

Which of the following regularization in NN (implemented in PyTorch) lead to sparse

- (A) **[Ans]** L1 regularization
- (B) L2 regularization
- (C) **[Ans]** Dropout
- (D) Data Augmentation
- (E) None of the above

A sparse set of weights in a Deep MLP is preferred:

- (A) **[Ans]** it could lead to better generalization
- (B) **[Ans]** it is compact and fit in lesser memory
- (C) **[Ans]** it has many zeros and lesser amount of operations in forward pass
- (D) **[Ans]** it is easy to train when the number of weights/parameters are less
- (E) **[Ans]** All the above

While re-using a trained network for a new task:

- (A) We always prefer to take the later (towards the end) layer
- (B) **[Ans]** We always prefer to take an early(in the beginning) layer
- (C) Which layer is more appropriate depends on the tasks.
- (D) All the layers are equally useful.
- (E) None of the above.

It is believed that adding noise is some sort of regularization.

- (A) **[Ans]** Adding noise to the input is useful.
- (B) Adding noise to the output/labels is useful. (for simplicity, assume the task is regression!).
- (C) **[Ans]** Adding noise to the weights is useful.
- (D) **[Ans]** Higher the noise the better the regularization.
- (E) Lower the noise the better the regularization

Consider a problem where we do data augmentation and early stopping.

- (A) With data augmentation, training accuracy is expected to increase.
- (B) **[Ans]** With data augmentation, training accuracy may decrease.
- (C) **[Ans]** With data augmentation, performance on the validation set is expected to increase.
- (D) With data augmentation, the iteration where we do early stop, will increase.
- (E) **[Ans]** With data augmentation, the iteration where we do early stop, will decrease.