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Advancing Building Extraction in Thailand: Fine-tuning and Validation of YOLOv8 Segment Model on Open-source Data across Diverse Land Use Types

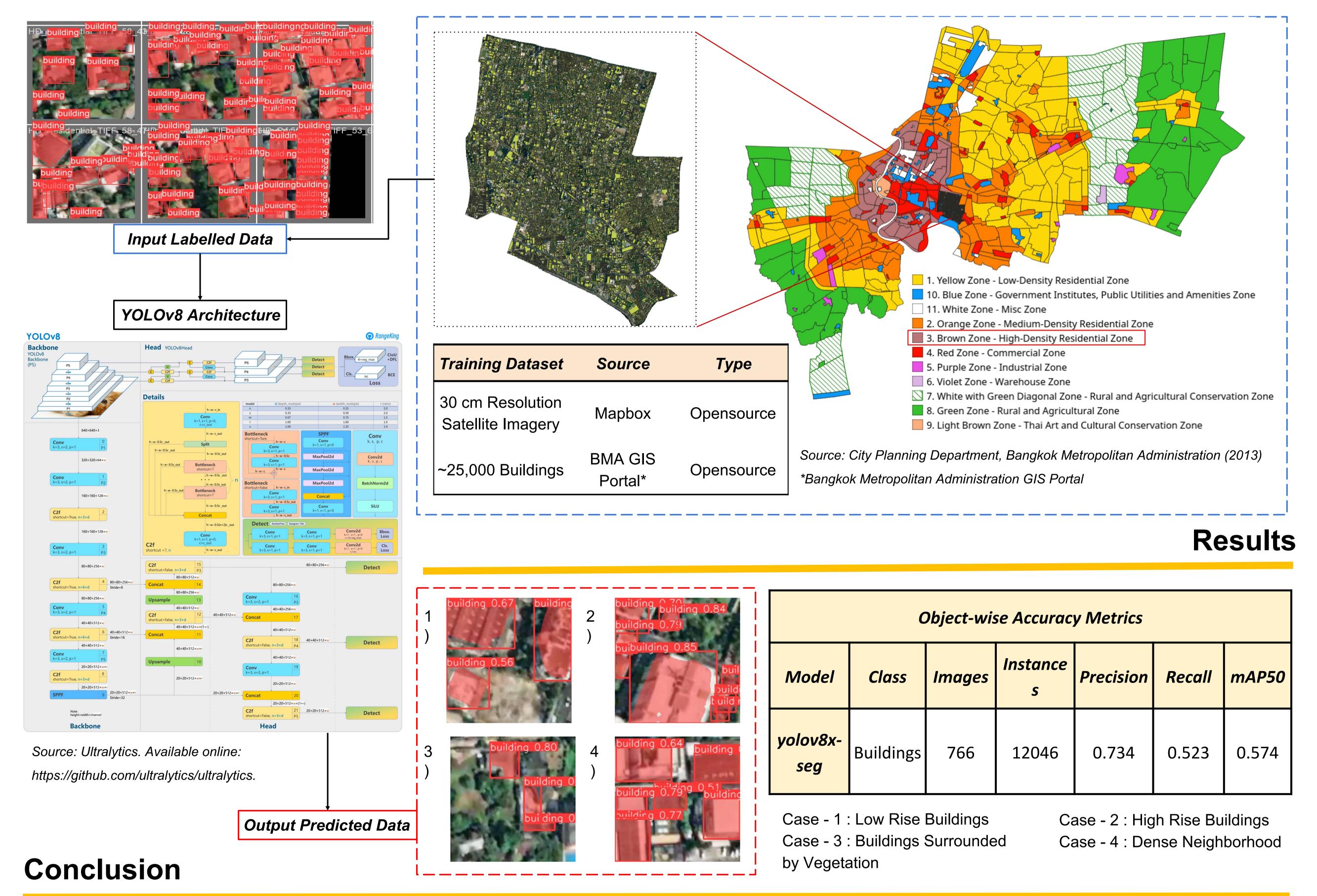
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- Building extraction models are techniques that use computer vision and machine learning to automatically find and outline buildings in aerial or satellite images.
- Developing a global building extraction model is challenging due to building variations, limited data, processing scale, geographical variations, and the need for reliable ground truth data.
- This research work aims to validate the accuracy and robustness of the latest YOLOv8 model by leveraging the

potential of opensource data, and fine-tuning across diverse land-use types.

Methodology

Fine tuning the YOLOv8 Segment Model at High-Density Residential Zone of Bangkok Province - Thailand



→The YOLOv8 segmentation model has successfully extracted buildings in cases - 1, 2 and 3.

 \rightarrow In case - 4, some of the buildings were extracted poorly.

→The model performance depends on various factors like image quality, building diversity, occlusions, and training.

→In summary, YOLOv8 has a great potential for building extraction and accuracies can be enhanced by training and

fine-tuning on diverse land-use types.

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