

ONNX Script: Authoring ONNX In Python

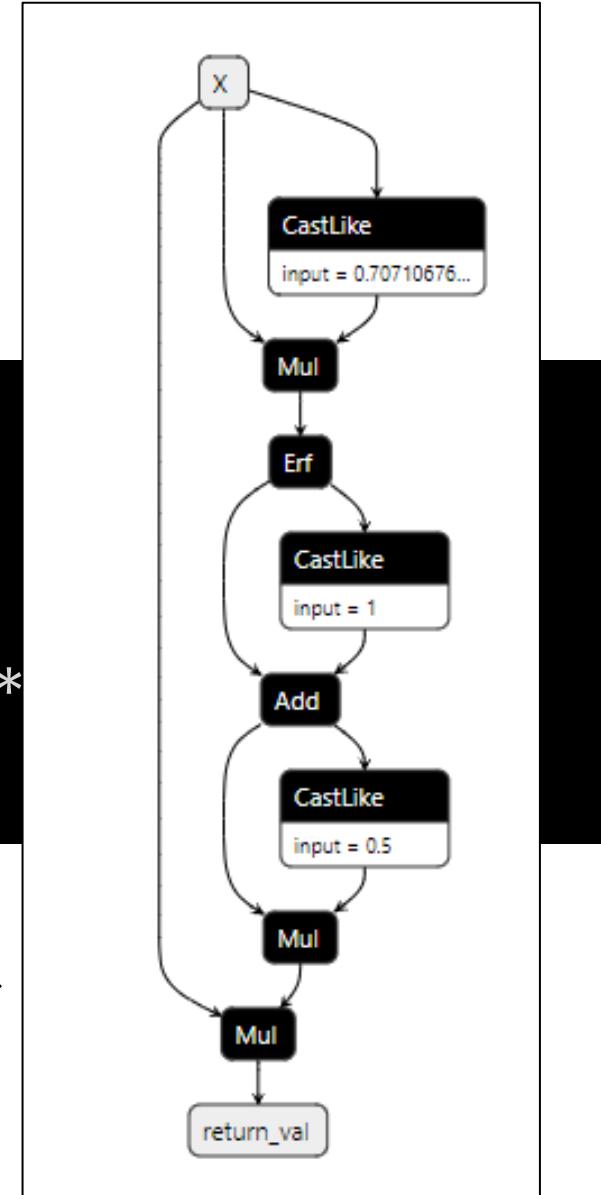
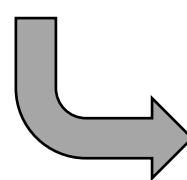
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Example: Gelu definition

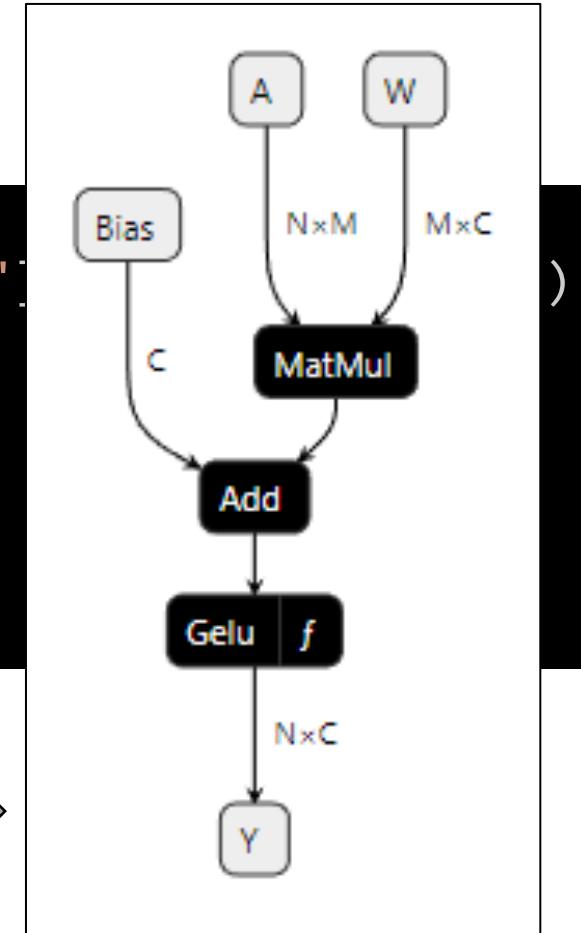
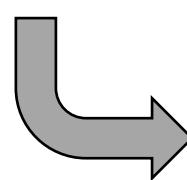
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M_SQRT1_2 = math.sqrt(0.5)

@script()
def Gelu(X):
    phiX = 0.5 * (op.Erf(M_SQRT1_2 *
    return X * phiX
```



Example: A simple model

```
@script()
def simple (A: FLOAT["N", "M"], W: FLOAT["M", "C"]):
    -> FLOAT["N", "C"]:
    AW = op.MatMul(A, W)
    AWBias = AW + Bias
    Y = Gelu(AWBias)
    return Y
```



Another example (with control-flow)

```
def Dropout(data, ratio, training_mode, seed):
    if (training_mode):
        rand = op.RandomUniformLike(data, seed=seed, dtype=FLOAT)
        mask = (rand >= ratio)
        output = op.Where(mask, data, 0) / (1.0 - ratio)
    else:
        mask = op.Expand(True, op.Shape(data))
        output = data
    return (output, mask)
```

Support for execution and debugging

The screenshot shows a debugger interface with two main panes. The left pane is titled 'VARIABLES' and contains sections for 'Locals' and 'Globals'. The 'Locals' section lists several tensors: A, AW, Bias, (return) Opset18.MatMul, and W. The 'Globals' section contains a single variable named simple. The right pane shows a script file named 'talk23.py' with the following code:

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7     M_SQRT1_2 = math.sqrt(0.5)
8     @script()
9     def Gelu(X):
10         phiX = 0.5 * (op.Erf(M_SQRT1_2 * X) + 1.0)
11         return X * phiX
12
13     @script()
14     def simple (A: FLOAT["N", "M"], W: FLOAT["M",
15         AW = op.MatMul(A, W)
16         AWBias = AW + Bias
17         Y = Gelu(AWBias)
18         return Y
19
20 n, m, c = 32, 1024, 16
21 a = np.random.rand(n, m).astype('float32')
22 w = np.random.rand(m, c).astype('float32')
23 b = np.random.rand(c,).astype('float32')
24
25 r = simple(a, w, b)
26
27
```

A red dot is placed next to line 15, and a yellow diamond is placed next to line 16, both highlighting specific lines of code.

Higher Order Ops (Scan, SequenceMap, ...)

```
from onnxscript import script, graph

@script()
def CumulativeSum(X):
    @graph()
    def Sum(sum_in, next):
        sum_out = sum_in + next
        scan_out = op.Identity(sum_out)
        return sum_out, scan_out
    all_sum, cumulative_sum = op.Scan(0, X, body=Sum, num_scan_inputs=1)
    return cumulative_sum
```

Motivation and Uses

- Functions are a key extensibility mechanism in ONNX
 - Exposes richer (op) API to model developers
 - Retains smaller (core) op surface area to be supported by a backend
 - Enables development and use of optimized kernels on-demand
- Enable easy development of function-ops
 - Function ops in the ONNX standard
 - Custom ops to be added to a model
 - Libraries of custom ops
 - Simplify development of ONNX exporter from a framework
- Ongoing effort to define torchlib as a library of ONNX functions
 - For use in Pytorch's ONNX Exporter

Other Uses

- Simplify ONNX Exporters
- Experimentation with ONNX
- Create ONNX test-cases
- Debug ONNX backends and/or ONNX models

Summary: Features

- Constant literals (0, 1, [-1], ...)
- Automatic cast of constants (enables polymorphic code like $X+1$)
- Operator symbols as syntactic sugar (+, *, ...)
- Indexing/Slicing ($e1[0]$, $e1[1:5]$, ...)
- Nested expressions
- Control-flow
- Nested functions (for graph attributes)
- Type and shape annotations
- Operator sets, ops, their types and documentation

<https://github.com/microsoft/nnxscript/>