

# Release Notes for MPLAB® Code Configurator

## MCHP-IoT WG Sensor Node v1.1.1

### 1 What is MCC MCHP-IoT WG Sensor Node

MCHP-IoT WG Sensor Node is a secure, Wi-Fi connected solution for an IoT node. It enables developers to acquire sensor data and send it to the Google Cloud Platform. Data can also be sent from the cloud to a sensor node.

### 2 What's New

- New Features:
  - **Extended** start-up button detection between LED cycle periods (~2 Sec)
  - **Button Debounce** period now require being held for half-start up time
  - **SW0** held will result in Soft AP Mode
  - **Blinking BLUE LED** added to aid in mode change indication
  - **SW0 + SW1** held will result in the use of **DEFAULT** WiFi credentials
    - These are:
      - *ssid: MCHP.IOT*
      - *pass: microchip*
      - *authType: 2 (WPA)*
  - **Blinking GREEN LED** added to aid in mode change indication
  - **YELLOW LED HOLD** indicate state of **Toggle** received from Cloud
  - **Removed CREDENTIAL** storage within Flash memory.
  - **WINC** will store **CREDENTIALS** of last successful **CONNECTION**.
  - **Command Line Interface** updated to accept authorization parameters in unique order to improve experience
  - **Updated SoftAP** name to be **MCHP.IOT.ACCESSPOINT**
  - **Inclusion paths** optimized
- Support for both AVR-IoT and PIC-IoT WG Development Boards
- AVR-IoT WG Sensor Node v1.1.1
- PIC-IoT WG Sensor Node v1.1.1
- Bug fixes

### 3 System Requirements

- MPLAB® X IDE v5.15 or later
- MCC Plugin v3.75 or later
- MCC Foundation Services v0.1.32 or later : <https://www.microchip.com/mcc> → Current Download → Foundation Services

- AVR-IoT WG Sensor Node
  - AVR GCC Compiler v5.4.0 or later
  - XC8 compiler 2.05 or later
  - MCC avr8bit\_v1.1.1: <https://www.microchip.com/mcc> → **Current Download** → **AVR MCUs**
- PIC-IoT WG Sensor Node
  - XC16 compiler 1.35 or later
  - MCC PIC24/dsPIC33/PIC32MM MCUs v1.105

## 4 Hardware

- ATmega4808 AVR™ microcontroller for AVR-IoT WG Development Board [AC164160](#), or
- PIC24FJ128GA705 microcontroller for PIC-IoT WG Development Board [AC164164](#)
- Common Features:
  - ATWINC1510 WiFi™ network controller
  - ATECC608A (pre-provisioned) Cryptoauthentication™ device
  - TEMT6000 light sensor
  - MCP9808 precision temperature sensor
  - MCP73871 Li-Ion battery charger
  - MIC35055 switching regulator
  - 2x push buttons
  - 4x LEDs

## 5 Documentation Support

1. ATmega4808 Product Page: <https://www.microchip.com/wwwproducts/en/ATMEGA4808>
2. ATWINC1510 Product Page: <https://www.microchip.com/wwwproducts/en/ATWINC1500>
3. ATECC608A Product Page: <https://www.microchip.com/wwwproducts/en/ATECC608A>
4. AVR-IoT WG Development Board Technical Summary:  
<http://www.microchip.com/mymicrochip/filehandler.aspx?ddocname=en607550>
5. AVR-IoT WG User Guide : <http://www.microchip.com/mymicrochip/filehandler.aspx?ddocname=en607553>
6. AVR-IoT Development Board Schematics: [http://ww1.microchip.com/downloads/en/DeviceDoc/AVR-IoT\\_WG\\_Schematics.pdf](http://ww1.microchip.com/downloads/en/DeviceDoc/AVR-IoT_WG_Schematics.pdf)
7. PIC24FJ128GA705 Product Page: <https://www.microchip.com/PIC24FJ128GA705>
8. PIC-IoT WG User Guide

## 6 Installing MPLAB® Code Configurator and the MCHP-IoT Sensor Node Application Library

To install the MPLAB® Code Configurator Plugin:

1. In the MPLAB® X IDE click on **Tools** → **Plugin**
2. Click on **Available Plugins** tab
3. Check the box for the **MPLAB® Code Configurator**, and click on **Install**


**To install the MCHP-IoT Sensor Node application library:**

1. Open the MPLAB Code Configurator page: <https://www.microchip.com/mcc>
2. Scroll to the bottom of the page and select the **Current Downloads** tabs
3. Download the MCHP-IoT WG Sensor node application library (**mchpioT\_v1.1.1.mc3lib**)
4. In the MPLAB® X IDE click on **Tools → Options**
5. Click on **Plugins** tab
6. Click on **Install Library**
7. Browse to the location where you saved the **mchpioT\_v1.1.1.mc3lib**, select and click Open

## 7 Installing the AVR GCC compiler in MPLAB® X IDE

1. Open the MPLAB X Compilers page: <https://www.microchip.com/mplab/avr-support/avr-and-arm-toolchains-c-compilers>
2. Select the Downloads Tab and choose : **AVR 8-bit Toolchain v3.6.2 or later**
3. In MPLAB® X IDE click on **Tools → Options → Embedded → Build Tools**
4. Under Toolchain **click on Add**
5. Navigate up to **../avr8-gnu-toolchain-win32\_x86/bin → Open**
6. Version List should automatically point to **AVR**
7. Click **Ok**

## 8 Running the Example

1. Connect the AVR-IoT or PIC-IoT WG board to the computer using a standard micro-USB cable
2. Create a new project in MPLAB® X IDE
3. Select the PKOB nano Tool. Device will be already identified as ATmega4808 or PIC24FJ128GA705.
4. Open MCC by clicking **Tools→ Embedded→ MPLAB® Code Configurator** or **click on the MCC icon** 
5. In the Device Resources area click on **Internet Things→ Examples→ AVR-IoT WG Sensor Node** or **PIC-IoT WG Sensor Node**
6. Click **Generate** button
7. Build and program the board
8. Refer to the user guide for simple instructions to connect with the Google Cloud.

## 9 Known Issues

- XC8 Compiler is not supported in Debug mode.

## 10 Frequently Asked Questions

For frequently asked questions, please refer to the FAQ section of the AVR-IoT or PIC-IoT WG development board User Guide

## 11 Supported Families

- megaAVR® 0-Series (ATMega4808, ATMega4809)
- PIC24FJ128GA705

## 12 Customer Support

### 12.1 The Microchip Web Site

Microchip provides online support via our web site at <http://www.microchip.com>. This web site is used as a means to make files and information easily available to customers. Accessible by using your favorite Internet browser, the web site contains the following information:

- Product Support – Data sheets and errata, application notes and sample programs, design resources, user's guides and hardware support documents, latest software releases and archived software
- General Technical Support – Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs), technical support requests, online discussion groups/forums (<http://forum.microchip.com>), Microchip consultant program member listing
- Business of Microchip – Product selector and ordering guides, latest Microchip press releases, listing of seminars and events, listings of Microchip sales offices, distributors and factory representatives

### 12.2 Additional Support

Users of Microchip products can receive assistance through several channels:

- Distributor or Representative
- Local Sales Office
- Field Application Engineering (FAE)
- Technical Support

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Technical support is available through the web site at: <http://support.microchip.com>