Wireless Health Monitoring System using IOT

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ABSTRACT

Health has prime importance in our day-to-day life. Sound health is necessary to do the daily work properly. This project aims at developing a system which gives body temperature and heart rate using LM35 and pulse sensor respectively. These sensors are interfaced with controller node MCU. Wireless data transmission done by node MCU through wifi module. ESP8266 is used for wireless data transmission on IoT platform. Data visualization is done on Blynk App. So that record of data can be stored over period of time. This data stored on web server so that it can seen to who logged.

Keywords: Health Monitoring System, Controller, Pulse Sensor, Saline, Temperature Sensor, IOT

I. INTRODUCTION

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In traditional method, doctors play an important role in health check up. For this process requires a lot of time for registration, appointment and then check up. Also reports are generated later. Due to this lengthy process working people tend to ignore the checkups or postpone it. This modern approach reduces time consumption in the process.

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Medical scientists are trying in the field of innovation and research since many decades to get better health services and happiness in human lives. Their contribution in medical area is very important to us and cannot be neglected. Today’s automotive structures have the root ideas coming from yesterday’s basics. Also Early detection of chronic diseases can be easy with these technologies. The body temperature, heart rate, blood pressure, saline are prime parameters to diagnose the disease. This
Telemonitoring system via WBAN is evolving for the need for home based mobile health and personalized medicine. WBAN can able to collect the data acquired from sensor and record the output. This output results sent to controller wirelessly to health monitoring system. In this paper, node mcu is used to in WBAN technology due to its guaranteed delay requirement for health telemonitoring system. Node mcu used in the communication. Afef Mdhaffiar, Tarak Chaari, Kaouthar Larbi, Mohamed Jmaiel and Bernd Freisleben has explained low power WAN network to perform analysis of monitored data in health caring system. They have established WAN network for communication upto the range of 33m2 at around 12 m altitude. Also they have demonstrated that power consumed by LoRaWAN network is ten times less than the GPRS/3G/4G. The IOT architecture has been given for step wise working for understanding of IOT. The main purpose of LoRaWAN is the energy consumption. The power consumption in idle mode for LoRaWAN is 2.8mA while in GPRS is 20mA. Hardware cost in LoRaWAN is 10doller while in GPRS is 50 dollar. Maximum data rate in LoRaWAN is 50kbps (uplink), 50 kbps downlink while in GPRS is 86.5 kbps(uplink ,14kbps(downlink).These results gives the overall efficiency of LoRaWAN in the demonstration of IOT for health monitoring system. Ayush Bansal, Sunil Kumar, Anurag Bajpai, Vijay N. Tiwari, Mithun Nayak, Shankar Venkatesan, Rangavittal Narayanan focuses on development of a system which is capable of detecting critical cardiac events. Using an advanced remote monitoring system to detect symptooms which lead to fatal cardiac events Hamid Al-Hamadi and Ing-Ray Chen gives trust based health IOT protocol that considers risk classification, reliability trust, and loss of health probability as design dimensions for decision making. Comparative analysis of trust based protocol and baseline protocols to check feasibility. Muthuraman Thangaraj Pichaiah Punitha Ponmalar Subramanian Anuradha "Digital hospital" term is introduced for hospital management. It enables
automatic electronic medical records in standard. Also discusses with the implemented real world scenario of smart autonomous hospital management with IOT.

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Fig 1: Block diagram of system

Fig 2: Working of system

Fig 2 shows the working flow of system. The results collected from sensor are analyzed i.e. if abnormal behavior has been detected, then emergency plan activated to inform the Doctor about patient’s health. So it reduces critical conditions in Hospital.

B. COMPONENTS

1) Node MCU:
Node MCU is an open source IOT platform. It includes firmware which runs on the ESP8266 WIFI SOC from Express if systems and hardware which is based on the ESP-12 module. Node MCU was created shortly after the ESP8266 came out on December 30, 2013. Espressif systems began production of the ESP8266. The Esp8266 is a wifi soc integrated LX106 core, widely used in IOT applications. ESP8266 board named devkit v0.1. In this 30 pins are there.

2) Temperature Sensor:
LM35 sensor is one of commonly used temperature sensor that can be used to measure temperature with an electrical output comparative to the temperature in (degree centigrade). It can measure temperature more correctly compare with a thermistor. The LM35
has an output voltage that is proportional to the celsius temperature. It is calibrated linearly in Celsius. It has low self heating capability. Also it doesn’t require external calibration. In this 3 pins are there. 

3) Pulse Sensor:
Pulse sensor is designed to give analog output of heart beat when a finger is placed on sensor. It starts working; LED on top side will starts blinking with each heart beat. To see the sensor output, output pin of sensor is connected to NODE MCU controller. The working principle of sensor is based on light modulation by blood flow through nerves at each heart pulse.

| Item                | Specification          |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| Controller          | Operating voltage, digital pins, Flash memory | 5V, 14,32 KB |
| Temperature sensor  | Temperature range, power, output impedance | -55C to 150C, 30V, 0.1W for 1mA load |
| Pulse sensor        | LED, gain, Power Infrared | LED, 10033V |

**Table 2: Specification of System**

4) Wifi Module:
The ESP8266 wifi module is a self contained SOC with incorporated TCP/IP protocol stack that can offer any controller access to wifi network. It uses 802.11 b/g/n protocols. Standby power consumption is less than 0.1mW.

This wifi module already connected in internal Node MCU

➢ IoT Platform:

Use the IOT platform to send data to the cloud from any Internet-enabled device.

You can then configure actions and alerts based on your real-time data and unlock the value of your data through visual tools.

Use the IOT NODE MCU offers a platform for developers that enable them to easily capture sensors data and turn it into useful information.

C. WORKING PRINCIPLE

IOT patient monitoring has sensors. First one is pulse rate sensor, second one is temperature sensor, and saline. This project is very useful since the doctor can monitor patient health parameters just through the BLYNK APP. So now the doctor or family members can monitor or track the patient health through the android app. To operate the system project, you need a wifi connection. This project will not work without a internet connection. The node mcu board continuously reads input from these senses. Then it sends this data to the cloud by sending this data to a particular blynk app. Then this action of sending data to ip is repeated after a particular interval of time. For example in this project, we have sent data after every 30 seconds.

V. RESULTS AND CONCLUSION

![Fig 3: Setup of System](image-url)
Fig 4 shows the Output on Blynk App, pulse sensor and temperature sensor.

Parameters that is temperature and pulse rate is shown online on IOT platform.

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