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Wireless sensor network is an accumulation of huge number of sensor nodes organized or dispersed that combine to form a grid which is used to sense information such as pressure, degree, sound, tremor, movement etc. After collecting data through sensor nodes the data is collectively sent to a sink node where statistics can be stored and figured out. The data which is required can be rectified by asking queries and gathering results from the base station and the facts gathered by sensor nodes is in its accurate form. These devices are implanted at a cheaper cost than traditional wired systems.

All sensor nodes consist of a battery-enabled chip, a radio transceiver, a memory chip and a position-finding system. Sensor nodes are constrained devices consisting of less efficient battery backup, a small memory chip in relation to storage and other limited resources owing to the restricted structure of sensor nodes. The main issue with the wireless sensor network is the nodes are abandoned for a long period of time or forever, have a short duration of lifetime and the topology used for implementation is generally unknown. The main challenges in WSN network emerge due to restricted resources the nodes have and deployment of these nodes in adverse conditions, where it is almost insuperable or invincible for humans to attend or observe the sensor nodes. Owing to the negligence it may affect the effectiveness of many applications in the field of military or public applications such as safety, tactical surveillance, inventory control, distributed figuring, intrusion discovery, disaster management and detection of ambient conditions. Many applications request the sensor nodes to be small in size and limit the transmission range to minimize the chances of detection. This results in additional constraints on other resources such as

speed, size of memory, RF bandwidth and lifetime of sensor node. Therefore, efficient techniques of communication are essential for enhancing the time period of survival of a sensor node and increasing the amount of acquiring data and reducing the communication latency of such wireless devices [2]. In spite of having limited communication and computation capabilities a WSN that contains thousands or millions of sensor nodes enhances the different ways through which records can be placed from physical environment with highly precise knowledge about the data that is to be sensed.

But when it comes to amalgamation of WSN with the existing Internet it comes with several number of challenges. This dissertation discusses the challenges and the finest technique to interface wireless sensor network with the IoT to monitor the environmental parameters is analyzed. 1. 1.

MOTIVATION WSN is a setup of sensor nodes that convey statistics or data between nodes that are not wired or bind up by electrical conductors. Most of the wireless sensor communication technology uses radio waves and micro waves in direction to transfer information between the points which are known as nodes.

One another application field of wireless communication is WSN. WSN is a distributed system, containing resource or constrained nodes that work in an ad hoc manner using multi-hop communication [3]. WSNs and Internet are integrated as a new application area called IoT, covering almost every area in current daily life [4]. IoT encourages several novel and existing applications such as environment monitoring, infrastructure management, public safety, health care and well-being, home and office security, transportation, and military applications [2]. The complexity of a WSN [3], which interpret sensing <https://assignbuster.com/wireless-control-distributed-figuring-intrusion-discovery-disaster-management/>

and ID activities into services using WSN with WSN middleware and access networking. It can use: (i) different communication platforms such as Wi-Fi, wireless LAN, 3G and 4G.

(ii) different devices which are established on different processors such as various types of PDA, smart phones and laptops and (iii) all these platforms and devices being built on different architectures such as centralized, distributed or peer-to-peer.

## 1. 2. WIRELESS SENSOR NETWORK

WSN is a collection of huge number of sensor nodes or that combine to form a network which is used to sense data such as pressure, temperature, sound, tremor, motion etc. WSN is regarded as a revolutionary information collecting methods, techniques to build the information & communication system which will greatly improve the reliability & efficiency of infrastructure systems. Compared with the wired solution, WSNs feature easier deployment and better flexibility of devices. Due to quick advancements in the technology and bloom in the field of sensor nodes, WSN will become the main technology for IoT.

A WSN basically structureless; they are dispersed or unorganized nodes combine together to observe an area over which they are implanted to get data about the conditions of the surroundings. Here we are defining dual types of WSNs called as structured WSN & unstructured WSN. Unorganized WSN has sensor nodes dispersed closely and are mostly implanted in ad-hoc network field, i. e. nodes are deployed randomly in the aimed area.

In organized wireless sensor network sensor nodes are deployed in pre-determined locations. These sensor nodes are energy limited and

specific application oriented. Thus, the power management of sensor node is essential for effective network operations and particular sensor networks are determined by the following two

parameters:

Figure 1. 1.

Wireless Sensor Network

1. 2. 1.

Data flow patterns In sensor networks, each node is an independent data collection device. Periodically a sensor node in the wireless network sends its readings to central workstation. Sometimes, the chief workstation will be interested in specific information from nodes in such case it inserts the query into the network and it is propagated. Then nodes with the data will reply to the query with the relevant information.

2. Energy constraints The sensor nodes in the networks are battery operated with limited recharge capabilities. The primary system enactment metric is the energy effectiveness of operation.

1. 3. INTEGRATING WIRELESS SENSOR NETWORK AND INTERNET OF THINGS

The integration between the Internet and a WSN is classified into three.

They are (i) front end (ii) Gateway and (iii) TCP/IP. A WSN is fully individualistic from the internet (i. e. front end), can only be in touch with internet hosts and transfer data across it (i. e. gateway), or allow a reconcilable network layer protocol (TCP/IP). Its first resemblance is the Front-End solution. The solutions are the peripheral Internet hosts and the sensor nodes does not communicate directly with each other.

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In fact, the WSN is completely individualistic from the internet, so it can deploy its self-benefitted group of protocols. All interactions among the external world and the sensor network will be managed by a centralized device, such as a base station as shown in Figure 1. 2. The sink node collects all the transmission throughout the nodes with a WSN, and the sink node may also give permission to read or write on data gathered to additional outside objects through commonly used interfaces. In addition, any query coming from the Internet hosts will be always traversing the base station (B).

WSN      internet B      Figure 1.

2. Frontend solution for integrating IoT and WSN. The 2nd approach is the Gateway solution, considers the presence of a device (e. g.

base station) it is used as an application layer gateway, having responsibility of interpreting the lower layer protocols among the networks (e. g. TCP/IP and proprietary) and routing the information from one point to another, as shown in Figure 1. 3. Shows that the result, Internet hosts and sensor nodes can be capable to address each other and exchange information without establishing a truly direct connection.

this approach, the WSN is still liberated from the Internet, and all queries still need to traverse a gateway device. However, sensor nodes can be capable to provide web service interfaces to external entities while maintaining their lower layer protocols. WSN      internet G Figure 1. 3.

Gateway (G) solution for integrating IoT and WSN.

The 3rd approach, the TCP/IP solutions approach, sensor nodes are

implementing the TCP/IP stack thus nodes can be considered as full-fledged  
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elements of the Internet. Any host of the internet can connect directly with them, and vice-versa. This is the most appropriate technique for implementing full amalgamation of WSN and IoT. A significance of this methodology is that sensor nodes are no longer able to use specific WSN protocols. The Internet-enabled nodes behave i) As a front-end, efficiently segregating the wireless sensor network sensors from the Internet, or ii) As gateways, allowing direct data exchange between sensors and the central system. There are numerous aspects that need to be taken care of before choosing a certain integration approach. The main factors are summarized in the succeeding paragraphs: 1.

Resilience. WSN directly provides its services to external entities are quite vulnerable against security attacks. Gateways and sensor nodes need to be capable to include security mechanisms that increase their robustness against attacks.

2. Security of the communication channel. It is necessary to analyze how mechanisms such as TLS could be cast-off to offer an end-to-end secure channel. In fact, it is likewise necessary to study the different key exchange mechanisms that would be used. 3. Accountability. For an Internet-enabled WSN, it might be fascinating to advance a distributed system that is capable to record the interactions with the users of the system. By store all communications, we could be capable to recreate security incidents and abnormal situations.

4. Functionality. There might be some applications where the sensor nodes do not need to be aware of the Internet.

Example, WSN whose tasks are limited to collect information and answer to user queries not supposed to contact any Internet service without permission.

5. Hardware. A specially controlled sensor node might not be capable to be directly connected to the Internet owing to the memory requirements of the different security mechanisms. 6. Inherent weaknesses. Internet empowered sensor devices are susceptible to countless more diverse types of security attacks, ranging from DoS attacks to exploit attacks.

7. Network redundancy. Among the several nodes, a sensor node might provide same ramification while increasing redundancy, but in TCP/IP network an external node will ask for services to be provided by specific node through their IP address. It results in development of specific mechanism in TCP/IP network to overcome from the exceptional conditions (i. e. unreachable nodes).

8. Protocol optimizations. Most wireless sensor network definite protocols embrace assured mechanisms that permit a network to self-heal itself and to enhance its interior behaviour. After knowing about the different integration approaches, it looks like TCP/IP is one of the efficient way to successfully integrate wireless sensor network with internet. In term of other solution approaches, like a Front-End solution; the nodes can solitary access those services that are implemented in the central system (server). In fact, it is actually extra perplexing to guarantee the safety of WSN that make practice of the TCP/IP solution. But for considering the environmental monitoring Front end solution is the simple, easy and effective way of integration.



For measuring the environmental parameters, the information will be minimized by the base station. The data which is necessary to monitor only direct to the Internet. 1.

5. SECURITY There had been many Hollywood films on how the upcoming will look - and the IoT vision comes close to the Hollywood vision. There is single common theme across both visions: machines become very powerful as a whole within a highly automated society. The question of individual privacy and security within this for the individual becomes additional problematic as the complex chain within which this security has been created is countless and among the links which is weakest that defines the summary of safekeeping of the network. We are provided with IPv6 through which we are capable to connect to billions of data points through IP addresses that will result in a new world - query is will they can all be secured to a level that can ensure individual privacy rights and secure the systems from malicious attacks. In traditional TCP/IP networks, security is built to protect the confidentiality, integrity and availability of network data.

It makes the system reliable and protects the system from malicious attacks which can lead to malfunctioning systems and information disclosure. As the characteristic of node and application, WSN security is a not only need traditional security protection, but also need the special requirements of trust, security and privacy (TSP) WSNs 4. Roughly, these security threats can be categorized as: physical (local) attacks and non-physical (remote) attacks. Physical attacks are executed by attackers which force their way into the physically unprotected thing and effort to negotiate it in different ways 6,

7. 1. 5. 1. Trust, security and privacy management (TSP) Trust, security and  
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privacy in wireless sensor network, completely be determined by the application environment, the protection needed for integrity, availability, confidentiality, non-repudiation, and user privacy.

It supports system integrity, reliability by protecting the system from malicious attacks. WSN requires the nodes to be protected against tampering of nodes, protect the transmission medium and routing in the network layer 3. TSP logging/ audit functions may be required to detect attacks. The Trust, security and privacy issues in WSN includes authentication of sensor nodes, encryption of exchanged data, access control etc.

The TSP requirements of WSN includes node security, key management, crypto algorithms, secure routing, and data aggregation 6. Types of privacy threats: 1. 5. 1. 1. Confidentiality Confidentiality describes the avoidance of revelation of data to unauthorized entities.

We want to achieve confidentiality to prohibit privacy threat and eavesdropping attacks. Please note that an invader can observe communication patterns of a user even if confidentiality is provided by the connection, allowing him to infer private information about the user anyway. This attack is just complicated when confidentiality is provided, but not fully averted. 1.

5. 1. 2. Authenticity Authenticity guarantees that all parties involved in the communication are who they claim they are. 1. 5. 1. 3.

Integrity Integrity is violated if a message can actively be altered during transmission without actuality spotted. If message integrity and authenticity

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is guaranteed, man-in-the-middle attacks can be averted. 1. 5. 1. 4.

Availability Ensuring the survivability of services to parties when needed, even during a DoS attack. 1.

5. 1. 5. Authorization Access to the resources by an authentic entity. 1. 5.

1. 6. Data Freshness It makes sure that no unauthorized node can replay old messages. Similarly recognized as key freshness. All above mentioned services can be attained by means of some of the cryptographic mechanisms such as block ciphers, signature algorithms and hash functions and some non-cryptographic mechanisms, those leads to authorization and other mentioned security policies implementation aspects. In constrained environments such as IoT: So far, the listed safety fears and goals can be applied to arbitrary networks. We, however, are focusing on constrained networks, therefore we need to appearance at the additional consequences that arise in constrained environments.

One additional problem is the minor packet size, which may result in fragmentation of larger packets in security protocols (e. g., a large key exchange message). This may open new attack vectors for state enervation DoS attacks 7. Further, the size and numeral of messages should be minimized to reduce memory requirements and optimize bandwidth usage, while maintaining high security standards.

When reducing or simplifying a security protocol in direction to minimize energy consumption, one must also expect losses in the security quality 8.

An appropriate trade-off must be found for a piece distinct environment.

Another problem is the still existing gap between Internet protocols and the <https://assignbuster.com/wireless-control-distributed-figuring-intrusion-discovery-disaster-management/>

IoT, namely 6LoWPAN and CoAP, due to performance reasons. The differences mentioned can be filled using protocol interpreters at gateways, but that can lead to major disadvantage if end-to-end security methods amongst internet host and IoT devices are implanted. When a message is protected by means of message authentication codes or encryption or both, the protected fragments of the message become immutable. Thus, making rewriting not possible for the translators 7. Figure 1. 4 TSP architecture for WSN's 1.

6. INTERNET OF THINGS The initial idea of IoT was proposed by MIT Auto-ID Labs at the end of 1990's which originated from the requirement of logistics. ITU Internet Reports 20059 indicated that we are in the direction of an omnipresent network civilization, one in which networks and networked devices are everywhere. The notion of "Things" in internet of things has been generalized to ordinary objects at present, and the interconnection technology is also extended to all networking technologies, including RFID (Radio Frequency Identification). 1. 6. 1.

Three important characteristics of IoT. Ordinary objects are instrumented. Define as the customary objects such as chair, food, clothes etc. can be addressed individually using RFID chip, bar code and many more like that. Autonomic terminals are interconnected. It states that the instrumented physical entities are associated as autonomic web Pervasive services are intelligent. A widely interrelated network, here each object participates in the service stream to mark the pervasive service intelligent. For example, the sensor nodes of automobile transport network or human transport

network be able to observe the status of lane or the body of driver to acquire real-time information for guiding driving.

Therefore, Internet of things is a refined wide-ranging inter disciplinary technology, e. g., surrounding multiple ranges such as computer science, infrastructures, microelectronics and sensor technology.

IoT is closely-related to the Internet, mobile communication networks and WSN. Comparing internet of things with WSNs, Internet, omnipresent systems and additional exploration. 1. 6. 2. Purposes of IoT Compared with the traditional information networks, three new goals of IoT, i. e., more widespread interconnection, extra concentrated statistics insight, and additional wide-ranging intellectual services.

IoT ranges the interconnection amongst the information equipment's, such as system and mobile phone, to the interconnection of all intelligent or non-intelligent physical objects. It has the succeeding outstanding characteristics: Richness in the quantity of devices. The quantity of the associated devices will abruptly increase from some billions to over hundreds of billions, containing a multitude of equipment's, sensors, actuators, means of transportation, and devices committed with. Comprehensiveness in the kind of networking devices (networking components) might be powered by the electric power directly or by batteries; the computation and communication capability might be momentarily unlike, e. g., more or less devices even might not have at all computational capability.

Extensiveness in the connection. The devices might be associated in a wired or wireless approach; the communication could be a single hop or multiple  
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hops; the connection can be strong state routing or statistical weak state routing. Thus, in such a hefty scale heterogeneous network, we essentially encounter the challenges of extremely resourceful interconnection of network entities. 1. 7.

**OBJECTIVE OF THE THESIS** When this method was proposed few goals were set, as follows 1. To Analysis of Security Methods and some cryptography algorithm. 2. To study of Network Simulator NS-2/3.

To study about ECSM techniques before implementation in network simulator. 4. Implement ECSM techniques in NS-2. 3. 5. Compare the Existing security and proposed security approach in WSN.

6. Compute the result Delay, PDR, Energy, Throughput. 1. 8. **ORGANIZATION OF THE THESIS** In this chapter we discussed about WSN, IoT, Security level, Objectives of IoT.

Chapter 2 discusses about the literature survey i. e. the work that has already been done in this field. Chapter 3 consists of the tool overview that has been used for implementing the proposed work. Chapter 4 discusses ECSM (proposed work) and implementation. Chapter 5 includes the result and analysis phase, in this we compare the results of the base paper with the implemented technology.