CSC 421

Assignment #1

CIFAR- 10 Classification Report

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Python Version

- Python 3.9.7

How to Run

- To run K-Nearest-Neighbors classification: python ./knn.py
- To run K-Mean classification: python ./k_mean.py
- To run SoftMax classification: python ./softmax.py

Database

I'm using CIFAR-10 datasets. It consists of 60000 32x32x3 images with 10 classes, with 6000 images per classes. 50000 training images and 10000 testing images are loaded using the keras. dataset library.

- "from keras.dataset" import cifar10

K-Nearest-Neighbors

Description

K-Nearest-Neighbors classification uses the majority label of k nearest neighboring images to classify an input image. It captures the similarity of image pixels.

Method

To better improve the performance of our KNN classification problem, I use 5-fold cross validation to tune the hyperparameter. To calculate the distance between images on a graph, L1 distance and L2 distance calculation are used and compared. Different values of k of 3, 5, 7 ,11 is also used and tuned as hyperparameters. For every combination of distance calculation methods and values of k, 5-fold trainings and validations are completed, and the averages of accuracies are taken and compared to find the best hyperparameter.

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(apress) PS C:\Users\10422> python Downloads/knn.py
(50000, 32, 32, 3)
(50000, 1)
(10000, 32, 32, 3)
(10000, 1)
L1 NORM
Iteration 1 Matched - Unmatched:  3617 - 6383
Iteration 2 Matched - Unmatched:  3513 - 6487
Iteration 3 Matched - Unmatched:  3543 - 6457
Iteration 4 Matched - Unmatched:  3472 - 6528
Iteration 5 Matched - Unmatched:  3491 - 6509
Accuracy at k of 3 is 35.3 %

Iteration 1 Matched - Unmatched:  3761 - 6239
Iteration 2 Matched - Unmatched:  3614 - 6386
Iteration 3 Matched - Unmatched:  3657 - 6343
Iteration 4 Matched - Unmatched:  3598 - 6402
Iteration 5 Matched - Unmatched:  3569 - 6431
Accuracy at k of 5 is 36.4 %

Iteration 1 Matched - Unmatched:  3746 - 6254
Iteration 2 Matched - Unmatched:  3646 - 6354
Iteration 3 Matched - Unmatched:  3608 - 6392
Iteration 4 Matched - Unmatched:  3568 - 6432
Iteration 5 Matched - Unmatched:  3531 - 6469
Accuracy at k of 7 is 36.2 %

Iteration 1 Matched - Unmatched:  3747 - 6253
Iteration 2 Matched - Unmatched:  3589 - 6411
Iteration 3 Matched - Unmatched:  3641 - 6359
Iteration 4 Matched - Unmatched:  3633 - 6367
Iteration 5 Matched - Unmatched:  3577 - 6423
Accuracy at k of 11 is 36.4 %

L2 NORM
Iteration 1 Matched - Unmatched:  3260 - 6740
Iteration 2 Matched - Unmatched:  3261 - 6739
Iteration 3 Matched - Unmatched:  3280 - 6720
Iteration 4 Matched - Unmatched:  3252 - 6748
Iteration 5 Matched - Unmatched:  3178 - 6822
Accuracy at k of 3 is 32.5 %

Iteration 1 Matched - Unmatched:  3350 - 6650
Iteration 2 Matched - Unmatched:  3297 - 6703
Iteration 3 Matched - Unmatched:  3336 - 6664
Iteration 4 Matched - Unmatched:  3340 - 6660
Iteration 5 Matched - Unmatched:  3283 - 6717
Accuracy at k of 5 is 33.2 %

Iteration 1 Matched - Unmatched:  3400 - 6600
Iteration 2 Matched - Unmatched:  3330 - 6670
Iteration 3 Matched - Unmatched:  3356 - 6644
Iteration 4 Matched - Unmatched:  3310 - 6690
Iteration 5 Matched - Unmatched:  3237 - 6763
Accuracy at k of 7 is 33.3 %

Iteration 1 Matched - Unmatched:  3381 - 6619
Iteration 2 Matched - Unmatched:  3243 - 6757
Iteration 3 Matched - Unmatched:  3307 - 6693
Iteration 4 Matched - Unmatched:  3307 - 6693
Iteration 5 Matched - Unmatched:  3232 - 6768
Accuracy at k of 11 is 32.9 %

KNN models works best at k of 5 with L 1 norm. and the accuracy is 37.7 %
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Figure 1 Accuracies of KNN outputs

Result

A total number of 8 accuracies were computed for all distance calculation methods and values of k. L1 norm performed overall better than L2 norm and value of 5, 7, 11 offer a high accuracy than 3 as the value of k.

Using L1 norm to calculate distances between images and 5 as value of k showed the most promising results of 36.4% average accuracy on the validation set. Using this hyperparameter I was able to get an accuracy of 37.7% on the testing set.

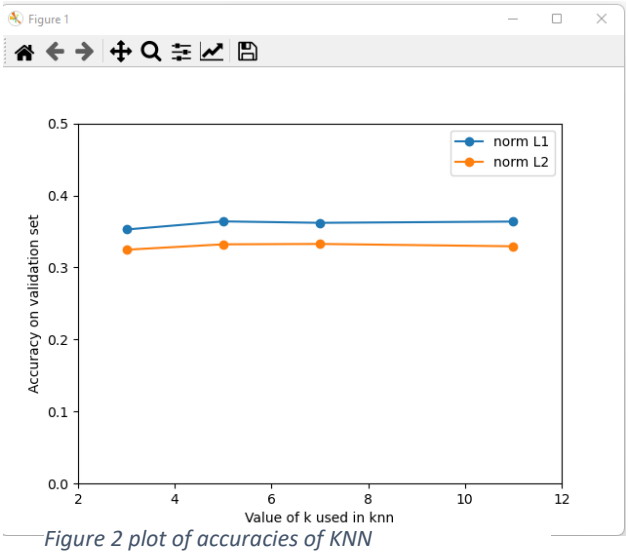

Figure 2 plot of accuracies of KNN

K_mean

Description

K_mean is a clustering algorithm that group the dataset into k number of non-overlapping clusters. The majority of label of images in a cluster determines the label for the cluster.

Method

The training set is divided into k clusters where the cluster's centroid is the arithmetic mean of all the data points within the cluster. There are two hyperparameters that are tuned using 5-fold cross validation. L1 and L2 norm are both used to calculate the distance between points and different number (3,5,7,11) of clusters are also compared to identify the best hyperparameter.

Result

From all the accuracies that the program outputs, we can conclude that in this classification program, the k_mean model works best when k has a value of 11 while using L1 norm to calculate the distance between points. It predicted the testing dataset at an accuracy of 23.41%

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(apress) PS C:\Users\10422> python downloads/k_mean.py
(50000, 3072)
(50000, 1)
(10000, 3072)
(10000, 1)
L1 Norm
K_Fold of 3
Iteration 1 : 15.879999999999999 %
Iteration 2 : 15.620000000000001 %
Iteration 3 : 17.87 %
Iteration 4 : 17.349999999999998 %
Iteration 5 : 17.86 %
Accuracy at k of 3 is 16.916 %

K_Fold of 5
Iteration 1 : 19.73 %
Iteration 2 : 19.42 %
Iteration 3 : 19.7 %
Iteration 4 : 18.65 %
Iteration 5 : 18.64 %
Accuracy at k of 5 is 19.228 %

K_Fold of 7
Iteration 1 : 20.47 %
Iteration 2 : 19.1 %
Iteration 3 : 19.950000000000003 %
Iteration 4 : 19.470000000000002 %
Iteration 5 : 19.759999999999998 %
Accuracy at k of 7 is 19.749999999999996 %

K_Fold of 11
Iteration 1 : 24.36 %
Iteration 2 : 23.630000000000003 %
Iteration 3 : 22.73 %
Iteration 4 : 22.650000000000002 %
Iteration 5 : 23.799999999999997 %
Accuracy at k of 11 is 23.433999999999997 %

L2 Norm
K_Fold of 3
Iteration 1 : 15.879999999999999 %
Iteration 2 : 15.620000000000001 %
Iteration 3 : 17.87 %
Iteration 4 : 15.73 %
Iteration 5 : 17.86 %
Accuracy at k of 3 is 16.592000000000002 %

K_Fold of 5
Iteration 1 : 19.73 %
Iteration 2 : 18.709999999999997 %
Iteration 3 : 18.4 %
Iteration 4 : 17.69 %
Iteration 5 : 19.33 %
Accuracy at k of 5 is 18.772000000000002 %

K_Fold of 7
Iteration 1 : 20.51 %
Iteration 2 : 19.13 %
Iteration 3 : 20.06 %
Iteration 4 : 19.470000000000002 %
Iteration 5 : 19.78 %
Accuracy at k of 7 is 19.79 %

K_Fold of 11
Iteration 1 : 24.13 %
Iteration 2 : 22.869999999999997 %
Iteration 3 : 22.74 %
Iteration 4 : 22.55 %
Iteration 5 : 22.770000000000003 %
Accuracy at k of 11 is 23.012 %

K_mean model works best at k of 11 with L 1 and the accuracy is 23.41 %
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Figure 3 K_mean Accuracy output

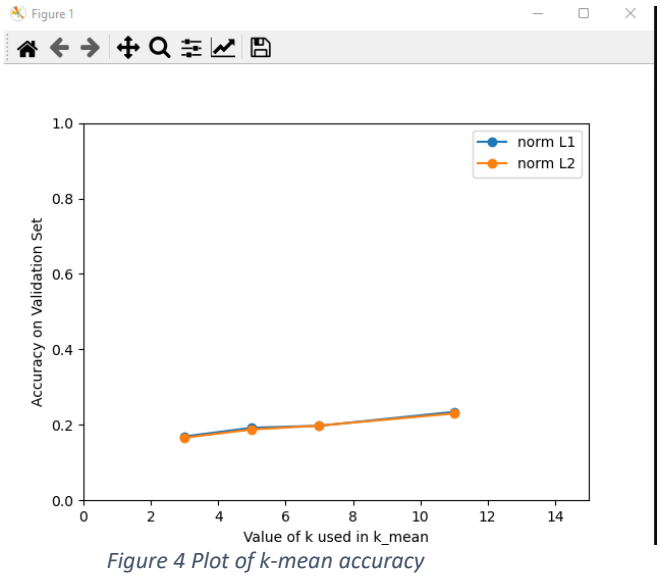

Figure 4 Plot of k-mean accuracy

SoftMax

Description

SoftMax classifier uses a mapping function f that takes an input set of data and map them to the output class labels via a linear dot product and a weight matrix. The output score is transformed into probability using the SoftMax activation function.

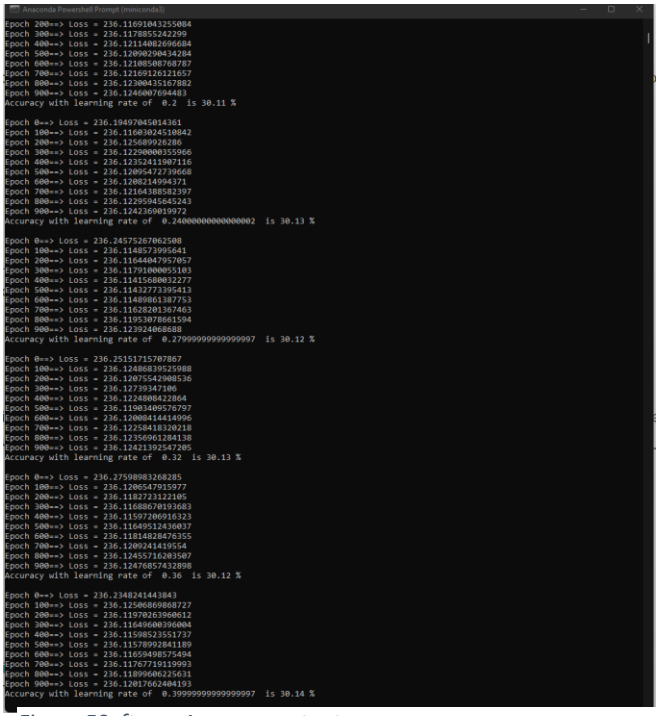

Figure 5Softmax Accuracy output

Method

The weight matrix is initialized to a N x M matrix of decimal numbers and the bias is initialized to a 1 x M matrix. Label probability is then calculated using dot product and SoftMax activation function. Weight matrix and bias matrix is updated using gradient decent. Ten equally spaced learning rate from 0.04 to 0.44 are used in this training. Loss function is implemented to capture how close the predicted label is to the true label.

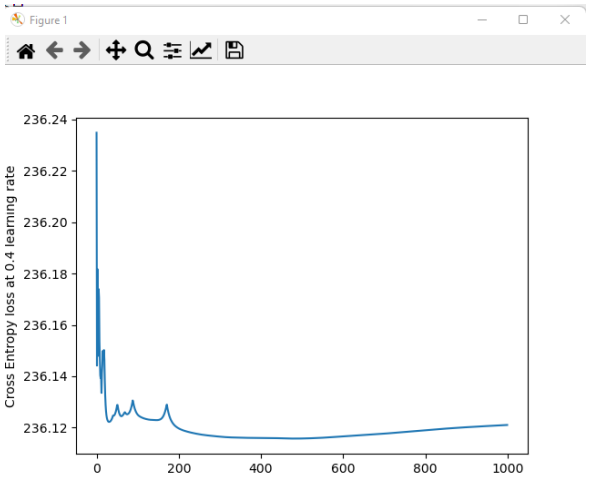

Figure 7 Loss function vs. epoch plot

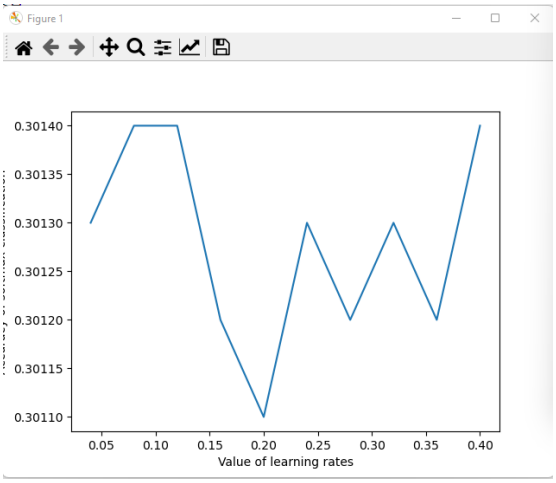

Figure 6 Softmax Accuracy vs. learning rate

Result

SoftMax classifier returns similar results using various learning rate in this test. The accuracy converges to 30% on the testing set. Loss function plot also shows the predicted label converges to the true label as number of iterations increases.

Conclusion

In this experiment, we implemented three different classification models: KNN, K_mean and SoftMax classification. Out of all three models, KNN model obtained the best result of an accuracy of 37.7%.