iot.schema.org

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Agenda

- Status (Michael)
 - Report out WoT F2F and WISHI (July)
 - Roadmap through November
 - Strawman Definitions
- Design patterns and tools (Darko)
 - Capability definitions, shapes constraints
 - Authoring in markdown
- Next steps (All)

W3C WoT Meeting Duesseldorf

- Expect to use iot.schema.org definitions for the November Plugfest
- Prototype of semantic annotation in web applications using WoT Thing Description
 - Discovery using Semantic Annotation
 - Integration into applications
- Provide a set of definitions for common things, following the current design pattern

IRTF T2TRG WISHI Workshop

- Semantic Interoperability and Hypermedia
 - https://github.com/t2trg/2017-07-wishi
- In conjunction with IETF99
- Good discussion around iot.schema approach
- Potential collaboration: Fairhair, oneM2M, IPSO

Roadmap through November

- Activate the W3C WoT Community Group
 - Define extension to the charter
- Strawman Definitions
 - End of August
- HTML documentation using schema.org
- Hosting on schema.org experimental area
- WoT Thing Description prototypes

For November WoT PlugFest

- Create a set of Modular, Reusable, and Interoperable Capability definitions for some common interactions.
- Host the definition files
- Host HTML documentation
- Provide example TDs that are annotated with the Capability definitions.

List of Capability Definitions

General

- temperature
- illuminance
- motion/occupancy
- smoke detector
- co, co2 detector
- contact sensor
- shade control
- energy used

Light

- onoff switch
- level/brightness
- rgb color
- hs color
- xy color
- color temperature

Thermostat

- temperature
- setpoint
- heating setpoint
- cooling setpoint
- operating state
- thermostat mode
- fan mode

Design Pattern Update

Review and Backup

Overview of iot.schema.org

- High level semantic interoperability layer
- Interoperable definitions for connected things
- Protocol-neutral abstractions for affordances exposed by connected things
- Venue to create and manage definitions for multiple vertical application domains
- Design pattern compatibility with WoT Thing Description Classes: Event, Action, Property

Capability Abstraction

- Common abstraction => "Capability" to make definitions more modular
- A capability is the set of affordances needed to interact with a single function of a connected thing
- For example, an on/off switch capability
 - on/off state, delay time: properties
 - "switch on", "switch off": actions
 - "switched on", "switched off": events

Capability Abstraction (2)

- Capabilities are composed together to define the functional interface of a connected thing
- For example, a connected light bulb may have
 - On/off switch capability
 - Dimming/Brightness capability
 - Color Control capability
 - Energy Monitoring capability
- A TD for this light bulb would contain events, actions, and properties of all capabilities

Capability Composition

iotschema Capabilities

on/off Capability

level Capability

color Capability

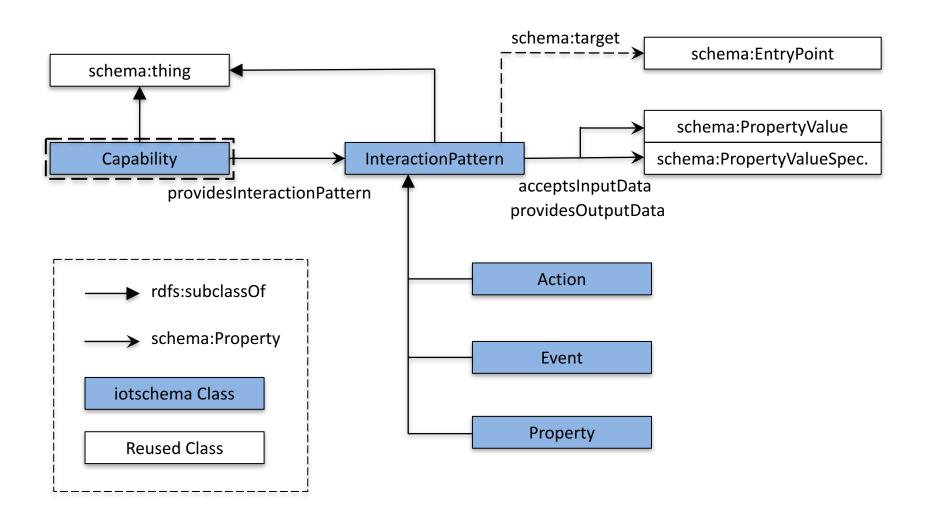


on/off Events on/off Actions on/off Properties

level Events level Actions level Properties

color Events
color Actions
color Properties

iotschema Capability Pattern



Capability Composition

- Capabilities can be sub-things or can add to events, actions, and properties in a flat TD
- Layered semantic annotation
 - @type: [thing, light]
 - capability: [onoff, level, color]

Example iotschema Definition

```
"@id": "LevelCapability",
"@type": "rdfs:Class",
"rdfs:subClassOf": { "@id": "Capability" },
"rdfs:comment": "Level Sensing and Control Capability",
"rdfs:label": "Level Capability",
"domain": {"@id": "Common"},
"providesInterctionPattern": [
   "@id": "CurrentLevel",
    "@type": "rdfs:Class",
    "rdfs:subClassOf": { "@id": "Property" }
    "acceptsInputData": {
      "@id": "LevelData",
      "domain": { "@id": "Common" },
      "rdfs:comment": "Level data",
      "rdfs:label": "Level Data",
      "rdfs:subClassOf": { "@id": "schema:PropertyValue" },
      "schema:propertyType": { "@id": "schema:Number" },
      "schema:unitCode": { "@id": "qudt:Percent" }
      "rdfs:comment": "Current level property",
      "rdfs:label": "Current Level"
    },
    (providesOutputData)
```

Example Definition (cont'd)

```
"@id": "TransitionTime",
"@type": "rdfs:Class",
"rdfs:subClassOf": { "@id": "Property" }
"acceptsInputData": {
 "@id": "TransitionTimeData",
  "domain": { "@id": "Common" },
  "rdfs:comment": "Transition time",
  "rdfs:label": "Transition Time",
  "rdfs:subClassOf": { "@id": "schema:PropertyValue" },
  "schema:propertyType": { "@id": "schema:Number" },
  "schema:unitCode": { "@id": "gudt:SecondTime" }
"providesOutputData": {
  "@id": "TransitionTimeData"},
  "domain": { "@id": "Common" },
  "rdfs:comment": "Transition time",
  "rdfs:label": "Transition Time",
  "rdfs:subClassOf": { "@id": "schema:PropertyValue" }
  "schema:propertyType": { "@id": "schema:Number" },
  "schema:unitCode": { "@id": "qudt:SecondTime" }
```

Example Definition (cont'd)

Example Instance – TD Interaction

```
"@context": [
  "http://w3c.github.io/wot/w3c-wot-td-context.jsonld",
  "http://w3c.github.io/wot/w3c-wot-common-context.jsonld",
 {"iotschema": "http://iot.schema.org/common#"}],
"@type": [ "Thing", "BuildingSpace" ],
"name": "Lamp",
"capability": "iotschema:LevelCapability",
"interactions": [{
  "name": "Set brightness level",
  "@type": ["Action", "iotschema:SetLevel"],
  "inputdata": {
   "type": "object",
    "properties": {
      "level": {
        "type": ["iotschema:LevelData", "number"]},
      "time": {"type": ["iotschema:TransitionTimeData", "number"]}
    }},
  "link": [{
    "href": "/example/light/setbrightness",
    "mediatype": "application/json"
    }]
  },
```

Example Instance – TD Interaction (2)

```
"name": "Current brightness level",
    "@type": ["Property", "iotschema:CurrentLevel"],
    "inputdata": { "type": ["iotschema:LevelData", "number"] },
    "outputdata": { "type": ["iotschema:LevelData", "number"] },
    "link": [
       "href": "/example/light/currentbrightness",
       "mediatype": "application/json"
     } ] } ,
    "name": "Transition time",
    "@type": ["Property", "iotschema:TransitionTime"],
    "inputdata":{"type":["iotschema:TransitionTimeData", "number"] },
    "outputdata":{"type":["iotschema:TransitionTimeData","number"] },
    "link": [
       "href": "/example/light/transitionTime",
       "mediatype": "application/json"
      } ]
}]}
```