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[1]: # This mounts your Google Drive to the Colab VM.
   from google.colab import drive
   drive.mount('/content/drive', force_remount=True)
    # Enter the foldername in your Drive where you have saved the unzipped
    # assignment folder, e.g. 'cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
   FOLDERNAME = 'Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
   assert FOLDERNAME is not None, "[!] Enter the foldername."
   # Now that we've mounted your Drive, this ensures that
    # the Python interpreter of the Colab VM can load
    # python files from within it.
   import sys
   sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))
    # This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
   # if it doesn't already exist.
   %cd drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
   !bash get_datasets.sh
   %cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
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1 k-Nearest Neighbor (kNN) exercise

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The kNN classifier consists of two stages:

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

• The value of k is cross-validated

Training labels shape: (50000,)

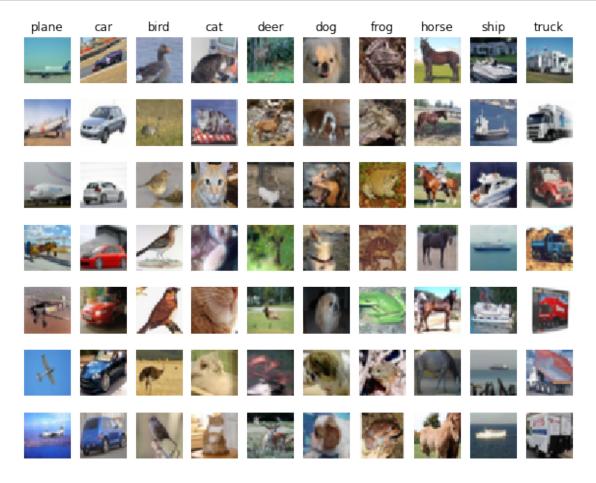
In this exercise you will implement these steps and understand the basic Image Classification pipeline, cross-validation, and gain proficiency in writing efficient, vectorized code.

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[2]: # Run some setup code for this notebook.
   import random
   import numpy as np
   from cs231n.data_utils import load_CIFAR10
   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    # This is a bit of magic to make matplotlib figures appear inline in the
    \rightarrownotebook
    # rather than in a new window.
   %matplotlib inline
   plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10.0, 8.0) # set default size of plots
   plt.rcParams['image.interpolation'] = 'nearest'
   plt.rcParams['image.cmap'] = 'gray'
   # Some more magic so that the notebook will reload external python modules;
    # see http://stackoverflow.com/questions/1907993/
    \rightarrow autoreload-of-modules-in-ipython
   %load_ext autoreload
   %autoreload 2
[3]: # Load the raw CIFAR-10 data.
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    # Cleaning up variables to prevent loading data multiple times (which may cause,
    →memory issue)
   try:
      del X_train, y_train
      del X_test, y_test
      print('Clear previously loaded data.')
   except:
      pass
   X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test = load_CIFAR10(cifar10_dir)
   # As a sanity check, we print out the size of the training and test data.
   print('Training data shape: ', X_train.shape)
   print('Training labels shape: ', y_train.shape)
   print('Test data shape: ', X test.shape)
   print('Test labels shape: ', y_test.shape)
   Training data shape: (50000, 32, 32, 3)
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Test data shape: (10000, 32, 32, 3) Test labels shape: (10000,)

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[4]: # Visualize some examples from the dataset.
    # We show a few examples of training images from each class.
   classes = ['plane', 'car', 'bird', 'cat', 'deer', 'dog', 'frog', 'horse',

    num_classes = len(classes)
   samples_per_class = 7
   for y, cls in enumerate(classes):
       idxs = np.flatnonzero(y_train == y)
       idxs = np.random.choice(idxs, samples_per_class, replace=False)
       for i, idx in enumerate(idxs):
           plt_idx = i * num_classes + y + 1
           plt.subplot(samples_per_class, num_classes, plt_idx)
           plt.imshow(X_train[idx].astype('uint8'))
           plt.axis('off')
           if i == 0:
               plt.title(cls)
   plt.show()
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[5]: # Subsample the data for more efficient code execution in this exercise
    num_training = 5000
    mask = list(range(num_training))
    X_train = X_train[mask]
    y_train = y_train[mask]

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

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

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[6]: from cs231n.classifiers import KNearestNeighbor

# Create a kNN classifier instance.
# Remember that training a kNN classifier is a noop:
# the Classifier simply remembers the data and does no further processing classifier = KNearestNeighbor()
classifier.train(X_train, y_train)
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We would now like to classify the test data with the kNN classifier. Recall that we can break down this process into two steps:

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

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

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

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

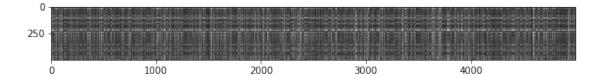
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[7]: # Open cs231n/classifiers/k_nearest_neighbor.py and implement
    # compute_distances_two_loops.

# Test your implementation:
dists = classifier.compute_distances_two_loops(X_test)
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print(dists.shape)
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(500, 5000)

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[8]: # We can visualize the distance matrix: each row is a single test example and
  # its distances to training examples
  plt.imshow(dists, interpolation='none')
  plt.show()
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Inline Question 1

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

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

Your Answer: Test example which has high distances from training examples causes the distintly bright row and training example which has high distances from test examples causes bright columns.

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

# Compute and print the fraction of correctly predicted examples
num_correct = np.sum(y_test_pred == y_test)
accuracy = float(num_correct) / num_test
print('Got %d / %d correct => accuracy: %f' % (num_correct, num_test, accuracy))
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Got 137 / 500 correct => accuracy: 0.274000

You should expect to see approximately 27% accuracy. Now lets try out a larger k, say k = 5:

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[10]: y_test_pred = classifier.predict_labels(dists, k=5)
num_correct = np.sum(y_test_pred == y_test)
accuracy = float(num_correct) / num_test
print('Got %d / %d correct => accuracy: %f' % (num_correct, num_test, accuracy))
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Got 139 / 500 correct => accuracy: 0.278000

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

Inline Question 2

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

the mean μ across all pixels over all images is

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

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

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

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

Which of the following preprocessing steps will not change the performance of a Nearest Neighbor classifier that uses L1 distance? Select all that apply. 1. Subtracting the mean μ ($\tilde{p}_{ij}^{(k)} = p_{ij}^{(k)} - \mu$.) 2. Subtracting the per pixel mean μ_{ij} ($\tilde{p}_{ij}^{(k)} = p_{ij}^{(k)} - \mu_{ij}$.) 3. Subtracting the mean μ and dividing by the standard deviation σ . 4. Subtracting the pixel-wise mean μ_{ij} and dividing by the pixel-wise standard deviation σ_{ij} . 5. Rotating the coordinate axes of the data.

Your Answer : 1, 2, 3, 4

YourExplanation : 1. (μ) L1 distance.

$$||(x_1 - \mu) - (x_2 - \mu)|| = ||x_1 - x_2||$$

2. μ_{ij} L1 distance.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{h} \sum_{j=1}^{w} ||(p_{ij} - \mu_{ij}) - (q_{ij} - \mu_{ij})|| = \sum_{i=1}^{h} \sum_{j=1}^{w} ||p_{ij} - q_{ij}||$$

3. . 4. . 5. L1 distance

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print('Uh-oh! The distance matrices are different')
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One loop difference was: 0.000000 Good! The distance matrices are the same

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

# check that the distance matrix agrees with the one we computed before:
difference = np.linalg.norm(dists - dists_two, ord='fro')
print('No loop difference was: %f' % (difference, ))
if difference < 0.001:
    print('Good! The distance matrices are the same')
else:
    print('Uh-oh! The distance matrices are different')</pre>
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No loop difference was: 0.000000 Good! The distance matrices are the same

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[13]: # Let's compare how fast the implementations are
     def time_function(f, *args):
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         Call a function f with args and return the time (in seconds) that it took \Box
      \rightarrow to execute.
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         import time
         tic = time.time()
         f(*args)
         toc = time.time()
         return toc - tic
     two_loop_time = time_function(classifier.compute_distances_two_loops, X_test)
     print('Two loop version took %f seconds' % two_loop_time)
     one_loop_time = time_function(classifier.compute_distances_one_loop, X_test)
     print('One loop version took %f seconds' % one loop time)
     no_loop_time = time_function(classifier.compute_distances_no_loops, X_test)
     print('No loop version took %f seconds' % no_loop_time)
     # You should see significantly faster performance with the fully vectorized
      \rightarrow implementation!
     # NOTE: depending on what machine you're using,
     # you might not see a speedup when you go from two loops to one loop,
     # and might even see a slow-down.
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Two loop version took 35.568284 seconds One loop version took 19.411252 seconds No loop version took 0.399809 seconds

1.0.1 Cross-validation

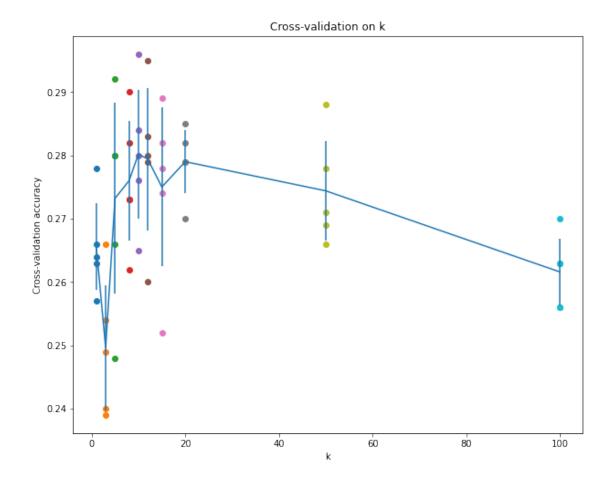
We have implemented the k-Nearest Neighbor classifier but we set the value k = 5 arbitrarily. We will now determine the best value of this hyperparameter with cross-validation.

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[14]: num_folds = 5
    k_{choices} = [1, 3, 5, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20, 50, 100]
    X_train_folds = []
    y_train_folds = []
    # TODO:
    ⇔#
    # Split up the training data into folds. After splitting, X_train_folds and
    # y_train_folds should each be lists of length num_folds, where
    →#
    # y_train_folds[i] is the label vector for the points in X_train_folds[i].
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    # Hint: Look up the numpy array_split function.
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    # *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)****
    X_train_folds = np.array_split(X_train, num_folds)
    y_train_folds = np.array_split(y_train, num_folds)
    # ****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)****
    # A dictionary holding the accuracies for different values of k that we find
    # when running cross-validation. After running cross-validation,
    # k_to_accuracies[k] should be a list of length num_folds giving the different
    # accuracy values that we found when using that value of k.
    k_to_accuracies = {}
    # TODO:
    ⇔#
    \# Perform k-fold cross validation to find the best value of k. For each
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    # possible value of k, run the k-nearest-neighbor algorithm num_folds times,
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# where in each case you use all but one of the folds as training data and the
 →#
# last fold as a validation set. Store the accuracies for all fold and all
# values of k in the k_to_accuracies dictionary.
 →#
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)****
for k in k choices:
 k_to_accuracies[k] = []
 for i in range (num_folds):
   X_train_f = np.concatenate(X_train_folds[:i] + X_train_folds[i + 1:])
   y_train_f = np.concatenate(y_train_folds[:i] + y_train_folds[i + 1:])
   classifier.train(X_train_f, y_train_f)
   y_pred_f = classifier.predict(X_train_folds[i], k=k)
   k_to_accuracies[k].append(np.mean(y_pred_f == y_train_folds[i]))
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)****
# Print out the computed accuracies
for k in sorted(k_to_accuracies):
   for accuracy in k_to_accuracies[k]:
       print('k = %d, accuracy = %f' % (k, accuracy))
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k = 1, accuracy = 0.263000
k = 1, accuracy = 0.257000
k = 1, accuracy = 0.264000
k = 1, accuracy = 0.278000
k = 1, accuracy = 0.266000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.239000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.249000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.240000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.266000
k = 3, accuracy = 0.254000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.248000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.266000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.280000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.292000
k = 5, accuracy = 0.280000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.262000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.282000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.273000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.290000
k = 8, accuracy = 0.273000
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k = 10, accuracy = 0.265000
    k = 10, accuracy = 0.296000
    k = 10, accuracy = 0.276000
    k = 10, accuracy = 0.284000
    k = 10, accuracy = 0.280000
    k = 12, accuracy = 0.260000
    k = 12, accuracy = 0.295000
    k = 12, accuracy = 0.279000
    k = 12, accuracy = 0.283000
    k = 12, accuracy = 0.280000
    k = 15, accuracy = 0.252000
    k = 15, accuracy = 0.289000
    k = 15, accuracy = 0.278000
    k = 15, accuracy = 0.282000
    k = 15, accuracy = 0.274000
    k = 20, accuracy = 0.270000
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    k = 20, accuracy = 0.285000
    k = 50, accuracy = 0.271000
    k = 50, accuracy = 0.288000
    k = 50, accuracy = 0.278000
    k = 50, accuracy = 0.269000
    k = 50, accuracy = 0.266000
    k = 100, accuracy = 0.256000
    k = 100, accuracy = 0.270000
    k = 100, accuracy = 0.263000
    k = 100, accuracy = 0.256000
    k = 100, accuracy = 0.263000
[15]: # plot the raw observations
    for k in k_choices:
         accuracies = k_to_accuracies[k]
         plt.scatter([k] * len(accuracies), accuracies)
     # plot the trend line with error bars that correspond to standard deviation
     accuracies_mean = np.array([np.mean(v) for k,v in sorted(k_to_accuracies.
     →items())])
    accuracies_std = np.array([np.std(v) for k,v in sorted(k_to_accuracies.
     →items())])
    plt.errorbar(k_choices, accuracies_mean, yerr=accuracies_std)
    plt.title('Cross-validation on k')
    plt.xlabel('k')
    plt.ylabel('Cross-validation accuracy')
    plt.show()
```



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

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

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

Got 141 / 500 correct => accuracy: 0.282000

Inline Question 3

Which of the following statements about *k*-Nearest Neighbor (*k*-NN) are true in a classification setting, and for all *k*? Select all that apply. 1. The decision boundary of the k-NN classifier is linear. 2. The training error of a 1-NN will always be lower than or equal to that of 5-NN. 3. The test error

of a 1-NN will always be lower than that of a 5-NN. 4. The time needed to classify a test example with the k-NN classifier grows with the size of the training set. 5. None of the above.

Your Answer: 2, 4

YourExplanation: 1. The decision boundary of the k-NN classifier is not linear. 2. The training error of a 1-NN is zero. So it always lower than or equal to that of 5-NN. 3. The test error dependents on the data, so we can not say that the test error of a 1-NN is always lower than that of a 5-NN. 4. k-NN classifier compares each test example with all training dataset. Therefore if the size of the training set increases, it need more time.

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   %cd drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
   !bash get_datasets.sh
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1 Multiclass Support Vector Machine exercise

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In this exercise you will:

- implement a fully-vectorized **loss function** for the SVM
- implement the fully-vectorized expression for its analytic gradient
- check your implementation using numerical gradient

- use a validation set to tune the learning rate and regularization strength
- optimize the loss function with SGD
- visualize the final learned weights

```
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    # This is a bit of magic to make matplotlib figures appear inline in the
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    # Some more magic so that the notebook will reload external python modules;
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     \rightarrow autoreload-of-modules-in-ipython
    %load_ext autoreload
    %autoreload 2
```

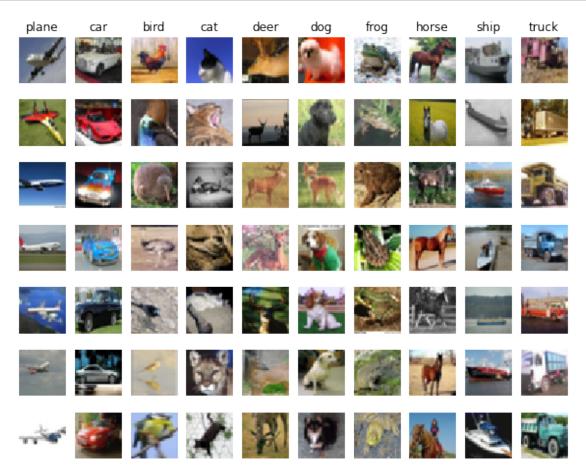
1.1 CIFAR-10 Data Loading and Preprocessing

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[3]: # Load the raw CIFAR-10 data.
    cifar10_dir = 'cs231n/datasets/cifar-10-batches-py'
    # Cleaning up variables to prevent loading data multiple times (which may cause,
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    try:
      del X_train, y_train
      del X_test, y_test
      print('Clear previously loaded data.')
    except:
      pass
    X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test = load_CIFAR10(cifar10_dir)
    # As a sanity check, we print out the size of the training and test data.
    print('Training data shape: ', X_train.shape)
    print('Training labels shape: ', y_train.shape)
    print('Test data shape: ', X_test.shape)
    print('Test labels shape: ', y_test.shape)
```

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

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

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



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[5]: # Split the data into train, val, and test sets. In addition we will
    # create a small development set as a subset of the training data;
   # we can use this for development so our code runs faster.
   num training = 49000
   num validation = 1000
   num_test = 1000
   num_dev = 500
   # Our validation set will be num validation points from the original
   # training set.
   mask = range(num_training, num_training + num_validation)
   X_val = X_train[mask]
   y_val = y_train[mask]
   # Our training set will be the first num train points from the original
   # training set.
   mask = range(num_training)
   X_train = X_train[mask]
   y_train = y_train[mask]
   # We will also make a development set, which is a small subset of
   # the training set.
   mask = np.random.choice(num_training, num_dev, replace=False)
   X dev = X train[mask]
   y_dev = y_train[mask]
   # We use the first num_test points of the original test set as our
   # test set.
   mask = range(num_test)
   X_test = X_test[mask]
   y_test = y_test[mask]
   print('Train data shape: ', X_train.shape)
   print('Train labels shape: ', y_train.shape)
   print('Validation data shape: ', X_val.shape)
   print('Validation labels shape: ', y_val.shape)
   print('Test data shape: ', X_test.shape)
   print('Test labels shape: ', y_test.shape)
   Train data shape: (49000, 32, 32, 3)
   Train labels shape: (49000,)
   Validation data shape: (1000, 32, 32, 3)
   Validation labels shape: (1000,)
   Test data shape: (1000, 32, 32, 3)
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Test labels shape: (1000,)

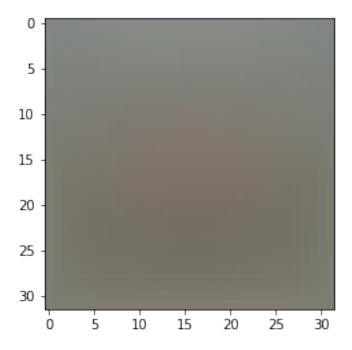
```
[6]: # Preprocessing: reshape the image data into rows
X_train = np.reshape(X_train, (X_train.shape[0], -1))
X_val = np.reshape(X_val, (X_val.shape[0], -1))
X_test = np.reshape(X_test, (X_test.shape[0], -1))
X_dev = np.reshape(X_dev, (X_dev.shape[0], -1))

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

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

```
[7]: # Preprocessing: subtract the mean image
   # first: compute the image mean based on the training data
   mean_image = np.mean(X_train, axis=0)
   print(mean_image[:10]) # print a few of the elements
   plt.figure(figsize=(4,4))
   plt.imshow(mean_image.reshape((32,32,3)).astype('uint8')) # visualize the mean_i
    \rightarrow image
   plt.show()
   # second: subtract the mean image from train and test data
   X_train -= mean_image
   X val -= mean image
   X_test -= mean_image
   X_dev -= mean_image
   # third: append the bias dimension of ones (i.e. bias trick) so that our SVM
   # only has to worry about optimizing a single weight matrix W.
   X_train = np.hstack([X_train, np.ones((X_train.shape[0], 1))])
   X_val = np.hstack([X_val, np.ones((X_val.shape[0], 1))])
   X_test = np.hstack([X_test, np.ones((X_test.shape[0], 1))])
   X_dev = np.hstack([X_dev, np.ones((X_dev.shape[0], 1))])
   print(X_train.shape, X_val.shape, X_test.shape, X_dev.shape)
```

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



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

1.2 SVM Classifier

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

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

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

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

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

loss: 9.119982

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

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

```
[9]: # Once you've implemented the gradient, recompute it with the code below
    # and gradient check it with the function we provided for you
    # Compute the loss and its gradient at W.
   loss, grad = svm loss naive(W, X dev, y dev, 0.0)
    # Numerically compute the gradient along several randomly chosen dimensions,,,
    \hookrightarrow a.n.d.
   \# compare them with your analytically computed gradient. The numbers should
    # almost exactly along all dimensions.
   from cs231n.gradient_check import grad_check_sparse
   f = lambda w: svm loss naive(w, X dev, y dev, 0.0)[0]
   grad_numerical = grad_check_sparse(f, W, grad)
   # do the gradient check once again with regularization turned on
   # you didn't forget the regularization gradient did you?
   loss, grad = svm_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 5e1)
   f = lambda w: svm_loss_naive(w, X_dev, y_dev, 5e1)[0]
   grad_numerical = grad_check_sparse(f, W, grad)
```

```
numerical: -0.150786 analytic: -0.150786, relative error: 3.113097e-09
numerical: -31.816517 analytic: -31.790270, relative error: 4.126414e-04
numerical: 2.347472 analytic: 2.347472, relative error: 7.927176e-11
numerical: 6.642581 analytic: 6.642581, relative error: 2.268722e-12
numerical: -1.855105 analytic: -1.800942, relative error: 1.481471e-02
numerical: -20.371357 analytic: -20.371357, relative error: 5.977823e-12
numerical: 23.112393 analytic: 23.112393, relative error: 2.665028e-12
numerical: -13.604649 analytic: -13.604649, relative error: 6.035591e-13
numerical: -15.149942 analytic: -15.149942, relative error: 1.903066e-11
numerical: -4.231069 analytic: -4.231069, relative error: 7.366628e-11
numerical: -14.858172 analytic: -14.858172, relative error: 3.496841e-12
numerical: -13.712508 analytic: -13.712508, relative error: 2.268288e-11
numerical: 24.839397 analytic: 24.839397, relative error: 1.578758e-11
numerical: 11.349994 analytic: 11.344272, relative error: 2.521323e-04
numerical: 42.512698 analytic: 42.512698, relative error: 3.019406e-12
numerical: -12.456114 analytic: -12.456114, relative error: 2.379207e-11
numerical: -2.028734 analytic: -2.030971, relative error: 5.508492e-04
numerical: 13.519177 analytic: 13.519177, relative error: 5.167910e-12
numerical: -12.843309 analytic: -12.843309, relative error: 2.099565e-11
numerical: 8.569961 analytic: 8.569961, relative error: 3.321616e-13
```

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

 $Your Answer : \max(0, x) \quad x = 0 \quad . \quad x \quad 0 \quad \max(0, x) = 0 \text{ analytic gradient } 0 \text{ numerical gradient } 0$

Naive loss: 9.119982e+00 computed in 0.156178s Vectorized loss: 9.119982e+00 computed in 0.013742s difference: -0.000000

```
[11]: # Complete the implementation of sum_loss_vectorized, and compute the gradient
     # of the loss function in a vectorized way.
     # The naive implementation and the vectorized implementation should match, but
     # the vectorized version should still be much faster.
     tic = time.time()
     _, grad_naive = svm_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
     toc = time.time()
     print('Naive loss and gradient: computed in %fs' % (toc - tic))
     tic = time.time()
     _, grad_vectorized = svm_loss_vectorized(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
     toc = time.time()
     print('Vectorized loss and gradient: computed in %fs' % (toc - tic))
     # The loss is a single number, so it is easy to compare the values computed
     # by the two implementations. The gradient on the other hand is a matrix, so
     # we use the Frobenius norm to compare them.
     difference = np.linalg.norm(grad_naive - grad_vectorized, ord='fro')
     print('difference: %f' % difference)
```

Naive loss and gradient: computed in 0.127068s Vectorized loss and gradient: computed in 0.011926s

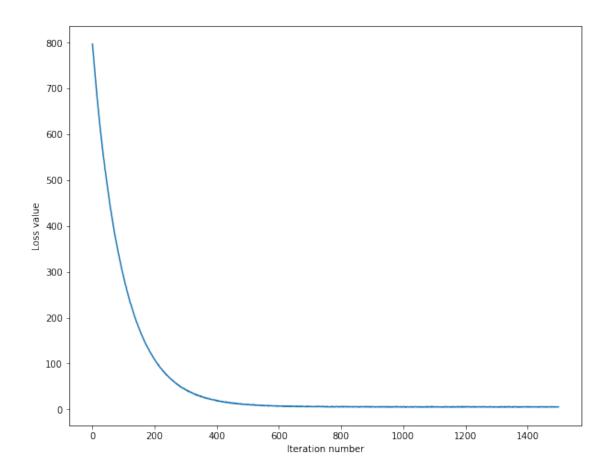
difference: 0.000000

1.2.1 Stochastic Gradient Descent

plt.show()

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

```
[12]: # In the file linear_classifier.py, implement SGD in the function
     # LinearClassifier.train() and then run it with the code below.
     from cs231n.classifiers import LinearSVM
     svm = LinearSVM()
     tic = time.time()
     loss_hist = svm.train(X_train, y_train, learning_rate=1e-7, reg=2.5e4,
                           num_iters=1500, verbose=True)
     toc = time.time()
     print('That took %fs' % (toc - tic))
    iteration 0 / 1500: loss 797.151251
    iteration 100 / 1500: loss 289.085134
    iteration 200 / 1500: loss 108.613318
    iteration 300 / 1500: loss 43.115768
    iteration 400 / 1500: loss 18.834352
    iteration 500 / 1500: loss 10.513226
    iteration 600 / 1500: loss 7.088545
    iteration 700 / 1500: loss 5.709363
    iteration 800 / 1500: loss 5.876585
    iteration 900 / 1500: loss 5.946225
    iteration 1000 / 1500: loss 5.502599
    iteration 1100 / 1500: loss 5.159515
    iteration 1200 / 1500: loss 5.498376
    iteration 1300 / 1500: loss 5.392125
    iteration 1400 / 1500: loss 4.929799
    That took 9.242243s
[13]: # A useful debugging strategy is to plot the loss as a function of
     # iteration number:
     plt.plot(loss_hist)
     plt.xlabel('Iteration number')
     plt.ylabel('Loss value')
```



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

training accuracy: 0.370735 validation accuracy: 0.369000

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

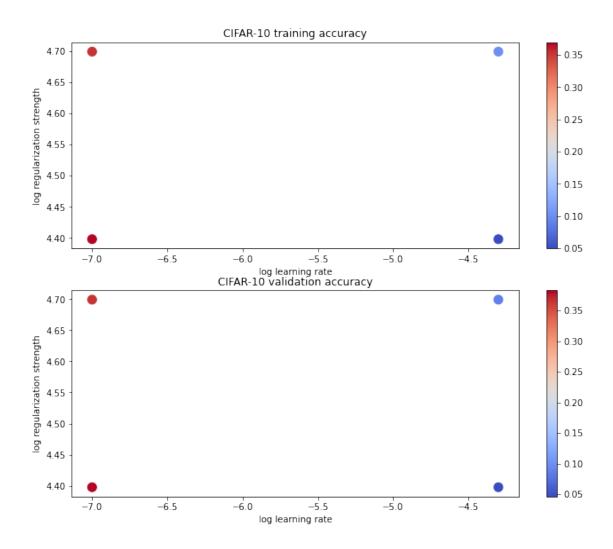
# Note: you may see runtime/overflow warnings during hyper-parameter search. # This may be caused by extreme values, and is not a bug.

# results is dictionary mapping tuples of the form # (learning_rate, regularization_strength) to tuples of the form
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# (training accuracy, validation accuracy). The accuracy is simply the fraction
# of data points that are correctly classified.
results = {}
best_val = -1  # The highest validation accuracy that we have seen so far.
best_svm = None # The LinearSVM object that achieved the highest validation_
\rightarrow rate.
# TODO:
→#
# Write code that chooses the best hyperparameters by tuning on the validation
# set. For each combination of hyperparameters, train a linear SVM on the
# training set, compute its accuracy on the training and validation sets, and [
# store these numbers in the results dictionary. In addition, store the best
# validation accuracy in best val and the LinearSVM object that achieves this
⇔#
# accuracy in best sum.
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⇔#
# Hint: You should use a small value for num_iters as you develop your
# validation code so that the SVMs don't take much time to train; once you are
# confident that your validation code works, you should rerun the validation
# code with a larger value for num_iters.
⇔#
# Provided as a reference. You may or may not want to change these
\rightarrowhyperparameters
learning_rates = [1e-7, 5e-5]
regularization_strengths = [2.5e4, 5e4]
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)****
for reg in regularization_strengths:
 for lr in learning rates:
   svm = LinearSVM()
   loss_hist = svm.train(X_train, y_train, lr, reg, num_iters = 1500)
   y_train_pred = svm.predict(X_train)
```

```
y_val_pred = svm.predict(X_val)
    train_accuracy = np.mean(y_train == y_train_pred)
    val_accuracy = np.mean(y_val == y_val_pred)
    if val_accuracy > best_val:
      best_val = val_accuracy
      best_svm = svm
    results[(lr, reg)] = train_accuracy, val_accuracy
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
# Print out results.
for lr, reg in sorted(results):
    train_accuracy, val_accuracy = results[(lr, reg)]
    print('lr %e reg %e train accuracy: %f val accuracy: %f' % (
                lr, reg, train_accuracy, val_accuracy))
print('best validation accuracy achieved during cross-validation: %f' %L
 →best_val)
/content/drive/My Drive/Colab
Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/cs231n/classifiers/linear_svm.py:92:
RuntimeWarning: overflow encountered in double_scalars
  loss += reg * np.sum(W * W)
/usr/local/lib/python3.7/dist-packages/numpy/core/fromnumeric.py:87:
RuntimeWarning: overflow encountered in reduce
  return ufunc.reduce(obj, axis, dtype, out, **passkwargs)
/content/drive/My Drive/Colab
Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/cs231n/classifiers/linear svm.py:92:
RuntimeWarning: overflow encountered in multiply
 loss += reg * np.sum(W * W)
/content/drive/My Drive/Colab
Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/cs231n/classifiers/linear svm.py:113:
RuntimeWarning: overflow encountered in multiply
  dW += reg * 2 * W
/content/drive/My Drive/Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/cs231n/cl
assifiers/linear_classifier.py:86: RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in
subtract
  self.W -= grad * learning_rate
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.369592 val accuracy: 0.383000
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 5.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.354265 val accuracy: 0.367000
lr 5.000000e-05 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.049388 val accuracy: 0.046000
lr 5.000000e-05 reg 5.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.100265 val accuracy: 0.087000
best validation accuracy achieved during cross-validation: 0.383000
```

```
[16]: # Visualize the cross-validation results
     import math
     import pdb
     # pdb.set_trace()
     x_scatter = [math.log10(x[0]) for x in results]
     y_scatter = [math.log10(x[1]) for x in results]
     # plot training accuracy
     marker size = 100
     colors = [results[x][0] for x in results]
     plt.subplot(2, 1, 1)
     plt.tight_layout(pad=3)
     plt.scatter(x_scatter, y_scatter, marker_size, c=colors, cmap=plt.cm.coolwarm)
    plt.colorbar()
     plt.xlabel('log learning rate')
     plt.ylabel('log regularization strength')
     plt.title('CIFAR-10 training accuracy')
     # plot validation accuracy
     colors = [results[x][1] for x in results] # default size of markers is 20
     plt.subplot(2, 1, 2)
     plt.scatter(x_scatter, y_scatter, marker_size, c=colors, cmap=plt.cm.coolwarm)
     plt.colorbar()
     plt.xlabel('log learning rate')
     plt.ylabel('log regularization strength')
     plt.title('CIFAR-10 validation accuracy')
     plt.show()
```



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

linear SVM on raw pixels final test set accuracy: 0.369000

```
[18]: # Visualize the learned weights for each class.
# Depending on your choice of learning rate and regularization strength, these
→may
# or may not be nice to look at.
w = best_svm.W[:-1,:] # strip out the bias
w = w.reshape(32, 32, 3, 10)
w_min, w_max = np.min(w), np.max(w)
classes = ['plane', 'car', 'bird', 'cat', 'deer', 'dog', 'frog', 'horse', □
→'ship', 'truck']
```

```
for i in range(10):
    plt.subplot(2, 5, i + 1)

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





Inline question 2

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

Your Answer: class templete . example (score) example .

softmax

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```
[1]: # This mounts your Google Drive to the Colab VM.
   from google.colab import drive
   drive.mount('/content/drive', force_remount=True)
    # Enter the foldername in your Drive where you have saved the unzipped
    # assignment folder, e.g. 'cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
   FOLDERNAME = 'Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
   assert FOLDERNAME is not None, "[!] Enter the foldername."
   # Now that we've mounted your Drive, this ensures that
    # the Python interpreter of the Colab VM can load
    # python files from within it.
   import sys
   sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))
    # This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
   # if it doesn't already exist.
   %cd drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
    !bash get_datasets.sh
   %cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
```

Mounted at /content/drive /content/drive/My Drive/Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/cs231n/datasets /content/drive/My Drive/Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1

1 Softmax exercise

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

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

- implement a fully-vectorized loss function for the Softmax classifier
- implement the fully-vectorized expression for its analytic gradient
- check your implementation with numerical gradient

- use a validation set to tune the learning rate and regularization strength
- optimize the loss function with SGD
- visualize the final learned weights

```
[2]: import random
    import numpy as np
    from cs231n.data_utils import load_CIFAR10
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    %matplotlib inline
    plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10.0, 8.0) # set default size of plots
    plt.rcParams['image.interpolation'] = 'nearest'
    plt.rcParams['image.cmap'] = 'gray'
    # for auto-reloading extenrnal modules
    # see http://stackoverflow.com/questions/1907993/
     \rightarrow autoreload-of-modules-in-ipython
    %load_ext autoreload
    %autoreload 2
[3]: def get CIFAR10 data(num training=49000, num validation=1000, num test=1000,
     \rightarrownum_dev=500):
        11 11 11
        Load the CIFAR-10 dataset from disk and perform preprocessing to prepare
        it for the linear classifier. These are the same steps as we used for the
        SVM, but condensed to a single function.
        11 11 11
        # Load the raw CIFAR-10 data
        cifar10_dir = 'cs231n/datasets/cifar-10-batches-py'
        # Cleaning up variables to prevent loading data multiple times (which may_
     →cause memory issue)
        try:
           del X_train, y_train
           del X_test, y_test
           print('Clear previously loaded data.')
        except:
           pass
        X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test = load_CIFAR10(cifar10_dir)
        # subsample the data
        mask = list(range(num_training, num_training + num_validation))
        X_val = X_train[mask]
        y_val = y_train[mask]
        mask = list(range(num_training))
        X_train = X_train[mask]
        y_train = y_train[mask]
```

```
mask = list(range(num_test))
    X_test = X_test[mask]
    y_test = y_test[mask]
    mask = np.random.choice(num_training, num_dev, replace=False)
    X_dev = X_train[mask]
    y_dev = y_train[mask]
    # Preprocessing: reshape the image data into rows
    X train = np.reshape(X train, (X train.shape[0], -1))
    X_val = np.reshape(X_val, (X_val.shape[0], -1))
    X test = np.reshape(X test, (X test.shape[0], -1))
    X_dev = np.reshape(X_dev, (X_dev.shape[0], -1))
    # Normalize the data: subtract the mean image
    mean_image = np.mean(X_train, axis = 0)
    X_train -= mean_image
    X_val -= mean_image
    X_test -= mean_image
    X_dev -= mean_image
    # add bias dimension and transform into columns
    X_train = np.hstack([X_train, np.ones((X_train.shape[0], 1))])
    X_val = np.hstack([X_val, np.ones((X_val.shape[0], 1))])
    X test = np.hstack([X test, np.ones((X test.shape[0], 1))])
    X_dev = np.hstack([X_dev, np.ones((X_dev.shape[0], 1))])
    return X_train, y_train, X_val, y_val, X_test, y_test, X_dev, y_dev
# Invoke the above function to get our data.
X_train, y_train, X_val, y_val, X_test, y_test, X_dev, y_dev =_
 →get_CIFAR10_data()
print('Train data shape: ', X_train.shape)
print('Train labels shape: ', y train.shape)
print('Validation data shape: ', X_val.shape)
print('Validation labels shape: ', y_val.shape)
print('Test data shape: ', X_test.shape)
print('Test labels shape: ', y_test.shape)
print('dev data shape: ', X_dev.shape)
print('dev labels shape: ', y_dev.shape)
Train data shape: (49000, 3073)
```

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

dev data shape: (500, 3073) dev labels shape: (500,)

1.1 Softmax Classifier

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

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

from cs231n.classifiers.softmax import softmax_loss_naive
import time

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

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

loss: 2.316741

sanity check: 2.302585

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Why do we expect our loss to be close to $-\log(0.1)$? Explain briefly.** *Your Answer*: CIFAR-10 10 $\log 10 = -\log(0.1)$.

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

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

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

```
numerical: 0.357018 analytic: 0.357018, relative error: 1.205248e-07 numerical: 2.971463 analytic: 2.971463, relative error: 6.267301e-10 numerical: -0.945866 analytic: -0.945866, relative error: 6.754505e-09 numerical: 1.754888 analytic: 1.754888, relative error: 3.102076e-09 numerical: 0.326239 analytic: 0.326239, relative error: 6.372628e-08
```

```
numerical: 2.280216 analytic: 2.280216, relative error: 7.699599e-09 numerical: -0.071741 analytic: -0.071741, relative error: 1.326243e-07 numerical: 2.107983 analytic: 2.107983, relative error: 1.406098e-09 numerical: 2.287670 analytic: 2.287670, relative error: 2.244400e-08 numerical: -4.825986 analytic: -4.825986, relative error: 1.082312e-08 numerical: 2.691030 analytic: 2.691030, relative error: 4.934878e-09 numerical: -3.030093 analytic: -3.030093, relative error: 1.527416e-08 numerical: -0.308801 analytic: -0.308801, relative error: 5.339638e-08 numerical: 4.652558 analytic: 4.652558, relative error: 3.134152e-10 numerical: -1.220124 analytic: -1.220124, relative error: 5.717201e-09 numerical: 5.054359 analytic: 5.054359, relative error: 1.055317e-08 numerical: 0.630995 analytic: 0.630995, relative error: 1.963146e-08 numerical: -3.643637 analytic: -3.643637, relative error: 1.861386e-08 numerical: 3.217867 analytic: 3.217867, relative error: 1.093848e-08 numerical: -1.133504 analytic: -1.133504, relative error: 3.948723e-08
```

```
[6]: # Now that we have a naive implementation of the softmax loss function and its \Box
    \rightarrow gradient,
    # implement a vectorized version in softmax_loss_vectorized.
    # The two versions should compute the same results, but the vectorized version_
    ⇔should be
    # much faster.
   tic = time.time()
   loss_naive, grad_naive = softmax_loss_naive(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.000005)
   toc = time.time()
   print('naive loss: %e computed in %fs' % (loss_naive, toc - tic))
   from cs231n.classifiers.softmax import softmax_loss_vectorized
   tic = time.time()
   loss_vectorized, grad_vectorized = softmax_loss_vectorized(W, X_dev, y_dev, 0.
    →000005)
   toc = time.time()
   print('vectorized loss: %e computed in %fs' % (loss_vectorized, toc - tic))
   # As we did for the SVM, we use the Frobenius norm to compare the two versions
   # of the gradient.
   grad_difference = np.linalg.norm(grad_naive - grad_vectorized, ord='fro')
   print('Loss difference: %f' % np.abs(loss_naive - loss_vectorized))
   print('Gradient difference: %f' % grad_difference)
```

naive loss: 2.316741e+00 computed in 0.097889s vectorized loss: 2.316741e+00 computed in 0.015547s Loss difference: 0.000000 Gradient difference: 0.000000

[7]: # Use the validation set to tune hyperparameters (regularization strength and # learning rate). You should experiment with different ranges for the learning

```
# rates and regularization strengths; if you are careful you should be able to
# get a classification accuracy of over 0.35 on the validation set.
from cs231n.classifiers import Softmax
results = {}
best_val = -1
best softmax = None
# TODO:
⇔#
# Use the validation set to set the learning rate and regularization strength. \Box
# This should be identical to the validation that you did for the SVM; save
# the best trained softmax classifer in best softmax.
                                                                      ш
⇔#
# Provided as a reference. You may or may not want to change these,
\rightarrowhyperparameters
learning_rates = [1e-7, 5e-7]
regularization_strengths = [2.5e4, 5e4]
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)****
for lr in learning_rates:
 for reg in regularization strengths:
   softmax = Softmax()
   softmax.train(X_train, y_train, lr, reg, num_iters = 1500)
   y_train_pred = softmax.predict(X_train)
   y val pred = softmax.predict(X val)
   train_accuracy = np.mean(y_train == y_train_pred)
   val_accuracy = np.mean(y_val == y_val_pred)
   if val_accuracy > best_val:
     best_val = val_accuracy
     best_softmax = softmax
   results[(lr, reg)] = train_accuracy, val_accuracy
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE) ****
# Print out results.
for lr, reg in sorted(results):
   train_accuracy, val_accuracy = results[(lr, reg)]
```

```
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.325143 val accuracy: 0.347000
lr 1.000000e-07 reg 5.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.309510 val accuracy: 0.326000
lr 5.000000e-07 reg 2.500000e+04 train accuracy: 0.323347 val accuracy: 0.340000
lr 5.000000e-07 reg 5.000000e+04 train accuracy: 0.301184 val accuracy: 0.319000
best validation accuracy achieved during cross-validation: 0.347000
```

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

softmax on raw pixels final test set accuracy: 0.339000

Inline Question 2 - *True or False*

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

Your Answer : True

Your Explanation: loss SVM individual score softmax individual score SVM margin loss.

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

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

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

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





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```
[1]: # This mounts your Google Drive to the Colab VM.
   from google.colab import drive
   drive.mount('/content/drive', force_remount=True)
    # Enter the foldername in your Drive where you have saved the unzipped
    # assignment folder, e.g. 'cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
   FOLDERNAME = 'Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
   assert FOLDERNAME is not None, "[!] Enter the foldername."
    # Now that we've mounted your Drive, this ensures that
    # the Python interpreter of the Colab VM can load
    # python files from within it.
   import sys
   sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))
   # This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
    # if it doesn't already exist.
   %cd drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
    !bash get_datasets.sh
   %cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
```

```
Mounted at /content/drive /content/drive/My Drive/Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/cs231n/datasets /content/drive/My Drive/Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1
```

1 Fully-Connected Neural Nets

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

```
def layer_forward(x, w):
    """ Receive inputs x and weights w """
# Do some computations ...
```

```
z = # ... some intermediate value
# Do some more computations ...
out = # the output

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

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

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

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

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

```
[2]: # 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/
    \rightarrow 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))))

[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))
    ('y_test: ', (1000,))
```

2 Affine layer: forward

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

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

```
[4]: # Test the affine_forward function
   num_inputs = 2
   input\_shape = (4, 5, 6)
   output_dim = 3
   input_size = num_inputs * np.prod(input_shape)
   weight_size = output_dim * np.prod(input_shape)
   x = np.linspace(-0.1, 0.5, num=input_size).reshape(num_inputs, *input_shape)
   w = np.linspace(-0.2, 0.3, num=weight_size).reshape(np.prod(input_shape),_
    →output_dim)
   b = np.linspace(-0.3, 0.1, num=output_dim)
   out, _ = affine_forward(x, w, b)
   correct_out = np.array([[ 1.49834967, 1.70660132, 1.91485297],
                            [ 3.25553199, 3.5141327, 3.77273342]])
   # Compare your output with ours. The error should be around e-9 or less.
   print('Testing affine_forward function:')
   print('difference: ', rel_error(out, correct_out))
```

Testing affine_forward function: difference: 9.769849468192957e-10

3 Affine layer: backward

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

```
[5]: # Test the affine_backward function
    np.random.seed(231)
    x = np.random.randn(10, 2, 3)
    w = np.random.randn(6, 5)
    b = np.random.randn(5)
    dout = np.random.randn(10, 5)
    dx_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda x: affine_forward(x, w, b)[0], x,_
     →dout)
    dw_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda w: affine_forward(x, w, b)[0], w,_
    dout) →
    db_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda b: affine_forward(x, w, b)[0], b,_
     →dout)
    _, cache = affine_forward(x, w, b)
    dx, dw, db = affine_backward(dout, cache)
    # The error should be around e-10 or less
    print('Testing affine_backward function:')
    print('dx error: ', rel_error(dx_num, dx))
    print('dw error: ', rel error(dw num, dw))
    print('db error: ', rel_error(db_num, db))
```

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

4 ReLU activation: forward

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

```
print('Testing relu_forward function:')
print('difference: ', rel_error(out, correct_out))
```

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

5 ReLU activation: backward

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

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

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

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

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

Testing relu_backward function: dx error: 3.2756349136310288e-12

5.1 Inline Question 1:

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

5.2 Answer:

- 1. Sigmoid [-1e5, 1e5] 0 gradient 0.
- 2. ReLU [-1, -2, -3] 0 gradient 0 0.
- 3. Leaky ReLU ReLU 0 . [0, 0, 0] 0 .

6 "Sandwich" layers

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

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

```
[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, 10)
    b = np.random.randn(10)
    dout = np.random.randn(2, 10)
    out, cache = affine_relu_forward(x, w, b)
    dx, dw, db = affine_relu_backward(dout, cache)
    dx num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda x: affine relu_forward(x, w,__
    \rightarrowb)[0], x, dout)
    dw_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda w: affine_relu_forward(x, w,__
    \rightarrowb)[0], w, dout)
    db_num = eval_numerical_gradient_array(lambda b: affine_relu_forward(x, w,_
     \rightarrowb)[0], b, dout)
    # Relative error should be around e-10 or less
    print('Testing affine_relu_forward and affine_relu_backward:')
    print('dx error: ', rel_error(dx_num, dx))
    print('dw error: ', rel_error(dw_num, dw))
    print('db error: ', rel_error(db_num, db))
```

Testing affine_relu_forward and affine_relu_backward:

dx error: 2.299579177309368e-11 dw error: 8.162011105764925e-11 db error: 7.826724021458994e-12

7 Loss layers: Softmax and SVM

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

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

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

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

8 Two-layer network

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

```
[10]: np.random.seed(231)
    N, D, H, C = 3, 5, 50, 7
    X = np.random.randn(N, D)
     y = np.random.randint(C, size=N)
     std = 1e-3
     model = TwoLayerNet(input_dim=D, hidden_dim=H, num_classes=C, weight_scale=std)
     print('Testing initialization ... ')
     W1_std = abs(model.params['W1'].std() - std)
     b1 = model.params['b1']
     W2_std = abs(model.params['W2'].std() - std)
     b2 = model.params['b2']
     assert W1_std < std / 10, 'First layer weights do not seem right'
     assert np.all(b1 == 0), 'First layer biases do not seem right'
     assert W2_std < std / 10, 'Second layer weights do not seem right'
     assert np.all(b2 == 0), 'Second layer biases do not seem right'
     print('Testing test-time forward pass ... ')
```

```
model.params['W1'] = np.linspace(-0.7, 0.3, num=D*H).reshape(D, H)
model.params['b1'] = np.linspace(-0.1, 0.9, num=H)
model.params['W2'] = np.linspace(-0.3, 0.4, num=H*C).reshape(H, C)
model.params['b2'] = np.linspace(-0.9, 0.1, num=C)
X = np.linspace(-5.5, 4.5, num=N*D).reshape(D, N).T
scores = model.loss(X)
correct_scores = np.asarray(
  [[11.53165108, 12.2917344, 13.05181771, 13.81190102, 14.57198434, 15.
 \rightarrow 33206765, 16.09215096],
   [12.05769098, 12.74614105, 13.43459113, 14.1230412, 14.81149128, 15.
 →49994135, 16.18839143],
   [12.58373087, 13.20054771, 13.81736455, 14.43418138, 15.05099822, 15.
 →66781506, 16.2846319 ]])
scores_diff = np.abs(scores - correct_scores).sum()
assert scores_diff < 1e-6, 'Problem with test-time forward pass'
print('Testing training loss (no regularization)')
y = np.asarray([0, 5, 1])
loss, grads = model.loss(X, y)
correct_loss = 3.4702243556
assert abs(loss - correct_loss) < 1e-10, 'Problem with training-time loss'
model.reg = 1.0
loss, grads = model.loss(X, y)
correct loss = 26.5948426952
assert abs(loss - correct_loss) < 1e-10, 'Problem with regularization loss'</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: 3.20e-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: 9.09e-10
```

9 Solver

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

```
[16]: input_size = 32 * 32 * 3
   hidden_size = 50
   num_classes = 10
   model = TwoLayerNet(input_size, hidden_size, num_classes)
   solver = None
   # TODO: Use a Solver instance to train a TwoLayerNet that achieves about 36% #
   # accuracy on the validation set.
   # *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)*****
   solver = Solver(model, data, update_rule = 'sgd',
             optim_config = {'learning_rate': 1e-4},
             lr_decay = 0.95, num_epochs = 5, batch_size = 200, print_every_
   = 1000)
   solver.train()
   # *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)****
   END OF YOUR CODE
```

```
(Iteration 1 / 1225) loss: 2.302106

(Epoch 0 / 5) train acc: 0.113000; val_acc: 0.120000

(Epoch 1 / 5) train acc: 0.246000; val_acc: 0.244000

(Epoch 2 / 5) train acc: 0.291000; val_acc: 0.299000

(Epoch 3 / 5) train acc: 0.339000; val_acc: 0.337000

(Epoch 4 / 5) train acc: 0.356000; val_acc: 0.347000

(Iteration 1001 / 1225) loss: 1.817114

(Epoch 5 / 5) train acc: 0.392000; val_acc: 0.373000
```

10 Debug the training

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

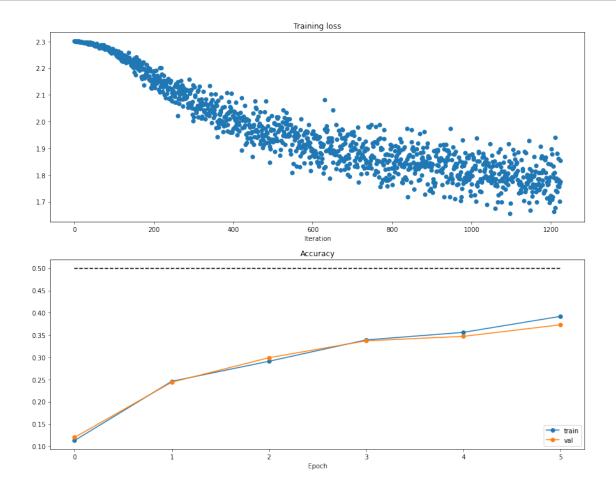
One strategy for getting insight into what's wrong is to plot the loss function and the accuracies on the training and validation sets during optimization.

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

```
[17]: # 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()
```

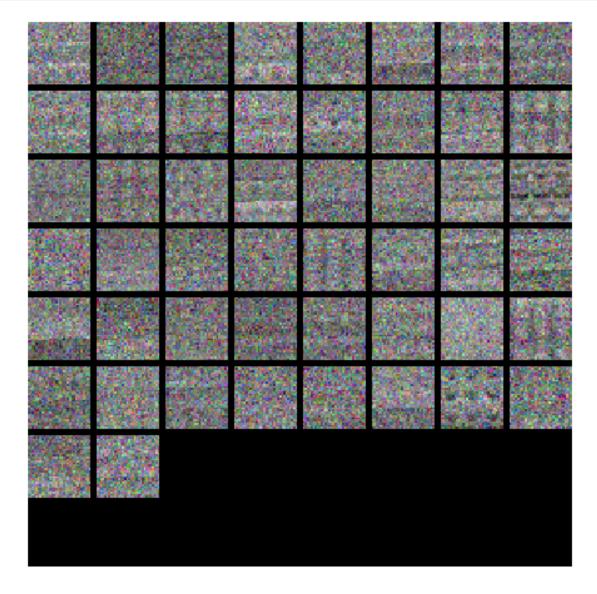


```
[18]: from cs231n.vis_utils import visualize_grid

# Visualize the weights of the network

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

show_net_weights(model)
```



11 Tune your hyperparameters

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

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

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

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

```
[21]: best_model = None
    # TODO: Tune hyperparameters using the validation set. Store your best trained \Box
    # model in best model.
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     →#
    #
     →#
    # To help debug your network, it may help to use visualizations similar to the ...
    # ones we used above; these visualizations will have significant qualitative
    # differences from the ones we saw above for the poorly tuned network.
     →#
    #
    # Tweaking hyperparameters by hand can be fun, but you might find it useful to u
    # write code to sweep through possible combinations of hyperparameters
    # automatically like we did on thexs previous exercises.
                                                                           ш
```

```
# *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE)****
hidden_size = [30, 50, 80, 100]
learning_rate = [1e-3, 1e-4]
num_epochs = [5, 10, 15]
best acc = -1
for hs in hidden size:
 for lr in learning rate:
   for ep in num epochs:
    model = TwoLayerNet(input_size, hs, num_classes)
    solver = Solver(model, data, update_rule = 'sgd',
            optim_config = {'learning_rate': lr},
            lr_decay = 0.95, num_epochs = ep, batch_size = 200, verbose =_
→False)
    solver.train()
    print('lr %e hs %d ep %d accuracy: %f' % (lr, hs, ep, solver.
→best val acc))
    if solver.best_val_acc > best_acc:
      best_acc = solver.best_val_acc
      best_model = model
print('best accuracy: %f' % best_acc)
# *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE) *****
END OF YOUR CODE
→#
```

```
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 30 ep 5 accuracy: 0.465000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 30 ep 10 accuracy: 0.486000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 30 ep 15 accuracy: 0.497000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 30 ep 5 accuracy: 0.370000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 30 ep 10 accuracy: 0.413000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 30 ep 15 accuracy: 0.448000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 50 ep 5 accuracy: 0.487000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 50 ep 10 accuracy: 0.496000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 50 ep 15 accuracy: 0.517000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 50 ep 15 accuracy: 0.373000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 50 ep 10 accuracy: 0.425000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 50 ep 15 accuracy: 0.439000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 80 ep 5 accuracy: 0.530000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 80 ep 10 accuracy: 0.530000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 80 ep 10 accuracy: 0.538000
```

```
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 80 ep 5 accuracy: 0.383000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 80 ep 10 accuracy: 0.433000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 80 ep 15 accuracy: 0.452000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 100 ep 5 accuracy: 0.491000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 100 ep 10 accuracy: 0.514000
lr 1.000000e-03 hs 100 ep 15 accuracy: 0.545000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 100 ep 5 accuracy: 0.385000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 100 ep 10 accuracy: 0.434000
lr 1.000000e-04 hs 100 ep 15 accuracy: 0.458000
best accuracy: 0.545000
```

12 Test your model!

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

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

Validation set accuracy: 0.545

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

Test set accuracy: 0.517

12.1 Inline Question 2:

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

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

```
Your Answer: 1, 3
Your Explanation: overfitting regularization strength overfitting.

[]:
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```
[1]: # This mounts your Google Drive to the Colab VM.
   from google.colab import drive
   drive.mount('/content/drive', force_remount=True)
   # Enter the foldername in your Drive where you have saved the unzipped
   # assignment folder, e.g. 'cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
   FOLDERNAME = 'Colab Notebooks/cs231n/assignments/assignment1/'
   assert FOLDERNAME is not None, "[!] Enter the foldername."
   # Now that we've mounted your Drive, this ensures that
   # the Python interpreter of the Colab VM can load
   # python files from within it.
   import sys
   sys.path.append('/content/drive/My Drive/{}'.format(FOLDERNAME))
   # This downloads the CIFAR-10 dataset to your Drive
   # if it doesn't already exist.
   %cd drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME/cs231n/datasets/
   !bash get_datasets.sh
   %cd /content/drive/My\ Drive/$FOLDERNAME
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1 Image features exercise

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

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

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

1.1 Load data

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

```
[3]: from cs231n.features import color_histogram_hsv, hog_feature
   def get_CIFAR10_data(num_training=49000, num_validation=1000, num_test=1000):
        # Load the raw CIFAR-10 data
        cifar10 dir = 'cs231n/datasets/cifar-10-batches-py'
       # Cleaning up variables to prevent loading data multiple times (which may
     →cause memory issue)
       try:
          del X_train, y_train
          del X_test, y_test
          print('Clear previously loaded data.')
       except:
          pass
       X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test = load_CIFAR10(cifar10_dir)
        # Subsample the data
       mask = list(range(num_training, num_training + num_validation))
       X_val = X_train[mask]
       y_val = y_train[mask]
       mask = list(range(num_training))
       X_train = X_train[mask]
       y_train = y_train[mask]
       mask = list(range(num_test))
       X_test = X_test[mask]
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y_test = y_test[mask]
return X_train, y_train, X_val, y_val, X_test, y_test
X_train, y_train, X_val, y_val, X_test, y_test = get_CIFAR10_data()
```

1.2 Extract Features

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

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

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

```
[4]: from cs231n.features import *
   num_color_bins = 10 # Number of bins in the color histogram
   feature_fns = [hog_feature, lambda img: color_histogram_hsv(img,_
     →nbin=num_color_bins)]
   X_train_feats = extract_features(X_train, feature_fns, verbose=True)
   X_val_feats = extract_features(X_val, feature_fns)
   X_test_feats = extract_features(X_test, feature_fns)
   # Preprocessing: Subtract the mean feature
   mean_feat = np.mean(X_train_feats, axis=0, keepdims=True)
   X_train_feats -= mean_feat
   X_val_feats -= mean_feat
   X_test_feats -= mean_feat
   # Preprocessing: Divide by standard deviation. This ensures that each feature
   # has roughly the same scale.
   std_feat = np.std(X_train_feats, axis=0, keepdims=True)
   X_train_feats /= std_feat
   X_val_feats /= std_feat
   X_test_feats /= std_feat
   # Preprocessing: Add a bias dimension
   X_train_feats = np.hstack([X_train_feats, np.ones((X_train_feats.shape[0], 1))])
   X_val_feats = np.hstack([X_val_feats, np.ones((X_val_feats.shape[0], 1))])
   X_test_feats = np.hstack([X_test_feats, np.ones((X_test_feats.shape[0], 1))])
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1.3 Train SVM on features

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

```
[5]: # Use the validation set to tune the learning rate and regularization strength
   from cs231n.classifiers.linear_classifier import LinearSVM
   learning_rates = [1e-9, 1e-8, 1e-7]
   regularization_strengths = [5e4, 5e5, 5e6]
   results = {}
   best_val = -1
   best svm = None
   # TODO:
    ⇔#
   # Use the validation set to set the learning rate and regularization strength.
   # This should be identical to the validation that you did for the SVM; save
   # the best trained classifer in best_sum. You might also want to play
    ⇔#
   # with different numbers of bins in the color histogram. If you are careful
   # you should be able to get accuracy of near 0.44 on the validation set.
   # *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE) *****
   for lr in learning_rates:
     for rs in regularization_strengths:
      svm = LinearSVM()
      svm.train(X_train_feats, y_train, lr, rs, num_iters = 1500)
      y_train_pred = svm.predict(X_train_feats)
      y_val_pred = svm.predict(X_val_feats)
      train_accuracy = np.mean(y_train == y_train_pred)
      val_accuracy = np.mean(y_val == y_val_pred)
      results[(lr, rs)] = (train_accuracy, val_accuracy)
      if val_accuracy > best_val:
        best_val = val_accuracy
        best_svm = svm
```

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```

```
[6]: # Evaluate your trained SVM on the test set: you should be able to get at least

→0.40

y_test_pred = best_svm.predict(X_test_feats)

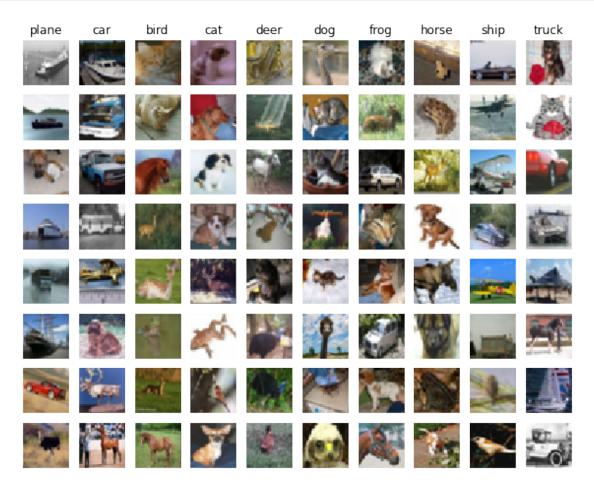
test_accuracy = np.mean(y_test == y_test_pred)

print(test_accuracy)
```

0.413

```
[7]: # An important way to gain intuition about how an algorithm works is to
    # visualize the mistakes that it makes. In this visualization, we show examples
    # of images that are misclassified by our current system. The first column
    # shows images that our system labeled as "plane" but whose true label is
   # something other than "plane".
   examples_per_class = 8
   classes = ['plane', 'car', 'bird', 'cat', 'deer', 'dog', 'frog', 'horse', _
    for cls, cls_name in enumerate(classes):
       idxs = np.where((y_test != cls) & (y_test_pred == cls))[0]
       idxs = np.random.choice(idxs, examples_per_class, replace=False)
       for i, idx in enumerate(idxs):
           plt.subplot(examples_per_class, len(classes), i * len(classes) + cls +u
    →1)
           plt.imshow(X_test[idx].astype('uint8'))
           plt.axis('off')
```

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if i == 0:
          plt.title(cls_name)
plt.show()
```



1.3.1 Inline question 1:

Describe the misclassification results that you see. Do they make sense? *Your Answer*: class.

1.4 Neural Network on image features

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

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

```
[8]: # Preprocessing: Remove the bias dimension
    # Make sure to run this cell only ONCE
    print(X train feats.shape)
    X_train_feats = X_train_feats[:, :-1]
    X_val_feats = X_val_feats[:, :-1]
    X_test_feats = X_test_feats[:, :-1]
    print(X_train_feats.shape)
    (49000, 155)
    (49000, 154)
[11]: from cs231n.classifiers.fc_net import TwoLayerNet
    from cs231n.solver import Solver
    input_dim = X_train_feats.shape[1]
    hidden dim = 500
    num_classes = 10
    net = TwoLayerNet(input_dim, hidden_dim, num_classes)
    best_net = None
    # TODO: Train a two-layer neural network on image features. You may want to
     ⇔#
    # cross-validate various parameters as in previous sections. Store your best
     ⇔#
    # model in the best_net variable.
     →#
    # *****START OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE) *****
    data = {'X_train' : X_train_feats, 'y_train' : y_train, 'X_val' : X_val_feats, __
     →'y_val' : y_val, 'X_test' : X_test_feats, 'y_test' : y_test}
    learning_rate = [0.1, 0.5, 1]
    num_epochs = [8, 10, 13]
    best acc = -1
    for lr in learning rate:
      for ep in num_epochs:
        net = TwoLayerNet(input_dim, hidden_dim, num_classes)
        solver = Solver(net, data, update_rule = 'sgd',
                 optim_config = {'learning_rate': lr},
                 lr_decay = 0.95, num_epochs = ep, batch_size = 100, verbose =_
     →False)
        solver.train()
        print('lr %f ep %d accuracy: %f' % (lr, ep, solver.best_val_acc))
```

```
if solver.best_val_acc > best_acc:
           best_acc = solver.best_val_acc
           best_net = net
    print('best accuracy: %f' % best_acc)
    # *****END OF YOUR CODE (DO NOT DELETE/MODIFY THIS LINE) ****
    lr 0.100000 ep 8 accuracy: 0.587000
    lr 0.100000 ep 10 accuracy: 0.601000
    lr 0.100000 ep 13 accuracy: 0.602000
    lr 0.500000 ep 8 accuracy: 0.568000
    lr 0.500000 ep 10 accuracy: 0.574000
    lr 0.500000 ep 13 accuracy: 0.582000
    lr 1.000000 ep 8 accuracy: 0.574000
    lr 1.000000 ep 10 accuracy: 0.565000
    lr 1.000000 ep 13 accuracy: 0.565000
    best accuracy: 0.602000
[12]: # Run your best neural net classifier on the test set. You should be able
    # to get more than 55% accuracy.
```

to get more than 55% accuracy.

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

0.595