





A deep learning model for Alcoholism detection in Brain MRI

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what does Deep Learning mean?











Deep Learning for neuroimaging (1)

• Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) demonstrated high performances for processing data that has a known grid-like topology, as images.



• Image classification

Object detection/segmentation



Image by D. Koshy et Al. 2011, and by Aldeborgh 2017



Deep Learning for Neuroimaging (2)

 technological growth: multimodal imaging and labeled datasets availability

- Deep Learning in connection with statistics







Our architecture





Feature Selection

- handcrafted methods in classical machine learning

- simplify models
- avoid the curse of dimensionality
- reduce training times
- reduce variance (avoid overfitting)
- not much applied in deep learning



Statistical Parametric Mapping









Google colab and cloud computing



Alcoholism vs Sobriety Results



Results FNIRT 90 + 90 very mild AD vs NC (cdr 0.5)



Final Remarks

- Limits of the model:
 - binary classification
 - what happens in bigger dataset?
- multimodal imaging
- further improvements to the algorithm