HPE Media Management and Analytics Platform (MMAP)

HPE Media Management and Analytics Platform overview

Empowering business users to leverage rich media in gaining comprehensive intelligence by providing easy to use media analysis, management, and visualization

The media analytics and management platform provides all components necessary to facilitate analysis, management, and visualization of large volumes of rich media allowing:

- Video analysis and enrichment
- Real-time monitoring and alerting
- Search and retrieval
- Recording and review

From a wide array of sources:

- Dedicated streaming sources:
  - CCTV cameras
  - Mobile devices
- File-based rich-media archives:
  - Voice call recordings
  - Enterprise data lakes
  - Digital asset management (DAM)
- Public domain sources
  - Broadcast TV and radio
  - Online video/audio archives
- Social media sites
  - Facebook
  - Instagram
  - Twitter
  - YouTube
Being part of the HPE IDOL Big Data platform, HPE MMAP software supports:

- **Usability**—highly intuitive and simple to use
- **Availability**—cloud, on premises, and on mobile devices
- **Performance**—industry-leading accuracy and speed
- **Enterprise**—robust scalable architecture
- **Integration**—seamlessly integrated within IDOL for comprehensive analytics across unstructured, semi-structured, and structured data sources

### Use cases

#### Broadcast monitoring
Broadcast monitoring allows you to automatically monitor, analyze, and index live broadcast feeds in real time from digital sources, satellite and cable television, radio, and the Internet. Broadcast monitoring delivers the capabilities to enable you to automatically monitor multiple broadcast streams for instant visibility of breaking stories, competitor moves, and company news—in virtually any format and language.

- Rich media analysis including speech-to-text transcript highlights, entity extractions of speaker and company names, places, etc., key frame and logo detections, and on-screen text recognition
- Ability to record, store, search, and retrieve broadcast content
- Real-time alerting

#### Voice call analytics
Voice call analytics with speech recognition, processing, and management capabilities delivers insight from large volumes of voice calls. Typically a call center will handle a large number of calls a day and understanding what those calls are about can improve productivity, optimize resources, and increase customer satisfaction.

- Integration with existing recorded content retaining meta-data links
- Real-time speech-to-text for advanced text analytics including concepts, trends, patterns, relationships, categorization, and clustering
- Search and retrieval of voice calls
- Rich audio asset playback including highlighting of speakers, names, places, words etc.
**Surveillance**

Surveillance allows the automated monitoring of thousands of CCTV cameras, whether at fixed locations, mounted in cars or body-worn by operatives. Monitoring for particular activities, persons, or vehicles within the scene in real time or retrospectively is made easy. Items and events of interest can then be used to tag the video and send alerts. The actual evidential video can easily be reviewed and distributed as required.

- ALPR (automatic license plate recognition), VMMR (vehicle model and make recognition)
- Facial recognition and demographics analysis
- Event detection from within a scene including tripwire, zone detection, and suspicious movement tracking
- Object classification to help retrospective search
- Audio signature functions can identify the nature of the sound such as a gunshot, glass breaking, alarms, shouting
- Real-time alerting
- Search of CCTV content
- Secure recording and storage of evidential content

**Media archive and search**

Huge volumes of video and audio files can be analyzed and indexed for searching. This allows more efficient use of these valuable assets within an organization or even possible commercialization of these resources.

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- Speech-to-text for advanced text analytics including concepts, trends, patterns, relationships, categorization, and clustering
- Search and retrieval of video and audio files
- Rich audio asset playback including highlighting of speakers, names, places, words, etc.

**Safe city**

Safe city is the combination of all the above use cases in addition to numerous other data sources such as sensors and databases to provide holistic and actionable insights for accelerating and improving actions against safety concerns and security threats.
HPE MMAP components

HTML5 widgets

Restful API

Media server  ...  Media server

HPE MMAP is a suite of media analytics and management components designed to make the use of rich media in any application as easy as possible. It consists of three layers from analytics through to visualization. Media servers provide the ability to analyze, record, and distribute media. Management of functionality is handled by Restful API calls and visualization by dedicated HTML5 widgets.

Media server

The media server itself consists of three dedicate engines seamlessly integrated to simplify analysis of rich media. Depending on the source and type, the following configurations are used:

- **No visual analytics, all audio analytics**
  - Video → Media server → Visual metadata
  - Image → Media server → Audio metadata
  - Audio → Speech/Audio server → Hi-Res copy
  - IP camera → Surveillance server → Low-Res copy

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The following sections describe the analytics each of the underlying servers provide for the specific to the media type.
**Speech (audio) server**

Using Web APIs the server provides analysis of audio files and streams. Integrated with IDOL Connector Framework Server (CFS) provides indexing of analysis direct into IDOL.

Each server is licensed per channel of ingest and for that channel any combination of the media analytics can be applied.

**Visual server**

Using Web APIs the server provides analysis and encoding of the visual components of image files, video files, and video streams, outputting analysis results to data repositories. Integration with IDOL Connector Framework Server (CFS) provides indexing of analysis direct into IDOL.

Each server is licensed per channel of ingest and for that channel any combination of the media analytics can be applied. When combined with speech (audio) server licenses, visual server provides visual and audio analysis in one seamless package.

**Surveillance server**

Using Web APIs the server provides dedicated video analysis and encoding for IP CCTV surveillance camera streams, outputting analysis results to data repositories. Integration with IDOL Connector Framework Server (CFS) provides indexing of analysis direct into IDOL.

Each server is licensed per camera IP stream and for that IP stream any combination of the analytics can be applied.

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<td>Converts spoken speech to a text transcript of the most likely words</td>
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<td>Phonetic phrase search</td>
<td>Converts spoken speech to a phonetic index, which can be searched against</td>
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<td>Spoken language identification</td>
<td>Identifies the language spoken</td>
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<td>Transcript alignment</td>
<td>Aligns a given text transcript with an audio file producing time stamps for all words</td>
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<td>Audio</td>
<td>Audio quality and classification</td>
<td>Classifies audio segments as music, noise, or speech, as well as giving details on the audio quality</td>
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<td>Audio fingerprint identification</td>
<td>Allows creation of an audio database for identifying audio segments</td>
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<td>Audio security</td>
<td>Identifies common security threats from audio captured</td>
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<td>Model</td>
<td>Language customization</td>
<td>Allows customization of language models used in speech-to-text operations</td>
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<td>Obtain additional information, such as facial expression, about detected faces</td>
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<td>Video</td>
<td>Keyframe</td>
<td>Identify keyframes</td>
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<td>Video/Image</td>
<td>Object</td>
<td>Recognize known objects in video</td>
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<td>ObjectClass</td>
<td>Recognize known object classes in video</td>
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<td>OCR</td>
<td>Run intelligent scene analysis to identify important</td>
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**MMAP Restful API**

The management layer comprises a set of Restful APIs to control and configure your media analytic and recording on the servers above. Although MMAP is licensed in batches of 100 analytics servers it can be expanded as required. The following functions are available via the API:

- **Folder management**
  - Merged view of folder
  - Get folder
  - Add or update a folder
  - Move a folder
  - Delete a folder

- **Camera management**
  - Get camera
  - Add or update a camera
  - Move a camera
  - Delete a camera

- **Channel management**
  - Get channel
  - Add or update a channel
  - Move a channel
  - Delete a channel

- **Recorder management**
  - Get recorder
  - Add or update a recorder
  - Delete a recorder

- **Source recording**
  - Get source status
  - Assign Source
  - Unassign source
  - Camera recording status
  - Start recording
  - Stop recording
  - Channel recording status
  - Start recording
  - Stop recording
• HLS streaming
  – Get a HLS playlist
  – Get a HLS video segment
• Keyframes
  – Get a list of keyframes
  – Get a keyframe image
• Video clipping
  – Extract video clip
  – Create video clip
  – Download video clip
• Frame extraction
  – Extract frame image

**HTML5 visualization widgets**

HPE MMAP comes with three visualization widgets designed to work together synchronously in HTML5-based applications:

• Media player
• Timeline widget
• Transcription widget
These widgets are supplied with the ability to integrate at multiple levels of the technology stack to suit the media analytics application requirements and include levels up to and including a sample application. Automatic time synchronization between each widget and its content gives a dynamic user experience without the need for complex coding within the application itself.

**HPE Media player**

The HPE Media player (requires Chrome browser) extends functionality beyond the standard HTML5 video element. It will automatically load in applications and does not require acknowledgement or acceptance as a plug-in, simplifying the user experience.
HPE Timeline widget

The **HPE Timeline widget** provides navigation within the media stream as well as visualization of activity. It directly controls the media available in the **HPE Media player** and exposes the advanced features such as UTC time seeking, reverse play back and frame accuracy. The HPE Timeline widget can also be used with native media player elements that do not support the advanced features.

HPE Transcription widget

The **HPE Transcription widget** displays transcriptions generated by the speech-to-text analytics, highlighting the words in the content that are being spoken in the media player.
## HPE Media SKUs

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<td>HPE MMAP 100 analysis servers</td>
<td>HTML media widgets, media management APIs, and 100 media servers enabled for audio and video recording only. These servers can be upgraded with analytics using the products below.</td>
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<td>H9L88AAE</td>
<td>Visual server</td>
<td>Enables all video and image analytics for use on image files or video files and streams. This is a functional upgrade to any media server.</td>
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<td>Enables ANPR, face, and event analytics specifically for CCTV camera streams. This is a functional upgrade to any media server. Supplied in packs of 10.</td>
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Note: SKUs for perpetual licenses, support for Windows Server® (2012, 2008) and Linux® (CentOS, Ubuntu) 64 bit OS.

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