# **CptS 528 Advanced Cyber Security**

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### **Project Deliverable 2-2**

### 1. Architectural Design

The architectural design diagram is shown in Figure 1 in the appendix section.

Dataset Manager: Load and preprocess CIFAR-10 for train/test dataset

Model Trainer: Build CNN to train and validate the dataset

Adversarial Engine: Generate adversarial examples using pluggable attacks

Defense Module: Apply defense

**Evaluator:** Compute accuracy and plots

Experiment Orchestrator: Ensuring all component execute in the right

sequence

**Logging & Config:** Centralizes configs, seeds, and metrics logging
The main pattern of the architecture design is pipeline pattern. The process is
from dataset -> model -> attack -> defense -> evaluation. Plugin pattern is also
used in the adversarial engine and defense module components to enable
flexible addition or substitution of attack and defense algorithms without
changing the pipeline structure.

# 2. Component-level Design

The component-level design diagram is shown in Figure 2 in the appendix section.

#### 3. Code

Code update is committed to the GitHub repository

### 4. Software Documentation

Software documentation is updated to the README.md.

Before running the project, install the required Python libraries: pip install torch torchvision pyyaml

How to Run:

python main.py

CIFAR-10 will be automatically downloaded to ./data during the first run. Trained model weights will be saved to the path specified in save\_path.

# Appendix Diagrams

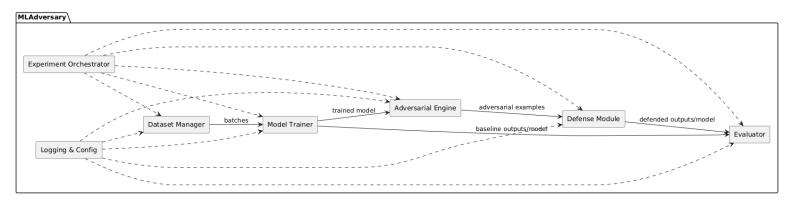


Figure 1 – Architectural Design Diagram

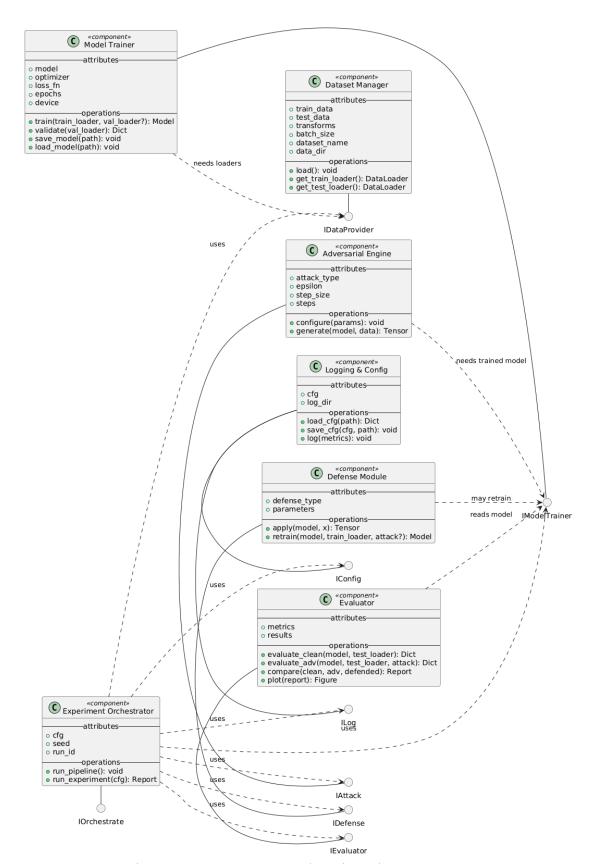


Figure 2 – Component-Level Design Diagram