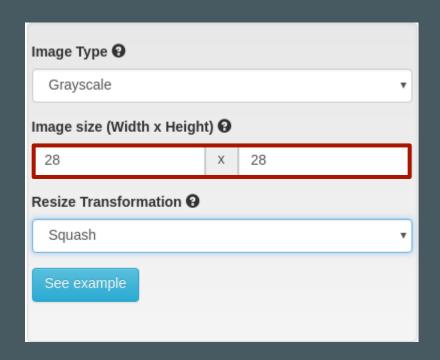


### Image Type:

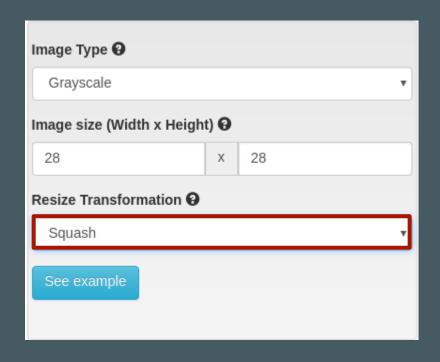
- Grayscale : 1 channel
- Color : 3 channels

(RGB)



### Image Size:

 Since it is MNIST dataset, we set the image size to 28x28



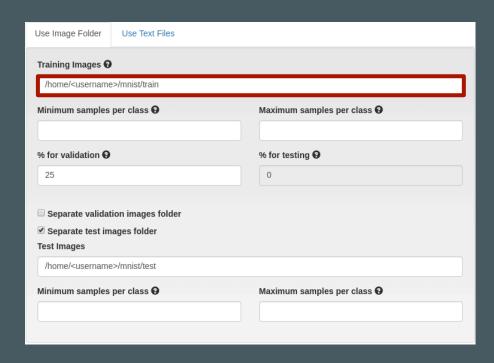
#### Resize Transformation

• Crop : traditional crop

• Squash : traditional squash

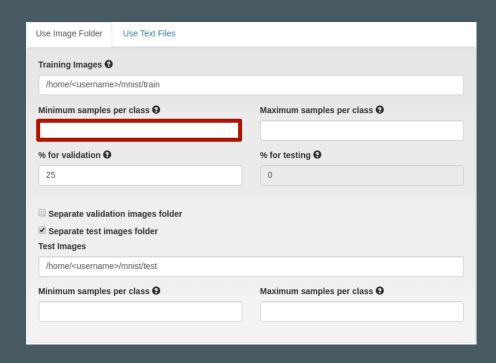
Fill : keep the originalratio by filling the gap with a color

 Half crop, half fill: combination of crop and fill



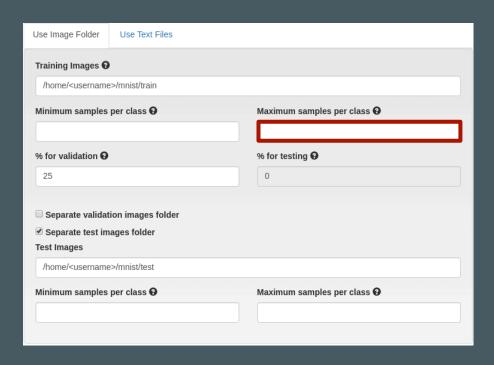
#### Training Images:

 Train directory containing samples per class, "labels.txt" and "train.txt"



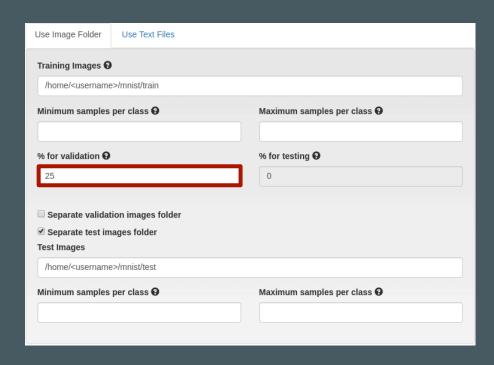
### Minimum sample per class

- Ignore the class sample if the number of samples is less than the specified number
- Blank means ignore this feature



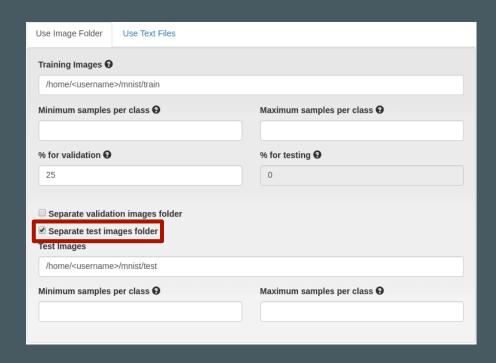
#### Maximum sample per class

- Ignore the class sample if the number of samples is greater than the specified number
- Blank means ignore this feature



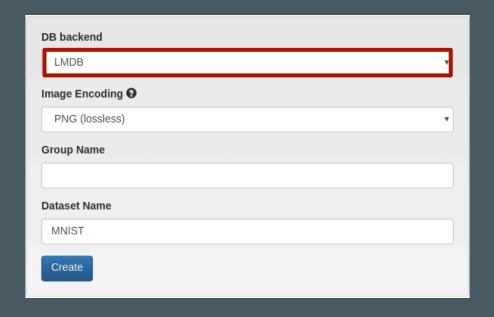
#### % for validation

 Proportion of the dataset for validation



#### Separate test images folder

 Since the downloaded MNIST dataset has the test images separated, this option has to be checked



#### DB backend

- LMDB : Great performance,
  but not good for large dataset
- HDF5 : Great for large
  dataset, but not good in term of performance

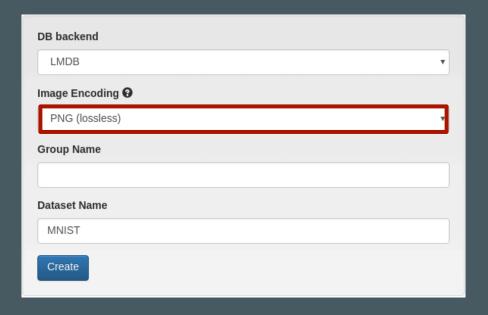


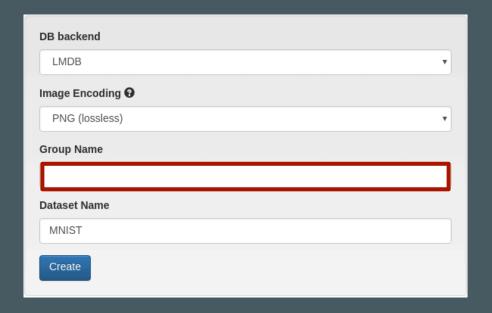
Image Encoding (Reduce image sizes)

• None : Raw image

• PNG : 100% quality with

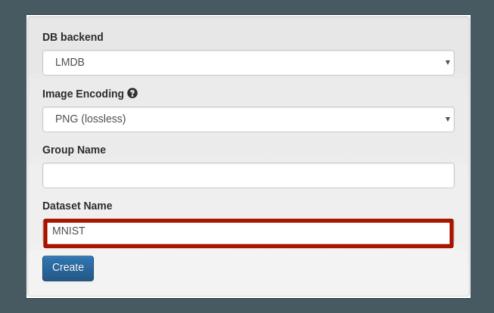
less file size

• JPEG : 90% quality with file size less than PNG



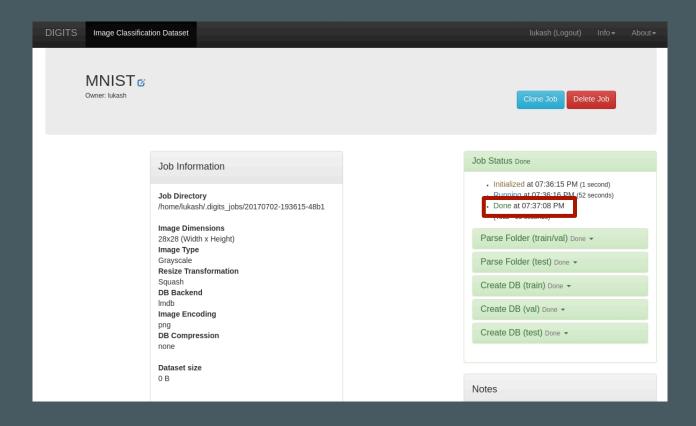
Group Name (optional)

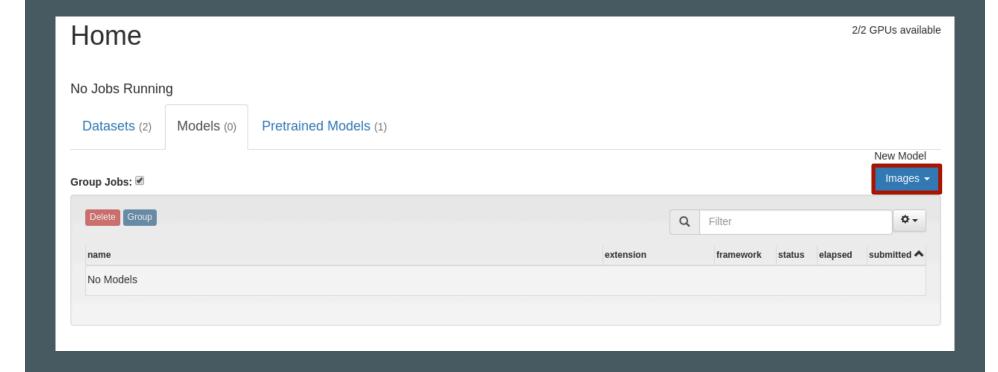
 This is just a reference name to group a bunch of datasets

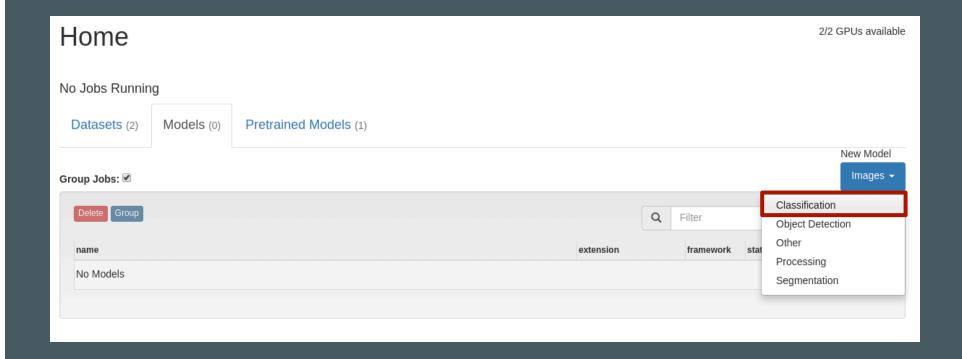


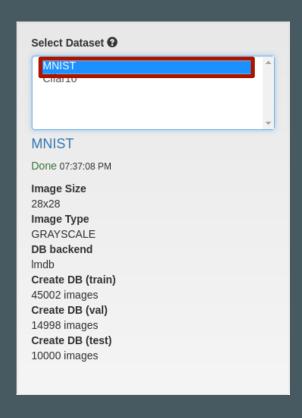
Dataset Name (required)

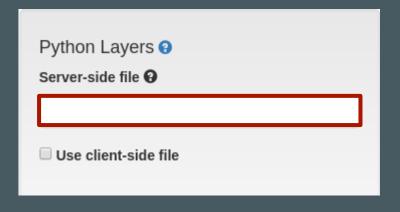
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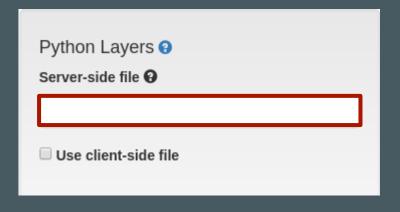






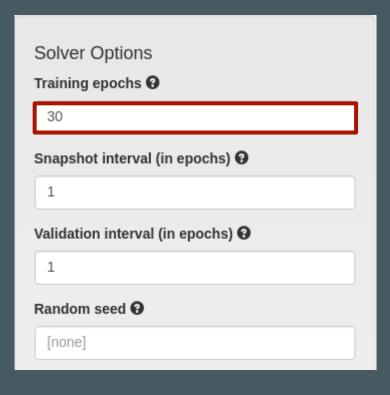
### Python Layers

- DIGITS support custom python layer using "Caffe"
- For now, leave it blank to keep things simple



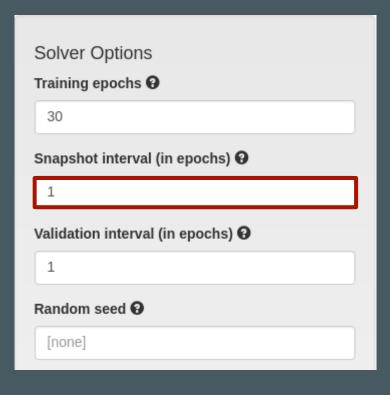
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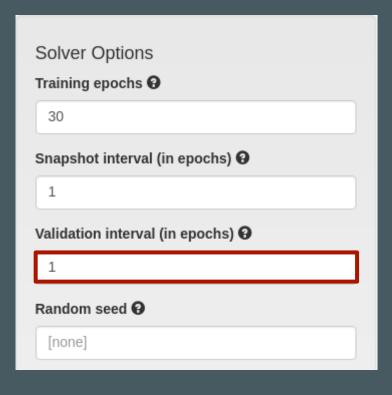
### Training epochs

How many passes through the training dataa



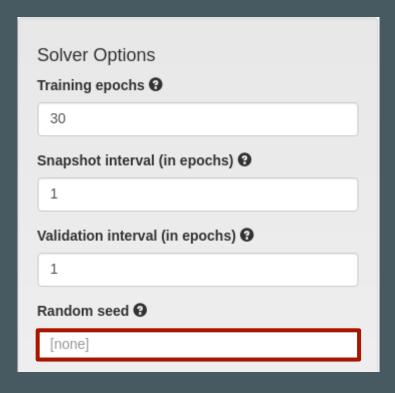
### Snapshot interval

 How frequent the model takes snapshots



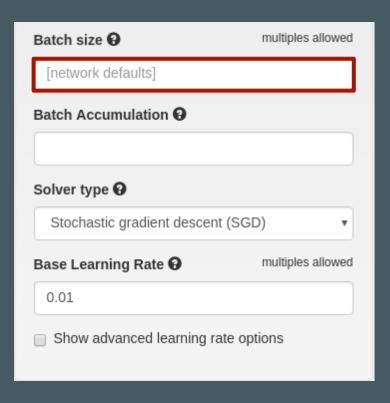
#### Validation interval

 How frequent the model calculates the accuracy



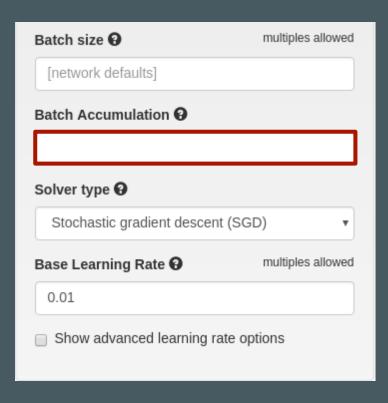
#### Random Seed

- Determine the randomness of the dataset
- blank : the dataset will mostly different for the next training step
- any-number : the dataset will be



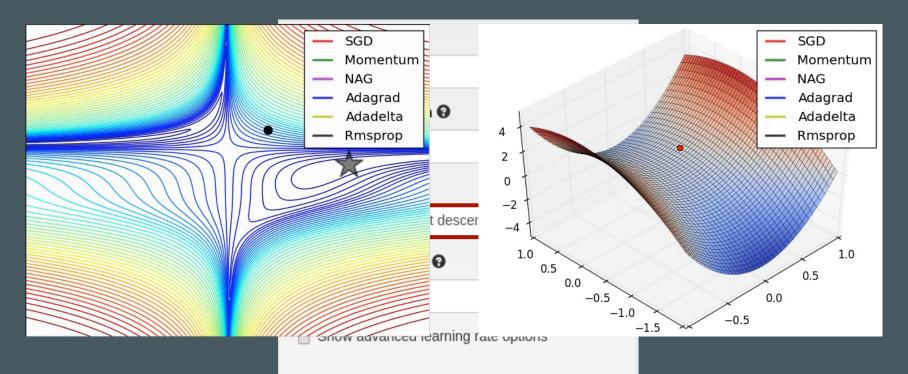
#### Batch size

- How many images to process at once
- blank : use the network configuration

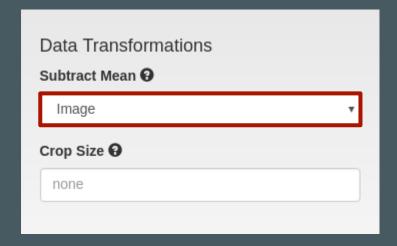


#### **Batch Accumulation**

 How frequent the model calls the solver to readjust the variables

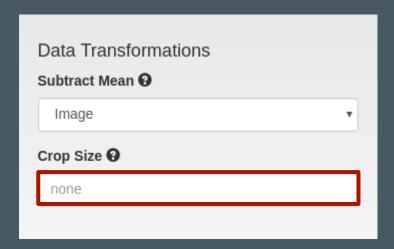


Reference: http://sebastianruder.com/content/images/2016/09/saddle\_point\_evaluation\_optimizers.gif



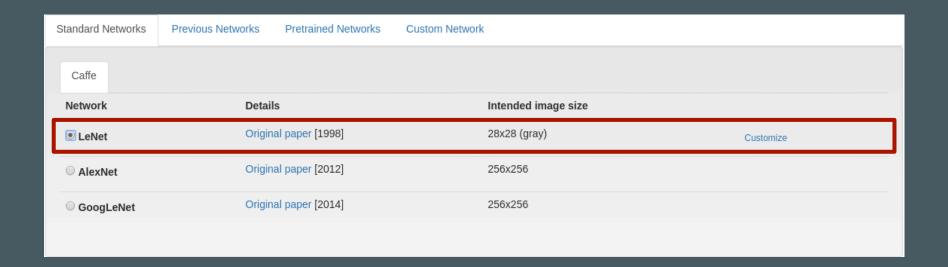
#### Subtract Mean

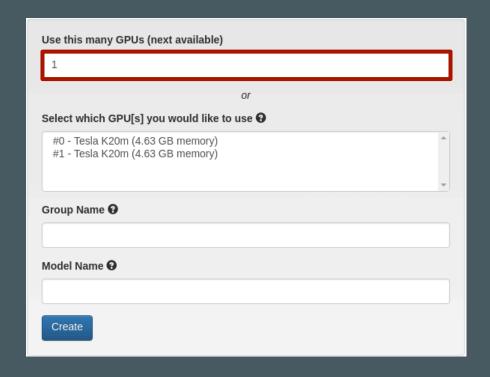
- Image : subtracted from any input image you feed to the neural network
- Pixel : subtract the "same"
  mean pixel value from all pixels of
  the input to the neural network



### Crop Size

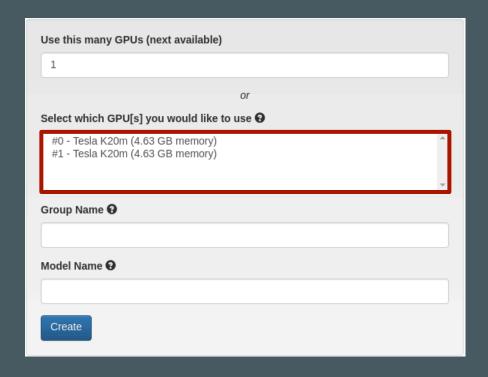
- Remove some pixels from the images before they are given to the neural network
- Very good in autoencoder neural network





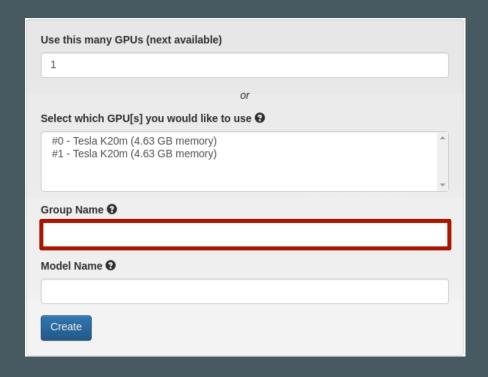
### How many GPUs

Since we only requested 1 GPU,
 we have to put 1 GPU



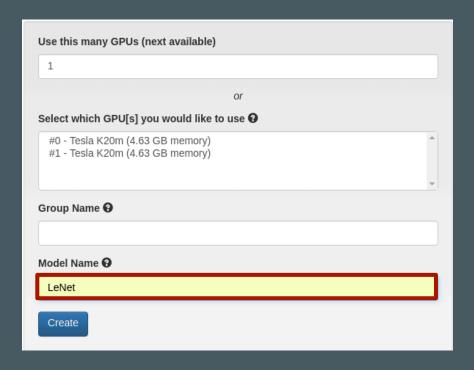
#### Select which GPU

 It's listed two GPUs because the two GPUs are in one node



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# Train

