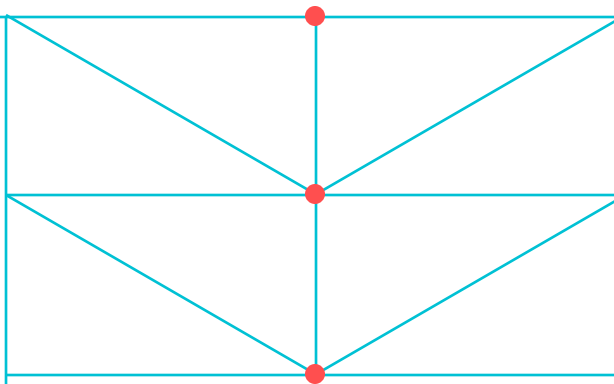


# Tutorial: IEEE 802.15.4 TSCH mode



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<https://tuhh.padlet.org/c00zll01/enabling-industry-4-0-j88rkh1i3j7rzmV3>

# Use of TSCH in Industry 4.0 Applications

Project Results of two research projects done together with the industries



# DRAISE Project

**DRAISE:** Drahtlose, Robuste, Adaptive, Industrielle Systeme

- Duration: 02/2016 – 04/2019
- Funding: BMBF KMU-Innovativ

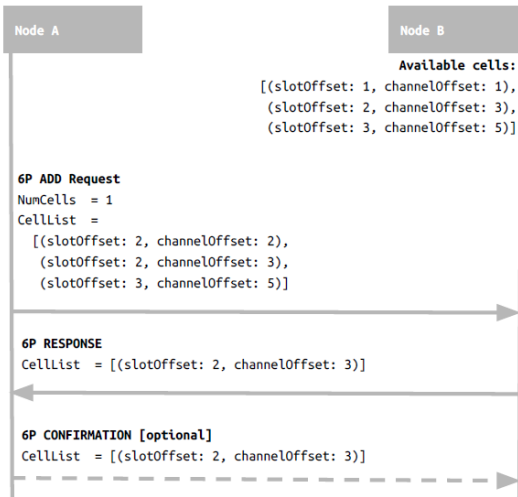
**Goal:** Develop a reliable, low latency sensor network for industrial environments **based on existing protocols** (IEEE 802.15.4 TSCH mode, Wireless HART, ISA100.11a)

**Methods:** Redundancy on all layers, optimized schedule by Linear Programming, Cognitive Radio & Cooperative Spectrum Sensing , Mathematical modelling, testbed and simulation



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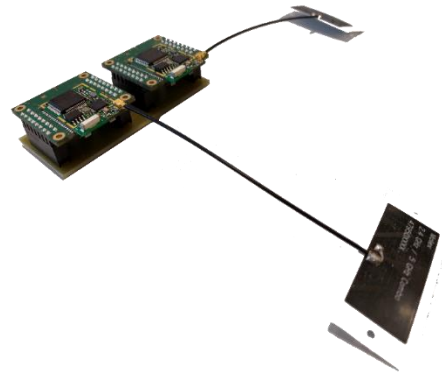
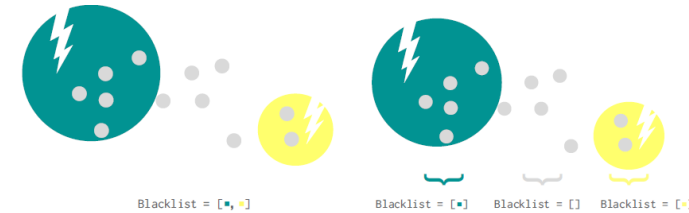
## Initial Schedule Negotiation



## Continuous Spectrum Sensing

## Blacklisting

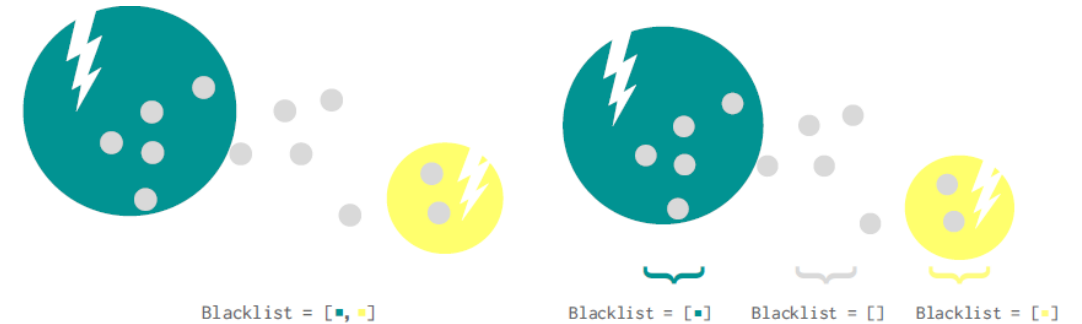
## Interference Avoidance



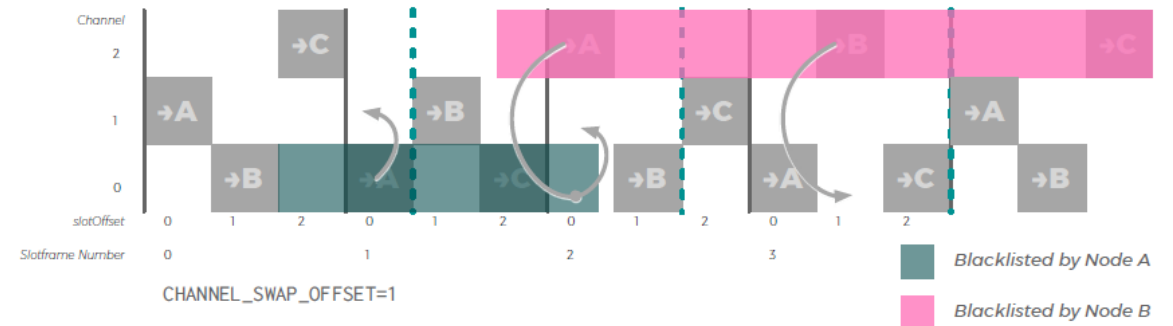
- Scheduling Function that adapts to interference locally
- Designed to be used within the IETF 6TiSCH stack

# SF with Soft Blacklisting

- SFSB: Scheduling function based on dynamic cell allocation between node pairs with extended features
- Local Blacklisting for bad channels
  - **Private blacklist**
  - **Neighbor blacklist** per neighbor
- Channel swapping in case the node picks blacklisted channel from either private or neighbor blacklist

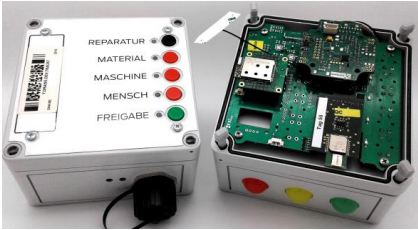
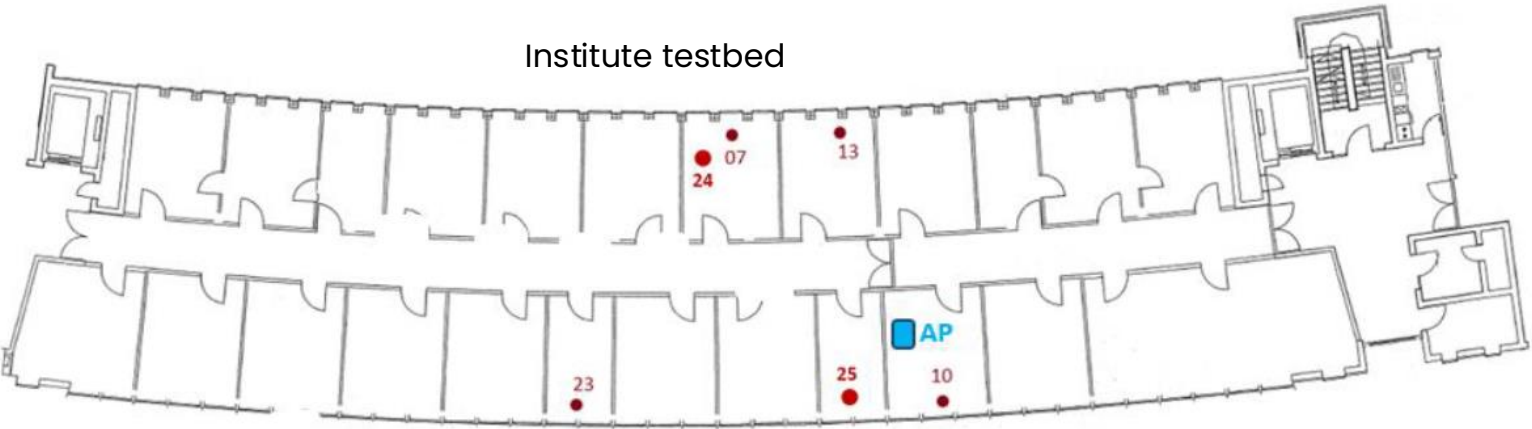


Local vs. global blacklisting



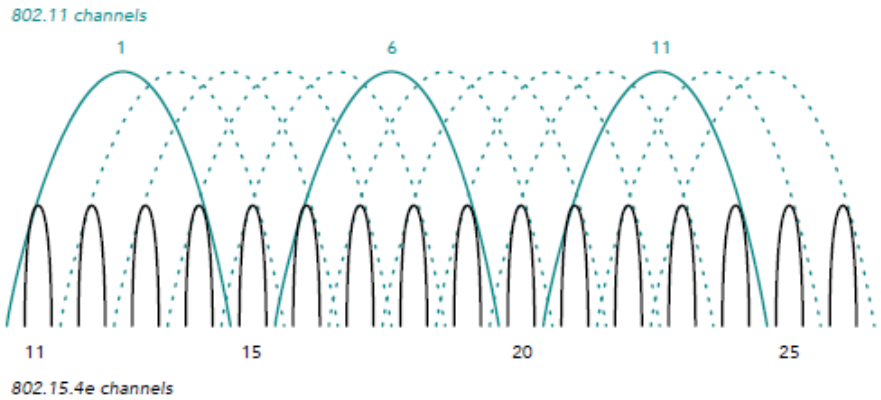
Channel diversion using channel swap offset in SFSB

# Performance Evaluation with SFSB



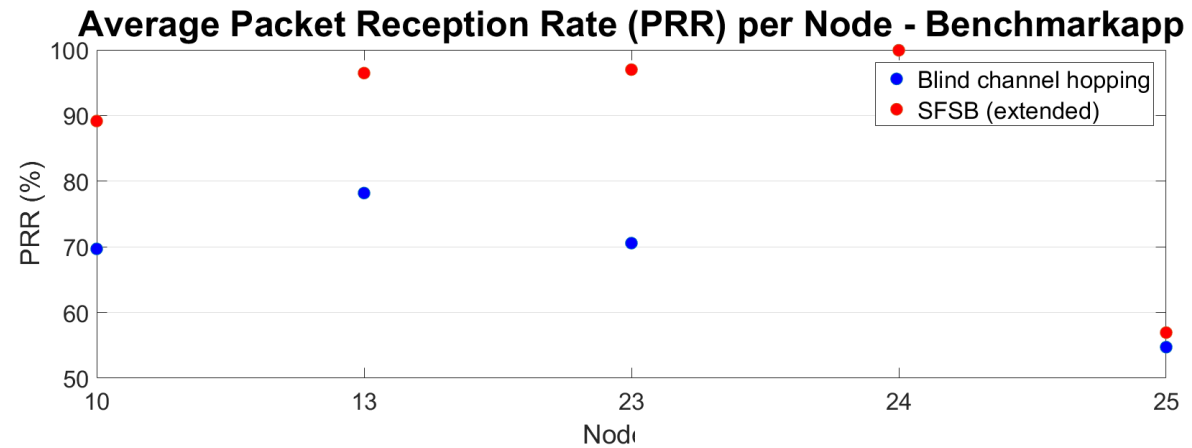
Virtenio Sensor Node with 6TiSCH

- ComNets Testbed
- 6 Static Nodes and 1 Access Point
  - Node-7 is the sink node
  - Access Point – traffic on channel-6

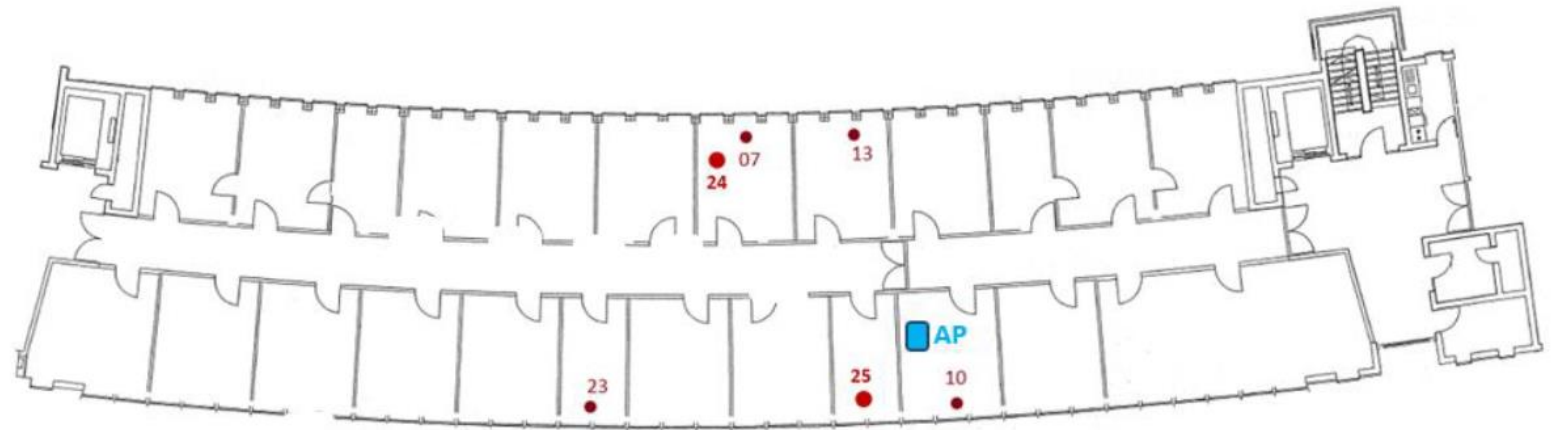


Overlap between IEEE 802.11 and 802.15.4 channels

# Packet Reception Ratio



If the node does not hear the blacklist





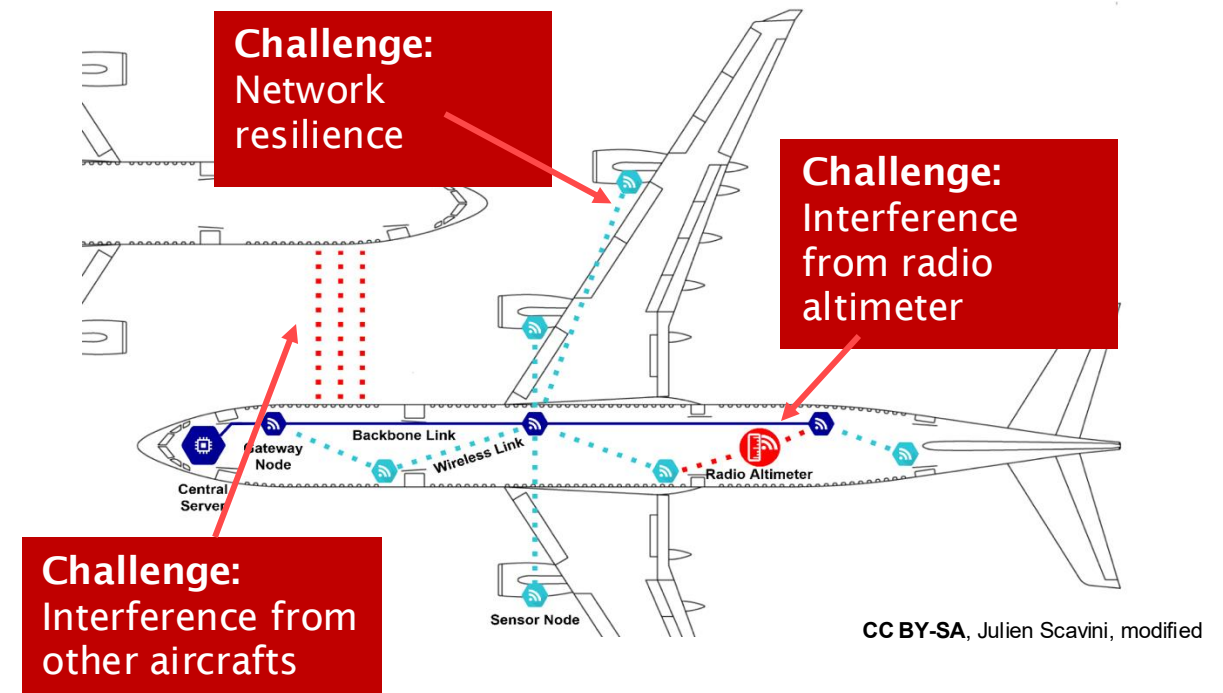
## ReSA: Retrofitbare Sensorsystem-Architektur für prädiktive Instandhaltung (ReSA)

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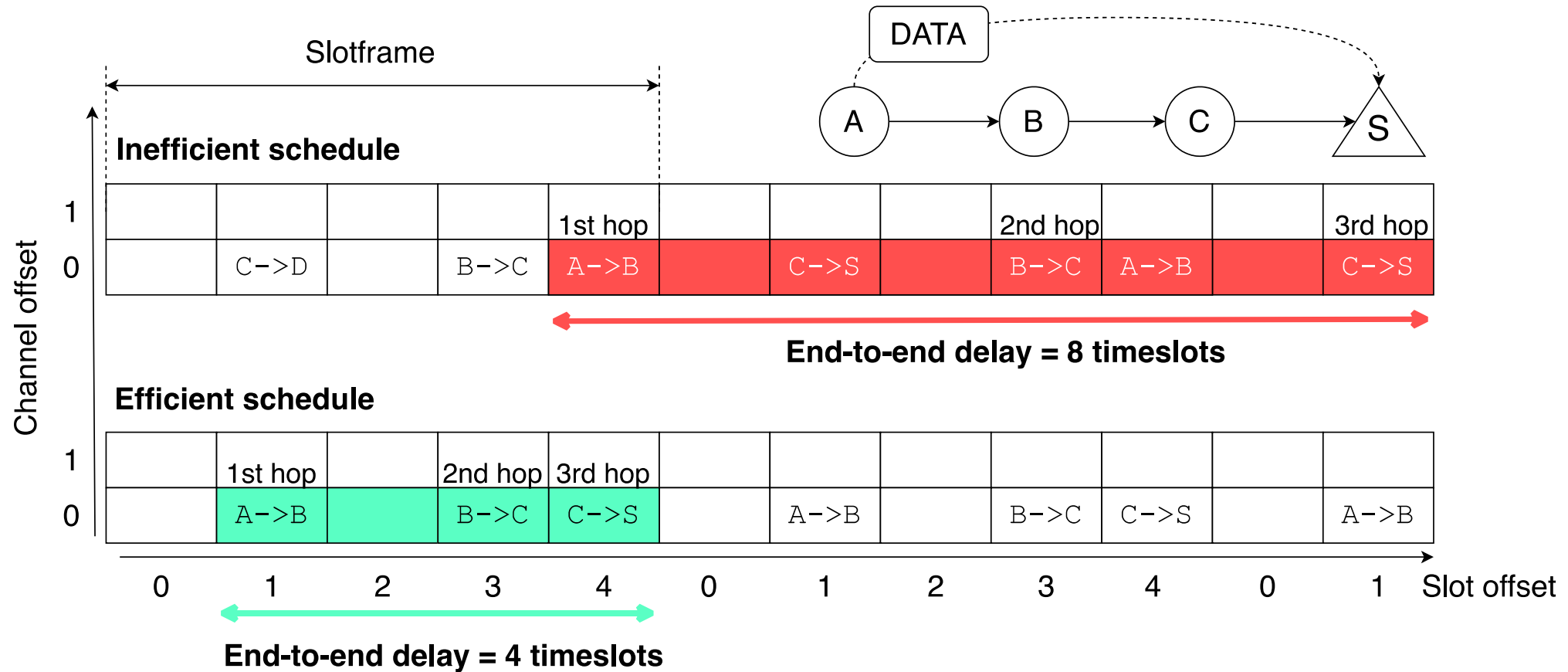
**Goal:** Ultra-resilient, retrofittable wireless sensor networks for use in commercial aircraft

**Methods:** Modeling, simulation and evaluation of reliable radio communication including:

- Suitable MAC for coexistence
- Cross-layer information exchange for compliance with strict Quality of Service requirements

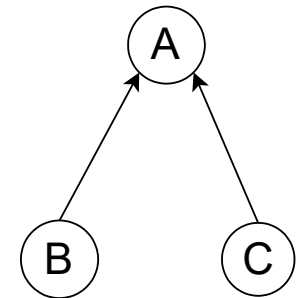
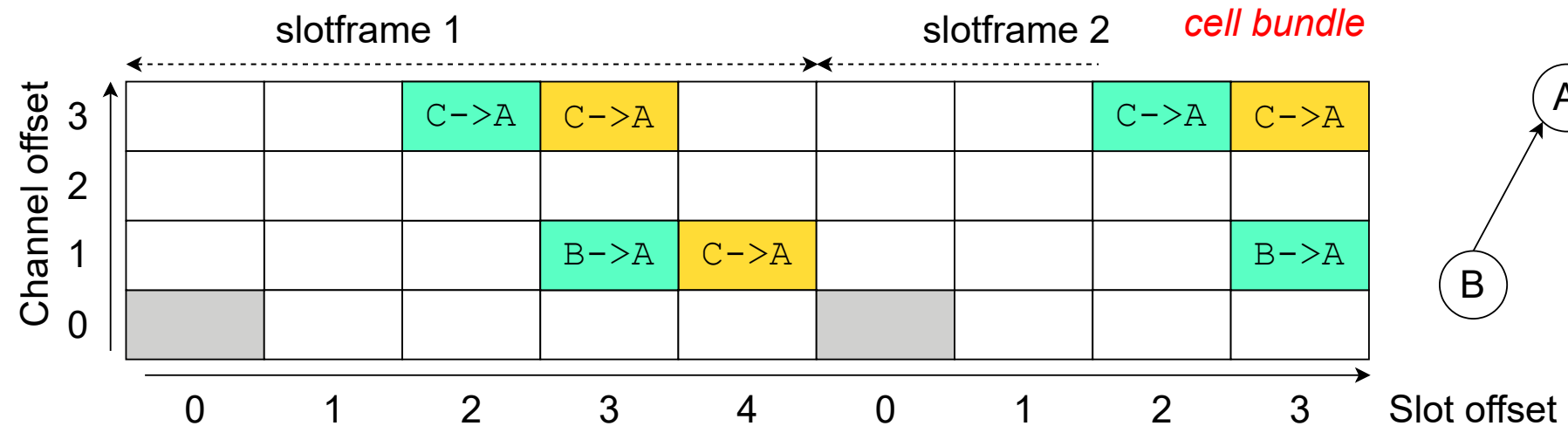


# Schedule Daisy-Chaining

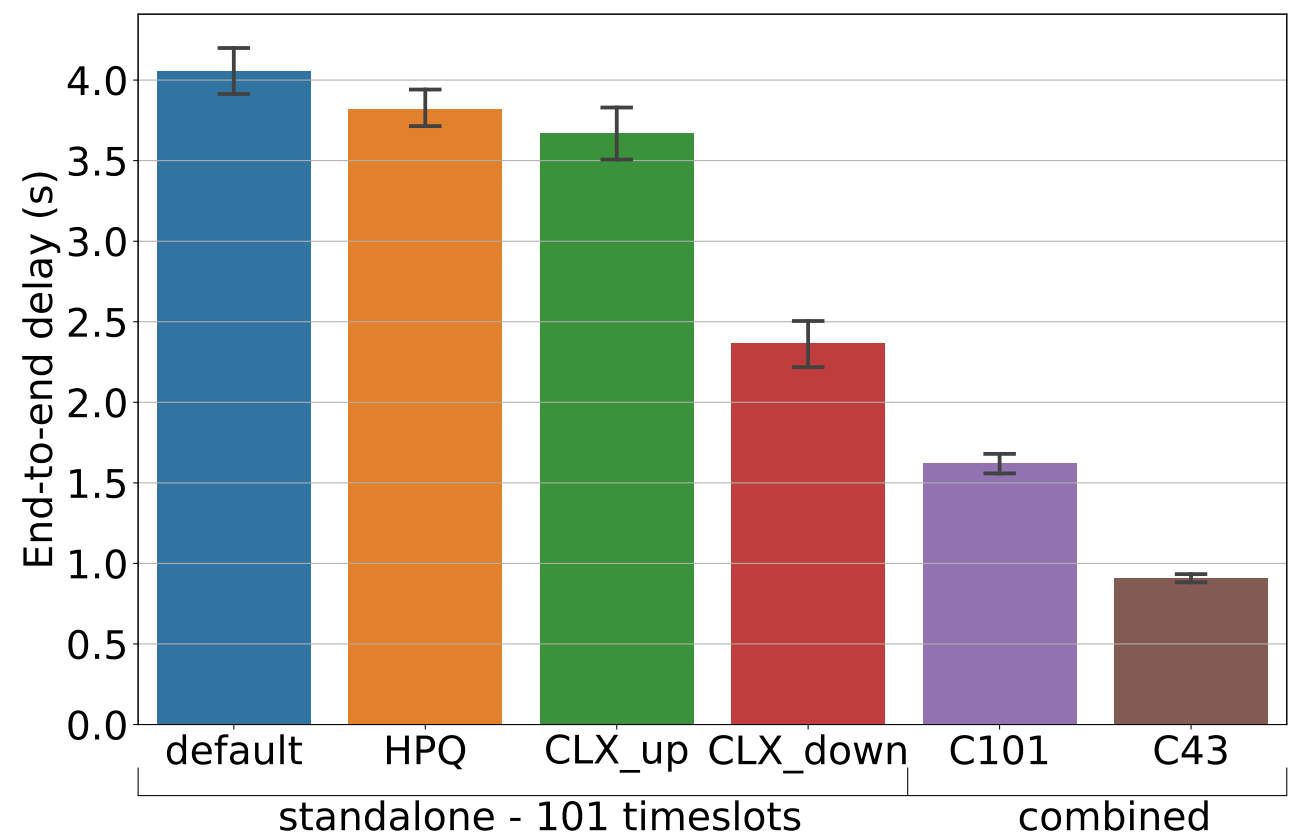


# Cell Bundling

- dedicated cell ● redundant cell
- minimal cell (beacon) ● radio altimeter interference



# End-to-End Delay with Cross-Layer Optimization



End-to-end delay of the smoke alarm application under improvements

Label	Improvement
Default (6TiSCH)	-
HPQ	Traffic prioritization
CLX_up	Daisy-chaining
CLX_down	Redundancy in downlink
C101/C43	Default/reduced slotframe size