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# Abstract

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## List of Acronyms

<b>API</b>	application programming interface.
<b>CMOS</b>	complementary metal–oxide–semiconductor.
<b>DC</b>	directional coupler.
<b>DMM</b>	Diagonal Matrix Multiplication.
<b>FLOP</b>	floating point operation.
<b>FLOPS</b>	floating point operation per second.
<b>FoM</b>	figure of merit.
<b>GPU</b>	graphical processing unit.
<b>IL</b>	insertion loss.
<b>ML</b>	machine learning.
<b>MNIST</b>	modified national institute of standards and technology.
<b>MSE</b>	mean squared error.
<b>MZI</b>	Mach-Zehnder interferometer.
<b>NN</b>	neural network.

**OMM** optical matrix multiplication.

**ONN** optical neural network.

**PCA** principle component analysis.

**PS** phase shifter.

**ReLU** rectified linear unit.

**SVD** singular value decomposition.

# Chapter 1

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# **Chapter 2**

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# Chapter 3

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## Appendix A

### Equations

$$E = M \cdot C^2 \quad (\text{A.1})$$

## Appendix B

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