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# Intelligent classification models for food products basis on morphological, colour and texture features

Modelos de clasificación inteligente para productos alimenticios con base en características morfológicas, de color y textura

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# Abstract

The aim of this research is to build a supervised intelligent classification model of food products such as Biscuits, Cereals, Vegetables, Edible nuts and etc., using digital images. The Correlation-based Feature Selection (CFS) algorithm and 2nd derivative pre-treatments of the Morphological, Colour and Texture features are used to train the models for classification and detection. The best prediction accuracy is obtained for the Multilayer Perceptron (MLP), Support Vector Machines (SVM), Random Forest (RF), Simple Logistic (SLOG) and Sequential Minimal Optimization (SMO) classifiers (more than 80% of the success rate for the training/test set and 80% for the validation set). The percentage of correctly classified instances is very high in these models and ranged from 80% to 96% for the training/test set and up to 95% for the validation set.

Keywords: Algorithm, digital images, food classifiers, prediction accuracy, training/test.

## Resumen

El objetivo de esta investigación es construir un modelo de clasificación supervisada inteligente de productos alimenticios tales como galletas, cereales, vegetales, nueces, plantas, etc., el uso de imágenes digitales. La correlación basada Selección de características (CFS) y el algoritmo 2ª derivados pretratamientos de la morfológica, Color y Características de textura fueron utilizados para entrenar los modelos de clasificación y detección. Se obtuvo la mejor precisión de la predicción para el perceptrón multicapa mediante los siguientes clasificadores: (MLP), máquinas de vectores soporte (SVM), Bosque aleatorio (RF), logística simple (SLOG) y (SMO) secuencial mínimo de optimización (más del 80% de la tasa de éxito para la formación / equipo de prueba y el 80% para el conjunto de validación). El porcentaje de casos clasificados correctamente era muy alta en estos modelos con un rango de 80% a 96% para la formación del sistema entrenamiento/prueba y hasta el 95% para el conjunto de validación.

**Palabras clave:** Algoritmo, imágenes digitales, clasificadores de alimentos, precisión de predicción, entrenamiento / prueba.

## Introduction

The quality of food products is very important for the human health. The large population and the increased requirements of food products makes it difficult to arrive the desired quality. For example, sorting tons of fruits and vegetables manually is a slow, costly, and an inaccurate process. Hence food quality evaluation plays an important role in providing defect free food products to the consumers. Quality which defines the internal and external characteristics of the materials. In food quality the external characteristics depends on morphological (includes shape and size), colour, and texture, respectively. In food processing industries, the food products are continuously over the sieves such that hundreds of food products are scanned in fraction of second. For instance, CCD cameras are used to monitor the movement of the food products and finally the defected materials are thrown away from the sieves.

For several years, the food industry has adopted automated vision-based inspection systems in an attempt to reduce operation costs and increase product quality control (Mai, Chetima & Pierre, 2012). In fact, nondestructive detections, like photoelectric detection, the electromagnetic characteristics analysis, Near Infrared Spectroscopy, X-ray analysis, computer vision and so forth, have been used increasingly in the food and agricultural industry for inspection and evaluation purposes as they provide suitably rapid, economic, consistent and objective assessment (Jing-Jin, Guiping, Xiaojuan & Viray, 2009; Narendra & Hareesh, 2010). The potential of computer vision in the food industry has long been recognized and the food industry is now ranked among the top 10 industries using this technology (Tadhg & Da-Wen, 2004). Vision-based inspection systems reduce human interaction with the inspected goods, classify generally faster than human beings, and tend to be more consistent in their product classification (Mai, Chetima & Pierre, 2012; Novaković, Strbac & Bulatović, 2011). Many vision systems have been developed for different food products inspection, such as apples, tomatoes, potatoes, vegetables, eggs, corn, rice, and many other products (Jing-Jin, Guiping, Xiaojuan & Viray, 2009; Tadhg & Da-Wen, 2004). More recently, Velappan, Prakash & Sada (2012), developed an Apple grading system, using vision box hardware with the advantages of high precision and high automatization (White, Svellingen & Strachan, 2006). Therefore, Yeh, Hamey, Westcott & Sung (1995), used Kohonen's self-organizing map for identification of baking curves in baked goods.

Given these concerns, morphological, color and texture features are the primary information sources for foods and agricultural commodity (i.e. object) inspection, classification, and sorting or grading (Du & Sun, 2004). Computer vision systems have been successfully used to recognize or to classify quality parameters like color and size in several agricultural and food commodities including dry beans (Mahesh, Ganesh & Dongqing, 2013), pistachios (Hanbury, 2002), coffee (Deddy, Usman, Kudang & Dewa, 2010), soya beans seeds (Namias *et al.*, 2012), peanuts (Hong, Jing, Qiaoxia & Peng, 2011), and brazil-nuts (Castelo *et al.*, 2013; Cheng-Jin & Da-Wen, 2008).

In this research, an intelligent system to classify the food products based on morphological, color and texture characteristics using computer vision is developed. The system is applied for six different food products namely food grains, edible nuts, bakery products, vegetables, leafy vegetables and fruits. Although, there are many similarities among systems for all products, a special design and training is required for each product.

## Material and methods

#### Sorting system

The vision based sorting system consists of different sub- systems. Figure 1, shows the different components of the sorting system.



Figure 1. Sorting system

Fast single camera or multiple cameras are used and provides more accurate and reliable estimates of the image capture for food products. A single camera with mirrors can be used to check the different sides of the product, while multiple cameras fixed in different directions get more clear images (Velappan, Prakash & Sada, 2012). Usually, isolated box with lighting is used to overcome lighting variation problems and get better images. The captured images are sent to the computer to be processed and analyzed in real time. The decision, "pass" or "fail", is sent as an electronic signal to interfacing circuits. These circuits drives into an electronic valve to open or close the path of the products. By closing the path, the product is pushed to "bad product' store. Finally, the high quality products only will continue to the "pass" store. Sometimes, products are classified into more than two classes. The different classes represents different degrees of quality. Figure 2, shows the different modules of computer vision for food products sorting.



The vision system consists of many modules, and it is required to finish all processing in real time. The image acquisition module captures an image and store the image in computer memory. The size and format of the image affects the speed and accuracy of the sorting system. High resolution images contains many details of the product, but requires large time for processing and classification. Low-resolution image are processed very fast, but the accuracy of the system can be reduced. The suitable resolution should be chosen to give acceptable speed with best accuracy (Yang, 2010).

The first step in processing and sorting the image, is to detect the object or determine the location and borders of the product. This operation is considered as an image segmentation process while the image is segmented into two classes: object and background. After the detection of the object, the area of the object is analyzed again to detect any damages in the product. This process is dependent on the nature of the product and the required classification. Another image segmentation is required to extract these regions (cracks- holes - different colors) from the product area. Features are extracted from product regions. The final step is a trained classifier, which gives the decision. The next sections presents the data set, feature extraction and classification.

#### Data set

The FoodCast Research Image Database (FRID), was an attempt at standardizing a food related objects (bakery products such as biscuits, fruits, edible nuts, vegetables, leafy vegetables and food grains) dataset. In the dataset, all images size (530x530 pixels) are standardized and stored as .jpg file format. In this study, considered total food related images are 180 and categorized into fruits (30 images), biscuits (30 images), edible nuts (30 images), vegetables (30 images), leafy vegetables (30 images) and food grains (30 images).

#### Feature extraction and classification

The feature extraction is very important phase in this research. We have used the segmented images of different category from the FRID dataset. Then, we inputted to developed feature extraction method, to extract the features as Morphological, Color and Textural. The Morphological characteristics are size and shape of a product. The size and shape characteristics of a categorized food product are listed out in Table 1. Table 1. Morphological characteristics of categorized food product

Feature	Formula	Description
major axis length	L	The length of a categorized food product is a major axis of the ellipse (in pixels) that has the same normalized second central moments as the region.
minor axis length	W and T	The length of a categorized food product is a minor axis of the ellipse (in pixels) that has the same normalized second central moments as the region.
area	А	The total number of pixels contained within its categorized food product boundary.
perimeter	Р	It is length (in pixels) of contour of a categorized food product boundary.
Equivalent Diameter	$E_q = \sqrt{\frac{4*A}{\pi}}$	It is the diameter of a circle with the same area as the segmented region of a categorized food product.
Convex area	СА	It is the total number of pixels in the smallest convex polygon that can contain the segmented region of a categorized food product.
Solidity	S = A/C	The proportion of the pixels in the segmented region of a categorized food product are also in the convex hull.
Extent	Ex	The proportion of the pixels in the bounding box which are also in the segmented region of a categorized food product.
Eccentricity	E	The eccentricity is the ratio of the distance between an ellipse foci and its major axis length. The value is between 0 and 1.
Roundness	$R = \frac{4 * \pi * A}{P^2}$	
Compactness	$CO = \frac{\sqrt{4*A/\pi}}{L}$	

We have used the CIEL\*a\*b\* colour space, to extract the colour characteristics of a categorized food product to measure luminance and chrominance. The measured colour feature as follows:

**Mean** ( $\mu$ ): The overall brightness of each color component of an image is measured using the mean.

**Standard Deviation ()**: The Standard Deviation is the average distance from the mean of the overall perceived brightness and contrast of each color component in an image (Cheng-Jin & Da-Wen, 2008).

**Range (r)**: This gives us the range of maximum and minimum perceived brightness of each color component in an image (Cheng-Jin & Da-Wen, 2008).

**Luminance (L)**: Luminance describes the "achromatic" component of an image. In general, Luminance represents the brightness of an image (Cheng-Jin & Da-Wen, 2008).

**Chrominance (C)**: Chrominance is the color information of an image, separately from the accompanying luminance. Chrominance is usually represented as two color-difference components (Cheng-Jin & Da-Wen, 2008).

**Color Distance Metric** ( $\Delta E$ ): It is a metric of difference between colors.

The following shows steps for conversion of to CIE  $L^*a^*b^*$ .

PHASE I: This involves the conversion from to

As a first step it must normalize to values (values between 0 and 1) using equations (1) to (3).

si-Segmented image

$$si \frac{R}{255} > 0.04045 \text{ r} = \left(\frac{R+0.055}{1.055}\right)^{2.4} ; si \frac{R}{255} \le 0.04045 \text{ r} = \left(\frac{R}{12.92}\right)$$
 (1)

$$si \frac{G}{255} > 0.04045 \text{ g} = \left(\frac{G+0.055}{1.055}\right)^{2.4} ; si \frac{G}{255} \le 0.04045 \text{ g} = \left(\frac{G}{12.92}\right)$$
 (2)

$$si \frac{B}{255} > 0.04045 \text{ b} = \left(\frac{B+0.055}{1.055}\right)^{2.4}$$
;  $si \frac{B}{255} \le 0.04045 \text{ b} = \left(\frac{B}{12.92}\right)$  (3)

Subsequently, this values were converted the values to values using the matrix M for a D65- $2^{\circ}$  illuminant observer shown in equation 4.

$$\begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \end{bmatrix} = 100 * [M] \begin{bmatrix} r \\ g \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$
 (4)

$$[M] = \begin{bmatrix} 0.4124 & 0.3576 & 0.1805\\ 0.2126 & 0.7152 & 0.0722\\ 0.0193 & 0.1192 & 0.9505 \end{bmatrix}$$
(5)

Thus developing Eqn. 4 and using matrix Eqn. 5, are obtained, and values by equation 6

$$X = 100 * r * 0.4124 + 100 * g * 0.3572 + 100 * b * 0.1805$$
  

$$Y = 100 * r * 0.2126 + 100 * g * 0.7152 + 100 * b * 0.0722$$
  

$$Z = 100 * r * 0.0193 + 100 * g * 0.1192 + 100 * b * 0.9505$$
(6)

#### PHASE II

This involves the conversion from the XYZ to CIE LAB  $\,$ 

Subsequently, we obtain the values and using equations 7, 8 and 9

$$x = X/Xn \tag{7}$$

$$y = Y/Yn \tag{8}$$

$$z = Z/Zn \tag{9}$$

Where: , and are tri-stimulus values of the white specific object using in this case illuminant D65 (day light) and the observer with the values shown in equation 10

$$X_n = 95.047; Y_n = 100; Z_n = 108.883;$$
 (10)

After we are calculated the values , and  $\mbox{ using equations 11, 12 and 13}$ 

 $\begin{array}{ll} si\ x > 0.008856 \ var X = (x)^{1/3}; si\ x \le 0.008856 \ var X = (7.787*x) + \left(\frac{16}{116}\right) & (11) \\ si\ y > 0.008856 \ var Y = (y)^{1/3}; si\ y \le 0.008856 \ var Y = (7.787*y) + \left(\frac{16}{116}\right) & (12) \\ si\ z > 0.008856 \ var Z = (z)^{1/3}; si\ z \le 0.008856 \ var Z = (7.787*z) + \left(\frac{16}{116}\right) & (13) \end{array}$ 

Calculate the values of  $L^*$ ,  $a^*$  and  $b^*$  using equations 14, 15 and 16

$$L^* = (116 * varY) - 16 \tag{14}$$

$$a^* = 500 * (varX - varY) \tag{15}$$

$$b^* = 200 * (varY - varZ) \tag{16}$$

The Mean, Standard deviation and Range of each component are determined.

(i) The Mean, Standard deviation and Range of component are determined using following equations 17, 18 and 19.

$$\mu_{Lab_L} = \frac{1}{M^*N} \sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} L^*(i,j)$$
(17)

$$\sigma_{Lab_L} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{M*N}} \sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} (L^*(i,j) - \mu_{Lab_L})^2$$
(18)

$$r_{Lab_{L}} = \max\left(\sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} L^{*}(i,j)\right) - \min\left(\sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} L^{*}(i,j)\right)$$
(19)

(ii) The Mean, Standard deviation and Range of component are determined using following equations 20, 21 and 22.

$$\mu_{Lab_a} = \frac{1}{M*N} \sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} a^*(i,j)$$
(20)

$$\sigma_{Lab_a} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{M^*N} \sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} (a^*(i,j) - \mu_{Lab_a})^2}$$
(21)

$$r_{Lab_a} = \max\left(\sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} a^*(i,j)\right) - \min\left(\sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} a^*(i,j)\right)$$
(22)

(iii) The Mean, Standard deviation and Range of component are determined using following  $\mu_{Lab_b} = \frac{1}{M*N} \sum_{l=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} b^*(i,j)$  (23)

$$\sigma_{Lab_b} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{M*N} \sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} (b^*(i,j) - \mu_{Lab_b})^2}$$
(24)

$$r_{Lab_b} = \max\left(\sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} b^*(i,j)\right) - \min\left(\sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{N} b^*(i,j)\right)$$
(25)

From and component, determined Chrominance using equation 26.

Chrominance,

$$C = (a^* + b^*)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
(26)

The color distance metric determined from , and components using equation 27.

#### Color distance metric:

$$\Delta E_{\text{LAB}} = \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{j=1}^{N} (((\mu_{\text{LAB}_{L}} - L^{*}(i, j))^{2} + ((\mu_{\text{LAB}_{a}} - a^{*}(i, j))^{2} + ((\mu_{\text{LAB}_{b}} - b^{*}(i, j))^{2}))^{2})$$
(27)

We have used the Haralick textural features, to extract the texture characteristics of a categorized food product from Grey Level Co-occurrence Matrix (P). The measured textural features as follows:

$$Contrast = \sum_{k,l=0}^{M_g-1} P_{k,l} \quad |k-l|^2$$

$$(28)$$

$$Correlation = \sum_{k,l=0}^{M_g-1} \left[ \frac{(k-\mu_k) (l-\mu_l)}{\sqrt{(\sigma_k^2) (\sigma_l^2)}} \right]$$
(29)

Angular Second Moment =  $\sum_k \sum_l p(k,l)^2$ 

$$Energy = \sqrt{Angular Second Moment}$$
(31)

(30)

Homogeneity = 
$$\sum_{k,l=0}^{M_g-1} \frac{P_{k,l}}{1+(k-l)^2}$$
 (32)

 $Dissimilarity = \sum_{k,l=0}^{M_g-1} P_{k,l} \quad |k-l| \tag{33}$ 

$$Entropy = \sum_{k,l=0}^{M_g-1} P_{k,l} \quad (-lnP_{k,l})$$
(34)

Cluster Shade = 
$$\sum_{k,l=0}^{M_g-1} ((k - \mu_k) + (l - \mu_l))^3 P_{k,l}$$
 (35)

Cluster Performance = 
$$\sum_{k,l=0}^{M_g-1} ((k - \mu_k) + (l - \mu_l))^4 P_{k,l}$$
 (36)

$$\text{Smoothness} = 1 - \frac{1}{(1 + \sigma^2)} \tag{37}$$

Third Movement =  $\sum_{k,l}^{M_g-1} (P_{k,l}) (k - \mu_l)^3$ (38)

Maximum Probability =  $\max_{k,l}(P_{k,l})$  (39)

#### Results

In this study, the important and noticeable features such as morphological, color and texture are extracted from the categorized food product image using proposed methods. The I<sup>st</sup> method is used to extract the 12 no's of morphological features. The II<sup>nd</sup> method is used to extract the colour features. There are CIEL\*a\*b\* colour features of 11 numbers. The III<sup>rd</sup> method is used to extract the texture features using Grey Level Co-Occurrence Matrix. There are 12 texture features. The features are extracted from the bulk of categorized food product image.

The Correlation based Feature Selection (CFS) algorithm is used to reduce the dimensionality of feature set, to obtain a high prediction accuracy of each classification model (Novaković, Strbac & Bulatović, 2011). In this sense, CFS is to evaluate the value of features subset by considering the remarkable predictive ability of each feature and also the amount of redundancy between them. The obtained features subset includes seven morphological features (L, W, A, Eq, CA, S, E), eight colour features (,) and four texture features (, , and ).

In this study, the Meta classifiers lazy classifiers and trees of Weka software ® are considered for classification (Witten & Frank, 2005; Siedliska, Baranowski & Mazurek, 2014). Initially, majority of classifiers are tested on illustrative training and testing data groups. Among all classifiers, eight of them are chosen for comparison with high prediction accuracies. The selected eight classifiers are as follows: Sequential Minimal Optimization (SMO), Naïve Bayes, Logistic, Nearest-neighbor classifier, Simple Logistic, Random forests, Multilayer perceptron and libSVM, respectively.

The graphical interface which is available in Knowledge Flow Interface of Weka, allows the design and execution of configurations for streamed data processing as shown in Figure 3.

This interface is used to create the prediction model for six different food products namely food grains, edible nuts, bakery products, vegetables, leafy vegetables and fruits. In fact, we have created dependent variables for all the studied classifiers are 1 for fruits, 2 for edible nuts, 3 for bakery products, 4 for vegetables, 5 for leafy vegetables and 6 for food grains using the Weka Knowledge Flow Interface. This graphical interface allows the design and execution of configurations for streamed data processing (Figure 3). Within this interface, the appropriate data file for each is loaded in native ARFF file format available in Weka. Therefore, with the class assigner, the dependent variable is selected and with the class value picker, a value for the positive class is chosen for each model. The Cross-Validation Fold Maker split the dataset into folds (10 folds are chosen). In a previous work, Witten & Frank (2005), stratified 10-fold cross-validation, which is the standard evaluation technique in situations where only limited data are available and it is regarded as the most rigorous one. The idea of 10-fold crossvalidation is that data are partitioned randomly into 10 complementary subsets. Each subset is held out in turn and the learning scheme trained on the remaining nine-tenths. Therefore, an error rate is calculated on the holdout set. The learning procedure is executed a total of 10 times on different training sets. In the earlier chosen Classifiers panel, eight classifiers are included to be executed simultaneously and the results are sent to the Classifier Performance Evaluators, throughout which they were presented (and then stored) as text files in the Text Viewer Panel and as ROC threshold curves (Siedliska, Baranowski & Mazurek, 2014; Yang, 2010).



Figure 3. The studied classification models knowledge flow interface arrangement for cashew kernels grade with the main components of data flow. Adapted from: Siedliska, Baranowski & Mazurek, (2014).

#### Discussion

The classification experiments are conducted on the morphological, color and texture features set. The 180 total samples of which 30 of fruits, 30 of biscuits, 30 of edible nuts, vegetables, 30 of leafy vegetables and 30 of food grains (from each categorized food product 15 samples as a training or test set and another 15 samples as a validation set), are chosen randomly. The 10-fold cross validation is used for training and testing. For each fold, the proportion among data are used for training, and data are used for testing was 90–10%. Conversely, the research is to the identification of food products into a category namely food grains, edible nuts, bakery products, vegetables, leafy vegetables and fruits

#### Fruits

The obtained results of fruits are presented in Table 2. It shows the eight prediction techniques results measured using cross-validation on a given dataset.

Table 2. Classification models results for fruits

	Traiı	Training or Test set				Validation set		
<b>Classification models</b>	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic		
Simple Logistic	86.07	0.2386	0.8124	85.58	0.300	0.820		
Multilayer Perceptron	84.90	0.2526	0.7836	83.90	0.260	0.795		
Sequential Minimal Optimization	82.27	0.3387	0.7612	82.00	0.350	0.760		
libSVM	81.43	0.2608	0.7497	81.00	0.270	0.745		
Logistic	80.09	0.3161	0.7269	79.07	0.320	0.730		
Random Forest	77.21	0.2865	0.6908	76.05	0.290	0.680		
Nearest-neighbor classifier	75.10	0.3528	0.6643	75.01	0.353	0.665		
Naïve Bayes	72.99	0.3422	0.6345	72.00	0.350	0.640		

For the training or test set, the best obtained prediction accuracy is for Sequential Minimal Optimization (82.27%), Multilayer Perceptron (84.9%), and Simple Logistic (86.07%). A good obtained (more than 79.99%) prediction accuracy is for the Logistic and libSVM models. The validation set resulted in somewhat lower classification accuracy of the classification models, but in the case of three models (i.e. Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron, Sequential Minimal Optimization) it is equal to 85.58%, 83.90% and 82.00%. When comparing the instances of correctly classified, root mean squared error and Kappa statistic, it can be stated that the Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron and Sequential Minimal Optimization models are the best for recognition of fruits.

### **Food grains**

The obtained results of food grains are presented in Table 3. It shows the eight prediction techniques results measured using crossvalidation on a given dataset. For the training or test set, the best obtained prediction accuracy is for Sequential Minimal Optimization (83.27%), Multilayer Perceptron (94.9%), and Simple Logistic (88.07%). A good obtained (more than 79.99%) prediction accuracy is for the Logistic and libSVM models. The validation set resulted in somewhat lower classification accuracy of the classification models, but in the case of three models (i.e. Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron, Sequential Minimal Optimization) it is equal to 92.58%, 93.90% and 83.00%.

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	Tra	ining or Test se	t	Validation set		
Classification models	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic
Multilayer Perceptron	94.90	0.2536	0.8836	93.90	0.260	0.795
Simple Logistic	88.07	0.3386	0.8124	92.58	0.300	0.820
Sequential Minimal Optimization	83.27	0.3487	0.8612	83.00	0.350	0.760
libSVM	81.43	0.2608	0.7497	81.00	0.270	0.745
Logistic	80.09	0.3161	0.7269	78.07	0.320	0.740
Random Forest	77.11	0.2865	0.6908	77.05	0.280	0.680
Nearest-neighbor classifier	75.70	0.3528	0.6643	76.01	0.353	0.675
Naïve Bayes	73.99	0.3422	0.6345	73.00	0.340	0.680

When comparing the instances of correctly classified, root mean squared error and Kappa statistic, it can be stated that the Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron and Sequential Minimal Optimization models are the best for recognition of food grains.

#### **Edible nuts**

The obtained results of Edible nuts are presented in Table 4. It shows the eight prediction techniques results measured using cross-validation on a given dataset.

Table 4. Classification models results for edible nuts

	Trai	ning or Test set	t	Validation set		
Classification models	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic
Sequential Minimal Optimization	89.27	0.3487	0.8612	88.00	0.350	0.760
Simple Logistic	88.07	0.3386	0.8124	87.58	0.300	0.820
Multilayer Perceptron	85.90	0.2536	0.8836	84.90	0.260	0.795
libSVM	81.43	0.2608	0.7497	81.00	0.270	0.745
Logistic	80.09	0.3161	0.7269	78.07	0.320	0.740
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Naïve Bayes	73.99	0.3422	0.6345	73.00	0.340	0.680

For the training or test set, the best obtained prediction accuracy is for Sequential Minimal Optimization (89.27%), Multilayer Perceptron (85.9%), and Simple Logistic (88.07%). A good obtained (more than 79.99%) prediction accuracy is for the Logistic and libSVM models. The validation set resulted in somewhat lower classification accuracy of the classification models, but in the case of three models (i.e. Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron, Sequential Minimal Optimization), which is equal to 87.58%, 84.90% and 88.00%, respectively. When comparing the instances of correctly classified, root mean squared error and Kappa statistic, it can be stated that the Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron and Sequential Minimal Optimization models are the best for recognition of edible nuts.

#### **Bakery products**

The obtained results of bakery products are presented in Table 5. It shows the eight prediction techniques results measured using crossvalidation on a given dataset.

For the training or test set, the best obtained prediction accuracy is for Sequential Minimal Optimization (91.27%), Multilayer Perceptron (87.9%), and Simple Logistic (89.07%). A good obtained (more than 79.99%) prediction accuracy is for the Logistic and libSVM models.

The validation set resulted in somewhat lower classification accuracy of the classification models, but in the case of three models (i.e. Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron, Sequential Minimal Optimization) it is equal to 88.58%, 86.90% and 88.00%. When comparing the instances of correctly classified, root mean squared error and Kappa statistic, it can be stated that the Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron and Sequential Minimal Optimization models are the best for recognition of bakery products.

#### Vegetables

The obtained results of vegetables are presented in Table 6. It shows the eight prediction techniques results measured using cross-validation on a given dataset. **Table 5.** Classification models results for bakery products

	Trair	ning or Test set		Validation set		
Classification models	Classified instances	Root mean		Classified instances	Root mean	Kanna stastistis
	correctly % squar erro		Kappa stastistic	correctly %	squared error	Kappa stastistic
Sequential Minimal Optimization	91.27	0.3487	0.8612	88.00	0.350	0.760
Simple Logistic	89.07	0.3386	0.8124	88.58	0.300	0.820
Multilayer Perceptron	87.90	0.2336	0.8836	86.90	0.260	0.795
libSVM	81.43	0.2608	0.7597	81.00	0.270	0.745
Logistic	80.09	0.3261	0.7169	79.07	0.320	0.740
Random Forest	78.11	0.2863	0.6108	77.05	0.280	0.680
Nearest-neighbor classifier	73.70	0.3328	0.6643	75.01	0.353	0.675
Naïve Bayes	71.99	0.3522	0.6345	70.00	0.340	0.680

Table 6. Classification models results for vegetables

	Tra	ining or Test set		Validation set		
Classification models	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic
Simple Logistic	90.07	0.3386	0.8124	88.58	0.300	0.820
Sequential Minimal Optimization	90.27	0.3487	0.8612	88.00	0.350	0.760
Multilayer Perceptron	89.90	0.2536	0.8836	86.90	0.260	0.795
libSVM	82.43	0.2608	0.7497	81.00	0.270	0.745
Logistic	80.09	0.3161	0.7269	79.07	0.320	0.740
Random Forest	79.11	0.2865	0.6908	77.05	0.280	0.680
Nearest-neighbor classifier	75.70	0.3528	0.6643	75.01	0.353	0.675
Naïve Bayes	73.99	0.3422	0.6345	70.00	0.340	0.680

For the training or test set, the best obtained prediction accuracy is for Sequential Minimal Optimization (90.27%), Multilayer Perceptron (89.9%), and Simple Logistic (90.07%). A good obtained (more than 79.99%) prediction accuracy is for the Logistic and libSVM models. The validation set resulted in somewhat lower classification accuracy of the classification models, but in the case of three models (i.e. Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron, Sequential Minimal Optimization) it is equal to 88.58%, 86.90% and 88.00%. When comparing the instances of correctly classified, root mean squared error and Kappa statistic, it can be stated that the Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron and Sequential Minimal Optimization models are the best for recognition of vegetables.

#### Leafy vegetables

The obtained results of leafy vegetables are presented in Table 7. It shows the eight prediction techniques results measured using cross-validation on a given dataset (Mai, Chetima & Pierre, 2012).

Table 7. Classifica	ation models	results for	leafy	vegetables
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	Training or Test set			Validation set		
Classification models	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic	Classified instances correctly %	Root mean squared error	Kappa stastistic
Simple Logistic	90.87	0.3386	0.8124	88.53	0.300	0.820
Sequential Minimal Optimization	90.66	0.3487	0.8612	88.90	0.350	0.760
Multilayer Perceptron	89.96	0.2536	0.8836	86.92	0.260	0.795
libSVM	82.43	0.2608	0.7497	81.00	0.270	0.745
Logistic	80.09	0.3161	0.7269	79.07	0.320	0.740
Random Forest	79.11	0.2865	0.6908	77.05	0.280	0.680
Nearest-neighbor classifier	75.70	0.3528	0.6643	75.01	0.353	0.675
Naïve Bayes	73.99	0.3422	0.6345	70.00	0.340	0.680

For the training or test set, the best obtained prediction accuracy is for Sequential Minimal Optimization (90.87%), Multilayer Perceptron (89.96%), and Simple Logistic (90.66%). A

good obtained (more than 79.99%) prediction accuracy is for the Logistic and libSVM models. The validation set resulted in somewhat lower classification accuracy of the classification models, but in the case of three models (i.e. Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron, Sequential Minimal Optimization) it is equal to 88.53%, 86.92% and 88.90%. When comparing the instances of correctly classified, root mean squared error and Kappa statistic, it can be stated that the Simple Logistic, Multilayer Perceptron and Sequential Minimal Optimization models are the best for recognition of leafy vegetables.

# Conclusions

This study evaluated the effects of morphological, color and texture features, which were extracted from food products. Given these concerns, image proved to be the precise method in recognizing categorized one. In fact, the study limited to fruits, leafy vegetables, bakery products, food grains and edible nuts therefore further studies on more individual food products like vegetables such as onion, garlic, etc., are needed. The very high accuracy and prediction performance of the results helped us to develop food product sorting systems.

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