

Solution Approach in Integration of AI Engine into AGL

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What is AGL?

AUTOMOTIVE GRADE LINUX

About

Automotive Grade Linux (AGL) is a collaborative open source project that is bringing together automakers, suppliers and technology companies to build a Linux-based, open software platform for automotive applications that can serve as the de facto industry standard. Adopting a shared platform across the industry reduces fragmentation and allows automakers and suppliers to reuse the same code base, leading to rapid innovation and faster time-to-market for new products.

As a "code first" organization, AGL's goals are to:

- Build a single platform for the entire industry
- Develop 70-80% of the starting point for a production project
- · Reduce fragmentation by combining the best of open source
- Develop an ecosystem of developers, suppliers, expertise all using a single platform

Although initially focused on infotainment, AGL is the only organization planning to address all software in the vehicle: infotainment, instrument cluster, heads-up-display (HUD), telematics/ connected car, advanced driver assistance systems (ADAS), functional safety and autonomous driving.

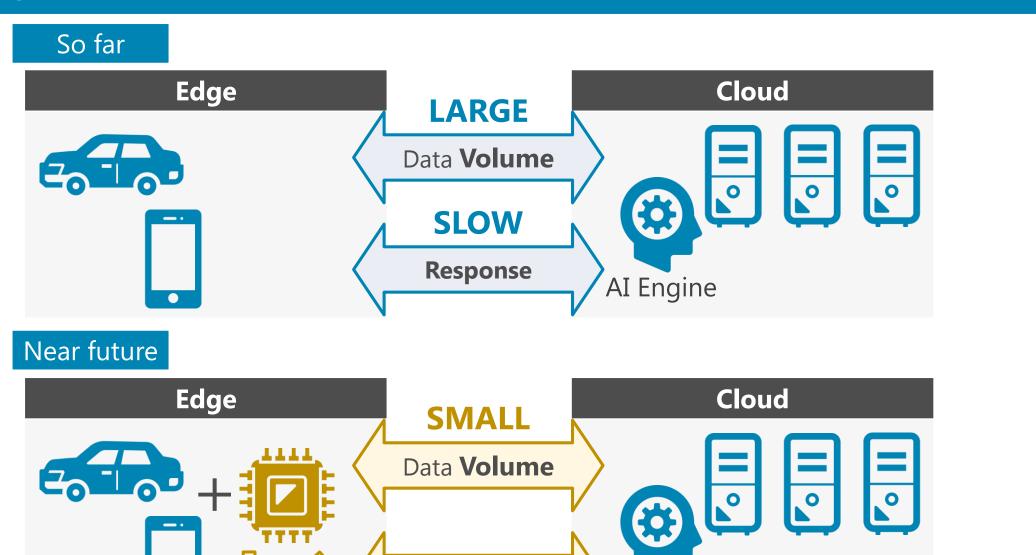
Automotive Grade Linux is a Project at The Linux Foundation.

Ref.

- https://www.automotivelinux.org/about NTT DATA MSE Corporation

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Why Edge AI?



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AI Engine

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Response

Edge AI is spotlighted

More and more Edge AI solutions have been announced

Apr. 2017	e-AI by Renesas Electronics
Jun. 2017	Neural Network Libraries by Sony
Jun. 2017	Embedded Learning Library by Microsoft
Jul. 2017	TensorFlow Lite by Google
Jul. 2017	revision by Xilinx
Sep. 2017	Kirin 970 by HUAWEI
Jan. 2018	Deep Learning Accelerator Card by PFU

Our motivation

- 1. OSS / Rich development environment Easy to try
- 2. Few people addressed Good chance to appeal our technical capabilities
- 3. AGL Member Make collaboration



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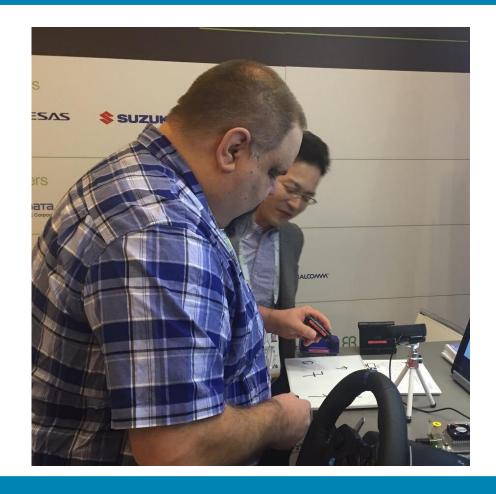
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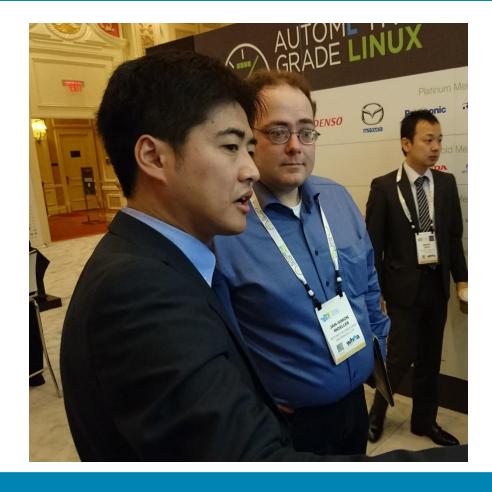


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Feedback at CES 2018





Valuable opinions, Valuable discussions



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Technical Explanation



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Introduction

■ Our team have started AI related activities from October 2017

- There are AI related news almost everyday
- Our interest:
 - ✓ How is the performance of AI on edge devices?
 - ✓ What do we need to learn in order to realize AI on edge devices?
- First Step: Let's use an AI engine on edge devices
- Implemented a demo system "Handwritten Digit Recognition App"

■ In this presentation

- Overview of Machine Learning on edge devices
- How we implemented the "Handwritten Digit Recognition App" on AGL



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What is AI?



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AI, Machine Learning, Deep Learning ...

What are the relations of these terms?

Artificial Intelligence

Computer programs to simulate functions of human's brain such as "cognition", "judgement", etc

Technology to let computers learn rules and knowledge from vast amount of various data such as values, texts, pictures and voice.

Deep Learning

Machine Learning

One of the method to perform machine learning by using neural network to realize high level of abstraction by extracting information from multiple layers one by one.



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Types of AI

Rule-Based

Decision rules are described by human.

Machine Learning

Decision rules are derived from data analysis.

Systems which involve human created rule sets.

(e.g. Expert system)

Supervised Learning

Systems which learn from given labeled training data(=Answers are given from a teacher).

(e.g. Voice/Image Recognition, Stock Price Prediction)

Unsupervised Learning

Systems which learn from given unlabeled training data(=Answers are not given). (e.g. Automatic data classification, Anomaly detection)

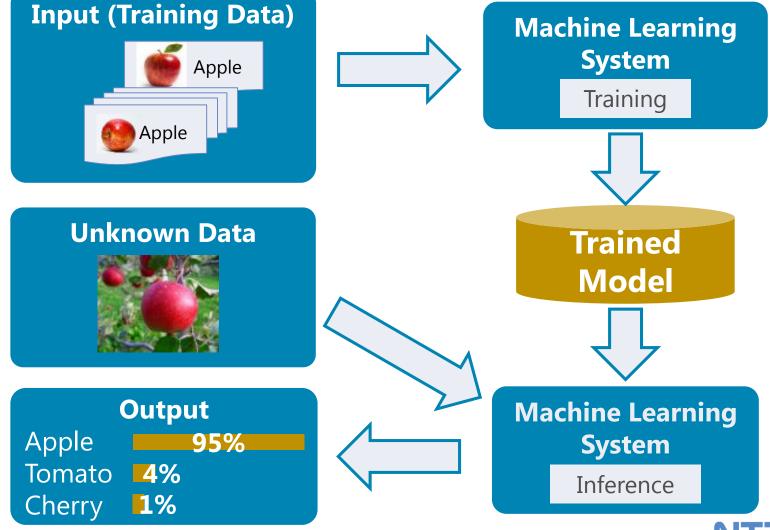
Reinforcement Learning Systems which learn in an environment where only the final result evaluations are given. (e.g. AI-Shogi, AI-Go)



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Machine Learning (Supervised learning)





Prediction

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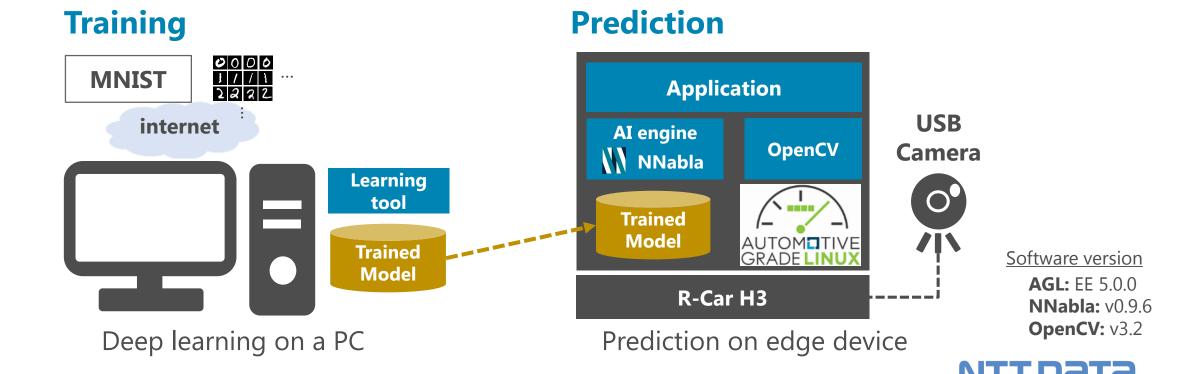
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Demo System: Handwritten Digit Recognition App



System Overview

- Recognizes handwritten digits from an image captured with an USB Camera
- Deployed a pre-trained model to an edge device



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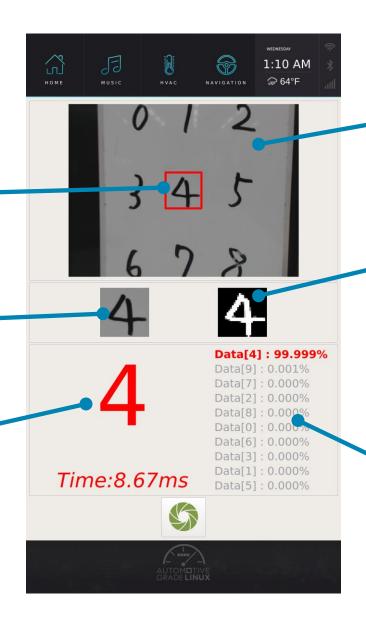
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Application GUI

Recognized Area (100 x 100 pixels)

Cropped image (100 x 100 pixels)

Recognized digit



USB Camera image

Input image to AI Engine (28 x 28 pixels)

Prediction result from AI Engine

(Probability of each digit)



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Neural Network Libraries (NNabla)

Neural Network Libraries https://nnabla.org



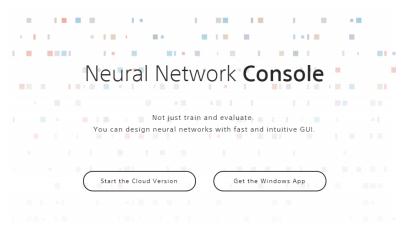
- Deep learning framework.
- Intended to be used for research, development and production.
- Aim to have it running everywhere.
 Deployable to embedded devices.
- Apache License 2.0

Neural Network Console

https://dl.sony.com

- GUI tool for designing neural networks intuitively.
- Many useful functions to support research and development.
- Trained model can be embedded by using Neural Network Libraries.







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Details of the Implementation

Step1: Deep Learning on PC

Step2: Building / Installation

Only for DD **Step3:** Enabling USB webcam

Only for DD **Step4:** Installation of the OpenCV

Step5: App Implementation

Step3 and 4 are not needed if AGL version is 5.0(EE)



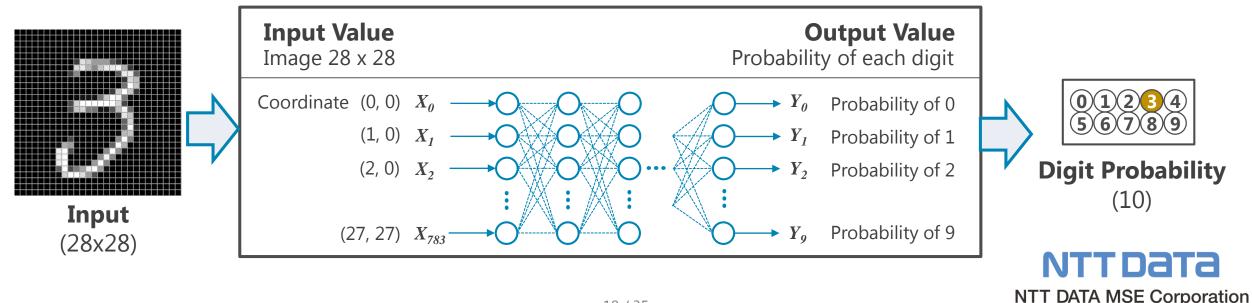
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Step1: Deep Learning on PC

Used one of the examples available at the github

- → mnist-collection/classification.py
 - Downloads and uses MNIST Dataset as training data (60,000 samples of handwritten digits image and label)
- 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

- Uses Convolutional Neural Network
 - Input: 28 x 28 pixels grayscale image
 - Output: Prediction of 10-way classification



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Step1: Deep Learning on PC

Used one of the examples available at the github→ mnist-collection/classification.py

Install the NNabla on a PC

\$ pip install nnabla

Obtain the "mnist-collection"

\$ cd ~/work/sony/
\$ git clone https://github.com/sony/nnabla-examples

Obtain examples

Start training

\$ cd nnabla-examples/mnist-collection
\$ python classification.py
2018-01-30 19:42:37,932 [nnabla][INFO]: Initializing CPU extension...
2018-01-30 19:42:38,437 [nnabla][INFO]: Using DataIterator
2018-01-30 19:42:39,343 [nnabla][INFO]: iter=9 {Training loss}=2.30425691605
2018-01-30 19:42:39,343 [nnabla][INFO]: iter=9 {Training error}=0.8375

....
2018-01-30 19:53:18,056 [nnabla][INFO]: Parameter save (.h5): tmp.monitor/lenet_params_010000.h5

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Step2: Building / Installation

Build NNabla for R-Car H3(ARMv8(64bit))

Install cross SDK on a PC (AGL R-Car ARMv8 toolchain)

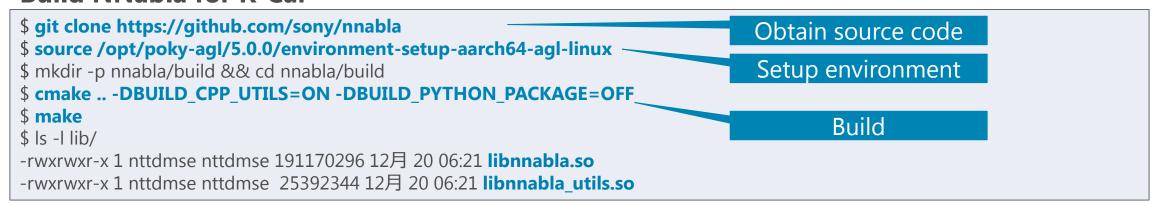
```
$ wget https://download.automotivelinux.org/AGL/release/eel/5.0.0/m3ulcb-nogfx/deploy/sdk/poky-agl-glibc-x86_64-agl-image-ivi-crosssdk-aarch64-toolchain-5.0.0.sh
```

- \$ chmod a+x poky-agl-glibc-x86_64-agl-image-ivi-crosssdk-aarch64-toolchain-5.0.0.sh
- \$./poky-agl-glibc-x86_64-agl-image-ivi-crosssdk-aarch64-toolchain-5.0.0.sh

See also:

http://docs.automotivelinux.org/docs/getting_started/en/dev/reference/source-code.html

Build NNabla for R-Car



See also:

https://nnabla.readthedocs.io/en/latest/cpp/installation.html



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Step2: Building / Installation

Install the built shared libraries of the NNabla and the pretrained model to the target filesystem.

Shared libraries of the NNabla

```
$ export SDCARD=/tmp/agl
$ sudo mount /dev/sdc1 $SDCARD
$ sudo cp libnnabla.so $SDCARD/usr/lib/
$ sudo cp libnnabla_utils.so $SDCARD/usr/lib/

Copy
```

Pre-trained model

```
$ cd ~/work/sony/nnabla/examples/cpp/mnist_runtime
$ NNABLA_EXAMPLES_ROOT=~/work/sony/nnabla-examples python save_nnp_classification.py
$ ls -l lenet_010000.nnp
-rw-rw-r-- 1 nttdmse nttdmse 86920 1月 29 19:16 lenet_010000.nnp

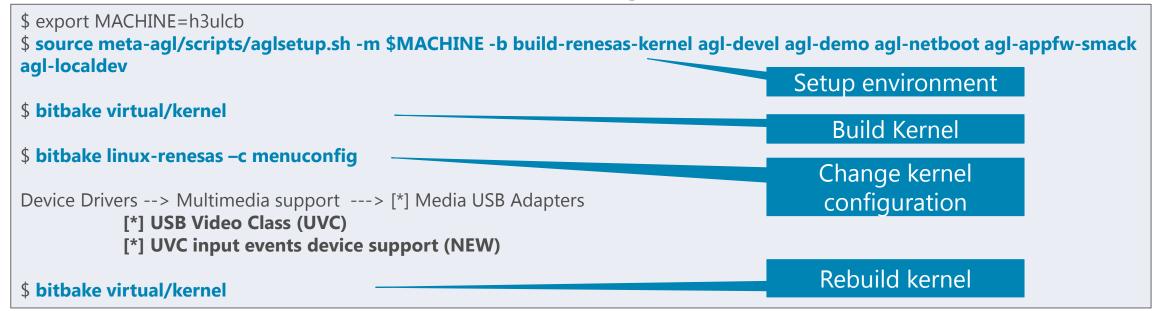
$ sudo cp lenet_010000.nnp $SDCARD/home/data/
$ sync
$ sudo umount $SDCARD
```



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Enable the USB Video Class in order to use USB webcam on R-Car H3.

Enable the UVC (USB Video class) of kernel config



Update kernel image

\$ sudo cp tmp/deploy/images/m3ulcb/Image--4.9.0+git0+098ccf1c9b-r1-m3ulcb-20171116044641.bin SDCARD/boot/Image-4.9.0-yocto-standard

Step4: Installation of the OpenCV

Install the OpenCV to handle camera images

- OpenCV = Open Source Computer Vision Library
- Used for obtaining image from the webcam and pre-process the acquired images before passing them to the NNabla.

Build the OpenCV

```
$ export MACHINE=h3ulcb
$ source meta-agl/scripts/aglsetup.sh -m $MACHINE -b build-opency agl-devel agl-demo agl-netboot agl-appfw-smack agl-localde

$ bitbake opency

Setup environment

Build
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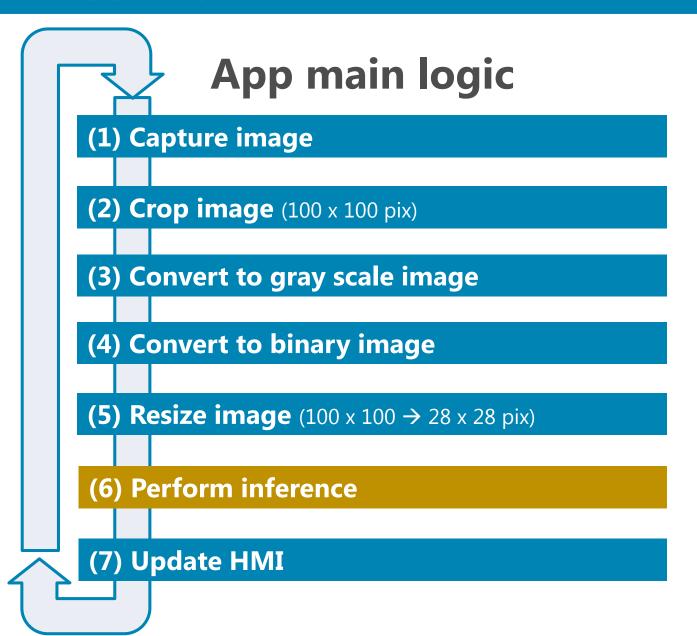
Install built binaries to target filesystem

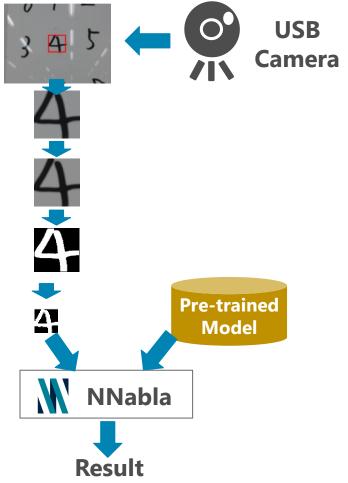
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$ sudo cp -a ./tmp/work/aarch64-agl-linux/opencv/3.2+gitAUTOINC+70bbf17b13-r0/image/* $SDCARD/
$ sudo cp -a ./tmp/work/aarch64-agl-linux/v4l-utils/1.12.3-r0/image/* $SDCARD/
$ sudo cp -a ./tmp/work/aarch64-agl-linux/libwebp/0.6.0-r0/image/* $SDCARD/
$ sync; sudo umount $SDCARD
```



Step5: App Implementation

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Step5: App Implementation(Source Code)

```
// (0) Open Device
cv::VideoCapture cap("/dev/video22", cv::CAP V4L2); // videoN: Set according to the environment. This is R-Car H3 with AGL5.0.0.
// (1) Capture image
cv::Mat frame:
cap >> frame;
// Pre-process image
// (2) Crop video image [100x100pix]
cv::Rect rect(GET VIEW SIZE LEFT, GET VIEW SIZE TOP, GET VIEW SIZE WIDTH, GET VIEW SIZE HEIGHT);
cv::Mat rectImg(frame, rect);
// (3) Convert to gray scale image
cv::Mat grayImg;
cv::cvtColor(rectImg, grayImg, CV_RGB2GRAY);
// (4) Convert to binary image (Invert | Threshold = 127)
cv::Mat binImg;
cv::threshold(grayImg, binImg, 127, 255, cv::THRESH_BINARY_INV);
// (5) Resize image [100x100pix -> 28x28pix]
cv::Mat resizeImg;
cv::resize(binImg, resizeImg, cv::Size(), PGM_WIDTH/grayImg.cols ,PGM_HEIGHT/grayImg.rows);
// Add pgm header
pgmformat((char *)"cap.pgm",resizeImg);
// (6) Perform inference
int prediction = 0;
float score[10] = {};
double elapsed = 0;
const std::string nnp_filepath[] = "/home/data/lenet_010000.nnp";
const std::string pgmImageName[] = "cap.pgm";
prediction = EdgeAiNNblaMnistRuntime(pgmImageName, nnp_filepath, score, &elapsed); // nnabla wrapper API
```

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Experiment Result

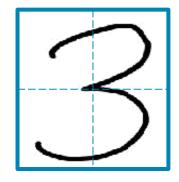


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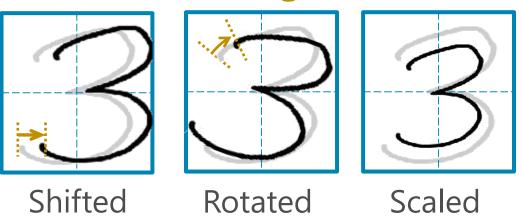
Recognition Result (First Try)

Not possible to recognize digits for the following patterns

Recognized



Not Recognized





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Recognition Result (After improvement)

Used Data Augmentation to improve pre-trained model

- Randomly alters the MNIST digit images when perform training.
 - → scaling, rotation, aspect ratio, distorting, brightness, contrast, add noise
- Updated the pre-trained model on the device.
- Recognition rate has been improved.
 - > Tested with 1,000 cases. (Handwritten digits by our colleague)
 - ➤ Counted as "Recognized" if the probability is larger than 50%

Before After **86.0% 94.8%**(860/1,000) (948/1,000)

■ Improvement of predictions are possible by updating pretrained models

• Delivering up-to-date pre-trained models to devices can provide more accurate prediction results for users.



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Performance

Processing Time

8 ms
Image capture → Pre-processing

2 ms
Inference

*Measured on R-Car H3

Resource Usage

#	Item	Value
1	CPU usage rate	55 %
2	Memory [RSS] usage	80 MB
	Size of the Pre-trained Model	85 KB

*Measured on R-Car H3



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Conclusion



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Summary

■ Explained how we implemented the Handwritten Digit Recognition App

- Performed deep learning on a PC
- Deployed pre-trained model to R-Car H3 board
- Variation of training data set affects inference results
- Updating of pre-trained model can improve inference results

■ It wasn't difficult than expected to take the first step toward using AI engine on AGL

- Implemented the app in 3 weeks
- Please try it!



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Summary

■ Next Step

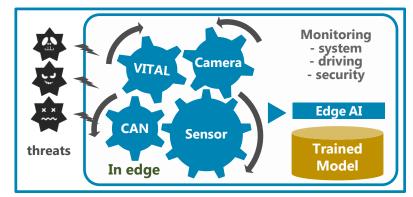
1. Use other types of data for deep learning

- Create own neural network architecture
- Use information other than image available in vehicle

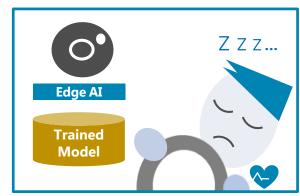
2. Performance improvement

- More complicated neural network architecture causes performance issues
- Utilize GPU to accelerate calculations

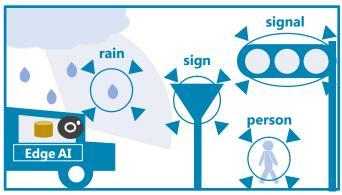
Future use-cases



Use various information of embedded devices

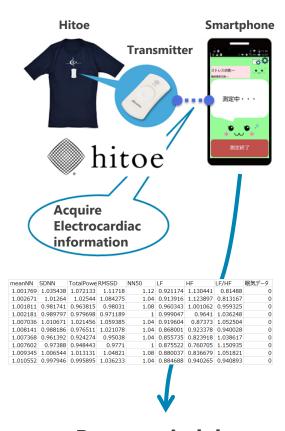


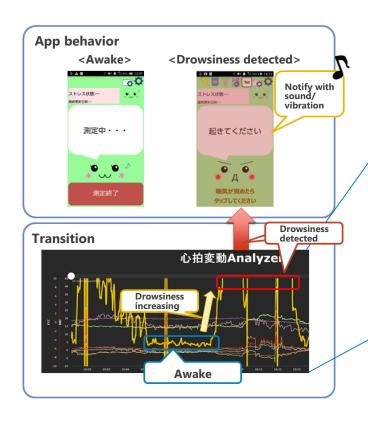
Detect driver's drowsiness

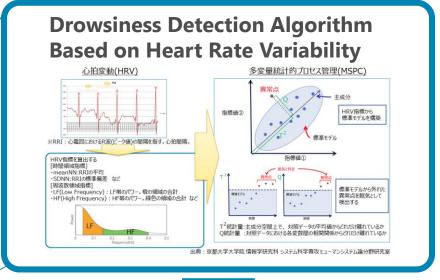


Improvement of autonomous driving technology

Drowsiness Detection







Trial on-going: Replace the algorithm with AI

Prepare vital data





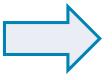
Create data set



- Training data
- Validation data

Training







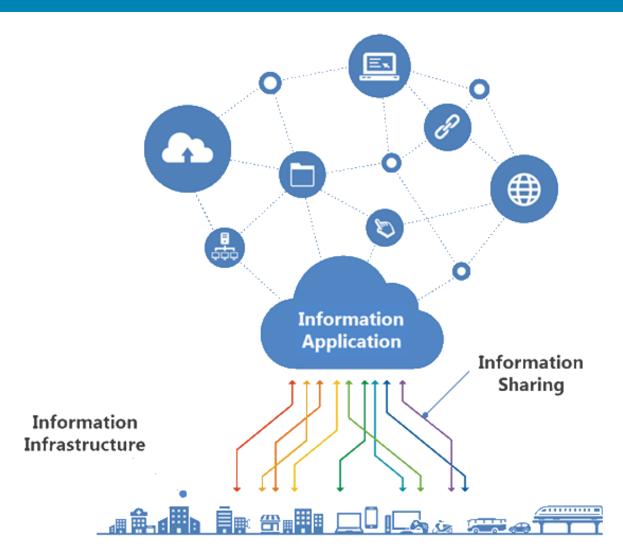
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Questions?



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