



PARTNER SOLUTION BRIEF

# Deploy and Scale AI Solutions at the Edge with Ease and Efficiency

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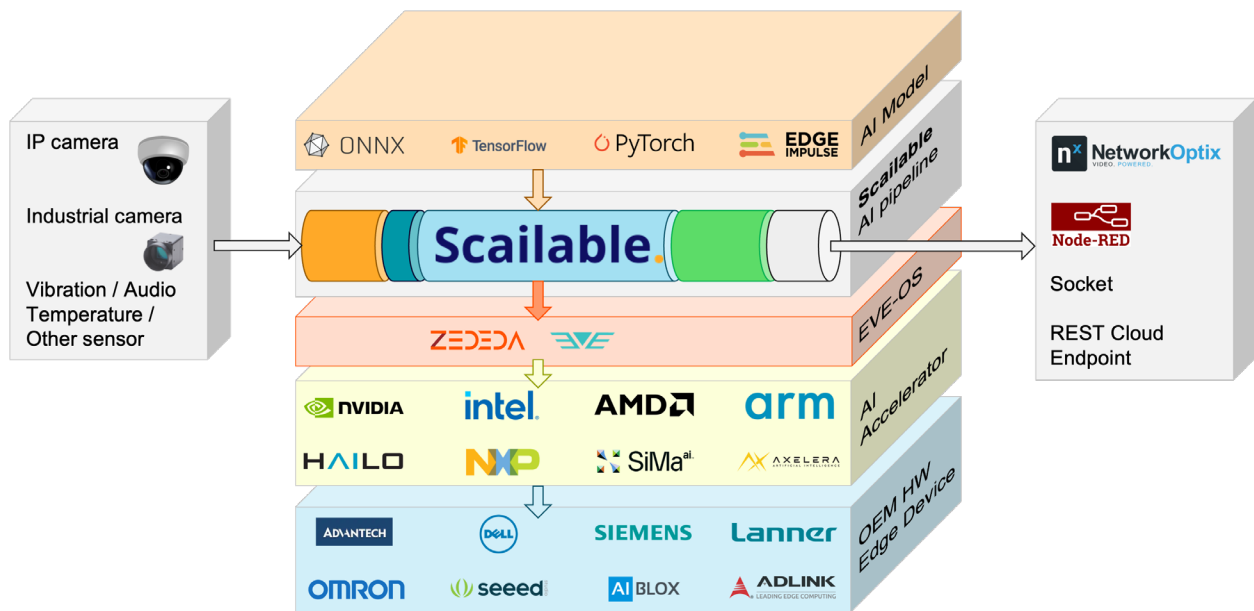
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Organizations of all sizes and types are eager to realize the benefits that can come from implementing AI and Machine Learning (ML) technologies, but building and implementing these projects requires addressing a number of challenges. These include the complexity of AI pipeline development as well as edge hardware and AI accelerator compatibility, not to mention the unique nature of remote locations, often in difficult-to-reach locations with no onsite IT staff.

ZEDEDA and Scailable have partnered to provide a scalable AI/ML solution that enables organizations to implement their desired AI models across a fleet of devices securely and efficiently, reducing development and deployment time to hours instead of months.

**Scailable** enables effortless edge AI and ML deployment and management on the ZEDEDA edge platform. Scailable can deploy AI-powered computer vision or ML solutions fast, easy and with the highest performance, without having to worry about the complexity of AI pipeline development or edge hardware compatibility.

**ZEDEDA** delivers an open, distributed, cloud-native edge orchestration and management solution, simplifying the security and remote management of edge infrastructure and applications at scale. ZEDEDA leverages an open architecture built on EVE-OS, from the Linux Foundation. EVE-OS delivers an industry leading identity and software attestation workflow that ensures the device can be trusted and that the entire software stack is exactly as expected.



### Benefits of the Joint Scailable and ZEDEDA Solution

**No Re-Engineering:** The combination of the Scailable AI manager and ZEDEDA cuts time-to-market from months to hours by making it effortless to configure and deploy AI-model pipelines to new edge infrastructure. Currently, engineering teams typically have to re-engineer the selected AI-model for specific edge hardware and accelerators, and develop a pipeline to pre-process inputs and post-process inference results. Scailable integrates edge AI deployment and configuration through a no-code UI. This makes AI/ML deployment as easy as “select and configure” and makes it portable to any ZEDEDA-supported hardware.

**Fast and Efficient Inference:** The Scalable AI manager ensures high efficiency and fast inference in a minimal footprint. This leaves additional CPU/GPU and RAM resources available on the edge device for data processing and other ZEDEDA deployed applications, and minimizes the hardware requirement and power consumption of the edge device.

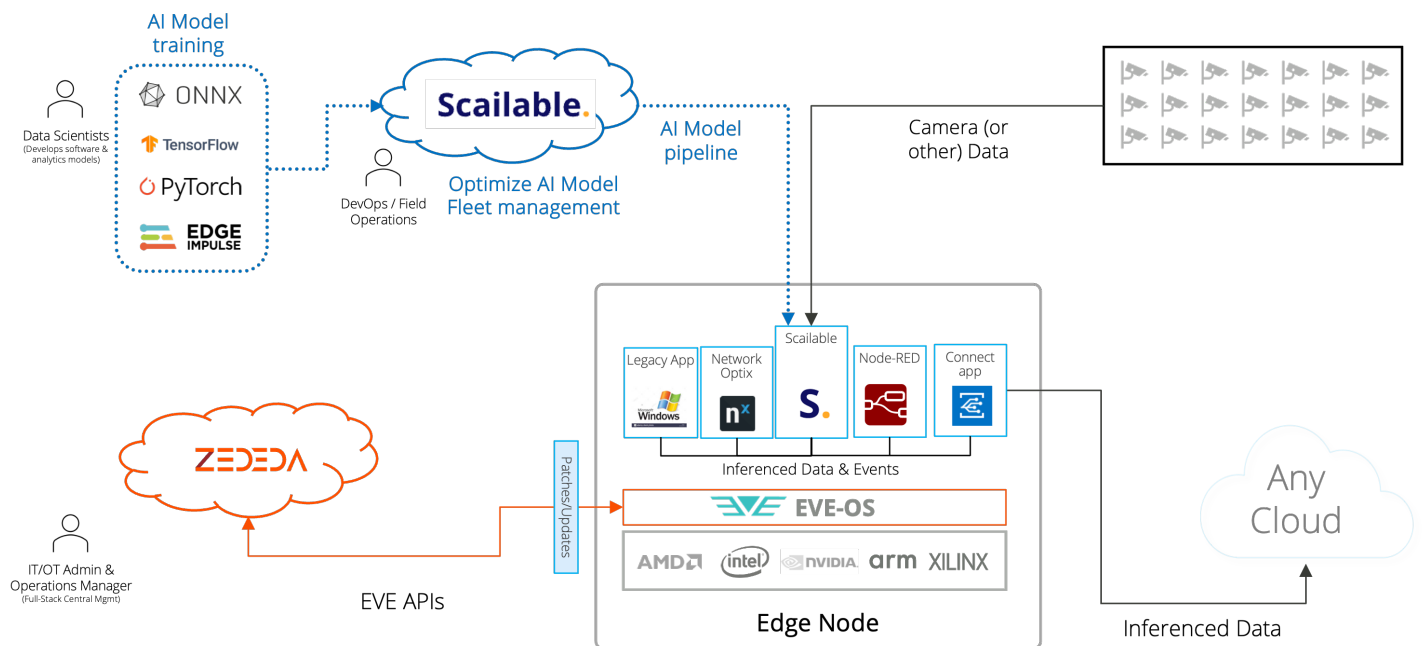
**Heterogeneity:** Scalable offers remote OTA deployment of AI/ML models to a fleet of edge devices, along with centralized model management, versioning, and model portability. Any model can be deployed to a heterogeneous fleet of edge devices, including models customers upload themselves. The Scalable platform will optimize and compile the model for low bandwidth OTA deployment and efficient execution on the edge device.

**API Integration:** The inference output of the Scalable AI manager can be easily integrated through standard APIs with other legacy applications running on the ZEDEDA edge device, or can be sent back to the datacenter or cloud for further action.

**Simplified Model Updates:** The Scalable AI manager is optionally configurable to collect data on inference results, which can be fed back to the AI training platform to make the AI model more robust. After re-training, Scalable can update the entire fleet of devices instantaneously through the secure ZEDEDA edge platform or as soon as they come online.

**Secure Sandbox:** The AI/ML model and pipeline is executed on the device in the Scalable AI sandbox, which runs as a virtual application in the secure ZEDEDA environment. Models are pre-compiled before deployment and as such hardened against tampering on the edge device.

**Simplified Edge Management and Orchestration:** ZEDEDA provides centralized management and orchestration of edge devices, enabling administrators to remotely configure, monitor, and update hardware and applications.



## Technology Overview

The Scalable and ZEDEDATA solution enables customers to effortlessly deploy and implement their selected or trained AI/ML model to their fleet of devices.

The Scalable AI manager installs within a VM on edge nodes within minutes via the ZEDEDATA Marketplace, which is used to define the desired state of the applications running on the node. This includes selecting application infrastructure (e.g., VMs, containers, Kubernetes, NFVs), application services (e.g., networking, security), and the applications themselves.

ZEDEDATA makes it easy to deploy the additional workloads that comprise the AI solution. With deep support for data and eventing platforms like Node-RED and Network Optix, AI solutions can be deployed at scale.

Once installed, the Scalable AI manager makes it possible to simply configure AI/ML solutions without the need for any on-device engineering. The AI manager includes video stream decoding and data pre- and post-processing to build the AI pipeline and it loads and configures the most efficient method of running a model on a selected device, considering the availability of CPU, GPU, NPU or other xPU compute. This ensures efficient execution of the edge AI solution, at low power and for a fraction of the cost.

The Scalable Platform is the cloud platform from which AI models are deployed to the AI manager installed on the edge nodes. Customers can easily add their own AI models, trained with their preferred AI training tool (e.g., TensorFlow, PyTorch) or platform (e.g., Edge Impulse), and deploy those efficiently and securely to a fleet of ZEDEDATA edge devices.

ZEDEDATA leverages an open architecture built on Project EVE, from the Linux Foundation. EVE is a lightweight, open-source Linux-based edge operating system, with open orchestration APIs. EVE runs on over 75 different hardware platforms providing customers the flexibility to choose the ideal configuration for every workload.

## Example Use Cases

The joint Scalable and ZEDEDATA solution is suitable across diverse environments, use cases, and industries. Additionally, any AI or ML model can be deployed through the Scalable solution, creating an unended list of possible use cases. A few sample use cases and verticals include:

- Smart Security
- Transportation & Logistics
- Industry 4.0, IIOT
- Energy, Smart Grid
- Smart Buildings, City
- Agriculture



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### About ZEDEDATA

ZEDEDATA makes edge computing effortless, open, and intrinsically secure – extending the cloud experience to the edge. ZEDEDATA reduces the cost of managing and orchestrating distributed edge infrastructure, while increasing visibility, security and control.

ZEDEDATA ensures extensibility and flexibility by leveraging a partner ecosystem, and EVE-OS, open-source Linux-based edge operating system.