

PRACTICAL NO. 02

Aim :

Placement train prediction and visual analytics for engineering college.

Theory :

This project presents a system for analyzing and predicting placement trends in engineering colleges using deep learning techniques. The system takes raw placement data, visualizes the historical trends, and enables predictive analytics to forecast future placements based on past records. The underlying model is built using a feed-forward neural network, which learns patterns from years of placement data to generate future predictions. A graphical interface makes it easy for users to interact with the system and interpret results via bar graphs.

Working Principle :

- Machine Learning Model : Multi-Layer Perceptron (MLP) Neural Network
The code implements a 3-layer feedforward neural network (also called Multi-Layer Perceptron) with the following architecture :
- Network Architecture : Input Layer (3 neurons) → Hidden Layer 1 (10 neurons) → Hidden Layer 2 (5 neurons) → Output Layer (1 neuron)
- Model Parameters : Input Features (3 parameters)
 - Normalized Year → $(\text{current_year} - \text{first_year}) / 10.0$ - Represents the temporal position.
 - Normalized Current Count → $\text{current_placement_count} / \text{max_count}$ - Current year's placement numbers.
 - Normalized Trend → $(\text{current_count} - \text{previous_count}) / \text{max_count}$ - Rate of change from previous year.
- Network Layers :
 - Input Size → 3 neurons
 - Hidden Layer 1 → 10 neurons (with ReLU activation)
 - Hidden Layer 2 → 5 neurons (with ReLU activation)
 - Output Layer → 1 neuron (with Sigmoid activation)

- Activation Functions :
ReLU (Rectified Linear Unit) : Used in hidden layers
 $\text{relu}(x) = \max(0, x)$
- Sigmoid : Used in output layer to bound predictions between 0 and 1
 $\text{sigmoid}(x) = 1 / (1 + e^{(-x)})$
- Training Parameters :
 - Learning Rate : 0.1
 - Epochs : 1000 iterations
 - Loss Function : Mean Squared Error (MSE)
 - Optimization : Gradient Descent with Backpropagation
- Weight Initialization :

$$\text{scale} = \sqrt{2.0 / \text{number_of_inputs}}$$

$$\text{weight} = \text{random_gaussian} * \text{scale}$$

Program Code :

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import java.awt.*;
import java.io.*;
import java.util.*;
import java.util.List;
import javax.swing.*;

public class PlacementTrendAnalyzer
extends JFrame {
    private JPanel mainPanel;
    private CardLayout cardLayout;
    private GraphPanel graphPanel;
    private JPanel endScreen;

    public PlacementTrendAnalyzer()
    {
        setTitle("Placement Bar
Graph with Deep Learning");
        setSize(800, 600);
        setDefaultCloseOperation(J
Frame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
        setLocationRelativeTo(null
);
    }
}
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// Use CardLayout to switch
between screens
        cardLayout = new
CardLayout();
        mainPanel = new
JPanel(cardLayout);

        // Create starting screen
        JPanel startScreen =
createStartScreen();
        mainPanel.add(startScreen,
"START");

        // Create end screen (will
be updated later)
        endScreen = new JPanel();
        mainPanel.add(endScreen,
"END");

        add(mainPanel);
    }
}
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        // Show start screen
initially
        cardLayout.show(mainPanel,
"START");
    }

    void parseCSV(File file) {
        yearCountMap.clear();

        try (BufferedReader br = new
BufferedReader(new
FileReader(file))) {
            String line =
br.readLine(); // Skip header
            while ((line =
br.readLine()) != null) {
                String[] tokens =
line.split(",");
                if (tokens.length
>= 2) {
                    String year =
tokens[1].trim();
                    yearCountMap.p
ut(year,
yearCountMap.getOrDefault(year, 0)
+ 1);
                }
            }
        } catch (IOException e) {
            JOptionPane.showMessag
eDialog(this, "Error reading file:
" + e.getMessage());
        }

        if (!yearCountMap.isEmpty())
        {
            List<String> yearList =
new
ArrayList<>(yearCountMap.keySet())
;
            Collections.sort(yearL
ist);

            years =
yearList.toArray(new String[0]);

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        placedStudents = new
int[years.length];
        for (int i = 0; i <
years.length; i++) {
            placedStudents[i] =
yearCountMap.get(years[i]);
        }
    }

    void trainNeuralNetwork() {
        if (placedStudents.length <
3) {
            JOptionPane.showMessag
eDialog(this, "Need at least 3 years
of data to train!");
            return;
        }
        // Initialize and train
neural network
        neuralNetwork = new
NeuralNetwork(3, 10, 5, 1);
        neuralNetwork.train(inputs,
outputs, 1000, 0.1);
    }

    boolean
showYearWithDLPrediction(String
inputYear) {
        if (neuralNetwork == null)
        {
            return false;
        }

        isDLPrediction = true;
        int inputYearNum;
        try {
            inputYearNum =
Integer.parseInt(inputYear);
        } catch
(NumberFormatException e) {
            return false;
        }
    }

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        if
(yearCountMap.containsKey(inputYear)) {
            highlightedYear =
inputYear;
            predictedPercentage =
null;
            highlightedCount =
yearCountMap.get(inputYear);
            repaint();
            return true;
        }

        if (years.length == 0)
            return false;

        int lastKnownYear =
Integer.parseInt(years[years.length - 1]);
        if (inputYearNum <=
lastKnownYear)
            return false;

        // Use neural network for
prediction
        double maxCount =
Arrays.stream(placedStudents).max(
).orElse(1);

        double[] input = new
double[3];
        input[0] = (double)
(inputYearNum -
Integer.parseInt(years[0])) / 10.0;
        input[1] =
placedStudents[placedStudents.length - 1] / maxCount;
        input[2] =
(placedStudents[placedStudents.length - 1] -
placedStudents[placedStudents.length - 2]) / maxCount;

        double[] prediction =
neuralNetwork.predict(input);

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        int predictedCount = (int)
(prediction[0] * maxCount);

        if (predictedCount < 0)
            predictedCount = 0;

        int lastYearCount =
placedStudents[placedStudents.length - 1];
        if (lastYearCount != 0) {
            double rawPercentage =
((double) (predictedCount -
lastYearCount) / lastYearCount) *
100;
            if (rawPercentage > 100)
                rawPercentage = 100;
            else if (rawPercentage
< -100)
                rawPercentage = -
100;
            predictedPercentage =
rawPercentage;
        } else {
            predictedPercentage =
null;
        }

        highlightedYear = inputYear;
        highlightedCount =
predictedCount;

        repaint();
        return true;
    }

    boolean hasData() {
        return
!yearCountMap.isEmpty();
    }

    @Override
    protected void
paintComponent(Graphics g) {
        super.paintComponent(g);

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        Graphics2D g2 = (Graphics2D)
g;
        int width = getWidth();
        int height = getHeight();
        int padding = 50;

        if (placedStudents == null
|| placedStudents.length == 0) {
            Font headingFont = new
Font("SansSerif", Font.BOLD, 16);
            g2.setFont(headingFont);
            g2.setColor(Color.BLAC
K);

            String heading =
"Placement trend prediction with
Deep Learning for engineering
college";
            g2.drawString(heading,
20, 40);

            Font normalFont = new
Font("SansSerif", Font.PLAIN, 12);
            Font boldFont = new
Font("SansSerif", Font.BOLD, 12);

            String[] lines = {
                "This application
uses deep learning to analyze
placement data and predict future
trends.",
                "",
                "Step To Use
This Application :",
                "1. Click 'Upload
CSV' button.",
                "2. Select your
CSV file with 'Name,Year' data.",
                "3. Click 'Train
Model' to train the neural
network.",
                "4. Enter a year
and click 'DL Prediction' for deep
learning based prediction.",

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                "5. The graph
shows prediction percentage for
upcoming years.",
                "",
                "Created By",
                "Rohan Ingle"
            };

            int x = 20;
            int y = 60;
            int lineHeight =
g2.getFontMetrics().getHeight();

            for (String line : lines)
            {
                if (line.equals("Step
To Use This Application :") ||
line.equals("Created By")) {
                    g2.setFont(bol
dFont);
                } else {
                    g2.setFont(nor
malFont);
                }
                g2.drawString(line,
x, y);
                y += lineHeight;
            }
            return;
        }

        // Draw the graph when data
is loaded
        g2.setColor(Color.BLACK);
        g2.drawLine(padding,
padding, padding, height -
padding);
        g2.drawLine(padding, height
- padding, width - padding, height
- padding);
        for (int i = 0; i <
placedStudents.length; i++) {
            int x = padding + i *
(barWidth + 10) + 5;

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        int barHeight =
placedStudents[i] * (height - 2 *
padding) / maxValue;
        int y = height - padding
- barHeight;

        g2.setColor(Color.BLUE);
        g2.fillRect(x, y,
barWidth, barHeight);

        g2.setColor(Color.BLAC
K);
        g2.drawString(years[i],
x, height - padding + 15);
    }
    // Add DL indicator
    if (isDLPrediction)
    {
        g2.setColor(Co
lor.DARK_GRAY);
        g2.setFont(new
Font("SansSerif", Font.BOLD, 10));
        g2.drawString(
"DL", x + barWidth - 20, y - 5);
    }
}
}

// Neural Network implementation in
pure Java
class NeuralNetwork {
    private int inputSize;
    private int hiddenSize1;
    private int hiddenSize2;
    private int outputSize;

    private double[][]
weightsInputHidden1;
    private double[][]
weightsHidden1Hidden2;
    private double[][]
weightsHidden2Output;

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    private double[] biasHidden1;
    private double[] biasHidden2;
    private double[] biasOutput;

    private Random random = new
Random();

    public NeuralNetwork(int
inputSize, int hiddenSize1, int
hiddenSize2, int outputSize) {
        this.inputSize = inputSize;
        this.hiddenSize1 =
hiddenSize1;
        this.hiddenSize2 =
hiddenSize2;
        this.outputSize =
outputSize;

        // Initialize weights and
biases
        weightsInputHidden1 = new
double[inputSize][hiddenSize1];
        weightsHidden1Hidden2 = new
double[hiddenSize1][hiddenSize2];
        weightsHidden2Output = new
double[hiddenSize2][outputSize];

        biasHidden1 = new
double[hiddenSize1];
        biasHidden2 = new
double[hiddenSize2];
        biasOutput = new
double[outputSize];

        initializeWeights();
    }

    private void
initializeWeights() {
        // Xavier initialization
        double scale1 =
Math.sqrt(2.0 / inputSize);
        double scale2 =
Math.sqrt(2.0 / hiddenSize1);

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        double scale3 =
Math.sqrt(2.0 / hiddenSize2);

        for (int i = 0; i <
inputSize; i++) {
            for (int j = 0; j <
hiddenSize1; j++) {
                weightsInputHidden
1[i][j] = random.nextGaussian() *
scale1;
            }
        }

        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize1; i++) {
            for (int j = 0; j <
hiddenSize2; j++) {
                weightsHidden1Hidd
en2[i][j] = random.nextGaussian() *
scale2;
            }
        }

        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize2; i++) {
            for (int j = 0; j <
outputSize; j++) {
                weightsHidden2Outp
ut[i][j] = random.nextGaussian() *
scale3;
            }
        }

        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize1; i++) {
            biasHidden1[i] = 0.01;
        }
        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize2; i++) {
            biasHidden2[i] = 0.01;
        }
        for (int i = 0; i <
outputSize; i++) {
            biasOutput[i] = 0.01;
        }

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    }

    private double relu(double x) {
        return Math.max(0, x);
    }

    private double
reluDerivative(double x) {
        return x > 0 ? 1 : 0;
    }

    private double sigmoid(double
x) {
        return 1.0 / (1.0 +
Math.exp(-x));
    }

    public double[]
predict(double[] input) {
        // Forward propagation
        double[] hidden1 = new
double[hiddenSize1];
        double[] hidden2 = new
double[hiddenSize2];
        double[] output = new
double[outputSize];

        // Input to Hidden1
        for (int j = 0; j <
hiddenSize1; j++) {
            double sum =
biasHidden1[j];
            for (int i = 0; i <
inputSize; i++) {
                sum += input[i] *
weightsInputHidden1[i][j];
            }
            hidden1[j] = relu(sum);
        }

        // Hidden1 to Hidden2
        for (int j = 0; j <
hiddenSize2; j++) {
            double sum =
biasHidden2[j];

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        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize1; i++) {
            sum += hidden1[i] *
weightsHidden1Hidden2[i][j];
        }
        hidden2[j] = relu(sum);
    }

    // Hidden2 to Output
    for (int j = 0; j <
outputSize; j++) {
        double sum =
biasOutput[j];
        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize2; i++) {
            sum += hidden2[i] *
weightsHidden2Output[i][j];
        }
        output[j] =
sigmoid(sum);
    }

    return output;
}

public void
train(List<double[]> inputs,
List<double[]> outputs, int epochs,
double learningRate) {
    for (int epoch = 0; epoch <
epochs; epoch++) {
        double totalLoss = 0;

        for (int sample = 0;
sample < inputs.size(); sample++) {
            double[] input =
inputs.get(sample);
            double[] target =
outputs.get(sample);

            // Forward
propagation
            double[] hidden1 =
new double[hiddenSize1];

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            double[] hidden1Raw
= new double[hiddenSize1];
            double[] hidden2 =
new double[hiddenSize2];
            double[] hidden2Raw
= new double[hiddenSize2];
            double[] output =
new double[outputSize];

            // Input to Hidden1
            for (int j = 0; j <
hiddenSize1; j++) {
                double sum =
biasHidden1[j];
                for (int i = 0;
i < inputSize; i++) {
                    sum +=
input[i]
                    *
weightsInputHidden1[i][j];
                }
                hidden1Raw[j] =
sum;

                hidden1[j] =
relu(sum);
            }

            // Hidden1 to Hidden2
            for (int j = 0; j <
hiddenSize2; j++) {
                double sum =
biasHidden2[j];
                for (int i = 0;
i < hiddenSize1; i++) {
                    sum +=
hidden1Raw[i]
                    *
weightsHidden1Hidden2[i][j];
                }
                hidden2Raw[j] =
sum;

                hidden2[j] =
relu(sum);
            }

            // Hidden2 to Output

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        for (int j = 0; j <
outputSize; j++) {
            double sum =
biasOutput[j];
            for (int i = 0;
i < hiddenSize2; i++) {
                sum +=
hidden2[i]
weightsHidden2Output[i][j];
            }
            output[j] =
sigmoid(sum);
        }

        // Calculate loss
        for (int i = 0; i <
outputSize; i++) {
            totalLoss +=
Math.pow(target[i] - output[i], 2);
        }

        // Backpropagation
        double[] outputError
= new double[outputSize];
        double[] hidden2Error
= new double[hiddenSize2];
        double[] hidden1Error
= new double[hiddenSize1];

        // Output layer
error
        for (int i = 0; i <
outputSize; i++) {
            outputError[i]
= (output[i] - target[i]) *
output[i] * (1 - output[i]);
        }

        // Hidden2 layer
error
        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize2; i++) {
            double error =
0;

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        for (int j = 0;
j < outputSize; j++) {
            error +=
outputError[j]
weightsHidden2Output[i][j];
        }
            hidden2Error[i]
= error
reluDerivative(hidden2Raw[i]);
        }

        // Hidden1 layer
error
        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize1; i++) {
            double error =
0;
            for (int j = 0;
j < hiddenSize2; j++) {
                error +=
hidden2Error[j]
weightsHidden1Hidden2[i][j];
            }
            hidden1Error[i]
= error
reluDerivative(hidden1Raw[i]);
        }

        // Update weights
and biases
        // Hidden2 to Output
        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize2; i++) {
            for (int j = 0;
j < outputSize; j++) {
                weightsHid
den2Output[i][j] -= learningRate *
outputError[j] * hidden2[i];
            }
        }
        for (int i = 0; i <
outputSize; i++) {
            biasOutput[i] -
= learningRate * outputError[i];
        }

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        // Hidden1 to Hidden2
        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize1; i++) {
            for (int j = 0;
j < hiddenSize2; j++) {
                weightsHid
den1Hidden2[i][j] -= learningRate *
hidden2Error[j] * hidden1[i];
            }
        }
        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize2; i++) {
            biasHidden2[i]
-= learningRate * hidden2Error[i];
        }

        // Input to Hidden1
        for (int i = 0; i <
inputSize; i++) {
            for (int j = 0;
j < hiddenSize1; j++) {

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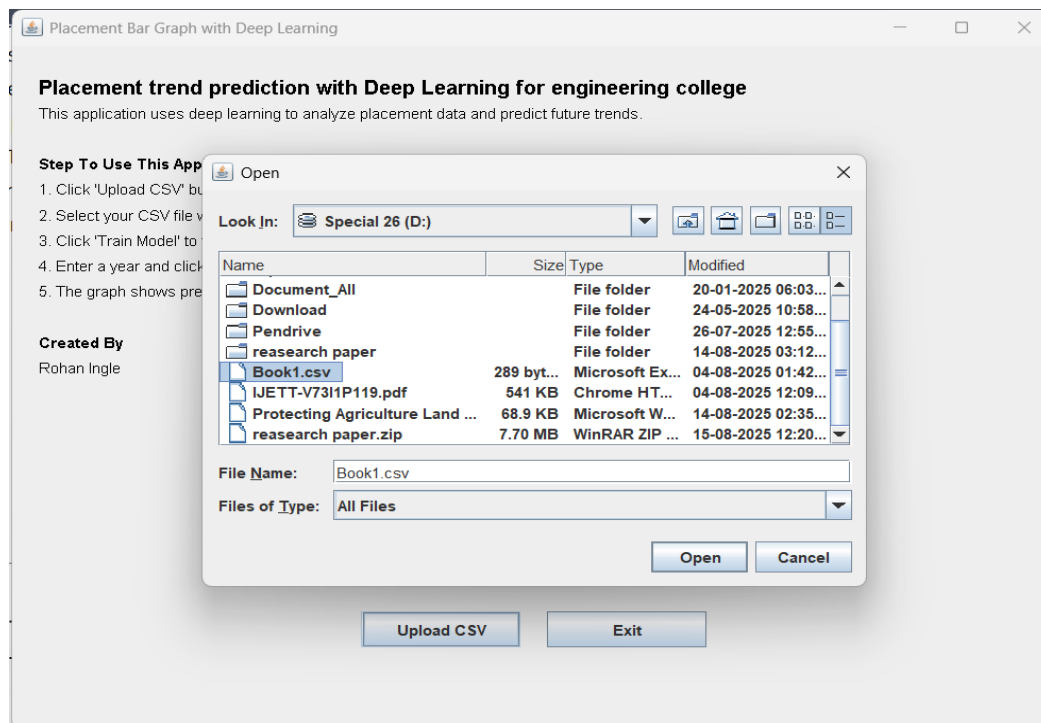
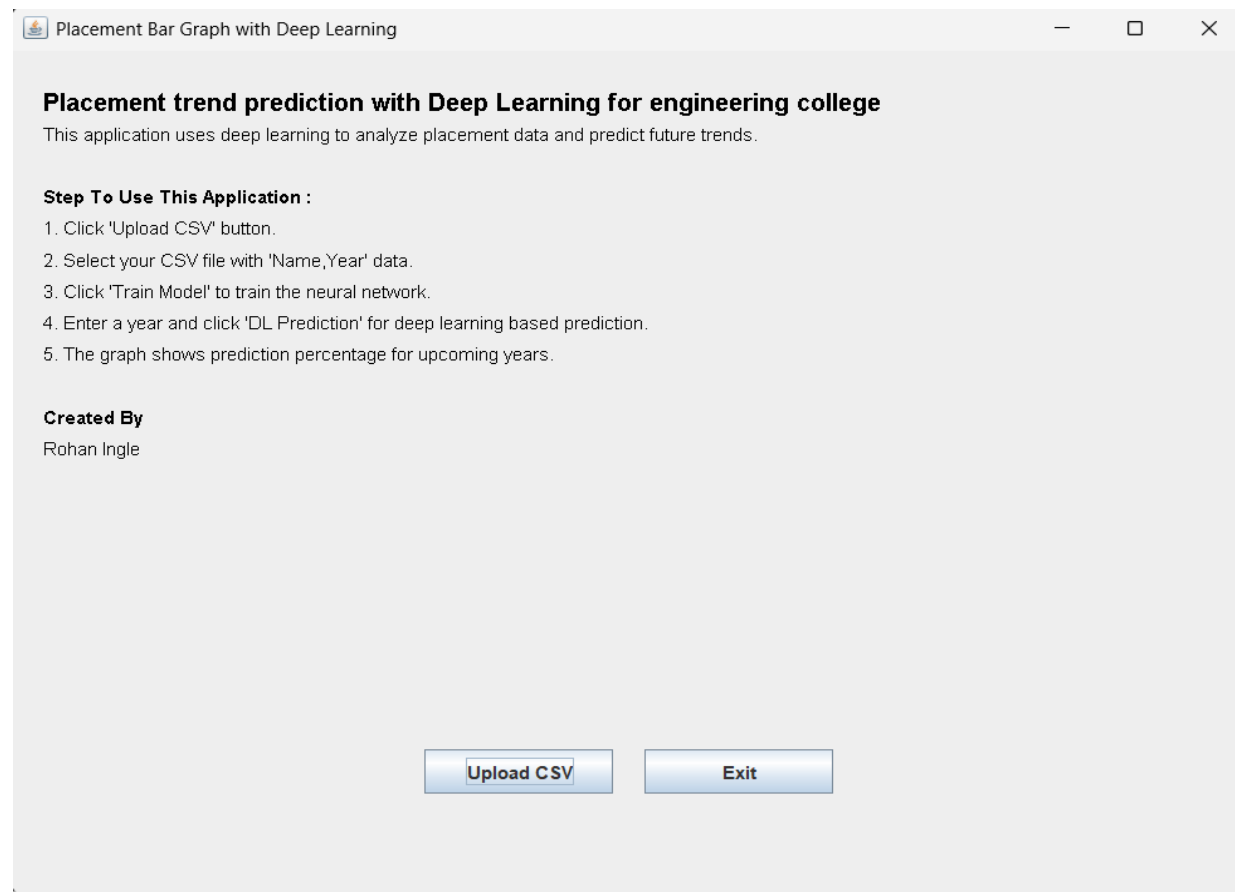
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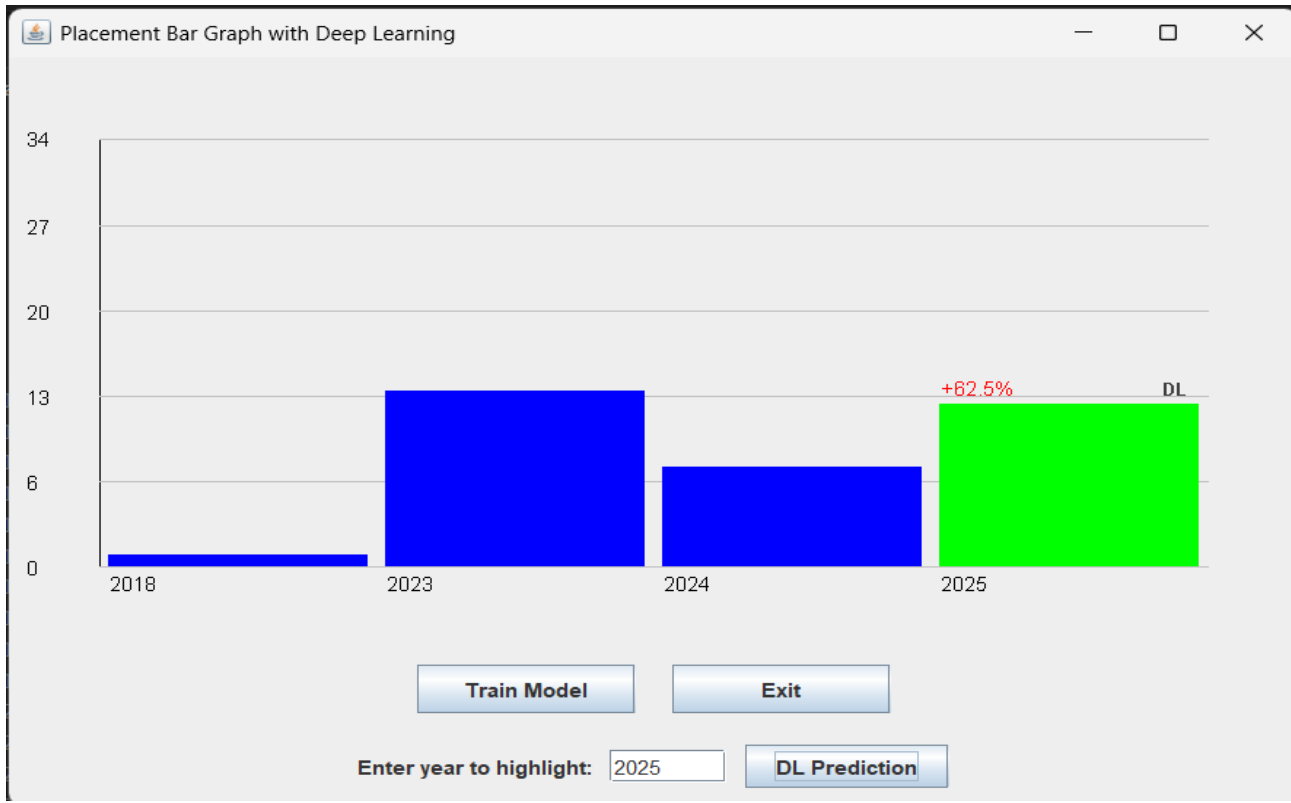
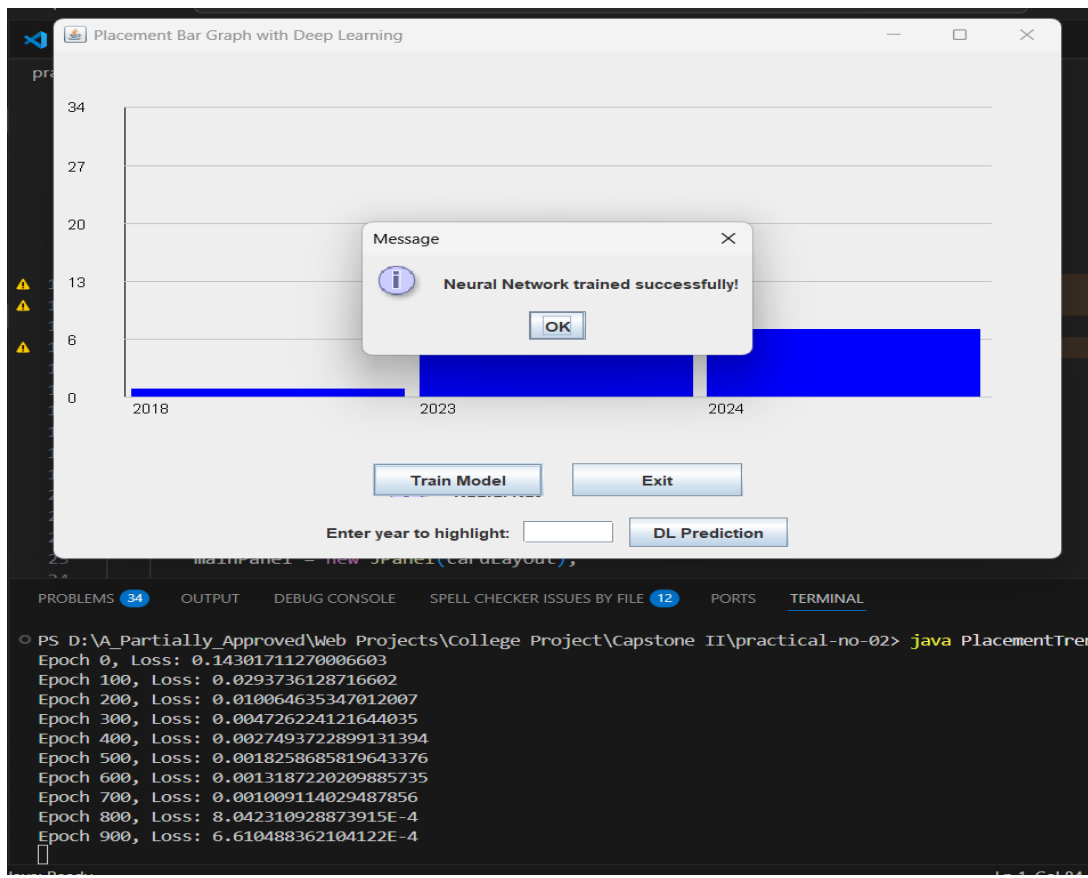
                weightsInp
utHidden1[i][j] -= learningRate *
hidden1Error[j] * input[i];
            }
        }
        for (int i = 0; i <
hiddenSize1; i++) {
            biasHidden1[i]
-= learningRate * hidden1Error[i];
        }
    }

    // Print progress every
100 epochs
    if (epoch % 100 == 0) {
        System.out.println
("Epoch " + epoch + ", Loss: " +
totalLoss / inputs.size());
    }
}
}
}

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Program Output :





Advantages :

- 1) Predicts future placement trends using deep learning.
- 2) Visual bar graph makes analysis intuitive and impactful.
- 3) Flexible and extensible for updated data and model retraining.
- 4) Runs locally, preserving data confidentiality.
- 5) Can be customized for various datasets.

Disadvantages :

- 1) Considers only basic features (year, count, trend); external factors not included.
- 2) Prediction quality depends on data volume and accuracy.
- 3) No integration with external college management systems.
- 4) Only basic analytics and visualizations are available.

Conclusion :

The "Placement Training Prediction and Visual Analytics" platform for an engineering school effectively illustrates the combination of data-driven predictive analytics and visual analytics. Through the examination of student information, including academic achievement, skill sets, and participation in training, the platform forecasts possible placement results with high accuracy. The visual analytics module offers a transparent, interactive visualization of trends, facilitating students and administrators in decision-making processes for training interventions.