Convolutional Neural Network for the Diagnosis of Pediatric Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip on Conventional Radiography

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• Developmental Dysplasia Of the Hip (DDH):

The most common orthopedic disorder in newborns
Incidence: 1.5 in 1,000
Spectrum of structural abnormalities
(mild acetabular dysplasia ~ dislocation of the femoral head)

• Diagnosis and Treatment:

- Modality of choice: Conventional radiography and Ultrasound
- Ossification center of femoral head: 4-6 month of age
- **US:** < 4-6 months of age
- Conventional radiography: > 4-6 month of age
- Articulation of the femoral head and acetabulum → normal development
- Early diagnosis and treatment are important

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Convolutional Neural Network

- : tremendous progress; considered to be an emerging technique for the classification of images
- : potential of deep learning in the field of lesion detection, classification and image improvement in radiologic image



• To evaluate the diagnostic performance of a deep learning algorithm for DDH using conventional radiography.



Inclusion

- Younger than 12 months of age who were suspected of DDH and were undergoing hip AP conventional radiography
- SNUH: between January 2011 and June 2018
- SNUBH & PNUYH: between January 2016 and June 2018

Exclusion

- Inappropriate images for reading
- Images taken with not proper position
- Postoperative images



Dataset

- 2,601 Hip radiographs \rightarrow 5,202 hip joints images
- Exclusion: 126 inappropriate images
- 5,076 hip joint images → Dataset (Training 80% / Validation 10% / Test 10%)

Hospitals	Total	Training Set		Validation Set		Test Set	
		Normal	DDH	Normal	DDH	Normal	DDH
SNUH	3433	2406	341	300	43	300	43
SNUBH	1036	800	32	97	5	97	5
PNUYH	607	452	19	65	3	66	2
Total	5076	4050		513		513	



Labeling

- Image Review and Labeling: By two pediatric radiologists in consensus
- Binary Classification: Normal and DDH
- Diagnosis of DDH
 - 1) high acetabular index (> 30 degree)
 - 2) abnormal acetabular morphology and delayed femoral head
 - 3) abnormal femoral head location; out of inferior medial quadrant of acetabulum
 - 4) disruption of Shenton line

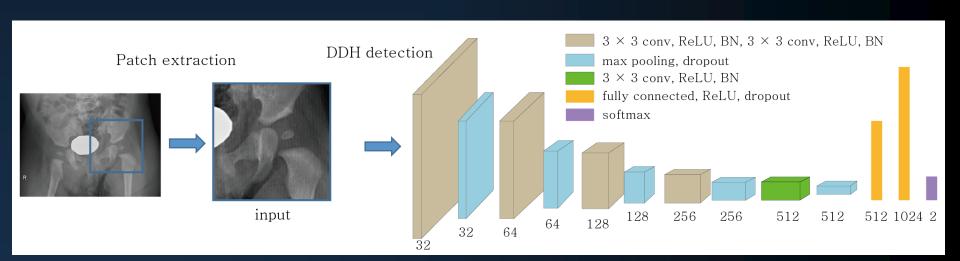


Image Processing

- Manually cropping: include single hip joint with the femoral head in the center of the cropped image
- To avoid overfitting, the training datasets were augmented (x 10 in DDH, x4 in normal)
- 3,920 DDH and 14,632 normal patches were used for training.
- Training was performed after resizing patch size from 414×414 to 128×128

Deep Learning Algorithm

- Tensorflow
- GPU (NVIDIA, Titan Xp. 12GB) system
- Network minimization: using the Adam optimizer
- Learning rate: 0.0001
- Mini-batch size: 16
- Epoch: 100



Human Readout

- Three invited radiologists performed image review
 - Reviewer 1: pediatric experts
 - Reviewer 2: experienced radiologist without experience in pediatric radiology
 - Reviewer 3: inexperienced radiologist without experience in pediatric radiology
- No clinical information, No contralateral Hip image
- Labeling: 5-point scale
 - 1, definitely normal; 2, probably normal; 3, indeterminate; 4, probable DDH; and 5, definite DDH



Statistical analysis

- Diagnostic Performance of the deep learning algorithm
 - construction of 2x2 table
- calculation of sensitivity, specificity, positive predictive value (PPV), negative predictive value (NPV)
- construction of receiver an operating curve (ROC) plot and a precision-recall
 (PRC) plot → calculate area under the curve (AUC)
- Comparison with Human Readout
 - 5-point scale → dichotomization into normal (1, 2)and D오 (3, 4, 5)
 - calculation of sensitivity, specificity, PPV and NPV
 - McNemar's test
 - AUC of ROC and PRC plot comparison (algorithm vs. human readout)

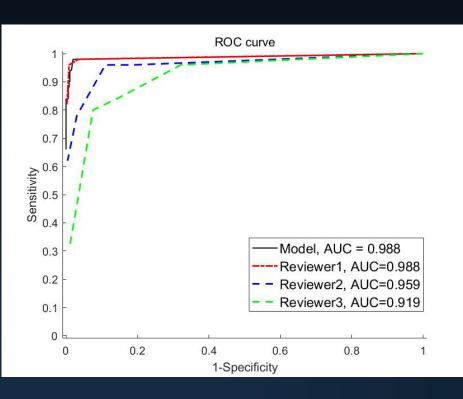


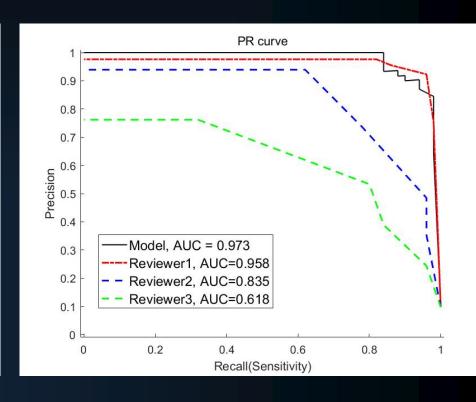
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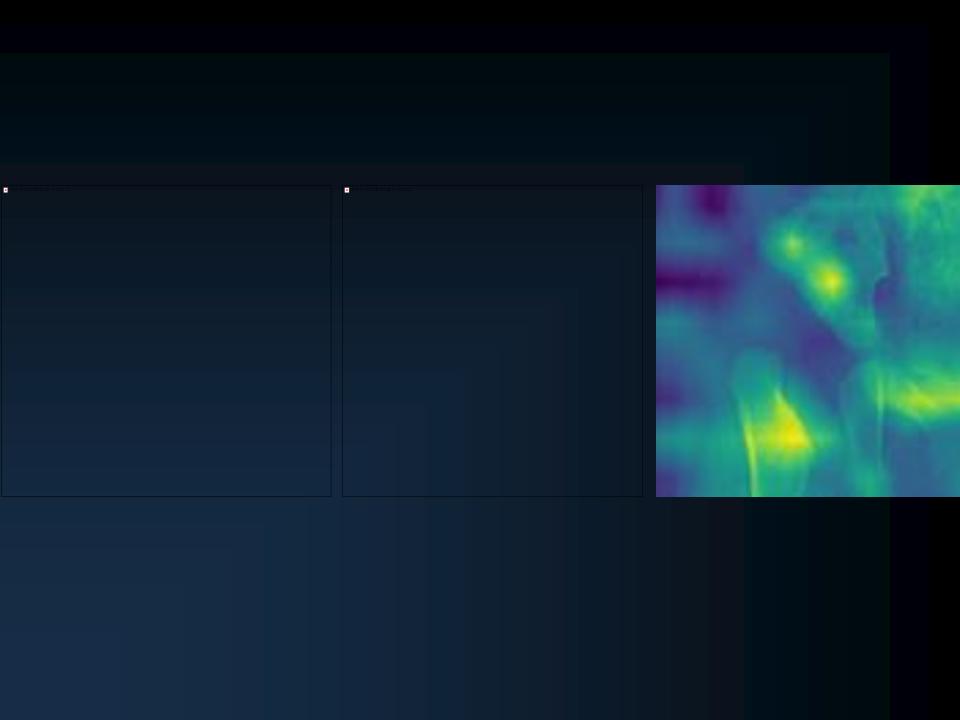
	Sensitivity	Specificity	PPV	NPV	AUC of ROC pl ot	AUC of P RC plot
Deep learning	94.0	98.9	90.4	99.4	0.988	0.979
algorithm	(83.5-98.7)	(97.5-99.6)	(79.7-95.8)	(98.1-99.8)	(0.974-0.995)	
Radiologist 1	96.0	99.1	92.3	99.6	0.988	0.958
(p= 1.000)	(86.3-99.5)	(97.8-99.8)	(81.9-97.0)	(98.3-99.9)	(0.974-0.995)	
Radiologist 2	96.0	89.0	48.5	99.5	0.959	0.835
(p<0.001)	(86.3-99.5)	(85.8-91.7)	(41.9-55.1)	(98.1-99.9)	(0.939-0.975)	
Radiologist 3	84.0	85.8	38.9	98.0	0.919	0.618
(p<0.001)	(70.9-92.8)	(82.2-88.8)	(33.0-45.1)	(96.3-98.9)	(0.892-0.941)	

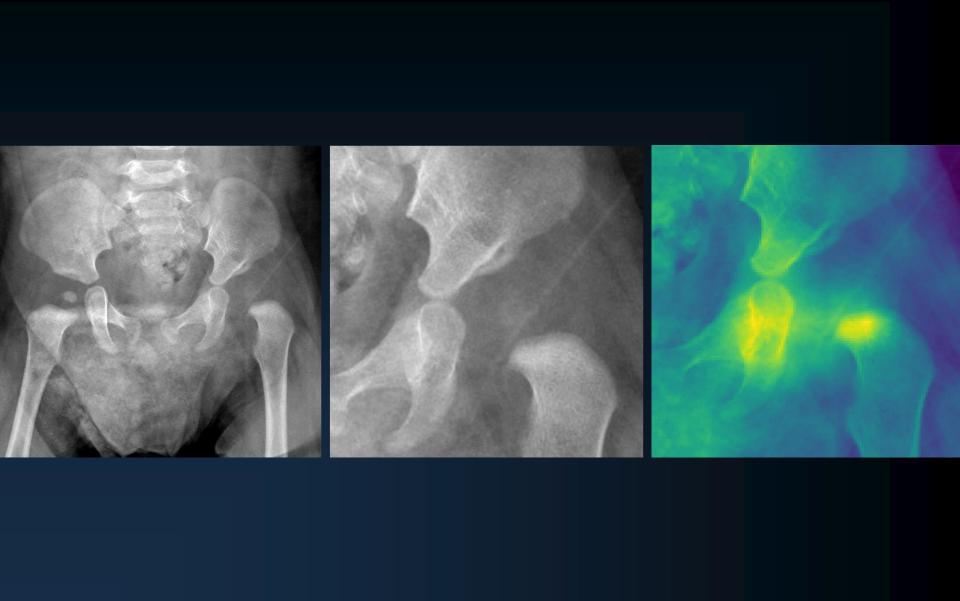


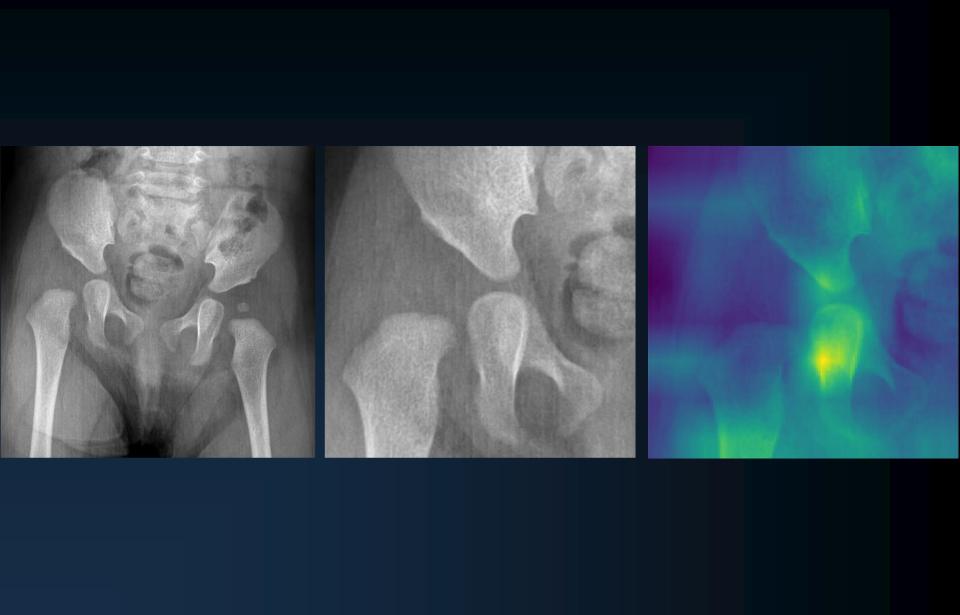
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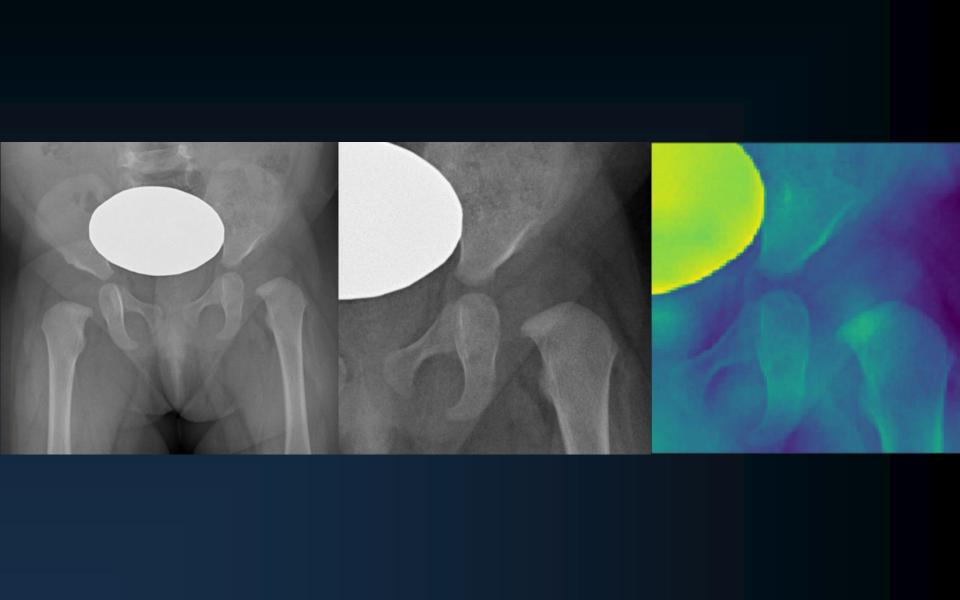


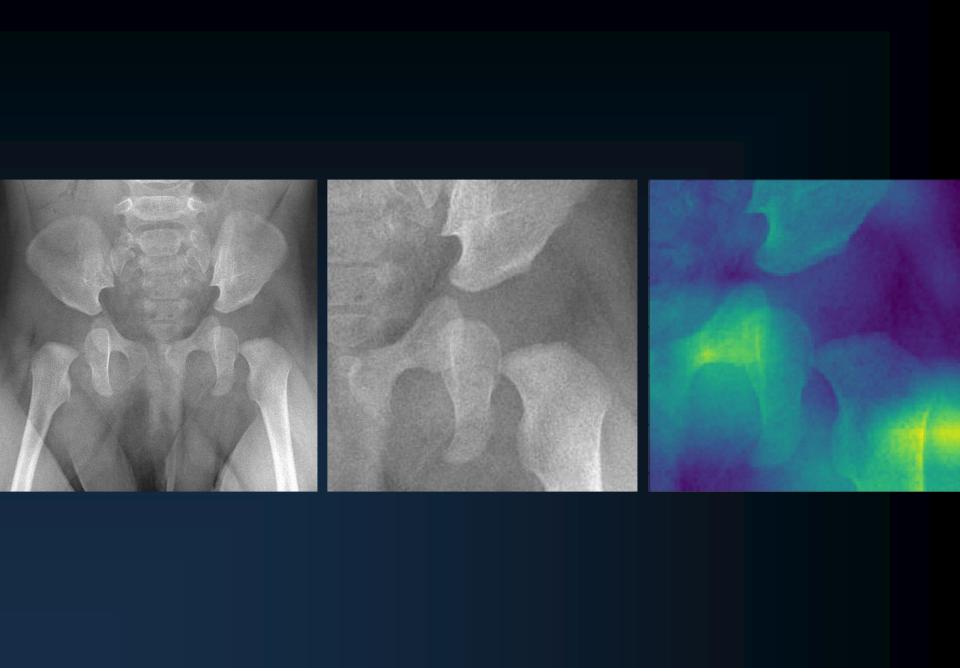












Conclusion

 The proposed deep learning algorithm provided an accurate diagnosis of developmental dysplasia of the hip on hip AP conventional radiographs, which was comparable to an experienced radiologist.



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