

MODULE 3 - IOE

RFID (Radio Frequency Identification)

- **Wireless technology** uses radio waves to identify and track objects.
- **Components:**
 - **RFID Tag** → Has Microchip + antenna
 - **RFID Reader** → Sends signals and receives data.
 - **Backend System** → Processes and collects data

RFID supports the **identification layer** of IoT.

Functions: (acronym - DACU)

- **Unique Identification** – Each RFID tag has a unique ID (like a digital fingerprint).
- **Data Collection** – Provides real-time info on location, condition, and movement.
- **Connectivity** – Works with IoT gateways, cloud, and analytics.
- **Automation** – Enables smart environments (factories, logistics, healthcare, homes)

Types of RFID

1. **Passive RFID** – No battery, powered by reader's signal.
 - Uses: inventory, retail, libraries.
2. **Active RFID** – Has its own battery, works at long ranges.
 - Uses: vehicle tracking, supply chain.
3. **Semi-Passive RFID** – Battery powers chip but needs reader for communication.
 - Uses: cold-chain monitoring.

4. Applications of RFID in IoT

◆ Supply Chain & Logistics:

- Real-time tracking of goods.
- Automated warehouse management.

◆ Healthcare:

- Patient identification and monitoring.
- Tracking medical equipment and medicines.

◆ Smart Cities:

- Vehicle identification at toll gates.
- Waste management tracking.

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Advantages of RFID

- **Automation** – Less manual work, fewer errors.
- **Accuracy** – Precise tracking.
- **Security** – Encryption & authentication support.
- **Efficiency** – Hundreds of tags read in seconds.

Disadvantages of RFID

- **Security risk** – Can be intercepted even if encrypted.
- **Privacy concerns** – Data may be misused.
- **High cost** – Active RFID tags are expensive (due to battery).

5 Layer Architecture of IoT with RFID / IOT SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE WITH RFID (exactly same as mod 1 answer)

1. Perception Layer

- First layer of IoT.
- Uses sensors and actuators to collect information (temperature, moisture, sound, intruder, etc.).
- Passes collected data to the next layer.
- **RFID Technologies used:**
 - i. RFID systems (tags)
 - ii. GPS modules
 - iii. Cameras
 - iv. Barcodes

2. Network Layer (Communication Layer)

- Acts as a connection between perception and middleware layer.
- Transfers data using **RFID** technologies like Wi-Fi, 3G, 4G, infrared, etc.
- Ensures **secure communication** and keeps **data confidential**.

3. Middleware Layer

- Has features like **storage, processing, and computation**.
- Stores data and provides it to the correct device based on address or name.
- Can take decisions by performing calculations on sensor data.

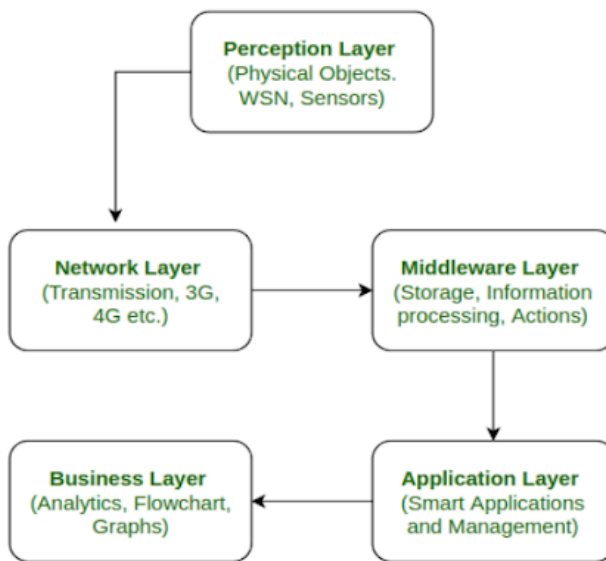
4. Application Layer

- Manages all application processes based on information obtained from the middleware layer.

- Examples: sending emails, alarms, smartwatches, smart agriculture, smart homes, etc.
- This layer has **two sub-layers**:
 - i. **Data Management Sub-layer**: Cleans, restructures, and integrates raw data. Handles redundancy in data.
 - ii. **Application Service Sub-layer** : Converts processed data into meaningful information

5. Business Layer

- Focuses on how the device and technology is being delivered to its consumers.
- Includes analysis, flowcharts, graphs, and ways to improve the system.



Virtualization

- Converts **physical hardware resources** into **virtual form**.
- It offers **efficiency, flexibility, and scalability**.

1. Types of Virtualization

a) Server Virtualization

- Involves partitioning a single physical server into multiple **virtual servers (VMs)**.
- Each VM runs its own operating system and applications independently.
- Enables better utilization of hardware and reduces the number of physical servers required.

b) Storage Virtualization

- Combines physical storage from multiple devices into a **single, unified storage system**.
- Centrally managed for efficiency.
- Improves storage utilization, flexibility, and data management.

c) Network Virtualization

- Creates **virtual networks** that operate independently of the physical network infrastructure.
- Multiple virtual networks can run on the same hardware.
- Enhances network agility, security, and scalability.

Benefits of Virtualization

- **Cost Reduction:** Less physical hardware, lower cost, and saves energy.
- **Scalability & Flexibility:** Can scale resources up or down based on demand.
- **Disaster Recovery:** Easy backup and restoration.
- **Simplified Management:** Automation reduces manual intervention and human errors.
- **Security:** Advanced hypervisor-level security features give protection.

IOT ANALYTICS

1. Data Collection

IoT data comes from:

- **Sensors & Actuators** – collect physical data like temperature, pressure, motion, humidity.
- **Edge Devices** – gather raw data from many sensors.
- **Smart Devices** – create logs, updates, and status reports.

Key points while collecting data:

- **Volume & Velocity** – large, continuous and real - time data.
- **Variety** – different types of data: Structured (numbers), Semi-structured (logs), Unstructured (audio, video)

- **Connectivity** – Data transmitted using protocols like HTTP or 5G.
- **Security & Privacy** – use encryption and access control.

2. Data Transmission & Storage

After collection, data must be sent and stored properly.

- **Edge Processing** – preprocessing at the edge[directly on device before sending it to network] (filter, compress) to reduce network usage.
- **Cloud Storage** – store large volumes of data; scalable (eg, write anywhere) AWS IoT, Google Cloud IoT.
- **Data Lakes & Warehouses** – organize raw IoT data for analysis.

3. Data Processing & Analytics

Three levels of IoT analytics:

1. **Descriptive Analytics (What happened?)**
→ Example: sales have been steady in the past year.
2. **Predictive Analytics (What will happen?)**
→ Example: Sales are expected to grow by 15% next quarter.
3. **Prescriptive Analytics (What should be done?)**
→ Example: Launch a targeted marketing campaign next month.

Techniques used:

- **Machine Learning Models** – anomaly detection, forecasting, classification.
- **Big Data Tools** – Hadoop, NoSQL

4. Deployment of IoT Analytics

After building models, they must be used in real IoT systems.

- **Model Deployment** – use ML models with IoT platforms using TensorFlow Lite, Azure ML.
- **Edge Deployment** – models deployed at the edge for fast decisions (e.g., autonomous cars).
- **Scalability** – cloud setups with Kubernetes and Docker.

5. Operationalization (Making It Work Continuously)

To ensure continuous value: **(remember headings, write on your inside ka details)**

- **Monitoring & Feedback** – keep checking system performance and improve it based on feedback.
- **Model Retraining** – keep updating models as new data changes (data drift).
- **Automation** – the devices can respond automatically (e.g., shut down a machine when overheating).
- **Visualization & Dashboards** – insights shown using tools like Power BI, etc

- **Security & Compliance** – continuous encryption and authentication.

6. Challenges in IoT Analytics

1. **Handling massive data** volumes from various sources.
2. **Privacy and security risks** - sensitive data leaks and misuse.
3. **Cost management** - can be expensive

DATA CENTERS

- A data centre is a **specialised facility** that provides the necessary **services** and **infrastructure** to **host** the world's largest **computing environments**.
- Its main goal is to ensure **continuous, reliable operation** for businesses that depend on IT services.

Key Factors in Data Center Deployment

1. Location

- Should be in areas with **low natural disaster risk**.
- Must **avoid high-traffic zones** (airports, malls).
- Should not be near **sensitive sites** like refineries or nuclear plants.

2. Security

- Strict **physical access control**.
- **Authorized staff** only; constant monitoring.
- Uses **CCTV, biometrics, and 24/7 surveillance**.

3. Electrical Power

- Needs a **stable and continuous power supply**.
- Backup systems include **batteries and generators**.

4. Environmental Controls

- Maintains proper **temperature and humidity**.
- Uses **HVAC (Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning)** systems.
- Has advanced **fire detection systems**.

5. Network Infrastructure

- Requires **redundant, scalable connections**.
- Must ensure **high bandwidth, low latency, and fault tolerance**.

Global Data Centers

- There are **over 3,000 data centers** worldwide.
- Many offer **IaaS** (Infrastructure as a Service), providing computing power, storage, and networking.

Big Data Security in Cloud Computing

- Big Data and Cloud Computing are important IT technologies, but the **open nature of the cloud** and **limited user control** make **security and privacy major concerns** as the **data grows**.

How Cloud Ensures Security

- Data is stored and processed on **remote cloud servers**.
- Trust is built through **third-party security services** and **strong protection measures**.
- A **Service Level Agreement (SLA)** defines what security the provider must guarantee. It helps increase trust between customers and cloud providers.
- **Role of SLA:** The SLA is a contract defining:
 - Security responsibilities
 - Protection level
 - Data privacy and availability
 - Scalability and performance

Levels of Data Protection

- **Basic users:** Use logical access control (username/password, permissions).
- **Sensitive data:** Needs stronger protection, like:
 - Encryption
 - Data masking
 - Logging/auditing
 - Intrusion detection systems (IDS)

Security Technologies

- Encryption
- Registry and activity monitoring
- Intrusion detection
- Big data analytics to identify attacks and sophisticated threats

Challenges in Big Data Security

1. Protecting huge datasets from advanced attackers.
2. Guaranteeing secure deletion of massive stored data.

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3. Lack of standard rules for auditing and reporting big data.