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A new approach using Machine Learning and Deep Learning for the prediction of cancer tumor

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Abstract

Cancer is now one of the leading causes of death in the world. Existing therapies such as chemotherapy, radiation therapy and other methods due to the effect on other parts and even some side effects are irreversible. On the other hand, the development of nanotechnology to the treatment of cancer has been used in various fields especially drug delivery and diagnostic and imaging cases. Because of their similarity to biological molecules, nanoparticles can easily enter cells and receive much attention when it comes to drug delivery to target tissues. Also, the best and effective solution for treatment is the use of multidisciplinary approaches, and on the other hand, one of the challenges in medical image recognition methods is the problem of dense tissue analysis and the time-consuming process of diagnosis which has caused machine learning and deep learning to receive much attention. Deep learning techniques use data stored in electronic health systems files and process large amounts of resources such as medical imaging and artificial neural networks to help physicians analyze information and diagnose multiple diseases.

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1- Introduction

Cancer is the uncontrolled growth of cells in the body. In a healthy body, there are thousands of billions of cells that divide according to the body's needs [1-4]. Healthy cells have life cycle, reproduction and death depending on their type. As damaged cells die, they are replaced by new cells. Cancer interferes with this very process and causes abnormal growth of cells in the body. When cells divide uncontrollably, they form masses called tumors [5-8]. This disease is

the most common cause of death among people in society. There are many treatments such as chemotherapy, radiotherapy and photodynamic therapy which suppresses cancer cell proliferation, shrink tumor size, progression and metastasis, but the drugs used in this method not only damage cancer cells but also healthy tissues and cause side effects [9-14]. Also, about 85% of patients need treatment with new methods that maintain and improve the effectiveness of

chemotherapy while reducing the severity of reactions and side effects [15-22]. Nanotechnology and nanoparticles are used in various fields due to their compatibility with different biological properties, which in the case of cancer also provide a safer and more effective means of chemotherapy and lead to further advances in diagnosis, treatment and imaging. Nanoparticles that have special properties in the treatment and diagnosis of cancer cells include calcium phosphate, gold, metal oxides and transcytic nanoparticles [23-36]. It is worth mentioning that before treatment, diagnosis and especially correct and timely diagnosis of cancer is one of the most important parts of the fight against cancer. Nowadays, artificial intelligence and deep learning (DL) have improved the amount of accurate, correct diagnosis and the time required for diagnosis [37-41].

2- Nanoparticle treatment

Nanoparticles have a diameter of between 1 and 100 (nm), but in some cases for larger particles, up to 500 nm or fibers and tubes that are less than 100 nm are also used. Nanoparticles are usually distinguished from micro particles (1–1000) and coarse particles (from 2,500 to 10,000 nm) because of their different physical and chemical properties [42-51]. For example, colloidal and optical properties created by smaller sizes. As mentioned, magnetic nanoparticles (MNPs) are used in various fields, one of which is medicine. MNPs used in medicine are classified into two main groups. Particles whose main building material is organic molecules that include carbon nanotubes, emulsions, solid lipid nanoparticles, liposomes, dendrimers, aptamers and other polymers, and the second group consists of nanoparticles that usually contain metals and minerals are the

core. These nanoparticles are tools for the diagnosis and treatment of diseases such as cancer. Aptamers are peptide and oligonucleotide molecules (RNA or DNA) that bind to small biomolecules, proteins and even cells with a high affinity and specificity. Dendrimers can be used as a factor to detect various pathological processes and also as a contrast agent in MRI. Liposomes can also be used for transmission in chemotherapy of various tumors in humans. Most mineral nanoparticles have an organic protective coating on the surface and a central core with electrical, fluorescence, and magnetic properties [52-57]. This outer layer can bind to positively charged molecules and biomolecules containing amine or thiol groups by covalent or electrostatic bonding, thus protecting the central part from environmental degrading agents. Ultra-magnetic nanoparticles are used to increase contrast and are used in MRI. Also, a special type of drug is used in the treatment of cancer [58-62]. It is worth mentioning that this group of nanoparticles is also used in gene expression, angiogenesis, cell traffic, etc.

3- Nanoparticles and imaging and treatment

By conjugating nanoparticles with targeted antibodies with the help of biotin and streptoavidin, cancer can be diagnosed and treated simultaneously. This method is used to form a nanoshell by conjugating an ERBB2 antibody to a modified metal nanoparticle; the nanoshell consists of a spherical nanoparticle in the dielectric core consisting of silica and surrounded by a thin crust or shell of gold [63-37]. The nanoshell converts light into heat due to the proximity of the emission spectrum to infrared and acts thermally in tumor surgery

or tumor removal. The heat generated is too much to cause irreversible tissue damage and therefore causes cell death. Also, the efficiency of these nanoparticles, which generate heat under the influence of near-IR radiation, is one million times more efficient than that of color molecules.

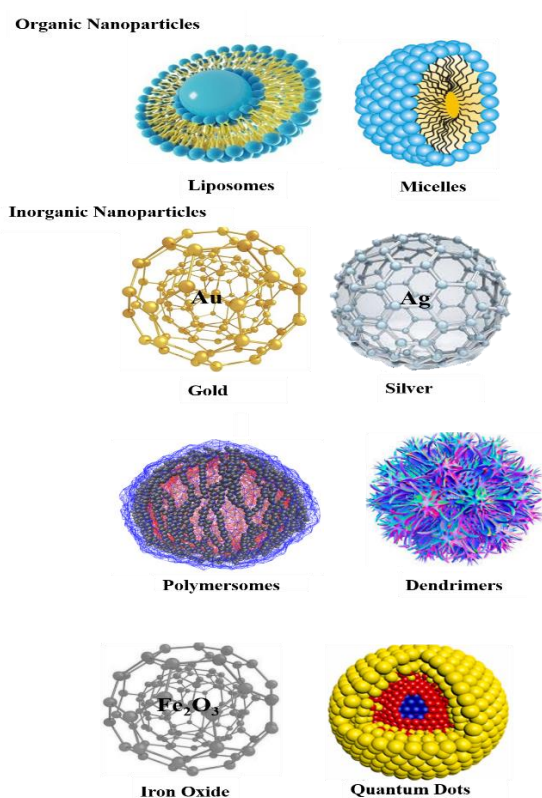


Fig. 1 Types of nanoparticles used in drug delivery system to treat cancer

4- Nanoparticles and cervical cancer

Cervical cancer is a preventable and easily diagnosed disease, however it is one of the three malignant cancers in women and the leading cause of death among women [7]. This test examines for the presence of cancerous or precancerous cells in the cervix. In this test, the cervical cells are gently removed and examined for abnormal growth. Conventional cancer treatments cause disability in the patient. Therefore, scientists are looking for a new way to treat this cancer; one of these methods is to use gold nanoparticles as carriers to deliver the

hydrophobic protoporphyrin molecule into the cancer cell. Gold nanoparticles have the ability to bind strongly to molecules. On the other hand, porphyrins and tetrapyrrole compounds have received much attention due to their wide biological importance and physical, chemical and spectroscopic properties. In addition, these compounds are widely used as optical sensitizers, selective placement in tumor cells, and because they are non-toxic in the treatment of cancer.

According to research, a new treatment for cancer as well as cervical cancer can be developed by designing gold nanoparticles conjugated with protoporphyrin photosensors [68-71]. In this method, gold nanoparticles are coupled to protoporphyrin IX (PpIX) to make gold nanoparticles with an average diameter of about seven nanometers. The results of this study show that these synthesized conjugated gold nanoparticles can be used to treat cervical cancer cells as a highly effective drug carrier to deliver photosensitizers into cells.

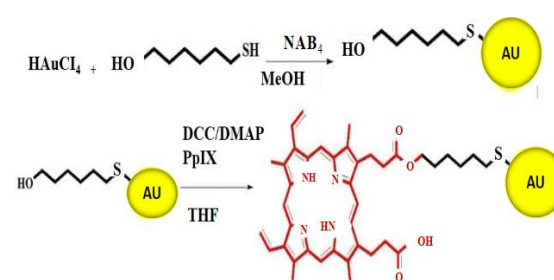


Fig. 2 Synthesis of protoporphyrin-conjugated gold nanoparticles

5- Artificial intelligence in medicine and cancer diagnosis

DL is a subset of machine learning that uses more complex concepts than machine learning algorithms. DL works with neural networks. These networks are designed to mimic human thinking and learning. Until recently, neural networks had limited

computational power and were not very sophisticated. However, advances in big data analytics have allowed larger and more sophisticated neural networks to allow computers to observe, learn, and respond faster than humans. DL has many applications in image classification, language translation and speech recognition; it can also identify patterns for solving any problem and do things without human intervention. Artificial neural networks that cover many layers guide deep learning. These deep neural networks (DNNs) are a type of network, each layer of which performs complex operations such as display and abstract thinking, which helps to make images, sounds and text meaningful. As mentioned, deep learning is one of the sub-fields of machine learning that is widely used in the field of artificial intelligence. DL techniques use data stored in the records of electronic health systems and process large amounts of resources from various sources such as medical imaging, artificial neural networks that help physicians analyze information and diagnose multiple diseases. It performs the diagnosis automatically [68-71]. Information analysis such as blood samples, glucose monitoring in diabetics, diagnosis of heart problems, image analysis to diagnose tumors, cancer cells and cancer, diagnosis of osteoarthritis by MRI before the onset of injury. This is to address many of the concerns of medical care used to reduce the rate of misdiagnosis and predict the outcome of steps. Some of the most important applications of artificial intelligence in medicine.

Due to the importance of brain tissues and cells, the use of computational techniques such as predictive modeling and machine learning including processing and diagnosis of medical images, accurate tumor location

detection and radiotherapy response prediction. Increases the accuracy of radiotherapy and reduces damage to healthy tissues around the tumor. To find the best model for analyzing cancer data, regression analysis including: linear regression and ordinary least squares regression or OLS and logistic regression can be used. Knowledge-based decision support systems are used to improve clinical decision making, and artificial neural networks and fuzzy logic are used to better and faster predict brain cancer. A team of researchers has also developed a mathematical model for classifying brain tumors. This model can identify brain tumors and classify them into one of six categories [66-71]. This model uses only a three-dimensional MRI image. It is also the first study of common intracranial tumors to determine the presence or absence of tumors based on three-dimensional MRI and mechanical imaging. In addition, it has the potential to automate the diagnosis and classification of brain tumors [68-71]. This product analyzed large amounts of data to determine the best treatment options for patients with tumors with genetic abnormalities. This acts as a way to prevent readmission as well as reduce the length of time patients are hospitalized [66-71]. Artificial intelligence is also used to diagnose low back pain. A team of researchers at Mount Sinai University has developed a type of artificial intelligence that can study patients' medical records to diagnose low back pain and determine whether it is chronic or acute. Using this technology, the patient can be told when to return to normal activities, how long to rest, or how many times to see a doctor. This research is also used to discuss the diagnosis, treatment, coding, and reporting of other musculoskeletal disorders

such as knee pain, elbow pain, and shoulder pain.

6- Deep learning and cervical cancer

One of the most important DNN methods is the Convolutional Neural Network (CNN). These networks are multilayer neural networks designed for two-dimensional data such as images. The structure of CNN generally consists of two parts. The first part is the extraction of image properties, which is obtained from the input image by the layers of Convolution, pooling, etc. The second part contains a Fully connected neural network (meaning that all neurons are connected to the next) that can use the multilayer perceptron neural network. To begin with, the input images to the CNNs are converted to RGB format and then into the first Convolutional layer; each layer of Convolutional has neurons that each neuron in a CNN is considered as a filter that scans an image for a specific feature. These feature maps are routed forward and each is used as an input for filters in the next layer [68-71]. To build an overall understanding of the features of an image and measure its compatibility with the CNN format for a particular object this process continues and finally one layer sends its output to one or more fully connected layers. Also, the more layers are used, the more features the extraction will bring, and by adding filters, it may pay more attention to more precise details.

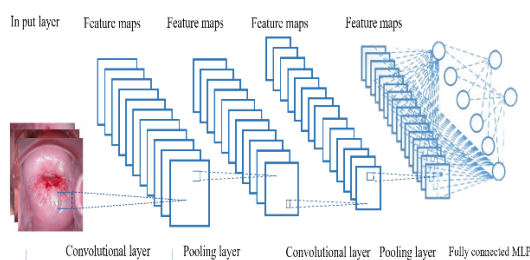


Fig. 3 A simple view from CNN

To apply this science to the diagnosis of cervical cancer, approximately one hundred thousand images of the cervix are used, which are classified into categories such as healthy tissue, benign inflammation, precancerous lesions and suspected cancer. After defining the CNN architecture, Caffe software, which is responsible for validating and training CNN, adjusts CNN filters to improve overall system accuracy. In order for the intelligent system to understand the incompatibilities, the effects of light and magnification, and the changes that occur when taking photos with a mobile device, the system is trained and the diagnoses and performance of the smart device will be compared and evaluated with the diagnosis of medical specialists and pathology tests in the laboratory during testing [66-71].

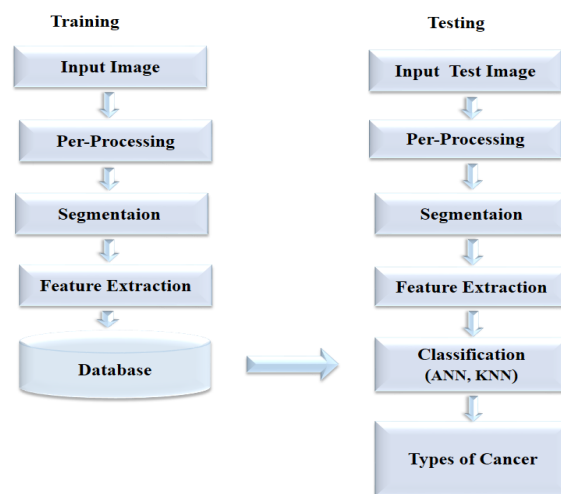


Fig. 4 Block diagram of the proposed system for the diagnosis of cervical cancer

7- Conclusion

As mentioned, cancer is one of the leading causes of death in the world and the number of cancer patients is increasing day by day. Therefore, a lot of attention has been paid to finding a way to diagnose, especially early diagnosis, when there is a good time for treatment before the cancer metastasizes, as well as treatment. In fact, there are

treatments such as chemotherapy, radiation therapy and radiotherapy, but due to the effects that exist during and after treatment. In addition, some cancers that are resistant to these methods have led researchers to develop a new method. On the other hand, effective and the best solution for treatment is the use of multidisciplinary approaches. Therefore, it is possible to use different methods and tools such as the use of nanoparticles for specific delivery of cancer drugs to target tissues and reduce damage to other parts of tissues and organs of the body or the use of nanoparticles to as a method of treatment, as well as the use of deep learning for timely, accurate and correct diagnosis, in addition to saving time and money, unwanted biological effects can be minimized.

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