# Investigating popular datasets and DNN architectures

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#### Introduction

This paper is a continuation of "A Survey on Deep Neural Network Security in an Embedded Context". In this paper, we will be investigating some of the datasets and models described in survey. This paper will cover environment setup, dataset preparation, model training, and model evaluation.

# **Environment Setup**

#### Hardware

The following table describes the hardware used for this paper.

Component	Specification
CPU	Ryzen 5 5600
GPU	NVIDIA GeForce RTX 3070
RAM	32 GB

#### Software

The following table describes the relevant software used for this paper.

Component	Specification
OS	Windows 11
Python	3.8.5
PyTorch	1.8.1
CUDA	11.1

## **Setting up the Environment**

Python was installed from the official Python website. PyTorch was installed using the following command (found on the PyTorch website):

```
pip3 install torch torchvision torchaudio --extra-index-url
https://download.pytorch.org/whl/cu116
```

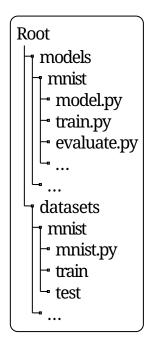
To confirm successful installation, the following commands were run:

```
python3
>>> import torch
>>> torch.cuda.is_available()
```

## **Project Structure**

The source code for this paper can be found on Github. The directory structure is split into two parts: the 'models' directory and the 'datasets' directory. The 'models' directory contains the source code for the models that will be trained and evaluated. The 'datasets' directory contains the different datasets used.

For example, the following shows files relevant to MNIST and the CNN-2-2 model.



## **Datasets and Models**

The following table describes the datasets and models that will be investigated in this paper.

Dataset	Model
MNIST	CNN with 2 convolutional layers and 2 fully connected layers (CNN-2-2)
CIFAR-10	-
ImageNet	-

These datasets and models were chosen because they were described in the survey paper and were the most common amongst the works discussed in the survey.

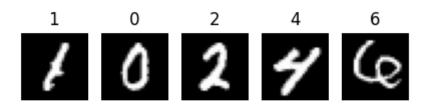
#### **MNIST**

The relevant files for MNIST can be found in the 'models/mnist/' and 'datasets/mnist/' directory.

#### **Dataset**

The MNIST dataset is a dataset of 60,000 28x28 grayscale images of the 10 digits, along with a test set of 10,000 images. The dataset is available from the MNIST section of the PyTorch documentation. The MNIST dataset is a popular dataset for testing image classification models and is often used as a "Hello World" example for image classification.

The following is a random sample of 5 images from the MNIST training dataset (these can be obtained by running the 'datasets/mnist/mnist.py' script).



#### **Model**

The model used for MNIST is a CNN with 2 convolutional layers and 2 fully connected layers (CNN-2-2). The model is defined in the 'models/mnist/model.py' file. A summary of the model is shown below (this can be obtained by running the 'models/mnist/model.py' script).

Layer (type)	Output Shape	Param #
 Conv2d-1	[-1, 32, 24, 24]	============ 832
Conv2d-2	[-1, 64, 8, 8]	51,264
Linear-3	[-1, 1024]	1,049,600
Linear-4	[-1, 10]	10,250
Trainable params: 1,111,946 Non-trainable params: 0  Input size (MB): 0.00		

## **Training**

The model was trained using the 'models/mnist/train.py' script. The following table describes the training parameters used.

Parameter	Value
Batch Size	100
Learning Rate	0.001
Epochs	50
Optimizer	Adam
Loss Function	Cross Entropy

#### **Evaluation**

The model was evaluated using the 'models/mnist/evaluate.py' script. A final accuracy of 99.21% was achieved on the test set. The following is a random sample of 5 images from the MNIST test dataset along with the model's prediction, true value, and confidence (these can be obtained by running the 'models/mnist/evaluate.py' script).

