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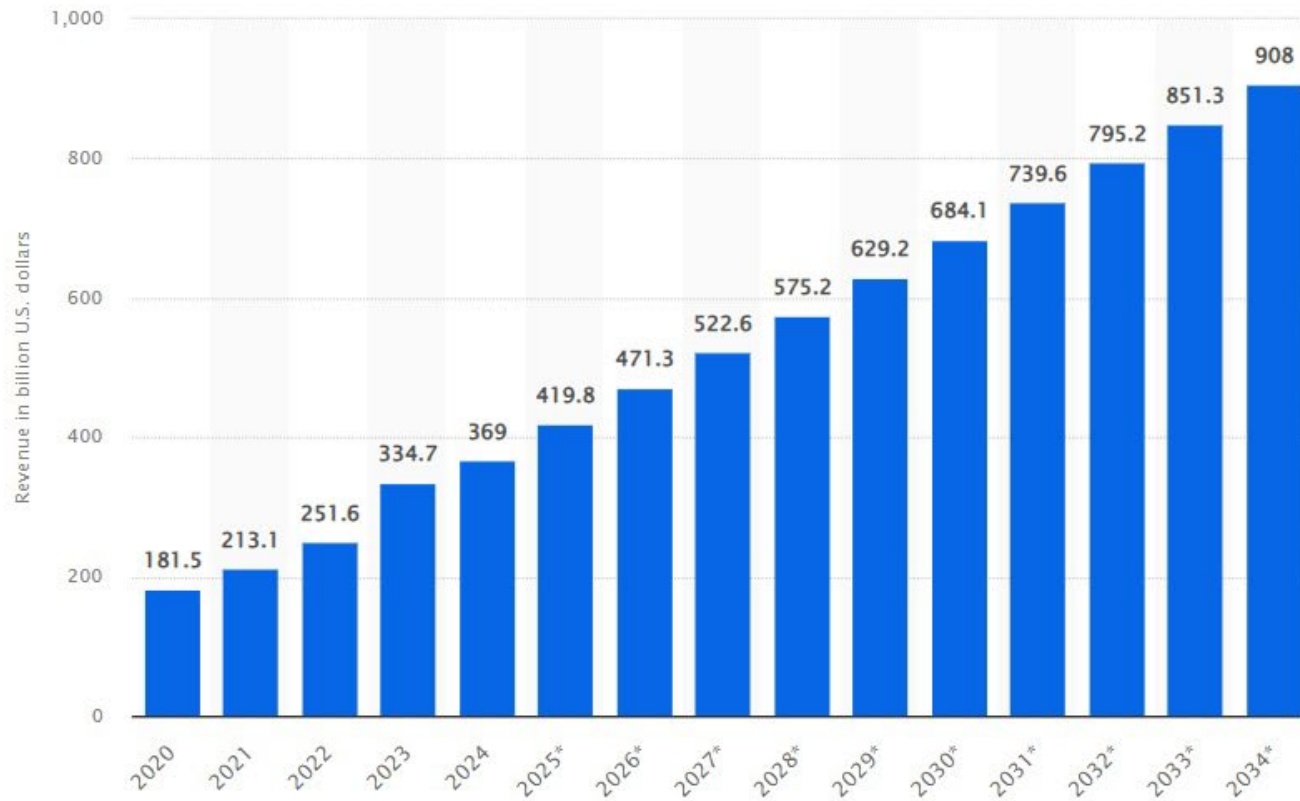
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Internet of Things

- Physical objects that are embedded with **sensors, processing ability, software**, and other technologies that **connect** and **exchange data** with other devices and systems over the **Internet** or other **communication networks**
- Connected Devices
- Smart Devices
- Artificial Intelligence of Things (AIoT)

Internet of Things (IoT) total annual revenue worldwide from 2020 to 2034

(in billion U.S. dollars)



Details: Worldwide; 2020 to 2024

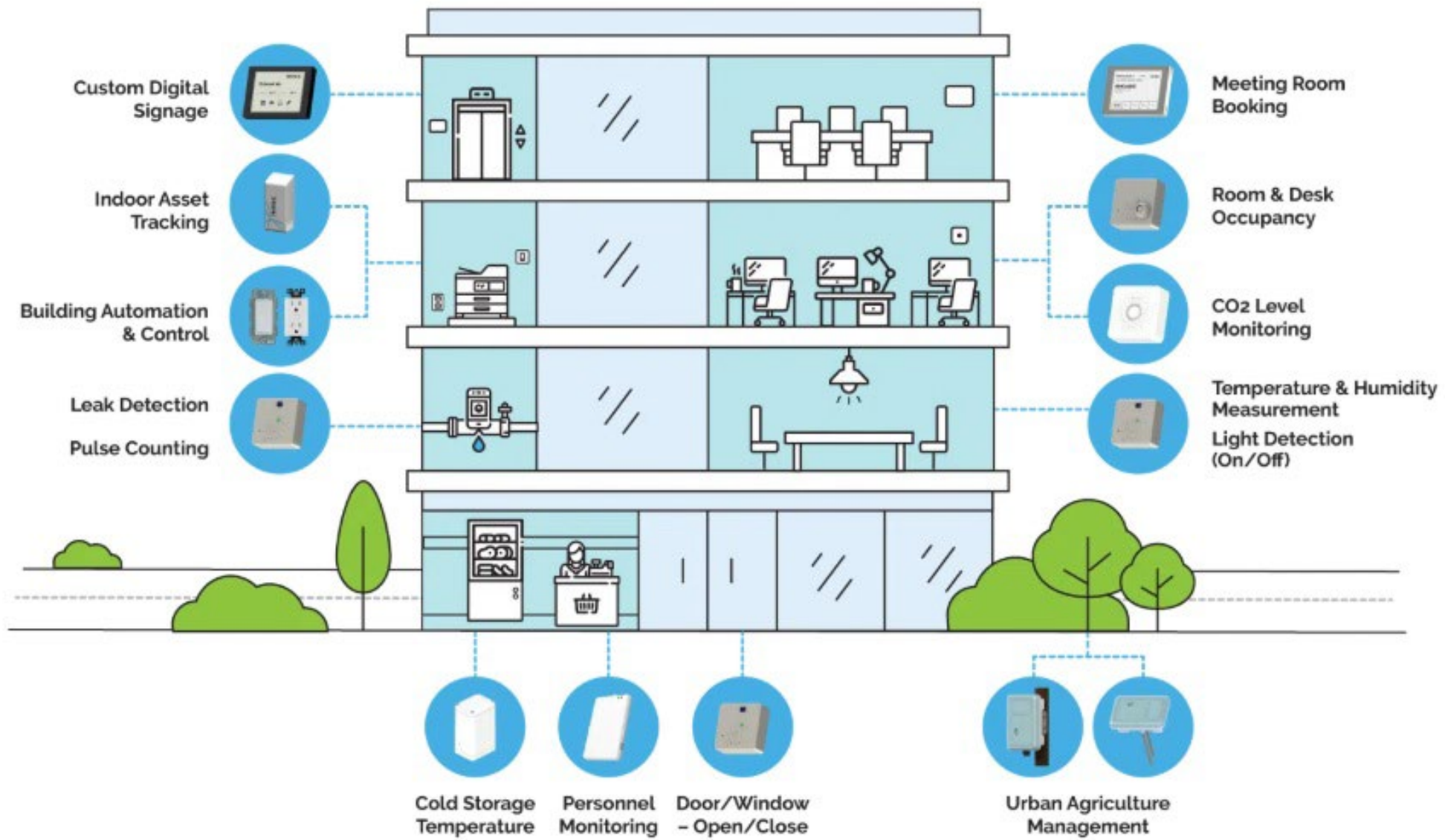
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Types of IoTs

- Consumer IoT
 - Smart home, wearables, personal gadgets
- Commercial IoT
 - Healthcare, retail, logistics
- Industrial IoT
 - Machines, sensors and systems in manufacturing, energy and supply chain
- Infrastructure IoT
 - Large-scale system to support smart cities, transportation, energy grids, environmental monitoring

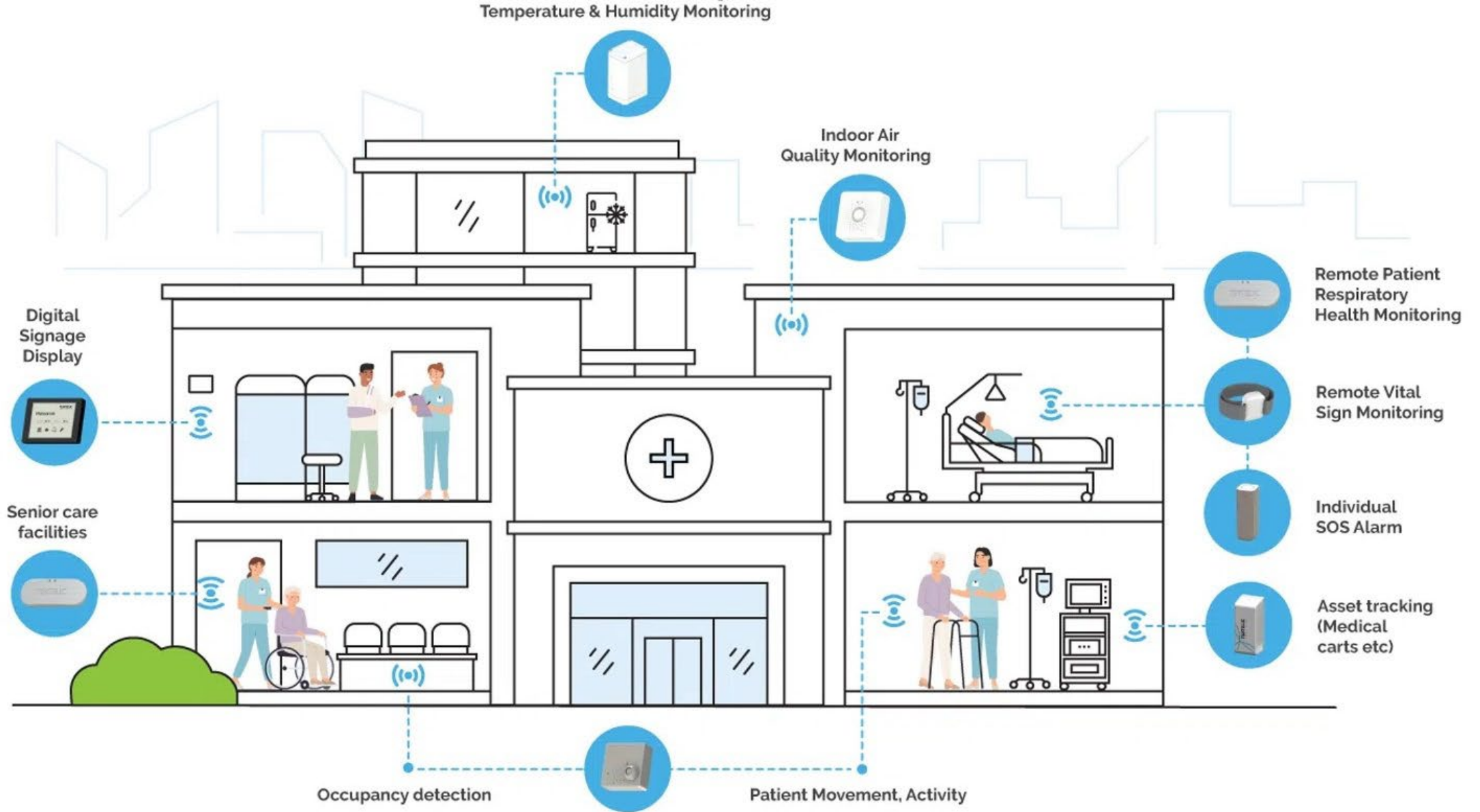


Smart homes and offices

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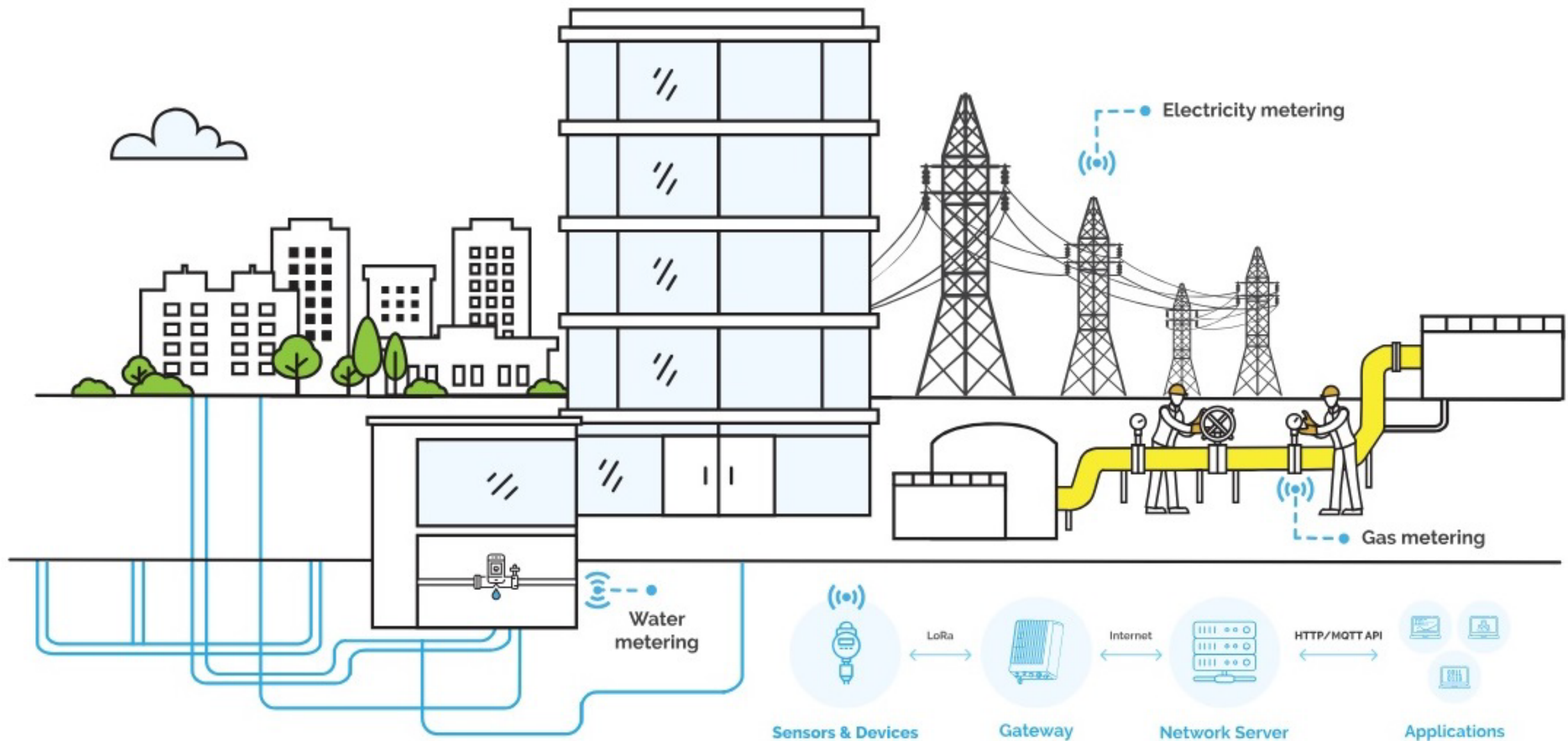
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Smart agriculture

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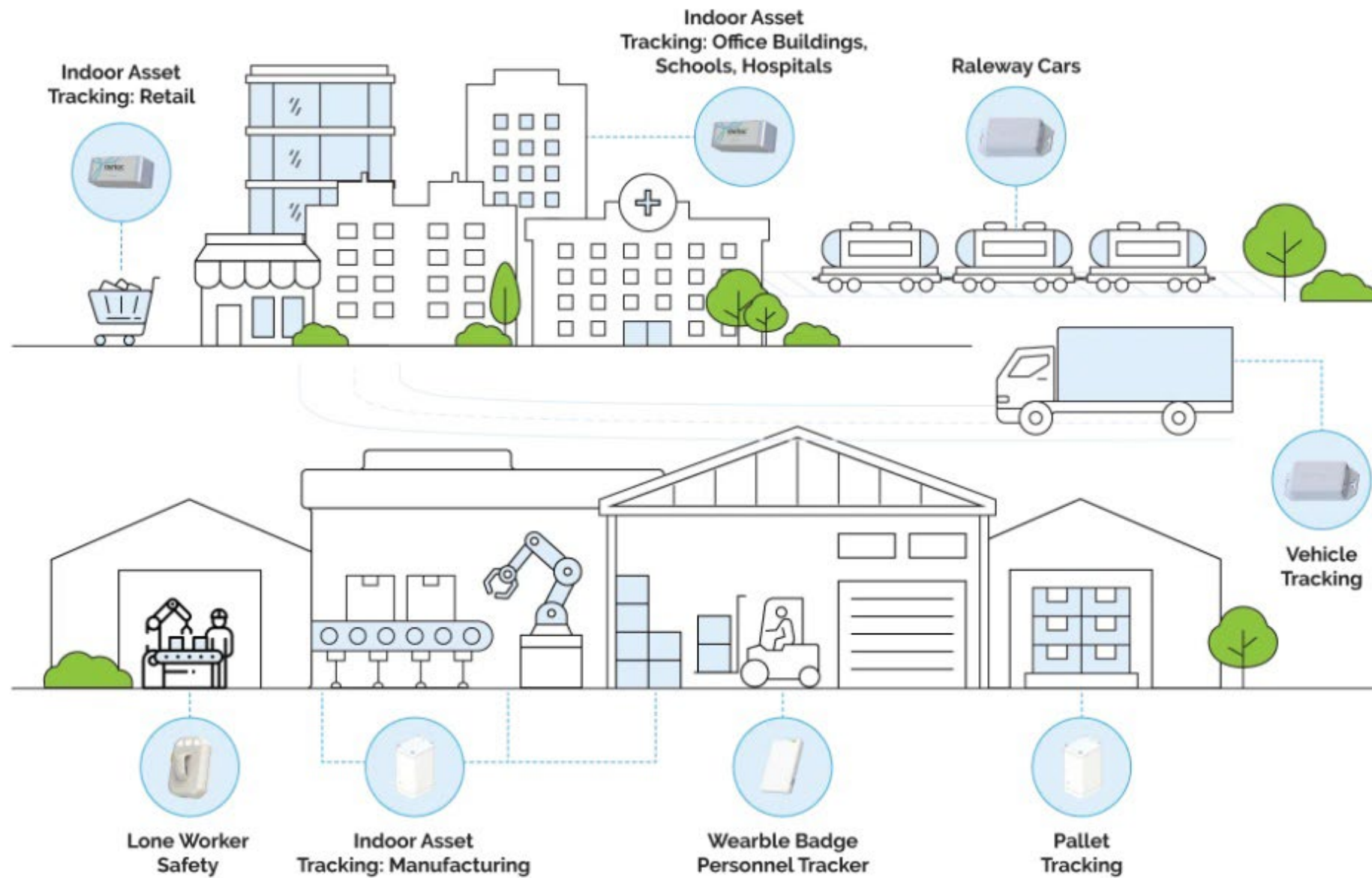


Energy management and smart metering

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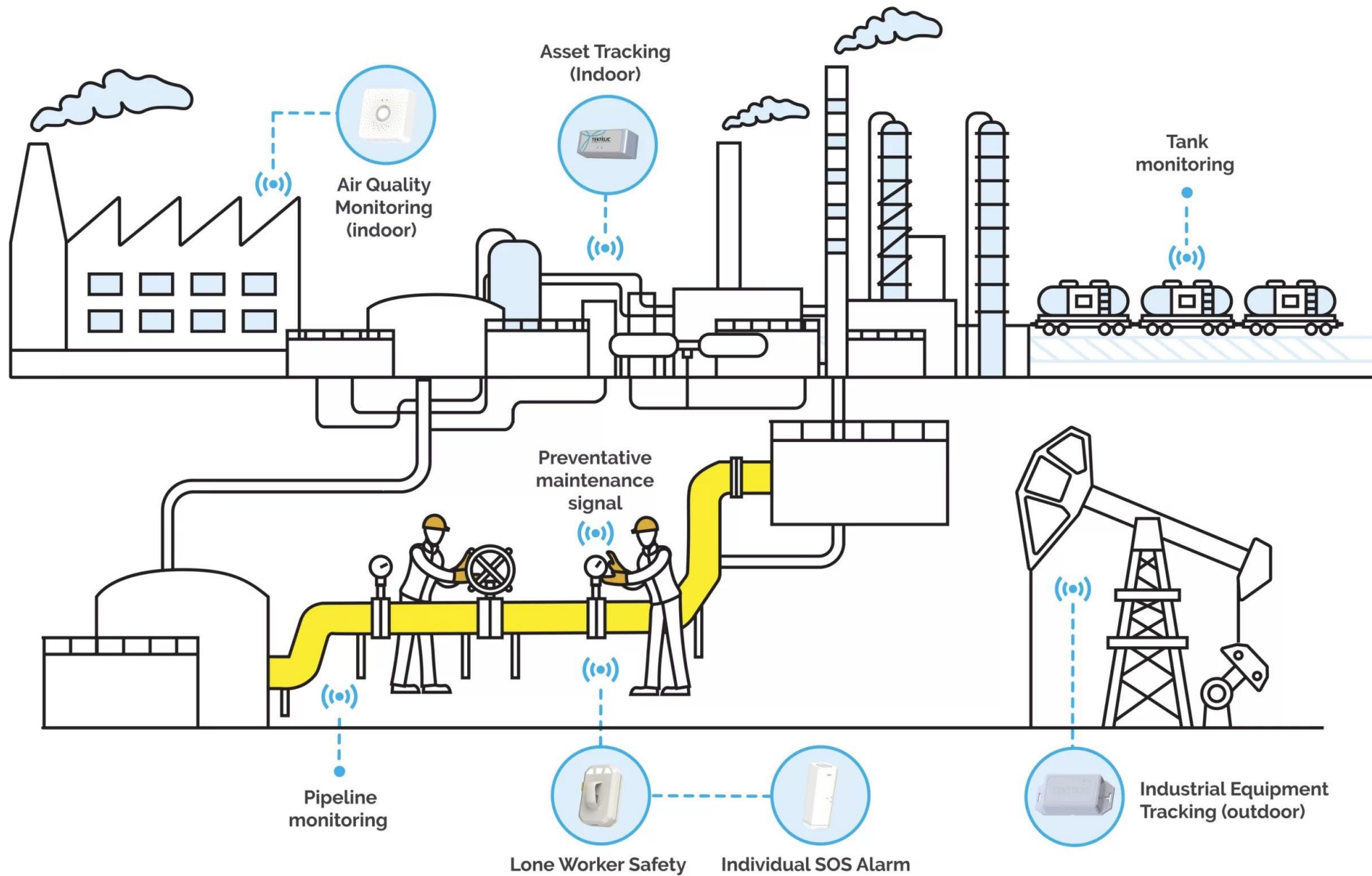


Logistics and fleet management

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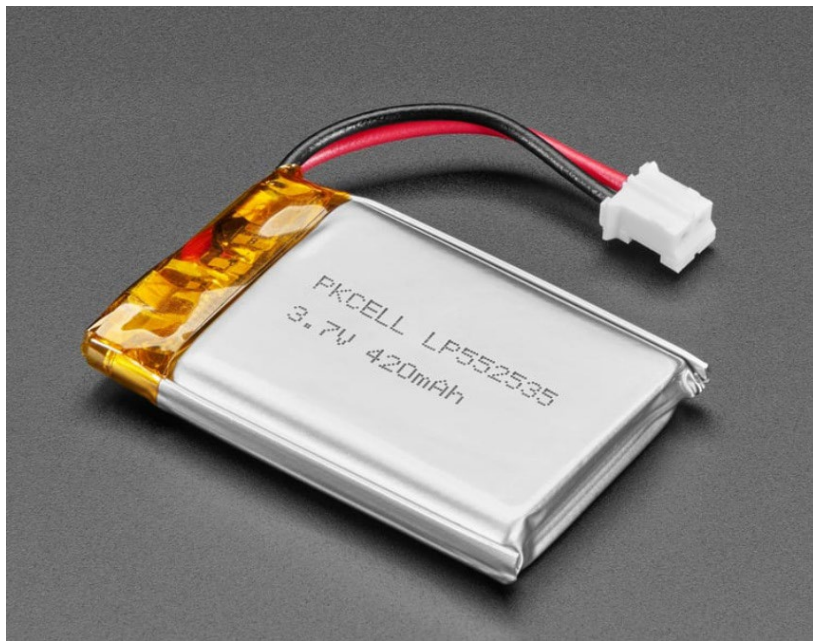
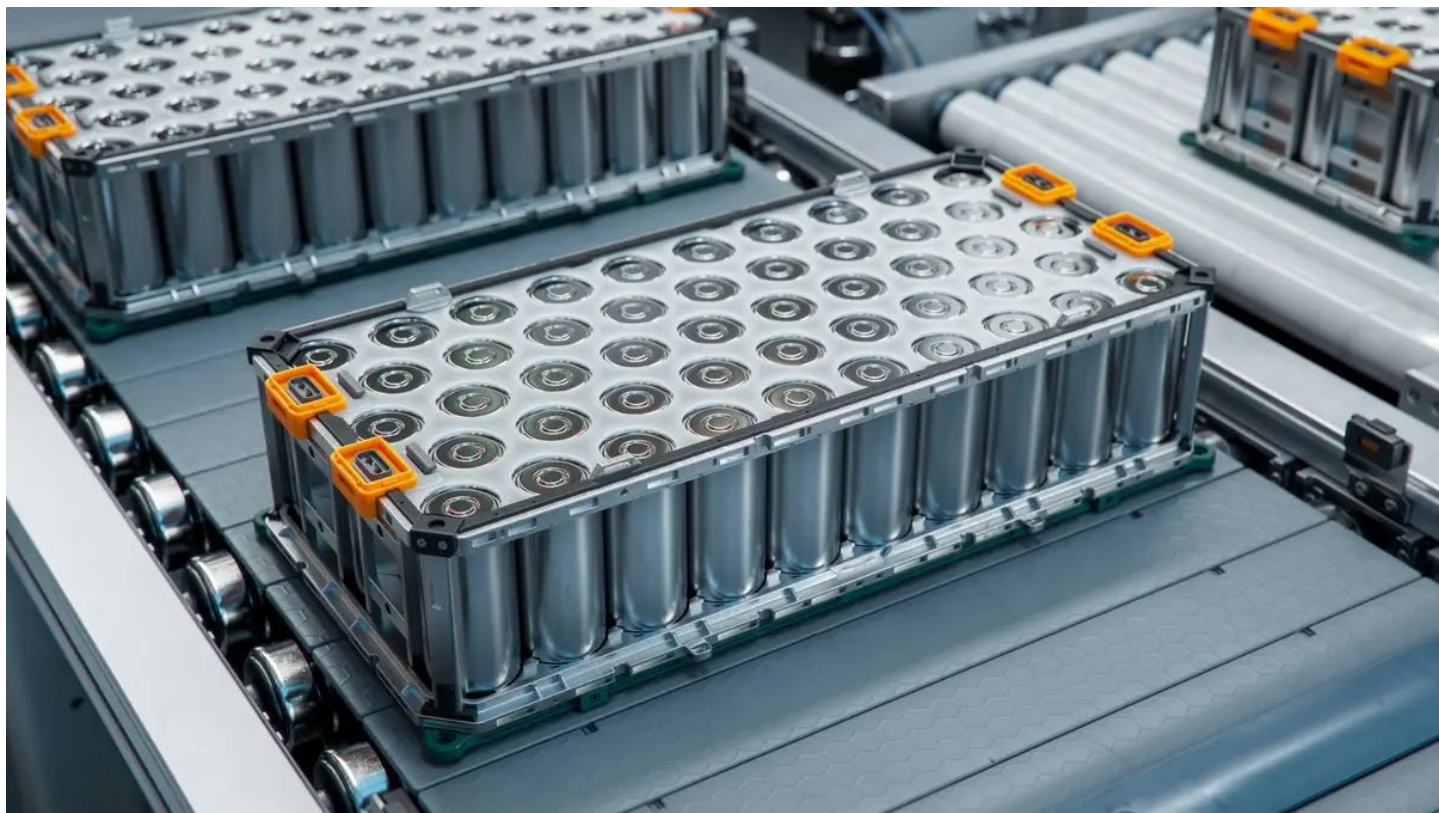


Manufacturing and industries

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Enabling Technologies

- Battery
- Microcontroller
- Sensors and Actuators/Effectors
- Connectivity



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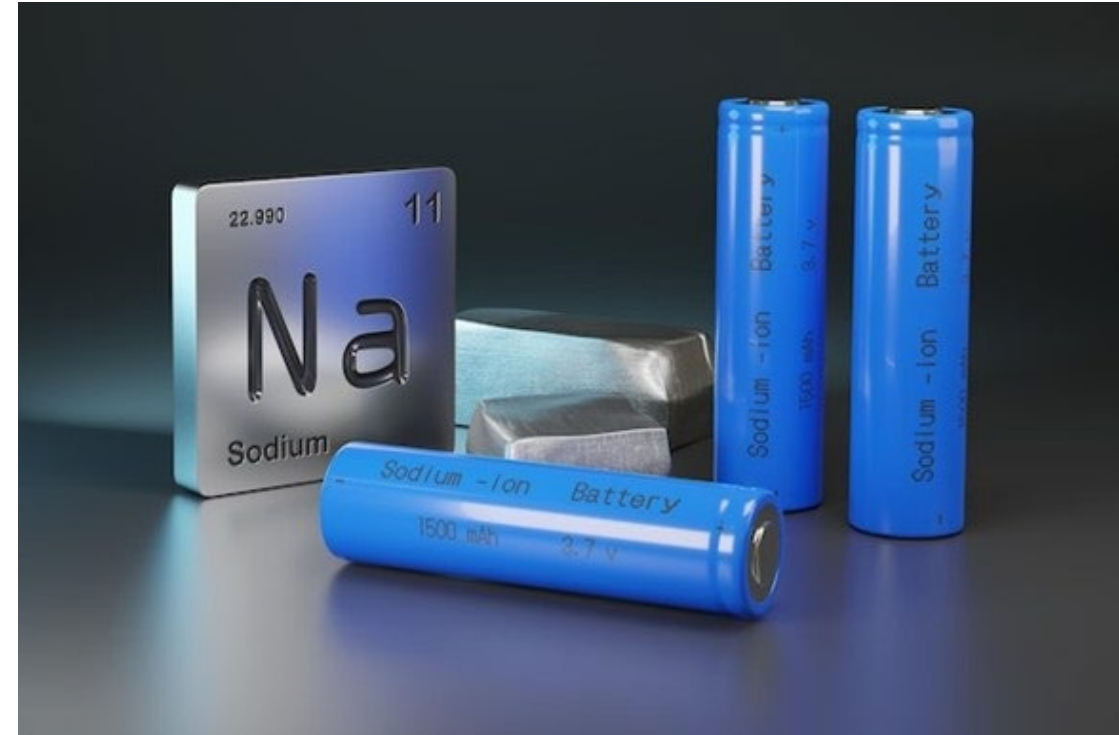
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The country is racing ahead of the rest of the world in bringing sodium-ion batteries to the mass market. This time, through scooters.

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Chinese-developed nuclear battery has a 50-year lifespan — Betavolt BV100 built with Nickel-63 isotope and diamond semiconductor material

News

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The design uses China's first diamond semiconductor material.



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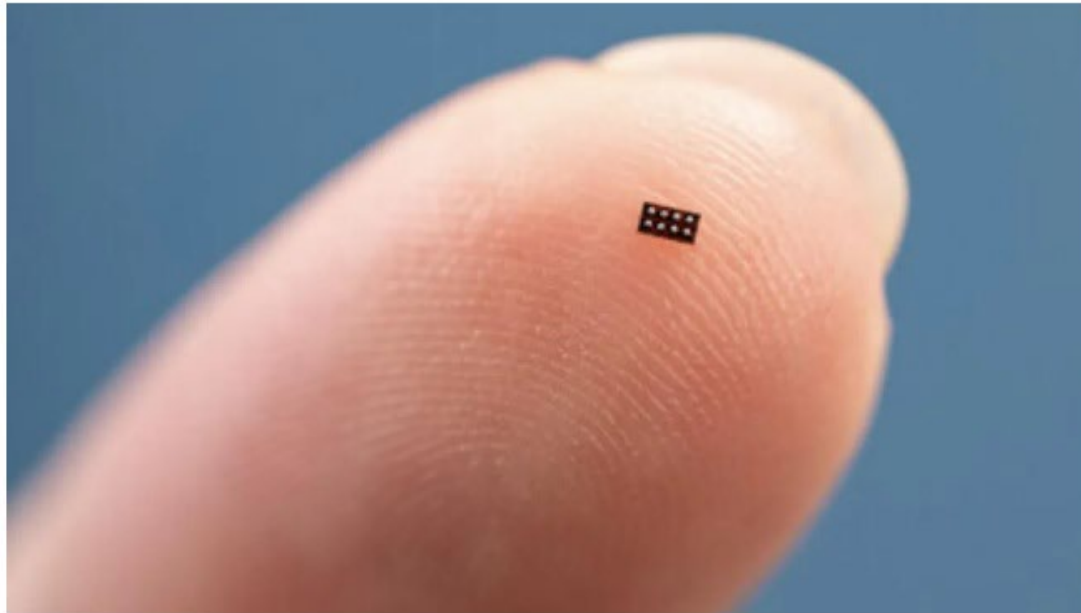
TI's tiny microcontroller is the world's smallest and costs 20 cents

This remarkable device is only a little larger than a pepper flake.



Written by **Adrian Kingsley-Hughes**, Senior Contributing Editor

March 13, 2025 at 9:02 a.m. PT



The MSPMOC1104 measure only 1.38 mm² and yet is a fully-featured microcontroller.

TI

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MEMS

- Micro-Electro-Mechanical-Systems
- Small devices composed of micro components ranging from 0.001mm to 0.1mm in size
- Made of silicon, polymers, metals and/or ceramics, and are usually combined with microcontroller for completing the system
- Examples: Accelerometer, gyroscope, magnetometer

<https://howtomechatronics.com/how-it-works/electrical-engineering/mems-accelerometer-gyroscope-magnetometer-arduino/>



1949 GYROSCOPE SPINS UP AGAIN

by: **Al Williams**



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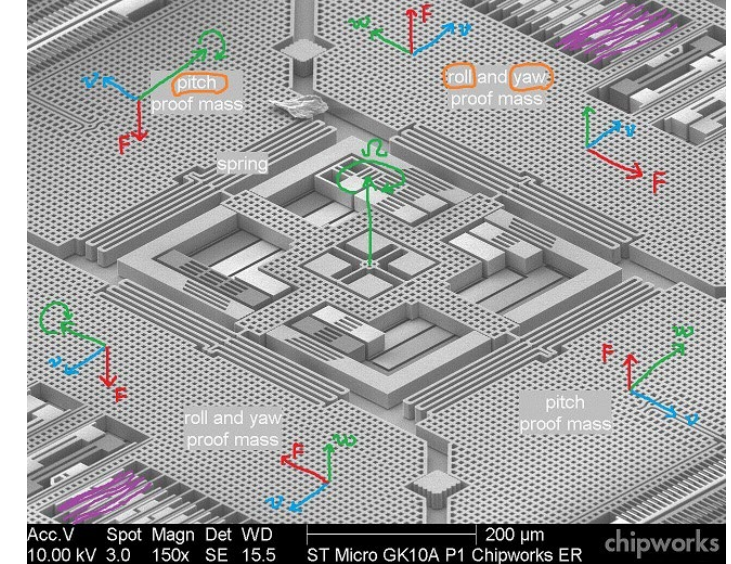
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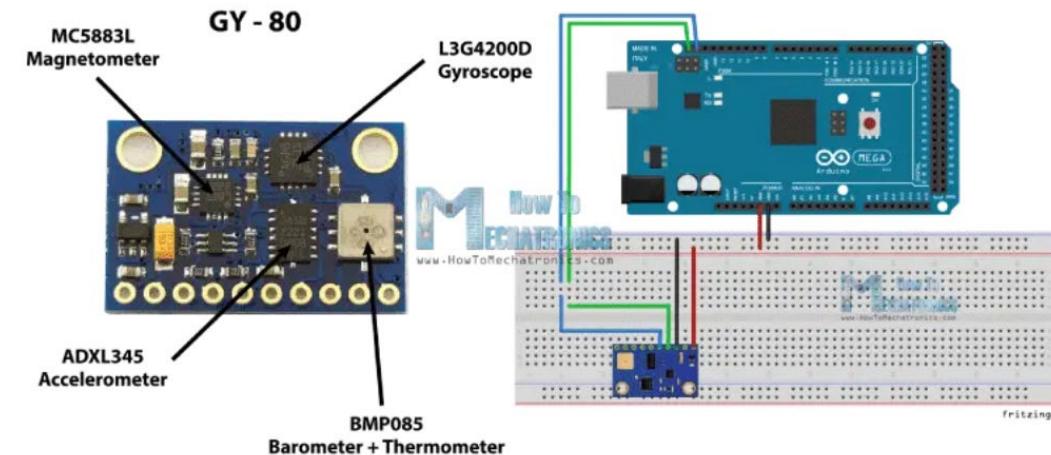
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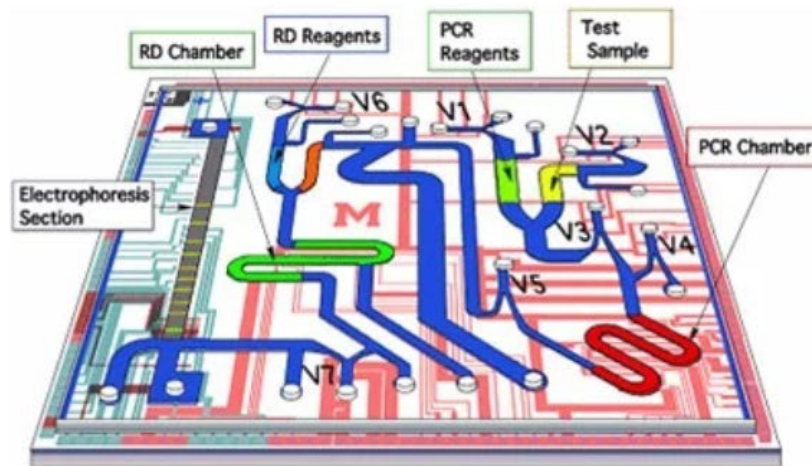


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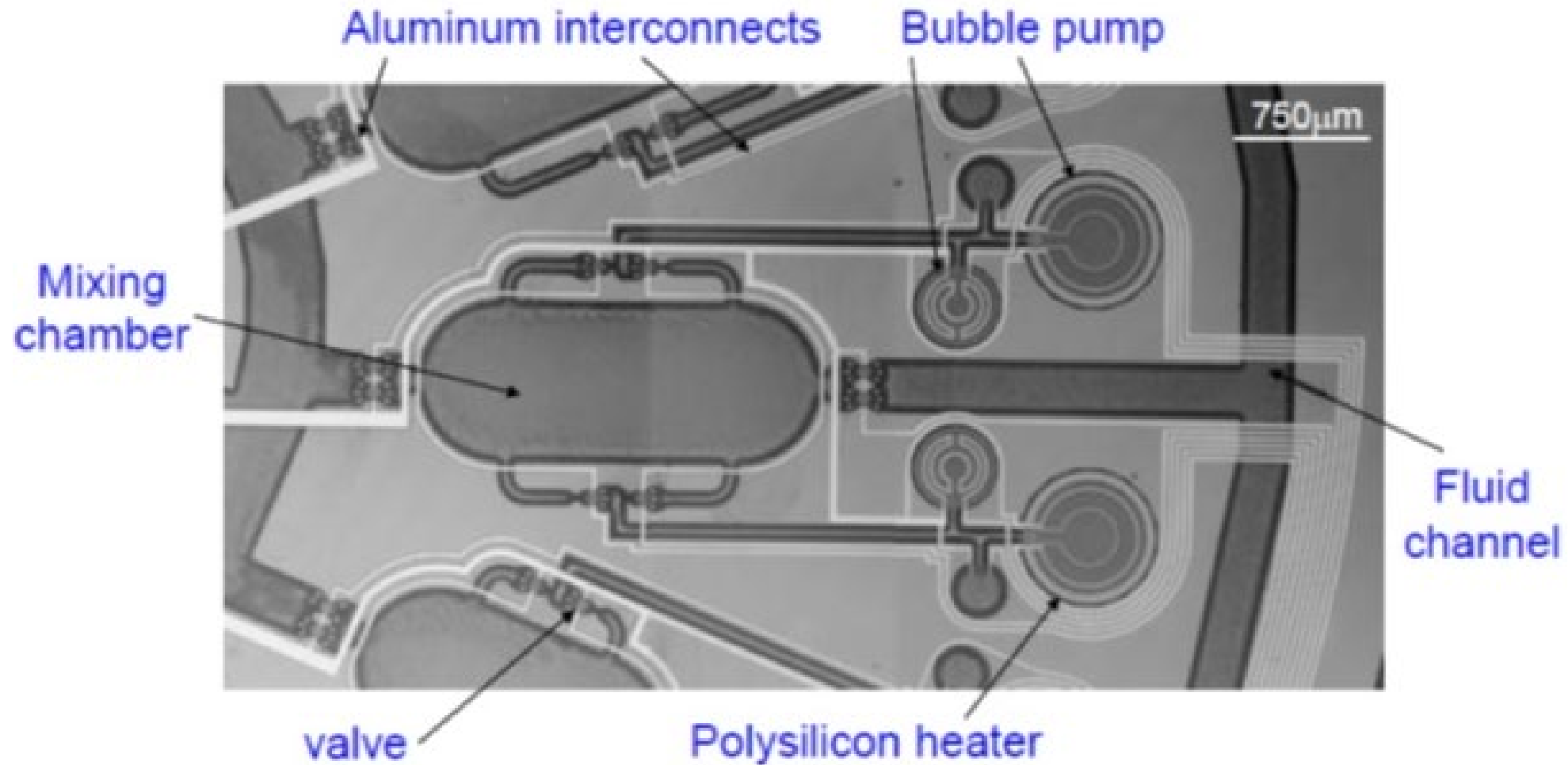
Lab-on-a-chip

- Technologies which allow operations which normally require a laboratory -synthesis and analysis of chemicals - on a very miniaturized scale, within a portable or handheld device



<https://www.azonano.com/article.aspx?ArticleID=3081>

Figure 1. Schematic of the "Genotyper" device, developed by researchers at the University of Michigan, which could identify different strains of flu. Image Credits: Dr Ronald Larson, via NIAID.



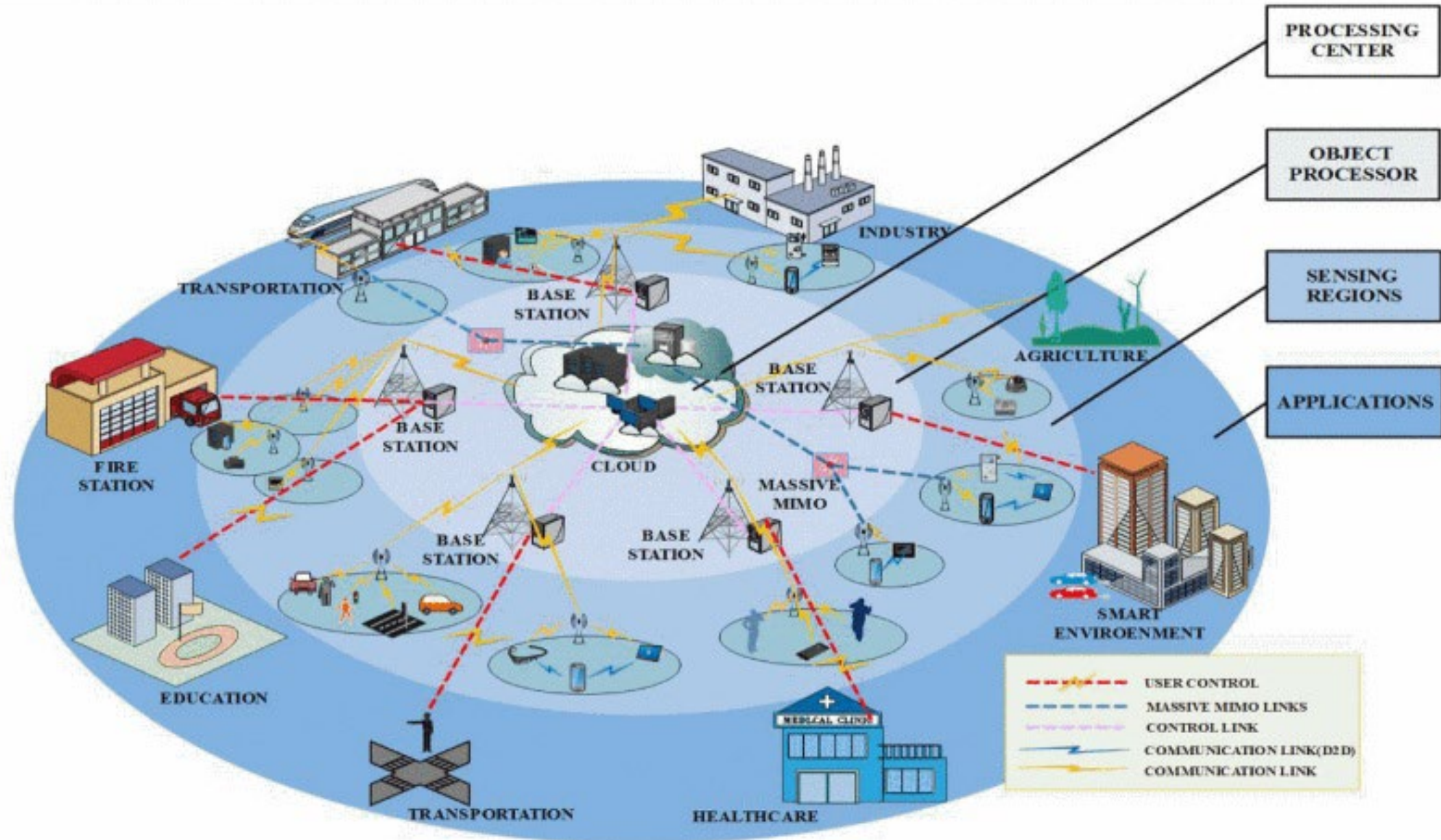
Implemented in a silicon, this lab-on-a-chip can pump liquid through fluid channels, warm the liquid using polysilicon heaters and control the liquid flow into mixing chambers via electrically controlled valves.

<http://www.chipdesignmag.com/bursky/?p=140>

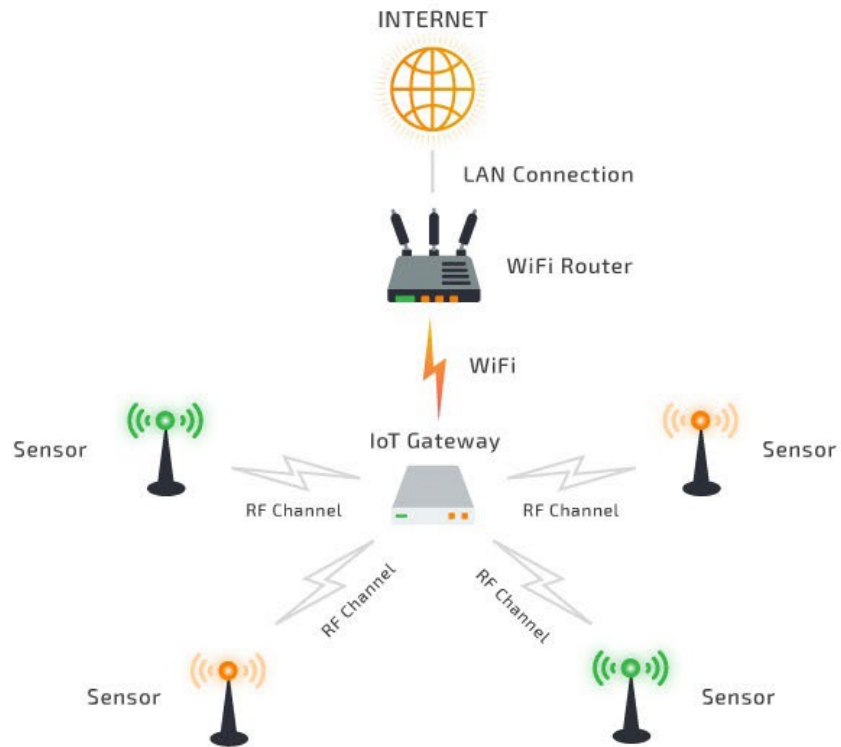
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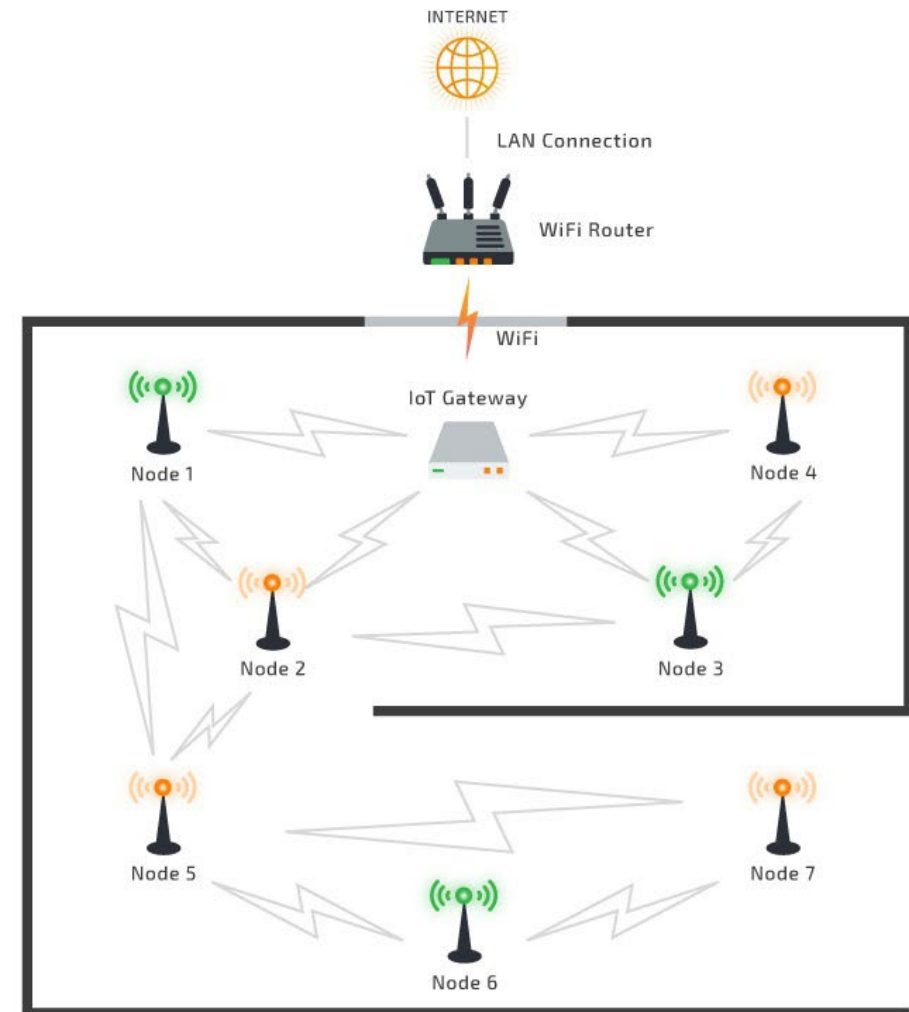
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IoT network with a star topology



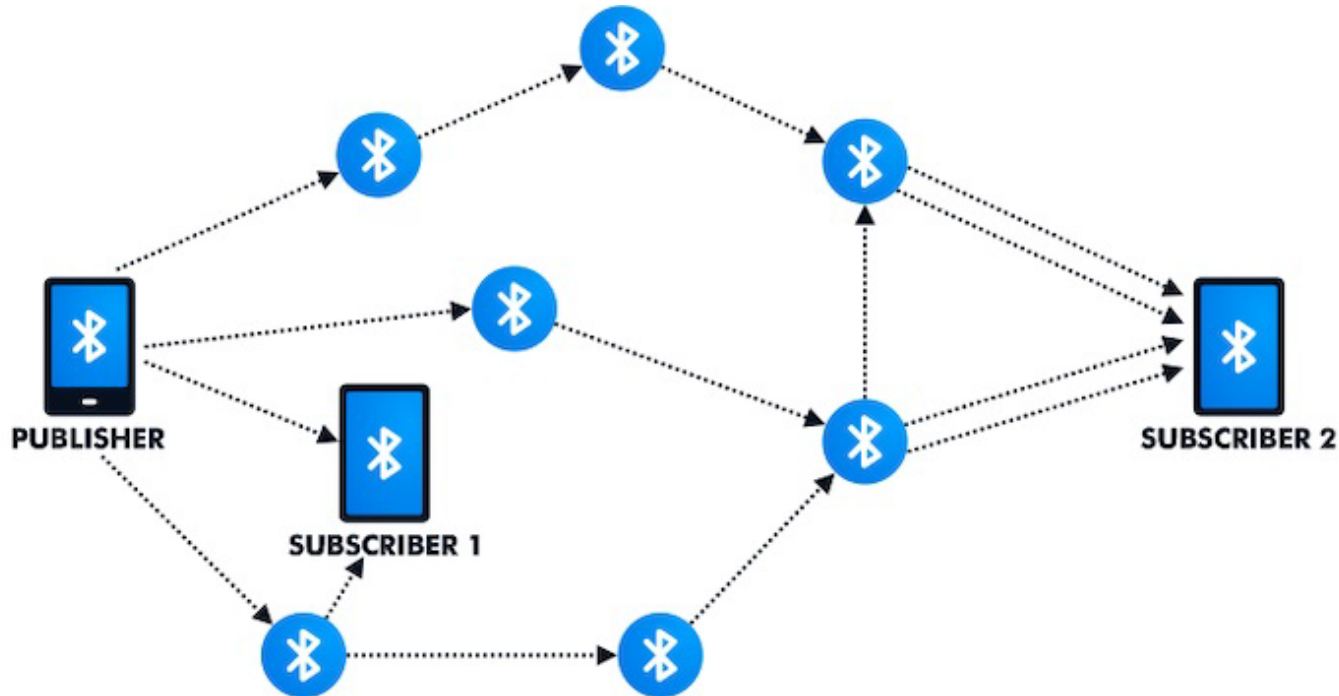
IoT network with a mesh topology



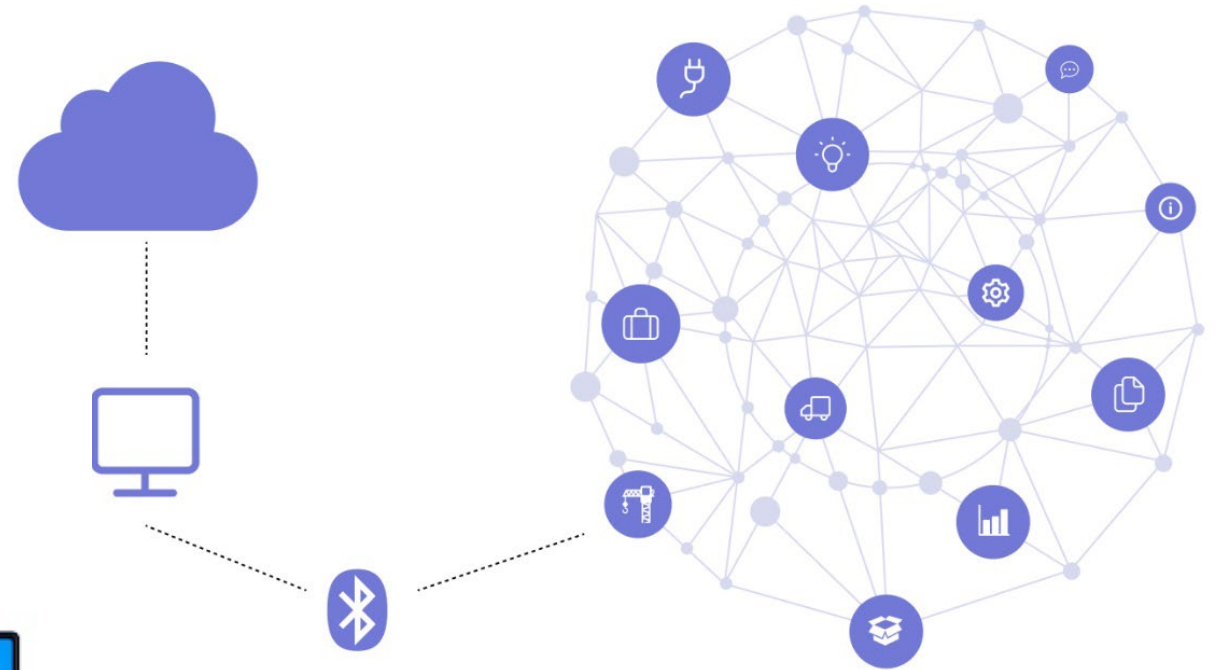
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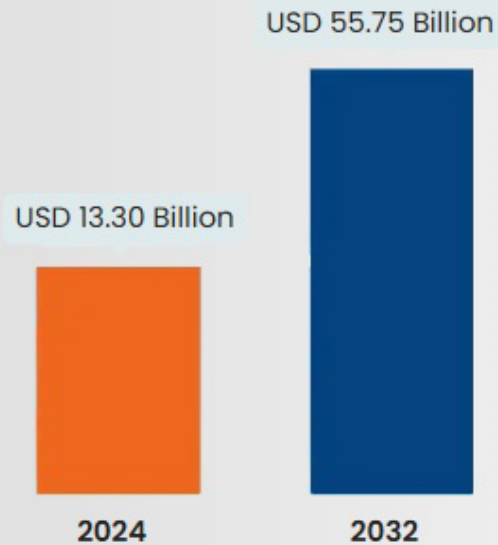


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Global Bluetooth Low Energy Market

Market Size in USD Billion

CAGR : 19.62% 



Forecast Period

2025 –2032



Market Size (Base Year)

USD 13.30 Billion



Market Size (Forecast Year)

USD 55.75 Billion



CAGR

19.62 %



Major Markets Players

- Infineon Technologies AG
- Telefonaktiebolaget LM Ericsson
- Intel Corporation
- Motorola SolutionsInc
- InsightSIP

Global Bluetooth Low Energy Market Segmentation, By Network Topology Type (Central Device, Peripheral, and Device), End-Use Type (Manufacturing, Automotive, Telecommunication, Home Appliances, and Others), Product Type (Module and Chipset), Mode (Single Mode and Dual Mode) – Industry Trends and Forecast to 2032

<https://www.databridgemarketresearch.com/reports/global-bluetooth-low-energy-market>



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Trends and Recommendations

- IoTs will be increasingly connected to our daily life, and collecting more data around us
- Technologies for IoTs are continually progressing, and getting more accessible and cheaper
- Easy for individuals to explore new applications
- Keep track of latest development in IoT related technologies and their implications
- Focus on what sensors/actuators can be integrated in our everyday life, and develop new IoT devices/systems for improving our life

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