CENG403 - Spring 2025: Homework set THE-2 Study Guide

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TASK 1: DEFORMABLE CNN MEMORIZATION GUIDE

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Problem 1.1

What are the 4 corner positions for bilinear interpolation given fractional position $q = (q_x, q_y)$? **Pattern to Remember:** Floor-Floor, Ceil-Floor, Floor-Ceil, Ceil-Ceil

$$p_{lt} = (\lfloor q_x \rfloor, \lfloor q_y \rfloor) \quad \text{(left top)} \tag{1}$$

$$p_{rt} = (\lceil q_x \rceil, \lfloor q_y \rfloor) \quad \text{(right top)}$$
 (2)

$$p_{lb} = (\lfloor q_x \rfloor, \lceil q_y \rceil) \quad \text{(left bottom)}$$
 (3)

$$p_{rb} = (\lceil q_x \rceil, \lceil q_y \rceil)$$
 (right bottom) (4)

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Problem 1.2

Complete the bilinear interpolation weight formula:

$$G(p,q) = (1 - |p_x - q_x|) \cdot (1 - |p_y - q_y|)$$

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Problem 1.3

Fill in the missing code for bilinear interpolation bounds checking:

```
def get_pixel_value(img, y, x):
    if 0 <= y < H and 0 <= x < W:
        return img[y, x]
    else:
        return ___ # What goes here?</pre>
```

Answer: 0.0 (zero padding for out-of-bounds)

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Problem 1.4

What is the correct order for bilinear interpolation calculation? **Memory Pattern:** "First X, then Y"

- 1. Get 4 corner values: $v_{00}, v_{01}, v_{10}, v_{11}$
- 2. Calculate fractional parts: $dx = q_x x_0$, $dy = q_y y_0$
- 3. Interpolate along X: $v_0 = v_{00}(1 dx) + v_{01} \cdot dx$
- 4. Interpolate along X: $v_1 = v_{10}(1 dx) + v_{11} \cdot dx$
- 5. Interpolate along Y: $out = v_0(1 dy) + v_1 \cdot dy$

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Problem 1.5

In deformable convolution, how do you extract the y and x offsets from the delta tensor? Critical Pattern - PyTorch stores Y first, then X:

```
\label{eq:delta_y = delta_n, 2 * k, h_out, w_out]} $\#$ y offset $$ delta_x = delta[n, 2 * k + 1, h_out, w_out] $\#$ x offset $$
```

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Problem 1.6

What is the deformable convolution sampling position formula?

```
sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + ____
sample_x = w_start + kw * dilation + ____
```

Answer: delta_y and delta_x

TASK 2: CNN PYTORCH MEMORIZATION GUIDE

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Problem 2.1

What are the CIFAR-100 normalization values you must memorize? Critical Constants:

```
mean=[0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408] # CIFAR100 mean std=[0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761] # CIFAR100 std
```

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Problem 2.2

Complete the data augmentation transforms for training:

```
transform_train = transforms.Compose([
    transforms._____(32, padding=4),  # What goes here?
    transforms._____(),  # What goes here?
    transforms.ToTensor(),
    transforms.Normalize(mean=[...], std=[...])
])
```

Answer: RandomCrop and RandomHorizontalFlip

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Problem 2.3

How do you split CIFAR-100 training data into 80/20 train/validation? Pattern to Remember:

```
train_size = int(0.8 * len(full_train_set))
val_size = len(full_train_set) - train_size
train_set, val_set = random_split(full_train_set, [train_size, val_size])
```

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Problem 2.4

What is the CNN architecture pattern for the CustomCNN class? Layer Sequence Pattern:

- 1. $Conv2d(3, 32) \rightarrow Conv2d(32, 64) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 2. $Conv2d(64, 128) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 3. $Conv2d(128, 256) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 4. Flatten \rightarrow FC(256*4*4, 512) \rightarrow FC(512, 256) \rightarrow FC(256, 100)

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Problem 2.5

Complete the forward pass activation pattern:

```
x = F.relu(self.conv1(x))
x = F.relu(self.conv2(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 32x32 -> 16x16
x = F.relu(self.conv3(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 16x16 -> 8x8
x = F.relu(self.conv4(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 8x8 -> 4x4
x = x.view(x.size(0), -1)  # Flatten
x = F.relu(self.fc1(x))
x = self.dropout(x)
x = F.relu(self.fc2(x))
x = self.dropout(x)
x = self.fc3(x)  # No activation on final layer!
```

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Problem 2.6

What loss function and optimizer setup is standard for CIFAR-100?

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Problem 2.7

Complete the top-1 and top-5 accuracy calculation:

```
# Top-1 accuracy
_, top1_pred = outputs.topk(1, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top1_correct = top1_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1)).sum().item()

# Top-5 accuracy
_, top5_pred = outputs.topk(5, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top5_correct = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).___(___))).sum().item()
```

Answer: expand_as(top5_pred)

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Problem 2.8

What is the training loop structure pattern? Memory Pattern - "Zero, Forward, Backward, Step":

```
optimizer.zero_grad()  # Clear gradients
outputs = model(images)  # Forward pass
loss = loss_function(outputs, labels)  # Compute loss
loss.backward()  # Backward pass
optimizer.step()  # Update weights
```

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Problem 2.9

How do you add BatchNorm2d to the CNN architecture? Pattern - After each Conv2d:

```
self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(32)  # Same number as conv output
self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(64)  # Same number as conv output
```

TASK 3: RNN MEMORIZATION GUIDE

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Problem 3.1

How do you create character vocabulary and mappings? Standard Pattern:

```
chars = sorted(list(set(text)))
char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
```

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Problem 3.2

How do you create input and target sequences for character prediction?

```
input_seq = text[:-1]  # All except last
target_seq = text[1:]  # All except first
```

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Problem 3.3

Complete the one-hot encoding function:

```
def one_hot(idx, size):
    vec = torch.zeros(size)
    vec[___] = 1.0
    return vec
```

Answer: idx

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Problem 3.4

What are the RNN weight matrix dimensions? Dimension Memory Pattern:

```
W_xh = torch.randn(H, V, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (H, V)
W_hh = torch.randn(H, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (H, H)
b_xh = torch.zeros(H, requires_grad=True) # (H,)
b_hh = torch.zeros(H, requires_grad=True) # (H,)
W_hy = torch.randn(V, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (V, H)
b_y = torch.zeros(V, requires_grad=True) # (V,)
```

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Problem 3.5

Complete the RNN forward pass equations:

```
# Hidden state update
h = torch.tanh(W_xh @ x_t + b_xh + W_hh @ h + b_hh)
```

```
# Output logits
s_t = ____ @ h + ____
```

Answer: W_hy and b_y

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Problem 3.6

How do you compute gradients explicitly with torch.autograd?

```
grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_xh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_W_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_xh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_hh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_W_hy = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hy, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_y = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_y, retain_graph=True)[0]
```

CRITICAL MEMORIZATION PATTERNS

Patterns

Problem Patterns

What are the key patterns you must memorize?

1. Bilinear Interpolation Pattern:

- Get 4 corners (floor/ceil combinations)
- Interpolate X first, then Y
- Use fractional parts: $dx = q_x x_0$, $dy = q_y y_0$

2. CNN Architecture Pattern:

- Conv-Conv-Pool, Conv-Pool, Conv-Pool structure
- Channel progression: $3\rightarrow32\rightarrow64\rightarrow128\rightarrow256$
- Spatial reduction: $32 \rightarrow 16 \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow 4$
- FC layers: $4096 \rightarrow 512 \rightarrow 256 \rightarrow 100$

3. Training Loop Pattern:

- "Zero-Forward-Backward-Step"
- Always move tensors to device
- Use torch.no_grad() for validation

4. RNN Equations Pattern:

- $h_t = \tanh(W_{xh}x_t + b_{xh} + W_{hh}h_{t-1} + b_{hh})$
- $s_t = W_{hy}h_t + b_y$
- Always remember matrix dimensions

5. Data Preprocessing Patterns:

- CIFAR-100: mean=[0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408], std=[0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761]
- 80/20 split: train_size = int(0.8 * len(dataset))
- Character sequences: input = text[:-1], target = text[1:]

COMMON MISTAKES TO AVOID

Mistakes

Problem Mistakes

What are the most common implementation mistakes?

1. Deformable CNN:

- \bullet Forget PyTorch stores Y offset first, then X offset
- Wrong bilinear interpolation order (do X first, then Y)
- \bullet Forget zero padding for out-of-bounds pixels

2. CNN:

- Forget to move tensors to device
- Wrong flatten calculation: x.view(x.size(0), -1)
- Forget activation on hidden layers, add activation on output layer

3. RNN:

- \bullet Wrong weight matrix dimensions
- \bullet Forget requires_grad=True for parameters
- \bullet Use retain_graph=True for multiple gradient computations

RAPID-FIRE ACTIVE RECALL QUIZ

Speed Round 1: Fill the Blanks

Problem Speed Round 1: Fill the Blanks

Complete these critical code snippets:

Q1: Bilinear interpolation corners:

```
y0 = int(np.____(q_y))
x0 = int(np.____(q_x))
y1 = y0 + ___
x1 = x0 + ___
```

Q2: Deformable conv offset extraction:

```
delta_y = delta[n, ___ * k, h_out, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ___ * k + ___, h_out, w_out]
```

Q3: CNN flatten operation:

```
x = x.view(x.___(_), ___)
```

Q4: Top-5 accuracy calculation:

```
_, top5_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=___, sorted=___)
top5_correct = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).____(___)).sum().item()
```

Q5: RNN hidden state update:

```
h = torch.tanh(____ @ x_t + ___ + ___ @ h + ___)
```

Speed Round 2: True/False

Problem Speed Round 2: True/False

Mark T/F for these statements:

- 1. In bilinear interpolation, you interpolate Y direction first, then X direction. [T/F]
- 2. PyTorch stores Y offset before X offset in deformable convolution. [T/F]
- 3. CIFAR-100 has 100 classes, so the final FC layer outputs 100 values. [T/F]
- 4. You should apply ReLU activation to the final output layer in classification. [T/F]
- 5. In RNN, W_xh has dimensions (V, H). [T/F]
- 6. For validation, you need to call optimizer.zero_grad(). [T/F]
- 7. BatchNorm2d should be applied before the activation function. [T/F]
- 8. The input sequence for RNN is text[1:] and target is text[:-1]. [T/F]

Problem Speed Round 3: Memory Palace

Associate these concepts with memorable phrases:

Bilinear Interpolation: "Four corners, X then Y, fractional magic"

- 4 corners: lt, rt, lb, rb
- X interpolation: top_edge, bottom_edge
- Y interpolation: final result

CNN Architecture: "3 to 32, double-double-double, then shrink to 100"

- Channels: $3 \rightarrow 32 \rightarrow 64 \rightarrow 128 \rightarrow 256$
- Spatial: $32 \rightarrow 16 \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow 4$
- FC: $4096 \rightarrow 512 \rightarrow 256 \rightarrow 100$

Training Loop: "Zero-Forward-Backward-Step dance"

- optimizer.zero_grad()
- outputs = model(images)
- loss.backward()
- optimizer.step()

RNN Weights: "Input-Hidden-Hidden, Hidden-Hidden, Hidden-Vocab-Vocab"

- W_xh: (H, V) maps input to hidden
- W_hh: (H, H) maps previous hidden to current hidden
- W_hy: (V, H) maps hidden to output vocabulary

LAST-MINUTE CHECKLIST

Pre-Exam Checklist

Problem Pre-Exam Checklist

Before the exam, ensure you can write from memory:

Critical Constants:

- CIFAR-100 mean: [0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408]
- CIFAR-100 std: [0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761]
- Train/val split: 0.8 * len(dataset)

Key Formulas:

- Bilinear weight: $(1 |p_x q_x|) \cdot (1 |p_y q_y|)$
- RNN hidden: $h_t = \tanh(W_{xh}x_t + b_{xh} + W_{hh}h_{t-1} + b_{hh})$
- RNN output: $s_t = W_{hy}h_t + b_y$

Critical Code Patterns:

- Device transfer: tensor.to(device)
- Gradient computation: torch.autograd.grad(loss, param, retain_graph=True)[0]
- Top-k accuracy: outputs.topk(k, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
- One-hot encoding: vec[idx] = 1.0

Architecture Patterns:

- \bullet CNN: Conv ${\rightarrow} {\rm BN} {\rightarrow} {\rm ReLU} {\rightarrow} {\rm Pool~pattern}$
- \bullet RNN: Input $\rightarrow \! \text{Hidden} \! \rightarrow \! \text{Output}$ with recurrence
- \bullet Training: Zero $\to Forward \to Backward \to Step$

CODING BLOCKS MEMORIZATION

Code Block 1: Bilinear Interpolation Core

Problem Code Block 1: Bilinear Interpolation Core

Complete this bilinear interpolation function - focus on the mathematical pattern:

```
def bilinear_interpolate(a_l, q_y, q_x):
    H, W = a_1.shape
    # Step 1: Get integer positions
    y0 = int(np.___(q_y))
    x0 = int(np.___(q_x))
    y1 = y0 + _{---}
    x1 = x0 + \underline{\hspace{1cm}}
    # Step 2: Get values with bounds checking
    def get_pixel_value(img, y, x):
        if 0 \le y \le H and 0 \le x \le W:
            return img[y, x]
        else:
            return ____ # Out of bounds value
    # Step 3: Get four corner values
    v_00 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x0) # _____
    v_01 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x1) # ___-__
    v_10 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y1, x0) # ___-
    v_11 = get_pixel_value(a_l, y1, x1) # ___-__
    # Step 4: Calculate fractional parts
    dy = q_y - \dots
    dx = q_x - \underline{\hspace{1cm}}
    # Step 5: Interpolate X first, then Y
    v_0 = v_00 * (1 - ___) + v_01 * ___ # top edge
    v_1 = v_{10} * (1 - ___) + v_{11} * ___ # bottom edge
    out = v_0 * (1 - ___) + v_1 * ___ # final Y interpolation
    return out
```

Code Block 2: Deformable Conv Key Loop

Problem Code Block 2: Deformable Conv Key Loop

This is the heart of deformable convolution - memorize the offset extraction pattern:

```
for n in range(N): # batch
  for c_out in range(C_out): # output channels
    for h_out in range(H_out): # height
       for w_out in range(W_out): # width
       h_start = h_out * ____
       w_start = w_out * ____
       value = 0.0

    for kh in range(K_h):
       for kw in range(K_w):
```

```
k = kh * K_w + kw

# CRITICAL: PyTorch offset order
delta_y = delta[n, ___ * k, h_out, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ___ * k + ___, h_out, w_out]
m_k = mask[n, k, h_out, w_out]

# Sampling position
sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + ___
sample_x = w_start + kw * dilation + ___
for c_in in range(C_in):
    interpolated = bilinear_interpolate(
        a_l[n, c_in, :, :], sample_y, sample_x
)
    value += weight[c_out, c_in, kh, kw] * ___ * ___
out[n, c_out, h_out, w_out] = value
```

Code Block 3: CNN Architecture Constructor

Problem Code Block 3: CNN Architecture Constructor

Memorize the channel progression and layer naming pattern:

```
class CustomCNN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, norm_layer=None):
        super(CustomCNN, self).__init__()

# Conv layers - memorize the channel progression
    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)

# Pooling layer
    self.pool = nn.____(2, 2)

# FC layers - calculate the input size
    self.fc1 = nn.Linear(___, * ___, * ___, 512)
    self.fc2 = nn.Linear(___, * ___, * ___, 512)
    self.fc3 = nn.Linear(___, * ___)
    self.fc3 = nn.Linear(___, * ___)
```

Code Block 4: CNN Forward Pass Pattern

Problem Code Block 4: CNN Forward Pass Pattern

Memorize the activation and pooling pattern:

```
def forward(self, x):
    # Block 1: Conv-Conv-Pool
    x = F.___(self.conv1(x))
    x = F.___(self.conv2(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 32x32 -> ____
```

```
# Block 2: Conv-Pool
x = F.___(self.conv3(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 16x16 -> ____

# Block 3: Conv-Pool
x = F.___(self.conv4(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 8x8 -> ____

# Flatten
x = x.view(x.___(__), ___)

# FC layers with dropout
x = F.___(self.fc1(x))
x = self.___(x)
x = self.fc3(x)  # No activation here!
```

Code Block 5: Training Loop Core

Problem Code Block 5: Training Loop Core

The sacred training loop pattern - memorize the order:

```
def train(model, train_loader, optimizer, loss_function, device):
   model.___() # Set to training mode
   for batch in train_loader:
       images, labels = batch
       images = images.to(____)
       labels = labels.to(____)
       # The sacred four steps:
       optimizer.___()
                               # Step 1: Clear gradients
       outputs = model(____) # Step 2: Forward pass
       loss = loss_function(outputs, labels) # Step 3: Compute loss
       loss.____() # Step 4: Backward pass
       optimizer.___()
                               # Step 5: Update weights
       # Accuracy calculation
       _, top1_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
       top1_correct = top1_pred.eq(labels.view(___, ___)).sum().item()
```

Code Block 6: BatchNorm CNN Constructor

Problem Code Block 6: BatchNorm CNN Constructor

Pattern for adding BatchNorm after each conv layer:

```
class CustomCNNwithBN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, norm_layer=None):
        super(CustomCNNwithBN, self).__init__()

    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____)  # Same as conv1 output
```

```
self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv2 output
    self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(64, 128, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn3 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv3 output
    self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(128, 256, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn4 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv4 output
def forward(self, x):
   # Pattern: Conv -> BN -> ReLU
   x = F.relu(self.bn1(self.conv1(x)))
   x = F.relu(self.bn2(self.conv2(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    x = F.relu(self.bn3(self.conv3(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    x = F.relu(self.bn4(self.conv4(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    # ... rest of forward pass
```

Code Block 7: RNN Parameter Initialization

Problem Code Block 7: RNN Parameter Initialization

Memorize the weight dimensions and initialization pattern:

Code Block 8: RNN Forward Pass

Problem Code Block 8: RNN Forward Pass

The RNN equations in code form:

```
logits_list = []
h = torch.zeros(H)

for t in range(seq_len):
    x_t = inputs[t]

    # Hidden state update equation
    h = torch.tanh(_____ @ x_t + ____ + ____ @ h + ____)

# Output logits equation
    s_t = ____ @ h + _____
```

```
logits_list.append(s_t)
logits = torch.stack(logits_list)
log_probs = F.log_softmax(logits, dim=1)
loss_manual = F.nll_loss(log_probs, targets)
```

Code Block 9: Gradient Computation

Problem Code Block 9: Gradient Computation

Pattern for explicit gradient computation:

```
# Compute gradients explicitly
grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hy = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hy, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_y = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_y, retain_graph=___)[0]
# Why retain_graph=True? Because we compute multiple gradients from same loss
```

Code Block 10: Character Processing

Problem Code Block 10: Character Processing

Standard pattern for character-level RNN preprocessing:

```
text = "Deep Learning"
# Step 1: Create vocabulary
chars = sorted(list(set(____)))
char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(____)}
idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(____)}
# Step 2: Create sequences
input_seq = text[___]  # All except last
target_seq = text[___] # All except first
# Step 3: Convert to tensors
inputs = [one_hot(char2idx[ch], V) for ch in ____]
targets = torch.tensor([char2idx[ch] for ch in ____], dtype=torch.long)
def one_hot(idx, size):
    vec = torch.zeros(size)
    vec[___] = 1.0
   return vec
```

MEMORIZATION MNEMONICS

Memory Aids

Problem Memory Aids

Use these phrases to remember key patterns:

"Floor-Ceil-Four-Corners": Bilinear interpolation corners

• lt: floor-floor, rt: ceil-floor, lb: floor-ceil, rb: ceil-ceil

"Y-before-X-in-PyTorch": Deformable conv offset ordering

- delta_y = delta[n, 2*k, h_out, w_out]
- $\bullet \ \operatorname{delta_x} = \operatorname{delta[n,\ 2*k+1,\ h_out,\ w_out]}$

"3-32-64-128-256": CNN channel progression

• Each layer doubles the channels (except first)

"32-16-8-4": Spatial dimension reduction

• Each MaxPool2d(2,2) halves the spatial dimensions

"Zero-Forward-Backward-Step": Training loop mantra

• Never forget the order!

"Input-Hidden-Hidden": RNN weight dimensions

• W_xh: (H,V), W_hh: (H,H), W_hy: (V,H)

"Tanh-Hidden-Linear-Output": RNN computation flow

• Hidden uses tanh, output is linear

ANSWERS TO CODING BLOCKS

Code Block 1: floor, floor, 1, 1, 0.0, top-left, top-right, bottom-left, bottom-right, y0, x0, dx, dx, dx, dx, dy, dy

Code Block 2: stride, stride, 2, 2, 1, delta_y, delta_x, m_k, interpolated

Code Block 3: 3, 32, 32, 64, 64, 128, 128, 256, MaxPool2d, 256, 4, 4, 512, 256, 256, 100, 0.5

Code Block 4: relu, relu, 16x16, relu, 8x8, relu, 4x4, size(0), -1, relu, dropout, relu, dropout

Code Block 5: train, device, device, zero_grad, images, backward, step, 1, -1, 1

Code Block 6: 32, 64, 128, 256

 $\textbf{Code Block 7:}\ H,\,V,\,H,\,H,\,H,\,H,\,V,\,H,\,V$

 $\textbf{Code Block 8:} \ \, \textbf{W_xh,} \ \, \textbf{b_xh,} \ \, \textbf{W_hh,} \ \, \textbf{b_hh,} \ \, \textbf{W_hy,} \ \, \textbf{b_y}$

 ${\bf Code\ Block\ 9:\ True,\ True,\ True,\ True,\ True}$

ADVANCED CODING SCENARIOS

Problem 1

Scenario 1: Debugging Deformable Conv If your deformable convolution gives wrong results, what are the most likely bugs?

```
# Common Bug 1: Wrong offset extraction
delta_y = delta[n, k, h_out, w_out]  # WRONG - missing factor of 2
delta_x = delta[n, k + 1, h_out, w_out]  # WRONG - should be 2*k+1

# Correct version:
delta_y = delta[n, ____ * k, h_ut, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ____ * k + ____, h_out, w_out]

# Common Bug 2: Wrong bilinear interpolation order

# WRONG: Interpolate Y first
v_y = v_00 * (1 - dy) + v_10 * dy
v_final = v_y * (1 - dx) + v_01 * dx

# Correct: Interpolate X first, then Y
v_0 = v_00 * (1 - ____) + v_01 * ____ # top edge
v_1 = v_10 * (1 - ____) + v_11 * ____ # bottom edge
out = v_0 * (1 - ____) + v_1 * ____ # Y interpolation
```

Scenario 2: CNN Architecture Variations

Problem Scenario 2: CNN Architecture Variations

If asked to modify the CNN, remember these patterns:

```
# Adding more conv layers - maintain the pattern
class CustomCNNDeep(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        # Pattern: start with 3 channels, double each time
        self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, 3, padding=1)
        self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 32, 3, padding=1) # Same channels
        self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, 3, padding=1) # Double
        self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(64, 64, 3, padding=1) # Same
        self.conv5 = nn.Conv2d(64, 128, 3, padding=1) # Double
   def forward(self, x):
        # Pattern: Conv-Conv-Pool, Conv-Conv-Pool
        x = F.relu(self.conv1(x))
        x = F.relu(self.conv2(x))
        x = self.pool(x) # After every 2 conv layers
        x = F.relu(self.conv3(x))
        x = F.relu(self.conv4(x))
        x = self.pool(x)
        # Calculate new flatten size: 128 * 8 * 8 = ____
```

Scenario 3: Validation vs Training Mode

Problem Scenario 3: Validation vs Training Mode

Critical differences between training and validation:

```
# Training mode
def train_epoch():
   model.____() # Enable dropout and batch norm training mode
   for batch in train_loader:
       optimizer.___() # Clear gradients
       outputs = model(images)
       loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
       loss.____() # Compute gradients
       optimizer.___() # Update weights
# Validation mode
def validate():
   model.____() # Disable dropout, batch norm in eval mode
   with torch.___(): # Disable gradient computation
       for batch in val_loader:
           # NO optimizer.zero_grad() here!
           # NO loss.backward() here!
           # NO optimizer.step() here!
           outputs = model(images)
           loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
```

Scenario 4: RNN with Different Sequence Lengths

Problem Scenario 4: RNN with Different Sequence Lengths

If given a different text, adapt the RNN code:

```
# Original: "Deep Learning"
text = "Deep Learning"
input_seq = text[:-1]  # "Deep Learnin"
target_seq = text[1:]  # "eep Learning"

# New text: "Hello World"
text = "Hello World"
input_seq = text[____]  # "Hello Worl"
target_seq = text[____]  # "ello World"

# Vocabulary size changes!
chars = sorted(list(set(text)))
V = len(chars)  # This will be different!

# All weight matrices need to be reinitialized with new V
W_xh = torch.randn(H, ____, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
W_hy = torch.randn(____, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
b_y = torch.zeros(____, requires_grad=True)
```

Scenario 5: Hyperparameter Grid Search Pattern

Problem Scenario 5: Hyperparameter Grid Search Pattern

Standard grid search implementation:

```
learning_rates = [0.0001, 0.001]
```

```
optimizers = [torch.optim.Adam, torch.optim.SGD]
model_classes = [CustomCNN, CustomCNNwithBN]
best_accuracy = 0
best_params = None
for model_class in model_classes:
    for optimizer_class in optimizers:
        for lr in learning_rates:
            # CRITICAL: Reinitialize model each time
            model = model_class().to(device)
            # Initialize optimizer based on type
            if optimizer_class == torch.optim.SGD:
                optimizer = optimizer_class(
                    model.parameters(),
                    lr=lr,
                    momentum=___,
                    weight_decay=____
            else: # Adam
                optimizer = optimizer_class(
                    model.parameters(),
                    lr=lr,
                    weight_decay=____
                )
            # Train and validate...
            val_acc = train_and_validate(model, optimizer)
            if val_acc > best_accuracy:
                best_accuracy = val_acc
                best_params = (model_class.__name__, optimizer_class.__name__, lr)
```

Scenario 6: Top-K Accuracy Calculation Variations

Problem Scenario 6: Top-K Accuracy Calculation Variations

Different ways to calculate accuracy:

```
# Top-1 accuracy (most common)
_, predicted = torch.max(outputs, 1)
correct = (predicted == labels).sum().item()
accuracy = correct / labels.size(0) * 100

# Top-K accuracy using topk
_, top_k_pred = outputs.topk(____, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top_k_correct = top_k_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).expand_as(____)).sum().item()

# Alternative top-K calculation
values, indices = torch.topk(outputs, k=5, dim=1)
correct_mask = indices == labels.unsqueeze(1)
top_k_accuracy = correct_mask.sum().float() / labels.size(0) * 100
```

EXAM SIMULATION QUESTIONS

Quick Code Writing

Problem Quick Code Writing

Write these functions from memory in 2 minutes each:

1. Write the bilinear interpolation weight calculation:

```
def calculate_bilinear_weight(p_x, p_y, q_x, q_y):
    # Your code here - calculate G(p,q)
    return ____
```

2. Write the RNN hidden state update:

```
def rnn_step(x_t, h_prev, W_xh, W_hh, b_xh, b_hh):
    # Your code here - compute new hidden state
    return ____
```

3. Write the CNN forward pass for one block:

```
def cnn_block_forward(x, conv1, conv2, pool):
    # Your code here - conv-conv-pool pattern
    return ____
```

4. Write the training step:

```
def training_step(model, optimizer, criterion, images, labels):
    # Your code here - complete training step
    return loss
```

5. Write character to one-hot conversion:

```
def char_to_onehot(char, char2idx, vocab_size):
    # Your code here - convert character to one-hot vector
    return ____
```

FINAL MEMORY CHECK

Problem 1

Last Minute Review Before the exam, quickly verify you remember:

Constants (write from memory):

- \bullet CIFAR-100 mean: [_---, _---, _---]
- CIFAR-100 std: [____, ____, ____]
- Train/val split ratio: ____

- Dropout probability: ____
- Weight decay: ____
- SGD momentum: ____

Dimensions (write from memory):

- CNN channels: $3\rightarrow_{---}\rightarrow_{---}\rightarrow_{---}\rightarrow_{---}$
- CNN spatial: $32 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots$
- RNN W_xh: (____, ___)
- RNN W_hh: (____, ___)
- RNN W_hy: (____, ___)

Key Equations (write from memory):

- Bilinear weight: $G(p,q) = \dots$
- RNN hidden: $h_t = \dots$
- RNN output: $s_t =$

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TASK 1: DEFORMABLE CNN MEMORIZATION GUIDE

.1

Problem 1.1

What are the 4 corner positions for bilinear interpolation given fractional position $q = (q_x, q_y)$? **Pattern to Remember:** Floor-Floor, Ceil-Floor, Floor-Ceil, Ceil-Ceil

$$p_{lt} = (\lfloor q_x \rfloor, \lfloor q_y \rfloor) \quad \text{(left top)} \tag{1}$$

$$p_{rt} = (\lceil q_x \rceil, \lfloor q_y \rfloor) \quad \text{(right top)}$$
 (2)

$$p_{lb} = (\lfloor q_x \rfloor, \lceil q_y \rceil) \quad \text{(left bottom)}$$
 (3)

$$p_{rb} = (\lceil q_x \rceil, \lceil q_y \rceil)$$
 (right bottom) (4)

.2

Problem 1.2

Complete the bilinear interpolation weight formula:

$$G(p,q) = (1 - |p_x - q_x|) \cdot (1 - |p_y - q_y|)$$

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Problem 1.3

Fill in the missing code for bilinear interpolation bounds checking:

```
def get_pixel_value(img, y, x):
    if 0 <= y < H and 0 <= x < W:
        return img[y, x]
    else:
        return ___ # What goes here?</pre>
```

Answer: 0.0 (zero padding for out-of-bounds)

.4

Problem 1.4

What is the correct order for bilinear interpolation calculation? **Memory Pattern:** "First X, then Y"

- 1. Get 4 corner values: $v_{00}, v_{01}, v_{10}, v_{11}$
- 2. Calculate fractional parts: $dx = q_x x_0$, $dy = q_y y_0$
- 3. Interpolate along X: $v_0 = v_{00}(1 dx) + v_{01} \cdot dx$
- 4. Interpolate along X: $v_1 = v_{10}(1 dx) + v_{11} \cdot dx$
- 5. Interpolate along Y: $out = v_0(1 dy) + v_1 \cdot dy$

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Problem 1.5

In deformable convolution, how do you extract the y and x offsets from the delta tensor? Critical Pattern - PyTorch stores Y first, then X:

```
\label{eq:delta_y = delta_n, 2 * k, h_out, w_out]} $\#$ y offset $$ delta_x = delta[n, 2 * k + 1, h_out, w_out] $\#$ x offset $$
```

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Problem 1.6

What is the deformable convolution sampling position formula?

```
sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + ____
sample_x = w_start + kw * dilation + ____
```

Answer: delta_y and delta_x

TASK 2: CNN PYTORCH MEMORIZATION GUIDE

.1

Problem 2.1

What are the CIFAR-100 normalization values you must memorize? Critical Constants:

```
mean=[0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408] # CIFAR100 mean std=[0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761] # CIFAR100 std
```

.2

Problem 2.2

Complete the data augmentation transforms for training:

```
transform_train = transforms.Compose([
    transforms._____(32, padding=4),  # What goes here?
    transforms._____(),  # What goes here?
    transforms.ToTensor(),
    transforms.Normalize(mean=[...], std=[...])
])
```

Answer: RandomCrop and RandomHorizontalFlip

.3

Problem 2.3

How do you split CIFAR-100 training data into 80/20 train/validation? Pattern to Remember:

```
train_size = int(0.8 * len(full_train_set))
val_size = len(full_train_set) - train_size
train_set, val_set = random_split(full_train_set, [train_size, val_size])
```

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Problem 2.4

What is the CNN architecture pattern for the CustomCNN class? Layer Sequence Pattern:

- 1. $Conv2d(3, 32) \rightarrow Conv2d(32, 64) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 2. $Conv2d(64, 128) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 3. $Conv2d(128, 256) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 4. Flatten \rightarrow FC(256*4*4, 512) \rightarrow FC(512, 256) \rightarrow FC(256, 100)

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Problem 2.5

Complete the forward pass activation pattern:

```
x = F.relu(self.conv1(x))
x = F.relu(self.conv2(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 32x32 -> 16x16
x = F.relu(self.conv3(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 16x16 -> 8x8
x = F.relu(self.conv4(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 8x8 -> 4x4
x = x.view(x.size(0), -1)  # Flatten
x = F.relu(self.fc1(x))
x = self.dropout(x)
x = F.relu(self.fc2(x))
x = self.dropout(x)
x = self.fc3(x)  # No activation on final layer!
```

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Problem 2.6

What loss function and optimizer setup is standard for CIFAR-100?

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Problem 2.7

Complete the top-1 and top-5 accuracy calculation:

```
# Top-1 accuracy
_, top1_pred = outputs.topk(1, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top1_correct = top1_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1)).sum().item()

# Top-5 accuracy
_, top5_pred = outputs.topk(5, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top5_correct = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).___(___))).sum().item()
```

Answer: expand_as(top5_pred)

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Problem 2.8

What is the training loop structure pattern? Memory Pattern - "Zero, Forward, Backward, Step":

```
optimizer.zero_grad()  # Clear gradients
outputs = model(images)  # Forward pass
loss = loss_function(outputs, labels)  # Compute loss
loss.backward()  # Backward pass
optimizer.step()  # Update weights
```

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Problem 2.9

How do you add BatchNorm2d to the CNN architecture? Pattern - After each Conv2d:

```
self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(32)  # Same number as conv output
self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(64)  # Same number as conv output
```

TASK 3: RNN MEMORIZATION GUIDE

.1

Problem 3.1

How do you create character vocabulary and mappings? Standard Pattern:

```
chars = sorted(list(set(text)))
char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
```

.2

Problem 3.2

How do you create input and target sequences for character prediction?

```
input_seq = text[:-1]  # All except last
target_seq = text[1:]  # All except first
```

.3

Problem 3.3

Complete the one-hot encoding function:

```
def one_hot(idx, size):
    vec = torch.zeros(size)
    vec[___] = 1.0
    return vec
```

Answer: idx

.4

Problem 3.4

What are the RNN weight matrix dimensions? Dimension Memory Pattern:

```
W_xh = torch.randn(H, V, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (H, V)
W_hh = torch.randn(H, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (H, H)
b_xh = torch.zeros(H, requires_grad=True) # (H,)
b_hh = torch.zeros(H, requires_grad=True) # (H,)
W_hy = torch.randn(V, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (V, H)
b_y = torch.zeros(V, requires_grad=True) # (V,)
```

.5

Problem 3.5

Complete the RNN forward pass equations:

```
# Hidden state update
h = torch.tanh(W_xh @ x_t + b_xh + W_hh @ h + b_hh)
```

```
# Output logits
s_t = ____ @ h + ____
```

Answer: W_hy and b_y

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Problem 3.6

How do you compute gradients explicitly with torch.autograd?

```
grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_xh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_W_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_xh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_hh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_W_hy = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hy, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_y = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_y, retain_graph=True)[0]
```

CRITICAL MEMORIZATION PATTERNS

Patterns

Problem Patterns

What are the key patterns you must memorize?

1. Bilinear Interpolation Pattern:

- Get 4 corners (floor/ceil combinations)
- Interpolate X first, then Y
- Use fractional parts: $dx = q_x x_0$, $dy = q_y y_0$

2. CNN Architecture Pattern:

- Conv-Conv-Pool, Conv-Pool, Conv-Pool structure
- Channel progression: $3\rightarrow32\rightarrow64\rightarrow128\rightarrow256$
- Spatial reduction: $32 \rightarrow 16 \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow 4$
- FC layers: $4096 \rightarrow 512 \rightarrow 256 \rightarrow 100$

3. Training Loop Pattern:

- "Zero-Forward-Backward-Step"
- Always move tensors to device
- Use torch.no_grad() for validation

4. RNN Equations Pattern:

- $h_t = \tanh(W_{xh}x_t + b_{xh} + W_{hh}h_{t-1} + b_{hh})$
- $s_t = W_{hy}h_t + b_y$
- Always remember matrix dimensions

5. Data Preprocessing Patterns:

- CIFAR-100: mean=[0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408], std=[0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761]
- 80/20 split: train_size = int(0.8 * len(dataset))
- Character sequences: input = text[:-1], target = text[1:]

COMMON MISTAKES TO AVOID

Mistakes

Problem Mistakes

What are the most common implementation mistakes?

1. Deformable CNN:

- \bullet Forget PyTorch stores Y offset first, then X offset
- Wrong bilinear interpolation order (do X first, then Y)
- \bullet Forget zero padding for out-of-bounds pixels

2. CNN:

- Forget to move tensors to device
- Wrong flatten calculation: x.view(x.size(0), -1)
- Forget activation on hidden layers, add activation on output layer

3. RNN:

- \bullet Wrong weight matrix dimensions
- \bullet Forget requires_grad=True for parameters
- \bullet Use retain_graph=True for multiple gradient computations

RAPID-FIRE ACTIVE RECALL QUIZ

Speed Round 1: Fill the Blanks

Problem Speed Round 1: Fill the Blanks

Complete these critical code snippets:

Q1: Bilinear interpolation corners:

```
y0 = int(np.____(q_y))
x0 = int(np.____(q_x))
y1 = y0 + ___
x1 = x0 + ___
```

Q2: Deformable conv offset extraction:

```
delta_y = delta[n, ___ * k, h_out, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ___ * k + ___, h_out, w_out]
```

Q3: CNN flatten operation:

```
x = x.view(x.___(_), ___)
```

Q4: Top-5 accuracy calculation:

```
_, top5_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=___, sorted=___)
top5_correct = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).____(___)).sum().item()
```

Q5: RNN hidden state update:

```
h = torch.tanh(____ @ x_t + ___ + ___ @ h + ___)
```

Speed Round 2: True/False

Problem Speed Round 2: True/False

Mark T/F for these statements:

- 1. In bilinear interpolation, you interpolate Y direction first, then X direction. [T/F]
- 2. PyTorch stores Y offset before X offset in deformable convolution. [T/F]
- 3. CIFAR-100 has 100 classes, so the final FC layer outputs 100 values. [T/F]
- 4. You should apply ReLU activation to the final output layer in classification. [T/F]
- 5. In RNN, W_xh has dimensions (V, H). [T/F]
- 6. For validation, you need to call optimizer.zero_grad(). [T/F]
- 7. BatchNorm2d should be applied before the activation function. [T/F]
- 8. The input sequence for RNN is text[1:] and target is text[:-1]. [T/F]

Problem Speed Round 3: Memory Palace

Associate these concepts with memorable phrases:

Bilinear Interpolation: "Four corners, X then Y, fractional magic"

- 4 corners: lt, rt, lb, rb
- X interpolation: top_edge, bottom_edge
- Y interpolation: final result

CNN Architecture: "3 to 32, double-double-double, then shrink to 100"

- Channels: $3\rightarrow32\rightarrow64\rightarrow128\rightarrow256$
- Spatial: $32 \rightarrow 16 \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow 4$
- FC: $4096 \rightarrow 512 \rightarrow 256 \rightarrow 100$

Training Loop: "Zero-Forward-Backward-Step dance"

- optimizer.zero_grad()
- outputs = model(images)
- loss.backward()
- optimizer.step()

RNN Weights: "Input-Hidden-Hidden, Hidden-Hidden, Hidden-Vocab-Vocab"

- W_xh: (H, V) maps input to hidden
- W_hh: (H, H) maps previous hidden to current hidden
- W_hy: (V, H) maps hidden to output vocabulary

LAST-MINUTE CHECKLIST

Pre-Exam Checklist

Problem Pre-Exam Checklist

Before the exam, ensure you can write from memory:

Critical Constants:

- CIFAR-100 mean: [0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408]
- CIFAR-100 std: [0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761]
- Train/val split: 0.8 * len(dataset)

Key Formulas:

- Bilinear weight: $(1 |p_x q_x|) \cdot (1 |p_y q_y|)$
- RNN hidden: $h_t = \tanh(W_{xh}x_t + b_{xh} + W_{hh}h_{t-1} + b_{hh})$
- RNN output: $s_t = W_{hy}h_t + b_y$

Critical Code Patterns:

- Device transfer: tensor.to(device)
- Gradient computation: torch.autograd.grad(loss, param, retain_graph=True)[0]
- Top-k accuracy: outputs.topk(k, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
- One-hot encoding: vec[idx] = 1.0

Architecture Patterns:

- \bullet CNN: Conv ${\rightarrow} {\rm BN} {\rightarrow} {\rm ReLU} {\rightarrow} {\rm Pool~pattern}$
- \bullet RNN: Input $\rightarrow \! \text{Hidden} \! \rightarrow \! \text{Output}$ with recurrence
- \bullet Training: Zero $\to Forward \to Backward \to Step$

CODING BLOCKS MEMORIZATION

Code Block 1: Bilinear Interpolation Core

Problem Code Block 1: Bilinear Interpolation Core

Complete this bilinear interpolation function - focus on the mathematical pattern:

```
def bilinear_interpolate(a_l, q_y, q_x):
    H, W = a_1.shape
    # Step 1: Get integer positions
    y0 = int(np.___(q_y))
    x0 = int(np.___(q_x))
    y1 = y0 + _{---}
    x1 = x0 + \underline{\hspace{1cm}}
    # Step 2: Get values with bounds checking
    def get_pixel_value(img, y, x):
        if 0 \le y \le H and 0 \le x \le W:
            return img[y, x]
        else:
            return ____ # Out of bounds value
    # Step 3: Get four corner values
    v_00 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x0) # _____
    v_01 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x1) # ___-__
    v_10 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y1, x0) # ___-
    v_11 = get_pixel_value(a_l, y1, x1) # ___-__
    # Step 4: Calculate fractional parts
    dy = q_y - \dots
    dx = q_x - \underline{\hspace{1cm}}
    # Step 5: Interpolate X first, then Y
    v_0 = v_00 * (1 - ___) + v_01 * ___ # top edge
    v_1 = v_{10} * (1 - ___) + v_{11} * ___ # bottom edge
    out = v_0 * (1 - ___) + v_1 * ___ # final Y interpolation
    return out
```

Code Block 2: Deformable Conv Key Loop

Problem Code Block 2: Deformable Conv Key Loop

This is the heart of deformable convolution - memorize the offset extraction pattern:

```
for n in range(N): # batch
  for c_out in range(C_out): # output channels
    for h_out in range(H_out): # height
       for w_out in range(W_out): # width
       h_start = h_out * ____
       w_start = w_out * ____
       value = 0.0

    for kh in range(K_h):
       for kw in range(K_w):
```

```
k = kh * K_w + kw

# CRITICAL: PyTorch offset order
delta_y = delta[n, ___ * k, h_out, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ___ * k + ___, h_out, w_out]
m_k = mask[n, k, h_out, w_out]

# Sampling position
sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + ___
sample_x = w_start + kw * dilation + ___
for c_in in range(C_in):
    interpolated = bilinear_interpolate(
        a_l[n, c_in, :, :], sample_y, sample_x
)
    value += weight[c_out, c_in, kh, kw] * ___ * ___
out[n, c_out, h_out, w_out] = value
```

Code Block 3: CNN Architecture Constructor

Problem Code Block 3: CNN Architecture Constructor

Memorize the channel progression and layer naming pattern:

```
class CustomCNN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, norm_layer=None):
        super(CustomCNN, self).__init__()

# Conv layers - memorize the channel progression
    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)

# Pooling layer
    self.pool = nn.____(2, 2)

# FC layers - calculate the input size
    self.fc1 = nn.Linear(___, * ___, * ___, 512)
    self.fc2 = nn.Linear(___, * ___, * ___, 512)
    self.fc3 = nn.Linear(___, * ___)
    self.fc3 = nn.Linear(___, * ___)
```

Code Block 4: CNN Forward Pass Pattern

Problem Code Block 4: CNN Forward Pass Pattern

Memorize the activation and pooling pattern:

```
def forward(self, x):
    # Block 1: Conv-Conv-Pool
    x = F.___(self.conv1(x))
    x = F.___(self.conv2(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 32x32 -> ____
```

```
# Block 2: Conv-Pool
x = F.___(self.conv3(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 16x16 -> ____

# Block 3: Conv-Pool
x = F.___(self.conv4(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 8x8 -> ____

# Flatten
x = x.view(x.___(__), ___)

# FC layers with dropout
x = F.___(self.fc1(x))
x = self.___(x)
x = self.fc3(x)  # No activation here!
```

Code Block 5: Training Loop Core

Problem Code Block 5: Training Loop Core

The sacred training loop pattern - memorize the order:

```
def train(model, train_loader, optimizer, loss_function, device):
   model.___() # Set to training mode
   for batch in train_loader:
       images, labels = batch
       images = images.to(____)
       labels = labels.to(____)
       # The sacred four steps:
       optimizer.___()
                               # Step 1: Clear gradients
       outputs = model(____) # Step 2: Forward pass
       loss = loss_function(outputs, labels) # Step 3: Compute loss
       loss.____() # Step 4: Backward pass
       optimizer.___()
                               # Step 5: Update weights
       # Accuracy calculation
       _, top1_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
       top1_correct = top1_pred.eq(labels.view(___, ___)).sum().item()
```

Code Block 6: BatchNorm CNN Constructor

Problem Code Block 6: BatchNorm CNN Constructor

Pattern for adding BatchNorm after each conv layer:

```
class CustomCNNwithBN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, norm_layer=None):
        super(CustomCNNwithBN, self).__init__()

    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____)  # Same as conv1 output
```

```
self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv2 output
    self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(64, 128, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn3 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv3 output
    self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(128, 256, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn4 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv4 output
def forward(self, x):
   # Pattern: Conv -> BN -> ReLU
   x = F.relu(self.bn1(self.conv1(x)))
   x = F.relu(self.bn2(self.conv2(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    x = F.relu(self.bn3(self.conv3(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    x = F.relu(self.bn4(self.conv4(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    # ... rest of forward pass
```

Code Block 7: RNN Parameter Initialization

Problem Code Block 7: RNN Parameter Initialization

Memorize the weight dimensions and initialization pattern:

Code Block 8: RNN Forward Pass

Problem Code Block 8: RNN Forward Pass

The RNN equations in code form:

```
logits_list = []
h = torch.zeros(H)

for t in range(seq_len):
    x_t = inputs[t]

    # Hidden state update equation
    h = torch.tanh(_____ @ x_t + ____ + ____ @ h + ____)

# Output logits equation
    s_t = ____ @ h + _____
```

```
logits_list.append(s_t)
logits = torch.stack(logits_list)
log_probs = F.log_softmax(logits, dim=1)
loss_manual = F.nll_loss(log_probs, targets)
```

Code Block 9: Gradient Computation

Problem Code Block 9: Gradient Computation

Pattern for explicit gradient computation:

```
# Compute gradients explicitly
grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hy = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hy, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_y = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_y, retain_graph=___)[0]
# Why retain_graph=True? Because we compute multiple gradients from same loss
```

Code Block 10: Character Processing

Problem Code Block 10: Character Processing

Standard pattern for character-level RNN preprocessing:

```
text = "Deep Learning"
# Step 1: Create vocabulary
chars = sorted(list(set(____)))
char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(____)}
idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(____)}
# Step 2: Create sequences
input_seq = text[___]  # All except last
target_seq = text[___] # All except first
# Step 3: Convert to tensors
inputs = [one_hot(char2idx[ch], V) for ch in ____]
targets = torch.tensor([char2idx[ch] for ch in ____], dtype=torch.long)
def one_hot(idx, size):
    vec = torch.zeros(size)
    vec[___] = 1.0
   return vec
```

MEMORIZATION MNEMONICS

Memory Aids

Problem Memory Aids

Use these phrases to remember key patterns:

"Floor-Ceil-Four-Corners": Bilinear interpolation corners

• lt: floor-floor, rt: ceil-floor, lb: floor-ceil, rb: ceil-ceil

"Y-before-X-in-PyTorch": Deformable conv offset ordering

- delta_y = delta[n, 2*k, h_out, w_out]
- $\bullet \ \operatorname{delta_x} = \operatorname{delta}[n, \, 2^*k{+}1, \, h_\operatorname{out}, \, w_\operatorname{out}]$

"3-32-64-128-256": CNN channel progression

• Each layer doubles the channels (except first)

"32-16-8-4": Spatial dimension reduction

• Each MaxPool2d(2,2) halves the spatial dimensions

"Zero-Forward-Backward-Step": Training loop mantra

• Never forget the order!

"Input-Hidden-Hidden": RNN weight dimensions

• W_xh: (H,V), W_hh: (H,H), W_hy: (V,H)

"Tanh-Hidden-Linear-Output": RNN computation flow

• Hidden uses tanh, output is linear

ANSWERS TO CODING BLOCKS

 $\textbf{Code Block 1:} \ \text{floor, floor, 1, 1, 0.0, top-left, top-right, bottom-left, bottom-right, y0, x0, dx, dx, dx, dx, dy, dy \\$

Code Block 2: stride, stride, 2, 2, 1, delta_y, delta_x, m_k, interpolated

Code Block 3: 3, 32, 32, 64, 64, 128, 128, 256, MaxPool2d, 256, 4, 4, 512, 256, 256, 100, 0.5

Code Block 4: relu, relu, 16x16, relu, 8x8, relu, 4x4, size(0), -1, relu, dropout, relu, dropout

Code Block 5: train, device, device, zero_grad, images, backward, step, 1, -1, 1

Code Block 6: 32, 64, 128, 256

 $\textbf{Code Block 7:}\ H,\,V,\,H,\,H,\,H,\,H,\,V,\,H,\,V$

 $\textbf{Code Block 8:} \ \, \textbf{W_xh,} \ \, \textbf{b_xh,} \ \, \textbf{W_hh,} \ \, \textbf{b_hh,} \ \, \textbf{W_hy,} \ \, \textbf{b_y}$

 ${\bf Code\ Block\ 9:\ True,\ True,\ True,\ True,\ True}$

ADVANCED CODING SCENARIOS

Scenario 1: Debugging Deformable Conv

Problem Scenario 1: Debugging Deformable Conv

If your deformable convolution gives wrong results, what are the most likely bugs?

```
# Common Bug 1: Wrong offset extraction
delta_y = delta[n, k, h_out, w_out]  # WRONG - missing factor of 2
delta_x = delta[n, k + 1, h_out, w_out]  # WRONG - should be 2*k+1

# Correct version:
delta_y = delta[n, ____ * k, h_out, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ____ * k + ____, h_out, w_out]

# Common Bug 2: Wrong bilinear interpolation order

# WRONG: Interpolate Y first

v_y = v_00 * (1 - dy) + v_10 * dy

v_final = v_y * (1 - dx) + v_01 * dx

# Correct: Interpolate X first, then Y

v_0 = v_00 * (1 - ____) + v_01 * ____ # top edge

v_1 = v_10 * (1 - ____) + v_11 * ____ # bottom edge
out = v_0 * (1 - ____) + v_1 * ____ # Y interpolation
```

Scenario 2: CNN Architecture Variations

Problem Scenario 2: CNN Architecture Variations

If asked to modify the CNN, remember these patterns:

```
# Adding more conv layers - maintain the pattern
class CustomCNNDeep(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        # Pattern: start with 3 channels, double each time
        self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, 3, padding=1)
        self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 32, 3, padding=1) # Same channels
        self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, 3, padding=1) # Double
        self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(64, 64, 3, padding=1) # Same
        self.conv5 = nn.Conv2d(64, 128, 3, padding=1) # Double
    def forward(self, x):
        # Pattern: Conv-Conv-Pool, Conv-Conv-Pool
        x = F.relu(self.conv1(x))
       x = F.relu(self.conv2(x))
        x = self.pool(x) # After every 2 conv layers
       x = F.relu(self.conv3(x))
        x = F.relu(self.conv4(x))
        x = self.pool(x)
        # Calculate new flatten size: 128 * 8 * 8 = ____
```

Scenario 3: Validation vs Training Mode

Problem Scenario 3: Validation vs Training Mode

Critical differences between training and validation:

```
# Training mode
def train_epoch():
   model.___() # Enable dropout and batch norm training mode
   for batch in train_loader:
       optimizer.___() # Clear gradients
       outputs = model(images)
       loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
       loss.___() # Compute gradients
       optimizer.___() # Update weights
# Validation mode
def validate():
   model.____() # Disable dropout, batch norm in eval mode
   with torch.___(): # Disable gradient computation
       for batch in val_loader:
           # NO optimizer.zero_grad() here!
           # NO loss.backward() here!
           # NO optimizer.step() here!
           outputs = model(images)
           loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
```

Scenario 4: RNN with Different Sequence Lengths

Problem Scenario 4: RNN with Different Sequence Lengths

If given a different text, adapt the RNN code:

```
# Original: "Deep Learning"
text = "Deep Learning"
input_seq = text[:-1]  # "Deep Learnin"
target_seq = text[1:]  # "eep Learning"

# New text: "Hello World"
text = "Hello World"
input_seq = text[___]  # "Hello Worl"
target_seq = text[___]  # "ello World"

# Vocabulary size changes!
chars = sorted(list(set(text)))
V = len(chars)  # This will be different!

# All weight matrices need to be reinitialized with new V
W_xh = torch.randn(H, ___, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
W_hy = torch.randn(___, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
b_y = torch.zeros(___, requires_grad=True)
```

Scenario 5: Hyperparameter Grid Search Pattern

Problem Scenario 5: Hyperparameter Grid Search Pattern

Standard grid search implementation:

```
learning_rates = [0.0001, 0.001]
optimizers = [torch.optim.Adam, torch.optim.SGD]
model_classes = [CustomCNN, CustomCNNwithBN]
best_accuracy = 0
best_params = None
for model_class in model_classes:
    for optimizer_class in optimizers:
        for lr in learning_rates:
            # CRITICAL: Reinitialize model each time
            model = model_class().to(device)
            # Initialize optimizer based on type
            if optimizer_class == torch.optim.SGD:
                optimizer = optimizer_class(
                    model.parameters(),
                    lr=lr,
                    momentum=___,
                    weight_decay=____
            else: # Adam
                optimizer = optimizer_class(
                    model.parameters(),
                    lr=lr,
                    weight_decay=____
                )
            # Train and validate...
            val_acc = train_and_validate(model, optimizer)
            if val_acc > best_accuracy:
                best_accuracy = val_acc
                best_params = (model_class.__name__, optimizer_class.__name__, lr)
```

Scenario 6: Top-K Accuracy Calculation Variations

Problem Scenario 6: Top-K Accuracy Calculation Variations

Different ways to calculate accuracy:

```
# Top-1 accuracy (most common)
_, predicted = torch.max(outputs, 1)
correct = (predicted == labels).sum().item()
accuracy = correct / labels.size(0) * 100

# Top-K accuracy using topk
_, top_k_pred = outputs.topk(____, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top_k_correct = top_k_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).expand_as(____)).sum().item()

# Alternative top-K calculation
values, indices = torch.topk(outputs, k=5, dim=1)
correct_mask = indices == labels.unsqueeze(1)
top_k_accuracy = correct_mask.sum().float() / labels.size(0) * 100
```

EXAM SIMULATION QUESTIONS

Quick Code Writing

Problem Quick Code Writing

Write these functions from memory in 2 minutes each:

1. Write the bilinear interpolation weight calculation:

```
def calculate_bilinear_weight(p_x, p_y, q_x, q_y):
    # Your code here - calculate G(p,q)
    return ____
```

2. Write the RNN hidden state update:

```
def rnn_step(x_t, h_prev, W_xh, W_hh, b_xh, b_hh):
    # Your code here - compute new hidden state
    return ____
```

3. Write the CNN forward pass for one block:

```
def cnn_block_forward(x, conv1, conv2, pool):
    # Your code here - conv-conv-pool pattern
    return ____
```

4. Write the training step:

```
def training_step(model, optimizer, criterion, images, labels):
    # Your code here - complete training step
    return loss
```

5. Write character to one-hot conversion:

```
def char_to_onehot(char, char2idx, vocab_size):
    # Your code here - convert character to one-hot vector
    return ____
```

FINAL MEMORY CHECK

Last Minute Review

Problem Last Minute Review

Before the exam, quickly verify you remember:

Constants (write from memory):

- CIFAR-100 mean: [____, ____]

- Train/val split ratio: ____
- \bullet Dropout probability: ____
- Weight decay: ____
- SGD momentum: ____

Dimensions (write from memory):

- CNN channels: $3\rightarrow$ ____ \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ____ \rightarrow
- CNN spatial: $32 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots$
- RNN W_xh: (____, ___)
- RNN W_hh: (____, ___)
- RNN W_hy: (____, ___)

PRACTICE EXAM - NO PEEKING AT ANSWERS!

Practice 1: Bilinear Interpolation Implementation

Problem Practice 1: Bilinear Interpolation Implementation

Complete this bilinear interpolation function:

```
def bilinear_interpolate(a_l, q_y, q_x):
    H, W = a_1.shape
    y0 = int(np.___(q_y))
    x0 = int(np.___(q_x))
    y1 = y0 + ____
    x1 = x0 + ____
    def get_pixel_value(img, y, x):
        if 0 \le y \le H and 0 \le x \le W:
            return img[y, x]
        else:
            return ____
    v_00 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x0)
    v_01 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x1)
    v_10 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y1, x0)
    v_11 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y1, x1)
    dy = q_y - \dots
    dx = q_x - \underline{\hspace{1cm}}
    v_0 = v_{00} * (1 - ___) + v_{01} * ___
    v_1 = v_{10} * (1 - ___) + v_{11} * ___
    out = v_0 * (1 - ___) + v_1 * ___
    return out
```

Practice 2: Deformable Conv Offset Extraction

Problem Practice 2: Deformable Conv Offset Extraction

Fill in the correct offset extraction pattern:

```
for kh in range(K_h):
    for kw in range(K_w):
        k = kh * K_w + kw

    delta_y = delta[n, ___ * k, h_out, w_out]
    delta_x = delta[n, ___ * k + ___, h_out, w_out]
    m_k = mask[n, k, h_out, w_out]

sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + ___
sample_x = w_start + kw * dilation + ____
```

```
# Apply weight and mask
value += weight[c_out, c_in, kh, kw] * ___ * ____
```

Practice 3: CNN Architecture

Problem Practice 3: CNN Architecture

Complete the CustomCNN constructor with correct channel progression:

```
class CustomCNN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super(CustomCNN, self).__init__()

    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)

    self.pool = nn.____(2, 2)

    self.fc1 = nn.Linear(___ * ___ * ___, 512)
    self.fc2 = nn.Linear(___, ___)
    self.fc3 = nn.Linear(___, ___)
    self.dropout = nn.Dropout(____)
```

Practice 4: CNN Forward Pass

Problem Practice 4: CNN Forward Pass

Complete the forward pass with correct activations:

```
def forward(self, x):
    x = F.____(self.conv1(x))
    x = F.____(self.conv2(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 32x32 -> ____

    x = F.____(self.conv3(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 16x16 -> ____

    x = F.____(self.conv4(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 8x8 -> ____

    x = x.view(x.____(__), ___)

    x = F.____(self.fc1(x))
    x = self.____(x)
```

```
x = F.___(self.fc2(x))
x = self.___(x)
x = self.fc3(x)
return x
```

Practice 5: Training Loop Pattern

Problem Practice 5: Training Loop Pattern

Complete the sacred training loop:

```
def train_step(model, optimizer, criterion, images, labels, device):
    images = images.to(____)
    labels = labels.to(____)

    optimizer.____()
    outputs = model(_____)
    loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
    loss._____()
    optimizer.____()
    return loss.item()
```

Practice 6: Top-K Accuracy

Problem Practice 6: Top-K Accuracy

Complete the top-1 and top-5 accuracy calculation:

```
# Top-1 accuracy
_, top1_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=___, sorted=___)
top1_correct = top1_pred.eq(labels.view(___, ___)).sum().item()
# Top-5 accuracy
_, top5_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=___, sorted=___)
top5_correct = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).___(___))).sum().item()
```

Practice 7: RNN Weight Initialization

Problem Practice 7: RNN Weight Initialization

Initialize RNN parameters with correct dimensions:

```
V = len(chars) # Vocabulary size
H = 16  # Hidden size

W_xh = torch.randn(___, ___, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
W_hh = torch.randn(___, ___, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
b_xh = torch.zeros(___, requires_grad=True)
b_hh = torch.zeros(___, requires_grad=True)
W_hy = torch.randn(___, ___, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
b_y = torch.zeros(___, requires_grad=True)
```

Practice 8: RNN Forward Equations

Problem Practice 8: RNN Forward Equations

Complete the RNN forward pass:

```
for t in range(seq_len):
    x_t = inputs[t]

# Hidden state update
    h = torch.tanh(_____ @ x_t + ____ + ____ @ h + ____)

# Output logits
    s_t = ____ @ h + ____
logits_list.append(s_t)
```

Practice 9: Character Processing

Problem Practice 9: Character Processing

Complete the character-level preprocessing:

```
text = "Deep Learning"

chars = sorted(list(set(____)))
char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(____)}
idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(____)}

input_seq = text[____]

target_seq = text[____]

def one_hot(idx, size):
    vec = torch.zeros(size)
    vec[____] = 1.0
    return vec
```

```
inputs = [one_hot(char2idx[ch], V) for ch in ____]
targets = torch.tensor([char2idx[ch] for ch in ____], dtype=torch.long)
```

Practice 10: Gradient Computation

Problem Practice 10: Gradient Computation

Complete the explicit gradient computation:

```
grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hy = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hy, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_y = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_y, retain_graph=___)[0]
```

Practice 11: BatchNorm Integration

Problem Practice 11: BatchNorm Integration

Add BatchNorm to CNN architecture:

```
class CustomCNNwithBN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()

    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____)

    self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
        self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____)

def forward(self, x):
    x = F.relu(self.____(self.conv1(x)))
    x = F.relu(self.____(self.conv2(x)))
```

Practice 12: CIFAR-100 Constants

Problem Practice 12: CIFAR-100 Constants

Fill in the CIFAR-100 normalization values:

```
transform = transforms.Compose([
```

Practice 13: Data Splitting

Problem Practice 13: Data Splitting

Complete the 80/20 train/validation split:

```
full_train_set = CIFAR100(root='./data', train=True, download=True)
train_size = int(____ * len(full_train_set))
val_size = len(full_train_set) - ____
train_set, val_set = random_split(full_train_set, [____, ___])
```

Practice 14: Loss and Optimizer Setup

Problem Practice 14: Loss and Optimizer Setup

Set up loss function and optimizer for CIFAR-100:

Practice 15: Quick Recall

Problem Practice 15: Quick Recall

Answer these without looking:

- 1. What function rounds down to nearest integer?
- 2. In PyTorch deformable conv, Y offset comes at index ___ and X offset at ___
- 3. The bilinear interpolation weight formula is: $G(p,q) = \dots$

- 4. CNN channel progression in our model: 3 \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___
- 5. RNN hidden state uses which activation function? _____
- 6. In training loop, what comes after loss.backward()? _____
- 7. For validation, you wrap the loop with torch.....():
- 8. The flatten operation uses x......(x.....(0),):
- 9. Top-5 accuracy uses outputs......(..., dim=1):
- 10. RNN weight W_hy has dimensions (_--, _--):

CHALLENGE PROBLEMS

Challenge 1: Complete Function Implementation

Problem Challenge 1: Complete Function Implementation

Write the complete bilinear interpolation function from scratch:

Challenge 2: Complete RNN Step

Problem Challenge 2: Complete RNN Step

Write a complete RNN forward step function:

Challenge 3: Training vs Validation

Problem Challenge 3: Training vs Validation

Write the key differences between training and validation loops:

Problem Challenge 4: Debugging Scenario

Yo	ur deformable convolution	outputs don't	match	PyTorch.	List 5	most	likely	bugs:
1.								
2.								
3.								
4.								
5								

Challenge 5: Architecture Design

Problem Challenge 5: Architecture Design

Design a deeper CNN with 6 conv layers following the same pattern:

ANSWER BANK

Practice 1 Answers:

Problem Practice 1 Answers:

floor, floor, 1, 1, 0.0, y0, x0, dx, dx, dx, dx, dy, dy

Practice 2 Answers:

Problem Practice 2 Answers:

2, 2, 1, delta_y, delta_x, m_k, interpolated

Practice 3 Answers:

Problem Practice 3 Answers:

 $3,\ 32,\ 32,\ 64,\ 64,\ 128,\ 128,\ 256,\ MaxPool2d,\ 256,\ 4,\ 4,\ 512,\ 256,\ 256,\ 100,\ 0.5$

Practice 4 Answers:

Problem Practice 4 Answers:

relu, relu, 16x16, relu, 8x8, relu, 4x4, size, 0, -1, relu, dropout, relu, dropout

Practice 5 Answers:

Problem Practice 5 Answers:

device, device, zero_grad, images, backward, step

Practice 6 Answers:

Problem Practice 6 Answers:

1, True, True, -1, 1, 5, True, True, expand_as(top5_pred)

Practice 7 Answers:

Problem Practice 7 Answers:

H, V, H, H, H, H, V, H, V

Practice 8 Answers:

Problem Practice 8 Answers:

W_xh, b_xh, W_hh, b_hh, W_hy, b_y

Practice 9 Answers:

Problem Practice 9 Answers:

text, chars, chars, [:-1], [1:], idx, input_seq, target_seq

Practice 10 Answers:

Problem Practice 10 Answers:

True, True, True, True, True, True

Practice 11 Answers:

Problem Practice 11 Answers:

32, 64, bn1, bn2

Practice 12 Answers:

Problem Practice 12 Answers:

0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408, 0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761

Practice 13 Answers:

Problem Practice 13 Answers:

0.8, train_size, train_size, val_size

Practice 14 Answers:

Problem Practice 14 Answers:

CrossEntropyLoss, 0.01, 0.9, 5e-4

Practice 15 Answers:

Problem Practice 15 Answers:

1. np.floor 2. 2*k, 2*k+1 3. (1-px-qx-)*(1-py-qy-) 4. 32, 64, 128, 256 5. tanh 6. optimizer.step() 7. no-grad 8. view, size, -1 9. topk, 5 10. V, H

Challenge Problem Answers:

Problem Challenge Problem Answers:

Challenge 1: Complete bilinear function with all bounds checking, corner calculations, and interpolation steps.

Challenge 2: RNN step with tanh activation: $h = torch.tanh(W_xh @ x + b_xh + W_hh @ h_prev + b_hh)$

Challenge 3: Training: model.train(), optimizer steps, gradients enabled. Validation: model.eval(), torch.no_grad(), no optimizer steps.

Challenge 4: 1. Wrong offset indexing (2*k), 2. Wrong bilinear order (X first), 3. Missing zero padding, 4. Wrong sampling position calculation, 5. Incorrect weight/mask application.

Challenge 5: Conv layers: $3\rightarrow32\rightarrow32\rightarrow64\rightarrow64\rightarrow128\rightarrow128$, with pooling after every 2 conv layers.

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TASK 1: DEFORMABLE CNN MEMORIZATION GUIDE

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Problem 1.1

What are the 4 corner positions for bilinear interpolation given fractional position $q = (q_x, q_y)$? **Pattern to Remember:** Floor-Floor, Ceil-Floor, Floor-Ceil, Ceil-Ceil

$$p_{lt} = (\lfloor q_x \rfloor, \lfloor q_y \rfloor) \quad \text{(left top)} \tag{1}$$

$$p_{rt} = (\lceil q_x \rceil, \lfloor q_y \rfloor) \quad \text{(right top)}$$
 (2)

$$p_{lb} = (\lfloor q_x \rfloor, \lceil q_y \rceil) \quad \text{(left bottom)}$$
 (3)

$$p_{rb} = (\lceil q_x \rceil, \lceil q_y \rceil)$$
 (right bottom) (4)

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Problem 1.2

Complete the bilinear interpolation weight formula:

$$G(p,q) = (1 - |p_x - q_x|) \cdot (1 - |p_y - q_y|)$$

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Problem 1.3

Fill in the missing code for bilinear interpolation bounds checking:

```
def get_pixel_value(img, y, x):
    if 0 <= y < H and 0 <= x < W:
        return img[y, x]
    else:
        return ___ # What goes here?</pre>
```

Answer: 0.0 (zero padding for out-of-bounds)

.4

Problem 1.4

What is the correct order for bilinear interpolation calculation? **Memory Pattern:** "First X, then Y"

- 1. Get 4 corner values: $v_{00}, v_{01}, v_{10}, v_{11}$
- 2. Calculate fractional parts: $dx = q_x x_0$, $dy = q_y y_0$
- 3. Interpolate along X: $v_0 = v_{00}(1 dx) + v_{01} \cdot dx$
- 4. Interpolate along X: $v_1 = v_{10}(1 dx) + v_{11} \cdot dx$
- 5. Interpolate along Y: $out = v_0(1 dy) + v_1 \cdot dy$

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Problem 1.5

In deformable convolution, how do you extract the y and x offsets from the delta tensor? Critical Pattern - PyTorch stores Y first, then X:

```
\label{eq:delta_y = delta_n, 2 * k, h_out, w_out]} $\#$ y offset $$ delta_x = delta[n, 2 * k + 1, h_out, w_out] $\#$ x offset $$
```

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Problem 1.6

What is the deformable convolution sampling position formula?

```
sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + ____
sample_x = w_start + kw * dilation + ____
```

Answer: delta_y and delta_x

TASK 2: CNN PYTORCH MEMORIZATION GUIDE

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Problem 2.1

What are the CIFAR-100 normalization values you must memorize? Critical Constants:

```
mean=[0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408] # CIFAR100 mean std=[0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761] # CIFAR100 std
```

.2

Problem 2.2

Complete the data augmentation transforms for training:

```
transform_train = transforms.Compose([
    transforms._____(32, padding=4),  # What goes here?
    transforms._____(),  # What goes here?
    transforms.ToTensor(),
    transforms.Normalize(mean=[...], std=[...])
])
```

Answer: RandomCrop and RandomHorizontalFlip

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Problem 2.3

How do you split CIFAR-100 training data into 80/20 train/validation? Pattern to Remember:

```
train_size = int(0.8 * len(full_train_set))
val_size = len(full_train_set) - train_size
train_set, val_set = random_split(full_train_set, [train_size, val_size])
```

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Problem 2.4

What is the CNN architecture pattern for the CustomCNN class? Layer Sequence Pattern:

- 1. $Conv2d(3, 32) \rightarrow Conv2d(32, 64) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 2. $Conv2d(64, 128) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 3. $Conv2d(128, 256) \rightarrow MaxPool2d$
- 4. Flatten \rightarrow FC(256*4*4, 512) \rightarrow FC(512, 256) \rightarrow FC(256, 100)

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Problem 2.5

Complete the forward pass activation pattern:

```
x = F.relu(self.conv1(x))
x = F.relu(self.conv2(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 32x32 -> 16x16
x = F.relu(self.conv3(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 16x16 -> 8x8
x = F.relu(self.conv4(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 8x8 -> 4x4
x = x.view(x.size(0), -1)  # Flatten
x = F.relu(self.fc1(x))
x = self.dropout(x)
x = F.relu(self.fc2(x))
x = self.dropout(x)
x = self.fc3(x)  # No activation on final layer!
```

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Problem 2.6

What loss function and optimizer setup is standard for CIFAR-100?

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Problem 2.7

Complete the top-1 and top-5 accuracy calculation:

```
# Top-1 accuracy
_, top1_pred = outputs.topk(1, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top1_correct = top1_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1)).sum().item()

# Top-5 accuracy
_, top5_pred = outputs.topk(5, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top5_correct = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).___(___))).sum().item()
```

Answer: expand_as(top5_pred)

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Problem 2.8

What is the training loop structure pattern? Memory Pattern - "Zero, Forward, Backward, Step":

```
optimizer.zero_grad()  # Clear gradients
outputs = model(images)  # Forward pass
loss = loss_function(outputs, labels)  # Compute loss
loss.backward()  # Backward pass
optimizer.step()  # Update weights
```

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Problem 2.9

How do you add BatchNorm2d to the CNN architecture? Pattern - After each Conv2d:

```
self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(32)  # Same number as conv output
self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(64)  # Same number as conv output
```

TASK 3: RNN MEMORIZATION GUIDE

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Problem 3.1

How do you create character vocabulary and mappings? Standard Pattern:

```
chars = sorted(list(set(text)))
char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
```

.2

Problem 3.2

How do you create input and target sequences for character prediction?

```
input_seq = text[:-1]  # All except last
target_seq = text[1:]  # All except first
```

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Problem 3.3

Complete the one-hot encoding function:

```
def one_hot(idx, size):
    vec = torch.zeros(size)
    vec[___] = 1.0
    return vec
```

Answer: idx

.4

Problem 3.4

What are the RNN weight matrix dimensions? Dimension Memory Pattern:

```
W_xh = torch.randn(H, V, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (H, V)
W_hh = torch.randn(H, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (H, H)
b_xh = torch.zeros(H, requires_grad=True) # (H,)
b_hh = torch.zeros(H, requires_grad=True) # (H,)
W_hy = torch.randn(V, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1 # (V, H)
b_y = torch.zeros(V, requires_grad=True) # (V,)
```

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Problem 3.5

Complete the RNN forward pass equations:

```
# Hidden state update
h = torch.tanh(W_xh @ x_t + b_xh + W_hh @ h + b_hh)
```

```
# Output logits
s_t = ____ @ h + ____
```

Answer: W_hy and b_y

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Problem 3.6

How do you compute gradients explicitly with torch.autograd?

```
grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_xh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_W_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_xh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_hh, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_W_hy = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hy, retain_graph=True)[0]
grad_b_y = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_y, retain_graph=True)[0]
```

CRITICAL MEMORIZATION PATTERNS

Patterns

Problem Patterns

What are the key patterns you must memorize?

1. Bilinear Interpolation Pattern:

- Get 4 corners (floor/ceil combinations)
- Interpolate X first, then Y
- Use fractional parts: $dx = q_x x_0$, $dy = q_y y_0$

2. CNN Architecture Pattern:

- Conv-Conv-Pool, Conv-Pool, Conv-Pool structure
- Channel progression: $3\rightarrow32\rightarrow64\rightarrow128\rightarrow256$
- Spatial reduction: $32 \rightarrow 16 \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow 4$
- FC layers: $4096 \rightarrow 512 \rightarrow 256 \rightarrow 100$

3. Training Loop Pattern:

- "Zero-Forward-Backward-Step"
- Always move tensors to device
- Use torch.no_grad() for validation

4. RNN Equations Pattern:

- $h_t = \tanh(W_{xh}x_t + b_{xh} + W_{hh}h_{t-1} + b_{hh})$
- $s_t = W_{hy}h_t + b_y$
- Always remember matrix dimensions

5. Data Preprocessing Patterns:

- CIFAR-100: mean=[0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408], std=[0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761]
- 80/20 split: train_size = int(0.8 * len(dataset))
- Character sequences: input = text[:-1], target = text[1:]

COMMON MISTAKES TO AVOID

Mistakes

Problem Mistakes

What are the most common implementation mistakes?

1. Deformable CNN:

- \bullet Forget PyTorch stores Y offset first, then X offset
- Wrong bilinear interpolation order (do X first, then Y)
- \bullet Forget zero padding for out-of-bounds pixels

2. CNN:

- Forget to move tensors to device
- Wrong flatten calculation: x.view(x.size(0), -1)
- Forget activation on hidden layers, add activation on output layer

3. RNN:

- \bullet Wrong weight matrix dimensions
- \bullet Forget requires_grad=True for parameters
- \bullet Use retain_graph=True for multiple gradient computations

RAPID-FIRE ACTIVE RECALL QUIZ

Speed Round 1: Fill the Blanks

Problem Speed Round 1: Fill the Blanks

Complete these critical code snippets:

Q1: Bilinear interpolation corners:

```
y0 = int(np.____(q_y))
x0 = int(np.____(q_x))
y1 = y0 + ___
x1 = x0 + ___
```

Q2: Deformable conv offset extraction:

```
delta_y = delta[n, ___ * k, h_out, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ___ * k + ___, h_out, w_out]
```

Q3: CNN flatten operation:

```
x = x.view(x.___(_), ___)
```

Q4: Top-5 accuracy calculation:

```
_, top5_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=___, sorted=___)
top5_correct = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).____(___)).sum().item()
```

Q5: RNN hidden state update:

```
h = torch.tanh(____ @ x_t + ___ + ___ @ h + ___)
```

Speed Round 2: True/False

Problem Speed Round 2: True/False

Mark T/F for these statements:

- 1. In bilinear interpolation, you interpolate Y direction first, then X direction. [T/F]
- 2. PyTorch stores Y offset before X offset in deformable convolution. [T/F]
- 3. CIFAR-100 has 100 classes, so the final FC layer outputs 100 values. [T/F]
- 4. You should apply ReLU activation to the final output layer in classification. [T/F]
- 5. In RNN, W_xh has dimensions (V, H). [T/F]
- 6. For validation, you need to call optimizer.zero_grad(). [T/F]
- 7. BatchNorm2d should be applied before the activation function. [T/F]
- 8. The input sequence for RNN is text[1:] and target is text[:-1]. [T/F]

Problem Speed Round 3: Memory Palace

Associate these concepts with memorable phrases:

Bilinear Interpolation: "Four corners, X then Y, fractional magic"

- 4 corners: lt, rt, lb, rb
- X interpolation: top_edge, bottom_edge
- Y interpolation: final result

CNN Architecture: "3 to 32, double-double-double, then shrink to 100"

- Channels: $3\rightarrow32\rightarrow64\rightarrow128\rightarrow256$
- Spatial: $32 \rightarrow 16 \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow 4$
- FC: $4096 \rightarrow 512 \rightarrow 256 \rightarrow 100$

Training Loop: "Zero-Forward-Backward-Step dance"

- optimizer.zero_grad()
- outputs = model(images)
- loss.backward()
- optimizer.step()

RNN Weights: "Input-Hidden-Hidden, Hidden-Hidden, Hidden-Vocab-Vocab"

- W_xh: (H, V) maps input to hidden
- W_hh: (H, H) maps previous hidden to current hidden
- W_hy: (V, H) maps hidden to output vocabulary

LAST-MINUTE CHECKLIST

Pre-Exam Checklist

Problem Pre-Exam Checklist

Before the exam, ensure you can write from memory:

Critical Constants:

- CIFAR-100 mean: [0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408]
- CIFAR-100 std: [0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761]
- Train/val split: 0.8 * len(dataset)

Key Formulas:

- Bilinear weight: $(1 |p_x q_x|) \cdot (1 |p_y q_y|)$
- RNN hidden: $h_t = \tanh(W_{xh}x_t + b_{xh} + W_{hh}h_{t-1} + b_{hh})$
- RNN output: $s_t = W_{hy}h_t + b_y$

Critical Code Patterns:

- Device transfer: tensor.to(device)
- Gradient computation: torch.autograd.grad(loss, param, retain_graph=True)[0]
- Top-k accuracy: outputs.topk(k, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
- One-hot encoding: vec[idx] = 1.0

Architecture Patterns:

- \bullet CNN: Conv ${\rightarrow} {\rm BN} {\rightarrow} {\rm ReLU} {\rightarrow} {\rm Pool~pattern}$
- \bullet RNN: Input $\rightarrow \! \text{Hidden} \! \rightarrow \! \text{Output}$ with recurrence
- \bullet Training: Zero $\to Forward \to Backward \to Step$

CODING BLOCKS MEMORIZATION

Code Block 1: Bilinear Interpolation Core

Problem Code Block 1: Bilinear Interpolation Core

Complete this bilinear interpolation function - focus on the mathematical pattern:

```
def bilinear_interpolate(a_l, q_y, q_x):
    H, W = a_1.shape
    # Step 1: Get integer positions
    y0 = int(np.___(q_y))
    x0 = int(np.___(q_x))
    y1 = y0 + _{---}
    x1 = x0 + \underline{\hspace{1cm}}
    # Step 2: Get values with bounds checking
    def get_pixel_value(img, y, x):
        if 0 \le y \le H and 0 \le x \le W:
            return img[y, x]
        else:
            return ____ # Out of bounds value
    # Step 3: Get four corner values
    v_00 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x0) # _____
    v_01 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x1) # ___-__
    v_10 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y1, x0) # ___-
    v_11 = get_pixel_value(a_l, y1, x1) # ___-__
    # Step 4: Calculate fractional parts
    dy = q_y - \dots
    dx = q_x - \underline{\hspace{1cm}}
    # Step 5: Interpolate X first, then Y
    v_0 = v_00 * (1 - ___) + v_01 * ___ # top edge
    v_1 = v_{10} * (1 - ___) + v_{11} * ___ # bottom edge
    out = v_0 * (1 - ___) + v_1 * ___ # final Y interpolation
    return out
```

Code Block 2: Deformable Conv Key Loop

Problem Code Block 2: Deformable Conv Key Loop

This is the heart of deformable convolution - memorize the offset extraction pattern:

```
for n in range(N): # batch
  for c_out in range(C_out): # output channels
    for h_out in range(H_out): # height
       for w_out in range(W_out): # width
       h_start = h_out * ____
       w_start = w_out * ____
       value = 0.0

    for kh in range(K_h):
       for kw in range(K_w):
```

```
k = kh * K_w + kw

# CRITICAL: PyTorch offset order
delta_y = delta[n, ___ * k, h_out, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ___ * k + ___, h_out, w_out]
m_k = mask[n, k, h_out, w_out]

# Sampling position
sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + ___
sample_x = w_start + kw * dilation + ___
for c_in in range(C_in):
    interpolated = bilinear_interpolate(
        a_l[n, c_in, :, :], sample_y, sample_x
)
    value += weight[c_out, c_in, kh, kw] * ___ * ___
out[n, c_out, h_out, w_out] = value
```

Code Block 3: CNN Architecture Constructor

Problem Code Block 3: CNN Architecture Constructor

Memorize the channel progression and layer naming pattern:

```
class CustomCNN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, norm_layer=None):
        super(CustomCNN, self).__init__()

# Conv layers - memorize the channel progression
    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)

# Pooling layer
    self.pool = nn.____(2, 2)

# FC layers - calculate the input size
    self.fc1 = nn.Linear(___, * ___, * ___, 512)
    self.fc2 = nn.Linear(___, * ___, * ___, 512)
    self.fc3 = nn.Linear(___, * ___)
    self.fc3 = nn.Linear(___, * ___)
```

Code Block 4: CNN Forward Pass Pattern

Problem Code Block 4: CNN Forward Pass Pattern

Memorize the activation and pooling pattern:

```
def forward(self, x):
    # Block 1: Conv-Conv-Pool
    x = F.___(self.conv1(x))
    x = F.___(self.conv2(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 32x32 -> ____
```

```
# Block 2: Conv-Pool
x = F.___(self.conv3(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 16x16 -> ____

# Block 3: Conv-Pool
x = F.___(self.conv4(x))
x = self.pool(x)  # 8x8 -> ____

# Flatten
x = x.view(x.___(__), ___)

# FC layers with dropout
x = F.___(self.fc1(x))
x = self.___(x)
x = self.fc3(x)  # No activation here!
```

Code Block 5: Training Loop Core

Problem Code Block 5: Training Loop Core

The sacred training loop pattern - memorize the order:

```
def train(model, train_loader, optimizer, loss_function, device):
   model.___() # Set to training mode
   for batch in train_loader:
       images, labels = batch
       images = images.to(____)
       labels = labels.to(____)
       # The sacred four steps:
       optimizer.___()
                               # Step 1: Clear gradients
       outputs = model(____) # Step 2: Forward pass
       loss = loss_function(outputs, labels) # Step 3: Compute loss
       loss.____() # Step 4: Backward pass
       optimizer.___()
                               # Step 5: Update weights
       # Accuracy calculation
       _, top1_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
       top1_correct = top1_pred.eq(labels.view(___, ___)).sum().item()
```

Code Block 6: BatchNorm CNN Constructor

Problem Code Block 6: BatchNorm CNN Constructor

Pattern for adding BatchNorm after each conv layer:

```
class CustomCNNwithBN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, norm_layer=None):
        super(CustomCNNwithBN, self).__init__()

    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____)  # Same as conv1 output
```

```
self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv2 output
    self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(64, 128, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn3 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv3 output
    self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(128, 256, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn4 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____) # Same as conv4 output
def forward(self, x):
   # Pattern: Conv -> BN -> ReLU
   x = F.relu(self.bn1(self.conv1(x)))
   x = F.relu(self.bn2(self.conv2(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    x = F.relu(self.bn3(self.conv3(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    x = F.relu(self.bn4(self.conv4(x)))
    x = self.pool(x)
    # ... rest of forward pass
```

Code Block 7: RNN Parameter Initialization

Problem Code Block 7: RNN Parameter Initialization

Memorize the weight dimensions and initialization pattern:

Code Block 8: RNN Forward Pass

Problem Code Block 8: RNN Forward Pass

The RNN equations in code form:

```
logits_list = []
h = torch.zeros(H)

for t in range(seq_len):
    x_t = inputs[t]

    # Hidden state update equation
    h = torch.tanh(_____ @ x_t + ____ + ____ @ h + ____)

# Output logits equation
    s_t = ____ @ h + _____
```

```
logits_list.append(s_t)
logits = torch.stack(logits_list)
log_probs = F.log_softmax(logits, dim=1)
loss_manual = F.nll_loss(log_probs, targets)
```

Code Block 9: Gradient Computation

Problem Code Block 9: Gradient Computation

Pattern for explicit gradient computation:

```
# Compute gradients explicitly
grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hy = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hy, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_y = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_y, retain_graph=___)[0]
# Why retain_graph=True? Because we compute multiple gradients from same loss
```

Code Block 10: Character Processing

Problem Code Block 10: Character Processing

Standard pattern for character-level RNN preprocessing:

```
text = "Deep Learning"
# Step 1: Create vocabulary
chars = sorted(list(set(____)))
char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(____)}
idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(____)}
# Step 2: Create sequences
input_seq = text[___]  # All except last
target_seq = text[___] # All except first
# Step 3: Convert to tensors
inputs = [one_hot(char2idx[ch], V) for ch in ____]
targets = torch.tensor([char2idx[ch] for ch in ____], dtype=torch.long)
def one_hot(idx, size):
    vec = torch.zeros(size)
    vec[___] = 1.0
   return vec
```

MEMORIZATION MNEMONICS

Memory Aids

Problem Memory Aids

Use these phrases to remember key patterns:

"Floor-Ceil-Four-Corners": Bilinear interpolation corners

• lt: floor-floor, rt: ceil-floor, lb: floor-ceil, rb: ceil-ceil

"Y-before-X-in-PyTorch": Deformable conv offset ordering

- delta_y = delta[n, 2*k, h_out, w_out]
- $\bullet \ \operatorname{delta_x} = \operatorname{delta}[n, \, 2^*k{+}1, \, h_\operatorname{out}, \, w_\operatorname{out}]$

"3-32-64-128-256": CNN channel progression

• Each layer doubles the channels (except first)

"32-16-8-4": Spatial dimension reduction

• Each MaxPool2d(2,2) halves the spatial dimensions

"Zero-Forward-Backward-Step": Training loop mantra

• Never forget the order!

"Input-Hidden-Hidden": RNN weight dimensions

• W_xh: (H,V), W_hh: (H,H), W_hy: (V,H)

"Tanh-Hidden-Linear-Output": RNN computation flow

• Hidden uses tanh, output is linear

ANSWERS TO CODING BLOCKS

 $\textbf{Code Block 1:} \ \text{floor, floor, 1, 1, 0.0, top-left, top-right, bottom-left, bottom-right, y0, x0, dx, dx, dx, dx, dy, dy \\$

Code Block 2: stride, stride, 2, 2, 1, delta_y, delta_x, m_k, interpolated

Code Block 3: 3, 32, 32, 64, 64, 128, 128, 256, MaxPool2d, 256, 4, 4, 512, 256, 256, 100, 0.5

Code Block 4: relu, relu, 16x16, relu, 8x8, relu, 4x4, size(0), -1, relu, dropout, relu, dropout

Code Block 5: train, device, device, zero_grad, images, backward, step, 1, -1, 1

Code Block 6: 32, 64, 128, 256

 $\textbf{Code Block 7:}\ H,\,V,\,H,\,H,\,H,\,H,\,V,\,H,\,V$

 $\textbf{Code Block 8:} \ \, \textbf{W_xh,} \ \, \textbf{b_xh,} \ \, \textbf{W_hh,} \ \, \textbf{b_hh,} \ \, \textbf{W_hy,} \ \, \textbf{b_y}$

 ${\bf Code\ Block\ 9:\ True,\ True,\ True,\ True,\ True}$

ADVANCED CODING SCENARIOS

Scenario 1: Debugging Deformable Conv

Problem Scenario 1: Debugging Deformable Conv

If your deformable convolution gives wrong results, what are the most likely bugs?

```
# Common Bug 1: Wrong offset extraction
delta_y = delta[n, k, h_out, w_out]  # WRONG - missing factor of 2
delta_x = delta[n, k + 1, h_out, w_out]  # WRONG - should be 2*k+1

# Correct version:
delta_y = delta[n, ____ * k, h_out, w_out]
delta_x = delta[n, ____ * k + ____, h_out, w_out]

# Common Bug 2: Wrong bilinear interpolation order

# WRONG: Interpolate Y first

v_y = v_00 * (1 - dy) + v_10 * dy

v_final = v_y * (1 - dx) + v_01 * dx

# Correct: Interpolate X first, then Y

v_0 = v_00 * (1 - ____) + v_01 * ____ # top edge

v_1 = v_10 * (1 - ____) + v_11 * ____ # bottom edge
out = v_0 * (1 - ____) + v_1 * ____ # Y interpolation
```

Scenario 2: CNN Architecture Variations

Problem Scenario 2: CNN Architecture Variations

If asked to modify the CNN, remember these patterns:

```
# Adding more conv layers - maintain the pattern
class CustomCNNDeep(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        # Pattern: start with 3 channels, double each time
        self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, 3, padding=1)
        self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 32, 3, padding=1) # Same channels
        self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, 3, padding=1) # Double
        self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(64, 64, 3, padding=1) # Same
        self.conv5 = nn.Conv2d(64, 128, 3, padding=1) # Double
    def forward(self, x):
        # Pattern: Conv-Conv-Pool, Conv-Conv-Pool
        x = F.relu(self.conv1(x))
       x = F.relu(self.conv2(x))
        x = self.pool(x) # After every 2 conv layers
       x = F.relu(self.conv3(x))
        x = F.relu(self.conv4(x))
        x = self.pool(x)
        # Calculate new flatten size: 128 * 8 * 8 = ____
```

Scenario 3: Validation vs Training Mode

Problem Scenario 3: Validation vs Training Mode

Critical differences between training and validation:

```
# Training mode
def train_epoch():
   model.____() # Enable dropout and batch norm training mode
   for batch in train_loader:
       optimizer.___() # Clear gradients
       outputs = model(images)
       loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
       loss.___() # Compute gradients
       optimizer.___() # Update weights
# Validation mode
def validate():
   model.____() # Disable dropout, batch norm in eval mode
   with torch.___(): # Disable gradient computation
       for batch in val_loader:
           # NO optimizer.zero_grad() here!
           # NO loss.backward() here!
           # NO optimizer.step() here!
           outputs = model(images)
           loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
```

Scenario 4: RNN with Different Sequence Lengths

Problem Scenario 4: RNN with Different Sequence Lengths

If given a different text, adapt the RNN code:

```
# Original: "Deep Learning"
text = "Deep Learning"
input_seq = text[:-1]  # "Deep Learnin"
target_seq = text[1:]  # "eep Learning"

# New text: "Hello World"
text = "Hello World"
input_seq = text[___]  # "Hello Worl"
target_seq = text[___]  # "ello World"

# Vocabulary size changes!
chars = sorted(list(set(text)))
V = len(chars)  # This will be different!

# All weight matrices need to be reinitialized with new V
W_xh = torch.randn(H, ___, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
W_hy = torch.randn(___, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
b_y = torch.zeros(___, requires_grad=True)
```

Scenario 5: Hyperparameter Grid Search Pattern

Problem Scenario 5: Hyperparameter Grid Search Pattern

Standard grid search implementation:

```
learning_rates = [0.0001, 0.001]
optimizers = [torch.optim.Adam, torch.optim.SGD]
model_classes = [CustomCNN, CustomCNNwithBN]
best_accuracy = 0
best_params = None
for model_class in model_classes:
    for optimizer_class in optimizers:
        for lr in learning_rates:
            # CRITICAL: Reinitialize model each time
            model = model_class().to(device)
            # Initialize optimizer based on type
            if optimizer_class == torch.optim.SGD:
                optimizer = optimizer_class(
                    model.parameters(),
                    lr=lr,
                    momentum=___,
                    weight_decay=____
            else: # Adam
                optimizer = optimizer_class(
                    model.parameters(),
                    lr=lr,
                    weight_decay=____
                )
            # Train and validate...
            val_acc = train_and_validate(model, optimizer)
            if val_acc > best_accuracy:
                best_accuracy = val_acc
                best_params = (model_class.__name__, optimizer_class.__name__, lr)
```

Scenario 6: Top-K Accuracy Calculation Variations

Problem Scenario 6: Top-K Accuracy Calculation Variations

Different ways to calculate accuracy:

```
# Top-1 accuracy (most common)
_, predicted = torch.max(outputs, 1)
correct = (predicted == labels).sum().item()
accuracy = correct / labels.size(0) * 100

# Top-K accuracy using topk
_, top_k_pred = outputs.topk(____, dim=1, largest=True, sorted=True)
top_k_correct = top_k_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).expand_as(____)).sum().item()

# Alternative top-K calculation
values, indices = torch.topk(outputs, k=5, dim=1)
correct_mask = indices == labels.unsqueeze(1)
top_k_accuracy = correct_mask.sum().float() / labels.size(0) * 100
```

EXAM SIMULATION QUESTIONS

Quick Code Writing

Problem Quick Code Writing

Write these functions from memory in 2 minutes each:

1. Write the bilinear interpolation weight calculation:

```
def calculate_bilinear_weight(p_x, p_y, q_x, q_y):
    # Your code here - calculate G(p,q)
    return ____
```

2. Write the RNN hidden state update:

```
def rnn_step(x_t, h_prev, W_xh, W_hh, b_xh, b_hh):
    # Your code here - compute new hidden state
    return ____
```

3. Write the CNN forward pass for one block:

```
def cnn_block_forward(x, conv1, conv2, pool):
    # Your code here - conv-conv-pool pattern
    return ____
```

4. Write the training step:

```
def training_step(model, optimizer, criterion, images, labels):
    # Your code here - complete training step
    return loss
```

5. Write character to one-hot conversion:

```
def char_to_onehot(char, char2idx, vocab_size):
    # Your code here - convert character to one-hot vector
    return ____
```

FINAL MEMORY CHECK

Last Minute Review

Problem Last Minute Review

Before the exam, quickly verify you remember:

Constants (write from memory):

- CIFAR-100 mean: [____, ____]

- Train/val split ratio: ____
- \bullet Dropout probability: ____
- Weight decay: ____
- SGD momentum: ____

Dimensions (write from memory):

- CNN channels: $3 \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___$
- CNN spatial: $32 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots$
- RNN W_xh: (____, ___)
- RNN W_hh: (____, ___)
- RNN W_hy: (____, ___)

PRACTICE EXAM - NO PEEKING AT ANSWERS!

Practice 1: Bilinear Interpolation Implementation

Problem Practice 1: Bilinear Interpolation Implementation

Complete this bilinear interpolation function:

```
def bilinear_interpolate(a_l, q_y, q_x):
    H, W = a_1.shape
    y0 = int(np.___(q_y))
    x0 = int(np.___(q_x))
    y1 = y0 + ____
    x1 = x0 + ____
    def get_pixel_value(img, y, x):
        if 0 \le y \le H and 0 \le x \le W:
            return img[y, x]
        else:
            return ____
    v_00 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x0)
    v_01 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y0, x1)
    v_10 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y1, x0)
    v_11 = get_pixel_value(a_1, y1, x1)
    dy = q_y - \dots
    dx = q_x - \underline{\hspace{1cm}}
    v_0 = v_{00} * (1 - ___) + v_{01} * ___
    v_1 = v_{10} * (1 - ___) + v_{11} * ___
    out = v_0 * (1 - ___) + v_1 * ___
    return out
```

Practice 2: Deformable Conv Offset Extraction

Problem Practice 2: Deformable Conv Offset Extraction

Fill in the correct offset extraction pattern:

```
for kh in range(K_h):
    for kw in range(K_w):
        k = kh * K_w + kw

    delta_y = delta[n, ___ * k, h_out, w_out]
    delta_x = delta[n, ___ * k + ___, h_out, w_out]
    m_k = mask[n, k, h_out, w_out]

sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + ___
sample_x = w_start + kw * dilation + ____
```

```
# Apply weight and mask
value += weight[c_out, c_in, kh, kw] * ___ * ____
```

Practice 3: CNN Architecture

Problem Practice 3: CNN Architecture

Complete the CustomCNN constructor with correct channel progression:

```
class CustomCNN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super(CustomCNN, self).__init__()

    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.conv4 = nn.Conv2d(___, ___, kernel_size=3, padding=1)

    self.pool = nn.____(2, 2)

    self.fc1 = nn.Linear(___ * ___ * ___, 512)
    self.fc2 = nn.Linear(___, ___)
    self.fc3 = nn.Linear(___, ___)
    self.dropout = nn.Dropout(____)
```

Practice 4: CNN Forward Pass

Problem Practice 4: CNN Forward Pass

Complete the forward pass with correct activations:

```
def forward(self, x):
    x = F.____(self.conv1(x))
    x = F.____(self.conv2(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 32x32 -> ____

    x = F.____(self.conv3(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 16x16 -> ____

    x = F.____(self.conv4(x))
    x = self.pool(x) # 8x8 -> ____

    x = x.view(x.____(__), ___)

    x = F.____(self.fc1(x))
    x = self.____(x)
```

```
x = F.___(self.fc2(x))
x = self.___(x)
x = self.fc3(x)
return x
```

Practice 5: Training Loop Pattern

Problem Practice 5: Training Loop Pattern

Complete the sacred training loop:

```
def train_step(model, optimizer, criterion, images, labels, device):
    images = images.to(____)
    labels = labels.to(____)

    optimizer.____()
    outputs = model(_____)
    loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
    loss._____()
    optimizer.____()
    return loss.item()
```

Practice 6: Top-K Accuracy

Problem Practice 6: Top-K Accuracy

Complete the top-1 and top-5 accuracy calculation:

```
# Top-1 accuracy
_, top1_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=___, sorted=___)
top1_correct = top1_pred.eq(labels.view(___, ___)).sum().item()

# Top-5 accuracy
_, top5_pred = outputs.topk(___, dim=1, largest=___, sorted=___)
top5_correct = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).___(___))).sum().item()
```

Practice 7: RNN Weight Initialization

Problem Practice 7: RNN Weight Initialization

Initialize RNN parameters with correct dimensions:

```
V = len(chars) # Vocabulary size
H = 16  # Hidden size

W_xh = torch.randn(___, ___, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
W_hh = torch.randn(___, ___, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
b_xh = torch.zeros(___, requires_grad=True)
b_hh = torch.zeros(___, requires_grad=True)
W_hy = torch.randn(___, ___, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
b_y = torch.zeros(___, requires_grad=True)
```

Practice 8: RNN Forward Equations

Problem Practice 8: RNN Forward Equations

Complete the RNN forward pass:

```
for t in range(seq_len):
    x_t = inputs[t]

# Hidden state update
    h = torch.tanh(_____ @ x_t + ____ + ____ @ h + ____)

# Output logits
    s_t = ____ @ h + ____
logits_list.append(s_t)
```

Practice 9: Character Processing

Problem Practice 9: Character Processing

Complete the character-level preprocessing:

```
text = "Deep Learning"

chars = sorted(list(set(____)))
char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(____)}
idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(____)}

input_seq = text[____]

target_seq = text[____]

def one_hot(idx, size):
    vec = torch.zeros(size)
    vec[____] = 1.0
    return vec
```

```
inputs = [one_hot(char2idx[ch], V) for ch in ____]
targets = torch.tensor([char2idx[ch] for ch in ____], dtype=torch.long)
```

Practice 10: Gradient Computation

Problem Practice 10: Gradient Computation

Complete the explicit gradient computation:

```
grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_xh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_hh = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_hh, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_W_hy = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, W_hy, retain_graph=___)[0]
grad_b_y = torch.autograd.grad(loss_manual, b_y, retain_graph=___)[0]
```

Practice 11: BatchNorm Integration

Problem Practice 11: BatchNorm Integration

Add BatchNorm to CNN architecture:

```
class CustomCNNwithBN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()

    self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 32, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
    self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____)

    self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
        self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(____)

def forward(self, x):
    x = F.relu(self.____(self.conv1(x)))
    x = F.relu(self.____(self.conv2(x)))
```

Practice 12: CIFAR-100 Constants

Problem Practice 12: CIFAR-100 Constants

Fill in the CIFAR-100 normalization values:

```
transform = transforms.Compose([
```

Practice 13: Data Splitting

Problem Practice 13: Data Splitting

Complete the 80/20 train/validation split:

```
full_train_set = CIFAR100(root='./data', train=True, download=True)
train_size = int(____ * len(full_train_set))
val_size = len(full_train_set) - ____
train_set, val_set = random_split(full_train_set, [____, ___])
```

Practice 14: Loss and Optimizer Setup

Problem Practice 14: Loss and Optimizer Setup

Set up loss function and optimizer for CIFAR-100:

Practice 15: Quick Recall

Problem Practice 15: Quick Recall

Answer these without looking:

- 1. What function rounds down to nearest integer?
- 2. In PyTorch deformable conv, Y offset comes at index ___ and X offset at ___
- 3. The bilinear interpolation weight formula is: $G(p,q) = \dots$

- 4. CNN channel progression in our model: 3 \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___ \rightarrow ___
- 5. RNN hidden state uses which activation function? _____
- 6. In training loop, what comes after loss.backward()? _____
- 7. For validation, you wrap the loop with torch.....():
- 8. The flatten operation uses x......(x.....(0),):
- 9. Top-5 accuracy uses outputs......(..., dim=1):
- 10. RNN weight W_hy has dimensions (_--, _--):

CHALLENGE PROBLEMS

Challenge 1: Complete Function Implementation

Problem Challenge 1: Complete Function Implementation

Write the complete bilinear interpolation function from scratch:

Challenge 2: Complete RNN Step

Problem Challenge 2: Complete RNN Step

Write a complete RNN forward step function:

Challenge 3: Training vs Validation

Problem Challenge 3: Training vs Validation

Write the key differences between training and validation loops:

Problem Challenge 4: Debugging Scenario

You	ir deformable convolution	outputs don'	t match	PyTorch.	List 5) most	likely	bugs:
1								
2								
3.								
4.								
5								

Challenge 5: Architecture Design

Problem Challenge 5: Architecture Design

Design a deeper CNN with 6 conv layers following the same pattern:

ANSWER BANK

Practice 1 Answers:

Problem Practice 1 Answers:

floor, floor, 1, 1, 0.0, y0, x0, dx, dx, dx, dx, dy, dy

Practice 2 Answers:

Problem Practice 2 Answers:

2, 2, 1, delta_y, delta_x, m_k, interpolated

Practice 3 Answers:

Problem Practice 3 Answers:

 $3,\ 32,\ 32,\ 64,\ 64,\ 128,\ 128,\ 256,\ MaxPool2d,\ 256,\ 4,\ 4,\ 512,\ 256,\ 256,\ 100,\ 0.5$

Practice 4 Answers:

Problem Practice 4 Answers:

relu, relu, 16x16, relu, 8x8, relu, 4x4, size, 0, -1, relu, dropout, relu, dropout

Practice 5 Answers:

Problem Practice 5 Answers:

device, device, zero_grad, images, backward, step

Practice 6 Answers:

Problem Practice 6 Answers:

1, True, True, -1, 1, 5, True, True, expand_as(top5_pred)

Practice 7 Answers:

Problem Practice 7 Answers:

H, V, H, H, H, H, V, H, V

Practice 8 Answers:

Problem Practice 8 Answers:

W_xh, b_xh, W_hh, b_hh, W_hy, b_y

Practice 9 Answers:

Problem Practice 9 Answers:

text, chars, chars, [:-1], [1:], idx, input_seq, target_seq

Practice 10 Answers:

Problem Practice 10 Answers:

True, True, True, True, True, True

Practice 11 Answers:

Problem Practice 11 Answers:

32, 64, bn1, bn2

Practice 12 Answers:

Problem Practice 12 Answers:

0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408, 0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761

Practice 13 Answers:

Problem Practice 13 Answers:

0.8, train_size, train_size, val_size

Practice 14 Answers:

Problem Practice 14 Answers:

CrossEntropyLoss, 0.01, 0.9, 5e-4

Practice 15 Answers:

Problem Practice 15 Answers:

1. np.floor 2. 2*k, 2*k+1 3. (1-px-qx-)*(1-py-qy-) 4. 32, 64, 128, 256 5. tanh 6. optimizer.step() 7. no-grad 8. view, size, -1 9. topk, 5 10. V, H

Challenge Problem Answers:

Problem Challenge Problem Answers:

Challenge 1: Complete bilinear function with all bounds checking, corner calculations, and interpolation steps.

Challenge 2: RNN step with tanh activation: $h = torch.tanh(W_xh @ x + b_xh + W_hh @ h_prev + b_hh)$

Challenge 3: Training: model.train(), optimizer steps, gradients enabled. Validation: model.eval(), torch.no_grad(), no optimizer steps.

Challenge 4: 1. Wrong offset indexing (2*k), 2. Wrong bilinear order (X first), 3. Missing zero padding, 4. Wrong sampling position calculation, 5. Incorrect weight/mask application.

Challenge 5: Conv layers: $3\rightarrow 32\rightarrow 32\rightarrow 64\rightarrow 64\rightarrow 128\rightarrow 128$, with pooling after every 2 conv layers.

CENG403 - Spring 2025: Homework set Write Code Blocks Practice

Your Name

TASK 1: DEFORMABLE CNN - WRITE CODE BLOCKS

.1: Floor Operation

.4: Y Offset Extraction

w_out):

Problem 1.4: Y Offset Extraction

Problem 1.1: Floor Operation								
Write code to get the floor of a float value q_y and store it in y0:								
.2: Ceiling Operation								
Problem 1.2: Ceiling Operation								
Write code to get the ceiling of a float value q_x and store it in x1:								
.3: Kernel Index Calculation								
Problem 1.3: Kernel Index Calculation								
Write code to calculate linear kernel index from 2D position (kh, kw) with kernel width K_w:								

Write code to extract Y offset from delta tensor for batch n, kernel index k, output position (h_out,

.5:	\mathbf{X}	Offset	Extraction

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Write code to extract X offset from delta tensor for batch n, kernel index k, output position (h_out, w_out):

.6: Base Position Calculation

Problem 1.6: Base Position Calculation

Write code to calculate base sampling position h_start from output position h_out and stride:

.7: Final Sampling Position

Problem 1.7: Final Sampling Position

Write code to calculate final sampling position sample_y from h_start, kh, dilation, and delta_y:

.8: Bounds Check Condition

Problem 1.8: Bounds Check Condition

Write code to check if coordinates (y, x) are within image bounds (H, W):

.9: Safe Pixel Access

Problem 1.9: Safe Pixel Access

Write code to get pixel value at (y, x) from image img, returning 0.0 if out of bounds:

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Problem	1.10:	Fractional	Part	Calculati	on
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Write code to calculate fractional part dx from q_x and its floor x0:

.11: Linear Interpolation

Problem 1.11: Linear Interpolation

Write code to linearly interpolate between v_left and v_right using weight dx:

.12: Bilinear Weight Calculation

Problem 1.12: Bilinear Weight Calculation

Write code to calculate bilinear interpolation weight for points p and q:

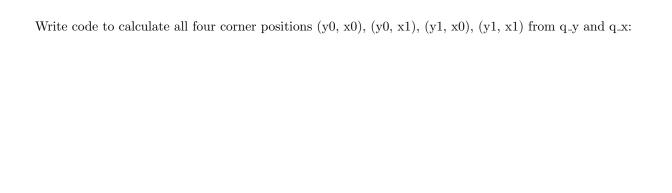
.13: Value Accumulation

Problem 1.13: Value Accumulation

Write code to accumulate weighted interpolated value to current_value using weight, mask, and interpolated:

.14: Corner Position Calculation

Problem 1.14: Corner Position Calculation



.15: Mask Application

Problem 1.15: Mask Application

Write code to apply modulation mask m_k to an interpolated value:

TASK 2: CNN PYTORCH - WRITE CODE BLOCKS
.1: Conv Layer Definition
Problem 2.1: Conv Layer Definition
Write code to define a Conv2d layer with 32 input channels, 64 output channels, kernel size 3, padding 1:
.2: BatchNorm Layer Definition
Problem 2.2: BatchNorm Layer Definition
Write code to define a BatchNorm2d layer for 128 channels:
.3: MaxPool Layer Definition
Problem 2.3: MaxPool Layer Definition
Write code to define a MaxPool2d layer that halves spatial dimensions:
.4: Linear Layer Definition
Problem 2.4: Linear Layer Definition
Write code to define a Linear layer with 4096 inputs and 512 outputs:

Problem 2.5: Dropout Layer Definition

.5: Dropout Layer Definition

Write code to define a Dropout layer with probability	y 0.5:
.6: ReLU Activation	
Problem 2.6: ReLU Activation	
Write code to apply ReLU activation to variable x:	
.7: Tensor Flattening	
Problem 2.7: Tensor Flattening	
Write code to flatten tensor \mathbf{x} while preserving batch	dimension:
.8: Device Transfer	
Problem 2.8: Device Transfer	
Write code to move tensor images to device:	
.9: Optimizer Zero Grad	
Problem 2.9: Optimizer Zero Gra	ad
Write code to clear gradients from optimizer:	

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Problem	2	10.	Forward	Pass
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Write code to perform forward pass through model with input images:

.11: Loss Calculation

Problem 2.11: Loss Calculation

Write code to calculate loss using criterion with outputs and labels:

.12: Backward Pass

Problem 2.12: Backward Pass

Write code to perform backward pass on loss:

.13: Optimizer Step

Problem 2.13: Optimizer Step

Write code to update model parameters using optimizer:

.14: Top-1 Prediction

Problem 2.14: Top-1 Prediction

Write code to get top-1 predictions from outputs:

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.15:	Accuracy	Calculation

Problem	2.15:	Accuracy	Calcu	lation
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Write code to calculate accuracy from predicted and labels tensors:

.16: Model Training Mode

Problem 2.16: Model Training Mode

Write code to set model to training mode:

.17: Model Evaluation Mode

Problem 2.17: Model Evaluation Mode

Write code to set model to evaluation mode:

.18: No Gradient Context

Problem 2.18: No Gradient Context

Write code to create context where gradients are disabled:

.19: Dataset Size Calculation

Problem 2.19: Dataset Size Calculation

Write code to calculate training size as 80% of total dataset size:

.20: Random Split

Problem 2.20: Random Split

Write code to split dataset into train_set and val_set with sizes train_size and val_size:

TASK 3: RNN - WRITE CODE BLOCKS
.1: Character Set Creation
Problem 3.1: Character Set Creation
Write code to create sorted list of unique characters from text:
.2: Character to Index Mapping
Problem 3.2: Character to Index Mapping
Write code to create dictionary mapping each character to its index:
.3: Index to Character Mapping
Problem 3.3: Index to Character Mapping
Write code to create dictionary mapping each index to its character:
.4: Input Sequence Creation
Problem 3.4: Input Sequence Creation
Write code to create input sequence (all characters except last) from text:

	.5:	Target	Sequence	Creation
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Problem 3.5:	Target	Sequence	Creation
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Write code to create target sequence (all characters except first) from text:

.6: One-Hot Vector Creation

Problem 3.6: One-Hot Vector Creation

Write code to create one-hot vector of given size with 1 at given index:

.7: Input-to-Hidden Weight Initialization

Problem 3.7: Input-to-Hidden Weight Initialization

Write code to initialize W_xh weight matrix for RNN with hidden size H and vocab size V:

.8: Hidden-to-Hidden Weight Initialization

Problem 3.8: Hidden-to-Hidden Weight Initialization

Write code to initialize W_hh weight matrix for RNN with hidden size H:

.9: Hidden Bias Initialization

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Write code to initialize bias vector b_xh for hidden layer with size H:

.10: Output Weight Initialization

Problem 3.10: Output Weight Initialization

Write code to initialize W_hy weight matrix from hidden to output with vocab size V and hidden size H:

.11: Hidden State Initialization

Problem 3.11: Hidden State Initialization

Write code to initialize hidden state vector with zeros of size H:

.12: Input Contribution Calculation

Problem 3.12: Input Contribution Calculation

Write code to calculate input contribution to hidden state using W_xh and x_t:

.13: Hidden Recurrence Calculation

Problem 3.13: Hidden Recurrence Calculation

Write code to calculate recurrent contribution to hidden state using W_h h and previous hidden state h:
.14: Hidden State Update
Problem 3.14: Hidden State Update
Write code to update hidden state using tanh activation with all contributions and biases:
.15: Output Logits Calculation
Problem 3.15: Output Logits Calculation
Write code to calculate output logits s_t from hidden state h using W_hy and b_y:
.16: Character Index Lookup
Problem 3.16: Character Index Lookup
Write code to get index of character 'e' from char2idx dictionary:
.17: Input List Creation
Problem 3.17: Input List Creation
Write code to convert input sequence to list of one-hot vectors:
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.18: Target Tensor Creation

Problem 3.18: 7	Target	Tensor	Creation
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Write code to convert target sequence to tensor of character indices:

.19: Logits Stacking

Problem 3.19: Logits Stacking

Write code to stack list of logits tensors into single tensor:

.20: Log Softmax Calculation

Problem 3.20: Log Softmax Calculation

Write code to calculate \log softmax of logits along vocabulary dimension:

.21: NLL Loss Calculation

Problem 3.21: NLL Loss Calculation

Write code to calculate negative log likelihood loss from log_probs and targets:

.22: Gradient Calculation

Problem 3.22: Gradient Calculation

Write code to calculate gradient of loss with respect to W_xh:

DATA PREPROCESSING - WRITE CODE BLOCKS

.1: CIFAR-100 Mean Values

.5: Random Crop Transform

Problem 4.1: CIFAR-100 Mean Values
Write code to define CIFAR-100 normalization mean values:
.2: CIFAR-100 Std Values
Problem 4.2: CIFAR-100 Std Values
Write code to define CIFAR-100 normalization standard deviation values:
.3: ToTensor Transform
Problem 4.3: ToTensor Transform
Write code to create ToTensor transform:
.4: Normalization Transform
Problem 4.4: Normalization Transform
Write code to create Normalize transform with CIFAR-100 mean and std:

Problem 4.5: Random Crop Transform
Write code to create RandomCrop transform with size 32 and padding 4:
.6: Random Flip Transform
Problem 4.6: Random Flip Transform
Write code to create RandomHorizontalFlip transform:
.7: Transform Composition
Problem 4.7: Transform Composition
Write code to compose multiple transforms into single transform:
write code to compose muniple transforms into single transform.
.8: CIFAR-100 Dataset Loading
Problem 4.8: CIFAR-100 Dataset Loading
Write code to load CIFAR-100 training dataset with transform:
.9: DataLoader Creation
Problem 4.9: DataLoader Creation

Write code to create DataLoader with batch size 128 and shuffle=True:

OPTIMIZATION AND TRAINING - WRITE CODE BLOCKS
.1: CrossEntropy Loss Definition
Problem 5.1: CrossEntropy Loss Definition
Write code to define CrossEntropy loss function:
.2: SGD Optimizer Definition
Problem 5.2: SGD Optimizer Definition
Write code to define SGD optimizer with learning rate 0.01 and momentum 0.9:
.3: Adam Optimizer Definition
Problem 5.3: Adam Optimizer Definition
Write code to define Adam optimizer with learning rate 0.001:
.4: Model Parameter Count
Problem 5.4: Model Parameter Count
Write code to count total number of parameters in model:

.5: Learning Rate Update

Problem	5.5:	Learning	Rate	Update
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Write code to multiply learning rate by 0.1 for all parameter groups:

.6: Model State Save

Problem 5.6: Model State Save

Write code to save model state dictionary to file 'model.pth':

.7: Model State Load

Problem 5.7: Model State Load

Write code to load model state dictionary from file 'model.pth':

.8: Gradient Clipping

Problem 5.8: Gradient Clipping

Write code to clip gradients to maximum norm of 1.0:

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.9: Top-5 Accuracy

Problem 5.9: Top-5 Accuracy

Write code to calculate top-5 accuracy from outputs and labels:

.10: Loss Item Extraction

Problem 5.10: Loss Item Extraction

Write code to extract scalar value from loss tensor:

DEBUGGING AND UTILITIES - WRITE CODE BLOCKS

.1: Tensor Shape Check
Problem 6.1: Tensor Shape Check
Write code to print shape of tensor x:
.2: Tensor Device Check
Problem 6.2: Tensor Device Check
Write code to check which device tensor x is on:
.3: Model Device Transfer Device Transfer
Problem 6.3: Model Device Transfer
Write code to move entire model to GPU:
.4: Gradient Existence Check
Problem 6.4: Gradient Existence Check
Write code to check if parameter has gradients:
.5: Memory Usage Check
Problem 6.5: Memory Usage Check

Write code to check CUDA memory usage:
.6: Random Seed Setting
Problem 6.6: Random Seed Setting
Write code to set PyTorch random seed to 42:
.7: Numpy Seed Setting
Problem 6.7: Numpy Seed Setting
Write code to set numpy random seed to 42:
.8: Model Summary
Problem 6.8: Model Summary
Write code to print model architecture:
.9: Batch Dimension Check
Problem 6.9: Batch Dimension Check
Write code to get batch size from tensor x:

Problem 6.10: Tensor Type Conversion

Write code to convert tensor $\mathbf x$ to float type:

ANSWER BANK

Task 1 - Deformable CNN Answers:

Problem Task 1 - Deformable CNN Answers:

```
1.1: y0 = int(np.floor(q_y))
1.2: x1 = int(np.ceil(q_x))
1.3: k = kh * K_w + kw
1.4: delta_y = delta[n, 2 * k, h_out, w_out]
1.5: delta_x = delta[n, 2 * k + 1, h_out, w_out]
1.6: h_start = h_out * stride
1.7: sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + delta_y
1.8: if 0 <= y < H and 0 <= x < W:
1.9: value = img[y, x] if (0 <= y < H and 0 <= x < W) else 0.0
1.10: dx = q_x - x0
1.11: result = v_left * (1 - dx) + v_right * dx
1.12: weight = (1 - abs(p_x - q_x)) * (1 - abs(p_y - q_y))
1.13: current_value += weight * mask * interpolated
1.14: y0, x0 = int(np.floor(q_y)), int(np.floor(q_x))
y1, x1 = y0 + 1, x0 + 1
1.15: modulated_value = m_k * interpolated_value
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Problem Task 2 - CNN PyTorch Answers:

Task 2 - CNN PyTorch Answers:

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2.1: self.conv = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
2.2: self.bn = nn.BatchNorm2d(128)
2.3: self.pool = nn.MaxPool2d(2, 2)
2.4: self.fc = nn.Linear(4096, 512)
2.5: self.dropout = nn.Dropout(0.5)
2.6: x = F.relu(x)
2.7: x = x.view(x.size(0), -1)
2.8: images = images.to(device)
2.9: optimizer.zero_grad()
2.10: outputs = model(images)
2.11: loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
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2.12: loss.backward()
2.13: optimizer.step()
2.14: _, predicted = torch.max(outputs, 1)
2.15: accuracy = (predicted == labels).sum().item() / labels.size(0) * 100
2.16: model.train()
2.17: model.eval()
2.18: with torch.no_grad():
2.19: train_size = int(0.8 * len(dataset))
2.20: train_set, val_set = random_split(dataset, [train_size, val_size])
Task 3 - RNN Answers:
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Problem Task 3 - RNN Answers:

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3.1: chars = sorted(list(set(text)))
3.2: char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
3.3: idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
3.4: input\_seq = text[:-1]
3.5: target_seq = text[1:]
3.6: vec = torch.zeros(size)
vec[idx] = 1.0
3.7: W_xh = torch.randn(H, V, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
3.8: W_hh = torch.randn(H, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
3.9: b_xh = torch.zeros(H, requires_grad=True)
3.10: W_hy = torch.randn(V, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
3.11: h = torch.zeros(H)
3.12: input_contrib = W_xh @ x_t
3.13: hidden_contrib = W_hh @ h
3.14: h = torch.tanh(W_xh @ x_t + b_xh + W_hh @ h + b_hh)
3.15: s_t = W_hy @ h + b_y
3.16: idx = char2idx['e']
3.17: inputs = [one_hot(char2idx[ch], V) for ch in input_seq]
3.18: targets = torch.tensor([char2idx[ch] for ch in target_seq], dtype=torch.long)
3.19: logits = torch.stack(logits_list)
3.20: log_probs = F.log_softmax(logits, dim=1)
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3.21: loss = F.nll_loss(log_probs, targets)
3.22: grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss, W_xh, retain_graph=True)[0]
Additional Sections Answers:
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Problem Additional Sections Answers:

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4.1: mean = [0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408]
4.2: std = [0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761]
4.3: transform = transforms.ToTensor()
4.4: normalize = transforms.Normalize(mean=[0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408], std=[0.2675, 0.2565,
0.2761])
4.5: crop = transforms.RandomCrop(32, padding=4)
4.6: flip = transforms.RandomHorizontalFlip()
4.7: transform = transforms.Compose([transform1, transform2, ...])
4.8: dataset = CIFAR100(root='./data', train=True, transform=transform)
4.9: loader = DataLoader(dataset, batch_size=128, shuffle=True)
5.1: criterion = nn.CrossEntropyLoss()
5.2: optimizer = optim.SGD(model.parameters(), lr=0.01, momentum=0.9)
5.3: optimizer = optim.Adam(model.parameters(), lr=0.001)
5.4: total_params = sum(p.numel() for p in model.parameters())
5.5: for param_group in optimizer.param_groups: param_group['lr'] *= 0.1
5.6: torch.save(model.state_dict(), 'model.pth')
5.7: model.load_state_dict(torch.load('model.pth'))
5.8: torch.nn.utils.clip_grad_norm_(model.parameters(), 1.0)
5.9: _, top5_pred = outputs.topk(5, dim=1)
top5_acc = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).expand_as(top5_pred)).sum().item()
5.10: loss_value = loss.item()
6.1: print(x.shape)
6.2: print(x.device)
6.3: model = model.to('cuda')
6.4: if param.grad is not None:
6.5: print(torch.cuda.memory_allocated())
6.6: torch.manual_seed(42)
6.7: np.random.seed(42)
6.8: print(model)
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6.9: batch_size = x.size(0)
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6.10: x = x.float()

Additional Answers

Problem Additional Answers

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C1: 32 x 32, C2: 8 x 8, C3: 4096, C4: 73856, C5: 256
```

S1: numpy, torch.nn, F, transforms

S2: nn.Module, super

S3: def forward(self, x)

S4: nn.CrossEntropyLoss()

S5: optim.SGD(model.parameters(), lr=0.01, momentum=0.9)

M1: x = self.dropout(x) if self.training else x

M2: for param_group in optimizer.param_groups: param_group['lr'] *= 0.1

M3: torch.save(model.state_dict(), 'model.pth')

M4: outputs = model(images.to(device))

ADVANCED DEFORMABLE CNN OPERATIONS

D1
Problem D1
Write code to calculate output dimensions after deformable convolution:
D2
Problem D2
Write code to pad input tensor with zeros on all sides by padding amount:
D3
Problem D3
Write code to initialize output tensor for deformable convolution with correct shape:
D4
Problem D4
Write code to extract four corner values for bilinear interpolation given positions:

D5
Problem D5
Write code to apply dilation to kernel position in deformable convolution:
D6
Problem D6
Write code to accumulate convolution result across all input channels:
D7
Problem D7
Write code to validate that sampling position is fractional:
D8

Problem D8

Write code to compute weighted sum for deformable convolution at one position:

ADVANCED CNN OPERATIONS

A1
Problem A1
Write code to calculate receptive field size after multiple conv layers:
A2
Problem A2
Write code to implement skip connection (residual connection):
A3
Problem A3
Write code to apply different transforms for training vs validation:
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A4
Problem A4
Write code to calculate model memory usage:

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Write code to freeze specific layers during training:

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Problem A6

Write code to implement learning rate scheduling:

A7

Problem A7

Write code to calculate class-wise accuracy:

A8

Problem A8

Write code to implement early stopping condition:

A9

Problem A9

Write code to apply different dropout rates for different layers:

A10

Problem A10

Write code to implement gradient accumulation for large batches:

ADVANCED RNN OPERATIONS

R1
Problem R1
Write code to handle variable length sequences in RNN:
With the code to handle variable length sequences in 10.11
R2
Problem R2
Write code to implement bidirectional RNN forward pass:
R3
Problem R3
Write code to calculate perplexity from RNN loss:
R4
Problem R4
Write code to implement teacher forcing during training:

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Write code to generate text using trained RNN:

R6

Problem R6

Write code to implement attention mechanism for RNN:

R7

Problem R7

Write code to handle padding in RNN sequences:

R8

Problem R8

Write code to implement LSTM cell from scratch:

R9

Problem R9

Write code to calculate gradient flow through time steps:

R10

Problem R10

Write code to implement sequence-to-sequence mapping:

ERROR HANDLING AND DEBUGGING

Problem E1
Write code to check if tensors are on the same device:
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Problem E2
Write code to handle CUDA out of memory error:
E3
Problem E3
Write code to validate input tensor shapes before processing:
E4
Problem E4
Write code to check for NaN values in gradients:

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Write code to log training progress every N steps:

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Problem E6

Write code to handle empty batch gracefully:

E7

Problem E7

Write code to validate model output dimensions:

E8

Problem E8

Write code to catch and handle gradient explosion:

E9

Problem E9

Write code to verify learning rate is positive:

E10

Problem E10

Write code to check if model is in correct mode for evaluation:

MODEL EVALUATION AND METRICS

V1
Problem V1
Write code to calculate precision for multi-class classification:
V2
Problem V2
Write code to calculate recall for specific class:
V3
Problem V3
Write code to compute F1-score from precision and recall:
V4
Problem V4
Write code to create confusion matrix:

V5
Problem V5
Write code to calculate mean average precision:
V6
Problem V6
Write code to implement cross-validation split:
V7
Problem V7
Write code to calculate model inference time:

V8

Problem V8

Write code to compute per-class accuracy:

V9

Problem V9

Write code to calculate balanced accuracy:

V10

Problem V10

Write code to evaluate model on subset of classes:

DATA LOADING VARIATIONS

L1
Problem L1
Write code to create weighted sampler for imbalanced dataset:
L2 Duahlam I 2
Problem L2
Write code to implement custom collate function:
L3
Problem L3
Write code to handle corrupted data samples:
L4
Problem L4

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Write code to implement data augmentation pipeline:

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Write code to create stratified train/val split:

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Problem L6

Write code to implement multi-scale image loading:

L7

Problem L7

Write code to balance dataset using oversampling:

L8

Problem L8

Write code to implement k-fold cross validation data split:

L9

Problem L9

Write code to create data loader with custom worker init:

L10

Problem L10

Write code to implement online data augmentation:

OPTIMIZATION TECHNIQUES

O1
Problem O1
Write code to implement cosine annealing learning rate:
O2
Problem O2
Write code to add L1 regularization to loss:
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Problem O3
Write code to implement momentum SGD from scratch:
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Problem O4
Write code to apply different learning rates to different layers:

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Write code to implement AdamW optimizer setup:

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Problem O6

Write code to implement linear warmup schedule:

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Problem O7

Write code to add noise to gradients:

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Problem O8

Write code to implement cyclical learning rates:

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Problem O9

Write code to calculate effective learning rate:

O10

Problem O10

Write code to implement gradient centralization:

TENSOR OPERATIONS				
T1				
Problem T1				
Write code to reshape tensor while preserving total elements:				
T2				
Problem T2				
Write code to concatenate tensors along specific dimension:				
T3				
Problem T3				
Write code to split tensor into equal chunks:				
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Problem T4

Write code to transpose last two dimensions:

T5

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Write code to compute element-wise maximum of two tensors:

T6

Problem T6

Write code to select top-k elements along dimension:

T7

Problem T7

Write code to create mask for padding tokens:

Т8

Problem T8

Write code to compute pairwise distances between vectors:

Т9

Problem T9

Write code to normalize tensor to unit length:

T10

Problem T10

Write code to apply sliding window operation:

MEMORY AND PERFORMANCE

P1
Problem P1
Write code to enable mixed precision training:
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P2
Problem P2
Write code to clear GPU cache:
P3
Problem P3
Write code to profile memory usage:
P4
Problem P4
Write code to implement checkpointing for memory efficiency:

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Write code to use torch.no $_grad() for inference: \\$

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Problem P6

Write code to pin memory for faster data loading:

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Problem P7

Write code to set number of threads for CPU operations:

P8

Problem P8

Write code to benchmark model inference speed:

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Problem P9

Write code to implement gradient checkpointing:

P10

Problem P10

Write code to optimize model for inference:

EXTENDED ANSWER BANK

Advanced Deformable CNN Answers:

Problem Advanced Deformable CNN Answers:

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D1: H_out = (H_in + 2*padding - dilation*(K_h-1) - 1) // stride + 1

D2: padded_input = F.pad(input, (padding, padding, padding, padding))

D3: output = np.zeros((N, C_out, H_out, W_out), dtype=np.float32)

D4: v_00, v_01 = get_pixel(img, y0, x0), get_pixel(img, y0, x1)

v_10, v_11 = get_pixel(img, y1, x0), get_pixel(img, y1, x1)

D5: dilated_pos_y = h_start + kh * dilation

D6: for c_in in range(C_in): value += weight[c_out, c_in, kh, kw] * interpolated[c_in]

D7: assert sample_y != int(sample_y) or sample_x != int(sample_x)

D8: result = sum(w[k] * m[k] * bilinear_interp(input, pos[k]) for k in range(K))

Advanced CNN Answers:
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Problem Advanced CNN Answers:

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A1: receptive_field = ((kernel_size - 1) * dilation + 1)

A2: x = F.relu(self.conv(x) + x) # residual connection

A3: transform = train_transform if self.training else val_transform

A4: memory_usage = sum(p.numel() * p.element_size() for p in model.parameters())

A5: for param in model.layer.parameters(): param.requires_grad = False

A6: scheduler.step(); current_lr = scheduler.get_last_lr()[0]

A7: per_class_acc = [(pred==i).sum()/(labels==i).sum() for i in range(num_classes)]

A8: if val_loss > best_loss + patience_delta: stop_training = True

A9: self.dropout1 = nn.Dropout(0.2); self.dropout2 = nn.Dropout(0.5)

A10: if (step + 1) % accumulation_steps == 0: optimizer.step(); optimizer.zero_grad()

Advanced RNN Answers:
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Problem Advanced RNN Answers:

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R1: packed_seq = nn.utils.rnn.pack_padded_sequence(x, lengths, batch_first=True)

R2: h_forward = rnn_forward(x); h_backward = rnn_backward(x[:,::-1])

R3: perplexity = torch.exp(loss)

R4: decoder_input = target[:-1] if training else previous_output

R5: with torch.no_grad(): output = model.generate(start_token, max_length)

R6: attention_weights = F.softmax(torch.matmul(query, keys.T), dim=-1)
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R7: mask = (sequence != pad_token).float().unsqueeze(-1)

R8: f_gate = torch.sigmoid(W_f @ x + U_f @ h + b_f)

R9: grad_h = torch.autograd.grad(loss, hidden_states, retain_graph=True)

R10: decoder_output = decoder(encoder_output, target_sequence)

Additional Sections Available Upon Request...
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Problem Additional Sections Available Upon Request...

CENG403 - Spring 2025: Homework set Write Code Blocks Practice

Your Name

TASK 1: DEFORMABLE CNN - WRITE CODE BLOCKS

.1: Floor Operation

.4: Y Offset Extraction

w_out):

Problem 1.4: Y Offset Extraction

Problem 1.1: Floor Operation
Write code to get the floor of a float value q _{-y} and store it in y0:
.2: Ceiling Operation
Problem 1.2: Ceiling Operation
Write code to get the ceiling of a float value q_x and store it in x1:
.3: Kernel Index Calculation
Problem 1.3: Kernel Index Calculation
Write code to calculate linear kernel index from 2D position (kh, kw) with kernel width K_w:

Write code to extract Y offset from delta tensor for batch n, kernel index k, output position (h_out,

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Write code to extract X offset from delta tensor for batch n, kernel index k, output position (h_out, w_out):

.6: Base Position Calculation

Problem 1.6: Base Position Calculation

Write code to calculate base sampling position h_start from output position h_out and stride:

.7: Final Sampling Position

Problem 1.7: Final Sampling Position

Write code to calculate final sampling position sample_y from h_start, kh, dilation, and delta_y:

.8: Bounds Check Condition

Problem 1.8: Bounds Check Condition

Write code to check if coordinates (y, x) are within image bounds (H, W):

.9: Safe Pixel Access

Problem 1.9: Safe Pixel Access

Write code to get pixel value at (y, x) from image img, returning 0.0 if out of bounds:

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Problem	1.10:	Fractional	Part	Calculati	on
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Write code to calculate fractional part dx from q_x and its floor x0:

.11: Linear Interpolation

Problem 1.11: Linear Interpolation

Write code to linearly interpolate between v_left and v_right using weight dx:

.12: Bilinear Weight Calculation

Problem 1.12: Bilinear Weight Calculation

Write code to calculate bilinear interpolation weight for points p and q:

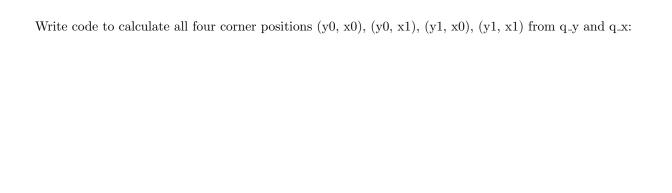
.13: Value Accumulation

Problem 1.13: Value Accumulation

Write code to accumulate weighted interpolated value to current_value using weight, mask, and interpolated:

.14: Corner Position Calculation

Problem 1.14: Corner Position Calculation



.15: Mask Application

Problem 1.15: Mask Application

Write code to apply modulation mask m_k to an interpolated value:

TASK 2: CNN PYTORCH - WRITE CODE BLOCKS
.1: Conv Layer Definition
Problem 2.1: Conv Layer Definition
Write code to define a Conv2d layer with 32 input channels, 64 output channels, kernel size 3, padding 1:
.2: BatchNorm Layer Definition
Problem 2.2: BatchNorm Layer Definition
Write code to define a BatchNorm2d layer for 128 channels:
.3: MaxPool Layer Definition
Problem 2.3: MaxPool Layer Definition
Write code to define a MaxPool2d layer that halves spatial dimensions:
.4: Linear Layer Definition
Problem 2.4: Linear Layer Definition
Write code to define a Linear layer with 4096 inputs and 512 outputs:

Problem 2.5: Dropout Layer Definition

.5: Dropout Layer Definition

Write code to define a Dropout layer with probability	y 0.5:
.6: ReLU Activation	
Problem 2.6: ReLU Activation	
Write code to apply ReLU activation to variable x:	
.7: Tensor Flattening	
Problem 2.7: Tensor Flattening	
Write code to flatten tensor \mathbf{x} while preserving batch	dimension:
.8: Device Transfer	
Problem 2.8: Device Transfer	
Write code to move tensor images to device:	
.9: Optimizer Zero Grad	
Problem 2.9: Optimizer Zero Gra	ad
Write code to clear gradients from optimizer:	

10.	Forward	Pagg
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Write code to perform forward pass through model with input images:

.11: Loss Calculation

Problem 2.11: Loss Calculation

Write code to calculate loss using criterion with outputs and labels:

.12: Backward Pass

Problem 2.12: Backward Pass

Write code to perform backward pass on loss:

.13: Optimizer Step

Problem 2.13: Optimizer Step

Write code to update model parameters using optimizer:

.14: Top-1 Prediction

Problem 2.14: Top-1 Prediction

Write code to get top-1 predictions from outputs:

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.15:	Accuracy	Calculation

Problem	2.15:	Accuracy	Calcu	lation
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Write code to calculate accuracy from predicted and labels tensors:

.16: Model Training Mode

Problem 2.16: Model Training Mode

Write code to set model to training mode:

.17: Model Evaluation Mode

Problem 2.17: Model Evaluation Mode

Write code to set model to evaluation mode:

.18: No Gradient Context

Problem 2.18: No Gradient Context

Write code to create context where gradients are disabled:

.19: Dataset Size Calculation

Problem 2.19: Dataset Size Calculation

Write code to calculate training size as 80% of total dataset size:

.20: Random Split

Problem 2.20: Random Split

Write code to split dataset into train_set and val_set with sizes train_size and val_size:

TASK 3: RNN - WRITE CODE BLOCKS
.1: Character Set Creation
Problem 3.1: Character Set Creation
Write code to create sorted list of unique characters from text:
.2: Character to Index Mapping
Problem 3.2: Character to Index Mapping
Write code to create dictionary mapping each character to its index:
.3: Index to Character Mapping
Problem 3.3: Index to Character Mapping
Write code to create dictionary mapping each index to its character:
.4: Input Sequence Creation
Problem 3.4: Input Sequence Creation
Write code to create input sequence (all characters except last) from text:

	.5:	Target	Sequence	Creation
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Problem 3.5:	Target	Sequence	Creation
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Write code to create target sequence (all characters except first) from text:

.6: One-Hot Vector Creation

Problem 3.6: One-Hot Vector Creation

Write code to create one-hot vector of given size with 1 at given index:

.7: Input-to-Hidden Weight Initialization

Problem 3.7: Input-to-Hidden Weight Initialization

Write code to initialize W_xh weight matrix for RNN with hidden size H and vocab size V:

.8: Hidden-to-Hidden Weight Initialization

Problem 3.8: Hidden-to-Hidden Weight Initialization

Write code to initialize W_hh weight matrix for RNN with hidden size H:

.9: Hidden Bias Initialization

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Write code to initialize bias vector b_xh for hidden layer with size H:

.10: Output Weight Initialization

Problem 3.10: Output Weight Initialization

Write code to initialize W_hy weight matrix from hidden to output with vocab size V and hidden size H:

.11: Hidden State Initialization

Problem 3.11: Hidden State Initialization

Write code to initialize hidden state vector with zeros of size H:

.12: Input Contribution Calculation

Problem 3.12: Input Contribution Calculation

Write code to calculate input contribution to hidden state using W_xh and x_t:

.13: Hidden Recurrence Calculation

Problem 3.13: Hidden Recurrence Calculation

Write code to calculate recurrent contribution to hidden state using W_h and previous hidden state h:
.14: Hidden State Update
Problem 3.14: Hidden State Update
Write code to update hidden state using tanh activation with all contributions and biases:
.15: Output Logits Calculation
Problem 3.15: Output Logits Calculation
Write code to calculate output logits s_t from hidden state h using W_hy and b_y:
.16: Character Index Lookup
Problem 3.16: Character Index Lookup
Write code to get index of character 'e' from char2idx dictionary:
.17: Input List Creation
Problem 3.17: Input List Creation
Write code to convert input sequence to list of one-hot vectors:
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.18: Target Tensor Creation

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Write code to convert target sequence to tensor of character indices:

.19: Logits Stacking

Problem 3.19: Logits Stacking

Write code to stack list of logits tensors into single tensor:

.20: Log Softmax Calculation

Problem 3.20: Log Softmax Calculation

Write code to calculate \log softmax of logits along vocabulary dimension:

.21: NLL Loss Calculation

Problem 3.21: NLL Loss Calculation

Write code to calculate negative log likelihood loss from log_probs and targets:

.22: Gradient Calculation

Problem 3.22: Gradient Calculation

Write code to calculate gradient of loss with respect to W_xh:

DATA PREPROCESSING - WRITE CODE BLOCKS

.1: CIFAR-100 Mean Values

.5: Random Crop Transform

Problem 4.1: CIFAR-100 Mean Values
Write code to define CIFAR-100 normalization mean values:
.2: CIFAR-100 Std Values
Problem 4.2: CIFAR-100 Std Values
Write code to define CIFAR-100 normalization standard deviation values:
.3: ToTensor Transform
Problem 4.3: ToTensor Transform
Write code to create ToTensor transform:
.4: Normalization Transform
Problem 4.4: Normalization Transform
Write code to create Normalize transform with CIFAR-100 mean and std:

Problem 4.5: Random Crop Transform
Write code to create RandomCrop transform with size 32 and padding 4:
.6: Random Flip Transform
Problem 4.6: Random Flip Transform
Write code to create RandomHorizontalFlip transform:
.7: Transform Composition
Problem 4.7: Transform Composition
Write code to compose multiple transforms into single transform:
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.8: CIFAR-100 Dataset Loading
Problem 4.8: CIFAR-100 Dataset Loading
Write code to load CIFAR-100 training dataset with transform:
.9: DataLoader Creation
Problem 4.9: DataLoader Creation

Write code to create DataLoader with batch size 128 and shuffle=True:

OPTIMIZATION AND TRAINING - WRITE CODE BLOCKS
.1: CrossEntropy Loss Definition
Problem 5.1: CrossEntropy Loss Definition
Write code to define CrossEntropy loss function:
.2: SGD Optimizer Definition
Problem 5.2: SGD Optimizer Definition
Write code to define SGD optimizer with learning rate 0.01 and momentum 0.9:
.3: Adam Optimizer Definition
Problem 5.3: Adam Optimizer Definition
Write code to define Adam optimizer with learning rate 0.001:
.4: Model Parameter Count
Problem 5.4: Model Parameter Count
Write code to count total number of parameters in model:

.5: Learning Rate Update

Problem	5.5:	Learning	Rate	Update
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Write code to multiply learning rate by 0.1 for all parameter groups:

.6: Model State Save

Problem 5.6: Model State Save

Write code to save model state dictionary to file 'model.pth':

.7: Model State Load

Problem 5.7: Model State Load

Write code to load model state dictionary from file 'model.pth':

.8: Gradient Clipping

Problem 5.8: Gradient Clipping

Write code to clip gradients to maximum norm of 1.0:

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.9: Top-5 Accuracy

Problem 5.9: Top-5 Accuracy

Write code to calculate top-5 accuracy from outputs and labels:

.10: Loss Item Extraction

Problem 5.10: Loss Item Extraction

Write code to extract scalar value from loss tensor:

DEBUGGING AND UTILITIES - WRITE CODE BLOCKS

.1: Tensor Shape Check
Problem 6.1: Tensor Shape Check
Write code to print shape of tensor x:
.2: Tensor Device Check
Problem 6.2: Tensor Device Check
Write code to check which device tensor x is on:
.3: Model Device Transfer Device Transfer
Problem 6.3: Model Device Transfer
Write code to move entire model to GPU:
.4: Gradient Existence Check
Problem 6.4: Gradient Existence Check
Write code to check if parameter has gradients:
.5: Memory Usage Check
Problem 6.5: Memory Usage Check

Write code to check CUDA memory usage:
.6: Random Seed Setting
Problem 6.6: Random Seed Setting
Write code to set PyTorch random seed to 42:
.7: Numpy Seed Setting
Problem 6.7: Numpy Seed Setting
Write code to set numpy random seed to 42:
.8: Model Summary
Problem 6.8: Model Summary
Write code to print model architecture:
.9: Batch Dimension Check
Problem 6.9: Batch Dimension Check
Write code to get batch size from tensor x:

Problem 6.10: Tensor Type Conversion

Write code to convert tensor $\mathbf x$ to float type:

ANSWER BANK

Task 1 - Deformable CNN Answers:

Problem Task 1 - Deformable CNN Answers:

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1.1: y0 = int(np.floor(q_y))
1.2: x1 = int(np.ceil(q_x))
1.3: k = kh * K_w + kw
1.4: delta_y = delta[n, 2 * k, h_out, w_out]
1.5: delta_x = delta[n, 2 * k + 1, h_out, w_out]
1.6: h_start = h_out * stride
1.7: sample_y = h_start + kh * dilation + delta_y
1.8: if 0 <= y < H and 0 <= x < W:
1.9: value = img[y, x] if (0 <= y < H and 0 <= x < W) else 0.0
1.10: dx = q_x - x0
1.11: result = v_left * (1 - dx) + v_right * dx
1.12: weight = (1 - abs(p_x - q_x)) * (1 - abs(p_y - q_y))
1.13: current_value += weight * mask * interpolated
1.14: y0, x0 = int(np.floor(q_y)), int(np.floor(q_x))
y1, x1 = y0 + 1, x0 + 1
1.15: modulated_value = m_k * interpolated_value
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Task 2 - CNN PyTorch Answers:

Problem Task 2 - CNN PyTorch Answers:

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2.1: self.conv = nn.Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=3, padding=1)
2.2: self.bn = nn.BatchNorm2d(128)
2.3: self.pool = nn.MaxPool2d(2, 2)
2.4: self.fc = nn.Linear(4096, 512)
2.5: self.dropout = nn.Dropout(0.5)
2.6: x = F.relu(x)
2.7: x = x.view(x.size(0), -1)
2.8: images = images.to(device)
2.9: optimizer.zero_grad()
2.10: outputs = model(images)
2.11: loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
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2.12: loss.backward()
2.13: optimizer.step()
2.14: _, predicted = torch.max(outputs, 1)
2.15: accuracy = (predicted == labels).sum().item() / labels.size(0) * 100
2.16: model.train()
2.17: model.eval()
2.18: with torch.no_grad():
2.19: train_size = int(0.8 * len(dataset))
2.20: train_set, val_set = random_split(dataset, [train_size, val_size])
Task 3 - RNN Answers:
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Problem Task 3 - RNN Answers:

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3.1: chars = sorted(list(set(text)))
3.2: char2idx = {ch: i for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
3.3: idx2char = {i: ch for i, ch in enumerate(chars)}
3.4: input\_seq = text[:-1]
3.5: target_seq = text[1:]
3.6: vec = torch.zeros(size)
vec[idx] = 1.0
3.7: W_xh = torch.randn(H, V, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
3.8: W_hh = torch.randn(H, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
3.9: b_xh = torch.zeros(H, requires_grad=True)
3.10: W_hy = torch.randn(V, H, requires_grad=True) * 0.1
3.11: h = torch.zeros(H)
3.12: input_contrib = W_xh @ x_t
3.13: hidden_contrib = W_hh @ h
3.14: h = torch.tanh(W_xh @ x_t + b_xh + W_hh @ h + b_hh)
3.15: s_t = W_hy @ h + b_y
3.16: idx = char2idx['e']
3.17: inputs = [one_hot(char2idx[ch], V) for ch in input_seq]
3.18: targets = torch.tensor([char2idx[ch] for ch in target_seq], dtype=torch.long)
3.19: logits = torch.stack(logits_list)
3.20: log_probs = F.log_softmax(logits, dim=1)
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3.21: loss = F.nll_loss(log_probs, targets)
3.22: grad_W_xh = torch.autograd.grad(loss, W_xh, retain_graph=True)[0]
Additional Sections Answers:
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Problem Additional Sections Answers:

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4.1: mean = [0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408]
4.2: std = [0.2675, 0.2565, 0.2761]
4.3: transform = transforms.ToTensor()
4.4: normalize = transforms.Normalize(mean=[0.5071, 0.4867, 0.4408], std=[0.2675, 0.2565,
0.2761])
4.5: crop = transforms.RandomCrop(32, padding=4)
4.6: flip = transforms.RandomHorizontalFlip()
4.7: transform = transforms.Compose([transform1, transform2, ...])
4.8: dataset = CIFAR100(root='./data', train=True, transform=transform)
4.9: loader = DataLoader(dataset, batch_size=128, shuffle=True)
5.1: criterion = nn.CrossEntropyLoss()
5.2: optimizer = optim.SGD(model.parameters(), lr=0.01, momentum=0.9)
5.3: optimizer = optim.Adam(model.parameters(), lr=0.001)
5.4: total_params = sum(p.numel() for p in model.parameters())
5.5: for param_group in optimizer.param_groups: param_group['lr'] *= 0.1
5.6: torch.save(model.state_dict(), 'model.pth')
5.7: model.load_state_dict(torch.load('model.pth'))
5.8: torch.nn.utils.clip_grad_norm_(model.parameters(), 1.0)
5.9: _, top5_pred = outputs.topk(5, dim=1)
top5_acc = top5_pred.eq(labels.view(-1, 1).expand_as(top5_pred)).sum().item()
5.10: loss_value = loss.item()
6.1: print(x.shape)
6.2: print(x.device)
6.3: model = model.to('cuda')
6.4: if param.grad is not None:
6.5: print(torch.cuda.memory_allocated())
6.6: torch.manual_seed(42)
6.7: np.random.seed(42)
6.8: print(model)
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6.9: batch_size = x.size(0)
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6.10: x = x.float()

Additional Answers

Problem Additional Answers

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C1: 32 x 32, C2: 8 x 8, C3: 4096, C4: 73856, C5: 256
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S1: numpy, torch.nn, F, transforms

S2: nn.Module, super

S3: def forward(self, x)

S4: nn.CrossEntropyLoss()

S5: optim.SGD(model.parameters(), lr=0.01, momentum=0.9)

M1: x = self.dropout(x) if self.training else x

M2: for param_group in optimizer.param_groups: param_group['lr'] *= 0.1

M3: torch.save(model.state_dict(), 'model.pth')

M4: outputs = model(images.to(device))

M5: correct = (predicted == labels).sum().item()