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Knowledge

Def' of IoT :-
A dynamic global network infrastructure with self-configuring communication protocols where physical and virtual things have identifiers, physical attributes and virtual personalities and use intelligent interfaces and are seamlessly integrated into the information network, often communicate data associated with user and their environment.

Application of IoT :-

Characteristics of IoT :-

- i) Connectivity :-
Connectivity is an important requirement of the IoT infrastructure. IoT should be connected to the things of IoT through infrastructure.
- ii) Anytime, Anywhere, anyone can be connected to the IoT infrastructure and connectivity should be guaranteed at all the times.

iii) Intelligence and Identity :-

- 1) The extraction of knowledge from the generated data is very important.
For example:- A sensor generates data but that data will only be useful if it is interpreted properly.
- 2) Each IoT device has an unique identity and this identification is helpful in tracking the equipment and sometimes querying its status.

iv) Enormous Scalability :-

- 1) The number of elements that needs to be managed and that communicate with each other will be much larger than the devices connected to the current internet.
- 2) The management of data generated from these devices and their interpretation for application purposes becomes more critical.

v) Dynamic and self adapting :-

- The primary activity of internet of things is to collect data from its environment and this is achieved with the dynamic changes that takes place around the devices.
- This state of those devices changes dynamically.
- In addition to the state of device the number of devices also changes dynamically with a person, place and time.

vi) Architecture :-

- IoT architecture can not be homogeneous in nature.
- It should be hybrid, supporting different manufactured product to function in the IoT network.
- IoT is not being owned by any of the engineering branch.

→ IoT is a reality when multiple domains come together.

vii) Safety :-

- There is a danger of the sensitive personal details of the users getting compromised when all of his/her devices are connected to the internet.
- This can cause a loss to the user, hence data security is the major challenge.
- As the equipment involved is few, IoT network may also be at risk and equipment safety is also be critical.

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- IoT would not be possible without sensors which will detect or measure any changes in the environment to generate data that can report on their states or even interact with the environment.

→ These sensing information is simply the analog input from the physical world but it can provide the reach understanding of our complex world.

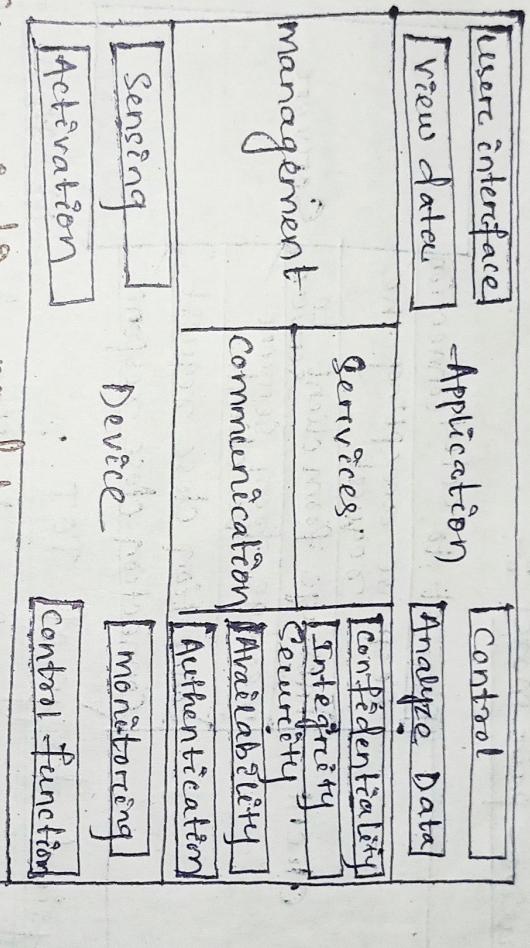
viii) Heterogeneity :-

- Heterogeneity in IoT is one of the key characteristics.
- Devices in IoT are based on different hardware platforms and networks that can interact with other devices or service platforms through different networks.

- IoT architecture should support direct connectivity between heterogeneous networks.
- The key design requirements for heterogeneous things and their environments in IoT are Scalability, modularity, extensibility and interoperability.
- ix) Security :-
- IoT devices are naturally vulnerable to security threats.
- As we gain efficiencies, novel experiences and other benefits from the IoT, it could be a mistake to forget about security concerns associated with it.
- There is a high level of transparency and privacy issues with IoT.
- It is important to secure the end points, the networks and the data i.e. transferred across all of it means creating a security paradigm.

Logical Design of IoT :-

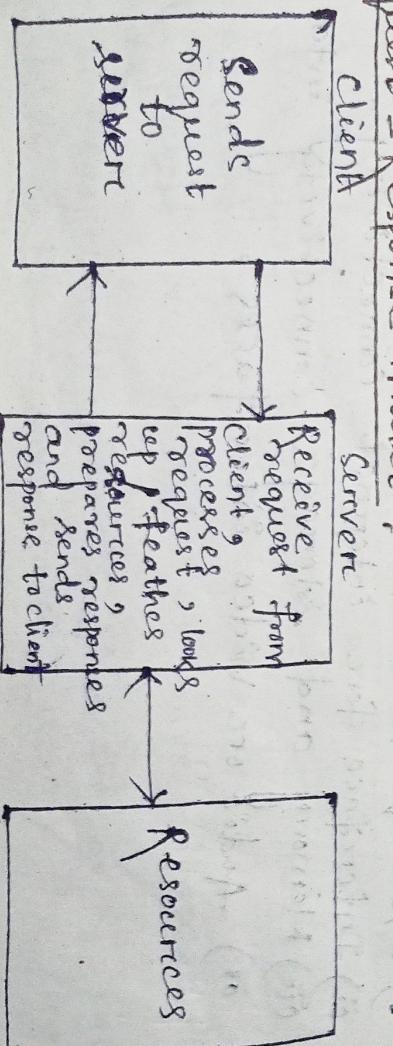
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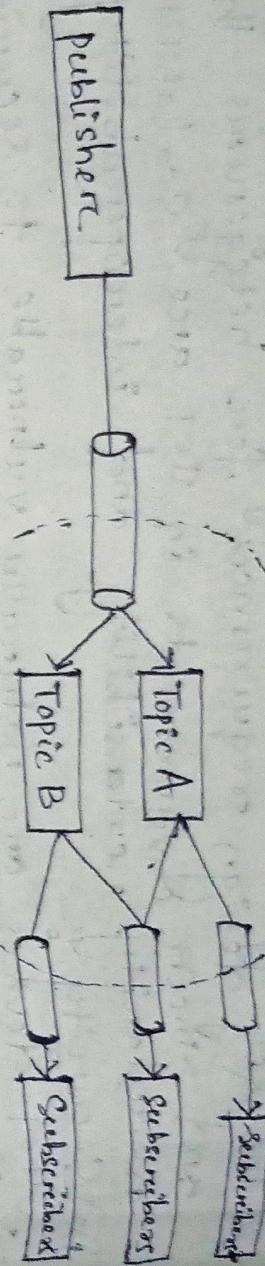
IOT Communication Model :-

→ Four types of communication model :-

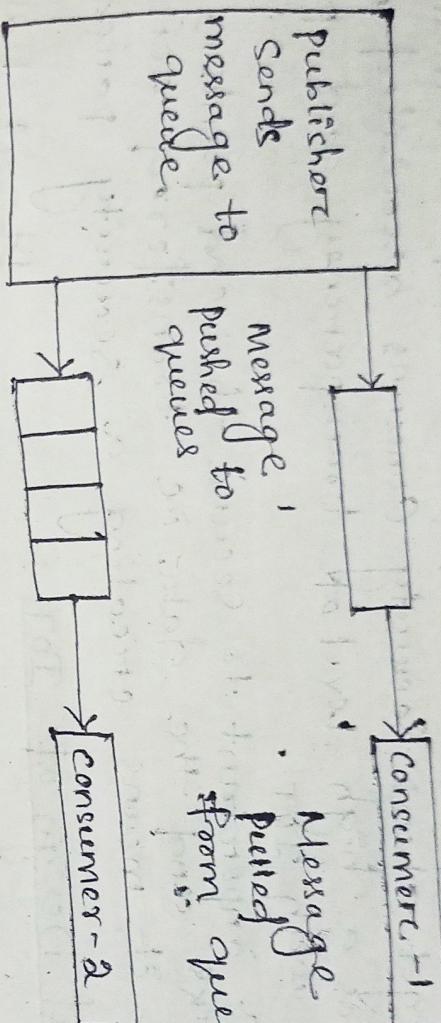
- i) Request - Response Model.
 - ii) Publish - Subscribe Model.
 - iii) Push - pull model.
 - iv) Exclusive - pair model.
- i) Request - Response Model :-



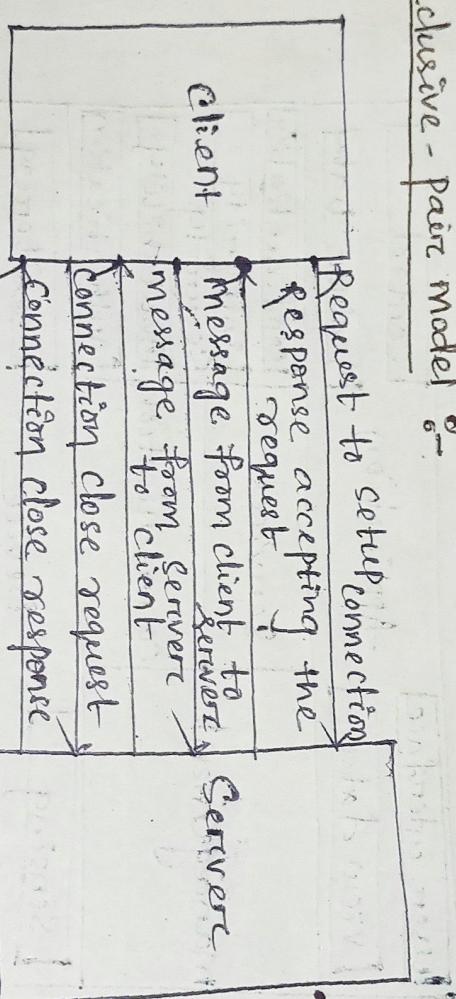
v) Publish - Subscribe Model :-



iii) Push-pull model :-

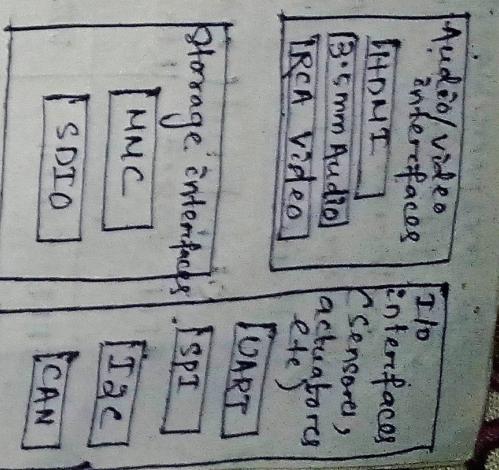
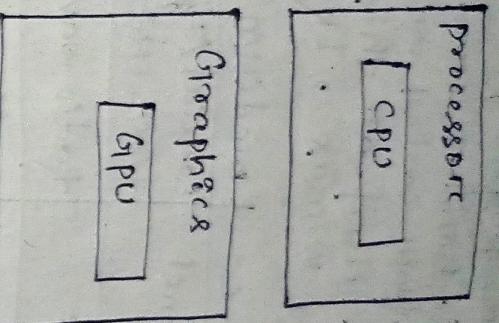
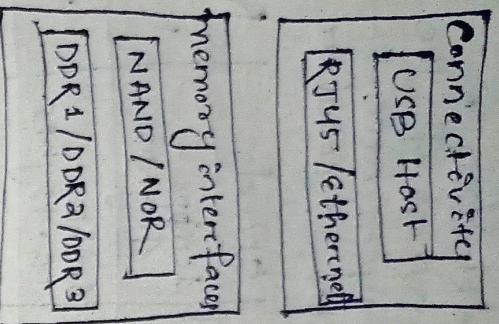


iv) Exclusive - pair model :-



Physical design of IoT :-

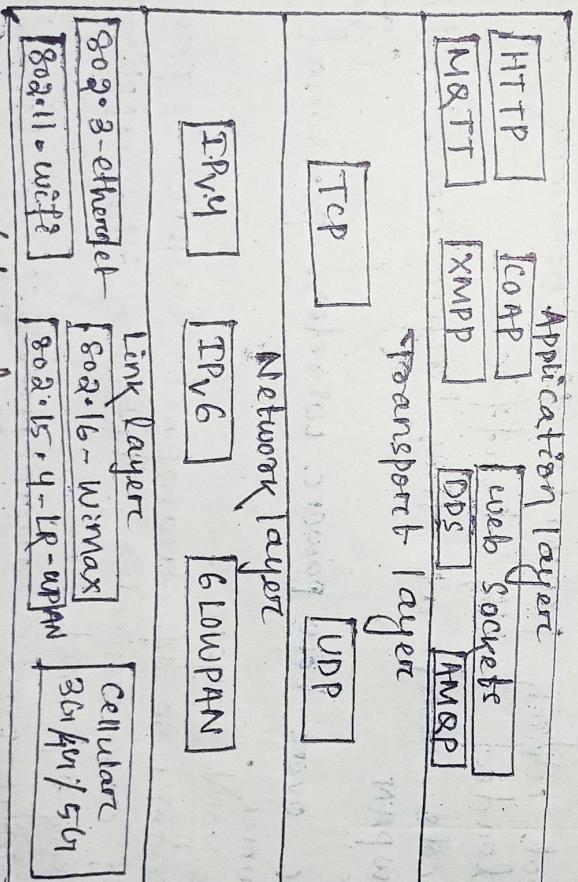
- Things in IoT refers to IoT devices
- Things can exchange data with other connected devices and applications, collect data from other devices and process the data either locally or send it to centralized servers etc. cloud.
- IoT devices can have several interfaces like:-
- I/O interface for sensors.
 - Interface for internet connectivity.
 - Memory and storage connected interfaces.
 - Audio or video interfaces.



RCA - Radio corporation of America
 UART - Universal asynchronous receiver or transmitter
 CAN - control area network
 I2C - Inter integrated circuit.
 SPI - Serial peripheral interface.

Defno - Physical design of IoT follows a protocol that contains a set of rules to govern the communication between two or more devices.
 → A protocol defines the rules, syntax, semantics and synchronization of communication and possible error recovery methods.

Physical Design of IoT (Protocols) : Dt - 29.01.24



- Datalink layer / link layer :-
 → The link layer is responsible for establishing and terminating links between the nodes.
 → The packet or datagram travel through these links.
 → The link layer also defines the format of packet that is to be communicated across the link and

- is responsible for physical address.
- The link layer also handles error detection, flow control and access of the link.
- retransmission, flow control and access of the link layer area e.g. delivery of the message across the end nodes, floor control and multiplexing and demultiplexing of the

→ protocols generally used at this layer are cellular etc.

→ ethernet, wifi, wimax, LR-WPAN

Standard	Name	medium	Speed	Range
IEEE 802.3	Ethernet	coaxial Twisted pair fiber optics	10Mbps - 40Gbps	100m
IEEE 802.11	Wi-Fi	Radio waves	1Mbps - 6.45Gbps	30m
IEEE 802.16	wimax	Radio waves	1.5Mbps - 1Gbps	50km
IEEE 802.15.4	LR-WPAN	Bluetooth	40kbps - 250kbps	10m
2G/3G/4G/5G	cellular	Radio waves	96kbps - 100Mbps	16km

Network Layer :-

→ The main role of network layer is to transfer the packets from sender to receiving host.

→ The network layer also handles routing which involves selecting the next node and forwarding the next packet across the communication path.

→ The network layer is also responsible for logical addressing i.e. IP addressing and for congestion control which prevents the network from being overloaded with traffic.

→ Protocols used at this layer are → IPv4, IPv6, (add. size-32) (add. size-64)

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IP v6 over low power wireless personal area network.

Transport Layer :-

→ The main role of transport layer is providing end to end communication between the applications running on host.

→ The transport layer provides a logical communication channel through the end applications can communicate with each other.

→ The transport layer is implemented on the end host.

→ It is not present in the routers.

→ The transport layer is also responsible for reliable delivery of the message across the end nodes, flow control and multiplexing and demultiplexing of the

channel at end node at this layer are :- TCP, UDP.

Application Layer :-

The application layer is where users of an IoT applications interact with the IoT system.

- The application layer allows the users to interact with the sensors and access other services provided by the communication network.

The application layer provides services like authentication, naming, message formating, e-mail etc to the users.

- Protocols used at this layer are - HTTP, coAP, MQTT,

DDS, web sockets, AMQP

HTTP :- (Hyper text transfer protocol)

→ It uses TCP, stateless, Request - Response model.

CoAP :- (constraint application model)

→ It uses UDP, Request - Response model.

MQTT :- (message queue telemetry transport)

→ It follows publish - subscribe model.

→ No security.

→ Used with low power devices.

XMP :- (extensible messaging and presence protocol)

→ Real time communication for sending XML data.

AMQP :- (Advanced message queuing protocol)

→ Support

both point to point and publisher - subscribe model.

→ High performance and secure protocol.

→ It uses TCP.

web socket :-

→ Full duplex connection over a single socket connection.

DPS :- (Data distribution Service)

→ middleware standard reliable than MQTT

→ Follows publish - subscribe model.

→ It uses UDP.

Design challenges in IoT :-

1) Interoperability :-

→ Interoperability refers to the ability of different systems, devices etc components to work together.

→ Seamlessly and exchange data effectively.

→ In the context of IoT interoperability is a critical challenge as a large number of diverse devices

are being connected to the internet.

- The lack of standardization in the IoT can lead to difficulties in communication and data exchange between the devices ~~with~~ which resulting in an fragmented and inefficient system.
- To overcome this challenge organization and industry groups are working to establish standard and protocol to ensure interoperability between the IoT devices.

i) Security :-

- Security is a critical concern in the IoT as it involves the protection of sensitive data and systems from unauthorized access, theft or damage.
- IoT devices are less vulnerable to cyber attacks due to their increased exposure to the internet and they are limited computing resources.
- Four types of security :-

 - a) Device security
 - b) Network security
 - c) Data security
 - d) Privacy.

a) Device security :-

Ensuring that IoT devices are protected from malware and unauthorized access.

b) Network security :-

protecting the communication between IoT devices, IoT infrastructure and the network from cyber attacks.

c) Data security :-

protecting the data collected and transmitted by IoT devices from unauthorized access or tampering.

d) Privacy :-

protecting the privacy of individuals whose personal information is collected and transmitted by IoT devices.

iii) Scalability :-

- Scalability refers to the ability of a system to handle increasing workloads or numbers of users without a significant decline in performance.
- Scalability is a major challenge as the number of collected devices is rapidly growing and leading to an increased volume of data and communication.

a) Data management :

Effectively managing and storing the large amount of data generated by IoT device

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b) Network capacity:

Ensuring that networks have sufficient capacity to handle the increased volume of data and communications.

c) Device management:-

Effectively managing that they can be easily configured and maintained.

d) Reliability :-

Reliability refers to the ability of a system to perform its intended functions consistently and without failure over time.
In the context of IoT reliability is a 'critical' concern as the failure of even a single IoT device can have significant consequences.

a) Device failure :-

Ensuring that IoT devices are designed and built to be reliable and function correctly even in harsh environment.

b) Network connectivity :-

Maintaining stable and reliable connections between IoT devices and network even in the face of hardware and software failures.

c) Data accuracy :-

Ensuring that data collected and transmitted by IoT devices is accurate and reliable.

d) Power consumption :-

Power consumption refers to the amount of energy that a system or a device can use.
In the context of the IoT power consumption is a critical challenge as many IoT devices are designed to be small, low power and operate using batteries.

a) Battery life :-

Ensuring that IoT devices have sufficient battery life to operate without frequent recharging or replacement.

b) Energy efficiency :-

Making sure that IoT devices are designed to use energy efficient and reduce the overall power consumption of the system.

c) Power management :-

Implementing effective power management techniques

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Such as sleep modes to reduce the consumption of IoT devices when they are not in use.

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Deployment challenge with IoT :-

- 1) Connectivity :-
It is the foremost concern while connecting devices, applications and cloud platforms. Connected devices that provide useful front and information are extremely valuable.
But poor connectivity becomes a challenge where IoT sensors are required to monitor processed data and supply informations.
- 2) Cross platform capability :-
IoT applications must be developed, keeping in mind the technological changes of the future. It's development requires a balance of hardware and software functions.
- 3) Data collection and processing :-
In IoT development data plays an important role and it is critical to process and use the stored data. Along with security and privacy development teams needs to ensure that they plan well for the way data is collected, stored and processed within the environment.
- 4) Lack of skillset :-
All the development challenges can only be handled if there is a proper skill resource working on the IoT application development.
- 5) Integration :-
Ensuring that IoT devices and systems integrate seamlessly with existing technology and infrastructure.
- 6) Network Infrastructure :-
Building and maintaining the network infrastructure needed to support the large number of connected IoT devices.
- 7) Device management :-
Efficiently managing and maintaining the large number of IoT devices in a deployment.

- 8) Data management → Managing and analyzing the large amount of data generated by IoT devices and integrating with existing data system.
- 9) Security → Ensuring that the IoT deployment is secure from threats such as cyber attacks, data breach and unauthorised access.
- 10) Cost → Balancing the cost of deploying and maintaining an IoT system with the benefits of delivery.

Unit-2

Components of IoT

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- ↓ Identification Sensing Communication Computation Service Semantics
 - ↓ Identification component deals with naming and addressing.
 - Some of the naming schemes for naming the IoT devices are electronic product code (Epc) and u-code.
 - These schemes can be used to provide unique names to the IoT devices.
 - The technologies that are used for addressing, the IoT devices are TR4, TR6 etc.
 - Using these technologies we can assign IP addresses to IoT devices which are unique across a network.
 - Sensing :
 - The sensing components includes sensors, actuators, and ~~actuators~~ wearable devices.
 - Sensors are tiny devices which can sense physical phenomena and represent them in a human readable format.
 - The actuator is a device which receive instructions and performs an operation on another device.
 - Sensors are generally act as input and actuators are act as output.
 - Wearable are portable smart devices which can send and perform operations and sent notifications. - Communication : component plays a key role in an IoT system.
 - This component helps in sending the data from Sensors to a server and again back from Server to computing devices to which sensors are attached.
 - This component contains different networking devices like switches, routers etc. and different protocols like RF id, Bluetooth, IEEE 802.15.4 → WiFi etc.
 - Computation :
 - The computation components involves hardware and software.
 - The hardware contain devices like Sensors, actuators, computing devices etc.
 - Examples of computing devices are NodeMCU, Arduino, Raspberry Pi etc.
 - These computing devices are used for performing computation on the data gathered by the Sensors and

run programs. Typically runs on a computing device may be a software or API on the cloud.

Middleware Software in the area. Contikios OS, Teng OS, AWS.

Examples of such software are. Contikios OS, Teng OS, AWS.

Azure, Google Cloud

Services :-

- Services can be provided in an IoT system.
- Different types of services are provided as middleware services.
- They might be provided as individual services, information services, collaboration services, awareness services, aggregation services, ubiquitous services.

Semantics :-

- The semantic component deals with the interoperability. It allows different devices to communicate with each other seamlessly.
- Some of the technologies are languages that provides semantic interoperability.
- Semantic framework (RDF) and efficient XML language (OWL) and efficient XML language (ENT).
- Web Ontology language (OWL) and efficient XML language (ENT).

Identification	Naming	EPIC, UCODE
Sensing	Addressing	RFID, IPv4, IPv6
Communication		Sensors, Actuators, wearables
Computation	Hardware	RFID, NFC, UWIB, Bluetooth, BLE, IEEE 802.15.4, Z-Wave, WiFi, Arduino, Raspberry Pi, Contikios, Tiny OS, AWS, Azure, Google Cloud
Semantics	Software	RDF, OWL, ENT
Services		Identify related, information aggregate, Collaboration, autonomy.

Control units

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- The internet of things or merely discussed without processing the collected data from real world and the processed data for any conclusion.
- Sensors are the source of IoT data.
- Driven by new innovations in materials and nano-technology, Sensors technologies are developing at a rapid speed and with a result of increased accuracy, decreased size and cost.
- This results in to provide ability to measure etc detect things that were not previously possible.

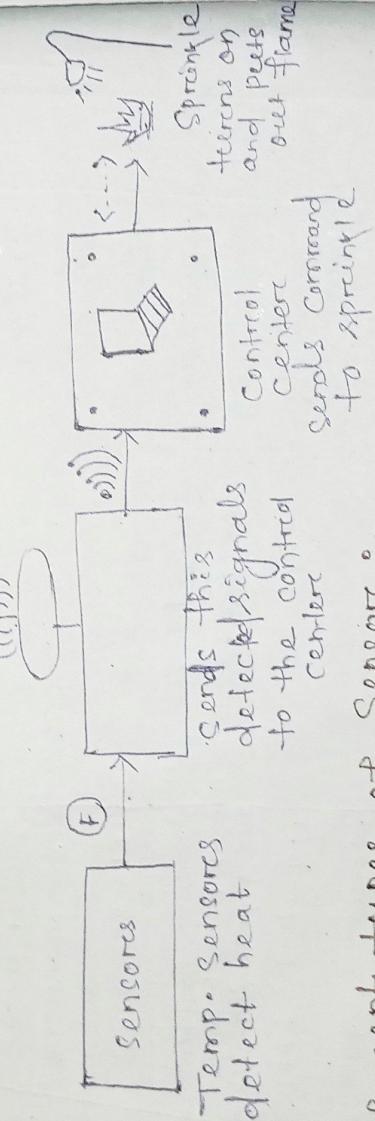
i) Transducer :-

- A better term for a sensor is transducer.
- physical device that converts one form of energy into another form is called transducer.
- The transducer converts some physical phenomenon into an electrical impulse that can then be interpreted to determine a reading.

ii) Actuator :-

- Another type of transducer which operates in the reverse direction of a Sensor.
- It takes an electrical input and turns it into physical actions.
- For example :- An electric motor, A hydraulic system

Sensor to Actuator flow :-



Different types of Sensors :-

- i) Pressure Sensor.
- ii) Proximity Sensor.
- iii) Optical Sensor.
- iv) Acceleration Sensor.
- v) Load Sensor.
- vi) Humidity Sensor.
- vii) Tilt / Level Sensor. etc.

Types of actuators :-

- i) LED
- ii) Relay

- (ii) Motors
- (iv) Lasers
- v) speakers
- vi) LCD display, etc.

Bluetooth ?

It was invented by Ericsson in the year of 1994.
 → Bluetooth has been used as a wireless channel for connecting devices.
 Some then bluetooth has become the standard for wireless communication in wearable gadget and other devices.

→ Bluetooth is now available in automobiles, speaker, medical equipments, wireless headphones, earphone etc.
 → Bluetooth is a short range wireless technology means for transmitting data over a short distance between two electronic devices.

Bluetooth with TOT :-

→ Bluetooth technology is progressed from standard Bluetooth to smart Bluetooth with the most recent version Bluetooth 5.
 → Compared to the previous version Bluetooth 5 provides five times the range, quadruple the data speed and 800% greater data transmitting frequency.

→ Furthermore, more bluetooth low energy (BLE) is a form of bluetooth optimized for low power devices and can assist IoT devices in conserving energy by keeping them in sleep mode until they are connected.

→ BLE is perfect for IoT applications since it can pair and reconnect with devices in 10 milliseconds instead of 10 seconds with traditional bluetooth.

→ This notably operating efficiency but also increases device availability.

→ The hardware Communication, software system and application layers make off a typical IoT design with bluetooth serving as the data communication layer.

→ The communication layer which consists of a multi-layer stack that includes data connection, network or transport and session protocol as a vital link between the layers.

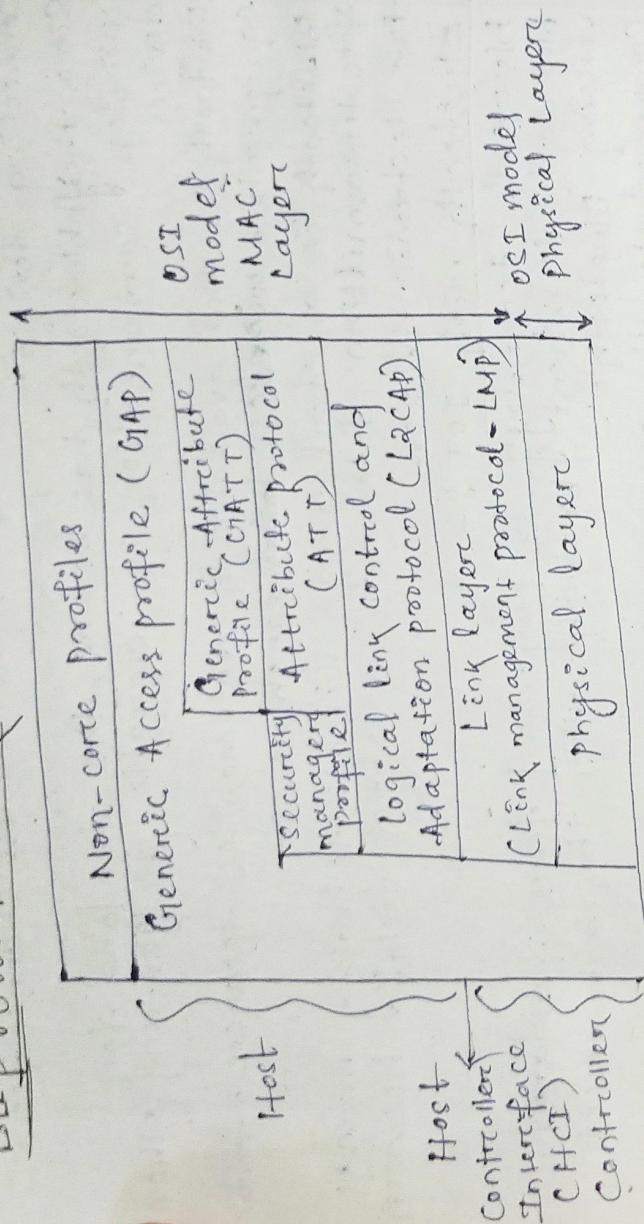
→ Bluetooth which is often known as BLE as a data communication layer that links sensors to sensors or sensors to gateways.

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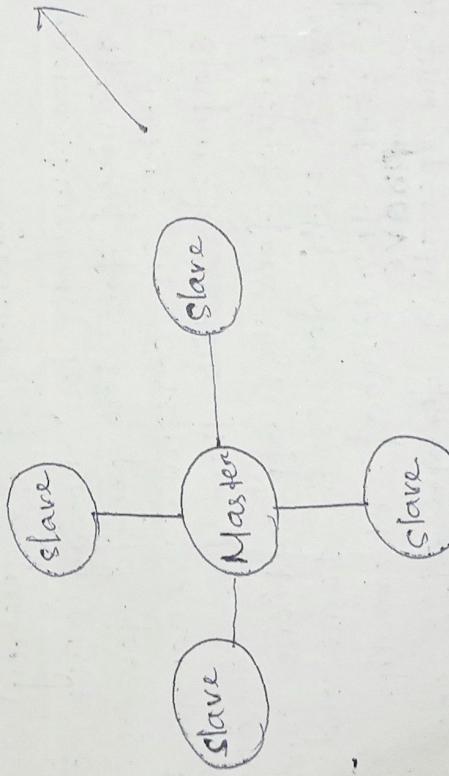
→ on the other hand the network layer is in charge of routing or transporting package across the network using the best pathways possible.

→ The session layer protocols allows communication between different aspects of the IoT communication Subsystem

BLE Protocol Stack :-



Star topology :-



Piconet

- Device can function as either a master or slave.
- Supports maximum 8 nodes.
- Server have smaller coverage area.
- Less efficient in terms of uses of bandwidth.

Scatternet

- Device can function as master or slave or master plus slave.
- Servers have large coverage area.
- It supports more than 8 nodes.
- It is more efficient in terms of uses of bandwidth.

→ BLE belongs to TEE standard of 802.15.4.01

- ↳ Star topology :-
 - ↳ star is the only topology accepted by BLE
 - ↳ Any data exchange between two slave devices shall pass through the unique master.
 - ↳ A slave device may not be connected to two master units at a time.
 - ↳ Using a similar protocol stack as classic bluetooth, the differences between them stack above the L2CAP layer.

BLE protocol stack :-

- i) Physical Layer :-
 - The transmitter uses GFSK (Gaussian frequency shift keying) modulation and operates at unlicensed 2.4 GHz frequency band.
 - Using this physical layer, BLE offers data rates of 1Mbps for bluetooth version 4.2 and 2Mbps for bluetooth version 5.0.
 - It uses frequency hopping transceiver.
 - Two physical layer variance are specified as unpaired and paired.
 - A TDMA (time division multiple duplex) topology is employed in both of the physical modes.
- ii) Link Layer :-
 - It is responsible for advertising & scanning, creating & maintaining connections.
 - The role of BLE devices as changed in peer-peer that will be unicast or broadcast mode.
 - iii) HCI :-
 - It provides communication between controller and host, through standard interface types.
 - This HCI layer can be implemented either using API or by interfaces such as UART (universal asynchronous receiver and transmitter), SPI / USB.

Standard :-

- This layer offers data encapsulation services to upper layer.
- This allows logical end to end data communications.
- v) SMP :- (Security manager protocol)
 - This layer provides methods for device pairing and key distribution.

- It offers services to other protocol stack layers in order to securely connect and exchange data between BLE

Zigbee:-

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- Zigbee is one of the wireless personal area network specification.
- It is design to meet low power and low data rate applications developed under IEEE 802.15.4 standard.
- Typically Zigbee is used in establishing a smart home communication with each other to enable automation.
- If we want a network for short range communication for streaming audio we go for bluetooth where as for video and large files we use wifi.
- But we need a network using which we can connect a large number of battery powered devices for this purpose we can not go for wifi because of its high energy requirement, and we can not go for bluetooth as only a small number of devices can be connected to using bluetooth.
- Finally we need a network that can connect many battery powered devices and to consume low power, zigbee technology was developed.
- Zigbee revolves around control and sensor network.
- Hence it is one of the most common standard and applications for the internet of things.

Mesh topology :-

- Zigbee network use mesh topology which gives a separate link for every device pair in the network.
- Even if one link fails, the network can utilize another alternate path or link for communication.
- Hence it is reliable.

Components of zigbee :-

- 1) Coordinator
 - 2) Router
 - 3) End devices.
- The radio designs used by zigbee are optimized for low cost in large scale production.
 - It has few analog stages and use digital circuits where ever possible.
 - The protocols are designed to communicate data through hostile RF environment.

→ The current protocol supports beacon and non-beacon enabled networks.

→ In Non-beacon enable network an slot of CSMA-CA channel access mechanism is used.

→ In this type of network the devices typically have more resources continuously active & requiring a more robust power supply.

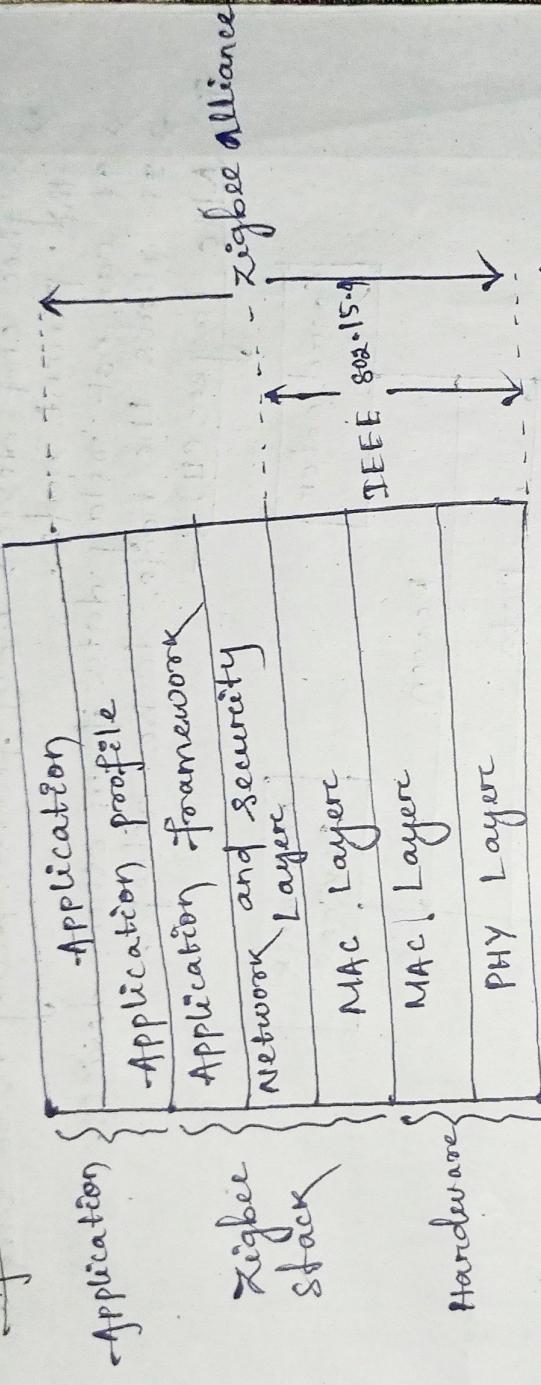
→ Zigbee devices are basically of three types :-

i) Coordinator

ii) Router

iii) End devices.

Architecture :-



→ Zigbee alliance contains the software, brand of management network, security and application layer.

→ IEEE 802.15.4 defines hardware, physical and MAC layer.

Q) Physical layer :-

→ It activates and deactivates the radio transceiver.

→ Energy detection is within the current channel.

→ Link quality indication (LQI) Service is provided for received data packets.

→ Clear channel assessment before CSMA-CA.

→ Channel frequency selection.

ii) MAC layer :-

a) Device class :-

→ There are two type of devices based upon their functionality.

→ Full function device (FFD) is a device which can talk to any device.

- Reduced function device (RFD) is a device which can not talk to all devices.
 - b) Address :-
All devices must have 64 bit IEEE addresses.
All devices of 16 bit can be allocated to reduce a short address of 16 bit can be allocated to reduce a data packet.
 - c) Device :-
 - i) Coordinator :-
It is the root of the network tree.
It is the bridge to other networks.
It act as a bridge to other networks.
 - ii) Router :-
Router acts as an intermediate router.
It is used to talk to zigbee end devices.
It is the parent node.
It can not relay data from other devices.
It allows the node to be asleep.
 - iii) MAC layer (II) :-
MAC layer handles the data.
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 Coordinator[Coordinator] -- "Data" --> NetworkDevice[Network Device]
 NetworkDevice -- "Acknowledegement (Optional)" --> Coordinator
 Coordinator -- "Beacon" --> NetworkDevice
 NetworkDevice -- "Data" --> BeaconEnableMode[Beacon Enable Mode]
 BeaconEnableMode -- "Acknowledegement (Optional)" --> NetworkDevice

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- The diagram illustrates the communication flow between three components: Coordinator, Network Device, and Beacon Enable Mode. The Coordinator initiates data transmission to the Network Device. The Network Device sends an optional acknowledgement back to the Coordinator. Simultaneously, the Coordinator sends a beacon to the Network Device. The Network Device then sends data to the Beacon Enable Mode. Finally, the Beacon Enable Mode sends an optional acknowledgement back to the Network Device.
- (Non-Beacon Enable mode)
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- This diagram shows the communication flow in Non-Beacon mode. The Coordinator initiates data transmission to the Network Device. The Network Device sends an optional acknowledgement back to the Coordinator.
- Transmission mode :-
- In Beacon enable mode data are transmitted periodically and repetitive low latency of data is available.
 - In Non-Beacon enable mode network devices are not receiving any kind of message from

Coordinator and data intermitter of zigbee.

Zigbee Network properties:

- Zigbee built on physical layer and media access control defined in IEEE standard 802.15.4 for low rate wireless personal area network.
- WPAN low rate is the newest technology and provides specifications for devices that have low data rate, consume less power and are thus characterised by long battery life.
- It operates in the ISM band of 2.4 GHz in world wide except 78 MHz and 868 MHz in Europe and 915 MHz in USA and Australia.
- It is also more economical than WiFi and bluetooth which make it simpler.

- The devices can run for years on inexpensive batteries for a host of monitoring and controlling applications.

Applications of Zigbee

- Zigbee is intended for embedded applications with low power consumption and low data rates.
- Mobility is a constraint, hence it is not suitable with radio equipment.

→ Typical application areas includes:-

- i) Automation system.
- ii) wireless Sensor Network
- iii) Industrial control.
- iv) Medical data collection
- v) smoke alarm etc.

Advantages of Zigbee

- Zigbee is the best network for battery powered devices as it allows them to turn off when they are not used.

- Though battery powered, zigbee devices can have a good life span due to the networks power saving capabilities.

- Capabilities as an open standard, as a result there are a large variety of devices available from different manufacturers.

- Zigbee devices are available at low cost.
- The network stage reliable due to its mesh topology.
- Extending a WiFi network is more time consuming and costly than extending a zigbee network.

Disadvantages :-

- If the one coordinator fails, the whole network goes down.
- When the coordinator is replaced, all the zigbee devices are not automatically connected through the new coordinator.

Every connected has to be manually established again.

- The open standard of zigbee brought compatibility issues which means not every zigbee device is compatible with every zigbee network.
- Zigbee 3.0 forces the manufacturers to follow a specific standard to be certified.
- Due to its low bandwidth zigbee does not support audio and video applications.

MQTT : (Message Queuing Transport)

- MQTT is a light weight, publish - subscribe base messaging protocol designed for resource constraint devices and low bandwidth, high latency over unreliable networks.

- It is widely used in IoT applications providing efficient communication between Sensors, actuators and other devices.

Different features of MQTT Protocol :-

1. Light weight :-
 - IoT devices often constraints in terms of processing power, memory and energy consumption.
 - MQTT minimizes overhead and small packet size make it ideal for these devices as it consumes fewer resources, enabling efficient communication even with limited capabilities.

Reliable :-

- IoT networks can experience high latency and unstable connection.

- MQTT supports four different quality of service (QoS) levels, session awareness and persistent connection to ensure reliable message delivery even in challenging conditions.

5. Secure Communications :-

→ Security is crucial in SSL (

- IoT network as they often transmit sensitive data

- MQTT supports TLS (transport layer security) and Secure Socket Layer (SSL): encryption to ensure data confidentiality during transmission.
- Authentication and Authorization can be achieved by username and password, credentials or client certificates.
- to safeguarding the access to the network and its resources.
- 4. Bi-directionality
 - MQTT's publish-subscribe model allows for seamless bidirectional communication between devices.
 - Client can both publish messages to topics and subscribe to receive messages on specific topics which enables effective data exchange in diverse IoT ecosystem without direct coupling between devices.
 - This model also simplifies the integration of new devices to ensure easy scalability.
- 5. Continuous and stateless sessions
 - MQTT allows clients to maintain stateful sessions with the broker which enable the system to remember subscription and undelivered messages even after disconnection.
 - Clients can also specify a keep alive interval during the connection which prompts the broker to periodically check the connection status.
 - If the connection disconnects, the broker stores undelivered messages and attempts to deliver them when the client reconnects.
 - This feature ensures reliable communications and reduces the risk of data loss.
- 6. Large scale IoT device support

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 - IoT systems often involve a large number of devices which require a protocol that can handle massive scale.
 - MQTT is light weight in nature of low bandwidth consumption and efficient use of resources make it well suited for large scale IoT applications.
- 7. Language support
 - IoT systems often involves devices and applications developed using various programming languages.

→ MQTT's broad language support enables easy integration with multiple platforms and technologies and fostering seamless communication and interoperability in diverse IoT application.

How MQTT Works

- To understand how MQTT protocol operates, we need to learn the concept of MQTT client, MQTT broker, publish-subscribe model, topic, component-client.
- MQTT Client → Application running the MQTT client, normally have both MQTT client and MQTT broker.
- For example of instant messaging app that uses MQTT as a client, various sensors that use MQTT to report data over a client and various testing tools are also a client.
- MQTT broker handles client connection, disconnecting, subscription, unsubscribing, receipt and sending message.
- A powerful MQTT broker can support massive connections and numerous level message through pub/sub pattern to focus on business and quickly create a reliable MQTT application.

The publish-subscribe pattern is different from client-server pattern in which it separate the client and send message from the client that receives messages.

Subscriber and publisher do not need to establish a direct connection that the MQTT broker is responsible for receiving and distributing of all messages.

Topic → The MQTT protocol creates the messages based on topic where the topic distinguishes the hierarchy.

→ MQTT provides three kind of QoS and guarantee

Messaging reliability in different network environments

- 1) Rosco:
 - The message is delivered at most once.
 - If the client is not available, delivery is lost.
 - The messages are delivered at least once.

- 2) QoS:
 - The message is delivered only once.
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Work flow

Step-1: Client generates a connection to the broker using TCP/IP with optional TLS or SSL encryption for secure communication.

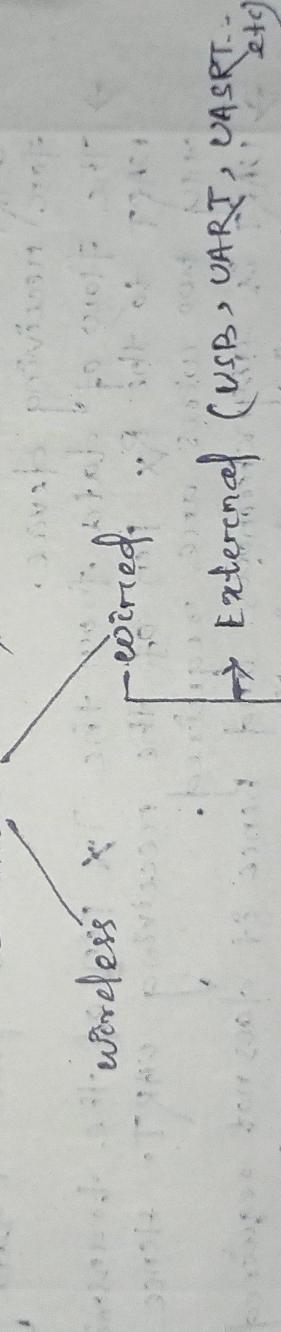
Step-2: Client either publish messages to specific topics or subscribe to topics to receive messages.

Step-3: The broker receives published message and forward them to all client and subscribe to the relevant topics.

- i) It ensures reliable message delivery according to the specified QoS level, and manage message storage for clients connected to need any type of session.

Wired communication & protocols

Communication



- The Internet of things refers to a network of devices which communicate with each other through the Internet by wired or wireless medium.
- When connected a laptop or smartphone through an IoT infrastructure, it can automate and control all the connected devices.
- The type of network chosen depends on the network range, network bandwidth, power uses and security etc.

External communication protocols :-

(1) USB :- (Universal Serial Bus)

- USB stands for universal serial bus. Hence it is a serial communication protocol for connecting devices with USB ports.
- It also provides a fast Master-slave interface supporting up to 127 devices.
- A PC generally the master or host and all each of the other components or devices link to it are called slaves.
- USB RX, USB TX, USB 3.0 uses 4 lines Vcc, GND, D+, D-.
- Data is transferred in the form of packets which is composed of 8 bits width least significant bit (LSB) transmitted first.

Pros :-

- It is simple and fast.
- It is almost acceptable everywhere.
- It requires powerful master-slave devices.
- Particular drivers are required.
- UART :- asynchronous receiver transmitter
→ UART stands for universal synchronous asynchronous receiver transmitter.
→ UART converts data into serial data.
- UART communicates directly by converting data through UART communicate directly by converting data into serial form and transmit it onto the receiving UART that converts serial data into parallel data for receiving device.
- The flow of data from the Tx pin of the transmitter UART to the Rx pin of the receiving UART. Hence only two wires are required.
- UART is asynchronous, hence it does not require a clock for synchronization either as USART uses a clock for synchronization in case of synchronous communication.
- It can be used in asynchronous communication also.
- Hence USART is a dual type of serial communication.