

# Lightning Talks

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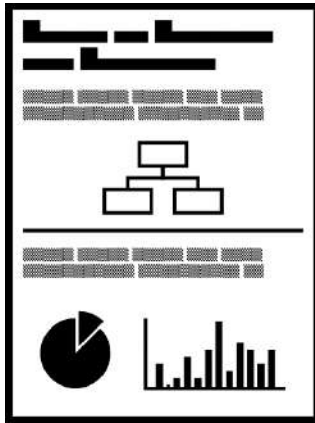
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- There will be 3 awards for best 3 posters
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# Lightning Talks



# Lightning Talk

- Introduce your poster
- 1-minute talk
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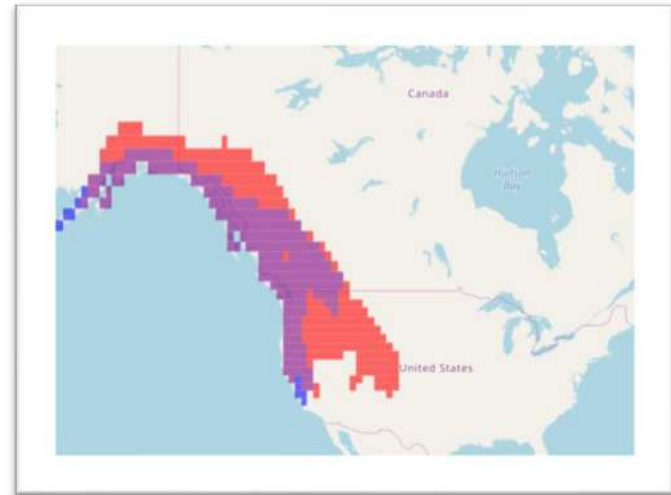
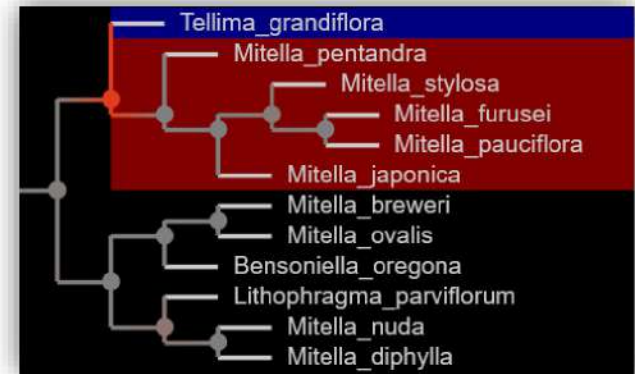
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## Lifemapper on Sage2

Michael Elliott, James Beach, CJ Grady, Aimee Stewart, José AB Fortes

- **Lifemapper:**
  - A geographic information system that aggregates biodiversity data and runs predictive species distribution models
- **Lifemapper on SAGE2:**
  - A SAGE2 adaptation of the existing Lifemapper results interface
- **What it does:**
  - Interactively displays species occurrence data and predictions provided by Lifemapper



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# Compressing Recurrent Neural Network Model using Vector Quantization

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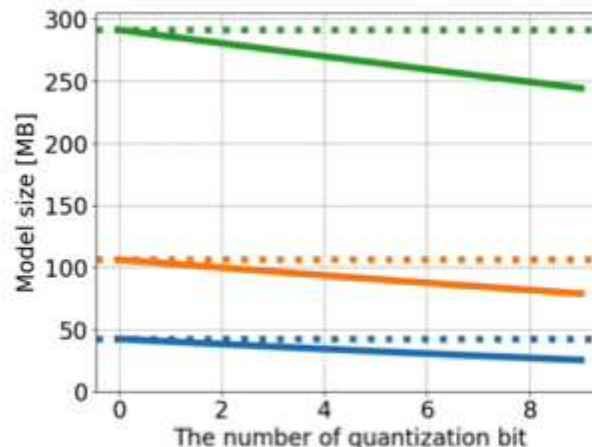
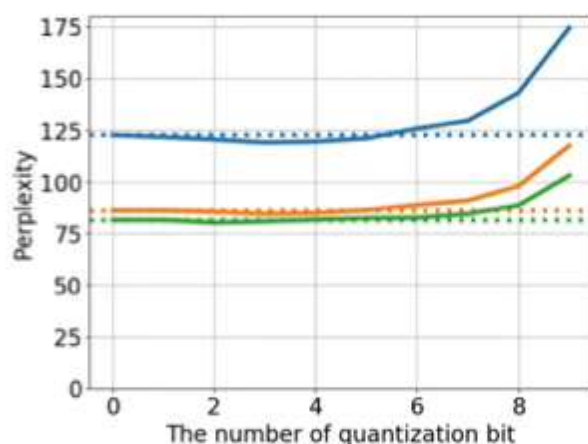
**Goal:** Reduce the RNN model's size without significant accuracy loss

## Methodology:

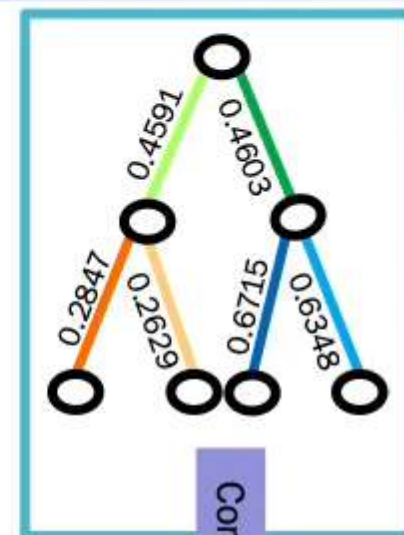
- Analyze RNN model's structure using hierarchical data format extractor to know how the model store their weight and their structure.
- Implement the vector quantizer to quantize the weights for reducing the number of weights in the model.

## Evaluation:

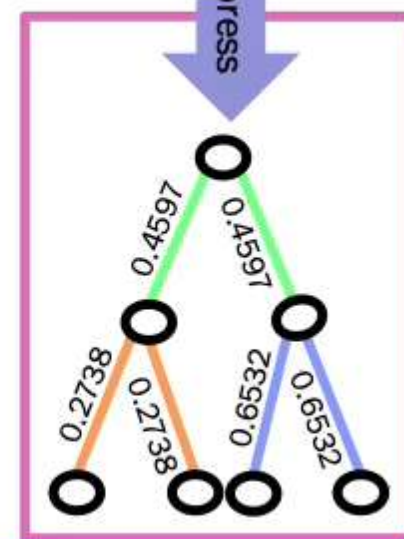
- Compressed model is evaluated by the model size and the model accuracy
- We reduced the RNN model's size by 15% without significant accuracy loss



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Compress





# Realizing robust and secure IoT service with microservices

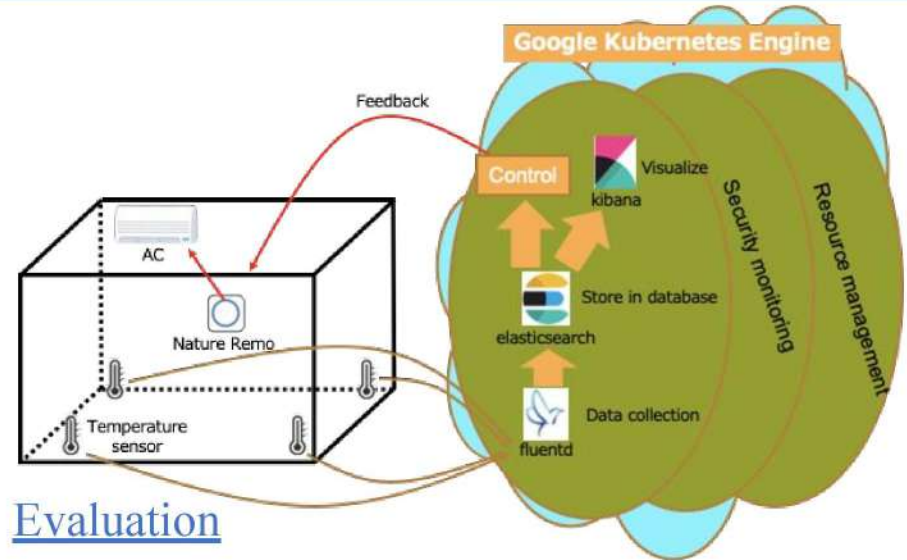
Miyagoshi Kazuki<sup>1</sup>, Shimojo Shinji<sup>2</sup>

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Collect and analyze data from IoT devices in real time, and develop a platform for optimal control of ACs on Kubernetes.

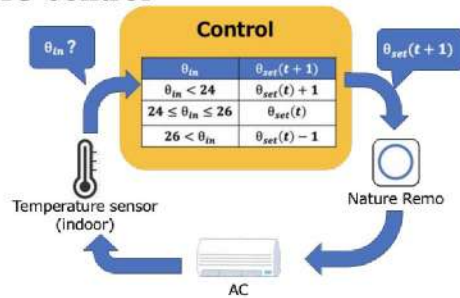
The aim is to build a robust system that can cope with security and load imbalances.



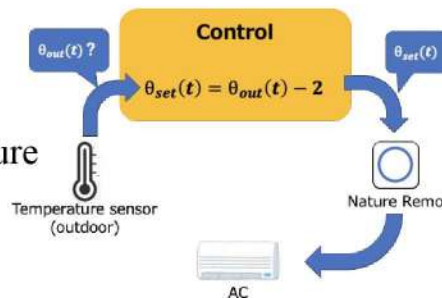
## AC Controls

As PoC, two types of AC control

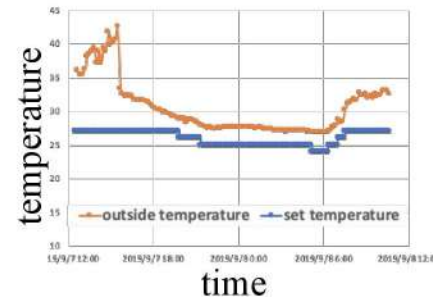
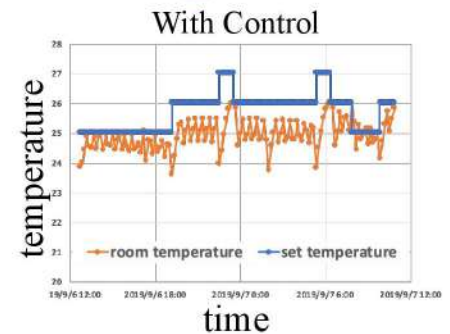
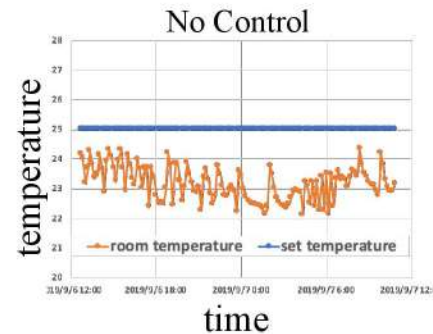
1. Maintain the indoor temperature where there are people located.



2. Maintain the difference between outside temperature and room temperature.



## Evaluation





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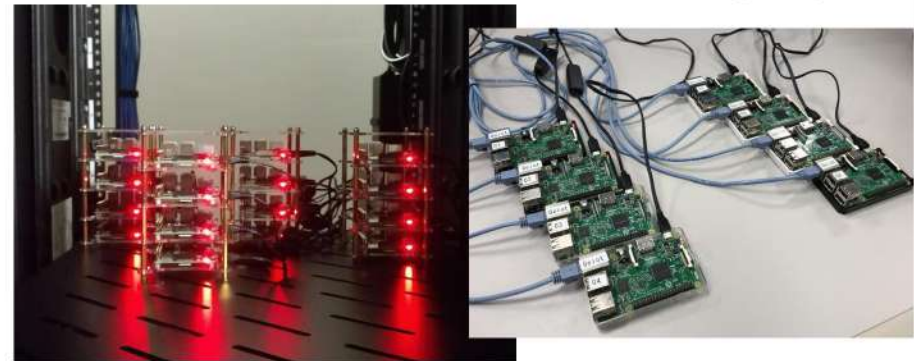




# Distributed Testbed for Edge Computing



- Cluster Size:
  - UF: 16 Raspberry Pi 3B+ Nodes
  - NAIST: 8 Raspberry Pi 3B+ Nodes
- Virtualization and Orchestration:
  - Docker, Kubernetes
- Overlay Network: IPOP VPN



## Investigating the Performance and Scalability of Kubernetes on Distributed Cluster of Resource-Constrained Edge Devices

- Benchmarking Tool: kbench (<https://github.com/keichi/kbench>)



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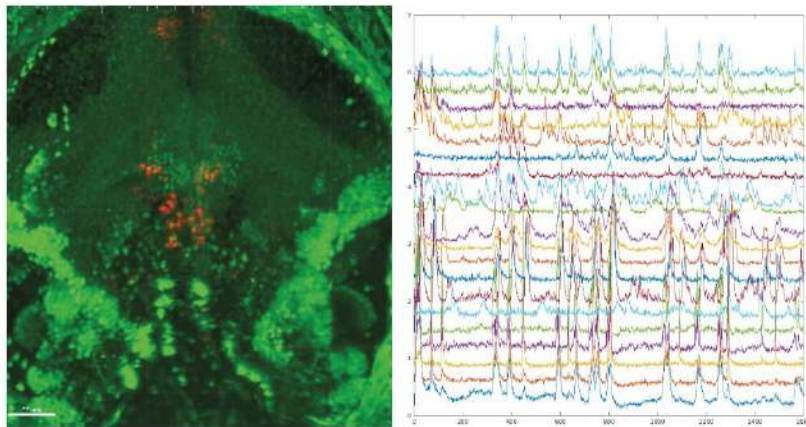
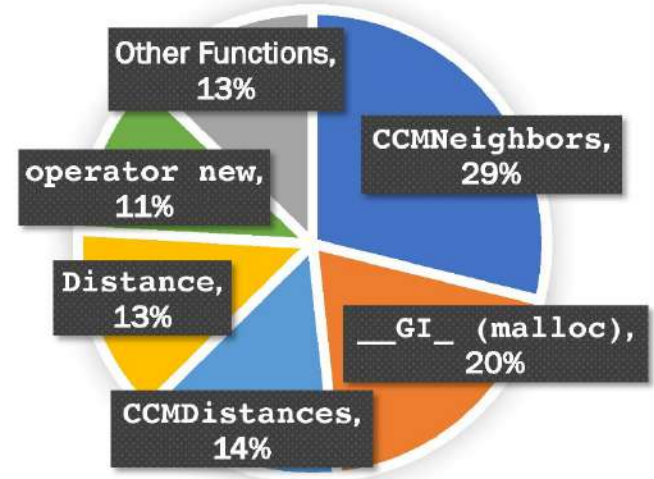


# Modeling of Complete Zebrafish Brain Neural Activities on ABCI

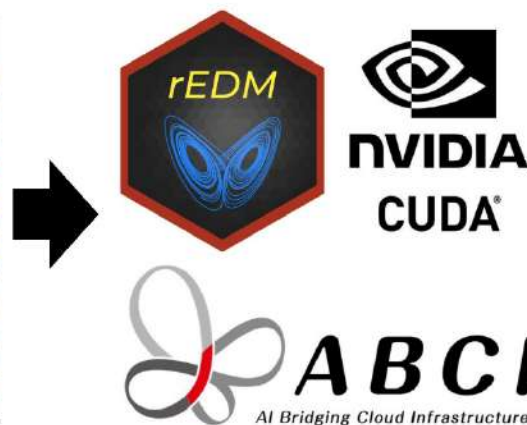
Wassapon Watanakesuntorn, Kohei Ichikawa, Keichi Takahashi, Jason Haga, Gerald Pao

- “Zebrafish Neural Activity Maps for Novel Neuromorphic Deep Learning Architectures” from UCSD
  - Collects and analyzes Zebrafish neural activity for use with Convergent Cross Mapping (CCM) from Empirical Dynamical Modeling (EDM)
  - Find the relationships within the neural activity network of the Zebrafish brain
  - Uses EDM library for CCM calculation on ABCI
- CUDA enabling and optimizing EDM library for ABCI

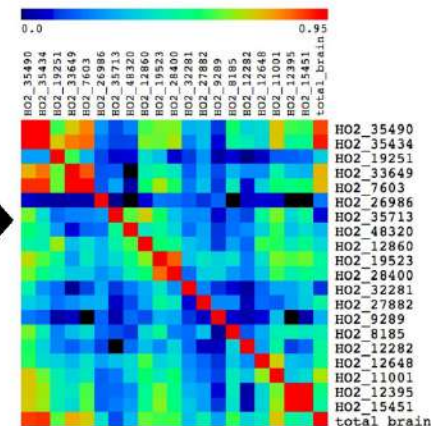
## Breakdown CPU Time (cppEDM)



Zebrafish Neural Activity  
(Data size up to Petabytes)



Calculate CCM on ABCI



Causal Relationships  
Determined by CCM





# Integrated Application and Performance Monitoring at the IoT Edge

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## Aims & Challenges

- Build an integrated solution for IoT infrastructures and applications.
- The system must be flexible enough to work with various kinds of generally used IoT sensors and devices.
- The system must be scalable and power-efficient.

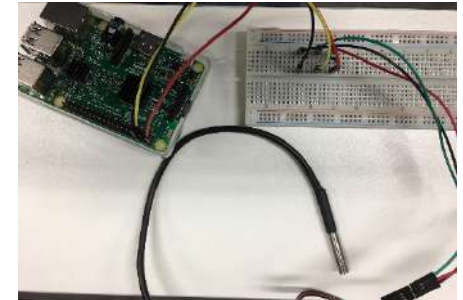


Figure 1 : IoT gateway with temperature sensor

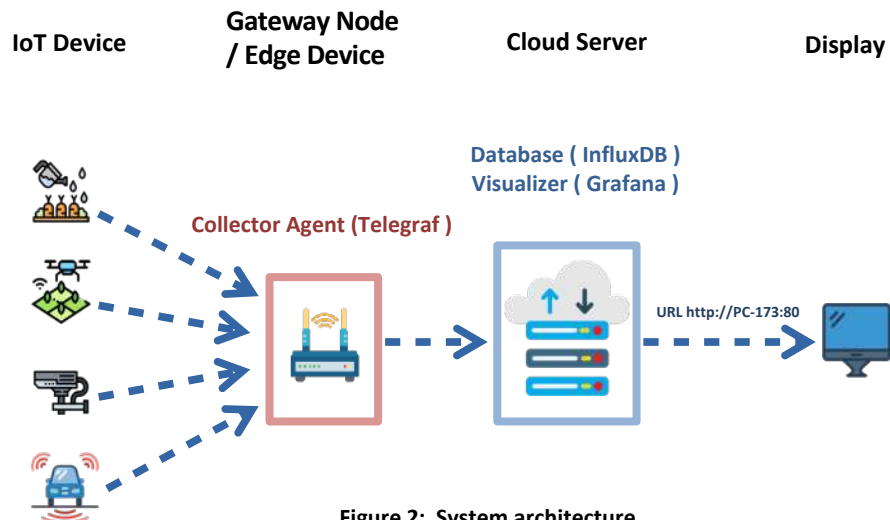


Figure 2: System architecture

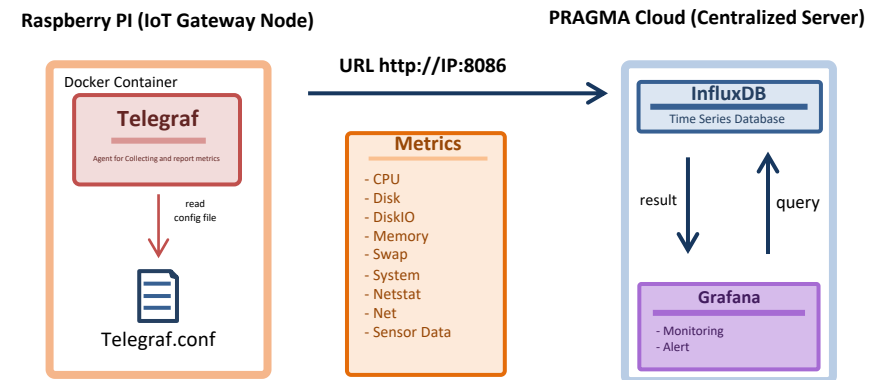


Figure 3: TIC Stack architecture

# Digital Object Architecture data layer over a network storage system

Research Data Alliance (RDA) community is exploring a global Digital Object Architecture (DOA) for FAIR data (data that is findable, accessible, interoperable, and reusable). FAIR data will reside in databases, in large scale data centers, and in trusted repositories. Data can be universally discoverable through the DOA.

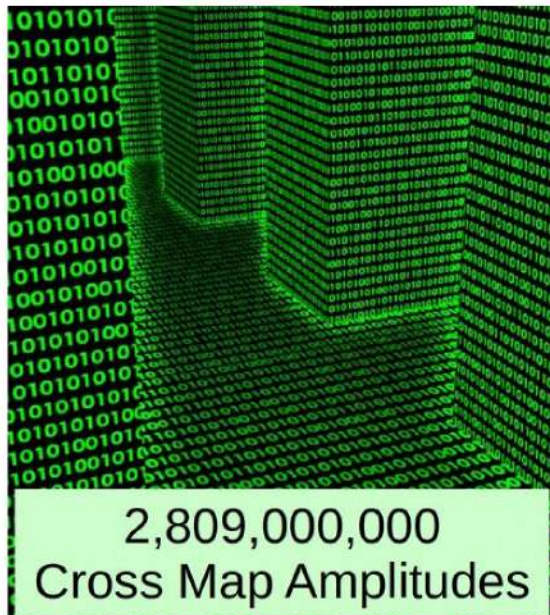
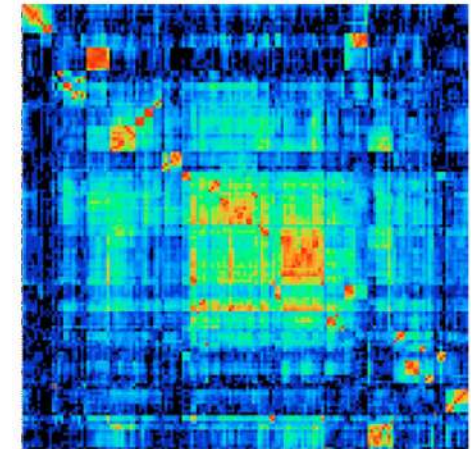
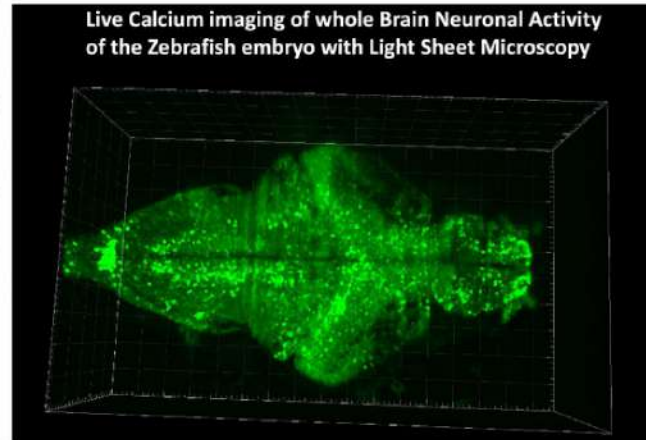
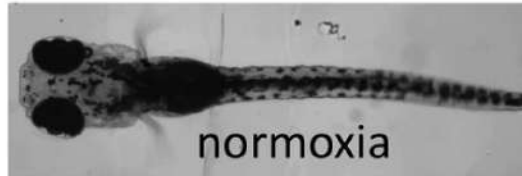
A novel data storage approach is the network storage system, used by applications like Named Data Networking.

We explore how a network storage system (UNIS of Martin Swany) will interoperate with the DOA layer and take advantage of the PID Kernel Information (Beth Plale), and the E-RPID testbed (Rob Quick).

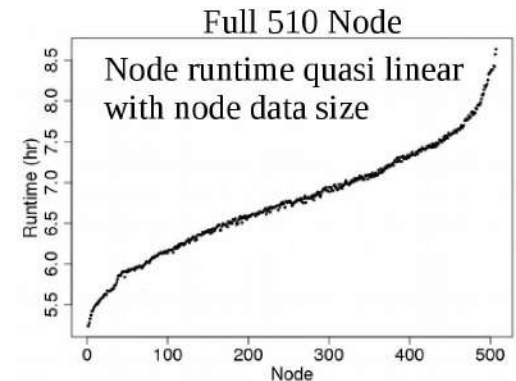
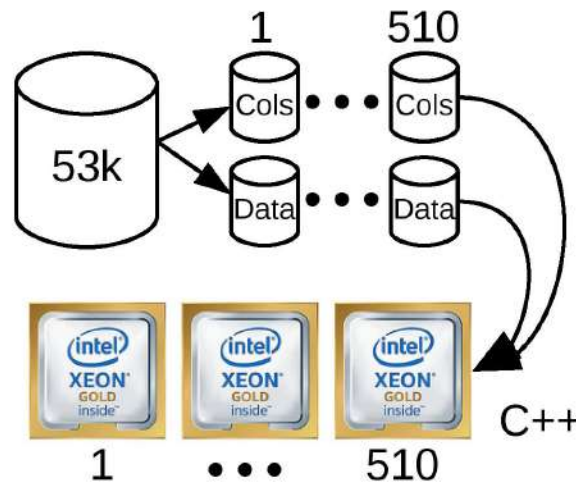
Our research is:

1. developing a ***Lakes Integrative Digital Object (LIDO)*** that delivers to an application a set of logical objects in the DOA space, while managing the raw data in Unis, and
2. LIDO's ability to contribute to trust at the local level.

# Massively Parallel Empirical Dynamic Cross Mapping



Decompose 53K time series  
Across 510 compute nodes



53,052 20-Dimensional  
Embeddings with Dimension  
Estimate and 2.81E9 EDM  
Cross Maps in 8.5 hours.



## Motivation

In Indonesia, eleven provinces are vulnerable to forest and plantation fires. The firefighting process faces many challenges as the condition and extensive area of the disaster. Flying ad-hoc network (FANET) is a promising solution for rescue teams in turning off the flame or evacuating victims. In this research, we simulate and compare the performances of FANET using greedy and most forward routing (MFR) protocol to get more suitable routing protocol applied in the environment.

## Environment

There occurs a forest/plantation fire. Rescue team employs FANET in overcoming the fire. Unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV) within FANET move in coordination within three-dimensional space



Figure 1. Illustration of FANET in the land fire area

## Simulation

We conduct an NS2 simulation of forest/plantation fire-fighting using FANET. The movement of the nodes is manually generated. The nodes move in a coordinated fashion through four stages of movement, starting from covering area, scanning area, rescue, and rescue 2.

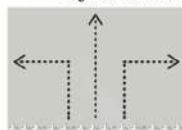
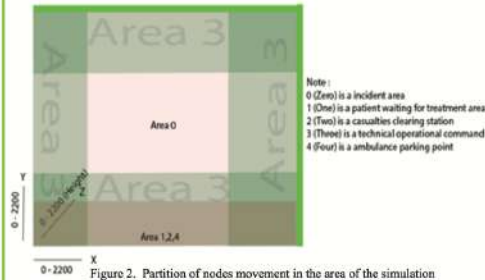


Figure 3. Covering



Figure 4. Scanning



Figure 5. Rescue



Figure 6. Rescue 2

Table 1. Simulation parameters

Parameter	Value
NS 2 simulator	2.35
MAC type	IEEE 802.11g
Propagation model	Freospace
Simulation area	2200 x 2100 x 300 m
Simulation environment	Plantation fires
Transmission range	200
Traffic type	CBR
Data packet size	512 bytes
Queue type	Drop tail
Simulation time	100 second
Number of nodes	48
Speed of nodes	100, 200, 300, 400 m/dt
Simulation protocol	GEO / position based
Node mobility	Disaster area model

## Result

We examine end-to-end delay, throughput, packet delivery ratio, and routing overhead for different speed of the nodes. We compare performances of FANET using greedy and most forward routing (MFR) protocol.

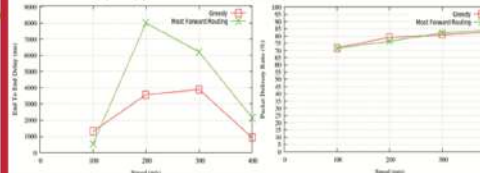


Figure 7. End to end delay

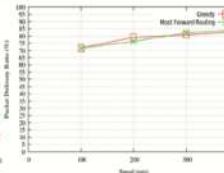


Figure 8. Packet delivery ratio

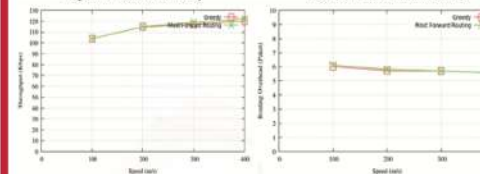


Figure 9. Throughput

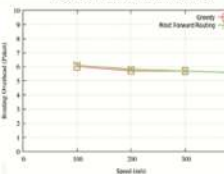


Figure 10. Routing overhead

## Conclusion

Based on the simulation results, we recommend greedy routing protocol for FANET on Fire-Fighting, as Greedy provides a lesser end to end delay, while other performance parameters are approximately comparable to MFR.

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## Mobile Apps Gamification for Mental Health

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### ABSTRAK

Gamification is the use of game and design elements in a non-game context. The method of gamification involves the use of game elements such as leaderboards, difficulty levels, and prizes. In this research, the gamification approach is used to obtain the user's mental health data to facilitate data retrieval. This study uses Data of Depression, Anxiety, Stress Scale (DASS) as a reference to make gamification for obtaining data from user easily, efficiently, and pleasantly. We use gamification for data collection. Scenarios are made to represent each question in DASS using actors. We use the User Experience Questionnaire (UEQ) to determine the user's impression when running the application. The results of this test found that users feel fun, efficient, and easy when running this application.

**Keyword:** Gamification, Mental Health, Mobile Apps

### INTRODUCTION

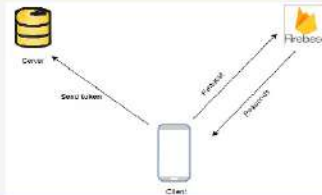
Game and gamification have different meanings. Games are games that were developed to provide additional benefits besides entertainment. The use of games for recreation itself is primary, and other aspects as secondary excellence, perhaps in the form of employee education and orientation. Whereas gamification only involves the use of game elements such as leaderboards, difficulty levels, and prizes. In this study, the gamification approach is used to obtain the user's mental health data. The use of the gamification method approach in this study can facilitate data retrieval. With this research, variations in data collection methods are increasing, not only interviews, questionnaires, or observations. The data obtained will be visualized into tables and pie charts through the website platform.

### METHODS

First, researchers conducted data collection using the FGD (Forum Group Discussion) method involving six students and six students at SMKN 3 Jakarta. The FGD run into two sessions. Each session is 30 minutes long. The topics discussed in the FGD are mental health disorders that are often experienced by adolescents. After collecting data, the researcher makes a scenario or a picture of the situation. Scenarios are made to represent each question in DASS. Researchers also create actors who can represent the object of research or FGD participants. We create two actors called Sutono and Sutini. Sutini is an actor who represents a woman who has a cheerful nature, but when she is in a bad mood, she can become an angry person, and be a little sensitive. Sutono is an actor who represents an ordinary man. He is a passionate figure. Sometimes he can lose his enthusiasm and become someone who loses his enthusiasm to do an activity. The next stage is the implementation of all the previous stages into the application. Implementation begins with designing the Galaw application. Then proceed with creating a database. Then create a website to see the user's mental health results.



### SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE



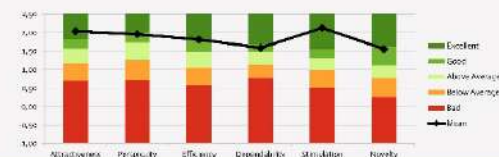
Results from user input on the mobile application will only display general results for young people. Detailed results in the form of scores for Stress, Anxiety, and Depressive is on the web where only admins can access. Admin can be counseling teachers in schools who need mental health data of their students.

### RESULTS



### TESTING

User Experience Questionnaire with 30 teenagers revealed that the application had an excellent level on the scale of attractiveness, perspicuity, efficiency, and stimulation, toward the general benchmarked products in the market. This result suggested that most of the respondents were impressed by the product along with its easiness to learn and to get familiar with. The easiness of user control, less difficulties on solving the given tasks, and the embedded gamification aspects, stimulated the high interest and motivation of respondents to use the application.



# Role Based Access Control Design for Indonesian E-Health Cloud

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# Punica Granatum Floral Pattern Vector Graphics Synthesis

營造法式海石榴華圖樣生成



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Figure 1: The sequence of generating Chinese Sea Punica Floral Pattern.

## Abstract

Architectural decorative painting of floral patterns on the surface of the Chinese traditional palace buildings is a sophisticated and time-consuming process. An ancient Chinese building code, titled "Yingzao Fashi", describes a variety of decorative floral patterns in the Song Dynasty (960-1279 AD). It is difficult to draw those floral patterns using existing digital vector graphics software because of their complexity. We developed a floral pattern synthesis system to ease the drawing process of decorative floral patterns. In this paper, a case study is presented to demonstrate that the proposed system is used to automatically draw the traditional Sea Punica Granatum architectural decorative patterns. The user moves the mouse cursor to draw the path of a stem. Then the leaves and flowers are synthesized. In addition, collision detection is implemented to control leaf density. Vector graphics pre-loading and threading techniques are used to achieve 0.3 ms rendering speed for user interaction.

## Introduction

Decorated patterns are difficult to draw by hand using vector graphics software because of its complicated features. For example, filling the space with a floral pattern. Untrained users tend to make mistakes during the painting. Decorated patterns have typically been used in traditional Chinese palace building painting. It is important for people to understand these decorative paintings and to appreciate the significance of that aspect of the culture. In this paper, we present an interactive system using HTML5 for fast synthesis of Chinese architectural decorative patterns described in the Yingzao Fashi building codes. In order to generate the decorative patterns in a variety of display resolutions, we use SVG (Scalable Vector Graphics) for our rendering results. Controlled by parameters, the proposed system can automatically grow vines and leaves following a curve defined by the mouse movements input of a user. Then, the synthesized decorative patterns can be further adjusted in terms of leaf density and parameters that control the sizes and the orientations of leaves and flower components.

The pipeline of the proposed system is shown in Figure 1. Inspired by the decorative patterns generation method DecoBrush [2], the proposed system allows the user to hand draw and define the stem curve, then flowers and leaves are attached to the stem. We implemented a Magnetic Curves [3] to fill the space between the flowers and boundary of the HTML5 canvas. Magnetic Curves are tracks of the electric charge in a constant magnetic field. Dynamically changing the number of charges can form different curve trajectories. Adjusting parameters can obtain different curve tracks. During the electric charge movements, the opposite charges can be grown on both side of the stem. The parameters determine the length of the curves. Figure 2 shows the initial layout with overgrowth branches. To solve this problem, we add new leaves to a queue waiting to grow later when a collision has occurred. As a result, we relax the density of the leaves as shown in Figure 3.



Figure 2: Comparison of overgrowth leaves and pruning. Yellow ellipse indicates overgrowth leaves.

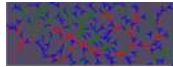


Figure 3: Relaxing of leaves density using Markov matrix.

## Results and Conclusion

Table 1 shows the comparison of different synthesizing parameters. When the density parameter  $d$  increases, the leaves become more crowded. In contrast, the stem length parameter  $T$  controls the space between stems. The proposed system allows users to define the shape of the canvas boundary. A user can adjust the space filling parameters to modify the synthesized patterns. The color settings of the result patterns can be described using CSS style sheets. Figure 4 shows the result generated by our system and the original patterns in "Yingzao Fashi". [1] is shown in Figure 5. If the angle parameter is small, the first layer of the stem branch will be almost parallel to the stem trunk. Which makes the second layer of branches collides with the first layer branches. That impedes the space filling process and results in a non-uniform distribution layout of leaves. In addition, leaves are impeded by flowers, resulting in blank space. By changing the leaves density parameter  $d$ , we can adjust the blank space manually. We achieved an interactive rendering speed of 0.3 ms using a iMac with an Intel i5 CPU, 8GB DDR3, and NVIDIA GeForce GTX 660M graphics. We used MacOS 10.11.6 and Chrome 59.



Figure 4: Comparison of the Chinese Sea Punica Granatum Floral Pattern. The proposed system.



Figure 5: Comparison of the Chinese Sea Punica Granatum Floral Pattern. The original painting [1].

## Conclusion

We present a system to assist users in drawing the Chinese Sea Punica Granatum Floral Pattern described in the building codes "Yingzao Fashi" using "space filling" and "path following". The proposed system converts a user's hand-drawing curve into a Bezier curve, followed by thickening the curve to produce a stem. We implemented magnetic curves method to fill the space between the stem and the boundary of the HTML5 canvas. This allows us to automatically generate the Chinese Sea Punica Granatum Floral Pattern. Acceleration techniques are used to improve performance such as preloading SVG vector data, collision detection filtering, and multi-threading.

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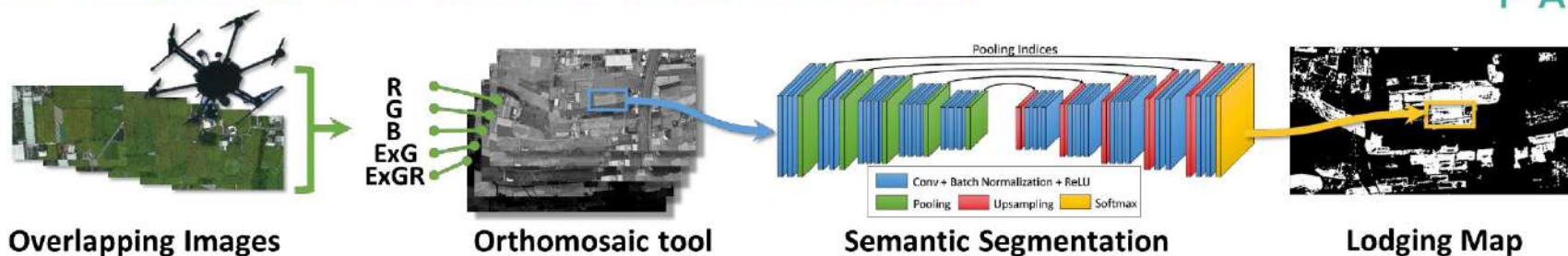
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Table 1: Comparison of parameters: (i) leaves density  $d$ , and (ii) stem length  $T$ .

$T$	$d = 0.9$	$d = 1.0$	$d = 1.1$	$d = 1.2$
70				
75				
80				

# Application of Deep Learning Technique to Rice Lodging Identification

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**2600 ha area  
Investigation & Process  
within 1 day**



**80ha for  
2 min**



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