

Internet of Things

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Communication Technologies

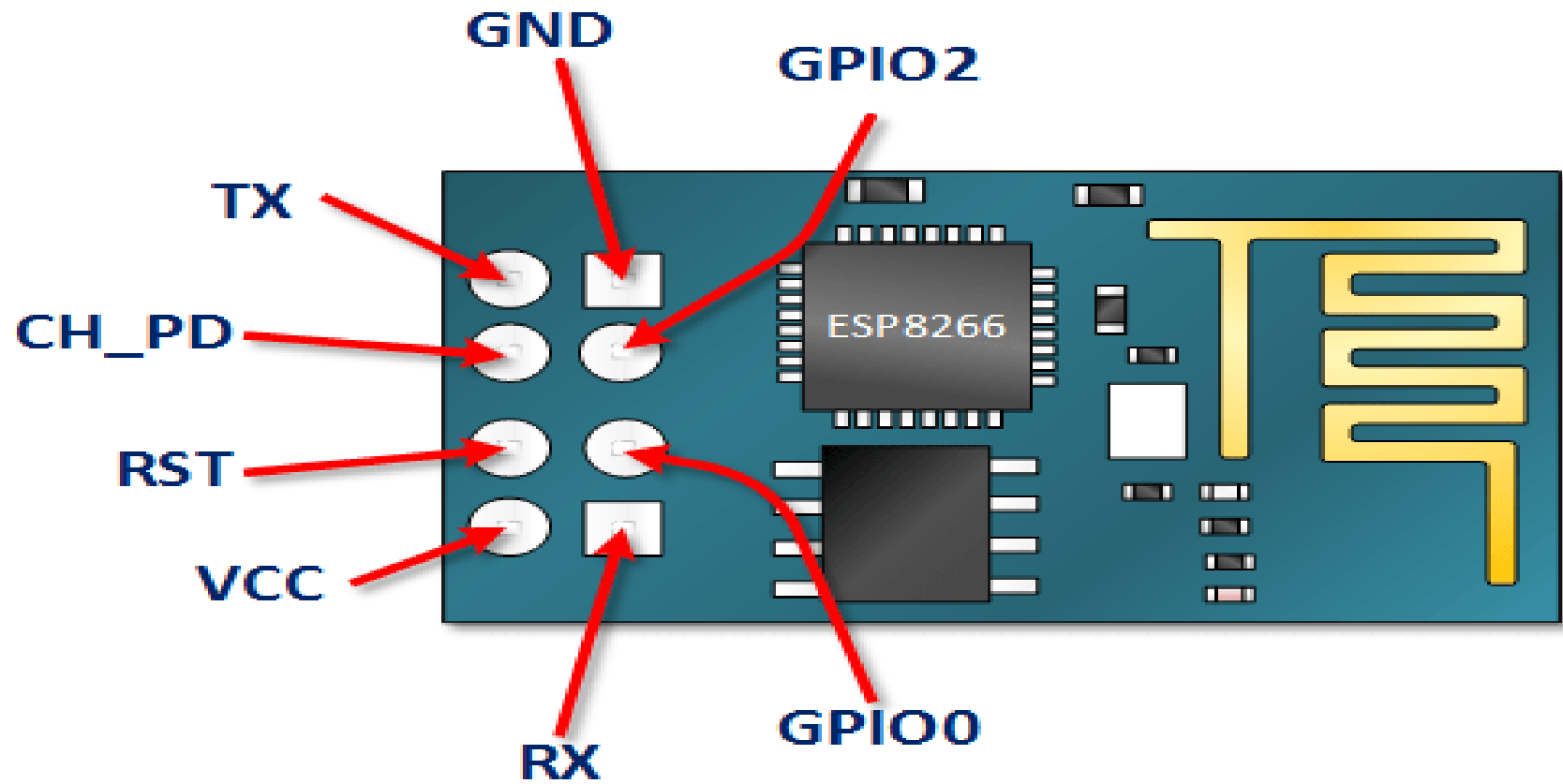
- Bluetooth
- Cellular (GSM SIM 3G/4G/5G)
- **802.11 (WiFi)**
- ZigBee
- Z-wave
- 6LowPAN
- NFC

802.11 (WiFi)

- Sending sensor data to internet for further processing.
- Need a wireless interface (hardware support).
- **ESP8266 MCU.**
- The ESP8266 is a low-cost Wi-Fi microchip with full TCP/IP stack and microcontroller capability produced by manufacturer Espressif Systems in Shanghai, China.
- It supports Wi-Fi 802.11 b/g/n around 2.4 GHz
- Supports ad-hoc, infrastructure, access point, mesh



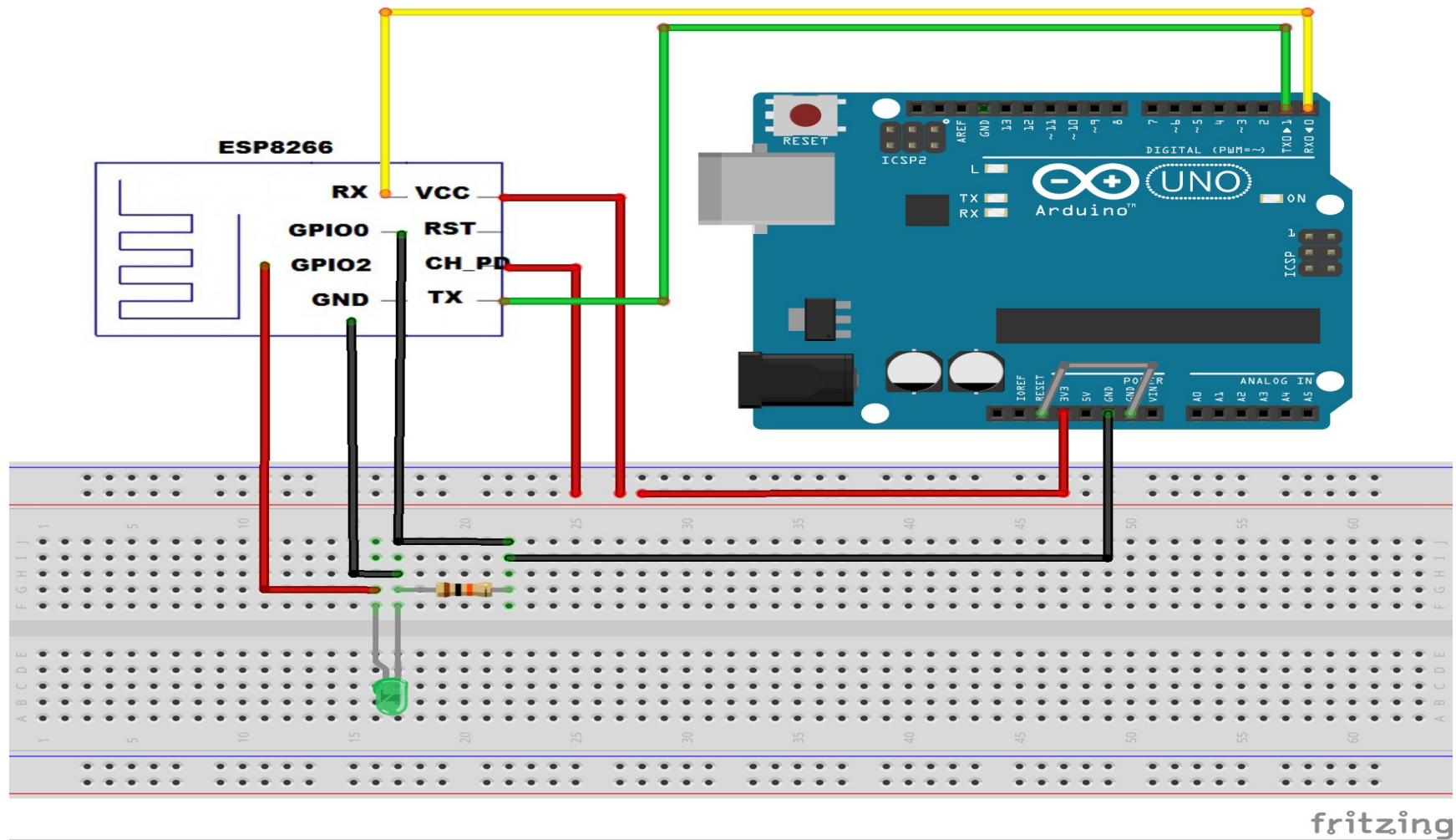
ESP8266



Pin out of ESP8266

- The pinout is as follows for the common ESP-01 module:
 - VCC, Voltage (**+3.3 V; can handle up to 3.6 V**)
 - GND, Ground (0 V)
 - RX, Receive data bit X (General-purpose input/output No. 3)
 - TX, Transmit data bit X (General-purpose input/output No. 1)
 - CH_PD, Chip power-down
 - RST, Reset
 - GPIO 0, General-purpose input/output No. 0
 - GPIO 2, General-purpose input/output No. 2

Connecting ESP8266 with Arduino



Install ESP8266 library

- First prepare arduino IDE to support ESP8266 board.
- Install esp8266 libraries from github
- Exit from arduino IDE and run below commands
 - `sudo apt-get install git-core`
 - `sudo git config --global http.proxy http://edcguest:edcguest@172.31.100.14:3128`
 - `sudo git config --global https.proxy http://edcguest:edcguest@172.31.100.14:3128`

Install ESP8266 library

- Go to Arduino downloaded directory from terminal then run commands in sudo mode:
 - `cd arduino-1.8.9`
 - `cd hardware`
 - `mkdir esp8266com`
 - `cd esp8266com`
 - `sudo git clone https://github.com/esp8266/Arduino.git esp8266`
 - `cd esp8266`
 - `sudo git submodule update --init`

Install ESP8266 library

- `export http_proxy='http://edcguest:edcguest@172.31.100.14:3128'`
- `export https_proxy='http://edcguest:edcguest@172.31.100.14:3128'`
- `sudo apt-get install make unrar-free autoconf automake libtool gcc g++ gperf flex`
- `sudo apt-get install bison texinfo gawk ncurses-dev libexpat-dev python-dev python`
- `sudo apt-get install python-serial sed git unzip bash help2man wget bzip2`
- `sudo apt-get install libtool-bin`
- `cd tools/`
- `python3 get.py`
- Restart Arduino IDE and verify it (Tools-->Boards-->ESP8266)

Flashing ESP8266 from Arduino

```
#include <ESP8266WiFi.h>

void setup()
{
  Serial.begin(115200);
  Serial.println();
  WiFi.begin("MNNIT");
  Serial.print("Connecting");
  while (WiFi.status() != WL_CONNECTED)
  {
    delay(500);
    Serial.println("trying");
  }
  Serial.println("WIFI Status:" + WiFi.status());
  Serial.println("Connected IP Address is:" + WiFi.localIP().toString());
}

void loop() {
  String ip="";
  delay(5000);
  if(WiFi.status() == WL_CONNECTED)
  {
    ip = WiFi.localIP().toString();
    Serial.println("Connected IP Address is:" + ip);
  }
}
```

Flashing ESP8266 from Arduino

- Verify Port (/dev/ttyUSB0 or /dev/ttyUSB1)
- Select board: Generic ESP8266 Module
- Connect RESET line of Arduino to GND (GPIO0+GND) of ESP8266
- TX → TX
- RX → RX
- Disconnect GPIO2 Line (if connected to any pin)
- Verify and upload sketch

Connecting ESP8266 to AP

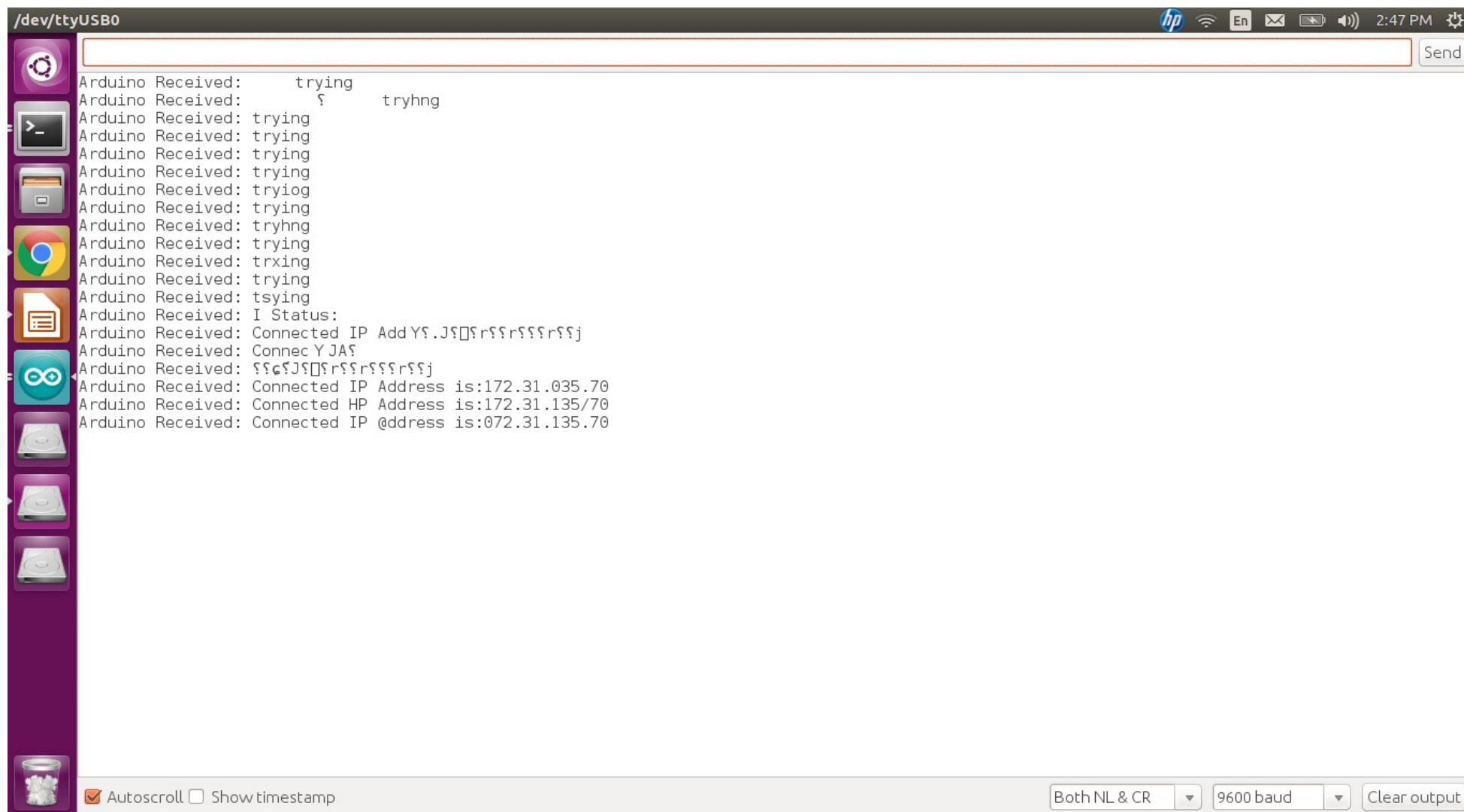
- After successful flashing the sketch to ESP8266.
- Disconnect USB cable from computer
- Disconnect RESET and GPIO0 line
- Reverse the TX and RX line (if BUILTIN pin)
- Connect TX → pin2
- Connect Rx → pin3

Serial Data from ESP to Arduino

- `#include<SoftwareSerial.h>`
- `SoftwareSerial esp8266(2, 3); // RX, TX`
- `void setup() {`
- `Serial.begin(9600);`
- `esp8266.begin(115200);`
- `delay(5000);`
- `}`

```
void loop() {  
  String inData="";  
  while (esp8266.available() > 0)  
  {  
    char received = esp8266.read();  
    inData += received;  
  
    // Process message when new line  
    character is recieved  
    if (received == '\n')  
    {  
      Serial.print("Arduino Received: ");  
      Serial.print(inData);  
      inData = ""; // Clear received buffer  
    }  
  }  
}
```

Output at Serial Port



```
/dev/ttyUSB0
Arduino Received:      trying
Arduino Received:      ?      tryhng
Arduino Received: trying
Arduino Received: trying
Arduino Received: trying
Arduino Received: trying
Arduino Received: tryiog
Arduino Received: trying
Arduino Received: tryhng
Arduino Received: trying
Arduino Received: trxing
Arduino Received: trying
Arduino Received: tsying
Arduino Received: I Status:
Arduino Received: Connected IP Add Y$.J$[]$r$$r$$r$$r$$j
Arduino Received: Connec Y JA$
Arduino Received: $$c$J$[]$r$$r$$r$$r$$j
Arduino Received: Connected IP Address is:172.31.035.70
Arduino Received: Connected HP Address is:172.31.135/70
Arduino Received: Connected IP @ddress is:072.31.135.70
```

☒ Autoscroll ☐ Show timestamp Both NL & CR 9600 baud Clear output

Verify reachability of ESP

- Ping to obtained IP address from any machine of lab



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AND
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