

Enhancing Industrial Data Monitoring and Automation Using IoT and Cloud Technologies.

A Case Study with SATEC PM130EH PLUS Energy Meters and ThingSpeak.

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Introduction

- **Objective:** To enhance data monitoring and automation in industrial settings
- **Key technologies:** Modbus, RS485, IoT gateways, ThingSpeak Cloud Service.

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Chhattisgarh



3.6 MTPA

Steel Production Capacity

1.32 MTPA

Direct Reduced Iron Plant
(DRI)

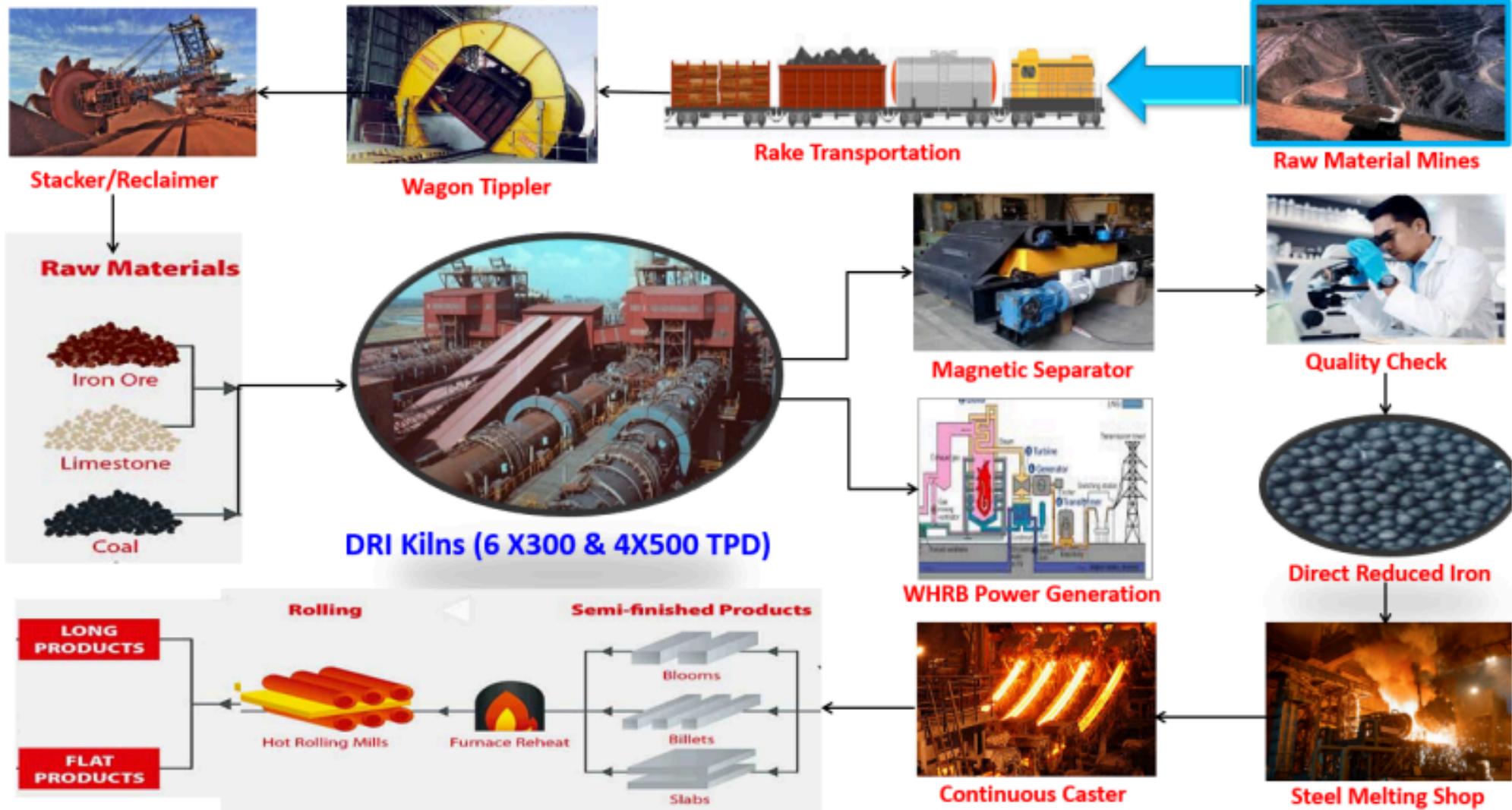
1 MTPA

Plate Mill

0.7 MTPA

Rail Mill

DRI Overview



Safety Measures

BASIC PPEs



Safety Helmet



Safety Shoes

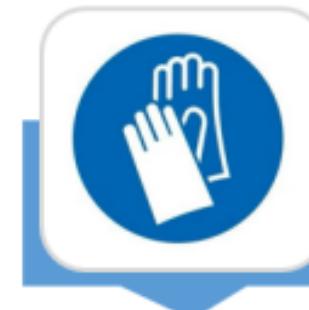


Safety Goggles

SITE SPECIFIC PPEs



Safety Fr Jacket



Cut resistance
Hand Gloves

DEPARTMENT JOB SPECIFIC PPEs (An example, other deptt also needs to identify in same way)



N95 Mask



Ear Plug



Helmet mounted face shield



Aluminum Suit



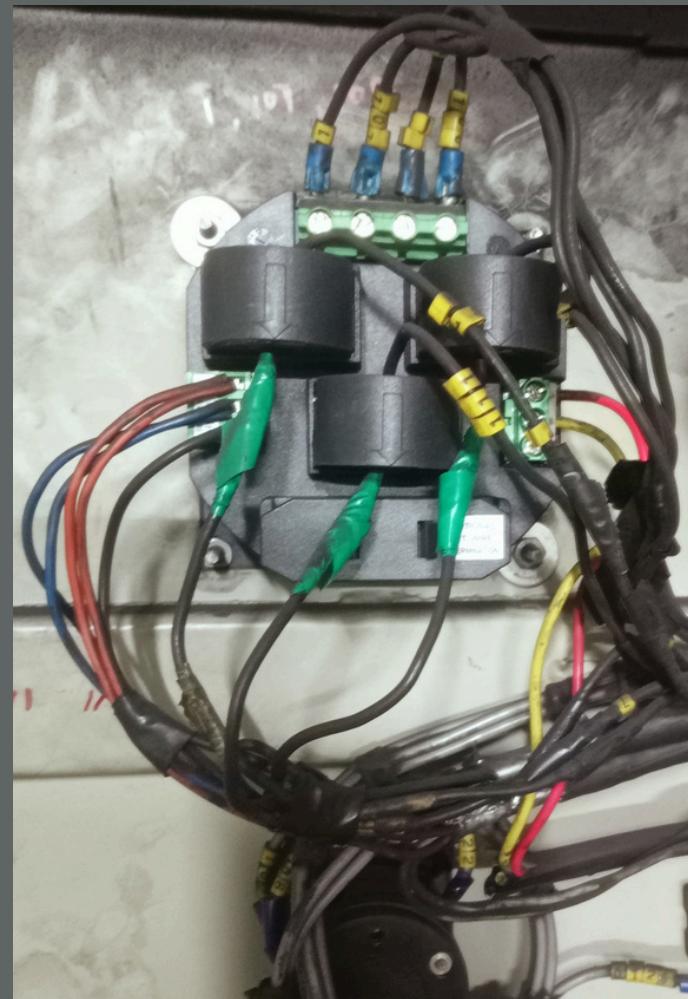
Full Body Harness

Project Motivation

- Identified manual data collection tasks at JSP's DRI department.
- Observed manual processes such as collecting vibration data, temperature measurements, and energy meter readings.
- Aimed to automate energy meter data collection for better efficiency and reliability.
- Proposed solution: leveraging IoT and cloud technologies for real-time data access and remote monitoring.

Energy Meter Capabilities

- **Advanced Communication Protocols:** Supports Modbus RTU/TCP for easy IoT integration.
- **Data Logging:** Built-in data logging with large storage for historical data.
- **Multiple Communication Ports:** RS485 and Ethernet ports for connecting to IoT devices.
- **Flexible Power Supply:** Wide voltage range (85-265V AC/DC) for industrial compatibility.
- **Remote Monitoring:** Real-time data access and remote configuration via IoT platforms.



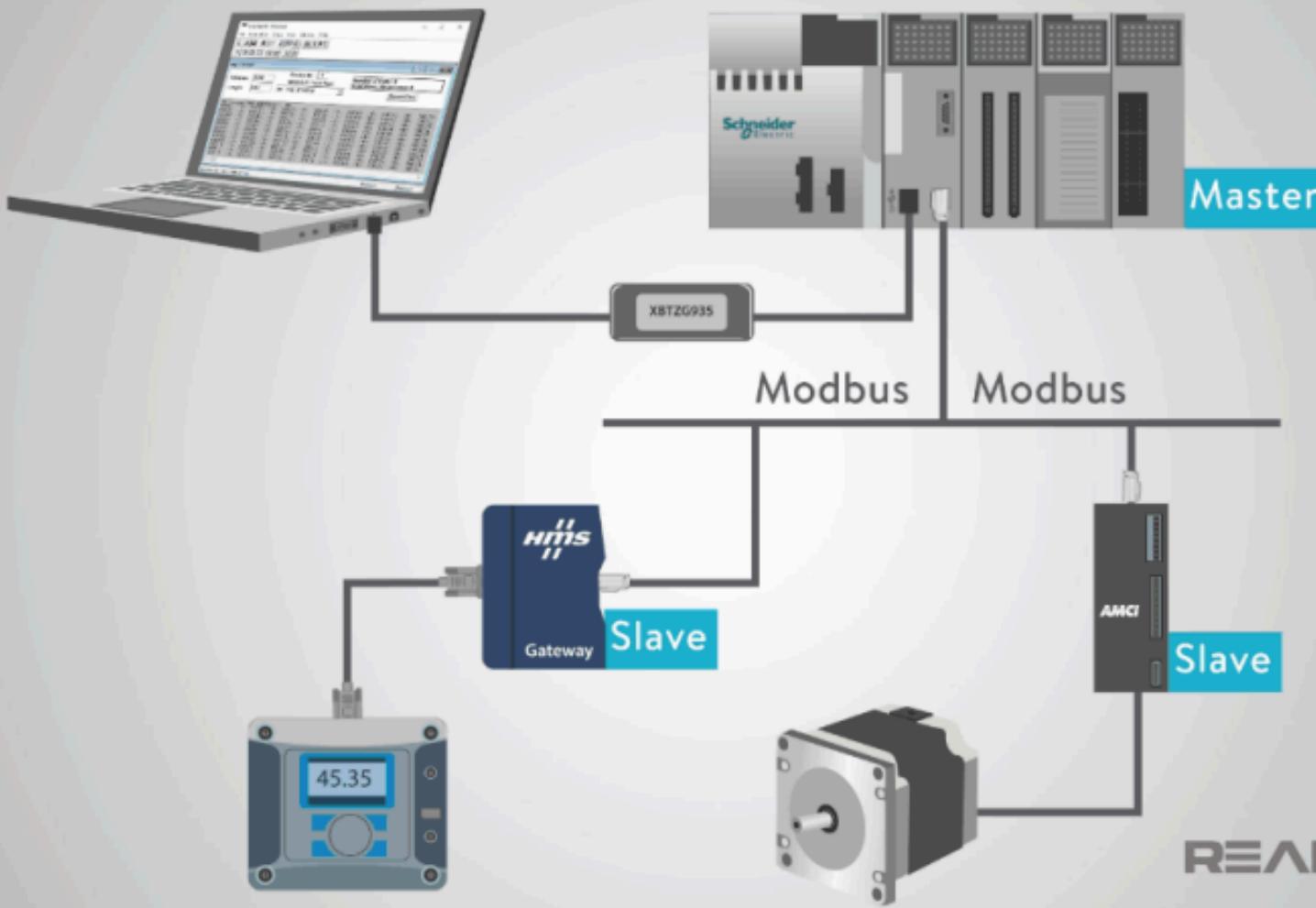
SATEC PM130EH PLUS ENERGY METER

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Modbus Protocol

- Developed by Modicon in 1979, Modbus is a widely used industrial communication protocol.
- Master-slave architecture: master device initiates a request, and slave devices respond.
- Ensures efficient data exchange over serial lines.
- RS485 complements Modbus with robust, noise-resistant communication over long distances.
- Supports multiple devices on the same bus, enabling complex network configurations.

Modbus Communication Protocol



Key Features of WiFi Module for Energy Meters



1. **Protocol Compatibility:** Supports Modbus RTU/TCP and MQTT.
2. **Multiple Interfaces:** RS485, RS232, and Ethernet ports.
3. **Wide Voltage Range:** 5-36V DC power supply.
4. **Robust Wireless Standards:** 802.11b/g/n compliance.
5. **Secure Communication:** WPA/WPA2 encryption, TLS/SSL support.
6. **Configuration & Management:** Web-based setup, remote firmware updates.
7. **Data Logging & Storage:** Internal memory, real-time clock.
8. **LED Indicators:** Power, link, RXD, TXD, and error LEDs.
9. **Environmental Robustness:** Industrial-grade, wide temperature range.
10. **Mounting Options:** DIN rail mounting, compact design.

IoT Gateway Evaluation

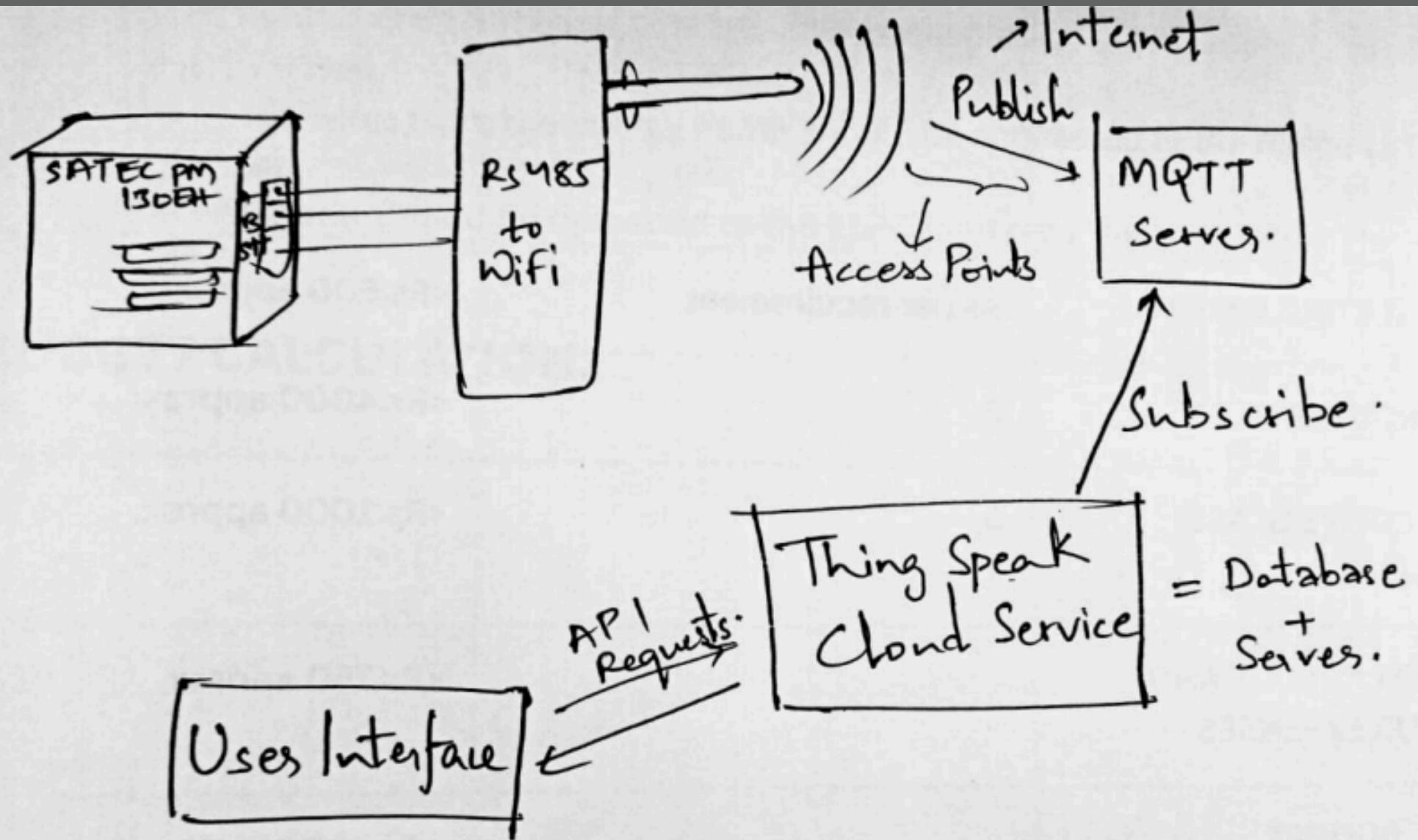
- Studied Waveshare Rail-Mount Serial Server and USR-W610 devices.
- Features: RS485 to WiFi/Ethernet conversion, support for Modbus, MQTT, TCP, UDP.
- Selected Waveshare for the solution due to detailed research and manufacturer inquiry.
- Emphasized rich indicator LEDs, wide voltage support, and suitability for harsh industrial environments.



**Waveshare Rail-
Mount Serial
Server**



USR-W610
**RS232/485 to Wi-
Fi/Ethernet
Converter**



Architecture, Process

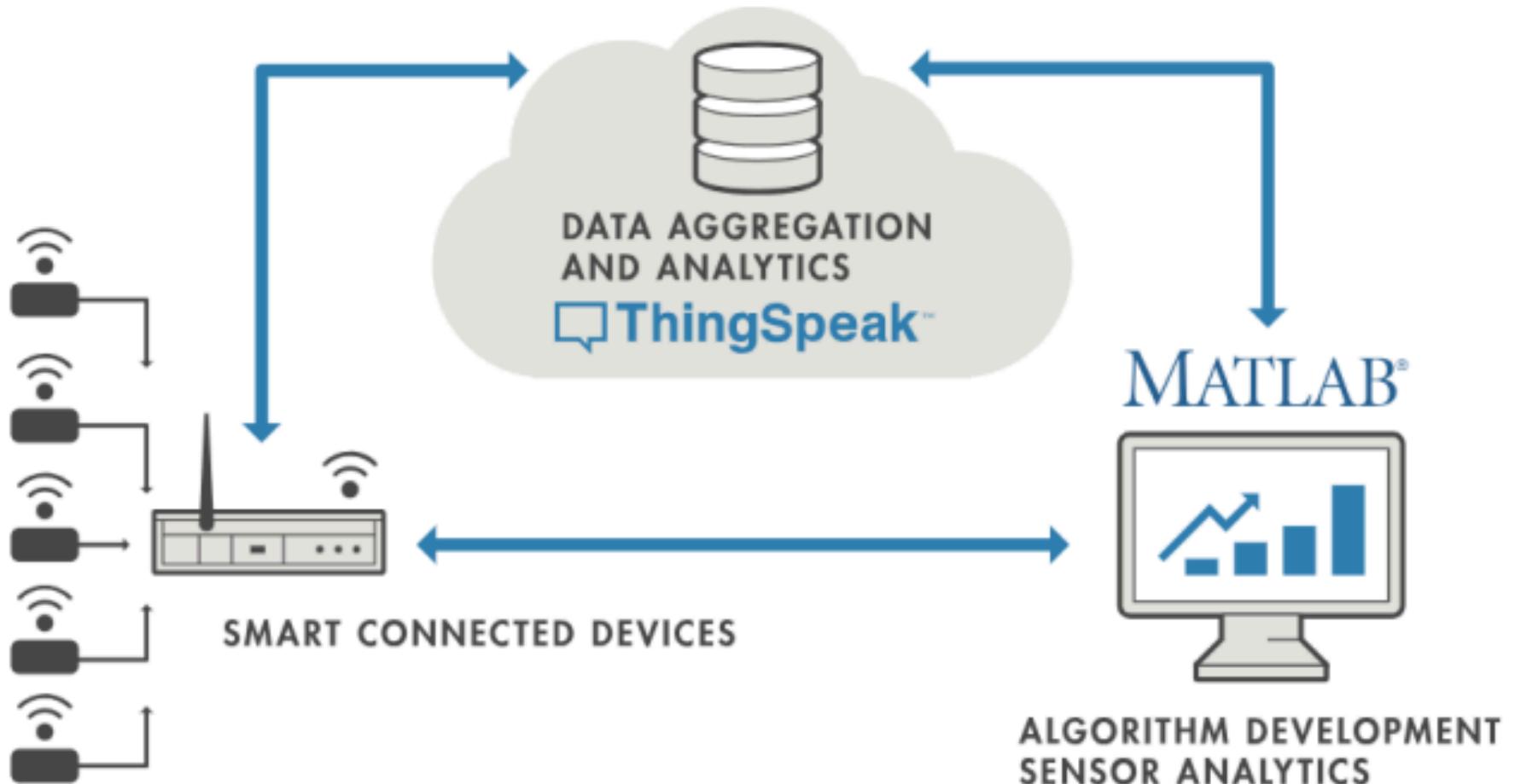
ThingSpeak Cloud Platform

- ThingSpeak is a cloud-based IoT analytics platform for real-time data visualization and monitoring.
- Supports MQTT and HTTP protocols for secure data transmission.
- Provides tools for data analysis, including machine learning algorithms for predictive maintenance.
- Enables viewing of live data from any location, facilitating remote monitoring and decision-making.

- MQTT: Message Queuing Telemetry Transport
- HTTP: HyperText Transfer Protocol



ThingSpeak Cloud Service

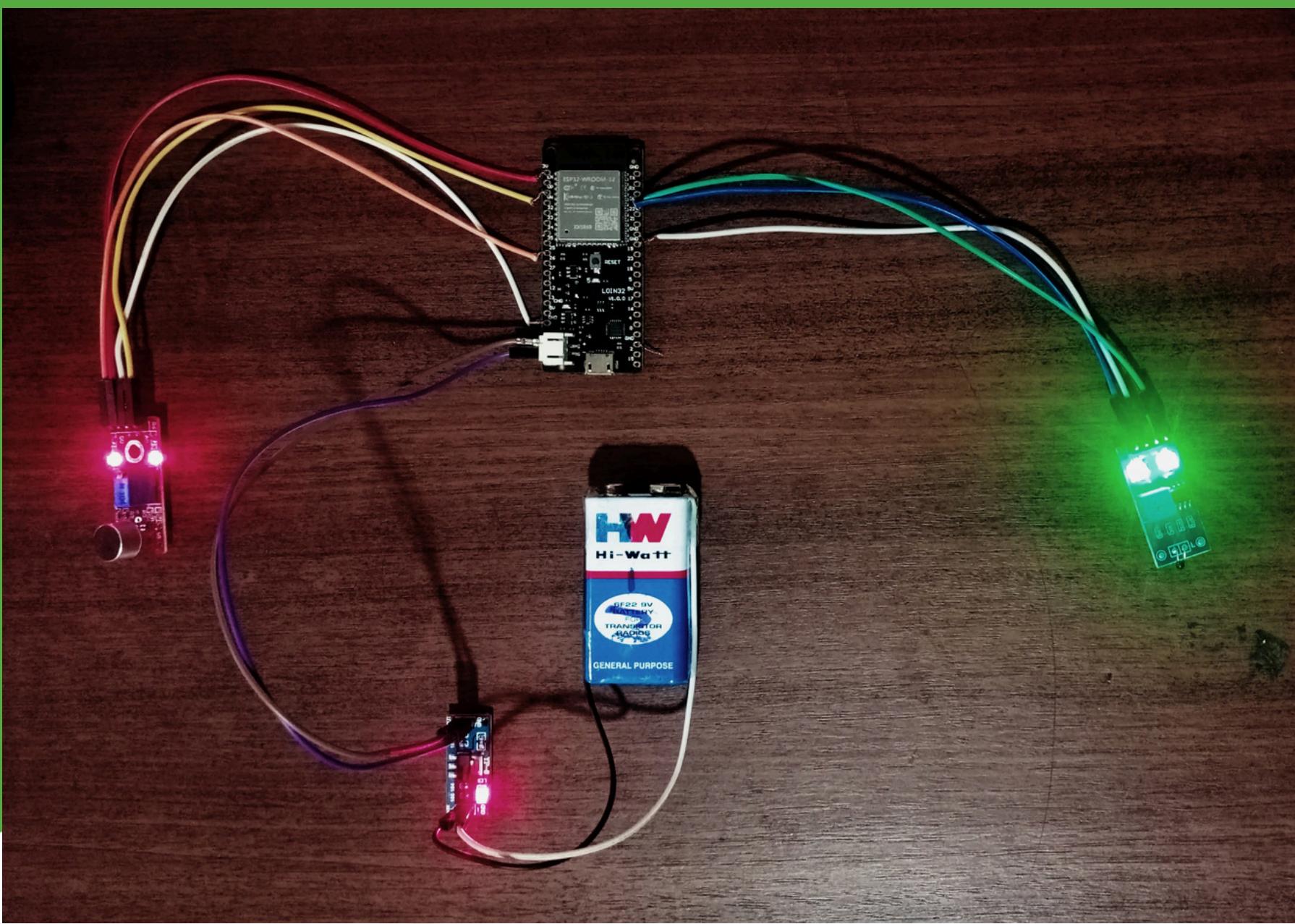


BUDGET ESTIMATION

Equipment	Requirement	Cost in Rs.
Waveshare Wifi module	3	3500*3
WiFi Router	3	2000*3
Connecting Wires,AC to DC adapters	As Required	2000
Miscellaneous Cost	Including Labour	1500
Total		20,000

Prototype Development

- Created a prototype using ESP32, temperature sensor, and sound sensor.
- Demonstrated data collection and transmission to ThingSpeak.
- Validated real-time data visualization on ThingSpeak.
- Emphasized ease of setup and potential for scalability.

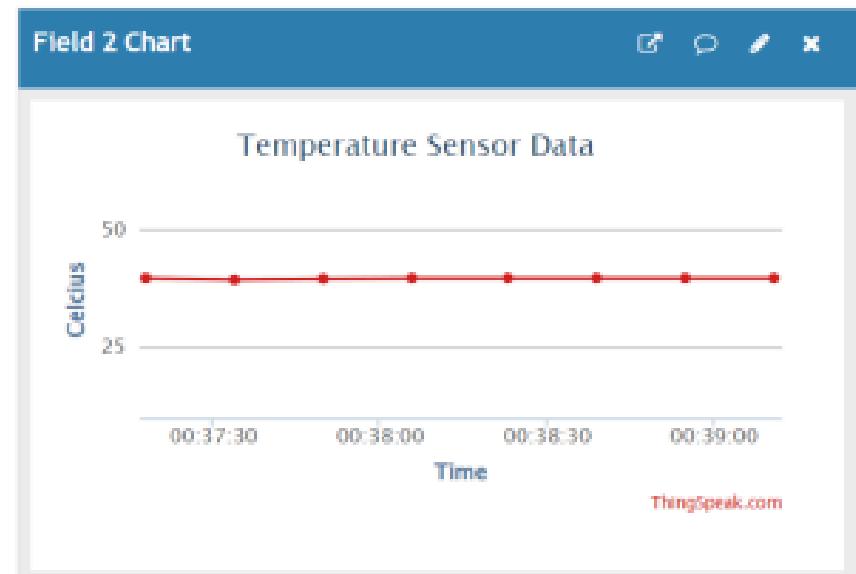
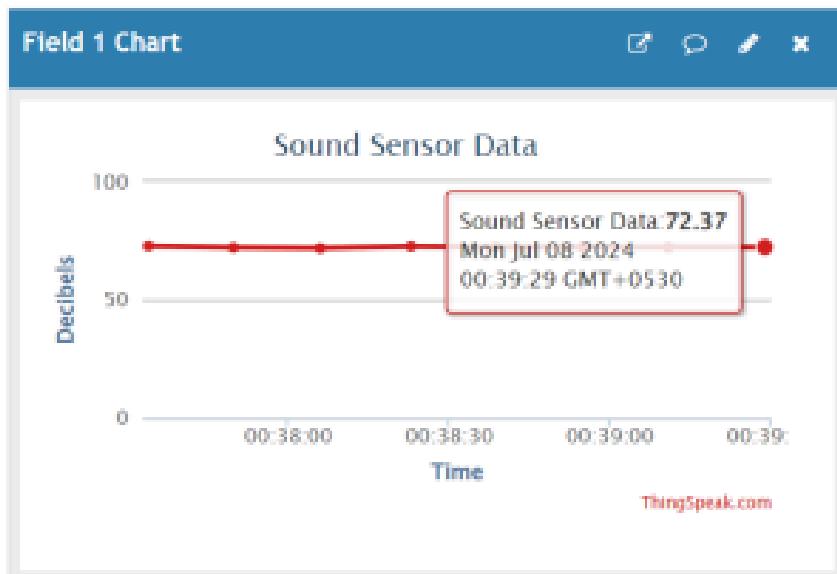


Prototype for Demonstrating Process

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ThingSpeak Dashboard

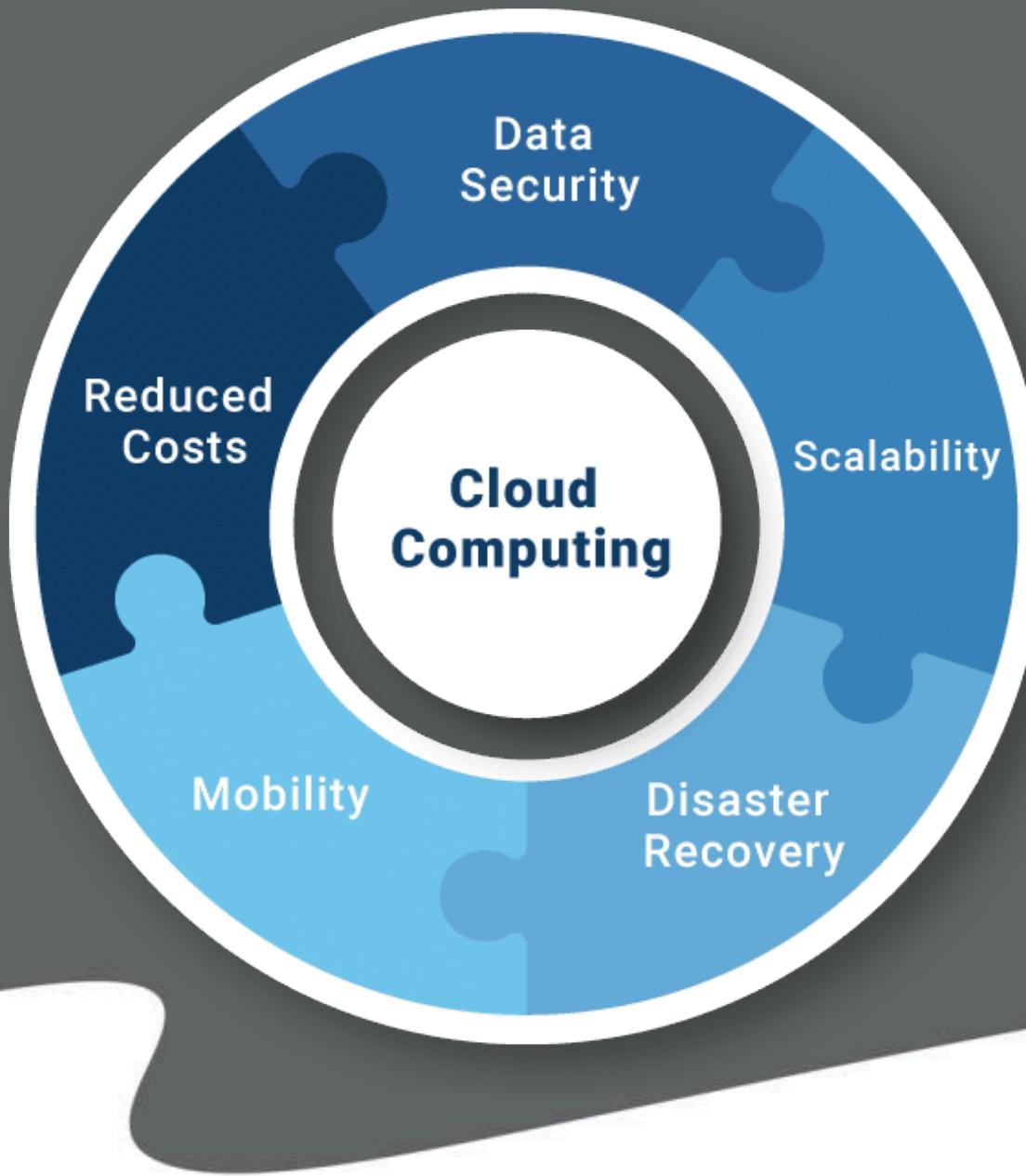


Integration Strategy

- Proposed strategy for integrating SATEC PM130EH PLUS meters with IoT gateways.
- Deployment of Waveshare or USR-W610 gateways for RS485 to WiFi/Ethernet conversion.
- Detailed steps for hardware setup, configuration, and testing.
- Emphasized benefits of real-time monitoring and remote access.

Future Steps

- Practical implementation steps: hardware setup, configuration, and testing.
- Ensuring data accuracy and system reliability.
- Roadmap for scalability: expanding to additional meters, integrating advanced analytics and machine learning for predictive maintenance.
- Long-term vision: transitioning to Industry 4.0 with fully automated, cloud-based monitoring systems.



CLOUD BENEFITS

Conclusion

- Thorough research and a strategic approach were employed to integrate energy meters with IoT and cloud technologies.
- The prototype successfully demonstrated practical feasibility and tangible benefits.
- Future prospects include enhancing industrial data monitoring for improved operational efficiency and sustainability.



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