

# Training Day-90 Report:

## Recurrent Neural Networks (RNNs), Restricted Boltzmann Machines (RBMs), and Autoencoders using Keras:

### Recurrent Neural Networks (RNNs)

#### Definition:

RNNs are a class of neural networks designed for sequential data. They use loops to retain memory of previous computations, making them suitable for time-series data, text, and speech.

#### Key Concepts in RNNs

##### 1. Sequential Memory:

- RNNs maintain a "hidden state" to store information from prior time steps.

##### 2. Unfolding:

- Input data is unfolded over time steps, allowing the network to process sequential information.

##### 3. Challenges with RNNs:

- **Vanishing/Exploding Gradients:** Issues during backpropagation for long sequences.
- Addressed by advanced architectures like **LSTMs** and **GRUs**.

### Implementing RNN with Keras

```
import tensorflow as tf
```

```
# Define the RNN model
```

```
model = tf.keras.Sequential([  
    tf.keras.layers.SimpleRNN(128, activation='relu', input_shape=(10, 50)),  
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(1, activation='sigmoid')  
])
```

```
# Compile the model
```

```
model.compile(optimizer='adam',  
              loss='binary_crossentropy',  
              metrics=['accuracy'])
```

```
# Summary
```

```
model.summary()
```

### Restricted Boltzmann Machines (RBMs)

**Definition:**

RBMs are energy-based probabilistic models that learn a joint probability distribution over visible and hidden variables. They are often used for dimensionality reduction, feature learning, and pretraining deep networks.

**Structure of an RBM**

1. **Visible Layer:**
  - Represents input data.
2. **Hidden Layer:**
  - Learns abstract features from the visible layer.
3. **Energy Function:**
  - Defines relationships between visible and hidden units to measure configuration quality.

**Applications of RBMs**

- Collaborative filtering (e.g., recommendation systems).
- Dimensionality reduction.
- Pretraining layers of deep networks.

**RBMs in TensorFlow**

While TensorFlow does not provide native RBM support, RBMs can be implemented using TensorFlow or specialized libraries like pytorch-boltzmann.

**Autoencoders with Keras****Definition:**

Autoencoders are unsupervised learning models that encode input data into a smaller latent representation and reconstruct the input from this representation. They are widely used for dimensionality reduction, anomaly detection, and generative modeling.

**Structure of an Autoencoder**

1. **Encoder:**
  - Compresses input data into a latent representation.
  - Example:
    - `tf.keras.layers.Dense(128, activation='relu')`
2. **Latent Space:**
  - A bottleneck layer that forces the network to learn compressed features.
3. **Decoder:**
  - Reconstructs the input data from the latent representation.

**Types of Autoencoders**

1. **Basic Autoencoders:**
  - Learn to reconstruct data.

## 2. Denoising Autoencoders:

- Learn to reconstruct data from noisy input.

## 3. Variational Autoencoders (VAEs):

- Generate new data samples similar to the training data by introducing probabilistic latent spaces.

### Implementing an Autoencoder in Keras

```
import tensorflow as tf
```

```
# Encoder
```

```
encoder = tf.keras.Sequential([  
    tf.keras.layers.InputLayer(input_shape=(784,)),  
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(128, activation='relu'),  
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(64, activation='relu')  
])
```

```
# Decoder
```

```
decoder = tf.keras.Sequential([  
    tf.keras.layers.InputLayer(input_shape=(64,)),  
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(128, activation='relu'),  
    tf.keras.layers.Dense(784, activation='sigmoid')  
])
```

```
# Full autoencoder
```

```
autoencoder = tf.keras.Model(inputs=encoder.input, outputs=decoder(encoder.output))
```

```
# Compile the autoencoder
```

```
autoencoder.compile(optimizer='adam', loss='mse')
```

```
# Summary
```

```
autoencoder.summary()
```

### Comparison

Aspect	RNNs	RBM	Autoencoders
Purpose	Sequential data processing	Feature learning, pretraining	Dimensionality reduction
Architecture	Recurrent loops	Energy-based probabilistic	Encoder-decoder structure
Common Use Cases	NLP, time-series prediction	Recommendation systems	Anomaly detection, compression

## **Applications**

### **1. RNNs:**

- Text generation, speech recognition, language translation.

### **2. RBMs:**

- Collaborative filtering (e.g., Netflix recommendation engine).

### **3. Autoencoders:**

- Denoising images, feature extraction, anomaly detection.