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IOT APP DEVELOPMENT - LABORATORY

SMART HOME MOBILE APP: ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITION COLLECTORS AND HOUSEHOLD DEVICES MONITOR

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1 Architecture Overview

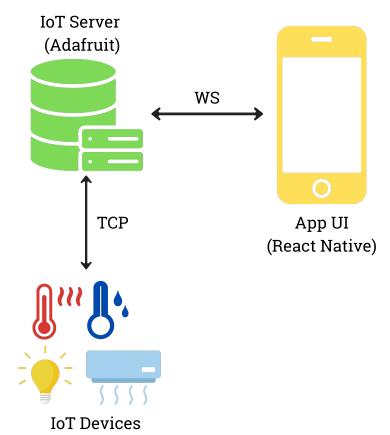


Figure 1: The Mobile App Architecture

In our mini mobile app, there are simply two types of forward-backward dataflows. The sensor-server flows follow TCP protocol, while the UI-server flow follows WS protocol.

2 Implementation Details

Source code is uploaded to https://github.com/mintcd/iot-mobile-app.

2.1 Server Hosts

The TCP host is tcp://io.adafruit.com:1883 and the WS host is ws://io.adafruit.com:443.

2.2 Dataflows

The IoT devices include

- Two sensors of temperature and humidity. They publish environmental data to the Adafruit server's corresponding feeds. By default, the frequency is set to 5 seconds.
- Two household devices, a bulb and an air-conditioner. They publish state data frequently to the corresponding feeds similarly to the sensors. Also, the bulb subscribes to bulb-controller, and the air-conditioner subscribes to air-conditioner-controller and temperature.

The UI client subscribes to the temperature, humidity, bulb and air-conditioner feeds.

2.3 Logic

UI's received data from the subscribed feeds are rendered. Bulb and Air-conditioner fetch data from bulb-controller (0 or 1) and air-conditioner-controller (temperature value) published from UI to change their value. Air-conditioner also fetches data from temperature to turn on at 20 °C and turn off automatically.



Figure 1: The App UI