

AgroSense_2 Channel CT Monitor LoRaWAN® Manual V1.0

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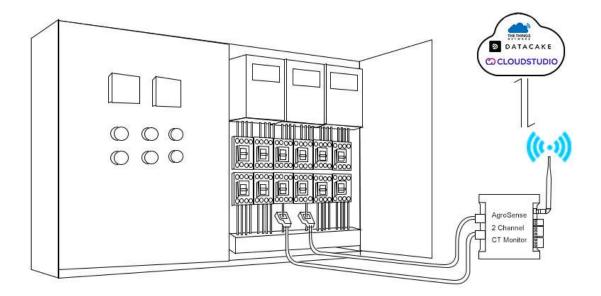
1 Product Description

1.1 Introduction

AgroSense 2-Channel LoRaWAN® CT Monitor integrates two non-intrusive clamp-on current transformers, two 0–5V analog inputs, and a high-precision temperature and humidity sensor into a single compact IoT device. Simply snap the CTs onto conductors—no power interruption or wiring modifications required—and begin monitoring energy consumption (default range: 100A /1V; customizable to other ranges with compatible interfaces) alongside environmental conditions. Reporting data once per minute over LoRaWAN® (up to 5 km line-of-sight), it delivers near-real-time insights for smart agriculture, industrial automation, and intelligent buildings, driving targeted efficiency improvements, cost savings, and optimized energy management.

The device complies with the LoRaWAN® V1.0.3 OTAA Class C standard and offers high sensitivity (-137 dBm) and strong anti-interference capability. It supports global frequency bands (EU868/US915) and works seamlessly with platforms such as TTN, Datacake, and CloudStudio to enable data upload and remote control.

Users can send downlink commands to adjust data reporting intervals. Local storage for 3,300+ records ensures critical data is retained during connectivity gaps.



1.2 Feature

- Includes 2-channel independently CT Monitor.
- Includes 2-channel 0-5V analog signal input.
- Integrates a high-accuracy temperature and humidity sensor.

- LoRaWAN version: LoRaWAN Specification 1.0.3. OTAA Class C.
- Monitor data and upload real-time data regularly.
- Modify the product parameters through **AT commands.**
- Support **downlink** to modify the time interval.
- Integrated data logging capability with a storage capacity of up to 3300 records.
- Compatible with Worldwide LoRaWAN® Networks: Support the universal frequency bands EU868/US915.
- Long Range: Up to 2 kilometers in the city, up to 10 kilometers in the wilderness, receive sensitivity -137dBm, transmit power up to 22dBm.
- **Data encryption:** Provide end-to-end secure communication, including device authentication and network data encryption, to ensure the security of data transmission and prevent data theft and malicious attacks.
- High stability and reliability: good stability in noisy environments, able to penetrate buildings and obstacles, so it can maintain good communication quality in urban and suburban environments.

1.3 Parameter

1. General Parameters

AGLW2CT01
-40°C ~80°C
±0.5°C
0.1°C
0%-100% RH
±2%
0.024% RH
12-bit ADC
1/4096
2
100A/1V
2

2.Wireless Parameters

Communication Protocol	Standard LoRaWAN® protocol V1.0.3
Network Access/Operating Mode	OTAA Class C
MAX Transmit Power	22dBm
Receiver Sensitivity	-137dBm/125kHz SF=12

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Frequency Band	EU868/US915

3.Physical Parameters

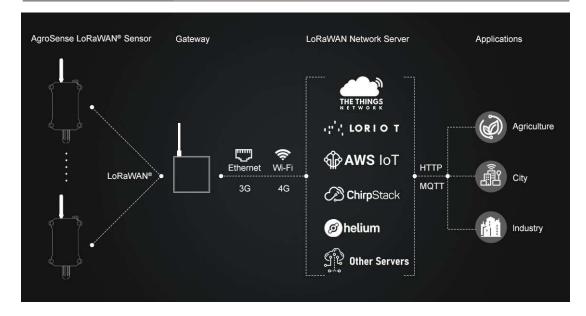
Power Supply	DC 12-24V
Operating Temperature	-40°C ~85°C
Dimensions	95 × 90 × 40 mm
Mounting	Wall Mounting

2 Technical route

2.1 System Framework

AgroSense_2 Channel CT Monitor uses LoRAWAN technology, and it network architecture includes four parts: End Nodes, Concentrator/Gateway, Network Server and Application Server.

End Nodes	It is responsible for collecting sensing data and then transmitting it to Gateway via the LoRaMAC protocol.
Concentrator/Gateway	It is mainly responsible for transmitting node data to the server.
Network Server	Organize the data into JSON packets and decode them.
Application Server	Display the data.



Uplink:

1.Data Collection & Transmission

Sensor data and transmits it to the Gateway via LoRaWAN® protocol.

2. Gateway Forwarding

The Gateway packages the raw data and forwards to the Network Server.

3.Data Decoding & Routing

The Network Server decodes the payload and forwards it to the designated Application Server.

4.User Monitoring

The Application Server processes the data and updates the user interface (APP), allowing real-time monitoring of data.

Downlink:

1.Command Generation

A downlink commands generated in the Network Server or Application Server through a predefined API/interface. (Example: Set sampling interval to 10 minute.)

2. Gateway Transmission

The command is encapsulated into a downlink packet and sent to the Gateway via the network.

3.End Node Execution

The Gateway transmits the downlink command to the target End Node using the wireless protocol. The End Node parses the command and performs the corresponding action (e.g., modify configuration).

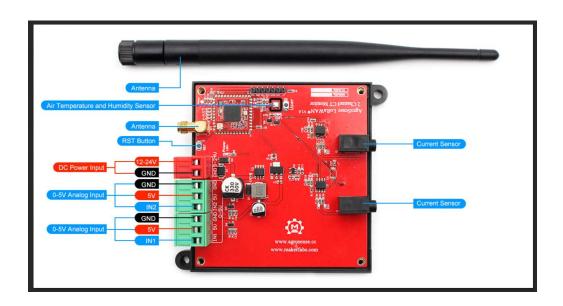
2.2 Regional frequency band

At the present moment, our product solely accommodates compatibility with the US915 and EU868.

area	frequency band	center frequency
China	470-510MHz	CN486MHz
America	902-928MHz	US915MHz
Europe	863-870MHz	EU868MHz
Korea	920-923MHz	KR922MHz
Australia	915-928MHz	AU923MHz
New Zealand	921-928MHz	NZ922MHz
Asia	920-923MHz	AS923MHz

3 Usage

3.1 Interface Specification



3.1.1 DC Power Input

AgroSense_2 Channel CT Monitor operates from an external DC power source.

Power Specifications	DC 12-24V ±10%
Terminal Definitions	12-24V: Positive terminal (power input)
	GND: Negative terminal (ground)

3.1.2 Dual-Channel 0-5V Analog Input

AgroSense_2 Channel CT Monitor provides 2-channel analog sensor interfaces (0-5V), enabling flexible deployment of analog signal-based sensors.(e.g.pressure, light intensity)

Sensor Power Output	5V ± 0.2V Max load current: 500mA
	GND: Negative terminal (ground)
Terminal Definitions	5V: Positive terminal (power output)
	IN1/IN2: (Signal Input)

3.1.3 Air Temperature & Humidity Detection

AgroSense_2 Channel CT Monitor integrates a high-precision temperature and humidity sensor AHT20, capable of monitoring and feedback of environmental parameters to provide data support for system regulation.

Temperature Sensor: -40°C to +85°C

Relative Humidity Sensor: 0% to 100% RH

3.1.4 TWO-Channel CT Monitor

AgroSense_2 Channel CT Monitor supports two independent, plug-and-play current detection channels, enabling users to begin monitoring energy consumption instantly without any wiring modifications.

3.2 Usage with TTN &ThingSpeak

In the phase, We use The Things Network(TTN) as data server, and Thingspeak as console to display data& control the relays.

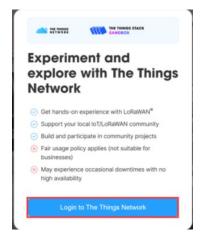
we need to configuration the country/area frequency, inputting DEV EUI/ APP EUI/ APP Key, decodes, and connect to ThingSpeak.

DEV EUI	Unique identification of device, authorized by IEEE
APP EUI	Unique identification of application
APP Key	One of the join network parameters on OTAA mode, calculated by DE EUI

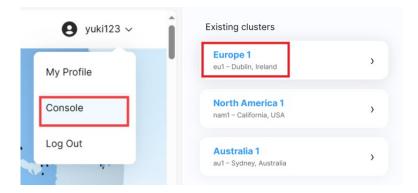
- End Nodes and Gateway: AgroSense_4 Channel Relay.(The AgroSense series is applicable)
- Network Server: The Things Network. (Datacake, Loriot, AWS IoT, ChirpStack, ect)
- Application Server: ThingSpeak.(Datacake, Blockbax, akenza, ect)

3.2.1 Network Server configuration

• Open The Things Network in your browser and login it. (Or register an account)



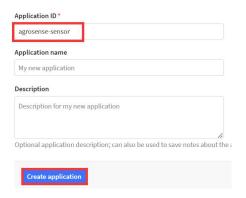
• Click "Console" and select clusters. (we take the European region for example.)



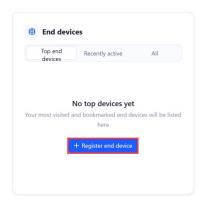
• Click "Go to applications" --> "+ Create application".



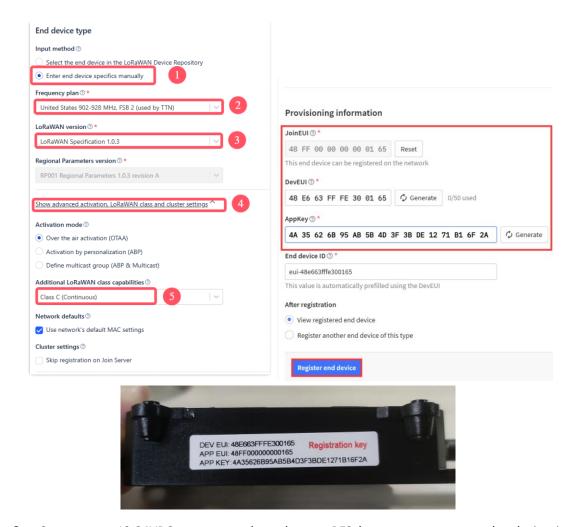
• Write the Application ID and click "Create application".



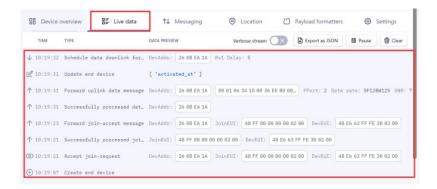
Click "+ Register and device".



 Fllowing the steps, select class C and input the DEV EUI/ APP EUI/ APP Key (notice: JoinEUI=APP EUI) and subsequently click on "Register end device" to complete the registration process.

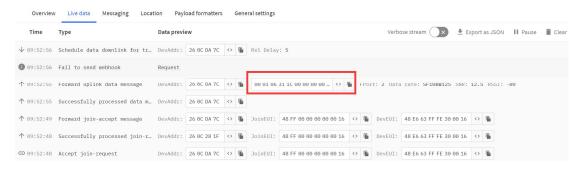


 Connects to 12-24VDC power supply and press RES button, you can see the device is connected successfully in the TTN.



3.2.2 Decoder

• Now, we need to decoder the data.



Data length	Data description	Value range	Explanation
byte 0	Data packet sequence number high 8 bits Data packet sequence number low 8 bits	0-0xFFFF	Counting starts from 0 and increments, resetting back to 0 after reaching 65535
byte 2 byte 3	ADC_1 bits 8 to 15 ADC_1 bits 0 to 7		The value is amplified by a factor of 10. To get the actual value, divide it by 10. For example, if the value is 0x21 (33), the actual voltage is 3.3 V
byte 4	ADC_2 bits 8 to 15 ADC_2 bits 0 to 7		The value is amplified by a factor of 10. To get the actual value, divide it by 10. For example, if the value is 0x21 (33), the actual voltage is 3.3 V
byte 6	Current_1 bits 8 to 15 Current_1 bits 0 to 7		- This value is obtained after magnifying the data by 1000 times.

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byte 8 byte 9	Current_2 bits 8 to 15 Current_2 bits 0 to 7	This value is obtained after magnifying the data by 1000 times.
	Humidity sensor bits	The value is amplified by a factor of 10. For example, if the value from the 8th
byte 10	8 to 15	to the 15th bit is 0x02, and the lower 8 bits value is 0x85, then the relative
	Humidity sensor bits	humidity value obtained is 0x00000285= 645. After converting and dividing by
byte 11	0 to 7	10, the actual relative humidity is 6.45%RH.
	Temperature sensor	The value is amplified by a factor of 10. For example, if the value from the 8th
byte 12	bits 8 to 15	to the 15th bit is 0x02, and the lower 8 bits value is 0x85, then the
h. 4. 42	Temperature sensor	Temperature value obtained is 0x00000285= 645. After converting and dividing
byte 13	bits 0 to 7	by 10, the actual Temperature is 6.45 $^{\circ}{\mathbb C}$.
	data transmission	
byte 14	interval bits 24 to 31	
	data transmission	
byte 15	interval bits 16 to 23	The time interval for data transmission has been increased by a factor of 1000.
	data transmission	The unit is seconds.
byte 16	interval bits 8 to 15	
	data transmission	
byte 17	interval bits 0 to 7	
		Downlink
Frank 1	Change the data	
Fport 1	sending interval	
	Upload the quantity	
Fport 5	of the latest local	
	logged data	

Example:0x00 0x8C 0x00 0x08 0x00 0x20 0x01 0x40 0x00 0x40 0x01 0xCC 0x01 0x15 0x00 0x00 0xEA 0x60

Data parsing:

ADC1 value is 1.0v

ADC2 value is 3.2v

Current_1 is 0.5v

Current_2 is 0.1v

Humility value is 46.1%

Temperature value is 27.8 °C

Data transmission interval value is 60s

Know how to decode it after, we need to write it in code. (You can check it out on <u>Github</u>)

```
// This file contains the uplink and downlink for ttn
// Uplink
function decodeUplink(input) {
  var bytes = input.bytes;

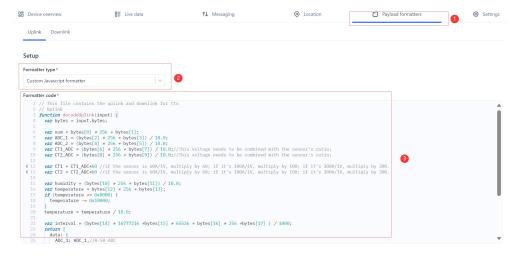
  var num = bytes[0] * 256 + bytes[1];
  var ADC_1 = (bytes[2] * 256 + bytes[3]) / 10.0;
  var ADC_2 = (bytes[4] * 256 + bytes[5]) / 10.0;
```

var CT1 = CT1_ADC*60 //if the sensor is 60A/1V, multiply by 60; if it's 100A/1V, multiply by 100; if it's 300A/1V, multiply by 300.

var CT2 = CT2_ADC*60 //if the sensor is 60A/1V, multiply by 60; if it's 100A/1V, multiply by 100; if it's 300A/1V, multiply by 300.

```
var humidity = (bytes[10] * 256 + bytes[11]) / 10.0;
var temperature = bytes[12] * 256 + bytes[13];
if (temperature >= 0x8000) {
  temperature -= 0x10000;
}
temperature = temperature / 10.0;
var interval = (bytes[14] * 16777216 +bytes[15] * 65536 + bytes[16] * 256 +bytes[17] ) / 1000;
return {
  data: {
     ADC_1: ADC_1,//0-5V ADC
    ADC_2: ADC_2,//0-5V ADC
    CT1: CT1,//A
     CT2: CT2,//A
     temperature: temperature,
     humidity: humidity,
     interval: interval
  warnings: [],
  errors: []
};
```

• Select "Payload formatters" and follow the steps.





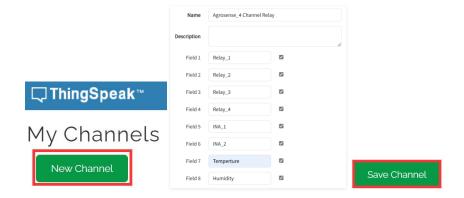
3.2.3 Application Server configuration

In the Application Server configuration, we need to create ThingSpeak channel and get Channel ID and API Key, this is the key to our connection to TTN.

Login to the ThingSpeak. (Or register an account)



• Click "New Channel", fill in the Channel name and field names and click "Save Channel".



• After successful creation, copy the Channel ID and API Key.



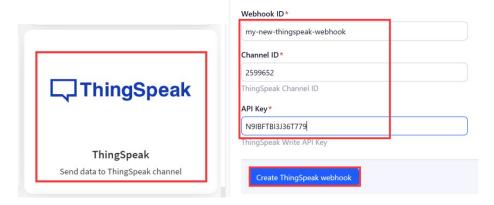
3.2.4 Connect the Network Server and Application Server

• In the TTN, click "integrations" --> "Webhooks" --> "+ Add webhook".

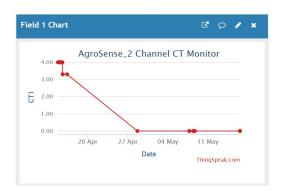
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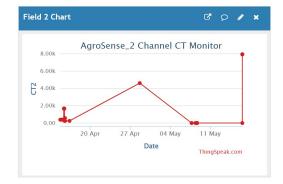


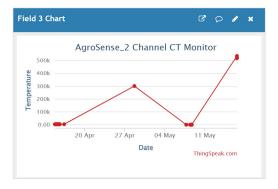
 Select "ThingSpeak", Fill in the Webhook ID and paste the Channel ID and API Key, click "Create ThingSpeak Webhook".



Press RST button, wait about a minute, you will successfully see the data in ThingSpeak.(You will recive the data every hour.)









3.2.5 Downlink

The downlink has two functions:

Modification time interva (Fport1)

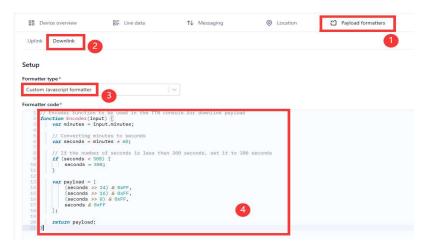
Modify the time interval for uploading data, the default is one hour.

• Upload the quantity of the latest local logged data (Fport5)

Modify the time interval:

1 . If you need to change time Interval (Default 1 minutes), you can click "Payload formatters-->Downlink" and follow the steps.

Formatter code you can find in **Github**.



2、Click "Save changes".

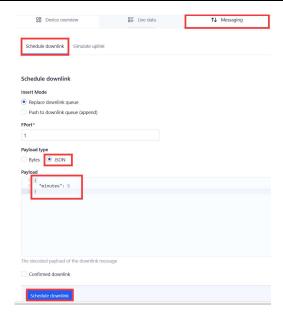


3、Click "Messaging-->Schedule downlink".

Note: you must use this format:

```
{
    "minutes": 5
}
```

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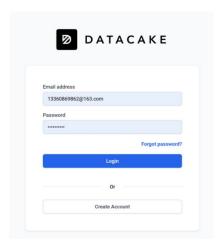


 $4\sqrt{100}$ The modified interval will be updated after the next data upload.

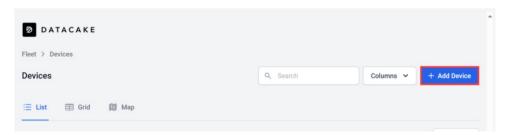
3.3 Usage with Datacake

In this phase, we use DataCake(https://datacake.co/) as the data server & console.

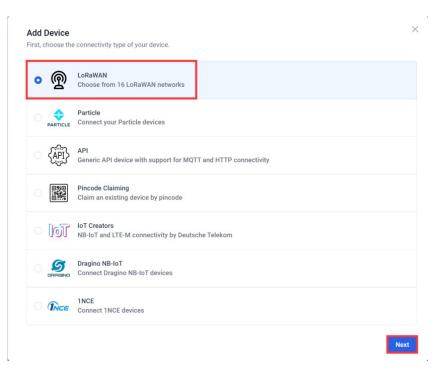
1、Login datacake or Create Account



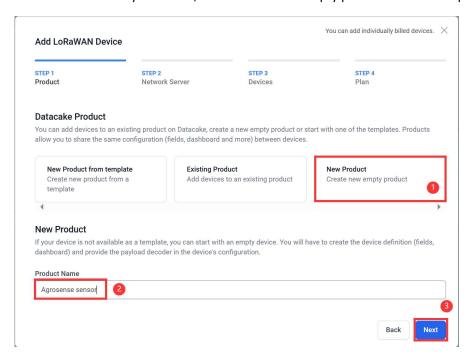
2、Click "Add Device"



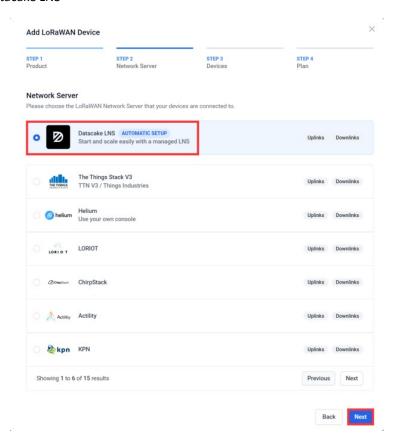
3、Select LoRaWAN and click "Next"



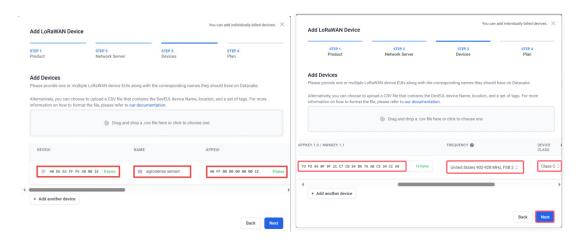
4. Select a Product based on your needs, take "Create new empty product" as an example.



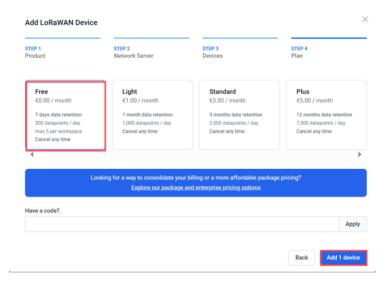
5、Select "Datacake LNS"



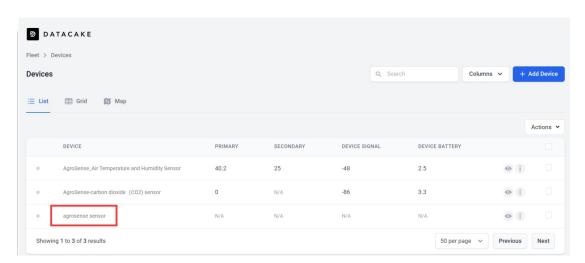
6、Enter DEVEUI、APPEUI、APPKEY、FREQUENCY(take 915 for example) and DEVICE CLASS.



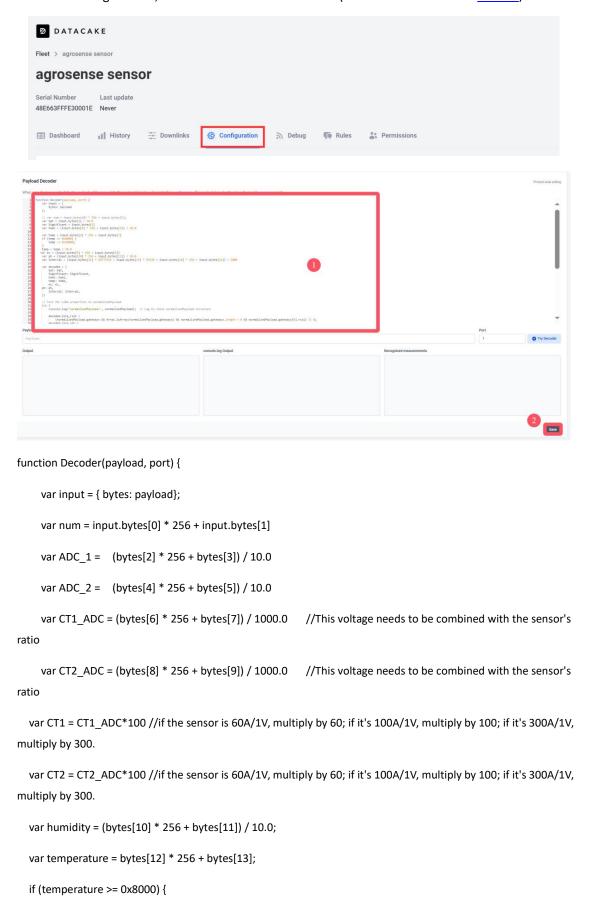
7. Choose the type according to your needs, and click "Add 1 device".



8. Click to go to the device you just added.



9、Click "Configuration", enter Decoder and click "Save".(You can check it out on Guihub)



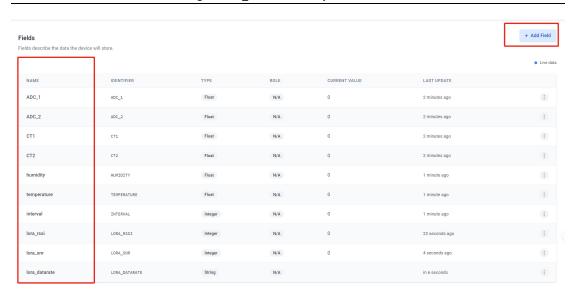
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temperature -= 0x10000;
  }
  temperature = temperature / 10.0;
    var interval = (input.bytes[14]* 16777216 + input.bytes[15]* 65536 + input.bytes[16] * 256 + input.bytes[17])
/ 1000
    var decoded =
    {
         ADC 1:ADC 1,
         ADC_2:ADC_2,
         CT1:CT1,
         CT2:CT2,
          temperature:temperature,
          humidity:humidity,
          interval:interval,
    };
    // Test for LoRa properties in normalizedPayload
 try {
  if (normalizedPayload.gateways && normalizedPayload.gateways.length > 0) {
    decoded.lora_rssi = normalizedPayload.gateways[0].rssi | | 0;
    decoded.lora_snr = normalizedPayload.gateways[0].snr | | 0;
  } else {
    decoded.lora_rssi = 0;
    decoded.lora snr = 0;
  }
  decoded.lora_datarate = normalizedPayload.spreading_factor
                           || normalizedPayload.data_rate
                                                                      normalized Payload. networks. lora\\
                                (normalizedPayload.networks
                                                                                                           &&
                           | |
                                                                &&
normalizedPayload.networks.lora.dr)
                           || "unknown";
```

```
} catch (error) {
  console.log('LoRa property parsing error:', error);
  decoded.lora_rssi = 0;
  decoded.lora_snr = 0;
  decoded.lora_datarate = "unknown";
}
return [
  { field: "ADC_1", value: decoded.ADC_1 },
  { field: "ADC_2", value: decoded.ADC_2 },
  { field: "CT1", value: decoded.CT1 },
  { field: "CT2", value: decoded.CT2 },
  { field: "humidity", value: decoded.humidity },
  { field: "temperature", value: decoded.temperature },
  { field: "interval", value: decoded.interval },
  { field: "lora_rssi", value: decoded.lora_rssi },
  { field: "lora_snr", value: decoded.lora_snr },
  { field: "lora_datarate", value: decoded.lora_datarate },
];
}
```

10. Follow the steps to add a field. (Every fields is the same way)

Fields
Fields describe the data the device will store.

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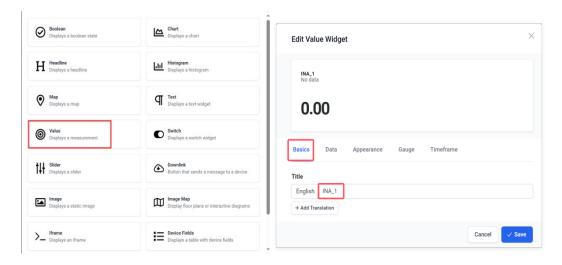


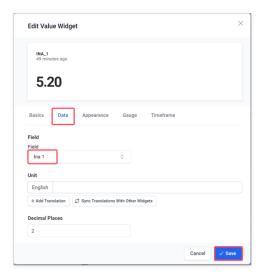
- 11. Press RST button, wait until the sensor connects to the gateway successfully, you will see the data the sensor is currently reading.
- 12. To get a better look at the data, we can add widget.

Click "Dashboard-->switch-->+ Add Widget".

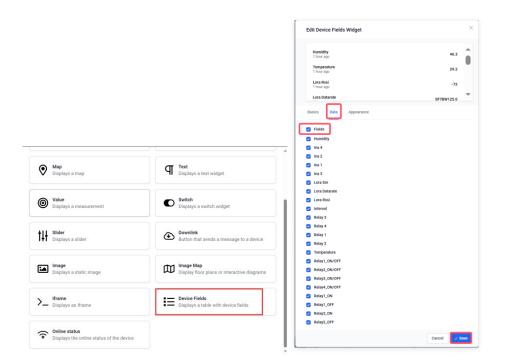


13 \ Select "Value" and set Title, Field.ADC_1, ADC_2, CT1,CT2,Temperature, Humidityas the same way.

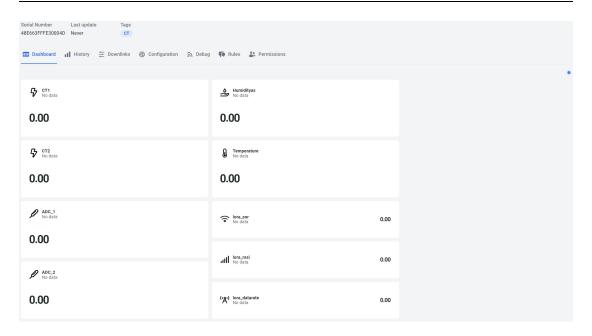




14、 Select Device Fields, check "Fields" and click "Save".



15. Click the switch to save, and you can see the data visually.



3.3.1 Downlink

The downlink has the following functions:

Modification time interva (Fport1)

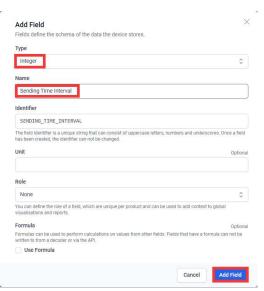
Modify the time interval for uploading data, the default is one hour.

Upload the quantity of the latest local logged data (Fport5)

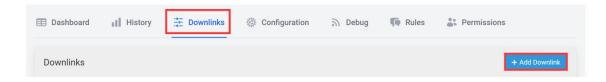
Users can view previous data based on this feature.

Modify the time interval:

1 \ If you need to change time Interval (Default 1 minutes), you can click "Configuration-->Fields-->+Add Field"



2、Click "Downlink-->Add Downlink".



Enter name description fields used and payload encoder respectively.

Name: Set User-Defined Sending Time Interval

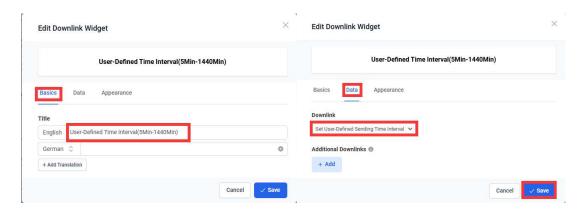
Description: Set the user-defined report transmission interval and store it in the configuration variable.(10S -1440Min)

Payload Encoder: copy in Github.



3、Click "Dashboard-->switch-->+ Add Widget".

Select "Downlink" and setting as follow image.



4、Click the switch to save, and you can click to change your time Interval.

