

# CS464 Introduction to Machine Learning

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## Homework 2

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## Section-2

PCA

Q1.1

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proportion of variance explained (PVE)
PVE for k=1: 0.09704664368151002
PVE for k=2: 0.07095924066613628
PVE for k=3: 0.061690887728496284
PVE for k=4: 0.053894194943091854
PVE for k=5: 0.04868797012682379
PVE for k=6: 0.04312231323349435
PVE for k=7: 0.03271929951323684
PVE for k=8: 0.02883895448304446
PVE for k=9: 0.02762029396742109
PVE for k=10: 0.0235700055115963
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*Figure 1 PVE for First 10 Principal Components*

### Q1.2

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PC for k=1 0.09704664368151002
PC for k=2 0.1680058843476463
PC for k=3 0.22969677207614259
PC for k=4 0.2835909670192344
PC for k=5 0.3322789371460582
PC for k=6 0.3754012503795526
PC for k=7 0.4081205498927894
PC for k=8 0.43695950437583386
PC for k=9 0.46457979834325497
PC for k=10 0.4881498038548513
PC for k=11 0.5092416999945412
PC for k=12 0.5294716108091951
PC for k=13 0.5466297928004837
PC for k=14 0.5635509071169658
PC for k=15 0.5793373199278713
PC for k=16 0.5941668460731245
PC for k=17 0.6074124555500645
PC for k=18 0.6201814292345892
PC for k=19 0.632054058620294
PC for k=20 0.6435808956319572
PC for k=21 0.6542425577029631
PC for k=22 0.6643096914142529
PC for k=23 0.6738454246873816
PC for k=24 0.6829708621325816
PC for k=25 0.69180490903893
PC for k=26 0.7001981004236029
PC for k=26 is the min number of principal components to explain the 70% of the data.
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Figure 2 Cumulative Proportion of Variance

### Q1.3

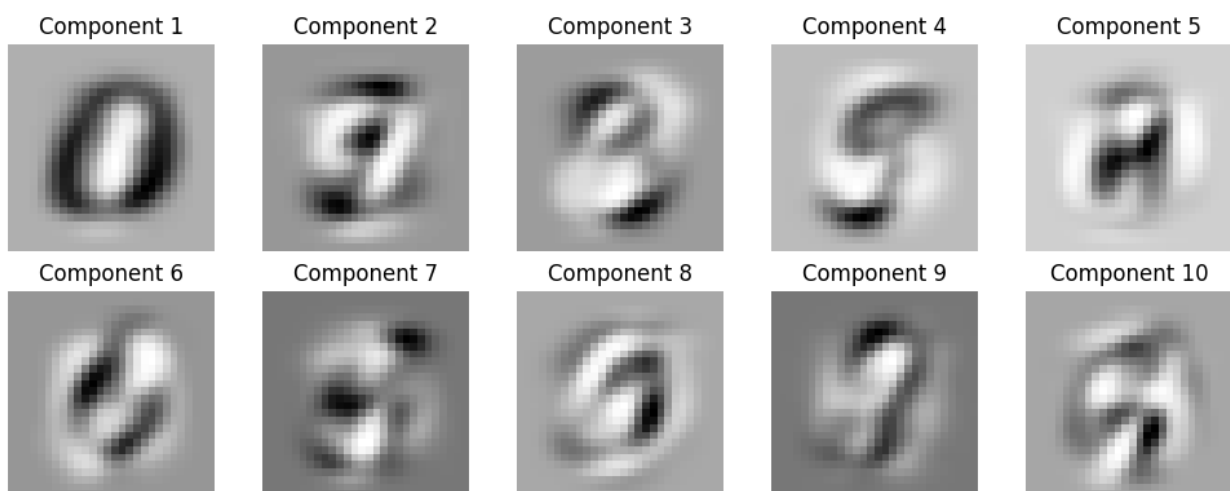


Figure 3 Grayscale Principal Component Images of Size  $28 \times 28$

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In Figure 3, first ten principal components are shown. We can observe some patterns like circular shapes or curves as well as intersections of different digits.

The initial principal components are comprehensive representations of dominant features within the dataset. The components captures features such as curves and loops which define the overall structure. The oval shape of Component 1 indicates '0' whereas the third component highlights areas significant for '3' or '8'.

The interpretability diminishes as we move to higher components, reflecting variations less common in the dataset. The visualizations are valuable for understanding significant features, aiding in informed decisions regarding feature selection and model complexity.

The first images, corresponding to the first principal components, exhibit clear and recognizable patterns, while the interpretability diminishes for higher-order components.

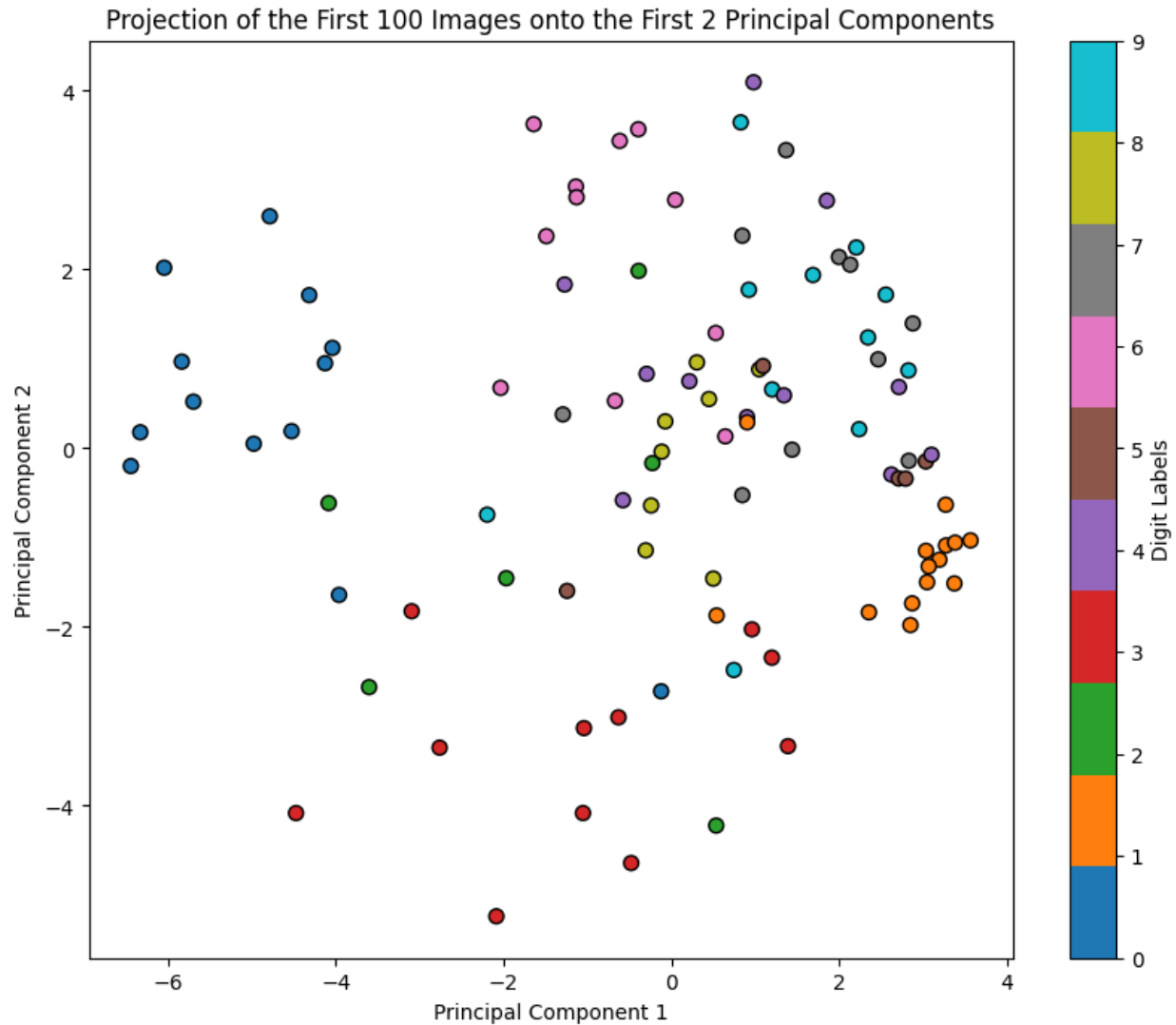


Figure 4 Projected Data Points

In Figure 4, the scatter plot indicates that the first two main components capture crucial information for differentiating between digits and shows that there is natural clustering depending on digit classifications. Effective classification is made possible by closely clustered points of the same hue, which show shared properties among the digits.

Notably, the first two primary components' unique patterns that resemble the numbers "0" and "9" allow for their accurate classification. Overlapping dots, on the other hand, indicate difficulties in distinguishing specific digits and highlight the necessity of more dimensions for more distinct separation.

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The variation that each component captures is reflected in the distribution of points along the primary component axes. Presumably, significant features are represented by the first principal component, and less prominent attributes are captured by the second. All things considered, the clustering supports the characteristics that the first principle components identified, which is consistent with the findings from the earlier question (1.3).

### Q1.5



*Figure 5 : Reconstructed Image with k Principal Components*

Figure 5 demonstrates the reconstructed images. It is done by the following two steps:

#### 1- Projection onto Principal Components:

Subtract the mean image from the original image to center it. Project the centered image onto the first  $k$  principal components, capturing the essential features of the digit.

#### 2- Reconstruction from Projected Data:

Multiply the projected data by the transpose of the matrix of selected principal components. Add back the mean of the original data to reconstruct the image.

The amount of detail in the reconstructed image is greatly influenced by the selection of the number of components,  $k$ . More  $k$  values result in a reconstruction that is more precise and thorough.

It is evident that the image is undisguisable when  $k = 1$  since the reconstruction captures only the most dominant feature. As a result, it can be claimed that a digit cannot be distinguished without the presence of many major components. As  $k$  increases, reconstruction quality gets better because it progressively includes more details. The reconstructed image is identical to the original image when all of the primary components are used ( $k=784$ ).

## Logistic Regression

### Q2.1

**Test Accuracy: 0.9063**

*Figure 6 Test Accuracy of Default Model*

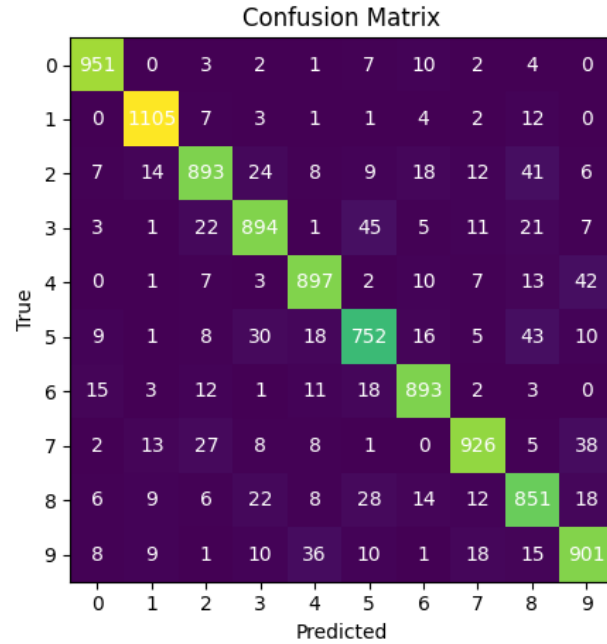


Figure 7 Confusion Matrix of Test Set

## Q2.2

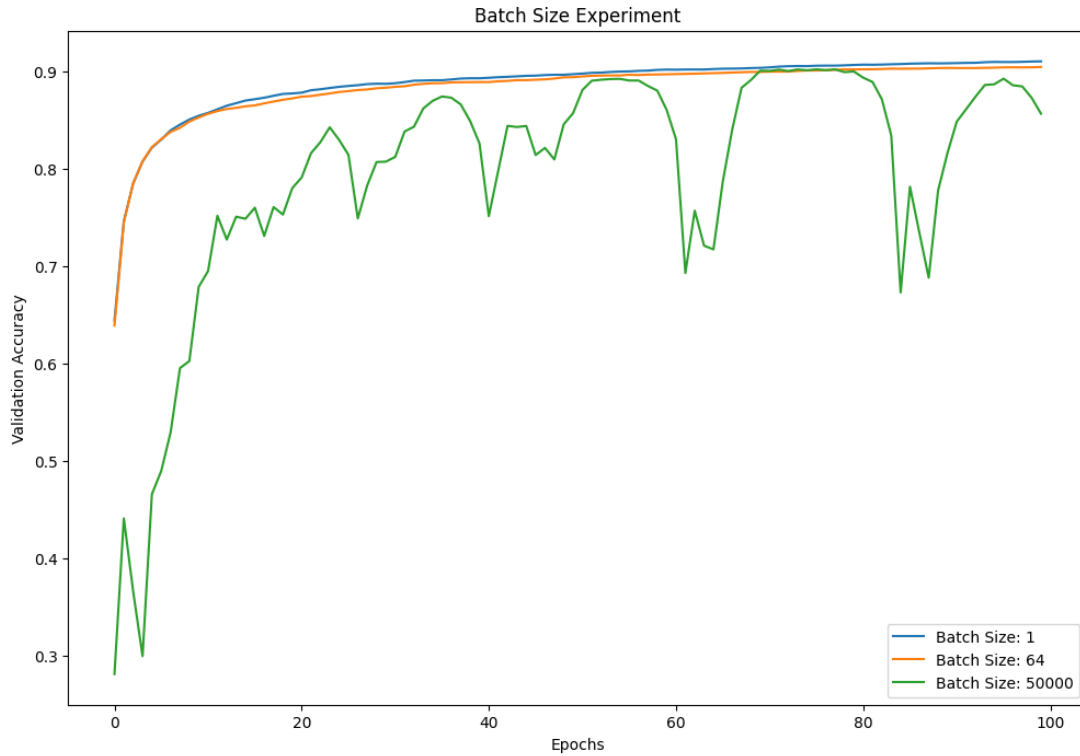


Figure 8 Validation Accuracy with Batch Sizes

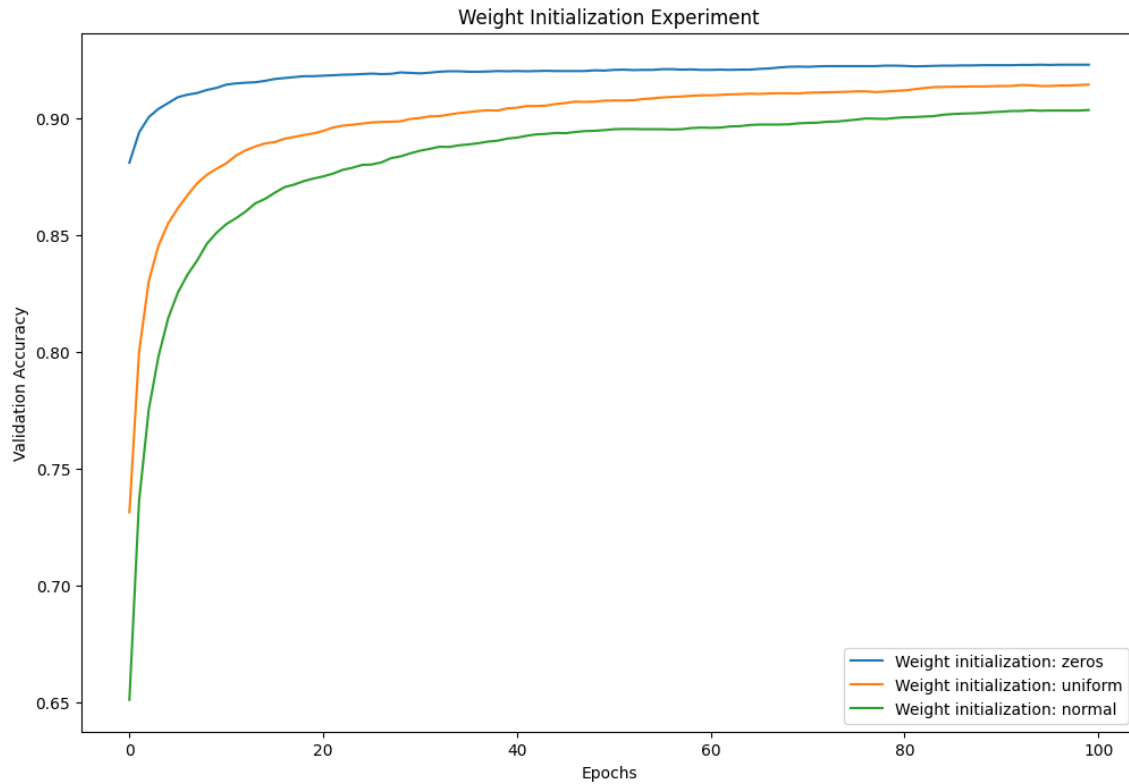


Figure 9 Validation Accuracy with Different Weight Initialization

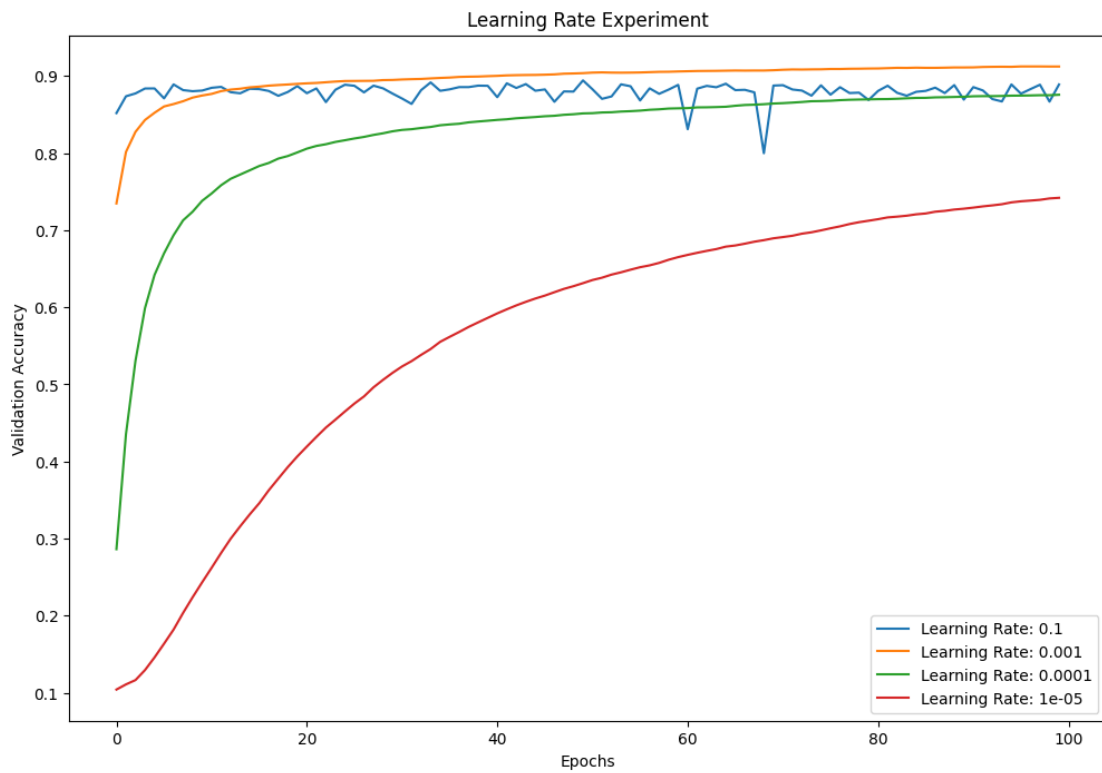


Figure 10 Validation Accuracy with Different Learning Rates

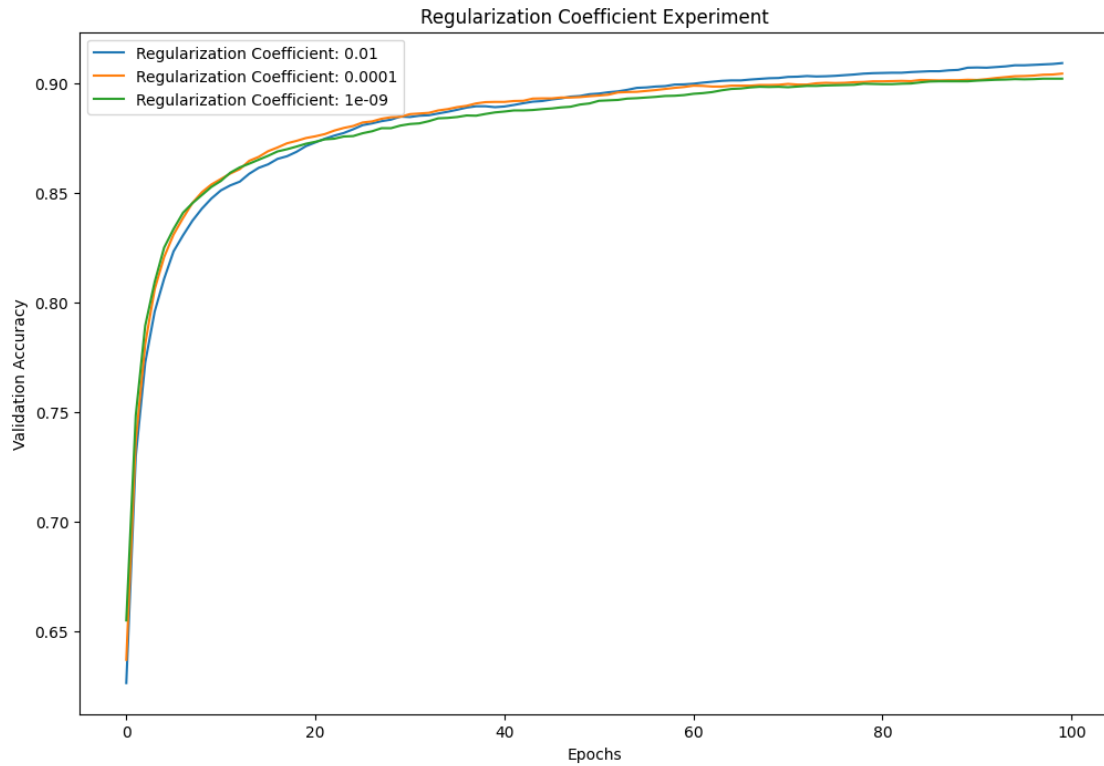


Figure 11 Validation Accuracy with Different Regularization Coefficients

### Q2.3

I selected the best values for the hyper parameters as the following:

Batch Size: 1

Weight initialization technique: zero initialization

Learning Rate: 0.001

Regularization coefficient (Lambda): 0.01

**Test Accuracy: 0.9227**

Figure 12 Test Accuracy with Best Hyper Parameters



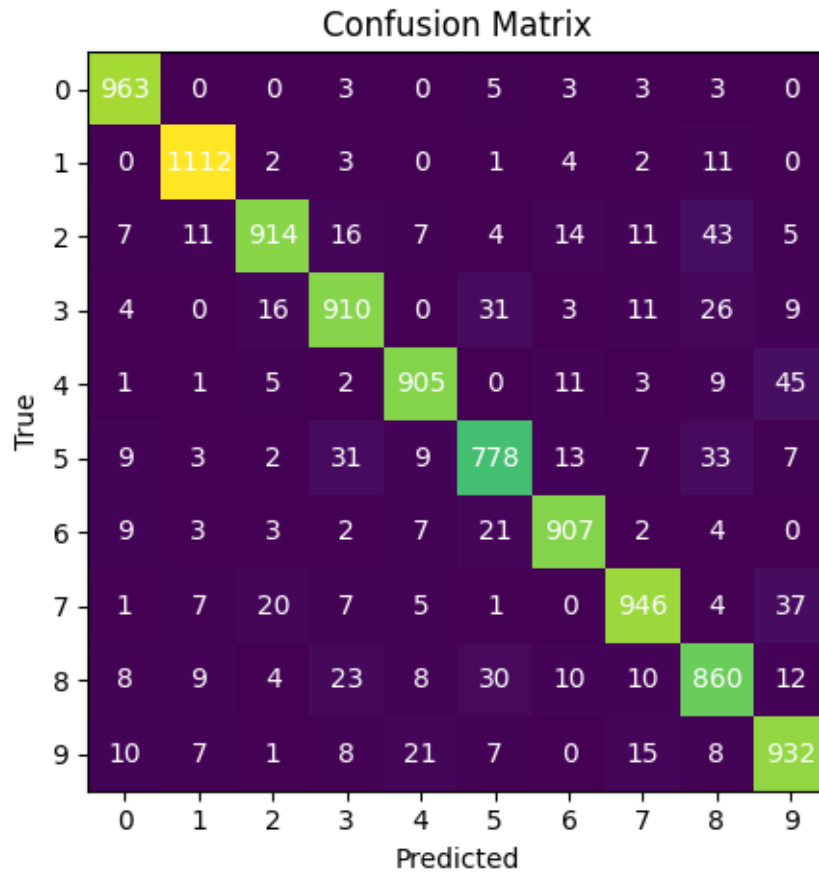
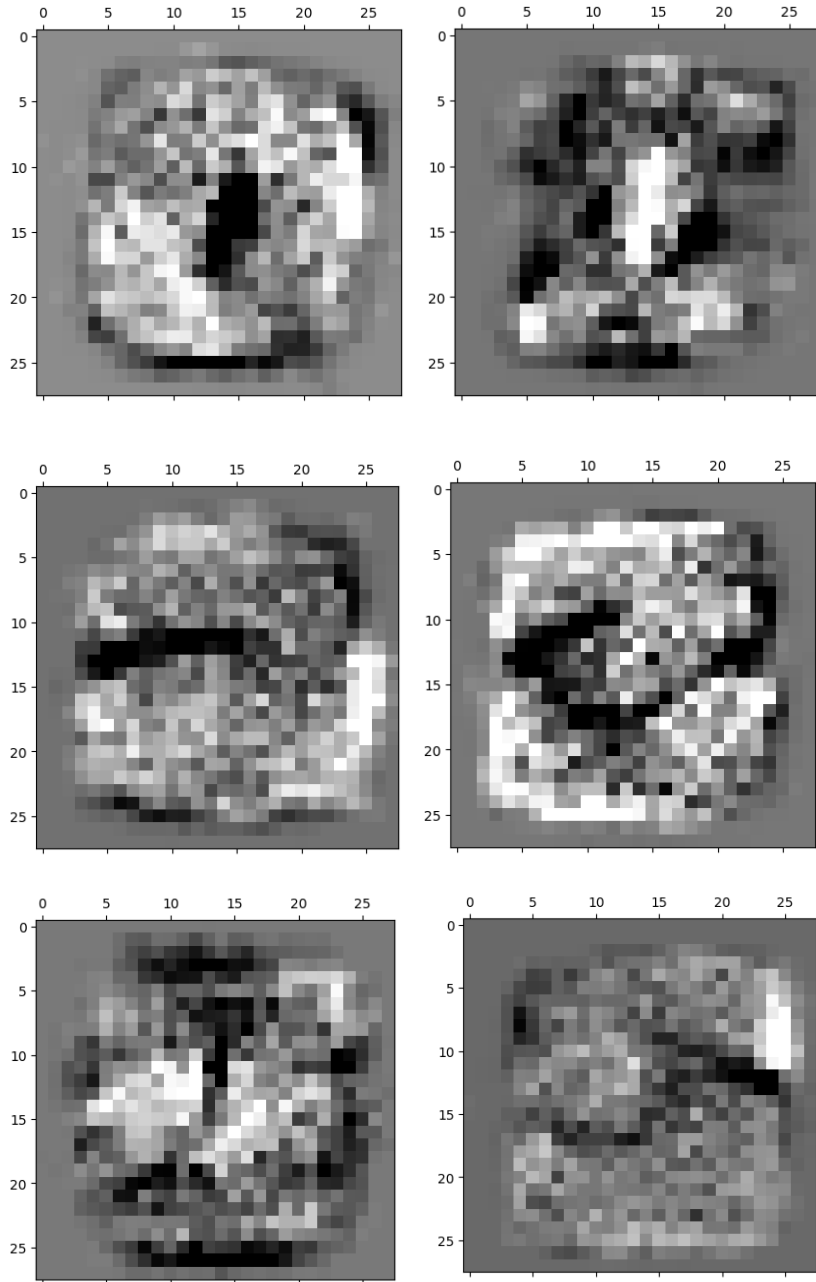


Figure 13 Confusion Matrix of Test Set with Best Hyper Parameters

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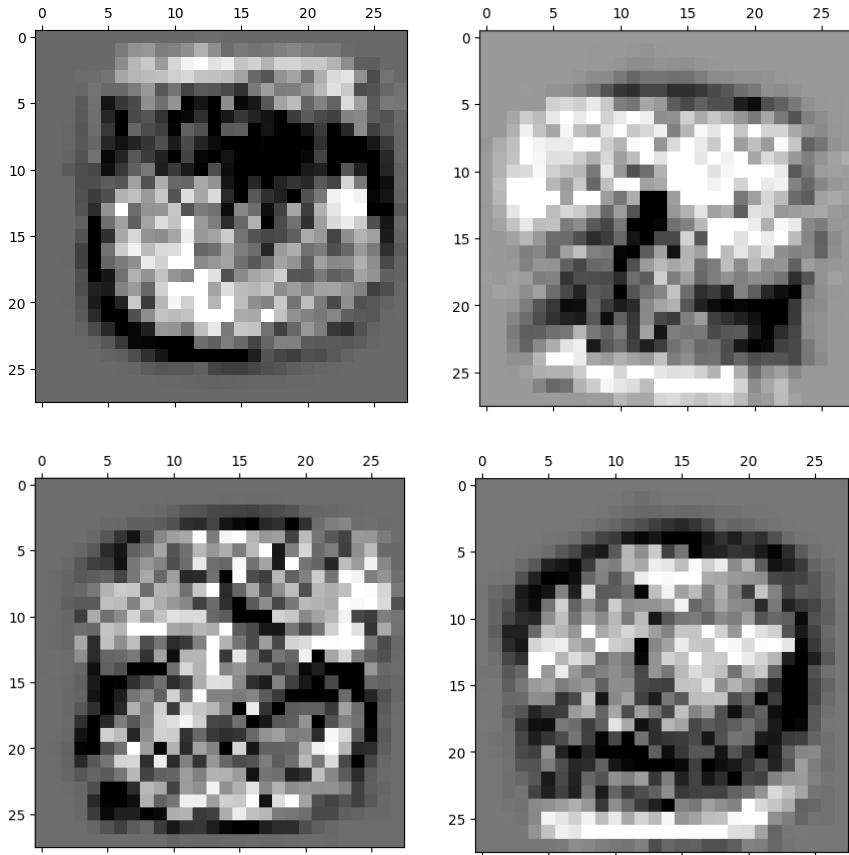


Figure 14 Finalized Weight Vectors

## Q2.5

Class 0 Precision: 0.9515810276679841

Class 0 Recall: 0.9826530612244898

Class 0 F1 Score: 0.9668674698795181

Class 0 F2 Score: 0.9762773722627739

Class 1 Precision: 0.9644405897658282

Class 1 Recall: 0.9797356828193833

Class 1 F1 Score: 0.9720279720279721

Class 1 F2 Score: 0.9766379764623222

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Class 2 Precision: 0.9451913133402275

Class 2 Recall: 0.8856589147286822

Class 2 F1 Score: 0.9144572286143071

Class 2 F2 Score: 0.8969578017664377

Class 3 Precision: 0.9054726368159204

Class 3 Recall: 0.900990099009901

Class 3 F1 Score: 0.903225806451613

Class 3 F2 Score: 0.9018830525272548

Class 4 Precision: 0.9407484407484408

Class 4 Recall: 0.9215885947046843

Class 4 F1 Score: 0.9310699588477367

Class 4 F2 Score: 0.9253578732106339

Class 5 Precision: 0.8861047835990888

Class 5 Recall: 0.8721973094170403

Class 5 F1 Score: 0.8790960451977401

Class 5 F2 Score: 0.8749437696806116

Class 6 Precision: 0.9398963730569948

Class 6 Recall: 0.9467640918580376

Class 6 F1 Score: 0.9433177327093084

Class 6 F2 Score: 0.9453825307483845

Class 7 Precision: 0.9366336633663367

Class 7 Recall: 0.9202334630350194

Class 7 F1 Score: 0.9283611383709519

Class 7 F2 Score: 0.9234673955486138

Class 8 Precision: 0.8591408591408591

Class 8 Recall: 0.8829568788501027

Class 8 F1 Score: 0.8708860759493671

Class 8 F2 Score: 0.8780886256891974

Class 9 Precision: 0.8901623686723973

Class 9 Recall: 0.9236868186323092

Class 9 F1 Score: 0.9066147859922179

Class 9 F2 Score: 0.9167814282903797

The confusion matrix, as shown in Fig. 11, provides insights into the model's performance across different digit classes. Notably, digits 5 and 8 exhibit a lower count of correctly classified instances, contributing to an overall decrease in accuracy. This aligns with observations from the weight images obtained in Question 2.4, where the patterns for these digits appear less distinct compared to others.

Precision, measuring positive prediction accuracy, reveals that digits 1 and 6 achieve high precision values, indicating fewer false positives which is consistent with their well-defined weight images. The corresponding weight images for these classes may capture well-defined features, contributing to their accurate positive predictions.

Recall, assessing the model's ability to capture all positive instances, shows high values for digits 0 and 1. These digits exhibit effective positive instance capture, reflecting the clarity of distinguishing features in their respective weight images.

Digits 5 and 8, with lower F1 and F2 scores, align with the blurry and less distinct patterns observed in their weight vectors.

According to precision, recall, F1 and F2 scores of digits 0 and 1 the model performs well predicting these two classes. The weight vectors also supports the high scores. Although digit 2 has a similar high precision, the lower recall indicates that the model sometimes fails to label. In Fig. 11, it is often confused with digit 8 due to similar curves.

In summary, the correspondence between the confusion matrix metrics and the characteristics of weight images indicates a correlation between the model's performance and its ability to capture distinctive features for each digit. The model excels in recognizing digits with clear patterns, while challenges arise for digits with less distinct features, evident in both the confusion matrix and weight images.