OpenCV CI Build parameters

List of Pull requests builders

Frequently used:

Name	Description
Docs	Linux-based documentation builder. Additionally provides some sanity/linter checks about code
Linux x64	Ubuntu-based image with enabled IPPICV
Linux OpenCL	Ubuntu-based image with enabled IPPICV and OpenCL (Intel iGPU device)
Linux AVX2	Ubuntu-based image with enabled CPU_BASELINE=AVX2
Linux x64 Debug	Debug Ubuntu-based build with disabled SIMD intrinsics and other accelerated code paths
Win64	MSVS2015 with enabled IPPICV
Win64 OpenCL	MSVS2015 with enabled IPPICV and OpenCL (Intel iGPU device)
Mac	macOS X builder
iOS	iOS package builder (subset of architectures). Without tests launching
Android armeabi- v7a	Linux-based Android build for ARMv7 configuration. Without tests launching

Extra:

Name	Description
Linux32	32-bin Linux (64-bit host OS, but binaries in docker image are all 32-bit - no "cross-compilation")
Win32	32-bit binaries (64-bit host OS)
ARMv7	ARMv7 + NEON. Tests are launched on NVIDIA TK-1 board
ARMv8	aarch64. Tests are launched on NVIDIA TX-1 board
Android pack	build Android package (all architectures)
Custom*	custom builders for special extra cases

Pull request common parameters

Parameters can be added into description of opened Pull request. Maintainers can adjust build parameters to extend (some special/extra cases) or reduce (documentation) scope of testing.

Note: Before merging, any reduced validation/testing scope should be normalized and re-launched builds should pass.

- **WIP** marks PR as WIP. This mode allows to use some extra parameters, like tests/modules filtering.

 Default set of builders is not triggered in this mode.
- force_builders=linux, Docs, Custom comma separated list of additional builders (both visible Linux x64 and internal ID linux can be used)
- force_builders_only=Docs comma separated list of builders (both visible Linux x64 and internal ID linux can be used)

Pull request parameters

Some parameters are **WIP** protected (marked as (WIP only)). Without **WIP** flag these parameters are ignored.

Builders for Pull requests with **WIP** or Custom builders accept all valid parameters.

Parameters below can be applied for all builders (if allowed by **WIP** mode) or can be targeted for specific builder:

- parameter=value apply for all builders (if applicable)
- parameter:Linux x64=value apply for specified builder only

High-level builder configuration

- buildworker: Custom=linux-1 (builder specific) select assigned build worker (we using machines with different hardware/software setup).
- build_image:Custom=ubuntu-clang:18.04 (builder specific) select builder high-level configuration (docker image is deprecated alias on this parameter)

Binaries build configuration

- CPU BASELINE: Custom=AVX512 SKX (WIP only) force CMake CPU_BASELINE option
- CPU DISPATCH: Linux AVX2=AVX512 SKX (WIP only) force CMake CPU_DISPATCH option
- CXXFLAGS: Mac=-std=c++11 (WIP only) set CMake C++ flags
- CXXFLAGS_EXTRA:Custom Win=/std:c++17 (WIP only) append CMake C++ flags
- build contrib=OFF build with/without opencv_contrib modules (speedup build)
- build_examples=OFF (WIP only) disable examples build (speedup build)
- build_shared=OFF select shared/static build. Static build with examples is slow in MSVS case.
- build world=OFF build opencv_world
- build pkgconfig=ON control building of pkgconfig configuration
- build compiler selects MSVC compiler (vc14 MSVS2015, vc15 MSVS2017, vc16 MSVS2019)
- build platform selects MSVC platform x64, Win32, ARM

Optimizations:

- with tbb=ON use TBB
- build tbb=ON force building TBB from sources
- disable ipp disable IPP/IPPICV

Other special parameters:

- android pack config:Android Pack=ndk-19.config.py
- test gradle: Android Pack force or disable Gradle builds
- build_gapi_standalone:Win64=ON G-API module extra testing

Binaries testing configuration

- test_modules=dnn,python2,python3,java (WIP only) comma separated list of tested OpenCV modules
- test filter=*AlexNet* (WIP only) apply tests filter

Other specific cases:

- test opencl:Custom=ON force testing of OpenCL
- test bigdata:Custom=ON (builder specific) run huge tests
- build_parallel_tests=1 run up to N tests in parallel

List of supported build_image

Linux build image list

Note:

• linux-1,2,4 means list of supported workers (specify buildworker:Custom=linux-1,linux-2,linux-4)

Basic:

- ubuntu:14.04
- ubuntu:16.04
- ubuntu:18.04
- ubuntu:20.04
- ubuntu32:16.04 (linux-1,2,4)
- fedora:28, fedora:29 (linux-1,2,4)
- centos:7 (linux-1)

Compiler:

• ubuntu-clang:18.04

Threading:

• openmp:16.04 (linux-1,2,4)

HighGUI:

• qt:16.04 (linux-1,2,4)

Video I/O:

• ffmpeg-master (linux-1,2,4)

• gstreamer:16.04, gstreamer:14.04 (linux-1,2,4)

Javascript:

- docs-js (linux-1,2,4 on Docs builder only)
- javascript (linux-1,2,4 on Custom builder only)

Android:

• android-gradle (linux-4 on Android* builders only)

DNN backends testing:

- ubuntu-openvino-2021.4.2:20.04
- ubuntu-openvino-2020.3.0:16.04, ubuntu-openvino-2020.3.0:18.04
- ubuntu-vulkan:16.04 for testing DNN Vulkan backend
- ubuntu-cuda:18.04 (linux-4)-CUDA 10.0 with CUDNN?
- ubuntu-cuda11:18.04 (linux-4)-CUDA 11.0 with CUDNN 8

Cross-compilation for other platforms:

- powerpc64le (linux-1,2,4 on Custom builder only) validate VSX SIMD intrinsics. Extra external buildbot for OpenCV on PowerPC
- mips64el (linux-1 on Custom builder only) validate MIPS MSA SIMD intrinsics.

Other:

- ubuntu-cuda:16.04 (linux-1,2,4)-CUDA 8.0, no tests
- ubuntu-cuda:18.04 (linux-4)-CUDA 10.1 + CUDNN 7.6, no tests

and many deprecated/special build_images for coverage/valgrind/etc

Windows build image list

- msvs2015, msvs2015-win32
- msvs2017, msvs2017-win32 (windows-1)
- msvs2019, msvs2019-win32 (windows-1)
- openvino-2021.4.2 (windows-1,3)
- openvino-2020.3.0 (windows-1,2)
- winpack-dldt-*, winpack-dldt-*-debug (windows-1)

Build only:

- msvs2019-ws-x64 (windows-1)-WindowsStore
- msvs2019-arm64 (windows-1)-Windows ARM64
- cuda10 , cuda11 (windows-1)

Useful extra parameters: test opencl=ON

macOS X build image list

- openvino-2021.4.2, openvino-2020.3.0
- osx framework

Parameters for special validation cases

• SIMD optimizations validation (AVX512):

```
force_builders=Linux AVX2,Custom
buildworker:Custom=linux-3
build_image:Custom=ubuntu:18.04
CPU_BASELINE:Custom=AVX512_SKX
disable_ipp=ON
```

• SIMD optimizations validation (VSX):

```
force_builders=Linux AVX2,Custom
buildworker:Custom=linux-1,linux-2,linux-4
build_image:Custom=powerpc64le
disable_ipp=ON
```

• DNN testing (OpenVINO or new layers, tests set changes):

```
force_builders=Custom, Custom Win, Custom Mac
build_image:Custom=ubuntu-openvino-2021.4.2:20.04
build_image:Custom Win=openvino-2021.4.2
build_image:Custom Mac=openvino-2021.4.2

test_modules:Custom=dnn, python2, python3, java
test_modules:Custom Win=dnn, python2, python3, java
test_modules:Custom Mac=dnn, python2, python3, java

buildworker:Custom=linux-1
# disabled due high memory usage: test_opencl:Custom=ON
test_opencl:Custom=OFF
test_bigdata:Custom=1
test_filter:Custom=*
```

OpenCL testing

```
force_builders=Custom,Linux AVX2,Linux OpenCL
build_image:Custom=ubuntu:18.04
buildworker:Custom=linux-5
test_opencl:Custom=ON

build_image:Linux AVX2=ubuntu:18.04
buildworker:Linux AVX2=linux-3
test_opencl:Linux AVX2=ON
```

Buildworkers special H/W capabilities

linux-1:

• Intel(R) Neural Compute Stick 2 (NCS2 (USB 03e7:2485), MyriadX)

linux-2:

• Intel(R) Movidius(TM) Neural Compute Stick (NCS (USB 03e7:2150), Myriad2)