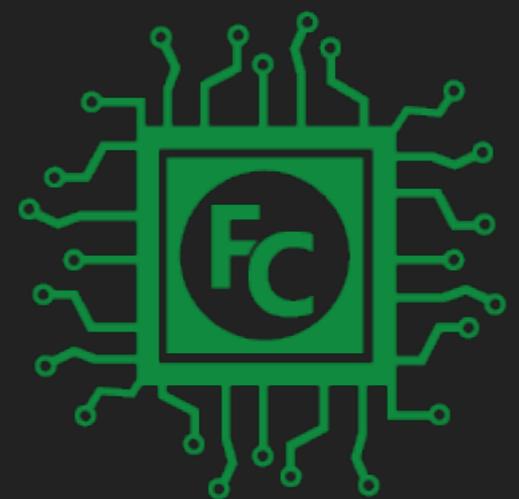




## SMART-HOME FOR BEGINNERS

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# GLADOS



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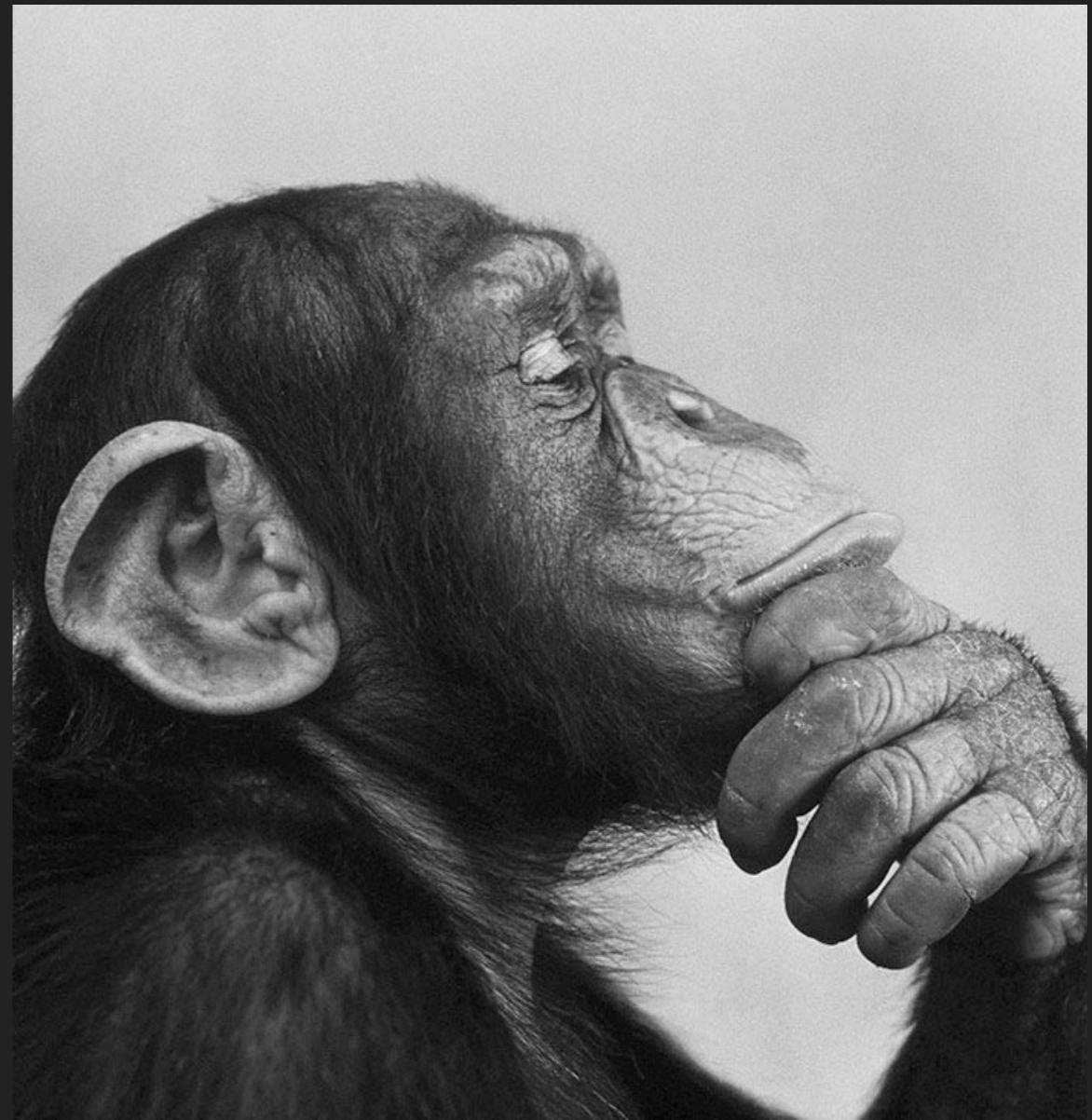
## #THROWBACK

- ▶ Electrical Engineering student
- ▶ “Hello World” programming knowledge
- ▶ Forgetful
- ▶ lazy
- ▶ Curious
- ▶ First contact with electronics and embedded programming



## PROBLEMS

- ▶ Constantly losing the apartment's keys
- ▶ Forget to turn of Boiler
- ▶ Forget to turn of the lights
- ▶ Automatic music playback would be way too cool
- ▶ No programming knowledge or portfolio

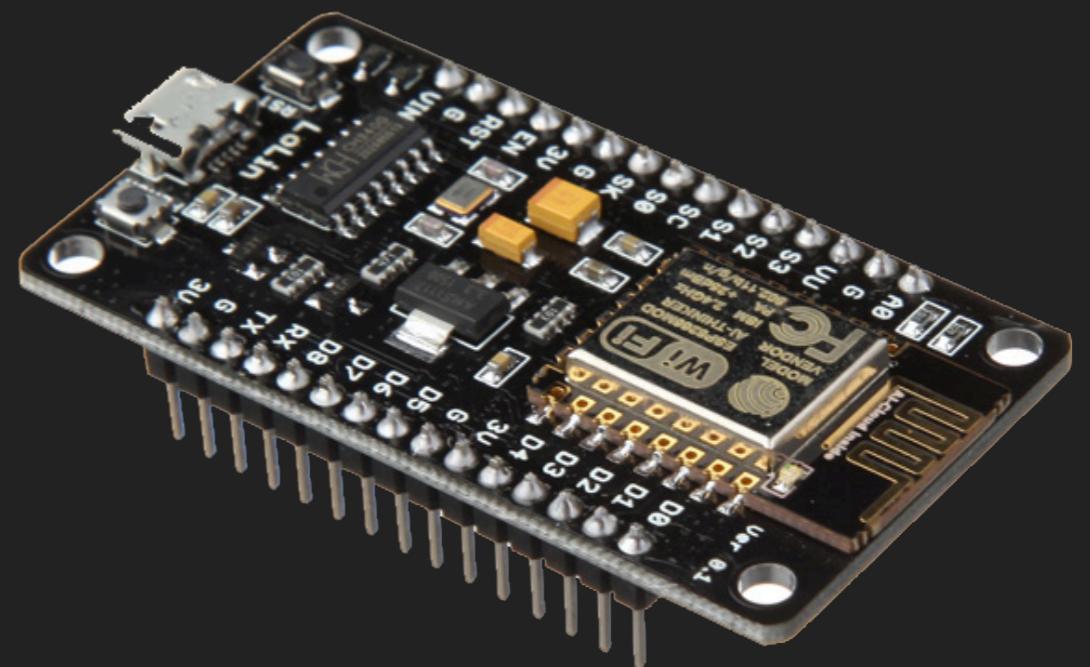




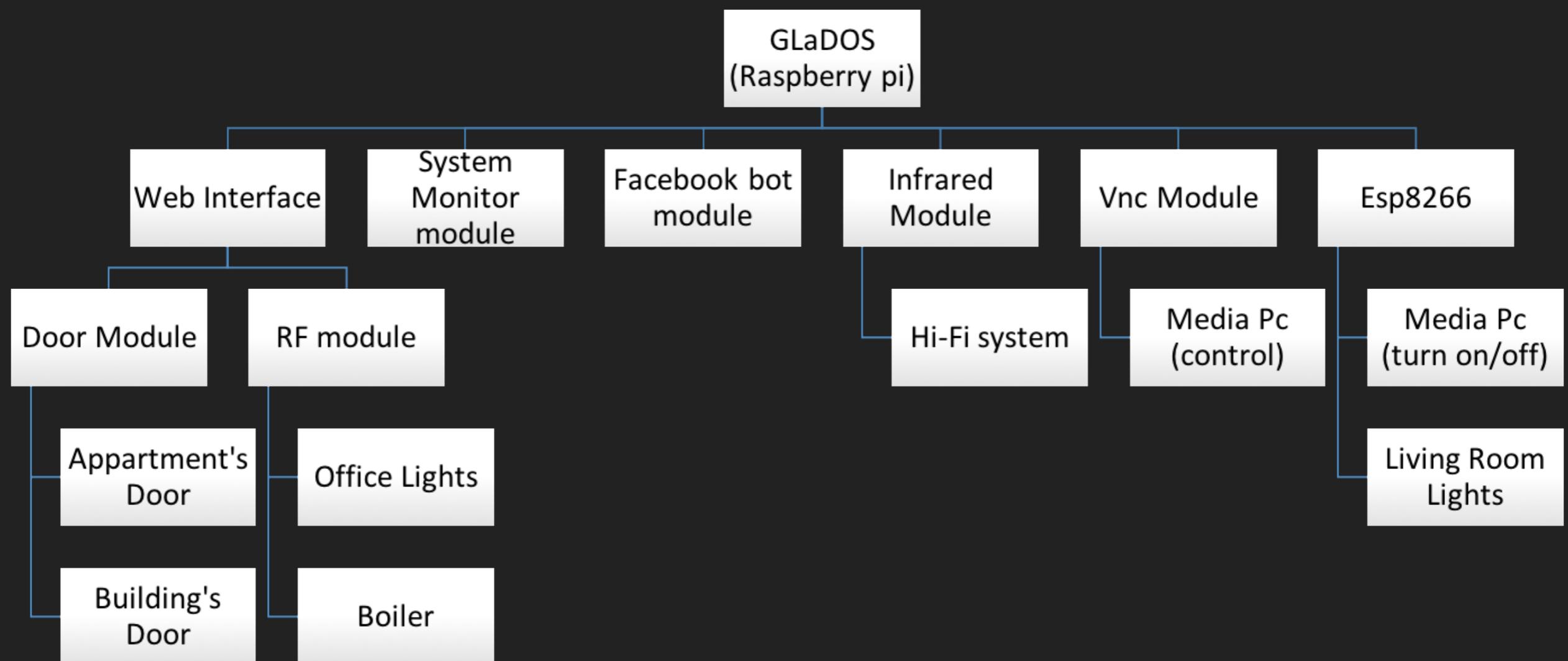
A COMPLETELY CUSTOM IOT SOLUTION

# SOLUTION

- ▶ Based on Raspberry pi & Esp8266
- ▶ Simple web interface & facebook bot control
- ▶ Core platform uses python, thus infinite possibilities
- ▶ Modularity simplifies upgrading and iteration

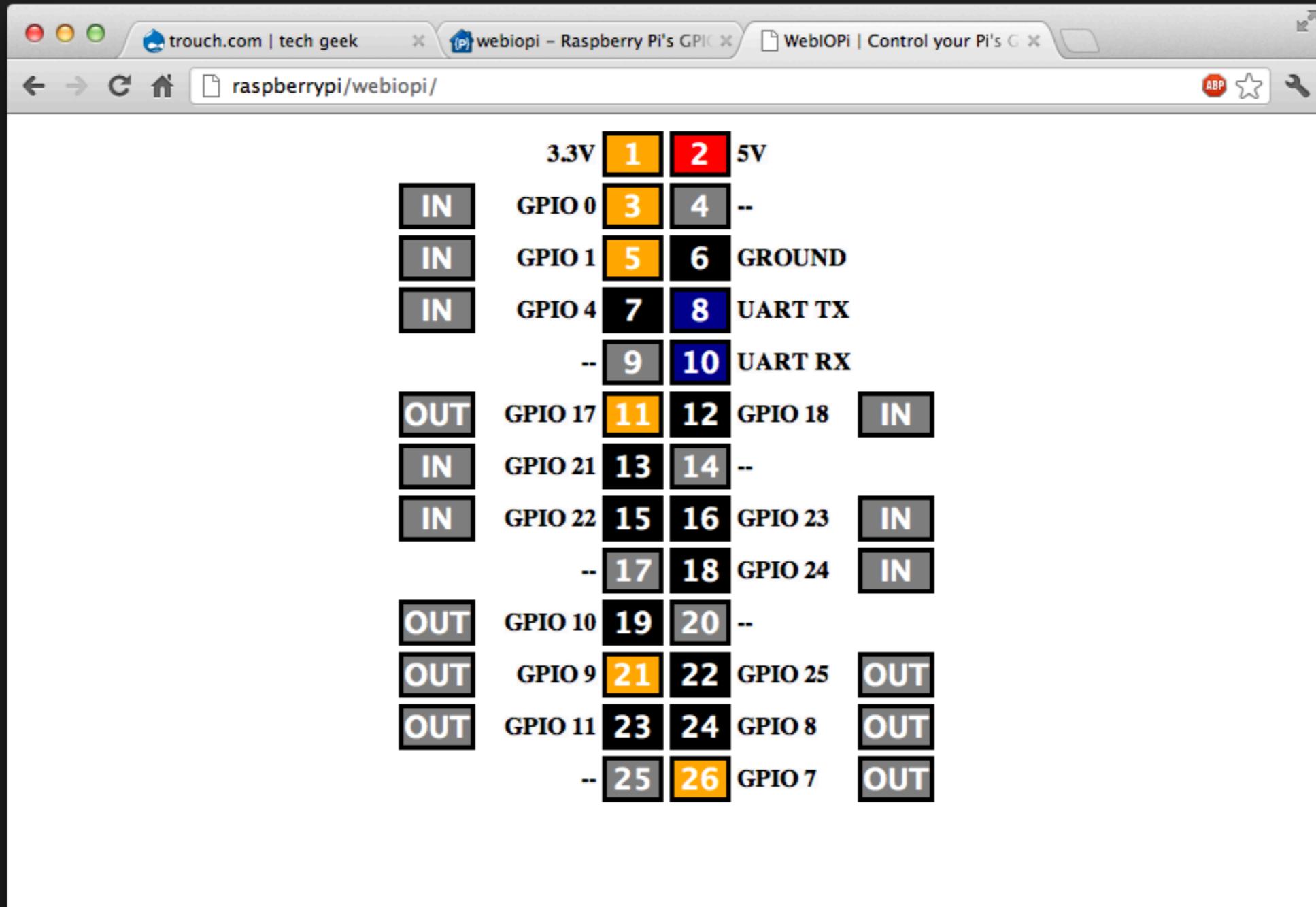


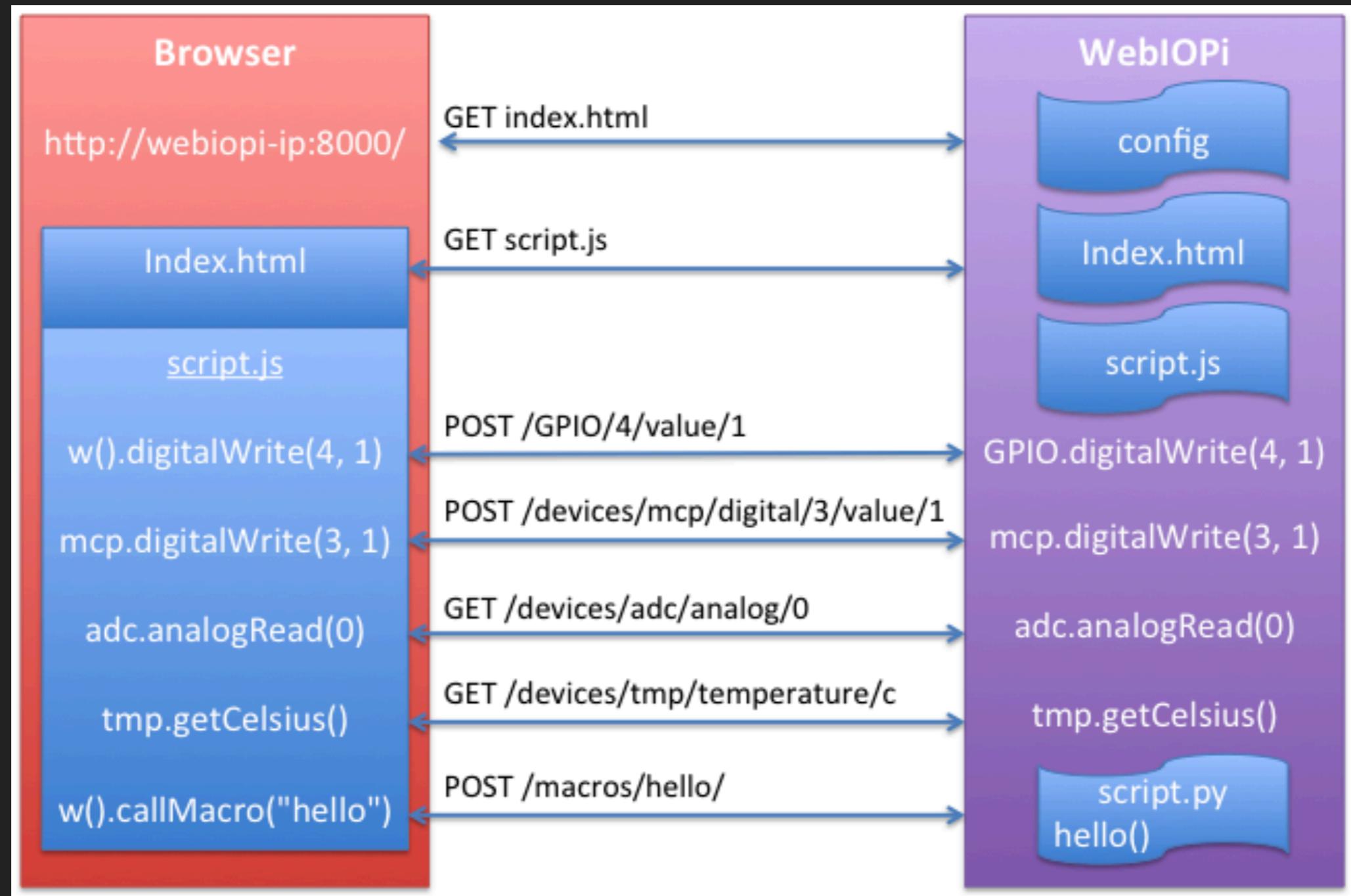
# OVERVIEW



## THE CORE FRAMEWORK

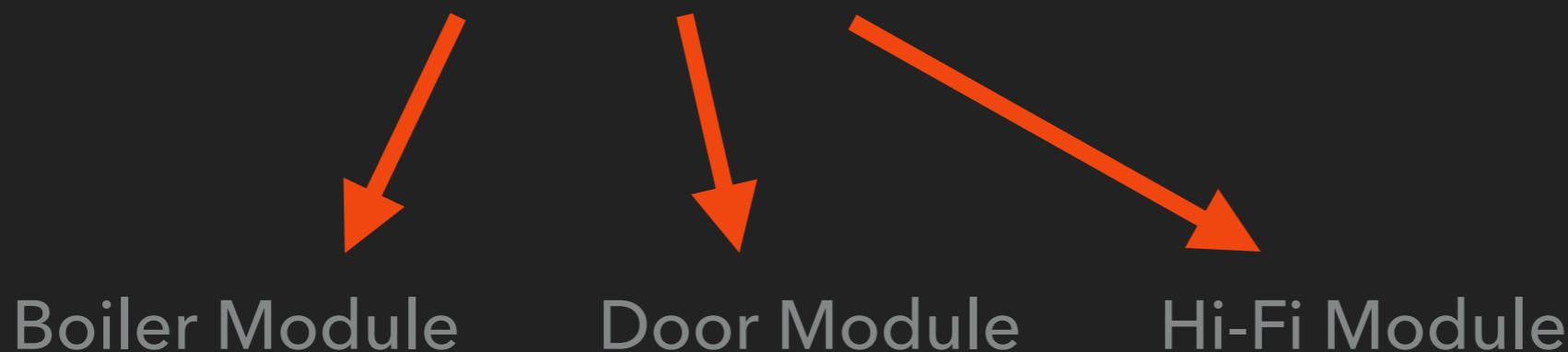
- ▶ One of the first IoT platforms, named Webiopi
- ▶ Written in python
- ▶ HTTP python server provides HTML interface
- ▶ Same python server provides REST API
- ▶ Javascript makes synchronous calls to python server





## CONFIGURATION

- ▶ Create the interface, use of specialised JS library
- ▶ Configure framework's options.
- ▶ Create the central Python script.



## LIBRARIES USED

- ▶ Python:
  - ▶ Pi-switch, Vncdotool, Pywit
  - ▶ Selenium, Pywin32, flask
  - ▶ Fbchat
- ▶ Other:
  - ▶ Lirc, aREST





## DOOR MODULE

- ▶ Use of special door lock with handle from the inside
- ▶ Use of 3d printed cogs & servo
- ▶ Servo can be controlled from any MCU
- ▶ Reed switch is used to detect door status (open - close)



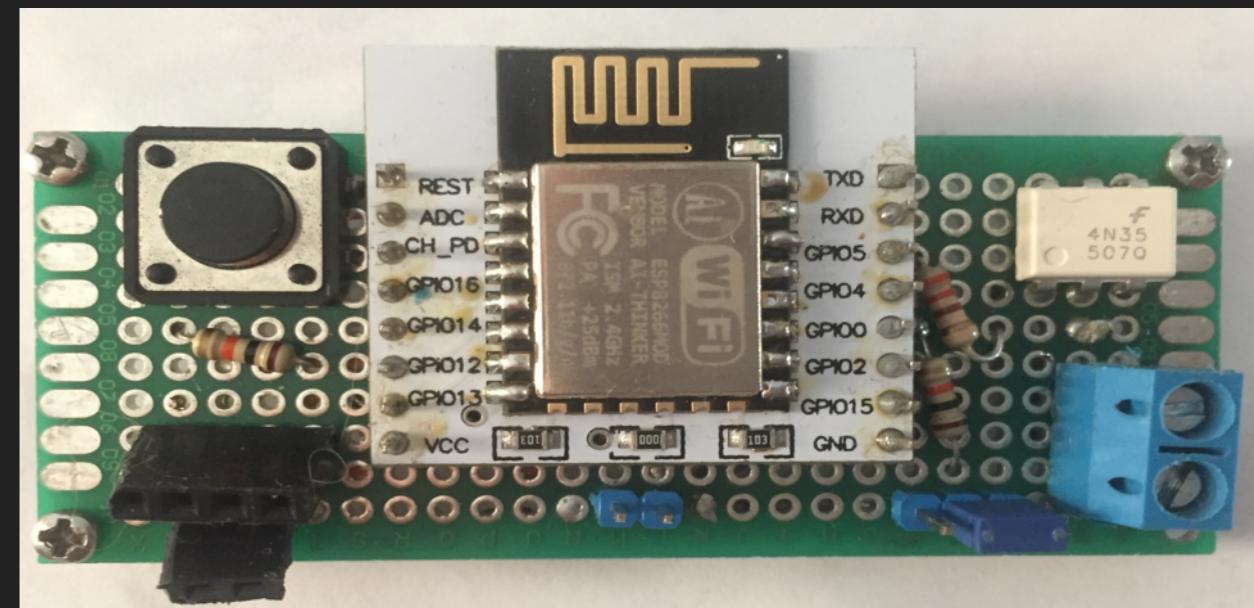
## BOILER MODULE

- ▶ Power Relay interrupts the connection of the boiler with it's switch
- ▶ Power Relay is controlled from a RF switch
- ▶ RF switch is controlled from a RF transmitter connected to Raspberry.



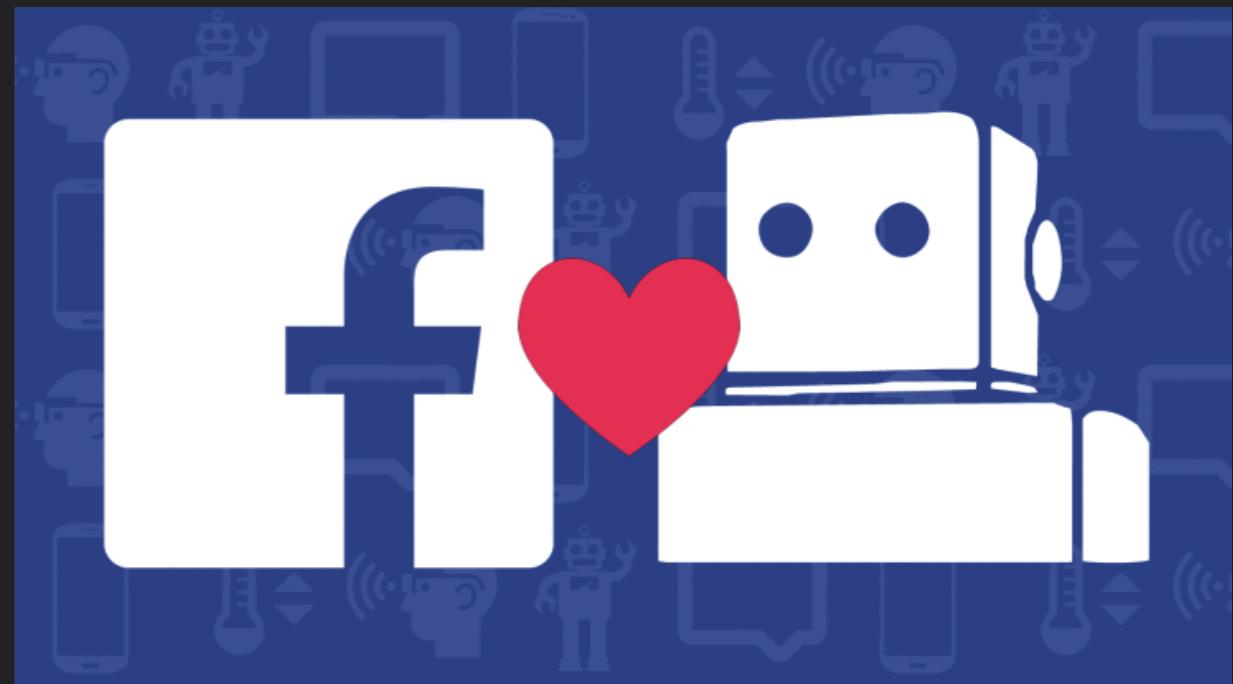
# ESP8266

- ▶ IoT MCU manufactured by Espresif,  
cost = 1-2 \$
- ▶ Use of community built Arduino  
firmware
- ▶ Coupled with 4 relays, and a power  
supply, we have a smart-strip
- ▶ Mimic button switch by using an  
opto-coupler



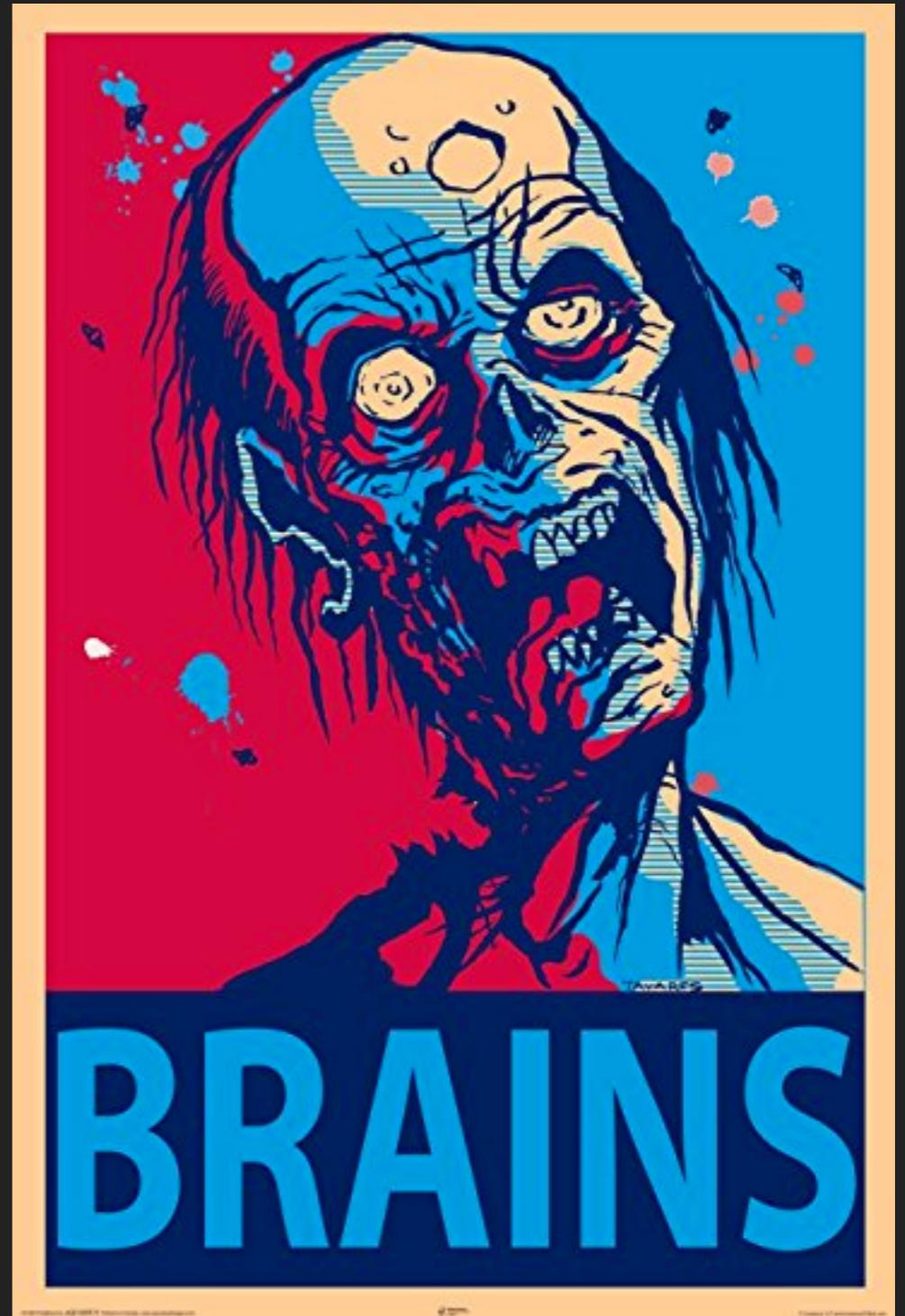
## FACEBOOK BOT

- ▶ Use of a Facebook profile.
- ▶ fbchat would simply fetch all incoming messages and send the reply
- ▶ fbchat mimics the behaviour of web messenger
- ▶ Proof of concept, not actual bot



## BOT'S BRAINZ

- ▶ Need of Natural Language Processor, use of WIT.ai
- ▶ Train bot to extract the correct meaning from a range of expressions
- ▶ Bot can understand variations, as also the place of a word in the phrase



ανοιξε τον θερμοσιφωνα για 30 λεπτα

action

open



heater

boiler



intent

heater\_control



sentiment

negative



time\_custom

30



time\_type

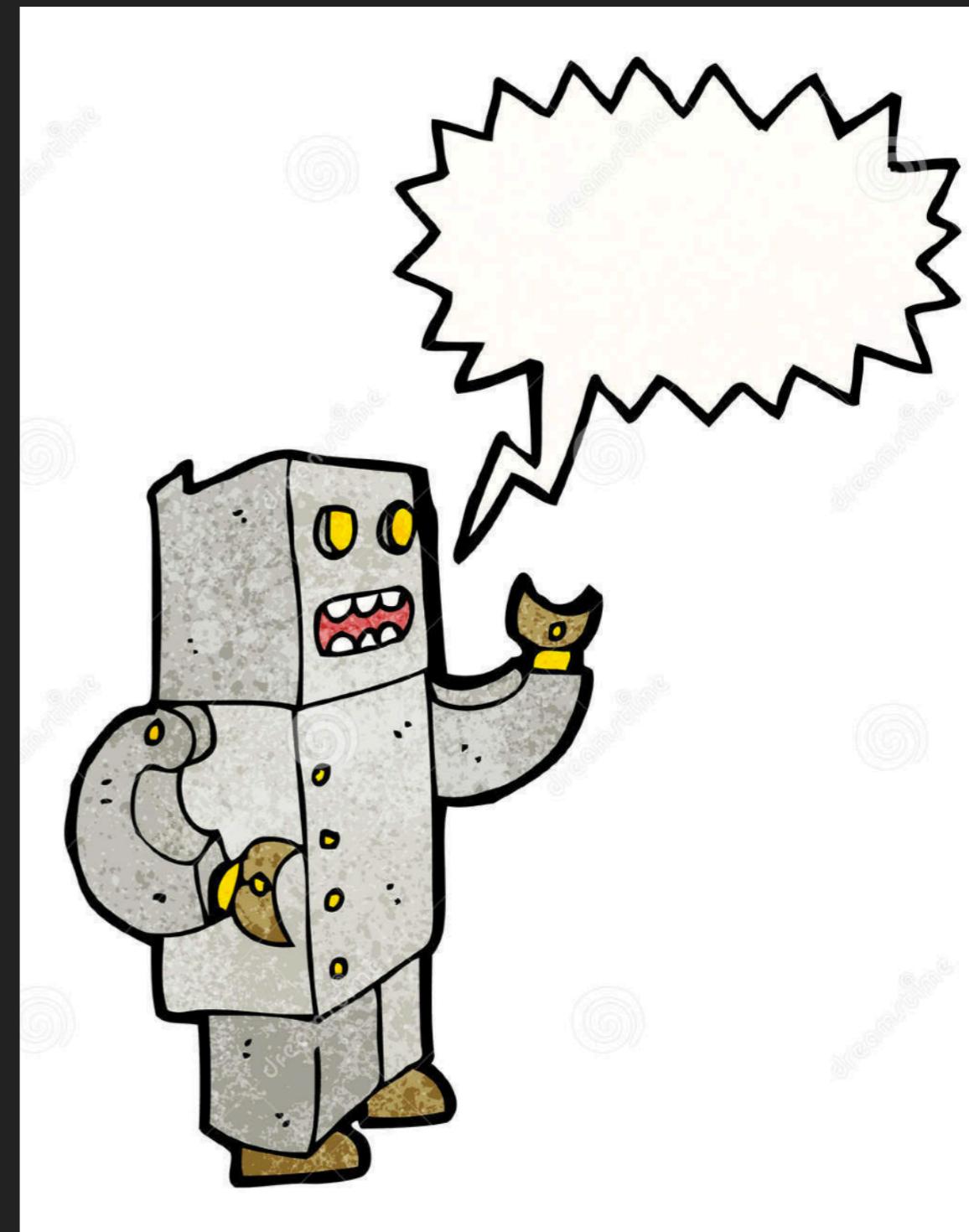
minutes



Add a new entity

## DISCUSSIONS

- ▶ Bot can be trained to follow certain “stories”
- ▶ A story is a conversation, the bot replies according to the user’s reply.
- ▶ The rules can be directly integrated into the bot.
- ▶ The decision making in the client program stays minimum



heater



heater (context)



s\_positive && ctime && timetype && open

no\_ctime && open

uncertain

turn\_off



Τον ανοίγω για {ctime} {timetype}. Ειδες πόσο καλά τα πάμε όταν είσαι ευγενικός;



+ Variable

*Set quick replies*

end (context)



Updates context keys with...



Bot sends



Bot executes



Jump

## CONCLUSIONS

- ▶ The system is highly tailored to the apartment
- ▶ The reliability is somewhat poor
- ▶ Security is non-existent, adequate for the project's needs
- ▶ It was accomplished with no knowledge
- ▶ Thousands of projects and platforms to choose from
- ▶ Everything is Fucking Open Sourced

DREAM BIG ,START SMALL,  
BUT MOST OF ALL... . . .

**START**

Simon Sinek