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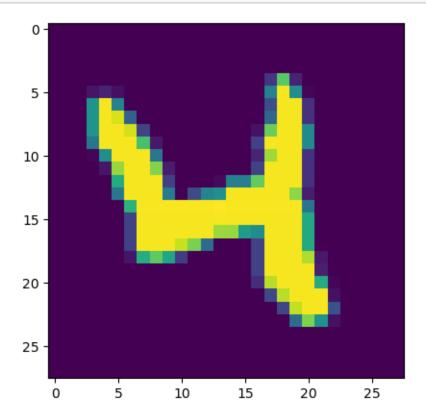
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[1]: import scipy
     import numpy as np
     from tqdm.notebook import tqdm
     from numba import njit
     def np array(shape):
         return np.array(shape, dtype=np.float32)
     def np_zeros(shape):
         return np.zeros(shape, dtype=np.float32)
     def np_ones(shape):
         return np.ones(shape, dtype=np.float32)
[2]: data = scipy.io.loadmat('mnist.mat')
[3]: testX, testY, trainX, trainY = data['testX'], data['testY'], data['trainX'],

data['trainY']

     # Normalize data
     testX = (testX / 255.0).astype(np.float32)
     trainX = (trainX / 255.0).astype(np.float32)
     trainY = (trainY.T).astype(np.float32)
     testY = (testY.T).astype(np.float32)
[4]: print(f"{testX.shape=}")
     print(f"{testY.shape=}")
     print(f"{trainX.shape=}")
     print(f"{trainY.shape=}")
    testX.shape=(10000, 784)
    testY.shape=(10000, 1)
    trainX.shape=(60000, 784)
    trainY.shape=(60000, 1)
[5]: %matplotlib inline
     from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
     def display_image(normalized_data):
         # data should contain values in [0,1]
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scaled = normalized_data.reshape((28,-1)) * 255
plt.imshow(scaled, interpolation='nearest')
plt.show()
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[6]: (None, array([4.], dtype=float32))

1 Part 1

1.1 One-Versus-All Classifier

We want to solve the problem

$$\min_{x} ||y - Ax||$$

where A is our training data and x is a set of weights for the data.

From the work shown in class, we show that the following must be true for a least squares solution x

$$A^T y = A^T A x$$

where B is the matrix of basis vectors of the subspace given by A.

Then, we can solve for x, which must exist.

$$x = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T y$$

First, we want to compare class i against all classes $\neq i$. To do this, we create a new y marked either 1 or -1 depending on whether $y_i = i$ or $y_i \neq i$.

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[7]: # Add column of ones for bias
def create_one_v_all_classifier(trainX, trainY, n):
    A = np.column_stack((trainX, np_ones(trainX.shape[0]))).astype(np.float32)
    y = np.copy(trainY)
    mask1, mask2 = trainY == n, trainY != n
    y[mask1] = 1.0
    y[mask2] = -1.0
    return A, y
```

Now we use the pseudoinverse function, which solves least-squares.

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[8]: @njit
def solve_one_v_all_classifier(A, y):
    A = A.astype(np.float32)
    y = y.astype(np.float32)
    B = np.linalg.pinv(A) @ y
    return B.astype(np.float32)
```

And let's make some functions that compute and display the confusion matrices of the model.

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[9]: @njit
     def binary_confusion_matrix(A, y, x):
         m = np.zeros((2,2))
         pred = np.sign(A @ x)
         tp = np.sum((pred == 1) & (y == 1))
         tn = np.sum((pred == -1) & (y == -1))
         fp = np.sum((pred == 1) & (y == -1))
         fn = np.sum((pred == -1) & (y == 1))
         return np.array([
             [tp, tn],
             [fp, fn]
         ])
     @njit
     def evaluate(X_test, y_test, x, n):
         m = binary_confusion_matrix(X_test, y_test, x)
         display_binary_confusion_matrix(m, n)
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@njit
def display_binary_confusion_matrix(conf_matrix, n, ax):
    error rate = conf_matrix[1, :].sum() / conf_matrix.sum()
    # fiq, ax2 = plt.subplots(fiqsize=(8, 8))
   cax = ax.matshow(conf_matrix, cmap='Blues')
    # Add colorbar
   fig.colorbar(cax)
   # Set labels for the x and y axes
   ax.xlabel('Predicted')
   ax.ylabel('True')
   # Add a title with the error rate
   ax.title(f'Confusion Matrix for digit {n}\nError Rate: {error_rate:.2%}')
   # Display the values inside the matrix
   for i in range(conf_matrix.shape[0]):
        for j in range(conf_matrix.shape[1]):
            plt.text(j, i, f'{int(conf_matrix[i, j])}', ha='center',
 ⇔va='center', color='black')
   plt.show()
```

Now let's see what the results are for each class $0, \dots, 9$

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[10]: m_trains, m_tests = [], []
  one_v_all_models = []
  for n in tqdm(range(10)):
    A, y = create_one_v_all_classifier(trainX, trainY, n)
    x = solve_one_v_all_classifier(A, y)
    one_v_all_models.append(x) # save for later use
    m_train = binary_confusion_matrix(A, y, x)
    m_trains.append(m_train)
    A_test, y_test = create_one_v_all_classifier(testX, testY, n)
    m_test = binary_confusion_matrix(A_test, y_test, x)
    m_tests.append(m_test)
    one_v_all_models = np.array(one_v_all_models).reshape((10, -1))
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[11]: # source: ChatGPT
    # Create a figure with 4 rows and 5 columns of subplots

def create_binary_confusion_matrix_plot(m_trains, m_tests, start=0):
    fig, axs = plt.subplots(5, 4, figsize=(15, 12))

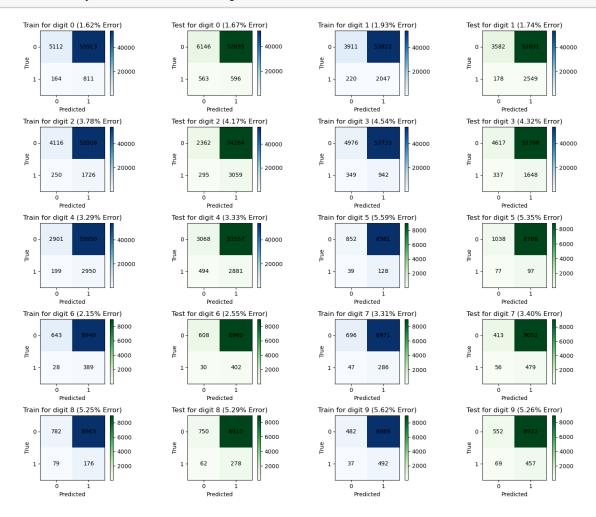
# Flatten the axs array to make it easier to iterate
    axs_flat = axs.flatten()

# Iterate through the confusion matrices and plot them
    for i, (m_train, m_test) in enumerate(zip(m_trains, m_tests)):
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# Plot the confusion matrix for training data
      im = axs_flat[2*i].imshow(m_train, cmap='Blues',__
⇔interpolation='nearest')
       # Add numbers to each square
      for x in range(2):
          for y in range(2):
              axs_flat[i].text(y, x, str(m_train[x, y]), color="black", __
⇔ha="center", va="center")
       # Add labels, title, and colorbar
      axs_flat[2*i].set_title(f'Train for digit {i} ({100*m_train[1,:].sum()/

→m_train.sum():.2f}% Error)')
      axs_flat[2*i].set_xticks(np.arange(2))
      axs_flat[2*i].set_yticks(np.arange(2))
      axs_flat[2*i].set_xticklabels(['0', '1'])
      axs_flat[2*i].set_yticklabels(['0', '1'])
      axs_flat[2*i].set_xlabel('Predicted')
      axs_flat[2*i].set_ylabel('True')
      plt.colorbar(im, ax=axs_flat[i], fraction=0.046, pad=0.04)
      # Plot the confusion matrix for testing data
      im = axs_flat[2*i+1].imshow(m_test, cmap='Greens',__
→interpolation='nearest')
      # Add numbers to each square
      for x in range(2):
          for y in range(2):
              axs_flat[i + 10].text(y, x, str(m_test[x, y]), color="black",__
⇔ha="center", va="center")
       # Add labels, title, and colorbar
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_title(f'Test for digit {i} ({100*m_test[1,:].sum()/
→m_test.sum():.2f}% Error)')
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_xticks(np.arange(2))
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_yticks(np.arange(2))
      axs flat[2*i+1].set xticklabels(['0', '1'])
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_yticklabels(['0', '1'])
      axs flat[2*i+1].set xlabel('Predicted')
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_ylabel('True')
      plt.colorbar(im, ax=axs_flat[i + 10], fraction=0.046, pad=0.04)
  # Adjust layout for better spacing
  plt.tight_layout()
  plt.show()
```

create_binary_confusion_matrix_plot(m_trains, m_tests)



From the data, we see that digits 9, 8, 5, and 2 are the hardest to recognize.

Using the one-v-all classifier, we can build a multiclass classifier given by

$$\hat{f}(\mathbf{x}) = \arg\max_{k=0,\dots 9} g_k(\mathbf{x})$$

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[12]: @njit
    def multiclass_predict(models, x) -> int:
        preds = models @ x
        return int(np.argmax(preds))

[13]: conf_matrix_ova = np_zeros((10, 10))
    testX_ones = np.c_[testX, np.ones(testX.shape[0])].astype(np.float32)
    n = 0
    for row, actual in zip(testX_ones, testY):
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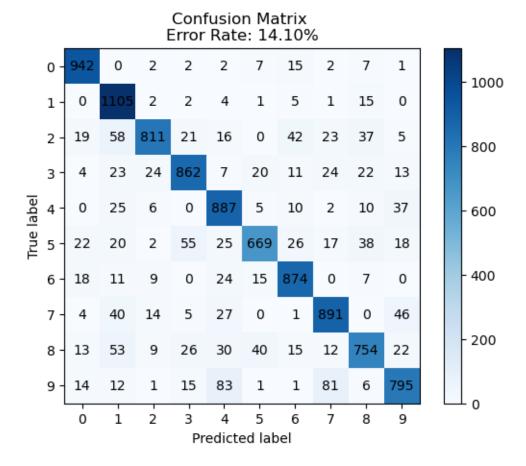
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pred = multiclass_predict(one_v_all_models, row)
          actual = int(actual)
          conf_matrix_ova[actual][pred] += 1
     /var/folders/qs/qtpxyfmd5bv20vyzlf111ncc0000gn/T/ipykernel_3616/274643382.py:3:
     NumbaPerformanceWarning: '@' is faster on contiguous arrays, called on
     (Array(float32, 2, 'C', False, aligned=True), Array(float32, 1, 'A', False,
     aligned=True))
       preds = models @ x
[14]: def plot_multiclass_confusion_matrix(confusion_matrix, title=''):
          Plot a multiclass confusion matrix with row and column totals.
          Parameters:
          - confusion_matrix: numpy array, the confusion matrix to be plotted
          Returns:
          None
          # Calculate row and column totals
          row_totals = np.sum(confusion_matrix, axis=1)
          col_totals = np.sum(confusion_matrix, axis=0)
          # Calculate the error rate
          total_samples = np.sum(confusion_matrix)
          correct_predictions = np.trace(confusion_matrix)
          error_rate = 1 - (correct_predictions / total_samples)
          # Create a figure and axes
          fig, ax = plt.subplots()
          # Plot the confusion matrix using imshow
          cax = ax.imshow(confusion_matrix, cmap='Blues', interpolation='nearest')
          # Add text annotations for each element in the matrix
          for i in range(confusion_matrix.shape[0]):
              for j in range(confusion_matrix.shape[1]):
                  ax.text(j, i, int(confusion_matrix[i, j]), va='center', ha='center')
          # Set labels for rows and columns
          ax.set_xticks(np.arange(confusion_matrix.shape[1]))
          ax.set_yticks(np.arange(confusion_matrix.shape[0]))
          ax.set_xticklabels(np.arange(confusion_matrix.shape[1]))
          ax.set_yticklabels(np.arange(confusion_matrix.shape[0]))
```

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# Set labels and title
plt.xlabel('Predicted label')
plt.ylabel('True label')
plt.title(f'Confusion Matrix {title}\nError Rate: {error_rate:.2%}')

# Add colorbar
plt.colorbar(cax)

# Display the plot
plt.show()
```

[15]: plot_multiclass_confusion_matrix(conf_matrix_ova)



1.2 One-vs-One Classifiers

Now let's create a multiclass classifier built out of 1v1 classifiers. These will compare classes i and j.

$$\hat{f}(\mathbf{x}) = \text{sign}(\mathbf{x} + \alpha) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if label} = i \\ -1 & \text{if label} = j \end{cases}$$

To do this, we need to filter out only the data that belongs to classes i and j and train the model on this only.

```
[16]: def create 1v1 classifier(X, y, i, j):
          # Return matrix A such that only digits with labels with i or j are included
          # Return matrix y such that only labels with i or j are included
          mask = (y == i) | (y == j)
          big_mask = np.tile(mask, (1, X.shape[1]))
          A = X[big_mask].reshape((-1, X.shape[1]))
          A = np.column_stack((A, np.ones(A.shape[0]))) # add ones
          # Select only relevant labels
          _y = y[mask]
          # Re-label
          i_mask = _y == i
          j_{mask} = y == j
          _y[i_mask] = 1
          y[j_mask] = -1
          assert _y.shape[0] == A.shape[0] # should have same number of rows
          return A.astype(np.float32), _y.astype(np.float32)
```

The solution and prediction will be exactly the same.

```
[17]: @njit
  def solve_1v1_classifier(A, y):
     B = np.dot(np.linalg.pinv(A), y)
     return B.astype(np.float32)

@njit
  def predict_1v1(x, dig):
     return np.sign(dig @ x, dtype=np.int8)
```

Now that we can create a classifier for any pair (i, j), we can combine all possible pairs in the class set. Then, the multiclass model will evaluate all of these and count which has the highest "vote" count.

```
[18]: import itertools
import functools
# All pairs of numbers under 10
pairs = list(itertools.combinations(range(10), 2))

def create_1v1_confusion_matrix(X, y, i, j, x):
    A, _y = create_1v1_classifier(X, y, i, j)
    return binary_confusion_matrix(A, _y, x)
```

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[19]: def solve_multiclass_classifier(pairs, trainX, trainY):
          gs = [] \# list of (i, j, solution)
          for i, j in tqdm(pairs):
              # Parse data for (i, j)
              A, y = create_1v1_classifier(trainX, trainY, i, j)
              # Solve
              x = solve_1v1_classifier(A, y)
              gs.append((i, j, x))
          return gs
      def compute 1v1 confusion matrices(gs, test x, test y):
          # compute confusion matrices for each pair
          return [(i, j, create_1v1_confusion_matrix(test_x, test_y, i, j, x)) for i,_
       \hookrightarrowj, x in gs]
[20]: gs = solve_multiclass_classifier(pairs, trainX, trainY)
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                    | 0/45 [00:00<?, ?it/s]
[21]: m_train_1v1 = compute_1v1_confusion_matrices(gs, trainX, trainY)
      m test 1v1 = compute 1v1 confusion matrices(gs, testX, testY)
[22]: def grouper(iterable, n, *, incomplete='fill', fillvalue=None):
          "Collect data into non-overlapping fixed-length chunks or blocks"
          # grouper('ABCDEFG', 3, fillvalue='x') --> ABC DEF Gxx
          # grouper('ABCDEFG', 3, incomplete='strict') --> ABC DEF ValueError
          # grouper('ABCDEFG', 3, incomplete='ignore') --> ABC DEF
          args = [iter(iterable)] * n
          if incomplete == 'fill':
              return itertools.zip_longest(*args, fillvalue=fillvalue)
          if incomplete == 'strict':
              return zip(*args, strict=True)
          if incomplete == 'ignore':
              return zip(*args)
          else:
              raise ValueError('Expected fill, strict, or ignore')
      def create_binary_confusion_matrix_plot(m_trains, m_tests):
          pairs = [(i, j) for i, j, x in m_trains]
          m_trains = [x for _, _, x in m_trains]
          m_tests = [x for _, _, x in m_tests]
          assert len(m_trains) == len(m_tests)
          fig, axs = plt.subplots(5, 4, figsize=(15, 12))
          # Flatten the axs array to make it easier to iterate
          axs_flat = axs.flatten()
```

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# Iterate through the confusion matrices and plot them
  for i, (m_train, m_test) in enumerate(zip(m_trains, m_tests)):
      j, k = pairs[i]
      # Plot the confusion matrix for training data
      im = axs_flat[2*i].imshow(m_train, cmap='Blues',__
⇔interpolation='nearest')
       # Add numbers to each square
      for x in range(2):
          for y in range(2):
              axs_flat[i].text(y, x, str(m_train[x, y]), color="black",__
⇔ha="center", va="center")
       # Add labels, title, and colorbar
      axs_flat[2*i].set_title(f'Train for pair ({j}, {k}) ({100*m_train[1,:].

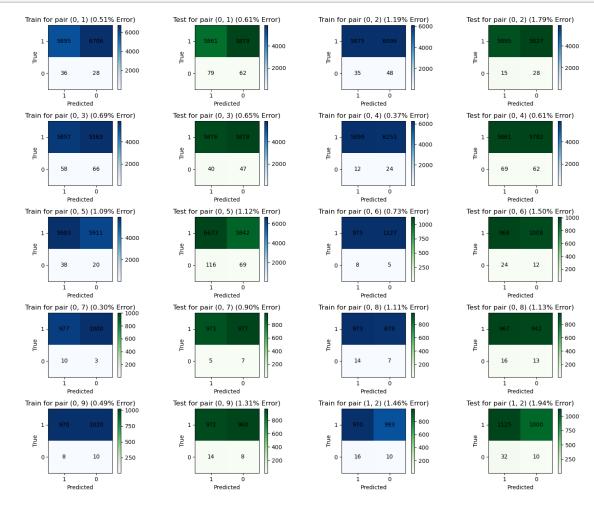
sum()/m_train.sum():.2f}% Error)')
      axs_flat[2*i].set_xticks(np.arange(2))
      axs_flat[2*i].set_yticks(np.arange(2))
      axs_flat[2*i].set_xticklabels(['1', '0'])
      axs_flat[2*i].set_yticklabels(['1', '0'])
      axs_flat[2*i].set_xlabel('Predicted')
      axs_flat[2*i].set_ylabel('True')
      plt.colorbar(im, ax=axs flat[i], fraction=0.046, pad=0.04)
      # Plot the confusion matrix for testing data
      im = axs_flat[2*i+1].imshow(m_test, cmap='Greens',__
⇔interpolation='nearest')
      # Add numbers to each square
      for x in range(2):
          for y in range(2):
              axs_flat[i + 10].text(y, x, str(m_test[x, y]), color="black",__
⇔ha="center", va="center")
       # Add labels, title, and colorbar
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_title(f'Test for pair ({j}, {k}) ({100*m_test[1,:]}.
⇒sum()/m_test.sum():.2f}% Error)')
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_xticks(np.arange(2))
      axs flat[2*i+1].set yticks(np.arange(2))
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_xticklabels(['1', '0'])
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_yticklabels(['1', '0'])
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_xlabel('Predicted')
      axs_flat[2*i+1].set_ylabel('True')
      plt.colorbar(im, ax=axs_flat[i + 10], fraction=0.046, pad=0.04)
  # Adjust layout for better spacing
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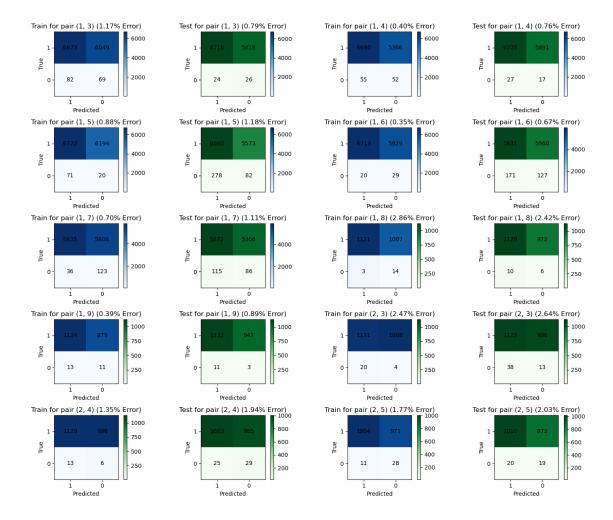
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plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

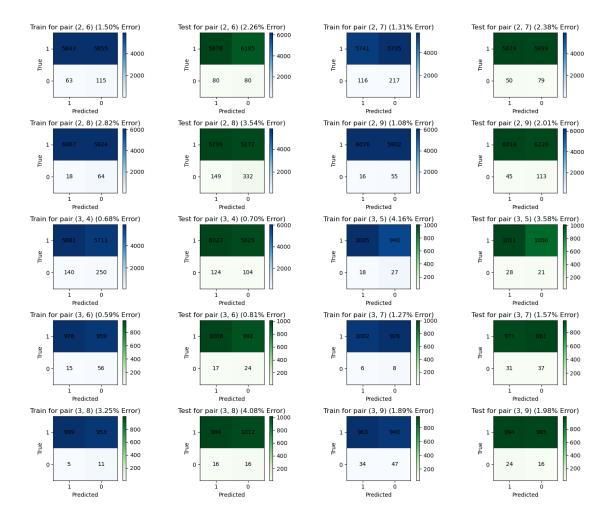
def filter_none(it):
    return [x for x in it if x is not None]

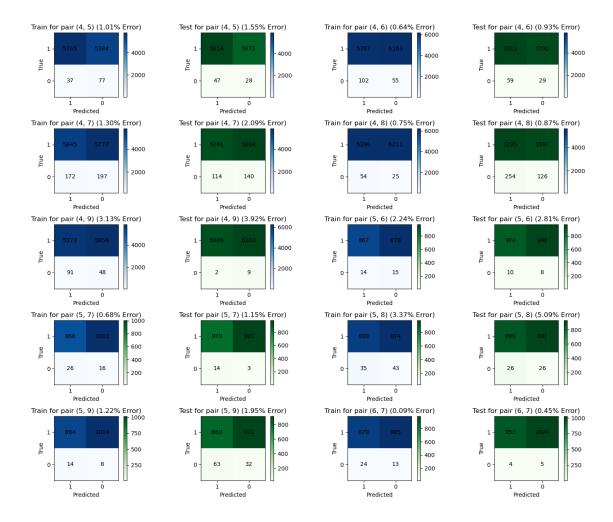
train_batches = grouper(m_train_lv1, 10)
test_batches = grouper(m_test_lv1, 10)

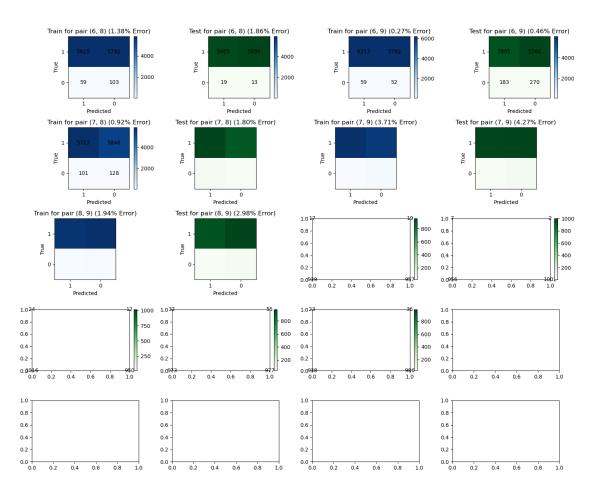
for b1, b2 in zip(train_batches, test_batches):
    create_binary_confusion_matrix_plot(filter_none(b1), filter_none(b2))
```











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[23]: def predict_multiclass(gs, dig):
          scores = np.zeros(10)
          for i, j, x in gs:
              dig = dig.astype(np.float32)
              result = np.sign(dig @ x)
              if result == 1:
                  scores[i] += 1
              else:
                  scores[j] += 1
          return np.argmax(scores)
[24]: def create_multiclass_confusion_matrix(gs, X, y, progress=False):
          if not progress:
              tqdm = lambda x: x
          matrix = np.zeros((10, 10))
          for feature, actual in zip(tqdm(X), y):
              pred = predict_multiclass(gs, np.append(feature, 1))
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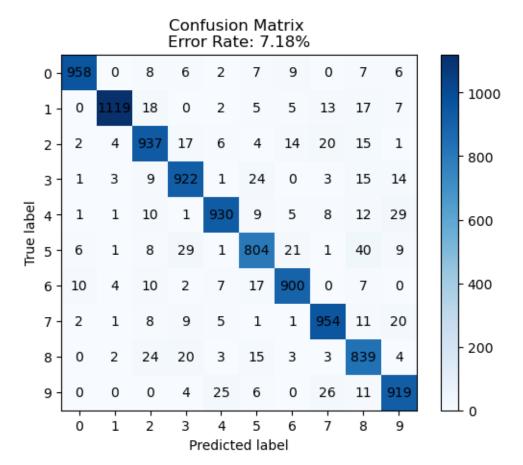
matrix[int(pred)][int(actual)] += 1

Set the rows as the predicted value and the column as the actual value

return matrix

```
[25]: mult_m = create_multiclass_confusion_matrix(gs, testX, testY)
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[26]: plot_multiclass_confusion_matrix(mult_m)



1.3 Task 3

The 1v1 classifiers have a much lower error rate than the multiclass classifier, which has an error of 7.1%. They generalize well on the test data, offering a similar error rate as the training data. We can calculate the error for class k by doing

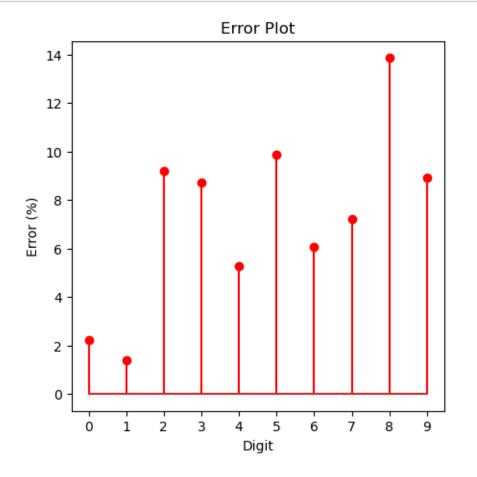
$\frac{\text{number of correctly predicted } k}{\text{total k}}$

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[27]: error = np.zeros(10, dtype=np.float64)
for i in range(10):
    total = np.sum(mult_m[:, i])
    e = (total-mult_m[i][i])/ total
```

```
[28]: plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
plt.stem(range(len(error)), 100.0*error, linefmt='r-', markerfmt='ro')

# Adding labels and title
plt.xlabel('Digit')
plt.ylabel('Error (%)')
plt.title('Error Plot')
plt.xticks(list(range(len(error))))

# Display the plot
plt.show()
print("Error rates, highest to lowest")
for i, e in sorted(enumerate(error), key=lambda x: x[1], reverse=True):
    print(f"{i}: {100*e:.03f}%")
```



Error rates, highest to lowest

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8: 13.860%

5: 9.865%

2: 9.205%

9: 8.920%

3: 8.713%

7: 7.198%

6: 6.054%

4: 5.295%

0: 2.245%

1: 1.410%
```

We see that the hardest ones to predict are 8, 5, 2, 9, and 3. The easiest ones are 0 and 1.

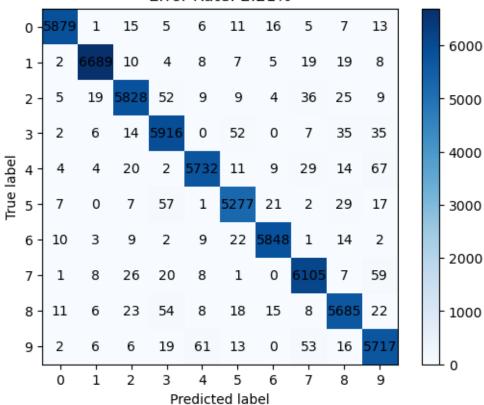
1.4 Problem 2

First, let's create a random matrix with normally distributed values.

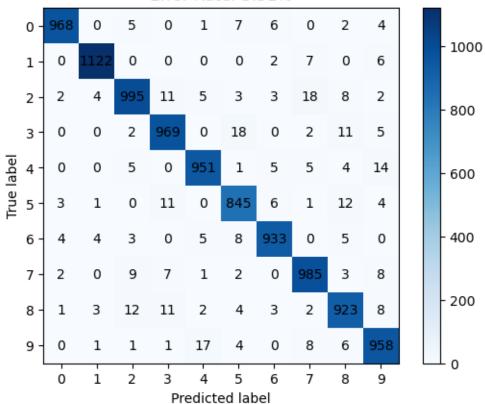
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\lceil 29 \rceil : L = 1000
      j = 28*28
[30]: identity = lambda x: x
      sigmoid = lambda x: 1.0 / (1 + np.exp(-x))
      sin = np.sin
      relu = lambda x: np.maximum(x, 0)
[31]: funcs = {
          'relu': relu,
          'identity': identity,
          'sigmoid': sigmoid,
          'sin': sin,
      }
      @njit
      def get_feature_params(L, j):
          W = np.random.normal(0, 1, (L, j))
          b = np.random.normal(0, 1, L)
          return W.astype(np.float32), b.astype(np.float32)
      @njit
      def map_to_feature_space(X, W, b):
          X = X.astype(np.float32)
          Y = X @ W.T + b
          return Y.astype(np.float32)
[32]: def gen_features(trainX, testX, L):
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return train_feat, test_feat
      train_feat, test_feat = gen_features(trainX, testX, L)
[33]: def solve for each func(pairs, train feat, trainY, funcs):
          d = \{\}
          for name, f in tqdm(funcs.items(), desc='Solving'):
              train_feat_g = f(train_feat)
              gs = solve_multiclass_classifier(pairs, train_feat_g, trainY)
              d[name] = gs
          return d
      def evaluate multiclass feature map(pairs, train_feat, trainY, test_feat, __
       →testY, solutions):
          for name, sol in solutions.items():
              train_feat_g = funcs[name](train_feat).astype(np.float32)
              test feat g = funcs[name](test feat).astype(np.float32)
              mult_m = create_multiclass_confusion_matrix(sol, train_feat_g, trainY)
              plot_multiclass_confusion_matrix(mult_m, title=f" train ({name})")
              mult_m = create_multiclass_confusion_matrix(sol, test_feat_g, testY)
              plot_multiclass_confusion_matrix(mult_m, title=f" test ({name})")
[34]: sols = solve_for_each_func(pairs, train_feat, trainY, funcs)
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[35]: evaluate_multiclass_feature_map(pairs, train_feat, trainY, test_feat, testY,__
       ⇔sols)
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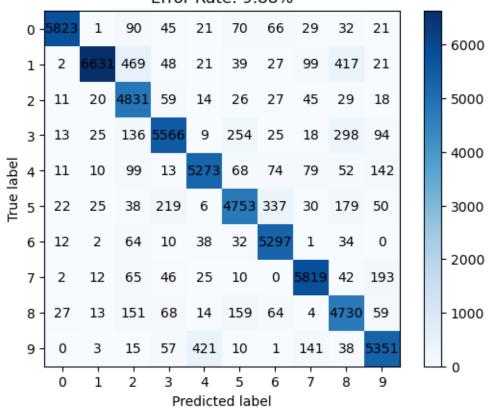
Confusion Matrix train (relu) Error Rate: 2.21%



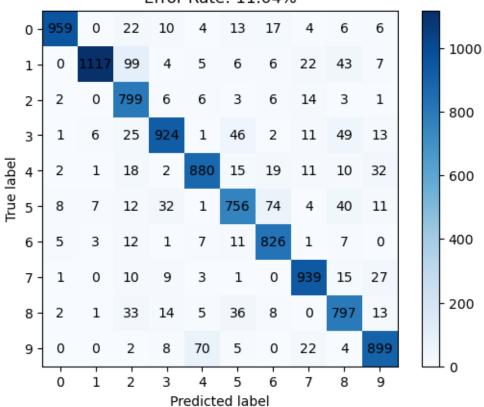
Confusion Matrix test (relu) Error Rate: 3.51%



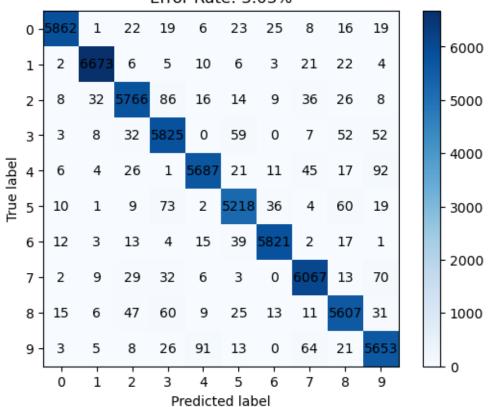
Confusion Matrix train (identity) Error Rate: 9.88%



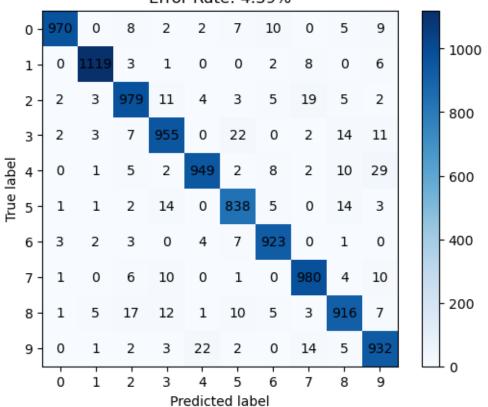
Confusion Matrix test (identity) Error Rate: 11.04%



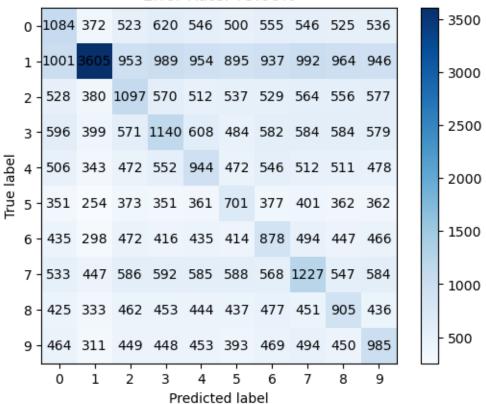
Confusion Matrix train (sigmoid) Error Rate: 3.03%

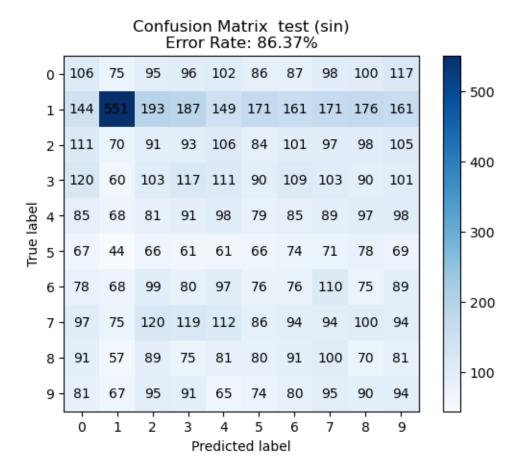


Confusion Matrix test (sigmoid) Error Rate: 4.39%



Confusion Matrix train (sin) Error Rate: 79.06%





We see the best performance with the ReLU non-linearity.

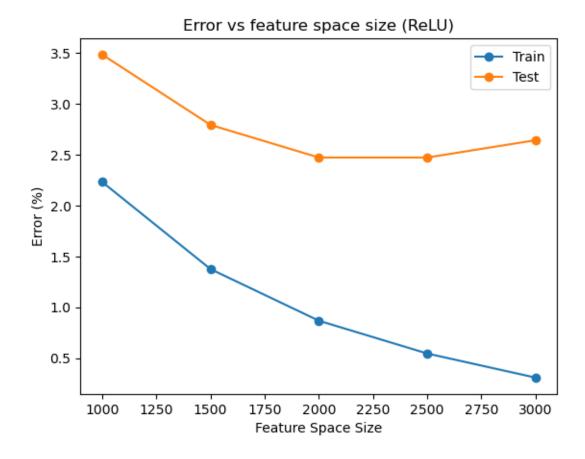
Now let's see which values of L result in the best error. Let's plot L from 1000, which is slightly below the input data size, all the way to 3000 in 5 increments.

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[36]: def multiclass_error_rate(conf_matrix):
    return 100.0 * (1 - conf_matrix.trace()/conf_matrix.sum())

Ls = np.linspace(1000, 3000, 5)
g = relu
solutions_Ls = []
train_feat_gs = []
test_feat_gs = []
for L in tqdm(Ls):
    L = int(L)
    train_feat, test_feat = gen_features(trainX, testX, L)
    train_feat_g = g(train_feat)
    test_feat_gs = g(test_feat)
    train_feat_gs.append(train_feat_g)
    test_feat_gs.append(test_feat_g)
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gs = solve_multiclass_classifier(pairs, train_feat_g, trainY)
          solutions_Ls.append(gs)
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[37]: test_error = []
      train_error = []
      mult_matrices = []
      for gs, train_feat_g, test_feat_g in zip(tqdm(solutions_Ls), train_feat_gs,_u
       →test_feat_gs):
          mult_m = create_multiclass_confusion_matrix(gs, train_feat_g, trainY)
          train_error.append(multiclass_error_rate(mult_m))
          mult_m = create_multiclass_confusion_matrix(gs, test_feat_g, testY)
          test_error.append(multiclass_error_rate(mult_m))
          mult_matrices.append(mult_m)
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[38]: # Plotting the data with labels
      plt.plot(Ls, train_error, label='Train', marker='o')
      plt.plot(Ls, test_error, label='Test', marker='o')
      # Adding title and labels
      plt.title('Error vs feature space size (ReLU)')
      plt.xlabel('Feature Space Size')
      plt.ylabel('Error (%)')
      # Adding a legend with labels for each line
      plt.legend(['Train', 'Test'])
```

[38]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x14c174cd0>



We see that the error rate on the training set reliably goes down as L increases. However, we see that this is simply overfitting the training data since the test performance stagnates or even becomes worse.

The optimal L seems to be ≈ 2500 . If we increase L past that, training and inference time increases needlessly.