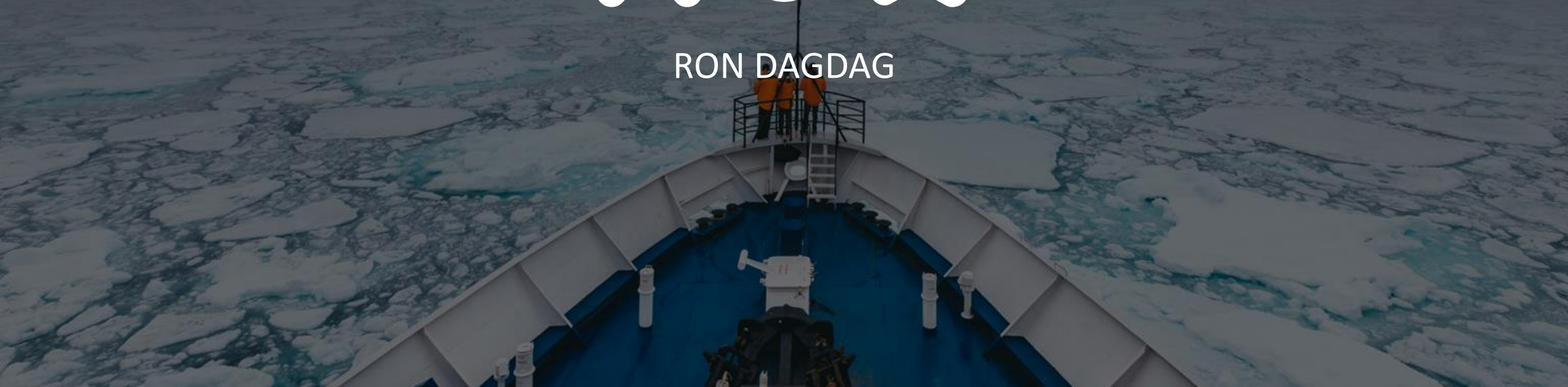


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# AI to the Edge with Azure Percept



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See no evil  
Hear no evil  
Speak no evil



Misaru  
Kikasaru  
Iwasaru





Tōshō-gū temple in Nikko, Japan



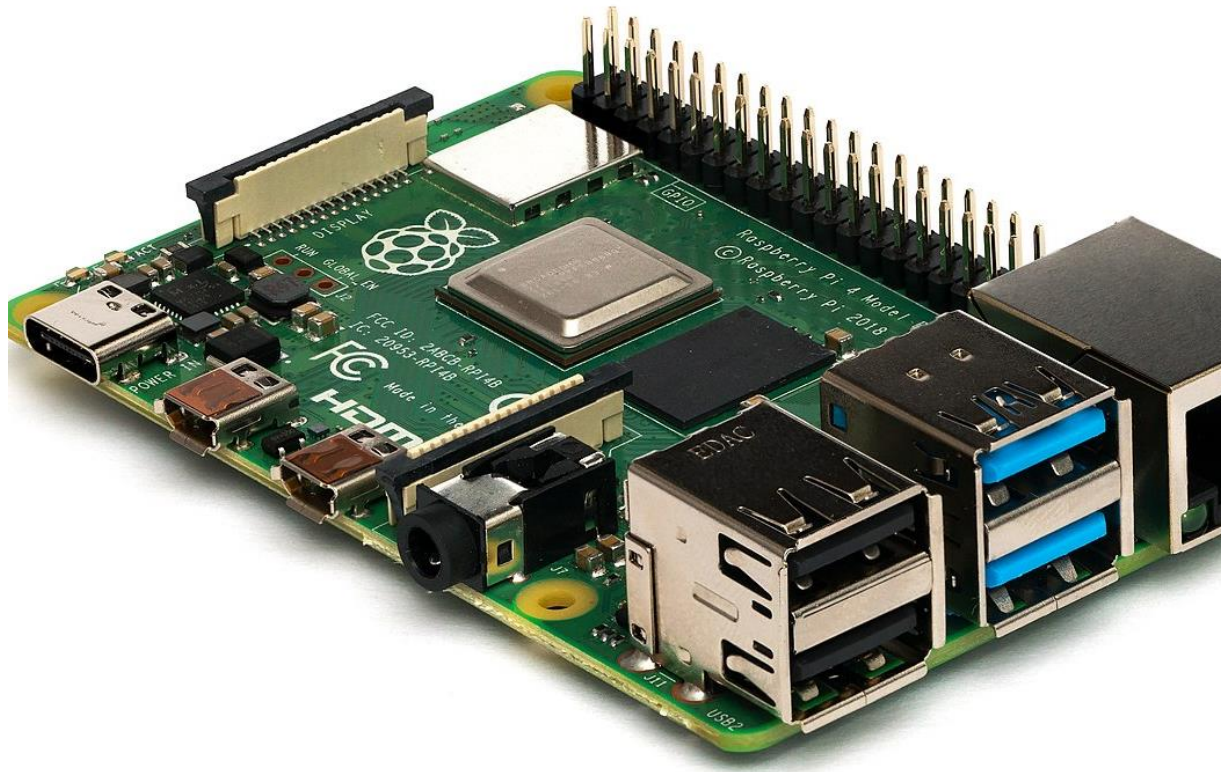


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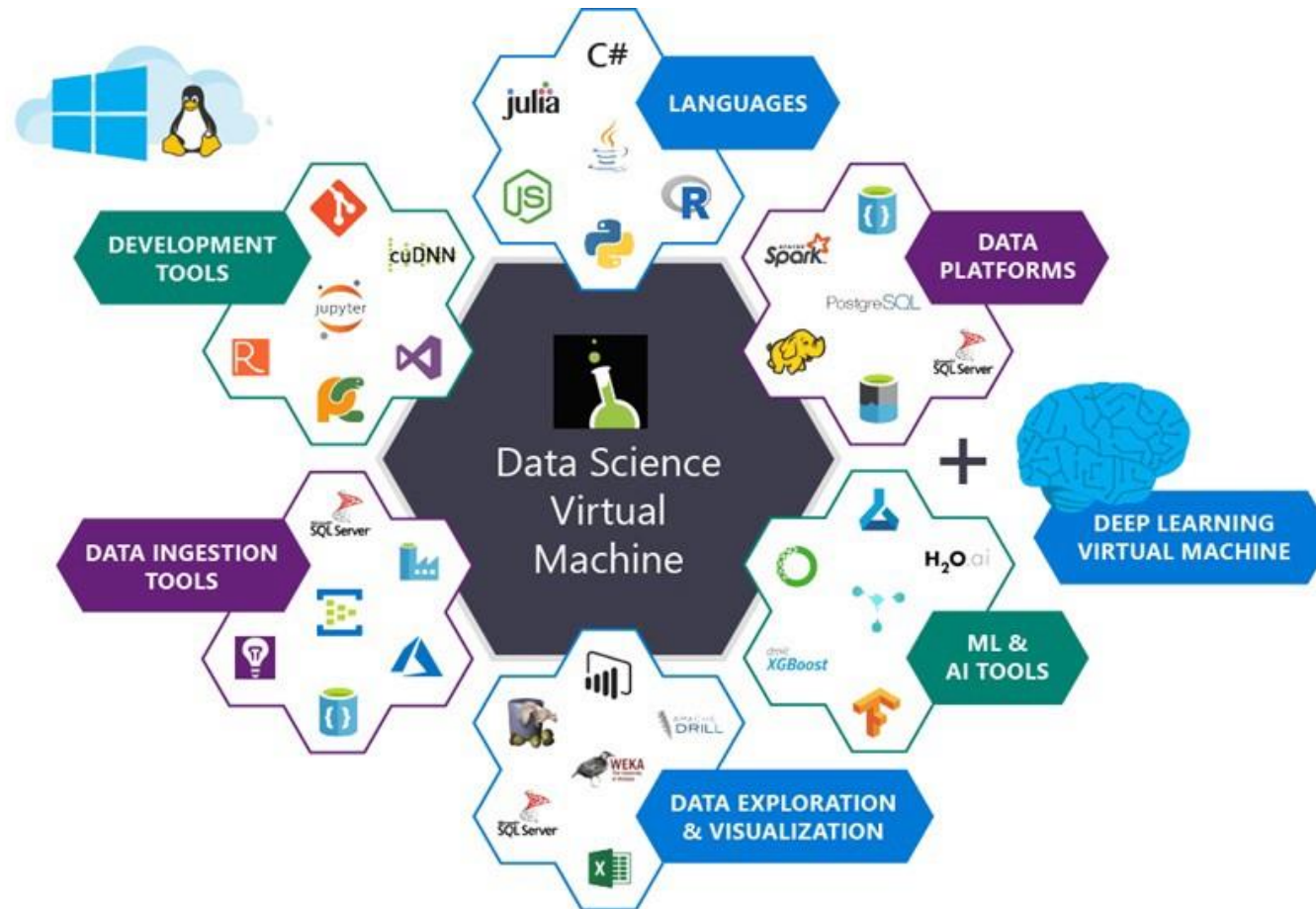
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- What is AI enabled IOT?
- What is Azure Percept?
- Capabilities of Azure Percept
- Demo

# Internet Of Things



# Computer Vision and Machine Learning







# What is IOT?

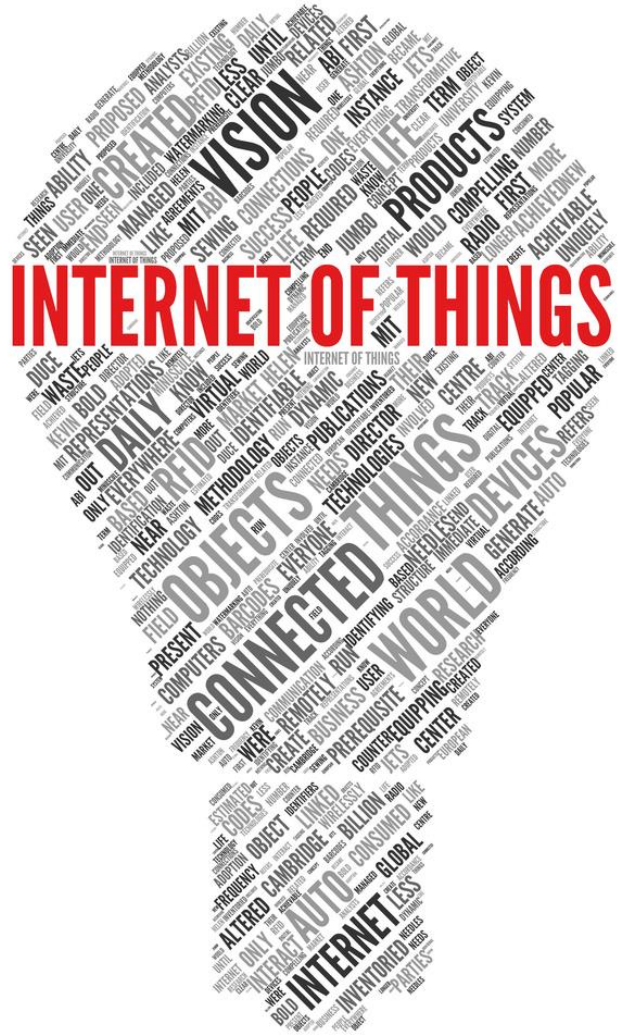
## Internet of Things

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- connecting the Internet to the physical world via sensors
- [Kevin Ashton](#) in 1999
- any device that interacts with the physical world around it







## Remotely Monitor

- Gather Data
- Edge Processing
- Device Status

## Control Device

- Send Commands
- Set Device Properties

**CLOUD** | Data Centers

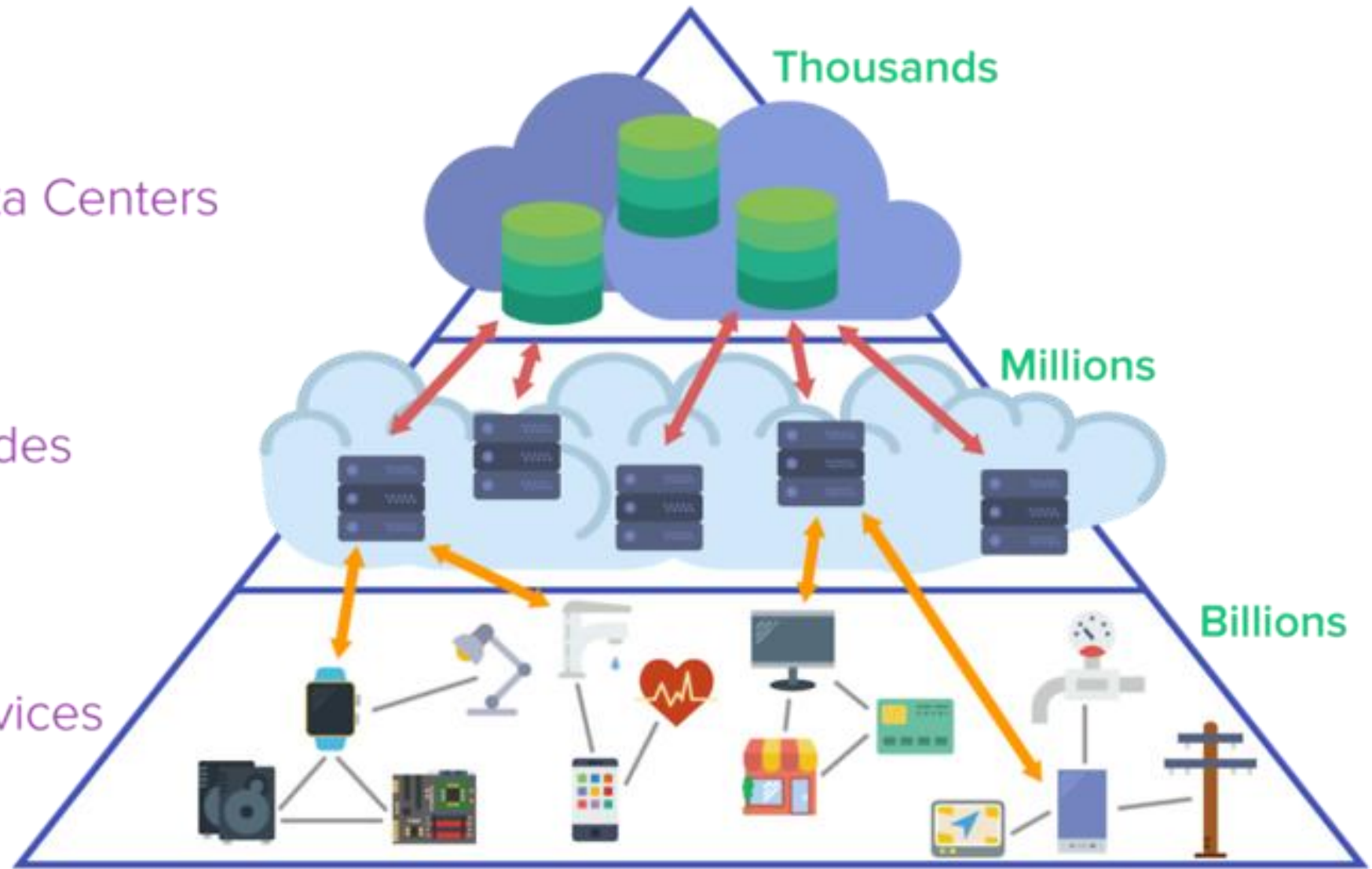
Thousands

**FOG** | Nodes

Millions

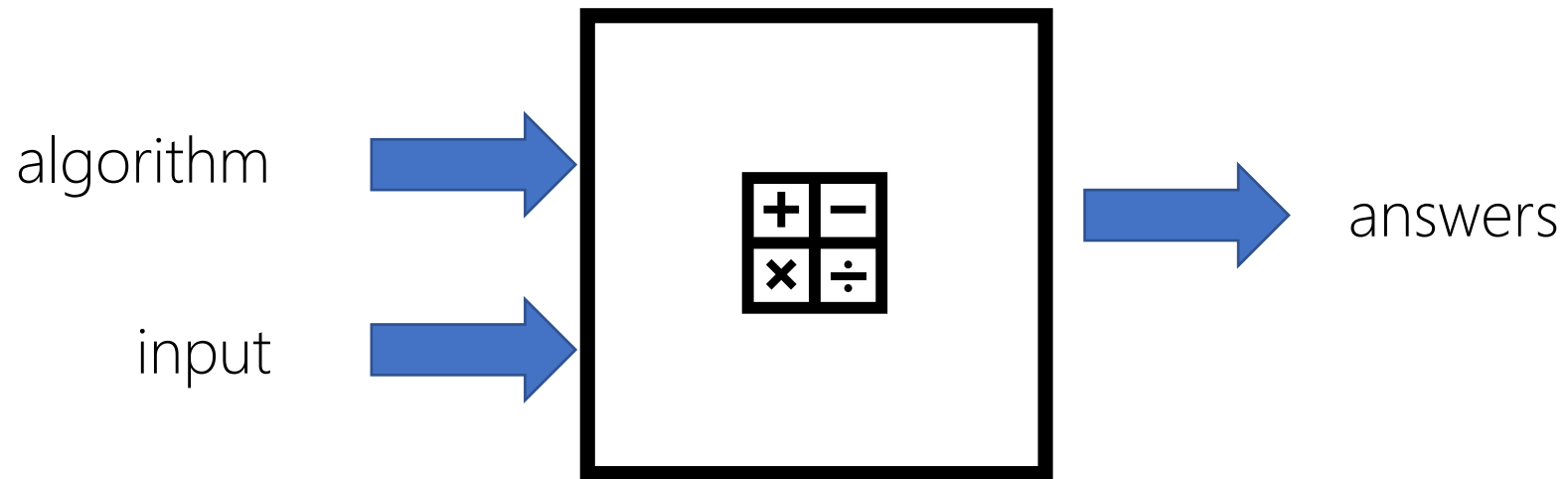
**EDGE** | Devices

Billions

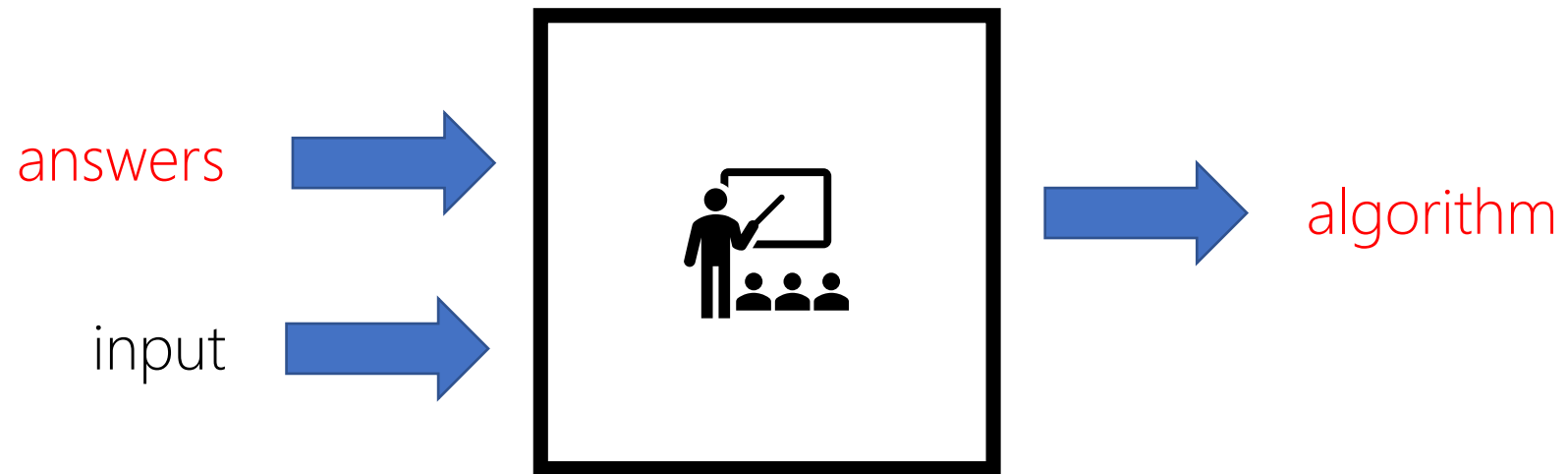




# programming



# machine learning

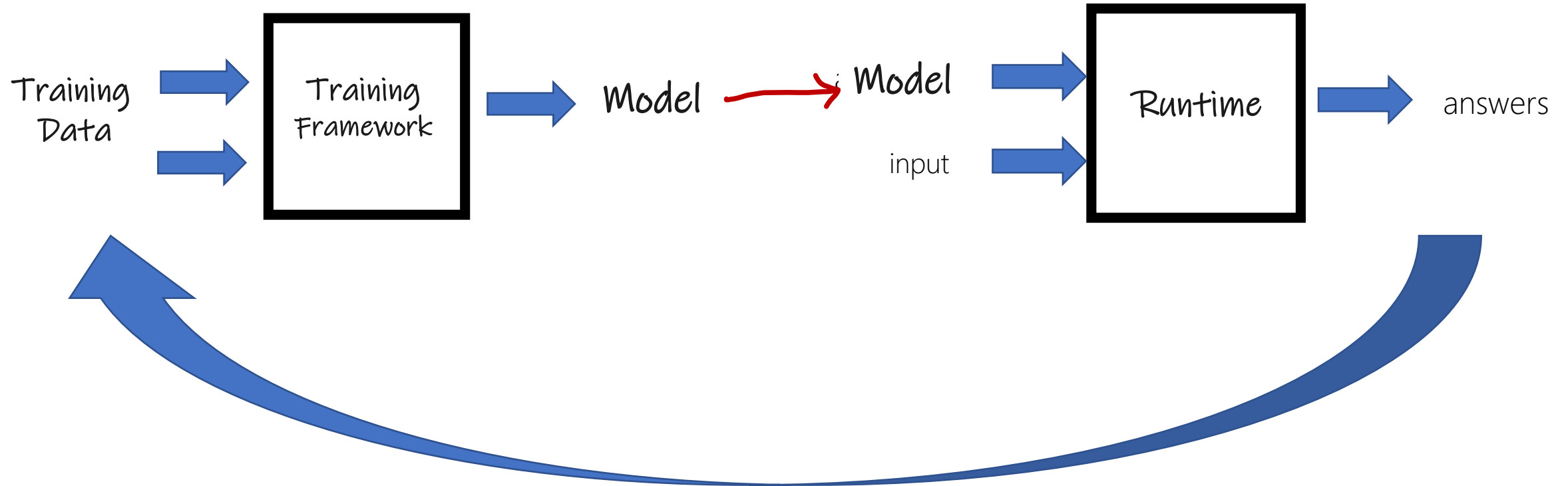




# ML Primer

machine Learning

Inferencing



# Azure Percept Dev Kit





# Azure Percept Dev Kit, Vision and Audio

Mics: x4 MEM mics Linear Array  
CODEC: XMOS XUF208  
Security: STM32L462CE  
Audio: 16bit DAC  
Buttons: 2x Momentary  
LEDs: 3x RGB  
Ports: USB Micro B

Azure Percept  
Audio

Processor: NXP iMX8m ARM  
Memory: 4GB  
Storage: 16GB  
Security: TPM 2.0 Nuvoton NCPT750  
Connectivity: WiFi & Bluetooth  
Ports: 1xEthernet  
1x USB C  
2x USB A 3.0



Azure Percept  
Trust Module



Azure Percept  
Vision

VPU: Intel Movidius Myriad X (MA2085)  
Memory: LPDDR4 2GB  
Sensor: Sony IMX-219 (1.12 um) RGB  
Security: STM32L462CE  
Resolution: 8MP @ 30FPS  
Ports: USB C & MIPI 4 Lane (up to 1.5 Gbps per lane)  
Ports: USB Micro B

Always  
Watching

Always  
Recording

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Process  
Video Locally

Limited  
Recording

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Intelligent  
Video Analytics





# Azure Percept Vision

- Out-of-the-box AI recognition of common objects. No code required
- AI Acceleration
  - Intel Movidius Myriad X (MA2085) Vision Processing Unit (VPU) with Intel Camera ISP integrated, 0.7 TOPS
- Sensors and Visual Indicators
  - Sony IMX219 Camera sensor with 6P Lens
  - Resolution: 8MP at 30FPS, Distance: 50 cm – infinity
  - FoV: 120-degrees diagonal, Color: Wide Dynamic Range, Fixed Focus Rolling Shutter
- RGB Camera Support



Always  
Listening

Always  
Recording

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Sound Processing at the edge

Limited Listening

Context Aware

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Smart Assistants



# Azure Percept Audio



- Performance
  - 180 Degrees Far-field at 4 m, 63 dB
- Sensors, Visual Indicators, and Components
  - 4x MEM Sensing Microsystems Microphones
  - 2x Buttons, USB Hub, DAC
  - 3x LEDs, LED Driver
- Ports
  - 1x USB 2.0 Type Micro B
  - 3.5 mm Audio Out

Always  
Broadcasting

Always  
Tracking

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Data Processing at the  
Edge

Limit information sent  
to the Cloud

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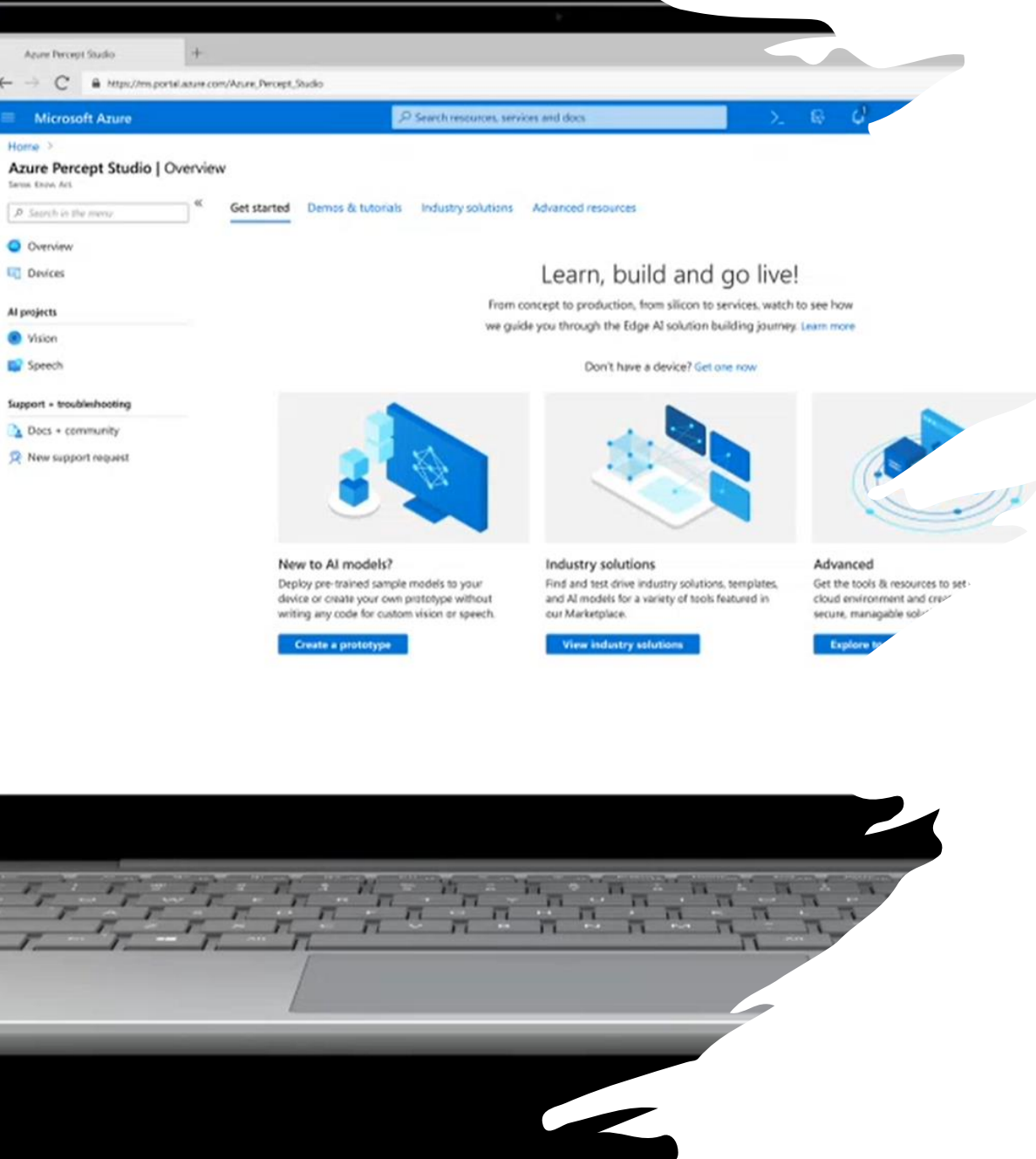
Intelligent Edge

show  
meaning  
articulate  
speaking  
effective  
ak

# Azure Percept DK



- Processor
  - NXP iMX8m
- Security
  - TPM 2.0 Nuvoton NCPT750
- Connectivity
  - Wi-Fi and Bluetooth via Realtek RTL882CE
- Ports
  - 1x Ethernet
  - 2x USB-A 3.0
  - 1x USB-C



# Azure Percept Studio

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Delightful onboarding

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Integrated experiences

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No code flow

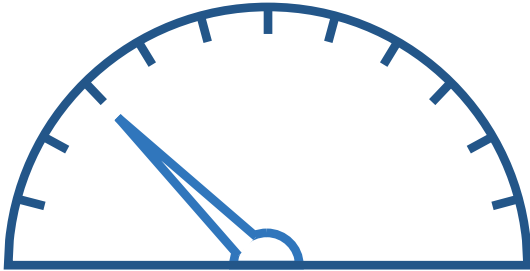
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Advanced flow

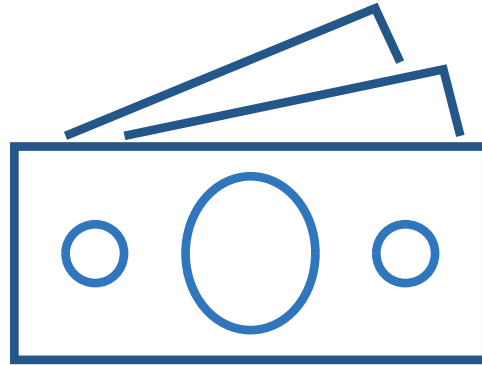
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Prototype and deploy

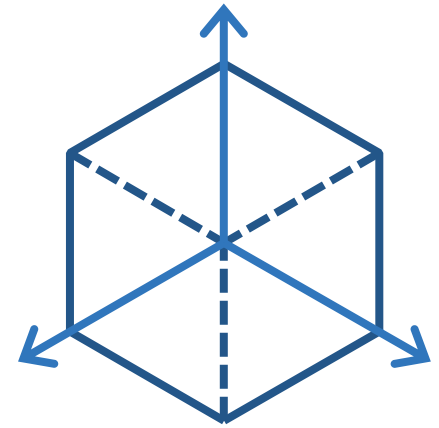
# AI on the edge



Low latency



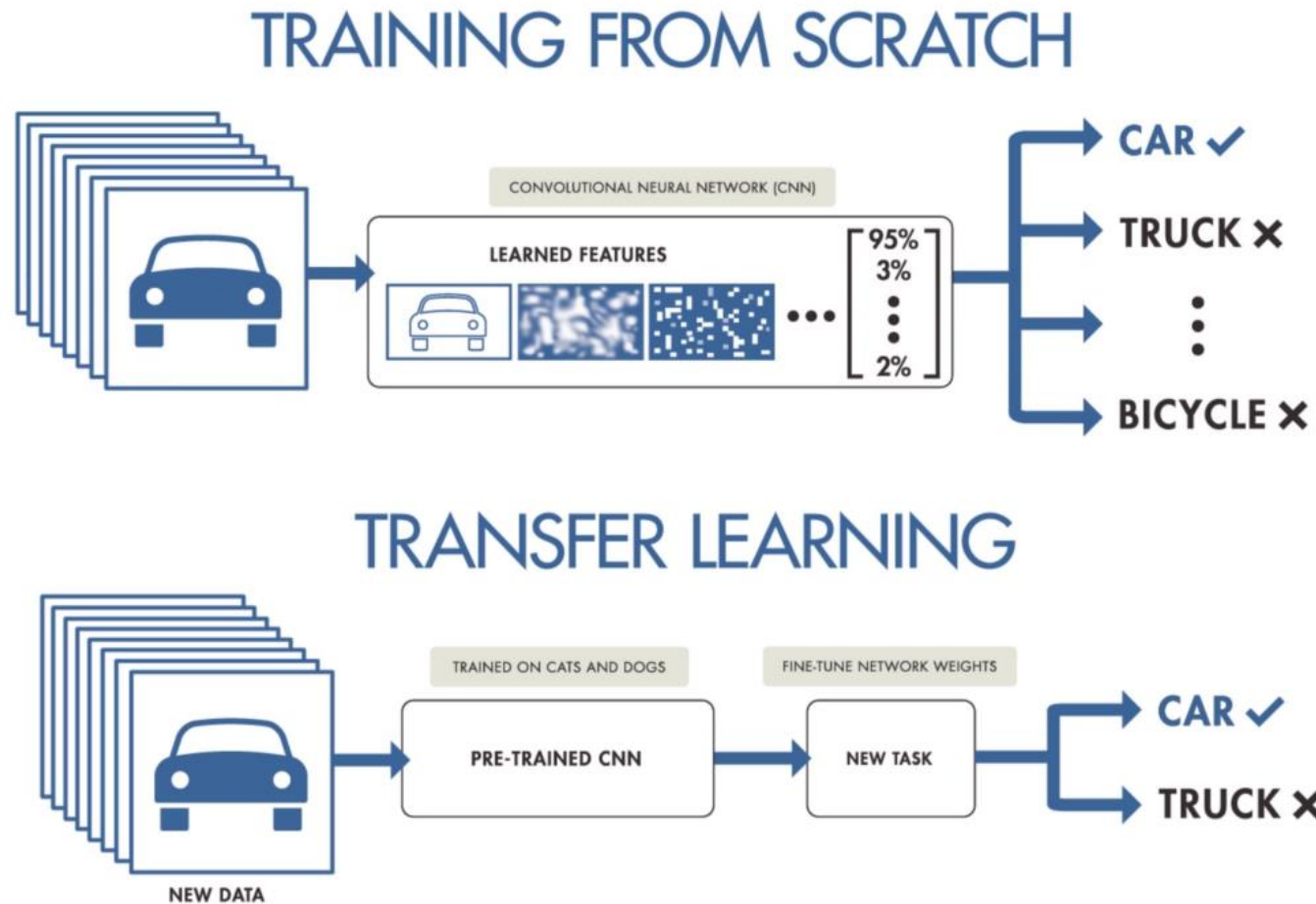
Scalability



Flexibility



# What is Transfer Learning?

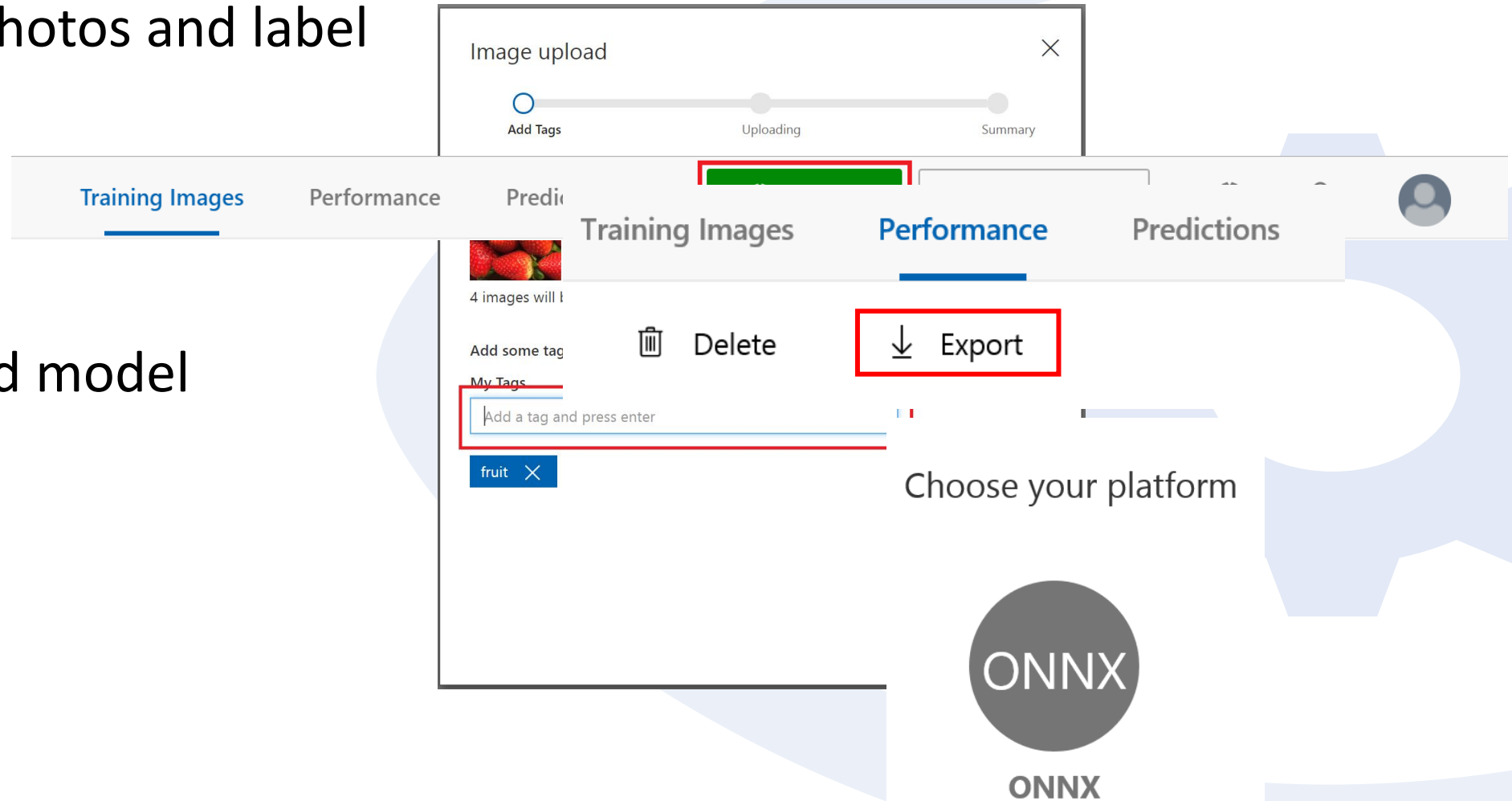


# Custom Vision Service: [customvision.ai](https://customvision.ai)

1. Upload photos and label

2. Train

3. Download model



# IoT Edge Modules Azure Marketplace

Azure Stream  
Analytics

Azure  
Machine  
Learning

Custom Vision

SQL Edge

Azure Blob  
Storage

Anomaly  
Detector

Azure Event  
Grid

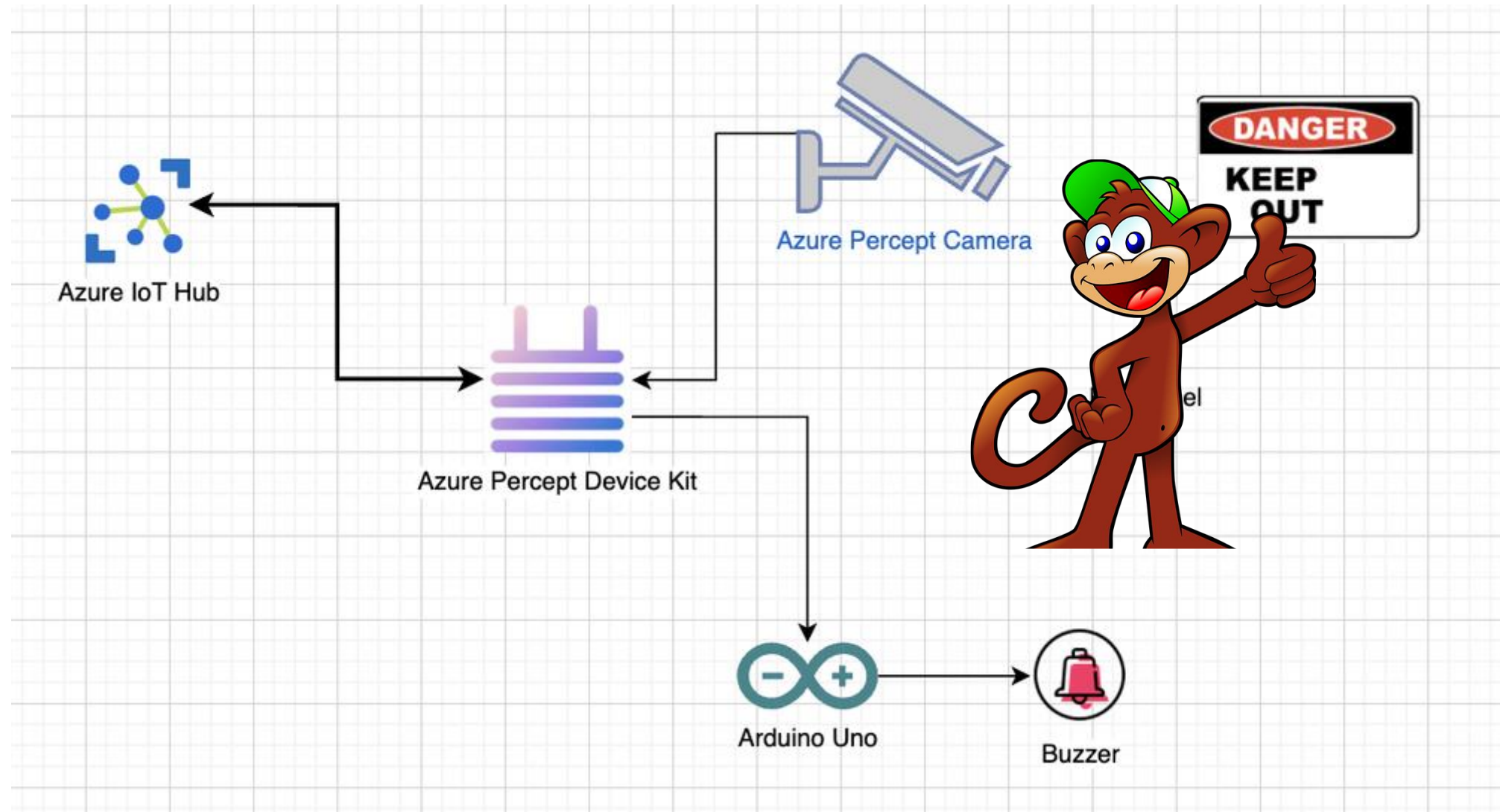
Node-Red

Redis-Edge

SQL Lite

Nvidia  
Deepstream  
SDK

Live Video  
Analytics





# Demo

- Azure Percept Studio
- Azure Percept DK
- Azure IoT Hub
- Azure Custom Vision
- ONNX Runtime
- OpenVINO
- Azure Percept Eye Module





## Recap

- ✓ What is AI enabled IOT?
  - AI – Learn from data
  - IOT - Monitor and Control devices
  - Process AI workload at the Edge
- ✓ What is Azure Percept?
  - Easy way to prototype and deploy AI on the Edge
- ✓ Capabilities of Azure Percept
  - Vision, Audio, Trust Module



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