

# COEN 6331 Problem Set 3

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## 1 Design of Hopfield Network

The hopfield network can reconstruct a model of the complete data to determine the type of data that is missing. Each node of this network is in a state of -1 or 1 at any point in time. Using -1 and 1 to denote the set of 8 patterns in the problem set, the results are plotted as shown in Figure 1.

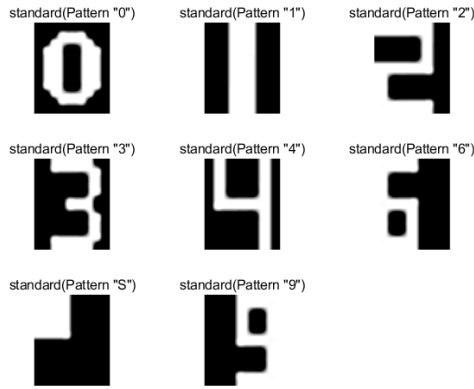


Figure 1: Standard Pattern

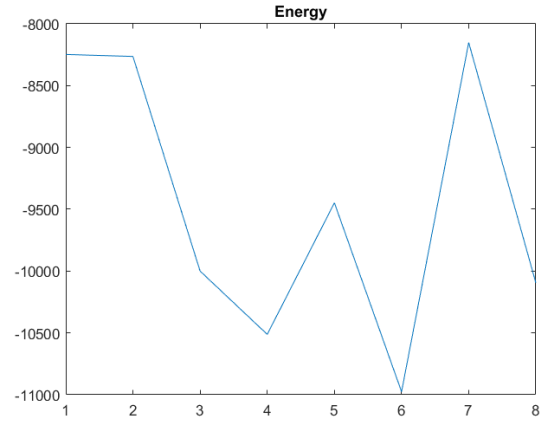


Figure 2: Energy Image

Updating the weights using hebbian learning rules allows each neuron to update its parameters according to its own input and output data. This learning rule usually uses a bipolar activation function that updates its own weights with the product of the current neuron's input and output, and then zeroes out the main diagonal before it can be used to train the network.

Introducing an energy function to the hopfield network, a complex image with many minimal points can be obtained, and the energy function image diagram is shown in Figure 2.

The hopfield network designed for this experiment implemented both synchronous and asynchronous learning procedures, and the performance of the recall mode of the network was compared and tested by using clean patterns and patterns containing 25% noise, respectively. Finally, pattern 7 and 8 were cited as confusion matrices to test the recall performance of the network.

## 2 Synchronous Learning Procedure

When the hopfield network performs a synchronous learning procedure, at any given moment, at least the state of two neurons will change. In special cases, all neurons may be updated at the same time, which can also be interpreted as working in full parallel.

### 2.1 Clean Pattern

Testing the performance of the network in recall mode with a noise-free pattern map, i.e. a clean pattern, yields the results shown in Figures 3, 4, and 5. As can be seen from the three results figures,

the performance of the network in the recall mode with clean patterns can be achieved with 100% accuracy.

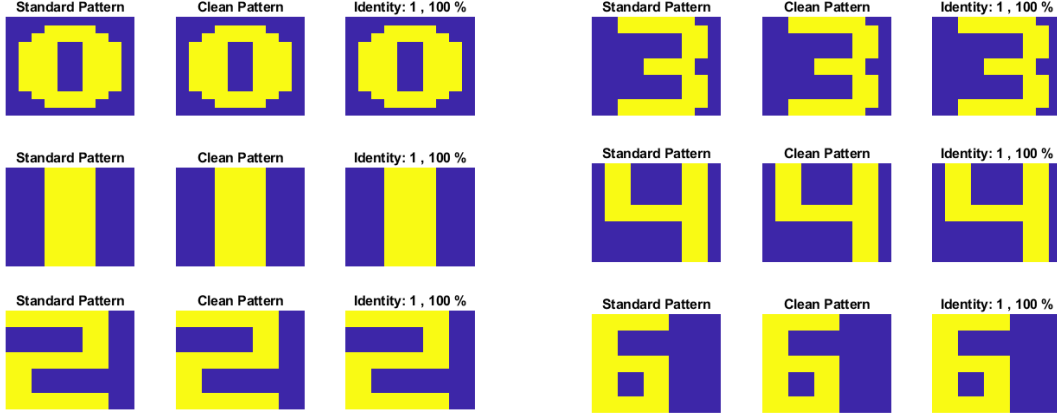


Figure 3: Synchronous with Clean Pattern

Figure 4: Synchronous with Clean Pattern

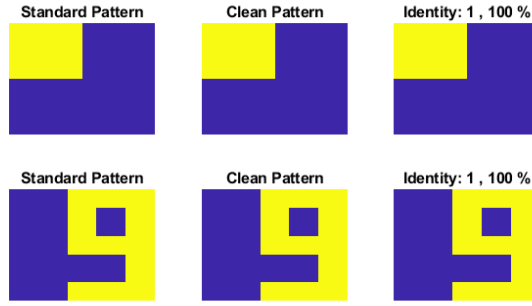


Figure 5: Synchronous with Clean Pattern

## 2.2 Noise Pattern

As the pattern matrix is  $12 \times 10$ , i.e. 120 points, a pattern with 25% noise only requires 30 points in the pattern matrix to be reversed at random.

As noise is generated randomly and different noise generation scenarios may affect the performance of the network, each pattern was tested at least five times. The time taken for the energy function to reach the equilibrium point for each pattern was recorded according to the number of iterations. Also, the accuracy of the network recognition performance can be obtained by calculating the results based on the final recognition with the original patterns. Each pattern was tested five times. The collated data are shown in Table 1.

	Pattern <sub>0</sub>	Pattern <sub>1</sub>	Pattern <sub>2</sub>	Pattern <sub>3</sub>	Pattern <sub>4</sub>	Pattern <sub>6</sub>	Pattern <sub>s</sub>	Pattern <sub>9</sub>
1	75%	100%	100%	63%	88%	75%	88%	75%
2	50%	100%	75%	100%	100%	75%	63%	88%
3	100%	25%	63%	88%	88%	100%	100%	25%
4	88%	75%	100%	63%	50%	63%	88%	75%
5	100%	100%	50%	100%	88%	100%	75%	63%
Total	82.6%	80%	77.6%	82.8%	82.8%	82.6%	82.8%	60.2%

Table 1: Accuracy of Noise Patterns with Synchronous Learning Procedures

The number of iterations of the synchronous learning procedure was all one. Although random noise affects the recognition performance of the network to some extent, it is clear from the data in Table 1 that the recognition performance of pattern 9 is poor. The recognition performance of all other patterns is more stable and the correct rate is high. The recognition effect of the poorly recognized pattern 9 is shown in Figure 6 and the recognition effect of the better recognized pattern 0 is shown in Figure 7.

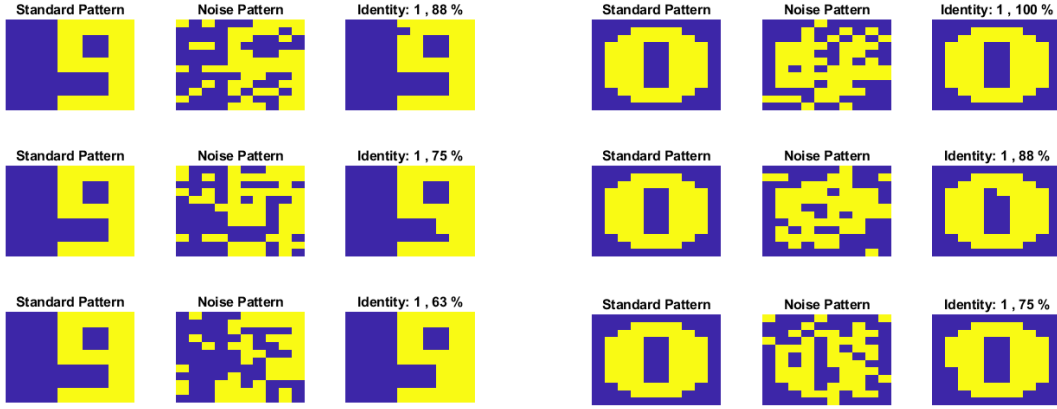


Figure 6: Poorly Recognized Pattern 9

Figure 7: Better Recognized Pattern 0

### 3 Asynchronous Learning Procedure

When the hopfield network performs an asynchronous learning procedure, at any given moment, only one neuron's state changes and the rest of the neurons remain unchanged.

#### 3.1 Clean Pattern

The performance of the hopfield network using the asynchronous learning procedure for clean patterns in recall mode was consistent with synchronous learning procedure, all the patterns are recalled correctly with 100% accuracy.

#### 3.2 Noise Pattern

Following the same approach yields data for the asynchronous learning procedure, as shown in Table 2. If two or more data appear in a data cell, this indicates the recognition accuracy for a different number of iterations. The asynchronous learning procedure can reach a state of convergence by iteratively computing the noise pattern step by step closer to the original pattern.

	1	2	3	4	5
pattern <sub>0</sub>	100%	88%-100%	50%-100%	100%	75%-100%
pattern <sub>1</sub>	100%	100%	88%-100%	75%-100%	100%
pattern <sub>2</sub>	100%	63%-63%	88%-100%	100%	100%
pattern <sub>3</sub>	88%-100%	100%	88%-100%	100%	100%
pattern <sub>4</sub>	100%	100%	100%	75%-100%	88%-100%
pattern <sub>6</sub>	100%	100%	38%-88%-100%	100%	75%-100%
pattern <sub>s</sub>	38%-38%	100%	63%-88%-100%	100%	100%
pattern <sub>9</sub>	13%-25%	38%-25%	50%-25%	75%-25%	100%

Table 2: Accuracy of Noise Patterns with Asynchronous Learning Procedures

As can be seen from the data in Table 2, the hopfield network using the asynchronous learning procedure almost always achieve 100% recognition accuracy after going through the iterative process.

As with the synchronous learning procedure, pattern 9 is less well recognised. Pattern 2 and pattern s show isolated cases of incorrect recognition, but in most cases the recognition accuracy is 100%. As an example, pattern 9 with a high recall failure rate is shown in Figure 8, and pattern s with a high number of iterations is shown in Figure 9.

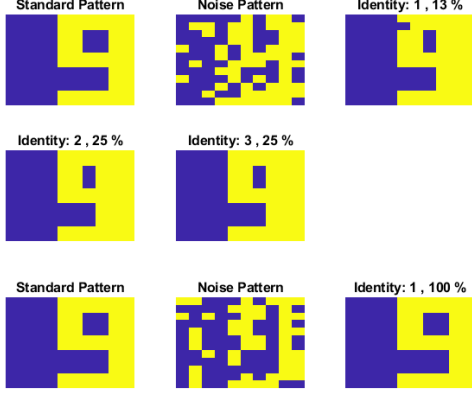


Figure 8: Poorly Recognized Pattern 9

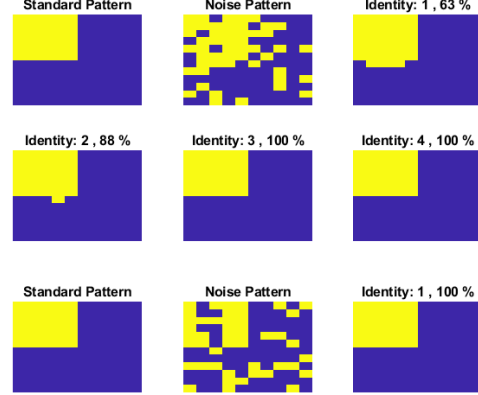


Figure 9: Better Recognized Pattern s

## 4 Performance

The performance analysis of the hopfield network consists of the following main parts. The first part is a comparison of the performance of synchronous and asynchronous learning. The two methods can be evaluated by comparing the accuracy of the recognition. The second part is the confusion matrix. The hopfield network is tested for recognition by introducing two untrained pattern 7 and pattern 8. The third section lists the cases of recall errors that occurred throughout the experiment.

### 4.1 Synchronous vs. Asynchronous

In the case of asynchronous operation, the network always converges to a balanced state. In the synchronous case, for the network to converge to an equilibrium state, the matrix needs to satisfy a non-negative definite matrix.

As can be seen from the data in Tables 1 and 2, the asynchronous learning procedure almost always achieves a recognition rate of 100% after iteration, but the recognition rate of the synchronous learning procedure depends heavily on the random noise pattern. The recognition performance of the synchronous learning procedure can reach 100% when the random noise is generated at locations close to the original pattern, but the accuracy of the recognition performance can be greatly affected when the random noise is easily confused with other patterns. Relatively speaking, the synchronous learning procedure is more prone to recognition errors than the asynchronous learning procedure.

### 4.2 Confuse Pattern

To verify the performance of the designed hopfield network, unlearned pattern 7 and pattern 8 were introduced as confusion matrices to test the recognition results under the synchronous and asynchronous learning procedures respectively.

From the results, although it could not achieve recognition of the two untrained patterns, the hopfield network also approximated the closest pattern to it, and with multiple iterations under the asynchronous learning procedure, the recognition of the confusion matrix could even achieve a 100% overlap with the known approximate pattern.

### 4.2.1 Synchronous Learning Procedure

The confusion matrix identification results under the synchronous learning procedure are shown in Figure 10 and Figure 11, where Figure 10 uses a clean confusion matrix and Figure 11 uses a confusion matrix with 25% noise.

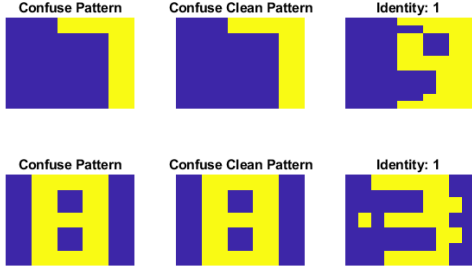


Figure 10: Clean Confuse Pattern

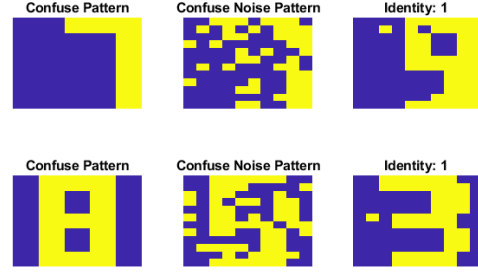


Figure 11: Noise Confuse Pattern

As can be seen in Figures 10 and 11, the hopfield network using the synchronous learning procedure approximately identifies pattern 7 as pattern 9 and pattern 8 as pattern 3, for both clean and noise patterns.

### 4.2.2 Asynchronous Learning Procedure

The confusion matrix identification results under the asynchronous learning procedure are shown in Figure 12 and Figure 13. As can be seen in Figures 12 and 13, with clean and noise pattern inputs, the hopfield network using the asynchronous learning procedure recognises pattern 7 as pattern 9 and pattern 8 as pattern 3, as the hopfield network using the synchronous learning procedure does, but the recognition results are much clearer and the recognition rate after iterative computation is much closer to the original pattern that has been trained.

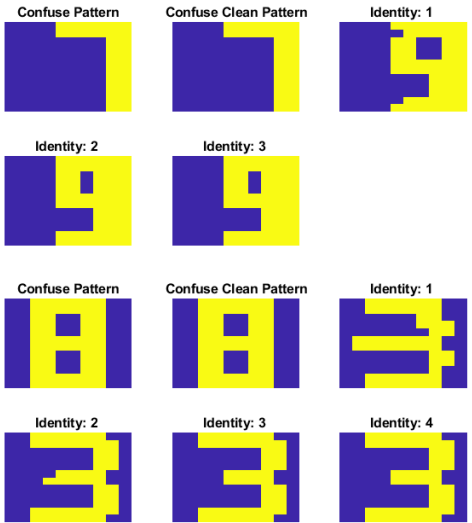


Figure 12: Clean Confuse Pattern

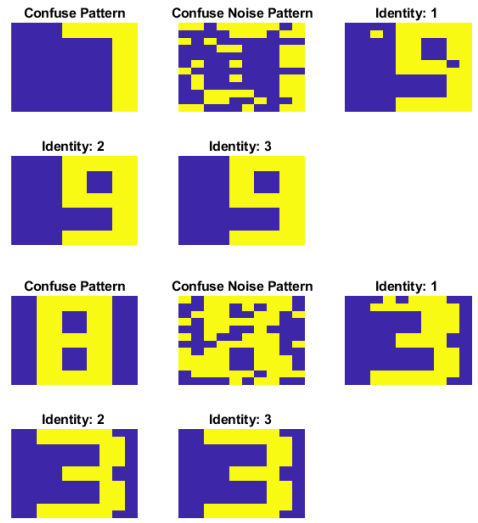


Figure 13: Noise Confuse Pattern

### 4.3 Mistakes

During testing of the asynchronous learning procedure, there have also been cases of misrecognition, as shown in Figures 14 and 15. As can be seen from the figures, the hopfield network incorrectly identified pattern 0 as the complement of pattern 6 and incorrectly identified pattern 4 as pattern 3. However, the probability of generating such recognition errors is small, mainly because 25% of the random noise generated happened to be at locations associated with other patterns.

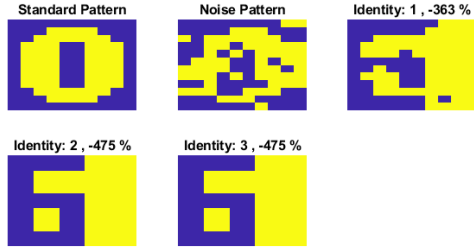


Figure 14: Mistake Pattern 0

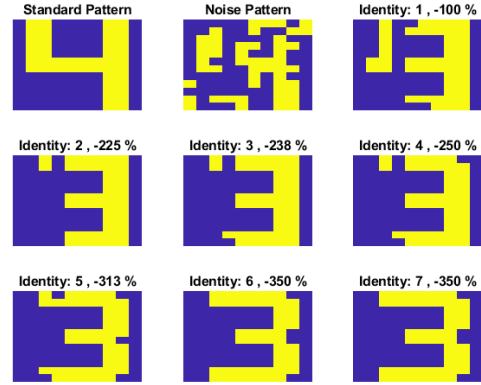


Figure 15: Mistake Pattern 4

# A Appendix

## A.1 Code for Hopfield Neural Network

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1 clc;
2 close all;
3 clear;
4
5 %% Loading Clean Data
6 pattern_0=[-1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
7            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
8            -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
9            -1 1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 1 -1;
10           -1 1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 1 -1;
11           -1 1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 1 -1;
12           -1 1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 1 -1;
13           -1 1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 1 -1;
14           -1 1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 1 -1;
15           -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
16           -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
17           -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1];
18
19 pattern_1=[-1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
20            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
21            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
22            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
23            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
24            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
25            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
26            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
27            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
28            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
29            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1;
30            -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1];
31
32 pattern_2=[ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
33            1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
34            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
35            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
36            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
37            1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
38            1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
39            1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
40            1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
41            1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
42            1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
43            1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1];
44
45 pattern_3=[-1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
46            -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1;
47            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
48            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
49            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
50            -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
51            -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
52            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
53            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
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54         -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
55         -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1;
56         -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1];
57
58 pattern_4=[-1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
59            -1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
60            -1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
61            -1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
62            -1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
63            -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1;
64            -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1;
65            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
66            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
67            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
68            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1;
69            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1];
70
71 pattern_6=[ 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
72            1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
73            1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
74            1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
75            1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
76            1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
77            1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
78            1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
79            1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
80            1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
81            1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
82            1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1];
83
84 pattern_s=[ 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
85            1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
86            1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
87            1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
88            1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
89            1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
90            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
91            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
92            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
93            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
94            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1;
95            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1];
96
97 pattern_9=[-1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1;
98            -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1;
99            -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1;
100           -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1;
101           -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1;
102           -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1;
103           -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1;
104           -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
105           -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
106           -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
107           -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1;
108           -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1];
109

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110 %% Load Confuse Matrix
111 pattern_7=[-1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1;
112            -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1;
113            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
114            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
115            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
116            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
117            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
118            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
119            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
120            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
121            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1;
122            -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 1 1];
123
124 pattern_8=[-1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
125            -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
126            -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
127            -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
128            -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
129            -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
130            -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
131            -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
132            -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
133            -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1 1 1 -1 -1;
134            -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1;
135            -1 -1 1 1 1 1 1 1 -1 -1];
136
137 %% Build Clean Pattern Array
138 d(:, :, 1)=pattern_0;
139 d(:, :, 2)=pattern_1;
140 d(:, :, 3)=pattern_2;
141 d(:, :, 4)=pattern_3;
142 d(:, :, 5)=pattern_4;
143 d(:, :, 6)=pattern_6;
144 d(:, :, 7)=pattern_s;
145 d(:, :, 8)=pattern_9;
146 d(:, :, 9)=pattern_7;      %confuse matrix
147 d(:, :, 10)=pattern_8;    %confuse matrix
148
149 for i=1:8
150     B(i, :)=reshape(d(:, :, i), 1, 120);
151 end
152
153 %% Weight Calculate: Hebbian Rule
154 T=zeros(120);
155 for i=1:8 %confuse pattern
156 %for i=1:size(d,3)
157     T=T+B(i, :)'*B(i, :);
158 end
159 w=T;
160 for i=1:size(w,1) %set diagonal elements to 0
161     w(i, i)=0;
162 end
163 xlswrite('weight.xlsx', w)
164
165 %% Energy Function

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166 Et=zeros(1,8);
167 for p=1:8
168 Et(p)=-0.5*B(p,:)*w*B(p,:).'-B(p,:)*B(p,:).';
169 end
170 xlswrite('energy.xlsx',Et)
171
172 figure(1)
173 plot(Et)
174 title('Energy')
175
176 %% Pattern Select
177 p=10;
178
179 figure(2)
180 subplot(3,3,1)
181 %imagesc(reshape(d(:,:,p),12,10))
182 %title('Standard Pattern')
183 imagesc(reshape(d(:,:,p),12,10))
184 title('Confuse Pattern')
185 axis off
186
187 %% Load Noise Data
188 noise-pattern-0=pattern-0;
189 noise-pattern-1=pattern-1;
190 noise-pattern-2=pattern-2;
191 noise-pattern-3=pattern-3;
192 noise-pattern-4=pattern-4;
193 noise-pattern-6=pattern-6;
194 noise-pattern-s=pattern-s;
195 noise-pattern-9=pattern-9;
196
197 rate-noise=30; %rate of noise=rate*row*column
198
199 i_0 = randperm(numel(noise-pattern-0),rate-noise);
200 for index = i_0
201     noise-pattern-0(index)= -noise-pattern-0(index);
202 end
203
204 i_1 = randperm(numel(noise-pattern-1),rate-noise);
205 for index = i_1
206     noise-pattern-1(index)= -noise-pattern-1(index);
207 end
208
209 i_2 = randperm(numel(noise-pattern-2),rate-noise);
210 for index = i_2
211     noise-pattern-2(index)= -noise-pattern-2(index);
212 end
213
214 i_3 = randperm(numel(noise-pattern-3),rate-noise);
215 for index = i_3
216     noise-pattern-3(index)= -noise-pattern-3(index);
217 end
218
219 i_4 = randperm(numel(noise-pattern-4),rate-noise);
220 for index = i_4
221     noise-pattern-4(index)= -noise-pattern-4(index);

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222 end
223
224 i_6 = randperm(numel(noise_pattern_6),rate_noise);
225 for index = i_6
226     noise_pattern_6(index)=-noise_pattern_6(index);
227 end
228
229 i_s = randperm(numel(noise_pattern_s),rate_noise);
230 for index = i_s
231     noise_pattern_s(index)=-noise_pattern_s(index);
232 end
233
234 i_9 = randperm(numel(noise_pattern_9),rate_noise);
235 for index = i_9
236     noise_pattern_9(index)=-noise_pattern_9(index);
237 end
238
239 %% Load Confuse Noise Data
240 noise_pattern_7=pattern_7;
241 noise_pattern_8=pattern_8;
242
243 rate_noise=30; %rate of noise=rate*row*column
244
245 i_7 = randperm(numel(noise_pattern_7),rate_noise);
246 for index = i_7
247     noise_pattern_7(index)=-noise_pattern_7(index);
248 end
249
250 i_8 = randperm(numel(noise_pattern_8),rate_noise);
251 for index = i_8
252     noise_pattern_8(index)=-noise_pattern_8(index);
253 end
254
255 %% Build Noise Pattern Array
256 d(:,:,1)=noise_pattern_0;
257 d(:,:,2)=noise_pattern_1;
258 d(:,:,3)=noise_pattern_2;
259 d(:,:,4)=noise_pattern_3;
260 d(:,:,5)=noise_pattern_4;
261 d(:,:,6)=noise_pattern_6;
262 d(:,:,7)=noise_pattern_s;
263 d(:,:,8)=noise_pattern_9;
264 d(:,:,9)=noise_pattern_7; %confuse pattern
265 d(:,:,10)=noise_pattern_8; %confuse pattern
266
267 J=d(:,: ,p);
268 B_noise=reshape(J,1,120);
269 B(p,:)=B_noise;
270
271 subplot(3,3,2)
272 imagesc(reshape(B(p,:),12,10))
273 title('Confuse Noise Pattern')
274 axis off
275
276 %% Energy Function
277 E0=-0.5*B(p,:)*w*B(p,:).'-B(p,:)*B(p,:).';

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278 E1=0;
279 y0=B(p,:);
280 y1=y0;
281
282 %% Learning Parameters
283 iterations=1;
284 converge=1; %Convergence flag
285 while converge
286 %% Asynchronous Learning Procedures
287 % index=randperm(120);
288 % for i=1:120
289 % y1(index(i))=sign(B(p,index(i))+y1*w(index(i),:).');
290 % end
291
292 %% Synchronous Learning Procedures
293 y1=sign(B(p,:)+y0*w.');
294
295 %% Recall Pattern
296 E1=-0.5*y1*w*y1.'-B(p,:)*y1.');
297 if (E1-E0)==0 %reach equilibrium
298 converge=0;
299 end
300 E0=E1;
301
302 %accuracy=(1-abs(1/8*sum(y1~=pattern_9(:)')))*100;
303
304 subplot(3,3,iterations+2)
305 imagesc(reshape(y1,12,10))
306 %title(sprintf('%s %s %s %.f %s','Identity:',num2str(iterations),',',',accuracy','%'))
307 title(sprintf('%s %s %s %.f','Identity:',num2str(iterations))) %confuse pattern
308 axis off
309
310 iterations=iterations+1;
311 end

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