

PetTracker A pet tracking system using Motes

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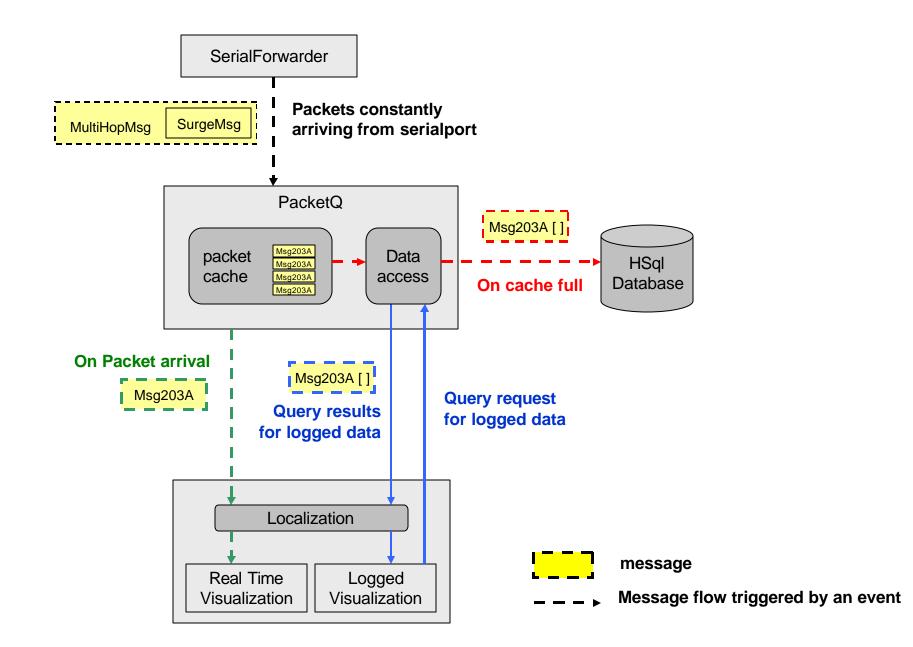
MOTIVATION

- Track status of pet even when you're not home or when you're sleeping.
 - Activity level
 - Environment
 - Location

PetTracker - OVERVIEW Tracking Mote Tracks pet indoors Tracking Mote Environment Mobile Mote On Pet Activity Location **Signal Coverage** Tracking Mote Tracking Mote Consists of XBow Motes NesC programs **BaseStation** (MIB510) Tracking + Tracking Mote Mobile (attached to pet) Tracking PC Java Application Multihop Route Tree Java Application

Packet Broadcast From Mobile Mote

SOFTWARE ARCHITECTURE



INSTALLATION OF MOTES





Mote on Cat



Version 1



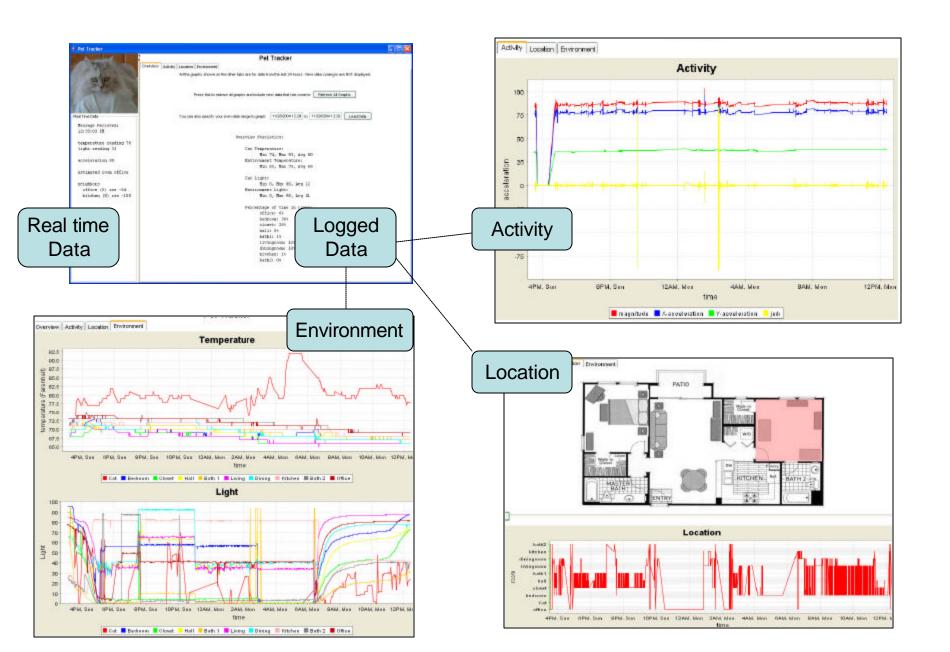


Version 2

Video



DEMONSTRATION



CONCLUSION

- Issues and solutions
 - Localization, RSS not good
 - use sound
 - Motes disappearing frequently
 - take mobile mote out of routing
 - Mica2 mote too bulky for cat
 - use Mica2Dot
 - Caching not required for slow packet arrival rates
 - but would increase performance in other applications
 - take it out of PetTracker

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Questions?

