

# Performance Report

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## 1 Learning Curve of Different Model

For all the models, the given parameter was set.

- Mini-batch size: 1024
- Learning Rate decay: 0.5
- Beta1: 0.9
- Beta2: 0.99
- Epsilon: 1e-8
- Xavier Initialization

### 1.1 Model 1

#### 1.1.1 Architecture

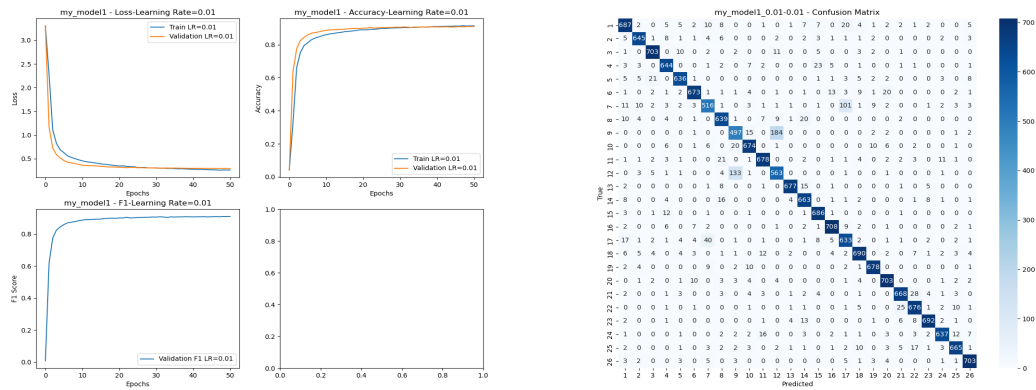
```
Dense(784, 512),  
Relu(),  
Dropout(probability=.15),  
Dense(512, 256),  
Relu(),  
Dropout(probability=.15),  
Dense(256, 128),  
Relu(),  
Dropout(probability=.10),  
Dense(128, 64),  
Relu(),  
Dropout(probability=.10),  
Dense(64, 26),  
Softmax()
```

#### 1.1.2 Learning Rate = 0.01

Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 50

- train loss: 0.2602
- validation loss: 0.2892
- train accuracy: 0.9142
- validation accuracy: 0.9099
- validation f1 score: 0.9096



(a) Model 1 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.01 (b) Model 1 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.01

Figure 1: Model 1 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.01

### 1.1.3 Learning Rate = 0.005

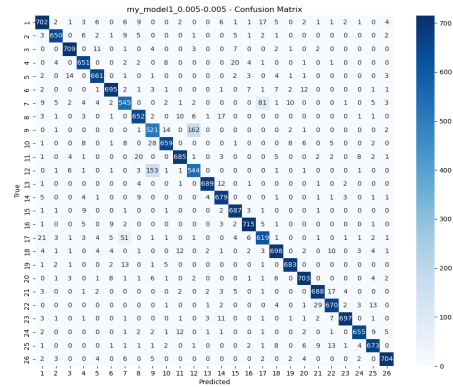
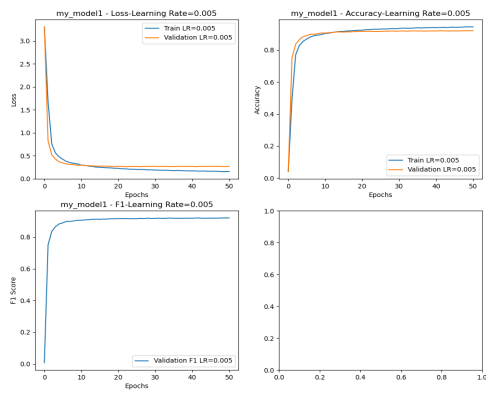
Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 50
- train loss: 0.1554
- validation loss: 0.2662
- train accuracy: 0.9448
- validation accuracy: 0.9206
- validation f1 score: 0.9204

### 1.1.4 Learning Rate = 0.001

Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 49



(a) Model 1 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.005 0.005 (b) Model 1 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate

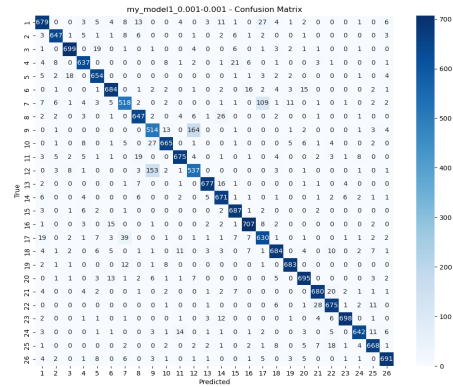
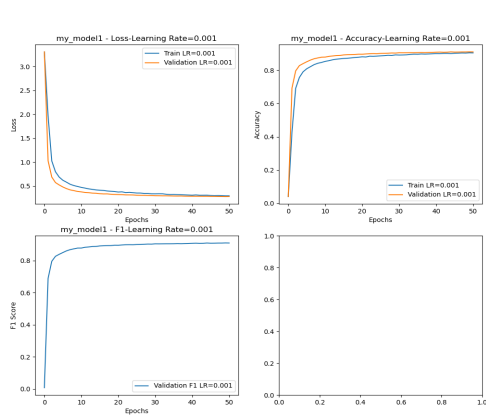
Figure 2: Model 1 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.005

- train loss: 0.2959
- validation loss: 0.2793
- train accuracy: 0.9046
- validation accuracy: 0.9105
- validation f1 score: 0.9102

### 1.1.5 Learning Rate = 0.0005

Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 47
- train loss: 0.4765
- validation loss: 0.3790
- train accuracy: 0.8521
- validation accuracy: 0.8822
- validation f1 score: 0.8818



(a) Model 1 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.001 0.001 (b) Model 1 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate

Figure 3: Model 1 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.001

## 1.2 Model 2

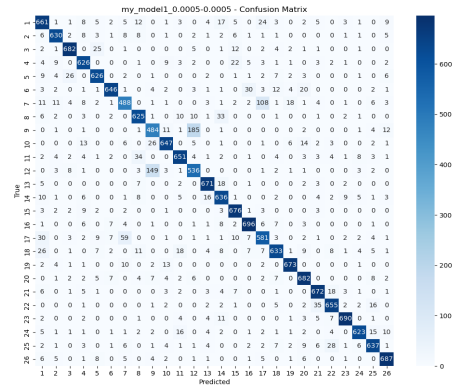
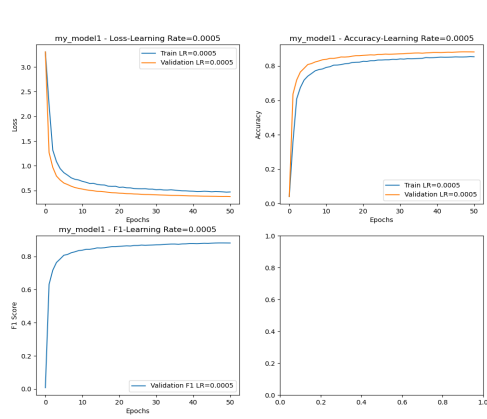
### 1.2.1 Architecture

Dense(784, 2048),  
 Relu(),  
 Dropout(probability=.4),  
 Dense(2048, 1024),  
 Relu(),  
 Dropout(probability=.3),  
 Dense(1024, 26),  
 Softmax()

### 1.2.2 Learning Rate = 0.01

Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 47
- train loss: 0.3481
- validation loss: 0.2996
- train accuracy: 0.8846
- validation accuracy: 0.9074
- validation f1 score: 0.9073



(a) Model 1 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.0005 0.0005 (b) Model 1 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.0005

Figure 4: Model 1 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.0005

### 1.2.3 Learning Rate = 0.005

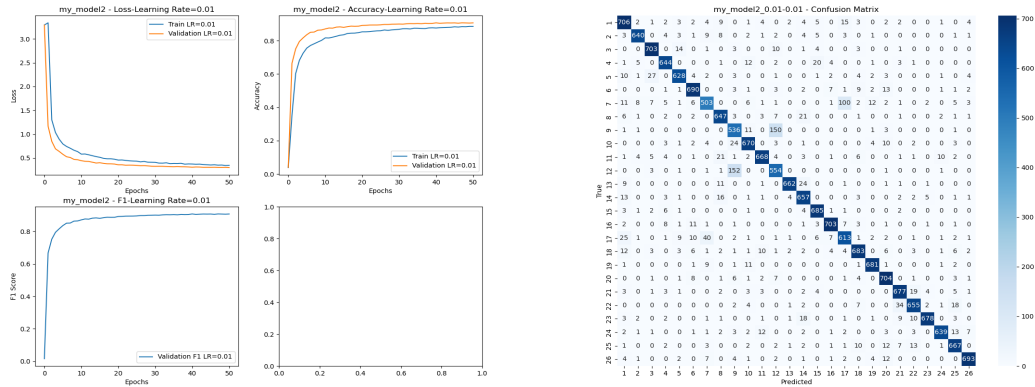
Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 49
- train loss: 0.1622
- validation loss: 0.2358
- train accuracy: 0.9413
- validation accuracy: 0.9239
- validation f1 score: 0.9237

### 1.2.4 Learning Rate = 0.001

Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 49
- train loss: 0.1542
- validation loss: 0.2268
- train accuracy: 0.9467
- validation accuracy: 0.9248
- validation f1 score: 0.9246



(a) Model 2 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.01 (b) Model 2 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.01

Figure 5: Model 2 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.01

### 1.2.5 Learning Rate = 0.0005

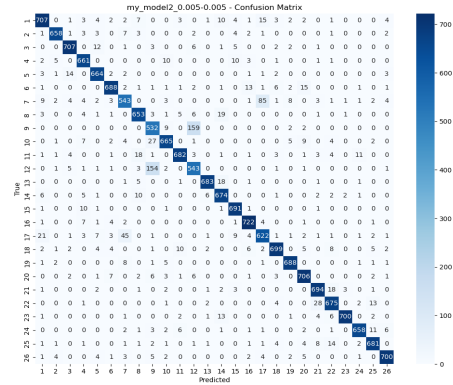
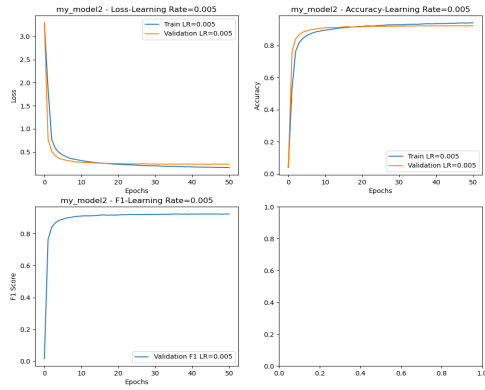
Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 50
- train loss: 0.2369
- validation loss: 0.2604
- train accuracy: 0.9225
- validation accuracy: 0.9159
- validation f1 score: 0.9157

## 1.3 Model 3

### 1.3.1 Architecture

```
Dense(784, 1024),
Relu(),
Dropout(probability=.2),
Dense(1024, 512),
Relu(),
Dropout(probability=.2),
Dense(512, 26),
Softmax()
```



(a) Model 2 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.005 0.005 (b) Model 2 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate

Figure 6: Model 2 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.005

### 1.3.2 Learning Rate = 0.01

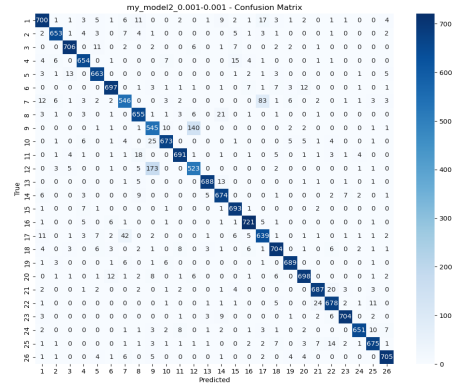
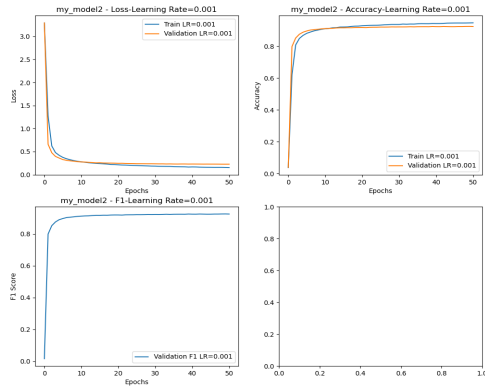
Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 49
- train loss: 0.1794
- validation loss: 0.2574
- train accuracy: 0.9346
- validation accuracy: 0.9161
- validation f1 score: 0.9156

### 1.3.3 Learning Rate = 0.005

Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 35
- train loss: 0.1056
- validation loss: 0.2440
- train accuracy: 0.9599
- validation accuracy: 0.9260
- validation f1 score: 0.9257



(a) Model 2 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.001 0.001 (b) Model 2 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate

Figure 7: Model 2 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.001

### 1.3.4 Learning Rate = 0.001

Best Performance:

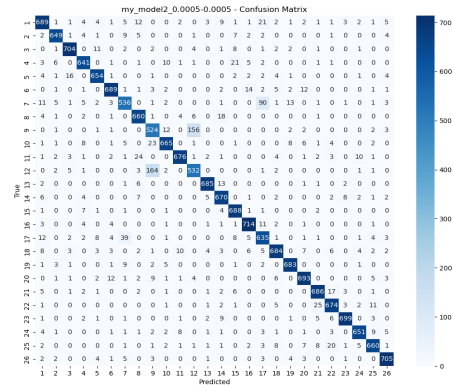
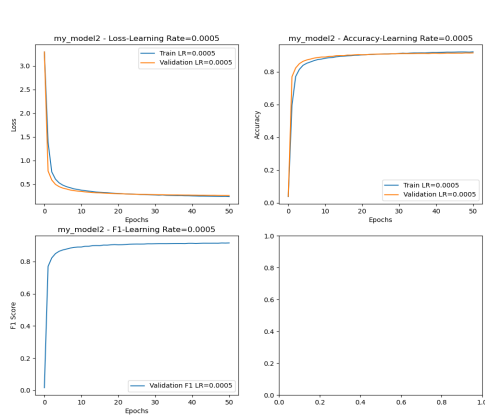
- Best epoch: 41
- train loss: 0.1883
- validation loss: 0.2434
- train accuracy: 0.9366
- validation accuracy: 0.9208
- validation f1 score: 0.9205

### 1.3.5 Learning Rate = 0.0005

Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 50
- train loss: 0.2819
- validation loss: 0.2898
- train accuracy: 0.9101
- validation accuracy: 0.9074
- validation f1 score: 0.9070





(a) Model 2 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.0005 0.0005 (b) Model 2 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.0005

Figure 8: Model 2 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.0005

## 2 Best Model

### 2.1 Model Architecture

```
Dense(784, 1024),
Relu(),
Dropout(probability=.2),
Dense(1024, 512),
Relu(),
Dropout(probability=.2),
Dense(512,26),
Softmax()
```

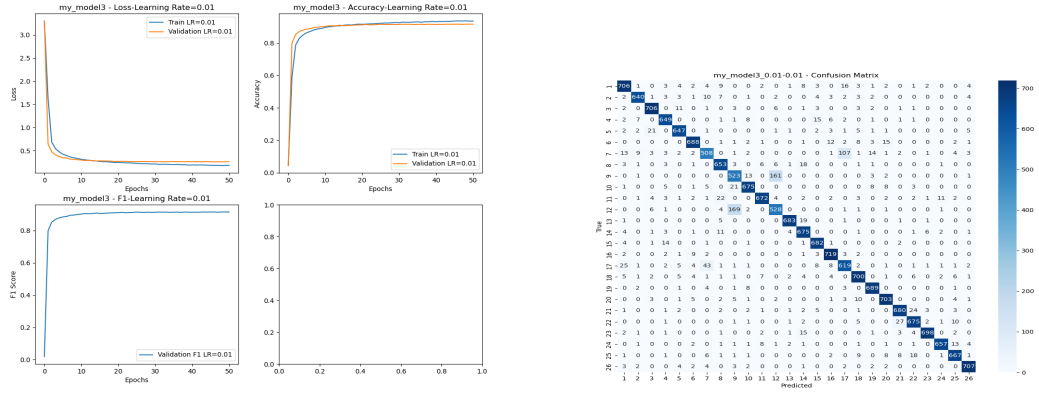
### 2.2 Learning Rate

Learning Rate = 0.005

### 2.3 Performance on validation set

Best Performance:

- Best epoch: 50
- train loss: 0.0936
- validation loss: 0.2478
- train accuracy: 0.9647
- validation accuracy: 0.9268



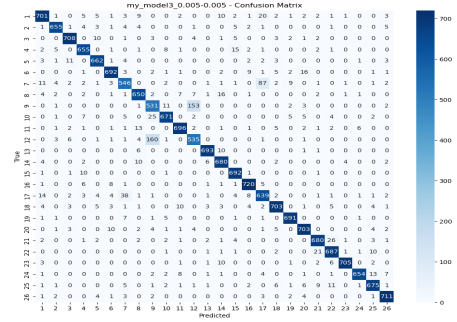
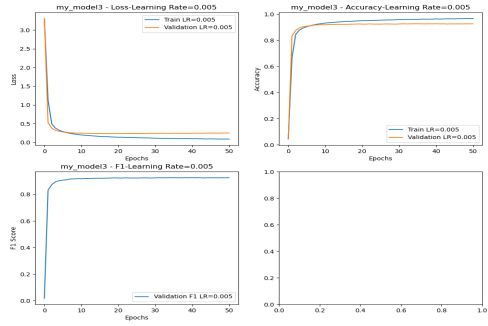
(a) Model 3 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.01 (b) Model 3 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.01

Figure 9: Model 3 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.01

- validation f1 score: 0.9265

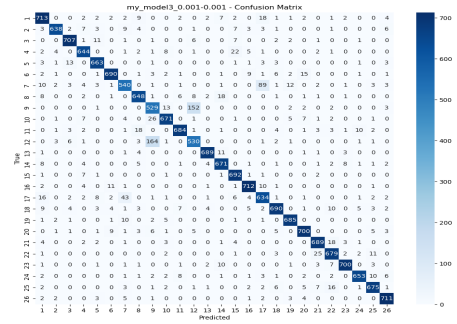
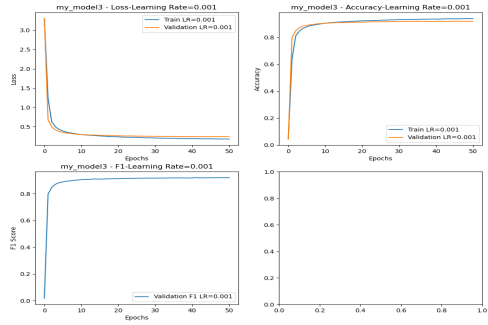
### 3 Performance on Test Set

- Test Loss: 0.26707993365492666
- Test Accuracy: 0.9237019230769231
- Test Macro F1 Score: 0.9237425799805024



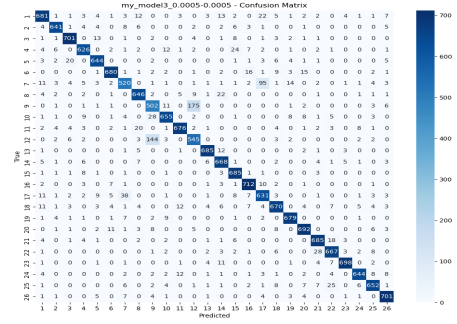
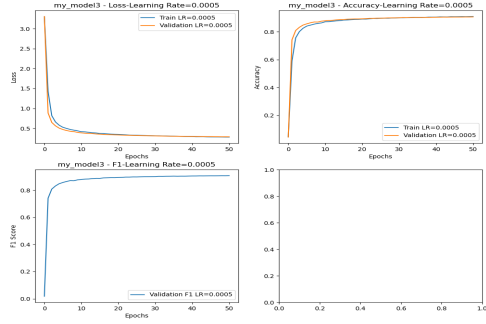
(a) Model 3 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.005 0.005 (b) Model 3 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.005

Figure 10: Model 3 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.005



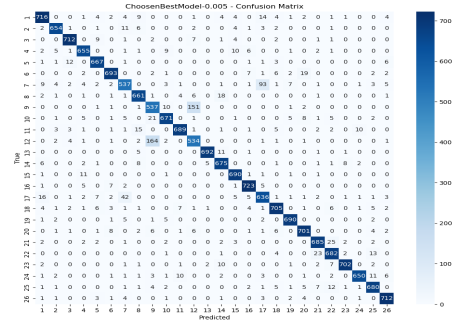
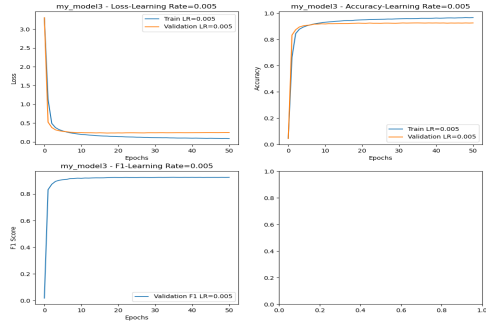
(a) Model 3 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.001 0.001 (b) Model 3 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.001

Figure 11: Model 3 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.001



(a) Model 3 Learning Curve with Learning Rate 0.0005 0.0005 (b) Model 3 Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate

Figure 12: Model 3 Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix with Learning Rate 0.0005



(a) Chosen Best Model Learning Curve (b) Chosen Best Model Confusion Matrix

Figure 13: Chosen Best Model Learning Curve and Confusion Matrix

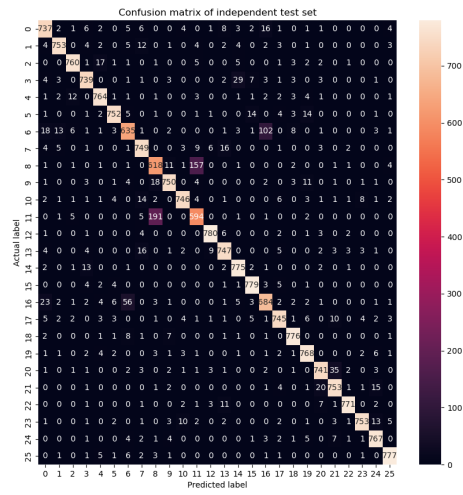


Figure 14: Chosen Best Model Confusion Matrix on Test Set