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A Toolkit for Situated Analytics



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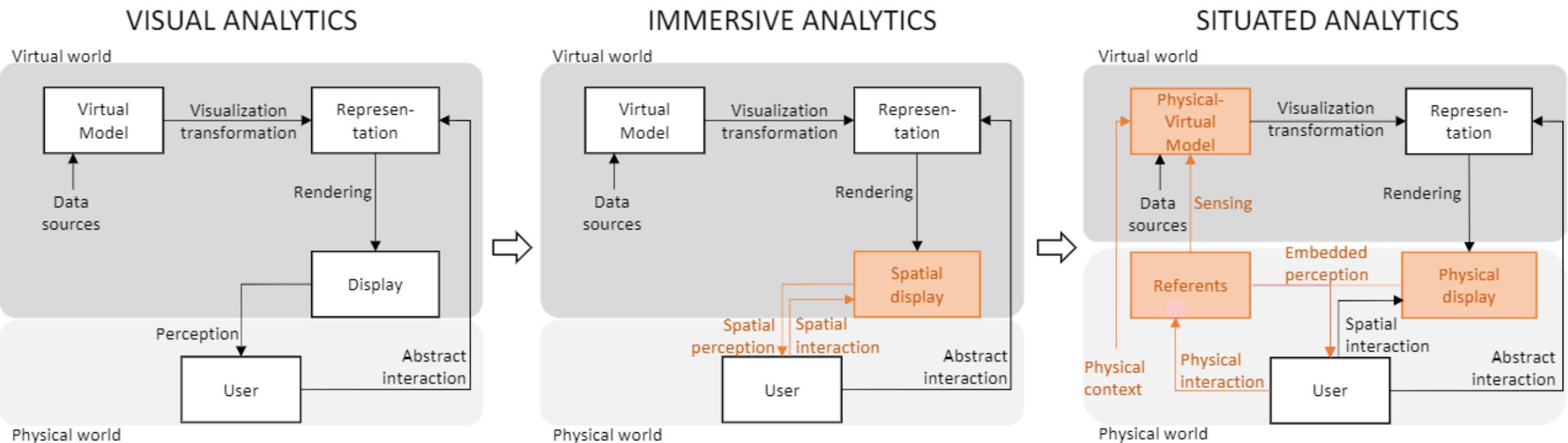
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Situated Analytics

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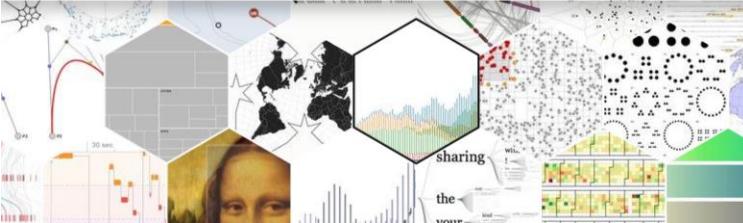
- Physical-Virtual Model
- Physical display
- Refferents (passive and active)



Visualization Toolkits

- D3, Vega, InfoVis Toolkit → JS, Browser
- IATK, U2VIS, DXR → 3D, Unity

Data-Driven Documents



The d3.js website features a collage of diverse data visualizations including a network graph, a treemap, a sunburst chart, and a scatter plot. The overall theme is "sharing the web".

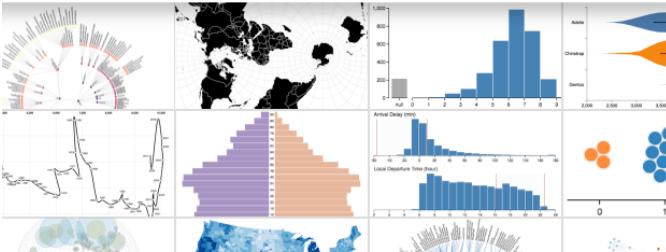
JavaScript InfoVis Toolkit

Create Interactive Data Visualizations for the Web



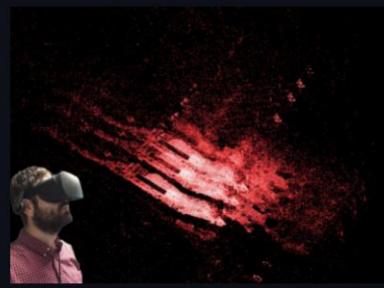
The website has a central circular menu with sections like Source, Layouts, Options, and Interactions. It also includes a "Demos" section with links to Treemap.js, Sunburst.js, and Suncolor.js.

Vega – A Visualization Grammar



The Vega website displays a variety of complex data visualizations such as a circular sunburst chart, a world map with color-coded regions, a histogram, and a scatter plot.

IATK 1.0 (Mala): Immersive Analytics Toolkit



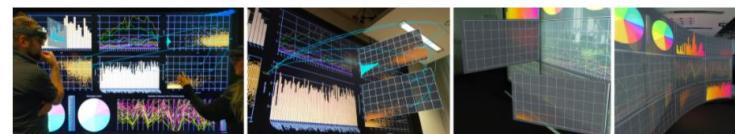
IATK: Immersive Analytics Toolkit allows you to build high quality, interactive visualisations in Immersive Environments (Virtual/Augmented Reality). Use simple code to use the IATK core and make your own interactive visualizations.

IATK is an ongoing and open project with features that we would like to implement in the future.

Personal Augmented Reality for Information Visualization on Large Interactive Displays

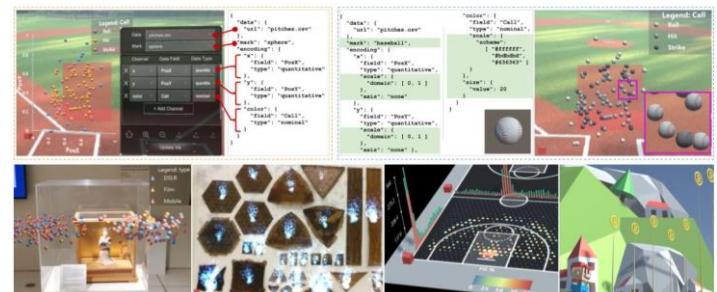
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DXR: A Toolkit for Building Immersive Data Visualizations

Ronell Sicat, Jiaobao Li, JunYoung Choi, Maxime Cordeil, Won-ki Jeong, Benjamin Bach and Hanspeter Pfister



The DXR toolkit interface shows a 3D soccer field with player positions and a JSON code snippet illustrating the visualization grammar. The code defines a "Cell" object with properties like "field": "Cell", "type": "rect", "encoding": {"x": "x", "y": "y", "color": "color", "size": "size"}, and "value": 20.

Visualization Authoring

- Grammar of graphics for visualization specification
- Instrumental Interaction
 - generalized form of direct manipulation
 - Interaction instruments combine physical and virtual parts
- Referents can serve as physical instruments in situated visualization, while the stages of the visualization pipeline can serve as virtual instruments
- we enable the combination of physical and virtual instruments in a completely open manner, using free-form dataflow.

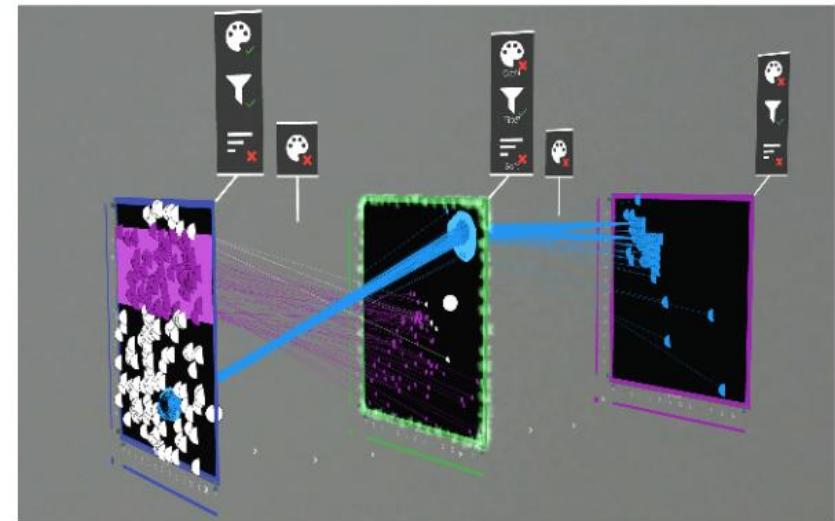
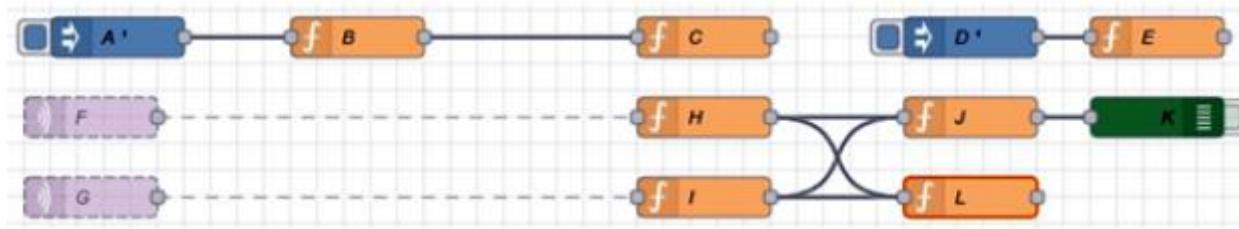
RagRug

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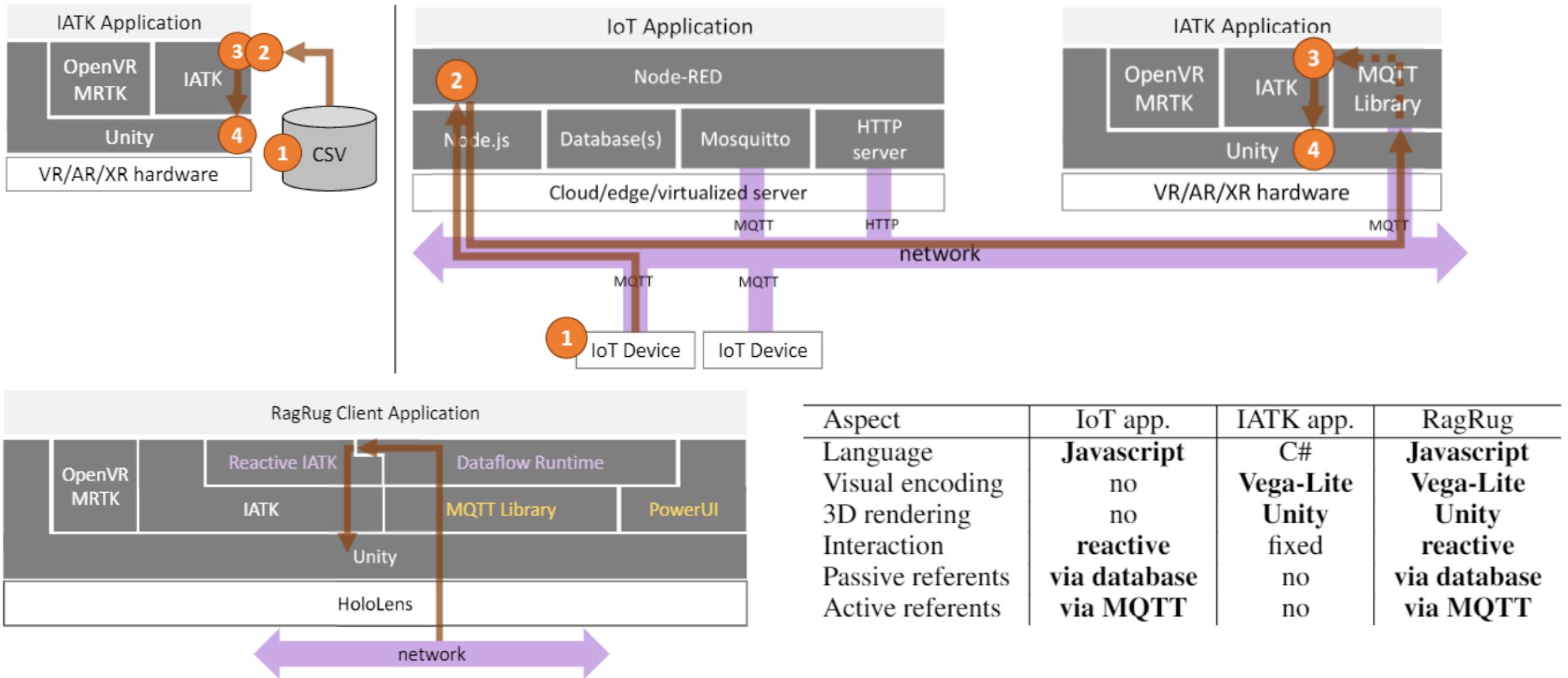


RagRug

- Toolkit for Situated Analytics
 - Visual Analytics → Immersive Analytics(spatial)
→Situated Analytics(referents + phys-virt-model)
- Physical-Virtual World Model
- Distributed Real-system
 - NodeRed, MQTT, CouchDb, InfluxDB, PostGres, Unity, IATK, MRTK, Vuforia, PowerUI
- ClientSide Flow Interpreter → NR visual programming



VR/AR/XR/IoT Applications



Unified programming for situated authoring

- Public / Subscribe
 - → lose client-client / client-server communication
- IATK + Real-time datasource
 - → Reactive IATK
- Clientside JS
 - → NodeRed Flow interpreter
- NodeRed Flow can run on server and client
 - → unified programming
 - → distributed data-flows

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A Toolkit for Situated Analytics

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Michael Sedlmair and Dieter Schmalstieg

Examples

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Node Red

- Orchestration backend
- Visual programming
- Often used for Home-Automation, IoT, device orchestration, prototyping backends but also in production
- Based on Node.js, backend, web-frontend
- A lot of pkg/function to install
- Support for many databases
- WebApi, Sockets, MQTT, much more

The screenshot displays the Node-RED interface, which consists of two main sections: the top half shows a complex flow diagram, and the bottom half shows a configuration panel.

Flow Diagram: The flow diagram is titled "TestFlow". It includes various nodes such as "inject", "timestamp", "test", "mssql", "verbinden", "vis/interaction:selectedField", "timestamp", "test select", "mqt", "function", "HTTP-Afordern", and "msg". The nodes are interconnected with wires, forming a sequence of operations. The left sidebar lists categories of nodes: common, Function, and others like switch, change, range, template, delay, trigger, exec, if, and mds.

Configuration Panel: This panel is titled "Home" and contains several sections:

- Model Upload:** Fields for Unique Device Name, Common Name, Location Key (SSID), Location path (building/floor/room), Scale, and Modelfile (.obj, fbx, blend, 3DS). A button "Datei auswählen" is present, with a note "Keine ausgewählt".
- Telemetry Mqtt:** A table listing topics with their corresponding Tag and Topic values. The table has columns "Tag", "Topic", and "Delete". The data is as follows:

Tag	Topic
1	telemetry/infield16/1st/hallway/light0/main/brightness
2	telemetry/infield16/1st/hallway/light1/main/brightness
3	telemetry/infield16/1st/hallway/light1/main/freq
4	telemetry/infield16/2nd/hallway/coffeemachine/heater/temperature
5	telemetry/infield16/2nd/hallway/light0/main/brightness
6	telemetry/infield16/2nd/hallway/outlet/main/powerconsumption
7	telemetry/infield16/2nd/hallway/outlet1/main/powerconsumption
8	telemetry/infield16/2nd/hallway/refrigerator/chamber/temperature
9	telemetry/infield16/2nd/hallway/refrigerator/compressor/powerconsumption
10	telemetry/infield16/2nd/hallway/refrigerator/compressor/temperature
11	telemetry/infield16/2nd/id2068/bigserver/DC-BIG/dcin
12	telemetry/infield16/2nd/id2068/bigserver/RJ45/inbound
13	telemetry/infield16/2nd/id2068/bigserver/RJ45/outbound
14	telemetry/infield16/2nd/id2068/buildserver/DC-BIG/dcin

A "SUBMIT" button is located at the bottom right of the configuration panel.

Modeling the world

Publish – Subscribe via MQTT

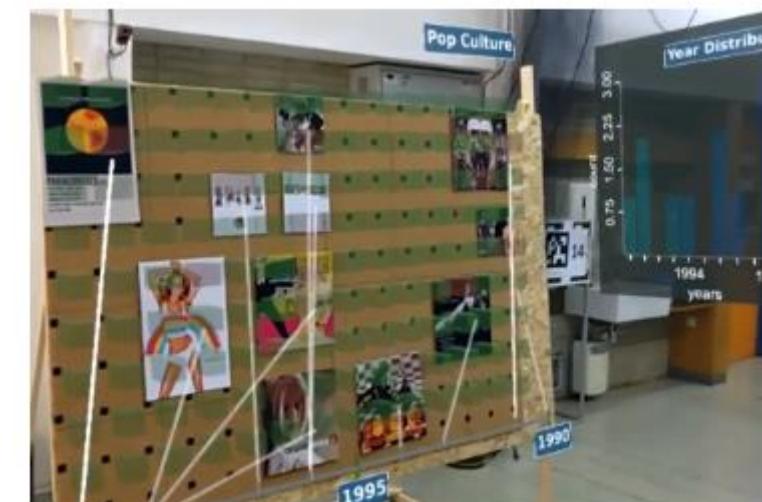
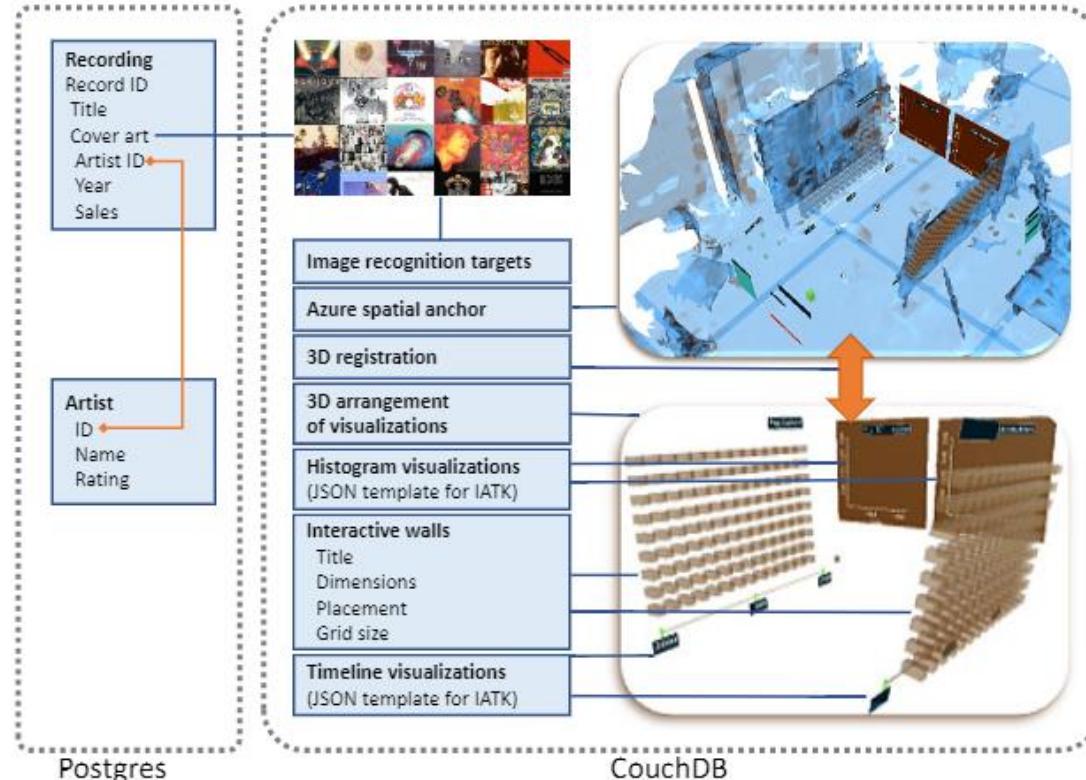
- Losely coupled → no hard links, decouped code
- Producer and Consumer do not other each other
- Broker in the middle for message routing
- Topic based with support for hierarchies and wildcards
 - telemetry/sensors/#, telemetry/sensors/+/temperature
- Allows for easy data discovery and notification
- Use cases:
 - Input to an visualization, broadcasting of data (Sensors, HMD-pose), ...

Locations

- 1. We are within a Building
 - 2. On a Floor
 - 3. Within a Room
 - 4. Where Devices are
 - 5. Which have Parts
 - 6. Where Parts have Abilities
 - 7. Which produce Data
- Localize within a room using its SSID/BSSID
 - MQTT
 - Messaging protocol
 - Publish/Subscribe based on topics
 - Topics follow Location concept
 - Data-prefix: *telemetry*
 - telemetry/building/floor/room/device/part/ability

Digital twins

- Situated analytics
 - No (or little) toolkits out there
 - Hard to do (implementation havey)
 - Hard for visualization people to explore
- Showing benefits of (passive or active) referents against a more traditional way
- Little comparison or user studies done



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RagRug:

A Toolkit for Studying Situated Analytics

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CouchDB – Stores the World

- Scalable, fast, document based
- Replication
- Web-ready, json based
- Rest-API per default
- Support views, map-reduce tasks
- Large documents, attachments
- Non - Relational



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Seamless multi-master sync, that scales from **Big Data** to **Mobile**, with an **Intuitive** HTTP/JSON API and designed for **Reliability**.

"Amongst all the panic and horror [of a power outage], I was smiling."
- Assaf Morami

The replication in CouchDB is really the killer feature that sets it apart from other databases.
- Patrick Wolf

"Even if the internet was very bad our databases in the two locations would eventually sync."
- Ryan Meredith

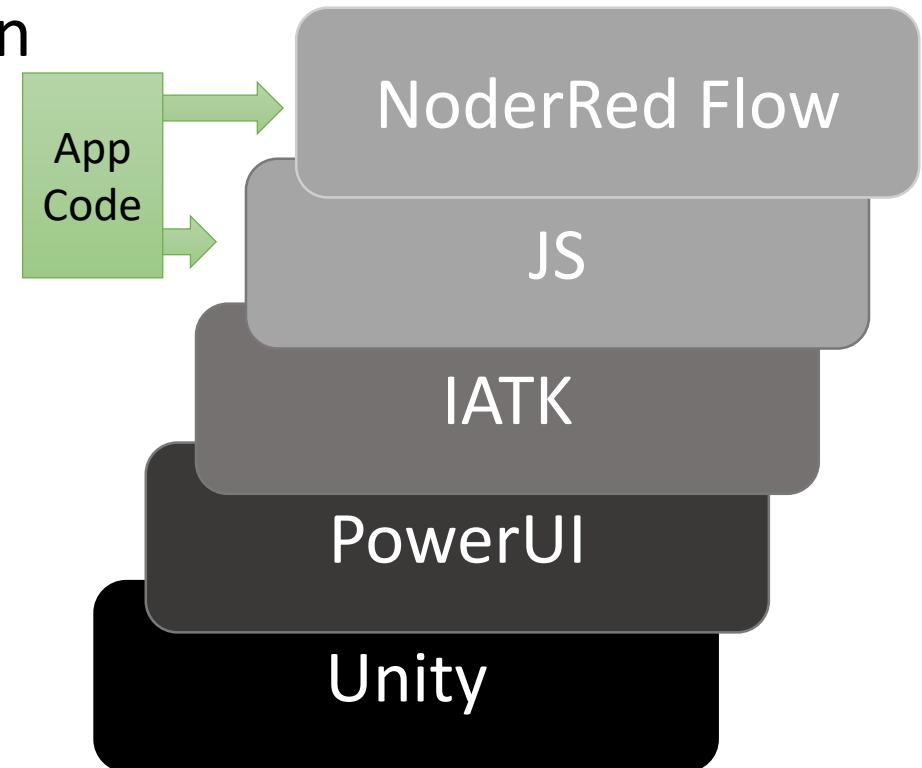
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AR Client

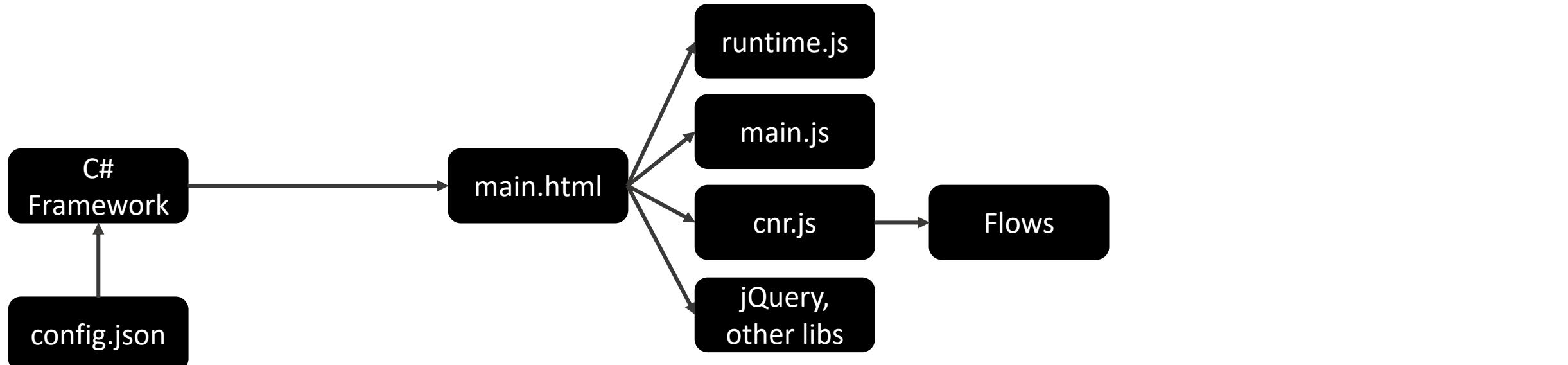
ARCLient

- The cnr.js (flow interpreter) needs JS to run
 - JS is the application layer
 - IATK for the Visualization
 - PowerUI for JS (JIT) and C# bindings
 - Unity for rendering and device access
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- Following web-style principles: Fuzzy loading, Lazy loading, hot-plugging
 - No compilation

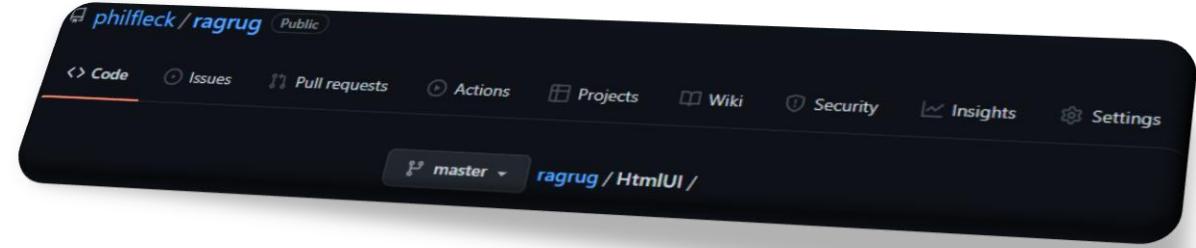


ARClient: Default Loading Procedure

- Starts from config.json
- Loads on default main.html
- Using RRs main+runtime:



ARClient: runtime.js



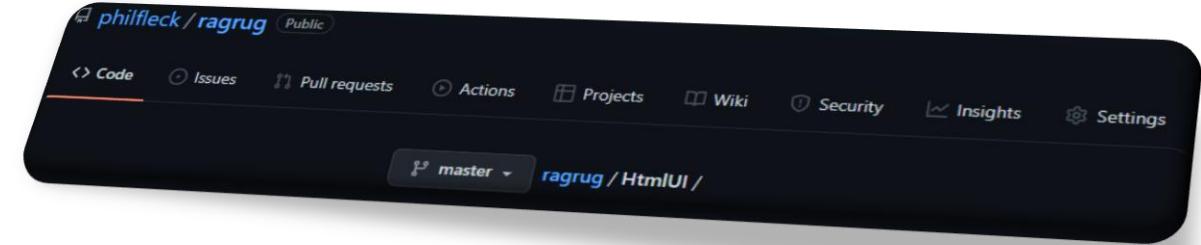
- Functions like RT.VIS.GetNewChartObjectIATK2 are implemented in the ARClients Runtime
- Hotloaded from the backend at startup (default behavior).
- The runtime provides helper functions for common tasks such as
 - Creating an empty visualization. By providing a higher level wrap we can make IATK function easily accessible and referenceable without omitting its default API, which still can be (and is) used to certain tasks.
 - Unity interaction
 - File I/O, device related functionality
 - Access to C# Runtime.cs, which is the counterpart on C# level
 - Easy access to the MQTT layer
- Defines common object structures
- Implements MACRO like functions (shortcuts)
- Access to special unity functions

ARClient: main.js

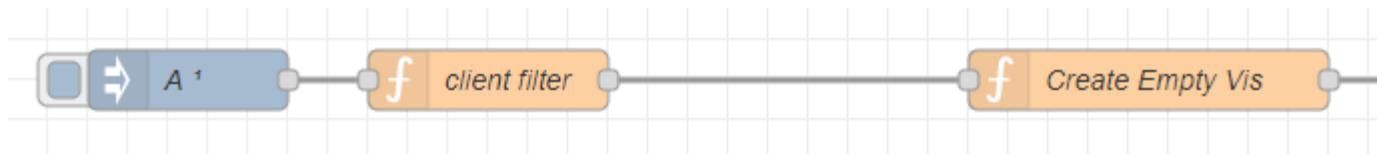


- Default application
- Offering sample UI and basic interactions
- Can load the World and instantiate devices
- Can load AssetBundles
- Showcase of default functionality like:
 - Location, Devices, Visualizations, Tracking, clientside-flows

ARClient: cnr.js



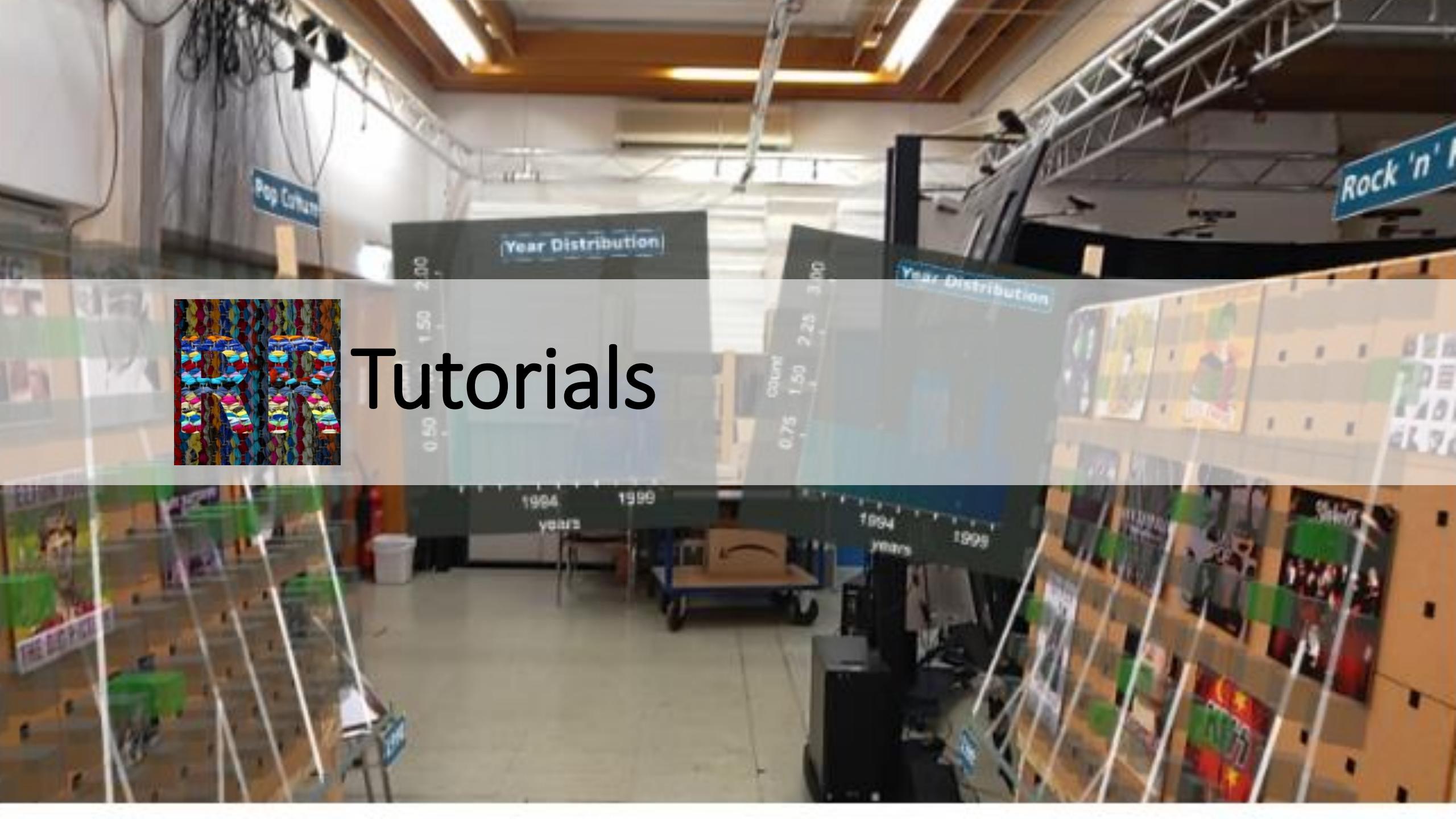
- Only deployed flows can be loaded (by ID)
- When active they will run on the server as well (client can execute disabled flow)
- Flow restriction by checking if run on client (property present, try-catch blocks)
- Support for multiple instances or context (1-to-many flow per DOM)
- Any js-file can load and instantiate the flow through cnr.js
- Growing support for nodes (currently: inject, MQTT-In, MQTT-Out, Function, Debug)



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// cient filter
try {
  var n = MAIN.usercanvas;
  return msg;
} catch(err) {
  return null;
}
return null;
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Tutorials



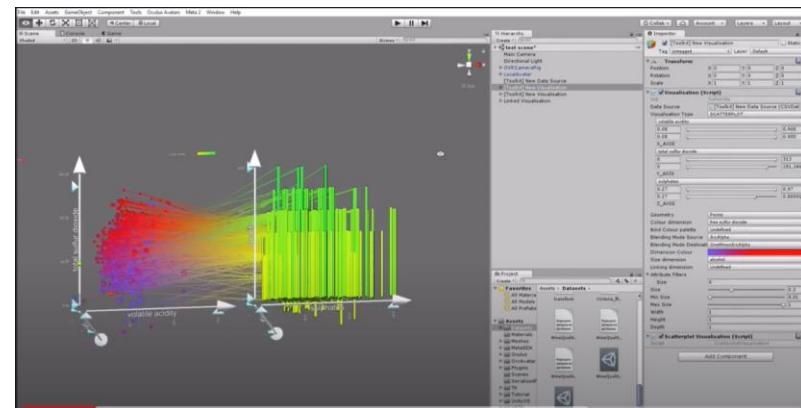
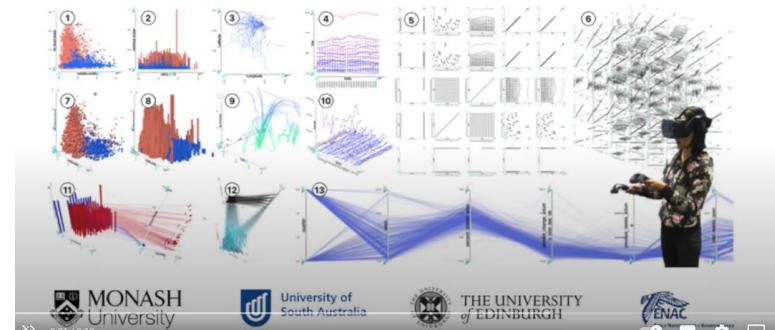
Tutorial overview

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IATK	X			
Smart Fridge	X	X		
Location			X	
Basement	X	X	X	
Target Tracking			X	X
ControllAR	X	X	X	X

IATK Introduction

IATK Basics

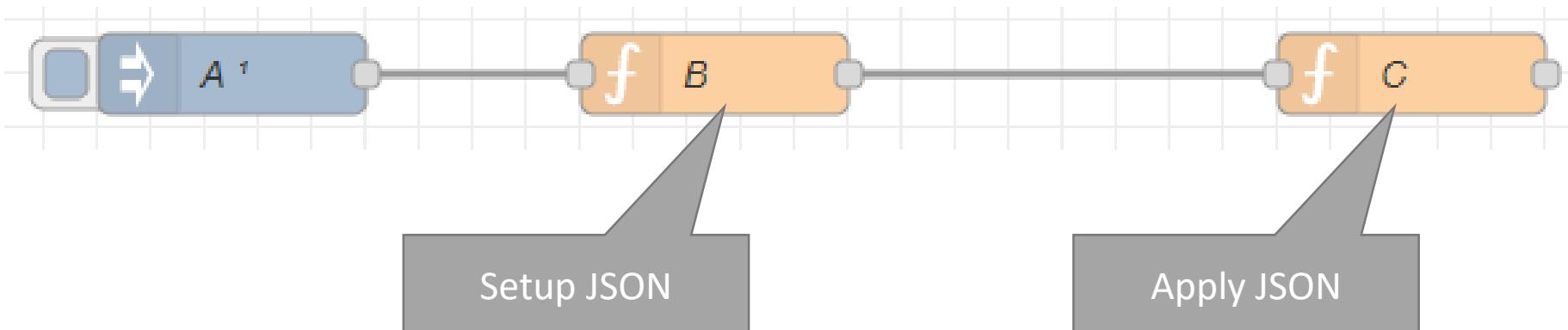
- Unity prefabs
- Static data
- Setup within the Unity editor
- Uses internally JSON format for serialization
- Desktop based 2D gui
- Code based via SDK/API
- Support for immersive AR / VR



<https://github.com/MaximeCordeil/IATK>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qIWIPePTsOA>

IATK in RagRug

- A target is to author visualization outside the Editor and outside the C# world
- We can use js-c# bindings to directly write IATK-SDK code in js
- We leverage the IATKs JSON format to create visualizations within a NodeRed Flow
 - Prepared helper functions within runtime.js

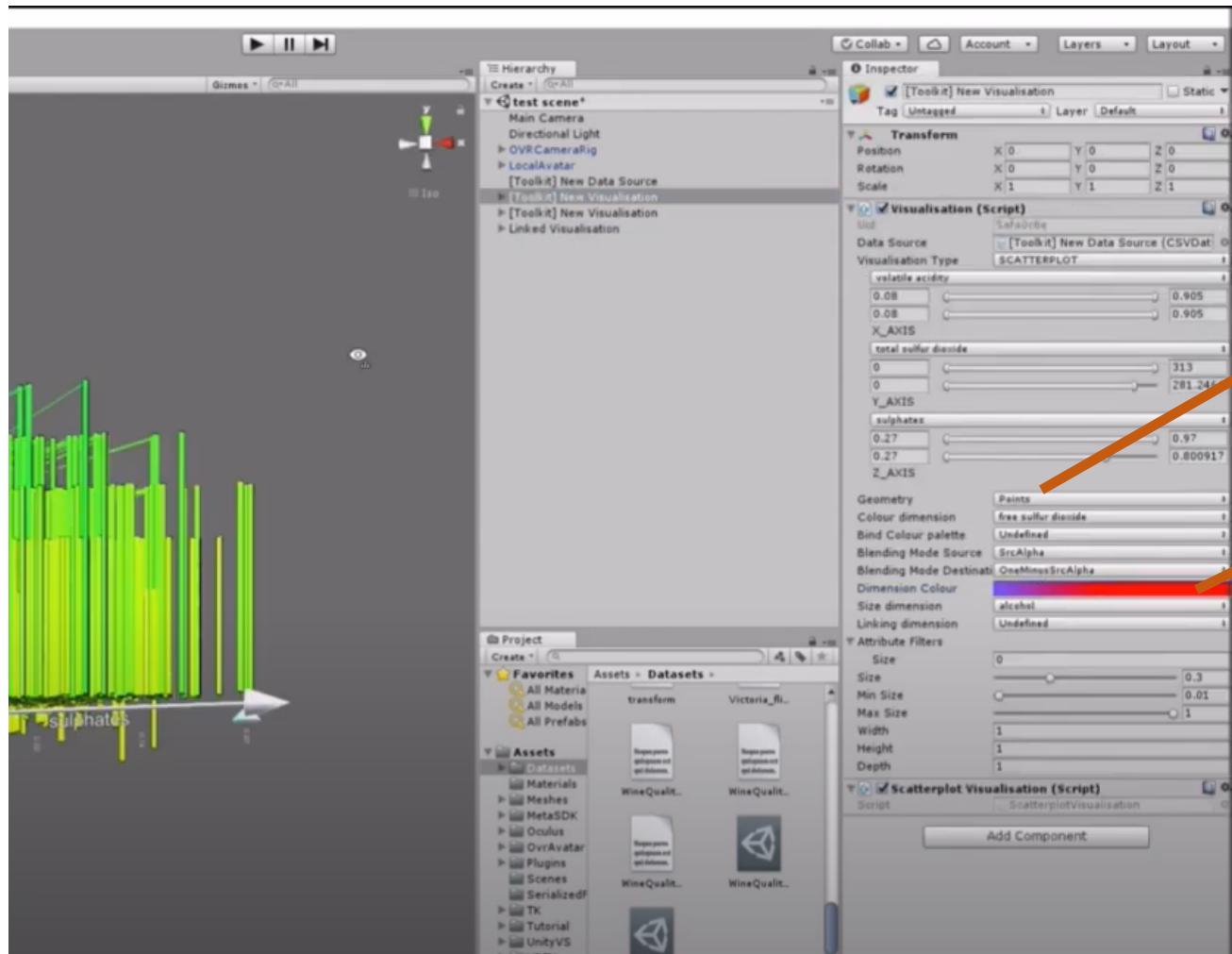


Geometry: Lines,
Bars, Dots, ...
Dimensions

Color Keys

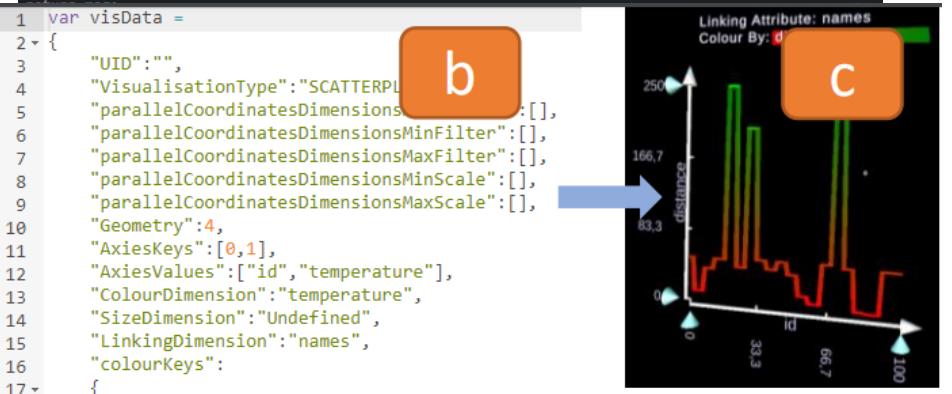
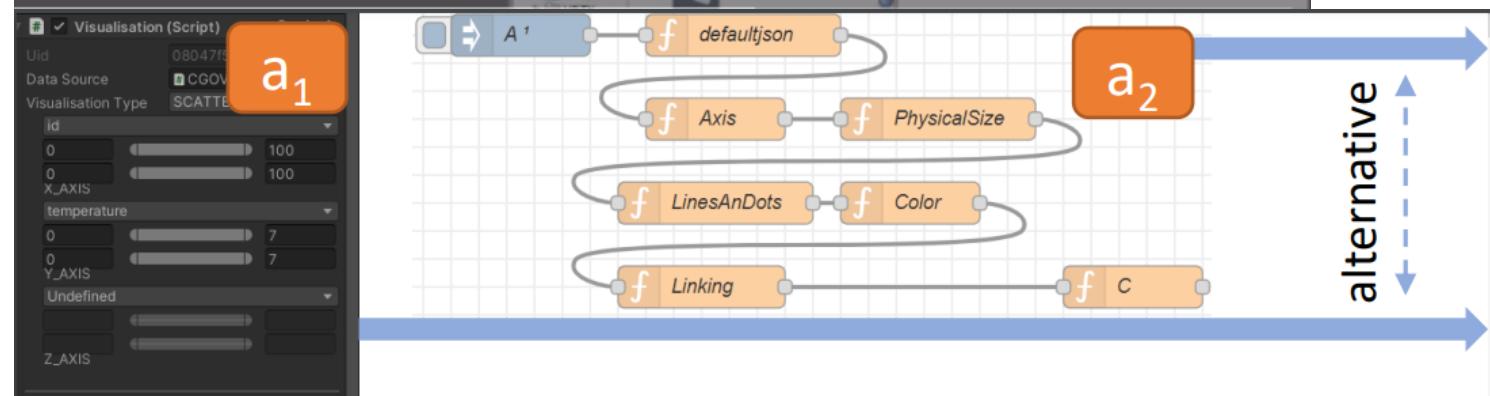
Visualization size

Physical size



VS

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// B
var visData =
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    "VisualisationDepth":0.3
};
msg.payload = visData;
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Smart Fridge

Tutorial

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Smart Fridge

- Consider the following scenario: The fridge door often remains open. Therefore we would like to setup an alarm and to record the actual temperature drop
- To obtain real values in real-time we install one of our nodeMCU based (ESP8266) sensors equiped with an temperature and an ultrasonic distance sensor within the fridge. The distance sensor points towards the door, allowing to easily detect when the door is open. Measurements below 35cm indicate a closed door and above an open door.

Smart Fridge - Requirements

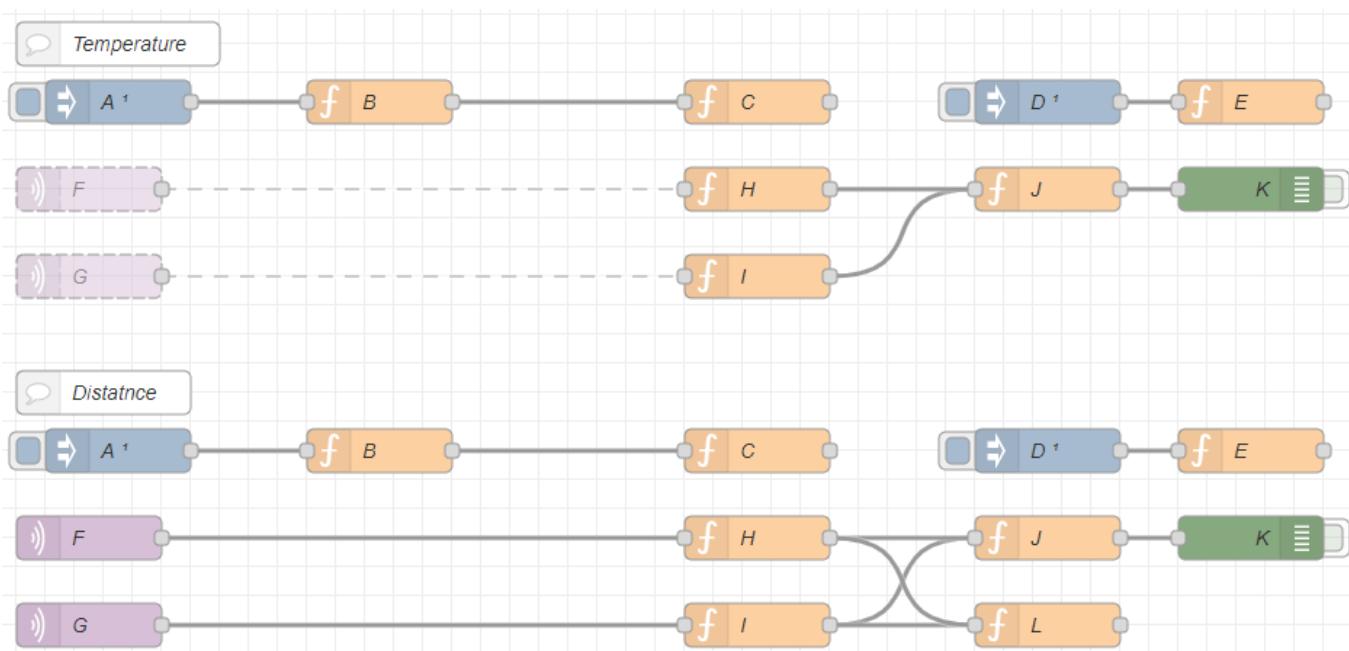
- Within the Hololens we would like to see two line-based visualizations as time series
- Temperature curve
 - X-Axis: running time series
 - Y-Axis: measured temperature
 - Z-Axis: disabled
- Distance curve
 - X-Axis: running time series
 - Y-Axis: measured distance
 - Z-Axis: disabled

Smart Fridge - Requirements

- An alarm should be played one the door is opened
- Stopped when closed
- Additionally a visual alarm should be visualized within he users field of view.

Smart Fridge - Implementation

- We can access NodeRed running within our backend (usually) on <http://localhost:1880> and add a new flow.
- Load flow by ID url (eg <http://localhost:1880/#flow/f3784d00.40ef8> -> f3784d00.40ef8)
- A different way to load a flow on the client is to define a fixed entrypoint for flows and to continue loading from there.



Smart Fridge

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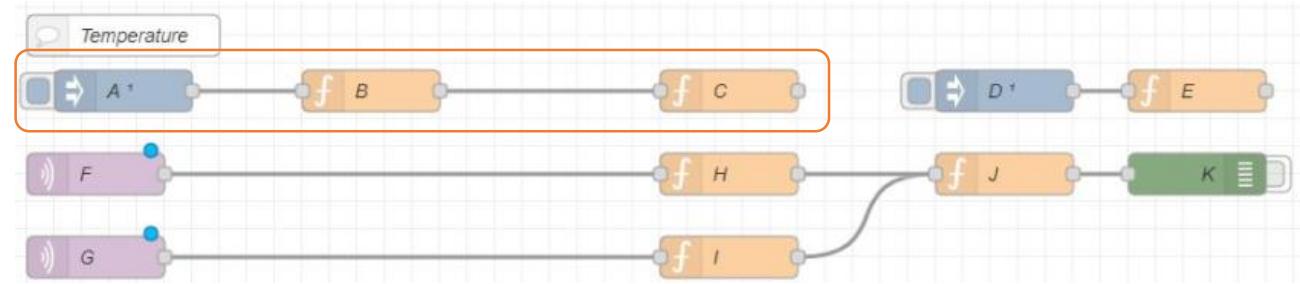
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Create blank
IATK Visualization
using RR.Runtime

Register and enable
manipulation

Add dimension
to datasource

Apply Json

Update
visualization

```
// C
try {
  console.log("INIT IATK from NR ... 1");
  var nextId = Main_GetNextChartId();

  flow.set("jsonchart", nextId);

  console.log("INIT IATK from NR ... 2");
  var chartObj = RT.VIS.GetNewChartObjectIATK2(
    nextId,
    MAIN.usercanvas.charts.length,
    "IATKChart",
    MAIN.usercanvas.canvasSize,
    MAIN.usercanvas.canvasSpacedSize,
    false);

  MAIN.usercanvas.charts.push(chartObj);
  MAIN.RR.Runtime.ToggleObjManipulation(chartObj.chartGoName);

  //chartObj.rtds.AddDimension("distance", 0, 300);
  //chartObj.rtds.SetDataStrVal("distance", 250);

  chartObj.rtds.AddDimension("temperature", 0, 15);
  chartObj.rtds.SetDataStrVal("temperature", 7);
  chartObj.abstractVisualisation.UpdateVisualisation(chartObj.PropertyType);

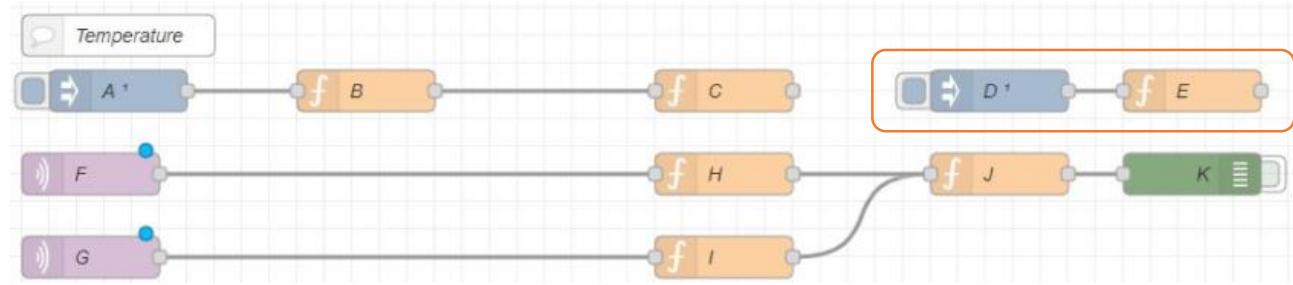
  //apply json here
  var json = JSON.stringify(msg.payload);
  chartObj.vis.theVisualizationObject.creationConfiguration.DeserializeJson(json);

  //update from json
  importNamespace("IATK").Replicator.SyncVis(chartObj.vis);
  chart.fctUpdateChart();
  chart.vis.updateProperties();

  msg.payload = nextId;
} catch(err) {
  var strmsg = "trying to run client side code ... => " + err;
  msg.payload = strmsg;
  node.warn("C => " + strmsg);
}

return msg;
```

Smart Fridge



```
// E
var chartId = flow.get("jsonchart");
try {
    var chart = MAIN.usercanvas.charts[chartId];
    //move in front of the user
    var hT = MAIN.camHookGo.transform.position;
    var hR = MAIN.camHookGo.transform.rotation;
    var T = [hT.x, hT.y, hT.z];
    var R = [hR.x, hR.y, hR.z, hR.w];
    RT.Unity.SetPose(chart.chartGo, T, R, null);
    //ad a boxcollider to allow manipulation
    var bc = MAIN.RR.Runtime.AddBoxCollider(chart.chartGo);
    bc.size = new MAIN.UE.Vector3(0.3, 0.3, 0.3);
} catch(err) {
    node.warn("CNR E ERROR (maybe trying to run client code?) => " + err);
}
return msg;
```

Get chart ID

Get chart object

Get HUD Hook GameObject →
eg. move 1m in front of the camera

Apply pose to chart

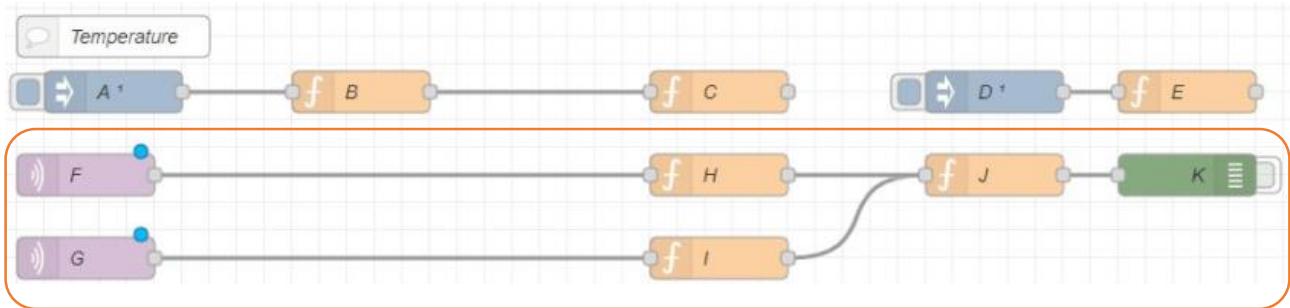
Add box-collider for
interaction

Smart Fridge

Parse JSON, pass on js-object

```
// H  
var data = JSON.parse(msg.payload);  
msg.payload = data;  
return msg;
```

```
// I  
var data = JSON.parse(msg.payload);  
msg.payload = data.StatusSNS;  
return msg;
```



```
// J
//example payload
"""{"Time":"2021-08-17T07:31:36","BME280":{"Temperature":26.1,"Humidity":47.2,"Dew
var data = msg.payload;
var temperature = data.BME280.Temperature;
var humidity = data.BME280.Humidity;
var distance = data.SR04.Distance;
var chartId = flow.get("jsonchart");

try {
    var chart = MAIN.usercanvas.charts[chartId];
    //chart.rtds.SetDataStrVal("distance", distance);
    chart.rtds.SetDataStrVal("temperature", temperature);
    chart.fctUpdateChart();
} catch(err) {
    node.warn("CNR J ERROR (maybe trying to run in browser)");
}
return msg;
```

Extract values

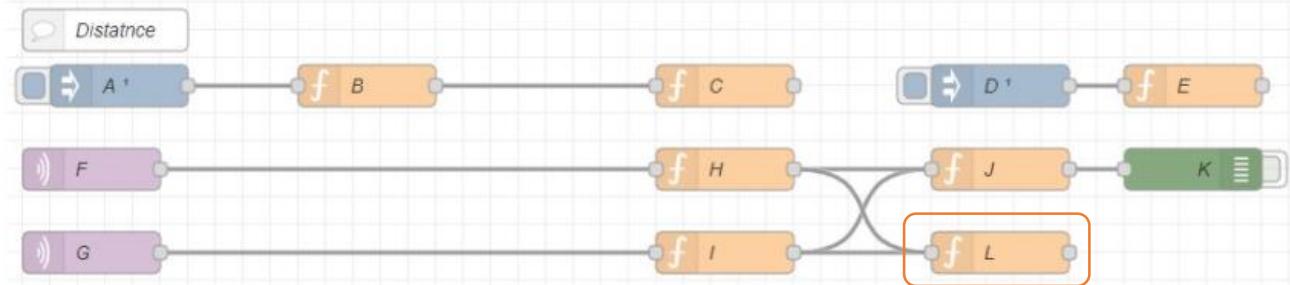
Add Data to real-time datasource

Update chart

Unwrap data

Smart Fridge

- Distance based on temperature data-flow
- Accessing distance measurement
- Feeding the distance Graph
- Turning on and off the alarm
- Playing back the alarm sound



Read distance

Evaluate distance

Add MRTK button
for loading

Call init method
To download an
instantiate flow

```
// clientcode likely added inside main.js
var mopopCnrButton = RT.MRTK.SpawnButton("UT5IN-loadflow", "Load flow", "Load flow", false,
    function () { CNR_InitFromId("923bd7d5.f34fa8"); });
MAIN.buttons.push(mopopCnrButton);
RT.Unity.SetParent(mopopCnrButton.go, MAIN.palmHandMenuGo);
RT.Unity.SetLocalPose(mopopCnrButton.go, [-0.04, 0.1, 0], null, null);
```

Place button in front

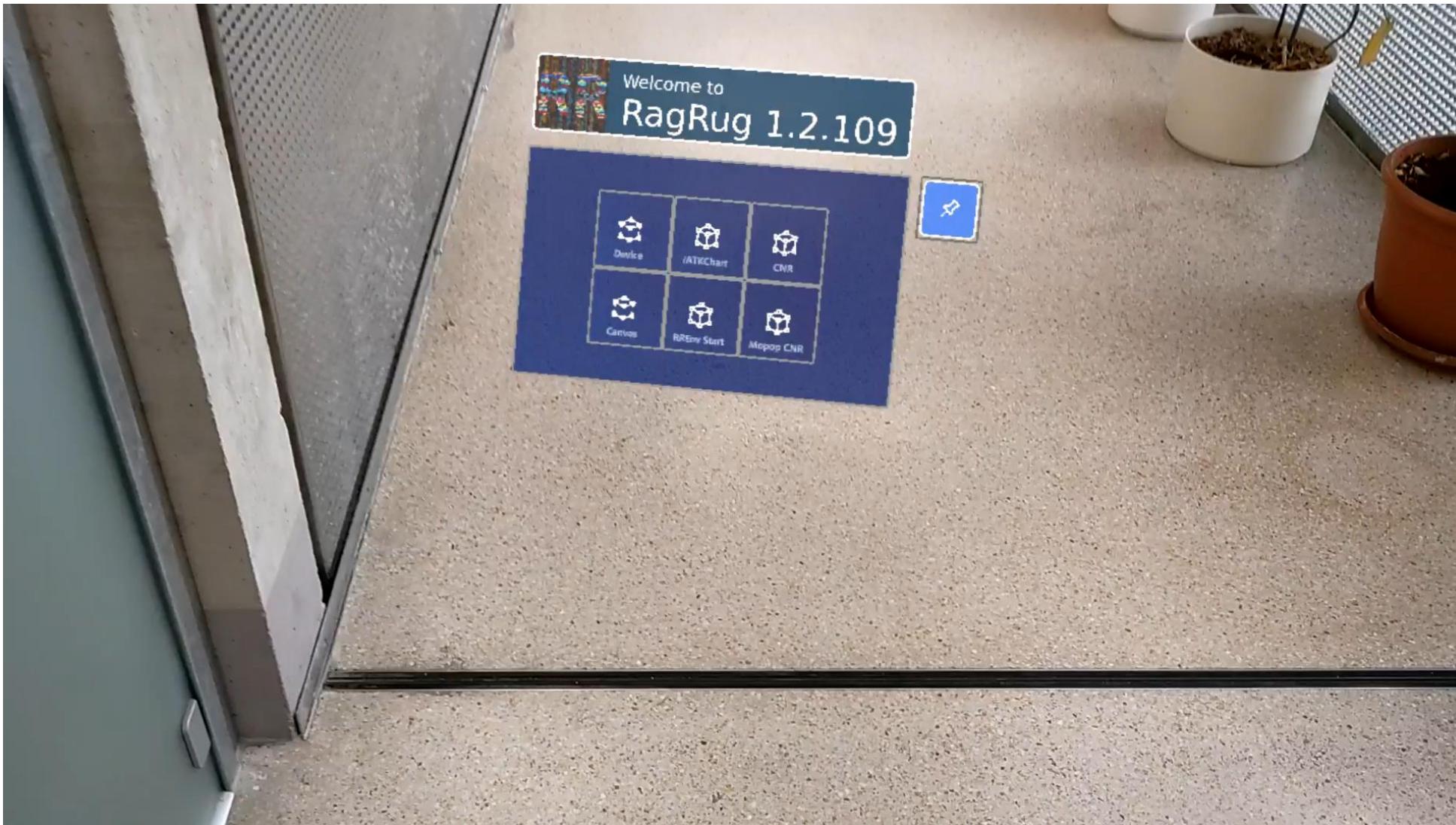


```
// L
var data = msg.payload;
var distance = data.SR04.Distance;
var falarm_old = flow.get("fridgealarm");
try {
    if(distance > 35) {
        PlayNotification();
        if(falarm_old == false) {
            flow.set("fridgealarm", true);
            msg.payload = true;
            RT.Unity.SpawnAlert(45, "Alarm!<br> Fridde door open!");
            return msg.payload;
        }
    } else {
        if(falarm_old == true) {
            flow.set("fridgealarm", false);
            msg.payload = false;
            var PUI = importNamespace("PowerUI");
            var wu = PUI.WorldUI.Find("WU_ALERT");
            if(wu != null) {
                wu.Expire();
            }
            return msg.payload;
        }
    }
} catch(err) {
    node.warn("CNR J ERROR (maybe trying to run client code?) => " + err);
}
return null;
```

turn on alarm

turn off alarm

Smart Fridge in Action



Setting up a Location

Tutorial

Tutorial overview

Tutorial	Visualization	Data Flow	Location	Tracking
IATK	X			
Smart Fridge	X	X		
Location			X	
Basement	X	X	X	
Target Tracking			X	X
ControllAR	X	X	X	X

Location Setup

- Location is stored in CouchDB
- Holds information about
 - Devices
 - World anchors
 - AssetBundles
 - And other location-related information (eg mopop)
- We use the convention {locationname} for the location and {locationname}-devices for the device list.
- Tways to add a location:
 - Once the ARClient is within a new location, but it is not found, the location will be automatically added by the client with default values. Those can be changed later.
 - We can also add the location defintion manually

 ASUS_5G	ASUS_5G
 ASUS_5G-WA-0	ASUS_5G-WA-0
 ASUS_5G-WA-1	ASUS_5G-WA-1
 ASUS_5G-WA-10	ASUS_5G-WA-10
 ASUS_5G-WA-100	ASUS_5G-WA-100
 ASUS_5G-WA-101	ASUS_5G-WA-101
 ASUS_5G-WA-102	ASUS_5G-WA-102
 ASUS_5G-WA-103	ASUS_5G-WA-103
 ASUS_5G-WA-104	ASUS_5G-WA-104
 ASUS_5G-WA-105	ASUS_5G-WA-105
 ASUS_5G-WA-106	ASUS_5G-WA-106
 ASUS_5G-WA-107	ASUS_5G-WA-107
 ASUS_5G-WA-108	ASUS_5G-WA-108
 ASUS_5G-WA-109	ASUS_5G-WA-109
 ASUS_5G-WA-11	ASUS_5G-WA-11
 ASUS_5G-WA-110	ASUS_5G-WA-110

Location Setup

```
{  
  "_id": "NETGEAR81-5G",  
  "_rev": "55-d100e50f68240498a6f1fd3220883a39",  
  "name": "NETGEAR81-5G",  
  "type": "location",  
  "numwabatches": 370,  
  "waprefix": "NETGEAR81-5G-WA-",  
  "envassetbundle": "mopop.ab",  
  "imagetargetenv": [  
    "rrenv.xml",  
    "rrenv.dat"  
  ]  
}
```

Location

Is found by name
eg SSID

World Anchor
#batches

World Anchor:
Batch prefix

AssetsBundle
to Autoload

Image Tracking
Database

Can be extended by
any field eg: Mopop

Is found by „-
devices“ suffix

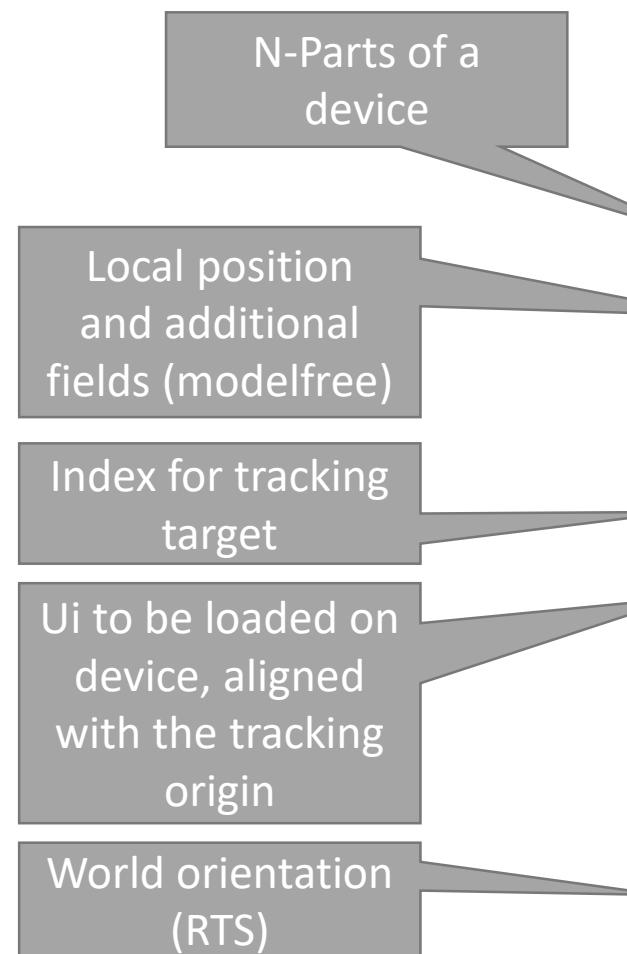
```
{  
  "_id": "NETGEAR81-5G-devices",  
  "_rev": "8-214e26a4982cea753db1f2f6d85c45d9",  
  "name": "NETGEAR81-5G-devices",  
  "present": [  
    "NETGEAR81-5G-littleserver",  
    "NETGEAR81-5G-bigserver",  
    "NETGEAR81-5G-bigserver2",  
    "NETGEAR81-5G-thermometer",  
    "NETGEAR81-5G-midi"  
  ]  
}
```

Device list

Present devices to
autoload

Location Setup (Referents/Devices)

- Devices consist of parts
- Each part will spawn a leader line to its location in combination with a Label (label.html, label.js)
- Each part/label is running its own DOM on its own context
- We can piggy-back from there
 - eg loading cnr, adding custom functionality, ...
- When registered, the device will be spawned at the registered transform
- Support for additional external url, which will be loaded on its own DOM
- Enable tracking, either 3D oder 2D via Vuforia



```
{  
  "_id": "NETGEAR81-5G-midi",  
  "_rev": "8-3b2a300f43fc5e86b9c14f3358a490e3",  
  "Xmodelname": "midi",  
  "devicename": "midi",  
  "registered": true,  
  "assetname": "midi.ab",  
  "commonname": "midi",  
  "locationkey": "NETGEAR81-5G",  
  "locationpath": "inffeld16/2nd/id2068",  
  "scale": 1,  
  "id": "NETGEAR81-5G-midi",  
  "parts": [  
    {  
      "name": "DemoPart",  
      "position": [  
        0.0593402295,  
        0.00209352895,  
        0.0061  
      ],  
      "parent": "root",  
      "active": true  
    }],  
    "envtrackedname": "machine_mikro_2",  
    "ondevicecontrols": {  
      "controlurl": "http://10.0.0.2:9999/midi.html",  
      "width": 1,  
      "height": 1  
    },  
    "transform": {  
      "position": [  
        0.2739790201187134,  
        -0.34729713201522827,  
        0.4392329454421997  
      ],  
      "rotation": [  
        0.19814874231815338,  
        0.742375373840332,  
        0.5748777985572815,  
        -0.2813031077384949  
      ],  
      "scale": [  
        1.0000001192092896,  
        0.9999998807907104,  
        1.0000001192092896  
      ]  
    }  
}
```

Device

Basement

Tutorial

Tutorial overview

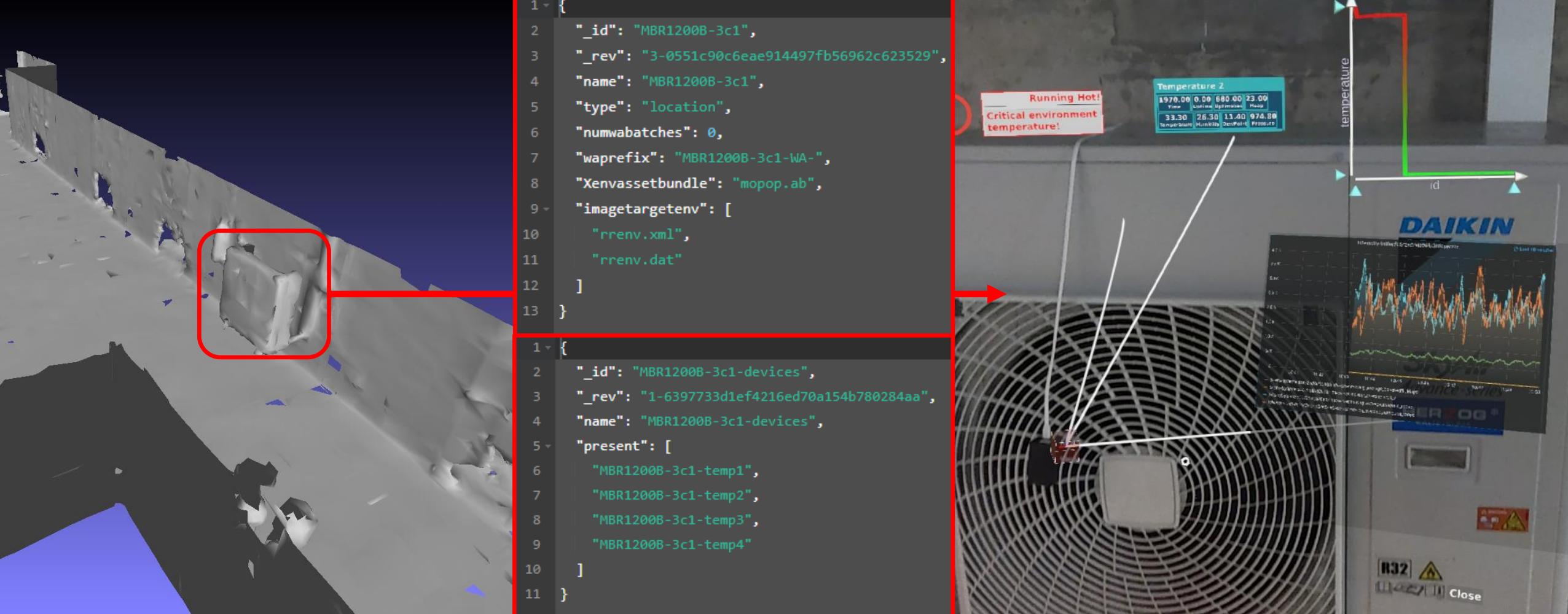
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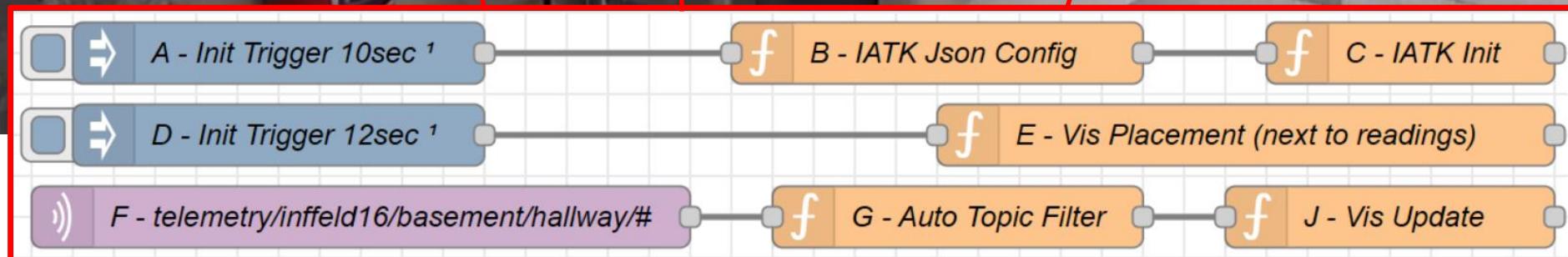
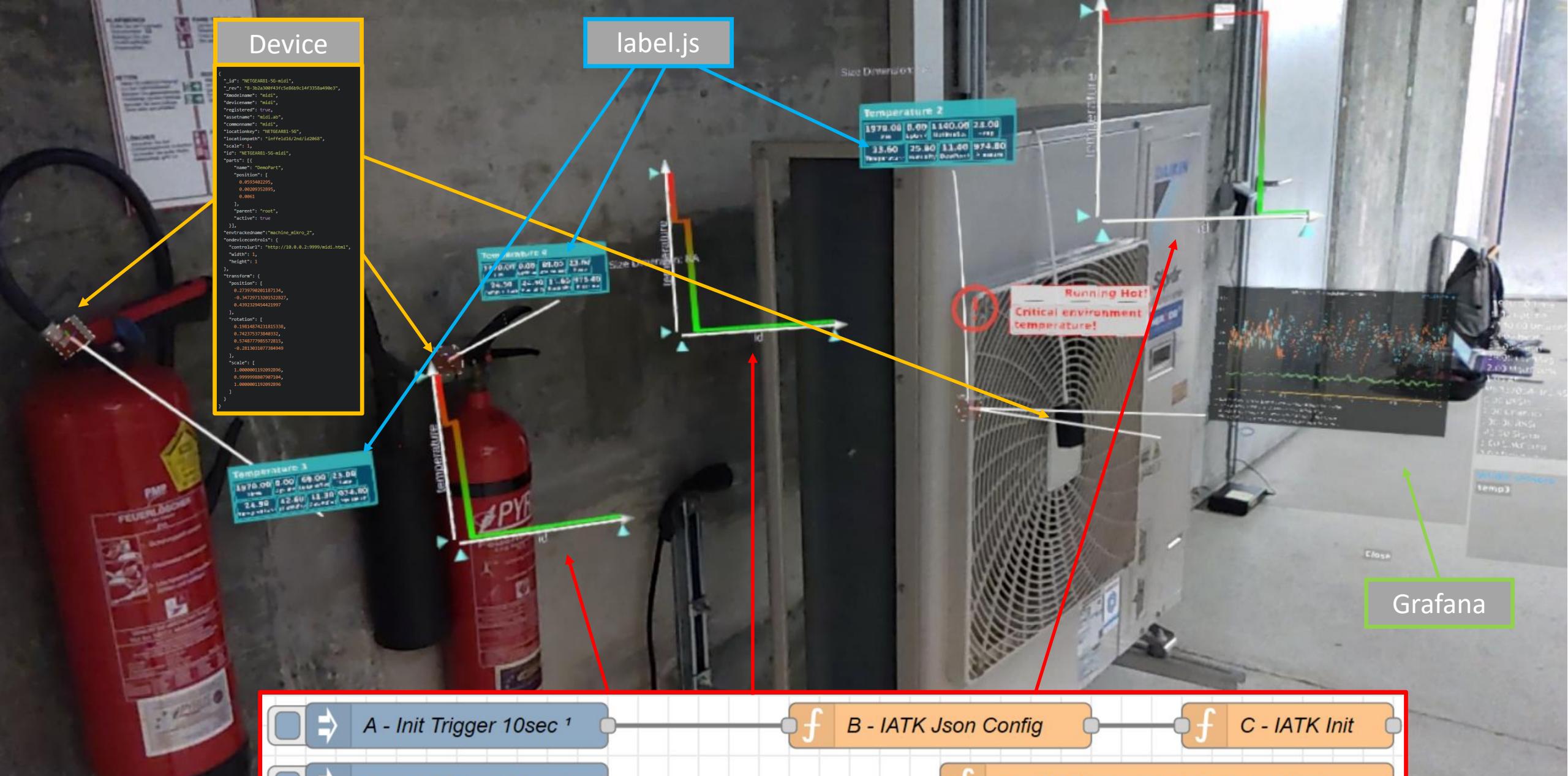
Basement location

- Device definition
- Device registration within the world
 - manual within the app
 - By detection (marker, 3d model, ...)
- Sensor data reading
 - Temperature, Humidity, AirPressure
- Sensor data visualization
- Proxemics to show close by sensors in detail



Basement Location





Add Vuforia Tracking for Location

Tutorial

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Vuforia Tracking for Location

- Depending on the application, we can add vuforia tracking database as a known key within the device / or location definition in couchdb or create an arbitrary key, which can later be used
- Adding imagetargetenv to the location, to be loaded at startup when using the RR-Runtime
- The order is important, the xml goes first. Within main.js it will end up here

```
"imagetargetenv": [  
    "rrenv.xml",  
    "rrenv.dat"  
]
```

Addin to location

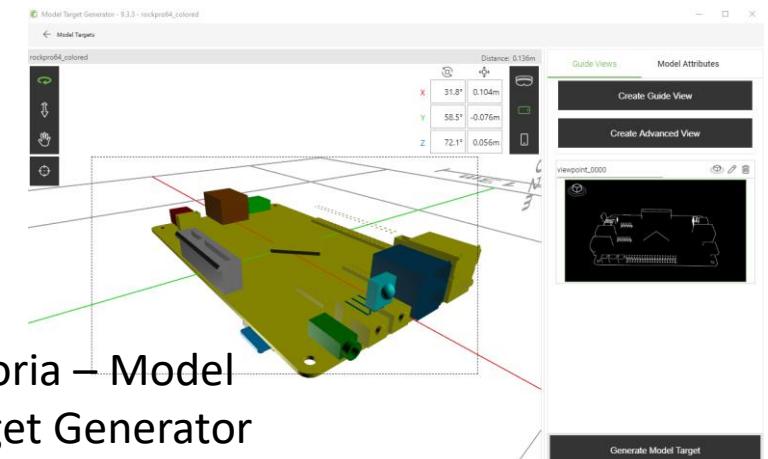
AND / OR

```
"trackingdb": [  
    "rockpro64_clean_centered_scaled.xml",  
    "rockpro64_clean_centered_scaled.dat"  
]
```

Addin to device

Eg: 3d tracking
database created with
ModelTargetGenerator

Target Name	Type	Rating	Status	Date Modified
28543458862	Single Image	★★★★★	Active	Mar 02, 2021 20:33
25200627317	Single Image	★★★★★	Active	Mar 02, 2021 20:33
24794519636	Single Image	★★★★★	Active	Mar 02, 2021 20:33
23800000000000000000	Single Image	★★★★★	Active	Mar 02, 2021 20:33



Vuforia – Model
Target Generator

Vuforia Tracking for Location

```
if (data.hasOwnProperty("imagerargetenv")) {  
    var envTargets = data.imagerargetenv;  
    MAIN.location.envtargets = {  
        "xml": envTargets[0],  
        "dat": envTargets[1]  
    };  
}
```

Check and load if location has tracking enabled

Download tracking db

Start tracking

On tracked callback

```
function MAIN_StartRREnvTracking() {  
  
    var reqHeaders = ["content-type", "application/x-www-form-urlencoded"];  
    var url = MAIN.WEBAPI.apiBase + "/getfile2?name=";  
  
    var urlA = url + MAIN.location.envtargets.xml;  
    RT.Web.DownloadFile("GET", urlA, reqHeaders, MAIN.location.envtargets.xml, false, function () {  
        console.log("MAIN_StartRREnvTracking downloaded => " + MAIN.location.envtargets.xml);  
    });  
  
    var urlB = url + MAIN.location.envtargets.dat;  
    RT.Web.DownloadFile("GET", urlB, reqHeaders, MAIN.location.envtargets.dat, false, function () {  
        console.log("MAIN_StartRREnvTracking downloaded => " + MAIN.location.envtargets.dat);  
    });  
  
    // Start tracking  
    importNamespace("RR").Runtime.StartImgTracking(  
        MAIN_RREnvOnTracked, MAIN_RREnvOnTrackingLost, MAIN.location.envtargets.xml);  
    MAIN_RREnvStartPosUpdater();  
}
```

On tracking lost callback

Tracking database

MIDI Device (ControllAR)

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ControllAR Target

MRTK 3D Button for testing

Prototype



2D Target

Result



Mapping the Layout

- Calculating the rendering size to fit real-world size
- By default we create HTML Dom with an resolution 1920px x 1080px where the default ppw = 0.35 this is set to render nicely within the hololens.

Device extension

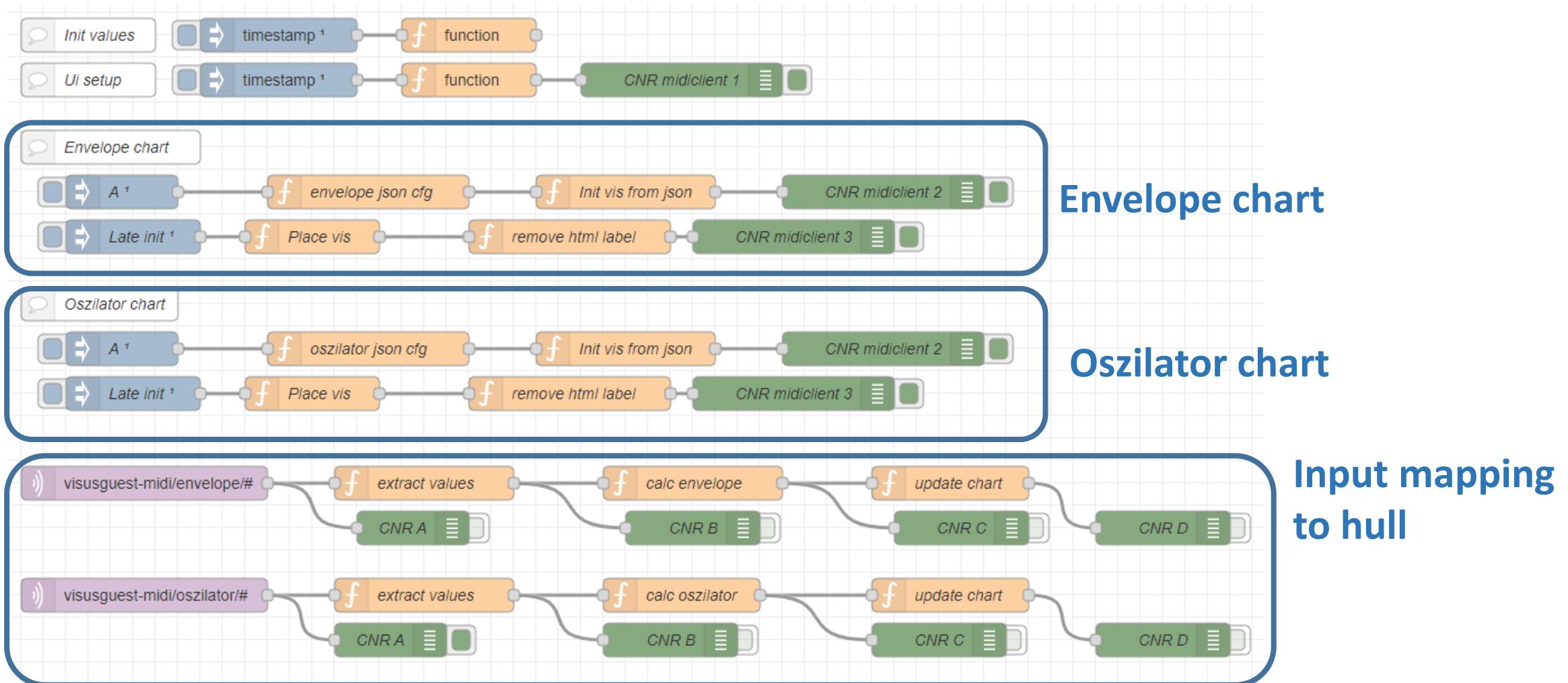
The board is 475 x 167 x 50 mm

```
p[px] / ppw = m[m]  
1920px / 0,35m = 5485 // default 1920px @ 35cm width  
X / 0,475m = 5485 => 0,475 * 5485 = 2605px  
Y / 0,167 = 5485 => 0,167 * 5485 = 915px
```

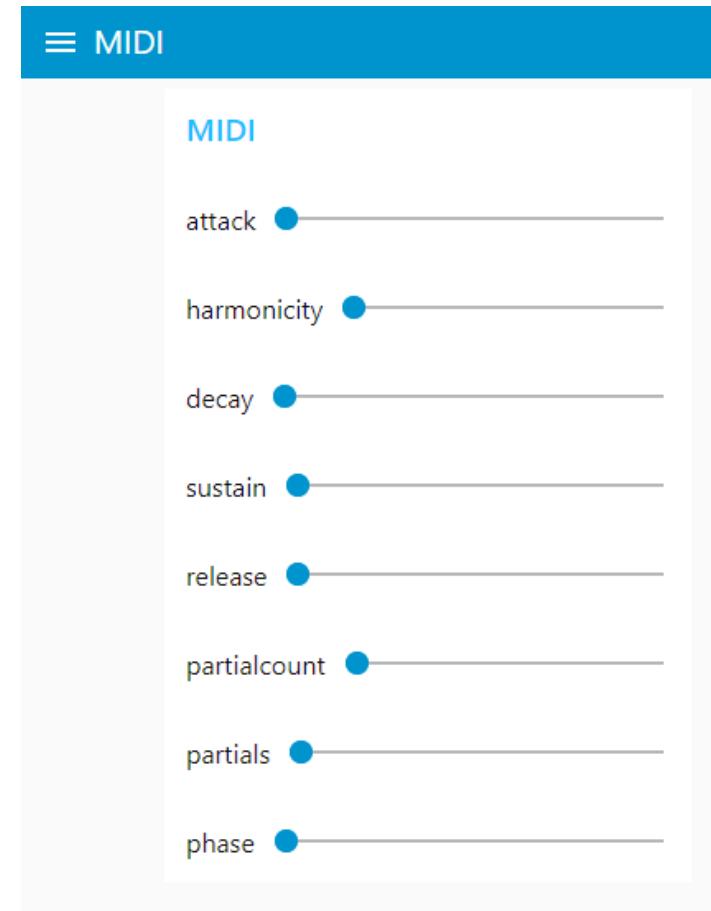
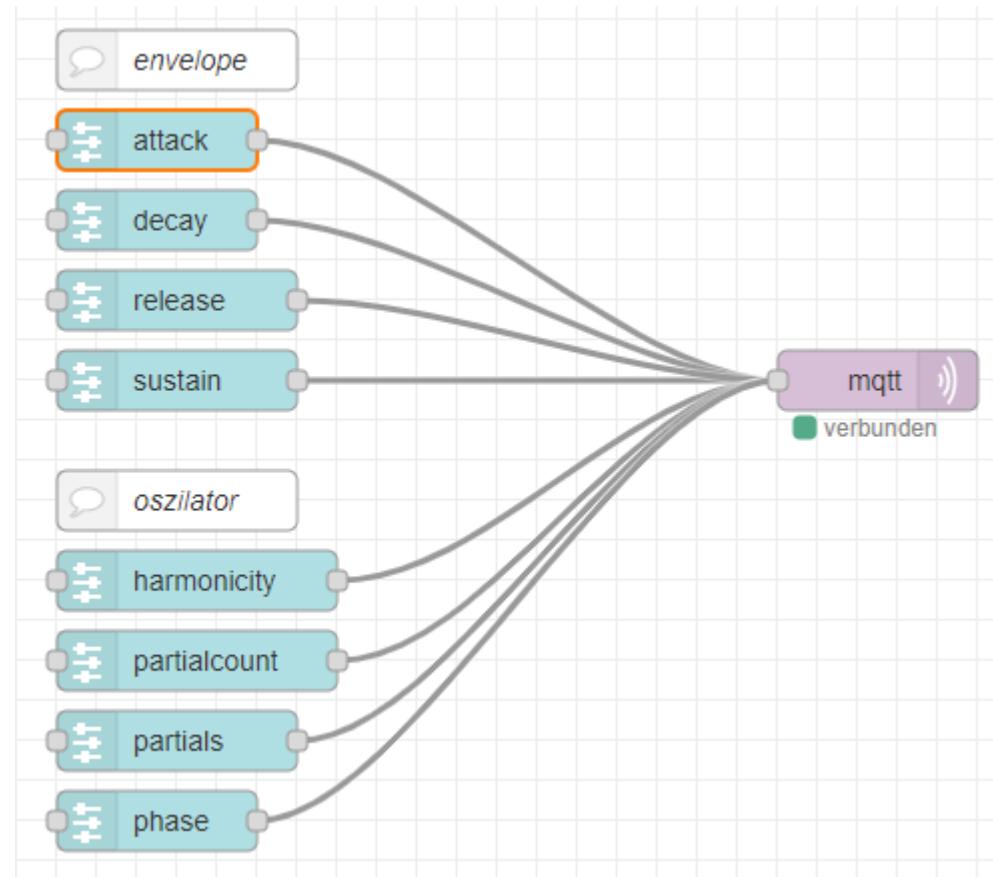
By keeping the resolution we need to render at 2605px to get a physical size of 47,5cm and height of 915px to result in 16,7cm.

```
"ondevicecontrols": {  
    "controlurl": "http://10.0.0.2:9999/midisim.html",  
    "width": 1,  
    "height": 1,  
    "pixelw": 2605,  
    "pixelh": 915  
}
```

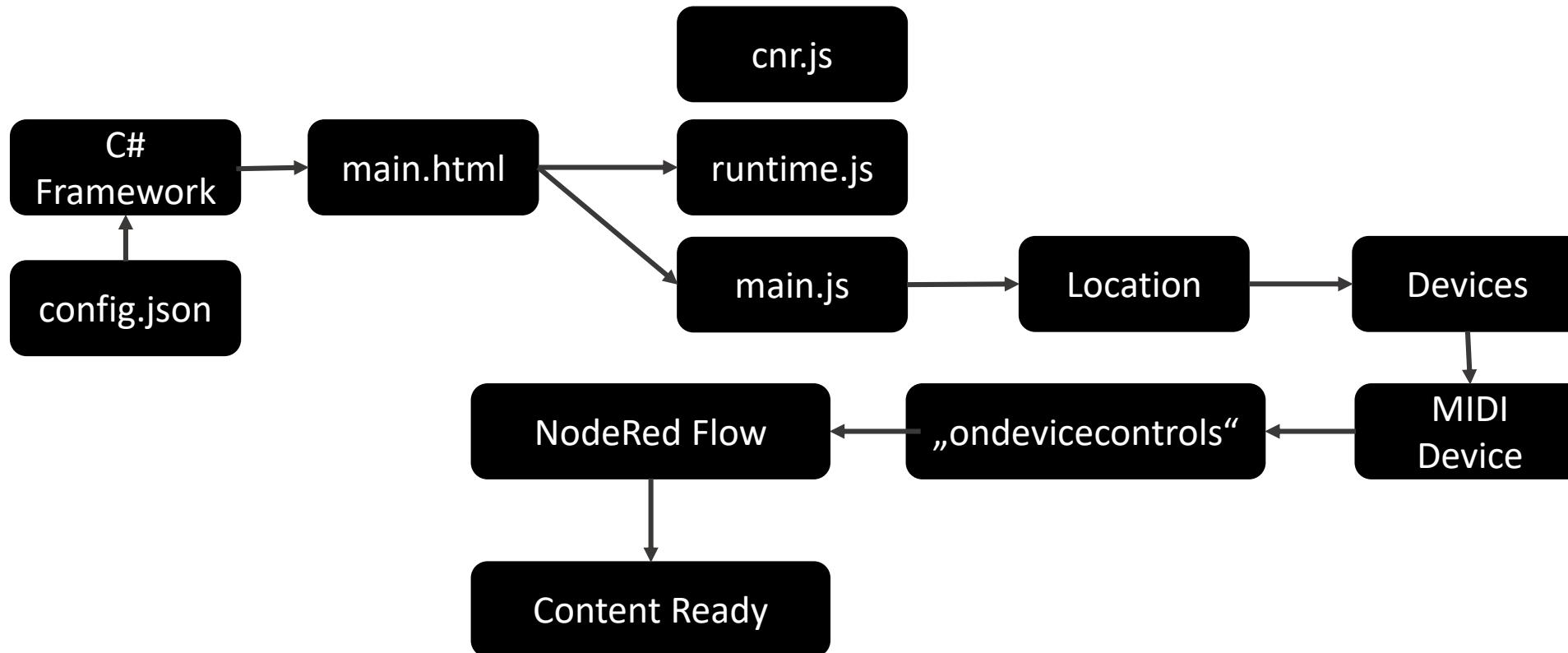
Client NodeRed Flow



Debug / Test interface (ServerSide)



How is the loading done?







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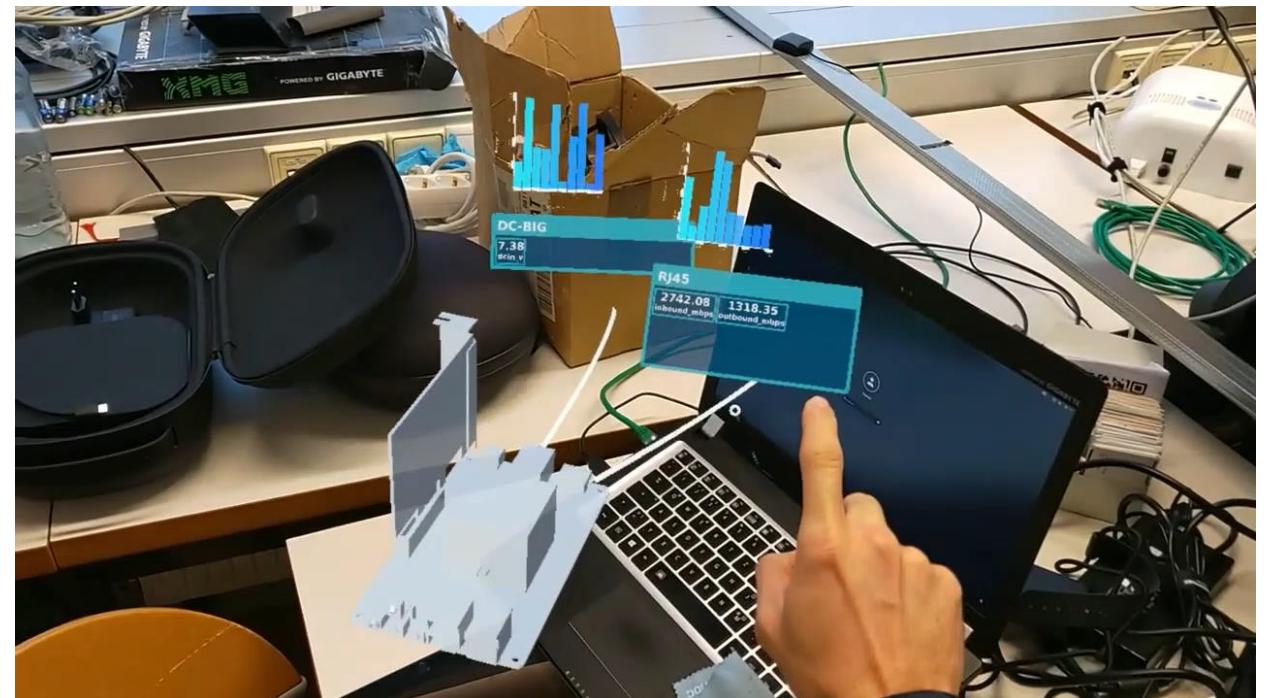
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Institute of Computer Graphics and Vision

Thank you for your Attention!

Interaction: Sticky finger

- Draging (Tap-and-Hold to drag) in AR can be very hard, especially through space or along different surfaces
 - Eg Minority Report Style (mostly uses one surface)
- Tap-to-Pickup / Tap-To-Drop
 - Hololens 2 Handtracking with



Adding data to Vis-Template instances

- Parts with abilities → producers / Sources
 - Clicking on a value (sticky finger)
- Dimension of a visualization → consumer / sink
 - Adding to visualization via „Add Dimension“
- Linking via MQTT subscription
- Every Visualization holds its Dimension-Data (data table)
- By adding a new dimension, we add a new column and subscribe to the source.
- New incoming data is added Fifo/Circle Buffer style (+ ability to shift or scroll indices)

