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>>> Implementation Hand Written Digit Recognition with Neural  
Network  
>>> in MATLAB
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>>> getUserTraj.m interface
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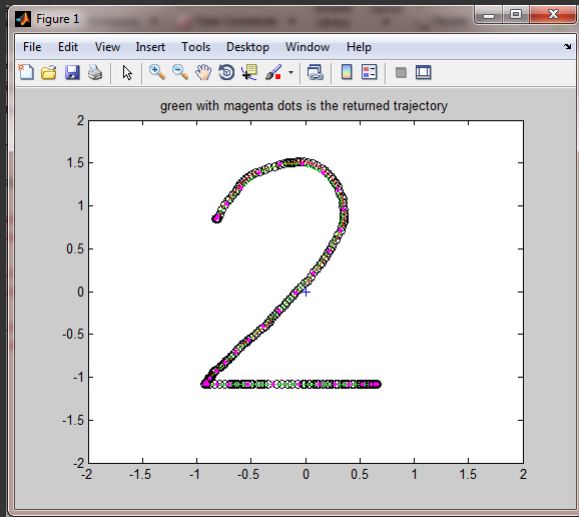


Figure: HR digit which is taken as an input to the data generator - number "2"

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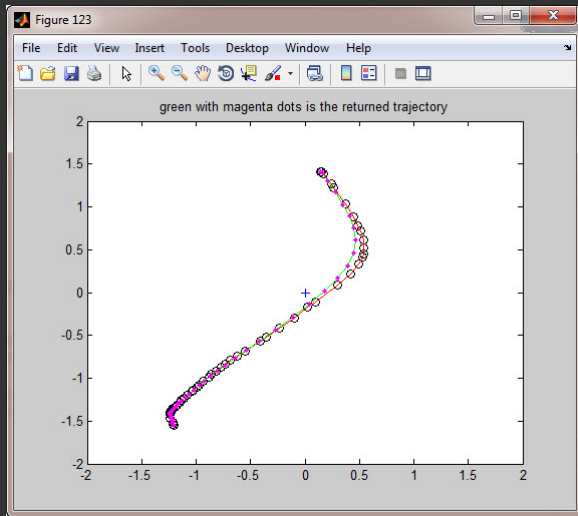


Figure: HR digit which is taken as an input to the data generator - number "7"

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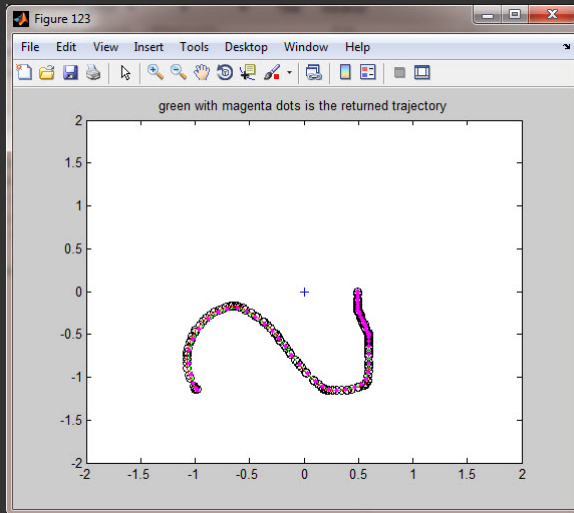


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>>> Data Structure

- * I stored data as $n \times 201$ matrix, where n is number of all data
- * First 200 columns are $[x \ y]$ coordinates (output of the `getUserTraj.m`)
- * column 201 is target

>>> Neural Network

- * I used three layer Neural Network (provided in LMS)
- * 50 hidden layers is used
- * with one softmax layer in estimating final solution

$$z_i = \frac{\exp O_i}{\sum_i \exp O_i}$$

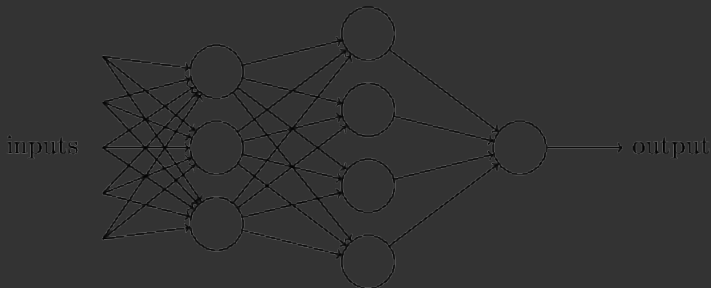


Figure: Structure of the Neural Network

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Activation functions: Sigmoid, x-Sigmoid and Leaky RELU

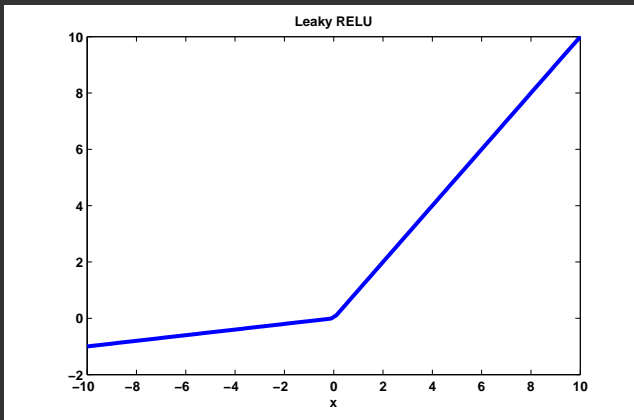


Figure: Structure of Leaky RELU

>>> Hyperparameters

- * Size of data: 2000
- * Maximum iteration: 1500000
- * Learning rate: $\eta = 0.002$
- * Noise coefficient: $\beta = 1e - 10$
- * Guide vector (Accelerated Gradient) $\mu = 0.001$
- * batch size: 20

>>> Preprocessing; Rotation and Scaling

- * I prepared data carefully so there is no need to preprocessing to remove dummy data
- * for **rotation** I provided rotated data and let the network to learn it
- * for **rotation** I rotated data randomly using rotation function
- * for **scaling** I normalized the data with mean 0.5 and Variance 0.5 (as best option)

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>>> Rotation
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function r_data = rotation(Data, rtheta)
Datax = Data(:, 1 : 100);
Datay = Data(:, 101 : 200);
sinus = sin(rtheta*pi/180);
cosinus = cos(rtheta*pi/180);
r_data
=[Datax * cosinus + Datay * sinus - Datax * sinus + Datay * cosinus; ...
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>>> **Scaling**

```
function [SData, meanX, stdX] = standardize(varargin) switch nargin
case 1
meanX = mean(varargin1);
stdX = std(varargin1);
SData = varargin1 - repmat(meanX, [size(varargin1, 1) 1]);
for i = 1:size(SData, 2)
SData(:, i) = SData(:, i) / std(SData(:, i));
end
case 3
meanX = varargin2;
stdX = varargin3;
SData = varargin1 - repmat(meanX, [size(varargin1, 1) 1]);
for i = 1:size(SData, 2)
SData(:, i) = SData(:, i) / stdX(:, i);
end
end
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>>> Learning

- * MSE cost function
- * Accelerated gradient decent
- * Stochastic gradient method is applied, each time the batch is trained which increased the accuracy
- * Batch samples are selecting randomly; MATLAB randi() function

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if it==1
vectp1 = - $\eta$  *  $dW$ ;
end;
vect1 =  $\mu$ *vectp1 -  $\eta$  *  $dW$ ;
W = W -  $\mu$  * vectp1 + (1 +  $\mu$ ) * vect1;
vectp1 = vect1;
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>>> Results On Provided Data

As number of data were too small, Network learns, but not good performance in recognizing HR digits

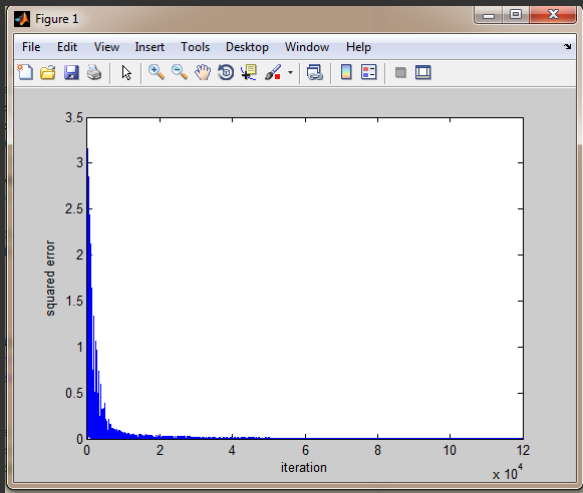


Figure: Results of this network over provided data

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>>> Results On Large Data
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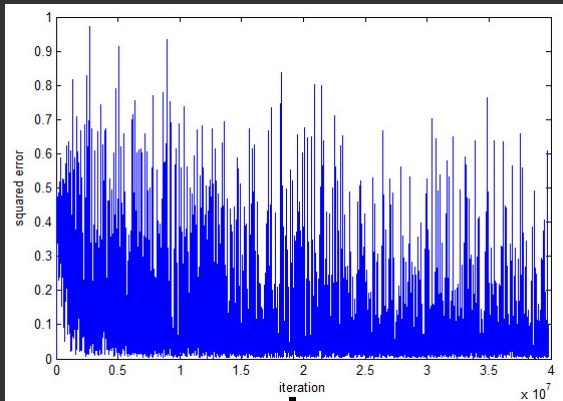
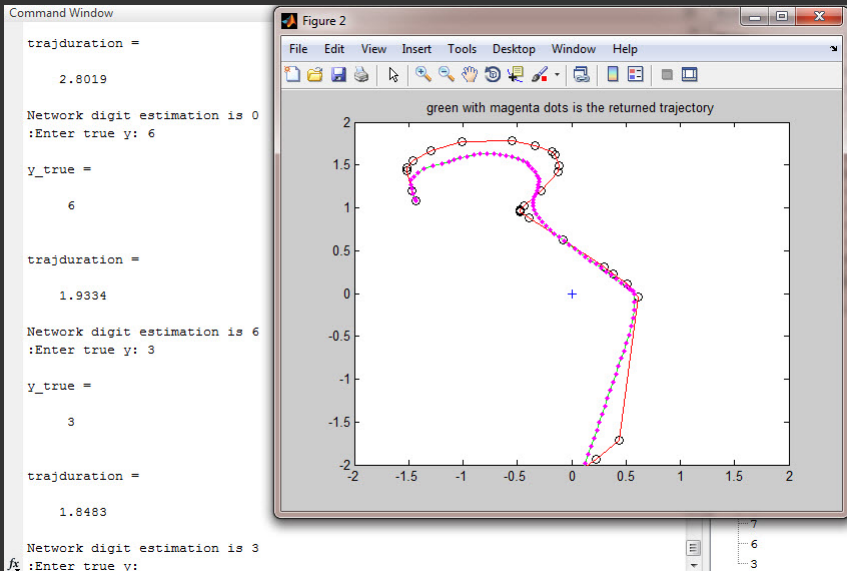


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Testing results

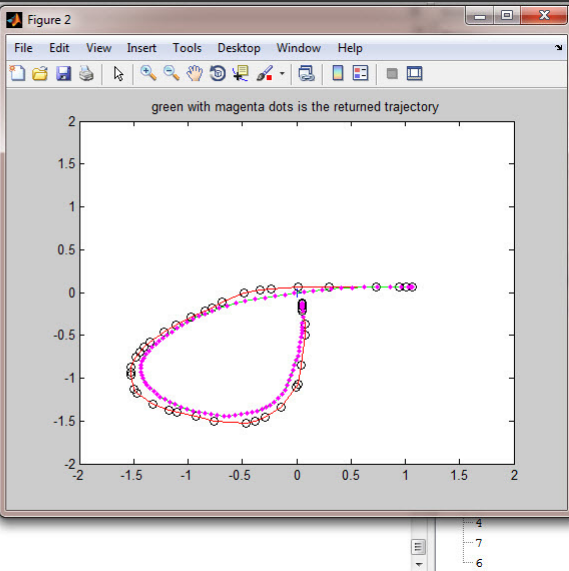


>>> Results On Large Data

Testing results- digit 6 with rotation

Command Window

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trajduration =  
  
    2.4804  
  
Network digit estimation is 3  
:Enter true y: 6  
  
y_true =  
  
    6  
  
trajduration =  
  
    2.8019  
  
Network digit estimation is 0  
:Enter true y: 6  
  
y_true =  
  
    6  
  
trajduration =  
  
    1.9334  
  
Network digit estimation is 6  
:Enter true y:
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>>> Future Improvements

- * Accuracy percentage is depend on the provided data, but in uniform random case it returns accuracy close to 90%
- * Increasing data
- * improving convergence
- * setting proper hyperparameters
- * Applying SVM
- * Cross Validation technique

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>>> Questions?
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Thank you