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1 # Import libraries
 2 import tensorflow as tf
 3 from tensorflow.keras import layers, models
 4 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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 6 # Load MNIST dataset
 7 (x_{train}, y_{train}), (x_{test}, y_{test}) = tf.keras.
   datasets.mnist.load_data()
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 9 # Normalize the images (0-255 \rightarrow 0-1)
10 x_{train} = x_{train} / 255.0
11 x_{\text{test}} = x_{\text{test}} / 255.0
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13 # Reshape for CNN (samples, height, width, channels)
14 x_{train} = x_{train.reshape}(-1, 28, 28, 1)
15 x_{\text{test}} = x_{\text{test.reshape}}(-1, 28, 28, 1)
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17 # Build CNN model
18 model = models.Sequential([
       layers.Conv2D(32, (3,3), activation='relu',
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   input_shape=(28,28,1)),
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       layers.MaxPooling2D((2,2)),
       layers.Conv2D(64, (3,3), activation='relu'),
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       layers.MaxPooling2D((2,2)),
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       layers.Flatten(),
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       layers.Dense(128, activation='relu'),
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       layers.Dropout(0.5),
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       layers.Dense(10, activation='softmax')
27 ])
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29 # Compile model
30 model.compile(optimizer='adam',
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                  loss='sparse_categorical_crossentropy',
                  metrics=['accuracy'])
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34 # Train model
35 history = model.fit(x_train, y_train, epochs=5,
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                        validation_data=(x_test, y_test))
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38 # Evaluate model
39 test_loss, test_acc = model.evaluate(x_test, y_test)
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40 print("Test accuracy:", test_acc)
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42 # Plot accuracy & loss
43 plt.plot(history.history['accuracy'], label='Train
   Acc')
44 plt.plot(history.history['val_accuracy'], label='Val
  Acc')
45 plt.legend()
46 plt.show()
47
48 # Predict sample
49 import numpy as np
50 pred = model.predict(x_test[:5])
51 print("Predicted labels:", np.argmax(pred, axis=1))
52 print("True labels:", y_test[:5])
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