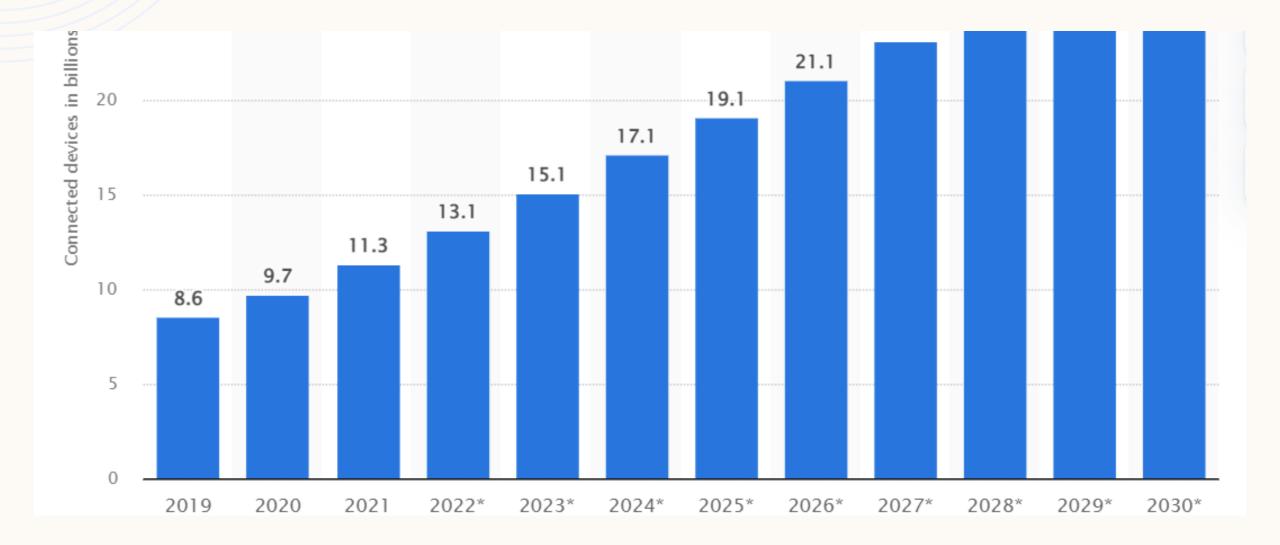
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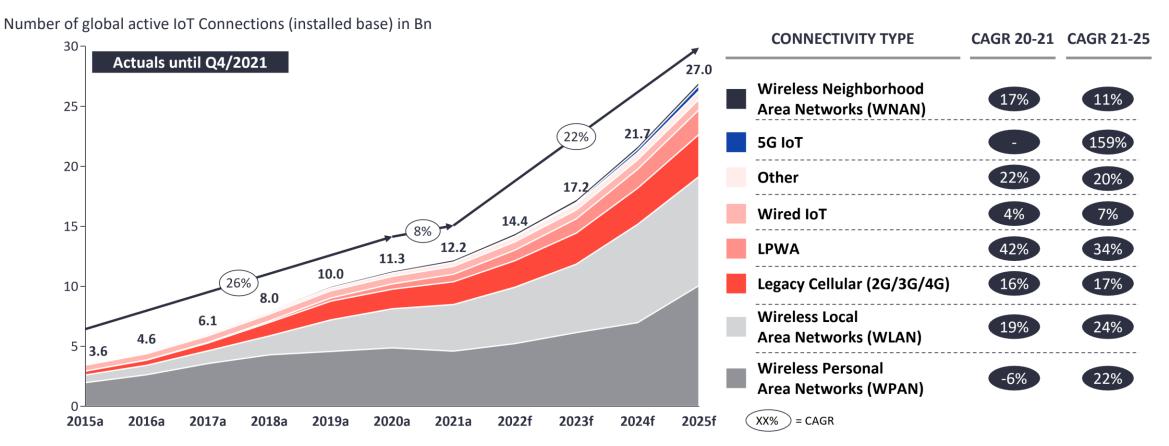
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- LPWAN networks.
- Sigfox Connectivity In Kenya
- Converging into Sigfox.
- Choosing cloud platforms.
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#### WHY IOT?





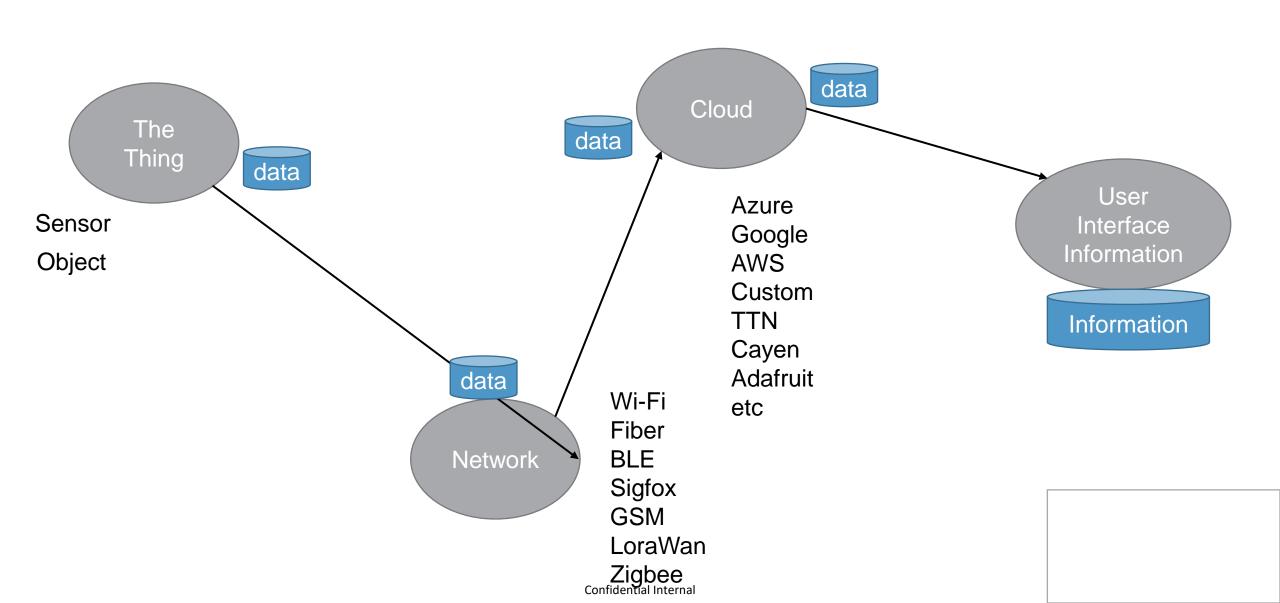
#### Global IoT Market Forecast [in billion connected IoT devices]



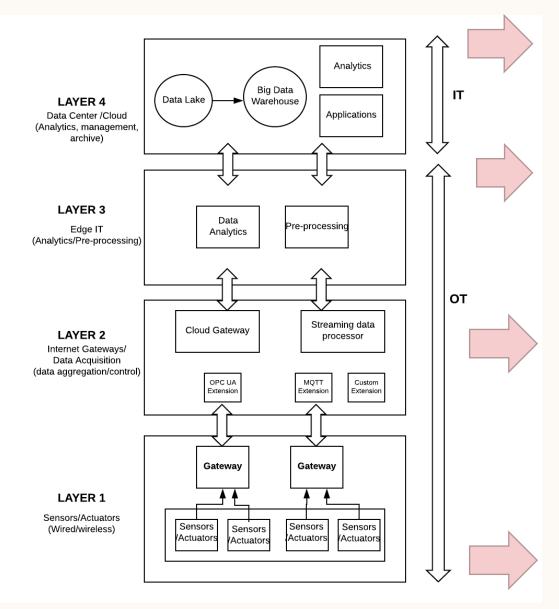
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#### **Quick intro of IoT**



# Layers of IoT and Opportunities



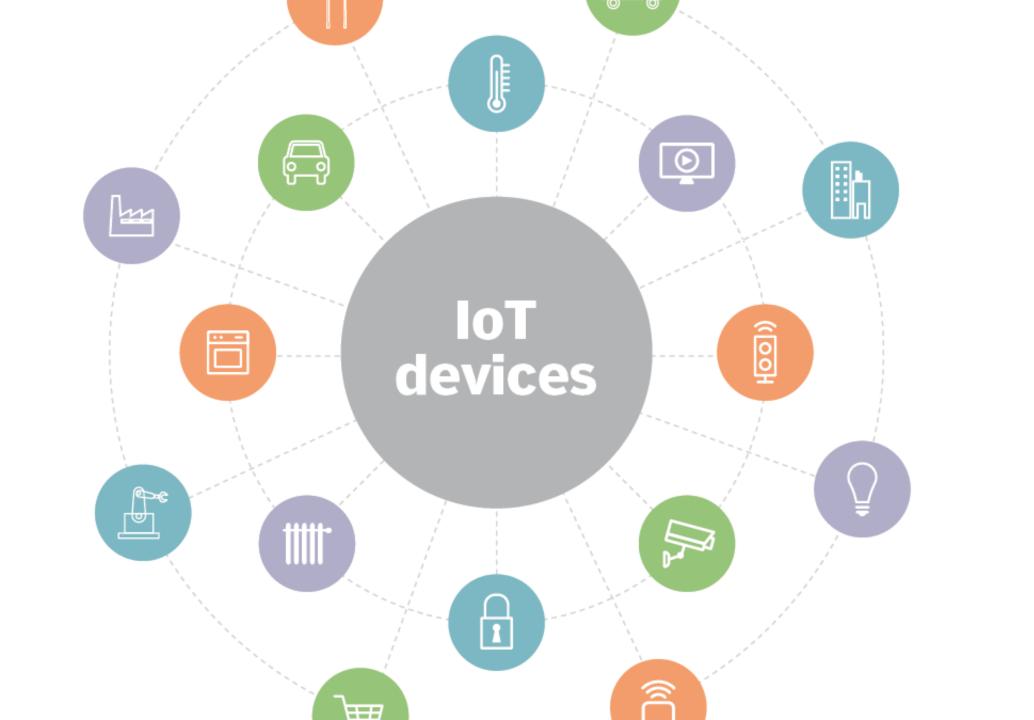
- IoT Engineer s
- General Data Engineers
- ML experts
- Devops Engineers
- Cloud practitioners
- Big Data experts.



- IoT Engineers
- Network Engineers
- IT Support
- IoT Engineers
- Firmware Engineers
- Embedded systems Engineer
- PCB Engineers
- R&D engineers
- Embedded Engineers
- R&D engineer

Solution Engineers

Or Solution Architects.



#### **Device Makers**

#### Background

- Electrical and electronic Engineering
- Computer Engineering
- Mechatronic Engineering
- Passion driven Individuals

#### Skills:

- Good understanding of Electronics
- Strong understanding of PCBs
- Knowledge of RF and analog layouts

#### Requirements

- PC
- Software –
   Altium, Kicad,
   Eagle, Orcad

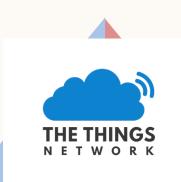
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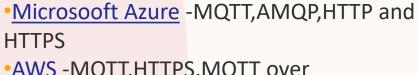








**DigitalOcean** 



- •<u>AWS</u> -MQTT,HTTPS,MQTT over websockets
- •IBM Bluemix MQTT,HTTPS,MQTT
- Thingwrox -MQTT,HTTPS,MQTT,AMQP

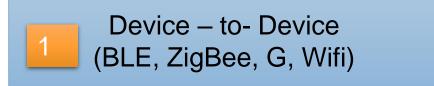




#### **IoT Protocol Connection models**

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• There is no set pattern for data routing, and the communication is highly dependent on the network topology



Device – to- Gateway (LPWAN, Wi-Fi)

Device – to- Data (BLE, LoRaWan) Gateway-to-Data
OAS

Communication between Data (iot data protocols)

#### IoT Protocol Stack

**APPLICATION LAYER PEOPLE IoT Device Cloud** PRESENTATION LAYER SEEM **SESSION LAYER Connectivity** TO TRANSPORT LAYER **NEED NETWORK LAYER Device OS** DATA **DATALINK LAYER PROCESSING** Solutions **IoT Hardware PHYSICAL LAYER** 

ALL

### **IoT Protocol Broad Category**

IoT data protocols that have **presentation** or **application layers** and network protocols for IoT - datalink and physical layers:

# IoT Data Protocols AMQP MQTT HTTP CoAP DDS LwM2M . . .

#### **IoT network protocols**

- •Wi-Fi
- •LTE CAT 1
- •LTE CAT M1
- •NB-IoT
- Bluetooth
- •ZigBee
- LoRaWAN
- Sigfox

#### **B. Network Communication Protocols**

SHORT-RANGE WIRELESS COMMUNICATION



CELLULAR
COMMUNICATION



**LPWAN** 



#### RANGE

#### LPWAN PROTOCOLS



LoRaWAN – allows IoT devices to communicate over larger distances with minimum battery usage It's RF carrier signal based in PHY layer of the telecom's device.

- Unlicensed Band
- 5km urban areas,
- 15km rural areas.
- Uncellular



Sigfox – LPWAN, 12 bytes UL, 8byte DL protocol.

- 10km urban areas
- 40km rural areas.
- Unlicensed band
- Uncellular



NB-IoT – this is a radio technology dvped by 3GPP.

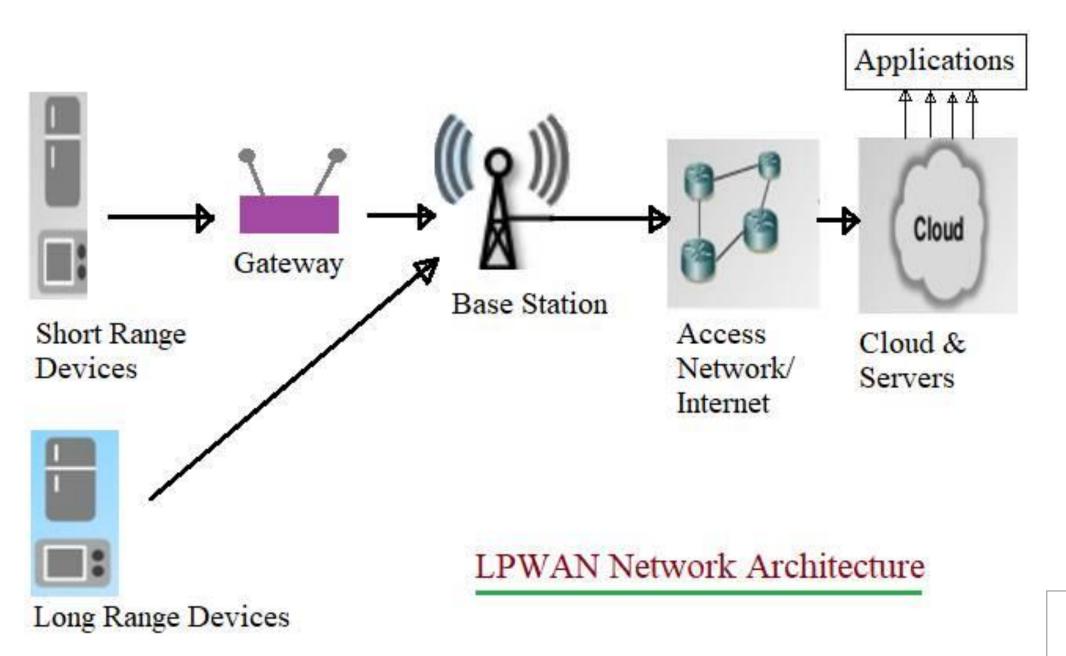
- Cellular
- Licensed band
- 10km range or less

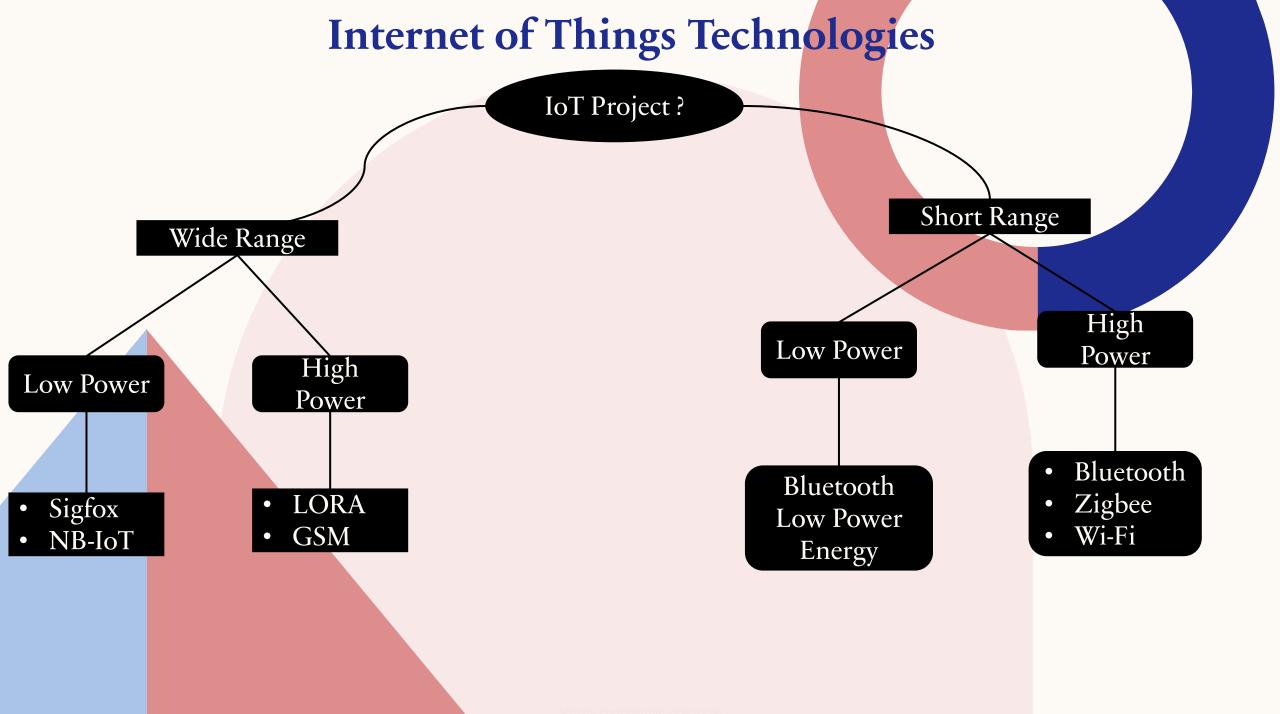


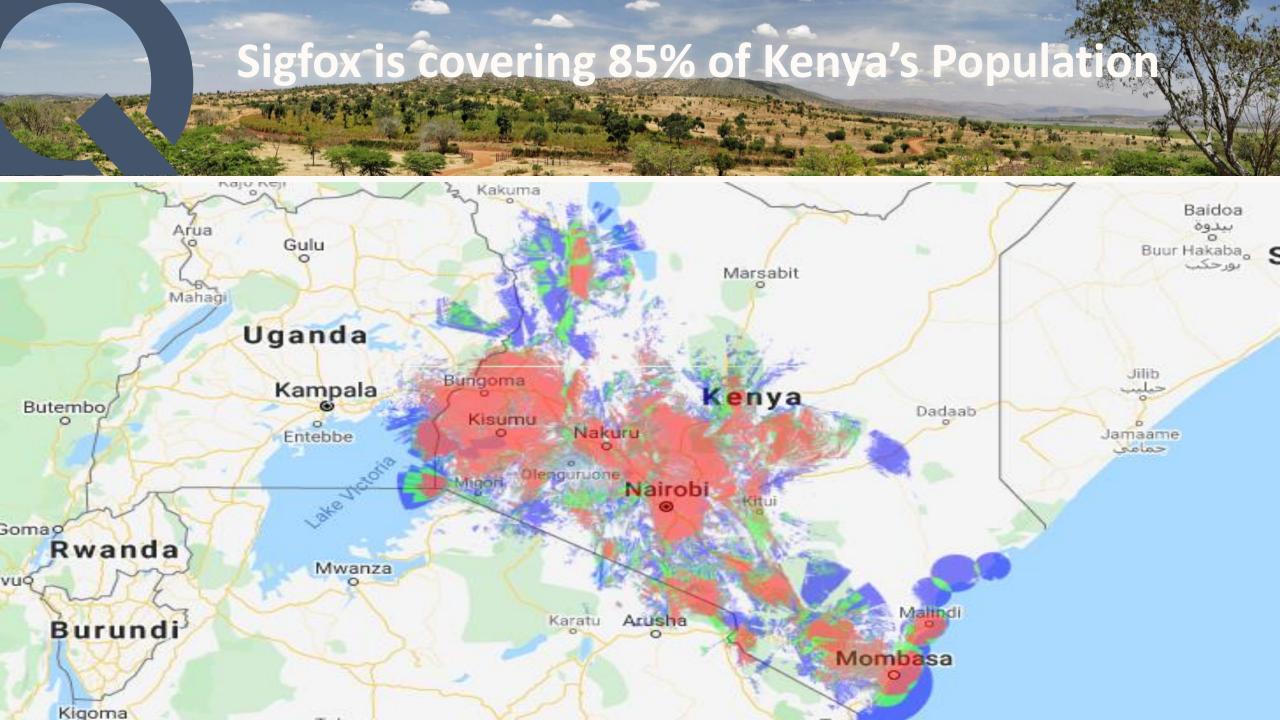
LTE-M – It's LPWAN developed by 3GPP. It's low latency and can support voice.

- Licensed
- Cellular
- Depends.

#### **LPWAN Architecture**



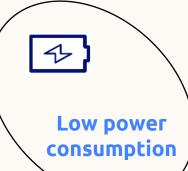


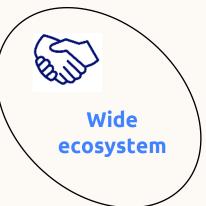


#### **Sigfox Unique Points**

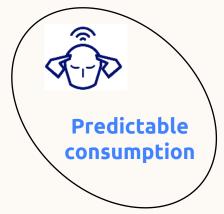


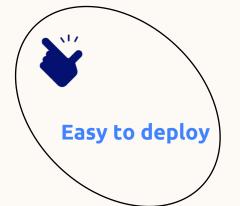


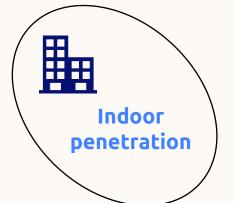


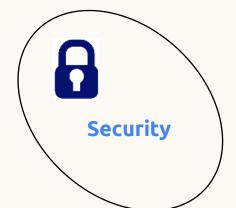












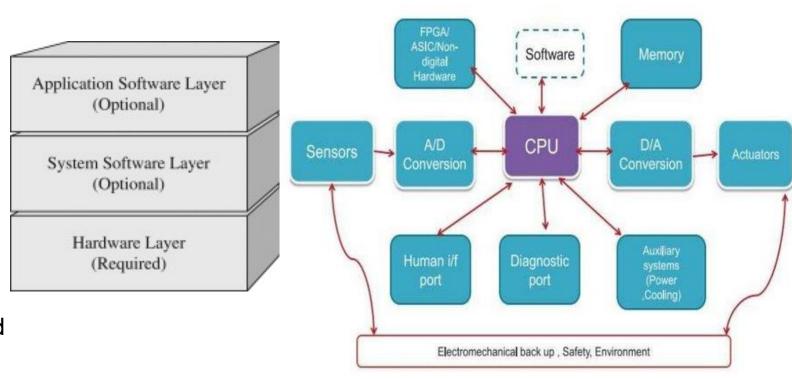


# The Embedded Systems Integration

All physical systems and application software layers (software located on and being processed by the embedded system) - Hardware, system software and application software

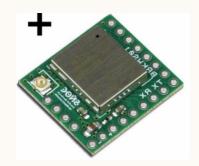
#### Key Concepts

- Energy Source Power Supply
- •Inputs and Outputs I/O
- Digital-Analog : ADC, DAC
- •Hardware and firmware interfaces and communication protocols



#### **CHOOSING HARDWARE**

#### Breakout board/ Radio module

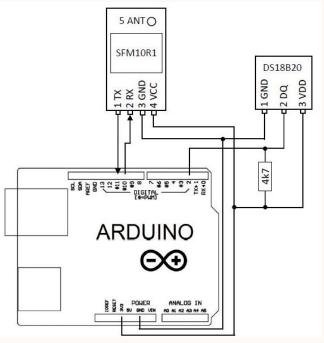










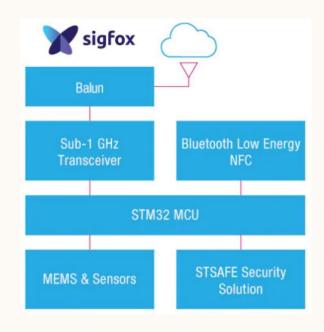


#### **CHOOSING HARDWARE**

#### Shield/Microcontrollers





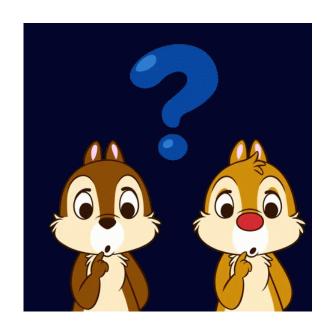






# How do I integrate to my platform?

Where is the value? In the visualization



# Callbacks && Sigfox

The callback – configured to a specific endpoint.

- The endpoint can be hosted by the application itself or by a third-party service.
- Once configured, messages are sent automatically to the receiving endpoint.

HTTP Head point

HTTPs Head point

MQTT broker

Email address,

## **The Message Format**

```
{
    "device":"56AB21",
    "time":"time",
    "data":"48494e50454f504c4520414d"
}
```

#### **Decode/Decrypt the Payload**

- Each device comes with a data sheet that describes the structure of the different data payloads it sends/receives.
- Some Manufacturers will provide a paid description service

# Now and Future Directions

Blockchain

IOT

AI/ML

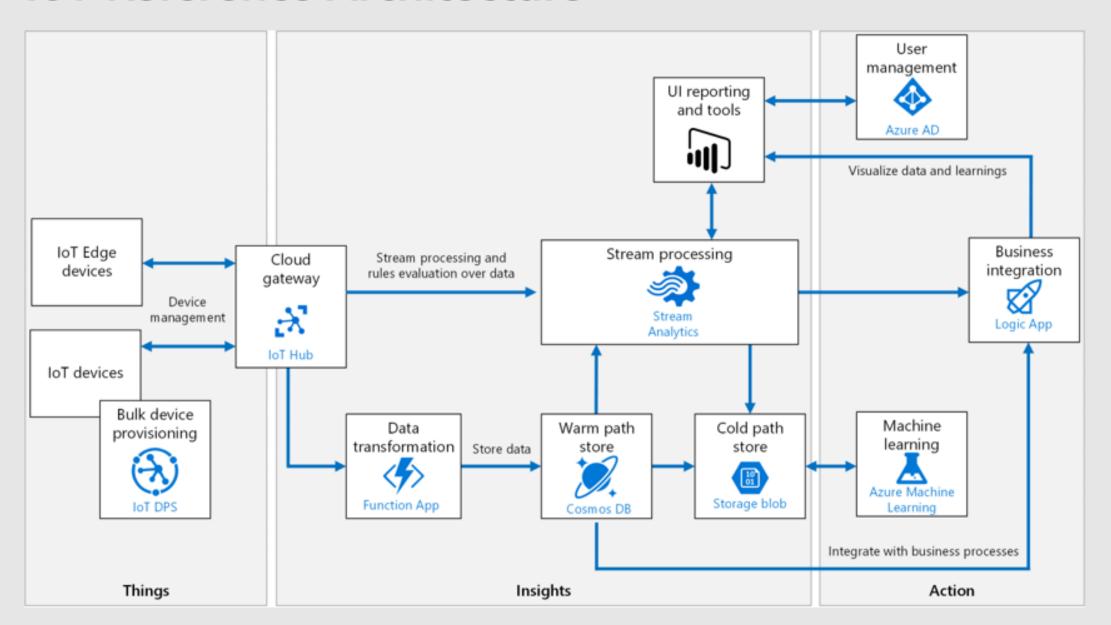
Embedded AI

Virtual Reality

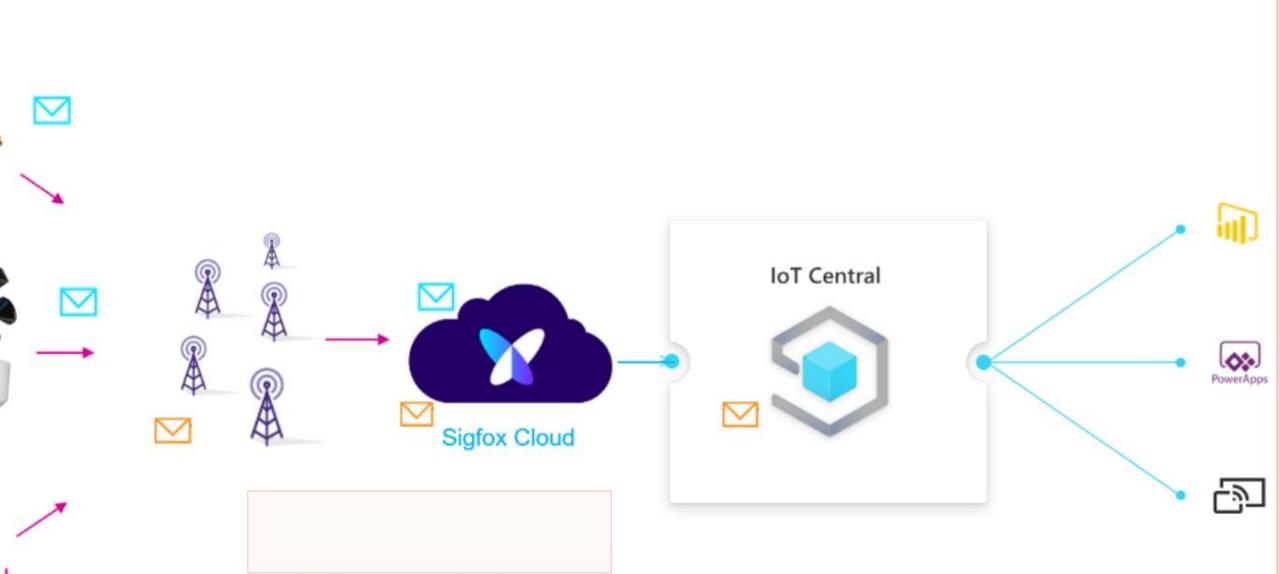
# DEMO

- Create an End-to-End IoT Solution (LPWAN-AZURE) – today
- Send prompts after EDGE AI model has inferenced. (EDGEIMPULSE-LPWAN-SIGFOX)

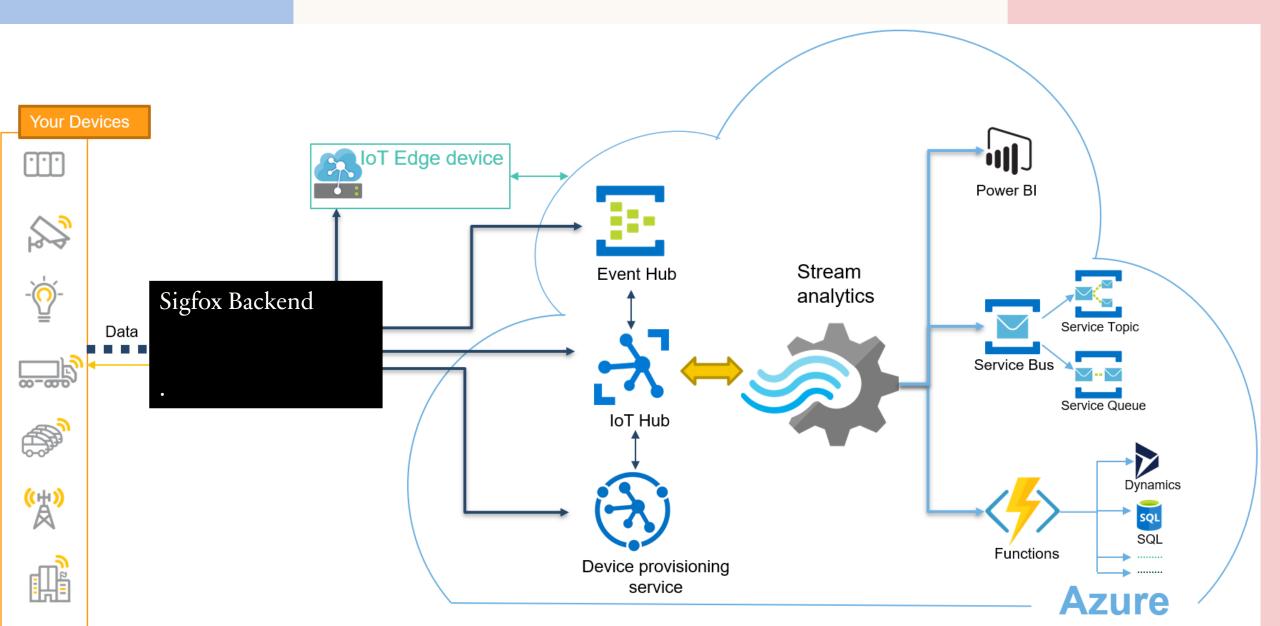
#### **IoT Reference Architecture Azure IOT**



#### **IOT CENTRAL FLOW**



## Sigfox and Azure



# **THANK YOU**



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