# CS1470/2470 HW1: KNN (with MNIST)

In this homework assignment, you will experience the overall machine learning process from start to end by implementing your own version of the **k-Nearest Neighbors** algorithm.

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In [1]: !python -VV

Python 3.9.12 (main, Apr 5 2022, 01:52:34)
[Clang 12.0.0]
```

If you are running the notebook on Colab, you need to mount your drive or repo. An example of these is provided here.

```
In [2]: import os
import sys

## Path to data
data_path = "data"
#data_path = "/Users/kylejung/Documents/GitHub/hw1-knn-JungKyle/hw1/code/data

## Make sure the data is downloaded appropriately
![ ! -d "$data_path" ] && cd .. && bash download.sh && cd code
```

## Preprocessing

## **Data Preparation**

In a machine learning project, you need a separate train set and a test set. Sometimes, you also need a validation set to fit hyperparameters, but for this homework assignment, we are not going to use a validation set.

#### **Code Block #1: Preprocessing**

- 1. Load the full train and test datasets by using the function get\_data\_MNIST in preprocess.py .
  - DO NOT shuffle the dataset. It's usually a good practice to do so, but don't do it
    here for the sake of simplicity. You will shuffle the dataset at the CIFAR part of
    the hoemwork assignment.
- 2. Keep only a small subset of the full datasets by using the function get\_subset in preprocess.py .
  - For the train set, keep only 1000 images and labels for each digit, so that your train image array should have the shape (10000, 784), and your train label array should have the shape (10000,)
  - For the test set, 250 images and labels for each digit, so the shapes are (2500, 784), and (2500,).

```
In [8]: from preprocess import *

digit_list = [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]

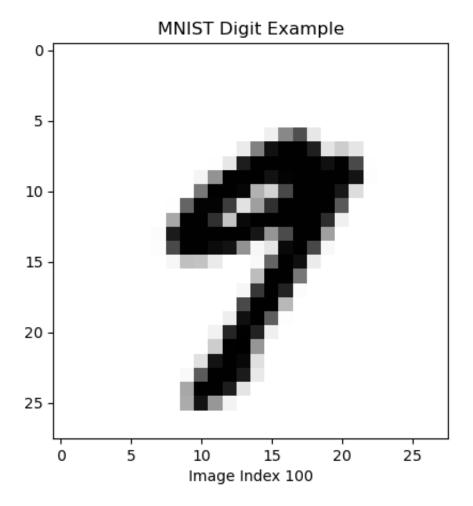
## TODO: Implement preprocessing step as described above,
## implementing preprocess.py in the process
image_train_full, label_train_full = get_data_MNIST("train", data_path)
image_test_full, label_test_full = get_data_MNIST("test", data_path)
image_train, label_train = image_train_full[:10000*784].reshape(10000,784),
image_test, label_test = image_test_full[:2500*784].reshape(2500,784), label_test
```

### **Data Visualization**

Matplotlib's pyplot module is a good starting point to create a quick and dirty way of visually inspecting your data.

```
In [5]: plt.imshow(image_test[20].reshape(28, 28), cmap = "Greys")
    plt.xlabel("Image Index 100")
    plt.title("MNIST Digit Example")

Out[5]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'MNIST Digit Example')
```



However, if you want to do something more complicated, Pyplot's feature is quite limited. You probably want to use the lower-level Figure and Axis API directly.

```
In [6]: indices_to_inspect = list(range(0, 1000, 100))
fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 10)
fig.set_size_inches(12, 1.2)

for i, each_image in enumerate(indices_to_inspect):
    ax[i].imshow(image_train[each_image].reshape(28, 28), cmap = "Greys")
    ax[i].tick_params(left=False)
    ax[i].tick_params(bottom=False)
    ax[i].tick_params(labelleft=False)
    ax[i].tick_params(labelbottom=False)
    ax[i].set_xlabel(f"{each_image}")
```

## **KNN**

## **Model Building**

Now it's time to make your own implementation of the k-Nearest Neighbors algorithm.

#### Code Block #2: Building the model

Create a KNN model, or an instance of the class KNN\_Model and fit it with the train dataset.

- Although, k\_neighbors can be any integer in theory, keep k\_neighbors == 9
  in this homework assignment.
- The name of the KNN\_Model instance must be model\_mnist, so that you can run the following Code Blocks without trouble.

```
In [43]: from KNN_Model import KNN_Model

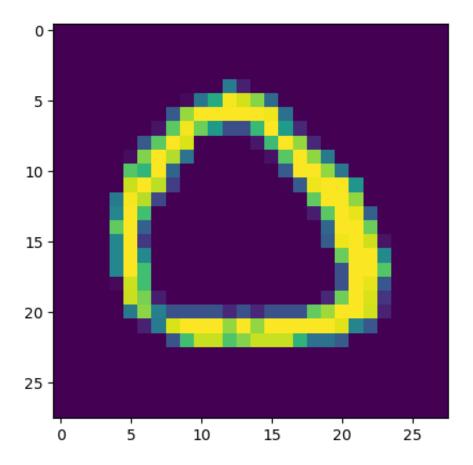
## TODO: Implement training step as described above,
## implementing model.py in the process
k_neighbors=9
class_list=np.array([0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9])
model_mnist = KNN_Model(class_list,k_neighbors)
model_mnist.fit(image_train,label_train)
```

We can try the model with a sample image that the model has never seen before.

#### Model Visualization

#### Code Block #3: Interacting with the model

```
In [26]: ## Pull in a specific image
    sample_image = image_test[126].copy()
    ## TODO: Show what the image looks like using plt.imshow
    plt.imshow(sample_image.reshape(28,28))
Out[26]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x13f629790>
```

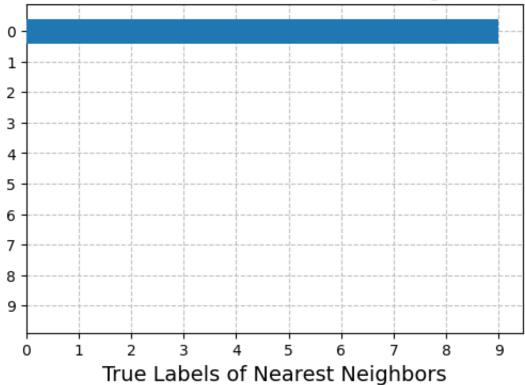


In [52]: ## TODO: Figure out the closest k neighbors based on the model.

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print(class_counts)
         print(nearest_indices)
         [9 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0]
         [4849 3906 6406 2340 7052 8812 9986 4686 7050]
In [61]: fig_knn, ax_knn = plt.subplots()
         digit counts = model mnist.get neighbor counts(sample image)
         ax knn.barh(y=digit list, width=digit counts, zorder=100)
         ax_knn.invert_yaxis()
         ax knn.set yticks(digit list)
         ax_knn.set_xticks(np.arange(1 + np.max(digit_counts)))
         ax_knn.set_title("KNN Classification on a Test Image", fontsize=14)
         ax_knn.set_xlabel("True Labels of Nearest Neighbors", fontsize=14)
         ax knn.grid(linestyle="dashed", color="#bfbfbf", zorder=-100)
         fig_knn.set_size_inches([6, 4])
         # You can also save the figure in the pdf, png, and svg formats
          # fig.savefig(f"KNN_Test_Image_MNIST.png", dpi=300, bbox_inches="tight")
```

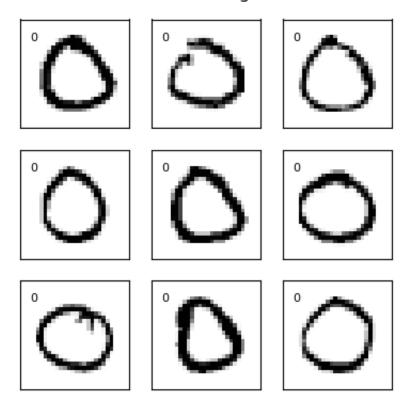
class counts, nearest indices = model mnist.get neighbor counts(sample image





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for each_ax, each_neighbor in zip(ax_nearest.flat, nearest_indices):
    each_ax.imshow(model_mnist.image_train[each_neighbor].reshape(28, 28), c
    each_ax.tick_params(bottom=False, left=False, labelbottom=False, labelle
    each_ax.text(2, 5, model_mnist.label_train[each_neighbor],
        fontsize=8, bbox = dict(color="White", alpha=0.75))
    fig_nearest.suptitle("Nearest Images", y = 0.95)
```

### Nearest Images



## **Evaluation**

It is time to evaluate the model.

## **Overall Accuracy**

#### **Code Block #4: Overall accuracy**

- 1. Get predictions on every image in the test dataset.
- 2. Calculate and print out the overall accuracy of the model, which is defined as the number of correct predictions divided by the number of all predictions.

#### **Confusion Matrix**

#### **Code Block #5: Confusion matrix**

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In [73]: ## TODO: Get the confusion matrix (hint: see KNN_ConfMtx)
          confusion_mat = model_mnist.get_confusion_matrix(label_test, prediction_arra
          print(confusion mat)
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In [75]: fig_confusion, ax_confusion = model_mnist.visualize_confusion_matrix(confusi
          #I did not try to fix this error since there was no To Do in the KNN ConfMtx
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ValueError
                                           Traceback (most recent call last)
Cell In [75], line 1
----> 1 fig confusion, ax confusion = model mnist.visualize confusion matrix
(confusion_mat)
File ~/Documents/GitHub/hw1-knn-JungKyle/hw1/code/KNN ConfMtx.py:72, in KNN
ConfMtx.visualize_confusion_matrix(self, confusion_mat)
     64 for each true index, each pred index \
            in itertools.product(range(num classes), range(num classes)):
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            ax confusion.text(each pred index,
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                              each_true_index,
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                              confusion_mat[each_true_index, each_pred_index
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                              ha = "center",
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                              va = "center")
---> 72 fig confusion.colorbar(
            mpl.cm.ScalarMappable(norm=norm, cmap=cmap),
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     74
            orientation="vertical",
     75
            label="Counts",
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            shrink = 0.83)
     78 fig confusion.set_size_inches([8, 8])
     80 return fig confusion, ax confusion
File /opt/miniconda3/envs/tensorflow/lib/python3.9/site-packages/matplotlib/
figure.py:1256, in FigureBase.colorbar(self, mappable, cax, ax, use gridspec
, **kwarqs)
   1254 if cax is None:
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                    'the Colorbar, provide the *ax* argument to steal space
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                    'from it, or add *mappable* to an Axes.')
            current ax = self.qca()
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            userax = False
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ValueError: Unable to determine Axes to steal space for Colorbar. Either pro
vide the *cax* argument to use as the Axes for the Colorbar, provide the *ax
* argument to steal space from it, or add *mappable* to an Axes.
```

file:///Users/kylejung/Downloads/HW1\_MNIST.html

