ARC DESIGN CONTEST

競賽題目: 應用於溫度感測器校正之機器學習方法

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Background & Motivation

Background

Accuracy

- An indicator of thermal sensor
- How close you are to the actual value

Calibration methods

Dual sensing variation cancelling

Background

Thermal sensor output

- Worse linearity (Overly ideal simulation process)
- Accuracy Issue (Time consuming simulation)

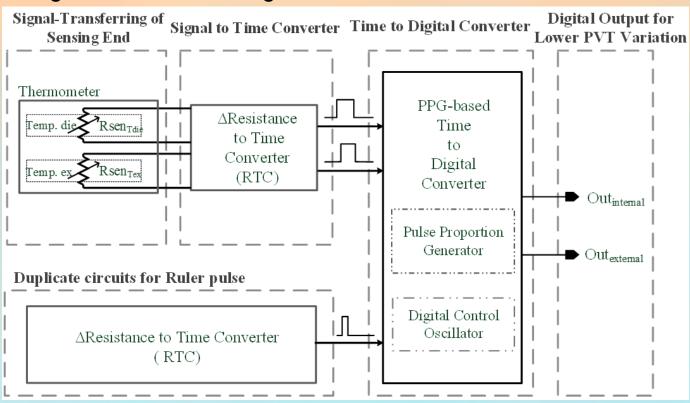
Motivation

Our goal

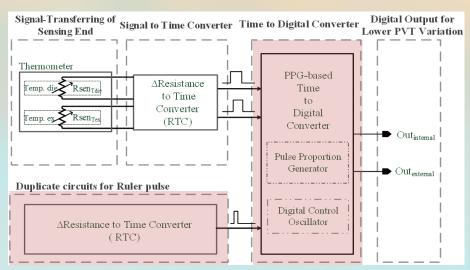
- Propose an accurate calibration method based on thermal sensor
- Build a machine learning model to achieve the goal on EMSK

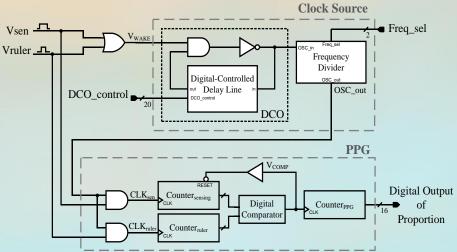
- DIP 32 Package
- Technology Node: 0.18um
- IO Pad Voltage: 1.8V
- Thermal Sensor
 - Temperature range: 0~100°C
- Calibration Features
 - Dual sensing variation cancelling
 - Pulse Proportion Generator (PPG) for reducing PVT variations

Dual Sensing Variation cancelling



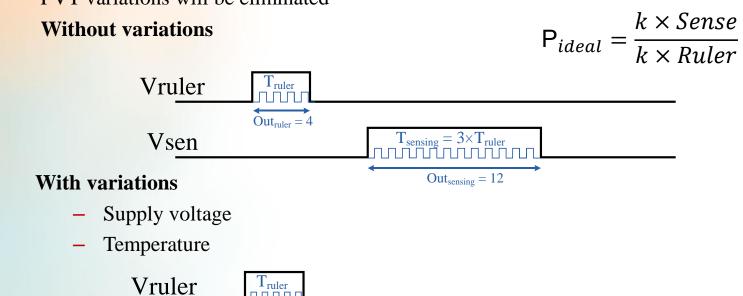
- Pulse Proportion Generator
 - Generate a ruler time-pulse as reference
 - Taking proportion between V_{ruler} and V_{sen}
 - To compensate the P-V-T variations





PVT variations will be eliminated

Vsen



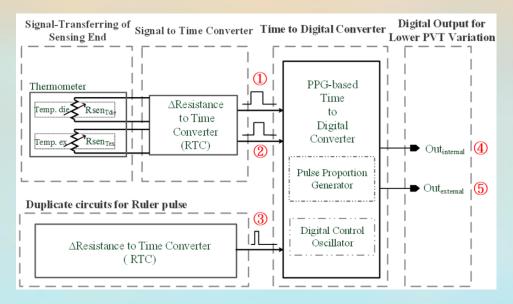
 $T_{sensing} = 3 \times T_{ruler}$

 $Out_{sensing} = 15$

 $Out_{ruler} = 5$

Thermal Sensor Output

- ①Sense_in ②Sense_ex ③Ruler
- 4PPG_in=Sense_in/Ruler 5PPG_ex=Sense_ex/Ruler

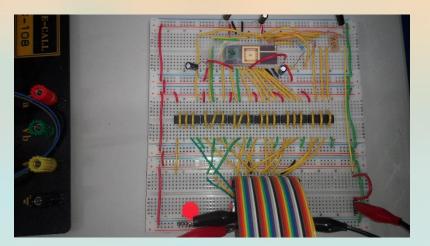


• System Architecture

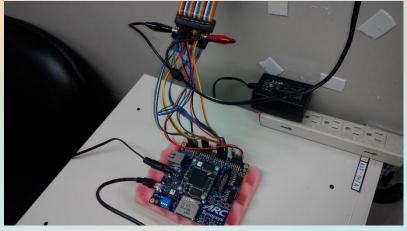
- Embedded ARC Starter Kit
- Thermal Sensor Circuit
- UART/GPIO
- Temperature chamber



Thermal Sensor Circuit



ARC EMSK Platform



PMOD

Set PMOD as GPIO to control our signal

```
port_output = gpio_get_dev(DW_GPIO_PORT_C);
port_output -> gpio_open(0x00ffff00);
port_output -> gpio_control(GPIO_CMD_SET_BIT_DIR_OUTPUT, (void *)0x00ffff00);
port_output -> gpio_control(GPIO_CMD_DIS_BIT_INT, (void *)0x00ffff00);

port_output-> gpio_write(PATTERN_EXCEL[count]<<PMOD_OFFSET0, MASK_GPIO0);</pre>
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Timer interrupt

- At specific frequency range, we output signal to IC from our specific pattern

```
int_disable(INTNO_TIMER0);
timer_stop(INTNO_TIMER0);// stop timer for setting handler
int_handler_install(INTNO_TIMER0, timer0_isr);
int_enable(INTNO_TIMER0);
timer_start(TIMER_0, TIMER_CTRL_IE, BOARD_CPU_CLOCK/1000);
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Put the Circuit In Chamber



Start Data Collection





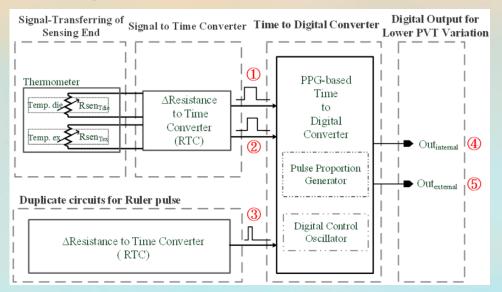
Feature Selection

Five Output

- ①Sense_in ②Sense_ex ③Ruler
- 4)PPG_in=Sense_in/Ruler 5)PPG_ex=Sense_ex/Ruler

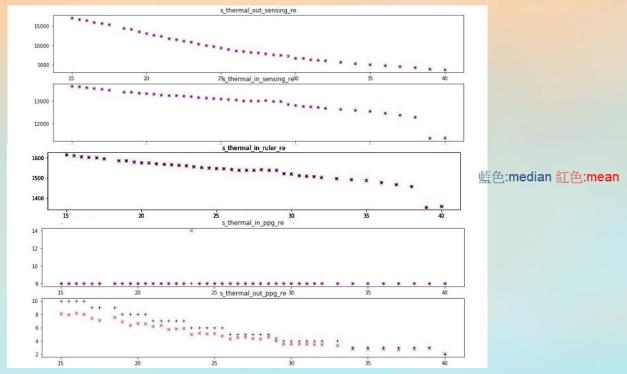
Feature Selection

- Linearity
- Function



Feature Selection - Linearity

Ruler breaks the linearity of sensing output



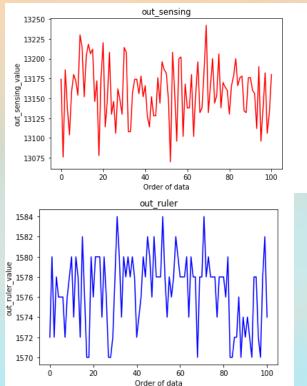
Feature Selection – PPG Function

The difference between SENSE_in and Ruler is not proportional,

same as SENSE_ex and Ruler

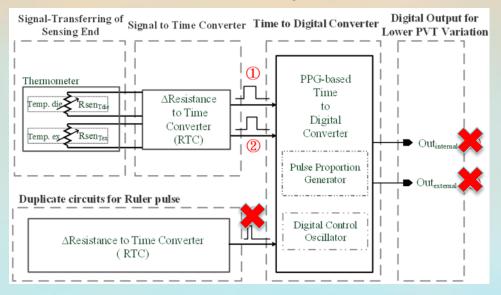
$$\mathsf{P}_{ideal} = \frac{k \times Sense}{k \times Ruler}$$

$$\mathsf{P}_{measurement} = \frac{k \times Sense + n}{k \times Ruler + n'}$$



Feature Selection

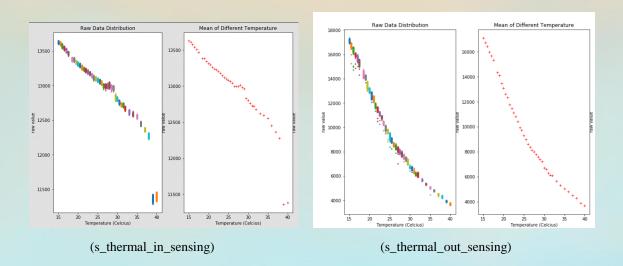
- We only chose Sense_in and Sense_ex as training input
 - Ruler does not have great linearity in small range
 - The variation between ruler and sensing is not constant in 15°C to 40°C



Data Analysis & Machine Learning Based Method

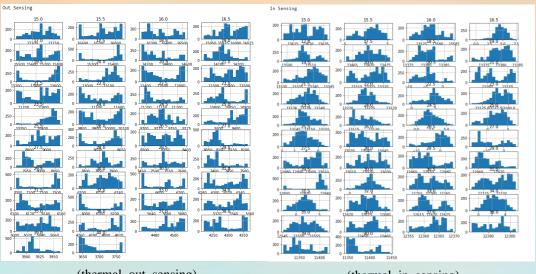
Data Analysis

- Sense_out is the linear data
- Sense_in can be the auxiliary data



Data Analysis

- Data is not Gaussian distribution
 - Use moving average to smooth raw data

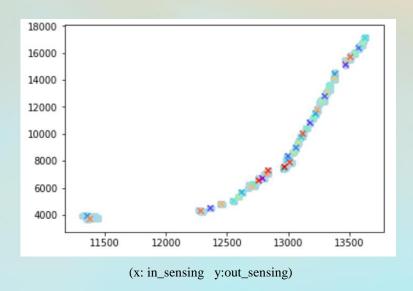


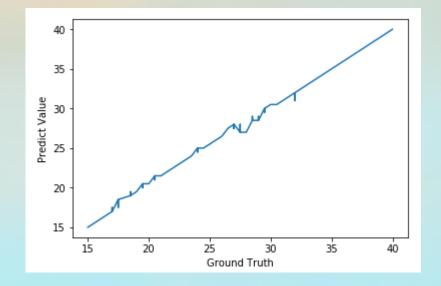
(thermal_out_sensing)

(thermal_in_sensing)

K-mean Clustering

- X means clustering center
 - Centers are very close to each other
- Result
 - Only 87% accuracy falls on ±0.5°C





Multiple Linear Regression

• Equation:

$$\beta_0 out^3 + \beta_1 out^2 + \beta_2 out^1 + \beta_3 in^2 + \beta_4 in^1 + \beta_5 = \text{Estimated Temperature}$$

Using minimum mean square error to train weights

$$L = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \varepsilon_{i}^{2} = \varepsilon' \varepsilon = (y - X\beta)' (y - X\beta)$$
$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \beta} = 0 \Rightarrow X' X \hat{\beta} = X' y$$

L: square error

y: true temperature

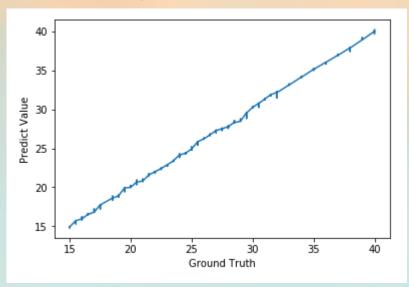
β: weight

X:input data matrix

Multiple Linear Regression

Result

- 97.48% accuracy falls on ±0.5°C





Demo Video(open the link at picture)





Conclusion

- An accurate calibration method is proposed
 - multiple linear regression
- Improve the accuracy from 1°C to 0.5°C

