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from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')

# TODO: Enter the foldername in your Drive where you have saved the unzipped
# assignment folder, e.g. 'cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
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# the Python interpreter of the Colab VM can load
# python files from within it.
import sys
sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))

# This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
# if it doesn't already exist.
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
!bash get_datasets.sh
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
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1 k-Nearest Neighbor (kNN) exercise

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The kNN classifier consists of two stages:

- During training, the classifier takes the training data and simply remembers it
- During testing, kNN classifies every test image by comparing to all training images and transferring the labels of the k most similar training examples
- The value of k is cross-validated

In this exercise you will implement these steps and understand the basic Image Classification pipeline, cross-validation, and gain proficiency in writing efficient, vectorized code.

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[1]: # Run some setup code for this notebook.

import random
import numpy as np
from cs231n.data_utils import load_CIFAR10
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# This is a bit of magic to make matplotlib figures appear inline in the
↳notebook
# rather than in a new window.
%matplotlib inline
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10.0, 8.0) # set default size of plots
plt.rcParams['image.interpolation'] = 'nearest'
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# Some more magic so that the notebook will reload external python modules;
# see http://stackoverflow.com/questions/1907993/
↳autoreload-of-modules-in-ipython
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%autoreload 2

[2]: # Load the raw CIFAR-10 data.
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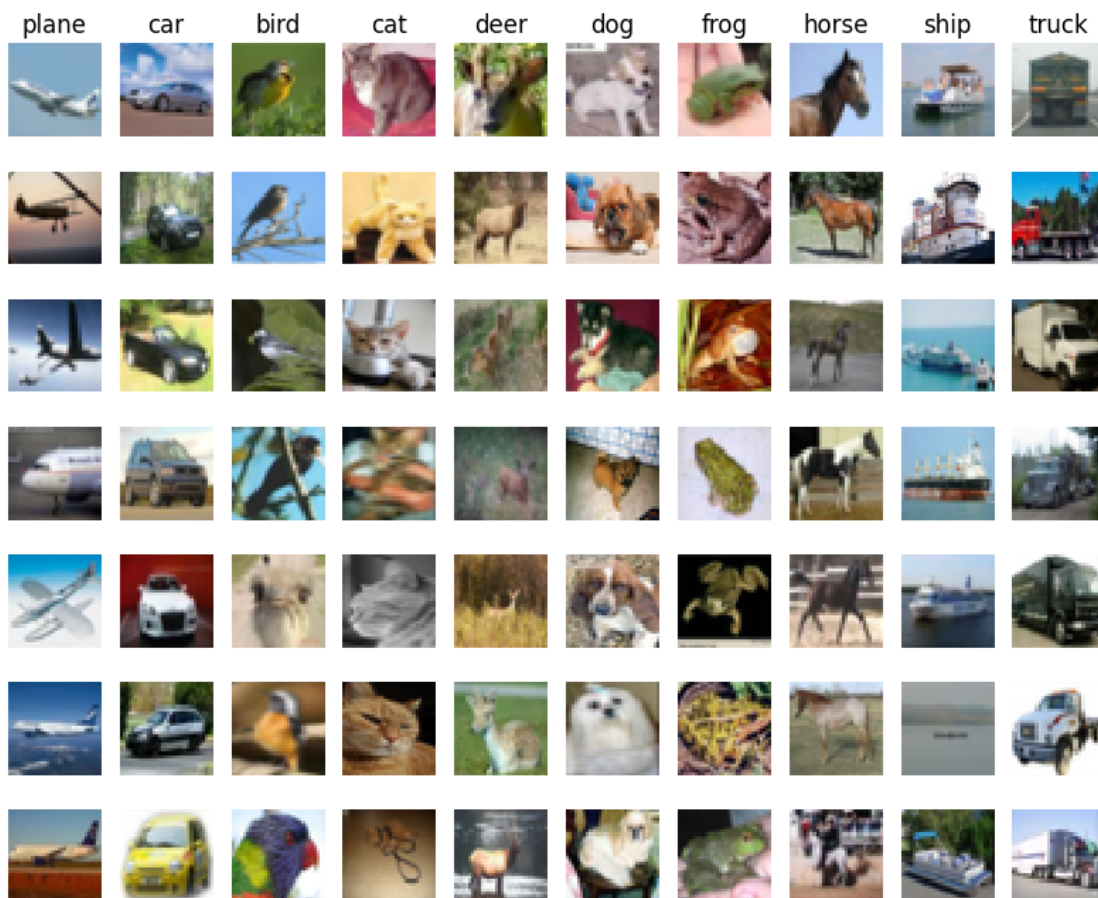
# Cleaning up variables to prevent loading data multiple times (which may cause
↳memory issue)
try:
    del X_train, y_train
    del X_test, y_test
    print('Clear previously loaded data.')
except:
    pass

X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test = load_CIFAR10(cifar10_dir)

# As a sanity check, we print out the size of the training and test data.
print('Training data shape: ', X_train.shape)
print('Training labels shape: ', y_train.shape)
print('Test data shape: ', X_test.shape)
print('Test labels shape: ', y_test.shape)
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Training data shape: (50000, 32, 32, 3)
Training labels shape: (50000,)
Test data shape: (10000, 32, 32, 3)
Test labels shape: (10000,)
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[3]: # Visualize some examples from the dataset.
# We show a few examples of training images from each class.
classes = ['plane', 'car', 'bird', 'cat', 'deer', 'dog', 'frog', 'horse', 'ship', 'truck']
num_classes = len(classes)
samples_per_class = 7
for y, cls in enumerate(classes):
    idxs = np.flatnonzero(y_train == y)
    idxs = np.random.choice(idxs, samples_per_class, replace=False)
    for i, idx in enumerate(idxs):
        plt_idx = i * num_classes + y + 1
        plt.subplot(samples_per_class, num_classes, plt_idx)
        plt.imshow(X_train[idx].astype('uint8'))
        plt.axis('off')
        if i == 0:
            plt.title(cls)
plt.show()
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[4]: # Subsample the data for more efficient code execution in this exercise
num_training = 5000
mask = list(range(num_training))
X_train = X_train[mask]
y_train = y_train[mask]

num_test = 500
mask = list(range(num_test))
X_test = X_test[mask]
y_test = y_test[mask]

# Reshape the image data into rows
X_train = np.reshape(X_train, (X_train.shape[0], -1))
X_test = np.reshape(X_test, (X_test.shape[0], -1))
print(X_train.shape, X_test.shape)
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(5000, 3072) (500, 3072)

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[5]: from cs231n.classifiers import KNearestNeighbor

# Create a kNN classifier instance.
# Remember that training a kNN classifier is a noop:
# the Classifier simply remembers the data and does no further processing
classifier = KNearestNeighbor()
classifier.train(X_train, y_train)
```

We would now like to classify the test data with the kNN classifier. Recall that we can break down this process into two steps:

1. First we must compute the distances between all test examples and all train examples.
2. Given these distances, for each test example we find the k nearest examples and have them vote for the label

Lets begin with computing the distance matrix between all training and test examples. For example, if there are N_{tr} training examples and N_{te} test examples, this stage should result in a $N_{te} \times N_{tr}$ matrix where each element (i,j) is the distance between the i -th test and j -th train example.

Note: For the three distance computations that we require you to implement in this notebook, you may not use the `np.linalg.norm()` function that numpy provides.

First, open `cs231n/classifiers/k_nearest_neighbor.py` and implement the function `compute_distances_two_loops` that uses a (very inefficient) double loop over all pairs of (test, train) examples and computes the distance matrix one element at a time.

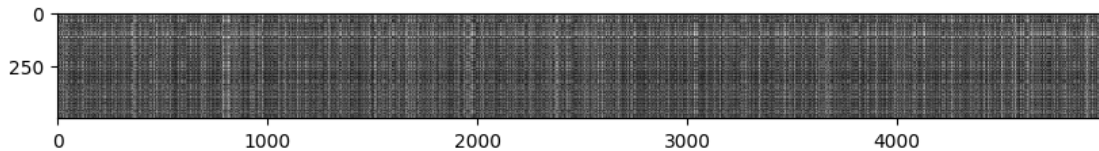
```
[7]: # Open cs231n/classifiers/k_nearest_neighbor.py and implement
# compute_distances_two_loops.

# Test your implementation:
dists = classifier.compute_distances_two_loops(X_test)
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print(dists.shape)
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(500, 5000)
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[8]: # We can visualize the distance matrix: each row is a single test example and
# its distances to training examples
plt.imshow(dists, interpolation='none')
plt.show()
```



Inline Question 1

Notice the structured patterns in the distance matrix, where some rows or columns are visibly brighter. (Note that with the default color scheme black indicates low distances while white indicates high distances.)

- What in the data is the cause behind the distinctly bright rows?
- What causes the columns?

Your Answer : For any row i , if it is distinctly bright, then it shows that the i th testing example has a substantially large L2 distance with all training examples. For any column j , if it is distinctly bright, then it implies that the j th training example has a substantially large L2 distance with all testing examples.

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[9]: # Now implement the function predict_labels and run the code below:
# We use k = 1 (which is Nearest Neighbor).
y_test_pred = classifier.predict_labels(dists, k=1)

# Compute and print the fraction of correctly predicted examples
num_correct = np.sum(y_test_pred == y_test)
accuracy = float(num_correct) / num_test
print('Got %d / %d correct => accuracy: %f' % (num_correct, num_test, accuracy))
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Got 137 / 500 correct => accuracy: 0.274000
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You should expect to see approximately 27% accuracy. Now let's try out a larger k , say $k = 5$:

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[10]: y_test_pred = classifier.predict_labels(dists, k=5)
num_correct = np.sum(y_test_pred == y_test)
accuracy = float(num_correct) / num_test
print('Got %d / %d correct => accuracy: %f' % (num_correct, num_test, accuracy))
```

```
Got 139 / 500 correct => accuracy: 0.278000
```

You should expect to see a slightly better performance than with $k = 1$.

Inline Question 2

We can also use other distance metrics such as L1 distance. For pixel values $p_{ij}^{(k)}$ at location (i, j) of some image I_k ,

the mean μ across all pixels over all images is

$$\mu = \frac{1}{nhw} \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^h \sum_{j=1}^w p_{ij}^{(k)}$$

And the pixel-wise mean μ_{ij} across all images is

$$\mu_{ij} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n p_{ij}^{(k)}.$$

The general standard deviation σ and pixel-wise standard deviation σ_{ij} is defined similarly.

Which of the following preprocessing steps will not change the performance of a Nearest Neighbor classifier that uses L1 distance? Select all that apply. To clarify, both training and test examples are preprocessed in the same way.

1. Subtracting the mean μ ($\tilde{p}_{ij}^{(k)} = p_{ij}^{(k)} - \mu$.)
2. Subtracting the per pixel mean μ_{ij} ($\tilde{p}_{ij}^{(k)} = p_{ij}^{(k)} - \mu_{ij}$.)
3. Subtracting the mean μ and dividing by the standard deviation σ .
4. Subtracting the pixel-wise mean μ_{ij} and dividing by the pixel-wise standard deviation σ_{ij} .
5. Rotating the coordinate axes of the data, which means rotating all the images by the same angle. Empty regions in the image caused by rotation are padded with a same pixel value and no interpolation is performed.

Your Answer : The processing step 1,2,3 will not change the performance of a Nearest Neighbor classifier that uses L1 distance and 4 will. Whether 5 will or not depends on the rotation angle.

Your Explanation : step 1: Because we subtract the mean of all images in both training and testing images. It will not actually affect the relative distance between those so that the performance of L1 distance is maintained. step 2: Almost the same reason as above. Subtracting the pixel-wise mean in every images only change the value of each pixels but not the actual distance between each pixel in training and testing images. The performance of L1 will not be changed. step3: Subtracting the mean and divided by the standard deviation only makes every distance scaled by the same factor $1/\sigma$, so the performance will not change. step4: Since the pixel-wise mean in every pixel is different. Hence, every pixel distances are scaled by a different factor, the performance will change eventually. step5: If the rotation angle equals 90° , the relative pixel distances will not change, so the performance will not change. If the rotation angle does not equal 90° , there will be empty regions in the image caused by rotation, and the distance before and after padding will change. So the performance will change.

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[12]: # Now lets speed up distance matrix computation by using partial vectorization
# with one loop. Implement the function compute_distances_one_loop and run the
# code below:
dists_one = classifier.compute_distances_one_loop(X_test)
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# To ensure that our vectorized implementation is correct, we make sure that it
# agrees with the naive implementation. There are many ways to decide whether
# two matrices are similar; one of the simplest is the Frobenius norm. In case
# you haven't seen it before, the Frobenius norm of two matrices is the square
# root of the squared sum of differences of all elements; in other words,
↳ reshape
# the matrices into vectors and compute the Euclidean distance between them.
difference = np.linalg.norm(dists - dists_one, ord='fro')
print('One loop difference was: %f' % (difference, ))
if difference < 0.001:
    print('Good! The distance matrices are the same')
else:
    print('Uh-oh! The distance matrices are different')

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One loop difference was: 0.000000
Good! The distance matrices are the same

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[13]: # Now implement the fully vectorized version inside compute_distances_no_loops
# and run the code
dists_two = classifier.compute_distances_no_loops(X_test)

# check that the distance matrix agrees with the one we computed before:
difference = np.linalg.norm(dists - dists_two, ord='fro')
print('No loop difference was: %f' % (difference, ))
if difference < 0.001:
    print('Good! The distance matrices are the same')
else:
    print('Uh-oh! The distance matrices are different')

```

No loop difference was: 0.000000
Good! The distance matrices are the same

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[15]: # Let's compare how fast the implementations are
def time_function(f, *args):
    """
    Call a function f with args and return the time (in seconds) that it took
    ↳ to execute.
    """
    import time
    tic = time.time()
    f(*args)
    toc = time.time()
    return toc - tic

two_loop_time = time_function(classifier.compute_distances_two_loops, X_test)
print('Two loop version took %f seconds' % two_loop_time)

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one_loop_time = time_function(classifier.compute_distances_one_loop, X_test)
print('One loop version took %f seconds' % one_loop_time)

no_loop_time = time_function(classifier.compute_distances_no_loops, X_test)
print('No loop version took %f seconds' % no_loop_time)

# You should see significantly faster performance with the fully vectorized
↪ implementation!

# NOTE: depending on what machine you're using,
# you might not see a speedup when you go from two loops to one loop,
# and might even see a slow-down.

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Two loop version took 63.526528 seconds
One loop version took 78.216111 seconds
No loop version took 0.270915 seconds

1.0.1 Cross-validation

We have implemented the k-Nearest Neighbor classifier but we set the value $k = 5$ arbitrarily. We will now determine the best value of this hyperparameter with cross-validation.

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[16]: num_folds = 5
      k_choices = [1, 3, 5, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20, 50, 100]

      X_train_folds = []
      y_train_folds = []
      #####
      # TODO:
      # Split up the training data into folds. After splitting, X_train_folds and
      # y_train_folds should each be lists of length num_folds, where
      # y_train_folds[i] is the label vector for the points in X_train_folds[i].
      # Hint: Look up the numpy array_split function.
      #####
      # *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
      X_train_folds=np.array_split(X_train,num_folds)
      y_train_folds=np.array_split(y_train,num_folds)
      # *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****

      # A dictionary holding the accuracies for different values of k that we find
      # when running cross-validation. After running cross-validation,
      # k_to_accuracies[k] should be a list of length num_folds giving the different
      # accuracy values that we found when using that value of k.
      k_to_accuracies = {}

      #####
      # TODO:
      #

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# Perform k-fold cross validation to find the best value of k. For each      #
# possible value of k, run the k-nearest-neighbor algorithm num_folds times,  #
# where in each case you use all but one of the folds as training data and the #
# last fold as a validation set. Store the accuracies for all fold and all     #
# values of k in the k_to_accuracies dictionary.                             #
#####
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
for k in k_choices:
    k_to_accuracies[k] = []
    for j in range(num_folds):
        knn_model=KNearestNeighbor()
        Xval=X_train_folds[j]
        Xtrain=np.vstack(X_train_folds[:j]+X_train_folds[j+1:])
        yval=y_train_folds[j]
        yval=yval.flatten()
        ytrain=np.vstack(y_train_folds[:j]+y_train_folds[j+1:])

        knn_model.train(Xtrain,ytrain.flatten())
        dists=knn_model.compute_distances_no_loops(Xval)
        yval_pred=knn_model.predict_labels(dists,k=k)

        num_correct=np.sum(yval_pred==yval)
        acc=num_correct/len(yval)
        k_to_accuracies[k].append(acc)
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****

# Print out the computed accuracies
for k in sorted(k_to_accuracies):
    for accuracy in k_to_accuracies[k]:
        print('k = %d, accuracy = %f' % (k, accuracy))

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k = 1, accuracy = 0.263000
k = 1, accuracy = 0.257000
k = 1, accuracy = 0.264000
k = 1, accuracy = 0.278000
k = 1, accuracy = 0.266000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.239000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.249000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.240000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.266000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.254000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.248000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.266000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.280000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.292000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.280000

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k = 8, accuracy = 0.262000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.282000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.273000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.290000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.273000
k = 10, accuracy = 0.265000
k = 10, accuracy = 0.296000
k = 10, accuracy = 0.276000
k = 10, accuracy = 0.284000
k = 10, accuracy = 0.280000
k = 12, accuracy = 0.260000
k = 12, accuracy = 0.295000
k = 12, accuracy = 0.279000
k = 12, accuracy = 0.283000
k = 12, accuracy = 0.280000
k = 15, accuracy = 0.252000
k = 15, accuracy = 0.289000
k = 15, accuracy = 0.278000
k = 15, accuracy = 0.282000
k = 15, accuracy = 0.274000
k = 20, accuracy = 0.270000
k = 20, accuracy = 0.279000
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k = 20, accuracy = 0.285000
k = 50, accuracy = 0.271000
k = 50, accuracy = 0.288000
k = 50, accuracy = 0.278000
k = 50, accuracy = 0.269000
k = 50, accuracy = 0.266000
k = 100, accuracy = 0.256000
k = 100, accuracy = 0.270000
k = 100, accuracy = 0.263000
k = 100, accuracy = 0.256000
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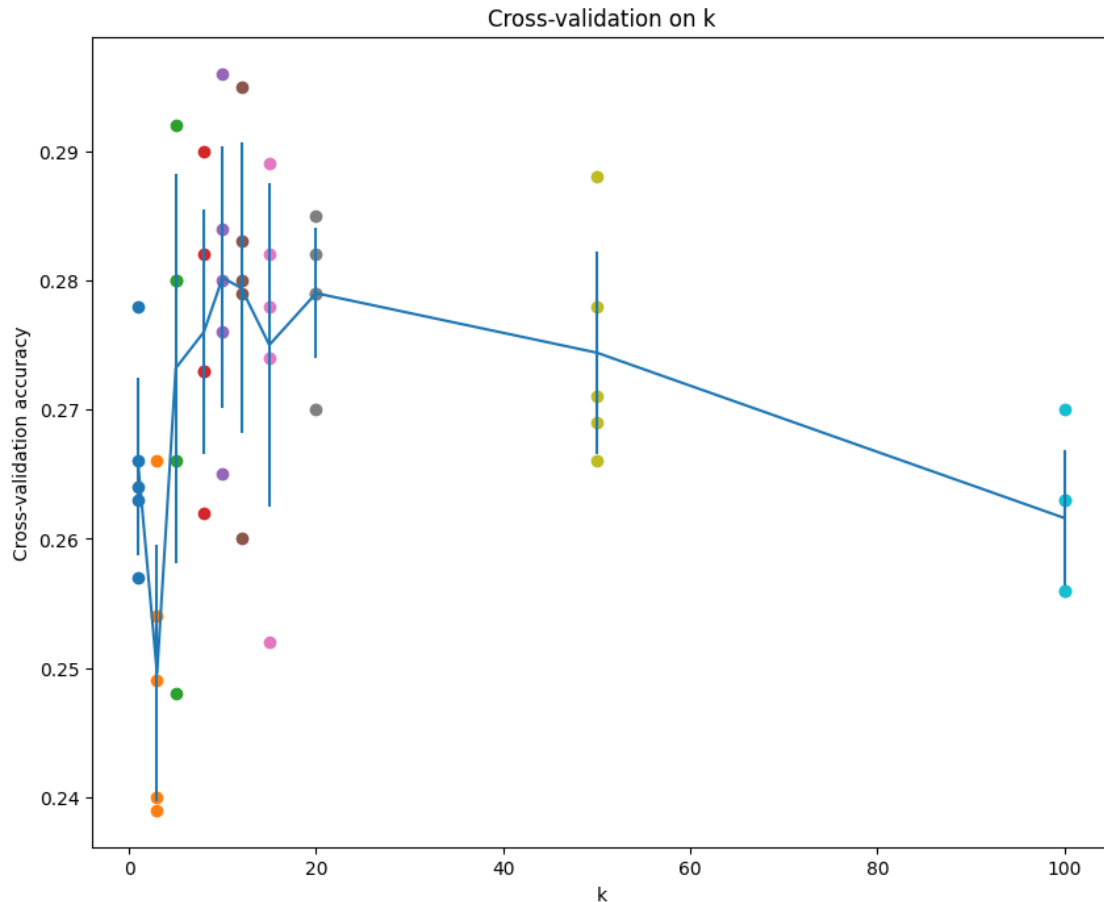
```

[17]: # plot the raw observations
for k in k_choices:
    accuracies = k_to_accuracies[k]
    plt.scatter([k] * len(accuracies), accuracies)

# plot the trend line with error bars that correspond to standard deviation
accuracies_mean = np.array([np.mean(v) for k,v in sorted(k_to_accuracies.
    ↪items())])
accuracies_std = np.array([np.std(v) for k,v in sorted(k_to_accuracies.
    ↪items())])
plt.errorbar(k_choices, accuracies_mean, yerr=accuracies_std)

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plt.title('Cross-validation on k')
plt.xlabel('k')
plt.ylabel('Cross-validation accuracy')
plt.show()
```



```
[18]: # Based on the cross-validation results above, choose the best value for k,
# retrain the classifier using all the training data, and test it on the test
# data. You should be able to get above 28% accuracy on the test data.
best_k = k_choices[accuracies_mean.argmax()]

classifier = KNearestNeighbor()
classifier.train(X_train, y_train)
y_test_pred = classifier.predict(X_test, k=best_k)

# Compute and display the accuracy
num_correct = np.sum(y_test_pred == y_test)
accuracy = float(num_correct) / num_test
print('Got %d / %d correct => accuracy: %f' % (num_correct, num_test, accuracy))
```

Got 141 / 500 correct => accuracy: 0.282000

Inline Question 3

Which of the following statements about k -Nearest Neighbor (k -NN) are true in a classification setting, and for all k ? Select all that apply. 1. The decision boundary of the k -NN classifier is linear. 2. The training error of a 1-NN will always be lower than or equal to that of 5-NN. 3. The test error of a 1-NN will always be lower than that of a 5-NN. 4. The time needed to classify a test example with the k -NN classifier grows with the size of the training set. 5. None of the above.

Your Answer : 1 and 4.

Your Explanation : 1: The decision boundary of the k -NN classifier is not linear if the distance metric is not linear. 2: The 1-NN will always choose the nearest neighbor, which is the training example itself, so the training error will be 0. For 5-NN, 0 is the lower bound of its training error. Hence, this statement is true. 3: If there are some outliers in the training data, 1-NN will be affected by them, so the test error of 1-NN will not always be lower than that of 5-NN. 5-NN will be more robust to outliers than 1-NN because it considers more neighbors. 4: To classify a test example, distances between the test example and all training examples need to be computed. Therefore, the complexity is $O(n)$, where n is the size of the training set.

SVM

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# python files from within it.
import sys
sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))

# This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
# if it doesn't already exist.
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
!bash get_datasets.sh
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
```

1 Multiclass Support Vector Machine exercise

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In this exercise you will:

- implement a fully-vectorized **loss function** for the SVM
- implement the fully-vectorized expression for its **analytic gradient**
- **check your implementation** using numerical gradient
- use a validation set to **tune the learning rate and regularization** strength
- **optimize** the loss function with **SGD**
- **visualize** the final learned weights

```
[12]: # Run some setup code for this notebook.
import random
```

```

import numpy as np
from cs231n.data_utils import load_CIFAR10
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# This is a bit of magic to make matplotlib figures appear inline in the
# notebook rather than in a new window.
%matplotlib inline
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10.0, 8.0) # set default size of plots
plt.rcParams['image.interpolation'] = 'nearest'
plt.rcParams['image.cmap'] = 'gray'

# Some more magic so that the notebook will reload external python modules;
# see http://stackoverflow.com/questions/1907993/
↳ autoreload-of-modules-in-ipython
%load_ext autoreload
%autoreload 2

```

The autoreload extension is already loaded. To reload it, use:

```
%reload_ext autoreload
```

1.1 CIFAR-10 Data Loading and Preprocessing

```

[14]: # Load the raw CIFAR-10 data.
cifar10_dir = 'cs231n/datasets/cifar-10-batches-py'

# Cleaning up variables to prevent loading data multiple times (which may cause
↳ memory issue)
try:
    del X_train, y_train
    del X_test, y_test
    print('Clear previously loaded data.')
except:
    pass

X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test = load_CIFAR10(cifar10_dir)

# As a sanity check, we print out the size of the training and test data.
print('Training data shape: ', X_train.shape)
print('Training labels shape: ', y_train.shape)
print('Test data shape: ', X_test.shape)
print('Test labels shape: ', y_test.shape)

```

Clear previously loaded data.

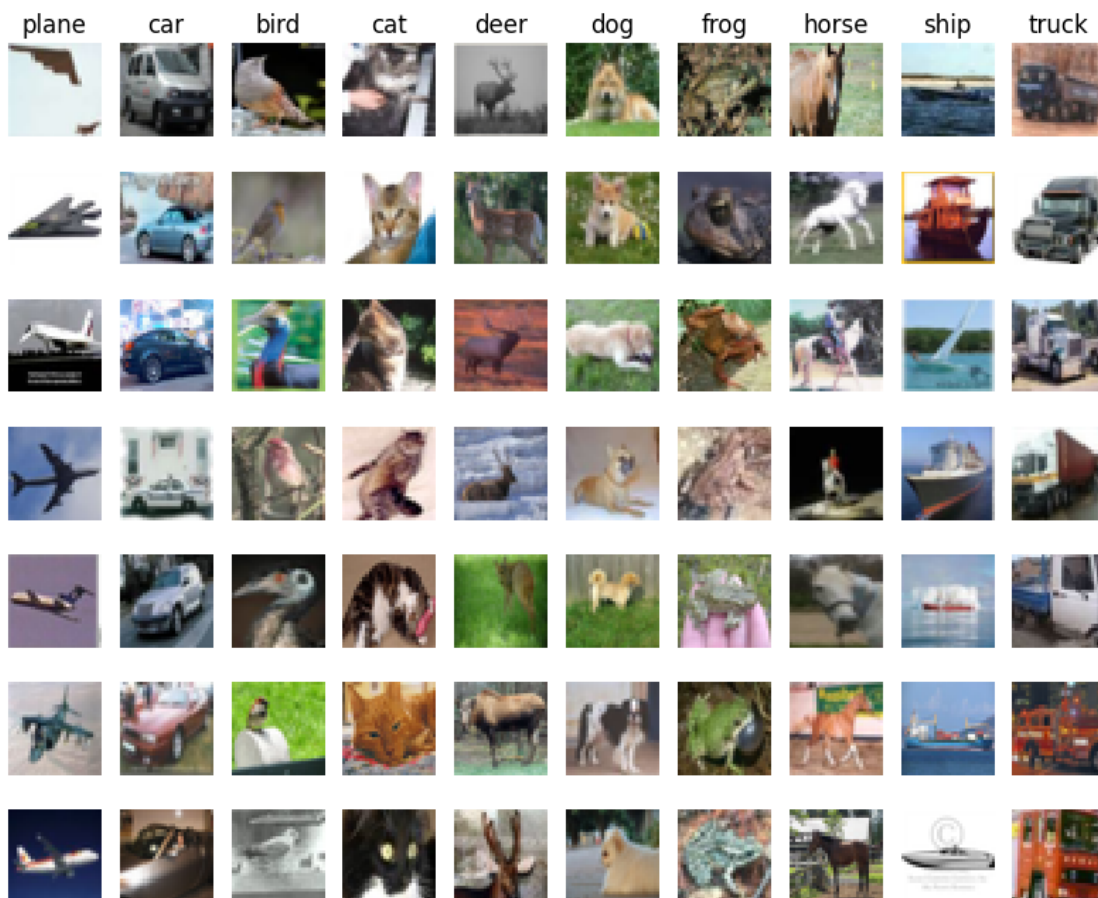
Training data shape: (50000, 32, 32, 3)

Training labels shape: (50000,)

Test data shape: (10000, 32, 32, 3)

Test labels shape: (10000,)

```
[15]: # Visualize some examples from the dataset.
# We show a few examples of training images from each class.
classes = ['plane', 'car', 'bird', 'cat', 'deer', 'dog', 'frog', 'horse', 'ship', 'truck']
num_classes = len(classes)
samples_per_class = 7
for y, cls in enumerate(classes):
    idxs = np.flatnonzero(y_train == y)
    idxs = np.random.choice(idxs, samples_per_class, replace=False)
    for i, idx in enumerate(idxs):
        plt_idx = i * num_classes + y + 1
        plt.subplot(samples_per_class, num_classes, plt_idx)
        plt.imshow(X_train[idx].astype('uint8'))
        plt.axis('off')
    if i == 0:
        plt.title(cls)
plt.show()
```



```
[16]: # Split the data into train, val, and test sets. In addition we will
# create a small development set as a subset of the training data;
# we can use this for development so our code runs faster.
num_training = 49000
num_validation = 1000
num_test = 1000
num_dev = 500

# Our validation set will be num_validation points from the original
# training set.
mask = range(num_training, num_training + num_validation)
X_val = X_train[mask]
y_val = y_train[mask]

# Our training set will be the first num_train points from the original
# training set.
mask = range(num_training)
X_train = X_train[mask]
y_train = y_train[mask]

# We will also make a development set, which is a small subset of
# the training set.
mask = np.random.choice(num_training, num_dev, replace=False)
X_dev = X_train[mask]
y_dev = y_train[mask]

# We use the first num_test points of the original test set as our
# test set.
mask = range(num_test)
X_test = X_test[mask]
y_test = y_test[mask]

print('Train data shape: ', X_train.shape)
print('Train labels shape: ', y_train.shape)
print('Validation data shape: ', X_val.shape)
print('Validation labels shape: ', y_val.shape)
print('Test data shape: ', X_test.shape)
print('Test labels shape: ', y_test.shape)
```

```
Train data shape: (49000, 32, 32, 3)
Train labels shape: (49000,)
Validation data shape: (1000, 32, 32, 3)
Validation labels shape: (1000,)
Test data shape: (1000, 32, 32, 3)
Test labels shape: (1000,)
```



```
[17]: # Preprocessing: reshape the image data into rows
X_train = np.reshape(X_train, (X_train.shape[0], -1))
X_val = np.reshape(X_val, (X_val.shape[0], -1))
X_test = np.reshape(X_test, (X_test.shape[0], -1))
X_dev = np.reshape(X_dev, (X_dev.shape[0], -1))

# As a sanity check, print out the shapes of the data
print('Training data shape: ', X_train.shape)
print('Validation data shape: ', X_val.shape)
print('Test data shape: ', X_test.shape)
print('dev data shape: ', X_dev.shape)
```

```
Training data shape: (49000, 3072)
Validation data shape: (1000, 3072)
Test data shape: (1000, 3072)
dev data shape: (500, 3072)
```

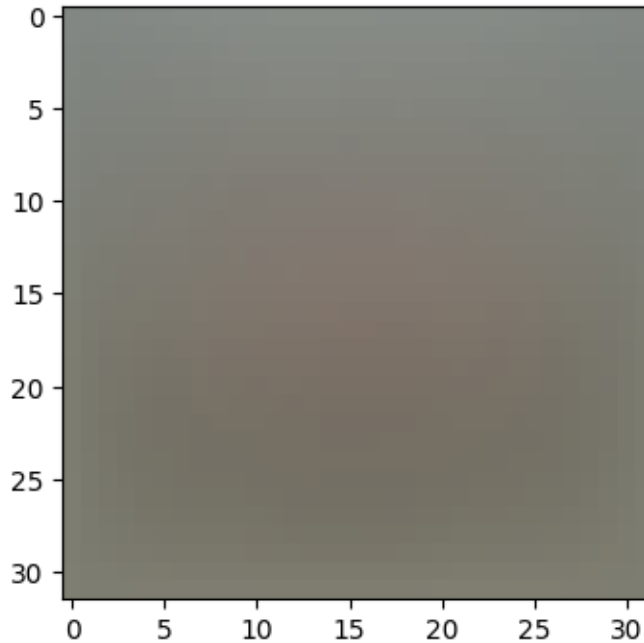
```
[18]: # Preprocessing: subtract the mean image
# first: compute the image mean based on the training data
mean_image = np.mean(X_train, axis=0)
print(mean_image[:10]) # print a few of the elements
plt.figure(figsize=(4,4))
plt.imshow(mean_image.reshape((32,32,3)).astype('uint8')) # visualize the mean_
    ↪ image
plt.show()

# second: subtract the mean image from train and test data
X_train -= mean_image
X_val -= mean_image
X_test -= mean_image
X_dev -= mean_image

# third: append the bias dimension of ones (i.e. bias trick) so that our SVM
# only has to worry about optimizing a single weight matrix W.
X_train = np.hstack([X_train, np.ones((X_train.shape[0], 1))])
X_val = np.hstack([X_val, np.ones((X_val.shape[0], 1))])
X_test = np.hstack([X_test, np.ones((X_test.shape[0], 1))])
X_dev = np.hstack([X_dev, np.ones((X_dev.shape[0], 1))])

print(X_train.shape, X_val.shape, X_test.shape, X_dev.shape)
```

```
[130.64189796 135.98173469 132.47391837 130.05569388 135.34804082
131.75402041 130.96055102 136.14328571 132.47636735 131.48467347]
```



(49000, 3073) (1000, 3073) (1000, 3073) (500, 3073)

1.2 SVM Classifier

Your code for this section will all be written inside `cs231n/classifiers/linear_svm.py`.

As you can see, we have prefilled the function `svm_loss_naive` which uses for loops to evaluate the multiclass SVM loss function.

```
[19]: # Evaluate the naive implementation of the loss we provided for you:
from cs231n.classifiers.linear_svm import svm_loss_naive
import time

# generate a random SVM weight matrix of small numbers
W = np.random.randn(3073, 10) * 0.0001

loss, grad = svm_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
print('loss: %f' % (loss, ))
```

loss: 9.156249

The `grad` returned from the function above is right now all zero. Derive and implement the gradient for the SVM cost function and implement it inline inside the function `svm_loss_naive`. You will find it helpful to interleave your new code inside the existing function.

To check that you have correctly implemented the gradient, you can numerically estimate the gradient of the loss function and compare the numeric estimate to the gradient that you computed. We have provided code that does this for you:

```
[21]: # Once you've implemented the gradient, recompute it with the code below
# and gradient check it with the function we provided for you

# Compute the loss and its gradient at W.
loss, grad = svm_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.0)

# Numerically compute the gradient along several randomly chosen dimensions, and
# compare them with your analytically computed gradient. The numbers should
    ↪ match
# almost exactly along all dimensions.
from cs231n.gradient_check import grad_check_sparse
f = lambda w: svm_loss_naive(w, X_dev, y_dev, 0.0)[0]
grad_numerical = grad_check_sparse(f, W, grad)

# do the gradient check once again with regularization turned on
# you didn't forget the regularization gradient did you?
loss, grad = svm_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 5e1)
f = lambda w: svm_loss_naive(w, X_dev, y_dev, 5e1)[0]
grad_numerical = grad_check_sparse(f, W, grad)
```

```
numerical: -5.291149 analytic: -5.291149, relative error: 6.194799e-11
numerical: -31.293951 analytic: -31.293951, relative error: 7.350884e-14
numerical: 1.646204 analytic: 1.646204, relative error: 7.293085e-11
numerical: -3.578174 analytic: -3.515813, relative error: 8.790698e-03
numerical: -14.464582 analytic: -14.464582, relative error: 1.556571e-11
numerical: -42.592971 analytic: -42.592971, relative error: 2.909869e-12
numerical: -7.579438 analytic: -7.579438, relative error: 1.977984e-12
numerical: 8.959235 analytic: 8.959235, relative error: 3.790902e-11
numerical: -0.872313 analytic: -0.828389, relative error: 2.582711e-02
numerical: 10.623050 analytic: 10.623050, relative error: 1.632926e-11
numerical: -4.647533 analytic: -4.647533, relative error: 3.508801e-11
numerical: -34.365041 analytic: -34.365041, relative error: 2.760186e-12
numerical: -20.639066 analytic: -20.639066, relative error: 9.733826e-12
numerical: -17.054097 analytic: -17.054097, relative error: 2.622710e-11
numerical: 10.817279 analytic: 10.817279, relative error: 3.529172e-11
numerical: -62.752106 analytic: -62.752106, relative error: 5.169181e-12
numerical: -21.794091 analytic: -21.794091, relative error: 5.861122e-13
numerical: -32.514556 analytic: -32.514556, relative error: 4.927976e-12
numerical: 8.484527 analytic: 8.484527, relative error: 3.308008e-11
numerical: 20.000500 analytic: 20.000500, relative error: 7.061819e-12
```

Inline Question 1

It is possible that once in a while a dimension in the gradcheck will not match exactly. What could such a discrepancy be caused by? Is it a reason for concern? What is a simple example in one dimension where a gradient check could fail? How would change the margin affect the frequency of this happening? *Hint: the SVM loss function is not strictly speaking differentiable*

Your Answer : Yes, it is possible. The reason is that the function is not differentiable at the margin

point. The gradient check is calculated by the difference of the function value at the margin point. So it may not match exactly. A simple example in one dimension where a gradient check could fail is the RELU activation function. It is not differentiable at $x=0$. The gradient at $x=0$ can be either 0 or 1. Usually, there is no need to worry too much, because the gradient check is only used to verify the correctness of the gradient calculation rather than optimize the model. But if there exists a large number of discontinuously derivable functions, it is necessary to pay attention to the gradient check, because the gradient check may fail frequently, and it hard to find the bug. We know that the gradient check failure is caused by the discontinuity of the function. Changing the margin has a little effect on the frequency of this happening. Because it only makes the area of differentiable region larger but the problem is not solved at all.

```
[22]: # Next implement the function svm_loss_vectorized; for now only compute the
      ↪ loss;
      # we will implement the gradient in a moment.
      tic = time.time()
      loss_naive, grad_naive = svm_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
      toc = time.time()
      print('Naive loss: %e computed in %fs' % (loss_naive, toc - tic))

      from cs231n.classifiers.linear_svm import svm_loss_vectorized
      tic = time.time()
      loss_vectorized, _ = svm_loss_vectorized(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
      toc = time.time()
      print('Vectorized loss: %e computed in %fs' % (loss_vectorized, toc - tic))

      # The losses should match but your vectorized implementation should be much
      ↪ faster.
      print('difference: %f' % (loss_naive - loss_vectorized))
```

```
Naive loss: 9.156249e+00 computed in 0.174994s
Vectorized loss: 9.156249e+00 computed in 0.018633s
difference: -0.000000
```

```
[23]: # Complete the implementation of svm_loss_vectorized, and compute the gradient
      # of the loss function in a vectorized way.

      # The naive implementation and the vectorized implementation should match, but
      # the vectorized version should still be much faster.
      tic = time.time()
      _, grad_naive = svm_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
      toc = time.time()
      print('Naive loss and gradient: computed in %fs' % (toc - tic))

      tic = time.time()
      _, grad_vectorized = svm_loss_vectorized(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
      toc = time.time()
      print('Vectorized loss and gradient: computed in %fs' % (toc - tic))
```

```

# The loss is a single number, so it is easy to compare the values computed
# by the two implementations. The gradient on the other hand is a matrix, so
# we use the Frobenius norm to compare them.
difference = np.linalg.norm(grad_naive - grad_vectorized, ord='fro')
print('difference: %f' % difference)

```

Naive loss and gradient: computed in 0.164447s
 Vectorized loss and gradient: computed in 0.008723s
 difference: 0.000000

1.2.1 Stochastic Gradient Descent

We now have vectorized and efficient expressions for the loss, the gradient and our gradient matches the numerical gradient. We are therefore ready to do SGD to minimize the loss. Your code for this part will be written inside `cs231n/classifiers/linear_classifier.py`.

```

[25]: # In the file linear_classifier.py, implement SGD in the function
# LinearClassifier.train() and then run it with the code below.
from cs231n.classifiers import LinearSVM
svm = LinearSVM()
tic = time.time()
loss_hist = svm.train(X_train, y_train, learning_rate=1e-7, reg=2.5e4,
                      num_iters=1500, verbose=True)
toc = time.time()
print('That took %fs' % (toc - tic))

```

```

iteration 0 / 1500: loss 787.142091
iteration 100 / 1500: loss 287.200512
iteration 200 / 1500: loss 108.211760
iteration 300 / 1500: loss 42.732040
iteration 400 / 1500: loss 19.741278
iteration 500 / 1500: loss 10.223947
iteration 600 / 1500: loss 7.124535
iteration 700 / 1500: loss 5.722776
iteration 800 / 1500: loss 5.345192
iteration 900 / 1500: loss 5.097753
iteration 1000 / 1500: loss 5.295194
iteration 1100 / 1500: loss 5.184618
iteration 1200 / 1500: loss 4.556843
iteration 1300 / 1500: loss 5.145783
iteration 1400 / 1500: loss 5.330425
That took 12.696462s

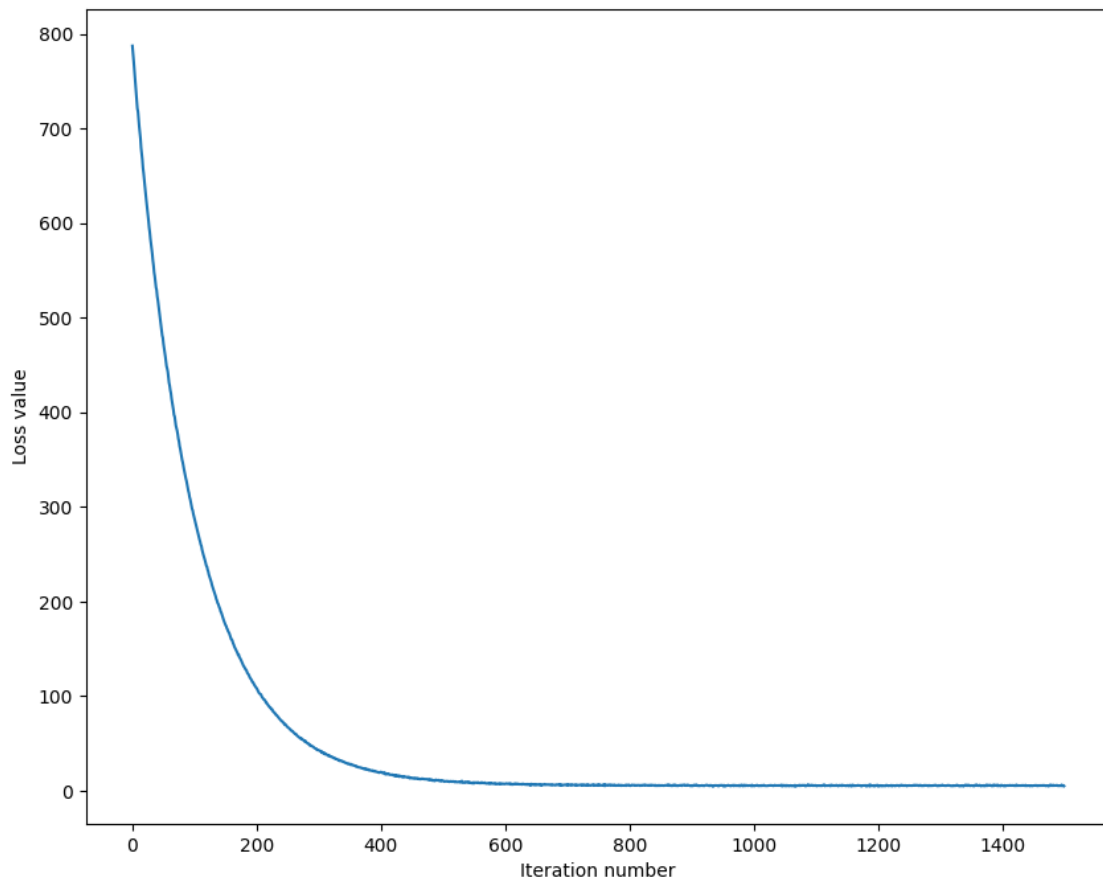
```

```

[26]: # A useful debugging strategy is to plot the loss as a function of
# iteration number:
plt.plot(loss_hist)
plt.xlabel('Iteration number')

```

```
plt.ylabel('Loss value')
plt.show()
```



```
[27]: # Write the LinearSVM.predict function and evaluate the performance on both the
# training and validation set
y_train_pred = svm.predict(X_train)
print('training accuracy: %f' % (np.mean(y_train == y_train_pred), ))
y_val_pred = svm.predict(X_val)
print('validation accuracy: %f' % (np.mean(y_val == y_val_pred), ))
```

```
training accuracy: 0.370306
validation accuracy: 0.388000
```

```
[33]: # Use the validation set to tune hyperparameters (regularization strength and
# learning rate). You should experiment with different ranges for the learning
# rates and regularization strengths; if you are careful you should be able to
# get a classification accuracy of about 0.39 (> 0.385) on the validation set.

# Note: you may see runtime/overflow warnings during hyper-parameter search.
```

```

# This may be caused by extreme values, and is not a bug.

# results is dictionary mapping tuples of the form
# (learning_rate, regularization_strength) to tuples of the form
# (training_accuracy, validation_accuracy). The accuracy is simply the fraction
# of data points that are correctly classified.
results = {}
best_val = -1 # The highest validation accuracy that we have seen so far.
best_svm = None # The LinearSVM object that achieved the highest validation
    ↪rate.

#####
# TODO:
# Write code that chooses the best hyperparameters by tuning on the validation
# set. For each combination of hyperparameters, train a linear SVM on the
# training set, compute its accuracy on the training and validation sets, and
# store these numbers in the results dictionary. In addition, store the best
# validation accuracy in best_val and the LinearSVM object that achieves this
# accuracy in best_svm.
#
# Hint: You should use a small value for num_iters as you develop your
# validation code so that the SVMs don't take much time to train; once you are
# confident that your validation code works, you should rerun the validation
# code with a larger value for num_iters.
#####

# Provided as a reference. You may or may not want to change these
    ↪hyperparameters
learning_rates = [1e-7, 5e-8, 3e-7]
regularization_strengths = [2.5e4, 2.4e4 , 2.3e4]

# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
for lr in learning_rates:
    for rs in regularization_strengths:
        model = LinearSVM()
        model.train(X_train, y_train, learning_rate=lr, reg=rs,
                    num_iters=1500)
        y_train_pred = model.predict(X_train)
        train_acc=np.mean(y_train == y_train_pred)
        y_val_pred = model.predict(X_val)
        val_acc=np.mean(y_val == y_val_pred)
        results[(lr,rs)]=(train_acc,val_acc)
        if val_acc > best_val:
            best_val=val_acc
            best_svm=model
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****

```

```

# Print out results.
for lr, reg in sorted(results):
    train_accuracy, val_accuracy = results[(lr, reg)]
    print('lr %e reg %e train accuracy: %f val accuracy: %f' % (
        lr, reg, train_accuracy, val_accuracy))

print('best validation accuracy achieved during cross-validation: %f' %
      ↪best_val)

```

```

lr 5.000000e-08 reg 2.300000e+04 train accuracy: 0.373714 val accuracy: 0.382000
lr 5.000000e-08 reg 2.400000e+04 train accuracy: 0.376102 val accuracy: 0.379000
lr 5.000000e-08 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.370878 val accuracy: 0.387000
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 2.300000e+04 train accuracy: 0.369204 val accuracy: 0.379000
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 2.400000e+04 train accuracy: 0.370735 val accuracy: 0.380000
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.369245 val accuracy: 0.372000
lr 3.000000e-07 reg 2.300000e+04 train accuracy: 0.346327 val accuracy: 0.361000
lr 3.000000e-07 reg 2.400000e+04 train accuracy: 0.344592 val accuracy: 0.364000
lr 3.000000e-07 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.345265 val accuracy: 0.335000
best validation accuracy achieved during cross-validation: 0.387000

```

```

[34]: # Visualize the cross-validation results
import math
import pdb

# pdb.set_trace()

x_scatter = [math.log10(x[0]) for x in results]
y_scatter = [math.log10(x[1]) for x in results]

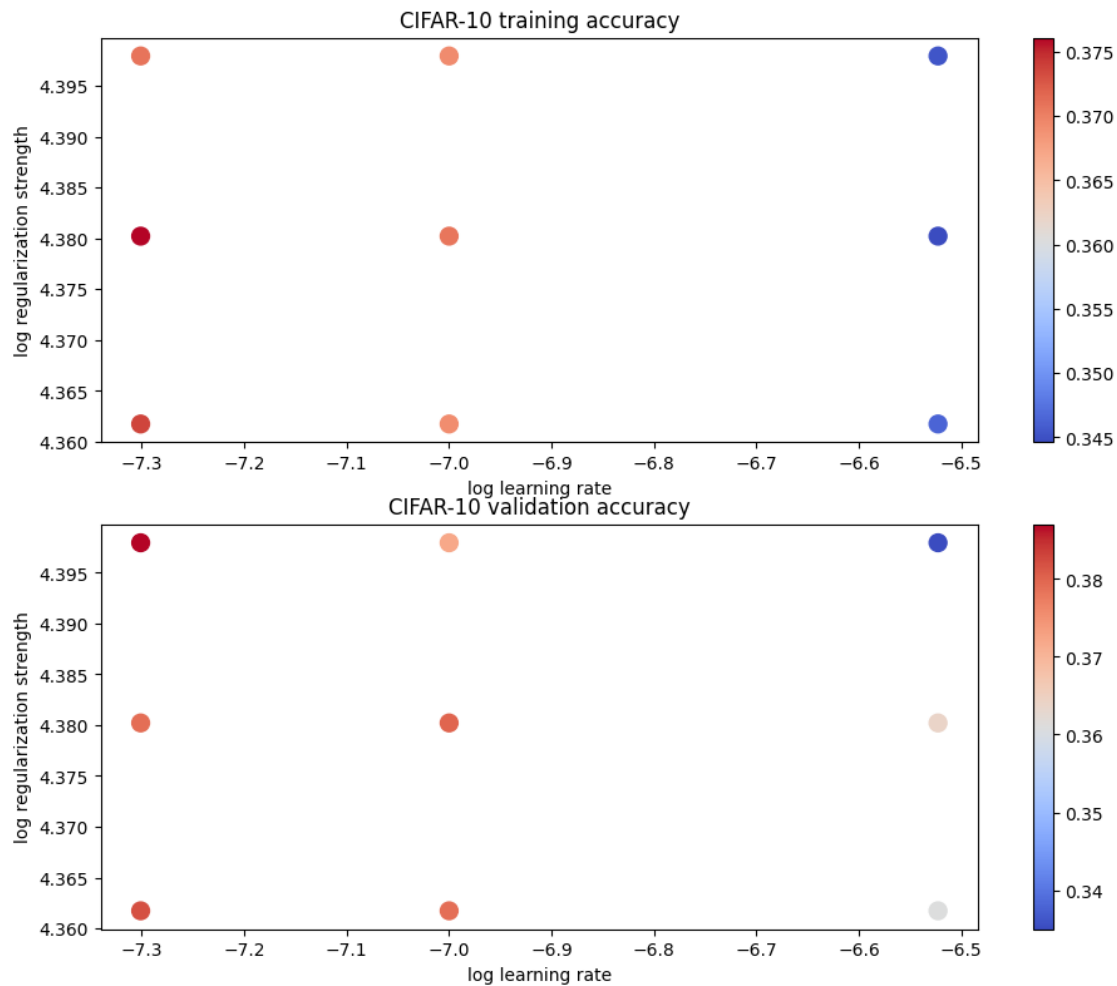
# plot training accuracy
marker_size = 100
colors = [results[x][0] for x in results]
plt.subplot(2, 1, 1)
plt.tight_layout(pad=3)
plt.scatter(x_scatter, y_scatter, marker_size, c=colors, cmap=plt.cm.coolwarm)
plt.colorbar()
plt.xlabel('log learning rate')
plt.ylabel('log regularization strength')
plt.title('CIFAR-10 training accuracy')

# plot validation accuracy
colors = [results[x][1] for x in results] # default size of markers is 20
plt.subplot(2, 1, 2)
plt.scatter(x_scatter, y_scatter, marker_size, c=colors, cmap=plt.cm.coolwarm)
plt.colorbar()
plt.xlabel('log learning rate')
plt.ylabel('log regularization strength')

```



```
plt.title('CIFAR-10 validation accuracy')
plt.show()
```



```
[36]: # Evaluate the best svm on test set
y_test_pred = best_svm.predict(X_test)
test_accuracy = np.mean(y_test == y_test_pred)
print('linear SVM on raw pixels final test set accuracy: %f' % test_accuracy)
```

linear SVM on raw pixels final test set accuracy: 0.364000

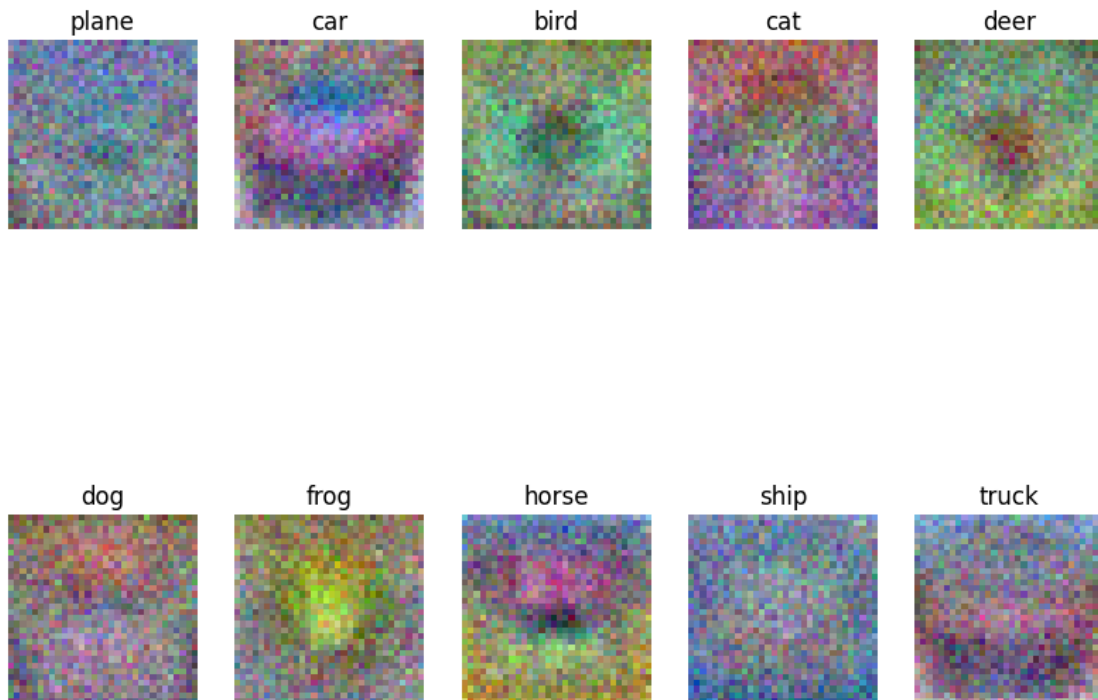
```
[37]: # Visualize the learned weights for each class.
# Depending on your choice of learning rate and regularization strength, these
# may
# or may not be nice to look at.
w = best_svm.W[:-1,:] # strip out the bias
w = w.reshape(32, 32, 3, 10)
```

```

w_min, w_max = np.min(w), np.max(w)
classes = ['plane', 'car', 'bird', 'cat', 'deer', 'dog', 'frog', 'horse', 'ship', 'truck']
for i in range(10):
    plt.subplot(2, 5, i + 1)

    # Rescale the weights to be between 0 and 255
    wimg = 255.0 * (w[:, :, :, i].squeeze() - w_min) / (w_max - w_min)
    plt.imshow(wimg.astype('uint8'))
    plt.axis('off')
    plt.title(classes[i])

```



Inline question 2

Describe what your visualized SVM weights look like, and offer a brief explanation for why they look the way they do.

Your Answer : These different kinds of templates encode the information of all the images from their classes. For example, we can roughly see a car or a truck shaped image in the weights of 'car' and the weights of 'truck' respectively. Because we obtain the scores by calculating the dot product between the image and the weights, so the learned weights tend to have a similar pixel distribution as in the images of the correct class.

softmax

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```
[ ]: # This mounts your Google Drive to the Colab VM.
from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')

# TODO: Enter the foldername in your Drive where you have saved the unzipped
# assignment folder, e.g. 'cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
FOLDERNAME = None
assert FOLDERNAME is not None, "[!] Enter the foldername."

# Now that we've mounted your Drive, this ensures that
# the Python interpreter of the Colab VM can load
# python files from within it.
import sys
sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))

# This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
# if it doesn't already exist.
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
!bash get_datasets.sh
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
```

1 Softmax exercise

Complete and hand in this completed worksheet (including its outputs and any supporting code outside of the worksheet) with your assignment submission. For more details see the [assignments page](#) on the course website.

This exercise is analogous to the SVM exercise. You will:

- implement a fully-vectorized **loss function** for the Softmax classifier
- implement the fully-vectorized expression for its **analytic gradient**
- **check your implementation** with numerical gradient
- use a validation set to **tune the learning rate and regularization** strength
- **optimize** the loss function with **SGD**
- **visualize** the final learned weights

```
[1]: import random
import numpy as np
```

```

from cs231n.data_utils import load_CIFAR10
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

%matplotlib inline
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10.0, 8.0) # set default size of plots
plt.rcParams['image.interpolation'] = 'nearest'
plt.rcParams['image.cmap'] = 'gray'

# for auto-reloading external modules
# see http://stackoverflow.com/questions/1907993/
↳ autoreload-of-modules-in-ipython
%load_ext autoreload
%autoreload 2

```

```

[2]: def get_CIFAR10_data(num_training=49000, num_validation=1000, num_test=1000,↳
↳ num_dev=500):
    """
    Load the CIFAR-10 dataset from disk and perform preprocessing to prepare
    it for the linear classifier. These are the same steps as we used for the
    SVM, but condensed to a single function.
    """
    # Load the raw CIFAR-10 data
    cifar10_dir = 'cs231n/datasets/cifar-10-batches-py'

    # Cleaning up variables to prevent loading data multiple times (which may↳
    ↳ cause memory issue)
    try:
        del X_train, y_train
        del X_test, y_test
        print('Clear previously loaded data.')
    except:
        pass

    X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test = load_CIFAR10(cifar10_dir)

    # subsample the data
    mask = list(range(num_training, num_training + num_validation))
    X_val = X_train[mask]
    y_val = y_train[mask]
    mask = list(range(num_training))
    X_train = X_train[mask]
    y_train = y_train[mask]
    mask = list(range(num_test))
    X_test = X_test[mask]
    y_test = y_test[mask]
    mask = np.random.choice(num_training, num_dev, replace=False)
    X_dev = X_train[mask]

```

```

y_dev = y_train[mask]

# Preprocessing: reshape the image data into rows
X_train = np.reshape(X_train, (X_train.shape[0], -1))
X_val = np.reshape(X_val, (X_val.shape[0], -1))
X_test = np.reshape(X_test, (X_test.shape[0], -1))
X_dev = np.reshape(X_dev, (X_dev.shape[0], -1))

# Normalize the data: subtract the mean image
mean_image = np.mean(X_train, axis = 0)
X_train -= mean_image
X_val -= mean_image
X_test -= mean_image
X_dev -= mean_image

# add bias dimension and transform into columns
X_train = np.hstack([X_train, np.ones((X_train.shape[0], 1))])
X_val = np.hstack([X_val, np.ones((X_val.shape[0], 1))])
X_test = np.hstack([X_test, np.ones((X_test.shape[0], 1))])
X_dev = np.hstack([X_dev, np.ones((X_dev.shape[0], 1))])

return X_train, y_train, X_val, y_val, X_test, y_test, X_dev, y_dev

# Invoke the above function to get our data.
X_train, y_train, X_val, y_val, X_test, y_test, X_dev, y_dev = _
    get_CIFAR10_data()
print('Train data shape: ', X_train.shape)
print('Train labels shape: ', y_train.shape)
print('Validation data shape: ', X_val.shape)
print('Validation labels shape: ', y_val.shape)
print('Test data shape: ', X_test.shape)
print('Test labels shape: ', y_test.shape)
print('dev data shape: ', X_dev.shape)
print('dev labels shape: ', y_dev.shape)

```

```

Train data shape: (49000, 3073)
Train labels shape: (49000,)
Validation data shape: (1000, 3073)
Validation labels shape: (1000,)
Test data shape: (1000, 3073)
Test labels shape: (1000,)
dev data shape: (500, 3073)
dev labels shape: (500,)

```

1.1 Softmax Classifier

Your code for this section will all be written inside `cs231n/classifiers/softmax.py`.

```
[4]: # First implement the naive softmax loss function with nested loops.
# Open the file cs231n/classifiers/softmax.py and implement the
# softmax_loss_naive function.

from cs231n.classifiers.softmax import softmax_loss_naive
import time

# Generate a random softmax weight matrix and use it to compute the loss.
W = np.random.randn(3073, 10) * 0.0001
loss, grad = softmax_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.0)

# As a rough sanity check, our loss should be something close to -log(0.1).
print('loss: %f' % loss)
print('sanity check: %f' % (-np.log(0.1)))
```

loss: 2.376642

sanity check: 2.302585

Inline Question 1

Why do we expect our loss to be close to $-\log(0.1)$? Explain briefly.**

Your Answer: All the weights are initialized as pretty small values so they are almost the same. The value of softmax loss becomes $-\log(1/c)$ where c is the number of classes. We have 10 classes totally which implies the expected value of loss is close to $-\log(0.1)$.

```
[5]: # Complete the implementation of softmax_loss_naive and implement a (naive)
# version of the gradient that uses nested loops.
loss, grad = softmax_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.0)

# As we did for the SVM, use numeric gradient checking as a debugging tool.
# The numeric gradient should be close to the analytic gradient.
from cs231n.gradient_check import grad_check_sparse
f = lambda w: softmax_loss_naive(w, X_dev, y_dev, 0.0)[0]
grad_numerical = grad_check_sparse(f, W, grad, 10)

# similar to SVM case, do another gradient check with regularization
loss, grad = softmax_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 5e1)
f = lambda w: softmax_loss_naive(w, X_dev, y_dev, 5e1)[0]
grad_numerical = grad_check_sparse(f, W, grad, 10)
```

numerical: 2.399048 analytic: 2.399048, relative error: 3.579023e-08
numerical: -0.607127 analytic: -0.607127, relative error: 2.720944e-08
numerical: -4.955326 analytic: -4.955326, relative error: 1.950206e-09
numerical: -0.536970 analytic: -0.536970, relative error: 3.404150e-08
numerical: 0.967396 analytic: 0.967396, relative error: 1.547261e-08
numerical: -0.690573 analytic: -0.690573, relative error: 2.678234e-08
numerical: -0.892749 analytic: -0.892749, relative error: 6.231322e-08
numerical: -3.272086 analytic: -3.272086, relative error: 8.570102e-09

```

numerical: -0.154471 analytic: -0.154471, relative error: 6.961186e-08
numerical: -4.532085 analytic: -4.532085, relative error: 1.821010e-09
numerical: 4.392858 analytic: 4.392858, relative error: 2.130287e-09
numerical: 0.545030 analytic: 0.545030, relative error: 2.810039e-08
numerical: -0.177837 analytic: -0.177837, relative error: 1.692468e-07
numerical: -0.835991 analytic: -0.835991, relative error: 5.718688e-08
numerical: -0.810793 analytic: -0.810793, relative error: 1.187035e-08
numerical: 1.351287 analytic: 1.351287, relative error: 1.640877e-08
numerical: 0.918445 analytic: 0.918445, relative error: 5.648660e-09
numerical: 2.852688 analytic: 2.852688, relative error: 8.450721e-09
numerical: -1.158861 analytic: -1.158861, relative error: 4.371210e-08
numerical: 0.107858 analytic: 0.107858, relative error: 7.273357e-08

```

```

[6]: # Now that we have a naive implementation of the softmax loss function and its
      ↪ gradient,
      # implement a vectorized version in softmax_loss_vectorized.
      # The two versions should compute the same results, but the vectorized version
      ↪ should be
      # much faster.
      tic = time.time()
      loss_naive, grad_naive = softmax_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
      toc = time.time()
      print('naive loss: %e computed in %fs' % (loss_naive, toc - tic))

      from cs231n.classifiers.softmax import softmax_loss_vectorized
      tic = time.time()
      loss_vectorized, grad_vectorized = softmax_loss_vectorized(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.
        ↪ 000005)
      toc = time.time()
      print('vectorized loss: %e computed in %fs' % (loss_vectorized, toc - tic))

      # As we did for the SVM, we use the Frobenius norm to compare the two versions
      # of the gradient.
      grad_difference = np.linalg.norm(grad_naive - grad_vectorized, ord='fro')
      print('Loss difference: %f' % np.abs(loss_naive - loss_vectorized))
      print('Gradient difference: %f' % grad_difference)

```

```

naive loss: 2.376642e+00 computed in 0.387088s
vectorized loss: 2.376642e+00 computed in 0.015330s
Loss difference: 0.000000
Gradient difference: 0.000000

```

```

[7]: # Use the validation set to tune hyperparameters (regularization strength and
      # learning rate). You should experiment with different ranges for the learning
      # rates and regularization strengths; if you are careful you should be able to
      # get a classification accuracy of over 0.35 on the validation set.

```

```

from cs231n.classifiers import Softmax
results = {}
best_val = -1
best_softmax = None

#####
# TODO:
# Use the validation set to set the learning rate and regularization strength. #
# This should be identical to the validation that you did for the SVM; save   #
# the best trained softmax classifier in best_softmax.                         #
#####

# Provided as a reference. You may or may not want to change these
↳ hyperparameters
learning_rates = [3e-7, 4e-7]
regularization_strengths = [1.5e4, 1e4, 2.5e4,]

# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
for lr in learning_rates:
    for rs in regularization_strengths:
        model = Softmax()
        model.train(X_train, y_train, learning_rate=lr, reg=rs,
                    num_iters=1500)
        y_train_pred = model.predict(X_train)
        train_acc=np.mean(y_train == y_train_pred)
        y_val_pred = model.predict(X_val)
        val_acc=np.mean(y_val == y_val_pred)
        results[(lr,rs)]=(train_acc,val_acc)
        if val_acc > best_val:
            best_val=val_acc
            best_softmax=model

# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****

# Print out results.
for lr, reg in sorted(results):
    train_accuracy, val_accuracy = results[(lr, reg)]
    print('lr %e reg %e train accuracy: %f val accuracy: %f' % (
        lr, reg, train_accuracy, val_accuracy))

print('best validation accuracy achieved during cross-validation: %f' %
↳ best_val)

```

```

lr 3.000000e-07 reg 1.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.357122 val accuracy: 0.366000
lr 3.000000e-07 reg 1.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.346469 val accuracy: 0.363000
lr 3.000000e-07 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.329082 val accuracy: 0.343000

```



```
lr 4.000000e-07 reg 1.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.354939 val accuracy: 0.360000
lr 4.000000e-07 reg 1.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.345592 val accuracy: 0.351000
lr 4.000000e-07 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.319714 val accuracy: 0.338000
best validation accuracy achieved during cross-validation: 0.366000
```

```
[8]: # evaluate on test set
# Evaluate the best softmax on test set
y_test_pred = best_softmax.predict(X_test)
test_accuracy = np.mean(y_test == y_test_pred)
print('softmax on raw pixels final test set accuracy: %f' % (test_accuracy, ))
```

softmax on raw pixels final test set accuracy: 0.362000

Inline Question 2 - True or False

Suppose the overall training loss is defined as the sum of the per-datapoint loss over all training examples. It is possible to add a new datapoint to a training set that would leave the SVM loss unchanged, but this is not the case with the Softmax classifier loss.

Your Answer : True

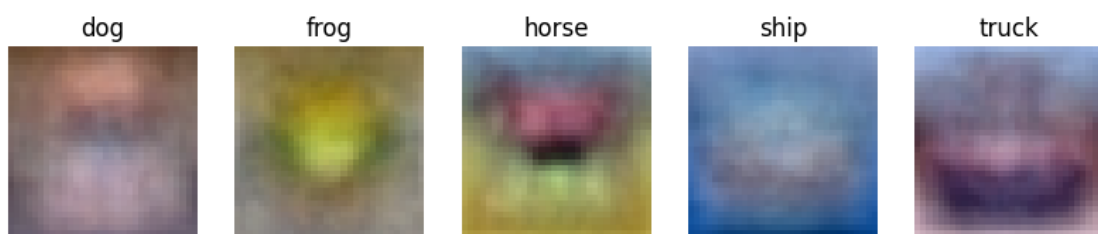
Your Explanation : The SVM loss function is determined by the margin between the correct class and others. If we add a new datapoint of which score is less than the score of the correct class minus 1. the SVM loss is kept. Of course, this is not the case with the Softmax classifier loss. Because it is a continuous derivative function. Any changes of datapoints will change the loss eventually.

```
[9]: # Visualize the learned weights for each class
w = best_softmax.W[:-1,:] # strip out the bias
w = w.reshape(32, 32, 3, 10)

w_min, w_max = np.min(w), np.max(w)

classes = ['plane', 'car', 'bird', 'cat', 'deer', 'dog', 'frog', 'horse', 'ship', 'truck']
for i in range(10):
    plt.subplot(2, 5, i + 1)

    # Rescale the weights to be between 0 and 255
    wimg = 255.0 * (w[:, :, :, i].squeeze() - w_min) / (w_max - w_min)
    plt.imshow(wimg.astype('uint8'))
    plt.axis('off')
    plt.title(classes[i])
```



[]:

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```
[ ]: # This mounts your Google Drive to the Colab VM.
from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')

# TODO: Enter the foldername in your Drive where you have saved the unzipped
# assignment folder, e.g. 'cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
FOLDERNAME = None
assert FOLDERNAME is not None, "[!] Enter the foldername."

# Now that we've mounted your Drive, this ensures that
# the Python interpreter of the Colab VM can load
# python files from within it.
import sys
sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))

# This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
# if it doesn't already exist.
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
!bash get_datasets.sh
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
```

1 Fully-Connected Neural Nets

In this exercise we will implement fully-connected networks using a modular approach. For each layer we will implement a **forward** and a **backward** function. The **forward** function will receive inputs, weights, and other parameters and will return both an output and a **cache** object storing data needed for the backward pass, like this:

```
def layer_forward(x, w):
    """ Receive inputs x and weights w """
    # Do some computations ...
    z = # ... some intermediate value
    # Do some more computations ...
    out = # the output

    cache = (x, w, z, out) # Values we need to compute gradients

    return out, cache
```

The backward pass will receive upstream derivatives and the `cache` object, and will return gradients with respect to the inputs and weights, like this:

```
def layer_backward(dout, cache):
    """
    Receive dout (derivative of loss with respect to outputs) and cache,
    and compute derivative with respect to inputs.
    """
    # Unpack cache values
    x, w, z, out = cache

    # Use values in cache to compute derivatives
    dx = # Derivative of loss with respect to x
    dw = # Derivative of loss with respect to w

    return dx, dw
```

After implementing a bunch of layers this way, we will be able to easily combine them to build classifiers with different architectures.

```
[77]: # As usual, a bit of setup
from __future__ import print_function
import time
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from cs231n.classifiers.fc_net import *
from cs231n.data_utils import get_CIFAR10_data
from cs231n.gradient_check import eval_numerical_gradient, \
    eval_numerical_gradient_array
from cs231n.solver import Solver

%matplotlib inline
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10.0, 8.0) # set default size of plots
plt.rcParams['image.interpolation'] = 'nearest'
plt.rcParams['image.cmap'] = 'gray'

# for auto-reloading external modules
# see http://stackoverflow.com/questions/1907993/
# autoreload-of-modules-in-ipython
%load_ext autoreload
%autoreload 2

def rel_error(x, y):
    """ returns relative error """
    return np.max(np.abs(x - y) / (np.maximum(1e-8, np.abs(x) + np.abs(y))))
```

The autoreload extension is already loaded. To reload it, use:

```
%reload_ext autoreload
```

```
[78]: # Load the (preprocessed) CIFAR10 data.
```

```
data = get_CIFAR10_data()
for k, v in list(data.items()):
    print('%s: ' % k, v.shape)
```

```
('X_train: ', (49000, 3, 32, 32))
('y_train: ', (49000,))
('X_val: ', (1000, 3, 32, 32))
('y_val: ', (1000,))
('X_test: ', (1000, 3, 32, 32))
('y_test: ', (1000,))
```

2 Affine layer: forward

Open the file `cs231n/layers.py` and implement the `affine_forward` function.

Once you are done you can test your implementation by running the following:

```
[79]: # Test the affine_forward function
```

```
num_inputs = 2
input_shape = (4, 5, 6)
output_dim = 3

input_size = num_inputs * np.prod(input_shape)
weight_size = output_dim * np.prod(input_shape)

x = np.linspace(-0.1, 0.5, num=input_size).reshape(num_inputs, *input_shape)
w = np.linspace(-0.2, 0.3, num=weight_size).reshape(np.prod(input_shape),
↪output_dim)
b = np.linspace(-0.3, 0.1, num=output_dim)

out, _ = affine_forward(x, w, b)
correct_out = np.array([[ 1.49834967,  1.70660132,  1.91485297],
                        [ 3.25553199,  3.5141327,   3.77273342]])

# Compare your output with ours. The error should be around e-9 or less.
print('Testing affine_forward function:')
print('difference: ', rel_error(out, correct_out))
```

```
Testing affine_forward function:
difference: 9.769848888397517e-10
```

3 Affine layer: backward

Now implement the `affine_backward` function and test your implementation using numeric gradient checking.

```
[80]: # Test the affine_backward function
np.random.seed(231)
x = np.random.randn(10, 2, 3)
w = np.random.randn(6, 5)
b = np.random.randn(5)
dout = np.random.randn(10, 5)

dx_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda x: affine_forward(x, w, b)[0], x,
    ↪dout)
dw_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda w: affine_forward(x, w, b)[0], w,
    ↪dout)
db_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda b: affine_forward(x, w, b)[0], b,
    ↪dout)

_, cache = affine_forward(x, w, b)
dx, dw, db = affine_backward(dout, cache)

# The error should be around e-10 or less
print('Testing affine_backward function:')
print('dx error: ', rel_error(dx_num, dx))
print('dw error: ', rel_error(dw_num, dw))
print('db error: ', rel_error(db_num, db))
```

```
Testing affine_backward function:
dx error:  5.399100368651805e-11
dw error:  9.904211865398145e-11
db error:  2.4122867568119087e-11
```

4 ReLU activation: forward

Implement the forward pass for the ReLU activation function in the `relu_forward` function and test your implementation using the following:

```
[82]: # Test the relu_forward function

x = np.linspace(-0.5, 0.5, num=12).reshape(3, 4)

out, _ = relu_forward(x)
correct_out = np.array([[ 0.,          0.,          0.,          0.],
                        [ 0.,          0.,          0.04545455, 0.13636364],
                        [ 0.22727273, 0.31818182, 0.40909091, 0.5]])

# Compare your output with ours. The error should be on the order of e-8
print('Testing relu_forward function:')
print('difference: ', rel_error(out, correct_out))
```

```
Testing relu_forward function:
difference: 4.999999798022158e-08
```

5 ReLU activation: backward

Now implement the backward pass for the ReLU activation function in the `relu_backward` function and test your implementation using numeric gradient checking:

```
[83]: np.random.seed(231)
x = np.random.randn(10, 10)
dout = np.random.randn(*x.shape)

dx_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda x: relu_forward(x)[0], x, dout)

_, cache = relu_forward(x)
dx = relu_backward(dout, cache)

# The error should be on the order of e-12
print('Testing relu_backward function:')
print('dx error: ', rel_error(dx_num, dx))
```

```
Testing relu_backward function:
dx error: 3.2756349136310288e-12
```

5.1 Inline Question 1:

We've only asked you to implement ReLU, but there are a number of different activation functions that one could use in neural networks, each with its pros and cons. In particular, an issue commonly seen with activation functions is getting zero (or close to zero) gradient flow during backpropagation. Which of the following activation functions have this problem? If you consider these functions in the one dimensional case, what types of input would lead to this behaviour? 1. Sigmoid 2. ReLU 3. Leaky ReLU

5.2 Answer:

Sigmoid and ReLU. For Sigmoid function, when the absolute value of the input is large, the gradient of the sigmoid function becomes very small, which leads to the problem of gradient disappearance. For example, when the input is a pretty large or small number. The output will be very closed to 0 or 1 so that the gradient is likely to get zero. For ReLU function, when the input is negative, the gradient of the ReLU function is 0, which leads to the problem of gradient disappearance. For example, if the input is -1. Its gradient is 0.

6 “Sandwich” layers

There are some common patterns of layers that are frequently used in neural nets. For example, affine layers are frequently followed by a ReLU nonlinearity. To make these common patterns easy, we define several convenience layers in the file `cs231n/layer_utils.py`.

For now take a look at the `affine_relu_forward` and `affine_relu_backward` functions, and run the following to numerically gradient check the backward pass:

```
[85]: from cs231n.layer_utils import affine_relu_forward, affine_relu_backward
np.random.seed(231)
x = np.random.randn(2, 3, 4)
w = np.random.randn(12, 10)
b = np.random.randn(10)
dout = np.random.randn(2, 10)

out, cache = affine_relu_forward(x, w, b)
dx, dw, db = affine_relu_backward(dout, cache)

dx_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda x: affine_relu_forward(x, w, b)[0], x, dout)
dw_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda w: affine_relu_forward(x, w, b)[0], w, dout)
db_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda b: affine_relu_forward(x, w, b)[0], b, dout)

# Relative error should be around e-10 or less
print('Testing affine_relu_forward and affine_relu_backward:')
print('dx error: ', rel_error(dx_num, dx))
print('dw error: ', rel_error(dw_num, dw))
print('db error: ', rel_error(db_num, db))
```

Testing affine_relu_forward and affine_relu_backward:

dx error: 2.299579177309368e-11

dw error: 8.162011105764925e-11

db error: 7.826724021458994e-12

7 Loss layers: Softmax and SVM

Now implement the loss and gradient for softmax and SVM in the `softmax_loss` and `svm_loss` function in `cs231n/layers.py`. These should be similar to what you implemented in `cs231n/classifiers/softmax.py` and `cs231n/classifiers/linear_svm.py`.

You can make sure that the implementations are correct by running the following:

```
[86]: np.random.seed(231)
num_classes, num_inputs = 10, 50
x = 0.001 * np.random.randn(num_inputs, num_classes)
y = np.random.randint(num_classes, size=num_inputs)

dx_num = eval_numerical_gradient(lambda x: svm_loss(x, y)[0], x, verbose=False)
loss, dx = svm_loss(x, y)
```



```

# Test svm_loss function. Loss should be around 9 and dx error should be around
↳the order of e-9
print('Testing svm_loss:')
print('loss: ', loss)
print('dx error: ', rel_error(dx_num, dx))

dx_num = eval_numerical_gradient(lambda x: softmax_loss(x, y)[0], x,
↳verbose=False)
loss, dx = softmax_loss(x, y)

# Test softmax_loss function. Loss should be close to 2.3 and dx error should
↳be around e-8
print('\nTesting softmax_loss:')
print('loss: ', loss)
print('dx error: ', rel_error(dx_num, dx))

```

```

Testing svm_loss:
loss:  8.999602749096233
dx error:  1.4021566006651672e-09

```

```

Testing softmax_loss:
loss:  2.3025458445007376
dx error:  8.234144091578429e-09

```

8 Two-layer network

Open the file `cs231n/classifiers/fc_net.py` and complete the implementation of the `TwoLayerNet` class. Read through it to make sure you understand the API. You can run the cell below to test your implementation.

```

[88]: np.random.seed(231)
N, D, H, C = 3, 5, 50, 7
X = np.random.randn(N, D)
y = np.random.randint(C, size=N)

std = 1e-3
model = TwoLayerNet(input_dim=D, hidden_dim=H, num_classes=C, weight_scale=std)

print('Testing initialization ... ')
W1_std = abs(model.params['W1'].std() - std)
b1 = model.params['b1']
W2_std = abs(model.params['W2'].std() - std)
b2 = model.params['b2']
assert W1_std < std / 10, 'First layer weights do not seem right'
assert np.all(b1 == 0), 'First layer biases do not seem right'
assert W2_std < std / 10, 'Second layer weights do not seem right'
assert np.all(b2 == 0), 'Second layer biases do not seem right'

```

```

print('Testing test-time forward pass ... ')
model.params['W1'] = np.linspace(-0.7, 0.3, num=D*H).reshape(D, H)
model.params['b1'] = np.linspace(-0.1, 0.9, num=H)
model.params['W2'] = np.linspace(-0.3, 0.4, num=H*C).reshape(H, C)
model.params['b2'] = np.linspace(-0.9, 0.1, num=C)
X = np.linspace(-5.5, 4.5, num=N*D).reshape(D, N).T
scores = model.loss(X)
correct_scores = np.asarray(
    [[11.53165108, 12.2917344, 13.05181771, 13.81190102, 14.57198434, 15.
    ↪33206765, 16.09215096],
    [12.05769098, 12.74614105, 13.43459113, 14.1230412, 14.81149128, 15.
    ↪49994135, 16.18839143],
    [12.58373087, 13.20054771, 13.81736455, 14.43418138, 15.05099822, 15.
    ↪66781506, 16.2846319 ]])
scores_diff = np.abs(scores - correct_scores).sum()
assert scores_diff < 1e-6, 'Problem with test-time forward pass'

print('Testing training loss (no regularization)')
y = np.asarray([0, 5, 1])
loss, grads = model.loss(X, y)
correct_loss = 3.4702243556
assert abs(loss - correct_loss) < 1e-10, 'Problem with training-time loss'

model.reg = 1.0
loss, grads = model.loss(X, y)
correct_loss = 26.5948426952
assert abs(loss - correct_loss) < 1e-10, 'Problem with regularization loss'

# Errors should be around e-7 or less
for reg in [0.0, 0.7]:
    print('Running numeric gradient check with reg = ', reg)
    model.reg = reg
    loss, grads = model.loss(X, y)

    for name in sorted(grads):
        f = lambda _: model.loss(X, y)[0]
        grad_num = eval_numerical_gradient(f, model.params[name], verbose=False)
        print('%s relative error: %.2e' % (name, rel_error(grad_num, grads[name])))

```

```

Testing initialization ...
Testing test-time forward pass ...
Testing training loss (no regularization)
Running numeric gradient check with reg = 0.0
W1 relative error: 1.52e-08
W2 relative error: 3.21e-10
b1 relative error: 8.37e-09

```

```
b2 relative error: 4.33e-10
Running numeric gradient check with reg = 0.7
W1 relative error: 3.12e-07
W2 relative error: 2.85e-08
b1 relative error: 1.56e-08
b2 relative error: 7.76e-10
```

9 Solver

Open the file `cs231n/solver.py` and read through it to familiarize yourself with the API. After doing so, use a `Solver` instance to train a `TwoLayerNet` that achieves about 36% accuracy on the validation set.

```
[89]: input_size = 32 * 32 * 3
hidden_size = 50
num_classes = 10
model = TwoLayerNet(input_size, hidden_size, num_classes)
solver = None

#####
# TODO: Use a Solver instance to train a TwoLayerNet that achieves about 36% #
# accuracy on the validation set.                                           #
#####
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
solver = Solver(model, data, update_rule='sgd', optim_config={'learning_rate': 1e-4,
    lr_decay=0.9, num_epochs=6, batch_size=200, print_every=100})
solver.train()
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
#####
#                               END OF YOUR CODE                               #
#####
```

```
(Iteration 1 / 1470) loss: 2.301725
(Epoch 0 / 6) train acc: 0.145000; val_acc: 0.140000
(Iteration 101 / 1470) loss: 2.241923
(Iteration 201 / 1470) loss: 2.187425
(Epoch 1 / 6) train acc: 0.267000; val_acc: 0.243000
(Iteration 301 / 1470) loss: 2.058905
(Iteration 401 / 1470) loss: 1.942594
(Epoch 2 / 6) train acc: 0.292000; val_acc: 0.304000
(Iteration 501 / 1470) loss: 1.930263
(Iteration 601 / 1470) loss: 1.941322
(Iteration 701 / 1470) loss: 1.841196
(Epoch 3 / 6) train acc: 0.329000; val_acc: 0.316000
(Iteration 801 / 1470) loss: 1.972693
(Iteration 901 / 1470) loss: 1.848685
(Epoch 4 / 6) train acc: 0.337000; val_acc: 0.348000
```

```
(Iteration 1001 / 1470) loss: 1.756999
(Iteration 1101 / 1470) loss: 1.956532
(Iteration 1201 / 1470) loss: 1.864235
(Epoch 5 / 6) train acc: 0.350000; val_acc: 0.367000
(Iteration 1301 / 1470) loss: 1.797328
(Iteration 1401 / 1470) loss: 1.892760
(Epoch 6 / 6) train acc: 0.362000; val_acc: 0.376000
```

10 Debug the training

With the default parameters we provided above, you should get a validation accuracy of about 0.36 on the validation set. This isn't very good.

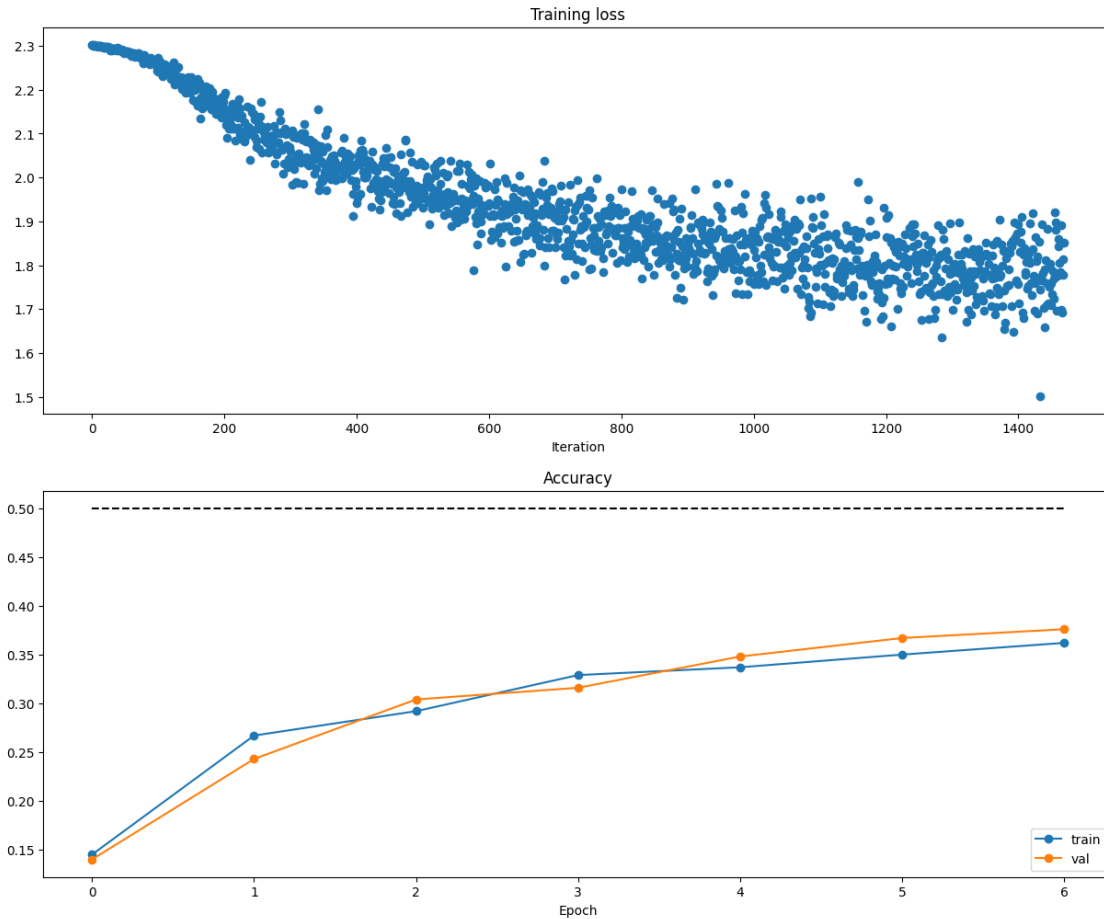
One strategy for getting insight into what's wrong is to plot the loss function and the accuracies on the training and validation sets during optimization.

Another strategy is to visualize the weights that were learned in the first layer of the network. In most neural networks trained on visual data, the first layer weights typically show some visible structure when visualized.

[90]: *# Run this cell to visualize training loss and train / val accuracy*

```
plt.subplot(2, 1, 1)
plt.title('Training loss')
plt.plot(solver.loss_history, 'o')
plt.xlabel('Iteration')

plt.subplot(2, 1, 2)
plt.title('Accuracy')
plt.plot(solver.train_acc_history, '-o', label='train')
plt.plot(solver.val_acc_history, '-o', label='val')
plt.plot([0.5] * len(solver.val_acc_history), 'k--')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
plt.legend(loc='lower right')
plt.gcf().set_size_inches(15, 12)
plt.show()
```

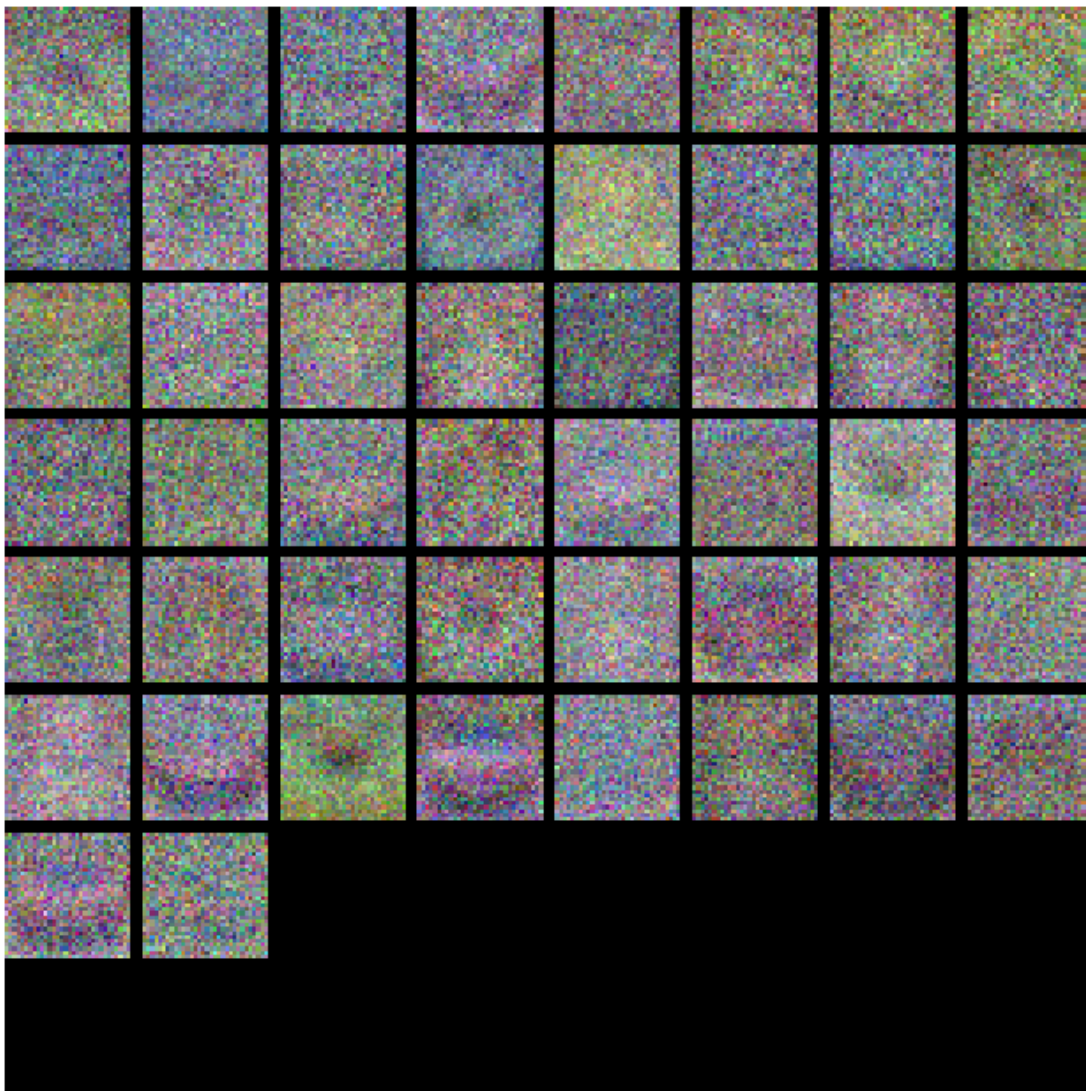


```
[91]: from cs231n.vis_utils import visualize_grid

# Visualize the weights of the network

def show_net_weights(net):
    W1 = net.params['W1']
    W1 = W1.reshape(3, 32, 32, -1).transpose(3, 1, 2, 0)
    plt.imshow(visualize_grid(W1, padding=3).astype('uint8'))
    plt.gca().axis('off')
    plt.show()

show_net_weights(model)
```



11 Tune your hyperparameters

What's wrong?. Looking at the visualizations above, we see that the loss is decreasing more or less linearly, which seems to suggest that the learning rate may be too low. Moreover, there is no gap between the training and validation accuracy, suggesting that the model we used has low capacity, and that we should increase its size. On the other hand, with a very large model we would expect to see more overfitting, which would manifest itself as a very large gap between the training and validation accuracy.

Tuning. Tuning the hyperparameters and developing intuition for how they affect the final performance is a large part of using Neural Networks, so we want you to get a lot of practice. Below, you should experiment with different values of the various hyperparameters, including hidden layer size, learning rate, number of training epochs, and regularization strength. You might also consider

tuning the learning rate decay, but you should be able to get good performance using the default value.

Approximate results. You should be aim to achieve a classification accuracy of greater than 48% on the validation set. Our best network gets over 52% on the validation set.

Experiment: You goal in this exercise is to get as good of a result on CIFAR-10 as you can (52% could serve as a reference), with a fully-connected Neural Network. Feel free implement your own techniques (e.g. PCA to reduce dimensionality, or adding dropout, or adding features to the solver, etc.).

```
[93]: best_model = None

#####
# TODO: Tune hyperparameters using the validation set. Store your best trained
#
# model in best_model.
#
#
# To help debug your network, it may help to use visualizations similar to the
# ones we used above; these visualizations will have significant qualitative
# differences from the ones we saw above for the poorly tuned network.
#
# Tweaking hyperparameters by hand can be fun, but you might find it useful to
# write code to sweep through possible combinations of hyperparameters
# automatically like we did on thes previous exercises.
#
#####
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
hidden_sizes=[50,100,150]
learning_rate= [1e-3, 3e-3]
regularization_strengths = [1e-1,1e-2]
best_acc=0
for h_size in hidden_sizes:
    for lr in learning_rate:
        for rs in regularization_strengths:
            model=TwoLayerNet(input_size,h_size,num_classes,reg=rs)
            solver = Solver(model,
data,update_rule='sgd',optim_config={'learning_rate': lr},
lr_decay=0.9,num_epochs=7, batch_size=200,verbose=False)
```

```

        solver.train()
        if solver.best_val_acc>best_acc:
            best_model=solver.model
            best_acc=solver.best_val_acc

print('the best validation accuracy is %f' % best_acc)
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
#####
#                               END OF YOUR CODE                               #
#####

```

the best validation accuracy is 0.534000

12 Test your model!

Run your best model on the validation and test sets. You should achieve above 48% accuracy on the validation set and the test set.

```

[94]: y_val_pred = np.argmax(best_model.loss(data['X_val']), axis=1)
      print('Validation set accuracy: ', (y_val_pred == data['y_val']).mean())

```

Validation set accuracy: 0.534

```

[96]: y_test_pred = np.argmax(best_model.loss(data['X_test']), axis=1)
      print('Test set accuracy: ', (y_test_pred == data['y_test']).mean())

```

Test set accuracy: 0.512

12.1 Inline Question 2:

Now that you have trained a Neural Network classifier, you may find that your testing accuracy is much lower than the training accuracy. In what ways can we decrease this gap? Select all that apply.

1. Train on a larger dataset.
2. Add more hidden units.
3. Increase the regularization strength.
4. None of the above.

Your Answer : 1 and 3.

Your Explanation : The testing accuracy is much lower than the training accuracy mainly due to the model overfitting the training data. 1.Training on a larger dataset helps prevent overfitting. Because it will allow the model to generalize better and avoid being influenced by the outliers. 2.Adding more hidden units has no effect on decreasing the gap between the training accuracy and testing accuracy. It only helps model to learn more complex features. Hence, we should not take this measure here. 3.Increasing the regularization strength helps avoid overfitting because it reduces the complexity of the model and improve its generalization ability.

[]:

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```
[ ]: # This mounts your Google Drive to the Colab VM.
from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')

# TODO: Enter the foldername in your Drive where you have saved the unzipped
# assignment folder, e.g. 'cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
FOLDERNAME = None
assert FOLDERNAME is not None, "[!] Enter the foldername."

# Now that we've mounted your Drive, this ensures that
# the Python interpreter of the Colab VM can load
# python files from within it.
import sys
sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))

# This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
# if it doesn't already exist.
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
!bash get_datasets.sh
%cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
```

1 Image features exercise

Complete and hand in this completed worksheet (including its outputs and any supporting code outside of the worksheet) with your assignment submission. For more details see the [assignments page](#) on the course website.

We have seen that we can achieve reasonable performance on an image classification task by training a linear classifier on the pixels of the input image. In this exercise we will show that we can improve our classification performance by training linear classifiers not on raw pixels but on features that are computed from the raw pixels.

All of your work for this exercise will be done in this notebook.

```
[20]: import random
import numpy as np
from cs231n.data_utils import load_CIFAR10
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```

%matplotlib inline
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10.0, 8.0) # set default size of plots
plt.rcParams['image.interpolation'] = 'nearest'
plt.rcParams['image.cmap'] = 'gray'

# for auto-reloading external modules
# see http://stackoverflow.com/questions/1907993/
  ↳ autoreload-of-modules-in-ipython
%load_ext autoreload
%autoreload 2

```

The autoreload extension is already loaded. To reload it, use:

```
%reload_ext autoreload
```

1.1 Load data

Similar to previous exercises, we will load CIFAR-10 data from disk.

```

[21]: from cs231n.features import color_histogram_hsv, hog_feature

def get_CIFAR10_data(num_training=49000, num_validation=1000, num_test=1000):
    # Load the raw CIFAR-10 data
    cifar10_dir = 'cs231n/datasets/cifar-10-batches-py'

    # Cleaning up variables to prevent loading data multiple times (which may
    ↳ cause memory issue)
    try:
        del X_train, y_train
        del X_test, y_test
        print('Clear previously loaded data.')
    except:
        pass

    X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test = load_CIFAR10(cifar10_dir)

    # Subsample the data
    mask = list(range(num_training, num_training + num_validation))
    X_val = X_train[mask]
    y_val = y_train[mask]
    mask = list(range(num_training))
    X_train = X_train[mask]
    y_train = y_train[mask]
    mask = list(range(num_test))
    X_test = X_test[mask]
    y_test = y_test[mask]

```

```

    return X_train, y_train, X_val, y_val, X_test, y_test

X_train, y_train, X_val, y_val, X_test, y_test = get_CIFAR10_data()

```

1.2 Extract Features

For each image we will compute a Histogram of Oriented Gradients (HOG) as well as a color histogram using the hue channel in HSV color space. We form our final feature vector for each image by concatenating the HOG and color histogram feature vectors.

Roughly speaking, HOG should capture the texture of the image while ignoring color information, and the color histogram represents the color of the input image while ignoring texture. As a result, we expect that using both together ought to work better than using either alone. Verifying this assumption would be a good thing to try for your own interest.

The `hog_feature` and `color_histogram_hsv` functions both operate on a single image and return a feature vector for that image. The `extract_features` function takes a set of images and a list of feature functions and evaluates each feature function on each image, storing the results in a matrix where each column is the concatenation of all feature vectors for a single image.

```

[22]: from cs231n.features import *

num_color_bins = 10 # Number of bins in the color histogram
feature_fns = [hog_feature, lambda img: color_histogram_hsv(img,
    ↪nbin=num_color_bins)]
X_train_feats = extract_features(X_train, feature_fns, verbose=True)
X_val_feats = extract_features(X_val, feature_fns)
X_test_feats = extract_features(X_test, feature_fns)

# Preprocessing: Subtract the mean feature
mean_feat = np.mean(X_train_feats, axis=0, keepdims=True)
X_train_feats -= mean_feat
X_val_feats -= mean_feat
X_test_feats -= mean_feat

# Preprocessing: Divide by standard deviation. This ensures that each feature
# has roughly the same scale.
std_feat = np.std(X_train_feats, axis=0, keepdims=True)
X_train_feats /= std_feat
X_val_feats /= std_feat
X_test_feats /= std_feat

# Preprocessing: Add a bias dimension
X_train_feats = np.hstack([X_train_feats, np.ones((X_train_feats.shape[0], 1))])
X_val_feats = np.hstack([X_val_feats, np.ones((X_val_feats.shape[0], 1))])
X_test_feats = np.hstack([X_test_feats, np.ones((X_test_feats.shape[0], 1))])

```

[illegible]

Done extracting features for 49000 / 49000 images

1.3 Train SVM on features

Using the multiclass SVM code developed earlier in the assignment, train SVMs on top of the features extracted above; this should achieve better results than training SVMs directly on top of raw pixels.

```
[23]: # Use the validation set to tune the learning rate and regularization strength

from cs231n.classifiers.linear_classifier import LinearSVM

learning_rates = [1e-9, 1e-8, 1e-7]
regularization_strengths = [5e4, 5e5, 5e6]

results = {}
best_val = -1
best_svm = None

#####
# TODO:
# Use the validation set to set the learning rate and regularization strength. #
# This should be identical to the validation that you did for the SVM; save #
# the best trained classifier in best_svm. You might also want to play #
# with different numbers of bins in the color histogram. If you are careful #
# you should be able to get accuracy of near 0.44 on the validation set. #
#####
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
for lr in learning_rates:
    for reg in regularization_strengths:
        svm = LinearSVM()
        loss_hist = svm.train(X_train_feats, y_train, learning_rate=lr,
                               reg=reg, num_iters=1500, verbose=False)
        y_train_pred = svm.predict(X_train_feats)
        y_val_pred = svm.predict(X_val_feats)
        train_acc = np.mean(y_train == y_train_pred)
        val_acc = np.mean(y_val == y_val_pred)

        results[(lr, reg)] = (train_acc, val_acc)

        if val_acc > best_val:
            best_val = val_acc
            best_svm = svm

# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****

# Print out results.
for lr, reg in sorted(results):
```

```

train_accuracy, val_accuracy = results[(lr, reg)]
print('lr %e reg %e train accuracy: %f val accuracy: %f' % (
    lr, reg, train_accuracy, val_accuracy))

print('best validation accuracy achieved: %f' % best_val)

```

```

lr 1.000000e-09 reg 5.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.103612 val accuracy: 0.100000
lr 1.000000e-09 reg 5.000000e+05 train accuracy: 0.089163 val accuracy: 0.085000
lr 1.000000e-09 reg 5.000000e+06 train accuracy: 0.415408 val accuracy: 0.420000
lr 1.000000e-08 reg 5.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.083796 val accuracy: 0.090000
lr 1.000000e-08 reg 5.000000e+05 train accuracy: 0.409184 val accuracy: 0.405000
lr 1.000000e-08 reg 5.000000e+06 train accuracy: 0.406020 val accuracy: 0.389000
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 5.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.414327 val accuracy: 0.418000
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 5.000000e+05 train accuracy: 0.400612 val accuracy: 0.421000
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 5.000000e+06 train accuracy: 0.298878 val accuracy: 0.286000
best validation accuracy achieved: 0.421000

```

```

[24]: # Evaluate your trained SVM on the test set: you should be able to get at least 0.40
y_test_pred = best_svm.predict(X_test_feats)
test_accuracy = np.mean(y_test == y_test_pred)
print(test_accuracy)

```

0.409

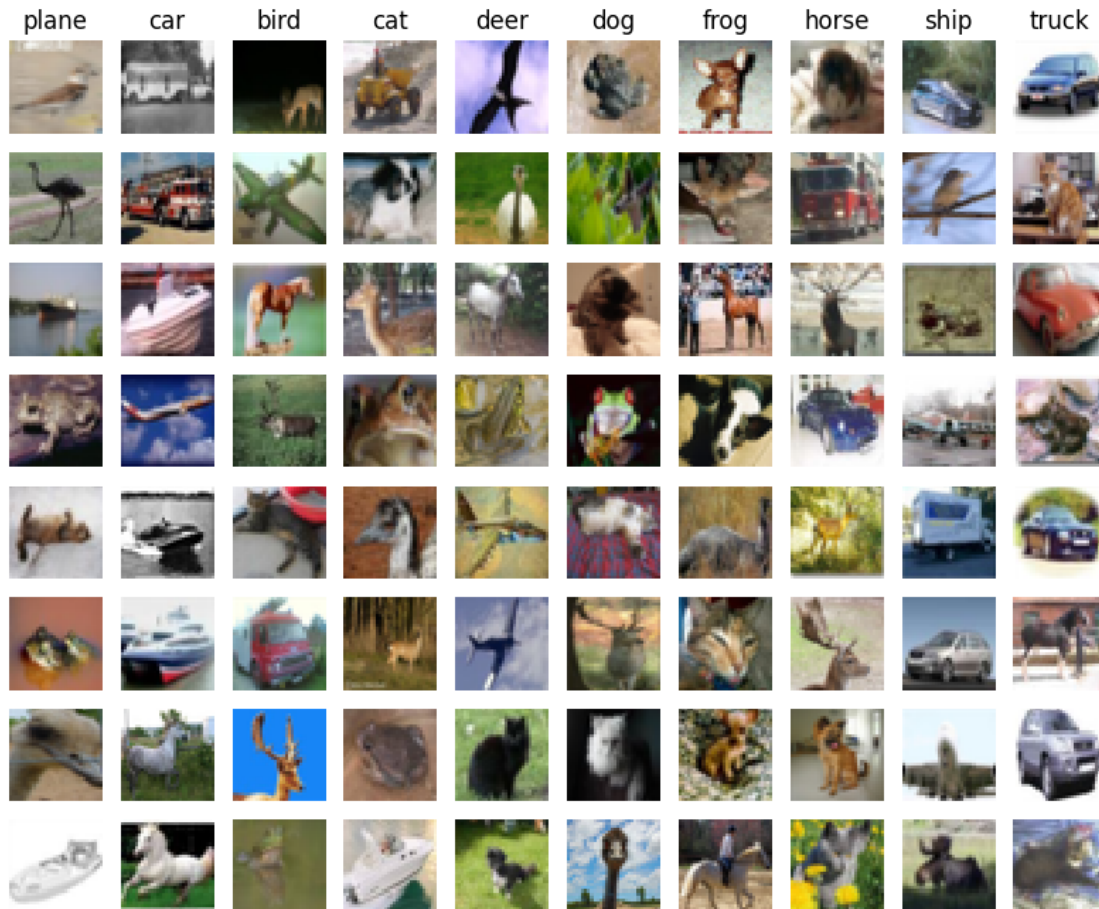
```

[25]: # An important way to gain intuition about how an algorithm works is to
# visualize the mistakes that it makes. In this visualization, we show examples
# of images that are misclassified by our current system. The first column
# shows images that our system labeled as "plane" but whose true label is
# something other than "plane".

examples_per_class = 8
classes = ['plane', 'car', 'bird', 'cat', 'deer', 'dog', 'frog', 'horse',
    'ship', 'truck']
for cls, cls_name in enumerate(classes):
    idxs = np.where((y_test != cls) & (y_test_pred == cls))[0]
    idxs = np.random.choice(idxs, examples_per_class, replace=False)
    for i, idx in enumerate(idxs):
        plt.subplot(examples_per_class, len(classes), i * len(classes) + cls + 1)

        plt.imshow(X_test[idx].astype('uint8'))
        plt.axis('off')
        if i == 0:
            plt.title(cls_name)
plt.show()

```



1.3.1 Inline question 1:

Describe the misclassification results that you see. Do they make sense?

Your Answer : Many of them do make sense. For example, some frogs, cats or birds are misclassified as dogs, probably because they all have the feature of round heads and four legs.

1.4 Neural Network on image features

Earlier in this assignment we saw that training a two-layer neural network on raw pixels achieved better classification performance than linear classifiers on raw pixels. In this notebook we have seen that linear classifiers on image features outperform linear classifiers on raw pixels.

For completeness, we should also try training a neural network on image features. This approach should outperform all previous approaches: you should easily be able to achieve over 55% classification accuracy on the test set; our best model achieves about 60% classification accuracy.

```
[26]: # Preprocessing: Remove the bias dimension
      # Make sure to run this cell only ONCE
      print(X_train_feats.shape)
```



```

X_train_feats = X_train_feats[:, :-1]
X_val_feats = X_val_feats[:, :-1]
X_test_feats = X_test_feats[:, :-1]

print(X_train_feats.shape)

```

```
(49000, 155)
```

```
(49000, 154)
```

```

[28]: from cs231n.classifiers.fc_net import TwoLayerNet
      from cs231n.solver import Solver

input_dim = X_train_feats.shape[1]
hidden_dim = 500
num_classes = 10

data = {
    'X_train': X_train_feats,
    'y_train': y_train,
    'X_val': X_val_feats,
    'y_val': y_val,
    'X_test': X_test_feats,
    'y_test': y_test,
}

net = TwoLayerNet(input_dim, hidden_dim, num_classes)
best_net = None

#####
# TODO: Train a two-layer neural network on image features. You may want to #
# cross-validate various parameters as in previous sections. Store your best #
# model in the best_net variable.                                           #
#####
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
learning_rate= [2e-1, 3.5e-1, 5e-1]
best_acc=0
regularization_strength=[1e-6, 1e-7, 2e-7]
for lr in learning_rate:
    for rs in regularization_strength:
        model=TwoLayerNet(input_dim,hidden_dim,num_classes,reg=rs)
        solver = Solver(model, data,
            ↪update_rule='sgd',optim_config={'learning_rate': lr},
            lr_decay=0.9,num_epochs=7, batch_size=200,verbose=False)
        solver.train()
        if solver.best_val_acc>best_acc:
            best_net=solver.model
            best_acc=solver.best_val_acc

```

```
print('the best validation accuracy is %f' % best_acc)
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
```

the best validation accuracy is 0.599000

[29]: *# Run your best neural net classifier on the test set. You should be able
to get more than 55% accuracy.*

```
y_test_pred = np.argmax(best_net.loss(data['X_test']), axis=1)
test_acc = (y_test_pred == data['y_test']).mean()
print(test_acc)
```

0.588