In-Lab:

Lab Task 1:

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# Import necessary libraries
from keras.models import Sequential
from keras.layers import Conv2D, MaxPooling2D, Flatten, Dense
from keras.datasets import mnist
from keras.utils import to_categorical
```

Lab Task 2:

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# Load and preprocess the MNIST dataset
(train_images, train_labels), (test_images, test_labels) =
mnist.load_data()
# Reshape and normalize the images
train_images = train_images.reshape((60000, 28, 28,
1)).astype('float32') / 255
test_images = test_images.reshape((10000, 28, 28,
1)).astype('float32') / 255
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Lab Task 3:

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# One-hot encode the labels
train_labels = to_categorical (train_labels)
test_labels = to_categorical (test_labels)
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Lab Task 4:

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# Build the CNN model
model = Sequential()
# Step 1: Convolutional Layer with ReLU activation
model.add(Conv2D(32, (3, 3), activation='relu', input shape=(28, 28,
# Step 2: Max Pooling Layer
model.add(MaxPooling2D((2, 2)))
# Step 3: Convolutional Layer with ReLU activation
model.add(Conv2D(64, (3, 3), activation='relu'))
# Step 4: Max Pooling Layer
model.add(MaxPooling2D((2, 2)))
# Step 5: Flatten Layer
model.add(Flatten())
# Step 6: Dense (Fully Connected) Layer with ReLU activation
model.add(Dense (64, activation='relu'))
# Step 7: Output Layer with Softmax activation (for multi-class
classification)
model.add(Dense (10, activation='softmax'))
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Lab Task 5:

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model.compile(optimizer='adam',loss='categorical_crossentropy',
metrics=['accuracy'])
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Lab Task 6:

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# Train the model
model.fit(train_images, train_labels, epochs=5, batch_size=64,
validation_data=(test_images,
test_labels))

test_loss, test_acc = model.evaluate(test_images, test_labels)
print(f'Test Accuracy: {round(test_acc,4)}')
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Output:

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313/313 [====================] - 3s 9ms/step - loss: 0.0276 - accuracy: 0.9897
Test Accuracy: 0.9897
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