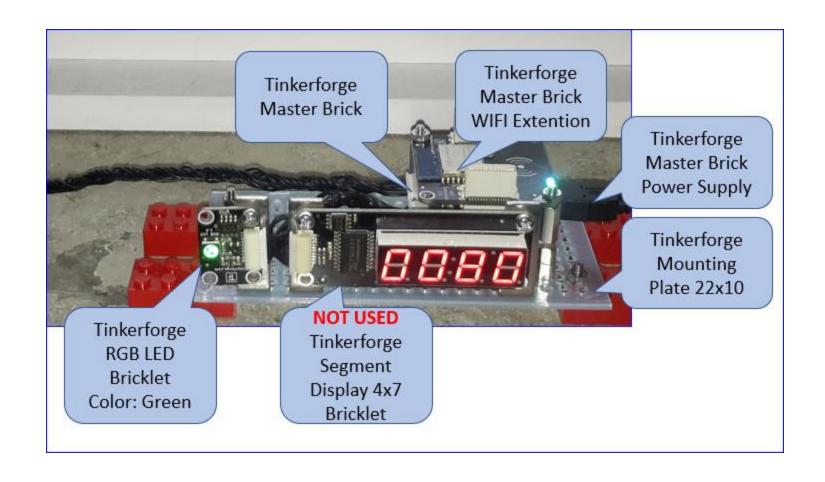
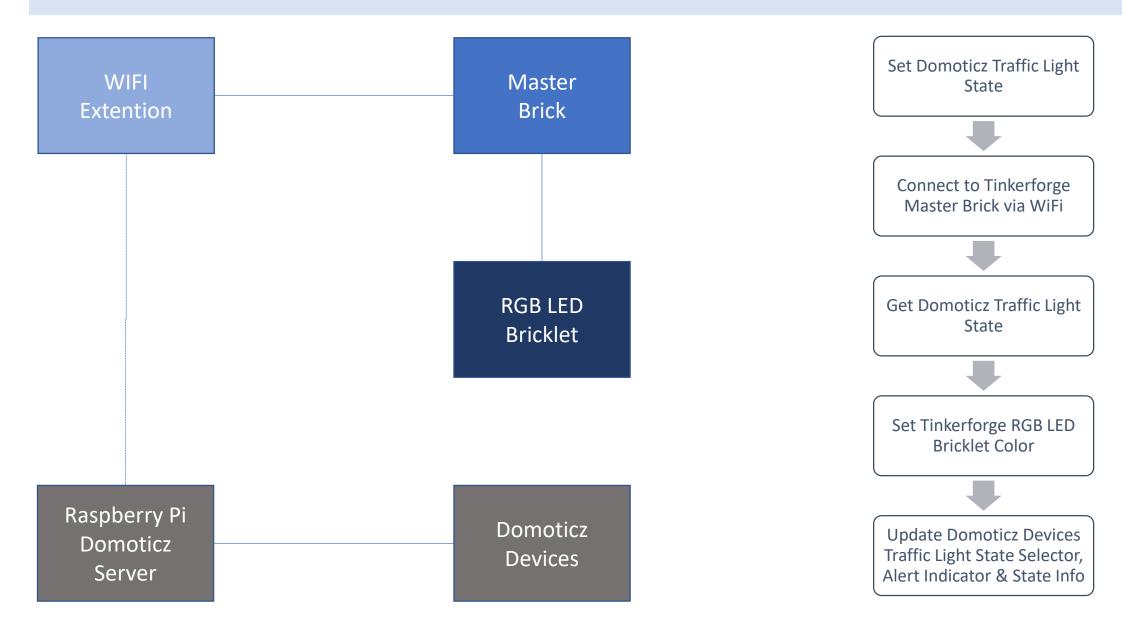
Domoticz Plugin

TrafficLight
(using Tinkerforge Building Blocks)
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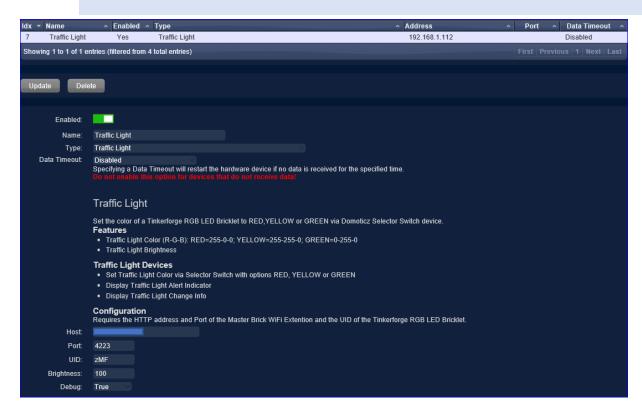
Prototype



Overview Hardware & Flow



Domoticz – Add new Hardware Traffic Light



Notes <ADD> Read plugin.py

```
<plugin key="TrafficLight" name="Traffic Light" author="rwbL" version="1.0.0">
   <description>
       <h2>Traffic Light</h2><br/>
       Set the color of a Tinkerforge RGB LED Bricklet to RED, YELLOW or GREEN via Domoticz Selector
Switch device.
       <h3>Features</h3>
       Traffic Light Color (R-G-B): RED=255-0-0; YELLOW=255-255-0; GREEN=0-255-0
          Traffic Light Brightness
       <h3>Traffic Light Devices</h3>
       Set Traffic Light Color via Selector Switch with options RED, YELLOW or GREEN
          Display Traffic Light Alert Indicator
          Display Traffic Light Change Info
       <h3>Configuration</h3>
       Requires the HTTP address and Port of the Master Brick WiFi Extention and the UID of the
Tinkerforge RGB LED Bricklet.
   </description>
   <params>
       <param field="Address" label="Host" width="200px" required="true" default="ip-address"/>
       <param field="Port" label="Port" width="75px" required="true" default="4223"/>
       <param field="Mode1" label="UID" width="75px" required="true" default="zMF"/>
       <param field="Mode4" label="Brightness" width="75px" required="true" default="100"/>
       <param field="Mode6" label="Debug" width="75px">
          <options>
              <option label="True" value="Debug" default="true"/>
              <option label="False" value="Normal"/>
          </options>
       </param>
   </params>
</plugin>
```

Domoticz – Add new Hardware Traffic Light - Domoticz Log

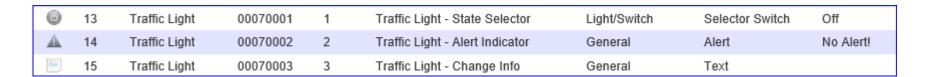
The Domoticz Log after adding the new hardware. There are 3 new devices created and set to used.

0	13	Traffic Light	00070001	1	Traffic Light - State Selector	Light/Switch	Selector Switch	Off
- 🕰	14	Traffic Light	00070002	2	Traffic Light - Alert Indicator	General	Alert	No Alert!
Yes	15	Traffic Light	00070003	3	Traffic Light - Change Info	General	Text	

```
2019-05-27 09:43:31.992 Status: (Traffic Light) Started.
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) Debug logging mask set to: PYTHON PLUGIN QUEUE IMAGE DEVICE CONNECTION MESSAGE ALL
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'DomoticzHash':'fccd39bb'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'HardwareID':'7'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Database':'/home/pi/domoticz/domoticz.db'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Version':'1.0.0'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'HomeFolder':'/home/pi/domoticz/plugins/TrafficLight/'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'DomoticzVersion':'4.10826'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Name':'Traffic Light'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Mode6': 'Debug'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'DomoticzBuildTime':'2019-05-24 10:04:40'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Mode4':'100'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'StartupFolder':'/home/pi/domoticz/'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Port':'4223'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Key': 'TrafficLight'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Language': 'en'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Address':'ip-address'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Author': 'rwbL'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'UserDataFolder':'/home/pi/domoticz/'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) 'Mode1':'zMF'
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) Device count: 0
2019-05-27 09:43:32.550 (Traffic Light) Creating new Devices
2019-05-27 09:43:32.551 (Traffic Light) Creating device 'State Selector'.
2019-05-27 09:43:32.552 (Traffic Light) Device created: Traffic Light - State Selector
2019-05-27 09:43:32.552 (Traffic Light) Creating device 'Alert Indicator'.
2019-05-27 09:43:32.553 (Traffic Light) Device created: Traffic Light - Alert Indicator
2019-05-27 09:43:32.553 (Traffic Light) Creating device 'Change Info'.
2019-05-27 09:43:32.554 (Traffic Light) Device created: Traffic Light - Change Info
2019-05-27 09:43:32.554 (Traffic Light) Pushing 'PollIntervalDirective' on to queue
2019-05-27 09:43:32.554 (Traffic Light) Processing 'PollIntervalDirective' message
2019-05-27 09:43:32.554 (Traffic Light) Heartbeat interval set to: 60.
2019-05-27 09:43:32.547 Status: (Traffic Light) Entering work loop.
2019-05-27 09:43:32.548 Status: (Traffic Light) Initialized version 1.0.0, author 'rwbL'
```

Domoticz Traffic Light - Devices

There are 3 new devices created, with an initial state & info, set to used and manually added to the dashboard.



The dashboard after setting the Traffic Light to RED via the State Selector Device.



Domoticz Traffic Light – State Changed from Off to RED

The initial state is Off.

The log shows changing the state to RED by pressing RED button on the State Selector Switch.

```
2019-05-27 09:51:50.997 Status: User: Admin initiated a switch command (13/Traffic Light - State Selector/Set Level)
2019-05-27 09:51:51.002 (Traffic Light) Processing 'onCommandCallback' message
2019-05-27 09:51:51.002 (Traffic Light) Calling message handler 'onCommand'.
2019-05-27 09:51:51.003 (Traffic Light) onCommand called for Unit 1: Parameter 'Set Level', Level: 10
2019-05-27 09:51:51.012 (Traffic Light) IP Connection - OK
2019-05-27 09:51:51.012 (Traffic Light) Traffic Light - State Selector-Traffic Light State New=10
2019-05-27 09:51:51.012 (Traffic Light) Traffic Light - State Selector-nValue=0,sValue=
2019-05-27 09:51:51.017 (Traffic Light) Traffic Light - State Selector-RGB LED Colors R-G-B:0-100-0
2019-05-27 09:51:51.018 (Traffic Light) RGB LED Brightness updated:100
2019-05-27 09:51:51.018 (Traffic Light - State Selector) Updating device from 0:'' to have values 2:'10'.
2019-05-27 09:51:51.030 (Traffic Light) Traffic Light - State Selector-nValue=2,sValue=10
2019-05-27 09:51:51.030 (Traffic Light - Alert Indicator) Updating device from 0:'No Alert!' to have values 4:'RED'.
2019-05-27 09:51:51.038 (Traffic Light) Traffic Light - Alert Indicator-nValue=4,sValue=RED
2019-05-27 09:51:51.038 (Traffic Light - Change Info) Updating device from 0:'' to have values 0:'Traffic Light changed from 0 to 10'.
2019-05-27 09:51:51.045 (Traffic Light) Traffic Light - Change Info-nValue=0, sValue=Traffic Light changed from 0 to 10
2019-05-27 09:51:51.148 (Traffic Light) TrafficLight Update: OK
```

Domoticz Traffic Light – Plugin Code Snippet onCommand

```
def onCommand(self, Unit, Command, Level, Hue):
       try:
           ipcon = IPConnection()
           lb = BrickletRGBLED(Parameters["Mode1"], ipcon)
           ipconnected = 0
           trv:
               ipcon.connect(Parameters["Address"], int(Parameters["Port"]))
               ipconnected = 1
            except:
               Domoticz.Debug("[ERROR] IP Connection failed")
           oldtrafficlightstate = 0
           if Devices[1].sValue != "":
               oldtrafficlightstate = int(Devices[1].sValue)
           newtrafficlightstate = Level
           rgbvalue = lb.get rgb value()
           lbbrightness = int(Parameters["Mode4"])
           trafficlightcolor = "UNKNOWN"
          trafficlightalert = 0
           if newtrafficlightstate == 10:
              lb.set rgb value(lbbrightness, 0, 0)
              trafficlightcolor = "RED"
               trafficlightalert = 4
           if newtrafficlightstate == 20:
              lb.set rgb value(lbbrightness, lbbrightness, 0)
               trafficlightcolor = "YELLOW"
              trafficlightalert = 2
           if newtrafficlightstate == 30:
              lb.set rgb value(0, lbbrightness, 0)
               trafficlightcolor = "GREEN"
               trafficlightalert = 1
           Devices[1].Update( nValue=2, sValue=str(newtrafficlightstate) )
           Devices[2].Update( nValue=trafficlightalert, sValue=trafficlightcolor )
          Devices[3].Update( nValue=0, sValue="Traffic Light changed from " + str(oldtrafficlightstate) + " to " + str(newtrafficlightstate) )
           ipcon.disconnect()
       except:
           if ipconnected == 1:
               ipcon.disconnect()
               Domoticz.Log("[ERROR] Check settings, correct and restart Domoticz")
```

Domoticz Traffic Light – Set State via HTTP

Set the Traffic Light (idx=13) State to GREEN by setting the level to 30:

http://ip-

address:8080/json.htm?type=command¶m=switchlight&idx=13&switchcmd=Set%20Level&level=30

```
Resulting in HTTP response { "status" : "OK", "title" : "SwitchLight" }
```

The plugin onCommand function is triggered and the devices are updated.

Check the Domoticz Web-UI:

- http://ip:8080/#/Dashboard
- http://ip:8080/#/Log

The Traffic Light Levels can be set to:

10=RED,20=YELLOW,30=GREEN