Hack & Shop - Casino

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Sigfox: Global LPWA network

Low power,
to provide autonomy

Global,
to be used everywhere

Low cost,
to address everything

Easy to use,
and adopted quickly

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WHAT DO WE PROVIDE?

A network for connected objects transporting the data from your device to your IT systems

Object data

0 to 12-byte messages optimized for sensor data

Transmitted through its radio protocol on the **public spectrum**

0 to 140 messages per day per device

Global network

High capacity network: over 1 million messages per Base station per day

SIGFOX cloud

Identification and authentication integrity

Big Data analytics platforms

Data storage and intelligence for verticals

Customer IT

Partners with specific applications for your business

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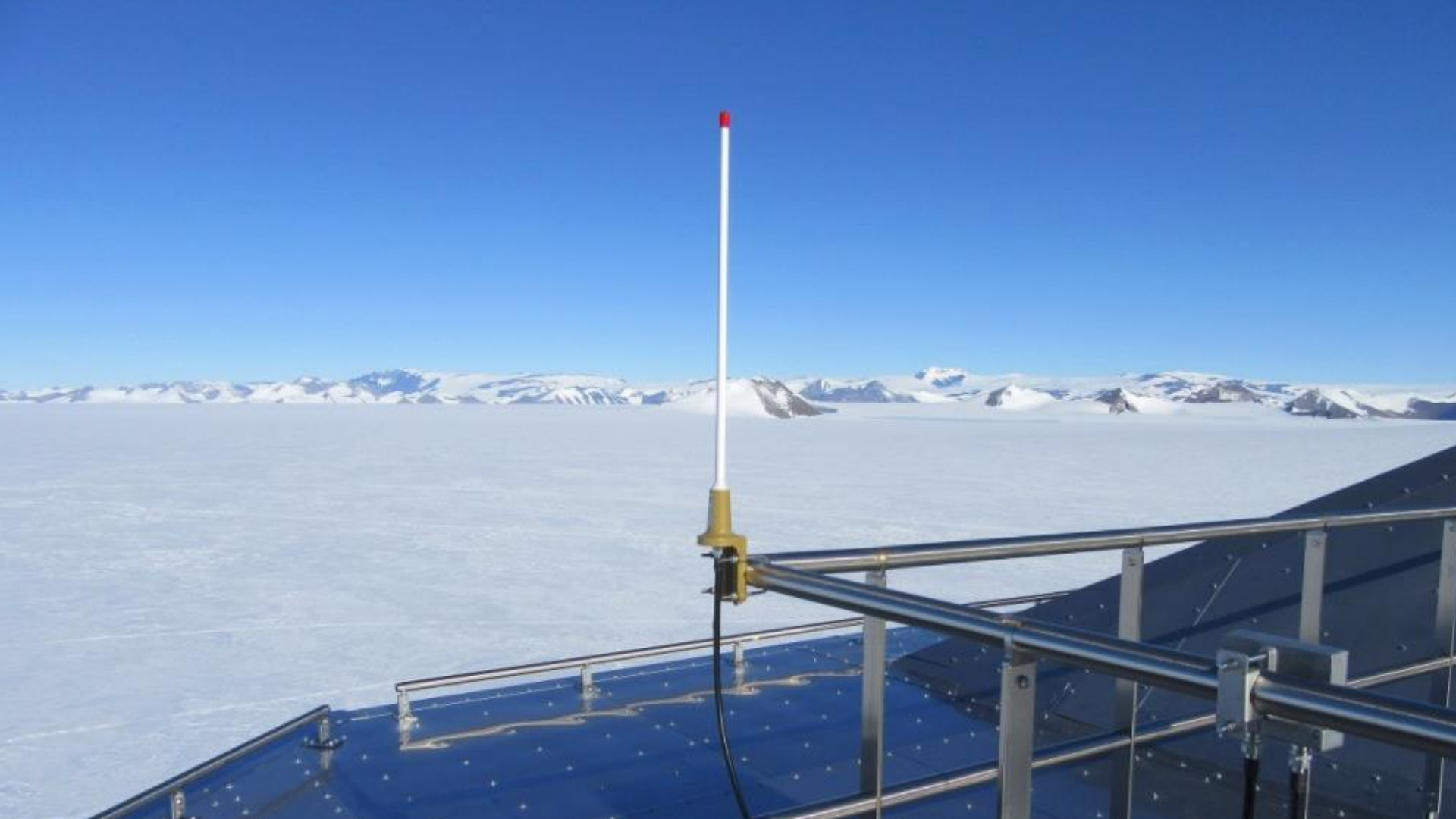
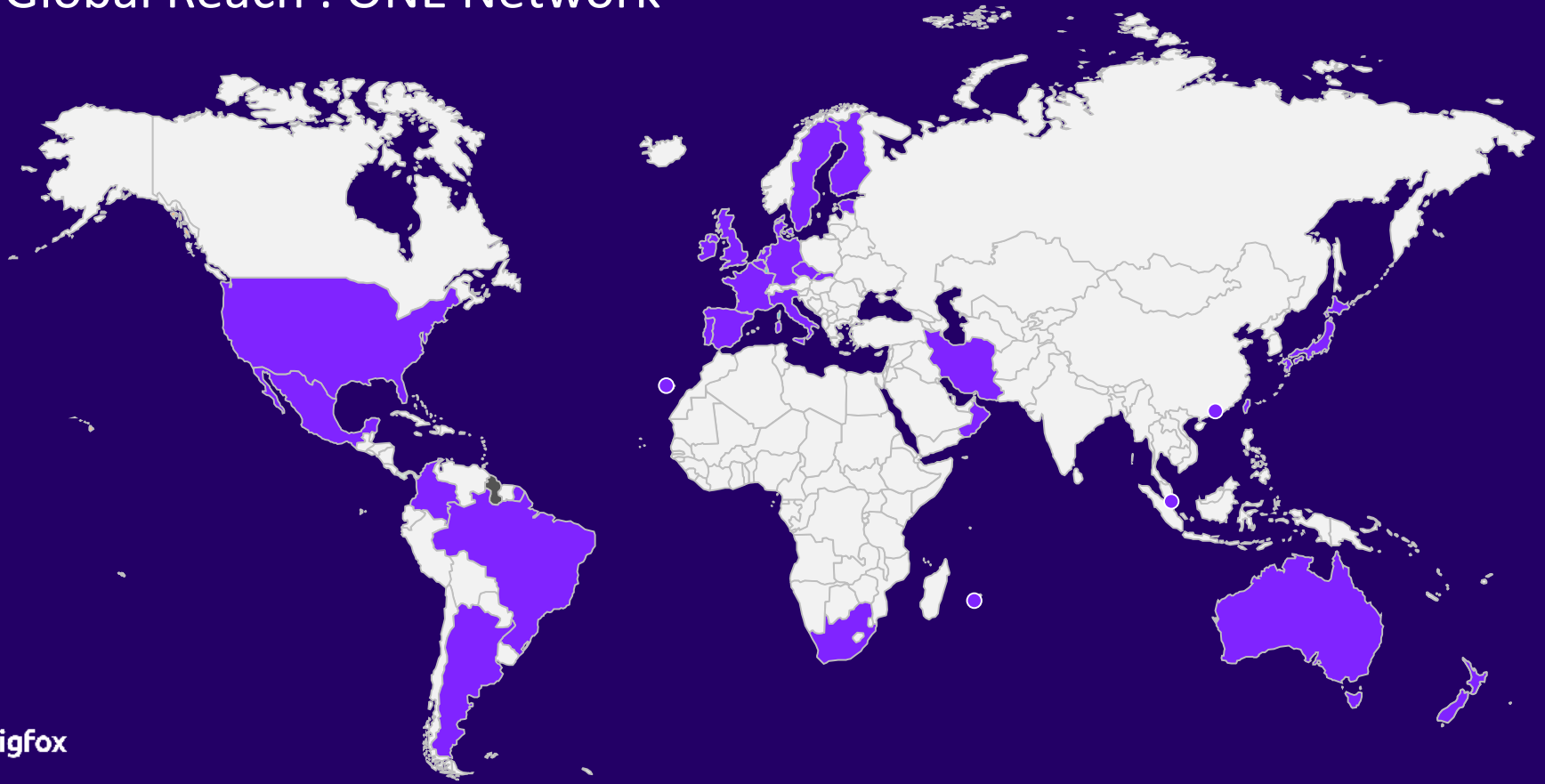


Global Reach : ONE Network



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Home Alarm System

Challenge

Alarms are traditionally connected through GSM to central system and burglar intrusion can be facilitated by GSM jammers. There is a need for effective backup connectivity to ensure more robust alarm transmissions.

Solution

Sigfox has upgraded Securitas Direct's alarm systems to provide a back-up connectivity in case jamming is detected.

The upgrade was possible over the air as a Sub-GHz chip was already inside.

Benefits

- Robustness of solution is a commercial differentiator
- Continuity of service
- Soft deployment via over the air update - no HW swap. No user impact
- Network available to handle millions of devices

Connected Defibrillators

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IMPROVE YOUR UPTIME

Challenge

Defibrillators are often located in remote areas where it is hard to regularly perform auto tests of equipment to ensure they are functioning correctly. Customers who own several defibrillators (e.g. industry) want central supervision. Previously connected boxes were expensive (GSM) and needed to be wired.

Solution

A wall mounted box compatible with Philips HS1 defibrillator, sending monitoring information :

- Door status (open / close)
- Defibrillator's status (OK / NOK)
- Daily Auto test & Battery test

Benefits

- Working defibrillator guaranteed
- Easy installation
- Added value services: notifications, central supervision
- Fully wireless: no mains power
- Low power: 4 year autonomy (LR)
- Plug & Play customer installation

Alternative partners for this application

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helping save lives

AED MAP

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Connected bee hives


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Technology Concepts

Complex ?

You send an AT command to your module

You receive the answer on your server

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No SIM (ID/PAC)

Every device has its own ID number embedded in the module or SoC.

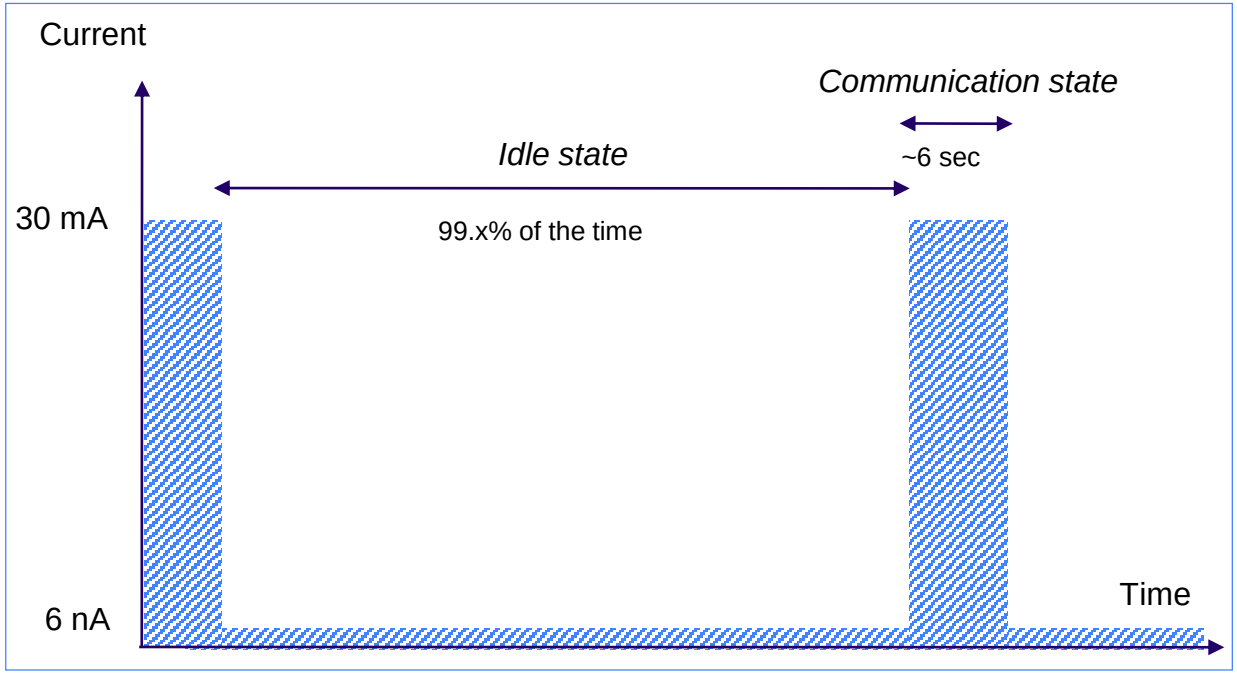
The PAC code is a security code to give you the ownership of the device.

Changes every time you change the owner

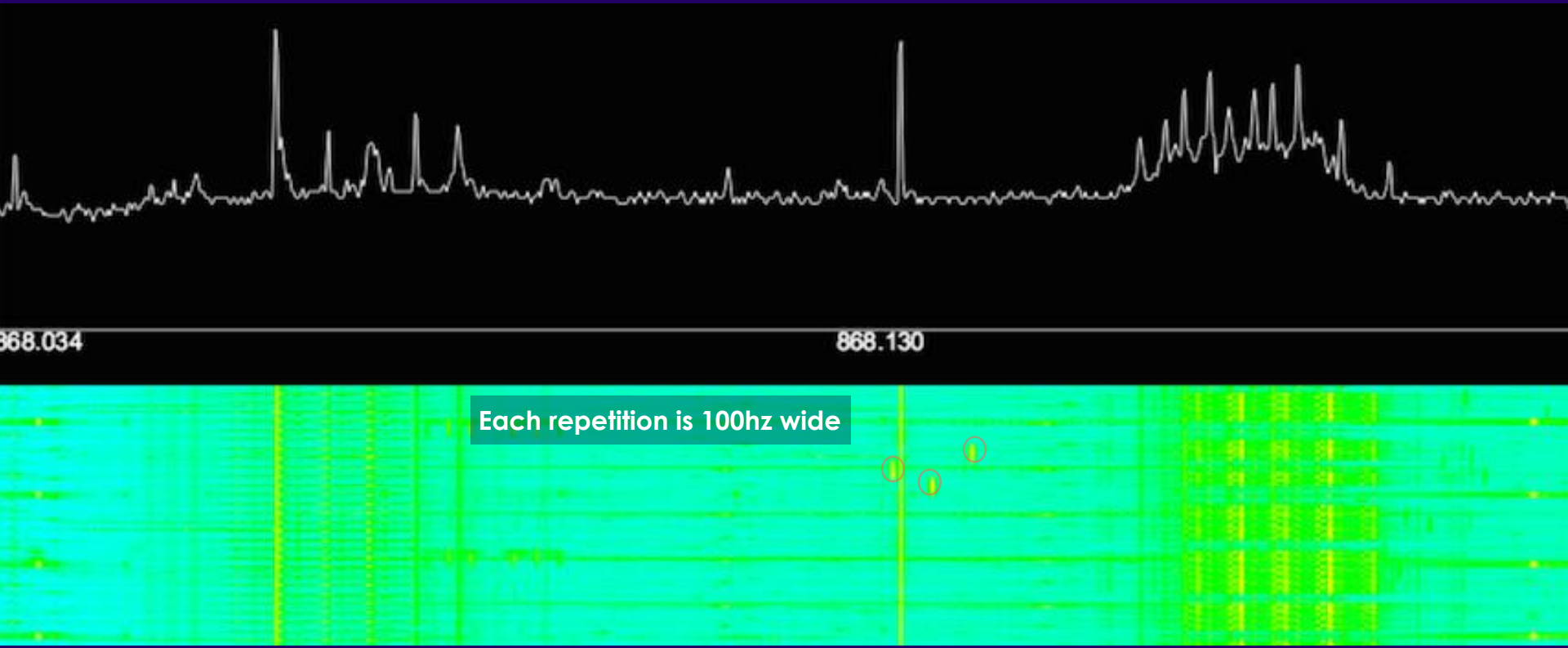
HIGH ENERGY EFFICIENCY

to offer maximum autonomy to remote objects

- Designed to maximize energy efficiency
- No Pairing
- 15 to 45 mA during a few seconds (25mW; 14dBm) depending on the chip and the size of the payload
- Idle consumption: negligible

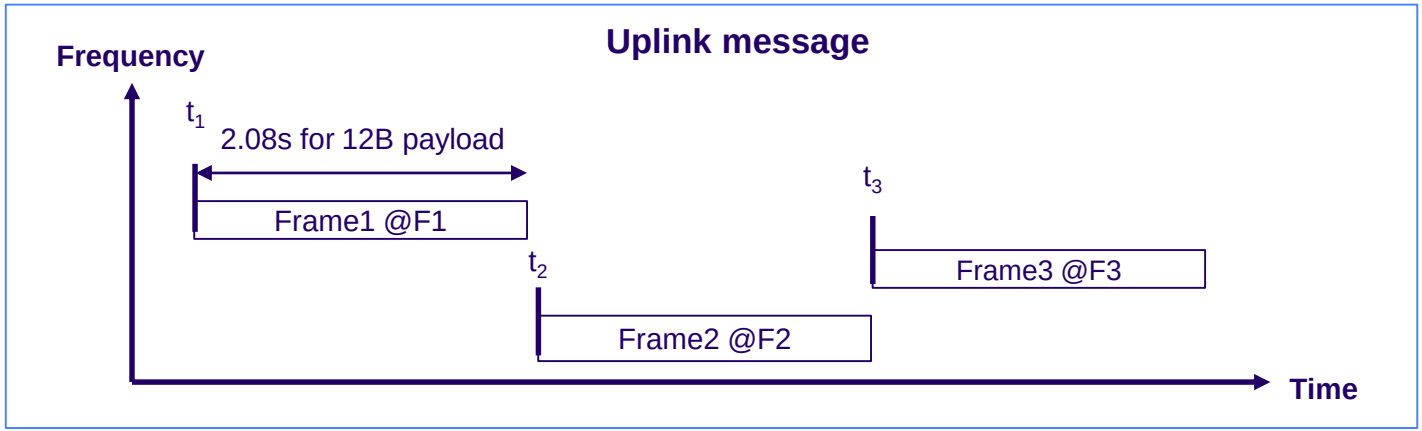


Radio spectrum



RANDOM ACCESS

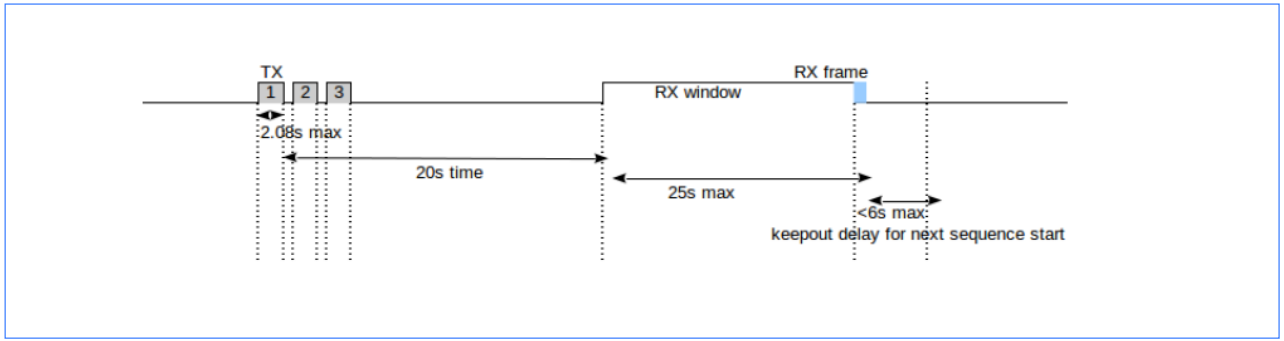
- Unsynchronized transmission between the network and the device
- The device transfers a small amount of energy on a random frequency with no protocol overhead (frequency hopping)
- SIGFOX Base stations permanently listen to the spectrum and interpret received UNB signals
- The same frame is sent 3 times enabling time and frequency diversity



BI-DIRECTIONAL

for critical cases requiring ACK or device management

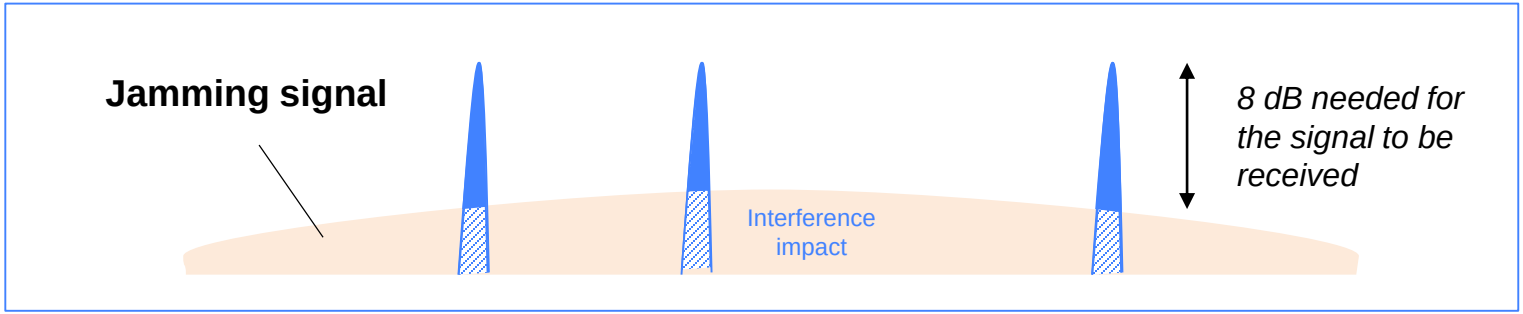
- Requested by the device to the network
- Delay of 20 seconds between the first uplink message and the downlink window. Downlink window of 25 seconds max.
- Static downlink message size of 8 bytes
- Agreed frequency of downlink



HIGH RESILIENCE TO INTERFERERS

robust to operate in the public ism band

Anti-jamming capabilities due to UNB intrinsic ruggedness coupled with spatial diversity of the base stations (+20dB)



For the same technical reasons as above, UNB is extremely robust in an environment with other spread spectrum signals. However, Spread spectrum networks are affected by UNB signals. **Ultra Narrow Band is therefore the best choice to operate in the public ISM band**

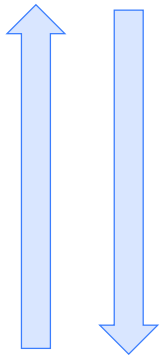
SMALL MESSAGES

Payload size examples

- 6 bytes: GPS coordinates
- 2 bytes: temperature reporting
- 1 byte: speed reporting
- 1 byte: object state reporting
- 0 byte: heartbeat (demonstrate when an object is alive)

UPLINK
12-Byte payload

- Sensor data
- Event status
- GPS fix
- Application data



DOWNLINK
8-Byte payload

- Action / actuator trigger
- Device management
- Application parameter setting

1 % duty cycle for Objects
Up to 6 messages/hour

10 % duty cycle for Base Stations
4 guaranteed downlink msg/day

Long range

Ideal cases

+200 kms(record at 1151km) ~ Free Space

Reality

City: 2-10 km (Longley-Rice model)

Rural: up to 100km

= Network cheaper to deploy

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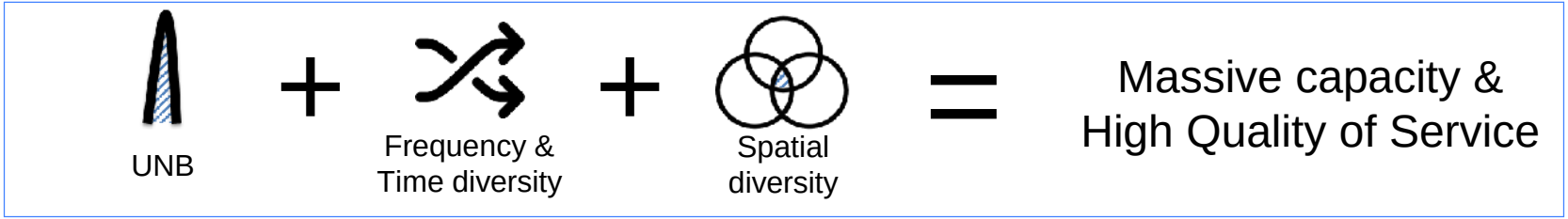
OUTBOUND INTERFACES

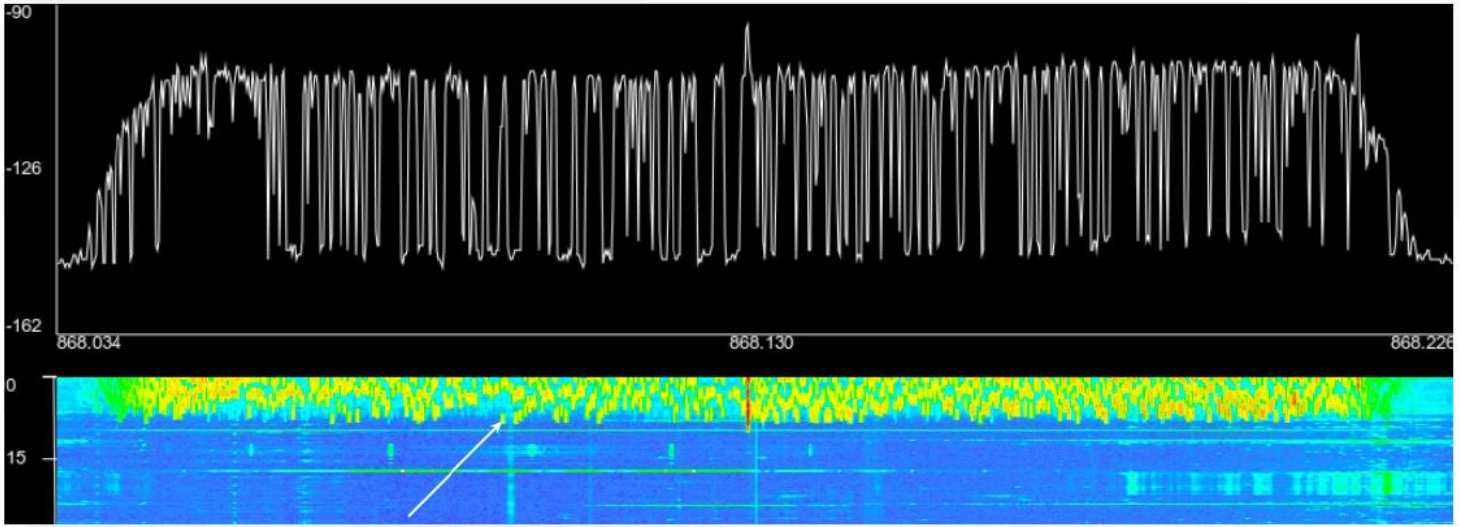
1. Web application (aka the Sigfox backend)
   - Technical interface : devices, device types, groups, users management…
   - Raw payload view : No analytics, BI or business application.
2. HTTP REST API
   - Same features as the backend, but scriptable,
   - Customer applications pulls messages from the backend,
3. Callbacks
   - Push messages to a specified URL / email
   - Multiple callbacks are possible.

HIGH NETWORK CAPACITY

ability to scale to the billions of objects to come



CAPACITY: SPECTRUM VIEW



Fieldtest spectrum waterfall with 200 simultaneous users

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4M+ messages per day per base station !

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SILICON SOLUTIONS CLUSTERING

Different silicon solutions for different design approaches

Dev Kits / Evaluation Board

- First steps with sigfox technology
- Evaluation of Transceiver, SoC, modules

Modules (Sigfox only or Multi-connectivity)

GPS Bluetooth WiFi

- Complete modem Sigfox certified and type approved

Transceiver / SoC

- Standalone chipset(s) used for reference designs, modules and/or combos

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Getting started with Sigfox and Pycom board

Requirements

- SiPy board
- Extension board
- Antenna with u.FL connector
- Micro-USB cable (not provided)
- Atom IDE (atom.io) with pymakr plugin
  - Instructions: https://docs.pycom.io/pycom_esp32/pycom_esp32/pymakr.html
- Source code examples
  - https://github.com/aureleq/hackathon-casino

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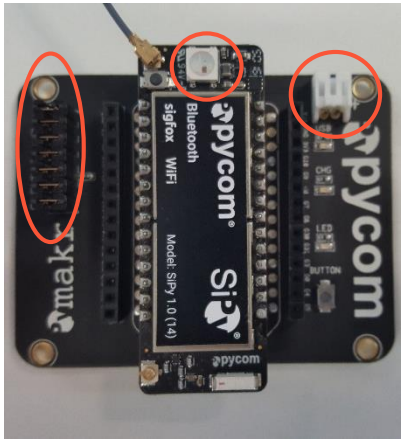
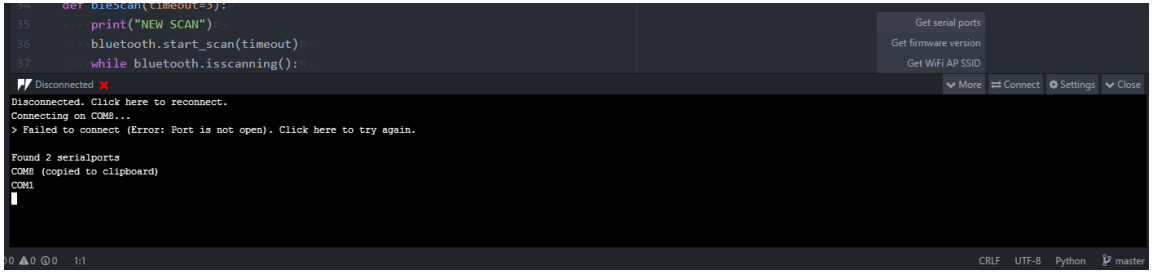
First steps



- Connect SiPy to extension board
  - Check the pinout (LED on same side as USB connector)
  - Check jumpers on the left are all in place
- Connect antenna cable to the u.FL connector near the LED
- Connect the micro-USB to your PC/Mac and launch atom

First steps

- Retrieve serial port and set it in pymakr global settings



- Click Connect to get the prompt

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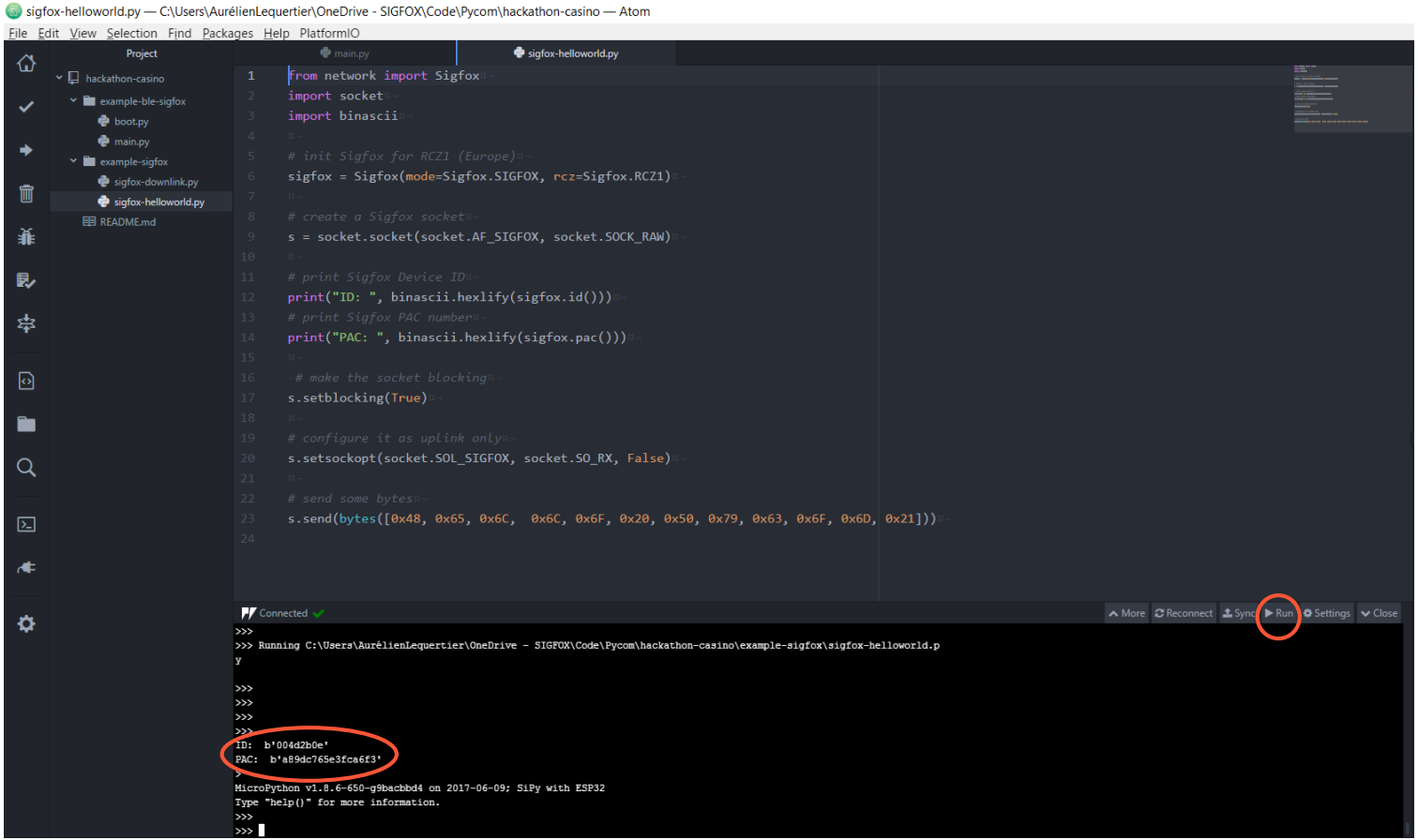
Hello World example



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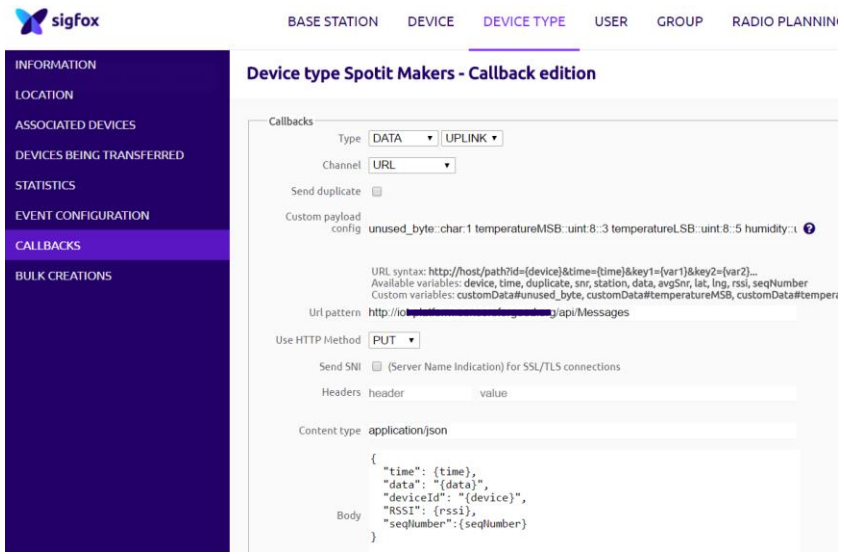
First steps

- Go to https://backend.sigfox.com/activate/ to register your board
  - Enter the ID and PAC values given by the previous example
- Select your device type to configure the callback to your application server



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Next

- https://github.com/aureleq/hackathon-casino to read about other examples
  - example-ble-sigfox

- Check online documentation
  - Pycom: https://docs.pycom.io/pycom_esp32/index.html
  - Callbacks: https://backend.sigfox.com/apidocs/callback
  - Sigfox geolocation: https://github.com/luisomoreau/iot-platform#add-sigfox-geolocalisation-service

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