

GSTREAMER VIDEO ANALYTICS: OPTIMIZING INFERENCE ACROSS HW TARGETS

Intel Visual Compute Middleware and Tools

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- **Video Analytics Usages**
- Supporting Inference Across Different Hardware
- GStreamer Video Analytics
- Demo
- Video Analytics Serving
- Resources

Growing Demand for Video Intelligence

\$2 Billion (2019) -> \$11 Billion (2026)



Retail analytics



Industrial inspection



Content filtering



Parking management



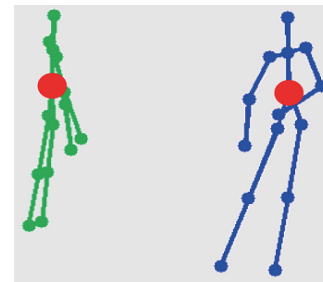
Encode Quality Control



Super Resolution

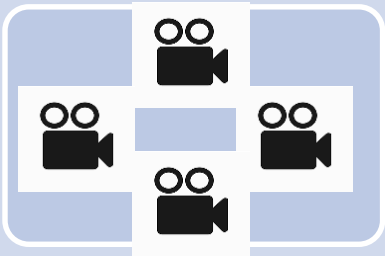


Autonomous driving



Action recognition

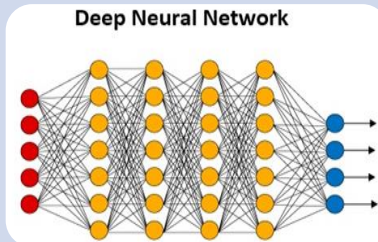
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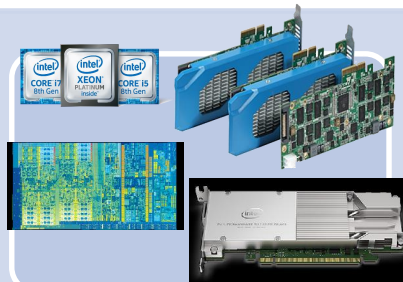
Inexpensive
Widely
Deployed
Cameras



Increasing
Edge 2 Cloud
Networking
capacity with
5G



Deep Learning
Networks with
Increasing
Accuracy



Increasing
Compute
Capacity and
Options

Intel Video Analytics Hardware

CPU



Intel® CPU
Client and server

Scalar

GPU



Intel® GPU
Integrated and
discrete

Vector

VPU



Intel® Vision
Accelerator Design
with Intel®
Movidius™ Vision
Processing Units
(VPU)

Matrix

FPGA

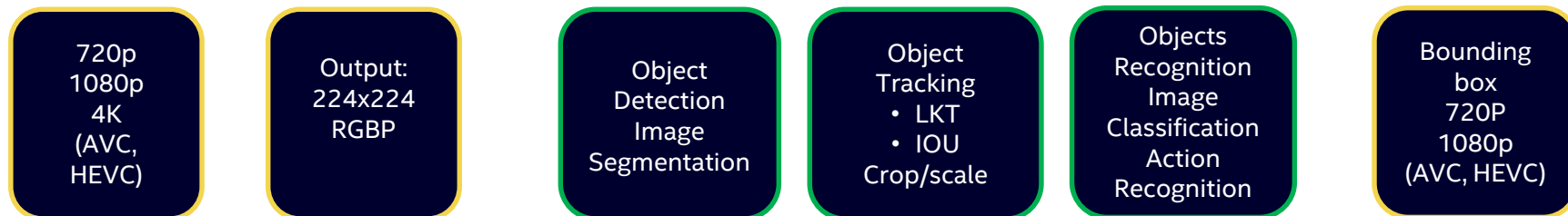
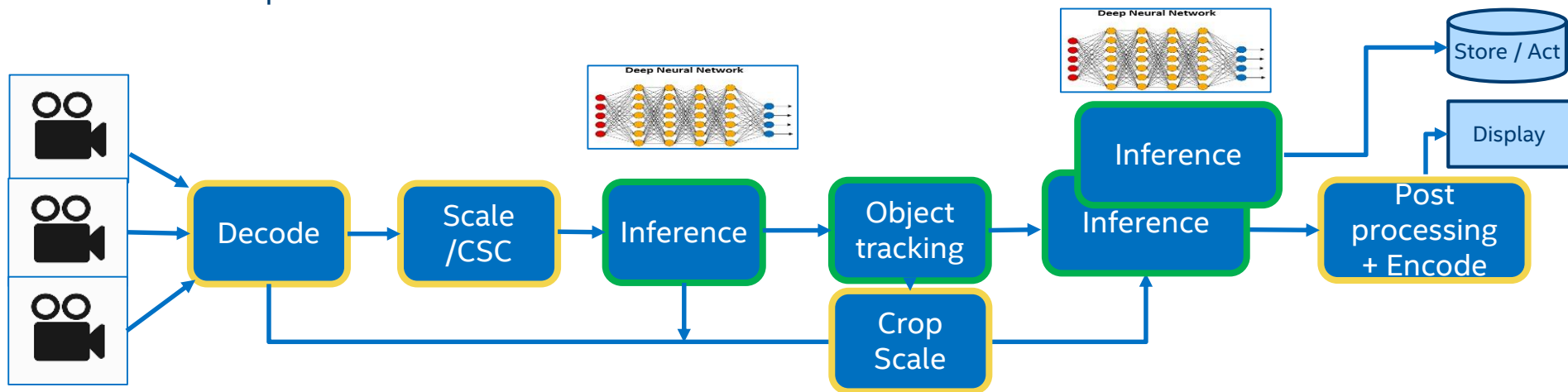


Intel® Vision
Accelerator Design
with an Intel® Arria
10 FPGA (preview)

Spatial

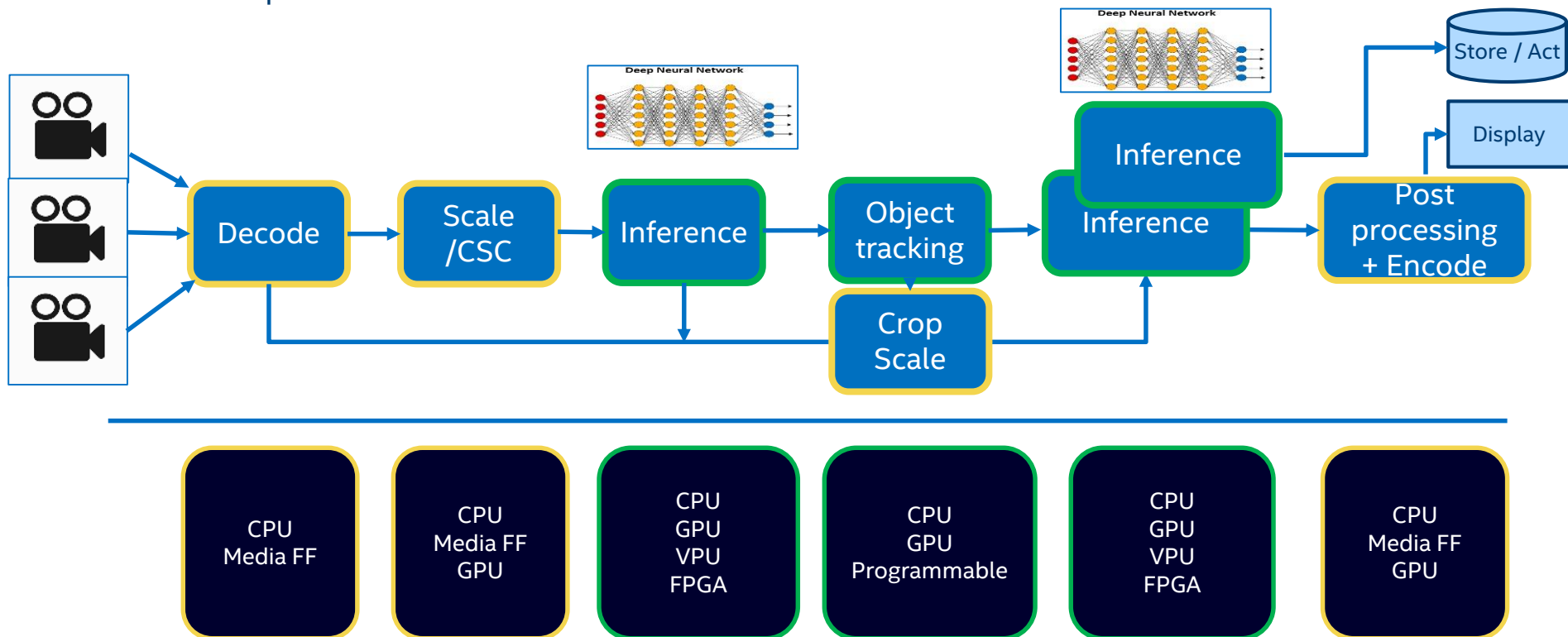
Typical Video Analytics Pipeline

Media + Compute



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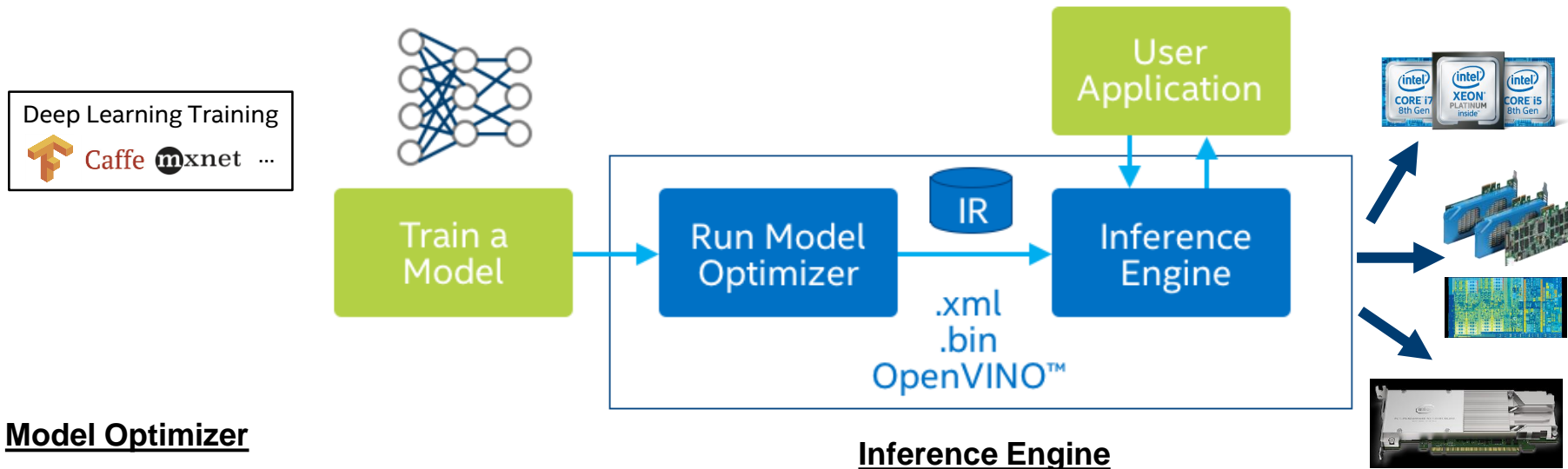


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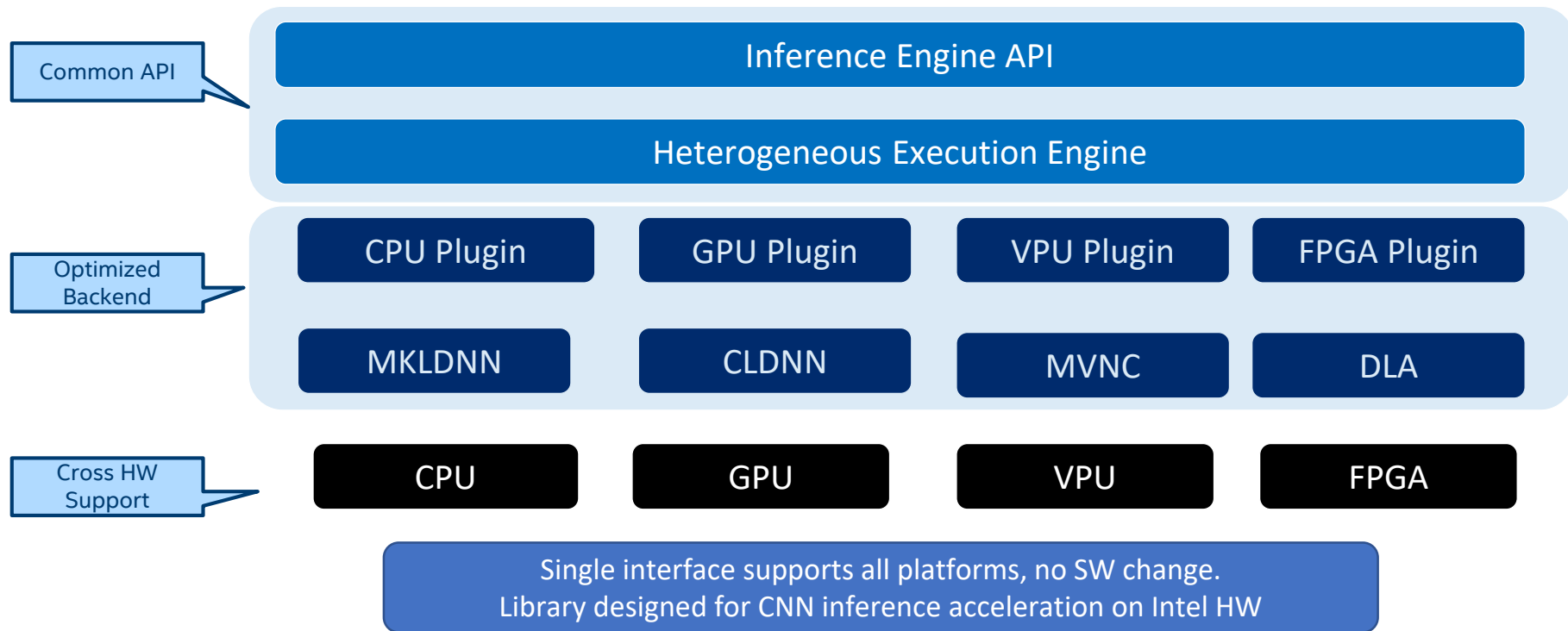
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OpenVINO

Optimized Inference Across Different Hardware

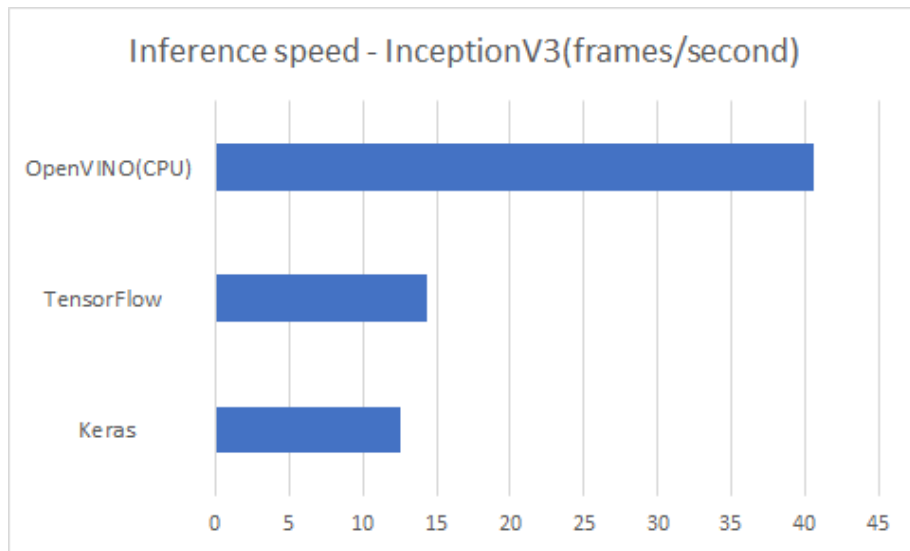


OpenVINO High Level Design



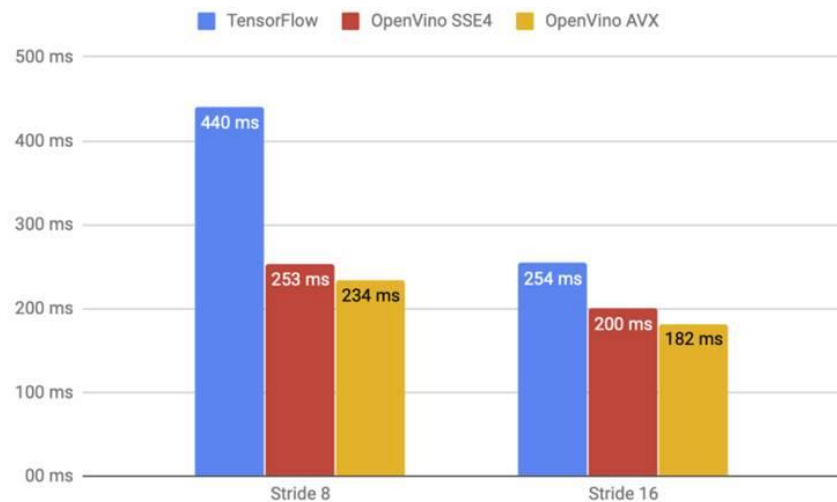
OpenVINO Performance Gains

Increased Throughput



<https://www.dlology.com/blog/how-to-run-keras-model-inference-x3-times-faster-with-cpu-and-intel-openvino-1/>

Reduced Latency



Inference speed comparison between TensorFlow and OpenVINO on a DeepLabV3+ / MobileNetV2 / ASPP head network.

<https://hackernoon.com/optimizing-neural-networks-for-production-with-intels-openvino-a7ee3a6883d>

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GStreamer Video Analytics



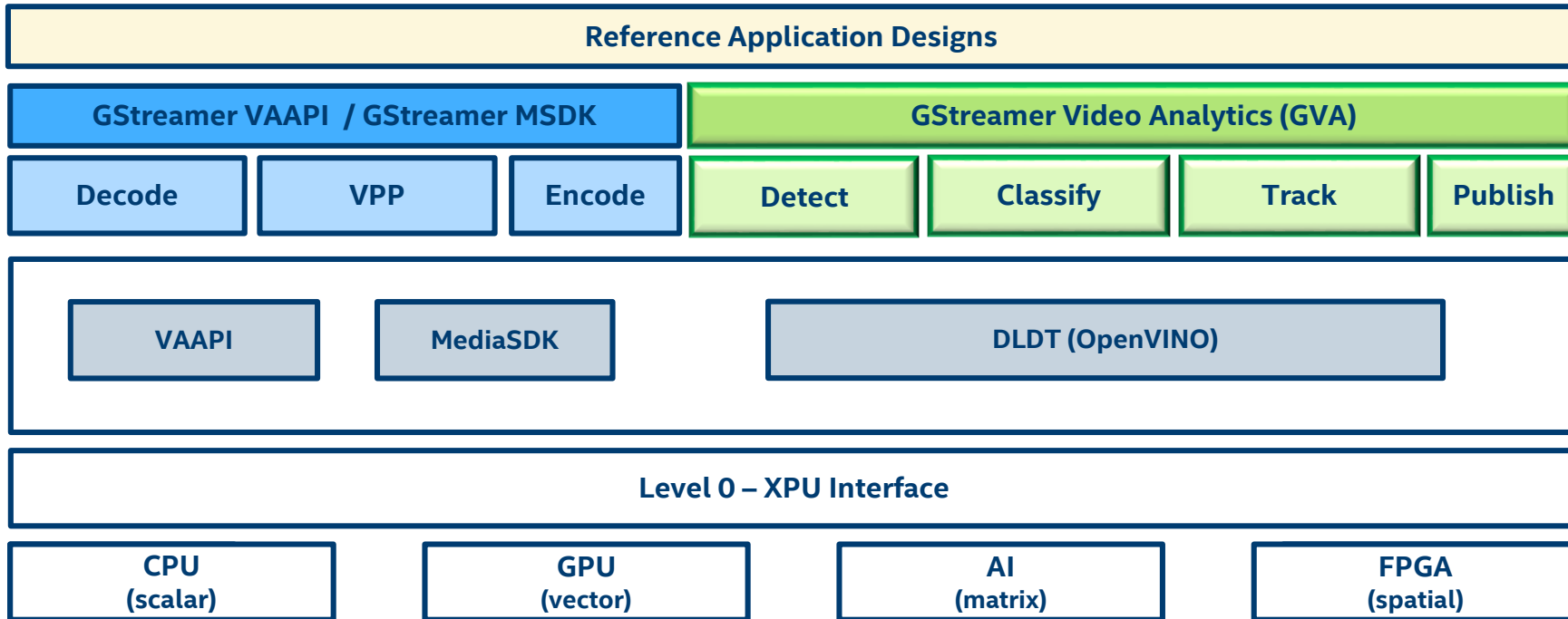
Optimized Media Framework



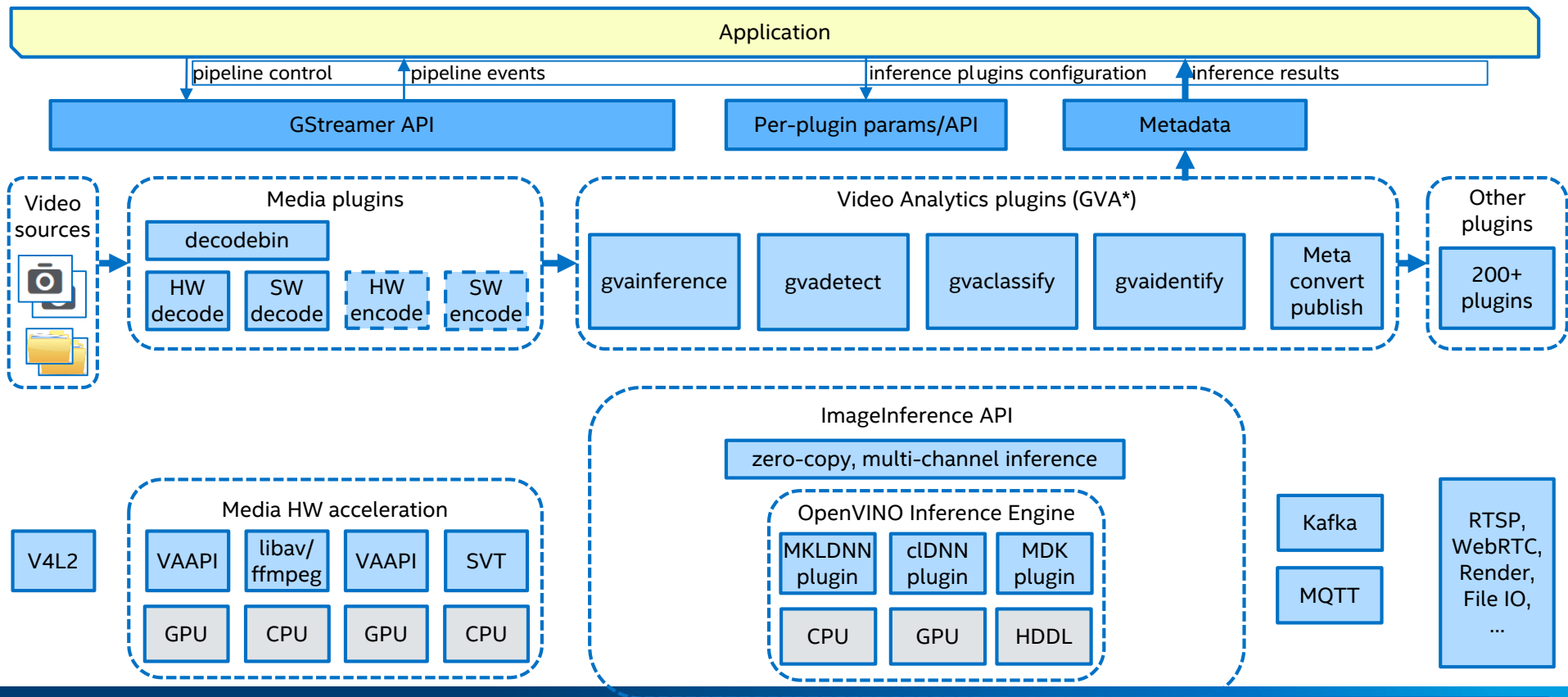
OpenVINO

Optimized Inference Engine

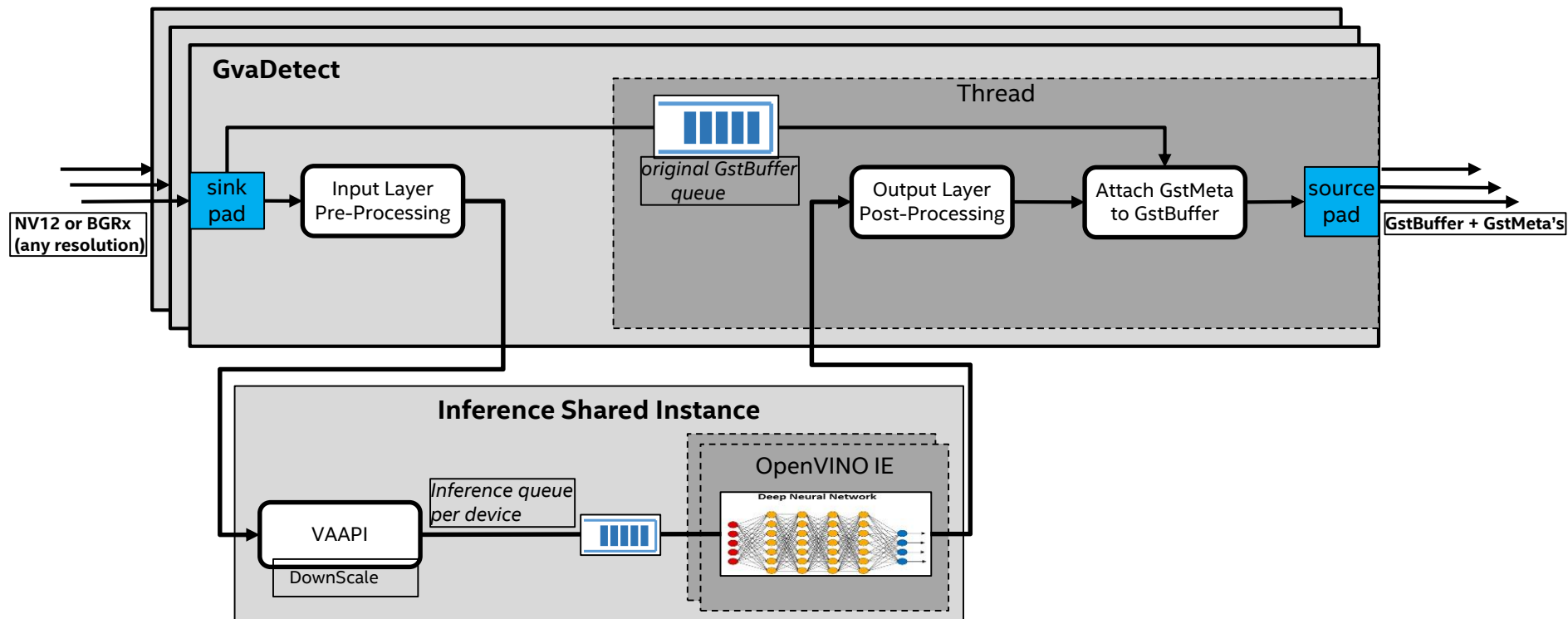
GStreamer Video Analytics



GStreamer Plugins Architecture

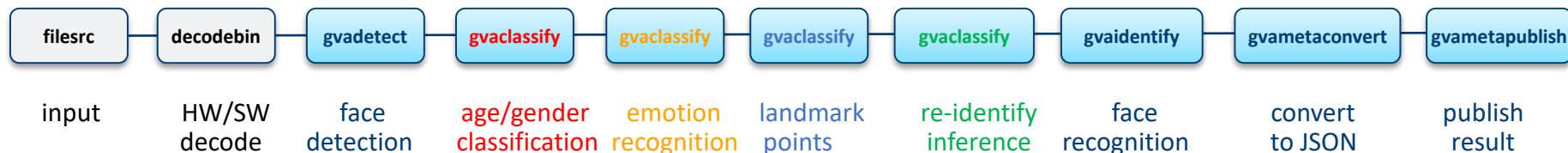


GVA Inference Plugins Architecture



GStreamer Pipeline Example

Video Analytics pipeline – face detection plus age, gender, person recognition



```
filesrc location=${FILE} !
decodebin ! \
gvadetect model=face-detection-adas-0001.xml model-proc=face-detection-adas-0001.json ! queue ! \
gvaclassify device=CPU model=age-gender-recognition.xml model-proc=age-gender-recognition.json ! queue ! \
gvaclassify device=GPU model=emotions-recognition.xml model-proc=emotions-recognition.json ! queue ! \
gvaclassify device=MULTI:CPU,GPU model=landmarks-regression.xml model-proc=landmarks-regression.json ! queue ! \
gvaclassify model=face-reidentification.xml model-proc=face-reidentification.json ! queue ! \
gvaidentify gallery=face_gallery.json ! queue ! \
gvametaconvert method=json ! \
gvametapublish ip=128.45.0.34
```

Running on devices...

DL model

GStreamer Video Analytics Plugins List

GST element	Description	INPUT	OUTPUT	Properties
gvainference	Generic inference	GstBuffer	INPUT + GvaTensorMeta	Properties
gvadetect	Object detection	GstBuffer	INPUT + GstVideoRegionOfInterestMeta	Properties
gvaclassify	Object classification	GstBuffer + GstVideoRegionOfInterestMeta	INPUT + GstVideoRegionOfInterestMeta	Properties
gvaidentify	Object identification/ recognition	GstBuffer + GstVideoRegionOfInterestMeta	INPUT + GstVideoRegionOfInterestMeta	Properties
gvametaconvert	Metadata conversion	GstBuffer + GvaTensorMeta/ GstVideoRegionOfInterestMeta	INPUT + GvaJSONMeta	Properties
gvawatermark	Overlay	GstBuffer + GvaDetectionMeta + { GvaTensorMeta }	INPUT (with modified image)	Properties
gvametapublish	Message bus (Kafka, MQTT)	GstBuffer + GvaJSONMeta	-	Properties

Metadata

Detection:

GstVideoRegionOfInterestMeta

roi_type – Detection Label (Face, Bottle, ...)

x – x component of upper-left corner

y – component of upper-left corner

w – bounding box width

h – bounding box height

params – List of Classification Results

Classification:

Parameter of Region of Interest

model_name – name of model

layer_name – output layer name

label – Classification Label (Age, Gender)

data – Tensor data

Metaconvert:

GvaJSONMeta

message – JSON Object Representing list of regions and classifications per frame

```
{
  "timestamp": 0,
  "objects": [
    {
      "h": 85, "w": 76, "x": 262, "y": 601,
      "roi_type": "face",
      "age": { "label": "24", "model": {
        "name": "age_gender"
      }
    },
      "emotion": {
        "label": "anger",
        "model": {
          "name": "0003_EmoNet_ResNet10"
        }
      }
    },
  ],
}
```

Common Properties

model – path to model (.xml) in IR format

model-proc – path to JSON file with description of input/ output layers for pre/post processing

device – target device for inference (CPU, GPU, CPU-GPU, HDDL, multi device)

inference-id – unique id to enable inference engine instance sharing between OpenVINO plugin instances

batch-size - number of frames to process in one request

nireq - number of inference requests to run in parallel

every-nth-frame – run inference only on each N-th frame

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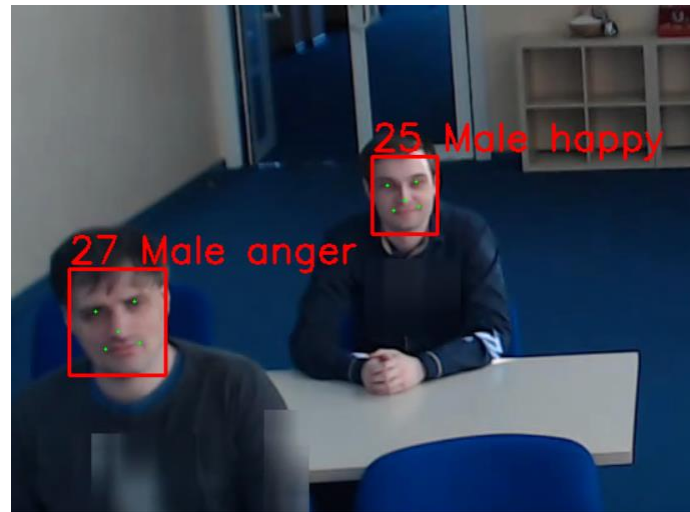
Face Detection And Classification

Models:

Detection: **face-detection-adas-0001.xml**
Classification: **age-gender-recognition-retail-0013.xml**
Classification: **emotions-recognition-retail-0003.xml**
Classification: **landmarks-regression-retail-0009.xml**

Pipeline:

```
gst-launch-1.0 --gst-plugin-path ${GST_PLUGIN_PATH} \  
filesrc location=$INPUT !! decodebin ! video/x-raw ! videoconvert ! \  
gvadetect model=$DETECT_MODEL_PATH device=$DEVICE pre-proc=$PRE_PROC ! queue ! \  
gvaclassify model=$CLASS_MODEL_PATH model-proc=$(PROC_PATH $MODEL2_PROC) device=$DEVICE pre-  
proc=$PRE_PROC ! queue ! \  
gvaclassify model=$CLASS_MODEL_PATH1 model-proc=$(PROC_PATH $MODEL3_PROC) device=$DEVICE pre-  
proc=$PRE_PROC ! queue ! \  
gvaclassify model=$CLASS_MODEL_PATH2 model-proc=$MODEL4_PROC device=$DEVICE pre-  
proc=$PRE_PROC ! queue ! \  
gwatermark ! videoconvert ! gvametaconvert method=detection ! fpsdisplaysink video-sink=ximagesink sync=false
```



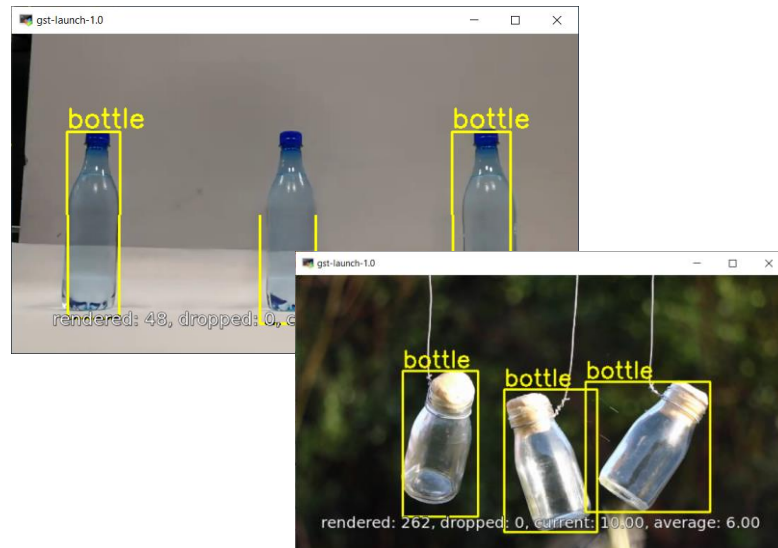
Multi-Channel Object Detection

Models:

Detection: mobilenet-ssd.xml

Pipelines:

```
gst-launch-1.0 --gst-plugin-path ${GST_PLUGIN_PATH} \  
filesrc location=/root/video-examples/bottle_1.mp4 ! \  
  decodebin ! video/x-raw ! videoconvert ! \  
  gvadetect model=$DETECT_MODEL_PATH device=$DEVICE pre-  
proc=$PRE_PROC inference-id=1 model-proc=/root/models/object_detection/1/mobilenet-  
ssd.json ! queue ! \  
  gwatermark ! videoconvert ! gvafpcounter ! fpsdisplaysink video-  
sink=ximagesink sync=false \  
\  
filesrc location=/root/video-examples/bottle_2.mp4 ! \  
  decodebin ! video/x-raw ! videoconvert ! videoscale ! video/x-raw,width=640,height=360 ! \  
  gvadetect model=$DETECT_MODEL_PATH device=$DEVICE pre-  
proc=$PRE_PROC inference-id=1 model-proc=/root/models/object_detection/1/mobilenet-  
ssd.json ! queue ! \  
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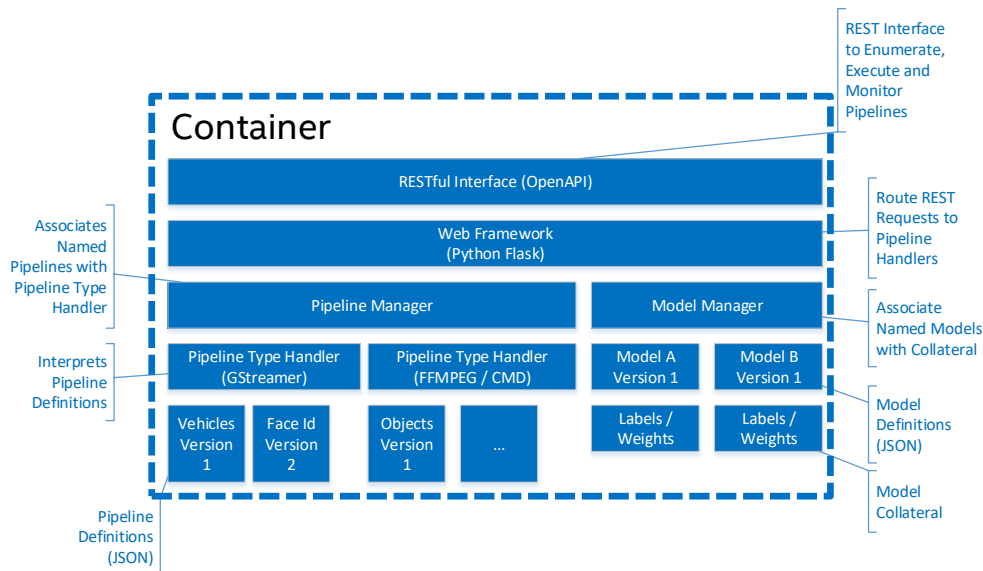


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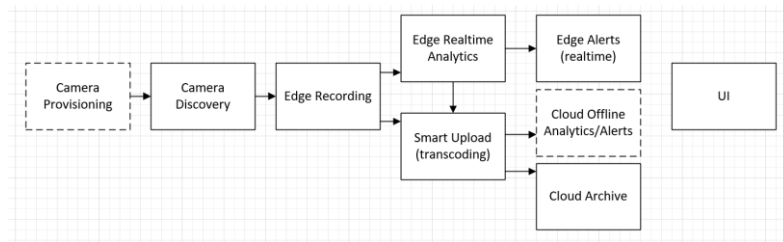
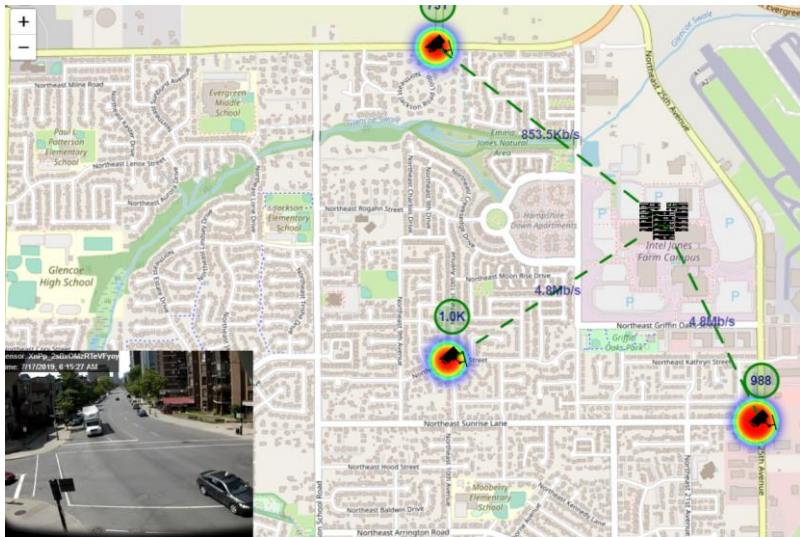
Video Analytics Serving

- <https://github.com/intel/video-analytics-serving>
- Containerized uService for Video Analytics
- RESTful interfaces for executing and monitoring video analytics pipelines
- Interface agnostic to underlying implementation (GStreamer, FFMPEG, Custom backend)
- Support scaling through container deployment and orchestration frameworks
- Simple to integrate and ready to scale



Smart Cities: Open Visual Cloud

Process video streams and events from
multiple cameras in real-time



Video Analytics Serving

GStreamer Elements

Decode

Scale, CSC

gvadetect

gvaclassify

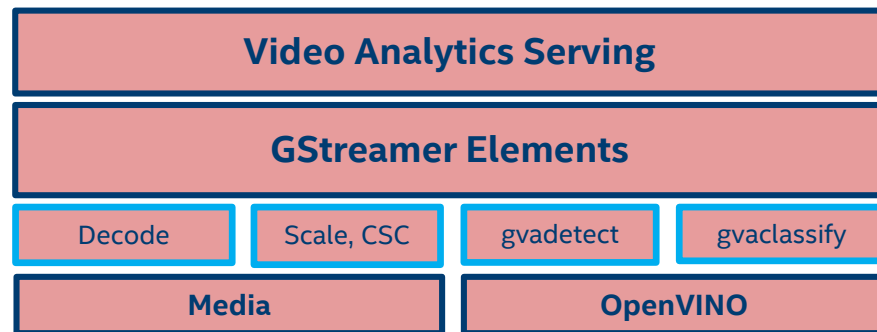
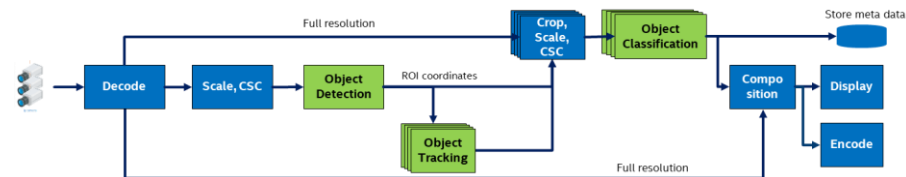
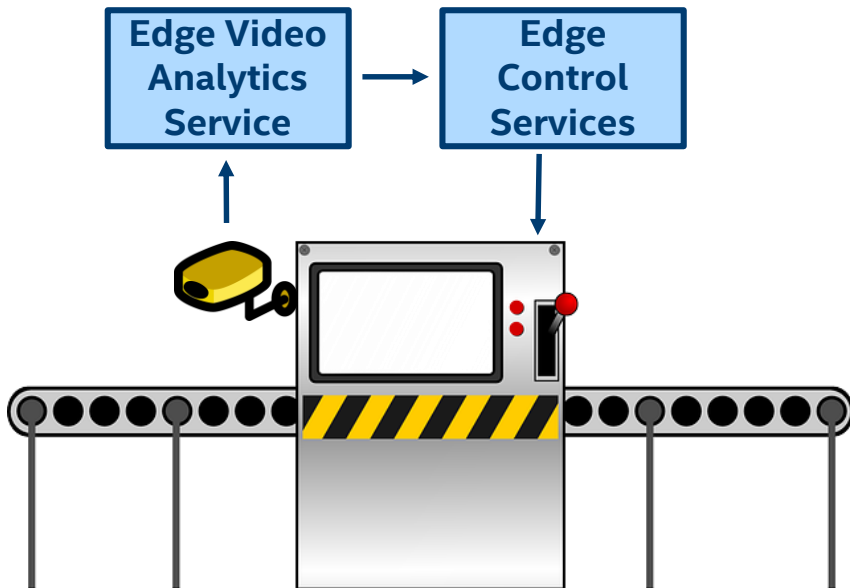
Media

OpenVINO

```
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  decodebin ! \  
    gvadetect model=vehicle_detection.xml model-  
proc=vehicle_detection.json ! queue ! \  
  gwatermark ! videoconvert ! metapublish method =  
mqt
```

Manufacturing Fault Detection: Edge Insights Platform

Identify defects and respond in real-time



```
gst-launch-1.0 filesrc location=${FILE} !  
  decodebin ! \  
    gvadetect model=fault_detection.xml model-  
proc=fault_detection.json ! queue ! \  
  gwatermark ! videoconvert ! metapublish method =  
kafka
```

Resources

OpenVINO

- <https://github.com/opencv/dldt>

GStreamer Video Analytics

- <https://github.com/opencv/gst-video-analytics>

Video Analytics Serving

- <https://github.com/intel/video-analytics-serving>

Open Visual Cloud

- Smart City sample
<https://github.com/OpenVisualCloud/Smart-City-Sample>
- Ad Insertion sample
<https://github.com/OpenVisualCloud/Ad-Insertion-Sample>
- Docker files including FFMPEG Video Analytics Filters
<https://github.com/OpenVisualCloud/Dockerfiles>

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