
Report for the Deep Learning Course Assignment 2

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Abstract

In this assignment, we were tasked with implementing various convolutional neural network (CNN) architectures in TensorFlow (TF)...

1 Task 1

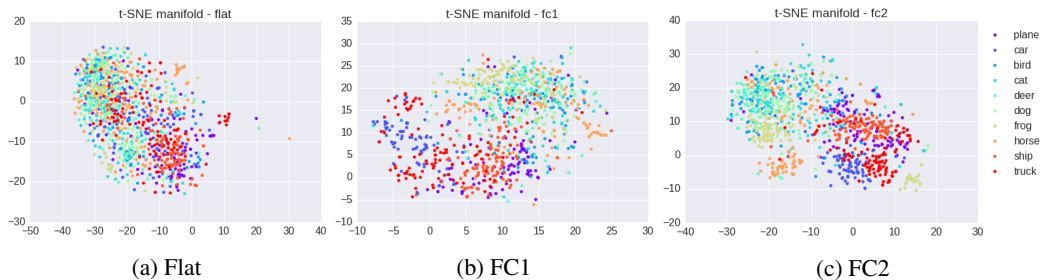


Figure 1: t-SNE manifolds obtained from extracting linear convnet features from layers Flatten/FC1/FC2

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Use `feature_extraction()` in order to compute features for test samples at layer `fc2`. Use these features to visualize learned space by the help of t-SNE. Include the visualization in your report.

Note: You can download and use the implementation for t-SNE from [here](#). You can also use `sklearn` implementation of t-SNE.

Train 10 linear one-vs-rest classifiers for each class and report the performances. Can you draw similar conclusions by just looking at the visualization and thinking about separability and how good classes are represented by the model?

Note: You can use any linear classifier implementation available as long as you preserve consistency in experiments. See `scikitlearn`, `libsvm`, `liblinear`, `VLFeat` and etc.

Repeat the above experiments for `flatten` and `fc1`. Discuss the results. What is more suited for classification purposes: `flatten`, `fc1` or `fc2`?

Can you improve test performance by using regularization techniques? Try L2 weight regularization on the fully-connected layers. You can also try others regularization techniques like dropout and batch normalization. Report your conclusions in your report with experimental support.

2 Task 2

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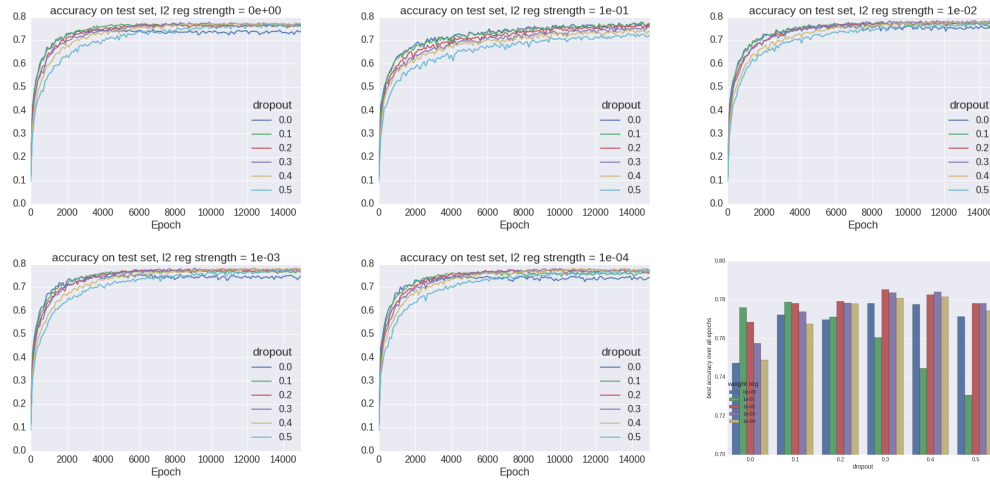


Figure 2: Accuracy on test set over time using various dropout and weight regularisation settings (last figure shows max accuracy over all epochs for each setting)

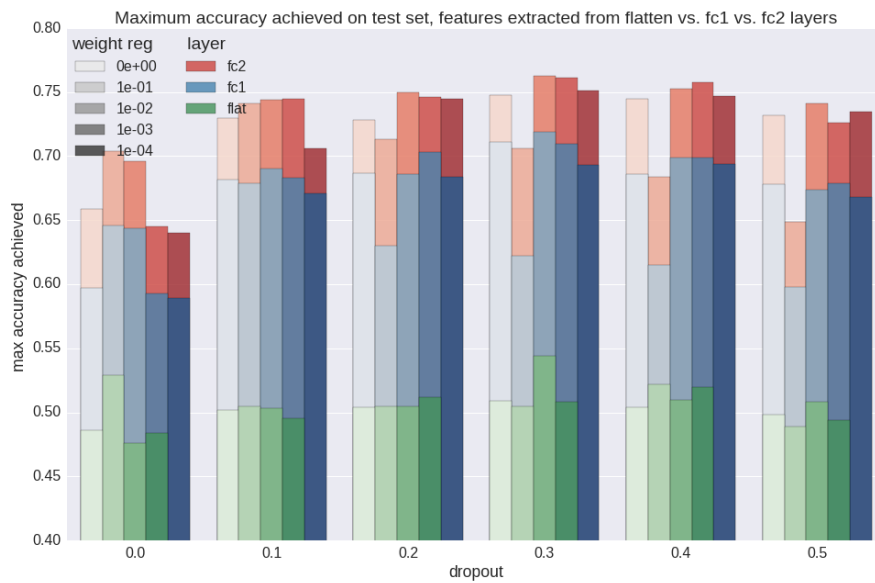


Figure 3: Performance of various dropout and weight regularisation settings on linear 1vsAll classifier model performance using features from flatten/FC1/FC2

3 Task 3

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4 Conclusion

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