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Exploring Deep learning platforms

Aim:

To explore Deep learning platforms.

Objective:

To explore various deep learning tools such as TensorFlow, PyTorch, Keras & Google Colab, and understand their key features, installation steps & usability for implementing deep learning models.

Platforms Explored:

1) TensorFlow = Developed by Google, support both CPU & GPU processing used for building & training neural networks.

2) PyTorch = Developed by Facebook, offers dynamic computational graphs, more flexible & Pythonic

3) Keras = A high level API that runs on top of TensorFlow, easy to use for beginners.

4) Google Colab = Cloud-based Jupyter notebook with free access to GPUs, support TensorFlow and PyTorch out of the box.

~~Tensorflow~~ :

5) Jupyter Notebook = Interactive code execution, visualization, supports many languages via kernels. Data science visualization, model testing.

Platform	Creator	Main features	Popular use case
Tensorflow	Google	Stable, production ready, supports TF Lite, TensorBoard	Mobile apps, NLP, Image recognition, Healthcare AI.
PyTorch	Facebook	Dynamic computation graph, easy debug, -ogging, Pythonic syntax.	Research, academic projects, real-time vision application
Keras	Initially independent of now part of tensorflow	High-level API, easy model building, runs on tensorflow backend	Quick prototyping, beginner projects
Google colab	Google	Free Jupyter, browser-based, no setup needed	Education, experimentation, training ML models.
Jupyter notebook	Project Jupyter (open source)	Interactive code execution, visualization, supports many languages via kernels	Data science, visualization, model testing.

Graph Type:

- 1) TensorFlow = Static
- 2) PyTorch = Dynamic
- 3) Keras = Abstracted
- 4) Google colab = N/A (platform not framework)
- 5) Jupyter Notebook = N/A (IDE / interface)

Key Learnings:

- understood the difference between static & dynamic graphs.
- Explored advantages of Google colab for free GPU usage without local setup.
- Learned how Keras simplifies deep learning model creation
- Practiced running scripts in both local & cloud environments.

Conclusion / Result:

Exploring different DL platforms helped understand their features, setup & usage. Running basic scripts in TensorFlow & PyTorch gave hands on experience with model building.

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