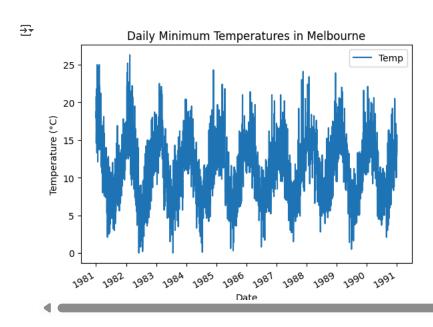
Assignment 3: Time-Series Forecasting with RNN Variants

```
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import tensorflow as tf
from tensorflow.keras.models import Sequential
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Dense, LSTM, GRU, Conv1D, MaxPooling1D, Dropout
from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler
from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error
```

Load and Visualize Data

```
# Load daily temperature data
data_url = 'https://raw.githubusercontent.com/jbrownlee/Datasets/master/daily-min-temperatures.csv'
temperature_df = pd.read_csv(data_url, parse_dates=['Date'], index_col='Date')

# Plot temperature trend
temperature_df.plot(title="Daily-Minimum-Temperatures-in-Melbourne")
plt.xlabel("Date")
plt.ylabel("Temperature (°C)")
plt.show()
```



Data Preprocessing

```
# Normalize the temperature data
scaler = MinMaxScaler()
normalized_temp = scaler.fit_transform(temperature_df[['Temp']])
# Convert data into sequences
def generate_sequences(data, window_size):
    inputs, targets = [], []
    for i in range(len(data) - window_size):
        inputs.append(data[i:i + window size])
        targets.append(data[i + window_size])
    return np.array(inputs), np.array(targets)
window_size = 30
X_all, y_all = generate_sequences(normalized_temp, window_size)
\ensuremath{\text{\#}} Split into train, validation, and test sets
train_end = int(len(X_all) * 0.7)
val_end = int(len(X_all) * 0.9)
X_train = X_all[:train_end]
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y_train = y_all[:train_end]
X_val = X_all[train_end:val_end]
y_val = y_all[train_end:val_end]
X_test = X_all[val_end:]
y_test = y_all[val_end:]
print(f"Training samples: {X_train.shape}, Validation samples: {X_val.shape}, Test samples: {X_test.shape}")
Training samples: (2534, 30, 1), Validation samples: (724, 30, 1), Test samples: (362, 30, 1)
LSTM Model
lstm model = Sequential([
    LSTM(50, return_sequences=True, input_shape=(window_size, 1)),
    Dropout(0.2),
    LSTM(30),
    Dense(1)
1)
lstm_model.compile(optimizer='adam', loss='mae')
history_lstm = lstm_model.fit(X_train, y_train, epochs=20, batch_size=32, validation_data=(X_val, y_val))
val_predictions_lstm = lstm_model.predict(X_val)
lstm_mae = mean_absolute_error(y_val, val_predictions_lstm)
print(f"LSTM Validation MAE: {lstm_mae:.4f}")

→ Epoch 1/20

     /usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/keras/src/layers/rnn/rnn.py:200: UserWarning: Do not pass an `input_shape`/`input_dim` argument
       super().__init__(**kwargs)
     80/80
                               • 5s 25ms/step - loss: 0.1784 - val_loss: 0.0808
     Epoch 2/20
                               - 2s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0877 - val_loss: 0.0799
     80/80
     Epoch 3/20
     80/80
                              - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0892 - val_loss: 0.0793
     Epoch 4/20
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0849 - val_loss: 0.0775
     80/80
     Epoch 5/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0855 - val_loss: 0.0795
     Epoch 6/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0882 - val_loss: 0.0890
     Epoch 7/20
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0876 - val_loss: 0.0772
     80/80
     Epoch 8/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0841 - val_loss: 0.0753
     Epoch 9/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0820 - val_loss: 0.0756
     Epoch 10/20
     80/80
                              - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0826 - val_loss: 0.0729
     Epoch 11/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0826 - val_loss: 0.0731
     Epoch 12/20
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                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0805 - val_loss: 0.0721
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                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0775 - val_loss: 0.0710
     Epoch 14/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0772 - val_loss: 0.0724
     Epoch 15/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 19ms/step - loss: 0.0777 - val_loss: 0.0692
     Epoch 16/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 19ms/step - loss: 0.0755 - val_loss: 0.0732
     Epoch 17/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0771 - val_loss: 0.0689
     Epoch 18/20
     80/80
                               - 1s 18ms/step - loss: 0.0758 - val_loss: 0.0702
     Epoch 19/20
     80/80
                               - 1s 18ms/step - loss: 0.0777 - val_loss: 0.0733
     Epoch 20/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 19ms/step - loss: 0.0759 - val_loss: 0.0698
     23/23
                                1s 17ms/step
     LSTM Validation MAE: 0.0698
```

GRU Model

```
gru_model = Sequential([
    GRU(50, return_sequences=True, input_shape=(window_size, 1)),
```

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Dropout(0.2),
    GRU(30),
    Dense(1)
])
gru_model.compile(optimizer='adam', loss='mae')
history_gru = gru_model.fit(X_train, y_train, epochs=20, batch_size=32, validation_data=(X val, y val))
val_predictions_gru = gru_model.predict(X_val)
gru_mae = mean_absolute_error(y_val, val_predictions_gru)
print(f"GRU\ Validation\ MAE:\ \{gru\_mae:.4f\}")
    Epoch 1/20
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     /usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/keras/src/layers/rnn/rnn.py:200: UserWarning: Do not pass an `input shape`/`input dim` argument
       super().__init__(**kwargs)
     80/80
                               - 5s 28ms/step - loss: 0.1406 - val_loss: 0.0766
     Epoch 2/20
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0856 - val_loss: 0.0765
     80/80 -
     Epoch 3/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 23ms/step - loss: 0.0832 - val loss: 0.0731
     Epoch 4/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0811 - val_loss: 0.0776
     Epoch 5/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0790 - val loss: 0.0713
     Epoch 6/20
     80/80 -
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0843 - val_loss: 0.0757
     Epoch 7/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0758 - val loss: 0.0702
     Epoch 8/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0761 - val_loss: 0.0704
     Epoch 9/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0756 - val_loss: 0.0694
     Epoch 10/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0762 - val loss: 0.0712
     Epoch 11/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0778 - val_loss: 0.0724
     Epoch 12/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0767 - val loss: 0.0693
     Epoch 13/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0756 - val_loss: 0.0700
     Epoch 14/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0762 - val_loss: 0.0692
     Epoch 15/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 23ms/step - loss: 0.0752 - val_loss: 0.0701
     Epoch 16/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0748 - val_loss: 0.0691
     Epoch 17/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0740 - val loss: 0.0696
     Epoch 18/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0736 - val_loss: 0.0691
     Epoch 19/20
     80/80
                               - 2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0736 - val loss: 0.0741
     Epoch 20/20
     80/80
                                2s 20ms/step - loss: 0.0759 - val_loss: 0.0738
     23/23
                               - 1s 19ms/step
     GRU Validation MAE: 0.0738
```

Conv1D + LSTM Model

```
conv_lstm_model = Sequential([
    Conv1D(filters=64, kernel_size=3, activation='relu', input_shape=(window_size, 1)),
    MaxPooling1D(pool_size=2),
    LSTM(30),
    Dense(1)
])
conv_lstm_model.compile(optimizer='adam', loss='mae')
history_conv_lstm = conv_lstm_model.fit(X_train, y_train, epochs=20, batch_size=32, validation_data=(X_val, y_val))
val_predictions_conv = conv_lstm_model.predict(X_val)
conv_mae = mean_absolute_error(y_val, val_predictions_conv)
print(f"Conv1D + LSTM Validation MAE: {conv_mae:.4f}")

Epoch 1/20
/usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/keras/src/layers/convolutional/base_conv.py:107: UserWarning: Do not pass an `input_shape`/`input_super().__init__(activity_regularizer=activity_regularizer, **kwargs)
```

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- 3s 11ms/step - loss: 0.1766 - val_loss: 0.0832
80/80
Epoch 2/20
80/80
                         - 1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0845 - val_loss: 0.0768
Epoch 3/20
80/80
                         - 1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0829 - val_loss: 0.0758
Epoch 4/20
80/80
                          - 1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0835 - val loss: 0.0749
Epoch 5/20
                         - 1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0836 - val_loss: 0.0737
80/80
Epoch 6/20
80/80 -
                          - 1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0837 - val_loss: 0.0741
Epoch 7/20
80/80
                           1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0820 - val_loss: 0.0719
Epoch 8/20
                         - 1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0787 - val_loss: 0.0716
80/80
Epoch 9/20
80/80
                          - 1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0780 - val_loss: 0.0770
Epoch 10/20
80/80
                         - 1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0778 - val_loss: 0.0730
Epoch 11/20
80/80
                          - 1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0788 - val loss: 0.0725
Epoch 12/20
80/80
                         - 1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0755 - val_loss: 0.0732
Epoch 13/20
80/80
                          - 1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0764 - val_loss: 0.0755
Epoch 14/20
80/80
                          - 1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0749 - val_loss: 0.0740
Epoch 15/20
80/80
                          - 1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0786 - val_loss: 0.0706
Epoch 16/20
80/80
                          - 1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0760 - val_loss: 0.0704
Epoch 17/20
80/80
                          - 1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0735 - val_loss: 0.0704
Epoch 18/20
80/80
                          - 1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0744 - val loss: 0.0749
Epoch 19/20
80/80
                           1s 7ms/step - loss: 0.0783 - val_loss: 0.0706
Epoch 20/20
80/80
                           1s 8ms/step - loss: 0.0715 - val_loss: 0.0700
23/23
                          - 0s 10ms/step
Conv1D + LSTM Validation MAE: 0.0700
```

Results Summary and Comparison

```
results_df = pd.DataFrame({
    'Model': ['LSTM', 'GRU', 'Conv1D + LSTM'],
    'Validation MAE': [lstm_mae, gru_mae, conv_mae]
})

print(results_df)
results_df.plot(kind='bar', x='Model', y='Validation MAE', title='Model Comparison', legend=False)
plt.ylabel("Mean Absolute Error")
plt.xticks(rotation=0)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

