## **Report for Assignment #2**

### **Question 1**

#### Part A

Learning rate is chosen as 0.15. Mini-batch size is 100. Epoch number is chosen considerably high to observe convergence. At the end of each mini-batch, there is weight updates. Number of neurons in hidden layer is chosen as 10. Hyperbolic tangent activation function is used in hidden layer and output layer as given in the assignment.

Mean squared error (MSE) and mean classification error (MCE) is calculated at the end of each epoch separately. First neuron of output layer is for car and second neuron of output layer is for car classification. MSE and classification errors are shown in Fig. 1.

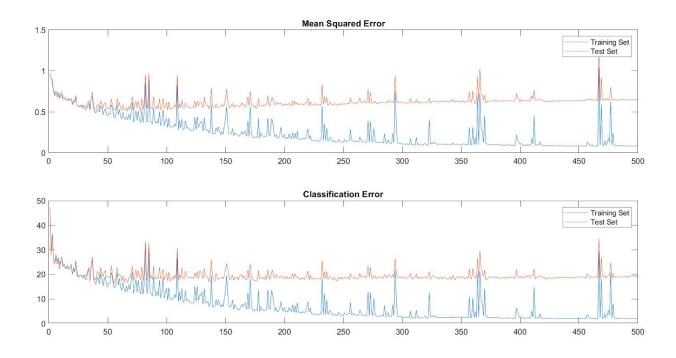


Fig. 1. Comparison of Mean Squared Error and Classification Error of Training Set and Test Set

#### Part B

The neural network is trained with the training set, therefore it was expected that the mean squared error and classification error was going to decrease as epoch number decreased. However, error metrics do not decrease for the test set after around 50 epochs. Mean squared error starts increasing after around 50 epochs. This shows the neural network started to

overfit and could not generalize to the test set. Epoch number is too high and the neural network is forced for convergence.

Mean squared error and classification error follow the same trend in Fig. 1. Convergence of error metrics are in the same trend, but it is not possible to guess one form another numerically. We can only say mean squared error has convergence after a certain epoch number, which is around 50 epochs in our case, and classification error will converge to its best value possible as well around 50 epochs.

#### Part C

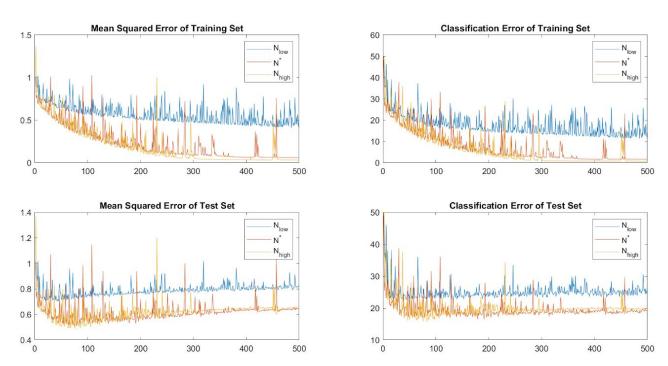


Fig. 2. MSE and Classification Error with Different Hidden Layer Neuron Numbers

The trends of error metrics for convergence are similar with  $N_{low}$ ,  $N^*$  and  $N_{high}$ .  $N_{low}$  is 2,  $N^*$  is 10, and  $N_{high}$  is 50. Worst performance of MSE and classification error is with  $N_{low}$ . It converges faster at an unacceptably high value for error metrics. When the hidden neuron number is the highest, we observe the best performance for the training set but the optimal hidden neuron number gives better results for the test set. The reason is with more neurons, the neural network memorizes better for the training set and cannot generalize for the test set. Still, the difference between optimal and low case is not very large. Similar to Fig. 1, error metrics decrease until convergence for training set. For the test set, it decreases, and starts increasing until convergence.

### Part D

In Part D, we add one more hidden layer and implement backpropagation similar to Part A. Learning rate is again selected as 1.15. Hidden neuron numbers are chosen to be 10 for each hidden layer.

Error plots are less noisy after convergence compared to Fig. 1. The neural network with more two hidden layer reaches to convergence for training set faster than the neural network with one hidden layer.

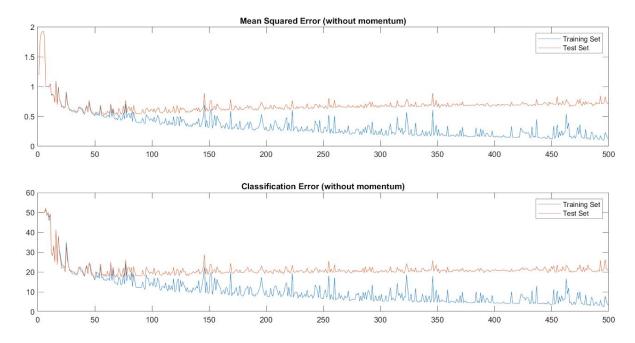


Fig. 3. Two Hidden Layer Neural Network without Momentum

### Part E

Alpha is 0.5. The results in Fig. 4 are very similar to Fig. 3, with less noise. Effect of momentum terms is low pass filter in loss function, and Fig. 4. has less noisy error metrics plots compared to Fig. 3. Especially, it is seen when epoch number increases and neural network reachs to convergence.

Another effect of momentum is that the error plots decrease faster and reach to convergence faster compared to the case without momentum term.

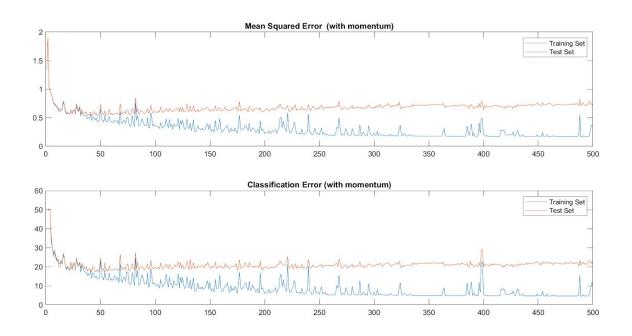


Fig. 4. Two Hidden Layer Neural Network with Momentum

# **Question 2**

# Part A

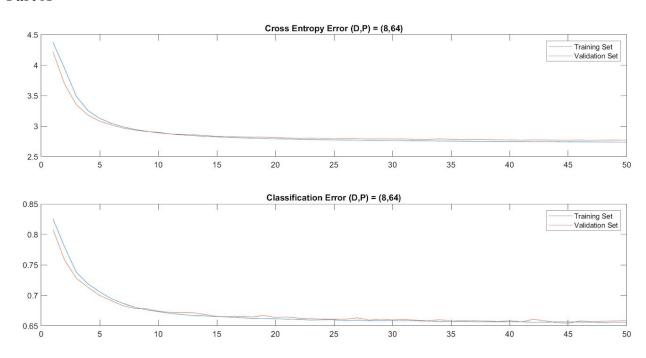


Fig. 5. Neural Network with (D,P) = (8,64)

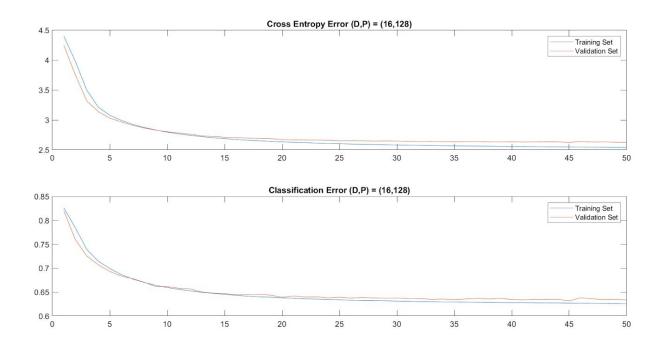


Fig. 6. Neural Network with (D,P) = (16,128)

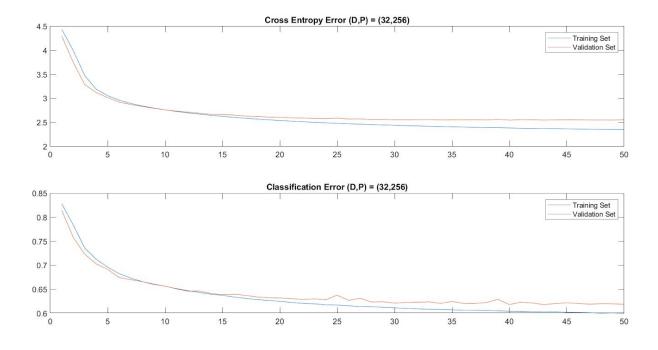


Fig. 7. Neural Network with (D,P) = (32,256)

Cross entropy error and classification error have similar trends. Around 15 epochs, decreasing of error metrics for validation set stops and continues for training set. We can state generalization stops around 15 epochs because error metrics do not improve for validation set.

In Fig. 5-7, cross entropy error and classification error in scale of (0,1) are displayed in 50 epoch numbers. Parameters are selected as asked in the assignment. According to these figures, cross entropy stopping criteria is chosen to be less than 3 since the error plots start convergence around 3 for (D,P) = (8,16), (16,128) and (32,256). Smaller values of cross entropy could be selected, however, it was going to take too much time for grading which is around 10 minutes. The chosen value 3 is good enough for the next step and less time consuming.

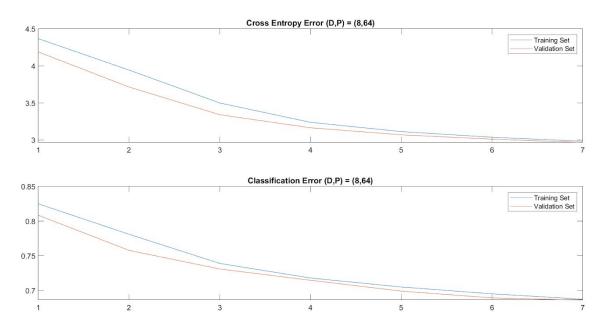


Fig. 8. Neural Network of (D,P) = (8,64) with Stopping Criteria

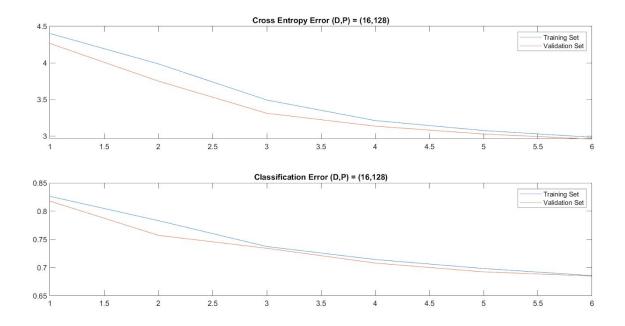


Fig. 9. Neural Network of (D,P) = (16,128) with Stopping Criteria

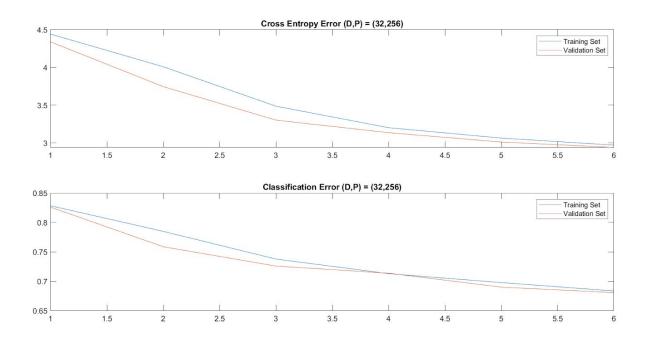


Fig. 10. Neural Network of (D,P) = (32,256) with Stopping Criteria

To have comments in Fig 5-7 is more logical rather than Fig 8-10 since we can see the whole process until convergence. My opinion is that (D,P) = (32,256) gave the best results due to having smaller cross entropy error and classification error at the end of convergence. However, there is a very slight difference between (D,P) = (16,128) and (D,P) = (32,256) and it is hard to compare. When epoch number is around 10, their performance seems to be almost the same and Fig. 9 and Fig. 10 with 6 epochs are very close to each other.

#### Part B

It is continued with the neural network having (D,P) = (16,128). Results for 5 random trigrams are as follows.

## Trigram #1:

Desired Output: 144

Top 10 Candidates: [89, 26, 193, 23, 144, 158, 106, 151, 207, 167]

## Trigram #2:

Desired Output: 23

Top 10 Candidates: [213, 149, 71, 117, 247, 196, 6, 45, 216, 206]

### Trigram #3:

Desired Output: 55

Top 10 Candidates: [34, 120, 126, 149, 135, 38, 69, 224, 247, 70]

## Trigram #4:

Desired Output: 75

Top 10 Candidates: [144, 89, 23, 26, 76, 188, 201, 46, 199, 228]

### Trigram #5:

Desired Output: 144

Top 10 Candidates: [42, 200, 190, 116, 36, 32, 66, 50, 144, 73]

Classification error of the validation set was 0.68, therefore good classification performance was not expected. Still, the desired outputs or close words (with close index numbers) can be in top 10 candidates. In triagram #1, 144 is the 5th candidate. In triagram #4, 76 which is close to 75 is the 5th candidate. In riagram #5, 144 is the 9th candidate.

When I experimented with different trigrams, I observed that triagrams with the desired output 144 is a frequent output and mostly gives better results compared to other trigrams.

Results are not good results, but it is the best that can be reached with the available neural network because training accuracy and validation accuracy was already low.

### **Ouestion 3**

Inline questions are answered where they are asked in the code.

# **Fully-Connected Neural Nets**

In the previous homework you implemented a fully-connected two-layer neural network on CIFAR-10. The implementation was simple but not very modular since the loss and gradient were computed in a single monolithic function. This is manageable for a simple two-layer network, but would become impractical as we move to bigger models. Ideally we want to build networks using a more modular design so that we can implement different layer types in isolation and then snap them together into models with different architectures.

In this exercise we will implement fully-connected networks using a more 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.

In addition to implementing fully-connected networks of arbitrary depth, we will also explore different update rules for optimization, and introduce Dropout as a regularizer and Batch/Layer Normalization as a tool to more efficiently optimize deep networks.

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In [2]:
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```
# 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))))
run the following from the cs231n directory and try again:
python setup.py build ext --inplace
You may also need to restart your iPython kernel
In [3]:
# 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))
```

# **Affine layer: foward**

('y test: ', (1000,))

Open the file cs231n/layers.py and implement the affine forward function.

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

```
In [4]:
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# **Affine layer: backward**

Testing affine\_forward function: difference: 9.769849468192957e-10

Now implement the affine backward function and test your implementation using numeric gradient

checking.

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In [5]:
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# 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

# **ReLU activation: forward**

Implement the forward pass for the ReLU activation function in the relu\_forward function and test your implementation using the following:

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In [6]:
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Testing relu\_forward function: difference: 4.999999798022158e-08

# **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:

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In [7]:
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```
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)
```

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

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

## **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

## **Answer:**

• ReLU has output 0 for inputs smaller than 0 and output 1 for inputs larger than 0. When input is smaller than 0, we have the zero problem.

Leaky ReLU is a remedy for this problem of ReLU. Leaky ReLu gives a very small constant output for inputs smaller than 0, but not 0. Sigmoids also give very small values, but not 0, when inputs are far away from 0.

# "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 <code>affine\_relu\_forward</code> and <code>affine\_relu\_backward</code> functions, and run the following to numerically gradient check the backward pass:

In [8]:

```
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,
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, dou
t)
dw num = eval numerical gradient array(lambda w: affine relu forward(x, w, b)[0], w, dou
db num = eval numerical gradient array(lambda b: affine relu forward(x, w, b)[0], b, dou
# 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

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dw error: 8.162011105764925e-11
db error: 7.826724021458994e-12
```

# **Loss layers: Softmax and SVM**

You implemented these loss functions in the last assignment, so we'll give them to you for free here. You should still make sure you understand how they work by looking at the implementations in cs231n/layers.py.

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

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In [9]:
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```
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 sym 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
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: 2.302545844500738
dx error: 9.384673161989355e-09
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# Two-layer network

In the previous assignment you implemented a two-layer neural network in a single monolithic class. Now that you have implemented modular versions of the necessary layers, you will reimplement the two layer network using these modular implementations.

Open the file cs231n/classifiers/fc\_net.py and complete the implementation of the TwoLayerNet class. This class will serve as a model for the other networks you will implement in this assignment, so read through it to make sure you understand the API. You can run the cell below to test your implementation.

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In [10]:
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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)
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b2 = model.params['b2']
assert W1_std < std / 10, 'First layer weights do not seem right'</pre>
assert np.all(b1 == 0), 'First layer biases do not seem right'
assert W2 std < std / 10, 'Second layer weights do not seem right'</pre>
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(
                              13.05181771, 13.81190102, 14.57198434, 15.33206765, 1
  [[11.53165108, 12.2917344,
6.09215096],
   [12.05769098, 12.74614105, 13.43459113, 14.1230412, 14.81149128, 15.49994135,
6.18839143],
   [12.58373087, 13.20054771, 13.81736455, 14.43418138, 15.05099822, 15.66781506, 1
6.2846319 ]])
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'</pre>
# 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: 1.83e-08
W2 relative error: 3.12e-10
b1 relative error: 9.83e-09
b2 relative error: 4.33e-10
Running numeric gradient check with reg = 0.7
W1 relative error: 2.53e-07
W2 relative error: 2.85e-08
b1 relative error: 1.56e-08
b2 relative error: 7.76e-10
```

# **Solver**

In the previous assignment, the logic for training models was coupled to the models themselves. Following a more modular design, for this assignment we have split the logic for training models into a separate class.

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 at least 50% accuracy on the validation set.

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model = TwoI averNet ()
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solver = None
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# TODO: Use a Solver instance to train a TwoLayerNet that achieves at least #
# 50% accuracy on the validation set.
model = TwoLayerNet(hidden dim=100, reg=0.2)
solver = Solver(model, data, update rule='sqd',
           optim config={ 'learning rate': 1e-3}, lr decay=0.95,
           num_epochs=10, batch_size=100, print_every=100)
solver.train()
END OF YOUR CODE
(Iteration 1 / 4900) loss: 2.332096
(Epoch 0 / 10) train acc: 0.164000; val acc: 0.134000
(Iteration 101 / 4900) loss: 1.857220
(Iteration 201 / 4900) loss: 2.000576
(Iteration 301 / 4900) loss: 1.651815
(Iteration 401 / 4900) loss: 1.538214
(Epoch 1 / 10) train acc: 0.450000; val acc: 0.454000
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(Iteration 501 / 4900) loss: 1.608869
(Iteration 601 / 4900) loss: 1.501398
(Iteration 701 / 4900) loss: 1.615213
(Iteration 801 / 4900) loss: 1.656747
(Iteration 901 / 4900) loss: 1.468052
(Epoch 2 / 10) train acc: 0.484000; val acc: 0.472000
(Iteration 1001 / 4900) loss: 1.505273
(Iteration 1101 / 4900) loss: 1.503323
(Iteration 1201 / 4900) loss: 1.418404
(Iteration 1301 / 4900) loss: 1.356568
(Iteration 1401 / 4900) loss: 1.507079
(Epoch 3 / 10) train acc: 0.519000; val acc: 0.475000
(Iteration 1501 / 4900) loss: 1.405298
(Iteration 1601 / 4900) loss: 1.425098
(Iteration 1701 / 4900) loss: 1.388389
(Iteration 1801 / 4900) loss: 1.559448
(Iteration 1901 / 4900) loss: 1.469148
(Epoch 4 / 10) train acc: 0.506000; val acc: 0.488000
(Iteration 2001 / 4900) loss: 1.521458
(Iteration 2101 / 4900) loss: 1.452836
(Iteration 2201 / 4900) loss: 1.515952
(Iteration 2301 / 4900) loss: 1.253438
(Iteration 2401 / 4900) loss: 1.329813
(Epoch 5 / 10) train acc: 0.546000; val acc: 0.490000
(Iteration 2501 / 4900) loss: 1.385455
(Iteration 2601 / 4900) loss: 1.380330
(Iteration 2701 / 4900) loss: 1.344157
(Iteration 2801 / 4900) loss: 1.516297
(Iteration 2901 / 4900) loss: 1.373451
(Epoch 6 / 10) train acc: 0.548000; val acc: 0.519000
(Iteration 3001 / 4900) loss: 1.313017
(Iteration 3101 / 4900) loss: 1.139112
(Iteration 3201 / 4900) loss: 1.596601
(Iteration 3301 / 4900) loss: 1.372248
(Iteration 3401 / 4900) loss: 1.524008
(Epoch 7 / 10) train acc: 0.537000; val acc: 0.491000
(Iteration 3501 / 4900) loss: 1.325397
(Iteration 3601 / 4900) loss: 1.141724
(Iteration 3701 / 4900) loss: 1.368370
(Iteration 3801 / 4900) loss: 1.319290
(Iteration 3901 / 4900) loss: 1.101957
(Epoch 8 / 10) train acc: 0.545000; val acc: 0.499000
(Iteration 4001 / 4900) loss: 1.239187
(Iteration 4101 / 4900) loss: 1.346376
(Iteration 4201 / 4900) loss: 1.154919
(Iteration 4301 / 4900) loss: 1.073516
(Iteration 4401 / 4900) loss: 1.577285
(Epoch 9 / 10) train acc: 0.595000; val acc: 0.503000
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(Iteration 4501 / 4900) loss: 1.253220

(Iteration 4601 / 4900) loss: 1.465048

(Iteration 4701 / 4900) loss: 1.484373

(Iteration 4801 / 4900) loss: 1.242994

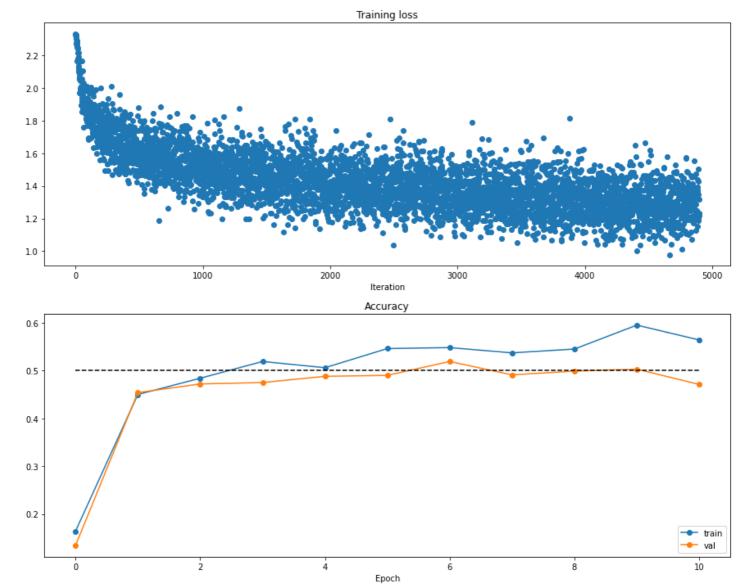
(Epoch 10 / 10) train acc: 0.564000; val acc: 0.471000
```

#### In [12]:

```
# 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()
```



# Multilayer network

Next you will implement a fully-connected network with an arbitrary number of hidden layers.

Read through the FullyConnectedNet class in the file cs231n/classifiers/fc net.py.

Implement the initialization, the forward pass, and the backward pass. For the moment don't worry about implementing dropout or batch/layer normalization; we will add those features soon.

# Initial loss and gradient check

As a sanity check, run the following to check the initial loss and to gradient check the network both with and without regularization. Do the initial losses seem reasonable?

For gradient checking, you should expect to see errors around 1e-7 or less.

```
In [13]:
```

```
np.random.seed(231)
N, D, H1, H2, C = 2, 15, 20, 30, 10
X = np.random.randn(N, D)
y = np.random.randint(C, size=(N,))
for reg in [0, 3.14]:
  print('Running check with reg = ', reg)
  model = FullyConnectedNet([H1, H2], input_dim=D, num_classes=C,
                            reg=reg, weight scale=5e-2, dtype=np.float64)
  loss, grads = model.loss(X, y)
  print('Initial loss: ', loss)
  # Most of the errors should be on the order of e-7 or smaller.
  # NOTE: It is fine however to see an error for W2 on the order of e-5
  # for the check when reg = 0.0
  for name in sorted(grads):
    f = lambda : model.loss(X, y)[0]
    grad num = eval numerical gradient(f, model.params[name], verbose=False, h=1e-5)
   print('%s relative error: %.2e' % (name, rel error(grad num, grads[name])))
Running check with reg = 0
```

```
Initial loss: 2.3004790897684924
W1 relative error: 1.48e-07
W2 relative error: 2.21e-05
W3 relative error: 3.53e-07
b1 relative error: 5.38e-09
b2 relative error: 5.80e-11
Running check with reg = 3.14
Initial loss: 7.052114776533016
W1 relative error: 7.36e-09
W2 relative error: 6.87e-08
W3 relative error: 3.48e-08
b1 relative error: 1.48e-08
b2 relative error: 1.72e-09
b3 relative error: 1.80e-10
```

As another sanity check, make sure you can overfit a small dataset of 50 images. First we will try a three-layer network with 100 units in each hidden layer. In the following cell, tweak the learning rate and initialization scale to overfit and achieve 100% training accuracy within 20 epochs.

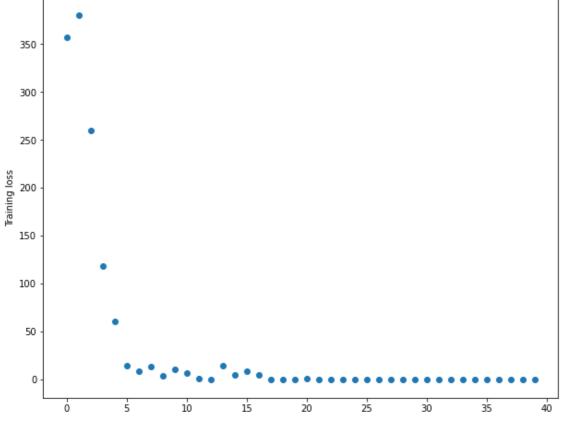
```
In [14]:
```

```
# TODO: Use a three-layer Net to overfit 50 training examples by
# tweaking just the learning rate and initialization scale.

num_train = 50
small_data = {
    'X_train': data['X_train'][:num_train],
    'y_train': data['y_train'][:num_train],
    'X_val': data['X_val'],
    'y_val': data['y_val'],
}
weight_scale = 1e-1
```

```
(Epoch 0 / 20) train acc: 0.220000; val_acc: 0.111000
(Epoch 1 / 20) train acc: 0.380000; val acc: 0.141000
(Epoch 2 / 20) train acc: 0.520000; val acc: 0.138000
(Epoch 3 / 20) train acc: 0.740000; val acc: 0.130000
(Epoch 4 / 20) train acc: 0.820000; val acc: 0.153000
(Epoch 5 / 20) train acc: 0.860000; val acc: 0.175000
(Iteration 11 / 40) loss: 6.726589
(Epoch 6 / 20) train acc: 0.940000; val_acc: 0.163000
(Epoch 7 / 20) train acc: 0.960000; val_acc: 0.166000
(Epoch 8 / 20) train acc: 0.960000; val_acc: 0.164000
(Epoch 9 / 20) train acc: 0.980000; val acc: 0.162000
(Epoch 10 / 20) train acc: 0.980000; val_acc: 0.162000
(Iteration 21 / 40) loss: 0.800243
(Epoch 11 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
(Epoch 12 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
(Epoch 13 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
(Epoch 14 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
(Epoch 15 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
(Iteration 31 / 40) loss: 0.000000
(Epoch 16 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
(Epoch 17 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
(Epoch 18 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val_acc: 0.158000
(Epoch 19 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
(Epoch 20 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.158000
```

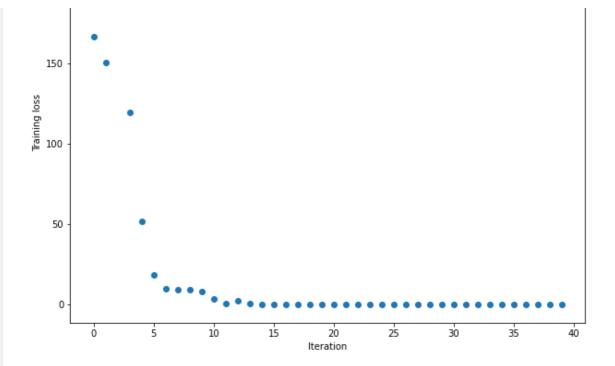




Now try to use a five-layer network with 100 units on each layer to overfit 50 training examples. Again you will have to adjust the learning rate and weight initialization, but you should be able to achieve 100% training accuracy within 20 epochs.

```
In [15]:
```

```
# TODO: Use a five-layer Net to overfit 50 training examples by
# tweaking just the learning rate and initialization scale.
num train = 50
small data = {
  'X train': data['X_train'][:num_train],
  'y train': data['y train'][:num train],
  'X val': data['X val'],
  'y val': data['y val'],
learning rate = 2e-3
weight scale = 1e-1
model = FullyConnectedNet([100, 100, 100, 100],
                weight scale=weight scale, dtype=np.float64)
solver = Solver(model, small data,
                print every=10, num epochs=20, batch size=25,
                update rule='sqd',
                optim config={
                  'learning rate': learning rate,
         )
solver.train()
plt.plot(solver.loss history, 'o')
plt.title('Training loss history')
plt.xlabel('Iteration')
plt.ylabel('Training loss')
plt.show()
(Iteration 1 / 40) loss: 166.501707
(Epoch 0 / 20) train acc: 0.100000; val acc: 0.107000
(Epoch 1 / 20) train acc: 0.320000; val acc: 0.101000
(Epoch 2 / 20) train acc: 0.160000; val acc: 0.122000
(Epoch 3 / 20) train acc: 0.380000; val_acc: 0.106000
(Epoch 4 / 20) train acc: 0.520000; val acc: 0.111000
(Epoch 5 / 20) train acc: 0.760000; val acc: 0.113000
(Iteration 11 / 40) loss: 3.343141
(Epoch 6 / 20) train acc: 0.840000; val_acc: 0.122000
(Epoch 7 / 20) train acc: 0.920000; val acc: 0.113000
(Epoch 8 / 20) train acc: 0.940000; val acc: 0.125000
(Epoch 9 / 20) train acc: 0.960000; val acc: 0.125000
(Epoch 10 / 20) train acc: 0.980000; val acc: 0.121000
(Iteration 21 / 40) loss: 0.039138
(Epoch 11 / 20) train acc: 0.980000; val acc: 0.123000
(Epoch 12 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.121000
(Epoch 13 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.121000
(Epoch 14 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.121000
(Epoch 15 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val_acc: 0.121000
(Iteration 31 / 40) loss: 0.000644
(Epoch 16 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.121000
(Epoch 17 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.121000
(Epoch 18 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.121000
(Epoch 19 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.121000
(Epoch 20 / 20) train acc: 1.000000; val acc: 0.121000
```



## **Inline Question 2:**

Did you notice anything about the comparative difficulty of training the three-layer net vs training the five layer net? In particular, based on your experience, which network seemed more sensitive to the initialization scale? Why do you think that is the case?

## **Answer:**

[FILL THIS IN]

# **Update rules**

So far we have used vanilla stochastic gradient descent (SGD) as our update rule. More sophisticated update rules can make it easier to train deep networks. We will implement a few of the most commonly used update rules and compare them to vanilla SGD.

# **SGD+Momentum**

Stochastic gradient descent with momentum is a widely used update rule that tends to make deep networks converge faster than vanilla stochastic gradient descent. See the Momentum Update section at <a href="http://cs231n.github.io/neural-networks-3/#sqd">http://cs231n.github.io/neural-networks-3/#sqd</a> for more information.

Open the file cs231n/optim.py and read the documentation at the top of the file to make sure you understand the API. Implement the SGD+momentum update rule in the function  $sgd_momentum$  and run the following to check your implementation. You should see errors less than e-8.

#### In [16]:

```
from cs231n.optim import sgd_momentum

N, D = 4, 5
w = np.linspace(-0.4, 0.6, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
dw = np.linspace(-0.6, 0.4, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
v = np.linspace(0.6, 0.9, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)

config = {'learning_rate': 1e-3, 'velocity': v}
next_w, _ = sgd_momentum(w, dw, config=config)

expected_next_w = np.asarray([
```

Once you have done so, run the following to train a six-layer network with both SGD and SGD+momentum. You should see the SGD+momentum update rule converge faster.

```
In [17]:
```

velocity error: 4.269287743278663e-09

```
num train = 4000
small data = {
  'X_train': data['X_train'][:num_train],
  'y train': data['y train'][:num train],
  'X_val': data['X_val'],
  'y val': data['y val'],
solvers = {}
for update rule in ['sgd', 'sgd momentum']:
 print('running with ', update rule)
 model = FullyConnectedNet([100, 100, 100, 100, 100], weight scale=5e-2)
  solver = Solver(model, small data,
                  num epochs=5, batch size=100,
                  update rule=update rule,
                  optim config={
                    'learning rate': 1e-2,
                  },
                  verbose=True)
 solvers[update rule] = solver
 solver.train()
 print()
plt.subplot(3, 1, 1)
plt.title('Training loss')
plt.xlabel('Iteration')
plt.subplot(3, 1, 2)
plt.title('Training accuracy')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
plt.subplot(3, 1, 3)
plt.title('Validation accuracy')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
for update_rule, solver in list(solvers.items()):
 plt.subplot(3, 1, 1)
 plt.plot(solver.loss history, 'o', label=update rule)
 plt.subplot(3, 1, 2)
 plt.plot(solver.train acc history, '-o', label=update rule)
 plt.subplot(3, 1, 3)
 plt.plot(solver.val acc history, '-o', label=update rule)
for i in [1, 2, 3]:
 plt.subplot(3, 1, i)
```

```
plt.gcf().set_size_inches(15, 15)
plt.show()
running with sgd
(Iteration 1 / 200) loss: 2.559978
(Epoch 0 / 5) train acc: 0.103000; val acc: 0.108000
(Iteration 11 / 200) loss: 2.291086
(Iteration 21 / 200) loss: 2.153591
(Iteration 31 / 200) loss: 2.082694
(Epoch 1 / 5) train acc: 0.277000; val acc: 0.242000
(Iteration 41 / 200) loss: 2.004171
(Iteration 51 / 200) loss: 2.010409
(Iteration 61 / 200) loss: 2.024528
(Iteration 71 / 200) loss: 2.024628
(Epoch 2 / 5) train acc: 0.350000; val acc: 0.308000
(Iteration 81 / 200) loss: 1.804535
(Iteration 91 / 200) loss: 1.917276
(Iteration 101 / 200) loss: 1.923032
(Iteration 111 / 200) loss: 1.707939
(Epoch 3 / 5) train acc: 0.401000; val acc: 0.321000
(Iteration 121 / 200) loss: 1.704839
(Iteration 131 / 200) loss: 1.766843
(Iteration 141 / 200) loss: 1.788663
(Iteration 151 / 200) loss: 1.828742
(Epoch 4 / 5) train acc: 0.420000; val_acc: 0.320000
(Iteration 161 / 200) loss: 1.628797
(Iteration 171 / 200) loss: 1.902930
(Iteration 181 / 200) loss: 1.542250
(Iteration 191 / 200) loss: 1.711583
(Epoch 5 / 5) train acc: 0.439000; val_acc: 0.322000
running with sgd momentum
(Iteration 1 / 200) loss: 3.153777
(Epoch 0 / 5) train acc: 0.105000; val acc: 0.093000
(Iteration 11 / 200) loss: 2.145874
(Iteration 21 / 200) loss: 2.032562
(Iteration 31 / 200) loss: 1.985849
(Epoch 1 / 5) train acc: 0.311000; val acc: 0.281000
(Iteration 41 / 200) loss: 1.882354
(Iteration 51 / 200) loss: 1.855372
(Iteration 61 / 200) loss: 1.649133
(Iteration 71 / 200) loss: 1.806432
(Epoch 2 / 5) train acc: 0.415000; val acc: 0.324000
(Iteration 81 / 200) loss: 1.907840
(Iteration 91 / 200) loss: 1.510681
(Iteration 101 / 200) loss: 1.546872
(Iteration 111 / 200) loss: 1.512047
(Epoch 3 / 5) train acc: 0.434000; val acc: 0.321000
(Iteration 121 / 200) loss: 1.677301
(Iteration 131 / 200) loss: 1.504686
(Iteration 141 / 200) loss: 1.633253
(Iteration 151 / 200) loss: 1.745081
(Epoch 4 / 5) train acc: 0.460000; val acc: 0.353000
(Iteration 161 / 200) loss: 1.485411
(Iteration 171 / 200) loss: 1.610417
(Iteration 181 / 200) loss: 1.528331
(Iteration 191 / 200) loss: 1.449159
(Epoch 5 / 5) train acc: 0.507000; val acc: 0.384000
```

plt.legend(loc='upper center', ncol=4)

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e same arguments as a previous axes currently reuses the earlier instance. In a future v
ersion, a new instance will always be created and returned. Meanwhile, this warning can
be suppressed, and the future behavior ensured, by passing a unique label to each axes in
stance.

plt.subplot(3, 1, 1)

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e same arguments as a previous axes currently reuses the earlier instance. In a future v
ersion, a new instance will always be created and returned. Meanwhile, this warning can
be suppressed, and the future behavior ensured, by passing a unique label to each axes in
stance.

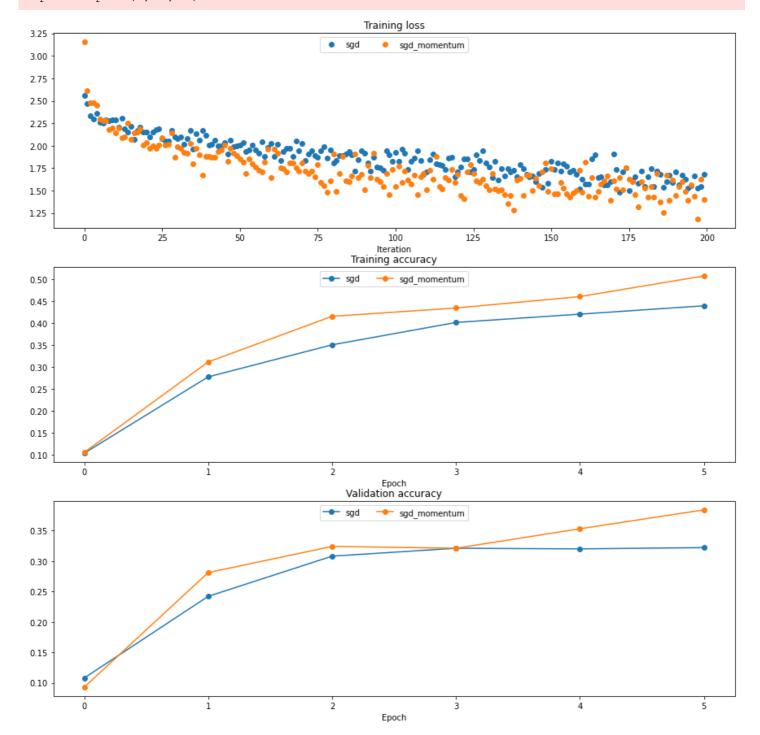
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cipython-input-17-239314d269f9>:45: MatplotlibDeprecationWarning: Adding an axes using th
e same arguments as a previous axes currently reuses the earlier instance. In a future v
ersion, a new instance will always be created and returned. Meanwhile, this warning can
be suppressed, and the future behavior ensured, by passing a unique label to each axes in
stance.

plt.subplot(3, 1, 3)

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e same arguments as a previous axes currently reuses the earlier instance. In a future v
ersion, a new instance will always be created and returned. Meanwhile, this warning can
be suppressed, and the future behavior ensured, by passing a unique label to each axes in
stance.

plt.subplot(3, 1, i)



# **RMSProp and Adam**

RMSProp [1] and Adam [2] are update rules that set per-parameter learning rates by using a running average of the second moments of gradients.

In the file cs231n/optim.py, implement the RMSProp update rule in the rmsprop function and implement the Adam update rule in the adam function, and check your implementations using the tests below.

NOTE: Please implement the complete Adam update rule (with the bias correction mechanism), not the first

simplified version mentioned in the course notes.

- [1] Tijmen Tieleman and Geoffrey Hinton. "Lecture 6.5-rmsprop: Divide the gradient by a running average of its recent magnitude." COURSERA: Neural Networks for Machine Learning 4 (2012).
- [2] Diederik Kingma and Jimmy Ba, "Adam: A Method for Stochastic Optimization", ICLR 2015.

### In [18]:

```
# Test RMSProp implementation
from cs231n.optim import rmsprop
N, D = 4, 5
w = np.linspace(-0.4, 0.6, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
dw = np.linspace(-0.6, 0.4, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
cache = np.linspace(0.6, 0.9, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
config = {'learning rate': 1e-2, 'cache': cache}
next w, = rmsprop(w, dw, config=config)
expected next w = np.asarray([
 [-0.39223849, -0.34037513, -0.28849239, -0.23659121, -0.18467247],
  [-0.132737, -0.08078555, -0.02881884, 0.02316247, 0.07515774],
  [ 0.12716641, 0.17918792, 0.23122175, 0.28326742, 0.33532447],
 [ 0.38739248, 0.43947102, 0.49155973, 0.54365823, 0.59576619]])
expected cache = np.asarray([
 0.70395734, 0.71937285, 0.73484377],
  [ 0.67329252, 0.68859723,
  [ 0.75037008, 0.7659518, 0.78158892, 0.79728144, 0.81302936], [ 0.82883269, 0.84469141, 0.86060554, 0.87657507, 0.8926 ]])
# You should see relative errors around e-7 or less
print('next_w error: ', rel_error(expected_next_w, next_w))
print('cache error: ', rel_error(expected_cache, config['cache']))
```

next\_w error: 9.524687511038133e-08 cache error: 2.6477955807156126e-09

#### In [19]:

```
# Test Adam implementation
from cs231n.optim import adam
N, D = 4, 5
w = np.linspace(-0.4, 0.6, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
dw = np.linspace(-0.6, 0.4, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
m = np.linspace(0.6, 0.9, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
v = np.linspace(0.7, 0.5, num=N*D).reshape(N, D)
config = {'learning rate': 1e-2, 'm': m, 'v': v, 't': 5}
next_w, _ = adam(w, dw, config=config)
expected next w = np.asarray([
 [-0.40\overline{0}9474\overline{7}, -0.34836187, -0.29577703, -0.24319299, -0.19060977],
  [-0.1380274, -0.08544591, -0.03286534, 0.01971428, 0.0722929],
  [ 0.1248705,  0.17744702,  0.23002243,  0.28259667,  0.33516969],
 [0.38774145, 0.44031188, 0.49288093, 0.54544852, 0.59801459]])
expected v = np.asarray([
 [0.69966, 0.68908382, 0.67851319, 0.66794809, 0.65738853,],
  [ 0.64683452,  0.63628604,  0.6257431,  0.61520571,  0.60467385,],
  [ 0.59414753,  0.58362676,  0.57311152,  0.56260183,  0.55209767,],
 [ 0.54159906, 0.53110598, 0.52061845, 0.51013645, 0.49966, ]])
expected m = np.asarray([
 [ 0.57736842, 0.59684211, 0.61631579, 0.63578947, 0.65526316],
  [ 0.67473684, 0.69421053, 0.71368421, 0.73315789, 0.75263158], [ 0.77210526, 0.79157895, 0.81105263, 0.83052632, 0.85 ]]
                                                              ]])
# You should see relative errors around e-7 or less
print('next_w error: ', rel_error(expected_next_w, next_w))
print('v error: ', rel error(expected v, config['v']))
```

```
print('m error: ', rel_error(expected_m, config['m']))

next_w error: 1.1395691798535431e-07
v error: 4.208314038113071e-09
m error: 4.214963193114416e-09
```

Once you have debugged your RMSProp and Adam implementations, run the following to train a pair of deep networks using these new update rules:

```
In [20]:
```

```
learning rates = {'rmsprop': 1e-4, 'adam': 1e-3}
for update rule in ['adam', 'rmsprop']:
  print('running with ', update rule)
  model = FullyConnectedNet([100, 100, 100, 100, 100], weight scale=5e-2)
  solver = Solver(model, small data,
                  num_epochs=5, batch size=100,
                  update rule=update rule,
                  optim config={
                     learning rate': learning rates[update rule]
                  },
                  verbose=True)
  solvers[update_rule] = solver
  solver.train()
 print()
plt.subplot(3, 1, 1)
plt.title('Training loss')
plt.xlabel('Iteration')
plt.subplot(3, 1, 2)
plt.title('Training accuracy')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
plt.subplot(3, 1, 3)
plt.title('Validation accuracy')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
for update_rule, solver in list(solvers.items()):
  plt.subplot(3, 1, 1)
  plt.plot(solver.loss_history, 'o', label=update_rule)
  plt.subplot(3, 1, 2)
  plt.plot(solver.train_acc_history, '-o', label=update rule)
  plt.subplot(3, 1, 3)
  plt.plot(solver.val acc history, '-o', label=update rule)
for i in [1, 2, 3]:
  plt.subplot(3, 1, i)
  plt.legend(loc='upper center', ncol=4)
plt.gcf().set size inches(15, 15)
plt.show()
running with adam
(Iteration 1 / 200) loss: 3.476928
(Epoch 0 / 5) train acc: 0.126000; val acc: 0.110000
(Iteration 11 / 200) loss: 2.027712
```

```
(Iteration 1 / 200) loss: 3.476928
(Epoch 0 / 5) train acc: 0.126000; val_acc: 0.110000
(Iteration 11 / 200) loss: 2.027712
(Iteration 21 / 200) loss: 2.183358
(Iteration 31 / 200) loss: 1.744257
(Epoch 1 / 5) train acc: 0.363000; val_acc: 0.330000
(Iteration 41 / 200) loss: 1.707951
(Iteration 51 / 200) loss: 1.703835
(Iteration 61 / 200) loss: 2.094758
(Iteration 71 / 200) loss: 1.505558
(Epoch 2 / 5) train acc: 0.419000; val_acc: 0.362000
(Iteration 81 / 200) loss: 1.594429
(Iteration 91 / 200) loss: 1.519017
(Iteration 101 / 200) loss: 1.368522
(Iteration 111 / 200) loss: 1.470400
```

```
(Epoch 3 / 5) train acc: U.46UUUU; val acc: U.3/8UUU
(Iteration 121 / 200) loss: 1.199064
(Iteration 131 / 200) loss: 1.464705
(Iteration 141 / 200) loss: 1.359863
(Iteration 151 / 200) loss: 1.415069
(Epoch 4 / 5) train acc: 0.521000; val acc: 0.374000
(Iteration 161 / 200) loss: 1.382818
(Iteration 171 / 200) loss: 1.359900
(Iteration 181 / 200) loss: 1.095947
(Iteration 191 / 200) loss: 1.243088
(Epoch 5 / 5) train acc: 0.572000; val acc: 0.382000
running with rmsprop
(Iteration 1 / 200) loss: 2.589166
(Epoch 0 / 5) train acc: 0.119000; val_acc: 0.146000
(Iteration 11 / 200) loss: 2.032921
(Iteration 21 / 200) loss: 1.897278
(Iteration 31 / 200) loss: 1.770793
(Epoch 1 / 5) train acc: 0.381000; val acc: 0.320000
(Iteration 41 / 200) loss: 1.895731
(Iteration 51 / 200) loss: 1.681091
(Iteration 61 / 200) loss: 1.487204
(Iteration 71 / 200) loss: 1.629973
(Epoch 2 / 5) train acc: 0.429000; val acc: 0.350000
(Iteration 81 / 200) loss: 1.506686
(Iteration 91 / 200) loss: 1.610742
(Iteration 101 / 200) loss: 1.486124
(Iteration 111 / 200) loss: 1.559454
(Epoch 3 / 5) train acc: 0.492000; val acc: 0.361000
(Iteration 121 / 200) loss: 1.497406
(Iteration 131 / 200) loss: 1.530736
(Iteration 141 / 200) loss: 1.550958
(Iteration 151 / 200) loss: 1.652026
(Epoch 4 / 5) train acc: 0.531000; val_acc: 0.359000
(Iteration 161 / 200) loss: 1.600752
(Iteration 171 / 200) loss: 1.400347
(Iteration 181 / 200) loss: 1.509237
(Iteration 191 / 200) loss: 1.368884
(Epoch 5 / 5) train acc: 0.530000; val acc: 0.373000
```

<ipython-input-20-c31f2247ce3b>:30: MatplotlibDeprecationWarning: Adding an axes using th e same arguments as a previous axes currently reuses the earlier instance. In a future v ersion, a new instance will always be created and returned. Meanwhile, this warning can be suppressed, and the future behavior ensured, by passing a unique label to each axes in stance.

plt.subplot(3, 1, 1)

<ipython-input-20-c31f2247ce3b>:33: MatplotlibDeprecationWarning: Adding an axes using th e same arguments as a previous axes currently reuses the earlier instance. In a future v ersion, a new instance will always be created and returned. Meanwhile, this warning can be suppressed, and the future behavior ensured, by passing a unique label to each axes in stance.

plt.subplot(3, 1, 2)

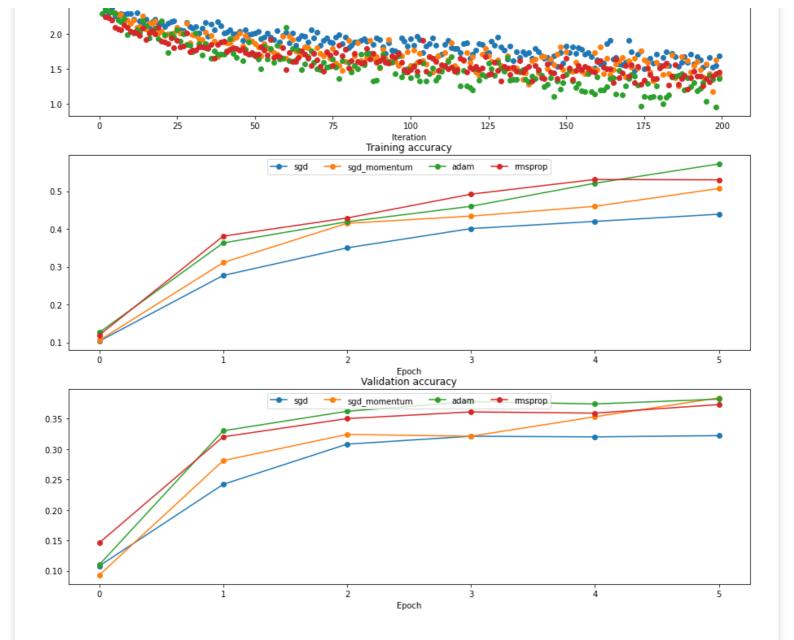
<ipython-input-20-c31f2247ce3b>:36: MatplotlibDeprecationWarning: Adding an axes using th e same arguments as a previous axes currently reuses the earlier instance. In a future v ersion, a new instance will always be created and returned. Meanwhile, this warning can be suppressed, and the future behavior ensured, by passing a unique label to each axes in stance.

plt.subplot(3, 1, 3)

<ipython-input-20-c31f2247ce3b>:40: MatplotlibDeprecationWarning: Adding an axes using th e same arguments as a previous axes currently reuses the earlier instance. In a future v ersion, a new instance will always be created and returned. Meanwhile, this warning can be suppressed, and the future behavior ensured, by passing a unique label to each axes in stance.

plt.subplot(3, 1, i)





# **Inline Question 3:**

AdaGrad, like Adam, is a per-parameter optimization method that uses the following update rule:

```
cache += dw**2
w += - learning_rate * dw / (np.sqrt(cache) + eps)
```

John notices that when he was training a network with AdaGrad that the updates became very small, and that his network was learning slowly. Using your knowledge of the AdaGrad update rule, why do you think the updates would become very small? Would Adam have the same issue?

### **Answer:**

We are taking squared gradients (dw) and they are therefore positive. Accumulated sum gets larger each time. This summation makes modified learning rate converge to zero and learning process slows down. This problem would not happen with Adam.

# Train a good model!

Train the best fully-connected model that you can on CIFAR-10, storing your best model in the best\_model variable. We require you to get at least 50% accuracy on the validation set using a fully-connected net.

If you are careful it should be possible to get accuracies above 55%, but we don't require it for this part and won't assign extra credit for doing so. Later in the assignment we will ask you to train the best convolutional network that you can on CIFAR-10, and we would prefer that you spend your effort working on convolutional

nets rather than fully-connected nets.

You might find it useful to complete the BatchNormalization.ipynb and Dropout.ipynb notebooks before completing this part, since those techniques can help you train powerful models.

In [22]:

```
best model = None
# TODO: Train the best FullyConnectedNet that you can on CIFAR-10. You might
# find batch/layer normalization and dropout useful. Store your best model in
# the best model variable.
hidden dims = [100] * 4
range weight scale = [1e-2, 2e-2, 5e-3]
range lr = [1e-5, 5e-4, 1e-5]
best val acc = -1
best weight scale = 0
best lr = 0
print("Training...")
for weight scale in range weight scale:
   for lr in range_lr:
      model = FullyConnectedNet(hidden dims=hidden dims, reg=0.0,
                          weight scale=weight scale)
      solver = Solver(model, data, update rule='adam',
                   optim config={'learning rate': lr},
                   batch size=100, num_epochs=5,
                   verbose=False)
      solver.train()
      val acc = solver.best val acc
      print('Weight scale: %f, lr: %f, val acc: %f' % (weight scale, lr, val acc))
      if val acc > best val acc:
         best val acc = val acc
         best_weight_scale = weight_scale
         best_lr = lr
         best model = model
print("Best val_acc: %f" % best_val_acc)
print("Best weight scale: %f" % best weight scale)
print("Best lr: %f" % best lr)
END OF YOUR CODE
Training...
Weight scale: 0.010000, lr: 0.000010, val acc: 0.338000
Weight scale: 0.010000, lr: 0.000500, val acc: 0.503000
Weight scale: 0.010000, lr: 0.000010, val acc: 0.342000
```

```
Weight_scale: 0.010000, lr: 0.000010, val_acc: 0.338000 Weight_scale: 0.010000, lr: 0.000500, val_acc: 0.503000 Weight_scale: 0.010000, lr: 0.000010, val_acc: 0.342000 Weight_scale: 0.020000, lr: 0.000010, val_acc: 0.427000 Weight_scale: 0.020000, lr: 0.000500, val_acc: 0.523000 Weight_scale: 0.020000, lr: 0.000500, val_acc: 0.523000 Weight_scale: 0.020000, lr: 0.000010, val_acc: 0.274000 Weight_scale: 0.005000, lr: 0.000010, val_acc: 0.274000 Weight_scale: 0.005000, lr: 0.000500, val_acc: 0.513000 Weight_scale: 0.005000, lr: 0.000010, val_acc: 0.257000 Best val_acc: 0.523000 Best weight_scale: 0.020000 Best lr: 0.000500
```

# **Test your model!**

Run your best model on the validation and test sets. You should achieve above 50% accuracy on the validation

```
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In [23]:
y_test_pred = np.argmax(best_model.loss(data['X_test']), axis=1)
y_val_pred = np.argmax(best_model.loss(data['X_val']), axis=1)
print('Validation set accuracy: ', (y_val_pred == data['y_val']).mean())
print('Test set accuracy: ', (y_test_pred == data['y_test']).mean())
Validation set accuracy: 0.523
Test set accuracy: 0.51
In [ ]:
```

# **Dropout**

Dropout [1] is a technique for regularizing neural networks by randomly setting some features to zero during the forward pass. In this exercise you will implement a dropout layer and modify your fully-connected network to optionally use dropout.

[1] Geoffrey E. Hinton et al, "Improving neural networks by preventing co-adaptation of feature detectors", arXiv 2012

```
In [17]:
```

# 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
In [18]:
# Load the (preprocessed) CIFAR10 data.
data = get CIFAR10 data()
for k, v in 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,)
```

# **Dropout forward pass**

In the file cs231n/layers.py, implement the forward pass for dropout. Since dropout behaves differently during training and testing, make sure to implement the operation for both modes.

Once you have done so, run the cell below to test your implementation.

```
In [24]:
```

```
np.random.seed(231)
x = np.random.randn(500, 500) + 10
```

```
for p in [0.25, 0.4, 0.7]:
    out, _ = dropout_forward(x, {'mode': 'train', 'p': p})
    out_test, _ = dropout_forward(x, {'mode': 'test', 'p': p})

print('Running tests with p = ', p)
    print('Mean of input: ', x.mean())
    print('Mean of train-time output: ', out.mean())
    print('Mean of test-time output: ', out_test.mean())
    print('Fraction of train-time output set to zero: ', (out == 0).mean())
    print('Fraction of test-time output set to zero: ', (out_test == 0).mean())
    print()
Running tests with p = 0.25
```

```
Mean of input: 10.000207878477502
Mean of train-time output: 10.014059116977283
Mean of test-time output: 10.000207878477502
Fraction of train-time output set to zero: 0.749784
Fraction of test-time output set to zero: 0.0
Running tests with p = 0.4
Mean of input: 10.000207878477502
Mean of train-time output: 9.977917658761159
Mean of test-time output: 10.000207878477502
Fraction of train-time output set to zero: 0.600796
Fraction of test-time output set to zero: 0.0
Running tests with p = 0.7
Mean of input: 10.000207878477502
Mean of train-time output: 9.987811912159426
Mean of test-time output: 10.000207878477502
Fraction of train-time output set to zero: 0.30074
Fraction of test-time output set to zero: 0.0
```

# **Dropout backward pass**

In the file cs231n/layers.py, implement the backward pass for dropout. After doing so, run the following cell to numerically gradient-check your implementation.

```
In [23]:
```

```
np.random.seed(231)
x = np.random.randn(10, 10) + 10
dout = np.random.randn(*x.shape)

dropout_param = {'mode': 'train', 'p': 0.2, 'seed': 123}
out, cache = dropout_forward(x, dropout_param)
dx = dropout_backward(dout, cache)
dx_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda xx: dropout_forward(xx, dropout_param)[0],
x, dout)

# Error should be around e-10 or less
print('dx relative error: ', rel_error(dx, dx_num))
```

dx relative error: 1.892896954038074e-11

# **Inline Question 1:**

What happens if we do not divide the values being passed through inverse dropout by p in the dropout layer? Why does that happen?

## **Answer:**

Mean of train-time output changes without division by p in dropout\_forward function.

Running tests with n = 0.25 Mean of train-time output: 10.014050116077283 Mean of train-time output (without

division): 2.5035147792443206

Running tests with p = 0.4 Mean of train-time output: 9.977917658761159 Mean of train-time output (without division): 3.991167063504464

Running tests with p = 0.7 Mean of train-time output: 9.987811912159426 Mean of train-time output (without division): 6.9914683385116

The reason is that outputs are set to zero with probability p and mean drops with proportion p. Summation of outputs drops with proportion p, therefore to keep the mean constant, division by p is required.

# **Fully-connected nets with Dropout**

b2 relative error: 1.82e-09 b3 relative error: 1.70e-10

W1 relative error: 3.11e-07 W2 relative error: 1.84e-08 W3 relative error: 5.35e-08 b1 relative error: 5.37e-09 b2 relative error: 2.99e-09 b3 relative error: 1.13e-10

Running check with dropout = 0.5 Initial loss: 2.3042759220785896

In the file <code>cs231n/classifiers/fc\_net.py</code>, modify your implementation to use dropout. Specifically, if the constructor of the net receives a value that is not 1 for the <code>dropout</code> parameter, then the net should add dropout immediately after every ReLU nonlinearity. After doing so, run the following to numerically gradient-check your implementation.

```
In [25]:
np.random.seed(231)
N, D, H1, H2, C = 2, 15, 20, 30, 10
X = np.random.randn(N, D)
y = np.random.randint(C, size=(N,))
for dropout in [1, 0.75, 0.5]:
  print('Running check with dropout = ', dropout)
  model = FullyConnectedNet([H1, H2], input dim=D, num classes=C,
                            weight scale=5e-2, dtype=np.float64,
                            dropout=dropout, seed=123)
  loss, grads = model.loss(X, y)
  print('Initial loss: ', loss)
  # Relative errors should be around e-6 or less; Note that it's fine
  # if for dropout=1 you have W2 error be on the order of e-5.
  for name in sorted(grads):
    f = lambda : model.loss(X, y)[0]
    grad num = eval numerical gradient(f, model.params[name], verbose=False, h=1e-5)
    print('%s relative error: %.2e' % (name, rel error(grad num, grads[name])))
  print()
Running check with dropout = 1
Initial loss: 2.3004790897684924
W1 relative error: 1.48e-07
W2 relative error: 2.21e-05
W3 relative error: 3.53e-07
b1 relative error: 5.38e-09
b2 relative error: 2.09e-09
b3 relative error: 5.80e-11
Running check with dropout = 0.75
Initial loss: 2.302371489704412
W1 relative error: 1.90e-07
W2 relative error: 4.76e-06
W3 relative error: 2.60e-08
b1 relative error: 4.73e-09
```

# **Regularization experiment**

As an experiment, we will train a pair of two-layer networks on 500 training examples: one will use no dropout, and one will use a keep probability of 0.25. We will then visualize the training and validation accuracies of the two networks over time.

In [26]:

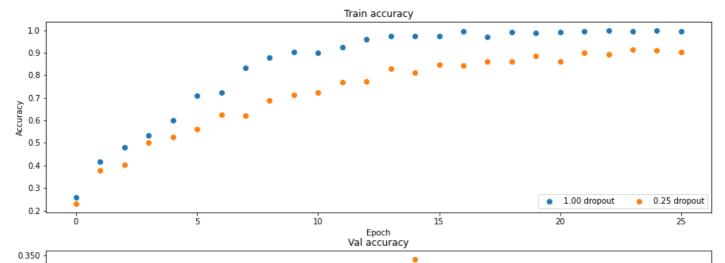
```
# Train two identical nets, one with dropout and one without
np.random.seed(231)
num train = 500
small data = {
  'X train': data['X train'][:num train],
  'y train': data['y train'][:num train],
  'X val': data['X val'],
  'y_val': data['y_val'],
solvers = {}
dropout choices = [1, 0.25]
for dropout in dropout choices:
 model = FullyConnectedNet([500], dropout=dropout)
 print(dropout)
 solver = Solver(model, small data,
                 num epochs=25, batch size=100,
                  update rule='adam',
                  optim config={
                    'learning rate': 5e-4,
                  verbose=True, print every=100)
 solver.train()
 solvers[dropout] = solver
(Iteration 1 / 125) loss: 7.856643
```

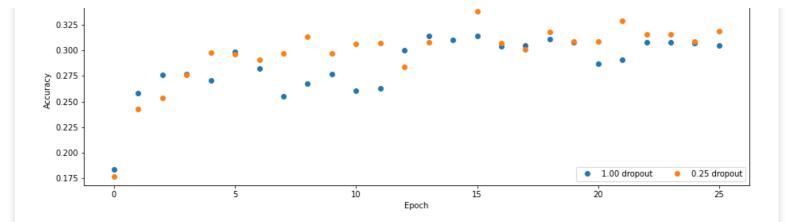
```
(Epoch 0 / 25) train acc: 0.260000; val acc: 0.184000
(Epoch 1 / 25) train acc: 0.416000; val acc: 0.258000
(Epoch 2 / 25) train acc: 0.482000; val acc: 0.276000
(Epoch 3 / 25) train acc: 0.532000; val acc: 0.277000
(Epoch 4 / 25) train acc: 0.600000; val acc: 0.271000
(Epoch 5 / 25) train acc: 0.708000; val acc: 0.299000
(Epoch 6 / 25) train acc: 0.722000; val acc: 0.282000
(Epoch 7 / 25) train acc: 0.832000; val acc: 0.255000
(Epoch 8 / 25) train acc: 0.880000; val_acc: 0.268000
(Epoch 9 / 25) train acc: 0.902000; val acc: 0.277000
(Epoch 10 / 25) train acc: 0.898000; val_acc: 0.261000
(Epoch 11 / 25) train acc: 0.924000; val_acc: 0.263000
(Epoch 12 / 25) train acc: 0.960000; val acc: 0.300000
(Epoch 13 / 25) train acc: 0.972000; val_acc: 0.314000
(Epoch 14 / 25) train acc: 0.972000; val acc: 0.310000
(Epoch 15 / 25) train acc: 0.974000; val acc: 0.314000
(Epoch 16 / 25) train acc: 0.994000; val acc: 0.304000
(Epoch 17 / 25) train acc: 0.970000; val acc: 0.305000
(Epoch 18 / 25) train acc: 0.990000; val acc: 0.311000
(Epoch 19 / 25) train acc: 0.988000; val acc: 0.308000
(Epoch 20 / 25) train acc: 0.992000; val acc: 0.287000
(Iteration 101 / 125) loss: 0.001417
(Epoch 21 / 25) train acc: 0.994000; val acc: 0.291000
(Epoch 22 / 25) train acc: 0.998000; val acc: 0.308000
(Epoch 23 / 25) train acc: 0.996000; val acc: 0.308000
(Epoch 24 / 25) train acc: 0.998000; val acc: 0.307000
(Epoch 25 / 25) train acc: 0.994000; val acc: 0.305000
0.25
(Iteration 1 / 125) loss: 17.318478
(Epoch 0 / 25) train acc: 0.230000; val_acc: 0.177000
(Epoch 1 / 25) train acc: 0.378000; val acc: 0.243000
(Epoch 2 / 25) train acc: 0.402000; val acc: 0.254000
```

```
(Epoch 3 / 25) train acc: 0.502000; val acc: 0.276000
(Epoch 4 / 25) train acc: 0.528000; val acc: 0.298000
(Epoch 5 / 25) train acc: 0.562000; val acc: 0.296000
(Epoch 6 / 25) train acc: 0.626000; val acc: 0.291000
(Epoch 7 / 25) train acc: 0.622000; val acc: 0.297000
(Epoch 8 / 25) train acc: 0.688000; val_acc: 0.313000
(Epoch 9 / 25) train acc: 0.712000; val acc: 0.297000
(Epoch 10 / 25) train acc: 0.724000; val acc: 0.306000
(Epoch 11 / 25) train acc: 0.768000; val acc: 0.307000
(Epoch 12 / 25) train acc: 0.774000; val_acc: 0.284000
(Epoch 13 / 25) train acc: 0.828000; val_acc: 0.308000
(Epoch 14 / 25) train acc: 0.812000; val_acc: 0.346000
(Epoch 15 / 25) train acc: 0.848000; val_acc: 0.338000
(Epoch 16 / 25) train acc: 0.844000; val_acc: 0.307000
(Epoch 17 / 25) train acc: 0.860000; val_acc: 0.301000
(Epoch 18 / 25) train acc: 0.862000; val acc: 0.318000
(Epoch 19 / 25) train acc: 0.886000; val_acc: 0.309000
(Epoch 20 / 25) train acc: 0.860000; val acc: 0.309000
(Iteration 101 / 125) loss: 4.193681
(Epoch 21 / 25) train acc: 0.898000; val acc: 0.329000
(Epoch 22 / 25) train acc: 0.892000; val acc: 0.316000
(Epoch 23 / 25) train acc: 0.914000; val acc: 0.316000
(Epoch 24 / 25) train acc: 0.910000; val acc: 0.309000
(Epoch 25 / 25) train acc: 0.902000; val acc: 0.319000
```

### In [27]:

```
# Plot train and validation accuracies of the two models
train accs = []
val accs = []
for dropout in dropout choices:
  solver = solvers[dropout]
  train accs.append(solver.train acc history[-1])
  val_accs.append(solver.val_acc_history[-1])
plt.subplot(3, 1, 1)
for dropout in dropout choices:
  plt.plot(solvers[dropout].train acc history, 'o', label='%.2f dropout' % dropout)
plt.title('Train accuracy')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
plt.ylabel('Accuracy')
plt.legend(ncol=2, loc='lower right')
plt.subplot(3, 1, 2)
for dropout in dropout choices:
  plt.plot(solvers[dropout].val acc history, 'o', label='%.2f dropout' % dropout)
plt.title('Val accuracy')
plt.xlabel('Epoch')
plt.ylabel('Accuracy')
plt.legend(ncol=2, loc='lower right')
plt.gcf().set size inches(15, 15)
plt.show()
```





## **Inline Question 2:**

Compare the validation and training accuracies with and without dropout -- what do your results suggest about dropout as a regularizer?

### **Answer:**

Dropout operation results in sacrificing learnt weight parameters and their resulting feature extraction informations. Therefore, when there is dropout, training accuracy follows the same trend for convergence, but convergence occurs at a lower level of accuracy for training accuracy.

We cannot say directly that validation accuracy will increase or decrease after dropout. At each epoch, it gives a different result. However, if we look at the best curve for validation accuracy with and without dropout, we can see that best curve of validation accuracy with dropout is higher than the case without dropout although training accuracy with dropout was lower than the case without dropout. Here, it can be stated that dropout gives good results for generalization and helps avoiding overfitting.

## **Inline Question 3:**

Suppose we are training a deep fully-connected network for image classification, with dropout after hidden layers (parameterized by keep probability p). How should we modify p, if at all, if we decide to decrease the size of the hidden layers (that is, the number of nodes in each layer)?

#### **Answer:**

When the number of nodes in hidden layers decrease, it means that the learnt features of training set decreases. If we apply dropout with same probability p, it means that we will lose the same amount of feature information and the learnt feature information was already lower than previous case. Hence, Keeping the dropout probability p constant will deteriorate performance of neural network. As a remedy, We should increase the probability p to keep more feature information than the previous case.

```
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#### **APPENDIX**

#### **MATLAB Code**

```
function berfin kavsut 21602459 hw2 (question)
clc
close all
switch question
    case '1'
    disp('Q1')
    %read dataset
    trainims = h5read('assign2 data1.h5','/trainims');
    trainlbls = h5read('assign2 data1.h5','/trainlbls');
    testims = h5read('assign2 data1.h5','/testims');
    testlbls = h5read('assign2 data1.h5','/testlbls');
    trainlbls (trainlbls == 0) = -1;
    testlbls (testlbls == 0) = -1;
    %data type conversion
    train images = im2double(trainims);
    test images = im2double(testims);
    %size of images, training image number and test image number
    [m,n,train no] = size(train images);
    [\sim, \sim, \text{test no}] = \text{size(test images)};
    %training set and test set
    X train = reshape(train images, m*n, train no);
    X test = reshape(test images, m*n, test no);
    y train = trainlbls;
    y_test = testlbls;
    %parameters
    lr = 0.15; % learning rate in range of [0.1, 0.5]
    batch size = 100; %mini batch size
    epoch no = 500;
    class no = 2; %output neuron number
    disp('Part A')
    N = 10; %hidden layer neuron number
    history = neural net Q1(X train, y train, X test, y test,
batch size, lr, epoch no, class no, N);
    %display error metrics for Part A
    figure; set (gcf, 'WindowState', 'maximized');
    subplot(2,1,1); plot(1:epoch no, history.train MSE);
```

```
hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history.test MSE);
    legend('Training Set', 'Test Set')
    title('Mean Squared Error');
    subplot(2,1,2); plot(1:epoch no, history.train MCE);
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history.test MCE);
    legend('Training Set','Test Set')
    title('Classification Error')
    %saveas(gcf,'Q1 Part A.png');
    disp('Part B')
    disp('In the report.')
    disp('Part C')
    N \text{ opt} = 10;
    N low = 2;
    N high = 50;
    history low = neural net Q1(X train, y train, X test, y test,
batch size, lr, epoch no, class no, N low);
    history opt = neural net Q1(X train, y train, X test, y test,
batch size, Ir, epoch no, class no, N opt);
    history high = neural net Q1(X train, y train, X test, y test,
batch size, lr, epoch no, class no, N high);
    figure; set(gcf, 'WindowState', 'maximized');
    subplot(2,2,1); plot(1:epoch no, history low.train MSE)
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history opt.train MSE)
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history high.train MSE)
    legend('N {low}','N^*,'N {high}')
    title ('Mean Squared Error of Training Set')
    subplot(2,2,2); plot(1:epoch no, history low.train MCE)
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history opt.train MCE)
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history high.train MCE)
    legend('N {low}','N^*,'N {high}')
    title('Classification Error of Training Set')
    subplot(2,2,3); plot(1:epoch no, history low.test MSE)
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history opt.test MSE)
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history high.test MSE)
    legend('N {low}','N^*','N {high}')
    title('Mean Squared Error of Test Set')
    subplot(2,2,4); plot(1:epoch no, history low.test MCE)
    hold on; plot(1:epoch_no, history opt.test MCE)
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history high.test MCE)
    legend('N {low}','N^*,'N {high}')
    title('Classification Error of Test Set')
    %saveas(gcf,'Q1 Part C.png');
    disp('Part D')
```

```
lr = 0.15;
    alpha = 0; %without momentum
    N1 = 10;
    N2 = 10;
    history = neural net2 Q1(X train, y train, X test, y test,
    lr,alpha,epoch no,class no,N1,N2);
    %error metrics for part d
    figure; set (gcf, 'WindowState', 'maximized');
    subplot(2,1,1); plot(1:epoch no, history.train MSE);
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history.test MSE);
    legend('Training Set', 'Test Set')
    title('Mean Squared Error (without momentum)');
    subplot(2,1,2); plot(1:epoch no, history.train MCE);
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history.test MCE);
    legend('Training Set', 'Test Set')
    title('Classification Error (without momentum)')
    %saveas(gcf,'Q1 Part D.png');
    disp('Part E')
    lr = 0.15;
    alpha = 0.5;
    N1 = 10;
    N2 = 10;
    history = neural net2 Q1(X train, y train, X test, y test,
batch size, ...
    lr,alpha,epoch no,class no,N1,N2);
    %error metrics for part e
    figure; set (gcf, 'WindowState', 'maximized');
    subplot(2,1,1); plot(1:epoch no, history.train MSE);
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history.test MSE);
    legend('Training Set', 'Test Set')
    title('Mean Squared Error (with momentum)');
    subplot(2,1,2); plot(1:epoch no, history.train MCE);
    hold on; plot(1:epoch no, history.test MCE);
    legend('Training Set','Test Set')
    title('Classification Error (with momentum)')
    %saveas(gcf,'Q1 Part E.png');
    case '2'
    disp('Q2')
    testd = h5read('assign2 data2.h5','/testd');
    testx = h5read('assign2 data2.h5','/testx');
    traind = h5read('assign2 data2.h5','/traind');
    trainx = h5read('assign2 data2.h5','/trainx');
    vald = h5read('assign2 data2.h5','/vald');
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valx = h5read('assign2 data2.h5','/valx');
    disp('Part A')
    lr = 0.15;
    alpha = 0.85;
    epoch no = 50;
    batch size = 200;
    %(D,P) = (32,256)
    D = 32;
    P = 256;
    [history, ~] =
neural net Q2(trainx, traind, valx, vald, testx, testd, epoch no, batch size, l
r, alpha, D, P);
    figure; set (gcf, 'WindowState', 'maximized');
    subplot(2,1,1); plot(1:history.epoch,history.train CE);
    hold on; plot(1:history.epoch,history.val CE);
    title('Cross Entropy Error (D,P) = (32,256)')
    legend('Training Set','Validation Set')
    subplot(2,1,2); plot(1:history.epoch,history.train MCE);
    title('Classification Error (D,P) = (32,256)')
    hold on; plot(1:history.epoch, history.val MCE);
    legend('Training Set','Validation Set')
    %saveas(gcf,'Q2 (32,256).png')
    %(D,P) = (16,128)
    D = 16;
    P = 128;
    [history, weights] =
neural net Q2(trainx,traind,valx,vald,testx,testd,epoch no,batch size,l
r, alpha, D, P);
    figure; set (gcf, 'WindowState', 'maximized');
    subplot(2,1,1); plot(1:history.epoch,history.train CE);
    title('Cross Entropy Error (D,P) = (16,128)')
    hold on; plot(1:history.epoch, history.val CE);
    legend('Training Set','Validation Set')
    subplot(2,1,2); plot(1:history.epoch,history.train MCE);
    title('Classification Error (D,P) = (16,128)')
    hold on; plot(1:history.epoch, history.val MCE);
    legend('Training Set','Validation Set')
    %saveas(gcf,'Q2 (16,128).png')
    % (D,P) = (8,64)
    D = 8;
    P = 64;
    [history,~] =
neural net Q2(trainx, traind, valx, vald, testx, testd, epoch no, batch size, l
r, alpha, D, P);
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figure; set (gcf, 'WindowState', 'maximized');
    subplot(2,1,1); plot(1:history.epoch, history.train CE);
    title('Cross Entropy Error (D,P) = (8,64)')
    hold on; plot(1:history.epoch, history.val CE);
    legend('Training Set','Validation Set')
    subplot(2,1,2); plot(1:history.epoch,history.train MCE);
    title('Classification Error (D,P) = (8,64)')
    hold on; plot(1:history.epoch, history.val MCE);
    legend('Training Set','Validation Set')
    %saveas(gcf,'Q2 (8,64).png')
    disp('Part B')
    WE = weights.WE;
    W1 = weights.W1;
    W2 = weights.W2;
    test no = size(testd, 1);
    [X1 test, X2 test, X3 test, D out test] = prepare words(testx, testd);
    %Select 5 3-words sequences and their desired outputs
    indices = 7500*[1:5];
    X1 = X1 \text{ test(:,indices);}
    X2 = X2 \text{ test(:,indices);}
    X3 = X3 \text{ test(:,indices);}
    D out = testd(indices);
    %TEST SET FORWARD PROPAGATION
    E1 = WE*X1;
    E2 = WE*X2;
    E3 = WE*X3;
    E = [E1; E2; E3; ones(1,5)]; %bias term
    V1 = W1*E;
    [Y1, \sim] = sigmoid(V1, 1);
    Y1 = [Y1; ones(1,5)]; %bias term
    V2 = W2*Y1;
    Y2 = softmax(V2); %the predicted probability for each of the 250
words is Y2
    for i = 1:5
        disp(strcat('Triagram #', num2str(i), ':'));
        disp('Desired Output:');
        desired output = testd(i);
        disp(desired output);
        disp('Top 10 Candidates for the Fourth Word:');
        [sorted, index] = sort(Y2(:,i), 'descend'); %sort in descending
order
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top 10 = index(1:10,:);%show indices with 10 highest
probabilities
        disp(top_10);
    end
    case '3'
    disp('Q3')
    disp('In the report.')
end
end
function [X1, X2, X3, D] = prepare_words(x, d)
    %Create word vectors with one hot representation
    %Inputs
    %x: three words sequence
    %d: forth word of the sequence
    word no = max(d);
    sample no = size(d,1);
    X1 = zeros(word no, sample no);
    X2 = zeros(word no, sample no);
    X3 = zeros(word no, sample no);
    D = zeros(word no, sample no);
    for i =1:sample no
        X1(x(1,i),i) = 1;
        X2(x(2,i),i) = 1;
        X3(x(3,i),i) = 1;
        D(d(i),i) = 1;
    end
end
function CE = cross_entropy(y,y_hat)
    %Inputs
    %y hat: the estimate of model
    %y: the desired output of model
    CE = -sum(y.*log(y hat));
end
function o = softmax(x)
    %Sofmax operation
    o = \exp(x) . / sum(\exp(x));
end
function [o,der] = sigmoid(v,lambda)
    %Unipolar sigmoid activation function
    %Results are on interval of [0,1]
    %Inputs
    %v: inputs, lambda: parameter for sigmoid, T: threshold
    if(lambda > 0)
        o = 1./(1+exp(-lambda*v));
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der = o.*(1-o);
    else
        o = nan;
        der = nan;
        disp('Lambda should be a positive value!');
    end
end
function history = neural net Q1(X train, y train, X test, y test,
batch size, ...
    lr,epoch no,class no,hidden neuron no)
%Output layer neuron number
M = class no;
%Hidden layer neuron number
L = hidden neuron no;
%Take sizes
input size = size(X train, 1);
train no = size(X train, 2);
%Choose weights and biases initally, small and random to prevent
saturation
std = 0.001;
W hidden = std*randn(L,input size);
bias hidden = std*randn(L,1);
W output = std*randn(M,L);
bias output = std*randn(M,1);
delta We output = zeros(M,L+1);
delta We hidden = zeros(L,input size+1);
%Batch number with batch size
batch no = floor(train no / batch size); % B corresponds to batch size
in comments
%Normalize images
X train = X train./max(X train);
X test = X test./max(X_test);
%Train set number and test set number
train no = size(X train, 2);
test no = size(X test, 2);
for N = 1:epoch no
    %Shuffle training images (shuffle indices)
    indices = 1:train no;
    indices = indices(randperm(train no));
    for j=1:batch no
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%Take images for each batch
        X indices = indices( (j-1)*batch size+1 : j*batch_size );
        X = X train(:, X indices);
        %FORWARD PROPAGATION
        %input matrix with bias terms
        X = [X;1*ones(1,batch size)]; %size: 1025xB
        %linear activation potential of hidden layer
        U = [W \text{ hidden bias hidden}] *X; %size: LxB = (Lx1025) * (1025xB)
        %output of hidden layer, hidden signal vector
        H = tanh(U); %size: LxB
        %linear activation potential of output layer
        V = [W output bias output]*[H;1*ones(1,batch size)]; % size:
MxB = (M x L+1) * (L+1 x B)
        %output of output layer, output vector
        Y = tanh(V); %size: MxB
        %BACK PROPAGATION
        %Desired output
        classes = y train(X indices);
        D = zeros(class no, batch size);
        D(:,classes == 1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == 1)).*[1;-1];
%car neuron = 1, cat neuron = -1
        D(:,classes == -1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == -1)).*[-1;1];
car neuron = -1, cat neuron = 1
        %LOCAL GRADIENTS OF OUTPUT LAYER
        %gradient descent update of output weight matrix
        error output = D-Y; %size: MxB
        %derivative of y with respect to v
        der of Y with V = 1-Y.^2; %size: MxB
        %local gradients for the output layer
        delta output = error output.*der of Y with V; %size: MxB
        %LOCAL GRADIENTS OF HIDDEN LAYER
        %derivative of h with respect to u
        der of H with U = 1-H.^2; %size: LxB
        %local gradients for the hidden layer
        error hidden = W output'*delta output; %size: LxB = (LxM)*(MxB)
        %local gradient for the hidden layer
        delta hidden = error hidden.*der of H with U; %size: LxB
        %WEIGHT UPDATES
        delta We output = lr*delta output*[H;-
1*ones(1,batch size)]'/batch size; %size: MxL = (MxB)*(BxL)
        delta We hidden= lr*delta hidden*X'/batch size; %size: MxL =
(Mx1) * (1xL)
        %UPDATE OUTPUT LAYER WEIGHT MATRIX
        We output = [W output bias output] + delta We output; %MxL
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W output = We output(:,1:end-1); bias output =
We output (:, end);
        %UPDATE HIDDEN LAYER WEIGHT MATRIX
        We hidden = [W hidden bias hidden] + delta We hidden; %size:
Lx1025
        W hidden = We hidden(:,1:end-1); bias hidden =
We hidden(:,end);
    end
    %ERROR METRICS
    %TRAIN SET
    X = [X train; 1*ones(1, train_no)];
    U = [W hidden bias hidden] *X;
    H = tanh(U);
    V = [W_output bias_output]*[H;1*ones(1,train_no)];
    Y = tanh(V);
    %Desired Output
    classes = y train;
    D = zeros(class_no,train_no);
    D(:,classes == 1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == 1)).*[1;-1]; %car
neuron = 1, cat neuron = -1
    D(:,classes == -1) = ones(class_no,sum(classes == -1)).*[-1;1];
%car neuron = -1, cat neuron = 1
    %ERROR METRICS FOR ONE EPOCH
    %Mean Squared Error
    MSE = sum(sum(0.5*(D-Y).^2));
    MSE = MSE/train no;
    %Mean Classification Error
    [\sim, real\_classes] = max(D);
    [\sim, pred classes] = max(Y);
    MCE = sum(real classes ~= pred classes);
    MCE = MCE/train_no * 100;
    %Record error
    history.train MSE(N) = MSE;
    history.train MCE(N) = MCE;
    %TEST SET
    X = [X_{test;1*ones(1,test_no)];
    U = [W hidden bias hidden] *X;
    H = tanh(U);
    V = [W output bias output]*[H;1*ones(1,test no)];
    Y = tanh(V);
    %Desired Output
    classes = y test;
    D = zeros(class_no, test_no);
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D(:,classes == 1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == 1)).*[1;-1]; %car
neuron = 1, cat neuron = -1
    D(:,classes == -1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == -1)).*[-1;1];
%car neuron = -1, cat neuron = 1
    %Mean Squared Error
    MSE = sum(sum(0.5*(D-Y).^2))/test no;
    %Mean Classification Error
    [\sim, real classes] = max(D);
    [\sim, pred classes] = max(Y);
    MCE = sum(real classes ~= pred classes)/test no * 100;
    %Record error
    history.test MSE(N) = MSE;
    history.test MCE(N) = MCE;
end
end
function history = neural net2 Q1(X train, y train, X test, y test,
batch size, ...
    lr, alpha, epoch no, class no, hidden neuron no, hidden neuron no2)
%This function is addition of one more hidden layer in neural net Q1
M = class no;
L = hidden neuron no2;
K = hidden neuron no;
input size = size(X train, 1);
train no = size(X train, 2);
std = 0.01;
W hidden1 = std*randn(K,input size);
bias hidden1 = std*randn(K,1);
W hidden2 = std*randn(L,K);
bias hidden2 = std*randn(L,1);
W output = std*randn(M,L);
bias output = std*randn(M,1);
delta We output = zeros(M,L+1);
delta We hidden1 = zeros(K,input size+1);
delta We hidden2 = zeros(L,K+1);
batch no = floor(train no / batch size);
X test = X test./max(X test);
X train = X train./max(X train);
test no = size(X test, 2);
train no = size(X train, 2);
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for N = 1:epoch no
    %shuffle training images
    indices = 1:train no;
   indices = indices(randperm(train no));
   for j=1:batch no
        X indices = indices( (j-1)*batch size+1 : j*batch size);
        X = X_train(:, X indices);
        %FORWARD PROPAGATION
        %Hidden Layer #1
        X = [X; 1*ones(1, batch size)];
        U1 = [W hidden1 bias hidden1] *X;
        H1 = tanh(U1);
        %Hidden Layer #2
        U2 = [W hidden2 bias hidden2]*[H1;1*ones(1,batch size)];
        H2 = tanh(U2);
        %Output Layer
        V = [W output bias output]*[H2;1*ones(1,batch size)];
        Y = tanh(V);
        %BACK PROPAGATION
       %Desired Output
        classes = y train(X indices);
        D = zeros(class no, batch size);
        D(:, classes == 1) = ones(class no, sum(classes == 1)).*[1;-1];
car neuron = 1, cat neuron = -1
       D(:,classes == -1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == -1)).*[-1;1];
car neuron = -1, cat neuron = 1
        %LOCAL GRADIENT OF OUTPUT LAYER
        error output = D-Y;
        der_of_Y_with_V = 1-Y.^2;
        delta output = error output.*der of Y with V;
        %LOCAL GRADIENT OF HIDDEN LAYER #2
        der of H2 with U2 = 1-H2.^2;
        error hidden2 = W output'*delta output;
        delta hidden2 = error hidden2.*der of H2 with U2;
        %LOCAL GRADIENT OF HIDDEN LAYER #1
        der of H1 with U1 = 1-H1.^2;
        error hidden1 = W hidden2'*delta hidden2;
        delta hidden1 = error hidden1.*der of H1 with U1;
        %OUTPUT LAYER WEIGHT UPDATE
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delta We output = lr*delta output*[H2;-
1*ones(1,batch_size)]'/batch_size + alpha*delta We output;
        delta We hidden2 = lr*delta hidden2*[H1;-
1*ones(1,batch size)]'/batch size + alpha*delta We hidden2;
        delta We hidden1 = lr*delta hidden1*X'/batch size +
alpha*delta We hidden1;
        %WEIGHT UPDATES
        We output = [W output bias output] + delta We output;
        W output = We output(:,1:end-1); bias output =
We output(:,end);
        We hidden2 = [W hidden2 bias hidden2] + delta We hidden2;
        W hidden2 = We hidden2(:,1:end-1); bias hidden2 =
We hidden2(:,end);
        We hidden1 = [W hidden1 bias hidden1] + delta We hidden1;
        W hidden1 = We hidden1(:,1:end-1); bias hidden1 =
We hidden1(:,end);
    end
    %FORWARD PROPAGATION FOR TRAIN SET
    X = [X train; 1*ones(1, train no)];
    U1 = [W hidden1 bias hidden1]*X;
    H1 = tanh(U1);
    U2 = [W hidden2 bias hidden2]*[H1;1*ones(1,train no)];
    H2 = tanh(U2);
    V = [W output bias output] * [H2; 1*ones(1, train no)];
    Y = tanh(V);
    %ERROR METRICS
    %Desired Output
    classes = y train;
    D = zeros(c\overline{l}ass no, train no);
    D(:,classes == 1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == 1)).*[1;-1]; %car
neuron = 1, cat neuron = -1
    D(:,classes == -1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == -1)).*[-1;1];
car neuron = -1, cat neuron = 1
    %Mean Squared Error
    MSE = sum(sum(0.5*(D-Y).^2))/train no;
    %Mean Classification Error
    [~,real classes] = max(D);
    [\sim, pred classes] = max(Y);
    MCE = sum(real classes ~= pred classes)/train no * 100;
    history.train MSE(N) = MSE;
    history.train MCE(N) = MCE;
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%FORWARD PROPAGATION FOR TEST SET
    X = [X \text{ test;} 1 \times \text{ones} (1, \text{test no})];
    U1 = [W hidden1 bias hidden1] *X;
    H1 = tanh(U1);
    U2 = [W hidden2 bias hidden2]*[H1;1*ones(1,test no)];
    H2 = tanh(U2);
    V = [W output bias output]*[H2;1*ones(1,test no)];
    Y = tanh(V);
    %ERROR METRICS
    %Desired Output
    classes = y test;
    D = zeros(class no, test no);
    D(:,classes == 1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == 1)).*[1;-1]; %car
neuron = 1, cat neuron = -1
    D(:,classes == -1) = ones(class no,sum(classes == -1)).*[-1;1];
%car neuron = -1, cat neuron = 1
    [\sim, real classes] = max(D);
    [\sim, pred classes] = max(Y);
    MSE = sum(sum(0.5*(D-Y).^2))/test no;
    MCE = sum(real classes ~= pred classes)/test no * 100;
    history.test MSE(N) = MSE;
    history.test MCE(N) = MCE;
end
end
function [history, weights] = neural net Q2
(trainx, traind, valx, vald, testx, testd, epoch no, batch size, lr, alpha, D, P)
    %Take number of sets
    train no = size(traind,1);
    val no = size(vald, 1);
    word no = max(traind);
    %Vectorize words
    [X1 train, X2 train, X3 train, D out train] =
prepare words(trainx, traind);
    [X1 val, X2 val, X3 val, D out val] = prepare words(valx, vald);
    %Initialize error metrics for train, validation and test sets
    history.train CE = [];
    history.train MCE = [];
    history.val CE = [];
    history.val MCE = [];
    history.test CE = [];
    history.test MCE = [];
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batch no = floor(train no/batch size);
%EMBEDDING WORDS
std = 0.01;
WE = std*randn(D, word no); %embedding matrix
W1 = std*randn(P,3*D + 1); %weight matrix of hidden layer #1
W2 = std*randn(word no,P+1); %weight matrix of output layer
lambda = 1; %parameter of sigmoid activation function
delta W2 = 0;
delta W1 = 0;
delta WE1 = 0;
delta WE2 = 0;
delta WE3 = 0;
for i=1:epoch no
    %shuffle images
    indices = 1:train no;
    indices = indices(randperm(train no));
    CE = 0;
    false pred no = 0;
    for m = 1:batch no
        X indices = indices((m-1)*batch size+1:m*batch size);
        X1 = X1 \text{ train}(:, X \text{ indices});
        X2 = X2 \text{ train(:,} X \text{ indices);}
        X3 = X3 train(:,X indices);
        D_out = D_out_train(:,X_indices);
        %EMBEDDING WORDS
        E1 = WE*X1;
        E2 = WE*X2;
        E3 = WE*X3;
        %CONCATENATED EMBEDDED WORDS
        E = [E1;E2;E3;ones(1,batch size)]; %with bias term
        %HIDDEN LAYER #1
        V1 = W1*E;
        [Y1, der Y1] = sigmoid(V1, lambda);
        %HIDDEN LAYER #2
        Y1 = [Y1; ones(1, batch size)]; %with bias term
        V2 = W2*Y1;
        Y2 = softmax(V2);
        %derivative of cross entropy
        der CE = -(Y2-D out);
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%BACK PROPAGATION
                               %OUTPUT LAYER
                               delta output = der CE;
                               %HIDDEN LAYER
                               error hidden = W2(:,1:end-1)'*delta output;
                               delta hidden = error hidden.*der Y1;
                               %EMBEDDING MATRIX
                               delta embed = W1(:,1:end-1)'*delta hidden;
                               delta embed1 = delta embed(1:D,:);
                               delta embed2 = delta embed(D+1:2*D,:);
                               delta = delt
                               %UPDATE WEIGHTS
                               delta W2 = lr*delta output*Y1'/batch size + alpha*delta W2;
                               delta W1 = lr*delta hidden*E'/batch size + alpha*delta W1;
                               delta WE1 = lr*delta embed1*X1'/batch size +
alpha*delta WE1;
                               delta WE2 = lr*delta embed2*X2'/batch size +
alpha*delta WE2;
                               delta WE3 = lr*delta embed3*X3'/batch size +
alpha*delta WE3;
                               delta WE = (delta WE1 + delta WE2 + delta WE3)/3;
                               %ERROR METRICS
                               CE = CE + cross entropy(D out, Y2); %y = d, y hat = y2
                               [\sim, real words] = max(D out);
                               [\sim, pred words] = max(Y2);
                               false pred no = false pred no + sum(real words ~=
pred words);
                               %UPDATE WEIGHTS
                               W2 = W2 + delta W2;
                               W1 = W1 + delta W1;
                               WE = WE + delta WE;
                    end
                    CE = sum(CE) / (batch no * batch size);
                    MCE = false pred no/(batch no * batch size);
                    history.train CE = [history.train CE CE];
                    history.train MCE = [history.train MCE MCE];
                    %VALIDATION SET
                    E1 = WE*X1 val;
                    E2 = WE*X2 val;
                    E3 = WE*X3 val;
                    E = [E1; E2; E3; ones(1, val no)]; %bias term
                    V1 = W1*E;
                    [Y1, \sim] = sigmoid(V1, lambda);
                    Y1 = [Y1; ones(1, val no)]; %bias term
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V2 = W2*Y1;
    Y2 = softmax(V2);
    [~,real words] = max(D out val);
    [\sim,pred\_words] = max(Y2);
    %ERROR METRICS
    false pred no = sum(real words ~= pred words);
    CE = cross_entropy(D_out_val,Y2);%y = d, y_hat = y2
    CE = sum(CE)/val_no;
    MCE = false pred no/val no;
    history.val CE = [history.val CE CE];
    history.val MCE = [history.val MCE MCE];
    if (history.train CE (end) <= 3)</pre>
        break;
    end
end
history.epoch = i;
weights.WE = WE;
weights.W1 = W1;
weights.W2 = W2;
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end