

# Computer Science NEA Report

An investigation into how Artificial Neural Networks work, the effects of their hyper-parameters and their applications in Image Recognition.

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# 1 Analysis

## 1.1 About

Artificial Intelligence mimics human cognition in order to perform tasks and learn from them, Machine Learning is a subfield of Artificial Intelligence that uses algorithms trained on data to produce models (trained programs) and Deep Learning is a subfield of Machine Learning that uses Artificial Neural Networks, a process of learning from data inspired by the human brain. Artificial Neural Networks can be trained to learn a vast number of problems, such as Image Recognition, and have uses across multiple fields, such as medical imaging in hospitals. This project is an investigation into how Artificial Neural Networks work, the effects of changing their hyper-parameters and their applications in Image Recognition. To achieve this, I will derive and research all theory behind the project, using sources such as IBM's online research, and develop Neural Networks from first principles without the use of any third-party Machine Learning libraries. I then will implement the Artificial Neural Networks in Image Recognition, by creating trained models and will allow for experimentation of the hyper-parameters of each model to allow for comparisons between each model's performances, via a Graphical User Interface.

## 1.2 Interview TODO

In order to gain a better foundation for my investigation, I presented my prototype code and interviewed the head of Artificial Intelligence at Cambridge Consultants for input on what they would like to see in my project, these were their responses:

- Q:""
- A:""

## 1.3 Project Objectives

- Learn how Artificial Neural Networks work and develop them from first principles
- Implement the Artificial Neural Networks by creating trained models on image datasets
  - Allow use of Graphics Cards for faster training
  - Store trained weights with sqlite
- Develop a Graphical User Interface
  - Provide controls for hyper-parameters of models
  - Display and compare the results each model's predictions

## 1.4 Theory behind Artificial Neural Networks

From an abstract perspective, Artificial Neural Networks are inspired by how the human mind works, by consisting of layers of 'neurons' all interconnected via different links, each with their own strength. By adjusting these links, Artificial Neural Networks can be trained to take in an input and give its best prediction as an output.

### 1.4.1 Structure

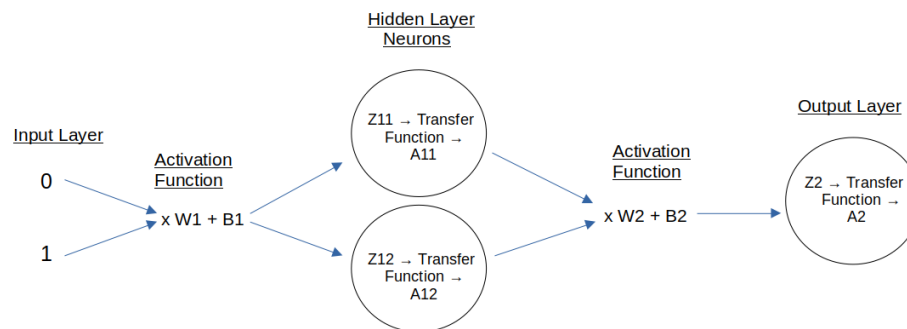


Figure 1: This shows an Artificial Neural Network with one single hidden layer and is known as a Shallow Neural Network.

I have focused on Feed-Forward Artificial Neural Networks, where values are entered to the input layer and passed forwards repetitively to the next layer until reaching the output layer. Within this, I have learnt two types of Feed-Forward Artificial Neural Networks: Perceptron Artificial Neural Networks, that contain no hidden layers and are best at learning more linear patterns and Multi-Layer Perceptron Artificial Neural Networks, that contain at least one hidden layer, as a result increasing the non-linearity in the Artificial Neural Network and allowing it to learn more complex / non-linear problems.

Multi-Layer Perceptron Artificial Neural Networks consist of:

- An input layer of input neurons, where the input values are entered.
- Hidden layers of hidden neurons.
- An output layer of output neurons, which outputs the final prediction.

To implement an Artificial Neural Network, matrices are used to represent the layers, where each layer is a matrix of the layer's neuron's values. In order to use matrices for this, the following basic theory must be known about them:

- When Adding two matrices, both matrices must have the same number of rows and columns.

- When multiplying two matrices, the number of columns of the 1st matrix must equal the number of rows of the 2nd matrix. And the result will have the same number of rows as the 1st matrix, and the same number of columns as the 2nd matrix. This is important, as the output of one layer must be formatted correctly to be used with the next layer.
- In order to multiply matrices, I take the 'dot product' of the matrices, which multiplies the row of one matrix with the column of the other, by multiplying matching members and then summing up.
- Transposing a matrix will turn all rows of the matrix into columns and all columns into rows.
- A matrix of values can be classified as a rank of Tensors, depending on the number of dimensions of the matrix. (Eg: A 2-dimensional matrix is a Tensor of rank 2)

I have focused on just using Fully-Connected layers, that will take in input values and apply the following calculations to produce an output of the layer:

- An Activation function
  - This calculates the dot product of the input matrix with a weight matrix, then sums the result with a bias matrix
- A Transfer function
  - This takes the result of the Activation function and transfers it to a suitable output value as well as adding more non-linearity to the Neural Network.
  - For example, the Sigmoid Transfer function converts the input to a number between zero and one, making it useful for logistic regression where the output value can be considered as closer to zero or one allowing for a binary classification of predicting zero or one.

#### 1.4.2 How Artificial Neural Networks learn

To train an Artificial Neural Network, the following processes will be carried out for each of a number of training epochs:

- Forward Propagation:
  - The process of feeding inputs in and getting a prediction (moving forward through the network)
- Back Propagation:
  - The process of calculating the Loss in the prediction and then adjusting the weights and biases accordingly

- I have used Supervised Learning to train the Artificial Neural Networks, where the output prediction of the Artificial Neural Network is compared to the values it should have predicted. With this, I can calculate the Loss value of the prediction (how wrong the prediction is from the actual value).
- I then move back through the network and update the weights and biases via Gradient Descent:
  - \* Gradient Descent aims to reduce the Loss value of the prediction to a minimum, by subtracting the rate of change of Loss with respect to the weights/ biases, multiplied with a learning rate, from the weights/biases.
  - \* To calculate the rate of change of Loss with respect to the weights/biases, you must use the following calculus methods:
    - Partial Differentiation, in order to differentiate the multi-variable functions, by taking respect to one variable and treating the rest as constants.
    - The Chain Rule, where for  $y = f(u)$  and  $u = g(x)$ ,  $\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} * \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$
    - For a matrix of  $f(x)$  values, the matrix of  $\frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x}$  values is known as the Jacobian matrix
  - \* This repetitive process will continue to reduce the Loss to a minimum, if the learning rate is set to an appropriate value

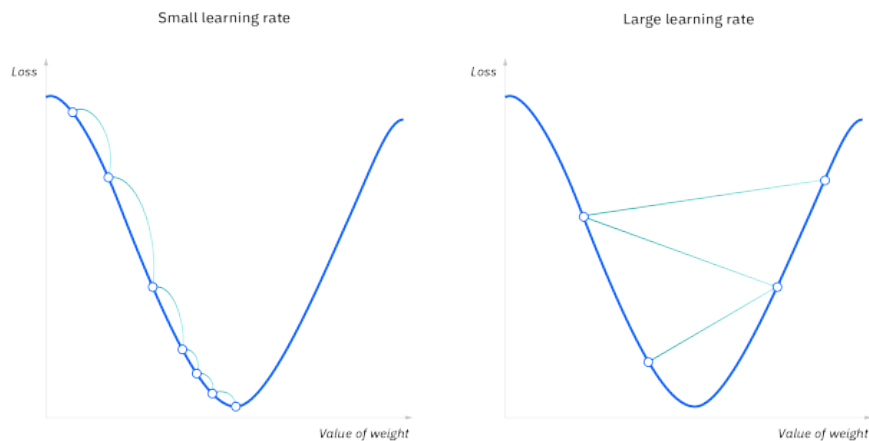


Figure 2: Gradient Descent  
sourced from <https://www.ibm.com/topics/gradient-descent>

- \* However, during backpropagation some issues can occur, such as the following:
  - Finding a false local minimum rather than the global minimum of the function

- Having an 'Exploding Gradient', where the gradient value grows exponentially to the point of overflow errors

## 1.5 Theory Behind Deep Artificial Neural Networks

### 1.5.1 Setup

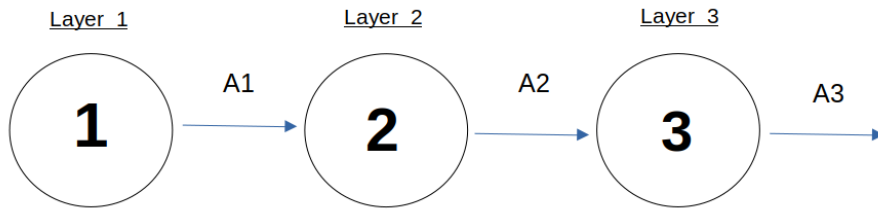


Figure 3: This shows an abstracted view of an Artificial Neural Network with multiple hidden layers and is known as a Deep Neural Network.

- Where a layer takes the previous layer's output as its input  $X$
- Then it applies an Activation function to  $X$  to obtain  $Z$ , by taking the dot product of  $X$  with a weight matrix  $W$ , then sums the result with a bias matrix  $B$ . At first the weights are initialised to random values and the biases are set to zeros.

$$- Z = W * X + B$$

- Then it applies a Transfer function to  $Z$  to obtain the layer's output
  - For the output layer, the sigmoid function (explained previously) must be used for either for binary classification via logistic regression, or for multi- class classification where it predicts the output neuron, and the associated class, that has the highest value between zero and one.
    - \* Where  $\text{sigmoid}(Z) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-Z}}$
  - However, for the input layer and the hidden layers, another transfer function known as ReLu (Rectified Linear Unit) can be better suited as it produces largers values of  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial W}$  and  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$  for Gradient Descent than Sigmoid, so updates at a quicker rate.
    - \* Where  $\text{relu}(Z) = \max(0, Z)$

### 1.5.2 Forward Propagation:

- For each epoch the input layer is given a matrix of input values, which are fed through the network to obtain a final prediction  $A$  from the output layer.

### 1.5.3 Back Propagation:

- First the Loss value  $L$  is calculated using the following Log-Loss function, which calculates the average difference between  $A$  and the value it should have predicted  $Y$ . Then the average is found by summing the result of the Loss function for each value in the matrix  $A$ , then dividing by the number of predictions  $m$ , resulting in a Loss value to show how well the network is performing.

- Where  $L = -(\frac{1}{m}) * \sum(Y * \log(A) + (1 - Y) * \log(1 - A))$  and "log()" is the natural logarithm

- I then move back through the network, adjusting the weights and biases via Gradient Descent. For each layer, the weights and biases are updated with the following formulae:

- $W = W - learningRate * \frac{\partial L}{\partial W}$
  - $B = B - learningRate * \frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$

- The derivation for Layer 2's  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial W}$  and  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$  can be seen below:

- Functions used so far:

1.  $Z = W * X + B$

2.  $A_{relu} = \max(0, Z)$

3.  $A_{sigmoid} = \frac{1}{1+e^{-Z}}$

4.  $L = -(\frac{1}{m}) * \sum(Y * \log(A) + (1 - Y) * \log(1 - A))$

- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial A2} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial A3} * \frac{\partial A3}{\partial Z3} * \frac{\partial Z3}{\partial A2}$

By using function 1, where  $A2$  is  $X$  for the 3rd layer,  $\frac{\partial Z3}{\partial A2} = W3$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial A2} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial A3} * \frac{\partial A3}{\partial Z3} * W3$$

- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial W2} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial A2} * \frac{\partial A2}{\partial Z2} * \frac{\partial Z2}{\partial W2}$

By using function 1, where  $A1$  is  $X$  for the 2nd layer,  $\frac{\partial Z2}{\partial W2} = A1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial W2} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial A2} * \frac{\partial A2}{\partial Z2} * A1$$

- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B2} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial A2} * \frac{\partial A2}{\partial Z2} * \frac{\partial Z2}{\partial B2}$

By using function 1,  $\frac{\partial Z2}{\partial B2} = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial W2} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial A2} * \frac{\partial A2}{\partial Z2} * 1$$

- As you can see, when moving back through the network, the  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial W}$  and  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$  of the layer can be calculated with the rate of change of loss with respect to its output, which is calculated by the previous layer using the above formula; the derivative of the layer's transfer function, and the layers input (which in this case is  $A1$ )

- Where by using function 2,  $\frac{\partial A_{relu}}{\partial Z} = 1$  when  $Z \geq 0$  otherwise  $\frac{\partial A_{relu}}{\partial Z} = 0$

- Where by using function 3,  $\frac{\partial A_{sigmoid}}{\partial Z} = A * (1 - A)$

- At the start of backpropagation, the rate of change of loss with respect to the output layer's output has no previous layer's calculations, so instead it can be found with the derivative of the Log-Loss function, as shown in the following:

- Using function 4,  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial A} = (-\frac{1}{m})(\frac{Y-A}{A*(1-A)})$

## 1.6 Theory behind training the Artificial Neural Networks

Training an Artificial Neural Network's weights and biases to predict on a dataset, will create a trained model for that dataset, so that it can predict on future images inputted. However, training Artificial Neural Networks can involve some problems such as Overfitting, where the trained model learns the patterns of the training dataset too well, causing worse prediction on a different test dataset. This can occur when the training dataset does not cover enough situations of inputs and the desired outputs (by being too small for example), if the model is trained for too many epochs on the poor dataset and having too many layers in the Neural Network. Another problem is Underfitting, where the model has not learnt the patterns of the training dataset well enough, often when it has been trained for too few epochs, or when the Neural Network is too simple (too linear).

### 1.6.1 Datasets

- MNIST dataset
  - The MNIST dataset is a famous dataset of images of handwritten digits from zero to ten and is commonly used to test the performance of an Artificial Neural Network.
  - The dataset consists of 60,000 input images, made up from 28x28 pixels and each pixel has an RGB value from 0 to 255
  - To format the images into a suitable format to be inputted into the Artificial Neural Networks, each image's matrix of RGB values are 'flattened' into a 1 dimensional matrix of values, where each element is also divided by 255 (the max RGB value) to a number between 0 and 1, to standardize the dataset.
  - The output dataset is also loaded, where each output for each image is an array, where the index represents the number of the image, by having a 1 in the index that matches the number represented and zeros for all other indexes.
  - To create a trained Artificial Neural Network model on this dataset, the model will require 10 output neurons (one for each digit), then by using the Sigmoid Transfer function to output a number between one and zero to each neuron, whichever neuron has the highest value is predicted. This is multi-class classification, where the model must predict one of 10 classes (in this case, each class is one of the digits from zero to ten).
- Cat dataset



- I will also use a dataset of images sourced from <https://github.com/marcopeix>, where each image is either a cat or not a cat.
- The dataset consists of 209 input images, made up from 64x64 pixels and each pixel has an RGB value from 0 to 255
- To format the images into a suitable format to be inputted into the Artificial Neural Networks, each image's matrix of RGB values are 'flattened' into a 1 dimensional array of values, where each element is also divided by 255 (the max RGB value) to a number between 0 and 1, to standardize the dataset.
- The output dataset is also loaded, and is reshaped into a 1 dimensional array of 1s and 0s, to store the output of each image (1 for cat, 0 for non cat)
- To create a trained Artificial Neural Network model on this dataset, the model will require only 1 output neuron, then by using the Sigmoid Transfer function to output a number between one and zero for the neuron, if the neuron's value is closer to 1 it predicts cat, otherwise it predicts not a cat. This is binary classification, where the model must use logistic regression to predict whether it is a cat or not a cat.

- XOR dataset

- For experimenting with Artificial Neural Networks, I solve the XOR gate problem, where the Neural Network is fed input pairs of zeros and ones and learns to predict the output of a XOR gate used in circuits.
- This takes much less computation time than image datasets, so is usefull for quickly comparing different hyper-parameters of a Network.

### 1.6.2 Theory behind using Graphics Cards to train Artificial Neural Networks

Graphics Cards consist of many Tensor cores which are processing units specialised for matrix operations for calculating the co-ordinates of 3D graphics, however they can be used here for operating on the matrices in the network at a much faster speed compared to CPUs. GPUs also include CUDA cores which act as an API to the GPU's computing to be used for any operations (in this case training the Artificial Neural Networks).

## 2 Design

### 2.1 Introduction

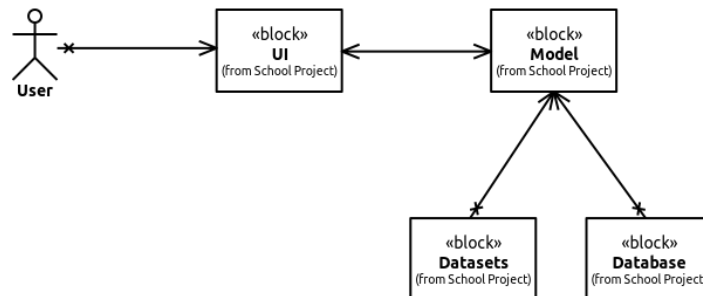
The following design focuses have been made for the project:

- The program will support multiple platforms to run on, including Windows and Linux.
- The program will use python3 as its main programming language.
- I will use an object-orientated approach to the project
- I will give and option to use either a Graphics card or a CPU to train the Artificial Neural Networks

I will also be using SysML for designing the following diagrams.

### 2.2 System Architecture

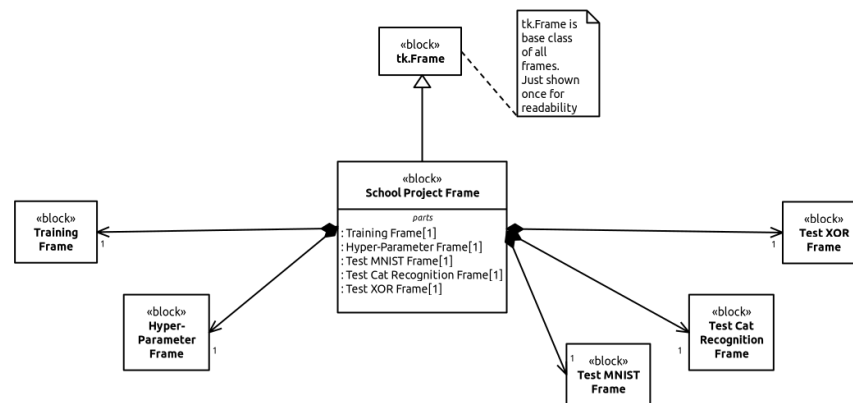
bdd [block] School Project Frame [System Architecture Diagram]



## 2.3 Class Diagrams

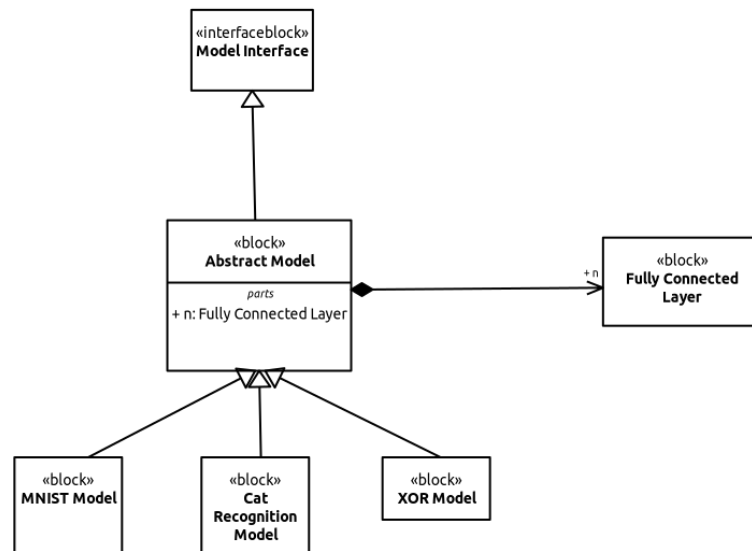
### 2.3.1 UI Class Diagram

bdd [package] School Project [UI Class Diagram]



### 2.3.2 Model Class Diagram

bdd [package] School Project [Model Class Diagram]



## 2.4 System Flow chart

- The general flow of the program TODO

## 2.5 Algorithms

Refer to Analysis for the algorithms behind the Artificial Neural Networks

## 2.6 Data Structures

I will use the following data structures in the program:

- Matrices to represent the layers and allow for a varied number of neurons in each layer. To represent the Matrices I will use both numpy arrays and cupy arrays.
- Dictionaries for loading the default hyper-parameter values from a JSON file.

## 2.7 File Structure

I will use the following file structures to store necessary data for the program:

- A JSON file for storing the default hyper-parameters for creating a new model for each dataset.
- I will store the image dataset files in a 'datasets' directory. The dataset files will either be a compressed archive file (such as .pkl.gz files) or of the Hierarchical Data Format (such as .h5) for storing large datasets with fast retrieval.
- I will save a pretrained model TODO

## 2.8 Database Design

- TODO

## 2.9 Queries

- TODO

## 2.10 HCI

- Labeled screenshots of UI TODO

## 2.11 Hardware Design

To allow for faster training of an Artificial Neural Network, I will give the option to use a Graphics Card to train the Artificial Neural Network if available. I will also give the option to load pretrained weights to run on less computationaly powerfull hardware using just the CPU as standard.

## 3 Technical Solution

### 3.1 Test

---

```
1 import x
2 class Y():
3     """
4     @_decorator
5     def output(self): # comment
6         self.attribute = "lkdsfjldskfj"
7         print("Hello World")
```

---

```
1 import os
2 import sqlite3
3 import threading
4 import tkinter as tk
5 import tkinter.font as tkf
6 import uuid
7
8 import pympler.tracker as tracker
9
10 from school_project.frames.create_model import (HyperParameterFrame,
11                                                  TrainingFrame)
12 from school_project.frames.load_model import LoadModelFrame
13 from school_project.frames.test_model import (TestMNISTFrame,
14                                               TestCatRecognitionFrame,
15                                               TestXORFrame)
16
17 class SchoolProjectFrame(tk.Frame):
18     """Main frame of school project."""
19     def __init__(self, root: tk.Tk, width: int, height: int, bg: str) -> None:
20         """Initialise school project pages.
21
22         Args:
23             root (tk.Tk): the widget object that contains this widget.
24             width (int): the pixel width of the frame.
25             height (int): the pixel height of the frame.
26             bg (str): the hex value or name of the frame's background colour.
27
28         Raises:
29             TypeError: if root, width or height are not of the correct type.
30
31         """
32         super().__init__(master=root, width=width, height=height, bg=bg)
33         self.root = root.title("School Project")
34         self.WIDTH = width
35         self.HEIGHT = height
36         self.BG = bg
37
38         # Setup school project frame variables
39         self.hyper_parameter_frame: HyperParameterFrame
40         self.training_frame: TrainingFrame
41         self.load_model_frame: LoadModelFrame
42         self.test_frame: TestMNISTFrame | TestCatRecognitionFrame | TestXORFrame
43         self.connection, self.cursor = self.setup_database()
44         self.model = None
45
46         # Record if the model should be saved after testing,
47         # as only newly created models should be given the option to be saved.
48         self.saving_model: bool
```

```

49     # Setup school project frame widgets
50     self.exit_hyper_parameter_frame_button = tk.Button(
51         master=self,
52         width=13,
53         height=1,
54         font=tkf.Font(size=12),
55         text="Exit",
56         command=self.exit_hyper_parameter_frame
57     )
58     self.exit_load_model_frame_button = tk.Button(
59         master=self,
60         width=13,
61         height=1,
62         font=tkf.Font(size=12),
63         text="Exit",
64         command=self.exit_load_model_frame
65     )
66     self.train_button = tk.Button(master=self,
67         width=13,
68         height=1,
69         font=tkf.Font(size=12),
70         text="Train Model",
71         command=self.enter_training_frame)
72     self.stop_training_button = tk.Button(
73         master=self,
74         width=15, height=1,
75         font=tkf.Font(size=12),
76         text="Stop Training Model",
77         command=lambda: self.model.set_running(
78             value=False
79         )
80     )
81     self.test_created_model_button = tk.Button(
82         master=self,
83         width=13, height=1,
84         font=tkf.Font(size=12),
85         text="Test Model",
86         command=self.test_created_model
87     )
88     self.test_loaded_model_button = tk.Button(
89         master=self,
90         width=13, height=1,
91         font=tkf.Font(size=12),
92         text="Test Model",
93         command=self.test_loaded_model
94     )
95     self.delete_loaded_model_button = tk.Button(
96         master=self,
97         width=13, height=1,
98         font=tkf.Font(size=12),
99         text="Delete Model",
100         command=self.delete_loaded_model
101     )
102     self.save_model_label = tk.Label(
103         master=self,
104         text="Enter a name for your trained model:",
105         bg=self.BG,
106         font=('Arial', 15)
107     )
108     self.save_model_name_entry = tk.Entry(master=self, width=13)
109     self.save_model_button = tk.Button(master=self,
110         width=13,

```

```

111             height=1,
112             font=tkf.Font(size=12),
113             text="Save Model",
114             command=self.save_model)
115 self.exit_button = tk.Button(master=self,
116                               width=13, height=1,
117                               font=tkf.Font(size=12),
118                               text="Exit",
119                               command=self.enter_home_frame)
120
121 # Setup home frame
122 self.home_frame = tk.Frame(master=self,
123                             width=self.WIDTH,
124                             height=self.HEIGHT,
125                             bg=self.BG)
126 self.title_label = tk.Label(
127     master=self.home_frame,
128     bg=self.BG,
129     font=('Arial', 20),
130     text="A-level Computer Science NEA Programming Project"
131 )
132 self.about_label = tk.Label(
133     master=self.home_frame,
134     bg=self.BG,
135     font=('Arial', 14),
136     text="An investigation into how Artificial Neural Networks work, " +
137     "the effects of their hyper-parameters and their applications " +
138     "in Image Recognition.\n\n" +
139     " - Max Cotton"
140 )
141 self.model_menu_label = tk.Label(master=self.home_frame,
142                                   bg=self.BG,
143                                   font=('Arial', 14),
144                                   text="Create a new model " +
145                                   "or load a pre-trained model "
146                                   "for one of the following datasets:")
147 self.dataset_option_menu_var = tk.StringVar(master=self.home_frame,
148                                              value="MNIST")
149 self.dataset_option_menu = tk.OptionMenu(self.home_frame,
150                                           self.dataset_option_menu_var,
151                                           "MNIST",
152                                           "Cat Recognition",
153                                           "XOR")
154 self.create_model_button = tk.Button(
155     master=self.home_frame,
156     width=13, height=1,
157     font=tkf.Font(size=12),
158     text="Create Model",
159     command=self.enter_hyper_parameter_frame
160 )
161 self.load_model_button = tk.Button(master=self.home_frame,
162                                    width=13, height=1,
163                                    font=tkf.Font(size=12),
164                                    text="Load Model",
165                                    command=self.enter_load_model_frame)
166
167 # Grid home frame widgets
168 self.title_label.grid(row=0, column=0, columnspan=4, pady=(10,0))
169 self.about_label.grid(row=1, column=0, columnspan=4, pady=(10,50))
170 self.model_menu_label.grid(row=2, column=0, columnspan=4)
171 self.dataset_option_menu.grid(row=3, column=0, columnspan=4, pady=30)
172 self.create_model_button.grid(row=4, column=1)

```

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173         self.load_model_button.grid(row=4, column=2)
174
175         self.home_frame.pack()
176
177         # Setup frame attributes
178         self.grid_propagate(flag=False)
179         self.pack_propagate(flag=False)
180
181     @staticmethod
182     def setup_database() -> tuple[sqlite3.Connection, sqlite3.Cursor]:
183         """Create a connection to the pretrained_models database file and
184         setup base table for each dataset if needed.
185
186         Returns:
187             a tuple of the database connection and the cursor for it.
188
189         """
190         connection = sqlite3.connect(
191             database='school_project/saved_models.db'
192         )
193         cursor = connection.cursor()
194         cursor.execute("""
195         CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS MNIST
196         (Model_Name TEXT PRIMARY KEY,
197         File_Location TEXT,
198         Hidden_Layers_Shape TEXT,
199         Train_Dataset_Size INTEGER,
200         Learning_Rate FLOAT,
201         Use_ReLu INTEGER)
202         """)
203         cursor.execute("""
204         CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS Cat_Recognition
205         (Model_Name TEXT PRIMARY KEY,
206         File_Location TEXT,
207         Hidden_Layers_Shape TEXT,
208         Train_Dataset_Size INTEGER,
209         Learning_Rate FLOAT,
210         Use_ReLu INTEGER)
211         """)
212         cursor.execute("""
213         CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS XOR
214         (Model_Name TEXT PRIMARY KEY,
215         File_Location TEXT,
216         Hidden_Layers_Shape TEXT,
217         Train_Dataset_Size INTEGER,
218         Learning_Rate FLOAT,
219         Use_ReLu INTEGER)
220         """)
221         return (connection, cursor)
222
223     def enter_hyper_parameter_frame(self) -> None:
224         """Unpack home frame and pack hyper-parameter frame."""
225         self.home_frame.pack_forget()
226         self.hyper_parameter_frame = HyperParameterFrame(
227             root=self,
228             width=self.WIDTH,
229             height=self.HEIGHT,
230             bg=self.BG,
231             dataset=self.dataset_option_menu_var.get()
232         )
233         self.hyper_parameter_frame.pack()
234         self.train_button.pack()

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235         self.exit_hyper_parameter_frame_button.pack(pady=(10,0))
236
237     def enter_load_model_frame(self) -> None:
238         """Unpack home frame and pack load model frame."""
239         self.home_frame.pack_forget()
240         self.load_model_frame = LoadModelFrame(
241             root=self,
242             width=self.WIDTH,
243             height=self.HEIGHT,
244             bg=self.BG,
245             connection=self.connection,
246             cursor=self.cursor,
247             dataset=self.dataset_option_menu_var.get()
248         )
249         self.load_model_frame.pack()
250
251         # Don't give option to test loaded model if no models have been saved
252         # for the dataset.
253         if len(self.load_model_frame.model_options) > 0:
254             self.test_loaded_model_button.pack()
255             self.delete_loaded_model_button.pack(pady=(5,0))
256
257         self.exit_load_model_frame_button.pack(pady=(5,0))
258
259     def exit_hyper_parameter_frame(self) -> None:
260         """Unpack hyper-parameter frame and pack home frame."""
261         self.hyper_parameter_frame.pack_forget()
262         self.train_button.pack_forget()
263         self.exit_hyper_parameter_frame_button.pack_forget()
264         self.home_frame.pack()
265
266     def exit_load_model_frame(self) -> None:
267         """Unpack load model frame and pack home frame."""
268         self.load_model_frame.pack_forget()
269         self.test_loaded_model_button.pack_forget()
270         self.delete_loaded_model_button.pack_forget()
271         self.exit_load_model_frame_button.pack_forget()
272         self.home_frame.pack()
273
274     def enter_training_frame(self) -> None:
275         """Load untrained model from hyper parameter frame,
276         unpack hyper-parameter frame, pack training frame
277         and begin managing the training thread.
278         """
279         try:
280             self.model = self.hyper_parameter_frame.create_model()
281         except (ValueError, ImportError) as e:
282             return
283         self.hyper_parameter_frame.pack_forget()
284         self.train_button.pack_forget()
285         self.exit_hyper_parameter_frame_button.pack_forget()
286         self.training_frame = TrainingFrame(
287             root=self,
288             width=self.WIDTH,
289             height=self.HEIGHT,
290             bg=self.BG,
291             model=self.model,
292             epoch_count=self.hyper_parameter_frame.epoch_count_scale.get()
293         )
294         self.training_frame.pack()
295         self.stop_training_button.pack()
296         self.manage_training(train_thread=self.training_frame.train_thread)

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298
299 def manage_training(self, train_thread: threading.Thread) -> None:
300     """Wait for model training thread to finish,
301     then plot training losses on training frame.
302
303     Args:
304         train_thread (threading.Thread):
305             the thread running the model's train() method.
306
307     Raises:
308         TypeError: if train_thread is not of type threading.Thread.
309
310     """
311     if not train_thread.is_alive():
312         self.training_frame.training_progress_label.pack_forget()
313         self.training_frame.plot_losses(model=self.model)
314         self.stop_training_button.pack_forget()
315         self.test_created_model_button.pack(pady=(30,0))
316     else:
317         self.training_frame.training_progress_label.configure(
318             text=self.model.training_progress
319         )
320         self.after(100, self.manage_training, train_thread)
321
322 def test_created_model(self) -> None:
323     """Unpack training frame, pack test frame for the dataset
324     and begin managing the test thread."""
325     self.saving_model = True
326     self.training_frame.pack_forget()
327     self.test_created_model_button.pack_forget()
328     if self.hyper_parameter_frame.dataset == "MNIST":
329         self.test_frame = TestMNISTFrame(
330             root=self,
331             width=self.WIDTH,
332             height=self.HEIGHT,
333             bg=self.BG,
334             use_gpu=self.hyper_parameter_frame.use_gpu,
335             model=self.model
336         )
337     elif self.hyper_parameter_frame.dataset == "Cat Recognition":
338         self.test_frame = TestCatRecognitionFrame(
339             root=self,
340             width=self.WIDTH,
341             height=self.HEIGHT,
342             bg=self.BG,
343             use_gpu=self.hyper_parameter_frame.use_gpu,
344             model=self.model
345         )
346     elif self.hyper_parameter_frame.dataset == "XOR":
347         self.test_frame = TestXORFrame(root=self,
348             width=self.WIDTH,
349             height=self.HEIGHT,
350             bg=self.BG,
351             model=self.model)
352
353     self.test_frame.pack()
354     self.manage_testing(test_thread=self.test_frame.test_thread)
355
356 def test_loaded_model(self) -> None:
357     """Load saved model from load model frame, unpack load model frame,
358     pack test frame for the dataset and begin managing the test thread."""
359     self.saving_model = False
360     try:
361         self.model = self.load_model_frame.load_model()

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359     except (ValueError, ImportError) as e:
360         return
361     self.load_model_frame.pack_forget()
362     self.test_loaded_model_button.pack_forget()
363     self.delete_loaded_model_button.pack_forget()
364     self.exit_load_model_frame_button.pack_forget()
365     if self.load_model_frame.dataset == "MNIST":
366         self.test_frame = TestMNISTFrame(
367             root=self,
368             width=self.WIDTH,
369             height=self.HEIGHT,
370             bg=self.BG,
371             use_gpu=self.load_model_frame.use_gpu,
372             model=self.model
373         )
374     elif self.load_model_frame.dataset == "Cat Recognition":
375         self.test_frame = TestCatRecognitionFrame(
376             root=self,
377             width=self.WIDTH,
378             height=self.HEIGHT,
379             bg=self.BG,
380             use_gpu=self.load_model_frame.use_gpu,
381             model=self.model
382         )
383     elif self.load_model_frame.dataset == "XOR":
384         self.test_frame = TestXORFrame(root=self,
385                                         width=self.WIDTH,
386                                         height=self.HEIGHT,
387                                         bg=self.BG,
388                                         model=self.model)
389     self.test_frame.pack()
390     self.manage_testing(test_thread=self.test_frame.test_thread)
391
392 def manage_testing(self, test_thread: threading.Thread) -> None:
393     """Wait for model test thread to finish,
394     then plot results on test frame.
395
396     Args:
397         test_thread (threading.Thread):
398             the thread running the model's predict() method.
399     Raises:
400         TypeError: if test_thread is not of type threading.Thread.
401
402     """
403     if not test_thread.is_alive():
404         self.test_frame.plot_results(model=self.model)
405         if self.saving_model:
406             self.save_model_label.pack(pady=(30,0))
407             self.save_model_name_entry.pack(pady=10)
408             self.save_model_button.pack()
409             self.exit_button.pack(pady=(20,0))
410         else:
411             self.after(1_000, self.manage_testing, test_thread)
412
413 def save_model(self) -> None:
414     """Save the model, save the model information to the database, then
415     enter the home frame."""
416     # Save model to random hex file name
417     file_location = f"school_project/saved-models/{uuid.uuid4().hex}.npz"
418     self.model.save_model_values(file_location=file_location)
419
420     # Check if model name has already been taken

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421 dataset = self.dataset_option_menu_var.get().replace(" ", "_")
422 model_name = self.save_model_name_entry.get()
423 self.cursor.execute(f"""
424 SELECT Model_Name FROM {dataset}
425 """)
426 for saved_model_name in self.cursor.fetchall():
427     if saved_model_name[0] == model_name:
428         self.test_frame.model_status_label.configure(
429             text="Model name taken",
430             fg='red'
431         )
432         return
433
434 # Save the model information to the database
435 sql = f"""
436 INSERT INTO {dataset}
437 (Model_Name, File_Location, Hidden_Layers_Shape, Train_Dataset_Size, Learning_Rate, Use_ReLu)
438 VALUES (?, ?, ?, ?, ?, ?)
439 """
440 parameters = (
441     model_name,
442     file_location,
443     self.hyper_parameter_frame.hidden_layers_shape_entry.get(),
444     self.hyper_parameter_frame.train_dataset_size_scale.get(),
445     self.hyper_parameter_frame.learning_rate_scale.get(),
446     self.hyper_parameter_frame.use_relu_check_button_var.get()
447 )
448 self.cursor.execute(sql, parameters)
449 self.connection.commit()
450
451 self.enter_home_frame()
452
453 def delete_loaded_model(self) -> None:
454     """Delete saved model file and model data from the database."""
455     dataset = self.dataset_option_menu_var.get().replace(" ", "_")
456     model_name = self.load_model_frame.model_option_menu_var.get()
457
458     # Delete saved model
459     sql = f"""SELECT * FROM {dataset} WHERE Model_Name = ?"""
460     parameters = (model_name,)
461     self.cursor.execute(sql, parameters)
462     os.remove(self.cursor.fetchall()[0][1])
463
464     # Remove model data from database
465     sql = f"""DELETE FROM {dataset} WHERE Model_Name = ?"""
466     parameters = (model_name,)
467     self.cursor.execute(sql, parameters)
468     self.connection.commit()
469
470     # Reload load model frame with new options
471     self.exit_load_model_frame()
472     self.enter_load_model_frame()
473
474 def enter_home_frame(self) -> None:
475     """Unpack test frame and pack home frame."""
476     self.model = None # Free up trained Model from memory
477     self.test_frame.pack_forget()
478     if self.saving_model:
479         self.save_model_label.pack_forget()
480         self.save_model_name_entry.delete(0, tk.END) # Clear entry's text
481         self.save_model_name_entry.pack_forget()
482         self.save_model_button.pack_forget()

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483         self.exit_button.pack_forget()
484         self.home_frame.pack()
485         summary_tracker.create_summary() # BUG: Object summary seems to reduce
486                                         # memory leak greatly
487
488     def main() -> None:
489         """Entrypoint of project."""
490         root = tk.Tk()
491         school_project = SchoolProjectFrame(root=root, width=1280,
492                                             height=835, bg='white')
493         school_project.pack(side='top', fill='both', expand=True)
494         root.mainloop()
495
496         # Stop model training when GUI closes
497         if school_project.model != None:
498             school_project.model.set_running(value=False)
499
500 if __name__ == "__main__":
501     summary_tracker = tracker.SummaryTracker() # Setup object tracker
502     main()

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