Project Report

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Searching the Dataset

MQTT

We used python with the paho mqtt library to contact the server and retrieve data. The script is located at mqtt/capture.py relative to the repository directory. The script first establishes a connection to the server, then subscribes to all topics with the # metacharacter and the listen for exactly 30 minutes. The result of the capture is then saved to the data.json file.

We then used the data-processing.ipynb notebook to clean and filter the captured values, resulting in 13 valid unique observations saved in the mqtt_coords.txt file.

Then we extracted manually other observation which we used to interact with Coap, namely those with the following topic and payload:

Topic	Payload
coap/post/mixed/	?problem=memory
coap/post/mixed/	go to the Doctor of the BarrierReef
coap/lies	resources can be hidden, find all of them and you'll
	get a treasure
coap/hidden	find the HiddenTreasure in the BarrierReef
coap/resource	/root/BarrierReef/FishLocator?user=Dory
anemone/in/the/barrier/reef	/root/BarrierReef/Anemone?owner=Marlin
<pre>great/barrier/reef/with/post</pre>	/root/PostMe6?search=entry_post
other/coap/resource	/root/BarrierReef/Apps?fingerprint=True
other/coap/resource	&gps=False
other/coap/resource	wait for this A LOT!

COAP

To retrieve COAP data we used mainly two tools: Firefox with Copper running on the course virtual machine, and tzolov/coap-shell. With the latter we executed a discover request which exposed several resources listed in the coap/resources.txt file relative to the repository main directory.

Then for every resource we performed a request with every possible method type, with special care for resources which needed an observe request.