

Quantum-inspired Machine Learning Using Tensor Networks

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Motivation

Tensor networks complement machine learning.

- In a classical setting:
 - Mitigates the curse of dimensionality.
- In quantum ML (QML):
 - Enables ML on NISQ hardware.

Tensor Networks

χ = bond dimension

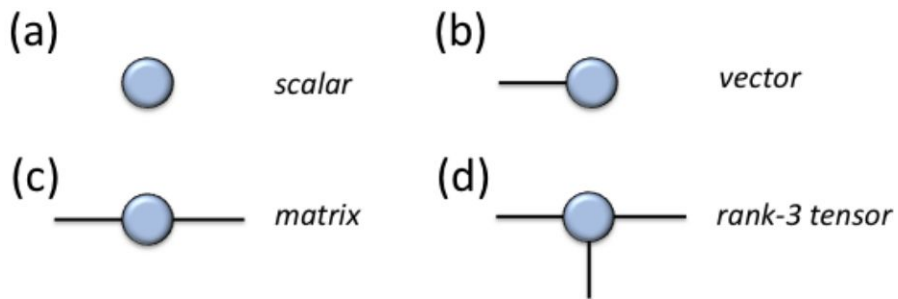
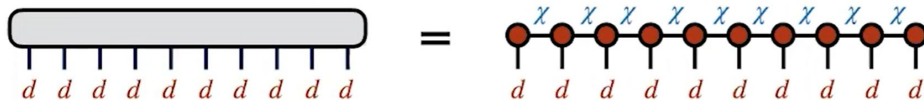


Diagram: A green circle with index i and a purple circle with index j are connected by a horizontal line. A double-headed arrow points to the mathematical expression:

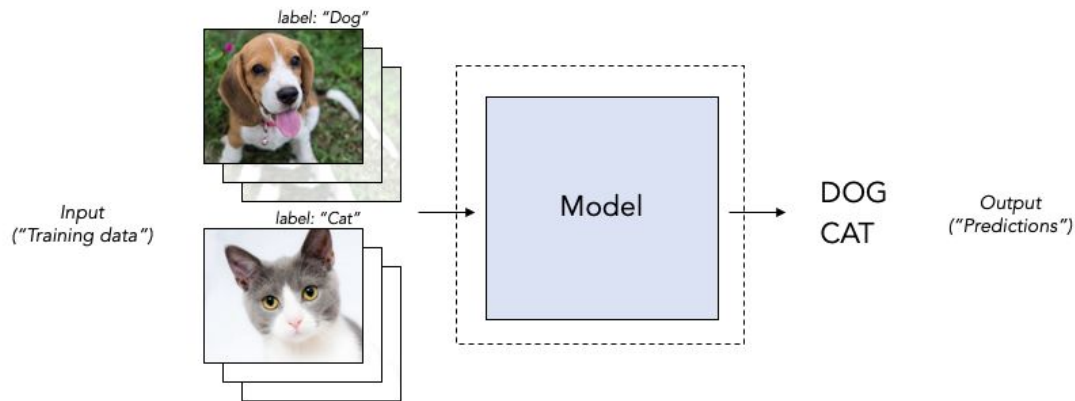
$$\sum_j M_{ij} v_j$$

The expression shows a summation over index j of the product of M_{ij} and v_j . The j in v_j is underlined.

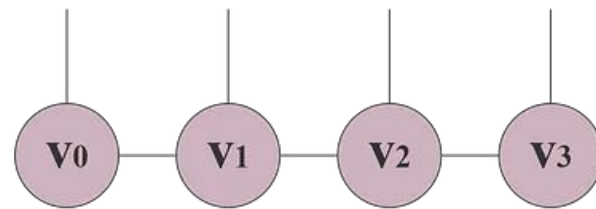


$$d^N \longrightarrow N d \chi^2$$

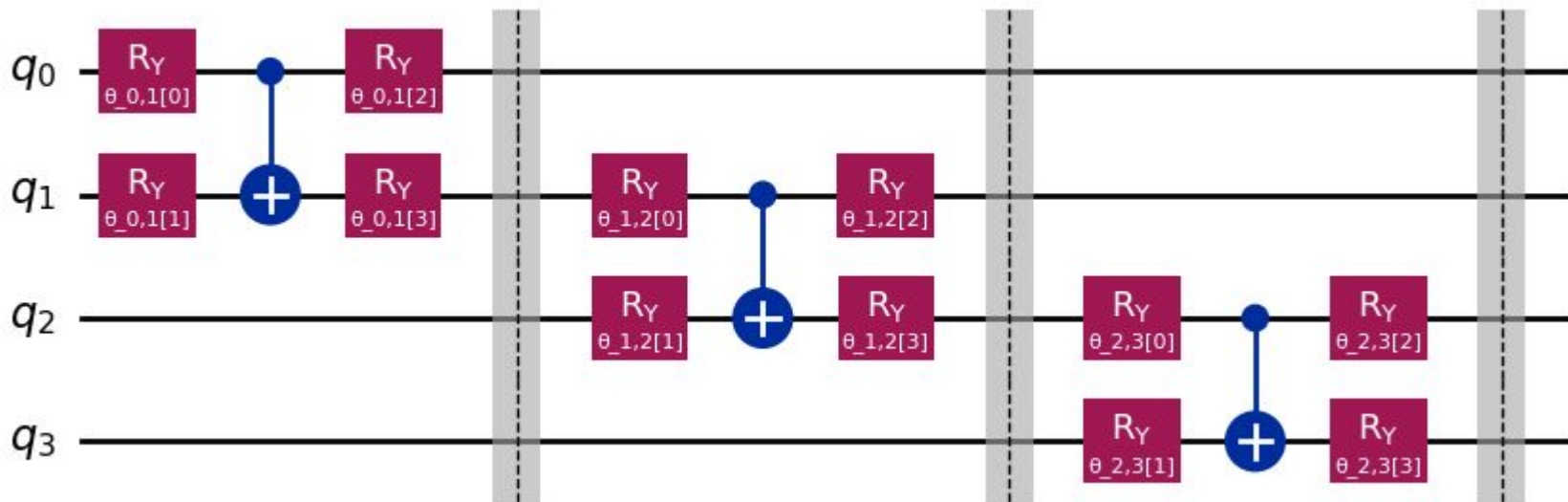
Our Implementation of TNs



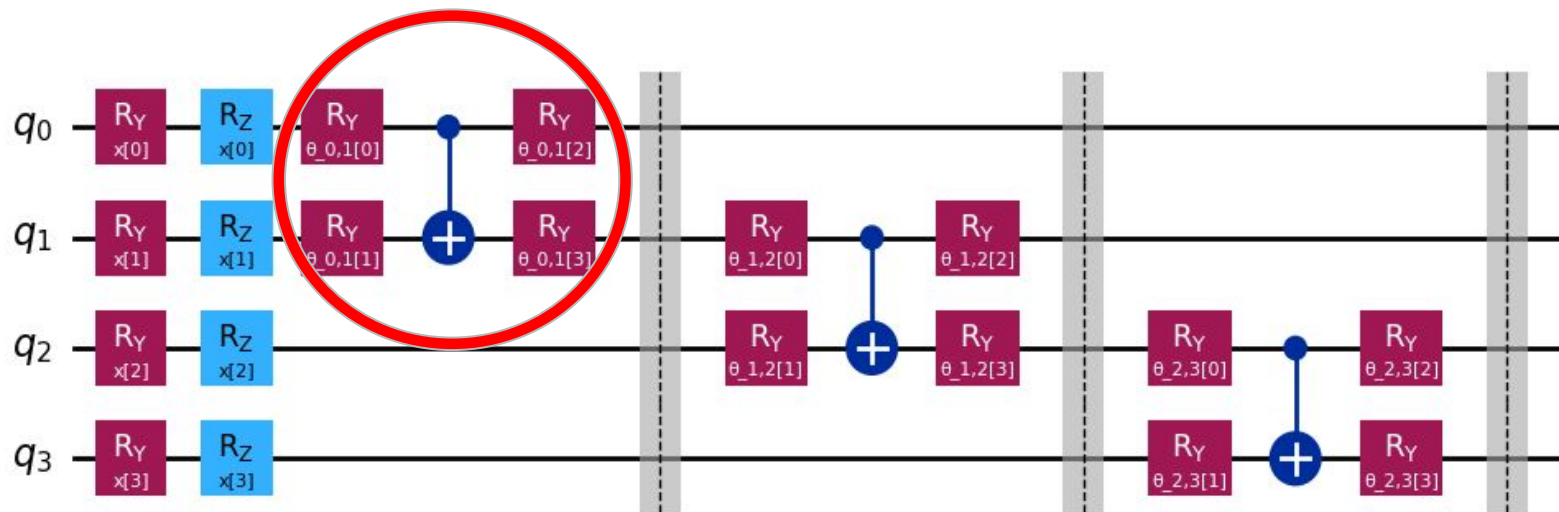
MPS Conversion



MPS

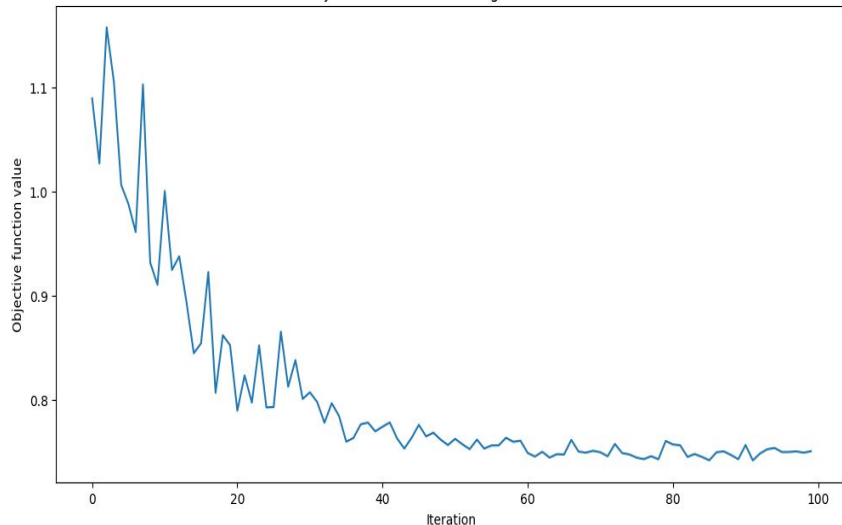


QNN using MPS



QNN Noisy Results

Objective function value against iteration

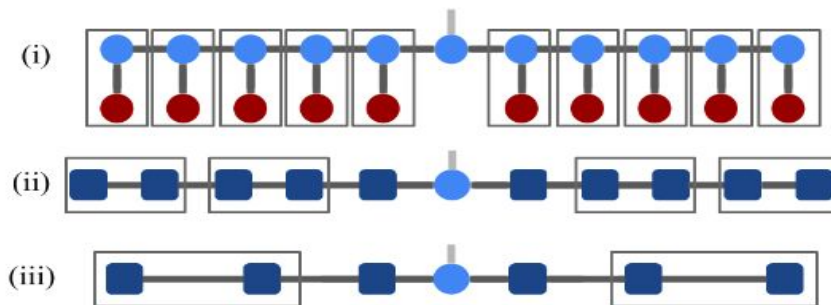


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# get a real backend from a real provider
service = QiskitRuntimeService(channel="ibm_quantum")
backend = service.backend("ibm_renselaer")

# generate a simulator that mimics the real quantum system with the latest calibration results
backend_sim = AerSimulator.from_backend(backend)
noisy_estimator = BackendEstimator(backend_sim)
```

Accuracy from the train data : 80.0%
Accuracy from the test data : 74.7191%

Use in classical ML



- $f^{(l)}(\mathbf{x})$: Inner product of MPS TN and encoded images.

- Classification: take argmax of softmax.

$$f^{(l)}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_N=0}^1 T_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_N}^l \Phi(p_1)_{i_1} \Phi(p_2)_{i_2} \dots \Phi(p_N)_{i_N}.$$

- Cross entropy error:

- TensorFlow calculates gradients automatically

- Parallelized MPS contraction

- Contract indices and data tensor...
 - ...then contract horizontally until one point

$$\text{CE} = - \sum_{(\mathbf{x}_i, y_i) \in \mathcal{D}} \log \text{softmax } f^{(y_i)}(\mathbf{x}_i),$$

$$\text{softmax } f^{(y_i)}(\mathbf{x}_i) = \frac{e^{f^{(y_i)}(\mathbf{x}_i)}}{\sum_{l=0}^{L-1} e^{f^{(l)}(\mathbf{x}_i)}}.$$

Code [In active development]

```
class TNLayr(tf.keras.layers.Layer):

    def __init__(self):
        super(TNLayr, self).__init__()
        # Create the variables for the layer.
        self.a_var = tf.Variable(tf.random.normal(shape=(32, 32, 2),
                                                    stddev=1.0/32.0),
                                name="a", trainable=True)
        self.b_var = tf.Variable(tf.random.normal(shape=(32, 32, 2),
                                                    stddev=1.0/32.0),
                                name="b", trainable=True)
        self.bias = tf.Variable(tf.zeros(shape=(32, 32)),
                                name="bias", trainable=True)

    def call(self, inputs):
        # Define the contraction.
        # We break it out so we can parallelize a batch using
        # tf.vectorized_map (see below).
        def f(input_vec, a_var, b_var, bias_var):
            # Reshape to a matrix instead of a vector.
            input_vec = tf.reshape(input_vec, (32, 32))

            # Now we create the network.
            a = tn.Node(a_var)
            b = tn.Node(b_var)
            x_node = tn.Node(input_vec)
            a[1] ^ x_node[0]
            b[1] ^ x_node[1]
            a[2] ^ b[2]
```

```
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# Feature map function
def feature_map(x):
    return tf.stack([1 - x, x], axis=-1)

# Define a custom MPS Layer with trainable parameters
class MPSLayer(tf.keras.layers.Layer):
    def __init__(self, input_shape, bond_dim, output_dim):
        super(MPSLayer, self).__init__()
        self.input_shape = input_shape
        self.bond_dim = bond_dim
        self.output_dim = output_dim

        # Initialize MPS tensors with trainable parameters
        self.mps_tensors = [
            self.add_weight(shape=(2, bond_dim), initializer='random_normal', trainable=True) for _ in range(input_shape[0])
        ]
        self.output_weights = self.add_weight(shape=(bond_dim, output_dim), initializer='random_normal', trainable=True)

    def call(self, inputs):
        # Apply the feature map
        inputs_mapped = feature_map(inputs) # Shape: (batch_size, 16, 16, 2)

        # Contract MPS tensors with the input data
        mps_result = inputs_mapped[:, 0, :, :] @ self.mps_tensors[0] # Contract first site

        # Iterate over remaining sites
        for i in range(1, self.input_shape[0]):
            mps_result = tf.einsum('bij,jk->bik', mps_result, self.mps_tensors[i])

        # Sum over remaining dimensions and perform the final linear transformation
        mps_result = tf.reduce_sum(mps_result, axis=1) # Sum over the remaining bond dimension
        output = tf.matmul(mps_result, self.output_weights)
        return output
```

Code [In active development 2]

```
# Define the TensorNetwork model
def create_tn_model(input_shape, bond_dim, output_dim):
    # Initialize a random FiniteMPS
    mps = FiniteMPS.random(d=[input_shape[1]] * input_shape[0],
                           D=[bond_dim] * (input_shape[0] - 1),
                           dtype=np.float32,
                           canonicalize=True,
                           backend='numpy')

    # Define a custom layer to use the MPS
    class MPSLayer(tf.keras.layers.Layer):
        def __init__(self, mps, output_dim):
            super(MPSLayer, self).__init__()
            self.mps = mps
            self.output_dim = output_dim

        def call(self, inputs):
            # Directly operate on the TensorFlow tensors
            batch_size = tf.shape(inputs)[0]

            # Placeholder for actual MPS operation using TensorFlow
            # Replace this operation with your actual MPS Logic
            results = tf.reduce_sum(inputs, axis=[1, 2]) # Example operation
            results = tf.reshape(results, [batch_size, 1])
            return results
```

```
Epoch 1/10
600/600 ————— 2s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.0988 - loss: 19.1352 - val_accuracy: 0.0940 - val_loss: 4.9067
Epoch 2/10
600/600 ————— 2s 3ms/step - accuracy: 0.0951 - loss: 3.3307 - val_accuracy: 0.1019 - val_loss: 2.2555
Epoch 3/10
600/600 ————— 2s 4ms/step - accuracy: 0.1161 - loss: 2.2529 - val_accuracy: 0.1861 - val_loss: 2.2339
Epoch 4/10
600/600 ————— 2s 4ms/step - accuracy: 0.1779 - loss: 2.2288 - val_accuracy: 0.2019 - val_loss: 2.2097
Epoch 5/10
600/600 ————— 2s 3ms/step - accuracy: 0.2028 - loss: 2.2062 - val_accuracy: 0.2042 - val_loss: 2.1864
Epoch 6/10
600/600 ————— 2s 4ms/step - accuracy: 0.2133 - loss: 2.1835 - val_accuracy: 0.2152 - val_loss: 2.1676
Epoch 7/10
600/600 ————— 1s 2ms/step - accuracy: 0.2172 - loss: 2.1637 - val_accuracy: 0.2165 - val_loss: 2.1519
Epoch 8/10
600/600 ————— 2s 3ms/step - accuracy: 0.2175 - loss: 2.1494 - val_accuracy: 0.2159 - val_loss: 2.1382
Epoch 9/10
600/600 ————— 2s 3ms/step - accuracy: 0.2215 - loss: 2.1335 - val_accuracy: 0.2174 - val_loss: 2.1247
Epoch 10/10
600/600 ————— 2s 3ms/step - accuracy: 0.2212 - loss: 2.1255 - val_accuracy: 0.2190 - val_loss: 2.1147
313/313 ————— 1s 1ms/step - accuracy: 0.2106 - loss: 2.1158
Test Accuracy: 21.90%
```

Future Steps & Expectation

- Optimizing the QML implementation on `ibm_renselaer`.
- Further code analysis for classical ML using the TensorFlow backend
 - Increasing the accuracy of the model
 - Experimenting with other libraries to utilize the MPS on CC.
 - Revisiting when the TensorNetwork library is further along in development/documentation

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