

# Multiclass Classification using Deep Neural Networks

## (OCR Letter Recognition Dataset)

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In [1]: import tensorflow as tf
from tensorflow.keras import Sequential
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Input, Dense, Dropout, Flatten
from tensorflow.keras.datasets import mnist
from tensorflow.keras.utils import to_categorical
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report
import pandas as pd

In [2]: import requests
import zipfile
import os

url = 'https://archive.ics.uci.edu/static/public/59/letter+recognition.zip'
filename = 'letter+recognition.zip'

response = requests.get(url)
with open(filename, 'wb') as f:
    f.write(response.content)

with zipfile.ZipFile(filename, 'r') as zip_ref:
    zip_ref.extractall('letter_recognition') # Specify the directory to extract files to

In [3]: extracted_folder = 'letter_recognition'
extracted_files = os.listdir(extracted_folder)
print(extracted_files)

['Index', 'letter-recognition.data', 'letter-recognition.data.Z', 'letter-recognition.names']

In [4]: csv_file = os.path.join(extracted_folder, 'letter-recognition.data')

In [5]: df = pd.read_csv(csv_file, header=None)

In [6]: df.head()

Out[6]:
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	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
0	T	2	8	3	5	1	8	13	0	6	6	10	8	0	8	0	8
1	I	5	12	3	7	2	10	5	5	4	13	3	9	2	8	4	10
2	D	4	11	6	8	6	10	6	2	6	10	3	7	3	7	3	9
3	N	7	11	6	6	3	5	9	4	6	4	4	10	6	10	2	8
4	G	2	1	3	1	1	8	6	6	6	6	5	9	1	7	5	10

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In [7]: df[0] = df[0].apply(lambda x: ord(x) - ord('A'))
#Convert the Letter Labels to numerical values.

In [8]: X = df.iloc[:, 1:].values
y = df.iloc[:, 0].values

In [9]: y = to_categorical(y, num_classes=26)

In [10]: X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42)

In [11]: scaler = StandardScaler()
X_train = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
X_test = scaler.transform(X_test)

In [12]: model = Sequential([
    Input(shape=(X_train.shape[1],)),
    Dense(128, activation='relu'),
    Dropout(0.3),
    Dense(64, activation='relu'),
    Dropout(0.3),
    Dense(26, activation='softmax')
])

In [13]: model.compile(optimizer='adam',
    loss='categorical_crossentropy',
    metrics=['accuracy'])
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In [14]: history = model.fit(X_train, y_train,
                             epochs=30,
                             batch_size=32,
                             validation_split=0.2,
                             verbose=1)
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Epoch 1/30  
400/400 ————— 2s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.2519 - loss: 2.6004 - val\_accuracy: 0.6812 - val\_loss: 1.1776  
Epoch 2/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.5847 - loss: 1.3253 - val\_accuracy: 0.7522 - val\_loss: 0.8968  
Epoch 3/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.6500 - loss: 1.1168 - val\_accuracy: 0.7800 - val\_loss: 0.7649  
Epoch 4/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.6938 - loss: 0.9873 - val\_accuracy: 0.8022 - val\_loss: 0.6911  
Epoch 5/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.7176 - loss: 0.8903 - val\_accuracy: 0.8213 - val\_loss: 0.6220  
Epoch 6/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.7454 - loss: 0.8174 - val\_accuracy: 0.8347 - val\_loss: 0.5741  
Epoch 7/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.7587 - loss: 0.7614 - val\_accuracy: 0.8544 - val\_loss: 0.5321  
Epoch 8/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.7665 - loss: 0.7400 - val\_accuracy: 0.8609 - val\_loss: 0.5010  
Epoch 9/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.7755 - loss: 0.7094 - val\_accuracy: 0.8650 - val\_loss: 0.4722  
Epoch 10/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.7853 - loss: 0.6757 - val\_accuracy: 0.8797 - val\_loss: 0.4507  
Epoch 11/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.7955 - loss: 0.6306 - val\_accuracy: 0.8788 - val\_loss: 0.4290  
Epoch 12/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.7889 - loss: 0.6434 - val\_accuracy: 0.8834 - val\_loss: 0.4108  
Epoch 13/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8053 - loss: 0.6070 - val\_accuracy: 0.8897 - val\_loss: 0.3890  
Epoch 14/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8032 - loss: 0.6047 - val\_accuracy: 0.8944 - val\_loss: 0.3747  
Epoch 15/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8113 - loss: 0.5747 - val\_accuracy: 0.8950 - val\_loss: 0.3637  
Epoch 16/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8195 - loss: 0.5663 - val\_accuracy: 0.8988 - val\_loss: 0.3519  
Epoch 17/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8166 - loss: 0.5550 - val\_accuracy: 0.9019 - val\_loss: 0.3399  
Epoch 18/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8245 - loss: 0.5376 - val\_accuracy: 0.9031 - val\_loss: 0.3321  
Epoch 19/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8289 - loss: 0.5208 - val\_accuracy: 0.9097 - val\_loss: 0.3190  
Epoch 20/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8326 - loss: 0.5101 - val\_accuracy: 0.9075 - val\_loss: 0.3153  
Epoch 21/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8417 - loss: 0.4938 - val\_accuracy: 0.9119 - val\_loss: 0.3049  
Epoch 22/30  
400/400 ————— 2s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8387 - loss: 0.4967 - val\_accuracy: 0.9153 - val\_loss: 0.2923  
Epoch 23/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8380 - loss: 0.4852 - val\_accuracy: 0.9169 - val\_loss: 0.2926  
Epoch 24/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8417 - loss: 0.4810 - val\_accuracy: 0.9175 - val\_loss: 0.2874  
Epoch 25/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8432 - loss: 0.4705 - val\_accuracy: 0.9162 - val\_loss: 0.2860  
Epoch 26/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8472 - loss: 0.4641 - val\_accuracy: 0.9234 - val\_loss: 0.2786  
Epoch 27/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8514 - loss: 0.4454 - val\_accuracy: 0.9194 - val\_loss: 0.2757  
Epoch 28/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8505 - loss: 0.4744 - val\_accuracy: 0.9222 - val\_loss: 0.2705  
Epoch 29/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8506 - loss: 0.4503 - val\_accuracy: 0.9247 - val\_loss: 0.2624  
Epoch 30/30  
400/400 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.8480 - loss: 0.4572 - val\_accuracy: 0.9244 - val\_loss: 0.2584

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In [15]: test_loss, test_accuracy = model.evaluate(X_test, y_test, verbose=0)
         print(f"Test Loss: {test_loss:.4f}")
         print(f"Test Accuracy: {test_accuracy*100:.2f}%")
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Test Loss: 0.2556  
Test Accuracy: 92.05%

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In [16]: predictions = model.predict(X_test)
         y_pred = predictions.argmax(axis=1)
         y_true = y_test.argmax(axis=1)
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In [17]: print("Classification Report:\n")
         print(classification_report(y_true, y_pred, target_names=[chr(i) for i in range(ord('A'), ord('Z')+1)]))
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Classification Report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
A	0.94	0.99	0.96	149
B	0.86	0.93	0.89	153
C	0.94	0.90	0.92	137
D	0.87	0.93	0.90	156
E	0.92	0.92	0.92	141
F	0.84	0.94	0.89	140
G	0.86	0.91	0.88	160
H	0.94	0.75	0.83	144
I	0.94	0.92	0.93	146
J	0.96	0.92	0.94	149
K	0.86	0.83	0.84	130
L	0.99	0.93	0.96	155
M	0.96	0.96	0.96	168
N	0.97	0.91	0.94	151
O	0.87	0.90	0.89	145
P	0.98	0.85	0.91	173
Q	0.96	0.95	0.95	166
R	0.76	0.93	0.83	160
S	0.96	0.93	0.95	171
T	0.96	0.91	0.93	163
U	0.95	0.94	0.94	183
V	0.99	0.91	0.95	158
W	0.91	0.97	0.94	148
X	0.92	0.99	0.95	154
Y	0.98	0.98	0.98	168
Z	0.92	0.92	0.92	132
accuracy			0.92	4000
macro avg	0.92	0.92	0.92	4000
weighted avg	0.92	0.92	0.92	4000

(optional code below)

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In [18]: model.save("ocr_multiclass_model.keras")

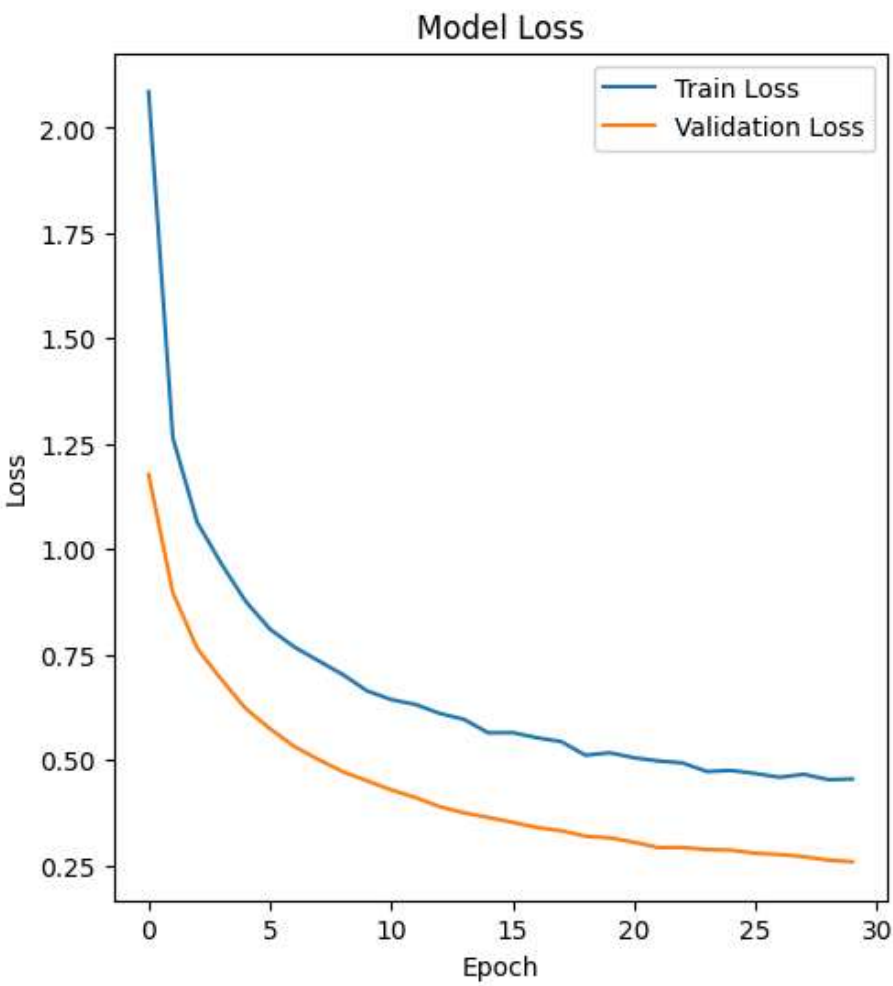
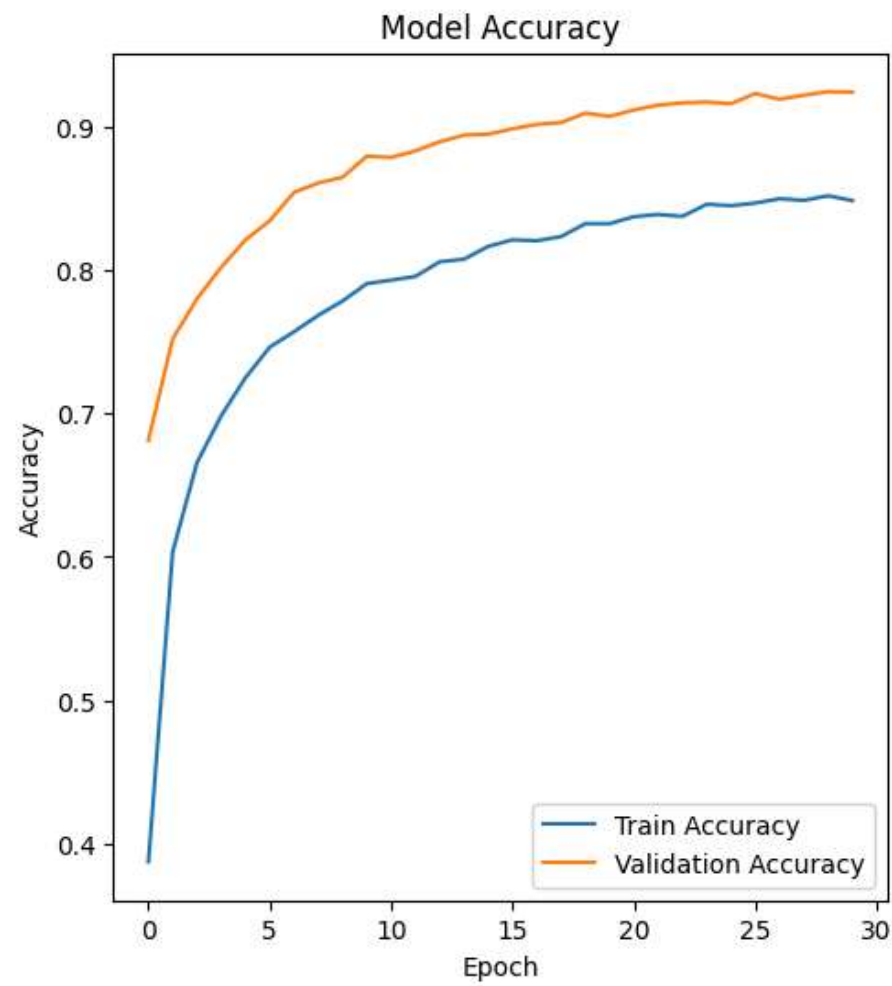
In [19]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))

plt.subplot(1, 2, 1)
plt.plot(history.history['accuracy'], label='Train Accuracy')
plt.plot(history.history['val_accuracy'], label='Validation Accuracy')
plt.title('Model Accuracy')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
plt.ylabel('Accuracy')
plt.legend()

plt.subplot(1, 2, 2)
plt.plot(history.history['loss'], label='Train Loss')
plt.plot(history.history['val_loss'], label='Validation Loss')
plt.title('Model Loss')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
plt.ylabel('Loss')
plt.legend()

plt.show()
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