

MCDNN: An Approximation-Based Execution Framework for Deep Stream Processing Under Resource Constraints

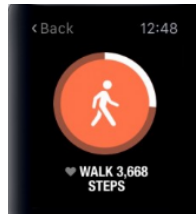
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Wearable computing → more data



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When computer vision meets wearable



“That drink will get you to 2800 calories for today”



“I last saw your keys in the store room”



“Remind Tom of the party”



“You’re on page 263 of this book”

Consumer



Life Sciences Industry Report

Commentary on current industry topics

Reducing human error in pharmaceutical manufacturing

Few experts would dispute that human error is the cause of most pharmaceutical manufacturing failures. Some estimate it to be as high as 80 percent!



While there are many types of workflow software available, [those which allow embedded workflow design are the most effective](#). These enable seamless integration of document, industrial process, human activity, and operations management workflow via a single user interface. Having to leave one application and open one or more others to resolve any situation, jeopardizes productivity and timeliness, it also makes the process more susceptible to error.

Manufacturing



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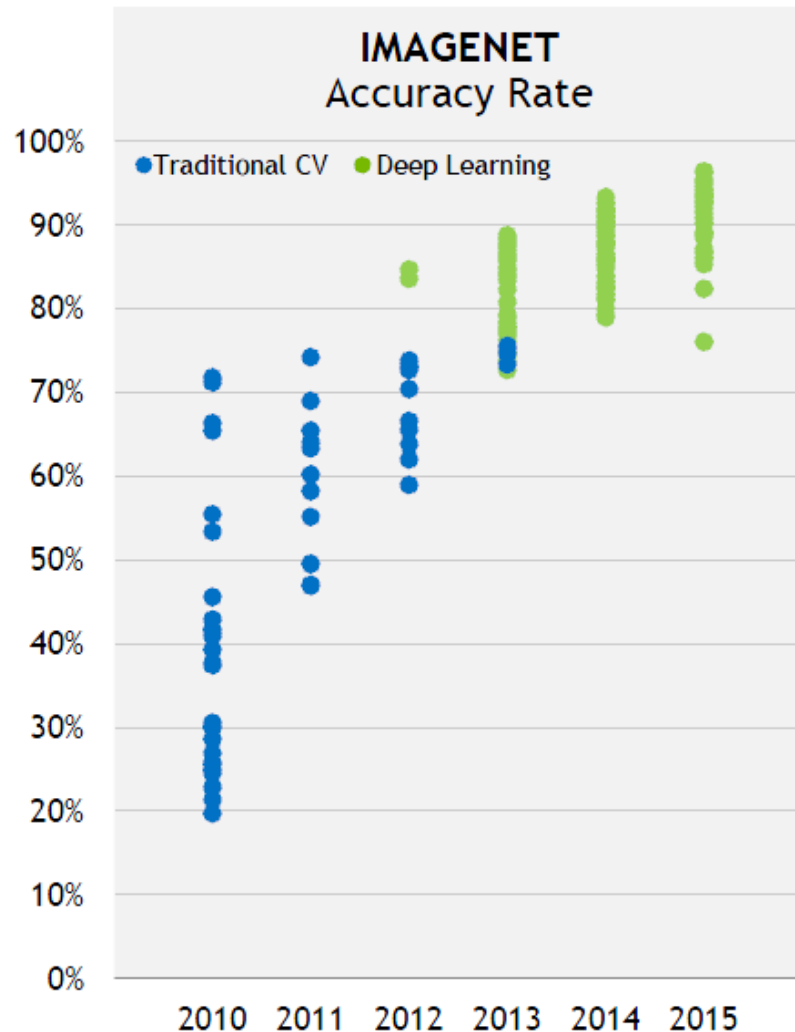
Can Body Cameras Really Reduce Ferguson Police's Use of Force?

Ferguson police are the latest of more than 1,000 departments to wear body cameras, which are proven to reduce officers' use of force and citizens' complaints against cops.

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Public Safety

Deep learning makes vision work



But...

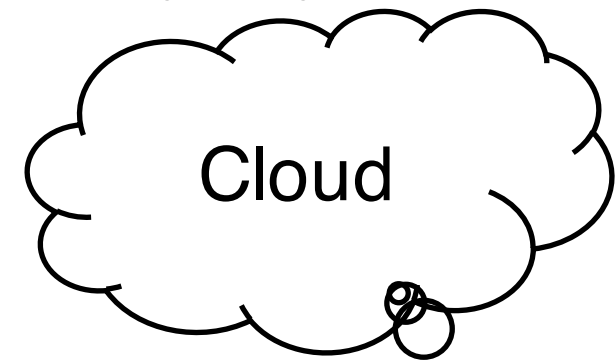
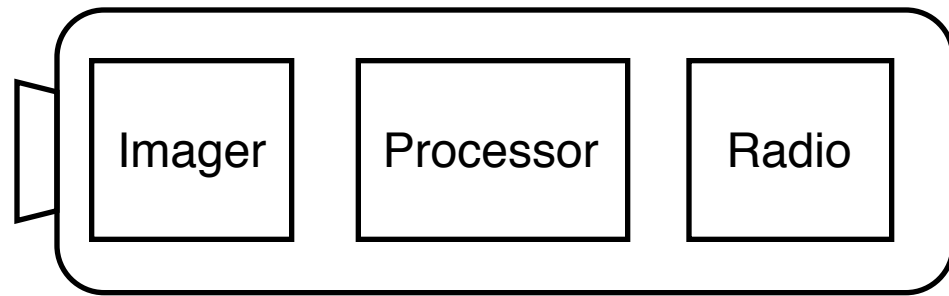
Recognition Task	face	scene*	object*
Accuracy	97%	88%	92%
Compute/frame (FLOPs)	1.00G	30.9G	39.3G
Compute@1-30fps (FLOPS)	1-30G	30-900G	40G-1.2T

Do we have enough resources to run deep learning?

* top-5 accuracy is shown in the table

Resource usage for continuous vision

Omnivision OV2740 90mW	Tegra K1 GPU 290GOPS@10W = 34pJ/OP	Qualcomm SD810 LTE >800mW Atheros 802.11 a/g 15Mbps@700mW= 47nJ/b	Amazon EC2 CPU c4.large 2x400GFLOPS \$0.1/h GPU g2.2xlarge 2.3TFLOPS \$0.65/h
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Workload

Deep learning **300GFLOPS** @ 30GFLOPs/frame, 10fps

Budget

Device power
30% of 10Wh for 10h = 300mW

Cloud cost
\$10 person/year

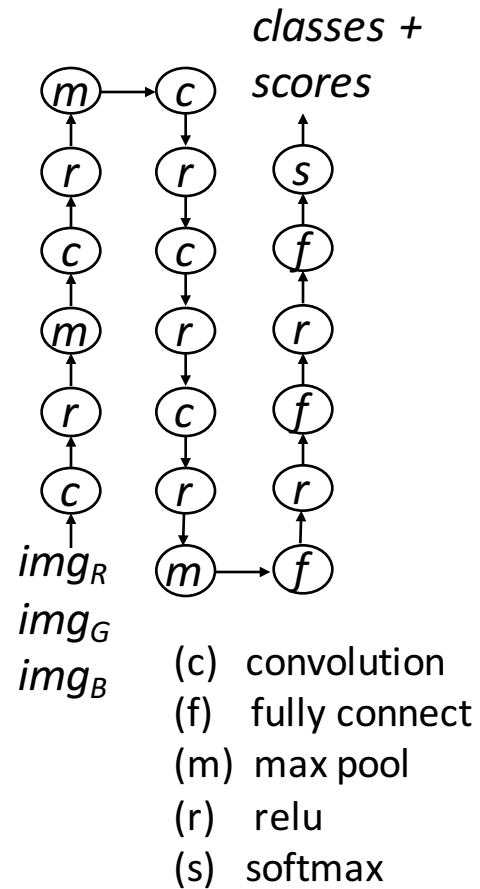
Compute power

9GFLOPS

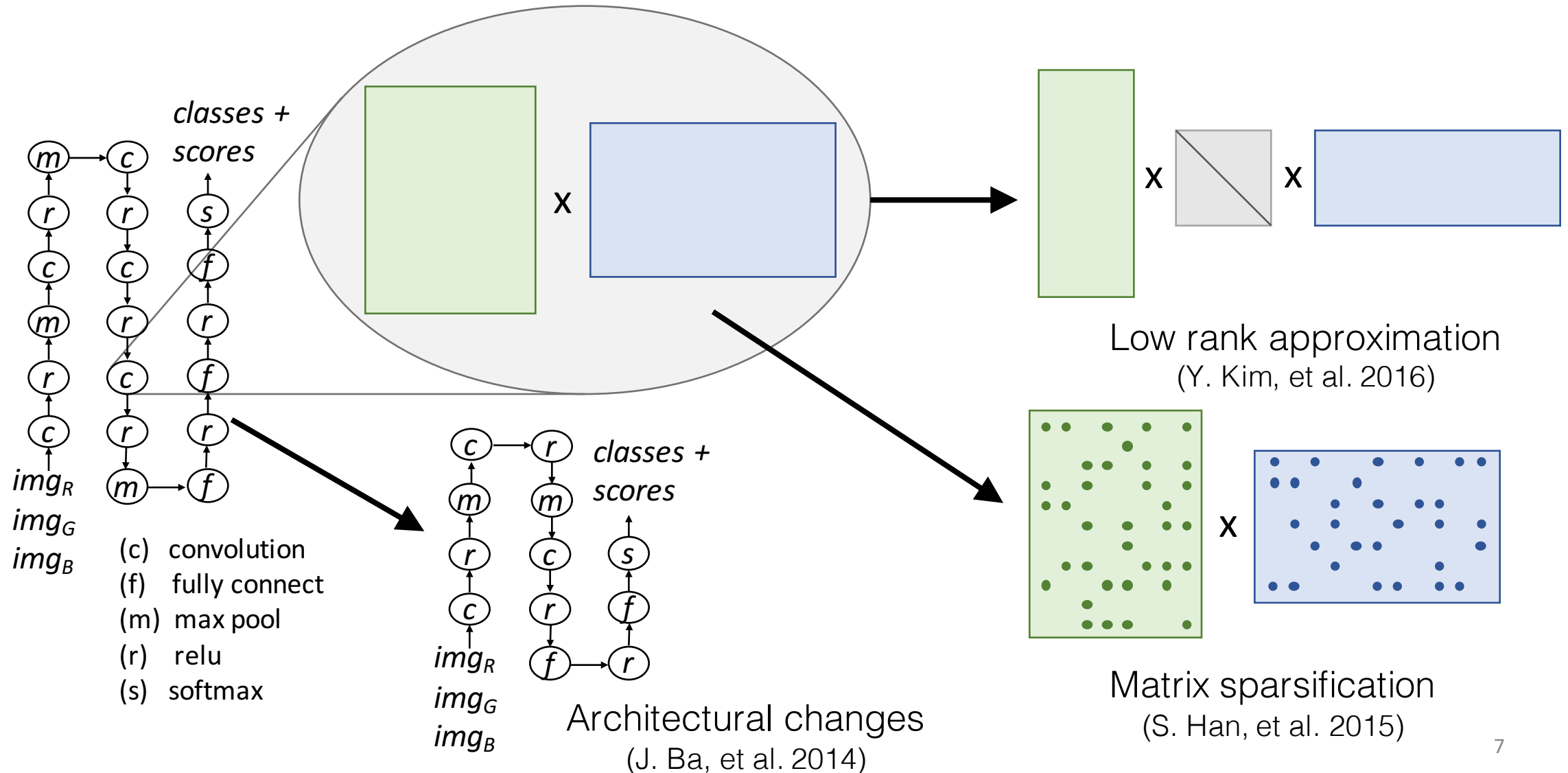
3.5GFLOPS (GPU) / 8GFLOPS (CPU)

Huge gap between workload and budget

Neural network



Neural network \approx matrix multiplications



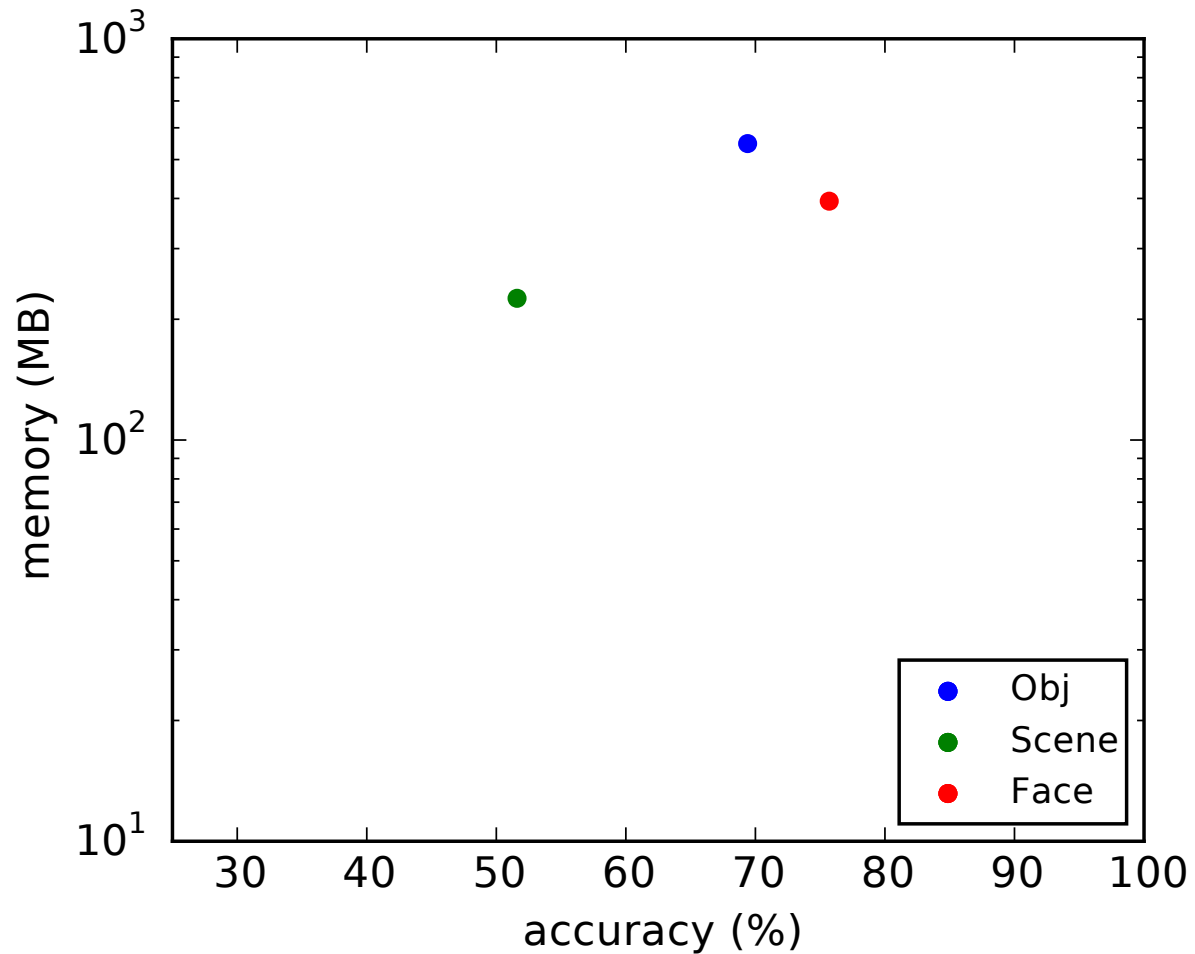
Managing the approx. / resource trade-off

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- ▶ Two new optimizations for streaming, multi-application settings
- ▶ New scheduling problem, **Approximate Model Scheduling**, with a heuristic solution

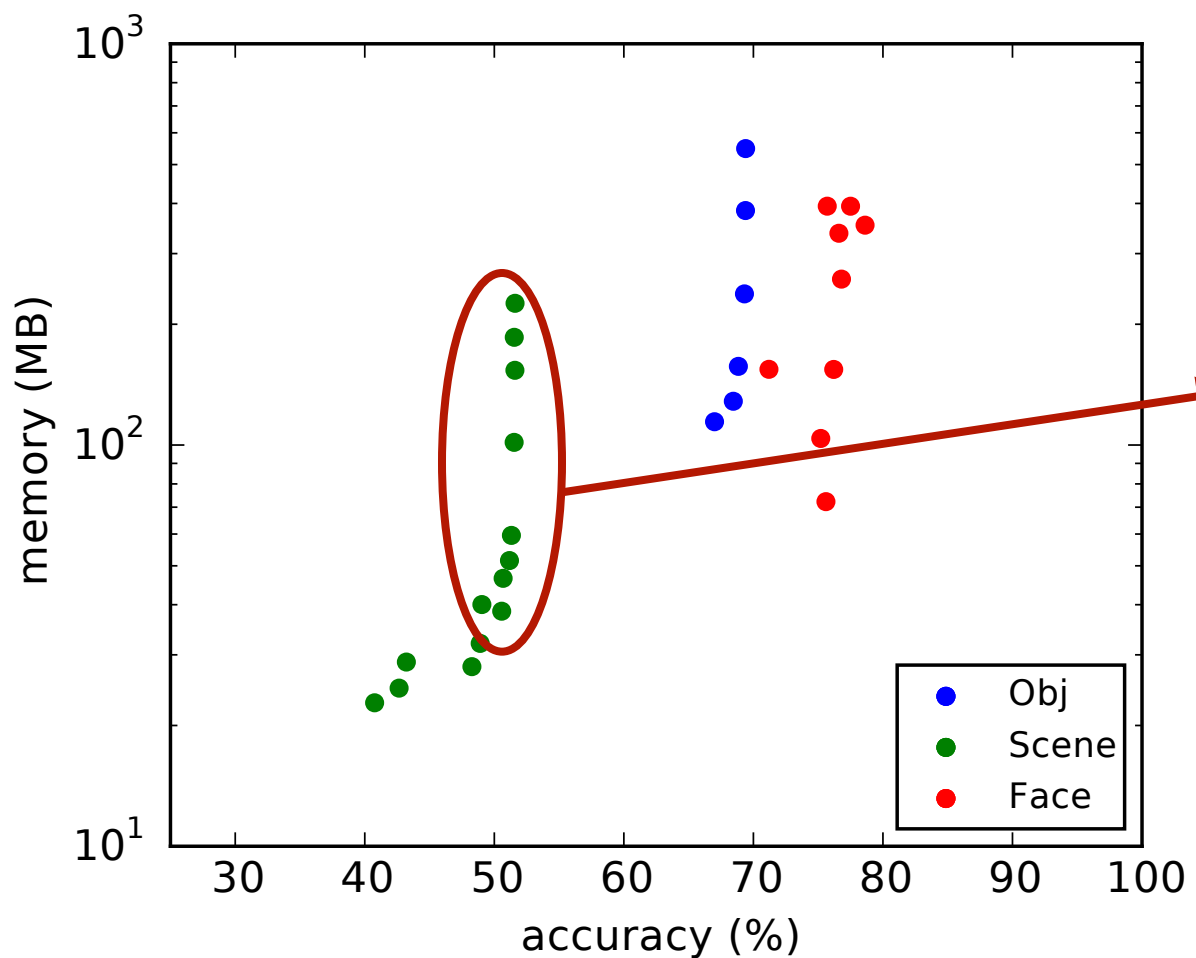
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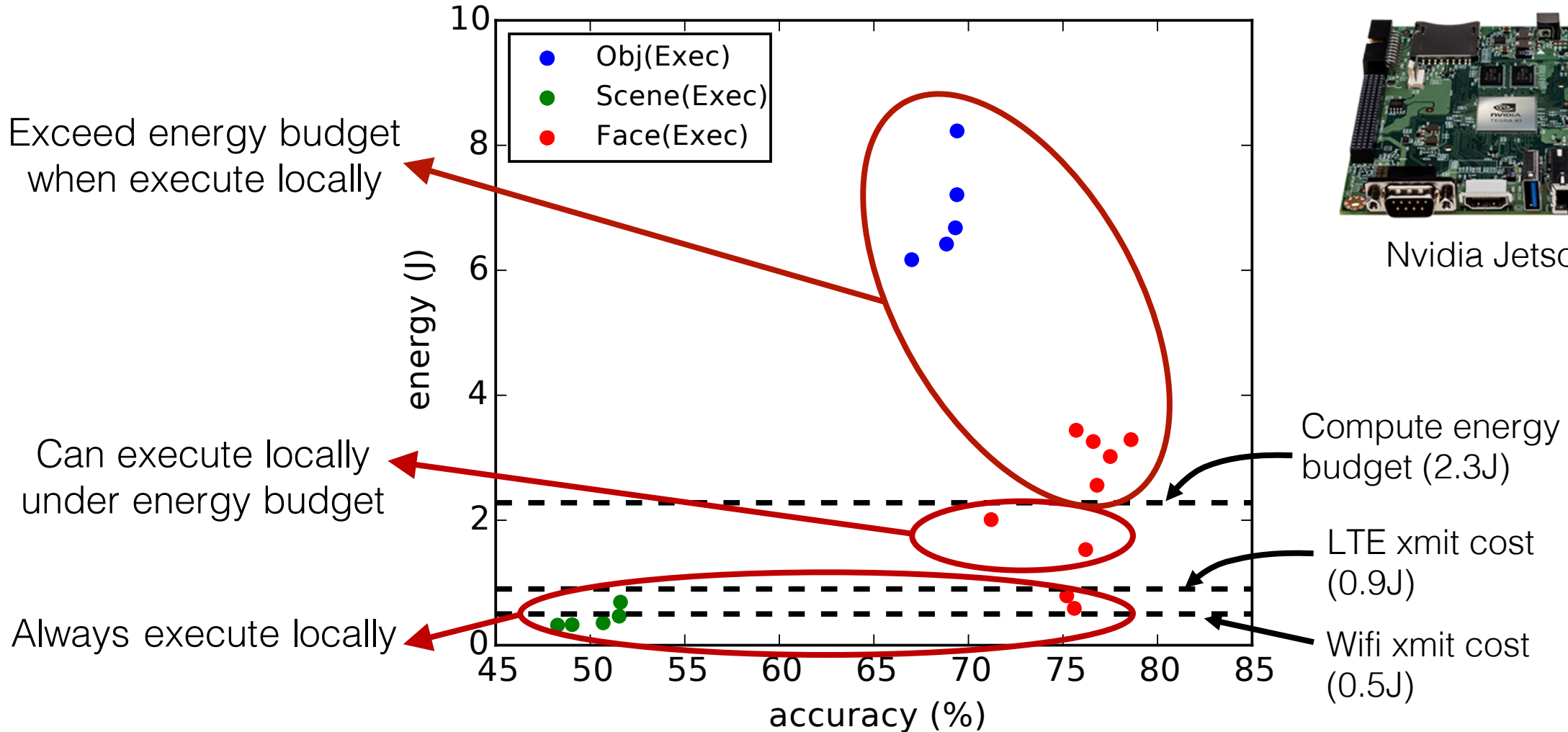
Memory / accuracy trade-off



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Energy / accuracy trade-off



Nvidia Jetson TK1

energy budget = total energy / total time(10h) / requests per second(1 req/sec)

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- ▶ Detailed characterization of the approximation / resource trade-off for many optimizations
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 - ▶ Specialization
 - ▶ Model sharing
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Exploiting stream locality by specialization

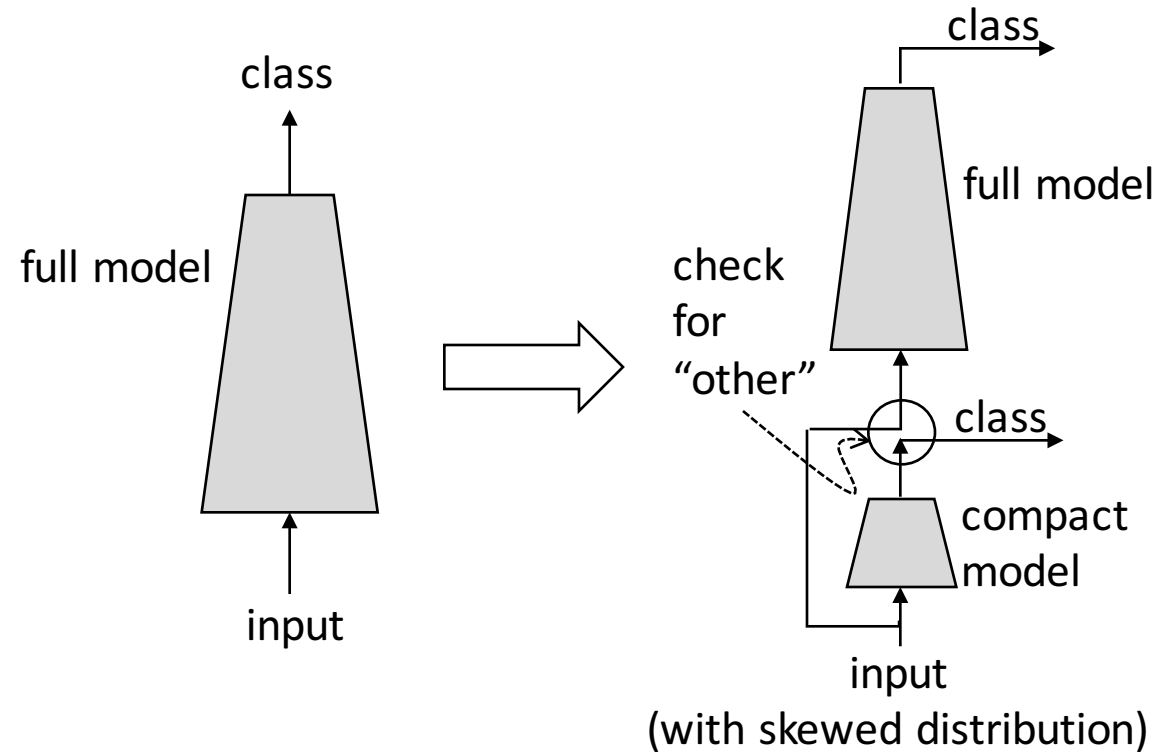
- Standard deep neural network recognizes 4000 people
- Most of videos are dominated by less than 10 faces over minutes

Timeline

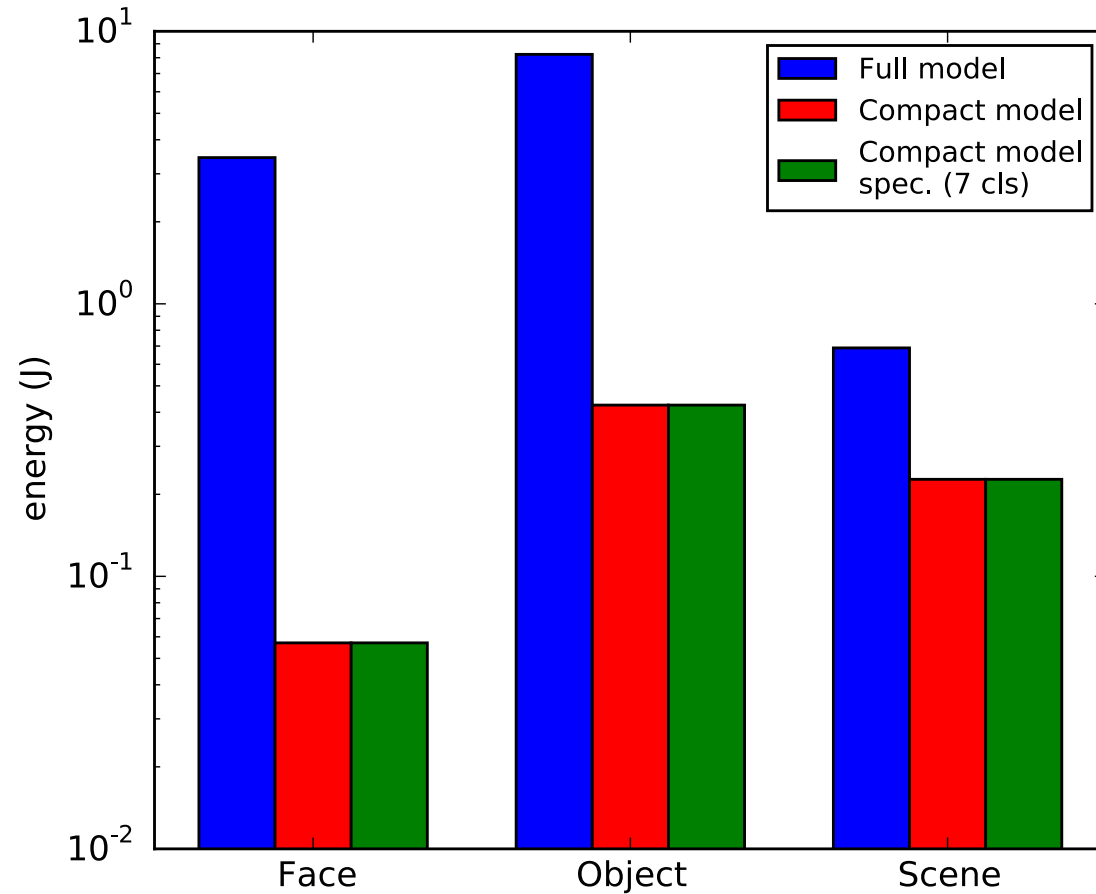
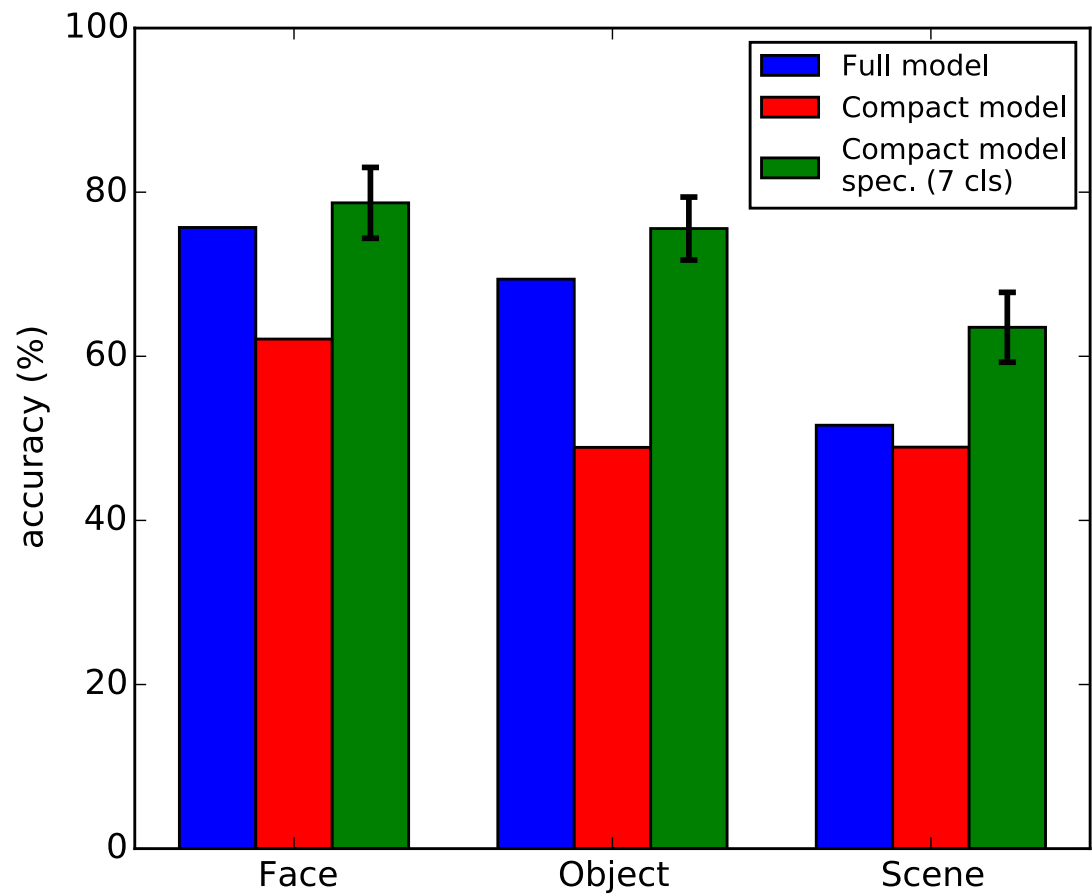


Produce more compact models for skewed classes

Specialization runtime

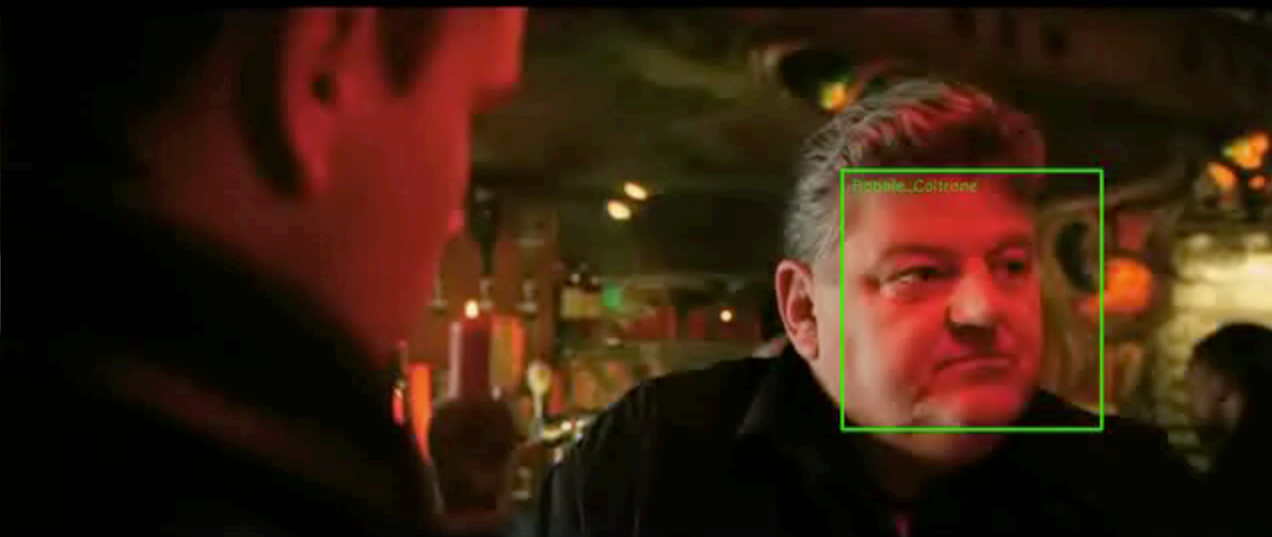


Better resource/accuracy trade-off



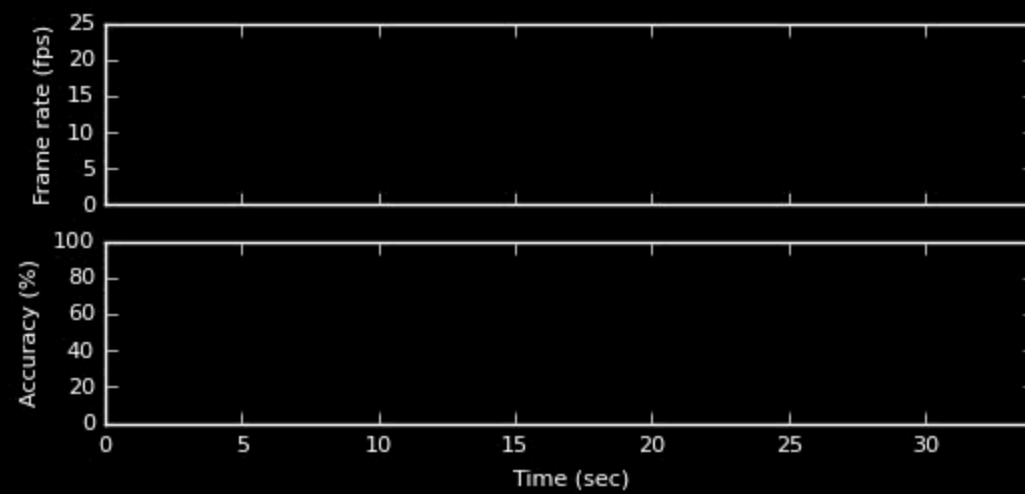
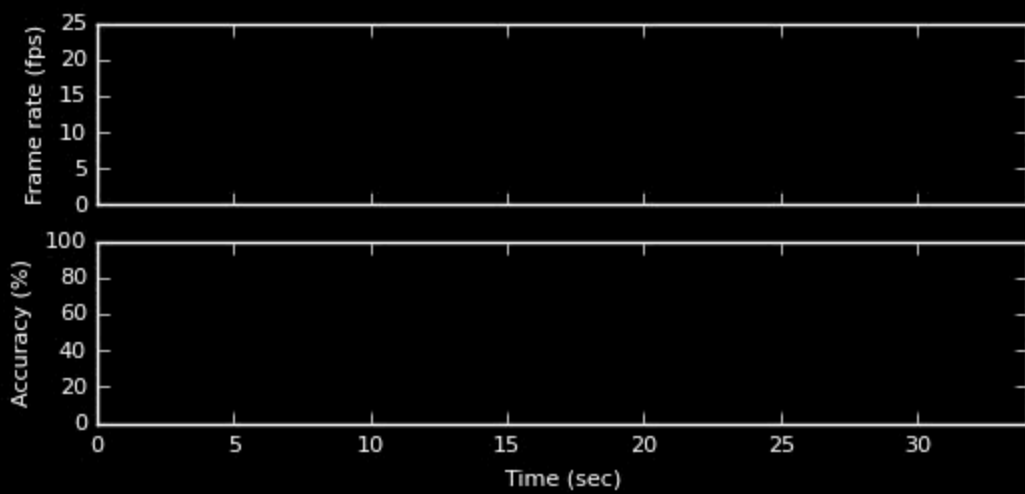
No specialization

Specialization



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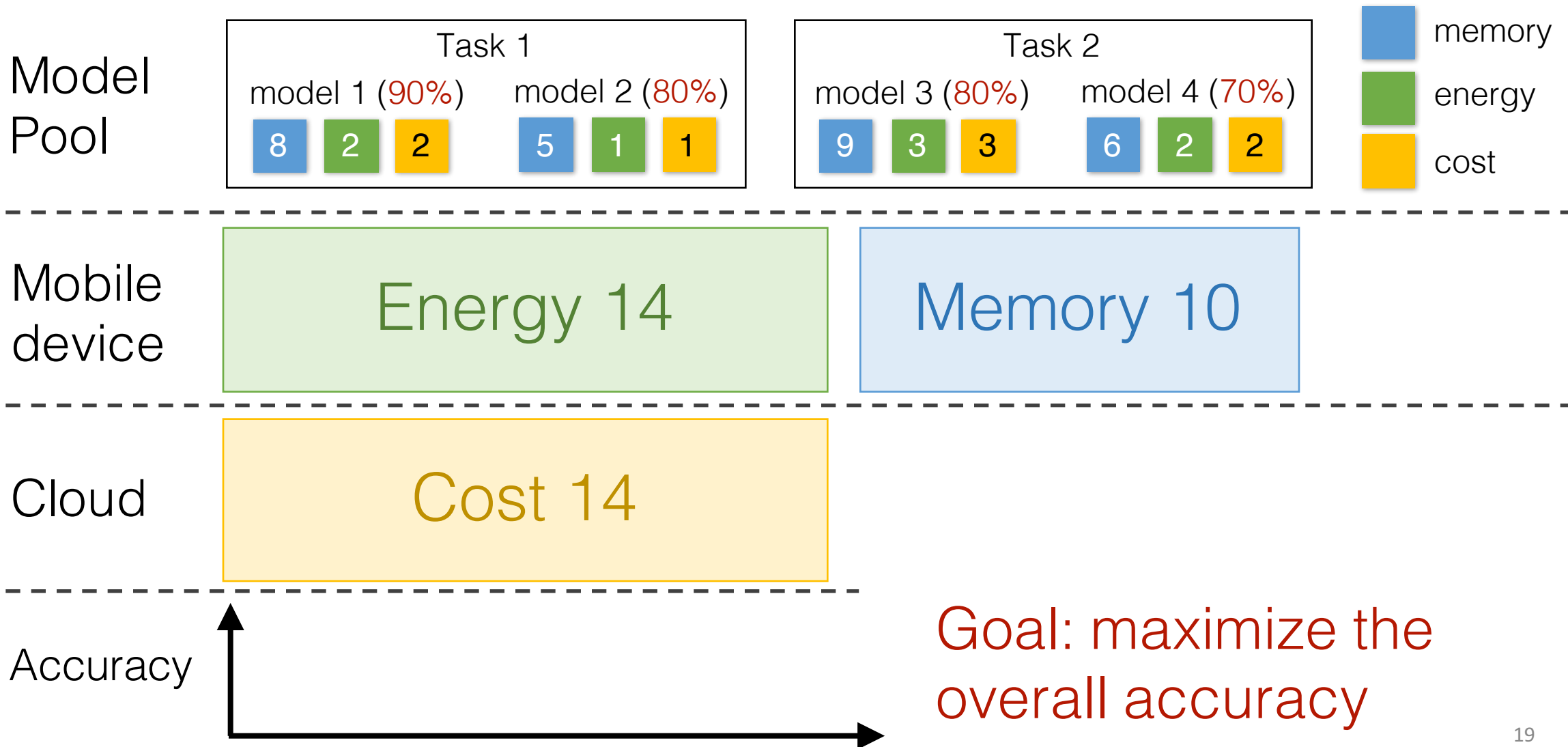
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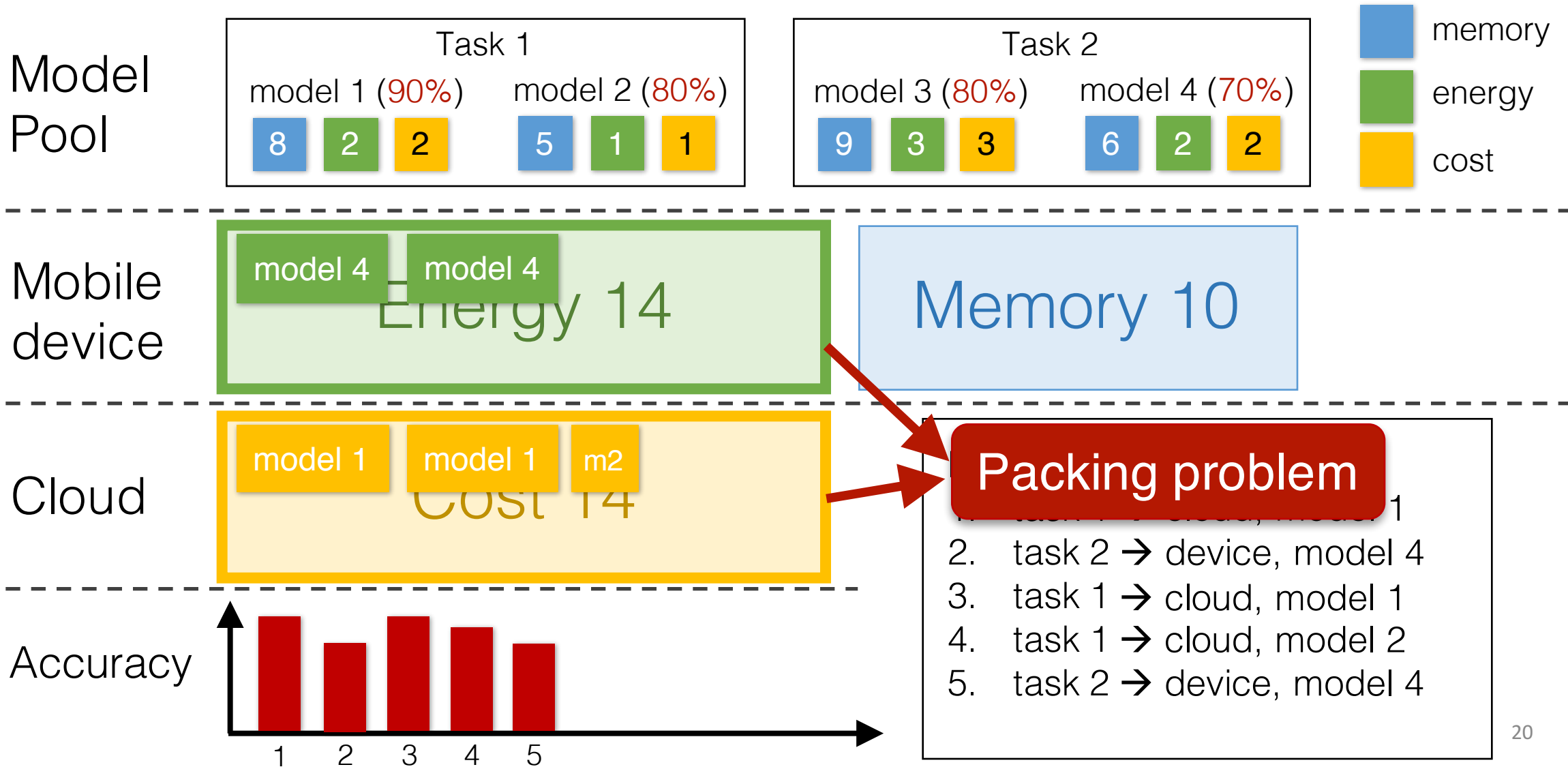
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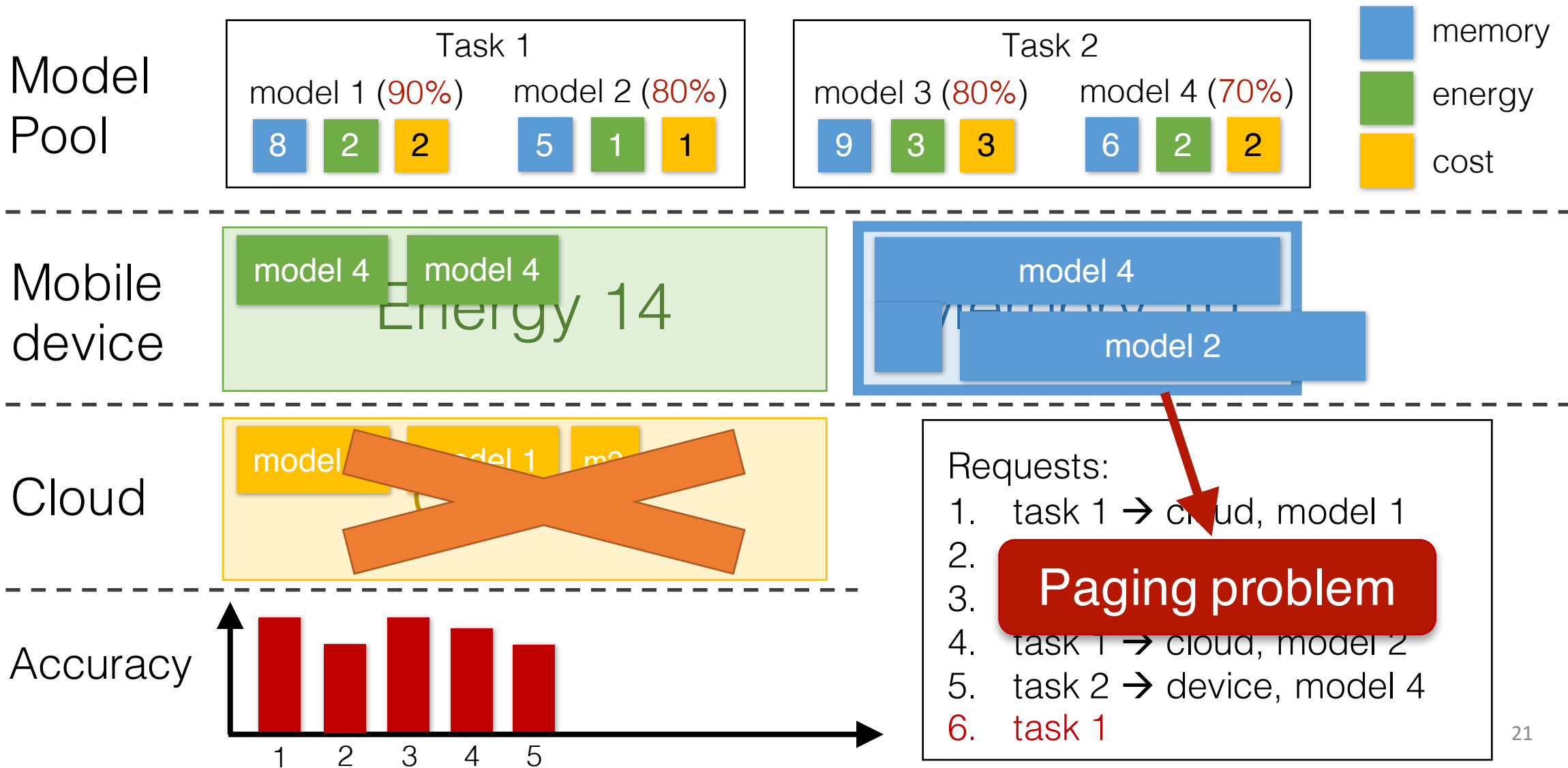
Approximate model scheduling



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- Packing problem: pick versions that satisfy energy/cost budgets

$$\sum_t e_i x_{it} \leq E, \sum_t c_i x'_{it} \leq C \quad (x_{it}, x'_{it} \in [0,1], x_{it} \cdot x'_{it} = 0)$$

- Paging problem: pick versions that fit in memory

$$\forall 1 \leq t \leq T, \sum_{i=1}^n s_i x_{it} \leq S$$

- Goal: maximize the accuracy

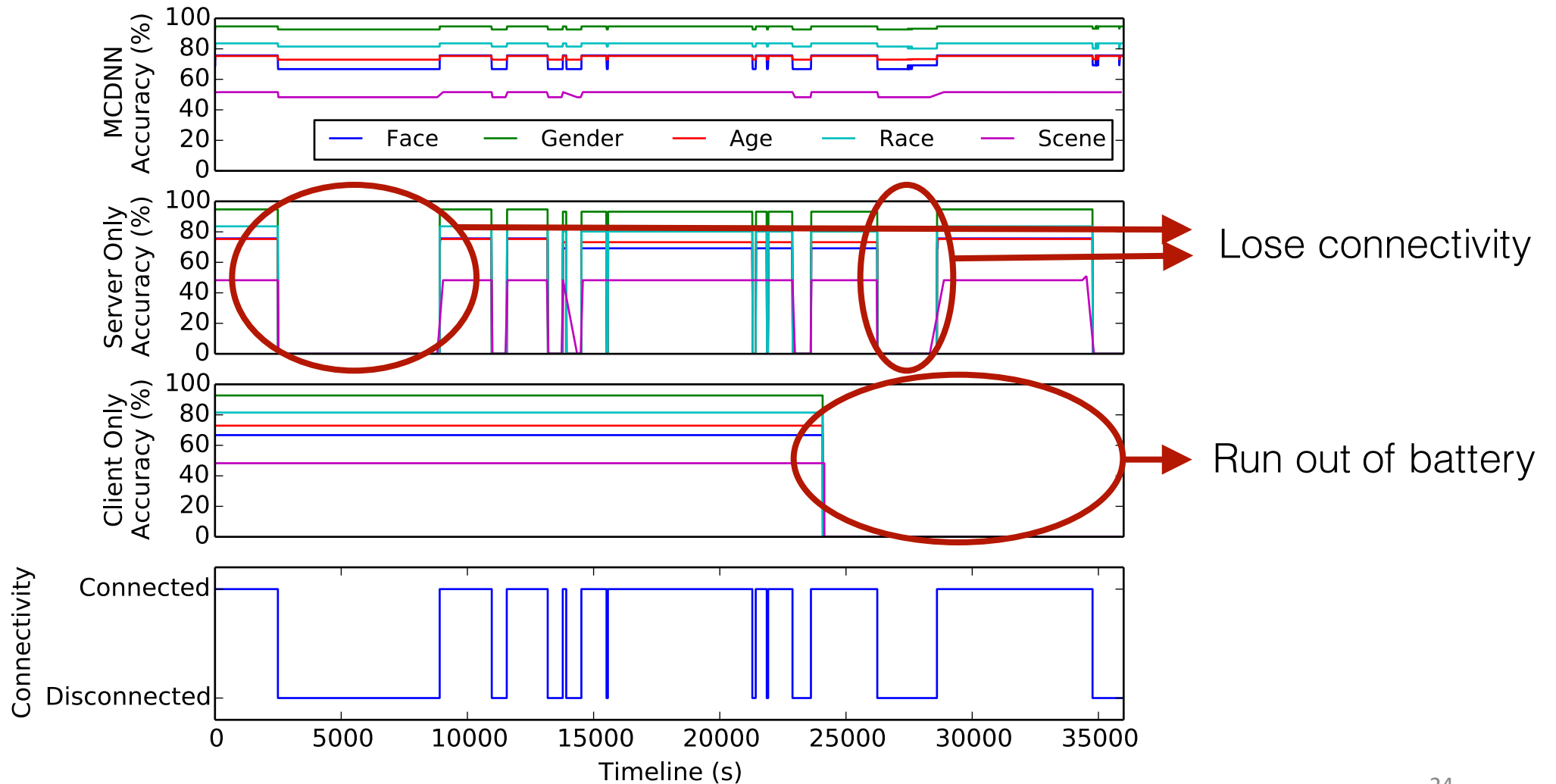
$$\max_x \sum_t \sum_i a_i (x_{it} + x'_{it})$$

No known optimal online algorithms

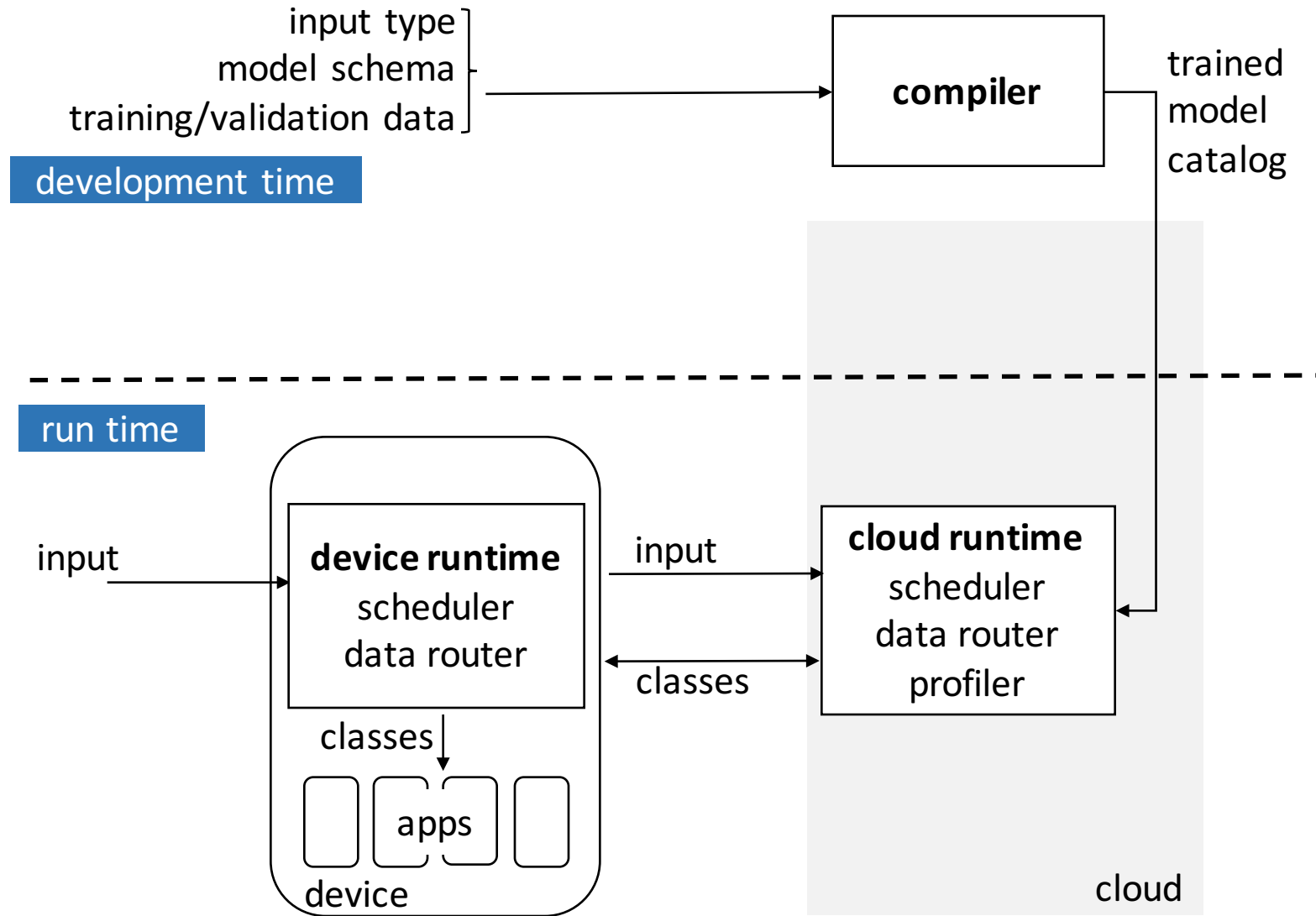
Heuristic scheduler

- Estimate future resource use and compute the budget for each request
- Account for paging cost to reduce oscillations
- Use increasingly more accurate versions of more heavily used models

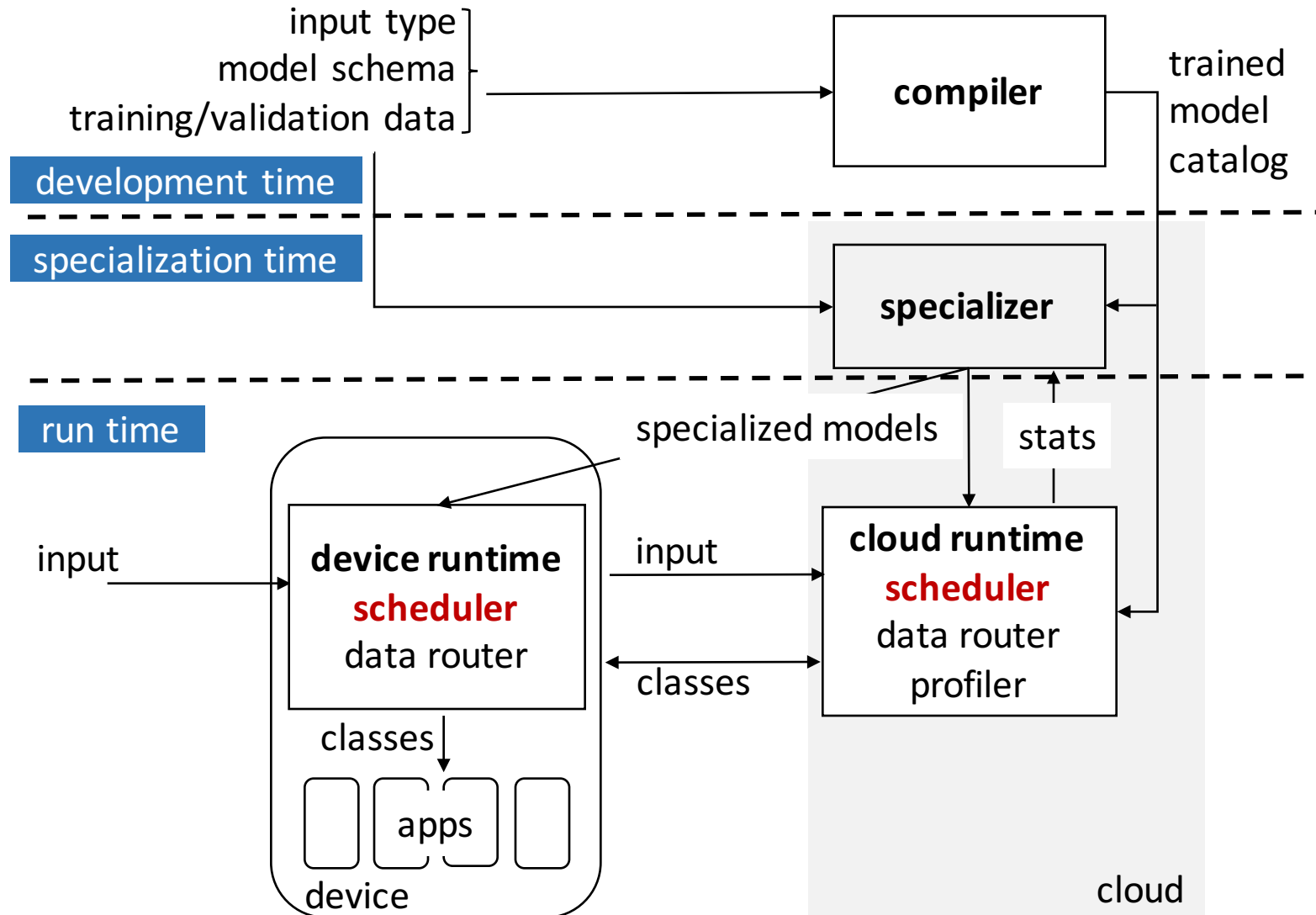
Trace-driven evaluation



MCDNN framework



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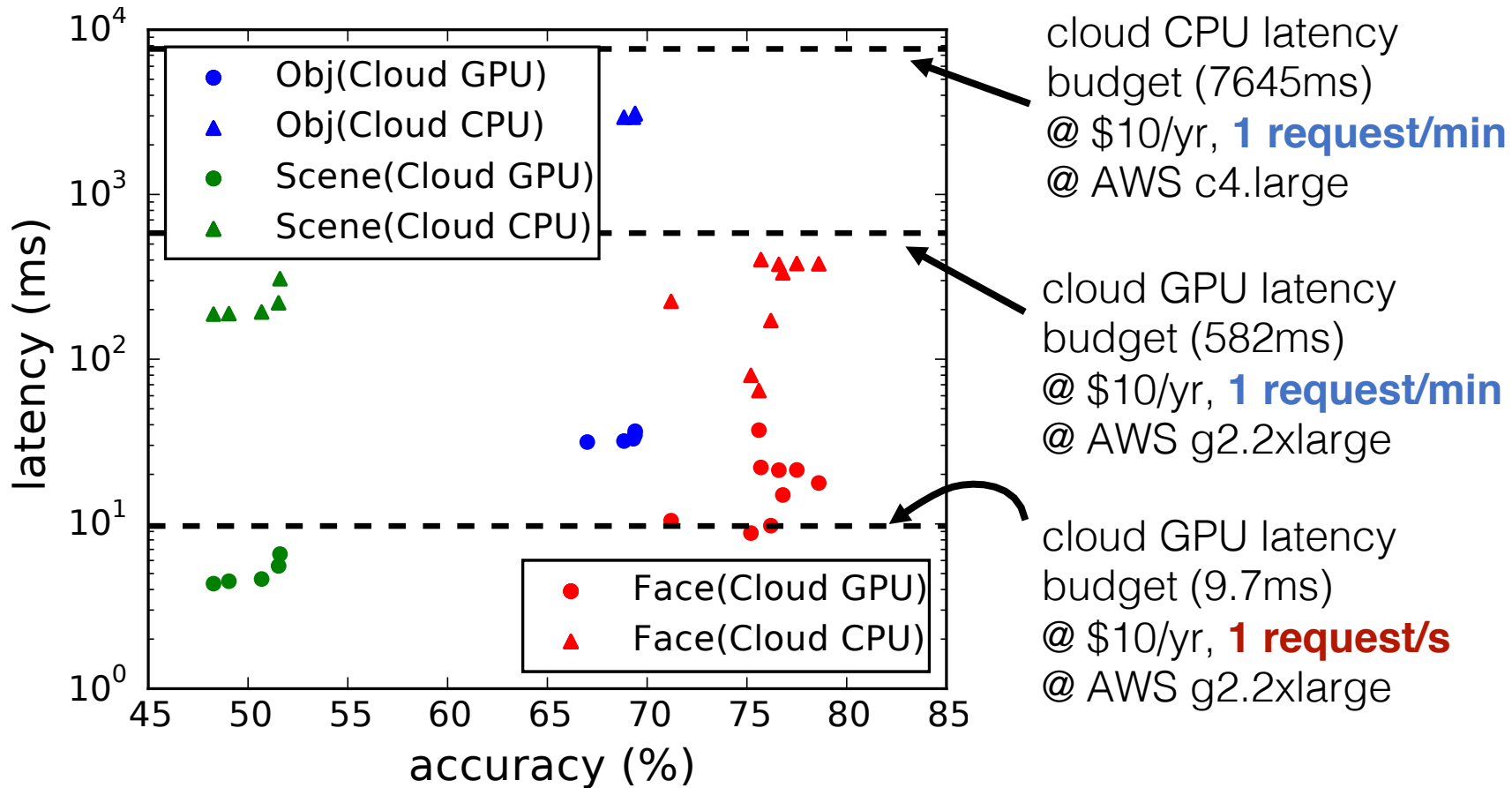
Conclusion

- MCDNN makes **efficient trade-offs** between resource use and accuracy
- Formulate the **approximate model scheduling** problem and devise a heuristic algorithm
- Design a generic **approximation-based execution framework** for continuous mobile vision

Thank you! Questions?

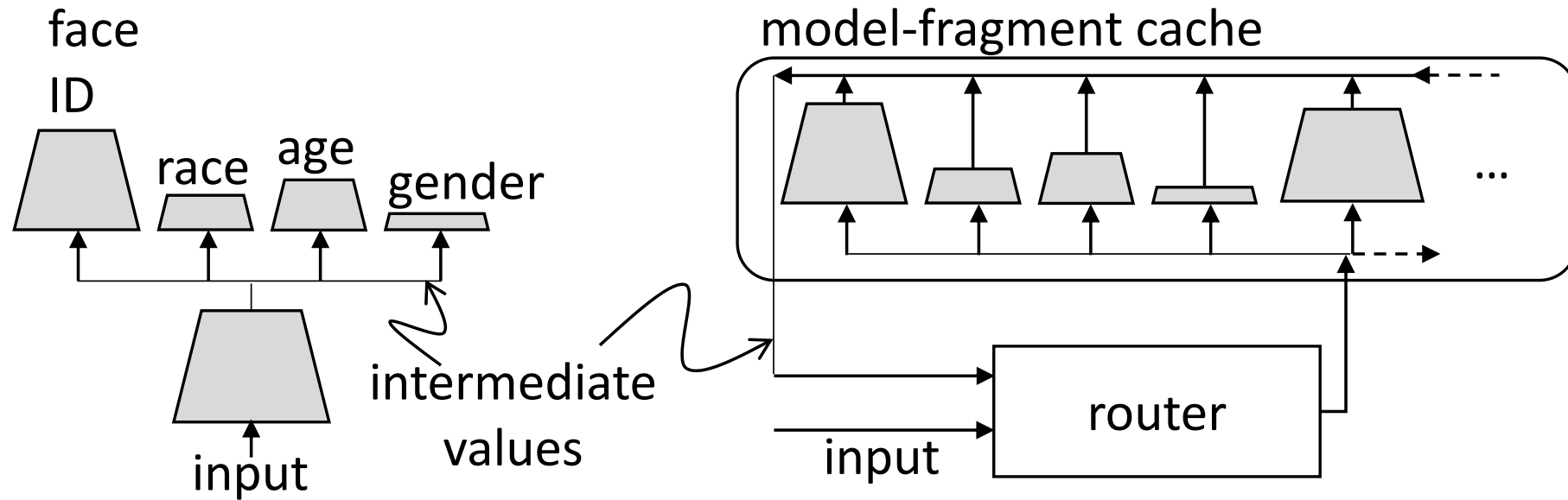
Backup Slides

Cloud cost / accuracy trade-off



latency budget = cost budget / cost per hour / #requests

Model sharing



Dynamically-sized caching scheme

