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1. If searching among a large number of hyperparameters, you should try values in a grid rather than random values, so that you can carry out the search more systematically and not rely on chance. True or False?

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- ☐ True
- ☒ False

 Expand

 Correct

2. If it is only possible to tune two parameters from the following due to limited computational resources. Which two would you choose?

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☒ α
 Correct

Correct. This might be the hyperparameter that most impacts the results of a model.

☐ β_1, β_2 in Adam.

☐ ϵ in Adam.

☒ The β parameter of the momentum in gradient descent.

 Correct

Correct. This hyperparameter can increase the speed of convergence of the training, thus is worth tuning.

 Expand

 Correct

Great, you got all the right answers.

3. Using the "Panda" strategy, it is possible to create several models. True/False?

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- ☒ True
- ☐ False

 Expand

 Correct

Correct. Following the "Panda" analogy, it is possible to babysit a model until a certain point and then start again to produce a different one.

4. Knowing that the hyperparameter α should be in the range of 0.001 and 1.0. Which of the following is the recommended way to sample a value for α ?

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☒ $r = -3 * \text{np.random.rand}()$

- $\alpha = 10^{**}r$
- ☐ $r = -5 * \text{np.random.rand}()$
 $\alpha = 10^{**}r$
- ☐ $r = \text{np.random.rand}()$
 $\alpha = 0.001 + r * 0.999$
- ☐ $r = 4 * \text{np.random.rand}()$
 $\alpha = 10^{**}r$

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Correct

Yes. This gives a random number between $0.001 = 10^{-3}$ and 10^0 .

5. Once good values of hyperparameters have been found, those values should be changed if new data is added or a change in computational power occurs. True/False?

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- ☒ True
- ☐ False

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Correct

Correct. The choice of some hyperparameters such as the batch size depends on conditions such as hardware and quantity of data.

6. In batch normalization as presented in the videos, if you apply it on the l th layer of your neural network, what are you normalizing?

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- ☐ $b^{[l]}$
- ☒ $z^{[l]}$
- ☐ $W^{[l]}$
- ☐ $a^{[l]}$

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7. Which of the following are true about batch normalization?

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- ☐ There is a global value of γ and β that is used for all the hidden layers where batch normalization is used.
- ☒ One intuition behind why batch normalization works is that it helps reduce the internal covariance.
- ☐ The parameter ϵ in the batch normalization formula is used to accelerate the convergence of the model.
- ☐ The parameters β and γ of batch normalization can't be trained using Adam or RMS prop.

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Yes. Internal covariance is a name to express that there has been a change in the distribution of the activations. Since after each iteration of gradient descent the parameters of a layer change, we might think that the activations suffer from covariance shift.

8. Which of the following is true about batch normalization?

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☐ The optimal values to use for γ and β are $\gamma = \sqrt{\sigma^2 + \epsilon}$ and $\beta = \mu$.

☒ The parameters

$$\gamma_{norm} = \frac{\gamma^{[l]}}{\sqrt{\sigma^2}}.$$

☐ The parameters $\gamma^{[l]}$ and $\beta^{[l]}$ can be learned only using plain gradient descent.

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✓ **Correct**

Correct. When applying the linear transformation $\tilde{z}^{(l)} = \beta^{[l]} z_{norm}^{(l)} + \gamma^{[l]}$ we set the variance and mean of $\tilde{z}^{(l)}$.

9. After training a neural network with Batch Norm, at test time, to evaluate the neural network on a new example you should:

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- ☒ Perform the needed normalizations, use μ and σ^2 estimated using an exponentially weighted average across mini-batches seen during training.
- ☐ If you implemented Batch Norm on mini-batches of (say) 256 examples, then to evaluate on one test example, duplicate that example 256 times so that you're working with a batch of the same size as during training.
- ☐ Use the most recent mini-batch's value of μ and σ^2 to perform the needed normalizations.
- ☐ Skip the step where you normalize using μ and σ^2 since a single test example cannot be normalized.

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10. If a project is open-source, it is a guarantee that it will remain open source in the long run and will never be modified to benefit only one company. True/False?

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☐ True

☒ False

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✓ **Correct**

Correct. To ensure that a project will remain open source in the long run it must have a good governance body too.