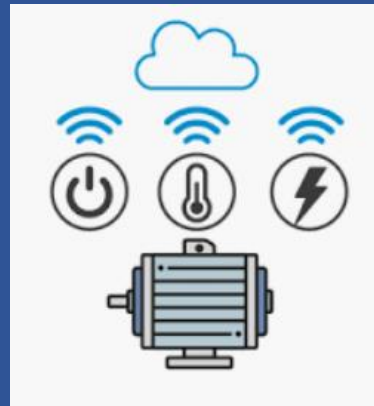
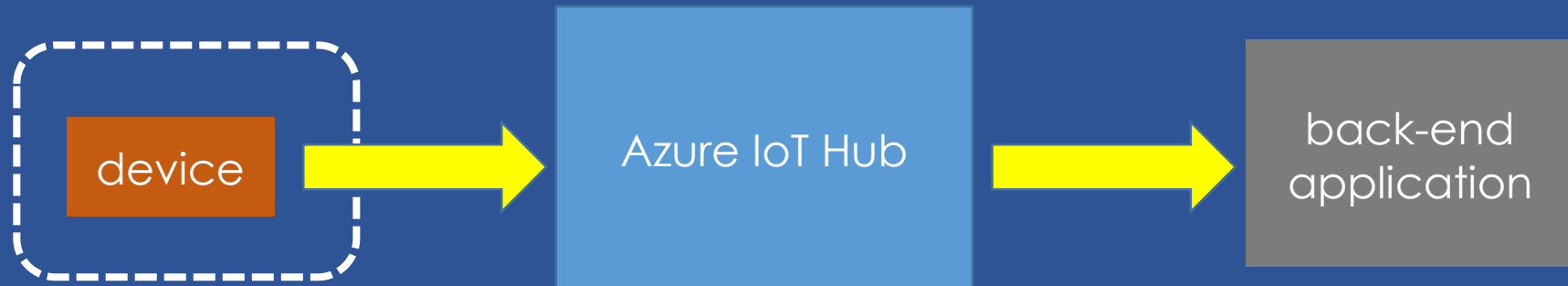


Device to Cloud




What to do?

Create Device Simulator to send telemetry data to Azure IoT Hub










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
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Microsoft.Azure.Devices.Client by Microsoft

v1.21.1

Device SDK for Azure IoT Hub



Newtonsoft.Json by James Newton-King

v12.0.2

Json.NET is a popular high-performance JSON framework for .NET

Add name space

```
6  using Microsoft.Azure.Devices.Client;  
7  using Newtonsoft.Json;  
8  using System;  
9  using System.Text;
```

Add 2 Class fields

```
15  private static DeviceClient s_deviceClient;  
16  private readonly static string s_connectionString =  
17  "HostName=loyiothub1.azure-devices.net;DeviceId=loy-i
```

Add method `SendDeviceToCloudMessagesAsync()`

```
19 private static async void SendDeviceToCloudMessagesAsync()
20 {
21     // Initial telemetry values
22     double minTemperature = 20;
23     double minHumidity = 60;
24     Random rand = new Random();
25
26     double currentTemperature = minTemperature + rand.NextDouble() * 15;
27     double currentHumidity = minHumidity + rand.NextDouble() * 20;
28
29     // Create JSON message
30     var telemetryDataPoint = new
31     {
32         temperature = currentTemperature,
33         humidity = currentHumidity
34     };
35     var messageString = JsonConvert.SerializeObject(telemetryDataPoint);
36     var message = new Message(Encoding.ASCII.GetBytes(messageString));
37
38     // Add a custom application property to the message.
39     // An IoT hub can filter on these properties without access to the message body.
40     message.Properties.Add("temperatureAlert", (currentTemperature > 30) ? "true" : "false");
41
42     // Send the telemetry message
43     await s_deviceClient.SendEventAsync(message);
44     Console.WriteLine("{0} > Sending message: {1}", DateTime.Now, messageString);
45 }
```

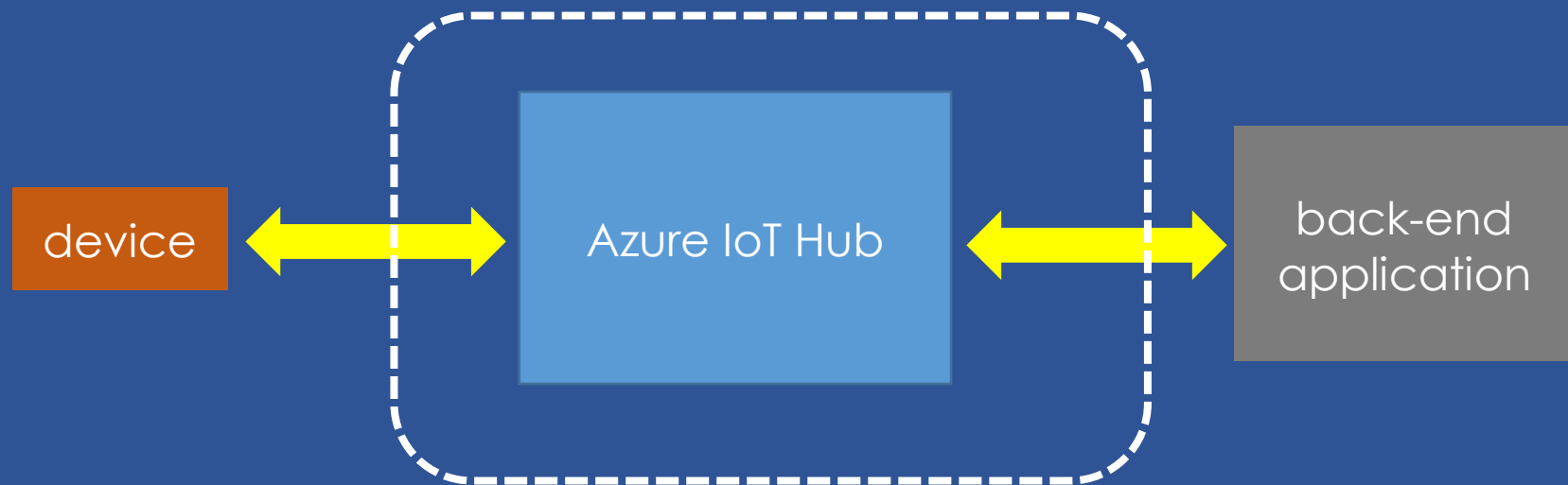
Add code to Main

```
46 private static void Main(string[] args)
47 {
48     // Connect to the IoT hub using the MQTT protocol
49     s_deviceClient = DeviceClient.CreateFromConnectionString(
50         s_connectionString,
51         TransportType.Mqtt);
52     while (true)
53     {
54         Console.WriteLine("Press any key to send a message. Ctrl-C to exit.");
55         Console.ReadLine();
56         SendDeviceToCloudMessagesAsync();
57     }
58 }
59 }
```

Azure IoT Hub Device Explorer

The device explorer is a tool uses the Azure IoT service libraries to perform various functions on IoT Hub.

- Create a new device
- Delete a device
- Monitor data from device
- Send back-end message to device















Download and setup Device Explorer

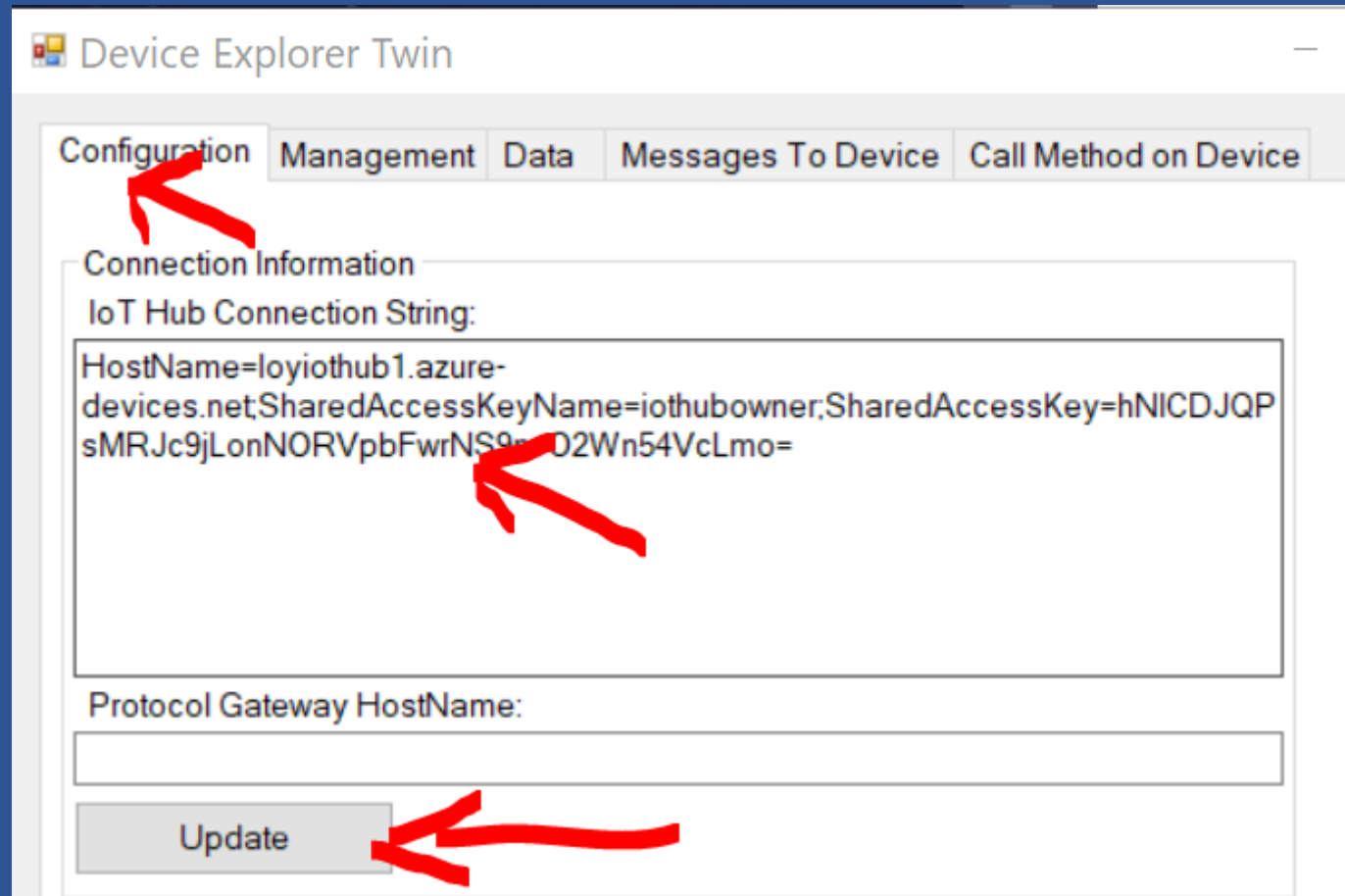
To view telemetry data you need a back-end application

Download link

<https://github.com/Azure/azure-iot-sdk-csharp/releases/tag/2019-1-4>

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Configuration using IoT Hub Connection String



The screenshot shows the 'Device Explorer Twin' window with the 'Configuration' tab selected. The 'Connection Information' section is expanded, showing the 'IoT Hub Connection String' field. The connection string is: `HostName=loyiothub1.azure-devices.net;SharedAccessKeyName=iothubowner;SharedAccessKey=hNICDJQP sMRJc9jLonNORVpbFwrNS9mD2Wn54VcLmo=`. The 'Protocol Gateway HostName' field is empty. The 'Update' button is at the bottom. Red arrows point to the 'Configuration' tab, the connection string text, and the 'Update' button.

Device Explorer Twin

Configuration Management Data Messages To Device Call Method on Device

Connection Information

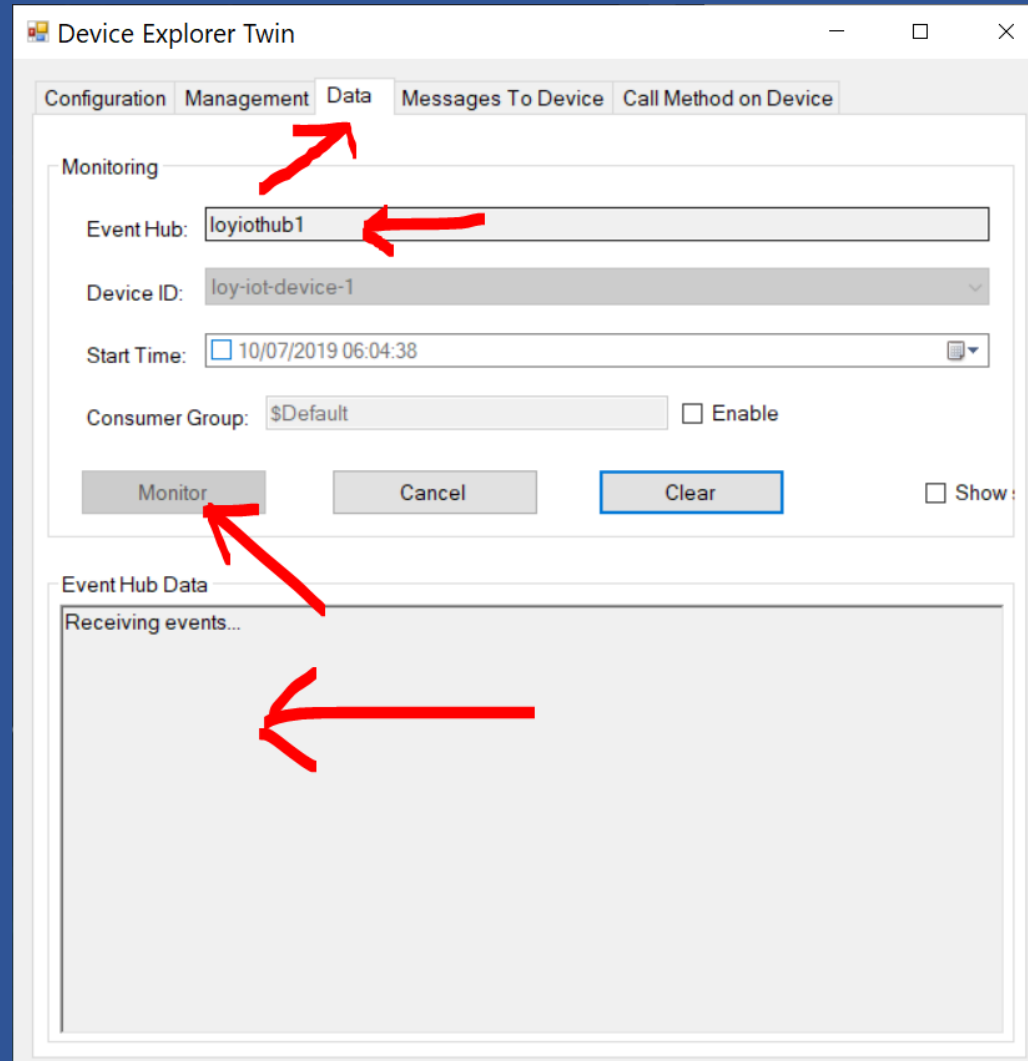
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Protocol Gateway HostName:

Update

Send Device to Cloud message and monitor using Device Explorer



What's next?

