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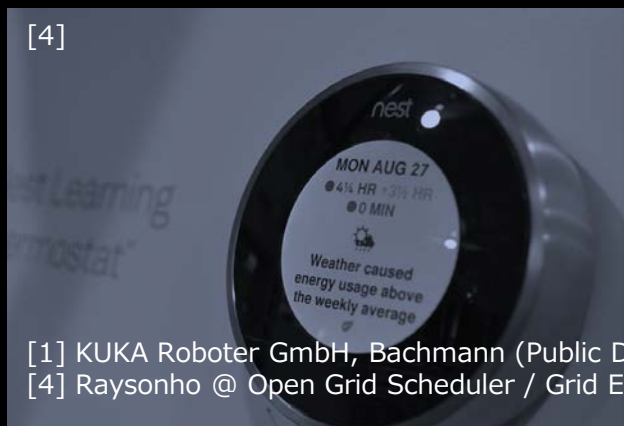
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# An On-Device Learning Approach for Unsupervised Anomaly Detection

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# Real-world edge AI: Requirements

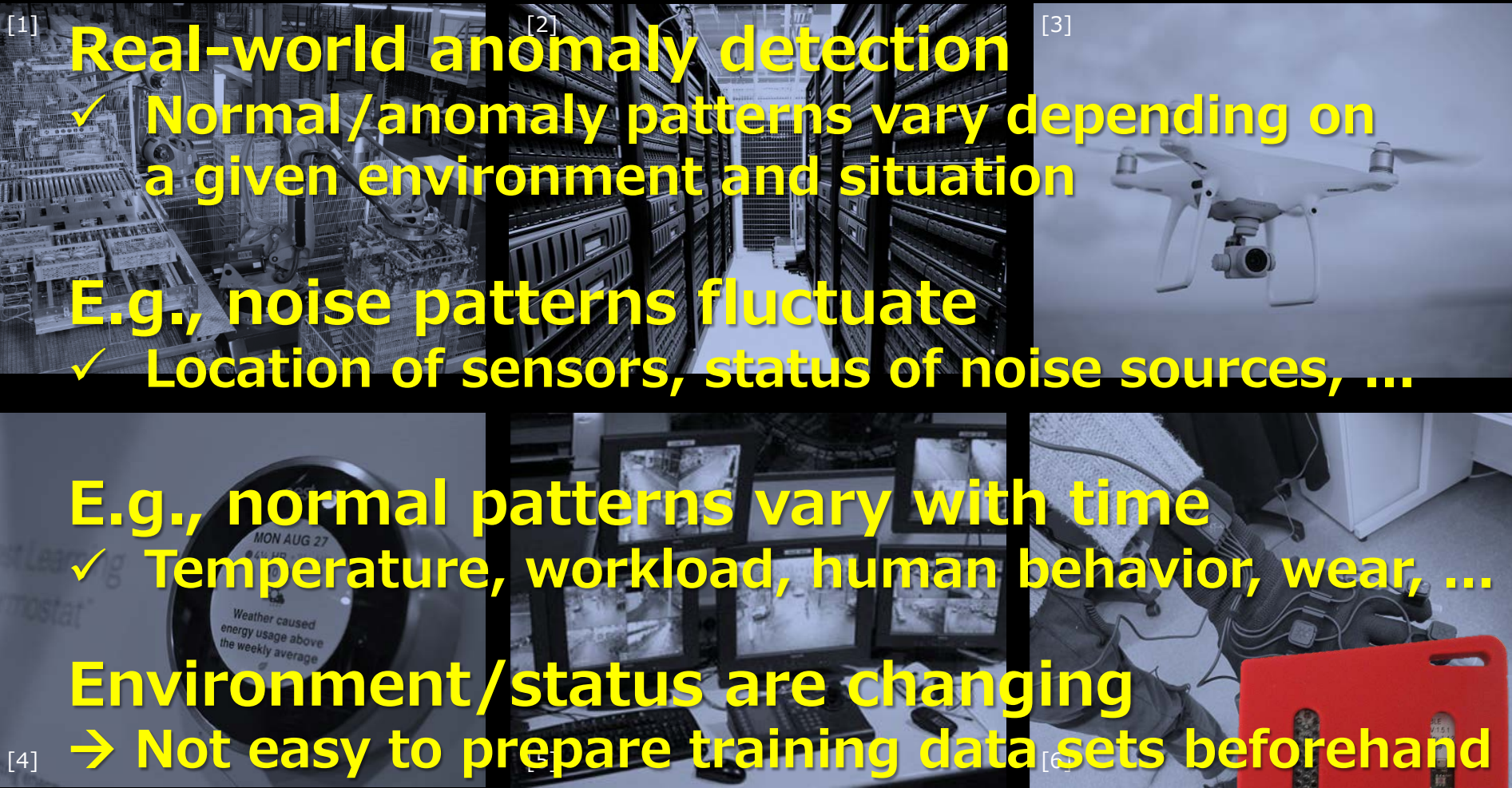
- Factory, warehouse, robot, HE, security, ...

[1] **Real-world anomaly detection**  
✓ Normal/anomaly patterns vary depending on a given environment and situation  
E.g., noise patterns fluctuate  
✓ Location of sensors, status of noise sources, ...

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✓ Temperature, workload, human behavior, wear, ...

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Environment/status are changing  
→ Not easy to prepare training data sets beforehand



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# Our approach: On-device learning

One of the biggest issues when applying AI to industry is to prepare accurate training data sets

## On-device learning

Online learning

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Unsupervised

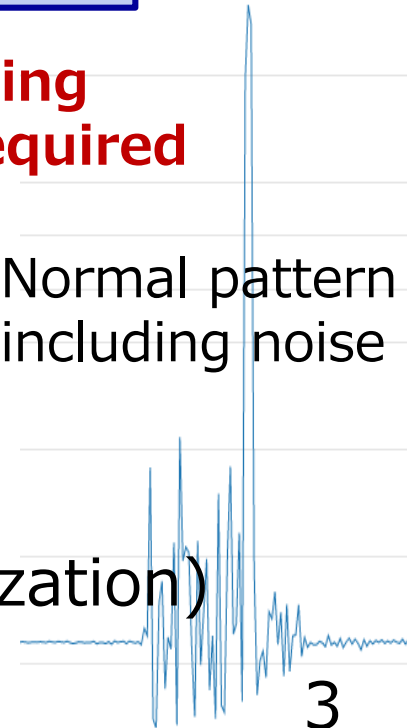
On-site learning w/o  
pre-training phase

Labeled training  
data is not required

### Basic concept



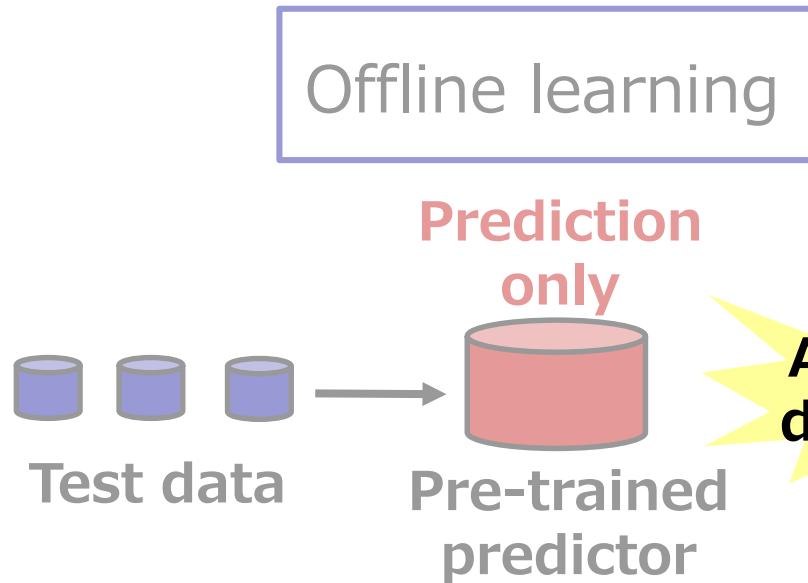
Normal pattern  
including noise



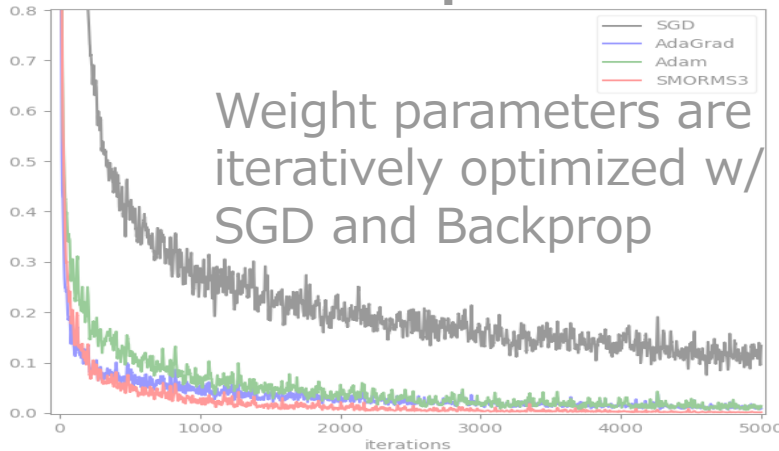
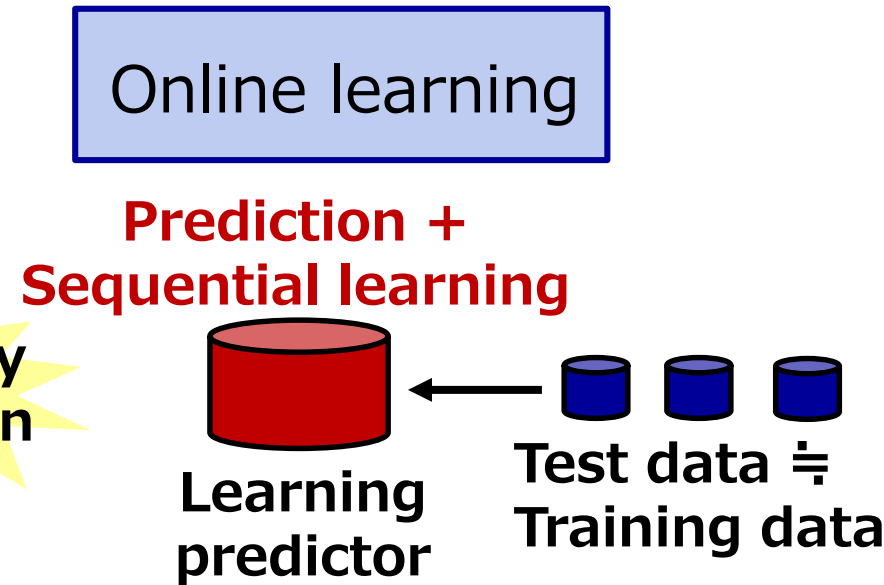
- (1) Anomaly detector is deployed
- (2) Normal pattern incl. noise is learned (initialization)
- (3) Unsupervised anomaly detection

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Typical DNN based approaches



On-site learning w/o pre-training phase



On-device learning for adapting to a given environment

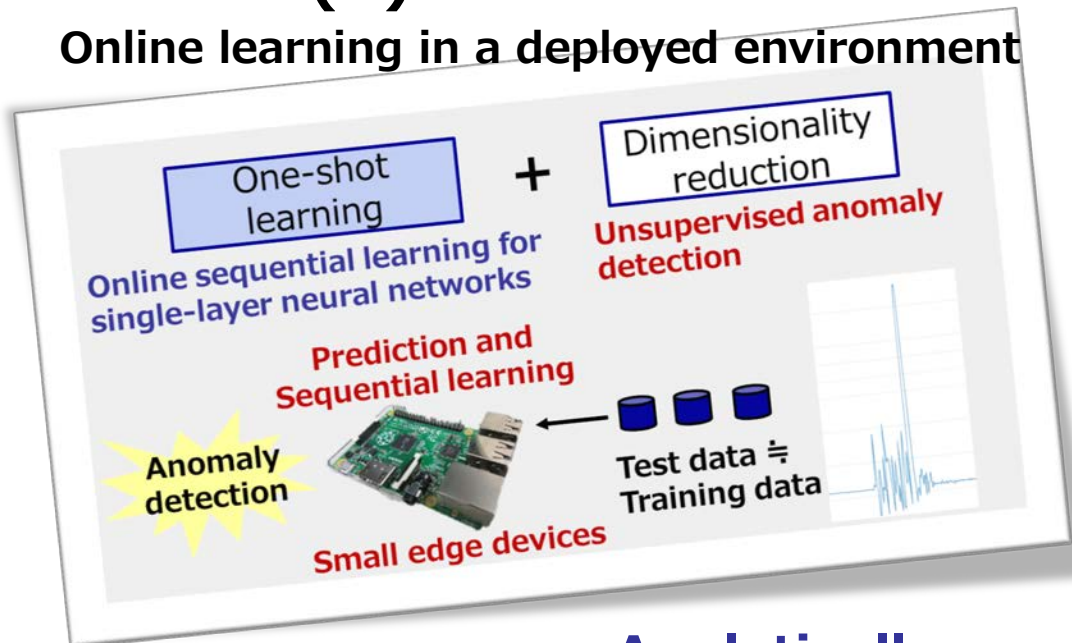


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# On-device learning: A baseline

## (1) Baseline

Online learning in a deployed environment

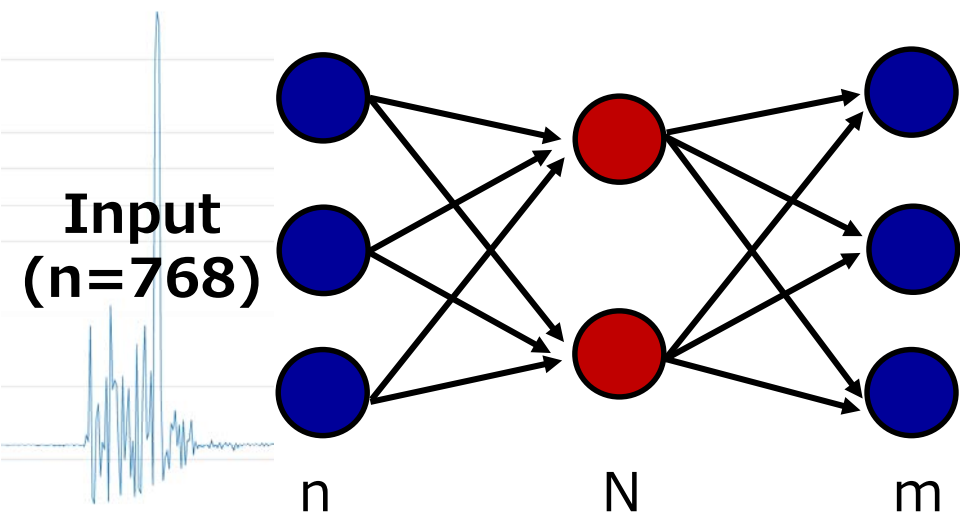


Analytically compute weight parameters w/ "memoization"

E.g., data  $i+1$  is learned using result of data  $i$

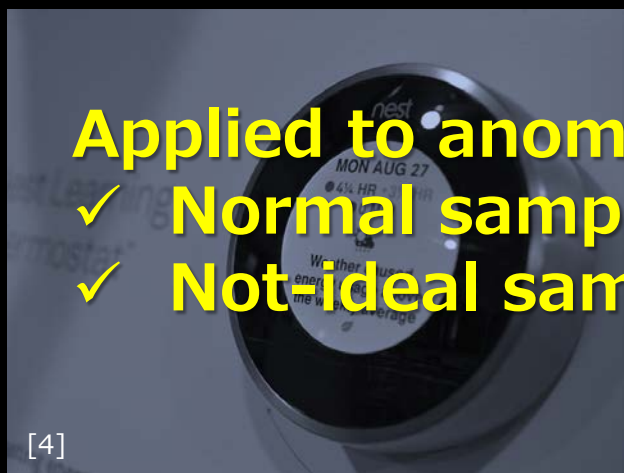
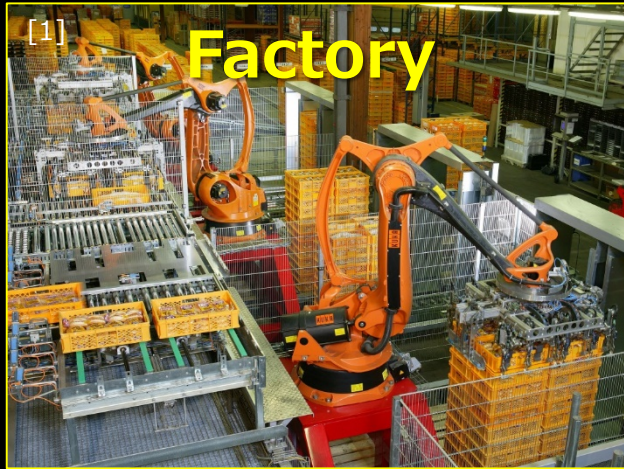


Reduced computation cost 5



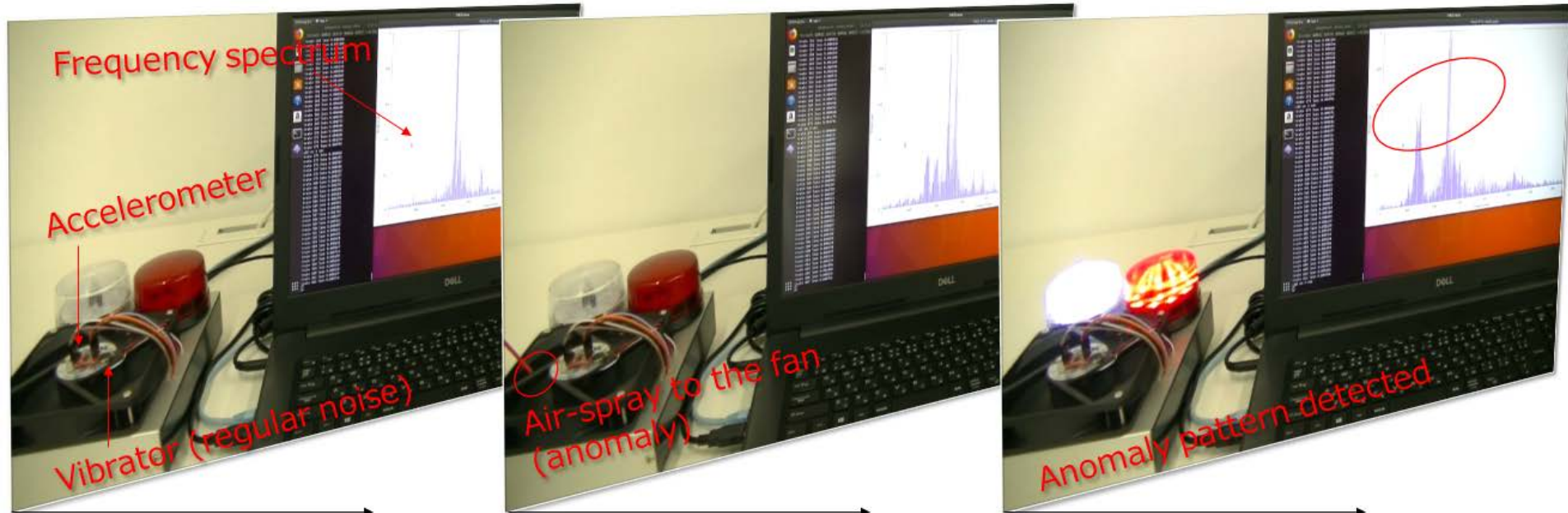
# Case 1: Manufacture process

- Finding defects and predictive maintenance



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- Vibration pattern is learned → Detect unusual event (e.g., air-spray from red tube)



## Step 1:

Normal pattern including regular noise is learned

## Step 2:

Air-spray is blew to the fan

## Step 3:

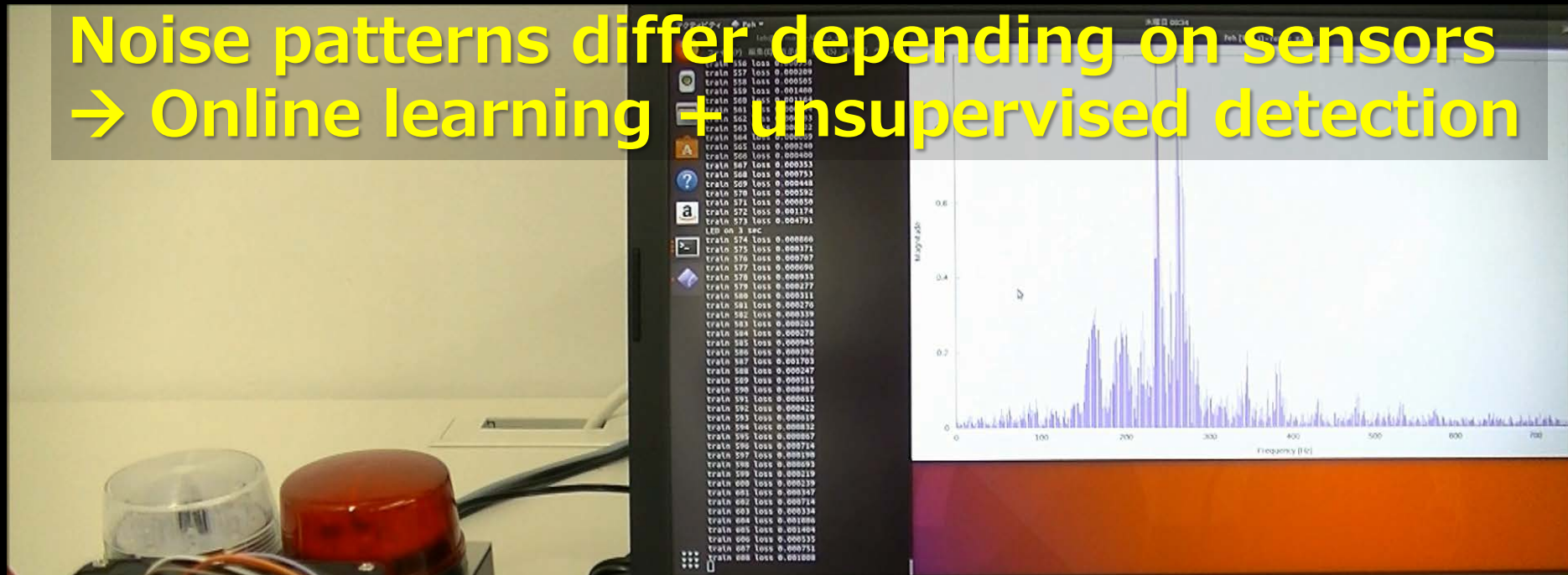
Anomaly pattern (air-spray) is detected

**Our approach: On-site learning in a deployed environment and detecting unusual patterns**

# Case 1: Manufacture process

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Noise patterns differ depending on sensors  
→ Online learning + unsupervised detection



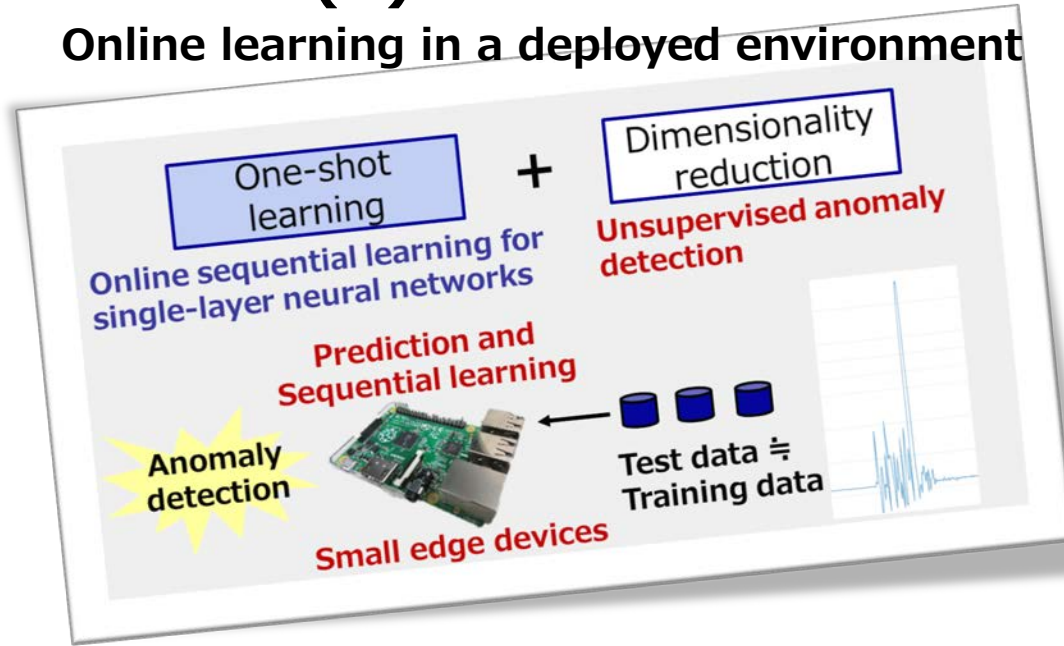
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→ No training data and no offline training



# On-device learning: Extensions

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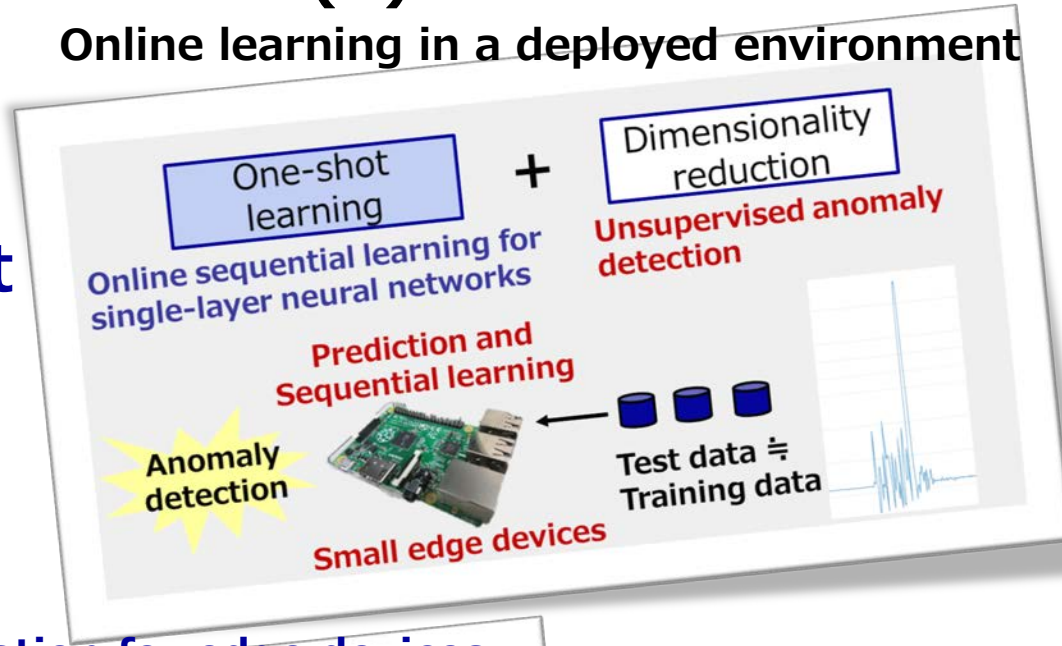
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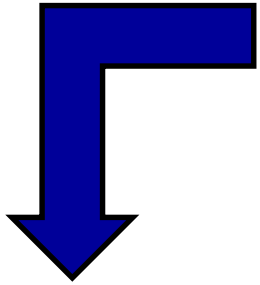
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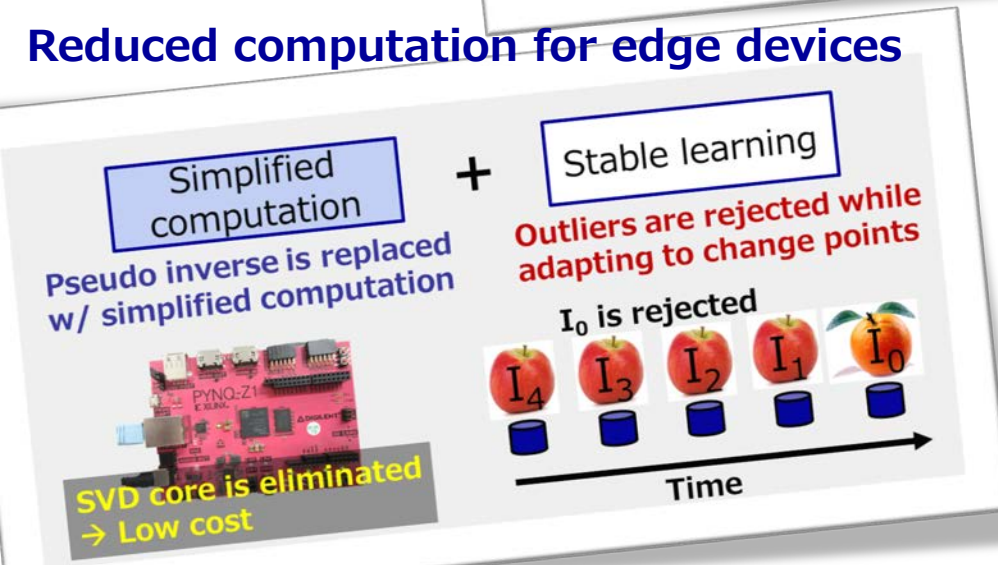
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## (2) Low cost



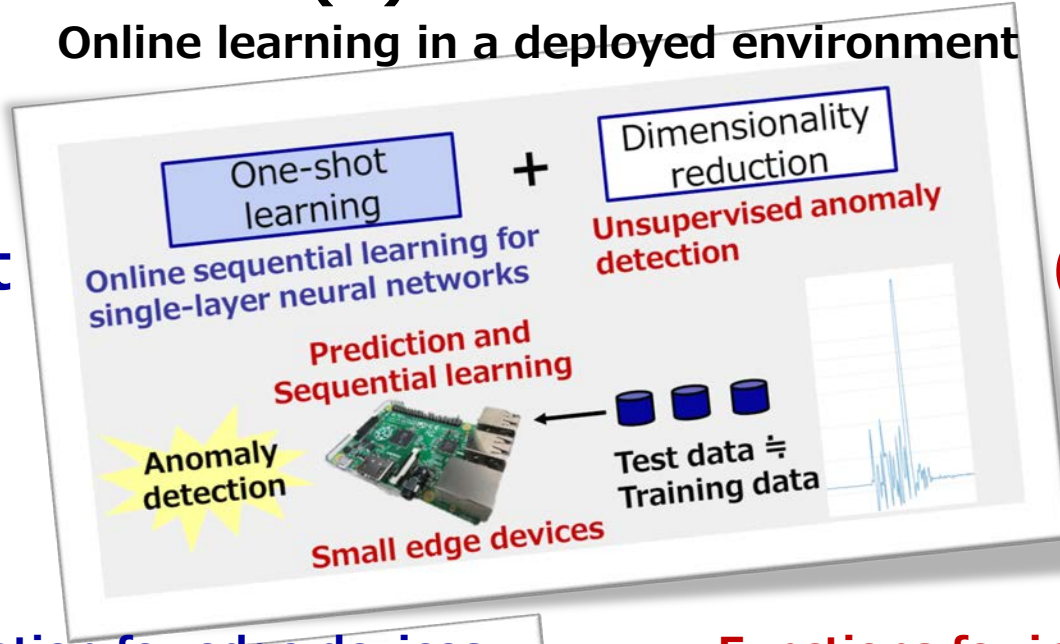
Reduced computation for edge devices



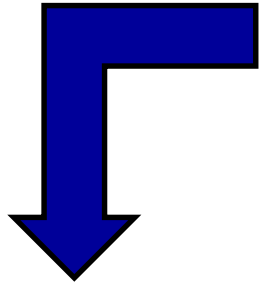
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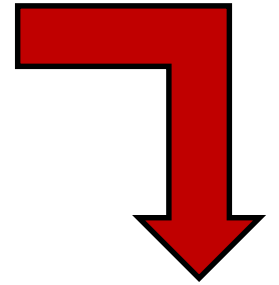
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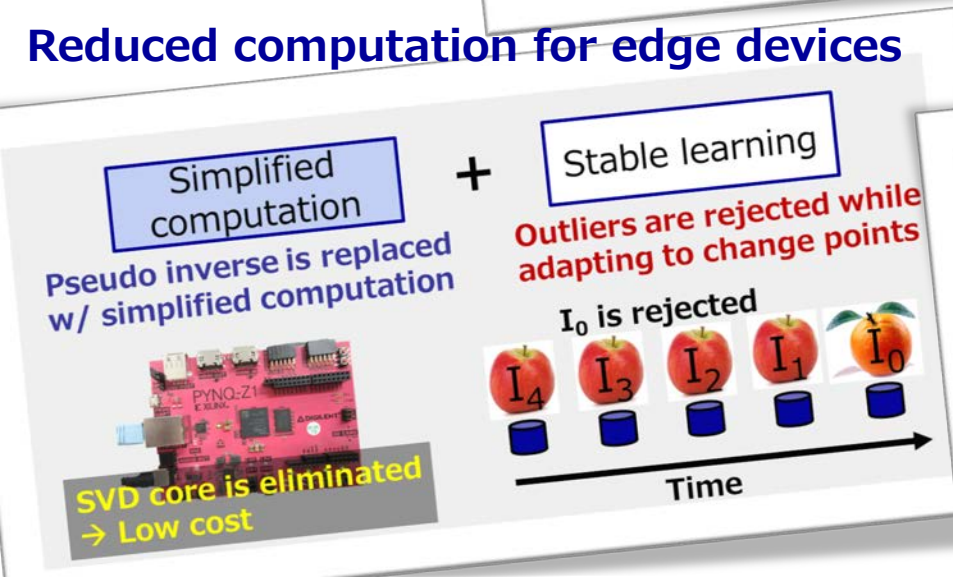
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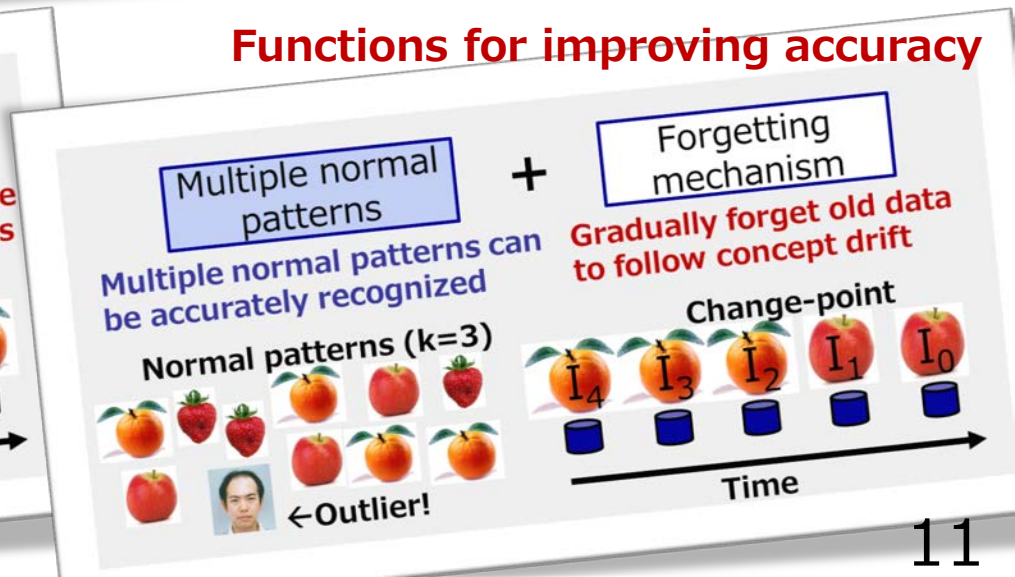
(3) Accuracy



Reduced computation for edge devices

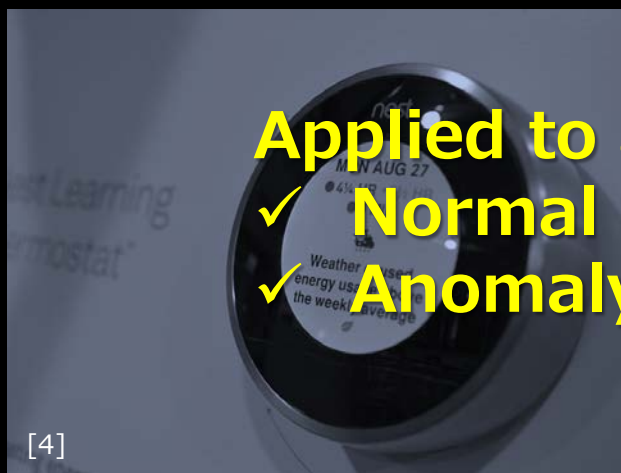
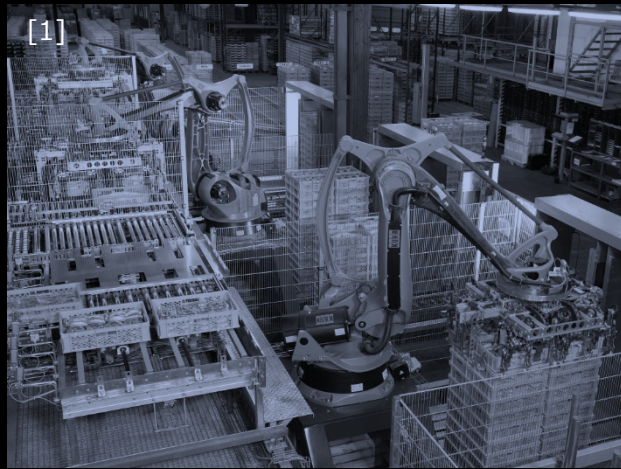


Functions for improving accuracy



# Case 2: Server rack & computer

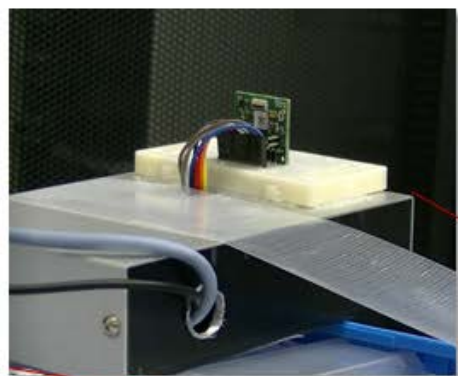
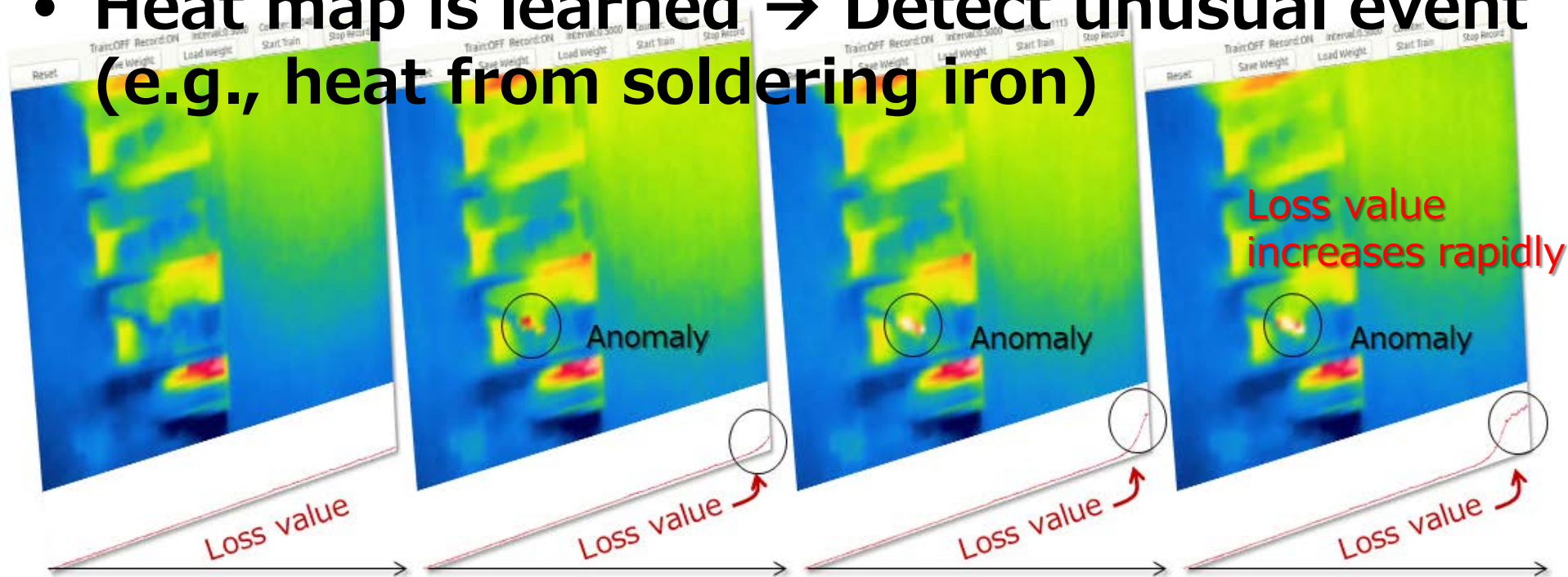
- Computers and power/cooling components



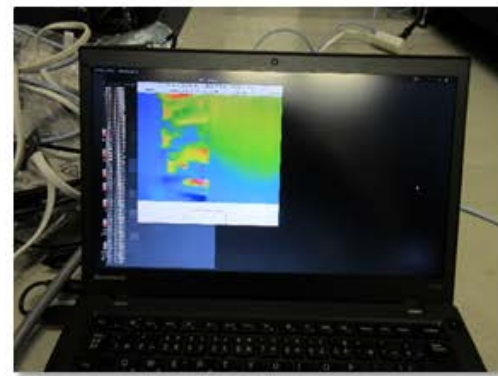
**Applied to anomaly detection of server racks**  
✓ **Normal heat pattern**  
✓ **Anomaly heat pattern**

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- Heat map is learned → Detect unusual event (e.g., heat from soldering iron)



On-device learning camera



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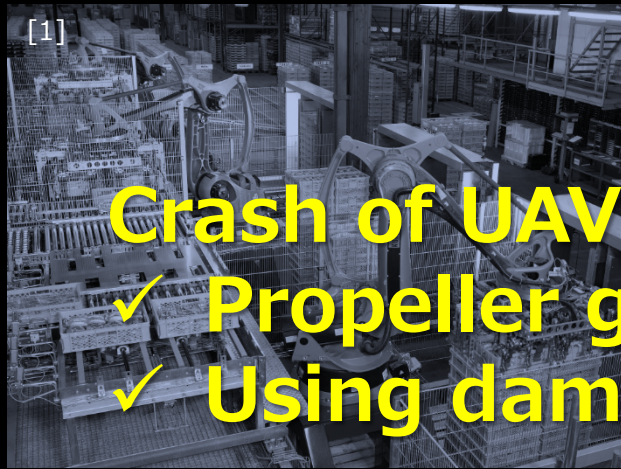
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**Normal heat map differs for each rack  
→ Online learning + unsupervised detection**

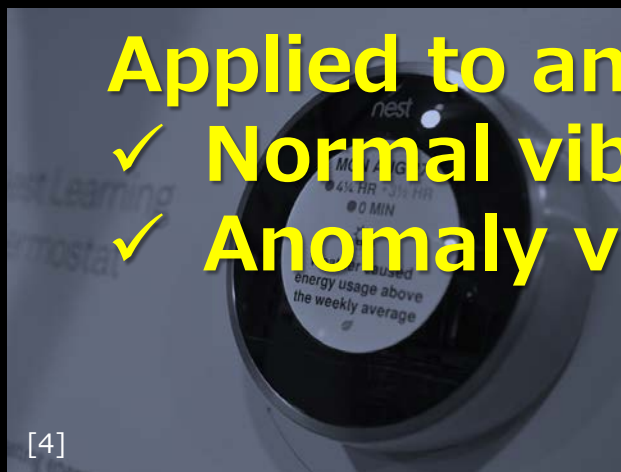
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- UAV's status depends on payload/condition



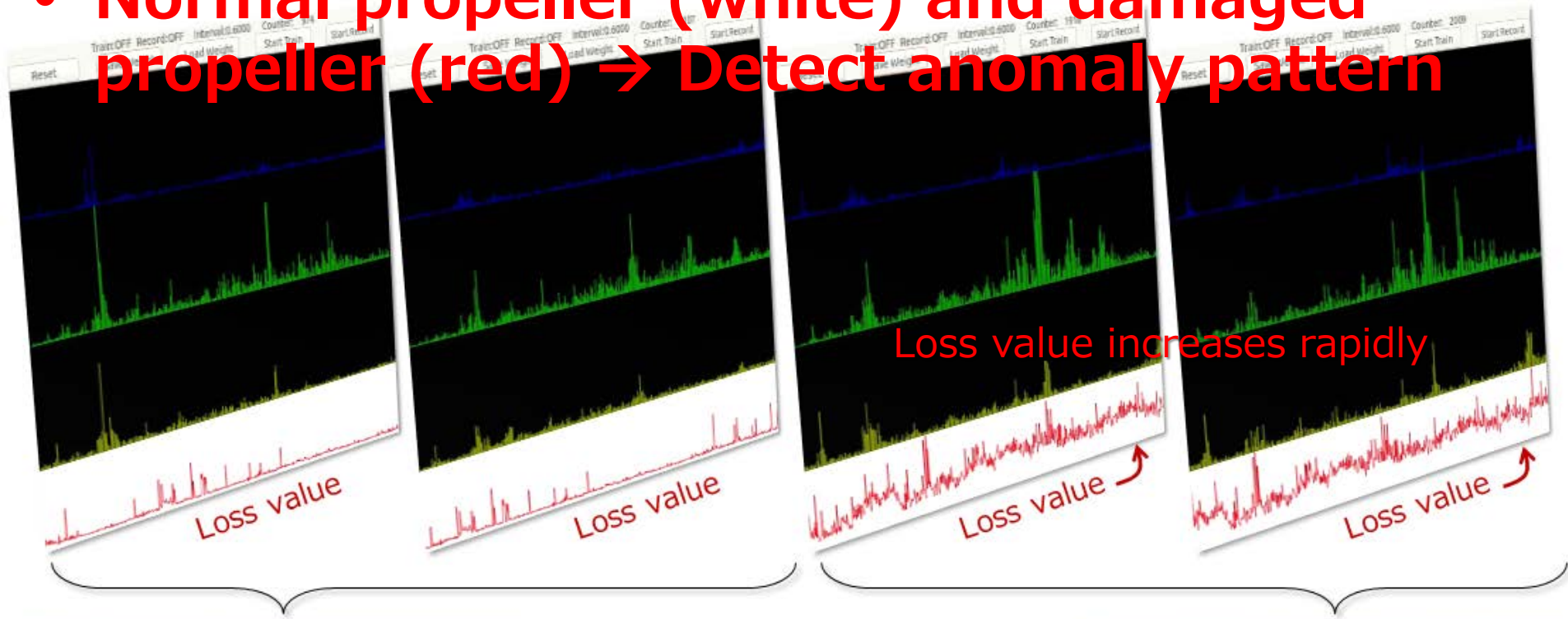
**Crash of UAVs is destructive**  
✓ Propeller gets damaged easily  
✓ Using damaged propeller is dangerous



**Applied to anomaly detection of propeller**  
✓ Normal vibration  
✓ Anomaly vibration

# Case 3: Mobile robot (UAV)

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**Battery and on-device learning module is  
attached to the flying UAV**

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[Tsukada, FCCM'19 demo]

FPGA-based design

Air-spray

On-device learning chip

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Anomaly!

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