# **Executive Summary**

This document walks through getting a Browan TBHV110 (Health Home Indoor Air Quality) Sensor connected to the Helium network, connected to Cayenne, and capturing data to a Google Sheet via a Pipedream workflow.

#### Steps

- 1. Add the device to the console and get data flowing
- 2. Build and apply a decoder function so you can see/access the sensor data in the payload
- 3. Build a Cayenne Integration so you can see the data in Cayenne
- 4. Build a Google Sheet integration so you can see/log/share the data in a spreadsheet

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## References

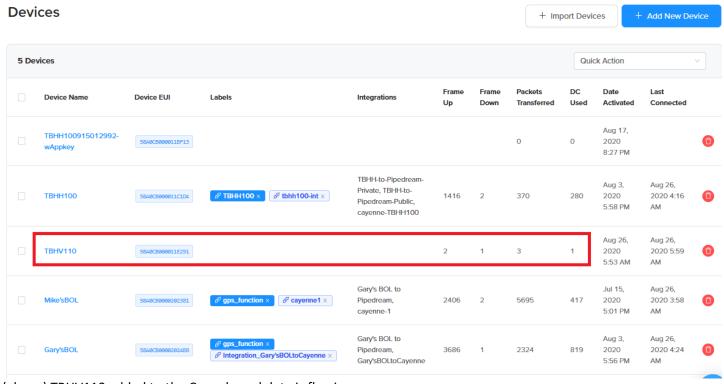
ID	Topic	Reference	Description
1	TBHV100	<ol> <li>http://docs.microshare.io/assets/pdf/TBH V110.pdf</li> <li>https://github.com/SensationalSystems/s mart building sensors decoder/blob/ma ster/healthyhome.js</li> </ol>	Reference Manual for the Browan TBHV110     Source code for a decode function
2	Helium	<ol> <li>https://developer.helium.com/console/ad ding-devices</li> <li>https://developer.helium.com/console/functions</li> <li>https://developer.helium.com/console/integrations/mydevices-cayenne-integration</li> <li>https://developer.helium.com/console/labels</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>How to add a device to the console</li> <li>How to create a decoder function</li> <li>How to set up a Cayenne dashboard for your Helium Devices</li> <li>Organizing and Connecting with Labels</li> </ol>
3	Pipedream	1. https://github.com/mikedsp/helium/blob/	1. How to get data from a Browan

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	master/MyDocuments/HowTo_BrowanTB	TBHH100 temperature and	
	HH100 to GoogleSheet-SHARE.pdf	humidity sensor to flow in real	
	2. <a href="https://github.com/mikedsp/helium/blob/">https://github.com/mikedsp/helium/blob/</a>	time to a Google Sheet.	
	master/MyDocuments/20200831_TBHV11	2. Example data sample from the	
	<u>0%20data.xlsx</u>	Google Sheet	
		3. Pipedream workflow to get	
	3. <a href="https://pipedream.com/@dangermikeb/t">https://pipedream.com/@dangermikeb/t</a>	data from the Helium Console	
	bhv110-to-google-sheet-private-p_ezCn1j	to the Google Sheet	

### Add the Device to the Helium Console

Using the instructions at the following URL, add the device to your Helium Console:

https://developer.helium.com/console/adding-devices



(above) TBHV110 added to the Console and data is flowing

## Build a Decoder and Apply to the Device with a Label

Using the instructions at the following URL, create a decoder function and apply it to the device:

https://developer.helium.com/console/functions

Fortunately, someone has already written a decoder function and shared it in the following GitHub repository:

https://github.com/SensationalSystems/smart building sensors decoder/blob/master/healthyhome.js

Here are the steps to go through:

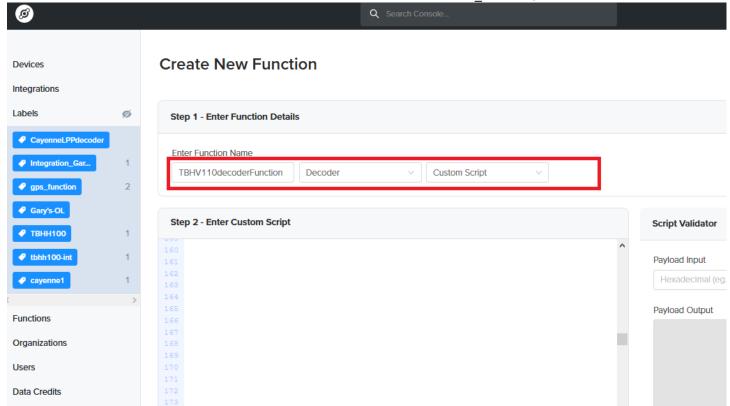
- 1. Create a label called 'TBHV110decoder'
- 2. Create a new custom function
  - a. Name it 'TBHV10decoderFunction' to make it easy to identify in the Console
  - b. Copy and paste in the function code
  - c. Apply the label called 'TBHV110decoder' to the function
- 3. Go back to the Devices tab of the Console and apply the 'TBHV110decoder' label from the previous step to the TBHV110 device
- 4. While looking at the TBHV110 device in the Console, turn on the debugger and wait for data to flow Hint: Move the device into or out of your freezer to trigger a temperature event. Even doing that, it took about 10-15 minutes before I started seeing data in the debugger
- 5. Once the Console/debugger receives a data packet from the device, verify you can see the decoded data, which should look similar to screenshot below

```
"decoded": {
    "payload": {
        "batt": 3.6,
        "bytes": [
        0,
        11,
        55,
        57,
        244,
        1,
        0,
        0,
        25,
        0,
        55

        l,
        "co2": 500,
        "co2_error": false,
        "iaq": 25,
        "rh=rror": false,
        "temp_ambient": 23,
        "temp_board": 23,
        "voc": 0,
        "voc_error": false
```

(above) Decoded data from the TBHV110 in the Console debugger

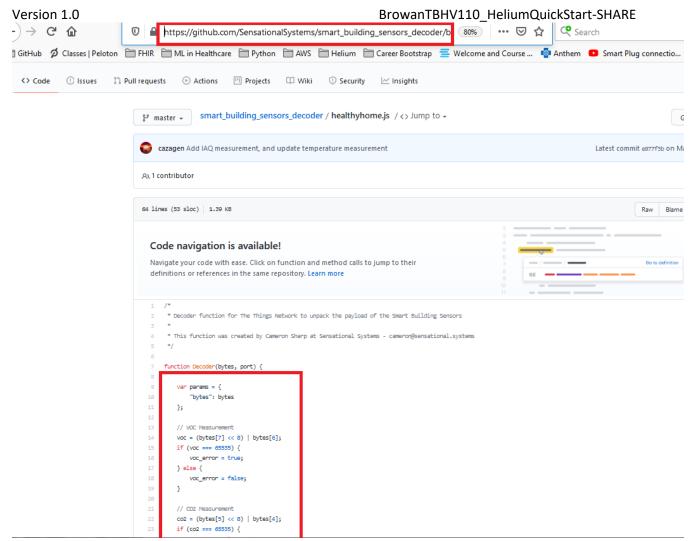
The screenshots below illustrate the steps above.



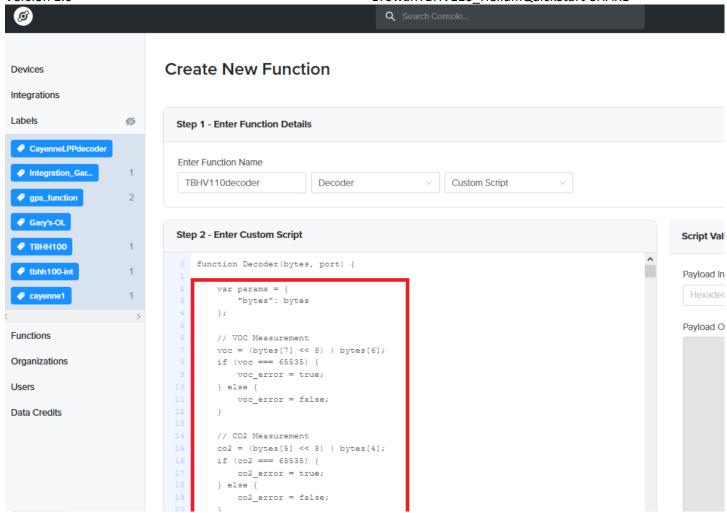
(above) Starting the creation of a new function.

- Name it 'TBHV10decoderFunction' so that is clear what it is
- Type = Custom Script

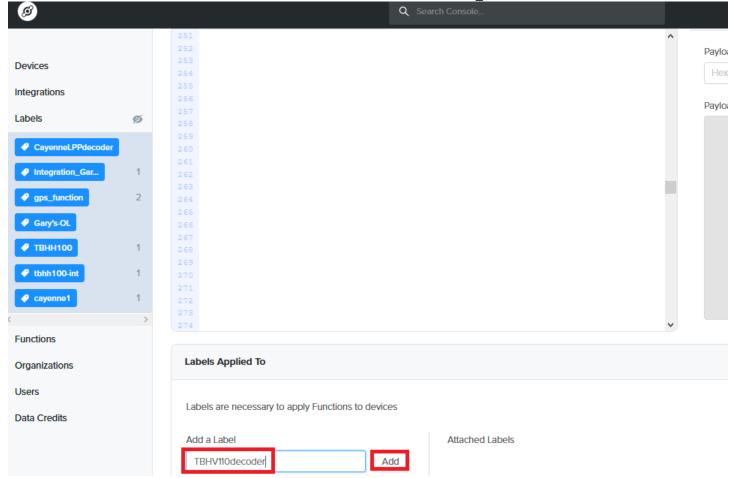
Note that the function body is empty



(above) Copying the decoder source code from the decoder function in the Sensational Systems GitHub repository

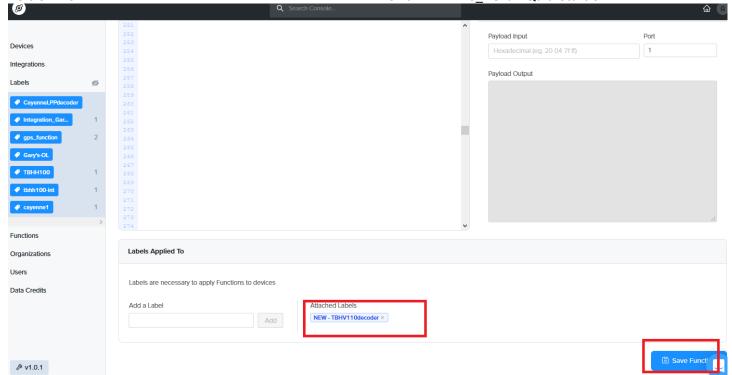


(above) Pasting the code into the new decoder function



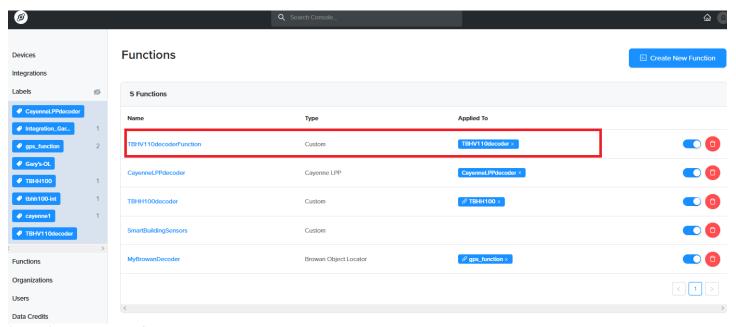
(above) Creating/adding a label called 'TBHV110decoder'

Note – in the screenshot above I created 'TBHV110decoder' right here. Don't do that as it leads to trouble later. Create this label before applying it to the decoder function.

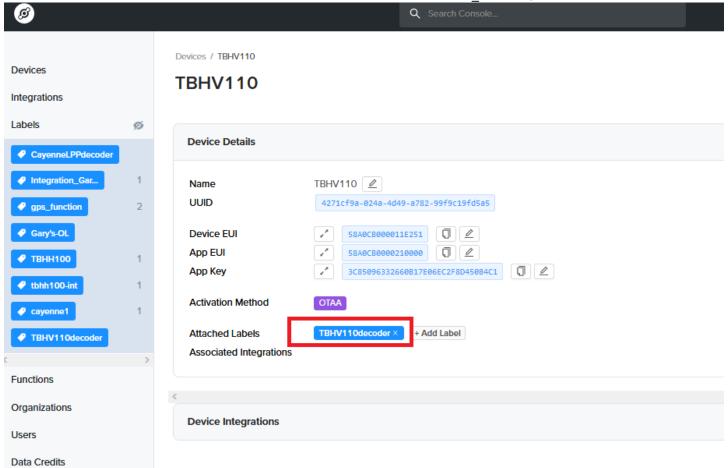


(above) New label added, then hit the 'Save the function' button

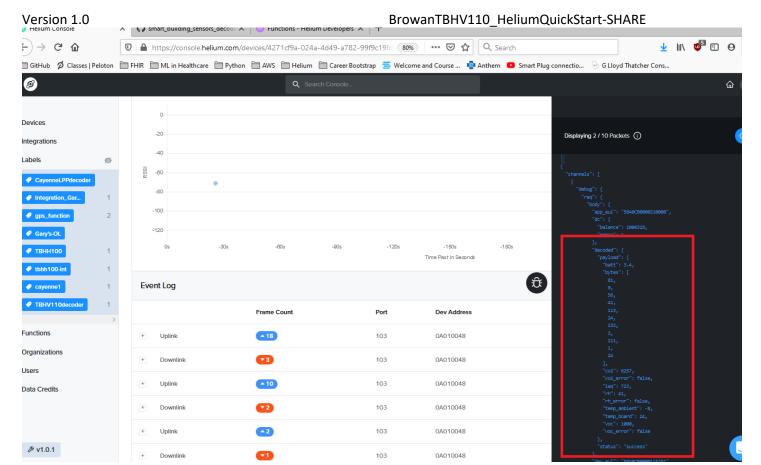
Note — in the screenshot above I created 'TBHV110decoder' right here. Don't do that as it leads to trouble later. Create this label before applying it to the decoder function.



(above) The TBHV110 function in the Function list



(above) Result of applying the 'TBHV110Decoder' label to the TBHV110 device



(above) Looking at the data flowing to the Device with the debugger - and seeing the decoded data

## **Build a Cayenne Integration**

Using the instructions at the following URL, build a Cayenne integration for the device

https://developer.helium.com/console/integrations/mydevices-cayenne-integration

Here are the steps to go through:

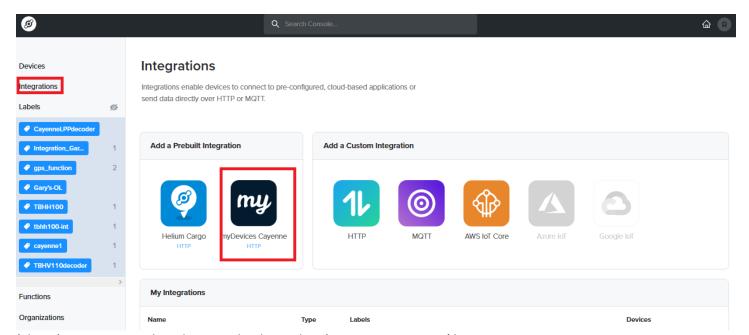
- 1. In the Helium Console, create a new Cayenne Integration
  - a. Name it 'Cayenne-TBHV110'
  - b. Create and apply the label called 'Tbhv110-cayenne-int'
- 2. In the Helium Console, apply the integration label, 'tbhv110-cayenne-int' to the TBHV110 device

TBHV110 to Cayenne Setup Console Settings				
Console Object	Name	Applied Label(s)		
Integration	Cayenne-TBHV110	Tbhv110-cayenne-int		
Device	TBHV110	TBHV110decoder		
		Tbhv110-cayenne-int		
Function (Decoder)	TBHV110decoderFunction	TBHV110decoder		

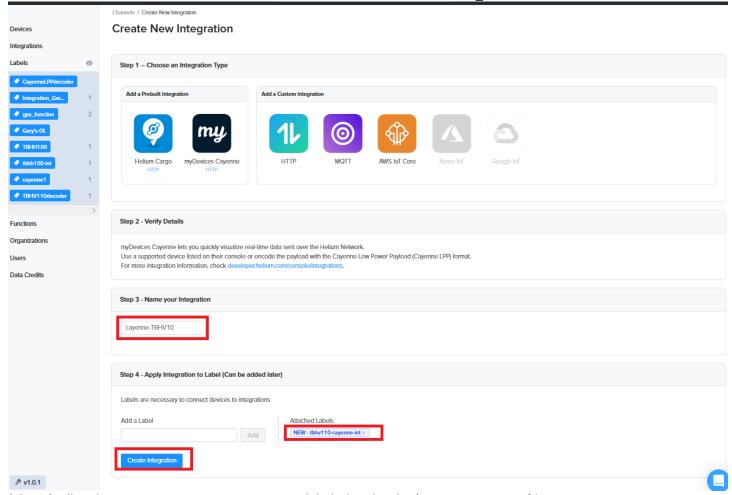
(above) Helium Console settings for the TBHV110-to-Cayenne Integration

- 3. In the Cayenne Dashboard, add/create a new Device/Widget
  - a. Add new... > Devices & Widgets > Lora > Helium > Tracknet THS-Temperature and Humidity Sensor
  - b. Change the default name to 'TBHV110'
  - c. Add the DevEUI from the Helium Console
- 4. Wait for the data to flow into Cayenne

The screenshots below illustrate the steps above.



(above) Integrations tab in the Console, then select 'myDevices Cayenne' button

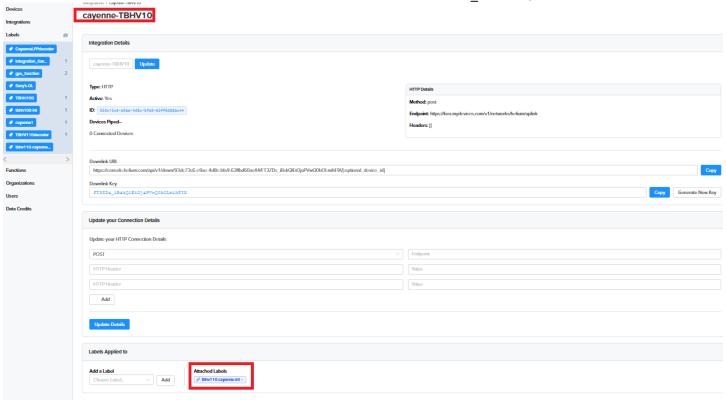


(above) Fill in the Integration Name, assign a new label, then hit the 'Create Integration' button

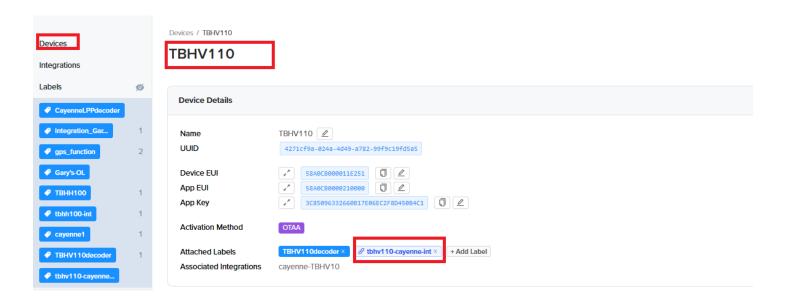
- Integration Name = 'cayenne-TBHV110'
- Assign a new label called 'tbhv110-cayenne-int'

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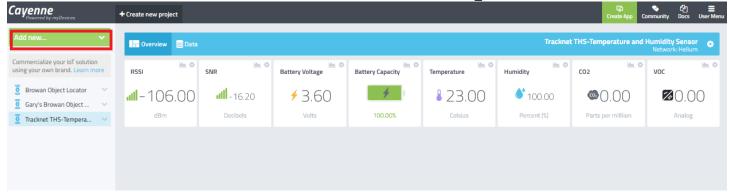
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(above) the cayenne-TBHV110 integration has been created!

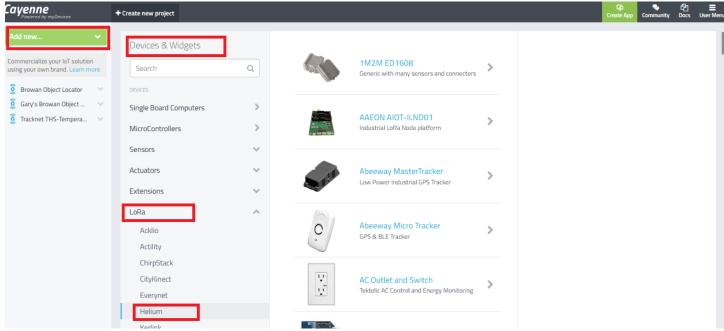


(above) Apply the integration label, 'tbhv110-cayenne-int' to the device

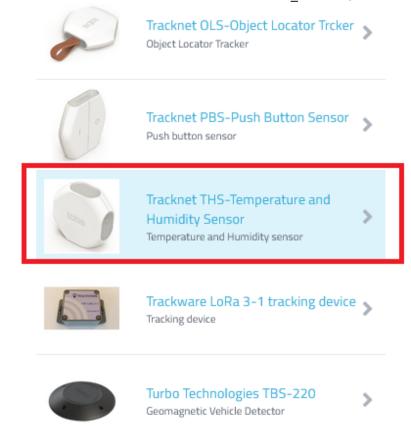


(above) Log into your Cayenne Dashboard and select the 'Add new...' button

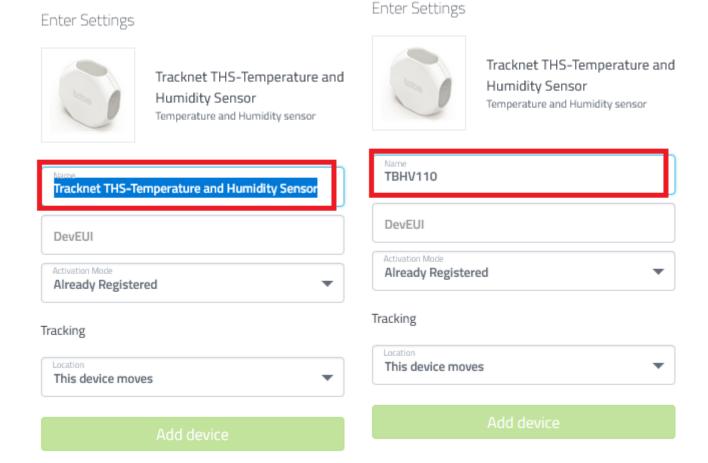
Note – The screenshot above happens to show a Tracknet THS-Temperature device. That is from a Helium-Cayenne integration that I set up for my TBHH100 device. We will actually be using that same device type when we set up the TBHV110 in Cayenne. The TBH100 is a TBV110 without the CO2 and VOC sensors. That's why in the screenshot above, there is a 0.00 in both the CO2 and VOC fields.



(above) Add new... > Devices & Widgets > Lora > Helium



(above) Select the 'Tracknet THS-Temperature and Humidity Sensor'

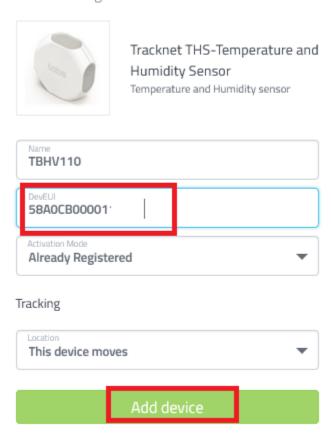


(above) Change the default name to 'TBHV110'

(above) Name changed to 'TBHV110'

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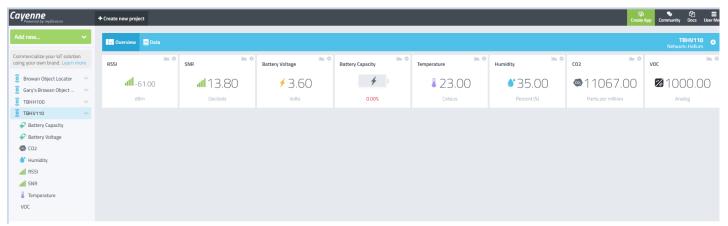
## **Enter Settings**



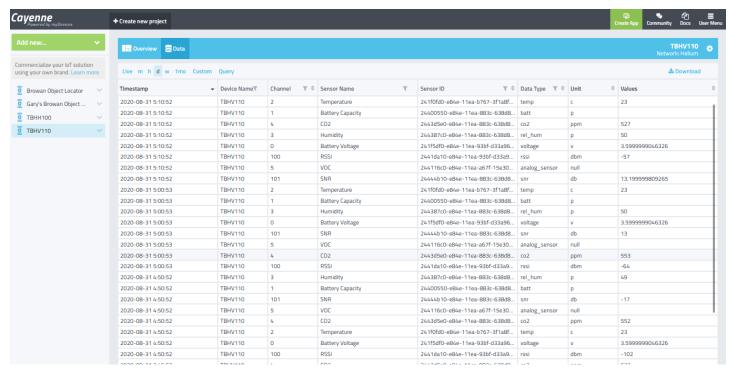
(above) Copy and Paste in the DevEUI information which you can get from the Device tab in the Helium Console, then hit the 'Add device' button



(above) The TBHV110 has been added to your Cayenne dashboard and is waiting for data to come over



(above) Cayenne Dashboard showing Overview of data from the TBHV110 – this is the most recent set of received measurements



(above) Cayenne Dashboard showing measurements received from the TBHV110

## **Build a Google Sheet integration**

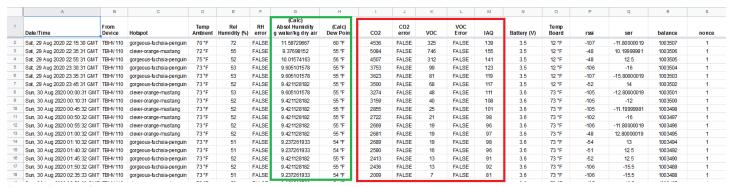
Using the instructions in *HowTo\_BrowanTBHH100\_to\_GoogleSheet-SHARE.pdf*, build the following data flow:

• TBHV110 > Helium Hotspot > Helium Console > Pipedream > Google Sheet

The only difference between the TBHH100 and the TBV110 is that the TBHV110 has a few more data fields, namely CO2, VO, and IAQ, which stands for 'Indoor Air Quality' and is a calculated value from the sensor measurements. The TBHV110 reference manual explains this in more detail.



(above) Pipedream workflow – showing the contents of the steps.add\_single\_row\_to\_sheet



(above) Data from the TBHV110 in a Google Sheet. The data in columns I-M are data that the TBHV110 has but the TBHH100 does not. The data in columns G and H is calculated (in a Pipedream workflow step) from the data in columns D and E.

The HowTo instructions can be found in GitHub here:

https://github.com/mikedsp/helium/blob/master/MyDocuments/HowTo\_BrowanTBHH100\_to\_GoogleSheet-SHARE.pdf

An Excel file with some collected data can be found in GitHub here:

https://github.com/mikedsp/helium/blob/master/MyDocuments/20200831 TBHV110%20data.xlsx

A public version of the Pipedream workflow can be found here:

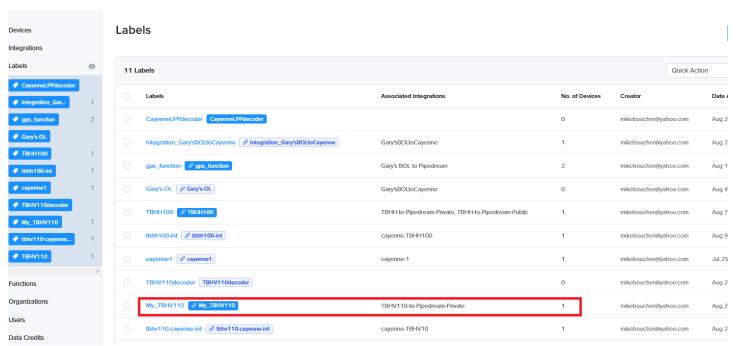
https://pipedream.com/@dangermikeb/tbhv110-to-google-sheet-private-p\_ezCn1j

Note – the shared workflow at the link above does not show the parameters being pulled from the event and steps and being populated into the Google Sheet step. See the Pipedream workflow screenshot above for what that looks like.

Very Important: When creating the Custom HTTP Integration to send data to Pipedream, it is critical that the label you apply to the Integration be created BEFORE you attach the label to the Integration. If you create the label for the Integration while you are creating the Integration, and then apply that label to the TBHV110 device, Pipedream will NOT get decoded data. I made this mistake when building the TBHH100 and the TBHV110 integrations with Pipedream.

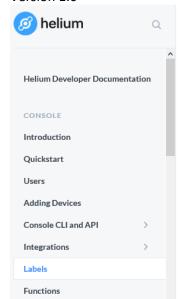
## **Debugging Tips**

If you're working on your Pipedream workflow and trigger data is being received in the workflow, but you can't see or find the readings returned from the Decoder function you created in the Helium Console, then you most likely have your labels wrong. You'll see the decoded values in the Helium Console debugger when you look at your TBHV110 device so you'll know your decode is working, but the sensor values are not showing up in the Workflow event or trigger. If you're in this state, look very closely at your label assignments in the Console.



(above) Looking at Labels in the Helium Console. The label, 'My\_TBHV110' is the one that I am using to get decoded data to my Pipedream workflow. The label above that is the one I tried first, but notice how it is not associated with an Integration.

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## Organizing and Connecting with Labels

Devices can be both organized and connected to Integrations with the use of Labels. Labels are simply user defined identifiers, that can be attached to one or more devices, and one or more Integrations. Also multiple Labels can be added to a single device so users can choose to identify devices based on attributes such as geography (e.g., SF) and device type (e.g., temperature or humidity).

Labels provide flexibility to define where to send data from devices. Users can apply a Label to an Integration and that Label can be used to connect a single or multiple devices to that Integration. For example, users could define an internal server as an Integration for initial testing and apply a descriptive Label (e.g., internal\_test). After ensuring devices send data, that internal\_test Label could easily be replaced by one that maps to a production endpoint (AWS).

Labels need to be created before attaching them to devices and integrations, read more below on how to do both.

(above) Screenshot of the Helium Label documentation – notice the warning about creating labels before attaching them.

The 2 side-by-side screenshots below compare sensor data views in the Pipedream workflow and in the Helium Console debugger (note – rh and temp values are different because the reading are from different times). If in your Pipedream workflow you see decoded payload data, then your Decoder function in the Helium Console is properly applied to the Pipedream integration. If you cannot see decoded payload data in your Pipedream workflow trigger event, check your labels. The screenshots below are for the TBHH100 device, but the concept is the same for the TBHV110.

```
▶ test
 ▶ steps.trigger.context {8}
 ▼ steps.trigger.event {7}
   ▼body {14}
      app_eui: 58A0CB0000210000
     ▼dc {2}
         balance: 1005869
         nonce: 1
     ▼decoded {2}
       ▼payload {4}
           batt: 3.6
         ▼bytes [8]
             0:8
             1: 251
             2: 58
             3: 89
             4: 255
             5: 255
             6: 255
             7: 255
           rh: 89
           temp: 26
         status: success
      dev eui: 58A0CB000011C1D4
      devaddr: 07010048
     ▶ downlink url https://console.heli
(above) TBHH100 in Pipedream
```

```
"downlink_url": "https://console.helium.com/api
 {
    "channel": 12,
    "id": "112vq9i6viw7TLt5tzDm65k34Q4Lf1rPg3j
    "long": -83.90450738638046,
   "reported_at": 1598729060,
   "spreading": "SF108W125",
```

(above) TBHH100 in Console debugger

## Appendix A – JSON Data from Console Debugger

The JSON structure below was copied from the Helium Debugger once the TBHV110 was successfully added to the Console and a decoder function was applied.

```
"channels": [
 {
  "debug": {
   "req": {
    "body": {
     "app_eui": "58A0CB0000210000",
     "dc": {
      "balance": 1006185,
      "nonce": 1
     "decoded": {
      "payload": {
       "batt": 3.6,
       "bytes": [
        0,
        11,
        55,
        57,
        244,
        1,
        0,
        0,
        25,
        0,
        55
       ],
       "co2": 500,
       "co2_error": false,
       "iaq": 25,
       "rh": 57,
       "rh error": false,
       "temp_ambient": 23,
       "temp_board": 23,
       "voc": 0,
       "voc_error": false
      "status": "success"
     "dev_eui": "58A0CB000011E251",
     "devaddr": "0A010048",
     "fcnt": 50,
     "hotspots": [
       "channel": 65,
       "frequency": 904.5999755859375,
```

```
"id": "112kk7sLkuPybrPDE4ZPAYcAXzuPZbV3F2MH5adatdGohmRX5zJW",
       "lat": 34.04490799366432,
       "long": -83.90869057221556,
       "name": "clever-orange-mustang",
       "reported_at": 1598450375,
       "rssi": -37,
       "snr": 12.199999809265137,
       "spreading": "SF8BW500",
       "status": "success"
     }
     "id": "4271cf9a-024a-4d49-a782-99f9c19fd5a5",
     "metadata": {
      "labels": [
        "id": "85e80d87-4d40-4b82-ba0a-993d13860c42",
        "name": "TBHV110decoder",
        "organization_id": "27706bf3-96b3-4ccf-ae94-439c44858866"
       }
     ],
      "organization_id": "27706bf3-96b3-4ccf-ae94-439c44858866"
     "name": "TBHV110",
     "payload": "AAs3OfQBAAAZADc=",
     "port": 103,
     "reported at": 1598450375
   }
  }
  },
  "description": "console debug",
  "id": "no_integration_id",
  "name": "Console Debug Integration",
  "status": "success"
}
],
"devaddr": "0A010048",
"device_name": "TBHV110",
"frame_down": 7,
"frame_up": 50,
"hotspots": [
{
  "frequency": 904.5999755859375,
  "id": "112kk7sLkuPybrPDE4ZPAYcAXzuPZbV3F2MH5adatdGohmRX5zJW",
  "name": "clever-orange-mustang",
  "rssi": -37,
  "snr": 12.199999809265137,
  "spreading": "SF8BW500"
}
"id": "5b0f480b-9ef1-4cb0-a835-fd1600159b37",
```

```
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 "payload": "AAs3OfQBAAAZADc=",
"payload_size": 11,
 "port": 103
 "channels": [],
 "devaddr": "0A010048",
 "device_name": "TBHV110",
 "frame_down": 7,
 "frame_up": 50,
 "hotspots": [
   "frequency": 923.9,
   "id": "112kk7sLkuPybrPDE4ZPAYcAXzuPZbV3F2MH5adatdGohmRX5zJW",
   "name": "clever-orange-mustang",
   "rssi": 27,
   "snr": 0,
   "spreading": "SF7BW500"
 }
 ],
 "id": "a6f1c0d4-19e3-49e1-b555-e6fca124f912",
 "payload": null,
 "payload_size": 0,
 "port": 103
}
 "channels": [
   "debug": {
    "req": {
     "body": {
      "app_eui": "58A0CB0000210000",
      "dc": {
       "balance": 1006186,
       "nonce": 1
      },
      "decoded": {
       "payload": {
        "batt": 3.6,
        "bytes": [
         0,
         11.
         17,
         75,
         54,
         2,
         0,
         0,
         37,
         0,
```

```
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5:
],
"cc
"cc
```

```
53
   ],
   "co2": 566,
   "co2 error": false,
   "iaq": 37,
   "rh": 75,
   "rh_error": false,
   "temp ambient": 21,
   "temp_board": -15,
   "voc": 0,
   "voc_error": false
  "status": "success"
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 "fcnt": 42,
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   "frequency": 904.5999755859375,
   "id": "112vq9i6viw7TLt5tzDm65k34Q4Lf1rPg3jwgYHd9CVxwadcNW4g",
   "lat": 34.03938329203826,
   "long": -83.90450738638046,
   "name": "gorgeous-fuchsia-penguin",
   "reported at": 1598447974,
   "rssi": -47,
   "snr": 12,
   "spreading": "SF8BW500",
   "status": "success"
  }
 ],
 "id": "4271cf9a-024a-4d49-a782-99f9c19fd5a5",
 "metadata": {
  "labels": [
    "id": "85e80d87-4d40-4b82-ba0a-993d13860c42",
    "name": "TBHV110decoder",
    "organization_id": "27706bf3-96b3-4ccf-ae94-439c44858866"
   }
  ],
  "organization_id": "27706bf3-96b3-4ccf-ae94-439c44858866"
 "name": "TBHV110",
 "payload": "AAsRSzYCAAAIADU=",
 "port": 103,
 "reported at": 1598447974
}
```

} },

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```
"description": "console debug",
  "id": "no_integration_id",
  "name": "Console Debug Integration",
  "status": "success"
}
],
"devaddr": "0A010048",
"device_name": "TBHV110",
"frame_down": 6,
"frame_up": 42,
"hotspots": [
  "frequency": 904.5999755859375,
  "id": "112vq9i6viw7TLt5tzDm65k34Q4Lf1rPg3jwgYHd9CVxwadcNW4g",
  "name": "gorgeous-fuchsia-penguin",
  "rssi": -47,
  "snr": 12,
  "spreading": "SF8BW500"
}
],
"id": "d135192e-787b-4ffd-8255-dde5b84688c7",
"payload": "AAsRSzYCAAAIADU=",
"payload_size": 11,
"port": 103
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