```
1 # Do not import any additional 3rd party external libraries
 2 from cProfile import label
 3 from tkinter import W
 4 from wsgiref.handlers import format date time
 5 import numpy as np
 6 import os
 7 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
9
10 class Activation(object):
11
12
13
       Interface for activation functions (non-linearities).
14
15
16
       # No additional work is needed for this class, as it acts like an
   abstract base class for the others
17
       def init (self):
18
19
           self.state = None
20
       def call (self, x):
21
22
           return self.forward(x)
23
24
       def forward(self, x):
25
           raise NotImplemented
26
27
       def derivative(self):
28
           raise NotImplemented
29
30
31 class Identity(Activation):
32
33
34
       Identity function (already implemented).
35
36
       # This class is a gimme as it is already implemented for you as an
37
   example (do not change)
38
39
       def __init__(self):
40
           super(Identity, self).__init__()
41
42
       def forward(self, x):
           self.state = x
43
44
           return x
45
46
       def derivative(self):
47
           return 1.0
48
49
50 class Sigmoid(Activation):
51
       0.00
52
53
       Sigmoid non-linearity
54
55
       def init (self):
56
           super(Sigmoid, self).__init__()
57
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58
        def forward(self, x):
 59
            # hint: save the useful data for back propagation
60
            self.state = x
61
            return 1/(1+np.exp(-x))
62
63
        def derivative(self):
64
            return self.forward(self.state)*(1-self.forward(self.state))
65
66
67 class Tanh(Activation):
68
        0.00
69
 70
        Tanh non-linearity
 71
 72
        def __init__(self):
 73
            super(Tanh, self).__init__()
 74
 75
 76
        def forward(self, x):
77
            self.state = x
            return (np.exp(x)-np.exp(-x))/(np.exp(x)+np.exp(-x))
78
 79
 80
        def derivative(self):
81
            return 1-np.power(self.forward(self.state),2)
82
83
84 class ReLU(Activation):
85
        0.000
86
87
        ReLU non-linearity
88
89
90
        def init (self):
            super(ReLU, self).__init__()
91
92
93
        def forward(self, x):
94
            self.state = x
95
            out = np.maximum(0,x)
96
            return out
97
        def derivative(self):
98
99
            out = self.state
            out[out>0] = 1
100
101
            out[out<0] = 0
102
            return out
103
104
105
106 class Criterion(object):
107
108
        Interface for loss functions.
109
110
111
112
        # Nothing needs done to this class, it's used by the following Criterion
    classes
113
        def __init__(self):
114
115
            self.logits = None
            self.labels = None
116
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117
            self.loss = None
118
119
        def call (self, x, y):
120
            return self.forward(x, y)
121
122
        def forward(self, x, y):
123
            raise NotImplemented
124
125
        def derivative(self):
126
            raise NotImplemented
127
128
129 class SoftmaxCrossEntropy(Criterion):
130
131
132
        Softmax loss
133
134
        def init__(self):
135
136
            super(SoftmaxCrossEntropy, self). init ()
137
            # you can add variables if needed
138
139
        def softmax(self, x):
140
            ex = np.exp(x)
141
            return ex/np.sum(ex)
142
143
        def forward(self, x, y):
144
            self.logits = x
145
            self.labels = y
146
            out shape = y.shape[0]
            soft = self.softmax(self.logits)
147
148
            self.loss = np.sum(-
   np.log(soft[range(out shape),np.argmax(y,axis=1)]))/out shape
149
            return self.loss
150
151
        def derivative(self):
152
            grad = self.softmax(self.logits)
153
            out shape = self.labels
154
            out shape = out shape.shape[0]
            grad[range(out shape),np.argmax(self.labels,axis=1)] -= 1
155
156
            return grad/out shape
157
158
159 # randomly intialize the weight matrix with dimension d0 x d1 via Normal
    distribution
160 def random normal weight init(d0, d1):
        return np.random.normal(size=(d0,d1))
161
162
163
164 # initialize a d-dimensional bias vector with all zeros
165 def zeros bias init(d):
        return np.zeros(d)
166
167
168
169 class MLP(object):
170
        0.00
171
172
        A simple multilayer perceptron
173
        (feel free to add class functions if needed)
174
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175
176
       def init (self, input size, output size, hiddens, activations,
   weight init fn, bias init fn, criterion, lr):
177
178
            # Don't change this -->
179
            self.train mode = True
180
            self.nlayers = len(hiddens) + 1
181
            self.input_size = input_size
182
            self.output size = output size
183
            self.activations = activations
184
            self.criterion = criterion
185
            self.lr = lr
186
            # <----
187
188
            # Don't change the name of the following class attributes
189
            self.nn dim = [input size] + hiddens + [output size]
190
            # list containing Weight matrices of each layer, each should be a
   np.array
191
            self.W = [weight init fn(self.nn dim[i], self.nn dim[i+1]) for i in
    range(self.nlayers)]
192
            # list containing derivative of Weight matrices of each layer, each
    should be a np.array
193
            self.dW = [np.zeros like(weight) for weight in self.W]
194
            # list containing bias vector of each layer, each should be a
   np.array
195
            self.b = [bias init fn(self.nn dim[i+1]) for i in
    range(self.nlayers)]
196
            # list containing derivative of bias vector of each layer, each
   should be a np.array
197
            self.db = [np.zeros like(bias) for bias in self.b]
198
199
            # You can add more variables if needed
200
            self.f data= np.zeros(output size)
            self.Zn = [0]*len(self.W)
201
            self.An = [0]*len(self.W)
202
203
            self.input = 0
204
205
       def forward(self, x):
206
            out = x
            self.input = x
207
208
            for i,w in enumerate(self.W):
209
                out = out@w+self.b[i]
                self.Zn[i] = out
210
                out = self.activations[i](out)
211
212
                self.An[i] = out
213
            self.f data = out
214
215
216
       def zero grads(self):
            self.dW = np.zeros_like(self.dW)
217
218
            self.b = np.zeros like(self.b)
219
220
       def step(self):
221
            self.W = [w - self.lr*dw for (w,dw) in zip(self.W,self.dW)]
222
            self.b = [b - self.lr*db for (b,db) in zip(self.b,self.db)]
223
224
       def backward(self, labels):
225
            if self.train mode:
226
                # calculate dW and db only under training mode
                loss = self.get loss(labels)
227
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228
                for l in range(self.nlayers-1,-1,-1):
229
                    self.activations[l].state = self.Zn[l]
230
                    if l!=(self.nlayers-1):
231
                        dl = self.activations[l].derivative()*
    (self.W[l+1]@dl.T).T
232
                    else:
233
                        dl = (self.An[l]-labels)*self.activations[l].derivative()
234
                    self.db[l] = np.mean(dl,axis=0,keepdims=False)
235
                    if l!=0:
236
                        self.dW[l] = self.An[l-1].T @ dl
237
                    else:
238
                        self.dW[l] = (self.input).T @ dl
239
            return
240
241
        def call (self, x):
242
            return self.forward(x)
243
244
        def train(self):
245
            # training mode
246
            self.train mode = True
247
        def eval(self):
248
249
            # evaluation mode
250
            self.train mode = False
251
252
        def get loss(self, labels):
253
            # return the current loss value given labels
254
            return self.criterion(self.f_data,labels)
255
256
        def get_error(self, labels):
257
            # return the number of incorrect preidctions gievn labels
258
            pred = self.criterion.softmax(self.f data)
259
            pred = np.argmax(pred,axis=1)
260
            labels correct = np.argmax(labels,axis=1)
261
            return np.sum(pred!=labels correct)
262
263
        def save model(self, path='p1 model.npz'):
            # save the parameters of MLP (do not change)
264
265
            np.savez(path, self.W, self.b)
266
267
268 # Don't change this function
269 def get_training_stats(mlp, dset, nepochs, batch_size):
        train, val, test = dset
270
271
        trainx, trainy = train
272
        valx, valy = val
273
        testx, testy = test
274
275
        idxs = np.arange(len(trainx))
276
277
        training losses = []
        training errors = []
278
279
        validation_losses = []
280
        validation_errors = []
281
282
        for e in range(nepochs):
            print("epoch: ", e)
283
            train loss = 0
284
285
            train_error = 0
286
            val loss = 0
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287
            val error = 0
            num train = len(trainx)
288
289
            num val = len(valx)
290
291
            for b in range(0, num train, batch size):
292
                mlp.train()
293
                mlp(trainx[b:b+batch_size])
294
                mlp.backward(trainy[b:b+batch_size])
295
                mlp.step()
296
                train loss += mlp.get loss(trainy[b:b+batch size])
297
                train error += mlp.get error(trainy[b:b+batch size])
298
            training_losses += [train_loss/num_train]
299
            training_errors += [train_error/num_train]
            print("training loss: ", train loss/num train)
300
            print("training error: ", train_error/num_train)
301
302
303
            for b in range(0, num_val, batch_size):
304
                mlp.eval()
305
                mlp(valx[b:b+batch size])
306
                val loss += mlp.get loss(valy[b:b+batch size])
307
                val_error += mlp.get_error(valy[b:b+batch_size])
            validation_losses += [val_loss/num_val]
308
309
            validation errors += [val error/num val]
            print("validation loss: ", val_loss/num_val)
310
            print("validation error: ", val_error/num_val)
311
312
313
        test_loss = 0
        test error = 0
314
315
        num test = len(testx)
316
        for b in range(0, num_test, batch_size):
            mlp.eval()
317
318
            mlp(testx[b:b+batch size])
            test_loss += mlp.get_loss(testy[b:b+batch size])
319
320
            test error += mlp.get error(testy[b:b+batch size])
321
        test loss /= num test
322
        test error /= num_test
        print("test loss: ", test_loss)
print("test error: ", test_error)
323
324
325
326
        return (training losses, training errors, validation losses,
    validation errors)
327
328
329 # get ont hot key encoding of the label (no need to change this function)
330 def get one hot(in array, one hot dim):
331
        dim = in array.shape[0]
332
        out array = np.zeros((dim, one hot dim))
333
        for i in range(dim):
334
            idx = int(in_array[i])
335
            out array[i, idx] = 1
336
        return out array
337
338
339 def main():
340
        # load the mnist dataset from csv files
341
        image size = 28 # width and length of mnist image
        num labels = 10 # i.e. 0, 1, 2, 3, ..., 9
342
343
        image_pixels = image_size * image_size
        data_path = "mnist/"
344
345
        train data = np.loadtxt(data path + "mnist train.csv", delimiter=",")
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346
        test data = np.loadtxt(data path + "mnist test.csv", delimiter=",")
347
348
        # rescale image from 0-255 to 0-1
349
        fac = 1.0 / 255
350
        train imgs = np.asfarray(train data[:50000, 1:]) * fac
351
        val imgs = np.asfarray(train data[50000:, 1:]) * fac
352
        test_imgs = np.asfarray(test_data[:, 1:]) * fac
353
        train_labels = np.asfarray(train_data[:50000, :1])
354
        val labels = np.asfarray(train data[50000:, :1])
355
        test labels = np.asfarray(test data[:, :1])
356
357
       # convert labels to one-hot-key encoding
358
        train_labels = get_one_hot(train_labels, num_labels)
359
        val labels = get one hot(val labels, num labels)
360
        test labels = get one hot(test labels, num labels)
361
362
        print(train imgs.shape)
363
        print(train_labels.shape)
364
        print(val_imgs.shape)
365
        print(val labels.shape)
        print(test imgs.shape)
366
367
        print(test_labels.shape)
368
369
        dataset = [
370
            [train imgs, train labels],
371
            [val imgs, val labels],
372
            [test_imgs, test_labels]
373
        ]
374
375
       # These are only examples of parameters you can start with
376
       # you can tune these parameters to improve the performance of your MLP
       # this is the only part you need to change in main() function
377
378
       hiddens = [128, 64]
        activations = [Sigmoid(), Sigmoid(), Sigmoid()]
379
380
        lr = 0.05
381
        num epochs = 100
382
        batch size = 8
383
384
       # build your MLP model
        mlp = MLP(
385
386
            input size=image pixels,
387
            output size=num labels,
388
            hiddens=hiddens,
389
            activations=activations,
390
            weight init fn=random normal weight init,
            bias_init_fn=zeros bias init,
391
392
            criterion=SoftmaxCrossEntropy(),
393
            lr=lr
394
        )
395
396
        # train the neural network
397
        losses = get training stats(mlp, dataset, num epochs, batch size)
398
399
       # save the parameters
400
       mlp.save model()
401
402
        # visualize the training and validation loss with epochs
        training_losses, training_errors, validation_losses, validation_errors =
403
    losses
404
```

```
405
        fig, (ax1, ax2) = plt.subplots(1, 2)
406
407
        ax1.plot(training_losses, color='blue', label="training")
408
        ax1.plot(validation_losses, color='red', label='validation')
409
        ax1.set title('Loss during training')
410
        ax1.set_xlabel('epoch')
        ax1.set_ylabel('loss')
411
412
        ax1.legend()
413
        ax2.plot(training_errors, color='blue', label="training")
414
415
        ax2.plot(validation_errors, color='red', label="validation")
416
        ax2.set_title('Error during training')
417
        ax2.set_xlabel('epoch')
418
        ax2.set ylabel('error')
419
        ax2.legend()
420
421
        plt.show()
422
423
424 if __name__ == "__main__":
425
        main()
```

After training the model I got the following results:

test loss: 0.4501668806899434

test error: 0.0484

Hyperparameter tuning that I carried out to tune the model:

I Initially started with a model with only one hidden layer to test out if the accuracy could still be achieved but that did not work out. Then I reverted back to the starting model with two hidden layers. I slowly increased the epochs as I was getting increasing accuracy with increase in epochs. I managed to get good test results (<5% test error) for 100 epochs and hence I did not tweak other parameters such as learning rate or batch size to further try and tune the model.



