# DNN Model Architecture Fingerprinting Attack on CPU-GPU Edge Devices

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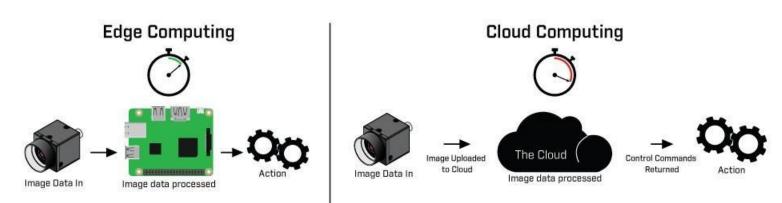
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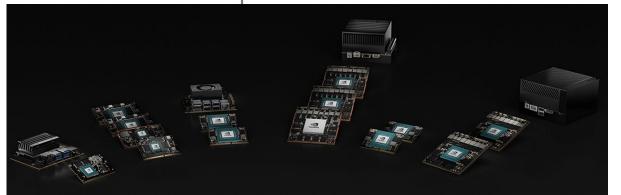
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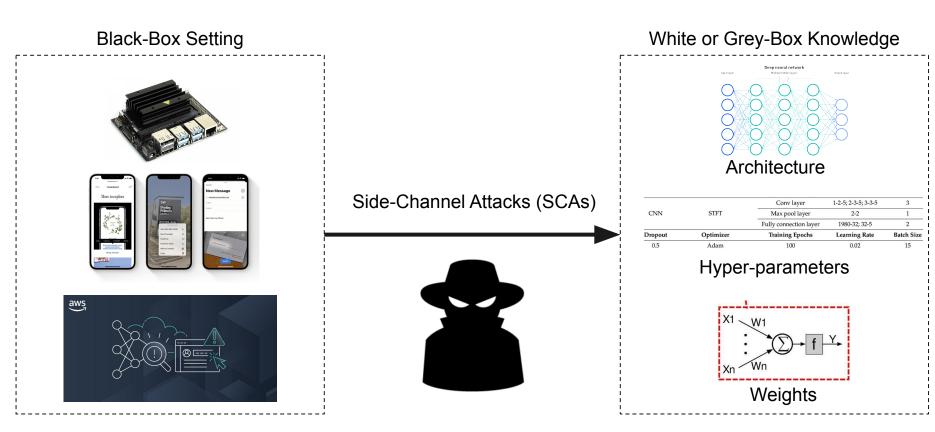


## **Motivation: Deep Learning on Edge Devices**

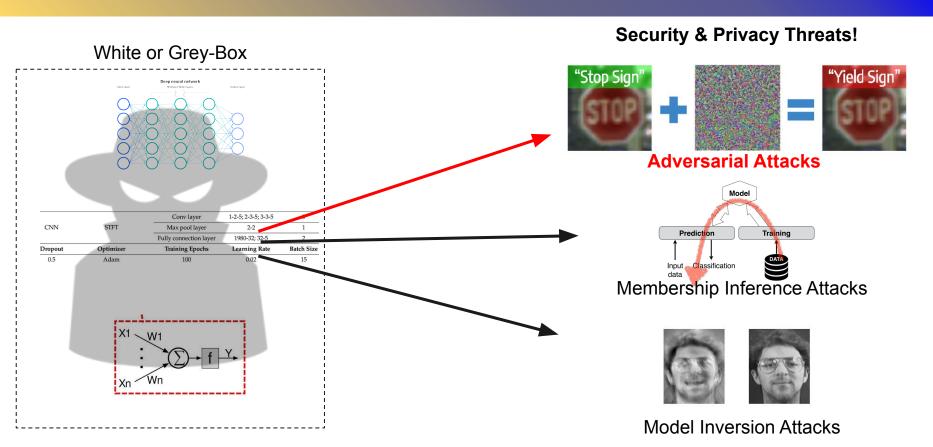




#### **Model Extraction Attacks**



## White/Grey-Box Knowledge is Useful



## **Comparison with Prior Work**

SCA classification - (1) <i>Invasive vs.</i> <b>Non-Invasive</b> (2) Active vs. <b>Passive</b> (3) Remote					
Attack	Side-Channel	Classification	Limitation(s)		
Cache Telepathy (USENIX '20)	Cache	Non-invasive, semi-active, remote	Requires executing Prime+Probe attack code & LLC sharing		
DeepSniffer (ASPLOS '20)	Memory Access	Semi-invasive, passive	Physical Access required, Bus snooping		
Leaky DNN (DSN '20)	GPU	Non-invasive, semi-active, remote	Cloud GPU based, profilers required, attack code & DoS attack needed		
CSI NN (USENIX '19)	Power/EM	Non-invasive, passive	Physical Access required		

Non-invasive, passive,

remote

**Aggregate System-level** 

**Statistics** 

Our Work (EuroS&P '22)

None of the above

#### **Threat Model**

#### Attacker's Goal

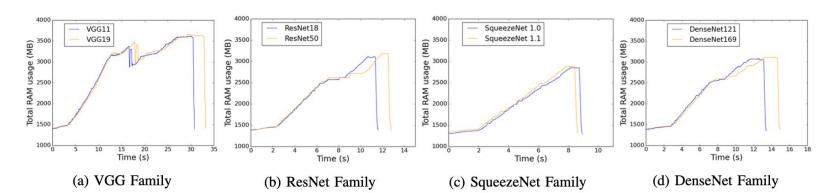
- Fingerprint Model Architecture Family from popular, state-of-the-art DNNs
- Model architecture family knowledge improves black-box ensemble adversarial attacks

#### Attacker's Knowledge

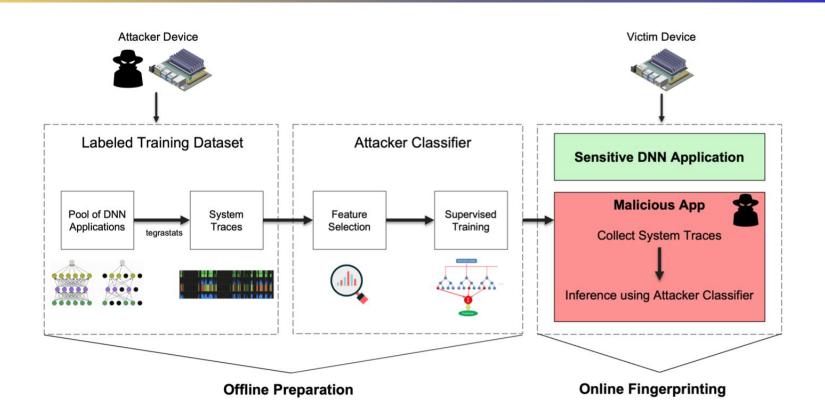
- The victim device to have a clone attacker device
- Victim DNN belongs to one of **known DNN families**, primary running application

#### Attacker's Capability

- Able to collect global system-level statistics available at user-space level (e.g. tegrastats for Jetson devices)
- Total RAM usage, and CPU, GPU load(s)



## **Attack Pipeline**

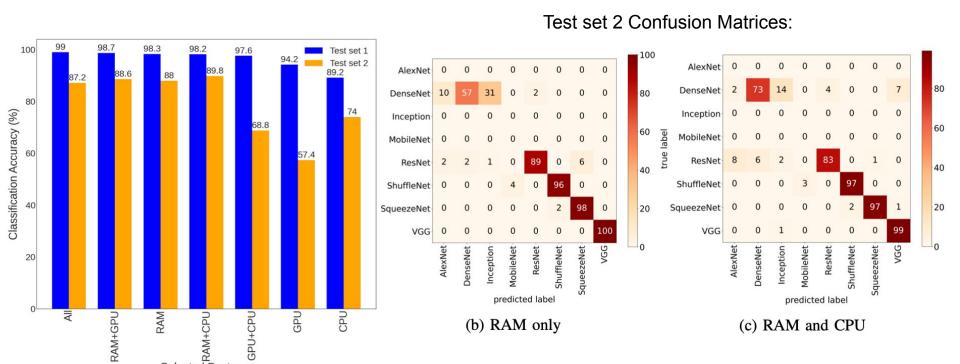


#### **Experimentation Setup**

- Edge Testbed NVIDIA Jetson Devices
  - GPU-enabled edge AI devices with unified memory
  - Jetson Nano (4GB)
    - 4-core ARM Cortex A57, 128-Core Maxwell, 4GB Memory
- Global statistics from NVIDIA tegrastats:
  - Total RAM consumption
  - Aggregate CPU Load(s)
  - Aggregate GPU Load
- All pretrained models obtained from torchvision
- Test set 2 is for evaluating transferability of the attack

Model family	Train/Test set 1	Test set 2
VGG	VGG11, 19	VGG13, 16
ResNet	ResNet18, 50, 152	ResNet34, 101
SqueezeNet	SqueezeNet 1.0	SqueezeNet 1.1
DenseNet	DenseNet121, 201	DenseNet161, 169
ShuffleNet	ShuffleNetv2 0.5	ShuffleNetv2 1.0
Inception	InceptionV3	N/A
MobileNet	MobileNetv2	N/A
AlexNet	AlexNet	N/A

#### Feature Ablation and Transferability Study



### **Enhancing Adversarial Attacks**

- Ensemble Adversarial Attack examples from DeepFool [1] attack
- Three scenarios of ensemble example generation:
  - Models from same family (excluding victim model family)
  - Random Mix of models and families
  - Victim Model family

Adversarial examples generated by DeepFool on the ensemble of	Classification accuracy of v W/o adv. perturbation (%)	victim model DenseNet121  W/ adv. perturbation (%)	Accuracy drop (%)
ResNets (ResNet50, 101, 152)	84.14	61.02	23.12
MobileNets (MobileNet, V2)	83.43	59.46	23.97
VGGs (VGG16, 19)	82.73	51.07	31.66
Mix 1 (MobileNet, ResNet50, EfficientNet)	83.85	63.9	19.95
Mix 2 (MobileNet, VGG16, EfficientNet)	83.69	58.08	25.61
Mix 3 (MobileNet, DenseNet121, EfficientNet)	83.72	53.55	30.17
Mix 4 (ResNet152, MobileNetV2, DenseNet201)	83.07	52.02	31.05
DenseNets (DenseNet121, 169, 201)	83.13	28.23	54.9

## **Platform Portability**

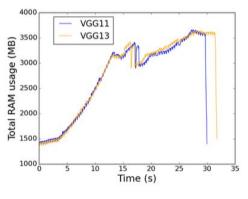
- Jetson TX2
  - 4-core Cortex ARM A57 + 2-core NVIDIA Denver 2, 256-core Pascal, 8GB Memory
- Jetson Xavier NX
  - o 6-core NVIDIA Carmel ARM, 384-core Volta, 8GB Memory

Features Dataset	All	RAM	GPU	CPU	RAM+GPU	RAM+CPU	GPU+CPU
NX Test set 1	98.5%	98.6%	94.5%	83.2%	98.9%	98.2%	94.7%
NX Test set 2	79.8%	76.8%	79%	65.2%	86.6%	77.4%	77.2%
TX2 Test set 1	98.9%	99.7%	97.5%	90.8%	99.5%	97.9%	97.1%
TX2 Test set 2	95.6%	88.8%	60.6%	89.6%	93.4%	94.0%	82.0%

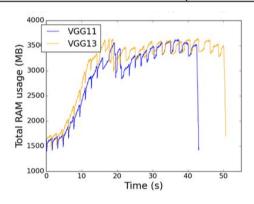
#### **Robustness to Background Noise**

• AES Encryption & Decryption running as parallel application with varied input sizes

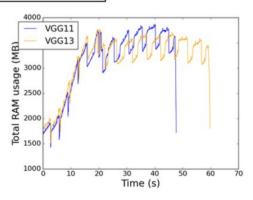
Background app	Dataset	Test set 1	Test set 2
AES BG 10MB		86.4%	69.6%
AES BG 50MB		42.6%	38.6%
AES BG 100MB		16.9%	21.4%







(c) VGGs + AES (50MB)



(e) VGGs + AES (100MB)

#### **Robustness to Modified Models**

- Robustness to Modified Models
  - Transfer Learning on CIFAR10 FC layer adapted, retrained
  - o Input 32x32 instead of 224x224
  - Classification Accuracy: **71.7%** (Test Set 1), **82.4%** (Test Set 2)
- Robustness to Different Framework (TF)
  - Experiments repeated with Jetson Nano setup, using TensorFlow instead of Pytorch
  - Pretrained models obtained from Keras applications
  - Classification Accuracy: 99.1% (Test Set 1), 94% (Test Set 2)

#### **Takeaways**

- Global-aggregate statistics (available at user-level) can leak distinguishable traces among DNN model architecture families
  - While being passive, remote, and stealthy!
- Our explored vulnerability is robust to noise, modifications to DNNs, and platform portable
- Knowledge of the extracted DNN model architecture family can improve effectiveness of ensemble adversarial attacks

## Thank you! Questions?

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