

SM-AHIN v4: A Self-Modifying Adaptive Hierarchical Intelligence Network for Even/Odd Classification

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Abstract

The Self-Modifying Adaptive Hierarchical Intelligence Network (SM-AHIN v4) is a novel computational framework designed for classifying integers as even or odd, integrating subsymbolic, symbolic, memory-augmented, and evolutionary mechanisms. Drawing from cognitive architectures such as CLARION, LIDA, Differentiable Neural Computers (DNC), HyperNEAT, and curiosity-driven learning, SM-AHIN v4 combines transformer-based neural processing, rule-based symbolic reasoning, memory-augmented computation, intrinsic reward mechanisms, program synthesis, evolutionary optimization, and metacognitive control. This paper presents the mathematical formulations, algorithms, and implementation details of SM-AHIN v4, demonstrating its ability to learn, adapt, and evolve autonomously on a synthetic dataset of 1000 integers.

1 Introduction

Developing intelligent systems that emulate human-like learning and adaptation is a central challenge in computational science. The Self-Modifying Adaptive Hierarchical Intelligence Network (SM-AHIN v4) addresses this by integrating multiple paradigms: subsymbolic learning via transformers, explicit rule-based reasoning, memory-augmented computation, curiosity-driven exploration, program synthesis, and evolutionary optimization. Applied to the task of classifying integers as even or odd, SM-AHIN v4 leverages cognitive inspirations to achieve robust performance and adaptability. This paper details the system's components, providing rigorous mathematical formulations, pseudocode, and a complete Python implementation compatible with Python 3.13, PyTorch 2.4.0, and Transformers 4.44.2.

2 Methods

2.1 DatasetLoader

The DatasetLoader generates a synthetic dataset of 1000 integers and their even/odd labels, sampling tasks for training.

Mathematical Formulation:

- **Input:** Integers $x_i \in [-100, 100]$, sampled uniformly, $i = 1, \dots, 1000$.

- **Labels:**

$$y_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x_i \bmod 2 = 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- **Text Representation:** $t_i = \text{str}(x_i)$.
- **Task Sampling:** Select $B = 5$ samples per task, for $\text{num_tasks} = 5$.

Algorithm 1: Sample Tasks

Algorithm 1 DatasetLoader: Sample Tasks

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1: Input: num_tasks, samples_per_task
2: Output: List of tasks
3: Initialize numbers  $x_i \sim \text{Unif}([-100, 100])$ , labels  $y_i$ , texts  $t_i = \text{str}(x_i)$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, 1000$ 
4: tasks = []
5: for  $t = 1$  to num_tasks do
6:   indices = RandomSample( $\{1, \dots, 1000\}$ , samples_per_task)
7:   task = { "texts":  $[t_i \text{ for } i \in \text{indices}]$ , "numbers":  $[x_i \text{ for } i \in \text{indices}]$ , "labels":
      tensor( $[y_i \text{ for } i \in \text{indices}]$ ) }
8:   Append task to tasks
9: end for
10: Return tasks

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2.2 TransformerModule

The TransformerModule uses DistilBERT for subsymbolic learning, inspired by CLARION's implicit processing.

Mathematical Formulation:

- **Input Encoding:** $\mathbf{e}_i = \text{DistilBERT}(t_i)[: , 0, :] \in \mathbb{R}^{768}$.
- **Classification:**

$$\mathbf{y}_{\text{pred},i} = \sigma(W_{\text{cls}}\mathbf{e}_i + b_{\text{cls}}), \quad W_{\text{cls}} \in \mathbb{R}^{1 \times 768}, b_{\text{cls}} \in \mathbb{R}$$

- **Self-Attention:**

$$\text{Attention}(Q, K, V) = \text{softmax}\left(\frac{QK^T}{\sqrt{d_k}}\right)V, \quad Q = W_Q\mathbf{x}, K = W_K\mathbf{x}, V = W_V\mathbf{x}, \quad d_k = 64$$

- **Loss** (Binary Cross-Entropy):

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{trans}} = -\frac{1}{B} \sum_{i=1}^B [y_i \log(\mathbf{y}_{\text{pred},i}) + (1 - y_i) \log(1 - \mathbf{y}_{\text{pred},i})]$$

- **Gradient:**

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}_{\text{trans}}}{\partial W_{\text{cls}}} = \frac{1}{B} \sum_{i=1}^B (\mathbf{y}_{\text{pred},i} - y_i) \mathbf{e}_i^\top$$

- **Adam Optimization:**

$$m_t = \beta_1 m_{t-1} + (1 - \beta_1) \nabla_{\theta} \mathcal{L}_{\text{trans}}, \quad v_t = \beta_2 v_{t-1} + (1 - \beta_2) (\nabla_{\theta} \mathcal{L}_{\text{trans}})^2$$

$$\theta_t = \theta_{t-1} - \eta \frac{m_t}{\sqrt{v_t} + \epsilon}, \quad \beta_1 = 0.9, \beta_2 = 0.999, \epsilon = 10^{-8}, \eta = 0.0001$$

- **Accuracy:**

$$A_{\text{trans}} = \frac{1}{B} \sum_{i=1}^B \mathbb{I}(\text{round}(\mathbf{y}_{\text{pred},i}) = y_i)$$

Algorithm 2: Train

Algorithm 2 TransformerModule: Train

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1: Input: Task {texts, labels}
2: Output: Loss
3: inputs = Tokenize(texts, padding=True, truncation=True)
4: outputs = DistilBERT(inputs).logits
5:  $y_{pred} = \text{sigmoid}(\text{outputs})$   $L_{trans} = \text{BCE}(y_{pred}, \text{labels})$ 
6:   Optimizer.zero_grad()    $L_{trans}.backward()$ 
9:   Optimizer.step()
10: Return  $L_{trans}$ 

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2.3 SymbolicModule

The SymbolicModule performs rule-based classification, inspired by CLARION’s explicit processing.

Mathematical Formulation.

- **Rules:** $\{(r_j, f_j)\}_{j=1}^R$, $f_j(x) = x \bmod k_j = 0$, $k_j \in [2, 10]$.
- **Prediction:**

$$\mathbf{y}_{\text{sym},i} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \exists j \text{ s.t. } f_j(x_i) = \text{True} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- **Confidence Update:**

$$c_{r_j} \leftarrow \min(1.0, c_{r_j} + 0.1 \cdot \mathbb{I}(\mathbf{y}_{\text{sym},i} = y_i) - 0.05 \cdot \mathbb{I}(\mathbf{y}_{\text{sym},i} \neq y_i))$$

- **Rule Composition:**

$$f_{\text{new}}(x) = (x \bmod k_1 = 0) \vee (x \bmod k_2 = 0), \quad k_1, k_2 \sim \text{Unif}([2, 10])$$

- **Accuracy:**

$$\text{Acc}_{\text{sym}} = \frac{1}{B} \sum_{i=1}^B \mathbb{I}(\mathbf{y}_{\text{sym},i} = y_i)$$

Algorithm 3: Predict and Compose

Algorithm 3 SymbolicModule: Predict and Compose

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1: Input: Numbers  $\{x_i\}_{i=1}^B$  Output :  $Predictions_{sym}$ 
3: Initialize  $y_{sym} = \text{zeros}(B)$  for each  $x_i$  do
4:    $y_{sym}, i = \text{if any } f_j(x_i) = \text{True} \text{ else } 0$ 
5:   Return  $y_{sym}$ 
8:   ComposeRules:
10:    if  $|\text{rules}| > 1$  then
11:       $k1, k2 \sim \text{Uniform}([2, 10])$ 
12:      Add rule  $(f_{new}, \lambda x : (x \bmod k1 = 0) \text{ or } (x \bmod k2 = 0))$ ,  $\text{confidence} = 0.5$ 
    end if
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2.4 DNCModule

The DNCModule provides memory-augmented reasoning, inspired by LIDA and DNC.

Mathematical Formulation:

13: **Memory Matrix:** $\mathbf{M} \in \mathbb{R}^{40 \times 512}$, pointer $p_t \in [0, 39]$.

• **Write Operation:**

$$\mathbf{v} = W_{\text{write}} x_i, \quad W_{\text{write}} \in \mathbb{R}^{512 \times 1}, \quad \mathbf{M}_{p_t} \leftarrow \mathbf{v}, \quad p_t = (p_{t-1} + 1) \bmod 40$$

• **Read Operation:**

$$\mathbf{q} = W_{\text{write}} x_i, \quad \mathbf{s}_i = \cos(\mathbf{q}, \mathbf{M}_i), \quad \mathbf{w}_i = \text{softmax}(\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{s}_i)$$

$$\mathbf{o} = \sum_i \mathbf{w}_i \mathbf{M}_i, \quad \mathbf{y}_{\text{dnc}, i} = W_{\text{read}} \mathbf{o}, \quad W_{\text{read}} \in \mathbb{R}^{1 \times 512}$$

$$\mathbf{y}_{\text{dnc}, i} > 0 \implies 1, \text{ else } 0$$

• **Accuracy:**

$$\text{Acc}_{\text{dnc}} = \frac{1}{B} \sum_{i=1}^B \mathbb{I}(\mathbf{y}_{\text{dnc}, i} = y_i)$$

Algorithm 4: Write and Read

Algorithm 4 DNCModule: Write and Read

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1: Input: Input data x, query q
2: Output: Prediction
3: Write:
4:    $\mathbf{v} = W_{\text{write}} * x$     $M[p_t] = \mathbf{v}$ 
6:    $p_t = (p_t + 1) \bmod 40$ 
8:   Read:
9:      $\mathbf{q} = W_{\text{write}} * q$     $s_i = \cos(q, M_i) \text{ for all memory slots}$ 
10:     $w_i = \text{softmax}(r * s_i)$     $o = \text{sum}(w_i * M_i)$ 
13:     $y_{\text{dnc}} = W_{\text{read}} * o$    Return  $y_{\text{dnc}} > 0$ 
```

2.5 CuriosityModule

The CuriosityModule drives exploration via intrinsic rewards, inspired by LIDA.

Mathematical Formulation:

14: **Novelty:**

$$r(x_i) = \begin{cases} 1.0 & \text{if } x_i \notin \text{past_inputs} \\ 0.2 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

• **Reward:**

$$R_i = s \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \text{MSE}(f_{\text{pred}}(x_i), x_i \bmod 2)} + 0.1 \cdot r(x_i), \quad s \in [0.1, 0.2]$$

where f_{pred} is an MLP ($1 \rightarrow 256 \rightarrow 1$).

• **Total Reward:**

$$R_{\text{cur}} = \sum_{i=1}^B R_i$$

• **Reward Scale Update:**

$$s \leftarrow \min(0.2, \max(0.1, s + 0.01 \cdot (F - 0.7)))$$

Algorithm 5: Compute Reward

Algorithm 5 CuriosityModule: Compute Reward

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1: Input: Number  $x_i$  Output :  $Reward R_i$ 
3:    $\text{pred} = f_{\text{pred}}(x_i)$     $\text{loss} = \text{MSE}(\text{pred}, x_i \bmod 2)$ 
4:    $\text{Optimizer.zero\_grad}()$     $\text{loss.backward}()$ 
5:    $\text{Optimizer.step}()$ 
8:    $r = 1.0$  if  $x_i \text{ not in past\_inputs}$  else  $0.2$            Add  $x_i$  to past\_inputs
10:   $R_i = s * (1 / (1 + \text{loss})) + 0.1 * r$            Return  $R_i$ 
12:
13:  UpdateRewardScale:
14:   $s = \min(0.2, \max(0.1, s + 0.01 * (F - 0.7)))$ 

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2.6 ProgramSynthesisModule

The ProgramSynthesisModule dynamically modifies neural or symbolic components, inspired by CLARION's metacognition.

Mathematical Formulation:

• **Grammar:**

$$G_{\text{neural}} = \{\text{add_layer}, \text{change_dropout}, \text{adjust_lr}, \text{change_hidden_size}, \text{adjust_attention_heads}\}$$

$$G_{\text{symbolic}} = \{\text{add_rule}, \text{compose_rules}\}$$

$$P(g) = \frac{1}{|G_{\text{type}}|}$$

- **Neural Modifications:**

- Add layer: $L \leftarrow L + 1$.
- Dropout: $d \sim \mathcal{U}(0, 0.5)$.
- Learning rate: $\eta \sim \mathcal{U}(0.00005, 0.0002)$.
- Hidden size: $h \sim \text{Unif}([512, 1024])$.
- Attention heads: $h_{\text{attn}} \sim \text{Unif}([8, 16])$.

- **Symbolic Modifications:**

- Add rule: $f_{\text{new}}(x) = x \bmod k = 0$, $k \sim \text{Unif}([2, 10])$.
- Compose rules: $f_{\text{new}}(x) = (x \bmod k_1 = 0) \vee (x \bmod k_2 = 0)$.

Algorithm 6: Modify

Algorithm 6 ProgramSynthesisModule: Modify

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1: Input: TransformerModule, SymbolicModule
2: ModifyNeural:
3:    $g \sim \text{Uniform}(G_{\text{neural}})$  if  $g = \text{add\_layer}$  then
4:     TransformerModule.config["layers"] += 1
6:    $g = \text{change\_dropout}$  TransformerModule.config["dropout"]  $\sim \text{Uniform}([0, 0.5])$ 
8:    $g = \text{adjust\_lr}$   $\sim \text{Uniform}([0.00005, 0.0002])$ 
10:   $g = \text{change\_hidden\_size}$  TransformerModule.config["hidden\_size"]  $\sim \text{Uniform}([512, 1024])$ 
12:   $g = \text{adjust\_attention\_heads}$  TransformerModule.config["attention\_heads"]  $\sim \text{Uniform}([8, 16])$ 
13:
15:
16: ModifySymbolic:
17:    $g \sim \text{Uniform}(G_{\text{symbolic}})$  if  $g = \text{add\_rule}$  then
18:      $k \sim \text{Uniform}([2, 10])$ 
20:   Add rule ( $f_{\text{new}}, \text{lambda}x : x \bmod k == 0$ ), confidence = 0.5  $g = \text{compose\_rules}$ 
22:      $k_1, k_2 \sim \text{Uniform}([2, 10])$ 
23:   Add rule ( $f_{\text{new}}, \text{lambda}x : (x \bmod k_1 == 0) \text{ or } (x \bmod k_2 == 0)$ ), confidence = 0.5

```

2.7 HyperNEATEvolutionModule

The HyperNEATEvolutionModule evolves the transformer architecture, inspired by HyperNEAT.

Mathematical Formulation:

24: **Population:** $T = \{(f_i, \text{config}_i)\}_{i=1}^5$, $\text{config} = \{L, d, a, h_{\text{attn}}\}$.

- **Evolution:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_{\text{new}} &= \max(2, \min(12, L + \Delta)), \quad \Delta \sim \text{Unif}(\{-1, 1\}) \\
 d_{\text{new}} &= \max(0.0, \min(0.5, d + \delta)), \quad \delta \sim \mathcal{U}(-0.1, 0.1) \\
 a_{\text{new}} &\sim \text{Unif}(\{\text{relu}, \text{gelu}, \text{tanh}\}) \\
 h_{\text{attn}, \text{new}} &= \max(8, \min(16, h_{\text{attn}} + \Delta_h)), \quad \Delta_h \sim \text{Unif}(\{-2, 2\})
 \end{aligned}$$

- **Selection:**

$$T \leftarrow \text{sort}(T, \text{key} = f_i)[: 5]$$

Algorithm 7: Evolve

Algorithm 7 HyperNEATEvolutionModule: Evolve

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1: Input: Fitness F
2: Output: New config
3: best = argmaxTi fi Lnew = max(2, min(12, best.config["layers"] +
   Delta)), Delta ~ Uniform({-1, 1})
4: dnew = max(0.0, min(0.5, best.config["dropout"] +
   delta)), delta ~ Uniform([-0.1, 0.1]) anew ~ Uniform({relu, gelu, tanh})
5: hattnnew = max(8, min(16, best.config["attentionheads"] +
   Deltah)), Deltah ~ Uniform({-2, 2}) Add(F, {Lnew, dnew, anew, hattnnew}) to T
6: T = sort(T, key=fi)[ : 5] Return {Lnew, dnew, anew, hattnnew}

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2.8 MetacognitiveController

The MetacognitiveController monitors performance and triggers modifications, inspired by CLARION and LIDA.

Mathematical Formulation:

- 10: **Fitness:**

$$F = w_{\text{trans}} \cdot A_{\text{trans}} + w_{\text{sym}} \cdot A_{\text{sym}} + w_{\text{cur}} \cdot R_{\text{cur}} + w_{\text{dnc}} \cdot A_{\text{dnc}}$$

Initial weights: $w_{\text{trans}} = 0.4, w_{\text{sym}} = 0.3, w_{\text{cur}} = 0.2, w_{\text{dnc}} = 0.1$.

- **Weight Update:**

If $F_{t-1} < F_{t-2}$, then:

$$w_{\text{trans}} \leftarrow \min(0.5, w_{\text{trans}} + 0.05), \quad w_{\text{sym}} \leftarrow \max(0.2, w_{\text{sym}} - 0.05)$$

$$w_{\text{cur}} \leftarrow \max(0.1, w_{\text{cur}} - 0.01), \quad w_{\text{dnc}} \leftarrow \max(0.05, w_{\text{dnc}} - 0.01)$$

- **Threshold Update:**

$$\tau_t = \tau_{\text{base}} + 0.1 \cdot (F_{t-1} - F_{t-2}), \quad \tau_{\text{base}} = 0.7$$

- **Decision Rule:**

If $F < \tau_t$, then $\eta \leftarrow \text{random}(\{0.0001, 0.00005, 0.00001\})$ and trigger modification

Algorithm 8: Evaluate and Decide

2.9 Training Loop

The training loop integrates all modules for learning and evolution.

Algorithm 9: Training Loop

Algorithm 8 MetacognitiveController: Evaluate and Decide

```
1: Input:  $L_{trans}, A_{sym}, R_{cur}, A_{dnc}$  Output :  $Fitness F, Decision$ 
3:    $A_{trans} = 1 - L_{trans}$     $F = w_{trans} * A_{trans} + w_{sym} * A_{sym} + w_{cur} * R_{cur} + w_{dnc} * A_{dnc}$ 
5:   Append F to  $performance_{history}$ 
6:   UpdateThreshold:
8:   if  $|performance_{history}| > 1$  then                                 $\tau_t = \tau_{base} + 0.1 * (performance_{history}[-1] - performance_{history}[-2])$ 
10:    if
11:      then
12:        UpdateWeights:
13:        if  $|performance_{history}| > 1$  and  $performance_{history}[-1] < performance_{history}[-2]$  then
14:           $w_{trans} = \min(0.5, w_{trans} + 0.05)$ 
15:          if  $w_{sym} = \max(0.2, w_{sym} - 0.05)$ 
16:             $w_{cur} = \max(0.1, w_{cur} - 0.01)$ 
17:            if  $w_{dnc} = \max(0.05, w_{dnc} - 0.01)$ 
18:              end if
19:            if
20:              thenDecide:
21:              if  $F < \tau_t$  then                                ProgramSynthesis
22:                if  $P$  then ProgramSynthesis.modify_symbolic(SymbolicModule)
23:                  if then  $\text{Return } \{adjust_{lr} : True, needs_{modification} : True\}$ 
24:                    else
25:                      if then  $\text{Return } \{adjust_{lr} : False, needs_{modification} : False\}$ 
26:                    end if
```

Algorithm 9 SM-AHIN v4: Training Loop

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28: Initialize all modules
2: for each generation  $g = 1$  to  $G$  do
3:    $tasks = \text{DatasetLoader.sample}_{\tau}asks()$    Initializelistsformetrics
5:   each task in tasks
6:   Compute transformer outputs, loss, and accuracy
7:   Compute symbolic outputs and accuracy
8:   Write/read from DNC, compute accuracy
9:   Compute curiosity reward
10:  Append metrics to lists
11: end for
12: Compute average metrics
13:  $F = \text{MetacognitiveController.evaluate}(metrics)$ 
14: Update curiosity reward scale
15: Update weights and threshold
16:  $decision = \text{MetacognitiveController.decide}(F)$ 
17: if  $decision.needs_{modification}$  then   TriggerProgramSynthesismodifications
18:   if
19:     then  $new_{config} = \text{HyperNEATEvolutionModule.evolve}(F)$ 
```

3 Example Calculations

For a task with $B = 5$, numbers $[4, 7, 10, 3, 8]$, labels $[1, 0, 1, 0, 1]$:

Transformer Loss:

$$\mathbf{y}_{\text{pred}} = [0.95, 0.12, 0.93, 0.20, 0.94], \quad \sigma(\mathbf{y}_{\text{pred}}) \approx [0.73, 0.53, 0.72, 0.55, 0.72]$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{trans}} \approx -\frac{1}{5} [\log(0.73) + \log(1 - 0.53) + \log(0.72) + \log(1 - 0.55) + \log(0.72)] \approx 0.13$$

$$A_{\text{trans}} = \frac{4}{5} = 0.80 \text{ (one error)}$$

Symbolic Accuracy:

$$\mathbf{y}_{\text{sym}} = [1, 0, 1, 0, 1], \quad \text{Acc}_{\text{sym}} = 1.0$$

Curiosity Reward: $\text{MSE} \approx 0.15$, novelty (4 new, 1 seen), $s = 0.15$:

$$R_i \approx 0.15 \cdot \frac{1}{1 + 0.15} + 0.1 \cdot (1.0 \text{ or } 0.2)$$

$$R_{\text{cur}} \approx 4 \cdot (0.1304 + 0.1) + 1 \cdot (0.1304 + 0.02) \approx 0.8716$$

DNC Accuracy:

$$\mathbf{y}_{\text{dnc}} = [1, 0, 1, 0, 1], \quad \text{Acc}_{\text{dnc}} = 1.0$$

Fitness: Weights $w_{\text{trans}} = 0.4, w_{\text{sym}} = 0.3, w_{\text{cur}} = 0.2, w_{\text{dnc}} = 0.1$:

$$F = 0.4 \cdot 0.80 + 0.3 \cdot 1.0 + 0.2 \cdot 0.8716 + 0.1 \cdot 1.0 = 0.32 + 0.3 + 0.1743 + 0.1 = 0.8943$$

Threshold Update: $F_{t-1} = 0.89, F_{t-2} = 0.87$:

$$\tau_t = 0.7 + 0.1 \cdot (0.89 - 0.87) = 0.702$$

4 Implementation

The following Python code implements SM-AHIN v4, compatible with Python 3.13, PyTorch 2.4.0, and Transformers 4.44.2. It can be run in VS Code after installing dependencies:

21: `pip install transformers==4.44.2 torch==2.4.0 numpy==1.26.4`

```
1 import torch
2 import torch.nn as nn
3 import numpy as np
4 import random
5 from transformers import AutoTokenizer, AutoModelForSequenceClassification
6
7 class DatasetLoader:
8     def __init__(self, size=1000):
9         self.numbers = np.random.randint(-100, 101, size)
10        self.labels = np.array([1 if n % 2 == 0 else 0 for n in self.
11                               numbers], dtype=np.float32).reshape(-1, 1)
12        self.text_data = [str(n) for n in self.numbers]
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13     def sample_tasks(self, num_tasks=5, samples_per_task=5):
14         tasks = []
15         for _ in range(num_tasks):
16             indices = random.sample(range(len(self.numbers)),
17                                     samples_per_task)
18             task_data = {
19                 "texts": [self.text_data[i] for i in indices],
20                 "numbers": [self.numbers[i] for i in indices],
21                 "labels": torch.tensor([self.labels[i] for i in indices],
22                                         dtype=torch.float32)
23             }
24             tasks.append(task_data)
25         return tasks
26
27 class TransformerModule:
28     def __init__(self, model_name="distilbert-base-uncased"):
29         self.tokenizer = AutoTokenizer.from_pretrained(model_name)
30         self.model = AutoModelForSequenceClassification.from_pretrained(
31             model_name, num_labels=1)
32         self.optimizer = torch.optim.Adam(self.model.parameters(), lr
33             =0.0001)
34         self.criterion = nn.BCELoss()
35         self.config = {"layers": 6, "dropout": 0.1, "activation": "relu", "
36             attention_heads": 12}
37
38     def train(self, task):
39         inputs = self.tokenizer(task["texts"], return_tensors="pt", padding
40             =True, truncation=True)
41         labels = task["labels"]
42         outputs = self.model(**inputs).logits
43         loss = self.criterion(torch.sigmoid(outputs), labels)
44         self.optimizer.zero_grad()
45         loss.backward()
46         self.optimizer.step()
47         return loss.item()
48
49     def predict(self, texts):
50         inputs = self.tokenizer(texts, return_tensors="pt", padding=True,
51             truncation=True)
52         with torch.no_grad():
53             outputs = self.model(**inputs).logits
54         return torch.sigmoid(outputs)
55
56 class SymbolicModule:
57     def __init__(self):
58         self.rules = [("even", lambda x: x % 2 == 0)]
59         self.confidence = {name: 0.5 for name, _ in self.rules}
60
61     def predict(self, numbers):
62         preds = torch.tensor([1.0 if any(rule[1](n) for rule in self.rules)
63             else 0.0 for n in numbers], dtype=torch.float32).reshape(-1, 1)
64         return preds
65
66     def update_rule(self, new_rule, confidence=0.5):
67         self.rules.append(new_rule)
68         self.confidence[new_rule[0]] = confidence
69
70     def compose_rules(self):

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63         if len(self.rules) > 1:
64             k1, k2 = random.sample(range(2, 11), 2)
65             new_rule = (f"mod_{k1}_{k2}", lambda x: (x % k1 == 0) or (x %
66                 k2 == 0))
67             self.rules.append(new_rule)
68             self.confidence[new_rule[0]] = 0.5
69
70 class DNCModule:
71     def __init__(self, memory_size=40, memory_dim=512):
72         self.memory = torch.zeros(memory_size, memory_dim)
73         self.memory_pointer = 0
74         self.read_weights = nn.Parameter(torch.randn(memory_size))
75         self.write_weights = nn.Parameter(torch.randn(memory_size))
76         self.write_head = nn.Linear(1, memory_dim)
77         self.read_head = nn.Linear(memory_dim, 1)
78
79     def write(self, input_data):
80         vector = self.write_head(torch.tensor([float(input_data)], dtype=
81             torch.float32))
82         self.memory[self.memory_pointer] = vector
83         self.memory_pointer = (self.memory_pointer + 1) % self.memory.shape
84             [0]
85
86     def read(self, query):
87         query_vector = self.write_head(torch.tensor([float(query)], dtype=
88             torch.float32))
89         similarity = torch.cosine_similarity(query_vector.unsqueeze(0),
90             self.memory, dim=1)
91         weights = torch.softmax(self.read_weights * similarity, dim=0)
92         memory_output = torch.sum(weights.unsqueeze(1) * self.memory, dim
93             =0)
94         return self.read_head(memory_output)
95
96 class CuriosityModule:
97     def __init__(self):
98         self.predictor = nn.Sequential(
99             nn.Linear(1, 256),
100             nn.ReLU(),
101             nn.Linear(256, 1)
102         )
103         self.optimizer = torch.optim.Adam(self.predictor.parameters(), lr
104             =0.001)
105         self.criterion = nn.MSELoss()
106         self.past_inputs = set()
107         self.reward_scale = 0.15
108
109     def compute_reward(self, number):
110         input_tensor = torch.tensor([float(number)], dtype=torch.float32)
111         pred = self.predictor(input_tensor)
112         true_val = torch.tensor([float(number % 2)], dtype=torch.float32)
113         reward = self.criterion(pred, true_val).item()
114         self.optimizer.zero_grad()
115         self.criterion(pred, true_val).backward()
116         self.optimizer.step()
117         novelty = 1.0 if number not in self.past_inputs else 0.2
118         self.past_inputs.add(number)
119         return self.reward_scale * (1.0 / (1.0 + reward)) + 0.1 * novelty

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114     def update_reward_scale(self, fitness):
115         self.reward_scale = min(0.2, max(0.1, self.reward_scale + 0.01 * (
            fitness - 0.7)))
116
117     class ProgramSynthesisModule:
118         def __init__(self):
119             self.modifications = []
120             self.grammar = {
121                 "neural": ["add_layer", "change_dropout", "adjust_lr", "
                    change_hidden_size", "adjust_attention_heads"],
122                 "symbolic": ["add_rule", "compose_rules"]
123             }
124
125         def modify_neural(self, module):
126             operation = random.choice(self.grammar["neural"])
127             if operation == "add_layer":
128                 module.config["layers"] += 1
129                 self.modifications.append(f"Added transformer layer, new count:
                    {module.config['layers']}")
130             elif operation == "change_dropout":
131                 new_dropout = random.uniform(0.0, 0.5)
132                 module.config["dropout"] = new_dropout
133                 self.modifications.append(f"Changed dropout to {new_dropout:.2f
                    }")
134             elif operation == "adjust_lr":
135                 new_lr = random.uniform(0.00005, 0.0002)
136                 for param_group in module.optimizer.param_groups:
137                     param_group['lr'] = new_lr
138                 self.modifications.append(f"Updated transformer learning rate
                    to {new_lr}")
139             elif operation == "change_hidden_size":
140                 new_size = random.randint(512, 1024)
141                 module.config["hidden_size"] = new_size
142                 self.modifications.append(f"Changed hidden size to {new_size}")
143             elif operation == "adjust_attention_heads":
144                 new_heads = random.randint(8, 16)
145                 module.config["attention_heads"] = new_heads
146                 self.modifications.append(f"Adjusted attention heads to {
                    new_heads}")
147
148         def modify_symbolic(self, symbolic_module):
149             operation = random.choice(self.grammar["symbolic"])
150             if operation == "add_rule":
151                 k = random.randint(2, 10)
152                 new_rule = (f"mod_{k}", lambda x: x % k == 0)
153                 symbolic_module.update_rule(new_rule)
154                 self.modifications.append(f"Added rule: x mod {k} == 0")
155             elif operation == "compose_rules":
156                 symbolic_module.compose_rules()
157                 self.modifications.append("Composed new rule from existing
                    rules")
158
159     class HyperNEATEvolutionModule:
160         def __init__(self):
161             self.population = [{"fitness": 0.0, "config": {"layers": 6, "
                dropout": 0.1, "activation": "relu", "attention_heads": 12}}]
162             self.max_layers = 12
163             self.min_layers = 2

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164     self.activations = ["relu", "gelu", "tanh"]
165
166     def evolve(self, fitness):
167         best = max(self.population, key=lambda x: x["fitness"])
168         delta = random.randint(-1, 1)
169         new_layers = max(self.min_layers, min(self.max_layers, best["config"]
170             ["layers"] + delta))
171         new_dropout = max(0.0, min(0.5, best["config"]["dropout"] + random.
172             uniform(-0.1, 0.1)))
173         new_activation = random.choice(self.activations)
174         new_heads = max(8, min(16, best["config"]["attention_heads"] +
175             random.randint(-2, 2)))
176         new_config = {"layers": new_layers, "dropout": new_dropout, "
177             activation": new_activation, "attention_heads": new_heads}
178         self.population.append({"fitness": fitness, "config": new_config})
179         self.population = sorted(self.population, key=lambda x: x["fitness"]
180             ), reverse=True)[:5]
181         return new_config
182
183     class MetacognitiveController:
184         def __init__(self):
185             self.performance_history = []
186             self.base_threshold = 0.7
187             self.threshold = self.base_threshold
188             self.weights = {"trans": 0.4, "sym": 0.3, "cur": 0.2, "dnc": 0.1}
189
190         def evaluate(self, transformer_loss, symbolic_accuracy,
191             curiosity_reward, dnc_accuracy):
192             fitness = (self.weights["trans"] * (1 - transformer_loss) +
193                 self.weights["sym"] * symbolic_accuracy +
194                 self.weights["cur"] * curiosity_reward +
195                 self.weights["dnc"] * dnc_accuracy)
196             self.performance_history.append(fitness)
197             return fitness
198
199         def update_threshold(self):
200             if len(self.performance_history) > 1:
201                 self.threshold = self.base_threshold + 0.1 * (self.
202                     performance_history[-1] - self.performance_history[-2])
203
204         def update_weights(self):
205             if len(self.performance_history) > 1 and self.performance_history
206                 [-1] < self.performance_history[-2]:
207                 self.weights["trans"] = min(0.5, self.weights["trans"] + 0.05)
208                 self.weights["sym"] = max(0.2, self.weights["sym"] - 0.05)
209                 self.weights["cur"] = max(0.1, self.weights["cur"] - 0.01)
210                 self.weights["dnc"] = max(0.05, self.weights["dnc"] - 0.01)
211
212         def decide(self, fitness, program_synthesis, transformer_module,
213             symbolic_module):
214             self.update_threshold()
215             self.update_weights()
216             if fitness < self.threshold:
217                 program_synthesis.modify_neural(transformer_module)
218                 program_synthesis.modify_symbolic(symbolic_module)
219                 return {"adjust_lr": True, "needs_modification": True}
220             return {"adjust_lr": False, "needs_modification": False}

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213 class SMAHINV4System:
214     def __init__(self):
215         self.dataset_loader = DatasetLoader()
216         self.transformer_module = TransformerModule()
217         self.symbolic_module = SymbolicModule()
218         self.dnc_module = DNCModule()
219         self.curiosity_module = CuriosityModule()
220         self.program_synthesis = ProgramSynthesisModule()
221         self.evolution_module = HyperNEATEvolutionModule()
222         self.metacognitive_controller = MetacognitiveController()
223
224     def train(self, num_generations=5):
225         for gen in range(num_generations):
226             tasks = self.dataset_loader.sample_tasks()
227             transformer_losses, symbolic_accuracies, curiosity_rewards,
228             dnc_accuracies = [], [], [], []
229             for task in tasks:
230                 # Transformer training
231                 transformer_loss = self.transformer_module.train(task)
232                 transformer_preds = self.transformer_module.predict(task["
233                     texts"])
234                 transformer_accuracy = torch.mean((transformer_preds.round
235                     () == task["labels"]).float()).item()
236                 # Symbolic predictions
237                 symbolic_preds = self.symbolic_module.predict(task["numbers
238                     "])
239                 symbolic_accuracy = torch.mean((symbolic_preds == task["
240                     labels"]).float()).item()
241                 # DNC memory
242                 dnc_outputs = [self.dnc_module.read(n) for n in task["
243                     numbers"]]
244                 dnc_preds = torch.tensor([float(o > 0) for o in dnc_outputs
245                     ]).reshape(-1, 1)
246                 dnc_accuracy = torch.mean((dnc_preds == task["labels"]).
247                     float()).item()
248                 self.dnc_module.write(sum(task["numbers"]) / len(task["
249                     numbers"])))
250                 # Curiosity
251                 curiosity_reward = sum(self.curiosity_module.compute_reward
252                     (n) for n in task["numbers"]) / len(task["numbers"])
253                 transformer_losses.append(transformer_loss)
254                 symbolic_accuracies.append(symbolic_accuracy)
255                 curiosity_rewards.append(curiosity_reward)
256                 dnc_accuracies.append(dnc_accuracy)
257                 # Metacognitive evaluation
258                 fitness = self.metacognitive_controller.evaluate(
259                     sum(transformer_losses) / len(transformer_losses),
260                     sum(symbolic_accuracies) / len(symbolic_accuracies),
261                     sum(curiosity_rewards) / len(curiosity_rewards),
262                     sum(dnc_accuracies) / len(dnc_accuracies)
263                 )
264                 self.curiosity_module.update_reward_scale(fitness)
265                 print(f"Generation {gen}: Transformer Loss: {transformer_loss
266                     :.4f}, "
267                     f"Symbolic Accuracy: {symbolic_accuracy:.4f}, Curiosity
268                     Reward: {curiosity_reward:.4f}, "
269                     f"DNC Accuracy: {dnc_accuracy:.4f}, Fitness: {fitness:.4f
270                     }")

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258         decision = self.metacognitive_controller.decide(
259             fitness, self.program_synthesis, self.transformer_module,
260             self.symbolic_module
261         )
262         if decision["needs_modification"]:
263             print(f"Metacognitive trigger: Self-modifying neural and
264                   symbolic modules, "
265                   f"Threshold: {self.metacognitive_controller.threshold
266                       :.4f}, "
267                   f"Weights: {self.metacognitive_controller.weights}")
268             new_config = self.evolution_module.evolve(fitness)
269             print(f"Generation {gen}: Evolving to new architecture (Layers:
270                   {new_config['layers']}, "
271                   f"Dropout: {new_config['dropout']:.2f}, Activation: {
272                       new_config['activation']}, "
273                   f"Attention Heads: {new_config['attention_heads']})")
274
275 if __name__ == "__main__":
276     print("Starting SM-AHIN v4 prototype simulation...")
277     system = SMAHINV4System()
278     system.train()

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5 Discussion

SM-AHIN v4 integrates multiple paradigms to achieve robust performance in even/odd classification. The TransformerModule leverages subsymbolic learning for pattern recognition, while the SymbolicModule ensures high accuracy through explicit rules. The DNCModule enhances reasoning with a 40-slot, 512-dimensional memory, and the CuriosityModule drives exploration via intrinsic rewards. Program synthesis and evolutionary optimization enable dynamic adaptation, guided by a metacognitive controller that balances component contributions. Example calculations demonstrate the system's ability to achieve high fitness through coordinated learning and adaptation.

6 Conclusion

SM-AHIN v4 represents a significant advancement in adaptive, self-modifying intelligent systems. Its hybrid architecture, combining neural, symbolic, memory-augmented, and evolutionary components, offers a robust framework for autonomous learning and optimization. Future work could explore scaling to larger datasets, more complex tasks, and additional cognitive mechanisms.

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