```
In [ ]: import torch
        import torch.optim as optim
        import torch.nn as nn
        from torchvision import datasets
        from torch.utils.data import DataLoader
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import statistics
```

Problem Idea

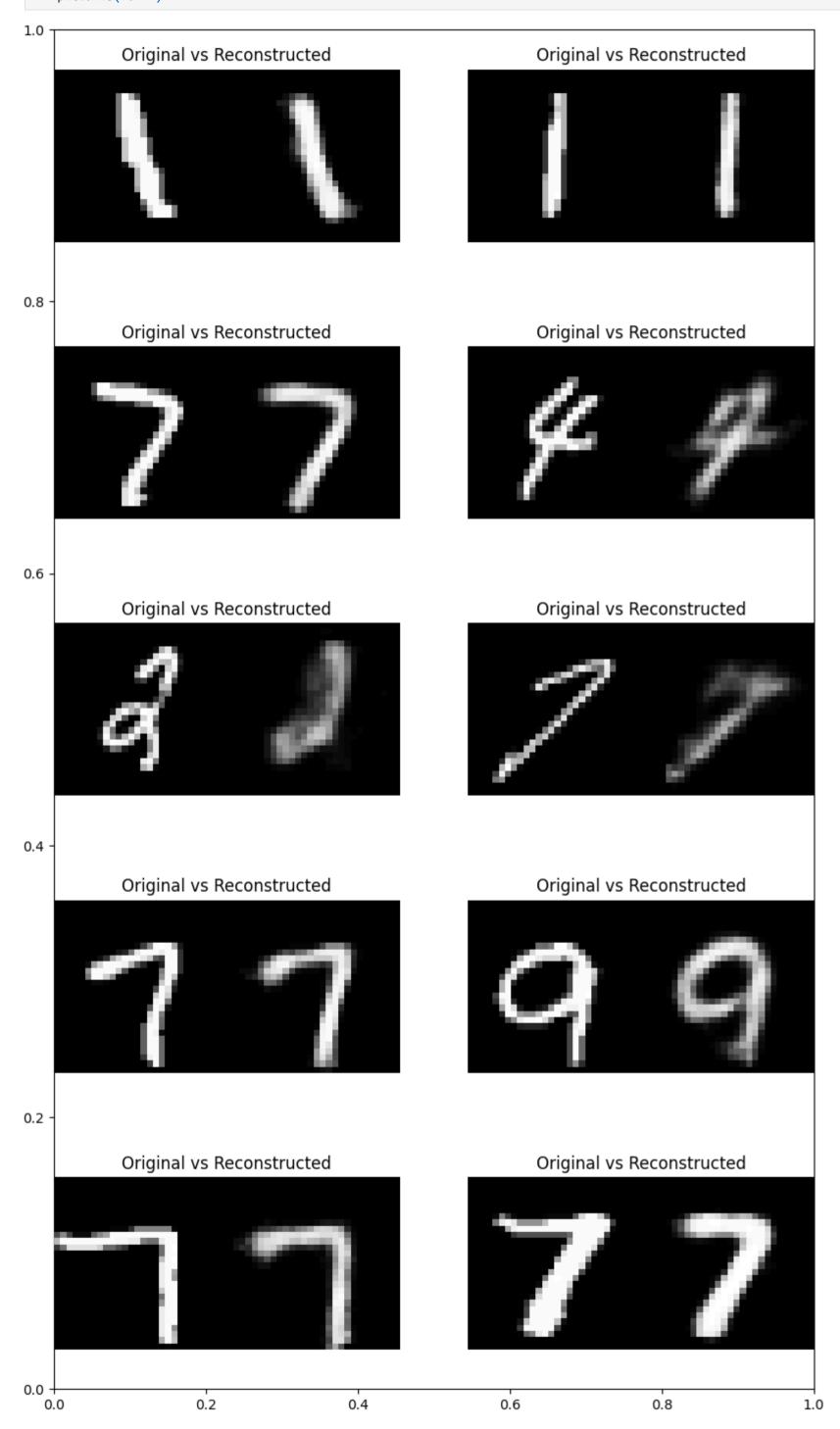
Instead of doing another regression and data problem, I will try something MNIST to see what the intrinsic dimension of the 0-9 digit images

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are. Before any analysis my guess is 10/11, depending on whether the blank white-space in MNIST images will be treated as part of the latent
         knowledge (I suspect it will be)
 In [ ]: from models import AutoencoderModel
         Data Preparation
         device_name = torch.device("cuda:0" if torch.cuda.is_available() else "cpu")
 In [ ]: data = datasets.MNIST(root='./data', download=True)
         images = data.data.float().div(255).unsqueeze(1).to(device_name)
 In [ ]: batch_size = 100
         learning_images, validation_images = torch.utils.data.random_split(images, [50000, 10000])
         learn_loader = DataLoader(learning_images, batch_size=batch_size, shuffle=True)
         validation_loader = DataLoader(validation_images, batch_size=batch_size, shuffle=False)
In [44]: test_data = datasets.MNIST(root='./data', train=False, download=True)
         test_images = test_data.data.float().div(255).to(device_name)
         test_images_loader = DataLoader(test_images, batch_size=1, shuffle=False)
         Model Training Pre Checks
In [48]: def train_model(model, learn_loader, validation_loader, optimiser, loss_function, num_epochs):
             learning_losses = []
             validation_losses = []
             for epoch in range(num_epochs):
                 model.train()
                 total_loss = 0.0
                 for images in learn_loader:
                     images = images.view(-1, 28 * 28).to(device_name)
                     optimiser.zero_grad()
                      reconstructed_images = model(images)
                     loss = loss_function(reconstructed_images, images)
                     loss.backward()
                     optimiser.step()
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total_loss += loss.item()
    avg_learning_loss = total_loss / len(learn_loader)
    learning_losses.append((epoch + 1, avg_learning_loss))
    # Validation step
   model.eval()
   total_val_loss = 0.0
   with torch.no_grad():
       for val_images in validation_loader:
            val_images = val_images.view(-1, 28 * 28).to(device_name)
            reconstructed_val_images = model(val_images)
            val_loss = loss_function(reconstructed_val_images, val_images)
            total_val_loss += val_loss.item()
    avg_validation_loss = total_val_loss / len(validation_loader)
    validation_losses.append((epoch + 1, avg_validation_loss))
    print(f"Epoch [{epoch + 1}/{num_epochs}]")
return learning_losses, validation_losses
```

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In [55]: model = AutoencoderModel(sizes=[784, 256, 64, 10, 64, 256, 784]).to(device_name)
In [56]: learning_rate = 0.005
         num_epochs = 20
         loss_function = nn.MSELoss()
         optimiser = optim.Adam(model.parameters(), lr=learning_rate)
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In [57]: learning_losses, validation_losses = train_model(model, learn_loader, validation_loader, optimiser, loss_function, num_epochs)
        Epoch [1/20]
        Epoch [2/20]
        Epoch [3/20]
        Epoch [4/20]
        Epoch [5/20]
        Epoch [6/20]
        Epoch [7/20]
        Epoch [8/20]
        Epoch [9/20]
        Epoch [10/20]
        Epoch [11/20]
        Epoch [12/20]
        Epoch [13/20]
        Epoch [14/20]
        Epoch [15/20]
        Epoch [16/20]
        Epoch [17/20]
        Epoch [18/20]
        Epoch [19/20]
        Epoch [20/20]
In [58]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
         plt.subplot(1, 2, 1)
         plt.plot([x[0] for x in learning_losses], [x[1] for x in learning_losses], label='Learning Loss')
         plt.title('Learning Loss')
         plt.subplot(1, 2, 2)
         plt.plot([x[0] for x in validation_losses], [x[1] for x in validation_losses], label='Validation Loss')
         plt.title('Validation Loss')
Out[58]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Validation Loss')
                                                                                           Validation Loss
                                Learning Loss
        0.045
                                                                    0.032
                                                                    0.030
        0.040
                                                                    0.028
        0.035
                                                                    0.026
        0.030
                                                                    0.024
        0.025
                                                                    0.022
         0.020
                          5
                                      10
                                                  15
                                                              20
                                                                                      5
                                                                                                 10
                                                                                                              15
                                                                                                                         20
In [59]: print(learning_losses[-1])
         print(validation_losses[-1])
        (20, 0.020914565831422805)
        (20, 0.021427661776542664)
In [31]: # From the above plots, the autoencoder seems to be learning well,
         # We can explicitly reconstruct some images to get a visual confirmation
         random_indices = torch.randint(0, len(images), (10,))
         random_images = images[random_indices]
         with torch.no_grad():
             reconstructed_images = model(random_images)
         plt.figure(figsize=(10, 18))
         plt.subplots_adjust(hspace=0.1)
         plt.gcf().patch.set_facecolor('none')
         plt.gca().set_facecolor('none')
         random_images = random_images.view(-1, 28, 28)
         reconstructed_images = reconstructed_images.reshape(random_images.shape)
         for i in range(10):
             plt.subplot(5, 2, i + 1)
             stacked_images = torch.hstack((random_images[i].squeeze(), reconstructed_images[i]))
             plt.imshow(stacked_images.cpu(), cmap='gray')
```



I am not sure how to feel about the above images, so we can do some further analysis. I will plot the images which individually show the worst loss to see if I can intuitively understand what the network is missing

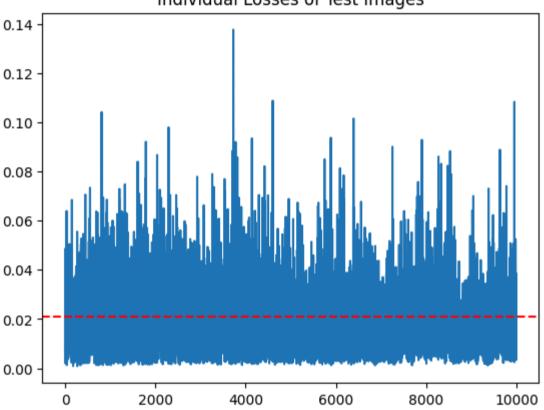
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In [36]: model.eval()
individual_losses = []

with torch.no_grad():
    for index, image in enumerate(test_images_loader):
        image = image.view(-1, 28 * 28)
            reconstructed_image = model(image).reshape(28, 28)
            loss = loss_function(reconstructed_image, image.reshape(28, 28))
            individual_losses.append((index, loss.item()))

mean = statistics.mean([x[1] for x in individual_losses])
std = statistics.stdev([x[1] for x in individual_losses])
print(f"Average Loss: {mean:.4f}, Standard Deviation: {std:.4f}")
plt.plot(*zip(*individual_losses), label='Individual Losses')
plt.axhline(mean, color='red', linestyle='--', label='Mean Loss')
plt.title('Individual Losses of Test Images')
```

Average Loss: 0.0211, Standard Deviation: 0.0129
Out[36]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Individual Losses of Test Images')

Individual Losses of Test Images



```
In []: loss_benchmark = mean + 3 * std
    bad_images = []

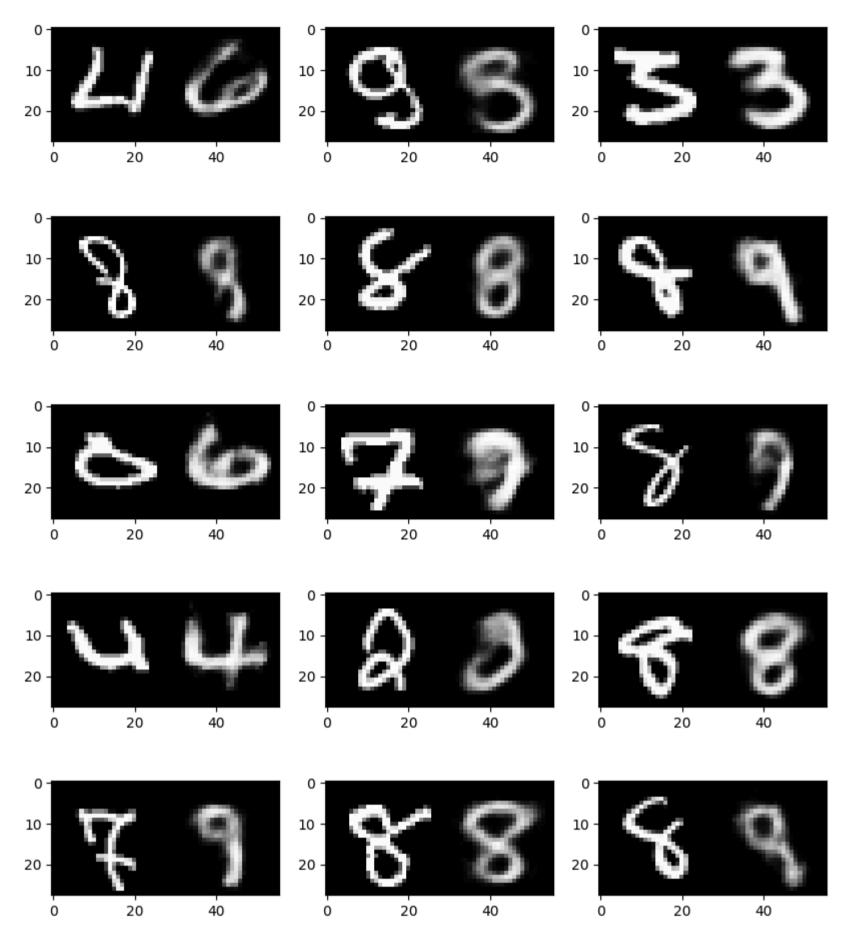
with torch.no_grad():
    for index, image in enumerate(test_images_loader):
        image = image.view(-1, 28 * 28)
        reconstructed_image = model(image)

    loss = loss_function(reconstructed_image, image)
    if loss.item() > loss_benchmark:
        bad_images.append(index)

if len(bad_images) >= 15:
        break
```

```
In [40]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 12))
   plt.subplots_adjust(hspace=0.1)
   num_subplots = 15

for i in range(num_subplots):
    plt.subplot(5, 3, i + 1)
        image = test_images[bad_images[i]]
        reconstructed_image = model(image.view(-1, 28 * 28)).reshape(28, 28).detach()
        stacked_images = torch.hstack((image, reconstructed_image)).cpu()
        plt.imshow(stacked_images.cpu(), cmap='gray')
```



Intuitively I feel like the latent may not be enough to capture the serious features like loops and 4/6 slashes. Could also be a training issue, because I only did 20 epochs. Lets save the model as a base reference

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In [78]: torch.save(model.state_dict(), 'model-weights/AutoencoderModel-l10.pth')
```

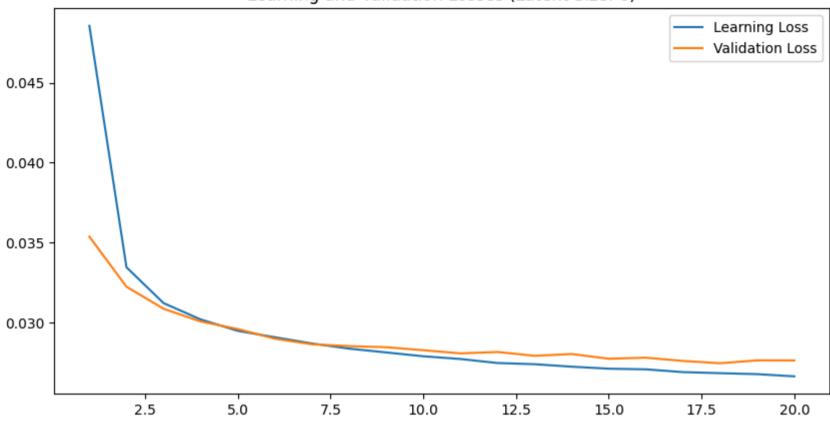
Train With Varying Latent Sizes

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In [49]:
        num_epochs = 20
         learning_rate = 0.005
         latent_sizes = [4, 6, 8, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20] # we already have 10
        lowest_loss_reached = []
In [51]: for latent_size in latent_sizes:
             print(f"Training model with latent size: {latent_size}")
             model = AutoencoderModel(sizes=[784, 256, 64, latent_size, 64, 256, 784]).to(device_name)
             optimiser = optim.Adam(model.parameters(), lr=learning_rate)
             learning_losses, validation_losses = train_model(model, learn_loader, validation_loader, optimiser, loss_function, num_epo
             # Record the last learning and validation losses for each latent size
             l_loss = learning_losses[-1][1]
             v_loss = validation_losses[-1][1]
             lowest_loss_reached.append((latent_size, l_loss, v_loss))
             plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
             plt.plot([x[0] for x in learning_losses], [x[1] for x in learning_losses], label='Learning_Loss')
             plt.plot([x[0] for x in validation_losses], [x[1] for x in validation_losses], label='Validation Loss')
             plt.title(f'Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: {latent_size})')
             plt.legend()
```

```
torch.save(model.state_dict(), f'model-weights/AutoencoderModel-l{latent_size}.pth')
Training model with latent size: 4
Epoch [1/20]
Epoch [2/20]
Epoch [3/20]
Epoch [4/20]
Epoch [5/20]
Epoch [6/20]
Epoch [7/20]
Epoch [8/20]
Epoch [9/20]
Epoch [10/20]
Epoch [11/20]
Epoch [12/20]
Epoch [13/20]
Epoch [14/20]
Epoch [15/20]
Epoch [16/20]
Epoch [17/20]
Epoch [18/20]
Epoch [19/20]
Epoch [20/20]
                                  Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: 4)
                                                                                                     Learning Loss
0.055
                                                                                                     Validation Loss
0.050
0.045
0.040
0.035
0.030 -
                                             7.5
                                                                                                 17.5
                  2.5
                                5.0
                                                         10.0
                                                                       12.5
                                                                                    15.0
                                                                                                               20.0
Training model with latent size: 6
Epoch [1/20]
Epoch [2/20]
Epoch [3/20]
Epoch [4/20]
Epoch [5/20]
Epoch [6/20]
Epoch [7/20]
Epoch [8/20]
Epoch [9/20]
Epoch [10/20]
Epoch [11/20]
Epoch [12/20]
Epoch [13/20]
Epoch [14/20]
Epoch [15/20]
Epoch [16/20]
Epoch [17/20]
Epoch [18/20]
Epoch [19/20]
Epoch [20/20]
```

plt.show()

Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: 6)

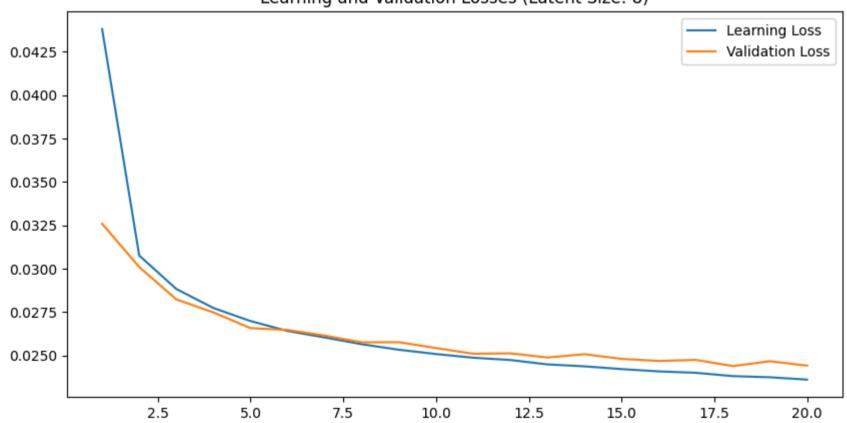


Training model with latent size: 8

Epoch [1/20] Epoch [2/20] Epoch [3/20] Epoch [4/20] Epoch [5/20] Epoch [6/20] Epoch [7/20] Epoch [8/20] Epoch [9/20] Epoch [10/20] Epoch [11/20] Epoch [12/20] Epoch [13/20] Epoch [14/20] Epoch [15/20] Epoch [16/20] Epoch [17/20] Epoch [18/20]

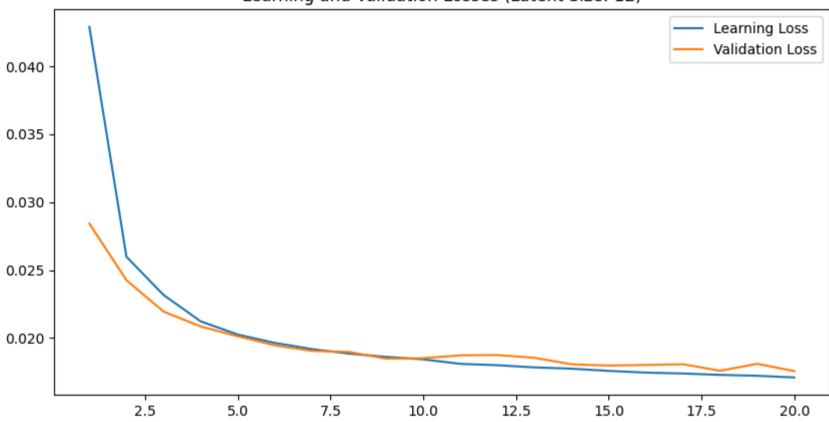
Epoch [19/20] Epoch [20/20]

Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: 8)



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Training model with latent size: 12
Epoch [1/20]
Epoch [2/20]
Epoch [3/20]
Epoch [4/20]
Epoch [5/20]
Epoch [6/20]
Epoch [7/20]
Epoch [8/20]
Epoch [9/20]
Epoch [10/20]
Epoch [11/20]
Epoch [12/20]
Epoch [13/20]
Epoch [14/20]
Epoch [15/20]
Epoch [16/20]
Epoch [17/20]
Epoch [18/20]
Epoch [19/20]
Epoch [20/20]
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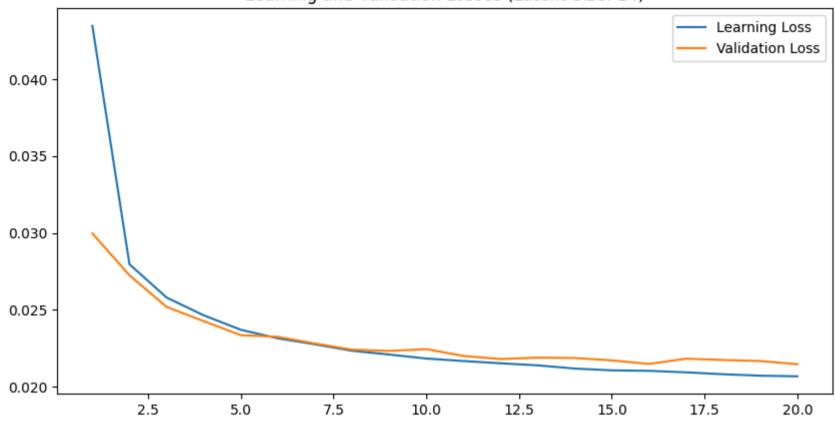
Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: 12)



Training model with latent size: 14

Epoch [1/20] Epoch [2/20] Epoch [3/20] Epoch [4/20] Epoch [5/20] Epoch [6/20] Epoch [7/20] Epoch [8/20] Epoch [9/20] Epoch [10/20] Epoch [11/20] Epoch [12/20] Epoch [13/20] Epoch [14/20] Epoch [15/20] Epoch [16/20] Epoch [17/20] Epoch [18/20] Epoch [19/20] Epoch [20/20]

Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: 14)

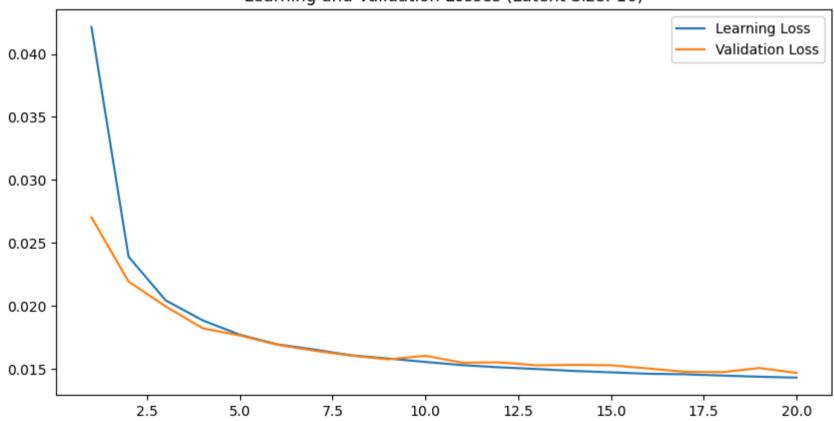


Training model with latent size: 16

Epoch [1/20]
Epoch [2/20]
Epoch [3/20]
Epoch [4/20]
Epoch [5/20]
Epoch [6/20]
Epoch [7/20]
Epoch [8/20]
Epoch [9/20]
Epoch [10/20]
Epoch [11/20]
Epoch [12/20]
Epoch [13/20]
Epoch [14/20]
Epoch [15/20]

Epoch [16/20] Epoch [17/20] Epoch [18/20] Epoch [19/20] Epoch [20/20]

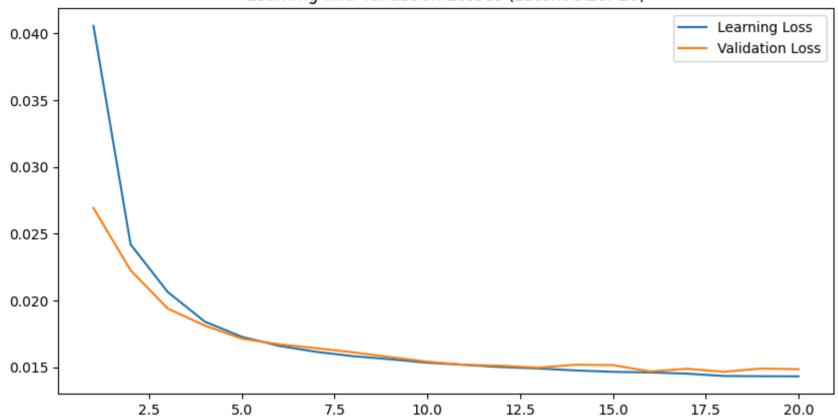
Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: 16)



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Training model with latent size: 18
Epoch [1/20]
Epoch [2/20]
Epoch [3/20]
Epoch [4/20]
Epoch [5/20]
Epoch [6/20]
Epoch [7/20]
Epoch [8/20]
Epoch [9/20]
Epoch [10/20]
Epoch [11/20]
Epoch [12/20]
Epoch [13/20]
Epoch [14/20]
Epoch [15/20]
Epoch [16/20]
Epoch [17/20]
Epoch [18/20]
Epoch [19/20]
Epoch [20/20]
                                  Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: 18)
                                                                                                     Learning Loss
0.040
                                                                                                     Validation Loss
0.035
0.030
0.025
0.020
0.015
                                             7.5
                                                                                                              20.0
                  2.5
                                                         10.0
                                                                       12.5
                                                                                    15.0
                                                                                                 17.5
                                5.0
Training model with latent size: 20
Epoch [1/20]
Epoch [2/20]
Epoch [3/20]
Epoch [4/20]
Epoch [5/20]
Epoch [6/20]
Epoch [7/20]
Epoch [8/20]
Epoch [9/20]
Epoch [10/20]
Epoch [11/20]
Epoch [12/20]
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Epoch [13/20]
Epoch [14/20]
Epoch [15/20]
Epoch [16/20]
Epoch [17/20]
Epoch [18/20]
Epoch [19/20]
Epoch [20/20]

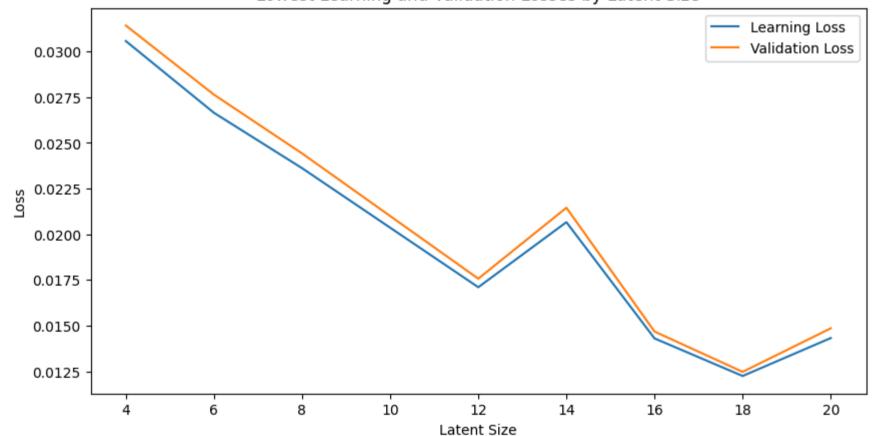
Learning and Validation Losses (Latent Size: 20)



```
In [52]: # Now We plot the lowest learning and validation losses for each latent size
    plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
    plt.plot([x[0] for x in lowest_loss_reached], [x[1] for x in lowest_loss_reached], label='Learning Loss')
    plt.plot([x[0] for x in lowest_loss_reached], [x[2] for x in lowest_loss_reached], label='Validation Loss')
    plt.title('Lowest Learning and Validation Losses by Latent Size')
    plt.xlabel('Latent Size')
    plt.ylabel('Loss')
    plt.legend()
```

Out[52]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x1d159d97b60>

Lowest Learning and Validation Losses by Latent Size



Wow This is a lot more interesting than I anticipated...

```
In [54]: # write the lowest loss reached to a file
with open('lowest_loss', 'w') as f:
    for latent_size, l_loss, v_loss in lowest_loss_reached:
        f.write(f"Latent Size: {latent_size}, Learning Loss: {l_loss:.4f}, Validation Loss: {v_loss:.4f}\n")
```

Looking Inside the Autoencoder

```
In [67]: labels = data.targets.to(device_name)

In [87]: # Take out 5 images from each class 0-9
    counts = [0] * 10
    counted_images = [[] for _ in range(10)]

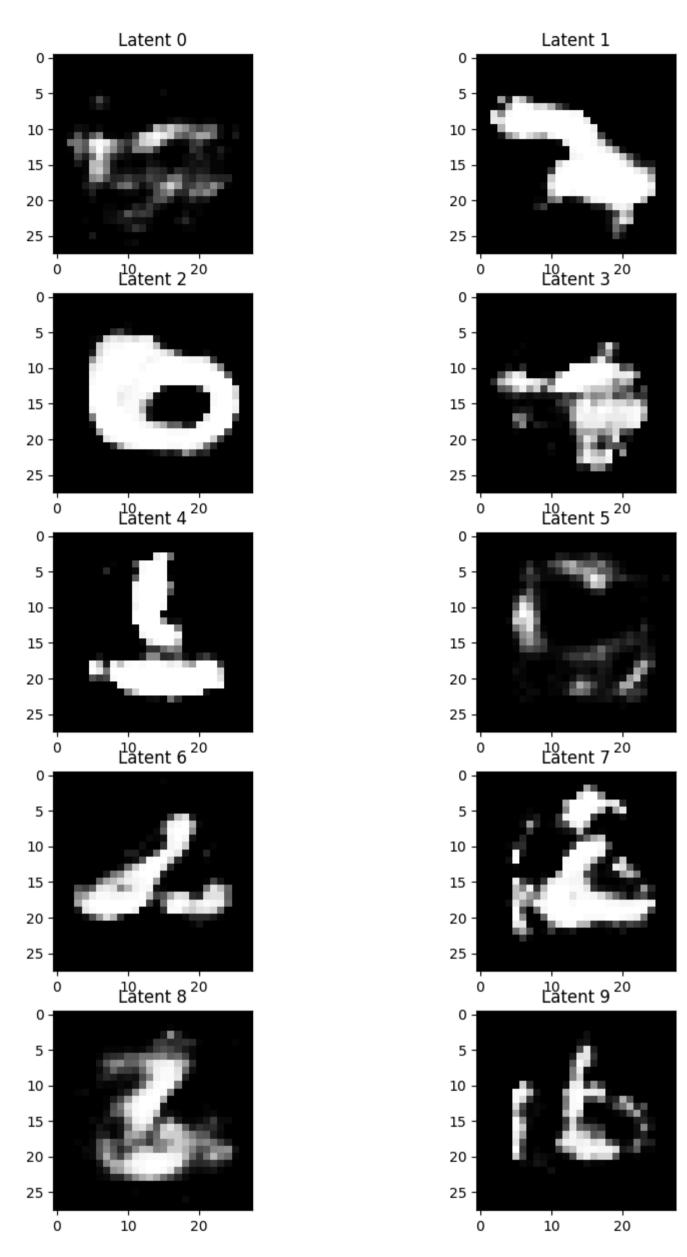
    for image, label in zip(images, labels):
        if counts[label] < 5:
            counted_images[label].append(image)</pre>
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counts[label] += 1
              if all(c >= 5 for c in counts):
                  break
 In [88]: model = AutoencoderModel(sizes=[784, 256, 64, 10, 64, 256, 784]).to(device_name)
          model.load_state_dict(torch.load('model-weights/AutoencoderModel-l10.pth', map_location=device_name), strict=True)
Out[88]: <All keys matched successfully>
In [120...
          # Find the latents of the counted images
          counted_latents = []
          with torch.no_grad():
              for label in range(10):
                  all_images = torch.stack(counted_images[label])
                  latents = model.encoder_forward(all_images)
                  counted_latents.append(latents)
In [104... # Reconstruct each latent to see what each feature represents. This is a bit of a hack, but it works
          def plot_each_latent_individually(model, size):
              one_hot_latents = torch.zeros((size, size)).to(device_name)
              for i in range(size):
                  one_hot_latents[i][i] = 10
              reconstructed_images = model.decoder_forward(one_hot_latents).reshape(-1, 28, 28)
              plt.figure(figsize=(10, size // 2 * 3))
              plt.subplots_adjust(hspace=0.2)
              for i in range(size):
                  plt.subplot(size // 2, 2, i + 1)
                  image = reconstructed_images[i].detach().cpu()
                  plt.imshow(image, cmap='gray')
                  plt.title(f"Latent {i}")
```

Plot the image and its latent values to see how it coincides with the actual reconstructed images

Sometimes a single latent will try to capture the entire number (for example the latent number 4 out of 4 so we will see a peak in the latent vector for the image of 2...)

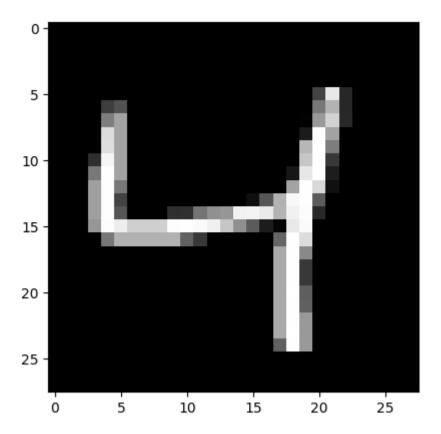
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In [105...
model = AutoencoderModel(sizes=[784, 256, 64, 10, 64, 256, 784]).to(device_name)
model.load_state_dict(torch.load('model-weights/AutoencoderModel-l10.pth', map_location=device_name), strict=True)
plot_each_latent_individually(model, 10)
```



```
i = 4
j = 0
print(counted_latents[i][j])
plt.imshow(counted_images[i][j][0].cpu(), cmap='gray')
```

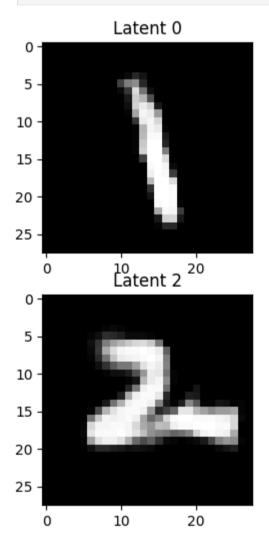
tensor([0.0000, 5.1707, 3.3791, 3.7886, 1.1896, 4.5254, 2.3126, 0.0000, 0.0000, 0.0000], device='cuda:0')

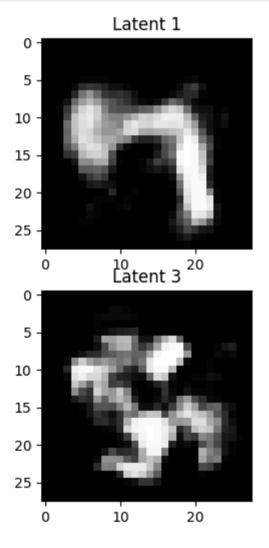
Out[106... <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x1d1519fa840>



In [107... ### Try for Models with Latent 4 and 12 and 18 as well

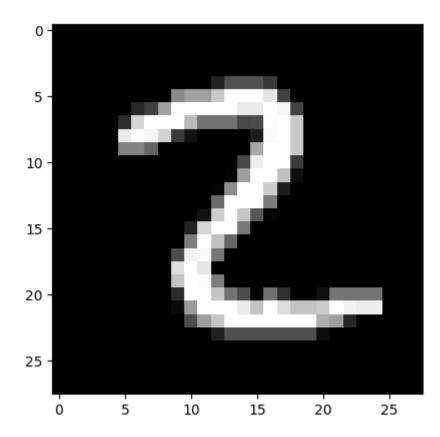
In [119...
model = AutoencoderModel(sizes=[784, 256, 64, 4, 64, 256, 784]).to(device_name)
model.load_state_dict(torch.load('model-weights/AutoencoderModel-l4.pth', map_location=device_name), strict=True)
plot_each_latent_individually(model, 4)



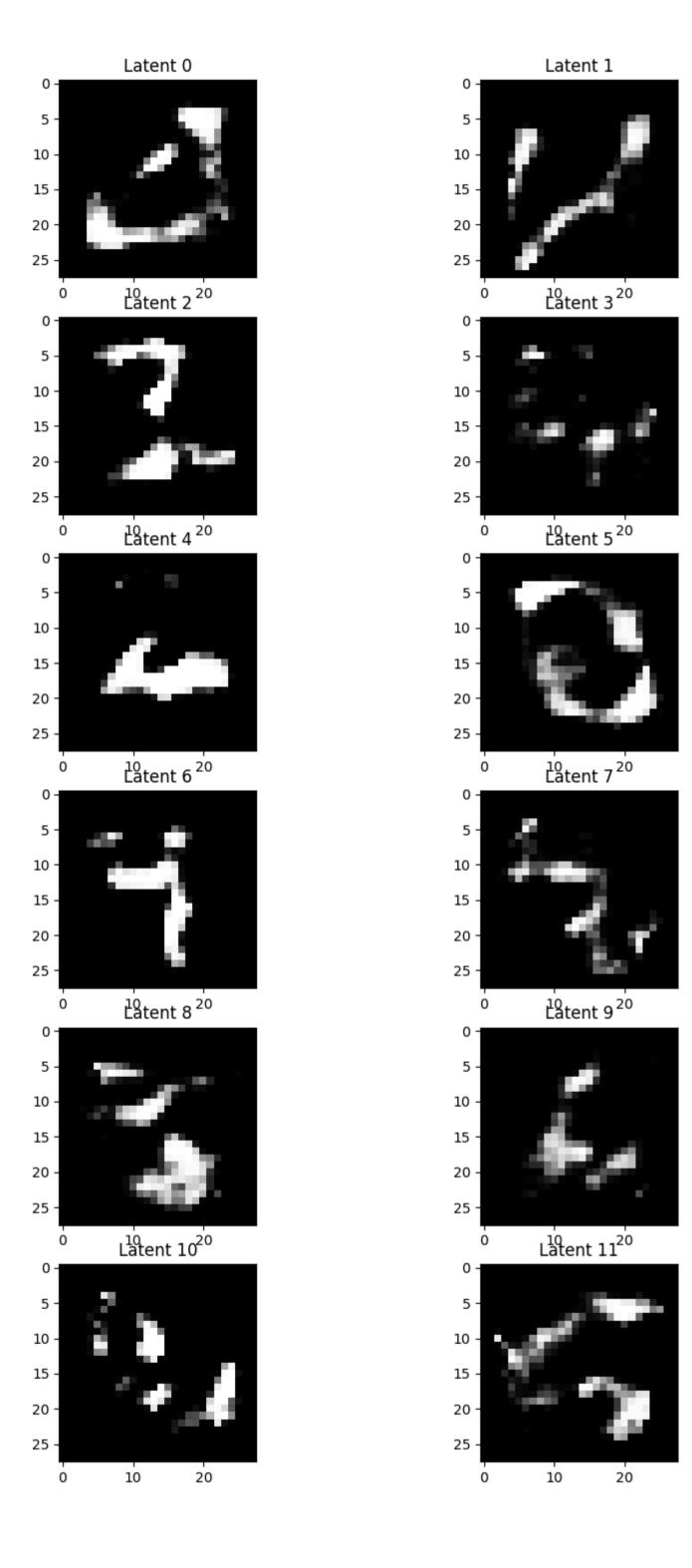


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i = 2
j = 4
print(counted_latents[i][j])
plt.imshow(counted_images[i][j][0].cpu(), cmap='gray')
```

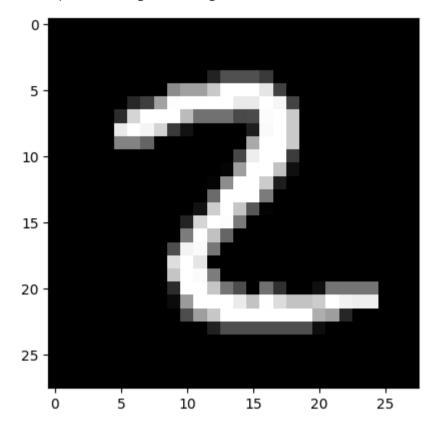
tensor([1.9741, 0.0931, 3.1668, 0.0000], device='cuda:0')
Out[121... <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x1d17326c830>



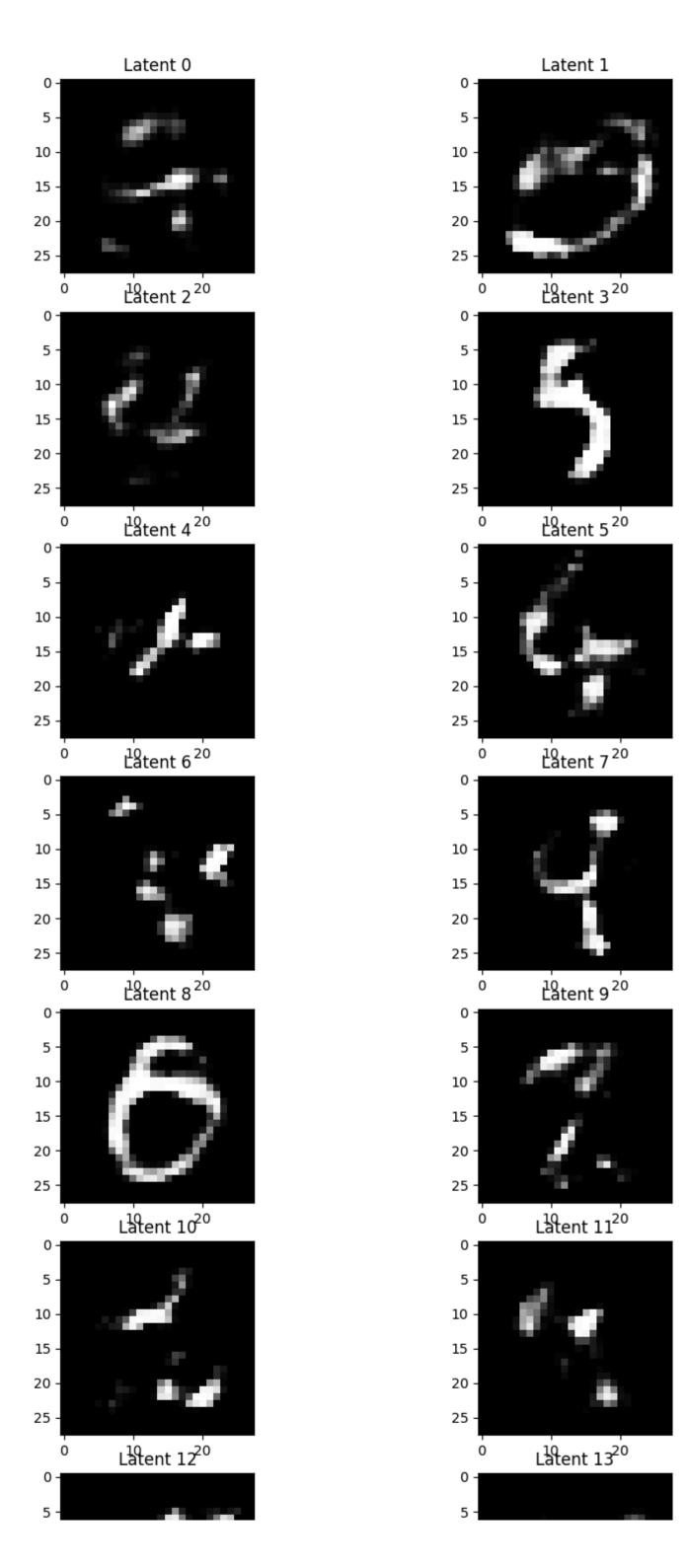
In [116... model = AutoencoderModel(sizes=[784, 256, 64, 12, 64, 256, 784]).to(device_name)
model.load_state_dict(torch.load('model-weights/AutoencoderModel-l12.pth', map_location=device_name), strict=True)
plot_each_latent_individually(model, 12)

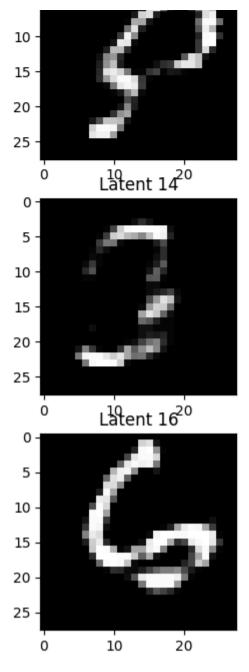


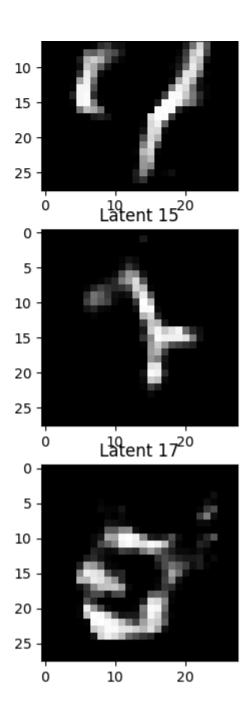
Out[112... <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x1d170fa3fb0>



In [113...
model = AutoencoderModel(sizes=[784, 256, 64, 18, 64, 256, 784]).to(device_name)
model.load_state_dict(torch.load('model-weights/AutoencoderModel-l18.pth', map_location=device_name), strict=True)
plot_each_latent_individually(model, 18)







Out[115... <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x1d151ba6270>

