

Development of Artificial Neural Network for body composition Analysis

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Abstract: Artificial Neural networks (ANN) are finding many uses in the medical diagnosis applications. Different diseases such as acquired immuno deficiency syndrome (AIDS), malnutrition, cardiovascular diseases, osteoporosis are related to body composition topologies such as fat mass (FM), fat free mass (FFM), total body water (TBW), bone mineral contents (BMC) and bone mineral density (BMD). Due to heterogeneous complexity of medical data classification and analysis needs Artificial Intelligence (AI) based technique to manipulate data. Many e-health system especially ANN uses AI methods to improve diagnostic process. Currently many body composition measurement systems in their applications elderly. Hence bioelectric impedance analysis (BIA) technique is used which is non-invasive, easy, fast and inexpensive. In biological structure, application of low level alternation of current produces impedance to spread current. These impedance and phase angle is measured using different electrodes to calculate resistive and reactive components of the body. These components along with other independent variables such as age, height, weight, etc are used to calculate BMC and BMD respectively. ANN provides mathematical equations which are used to calculate BMC and BMD, which are useful body composition parameters for the detection of osteoporosis.

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I. Introduction

The most important concern in the medical domain is to consider the interpretation of data and perform accurate diagnosis. A common disease 'Osteoporosis' does not depend on the bone mineral contents only but also some other significant factors such as age, height, weight, life style etc. All these factors play important role in a diagnosis of osteoporosis [1]. There are so many methods such as X-ray absorptiometry (DXA), hystrostatic weighing (HW), body mass index (BMI), and body impedance analysis (BIA) for classification of person to normal, osteopenia, osteoporosis, severe osteoporosis. Among them DXA and HW are expensive, time consuming, invasive, and not used in epidemiology studies. Therefore, many health systems have started using techniques e.g. Artificial Intelligence (AI) methods such as Artificial Neural Networks (ANN). It can provide highly accurate results in comparison with regression models. Human body consists of 50 to 60 % of body fluid which functions as conductor at a high frequency. The living organisms behave as electrical conductor and cell membrane behaves as imperfect reactive elements.

In biological structures application of constant, low level current produces impedance to spread of current i.e. which is a frequency dependent. The body fluids and electrolytes are responsible for electric conductance and cell membrane is involved in reactance is a measurement of the ability of a medium to conduct current. It is the ratio of voltage (V) to the injected current (I). Phase angle (Φ) is the time delay between an alternating current in a conductive medium. It is expressed in degrees of phase shifts. Resistance (R) is a component of the impedance related to dissipation of energy in a conductive medium. Reactance (X_c) is the components related to the storage of energy in a conductive medium [2]. Consider a cylinder having cross sectional area A (m^2) and length L (m) of the uniform resistivity. Neural Network analysis is an outgrowth of AI. Neural Networks take a different approach to problem solving than that of conventional computers. In this paper perceptron algorithm was used to calculate output variables BMC and BMD using input variables such as age (years), height (m), weight (Kg), resistance (R), and capacitance (X_c). Mathematical equations were developed using input variables. R and X_c are calculated using formula in equations (2). From figure 1.1 impedance of the cylinder can be calculate can be calculated as,

$$Z = \rho L / A \tag{1}$$

$$R = Z \sin(\varphi), \text{ and } X_c = Z \cos(\varphi), \tag{2}$$

$$Z^2 = R^2 + X_c^2 \tag{3}$$

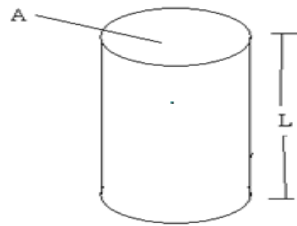


fig. 1.1 Cylinder with uniform resistivity

II. Artificial Neural Network

ANN behaves as a brain, and inspired by biological neural network (BNN). Neural network are a series of non-linear, interconnected mathematical equations, which resemble biological neuronal systems and are used to calculate an output variable on the basis of independent input variable. Neural Network analysis is an outgrowth of AI [3]. Neural Networks take a different approach to problem solving than that of conventional computers. In this paper, perceptron algorithm was used to calculate output variables BMC and BMD using input variables such as age (years), height (m), weight (Kg), resistance (R), and capacitance (X_c). Mathematical equations were developed using input variables. It consists of large number of simple processing elements that are interconnected with each other. It has three layers namely input layer, hidden layer and output layer. Input layer consists of different types of inputs which compute the total signal being sent to it by other processors in the network. Hidden layer consists of synaptic weights and bias that are applied to input variables present in input layers, the unit applies an activation function to this total signal to get desired. Output layer sends a signal to other processors. The way that the neurons are connected to each other has a significant impact on the operation of the ANN. It is trained to map a set of input data by iterative adjustment of the weights. Information from inputs is fed forward through the network to optimize the weights between neurons [3]. It learns and progressively develops meaningful & reliable relationships between input and output variables. ANN can be used to solve a variety of problems in pattern recognition, prediction, and control systems. Conventional approaches have been proposed for solving these problems. ANN may be used to establish relationship between output parameters such as BMD, BMC and input parameters such as age, weight, height, gender (male/female), resistive and reactive component of human body. With their unique features neural network has become a powerful decision-making tool. Studies and investigations are being made to enhance the applications of ANNs and to achieve the benefits of this new technology [4].

III. Feed Forward Network

Generally, feed-forward networks each consist of three layers of artificial neurons. Data are entered in the input layer and further processed in the hidden and output layers. ANN use non-linear mathematical equations to successively develop meaningful relationships between input and output variables through a learning process, which consists of a “training phase” and a “recall phase”.

3.1 Training phase

In this phase, the relationships between the different input variables and the output variable(s) are established through adaptations of the weight factors assigned to the interconnections between the layers of the artificial neurons. This adaptation is based on rules that are set in the learning algorithm. At the end of the training phase, the weight factors are fixed.

3.2 Recall phase

In this phase, data from patterns not previously interpreted by the network are entered, and an output is calculated based on the above-mentioned, and now fixed, weight factors. A layered feed-forward network consists of a certain number of layers, and each layer contains a certain number of units. A single-layer neuron is not able to learn and generalize the complex problems [6].

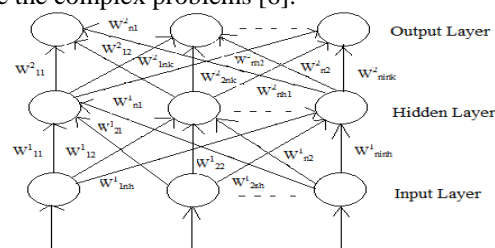


fig. 3.1 Feed forward network [5]

3.3 Perceptron algorithm

Perceptrons architecture is a classical Neural Networks proposed by Frank Rosenblatt in 1957. The perceptron function is a classification of different patterns. A pattern can be considered as a point in n-dimensional space (where n coordinates correspond to different features of the object to be classified). MLPs are the most common type of feed-forward networks. In the most common case, the perceptron was presented as a structure with one layer of neurons that are connected with inputs of the system. These connections have the weight coefficients, which can be changed during the training process. The goal is to find a set of weights w_0, w_1, w_n such that the output of the perceptron is 1 if the input pattern vector belongs to class 1 and 0 if the pattern vector belongs to class 0 training. The weights are modified in accordance with the perceptron learning rule (or law). Neural Network was trained using supervised In other words, for each input X to the network, the correct output Y also was supplied [7].

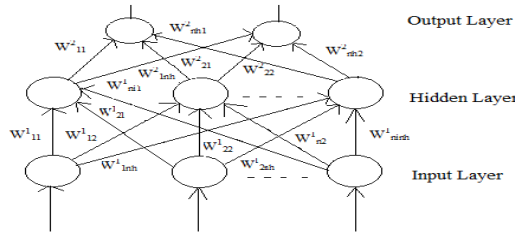


fig. 3.2 Multilayer Perceptron Network [5]

MLP is a feed forward neural network with one or more hidden layers. It is general function approximator. MLP with one hidden layer as shown in Fig 3.2 is sufficient to approximate any continuous function. Input acts as input buffer data buffers that distribute the input to hidden layer. Hidden layer performs two functions i.e. combining function and activation function. Consider MLP with one hidden layer with n_i input nodes, the output nodes of j^{th} neuron of hidden layer is given by,

$$V_j = F\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n_i} W^1_{ji} x_i(t) + b_j\right) ; \text{ for } 1 \leq j \leq n_h \tag{4}$$

Where, the W^1_{ji} denotes the weight that connect the input and hidden layers; x_i and b_j denote the input that are supplied to the input layer and thresholds in hidden layers respectively. n_i and n_h are number of input and hidden nodes respectively. The output k-th output neuron, y_k in the output layer is given by,

$$y^k = \sum_{j=1}^{n_h} W^2_{kj} V_j(t) ; \text{ for } i \leq k = n_o \tag{5}$$

Where $F(\cdot)$ is activation function which may be sigmoid or hardlim activation function. The weights W^1_{ji}, W^2_{kj} and threshold b_j are unknown and should be selected to minimize the predication errors which is defined as

$$\rho_k(t) = y^k(t) - y(t) \tag{6}$$

Where $y^k(t)$ =network output and $y_k(t)$ =obtained output.

3.4 Transfer functions used in ANN

Most units in neural network transform their net inputs by using a scalar-to-scalar function called an activation function, yielding a value called the unit's activation. Few of them have explained in the section 3.4.1, 3.4.2, 3.4.3, and 3.4.4

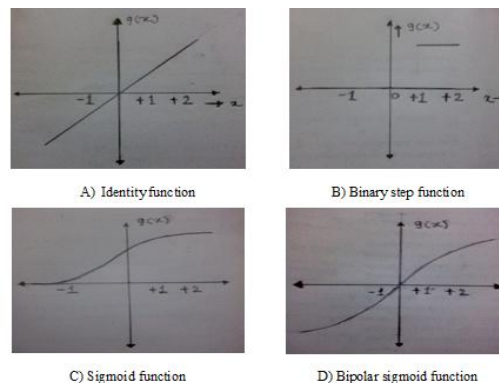


fig. 3.3 Activation functions used in ANN [19]

3.4.1 Identity function

It is obvious that the input units use the identity function. Sometimes a constant is multiplied by the net input to form a linear function.

$$g(x) = x \tag{7}$$

Except possibly for the activation value is fed to one or more other units. Activation functions with a bounded range are often called squashing functions. [8].

3.4.2 Binary step function

This kind of function is often used in single layer networks. It is also known as threshold function or Heaviside function. The output of this function is limited to one of the two values:

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= 1 & \text{if } x \geq \theta \\ g(x) &= 0 & \text{if } x < \theta \end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

3.4.3 Sigmoid function

This function is especially advantageous for use in Neural Networks trained by back-propagation; because it is easy to differentiate, and thus can dramatically reduce the computation burden for training. It applies to applications whose desired output values are between 0 and 1.

$$g(x) = 1 / 1 + e^{-x} \tag{9}$$

3.4.4 Bipolar sigmoid function

This function has similar properties with the sigmoid function. It works well for applications that yield output values in the range of [-1, 1]. Activation functions for the hidden units are needed to introduce non-linearity into the networks.

$$g(x) = 1 - e^{-x} / 1 + e^{-x} \tag{10}$$

The reason is that a composition of linear functions is again a linear function. However, it is the non-linearity (i.e., the capability to represent nonlinear functions) that makes multi-layer networks so powerful. Almost any nonlinear function does the job, although for back-propagation learning it must be differentiable and it helps if the function is bounded. The sigmoid functions are the most common choices [8]. For the output units, activation functions should be chosen to be suited to the distribution of the network output values. We have already seen that for binary [0, 1] outputs, the sigmoid function is an excellent choice. For continuous-valued network outputs with a bounded range, the sigmoid functions are again useful, provided that either the outputs or the network outputs to be scaled to the range of the output activation function. But if the network output values have no known bounded range, it is better to use an unbounded activation function, most often the identity function (which amounts to no activation function). If the network output values are positive but have no known upper bound, an exponential output activation function can be used [3].

IV. Development of an Artificial Neural Network for Body Composition Analysis

4.1 Development of the Training Algorithms

For the development of Training algorithm of an ANN we need to following steps mentioned below:

4.1.1 Access input-output data

In order to train the ANN using supervised learning algorithm, input-output pairs or training data is required. This can be obtained easily by varying the inputs within the range for which training is required. Input parameters used in body composition analysis are age, weight, height, reactance and resistance etc. Resistance (R), Reactance (X_c) have been calculated using following formulae:

$$R = Z\text{Sin}(\varphi) \tag{11}$$

$$X_c = Z\text{Cos}(\varphi) \tag{12}$$

Where, Impedance (Z) is a measurement of the ability of a medium to conduct current. It is the ratio of induced voltage (V) to the injected current (I). Phase angle (Φ) is the time delay between a stimulating current and voltage generated by alternating current in a conductive medium. It is expressed in degrees of phase shifts [1].

4.1.2 Building a Network

At this stage, the designer specifies the number of hidden layers, neurons in each layer transfer function in each layer, training function, weight/bias learning function, and performance function or activation function [9].

4.1.3 Training of a network

During the training process, the weights and bias are adjusted in order to make the actual outputs (predicated) close to the network output (measured) outputs of the network [4]. Network is trained to achieve desired results. Once it is developed correctly, it can be used for simulation purpose.

4.1.4 Simulation of algorithm

The network needs to be simulated and test input is applied after training of the network. The remaining input-output data is used to test the Network whether it is perfectly trained or not. The output obtained and actual output has been plotted to check accuracy of a system.

4.2 Method

Our aim is to make a system which can calculate BMD and BMC using independent parameters such as Age, height, weight, sex (male/female), resistive and reactive components of body impedance. BMD and BMC have non linear relationship with all the above mentioned input parameters. Input parameters selected are age (in Year), sex (male/female), weight (in Kg), and height (in meter), resistive and reactive components of the body which can be measured using equations (2) and (3) respectively ANN prediction equation were developed using impedances and other anthropometrics for predicting the reference BMC, BMD etc of 34 male and 82 female subjects. Out of which 28 males and 47 females were used for training purpose, and remaining data is used for simulation and testing the model. Many variables often have a high number of missing values, usually due to error or to the fact that the variable is measured only seldom. Provided enough data are available, the incomplete portion of the data can simply be discarded. However, the amount of training data is usually smaller than required. In order that even incomplete data can be used, many algorithms have been developed, as described in a previous comprehensive overview. Interestingly, again ANN can be used to approximate missing values. After suitable training, final weight and bias values are obtained which will give mathematical equations for BMD as well as BMC.

Following steps have to follow for perceptron algorithm for Body Composition Analysis:

Step 1: Access of input and output data.

Load datafile containing input parameters such as Age (X1), Height (X2), weight (X3), Reactive components(X4 & X5) for BMD (T1) and BMC (T2) are taken into considerations.(The data shown in observation table is taken from [16])

Step 2: Assumed some random Values of synaptic weight and bias.

Weight values and bias values and learning rate ('mu') and momentum ('alpha').Then, weighted inputs are summed together with bias. Multiply weights and input vectors.

$$\sum W_i X_i = W_1 X_1 + W_2 X_2 + W_3 X_3 + W_4 X_4 + W_5 X_5 \quad (13)$$

$$Y^k = \sum W_i X_i \quad (14)$$

Step 3: Apply hardlim or sigmoid function to the output.

$$y_k = F(Y^k) \quad (15)$$

Where F(.) is a hardlim or sigmoid activation function

Step 4: Calculation of error and updating weight and bias values.

$$\rho_k(t) = y^k(t) - y_k(t) \quad (16)$$

Where, y^k =network output y_k =actual output

$$W(new) = \eta \rho(t) y_k + \mu W_{ij}(t) \quad (17)$$

$$b(new) = \eta \rho(t) + b_i(t) \quad (18)$$

Step 5: Verify results with new weights and bias values.

Again compare output of bone mineral content with network output bone mineral content values and update weight and bias values if network output does not matches with output. Keep maximum no of iteration get maximum accuracy.

Step 6: Finalized weight and bias values after suitable training.

We obtain fixed values of weights and bias.

Step 7: Same procedure is followed for BMD as well as BMC also. (Follow step 1 to 6). The perceptron architecture network is developed and trained successfully.

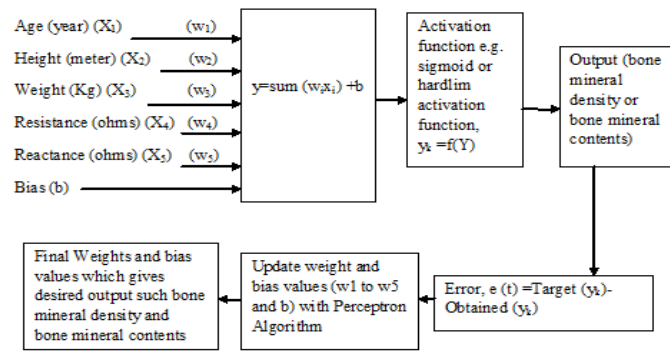


fig 4.1 Block diagram BIA for determination of bone mineral density and Bone mineral contents

V. Indentations and EQUATIONS

Injection of a frequency dependent current (about 1 mA) produces an impedance (Ω) and phase angle (Φ) which was used to calculate resistance (Ω) and reactive components (Ω) of human body. Single layer perceptron model was trained successfully using input and target output or output parameters. Input parameters used for development of algorithm were age (year), height (meter), weight (Kg), resistance (Ω), and reactance (Ω) while respective output parameters are BMD and BMC. Following equations shows the relation between input and output parameters mentioned above.

$$BMD(\text{male}) = 0.0094 + 0.0088\text{Age} + 0.0013\text{Height} + 0.0095\text{Weight} - 0.0036R - 0.0008Xc \quad (19)$$

$$BMC(\text{male}) = 0.0074 + 0.0266\text{Age} + 0.0069\text{Height} + 0.01595\text{Weight} - 0.0072R - 0.0306Xc \quad (20)$$

$$BMC(\text{female}) = 0.000562 + 0.0157\text{Age} + 0.0081\text{Height} + 0.0181\text{Weight} + 0.0123R + 0.0075Xc \quad (21)$$

$$BMD(\text{female}) = 0.00046 + 0.0084\text{Age} + 0.1983\text{Height} + 0.0079\text{Weight} - 0.0084R - 0.0043Xc \quad (22)$$

VI. Figures and TABLES

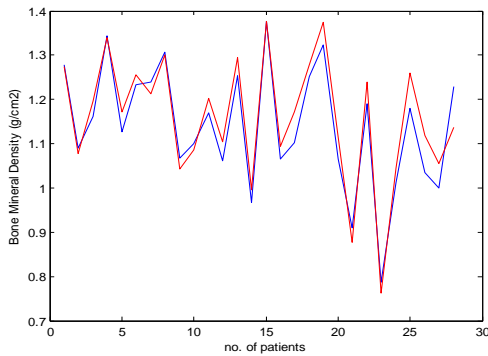


fig 6.1 Bone mineral density (g/cm^3) for males

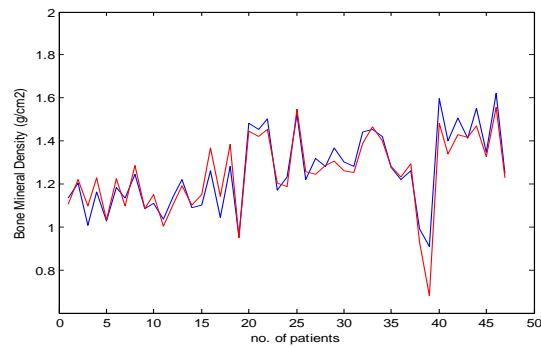


fig 6.2 Bone mineral density (g/cm^3) for females

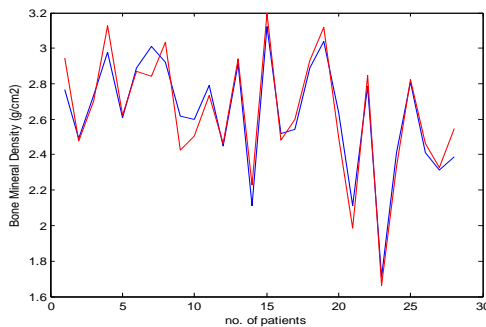


fig 6.3 Bone mineral contents (Kg) for males

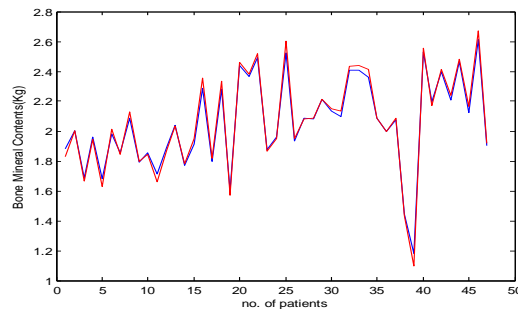


fig 6.4 Bone mineral density (Kg) for females

Observation Table -6.1 Bone mineral contents and bone mineral density data for 116 subjects

Sr. No	M/F	Age (year)	Height (m)	Weight (Kg)	Impedance (ohms)	Phase angle (degree)	Bone mineral content (Kg)	Bone mineral density (g/cm ²)	Sr. No	M/F	Age (year)	Height (m)	Weight (Kg)	Impedance (ohms)	Phase angle (degree)	Bone mineral content (Kg)	Bone mineral density (g/cm ²)
1	M	64	1.685	73.2	1428.137	4.892	2.327	1.052	59	F	68	1.635	89.9	1399.89	4.511	2.11	1.086
2	M	54	1.73	61	1397.246	5.096	2.492	1.125	60	F	70	1.51	69.5	1333.244	2.812	1.503	0.857
3	M	49	1.69	79.2	1224.519	6.405	2.953	1.279	61	F	58	1.555	68.4	1299.578	4.789	2.095	1.093
4	M	72	1.68	73.1	1079.383	5.294	2.584	1.163	62	F	45	1.555	47.7	1703.985	4.348	1.872	1.005
5	M	45	1.88	79.8	1217.75	4.8	3.031	1.168	63	F	48	1.63	63.3	1510.531	4.671	2.072	1.031
6	M	57	1.735	78.1	1162.583	5.32	2.911	1.208	64	F	49	1.525	54.7	1574.672	4.108	1.838	0.984
7	M	69	1.67	61.7	1263.417	4.458	2.456	1.118	65	F	67	1.53	46.6	1649.573	3.848	1.46	0.931
8	M	70	1.75	70.5	1054.969	5.657	2.625	1.101	66	F	64	1.64	63.8	1513.483	4.415	2.455	1.161
9	M	57	1.65	54.6	1271.979	4.5	2.452	1.174	67	F	49	1.61	68.8	1499.642	4.747	2.102	1.056
10	M	56	1.64	60.1	1352.191	4.985	2.707	1.226	68	F	61	1.61	84.1	13000.987	4.726	2.259	1.138
11	M	52	1.625	77.3	1057.479	5.263	2.505	1.161	69	F	46	1.48	53.9	1541.188	4.246	1.825	1.012
12	M	41	1.77	76.5	1198.377	5.3	2.866	1.092	70	F	70	1.45	76.1	1279.857	4.481	1.718	0.973
13	M	55	1.715	84.4	1076.646	5.559	2.559	1.084	71	F	66	1.605	58.1	1702.073	3.611	1.46	0.866
14	M	39	1.66	66.7	1176.649	6.098	2.648	1.182	72	F	45	1.575	59.1	1372.252	4.74	2.353	1.118
15	M	71	1.72	78	1225.27	4.339	2.466	1.074	73	F	45	1.665	49.3	1628.384	4.138	2.204	1.14
16	M	47	1.57	70.1	1039.349	5.837	2.314	1.154	74	F	48	1.68	57.4	1593.972	4.786	2.54	1.125
17	M	39	1.73	86.1	1051.65	4.499	2.83	1.038	75	F	39	1.59	61.4	1445.732	4.908	2.214	1.099
18	M	59	1.78	78.7	1029.372	5.608	2.706	1.162	76	F	54	1.65	66.6	1568.176	3.92	1.976	1.002
19	M	57	1.76	91.7	1082.675	4.535	3.03	1.191	77	F	52	1.53	67.5	1194.127	4.428	2.158	1.113
20	M	42	1.69	77.1	1047.969	5.75	2.634	1.145	78	F	51	1.59	59.1	1560.575	4.292	2.289	1.106
21	M	40	1.565	52.7	1305.87	6.071	2.113	1.086	79	F	48	1.59	71.3	1282.884	4.914	2.675	1.203
22	M	58	1.67	75.7	953.5547	5.181	2.768	1.139	80	F	78	1.535	43.7	1348.472	3.759	1.701	0.945
23	M	43	1.72	78.4	1052.877	6.692	2.318	1.098	81	F	40	1.52	48.5	1435.155	4.997	2.123	1.174
24	M	25	1.67	54.1	1392.538	5.964	2.285	1.105	82	F	66	1.53	71.8	1320.779	4.79	2.085	1.054
25	M	38	1.59	69.2	1057.465	6.031	2.48	1.239	83	F	54	1.55	84.5	1277.173	4.779	1.959	1.038
26	M	45	1.62	73.4	1075.078	5.578	2.866	1.287	84	F	68	1.56	56.6	1817.259	4.902	1.751	1.003
27	M	32	1.745	88.3	1035.144	5.866	2.709	1.141	85	F	75	1.65	69.7	1306.352	3.594	2.25	1.033
28	M	35	1.76	76.8	1150.84	5.925	2.998	1.199	86	F	49	1.56	49.6	1527.646	4.479	1.7914	0.98
29	M	40	1.52	48.5	1435.155	4.997	1.597	1.131	87	F	74	1.46	45	1738.164	4.517	1.93	1.011
30	M	66	1.53	71.8	1320.179	4.79	2.43	1.554	88	F	57	1.57	80.9	1383.986	4.227	2.17	1.283
31	M	54	1.55	84.5	1277.173	4.779	2.52	1.56	89	F	69	1.56	62.2	1405.974	4.716	1.811	0.976
32	M	68	1.56	56.6	1817.259	4.903	2.231	1.54	90	F	57	1.67	81.3	1192.065	4.556	2.28	1.2143
33	M	40	1.52	48.5	1435.155	4.993	1.79	1.69	91	F	54	1.56	64.3	1364.366	4.321	2.221	1.12
34	M	66	1.53	71.8	1320.155	4.79	2.73	1.31	92	F	67	1.56	72.9	1316.393	4.675	2.197	1.31
35	M	54	1.55	84.5	1277.173	4.779	2.51	1.44	93	F	51	1.55	62	1364.971	5.023	1.968	1.149
36	M	68	1.56	56.6	1817.259	4.902	2.653	1.14	94	F	40	1.56	89.9	1271.363	4.905	2.444	1.244
37	F	49	1.65	55.6	1656.782	5.035	2.042	1.011	95	F	64	1.56	87.8	974.4207	4.32	2.039	1.178
38	F	59	1.512	81.3	1336.268	4.64	1.956	1.214	96	F	53	1.61	64.7	1385.747	5.786	2.265	1.058
39	F	48	1.5156	65.3	1358.42	5.326	2.19	1.116	97	F	63	1.5	57.5	1507.701	4.962	1.885	1.06
40	F	66	1.525	54.9	1403.49	5.032	1.703	0.922	98	F	65	1.55	41	1858.888	4.264	1.556	0.949
41	F	62	1.585	65.5	1367.087	4.392	1.862	0.939	99	F	40	1.55	48.9	1685.517	5.683	1.752	1.097
42	F	59	1.575	76.5	1346.591	3.449	1.959	0.968	100	F	72	1.55	58.5	1424.049	3.237	1.575	0.869
43	F	38	1.588	70	1169.886	5.474	2.69	1.193	101	F	62	1.55	61.1	1558.666	3.825	1.763	0.976
44	F	58	1.61	85.4	1303.697	4.756	2.13	0.973	102	F	36	1.57	66.5	1548.391	4.904	1.98	1.114
45	F	64	1.56	75.3	1346.185	4.99	2.017	1.051	103	F	48	1.52	77.7	1137.688	5.371	2.155	1.22
46	F	24	1.58	53.5	1821.5	5.763	2.166	1.019	104	F	60	1.59	64.3	1427.06	4.695	2.256	1.125
47	F	63	1.49	43.2	1720.476	3.586	1.326	0.943	105	F	50	1.59	60.2	1370.357	5.083	2.247	1.22
48	F	54	1.525	50.6	1762.476	4.497	1.823	1.018	106	F	64	1.61	97.7	1154.924	4.539	2.11	1.122
49	F	43	1.63	49.4	1774.339	4.474	1.958	1.044	107	F	49	1.54	64.4	1313.437	4.388	2.223	1.144
50	F	34	1.56	97.3	1063.206	5.565	2.72	1.222	108	F	61	1.54	86.8	1038.771	4.002	2.3	1.141
51	F	47	1.655	62.2	1753.68	4.543	2.317	1.186	109	F	53	1.61	64.8	1414.49	3.924	2.43	1.173
52	F	55.6	1.46	55.6	1327.29	4.334	2.01	1.114	110	F	61	1.54	75.9	1261.777	5.061	2.059	0.907
53	F	58	1.61	88	1065.754	5.362	2.478	1.199	111	F	86	1.52	66.6	1305.899	4.181	2.101	1.131
54	F	59	1.555	48.9	1825.481	4.842	1.416	0.876	112	F	77	1.47	45	1516.668	3.27	2.167	1.0341
55	F	23	1.58	39	1630.453	4.831	2.196	1.109	113	F	51	1.57	64	1311.079	4.458	2.141	1.174
56	F	60	1.48	58.9	13000.25	4.456	2.048	1.091	114	F	44.4	1.57	71.1	1456.57	4.465	2.173	1.113
57	F	66	1.47	56.8	1364.871	4.421	1.882	1.161	115	F	32	1.63	64.8	1388.277	5.083	2.373	1.157
58	F	55	1.555	63.3	1365.487	5.134	2.226	1.112	116	F	42	1.51	67.4	1280.18	100.8	2.433	1.192

VII. Conclusion

The Perceptron network is most often used in the medical diagnosis systems. ANN analysis is performed to estimate the BMD as well as BMC. The BMD is the most accurate indicator of the risk factor for fracture, osteopenia, and osteoporosis. Perceptron model is developed and provides 90 to 95 % accurate results which are shown in observation table as well as discriminant analysis of target output and obtained outputs for BMD and BMC. 6.1, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4 blue colours indicate target output values while red colour indicates obtained values. This application allows us to make non-linear relationship with input and output parameters of body composition analysis. The attributes taken for diagnoses are; Age (months), Sex (male/female), Height (inch), weight (kg), Resistive as well as reactive components of body, BMD (g/cm), BMC (Kg), Reactance (Ω), Capacitance (Ω) etc.

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