

# ML4AAD - Final Project

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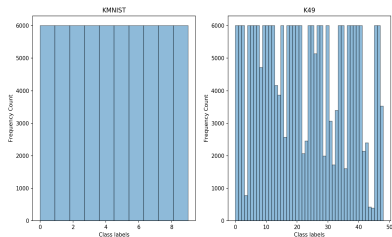
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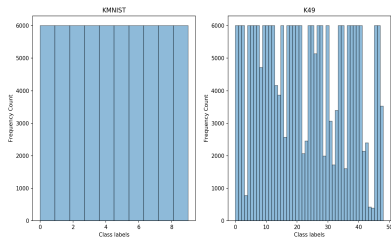
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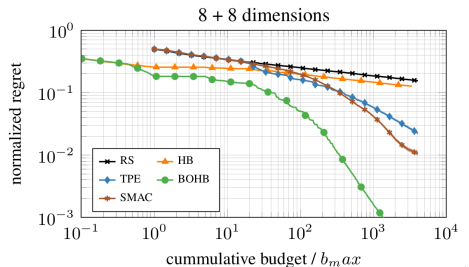
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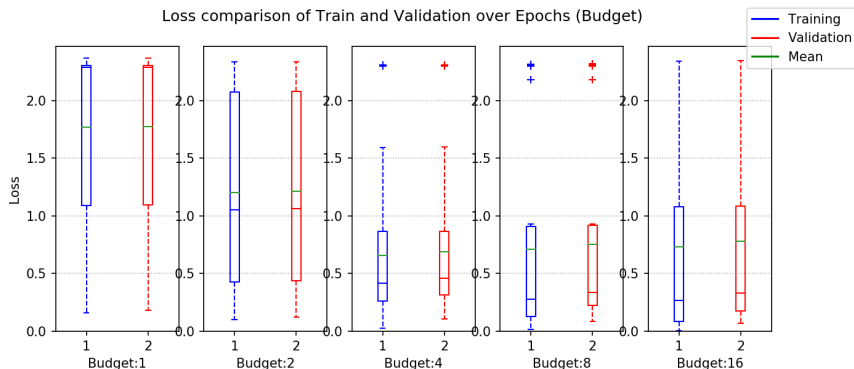
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Loss comparison of Train and Validation over Epochs (Budget)



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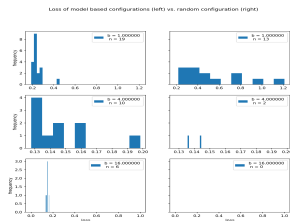
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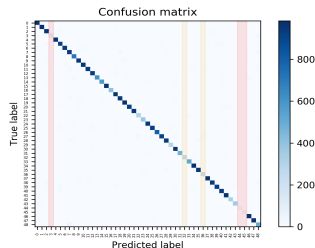
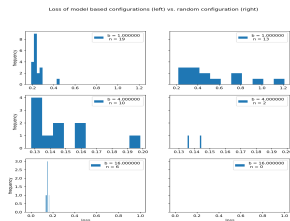
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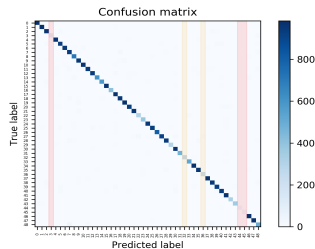
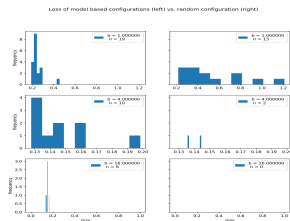
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- Padding to go deeper (exploit sparsity)

Final Numbers:

Dataset	Default Test	Best Test
KMNIST	69.56%	97.89%
K49	54.43%	94.28%

KMNIST: from transferring best K49 model  
K49: from transferring incumbent config on KMNIST and then BOHB on K49

