

SmartPark

An easy bycicle park

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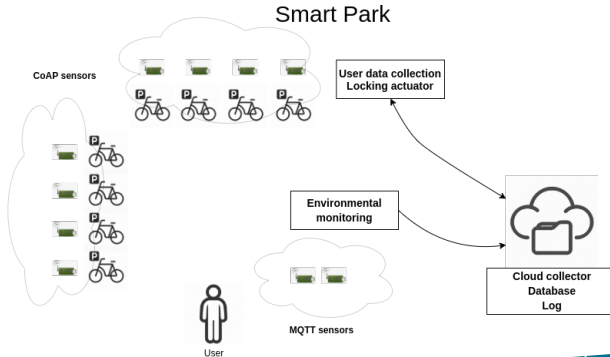
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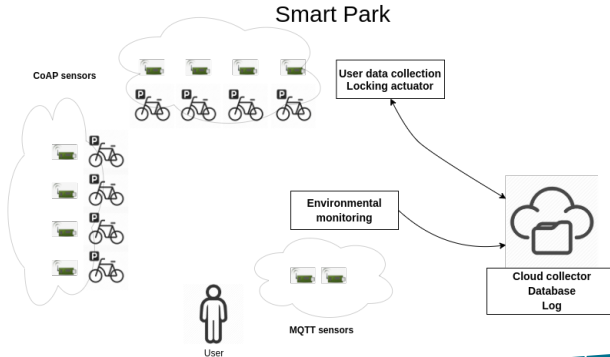
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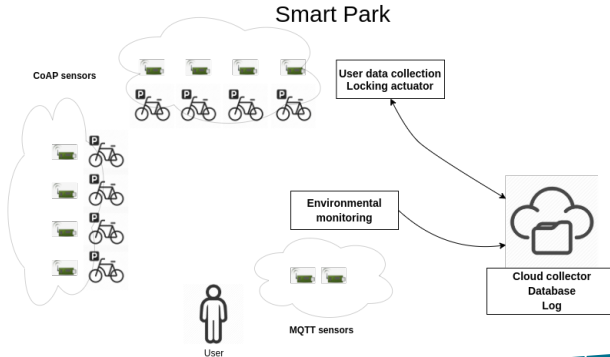
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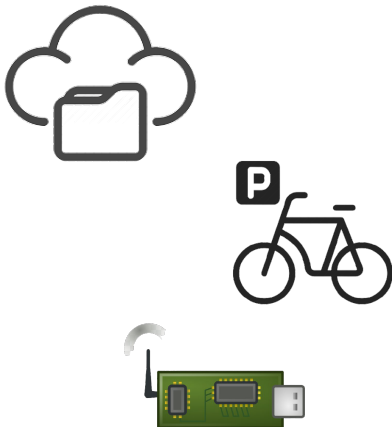
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- Central sensors collecting information about the weather
- Both type of sensors collects data which is sent to the cloud collector and stored

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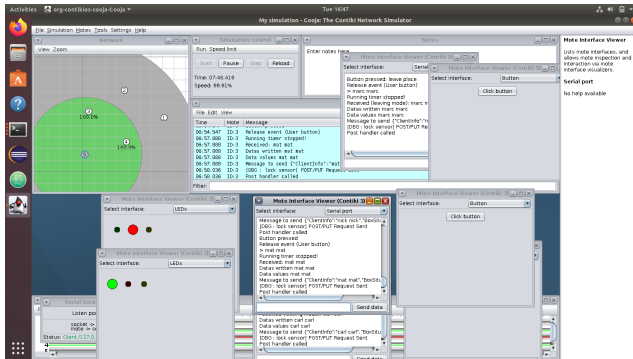


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- Data is stored inside *datacollector* database, with 2 tables, *coapsensors* and *mqttensors*



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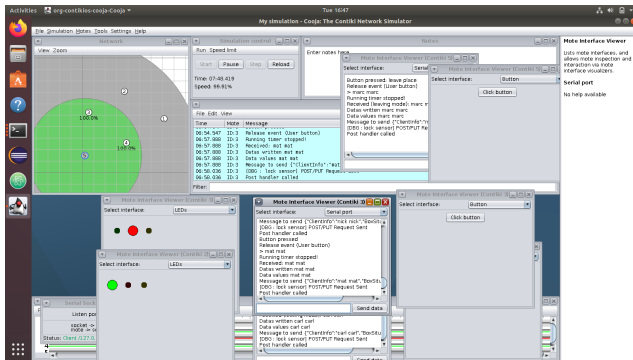


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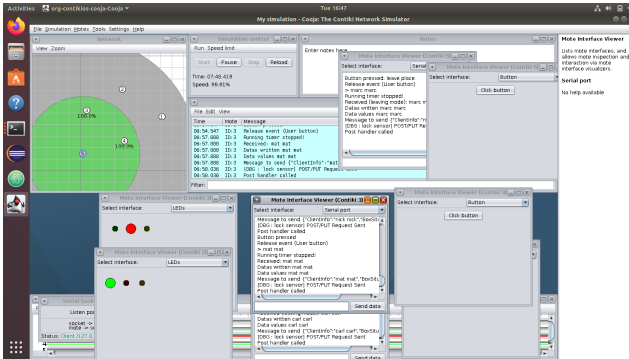
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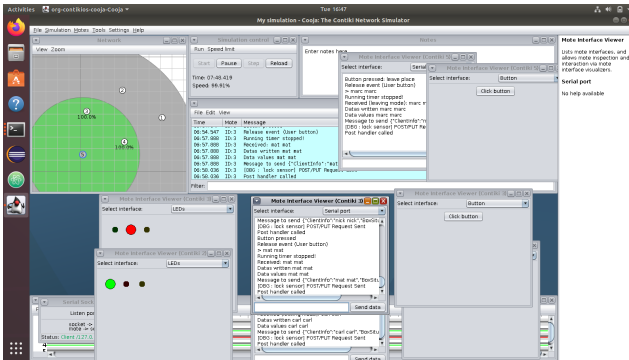
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connecting to /dev/ttyACM15 [OK]
connecting!
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Message: {"temp":0,"humidity":0,"weather":0}
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- Another PROCESS_THREAD, every 30 seconds, publish a JSON payload with the environmental information captured



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MQTT client starting  
Connected with result code 0  
GET server, received message:  
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Instantiating!  
GET server, received message:  
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}  
Instantiating!  
Callback called, resource arrived  
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```
weatherInfo: b'{"temp":11,"unidity":0,"weather":2}'
[...id|timestamp|...|temperature|...|unidity|weather|...]
[...1|2021-06-01 16:40:09|...|30|...|89|RAINY|...]
[...2|2021-06-01 16:40:39|...|28|...|65|RAINY|...]
[...3|2021-06-01 16:41:09|...|6|...|54|CLOUDY|...]
[...4|2021-06-01 16:41:39|...|23|...|51|CLOUDY|...]
[...5|2021-06-01 16:42:09|...|9|...|8|SUNNY|...]
[...6|2021-06-01 16:42:39|...|25|...|80|SUNNY|...]
[...7|2021-06-01 16:43:09|...|0|...|42|RAINY|...]
[...8|2021-06-01 16:43:39|...|27|...|42|SUNNY|...]
[...9|2021-06-01 16:44:09|...|11|...|0|RAINY|...]

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{"ClientInfo":"carl.carl","BoxSituation":"B"}
Client credentials are:
['carl','carl']
User recognized!
0
-pymysql.connections.Connection object at 0x7f5d98710278>
-pymysql.connections.Connection object at 0x7f5d98710278>
[...id|timestamp|...|name|...|entering|...]
[...1|2021-06-01 16:40:40|mat|...|1|...]
[...2|2021-06-01 16:41:08|mat|...|0|...]
[...3|2021-06-01 16:42:06|carl|...|1|...]
[...4|2021-06-01 16:42:41|carl|...|0|...]
```

Figure 3: Data log

Implementation choices

- I decided to implement the collector using Python. I exploited the CoAPThon library together with the paho-mqtt. In addition, I used the PyMySQL library to access, insert and query the database, and another module tabulate to show the data log from the database in a nice way
- Regarding the data encoding, I choose JSON, being a lightweight data encoding language
- Very suitable in my case, since the data transmitted is not much and on Python side I have an easy way to manage it
- Only the POST payload from the server to the lock sensors is passed as a POST variable, having only a flag 0/1 meaning unlock/lock of the chain



Reproduce

To reproduce the simulation on remote testbed, login into the remote testbed with 3 different terminals, one of them forwarding the local 1883 port:

- Remember to add `listener 1883 localhost` to *mosquitto.conf* and the define `IEEE802154_CONF_PANID 0x0015` to both router and mqtt sensor

Terminal #1

- `cd contiki-ng/Project/sensors/rpl-border-router`
- `make TARGET=nrf52840 BOARD=dongle border-router.dfu-upload PORT=/dev/ttyACM67`
- `make TARGET=nrf52840 BOARD=dongle connect-router PORT=/dev/ttyACM67`

Terminal #2

- `sudo mosquitto -c /etc/mosquitto/mosquitto.conf`

Terminal #3

- `cd contiki-ng/Project/sensors/mqtt-sensor`
- `make TARGET=nrf52840 BOARD=dongle mqtt-client.dfu-upload PORT=/dev/ttyACM15`
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