

# **Edge Computing Lab**

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## **Experiment No. 9**

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### **Introduction**

**The Object Detection using Camera on Edge Computing Devices**

**Objective:** Build a project to detect an object using Edge Computing

### **Tasks:**

- Generate the dataset for customized object
- Configure Edge Impulse for Object Detection
- Building and Training a Model
- Deploy on Edge Computing Device

### **Introduction**

Edge Impulse is a development platform for machine learning on edge devices, targeted at developers who want to create intelligent device solutions. The "Camera" sensor reading equivalent in Edge Impulse would typically involve creating a simple machine learning model that can run on an edge device, like classifying sensor data or recognizing a basic pattern.

### **Materials Required**

- Nano BLE Sense Board

### **Theory**

GPIO (General Purpose Input/Output) pins on the Raspberry Pi are used for interfacing with other electronic components. BCM numbering refers to the pin numbers in the Broadcom SOC channel, which is a more consistent way to refer to the GPIO pins across different versions of the

Here's a high-level overview of steps you'd follow to create a "Hello World" project on Edge Impulse:

### **Steps to Configure the Edge Impulse:**

1. Create an Account and New Project:

- Sign up for an Edge Impulse account.

- Create a new project from the dashboard.
2. Connect a Device:
- You can use a supported development board or your smartphone as a sensor device.
  - Follow the instructions to connect your device to your Edge Impulse project.
3. Collect Data:
- Use the Edge Impulse mobile app or the Web interface to collect data from the onboard sensors.
  - For a "Hello World" project, you could collect accelerometer data, for instance.
4. Create an Impulse:
- Go to the 'Create impulse' page.
  - Add a processing block (e.g., time-series data) and a learning block (e.g., classification).
  - Save the impulse, which defines the machine learning pipeline.
5. Design a Neural Network:
- Navigate to the 'NN Classifier' under the 'Learning blocks'.
  - Design a simple neural network. Edge Impulse provides a default architecture that works well for most basic tasks.
6. Train the Model:
- Click on the 'Start training' button to train your machine learning model with the collected data.
7. Test the Model:
- Once the model is trained, you can test its performance with new data in the 'Model Testing' tab.
8. Deploy the Model:

- Go to the 'Deployment' tab.
- Select the deployment method that suits your edge device (e.g., Arduino library, WebAssembly, container, etc.).
- Follow the instructions to deploy the model to your device.

## 9. Run Inference:

- With the model deployed, run inference on the edge device to see it classifying data in real-time.

## 10. Monitor:

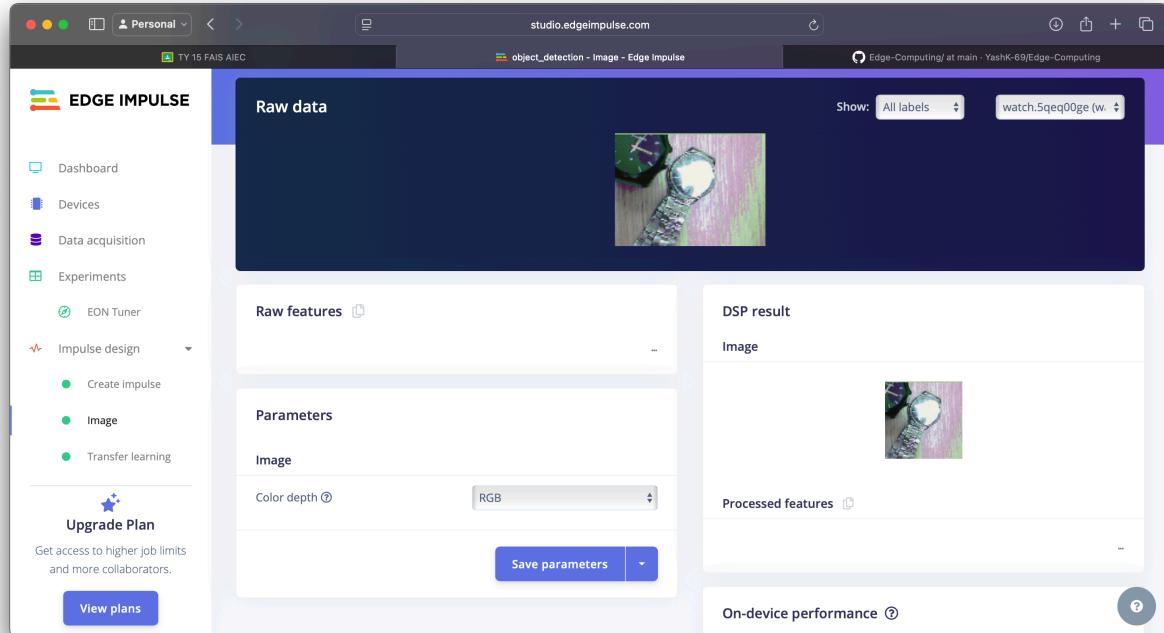
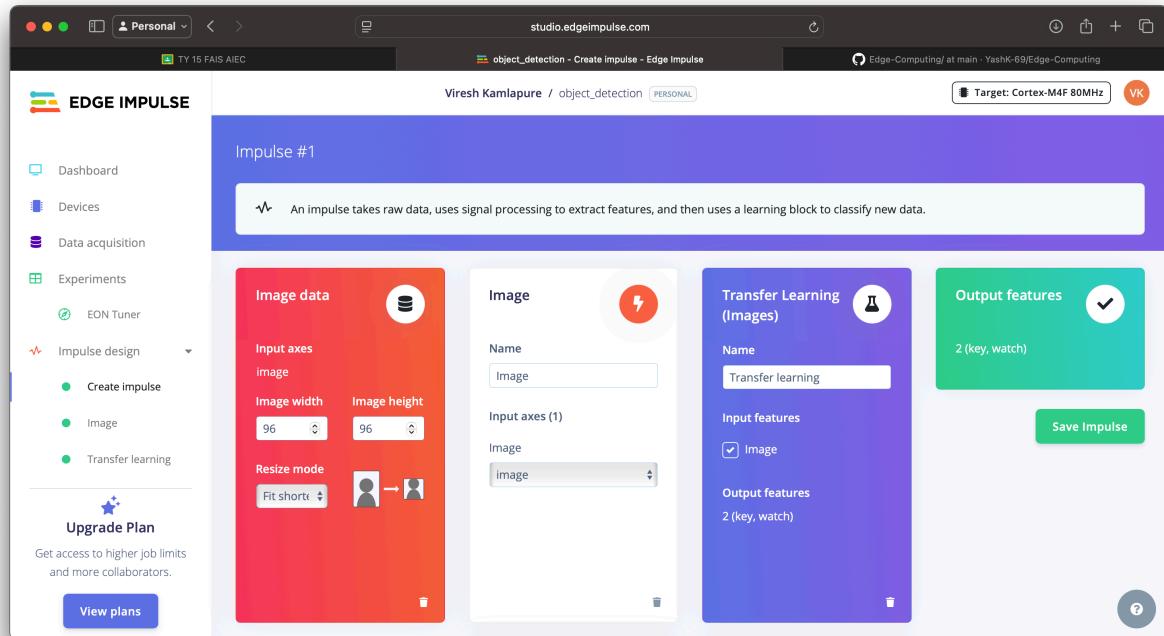
- You can monitor the performance of your device through the Edge Impulse studio.

Paste your Edge Impulse project's Results:

### 1) Dataset Image

SAMPLE NAME	LABEL	ADDED
watch.5qeq00ge	watch	May 06 2025,...
watch.5qepvn56	watch	May 06 2025,...
watch.5qepvds0	watch	May 06 2025,...
watch.5qepv4dt	watch	May 06 2025,...
watch.5qepur31	watch	May 06 2025,...
watch.5qeptho	watch	May 06 2025,...

## 2) Feature extraction - Image



## 3) Accuracy / Loss - Confusion Matrix – image

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Target: Cortex-M4F 80MHz

**EDGE IMPULSE**

- Dashboard
- Devices
- Data acquisition
- Experiments
- EON Tuner
- Impulse design
  - Create impulse
  - Image
  - Transfer learning

**Upgrade Plan**  
Get access to higher job limits and more collaborators.

**Neural Network settings**

**Training settings**

- Number of training cycles: 20
- Use learned optimizer:
- Learning rate: 0.0005
- Training processor: CPU
- Data augmentation:

**Advanced training settings**

**Neural network architecture**

Input layer (27,648 features)

Output layer (2 classes)

**Training output**

**Model** Model version: Quantized (int8)

**Last training performance (validation set)**

	KEY	WATCH
ACCURACY	55.6%	1.12
LOSS		
F1 SCORE	0.50	0.60

**Confusion matrix (validation set)**

	KEY	WATCH
KEY	33.3%	66.7%
WATCH	0%	100%
F1 SCORE	0.50	0.60

**Metrics (validation set)**

METRIC	VALUE
Area under ROC Curve	0.67
Weighted average Precision	0.81
Weighted average Recall	0.56

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**MobileNetV2 96x96 0.35 (final layer: 16 neurons, 0.1 dropout)**

Choose a different model

Output layer (2 classes)

**Save & train**

**Data explorer (full training set)**

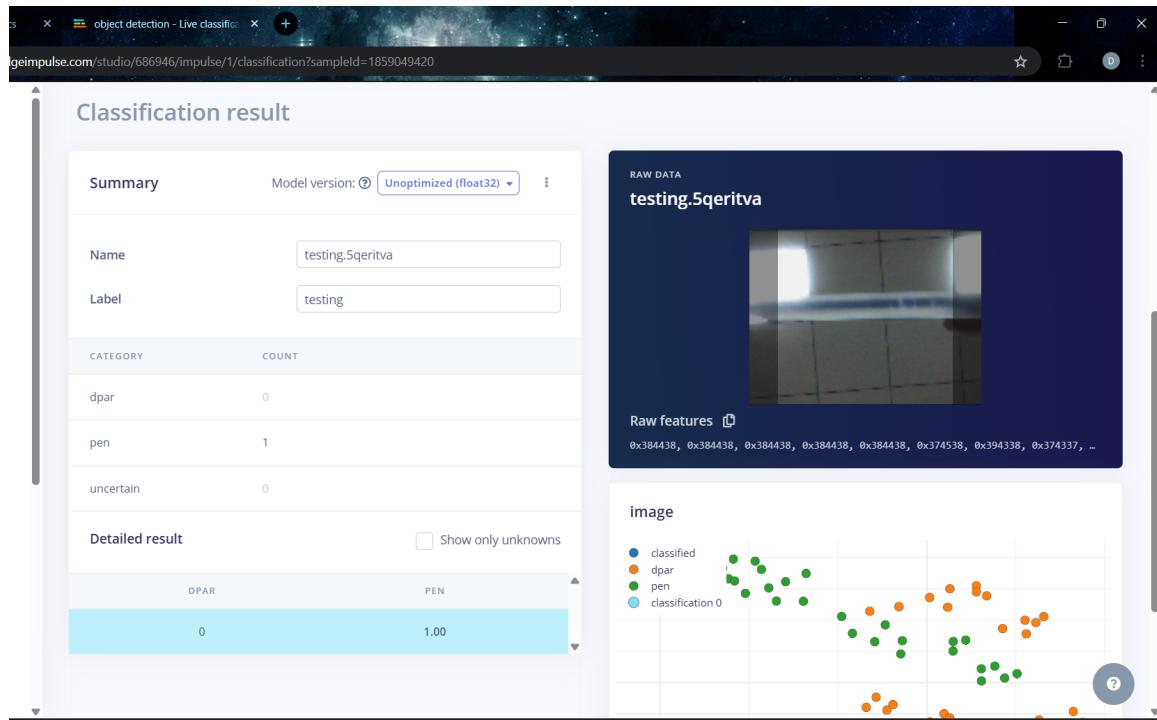
key - correct (yellow), watch - correct (green), key - incorrect (red), watch - incorrect (orange)

**On-device performance**

Engine: EON™ Compiler (RAM optimized)

INFERENCING... 600 ms. PEAK RAM U... 232.9K FLASH USAGE 597.5K

#### 4) Validation Result – Image



## 5) Copy the code of Arduino Sketch

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Arduino Nano 33 BLE

nano\_ble33\_sense\_camera.ino

```

18  #include <object_detection_inferencing.h>
19  #include <arduino_OV767X.h> //Click here to get the library: https://www.arduino.cc/reference/en/libraries/arduino\_ov767x/
20
21  #include <stdint.h>
22  #include <stdlib.h>
23
24  /* Constant variables ----- */
25  #define EI_CAMERA_RAW_FRAME_BUFFER_COLS    160
26  #define EI_CAMERA_RAW_FRAME_BUFFER_ROWS   120
27
28  #define DWORD_ALIGN_PTR(a) ((a & 0x3) ?((uintptr_t)a + 0x4) & ~(uintptr_t)0x3) : a
29
30  /**
31  ** NOTE: If you run into TFLite arena allocation issue.
32  ** This may be due to memory fragmentation.
33  ** Try defining "DEI_CLASSIFIER_ALLOCATION_STATIC" in boards.local.txt (create
34  ** if it doesn't exist) and copy this file to
35  ** <ARDUINO_CORE_INSTALL_PATH>/arduino/hardware/<mbed_core>/<core_version>/'.
36  **
37  ** See
38  ** (https://support.arduino.cc/hc/en-us/articles/360012076960-Where-are-the-installed-cores-located-)
39  ** to find where Arduino installs cores on your machine.
40  **
41  ** If the problem persists then there's not enough memory for this model and application.
42  */
43
44  /* Edge Impulse ----- */
45  class OV767X : public OV767X {
46  public:
47      int begin(int resolution, int format, int fps);
48      void readFrame(void* buffer);
49
50  private:
51      int vSyncPin;

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118  /* Function definitions ----- */
119  bool ei_camera_init(void);
120  void ei_camera_deinit(void);
121  bool ei_camera_capture(uint32_t img_width, uint32_t img_height, uint8_t *out_buf);
122  int calculate_resize_dimensions(uint32_t out_width, uint32_t out_height, uint32_t *resize_col_sz, uint32_t *resize_row_sz, bool do_resize);
123  void resizeImage(int srcWidth, int srcHeight, uint8_t *srcImage, int dstWidth, int dstHeight, uint8_t *dstImage, int iBpp);
124  void cropImage(int srcWidth, int srcHeight, uint8_t *srcImage, int startX, int startY, int dstWidth, int dstHeight, uint8_t *dstImage, int iBpp);
125
126  /**
127  * @brief Arduino setup function
128  */
129  void setup()
130  {
131      // put your setup code here, to run once:
132      Serial.begin(115200);
133      // comment out the below line to cancel the wait for USB connection (needed for native USB)
134      while (Serial);
135      Serial.println("Edge Impulse Inferencing Demo");
136
137      // summary of inferencing settings (from model_metadata.h)
138      ei_printf("Inferencing settings:\n");
139      ei_printf("\tImage resolution: %dx%d\n", EI_CLASSIFIER_INPUT_WIDTH, EI_CLASSIFIER_INPUT_HEIGHT);
140      ei_printf("\tFrame size: %d\n", EI_CLASSIFIER_DSP_INPUT_FRAME_SIZE);
141      ei_printf("\tNo. of classes: %d\n", sizeof(ei_classifier_inferencing_categories) / sizeof(ei_classifier_inferencing_categories[0]));
142
143  }
144
145  /**
146  * @brief Get data and run inferencing
147  * @param[in] debug Get debug info if true
148  */
149  void loop()
150  {
151      bool stop_inferencing = false;
152

```

## 6) Screen shot of Arduino Terminal - Result

```
14 /*  
15 */  
16  
17 /* Includes ----- */  
18 #include <object_detection_inferencing.h>  
19 #include <Arduino_OV767x.h> //Click here to get the library: https://www.arduino.cc/reference/en/libraries/arduino\_ov767x/  
20  
21 #include <stdint.h>  
22 #include <stdlib.h>  
23  
~| (a) C:\Users\user\Documents\Arduino\Edge Impulse Inference Demo.ino  
Output Serial Monitor X  
Message (Enter to send message to 'Arduino Nano 33 BLE' on 'COM3')  
13:31:48.450 -> Edge Impulse Inferencing Demo  
13:31:48.450 -> Inferencing settings:  
13:31:48.450 ->           Image resolution: 96x96  
13:31:48.450 ->           Frame size: 9216  
13:31:48.450 ->           No. of classes: 2  
13:31:48.450 ->  
13:31:48.450 -> Starting inferencing in 2 seconds...  
13:31:50.450 -> Taking photo...
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