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I. INTRODUCTION

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Deep learning models consists of layers and parameters. It is difficult to design the number and type of nodes and the connection between them because of the multiple differences in data types, tasks and hardware platforms. Therefore, most of the deep learning models are created by hand with multiple experiments or are a variation of already known models which work well. This process of creating and designing a model is very time-consuming, therefore techniques are created in the last years to automate the designing process of a deep learning model. It is called Neural Architecture Search (NAS). The focus of the survey is a subgroup of NAS, the hardware or platform-aware NAS (HW-NAS). The goal of HW-NAS is to use NAS for designing a deep learning model but with respect to optimize the deep learning model for a hardware device.

A neural architecture process firstly includes a search space which includes the possible operators and its connections which create a architecture. The search strategy explores the search space and the evaluation methodology is used to evaluate the accuracy of each model. The evaluation methodology trains the architecture and the models with a high accuracy help to redefine the search space. This training and in general the huge number of architecture in forms of layers and parameters cause time consumption and large memory footprints. This leads to the lack of using NAS in real-time.

II. BACKGROUND

As mentioned above the drawbacks of large deep learning models and long training there are some techniques to optimize it.

Firstly you can compress a model. Compressing a model can be done for example by compact the model which changes the standard operations to more flexible and simpler operations.

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In addition, one can decompose the tensor which means we shrinking the tensors which reduce the size of the deep learning model. What we will mainly focus on for compressing a model is quantization. Quantizations means that we convert floating point weights and activations into smaller integers, ideally binaries. Another option for compressing a model is pruning where the least important weights or operations are pruned to reduce the model size. The importance of a weight or operation can be directly the weight or has to be learned.

In addition one can apply hardware-aware NAS which uses model compressions and takes into account by design the model the hardware usability. A relatively new technique for optimizing a deep learning model is code transformation which optimizes the operators of an model.

We explain the two most used search algorithms in neural architecture search, namely reinforcement learning and evolutionary algorithms. By using Reinforcement learning an agent chooses between actions in an environment and gets an reward after the action. Its goal is to maximizes the reward. In contrast to are the evolutionary algorithms. They have three main characteristics: population-based, fitness-oriented and generations. Population-based means that the algorithm has a set of candidate solutions which are known as population. Fitness-oriented means that each solution has a quality which is express with its fitness score. In addition, the evolutionary algorithms create mutations and crossover operations to gain new populations.

III. TAXONOMY OF HW-NAS

There are three categories of goals of hardware-aware neural architecture search. Firstly, the category single target, fixed configurations where most hardware-aware NAS belongs to. Single target means that the neural architecture search tries to find the best architecture for one single target. We devide this category further in hardware-aware search strategy and hardware-aware search space. The hardware-aware search strategy focuses on solving the neural architecture search as a multi-objective problem which means that the accuracy is taken into account as always but also some hardware measurements for example latency. The opposite to this is the hardware-aware search space where the neural architecture search works with only a pool of architectures. The not good working architectures on the target hardware are eliminated.

It helps to have a prior knowledge for the target platform for creating the set of architectures. The neural architecture search considers then only the accuracy for this set of architectures and no hardware measurements.

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