



# AI - Powered Code Bug Detection and Fixing System

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**ABSTRACT:** This research introduces an innovative framework for automated bug detection in software development, leveraging machine learning. The framework demonstrates real-time feedback capabilities and seamless integration into developers' workflows. This work contributes to advancing automated bug detection and the framework establishes a foundation for future research, offering insights into the evolving landscape of automated bug detection. The primary focus of this framework is to provide real-time feedback to developers and seamlessly integrate it into their workflows. By leveraging machine learning, the framework aims to enhance the efficiency and accuracy of bug detection processes. The incorporation of real-time feedback is particularly significant as it enables developers to promptly address issues during the development phase, reducing the likelihood of bugs persisting into the final product. This research contributes significantly to the field of automated bug detection by not only presenting a novel framework but also demonstrating its practical applicability in real-time scenarios. The seamless integration into developers' workflows emphasizes the practicality and usability of the framework, showcasing its potential for widespread adoption in the software development industry. Moreover, the work lays the groundwork for future research endeavors in the realm of automated bug detection, offering valuable insights into the evolving landscape of this crucial aspect of software development.

**KEYWORDS:** Bug Detection, Automated Debugging, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, NLP, Static Analysis, Dynamic Analysis, Software Engineering, Code Repair, Transformer Models, Python, Neural Networks.

## I. INTRODUCTION

Software development involves writing complex code that may contain syntax errors, logical mistakes, security vulnerabilities, and performance issues. Detecting and fixing these bugs manually is time-consuming and requires expert knowledge. Traditional debugging tools mainly focus on syntax checking and static rule-based analysis. However, modern software systems require intelligent solutions capable of understanding coding patterns and predicting possible defects automatically. This project introduces an AI-powered system that combines Machine Learning, Deep Learning, and NLP techniques to automatically detect bugs and recommend appropriate fixes. The system supports multiple programming languages and continuously improves through learning from previous debugging cases.

## II. LITERATURE REVIEW

Several research studies have focused on automated software debugging and bug prediction techniques. Early approaches used static code analyzers and compiler-based error detection systems. Although effective for syntax checking, these methods failed to detect logical and semantic bugs. Machine Learning models such as Decision Trees, Support Vector Machines (SVM), and Random Forest were later introduced for defect prediction using code metrics and historical datasets. Recent advancements include Deep Learning and Transformer-based models like BERT and CodeBERT, which understand programming language semantics and generate intelligent bug fixes.



Despite these developments, challenges remain:

- High false positive rates
- Limited contextual understanding
- Difficulty in fixing complex logical errors
- Scalability issues for large codebases

### III. PROBLEM STATEMENT

Current debugging systems face several limitations:

- Manual debugging consumes significant development time
- Traditional tools cannot detect logical or semantic bugs effectively
- Existing systems generate high false positives
- Difficulty in handling large-scale projects
- Lack of automated bug fixing capabilities
- Inability to learn from previous debugging patterns

### IV. PROPOSED SYSTEM

#### A. System Overview

The proposed system consists of the following stages:

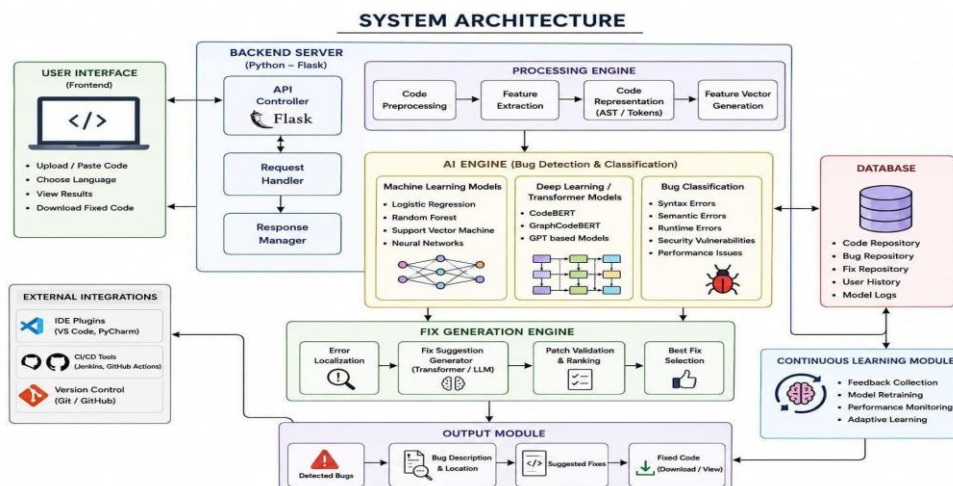
- 1) Code Input
- 2) Code Preprocessing
- 3) Feature Extraction
- 4) Bug Detection
- 5) AI-Based Bug Classification
- 6) Automated Fix Generation
- 7) Continuous Learning

The system accepts source code files, analyzes them using AI models, identifies bugs, and provides corrected code suggestions.

#### B. System Architecture

The architecture includes:

- Frontend: HTML, CSS, JavaScript interface for code upload and visualization
- Backend: Python with Flask/Django
- Database: Stores bug history and training datasets
- AI Engine: Performs bug detection and fix generation
- NLP Module: Understands code semantics and error patterns





## C. Feature Extraction

### 1) Syntax Features

- Missing semicolons
- Invalid variable declarations
- Incorrect function definitions
- Compilation errors

### 2) Semantic Features

- Null pointer exceptions
- Infinite loops
- Incorrect conditions
- Type mismatches

### 3) Behavioral Features

- Runtime execution patterns
- Memory usage
- Exception traces
- Execution flow anomalies

### 4) Security Features

- SQL Injection patterns
- Buffer overflow risks
- Unsafe API usage
- Authentication flaws

## V. METHODOLOGY

### A. Data Preprocessing

The preprocessing stage includes:

- Tokenization
- Parsing Abstract Syntax Trees (AST)
- Removal of unnecessary symbols
- Code normalization
- Error labeling

### B. Machine Learning Models

#### 1) Logistic Regression

Used for basic binary bug classification.

#### 2) Random Forest

Improves prediction accuracy using ensemble learning.

#### 3) Neural Networks

Captures complex bug patterns from large datasets.

#### 4) Transformer Models

Models like CodeBERT and GPT-based architectures analyze contextual code semantics and generate automatic fixes.

### C. Natural Language Processing

NLP techniques help understand programming syntax and comments:

- Token embeddings
- Sequence modeling
- Context analysis
- Code summarization
- Error prediction



## **VI. SYSTEM FLOW**

The system follows these steps:

- 1) User uploads source code
- 2) Code preprocessing is applied
- 3) Features are extracted
- 4) AI models analyze the code
- 5) Bugs are detected and classified
- 6) Suggested fixes are generated
- 7) Corrected code is displayed
- 8) Results are stored for future learning

## **VII. HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS**

### **A. Hardware Requirements**

- Processor: Intel® Core™ i7/i9
- RAM: 16 GB or above
- Storage: 512 GB SSD
- GPU: NVIDIA GPU (Optional for Deep Learning)

### **B. Software Requirements**

- Frontend: HTML, CSS, JavaScript
- Backend: Python
- Framework: Flask / Django
- Database: MySQL / MongoDB
- Libraries:
  - ✓ TensorFlow
  - ✓ PyTorch
  - ✓ Scikit-learn
  - ✓ Transformers
  - ✓ NLTK

## **VIII. EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS**

The system was tested using multiple open-source bug datasets and real-world code samples. Performance Metrics:

- ✓ Accuracy
- ✓ Precision
- ✓ Recall
- ✓ F1-Score Results:
  - Random Forest achieved approximately 94% accuracy
  - Transformer-based models improved contextual bug detection
  - Neural Networks performed effectively on large datasets
- Automated fixing reduced debugging time significantly
- The system demonstrated:
  - High bug detection accuracy
  - Efficient automated fixing
  - Reduced manual effort
  - Faster software development cycle

## **IX. ADVANTAGES OF THE PROPOSED SYSTEM**

- Automated bug detection and fixing
- Reduced debugging time
- Improved software quality



- Supports multiple programming languages
- Learns continuously from new bugs
- Scalable for enterprise applications
- Enhances developer productivity
- ✓ Software Development Companies
- ✓ Cybersecurity Systems
- ✓ Web Application Development
- ✓ Mobile Application Testing
- ✓ Educational Coding Platforms
- ✓ DevOps and CI/CD Pipelines
- ✓ Open Source Project Maintenance

## X. FUTURE WORKS

Future enhancements include:

- Real-time IDE integration
- Voice-assisted debugging
- AI-powered code optimization
- Multi-language bug fixing
- Cloud-based debugging platforms
- Integration with GitHub repositories
- Reinforcement learning for self-improving fixes

## XI. CONCLUSION

This project presented an AI-powered approach for automated code bug detection and fixing using Machine Learning, Deep Learning, and NLP techniques. The system intelligently analyzes source code, identifies syntax and semantic bugs, and generates automated fixes with high accuracy. By integrating advanced AI models such as Random Forest, Neural Networks, and Transformer-based architectures, the proposed system improves debugging efficiency and minimizes manual intervention. Experimental results demonstrate that the system significantly reduces development time while enhancing software reliability and security. The scalability and adaptability of the proposed solution make it suitable for modern software development environments, enabling developers to build more secure, efficient, and high-quality applications.

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