#### Installation

Follow the instructions in Install.md

[CHANGE: Add more info about what exactly these dependencies are and how to install them (?). Also clarify the note about installing dependencies in non-standard paths]

1) Install Magma

[CHANGE: Add info about installing Magma, including architecture]

- 2) MagmaDNN Git clone from repository page (HTTPS is simplest?), or alternatively tar
  - a) Developer should clone as it's continuously updated, user can use tar
- 3) OpenCV can be skipped

[CHANGE: some instructions need to be added after vim make.inc]

- 4) May need sudo when doing make install
- 5) Before make test, do vim ~/.bashrc

[CHANGE: Add info about this]

a) add paths to libraries (colon-separated) – /usr/local/magma/lib, /usr/local/magmadnn/lib (before :\$LD\_LIBRARY\_PATH)

export

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LD LIBRARY PATH=[path]:[path]:...:$LD LIBRARY PATH
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b) After closing the bashrc file (:wq), do source ~/.bashrc in order to apply the changes to the bashrc file

[CHANGE: Specify that xdg-open can be used to open files, such as refman.pdf, README.md, html files, etc]

[CHANGE: Specify that when you make, do make \_\_\_\_-j12, e.g. make doc -j12. This way, the make is much faster.]

[CHANGE: Add descriptions to examples – list layers at the top of each example, in code]

[CHANGE: Any changes to Install.md must also be carried over to tutorial 0 – 00\_installing.md]

## **Tutorials**

in docs folder

in tutorials folder, tutorial\_samples has runnable tutorials

[CHANGE: Add readme for tutorials, including how to compile tutorial files]

#### 1. Hello World

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#### 2. Tensors

Tensors allow storage of important information – like matrices

4 parameters in the constructor

- 1. shape dimensions of tensor (max 4 dimensions?)
- 2. tensor\_filler\_t specifies the data the tensor will be initialized with
- 3. memory\_t memory type of data
- 4. device t very rarely used

HOST = CPU, DEVICE = GPU

Row major storage - memory is stored by rows

### 3. Compute Graph

### 4. Optimizers

[CHANGE: something about momentum and "0.f"]

#### 5. First Neural Network

[CHANGE: Add layers tutorial]

[CHANGE: Clarify code on model.fit line with "labels" – something about MNIST]

[CHANGE: Add a flatten layer in tutorial sample]

[CHANGE: For tutorial sample, add info to readme about sh MNIST]

# Software

## Layers

In magmadnn/include/layer

[discussion about sparsity in the future]

Layers inherit from layers.h

• in a class, <u>virtual</u> methods are ones that must be implemented in classes that inherit from the class

# **Operations**

/include/compute

\_grad\_cache is a map, used to check if eval has already been done

Istmlayer vs simpleIstm