Design and Acceleration of Machine-Learning back-ends on modern **Architectures**

Background and Goals

MagmaDNN

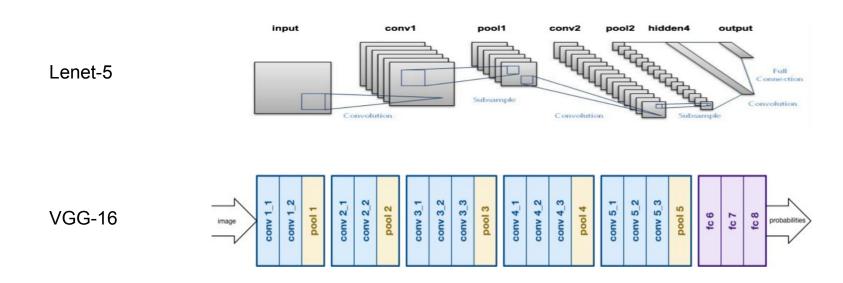
Neural network framework implemented with MAGMA.

Goals

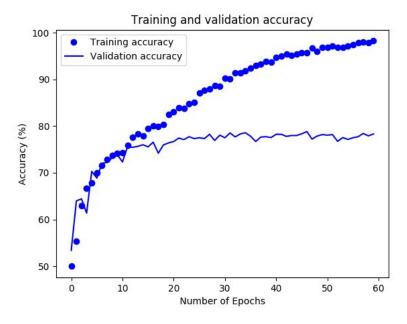
- Implement various neural networks using common tools (Keras).
- Discover performance bottlenecks.
- Implement a chosen network in MagmaDNN and compare the results.

Current Work and Findings

Implemented two CNN architectures testing on variety of Image benchmarks.



Current Work and Findings



Lenet-5 Dog/ Cat Images

Datasets Used:

MNIST

Dog/Cats

CIFAR-10

ImageNet subset

General Problem:

Model is overfitting





Current Work and Findings

Causes

- To much noise.
- Not Enough data.
- Size of the image matters.

Potential Solutions

- Data augmentation / pre processing
- Regularization
- Tune hyperparameters







Future Work

Implement a Network that performs well on ImageNet subset benchmark.

Implement the same network within MagmaDNN.

Compare results in terms of accuracy/ loss and time to train.

Looking into parameter tuning applications such as OpenTuner.