

IoT Cloud Systems

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Outline

- Cloud computing
- Internet of Things (IoT)
- IoT and Cloud integration models
- IoT Cloud Systems
- Services Engineering for IoT cloud systems

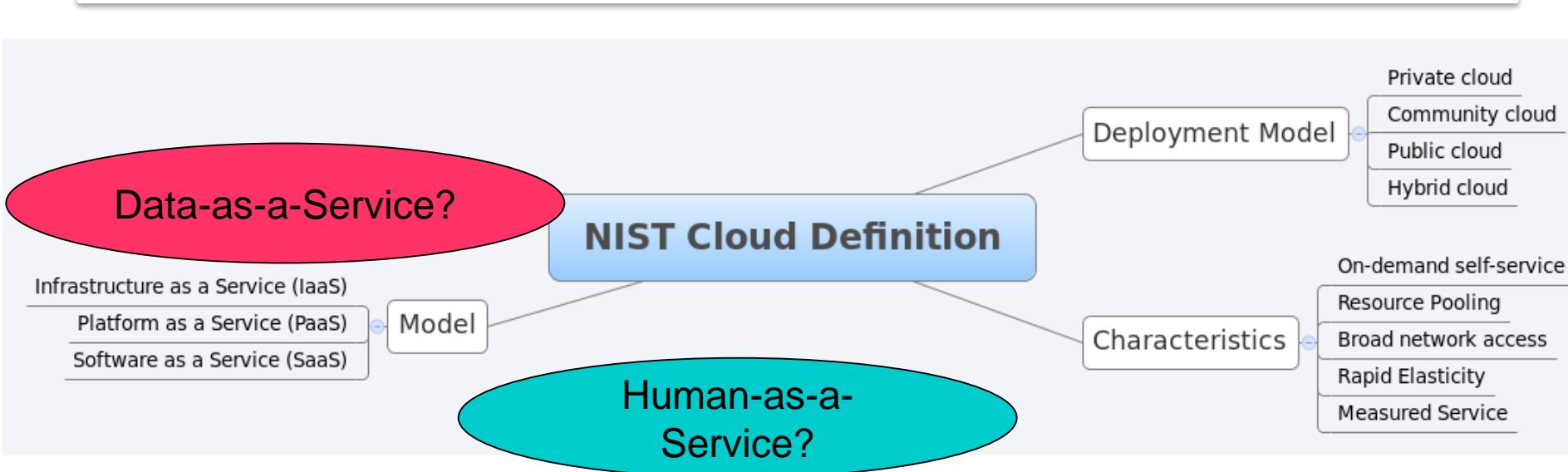


CLOUD

NIST Cloud definitions

“This cloud model promotes availability and is composed of five essential **characteristics**, three **service models**, and four **deployment models**.”

Source: NIST Definition of Cloud Computing v15, <http://csrc.nist.gov/groups/SNS/cloud-computing/cloud-def-v15.doc>



Some enabling techniques

- On-demand self- services
 - Self-*, automatic service composition
- Resource pooling
 - Virtualization, Cluster/Grid techniques, data center management
- Broad network access
 - SOA, mobile, Internet technologies, interoperability APIs
- Rapid elasticity
 - Self-*, resource management, performance monitoring
- Measured service
 - Service contract, monitoring, billing



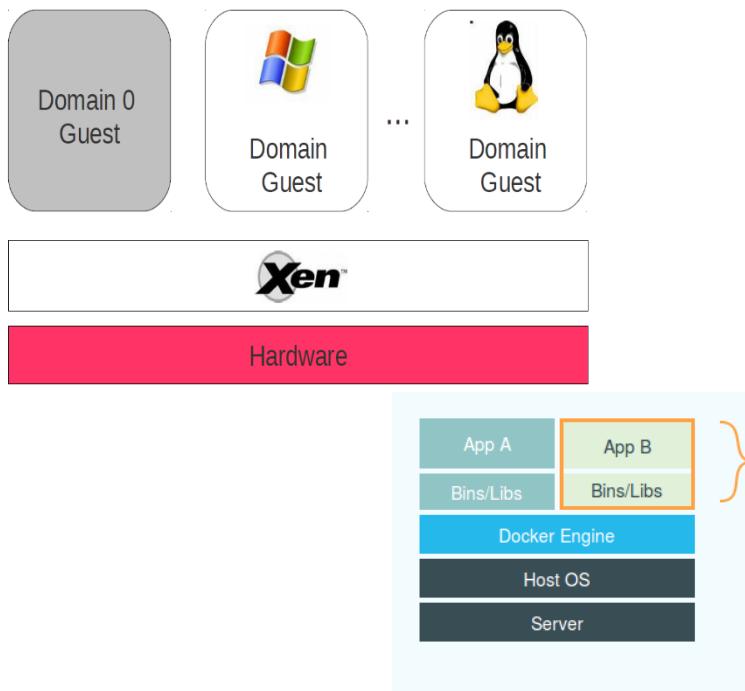
Key engineering techniques

- **Virtualization**
 - Compute resources (VMs, containers), networks, data, etc.
- **Composition and orchestration**
 - REST/SOAP services, scalable protocols and rich sets of connectors for integration
 - Private, Public and Hybrid clouds
 - Complex topologies of resources/services
- **On demand and pay-per-use**
 - Dynamic and runtime features (for virtualization, composition, and orchestration)
 - Hot deployment techniques, fine-grained monitoring
- **Elasticity engineering**
 - Resources, quality and cost based on customer-specific runtime constraints

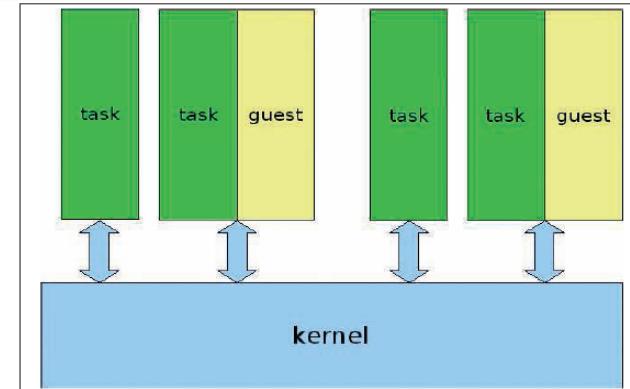


Virtualization of machines using hypervisors

Source: The XEN Hypervisor (<http://www.xen.org/>)



Source: Kernel-based Virtual Machine (http://www.linux-kvm.org/page/Main_Page)



Docker

The Docker Engine container comprises just the application and its dependencies. It runs as an isolated process in userspace on the host operating system, sharing the kernel with other containers. Thus, it enjoys the resource isolation and allocation benefits of VMs but is much more portable and efficient.

Virtualization is a powerful concept: we can apply virtualization techniques virtually for everything!



Key applications

- Enterprise services
- IoT
- Big data
- High Performance Computing

We have private, public and hybrid models of cloud systems

Hybrid and Multi Clouds

NIST on Hybrid clouds: “*The cloud infrastructure is a composition of two or more clouds (private, community, or public) that remain unique entities but are bound together by standardized or proprietary technology that enables data and application portability (e.g., cloud bursting for load-balancing between clouds).*”

- Multi-cloud environments/federated clouds
 - Switch and combine multiple clouds
 - May or may not be “*bound together by standardized or proprietary technology*”

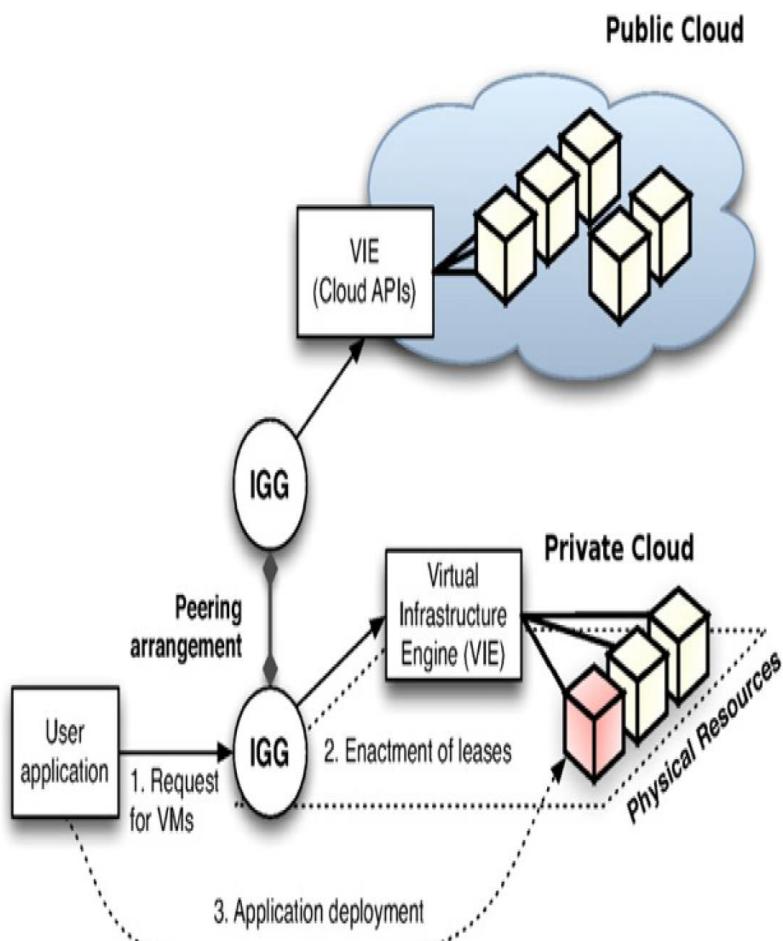


Engineering your services on top of distributed clouds

- Interoperability protocols for multiple level of abstractions
 - Virtual machines, networks, cloud management APIs
- Security cross multiple domains
- Complex data governance policies and service contracts
- Complex billing and monitoring
- Which resource models you need?
 - Cloud bursting
 - Multi-cloud distributed services

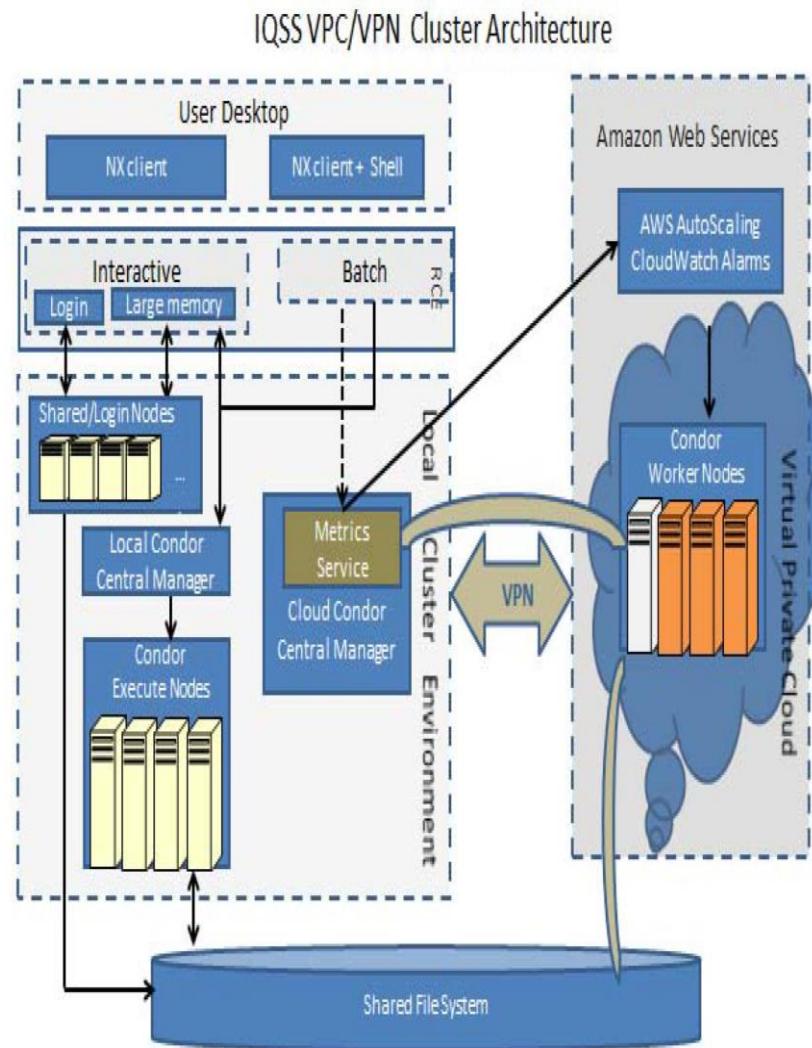


Examples



Source: Bahman Javadi, Jemal Abawajy, Rajkumar Buyya, Failure-aware resource provisioning for hybrid Cloud infrastructure, Journal of Parallel and Distributed Computing, Volume 72, Issue 10, October 2012, Pages 1318-1331, ISSN 0743-7315,

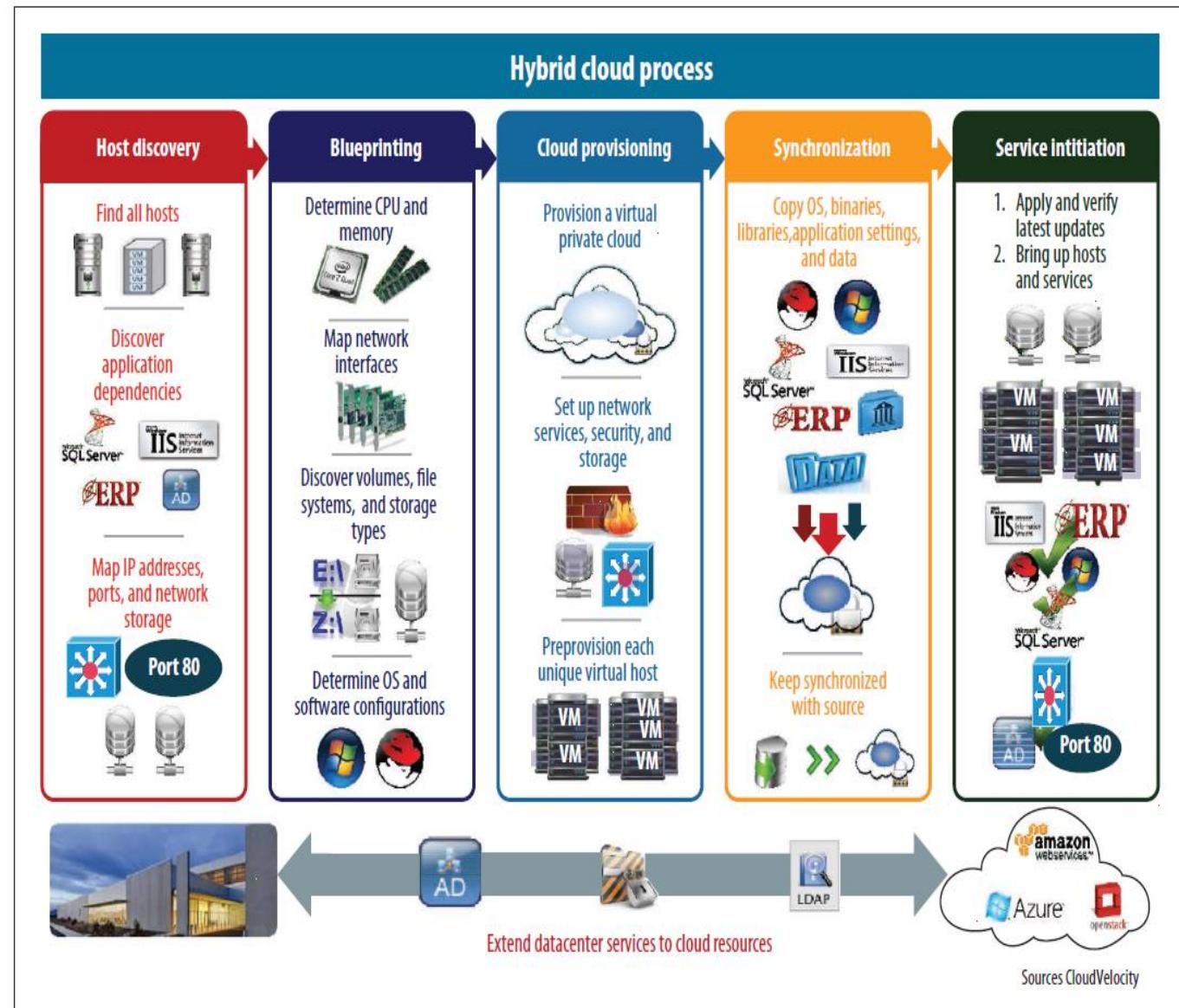
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Source: Steven Abramson, William Horka, and Leonard Wisniewski. 2014. A Hybrid Cloud Architecture for a Social Science Research Computing Data Center. In Proceedings of the 2014 IEEE 34th International Conference on Distributed Computing Systems Workshops (ICDCSW '14). IEEE Computer Society, Washington, DC, USA, 45-50

Hybrid cloud process

Source:
Neal Leavitt. 2013. Hybrid Clouds Move to the Forefront. Computer 46, 5 (May 2013), 15-18.



INTERNET OF THINGS (IOT)

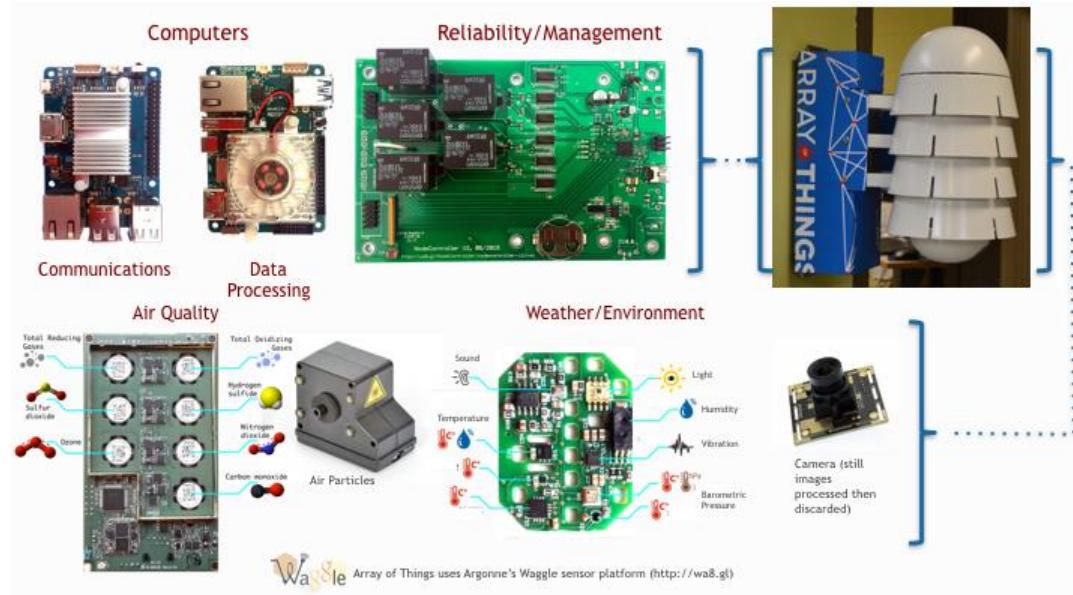
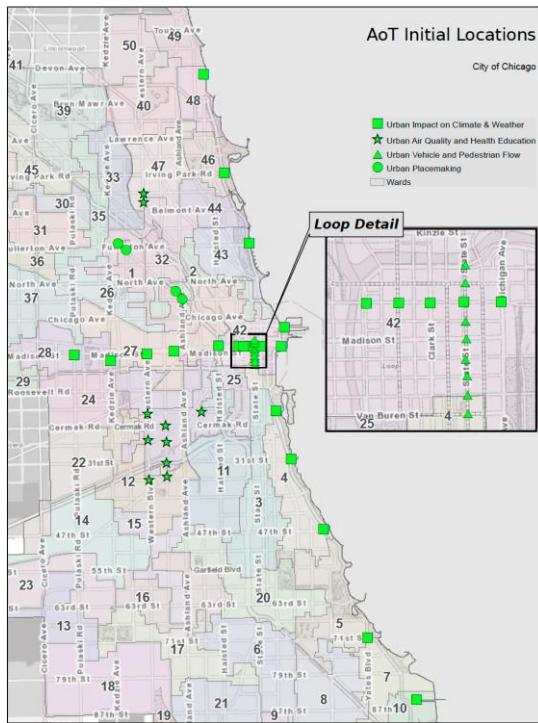


Scenarios

- Here is a typical way:
 - PC connects to Internet
 - Mobile phone connects to Internet
- Now we have
 - Coffee machine tells us that it is ready to serve us
 - Washing machine sends its status
 - Fridge will inform us that the food has been expired
 - Etc.



IoT data in Cities



<https://arrayofthings.github.io/node.html>



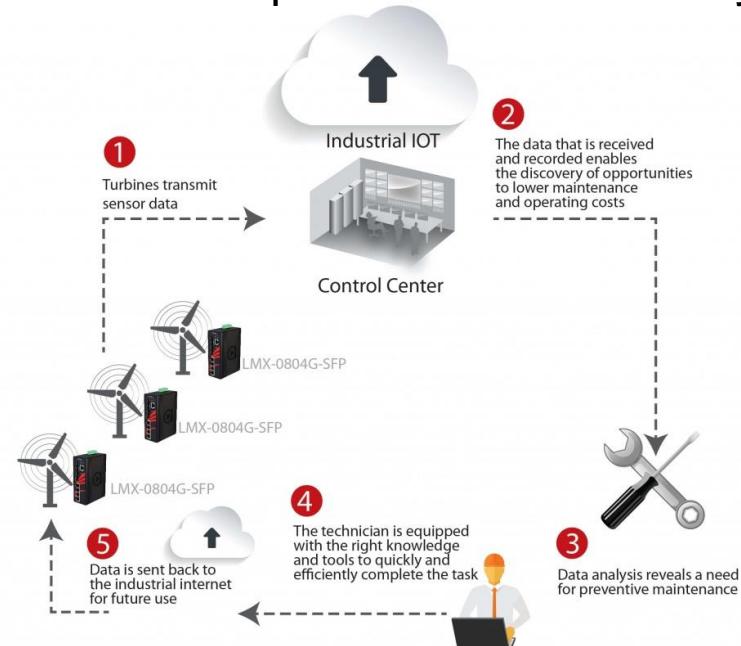
IoT in Industrial Internet

Monitoring
industrial
machines

Industry 4.0

IoT and big data
analytics are an
essential part in
manufacturing
processes

Example: Wind turbine analytics



Figures source:
<http://www.windpowerengineering.com/design/electrical/controls/wind-farm-networks/talking-turbines-internet-things/>



Quality of water management for fish farms



Source: Erik Christensen,
<http://www.sensorfish.eu/>

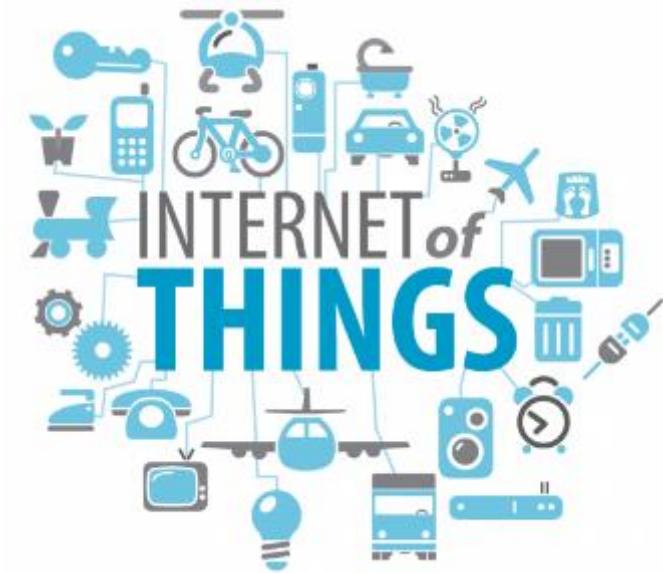


What are common things in these systems/applications?



Internet of Things (IoT)

- Things and Objects
 - Home
 - Official Business,
 - Hospital
 - Factory
 - Infrastructure



<http://www.control4.com/blog/2014/03/the-internet-of-things-and-the-connected-home>

- How to make such things and objects being connected and interacting each other? To be part of the Internet?
 - Why do we need this?



- Connecting physical and virtual Things to provide information infrastructures for advanced services and analytics
- Leveraging and integrating various communication protocols
- Different types of hardware/software components
 - Sensors & Actuators
 - Smart Tags and Transceiver/Receiver
 - IoT Gateways



Sensing and Actuating physical Things

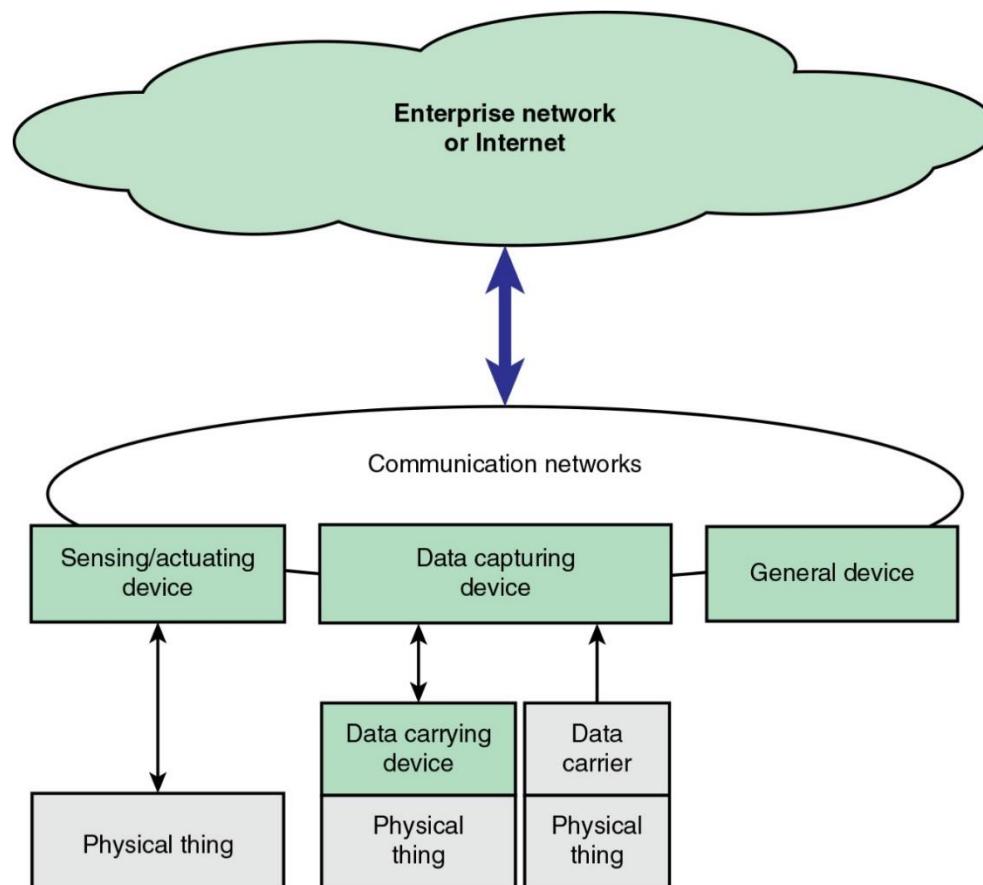


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Sensing and Actuating Things (2)

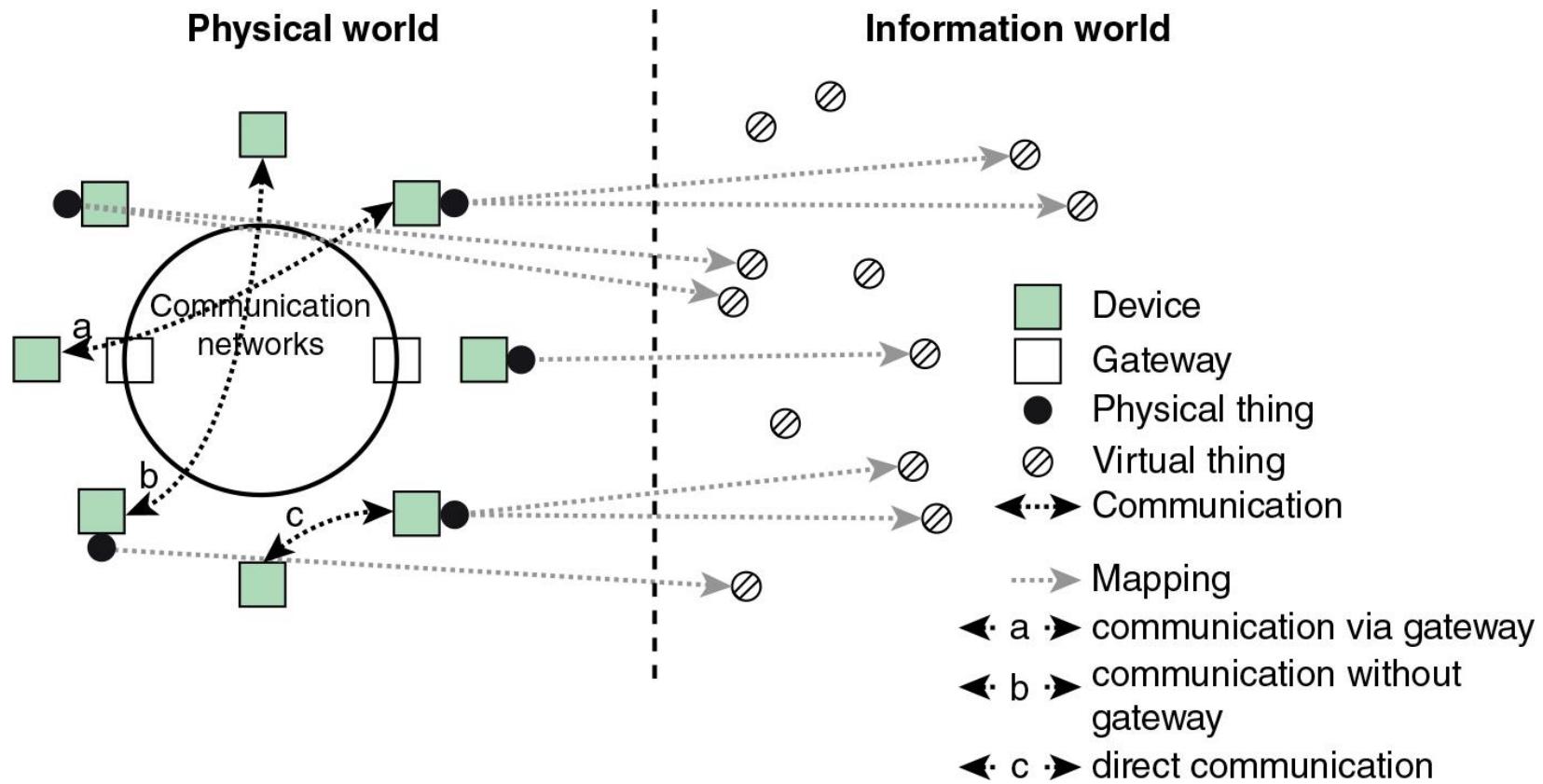
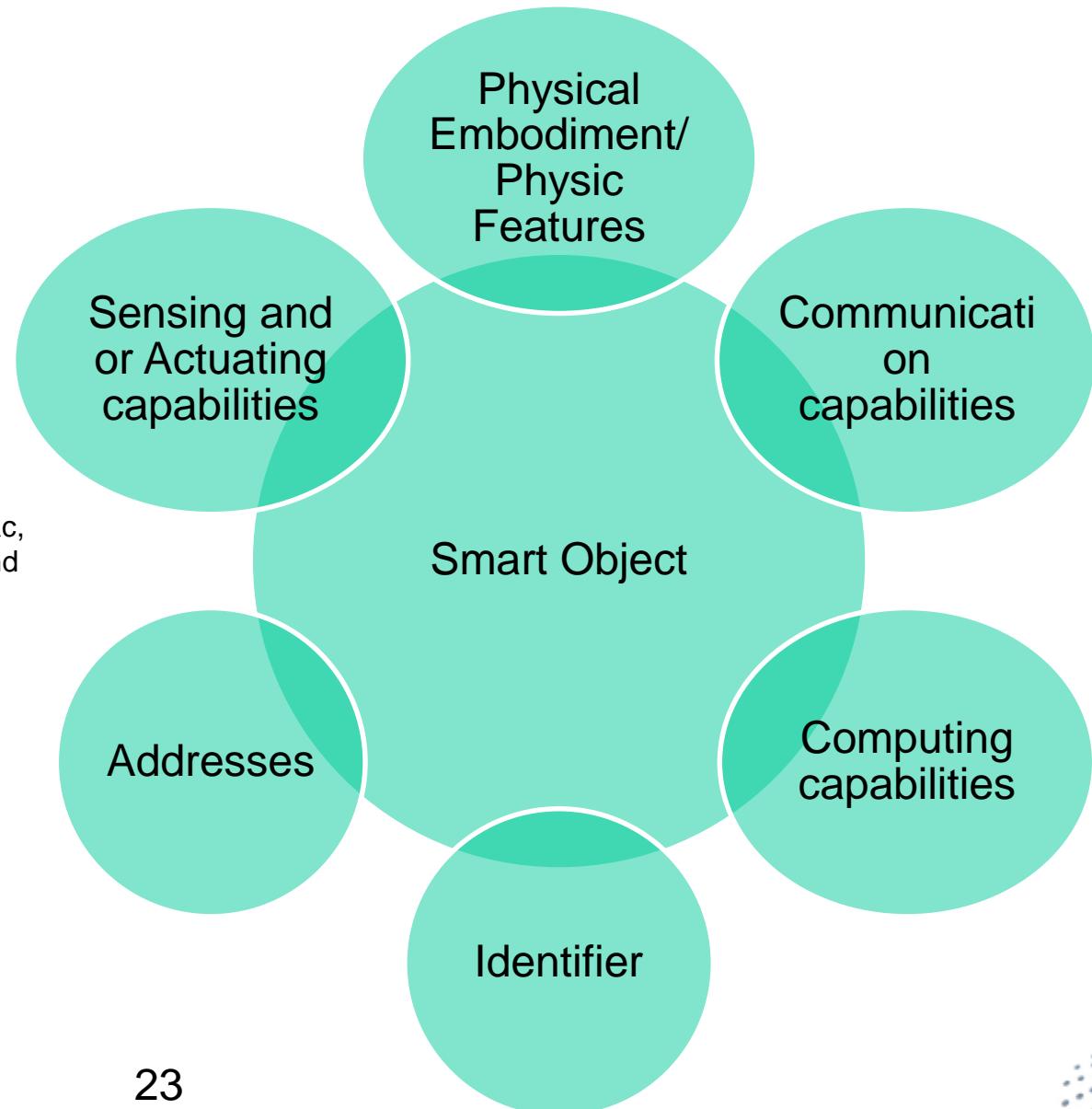


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Smart Object Encapsulating Thing

Daniele Miorandi, Sabrina Sicari,
Francesco De Pellegrini, Imrich Chlamtac,
Internet of things: Vision, applications and
research challenges, Ad Hoc Networks,
Volume 10, Issue 7, September 2012,
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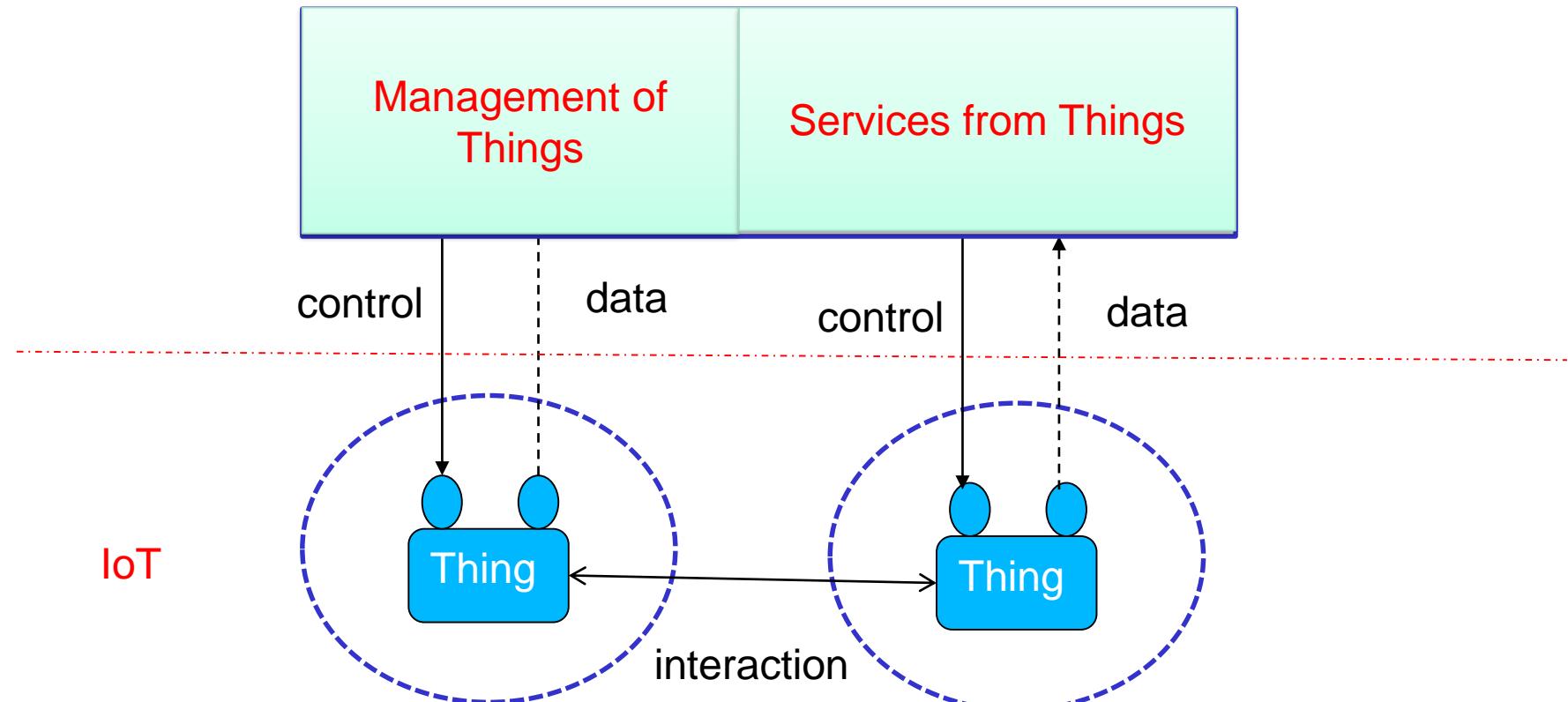


Key properties

- Diversity
 - Networks: Bluetooth, Ethernet, GPRS, LoRa, ZigBee, Wi-Fi, NFC/RFID, GPS, LonWorks, Modbus, RS-232, RS-485, etc.
 - Application protocols (HTTP, MQTT, CoAP, etc.)
- Scale
 - Network scale: Body → Home → City → Internet-scale!
 - Vertical/horizontal domain objects to be studied/managed
- Complexity
 - Software stack, Network topology



Management versus Service Offering



Connecting Things to Services

Conceptual view

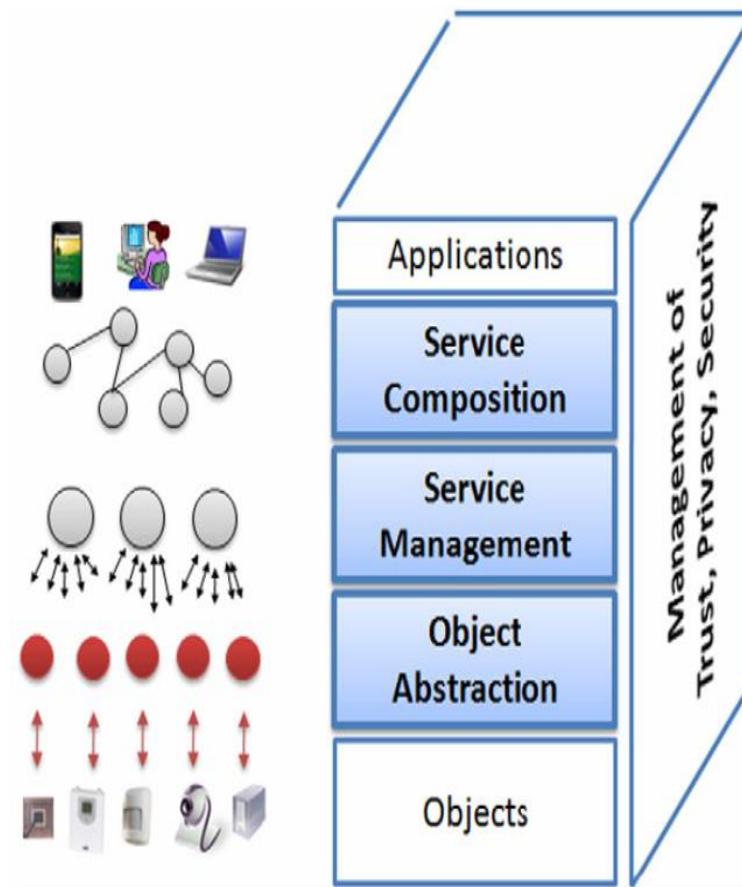


Fig. 2. SOA-based architecture for the IoT middleware.

Source: Luigi Atzori, Antonio Iera, Giacomo Morabito, The Internet of Things: A survey, Computer Networks, Volume 54, Issue 15, 28 October 2010, Pages 2787-2805, ISSN 1389-1286



Common Interactions



Fig. 2. Common Communication Patterns in IoT Applications. There are mainly three types of common patterns

Source: Charith Perera, Chi Harold Liu, Srimal Jayawardena: The Emerging Internet of Things Marketplace From an Industrial Perspective: A Survey. IEEE Trans. Emerging Topics Comput. 3(4): 585-598 (2015)



Large-scale IoT infrastructure

<https://www.thethingsnetwork.org/community>

<https://www.sigfox.com/en/coverage>



IoT Marketplaces

IoT applications and components can be bought and deployed from marketplaces

similar to VMs, docker, and software services in the cloud

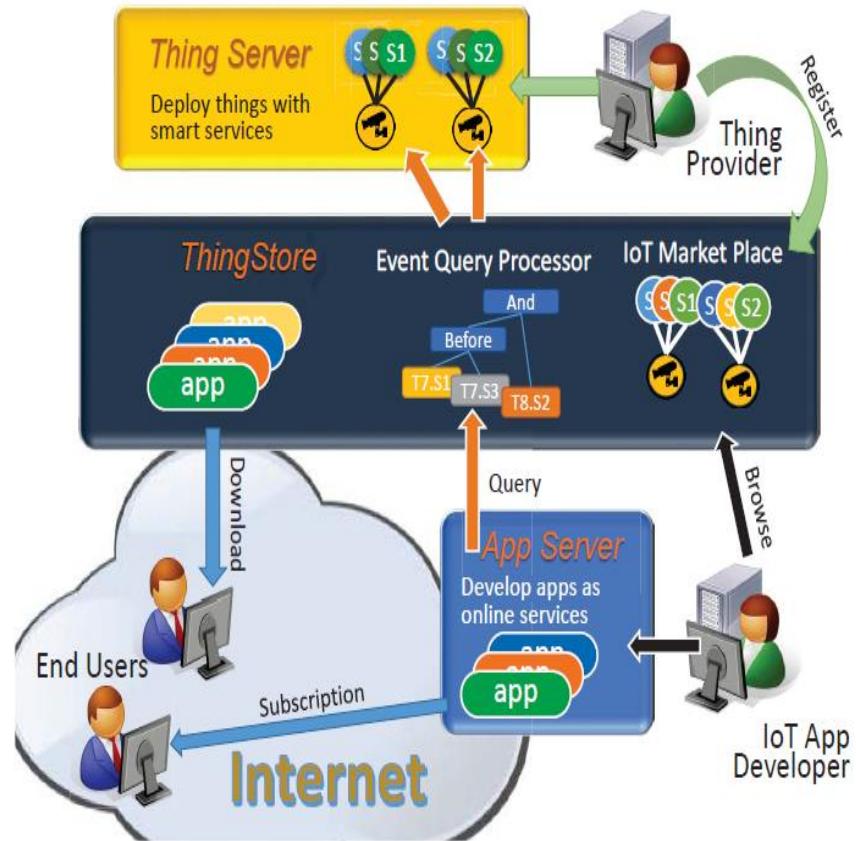
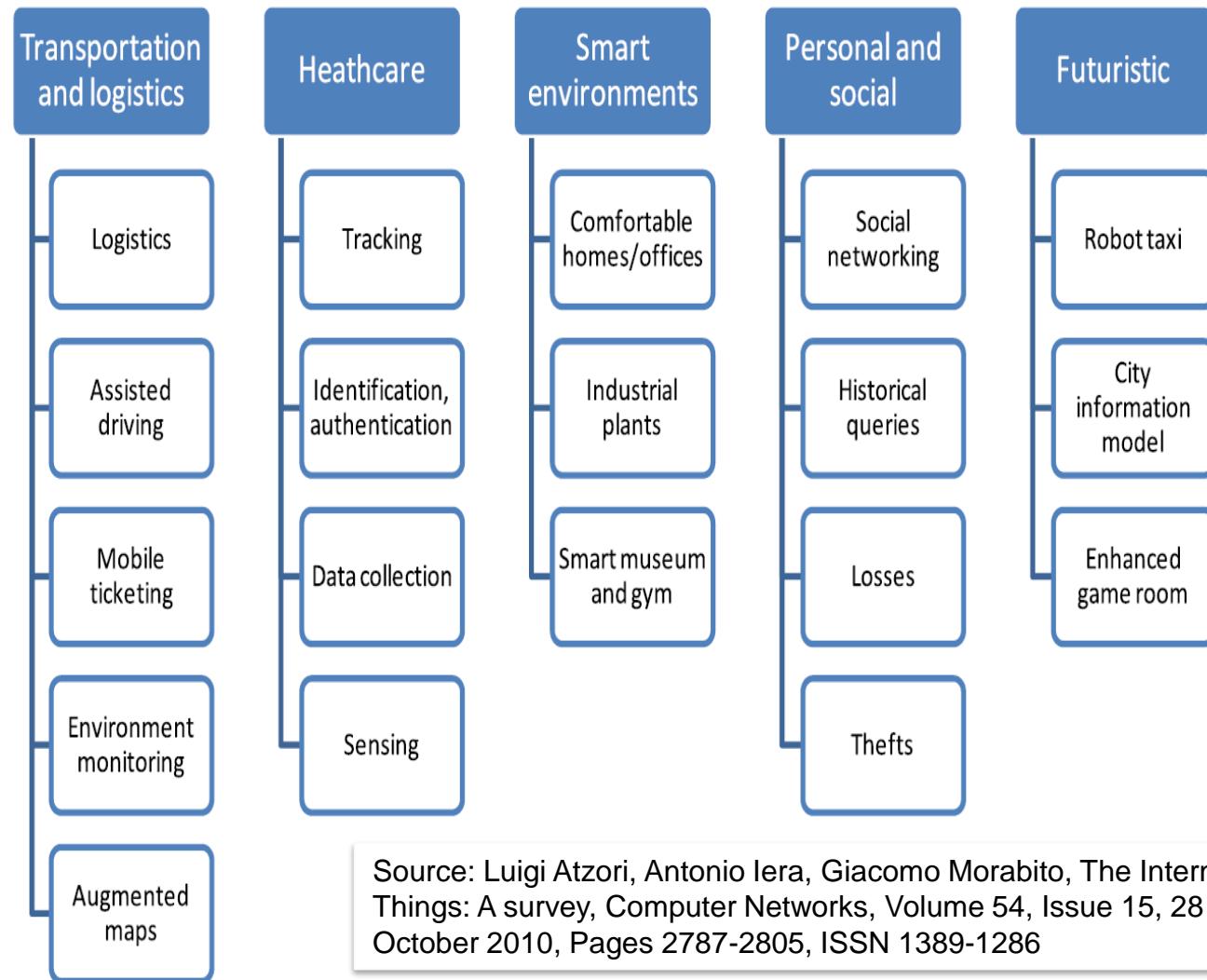


Figure 1: The IoT environment and ThingStore

Source: Kutalmis Akpinar, Kien A. Hua, Kai Li:
 ThingStore: a platform for internet-of-things application development and deployment. DEBS 2015: 162-173



Application domains



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SOME COMMUNICATION PROTOCOLS FOR IOT

Layers of IoT Data Exchange and Processing

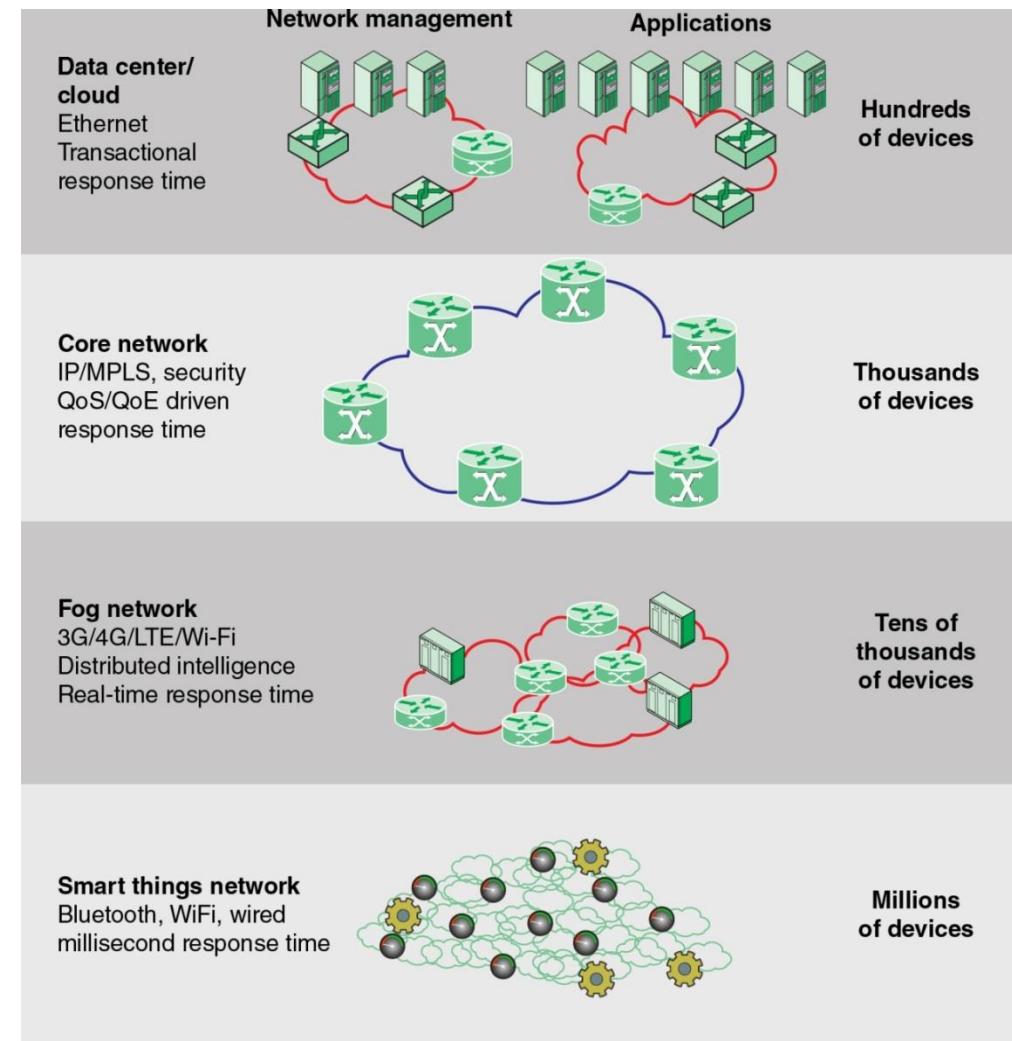


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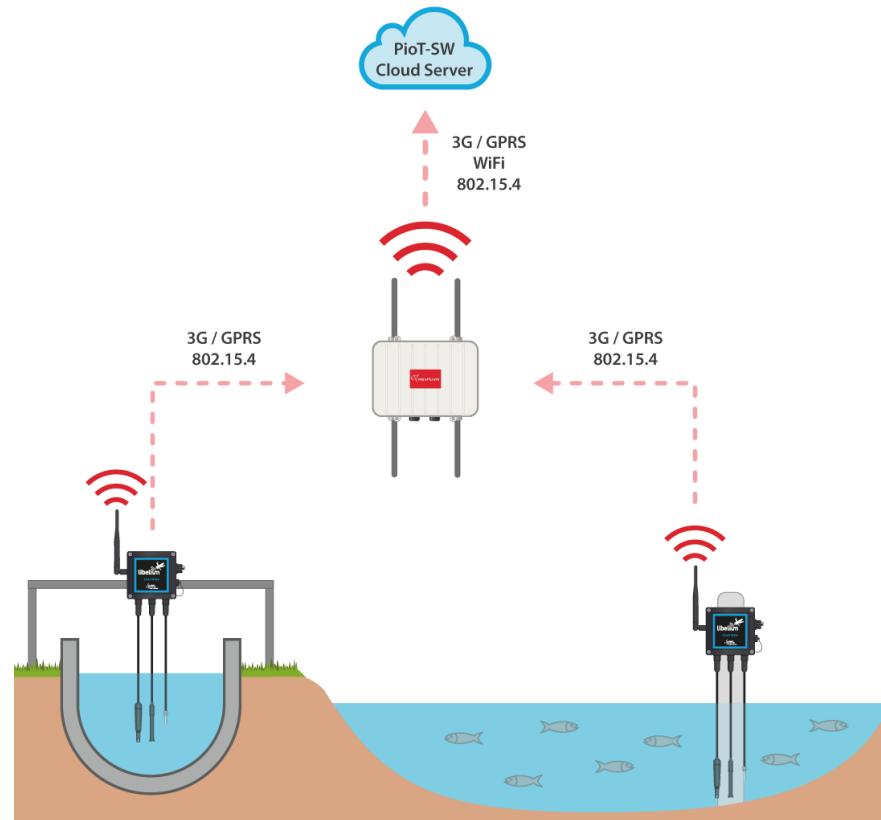
3G/4G for IoT

- IoT devices have 3G/4G networks
- Hardware/software sensing and actuating Things
- Data and control commands are exchanged through mobile networks of 3G/4G



Application Example

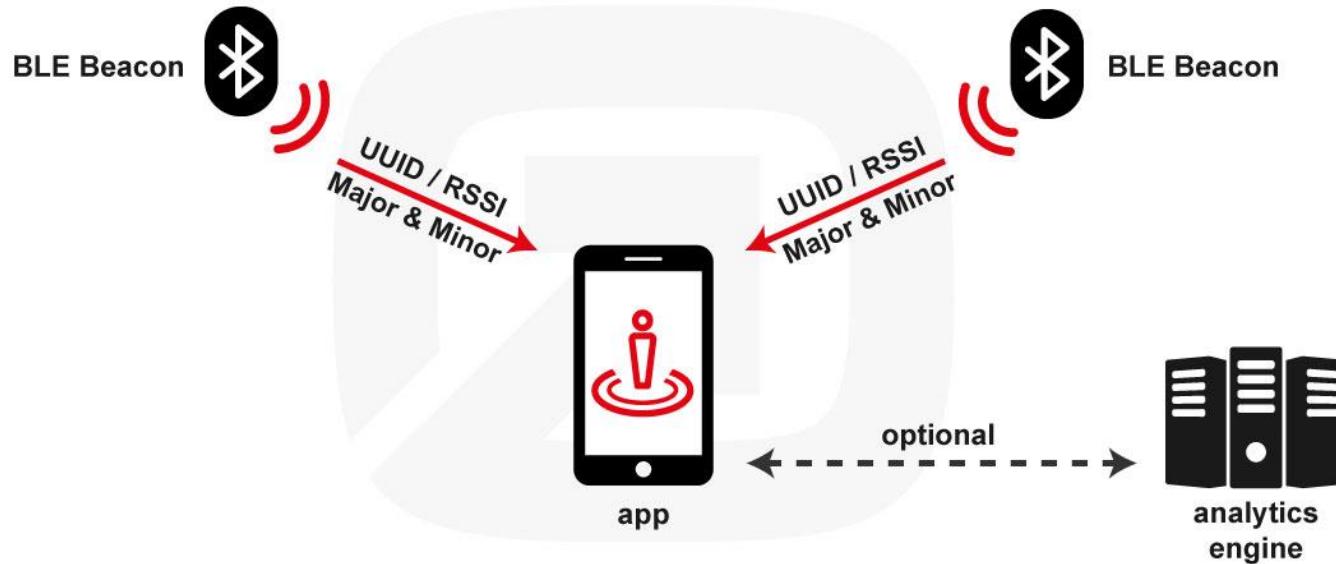
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- Wireless personal area networks
- Applications:
 - Indoor location
 - Asset tracking
 - Etc.



Indoor navigation



Source: <http://www.indoornavigation.com/wiki-en/indoor-navigation-using-bluetooth-ble-and-beacons>

Note: there will be a talk from Prof. Moustafa Youssef (http://dsp.acm.org/view_lecturer.cfm?lecturer_id=5063) from 15-17 pm, 2nd May , 2017



Beacons



Source: <http://estimote.com/>

BACNet

- Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Networks
 - <http://www.bacnet.org/>
- Applications:
 - HVAC (heating, ventilating and air conditioning) applications, lighting control, fire alarm, etc.



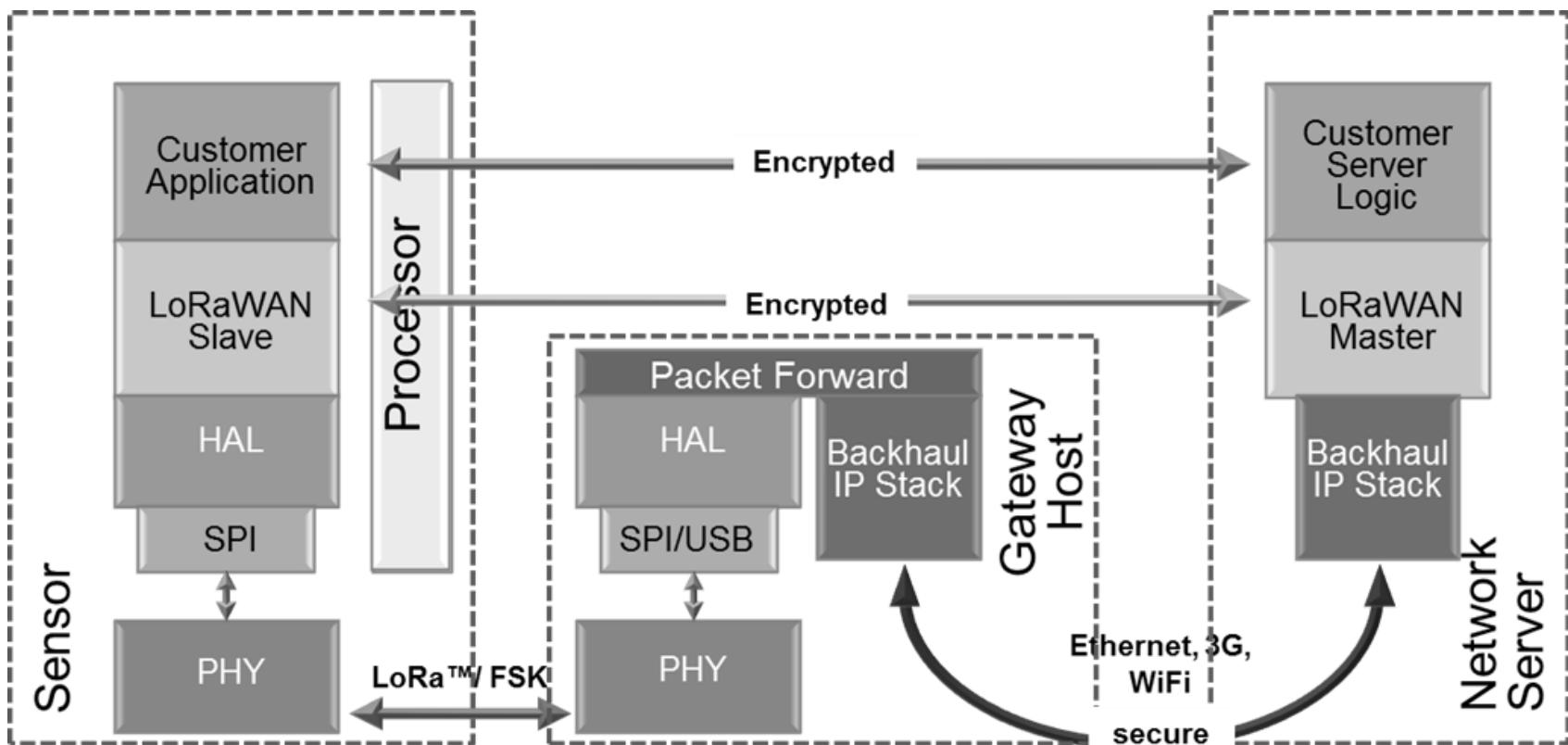
ZigBee

- <http://www.zigbee.org/>
- On top of 802.15.4 for personal network area (PAN)
- Suitable for smart home applications, metering, lighting systems



LoraWAN

- Up to 15 kms in the country side



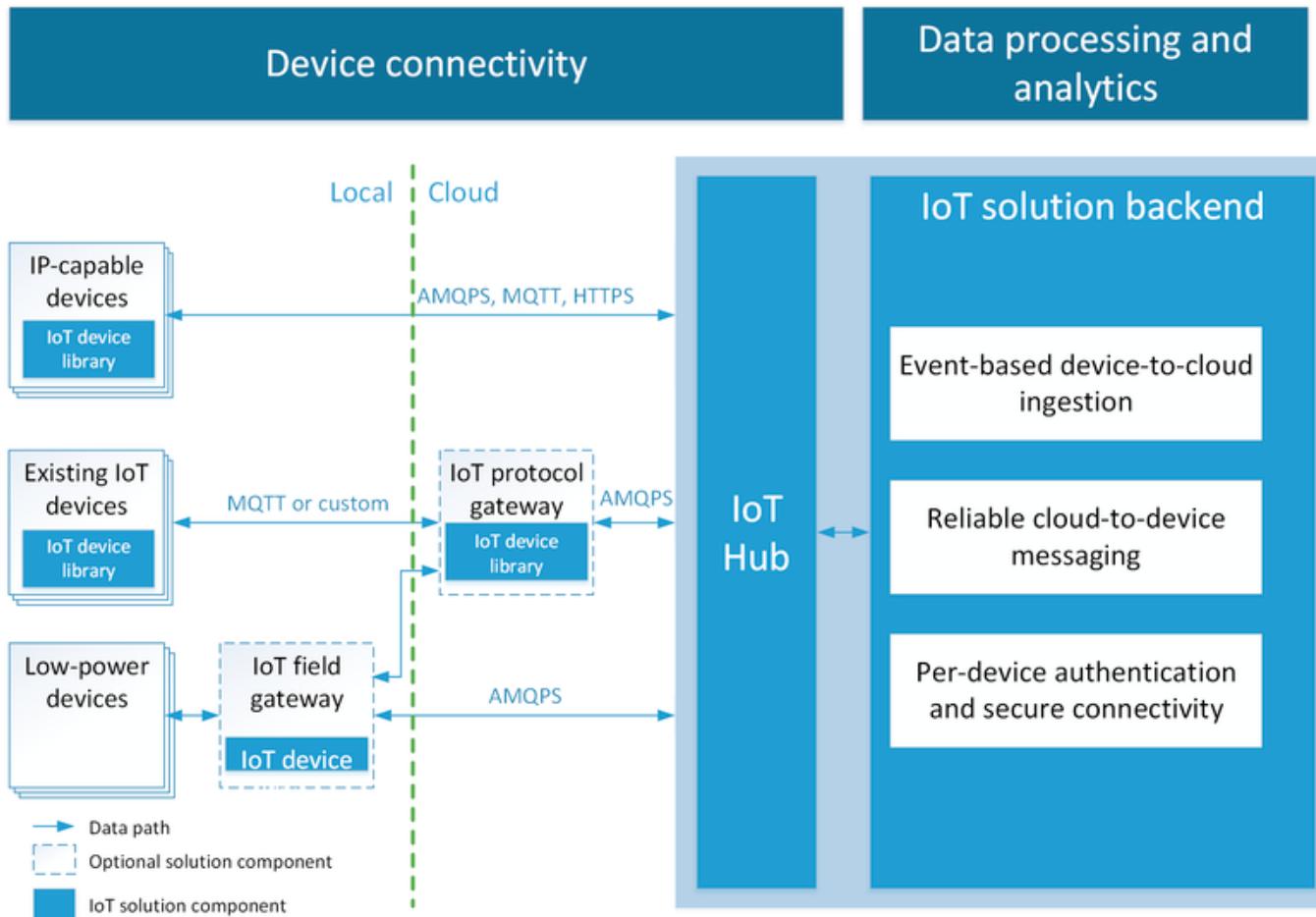
Source: <https://www.lora-alliance.org/What-Is-LoRa/Technology>



Water sensors with Waspmote/LoraWAN



Azure IoT



Source: <https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/documentation/articles/iot-hub-what-is-iot-hub/>



Amazon

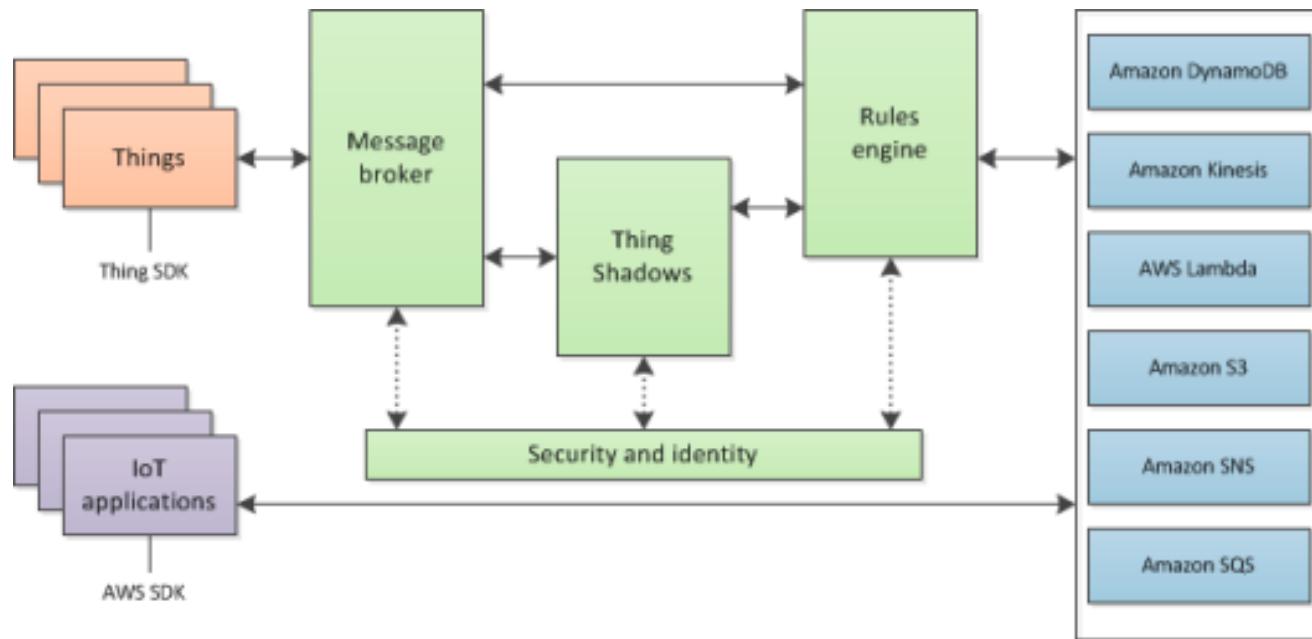
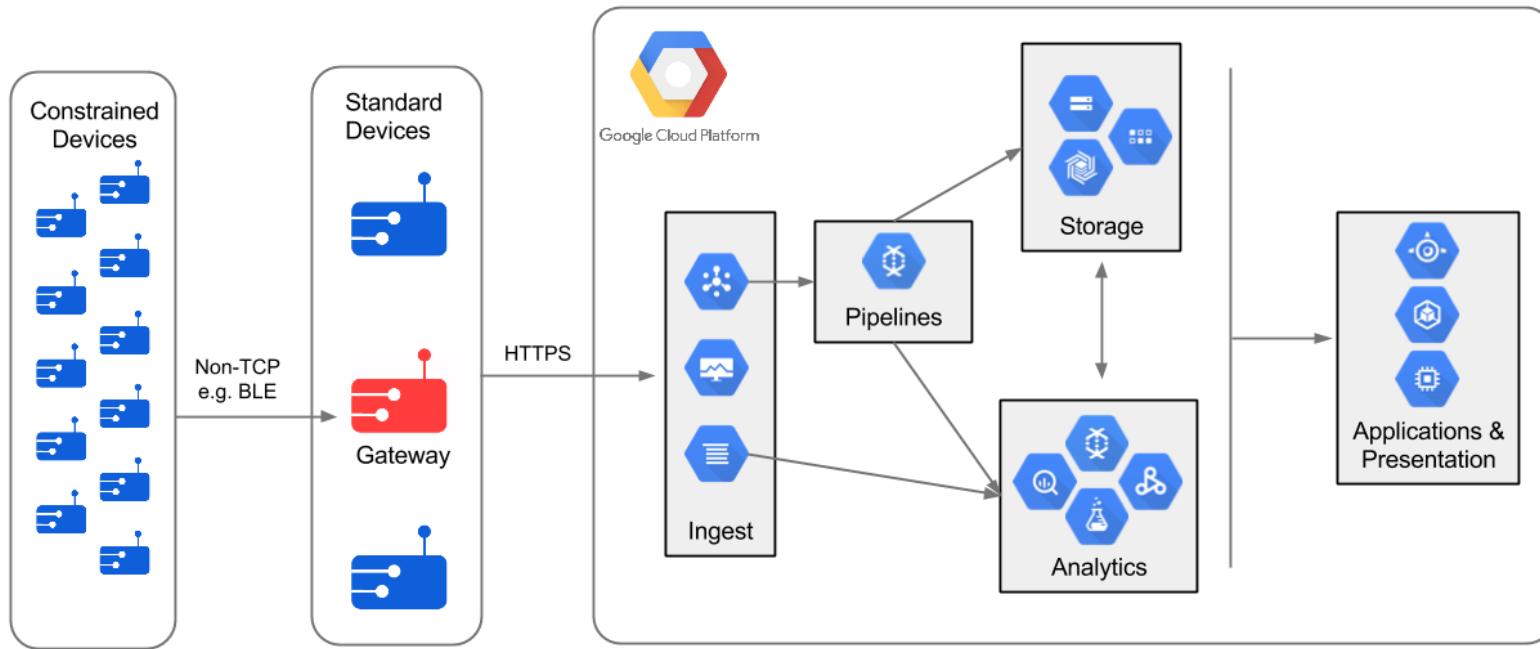


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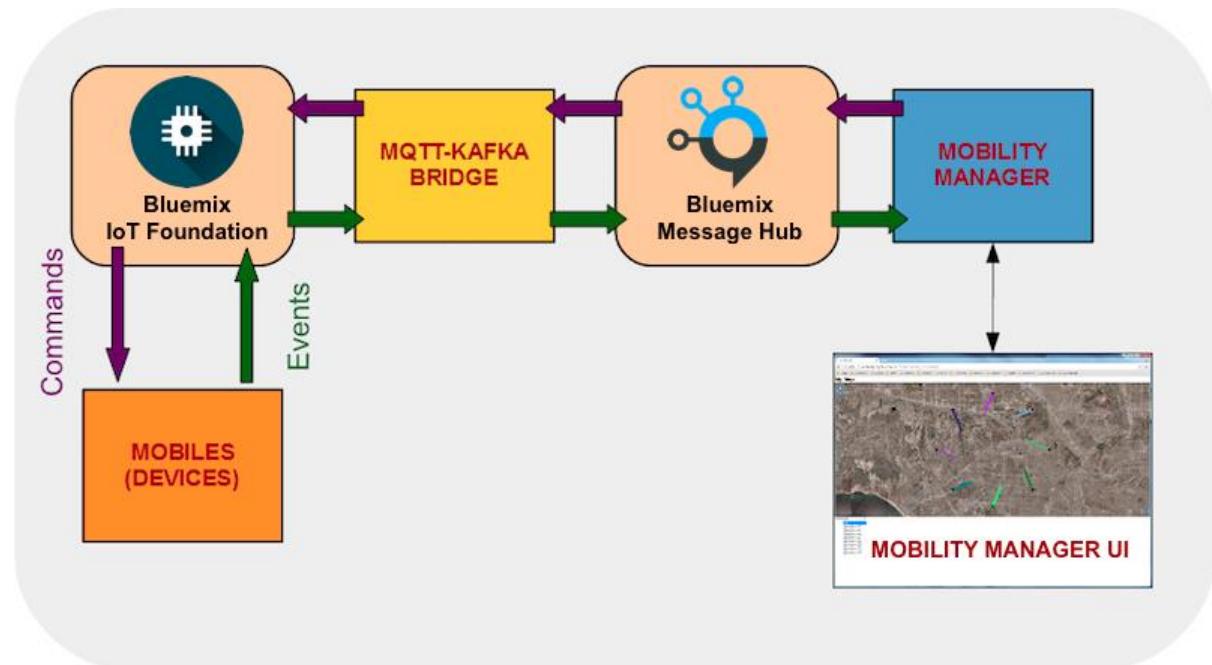
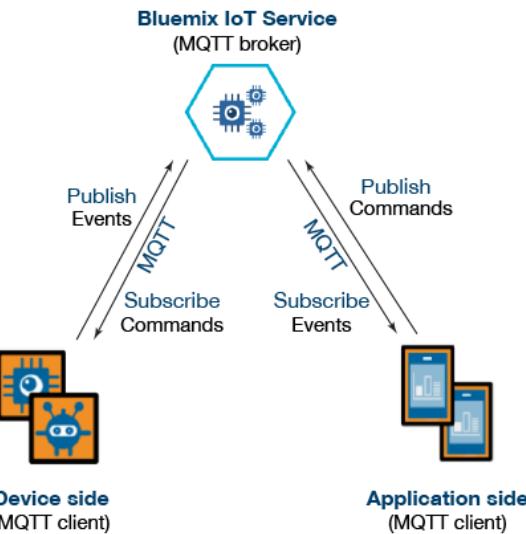
Example: IoT scenario



Source: <https://cloud.google.com/solutions/architecture/streamprocessing>



BlueMIX



<http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/cloud/library/cl-mqtt-bluemix-iot-node-red-app/>

Source: <https://www.ibm.com/blogs/bluemix/2016/02/managing-iot-devices-with-kafka-and-mqtt/>

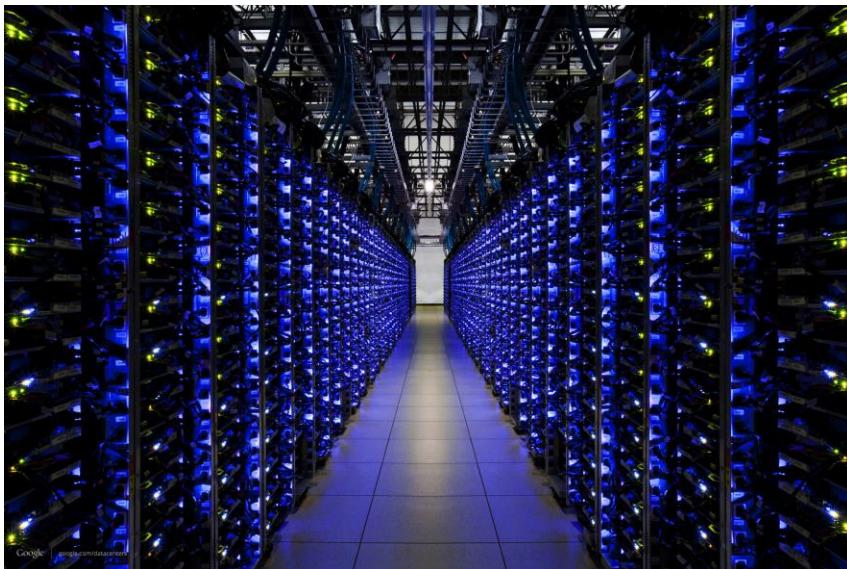


IOT + CLOUD INTEGRATION



Connecting data centers to IoT

Data Center: Processing, Storage, Networking, Management, Distribution



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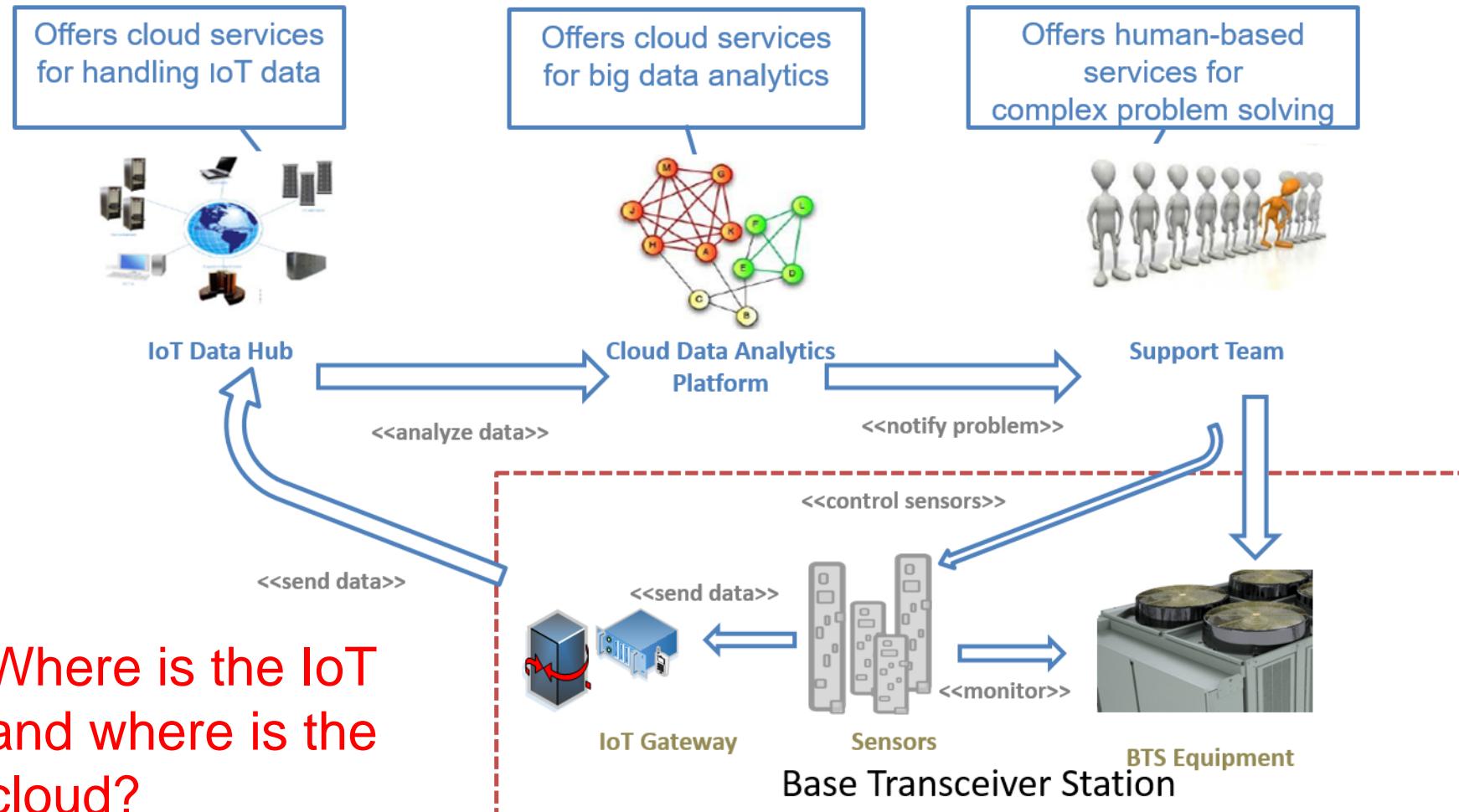
IoT devices: Gateways, Sensors, Actuators, Topologies of Gateways



Source:
<http://www.control4.com/blog/2014/03/the-internet-of-things-and-the-connected-home>



Predictive Maintenance in Telcos



- IoT elements at the edge
 - Software sensors and actuators interfacing “Things”
 - IoT Gateways: processing, relaying and controlling
 - lightweighted hardware/software acting as intermediate nodes between sensors/actuators and back-end cloud services
- Cloud services at (big) centralized data centers
 - Software services and data: complex event processing, data services, data analytics, etc.
- Connectivity
 - Network middleware and protocols within/among IoT and clouds
- IoT-to-Cloud
 - Several systems in the middleware



IoT Cloud Systems

- We have a lot of data
- IoT sends data to the cloud
- Cloud services handle data
 - Ingest data
 - Store data
 - Analyze data

Networking issues:

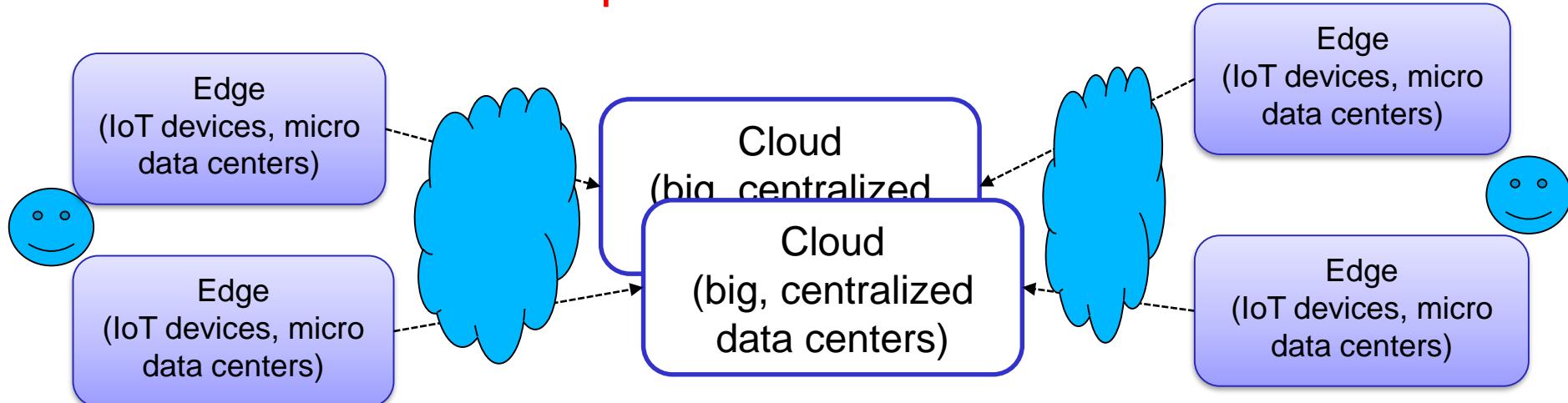
- Within IoT networks
- In connectivity from IoT to cloud,
- Among services handling IoT data in Cloud



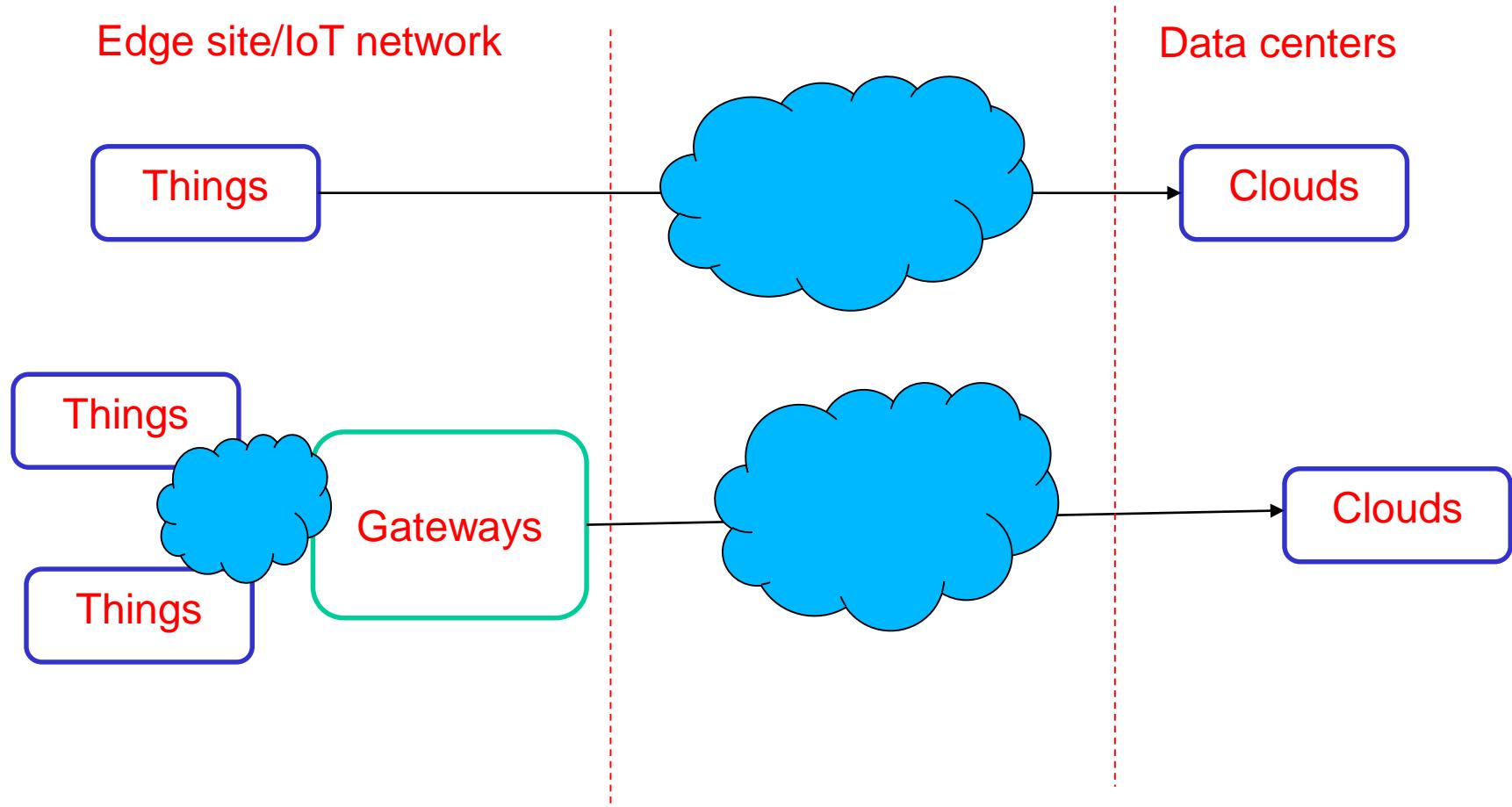
Current trends in IoT/CPS and Clouds

- Fog computing, edge computing, Mobile-Edge Computing, Edge-centric computing, cloudlets, Cloud of IoTs, distributed clouds (centralized data centers and micro data centers), cloud-assisted IoT, etc.

Simple view



Cloud-centric IoT approach



Example – Look at the Internet

It's simple to connect any hardware platform you can think of to Xively. Take a look at just a few examples in guided tours below, and then browse the [hardware page](#) for more ideas.

**Xively Jumpstart Kit,
ARM® mbed Edition**

Powered by ARM® and loaded with inputs and outputs. Prototype your idea in no time flat.

**TSmarT**

Try NFC and Zigbee with the TSmarT line of hardware from TST

**Raspberry Pi**

Try a Linux project with the Pi, and hook it up to Xively

**Arduino WiFi**

Connect an Arduino to Xively using the official Arduino WiFi shield

**Electric Imp as a
Gateway**

Use the Electric Imp as a serial-connected wireless gateway for the microcontroller of your choice



Xively Platform in
Cloud

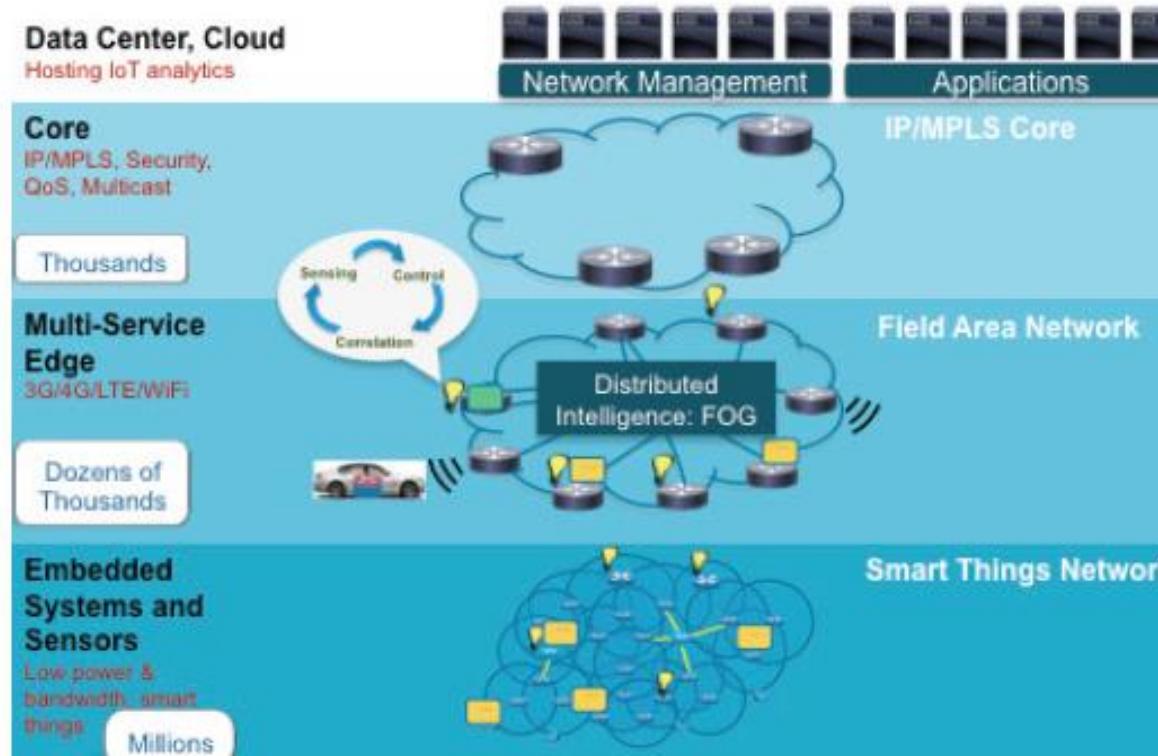
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Read: Alessio Botta, Walter de Donato, Valerio Persico, Antonio Pescapè:
On the Integration of Cloud Computing and Internet of Things. 23-30:



Fog computing

The Internet of Thing Architecture and Fog Computing

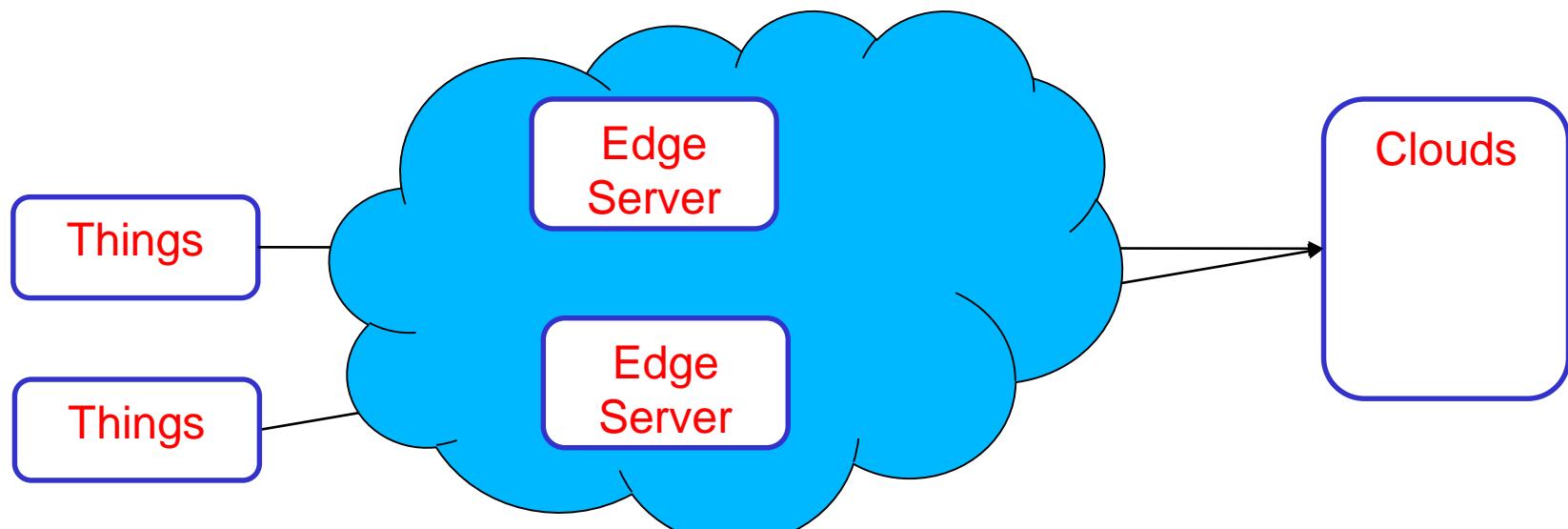


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Mobile-Edge computing/Fog Computing

Edge-centric IoT approach



Edge server: network functions, storage, processing, etc



Mobile Edge Computing

“Mobile Edge Computing provides an IT service environment and cloud computing capabilities at the edge of the mobile network, within the Radio Access Network (RAN) and in close proximity to mobile subscribers. The aim is to reduce latency, ensure highly efficient network operation and service delivery, and offer an improved user experience.”

Source ETSI,

http://www.etsi.org/images/files/ETSIWhitePapers/etsi_wp11_mec_a_key_technology_towards_5g.pdf



Video analytics + business applications/public security

Use Case 3: Video Analytics

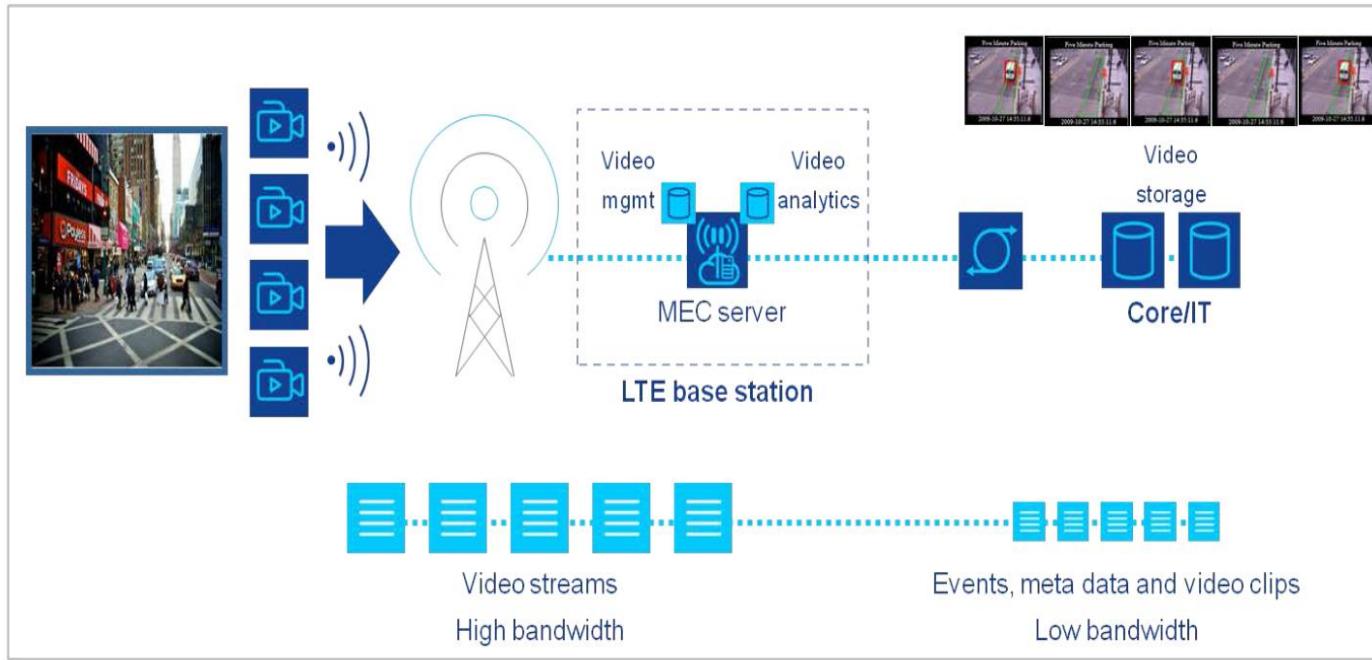


Figure 4: Example of video analytics

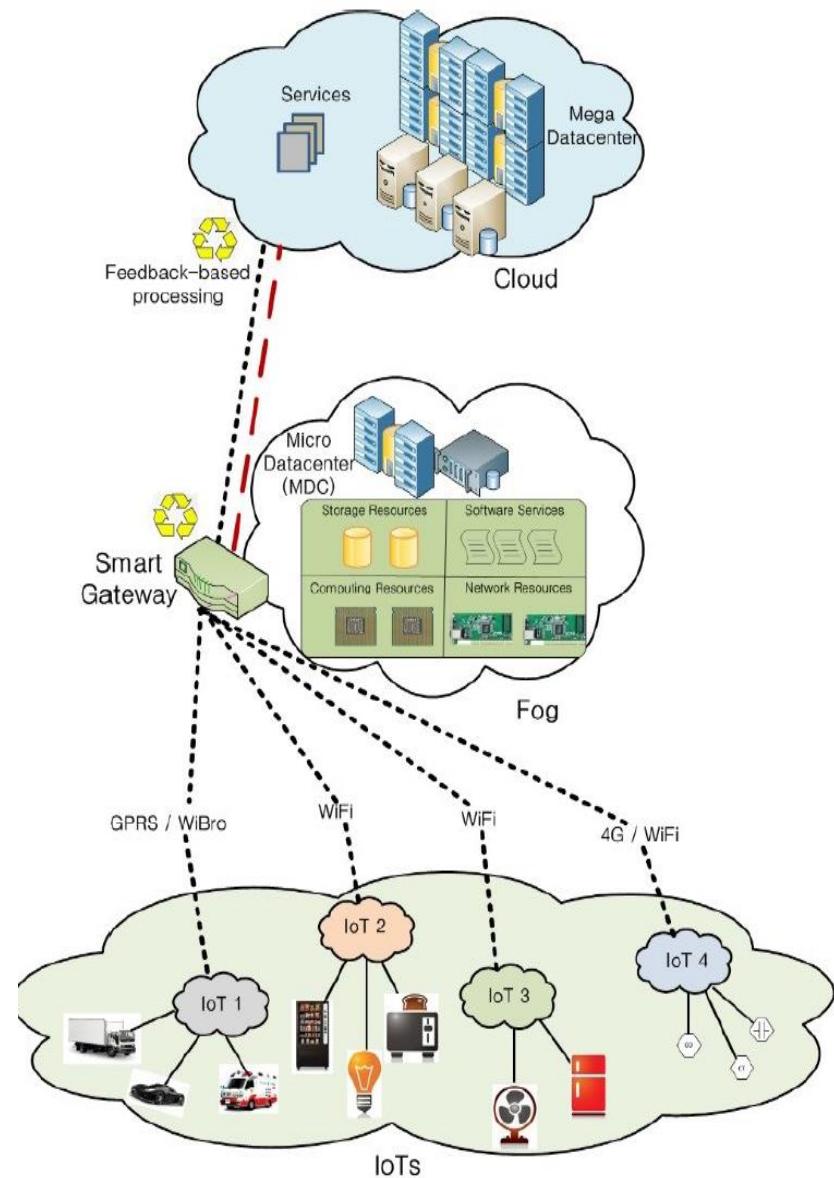
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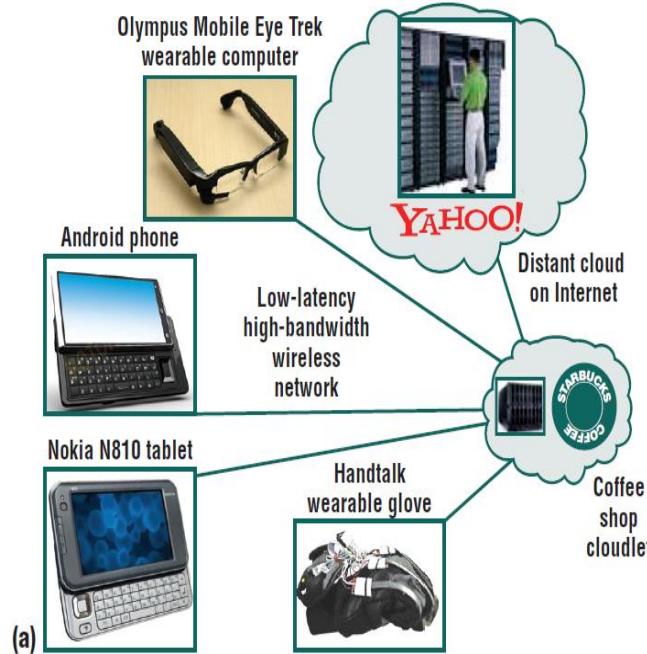
Micro data center

Source: Mohammad Aazam, Eui-Nam Huh:
 Fog Computing Micro Datacenter Based Dynamic
 Resource Estimation and Pricing Model for IoT. AINA
 2015: 687-694



----- Conventional communication
 - - - - - 'Smart' communication (feedback based)
 Figure 1. Smart Gateway with Fog computing.

Cloudlet



	Cloudlet	Cloud
State	Only soft state	Hard and soft state
Management	Self-managed; little to no professional attention	Professionally administered, 24X 7 operator
Environment	"Datacenter in a box" at business premises	Machine room with power conditioning and cooling
Ownership	Decentralized ownership by local business	Centralized ownership by Amazon, Yahoo!, etc.
Network	LAN latency/bandwidth	Internet latency/bandwidth
Sharing	Few users at a time	100s-1000s of users at a time

Figure 4. What is a cloudlet? (a) The cloudlet concept involves proximate computing infrastructure that can be leveraged by mobile devices; it has (b) some key differences with the basic cloud computing concept.

Source: Mahadev Satyanarayanan, Paramvir Bahl, Ramón Cáceres, Nigel Davies:
 The Case for VM-Based Cloudlets in Mobile Computing. IEEE Pervasive Computing 8(4): 14-23 (2009)



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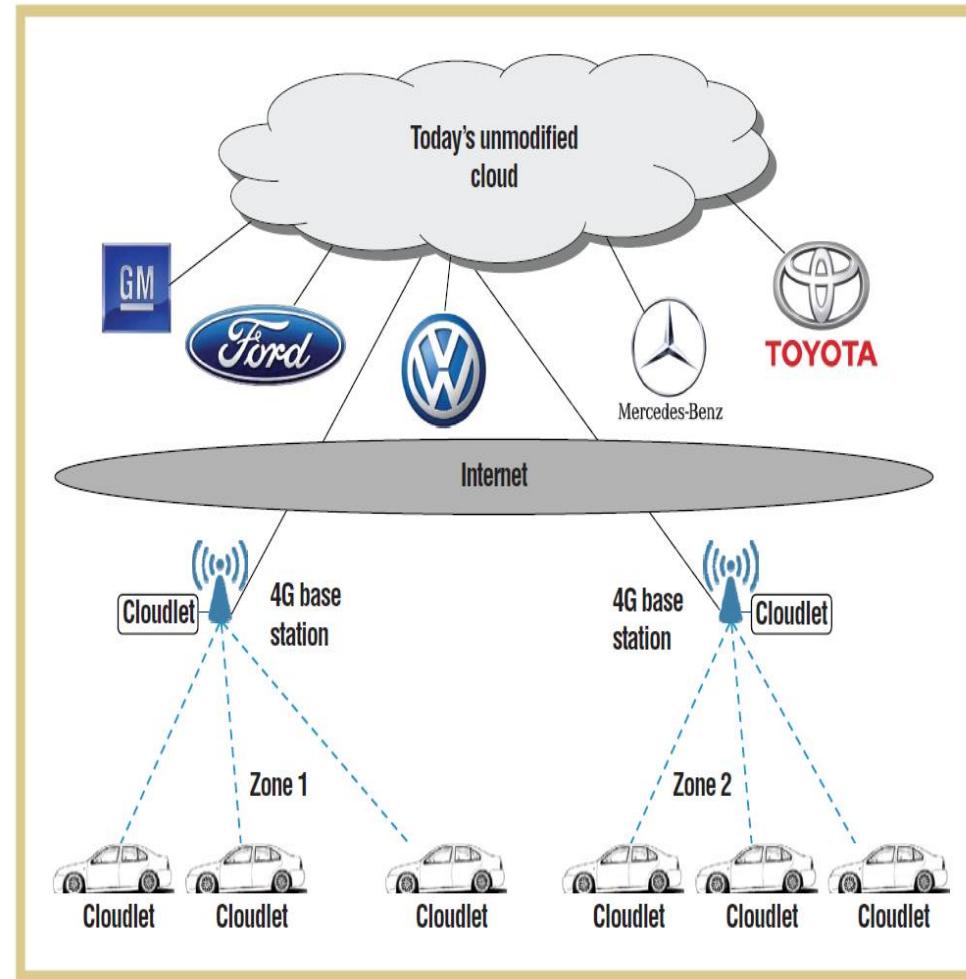


Figure 4. GigaSight for cars. Continuous capture and real-time analytics of car-mounted video cameras can help to improve road safety when shared via cell tower cloudlets.



Today's cyber-physical systems

“Cyber-physical systems integrate computation, communication, sensing, and actuation with physical systems to fulfill time-sensitive functions with varying degrees of interaction with the environment, including human interaction.”,

Source NIST,

<http://www.cspwg.org/Portals/3/docs/CPS%20PWG%20Draft%20Framework%20for%20Cyber-Physical%20Systems%20Release%200.8%20September%202015.pdf>



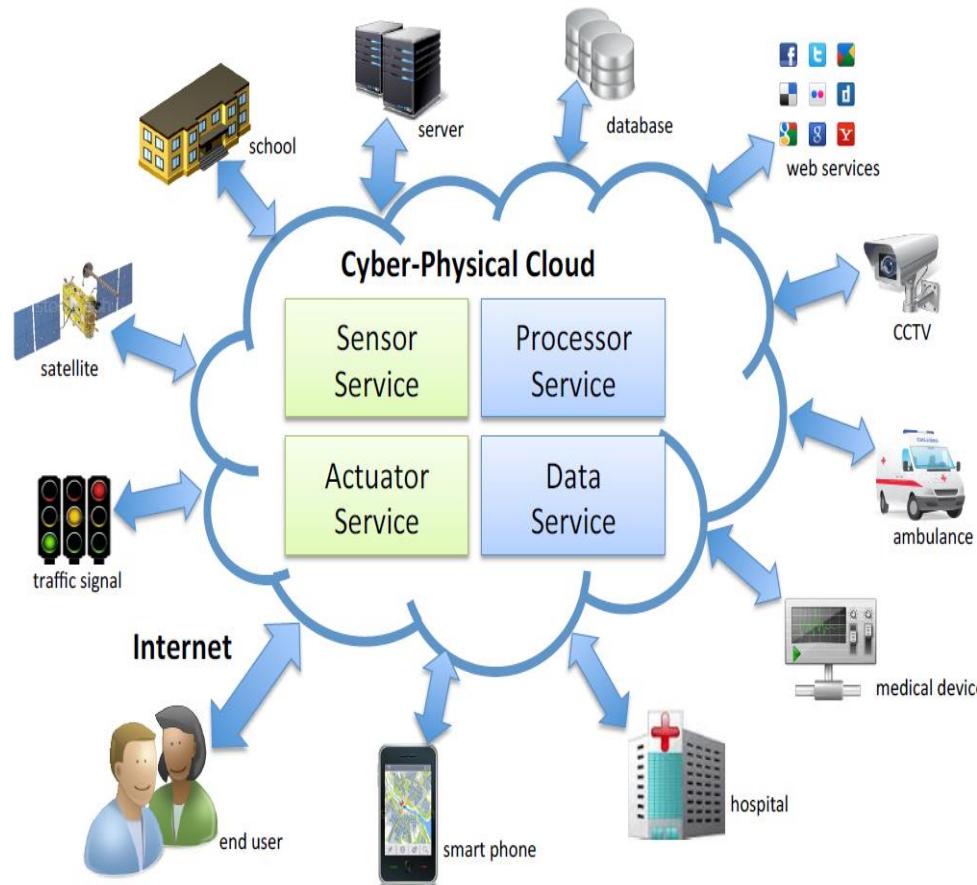
Today's cyber-physical systems

- Physical systems:
 - Things/physical entities
 - Network, sensors, actuators
- Cyber systems
 - Networked services/Cloud services
- Similar to IoT+Cloud?
- But:

Higher degree of combination and coordination between physical and cyber entities, especially control flows.



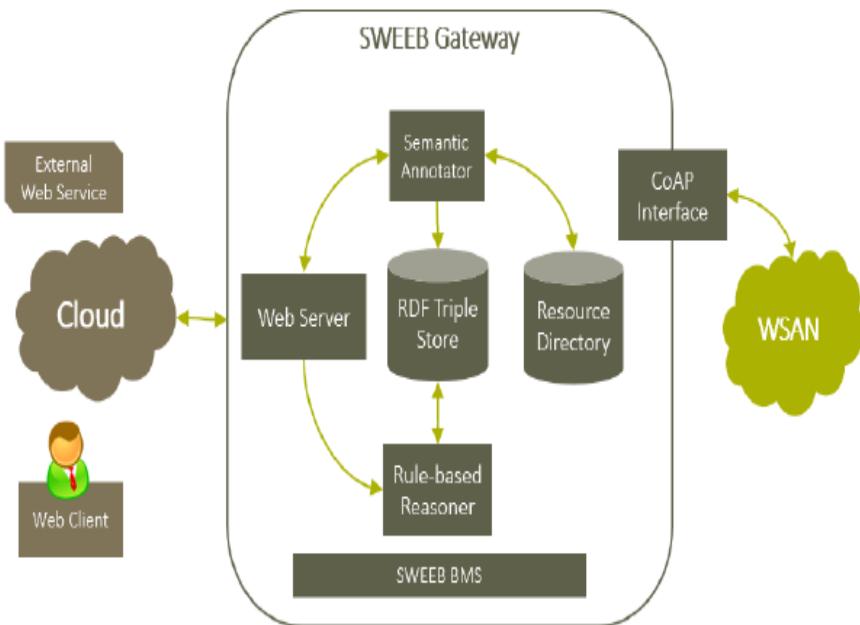
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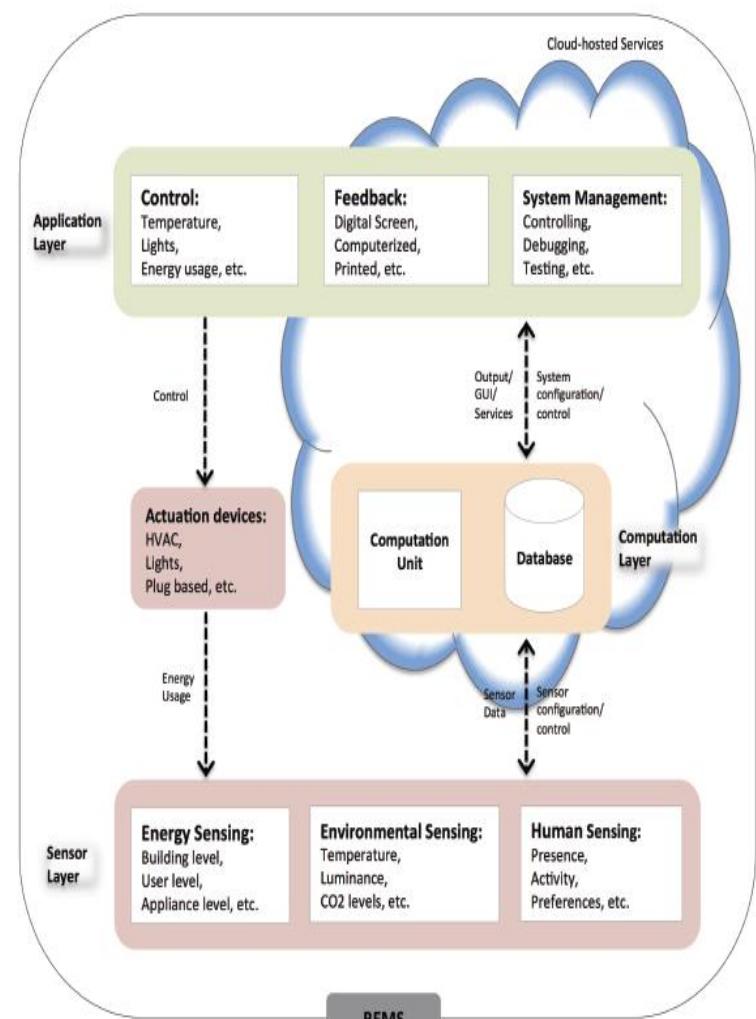
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Example (2)



Source: SWEEB: Semantic Web-enabled Energy Efficient Buildings
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sensys.acm.org/2013/sensys13DC/decaro.pdf



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IoT + Cloud integration models

- What are common network structures?
- What are common data and control flows or interactions between IoT and clouds?
- What are common types of applications?
- What are common data models for IoT?
- Quality attributes: Performance, scalability, security, privacy, etc.



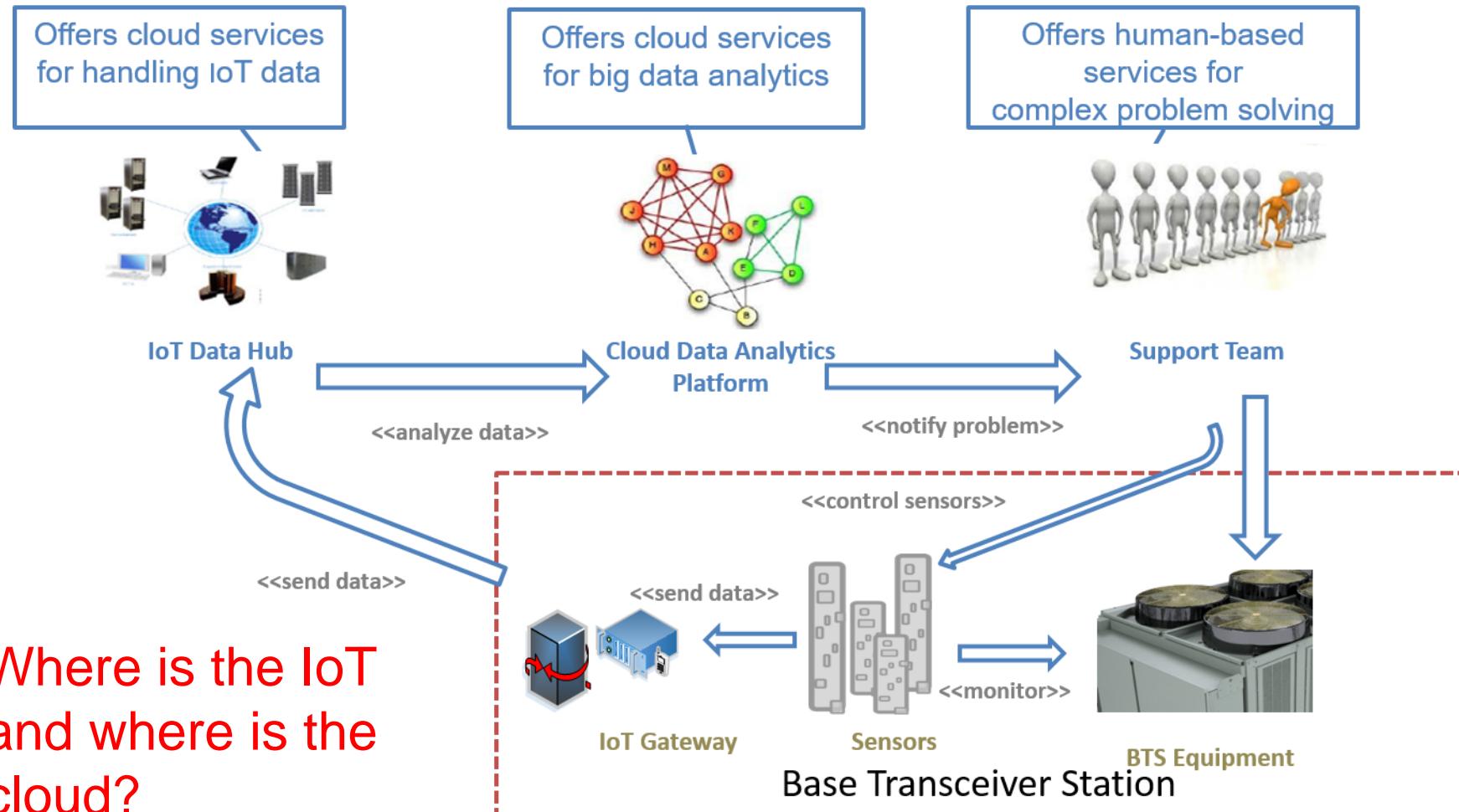
IOT CLOUD SYSTEMS

Key views

- Neither edge-centric nor cloud-centric approach
 - Should depending on application scenarios
- Resources from IoT, network functions and clouds are blending.
- Data and control follows
 - Edge → cloud
 - Cloud → edge
- Depending on the situation:
 - edge-centric or cloud-centric usage



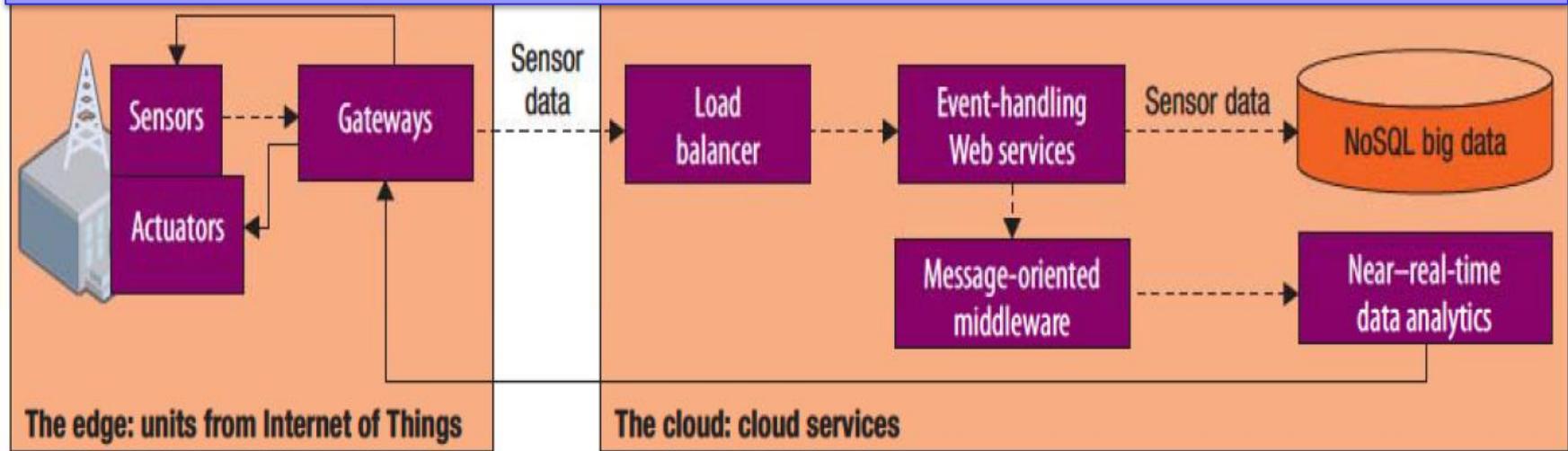
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Our view on IoT Cloud System

Application

IoT Cloud System

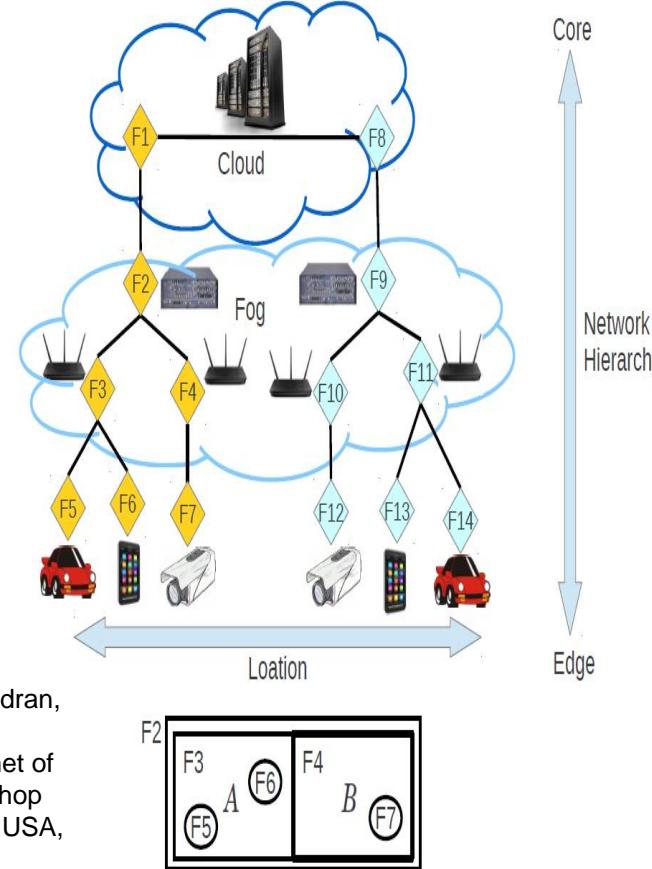


- But we do not want a separation!
- How to build a coherent view!



Example of an application model atop IoT Cloud

When we need to run application components across IoT and clouds



Source: Kirak Hong, David Lillethun, Umakishore Ramachandran, Beate Ottenwälter, and Boris Koldehofe. 2013. Mobile fog: a programming model for large-scale applications on the internet of things. In Proceedings of the second ACM SIGCOMM workshop on Mobile cloud computing (MCC '13). ACM, New York, NY, USA, 15-20.

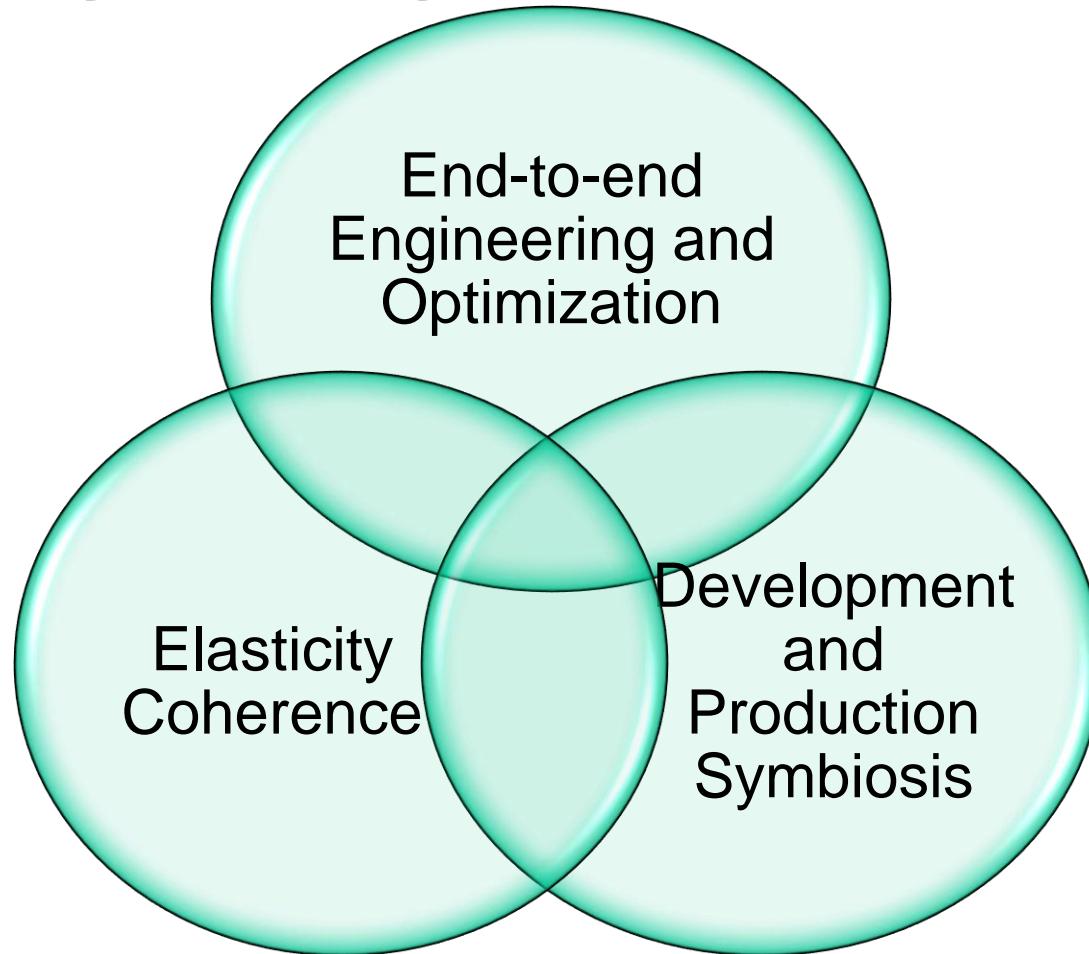
Figure 1: A logical structure of an application

Lifting IoT software stack

- Software artifact management
- Virtualization
 - Virtualization of software components for certain requirements: e.g., for a single application/domain
- Composition and orchestration
 - Complex topologies of IoT components
- Software-defined capabilities
 - Management done via APIs at runtime
- Cloud connectivity
 - Hide low level network stuffs



Engineering perspectives



Hong Linh Truong, Schahram Dustdar: Principles for Engineering IoT Cloud Systems. IEEE Cloud Computing 2(2): 68-76 (2015)



Challenges

1. Enable virtualization and composition of IoT components as unit
Selection, composition, pay-per-use
2. Enable emulated/simulated IoT parts working with production IoT/cloud services
Symbiotic development and operation
3. Enable dynamic provisioning of IoT and cloud service units through uniform marketplaces and repositories for multiple stakeholders



Challenges (2)

4. Provide multi-level software stack deployment and configuration
5. Provide software-defined elasticity and governance primitive functions for all IoT units and cloud service units
6. Provide monitoring and analysis for an end-to-end view on elasticity and dependability properties



Challenges (3)

7. Coordinate elasticity to enable a coherent elastic execution through the whole IoT cloud systems
8. Deal with uncertainties
9. Assure security and privacy during system on-demand provisioning and elasticity



Hong Linh Truong, Georgiana Copil, Schahram Dustdar, Duc-Hung Le, Daniel Moldovan, Stefan Nastic:
On Engineering Analytics for Elastic IoT Cloud Platforms. ICSOC 2016: 267-281

EXPERIENCES FROM IOT CLOUD ENGINEERING



Tools for building IoT Cloud tests

- Sensors can be written in Java/Python
 - Simulated/emulated sensors just read data from sample files
 - Sensors to gateways communication: TCP/IP, MQTT, BLE, etc.
- Gateways:
 - Raspberry Pi
 - Gateway-to-cloud: MQTT/AMQP, Web socket, etc. over LAN or 4G
- Clouds:
 - Your own clouds or using Google, Microsoft, Amazon
- Take a look at:
 - <http://tuwiendsg.github.io/iCOMOT/>
 - <https://github.com/tuwiendsg/iCOMOTSensors>



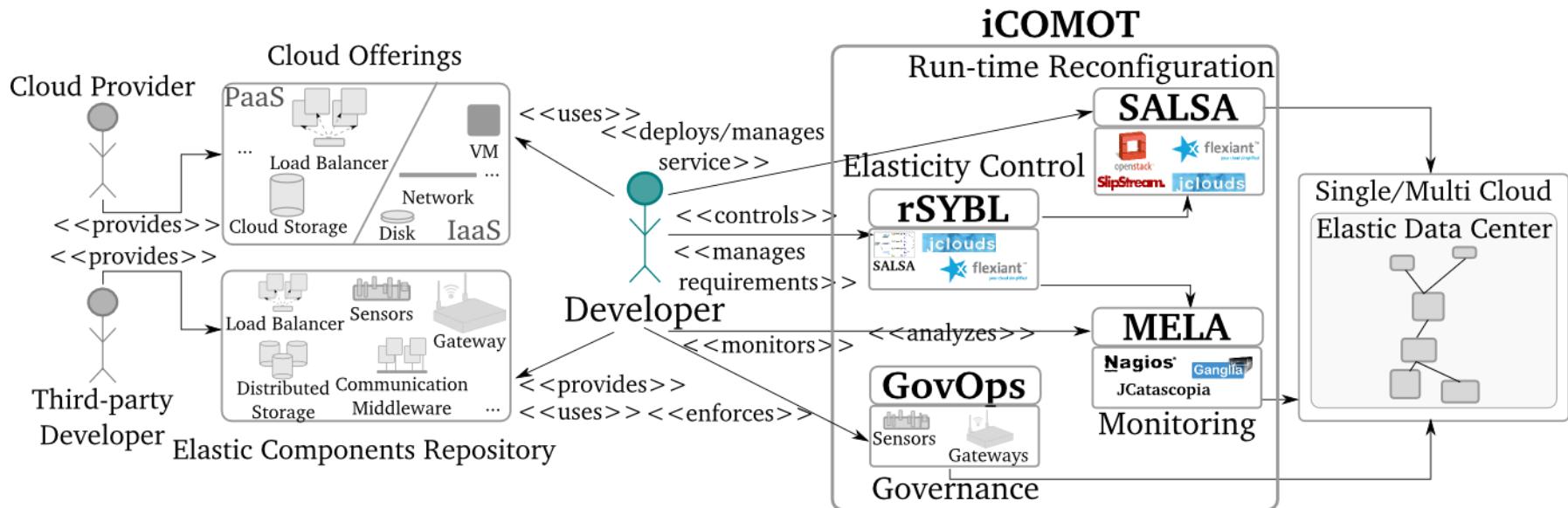
Common goals for IoT Cloud service engineering analytics

- Type 1
 - **Mainly focus** on IoT networks: sensors, IoT gateways, IoT-to-cloud connectivity (e.g., connect to predix.io, IBM Bluemix, Amazon IoT, etc.)
- Type 2
 - **Mainly focus** on (public/private) services in data centers: e.g., load balancer, NoSQL databases, and big data ingest systems
 - Using both open sources and cloud-provided services
- Type 3
 - **Equally focus** on both IoT and cloud sides and have the need to control at both sides
 - Highly interactions between the two sides, not just data flows from IoT to clouds



iCOMOT -- Toolset for IoT Cloud Systems

We started 5 years ago without network functions in our mind!



<http://tuwiendsg.github.io/iCOMOT/>



Software components

Requirements

- Not just cloud services but also different types of (virtual) sensors, gateways, and connectivity components
- Different implementation models and pay-per-use models

Solutions

- Treat all software components as service units
- Use *IoT software-defined unit concept* to abstract functions, provisioning and management mechanisms

Examples:

- Software-defined IoT units: sensors, gateways, lightweighted analyzers, light storage, queues, VMs, cloud services (NoSQL databases, streaming data analyzer, etc.)
- Leverage a combination of Docker Hub, Git-based repository, Maven, and IoT marketplaces



(Virtual) Software sensors

Requirements

- Emulated + real software sensors in different scenarios
- Work with different types of APIs

Solutions

- Sensors with dynamic control capabilities
- Solutions for individual sensors and sensor topologies
- Coupling sensors with virtual environments

Examples:

- Cloud connectivity: e.g., MQTT and AMQP
- Data Point/Control Points associated with Things: emulation with data sources from files, accessing Things with software-defined gateway API profiles or with Thing-specific APIs
- Management API: REST, MQTT, and even shellscripts



IoT Gateways

Requirements

- Light-weighted gateways but (partially) support fog/edge computing models

Solutions

- *Software-defined gateways* as virtual environments for deploying different units
- Dynamic configuration of software components

Examples:

- Utilizing lightweight virtual containers/VMs
- **New middleware** with high-level APIs that abstract Data Points, Control Points, Cloud connectivity, etc.
 - <https://github.com/tuwiendsg/SoftwareDefinedGateways>
- **Composition of existing middleware**
 - Leverage microservice models to enable flexible adaptation,
e.g., <https://github.com/tuwiendsg/GovOps>



Software deployment and configuration

Requirements

- Support different types of IoT gateways with different interfaces
- Complex configuration protocols for different topologies

Solutions

- Integrate different configuration tools and languages
- Develop protocols and programming APIs for exchanging configuration commands

Examples:

- Use *TOSCA* (or any configuration language) for both IoT and clouds based on deployment agents supporting TOSCA
 - <https://github.com/tuwiendsg/SALSA>
- REST/MQTT-based APIs for configuration at the IoT gateways
 - <http://sincconcept.github.io/HINC/>
- Leverage known tools (Vagrant, docker) for the emulated sensors, gateways and cloud services



Monitoring and analytics

Requirements

- Cross IoT and cloud analytics
- High level end-to-end metrics
- Correlate monitoring data from different service/component topologies

Solutions

- Expand monitoring capabilities to the IoT gateways
- Interfaces to deployment, configuration and control systems
- User-defined metrics

Examples:

- Relay basic metrics from IoT gateways (e.g., nr. sensors, queue length, etc.) to centralized monitoring services
- All management services subscribe/exchange monitoring data through scalable queues
- Analyze based on service topologies



Requirements

- Able to control at the IoT side
- Must work with various protocols/systems (e.g., using public clouds)
- Control in *combined with business data analytics*

Solutions

- Primitive actions for gateways: control sensors, cloud connectivity, etc.
- High-level coordination working with different interfaces

Examples

- Using REST API/shellscripts to control IoT gateways + elasticity at the data centers
- Programming-language based workflows for coordination-aware controls to enable different connectors
- Deal with uncertainties



Exercises

- Read papers mentioned in slides
- Check services mentioned in examples
- Program some simple sensors sending data to public clouds



Important notes

- 2nd assignment released today
 - Due on 26 April 2017, including report and slides
- Scenario and service design presentation
 - On 28 April 2017
 - Provide 2-3 slides (pdf)
- Submission through TUWEL
- Check the exact deadlines from TUWEL



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