

# Manual Neural Network

This is really cool, and it's something I've wanted to do. I've got this and several other ways to do a similar thing. This one gets done first. It's going to mimic the TensorFlow API. When I get back to TensorFlow, I should have a better understanding.

From Jose

In this notebook we will manually build out a neural network that mimics the TensorFlow API. This will greatly help your understanding when working with the real TensorFlow!

## Some Info About super() and Object Oriented Programming in General

```
In [ ]: class SimpleClassLecture0():  
  
    def __init__(self):  
        print("hello")  
    ##endof: __init__(self)  
  
##endof: SimpleClassLecture0
```

```
In [ ]: s = "world"
```

```
In [ ]: type(s)
```

```
In [ ]: # s.<then press [Tab]>  
# Gives a list of methods
```

```
In [ ]: x0 = SimpleClassLecture0
```

```
In [ ]: x0 # what we get without the parentheses - __init__ doesn't get called
```

```
In [ ]: x0 = SimpleClassLecture0()
```

```
In [ ]: x0 # Instance of SimpleClassLecture and where it exists in memory
```

```
In [ ]: class SimpleClassLecture1():  
  
    def __init__(self):  
        print("hello")  
    ##endof: __init__(self)  
  
    def yell(self):  
        print("YELLING")  
    ##endof: yell(self)  
  
    ##endof: SimpleClassLecture1
```

```
In [ ]: x1 = SimpleClassLecture1()
```

```
In [ ]: # I'm going to type 'x1.' then hit [Tab].  
#+ it will autocomplete 'x1.yell', after  
#+ which I'll add the parenthesis  
x1.yell()
```

```
In [ ]: # Now, I'll just type it all out.  
x1.yell()
```

```
In [ ]: ## adding in this illustration. These first calls will work fine.
        sc = SimpleClassLecture1()
        print(--- some separation ---)
        sc.yell()
```

```
In [ ]: ## continuing with the illustration. This is called
        ##+ as if it were the lecture notes. It will throw
        ##+ an error/exception/whatever-you-want-to-call-it
        sc_oops = SimpleClassLecture1("Basket Weaving 101")
        print(--- some separation ---) # won't execute b/c error before
        sc_oops.yell()                  # won't execute b/c error before
```

OUTPUT (error) should be

```
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TypeError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-87-6c1cabf9d07d> in <module>()
      2 ##+ as if it were the lecture notes. It will throw
      3 ##+ an error/exception/whatever-you-want-to-call-it
----> 4 sc_oops = SimpleClassLecture1("Basket Weaving 101")
      5 print(--- some separation ---) # won't execute b/c error before
      6 sc_oops.yell()                  # won't execute b/c error before
```

TypeError: \_\_init\_\_() takes 1 positional argument but 2 were given

**Remember the code:**

```
class SimpleClassLecture1():  
  
    def __init__(self):  
        print("hello")  
    ##endof: __init__(self)  
  
    def yell(self):  
        print("YELLING")  
    ##endof: yell(self)  
  
##endof: SimpleClassLecture1
```

```
In [ ]: class ExtendedClassLecture0(SimpleClassLecture1):  
  
    def __init__(self):  
  
        print("EXTEND!")  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self)  
  
##endof: ExtendedClassLecture0(SimpleClassLecture1)
```

```
In [ ]: y0 = ExtendedClassLecture0()  
# Remember, there's no 'super' call for '__init__'
```

```
In [ ]: # No 'super' with '__init__', but other things work  
y0.yell()
```

Now, let's use the `super` keyword.

```
In [ ]: class ExtendedClassLecture1(SimpleClassLecture1):

    def __init__(self):

        super().__init__()
        print("EXTEND!")
    ##endof: __init__(self)

    ##endof: ExtendedClassLecture(SimpleClassLecture)
```

```
In [ ]: y1 = ExtendedClassLecture1()
```

```
In [ ]: y1.yell()
```

Here, we're going to add an argument to the SimpleClass \_\_init\_\_ (i.e. its constructor). Since this is the final state in which Jose leaves it, I'm going to use SimpleClassLecture instead of continuing with SimpleClassLecture2 . I'll do similarly with the extended class - using ExtendedClassLecture instead of staying with the pattern and using ExtendedClassLecture2 .

```
In [ ]: class SimpleClassLecture():

    def __init__(self, name):
        print("hello " + name) # Jose put the space here, which
                               #+ I consider the correct place.
                               #+ a minute or so after 1701113954_2023-11-27T123914-0700
    ##endof: __init__(self)

    def yell(self):
        print("YELLING")
    ##endof: yell(self)

    ##endof: SimpleClassLecture1
```

```
In [ ]: x = SimpleClassLecture("Dave")
```

```
In [ ]: x.yell()
```

```
In [ ]: class ExtendedClassLecture(SimpleClassLecture):  
  
    def __init__(self):  
        super().__init__("Davidushka!")  
        print("EXTEND!")  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self)  
  
    ##endof: ExtendedClassLecture(SimpleClassLecture)
```

```
In [ ]: y = ExtendedClassLecture()
```

```
In [ ]: y.yell()
```

### From the class material

```
In [ ]: class SimpleClass():  
  
    def __init__(self, str_input):  
        # DWB: I'm not fixing his lack of space after "SIMPLE".  
        #+      1701111285_2023-11-27T115445-0700  
        print("SIMPLE" + str_input)  
    ##endof: __init__(self, str_input)  
  
    ##endof: SimpleClass
```

I'll do the same two illustrations.

```
In [ ]: sc = SimpleClass() # will throw an error
```

OUTPUT:

```
-----
TypeError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-29-1a19d7d610fd> in <module>()
----> 1 sc = SimpleClass() # will throw an error

TypeError: __init__() missing 1 required positional argument: 'str_input'
```

```
In [ ]: ## This one should work fine, though the lack of a space between
##+ "SIMPLE" and "Basket Weaving 101" - i.e.
##+ "SIMPLEBasket Weaving 101", grates on my nerves a bit. Q&R
sc = SimpleClass("Basket Weaving 101")
```

Remember the code (defined in the lecture notes)

```
class SimpleClass():

    def __init__(self, str_input):
        # DWB: I'm not fixing his lack of space after "SIMPLE".
        #+      1701111285_2023-11-27T115445-0700
        print("SIMPLE" + str_input)
    ##endof: __init__(self, str_input)

##endof: SimpleClass
```

```
In [ ]: class ExtendedClassNoSuper(SimpleClass):

        def __init__(self):
            print('EXTENDED')
        ## endof: __init__(self)

    ##endof: ExtendedClassNoSuper
```

```
In [ ]: s = ExtendedClassNoSuper()
```

With the output, remember that we *overwrote* the `__init__(self)` method.

What I'll call `ExtendedClass` is building upon the `ExtendedClassNoSuper` code. I could have added `Super` at the end (`ExtendedClassSuper`), or I could have done as the lecture notes did and call both `ExtendedClass`, with one replacing the other. Anyway, `ExtendedClass` will use `super`.

```
In [ ]: # remember to use 'class' instead of 'def'
        #+ (Oops, DWB 1701111919_2023-11-27T120519-0700)

        class ExtendedClass(SimpleClass):

            def __init__(self):

                super().__init__(" My String") # Jose puts the space in the string here.
                print('EXTENDED')

            ##endof: def __init__(self)

        ##endof: ExtendedClass
```

```
In [ ]: s = ExtendedClass()
```



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**We've finished learning some OOP stuff - now for the Manual NN**

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## Operation

### Lecture Version - with Dave's additions

```
In [1]: class Operation():  
  
    def __init__(self, input_nodes=[], do_show_steps=True):  
  
        if do_show_steps:  
            dashes = "-"*50  
            print("\n\n" + dashes)  
            print("In __init__")  
            print()  
        ##endof: if do_show_steps  
  
        self.input_nodes = input_nodes  
  
        if do_show_steps:
```

```

        print("\n Now,    self.input_nodes = ")
        print("        " + str(self.input_nodes))
        print()
    ##endof:  if do_show_steps

    self.output_nodes = []

    for node in input_nodes:
        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n Current node is:")
            print("        node = " + str(node))
            print()
        ##endof:  if do_show_steps

        node.output_nodes.append(self)

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n After assignment, node.output_nodes.append(self)")
            print("        node = " + str(node))
            print()
            print(dashes)
            print()
        ##endof:  if do_show_steps

    ##endof:  for node in input_nodes

    if do_show_steps:
        print("\n Before appending self to _default_graph,")
        print("        _default_graph = ")
        print("        " + str(_default_graph))
        print()
    ##endof:  if do_show_steps

    _default_graph.operations.append(self) # Came back to add this
                                           #+ after we had created
                                           #+ the graph class

    if do_show_steps:
        print("\n After appending self to _default_graph,")
        print("        _default_graph = ")
        print("        " + str(_default_graph))
        print()
    ##endof:  if do_show_steps

```

```
##endof: __init__(self, input_nodes=[]):  
  
def compute(self):  
    pass  
##endof: compute(self)  
  
##endof: Operation
```

## Course Notes Version

```
In [2]: class OperationCNV():
    '''
    An Operation is a node in a "Graph". TensorFlow will also use this concept of a Graph.

    This Operation class will be inherited by other classes that actually compute the specific
    operation, such as adding or matrix multiplication.
    '''

    def __init__(self, input_nodes=[]):
        '''
        Initialize an Operation
        '''

        self.input_nodes = input_nodes # The list of input nodes coming in to the node
        self.output_nodes = []         # List of nodes that will consume the output
                                       #+ of this node

        # For every node in the input, we append this operation (self) to the list of
        #+ to the list of the input nodes' consumers (i.e. this operation becomes an
        #+ output node)
        for node in input_nodes:
            node.output_nodes.append(self)
        ##endof: for node in input_nodes

        # There will be a global default graph (TensorFlow works this way)
        #+ We will append this particular operation (to the global default graph)
        #
        # Append this operation to the list of operations in the currently-active
        #+ default graph
        _default_graph.operations.append(self)

    ##endof: __init__(self, input_nodes=[])

    def compute(self):
        '''
        This is a placeholder function. It will be overwritten by the actual specific operation
        that inherits from this class
        '''
```

```
        pass  
  
    ##endof:  compute(self)  
  
##endof:  class OperationCNV()
```

## Example Operations

### Addition

Lecture Version - with Dave's additions

```
In [3]: class Add(Operation):

    def __init__(self, x, y, do_show_steps=True):
        if do_show_steps:
            dashes = "-"*35
            print(dashes)
            print("\n Initializing an  Add  operation")
            print()
        ##endof:  if do_show_steps
        super().__init__(x, y)
    ##endof:  __init__(self, x, y)

    def compute(self, x_var, y_var):

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n Now, computing the  Add  operation ")
            print()
        ##endof:  if do_show_steps

        self.inputs = [x_var, y_var]

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n Now,  self.inputs = ")
            print("      " + str(self.inputs))
            print()
        ##endof:  if do_show_steps

        result_of_add = x_var + y_var

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n We will return")
            print("      result_of_add = " + str(result_of_add))
            dashes = "-"*35
            print(dashes)
            print()
        ##endof:  if do_show_steps

        return result_of_add

    ##endof:  compute(self, x_var, y_var):

##endof:  class Add(Operation)
```

## Course Notes Version

```
In [4]: class addCNV(OperationCNV):  
  
    def __init__(self, x, y):  
        super().__init__([x, y])  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self, x, y)  
  
    def compute(self, x_var, y_var):  
        self.inputs = [x_var, y_var]  
        return x_var + y_var  
  
    ##endof: compute(self, x_var, y_var)  
  
    ##endof: addCNV(OperationCNV)
```

## Multiplication

### Lecture Version - with Dave's additions

```
In [5]: class Multiply(Operation):

    def __init__(self, x, y, do_show_steps=True):
        if do_show_steps:
            dashes = "-"*35
            print(dashes)
            print("\n Initializing a Multiply operation")
            print()
        ##endof: if do_show_steps
        super().__init__(x, y)
    ##endof: __init__(self, x, y)

    def compute(self, x_var, y_var):

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n Now, computing the Multiply operation ")
            print()
        ##endof: if do_show_steps

        self.inputs = [x_var, y_var]

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n Now, self.inputs = ")
            print(" " + str(self.inputs))
            print()
        ##endof: if do_show_steps

        result_of_multiply = x_var * y_var

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n We will return")
            print(" result_of_multiply = " + str(result_of_multiply))
            dashes = "-"*35
            print(dashes)
            print()
        ##endof: if do_show_steps

        return result_of_multiply

    ##endof: compute(self, x_var, y_var):

##endof: class Multiply(Operation)
```



## Course Notes Version

```
In [6]: class multiplyCNV(OperationCNV):  
  
    def __init__(self, a, b):  
        super().__init__([a, b])  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self, a, b)  
  
    def compute(self, a_var, b_var):  
        self.inputs = [a_var, b_var]  
        return a_var * b_var  
  
    ##endof: compute(self, a_var, b_var)  
  
    ##endof: multiplyCNV(OperationCNV)
```

## Matrix Multiplication

### Lecture Version - with Dave's additions

```

In [7]: class MatMul(Operation):

    def __init__(self, x, y, do_show_steps=True):
        if do_show_steps:
            dashes = "-"*35
            print(dashes)
            print("\n Initializing a MatMul operation")
            print()
        ##endof: if do_show_steps
        super().__init__(x, y)
    ##endof: __init__(self, x, y)

    def compute(self, x_var, y_var):

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n Now, computing the MatMul operation ")
            print()
        ##endof: if do_show_steps

        self.inputs = [x_var, y_var]

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n Now, self.inputs = ")
            print(" " + str(self.inputs))
            print()
        ##endof: if do_show_steps

        # We're assuming we have numpy arrays (matrices), so we can
        #+ use the var.dot() operation
        result_of_matmul = x_var.dot(y_var)

        if do_show_steps:
            print("\n We will return")
            print(" result_of_matmul = " + str(result_of_matmul))
            dashes = "-"*35
            print(dashes)
            print()
        ##endof: if do_show_steps

        return result_of_matmul

    ##endof: compute(self, x_var, y_var):

```

```
##endof: class MatMul(Operation)
```

## Course Notes Version

```
In [8]: class matmulCNV(OperationCNV):  
  
    def __init__(self, a, b):  
        super().__init__([a, b])  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self, a, b)  
  
    def compute(self, a_mat, b_mat):  
        self.inputs = [a_mat, b_mat]  
        return a_mat.dot(b_mat)  
  
    ##endof: compute(self, a_mat, b_mat)  
  
    ##endof: matmulCNV(OperationCNV)
```

## Placeholders

Lecture Version - with (maybe) Dave's additions

```
In [9]: class Placeholder():  
  
    def __init__(self):  
  
        self.output_nodes = []  
  
        _default_graph.placeholders.append(self) # this is added in during  
                                                  #+ the course of the lecture.  
                                                  #+ whereas those before  
                                                  #+ weren't  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self)  
  
    ##endof: Placeholder()
```

### Course Notes Version

```
In [10]: class PlaceholderCNV():  
    '''  
    A placeholder is a node that needs to be provided a value for  
    computing the output in the graph.  
    '''  
  
    def __init__(self):  
  
        self.output_nodes = []  
  
        _default_graph.placeholders.append(self) # this is added in during  
                                                  #+ the course of the lecture.  
                                                  #+ whereas those before  
                                                  #+ weren't  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self)  
  
    ##endof: PlaceholderCNV()
```

# Variables

## Lecture Version - with (maybe) Dave's additions

```
In [11]: class Variable():  
  
    def __init__(self, initial_value=None):  
  
        self.value = initial_value  
        self.output_nodes = []  
  
        _default_graph.variables.append(self)  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self, initial_value=None)  
  
##endof: class Variable
```

## Course Notes Version

```
In [12]: class VariableCNV():  
    '''  
    This variable is a changeable parameter of the Graph.  
    (Jose said we can think of it as a weight.)  
    '''  
  
    def __init__(self, initial_value=None):  
  
        self.value = initial_value  
        self.output_nodes = []  
  
        _default_graph.variables.append(self)  
  
    ##endof: __init__(self, initial_value=None)  
  
##endof: VariableCNV()
```

# Graph

## Lecture Version - with (maybe) Dave's additions

```
In [13]: class Graph():

    def __init__(self):

        self.operations = []
        self.placeholders = []
        self.variables = []

    ##endof: __init__(self)

    def set_as_default(self):

        global _default_graph
        _default_graph = self

    ##endof: set_as_default(self)

##endof: Graph()
```

## Course Notes Version

```
In [14]: class GraphCNV():
    '''
    No docstring in the course notes
    '''

    def __init__(self):

        self.operations = []
        self.placeholders = []
        self.variables = []

    ##endof: def __init__(self)

    def set_as_default(self):
        '''
        Sets this Graph instance as the Global Default Graph
        '''

        global _default_graph
        _default_graph = self

    ##endof: set_as_default(self)

    ##endof: GraphCNV()
```

## A Basic Graph

$$z = Ax + b$$

With  $A = 10$  and  $b = 1$

$$z = 10x + 1$$

Just need a placeholder for  $x$  and then, once  $x$  is filled in, we can solve it!

```
In [15]: g = Graph()
```

```
In [16]: g.set_as_default()
```

```
In [17]: A = Variable(10)
```

```
In [18]: b = Variable(1)
```

```
In [19]: # Jose says, "Will be filled out later"  
x = Placeholder()
```



```
In [20]: y = Multiply(A, x)
```

-----  
Initializing a Multiply operation

-----  
In \_\_init\_\_

Now, self.input\_nodes =  
[<\_\_main\_\_.Variable object at 0x000001C66DF97080>, <\_\_main\_\_.Placeholder object at 0x000001C66DF97518>]

Current node is:  
node = <\_\_main\_\_.Variable object at 0x000001C66DF97080>

After assignment, node.output\_nodes.append(self)  
node = <\_\_main\_\_.Variable object at 0x000001C66DF97080>

-----  
Current node is:  
node = <\_\_main\_\_.Placeholder object at 0x000001C66DF97518>

After assignment, node.output\_nodes.append(self)  
node = <\_\_main\_\_.Placeholder object at 0x000001C66DF97518>

-----  
Before appending self to \_default\_graph,  
\_default\_graph =  
    <\_\_main\_\_.Graph object at 0x000001C66DF972E8>

After appending self to \_default\_graph,  
\_default\_graph =

```
<__main__.Graph object at 0x000001C66DF972E8>
```

In [21]: `z = Add(y, b)`

-----  
Initializing an Add operation

-----  
In \_\_init\_\_

Now, self.input\_nodes =  
[<\_\_main\_\_.Multiply object at 0x000001C66DF97160>, <\_\_main\_\_.Variable object at 0x000001C66DF97320>]

Current node is:  
node = <\_\_main\_\_.Multiply object at 0x000001C66DF97160>

After assignment, node.output\_nodes.append(self)  
node = <\_\_main\_\_.Multiply object at 0x000001C66DF97160>

-----  
Current node is:  
node = <\_\_main\_\_.Variable object at 0x000001C66DF97320>

After assignment, node.output\_nodes.append(self)  
node = <\_\_main\_\_.Variable object at 0x000001C66DF97320>

-----  
Before appending self to \_default\_graph,  
\_default\_graph =  
    <\_\_main\_\_.Graph object at 0x000001C66DF972E8>

After appending self to \_default\_graph,  
\_default\_graph =

<\_\_main\_\_.Graph object at 0x000001C66DF972E8>

## A Comment or 2

Now, we just need to actually compute the  $z$ . We need to add in 1) a traverse-post-order function, which allows a post order traversal of nodes, which is necessary to make sure the computation is done in the correct order; 2) a Session class, which actually executes this graph.

## The Basic Graph with the Course Notes Version

```
In [22]: g_CNV = GraphCNV()
```

```
In [23]: g_CNV.set_as_default()
```

```
In [24]: A_CNV = VariableCNV(10)
```

```
In [25]: b_CNV = VariableCNV(1)
```

```
In [26]: x_CNV = PlaceholderCNV()
```

```
In [27]: y_CNV = multiplyCNV(A_CNV, x_CNV)
```

```
In [28]: z_CNV = addCNV(y_CNV, b_CNV)
```

**We got here, and everything computes**, both for my lecture version and the course notes version. When I go through the next lecture, I'll comment out the Course Notes Version. I might come back and do the Course Notes Version. The problem now isn't the same variable names (though I added '\_CNV' to all of them) - it's the `Graph.set_as_default` function.

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# Session

## Lecture Version - with Dave's additions

In [ ]:

## Course Notes Version

In [ ]:

## Traversing Operation Nodes

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

Let's try it!

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

Now, some matrix multiplication

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

## Activation Function

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

## Sigmoid as an Operation

### Lecture Version - with Dave's additions

In [ ]:

### Course Notes Version

In [ ]:



## Classification Example

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

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In [ ]:

## Defining the Perceptron

blah!

## Convert to a Matrix Representation of Features

blah! Strong Bad. blah!

## Example Point

and blah! again.

In [ ]:

something else

In [ ]:

## Using an Example Session Graph

In [ ]:

In [ ]:

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*That's all for now, folks!*

In [ ]: