Homework 10 - CIFAR10 Image Classification with PyTorch

About

The goal of the homework is to train a convolutional neural network on the standard CIFAR10 image classification dataset.

When solving machine learning tasks using neural networks, one typically starts with a simple network architecture and then improves the network by adding new layers, retraining, adjusting parameters, retraining, etc. We attempt to illustrate this process below with several architecture improvements.

Dev Environment

Working on Google Colab

You may choose to work locally or on Google Colaboratory. You have access to free compute through this service. Colab is recommended since it will be setup correctly and will have access to GPU resources.

- 1. Visit https://colab.research.google.com/drive)
- 2. Navigate to the **upload** tab, and upload your HW10.ipynb
- 3. Now on the top right corner, under the Comment and Share options, you should see a Connect option. Once you are connected, you will have access to a VM with 12GB RAM, 50 GB disk space and a single GPU. The dropdown menu will allow you to connect to a local runtime as well.

Notes:

- If you do not have a working setup for Python 3, this is your best bet. It will also save you from heavy installations like tensorflow if you don't want to deal with those.
- There is a downside. You can only use this instance for a single 12-hour stretch, after which your data will be deleted, and you would have redownload all your datasets, any libraries not already on the VM, and regenerate your logs.

Installing PyTorch and Dependencies

The instructions for installing and setting up PyTorch can be found at https://pytorch.org/get-started/locally/). Make sure you follow the instructions for your machine. For any of the remaining libraries used in this assignment:

- We have provided a hw8_requirements.txt file on the homework web page.
- Download this file, and in the same directory you can run pip3 install -r
 hw8 requirements.txt Check that PyTorch installed correctly by running the following:

Part 0 Imports and Basic Setup (5 Points)

First, import the required libraries as follows. The libraries we will use will be the same as those in HW8.

```
In [0]: import numpy as np
import torch
from torch import nn
from torch import optim
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

GPU Support

Training of large network can take a long time. PyTorch supports GPU with just a small amount of effort.

When creating our networks, we will call net.to(device) to tell the network to train on the GPU, if one is available. Note, if the network utilizes the GPU, it is important that any tensors we use with it (such as the data) also reside on the CPU. Thus, a call like images = images.to(device) is necessary with any data we want to use with the GPU.

Note: If you can't get access to a GPU, don't worry to much. Since we use very small networks, the difference between CPU and GPU isn't large and in some cases GPU will actually be slower.

```
In [3]: import torch.cuda as cuda

# Use a GPU, i.e. cuda:0 device if it available.
device = torch.device("cuda:0" if cuda.is_available() else "cpu")
print(device)

cuda:0
```

Training Code

```
In [0]: import time
        class Flatten(nn.Module):
          """NN Module that flattens the incoming tensor."""
          def forward(self, input):
            return input.view(input.size(0), -1)
        best acc = 0
        def train(model, train_loader, test_loader, loss_func, opt, num_epochs=100,
          all_training_loss = np.zeros((0,2))
          all_training_acc = np.zeros((0,2))
          all_test_loss = np.zeros((0,2))
          all_test_acc = np.zeros((0,2))
          best acc = 0
          training_step = 0
          training_loss, training_acc = 2.0, 0.0
          print_every = 1000
          start = time.clock()
          for i in range(start_epoch, start_epoch + num_epochs):
            epoch_start = time.clock()
            model.train()
            for images, labels in train loader:
              images, labels = images.to(device), labels.to(device)
              opt.zero grad()
              preds = model(images)
              loss = loss func(preds, labels)
              loss.backward()
              opt.step()
              training loss += loss.item()
              training acc += (torch.argmax(preds, dim=1)==labels).float().mean()
              if training step % print every == 0:
                training loss /= print every
                training acc /= print every
                all_training_loss = np.concatenate((all_training_loss, [[training_s
                all training acc = np.concatenate((all training acc, [[training ste
                print(' Epoch %d @ step %d: Train Loss: %3f, Train Accuracy: %3f'
                    i, training step, training loss, training acc))
                training loss, training acc = 0.0, 0.0
              training step+=1
            model.eval()
            with torch.no grad():
              validation loss, validation acc = 0.0, 0.0
              count = 0
              for images, labels in test loader:
                images, labels = images.to(device), labels.to(device)
                output = model(images)
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validation loss+=loss func(output, labels)
        validation acc+=(torch.argmax(output, dim=1) == labels).float().med
        count += 1
      validation loss/=count
      validation acc/=count
      all_test_loss = np.concatenate((all_test_loss, [[training_step, valid
      all test acc = np.concatenate((all test acc, [[training step, validat
      epoch time = time.clock() - epoch start
     print('Epoch %d Test Loss: %3f, Test Accuracy: %3f, time: %.1fs' % (
          i, validation loss, validation acc, epoch time))
    # Save checkpoint.
    acc = validation acc
    if acc > best acc:
      print('Prev accuracy: %3f; Current accuracy: %3f' %(best_acc, acc))
    if enable_saving and acc > best_acc:
        print('Saving..')
        state = {
            'model': model.state_dict(),
            'acc': acc,
            'epoch': i,
        torch.save(state, './ckpt.t7')
        best_acc = acc
 total time = time.clock() - start
 print('Final Test Loss: %3f, Test Accuracy: %3f, Total time: %.1fs' % (
      validation_loss, validation_acc, total_time))
 return {'loss': { 'train': all training loss, 'test': all test loss },
          'accuracy': { 'train': all training acc, 'test': all test acc }}
def plot graphs(model name, metrics):
  for metric, values in metrics.items():
    for name, v in values.items():
      plt.plot(v[:,0], v[:,1], label=name)
    plt.title(f'{metric} for {model name}')
    plt.legend()
    plt.xlabel("Training Steps")
    plt.ylabel(metric)
    plt.show()
```

Load the** CIFA-10** dataset and define the transformations. You may also want to print its structure, size, as well as sample a few images to get a sense of how to design the network.

```
In [0]: !mkdir hw10_data
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In [6]:
        # Download the data.
        from torchvision import datasets, transforms
        transformations = transforms.Compose(
            [transforms.ToTensor(),
             transforms.Normalize((0.5, 0.5, 0.5), (0.5, 0.5, 0.5))])
        train_set = datasets.CIFAR10(root='hw10_data/', download=True, transform=tr
        test set = datasets.CIFAR10(root='hw10 data', download=True, train=False, t
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        0-python.tar.gz
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Use DataLoader to create a loader for the training set and a loader for the testing set. You can use a batch size of 8 to start, and change it if you wish.

```
In [7]: from torch.utils.data import DataLoader
        batch size = 8
        train loader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(train set, batch size, shuffle=1
        test loader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(test set, batch size, shuffle=Tru
        input shape = np.array(train set[0][0]).shape
        print(input shape)
        input dim = input shape[1]*input shape[2]*input shape[0]
        (3, 32, 32)
       training epochs = 5
```

Part 1 CIFAR10 with Fully Connected Neural Netowrk (25 Points)

As a warm-up, let's begin by training a two-layer fully connected neural network model on ** CIFAR-10** dataset. You may go back to check HW8 for some basics.

We will give you this code to use as a baseline to compare against your CNN models.

In [0]:

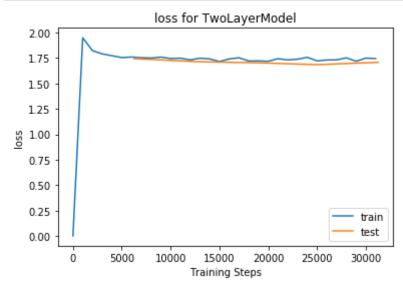
```
In [9]: class TwoLayerModel(nn.Module):
          def init (self):
            super(TwoLayerModel, self).__init__()
            self.net = nn.Sequential(
              Flatten(),
              nn.Linear(input_dim, 64),
              nn.ReLU(),
              nn.Linear(64, 10))
          def forward(self, x):
            return self.net(x)
        model = TwoLayerModel().to(device)
        loss = nn.CrossEntropyLoss()
        optimizer = optim.RMSprop(model.parameters(), lr=0.001, weight_decay=0.01)
        # Training epoch should be about 15-20 sec each on GPU.
        metrics = train(model, train loader, test loader, loss, optimizer, training
          Epoch 0 @ step 0: Train Loss: 0.004340, Train Accuracy: 0.000000
          Epoch 0 @ step 1000: Train Loss: 1.946467, Train Accuracy: 0.329000
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          Epoch 0 @ step 2000: Train Loss: 1.820833, Train Accuracy: 0.349625
          Epoch 0 @ step 3000: Train Loss: 1.788873, Train Accuracy: 0.362125
          Epoch 0 @ step 4000: Train Loss: 1.770899, Train Accuracy: 0.372125
          Epoch 0 @ step 5000: Train Loss: 1.752406, Train Accuracy: 0.370500
          Epoch 0 @ step 6000: Train Loss: 1.758057, Train Accuracy: 0.375125
        Epoch 0 Test Loss: 1.741880, Test Accuracy: 0.376500, time: 17.3s
          Epoch 1 @ step 7000: Train Loss: 1.751309, Train Accuracy: 0.377000
          Epoch 1 @ step 8000: Train Loss: 1.748058, Train Accuracy: 0.370875
          Epoch 1 @ step 9000: Train Loss: 1.756846, Train Accuracy: 0.371500
          Epoch 1 @ step 10000: Train Loss: 1.743470, Train Accuracy: 0.379750
          Epoch 1 @ step 11000: Train Loss: 1.746668, Train Accuracy: 0.376000
          Epoch 1 @ step 12000: Train Loss: 1.730267, Train Accuracy: 0.387000
        Epoch 1 Test Loss: 1.713121, Test Accuracy: 0.386700, time: 16.4s
          Epoch 2 @ step 13000: Train Loss: 1.746124, Train Accuracy: 0.378250
          Epoch 2 @ step 14000: Train Loss: 1.740328, Train Accuracy: 0.391875
          Epoch 2 @ step 15000: Train Loss: 1.713558, Train Accuracy: 0.387125
          Epoch 2 @ step 16000: Train Loss: 1.739471, Train Accuracy: 0.381250
          Epoch 2 @ step 17000: Train Loss: 1.750356, Train Accuracy: 0.373000
          Epoch 2 @ step 18000: Train Loss: 1.718776, Train Accuracy: 0.395625
        Epoch 2 Test Loss: 1.701751, Test Accuracy: 0.393400, time: 16.4s
          Epoch 3 @ step 19000: Train Loss: 1.719814, Train Accuracy: 0.383750
          Epoch 3 @ step 20000: Train Loss: 1.716075, Train Accuracy: 0.394250
          Epoch 3 @ step 21000: Train Loss: 1.741589, Train Accuracy: 0.388000
          Epoch 3 @ step 22000: Train Loss: 1.729419, Train Accuracy: 0.377625
          Epoch 3 @ step 23000: Train Loss: 1.736583, Train Accuracy: 0.377500
          Epoch 3 @ step 24000: Train Loss: 1.755096, Train Accuracy: 0.380250
        Epoch 3 Test Loss: 1.683128, Test Accuracy: 0.398900, time: 17.4s
          Epoch 4 @ step 25000: Train Loss: 1.720132, Train Accuracy: 0.382750
          Epoch 4 @ step 26000: Train Loss: 1.729002, Train Accuracy: 0.382875
          Epoch 4 @ step 27000: Train Loss: 1.729874, Train Accuracy: 0.384875
          Epoch 4 @ step 28000: Train Loss: 1.749811, Train Accuracy: 0.383750
          Epoch 4 @ step 29000: Train Loss: 1.716631, Train Accuracy: 0.392750
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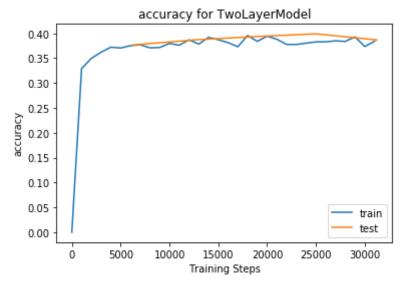
Epoch 4 @ step 30000: Train Loss: 1.747359, Train Accuracy: 0.373500 Epoch 4 @ step 31000: Train Loss: 1.743549, Train Accuracy: 0.383875 Epoch 4 Test Loss: 1.706095, Test Accuracy: 0.386700, time: 17.0s Final Test Loss: 1.706095, Test Accuracy: 0.386700, Total time: 84.5s

Plot the model results

Normally we would want to use Tensorboard for looking at metrics. However, if colab reset while we are working, we might lose our logs and therefore our metrics. Let's just plot some graphs that will survive across colab instances.







Part 2 Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) (35 Points)

Now, let's design a convolution neural netwrok!

Build a simple CNN model, inserting 2 CNN layers in from of our 2 layer fully connect model from above:

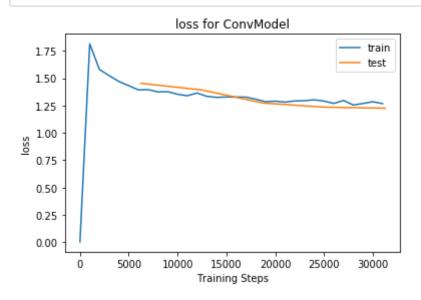
- 1. A convolution with 3x3 filter, 16 output channels, stride = 1, padding=1
- 2. A ReLU activation
- 3. A Max-Pooling layer with 2x2 window
- 4. A convolution, 3x3 filter, 16 output channels, stride = 1, padding=1
- 5. A ReLU activation
- 6. Flatten layer
- 7. Fully connected linear layer with output size 64
- 8. ReLU
- 9. Fully connected linear layer, with output size 10

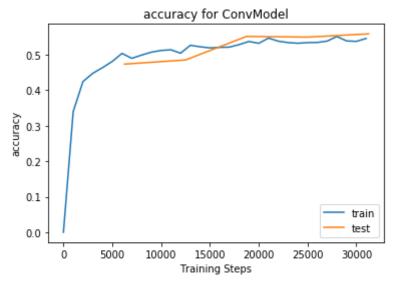
You will have to figure out the input sizes of the first fully connnected layer based on the previous layer sizes. Note that you also need to fill those in the report section (see report section in the notebook for details)

```
In [11]: | class ConvModel(nn.Module):
             def init (self):
                 super(ConvModel, self).__init__()
                 self.layer1 = nn.Sequential(
                     nn.Conv2d(3, 16, kernel_size=(3,3), stride=1, padding=1),
                     nn.ReLU(),
                     nn.MaxPool2d(2),
                     nn.Conv2d(16, 16, kernel_size=(3,3), stride=1, padding=1),
                     nn.ReLU(),
                     Flatten()
                 self.layer2 = nn.Sequential(
                     nn.Linear(4096, 64),
                     nn.ReLU(),
                     nn.Linear(64, 10)
                 )
             def forward(self, x):
                 x = self.layer1(x)
                 \#x = x.view(512, 64)
                 x = self.layer2(x)
                 return(x)
         model = ConvModel().to(device)
         loss = nn.CrossEntropyLoss()
         optimizer = optim.RMSprop(model.parameters(), lr=0.001, weight decay=0.01)
         metrics = train(model, train loader, test loader, loss, optimizer, training
           Epoch 0 @ step 0: Train Loss: 0.004280, Train Accuracy: 0.000125
           Epoch 0 @ step 1000: Train Loss: 1.814721, Train Accuracy: 0.340000
           Epoch 0 @ step 2000: Train Loss: 1.579486, Train Accuracy: 0.424500
           Epoch 0 @ step 3000: Train Loss: 1.523278, Train Accuracy: 0.447625
           Epoch 0 @ step 4000: Train Loss: 1.469823, Train Accuracy: 0.463625
           Epoch 0 @ step 5000: Train Loss: 1.431902, Train Accuracy: 0.481125
           Epoch 0 @ step 6000: Train Loss: 1.392955, Train Accuracy: 0.503750
         Epoch 0 Test Loss: 1.453382, Test Accuracy: 0.473600, time: 23.8s
           Epoch 1 @ step 7000: Train Loss: 1.395619, Train Accuracy: 0.489875
           Epoch 1 @ step 8000: Train Loss: 1.374484, Train Accuracy: 0.499000
           Epoch 1 @ step 9000: Train Loss: 1.377012, Train Accuracy: 0.507250
           Epoch 1 @ step 10000: Train Loss: 1.353213, Train Accuracy: 0.512000
           Epoch 1 @ step 11000: Train Loss: 1.340086, Train Accuracy: 0.514000
           Epoch 1 @ step 12000: Train Loss: 1.364718, Train Accuracy: 0.504375
         Epoch 1 Test Loss: 1.392499, Test Accuracy: 0.485300, time: 24.3s
           Epoch 2 @ step 13000: Train Loss: 1.333992, Train Accuracy: 0.526625
           Epoch 2 @ step 14000: Train Loss: 1.324994, Train Accuracy: 0.522375
           Epoch 2 @ step 15000: Train Loss: 1.328469, Train Accuracy: 0.519250
           Epoch 2 @ step 16000: Train Loss: 1.328187, Train Accuracy: 0.520750
           Epoch 2 @ step 17000: Train Loss: 1.327326, Train Accuracy: 0.521500
           Epoch 2 @ step 18000: Train Loss: 1.308332, Train Accuracy: 0.528625
         Epoch 2 Test Loss: 1.273093, Test Accuracy: 0.551600, time: 23.7s
           Epoch 3 @ step 19000: Train Loss: 1.285880, Train Accuracy: 0.537375
           Epoch 3 @ step 20000: Train Loss: 1.290305, Train Accuracy: 0.532125
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Epoch 3 @ step 21000: Train Loss: 1.281676, Train Accuracy: 0.546875
Epoch 3 @ step 22000: Train Loss: 1.292151, Train Accuracy: 0.538250
Epoch 3 @ step 23000: Train Loss: 1.294391, Train Accuracy: 0.534250
Epoch 3 @ step 24000: Train Loss: 1.302860, Train Accuracy: 0.532375
Epoch 3 Test Loss: 1.235892, Test Accuracy: 0.549600, time: 25.8s
Epoch 4 @ step 25000: Train Loss: 1.290988, Train Accuracy: 0.534125
Epoch 4 @ step 26000: Train Loss: 1.269605, Train Accuracy: 0.534625
Epoch 4 @ step 27000: Train Loss: 1.296589, Train Accuracy: 0.538375
Epoch 4 @ step 28000: Train Loss: 1.255024, Train Accuracy: 0.551250
Epoch 4 @ step 29000: Train Loss: 1.269300, Train Accuracy: 0.538875
Epoch 4 @ step 30000: Train Loss: 1.285277, Train Accuracy: 0.537625
Epoch 4 @ step 31000: Train Loss: 1.267735, Train Accuracy: 0.545875
Epoch 4 Test Loss: 1.225984, Test Accuracy: 0.558800, time: 24.9s
Final Test Loss: 1.225984, Test Accuracy: 0.558800, Total time: 122.4s
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In [12]: plot_graphs("ConvModel", metrics)





Do you notice the improvement over the accuracy compared to that in Part 1?

Yes, there is around 17% improvement due to the more complex network having convolution.

Part 3 Open Design Competition (35 Points + 10 bonus points)

Try to beat the previous models by adding additional layers, changing parameters, etc. You should add at least one layer.

Possible changes include:

- Dropout
- · Batch Normalization
- More layers
- Residual Connections (harder)
- · Change layer size
- · Pooling layers, stride
- · Different optimizer
- · Train for longer

Once you have a model you think is great, evaluate it against our hidden test data (see hidden_loader above) and upload the results to the leader board on gradescope. **The top 3** scorers will get a bonus 10 points.

You can steal model structures found on the internet if you want. The only constraint is that **you must train the model from scratch**.

```
In [5]: import torch.nn as nn
        import torch.nn.functional as F
        import torchvision.transforms as transforms
        import torchvision
        import torch.backends.cudnn as cudnn
        import torch.optim as optim
        device = 'cuda' if torch.cuda.is available() else 'cpu'
        import os
        import sys
        import time
        import math
        import numpy as np
        import torch.nn.init as init
        class Bottleneck(nn.Module):
            def init (self, last planes, in planes, out planes, dense depth, str
                super(Bottleneck, self).__init__()
                self.out planes = out planes
                self.dense_depth = dense_depth
                self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(last_planes, in_planes, kernel_size=1, bias=
                self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(in planes)
                self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(in planes, in planes, kernel size=3, stride=
                self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(in_planes)
                self.conv3 = nn.Conv2d(in planes, out planes+dense depth, kernel si
                self.bn3 = nn.BatchNorm2d(out planes+dense depth)
                self.shortcut = nn.Sequential()
                if first layer:
                    self.shortcut = nn.Sequential(
                        nn.Conv2d(last planes, out planes+dense depth, kernel size=
                        nn.BatchNorm2d(out planes+dense depth)
                    )
            def forward(self, x):
                out = F.relu(self.bn1(self.conv1(x)))
                out = F.relu(self.bn2(self.conv2(out)))
                out = self.bn3(self.conv3(out))
                x = self.shortcut(x)
                d = self.out planes
                out = torch.cat([x[:,:d,:,:]+out[:,:d,:,:], x[:,d:,:,:], out[:,d:,:
                out = F.relu(out)
                return out
        class AwesomeModel(nn.Module):
            def init (self):
                super(AwesomeModel, self). init ()
                in planes= (96,192,384,768)
                out planes = (256,512,1024,2048)
                num blocks = (3,4,20,3)
                dense depth = (16,32,24,128)
                self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 64, kernel size=3, stride=1, padding=1, b
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self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(64)
        self.last planes = 64
        self.layer1 = self. make layer(in planes[0], out planes[0], num blo
        self.layer2 = self. make layer(in planes[1], out planes[1], num blo
        self.layer3 = self._make_layer(in_planes[2], out_planes[2], num_blc
        self.layer4 = self. make_layer(in_planes[3], out_planes[3], num_blc
        self.linear = nn.Linear(out planes[3]+(num blocks[3]+1)*dense depth
   def make layer(self, in planes, out planes, num blocks, dense depth, s
        strides = [stride] + [1]*(num blocks-1)
        layers = []
        for i,stride in enumerate(strides):
            layers.append(Bottleneck(self.last planes, in planes, out plane
            self.last_planes = out_planes + (i+2) * dense_depth
        return nn.Sequential(*layers)
   def forward(self, x):
        out = F.relu(self.bn1(self.conv1(x)))
        out = self.layer1(out)
        out = self.layer2(out)
        out = self.layer3(out)
        out = self.layer4(out)
        out = F.avg pool2d(out, 4)
        out = out.view(out.size(0), -1)
        out = self.linear(out)
        return out
best acc = 0 # best test accuracy
start epoch = 0 # start from epoch 0 or last checkpoint epoch
# Data
print('==> Preparing data..')
transform train = transforms.Compose([
   transforms.RandomCrop(32, padding=4),
   transforms.RandomHorizontalFlip(),
   transforms.ToTensor(),
   transforms.Normalize((0.4914, 0.4822, 0.4465), (0.2023, 0.1994, 0.2010)
])
transform test = transforms.Compose([
   transforms.ToTensor(),
   transforms.Normalize((0.4914, 0.4822, 0.4465), (0.2023, 0.1994, 0.2010)
])
batch size = 64
trainset = torchvision.datasets.CIFAR10(root='./data', train=True, download
trainloader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(trainset, batch size=batch size,
testset = torchvision.datasets.CIFAR10(root='./data', train=False, download
testloader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(testset, batch size=batch size, sh
# Model
print('==> Building model..')
model = AwesomeModel()
model = model.to(device)
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if device == 'cuda':
    model = torch.nn.DataParallel(model)
    cudnn.benchmark = True

criterion = nn.CrossEntropyLoss()
optimizer = optim.SGD(model.parameters(), lr=0.01, momentum=0.9, weight_dec

if False:
    # Load checkpoint.
    print('==> Resuming from checkpoint..')
    checkpoint = torch.load('./ckpt.t7')
    model.load_state_dict(checkpoint['model'])
    best_acc = checkpoint['acc']
    start_epoch = checkpoint['epoch']

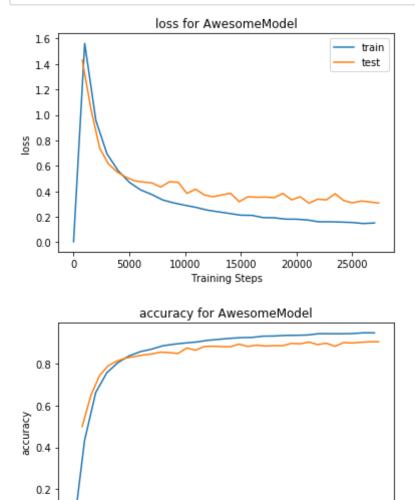
training_epochs = 35
metrics = train(model, trainloader, testloader, criterion, optimizer, train
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Epoch 24 @ step 19000: Train Loss: 0.181935, Train Accuracy: 0.936438 Epoch 24 Test Loss: 0.333184, Test Accuracy: 0.898189, time: 464.1s Epoch 25 @ step 20000: Train Loss: 0.181344, Train Accuracy: 0.936906 Epoch 25 Test Loss: 0.357318, Test Accuracy: 0.896298, time: 463.7s Epoch 26 @ step 21000: Train Loss: 0.174920, Train Accuracy: 0.938438 Epoch 26 Test Loss: 0.307053, Test Accuracy: 0.904658, time: 464.3s Epoch 27 Test Loss: 0.338248, Test Accuracy: 0.892416, time: 464.0s Epoch 28 @ step 22000: Train Loss: 0.160740, Train Accuracy: 0.944594 Epoch 28 Test Loss: 0.333181, Test Accuracy: 0.898786, time: 464.1s Epoch 29 @ step 23000: Train Loss: 0.161144, Train Accuracy: 0.944609 Epoch 29 Test Loss: 0.380991, Test Accuracy: 0.884256, time: 463.8s Epoch 30 @ step 24000: Train Loss: 0.158781, Train Accuracy: 0.944266 Epoch 30 Test Loss: 0.327186, Test Accuracy: 0.902369, time: 463.8s Epoch 31 @ step 25000: Train Loss: 0.155592, Train Accuracy: 0.945156 Epoch 31 Test Loss: 0.309503, Test Accuracy: 0.899980, time: 464.0s Epoch 32 Test Loss: 0.324250, Test Accuracy: 0.903662, time: 463.8s Epoch 33 @ step 26000: Train Loss: 0.147245, Train Accuracy: 0.948938 Epoch 33 Test Loss: 0.316644, Test Accuracy: 0.906250, time: 463.6s Epoch 34 @ step 27000: Train Loss: 0.151895, Train Accuracy: 0.948641 Epoch 34 Test Loss: 0.307930. Test Accuracy: 0.905852. time: 463.5s

What changes did you make to improve your model?

Data Normalization, running for more Epochs(~140), pickeling(saving) the model every time the produces accuracy which is more than the current best result. Using Stochastic Gradient Descent as optimizer. In terms of the network I added more layers, batch 2d normalization, and average pooling.

In [6]: plot_graphs("AwesomeModel", metrics)



After you get a nice model, download the test_file.zip and unzip it to get test_file.pt. In colab, you can explore your files from the left side bar. You can also download the files to your machine from there.

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train test

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Training Steps

In [7]:

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!unzip test file.zip
--2019-04-29 23:42:22-- http://courses.engr.illinois.edu/cs498aml/sp201
9/homeworks/test_file.zip (http://courses.engr.illinois.edu/cs498aml/sp20
19/homeworks/test file.zip)
Resolving courses.engr.illinois.edu (courses.engr.illinois.edu)... 130.12
6.151.9
Connecting to courses.engr.illinois.edu (courses.engr.illinois.edu) | 130.1
26.151.9 :80... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 301 Moved Permanently
Location: https://courses.engr.illinois.edu/cs498aml/sp2019/homeworks/tes
t file.zip (https://courses.engr.illinois.edu/cs498aml/sp2019/homeworks/t
est file.zip) [following]
--2019-04-29 23:42:22-- https://courses.engr.illinois.edu/cs498aml/sp201
9/homeworks/test file.zip (https://courses.engr.illinois.edu/cs498aml/sp2
019/homeworks/test file.zip)
Connecting to courses.engr.illinois.edu (courses.engr.illinois.edu) | 130.1
26.151.9 : 443... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 3841776 (3.7M) [application/x-zip-compressed]
Saving to: 'test file.zip'
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test file.zip
                   3s
2019-04-29 23:42:23 (13.0 MB/s) - 'test file.zip' saved [3841776/3841776]
Archive: test file.zip
  inflating: test_file.pt
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!wget http://courses.engr.illinois.edu/cs498aml/sp2019/homeworks/test file.

Then use your model to predict the label of the test images. Fill the remaining code below, where x has two dimensions (batch_size x one image size). Remember to reshpe x accordingly before feeding it into your model. The submission.txt should contain one predicted label (0~9) each line. Submit your submission.txt to the competition in gradscope.

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In [8]: import torch.utils.data as Data
        test_file = './test_file.pt'
        pred_file = './submission.txt'
        f_pred = open(pred_file,'w')
        tensor = torch.load(test_file)
        torch dataset = Data.TensorDataset(tensor)
        test_loader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(torch_dataset, 64, shuffle=False,
        for ele in test_loader:
            x = ele[0]
            for image in x:
              image = image.reshape((1, 3, 32, 32))
              image = image.to(device)
              prediction = model(image)
              _, predicted = torch.max(prediction, dim=1)
              predicted = predicted.tolist()[0]
              f_pred.write(str(predicted))
              f pred.write('\n')
        f pred.close()
        print('Done!')
```

Done!

Report

Part 0: Imports and Basic Setup (5 Points)

Nothing to report for this part. You will be just scored for finishing the setup.

Part 1: Fully connected neural networks (25 Points)

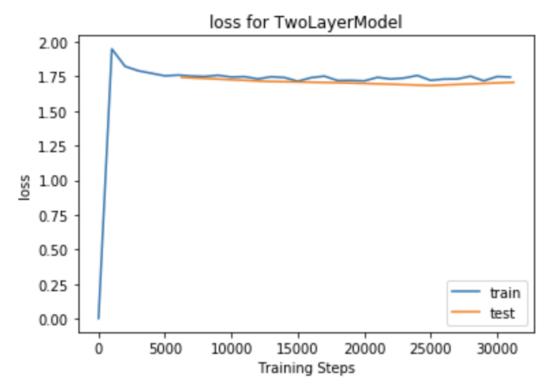
Test (on validation set) accuracy (5 Points):0.393000

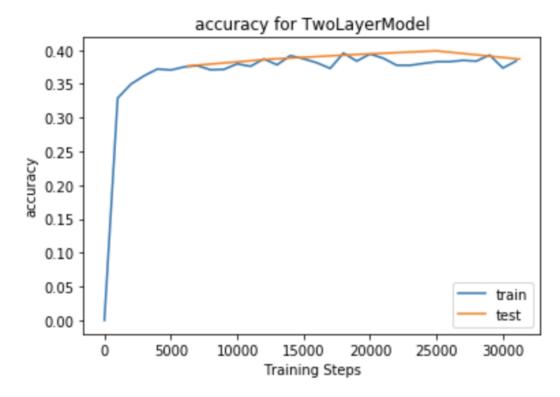
Test loss (5 Points):1.710990

Training time (5 Points):84.4s/epoch

Plots:

• For both accuracy and loss plots on validation set vs training steps please see above or:





Part 2: Convolution Network (Basic) (35 Points)

Tensor dimensions: A good way to debug your network for size mismatches is to print the dimension of output after every layers:

(10 Points)

Output dimension after 1st conv layer: tensor with size [8, 16, 32, 32]

Output dimension after 1st max pooling: tensor with size [8, 16, 16, 16]

Output dimension after 2nd conv layer: tensor with size [8, 16, 32, 32]

Output dimension after flatten layer: tensor with size [8, 4096]

Output dimension after 1st fully connected layer: [8, 64]

Output dimension after 2nd fully connected layer: [8, 10]

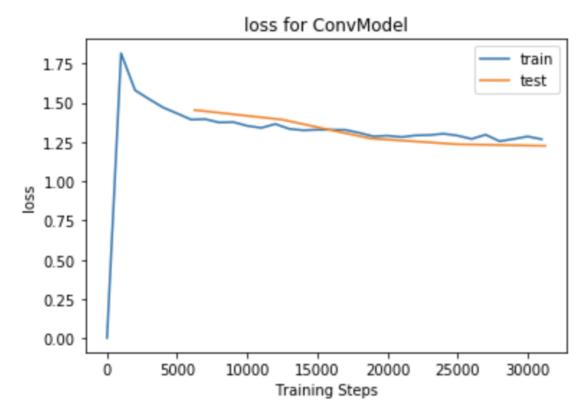
Test (on validation set) Accuracy (5 Points):0.544800

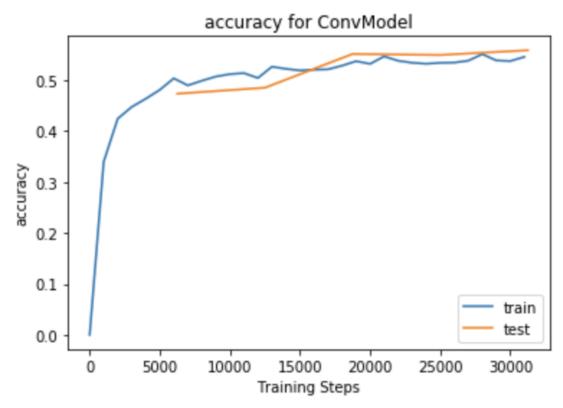
Test loss (5 Points):1.254007

Training time (5 Points):123.2s/epoch

Plots:

• For both accuracy and loss plots on validation set vs training steps please see above or:





Part 3: Convolution Network (Add one or more suggested changes) (35 Points)

Describe the additional changes implemented, your intuition for as to why it works, you may also describe other approaches you experimented with (10 Points):

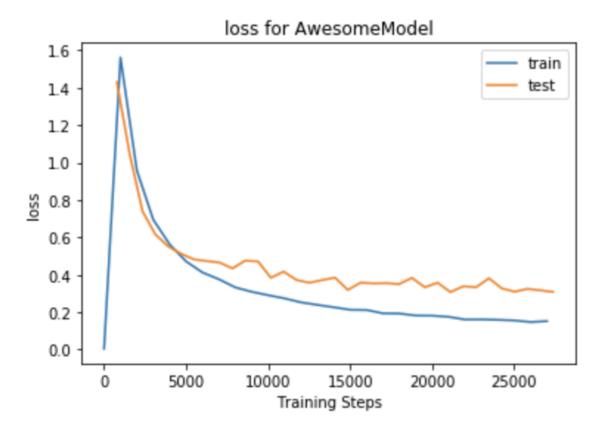
Test (on validation set) Accuracy (5 Points): 86.6%. Leader board name: yan

Test loss (5 Points):0.308

Training time (5 Points):463s/epoch Trained more than 140 epochs with model checkpoint saving.

Plots:

• For both accuracy and loss plots on validation set vs training steps please see above or:





10 bonus points will be awarded to top 3 scorers on leaderboard (in case of tie for 3rd position everyone tied for 3rd position will get the bonus)

On the following screenshot you can see the training including checkpoint saving the model in t7 format. This helped a lot in case of Google Colab resets my session:)



In [0]: