

Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Fundamentals

Activity 14: Written Digit Detection

In this section, we will discuss how to provide more security for cryptocurrency traders via the detection of hand-written digits. We will be using assuming that you are a software developer at a new cryptocurrency trader platform. The latest security measure you are implementing requires the recognition of hand-written digits. Use the MNIST library to train a neural network to recognize digits. You can read more about this dataset at https://www.tensorflow.org/tutorials/.

Improve the accuracy of the model as much as possible by performing the following steps:

- 1. Load the dataset and format the input.
- 2. Set up the TensorFlow graph. Instead of the sigmoid function, we will now use the ReLU function.
- 3. Train the model.
- 4. Test the model and calculate the accuracy score.
- 5. By re-running the code segment that's responsible for training the dataset, we can improve its accuracy. Run the code 50 times.
- 6. Print the confusion matrix.

At the end of the fiftieth run, the confusion matrix has improved.

Not a bad result. More than 8 out of 10 digits were accurately recognized.