

ARCHYTAS

ARCHitectures based on unconventional accelerators for dependable/energY efficienT Al Systems

SELECTED PROJECTS EUROPEAN DEFENCE FUND (EDF) 2023

CALL TITLE:
Research actions on digital transformation

TOPIC TITLE:
Dedicated hardware architectures for energy-efficient Al

DURATION OF THE PROJECT:
36 months

TYPE(S) OF ACTIVITIES:
Integrating knowledge, Studies, Design

ESTIMATED TOTAL COST:
€ 19,976,637.23

MAXIMUM EU CONTRIBUTION:
€ 19,976,637.23

SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT:

The goal of ARCHYTAS is to investigate non-conventional Artificial Intelligence (AI) accelerators for defence applications, using novel technologies at the device and package level.

The project aims to investigate and study the feasibility of non-conventional AI accelerators for defence applications that take advantage of novel technologies at the device and package level, such as optoelectronic-based accelerators, volatile and non-volatile processing-in-memory, and neuromorphic devices. The project distinctly addresses the challenges encountered in the defence use cases by proposing optimised solutions for efficient energy consumption, speed, and cost.





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