

# **HOW TO RUN DHT11 APP INTEGRATED WITH GOOGLE SHEETS API AND SQLITE DATABASE**

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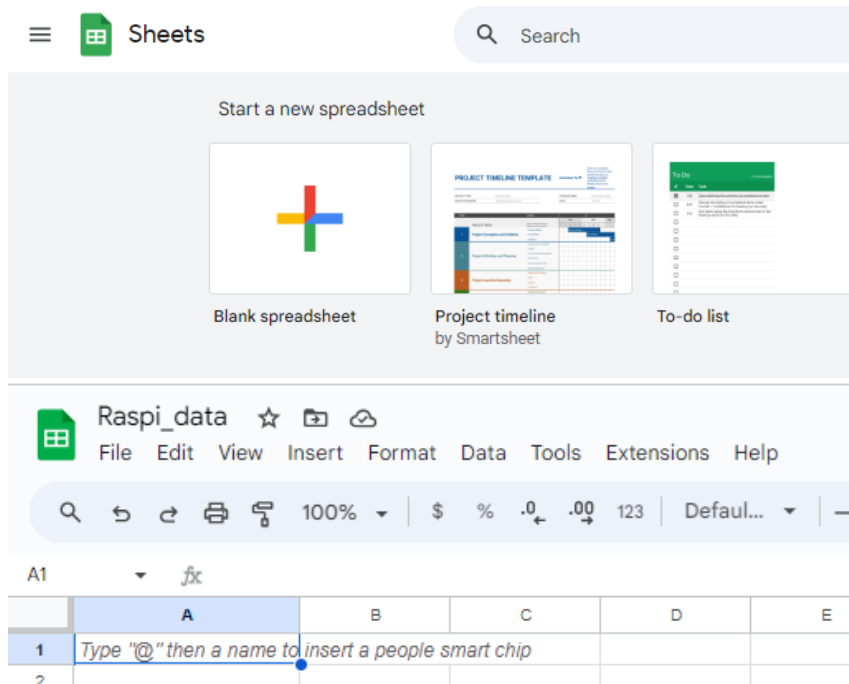
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# 1 INTRODUCTION

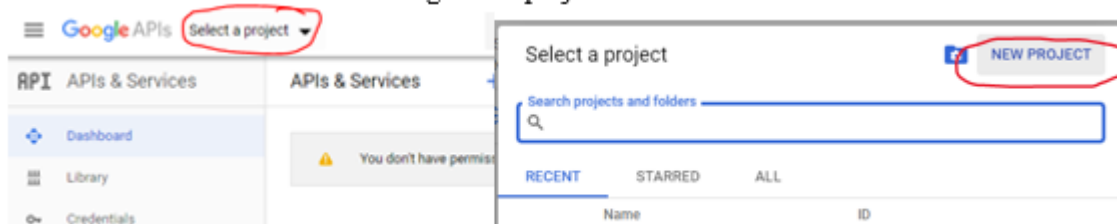
In this section, we will prepare Raspberry Pi 5 to run the code of the DHT11 APP that has google sheets API and SQLite database functionality.

## 2 SETTING UP GOOGLE SHEETS API TO GET JSON CREDENTIALS FILE.

- 1) Create a new google sheet
  - a. Go to Google Sheets website <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/u/0/>
  - b. Create a new sheet. We will name the sheet 'Raspi\_data'.



- 2) Create new Google Cloud project
  - a. Open a new tab and go to the Google API console:  
<http://console.developers.google.com>
  - b. You will be creating a new project.



- c. In the New project window, give it the name 'MyData'. (Notice that you have a project ID that is automatically generated. Write this project ID down. You don't need to change the location.). Then, click 'CREATE'. You will see something indicating your project is being created:

---

## New Project

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You have 10 projects remaining in your quota. Request an increase or delete projects. [Learn more](#)

[MANAGE QUOTAS](#)

Project name \*

MyData

Project ID: mydata-434607. It cannot be changed later. [EDIT](#)

Location \*

No organization [BROWSE](#)

Parent organization or folder

CREATE

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Create Project: MyData

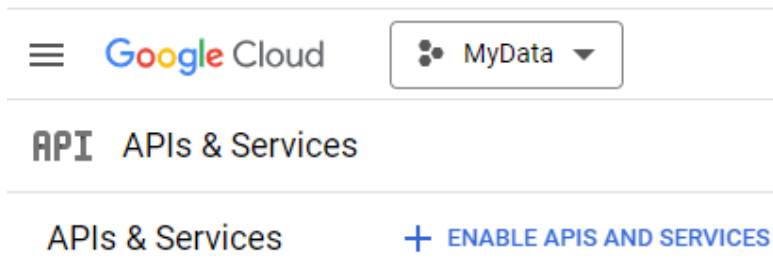
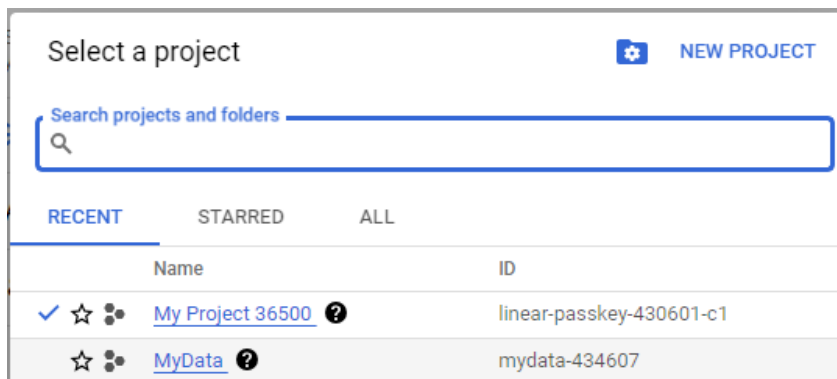
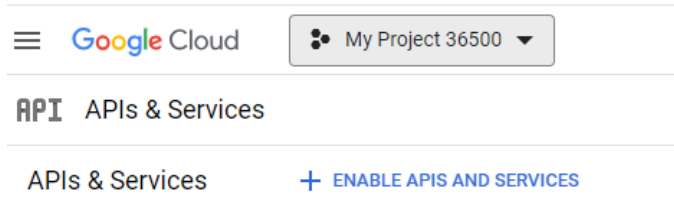
Just now

[SELECT PROJECT](#)

1 hour 6 hours

[SEE ALL ACTIVITIES](#)

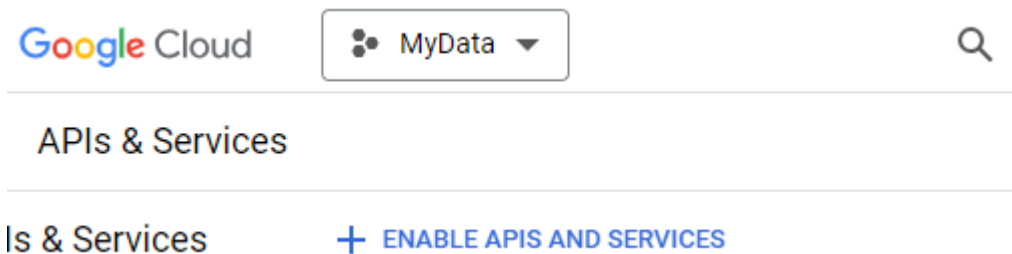
- d. Next to the Google Cloud header, select myData from the dropdown menu to select this project.

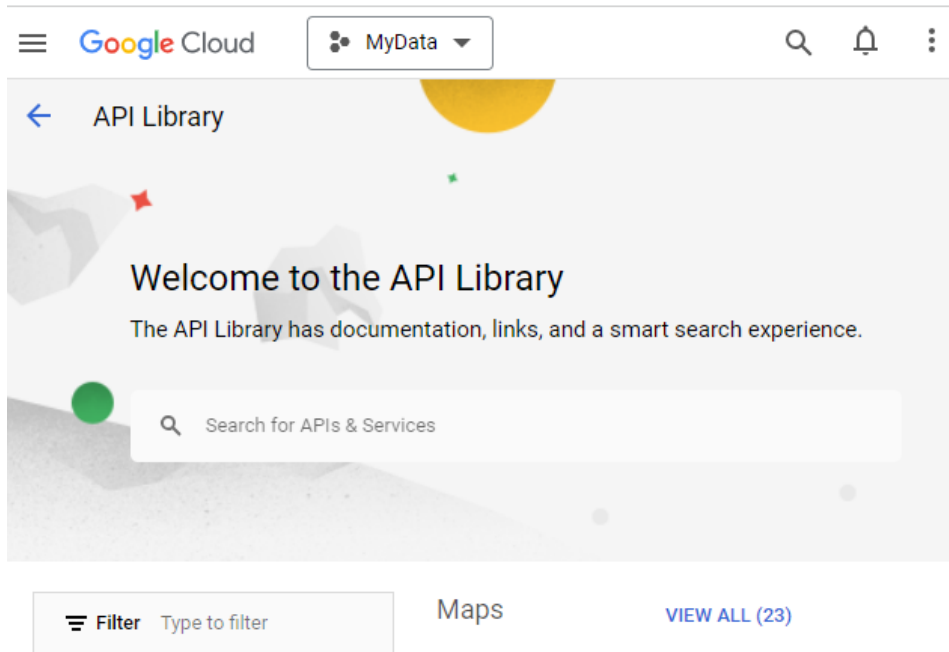


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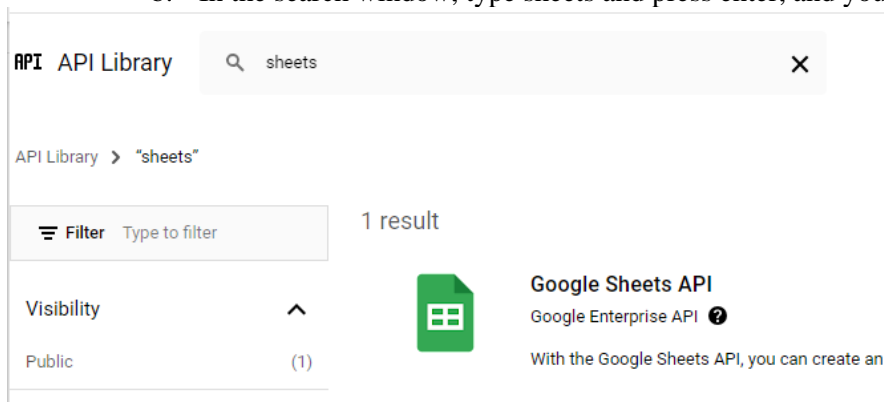
### 3) Enable the Google Sheets API

- a. Click on Enable APIS and SERVICES






b. In the search window, type sheets and press enter, and you should see the following:



- c. Click on the Google Sheets API that comes up as the result. Then click the ENABLE button.

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## Google Sheets API


[Google Enterprise API](#)

Read and write Google Sheets data

[ENABLE](#) [TRY THIS API ↗](#)


Click to enable this API

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API APIs & Services

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### Google Sheets API

Reads and writes Google Sheets.

By Google Enterprise API ?

|  |                           |                          |  |
|--|---------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <b>Service name</b><br>sheets.googleapis.com | <b>Type</b><br>Public API | <b>Status</b><br>Enabled | <b>Documentation</b><br><a href="#">OVERVIEW ↗</a><br><a href="#">QUICKSTARTS ↗</a><br><a href="#">API REFERENCE ↗</a> |
|--|---------------------------|--------------------------|--|

#### 4) Create a Service Account

##### a. Navigate to 'API & Services > Credentials'.

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud console interface. The top navigation bar includes the Google Cloud logo, a 'MyData' dropdown, and a search bar. The left sidebar shows the 'APIs & Services' menu with options like 'Enabled APIs & services', 'Library', 'Credentials', 'OAuth consent screen', and 'Page usage agreements'. The main content area is titled 'API/Service Details' and features a 'DISABLE API' button. A message states: 'To use this API, you may need credentials.' with a 'CREATE CREDENTIALS' button. Below this, the 'Google Sheets API' is detailed, including its description 'Reads and writes Google Sheets.', its type 'Public API', and its status 'Enabled'. A table lists the service name 'sheets.googleapis.com', type 'Public API', status 'Enabled', documentation links (Overview, Quickstarts, API Reference), and an 'Explore' button with a 'TRY IN API EXPLORER' link. At the bottom, there are tabs for 'METRICS', 'QUOTAS & SYSTEM LIMITS', and 'CREDENTIALS'.

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud console interface for the 'Credentials' page. The top navigation bar is consistent with the previous screenshot. The left sidebar shows the 'Credentials' option selected. The main content area is titled 'Credentials' and includes a '+ CREATE CREDENTIALS' button, a 'DELETE' button, and a 'RESTORE DELETED CREDENTIALS' button. A message states: 'Create credentials to access your enabled APIs. Learn more'. Below this, a warning message says: 'Remember to configure the OAuth consent screen with information about your application.' with a 'CONFIGURE CONSENT SCREEN' button. The 'API Keys' section shows a table with columns: Name, Creation date, Restrictions, and Actions. The table is currently empty, displaying 'No API keys to display'.

##### b. Click on 'create credentials', then choose "Help me choose" option

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- c. Fill in the required details and create the account.

## Create credentials

### 1 Credential Type

#### Which API are you using?

Different APIs use different auth platforms and some credentials can be restricted to only call certain APIs.

Select an API \*

Google Sheets API

#### What data will you be accessing? \*

Different credentials are required to authorize access depending on the type of data that you request. [Learn more](#)

☐ User data ?

Data belonging to a Google user, like their email address or age. User consent required. This will create an OAuth client.

☒ Application data

Data belonging to your own application, such as your app's Cloud Firestore backend. This will create a service account.

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### 2 Your Credentials

**1 Service account details**

Service account name

MyRasPi

Display name for this service account

Service account ID \*

myraspi



Email address: myraspi@mydata-434607.iam.gserviceaccount.com



Service account description

Describe what this service account will do

CREATE AND CONTINUE

**2 Grant this service account access to project (optional)**

**3 Grant users access to this service account (optional)**

DONE

CANCEL

✓ Service account details

2 Grant this service account access to project (optional)

Grant this service account access to MyData so that it has permission to complete specific actions on the resources in your project. [Learn more](#)

Role  
Owner

Full access to most Google Cloud resources. See the list of included permissions.

IAM condition (optional) ?  
+ ADD IAM CONDITION

+ ADD ANOTHER ROLE

CONTINUE

3 Grant users access to this service account (optional)

DONE

CANCEL

Service account created



✓ Service account details

✓ Grant this service account access to project (optional)

3 Grant users access to this service account (optional)

Grant access to users or groups that need to perform actions as this service account. [Learn more](#)

Service account users role ?

Grant users the permissions to deploy jobs and VMs with this service account

Service account admins role ?

Grant users the permission to administer this service account

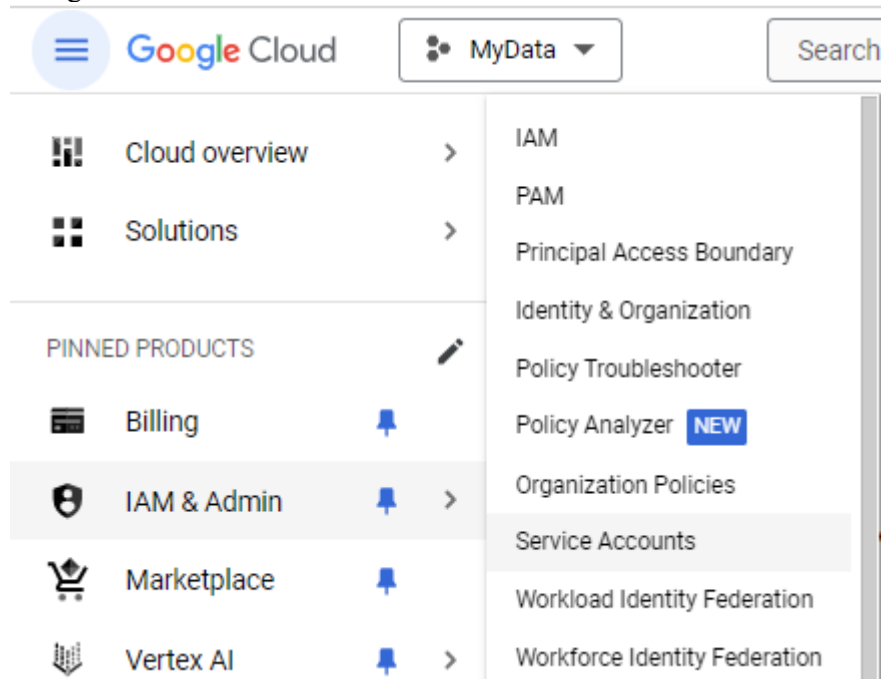
DONE

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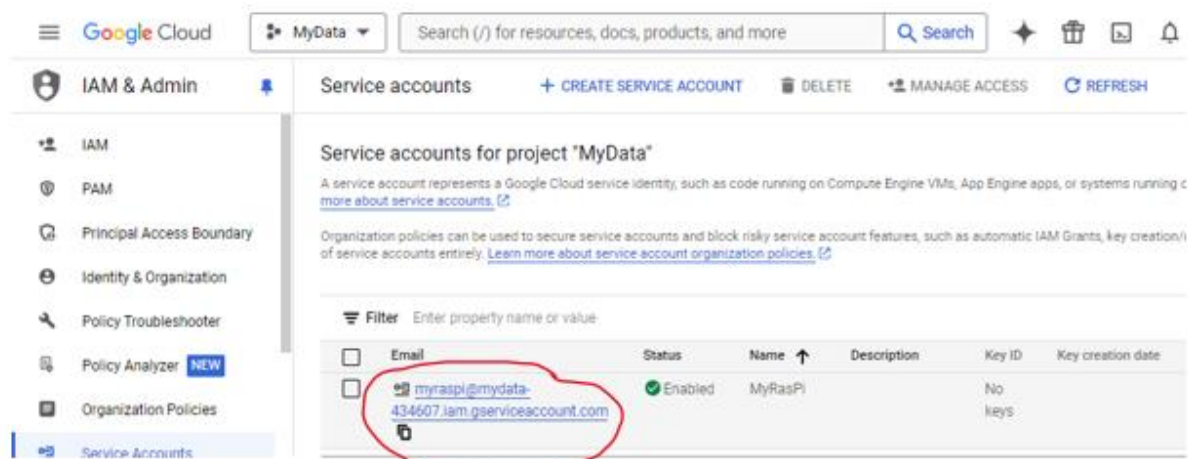
You now have set up the credentials for this account.

5) Get the JSON key

- a. Navigate to 'IAM & Admin > Service Accounts'



- b. Click on the email of your service account.



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MyRasPi

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Service account details

Name

MyRasPi

SAVE

Description

SAVE

Email

myraspi@mydata-434607.iam.gserviceaccount.com

Unique ID

105905433481938458906

Service account status

Disabling your account allows you to preserve your policies without having to delete it.

✓ Enabled

DISABLE SERVICE ACCOUNT

c. Go to the “KEYS” tab.

←

MyRasPi

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Keys

⚠

Service account keys could pose a security risk if compromised. We recommend you avoid downloading service account keys and instead use the [Workload Identity Federation](#). [Learn more about the best way to authenticate service accounts on Google Cloud](#).

ℹ

Google automatically disables service account keys detected in public repositories. You can customize this behavior by using the 'iam.serviceAccountKeyExposureResponse' organization policy. [Learn more](#)

Add a new key pair or upload a public key certificate from an existing key pair.

Block service account key creation using [organization policies](#).  
[Learn more about setting organization policies for service accounts](#)

ADD KEY

| Type               | Status | Key | Creation date | Expiration date |
|--------------------|--------|-----|---------------|-----------------|
| No rows to display |        |     |               |                 |

- d. Click on “ADD KEY”, then “CREATE NEW KEY”. After that, choose “JSON” key type.

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ADD KEY ▾

Create new key

Upload existing key

| Creation date | Expiration date |
|---------------|-----------------|
|---------------|-----------------|

### Create private key for "MyRasPi"

Downloads a file that contains the private key. Store the file securely because this key can't be recovered if lost.

**Key type**

☒ JSON  
Recommended

☐ P12  
For backward compatibility with code using the P12 format

CANCEL CREATE

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ADD KEY ▾

| Type | Status | Key                                      | Creation date | Expiration date |  |
|------|--------|--|---------------|-----------------|--|
|      | Active | f6f063a7e6ffef23a45b5ece955ab2ae62093c5e | Sep 4, 2024   | Jan 1, 10000    |  |

- e. You will get an automatically downloaded JSON key that you need to use later. It will be in your downloaded files folder. **Do not lose this.**

Recent download history

mydata-434607-f6f063a7e6f

2,347 B • Done

- 6) Set up Google Sheet with Client Email from JSON
  - a. Using a text Editor, open the JSON downloaded file. You will need the email address called client\_email.. Copy that email address into your clipboard (using Ctrr-C) because we will need for the google sheet.

mydata-434607-f6f063a7e6f.json

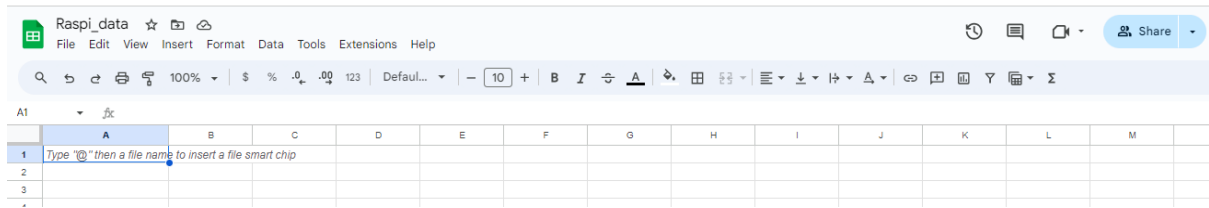
<No Schema Selected>

```

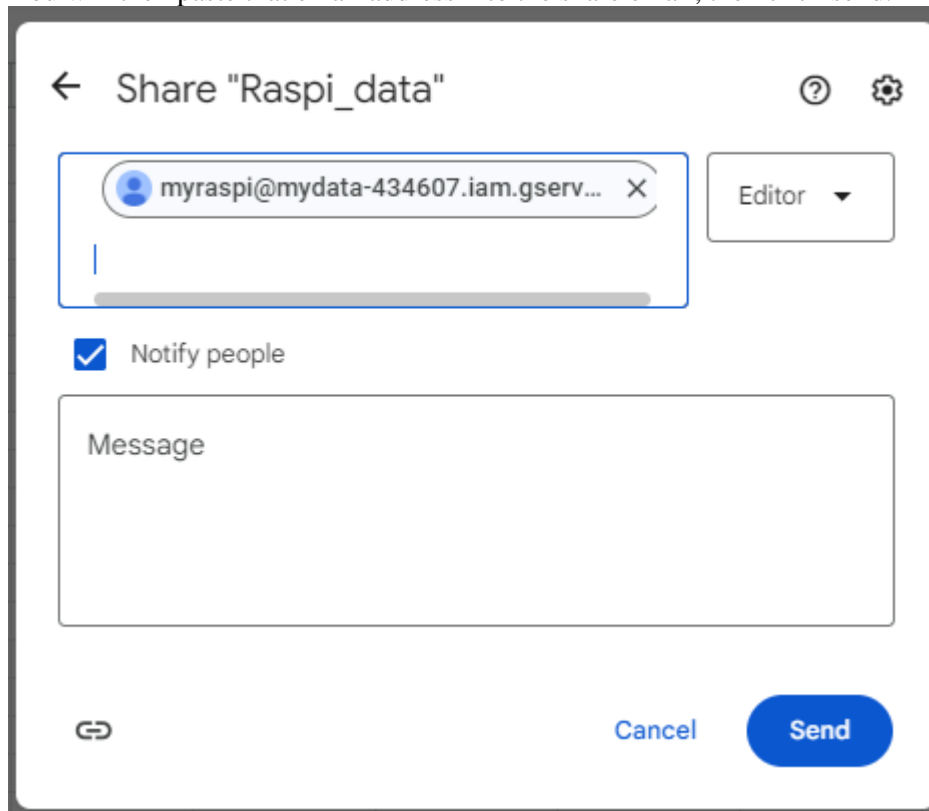
1  {
2    "type": "service_account",
3    "project_id": "mydata-434607",
4    "private_key_id": "f6f063a7e6ffef23a45b5ece955ab2ae62093c5e",
5    "private_key": "-----BEGIN PRIVATE KEY-----\nMIIEvQIBADANBgkqhkiG9w0BAQEFAASCBKcwggSjAgEAAoIBAQDimuyIdQ4xswc3\ndPFTB/dsRBpEtoEtl",
6    "client_email": "myraspi@mydata-434607.iam.gserviceaccount.com",
7    "client_id": "105905433481938458906",
8    "auth_uri": "https://accounts.google.com/o/oauth2/auth",
9    "token_uri": "https://oauth2.googleapis.com/token",
10   "auth_provider_x509_cert_url": "https://www.googleapis.com/oauth2/v1/certs",
11   "client_x509_cert_url": "https://www.googleapis.com/robot/v1/metadata/x509/myraspi%40mydata-434607.iam.gserviceaccount.com",
12   "universe_domain": "googleapis.com"
13 }
14

```

- b. Go back to your Google sheet (Raspi\_data) and click on file / share or click on the green share button in the upper right side of screen.

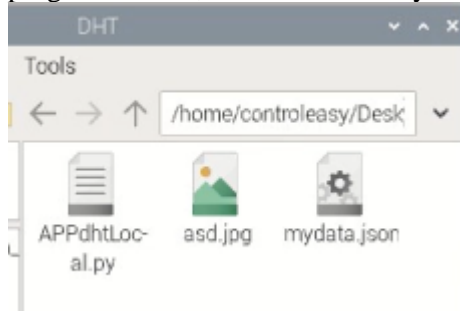


- c. You will then paste that email address into the share email, then click send.





- 7) Copy the downloaded JSON file to your Raspberry Pi. You will need to copy that JSON file into the directory where you write your python programs on your raspberry pi. You will need to have access to it from the python programs that you write that will access the google sheet. The file that I downloaded was called mydata-7ad604e1aaef.json, when I put it in my python programs folder, I renamed it to mydata.json so that I could easily reference it later.



The project folder should have 3 things: the dht program (.py), the company logo for the app (asd.jpg), and the credentials file (.json)

### 3 EDIT THE PYTHON CODE

Now, we must insert some information into the application code.

- 1) Open the application code “APPdhtLocal.py”
- 2) Search the upper part of the code for “get\_service” function. Make sure to name your downloaded JSON file as “mydata.json” as in this code.

```
38 #-----
39 # Google Sheets setup: functions to manage data in google sheets
40 #-----
41
42 # Create a service object for interacting with Google Sheets API
43 def get_service():
44     # Load credentials from the service account file
45     creds = service_account.Credentials.from_service_account_file(
46         "mydata.json", # Path to your service account credentials file
47         scopes=["https://www.googleapis.com/auth/spreadsheets", "https:
48     )
49
50     # Build the Sheets API service object using the credentials
51     service = build('sheets', 'v4', credentials=creds)
52     return service
53
```

- 3) Go your Google sheet (Raspi\_data). Then, look at the url.

[docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/12HvdgVRrjt13X6ltcFCL0Hj6tkq0AAwZBulBHkAPHVI/edit?gid=0#gid=0](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/12HvdgVRrjt13X6ltcFCL0Hj6tkq0AAwZBulBHkAPHVI/edit?gid=0#gid=0)

- 4) Get your spreadsheet id. The spreadsheet id is written after “/d/” . Copy it.

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/12HvdgVRrjt13X6ltcFCL0Hj6tkq0AAwZBulBHkAPHVI/edit?gid=0#gid=0>

In this case, the spreadsheet id is:

“12HvdgVRrjt13X6ltcFCL0Hj6tkq0AAwZBulBHkAPHVI”.

- 5) Next, scroll down to the end of the code, that is, to the “main application entry point”.

```
915 # Main application entry point
916 if __name__ == '__main__':
917
918     # Your Google Sheets ID
919     spreadsheet_id = "12HvdgVRrjt13X61tcFCL0Hj6tkq0AAwZBulBHkAPHVI"
920
921
922     service = get_service()
923
924     # Create necessary sheets if they don't exist
925     sheet_names = ["RawHistory", "Monitoring", "History"]
926     for sheet_name in sheet_names:
927         create_sheet_if_not_exists(service, spreadsheet_id, sheet_name)
928
929     # Ensure headers exist in each sheet
930     ensure_sheet_header(service, spreadsheet_id, "RawHistory", ["Time",
931     ensure_sheet_header(service, spreadsheet_id, "Monitoring", ["Time",
932     ensure_sheet_header(service, spreadsheet_id, "History", ["Time", "M
933
934     initialize_gpio()
935
936     #create gui window
937     root = tk.Tk()
938     root.protocol( 'WM_DELETE_WINDOW' , on_close)
939     app = Toplevel(root)
940     root.mainloop()
941
```

- 6) Change the value of “spreadsheet\_id” to your spreadsheet\_id.

```
# Your Google Sheets ID
spreadsheet_id = "12HvdgVRrjt13X61tcFCL0Hj6tkq0AAwZBulBHkAPHVI"
```

- 7) Now, you can save the changes of the code.

## 4 ENVIRONMENT FOR PYTHON CODE

Now, we will install additional libraries that are needed for GUI, Google Sheets API, and SQLite.

- 1) Create a virtual environment. In this case, we named the virtual environment as “dhtguienv”

```
controleasy@raspberrypi:~ $ python3 -m venv dhtguienv
```

- 2) Activate the virtual environment.

```
controleasy@raspberrypi:~ $ source dhtguienv/bin/activate
```

- 3) Install dht11 library

```
(dhtguienv) controleasy@raspberrypi:~ $ pip install dht11
```

- 4) Install rpi.lgpio library

- a. Uninstall rpi.gpio library

```
(dhtguienv) controleasy@raspberrypi:~ $ pip uninstall rpi.gpio
```

- b. Install rpi.lgpio library

```
(dhtguienv) controleasy@raspberrypi:~ $ pip install rpi.lgpio
```

- 5) Install pillow, requests, matplotlib, google-auth, google-auth-oauthlib, google-auth-httplib2, and google-api-python-client inside the virtual environment.

```
pip install pillow
```

```
pip install requests
```

```
pip install matplotlib
```

```
pip install google-auth
```

```
pip install google-auth-oauthlib
```

```
pip install google-auth-httplib2
```

```
pip install google-api-python-client
```

- 6) Install python3-tk

```
sudo apt install python3-tk
```

7) After you have installed all these libraries, your library list may look as follows:

```
(dhtguienv) controleasy@raspberrypi:~ $ pip list
Package                               Version
-----
cachetools                           5.5.0
certifi                              2024.8.30
charset-normalizer                    3.3.2
contourpy                             1.3.0
cyclor                                0.12.1
dht11                                  0.1.0
fonttools                             4.54.0
google-api-core                       2.20.0
google-api-python-client              2.146.0
google-auth                           2.35.0
google-auth-httpplib2                0.2.0
google-auth-oauthlib                 1.2.1
googleapis-common-protos              1.65.0
httpplib2                             0.22.0
idna                                   3.10
kiwisolver                            1.4.7
lgpio                                  0.2.2.0
matplotlib                            3.9.2
numpy                                  2.1.1
oauthlib                              3.2.2
oauthlib                              3.2.2
packaging                             24.1
pillow                                10.4.0
pip                                    23.0.1
proto-plus                            1.24.0
protobuf                              5.28.2
pyasn1                                0.6.1
pyasn1_modules                        0.4.1
pyparsing                             3.1.4
python-dateutil                       2.9.0.post0
requests                              2.32.3
requests-oauthlib                     2.0.0
rpi-lgpio                             0.6
rsa                                    4.9
setuptools                             66.1.1
six                                    1.16.0
uritemplate                           4.1.1
urllib3                               2.2.3
(dhtguienv) controleasy@raspberrypi:~ $
```

## 5 RUNNING THE PROGRAM

- 1) Open your virtual environment

```
controleasey@raspberrypi:~ $ source dhtguienv/bin/activate
(dhtguienv) controleasey@raspberrypi:~ $
```

- 2) Navigate to the directory where you save the Python program

```
(dhtguienv) controleasey@raspberrypi:~ $ cd /home/controleasey/Desktop/DHT11Project/sheet/DHT
(dhtguienv) controleasey@raspberrypi:~/Desktop/DHT11Project/sheet/DHT $
```

- 3) Run the program

```
(dhtguienv) controleasey@raspberrypi:~/Desktop/DHT11Project/sheet/DHT $ python APPdhtLocal.py
```

