

Publisher : Venkat Sayana

# Visualizing Artificial Neural Networks

ANN Visualizer is a python library that enables us to visualize an Artificial Neural Network

It is used to work with Keras and makes use of python's graphviz library to create a neat and presentable graph of the neural network you're building.

With advanced in deep learning, you can now visualise the entire process Convolutional Neural Network you've built.

## Installation

We will need 3 libraries for this demo

- keras

- ANNvisualizer
- graphviz

You can install the library using the below commands:

```
pip3 install keras
pip3 install ann_visualizer
pip install graphviz
```

```
# Create your first MLP in Keras
from keras.models import Sequential
from keras.layers import Dense
import numpy
```

```
/Users/venkateswarlusayana/anaconda3/lib/python3.6/
site-packages/h5py/__init__.py:34: FutureWarning:
Conversion of the second argument of issubdtype from
`float` to `np.floating` is deprecated. In future, it
will be treated as `np.float64 ==
np.dtype(float).type`.
    from ._conv import register_converters as
_register_converters
Using TensorFlow backend.
```

```

In [2]:
# fix random seed for reproducibility
numpy.random.seed(7)

In [3]:
# load pima indians dataset
dataset = numpy.loadtxt("pima-indians-diabetes.csv",
delimiter=",")

In [4]:
# split into input (X) and output (Y) variables
X = dataset[:,0:8]
Y = dataset[:,8]

In [5]:
# create model
model = Sequential()

In [6]:
model.add(Dense(12, input_dim=8, activation='relu'))
model.add(Dense(8, activation='relu'))
model.add(Dense(1, activation='sigmoid'))

In [7]:
# Compile model
model.compile(loss='binary_crossentropy',
optimizer='adam', metrics=['accuracy'])

In [8]:
# Fit the model
model.fit(X, Y, epochs=150, batch_size=10)

Epoch 1/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 538us/
step - loss: 3.6821 - acc: 0.5951
Epoch 2/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/
step - loss: 0.9301 - acc: 0.6003
Epoch 3/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 132us/
step - loss: 0.7462 - acc: 0.6380
Epoch 4/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 128us/
step - loss: 0.7104 - acc: 0.6549

```

Epoch 5/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 131us/  
step - loss: 0.6811 - acc: 0.6784  
Epoch 6/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 137us/  
step - loss: 0.6505 - acc: 0.6810  
Epoch 7/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 137us/  
step - loss: 0.6498 - acc: 0.6706  
Epoch 8/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 132us/  
step - loss: 0.6360 - acc: 0.6875  
Epoch 9/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 139us/  
step - loss: 0.6240 - acc: 0.6914  
Epoch 10/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 137us/  
step - loss: 0.6288 - acc: 0.6784  
Epoch 11/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 135us/  
step - loss: 0.6472 - acc: 0.6732  
Epoch 12/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.6390 - acc: 0.6758  
Epoch 13/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 130us/  
step - loss: 0.6249 - acc: 0.6745  
Epoch 14/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 131us/  
step - loss: 0.6179 - acc: 0.6992  
Epoch 15/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 132us/  
step - loss: 0.6019 - acc: 0.6979  
Epoch 16/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 154us/  
step - loss: 0.5883 - acc: 0.7018  
Epoch 17/150

768/768 [=====] - 0s 155us/  
step - loss: 0.5857 - acc: 0.6966  
Epoch 18/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 158us/  
step - loss: 0.6009 - acc: 0.6875  
Epoch 19/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 164us/  
step - loss: 0.5797 - acc: 0.7109  
Epoch 20/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 151us/  
step - loss: 0.5796 - acc: 0.7174  
Epoch 21/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 151us/  
step - loss: 0.5681 - acc: 0.7161  
Epoch 22/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 133us/  
step - loss: 0.5820 - acc: 0.6979  
Epoch 23/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5734 - acc: 0.7083  
Epoch 24/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 150us/  
step - loss: 0.5674 - acc: 0.7305  
Epoch 25/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 147us/  
step - loss: 0.5572 - acc: 0.7344  
Epoch 26/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/  
step - loss: 0.5705 - acc: 0.7044  
Epoch 27/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.5553 - acc: 0.7214  
Epoch 28/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 138us/  
step - loss: 0.5549 - acc: 0.7318  
Epoch 29/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 135us/  
step - loss: 0.5742 - acc: 0.7161

Epoch 30/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 133us/  
step - loss: 0.5611 - acc: 0.7201  
Epoch 31/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5687 - acc: 0.7161  
Epoch 32/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 132us/  
step - loss: 0.5640 - acc: 0.7135  
Epoch 33/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5512 - acc: 0.7227  
Epoch 34/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 137us/  
step - loss: 0.5504 - acc: 0.7253  
Epoch 35/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 138us/  
step - loss: 0.5496 - acc: 0.7279  
Epoch 36/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5647 - acc: 0.7057  
Epoch 37/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 131us/  
step - loss: 0.5335 - acc: 0.7422  
Epoch 38/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 131us/  
step - loss: 0.5405 - acc: 0.7266  
Epoch 39/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5463 - acc: 0.7253  
Epoch 40/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 139us/  
step - loss: 0.5440 - acc: 0.7187  
Epoch 41/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.5435 - acc: 0.7305  
Epoch 42/150

768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/  
step - loss: 0.5387 - acc: 0.7409  
Epoch 43/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 138us/  
step - loss: 0.5319 - acc: 0.7539  
Epoch 44/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 130us/  
step - loss: 0.5331 - acc: 0.7448  
Epoch 45/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 137us/  
step - loss: 0.5331 - acc: 0.7565  
Epoch 46/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 141us/  
step - loss: 0.5271 - acc: 0.7487  
Epoch 47/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 149us/  
step - loss: 0.5333 - acc: 0.7383  
Epoch 48/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 156us/  
step - loss: 0.5334 - acc: 0.7422  
Epoch 49/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5335 - acc: 0.7461  
Epoch 50/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/  
step - loss: 0.5271 - acc: 0.7344  
Epoch 51/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 131us/  
step - loss: 0.5281 - acc: 0.7500  
Epoch 52/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5299 - acc: 0.7474  
Epoch 53/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 152us/  
step - loss: 0.5363 - acc: 0.7435  
Epoch 54/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.5367 - acc: 0.7318

Epoch 55/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5224 - acc: 0.7474  
Epoch 56/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 147us/  
step - loss: 0.5293 - acc: 0.7487  
Epoch 57/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 133us/  
step - loss: 0.5308 - acc: 0.7370  
Epoch 58/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 133us/  
step - loss: 0.5219 - acc: 0.7526  
Epoch 59/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 135us/  
step - loss: 0.5120 - acc: 0.7617  
Epoch 60/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 138us/  
step - loss: 0.5337 - acc: 0.7409  
Epoch 61/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 135us/  
step - loss: 0.5262 - acc: 0.7370  
Epoch 62/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 138us/  
step - loss: 0.5158 - acc: 0.7513  
Epoch 63/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 133us/  
step - loss: 0.5428 - acc: 0.7344  
Epoch 64/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 132us/  
step - loss: 0.5303 - acc: 0.7422  
Epoch 65/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5193 - acc: 0.7487  
Epoch 66/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 141us/  
step - loss: 0.5063 - acc: 0.7513  
Epoch 67/150



768/768 [=====] - 0s 132us/  
step - loss: 0.5147 - acc: 0.7383  
Epoch 68/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5131 - acc: 0.7591  
Epoch 69/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 139us/  
step - loss: 0.5131 - acc: 0.7513  
Epoch 70/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 139us/  
step - loss: 0.5375 - acc: 0.7227  
Epoch 71/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5170 - acc: 0.7396  
Epoch 72/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 136us/  
step - loss: 0.5162 - acc: 0.7513  
Epoch 73/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5158 - acc: 0.7487  
Epoch 74/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 139us/  
step - loss: 0.5095 - acc: 0.7630  
Epoch 75/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 151us/  
step - loss: 0.5089 - acc: 0.7604  
Epoch 76/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 150us/  
step - loss: 0.5106 - acc: 0.7552  
Epoch 77/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.5159 - acc: 0.7643  
Epoch 78/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.5118 - acc: 0.7500  
Epoch 79/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.5137 - acc: 0.7422

Epoch 80/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.5112 - acc: 0.7591  
Epoch 81/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.5055 - acc: 0.7682  
Epoch 82/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/  
step - loss: 0.5048 - acc: 0.7526  
Epoch 83/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.4997 - acc: 0.7604  
Epoch 84/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.4977 - acc: 0.7578  
Epoch 85/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.5055 - acc: 0.7500  
Epoch 86/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 141us/  
step - loss: 0.5043 - acc: 0.7487  
Epoch 87/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 149us/  
step - loss: 0.4991 - acc: 0.7513  
Epoch 88/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.5024 - acc: 0.7669  
Epoch 89/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 138us/  
step - loss: 0.5050 - acc: 0.7656  
Epoch 90/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.5085 - acc: 0.7526  
Epoch 91/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 149us/  
step - loss: 0.5032 - acc: 0.7565  
Epoch 92/150

768/768 [=====] - 0s 151us/  
step - loss: 0.5047 - acc: 0.7422  
Epoch 93/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 146us/  
step - loss: 0.4969 - acc: 0.7630  
Epoch 94/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 131us/  
step - loss: 0.4998 - acc: 0.7643  
Epoch 95/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 150us/  
step - loss: 0.5030 - acc: 0.7552  
Epoch 96/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.4912 - acc: 0.7682  
Epoch 97/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 132us/  
step - loss: 0.4983 - acc: 0.7734  
Epoch 98/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.4893 - acc: 0.7630  
Epoch 99/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.4901 - acc: 0.7682  
Epoch 100/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 155us/  
step - loss: 0.4844 - acc: 0.7773  
Epoch 101/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.4901 - acc: 0.7760  
Epoch 102/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 141us/  
step - loss: 0.4986 - acc: 0.7591  
Epoch 103/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 135us/  
step - loss: 0.4999 - acc: 0.7552  
Epoch 104/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.4923 - acc: 0.7852

Epoch 105/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/  
step - loss: 0.5326 - acc: 0.7448  
Epoch 106/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 138us/  
step - loss: 0.4948 - acc: 0.7695  
Epoch 107/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/  
step - loss: 0.4912 - acc: 0.7669  
Epoch 108/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 161us/  
step - loss: 0.4999 - acc: 0.7682  
Epoch 109/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 137us/  
step - loss: 0.4866 - acc: 0.7669  
Epoch 110/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 139us/  
step - loss: 0.4898 - acc: 0.7708  
Epoch 111/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 148us/  
step - loss: 0.4854 - acc: 0.7760  
Epoch 112/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.4903 - acc: 0.7630  
Epoch 113/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 146us/  
step - loss: 0.4990 - acc: 0.7643  
Epoch 114/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.4903 - acc: 0.7617  
Epoch 115/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.4933 - acc: 0.7747  
Epoch 116/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.4953 - acc: 0.7734  
Epoch 117/150

768/768 [=====] - 0s 146us/  
step - loss: 0.4907 - acc: 0.7604  
Epoch 118/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 147us/  
step - loss: 0.4915 - acc: 0.7773  
Epoch 119/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 146us/  
step - loss: 0.4831 - acc: 0.7669  
Epoch 120/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 149us/  
step - loss: 0.4958 - acc: 0.7786  
Epoch 121/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 134us/  
step - loss: 0.4944 - acc: 0.7708  
Epoch 122/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.4858 - acc: 0.7799  
Epoch 123/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 146us/  
step - loss: 0.4824 - acc: 0.7682  
Epoch 124/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 138us/  
step - loss: 0.4838 - acc: 0.7786  
Epoch 125/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/  
step - loss: 0.4878 - acc: 0.7812  
Epoch 126/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 153us/  
step - loss: 0.4828 - acc: 0.7760  
Epoch 127/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/  
step - loss: 0.4909 - acc: 0.7669  
Epoch 128/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.4729 - acc: 0.7799  
Epoch 129/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/  
step - loss: 0.4846 - acc: 0.7708

Epoch 130/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.4739 - acc: 0.7865  
Epoch 131/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/  
step - loss: 0.4825 - acc: 0.7695  
Epoch 132/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/  
step - loss: 0.4837 - acc: 0.7760  
Epoch 133/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 140us/  
step - loss: 0.4838 - acc: 0.7682  
Epoch 134/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/  
step - loss: 0.4849 - acc: 0.7760  
Epoch 135/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/  
step - loss: 0.4792 - acc: 0.7773  
Epoch 136/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/  
step - loss: 0.4746 - acc: 0.7773  
Epoch 137/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/  
step - loss: 0.4700 - acc: 0.7760  
Epoch 138/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 148us/  
step - loss: 0.4822 - acc: 0.7773  
Epoch 139/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 146us/  
step - loss: 0.4677 - acc: 0.7891  
Epoch 140/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 144us/  
step - loss: 0.4821 - acc: 0.7852  
Epoch 141/150  
768/768 [=====] - 0s 155us/  
step - loss: 0.4751 - acc: 0.7852  
Epoch 142/150

```

768/768 [=====] - 0s 148us/
step - loss: 0.4831 - acc: 0.7721
Epoch 143/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 153us/
step - loss: 0.4770 - acc: 0.7656
Epoch 144/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 155us/
step - loss: 0.4766 - acc: 0.7682
Epoch 145/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/
step - loss: 0.4915 - acc: 0.7682
Epoch 146/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 142us/
step - loss: 0.4923 - acc: 0.7708
Epoch 147/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 148us/
step - loss: 0.4858 - acc: 0.7773
Epoch 148/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 145us/
step - loss: 0.4725 - acc: 0.7721
Epoch 149/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 143us/
step - loss: 0.4764 - acc: 0.7669
Epoch 150/150
768/768 [=====] - 0s 147us/
step - loss: 0.4766 - acc: 0.7695

```

Out[8]:

<keras.callbacks.History at 0x18196b5978>

In [9]:

```
# evaluate the model
```

```
scores = model.evaluate(X, Y)
```

```
print("\n%s: %.2f%%" % (model.metrics_names[1],
scores[1]*100))
```

```
768/768 [=====] - 0s 63us/step
```

acc: 79.17%

In [10]:

```
from ann_visualizer.visualize import ann_viz;
```

```
ann_viz(model, title="My first neural network")
```

To generate the visualization, you need to follow the below command structure:

```
ann_viz(model, view=True,  
filename="network.gv",  
title="MyNeural Network")
```

- `model` – Your Keras sequential model
- `view` – If set to true, it opens the graph preview after the command has been executed
- `filename` – Where to save the graph. (it's saved in a '.gv' file format)
- `title` – The title for the visualized ANN

You have just seen how you can easily create your first neural network model in Keras.

Let's tie it **`ann_viz()`** together into this code.

```
In [10]:
```

```
from ann_visualizer.visualize import ann_viz;
```

```
ann_viz(model, title="My first neural network")
```



My first neural network



