

## **1. Embedded Device**

The Raspberry Pi Pico W is configured to collect temperature and humidity data from a DHT11 sensor and send it to the backend server using HTTP POST requests. It ensures a reliable connection by verifying internet availability through Google pings.

## **2. Resource Allocation**

The system optimizes resources by leveraging the Pico W for edge processing and a DigitalOcean VPS for cloud hosting. This ensures cost-effective and scalable infrastructure for continuous data collection, storage, and processing.

## **3. Cloud Service**

The DigitalOcean Ubuntu server hosts the backend using Node.js 23, stores data in InfluxDB v2.7.10, and serves the user interface via Nginx 1.24.0. This combination ensures a robust and secure IoT pipeline.

## **4. Cloud Service Configuration**

The server is configured to operate 24/7, with public ports (80, 443) properly routed and firewall rules in place to allow safe traffic flow. Backend and database services are integrated seamlessly for efficient data handling.

## **5. Backend Collecting Data**

The Node.js backend receives sensor data, sanitizes it, and writes it into InfluxDB. Real-time logging ensures operational transparency and facilitates debugging, ensuring the system remains reliable.

## **6. User Interface**

The dashboard, hosted by Nginx, provides a real-time display of temperature, humidity, and light control. It offers a simple and accessible interface for users to monitor and interact with the system.

## **Our project cost**

total cost of our project is 12€ 1 euro for dht11 1 euro for relay and 10 for pico, but in the mass

production this cost can be cut in 2 times due to the difference in the purchase price of a large quantity from the manufacturer.

Extra 4 euro per month for Digital ocean.

## How the System Works?

**Wi-Fi Connection:** The Pico W connects to Wi-Fi using our network name and password.

**Data Collection:** Reads sensor data every 5 seconds.

**Sending Data:** Shares the temperature and humidity with the cloud.

**Internet Check:** Makes sure the device stays online.

## Cloud Server on DigitalOcean

**Nginx:** Handles internet traffic.

**Node.js:** Processes the data and saves it to InfluxDB, a special database for time-based data.

Runs all the time to keep the system working smoothly.

**User Interface:** A simple webpage shows the temperature and humidity in real time.

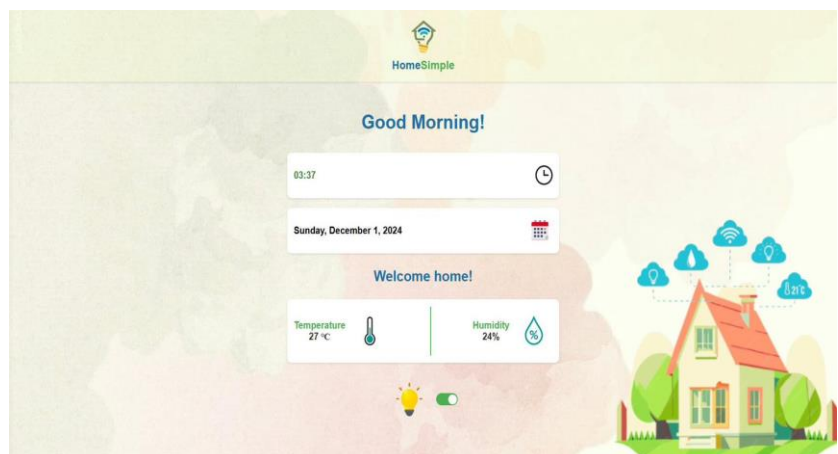
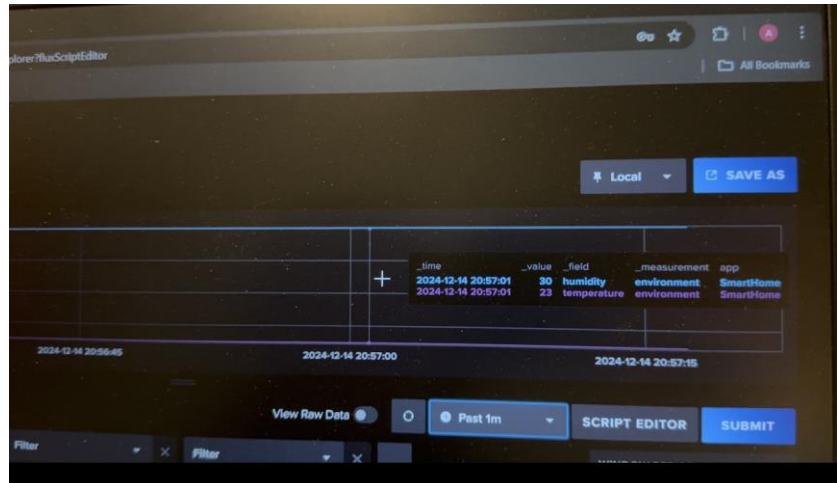
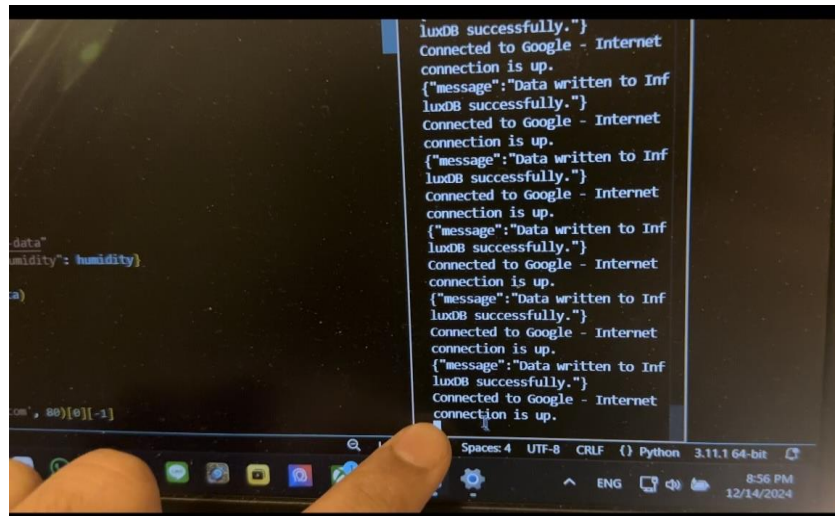
## Why It's Useful?

**Live Updates:** See the latest data instantly.

**Expandable:** Add more devices or sensors easily.

**Affordable:** Uses low-cost devices and cloud hosting.

**Reliable:** Works nonstop with cloud support.



## How It All Works Together

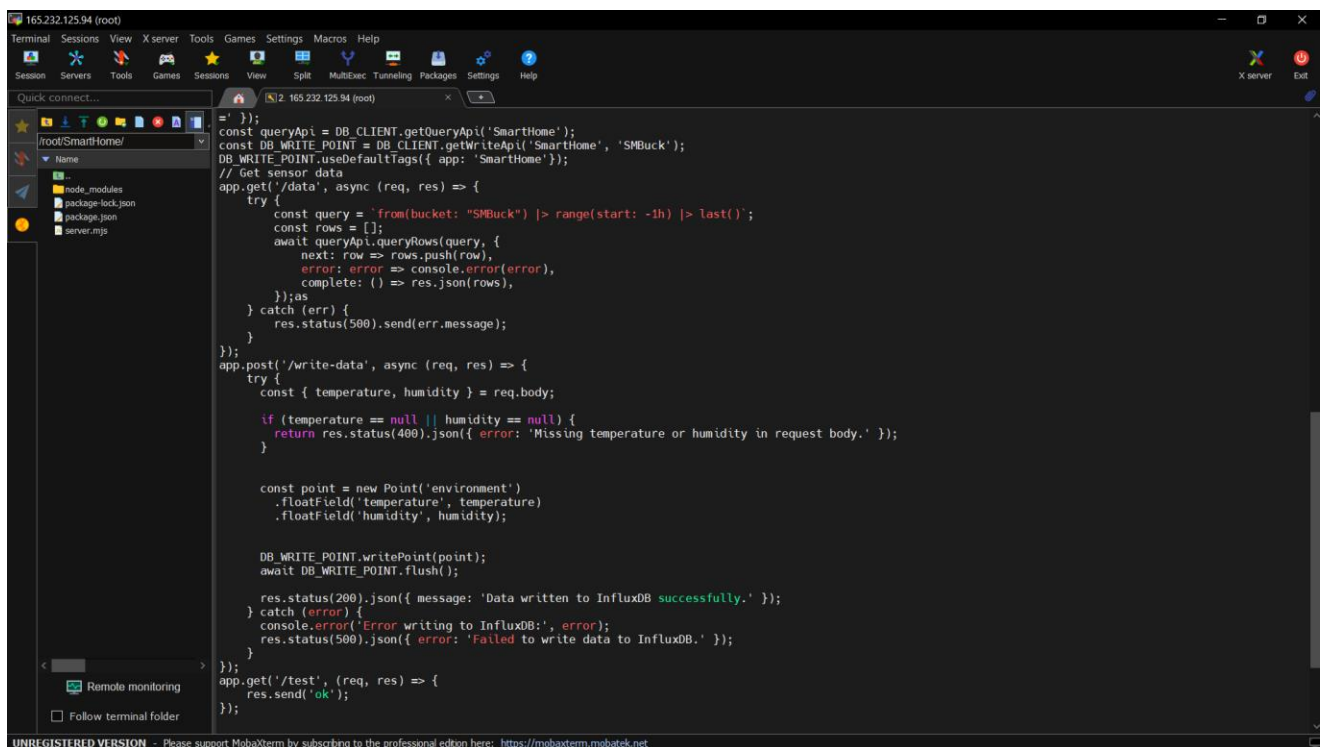
The sensor collects data → Pico W sends it to the cloud → The cloud saves it → The webpage shows it live.

This system is simple, easy to use, and perfect for monitoring your home!

Here is the [Link to the youtube video](#).

Here is the github repository which consist the data flow of embedded system and frontend [SmartHomeM](#)

**Note:** We have used the direct approach for Backend coding where we directly code the system by getting inside the system using ssh by **MobaXterm** which is helpful as server side code editor. So, Unfortunately we are not able to submit the backend code using github.



The screenshot displays the MobaXterm interface with a terminal window connected to a remote server at IP 165.232.125.94. The terminal shows the execution of a Node.js application. The application code includes database setup for InfluxDB, a GET endpoint for retrieving sensor data from a specific bucket, and a POST endpoint for writing temperature and humidity data. The terminal output shows the application starting successfully and responding to a test request with 'ok'.

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root@SmartHome/
├── Name
├── node_modules
├── package-lock.json
├── package.json
└── server.mjs

= ' ');
const queryApi = DB_CLIENT.getQueryApi('SmartHome');
const DB_WRITE_POINT = DB_CLIENT.getWriteApi('SmartHome', 'SMBuck');
DB_WRITE_POINT.useDefaultTags({ app: 'SmartHome' });
// Get sensor data
app.get('/data', async (req, res) => {
  try {
    const query = `from(bucket: "SMBuck") |> range(start: -1h) |> last()`;
    const rows = [];
    await queryApi.queryRows(query, {
      next: row => rows.push(row),
      error: error => console.error(error),
      complete: () => res.json(rows),
    });
  } catch (err) {
    res.status(500).send(err.message);
  }
});
app.post('/write-data', async (req, res) => {
  try {
    const { temperature, humidity } = req.body;
    if (temperature == null || humidity == null) {
      return res.status(400).json({ error: 'Missing temperature or humidity in request body.' });
    }

    const point = new Point('environment')
      .floatField('temperature', temperature)
      .floatField('humidity', humidity);

    DB_WRITE_POINT.writePoint(point);
    await DB_WRITE_POINT.flush();

    res.status(200).json({ message: 'Data written to InfluxDB successfully.' });
  } catch (error) {
    console.error('Error writing to InfluxDB:', error);
    res.status(500).json({ error: 'Failed to write data to InfluxDB.' });
  }
});
app.get('/test', (req, res) => {
  res.send('ok');
});
```

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