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Smart Cities and Smart Homes – Part I

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Introduction

- ✓ A Smart City is-
 - An urban system
 - Uses Information & Communication Technology (ICT)
 - Makes infrastructure more interactive, accessible and efficient.
- ✓ Need for Smart Cities arose due to-
 - Rapidly growing urban population
 - Fast depleting natural resources
 - Changes in environment and climate

Source: Pellicer, Soledad, et al. "A global perspective of smart cities: A survey." *IEEE Seventh International Conference on Innovative Mobile and Internet Services in Ubiquitous Computing (IMIS)*, 2013.

Application Focus Areas

Smart Economy

- Competitiveness

Smart Governance

- Citizen participation

Smart People

- Social and Human Capital

Smart Mobility

- Transport and ICT

Smart Environment

- Natural resources

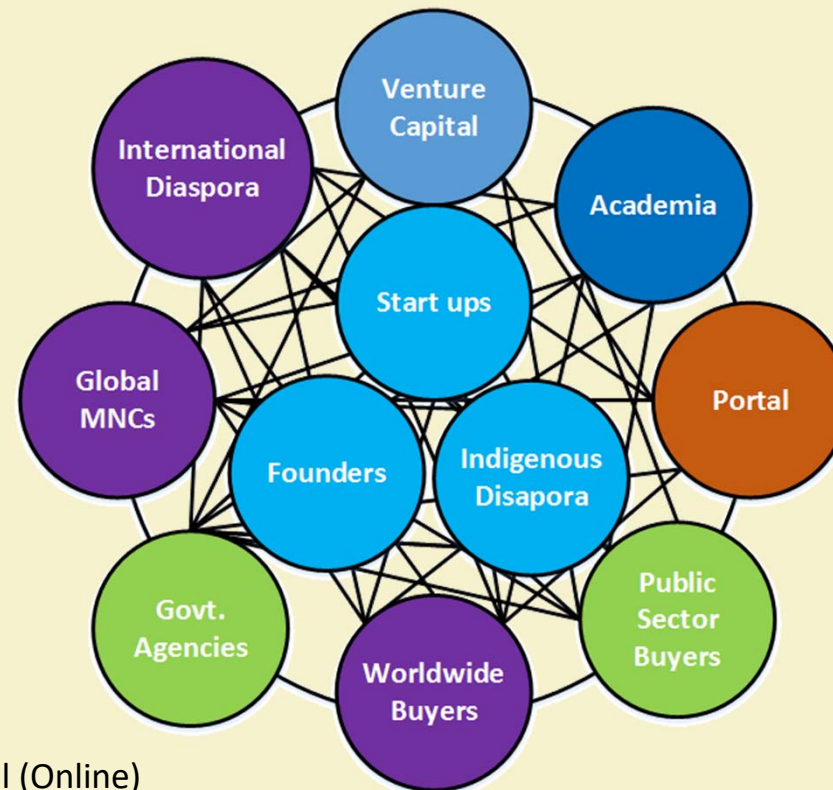
Smart Living

- Quality of life

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Smart Economy



Source: ["Smart Economy"](#), Project Chapel Hill (Online)



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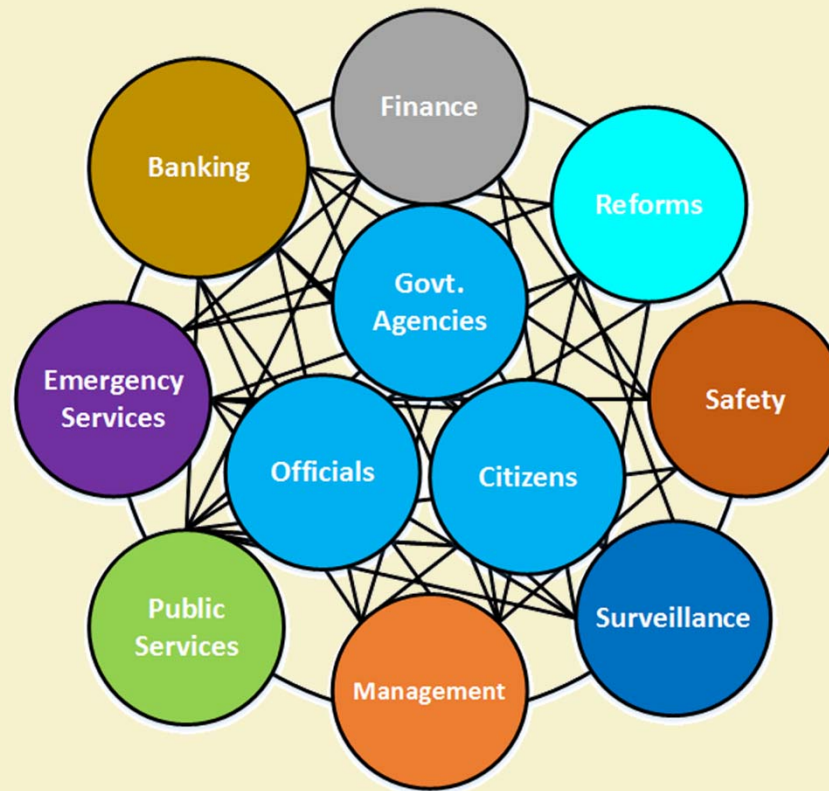


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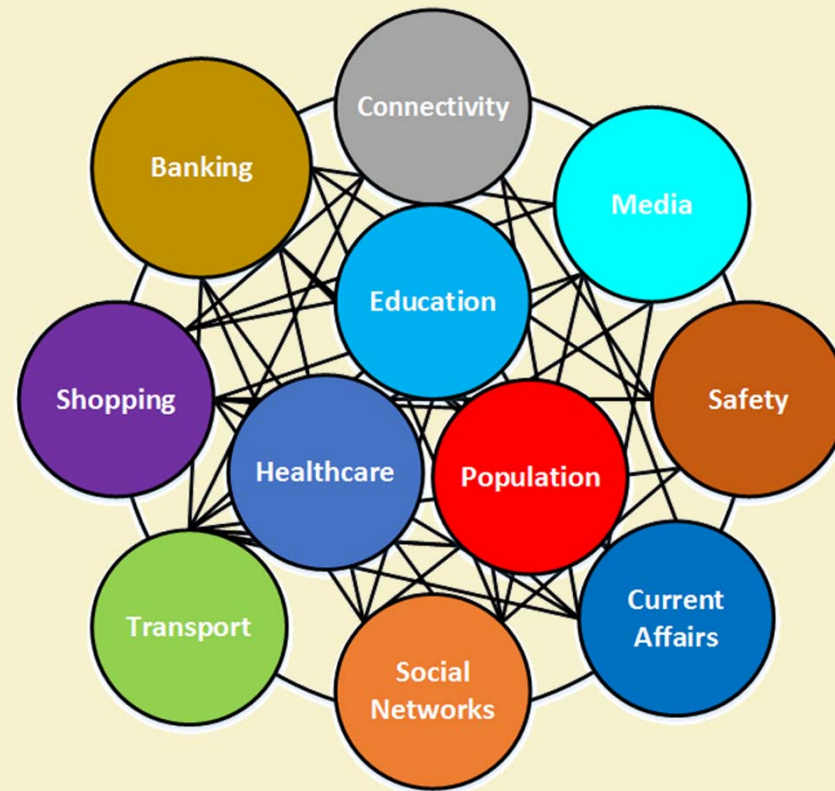
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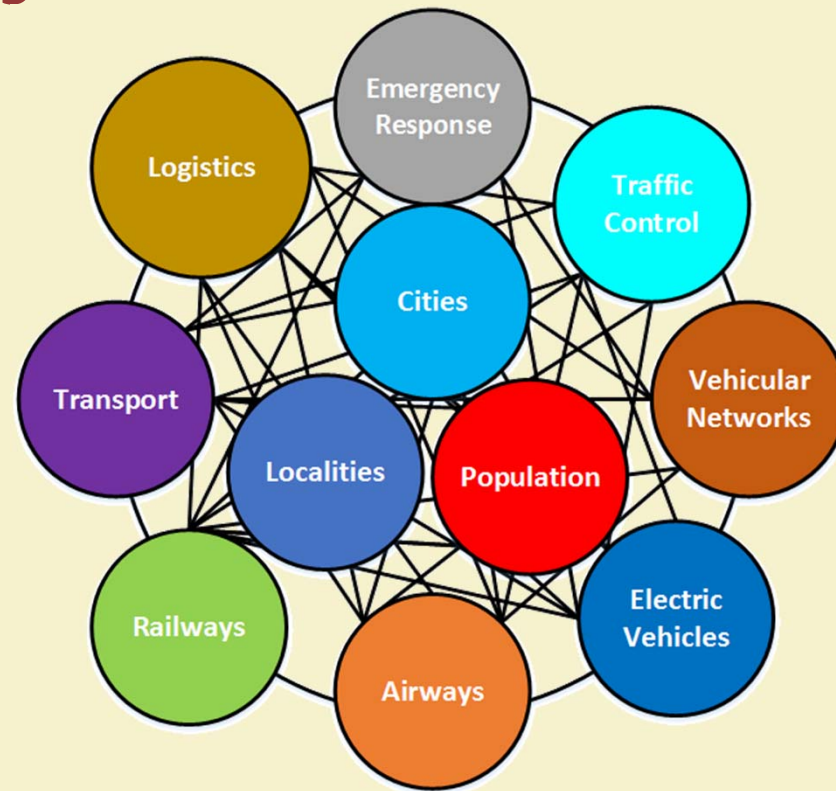
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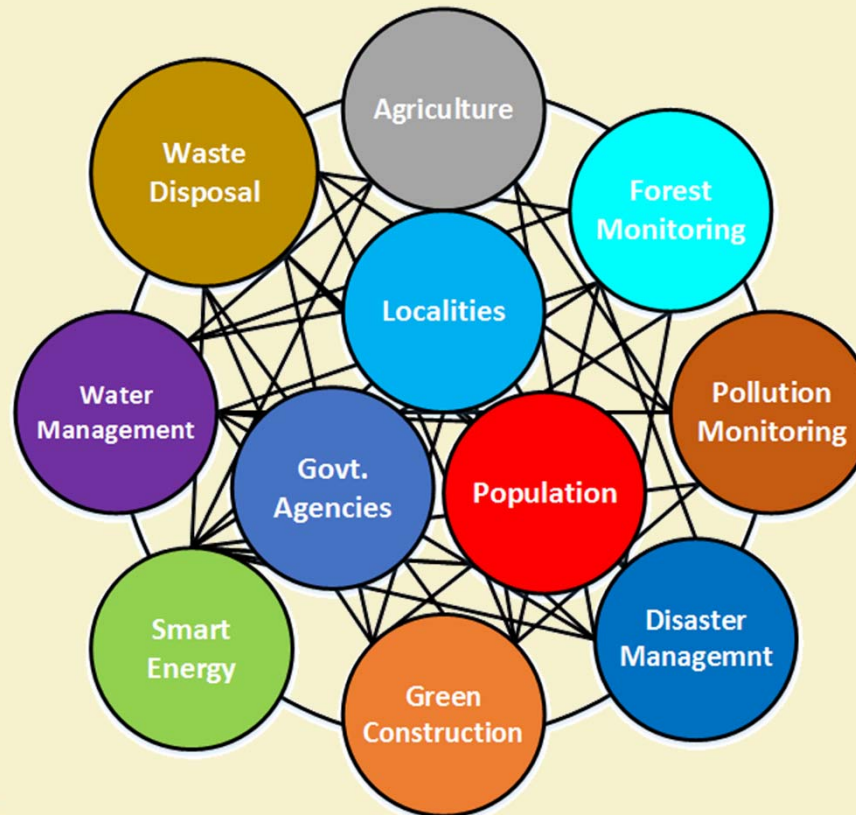
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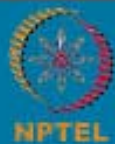
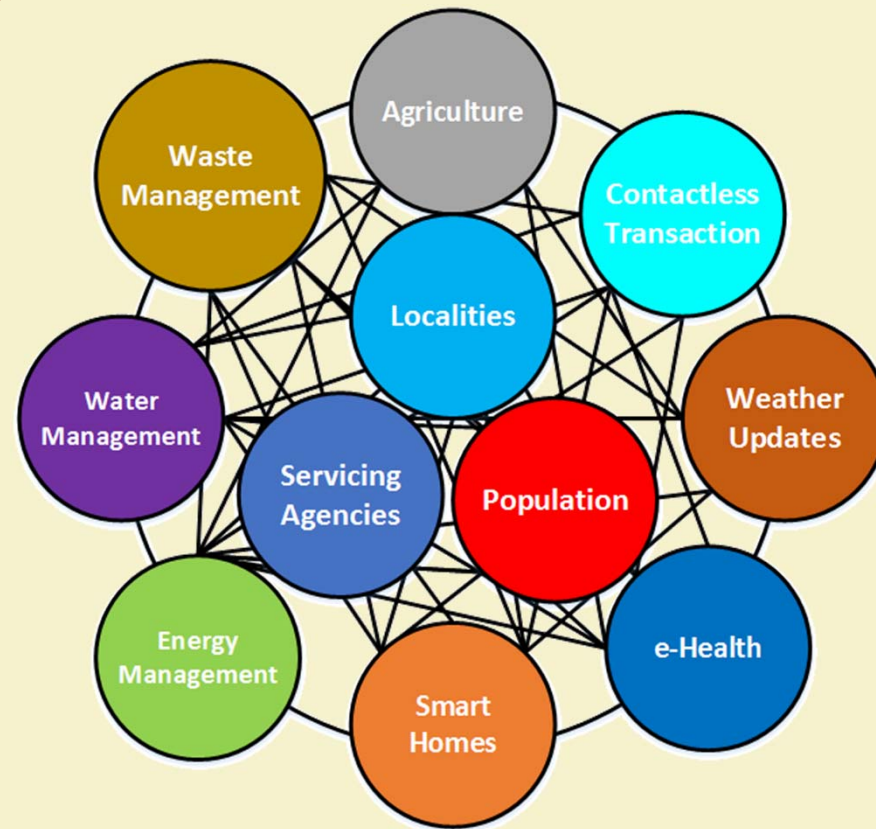
Smart Mobility



Smart Environment



Smart Living



Current Focus Areas

✓ Smart Homes

- Health monitoring.
- Conservation of resources (e.g. electricity, water, fuel).
- Security and safety.

✓ Smart Parking Lots

- Auto routing of vehicles to empty slots.
- Auto charging for services provided.
- Detection of vacant slots in the parking lot.

Current Focus Areas (contd.)

✓ Smart Vehicles

- Assistance to drivers during bad weather or low-visibility.
- Detection of bad driving patterns or driving under the influence of substances.
- Auto alert generation during crashes.
- Self diagnostics.

✓ Smart Health

- Low cost, portable, at-home medical diagnosis kits.
- Remote check-ups and diagnosis.
- On-body sensors for effortless and accurate health monitoring.
- Auto alert generation in case of emergency medical episodes (e.g. Heart attacks, seizures).

Current Focus Areas (contd.)

- ✓ Pollution and Calamity Monitoring
 - Monitoring for weather or man-made based calamities.
 - Alert generation in case of above-threshold pollutants in the air or water.
 - Resource reallocation and rerouting of services in the event of calamities.
- ✓ Smart Energy
 - Smart metering systems.
 - Smart energy allocation and distribution system.
 - Incorporation of traditional and renewable sources of energy in the same grid.

Current Focus Areas (contd.)

✓ Smart Agriculture

- Automatic detection of plant water stress.
- Monitoring of crop health status.
- Auto detection of crop infection.
- Auto application of fertilizers and pesticides.
- Scheduling harvesting and arranging proper transfer of harvests to warehouses or markets.

Technological Focus Areas

▶ Data Collection

- Mobile devices, Sensors, Architecture

▶ Data Transmission

- Radios, Networking, Topologies

▶ Data Storage

- Local storage, Data warehouses

▶ Data Processing

- Data cleaning, Analytics, Prediction

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IoT Challenges in Smart Cities

✓ Security and Privacy

- Exposure to attacks (e.g. cross-site scripting, side channel, etc.).
- Exposure to vulnerabilities.
- Multi-tenancy induces the risk of data leakage.

✓ Heterogeneity

- Integration of varying hardware platforms and specifications.
- Integration of different radio specifications.
- Integration of various software platforms.
- Accommodating varying user requirements.

Source: Arasteh, H., et al. "Iot-based smart cities: A survey." *IEEE 16th International Conference on Environment and Electrical Engineering (EEEIC)*, 2016.

IoT Challenges in Smart Cities (contd.)

✓ Reliability

- Unreliable communication due to vehicle mobility.
- Device failures still significant

✓ Large scale

- Delay due to large scale deployments.
- Delay due to mobility of deployed nodes.
- Distribution of devices can affect monitoring tasks.

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IoT Challenges in Smart Cities (contd.)

✓ Legal and Social aspects

- Services based on user provided information may be subject to local or international laws.
- Individual and informed consent required for using humans as data sources.

✓ Big data

- Transfer, storage and maintenance of huge volumes of data is expensive.
- Data cleaning and purification is time consuming.
- Analytics on gigantic data volumes is processing intensive.

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IoT Challenges in Smart Cities (contd.)

✓ Sensor Networks

- Choice of appropriate sensors for individual sensing tasks is crucial.
- Energy planning is crucial.
- Device placement and network architecture is important for reliable end-to-end IoT implementation.
- Communication medium and means play an important role in seamless function of IoT in smart cities.

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