

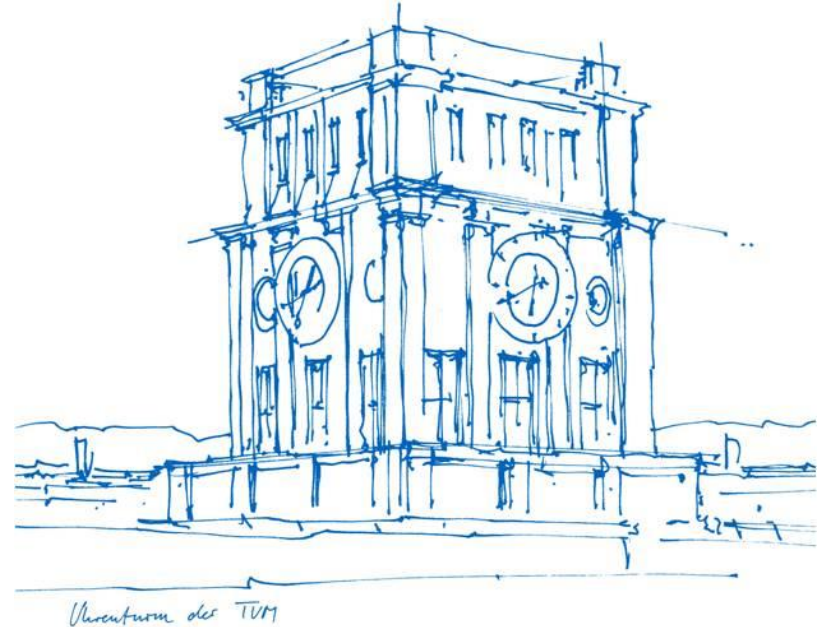
Interim Presentation

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Introduction

Objective

- ESP32s equipped with microphones for recording bird calls
- On-device classification of bird species using deep learning
- Aggregated statistics accessible to researchers, hikers etc.

Motivation

- Reduces human intervention and enables real-time monitoring
- Essential for studying bird populations and ecosystem health
- Casual interest: tourism, hiking ...



Requirements

- Local / edge computing to minimize data transmission
- Energy-efficient operation due to remote deployment
- embedded and low-level development

Challenges

- Introduce a Deep Neural Network inside a ESP32
- Implement an optimized audio preprocessing module in the ESP32
- Achieve an acceptable prediction accuracy

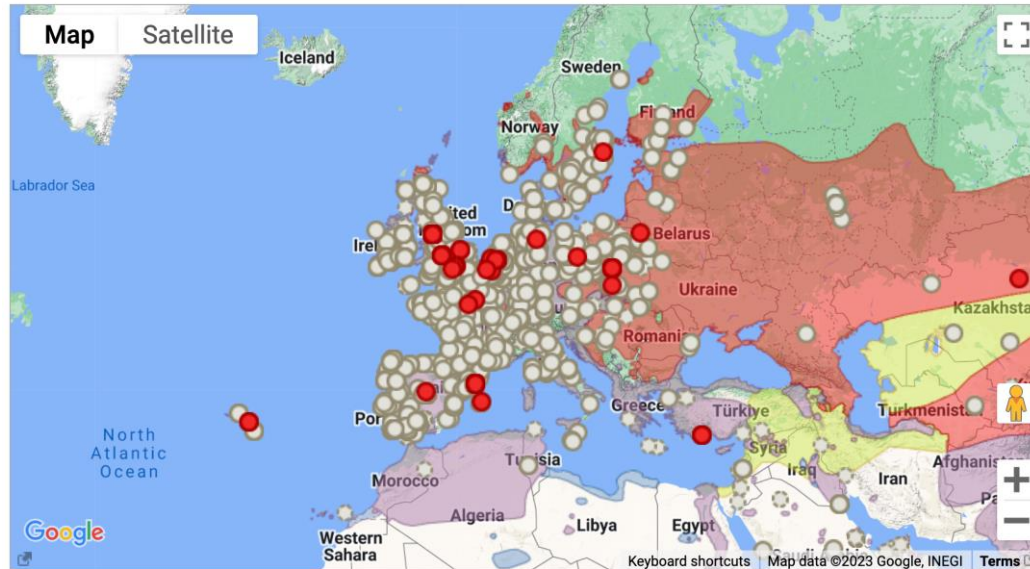


Xeno-canto

- "Website dedicated to sharing wildlife sounds from all over the world"

Common Moorhen • *Gallinula chloropus* • (Linnaeus, 1758)

Order: **GRUIFORMES** Family: **Rallidae** (Ralls, Crakes & Coots) Genus: **Gallinula** Species: *chloropus*



Seasonal occurrence: Resident Breeding Non-breeding Passage Uncertain

ESC-50

- Dataset for environmental sound classification (50 semantical classes)
- E.g., dog, insects, rain, thunderstorm, wind, siren, chainsaw



Example

Water rail



Cetti's warbler



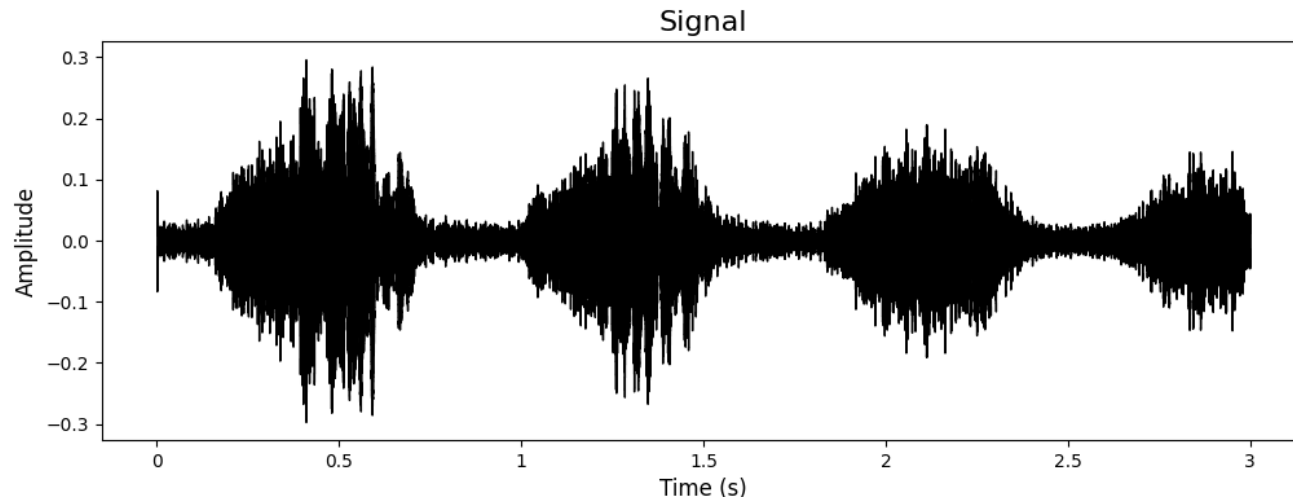
Common moorhen



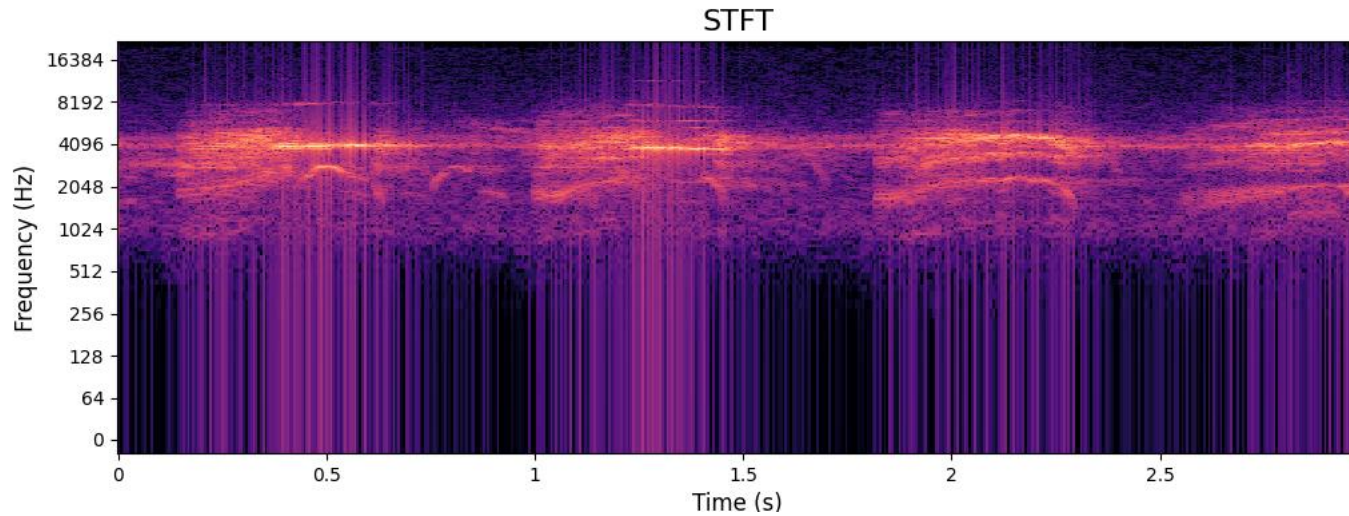
Fake bird



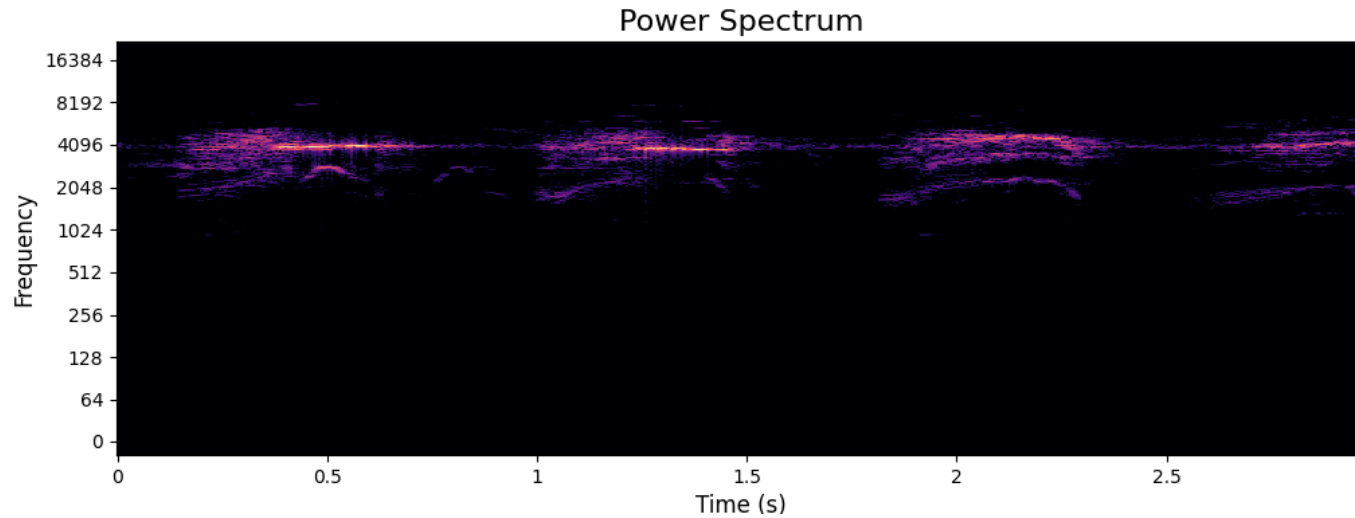
Audio Signal



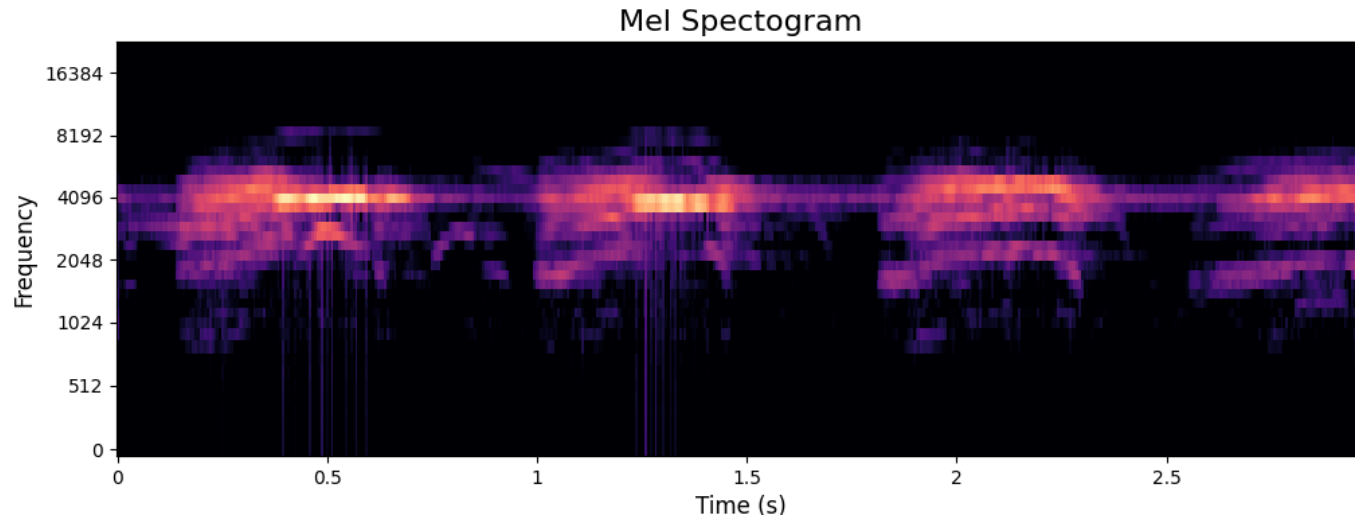
Short-Time Fourier-Transform



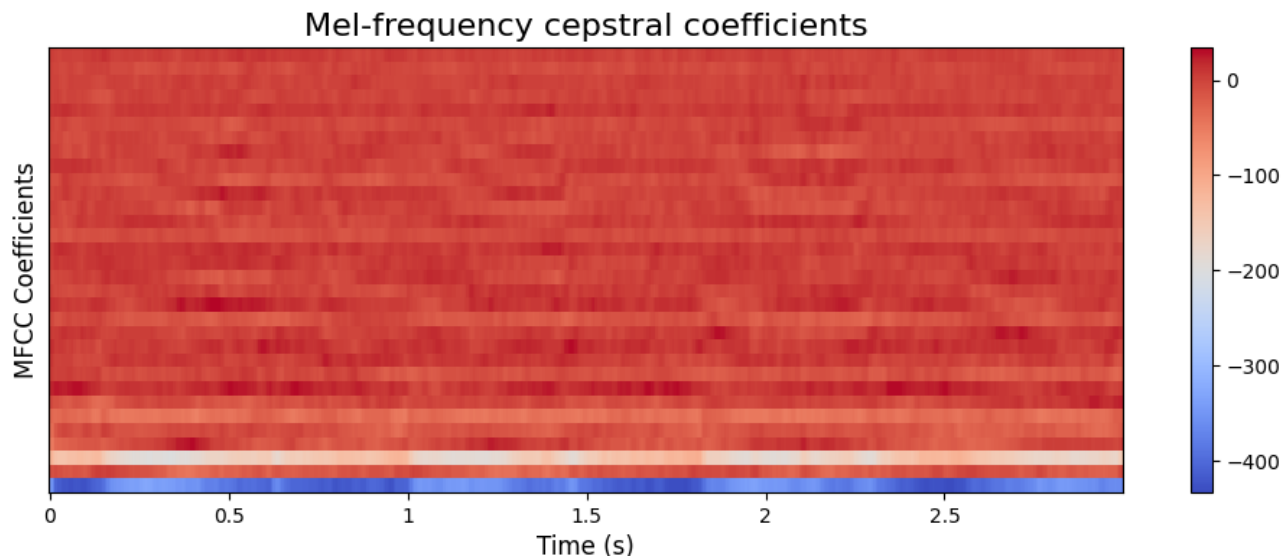
Power Spectrum



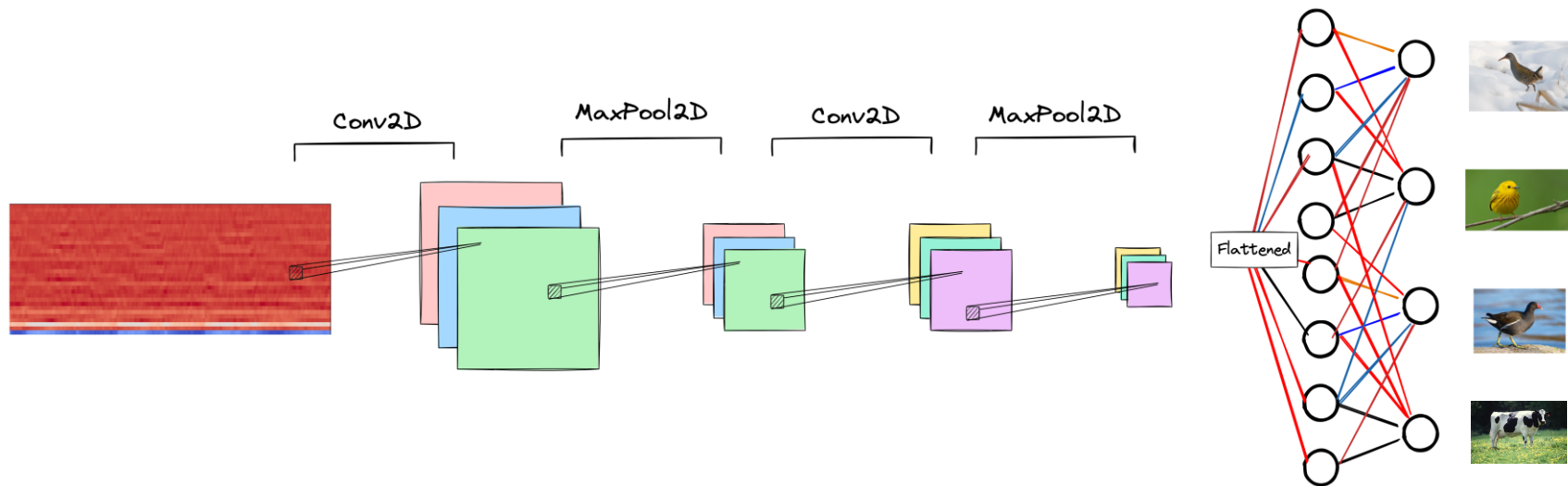
Mel-spaced Filterbank



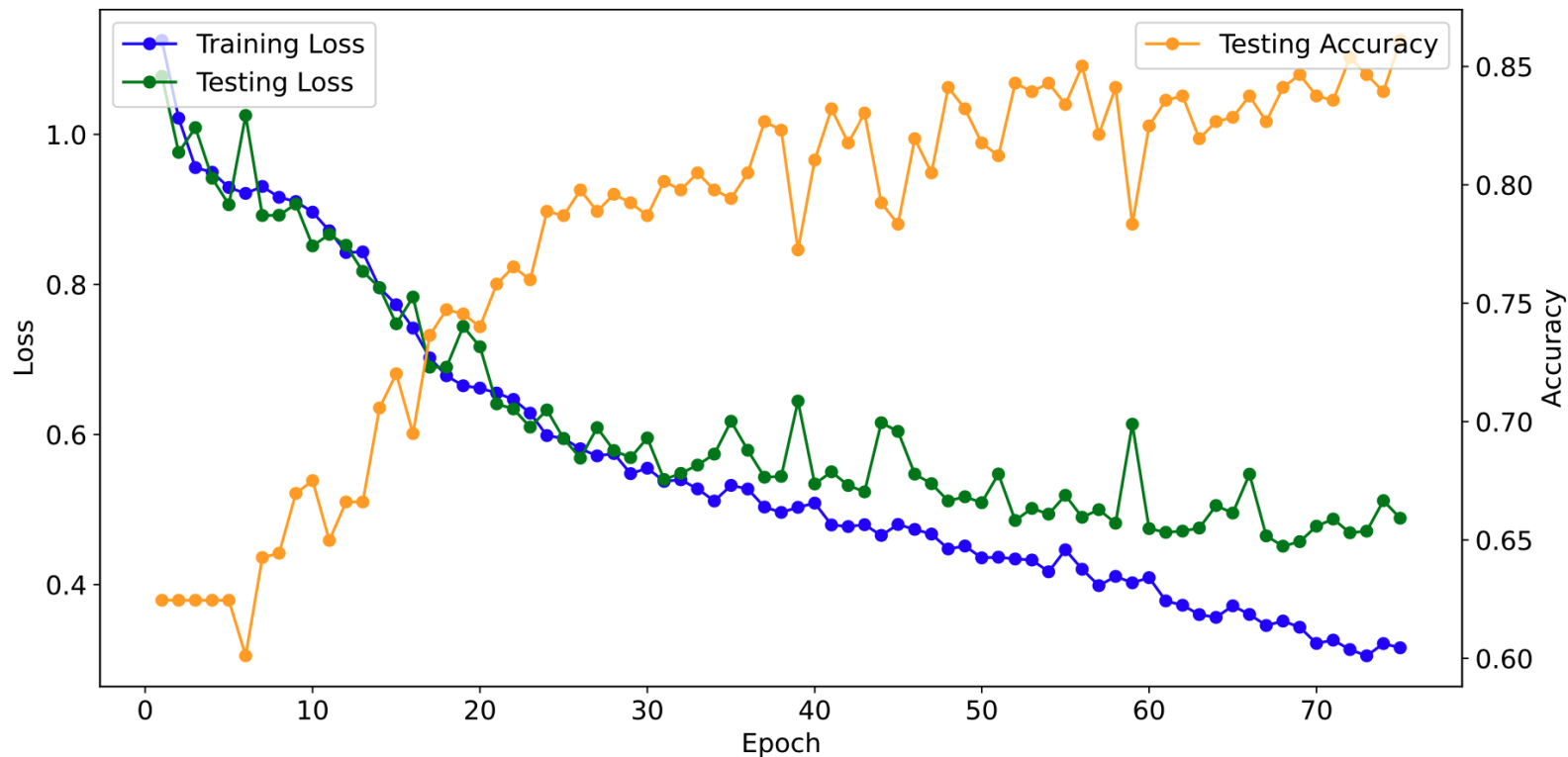
Mel-frequency cepstral coefficients



CNN



Training



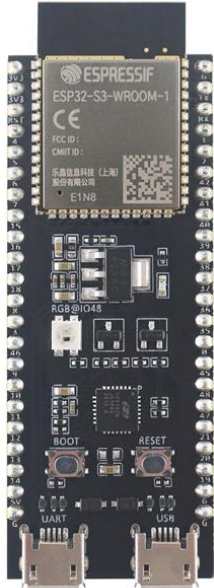
Python to C++



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Edge device

ESP32S3



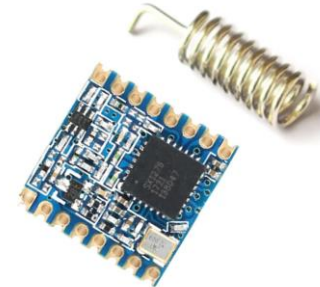
GPS



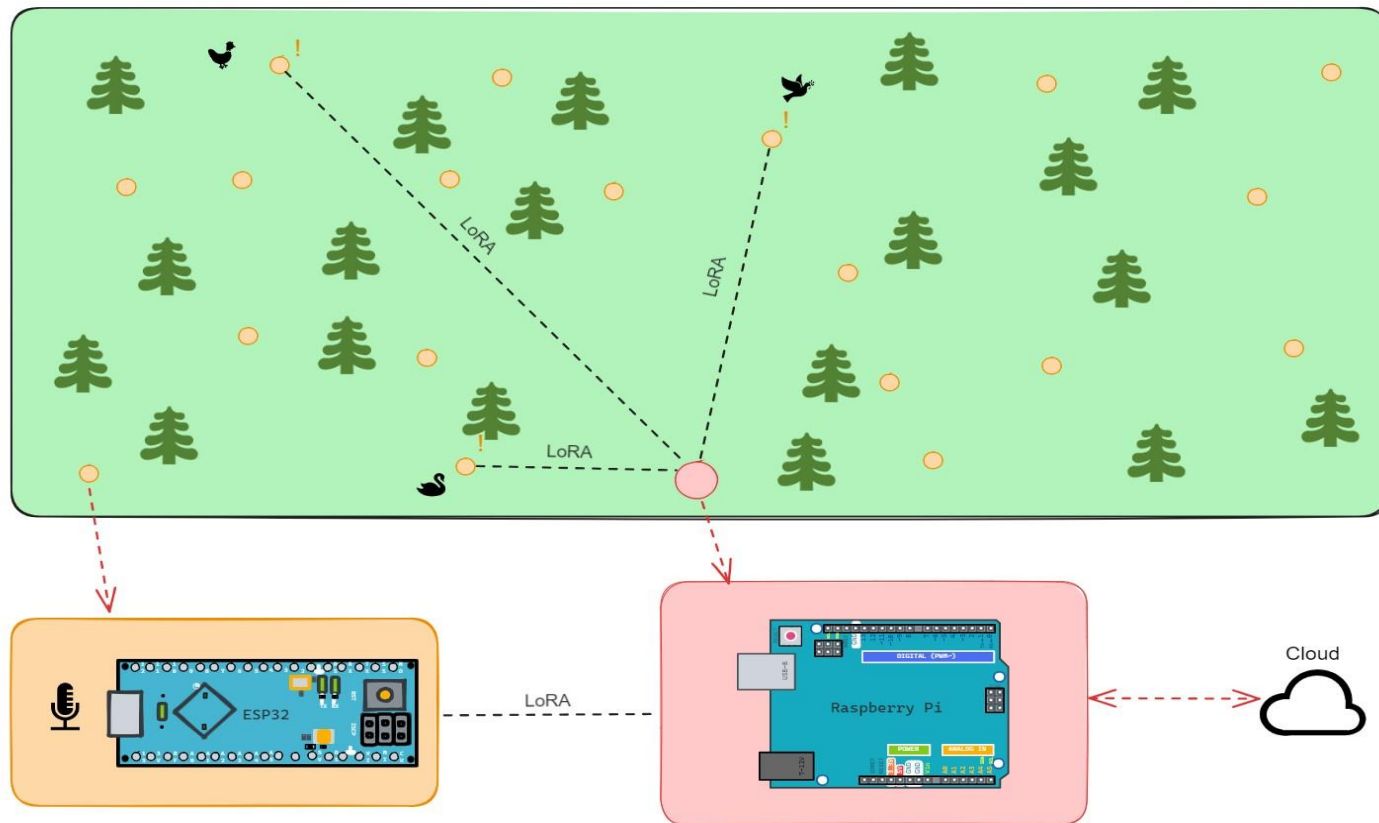
Microphone



LoRa modules



Architecture



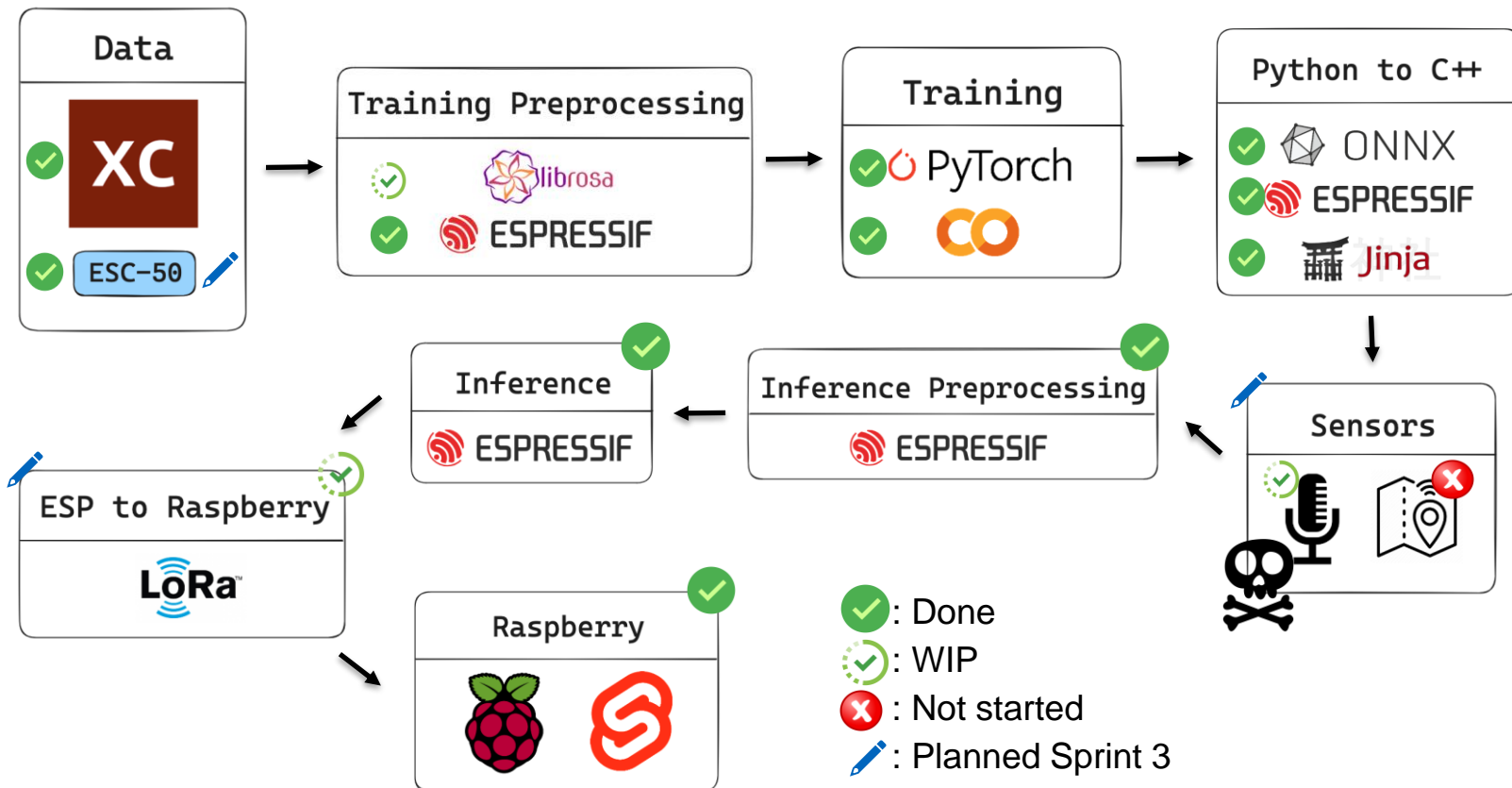
Raspberry Pi and Dashboard



Raspberry Pi and Dashboard - Demo



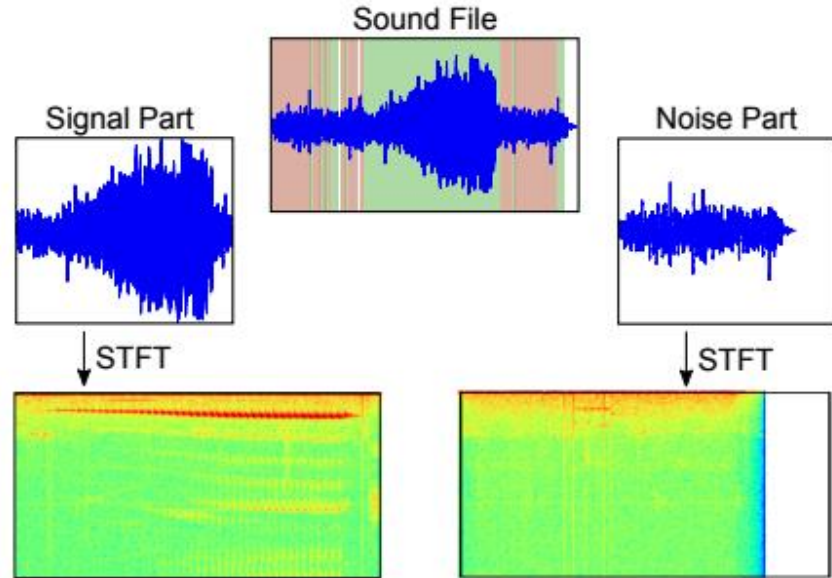
Overview



DEMO

Future Work

- Deep-sleep / Light-sleep
- Heap / CPU monitoring
- Distinguish salient audio segments



[Sprengel, Elias, et al. "Audio based bird species identification using deep learning techniques"]