## **Spring 2020 Introduction to Deep Learning**

## **Homework Assignment 5 (Optional)**

Due date: May 14th 2020

**Problem (Prune a LeNet-5).** In this problem, you are asked to train and test a neural network for LeNet-5 on MNIST dataset. Some information is as follows:

- A main.py file is already given, it is used to train a dense model, and test your pruned model
- An incomplete sparse\_to\_fill.py file is given. You need to fill some part of this file to implement pruning function
- When your filled sparse\_to\_fill.py file is correct, you only need to run main.py file, it should automatically train a dense LeNet, prune it and report the sparsity and accuracy similar to follows:

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(py35) bash-3.2$ python main.py

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h: 10 [55680/60000 (93%)]
                              Loss: 0.00310
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                              Loss: 0.00966
h: 10 [56960/60000 (95%)]
                             Loss: 0.10472
h: 10 [57600/60000 (96%)]
                              Loss: 0.01202
h: 10 [58240/60000 (97%)]
                              Loss: 0.1811
                              Loss: 0.00580
h: 10 [58880/60000 (98%)]
                              Loss: 0.02517
:h: 10 [59520/60000 (99%)]
Average loss: 0.0389, Accuracy: 9876/10000
ty of model is 0.500
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## **Performance Requirement and Submission:**

- The test accuracy should achieve above 95%
- Submission should include your source codes and screen snapshot of your test accuracy after pruning and your sparsity ratio

Suggestion for hyperparameter setting (not necessary to follow): Check the default setting in the main.py file. You are allowed to change them

Hint: You can use some reference code in the slides of Lecture 13 if useful.