Tutorial on Raspberry Pi with Sense Hat

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This tutorial is about the configuration and tools of the Raspberry Pi boards that are equipped with a Sense Hat shield. The Raspberry Pi boards that are equipped with a Camera module have different file system and configuration than the ones equipped with a Sense Hat shield, therefore, there is another tutorial for the Raspberry Pi boards equipped with Camera module.

The Raspberry Pi boards equipped with a Sense Hat shield have been configured and installed with the following software which can be called from any location in the file system:

- Raspbian 4.9.2-10
- Maven version 3.2.5
- Java JDK 7 (including JRE)
- Python 2.7.9 and pip
- Raspberry Pi Sense Hat Python Module
- Yotta (build tool for mbed)
- GNU Make version 4.0
- cmake version 3.6.2
- gcc version 4.9.2
- clang version 3.5.0
- ccmake version 3.0.2

The Raspberry Pi has been set with enabled SSH and has the following credentials:

- User name: pi
- Password: tue321

There are two ways to access the Raspberry Pi:

- 1. Directly from the device by connecting the device to a monitor with an HDMI cable and to a keyboard
- 2. Through SSH from a PC/Laptop (if monitor or HDMI cable or keyboard not available)

In this tutorial, we will provide some guides for the following:

- 1. Installing necessary tools on PC
- 2. Using SSH from PC to access the Raspberry Pi
- 3. Testing the Sense Hat shield
- 4. Available tutorials

1 NECESSARY TOOLS ON PC

- 1. Install Sublime Text (<u>https://www.sublimetext.com/</u>) optional
- 2. If using Windows, install Cygwin (with the necessary packages including git, wget, ssh, openssh, curl)

https://cygwin.com/index.html

http://www.davidbaumgold.com/tutorials/set-up-python-windows/

3. Install Nmap for Windows http://nmap.en.lo4d.com/download

2 SSH TO RASPBERRY PI

- 1. Connect Raspberry Pi to the local network using UTP cable
- 2. Run Nmap on PC, search for the Raspberry Pi's IP address by performing quick search on the IP domain of the local network (e.g. Target: 192.168.*.*, Profile: Quick Scan)
- 3. Using Cygwin, connect to the Raspberry Pi with SSH and the following command:
 - a. ssh pi@ip_address
 - b. Password: tue321
- 4. Change the password to a unique password during the assignment, however, change the password back to *"tue321"* when you return the Raspberry Pi at the end of the course. Use the "passwd" command to change the password.
- 5. Create a backup for the file /etc/wpa_supplicant/wpa_supplicant.conf with the following command:

sudo cp wpa_supplicant.conf wpa_supplicant.conf.bak

6. Run the following command to see the SSID of your WiFi connection:

sudo iwlist wlan0 scan

- 7. Set the WiFi SSID and PASSWORD and GROUP on */etc/wpa_supplicant/wpa_supplicant.conf* to be able to connect to the WiFi network
 - a. sudo nano wpa_supplicant.conf
 - b. replace the "SSID" and "PASSWORD" with the local WiFi credentials

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8. Save the file and restart the Raspberry Pi with the following command:

sudo shutdown -r now

9. Raspberry Pi will be connected automatically to the local WiFi the next time it starts

3 TEST THE SENSE HAT SHIELD

Create a test_sense.py file in directory /codes/sense_hat_test as shown in the following picture



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Execute the file as shown below and you should have a running text on the LED matrix of the Sense Hat.



You can find more APIs for the Sense Hat in <u>http://pythonhosted.org/sense-hat/</u>

4 AVAILABLE TUTORIALS

Tutorials for the Internet of Things practical will be made available gradually at http://www.win.tue.nl/~Irahman/iot_2016/tutorial/ . List of provided tutorials include:

- 1. Tutorial for Raspberry Pi with Sense Hat (this document)
- 2. Tutorial for Raspberry Pi with Camera module
- 3. Tutorial for **txThings**, an open source implementation of CoAP in Python.
- 4. Tutorial on **mDNS-SD**, a service discovery protocol
- 5. Tutorial for **Eclipse Leshan**, an open source programming framework for developing LWM2M server and client in Java.
- 6. Tutorial for **Wakaama**, an open source programming framework for developing LWM2M server and client in C.
- 7. Tutorial for **mbed**, a semi open source programming framework for developing LWM2M server and client in C++
- 8. Tutorial for **Paho** and **Mosquitto**, open source implementation of MQTT client and server. Paho is available in several programming language.
- 9. **Protocol description** between the sensor/actuator and the broker, which will be based on the LWM2M and MQTT specification.