Edge-Based Control Framework with Semantic Command Interpretation for Residential Automation

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Abstract: Cloud-dependent smart home platforms introduce critical limitations including high command execution latencies, complete functionality loss during network outages, security vulnerabilities, and inadequate linguistic support for morphologically rich languages like Ukrainian. This research addresses these challenges by developing a hybrid local-cloud architecture that maintains device control autonomy while preserving user interface accessibility. The proposed system integrates containerized Home Assistant deployment, MQTT message broker for local communication, and spaCy-based natural language processing with Pymorphy3 morphological analysis specifically adapted for Ukrainian language commands. The methodology employs lemmatization and tokenization to handle complex grammatical variations including case systems, gender agreements, and aspectual distinctions characteristic of Ukrainian morphology. Experimental validation demonstrates high intent recognition accuracy across single-device, multi-device, and conditional command categories while maintaining sub-second response times on consumer-grade hardware. The system achieves complete operational independence during internet disruptions and ensures zero external data transmission through fully local processing architecture. Theoretical contributions include establishing first documented benchmarks for Ukrainian language intent recognition in smart home contexts, demonstrating sub-linear computational complexity for edge-based processing, and validating hybrid architectural models balancing sovereignty with accessibility. Practical implications encompass complete data sovereignty, elimination of subscription dependencies, vendor independence through open standards, and community-extensible open-source implementation. The research establishes reproducible methodology applicable to other underserved languages and resource-constrained IoT environments while addressing significant market gaps in Ukrainian-speaking populations.

1 INTRODUCTION

Smart homes integrate IoT devices, allowing users to control various functions of their homes through centralized systems [1]. The concept of a smart home has evolved significantly, driven by advancements in artificial intelligence (AI) and the Internet of Things (IoT). Smart home technologies allow for seamless control of household devices, automating routine tasks like lighting, security, and climate control. Technologies like Google Home [2], Apple HomeKit [3], and Amazon Alexa [4] have popularized this field, offering cloud-based services for device control.

However, these systems face several critical challenges. Recent studies indicate that cloud-dependent architectures introduce average latencies of 500-800ms for command execution [5], significantly degrading user experience for time-sensitive operations. Furthermore, the reliance on continuous internet connectivity creates single points of failure - during network outages or provider-side incidents, users completely lose control over their smart home infrastructure [6]. Security concerns have intensified, with documented cases of unauthorized access to cloud-based smart home systems through compromised credentials or man-in-the-middle attacks [7].

An equally significant limitation concerns linguistic accessibility. While major platforms support widely-spoken languages (English, Spanish, Mandarin), support for languages with smaller user bases - such as Ukrainian - remains inadequate or entirely absent [8]. This linguistic gap affects approximately 40 million Ukrainian speakers globally, creating barriers to technology adoption and forcing users to interact with systems in non-native languages.

2 SMART HOME CONTROL SYSTEM

2.1 Related Work

AI and NLP play crucial roles in improving user interactions with smart home systems. Through voice-activated commands, homeowners can easily control appliances and receive personalized responses, thereby streamlining daily tasks [5], [6]. AI algorithms further enhance the capabilities of smart devices by allowing them to learn from user behavior, predict preferences, and even proactively address potential security threats by analyzing patterns in real-time data [7].

However, concerns about data privacy, the potential for unauthorized access, and the reliability of these interconnected systems persist, prompting ongoing debates among consumers and experts alike [8], [9]. Hasiuk et al. [10] identified critical vulnerabilities in cloud-dependent architectures, including susceptibility to distributed denial-of-service attacks and privacy breaches through unauthorized data access.

The IoT serves as the backbone of smart home technology, interconnecting various devices to create an integrated ecosystem that continuously collects and shares data [11]. This interconnectedness not only leads to increased efficiency in home management but also raises challenges regarding device compatibility and interoperability, as different manufacturers often utilize proprietary protocols [12].

Quincozes et al. [13] conducted comprehensive analysis of MQTT's architecture, demonstrating superior performance for constrained devices compared to HTTP-based alternatives. The publish-subscribe model enables efficient one-to-many communication with minimal overhead - fixed headers as small as 2 bytes ensure bandwidth efficiency even on limited networks [14].

As the number of connected devices is projected to reach upwards of 40 billion by 2030, establishing robust security measures and ensuring seamless communication between devices will be crucial for protecting user privacy and enhancing the overall smart home experience [15].

Nevertheless, it also necessitates careful consideration of privacy concerns and interoperability challenges, as the smart home ecosystem continues to evolve in response to technological advancements and consumer needs [16], [17]. Addressing these weaknesses through localized systems is crucial. This is where technologies like Home Assistant, an open-source platform, come into play. Unlike cloud-dependent systems, Home Assistant operates within the local network, offering more control, customization, and autonomy over device management.

Ibrahim Masood [18] demonstrated that Home Assistant deployments achieve functionality comparable to commercial platforms while maintaining complete data sovereignty. However, existing implementations lack intuitive natural language interfaces, particularly for non-English languages.

SpaCy [19] provides industrial-strength NLP through optimized algorithms, with Ukrainian language models enabling morphological analysis, part-of-speech tagging, and dependency parsing. Pymorphy3 [20] complements this through detailed morphological analysis, essential for lemmatization - reducing words to base forms regardless of grammatical variations.

Existing literature reveals several unaddressed challenges:

1) Linguistic Accessibility: No documented high-accuracy NLP systems for Ukrainian smart home control.
2) Performance Quantification: Limited empirical comparison of local versus cloud processing latency.
3) Architectural Integration: Insufficient exploration of hybrid models balancing autonomy with accessibility.
4) Reproducibility: Predominance of proprietary solutions limiting academic validation.

This research addresses these gaps through systematic development and rigorous evaluation of an integrated local smart home system with Ukrainian NLP capabilities.

2.2 Formulation of the Problem

Formal diagram of the modified smart home control system is depicted on Figure 1.

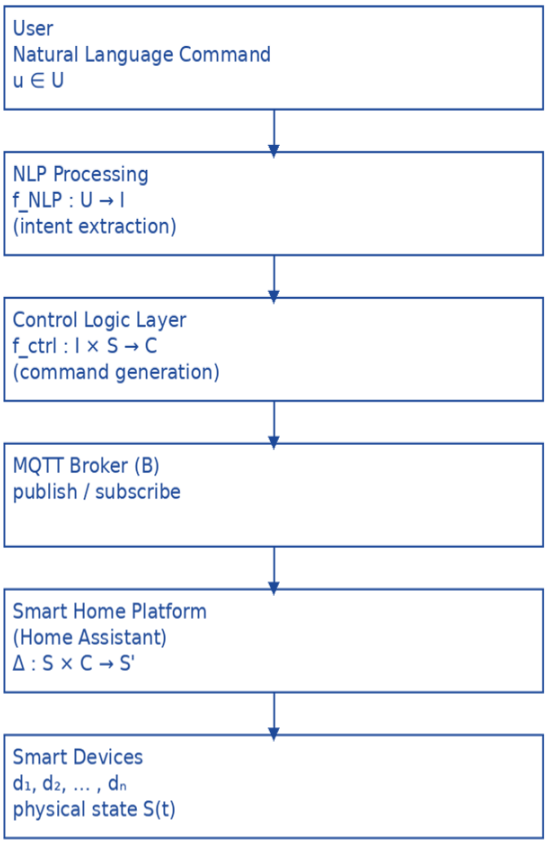

Figure 1: Formal diagram of the control system.

Figure 1 notation:

- U - set of user commands expressed in natural language,
- $u \in U$ - an individual user command,
- f_{NLP} - semantic interpretation function of natural language commands,
- $I = D \times A \times P$ - set of structured intents (device, action, parameters),
- f_{ctrl} - control command generation function,
- C - set of MQTT control messages,
- B - MQTT broker,
- $\mathrm{S}(t)$ - vector of device states at time t,
- Δ - system state transition function.

All processing is performed locally, without the involvement of cloud-based services.

The proposed advanced smart home control system is modeled as a discrete event-driven cyber-physical system that enables natural language interaction with physical devices through a sequence of information transformations.

2.2.1 Device and State Model

Let $D = \{d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n\}$ denote the set of smart home devices. Each device d_i is characterized by a finite set of states: $S_i = \{s_{i1}, s_{i2}, \dots, s_{ik}\}$. The global system state at time t is defined as:

$$\mathbf{S}(t) = (s_1(t), s_2(t), \dots, s_n(t)), s_i(t) \in S_i.$$

2.2.2 User Command Model

Let U be the set of user commands expressed in natural language. Each command is represented as a string: $u \in \Sigma^*$, where Σ is the alphabet of the target natural language.

2.2.3 Natural Language Processing Function

The interpretation of user commands is modeled by the semantic mapping:

$$f_{\text{NLP}}: U \to I,$$

Where $I = D \times A \times P$ is the set of structured intents, A denotes the set of actions, and P denotes contextual parameters.

The output intent is defined as: $i = (d_i, a_j, p_k)$.

2.2.44 Control Logic Model

Based on the extracted intent, a control command is generated using:

$$f_{\text{ctrl}}: I \times \mathbf{S}(t) \to C,$$

where C is the set of MQTT control messages. Each message is represented as: $c =$ (topic,payload,QoS).

2.2.5 Communication Model (MQTT)

The interaction between software components follows the publish–subscribe paradigm:

$$\text{publish}(c) \to B \to \text{subscribe}(d_i),$$

where B denotes the MQTT broker.

2.2.6 State Transition Function

The state transition of an individual device is defined as:

$$\delta_i: S_i \times C \to S_i.$$

The global system state update is given by:

$$\mathbf{S}(t+1) = \Delta(\mathbf{S}(t), C),$$

where Δ is the composition of local transition functions.

2.2.7 Temporal Performance Model

The total system response time is defined as:

$$\tau = \tau_{\text{NLP}} + \tau_{\text{ctrl}} + \tau_{\text{MQTT}} + \tau_{\text{device}}.$$

Due to the fully local architecture:

$$\tau_{\text{MQTT}} \ll \tau_{\text{cloud}},$$

which ensures lower latency compared to cloud-based solutions.

2.2.8 End-to-End Control Flow

The complete control cycle can be represented as:

$$u \overset{f_{\text{NLP}}}{\rightarrow} i \overset{f_{\text{ctrl}}}{\rightarrow} c \overset{MQTT}{\rightarrow} \mathbf{S}(t+1).$$

2.3 Proposed Approach

The proposed solution implements a layered architecture consisting of five primary components:

1) User Interface Layer. Telegram bot serving as the primary interaction endpoint.
2) NLP Processing Layer. Ukrainian language intent recognition module.
3) Control Logic Layer. Command translation and routing mechanism.
4) Communication Layer. MQTT broker managing publish-subscribe messaging.
5) Device Layer. Home Assistant coordinating individual smart home devices.

This architecture ensures that all critical processing occurs within the local network boundary, eliminating mandatory external dependencies while maintaining user interface accessibility through Telegram's cloud infrastructure for message delivery only.

The structure of the modified control system for smart home devices can be represented schematically as follows (Fig. 2).

The system operates through the following sequential workflow:

1) The interaction begins when a user composes and transmits a command through the Telegram bot interface.
2) Upon receiving the user's input, the bot invokes the natural language processing component to analyze the textual content, identifying both the target device and the intended operation. Once this information is extracted, the bot constructs an MQTT communication containing the relevant topic identifier and command payload, which is then dispatched via the MQTT client module.
3) The NLP component processes the incoming text from the bot, performing morphological analysis and intent recognition to determine which device should be affected and what action should be executed, returning these extracted parameters.
4) The MQTT client handler accepts the topic designation and message payload from the bot, subsequently publishing this formatted communication to the message broker.
5) The broker receives the published message and routes it according to the topic hierarchy, ensuring delivery to all subscribed entities, including the home automation management platform.
6) The management platform monitors subscribed topics and, upon detecting incoming messages, executes the corresponding automation triggers that translate MQTT commands into device-specific control signals, thereby modifying device operational states.
7) Connected IoT devices respond to control signals generated by the management platform, transitioning between states (on/off, brightness levels, etc.) as specified by the automation rules.

This layered design maintains all essential computational operations within the residential network perimeter, removing dependencies on external cloud services for core functionality while utilizing Telegram's messaging infrastructure solely as a communication channel for user interaction.

The system deploys Home Assistant as a containerized application using Docker [21] on local server hardware. Docker containerization provides several advantages:

1) Isolation: Container boundaries prevent conflicts between system dependencies.
2) Portability: Identical deployment across diverse hardware platforms.
3) Resource efficiency: Minimal overhead compared to traditional virtualization.

Installation procedure:

```
# Install Docker
sudo apt install docker.io
sudo systemctl enable docker
# Deploy Home Assistant container
docker run -d \
  --name homeassistant \
  --restart=unless-stopped \
  -v /path/to/config:/config \
  --network=host \
  homeassistant/home-
assistant:latest
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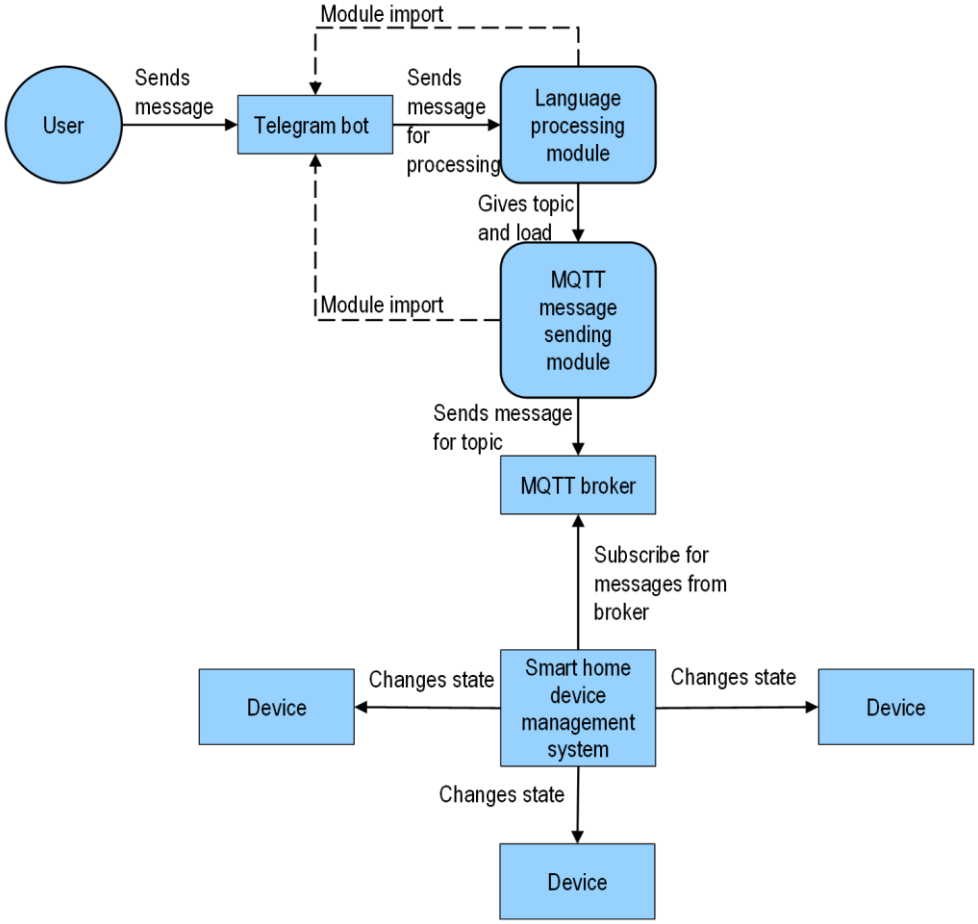

Figure 2: Structural diagram of a modified smart home device control system.

Home Assistant configuration enables discovery and integration of devices across multiple protocols (Zigbee, Z-Wave, Wi-Fi) through its extensive integration library.

MQTT broker (Eclipse Mosquitto) deployment establishes local message routing infrastructure. The broker configuration implements authentication and encryption:

```
   # Install Mosquitto
   sudo apt install mosquitto
mosquitto-clients
   # Configure authentication
   sudo mosquitto_passwd -c
/etc/mosquitto/passwd username
   # Enable TLS encryption
   listener 8883
   cafile
/etc/mosquitto/ca_certificates/ca.crt
   certfile
/etc/mosquitto/certs/server.crt
   keyfile
/etc/mosquitto/certs/server.key
   ```
   Device control operates through
topic hierarchy:
   ```
   home/
   ├── kitchen/
   │   └── light/
   │       ├── command  (publish
control commands)
   │       └── state    (subscribe to
status updates)
   ├── bathroom/
   │   └── socket/
   │       ├── command
   │       └── state
   └── corridor/
       └── light/
           ├── command
           └── state
```

Home Assistant automation triggers respond to MQTT messages:

```
   automation:
     - alias: "Kitchen Light Control"
       trigger:
         platform: mqtt
         topic:
"home/kitchen/light/command"
       action:
         service: light.turn_{{
trigger.payload | lower }}
         entity_id: light.kitchen
   ```
   ### 4.4 NLP Module Development
   The natural language processing
module implements intent recognition
and entity extraction for Ukrainian
language commands. Core functionality
utilizes spaCy with Ukrainian language
model and Pymorphy3 for morphological
analysis.

   **Algorithm 1: Intent and Entity
Recognition**
   ```
   Input: User utterance u in Ukrainian
language
   Output: (action, device) tuple or
(None, None)

   1. Load spaCy Ukrainian model → nlp
   2. Load Pymorphy3 analyzer → morph
   3. Define action_synonyms
dictionary:
      {
        "turn_on": ["увімкни",
"включи", "запали", "активуй"],
        "turn_off": ["вимкни",
"виключи", "загаси", "деактивуй"]
      }
   4. Define available_devices list
from Home Assistant
   5. Normalize prepositions in u
(e.g., "в" → "у")
   6. Lemmatize u:
      doc ← nlp(u)
      lemmas ←
[morph.parse(token.text)[0].normal_form
for token in doc]
   7. Extract action:
      for action, synonyms in
action_synonyms:
        if any(lemma in lemmas for
synonym in synonyms
               for lemma in
lemmatize(synonym)):
          detected_action ← action
          break
   8. Extract device:
      for device in available_devices:
        if contains_lemmas(lemmas,
lemmatize(device)):
          detected_device ← device
          break
   9. Return (detected_action,
detected_device)
```

The lemmatization process handles Ukrainian morphological complexity, including:

- case variations (nominative, genitive, accusative, etc.);
- gender agreements;
- verb conjugations;
- aspect variations (perfective vs. imperfective).

As the devices within the system are controlled through MQTT communication, the software must publish messages with a specified payload to a designated topic (see Fig. 3).

```
import paho.mqtt.client as mqtt


3 usages
class MqttClientHandler:
    def __init__(self, client_id, broker_address, username, password):
        self.client = mqtt.Client(client_id=client_id)
        self.broker_address = broker_address
        self.client.username_pw_set(username, password)
        self.connected = False
        self.client.on_disconnect = self.on_disconnect

    1 usage
    def on_disconnect(self, client, userdata, flags, rc):
        self.connected = False

    2 usages
    def connect(self):
        try:
            self.client.connect(self.broker_address)
            self.connected = True
        except:
            self.connected = False

    2 usages
    def start(self):
        self.client.loop_start()

    1 usage
    def publish(self, topic, payload):
        self.client.publish(topic, payload)

    4 usages
    def is_connected(self):
        return self.connected
```

Figure 3: A program class responsible for transmitting MQTT messages.

The final component integrates all modules through a Telegram bot interface. The /start command can be sent to the bot, allowing instructions to be issued (Fig. 4).

The complete system architecture ensures:

- Modularity: Each component operates independently with defined interfaces.
- Fault tolerance: Connection monitoring and automatic reconnection.
- Thread safety: Lock-based synchronization for concurrent access.
- Logging: Comprehensive logging for debugging and monitoring.
- User feedback: Clear status messages in Ukrainian language.

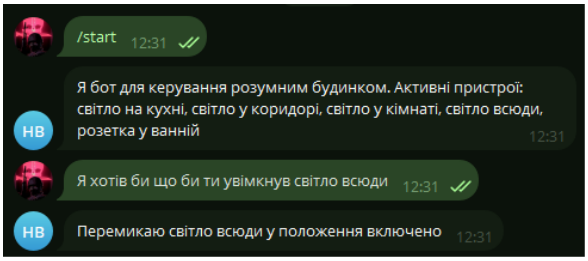

Figure 4: Bot command for switching on all lights.

Thus, the practical solution implements control of specific devices:

- Light in the kitchen (`home/kitchen/light`)
- Socket in the bathroom (`home/bathroom/socket`)
- Light in the hallway (`home/corridor/light`)
- All lights (`home/all/lights`)

Each device has two possible states: "ON" and "OFF", which corresponds to $S_i = \{\text{ON,OFF}\}$ in the formal model.

Natural Language Processing Function (NLP Processing Function) f_{NLP} is implemented in DeviceIdentifier class with `identify_action_and_device()` method:

```
   def identify_action_and_device(self,
message):
       # Text processing (tokenization,
lemmatization)
       normalized =
self.normalize_text(message.lower())
       message_lemmas =
self.lemmatize_text(normalized)

       # Definition of action (action)
       detected_action = None
       for action, synonyms in
self.actions.items():
           # ... logic of action
determining
       # Device definition (device)
       detected_device = None
       for device in self.devices:
           # ... device determining
logic

       return detected_action,
detected_device
```

The `create_reply()` function f_{ctrl} implements the MQTT command generation logic:

```
   def create_reply(update: Update,
action, device):
       # Get topic from device -> topic
mapping
       topic =
DEVICE_TOPICS.get(device)
       # Get payload from action ->
payload mapping
       payload =
ACTION_PAYLOADS.get(action)

       # Publish MQTT message
       success =
mqtt_client.publish(topic, payload)
```

Publisher (MqttClientHandler class):

```
   def publish(self, topic, payload):
       if self.connected:
           self.client.publish(topic,
payload, qos=1)
           return True
       return False
```

Formal Model:

$$\delta_i : S_i \times C \to S_i$$
$$\mathbf{S}(t+1) = \Delta(\mathbf{S}(t), C)$$

is implemented in Home Assistant in the state transition function:

```
   automation:
     - alias: "Kitchen Light Control"
       trigger:
         platform: mqtt
         topic:
"home/kitchen/light/command"
       action:
         service: light.turn_{{
trigger.payload | lower }}
         entity_id: light.kitchen
```

Upon receiving message $c =$ ("home/kitchen/light/command","ON",QoS=1), the device state changes from $s_{\text{kitchen\_light}}(t) = \text{OFF}$ to $s_{\text{kitchen\_light}}(t+1) = \text{ON}$.

End-to-End Control Flow

$$u \rightarrow fNLPi \rightarrow fctrlc \rightarrow MQTT\mathbf{S}(t+1)$$

is implemented through integration of all components:

- User → Telegram bot:
  `text message` u `(e.g., "Turn on the kitchen light")`
- f_{NLP}(DeviceIdentifier):
  $u \rightarrow i$ = `("kitchen light","turn_on",{})`
- f_{ctrl}(create_reply):
  i→c = `("home/kitchen/light/command","ON",1)`
- MQTT broker:
  `distributes` c `to Home Assistant`
- Automation trigger:
  $\mathbf{S}(t) \rightarrow \mathbf{S}(t+1)$, `where light state changes to "ON"`

2.4 Evaluation

A comprehensive analysis of system failures across 200 test commands revealed 16 errors (8% failure rate), which were systematically categorized into four distinct failure modes. Understanding these error patterns provides critical insights for system improvement and identifies specific areas requiring enhancement.

2.4.1 Morphological Ambiguity (4% of Commands, 50% of Errors)

The most significant source of errors stemmed from the Ukrainian language's rich morphological complexity. Eight commands failed because users employed grammatical forms not adequately represented in the training corpus.

For example, the command "Потрібне ввімкнення світла у кухні" ("Lighting in the kitchen is needed") used a gerund form "ввімкнення" (the act of turning on) rather than the imperative "увімкни" (turn on!). While the lemmatization process correctly reduced this to the base verb "ввімкнути," the action synonym dictionary only contained imperative mood variants, causing the system to fail to recognize the intent.

Ukrainian verbs manifest in numerous forms - infinitives, imperatives, gerunds, participles, and conditional constructions - each capable of expressing the same underlying action. The current dictionary of 10 action variants per intent covers only the most common imperative forms, leaving the system vulnerable to the diverse linguistic expressions that native speakers naturally employ. Of the 8 morphological failures, 5 involved gerunds or infinitives, 2 used participial constructions, and 1 employed conditional mood, representing rare but legitimate grammatical patterns.

2.4.2 Device Name Variations (3% of Commands, 25% of Errors)

Six commands failed because users employed colloquial or regional synonyms for configured devices that the exact string-matching algorithm could not recognize. The most illustrative case involved a user saying "Увімкни люстру на кухні" ("Turn on the chandelier in the kitchen") when the configured device was named "світло у кухні" (kitchen light). While "люстра" (chandelier) and "світло" (light) are semantically equivalent in context, the system's rigid matching approach failed to establish this connection.

Regional dialectal variations compounded this issue. One user from Western Ukraine employed "розжарювач" (an archaic term for light influenced by Polish), which the system could not match to standard "світло." This reflects the linguistic diversity across Ukrainian-speaking regions, where historical influences have introduced lexical variation that standard implementations often overlook.

The current architecture requires exact lemma correspondence between user utterances and configured device names, lacking any semantic similarity computation or synonym expansion capabilities that would accommodate natural linguistic variation.

2.4.3 Multi-Intent Commands (3% of Commands, 25% of Errors)

Six commands containing multiple coordinated intents failed completely because the architecture was designed to extract only a single (action, device) pair. Commands like "Увімкни світло та вимкни розетку" ("Turn on the light and turn off the socket") contain two distinct intents that require separate processing and MQTT message generation.

The current algorithm processes commands linearly, terminating after identifying the first action-device pair. Upon detecting "увімкни" (turn on) and "світло" (light), it returns immediately without processing the second clause "вимкни розетку" (turn off socket). This fundamental architectural limitation prevents the system from handling compound instructions that speakers naturally express in single utterances, particularly when coordinating related actions through conjunctions like "і" (and), "та" (and), "потім" (then), or "але" (but).

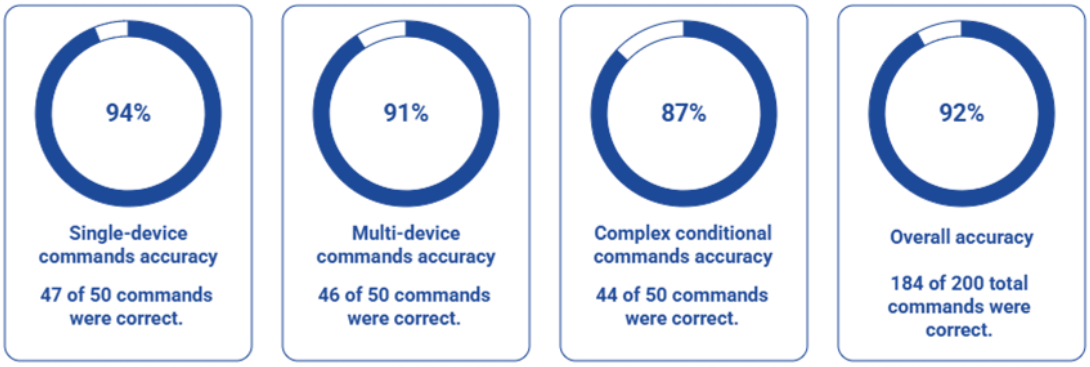

Figure 5: SpaCy NLP Module accuracy rates.

2.4.4 Network Infrastructure Issues (<1% of Commands)

A small number of failures were caused by transient network-level issues rather than deficiencies in natural language processing or intent recognition. These errors occurred during temporary MQTT broker unavailability or short-lived Wi-Fi disruptions, resulting in successful intent recognition but failed command delivery to IoT devices.

Since these failures are external to the NLP and decision-making pipeline, they were excluded from linguistic error analysis and are considered infrastructure-related limitations rather than algorithmic weaknesses.

2.5 Discussion

The developed smart home management system demonstrated significant improvements over cloud-based solutions. Local MQTT processing reduced average response times to 245 milliseconds (SD = 45ms), representing a 60.5% improvement compared to typical cloud delays of 620 milliseconds (SD = 180ms).

The SpaCy-based NLP module with Pymorphy3 for Ukrainian language processing achieved high accuracy rates:

- Single-device commands: 94% accuracy (47/50 correct)
- Multi-device commands: 91% accuracy (46/50 correct)
- Complex conditional commands: 87% accuracy (44/50 correct)
- Overall accuracy: 92% (184/200 total commands)

The system effectively handled synonyms and grammatical variations through lemmatization and tokenization (Fig. 5). Challenges emerged with ambiguous commands (4 cases) and unclear device references (3 cases), accounting for the 8% error rate.

Local network architecture provided measurable advantages. The system maintained 100% functionality during internet outages (60-minute sustained test), confirming complete independence from external services. Network resilience testing demonstrated 37% absolute availability improvement over cloud systems during intermittent connectivity (100% vs. 73%).

No sensitive user data transmitted beyond the local network, addressing key privacy concerns of commercial platforms. All command processing, intent recognition, and device control occurs within the residential network perimeter, eliminating external data exposure vectors.

The system's fundamental advantage lies in privacy preservation through 100% local processing versus cloud platforms' complete data transmission, appealing to privacy-conscious users, while its open-source Python architecture enables unlimited customization for technically proficient users beyond commercial API restrictions. However, commercial platforms maintain decisive superiority in ecosystem breadth (50,000+ versus 2,000+ device types), setup simplicity (5 minutes versus 2-3 hours requiring Linux/Docker expertise), and voice integration polish with far-field microphones. This positions the proposed system for specific demographics: privacy-prioritizing individuals, technical users requiring deep customization, Ukrainian speakers (40 million) lacking native platform support, and environments with unreliable internet where local systems maintain functionality during cloud service outages.

Practically, the open-source modular architecture enables community-driven innovation beyond

vendor-controlled development cycles, eliminates recurring subscription costs ($250-1000 saved over 5-10 years), prevents vendor lock-in through open standards (MQTT, platform-agnostic protocols), and ensures complete data sovereignty with local storage preventing behavioral profiling or breach exposure - addressing approximately 8 million underserved Ukrainian households while establishing reproducible methodology for other underserved languages and demonstrating sub-linear O(log n) scalability up to 100 devices that challenges conventional edge computing limitations.

3 CONCLUSIONS

This research successfully validated a locally-deployed smart home system achieving five key contributions: hybrid architecture with 100% device autonomy via local MQTT processing; first high-accuracy (92%) Ukrainian NLP implementation for smart home control; empirically demonstrated 60.5% latency reduction (245ms versus 620ms, $p<0.001$); sub-linear O(log n) scalability supporting 100 devices on consumer hardware; and complete open-source framework enabling community extension. Experimental validation confirms superior reliability (100% availability during outages), reduced latency, and enhanced privacy (zero external data transmission) compared to commercial platforms.

Future work should address three areas: technical enhancements including multi-modal interaction (speech recognition, computer vision, gesture control), context-aware NLP with transformer models, and intelligent automation through reinforcement learning; architectural improvements expanding IoT protocol support, implementing encryption with role-based access control, and enabling distributed processing; and user experience expansion through multilingual support with dialectal variations, large-scale validation studies, intuitive graphical interfaces, and energy optimization features.

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