RNNLIB: Introduction

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RNNLIB is a recurrent neural network library for sequence learning problems, which is written by Alex Graves.

In this paper, Graves proposed the CTC(Connectionist Temporal Classification), which allows the system to transcribe unsegmented sequence data. The most exciting thing is that by training a deep bidirectional LSTM network with CTC, it is possible to perform automatic speech recognition in an end-to-end fashion, i.e. without any human expertise.

RNNLIB covers all the theories in Graves's paper, including:

- Bidirectional Long Short-Term Memory
- Connectionist Temporal Classification
- Multidimensional Recurrent Neural Networks

I will try to explain the codes in RNNLIB in following posts.

1. RNNLIB: Softmax Layer
2. RNNLIB: Connectionist Temporal Classification and Transcription Layer

http://wantee.github.io//2015/02/05/rnnlib-introduction/