# Logic-based verification and explanation of NNs 

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# How to train your verifiable Binarized NNs? 

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## Outline

- Introduction
- Logic-based analysis of NNs
- Scalability of verification techniques
- Analysis of bottlenecks
- Experimental evaluation
- Conclusions


## Introduction

## ML models



## Verification of ML models



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## Verification of NNs

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Neural Network

$$
y=N N(x)
$$

## Verification of NNs



## Verification of Binarized NNs



Why are BNNs important?

## Why BNNs?

Binarized neural networks: Training deep neural networks with weights and activations constrained to+ 1 or- 1
M Courbariaux, I Hubara, D Soudry, R El-Yaniv... - arXiv preprint arXiv ..., 2016 - arxiv.org We introduce a method to train Binarized Neural Networks (BNNs)-neural networks with binary weights and activations at run-time. At training-time the binary weights and activations are used for computing the parameters gradients. During the forward pass, BNNs drastically ... ) 20 Cited by 925 Related articles All 9 versions 00

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Xnor-net: Imagenet classification using binary convolutional neural networks M Rastegari, V Ordonez, J Redmon... - European Conference on ..., 2016 - Springer

Because, at inference we only perform forward propagation with the binarized weights ... Similar to binarization in the forward pass, we can binarize $\backslash\left(\mathrm{g}^{\wedge}\{\mathrm{in}\} \backslash\right)$ in the backward pass ... Our binarization technique is general, we can use any CNN architecture ..
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## Compactness

- Only 1 bit per weight, $\{-1,1\}$
- Can be deployed on embedded devices


## Inference efficiency

- fast binary matrix multiplication (7X speed up on GPU)
- "Accelerating Binarized Neural Networks: Comparison of FPGA, CPU, GPU, and ASIC" IEEE’2016

Structure of BNNs

## Binarized Neural Networks



Binarized Neural Networks: Training Deep Neural Networks with Weights and Activations Constrained to +1 or -1 Matthieu Courbariaux, Itay Hubara, Daniel Soudry, Ran El-Yaniv, Yoshua Bengio

## Binarized Neural Networks



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## Binarized Neural Networks



## BNNs and Logic reasoning

## BNNs and Logic

$\xrightarrow{x} \mathrm{BNN} \xrightarrow{y}$

## BNNs and Logic



$$
\mathbb{1}
$$

$$
S A T(y=B N N(x))
$$

## BNNs and Logic



$$
\operatorname{SAT}(y=B N N(x))
$$

## BNNs and Logic

$$
S A T(y=B N N(x))
$$

## BNNs and Logic

$$
\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{BinBNN}(x, y) & := \\
\operatorname{SAT}(y & =\operatorname{BNN}(x))
\end{aligned}
$$

## Logic-based analysis of BNNs

Verification

## Explainability

Learning

## Logic-based analysis of BNNs

- Properties verification using SAT solvers
- Quantitative reasoning using approximate methods
- Knowledge compilation, e.g. BDD, SDD
- Learning a network using optimization techniques


## Verification

Nina Narodytska, Shiva Prasad Kasiviswanathan, Leonid Ryzhyk, Mooly Sagiv, and Toby Walsh.
Verifying properties of binarized deep neural networks AAAI'18
Elias B. Khalil, Amrita Gupta, Bistra Dilkina:
Combinatorial Attacks on Binarized Neural Networks ICLR'19

## Verification

$$
\operatorname{pre}(x) \wedge y=B N N(x) \Rightarrow \operatorname{post}(y)
$$

## Verification

$$
\operatorname{pre}(x) \wedge \operatorname{Bin} B N N(x, y) \Rightarrow \operatorname{post}(y)
$$

## Verification

$$
\left(x_{1}=0\right) \wedge \operatorname{Bin} B N N(x, y) \Rightarrow\left(y_{1}=0\right)
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SAT

## Explainability

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The Challenge of Crafting Intelligible Intelligence

By Daniel S. Weld, Gagan Bansal
Communications of the ACM, June 2019, Vol. 62 No. 6, Pages 70-79
10.1145/3282486

Comments (1)


Artificial Intelligence (ai) systems have reached or exceeded human performance for many circumscribed tasks. As a result, they are increasingly deployed in mission-critical roles, such as credit scoring, predicting if a bail candidate will commit another crime, selecting the news we read on social networks, and selfdriving cars. Unlike other mission-critical software, extraordinarily complex AI systems are difficult to test: AI decisions are context specific and often based on thousands or millions of factors. Typically, AI behaviors are generated by searching vast action spaces or learned by the opaque optimization of mammoth neural networks operating over prodigious amounts of training data. Almost by definition, no clear-cut method can accomplish these AI tasks.

European Union regulations on algorithmic decision-making and a "right to explanation"

Bryce Goodman, ${ }^{1 *}$ Seth Flaxman, ${ }^{2}$

Explainable Artificial Intelligence (XAI)


Program Update November 2017

## Explainability

We summarize the potential impact that the European Union's new General Data Protection Regulation will have on the routine use of machine-learning algorithms. Slated to take effect as law across the European Union in 2018, it will place restrictions on automated individual decision making (that is, algorithms that make decisions based on user-level predictors) that "significantly affect" users. When put into practice, the law may also effectively create a right to explanation, whereby a user can ask for an explanation of an algorithmic decision that significantly affects them. We argue that while this law may pose large challenges for industry, it highlights opportunities for computer scientists to take the lead in designing algorithms and evaluation frameworks that avoid discrimination and enable explanation.

## Explainability



## Explainability

An explanation is a subset of input features so that changes to the rest of inputs do not affect the.

## Explainability

$$
I=\left(x_{1}=0, x_{2}=0\right), y=0
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## Quantitative reasoning

Nina Narodytska, Aditya A. Shrotri, Kuldeep S. Meel, Alexey Ignatiev, João Marques-Silva:
Assessing Heuristic Machine Learning Explanations with Model Counting SAT'19.

Quantitative Verification of Neural Networks And its Security Applications
Teodora Baluta, Shiqi Shen, Shweta Shinde, Kuldeep S. Meel, Prateek Saxena

## Quantitative reasoning

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\left(x_{1}=0\right) \wedge \operatorname{Bin} B N N(x, y) \wedge\left(y_{1} \neq 0\right)
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$$
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Model counting solver

## Knowledge compilation

Verifying Binarized Neural Networks by Local Automaton Learning
Andy Shih and Adnan Darwiche and Arthur Choi

## Knowledge compilation

$\operatorname{BinBNN}(x, y)$

## Knowledge compilation

\(\operatorname{Bin} B N N(x, y) \square \begin{aligned} \& CNf2BDD<br>\& compiler\end{aligned}\)

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## Logic-based analysis of BNNs

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Work with small networks

## Work with small networks

- Properties verification using SAT solvers
- < 200K (robustness with a very small epsilon)
- Quantitative reasoning using approximate methods
- < 51K
- Knowledge compilation, e.g. BDD, SDD
- < 10K


## How can we improve scalability?

## Translation: BNN to SAT

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## Translation: BNN to SAT



$$
t_{i}=\operatorname{sign}\left(\alpha \frac{\left(a_{i, 1} x_{1}+\ldots+a_{i, n} x_{n}+b\right)-m}{\sigma}-\gamma\right)
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\end{aligned}
$$

$$
\text { assuming } \alpha>0
$$

where

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\begin{aligned}
& a_{i, j}=1 \Rightarrow l_{j}=x_{j}, \\
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\left(l_{1}+\ldots+l_{n} \geq k\right) \Leftrightarrow t_{i}=1
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## Translation: BNN to SAT



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Why are BinBNNs hard to solve?

## Birds view: a large formula

$$
\left(\begin{array}{c}
\left(l_{1,1}+\ldots+l_{1, n} \geq k_{1}\right) \Leftrightarrow t_{1}=1 \\
\vdots \\
\left(l_{m, 1}+\ldots+l_{m, n} \geq k_{m}\right) \Leftrightarrow t_{m}=1
\end{array}\right) \wedge\left(\begin{array}{c}
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+ a structure aware solver


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## Macroview: a large formula for a block



## Macroview: a large block

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& \left(l_{2,1}+\ldots+l_{2, n} \geq k_{2}\right) \Leftrightarrow t_{2}=1 \\
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+ a nice shape of a matrix


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## Microview: a large constraint

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$$

## Microview: a large constraint

## $\left(l_{1,1}+\ldots+l_{1, n} \geq k_{1}\right) \Leftrightarrow t_{1}=1$ <br>  <br> Number of variables <br> 

Reification means no propagation!

## Microview: a large constraint

$$
\xlongequal[N \text { Numbercofvarabibes }]{\left(l_{1,1}+\ldots+l_{1, n} \geq k_{1}\right) \leftrightarrow t_{1}=1}
$$

Reification means no propagation!

+ reduce \#vars
+ eliminate reifications

Wish list

## + reduce \#vars

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+ a nice shape of a matrix
+ a structure aware solver


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## BNN parameters and structure are not fixed*

## We can train a BNN so that

## + reduce \#vars

+ eliminate reifications


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## + eliminate reifications

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## Binarized Neural Networks



$$
x, a_{i, j} \in\{-1,1\} \quad b, \alpha, m, \sigma, \gamma, W \in \mathbf{R}
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## Running example

Dataset: MNIST with background
Problem: Untargeted adversarial examples
with $\varepsilon$ in $\{1,3,5,10,15,25\}$
Networks: BNNs with five FC layers

- "Small BNN" with 200K params
- "Large BNN" with 620K params


## Running example

Train: From a pretrain full precision network Inputs: Normalized
Results: average time to solve per $\varepsilon$ out of 100 benchmarks
Solvers: CPLEX, Glucose (PySAT convertor)

## Baseline: verification of original BNNs




## Ternary quantization

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Figure 2: Progression of the weights training in BNN (Hubara et al,, 2016) . As training progresses the weights create three modes: at $-1,0$, and at +1 .

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## Ternary quantization

## Train ternary NN where weights are -1,0,1

## Ternary quantization

1. Train a BNN
2. Build a distribution of absolute values of weights
3. Select a percentile ( $40 \%, 60 \%$ ), $t=0.03$
4. Train a ternary BNN with the two-sided threshold $t$

$$
a_{i, j}= \begin{cases}0 & \text { if }\left|w_{i, j}\right| \leq t \\ \operatorname{sign}\left(w_{i, j}\right) & \text { otherwise }\end{cases}
$$

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## Ternary quantization

|  | Small BNN | Large BNN |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Original BNN | $200 \mathrm{~K}(73.0 \%)$ | $600 \mathrm{~K}(74.0 \%)$ |
| Ternary BNN | $26 \mathrm{~K}(75.2 \%)$ | $40 \mathrm{~K}(78.2 \%)$ |

## Ternary quantization




## L1+Ternary quantization

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## L1+Ternary quantization

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| Ternary BNN | 600K (74.0\%) |  |
| L1 + Ternary BNN | 26 K | $(75.2 \%)$ |
|  | 24 K | (75.3\%) |

## L1 + Ternary BNN




## Stabilization of SIGN

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$$
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\end{aligned}
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$$

## Stabilization of SIGN

Encourage LB and UB of a neurons to take the same sign:

$$
\operatorname{sign}\left(U B_{i, j}\right)=\operatorname{sign}\left(L B_{i, j}\right)
$$

## Stabilization of SIGN

We add a term to the loss function:

$$
\operatorname{sign}\left(U B_{i, j}\right) * \operatorname{sign}\left(L B_{i, j}\right)
$$

## Stabilization of SIGN

## We add a (approximation) term to the loss function:



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## Stabilization of SIGN


$L B_{x}, U B_{x}$

$$
L B_{y}, U B_{y} \quad L B_{z}, U B_{z} \quad L B_{f}, U B_{f} \quad L B_{t}, U B_{t}
$$

## StableSign+Ternary quantization

|  | Small BNN | Large BNN |
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| Original BNN | 200 K (73.0\%) | 600K (74.0\%) |
| Ternary BNN | $26 \mathrm{~K} \quad$ (75.2\%) | $40 \mathrm{~K} \quad$ (78.2\%) |
| StableSign + Ternary BNN | 25K (76.7\%) <br> $\sim 20 \% ~ s t a b l e ~$ | 38K (78.4\%) <br> $\sim 40 \%$ stable |

## StableSign+Ternary quantization




## StableSign+ L1+Ternary quantization

|  | Small BNN | Large BNN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Original BNN | 200K (73.0\%) | 600K (74.0\%) |
| L1 + Ternary BNN | 24K (75.3\%) | 36K (78.4\%) |
| StableSign + L1 + Ternary BNN | 23K (76.6\%) <br> ~20\% stable | 34K (80.4\%) <br> 40\% stable |

## StableSign+ L1+Ternary quantization




## Summary




## Running example

Additional analysis

## Running example: Accuracy

|  | Small BNN | Large BNN |
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| StableSign+L1+Ternary BNN | $76.6 \%$ | $80.0 \%$ |

## Resistance to attacks




## Resistance to attacks (median)

| Models | Large BNN |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | eps = 5 | eps =10 |
| Original BNN | $?$ | $?$ |
| Ternary BNN | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ |
| StableSign+Ternary BNN | $1.2 \%$ | $1.9 \%$ |
| L1+Ternary BNN | $2.7 \%$ | $1.9 \%$ |
| StableSign+L1+Ternary BNN | $7 \%$ | $1.3 \%$ |

## Conclusion

Proposed a method to train a (easier) verifiable BNN.

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- $>10 \mathrm{X}$ reduction in the number of coefficients
- ~3 000000 -> ~50 000 reduction in the \#clauses


## Thanks!

