

CUDA as the Prerequisite for Tensor Flow

<https://www.tensorflow.org/tutorials/>

1. Find the version of your ubuntu

`uname -m && cat /etc/*release`

or

`lsb_release -a`

```
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14: ~  
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~$ lsb_release -a  
No LSB modules are available.  
Distributor ID: Ubuntu  
Description:    Ubuntu 14.04.5 LTS  
Release:        14.04  
Codename:       trusty  
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~$
```

2. find the graphics card your machine support

`sudo lshw -C video | grep product:`

```
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14: ~  
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~$ sudo lshw -C video | grep product:  
product: Sky Lake Integrated Graphics  
product: GM108M [GeForce 940M]  
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~$
```

Since I have GPU (GeForce 940M), to install CUDA tool kit 8.0, will have to check if the GPU is CUDA capable.

<http://docs.nvidia.com/cuda/cuda-installation-guide-linux/#axzz4VZnqTJ2A>

Run lshw to find out your CPU feature

Ubuntu 14.04 support CUDA tool kit 8.0 :

X86_64 Ubuntu 14.04 kernel: 3.13; gcc: 4.8.2;
glibc: 2.19

For ARMv8 CPU (aarch64) is the same version requirements.

GPU GeForce 940M is CUDA capable (compute capability 5.0, see NVDA website

<https://developer.nvidia.com/cuda-gpus>

If needs GPU driver download:

<http://www.nvidia.com/Download/index.aspx?lang=en-us>

Cuda Compute Capability Explained (1)

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/10961476/what-are-the-differences-between-cuda-compute-capabilities>

Feature Support	Compute Capability						
(Unlisted features are supported for all compute capabilities)	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	2.x	3.0	3.5, 5.0
Atomic functions operating on 32-bit integer values in global memory (Atomic Functions)	No	Yes					
atomicExch() operating on 32-bit floating point values in global memory (atomicExch())							
Atomic functions operating on 32-bit integer values in shared memory (Atomic Functions)	No	Yes					
atomicExch() operating on 32-bit floating point values in shared memory (atomicExch())							
Atomic functions operating on 64-bit integer values in global memory (Atomic Functions)							
Warp vote functions (Warp Vote Functions)							
Double-precision floating-point numbers	No			Yes			

Note: my laptop GeForce 940M, supports 5.0

Cuda Compute Capability Explained (2)

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Feature Support	Compute Capability						
(Unlisted features are supported for all compute capabilities)	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	2.x	3.0	3.5, 5.0
Atomic functions operating on 64-bit integer values in shared memory (Atomic Functions)	No				Yes		
Atomic addition operating on 32-bit floating point values in global and shared memory (atomicAdd())							
__ballot() (Warp Vote Functions)							
__threadfence_system() (Memory Fence Functions)							
__syncthreads_count() , __syncthreads_and() , __syncthreads_or() (Synchronization Functions)							
Surface functions (Surface Functions)							
3D grid of thread blocks							
Unified Memory Programming	No					Yes	
Funnel shift (see reference manual)	No						Yes
Dynamic Parallelism							

CUDA Installation Guide

<http://docs.nvidia.com/cuda/cuda-installation-guide-linux/index.html#axzz4oHtT15GP>

Find ubuntu gcc compiler version:

```
gcc -v
```

Note: the guideline for installation

Verify the system has a CUDA-capable GPU.

Verify the system is running a supported version of Linux.

~~Verify the system has gcc installed.~~

Verify the system has the correct kernel headers and development packages installed

Download the NVIDIA CUDA Toolkit.

Handle conflicting installation methods.

Read more at: <http://docs.nvidia.com/cuda/cuda-installation-guide-linux/index.html#ixzz4oCNBURHX>

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Verify Correct Kernel Header CUDA

<http://docs.nvidia.com/cuda/cuda-installation-guide-linux/index.html#axzz4oHtT15GP>

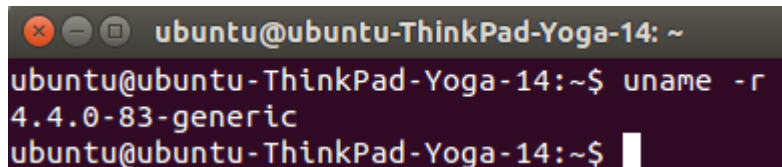
The kernel headers and development packages has to be installed.

1. the Runfile is not good, Runfile installation performs no package validation; 2. the RPM and Deb installations of the driver will make an attempt to install the kernel header;

<http://docs.nvidia.com/cuda/cuda-installation-guide-linux/index.html#ixzz4oHvMk6G3>

2. Find the version of your linux kernel

`uname -r`



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14: ~  
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~$ uname -r  
4.4.0-83-generic  
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~$
```

This is the version of the kernel headers and development packages that must be installed prior to installing the CUDA Drivers.

To install the header and the package:

```
sudo apt-get install linux-headers-$(uname -r)
```

The NVIDIA CUDA Toolkit is available at <http://developer.nvidia.com/cuda-downloads>.

Installation Instructions:

```
`sudo dpkg -i cuda-repo-ubuntu1404-8-0-local-  
ga2_8.0.61-1_amd64.deb`
```

```
`sudo apt-get update`
```

```
`sudo apt-get install cuda`
```

Make sure do download verification:
? ? ?

add CUDA to the PATH

```
export PATH=/usr/local/cuda-8.0/bin$  
{PATH:+:${PATH}}
```

Export PATH and Profiler Installation

PATH is a global OS variable contains names of files to be executed without specifying the whole path. For example You can just write startx to start graphic environment instead of /bin/some other folders/startx

Run `. ~/.profile` for changes to take immediate effect

To add a directory to your \$PATH, follow any one of the below. (example, to add '/usr/hitech/picc/9.82/bin/picc')

simply edit ~/.profile

`gedit ~/.profile`
find the following line:

`PATH="$HOME/bin:$PATH"`

and change it to:

`PATH="$HOME/bin:
$PATH:/usr/hitech/picc/9.82/bin"`

Or run the below command in terminal

`export PATH=$PATH:/usr/hitech/picc/9.82/bin`

```
export PATH=/usr/local/cuda-8.0/bin${PATH:+:${PATH}}
```

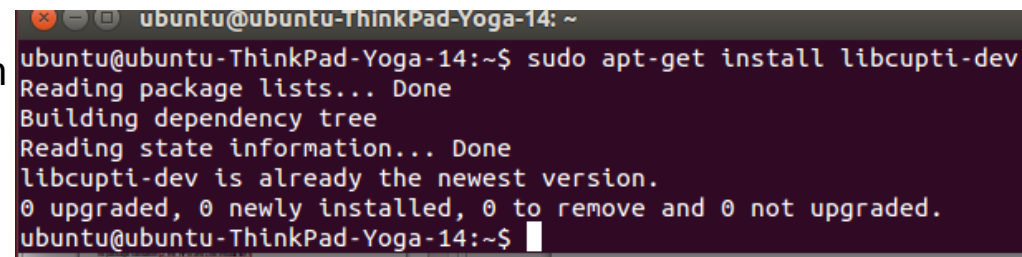
The libcupti-dev library, which is the NVIDIA CUDA Profile Tools Interface. This library provides advanced profiling support. To install this library, issue the following command

https://www.tensorflow.org/install/install_linux

Note: when I did the above for libcupti-dev, I have got a some kind symbolic link error message, after searching google, I did:

```
sudo apt-get update  
sudo apt-get upgrade
```

Then retry install libcupti-dev, the error is gone.



```
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14: ~  
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~$ sudo apt-get install libcupti-dev  
Reading package lists... Done  
Building dependency tree  
Reading state information... Done  
libcupti-dev is already the newest version.  
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 0 not upgraded.  
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~$
```


cuDNN v5.1 Installation

Deep Neural Network library (cuDNN)

cuDNN accelerates widely used deep learning frameworks, including [Caffe](#), [Caffe2](#), [TensorFlow](#), [Theano](#), [Torch](#), and [Microsoft Cognitive Toolkit](#). See [supported frameworks](#) for more details.

theano

Caffe



<https://developer.nvidia.com/rdp/form/cudnn-download-survey>

Step 5. Just Download cuDNN 5.1 [click Here](#) and follow the steps (Tested on Ubuntu 16.04, CUDA toolkit 8.0)

```
$ tar xvzf cudnn-8.0-linux-x64-v5.1-ga.tgz
$ sudo cp -P cuda/include/cudnn.h /usr/local/cuda/include
$ sudo cp -P cuda/lib64/libcudnn* /usr/local/cuda/lib64
$ sudo chmod a+r /usr/local/cuda/include/cudnn.h /usr/local/cuda/lib64/libcudnn*
```

Now set Path variables

```
$ vim ~/.bashrc
```

```
export LD_LIBRARY_PATH="$LD_LIBRARY_PATH:/usr/local/cuda/lib64:/usr/local/cuda/extras/CUPTI/lib64"
export CUDA_HOME=/usr/local/cuda
```

and done

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/41991101/importerror-libcudnn-when-running-a-tensorflow-program>

Tensor Flow Installation on Ubuntu 14.04

<https://www.tensorflow.org/tutorials/>

After all the prerequisite, now follow the tensor flow installation recommendation, go with virtualenv installation for isolated python environment. 5 Steps from the tensor flow tutorial:
Step 1: `sudo apt-get install python3-pip python3-dev python-virtualenv`

Step 2: `virtualenv --system-site-packages -p python3 ~/tensorflow`

Step 3: `$source ~/tensorflow/bin/activate` # bash, sh, ksh, or zsh (note, you can use the following for your choice:
`$ source ~/tensorflow/bin/activate.csh` # csh or tcsh) if it is successful, then The preceding source command should change your prompt to the following:
(tensorflow)\$

```
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14: ~/tensorflow
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/tensorflow$ ls
bin  include  lib
ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/tensorflow$ source ~/tensorflow/bin/activate
(tensorflow)ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/tensorflow$ ls
bin  include  lib
(tensorflow)ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/tensorflow$
```

Note: check your python version

`$python --version`

```
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(tensorflow)ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/tensorflow$ python --version
Python 3.4.3
(tensorflow)ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/tensorflow$
```

Step 4: `pip3 install --upgrade tensorflow-gpu`
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`pip install --upgrade pip`
`pip install --upgrade tensorflow`

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5.1 click [Here](#) and follow the steps (Tested on Ubuntu 16.04, CUDA toolkit 8.0)

Note: see cuDNN installation slide.

I have had an error after installation of Tensorflow, "ImportError: libcudnn.Version: cannot open shared object file: No such file or director", after reinstall cuDNN, the error is gone.

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Activate and Deactivate Tensor Flow

To activate:

```
$ source ~/tensorflow/bin/activate      # bash, sh, ksh, or zsh  
$ source ~/tensorflow/bin/activate.csh  # csh or tcsh
```

To deactivate:

```
$deactivate
```

Your prompt will become the following to indicate that your tensorflow environment is active:

```
(tensorflow)$
```

Tensor Flow Lecture Notes 1

https://www.tensorflow.org/get_started/get_started

Define Tensor:

Two rows and
3 columns

```
3 # a rank 0 tensor; this is a scalar with shape []  
[1., 2., 3.] # a rank 1 tensor; this is a vector with shape [3]  
[[1., 2., 3.], [4., 5., 6.]] # a rank 2 tensor; a matrix with shape [2, 3]  
[[[1., 2., 3.]], [[7., 8., 9.]]] # a rank 3 tensor with shape [2, 1, 3]
```



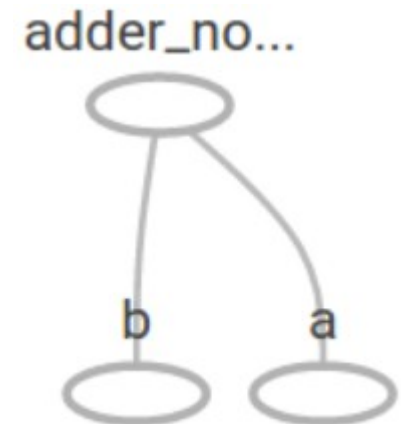
Import Tensorflow

The canonical import statement for TensorFlow programs:

```
import tensorflow as tf
```

This gives Python access to all of TensorFlow's classes, methods, and symbols.

A computational graph is a series of TensorFlow operations arranged into a graph of nodes.



Create 2 floating point Tensors node1 and node2 as follows:

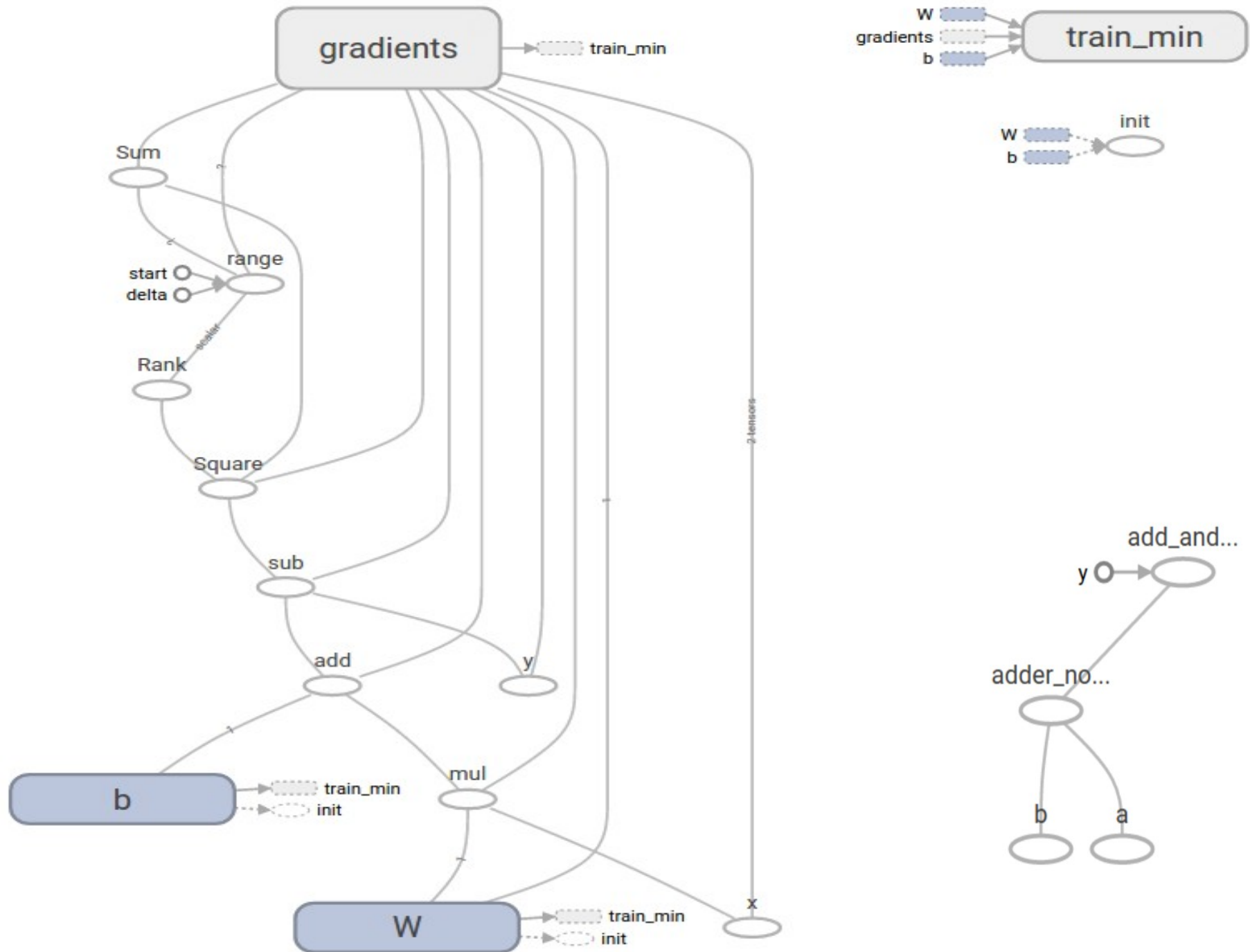
```
node1 = tf.constant(3.0, dtype=tf.float32)  
node2 = tf.constant(4.0) # also tf.float32 implicitly  
print(node1, node2)
```

The final print statement produces

```
Tensor("Const:0", shape=(), dtype=float32) Tensor("Const_1:0", shape=(), dtype=float32)
```

Notice that printing the nodes does not output the values 3.0 and 4.0 as you might expect. Instead, they are nodes that, when evaluated, would produce 3.0 and 4.0, respectively.

Tensor Flow Lecture Notes 1



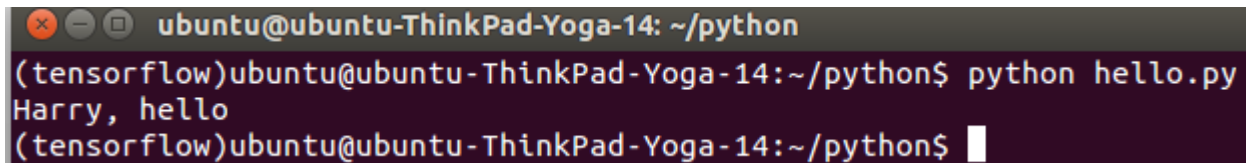
Your First Python Program

The program first.py

```
print("Harry, hello")
```

To run it:

\$python first.py

A terminal window with a dark background and light-colored text. The window title is 'ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14: ~/python'. The prompt is '(tensorflow)ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/python\$'. The command 'python hello.py' has been entered and executed, resulting in the output 'Harry, hello'. The prompt is now '(tensorflow)ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/python\$' with a cursor at the end.

```
(tensorflow)ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/python$ python hello.py
Harry, hello
(tensorflow)ubuntu@ubuntu-ThinkPad-Yoga-14:~/python$
```