

# UPnP Internet of Things

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Security



#### **UPnP IoT solves:**

- Aggregating devices sensor and actuator data in a local network
- Observing and controlling those devices from anywhere agnostic to any platform
- Sharing information on a predefined granularity basis across networks with anyone
- Deciding what, when and with whom to share lies with the owner of the device
- Securing all communication

### Using UPnP infrastructure

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# What is UPnP infrastructure

#### **Existing Open Standards**

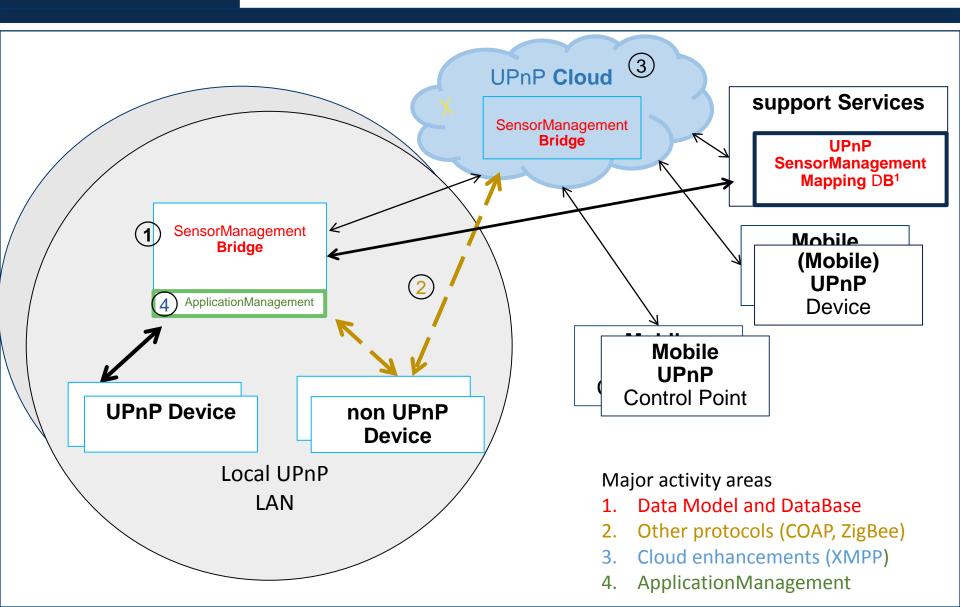
- Billions of deployed devices.
  - Smart TVs, Gateways, Mobile Devices, Game Consoles, PCs
- Existing Device Control Protocols for home automation
  - HVAC, light, security camera, ...
  - Sensor, Device, and Energy Management

#### New Open Standards

- UPnP+
  - UPnP Cloud based on RFC 6120, 6121 [XMPP]
  - IPv6 support
  - ApplicationManagement



#### **UPnP IoT Architecture Overview**





# **Overview Description**

- Multiple local networks are connected to the cloud by means of UPnP Cloud architecture
  - This can include cloud services
- Individual UPnP devices and control points can be connected to the cloud with presence, state, and events shared securely with other local networks
- Ecosystem is easily extended using simple and flexible Data Models
- Data Models can be stored and interacted with via the SensorManagement Database (Service)



# **Component Overview - local**

# Bridging between UPnP and non UPnP devices includes

- Devices sensors/actuators supporting IP
  - For example, HTTP, COAP, REST, XMPP, MQTT
- Devices sensors/actuators on non-IP networks
  - For example, sensor hardware bridging between IP and non-IP networks (ZigBee, Z-Wave, ANT+, Bluetooth, etc)
- Runtime conversion Apps
  - ApplicationManagement (DIAL-like) for conversion



#### SensorManagement Bridge via Apps

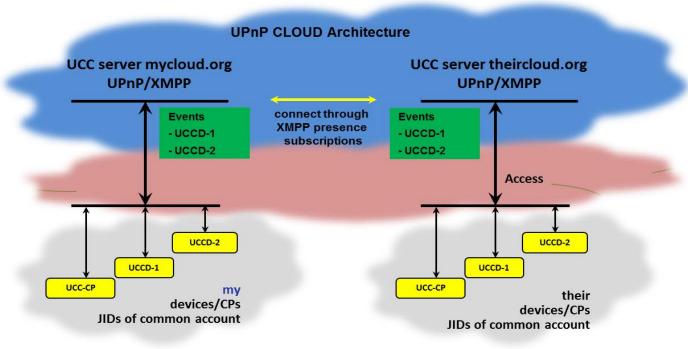
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Runtime								
UPnP SensorManagement		UPnP CP	UPnP AppManagement					
UPnP UCA	UPnl	P DA			Apps - driver		er	
IP					BNx		BNx	

Applications
UPnP DCPs
UPnP infrastructure
Bridged network infrastructure



# UPnP Component overview - cloud

 UPnP Cloud connects UPnP Devices (UCCD) and Control Points (UCC-CP) as XMPP clients via an XMPP server.



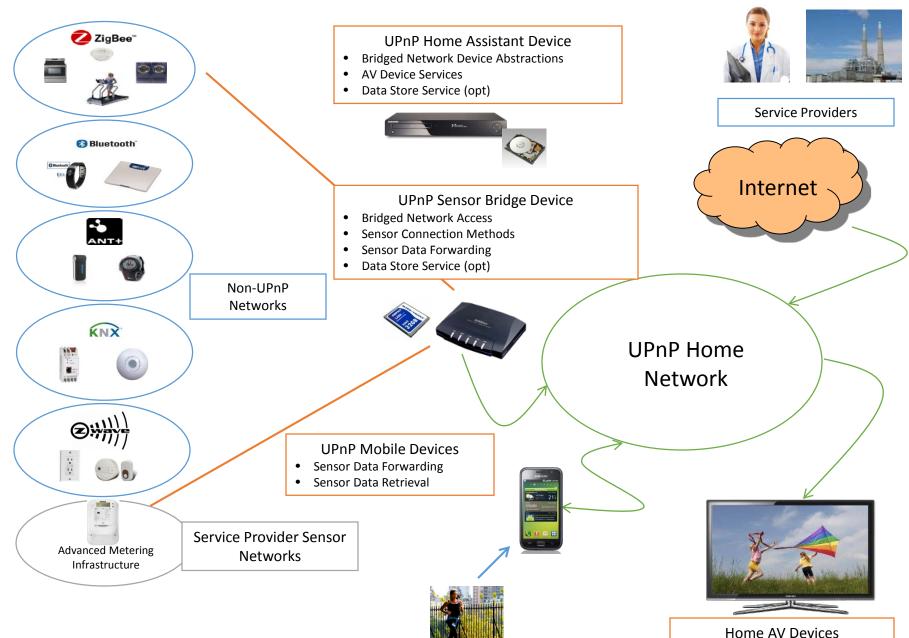
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### **UPnP+ for IoT**

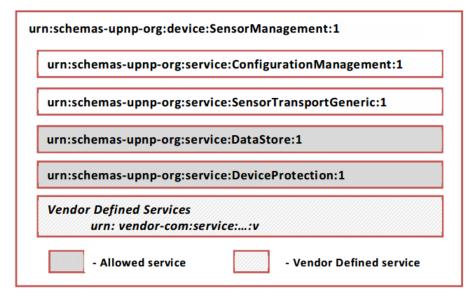
- UPnP+ (incl. UDA 2.0) released in September 2014
- UDA 2.X version in development
- UPnP IoT is adding new protocols and architectural elements
  - In particular, existing APIs are being mapped to REST+JSON
    - SensorManagement is already RESTful, by means of SOAP actions
    - Will have a pure REST interface
  - CoAP is under consideration as one of the protocols for resource constrained devices.

#### **UPnP Sensor Network Infrastructure**





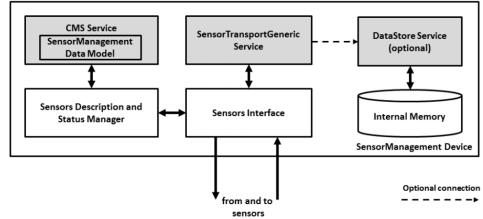
### SensorManagement Overview



SensorManagement is a UPnP Device

- 2 Mandatory Services
  - ConfigurationManagement
     SensorTransportGeneric
- 2 Optional Services
  - DataStore
  - DeviceProtection

Interfaces look like this ->





### SensorManagement Services

#### ConfigurationManagement (with specific Sensor DataModel)

This service enables UPnP clients to access sensors and/or actuators without needing a detailed knowledge of the target sensor or actuator or its connectivity to the UPnP network. Sensors and Actuators are instead treated a generic data sources or sinks.

The UPnP SensorManagement Sensor DataModel service provides a set of uniform Sensor Properties as defined by Annex A, "SensorManagement General Data Model". These properties assist UPnP clients to identify sensors they may be capable of supporting. In addition to uniform Sensor properties described by the General Sensor Data Model, this specification also can reference additional sensor properties which are defined by the Sensor's parent ecosystem.

#### TransportGeneric Service

The SensorTransportGeneric service enables UPnP clients to obtain sensor data without needing to have detailed understanding the operation of a target sensor or the sensor's access network protocols. This service abstracts these notions treating the sensor as a generic data source which defines output record formats. Both HTTP transport and a SOAP-

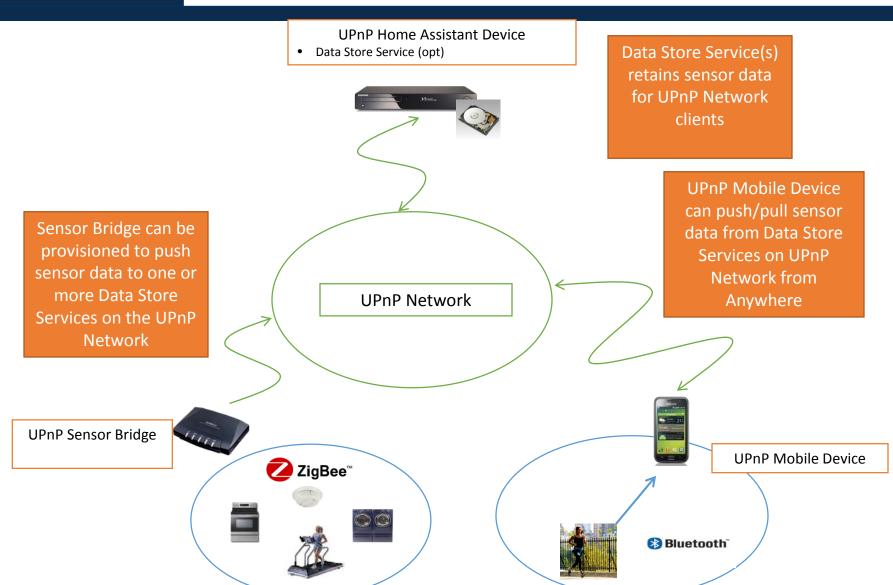
#### DataStore Service

The DataStore service provides the ability to acquire and persistently store information for later access. This service allows UPnP devices such as mobile phones and sensors to make information available for subsequent retrieval. This increase the flexibility of the UPnP ecosystem by eliminating requirements to have an immediate nexus between information sources and sinks on the UPnP network. The <u>DataStore</u> service additionally allows UPnP devices with limited or temporary storage capabilities to persist information for subsequent retrieval. The <u>DataStore</u> service constructs are intended to be modelled after and compatible with well-established database models.

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## Typical UPnP Sensor Use Case





### SensorManagement Data Model

- An IoT Sensor is defined as a set of SensorURNs
- Generic SensorURNs can be used by multiple devices
  - Standard SensorURNs
- Defining a set of sample devices that use those SensorURNs
  - Standard SensorTypes
- Manufacturers can create their own SensorTypes and keep interoperability
  - Just have to use standard SensorURNs
- SensorTypes and SensorURNs are like "interfaces"



### **Naming conventions**

- Sensor URNs (DataItems)
  - List of UPnP defined sensors/actuators (features).
  - Generic list that every device can use
  - Units are defined
- List of standard modelled devices
  - Containing:
    - Mandatory SensorURN (features)
    - Optional SensorURN (features)
    - Vendor defined extensions
- Where a sensor is located

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### **Sources of Models**

- Member companies vendor specific models
- Some popular home devices and bridges
  - HUE, StriimLight, WeMo, ...
- Other SDOs
  - ongoing evaluation based on IPR and accessibility
- Short list of Generic Models and Features
  - UPnP IoT Data Model Task Force



# Sensor Management

- Reuses ConfigurationManagement Service
  - Difference is: modelling of the nodes itself
  - Model described in Annex A.
- Tree list of nodes
- Node describes functionality/behaviour
  - Reference to other node
  - Collection of sensors
  - DataItem
    - Can be an real world sensor/actuator

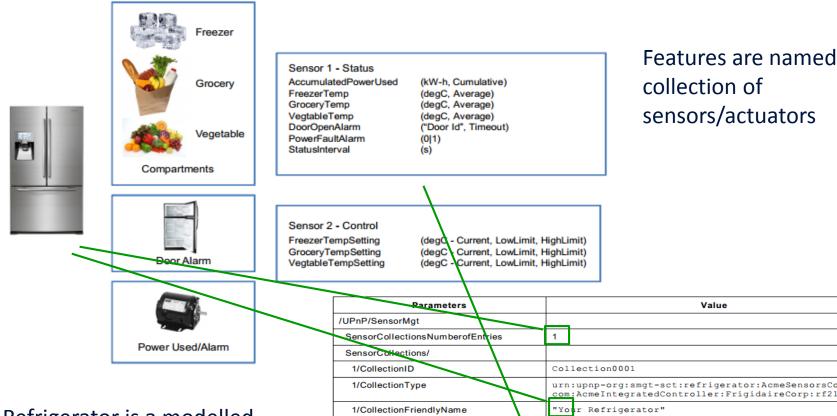


# **Sensor Management**

#### Nodes can be:

- Created
  - CreateInstance()
- Read
  - GetValues()
- Updated
  - SetValues()
- Deleted
  - DeleteInstance()
- Notified
  - Alarming Feature: UPnP state variable event including the node & value of the node

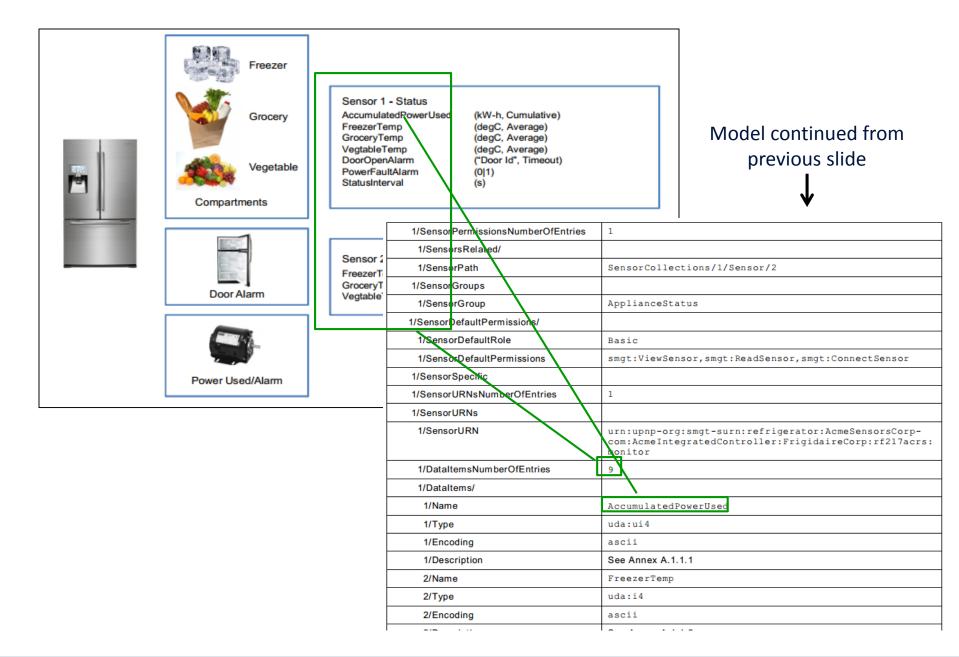
# **DataModel Refrigerator**



Refrigerator is a modelled device – can be generic or specific

Parameters	Value				
/UPnP/SensorMgt					
SensorCollectionsNumberofEntries	1				
SensorCollections/					
1/CollectionID	Collection0001				
1/CollectionType	urn:upnp-org:smgt-sct:refrigerator:AcmeSensorsCorp- com:AcmeIntegratedController:FrigidaireCorp:rf217acrs				
1/CollectionFriendlyName	"Your Refrigerator"				
1/CollectionInformation	"Vendor Refrigerator Model RF217ACRS"				
1/CollectionUniqueIdentifier	"123456789"				
1/CollectionSpecific					
1/SensorsNumberofEntries	2				
1/Sensors/					
1/SensorID	Sensor0001				
1/SensorType	urn:upnp-org:smgt-st:refrigerator:AcmeSensorsCorp- com:AcmeIntegratedController:FrigidaireCorp:rf217acrs: monitor				
1/SensorUpdateRequest	0				
1/SensorPollingInterval	0				
1/SensorReportChangeOnly	0				
1/SensorsRelatedNumberofEntries	1				
1/SensorGroupsNumberofEntries	1				

# DataModel Refrigerator (Cont)





# **UPnP+** security

#### UPnP+ adds security for:

In home by means of UPnP Device Protection

Access to the home is designed from ground up to include security which is incorporated in XMPP.



### **Device Protection**

- Inside the home UPnP specified device protection as a backwards compatible mechanism
- When using device protection unsecured control points still can use the device
- However the functionality is then restricted to "open" actions
- Most actions are profiled so data can be read, but not modified
  - Example: an unsecure control point can browse AV-CDS content, but cannot delete or add content



# **Device Protection (2)**

- Uses TLS with self generated certificates
  - no trust authority involved
- Certificate identification is translated to a user role
  - e.g. admin, super user, regular user, guest,...
- DCPs define user roles they distinguish and the actions each role has access to
- Secured control points therefore use HTTPS for
  - device and service description downloads
  - invocation of actions allowed by their user role
- Hence this communication is secure
  - network traffic can still be observed when unsecured mode is used
- Any control point, including unsecured ones, can still register for events

e.g. see what state the device is in



# **Device Protection (3)**

- WPS based authentication
- Other scenarios described

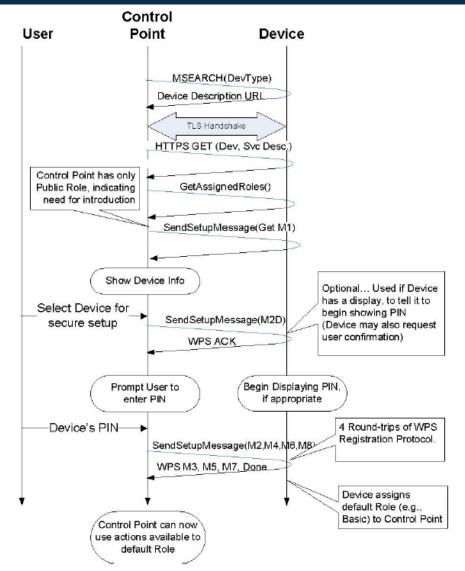


Figure 3-1: Default WPS-based Introduction.



# XMPP security

Remote Access is using XMPP as transport mechanism Using UPnP Cloud means that one needs to log in to XMPP by having an account (JID)

- XMPP is using
  - SASL for authentication
  - TLS for encrypting the link

•UPnP specifications are silent about how you register the device/control point to your account



# Cloud security

 Using UPnP cloud also enables the local network to be more secure

Share information by means of the cloud:

No need to exchange WiFi passwords with visitors

- Create a virtual room, where you can share the TV
- Invite a visitor to that room to use the TV to display pictures

 The visitor can use a guest WiFi network or the 3/4G network on his mobile phone



### Cloud source code

- https://github.com/upnpforum
- UPnP Cloud Device Applications
  - Sample desktop applications implementing UPnP Cloud Architecture (UCA). The repository contains the implementation of the following UPnP devices: DimmableLight, MediaServer, MediaRenderer and a light bulb modelled as a SensorManagement device.
- UPnP Cloud Controller Application for Android
  - Sample Android application capable of controlling several types of network devices connected using UPnP protocol for both local (UDA) and cloud devices (UCA).



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