Assignment 1 : Neural Networks

Advanced Machine Learning

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```
from tensorflow.keras.datasets import imdb
(imdb_train_data, imdb_train_labels), (imdb_test_data, imdb_test_labels) = imdb.lenum_words=10000)
```

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imdb_train_labels[0]
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→ 1

→ 9999

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k_y_train = np.asarray(imdb_train_labels).astype("float32")
k_y_test = np.asarray(imdb_test_labels).astype("float32")
```

```
from tensorflow import keras
from tensorflow.keras import layers

model = keras.Sequential([
    layers.Dense(32, activation="tanh"),
    layers.Dense(32, activation="tanh"),
    layers.Dense(32, activation="tanh"),
    layers.Dense(1, activation="sigmoid")
])
```

italicized text### Confirming the Method

```
x_val = k_x_train[:10000]
partial_x_train = k_x_train[10000:]
y_val = k_y_train[:10000]
partial_y_train = k_y_train[10000:]
```

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\rightarrow \overline{\phantom{a}} Epoch 1/20
 59/59 [============= ] - 3s 38ms/step - loss: 0.1217 - accurac
 Epoch 2/20
 59/59 [============= ] - 2s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0494 - accurac
 Epoch 3/20
 Epoch 4/20
 Epoch 5/20
 59/59 [============== ] - 2s 29ms/step - loss: 0.0219 - accurac
 Epoch 6/20
 59/59 [============== ] - 1s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0196 - accurac
 Epoch 7/20
 Epoch 8/20
 Epoch 9/20
 Epoch 10/20
 Epoch 11/20
 Epoch 12/20
 59/59 [============= ] - 2s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0144 - accurac
 Epoch 13/20
 Epoch 14/20
 Epoch 15/20
 59/59 [============= ] - 1s 21ms/step - loss: 0.0163 - accurac
 Epoch 16/20
 59/59 [============= ] - 2s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0146 - accurac
 Epoch 17/20
 Epoch 18/20
 59/59 [============= ] - 1s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0108 - accurac
 Epoch 19/20
 Epoch 20/20
```

```
k_history_dict = history.history
k_history_dict.keys()
```

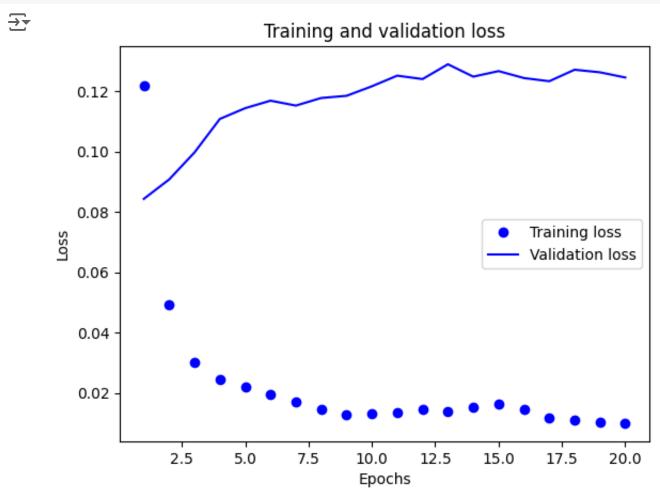
dict_keys(['loss', 'accuracy', 'val_loss', 'val_accuracy'])

Plotting the Train and Validation loss

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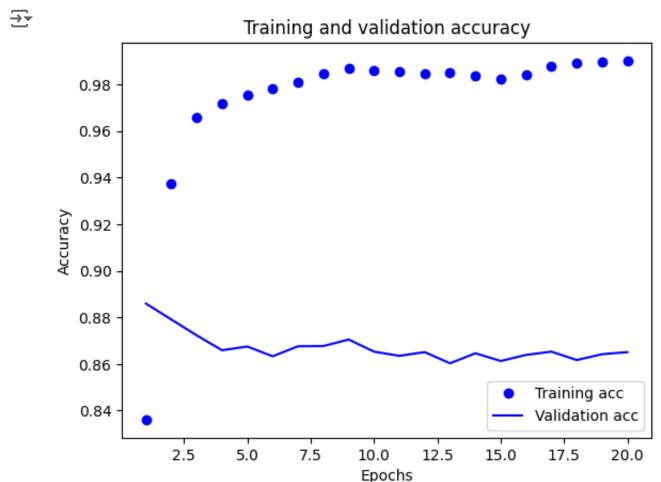
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```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
k_history_dict = history.history
loss_values = k_history_dict["loss"]
val_loss_values = k_history_dict["val_loss"]
epochs = range(1, len(loss_values) + 1)
plt.plot(epochs, loss_values, "bo", label="Training loss")
plt.plot(epochs, val_loss_values, "b", label="Validation loss")
plt.title("Training and validation loss")
plt.xlabel("Epochs")
plt.ylabel("Loss")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



Plotting the training and validation accuracy

```
plt.clf()
acc = k_history_dict["accuracy"]
val_acc = k_history_dict["val_accuracy"]
plt.plot(epochs, acc, "bo", label="Training acc")
plt.plot(epochs, val_acc, "b", label="Validation acc")
plt.title("Training and validation accuracy")
plt.xlabel("Epochs")
plt.ylabel("Accuracy")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



results

[0.1385454386472702, 0.8514400124549866]

Combining all code together along with dropout layer

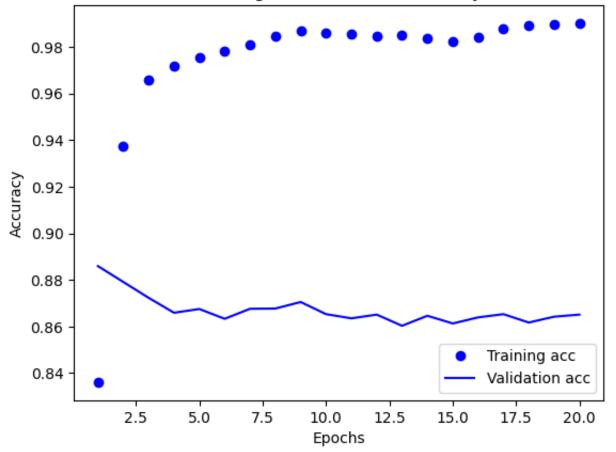
```
## Libraries required for setting up an environment
from tensorflow import keras
from tensorflow.keras import layers
from keras.layers import Dense
from keras.layers import Dropout
from tensorflow.keras import regularizers
# Neural network implementation using 3 layered approach with a single dropout la
model = keras.Sequential()
model.add(Dense(32,activation='tanh'))
model.add(Dropout(0.5))
#kernel_regularizer=regularizers.L1(0.01), activity_regularizer=regularizers.L2(0
model.add(Dense(32,activation='tanh',kernel_regularizer=regularizers.L1(0.01), ac
model.add(Dropout(0.5))
model.add(Dense(32,activation='tanh'))
model.add(Dense(1, activation='sigmoid'))
# Here for compilation we used optimizer "adagrad", mean squared error loss and a
model.compile(optimizer="adam",
          loss="mean_squared_error",
          metrics=["accuracv"])
## splitting the data
x \text{ val} = k x \text{ train}[:10000]
partial_x_train = k_x_train[10000:]
y_val = k_y_train[:10000]
partial_y_train = k_y_train[10000:]
```

```
# Train a neural network
history = model.fit(partial x train,
              partial_y_train,
              epochs=20,
              batch size=256,
              validation_data=(x_val, y_val))
# plotting the Training and Validation accuracy
plt.clf()
acc = k_history_dict["accuracy"]
val_acc = k_history_dict["val_accuracy"]
plt.plot(epochs, acc, "bo", label="Training acc")
plt.plot(epochs, val_acc, "b", label="Validation acc")
plt.title("Training and validation accuracy")
plt.xlabel("Epochs")
plt.ylabel("Accuracy")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
# Evaluating the results
results = model.evaluate(k_x_test, k_y_test)
results
```

```
Epoch 1/20
Epoch 2/20
Epoch 3/20
59/59 [============== ] - 2s 27ms/step - loss: 0.5173 - accurac
Epoch 4/20
Epoch 5/20
Epoch 6/20
59/59 [==========================] - 1s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0852 - accurac
Epoch 7/20
59/59 [============= ] - 2s 28ms/step - loss: 0.0717 - accurac
Epoch 8/20
59/59 [============= ] - 2s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0628 - accurac
Epoch 9/20
```

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59/59 [============ ] - 1s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0559 - accurac
Epoch 10/20
Epoch 11/20
Epoch 12/20
59/59 [============= ] - 2s 35ms/step - loss: 0.0431 - accurac
Epoch 13/20
59/59 [============ ] - 2s 31ms/step - loss: 0.0390 - accurac
Epoch 14/20
Epoch 15/20
59/59 [============== ] - 2s 28ms/step - loss: 0.0342 - accurac
Epoch 16/20
59/59 [============= ] - 1s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0315 - accurac
Epoch 17/20
59/59 [==========================] - 1s 22ms/step - loss: 0.0305 - accurac
Epoch 18/20
59/59 [======
          Epoch 19/20
59/59 [============== ] - 2s 28ms/step - loss: 0.0273 - accurac
Epoch 20/20
```

Training and validation accuracy



✓ Summary of Three-Layered Neural Network for IMDB Data:

Library Imports

To set up our neural network, we gathered the necessary libraries. Based on my research, TensorFlow has robust support and implementation, making it a preferable choice over other deep learning libraries like PyTorch.

List of Imports:

```
from tensorflow import keras
from tensorflow.keras import layers
from keras.layers import Dense
from keras.layers import Dropout
```

- **Keras**: A high-level API of TensorFlow 2, Keras provides a simple and powerful interface for solving machine learning problems, with a focus on modern deep learning.
- Layers and Models: The main data structures in Keras. The most basic model type is the Sequential model, which is a linear stack of layers.
- Dense: Represents the number of hidden units in the neural network.
- Dropout: Refers to the removal of connections between inputs or hidden layer inputs, used to prevent overfitting.

Designing the Neural Network Layers

We designed the neural network layers as follows:

```
model = keras.Sequential()
model.add(Dense(32, activation='tanh'))
```

Using the .add function, we can easily stack layers. Here, 32 is the number of hidden units, and the activation function used is tanh.

Neural Network Structure

- 1. **Input Layer**: Provides vector representation of IMDB data.
- Hidden Layers: Contains the number of dense units. We can stack as many layers as needed.
- 3. Output Layer: Preferably has 1 dense unit.

For this task, I implemented a three-layered approach as required:

```
model = keras.Sequential([
    layers.Dense(32, activation="tanh"),
    layers.Dense(32, activation="tanh"),
    layers.Dense(32, activation="tanh"),
    layers.Dense(1, activation="sigmoid")
])
```

The model is initialized as sequential, and we stack up three layers with 32 dense units each, using the tanh activation function. As per the assignment, tanh is used instead of relu.

Compiling the Model

```
model.compile(optimizer="adagrad", loss="mean_squared_error", metrics=["accuracy"])
```

Here, we use the Adagrad optimizer with mean squared error (MSE) loss. Initially, IMDB data uses binary cross-entropy loss, a probabilistic loss. The impact of changing to a regression loss can be further explored.

Optimizers are crucial for minimizing error, with various techniques available. For example, Adam is often considered one of the best optimizers. In this task, I used Adagrad. More details about optimizers are available in the third reference link.

Data Splitting

We split the data into training and validation sets:

```
x_val = k_x_train[:10000]
partial_x_train = k_x_train[10000:]
y_val = k_y_train[:10000]
partial_y_train = k_y_train[10000:]
```

Training the Model

The code above trains the neural network for 20 epochs with a batch size of 256, comparing it with validation data.

Despite using L1 and L2 regularizers, they did not significantly impact the total validation accuracy.

References:

- 1. https://keras.io/about
- 2. https://keras.io/api/losses/
- 3. https://keras.io/api/optimizers/

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Conclusions

- 1. A neural network was designed with 3 layers, utilizing tanh activation functions instead of relu.
- 2. The optimizer Adam was chosen over RMSprop for training efficiency.
- 3. L1 and L2 regularizers were applied to the model.
- 4. A Dropout layer with a rate of 0.5 was incorporated, dropping 50 percent of inputs during training.

Achieved Results

With these adjustments, the model achieved a final accuracy of 99.19% on the training data and a validation accuracy of 86.9%.

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