# Internet of Things - PoCs for Insurance Domain

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### Agenda

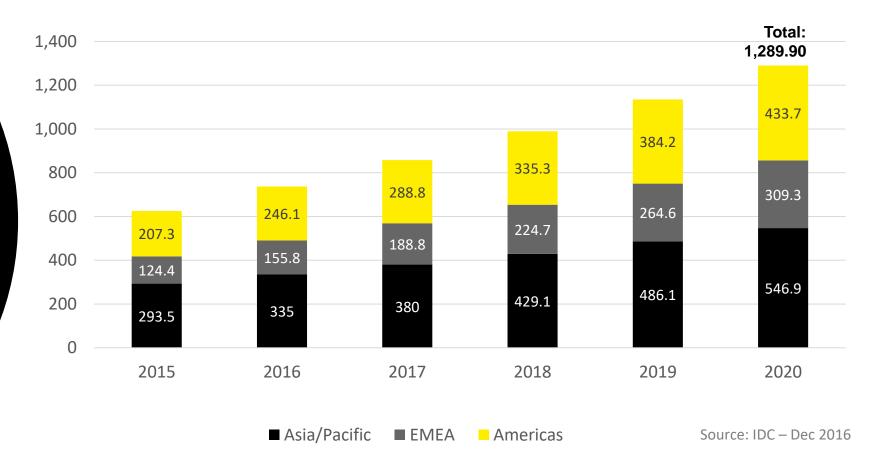


## Overview – Importance of

**IoT in Insurance Domain** 

- Mold & Fungus PoC
- Demonstration of working Solution using actual IoT Sensors/Devices
- > Q & A

#### Worldwide IoT Spending by Region, 2015–2020 (\$B)





## Insurance Sector: Business challenges

In typical Home insurance products, any loss results into claim(s).





Limited predictive / preventive mechanisms is in place for any of the losses.

- Earthquake Loss Use **Vibration sensors** to monitor the building foundation
- Mine Subsidence and Sinkhole loss Use Vibration, Displacement sensors
- Forest fire detection **Smoke/Fire detector**. Monitoring of combustion gases and preemptive fire conditions to define alerts.
- Water/Sewer Drain Loss Monitoring of flow, leaks , pressure, levels , load , strain
- Windstorm; Hurricane; & Hail losses Monitor using Vibration sensors, GPS, weather forecast.
- Mold or Fungus loss Monitor **Humidity/Moisture sensors**.

Proposed

Solution

#### Mold & Fungus: Business Case

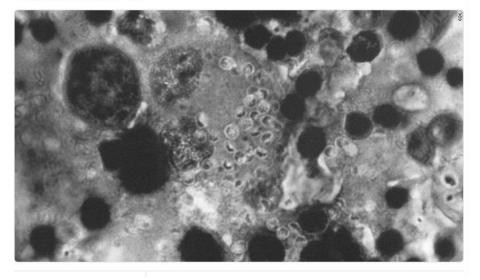
Fungi kills an estimated 1.5 million people globally each year

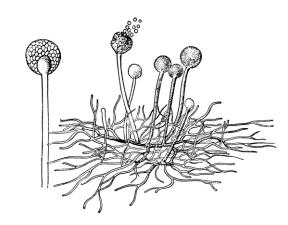
- 2X Breast Cancer deaths
- Greater than Malaria deaths
- Same no. of deaths as Tuberculosis, HIV





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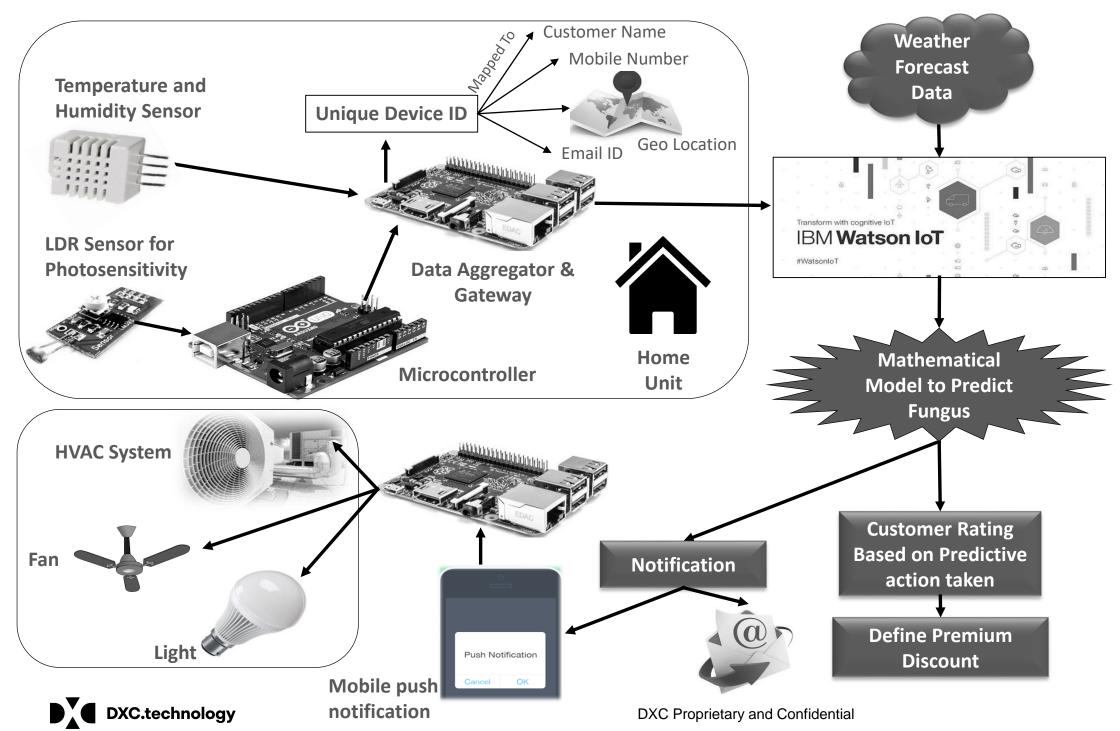


#### **Mold and Fungus Issues**

- Mold is a common type of fungus that thrives in moist, warm conditions.
- The spores they release causes illness to humans.
- Buildings get damaged due to fungus
- The growth of mold claims has been exponential in the past years
- Sizable mold claims are pending in the United States, particularly in Florida, California, Texas, and Arizona.

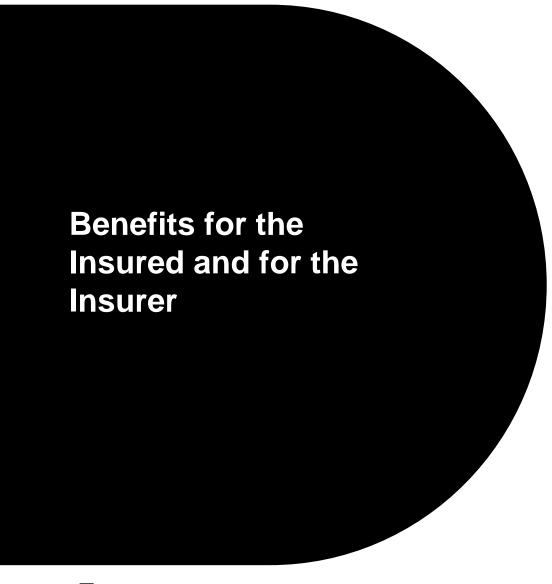


### Mold & Fungus Prediction: High Level Solution



- □ Pre-empt losses (thereby reducing claims) using Internet of Things (IoT) /
   Sensing technology through predictive and preventive modelling.
- ☐ Using IoT/sensing technology, data
  (moisture, humidity, temperature, Light
  Sensitive, etc.) will be collected,
  transmitted, stored, processed and
  visualized.
  - "Anomaly detection" machine learning algorithm will be used to decide whether indoor situations are favorable for mold/fungi.
- Meaningful information gets shared with users on their mobile APP/ email inbox. The information will be used to prenotify the users to take preventive measures to avoid any potential future loss.

#### Mold & Fungus Prediction: Key Benefits





#### Benefits for the insured

- Improved Health
- Safer buildings
- Discounts for following safety measures



#### **Benefits for Insurer**

- Overall cost Reduction thru lowering of claims
- Improved risk Assessment and underwriting
- Improved customer retention





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## Thank you

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