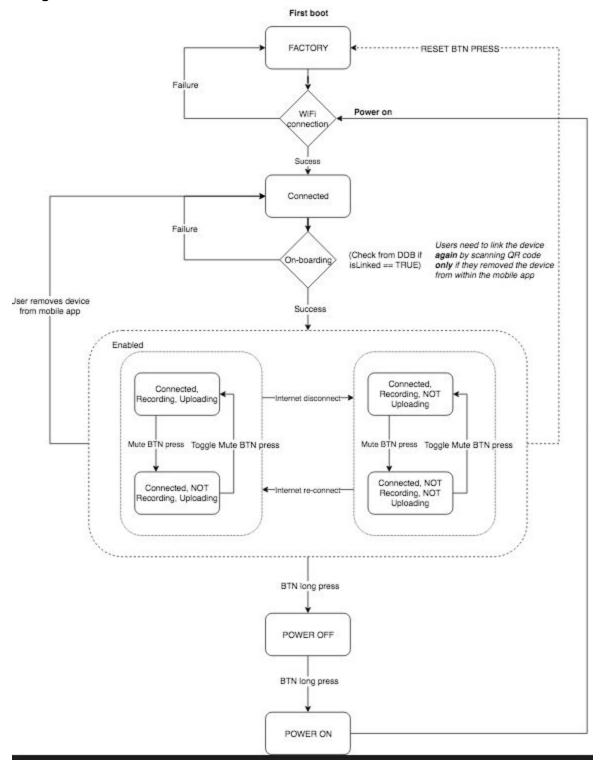
Notes:

- Al7688H runs on Linux platform (Openwrt)
- Openwrt is used across multiple chipsets that are used in WiFi routers.
- Firmware for Oya was developed on top of LinkIt's feeds for Openwrt which has driver for WM8960 audio codec. Headphones and microphones (not speaker)
- The Schematic design is borrowed largely off of Seeed's ReSpeaker Core V0.

Design:



The firmware design is roughly based on the above flow chart. The actual implementation, however, differs in some aspects.

Components:

The functional parts of the firmware was divided into processes that run independently of each other but restarts based on changes in states (such as WiFi connection status, internet connection status, Button press to mute the microphone etc.)

- 1. Flask server: for user on-boarding.
- 2. Internet status: regularly checks if the device is connected to the internet
- MQTT: Starts the MQTT process and subscribes to the relevant topic for publishing device states and subscribe to relevant topics for receiving remote commands (subscription incomplete)
- 4. Recording: To record
- 5. Uploading: To upload
- 6. UART: To communicate with the TI MCU for controlling LEDs and receiving interrupts from buttons etc., (incomplete)
- 7. IsLinked: to check if the device is linked to a particular user (i.e, if the device ID is mapped to a UserID on the backend)
- 8. Oya: used it for testing purposes only

Files and processes:

All functions are written as Linux process (https://oldwiki.archive.openwrt.org/doc/techref/initscripts)

Files under /oya_package/files/etc:

/oya_package/files/etc/init.d

1. Files under the above directory define start(), stop() and boot() functions. See code for reference and comments.

/oya package/files/etc/uci-default

- 1. Z oya 01 init Grant permissions to newly written Linux processes.
- 2. Z_oya_02_config Set up host name as Oya and set WiFi SSID and password

Files under /oya_package/usr/bin:

Custom linux commands for getting/setting states, pid and other relevant functions that needs to be called within processes by reading state files.

For example: Internet connection status is stored in /*Oya/internet_status/connected* as 0 or 1. To get the connection status, the file in /*usr/bin/internet_status* defines a command `internet_status connected get` would return 0 or 1.

Functions:

All functions are stored under **/Oya**. Refer to the individual files and comments for notes on the actual implementation of the functions.

State changes:

Any change in states such as internet disconnection or change in recording duration, etc. changes the state file first, calls a commit which restarts all related functions and sends the LED command via UART. Please check the commit command under /usr/bin/internet_status for reference.