Netanel Haber



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I like working deep in inference: KV-cache behavior, sampling, batching and scheduling, memory layout, and making models run both faster and more reliably. I used to be full-stack/MLOps and still enjoy building small tools that just work.

NVIDIA · Systems Inference Engineer (via Deci.ai acquisition) · 2024-current

Worked across nearly the entire inference stack: serving, sampling logic, model forward pass, KV-cache and inflight-batching, accuracy and performance evaluation.

- Variable Sliding Window Attention: <u>Allocate minimal blocks per window size</u>, redesigned KV-cache to support multiple attention windows efficiently, partitioned memory per window, schedulers became window-aware. Also <u>solved underallocation in VSWA+/VGQA</u> with smarter per-window block budgeting.
- <u>Unified sampling surface</u>: standardized token-output across runtime, speculative decoding, and samplers without slowing things down. <u>Made Finish Reason computation async and overlappable</u>.
- FP8 enablement: activated FP8 flows for Llama3.1-Nemotron-51B in ModelOpt quantizer (VGQA + NoOp attention + NoOp FFN + linear layers made this nontrivial)
- Upstream model support: added Nemotron NAS support and evaluation in SGLang (PR)

Deci.ai · Infra + Inference (acquired by NVIDIA) · 2022–2023

- Worked on InferyLLM: OpenAl-compatible server; cancellable generation; shipped end-to-end (frontend → Kubernetes → CUDA) to launch DeciLM-7B
- Preserved TensorRT timing cache at scale (hundreds to thousands of models) across Kubernetes nodes
- One-click training visualization: on-demand TensorBoard via K8s Jobs (S3-backed, FastAPI proxy, React iframe)
- Before that: fullstack MLOps, backend, and frontend for Deci's computer vision trainers

CardLatch · Frontend Lead (React/TypeScript) · 2020–2022

Built async CRUD UI, facility map navigator, 16-stream websocket camera viewer, and migrated the stack to TypeScript.

Earlier

3 years in the IDF as a metallurgy lab technician focused on failure analyses and producing metallographic specimens, including reports on 3D-printed metals.

Freelance and Fun

- checkers vanilla TypeScript PvP/PvC with web workers, undo/redo, mobile, no runtime libs
- 8086/8 disassembler
- <u>localfiles.stream</u> local media player PWA with some vibe-coding
- <u>use-easy-infinite-scroll</u> (npm)
- my ChatGPT custom instructions

Skills

Python, C/C++, CUDA; TensorRT-LLM, VLLM, HF, SGLang; continuous batching; Kubernetes, Docker; tracing and metrics; performance tooling (nsys, Chrome perf); Frontend when it is fun.