
Smart City: Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Applications

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Abstract

When development, urban smart handle are supposed effectively cities to the brought problems by about rapidly increasing urbanization, maximize use, energy promote environmental sustainability, living and raise economic standards, and contemporary enable to people use technology communication for and information ease. with ICT the is smart-city essential paradigm to and plays a in key the role creation of policies, the process making of decisions, their and execution, provision the of useful services. explores This how article deep reinforcement learning (DRL), machine learning (ML), and artificial intelligence (AI) have shaped development the of smart cities. cutting-edge These methods are crucial for developing best the policies to address intricate the problems that with arise city smart projects. study The with concludes outline an future of possibilities and research problems, emphasizing the tremendous potential these of strategies achieving in the overall goal a of smart city.

Keywords

Smart City, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Deep Reinforcement Learning, Urbanization, Information and Communication Technology, IoT, Blockchain, Intelligent Transportation Systems, Cybersecurity, 5G Communication

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Introduction

Many projections indicate that by 2050, a significant share of the world's population is expected to live in cities. With an estimated 70% to 66% of people living in cities, this urbanization boom is expected to have a significant impact on security, municipal administration, and the environment. Recognizing the challenges brought about by this rapid urbanization, several nations have proposed the idea of “smart cities” as a way to optimize energy use and manage resources effectively. The goal of smart city efforts is to adopt low-carbon emission technology to address environmental issues. To properly handle the upcoming problems, countries all over the globe, including the US, EU, Japan, among others, are actively developing and executing smart city initiatives. In order to meet the requirements of a smart city, ICTs (information and communication technology) must be used skilfully to manage data analysis, interaction, and the efficient execution of complex strategies, guaranteeing the safe and efficient functioning of these cities.

The World Wide Web, or Internet in Things (IoT) is the central component of most intelligent city projects and is in charge of producing large volumes of data. Finding the most precise and productive courses of action is difficult when managing such large and complicated information. In order to overcome this, cutting-edge methods like deep reinforcement learning (DRL), machine learning (ML), and artificial intelligence (AI) become essential for reaching the best possible decision-making. These methods aid in the creation of the most beneficial or nearly optimum control choices by taking long-term goals into account. By increasing the amount of training data available to these methods, we may improve their accuracy even more, strengthen their learning capacity, and ultimately improve automated decision-making efficiency. Research has shown that there is a concomitant increase in the use of big data analytics methods and the creation of smart cities. Future potential are promised by the ideas of IoT, blockchain, smart cities, and unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs). These concepts are still developing and include the use of AI, ML, and DRL-based approaches in a variety of applications.

We cover the most recent advancements in AI, ML, with DRL-based technologies across a range of smart city industries in this thorough study. We investigate the function and implications of these methods in important domains as Cybersecurity, Smart Grid-based UAV-assisted 5G & B5G communication, and Intelligent Transportation Systems. We want to shed light on the exciting possibilities of AI, ML, and a DRL in influencing the development of smart cities in the future by exploring these applications.

Literature Review

Machine Learning: A Brief Overview

There are three main types of machine learning techniques: reinforcement learning (RL), unsupervised learning, and supervised learning. As RL uses algorithms from different branches in different contexts. This talk covers both supervised and unsupervised instruction in brief before delving into reinforcement learning (RL) and its main techniques.

An AI network is developed using a dataset that contains input n target values in supervised learning. Creating an algorithm for mapping that can precisely translate input data into equivalent output values is the goal (figure 1). Two more categories for supervised learning are regression and classification. Known instances of supervised learning encompass random forests, machine learning with support vectors, and linear regression.

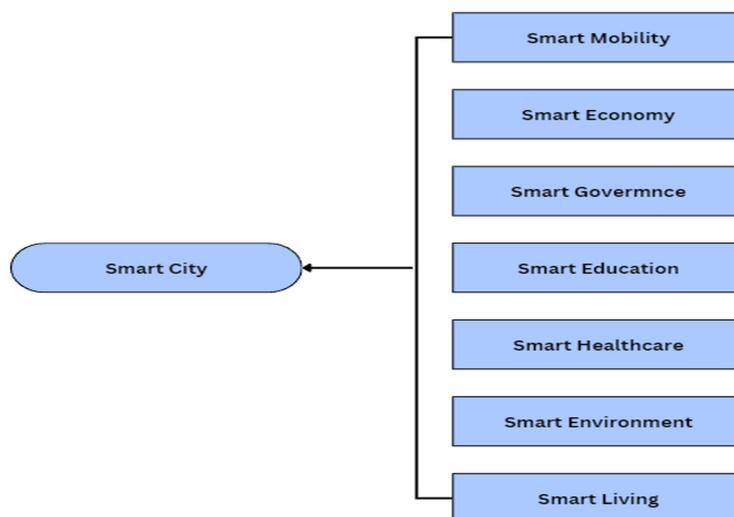


Figure 1. Smart City Classification for The System

On the other hand, unsupervised learning entails using input datasets that are neither labeled nor classed in the absence of any explicit instructions. Without labeled data, the AI share is taught to find hidden distributions, answers, and patterns. Common unsupervised learning challenges include clustering and association; k-means and auto-encoder algorithms are good examples of this sort of work.

Reinforce Learning (RL) often uses the Markov Decision Process (MDP) paradigm. The solution of sequential choices (SDP) is based on MDP. MDPs help identify the best or most optimum solution among the possibilities given, even if they might fail to offer absolute answers in stochastic SDPs. With rewards including transitions dependent on the selected action and the current state, an MDP model consists of states, decisions, a transition hypothesis, and a reward function.

Enhancing its long-term collective reward via interactions with the outside world is the goal of the RL agent. The agent, which is in charge of interactions and learning, follows an ideal course of action, or a set of steps that maximize the total long-term benefit. One of the main challenges in reinforcement learning (RL) is balancing the need to maximize known movements while investigating new ones in order to possibly achieve better results. There are two types of RL algorithms: model-based and model-free. When it comes to sample efficiency, model-based RL algorithms use function approximators, whereas model-free techniques like Monte Carlo (MC) and Translational Difference (TD) work without a preexisting model.

Richard Bellman developed the recursive technique known as dynamic programming (DP) in the middle of the 20th century to optimize complicated jobs. DP divides complex issues into smaller, easier-to-manage subproblems. The applicability of DP is limited to RL issues when the provided environment model coincides with an MDP, despite the fact that it is model-based and requires complete observable information of the environment.

Randomness is used in Monte Carlo (MC) techniques to solve issues. First-visit MC as well as every-visit MC are two different methodologies that use different ways to average results across a number of episodes. Because of its efficiency, simplicity of implementation, and compatibility to sample models, MC is superior than DP. By allowing updates prior to the conclusion of an episode, Temporal Difference (TD) approaches overcome a constraint of MC and are essential for reinforcement learning issues that need long-term future reward prediction.

TD-based algorithms that are well-known include Q-Learning and SARSA (State-Action-Reward-State-Action). Similar to Q-learning, SARSA updates according to the present rules rather than avaricious ones. It functions as an on-policy education algorithm. In order to facilitate learning via observation, Q-learning, an on-policy and forward-facing learning TD algorithm, determines the next action using the highest achievable Q-value of the subsequent state.

A hybrid reinforcement learning technique, the Actor-Critic algorithm blends value function and policy components. A balance in policy-based and value-based approaches is achieved by the actor, who modifies the policy in response to criticism from the critic, while the critic evaluates the value function. Moreover, Bayesian techniques, which make use of uncertainty facts, provide analytical tools for assessing model uncertainty. Myopic and Thompson Sampling, for example, solve the exploration-exploitation conundrum.

Intelligent Transportation System

Advanced sensors, systems for control, and communication and information technology (ICT) come together to produce the introduction of Technology Intelligent Transportation System (ITS), which generates a lot of data and shapes the future of ITS and smart city development. Artificial Intelligence (AI), algorithmic learning (ML), and Deep Reinforcement Learning, or DRL, methods have become indispensable for tracking and precisely predicting real-time information on traffic flows in urban settings, which is an essential feature of sustainable Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS).

Another work addressed security issues with mobile edge computing, or MEC, and offered a DRL-based method to discover possible attack vectors using unsupervised learning. A six percent accuracy gain was found when comparing the suggested model to current ML-based procedures, demonstrating the model's effectiveness in managing security risks.

A stacked auto-encoder estimate trained through a greedy layer-wise fashion was used in a unique way to simulate traffic flow utilizing DRL-based approaches. The effectiveness of the performance in forecasting traffic flow outperformed current methods.

Cyber-Security

The integration of networked sensors, motors, and relays is essential for data gathering, processing, and transmission in a smart city in order to provide dependable digital services. Nevertheless, there are now serious cybersecurity issues that need to be resolved as a result of these devices' greater interconnectedness. Cloud-based IoT devices are the main source of produced data and are essential to many applications in connected cities.

Key components of smart cities have been examined in an extensive assessment carried out by academics. Major issues that were noted were the necessity of protecting data security and privacy, strengthening networks against possible cyberattacks, cultivating an adult and responsible culture

around data sharing, and making it easier to use AI, ML, and DRL techniques (figure 2). Hadi and colleagues conducted a second, more thorough study that focused on communication, privacy, including security aspects of smart city design research concerns and related solutions. Examining the difficulties encountered in integrating the infrastructure, sensors, actuators, and communication protocols already in place was the main focus.

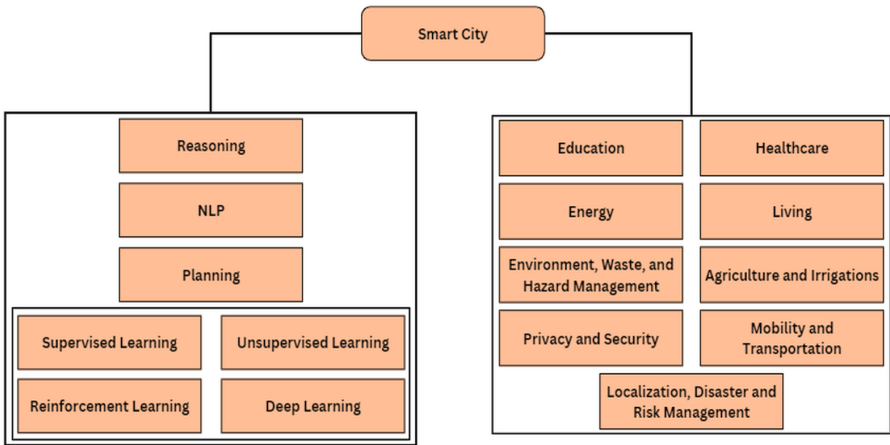


Figure 2. Workflow methodology of the System

A comprehensive strategy is required to address the issues that have been identified. It is critical to guarantee data security and privacy in smart cities. This entails putting strong safeguards in place to protect private data from unlawful or unauthorized access.

Proposed Methodlogy

Revolutionizing 5G as Beyond: Communication Applications for DRL-Based UAVs

Mobile broadband networks are rapidly moving towards the 5G and beyond era due to the increasing needs for high data speeds, dependability, and low latency (B5G). Artificial intelligence (AI), algorithms for learning (ML), and deep learning by reinforcement (DRL) approaches in particular have become essential tools to manage the complex communication issues associated with vast network data. This talk explores the significance of unmanned aerial vehicles, also known as UAVs, in fifth-generation and B5G communication, highlighting how they can make a contribution to smart city growth and sustainability, even though AI and ML have played critical roles in 5G communication.

Improving 5G and B5G Transmission Network Cybersecurity

Researchers conducted a groundbreaking study in which they suggested a paradigm for analyzing and detecting cyberattacks in 5G as well as B5G network communications using DRL methods. For effective cyber-intrusion monitoring in 5G including Internet of Things (IoT) networks, the method comprises

evaluating network traffic by examining several facets of network flows and using deep auto-encoded densely neural network protocols.

UAV DRL Solutions and Challenges

Even with these promising uses, UAVs still have to overcome obstacles including poor LTE cellular service in the sky, latency problems, line-of-sight difficulties, and financial limitations. DRL shows to be a useful machine learning method for effectively handling these difficult problems. UAV collision avoidance, UAV trajectory optimization, landing based mobile platforms, and UAV identification based on rotor count are a few examples. In one case, a deep reinforcement learning architecture with echo state wireless networks was suggested to optimize data connection latency, minimize interference at Ground Headquarters (GBSs), and optimize the trajectories of many UAVs. A different framework improved the sum rate while the UAV was in the air by using reinforcement Q-learning (table 1). Promising research avenues in UAV detection and categorization are provided by machine along with deep learning, especially in radar technology, which excels in pattern recognition.

DRL in mmWave Communication Assisted by UAVs

Wireless Sensor Networks (WSNs) that are supported by UAVs may provide high-data-rate communication, particularly when using millimeter-wave (mmWave) bandwidth. The creation of beaming antenna arrays perfect for UAV-assisted communication is aided by the short wavelength of mmWave, which permits the effective construction of small antennas. DRL has applications in 5G mmWave communications optimization with UAV assistance (figure 3). A particular framework suggested the most efficient way to deploy UAVs for covering 5G networks at a low cost. This was achieved by using genetic and simulation-annealing techniques to solve linear optimization equations. In order to improve communication connection dependability, a different communication system included a UAV-based static Base Station (BS) with a moveable cylindrical antenna that used a deep neural network with attitude prediction.

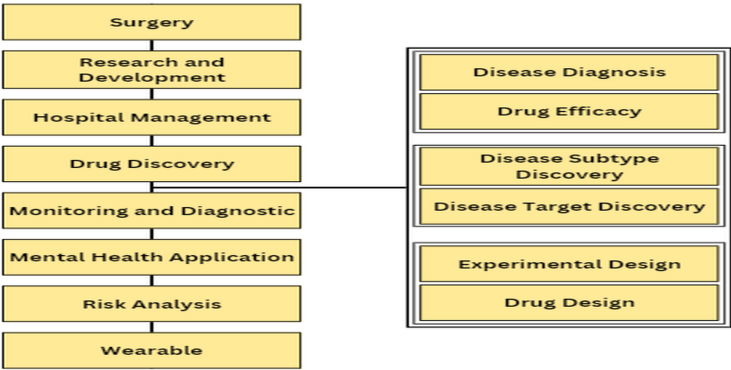


Figure 3. Approach of the System

UAV Positioning to Optimize Throughput and Offload Data

In cloud radio access network (CRAN) situations, UAV location is essential for optimizing throughput and offloading data. By creating connections based on everyday routine patterns and human behavior, an approach to using cache-enabled Uas maximizes the quality of interaction (QoE) for gadgets used by users. In hotspot circumstances, UAV deployment with relay-BS is optimized by prediction frameworks that use machine learning methods as wavelet decomposition and compressive measurement. Moreover, the use of long short-term memory (LSTM) and multi-layer perceptron (MLP) algorithms forecasts ideal UAV positions to improve user traffic and the system's efficiency.

Transforming Healthcare with Cutting-Edge Technologies in Smart Cities

Health intelligence is a new term for the age of healthcare that has been brought about by the combination of modern cameras, high-performance Internet of Things (IoT) devices, cloud-based technology, and higher data rates (figure 4). At the forefront of these developments are approaches for the use of artificial intelligence (AI), neural networks (ML), and profound reinforcement learning (DRL).

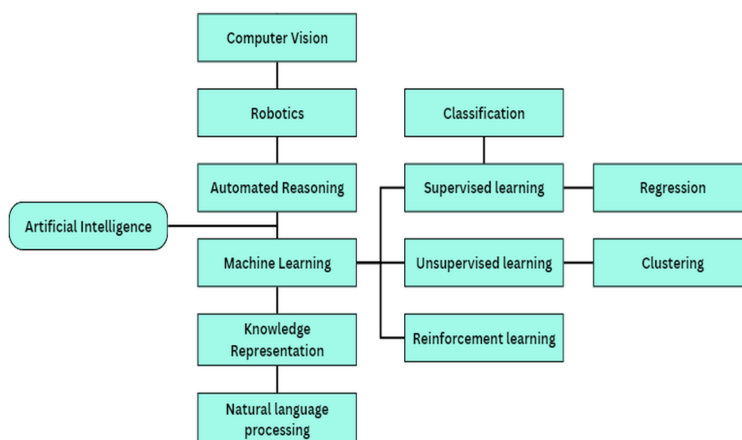


Figure 4. Implementation Of The System

These technologies are essential for diagnosing diseases, predicting cures, analyzing social media for particular conditions, and performing medical imaging.

1. The role of 5G in health: A thorough analysis of the effects of the use of 5G in the healthcare sector has been carried out by researchers. This research explores the essential methods, components, architecture, and main goals associated with 5G-based healthcare. In IoT-based healthcare systems, the architecture, component technologies, communication protocol taxonomy, and network layer concerns are the main topics of discussion.

2. Big Data Analysis on Healthcare: Using AI, ML, and DRL, a thorough investigation examines the use of huge amounts of data in healthcare systems. These methods have many benefits that are covered, including the ability to analyze complicated data, classify information, diagnose patients, estimate disease risk, choose the most effective course of therapy, and forecast patient survival. Careful thought must

be given to concerns including accurate model training, treating actual clinical problems, physicians' comprehension of data analytic techniques, and ethical implications.

3. AI's Place in Healthcare of the Future: Researchers debunk the myth that AI will completely replace medical professionals by identifying four areas where AI, ML, and DRL approaches might be very beneficial: patient monitoring, handling, healthcare mediation, the clinicians' decision-making. The focus is on creating effective AI-enabled solutions that are based on real-world healthcare data.

4. AI in Drug Search: As a paradigm change in pharmaceutical study and development approaches, the potential adoption of AI for developing drugs is investigated. The conversation focuses on how the pharmaceutical sector has changed, creating new opportunities for efficiency and innovation.

5. Improving IoT-based Healthcare: Several AI, ML, plus DRL protocols are described in order to improve the field of IoT-based healthcare. These guidelines have the potential to solve important issues, enhance patient care, and increase the general efficacy and efficiency of healthcare systems.

6. HealthFog Architecture over Heart Disease Analysis: An innovative architecture known as HealthFog is put out in order to analyze heart disorders effectively and independently. This framework shows how cutting-edge technology may be used to improve illness diagnosis and treatment by correctly classifying and managing incoming patient data using edge computing devices backed by DRL protocols.

Discussion

The study offers a thorough investigation of how artificial intelligence (AI), data science (ML), and deep learning through reinforcement (DRL) influence the growth of smart cities. In order to optimize energy consumption, manage resources efficiently, and address environmental issues, the paper starts off by highlighting the problems presented by the fast urbanization of the world and the need of smart city efforts. It draws attention to how important ICT, or information and communication technology, is to the concept of the smart city.

The paper's latter parts go into particular uses of DRL, ML, and AI in smart city cybersecurity, healthcare, and intelligent transportation systems. The writers talk about improvements in traffic flow prediction, UAV-assisted communication optimization, and security considerations. The section on the suggested technique describes how DRL-based UAVs might improve UAV location, solve cybersecurity concerns, and transform communication in 5G and beyond-5G networks.

The study concludes with a thorough analysis of the present situation and future prospects of DRL, ML, and AI in the realm of smart city development. It underlines the need of new laws and ethical concerns in the age of artificial intelligence, as well as the significance of these advancements in tackling difficult problems in a variety of fields. The conversation provides insightful information on how smart cities are developing and how cutting-edge technology are changing society.

Conclusion

After a thorough analysis of current research directions and developments in smart city development, we have looked closely at a number of complex problems and uses that have been jointly developed by industry and academics. A succinct examination of the fundamental ideas behind machine learning (ML), deep reinforcement learning (DRL), and artificial intelligence (AI) approaches has been conducted. The study examined the significant contributions these protocols provide to developing almost ideal plans for various applications that are essential to improving the effectiveness of smart cities.

The topic spans the current uses of AI, ML, especially DRL in the establishment of intelligent governance, highlighting the critical need for new legislation compatible with AI. The emphasis also includes cybersecurity protocols, energy-efficient transport systems (ITS), intelligent electricity networks (SGs), and the incorporation of drones (UAVs) in fifth-generation and beyond-5G technologies in smart cities. An overview of the growing impact of these methods in healthcare is given, including effective diagnostics, health restoration, Internet of Things or IoT device security related to health, and possible use in drug development.

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Table 1. SYSTEM AREA AND THEIR DESCRIPTION AND BENEFITS

AREA	DESCRIPTION	BENEFITS
Intelligent Trans- portation Systems (ITS)	AI and ML optimize traffic flow, predict congestion, and suggest alternative routes.	Reduced traffic jams and travel times. Lower emissions and improved air quality. Enhanced safety for pedestrians and cyclists.
Smart Grids	AI and ML manage energy demand, predict outages, and optimize energy generation from renewable sources.	Increased energy efficiency and reduced costs. Improved grid reliability and resilience. Increased dependence on renewable energy sources.
Public Safety and Security	AI and ML analyze video footage to detect crime, predict incidents, and optimize resource allocation.	Reduced crime rates and improved public safety. Faster response times to emergencies. More efficient use of police and security resources.
Waste Manage- ment	AI and ML optimize waste collection routes, predict waste generation, and encourage recycling.	Reduced waste collection costs and environmental impact. Increased recycling rates and resource conservation. Improved sanitation and hygiene in cities.
Water Man- agement	AI and ML monitor water usage, predict leaks, and optimize water distribution.	Reduced water waste and improved water conservation. Improved water quality and public health. More efficient use of water resources.
Building Energy Efficiency	AI and ML optimize building energy consumption by adjusting heating, cooling, and lighting systems.	Reduced energy costs for building owners and occupants. Decreased carbon footprint and environmental impact. Improved comfort and well-being for building occupants.
Healthcare	AI and ML analyze medical data to diagnose diseases, predict patient outcomes, and personalize treatment plans.	Improved accuracy and efficiency of medical diagnosis. Personalized and preventative healthcare. Reduced healthcare costs and improved patient outcomes.