#### Ex.1

Count the number of parameters in the previously defined model.

Given n inputs and m outputs, the total number of weights is n\*m. Adding a bias for each output node, the total number of weights is (n+1)\*m.

$$32 * 32 * 3 * 100 + 100 + 100 * 10 + 10 = 308,310$$

# Ex.2

In the following examples, two transformations are applied to the train/test sets: 1. ToTensor(), 2. Normalize([0.49139968, 0.48215841, 0.44653091], [0.24703223, 0.24348513, 0.26158784]); batch size is set to 256 and Adam optimizer is used.

# Number of layers/Number of neurons per layer

#### SmallNet

 $[3072] \rightarrow [150] \rightarrow Sigmoid \rightarrow [10]$ 

Learning rate: 5e-4

Weights initialization: default

Results → Test -- Loss: 1.560, Acc: 46.95 %

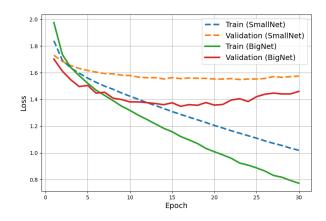
## BigNet

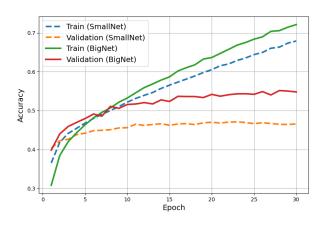
[3072] → [2500] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [1000] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [250] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [100] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [10]

Learning rate: 5e-4

Weights initialization: xavier\_normal\_/fill (0.1) → weight/bias

Results → Test -- Loss: 1.341, Acc: 54.09 %



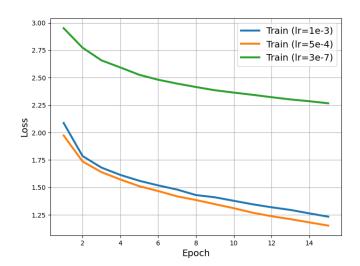


## **Learning rate**

#### <u>BigNet</u>

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[3072] → [2500] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [1000] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [250] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [100] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [10] Learning rate: 1e-3, 5e-4, 3e-7 Weights initialization: xavier_normal_/fill_(0.1) → weight/bias Epochs: 15

Results (lr=1e-3) → Test -- Loss: 1.374, Acc: 52.33 % Results (lr=5e-4) → Test -- Loss: 1.331, Acc: 53.63 % Results (lr=3e-7) → Test -- Loss: 2.009, Acc: 29.25 %
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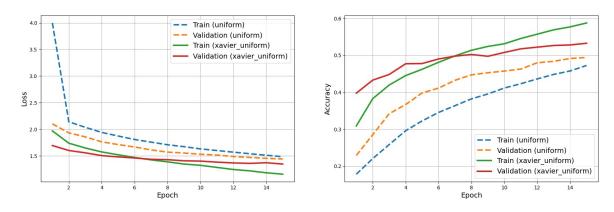


# Weights Initialization

#### <u>BigNet</u>

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[3072] → [2500] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [1000] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [250] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [100] → ReLU → Dropout(0.3) → [10] Learning rate: 5e-4
Weights initialization n. 1: uniform_(-0.12, 0.12)/constant_(0.01) → weight/bias
Weights initialization n. 2: xavier_uniform_/constant_(0.01) → weight/bias
Epochs: 15

Results (WI1) → Test -- Loss: 1.419, Acc: 50.95 %
Results (WI2) → Test -- Loss: 1.332, Acc: 53.88 %
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# **Dropout**

# <u>BigNet</u>

[3072] → [2500] → ReLU → Dropout(X) → [1000] → ReLU → Dropout(X) → [250] → Pollu → Dropout(X) → [100] → RelU → Dropout(X) → [100]

 $ReLU \rightarrow Dropout(X) \rightarrow [100] \rightarrow ReLU \rightarrow Dropout(X) \rightarrow [10]$ 

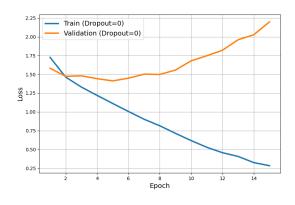
Learning rate: 5e-4

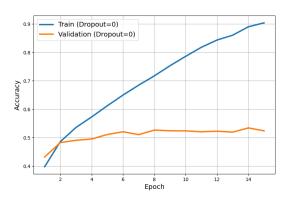
Weights initialization: xavier\_uniform\_/constant\_(0.01) → weight/bias

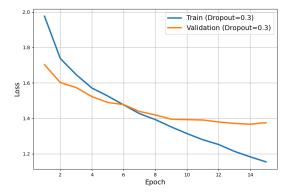
Dropout rates: 0, 0.3, 0.9

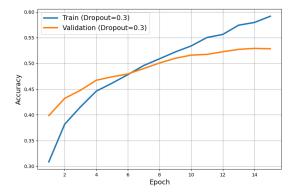
Epochs: 15

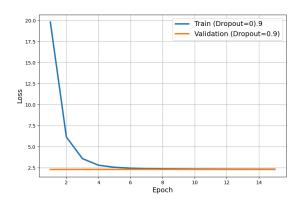
Results (Dropout=0)  $\rightarrow$  Test -- Loss: 1.387, Acc: 52.20 % Results (Dropout=0.3)  $\rightarrow$  Test -- Loss: 1.349, Acc: 53.16 % Results (Dropout=0.9)  $\rightarrow$  Test -- Loss: 2.298, Acc: 10.88 %

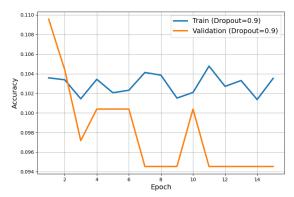












# **Activation function**

## <u>BigNet2</u>

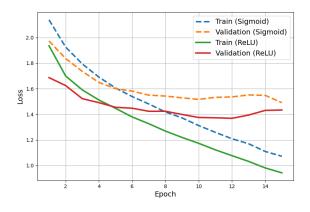
[3072] → [3000] → Act. Function → Dropout(0.2) → [2000] → Act. Function → Dropout(0.2) → [1500] → Act. Function → Dropout(0.2) → → [1000] → Act. Function → Dropout(0.2) → → [500] → Act. Function → Dropout(0.2) → → [100] → Act. Function → Dropout(0.2) → [10]

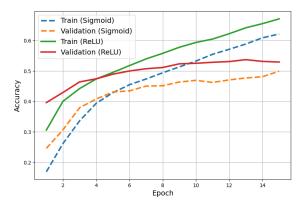
Learning rate: 5e-4

Weights initialization: xavier uniform /constant (0.01) → weight/bias

Epochs: 15

Results (Act. Function: Sigmoid) → Test -- Loss: 1.471, Acc: 50.85 % Results (Act. Function: ReLU) → Test -- Loss: 1.359, Acc: 53.18 %





# **Good Model**

[3072] → [2500] → ReLU → Dropout(0.5) → [1000] → ReLU → Dropout(0.5) → [10]

Weights initialization: xavier\_normal\_/constant\_(0.01) → weight/bias

Data Augmentation: RandomRotation(10),RandomHorizontalFlip()

Learning rate: 5e-4

Results → Test -- Loss: 1.268, Acc: 55.28 %

