

AnalogNAS

<https://github.com/IBM/analog-nas>

Technologies

IBM AIHWKit



PyTorch

dmlc
XGBoost +  scikit
learn

pym∞

AnalogNAS

- Automatically design resilient deep learning architectures for Analog In-memory Computing.
- In-memory computing is a promising technology for AI accelerators. It significantly allows for reduced energy consumption.
- Fully written in Python on top of AIHWKit.
- IBM-managed open-source project.

GitHub: <https://github.com/IBM/analog-nas>

AIHWKit Github: <https://github.com/IBM/aihwkit>

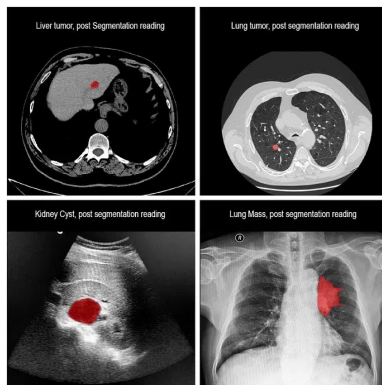
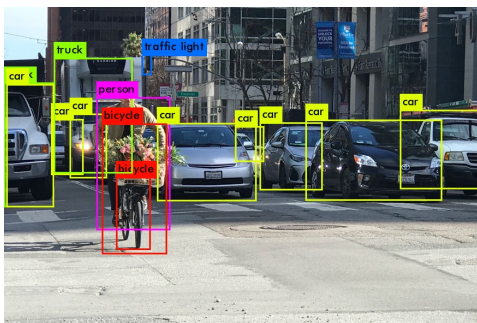
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Automation is key for Deep Learning 2.0

Novel Applications

Extend the search space definition with other neural networks for Object detection, image segmentation, or language modelling.



Hyperparameter Optimization

Allow developers to run Bayesian optimization for hyperparameter optimization, including hardware parameters.

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rpu_config = InferenceRPUConfig()
rpu_config.modifier.std_dev = 0.06
rpu_config.modifier.type = WeightModifierType.ADD_NORMAL

rpu_config.mapping.digital_bias = True
rpu_config.mapping.weight_scaling_omega = 1.0
rpu_config.mapping.weight_scaling_columnwise = False
rpu_config.mapping.out_scaling_columnwise = False
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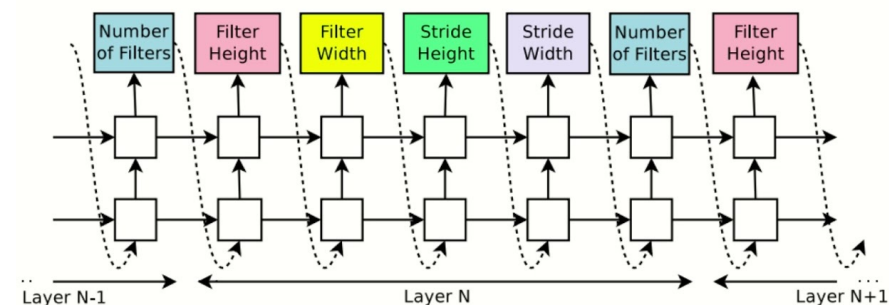
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rpu_config.forward.out_bound = 12
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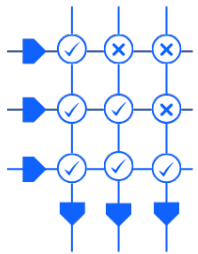
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rpu_config.pre_post.input_range.input_min_percentage = 0.995
rpu_config.pre_post.input_range.manage_output_clipping = False

rpu_config.noise_model = PCMLikeNoiseModel(g_max=25.0)
rpu_config.drift_compensation = GlobalDriftCompensation()
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Reinforcement learning-based search strategy

Contribute to core components of AnalogNAS by implementing a reinforcement learning agent.





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