Prepwork: Setup accounts if needed

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Your Code Brightens the Room

Learning to use
Python + MQTT + IOT
to control lights

Agenda

- Introduction / Who am I
- Workshop Overview
- IOT Architecture
- Message Queues / Brokers
- IOT Device details (Sonoff Tasmota)
- Hack on stuff

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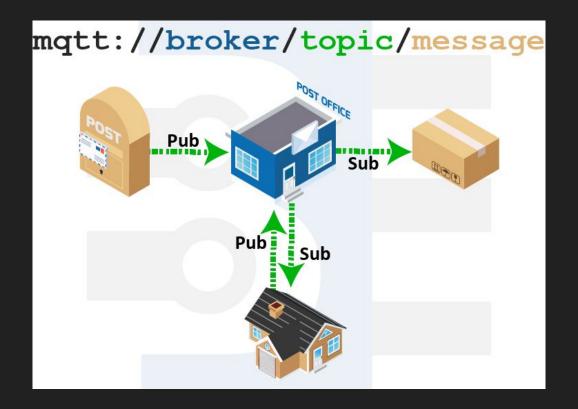
Overview of workshop

I'm going to teach you how to turn on/off a light...



... from the couch or the other side of the world

IOT Architecture: PubSub Layout



IOT Architecture : MQTT Terms

- MQTT: Message Queuing Telemetry Transport
- **IOT**: Internet of Things, typically internet connected "Smart" devices
- Broker: The broker accepts messages from clients and then delivers them to any interested clients. Messages belong to a topic. (Sometimes brokers are called "servers.")
- Client: A "device" that either publishes a message to a topic, subscribes to a topic, or both.
- Topic: A namespace (or place) for messages on the broker. Clients subscribe and publish to a topic.
- Publish: A client sending a message to the broker, using a topic name.
- **Subscribe**: A client tells the broker which topics interest it. Once subscribed, the broker sends messages published to that topic. (In some configurations the broker sends "missed" messages.) A client can subscribe to multiple topics.
- Relay: An electronic component that opens and closes an electrical circuit.

Term definitions from: https://www.baldengineer.com/mqtt-introduction.html

MQTT Topic Subscription Syntax

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Wildcards:
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- # is multi level
- + is single level

Topic example: chats/room1 chats/hotel/room2 stats/light1/power stats/light2/power

Subscribe to all chat rooms: chats/#

Subscribe to the power status of all lights: stats/+/power

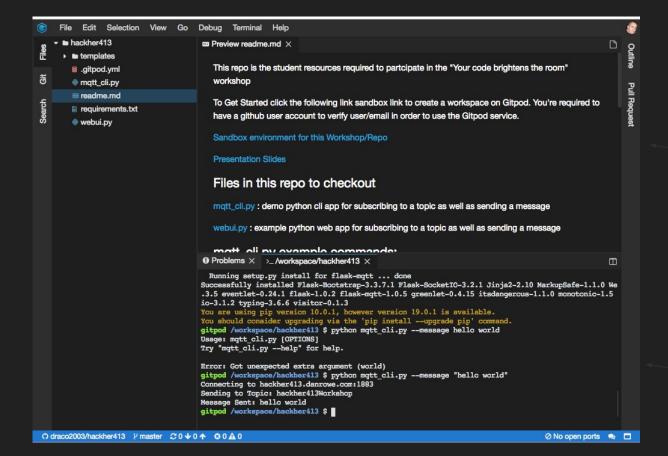
MQTT With Python

Workshop Repo https://github.com/draco2003/iotworkshop

Has links to the slides, sandbox environment and sample code

Let's get started!

Gitpod.io IDE



Editor

Terminal

Commands to run demo

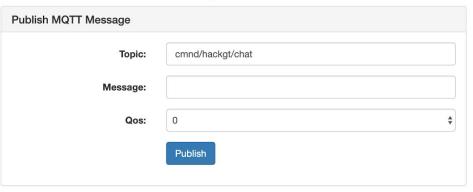
WebUI demo code: python webui.py

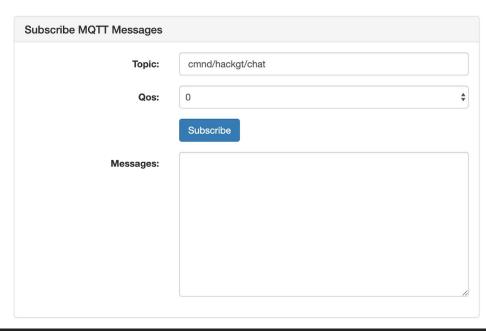
Cli demo code:

Subscribe - python mqtt_cli.py
Send message - python mqtt_cli.py --message "hello world"

Webui interface example

Flask-MQTT Example





IOT Device overview

We're going to be playing with Sonoff devices today



Arduino based Wifi enabled Relays with alternative firmware

Sonoff MQTT details

The devices are named hackgt001 - hackgt006

If you subscribe to the following topic you'll get status updates for device 1: stat/hackgt/hackgt001/#

To send the device commands to device 1:

You use the topic: cmnd/hackgt/hackgt001/power

Available messages for that topic are in the chart below

Message	Function
0 / off	Turn power off
1 / on	Turn power on
2 / toggle	Toggle power of relay