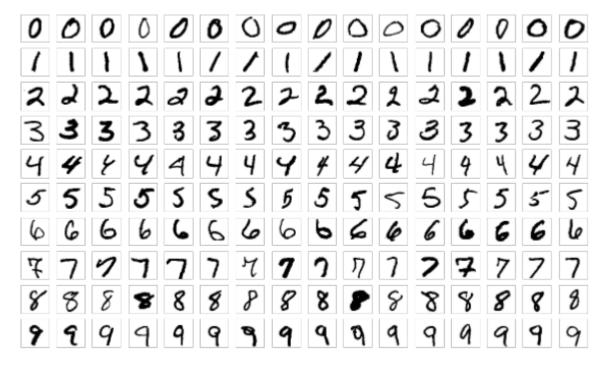
# Handwritten Digit Classifier Using the MNIST Dataset

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This project will create and evaluate a handwritten digit classifier based on the MNIST dataset

# **References and Sources**

The following links contain useful resources that provide information relating to this project. Some of the sources provide background information while others answer questions specifically relating to the implementation of the classifier.

https://www.tensorflow.org/datasets/catalog/mnist

Background information on the MNIST dataset

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MNIST\_database

Background information on the MNIST dataset

https://keras.io/examples/vision/mnist\_convnet/

An example CNN classifier for the MNIST dataset

 https://github.com/the-deep-learners/deep-learningillustrated/blob/master/notebooks/shallow\_net\_in\_keras.ipynb

An example shallow classifier for the MNIST dataset

 https://stackoverflow.com/questions/68836551/keras-attributeerror-sequential-object-has-noattribute-predict-classes

How to get an array of the predictions from a Keras classifier

 https://scikitlearn.org/stable/modules/generated/sklearn.metrics.ConfusionMatrixDisplay.html#sklearn.metrics.C

Scikit-learn documentation to create a confusion matrix

• https://scikit-learn.org/stable/auto\_examples/classification/plot\_digits\_classification.html

Scikit-learn documentation example of a confusion matrix for a digit classifier

# Setup

```
from tensorflow import keras
from keras.datasets import mnist
from keras.models import Sequential
from keras.layers import Dense
from tensorflow.keras.optimizers import SGD
from sklearn import metrics
from tensorflow.keras import layers
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
```

# Load and prepare the data

```
Out[3]: (60000, 28, 28)
In [4]:
         y_train.shape
        (60000,)
Out[4]:
In [5]:
         y_train[0:12]
        array([5, 0, 4, 1, 9, 2, 1, 3, 1, 4, 3, 5], dtype=uint8)
Out[5]:
In [6]:
         plt.figure(figsize=(5,5))
         for k in range(12):
             plt.subplot(3, 4, k+1)
             plt.imshow(X_train[k], cmap='Greys')
             plt.axis('off')
         plt.tight_layout()
         plt.show()
In [7]:
         X_valid.shape
        (10000, 28, 28)
Out[7]:
In [8]:
         y_valid.shape
        (10000,)
Out[8]:
```

In [9]:

Out[9]:

In [10]:

y\_valid[0]

plt.imshow(X\_valid[0], cmap='Greys')

```
plt.axis('off')
plt.show()
```



```
In [11]:
          # Reshape (flatten) images
          X_train_reshaped = X_train.reshape(60000, 784).astype('float32')
          X_valid_reshaped = X_valid.reshape(10000, 784).astype('float32')
          # Scale images to the [0, 1] range
          X_train_scaled_reshaped = X_train_reshaped / 255
          X_valid_scaled_reshaped = X_valid_reshaped / 255
          # Renaming for conciseness
          X_training = X_train_scaled_reshaped
          X_validation = X_valid_scaled_reshaped
          print("X_training shape (after reshaping + scaling):", X_training.shape)
          print(X_training.shape[0], "train samples")
          print("X_validation shape (after reshaping + scaling):", X_validation.shape)
          print(X_validation.shape[0], "validation samples")
         X_training shape (after reshaping + scaling): (60000, 784)
         60000 train samples
         X validation shape (after reshaping + scaling): (10000, 784)
         10000 validation samples
In [12]:
          # convert class vectors to binary class matrices
          y_training = keras.utils.to_categorical(y_train, num_classes)
          y_validation = keras.utils.to_categorical(y_valid, num_classes)
In [13]:
          print(y_valid[0])
          print(y_validation[0])
         [0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 1. 0. 0.]
```

## **Question 1**

Explain the meaning and contents of X\_training, y\_training, X\_validation, and y\_validation

X\_training is a tensor that contains the data for training the model while y\_training is a tensor that contains the labels for the training data. X\_validation is a tensor that contains the data for validating the model while y\_validation is a tensor that contains the labels for the validation data. All four tensors are rank-2 tensors because they are arrays of arrays. The labels are represented in an array such that there are ten elements in each array and a 1 is present at the index that corresponds to the label. For example, the label 2 is represented by [0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0]. The data is represented in an array that was created by flattening a 28 by 28 pixel grid into an array of 784 elements. Each element in the array represents a greyscale pixel with a value in the range of 0 to 1 with 1 being black and 0 being white.

As an example, X\_training [0] would give you an array of 784 numbers in the range 0-1 that represents the first digit in the dataset. y\_training [0] would give you an array of 10 numbers with a 1 in the index that represents the label of the first digit in the dataset. X\_training [1] and y\_training [1] would give you the data and label for the second digit in the dataset and so on.

## PART 1 - Shallow neural network architecture

```
In [14]:
       model = Sequential()
       model.add(Dense(64, activation='sigmoid', input shape=(784,)))
       model.add(Dense(10, activation='softmax'))
In [15]:
       model.summary()
       Model: "sequential"
        Layer (type)
                             Output Shape
                                                 Param #
       ______
        dense (Dense)
                             (None, 64)
                                                 50240
        dense_1 (Dense)
                             (None, 10)
                                                 650
       ______
       Total params: 50,890
       Trainable params: 50,890
       Non-trainable params: 0
```

## **Question 2**

## Explain the meaning of the results you get when you run model.summary()

When you run model.summary(), the output shows the structure of the neural network's architecture. It displays the Keras model type along with the layers and the information associated with each layer. The summary shows us that the model type is sequential and that there are two layers in the model. The first layer has an output shape of 64 and contains 50,240 parameters. This output shape refers to the fact that the output of the first layer will be a rank-2 tensor with the innermost array having 64 elements in it. The 50,240 parameters are the weights and biases that the model updates in order to train the model. There are 64 outputs and 784 inputs and there is one

weight for each connection from the input to the layer, so there are  $784\ 64 = 50,176\ weights$ . Each output also has a bias so there are 50,176+64=50,240 total trainable parameters. The second layer has an output shape of 10 and contains  $650\ parameters$ . This means that the output of the layer will be a rank-2 tensor with the innermost array containing 10 elements. This is the output layer of the model, so the 10 elements refer to the probability that the input is in one of the 10 classes. It contains  $650\ parameters\ because\ 64\ inputs\ are\ each\ connected\ to\ 10\ outputs\ with\ a\ weight\ for\ each\ connection,\ thus\ totaling\ 64\ 10=640\ weights$ . Adding the 10 biases for each output makes 640+10=650 trainable parameters for the second layer. Thus, adding all of the parameters you get 50,890. The bottom section then shows us that there are a total of 50,890 total parameters and trainable parameters.

```
In [16]: (64*784)
Out[16]: 50176

In [17]: (64*784)+64

Out[17]: 50240

In [18]: (10*64)+10

Out[18]: 650
```

## Configure model

The following two configurations will configure the model using different loss functions and optimizers. The second configuration with a loss function of mean\_squared\_error had about a 90% accuracy while the first configuration with a loss function of poisson had an accuracy of about 82%. After experimentation, it can be seen that the choice of loss function and optimizer has a significant impact on the performance of the model. The configuration is currently set to the original with a loss function of mean\_squared\_error.

```
if x == 1:
    model.compile(
        loss='poisson',
        optimizer='adadelta',
        metrics=['accuracy']
    )
    else:
    model.compile(
        loss='mean_squared_error',
        optimizer=SGD(learning_rate=0.01),
        metrics=['accuracy']
    )
```

#### Train!

```
In [20]: batch_size=128
epochs=500

history = model.fit(
    X_training, # training data
    y_training, # training targets
    epochs=epochs,
    batch_size=batch_size,
    verbose=1,
    validation_data=(X_validation, y_validation)
)
```

```
Epoch 1/500
val loss: 0.0927 - val accuracy: 0.0924
Epoch 2/500
- val loss: 0.0916 - val accuracy: 0.0809
Epoch 3/500
val loss: 0.0909 - val accuracy: 0.0854
Epoch 4/500
- val loss: 0.0903 - val accuracy: 0.0920
Epoch 5/500
- val_loss: 0.0899 - val_accuracy: 0.1051
Epoch 6/500
- val loss: 0.0895 - val accuracy: 0.1195
Epoch 7/500
- val_loss: 0.0891 - val_accuracy: 0.1527
Epoch 8/500
- val loss: 0.0888 - val accuracy: 0.2047
Epoch 9/500
- val loss: 0.0885 - val accuracy: 0.2533
Epoch 10/500
- val_loss: 0.0882 - val_accuracy: 0.2765
Epoch 11/500
- val loss: 0.0880 - val accuracy: 0.2867
Epoch 12/500
- val loss: 0.0877 - val accuracy: 0.2926
Epoch 13/500
- val_loss: 0.0874 - val_accuracy: 0.3009
Epoch 14/500
- val_loss: 0.0871 - val_accuracy: 0.3163
Epoch 15/500
- val loss: 0.0868 - val accuracy: 0.3313
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Epoch 16/500
- val_loss: 0.0865 - val_accuracy: 0.3510
Epoch 17/500
- val loss: 0.0862 - val accuracy: 0.3671
Epoch 18/500
- val_loss: 0.0859 - val_accuracy: 0.3786
Epoch 19/500
- val_loss: 0.0856 - val_accuracy: 0.3893
Epoch 20/500
- val_loss: 0.0853 - val_accuracy: 0.3996
Epoch 21/500
- val_loss: 0.0850 - val_accuracy: 0.4079
Epoch 22/500
- val loss: 0.0847 - val accuracy: 0.4156
Epoch 23/500
- val loss: 0.0843 - val accuracy: 0.4245
Epoch 24/500
- val_loss: 0.0840 - val_accuracy: 0.4330
Epoch 25/500
- val loss: 0.0836 - val accuracy: 0.4396
Epoch 26/500
- val loss: 0.0833 - val accuracy: 0.4468
Epoch 27/500
- val loss: 0.0829 - val accuracy: 0.4542
Epoch 28/500
- val loss: 0.0825 - val accuracy: 0.4592
Epoch 29/500
- val loss: 0.0821 - val accuracy: 0.4634
Epoch 30/500
- val_loss: 0.0817 - val_accuracy: 0.4681
Epoch 31/500
- val_loss: 0.0813 - val_accuracy: 0.4742
Epoch 32/500
- val loss: 0.0809 - val accuracy: 0.4794
Epoch 33/500
- val_loss: 0.0805 - val_accuracy: 0.4847
Epoch 34/500
- val_loss: 0.0800 - val_accuracy: 0.4903
Epoch 35/500
- val loss: 0.0796 - val accuracy: 0.4961
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Epoch 36/500
- val_loss: 0.0791 - val_accuracy: 0.5009
Epoch 37/500
- val loss: 0.0787 - val accuracy: 0.5065
Epoch 38/500
- val_loss: 0.0782 - val_accuracy: 0.5127
Epoch 39/500
- val_loss: 0.0778 - val_accuracy: 0.5166
Epoch 40/500
- val_loss: 0.0773 - val_accuracy: 0.5228
Epoch 41/500
- val_loss: 0.0768 - val_accuracy: 0.5280
Epoch 42/500
- val_loss: 0.0763 - val_accuracy: 0.5325
Epoch 43/500
val loss: 0.0759 - val accuracy: 0.5381
Epoch 44/500
- val_loss: 0.0754 - val_accuracy: 0.5425
Epoch 45/500
- val loss: 0.0749 - val accuracy: 0.5474
Epoch 46/500
- val loss: 0.0744 - val accuracy: 0.5529
Epoch 47/500
- val loss: 0.0739 - val accuracy: 0.5570
Epoch 48/500
- val loss: 0.0734 - val accuracy: 0.5608
Epoch 49/500
- val loss: 0.0729 - val accuracy: 0.5650
Epoch 50/500
- val_loss: 0.0724 - val_accuracy: 0.5692
Epoch 51/500
- val_loss: 0.0719 - val_accuracy: 0.5722
Epoch 52/500
- val loss: 0.0714 - val accuracy: 0.5766
Epoch 53/500
- val_loss: 0.0708 - val_accuracy: 0.5800
Epoch 54/500
- val_loss: 0.0703 - val_accuracy: 0.5834
Epoch 55/500
- val_loss: 0.0698 - val_accuracy: 0.5867
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Epoch 56/500
- val_loss: 0.0693 - val_accuracy: 0.5896
Epoch 57/500
- val loss: 0.0688 - val accuracy: 0.5922
Epoch 58/500
- val_loss: 0.0683 - val_accuracy: 0.5959
Epoch 59/500
- val_loss: 0.0678 - val_accuracy: 0.5998
Epoch 60/500
- val_loss: 0.0672 - val_accuracy: 0.6026
Epoch 61/500
- val_loss: 0.0667 - val_accuracy: 0.6048
Epoch 62/500
- val_loss: 0.0662 - val_accuracy: 0.6061
Epoch 63/500
- val_loss: 0.0657 - val_accuracy: 0.6084
Epoch 64/500
- val_loss: 0.0652 - val_accuracy: 0.6117
Epoch 65/500
- val_loss: 0.0647 - val_accuracy: 0.6144
Epoch 66/500
- val loss: 0.0642 - val accuracy: 0.6159
Epoch 67/500
- val_loss: 0.0637 - val_accuracy: 0.6186
Epoch 68/500
- val loss: 0.0632 - val accuracy: 0.6209
Epoch 69/500
- val loss: 0.0627 - val accuracy: 0.6225
Epoch 70/500
- val_loss: 0.0622 - val_accuracy: 0.6244
Epoch 71/500
- val_loss: 0.0617 - val_accuracy: 0.6277
Epoch 72/500
- val_loss: 0.0612 - val_accuracy: 0.6302
Epoch 73/500
- val_loss: 0.0607 - val_accuracy: 0.6319
Epoch 74/500
- val_loss: 0.0603 - val_accuracy: 0.6345
Epoch 75/500
- val_loss: 0.0598 - val_accuracy: 0.6362
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Epoch 76/500
- val_loss: 0.0593 - val_accuracy: 0.6388
Epoch 77/500
- val loss: 0.0588 - val accuracy: 0.6410
Epoch 78/500
- val_loss: 0.0584 - val_accuracy: 0.6436
Epoch 79/500
- val_loss: 0.0579 - val_accuracy: 0.6452
Epoch 80/500
- val_loss: 0.0575 - val_accuracy: 0.6475
Epoch 81/500
- val_loss: 0.0570 - val_accuracy: 0.6498
Epoch 82/500
- val_loss: 0.0566 - val_accuracy: 0.6522
Epoch 83/500
val loss: 0.0561 - val accuracy: 0.6557
Epoch 84/500
- val_loss: 0.0557 - val_accuracy: 0.6578
Epoch 85/500
- val loss: 0.0553 - val accuracy: 0.6597
Epoch 86/500
- val loss: 0.0548 - val accuracy: 0.6610
Epoch 87/500
- val loss: 0.0544 - val accuracy: 0.6640
Epoch 88/500
- val loss: 0.0540 - val accuracy: 0.6661
Epoch 89/500
- val loss: 0.0536 - val accuracy: 0.6686
Epoch 90/500
- val_loss: 0.0532 - val_accuracy: 0.6718
Epoch 91/500
- val_loss: 0.0528 - val_accuracy: 0.6749
Epoch 92/500
- val loss: 0.0524 - val accuracy: 0.6780
Epoch 93/500
- val_loss: 0.0520 - val_accuracy: 0.6810
Epoch 94/500
- val_loss: 0.0516 - val_accuracy: 0.6844
Epoch 95/500
- val_loss: 0.0512 - val_accuracy: 0.6870
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Epoch 96/500
- val_loss: 0.0508 - val_accuracy: 0.6897
Epoch 97/500
- val loss: 0.0505 - val accuracy: 0.6928
Epoch 98/500
- val_loss: 0.0501 - val_accuracy: 0.6953
Epoch 99/500
- val_loss: 0.0497 - val_accuracy: 0.6982
Epoch 100/500
- val loss: 0.0494 - val accuracy: 0.7017
Epoch 101/500
- val_loss: 0.0490 - val_accuracy: 0.7049
Epoch 102/500
- val_loss: 0.0487 - val_accuracy: 0.7090
Epoch 103/500
- val_loss: 0.0483 - val_accuracy: 0.7124
Epoch 104/500
- val_loss: 0.0480 - val_accuracy: 0.7159
Epoch 105/500
- val loss: 0.0476 - val accuracy: 0.7191
Epoch 106/500
- val loss: 0.0473 - val accuracy: 0.7217
Epoch 107/500
- val loss: 0.0470 - val accuracy: 0.7245
Epoch 108/500
469/469 [=================== ] - 1s 3ms/step - loss: 0.0474 - accuracy: 0.7171
- val loss: 0.0466 - val accuracy: 0.7269
Epoch 109/500
- val loss: 0.0463 - val accuracy: 0.7299
Epoch 110/500
- val_loss: 0.0460 - val_accuracy: 0.7327
Epoch 111/500
- val_loss: 0.0457 - val_accuracy: 0.7349
Epoch 112/500
- val loss: 0.0454 - val accuracy: 0.7372
Epoch 113/500
- val_loss: 0.0450 - val_accuracy: 0.7405
Epoch 114/500
- val_loss: 0.0447 - val_accuracy: 0.7427
Epoch 115/500
- val_loss: 0.0444 - val_accuracy: 0.7448
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Epoch 116/500
- val_loss: 0.0441 - val_accuracy: 0.7481
Epoch 117/500
- val loss: 0.0438 - val accuracy: 0.7519
Epoch 118/500
- val_loss: 0.0435 - val_accuracy: 0.7545
Epoch 119/500
- val_loss: 0.0433 - val_accuracy: 0.7580
Epoch 120/500
- val_loss: 0.0430 - val_accuracy: 0.7609
Epoch 121/500
- val_loss: 0.0427 - val_accuracy: 0.7636
Epoch 122/500
- val_loss: 0.0424 - val_accuracy: 0.7660
Epoch 123/500
- val_loss: 0.0421 - val_accuracy: 0.7688
Epoch 124/500
- val_loss: 0.0418 - val_accuracy: 0.7713
Epoch 125/500
- val loss: 0.0416 - val accuracy: 0.7744
Epoch 126/500
- val loss: 0.0413 - val accuracy: 0.7775
Epoch 127/500
- val loss: 0.0410 - val accuracy: 0.7802
Epoch 128/500
- val loss: 0.0408 - val accuracy: 0.7827
Epoch 129/500
- val loss: 0.0405 - val accuracy: 0.7857
Epoch 130/500
- val_loss: 0.0403 - val_accuracy: 0.7886
Epoch 131/500
- val_loss: 0.0400 - val_accuracy: 0.7920
Epoch 132/500
- val loss: 0.0398 - val accuracy: 0.7949
Epoch 133/500
- val_loss: 0.0395 - val_accuracy: 0.7981
Epoch 134/500
- val_loss: 0.0393 - val_accuracy: 0.8008
Epoch 135/500
- val loss: 0.0390 - val accuracy: 0.8034
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Epoch 136/500
- val_loss: 0.0388 - val_accuracy: 0.8059
Epoch 137/500
- val loss: 0.0386 - val accuracy: 0.8090
Epoch 138/500
- val_loss: 0.0383 - val_accuracy: 0.8108
Epoch 139/500
- val_loss: 0.0381 - val_accuracy: 0.8133
Epoch 140/500
- val_loss: 0.0379 - val_accuracy: 0.8157
Epoch 141/500
- val_loss: 0.0376 - val_accuracy: 0.8166
Epoch 142/500
- val_loss: 0.0374 - val_accuracy: 0.8192
Epoch 143/500
- val_loss: 0.0372 - val_accuracy: 0.8213
Epoch 144/500
- val_loss: 0.0370 - val_accuracy: 0.8229
Epoch 145/500
- val loss: 0.0368 - val accuracy: 0.8244
Epoch 146/500
- val loss: 0.0365 - val accuracy: 0.8254
Epoch 147/500
- val_loss: 0.0363 - val_accuracy: 0.8271
Epoch 148/500
- val loss: 0.0361 - val accuracy: 0.8286
Epoch 149/500
- val loss: 0.0359 - val accuracy: 0.8297
Epoch 150/500
- val_loss: 0.0357 - val_accuracy: 0.8317
Epoch 151/500
- val_loss: 0.0355 - val_accuracy: 0.8330
Epoch 152/500
- val_loss: 0.0353 - val_accuracy: 0.8344
Epoch 153/500
- val_loss: 0.0351 - val_accuracy: 0.8351
Epoch 154/500
- val_loss: 0.0349 - val_accuracy: 0.8356
Epoch 155/500
- val loss: 0.0347 - val accuracy: 0.8362
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Epoch 156/500
- val_loss: 0.0345 - val_accuracy: 0.8372
Epoch 157/500
- val loss: 0.0343 - val accuracy: 0.8379
Epoch 158/500
- val_loss: 0.0342 - val_accuracy: 0.8390
Epoch 159/500
- val_loss: 0.0340 - val_accuracy: 0.8404
Epoch 160/500
- val_loss: 0.0338 - val_accuracy: 0.8408
Epoch 161/500
- val_loss: 0.0336 - val_accuracy: 0.8419
Epoch 162/500
- val_loss: 0.0334 - val_accuracy: 0.8425
Epoch 163/500
- val_loss: 0.0333 - val_accuracy: 0.8438
Epoch 164/500
- val_loss: 0.0331 - val_accuracy: 0.8443
Epoch 165/500
- val loss: 0.0329 - val accuracy: 0.8448
Epoch 166/500
- val loss: 0.0327 - val accuracy: 0.8461
Epoch 167/500
- val_loss: 0.0326 - val_accuracy: 0.8466
Epoch 168/500
- val loss: 0.0324 - val accuracy: 0.8475
Epoch 169/500
- val loss: 0.0322 - val accuracy: 0.8477
Epoch 170/500
- val_loss: 0.0321 - val_accuracy: 0.8485
Epoch 171/500
- val_loss: 0.0319 - val_accuracy: 0.8492
Epoch 172/500
- val_loss: 0.0318 - val_accuracy: 0.8505
Epoch 173/500
- val_loss: 0.0316 - val_accuracy: 0.8510
Epoch 174/500
- val_loss: 0.0315 - val_accuracy: 0.8521
Epoch 175/500
- val_loss: 0.0313 - val_accuracy: 0.8529
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Epoch 176/500
- val_loss: 0.0312 - val_accuracy: 0.8536
Epoch 177/500
- val loss: 0.0310 - val accuracy: 0.8541
Epoch 178/500
- val_loss: 0.0309 - val_accuracy: 0.8547
Epoch 179/500
- val_loss: 0.0307 - val_accuracy: 0.8554
Epoch 180/500
- val_loss: 0.0306 - val_accuracy: 0.8561
Epoch 181/500
- val_loss: 0.0304 - val_accuracy: 0.8574
Epoch 182/500
- val_loss: 0.0303 - val_accuracy: 0.8579
Epoch 183/500
- val_loss: 0.0301 - val_accuracy: 0.8588
Epoch 184/500
- val_loss: 0.0300 - val_accuracy: 0.8594
Epoch 185/500
- val loss: 0.0299 - val accuracy: 0.8598
Epoch 186/500
- val loss: 0.0297 - val accuracy: 0.8601
Epoch 187/500
- val loss: 0.0296 - val accuracy: 0.8605
Epoch 188/500
- val loss: 0.0295 - val accuracy: 0.8613
Epoch 189/500
- val loss: 0.0293 - val accuracy: 0.8619
Epoch 190/500
- val_loss: 0.0292 - val_accuracy: 0.8623
Epoch 191/500
- val_loss: 0.0291 - val_accuracy: 0.8628
Epoch 192/500
- val loss: 0.0290 - val accuracy: 0.8631
Epoch 193/500
- val_loss: 0.0288 - val_accuracy: 0.8634
Epoch 194/500
- val_loss: 0.0287 - val_accuracy: 0.8639
Epoch 195/500
- val_loss: 0.0286 - val_accuracy: 0.8642
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Epoch 196/500
- val_loss: 0.0285 - val_accuracy: 0.8646
Epoch 197/500
- val loss: 0.0284 - val accuracy: 0.8651
Epoch 198/500
- val_loss: 0.0282 - val_accuracy: 0.8655
Epoch 199/500
- val_loss: 0.0281 - val_accuracy: 0.8661
Epoch 200/500
- val_loss: 0.0280 - val_accuracy: 0.8667
Epoch 201/500
- val_loss: 0.0279 - val_accuracy: 0.8670
Epoch 202/500
- val_loss: 0.0278 - val_accuracy: 0.8675
Epoch 203/500
- val_loss: 0.0277 - val_accuracy: 0.8681
Epoch 204/500
- val_loss: 0.0276 - val_accuracy: 0.8684
Epoch 205/500
- val loss: 0.0274 - val accuracy: 0.8688
Epoch 206/500
- val loss: 0.0273 - val accuracy: 0.8695
Epoch 207/500
- val_loss: 0.0272 - val_accuracy: 0.8696
Epoch 208/500
- val loss: 0.0271 - val accuracy: 0.8702
Epoch 209/500
- val loss: 0.0270 - val accuracy: 0.8702
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- val_loss: 0.0269 - val_accuracy: 0.8703
Epoch 211/500
- val_loss: 0.0268 - val_accuracy: 0.8705
Epoch 212/500
- val_loss: 0.0267 - val_accuracy: 0.8708
Epoch 213/500
- val_loss: 0.0266 - val_accuracy: 0.8710
Epoch 214/500
- val_loss: 0.0265 - val_accuracy: 0.8716
Epoch 215/500
- val loss: 0.0264 - val accuracy: 0.8719
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- val_loss: 0.0263 - val_accuracy: 0.8720
Epoch 217/500
- val loss: 0.0262 - val accuracy: 0.8721
Epoch 218/500
- val_loss: 0.0261 - val_accuracy: 0.8724
Epoch 219/500
- val_loss: 0.0260 - val_accuracy: 0.8729
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- val_loss: 0.0260 - val_accuracy: 0.8729
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- val_loss: 0.0259 - val_accuracy: 0.8729
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- val_loss: 0.0258 - val_accuracy: 0.8731
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- val_loss: 0.0257 - val_accuracy: 0.8735
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- val_loss: 0.0256 - val_accuracy: 0.8737
Epoch 225/500
- val_loss: 0.0255 - val_accuracy: 0.8738
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- val loss: 0.0254 - val accuracy: 0.8739
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- val_loss: 0.0253 - val_accuracy: 0.8741
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- val loss: 0.0253 - val accuracy: 0.8741
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- val loss: 0.0252 - val accuracy: 0.8741
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- val_loss: 0.0251 - val_accuracy: 0.8743
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- val_loss: 0.0250 - val_accuracy: 0.8744
Epoch 232/500
- val loss: 0.0249 - val accuracy: 0.8749
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- val_loss: 0.0248 - val_accuracy: 0.8751
Epoch 234/500
- val_loss: 0.0248 - val_accuracy: 0.8755
Epoch 235/500
- val loss: 0.0247 - val accuracy: 0.8755
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Epoch 238/500
- val_loss: 0.0245 - val_accuracy: 0.8761
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- val_loss: 0.0244 - val_accuracy: 0.8764
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- val_loss: 0.0243 - val_accuracy: 0.8767
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- val loss: 0.0237 - val accuracy: 0.8782
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- val loss: 0.0237 - val accuracy: 0.8785
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Epoch 252/500
- val_loss: 0.0235 - val_accuracy: 0.8789
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- val_loss: 0.0234 - val_accuracy: 0.8794
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val_loss: 0.0233 - val_accuracy: 0.8795
Epoch 255/500
- val_loss: 0.0233 - val_accuracy: 0.8795
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Epoch 256/500
- val_loss: 0.0232 - val_accuracy: 0.8796
Epoch 257/500
- val loss: 0.0231 - val accuracy: 0.8799
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- val_loss: 0.0231 - val_accuracy: 0.8800
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- val_loss: 0.0230 - val_accuracy: 0.8803
Epoch 260/500
- val_loss: 0.0230 - val_accuracy: 0.8805
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- val_loss: 0.0229 - val_accuracy: 0.8809
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- val_loss: 0.0228 - val_accuracy: 0.8816
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- val_loss: 0.0227 - val_accuracy: 0.8817
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- val_loss: 0.0227 - val_accuracy: 0.8822
Epoch 266/500
- val loss: 0.0226 - val accuracy: 0.8824
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Epoch 270/500
- val_loss: 0.0224 - val_accuracy: 0.8831
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- val_loss: 0.0223 - val_accuracy: 0.8832
Epoch 272/500
- val_loss: 0.0223 - val_accuracy: 0.8834
Epoch 273/500
- val_loss: 0.0222 - val_accuracy: 0.8838
Epoch 274/500
- val_loss: 0.0221 - val_accuracy: 0.8839
Epoch 275/500
- val_loss: 0.0221 - val_accuracy: 0.8838
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- val_loss: 0.0220 - val_accuracy: 0.8840
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- val loss: 0.0220 - val accuracy: 0.8839
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- val_loss: 0.0219 - val_accuracy: 0.8840
Epoch 279/500
- val_loss: 0.0219 - val_accuracy: 0.8839
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- val_loss: 0.0218 - val_accuracy: 0.8842
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- val_loss: 0.0218 - val_accuracy: 0.8842
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- val_loss: 0.0217 - val_accuracy: 0.8846
Epoch 283/500
- val_loss: 0.0217 - val_accuracy: 0.8848
Epoch 284/500
- val_loss: 0.0216 - val_accuracy: 0.8848
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- val_loss: 0.0216 - val_accuracy: 0.8852
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- val loss: 0.0215 - val accuracy: 0.8854
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- val loss: 0.0214 - val accuracy: 0.8859
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- val_loss: 0.0213 - val_accuracy: 0.8863
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- val_loss: 0.0213 - val_accuracy: 0.8867
Epoch 293/500
- val_loss: 0.0212 - val_accuracy: 0.8870
Epoch 294/500
- val_loss: 0.0212 - val_accuracy: 0.8871
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- val_loss: 0.0211 - val_accuracy: 0.8873
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- val_loss: 0.0211 - val_accuracy: 0.8876
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- val loss: 0.0210 - val accuracy: 0.8876
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- val_loss: 0.0210 - val_accuracy: 0.8878
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- val_loss: 0.0209 - val_accuracy: 0.8880
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- val_loss: 0.0209 - val_accuracy: 0.8882
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- val_loss: 0.0209 - val_accuracy: 0.8883
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- val_loss: 0.0208 - val_accuracy: 0.8885
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- val_loss: 0.0208 - val_accuracy: 0.8885
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- val_loss: 0.0207 - val_accuracy: 0.8890
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- val_loss: 0.0207 - val_accuracy: 0.8892
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- val loss: 0.0206 - val accuracy: 0.8895
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- val_loss: 0.0206 - val_accuracy: 0.8895
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- val loss: 0.0205 - val accuracy: 0.8900
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- val_loss: 0.0205 - val_accuracy: 0.8901
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- val_loss: 0.0204 - val_accuracy: 0.8903
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- val_loss: 0.0204 - val_accuracy: 0.8903
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- val_loss: 0.0204 - val_accuracy: 0.8906
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- val_loss: 0.0203 - val_accuracy: 0.8908
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- val_loss: 0.0203 - val_accuracy: 0.8910
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- val_loss: 0.0203 - val_accuracy: 0.8911
Epoch 317/500
- val loss: 0.0202 - val accuracy: 0.8911
Epoch 318/500
- val_loss: 0.0202 - val_accuracy: 0.8913
Epoch 319/500
- val_loss: 0.0201 - val_accuracy: 0.8914
Epoch 320/500
- val_loss: 0.0201 - val_accuracy: 0.8917
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- val_loss: 0.0201 - val_accuracy: 0.8917
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- val_loss: 0.0200 - val_accuracy: 0.8918
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- val_loss: 0.0200 - val_accuracy: 0.8918
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- val_loss: 0.0200 - val_accuracy: 0.8918
Epoch 325/500
- val loss: 0.0199 - val accuracy: 0.8919
Epoch 326/500
- val loss: 0.0199 - val accuracy: 0.8921
Epoch 327/500
- val loss: 0.0199 - val accuracy: 0.8923
Epoch 328/500
- val loss: 0.0198 - val accuracy: 0.8923
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- val loss: 0.0198 - val accuracy: 0.8924
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- val_loss: 0.0198 - val_accuracy: 0.8925
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- val loss: 0.0196 - val accuracy: 0.8927
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- val_loss: 0.0196 - val_accuracy: 0.8932
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- val loss: 0.0195 - val accuracy: 0.8932
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- val_loss: 0.0194 - val_accuracy: 0.8939
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- val_loss: 0.0193 - val_accuracy: 0.8944
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- val loss: 0.0192 - val accuracy: 0.8949
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- val loss: 0.0190 - val accuracy: 0.8959
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- val_loss: 0.0188 - val_accuracy: 0.8964
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- val_loss: 0.0187 - val_accuracy: 0.8964
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- val loss: 0.0187 - val accuracy: 0.8966
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- val_loss: 0.0187 - val_accuracy: 0.8967
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- val loss: 0.0186 - val accuracy: 0.8969
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- val_loss: 0.0186 - val_accuracy: 0.8971
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- val_loss: 0.0185 - val_accuracy: 0.8972
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- val_loss: 0.0185 - val_accuracy: 0.8974
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Epoch 376/500
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- val loss: 0.0184 - val accuracy: 0.8974
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- val_loss: 0.0184 - val_accuracy: 0.8973
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- val_loss: 0.0184 - val_accuracy: 0.8975
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- val_loss: 0.0183 - val_accuracy: 0.8976
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- val_loss: 0.0183 - val_accuracy: 0.8979
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- val_loss: 0.0183 - val_accuracy: 0.8978
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- val_loss: 0.0182 - val_accuracy: 0.8979
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- val loss: 0.0182 - val accuracy: 0.8980
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- val_loss: 0.0181 - val_accuracy: 0.8982
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- val_loss: 0.0181 - val_accuracy: 0.8984
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- val_loss: 0.0181 - val_accuracy: 0.8984
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- val_loss: 0.0180 - val_accuracy: 0.8985
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- val_loss: 0.0180 - val_accuracy: 0.8985
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- val_loss: 0.0180 - val_accuracy: 0.8985
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Epoch 396/500
- val_loss: 0.0180 - val_accuracy: 0.8986
Epoch 397/500
- val loss: 0.0179 - val accuracy: 0.8987
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- val_loss: 0.0179 - val_accuracy: 0.8988
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- val_loss: 0.0179 - val_accuracy: 0.8989
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- val_loss: 0.0179 - val_accuracy: 0.8990
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- val_loss: 0.0179 - val_accuracy: 0.8990
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- val loss: 0.0178 - val accuracy: 0.8992
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- val_loss: 0.0177 - val_accuracy: 0.8992
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- val loss: 0.0177 - val accuracy: 0.8994
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- val loss: 0.0177 - val accuracy: 0.8994
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- val_loss: 0.0177 - val_accuracy: 0.8996
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- val_loss: 0.0175 - val_accuracy: 0.9000
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- val_loss: 0.0175 - val_accuracy: 0.9002
Epoch 421/500
- val_loss: 0.0175 - val_accuracy: 0.9003
Epoch 422/500
- val_loss: 0.0174 - val_accuracy: 0.9003
Epoch 423/500
- val_loss: 0.0174 - val_accuracy: 0.9003
Epoch 424/500
- val_loss: 0.0174 - val_accuracy: 0.9004
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- val loss: 0.0174 - val accuracy: 0.9004
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- val loss: 0.0174 - val accuracy: 0.9004
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- val loss: 0.0173 - val accuracy: 0.9006
Epoch 428/500
- val loss: 0.0173 - val accuracy: 0.9008
Epoch 429/500
- val loss: 0.0173 - val accuracy: 0.9009
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- val_loss: 0.0173 - val_accuracy: 0.9009
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- val_loss: 0.0173 - val_accuracy: 0.9009
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- val loss: 0.0173 - val accuracy: 0.9009
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- val_loss: 0.0172 - val_accuracy: 0.9008
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- val_loss: 0.0172 - val_accuracy: 0.9010
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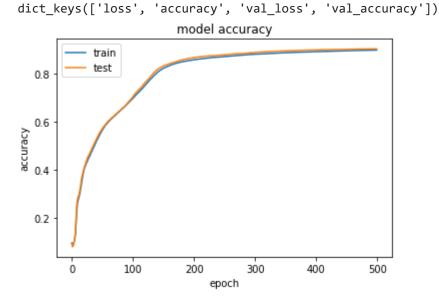
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- val_loss: 0.0171 - val_accuracy: 0.9012
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- val_loss: 0.0171 - val_accuracy: 0.9012
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- val_loss: 0.0171 - val_accuracy: 0.9012
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- val loss: 0.0170 - val accuracy: 0.9012
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- val loss: 0.0170 - val accuracy: 0.9012
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- val loss: 0.0170 - val accuracy: 0.9013
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- val loss: 0.0170 - val accuracy: 0.9014
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- val loss: 0.0170 - val accuracy: 0.9015
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- val_loss: 0.0169 - val_accuracy: 0.9016
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- val loss: 0.0169 - val accuracy: 0.9016
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- val_loss: 0.0169 - val_accuracy: 0.9016
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Epoch 455/500
- val_loss: 0.0169 - val_accuracy: 0.9017
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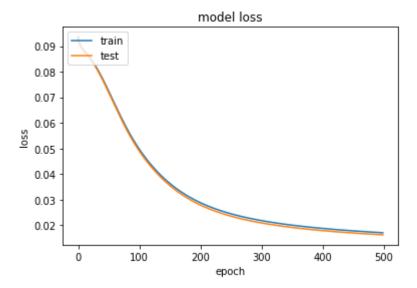
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- val_loss: 0.0168 - val_accuracy: 0.9019
Epoch 459/500
- val_loss: 0.0168 - val_accuracy: 0.9019
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- val_loss: 0.0168 - val_accuracy: 0.9019
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- val_loss: 0.0168 - val_accuracy: 0.9019
Epoch 462/500
- val_loss: 0.0168 - val_accuracy: 0.9021
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- val_loss: 0.0167 - val_accuracy: 0.9021
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- val_loss: 0.0167 - val_accuracy: 0.9023
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- val_loss: 0.0167 - val_accuracy: 0.9024
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- val loss: 0.0167 - val accuracy: 0.9024
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- val_loss: 0.0166 - val_accuracy: 0.9026
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- val loss: 0.0166 - val accuracy: 0.9026
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- val_loss: 0.0166 - val_accuracy: 0.9026
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- val_loss: 0.0166 - val_accuracy: 0.9028
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- val_loss: 0.0166 - val_accuracy: 0.9028
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- val loss: 0.0165 - val accuracy: 0.9029
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- val_loss: 0.0164 - val_accuracy: 0.9029
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```

## Plot learning curves

```
In [21]:
          # list all data in history
          print(history.history.keys())
          # summarize history for accuracy
          plt.plot(history.history['accuracy'])
          plt.plot(history.history['val accuracy'])
          plt.title('model accuracy')
          plt.ylabel('accuracy')
          plt.xlabel('epoch')
          plt.legend(['train', 'test'], loc='upper left')
          plt.show()
          # summarize history for loss
          plt.plot(history.history['loss'])
          plt.plot(history.history['val_loss'])
          plt.title('model loss')
          plt.ylabel('loss')
          plt.xlabel('epoch')
          plt.legend(['train', 'test'], loc='upper left')
          plt.show()
```





## **Question 3**

### Does the model show any indication of overfitting? Why (not)?

Overfitting is when the model performs well on the training data but does not perform well on the validation data. In the graphs above, the model is actually shown to be more accurate with the validation data than the training data and the loss for the validation data is also less than the loss for the training data. Additionally, both datasets perform very closely. This indicates that the model does not show any indication of overfitting because the model does not perform better with the training data than with the validation data. This means that the model is not specific to the training data and will perform similarly with data that it has not seen before, which is important if the model will be used to classify outside data.

## **Evaluate the model**

## **Confusion Matrix**

The confusion matrix below shows the mistakes that the classifier made on the validation data. The matrix shows that the classifier performed reasonably well, but still made a significant number of mistakes. The multi-colored diagonal represents the data that was correctly classified while the purple squares represent the incorrectly classified data. Additionally, many of these mistakes are quite random, such as predicting a 1 to be an 8. While many digits share common features, a 1 and an 8 do not, showing us that the classifier's performance could be improved and that it makes mistakes on non-ambiguous data.

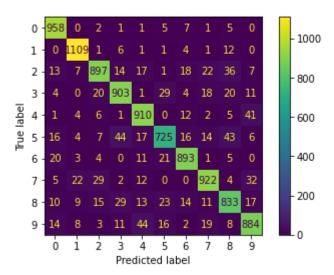
```
In [23]: prediction = model.predict(X_validation)
```

```
prediction_classes = np.argmax(prediction, axis=1)

disp = metrics.ConfusionMatrixDisplay.from_predictions(y_valid, prediction_classes)
disp.figure_.suptitle("Confusion Matrix")

plt.show()
```

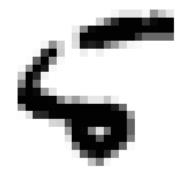
#### Confusion Matrix



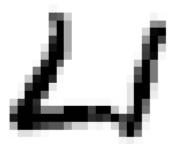
#### Mistakes

The following ten examples display some of the mistakes that the classifier made. As you can see, some of the samples could be confused with the prediction, but many of them do not share any resemblance between the prediction and the actual class.

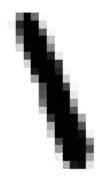
Number of mistakes made: 966



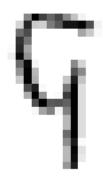
Actual class: 5
Predicted class: 6



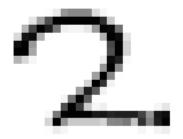
Actual class: 4
Predicted class: 6



Actual class: 1
Predicted class: 3



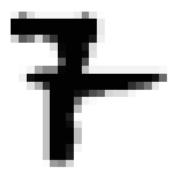
Actual class: 9
Predicted class: 4



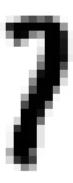
Actual class: 2
Predicted class: 7



Actual class: 3
Predicted class: 5



Actual class: 7
Predicted class: 1



Actual class: 7
Predicted class: 1



Actual class: 7 Predicted class: 4



Actual class: 2 Predicted class: 9

# PART 2 - Convolutional neural network (CNN) architecture

Model: "sequential\_1"

Layer (type)	Output Shape	Param #
conv2d (Conv2D)	(None, 26, 26, 32)	320
<pre>max_pooling2d (MaxPooling2D )</pre>	(None, 13, 13, 32)	0
conv2d_1 (Conv2D)	(None, 11, 11, 64)	18496
<pre>max_pooling2d_1 (MaxPooling 2D)</pre>	(None, 5, 5, 64)	0
flatten (Flatten)	(None, 1600)	0
dropout (Dropout)	(None, 1600)	0
dense_2 (Dense)	(None, 10)	16010

Total params: 34,826 Trainable params: 34,826 Non-trainable params: 0

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## **Configure model**

## Prepare the data

The CNN does not expect the images to be flattened.

```
In [27]:
          # Reload the data, just in case
          (X_train, y_train), (X_valid, y_valid) = mnist.load_data()
          # convert class vectors to binary class matrices
          y_training = keras.utils.to_categorical(y_train, num_classes)
          y_validation = keras.utils.to_categorical(y_valid, num_classes)
          # Scale images to the [0, 1] range
          X train cnn = X train.astype("float32") / 255
          X_valid_cnn = X_valid.astype("float32") / 255
          # Redefine dimension of train/test inputs
          X_train_cnn = np.expand_dims(X_train_cnn, -1)
          X_valid_cnn = np.expand_dims(X_valid_cnn, -1)
          # Make sure images have shape (28, 28, 1)
          print("x_train shape:", X_train_cnn.shape)
          print(X_train_cnn.shape[0], "train samples")
          print(X_valid_cnn.shape[0], "test samples")
         x_train shape: (60000, 28, 28, 1)
         60000 train samples
         10000 test samples
```

#### Train!

```
batch_size=128
epochs=15

history = model_cnn.fit(
    X_train_cnn, # training data
    y_training, # training targets
    epochs=epochs,
    batch_size=batch_size,
    verbose=1,
    validation_data=(X_valid_cnn, y_validation)
)
```

```
Epoch 1/15
469/469 [============== ] - 12s 6ms/step - loss: 0.3363 - accuracy: 0.899
0 - val_loss: 0.0794 - val_accuracy: 0.9763
Epoch 2/15
- val loss: 0.0521 - val accuracy: 0.9846
Epoch 3/15
- val_loss: 0.0430 - val_accuracy: 0.9864
Epoch 4/15
- val_loss: 0.0381 - val_accuracy: 0.9866
Epoch 5/15
- val loss: 0.0333 - val accuracy: 0.9886
Epoch 6/15
- val_loss: 0.0304 - val_accuracy: 0.9898
Epoch 7/15
- val loss: 0.0280 - val accuracy: 0.9905
Epoch 8/15
- val loss: 0.0256 - val accuracy: 0.9912
Epoch 9/15
- val_loss: 0.0253 - val_accuracy: 0.9911
Epoch 10/15
- val loss: 0.0237 - val accuracy: 0.9919
Epoch 11/15
- val loss: 0.0252 - val accuracy: 0.9910
Epoch 12/15
- val loss: 0.0250 - val accuracy: 0.9916
Epoch 13/15
- val loss: 0.0239 - val accuracy: 0.9918
Epoch 14/15
- val loss: 0.0223 - val accuracy: 0.9925
Epoch 15/15
- val_loss: 0.0224 - val_accuracy: 0.9928
```

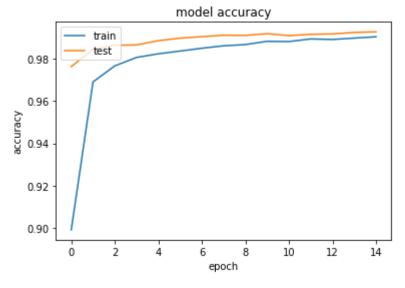
## Plot learning curves

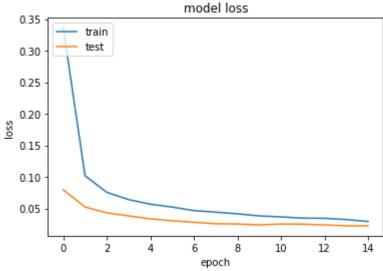
```
In [29]: # list all data in history
    print(history.history.keys())

# summarize history for accuracy
    plt.plot(history.history['accuracy'])
    plt.plot(history.history['val_accuracy'])
    plt.title('model accuracy')
    plt.ylabel('accuracy')
    plt.xlabel('epoch')
    plt.legend(['train', 'test'], loc='upper left')
    plt.show()
```

```
# summarize history for loss
plt.plot(history.history['loss'])
plt.plot(history.history['val_loss'])
plt.title('model loss')
plt.ylabel('loss')
plt.xlabel('epoch')
plt.legend(['train', 'test'], loc='upper left')
plt.show()
```

dict\_keys(['loss', 'accuracy', 'val\_loss', 'val\_accuracy'])



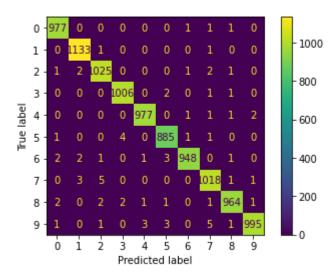


## **Evaluate the model**

## **Confusion Matrix**

The following confusion matrix shows the mistakes that the model made. It can clearly be seen that the CNN performed significantly better than the shallow neural network because less data was classified incorrectly as shown by the numbers in the purple squares. Additionally, it can be seen that when the model did make mistakes, it often made mistakes between similar digits such as a 6 and a 5. This suggests that the mistakes that the model makes occur when the data contains ambiguity.

#### CNN Confusion Matrix



#### Mistakes

The following ten examples display mistakes that the classifier made. As you can see, many of these digits had elements of ambiguity to them that made it difficult for even a person to distinguish them between two similar digits. However, a few examples were still incorrectly classified despite the true classification being clear.

```
In [32]:
    wrong = []
    for i in range(len(cnn_prediction_classes)):
        if cnn_prediction_classes[i] != y_valid[i]:
            wrong.append(i)

    print("Number of mistakes made: " + str(len(wrong)))

    for i in range(10):
        print("-----")
        plt.imshow(X_valid[wrong[i]], cmap='Greys')
        plt.axis('off')
        plt.show()
```

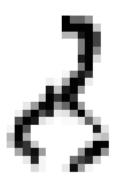
```
print("Actual class: " + str(y_valid[wrong[i]]))
print("Predicted class: " + str(cnn_prediction_classes[wrong[i]]))
print("-----")
```

Number of mistakes made: 72

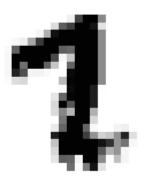
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Actual class: 3 Predicted class: 5



Actual class: 8
Predicted class: 2



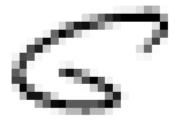
Actual class: 2
Predicted class: 1



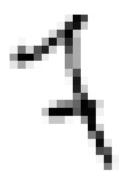
Actual class: 9
Predicted class: 7



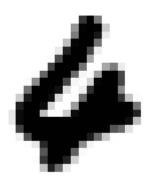
Actual class: 8
Predicted class: 9



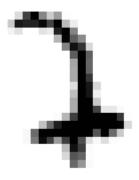
Actual class: 6 Predicted class: 5



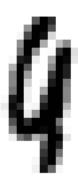
Actual class: 7
Predicted class: 1



Actual class: 4
Predicted class: 6



Actual class: 7 Predicted class: 2



Actual class: 9
Predicted class: 4

### **Question 4**

How do the accuracy and loss compare to the previous model? What can you infer from this comparison?

The accuracy is around 9% greater in the CNN than in the original shallow neural network while the loss values are similar. Additionally, the confusion matrices show that the CNN was significantly more accurate and more often made mistakes between similar digits when compared to the original shallow neural network. The loss value tells us how significant the errors that the neural network made were and the accuracy tells us how many data points were incorrectly classified when the probabilities are converted to discrete predictions. The accuracy is a more useful metric to compare the two classifiers because it is a measure of how useful the model is. A highly accurate model is more useful in classifying data than one with low accuracy because more data points will be correctly classified. Based on the comparison, it can be inferred that the CNN is a better model to classify the MNIST dataset because it was significantly more accurate in classifying the data. The CNN's more complex architecture is better for this classification task than the simpler neural networks architecture. Moreover, the CNN took less time to train and needed fewer epochs than the shallow neural network.

## **Discussions and Conclusions**

Overall, this assignment introduced Keras by creating a classifier for the MNIST dataset. The two classifiers that were created clearly showed that the simple neural network performed significantly worse at correctly classifying the data compared to the CNN. Through the visualization of the results by using a confusion matrix it also became apparent that the CNN made fewer mistakes and the mistakes that it did make were often between similar digits. Furthermore, the shallow neural network made mistakes in a more random way. This was further supported by viewing a few examples of the mistakes that the classifiers made. The CNN's mistakes were made with data that contained greater ambiguity when compared with the shallow neural network's mistakes. Finally, the shallow neural network took a much longer time to train and had more epochs than the CNN

despite the CNN's superior performance. This suggests that the architecture of the neural network is more important than the number of training iterations.

This project demonstrated the steps involved in creating a classifier from a dataset. The data and labels needed to be prepared in a way that the classifier could use, then the model's architecture needed to be defined and configured. The model was then trained using the training data. Finally, the progress and results of the model were viewed using learning curves and confusion matrixes. The different parameters and steps that this project involved helped me understand what creating and evaluating a deep learning model entails and what the Keras workflow looks like. I now have a greater understanding of how deep learning models are created and how they work. The next steps to increase my level of understanding and proficiency in using Keras for deep learning would be to explore the different types of neural networks and their applications.