Takagi - Framework for CoAP

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Who I am?

- Ruby developer
- Edge computing enthusiast
- Builds sensor boxes

Everyone knows HTTP

- What about IoT?
- Small devices does not have enough RAM.
- Headers, parsing

Solution? CoAP! (RFC 7252)

CoAP is totally different, right?

Method	CoAP	НТТР
GET	V	V
POST	V	V
PUT	V	V
DELETE	V	V
PATCH	Nope	V
HEAD	Nope	

So I can make a REST?

CoAP	HTTP
2.01	201
4.00	400
4.04	404
5.00	500

How hard it can be?

```
CoapServer server = new CoapServer();
server.add(new CoapResource("hello") {
  public void handleGET(CoapExchange exchange) {
    exchange.respond("Hello world!");
  }
});
server.start();
```

It looks brilliant, but I like this

```
@RestController
public class RestController {
    @GetMapping(value = "/hello")
    public Student getTestData() {
        return "hello";
    }
}
```

What else?

Feature	CoAP libraries	"Web" Frameworks
Dynamic routing	DIY	
Modular	Just library, other DIY	(usually)
Parameters	Somewhere	
Approach	Low-level	High-level

The result is Takagi

- Inspired by Sinatra (That's why Takagi)
- Written in Ruby
- What if CoAP is just HTTP?

https://github.com/domitea/takagi



Little detour: Controllers in Sinatra

```
require 'sinatra'

class FrankApp < Sinatra:Base
  get '/frank-says' do
    'Put this in your pipe & smoke it!'
  end
end</pre>
```

FrankApp.run!

In Takagi

SensorAPI.run!

```
require 'takagi'
class SensorAPI < Takagi::Base</pre>
  get "/sensor/:id" do |params|
    puts params[:id].to i
  end
end
```

So we have REST, what next?

- CoAP is not just HTTP
- CoAP is also MQTT
- Meet RFC 7641 Observing Resources in the Constrained Application Protocol (CoAP)

Wait a minute...

	MQTT	CoAP (RFC 7641)
Subscribe	SUBSCRIBE topic	GET + Observe
Publish	PUBLISH topic	NOTIFY
QoS	defined	CON/NON

And Takagi?

```
reactor do
     observable "/sensors/temp" do # this endpoint can be observerved in CoAP way
       { temp: 42.0 }
     end
     observe "coap://temp_server/temp" do |params| # you can also observe another CoAP endpoints
        puts params.inspect
      end
 end
end
```

And how I can define...?

- Models? You can use Sequel
- Views? Well, it's CoAP, not HTTP!
- HTTP stuff? You can use... Sinatra!

Why Takagi?

- Human-friendly CoAP
- Sinatra-like routing
- MVC like structure (if you add models)
- Runs where Ruby runs
- REST and MQTT combo
- Focus on sensors, not boilerplate
- Every Backend developer can do CoAP with Takagi

Questions?

Thank you for your attention