

Comparison between MLP, CNN, KAN, CNNKAN

Training strategy:

- Trained for 100 epochs. Interrupted training if no improvement in highest validation accuracy for 15 continuous epochs.
- Normal model trained on original MNIST samples, PGD adversarial model trained on PGD MNIST samples
- For adversarial training, PGD adversarial samples are used with parameters:
alpha=8/255
epsilon=0.2
iter=20
- For KAN model, we have used [Efficient KAN](#) since the original KAN implementation was very slow for adversarial training.

Model specifications:

- 1) MLP
 - a) Linear(28*28, 512) -> Linear(512, 256) -> Linear([256,10])
 - b) Num parameters: 535,818
- 2) CNN
 - a) Conv(16) -> Conv(32) -> ->Maxpool2d -> Dropout(0.25) -> Linear(4608, 110) -> Dropout(0.5) -> Linear(110, 10)
 - b) Num parameters: 512,900
- 3) KAN
 - a) KAN([28*28,64]) -> KAN([64,10])
 - b) Num parameters: 508,160
- 4) CNNKAN
 - a) Conv(16) -> Conv(32) -> ->Maxpool2d -> Dropout(0.25) -> KAN(4608, 110) -> KAN(110, 10)
 - b) Num parameters: 5,084,600

Results:

1) Accuracy on PGD samples for Normal Model v/s PGD Adversarial Model

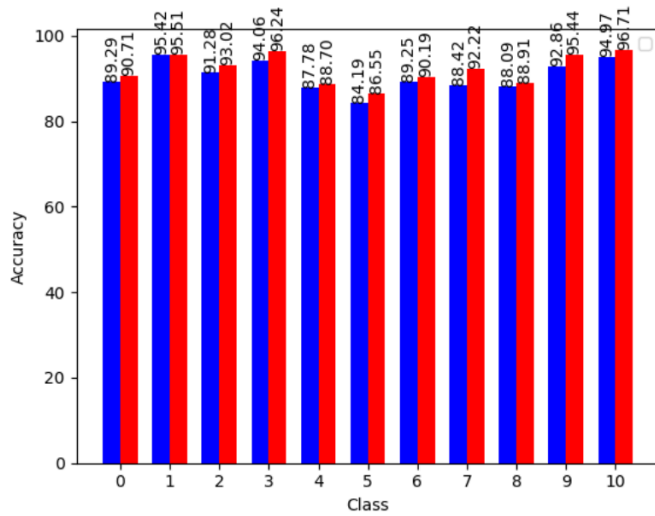
Testing PGD parameters: $\alpha=8/255$; $\epsilon=0.2$; iter=20

0-9 show the MNIST digit classes; 10 shows the test on all classes with random sampling

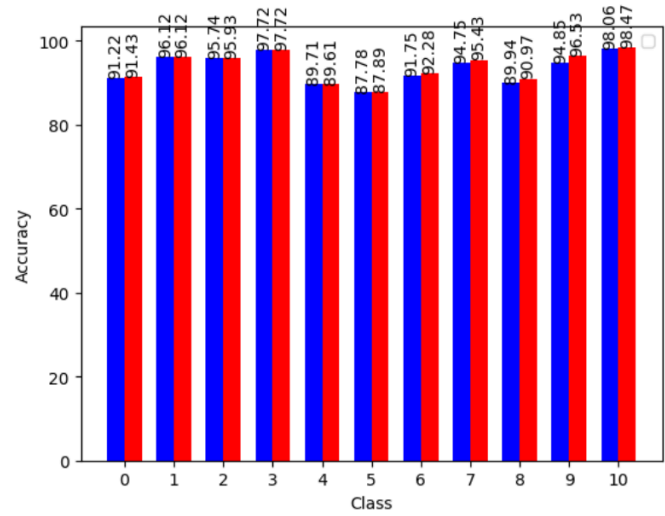
Observation: CNN and CNNKAN perform better than others.

MLP, CNN and KAN have similar number of parameters

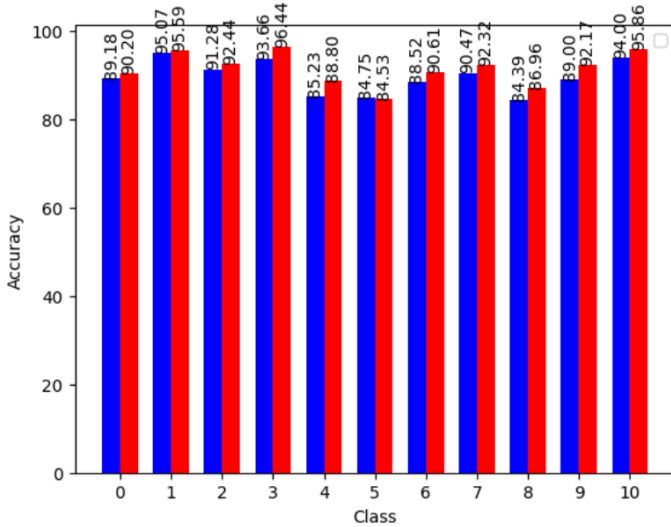
MLP



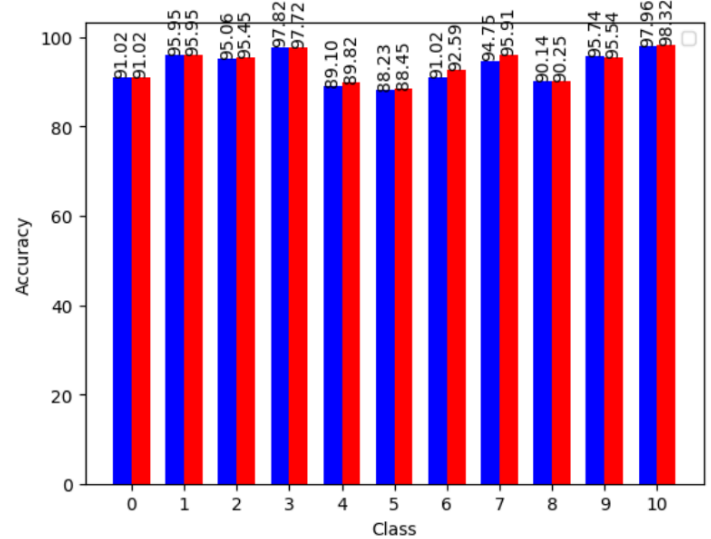
CNN



KAN



CNNKAN



2) Accuracy on PGD samples for Normal Model v/s PGD Adversarial Model

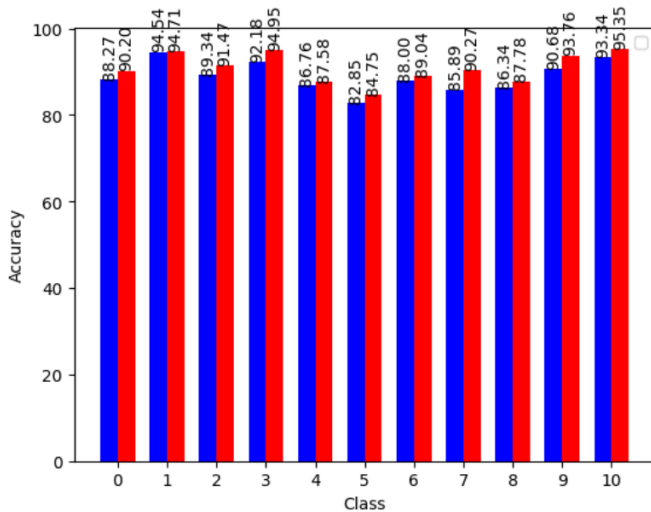
Testing PGD parameters: $\alpha=8/255$; $\epsilon=0.2$; iter=40

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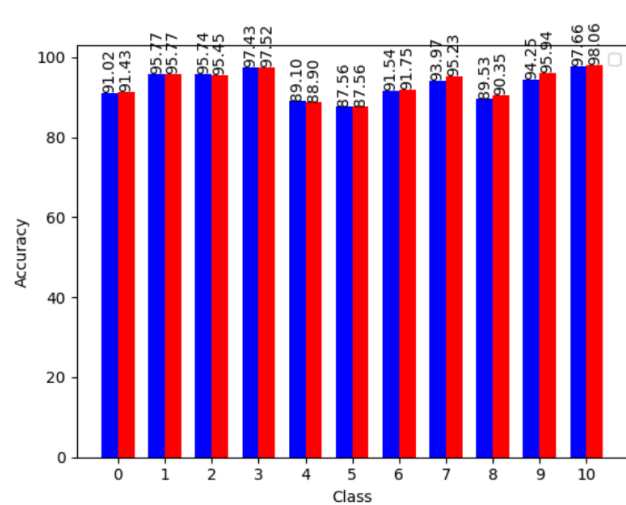
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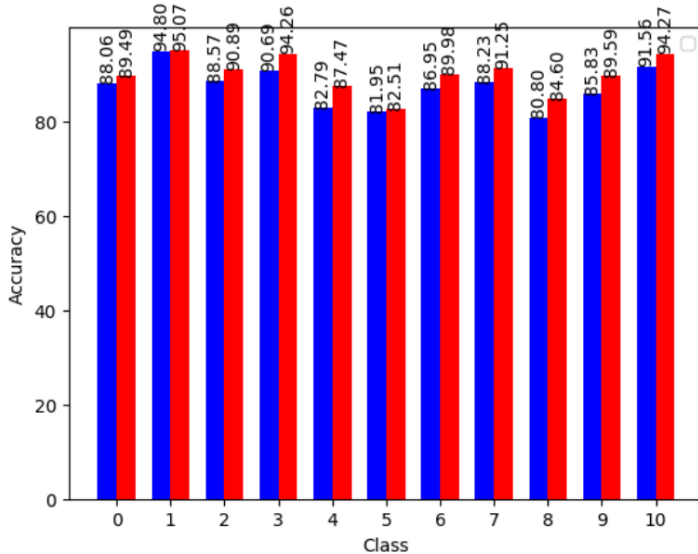
MLP



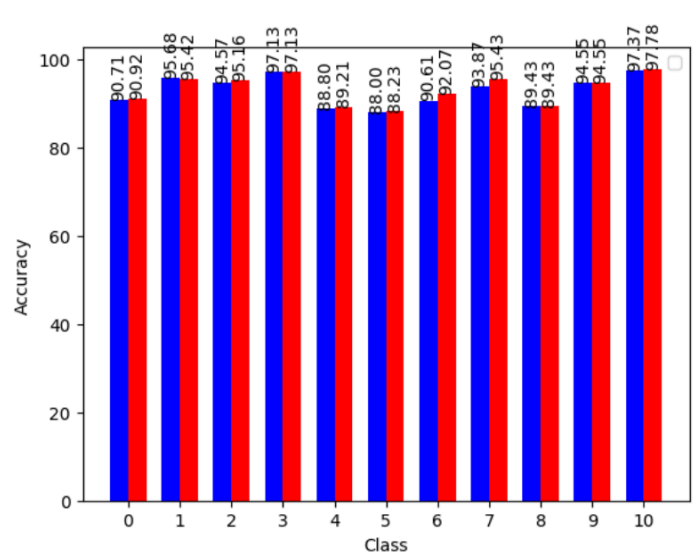
CNN



KAN



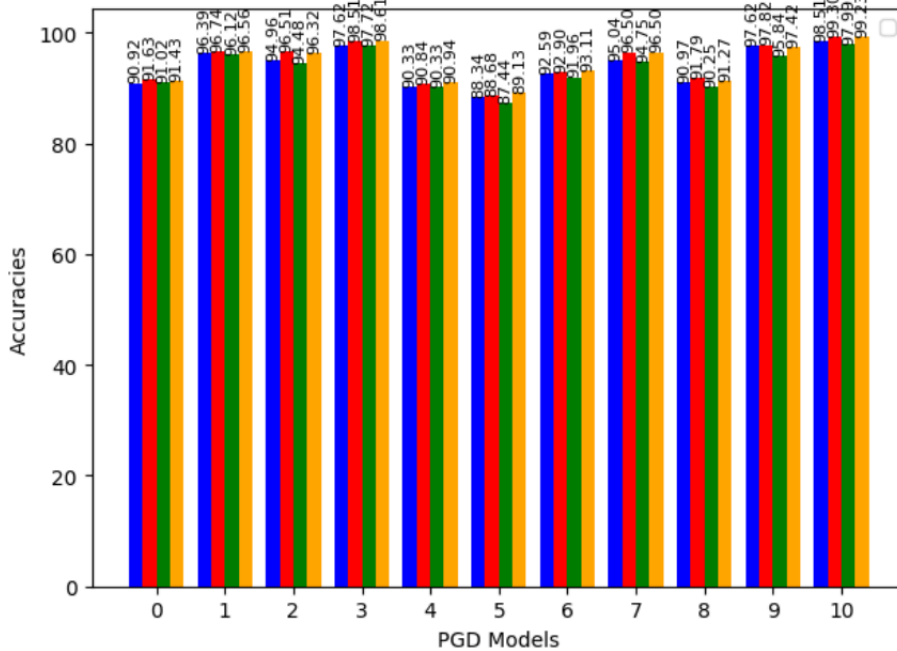
CNNKAN



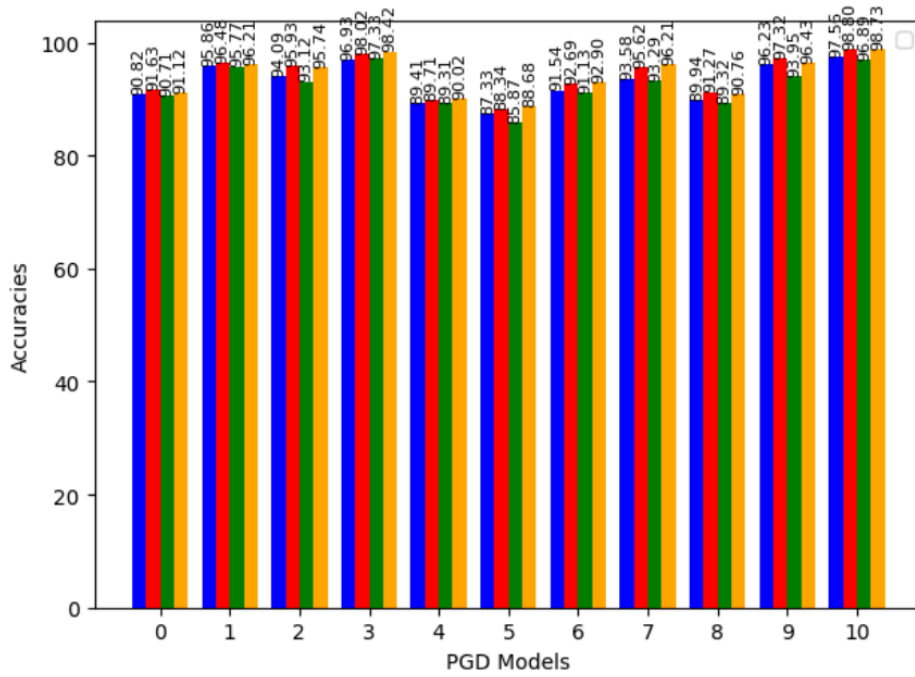
3) Accuracy on PGD samples for Normal Model v/s PGD Adversarial Model
 Blue - MLP; Red - CNN; Green - KAN; Orange - CNNKAN
 Testing PGD parameters: alpha=8/255; epsilon=0.2 ;

Observation: CNN and CNNKAN perform better than others.
 KAN has slightly lower accuracy than other models

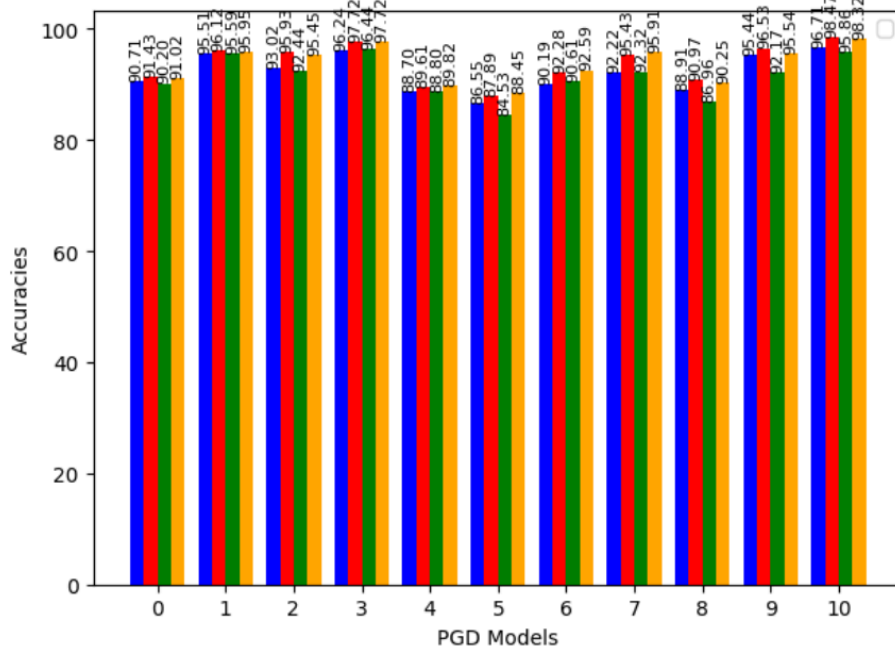
Iters = 0



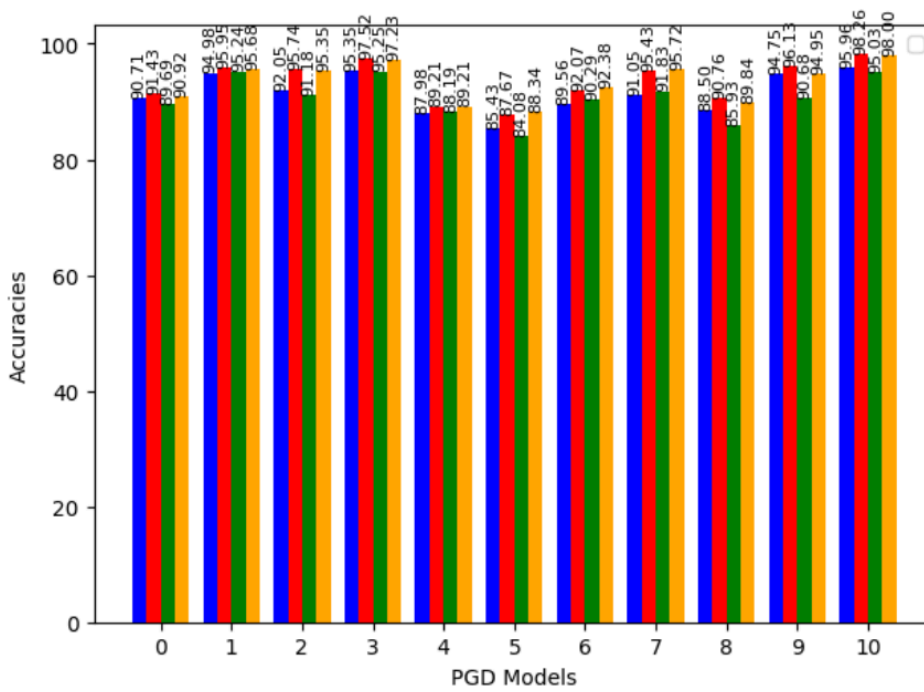
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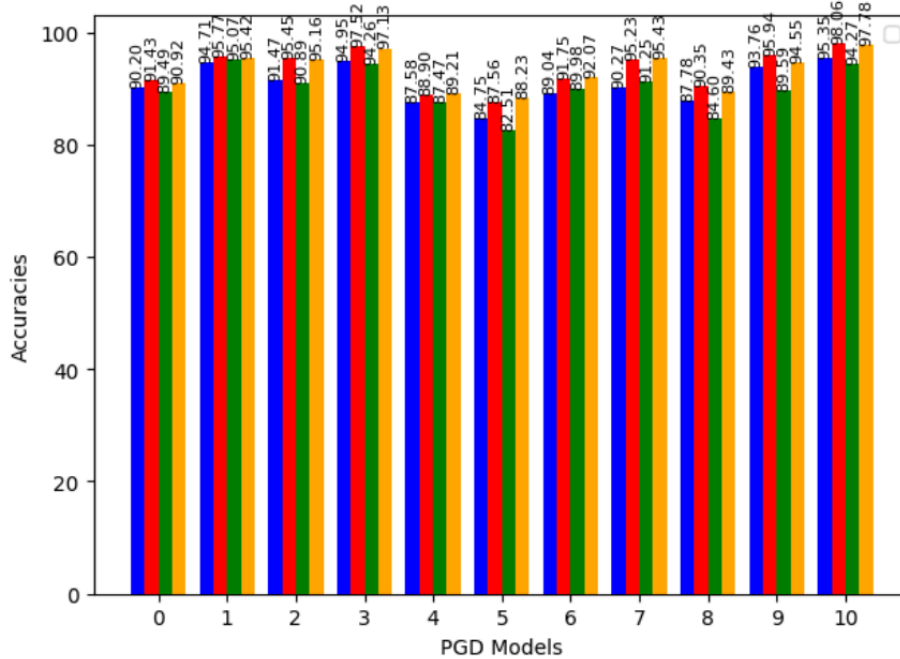
Iters = 20



Iters = 30



Iters = 40



4) Accuracy on APGD-CE samples for Normal Model v/s PGD Adversarial Model (Trained on PGD samples but tested on APGD-CE samples)

Blue - Normal; Orange - PGD

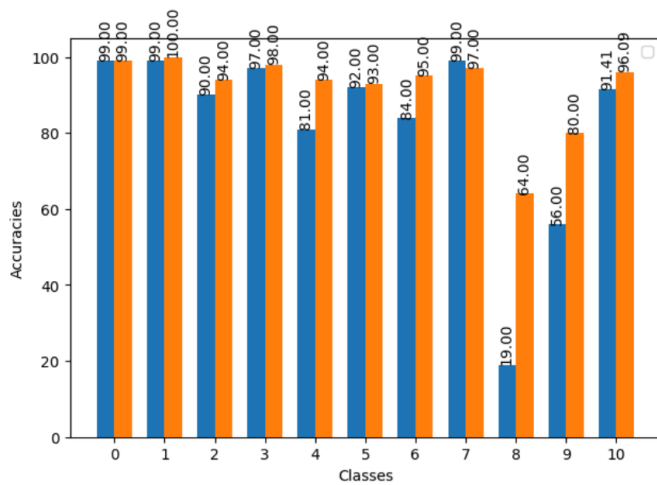
Testing APGD-CE parameters: norm='Linf'; eps=8/255; version='standard'

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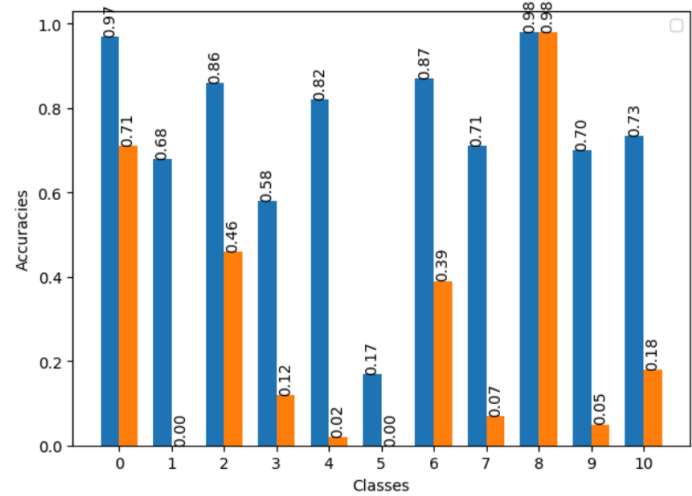
Observation: CNN accuracy decreases when testing PGD trained model on APGD-CE samples.

KAN performs better. KAN has the best accuracies on normal model tests.

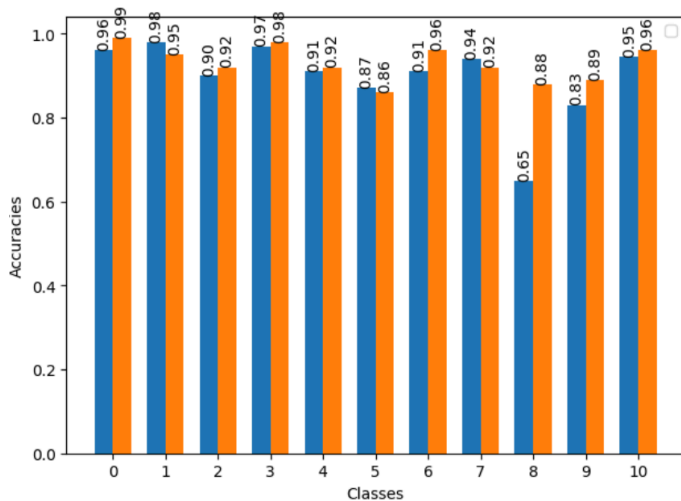
MLP



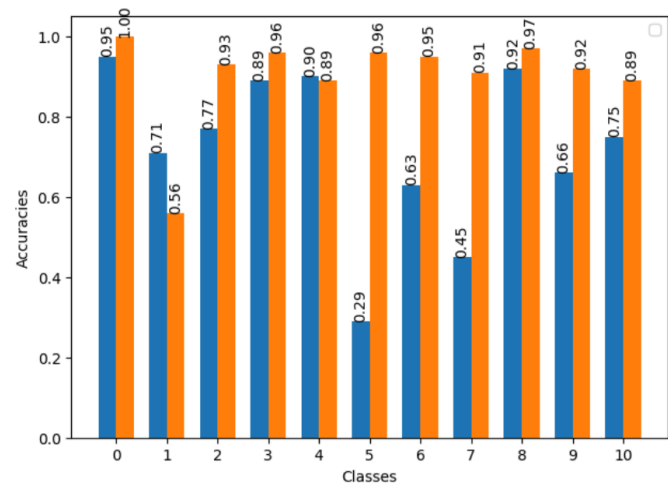
CNN



KAN



CNNKAN

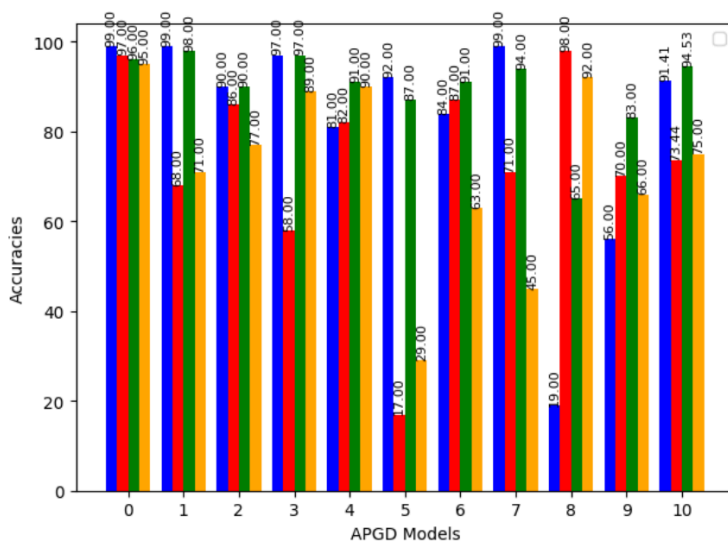


5) Accuracy on APGD-CE samples for Normal Model v/s PGD Adversarial Model
 Comparison b/w MLPKAN1, MLPKAN2, MLPKAN3
 (Trained on PGD samples but tested on APGD-CE samples)
 Blue - MLP; Red - CNN; Green - KAN; Orange - CNNKAN

Testing APGD-CE parameters: norm='Linf'; eps=8/255; version='standard'

Observation: No model performs better on all classes. But KAN has best overall performance on APGD-CE samples, for both normal model and PGD trained model.

Normal models



PGD trained models

