

nnstreamer

Neural Networks as GStreamer Filters

Adding arbitrary neural networks into the pipeline!

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Who am I?

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- Samsung (Korea)
- Dev. Infra & SW Platform for "on-device" AI Projects
 - nnstreamer is a part of "infra" for "on-device" AI projects.
 - Newbie in GStreamer. (all of nnstreamer members as well)
- Previously
 - Linux Kernel
 - maintainer: devfreq, extron
 - Tizen
 - Ex-architect: "System F/W" and "Base" domains (1.0 ~ 2.4)
 - Build & Release process "restructure" (for 4.0)
 - .NET Core Runtime (Linux/ARM) (for 4.0)

What is nnstreamer?

Let gstreamer handle "tensor"!

- Tensor: multi-dimensional array
- Why tensor?: It's input/output of neural networks.

What is nnstreamer?

Set of gstreamer plugins

- Invoking arbitrary neural network frameworks & models as "stream filters"
- Manipulating stream data, "tensor", for such filters

Neural networks are yet another media filter.

Data for/from neural networks are yet another media data.

What is nnstreamer?

- Fully Open Sourced (LGPL 2.1)
 - <https://github.com/nnsuite/nnstreamer>
 - We want to upstream to “gst-plugins-good” later.
- Open for participation
 - Current developers are GStreamer newbies!
- Transparent to HW & SW platforms.

nnstreamer “Official Releases”

- Release: Tizen (for-next), Ubuntu (16.04, 18.04)
 - Ubuntu PPA: [ppa:nnstreamer/ppa](https://ppa.launchpad.net/nnstreamer/ppa)
 - WIP: build.opensuse.org
- CI Testing: Tizen (x64, arm), Ubuntu, Yocto
 - WIP: Android, aarch64

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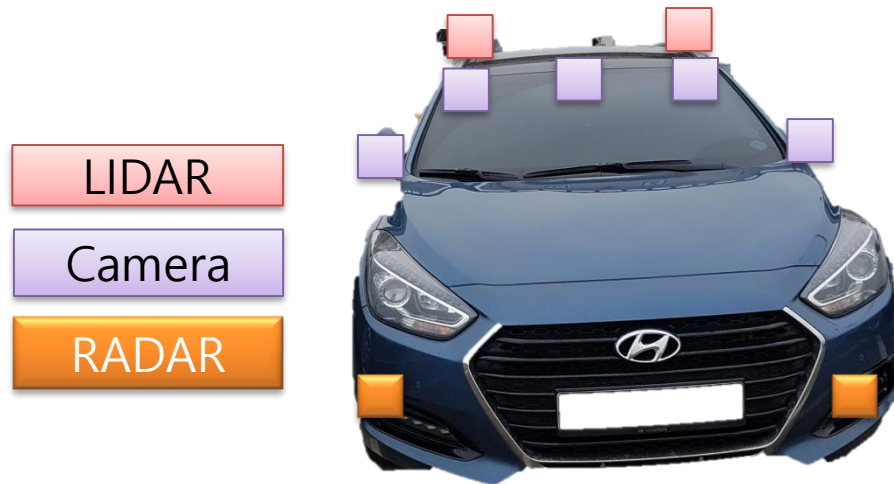
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Background

Cast Study

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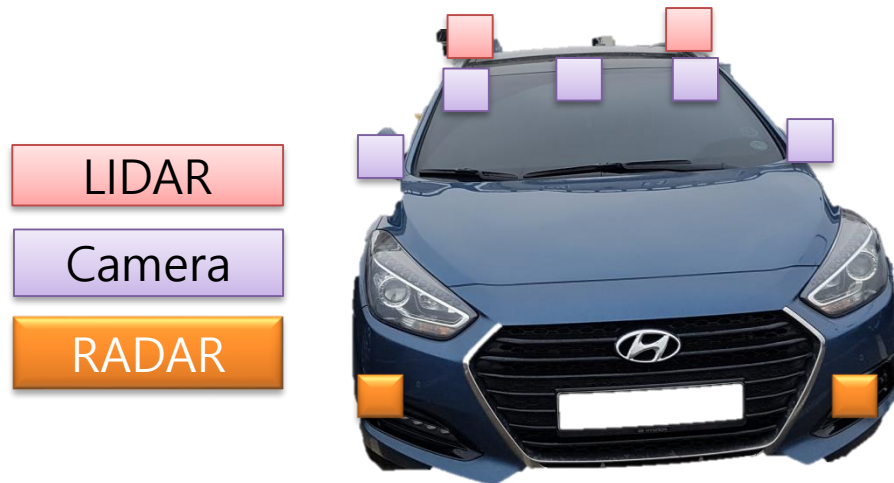


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Case 1: Autonomous Vehicle, Neural Network Models

Much simplified from the real case



SLAM: Simultaneous localization and mapping

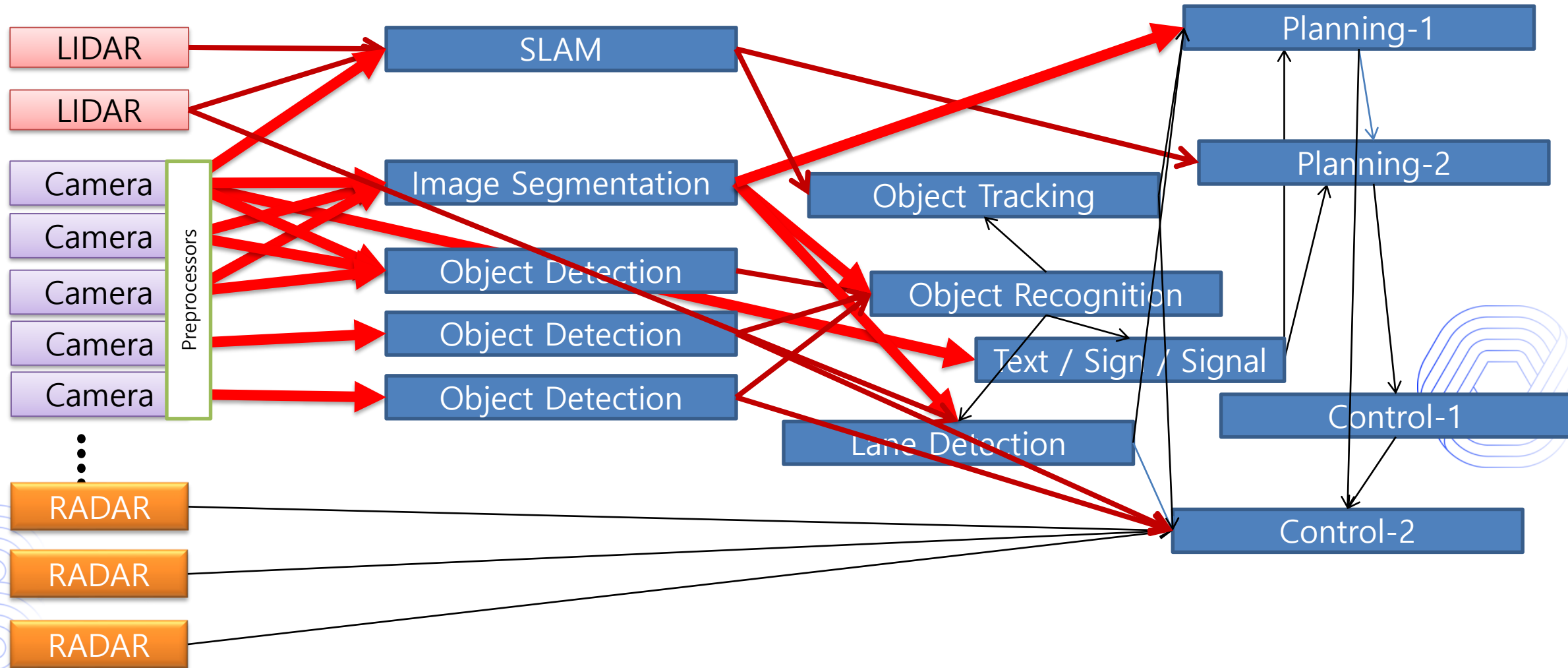
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Case 1: Autonomous Vehicle, Data Stream Pipelines

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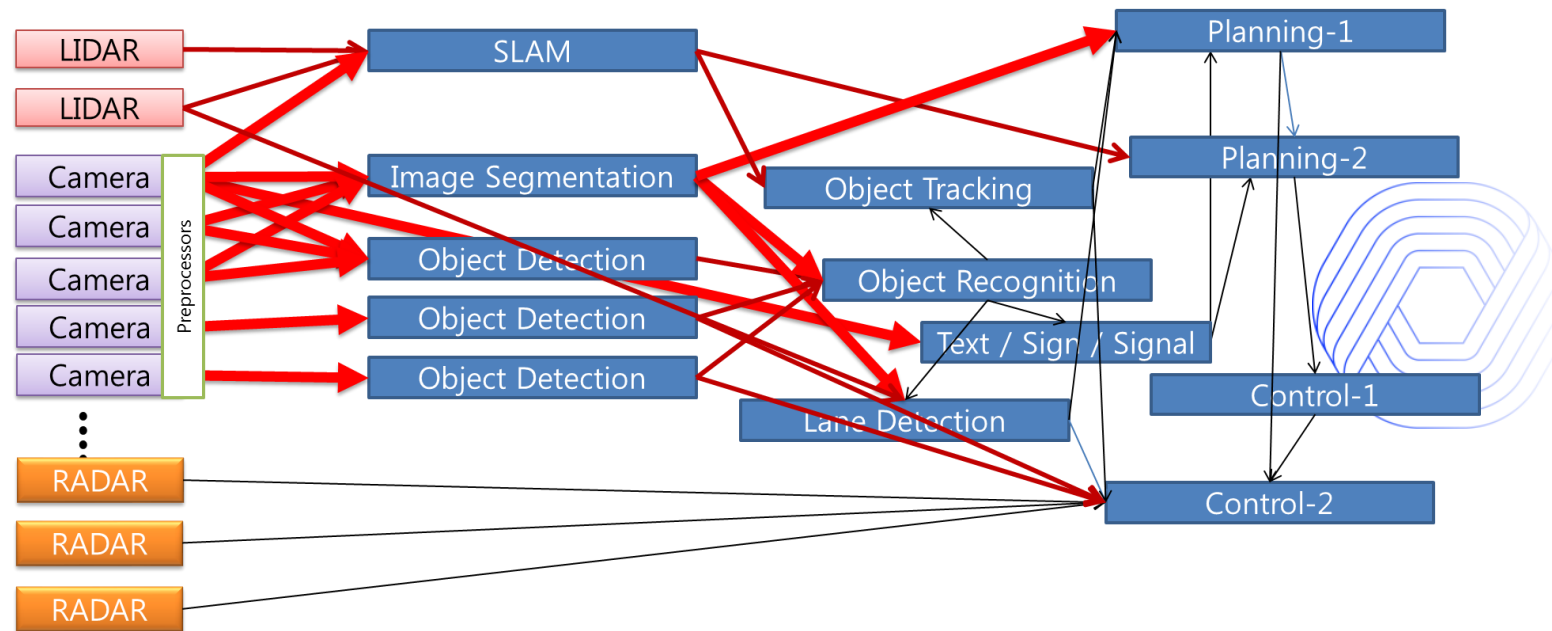
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Case 1: Autonomous Vehicle, Data Stream Pipelines

Common Issues

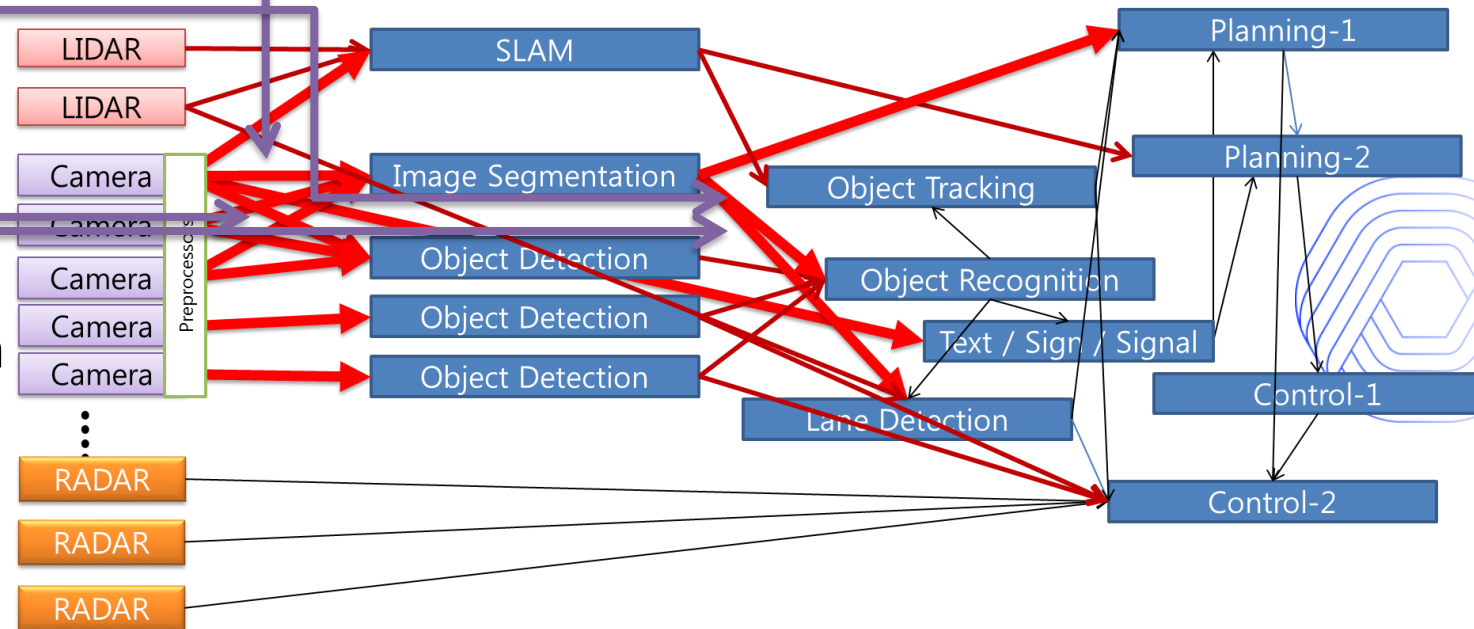
- High Bandwidth / Real-Time
- Complex Pipeline Topology
- Synchronization & Parallelism
- Latency & Jitter Control



Case 1: Autonomous Vehicle, Data Stream Pipelines w/ ROS

Common Issues with ROS (Socket!)

- High Bandwidth / Real-Time
 - High-Res Video in Real-Time
 - ROS2 / DDS (RTI Connex DDS) may help?
 - Transmission between models
 - Duplicated transmission

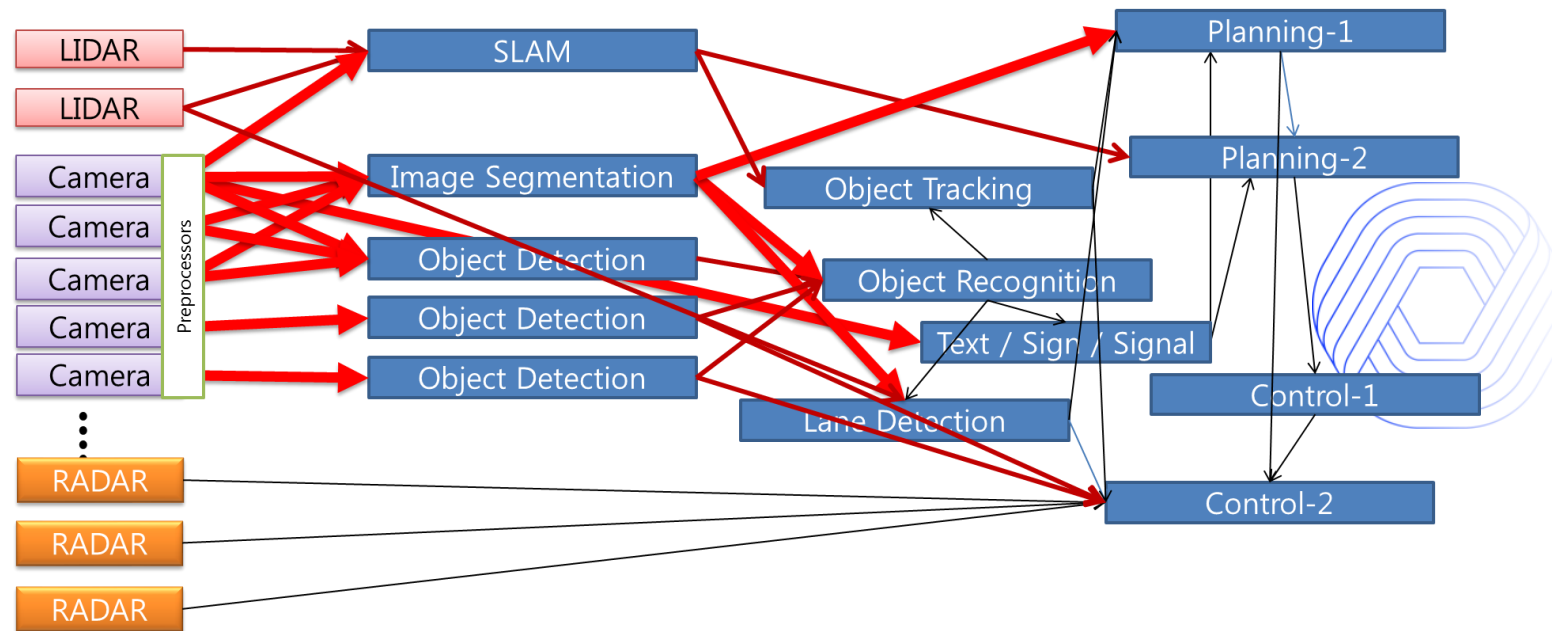


- Even with high-end workstation

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Common Issues with ROS

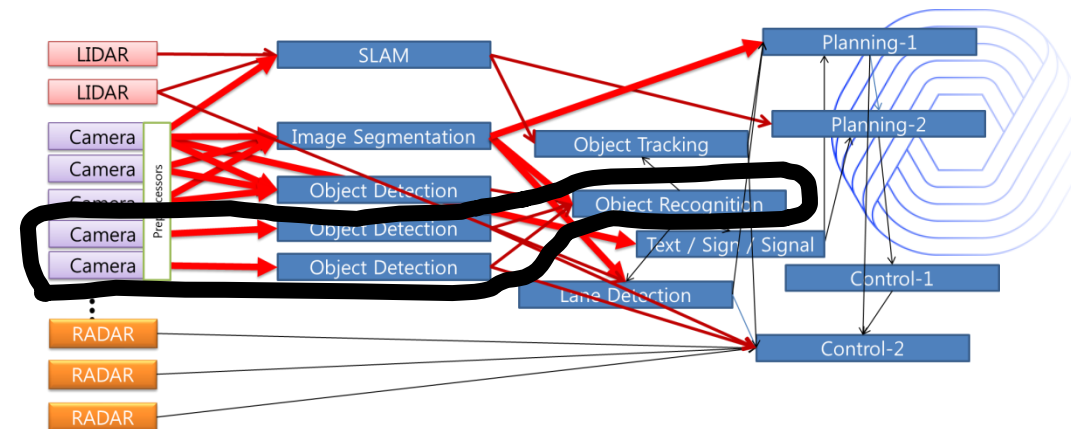
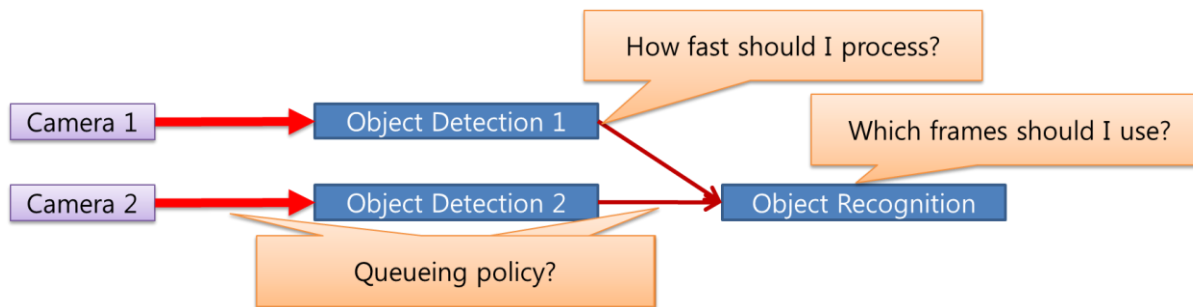
- Complex Pipeline Topology
 - Pub/Sub supports complex topology
 - May be it's overkill... with side-effects



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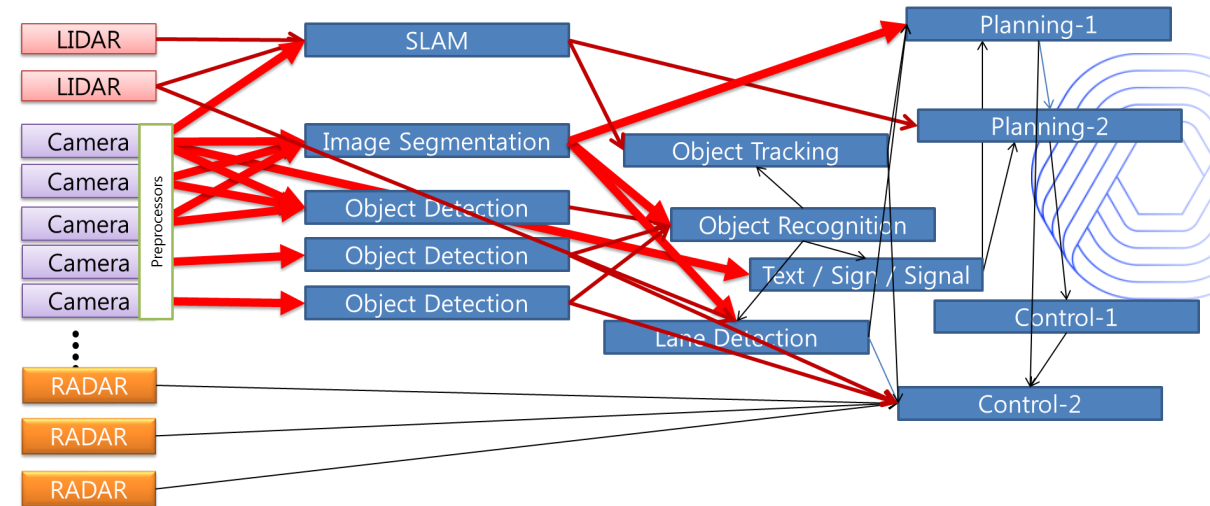
- Synchronization
 - Independently scheduled processes → **Headaches!**



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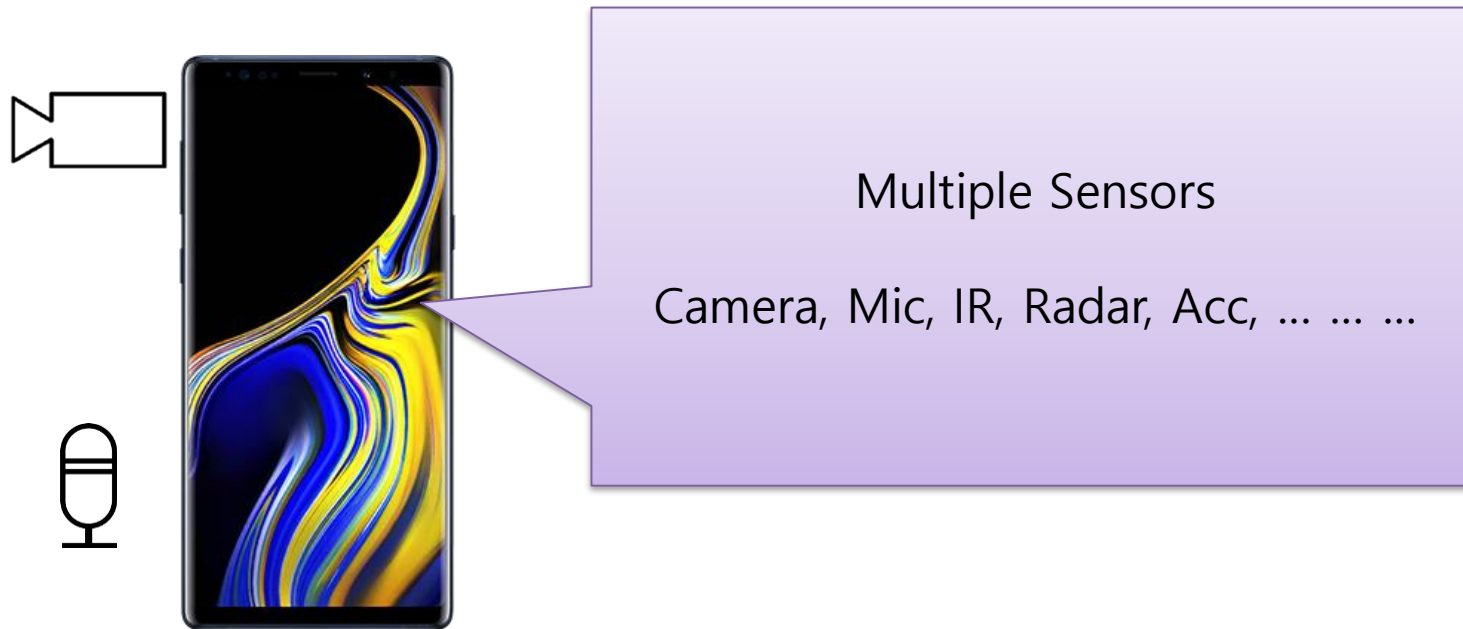
Common Issues with ROS (Socket!)

- Latency
 - Communication Latency due to Memcpy
- Jitter Control
 - Resource/Rate Control
 - Making it more difficult to synchronize



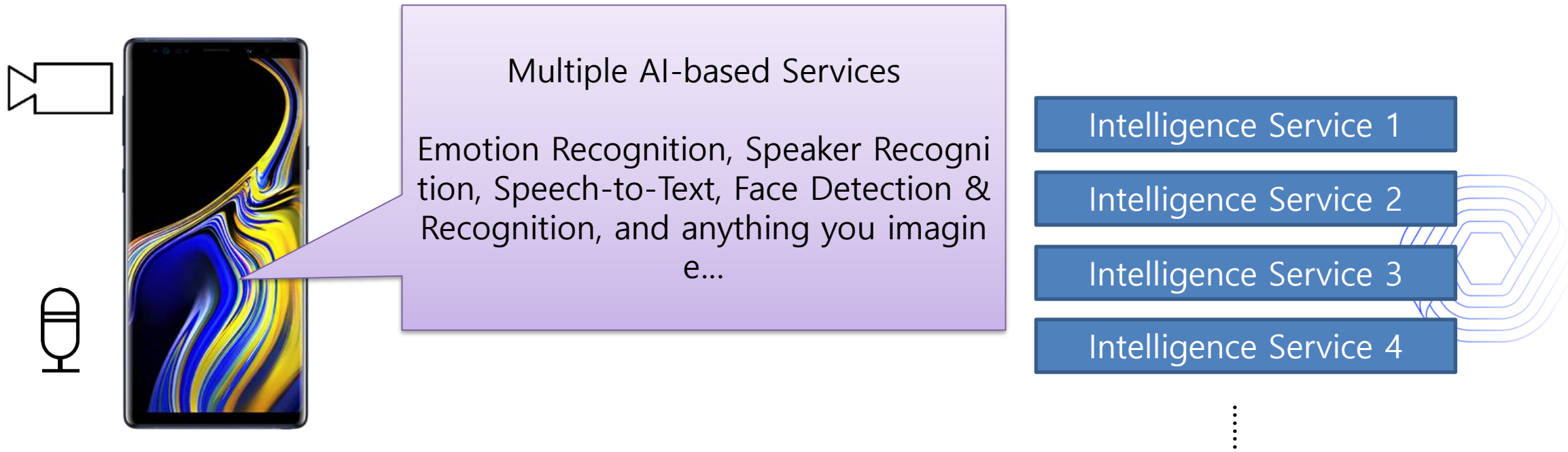
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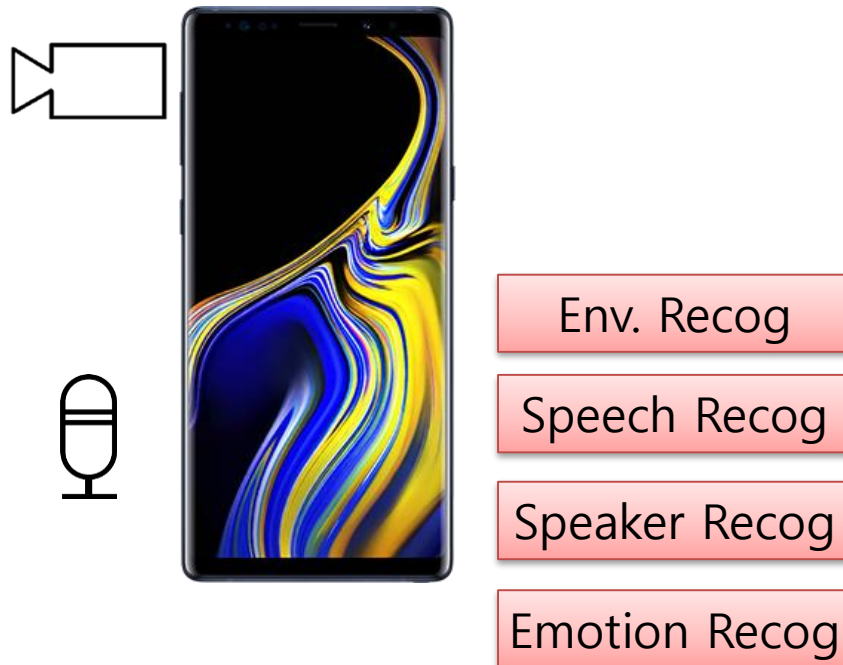
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Common neural networks with Mic inputs

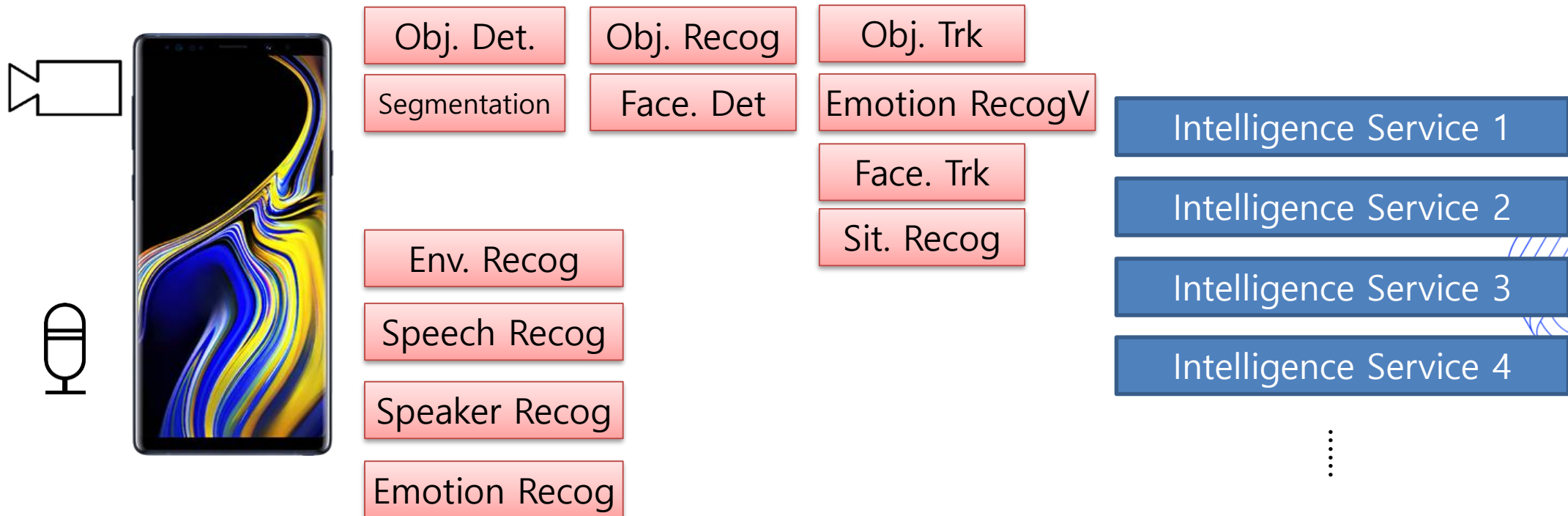


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Common neural networks with camera inputs

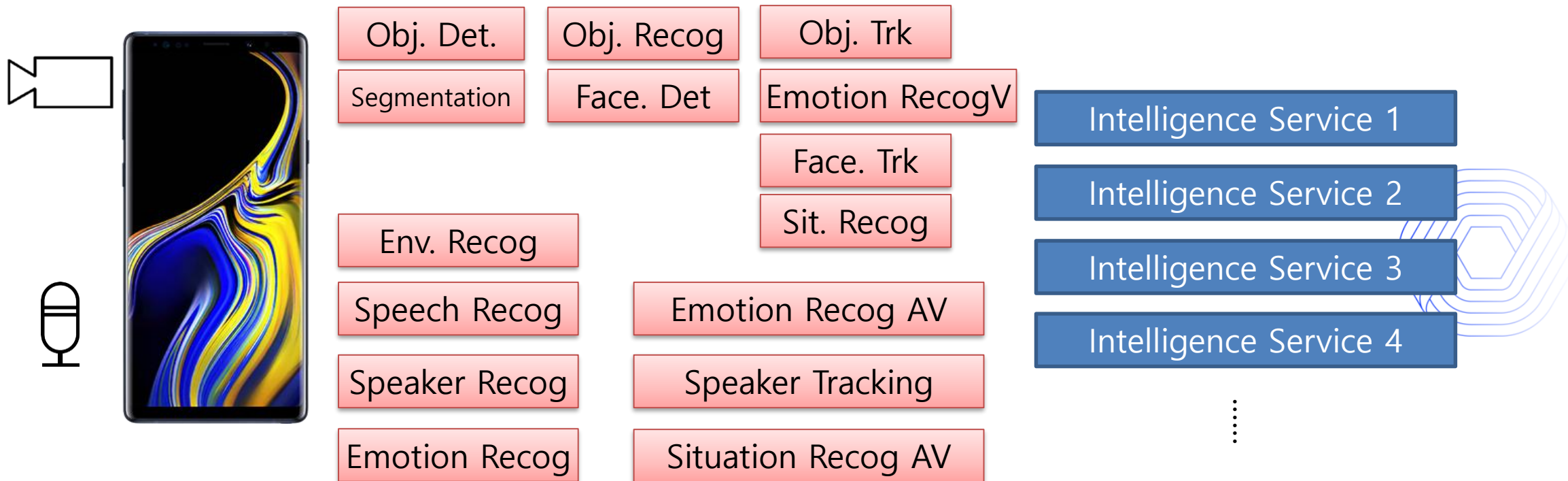


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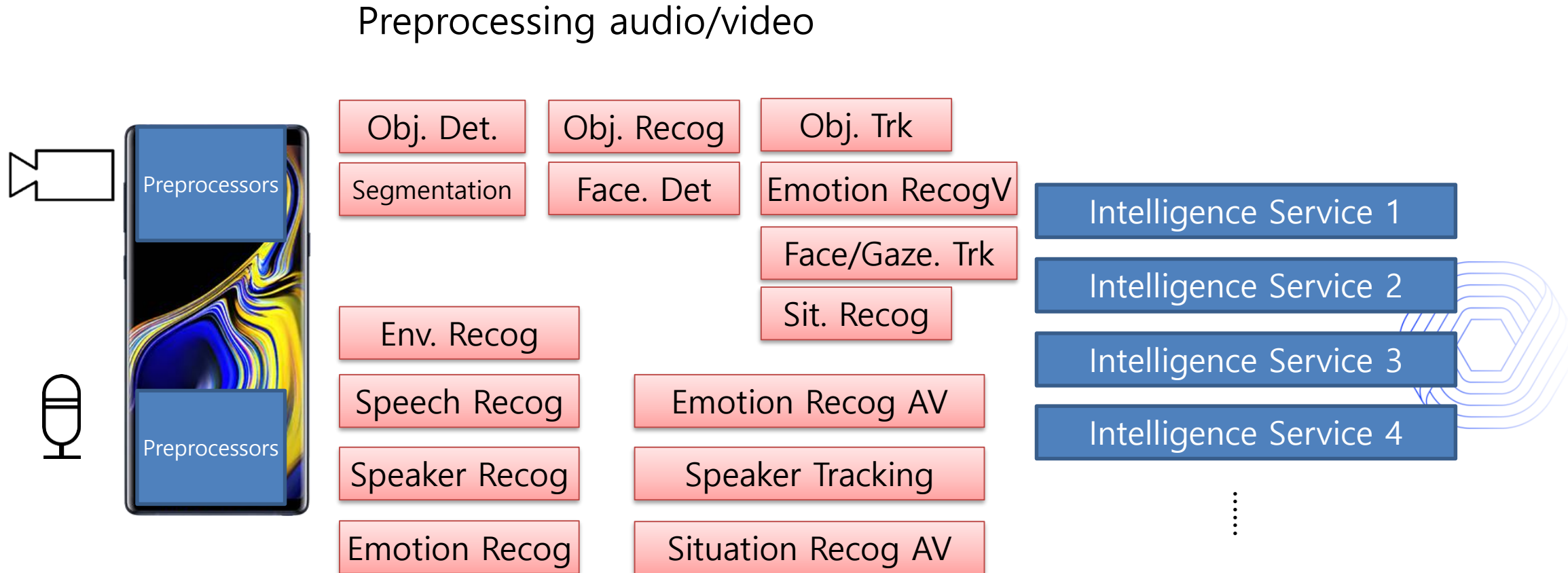
Combining results from both audio and video



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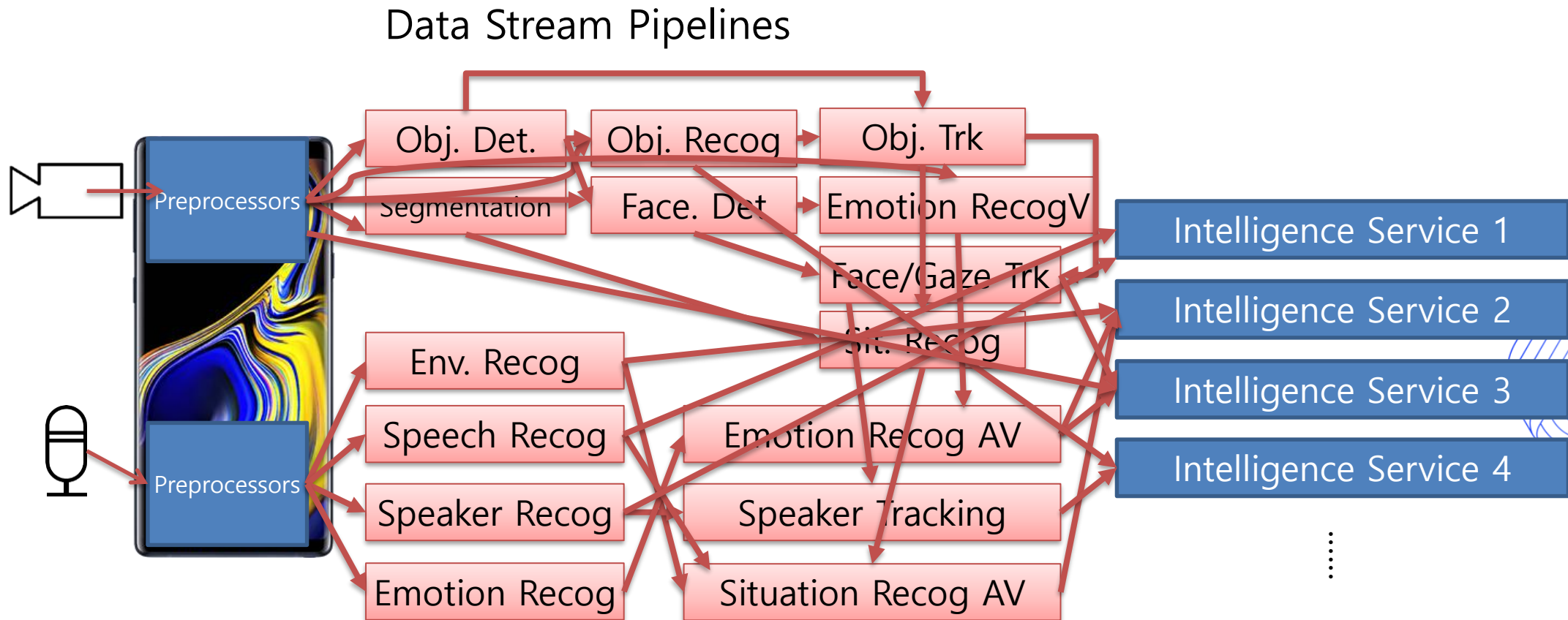
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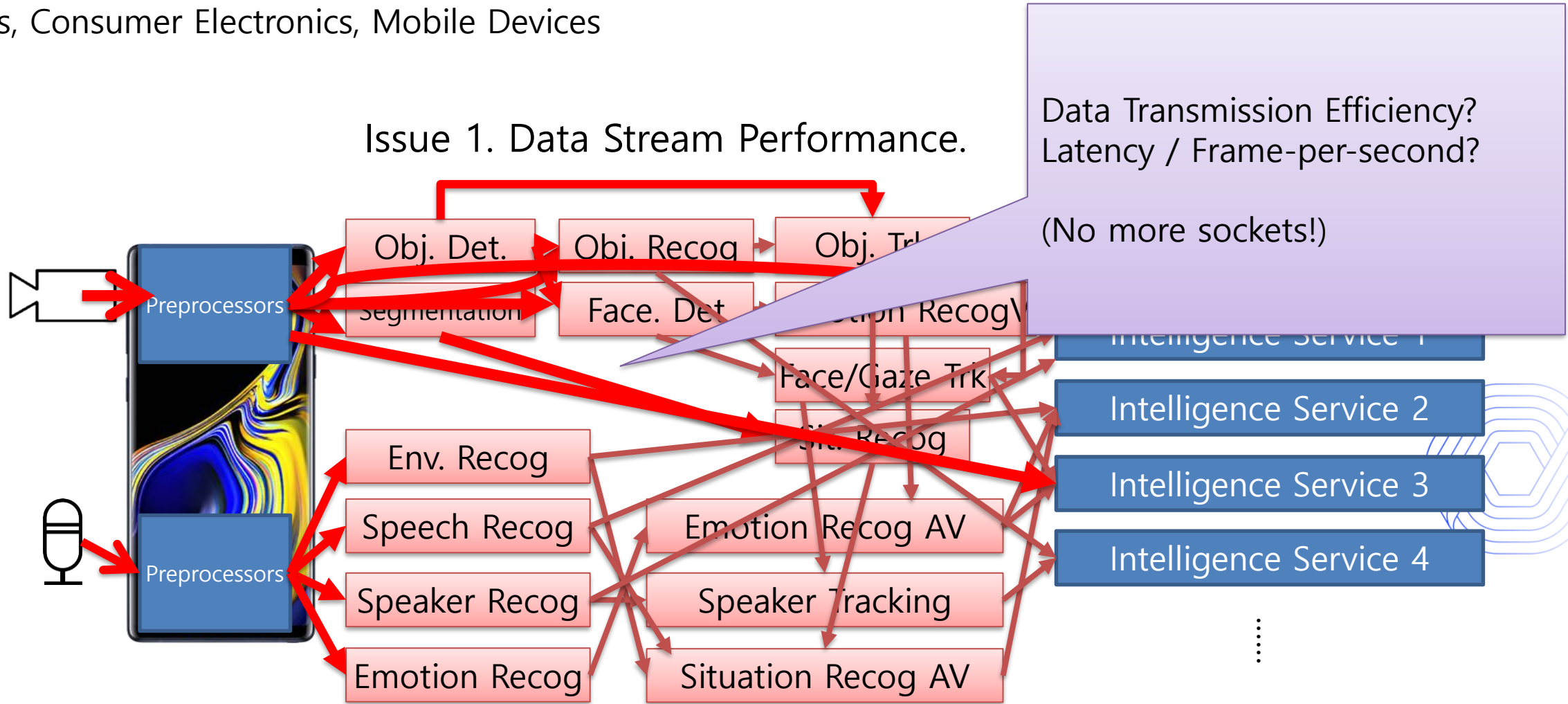
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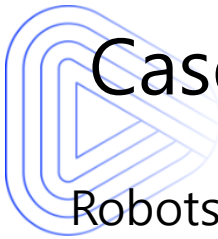
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Issue 1. Data Stream Performance.



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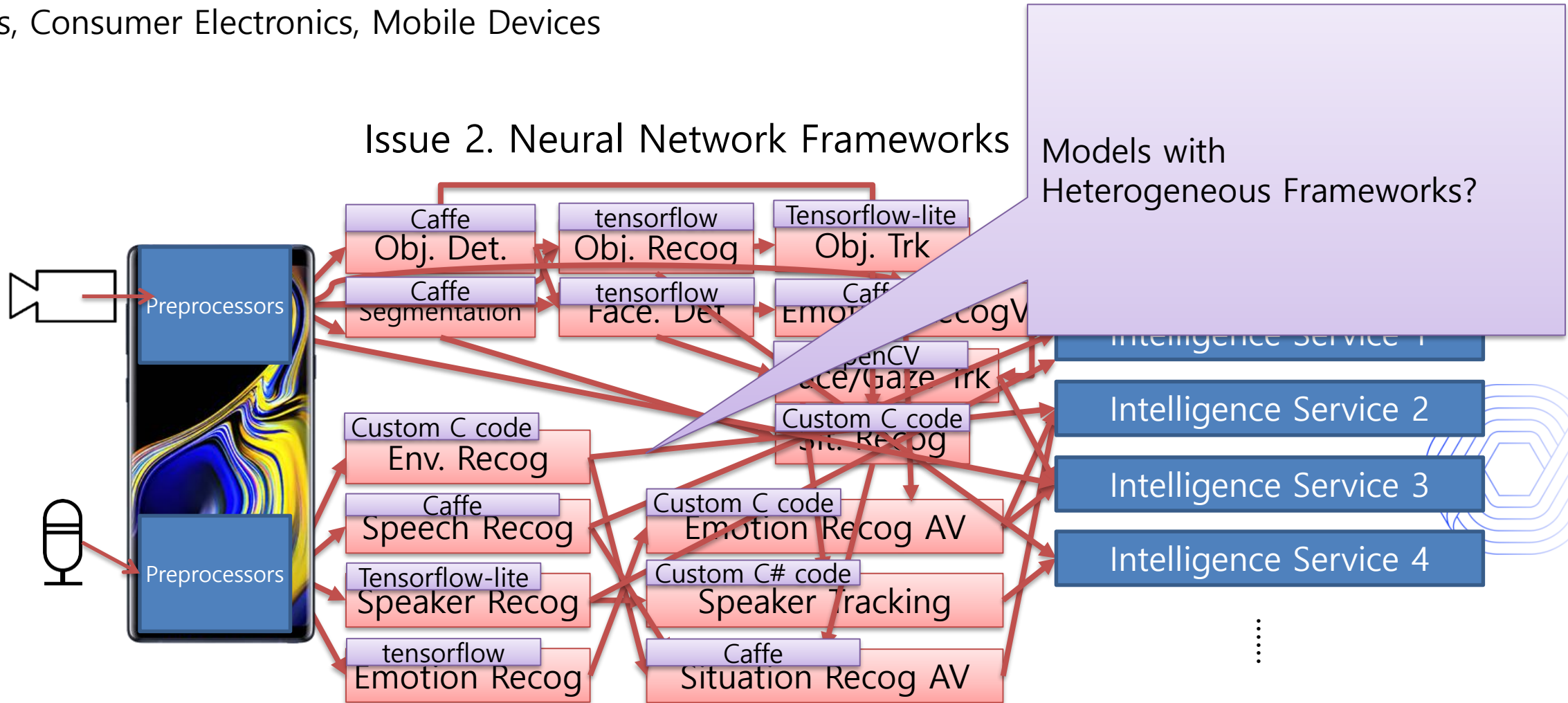




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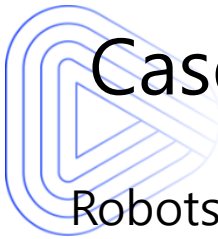
Issue 2. Neural Network Frameworks



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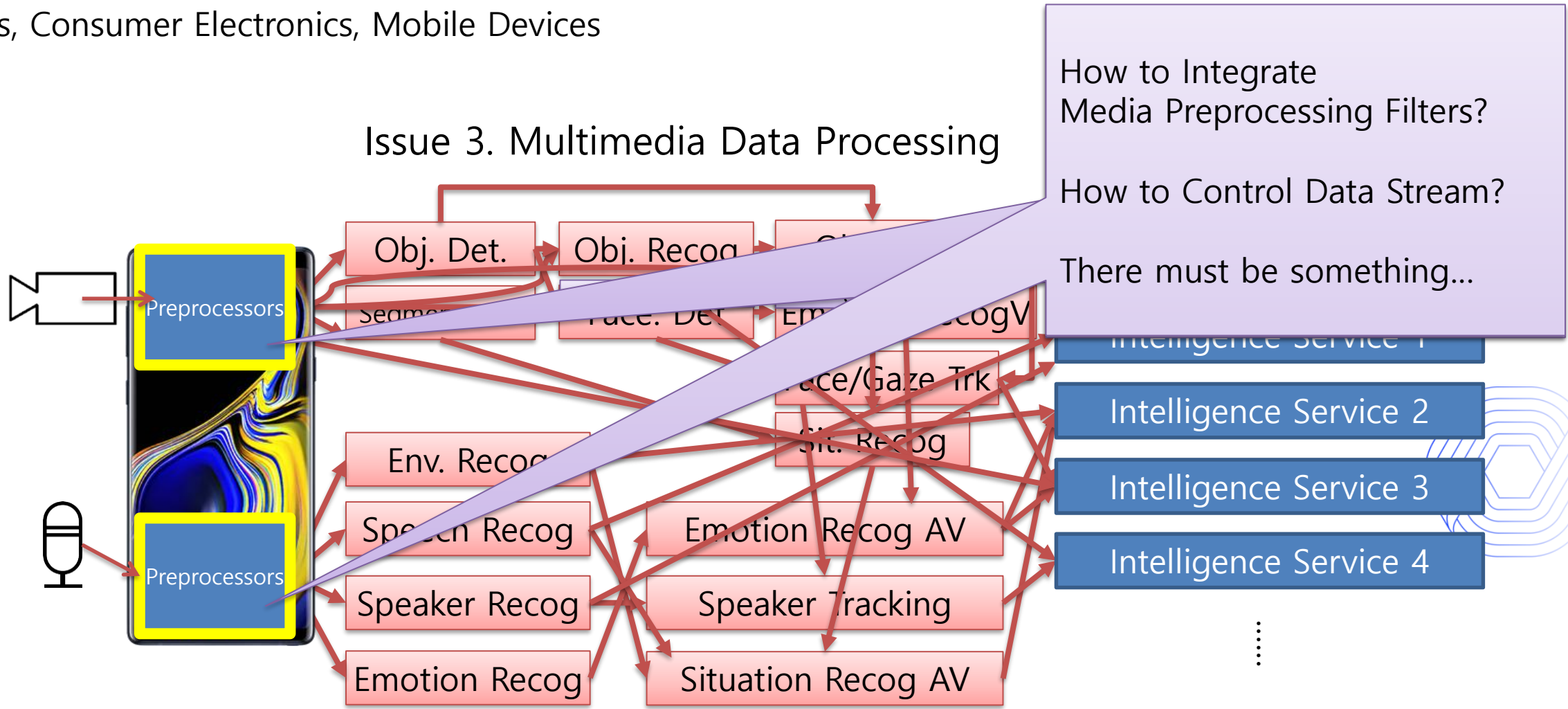




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Issue 3. Multimedia Data Processing



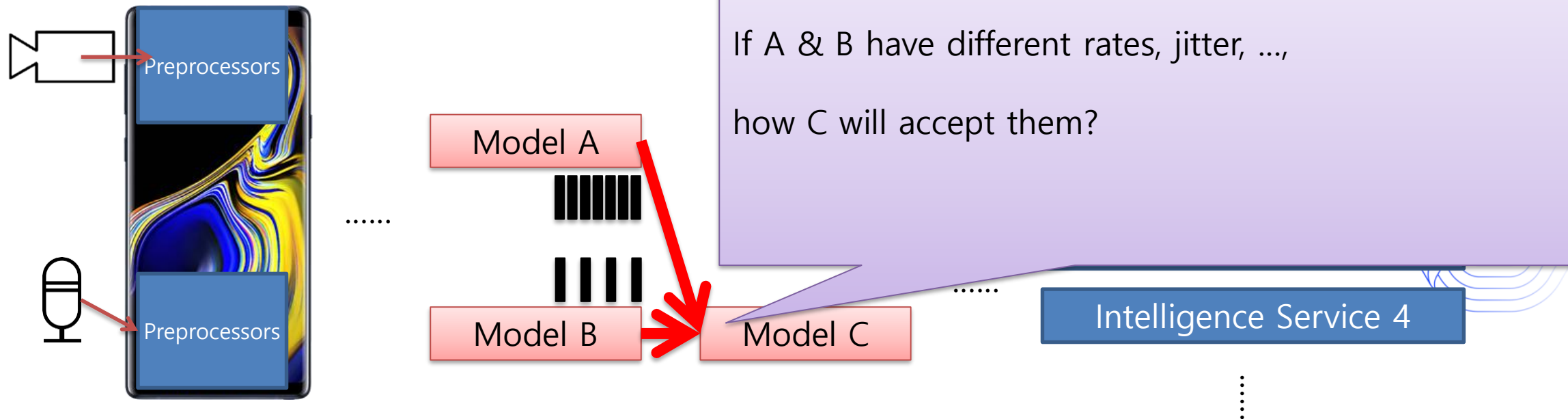
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Issue 4. Data Stream Synchronization

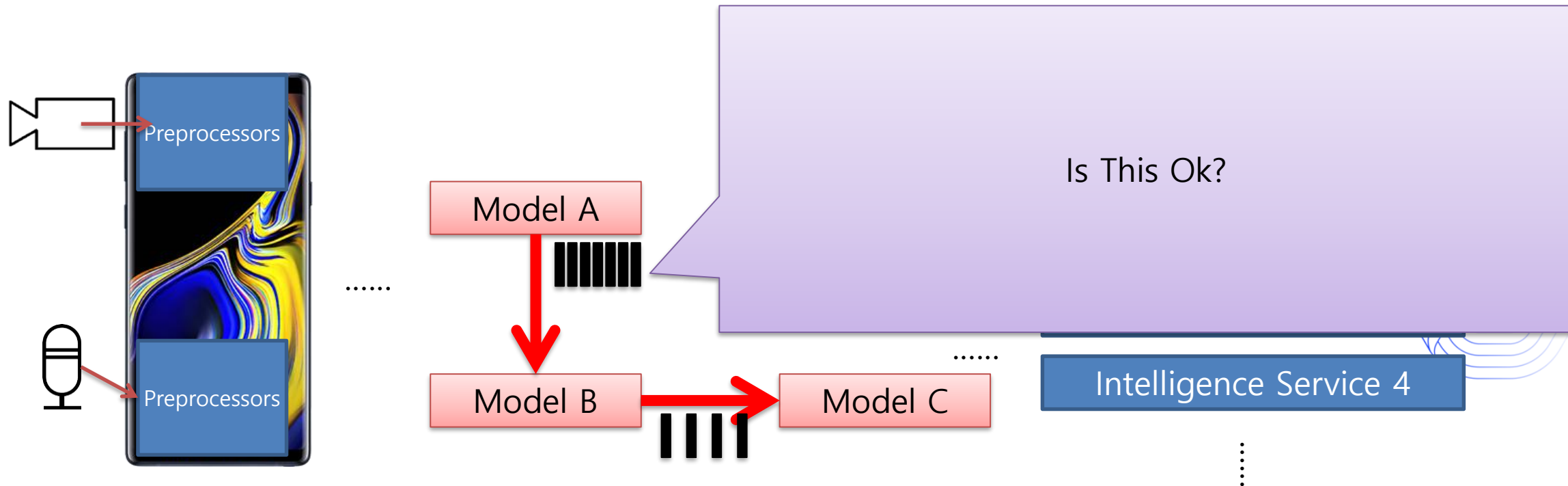


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Issue 5. Data Stream Rate Control



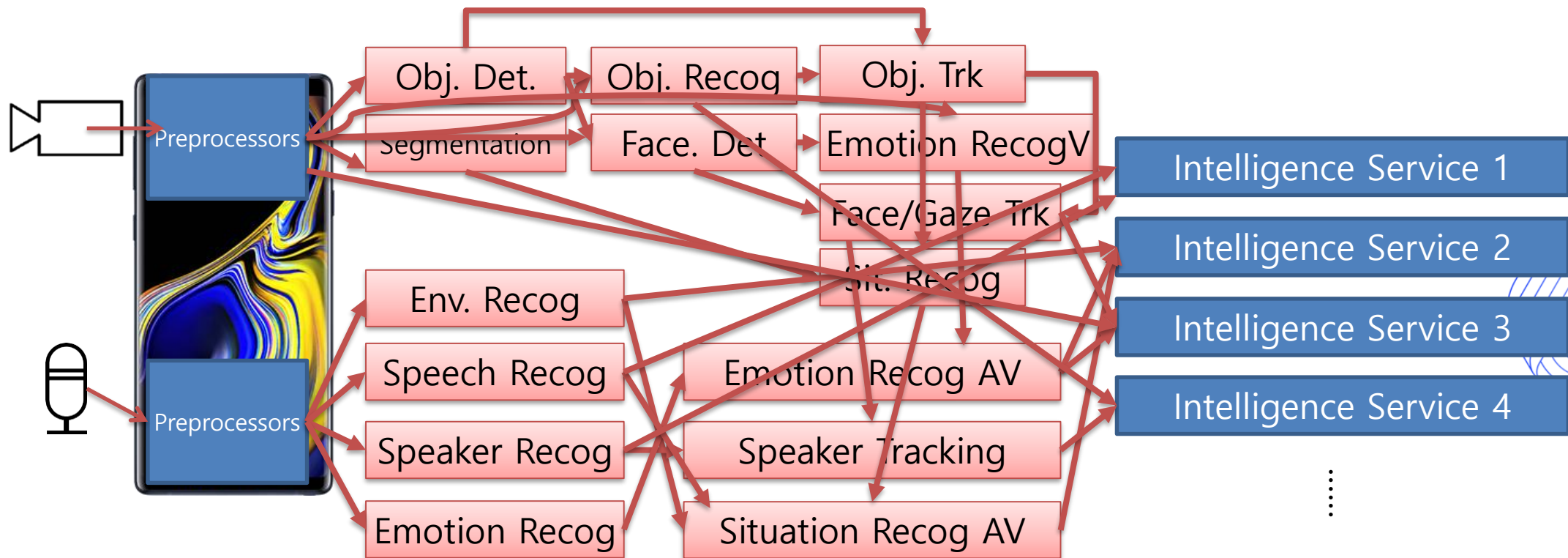
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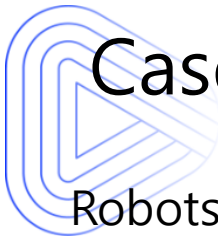
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Issue 6. Dynamic Stream Pipelines



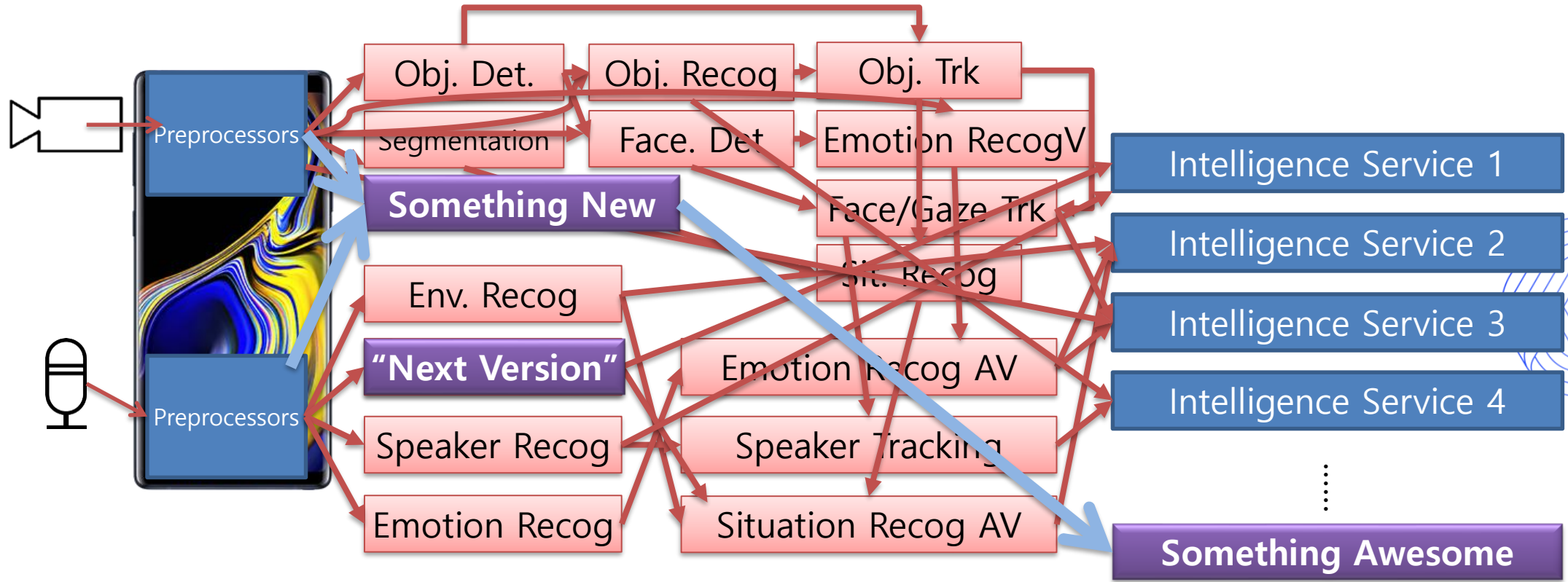
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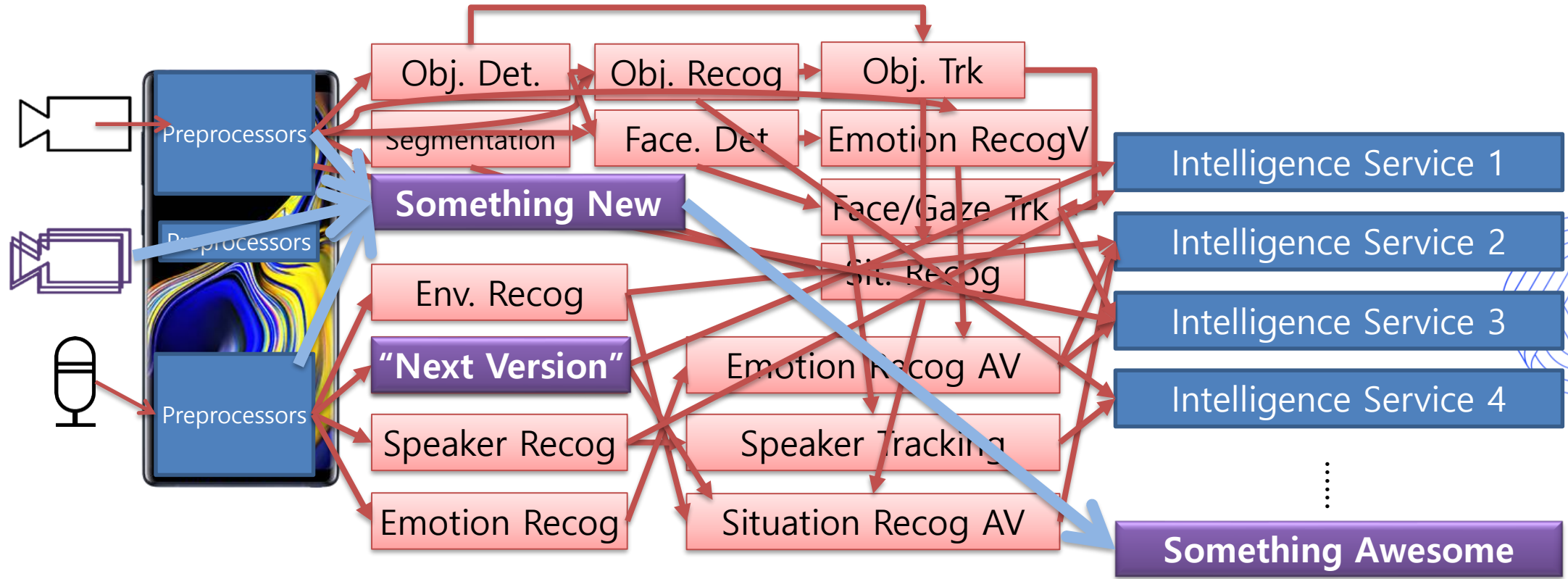
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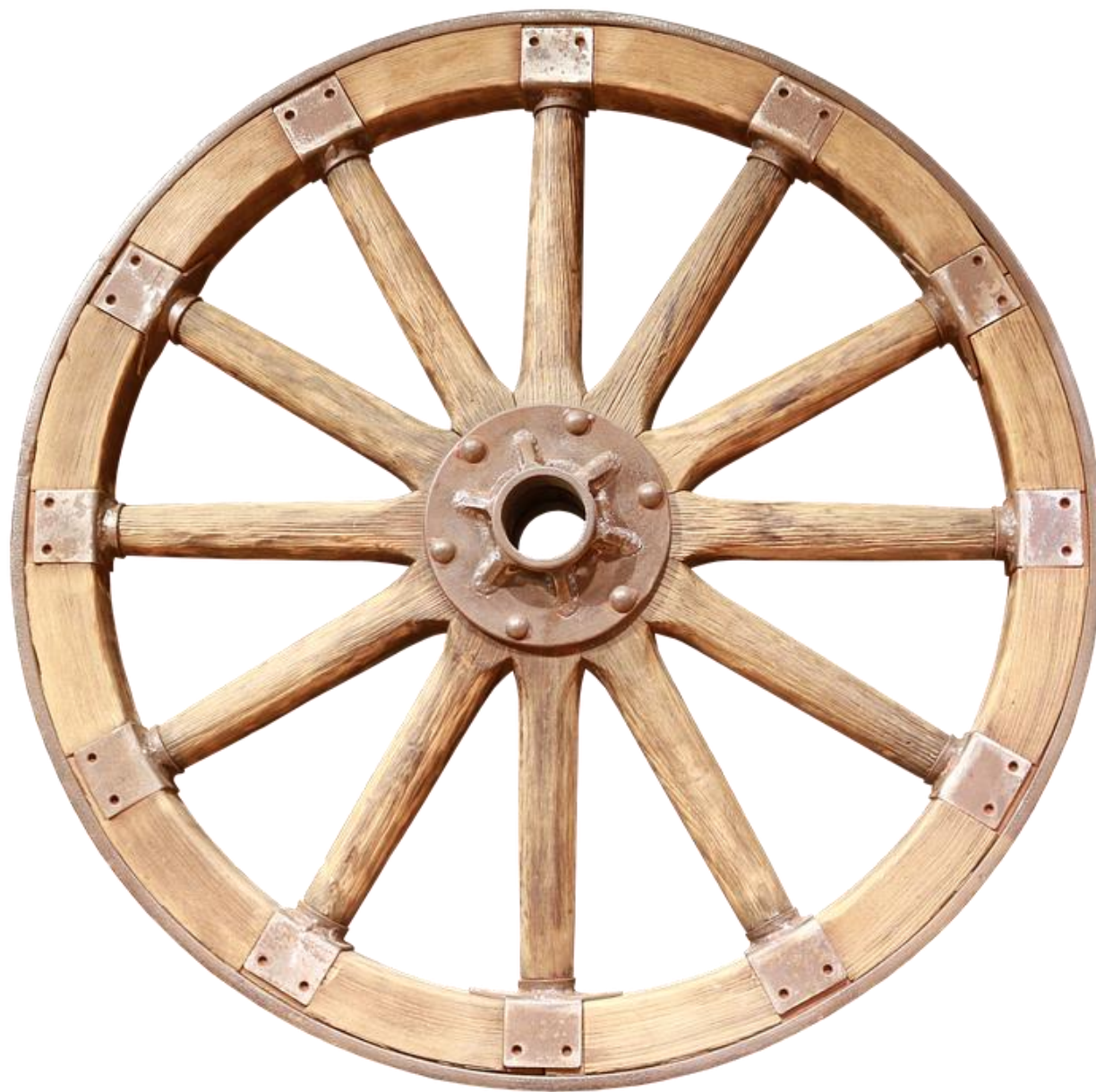


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Motivation

Why `nnstreamer` chose `gststreamer`?

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gstreamer for intelligence!

Neural networks on devices? Why? (a.k.a. edge-computing?)

- Real time processing with large data streams!
 - \$ and time
- Privacy and data protection.
 - If you cannot protect it, don't store it.
- Neuromorphic processing units, DSPs, Neural processors, ...
 - > O(100) TOPS on your hands soon!





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Why gstreamer for neural networks on devices?

- You, gstreamer developers, have already solved what we are facing!
 - Large data stream processing in real-time, even in embedded devices (TVs, mobile devices, ...)
 - Multi data stream synchronization with parallelism
 - Support complex stream pipeline topology with dynamicity
 - Various media preprocessors
 - Support custom plugins for new hardware, features, ...
 - Various language bindings
 - Number of developers who are already familiar with
 - In Samsung, we've been using gstreamer for Tizen projects (All of TV, wearable, CE, ... & some of mobile)
 - We have someone to consult in house!
 - ...





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Why gstreamer for neural networks on devices? / Continued

Neural networks are yet another stream filters! (Gst elements)



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What Gstreamer needs to understand "neural networks"

- Data Stream Standards for various neural network frameworks & models
- Methods to invoke various neural network framework & models
- Methods to convert between traditional GST data and neural network data
- Methods to handle neural network data streams





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Public Open: <https://github.com/nnsuite/nnstreamer>

2018.07: 0.0.1

2018.10: 0.0.2

Current: 0.0.3-rc1





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We will try to upstream to gst-plugins-good 😊





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Benefits of nnstreamer @ gstreamer

- For **neural network** developers
- For **device/application** developers using neural networks
- For **gstreamer** developers





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What if Gstreamer understands neural networks...

- Neural Network Model / Device / Application Developers
 - Fast prototyping, testing, and releases of models with real-time sensor inputs
 - Low Cost, High Efficiency, Short Time-to-market, High Reusability,
 - "Create applications by describing the topology only?!!!"
 - Just bring your neural network models!





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What if Gstreamer understands neural networks...

- Multimedia Framework / Plugin Developers
 - Neural Network Models as Media Filters!

Upscaling, Picture Quality Improvement, Context Awareness, Style Transfer,



Concepts

How **nnstreamer**  works?

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How GStreamer handle neural networks?

NN (neural network) is yet another media filter.

Data between NNs: Video Stream? Audio Stream? Text Stream? ...

➔ "Tensor Stream"!



• Tensor : Multi-Dimensional Array



How GStreamer handle neural networks?

NN is yet another media filter. Tensor is yet another media type.

"Tensor" as "Data Stream"

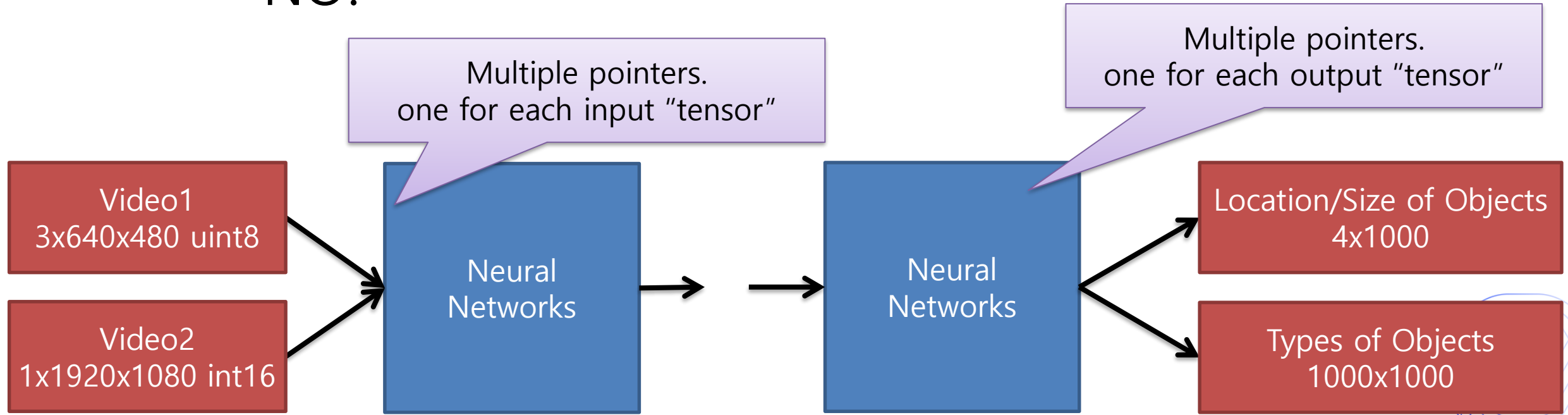
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other/tensor
  framerate: (fraction) [ 0/1, 2147483647/1 ]
  dim1: (int) [1, 65535]
  dim2: (int) [1, 65535]
  dim3: (int) [1, 65535]
  dim4: (int) [1, 65535] # Up to 4-dimensions (v0.0.3)
  type: (string) { uint8, int8, uint16, int16, uint32, int32, uint64, int64, float32
, float64 }
```

[Caps-and-Flow-Design](#) "GStreamer data types (pad capabilities)"



Is "other/tensor" enough?

NO!



Need Container of Tensors!



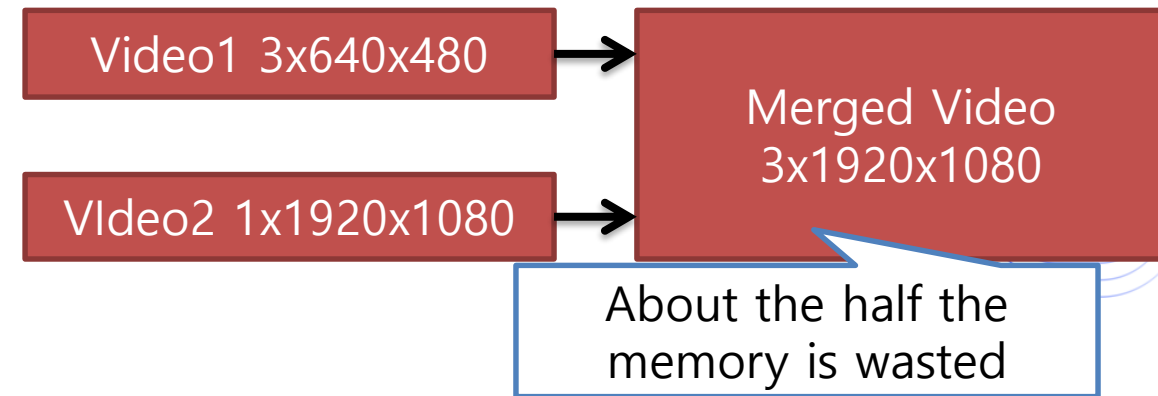
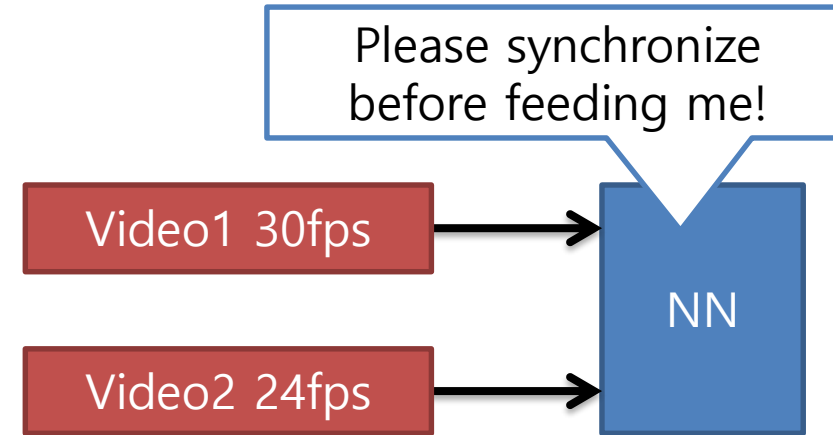
A Set of Tensors, How?

Suggested mechanisms...

- Multiple Streams, Each with a Tensor
 - Additional Synchronization Problems!!!
- Merge Tensors into a Tensor
 - $20 \times 4 + 4 \times 10 \rightarrow 20 \times 10 \times 2$ or 24×10 or ...
 - Inefficiency!

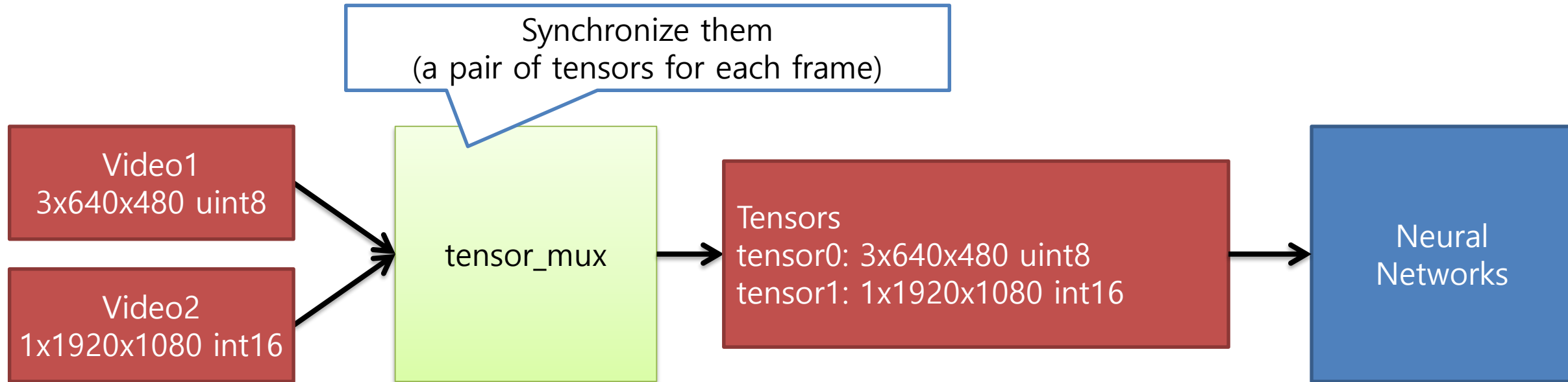


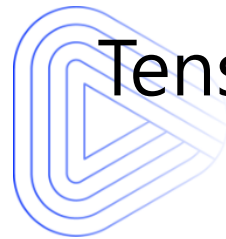
- Container of Tensors ("other/tensors")
 - **nnstreamer** v0.0.2 !



Tensors

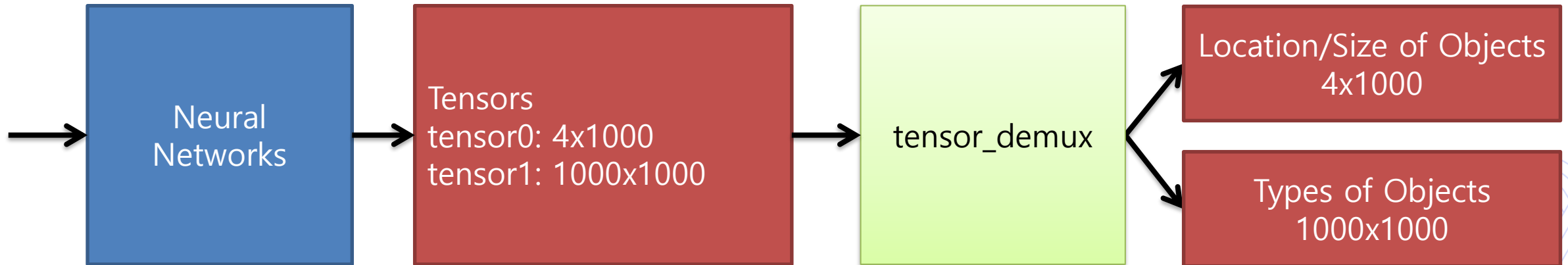
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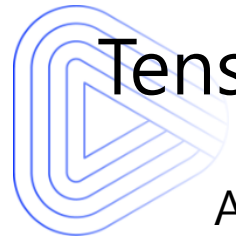




Tensors

other/tensors





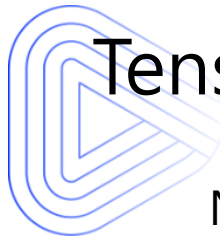
Tensors Performance? (Mux/Demux)

Any Performance Deterioration?

Memcpy-less mux & demux!

- GstBuffer Multi-memory-chunks!
- Thus, up to 16 Tensors in other/tensors





Tensors.

NN is yet another media filter. Tensor and Tensors are yet another media types.

“Tensor_s” as Data Stream

```

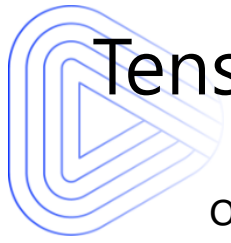
other/tensors
    num_tensors = (int) [1, 16] # GST_MAX_MEMCHUNK_PER_BUFFER
    framerate: (fraction) [ 0/1, 2147483647/1 ]
    types = (string) Typestrings
    dimensions = (string) Dimensions

Typestrings = Typestring | Typestring, Typestrings
Dimensions = Dimension | Dimension, Dimensions

Typestring = (string) {float32, float64, . . . , int16, uint16, int8, uint8}
Dimension = (string) [1-65535]:[1-65535]:[1-65535]:[1-65535]

```

- Refer: nstreamer wiki, “**GStreamer data types (pad capabilities)**”



Tensor File Format

other/tensorsave, ".tnsr" files

A file type definition for other/tensor & other/tensors

- NYI @ v 0.0.2
- Drafted at nstreamer wiki.



nnstreamer plugins

What **nnstreamer**  actually does

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nnstreamer plugins

Categories of Plugins

<https://github.com/nnsuite/nnstreamer/blob/master/Documentation/component-description.md>

- Converter
 - Conventional Media → Tensor
 - Tensor → Conventional Media





nnstreamer plugins

Categories of Plugins

<https://github.com/nnsuite/nnstreamer/blob/master/Documentation/component-description.md>

- Filter

Invoke neural network frameworks and their models

- Invoke Tensorflow, Caffe, TF-Lite, ...
- Invoke custom shared objects.





nnstreamer plugins

Categories of Plugins

<https://github.com/nnsuite/nnstreamer/blob/master/Documentation/component-description.md>

- Utility
 - Stream Pipeline Control
 - Mux, Demux, Merge, Split, Aggregate, ...
 - Tensor Transform
 - Add, Mul, Normalize, Sum, Transpose, Dimension-Change, Type-Cast, ...





nnstreamer plugins

Categories of Plugins

<https://github.com/nnsuite/nnstreamer/blob/master/Documentation/component-description.md>

- Connector:

Connecting with Out-of-Gstreamer World

- Non Audio/Video Sensors (LIDAR, RADAR, UWB, GPS, ...)
- Tensor-Sink to Applications
- ROS-src / ROS-sink
- ...





nnstreamer plugins: tensor_converter

v0.0.1 (video) / v0.0.2 (all)

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_converter/

- Video (video/x-raw)
 - RGB/BGRx. Other Colorspaces TBD.
 - 3:width:height uint8 (RGB) (== uint8[1][height][width][3]) (rank 3)
- Audio (audio/x-raw)
 - Channel:Frames-per-buffer <type> (rank 2)
- Text (text/x-raw)
 - Frames-per-buffer uint8 (rank 1)
- Binary Blob (application/octet)
 - Pipeline writers should specify the dimensions.





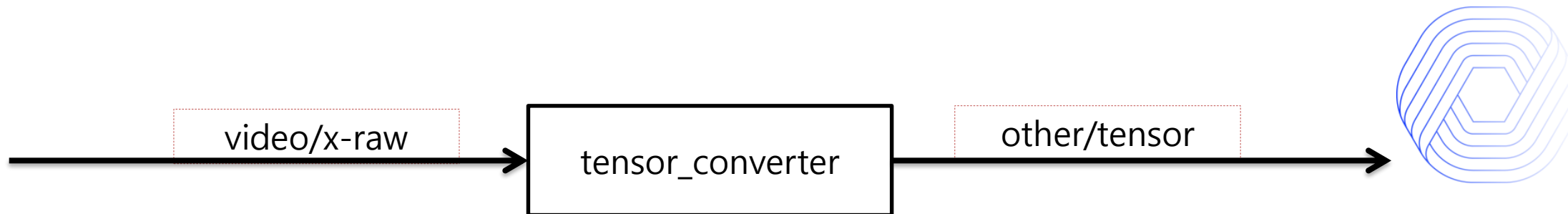
nnstreamer plugins: **tensor_converter**

v0.0.1 (video) / v0.0.2 (all)

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- Example:

(video stream) ... ! tensor_converter ! ... (tensor stream)





nnstreamer plugins: **tensor_decoder**

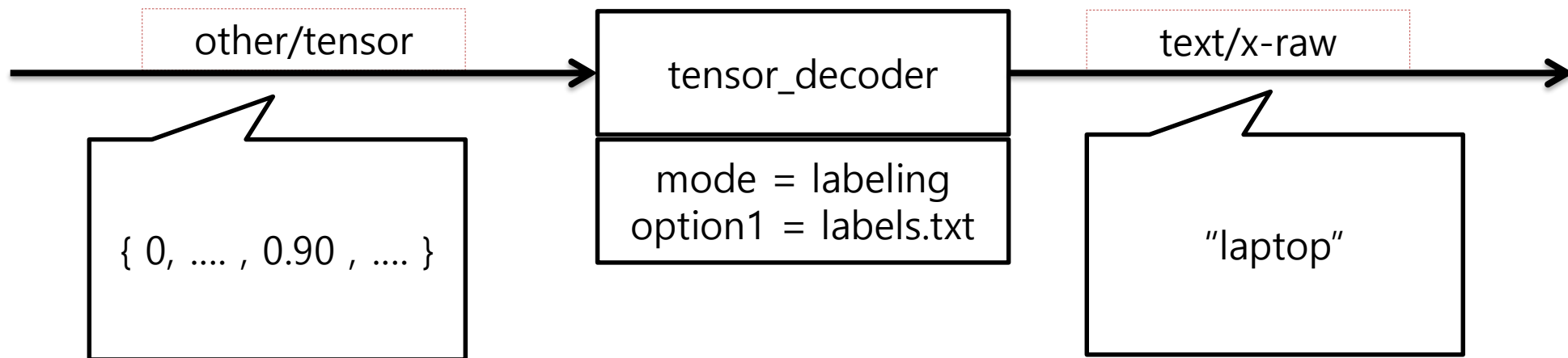
v0.0.2 (partial)

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_decoder/ (Heavily WIP)

- For 0.0.3: bounding box, object labeling, ... (video output)

- Example:

(tensor stream) ... ! tensor_converter ! ... (text/video/audio stream)





nnstreamer plugins: **tensor_filter**

v0.0.1 (tf-lite/custom) / v0.0.2 (multi-tensor) / v0.0.3+ (more frameworks)

`nnstreamer/gst/tensor_filter/`

- A NN Framework supported as a "Sub-plugin".
 - 0.0.2: Tensorflow-Lite, Custom
 - 0.0.3+: Caffe/Caffe2, Tensorflow
 - Each sub-plugin can be added as a ".so" (e.g., `tensor_filter_caffe.so`)
- Custom subplugin
 - Neural network binaries with **nnstreamer** API
 - Refer: "`tensor_filter_custom.h`"





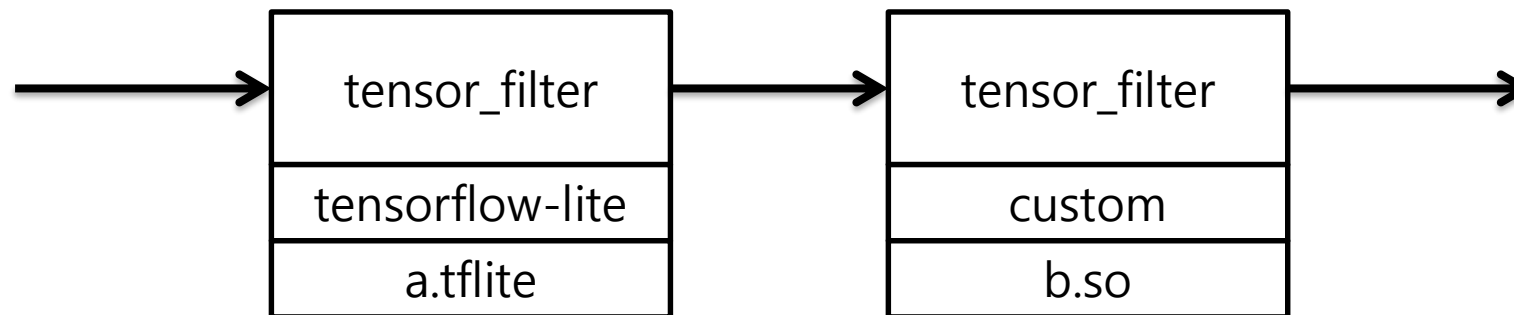
nnstreamer plugins: **tensor_filter**

v0.0.1 (tf-lite/custom) / v0.0.2 (multi-tensor) / v0.0.3+ (more frameworks)

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_filter/

- Example:

```
... ! tensor_filter framework=tensorflow-lite model=a.tflite !
    tensor_filter framework=custom model=b.so ! ...
```





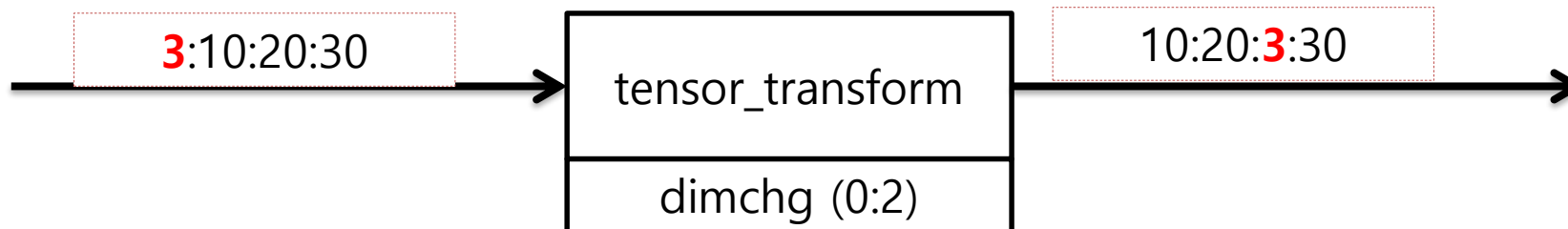
nnstreamer plugins: utility / **tensor_transform**

v0.0.1 +

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_transform/ (Heavily WIP)

- Transpose, Type-Cast, Normalization, Mul, Add, ...
- WIP: SIMD-support / Multi-operator (e.g., "normalize/avg, mul/3, add/5")
- Example:

... ! tensor_transform mode=dimchg option=0:2 ! ...





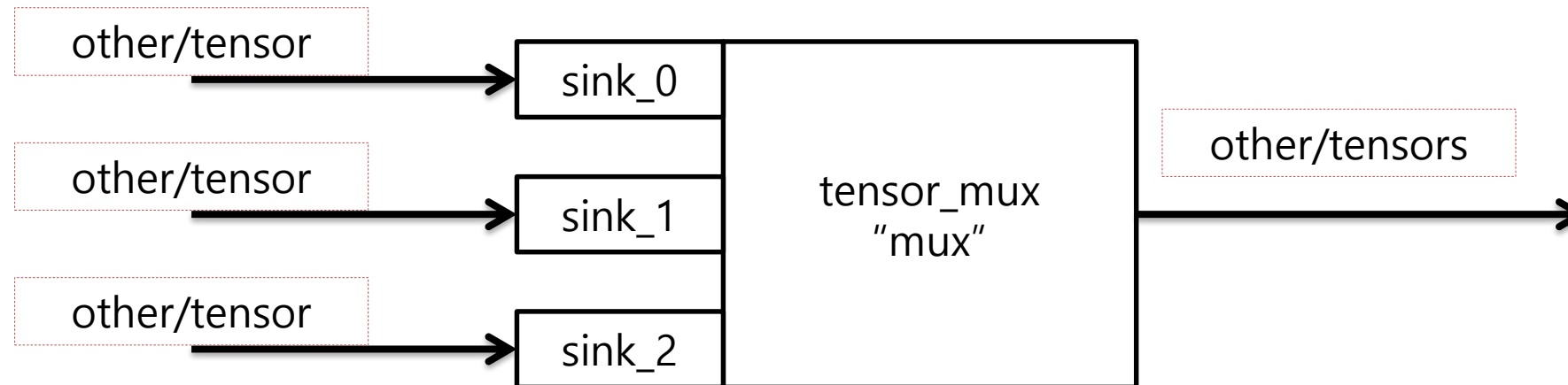
nnstreamer plugins: utility / **tensor_mux**

v0.0.2

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_mux/

- Create "other/tensors" from "other/tensor"s.
- Responsible: synchronization between tensors streams.
- Example:

... mux.sink_0 ... mux.sink_1 ... mux.sink_2 ... tensor_mux name=mux ! ...





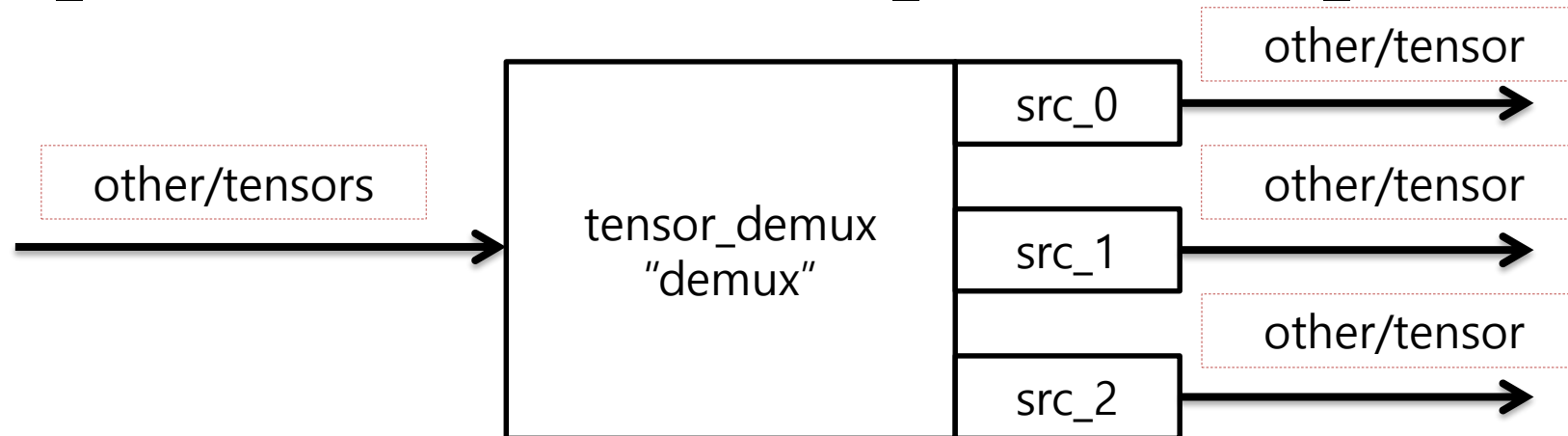
nnstreamer plugins: utility / **tensor_demux**

v0.0.2

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_demux/

- "other/tensor"s from "other/tensors"
- May choose specific "tensor" w/ tensorpick property.
- Example:

... ! tensor_demux name=demux ... demux.src_0 ... demux.src_1 ... demux.src_2





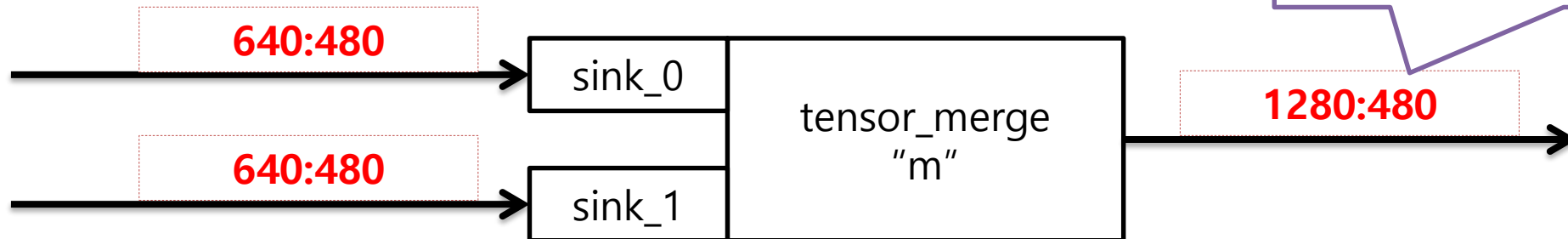
nnstreamer plugins: utility / tensor_merge

v0.0.2 (partial)

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_merge/ (features implemented partially)

- "other/tensor"s → Larger "other/tensor"
- A lot of memcpy. Proper for "stitching"
- Example:

... m.sink_0 ... m.sink_1 ... tensor_merge name=m ! ...



There will be other methods to "stitch" tensors. (NYI)





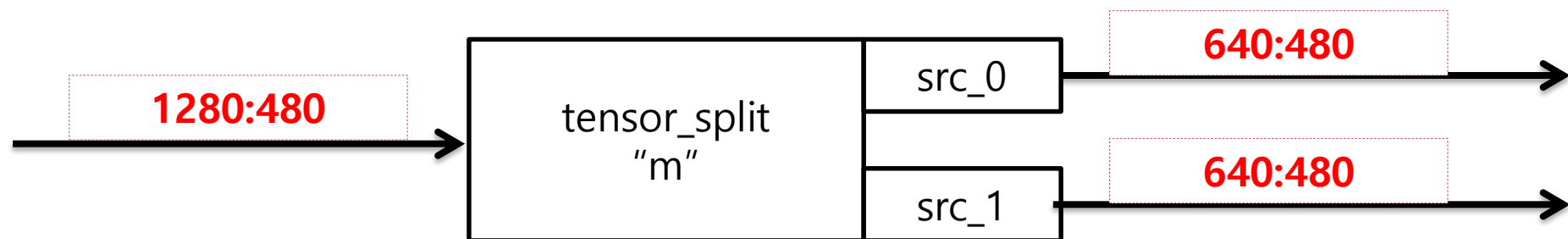
nnstreamer plugins: utility / **tensor_split**

future item

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_split/ (NYI)

- Cut "other/tensor" into smaller "other/tensor"s.
- A lot of memcpy. Proper for "cutting"
- Example:

... ! tensor_split name=m ! ... m.src_0 ... m.src_1 ...





nnstreamer plugins: utility / tensor_aggregator

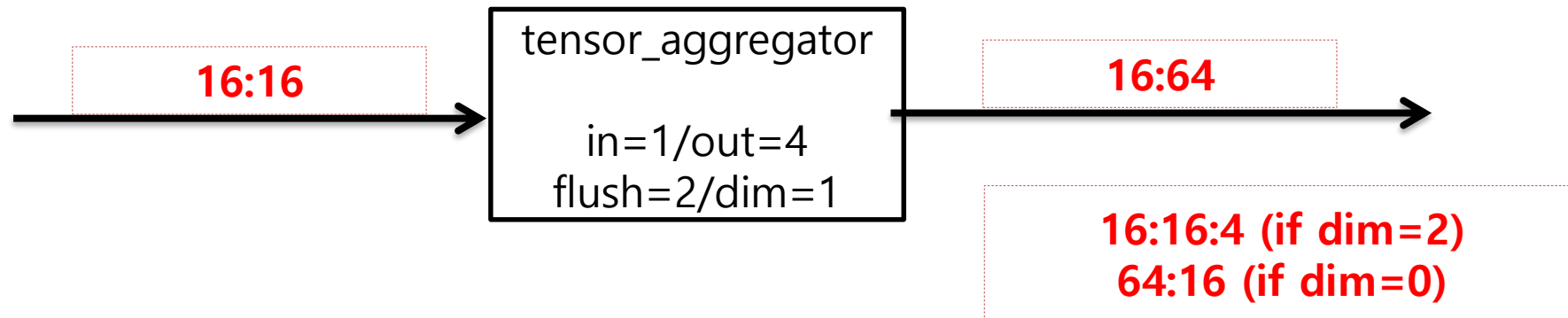
v0.0.2

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_aggregator/ (features implemented partially)

- Aggregate frames in a sequence to a frame
(e.g., aggregate recent 10 frames into 1 frame)
- Example:
... ! tensor_aggregator frames-out=4, frames-flush=2, frames-dim=1 ! ...

Time = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, ...

Time = (0, 1, 2, 3), (2, 3, 4, 5), (4, 5, 6, 7), ...



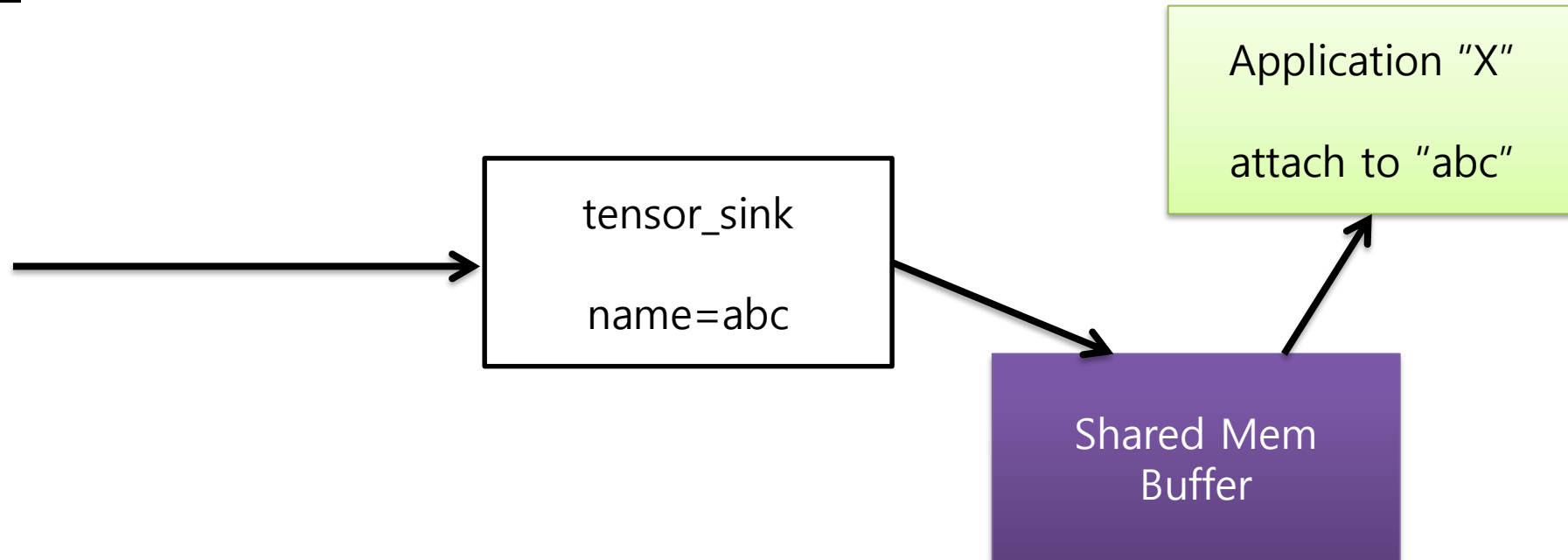


nnstreamer plugins: connector / **tensor_sink**

v0.0.1

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_sink/

- Connect with external application as "sink" via shared memory
- Example:
... ! tensor_sink name=abc



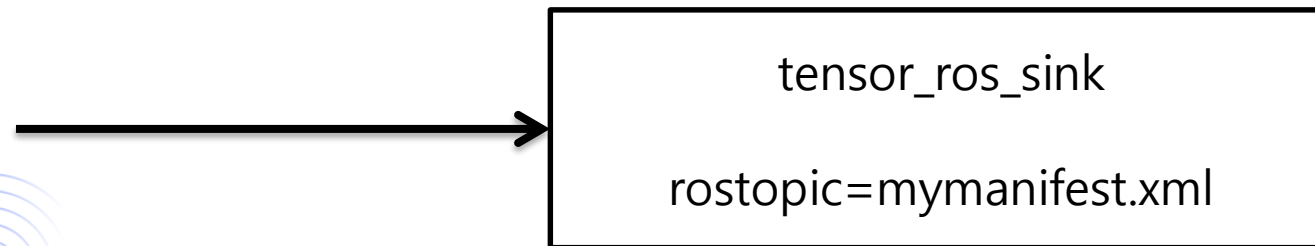
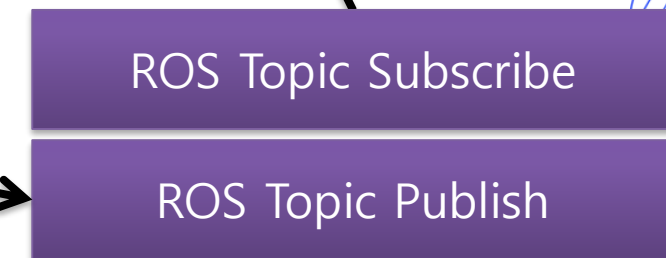
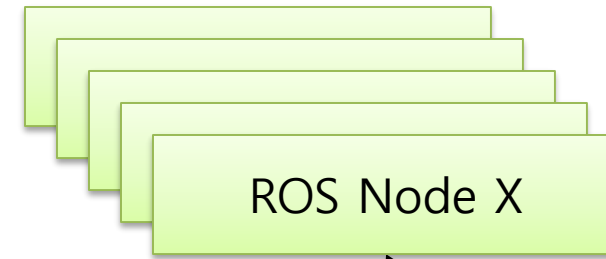


nnstreamer plugins: connector / **tensor_ros_sink**

Future Work

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_ros_sink/ (NYI)

- Transmit tensor stream as an ROS Topic
- Example:
... ! tensor_ros_sink rostopic=mymanifest.xml





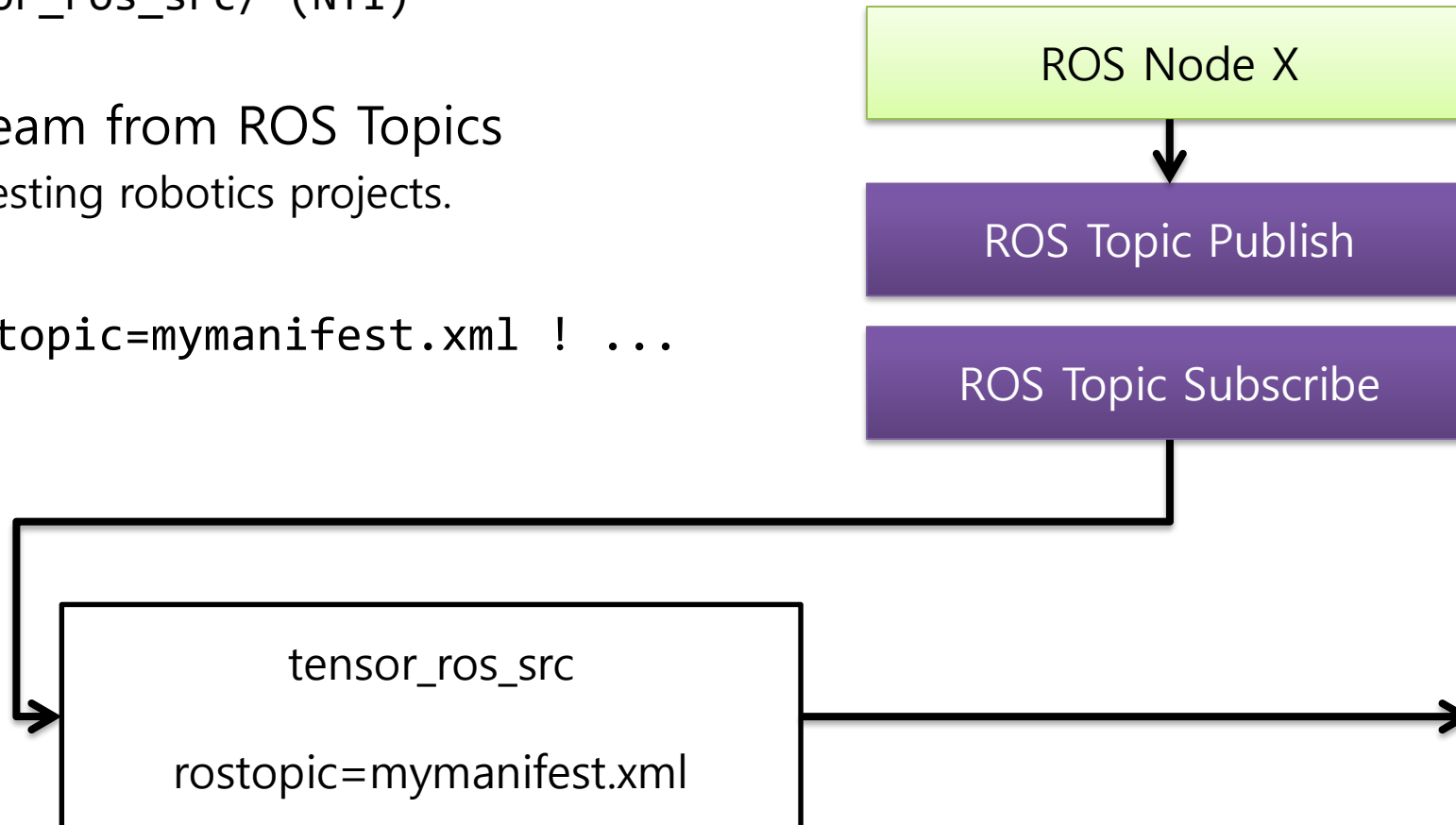
nnstreamer plugins: connector / **tensor_ros_src**

Future Work

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_ros_src/ (NYI)

- Create tensor stream from ROS Topics
 - E.g., rosbag for testing robotics projects.
- Example:

`tensor_ros_src rostopic=mymanifest.xml ! ...`





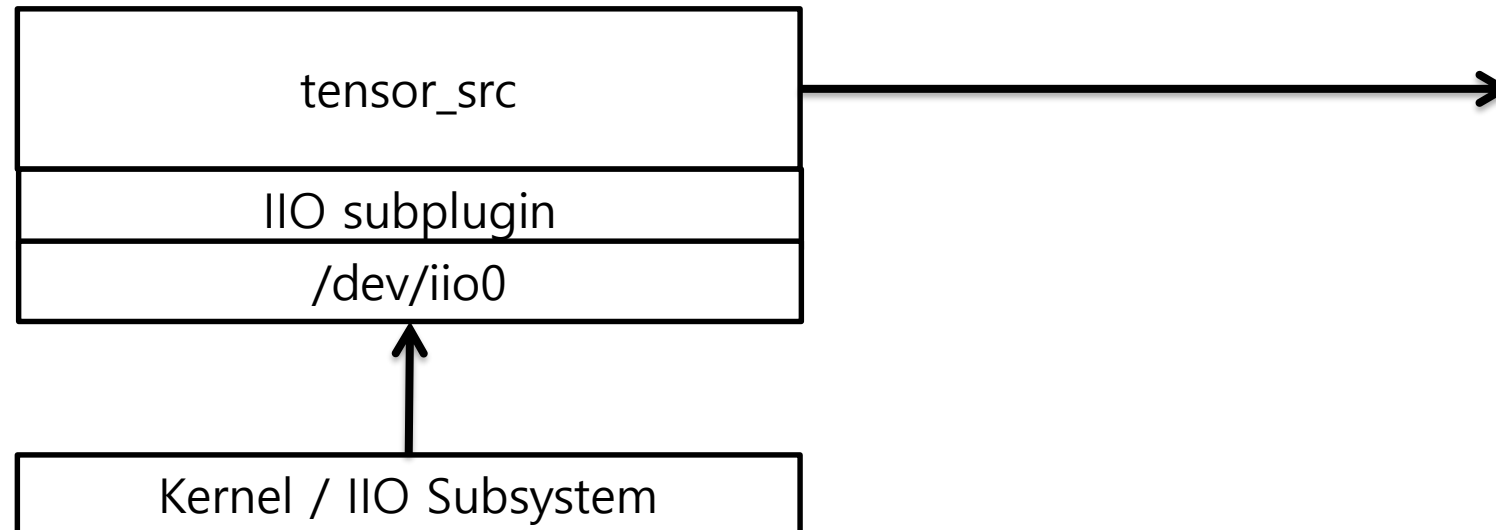
nnstreamer plugins: connector / **tensor_src**

Future Work

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_src/ (NYI)

- Tensor streams from other input sources / sensors
- Example:

```
tensor_src mode=IIIO node=/dev/iio0! ...
```



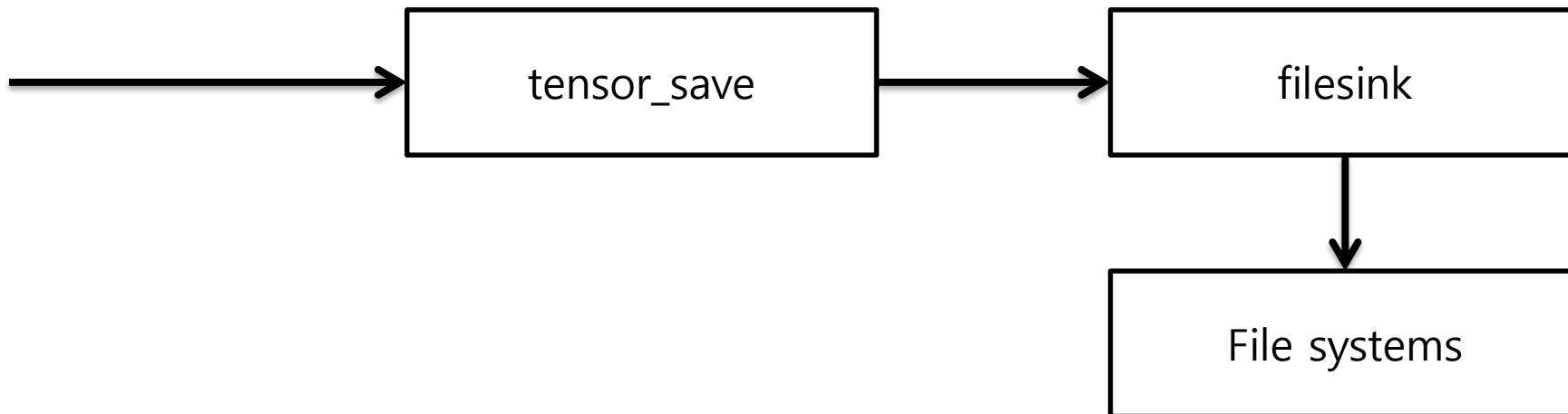


nnstreamer plugins: connector / **tensor_save**

Future Work

nnstreamer/gst/tensor_saveload/ (NYI)

- Tensor stream to files (.tnsr)
- Example:
... ! tensor_save ! filesink location=abc.tnsr





nnstreamer plugins: connector / **tensor_load**

Future Work

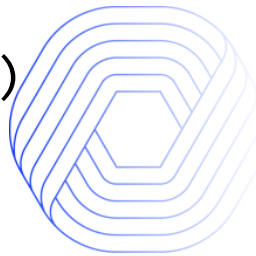
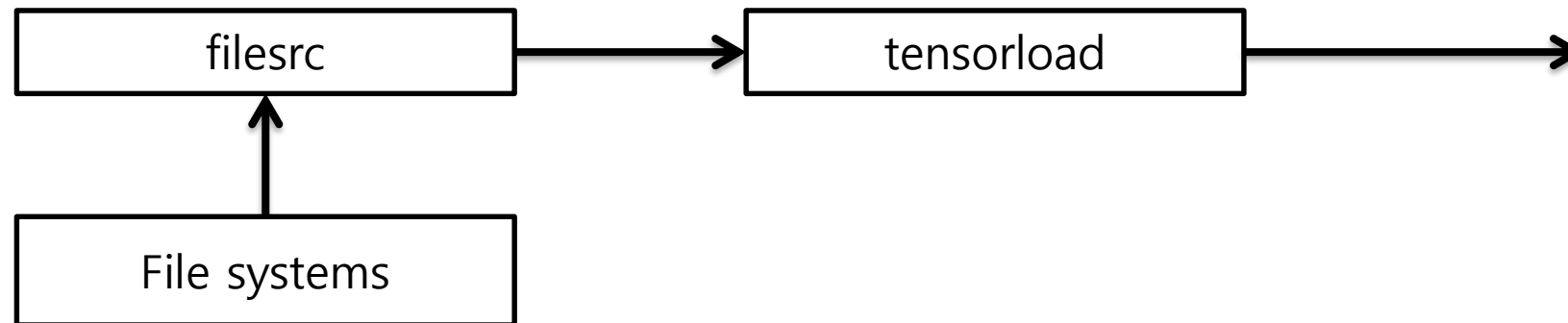
nnstreamer/gst/tensor_saveload/ (NYI)

- File to Tensor Stream (tensor/tensors)

- Example:

1. filesrc location=abc.tnsr ! tensor_loadsave ! ...

2. filesrc location=abc.tnsr ! autodecode (“tensorsave” Gstreamer 표준 채택시)



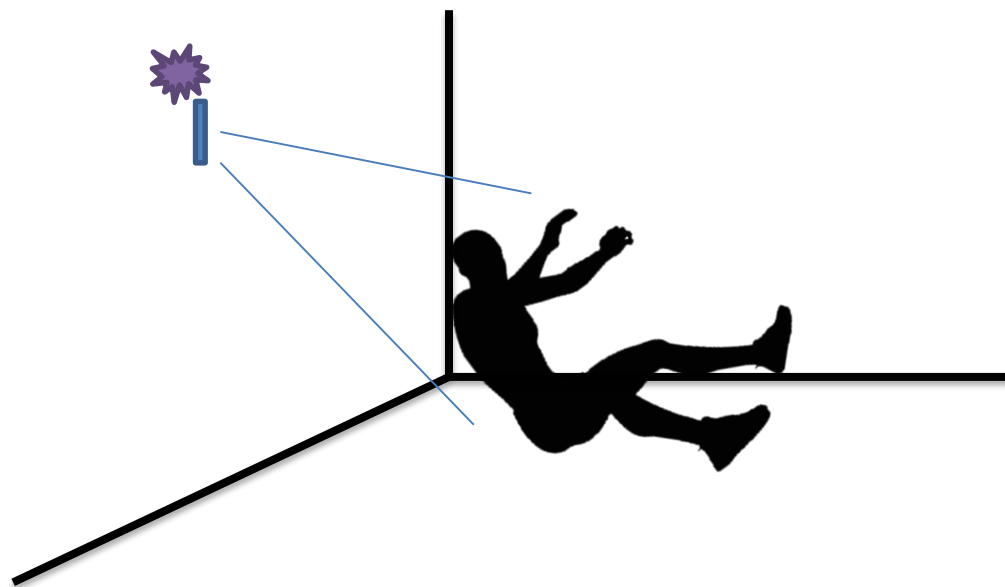
Usage example

nnstreamer  in action

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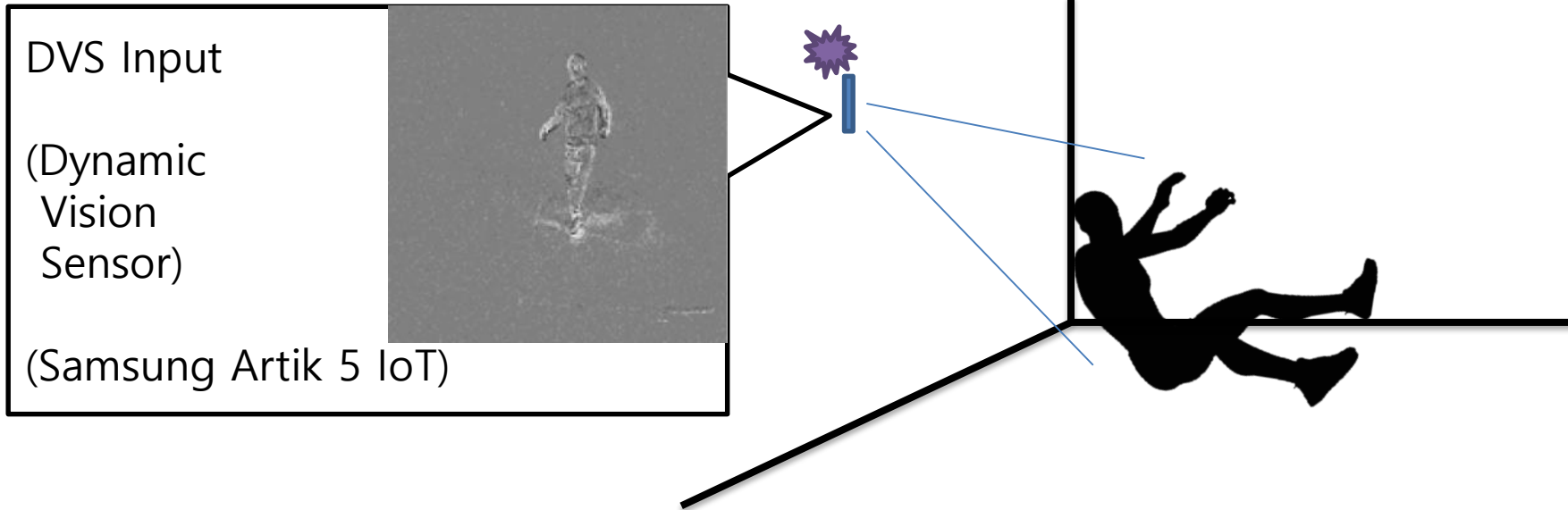
Fall Detection Device, Elderly Care

Usage Example in Products



Fall Detection Device, Elderly Care

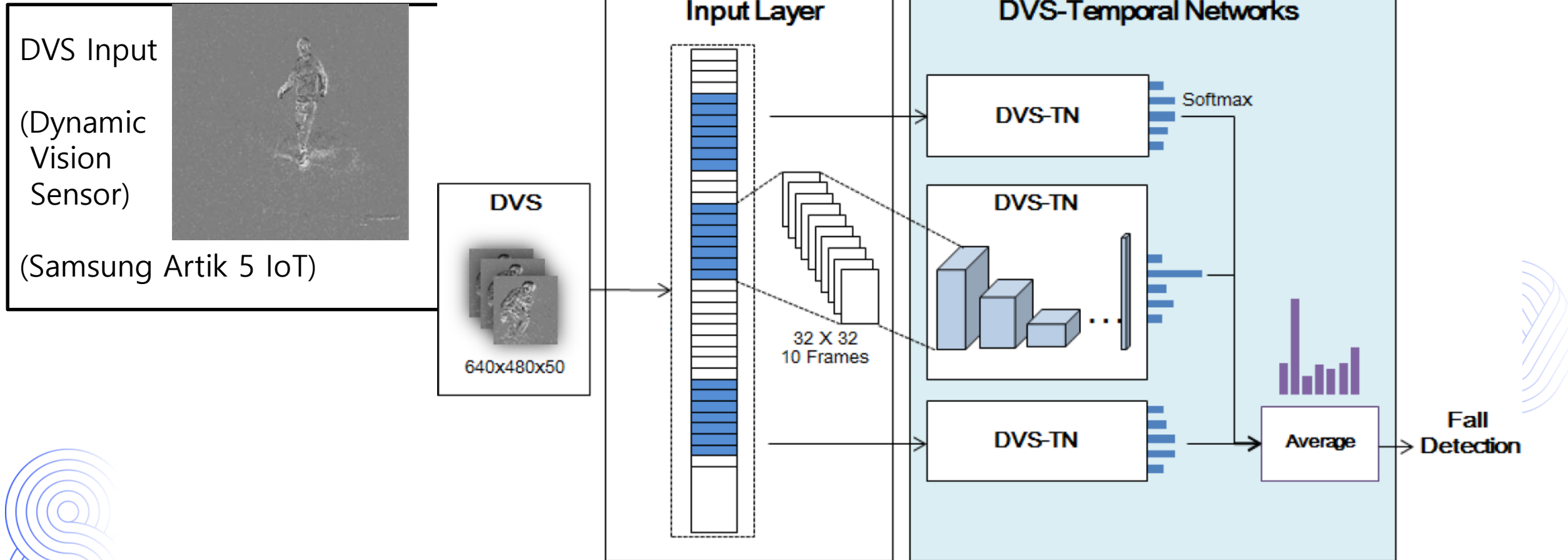
Usage Example in Products



• H. Lee, et. al., "Embedded Real-Time Fall Detection Using Deep Learning For Elderly Care"

Fall Detection Device, Elderly Care

Usage Example in Products

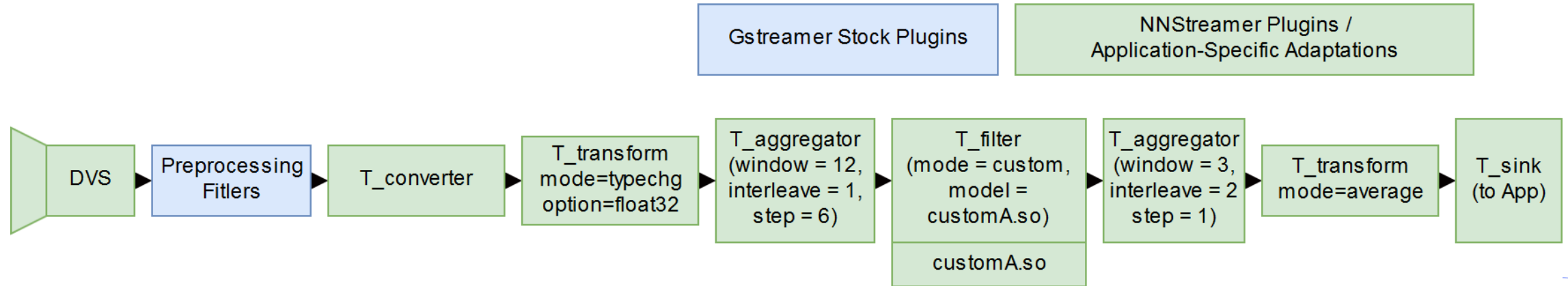


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Fall Detection Device, Elderly Care

실 적용 사례



With nnsreamer+gstreamer

- Code Productivity! $O(1000)$ lines \rightarrow $O(10)$ lines
- Performance (CPU Load)! $< 1/4$

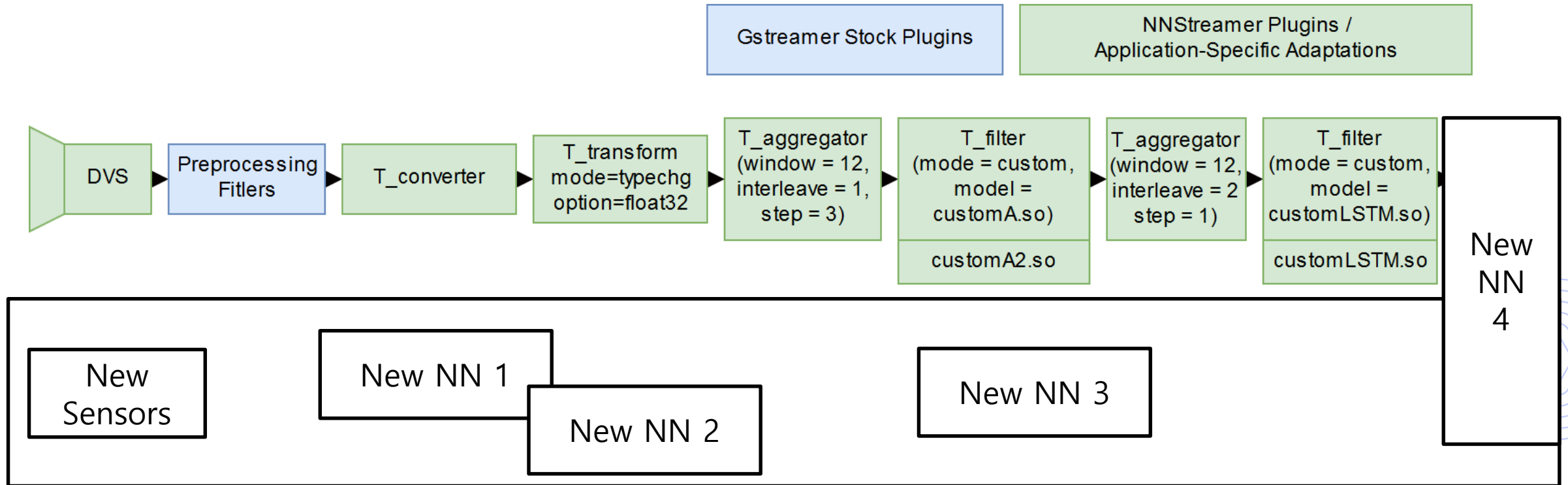
➔ Enable New Features & More Complex Neural Network Models





Fall Detection Device, Elderly Care, "Next-Gen"

실 적용 사례



- Add LSTM, More CNN, New Sensor, New NNs, ...
- Development Time: Several weeks x several developers → Several days x 1 developer
- High Performance. Still available for more features.

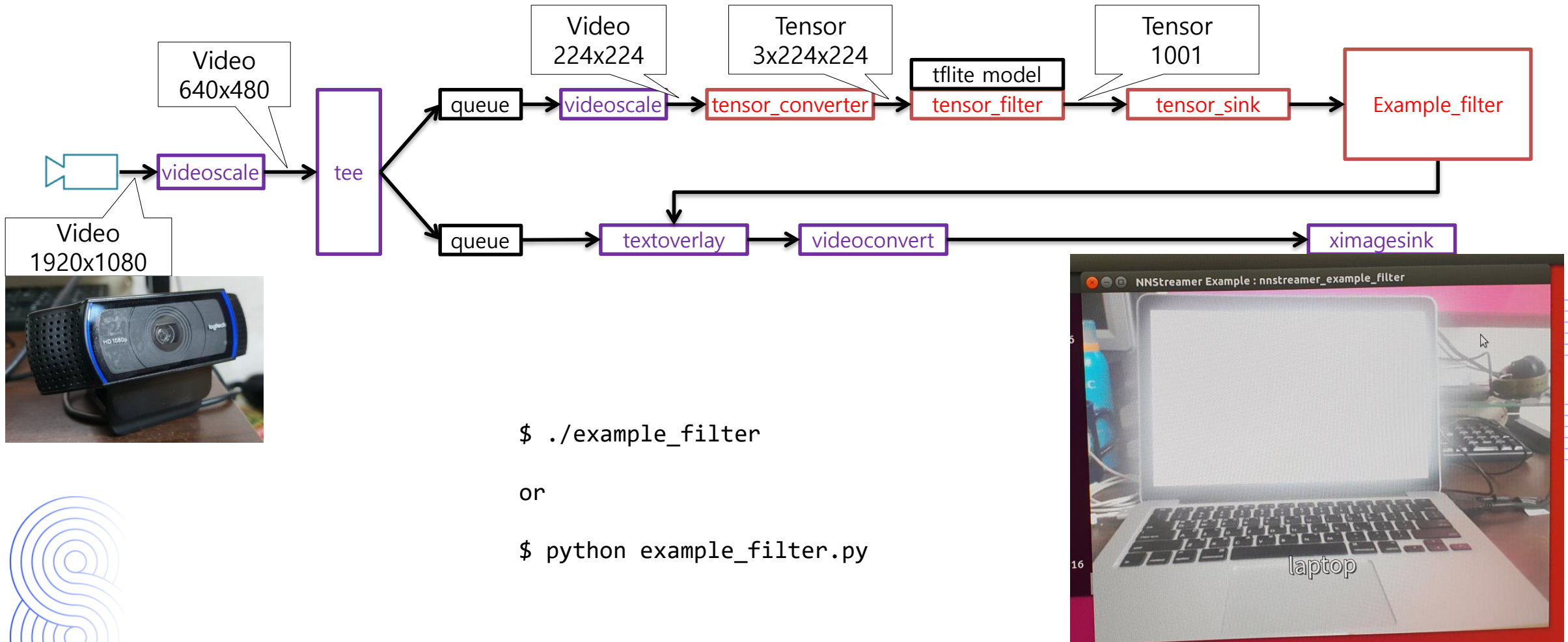
Demonstration

nnstreamer  live action

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Demonstration

<https://github.com/nnsuite/nstreamer> : nstreamer_example/example_filter (C & Python)



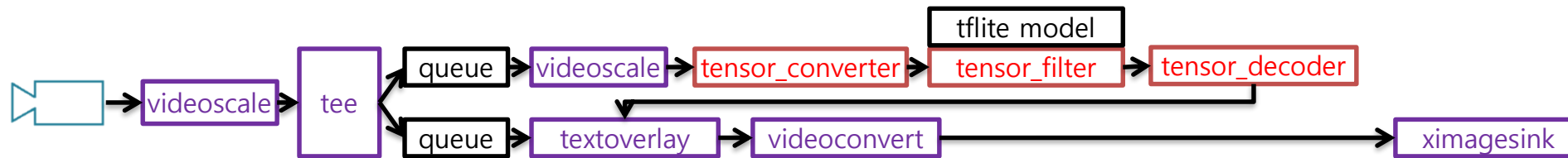
```
$ ./example_filter
```

or

```
$ python example_filter.py
```

Demonstration


nnstreamer @ Ubuntu Demo



```
$ gst-launch-1.0 v4l2src name=cam_src ! videoscale ! \ # "cam_src" / scale
video/x-raw,width=640,height=640,format=RGB ! \ # 3x640x480 RGB
tee name_t_raw \ # Tee the Stream
t_raw. ! queue ! videoscale ! video/x-raw,width=224,height=224 ! \ # 224x224 RGB for mobilenet
tensor_converter ! \ # "tensor"
tensor_filter framework=tensorflow-lite model=mobilenetssd.tflite ! \ # invoke tflite
tensor_decoder mode=labeling option1=labels.txt ! txt. \ # decode the result → txt
t_raw. ! queue ! textoverlay name=txt ! \ # txt + video
videoconvert ! ximagesink # sink
```



CI / CD & How to Contribute

How **nnstreamer**  is developed
How you can contribute

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nnstreamer CI: TAOS-CI

Continuous Integration (CI)

Every Github Pull-Request is required to pass CI system

- Anti-Regression
 - Build & Unit Test (Ubuntu-x64, Tizen-x64, Tizen-armv7, Tizen-arm64 (coming soon!))
- Coding Style/Rules
- Integration
 - Tizen/Ubuntu Packaging & UI App Test (with loopback camera & virtual display)
- G. Lim, M. Ham, J. Moon, W. Song, S. Woo, S. Oh, "TAOS-CI: Lightweight & Modular Continuous Integration System for Edge Computing", ICCE, 2019 (Accepted)





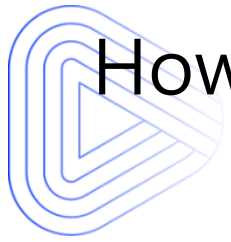
nnstreamer CD

Continuous Deployment (CD)

Binary Package Release via CD system

- Ubuntu: launchpad PPA (PPA:nnstreamer/ppa)
- Tizen: OBS
 - nnstreamer packages not opened to public yet
- WIP: Preparing other distros via build.opensuse.org





How to Contribute?

You are welcomed to contribute!

Github (github.com/nnsuite/nstreamer)

- Communicate via [Issues]
- Code suggestion via [Pull Request]
 - Please check coding style/rule, build-test, unit-test, integration-test before submission.
 - The CI infrastructure has low capacity, yet. Do not use CI as your test machine.
 - New feature requires its own unit test cases.
 - Bug fix requires its own regression test cases.



Work In Progress / Plans

Future of **nnstreamer**

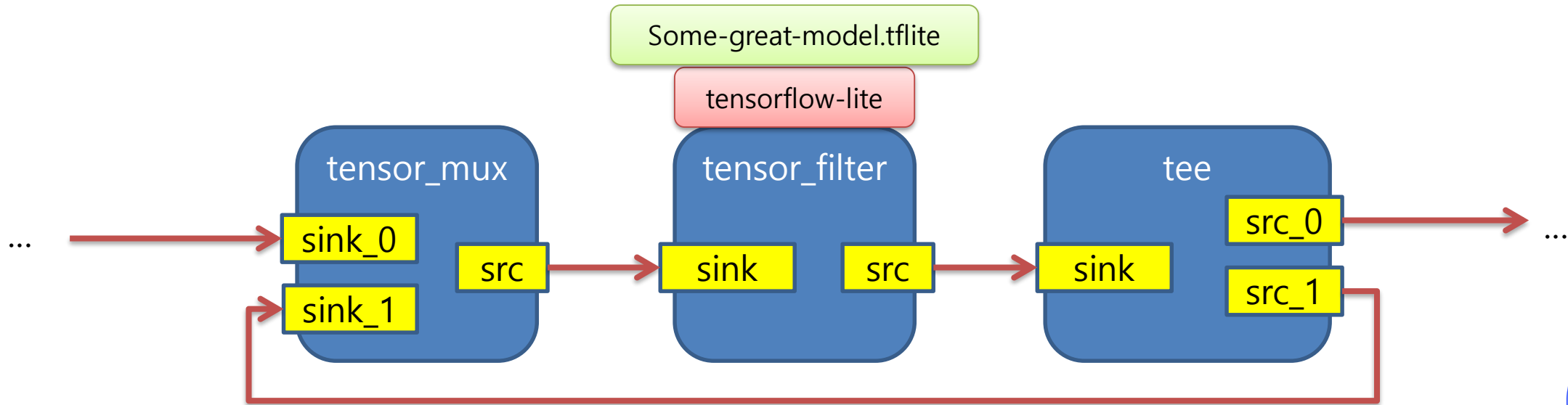


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Work-In-Progress

Major Issue: Recurrent Networks

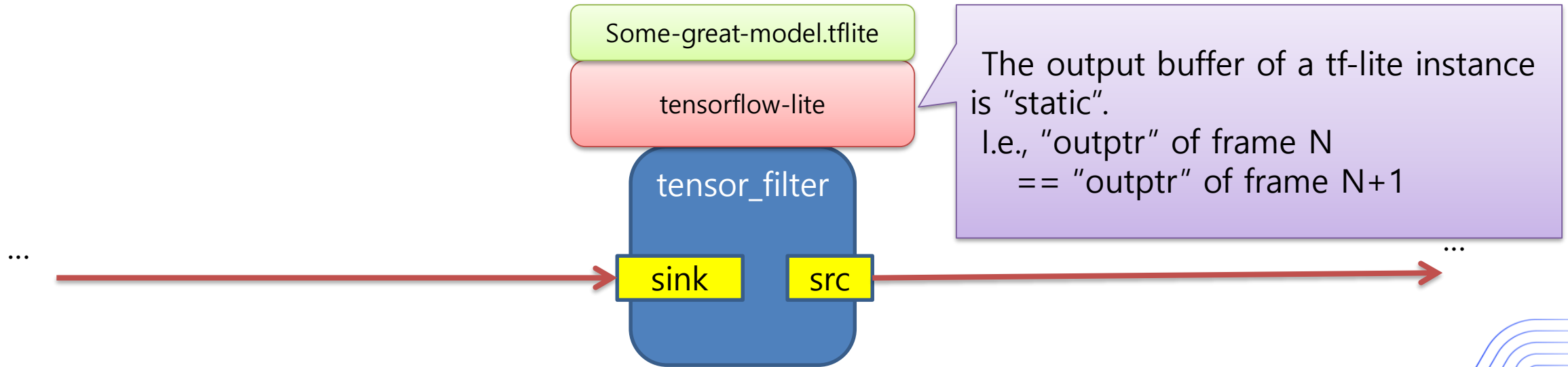


- TIMESTAMP?
- Synchronization? (getting proper frame for sink_1)
-



~~Work In Progress~~ (Pending Pull-Request)

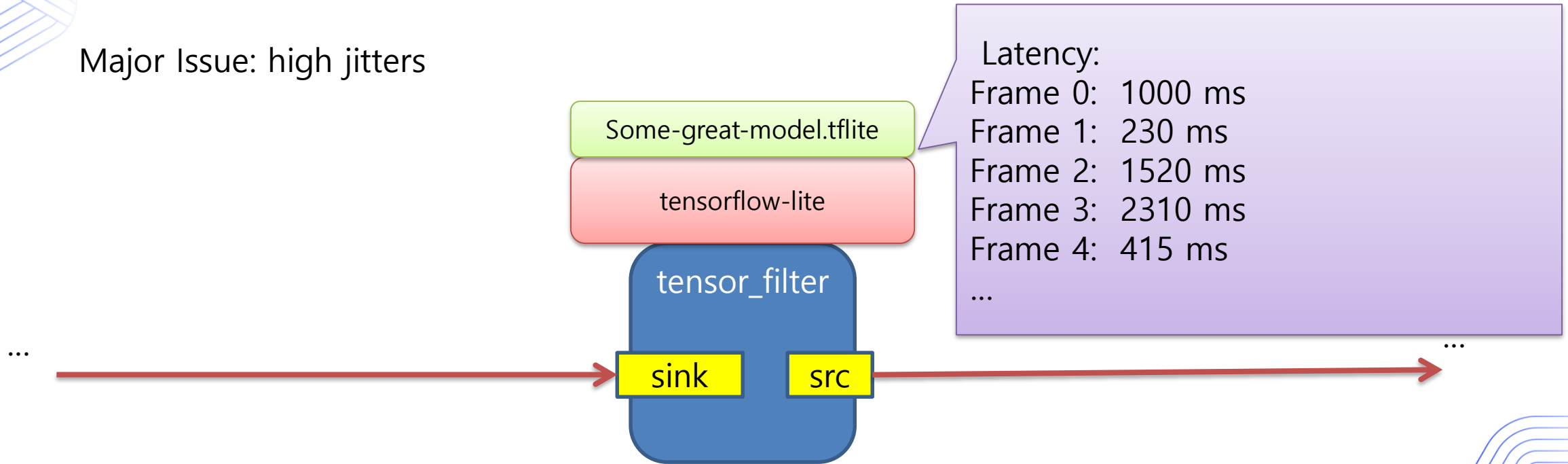
Major Issue: memcpy of the output buffer



- Current workaround: "memcpy" for each frame of tf-lite output buffer.
 - Avoid "tearing" at the next element.
- Suggested solutions:
 - Double/Triple buffering with multiple instances of tensorflow-lite for each instance.
 - Update & upstream tensorflow-lite to allocate output buffers for each frame optionally.

Work-In-Progress

Major Issue: high jitters



- How are we going to configure framerate? How do we synchronize at "mux" after src?

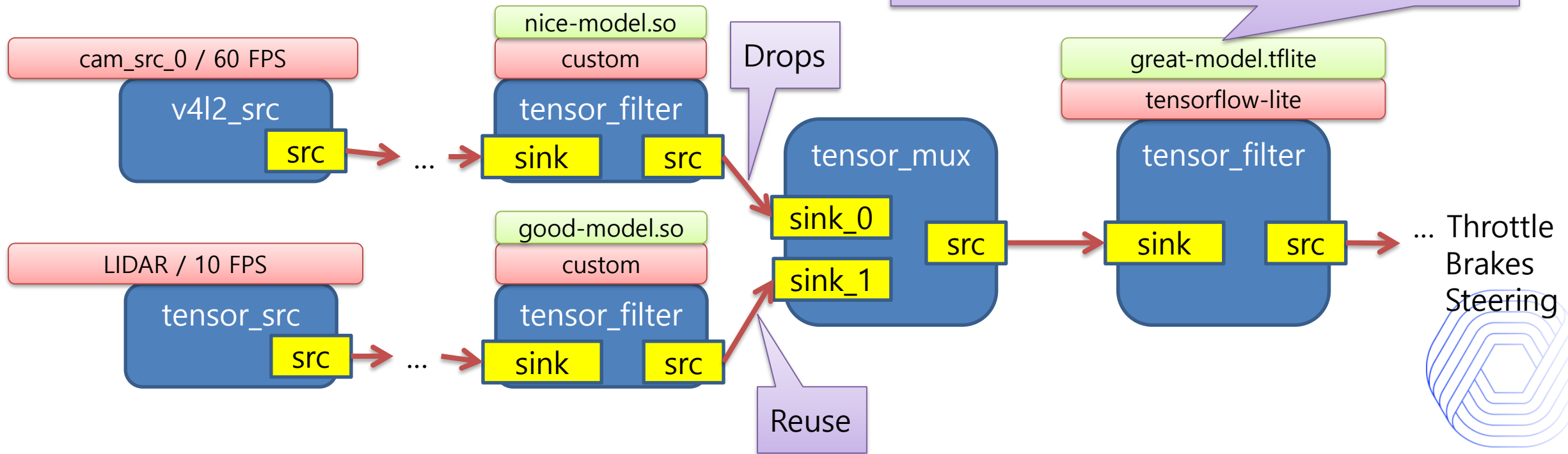
(we are still GST newbies...)

Previous products w/ nnsreamer had low jitter.

But, prospective products won't.

Work-In-Progress

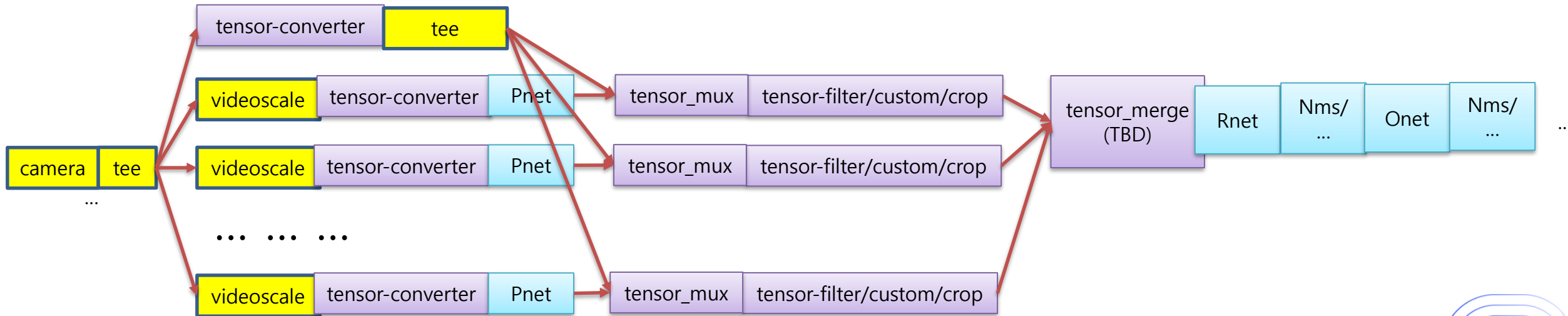
Major Issue: drop control / reuse old frame



- Intentional frame drops / old-frame reuse at "tensor_mux" and "tensor_merge". Especially with high jitters from tensor_filters.

Work-In-Progress / MTCNN as GST Pipeline

Major Issue: we just need to implement some NYI plugins



nstreamer plugins

nstreamer plugins with NN models
(e.g., tensor_filter/tf-lite)

- Expected to accelerate by easily and fully parallelizing the NN models.
- Keep adding more neural networks w/ tee, proving additional services : "Gaze tracking", "Emotion", ...



Work-In-Progress & Plans

OS Integration

- 2018
 - Tizen: the standard target. Tested: arm/x64 / Built (no test): arm64/x86-32
 - Ubuntu: release via PPA. Tested: x64
- 2019
 - Tizen: full SW platform integration & release
 - Android: secondary standard target. Tested: arm or arm64
 - Windows/macOS: built tested only: x64
 - Other Linux Distro: release via openSUSE OBS.

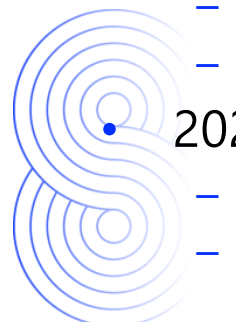




Work-In-Progress & Plans

Features

- 2018
 - Tensor_filter: tensorflow
 - Tensor_ros_sink: send ROS topics (pub)
 - Tensor_decoder: bounding boxes, object labeling
 - Tensor_merge: more options required
- 2019
 - Tensor_filter: caffe/caffe2, LSTM (recurrent net) support
 - Tensor_transform: SIMD support. Multi-op support
 - Tensor_source: IIO sensors, LIDAR/RADAR support
 - Tensor_ros_source: receive ROS topics (sub): "FULLY DISTRIBUTED GST PIPELINE!"
 - Tensor_decoder: more incoming!
 - Tensor_save/load
 - Try to become **gst-plugins-good!**
- 2020
 - Support training phases
 - Multi-computer/board support





Plans ?

Automotive Industry

- ASIL-B/D, ISO-26262,



Conclusion

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Recommended Applications

Consider **nnstreamer** if you are developing...

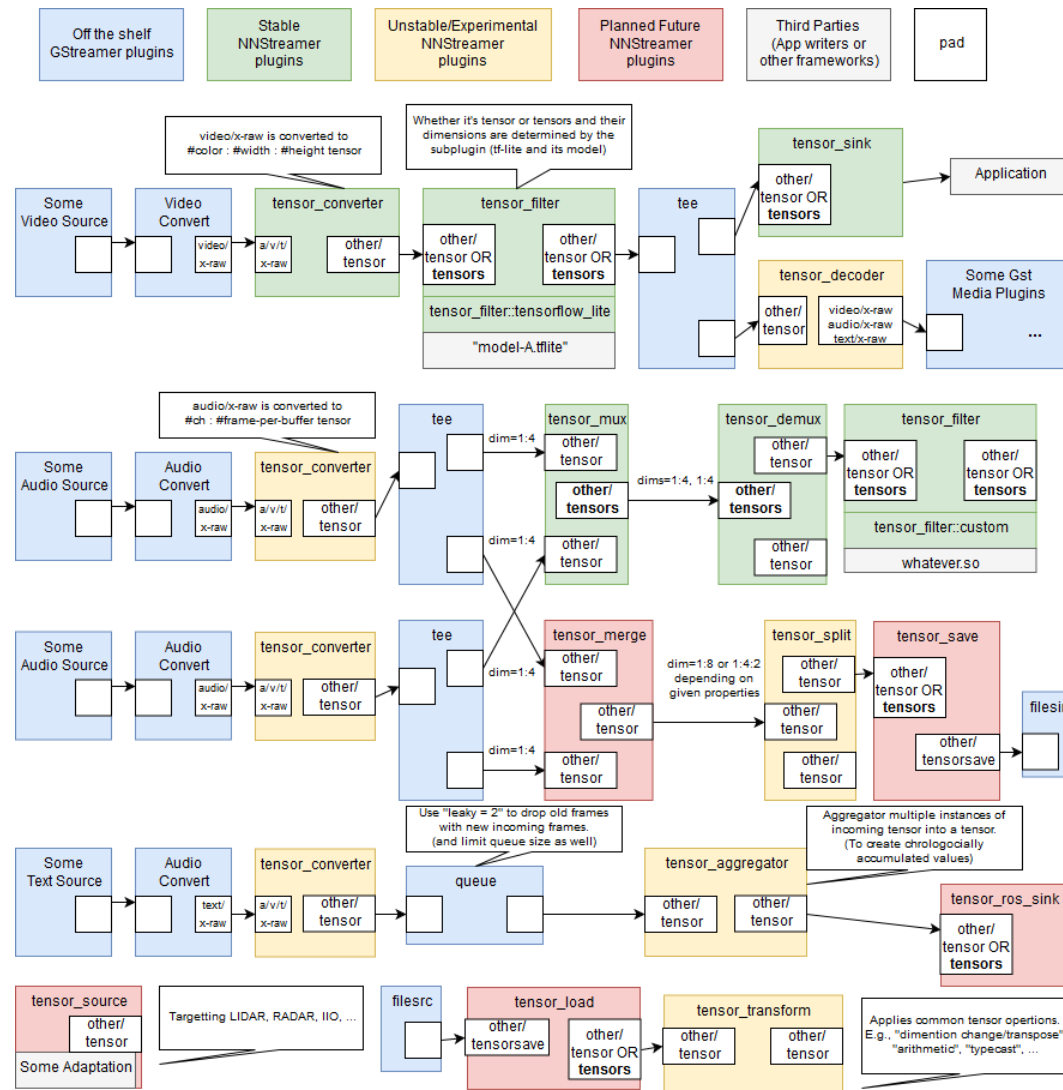
- Inferencing NN on device, not on cloud/workstations.
- Inferencing NN with data from Audio/Video real-time stream
- Multiple NNs in a device or stream pipeline
 - Esp. complex or dynamic stream topology w/ some sync-policies.
- NNs with high bandwidth stream
- ...





nnstreamer Cheat Sheet

GST Plugins being developed in nnstreamer



nnstreamer Wiki

<https://github.com/nnsuite/nnstreamer/wiki>



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 - 서브 글머리 기호, 14 pt
- 1슬라이드에 글머리기호 최대 8개 사용



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소스코드제목 나눔고딕 EB 22pt

소제목 나눔고딕 R 18pt

```
<?php if( have_rows('repeater_field_name') ): ?>

    <ul>

        <?php while( have_rows('repeater_field_name') ): the_row(); ?> <li>sub_field_1 =
        <?php the_sub_field('sub_field_1'); ?>, sub_field_2 = <?php the_sub_field('sub_fi
eld_2'); ?>, etc</li>

        <?php

            $sub_field_3 = get_sub_field('sub_field_3');

            // do something with $sub_field_3

        ?>

    <?php endwhile; ?>

</ul>

<?php endif; ?>
```

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