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Pattern

Unit 5 IoT PLATFORMS

What is an IoT Device

- A "Thing" in IoT can be any object that has unique identifier and which can send/receive data over a network
- IoT devices are connected to the Internet and send information about themselves or about their surroundings over a network
- Allow actuation upon the physical entities/ environment around them remotely

IoT Device Examples

- A home automation device
- An industrial machine
- A car
- A wireless-enabled wearable device

Basic building blocks of an IoT Device

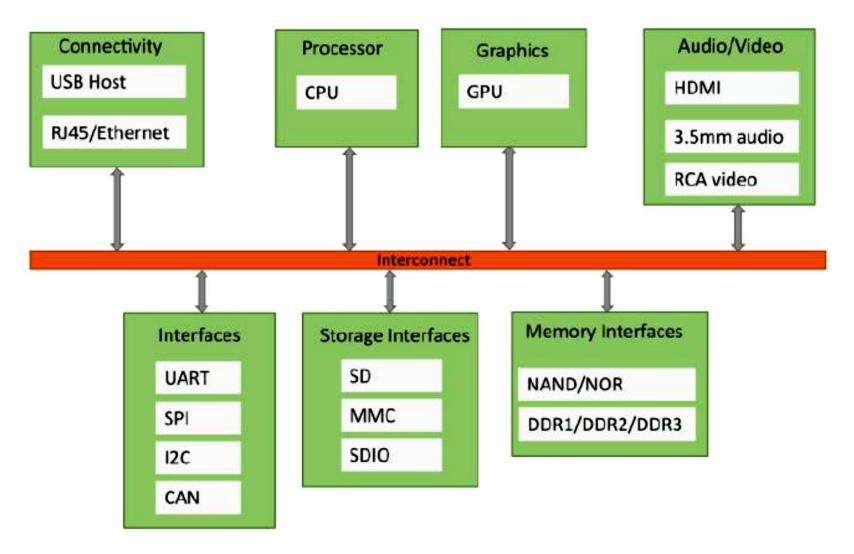
Sensing

 Sensors can be either on-board the IoT device or attached to the device

Actuation

- IoT devices can have various types of actuators
- Communication
 - Exchanging of data between client-server or cloud
- Analysis & Processing

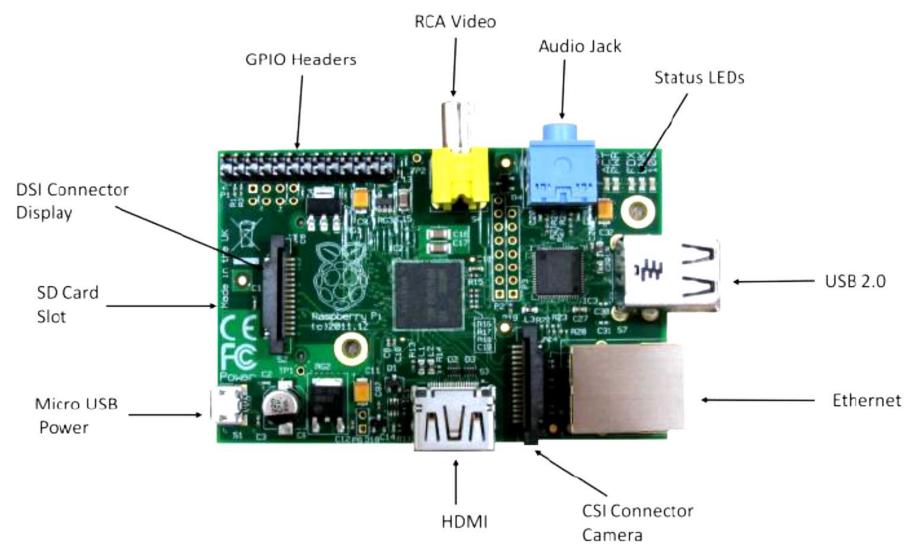
Block diagram of an IoT Device



Exemplary Device: Raspberry Pi

- Low-cost mini-computer with the physical size of a credit card
- Runs various flavors of Linux and can perform almost all tasks that normal desktop can do
- Also allows interfacing sensors and actuators through the general purpose I/O (GPIO) pins
- Since Raspberry Pi runs Linux operating system, it supports Python

Raspberry Pi



Linux on Raspberry Pi

Raspbian

• Raspbian Linux is a Debian Wheezy port optimized for Raspberry Pi

Arch

Arch is an Arch Linux port for AMD devices

Pidora

Pidora Linux is a Fedora Linux optimized for Raspberry Pi

RaspBMC

RaspBMC is an XBMC media-center distribution for Raspberry Pi

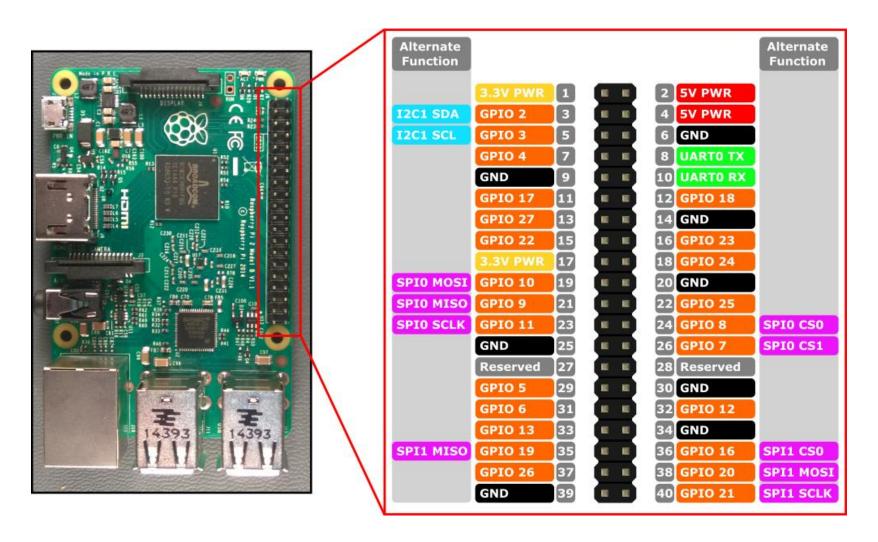
OpenELEC

• OpenELEC is a fast and user-friendly XBMC media-center distribution

RISC OS

• RISC OS is a very fast and compact operating system

Raspberry Pi GPIO



Raspberry Pi Interfaces

Serial

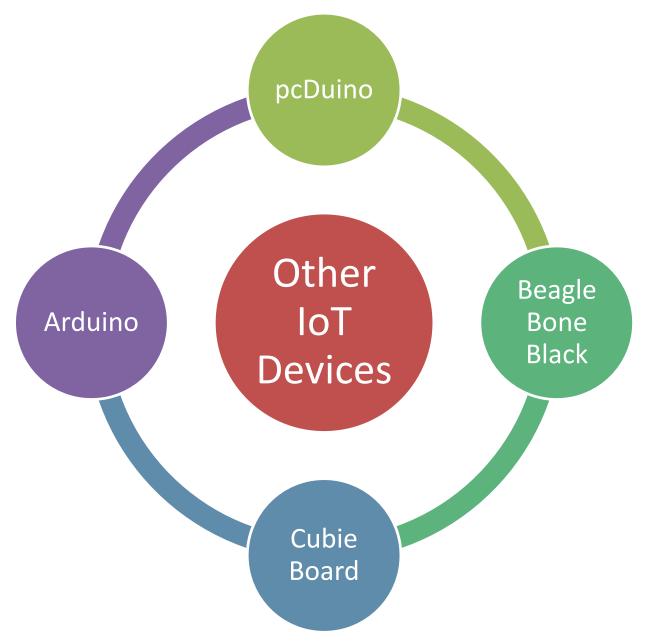
 Has receive (Rx) and transmit (Tx) pins for communication with serial peripherals

SPI

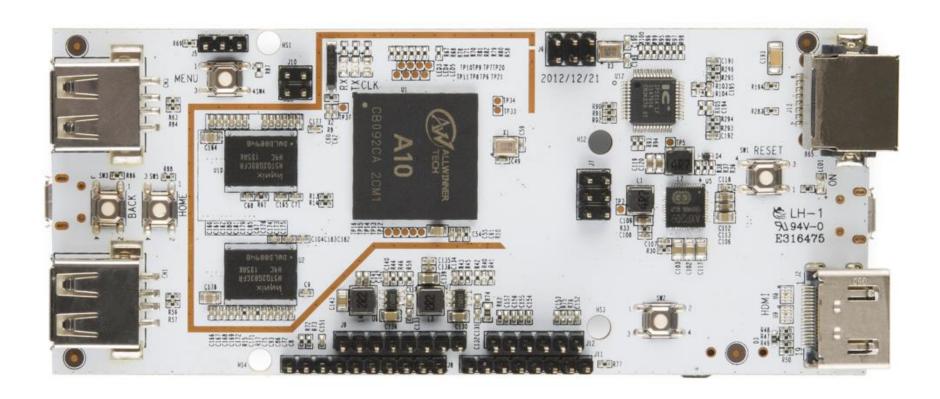
- Serial Peripheral Interface
- Synchronous serial data protocol used for communicating with one or more peripheral devices

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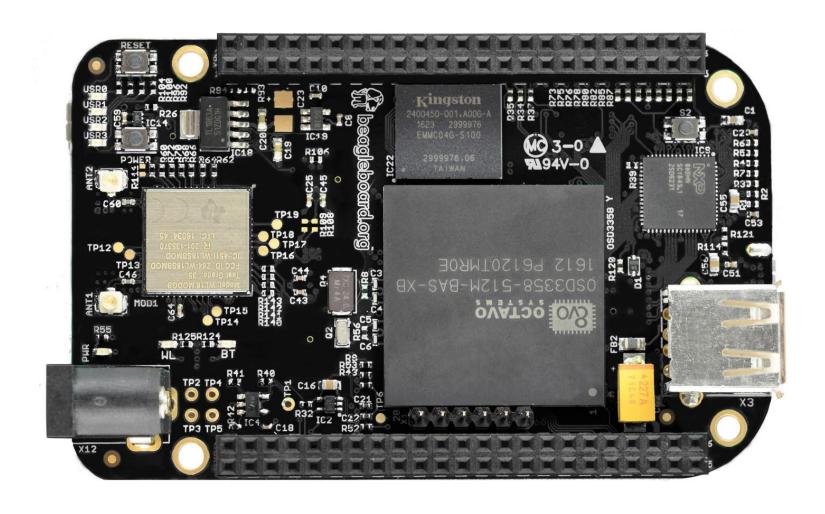
- Allows you to connect hardware modules
- Allows synchronous data transfer with just two pins SDA (data line) and SCL (clock line)



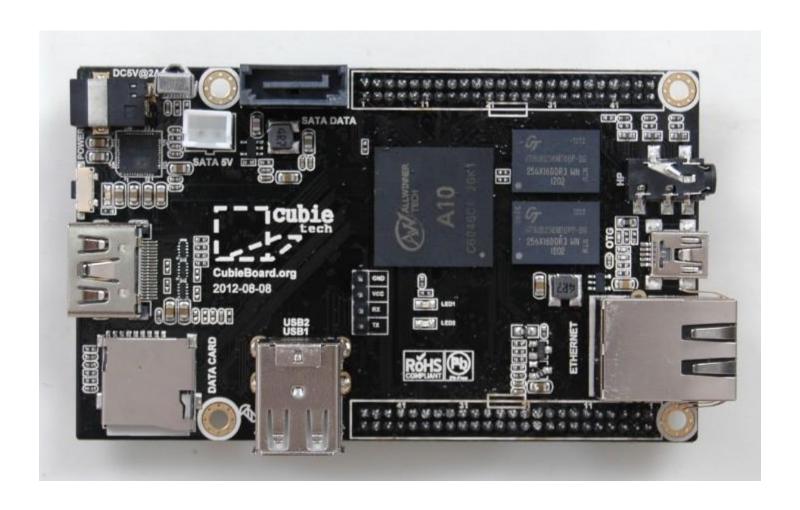
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