



ByteForce Crop Disease Detection System

AI-powered plant disease identification and treatment solution for sustainable farming.

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Crop Diseases: A Global Challenge

\$220B+

Annual Losses

Worldwide crop damage

1B+

People Affected

Food security threatened

30%

Preventable

With early detection



Current Process



Visual Inspection

Farmers walk through fields, manually checking leaves for discoloration, spots, wilting, or insect damage.



Guesswork / Experience-Based Diagnosis

Rely on personal experience or consult with neighboring farmers or agronomists to diagnose the issue



Extension Office or Lab Testing

In some cases, leaves are collected and sent to local university labs or ag extension services for testing, with a 3-7 day turnaround time.

Our Solution



AI-powered analysis

Instant disease identification



Specialized detection

Iowa Specific crops



Weather integration

Optimal treatment timing



Sustainable practices

Long-term crop health



What Makes Us Unique?



Localized to Iowa & Midwest

Tailored to the crop types, and common diseases in Iowa and surrounding Midwest regions, unlike one-size-fits-all solutions.



Integrated Weather-Aware Recommendations

Provides weather-informed treatment schedules, enhancing the timing and effectiveness of interventions.



Impact



Time Savings

Reduces manual disease time by over 70%



Cost Efficiency

Reduces unnecessary pesticide usage and crop health consulting fee



Yield Protection

Helps prevent up to 30% crop loss with early detection



Farmer Empowerment

Provides accessible diagnostics

Datasets

Dataset	Brief Description
20K Dataset	20,000+ images of wheat, maize, cotton, sugarcane, and rice diseases from Kaggle, web scraping, and field data.
New Plant Disease	87K images in 38 classes (healthy + diseased), based on PlantVillage with offline augmentation.
Sorghum Disease	7167 images covering 5 sorghum diseases (e.g., Smuts, Rust), used for plant pathology and ML training.
Corn Leaf	4-class dataset (Common Rust, Gray Leaf Spot, Blight, Healthy), curated from Plant Village + PlantDoc.
Soybean	Dataset of 7 soybean diseases + healthy, collected and shared via Kaggle.
Cassava	Images of 5 disease types affecting cassava, used in African agricultural disease detection challenges.
Apple	Classifies leaves as Healthy, Rust, Scab, or multiple diseases; includes metadata and image folders.
Tomato	Tomato disease dataset from PlantVillage, used widely for leaf disease detection research.

Plant Disease Detection Models			
General Detection Model:			
1 American Bollworm on Cotton	2 Anthracnose on Cotton	3 Army Worm	34 Leaf Scorch on Strawberry
4 Bacterial Blight in Cotton	5 Bacterial Blight in Rice	6 Boll Rot on Cotton	35 Bacterial Spot on Tomato
7 Bollworm on Cotton	8 Brown Spot	9 Common Rust	37 Late Blight on Tomato
10 Cotton Aphid	11 Cotton Mealy Bug	12 Cotton Whitefly	38 Leaf Mold on Tomato
13 Flag Smut	14 Gray Leaf Spot	15 Leaf Curl	40 Spider Mites on Tomato
16 Leaf Smut	17 Maize Ear Rot	18 Maize Fall Armyworm	41 Target Spot on Tomato
19 Maize Stem Borer	20 Mosaic Sugarcane	21 Pink Bollworm in Cotton	43 Tomato Yellow Leaf Curl Virus
22 Red Cotton Bug	23 Red Rot in Sugarcane	24 Red Rust in Sugarcane	46 Cedar Apple Rust
25 Rice Blast	26 Thrips on Cotton	27 Tungro	49 Common Rust on Corn
28 Anthracnose and Red Rot	29 Cereal Grain Molds	30 Covered Kernel Smut	50 Northern Leaf Blight on Corn
31 Head Smut	32 Loose Smut	33 Powdery Mildew on Squash	52 Esca on Grape
			53 Leaf Blight on Grape
			55 Bacterial Spot on Peach
			56 Bacterial Spot on Bell Pepper
			58 Late Blight on Potato
			59 Wheat Aphid
			61 Wheat Brown Leaf Rust
			62 Wheat Leaf Blight
			64 Wheat Powdery Mildew
			65 Wheat Scab
			67 Yellow Rust on Wheat
			68 Wilt
			69 Yellow Rust on Sugarcane
			36 Early Blight on Tomato
			39 Septoria Leaf Spot on Tomato
			42 Tomato Mosaic Virus
			45 Black Rot on Apple
			48 Cercospora & Gray Leaf Spot on Corn
			51 Black Rot on Grape
			54 Citrus Greening on Orange
			57 Early Blight on Potato
			60 Wheat Black Rust
			63 Wheat Mite
			66 Wheat Stem Fly

Tomato Specialized Model:

- 1** Bacterial Spot
- 2** Early Blight
- 3** Late Blight
- 4** Leaf Mold
- 5** Septoria Leaf Spot
- 6** Spider Mites
- 7** Target Spot
- 8** Tomato Yellow Leaf Curl Virus
- 9** Tomato Mosaic Virus

Cassava Specialized Model:

- 1** Bacterial Blight
- 2** Brown Streak Disease
- 3** Green Mottle
- 4** Mosaic Disease

Soybean Specialized Model:

- 1** Bacterial Pustule
- 2** Frogeye Leaf Spot
- 3** Rust
- 4** Sudden Death Syndrome
- 5** Target Leaf Spot
- 6** Yellow Mosaic

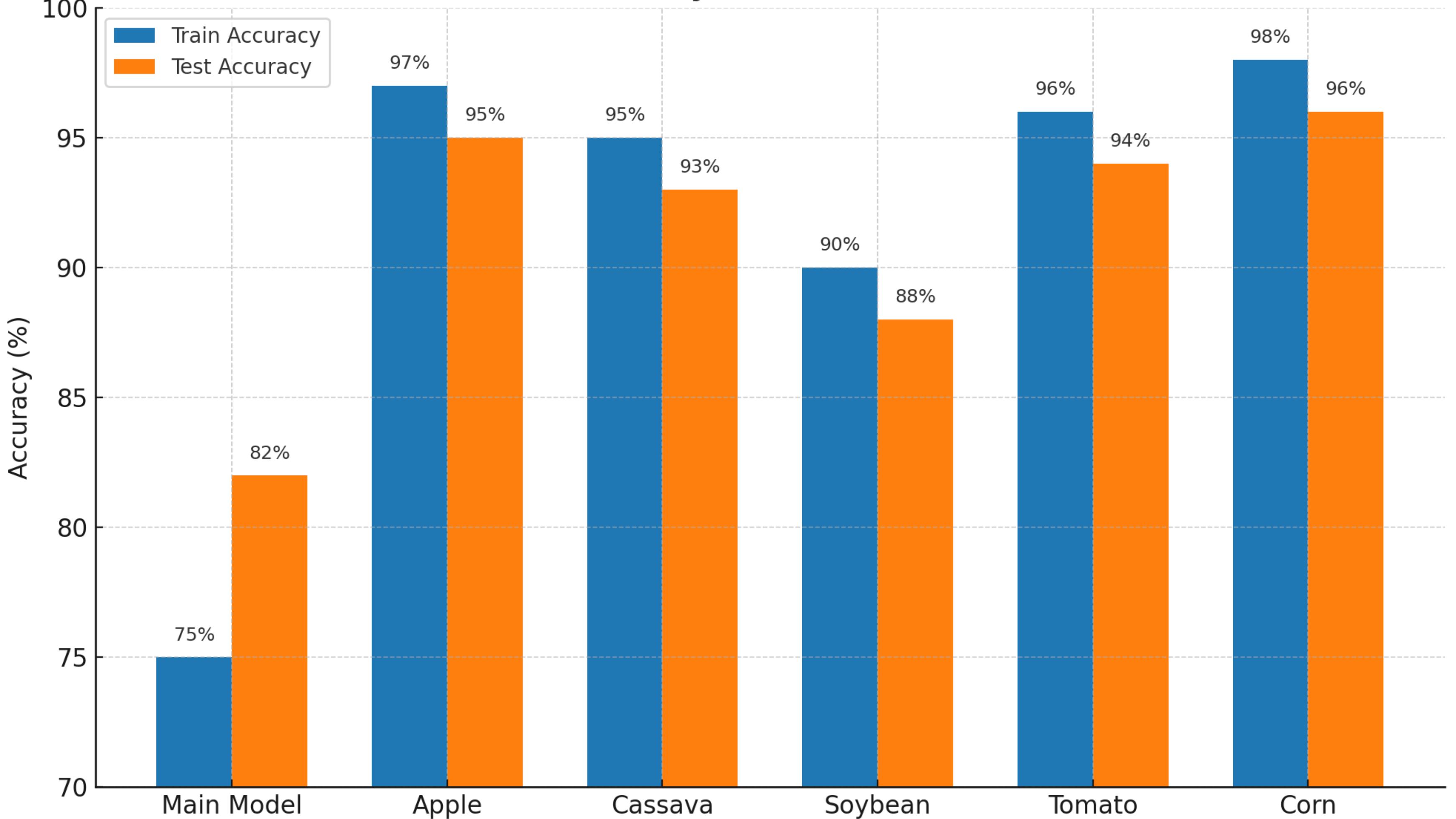
Apple Specialized Model:

- 1** Black Rot
- 2** Cedar Apple Rust
- 3** Apple Scab

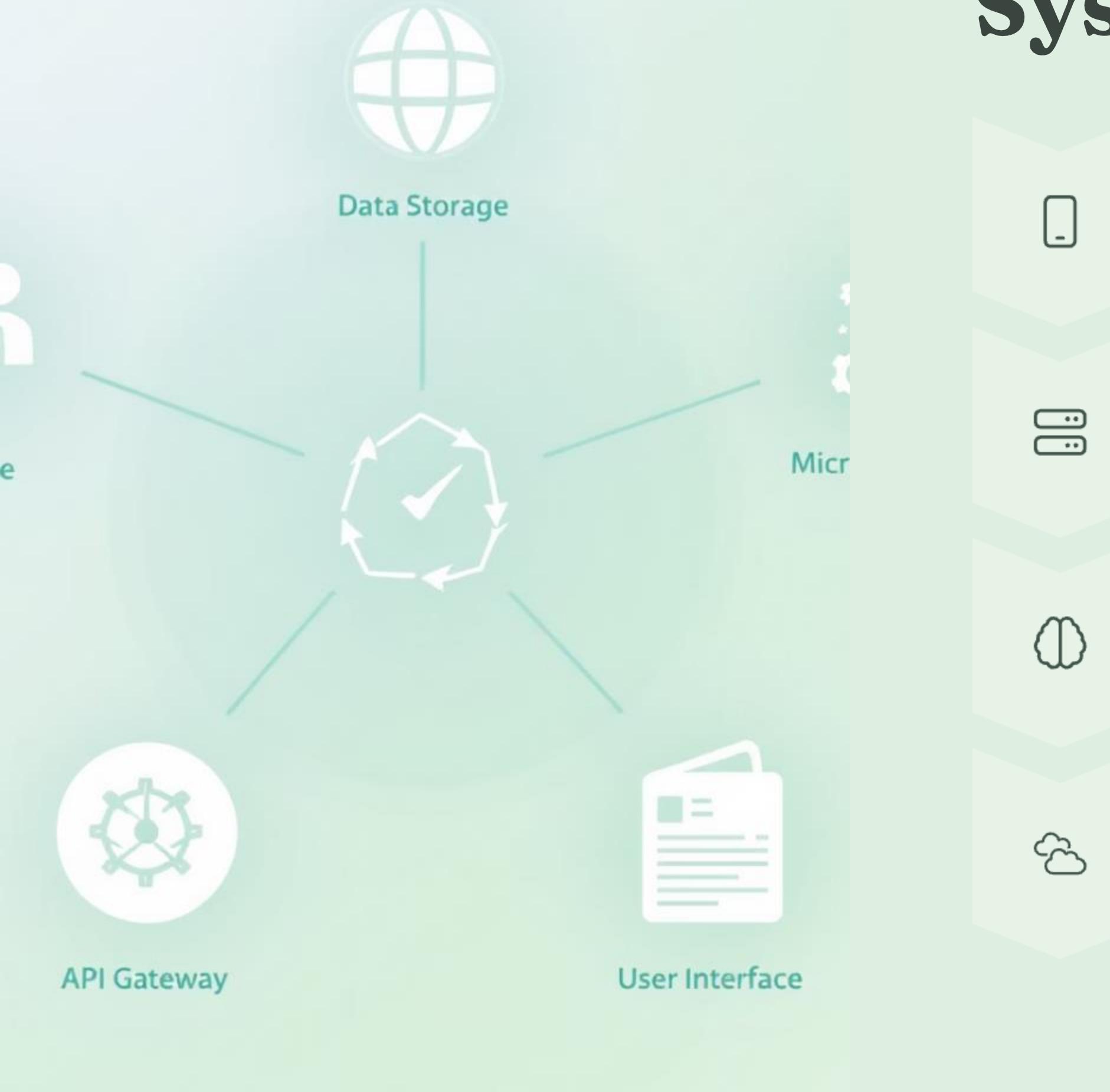
Corn Specialized Model:

- 1** Common Rust
- 2** Gray Leaf Spot
- 3** Northern Leaf Blight

Train vs Test Accuracy of Disease Prediction Models



System Architecture



User Interface

React.js frontend

Backend

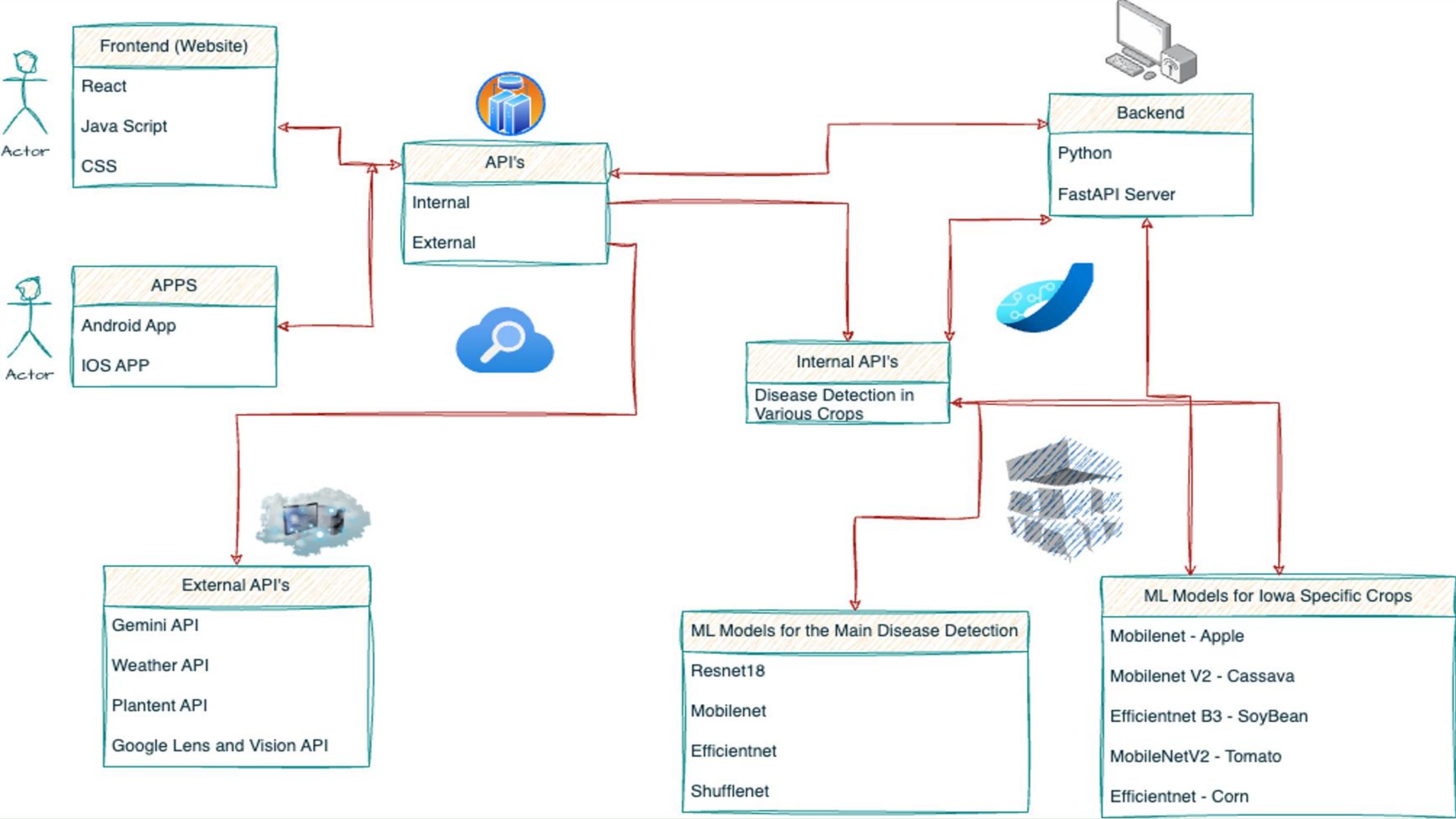
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ML Models

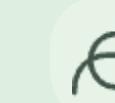
Deep learning ensemble

External APIs

Weather and plant data



External Integrations



PlantNet API

Image-based plant identification



Weather Data

Real-time environmental conditions



Gemini API

Treatment recommendations

Gemini



OpenWeather

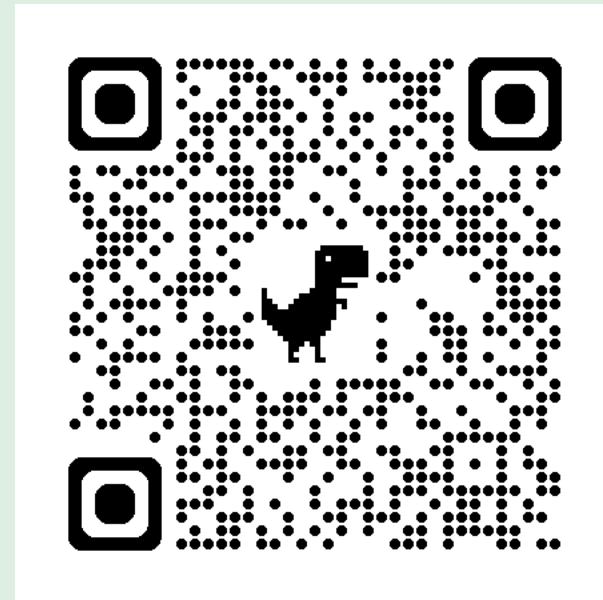
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Getting Started



Clone repository

git clone from GitHub



Start backend

Install requirements and run `api_server.py`

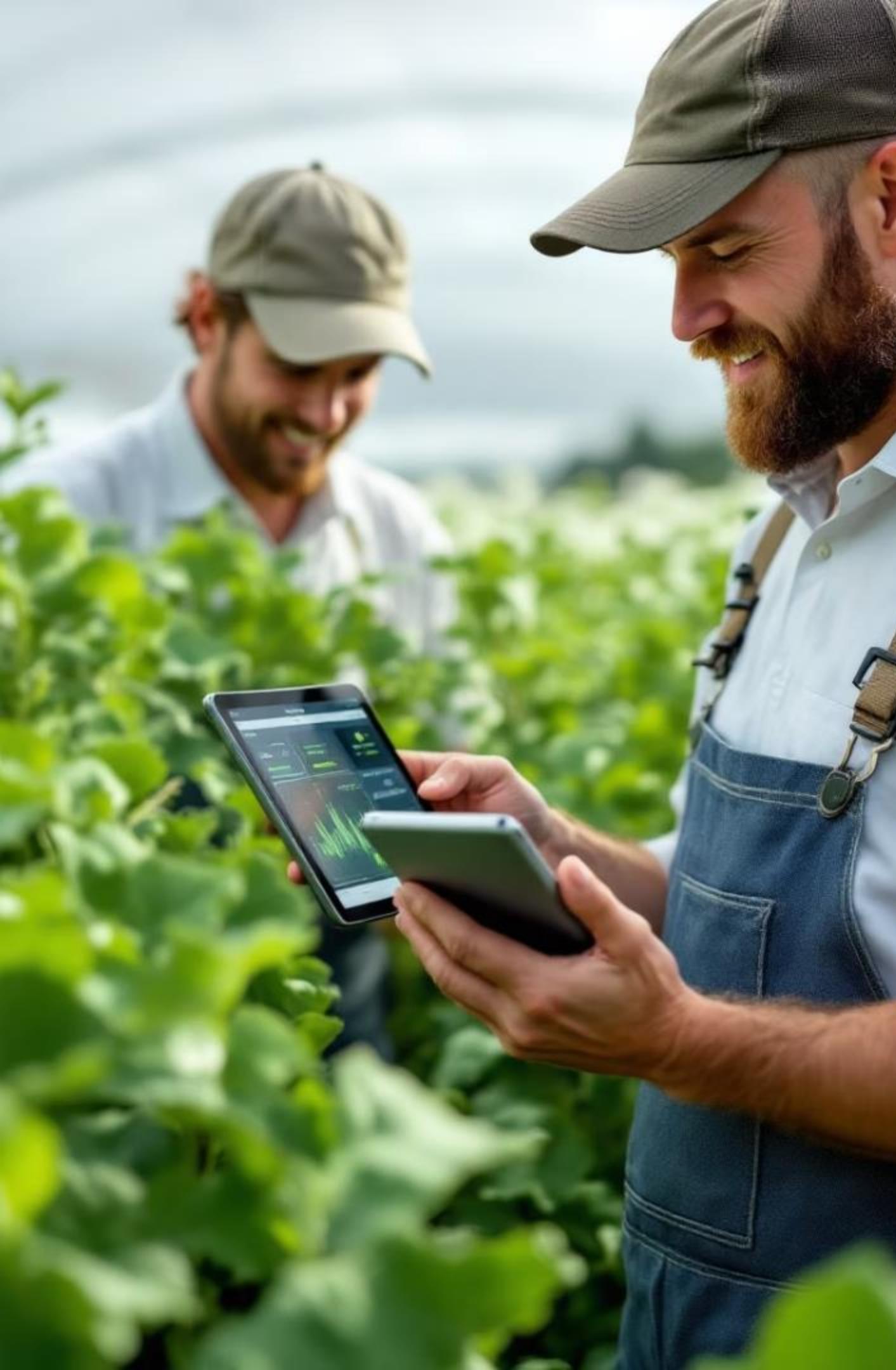
Launch frontend

`npm install` and `npm start`

Access application

Visit `localhost:3000`





System Demo

Image Upload

Simple drag-drop interface

Disease Detection

Real-time analysis results

Treatment Plan

Customized recommendations

Analytics Review

Historical data insights

Actionable Recommendations



Treatment options

Chemical and organic solutions



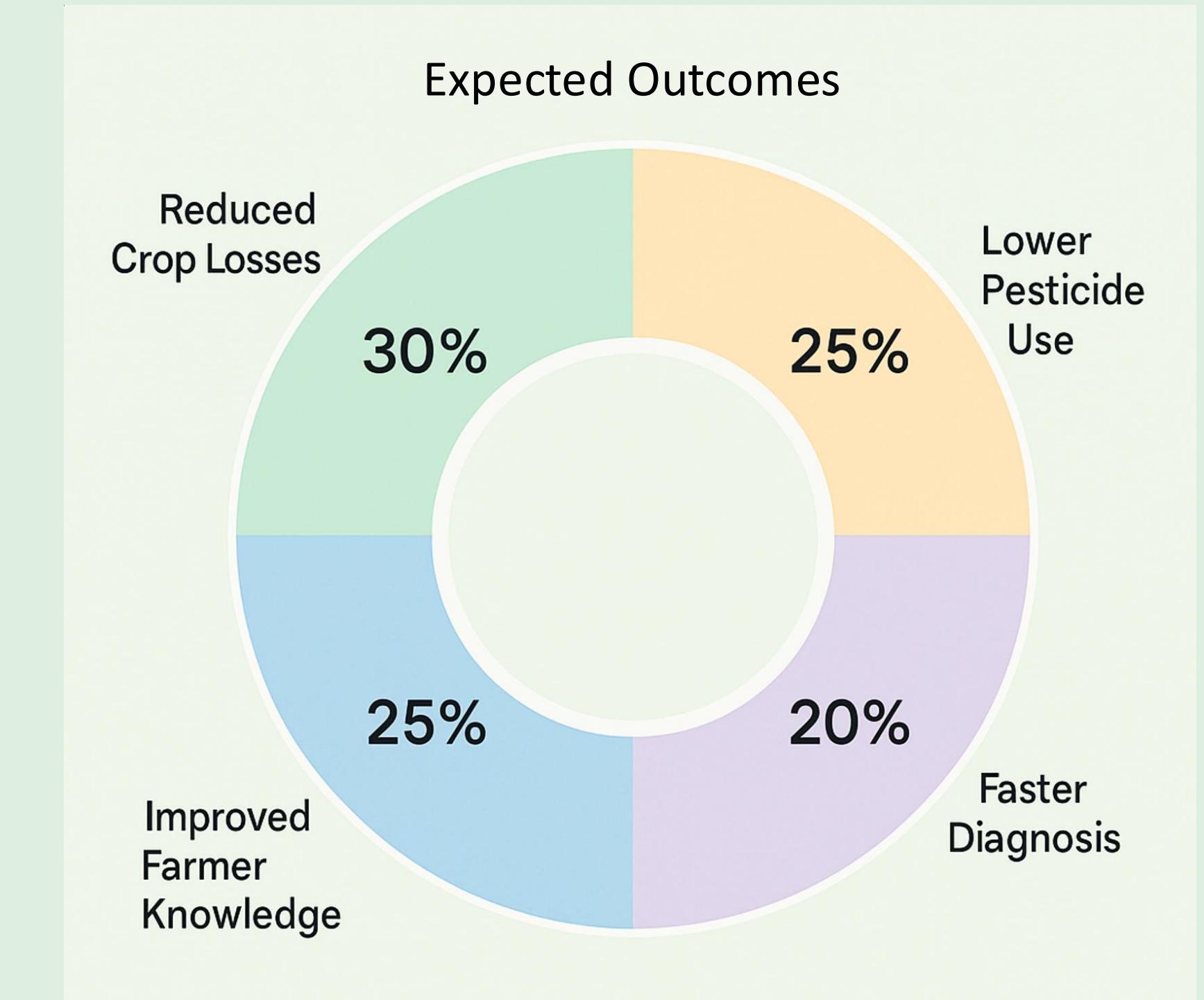
Sustainable practices

Environmental impact focus



Ethical considerations

Farmer welfare and informed consent



Computational Resources



GPU

CUDA-capable, 8+ GB VRAM



RAM

16+ GB for preprocessing



Storage

100k+ images for models to train on



Training Time

8-20 hours per model





Current Limitations

1

Image Quality

Requires good-quality images.

2

Offline

No offline functionality for certain functionalities.

3

Accuracy

Lower Accuracy for general model.

Future Roadmap



Mobile app version

On-the-go disease detection + Live Image Analysis



Expand crop database

Cover more crop varieties



Drone/sensor integration

Automated field monitoring



Local partnerships

Co-ops and ISU Extension

Thank You

Together, let's
empower
sustainable
agriculture with
AI.

Your feedback,
questions, and
ideas are always
welcome.