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Core TensorFlow (tf module)

1. Tensor Creation and Operations

- a. tf.constant(value, dtype=None, shape=None, name='Const'): Creates a constant tensor.
- b. tf.Variable(initial value, trainable=True, name='Variable'): Creates a variable tensor.
- c. tf.add(x, y, name=None): Adds two tensors element-wise.
- d. tf.matmul(a, b, transpose_a=False, transpose_b=False, adjoint_a=False, adjoint_b=False, ...): Performs matrix multiplication of tensors.
- **e.** tf.reduce_mean(input_tensor, axis=None, keepdims=False, name=None): Computes the mean of elements across dimensions of a tensor.

2. Control Flow

- a. tf.cond(pred, true_fn=None, false_fn=None, name=None): Conditionally executes operations.
- b. tf.while_loop(cond, body, loop_vars, shape_invariants=None, parallel_iterations=10, ...): Constructs a loop that executes a body function while a condition is true.
- c. tf.control_dependencies(control_inputs): Returns a context manager that specifies control dependencies.

3. Session Management

- a. tf.Session(config=None): Creates a new TensorFlow session.
- b. tf.Session.run(fetches, feed_dict=None): Executes operations and evaluates tensors in a session.

4. Gradient Computation

- **a.** tf.GradientTape(persistent=False, watch_accessed_variables=True): Records operations for automatic differentiation.
- b. tf.gradients(ys, xs, grad_ys=None, name='gradients', colocate_gradients_with_ops=False, ...): Computes the gradients of ys with respect to xs.

5. Random Tensors

- a. tf.random.uniform(shape, minval=0, maxval=None, dtype=tf.float32, seed=None, name=None): Generates a tensor with values uniformly distributed in a specified range.
- b. tf.random.normal(shape, mean=0.0, stddev=1.0, dtype=tf.float32, seed=None, name=None): Generates a tensor with values from a normal distribution.

6. Serialization and IO

- a. tf.io.write_graph(graph_or_graph_def, logdir, name, as_text=True): Writes a graph proto to a file
- b. tf.saved_model.save(obj, export_dir, signatures=None): Saves a model to TensorFlow SavedModel format.



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Keras API (tf.keras module)

1. Model Creation and Compilation

- a. tf.keras.Sequential(): Initializes a linear stack of layers for a sequential model.
- b. tf.keras.Model(): Allows defining a more flexible architecture where layers can be connected in arbitrary ways.
- c. tf.keras.layers.Layer(): Base layer class for Keras models.
- d. tf.keras.Input(): Defines input tensor(s) for model.

2. Layer Creation and Configuration

- a. tf.keras.layers.Dense(): Fully connected layer.
- b. tf.keras.layers.Conv2D(): 2D convolutional layer.
- c. tf.keras.layers.Dropout(): Applies Dropout to the input.
- d. tf.keras.layers.BatchNormalization(): Batch normalization layer.

3. Losses and Optimizers

- a. tf.keras.losses.BinaryCrossentropy(): Computes the cross-entropy loss between true labels and predicted labels.
- b. tf.keras.optimizers.Adam(): Optimizer that implements the Adam algorithm.

4. Callbacks

a. tf.keras.callbacks.ModelCheckpoint(): Callback to save the Keras model or model weights at some frequency.

5. Model Training and Evaluation

- a. tf.keras.Model.compile(): Configures the model for training.
- b. tf.keras.Model.fit(): Trains the model for a fixed number of epochs.
- c. tf.keras.Model.evaluate(): Evaluates the model on a dataset.

6. Saving and Loading Models

- a. tf.keras.models.save model(): Saves a model to TensorFlow SavedModel format.
- b. tf.keras.models.load model(): Loads a model saved with save model().

Utility Functions

1. Data Preprocessing

- a. tf.keras.utils.to_categorical(y, num_classes=None, dtype='float32'): Converts a class vector (integers) to binary class matrix (one-hot encoding).
- b. tf.keras.utils.normalize(x, axis=-1, order=2): Normalizes a tensor along a specified axis.

2. Learning Rate Scheduling

a. tf.keras.callbacks.LearningRateScheduler(schedule, verbose=0): Callback that schedules learning rate changes during training.