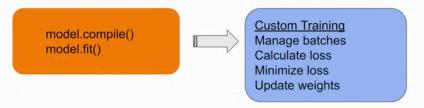
Built in Solution to Training

- Train using model.compile() and model.fit().
- Specify optimizer, loss etc in model.compile()
- model.fit() loops through batches of training data to:
 - o Update trainable weights to minimize loss.
 - o Achieves the above using chosen optimizer.

Custom Training Loops



Steps to training network

- 1. Define the network
- 2. Prepare the training data
- 3. Define loss and optimizer
- 4. **Train** the model on training inputs by minimizing loss using custom optimizer.
- 5. Validate the model.

1. Define the Model

```
def __init__(self):
    self.w = tf.Variable(5.0)
    self.b = tf.Variable(0.0)

def __call__(self, x):
    return self.w * x + self.b
```

Since we are building everything from scratch, we are defining a class called model without inheriting from a TensorFlow class.

Inside it's init constructor, model contains two variables, self.w and self.b, which are the trainable weights of the model and they're initialized with some arbitrary values, say 5 and 0.

Model has a call function where we define a linear equation that does the following calculation as the returned output.

As training progresses, w and b will be update by our gradient descent optimization as to

2. Prepare Training Data

```
TRUE_w = 3.0
TRUE_b = 2.0
NUM_EXAMPLES = 1000
random_xs = tf.random.normal(shape=[NUM_EXAMPLES])
ys = (TRUE_w * random_xs) + TRUE_b
```

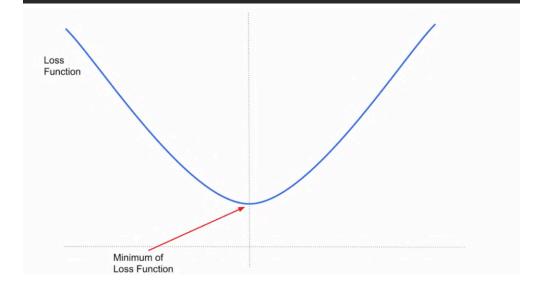
Mean Squared Error Loss

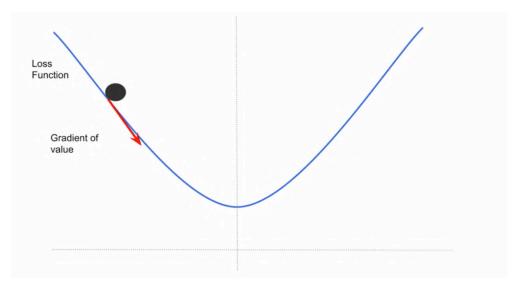
$$MSE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (y_i - y_i')^2$$

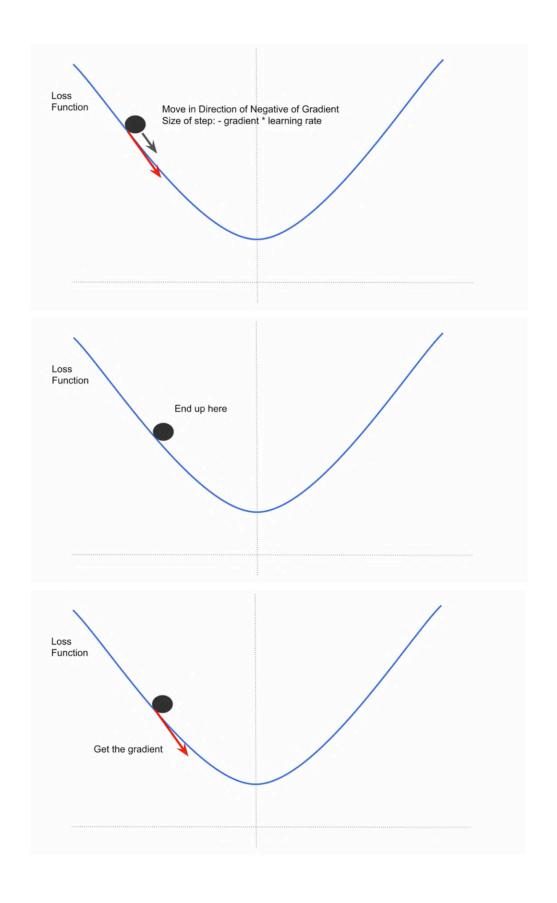
$$MSE = mean\left((Y_{true} - Y_{pred})^2\right)$$

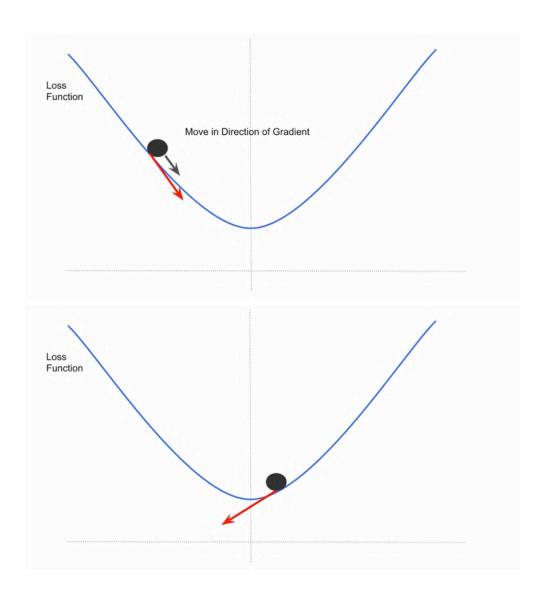
3. Mean Squared Error Loss

```
def loss(y_true, y_pred):
    return tf.reduce_mean(tf.square(y_true - y_pred))
```









```
def train(model, inputs, outputs, learning_rate):
    with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
        current_loss = loss(outputs, model(inputs))
    dw, db = tape.gradient(current_loss, [model.w, model.b])

model.w.assign_sub(learning_rate * dw)
model.b.assign_sub(learning_rate * db)

We calculate the
current loss using
the loss function
which gives us the
location of our ball

model.b.assign_sub(learning_rate * dw)
model.b.assign_sub(learning_rate * db)
```

Calculate Partial Derivative of Loss

Calculate Partial Derivative of Loss

def train(model, inputs, outputs, learning_rate):
 with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
 current_loss = loss(outputs, model(inputs))
 dw, db = tape.gradient(current_loss, [model.w, model.b])

So we update w in direction of the gradient with respect w multiplied by the learning rate. The w.assign_sub() function does heavy lifting for you by updating the model variables with their new values and using the correct direction of the gradient.

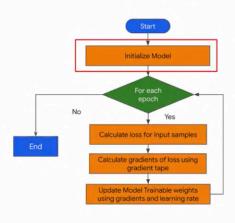
The same is done for b.

model.w.assign_sub(learning_rate * dw)
model.b.assign_sub(learning_rate * db)

$$w = w - \alpha \times \frac{dL}{dw}$$

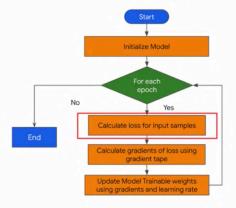
$$b = b - \alpha \times \frac{dL}{db}$$

4. Training Loop



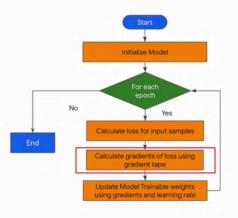
We'll initialize our model, including our trainable variables which we refer to as

4. Training Loop



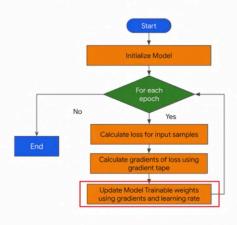
Then we'll train from a number of epochs. Within a epochs, we'll calculate the loss of the predicted values against the input samples.

4. Training Loop



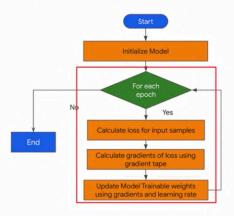
We'll calculate the gradient of the loss with respect to each of our trainable variables using a gradient tape.

4. Training Loop



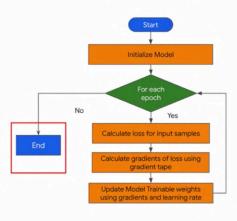
Then we'll update each of the models trainable weights using the negative of the gradient scaled by the learning rate.

4. Training Loop



We can continue repeating this for every epoch

4. Training Loop



until we're done and then we'll end.

Calculate Partial Derivative of Loss

```
def train(model, inputs, outputs, learning_rate):
    with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
        current_loss = loss(outputs, model(inputs))
    da, db = tape.gradient(current_loss, [model.a, model.b])

model.a.assign_sub(learning_rate * da)
    model.b.assign_sub(learning_rate * db)

Within a training
function, we do what
we showed earlier,
calculate the loss, get
the gradients, and
then update the
trainable variables.

model.b])

model.a.assign_sub(learning_rate * db)
```

Define Training Loop

```
epochs = range(20)
for epoch in epochs:
    train(model, inputs, outputs, learning_rate=0.1)
```

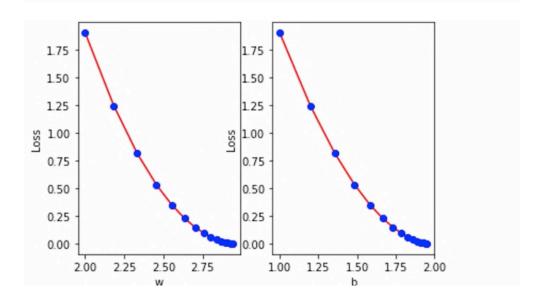
To implement the loop we showed in the flowchart, we use a fore loop that goes through our desired number of epochs on calls that's training function at each iteration.

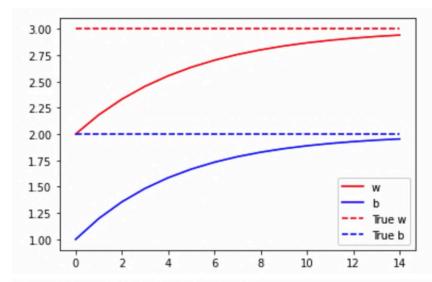
6. Validate the Model

- 1. Draw plots of loss for w and b over time
- 2. Draw plots of trainable weights over time.
- 3. Calculate loss

I'll also plot the values of the trainable variables as they're updated during training. Then finally I can calculate the final loss after training ends.

First, here's the values of W and B with respect to loss. We can see that they start moving down towards the minimum. This looks a little bit like the ball moving down the curve that we showed earlier on.





Here's the plot of W, the red arc, as it gets updated during each Epoch. Notice that it's converging towards the red dashed horizontal line, which represents the true value for W

The true value for W was used remember to generate our synthetic data. Similarly, the blue arc represents the value for B, and it gets updated every Epoch. It also converges towards the true value for B.

```
Epoch 0: w=2.00 b=1.00, loss=1.90155

Epoch 1: w=2.18 b=1.20, loss=1.24631

Epoch 2: w=2.33 b=1.36, loss=0.81714

Epoch 3: w=2.45 b=1.48, loss=0.53595

Epoch 4: w=2.55 b=1.59, loss=0.35164

Epoch 5: w=2.64 b=1.67, loss=0.23080

Epoch 6: w=2.70 b=1.73, loss=0.15153

Epoch 7: w=2.76 b=1.79, loss=0.09953

Epoch 8: w=2.80 b=1.83, loss=0.06539

Epoch 9: w=2.84 b=1.86, loss=0.04297

Epoch 10: w=2.87 b=1.89, loss=0.01858

Epoch 11: w=2.89 b=1.91, loss=0.01858

Epoch 12: w=2.91 b=1.93, loss=0.01222

Epoch 13: w=2.93 b=1.94, loss=0.00804
```

Epoch 14: w=2.94 b=1.95, loss=0.00529

Finally, here's the behavior of the network over 15 epochs. We can see the loss value that is calculated for a given W and B. First is quite large one point nine indicating that our proverbial ball is far away from the minimum.

But with each Epoch, we can see it's that closer and closer to the minimum and it ends at point zero zero five two nine on the 15th Epoch.

What we'll cover

- 1. Define custom training loop that takes input pipeline from Tensorflow Datasets.
- 2. Use pre-built loss function and optimizer within training loop
- 3. Use and track performance with test set
- 4. Handling training metrics.

Steps to training this network

- 1. Define the network
- 2. Prepare the training data pipeline
- 3. Specify Loss and Optimizer
- 4. Train the model to minimize loss using optimizer.
- 5. Test the model.

1. Define Network

```
def base_model():
  inputs = tf.keras.Input(shape=(784,), name='clothing')
  x = tf.keras.layers.Dense(64, activation='relu', name='dense_1')(inputs)
  x = tf.keras.layers.Dense(64, activation='relu', name='dense_2')(x)
  outputs = tf.keras.layers.Dense(10, activation='softmax', name='predictions')(x)
  model = tf.keras.Model(inputs=inputs, outputs=outputs)
  return model
```

2. Prepare Training Data Pipeline

- 1. Load Fashion MNIST using TensorFlow Datasets
- 2. We normalize the inputs pixels to restrict them between 0 and 1.
- 3. Split dataset into training and test sets.

```
train_data = tfds.load("fashion_mnist", split = "train")
test_data = tfds.load("fashion_mnist", split = "test")
def format_image(data):
     image = data["image"]
     image = tf.reshape(image, [-1])
     image = tf.cast(image, 'float32')
     image = image / 255.0
     return image, data["label"]
train_data = train_data.map(format_image)
test_data = test_data.map(format_image)
batch_size = 64
train = train_data.shuffle(buffer_size=1024).batch(batch_size)
test = test_data.batch(batch_size=batch_size)
train_data = tfds.load("fashion_mnist", split = "train")
test_data = tfds.load("fashion_mnist", split = "test")
def format_image(data):
                                                    Implement a function to format the data so that can
    image = data["image"]
                                                    First thing we'll want to do is format the image and flatten it into a one-dimensional array
    image = tf.reshape(image, [-1])
                                                    Then we'll use tf.cast to convert the pixels from integers into floating point values so that we can divide by 255, which makes all of the image value in a range from zero to one.
    image = tf.cast(image, 'float32')
    image = image / 255.0
                                                    Then we'll return both the formatted image and its associated label as a tuple.
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def format_image(data):
    image = data["image"]
                                                               We'll use the map function on the training data to apply this format image function on each image in
    image = tf.reshape(image, [-1])
    image = tf.cast(image, 'float32')
    image = image / 255.0
                                                               Similarly, we'll call map to format each example in the test data.
    return image, data["label"]
train_data = train_data.map(format_image)
test_data = test_data.map(format_image)
batch_size = 64
train = train_data.shuffle(buffer_size=1024).batch(batch_size)
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    image = image / 255.0
    return image, data["label"]

train_data = train_data.map(format_image)

test_data = test_data.map(format_image)

batch_size = 64

train = train_data.shuffle(buffer_size=1024).batch(batch_size)

test = test_data.batch(batch_size=batch_size)

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```

3. Define Loss and Optimizer

```
optimizer = tf.keras.optimizers.Adam()

Next, we can pick our loss function and our optimizer. For the loss function, we want a function that handles categorical prediction as we're classifying 10 different categories clothing.

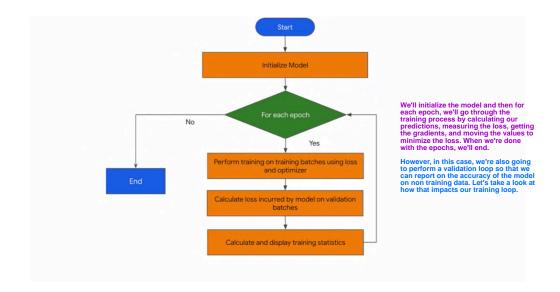
We can pick sparse categorical cross entropy. We use the sparse version of categorical cross entropy when the categor labels are integers and not already one-hot
```

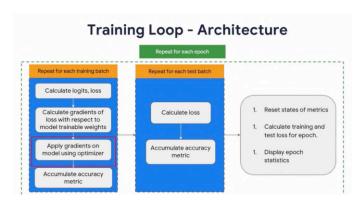
loss_object = tf.keras.losses.SparseCategoricalCrossentropy()

The sparse version is a little bit more memory and computation efficient than the regular categorical cross entropy two.

4. Define Custom Training Loop

- 1. For each epoch, loop through the training batches and calculate gradients
- 2. These gradients are used according to the optimization algorithm chosen, to update the trainable weights of the model.
- 3. Loop through validation batches and calculate validation loss.





The from loop that performs the training over n number of epochs can further be broken down as shown here. Let's dive in a little further.

For each batch in the training data, we first calculate the logits and that's the output of the model on the current input batch, as well as the loss value for these as calculated by the loss function. We'll then calculate the gradients of loss with respect to each of the model trainable variables. We'll then update the model trainable variables using these gradients and the optimizer, and then finally, we'll calculate the accuracy metric.

This simply gives us the quotient of how many of the predictions were correct, divided by how many predictions were attempted by the model.

On each batch in the test set, we calculate the loss using the loss function, as well as the accuracy metric by counting how many predictions for the test set were correct and dividing by the number of test examples of the model predicted on.

We can then calculate the training loss for the entire epoch by taking the mean of the losses for each batch in the training set. We perform the same on the test losses to get the overall test loss for the epoch.

Finally, we display the training statistics for each epoch. After that, we can reset the states of the metrics so that they're fresh for the next epoch. Let's now look at that in code.

Define Custom Training Loop model = base_model() epochs = 20 for epoch in range(epochs): #Run through training batch losses_train = train_data_for_one_epoch() #Calculate validation losses and metrics. losses_val = perform_validation() losses_train_mean = np.mean(losses_train) losses_val_mean = np.mean(losses_val) Here's the code for 20 epoch training loop. We'll start by instantiating the model. This was defined earlier in the base model function.

Define Custom Training Loop

```
model = base_model()
epochs = 20
for epoch in range(epochs):

#Run through training batch
losses_train = train_data_for_one_epoch()

#Calculate validation losses and metrics.
losses_val = perform_validation()

losses_train_mean = np.mean(losses_train)
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The training will take place in the train data for one epoch function that we'll see shortly. This will return the set of losses for the training data for the current epoch.

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To validate on the test set, we'll create a perform validation function, which you'll also see shortly. This will return the losses value for the current epoch.

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```

We can then calculate the mean of the losses on both raining and validation sets using these values, so we can report an epoch by epoch loss progress.

Define Custom Training Loop

```
def train_data_for_one_epoch():

losses = []

for step, (x_batch_train, y_batch_train) in enumerate(train_datset):

logits, loss_value = apply_gradient(optimizer, model, x_batch_train, y_batch_train)

losses.append(loss_value)

return losses
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As our data is in batches, we have to train in a number of steps. At each iteration of the for loop, the train data set iterator yields a batch of 64 examples, which is the tuple of x batch train and y batch train.

We're using enumerate to handle the batch number at each loop. The step integer is used also when printing out the status of this step.
```

Define Custom Training Loop

```
ror each step, we train
apply gradlent, giving it the
optimizer, the model, and
the current training batch.

def train_data_for_one_epoch():
    This will give us back the
    logits and the loss value.
    This is a custom function
    that you'll write shortly.

for step, (x_batch_train, y_batch_train) in enumerate(train_datset):
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the loss value for this batch to the losses array

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When the loop is done, we'll return the losses. Remember earlier that the training loop that calls this function then averages these out to get the overall loss.

Do note here that if your batch size doesn't divide into the training set evenly, that the final batch will have a different size from the other batches and that can skew the overall average, maybe only a little bit, but it will still be skewed.

For example, M-Nesh has 60,000 items in the training set. If you had for example, used a batch size of 25,000, then you'd have three batches, 25,000, 25,000, and 10,000.

The overall average loss would be biased in favor of the 10,000 batch using this methodology.
```

Calculate and Apply Gradients

```
def apply_gradient(optimizer, model, x, y):
    with tf.GradientTape() as tape:
        logits = model(x)
        loss_value = loss_object(y_true=y, y_pred=logits)

gradients = tape.gradient(loss_value, model.trainable_weights)
    optimizer.apply_gradients(zip(gradients, model.trainable_weights))

return logits, loss_value
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```

Calculate and Apply Gradients

```
We can then use the optimizer to update. Model's trainable weights using the calculated gradients

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optimizer.apply_gradients(zip(gradients, model.trainable_weights))

return logits, loss_value
```

Calculate Validation Loss

```
We create an
array to hold all
the losses.

losses = []

#Run through the validation batches
for x_val, y_val in test:
   val_logits = model(x_val)
   val_loss = loss_object(y_true=y_val, y_pred=val_logits)
   losses.append(val_loss)
return losses
```

Calculate Validation Loss

```
Then we iterate through everty batch in the test

def perform_validation():
   losses = []
   #Run through the validation batches

for x_val, y_val in test:
   val_logits = model(x_val)
   val_loss = loss_object(y_true=y_val, y_pred=val_logits)
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```

losses.append(val_loss)

return losses

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results of that to the array of losses.

def perform_validation():

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Calculate Validation Loss

```
Return it to the caller when finished.

If you recall, this was called form within the training loop and the validation losses were averaged out to report on the overall validation loss

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```

Metrics in Keras

- Metrics can be modelled as function or class.
- Defined in *tf.keras.metrics*
 - mean_squared_error(...)class MeanSquaredError
 - mean_absolute_error(...) class MeanAbsoluteError

https://www.tensorflow.org/api_docs/python/tf/keras/metrics

Low Level Handling of Metrics

- 1. Call **metric.update_state()** to accumulate metric statistics after each batch.
- 2. Call metric.result to get current value of metric for display.
- 3. Call *metric.reset_state()* to reset metric value typically at end of epoch.

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Low Level Handling of Metrics in Practice

```
train_acc_metric = tf.keras.metrics.SparseCategoricalAccuracy()
val_acc_metric = tf.keras.metrics.SparseCategoricalAccuracy()
```

Low Level Handling of Metrics - Training

```
can then simply update the state of the training accuracy metric by calling its update state, sending it the ground truth labels, in this case y_batch_train, and the current predictions, logits.

The metric object will then do the rest by calculating loss, accuracy, ect.

for step, (x_batch_train, y_batch_train) in enumerate(train_datset):

...

#Accumulate metrics
train_acc_metric.update_state(y_batch_train, logits)

return losses
```

Low Level Handling of Metrics - Training

```
for epoch in range(epochs):

#Run through training batch

losses_train = train_data_for_one_epoch()

"train_acc = train_acc_metric.result()

train_acc_metric.reset_states()

...
```

Low Level Handling of Metrics - Validation

```
def perform_validation():

losses = []

for x_val, y_val in test_dataset:

logits = model(x_val)

...

#Accumulate metrics

val_acc_metric.update_state(y_val, logits)

return losses
```

Low Level Handling of Metrics - Validation

```
| loop, after we have done validation, we can load a variable val_acc with the result of the metric, and treset the metric so it's rei to go into the next loop.

#Run through training batch
| losses_val = perform_validation()

| val_acc = val_acc_metric.result() | val_acc_metric.reset_states() | ...
```

6. Validate the Model

- 1. Show training progress and calculate loss and accuracy for each epoch.
- 2. Draw plots for loss function.
- 3. Visualize performance on test data.