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SmartCity IoT Sensor Network

Installation and Configuration Manual

Municipal Infrastructure Documentation - Sample

△ SAFETY FIRST - READ BEFORE INSTALLATION

Electrical Hazard: All installations must be performed by certified electricians. Verify power is OFF before beginning work. Use proper PPE including insulated gloves and safety glasses.

♦ Installation Overview

The SmartCity IoT sensor network provides real-time environmental monitoring, traffic analysis, and infrastructure health assessment for municipal operations. This manual covers sensor installation, network configuration, and system integration procedures.

System Components

- Environmental Sensors: Air quality, noise level, temperature, humidity
- Traffic Sensors: Vehicle count, speed detection, pedestrian flow
- Infrastructure Sensors: Vibration monitoring, structural health
- Gateway Units: Data aggregation and cellular/WiFi transmission
- Power Management: Solar panels with battery backup systems

Pre-Installation Requirements

Hardware Specifications

Component	Model	Power Requirement	Operating Temperature
Air Quality Sensor	AQ-500X	12V DC, 2A	-20°C to +60°C
Traffic Counter	TC-200M	24V DC, 1.5A	-30°C to +70°C
IoT Gateway	GW-1000	12V DC, 5A	-20°C to +55°C
Solar Panel	SP-100W	N/A (Power Source)	-40°C to +85°C

✓ Pre-Installation Checklist □ Obtain all necessary municipal permits and approvals □ Verify utility clearances (electrical, gas, water, fiber) □ Confirm cellular coverage and signal strength at installation site □ Schedule traffic control measures if street work required □ Verify equipment delivery and inspect for shipping damage □ Coordinate with IT department for network configuration

Installation Procedures



Site Preparation and Mounting

Time Required: 2-4 hours per location

Personnel: 2 certified technicians + 1 traffic control officer

Site Survey:

- 1. Confirm GPS coordinates match work order specifications
- 2. Verify 10-foot clearance from power lines and telecommunications
- 3. Check for underground utilities using 811 location markings
- 4. Assess pedestrian and vehicle traffic patterns
- 5. Document site conditions with photos for record-keeping

[INSTALLATION DIAGRAM]

Pole-mounted sensor configuration showing:

- Solar panel positioning (south-facing, 30° tilt)
- Sensor height requirements (air quality: 3m, traffic: 5m)
 - Gateway placement and antenna orientation
 - Cable routing and weatherproofing details



Power System Installation

Safety Note: Only qualified electricians may perform electrical connections

Solar Panel Configuration:

1. Mount solar panel at optimal angle (latitude + 15°)

- 2. Install charge controller in weatherproof enclosure
- 3. Connect battery bank with appropriate fusing
- 4. Verify system voltage and charging parameters
- 5. Test backup power functionality

△ Electrical Safety Requirements

All electrical work must comply with National Electrical Code (NEC) and local electrical codes. Use only UL-listed components rated for outdoor use. Install appropriate overcurrent protection and grounding systems.

Network Configuration



Gateway Setup and Connectivity

Network Protocol: LTE-M with WiFi backup

Configuration Steps:

- 1. Insert activated SIM card into gateway device
- 2. Configure APN settings for carrier network
- 3. Set up WiFi credentials for backup connectivity
- 4. Configure sensor polling intervals and data transmission schedule
- 5. Test connectivity and data transmission to cloud platform

Gateway Configuration Commands configure terminal interface cellular 0 apn municipal.smartcity.net username smartcity_device password [provided_by_carrier] ip dhcp exit interface wifi 0 ssid SmartCity_Backup security wpa2 psk [wifi_password] dhcp client exit sensor-config poll-interval 300 transmission-interval 900 data-retention 72hours exit

Ⅲ Sensor Calibration and Testing



Air Quality Sensor Calibration

Equipment Required: Certified reference gases, flow meter, laptop with calibration software

Calibration Procedure:

- 1. Connect sensor to calibration gas supply (CO, NO2, PM2.5)
- 2. Allow 30-minute warm-up period for sensor stabilization
- 3. Perform zero-point calibration using filtered ambient air
- 4. Apply span gas at known concentrations (50%, 80% of full scale)

- 5. Verify linearity and adjust calibration coefficients if needed
- 6. Document calibration results and affix certification label

∠ Acceptance Testing

Duration: 48-hour monitoring period

Test Criteria:

• Data Transmission: 99% successful transmission rate

• Power System: Maintain operation through 48-hour cloudy period

• **Sensor Accuracy:** ±5% of reference measurements

• **Network Connectivity:** Automatic failover to backup connection

Maintenance and Troubleshooting

Maintenance Schedule

Component	Frequency	Maintenance Activity	Duration
Air Quality Sensors	Quarterly	Cleaning, calibration verification	2 hours
Solar Panels	Semi-annual	Cleaning, connection inspection	1 hour
Gateway Unit	Monthly	Firmware updates, log review	30 minutes
Battery System	Annual	Capacity test, replacement if needed	3 hours

Support and Emergency Contacts

505 Emergency Response

System Failure: Municipal IT Helpdesk (555) 123-4567

Electrical Issues: City Electrician (555) 123-4568

Traffic Safety: Traffic Control (555) 123-4569

Environmental Concerns: Environmental Services (555) 123-4570

Vendor Technical Support

SmartCity Solutions: support@smartcitysolutions.com | (800) 555-CITY

Hours: 24/7 for critical issues | Business hours for routine support

Remote Monitoring: Available via secure VPN connection

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