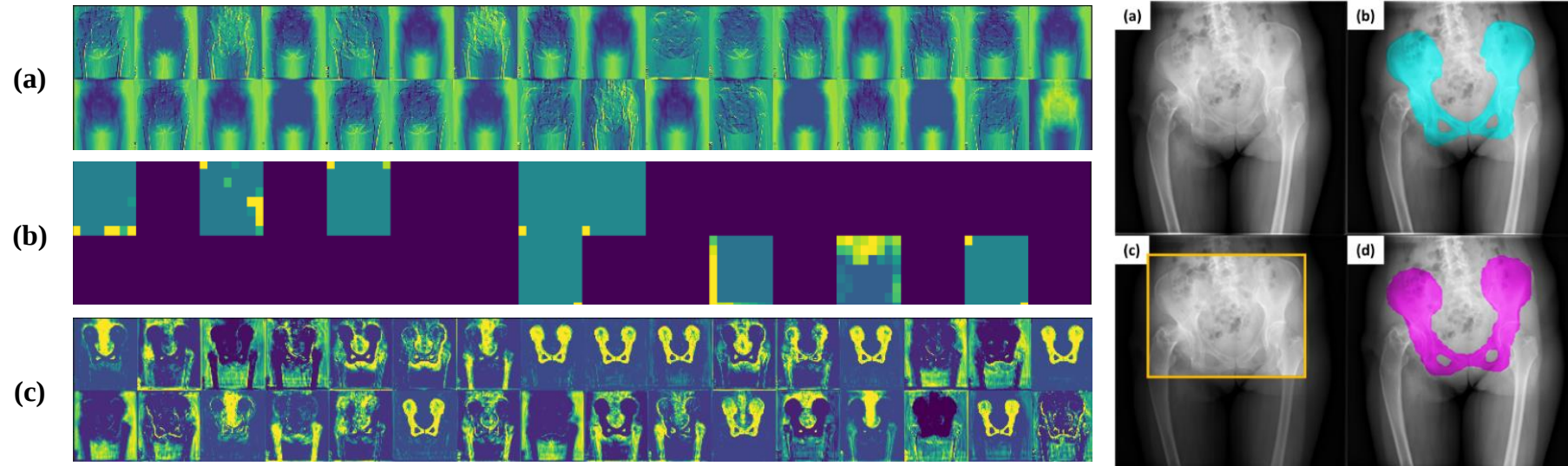
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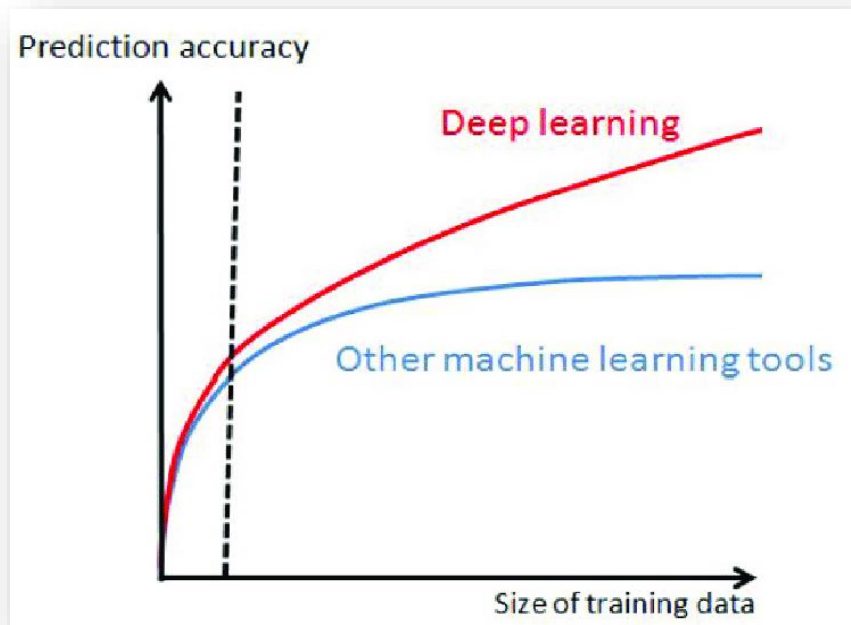


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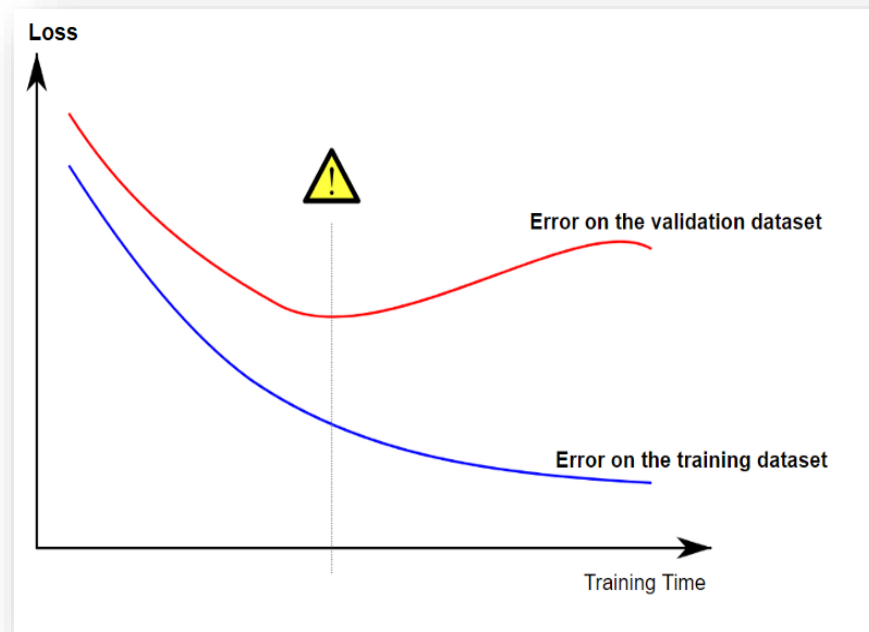
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Image	Ground-truth	Network Prediction	Six Surgeon Prediction					
			#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
1	P (-13.57)	P (-13.30)	P	P	P	P	U	P
2	A (+6.02)	A (+0.90)	A	A	P	A	A	A
3	A (+7.82)	A (+8.87)	A	A	A	P	A	P
4	A (+10.54)	A (+9.79)	A	P	A	A	A	A
5	P (-10.34)	P (-5.94)	A	P	P	P	P	P
6	P (-5.12)	P (-6.74)	A	P	P	A	A	A
7	P (-25.38)	P (-17.99)	P	P	A	P	P	P
8	A (+5.73)	A (+1.19)	P	A	A	A	A	A
9	A (+8.71)	A (7.80)	A	A	A	A	P	A
10	P (-6.69)	P (-8.41)	P	A	P	P	P	P
11	A (+5.62)	A (+4.09)	A	A	P	A	P	A
12	P (-22.46)	P (-18.06)	P	P	P	P	P	P
13	P (-5.83)	P (-2.09)	U	P	A	A	U	A
14	P (-8.44)	P (-3.57)	P	P	A	P	P	P
15	A (+6.74)	A (+7.40)	A	A	P	U	A	A
16	A (+6.74)	A (+7.40)	U	P	P	P	A	P
17	P (-2.17)	P (-1.53)	A	A	P	A	U	A
18	A (+3.33)	A (+3.23)	A	A	P	A	P	P
19	P (-17.39)	P (-18.21)	P	P	P	P	P	P
20	P (-0.82)	P (-1.91)	U	P	A	P	P	P

Data Scarcity

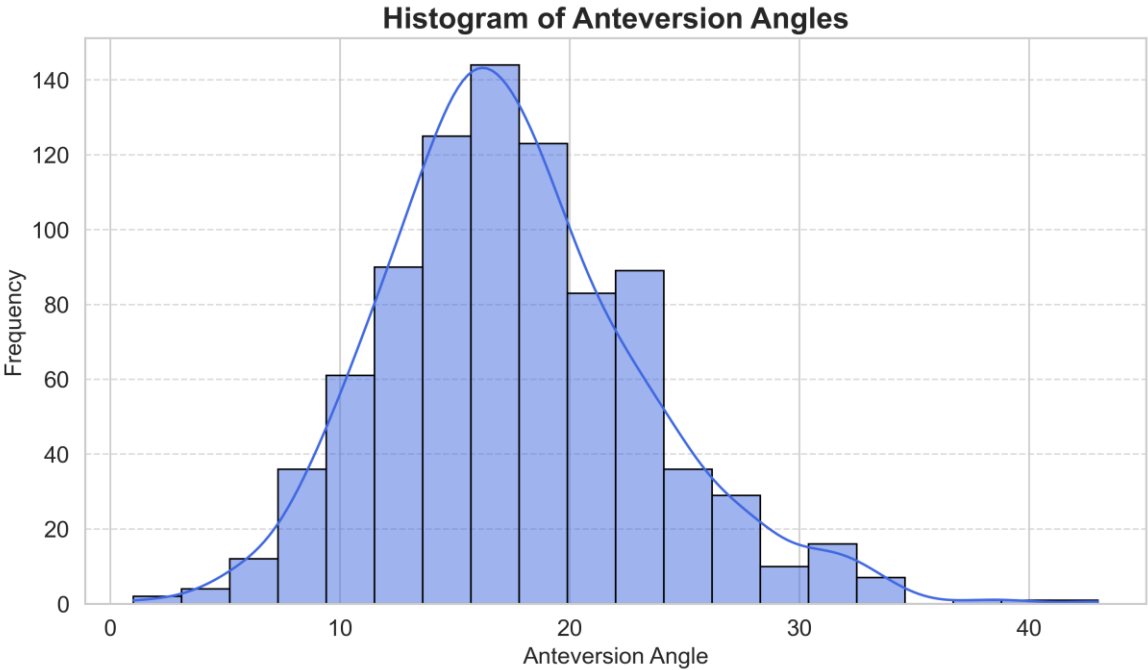


Noisy Labels

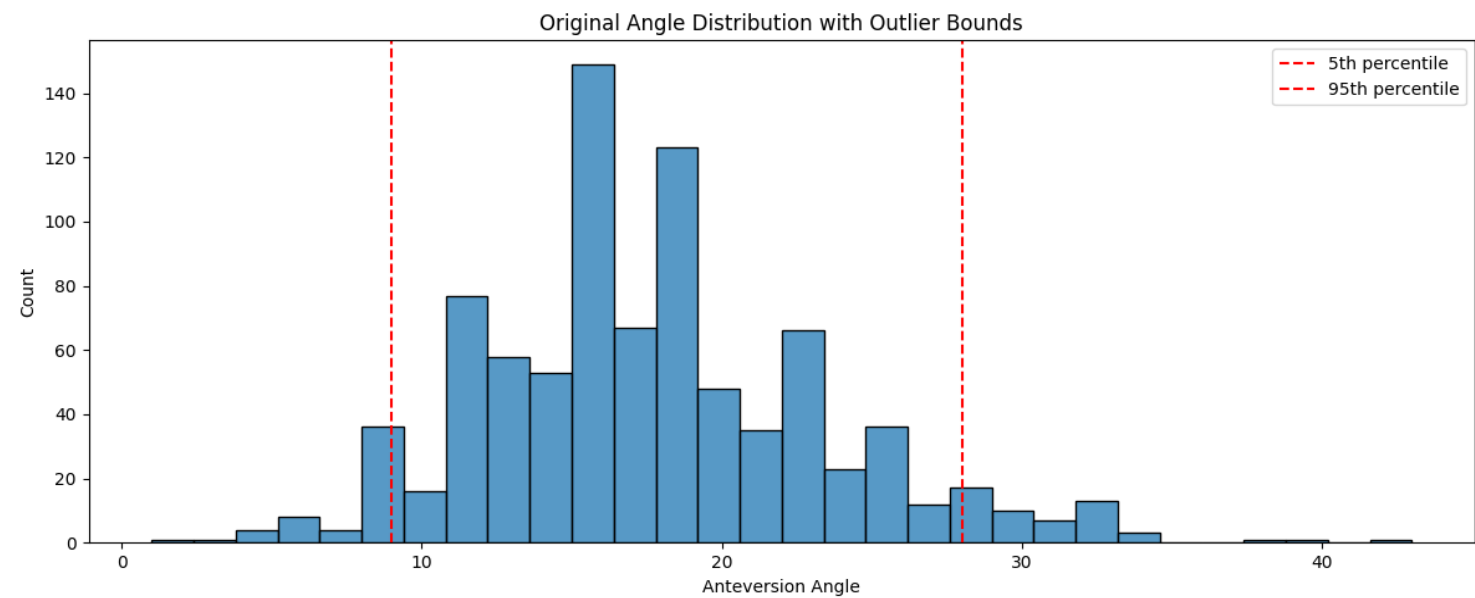


Data

Age Group	N	Age	Anteversion Angle	Side Distribution
0-24	118	19.84 ± 3.42	15.42 ± 4.80	R: 66.95%, L: 33.05%
25-49	291	38.51 ± 7.19	16.87 ± 5.02	R: 60.48%, L: 39.52%
50-99	461	72.15 ± 11.75	18.52 ± 6.11	R: 53.8%, L: 46.2%
All	870	53.80 ± 22.48	17.55 ± 5.70	R: 57.82%, L: 42.18%

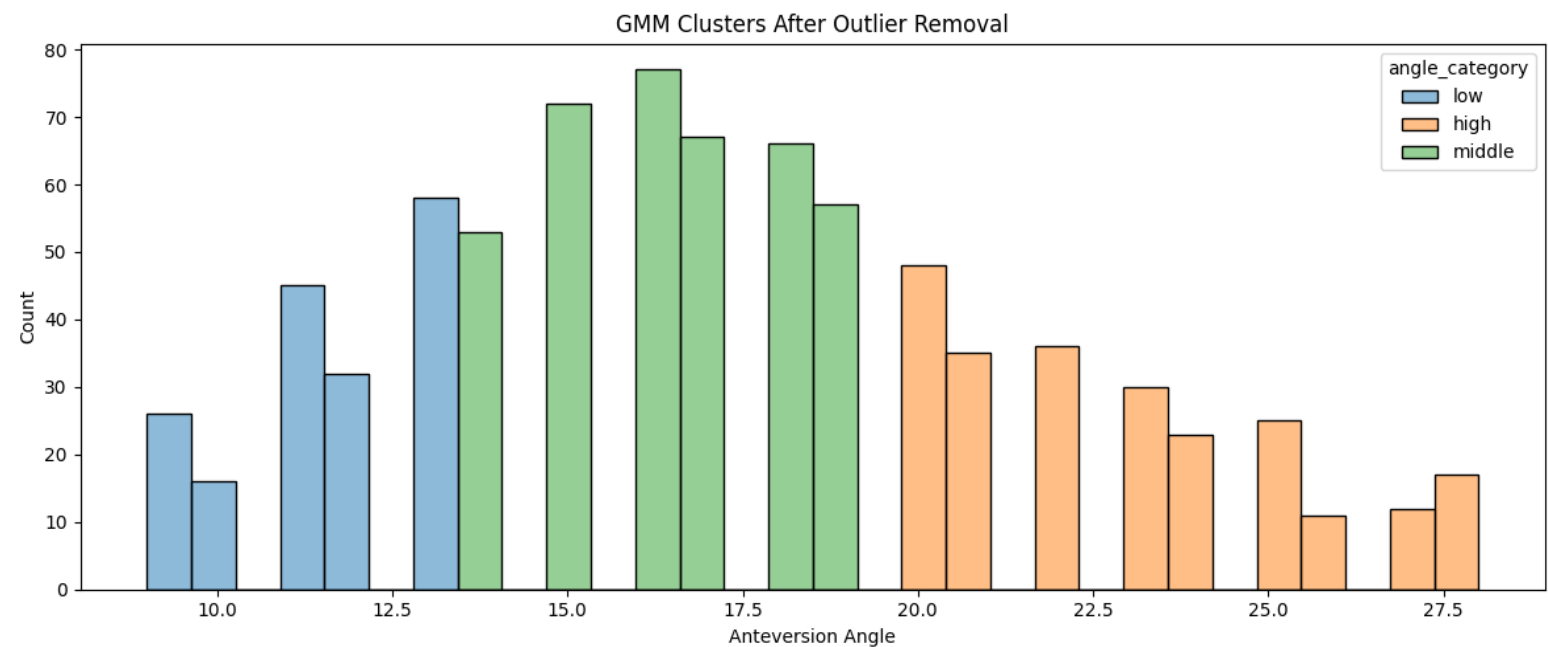


Outlier Detection (percentile-based approach)



Summary Statistics	
Original samples	870
After outlier removal	806

Gaussian Mixture Model (GMM) Clustering



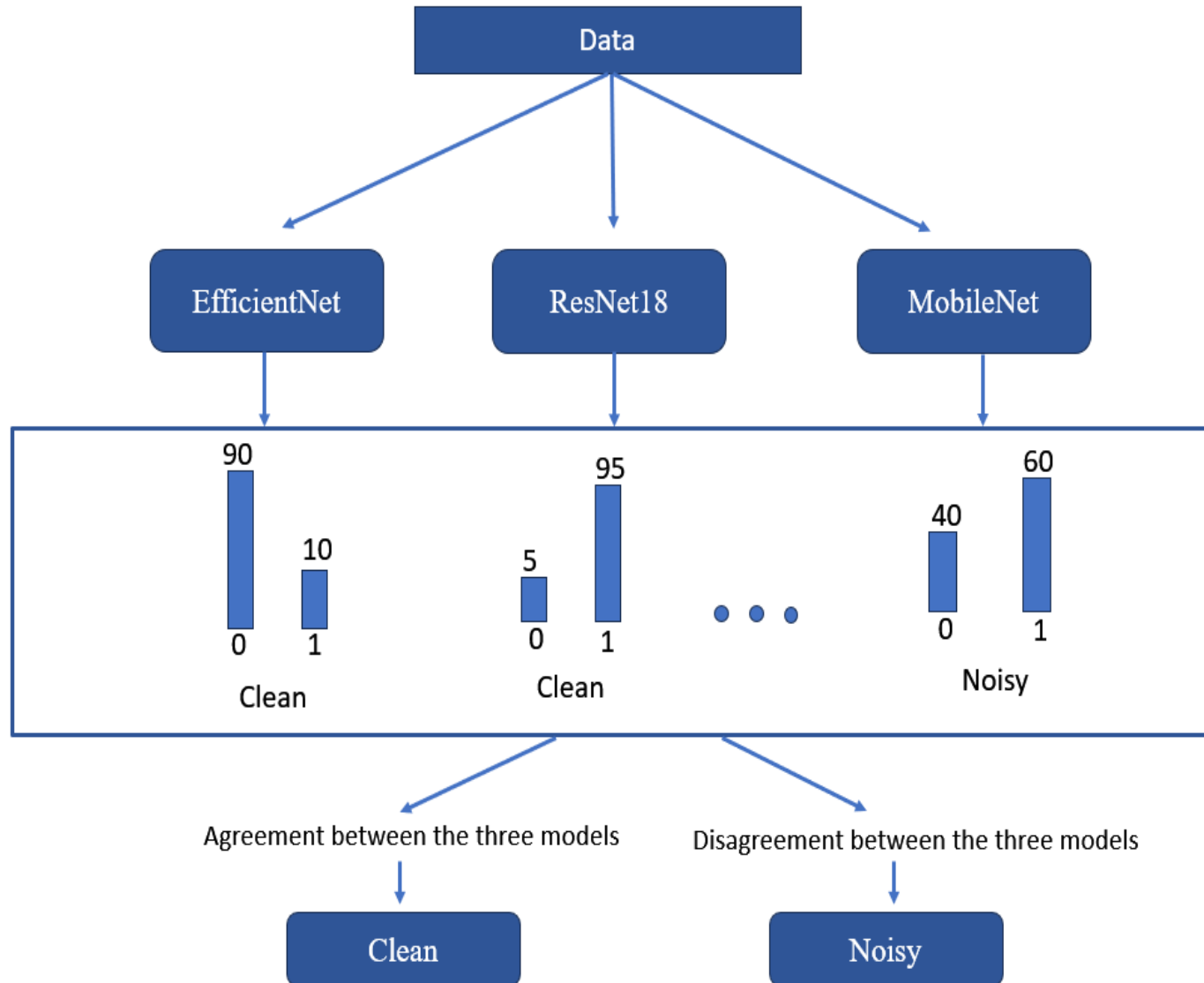
Angle Category	Distribution	Angle Range
High	237	14.0° - 19.0°
middle	392	9.0° - 13.0°
low	177	20.0° - 28.0°

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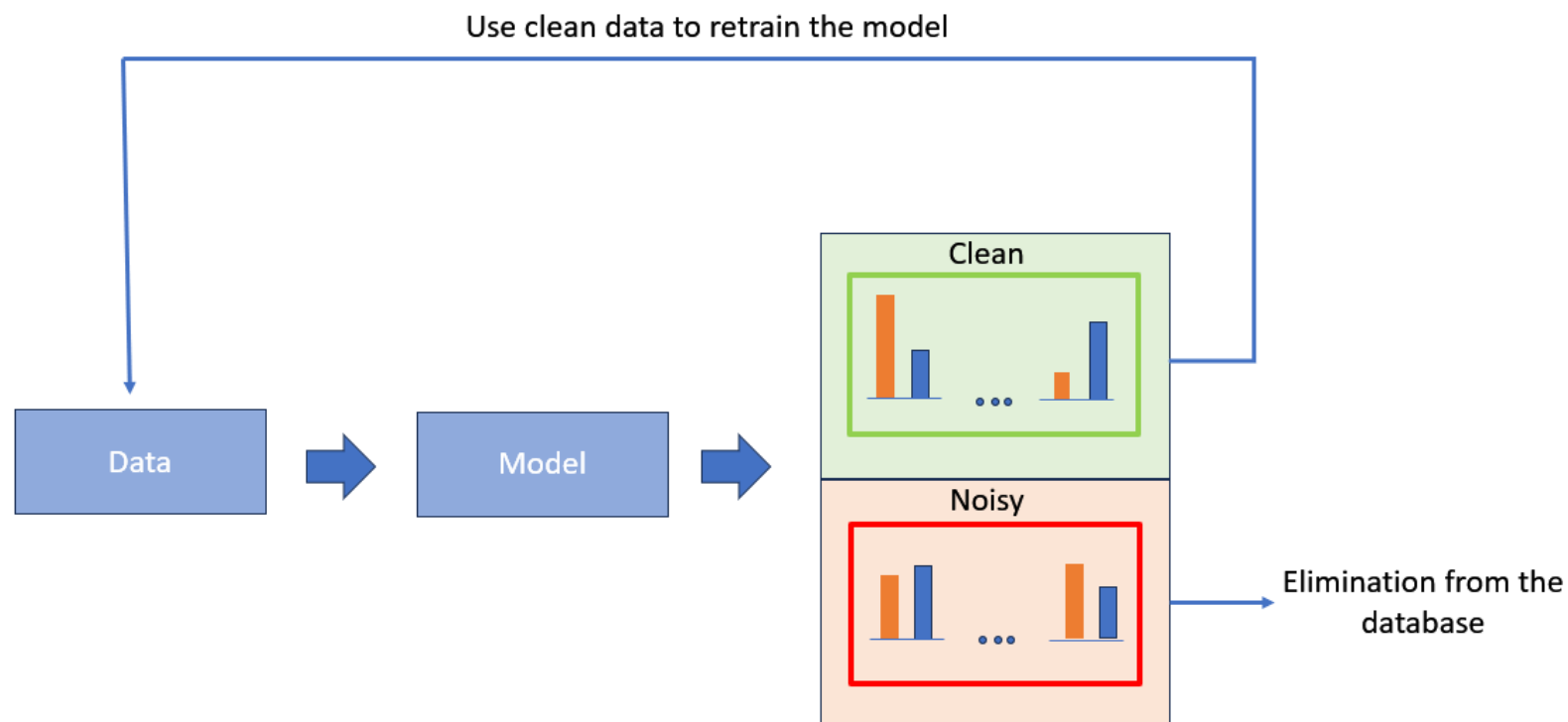
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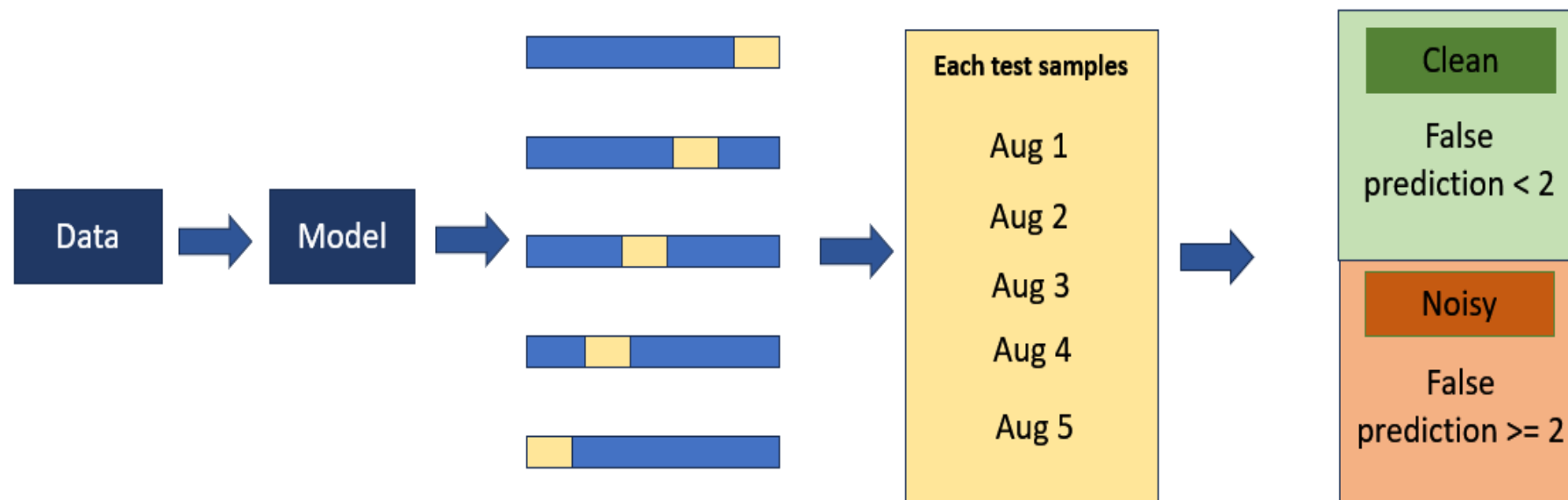
1. Cross-Model Comparison for Noise Detection)



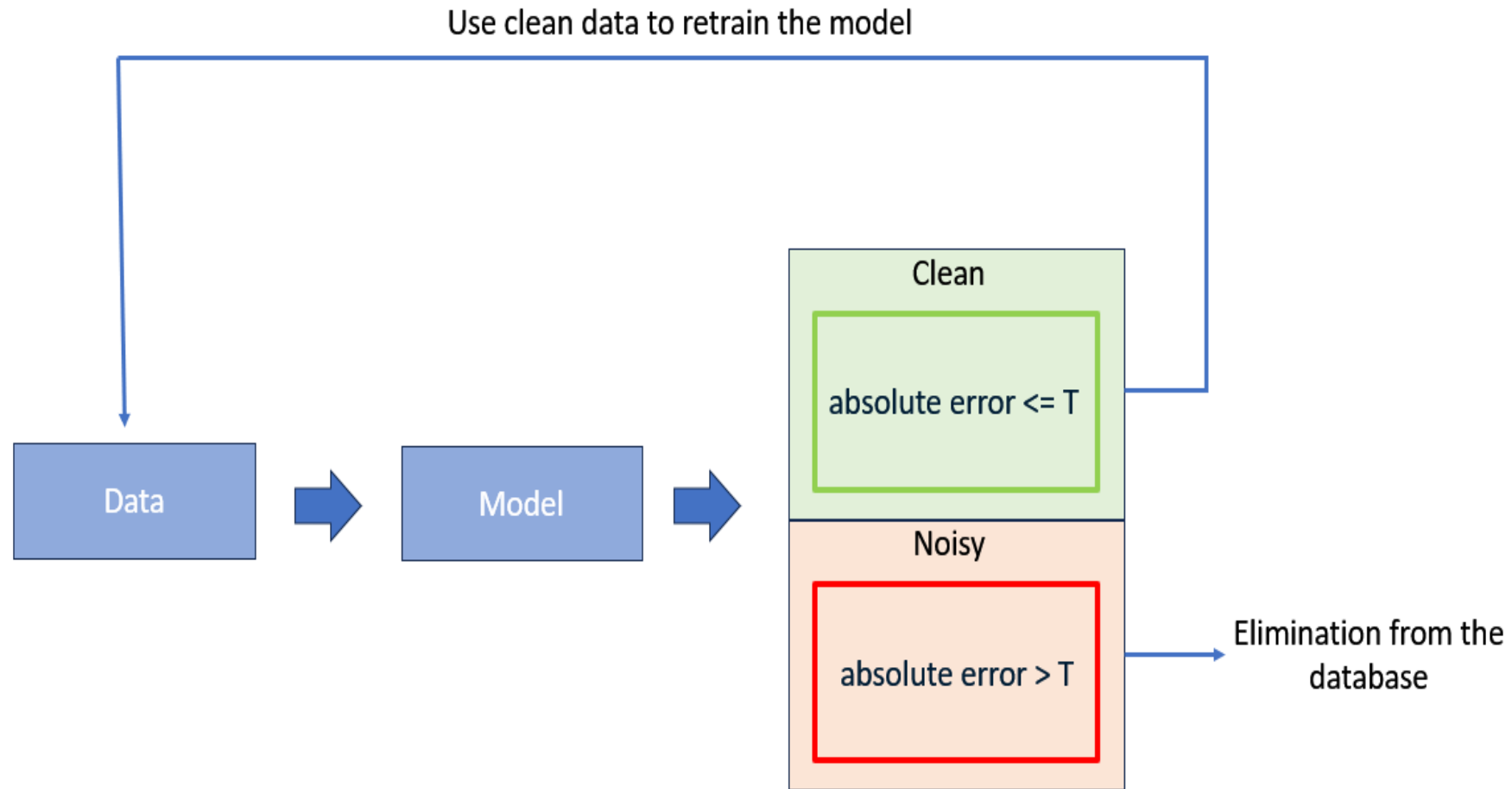
2. Iterative Noise Detection and Refinement

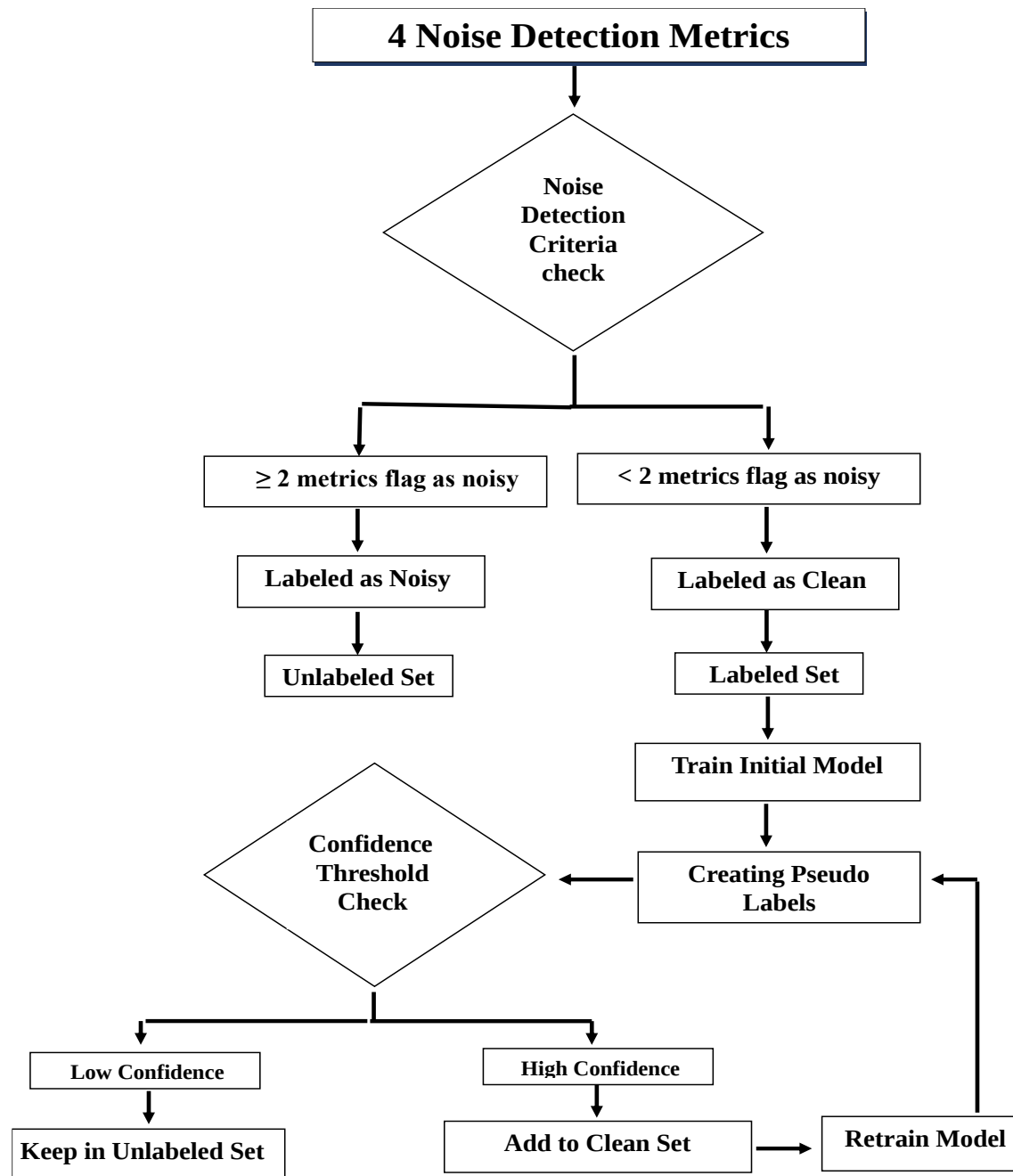


3. Augmentation Consistency Metric

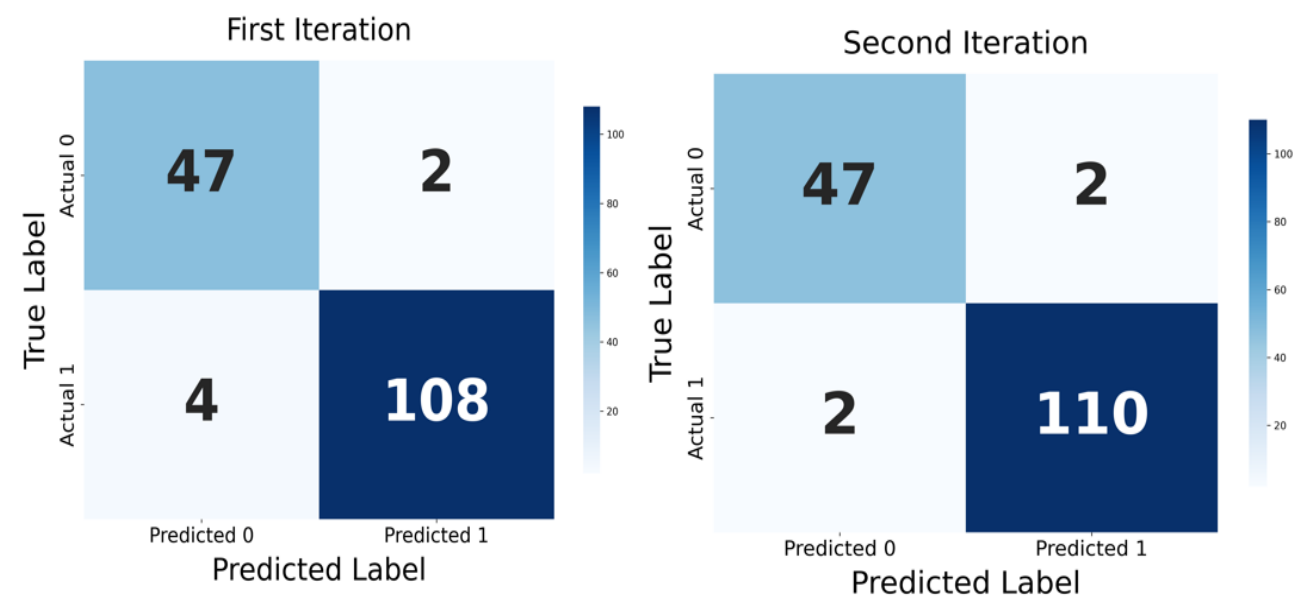


4. Using Prediction Errors to Identify Noise



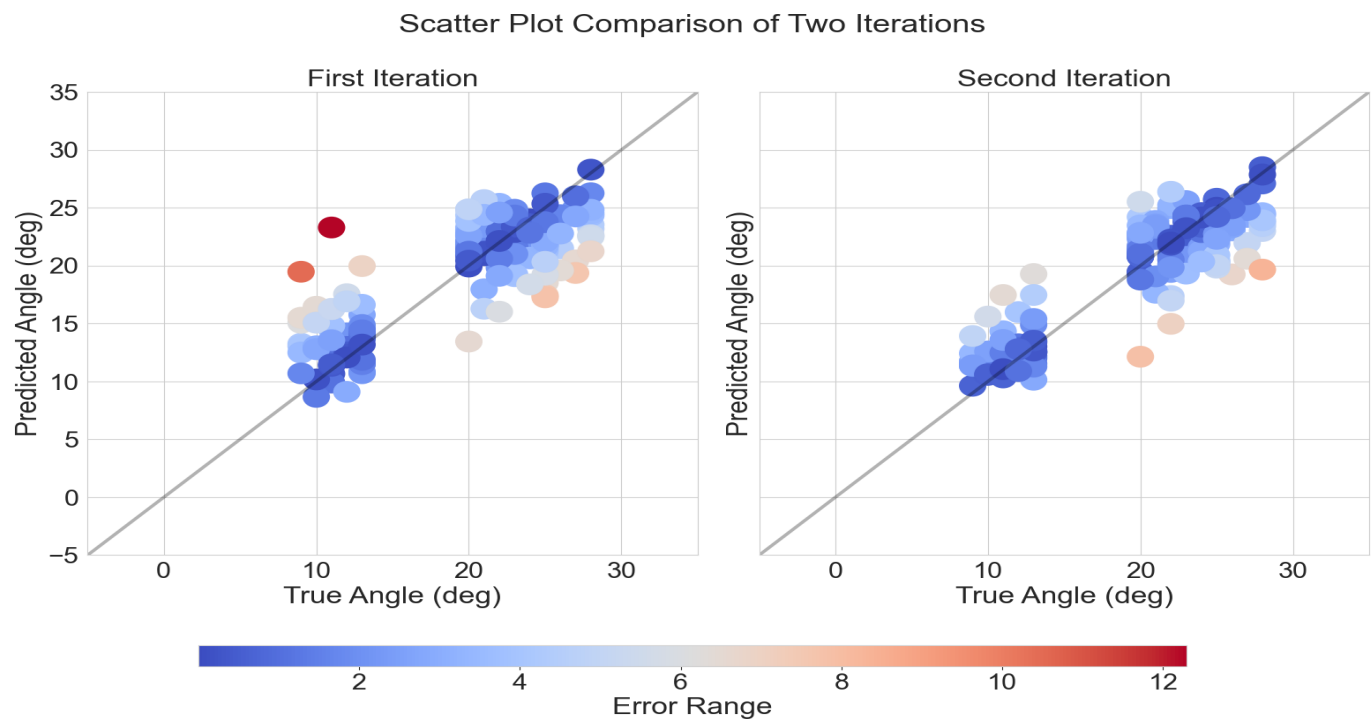


Classification Results



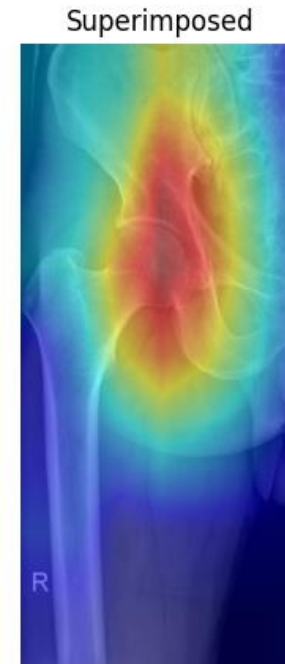
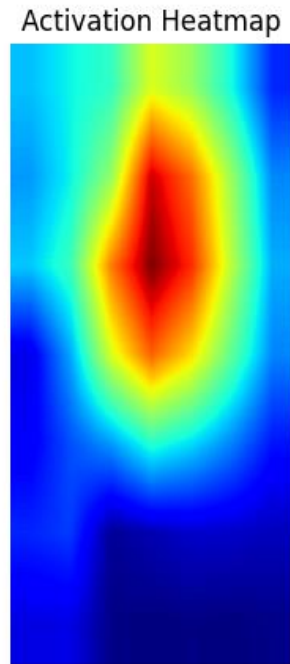
Iteration	Precision	Recall	F1 Score	Accuracy	support
First Iteration	0.95	0.96	0.96	0.96	161
Second Iteration	0.97	0.97	0.97	0.98	161

Regression Results



Iteration	MAE	MSE	RMSE	MAPE	R ²
First Iteration	2.64	11.73	3.42	15.69	0.66
Second Iteration	2.13	7.62	2.76	11.74	0.77

Model Activation and Localization Results



Method	Classification					Regression			
	Precision	Recall	F1_score	Accuracy	support	MAE	MSE	MAPE	R ²
Cross-Model Agreement	0.95	0.91	0.93	0.95	120	2.61	12	15	0.63
Confidence-Based Filtering	0.72	0.71	0.71	0.72	294	4.12	27.10	27.36	0.27
Augmentation Consistency	0.87	0.84	0.86	0.87	249	3.34	18.17	21.98	0.52
Regression Error-Based Filtering	0.88	0.89	0.88	0.90	183	2.4	9.94	14.9	0.65

Thank you for your attention

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