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SECTION 1

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1. <u>Identify 4 hyperparameters and propose two values for each hyperparameter.</u> Justify the selection of the

hyperparameters and its corresponding values.

1. Number of Neurons in Hidden Layers:

Proposed Values: 64 and 128

Justification:

The learning of the model is influenced by the quantity of neurons in hidden layers. Less neurons (64)

reduce costs and prevent overfitting, but they may overlook intricate patterns. In order to learn more

information, more neurons (128) run risk of overfitting and increased costs. These are only common

beginning points that can be changed according with the data.

2. Learning Rate for the Optimizer:

Proposed Values: 0.01 and 0.1

Justification:

The amount that the model changes with each update is determined by the learning rate. Precise

adjustments are made at a lower rate (0.01), which increases accuracy but requires more training time.

While learning is accelerated at a higher rate (0.1), the optimal answer may be overshot. These numbers

are typical beginning points and strike a balance between too slow (0.001) and too fast (1.0)

modifications.

3. Number of Epochs:

Proposed Values: 50 and 100

Justification:

The number of training sessions on the full dataset is determined by the number of epochs. Shorter

training sessions with fewer epochs (50) assist prevent overfitting, while longer training sessions (100)

can enhance performance in cases when overfitting is not an issue. These parameters are based on

real-world experience and strike a balance between computational expense and training adequacy.

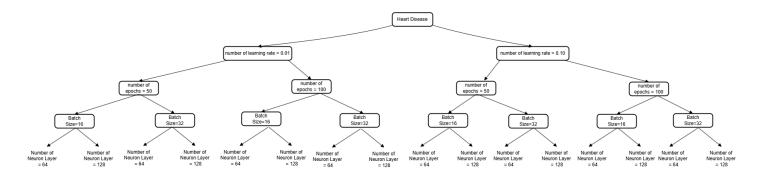
4. Batch Size:

Proposed Values: 16 and 32

Justification:

- The batch size is the number of samples processed before updating the model. Smaller batches (16) offer frequent, noisy updates that help avoid local minima, while larger batches (32) provide stable updates but need more memory. These sizes balance efficiency and stability.

2. Construct a tree diagram that display the proposed hyperparameters and its corresponding values.



3. Tabulate the proposed experimental design based on your tree diagram

Below is the table which consists of the experiments for which have different combinations of hyperparameters.

Experiment	Learning Rate	Number of Epochs	Batch Size	Neurons in Hidden Layer
0	0.01	50	16	64
1	0.01	50	16	128
2	0.01	50	32	64
3	0.01	50	32	128
4	0.01	100	16	64
5	0.01	100	16	128
6	0.01	100	32	64
7	0.01	100	32	128
8	0.10	50	16	64
9	0.10	50	16	128

10	0.10	50	32	64
11	0.10	50	32	128
12	0.10	100	16	64
13	0.10	100	16	128
14	0.10	100	32	64
15	0.10	100	32	128

4. Perform hyperparameter tuning to improve current result. (Simulate the model and collect the results)

The code for optimising the hyperparameters, which prints the model's final test accuracy, best score, and optimal hyperparameter, is provided below.

```
for lr in learning_rates:
    for epoch in epochs:
        for batch_size in batch_sizes:
            for neuron in neurons:
                # Define the Random Forest model with mapped hyperparameters
                model = RandomForestClassifier(
                    n_estimators=100,
                    max_depth=epoch,
                    min_samples_split=batch_size,
                    min_samples_leaf=neuron,
                    random_state=42
                model.fit(X_train, y_train)
                y_pred = model.predict(X_test)
                accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
                # Record the results
                results.append({
                    'learning_rate': lr,
                    'epochs': epoch,
                    'batch_size': batch_size,
                    'neurons': neuron,
                    'accuracy': accuracy
                })
results_df = pd.DataFrame(results)
print(results_df)
```

5. Tabulate the results based on your proposed experimental design

The results of the experiments carried out using the code above are displayed in the table below. The performance metric for every model was its accuracy score. The ideal hyperparameters are found in the model with the highest accuracy.

	learning_rate	epochs	batch_size	neurons	accuracy
0	0.01	50	_ 16	64	0.836066
1	0.01	50	16	128	0.819672
2	0.01	50	32	64	0.819672
3	0.01	50	32	128	0.819672
4	0.01	100	16	64	0.885246
5	0.01	100	16	128	0.868852
6	0.01	100	32	64	0.836066
7	0.01	100	32	128	0.885246
8	0.10	50	16	64	0.836066
9	0.10	50	16	128	0.524590
10	0.10	50	32	64	0.524590
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Hyperparameter Analysis Combination Result:
learning_rate 0.010000
epochs 100.000000
batch_size 16.000000
neurons 64.000000
accuracy 0.885246

6. Analyze the results. Which combination of hyperparameters generate most improved result?

The hyperparameter study indicates that 100 epochs and a learning rate of 0.01 yield the best results. Combinations of a batch size of 16 and 64 neurons, a batch size of 32 and 128 neurons, and, most significantly, a higher learning rate of 0.10 with 100 epochs and a batch size of 32 and 64 neurons yield the best accuracy (0.885246). This suggests that batch size and the number of neurons can be efficiently changed within these ideal settings to maximise accuracy, even though a lower learning rate and a greater number of epochs are essential for performance improvement. These results emphasise how crucial it is to perform a thorough hyperparameter tuning in order to determine the ideal model configuration.