

1. If you have 10,000 examples, how would you split the train/dev/test set? Choose the best option. 1 point
- ☐ 33% train, 33% dev, 33% test.
 - ☒ 60% train, 20% dev, 20% test.
 - ☐ 98% train, 1% dev, 1% test.
2. In a personal experiment, an M.L. student decides to not use a test set, only train-dev sets. In this case which of the following is true? 1 point
- ☐ He won't be able to measure the bias of the model.
 - ☐ Not having a test set is unacceptable under any circumstance.
 - ☒ He might be overfitting to the dev set.
 - ☐ He won't be able to measure the variance of the model.
3. If your Neural Network model seems to have high variance, what of the following would be promising things to try? 1 point
- ☒ Add regularization
 - ☒ Get more test data
 - ☐ Increase the number of units in each hidden layer
 - ☐ Make the Neural Network deeper
 - ☐ Get more training data
4. You are working on an automated check-out kiosk for a supermarket, and are building a classifier for apples, bananas, and oranges. 1 point
- Suppose your classifier obtains a training set error of 0.5%, and a development set error of 7%.
- Which of the following strategies are most likely to reduce the development set error?** (Check all that apply.)
- ☒ Get more training data.
 - ☐ Use a bigger neural network.
 - ☐ Decrease the regularization parameter lambda.
 - ☒ Increase the regularization parameter lambda.
5. What is weight decay? 1 point
- ☐ Gradual corruption of the weights in the neural network if it is trained on noisy data.
 - ☐ A technique to avoid vanishing gradient by imposing a ceiling on the values of the weights.
 - ☒ A regularization technique (such as L2 regularization) that results in gradient descent shrinking the weights on every iteration.
 - ☐ The process of gradually decreasing the learning rate during training.
6. **True or False:** In L2 regularization, the lambda hyperparameter directly influences the calculations used by the model to make predictions during testing. 1 point
- ☐ True
 - ☒ False
7. With the inverted dropout technique, at test time: 1 point
- ☒ You do not apply dropout (do not randomly eliminate units) and do not keep the $1/\text{keep_prob}$ factor in the calculations used in training
 - ☐ You do not apply dropout (do not randomly eliminate units), but keep the $1/\text{keep_prob}$ factor in the calculations used in training.
 - ☐ You apply dropout (randomly eliminating units) and do not keep the $1/\text{keep_prob}$ factor in the calculations used in training
 - ☐ You apply dropout (randomly eliminating units) but keep the $1/\text{keep_prob}$ factor in the calculations used in training.
8. Decreasing the parameter keep_prob from (say) 0.6 to 0.4 will likely cause the following: 1 point
- ☐ Causing the neural network to have a higher variance.
 - ☐ Reducing the regularization effect.
 - ☒ Increasing the regularization effect.
9. Which of these techniques are useful for reducing variance (reducing overfitting)? (Check all that apply.) 1 point
- ☒ Dropout
 - ☐ Xavier initialization
 - ☒ Data augmentation
 - ☒ L2 regularization
 - ☐ Gradient Checking
 - ☐ Exploding gradient
 - ☐ Vanishing gradient
10. Why do we normalize the inputs x ? 1 point
- ☐ It makes it easier to visualize the data
 - ☐ It makes the parameter initialization faster
 - ☒ It makes the cost function faster to optimize
 - ☐ Normalization is another word for regularization--It helps to reduce variance

