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# **Abstract**

The near about 20% of the total population loses their lives due to interrupted health monitoring system i.e. in most of the hospitals, doctor visits patients either in morning shift or in evening shift or in both shifts. What happens if patient's health becomes critical in between that interval or when a doctor is not available with a patient. The answer is; a patient may lose her\his life. So to avoid this critical situation; we are proposing a smart embedded system device which monitors patients health continuously. This system monitors patients heart rate, body temperature and if any of the above parameters goes beyond the threshold value, this smart device informs doctors or care taker and ask for corrective actions to save patients life.

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## **Abbreviations**

<b>NLP</b>	<b>Natural Language Processing</b>
<b>ML</b>	<b>Machine Learning</b>
<b>AIML</b>	<b>Artificial Intelligence Markup Language</b>



# **Chapter 1**

## **INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 Introduction**

This project is significant in various ways because in today's world, everyday many lives are affected because the patients are not timely and properly operated. Also for real time parameter values are not efficiently measured in clinic as well as in hospitals. Sometimes it becomes difficult for hospitals to frequently check patient's conditions. Also continuous monitoring of ICU patients is very difficult. To deal with these types of situations, our system is beneficial. Our system is designed to be used in hospitals and homes also for measuring and monitoring various parameters like temperature, heart rate, blood pressure. The results can be recorded using Arduino. Also the doctors can see those results on android app. The system will also generate an alert notification which will be sent to doctor. Our system is useful for monitoring health system of every person through easily attach the device and record it. In which we can analysis patient's condition through their past data, we will recommend medicines if any emergency occurred through symbolic A.I.

## 1.2 Objectives

The objectives of our project are as follows :

- Internet of Things (IoT) is the emerging technology, which contains huge amount of smart object and smart devices connected to the internet for communicating with each other.
- In this project to analyze and compute the patient health we are using Arduino Uno.
- These smart devices are used to collect temperature, blood pressure, heartbeat etc., which are used to evaluate the health condition of the patient.
- The final results are displayed on the android device, on web server and also the results are sent to the user through SMS.
- These data results can be stored in data base centre which can be invoked from remote
- Location at any time in an emergency case of patient without delaying the time  
This project may play vital role in saving the patient life at emergency time since "Time is life" .

## 1.3 Purpose, Scope, and Applicability

Purpose, Scope and Applicability: The description of Purpose, Scope, and Applicability are given below:

### 1.3.1 Purpose

The advent of Internet of Things (IoT) technologies facilitates the progress of healthcare from face-to-face consulting to telemedicine. This paper

proposes Healthcare Monitoring system in IoT environment that can monitor a patient's basic health signs as well as the room condition where the patients are now in real-time.

### **1.3.2 Scope**

By using IoT enabled devices doctors can monitor patients in real-time. Thus, the process of real-time monitoring at distinct places can help patients cut down not-so-necessary visits to doctors, hospital stays and re-admissions.

### **1.3.3 Applicability**

This system also shows patients temperature and heartbeat tracked live data with timestamps over the Internet. Thus healthcare monitoring system based on IoT uses internet to effectively monitor patient health and helps the user monitoring their loved ones from work and saves lives.

## **1.4 Achievements**

The following goals were achieved:

One of the greatest advantages of IoT in healthcare is that efficient autonomous systems will cost less to manage and 'employ' in the long run. Things are even better when it comes to patient cost savings due to fewer hospital journeys as well as accelerated diagnostics and treatment.

## Chapter 2

# LIRERATURE SURVEY

In this chapter we survey previous research done on Healthcare Monitoring System using IOT, we have studied about following papers published by some experts.

SR NO.	Research paper Name	Requirements of project in Research paper	Objectives
1.	Analysis is on Healthcare System Using IOT, IJTSRD Volume:3   Issue:4   May-June2019	Hardware: 1.Temperature Sensor(L25) 2.ESP8266 (wifi Module) 3. Heartbeat Sensor Software: 1.Arduino IDE 2.Thinger.io cloud	The basic aim of this health care monitoring system is to get the online data on time about the patient and interpret these data by using Iot Platform.
2	Analysis of Different IOT based Healthcare Monitoring System ,IJITEE ISSN:2278-3075, Volume - 8, Issue6S2, April 2019	Hardware: 1.Heartbeat sensor 2.Temperature sensor 3.Body sensor 4.Ardino Uno 5.Power supply Software: Arduino IDE	The basic Aim of this Health Care monitoring system is the Iot system which can analyze and provide information to a patient to anytime in any location.

## Chapter 3

# REQUIREMENTS AND ANALYSIS

### 3.1 Problem Statement

Standing in queues and travelling a distance can be very hectic for getting small queries answered regarding academics and admission. AS everything is online these days there can be facility made available online for these purpose also. Interactive question - answering systems allows us to concentrate on the interaction between the user and the program and not just the question-answering. These systems allow either the user to drive the dialogue or the system to play a greater role by suggesting related materials or even refinements to a user's query. When questions such as "Who is the principal of college?" and "What is the time table of FE?" are posed to a question-answering system, the program should return the answers it finds in documents rather than just returning a link to a document that may contain the answer as search engines do.

### 3.2 Requirements Specification

- Application must have a module for login using unique credentials of a patient for the doctor to monitor patient's vital data.
- Application must have a module for login using unique credentials of a patient for Guardian/Caretaker to monitor patient's vital data.
- Location Tracking: Application must have track location option with which doctor or guardian can track location of the patient.
- Location sender: Hardware must have a GPRS module to fetch location coordinates which can be used to track location of patient.

- Messaging Service: Hardware must have GSM module which send's SMS alert messages to doctor and guardians upon any emergencies. And application must send email alerts upon any emergencies
- Web application must be user friendly, simple and interactive.
- The user interface is designed in such way that novice users with little knowledge of web, should be able to access this application.
- Users are required to have some knowledge regarding Google maps.

### 3.3 Planning and Scheduling

Planning and scheduling is a complicated part of software development. Planning, for our purposes, can be thought of as determining all the small tasks that must be carried out in order to accomplish the goal. Planning also takes into account, rules, known as constraints, which, control when certain tasks can or cannot happen. Scheduling can be thought of as determining whether adequate resources are available to carry out the plan.

### 3.4 Software and Hardware Requirements

The software and hardware requirements necessary to implement the Healthcare Monitoring System using IOT are stated below

#### *Hardware Requirement:*

- *Microcontroller: Arduino Uno Board*
- *Sensors: Temperature(LM35), GSM Module, GPRS Module, Heartbeat, BP*
- *Processor: Pentium IV or higher*
- *Processor speed: 1.6GHz*
- *RAM: 512 MB*
- *Disk Space: 250 MB or higher*

#### *Software Requirements:*

- Operating System: Windows 7 or higher

- Platform: IoT Cloud
- IDE: Arduino 1.8.4
- Database: MySQL
- Technologies used: Java, SQL

### **3.5 Preliminary Product Description**

As main focus is monitoring the health of patient, Thus the system should always have a connection between the user and the Healthcare Monitoring System using IOT.The patients gets monitored by the system and also the system helps in speedy recovery of the patient. As per the Doctor's observation to the readings of the patient, it easily helps them to treat the patients.

### 3.6 Conceptual Models

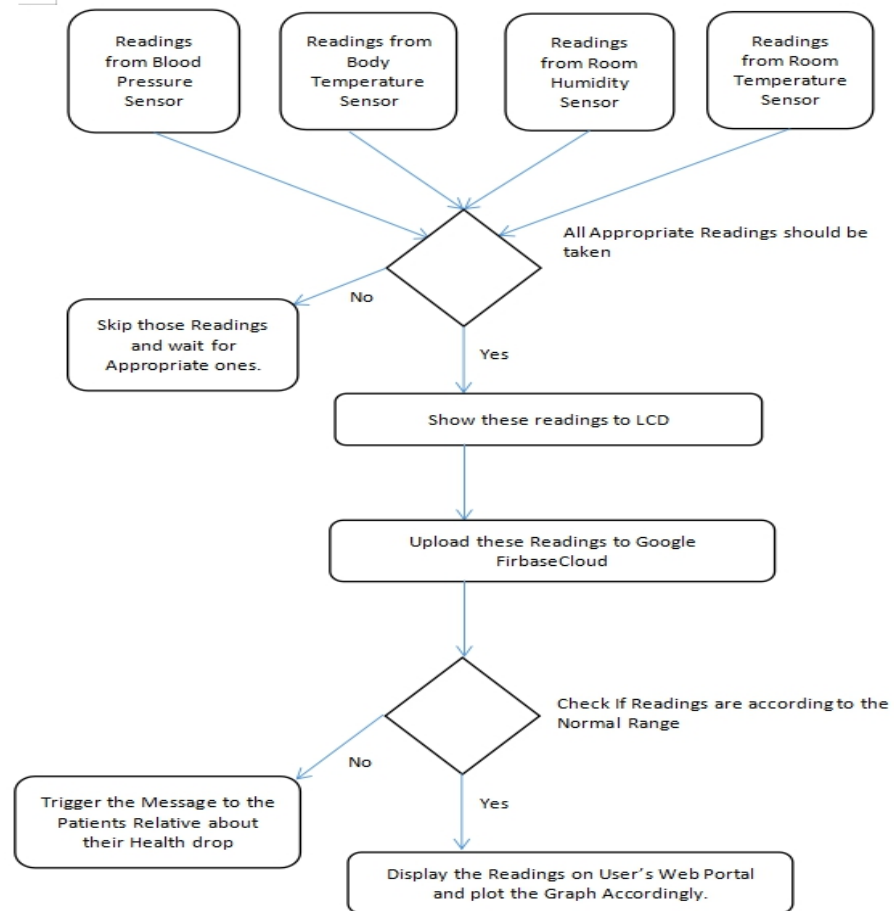


Figure 3.2: Activity Diagram



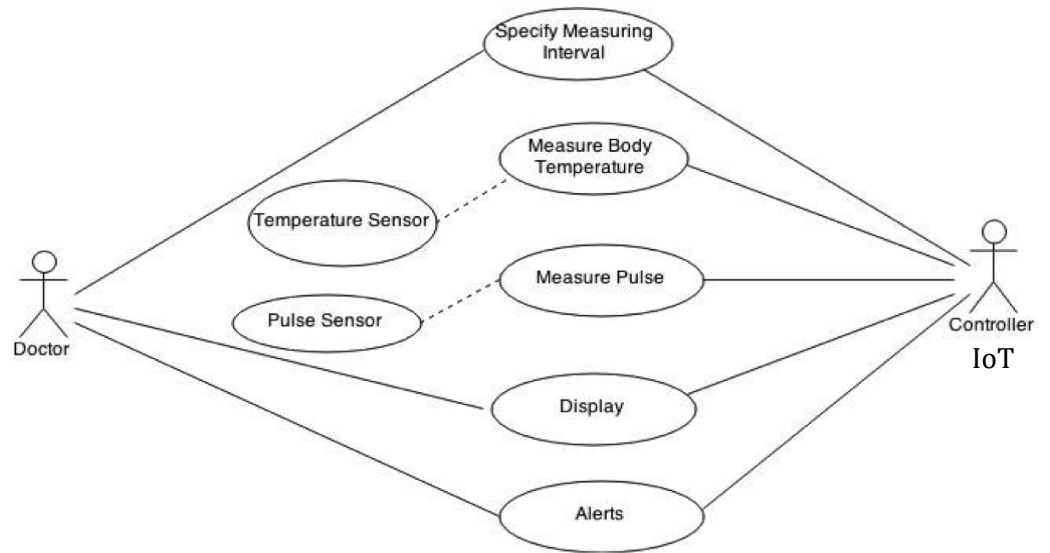


Figure 3.3: Use Case Diagram

# Chapter 4

## SYSTEM DESIGN

Describes desired features and operations in detail, including screen layouts, business rules, process diagrams, pseudo code and other documentation.

### 4.1 Basic Modules

- Invalid Input:

Sometimes the user may use slangs or words that are not defined in English . Such non-standard phrases can affect the outcome and performance of the result of the Healthcare Monitoring System using IOT.

- Keyword Identification:

In some cases, there may be more than one keywords to the user query and the system will have to choose only one from them for further action. This may affect the overall accuracy of the response.

## **4.2 Security Issues**

- Security testing refers to ensuring that the system will protect its data from unauthorized access and modification and that it will continue to behave as expected.
- Authorisation has been used to ensure that users have access to pages that they are supposed to of the system.
- The system shall not store or process any information about its users. Exceptions should be reported effectively to the user if they occur.

# Chapter 5

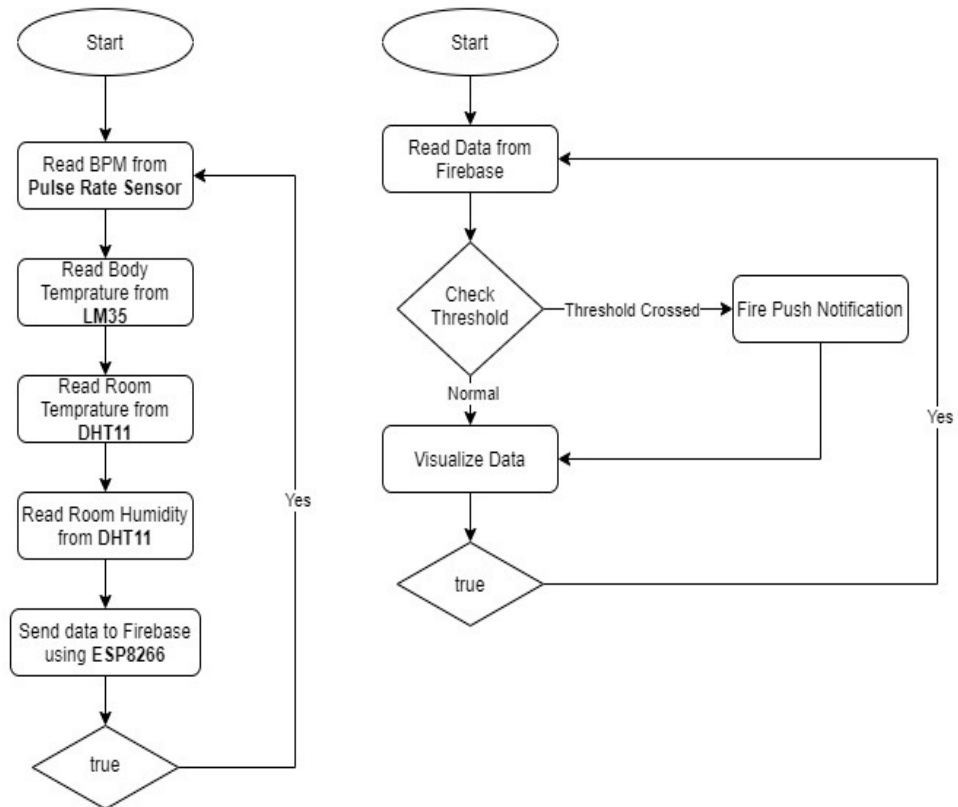
## Implementation

### 5.1 Implementation Approaches

In this project The Arduino Uno will Read data from pulse Rate sensor ,Temperature Sensor and Humidity Sensor and send it to the smart healthcare portal where real time data will be displayed in Graphical Representation.

Historical Data is also stored and can be accessed using History page . The data sent from Arduino will be Checked against optimal body parameters.

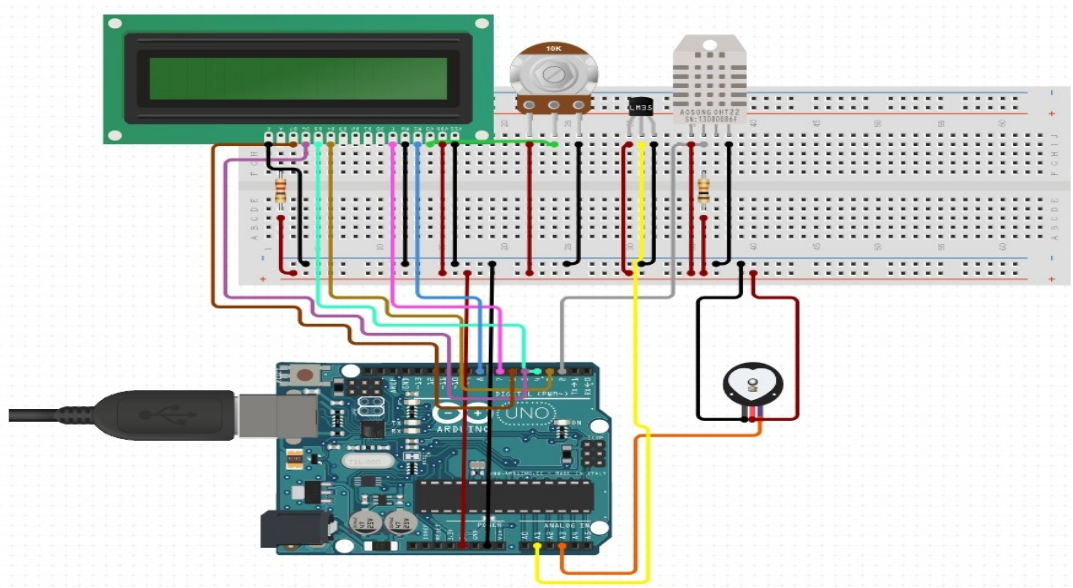
Whenever the pulse rate or body Temperature or Humidity rises above or falls below the optimal parameter ,the Smart Health care Portal will Notify The User Of The Patient Condition Via . Push Notification. It has been developed with Arduino microcontroller connected with sensors which are attached to the patient. All the sensors and location data sent from microcontroller to MySQL database into the cloud. A doctor or guardian can log in to web portal to monitor patient's data at any point in time. In case of emergencies, like temperature spike or heartbeat spike, an SMS and email alert sent to doctor and guardian's mobile and email respectively. And at any point of time either a doctor or guardian can log into web portal with patient unique credentials and can track patient's location which would help medical services to send appropriate help in case of emergencies.



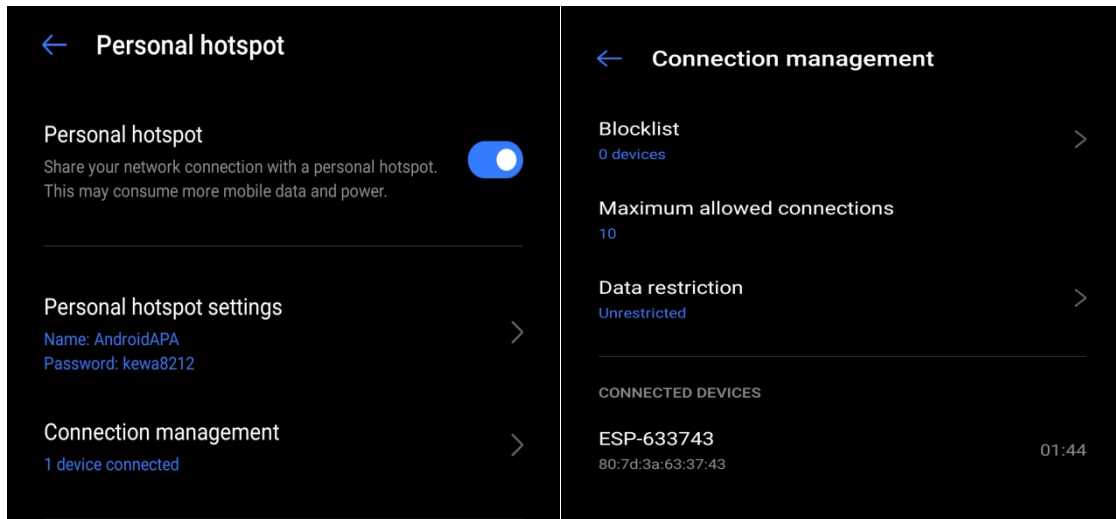
WorkFlow Diagram

### 5.1 Connections:

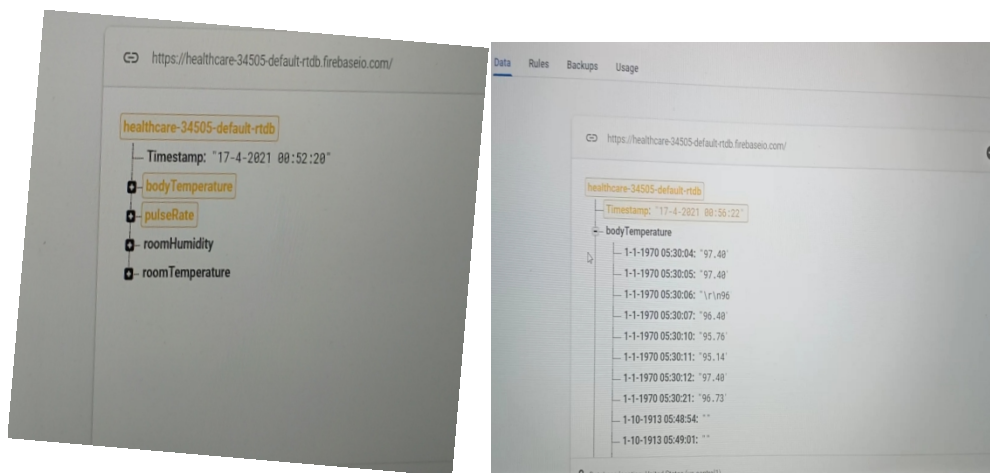
Step1 : Firstly ,connect the required components to Aurdino UNO using wires and breadboard as shown in figure.



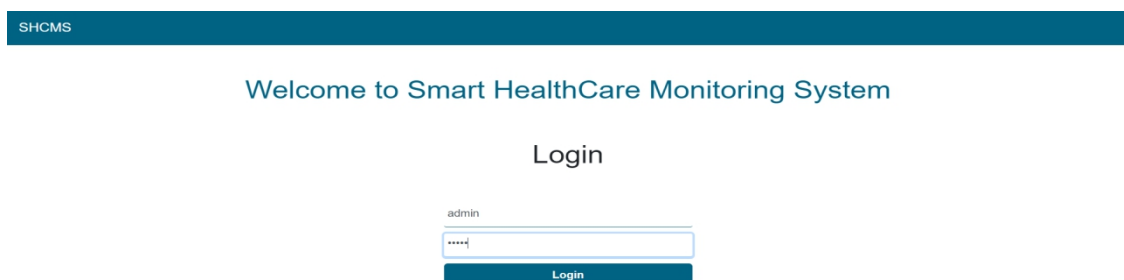
Step 2 : We need to connect the Wifi to patients mobile hotspot thus enabling the upload of data to the Google Firebase Cloud as shown in figure.

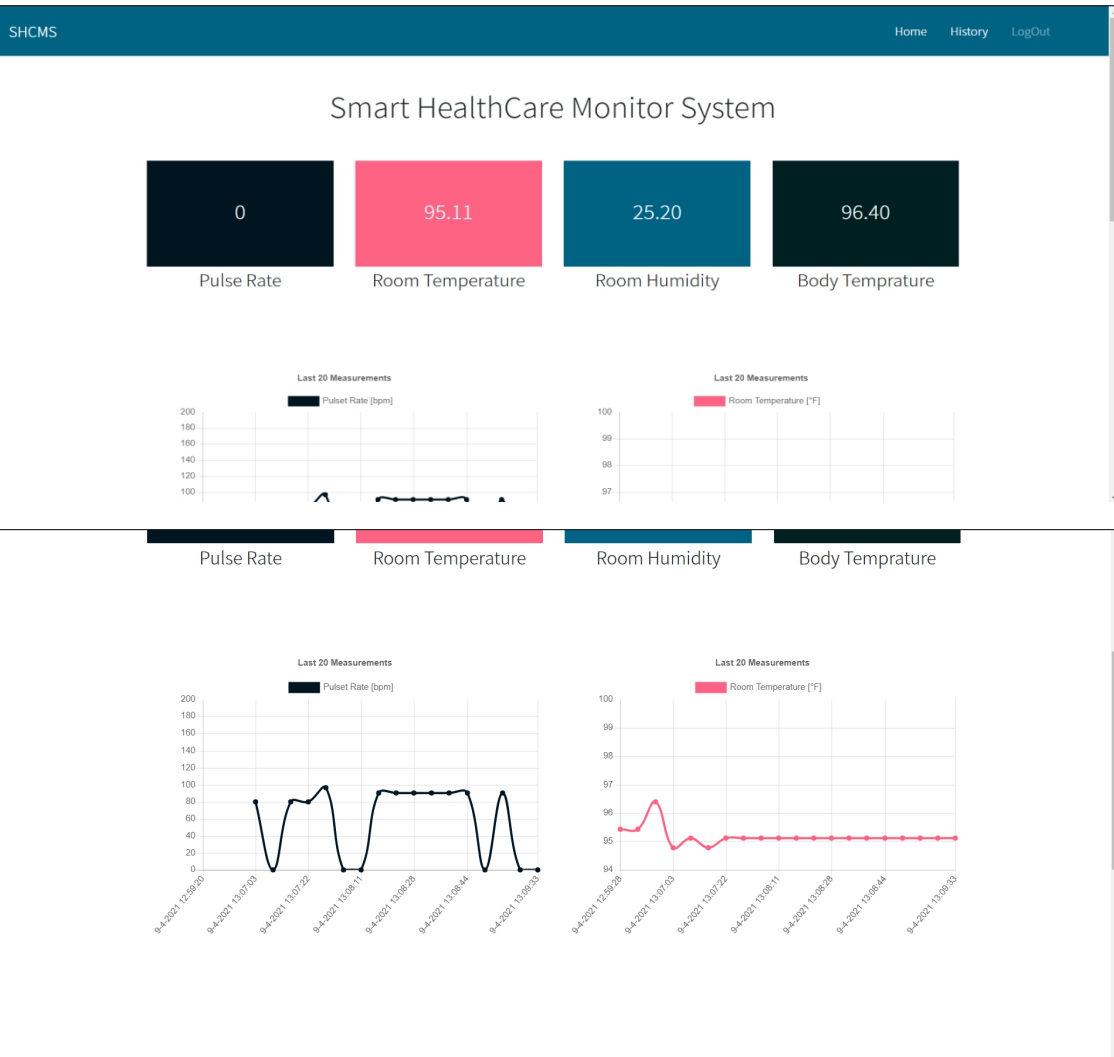


Step 3 : Log in to your Firebase Account and check whether the readings are uploaded on Cloud or not. Also User can check the history of each Sensors Data.

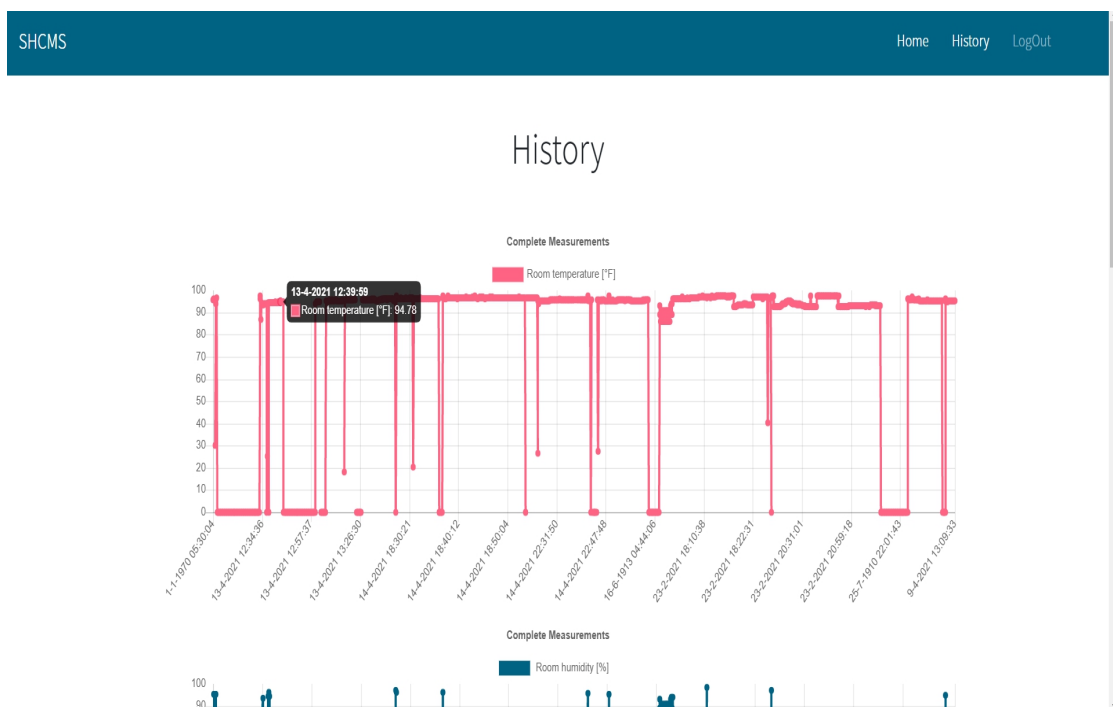


Step 4 : Log in to your Web Portal to check the detailed Graph Layout of Run time values.





We can also check the History :



## **Performance Testing :**

Performance of the system can be determined based on the system/application responsiveness under all kinds of load. Performance testing in IoT framework is little different than traditional performance testing. IoT devices generate a lot of data which is saved in server and analyzed for immediate decisions. Hence IoT system must be built for high performance and scalability. And to measure these two key attributes, it is important to understand the business value for which it is built i.e. in our case patient health data. Hence it is necessary to simulate real world models, network conditions etc.

## **Performance Testing Challenges in IoT :**

1. IoT does not have a standard protocol set to establish a connection between IoT application and devices. IoT protocols used range from HTTP, MQTT, AMQP and more.

These protocols are still in early phases of development and different IoT vendors come up with specific protocol standards. Since these are new protocols, current performance testing tools may or may not support them.

2. IoT devices or sensors spread across different places and use different network to connect to servers to send and receive data. As a part of PT, we can simulate devices from different locations using different networks such as 2G, 3G, 4G, Bluetooth, WIFI etc.

3. Sometimes IoT implementations require the data from device that needs to be processed at runtime and based on data received, corresponding decision to be made. These decisions are generally notifications or alerts. As a part of PT, these notifications are to be monitored i.e. time taken to generate the notification.

## **Performance Test Cases :**

Following are the scenarios where performance testing can be performed on IoT framework.

1. Device to device communication
2. Device to server communication
3. Server to server communication
4. Network bandwidth, latency and packet loss



Based on above scenarios and focusing the scope of this project, below are the performance

test cases that are tested on this project.

### **Fault Tolerance :**

There is chance that any of the above test cases fails in this architecture. Sometimes sensors may get damaged, run out of power, communication between GSM module and server may be interrupted due to unavailability of network, GPRS module may not fetch location coordinates or relaying information from board to server may be delayed due to network unavailability. Fault tolerance is an ability to sustain sensor network functionalities without any interruptions due to failures in sensors, network etc.

In case of sensor failures, data fetched from other sensors would be sent to server along with notification of failure in any of sensor. And if there is any GSM network failure, WIFI module can be installed along with GSM module which would effectively send the data to server without any failures in delaying and sends an email alert in case of emergencies but not SMS alerts. In

case of GPRS module failure, only last known location will be shown on web page, and SOS feature can be implemented in the device which would be used to find location of the patient.

### **Servicing and Maintenance Cost :**

Of late, there are rapid technological advancements that would require continuous upgradation of the IoT-based devices from time to time. Every IoT-based system involves a large number of connected medical devices and sensors. This involves high maintenance, servicing, and upgradation costs that may impact the financials of not only the company but also the end-users. Hence, the inclusion of sensors that can be operated with a lower maintenance cost is required.

#### **5.2. Power Consumption**

Most of the HIoT devices run on battery. Once a sensor is put on, the replacement of the battery is not easy. Hence, a high-power battery was used to power such a system. However, currently, researchers worldwide are trying to design healthcare devices that can generate power for themselves. One such potential solution may be the integration of

the IoT system with renewable energy systems. These systems can help in alleviating the global energy crisis to a certain extent.

### **Standardization :**

In the healthcare industry, a large number of vendors are manufacturing a varying range of products. Most of these products claim to follow standard rules and protocols in the design process. However, there is a lack of validity. Hence, the construction of a dedicated group is required that can standardize these IoT devices based on the communication protocols, data aggregation, and gateway interfaces. The validation and standardization of electronic medical records (EMRs) recorded by the IoT devices are also to be considered extensively. This can be achieved when various organizations and standardization bodies such as Information Technology and Innovation Foundation (IETF), the European Telecommunications Standards Institute (ETSI), the Internet Protocol for Smart Objects (IPSO), and so on can collaborate with the researchers to form working groups for the standardization of the devices.

### **Data Privacy and Security :**

The integration of cloud computing has transformed the idea of real-time monitoring. But, this also has made healthcare networks more vulnerable to cyberattacks. This may lead to mishandling of patients' valuable information and may affect the process of treatment. To prevent an IoT system from this malicious attack, several preventive measures must be taken while designing a system. The medical and sensing devices included in an IoT network must evaluate and employ identity authentication, secure booting, fault tolerance, authorization management, whitelisting, password encryption, and secure pairing protocols to avoid an attack. Similarly, the network protocols such as Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, Zigbee, and so on must be integrated with secured routing mechanisms and message integrity verification techniques. Since IoT is a connected network where each user is linked to the server, any glitch in the security services of IoT may compromise the privacy of the patient. This could be fixed with the creation of a more secure environment through the integration of advanced and protected algorithms and cryptographies. The medical and sensing devices included in an IoT network must evaluate and employ identity authentication, secure booting, fault tolerance, authorization management, whitelisting.

## **Scalability :**

Scalability represents the ability of a healthcare device that can adapt to the changes in the environment. A system with higher scalability works smoothly without any delay and makes efficient use of the available resources. Hence, it is crucial to design a device with higher scalability. This further makes a system more efficient for present and future uses. An IoT system is the interconnection of different medical devices, sensors, and actuators, which are used to share information through the Internet. The lack of uniformity among the connected devices of an IoT system decreases the scalability of the system and hence must be managed efficiently.

## **Identification :**

Healthcare professionals deal with multiple patients and caregivers at the same time. Similarly, when a patient deals with multiple health issues, he interacts with multiple doctors. Thus, it is crucial to exchange the identity of the patient, caregiver, and doctors among each other during a single treatment process to avoid confusion and maintain the smooth functioning of the healthcare system

Self-Configuration

The IoT devices must give more power to the users by including the feature like manual configuration. This will enable the users to change the system parameters according to the application demand and also with the change in the environmental conditions.

## **Continuous Monitoring :**

Many healthcare situations demand long-term monitoring of the patient during treatment as in the case of chronic diseases, heart diseases, etc. In such situations, the IoT device must be able to perform real-time monitoring efficiently.

## **Environmental Impact :**

The development of an IoT system requires the integration of various biomedical sensors with semiconductor-rich devices. The manufacturing and fabrication mostly require the use of earth metal and other toxic chemicals. This may create an adverse effect on the environment. Hence, a proper regulatory body must be created to control and regulate the manufacturing of the sensors. Further, more research must be devoted to making sensors using biodegradable materials.

Exploration of New Diseases

With the rapid growth in mobile technology, new healthcare apps are added with passing days. Though a large number of mobile apps are available for healthcare applications, the types of diseases for which these apps were designed are still limited. Hence, there is a need to include more diseases that were either neglected or got inadequate consideration in the past. This will add up to the diversity of the IoT applications.

## **Applications :**

The IoT services/concepts are used for the development of different IoT-based applications. Researchers working in the said fields have proposed different concepts to the service of mankind. In simple words, concepts are more developer-centric, whereas applications are user-centric. The rapid development in the IoT-technology has led to the development of more affordable and user-friendly wearable sensors, portable gadgets, and medical devices. These systems can be used to collect patient's information, diagnose diseases, monitor the health of the patients, and generate alerts in case of a medical emergency. In the following section, some of the most recent commercially available devices have been discussed. Further, various IoT-based applications have been addressed including both single condition and multiple conditions.

## **Chapter 6**

# **CONCLUSIONS**

### **6.1 Conclusion**

The proposed system of patient health monitoring can be highly used in emergency situations as it can be daily monitored, recorded and stored as a database. In future the IOT device can be combined with the cloud computing so that the database can be shared in all the hospitals for the intensive care and treatment.

### **6.2 Limitations of the System**

- Security and privacy remain a major concern deterring users from using IoT technology for medical purposes, as healthcare monitoring solutions have the potential to be breached or hacked. The leak of sensitive information about the patient's health and location and meddling with sensor data can have grave consequences, which would counter the benefits of IoT.
- Failure or bugs in the hardware or even power failure can impact the performance of sensors and connected equipment placing healthcare operations at risk. In addition, skipping a scheduled software update may be even more hazardous than skipping a doctor check-up.

### **6.3 Future Scope of the Project**

- Multiple parameter like retinal size ,age, and weight can be included as controlling parameter in the future .
- More than single patient at different place can be monitored using such system.
- Future Diagnosis can be performed via the same system.
- The interface can be designed to control which sensors can be used by consumers according to their needs.
- Website can be enhanced to perform several activities which include controlling the hardware, real-time graphs, history and analysis graphs to observe anomalies
- etc.

# Appendix A

## PROJECT REPORT STRUCTURE

The Healthcare monitoring system using IoT was researched, designed and presented the concept of the Internet of things. Personal physiological data from the patient is collected that simulates fall detection, heartbeat, temperature, BP, etc. sensors. The readings are collected in a simple cloud database and can be viewed remotely by a doctor or Healthcare giver. The data can also be used in research on medical issues affecting the elderly or chronically ill. On the security of the data, the database system is protected with Advanced Encryption Standard (AES). This generates the secret key which can be used to decrypt the patients' records ensuring that only authorized personnel access the data. This safeguards the patients' records from unauthorized users and hackers who may want to intercept.

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