



## **AN INNOVATIVE METHOD TO ENHANCE THE ACCURACY IN CLASSIFICATION OF CAPTCHA RECOGNITION BY USING K-NEAREST NEIGHBOURS (KNN) ALGORITHM OVER SUPPORT VECTOR MACHINE**

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### **Abstract**

**Aim:** Recognition of captcha to find the Best accuracy of the text based captcha by using the Algorithms in Machine Learning. The two algorithms are K-Nearest Neighbour(KNN) and the Novel Support Vector Machine(SVM).

**Materials and Methods:** The dataset is collected from [www.kaggle.com](http://www.kaggle.com). And the Two groups are K-Nearest Neighbour (N=10) and Novel Support Vector Machine(N=10) by using G-power and minimum power of the analysis is fixed as 80% and maximum accepted error is fixed as 0.5 with threshold value as 0.0805% and Confidence Interval is 95%.

**Results:** The Novel Support vector machine is used to recognize the captcha. The accuracy found for the improved captcha is 99.98% and for the K-Nearest Neighbour is 98.78%. The two algorithms are used to find the improved classification or complexity of the captcha. The significant value obtained is  $p=0.002$  ( $p<0.05$ ) i.e  $\alpha=0.05$  and hence, there exists a statistically significant difference between the two groups with a confidence level of 95%.

**Conclusion:** Recognizing the Captcha Recognition significantly seems to be better in Novel Support vector machines than k-nearest Neighbour.

**Keywords:** K-Nearest Neighbour, Novel Support Vector Machine, Machine Learning, Text based, Captcha Recognition, Complexity.

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## 1. Introduction

It is one of the simplest classification algorithms available for supervised learning. The main idea is to be the closest match of the test data in the feature space of the digital image preprocessing. This algorithm will be increasing the complexity of the captcha Recognition (Z. Wang and Sun 2009). In today's world, this captcha has searched for closed matches of the test data in features space of the image. Manual Human test acknowledgement is a powerful method to keep up with network security and keep noise assaults from computer project. It has been generally utilised in major standard sites. Manual Human test (Captcha Recognition) is for the most part thought of to be converge Turing test to order peoples and computers. This text based Captcha will be used or help us from the Hackers. By using this captcha, the captcha has the main stream on the website to be accessed (Zbancioc and Feraru 2012). K-Nearest Neighbour (KNN) for Captcha Recognition (Kwon, Yoon, and Park 2020a). Also this article Captcha recognition and trends has become even more popular than before (Kwon, Yoon, and Park 2020a). The one more article is a survey on machine learning for Captcha recognition algorithms and techniques (Huber 2019; Sha 2011). Mainly the Novel Support vector Machine algorithm, these applications are to research time series recognition and Captcha recognition using Novel Support Vector Machine.

Captcha Recognition can be carried out from the researchers. There are 750 articles found on IEEE, and 536 articles were found in the Google Scholar. And the Captcha recognition using K-Nearest Neighbour can be found that of 98.78% with the accuracy (Singh et al. 2016) and then the captcha recognition by characters using Novel Support vector machine this algorithm brings the 99.98%. The captcha recognition also used the arabic languages like chinese language using digital image preprocessing with the accuracy of 97.85% (Kwon, Yoon, and Park 2020b) finally the key step of the captcha segmentation to extract individual letters has been reasonably successful with accuracy of 96.45% ("Video for A Low Complexity SVM Classifier for EEG Based Gesture Recognition Using Stochastic Computing," n.d.; Huber 2019).

Our team has extensive knowledge and research experience that has translated into high quality publications (K. Mohan et al. 2022; Vivek et al. 2022; Sathish et al. 2022; Kotteswaran et al. 2022; Yaashikaa, Keerthana Devi, and Senthil Kumar 2022; Yaashikaa, Senthil Kumar, and Karishma

2022; Saravanan et al. 2022; Jayabal et al. 2022; Krishnan et al. 2022; Jayakodi et al. 2022; H. Mohan et al. 2022). The K-Nearest Neighbour has very little precision (accuracy), the exactness of the image is shown at an outstandingly low rate while examining the image and the manual data is ludicrous to hope to add to the dataset (Tamir 2019). The survey intends to chip away at the precision (accuracy) of the images, further fostering the exactness rate of the apparent images, and diminish the lack of data while planning and testing the dataset and also the training the dataset (Alaidi, Alsaïdi, and Yahya 2017). The aim of this K-Nearest Neighbour (KNN) algorithm is implemented by using Novel Support Vector Machine to improve accuracy of Captcha Recognition.

## 2. Materials and Methods

The study setting of the proposed work is done in Saveetha School of Engineering, OOAD lab. The study setting of the proposed work is done in our university laboratory. The sample size was calculated by using [clincalc.com](http://clincalc.com) by keeping G power (Mayr et al. 2007) and minimum power of the analysis is fixed as 0.8 and maximum accepted error is fixed as 0.5 with threshold value as 0.05% and Confidence Interval is 95%. Mean and standard deviation has been calculated based on the previous literature for size calculation. The two groups are used namely K-Nearest Neighbour (N=10) as an existing model as group 1 and Novel Support Vector Machine (N=10) as a Proposed model as Group 2.

### Data Preparation

The Convolutional Neural Network is to find all the Captcha tests that are put away in the dataset, to prepare and test through The dataset comes from Wilhelmly, Rodrigo and Rosas, Horacio. (2013). manual human test dataset. The dataset remembers 10000 information for the type of pictures which are taken as an example from [www.kaggle.com](http://www.kaggle.com). with their separate penmanship styles. There are 1000 prepared pictures and 9000 tried pictures. The example pictures of manual human test present in the dataset has been displayed in Fig. 1 with the 36\*36 pixel size.

### K-Nearest Neighbour (KNN)

It is one of the simplest algorithms of classification of algorithms available for Supervised Learning. The idea is to search for the closest match of the test data in the featured space of the digital image preprocessing. The training and testing data set, all are hitting the accuracy nearly of 98.78% and also improving the complexity of the captcha

recognition. The Fig. 2 will be implemented as below

- ❖ Give the input as image with the 36\*36 pixel size.
- ❖ Then it initialises the decoding of the image.
- ❖ After that it will be proposing the image and then it will be reading the image.
- ❖ It will be segmented and finally it will remain and return the image and letter or text based on the accuracy level of that image.

### Support Vector Machine (SVM)

The utilising Novel Support vector machine calculation to do the Captcha acknowledgment. All might utilise that equivalent theta to move the obscure information to group it by the straight SVM model. This Novel Support vector machine model will work on the exactness of the other calculation or model. When the default number of Novel Support vector machine components is shaky, it has prevailed with regards to accomplishing 92% free captchas, yet just 44% of the test components have been accomplished. With the boundary all have upgraded, the acknowledgment of the complexity captcha sound document has reached 89%. Free digital image preprocessing achievement has arrived at a generally excellent worth of 98%. The Fig. 3 will be implemented as below

- ❖ Downloading the dataset to stack.
- ❖ Introduce the factors to prepare and test the information.
- ❖ Characterise a model. fit () capacity to depict the parts which are to be gotten to for running the code to get precision.
- ❖ Characterise Categorical () capacity to arrange the information.
- ❖ Print the model. fit () work with the necessary ages and discover the exactness.

For comparing both the models, the dataset has been trained with ten different sample sizes. The accuracy values are recorded. The system configuration is used for the algorithm to run in a 64-bit Operating System, 4GB RAM PC, and using Windows 10, Google Colab, and Microsoft Office for software specification. To assess the exhibition of the training model, the information has been parted for training and testing to approve the dataset. Then, at that point, stack and reshape the information clusters to arrange the numbers. Standardise the pixel upsides of grayscale pictures. All the layers will be worked through the ReLU enactment capacity to the absolute cross\_entropy to discover the misfortune work. The model will be assessed with the fit() work which has the

measurements capacity to approve the precision and loss of the information.

### Statistical Analysis

The SPSS statistical software was used in the research for statistical analysis. Group statistics and independent sample t-tests were performed on the experimental results and the graph was built for two groups with two parameters under study. The independent variables are Datasets. The dependent variables are shape, size, Accuracy. The independent T test analysis was carried out to calculate the accuracy for both methods (Selamat, Hakeem Selamat, and Rais 2015).

### 3. Results

K-Nearest Neighbour calculation frames the layers with every one of the pictures of each number, at whatever point it runs at various times because of the introduction of test size (N=10). The layers are shaped because of the cycles, the precision (accuracy) esteem changes with the span of running time and delivers the exactness and misfortune concerning the period which is displayed in Table 1. K-Nearest has preferable exactness and less misfortune over the support vector machine. Because of the enhancement capacities and measurements, the K-Nearest neighbour calculation has not visible with the progressed actuation capacities which are simply limited to the adam, adaleta, and adagrad which takes additional time and the capacities are not taking the entire information to break down the comparable digits in the dataset through the Support vector machine takes the information and structures layers with every captcha separately lastly gives the outcome. Concerning the enhancement capacities, the Accuracy and misfortune have changed and have demonstrated that the support vector machine is superior to k-nearest neighbour. Table 1 represents the data collection from the N=10 samples of the dataset for k-nearest neighbour with the size of 36\*36 pixels to gain accuracy (%) and support vector machines to gain accuracy (%). Table 2 represents the data collection from the N=10 samples of the dataset for K-Nearest Neighbour with the size of 28\*28 pixels to gain accuracy (%) and support vector machines to gain accuracy (%).

Accuracy =

$$\frac{TP + TN}{TP + TN + FP + FN} \quad \text{--(1)}$$

Where, in equation (1)

TP = True Positive

TN = True Negative

FP = False Positive

FN = False Negative

The IBM SPSS version 21 statistical software is used for our study. The independent variables are shape and size and the dependent variable is accuracy (%) for our study Captcha Recognition. In SPSS, the datasets are prepared using N=10 as the sample size for K-Nearest Neighbour and Support Vector Machine. GroupID is given as a grouping variable and accuracy is given as the testing variable. GroupID is given as 1 for support vector machines and group 2 for K-Nearest Neighbours. Group Statistics is applied for the Statistical Package for the Social Sciences (SPSS) dataset and shown in Table 2. By performing the statistical analysis group statistics represents the comparison of the accuracy and Loss of Captcha recognition of k-nearest neighbour and support vector machine. The support vector machine algorithm had the highest accuracy (99.98%). K-Nearest Neighbour had the lowest accuracy (98.78%) in Table 2. Table 3 represents the Independent Sample T-Test that is applied for the sample collections by fixing the level of significance as 0.005 with a confidence interval of 95 %. After applying the SPSS calculation, the support vector machine has accepted a statistically significant value ( $p < 0.05$ ). From Fig. 4 it was represented by a simple bar Mean of Accuracy K-Nearest Neighbour error range (0.99 - 0.98) and support vector machine error range (0.99 - 0.98) .

#### 4. Discussion

General outcomes show that there are a few varieties saw in the precision and misfortune esteems due to the headways of the enhancement capacities which demonstrated that the Support vector Machine with a precision of 99.98% is superior to the K-Nearest Neighbour with an exactness of 98.78% in perceiving the captcha. There is a genuinely huge distinction in creative Captcha Recognition exactness of two calculations having the critical precision worth of 0.001 ( $p < 0.005$  Independent Sample t-Test). The institution is passionate about high-quality text based research and has excelled in various fields (Brodic and Amelio 2019). All hope this study adds to this rich legacy. In the future, all can improve this classification for further development in K-Nearest Neighbour Architecture and the applications of some big complexity noisy data. All can improve this system to recognize characters in different languages. Systems are to be developed to analyse over Retinal Real-time Captcha Image ("Captcha Recognition Using GAN" 2020a). Previously our team has a rich experience in working on various research projects across multiple disciplines ((Kwon, Yoon, and Park 2020b),(Jia et al. 2018),(Shu and Xu 2019a;

Panwar et al. 2018a),(Shu and Xu 2019b; Panwar et al. 2018b),(Shu and Xu 2019b),(Shu and Xu 2019b; J. Wang et al. 2019),(Shu and Xu 2019b; J. Wang et al. 2019; "Captcha Recognition Using GAN" 2020b),(Shu and Xu 2019b; J. Wang et al. 2019; "Captcha Recognition Using GAN" 2020b; Sachdev 2020),(Singh et al. 2016),(T., R., and J. 2016),(Alsuhibany and Parvez 2016),(Alsuhibany and Parvez 2016; Panwar et al. 2018a),(Cao 2021),(Selamat, Hakeem Selamat, and Rais 2015)). Now the growing trend in this area motivated us to pursue this project.(Kwon, Yoon, and Park 2020a).

#### 5. Conclusion

In this examination, the inventive Captcha Recognition framework utilises Wilhelmy, Rodrigo & Rosas, Horacio (2013). The captcha dataset is by all accounts better precision (99.98%) utilising Support Vector Machine than K-Nearest Neighbour (98.78%). The lucidity of Captcha is found with acceptable precision and less misfortune is accomplished and the complexity of the manual human test (Captcha recognition) is improved.

#### Declarations

#### Conflicts of Interest

No conflicts of interest in this manuscript.

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## Tables and Figures

Table 1. Data collection from the N=10 samples of the dataset for K-Nearest Neighbour with the size of 36\*36 pixels to gain accuracy (%) and Support vector machine to gain accuracy (%).

Samples (N)	K-Nearest Neighbour (KNN)	Support Vector Machine (SVM)
	Accuracy (%)	Accuracy (%)
1	98.78	99.98
2	98.56	99.56
3	97.48	98.48
4	96.87	97.48
5	96.14	97.89
6	95.79	96.87
7	94.58	96.12
8	95.06	95.79
9	94.18	94.89
10	93.14	93.58

Table 2. Comparison of the accuracy of Captcha Recognition of K-Nearest Neighbour and support vector machine. The support vector machine algorithm had the highest accuracy (99.98%) and K-Nearest Neighbour had the lowest accuracy (93.14%).

#### Group Statistics

GROUP		N	Mean	Std Deviation	Std Error Mean
ACCURACY	SVM	10	99.9830	2.74173	.86701
	KNN	10	93.1400	.78249	.24744

Table 3. Independent Sample T-Test is applied for the sample collections by fixing the level of significance as 0.05 with confidence interval as 95%. After applying the SPSS calculation, the Support vector machine has accepted a statistically significant value ( $p < 0.05$ ).

	Levene's Test for Equality of Variance		T-test for Equality of Means						
	f	Sig	t	df	Sig.(2-tailed)	Mean Difference	Std.Error Difference	95% Confidence of the Differences	
								Lower	Upper

Accuracy	Equal variances assumed	12.421	.002	4.965	18	.000	4.47700	.90163	2.47987	6.37125
	Equal variances not assumed			4.965	10.456	.000	4.47700	.90163	2.47987	6.37125

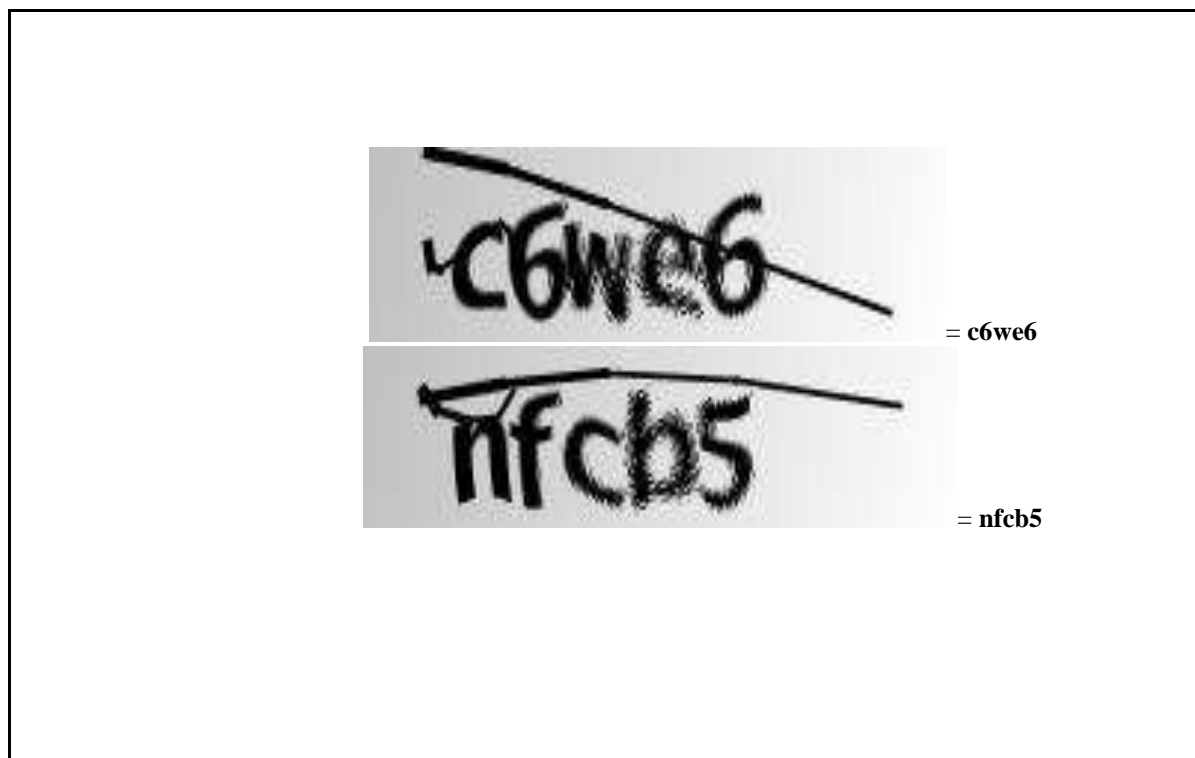


Fig. 1. Captchas from the dataset



Fig. 2. Flowchart of K-Nearest Neighbour Algorithm



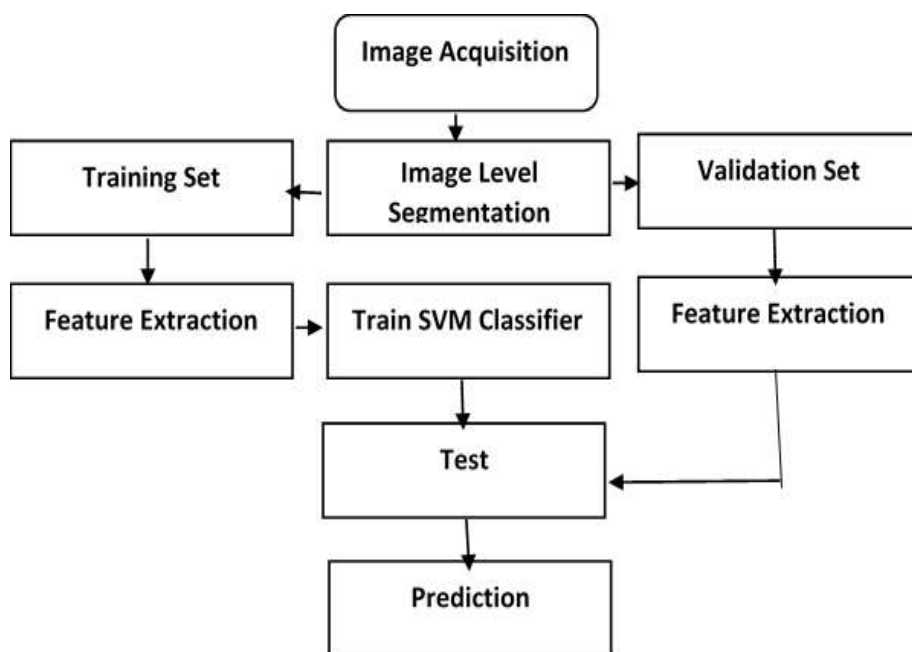


Fig. 3. Flowchart of Support Vector Machine

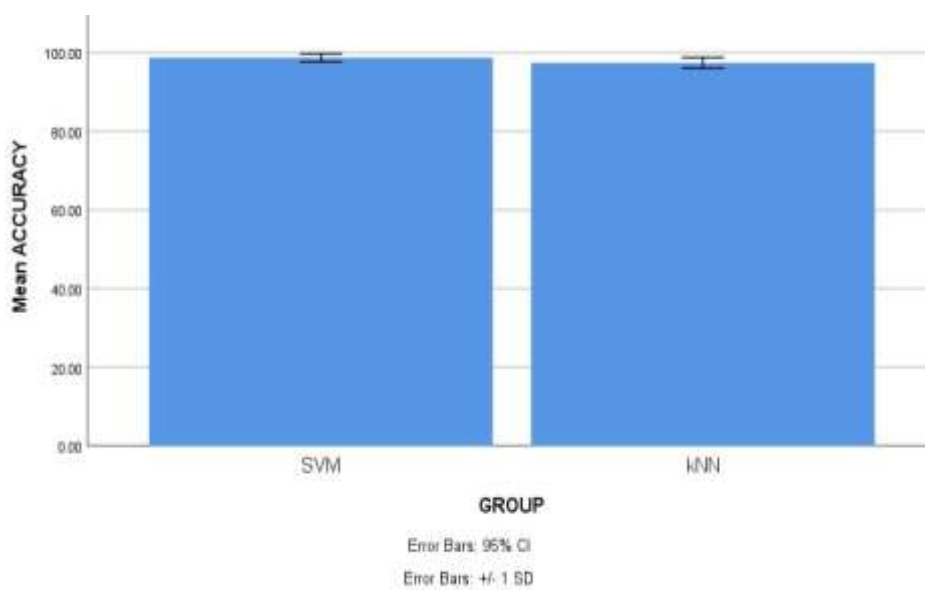


Fig. 4. Simple Bar Mean of Accuracy k-nearest neighbour error range (0.99 - 0.98) and support vector machine error range (0.98- 0.99) and with Mean accuracy of detection  $\pm 1$  SD.X Axis: k-nearest vs support vector machine Y-Axis: Mean accuracy  $\pm 1$  SD.