

Fish Talk: An IoT-Based Mini Aquarium System

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Abstract: Many people feed pet fish in the aquarium tanks that need to be properly set up and maintained, or the fish will be destined to unpleasant and short life. Therefore it is critical to monitor water conditions closely and improve the water quality for the mini aquarium tanks. Based on an IoT solution called IoT Talk, this paper proposes the FishTalk system that utilizes the aquarium sensors to drive the actuators in real time. We describe the relationship between aquarium sensor and the actuators, and give concrete example various water condition. As an example we implement an intelligent fish feeding mechanism such that the fish are neither over nor under fed, and at the same time, the fish owner can enjoy watching fish feeding remotely. We have also developed analytic model, simulation and measurement experiments to investigate the effect of IoT message delays and loss on water condition control.

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1. INTRODUCTION

It is module design with an arduino mega and a lot of I/O for a serious fish tank. Home automation with ESP8266 Wifi module. The project is an automated system to take care of fishes. The maintenance fish aquarium is a very difficult task itself. Whenever you have to clean up your aquarium or you have to feed, you have to do a lot of things. You have to do a lot of things. You have to turn off your aquariums. Power head/air pump and feed manually and turn on. In the current system all equipments such as light, pump, filter, food feeder, temperature sensor etc.

The project with which we come up is a smart aquarium. The project will be more efficient than the system available in market. Nowadays, in addition to the efficiency it will be of lower cost as well the project is an automated system to take care of fish. It will replace the manual maintenance of fish aquarium with its automated functions.

1.1 Aim

The aim for this research is to develop fish feeder to automatically dispense flakes twice a day or more according to user interest every day. The system should also be able to keep the flakes dry and should monitor the total amount of the flakes. The system should be able to send SMS notification to the owner if the flakes amount goes below preset minimum amount. The system should also monitor the overall environment of the aquarium using different sensors and update the user by SMS communications. The aquarium will perform all the steps automatically the temperature control, turbidity level control, water renewal etc. ... The aim of our project is to replace manual maintenance of fish aquarium with an automated system by using IOT.

1.2 Motivation of the Project

Every day there are some new inventions in almost every field, in the world is becoming very fast and automatic because of these inventions day by day. So we have decided very cheap alternative to make the process of maintaining the fish aquarium fully automatic.

1.3 Objectives

To design and develop automatic fish feeder for indoor aquarium. To monitor the environment of the aquarium and update the user by sending SMS. To evaluate the performance of the development mechanism.

The objective of proposed is to design and construct an automatic aquarium for those who cannot take care and keep an eye on their fish possible. The aquarium will perform all the steps automatically like temperature control, automatic feeding, water changing LCD display.

2. LITERATURE SURVEY

Paper 1: Automated aquaculture system that regulates PH, temperature and ammonia.

Change water manually. pH scale is made up of material which does not disturb the solution which are testing.

Paper 2: Smart Water quality Monitoring System.

Power saver. Water maximization. Money saver

Paper 3: Automatic Aquarium Monitoring for the fish farm Aquaculture environment

Maintain oxygen level near saturation or even at slightly super-saturation at all times. It would be much easier to administer in year 2015.

Paper 4: An Embedded Fuzzy Decision System Aquaculture.

Similar to human reasoning. Based on linguistic model. High precision in year 2014.

3. ARCHITECTURE

3.1 Problem Statement / Definition

In large scale aquarium monitoring is done manually. A person may do mistakes due to the human nature. It is difficult to maintain aquarium for working people. Unacceptable changes in the levels of water parameter values affect the life of aquatic animals. This motivated us to build a system which automates the manual work to maintain the aquarium with minimum persons required using internet technology. So we design automatic system that maintains fishes needs like food water impurity, and clearing of aquarium. This project describes a system for the summarization of single and multiple documents. The system produces multi as well as single document summaries using data mining techniques for identifying common terms across the set of documents. For each term, the system identifies

Representative passages that are included in the final summary. Results of our evaluation are also presented.

3.2 Proposed Architecture

We are introducing system, Fish Talk which consist of sensor, Actuator and ESP8266 Wifi Module. In this Fish Talk system, An actuator are connected to ESP8266 Wifi module. The sensors are temperature, level TDS sensor etc.

The actuators are Pump1, Pump2, Passive filter and food feeder.

The actuators To control the dissolved gases and other factors that affect the health of fish etc.

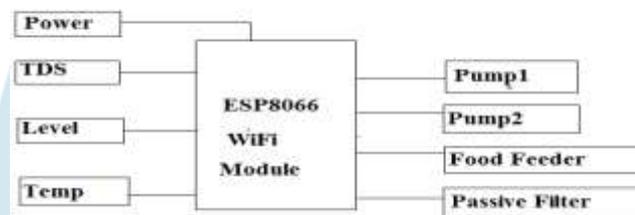


Fig 3.1:Proposed Architecture Diagram

A. TEMPERATUR SENSOR

Temperature sensor measure the amount of heat energy or even coldness that is generated by an object or system. For most fishes, the optimal temperature ranges from 25[°]c to 27[°]c. Extreme changes in temperature are more harmful to fish than constant high or low temperatures. The water temperature also interact with factors such as elevated ammonia and decreased oxygen.

B. FOOD FEEDER

Aquarium fish feeders are electric or electronic devices that are designated to feed aquarium fish at regular intervals. They are often used to feed fish when the aquarist is on vacation or is too busy to maintain a regular feeding schedule.

The automatic feeders can be successfully used to feed fish.

C. TDS SENSOR

TDS meter scan measure all of the organic and inorganic material in molecular form in your water. This include nitrite, KH etc. They are in a molecular form, TDS or total dissolved solids. High concentration of TDS scan reduce water clarity and decrease photosynthesis in aquatic plants. It can also combined with toxic compounds and heavy metals leading to an increase in water temperature. TDS meter to keep track how fast your TDS fluctuates.

D. CARBON DIOXIDE

Fish CO₂ required by these plants to balance the aquarium otherwise algae can quickly take over the tank. It is important to remember CO₂ can cause pH swings the aquarium at carbon dioxide when dissolved in water is acidic. In the same way as garden plants, aquatic plants, need lighting, fertilizers and CO₂. These are essential factors governing the speed of the growth and health. CO₂ is required by these plants to balance the aquarium otherwise algae can quickly take over tank.

E. OXYGEN

Filter go a long way toward increasing oxygen in the water, as because water movement at the surface near oxygen exchange occurs. Filter also move water from the top to the bottom at the tank, thus distributing oxygen throughout.

F. AMMONIA

Free Ammonia is extremely toxic to fish. High ammonia concentration can cause a decrease in blood serum ATP and lead to tissue necrosis. This further increases the energy demands on the gill organism. Ammonia poisoning also occurs if the water is not changed

regularly or if bacterial colonies die off due to a sudden change in water conditions or the use of medications.

CONCLUSION

The Conclusion of this project relationship between aquarium sensors and the actuators. We showed how to intelligently feed the fish through a combined automate and manual control mechanism such that the fish are neither over nor under fed, and at the same time, the fish owner can enjoy watching fish feeding remotely.

Our solution allows the designer to quickly deploy intelligent control for various water conditions. We have developed analytic model, simulation and measurement experiments to investigate the effects of IoT message delays and loss on the water condition control.

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