Training Neural Networks

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What is our project about?



Objective: Mathematical understanding of artificial neural networks, how to tune the parameters to improve the performance of each neural network.

Method: Train 3 types of Neural Networks:

- Feed-Forward Neural Networks
- Convolution Neural Networks
- Recurrent Neural Networks

Background

1943

Warren McCulloch proposed how neurons may work by creating a simple neural network using electrical circuits.

1950s:

Advancement within computers enabled simulation of neural networks.

1960s:

Frank Rosenblatt introduces
the first practical
implementation of neural
networks that used supervised
learning algorithms.

1980s:

David Rumelhart, Geoffrey
Hinton, and Ronald Williams
maximized the efficiency of the
backpropagation learning
algorithm.

1980s to present:

Continuous expansion and evolution of the field of neural networks

2012:

AlexNet, a convolutional neural network architecture wins the ILSVRC competition for the first time.

Applications

Forward-Feed Neural Networks (FNNs):

Fraud detection

Medical diagnosis

Handwriting recognition

Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs):

Image classification

Object detection and recognition

Facial recognition

Video analysis

Recurrent Neural Networks (RNNs):

Prediction problems

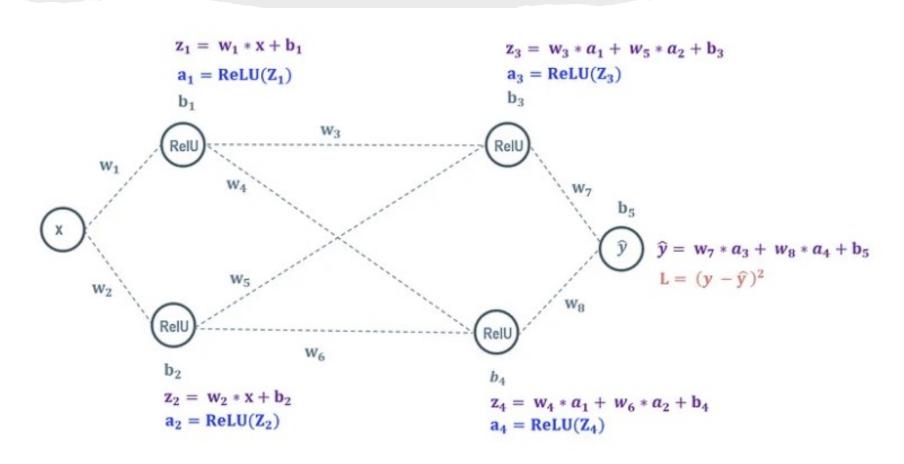
Language modeling

Text generation

Speech recognition and translation

Forecasting

FNN Model & Architecture

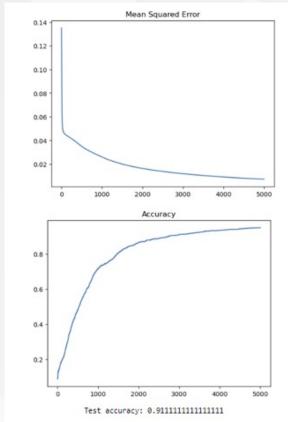


Findings for FNN Model

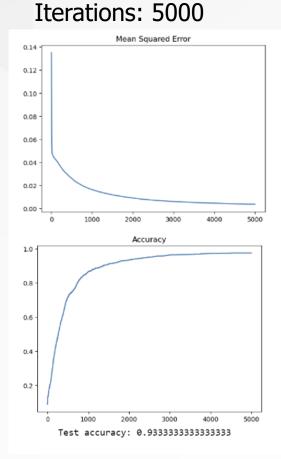


Learning Rate: 0.1

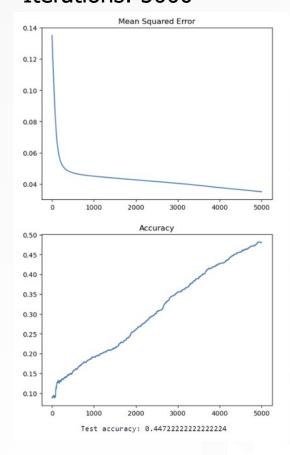
Iterations: 5000



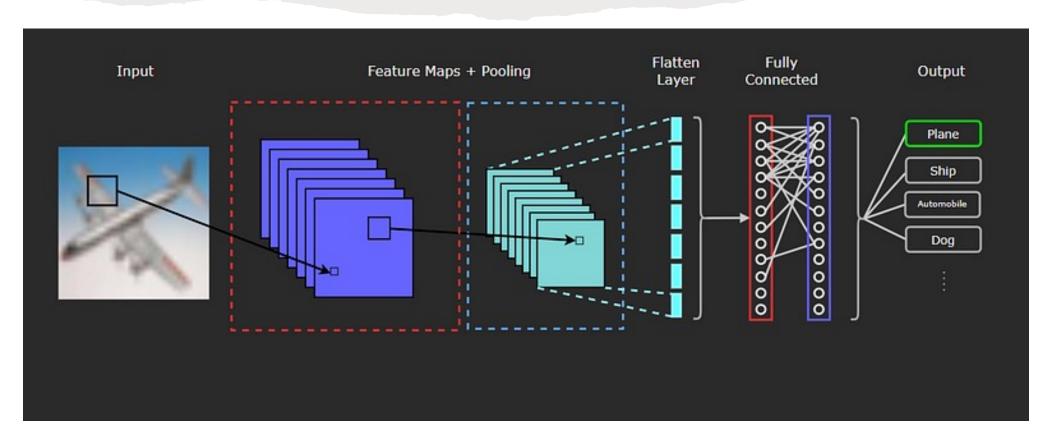
Learning Rate: 0.2



Learning Rate: 0.01 Iterations: 5000

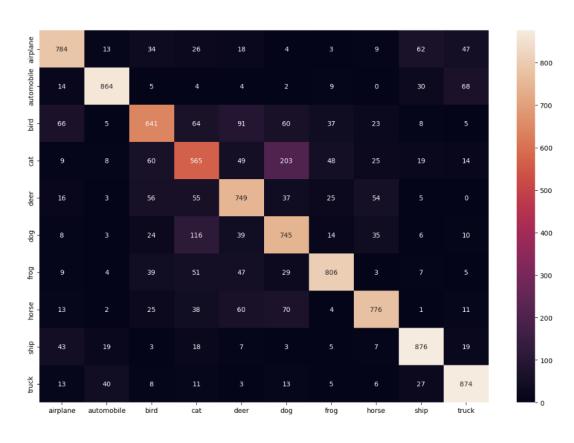


CNN Model & Architecture



Findings for CNN Model

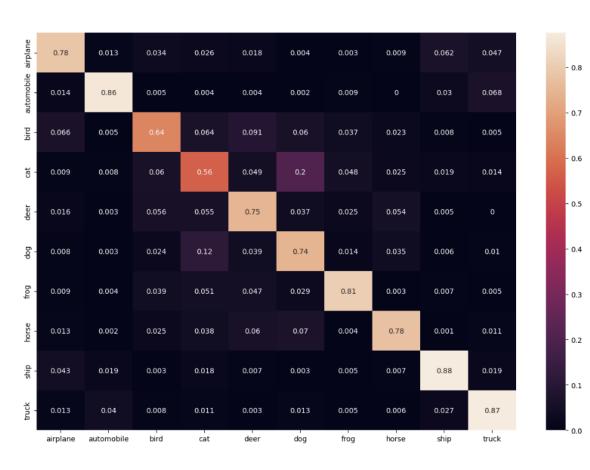
	ACCURACY
Airplane	0.882
Automobile	0.828
Bird	0.548
Cat	0.458
Deer	0.654
Dog	0.750
Frog	0.579
Horse	0.889
Ship	0.733
Truck	0.833
Avg Accuracy & Loss:	76.3% and 0.69 loss



Confusion Matrix

Findings for CNN Model



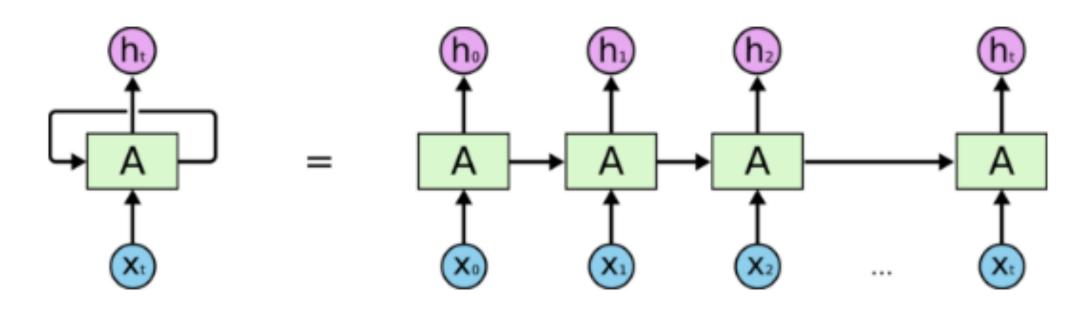


Precision: The fraction of identified positive cases correctly predicted

Recall: The fraction of actual positive cases that are correctly predicted

RNN Architecture

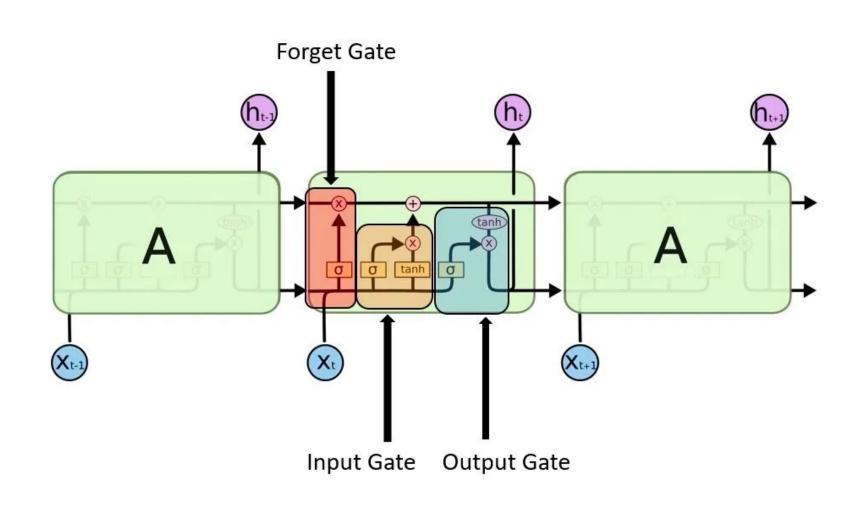




An unrolled recurrent neural network.

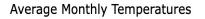
LSTM (Long Short Term Memory)

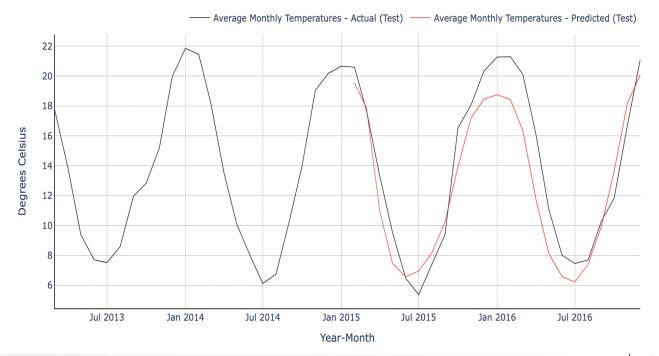




Findings for RNN Model



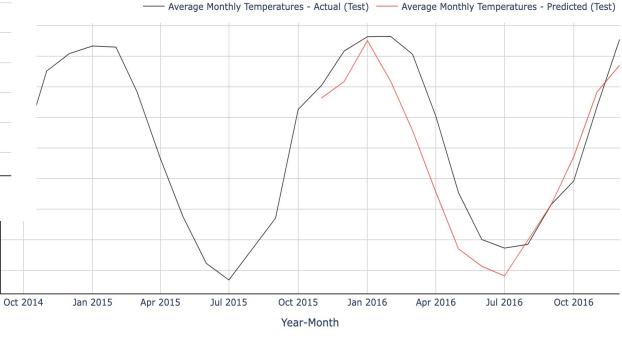




22 timestep + 1000 epoch

Canberra

Monthly Temperatures



18 timestep + 2000 epoch

Future Work

Continue evaluating the mathematical concepts of our neural networks and determining how to best tune the hyperparameters of our model



Thank you!

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