## **Step 1: Set Up the Hardware**

#### **Components Needed:**

- 1. Raspberry Pi (any model with GPIO support)
  - Ensure it has Raspbian OS installed.
- 2. DHT11 Sensor (Temperature and Humidity)
- 3. Soil Moisture Sensor
  - Connect through an MCP3008 ADC for analog-to-digital conversion.
- 4. MCP3008 ADC
  - Required for soil moisture sensor data.
- 5. Jumper wires and a breadboard for wiring.

#### **Connections:**

- 1. DHT11 Sensor:
  - $\circ$  VCC  $\rightarrow$  3.3V
  - $\circ$  GND  $\rightarrow$  Ground
  - $\circ$  Data  $\rightarrow$  GPIO4
- 2. MCP3008 (SPI):
  - $\circ$  VDD/VREF  $\rightarrow$  3.3V
  - $\circ$  **GND**  $\rightarrow$  **Ground**
  - $\circ$  CLK  $\rightarrow$  GPIO11 (SCLK)
  - $\circ$  **DOUT**  $\rightarrow$  **GPIO9** (MISO)
  - $\circ$  DIN  $\rightarrow$  GPIO10 (MOSI)
  - $\circ$  CS  $\rightarrow$  GPIO8 (CE0)
- 3. Soil Moisture Sensor:
  - Connect the analog output to CH0 of MCP3008.

## **Step 2: Install Necessary Python Libraries**

### On the Raspberry Pi:

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    Update and upgrade your system:

            bash
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            sudo apt update && sudo apt upgrade

    Install required Python libraries:

            bash
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            sudo pip3 install Adafruit-DHT spidev paho-mqtt

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## Step 3: Write Python Code for Sensor Data Collection

### 3.1 DHT11 Sensor Script

• Use the Adafruit\_DHT library to read temperature and humidity. Example:

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• import Adafruit_DHT
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• DHT_SENSOR = Adafruit_DHT.DHT22
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• DHT_PIN = 4 # GPIO pin
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humidity, temperature = Adafruit_DHT.read_retry(DHT_SENSOR,
DHT_PIN)
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print(f"Temperature: {temperature}°C, Humidity:
{humidity}%")
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#### 3.2 Soil Moisture Script Using MCP3008

• Use the **spidev** library to read from the MCP3008 ADC. Example:

#### python

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• import spidev

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- def read\_channel(channel):
- adc = spi.xfer2([1, (8 + channel) << 4, 0])</pre>
- data = ((adc[1] & 3) << 8) + adc[2]
- return data

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- spi = spidev.SpiDev()
- spi.open(0, 0) # Bus 0, Device 0
- soil\_moisture = read\_channel(0)
- print(f"Soil Moisture Level: {soil\_moisture}")

## **Step 4: Configure AWS IoT Core**

### 4.1 Create an IoT Thing

- 1. Log in to AWS Management Console → Navigate to IoT Core.
- 2. Create a new Thing.
- 3. Download the certificates (private key, device certificate, and root CA).

### 4.2 Set Up an MQTT Topic

- 1. Define a topic (e.g., raspberrypi/sensors).
- 2. Attach an IoT policy to allow publish/subscribe actions.

# **Step 5: Write MQTT Publishing Script**

- 1. Use the paho-mqtt library to connect to AWS IoT Core.
- 2. Publish sensor data as a JSON payload:

#### python

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- import paho.mqtt.client as mqtt
- import ssl
- import time

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- # AWS IoT details
- ENDPOINT = "<Your-AWS-IoT-Endpoint>"
- CLIENT\_ID = "RaspberryPi"
- TOPIC = "raspberrypi/sensors"

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- # Certificates
- PATH\_TO\_CERT = "path/to/cert.pem.crt"
- PATH\_TO\_KEY = "path/to/private.pem.key"
- PATH\_TO\_ROOT\_CA = "path/to/AmazonRootCA1.pem"

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- # Connect to AWS IoT
- client = mqtt.Client(CLIENT\_ID)

## **Step 6: Deploy AWS Lambda for Data Processing**

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1. Create an AWS Lambda function:
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• Use Python as the runtime.

• Write Lambda code to process incoming MQTT messages:

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python
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import json

def lambda_handler(event, context):
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- print("Received data:", event)
- # Process and store the data (e.g., in DynamoDB)

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- 3. Attach the Lambda function to an IoT Rule:
  - Trigger the function when data is published to raspberrypi/sensors.

## **Step 7: Configure AWS IoT TwinMaker**

- 1. Create a TwinMaker workspace.
- 2. Define entities and components to represent your system:
  - Example: RaspberryPiEntity → SensorComponents (temperature, humidity, soil moisture).
- 3. Use the processed data to update digital twin entities in real-time.

## **Step 8: Test the System**

- 1. Run your Python script on the Raspberry Pi:
  - Ensure it reads sensor data and publishes it to AWS IoT Core.
- 2. Verify:
  - o Data in AWS IoT MQTT Test Client.
  - Lambda function execution and logs.
  - Real-time updates in AWS IoT TwinMaker.