

IoT based Smart Energy Meter





Agenda

- Problem Identification
- Motivation & Solution
- Proposal
- Deliverables

Problem Identification

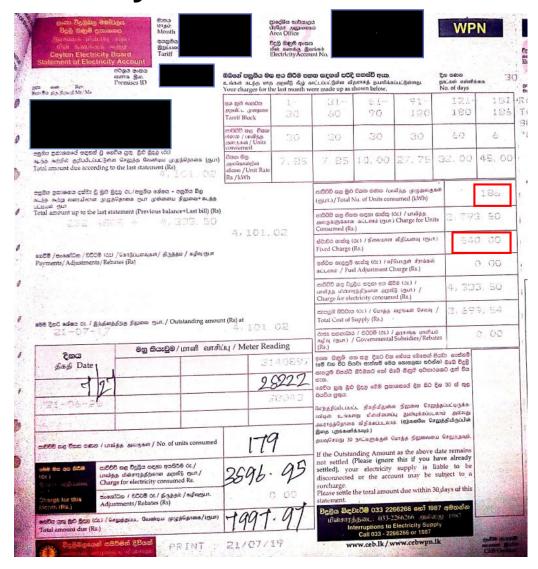
- Approach : Need of smart energy meter in Sri Lanka
- <u>Domestic Purpose Tariff</u>

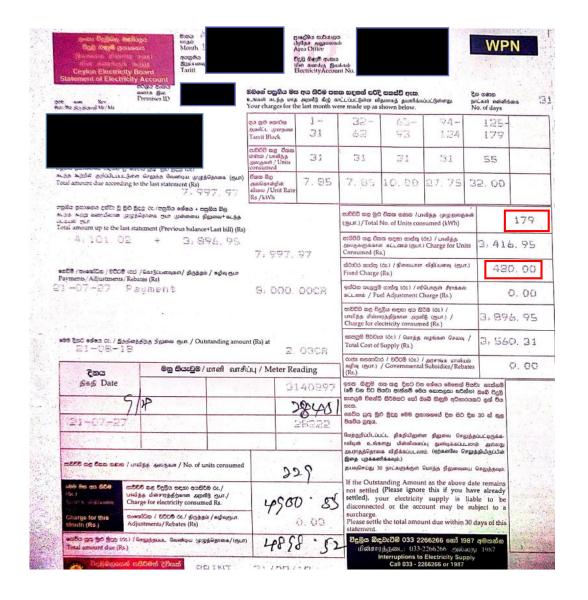
Monthly Consumption (kWh)	Unit Charge (Rs./kWh)	Fixed Charge (Rs./month)	
0-60	7.85	N/A	
61-90	10.00	90.00	
91-120	27.75	480.00	
121-180	32.00	480.00	
>180	45.00	540.00	

Table 1: Electricity Tariff

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Case Study





Smart Energy Meter

 The smart energy meter is an advanced energy meter that obtains information from the end users' load devices and measures the energy consumption of the consumers and then provides added information to the utility company and/or system operator.

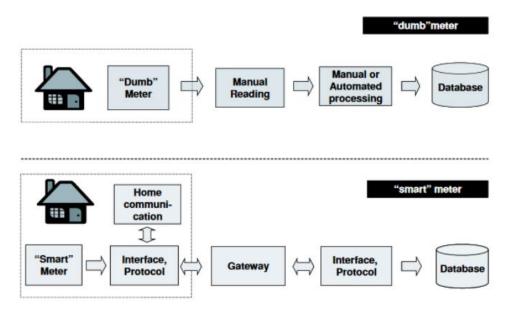


Fig 1. Normal Meter Vs Smart Meter ¹

Why Smart Energy meter?

- As a Service provider and Consumer both benefited
- Real time monitoring of power usage
- Can be integrate with currently installed meter
- Plug and Play capabilities

Motivation and Solution

Generally how to measure/analyze power? Oscilloscope/Power meter

Energy Monitor

Device Level Energy Monitor

1. Smart Plugs



2. MCB integrated Digital Wattmeter



- 3. Gadget Based
 - On-spot monitoring
 (e.g. PIC Micro controller based)
 - Remote monitoring (e.g. loT based)

Home Level Energy Monitor

1. Analog kwh meters

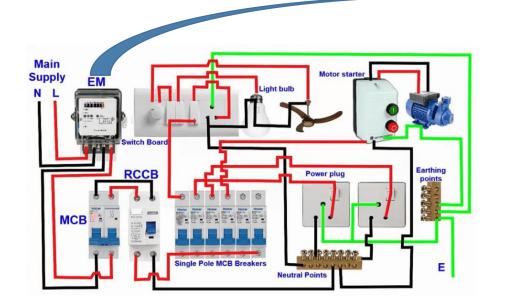


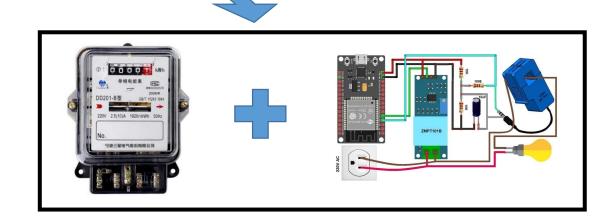
Digital kwh meters



Power (P) = Voltage (V_{rms}) x Current (I_{rms}) x Power Factor (Cos θ)

Proposed: IoT based Smart Energy Monitor - Overview





- Current
- Voltage

Measure Data from sensors

Send to Cloud

• Blynk Cloud HTTPS API

- Application
 - Develop Own App
 - Use Existing App e.g. Blynk App
- Web Interface

Visualize using Mobile

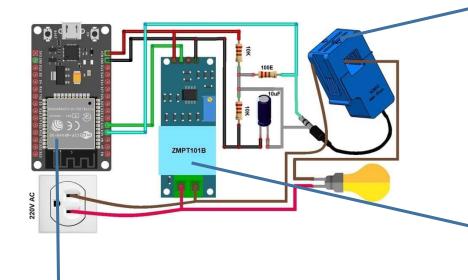
Functions of Smart Meter

- Remote monitoring of consumption data
- Automatic Meter Reading (AMR) Facility

Picture Source:

^{1.} https://theoppowersolutions.com/electrical-wiring-for-a-house/

Main Components Overview



SCT-013 Current Sensor

- Non Invasive
- Rated input current: 5A/100A
- Fire resistance
- Work temperature: -25°C~+70°C

ESP32 Wi-Fi Module

- Ultra Low Power Solution
- Wi-Fi Key Features
- CPU and Memory
- Advanced Peripheral Interfaces

ZMPT101B Voltage Sensor

- Voltage up to 250 volts can be measured
- Lightweight with an on-board micro-precision voltage transformer
- High precision on-board op-amp circuit
- Operating temperature: 40°C ~ + 70°C
- Supply voltage 5 volts to 30 volts
- Size: 49.5mm x 19.4mm

Sensor selection: Library Support, Availability, Linearity, Accuracy, Precision, Size, Operating Temperature

Source:

- https://www.mcielectronics.cl/website_MCl/static/documents/Datasheet_SCT013.pdf
- 2. https://innovatorsguru.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/ZMPT101B.pdf
- 3. https://www.espressif.com/sites/default/files/documentation/esp32_datasheet_en.pdf

Components:

Components	Price (LKR)
ESP32 Board	1980
ZMPT101B AC Voltage Sensor Module	560
SCT-013-030 Non-invasive AC Current Sensor 🥍 🥩	1270
16X2 I2C LCD Display	1200
Resistor 10k	10
Resistor 100 ohm	10
Capacitor 10μf	50
Total	5080

Additional Test Equipments Needed	
Oscilloscope: To monitor, test, verify different type of loads	
Multimeter: To verify the sensor measurements	
MCB : Protection for the circuits while implementing	

Final Deliverables

- × Milestones to Complete
 - Literature Study
 - Implement Device Level Smart Energy Meter
 - Circuit Implementation
 - App Integration
 - Test with different loads
 - Integrate with Kwh meter

Considerations/Challenges

× What if there is no network/Wi-Fi coverage?



Potential Enhancements

- × Standards for Product development
 - BS EN IEC 62052-11:2021: Electricity metering equipment. General requirements, tests and test conditions Metering equipment
- × Enclosure Design IP Class: IP54
- × Additional Capabilities in Application
 - Admin mode
 - Service mode
 - Customer mode
- × Imported/ Exported energy monitoring
 - Needed remodel of the proposed design
- × Accuracy /Service Period
- × Power Supply Unit for Gadget
 - Using Transformer
 - Separate power supply unit

