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This thesis has applied the YOLOV5 object detection model to help classify rice varieties from images of rice grains from the following varieties: Karacadag, Jasmine, Ipsala, Basmati, and Arborio. The research was divided into three main parts: data engineering, which involved developing a Python program to prepare data for artificial intelligence learning; data science operations using Python programming in conjunction with Google Colaboratory for rice grain detection; and the development of model accuracy evaluation method. In the data preparation phase, single-grain JPEG images were obtained from https://www.muratkoklu.com/datasets/, and noise reduction, background removal, and conversion to PNG format were performed. These images were then placed into  $800 \times 800$  pixels images, each containing 20-60 rice grains, with varying degrees of overlapping: no overlap, and 5%, 10%, 15%, 20%, and 25% overlap. The non-overlapping images were used to train the YOLOv5 model, which was then used to classify rice varieties and identify the locations of various rice grains in the images. The research results showed that the YOLOv5 model could effectively classify all five rice varieties. Evaluating the model's accuracy at a threshold of 0.6, it was found that the model could correctly classify rice varieties in images with 0%, 5%, 10%, 15%, 20%, and 25% grain overlap, with accuracy rates of 99.13%, 99.00%, 98.62%, 98.19%, 97.56%, and 96.89%, respectively.

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# CHAPTER I

## INTRODUCTION

In the first half-year of 2022, Thailand was considered the second-largest rice exporter in the world after India. According to the Isra News Agency (2022), the top three rice-exporting countries during that period were as follows: India, accounting for 9.27 million tons of rice; followed by Thailand, exporting 3.51 million tons of rice; and Vietnam, exporting 3.31 million tons of rice. Thailand's rice exports from January to July 2022 amounted to 4,085,198 tons, valued at 71,105.4 million Thai Baht, according to the Thai Rice Exporters Association (2022). Thailand's rice exports are mainly classified into six types: white rice, jasmine rice, parboiled rice, broken rice, glutinous rice, and brown rice (Chaiyanukulkitti, 2022). The form of rice can be classified in accordance with the Notification of the Ministry of Commerce Re: Rice Product Standard B.E. 2559 (Rice Product Standard, 2016) and Re: Prescribing Thai Hom Mali Rice as a Standard Product and Thai Hom Mali Rice Product Standard (No. 3) B.E. 2559 (Thai Hom Mali Rice Product Standard, 2016). This classification takes into account various factors, such as rice variety, product acquisition process (including husking, milling, and steaming), moisture content, grain shape and color, and amylose content (which affects the texture of cooked rice). However, each type of rice has a different price, and the reliability of rice exports is affected by the amount of adulteration of cheaper rice varieties. Various methods for detecting rice adulteration are currently being developed, including DNA extraction.

Currently, artificial intelligence (AI) plays a significant role in research related to object recognition and detection, such as facial recognition, personal identification, patient classification, disease diagnosis, and the classification of types and models of vehicles. In the agriculture-related industry, there have been developments, such as the creation of an expert egg grading system based on machine vision and artificial intelligence techniques (Omid et al., 2013), the use of deep learning for fruit classification (Mimma et al., 2022), mushroom classification (Tarawneh et al., 2022), and the detection and species

classification of orchid flowers (Steven & Toon, 2015). However, there is also ongoing research related to the use of AI or machine learning techniques in working with rice, such as the work of Aki, Güllü, and Uçar (2015), Zareiforoush et al. (2016), Cinar and Köklü (2019, 2021, 2022), Köklü, Cinar, and Taspinar (2021), among others. They have applied many techniques to classify various varieties of rice grain. The results of these works have helped in the development of classification performance in terms of both accuracy and time efficiency.

The aim of this work is to study the use of image data of milled rice grains, namely Karacadag, Jasmine, Ipsala, Basmati, and Arborio, which are publicly available from Dr.Murat KÖKLÜ, an instructor at Selçuk University's Faculty of Technology, Department of Computer Engineering and Software. The dataset consists of 15,000 JPEG format images for each grain of rice, with a resolution of 250x250 pixels (75,000 images in total). The first stage of our research is the data engineering process which organizes data to be enable the computer system to recognize different varieties of rice grains in images. The second stage is the data science stage which provides a model for future image classification of other grain varieties. On the last stage, all obtained models will be validated and verified.

## 1.1 Research objective

To apply mathematical knowledge in digital image processing field and object detection techniques for the classification of rice varieties from milled rice grain images.

## 1.2 Scope and limitations

- 1. The dataset was selected from muratkoklu, public data of Dr.Murat KÖKLÜ, the instructor of Selçuk University, Faculty of Technology, Department of Computer Engineering, Department of Software, retrieved from https://www.muratkoklu.com/datasets.
- 2. Using Python language version 3.7, the programming language to generate images

and detect an object, working on ASUS-TUF Gaming FX505DU-AL052T, CPU AMD Ryzen 7 3750H with Graphic Processing Radeon Vega Mobile Gfx 2.30 GHz, 16GB RAM, and Microsoft Windows 11 OS.

# 1.3 Research procedure

The research work proceeded as follows:

- 1. Study mathematical knowledge in digital image processing for preprocessing data to train a model.
- 2. Study the YOLOv5 model and technique for apply a model to detect a rice grain in an image.
- 3. Apply a model to detect, classify and locate a rice grain in an image with Python language.
- 4. Accuracy measurement for the YOLOv5 model.

## 1.4 Expected results

It is expected to use the YOLOv5 model as a prototype model to detect, classify and locate each rice grain in the test images.

# CHAPTER II

# LITERATURE REVIEW

This chapter presents the algorithm of machine learning to detect an object and technique for data engineering.

## 2.1 Digital Image Processing

Digital image processing refers to the process of manipulating and analyzing images using a computer to convert them into digital data. This allows us to obtain both qualitative and quantitative information.

### 2.1.1 Grayscale Image

A grayscale image is typically represented as a matrix of pixel values, where each pixel represents a point in the image and the value of the pixel represents the intensity of the grayscale color at that point.

A grayscale image is a 2-dimensional array where the values in the array represent the intensity of the gray color of each pixel. Each pixel in a grayscale image is represented by a single scalar value ranging from 0 (black) to 255 (white), where 0 represents the absence of any light and 255 represents the maximum amount of light, a grayscale image can be represented as a function f(x, y), where x and y are the spatial coordinates of the pixel and f(x, y) is the intensity value at that point. This function can be thought of as a continuous function that describes the intensity variation of the grayscale color across the image.

The matrix representation of a grayscale image can be used to perform various mathematical operations on the image, such as filtering, transformation, and analysis.

#### 2.1.2 Binary Image

Converting a color image to binary allows it to be displayed on a device with only two levels of intensity, or 1 bit, where 0 represents black and 1 represents white. This conversion reduces storage space and is also useful in preprocessing, specifically through the use of the thresholding binary technique. This technique separates objects from the background by changing pixel values to either 0 or 1 based on whether they are less than or greater than/equal to the threshold value, as defined by equation (2.1),

$$b(x,y) = \begin{cases} 0, & p(x,y) < \text{Thr} \\ 1, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
(2.1)

when b(x, y) is a pixel value of binary image, p(x, y) is a pixel value of the input image and **Thr** is the threshold constant value, it is between 0 and the maximum intensity of the point in the image.

#### 2.1.3 Morphology

In mathematics, morphology is set theory, the objects' shapes in an image are a set in morphology. In binary images, the sets are members of integer space  $Z^2$ , an element of a set is a tuple (vector in  $Z^2$ ) whose coordinates are the (x, y) coordinates of a black pixel in the image. Morphological operations bring input images manipulated by a shape matrix called structuring elements, and the output image is obtained. Most often this concept is used to separate objects from the background or to modify the shape of an object with the limitation that the image used to separate the object from the background must be a binary image.

Let A and B be sets in  $Z^2$ , with components  $a = (a_1, a_2)$  and  $b = (b_1, b_2)$ , respectively. The translation of A by  $x = (x_1, x_2)$ , denoted  $(A)_x$ , is defined as

$$(A)_x = \{c | c = a + x, \text{ for all } a \in A\}.$$
 (2.2)

The reflection of B, denoted  $\hat{B}$ , is defined as

$$\hat{B} = \{x | x = -b, \text{ for all } b \in B\}.$$
 (2.3)

The complement of set A is

$$A^c = \{x | x \notin A\}. \tag{2.4}$$

Finally, the difference of two sets A and B, denoted A - B, is defined as

$$A - B = \{x | x \in A, x \notin B\} = A \cap B^c.$$

$$(2.5)$$

Set B is commonly as the structuring element in dilation, as well as in other morphological operations. Let  $\varnothing$  denoting the empty set, the dilation of A by B, denoted  $A \oplus B$ , is defined as

$$A \oplus B = \{ x | (\hat{B})_x \cap A \neq \emptyset \}.$$
(2.6)

The erosion of A by B, denoted  $A \ominus B$ , is defined as

$$A \odot B = \{ x | (B)_x \subseteq A \}.$$
(2.7)

Dilation expands an image and erosion shrinks it. The opening of set A by structuring element B, denoted  $A \circ B$ , is defined as

$$A \circ B = (A \odot B) \oplus B.$$
(2.8)

The closing of set A by structuring element B, denoted  $A \bullet B$ , is defined as

$$A \bullet B = (A \oplus B) \ominus B. \tag{2.9}$$

Opening, it's an operation that brings erosion and dilation together. Image erosion may help reduce noise in the lost image followed by dilation of the image to help bring the image back close to the original. Closing, also tends to reduce noise in the lost image but, with a different sequence of operations, closing starts with a dilation first followed by an erosion.



(e) Set A and its complement.

(f) The difference of two sets.

Figure 2.1 Set translation and set reflection.





Figure 2.2 Example of dilation.





Figure 2.3 Example of erosion.

source: https://homepages.inf.ed.ac.uk/rbf/HIPR2/erode.htm



Figure 2.4 Example of opening.

source: https://homepages.inf.ed.ac.uk/rbf/HIPR2/open.htm#guidelines



Figure 2.5 Example of closing.

source: https://homepages.inf.ed.ac.uk/rbf/HIPR2/close.htm#variants

# 2.2 Data Labeling

Data labeling means that we define the objective of the work we want to do so that the model can understand it. In image detection, labeling involves determining the location of an object and classifying it by creating a bounding box that covers the object.



Figure 2.6 Example of data labeling.

# 0 0.4953125 0.496875 0.546875 0.29140625

Figure 2.7 Example data of data labeling.

In Figure 2.7, the first value represents the object type, while the second and third values indicate the center position of the object in (x, y) form. The fourth and fifth values represent the width and height of the object, respectively.

#### 2.3 Intersection over Union (IoU)

Intersection over Union (IoU) is a common metric used in object detection to evaluate the performance of an algorithm that detects objects in an image. IoU measures the similarity between the predicted bounding box (i.e., the region of an image where the algorithm thinks the object is located) and the ground truth bounding box (i.e., the true location of the object in the image).

IoU is defined as the ratio of the area of the intersection between the predicted and ground truth bounding boxes to the area of their union. The formula for calculating IoU is:

$$IoU = \frac{Area \text{ of Intersection}}{Area \text{ of Union}}.$$
 (2.10)

To calculate the area of intersection, we first determine the overlapping region between the predicted and ground truth bounding boxes. This is the region where the predicted box and the ground truth box both have non-zero area. We then calculate the area of this region.

To calculate the area of union, we add the areas of the predicted and ground truth bounding boxes and subtract the area of intersection. This is because the intersection is counted twice (once in each bounding box) when we add the areas of the two boxes.

Once we have calculated IoU for a set of predictions and ground truth boxes, we can use it as a performance metric to evaluate the accuracy of the object detection algorithm. A common threshold for determining whether a detection is correct is an IoU of 0.5 or greater. This means that if the IoU between a predicted bounding box and a ground truth bounding box is greater than or equal to 0.5, we consider the detection to be correct.

#### 2.4 Non-Maximum Suppression (NMS)

Non-Maximum Suppression (NMS) is a post-processing step often used in object detection algorithms to eliminate duplicate detections of the same object.

NMS involves three inputs:

- 1. A set of bounding boxes  $B = \{b_1, b_2, ..., b_n\}$ .
- 2. A set of confidence scores  $C = \{c_1, c_2, ..., c_n\}$ , where  $c_i$  is the confidence score for the *i*-th bounding box  $b_i$ .
- 3. A threshold value  $\theta$ .

The NMS algorithm works as follows:

- 1. Sort the bounding boxes in B in descending order of their confidence scores in C.
- 2. Select the bounding box with the highest confidence score, and remove all other bounding boxes that have a high overlap with it, i.e. the boxes having an intersection over union (IoU) greater than a threshold  $\theta$ . The remaining set of boxes after this step is denoted as B'.
- 3. Repeat step 2 until there are no more bounding boxes left in B.

# 2.5 YOLOv5 model

The YOLOv5 model is a One-Stage Object Detection algorithm that can simultaneously detect the object and the area in which it appears in the image. Other object detection algorithms, such as R-CNN, Fast R-CNN, and Faster R-CNN, are two-stage or multistage algorithms that detect a region of an object before identifying what it is. While Two-Stage or Multi-Stage Object Detection may be more accurate in detecting objects than One-Stage Object Detection, the YOLOv5 model offers faster performance. The YOLOv5 model's operations are divided into four sub-stages: Input, Backbone, Neck, and Head, as shown in Figure 2.8. In the Input stage, the model imports data, which can be an image, patches, or an image pyramid. In the Backbone stage, the model processes features using neural networks such as VGG16, ResNet-50, ResNeXt-101, and Darknet53. The Neck stage aggregates features using neural networks such as FPN and PANet. Finally, in the Head stage, the model prepares for prediction using neural networks such as RPN, YOLO, SSD, RetinaNet, and FCOS.



Figure 2.8 Structure of One-Stage Object Detector.

The object analysis process begins with the model looking at grid cells of size  $S \times S$ . Each grid cell predicts the bounding box surrounding the object in the image and the probability that it belongs to the object. The model only predicts objects with a probability greater than 50%, allowing it to identify which objects are of interest within the box boundaries. This process is illustrated in Figure 2.9.



Figure 2.9 YOLOv5 model system.

# 2.6 Researches Related with the rice grain classification and the object detection

Ren, He, Girshick, and Sun (2016) present a new object detection approach called Region Proposal Network (RPN), which efficiently generate high-quality region proposals by sharing full-image convolutional features with the detection network. The RPN is trained end-to-end and provides region proposals that are used by the Fast R-CNN detection network. The authors also propose to merge the RPN and Fast R-CNN into a single network, using "attention" mechanisms to guide the network's focus. This integration achieves state-of-the-art detection performance while maintaining efficiency.

Cinar and Köklü (2019) design a computerized vision system to differentiate between two different types of rice. The researchers employ several machine learning approaches, including logistic regression (LR), multilayer perceptron (MLP), support vector machine (SVM), decision tree (DT), random forest (RF), Naive Bayes (NB), and k-nearest neighbors (k-NN), to assess the system's performance. The achieved classification accuracy rates are 93.02% for LR, 92.86% for MLP, 92.83% for SVM, 92.49% for DT, 92.39% for RF, 91.71% for NB, and 88.58% for k-NN.

Zhao, Zheng, Xu, and Wu (2019) provide a comprehensive overview of recent advances in deep learning-based object detection. The review covers various deep learning architectures, including Faster R-CNN, YOLO, SSD, and RetinaNet, and examines the strengths and weaknesses of each method. Overall, the authors highlight the remarkable progress made in deep learning-based object detection and the potential for further improvements in the future. They also discuss recent developments in object detection with attention mechanisms and multi-scale feature fusion.

Hamzah and Mohamed (2020) conduct a study to explore innovative approaches in utilizing technology for rice quality classification to avoid contamination. They employ an artificial neural network (ANN) to detect impurities in rice grains. The results show that using a multilayer perceptron neural network (MLPNN) in the ANN produces the highest precision, achieving a rate of 96%.

Truong Hoang , Van Hoai, Surinwarankoon, Duong, and Meethongjan (2020) aim

to automate rice recognition using a combination of hand-crafted descriptors and CNN methods. The researchers conduct their experiment on the VNRICE dataset and achieve a high level of accuracy using the DenNet21 framework. Their results demonstrate the effectiveness of their proposed method in rice recognition with an accuracy rate of 99.04%.

Cinar and Köklü (2021) organize a study in which they utilize feature extraction techniques to analyze five distinct rice varieties from a single brand. The researchers incorporate morphological, shape, and color features in their analysis, resulting in the extraction of a total of 106 features after conducting pre-processing operations. Morphological feature analysis provides 12 characteristics obtained through shape analysis, while shape features is comprised of four features. Moreover, the researchers extract 90 color features using five different color spaces, including RGB, HSV, Lab\*, YCbCr, and XYZ. The study aim to identify the top five features that are most effective and specific in distinguishing between the rice varieties through various tests. These features are roundness, compactness, shape factor, aspect ratio, and eccentricity, out of a total of 106 features. The findings of this research suggest the potential of feature extraction techniques in classifying rice varieties based on unique characteristics.

Köklü, Cinar, and Taspinar (2021) focus on the classification of the five most frequently grown rice varieties in Turkey, namely Arborio, Basmati, Ipsala, Jasmine, and Karacadag. The dataset consists of 75,000 grain images, with 15,000 images collected for each rice variety. The second dataset is comprised of 106 features, which includes 12 morphological, four shape, and 90 color features, extracted from these images. The researchers apply Artificial Neural Network (ANN) and Deep Neural Network (DNN) algorithms to process the feature dataset, and the Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) algorithm for the image dataset to perform the classification processes. These models produce a significantly high level of classification accuracy, with ANN achieving a 99.87% accuracy rate, DNN achieving 99.95%, and CNN achieving 100% accuracy. These findings suggest that feature extraction and machine learning techniques can play an instrumental role in accurately classifying rice varieties based on morphological, shape, and color characteristics.

Bhupendra, Moses, Miglani, and Kankar (2022) develop a machine vision system that constructed a dataset of 8048 high-resolution images of damaged rice grains, spanning seven damage classes. They use five different state-of-the-art memory-efficient Deep Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) models, including EfficientNet-B0, ResNet-50, InceptionV3, MobileNetV2, and MobileNetV3, which are fine-tuned for damage classification of milled rice grains. The study shows that the EfficientNet-B0 model outperformed the other models with an overall classification accuracy of 98.37%, achieving high individual class accuracy rates ranging from 95.45% to 100%. Moreover, the model has a significantly reduced size (47 MB) and a short prediction time of 0.122 seconds, making it an efficient system for the classification of damaged rice grains.

Cinar and Köklü (2022) explore the classification of five distinct varieties of rice by utilizing features such as morphology, shape, and color. The researchers collect a total of 75,000 images of rice grains, with 15,000 images per variety, which are pre-processed using MATLAB software and prepare for feature extraction. A total of 106 features are extracted from the images, including 12 morphological, 4 shape, and 90 color features from various color spaces. To develop classification models, the researchers utilize machine learning techniques and employed algorithms such as decision tree, k-nearest neighbor, logistic regression, multilayer perceptron, random forest, and support vector machines. Results indicate that the random forest algorithm achieves the highest average classification accuracy, with an accuracy of 97.99% for morphological features and 98.04% for morphological and shape features. The logistic regression algorithm achieves a classification accuracy of 99.25% for color features, while the multilayer perceptron algorithm has the highest accuracy of 99.91% when using all three types of features (morphological, shape, and color). This research sheds light on the potential of utilizing machine learning algorithms in the classification of rice varieties based on various features.

# CHAPTER III

# **RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**

This chapter presents the process used in this research. The process comprises of 4 parts as follows: 1) data import, 2) data engineering for train and test data, 3) modeling by the YOLOv5 model, 4) accuracy measurement for the YOLOv5 model.

# 3.1 Data Import

The rice grain image data used in this thesis was obtained from "muratkoklu", public data of Dr.Murat KÖKLÜ, available on https://www.muratkoklu.com/datasets, the dataset consisting of images of Aborio rice grains, Basmati rice grains, Ipsala rice grains, Jasmine rice grains, and Karacadag rice grains, with 15,000 images of each variety.



(a) A Arborio rice grain. (b) A Basmati rice grain. (c) A Ipsala rice grain.





(d) A Jasmine rice grain. (e) A Karacadag rice grain.

Figure 3.1 A five-variety rice grain.

## 3.2 Data Engineering for Train and Test data

From an image of a rice grain, the background is not completely black (some pixel values are not equal to zero), as shown in Figure 3.2.



Figure 3.2 A rice grain image.

We solved this by removing the background of each grain of rice (making it transparent), we use closing and opening in morphological operations to eliminate noise, as shown in Figure 3.3.



Figure 3.3 The noise elimination.

In this particular image, there is a large of noise that cannot be eliminated by using closing and opening techniques. Instead, we use contour techniques to isolate the main object in the image, as shown in Figure 3.4.

We created a blank image with a size of  $800 \times 800$  pixels to generate a mixed rice grain image using Python and the Jupyter Notebook program. This was done to create images with multiple objects in one image. The image was created by randomly sampling images of rice grains from all 5 varieties, with 6,000 images of each variety (30,000 total



(b) An image with closing, opening, and contour.

Figure 3.4 The noise elimination with contour.

images), and placing them in the overall image of the rice grains, resulting in 7,000 images without overlapping. Each mixed rice grain image contains 20 to 35 different rice grains, randomly placed in different positions, and we created a file to write data on the variety, position, and size of each rice grain (labeling data).

For the test data, we created mixed rice grain images for the model to detect rice grains. However, these images are different from the ones used for training data because it may occur the overlapping of rice grain in the images for the real situation. Here, we used a transparent rice grain image to create a rice grain collection to measure the accuracy of the YOLOv5 model. The mixed rice grain images with the overlap of the rice grains were done as the followings. The images allow overlap rice grain images in size with an  $800 \times 800$  pixels resolution at rates of 0%, 5%, 10%, 15%, 20%, and 25% overlapping. There were 500 images for each overlapping rate (a total of 3,000 images).



Figure 3.5 Example of overlapping rice grains in a mixed rice grain image.

# 3.3 Modeling by the YOLOv5 model

We input 7,000 mixed rice grain images to generate the YOLOv5 model via Python using the Google Colaboratory program. We set the default parameter learning rate at 0.01, batch size at 16 (the number of transmitted data), and epoch at 5 (the number of training cycles). This allows us to detect the location and identify the rice grain, as shown in Figure 3.6.



**Figure 3.6** Result of training the model to detect the location and identify the varieties of rice grains.

## 3.4 Accuracy measurement for the YOLOv5 model

To measure the accuracy of the YOLOv5 model, we detect a rice grain in a overlapping rice grain image with conf = 0.25 (conf-thres is the smallest value to be shown or precision). If it is less than 0.25, it will not be shown. The results of detection by the YOLOv5 model are a detected image and data of a variety, position, and size of a rice grain.



<sup>(</sup>a) A detected image.

0.9625 0.718125 0.075 0.21375 0.94 0.9075 0.0675 0.175 4975 0.858125 0.165 0.08625 56375 0.9475 0.21 0.0675 219375 0.94875 0.15875 0.085 0.299375 0.12875 0.11375 515 0.421875 0.235 0.07125 796875 0.798125 0.16875 0.07875 0.939375 0.115 0.11375 72125 0.061875 0.175 0.09875 0.5925 0.14875 0.115 094375 0.430625 0.14625 0.13125 088125 0.220625 0.16375 0.21375 39125 0.1575 0.165 0.115 821875 0.599375 0.13625 0.10875 3075 0.62125 0.1675 0.0875 0.059375 0.22 0.10875 0.71875 0.23875 0.055 774375 .5125 0.21625 0.155 298125 2725 0.1475 0.1975 055625 0.1525 0.10125 0.2325 0.13

(b) A detected data.

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Figure 3.7 The detection of a mixed rice grains image.

We use labeling data to create a filled image with different pixel values (a pixel value depends on variety), as shown in Figure 3.8 (a).

We bring a mixed rice grain image and convert it to a grayscale image, as shown in Figure 3.8 (b). Then we reconstruct a filled mixed rice grain image with the shape of the grain according to the mixed rice grain image and the pixel value according to the filled image. This gives us an overview of the rice grains with pixel values according to the rice varieties, as shown in Figure 3.8 (c).



(a) A filled image.











Figure 3.9 The detectable area of the YOLOv5 model.

The accuracy is defined as the ratio of the number of rice grain variety pixels detected in the detectable area of the YOLOv5 model to the total number of pixels detected, as shown in Figure 3.10.

We assume that the YOLOv5 model correctly detected the rice grain if the number of rice grain variety pixels was greater than the threshold value.

Overall, the workflow of this thesis is presented in the following flowchart.



Figure 3.10 Flowchart of the workflow in this thesis.

# CHAPTER IV

# **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

This chapter presents the results from the data engineering process and the accuracy measurement for the YOLOv5 model.

# 4.1 Data Engineering

We use Python code and morphological operations to eliminate noise and remove the background from a rice grain image, The results are shown in Figure 4.1.



(a) A normal rice grain image.

(b) A transparent rice grain image.

Figure 4.1 The transparency of a rice grains image.

We use Python code to create a composite image of mixed rice grains, and a text file to record data on the variety, position, and scale of each grain. The results are shown in Figure 4.2.

To create an overlapping image of rice grains, the results are shown in Figure 4.3.



(a) A mixed rice grain image.

(b) Data of rice grains labeling.

Figure 4.2 A mixed rice grains image to train model.



(a) A 0% overlap image.



(d) A 15% overlap image.



(b) A 5% overlap image.



(e) A 20% overlap image.



(c) A 10% overlap image.



(f) A 25% overlap image.

Figure 4.3 The overlapping of a rice grains image.

# 4.2 Accuracy measurement for the YOLOv5 model

For the measurement of the accuracy of the YOLOv5 model used in the detection of all 5 types of rice grains, we set the threshold value at 0.75, 0.7, 0.65, 0.6, and 0.55.

	overlap						
	0%	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%	
Arborio	3799	41 <mark>45</mark>	4295	4348	4637	4882	
Basmatic	3009	3448	3571	3759	3875	3930	
Ipsala	2474	2584	2771	2893	3027	3140	
Jasmine	4010	4580	4516	4725	5105	5135	
Karacadag	4221	4630	4868	4827	5145	5396	

 Table 4.1 The total number of rice grains in mixed rice grain images.

 Table 4.2 The total number of rice grains detected.

		overlap						
	0%	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%		
Arborio	3889	4259	4447	4562	4877	5194		
Basmatic	3011	3443	3588	3774	3914	3968		
Ipsala	2473	2585	2772	2894	3029	3142		
Jasmine	4047	4630	4568	4792	5179	5214		
Karacadag	4208	4602	4830	4778	5084	5302		

		overlap						
	0%	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%		
Total of True	17418	19117	19579	19940	20805	21176		
Total of False	210	402	626	860	1278	1644		
Accuracy	0.9881	0.9794	0.9690	0.9586	0.9421	0.9280		

Table 4.3 The accuracy of the YOLOv5 model with the threshold value = 0.75.

Table 4.4 The accuracy of the YOLOv5 model with the threshold value = 0.70.

			ove	rlap		
	0%	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%
Total of True	17459	19229	19757	20170	21145	21612
Total of False	169	290	448	630	938	1208
Accuracy	0.9904	0.9851	0.9778	0.9697	0.9575	0.9471
Total of True Total of False Accuracy	17459 169 0.9904	19229 290 0.9851	10757 19757 448 0.9778	20170 630 0.9697	2076 21145 938 0.9575	216 120 0.94

 Table 4.5 The accuracy of the YOLOv5 model with the threshold value = 0.65.

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Nellasuno fu overlap								
	0%	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%		
Total of True	17471	19294	19859	20326	21390	21933		
Total of False	157	225	346	474	693	887		
Accuracy	0.9911	0.9885	0.9829	0.9772	0.9686	0.9611		

		overlap						
	0%	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%		
Total of True	17475	19324	19926	20423	21545	22111		
Total of False	153	195	279	377	538	709		
Accuracy	0.9913	0.9900	0.9862	0.9819	0.9756	0.9689		

Table 4.6 The accuracy of the YOLOv5 model with the threshold value = 0.60.

Table 4.7 The accuracy of the YOLOv5 model with the threshold value = 0.55.

			ove	rlap		
	0%	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%
Total of True	17475	19332	19952	20460	21630	22228
Total of False	153	187	253	340	453	592
Accuracy	0.9913	0.9904	0.9875	0.9836	0.9795	0.9740



### 4.3 Accuracy consideration of the YOLOv5 model

We plotted the accuracy values of the YOLOv5 model on a graph, with the horizontal axis representing overlapping percentages. Specifically, 1 denotes 25% overlapping, 2 represents 20% overlapping, 3 is 15% overlapping, 4 is 10% overlapping, 5 represents 5% overlapping, and 6 represents non-overlapping.



Figure 4.4 The graph of the accuracy value of the model.

Upon examining the accuracy graph, we observed that the accuracy value for nonoverlapping rice grain images at a threshold of 0.60 was identical to that at a threshold of 0.55. As a result, we determined that a threshold of 0.60 would be the optimal choice for assessing the accuracy of the YOLOv5 model.

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# CHAPTER V

# CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATION

In this research, our aim is to classify different varieties of rice grains using the YOLOV5 model as a detection method. We began by preparing rice grain image data and labeling it to train the YOLOV5 model. To measure the accuracy of the YOLOV5 model, we used overlapping rice grain images and applied the threshold technique at values of 0.75, 0.70, 0.65, 0.60, and 0.55. The accuracy value of the YOLOV5 model with non-overlapping rice grain images at a threshold of 0.60 was the same as the accuracy value with non-overlapping rice grain images at a threshold of 0.55. Based on this, we concluded that a threshold value of 0.60 is optimal for measuring the accuracy of the YOLOV5 model.

As part of our recommendations, we suggest using data on various rice grain varieties in Thailand to reduce rice adulteration and increase the reliability of exports.





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APPENDIX A

APPLICATION OF PYTHON CODE IN DATA ENGINEERING

AND MODELING

ะ ราวักยาลัยเทคโนโลยีสุรมโ This chapter presents some Python code using in this thesis.

#### A.1 The transparency image by Python code in Jupyter Notebook

import cv2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt from skimage import filters import os import numpy as np path = 'C:/Users/Asus/Desktop/JPG/' path2 = 'C:/Users/Asus/Desktop/PNG/ os.chdir(path) for file in os.listdir(): if file.endswith(".jpg"):  $f name = f''{path}/{file}''$ wf name = path2+f"{file}".replace('.jpg' print(f name) print(wf name) fimg = cv2.imread(f name, 1)height = fimg.shape[0] width = fimg.shape[1] blank img = np.zeros((height,width,3), np.uint8) gray = cv2.cvtColor(fimg, cv2.COLOR BGR2GRAY) \_, thresh = cv2.threshold(gray, 0, 255, cv2.THRESH\_BINARY + cv2.THRESH\_OTSU) kernel = np.ones((9,9), np.uint8) mask = cv2.morphologyEx(thresh, cv2.MORPH CLOSE, kernel) mask = cv2.morphologyEx(thresh, cv2.MORPH\_OPEN, kernel) *# put mask into alpha channel of result* result = fimg.copy() result = cv2.cvtColor(result, cv2.COLOR BGR2BGRA) result[:, :, 3] = mask gray = cv2.cvtColor(result, cv2.COLOR BGR2GRAY) # using contours to find the biggest object \_, thresh = cv2.threshold(gray, 0, 255, cv2.THRESH\_BINARY + cv2.THRESH\_OTSU)

The transparency image process is the following:

```
contours, hierarchy = cv2.findContours(thresh,cv2.RETR_LIST, \
                            cv2.CHAIN APPROX SIMPLE)
mx = (0, 0, 0, 0)
                    # biggest bounding box so far
mx area = 0
for cont in contours:
    x,y,w,h = cv2.boundingRect(cont)
    area = w*h
    if area > mx area:
        mx = x, y, w, h
        mx area = area
x, y, w, h = mx
crop img = result[y:y+h,x:x+w]
plt.imshow(crop img)
plt.show()
blank img2 = np.zeros((height, width, 4), np.uint8)
blank img2[y:y+h, x:x+w] = crop img
new width = width
new_height = height
result2 = cv2.resize(blank img2,(int(new width),int(new height)))
cv2.imwrite(wf name, result2)
```

We start by reading an image of a single rice grain in JPEG format. Next, we apply a grayscale transformation to the image. This process allows us to highlight the distinct features and characteristics of the rice grain, making it easier to analyze and manipulate. Finally, we save the grayscale image in PNG format. This format is ideal for storing grayscale images because it can maintain high-quality detail while minimizing file size, making it easier to share and store the image.

# A.2 A mixed rice grain image and labeling data by Python code in Jupyter Notebook

The mixed rice grain image and labeling data process is the following:

import os import numpy as np import random

```
path = 'C:/Users/Asus/Desktop/Train'
```

```
path2 = path+'/Label/'
```

```
path3 = path+'/IM/'
```

```
meta_name = path3+'data.csv'
```

```
metaf = open(meta name, 'w')
```

```
metaf.write('File name, Arborio, Basmati, Ipsala, Jasmine, Karacadag, SUM\n')
```

os.chdir(path)

```
imgwidth = 800
```

```
imgheight = 800
```

```
blank img = np.zeros((imgwidth,imgheight,3), np.uint8)
```

```
for rnn in range(1,7001):
```

```
blank img = np.zeros((imgwidth,imgheight,3), np.uint8)
background = blank_img
```

```
wf name = path2+str(rnn). zfill(4)+'. txt'
```

```
ftxt = open(wf name, 'w')
```

```
k_count = j_count = i_count = b_count = a_count = 0
```

```
count type = np.zeros(5)
```

```
numseed = random.randint(20, 35)
```

```
for seedcount in range(1,numseed+1):
```

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file = random.choice(os.listdir(path))
```

```
if file.endswith(".png"):
```

```
f name = f"{path}/{file}"
```

fimg = cv2.imread(f\_name, cv2.IMREAD\_UNCHANGED)

```
height = fimg.shape[0]
```

```
width = fimg.shape[1]
```

```
x,y,w,h = cv2.boundingRect(fimg)
```

```
countcheck = 0
```

while True:

```
countcheck += 1
xoffset = random.randint(0, imgwidth-w)
yoffset = random.randint(0,imgheight-h)
```

```
crop_img2 = blank_img[yoffset:yoffset+h, xoffset:xoffset+w]
               summ = crop img2.sum()
                if summ==0:
                    overlay = fimg[y:y+h,x:x+w]
# IMREAD UNCHANGED => open image with the alpha channel
```

alpha channel = overlay[:, :, 3] / 255 # convert from 0-255 to 0.0-1.0 overlay\_colors = overlay[:, :, :3]

alpha\_mask = np.dstack((alpha\_channel, alpha channel, alpha channel))

h, w = overlay.shape[:2] background subsection = background[yoffset:yoffset+h, xoffset:xoffset+w]

composite = background subsection\*(1-alpha mask)+overlay colors\*alpha mask

background[yoffset:yoffset+h, xoffset:xoffset+w] = composite

f\_name2 = f\_name.upper()

if f name2.find('ARBORIO')!=-1:

rice tag = '0 '

```
count_type[0]+=1
```

if f name2.find('BASMATI')!=-1:

```
rice tag = '1
```

```
count type[1]+=1
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```
ฮีสุรมา
if f name2.find('IPSALA')!=
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```
rice_tag = '2 ,
```

```
count type[2]+=1
```

```
if f name2.find('JASMINE')!=-1:
```

```
rice tag = '3'
```

```
count type[3]+=1
```

```
if f name2.find('KARACADAG')!=-1:
```

```
rice tag = '4 '
```

```
count_type[4]+=1
```

```
txt = rice_tag+str((xoffset+w/2)/imgwidth)+' '
```

```
+str((yoffset+h/2)/imgheight)+' '
```

```
+str(w/imgwidth)+' '+str(h/imgheight)
```

ftxt.write(txt+'\n')

print('DONE!')

To begin, we create a blank image using Python code. Next, we generate a text file to write data of the variety, position, and scale of each rice grain we want to include in the image.

Once the text file is complete, we randomly select a rice grain image to input into the blank image. In this particular code, we are creating a mixed rice grain image that contains between 20 and 35 rice grains, with each grain placed in a non-overlapping position on the blank image. However, it's important to note that if we want to create a mixed rice grain image with overlapping grains, we can adjust the number of rice grains and the value of the sum pixels of input area. The average sum value of pixels for each rice grain image is around 2,000,000 pixels, and the average sum number of pixels for each rice grain image is around 13,700 pixels (which corresponds to approximately 46 rice grains in an image of size  $800 \times 800$  pixels), then a 5% overlap image is values for summ=<100,000 and numseed = random.randint(44, 48).

# A.3 Modeling by Python code in Google Colaboratory

The modelling by the YOLOv5 model process is the following:

```
from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')
```

To begin our analysis, we import both the training and testing datasets from Google Drive. This allows us to leverage flexibility of Google's cloud-based storage system to access and work with our data.

```
!git clone https://github.com/ultralytics/yolov5 # clone
%cd yolov5
%pip install -qr requirements.txt # install
import torch
```

import utils
display = utils.notebook\_init() # checks

To obtain the necessary code for our YOLOv5 model, we clone the folder from the following GitHub repository: https://github.com/ultralytics/yolov5. This folder contains all of the Python code necessary to implement and train the model, allowing us to fine-tune the model for our particular use case.

%pip install –q wandb

import wandb; wandb.login()

WandB offers a variety of functions to assist with your machine learning workflow, including the ability to record training results, collect datasets, generate reports, optimize hyperparameters, and visualize data.

Before training model, it is important to modify the **yolov5s.yaml** file by changing the number of classes from **nc:80** to **nc:5** (the number of classes in model). Additionally, we need to reconstruct the **coco128.yaml** file to ensure it is aligned with these modifications.

train: /content/train # path of train dataset
val: /content/train # path of train dataset
# Classes
names: # rice varieties
0: Arborio
1: Basmati
2: Ipsala

3: Jasmine

Finally, we can train the YOLOv5 model with an image size of 800 and for a total of 5 epochs. This will enable us to fine-tune the model and optimize its performance for our specific use case.

!python train.py --img 800 --epochs 5 --data coco128.yaml --weights yolov5s.pt

### A.4 Object Detection by Python code in Google Colaboratory

The object detection by the YOLOv5 model process is the following:

!python detect.py --weights /content/bestRM.pt --img 800 --conf 0.25 --source /content/test --save-txt

To detect a mixed rice grain image, once the detection process is complete, we can then save a text file that contains information about each rice grain's variety, position, and scale. This data can then be used for further analysis or processing as needed.

## A.5 Accuracy measurement for the YOLOv5 model by Python code

#### in Jupyter Notebook

The accuracy measurement for the YOLOv5 model process is the following:

import cv2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt import os import numpy as np import random import re imgwidth = 800 Tr = Fl = 0Thr = 1 cg1 = ca1 = cb1 = ci1 = cj1 = ck1 = 0

```
cg2 = ca2 = cb2 = ci2 = cj2 = ck2 = 0
print('THR = ',Thr)
for im in range(1,501):
   path = 'C:/Users/Asus/Desktop/T2/LB0K/'+str(im).zfill(4)+'.txt'
   pathim = 'C:/Users/Asus/Desktop/T2/IMOK/'+str(im). zfill(4)+'.jpg'
   path2 = 'C:/Users/Asus/Desktop/Detect/D0K/'+str(im).zfill(4)+'.txt'
   #Original
   ftxt = open(path, 'r')
   text = ftxt.readline()
   blank imgo = np.zeros((imgwidth,imgheight), np.uint8)
   count = 0
   count1 = count2 = count3 = count4 = count5 = 0
   while text:
       text2 = text.split(" ")
       ricetype = int(text2[0])+1
       xo = int(float(text2[1])*imgwidth)
       yo = int(float(text2[2])*imgwidth)
       widtho = int(float(text2[3])*400)
       heighto = int(float(text2[4])*400)
       crop imgo = blank imgo[yo-heighto:yo+heighto,xo-widtho:xo+widtho]
       crop_imgo.fill(ricetype)
        text = ftxt.readline()
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       count +=1
        if ricetype == 1:
           count1 +=1
        if ricetype == 2:
           count2 +=1
        if ricetype == 3:
           count3 +=1
        if ricetype == 4:
           count4 +=1
        if ricetype == 5:
           count5 +=1
   cg1 +=count
   ca1 +=count1
   cb1 +=count2
```

```
ci1 +=count3
```

```
cj1 +=count4
```

```
ck1 +=count5
```

```
fimg = cv2.imread(pathim)
```

```
gray = cv2.cvtColor(fimg, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
```

```
thresh = cv2.threshold(gray, 0, 255, cv2.THRESH_BINARY+ cv2.THRESH_OTSU)[1]
```

```
for i in range(0,np.shape(thresh)[0]):
```

```
for j in range(0,np.shape(thresh)[1]):
```

```
if thresh[i,j] == 0:
    blank_imgo[i,j] = 0
```

```
#IOU
```

```
ftxt = open(path2, 'r')
text = ftxt.readline()
count = 0
count1 = count2 = count3 = count4 = count5 = 0
T = F = 0
```

```
while text:
```

```
text2 = text.split(" ")
ricetype = int(text2[0])+1
xo = int(float(text2[1])*imgwidth)
yo = int(float(text2[2])*imgwidth)
widtho = int(float(text2[3])*400)
heighto = int(float(text2[4])*400)
crop img2 = blank imgo[yo-heighto:yo+heighto,xo-widtho:xo+widtho]
ct = cn = 0
for i in range(0,np.shape(crop_img2)[0]):
    for j in range(0,np.shape(crop_img2)[1]):
        if crop_img2[i,j] == ricetype:
            ct +=1
        if crop_img2[i,j] != ricetype:
            if crop img2[i,j] > 0:
                cn+=1
IOU = ct/(ct+cn)
if IOU >= Thr:
```

```
⊤ +=1
        if IOU < Thr:
           F +=1
        text = ftxt.readline()
       count +=1
        if ricetype == 1:
           count1 +=1
        if ricetype == 2:
           count2 +=1
        if ricetype == 3:
           count3 +=1
        if ricetype == 4:
           count4 +=1
        if ricetype == 5:
           count5 +=1
   Tr +=T
   Fl +=F
   cg2 +=count
   ca2 +=count1
   cb2 +=count2
   ci2 +=count3
   cj2 +=count4
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   ck2 +=count5
   print('Image ', str(im). zfill(4), 'DONE!!')
print('Grains of Original = ',cg1)
print('Aborio of Original = ',ca1)
print('Basmati of Original = ',cb1)
print('Ipsala of Original = ',ci1)
print('Jasmine of Original = ',cj1)
print('Karacadag of Original = ',ck1)
print('Grains Detection = ',cg2)
print('Aborio Detection = ',ca2)
print('Basmati Detection = ',cb2)
print('lpsala Detection = ',ci2)
print('Jasmine Detection = ',cj2)
print('Karacadag Detection = ',ck2)
```

```
print('Total of True =',Tr)
print('Total of Flase =',Fl)
print('Accuracy = ',Tr/(Tr+Fl))
```

To measure accuracy for the YOLOv5 model, we start with bring data variety in text file to generate filled image, after that we reconstruct a filled mixed rice grain image with the shape of the grain according to the mixed rice grain image and the pixel value according to the filled image. This gives us an overview of the rice grains with pixel values according to the rice varieties.

The accuracy is defined as the ratio of the number of rice grain variety pixels detected in the detectable area of the YOLOv5 model to the total number of pixels detected.



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