Online Health Monitoring of Electronic Components Subjected to Repeated High-energy Shock

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Experimentation

Results and Discussion

PCB failure mechanisms under shock

PCB failures under shock are caused by:

- Bending of the base PCB board, causing stresses to build up at the solder balls.
- Adhesion challenges of masses (components) accelerating away from the PCB.



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Long short-term memory state estimators

- Type of recurrent neural networks
- Using feedback to pass state information to future timesteps
- Data enters the network as a singleton vector
- · Internal states of the network are updated
- The network then produces an output

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• The output is fed into a dense layer to make a prediction



 $f_t = \sigma(W_f x_t + U_f h_{t-1} + b_f)$ $i_t = \sigma(W_i x_t + U_i h_{t-1} + b_i)$ $o_t = \sigma(W_o x_t + U_o h_{t-1} + b_o)$ $\tilde{c}_t = \tanh(W_c x_t + U_c h_{t-1} + b_c)$ $c_t = f_t \circ c_{t-1} + i_t \circ \tilde{c}_t$ $h_t = o_t \circ \tanh(c_t)$ $y_t = W_d^T h_t + b_d$



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Experimental procedure

- Dataset encompasses 30 impacts
- Shock amplitude of over 10,000 g_n
- Average half-sine time of 32 µs
- PCB resonance 4000 Hz



Validation and feature extraction

Table 1 Time-domain features

No.	Features	Description	Physical interpretation
T1	Maximum	$Max(X_i)$	
T2	Absolute Mean	$Mean(X_i)$	Kinetic energy related
T3	RMS	$\sqrt{\frac{\sum X_i^2}{N}}$	
T4	Skewness	$\frac{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^3}{(N-1)s^3}$	Data statistics
T5	Kurtosis	$\frac{\sum (X_i - \bar{X})^4}{(N-1)s^4}$	related
T6	Crest Factor	$\frac{\operatorname{Max}(X_i)}{X_{rms}}$	
T7	Shape Factor	$\frac{X_{rms}}{\text{Mean}(X_i)}$	Sinusoidal wave shape related
T8	Impulse Factor	$\frac{\operatorname{Max}(X_i)}{\operatorname{Mean}(X_i)}$	



Model development

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- Long short-term memory (LSTM) models are used for realtime state estimation.
- Models are initially trained offline on pre-recorded data.
- LSTM architecture is (50, 50 units) with a dense layer at the output with SoftMax activation



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Model deployment

- A real-time system demonstrates an end-to-end prediction system.
- Signal reproduction is isolated from real-time system performing signal acquisition, state updating, and health estimation.
- Health estimates are communicated back to the host computer.







Model performance

prediction of survivability of PCB exposed to shock loads



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Results and Discussion

FPGA implementation

- Implemented in 16-bit fixed and 32-bit floating point.
- Developed an LSTM hardware accelerator using design of an LSTM accelerator framework using high-level synthesis (HLS)
- Goal: to meets the real-time requirements set by high-rate applications.
- Note that outermost loop pipelining generates a more efficient hardware design than outermost loop unrolling of the algorithm.





ZCU104 14 ^(Zynq UltraScale+XCZU7EV-2FFVC1156 MPSoC)



VC707 (Virtex-7 XC7VX485TFFG1761-2)



U55C (UltraScale+XCU55C-FSVH2892-2L-E)

Timing and resource utilization

FPGA	Data Format	DSPs	BRAMs_18k	LUTs	FFs	Frequency (MHz)	Latency (µs)
Alveo U55c		470	416	75924	112625	283	22.7
ZCU104	Fixed 16 bit	454	242	32354	57956	280	41.5
Virtex 7		489	254	92534	129839	220	54

FPGA	Data Format	DSPs	BRAMs_18k	LUTs	FFs	Frequency (MHz)	Latency (μs)
Alveo U55c		1177	653	142344	242989	300	37
ZCU104	Float 32 bit	769	479	136242	263580	270	62
Virtex 7		769	487	192925	316056	150	127





Future work

- Multi-connection impedance measurement
- Reduce latency and maximize model performance









Dataset Layout

https://github.com/High-Rate-SHM-Working-Group/Dataset-5-Extended-Impact-Testing/tree/main/data/dataset-2

Dataset-5-Extended-Impact-Testing / data / dataset-2 /		
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data=1	Delete README.md	
media/initial_microscope_images	added image annotation file	
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Dataset 2

Dataset 2 consists of 32 tests performed May 5 2023. Tests were performed consecutively on the same PCB. Following each impact test, impedance was measured at five LCR excitation frequencies. The folder also contains a python file with a demonstration for extracting data from the Jvm files and plotting, and figures plotting the acceleration and measured impedance.





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