Artificial Neural Networks with PyBrain

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Introduction

PyBrain: The most popular Python ANN library

- Actually, PyBrain is a ML library
- Built on Scikit
- Scikit is the most popular Python Machine Learning library
- Multiple networks
- Multiple learning algorithms
- Blackbox optimization

(Slides from PyBrain documentation)



Introduction

Installation (I)

Method T:

- I. Install Numpy: apt-get install python-numpy
- 2. Install Scikit: apt-get install python-scikit
- 3. Install PyBrain: apt-get install python-pybrain
- 4. (Install pip: apt-get install python-pip)
- 5. Install dateutils: pip install dateutils



Introduction

Installation (II)

Method 2 (ROS VM):

- I. Install pip: apt-get install python-pip
- 2. Install dateutils: pip install dateutils
- 3. Install Numpy: pip install numpy
- 4. Install Scikit: apt-get install python-scipy
- 5. Install PyBrain: pip install pybrain



Building a network (I)

Method: buildNetwork(*layers, **options): Multilayer network

- layers: Array with the number of neurons per layer
- `bias': True: Biased or not
- `hiddenclass': SigmoidLayer: Activation function in hidden layer
- `outclass': LinearLayer: Activation function in hidden layer (recommended SoftmaxLayer)
- `recurrent': False: Feed forward network by default

Class: FeedForwardNetwork

• activate(inpt): Feed network with inpt



Building a network (II)

One input neuron Two hidden neurons One output neuron

```
>>> from pybrain.tools.shortcuts import
    buildNetwork
>>> net = buildNetwork(2, 3, 1)
>>> net.activate([2, 1])
array([-0.98646726])
```

```
>>> from pybrain.structure import
    SoftmaxLayer
>>> net = buildNetwork(2, 3, 2, outclass =
    SoftmaxLayer, bias=True)
>>> net.activate((2, 3))
array([ o.6656323, o.3343677])
```

Two input neurons
Three hidden neurons
One output neuron
Softmax in output layer
Tanh in input layer
With bias



Building a dataset (I)

Class ClassificationDataSet

- Constructor: (target=1, nb_classes=0, class_labels=None)
- Interesting fields
 - input: Array of arrays with input data
 - target: Array of arrays with class
- Interesting methods
 - load_matlab(cls, fname)
 - calculateStatistics()
 - _convertToOneOfMany(bounds=(0, 1))
 - addSample(inp, target)
 - splitWithProportion(proportion = 0.5)



Building a dataset (II)

```
Two inputs One output
```

```
>>> from pybrain.datasets import ClassificationDataSet
>>> ds = ClassificationDataSet(2, 1)
```

```
>>> ds.addSample((o, o), (o,))
>>> ds.addSample((o, 1), (1,))
>>> ds.addSample((1, o), (1,))
>>> ds.addSample((1, o), (0,))
```

XOR samples

Examine dataset

Training a network (I)

Class: BackpropTrainer

- Constructor: (network, dataset=None, learningrate=0.01, lrdecay=1.0, momentum=0., verbose=False, batchlearning=False, weightdecay=0.)
- train(): Train just for one epoch
- testOnData(dataset=None, verbose=False): Compute MSE
- testOnClassData(self, dataset=None, verbose=False, return_targets=False
- trainUntilConvergence(self, dataset=None, maxEpochs=None, verbose=None, continueEpochs=10, validationProportion=0.25, trainingData=None, validationData=None, convergence_threshold=10)



Training a network (II)

```
>>> from pybrain.supervised.trainers import BackpropTrainer
>>> net = buildNetwork(2, 3, 1, bias=True)
>>> trainer = BackpropTrainer(net, ds)
>>> trainer.train()
0.31516384514375834
>>> trainer.trainUntilConvergence()
```



Advanced features

Network storage and recovery

We usually need to store the trained network to embed it in the robot

```
from pybrain.tools.shortcuts import buildNetwork
from pybrain.tools.xml.networkwriter import NetworkWriter
from pybrain.tools.xml.networkreader import NetworkReader

net = buildNetwork(2,4,1)

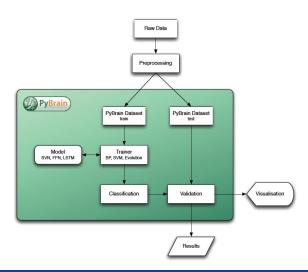
NetworkWriter.writeToFile(net, 'filename.xml')
net = NetworkReader.readFrom('filename.xml')

(Source)
```



Model validation

Machine Learning workflow





Model validation

Training and validation data sets

```
alldata = ...
tstdata, trndata = alldata.splitWithProportion(0.25)
trndata._convertToOneOfMany()
tstdata._convertToOneOfMany()
fnn = buildNetwork(trndata.indim, 5, trndata.outdim, outclass=
    SoftmaxLayer)
trainer = BackpropTrainer(fnn, dataset=trndata, momentum=0.1,
    verbose = True, weightdecay = 0.01)
trnresult = percentError(trainer.testOnClassData(), trndata['
    class'])
tstresult = percentError(trainer.testOnClassData(dataset=tstdata
     ), tstdata['class'])
```



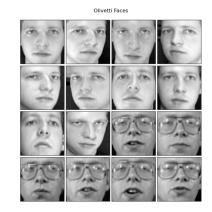
Study case

Face recognition (I)

The dataset:

- 40 people
- 10 images for each person
- 64x64 pixels
- 40 x 10 = 400 samples

(Source)

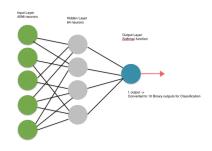


Study case

Face recognition (II)

The solution:

- Multilayer perceptron
- Input layer: 64 x 64 = 4096 neurons
- Hidden layer: 64 neurons, sigmoid
- Output layer: 10 neurons, softmax
- 40 x 10 = 400 samples



Study case

Face recognition (III)

```
from sklearn import datasets
olivetti = datasets.fetch_olivetti_faces()
X, y = olivetti.data, olivetti.target
from pybrain. datasets import Classification DataSet
from pybrain.utilities import percentError
from pybrain.tools.shortcuts import buildNetwork
from pybrain.supervised.trainers import BackpropTrainer
from pybrain.structure.modules import SoftmaxLayer
ds = ClassificationDataSet (4096, 1, nb_classes = 40)
for k in xrange (len(X)):
   ds.addSample(X[k], y[k])
tstdata, trndata = ds.splitWithProportion(0.25)
trndata._convertToOneOfMany()
tstdata._convertToOneOfMany()
fnn = buildNetwork ( trndata.indim, 64, trndata.outdim, outclass =
    SoftmaxLayer)
trainer = BackpropTrainer(fnn, dataset=trndata, momentum=0.1,
    learningrate = 0.01, verbose = True, weightdecay = 0.01)
trainer.trainEpochs(50)
print 'Percent Error on Test dataset: ', percentError(trainer.
    testOnClassData(dataset=tstdata), tstdata['class'])
```

Introductory exercises

Based on the template code given in the next slide, do the following tasks:

- Substitute X by the proper values to train and validate a single neuron network with AND
 - Which is the effect of parameters learningrate and epochs?
- 2. Train and validate a two neurons network with XOR
 - Visualize weights (search the solution in Internet)
- 3. Train and validate a single neuron network with XOR
 - What is happening?
- 4. Train and validate a 10 neuron network with XOR
 - Use a SoftmaxLayer output layer. Analyze the result
- 5. Train and validate a 20 neuron network with XOR
 - Increasing the network size improves the result?



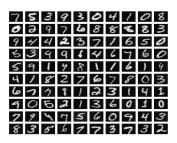
Introductory exercises (II)

```
#!/usr/bin/python
from pybrain. datasets import Supervised Data Set
from pybrain.tools.shortcuts import buildNetwork
from pybrain.supervised.trainers import BackpropTrainer
dataModel = [
    [(o, o), (X,)],
    [(o,1), (X,)],
    [(I,0), (X,)],
    [(I,I), (X,)],
ds = SupervisedDataSet(X, X)
for input, target in dataModel:
    ds.addSample(input, target)
net = buildNetwork(X, X, X, bias=True)
trainer = BackpropTrainer(net, ds, learningrate = X, momentum =
    X)
trainer.trainEpochs(epochs=X)
print 'o,o->', net.activate([o,o])
print 'o, r ->', net.activate([o,r])
print 'I,o->', net.activate([I,o])
print 'I,I->', net.activate([I,I])
```

Handwritting character recognition (I)

Handwritting recognition

- i. Download the dataset
 (ex3data1.mat) from
 https://github.com/
 dfbarrero/aiCourse/tree/
 master/pybrain/datasets
- 2. Load dataset using the code shown in the next slide
- 3. Complete the code to train and validate the neural network



(Source)

Handwritting character recognition (II)

```
#!/usr/bin/python
import numpy as np
import scipy.io
import math

print "Loading MATLAB data..."
data = scipy.io.loadmat("ex3datar.mat")
X = data["X"]
y = data["y"]
y[y == ro] = o # 'o' is encoded as 'ro' in data, fix it
```

ANN integration with ROS (I)

- Install Hector quadrotor:
 - sudo apt-get install ros-indigo-hector-*
 - Close the terminal and open a new one
- 2. Run simulation
 - roslaunch hector_quadrotor_demo outdoor_flight_gazebo.launch
- 3. Run teleoperation (with joystick)
 - roslaunch hector_quadrotor_teleop xbox_controller.launch





ANN integration with ROS (II)

Implement a simple altitude control in a UAV to keep it at $1.5\pm0.5\text{m}$ over the ground

- 1. Locate the topic where sonar and an altimeter publish their data
- 2. Identify which message types use the sonar and altimeter
- 3. Locate the topic that controls the UAV motion
- 4. Identify which message type is used to control the UAV motion
- 5. Implement a node for altitude control



ANN integration with ROS (III)

Implement a **neural** altitude control in a UAV to keep it at $1.5 \pm 0.5 \mathrm{m}$ over the ground

- 1. Implement a node that capture data from the sonar and altimeter
- 2. Build a dataset with the captured data, formatting and labeling it
 - Hint: Use stdout redirection
- 3. Train an ANN with the layout that you prefere
- 4. Validate the ANN
 - Hint: Write a script that loads a network, reads the input form the keyboard and gives the ANN output
- 5. Integrate it in a ROS node
- 6. Test the result

