

Title:

Green and low power Internet of Things

Abstract:

As a potential way to dramatically change how human beings work and live, the Internet of Things (IoT) aims to connect everything (e.g., people, network, consumer electronics, machines) from the physical world to cyber world and allow everything interact with each other (e.g., smart transportation, smart grid, smart cities, etc.). Since the advantages of IoT, it is attracting tremendous attention from the academia, industry and government. As a crucial challenge for IoT, the greenness and low-power consumption should be carefully addressed. Specifically, various things (e.g., sensor devices, mobile phone terminals, cloud computing systems) in IoT are consuming a large amount of energy. Moreover, the connection of things (e.g., RFID network, WSN, GPS network, 5G network) in IoT is with substantial energy consumption. Finally, the interaction of things (e.g., data sensing, data communications, data computing) in IoT needs a lot of energy. In particular, with the prevalence of mobile devices, electronic devices, cameras, social networks, social media, etc., our daily word is generating big data and multimedia big data, which further aggregate the energy demand in terms of the data transmission of IoT.

Scope and Topics:

Therefore, the aim of this workshop is to solicit original papers with novel contributions on the greenness of IoT, from the perspective of energy efficiency. Contributions by the applications of emerging technologies (e.g., social computing, big data computing, fog computing, edge computing, emotional computing, software defined networks) to address the greenness issue of IoT are also welcome. The workshop solicits novel papers on a broad range of topics, including but not limited to:

- ✧ Energy-efficient sensing for green IoT
- ✧ Energy-efficient cloud computing for green IoT
- ✧ Energy-efficient RFID for green IoT
- ✧ Energy-efficient 5G for green IoT
- ✧ Energy-efficient communication for green IoT
- ✧ Energy-efficient data center for green IoT
- ✧ Energy-efficient cyber-physical systems for green IoT
- ✧ Social computing for green IoT
- ✧ Big data computing for green IoT
- ✧ Fog computing for green IoT
- ✧ Edge computing for green IoT
- ✧ Emotional computing for green IoT
- ✧ Software-defined networks for green IoT
- ✧ Middleware for green IoT

- ✧ energy-efficient backscatter communications
- ✧ Testbeds for green IoT
- ✧ Green wireless sensor networks architectures and communication protocols
- ✧ Data gathering, fusion, and dissemination in Green WSNs
- ✧ Multimedia over sensor networks
- ✧ Smart cities and smart environment
- ✧ Cooperative communication
- ✧ Relaying techniques
- ✧ Novel applications for green IoT

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