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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Deep Learning: At LG Electronics, I am developing an AI coding assistant using large language models (LLMs). I have successfully trained LLMs in the distributed settings, and have deployed LLMs to hundreds of users. Recently, I am conducting research on fast and accurate LLM inference.

Algorithm Engineering: My primary research efforts have been devoted to developing fast algorithms. I developed fast algorithms for graph isomorphism, graph isomorphism query processing, and multiple pattern Cartesian tree matching during my Ph.D. studies.

WORK EXPERIENCE

LG Electronics   **Seoul, Korea**
Senior Researcher   *Apr. 2022 – Present*
Artificial Intelligence Lab

- Aug. 2022 – Present: Development of AI Coding Assistant using Large Language Model (LLM)
  - Conducting distributed training for LLMs with up to 15 billion parameters.
  - Preprocessing terabytes of source code data.
  - Developing a fast LLM inference server for up to 500 users.
- Apr. 2022 – Dec. 2022: Development of Coding Education Program Utilizing AI
  - Trained a language model with 100 million parameters for Python programming education.
  - Developed a web client that inputs prompt, prints AI-generated code, and executes Python code.
  - Created an inference server for up to 60 users.

Seoul National University   **Seoul, Korea**
Post-Doctoral Assistant   *Jan. 2022 – Mar. 2022*
Institute of Computer Technology

- Jan. 2022 – Mar. 2022: Algorithm Development for Graph Isomorphism Query Processing
  - Developed a fast graph isomorphism query processing algorithm that runs orders of magnitude faster than state-of-the-art algorithms.

NAVER   **Gyeonggi-do, Korea**
Internship   *Oct. 2021*
AI Dev2

- Oct. 2021: Analyzing Conversion Tracking Data
  - Conducted exploratory data analysis on glad for advertisement data to find meaningful trends.
  - Handled hundred gigabytes of (raw) conversion tracking data.
  - Solved optimization problem of maximizing conversion rate using linear programming.

EDUCATION

Seoul National University   **Seoul, Korea**
Ph.D. in Computer Science and Engineering   *Mar. 2014 – Aug. 2021*

- Thesis: Fast Graph Isomorphism using Pairwise Color Refinement and Efficient Backtracking
- Advisor: Prof. Kunsoo Park
- GPA: 3.99/4.3

Incheon National University **Incheon, Korea**
B.S. in Computer Science and Engineering *Mar. 2010 – Feb. 2014*
○ GPA: 4.4/4.5 (summa cum laude)

PUBLICATIONS

Geonmo Gu, Yehyun Nam, Kunsoo Park, Zvi Galil, Giuseppe F. Italiano, and Wook-Shin Han. "Efficient Graph Isomorphism Query Processing using Degree Sequences and Color-Label Distributions." *IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering*, 2022.

Geonmo Gu, Yehyun Nam, Kunsoo Park, Zvi Galil, Giuseppe F. Italiano, and Wook-Shin Han. "Scalable Graph Isomorphism: Combining Pairwise Color Refinement and Backtracking via Compressed Candidate Space." *IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering*, 2021.

Siwoo Song, **Geonmo Gu**, Cheol Ryu, Simone Faro, Thierry Lecroq, and Kunsoo Park. "Fast Algorithms for Single and Multiple Pattern Cartesian Tree Matching." *Theoretical Computer Science*, 2020.

Geonmo Gu, Siwoo Song, Simone Faro, Thierry Lecroq, and Kunsoo Park. "Fast Multiple Pattern Cartesian Tree Matching." *International Conference and Workshop on Algorithms and Computation*, 2020.

Myoungji Han, Hyunjoon Kim, **Geonmo Gu**, Kunsoo Park, and Wook-Shin Han. "Efficient Subgraph Matching: Harmonizing Dynamic Programming, Adaptive Matching Order, and Failing Set Together." *ACM SIGMOD International Conference on Management of Data*, 2019.

Myoungji Han, Munseong Kang, Sukhyeun Cho, **Geonmo Gu**, Jeong Seop Sim, and Kunsoo Park. "Fast Multiple Order-Preserving Matching Algorithms." *International Workshop on Combinatorial Algorithms*, 2015.

Seongi Hong, **Geonmo Gu**, Hyunjoon Kim, Kunsoo Park. "Performance Comparison of Adaptive Matching Orders for the Subgraph Isomorphism Problem." *KIISE Transactions on Computing Practices*, 26.1:38-43. 2020.

Seongi Hong, **Geonmo Gu**, Hyunjoon Kim, Kunsoo Park. "Performance Comparison of Candidate-Size Ordering and Path-Size Ordering for Subgraph Isomorphism Problem." *Korea Computer Congress*, 2019

PROJECTS

Framework of Practical Algorithms for NP-hard Graph Problems **Seoul National University**
Funded by the Korea government (Ministry of Science and ICT) *Apr. 2018 – Aug. 2021*
○ Algorithm development for fast subgraph isomorphism, graph isomorphism, and graph isomorphism query processing.
○ Open source contribution for practical graph algorithms (`https://github.com/SNUCSE-CTA`).

Algorithm Development for Scanner/Stage Path Generation **Seoul National University**
Supported by JASTECH *Jul. 2014 – Jun. 2017*
○ Sophisticated algorithm that can synchronize Scanner and Stage.
○ Development of path simplification method based on chain stabbing (computational geometry).
○ Efficient path generation methods by solving the traveling salesman problem (NP-complete).

NIPA-PURDUE Capstone Program   **Purdue University**
Center for Robotic Innovation, Commercialization and Education   *Jan. 2014 – Feb. 2014*
- Robot programming (Robotis Bioloid) in collaboration with students of Purdue University.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Reviewer of Information Processing Letters   **ELSEVIER**
                                                                   Dec. 2020 – Sep. 2023

Seminar about Distributed Training Techniques for Large AI Models   **LG Electronics**
                                                                              Jul. 2023

Invited talk at STARLAB Meeting   **Korea Computer Congress**
                                                                              Jun. 2023

Invited talk at 2023 TOPCIT Workshop   **IITP**
                                                                              Mar. 2023

HONORS

The 14th Open SW Developer Contest   **Ministry of Science and ICT**
Awarded a Gold Prize   *Nov. 2020*
- Project Title: GI (Graph Isomorphism Algorithm)
- Source Code URL: `https://github.com/SNUCSE-CTA/GI`

The 2nd Test of Practical Competency in IT (TOPCIT)   **Ministry of Science and ICT**
Awarded a Silver Prize   *Sep. 2013*

The 1st Test of Practical Competency in IT (TOPCIT)   **Ministry of Knowledge Economy**
Awarded a Grand Prize   *Oct. 2012*

SKILLS

Competitive Programming.
- BAEKJOON: `https://www.acmicpc.net/user/gmgu`

Programming Languages. C/C++, Python, CUDA C++, Rust, C#, Java, Shell Script, LaTeX
- C++: `https://github.com/gmgu/GI`
- CUDA C++: `https://github.com/gmgu/study-cuda`
- Rust: `https://github.com/gmgu/study-rust`

Libraries. PyTorch, TensorFlow, Triton (OpenAI), Seaborn, Pandas, PySpark, HuggingFace Transformers, DeepSpeed, NVIDIA Triton, NVIDIA Faster Transformer, FastAPI, gtest
- Triton: `https://github.com/gmgu/study-trident`

Others. AWS (SageMaker, EC2, Lustre, S3)