Manual for setting up the sensors of the Monitoring Box

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Abstract

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Introduction

Requirements

For every sensor added there is need for an Arduino Nano. This is a programmable microprocessor. Advanced users may be able to connect multiple sensors to a single Arduino Nano, not that this requires advanced knowledge of the communication protocols between the Raspberry Pi 3 b+ and Arduino Nano.

The first item needed for the GPS sensor is the Global Positioning System (GPS) module. We have used the Digilent 410-237 GPS-receiverboard.

For the temperature and humidity sensor we have used the DHT22 module, this is a digital temperature- and humidty sensor. the DHT22 is more accurate $(0.5^{o}$ accuracy) than the previous, DHT11. It has a temperature reach from -40 to +80 °C. and has a humidity reach from 10% to 90% with an accuracy of 2,0 %.

The heartrate sensor consists of the MAXREFDES117# Reference Design Board with optical heart rate and pulse-oximetry monitor. It has integrated Red and Infrared LEDs. This works best on a person's fingertip or earlobe.

The CO₂ sensor comes in two varieties, the regular sensor which is affordable but less accurate and the advanced which has a higher costs and comes with higher accuracy.

The 'Regular CO_2 sensor' uses the MIKROE-1630 Daughter Board from Air Quality Click. It's an MQ-135 High sensitivity air quality sensor and potentiometer.

The 'Advanced CO_2 sensor' uses CO_2 meter.com its K-30 sensor. The K-30 sensor is an accurate gas sensing up to 5000ppm (CO_2) with an accuracy of 3%. Note that the advanced CO_2 meter does not work on the Arduino Nano and is only tested on the Arduino Uno.

The raspberry Pi Cam doesn't require to be connected to an Arduino and can be plugged directly in to the Raspberry Pi its camera-port. For this project we used Sony's IMX219 8-Megapixel Pi Camera Board. It is able for taking

photographs of 3280×2464 pixels or video's at $1080 \mathrm{p}$ at 30 frames per second.

The galvanic skin response sensor, or short GSR, measures the galvanic skin response based on the electrical conductance of the skin. For the Monitoring Box we have used the Grove-GSR sensor from seeed studio.

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