

# Internet of Things 101

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# Overview

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- What is IoT
- Why IoT
- Requirements
- Sample code
- Problems with IoT

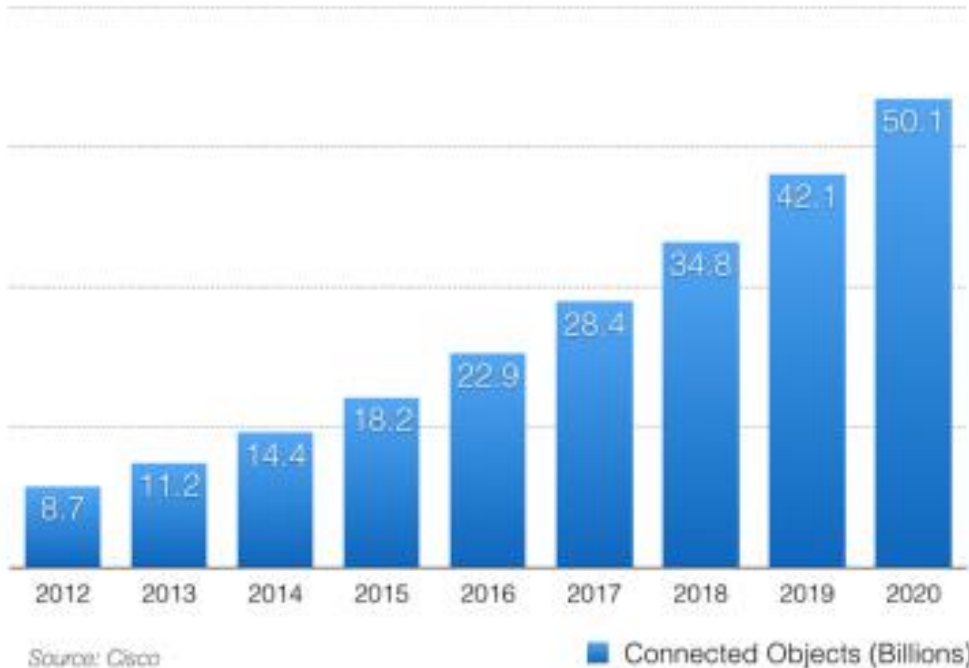
# Internet of Things

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- “The interconnection via the Internet of computing devices embedded in everyday objects, enabling them to send and receive data.”
- Everything is connected
- Fridge senses what is inside it
- Alarm clock checks train schedule



Cisco's Projections for the Internet of Things



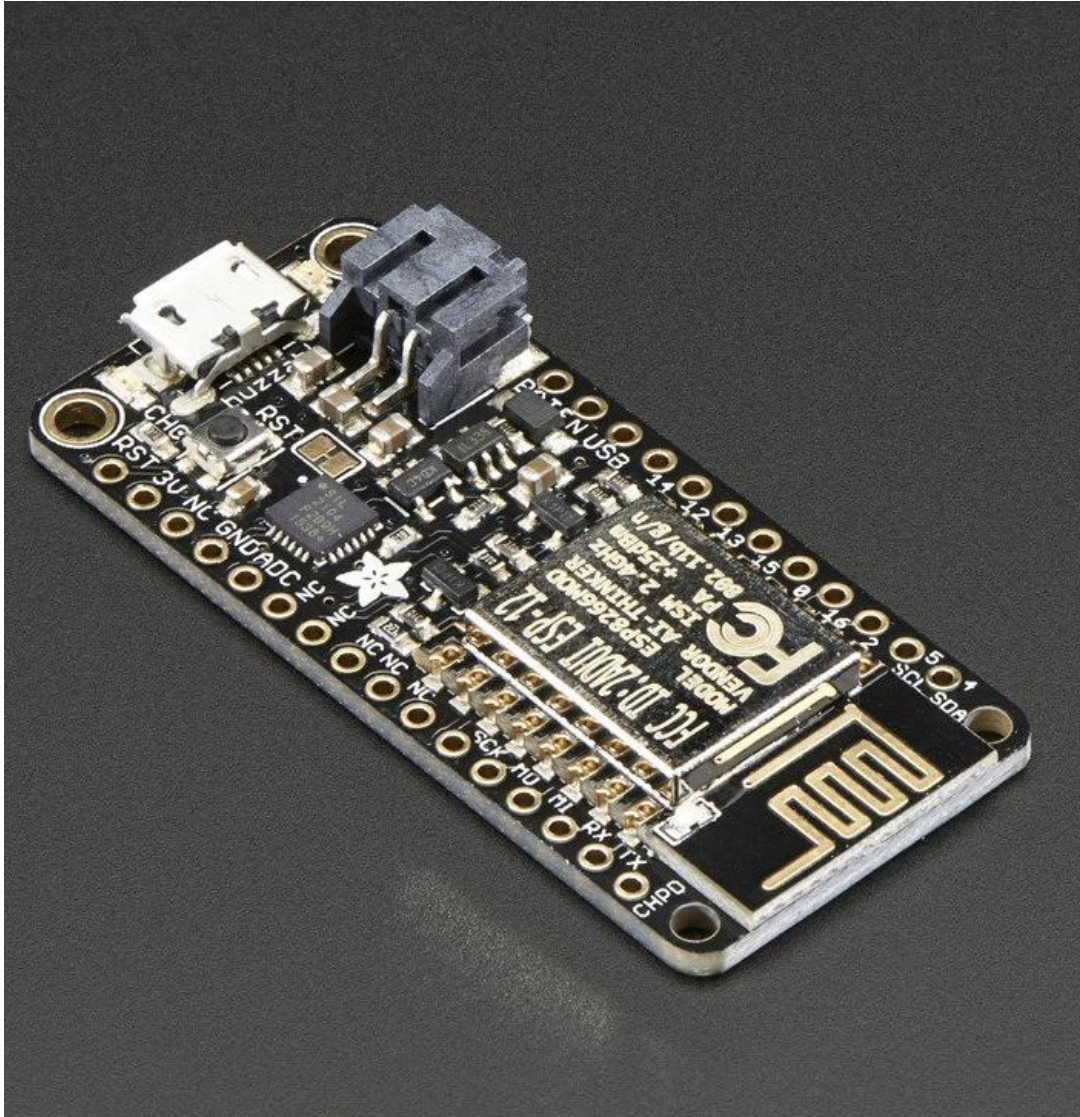
## Why now

- Cheap, ubiquitous connection modules
- The world is more connected every day



# Why you

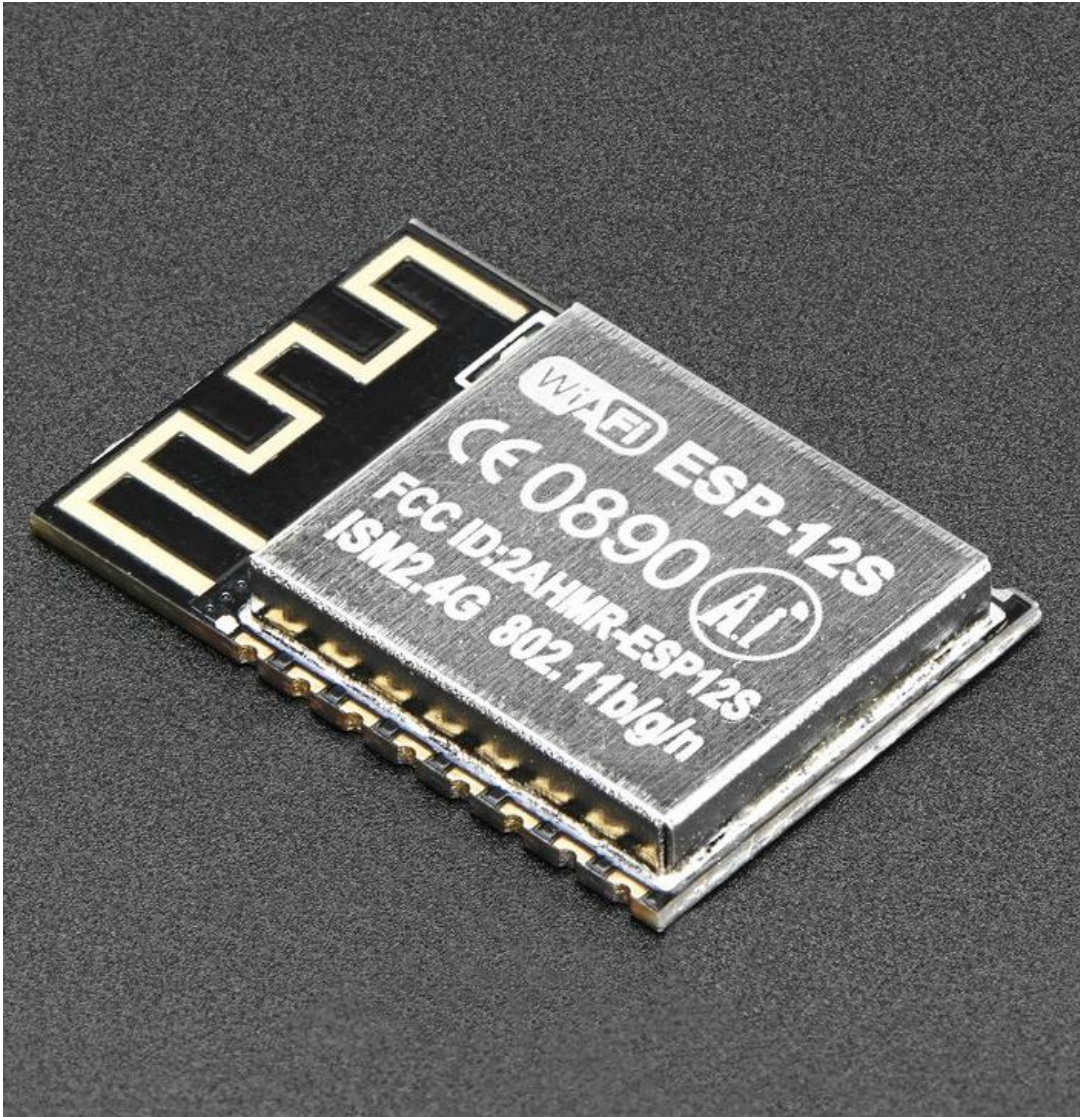
- Good to know what is possible
- You know what your field needs



# Requirements

- Development Board with connectivity

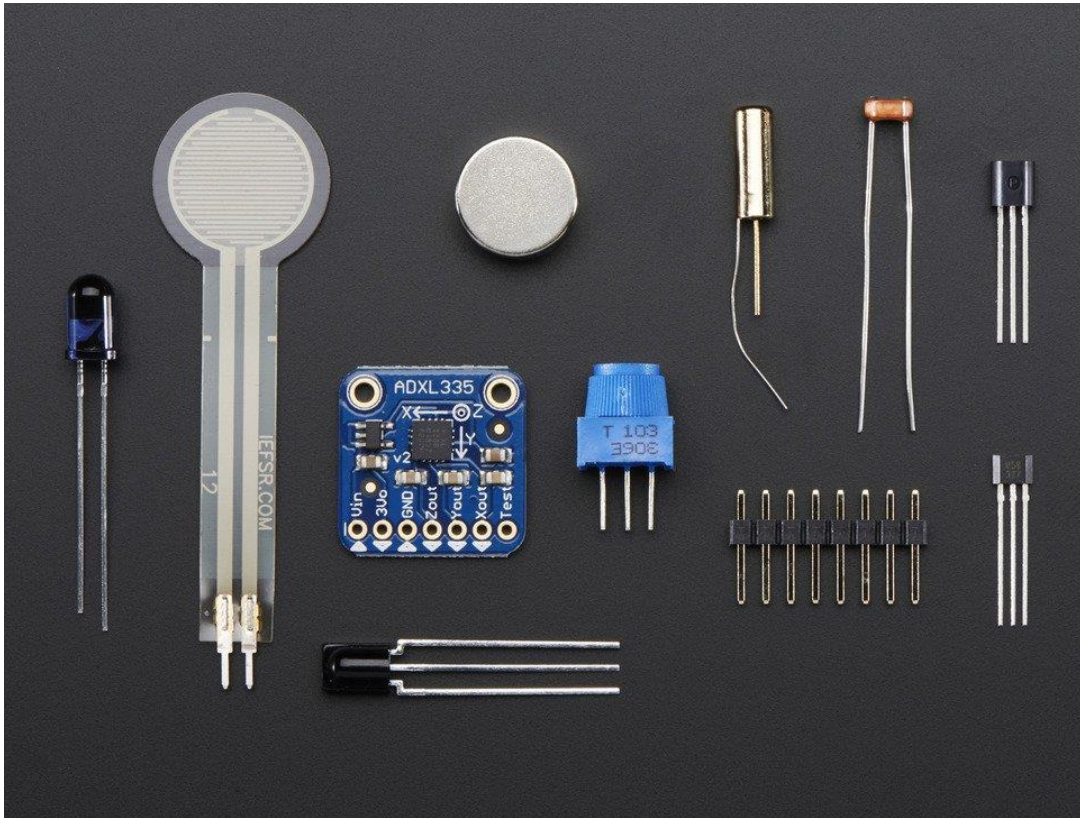




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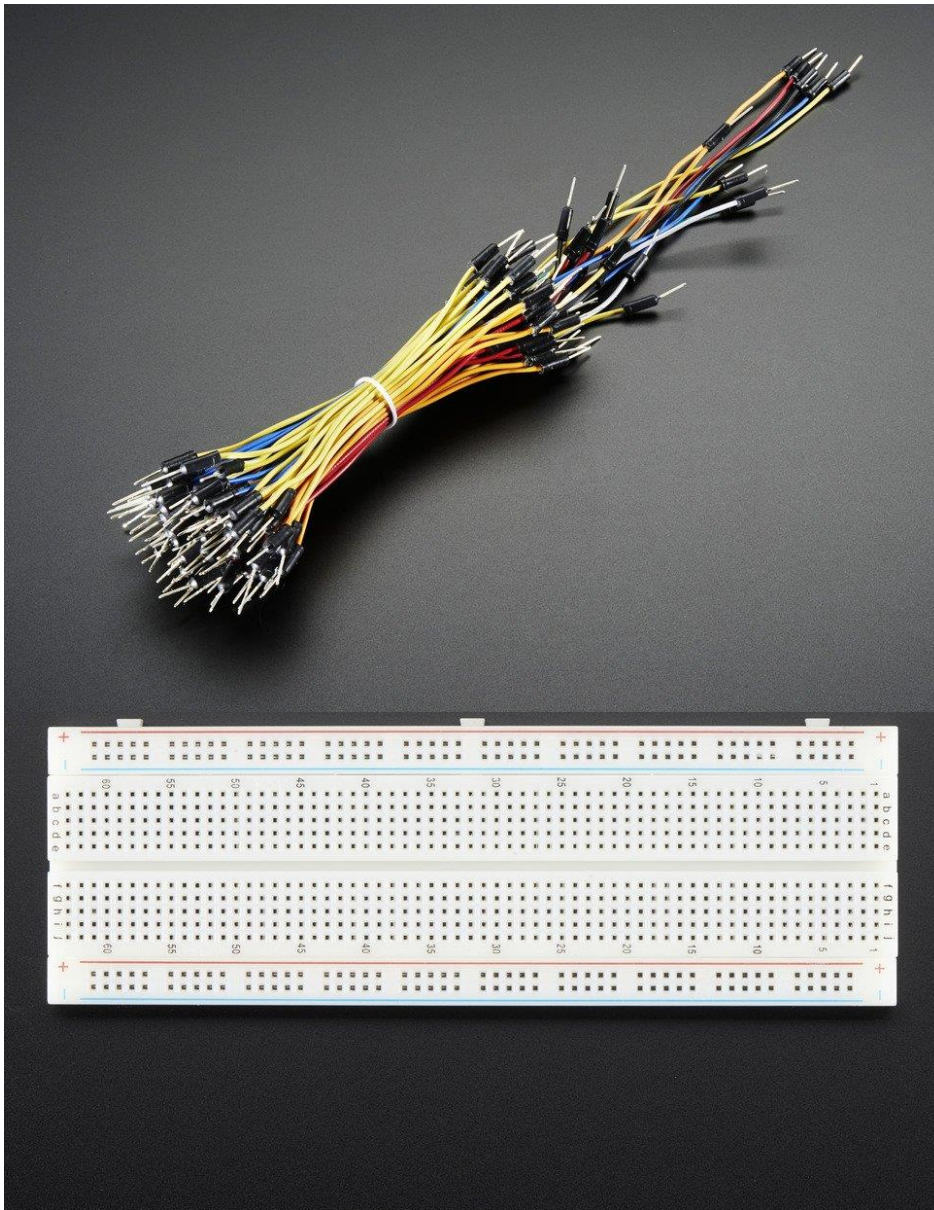
Modules are  
cheaper,  
but very hard to use



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- Sensors, Motors





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- Soldering Iron

# Connectivity

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- What are the requirements?
- Wireless
  - WiFi
  - BlueTooth
  - Zigbee
- Wired
  - Ethernet

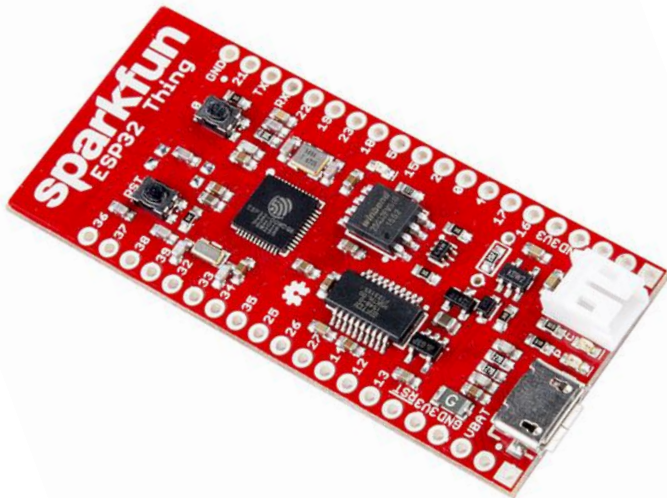






# ESP32 and ESP8266

- Wifi (ESP32 also bluetooth)
- Processor onboard
- Cheap
- Lots of IO for connecting peripherals
- Programmable with arduino



# Software setup

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- Go to github of ESP32 or ESP8266 Arduino core
- Follow steps



**git**



# Toggling LEDs

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```
const char* ssid      = "yourssid";  
const char* password = "yourpasswd";  
  
pinMode(LEDPin, OUTPUT); // set the LED pin mode  
  
WiFi.begin(ssid, password);  
while (WiFi.status() != WL_CONNECTED) {  
    delay(500);      Serial.print(".");}  
server.begin();
```

# Continued

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```
wifiClient client = server.available(); // listen for incoming clients
```

```
client.print("Click <a href=\"/H\">here</a> turn the LED on  
pin 5 on<br>");
```

```
client.print("Click <a href=\"/L\">here</a> turn the LED on  
pin 5 off<br>");
```

```
    // GET /H turns the LED on
```

```
if (currentLine.endsWith("GET /H")) digitalWrite(LEDPin, HIGH);
```

```
    // GET /L turns the LED off
```

```
if (currentLine.endsWith("GET /L")) digitalWrite(LEDPin, LOW);
```



# Existing platforms

- Blynk
- Nodemcu
- Many others

## ESP8266 Mbed IoT Web Controller

Hit count: 2

Last hit (based on mbed RTC time): 12:34:46 Wed 26 Aug 15

Analog 1: 0.944 V

Analog 2: 0.832 V

☐ flip LED1

☐ flip LED2

☐ flip LED3

☐ flip LED4

### How to use:

- Select a checkbox to flip on/off
- Click Send-Refresh to send data and refresh values



# Problems

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- Fridge won't let you in
- Temperature profile to find when you're in
- Control your heartbeat with your pacemaker



# Summary

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- Overview of IoT
- Why IoT
- Requirements to start an IoT project
- Sample code
- Problems with IoT

# Questions?

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Manufacturer: <https://espressif.com/>

Projects: Instructables, hackaday etc.

Arduino setup: ESP32 or ESP8266 Arduino Core

Buy at: Aliexpress, Ebay, Sparkfun, etc.

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Thank you for your attention