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1 Introduction

This configuration manual helps the reader in understanding the system setup, system requirements, and specification of the hardware and software used during the research. It explains the steps to be followed to run the research project: Workload prediction for cloud services by using a hybrid neural network model.

2 System configuration

2.1 Hardware Configuration

- Model: HP Pavillion Laptop 14 – dv0xxx
- Processor: Intel(R) Core(TM) i5-1135G7 @ 2.40GHz 2.42 GHz
- Operating System: Windows 10
- RAM: 16.0 GB (15.8 GB usable)
- Hard Disk: 476.94 GB

3 Software Installation

3.1 Python Installation

To implement the proposed model and extract the results, python is used. Python can be downloaded from <https://www.python.org/downloads/>. The required version of python is 3.9.13 and is shown in Figure 1.

```
PS C:\Users\preet\Implementation> python --version
Python 3.9.13
```

Figure 1: Python's Version

3.2 Required Python Libraries

Libraries shown in Figure 2 are imported while implementing the project.

```
1 import numpy as np
2 import sklearn.metrics as metrics
3 import math
4 import random
5 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
6 from statistics import mean
7 import csv
8 import pandas as pd
9 import sys
10 import boto3
11 from botocore.exceptions import ClientError
12 import os
13 from io import StringIO
14 from scipy.signal import savgol_filter
15 import keras
16 from keras.models import Sequential
17 from keras.layers import Dense, Activation
18 from keras.layers import LSTM
19 from sklearn.pipeline import make_pipeline
20 from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
21 from sklearn.svm import SVR
22 import pywt
```

Figure 2: Imported Python libraries in the Project

matplotlib library is used to plot the graphs. Pywt library is responsible for carrying out the wavelet transformation. Scipy library is used to include savgol_filter, to perform smoothing of the input series. Sklearn is used for incorporating the SVR algorithm whereas Tensorflow Keras is used for using the LSTM algorithm in the project implementation.

To install certain required python libraries, below are the commands for Windows operating system:

- python -m pip install -upgrade pip
- python -m pip install matplotlib
- python -m pip install numpy
- python -m pip install pandas
- python -m pip install sklearn
- python -m pip install tensorflow

- python -m pip install pywt
- python -m pip install boto3

4 Implementation and Analysis

4.1 Data Generation and Storage

For the research, synthetic data is generated which includes pseudo-randomness. The proposed model trains this data and predicts the workload for the next time slot. Code for data generation and storage is present in the data_generation.py file and shown in Figure 3. Generated data is stored in the dataset.csv file, which in turn is stored in the S3 bucket so that later on data can be fetched from the S3 Bucket directly.

```

data_generation.py
1 import math
2 import random
3 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
4 from statistics import mean
5 import csv
6 import pandas as pd
7 from helpers.s3_helper import Upload_File
8 from io import StringIO
9 import numpy as np
10
11 #Class to generate the data.
12 class DataGenerator:
13     def __init__(self):
14         self.cpu_load = list()
15
16     #method to generate the data.
17     def Generate_Data(self, t):
18         angle1_measure=0
19         angle2_measure=0
20         angle3_measure=0
21         increment_ang1=math.pi/180
22         increment_ang2=math.pi/25
23         increment_ang3=math.pi/30
24         for i in range(t):
25             #calculating initial functions
26             function1=math.sin(angle1_measure)
27             function2=math.sin(angle2_measure)
28             function3=math.sin(angle3_measure)
29             wave_value=abs(function1+(function2*0.25)*random.random()+(function3*0.08)*random.random())
30             self.cpu_load.append(wave_value)
31             angle1_measure=angle1_measure+increment_ang1
32             angle2_measure=angle2_measure+increment_ang2
33             angle3_measure=angle3_measure+increment_ang3
34
35     #plot the data generated by the system
36     def Create_Plot(self):
37         plt.title('I/p signal')
38         x_time=range(len(self.cpu_load))
39         y_cpuload=self.cpu_load
40         plt.plot(x_time, y_cpuload, label='time-series generated data')
41         plt.legend()
42         plt.xlabel('time (hrs)')
43         plt.ylabel('CPU Load')
44         plt.show()
45
46     #convert the generated data into the csv file and store it into the S3 bucket and locally.
47     def store_data(self):
48         #convert data into a csv file
49         with open('dataset.csv', 'w', newline='') as csvfile:
50             csvwriter = csv.writer(csvfile)
51             csvwriter.writerow([x] for x in self.cpu_load)
52             upload_file=Upload_File()
53
54         #upload the csv file to s3 bucket.
55         if(upload_file.create_bucket('bucket22aa')):
56             isFileUploaded=upload_file.upload_file_directly('bucket22aa', 'dataset.csv', 'dataset.csv')
57             print(isFileUploaded)
58         else:
59             print("error uploading file to S3 Bucket.")
60
61     #reads the file from the S3 Bucket.
62     def read_data(self):
63         upload_file=Upload_File()
64         body = upload_file.read_filecontent('bucket22aa', 'dataset.csv')
65         csv_string = body.read().decode('utf-8')
66         df = pd.read_csv(StringIO(csv_string), header=None)
67         array = np.array(df)
68         return array

```

Figure 3: Data Generation Script

4.2 AWS credentials update

To use the AWS S3 service for the storage of the generated dataset, update the value shown in Figure 4 for the user's AWS account in the .env file. Since visual studio code is

```
.env
1  aws_access_key_id=ASIA...
2  aws_secret_access_key=MA...
3  aws_session_token=IQ...
4  region_name=us-east-1
```

Figure 4: AWS credential's Setting in .env file

used for the development, so, to connect visual studio code to AWS, get credentials file, and update AWS account credentials. Credentials file is shown in Figure 5

```
C: > Users > preet > .aws > credentials
1  [250730627002_MSCCLOUD]
2  aws_access_key_id=ASIA...
3  aws_secret_access_key=Od...
4  aws_session_token=IQ...
```

Figure 5: AWS credential's Setting in Credentials file

Credentials shown in Figure 4 and Figure 5 are token based and they usually expire after some hours, so they need to be updated after expiration.

4.3 Steps to run the project

After installing the prerequisite libraries and setting up the AWS credentials, the user can run the project by using the below command:

- python main.py

when this command is run, data is generated by running the data_generation.py script. The plot of the input signal is shown in Figure 6.

Simple LSTM Model: After synthetic data is generated, simple LSTM is applied to the input signal, and metrics are calculated for that. Code in the lstmmodel.py file is executed for training the processed input signal and the file is shown in Figure 7. The results of running simple LSTM are shown in Figure 8 in the command line.

Proposed model: After generating the synthetic time series and smoothing it using SG filters, it is divided into low and high-frequency components using wavelet transformation, and the code shown in wave_transform.py is executed for that. Code of wave_transform is shown in Figure 9. After that, low-frequency components are trained by the SVR model to predict the next 5 values, while high-frequency components are modeled by LSTM to predict the next 5 values. After this by using inverse wavelet

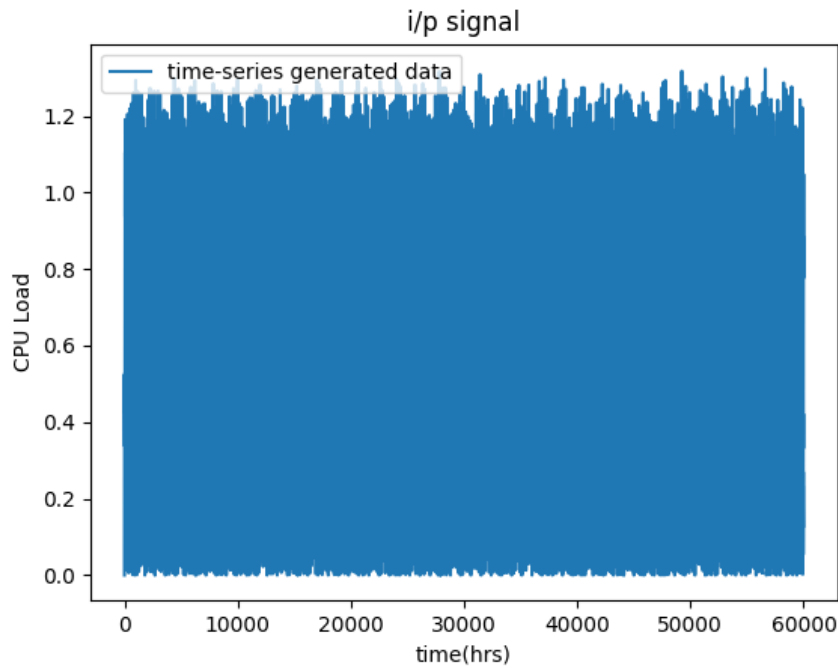


Figure 6: Generated Data

```

Lstmmodel.py
1  import pandas as pd
2  import numpy as np
3  import math
4  import keras
5  from keras.models import Sequential
6  from keras.layers import Dense, Activation
7  from keras.layers import LSTM
8
9  #LSTM model to be applied for the high-frequency components in the input signal.
10 class LSTMModel:
11     #predicts the CPU load value for the test set.
12     def predict(self,trainX, trainY,testX):
13         model = Sequential()
14         trainX = np.reshape(trainX, (trainX.shape[0], trainX.shape[1],1))
15         testX = np.reshape(testX, (testX.shape[0], testX.shape[1],1))
16
17         model.add(LSTM(trainY.shape[1], input_shape=(trainX.shape[1],1)))
18         model.add(Dense(trainY.shape[1],activation='softmax'))
19         model.compile(loss='mean_squared_error', optimizer='adam', metrics=['accuracy'])
20         print(model.summary())
21         model.fit(trainX, trainY, epochs=5, batch_size=37, verbose = 2, shuffle = False)
22         # PREDICTION
23         trainPredict = model.predict(trainX)
24         testPredict = model.predict(testX)
25         return testPredict
26
27

```

Figure 7: LSTM algorithm Script

transformation, high and low-frequency components are combined and predicted 10 values are returned. The proposed model is mentioned in the proposed_model.py file and in Figure 10. The performance metrics are calculated after main.py is run. Results are displayed in the command line for the LSTM+SVR hybrid model and show in Figure 11. Metrics reveal that the LSTM+SVR hybrid model performs better compared to

```

PS C:\Users\preet\Implementation> python main.py
2022-08-10 21:32:45.872311: W tensorflow/stream_executor/platform/default/dso_loader.cc:64] Could not load dynamic library 'cudart64_110.dll'; dlerror: cudart64_110.dll not found
2022-08-10 21:32:45.872742: I tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cudart_stub.cc:29] Ignore above cudart dlerror if you do not have a GPU set up on your machine.
None
2022-08-10 21:32:53.959811: W tensorflow/stream_executor/platform/default/dso_loader.cc:64] Could not load dynamic library 'nvcuda.dll'; dlerror: nvcuda.dll not found
2022-08-10 21:32:53.960389: W tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_driver.cc:269] failed call to cuInit: UNKNOWN ERROR (303)
2022-08-10 21:32:53.962905: I tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_diagnostics.cc:169] retrieving CUDA diagnostic information for host: LAPTOP-NECC9JEH
2022-08-10 21:32:53.963375: I tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_diagnostics.cc:176] hostname: LAPTOP-NECC9JEH
2022-08-10 21:32:53.963924: I tensorflow/core/platform/cpu_feature_guard.cc:193] This TensorFlow binary is optimized with oneAPI Deep Neural Network Library (oneDNN) to use the following CPU in
in performance-critical operations: AVX AVX2
To enable them in other operations, rebuild TensorFlow with the appropriate compiler flags.
Model: "sequential"
-----
Layer (type)                Output Shape                Param #
-----
lstm (LSTM)                  (None, 10)                  480
dense (Dense)                (None, 10)                  110
-----
Total params: 590
Trainable params: 590
Non-trainable params: 0
-----
None
Epoch 1/5
109/109 - 3s - loss: 0.3945 - accuracy: 0.0547 - 3s/epoch - 24ms/step
Epoch 2/5
109/109 - 3s - loss: 0.1034 - accuracy: 0.1063 - 3s/epoch - 24ms/step
Epoch 3/5
109/109 - 2s - loss: 0.0370 - accuracy: 0.1470 - 2s/epoch - 22ms/step
Epoch 4/5
109/109 - 2s - loss: 0.0284 - accuracy: 0.1310 - 2s/epoch - 19ms/step
Epoch 5/5
109/109 - 2s - loss: 0.0246 - accuracy: 0.1410 - 2s/epoch - 16ms/step
125/125 [=====] - 1s 4ms/step
63/63 [=====] - 1s 4ms/step
RMSE of LSTM is 0.022196922852912455
RMSE of LSTM is 0.14898631498870107
R-Squared value of LSTM is 0.784956219754695

```

Figure 8: Output of Simple LSTM model

the simple LSTM model.

```

wave_transform.py
1 import pywt
2 #import pywavelets
3 class Wave_Transform:
4     #divide the single into two components
5     def divide(self, signal):
6         component_lowfreq, component_highfreq=pywt.dwt(signal, 'haar')
7         return component_lowfreq,component_highfreq
8
9     #inverse dwt to regain original signal
10    def combine(self, component_lowfreq, component_highfreq):
11        signal=pywt.idwt(component_lowfreq, component_highfreq, 'haar')
12        return signal

```

Figure 9: Wavelet Transform Script


```

proposed_model.py
1 from datapreprocessing_divide import Divide_Signal
2 from wave_transform import Wave_Transform
3 from svrmodel import SVRModel
4 from lstmmodel import LSTMModel
5 import numpy as np
6 from filter import Smoothing
7
8 #Class to apply the proposed model that consist of wavelet transformation, SVR and LSTM.
9 class Proposed_Model:
10
11     #method that return the predicted 10 values for input 90 values for every row.
12     def predict(self, datarows):
13         #perform wavelet transformation and divide input signal into low and high frequency components
14         ds=Divide_Signal(datarows)
15         ds.split_signals()
16
17         #create svr model object
18         svr= SVRModel(ds.lowfreq_test_x)
19         #finding predictions for low frequency components for the test dataset
20         lowfreq_predictions=svr.predictions_by_svr()
21         #combining test input set with predicted values.
22         lowfreq_combined=np.concatenate((ds.lowfreq_test_x, lowfreq_predictions), axis=1)
23
24         #create LSTM model
25         lstm=LSTMModel()
26         #applying lstm on the high frequency components of test dataset
27         highfreq_predicted=lstm.predict(ds.highfreqcomp_X_train,ds.highfreqcomp_Y_train,ds.highfreqcomp_X_test)
28         #combining predictions with test input set.
29         highfreq_combined=np.concatenate((ds.highfreqcomp_X_test,highfreq_predicted), axis=1)
30
31         #perform inverse wavelet transformation to combine high and low frequency components
32         signal_combine=list()
33         wt=Wave_Transform()
34         for i in range(highfreq_combined.shape[0]):
35             ww=wt.combine(lowfreq_predictions[i], highfreq_predicted[i])
36             signal_combine.append(ww)
37         signal_combine=np.array(signal_combine)
38         #return last ten predicted values for every row.
39         selected_values=signal_combine[:, -10:]
40         smoothing=Smoothing()
41         smoothed_output=smoothing.filter_input(selected_values)
42         return selected_values

```

Figure 10: LSTM+SVR hybrid model Script

```

Model: "sequential_1"
-----
Layer (type)                 Output Shape              Param #
-----
lstm_1 (LSTM)                (None, 5)                 140
dense_1 (Dense)              (None, 5)                 30
-----
Total params: 170
Trainable params: 170
Non-trainable params: 0
-----
None
Epoch 1/5
109/109 - 2s - loss: 7.4948e-04 - accuracy: 0.1940 - 2s/epoch - 17ms/step
Epoch 2/5
109/109 - 1s - loss: 7.3861e-04 - accuracy: 0.2170 - 761ms/epoch - 7ms/step
Epoch 3/5
109/109 - 1s - loss: 7.3191e-04 - accuracy: 0.2265 - 753ms/epoch - 7ms/step
Epoch 4/5
109/109 - 1s - loss: 7.2696e-04 - accuracy: 0.2360 - 736ms/epoch - 7ms/step
Epoch 5/5
109/109 - 1s - loss: 7.2252e-04 - accuracy: 0.2422 - 749ms/epoch - 7ms/step
125/125 [=====] - 1s 2ms/step
63/63 [=====] - 0s 2ms/step
MSE of Proposed Model is 0.011953328008985367
RMSE of Proposed Model is 0.109333127644450771
R-Squared value of Proposed Model is 0.8840300808389097
PS C:\Users\preet\Implementation>

```

Figure 11: Output of LSTM+SVR model