

CSC411: Project #2

Due on Sunday, February 18, 2018

Hao Zhang & Tyler Gamvrelis

February 4, 2018

Foreword

In this project,...

System Details for Reproducibility:

- Python 2.7.8
- Libraries:
 - numpy
 - matplotlib
 - ...

Part 1

Dataset description

The dataset is made of thousands of 28 by 28 pixel images of the handwritten digits: 0 to 9. The images are split into training set and test set images labelled ‘train0’ to ‘train9’ and ‘test0’ to ‘test9’. The number of images with each label is as follows:

| Label | Number of Images | Label | Number of Images |
|--------|------------------|-------|------------------|
| train0 | 5923 | test0 | 980 |
| train1 | 6742 | test0 | 1135 |
| train2 | 5958 | test0 | 1032 |
| train3 | 6131 | test0 | 1010 |
| train4 | 5842 | test0 | 982 |
| train5 | 5421 | test0 | 892 |
| train6 | 5918 | test0 | 958 |
| train7 | 6265 | test0 | 1028 |
| train8 | 5851 | test0 | 974 |
| train9 | 5949 | test0 | 1009 |

Ten images of each number were taken from the training sets and displayed in Figure 1. The correct labels of most of the pictures can be discerned at a glance by humans. However, since the digits are handwritten, some of them may not be completely obvious. For example, Figure 1cv is categorized as a 9 but looks like an 8.



Figure 1