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# Sensor Andrew

A Living Laboratory for Infrastructure Sensing Technologies

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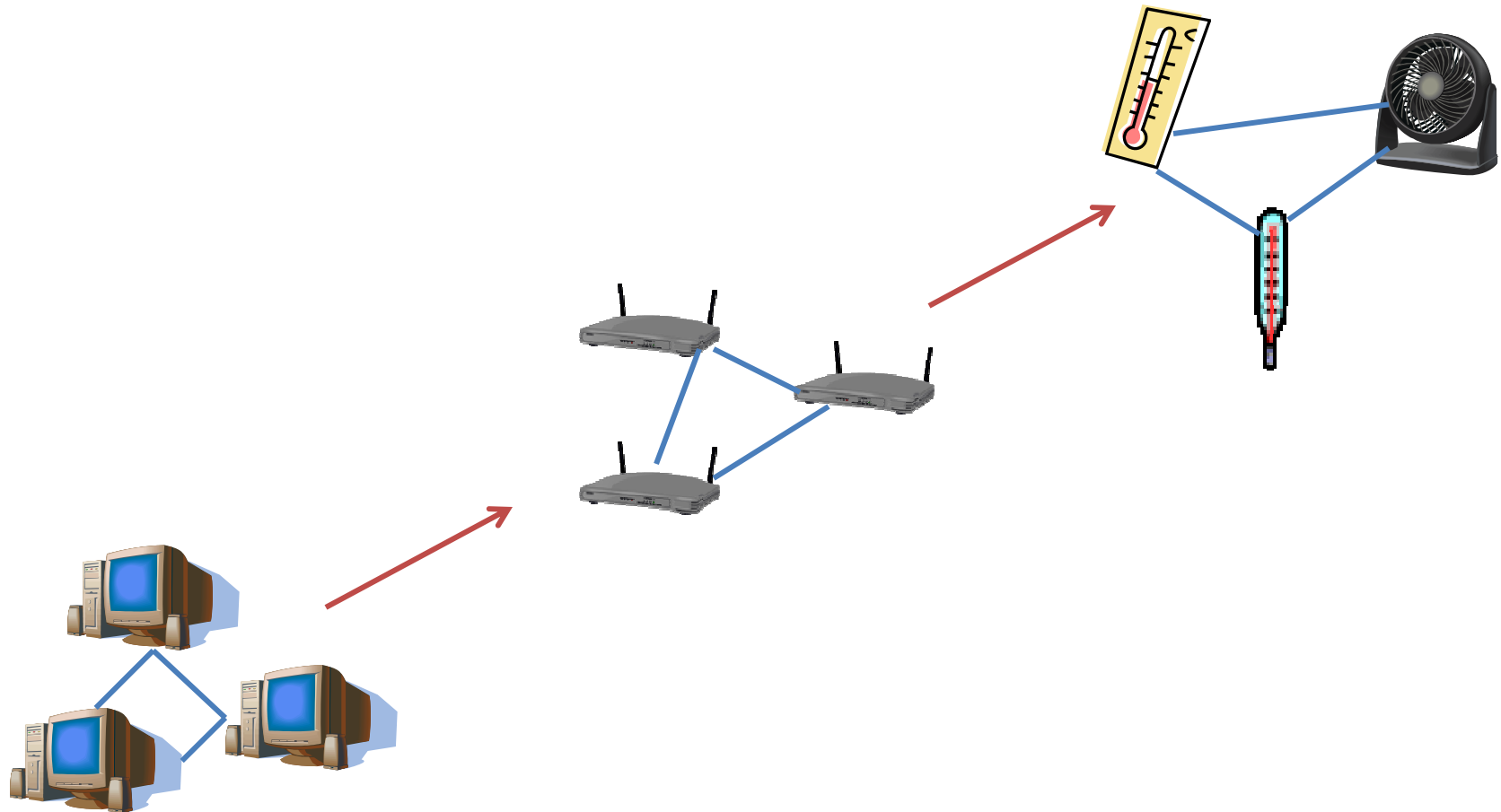
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## **CenSCIR is leading a broad research project called Sensor Andrew**

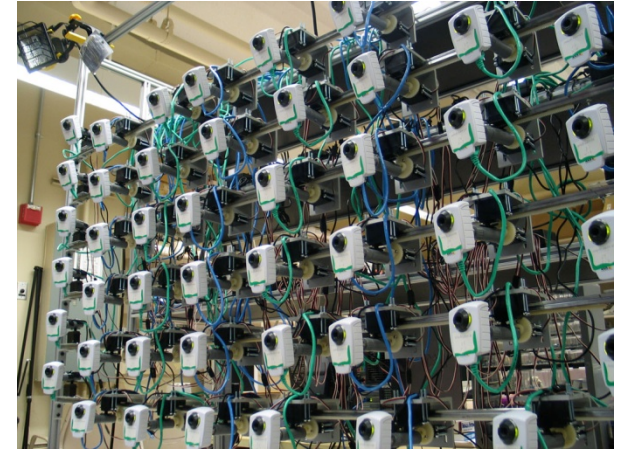
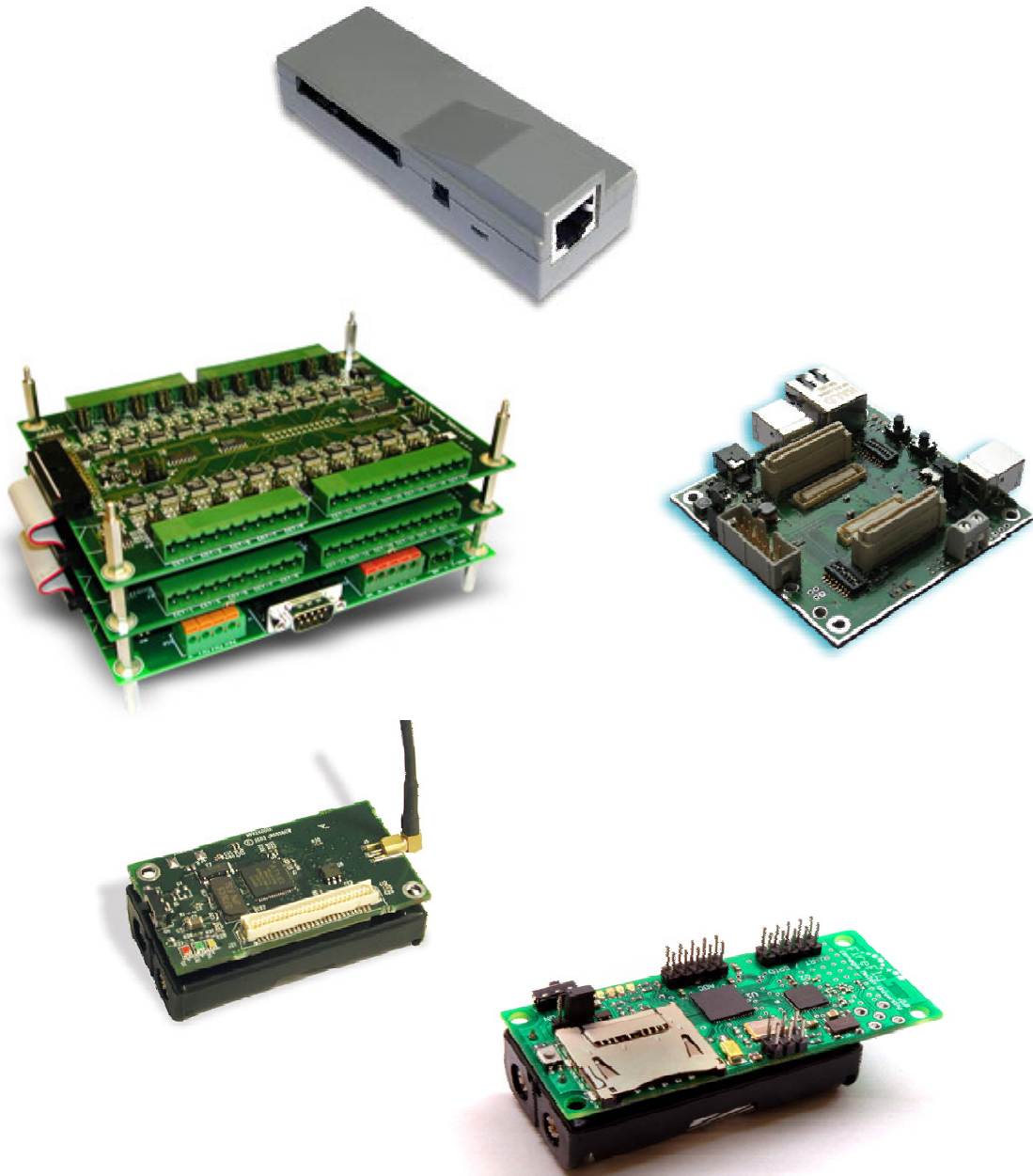
- “Living laboratory” for research
- A sensor network infrastructure that will enable the dense instrumentation of campus
- Sensor network that can support a broad set of applications
- Goal: Carnegie Mellon “the most sensed” campus

# Origins



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How do we share  
sensor-data at  
internet scale?

# What is Sensor Andrew?

easy to use      scalable

campus-wide      sensor network

sensors      provides security

sharing data      control      multi-disciplinary

ubiquitous      infrastructure      applications

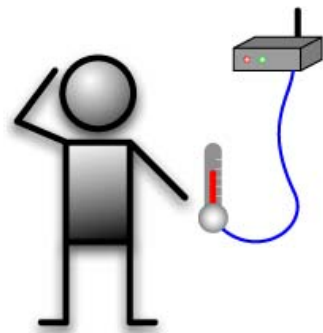
users      extensible

maintains privacy      monitoring

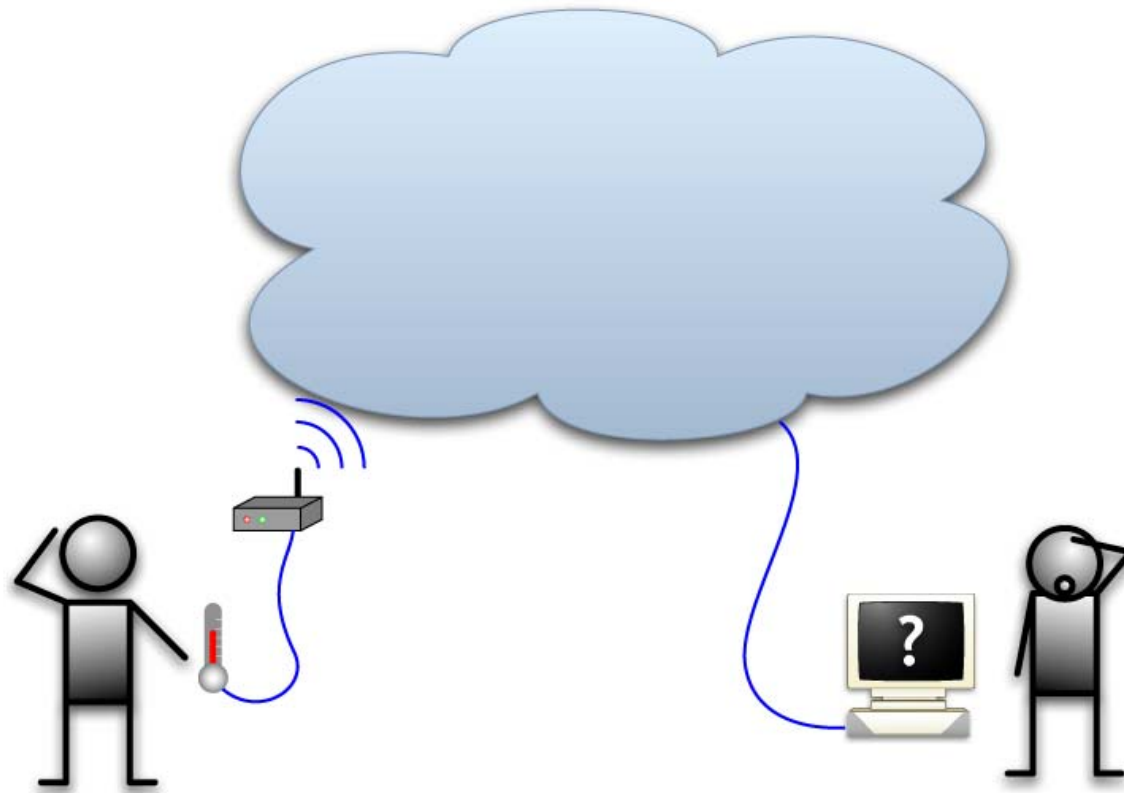
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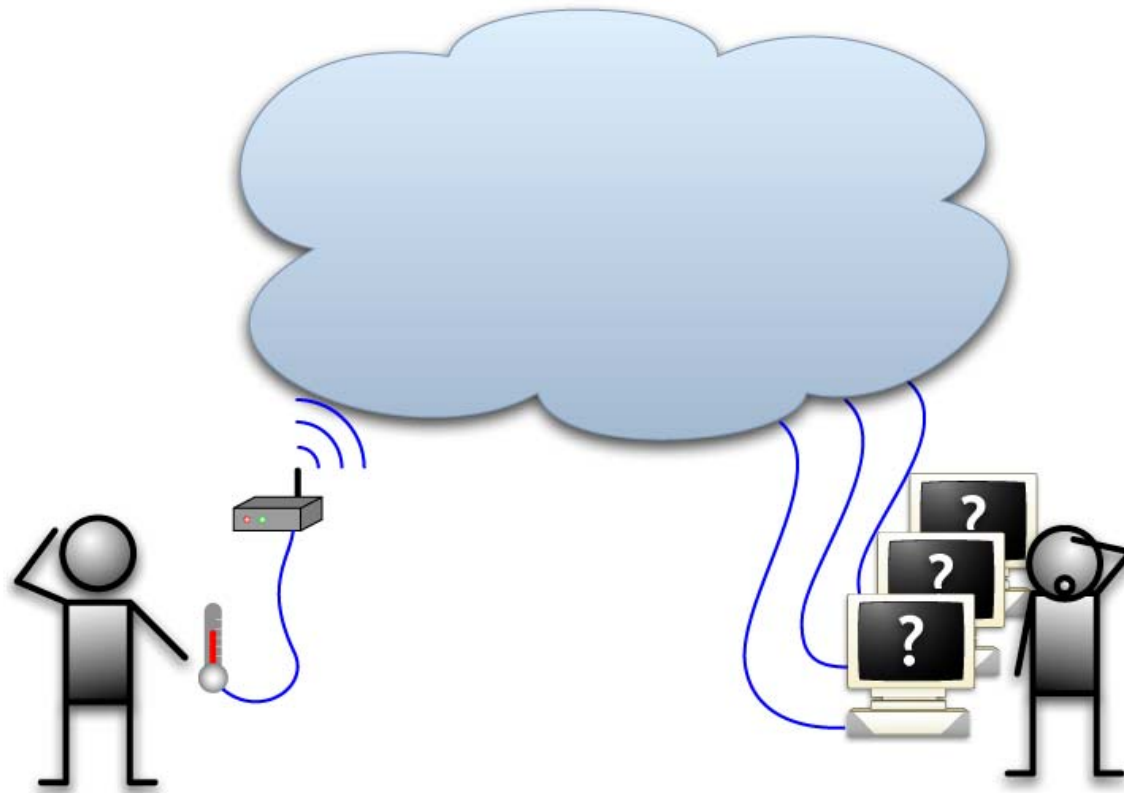
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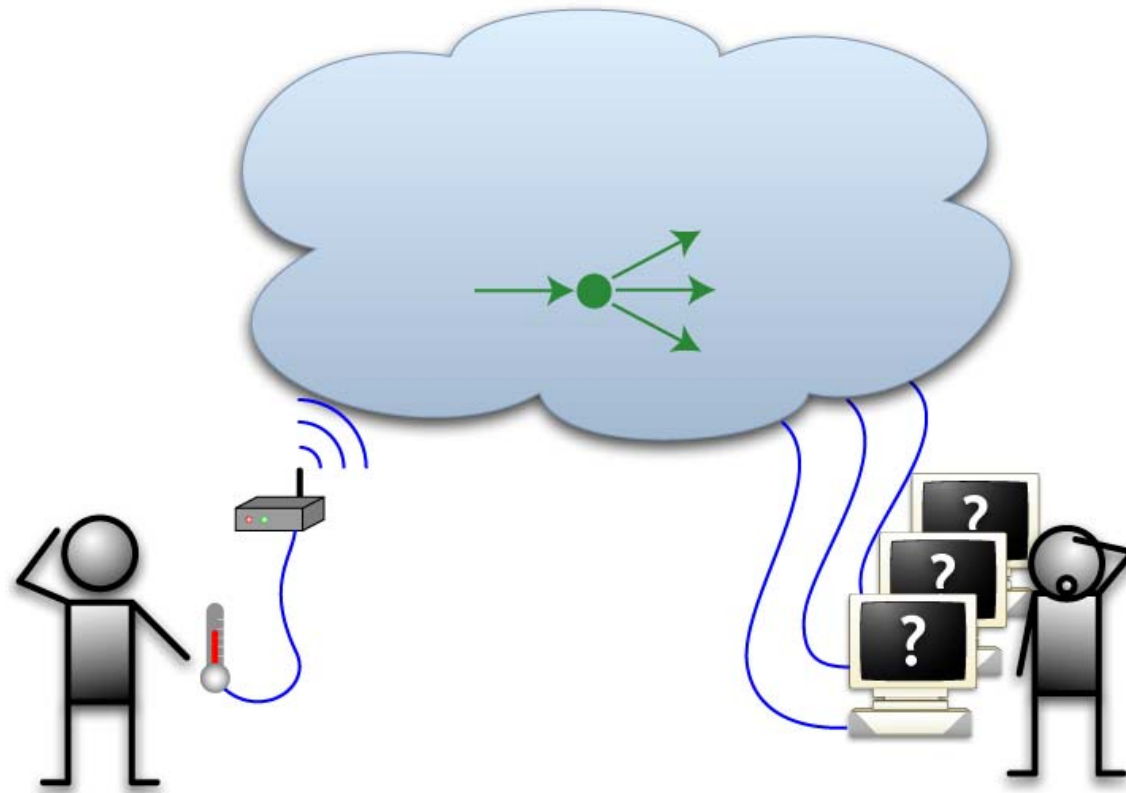
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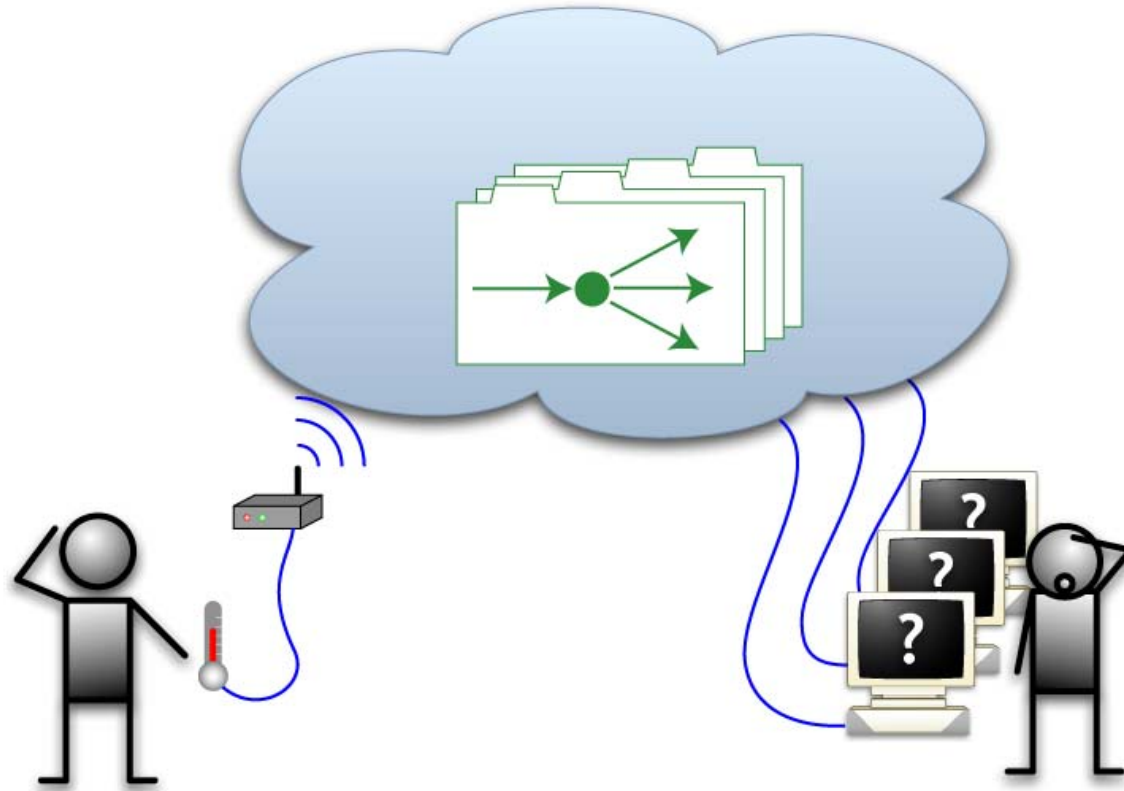
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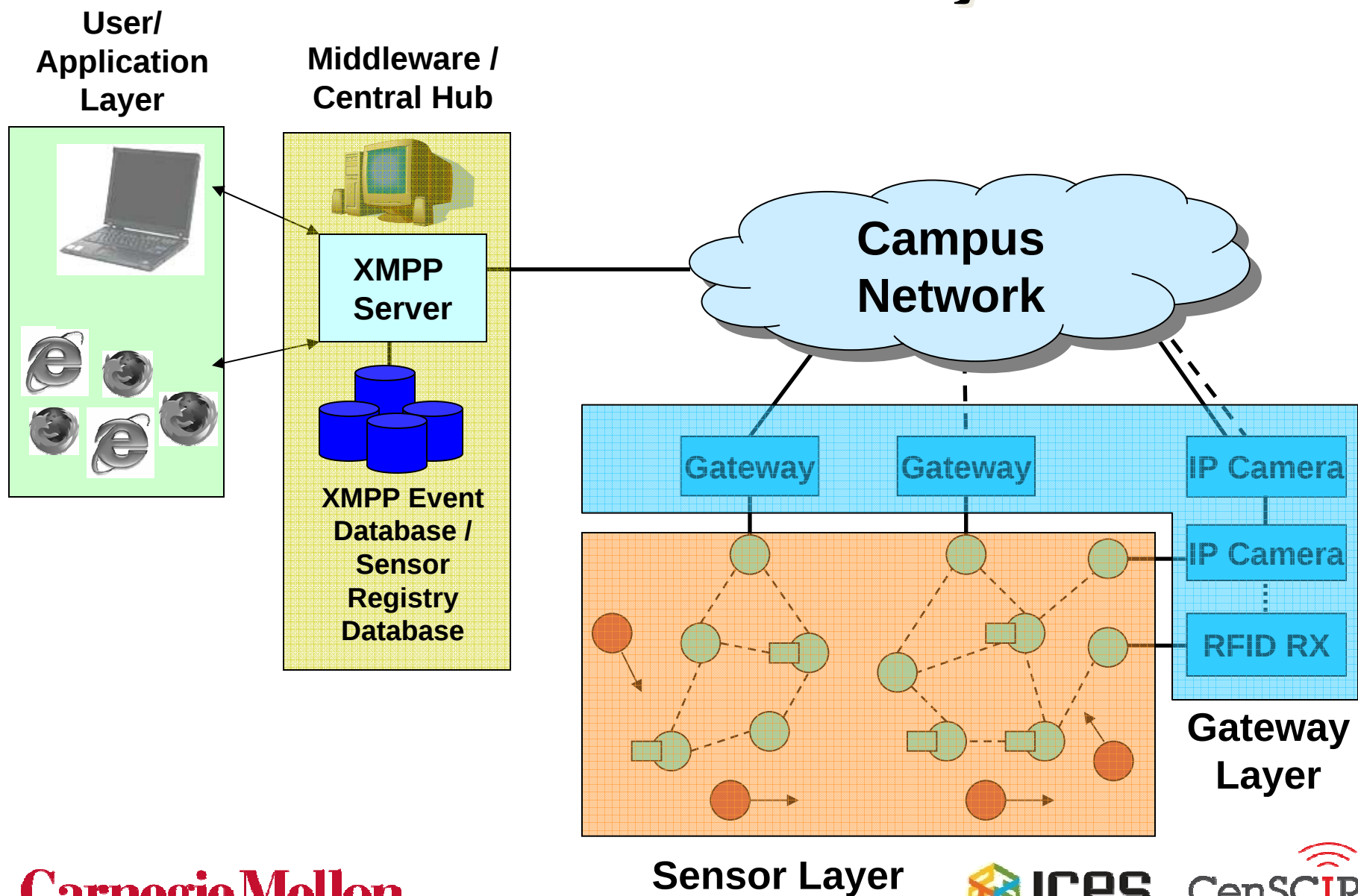
# Design Goals

- Large-scale monitoring and control
- Easy to manage, configure and use
- Extensibility
- Security and Privacy
- True Infrastructure Sharing
- Evolvability
- Robustness

# Communication Goals

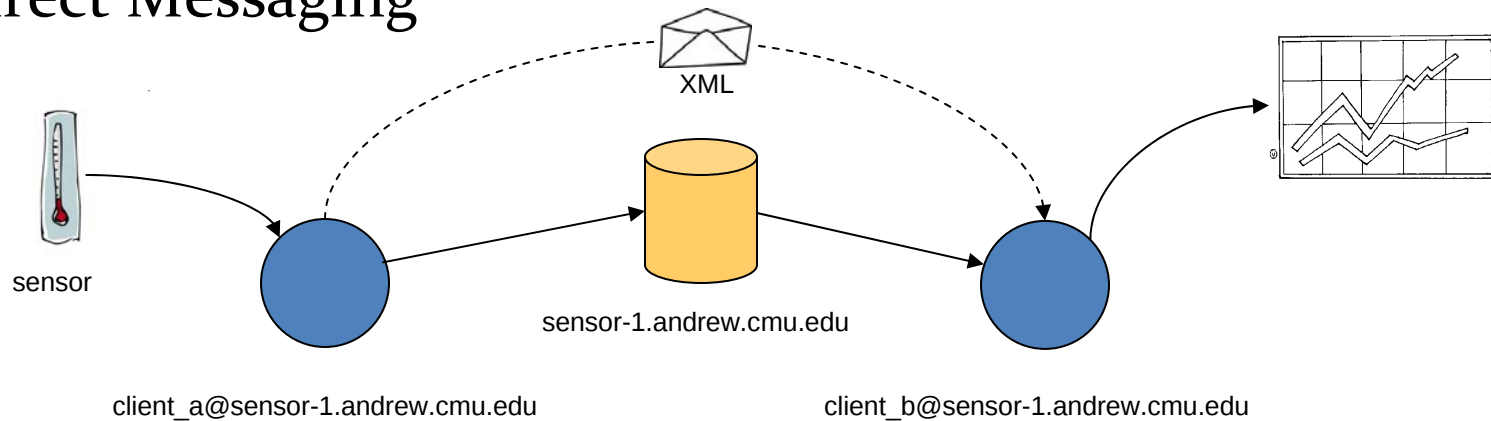
- Standard Messaging Format
- Extensible Message Types
- Point-to-point and multicast messaging
- Data Tracking and/or Event Logging
- Encryption, Authentication, Access Control
- Internet Scale Performance

# Sensor Andrew Layers

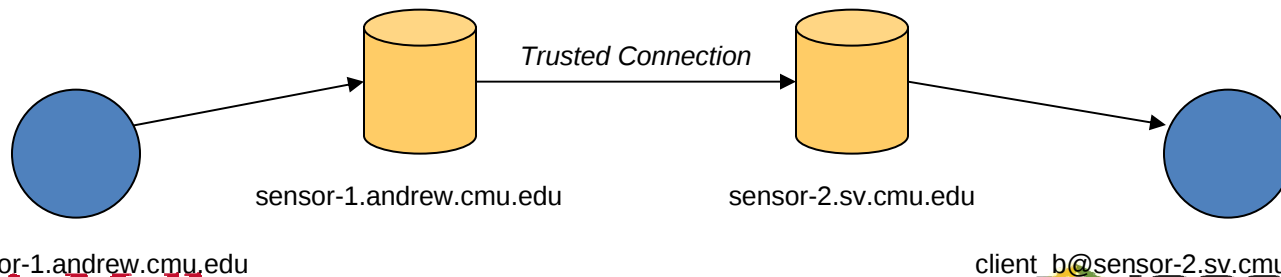


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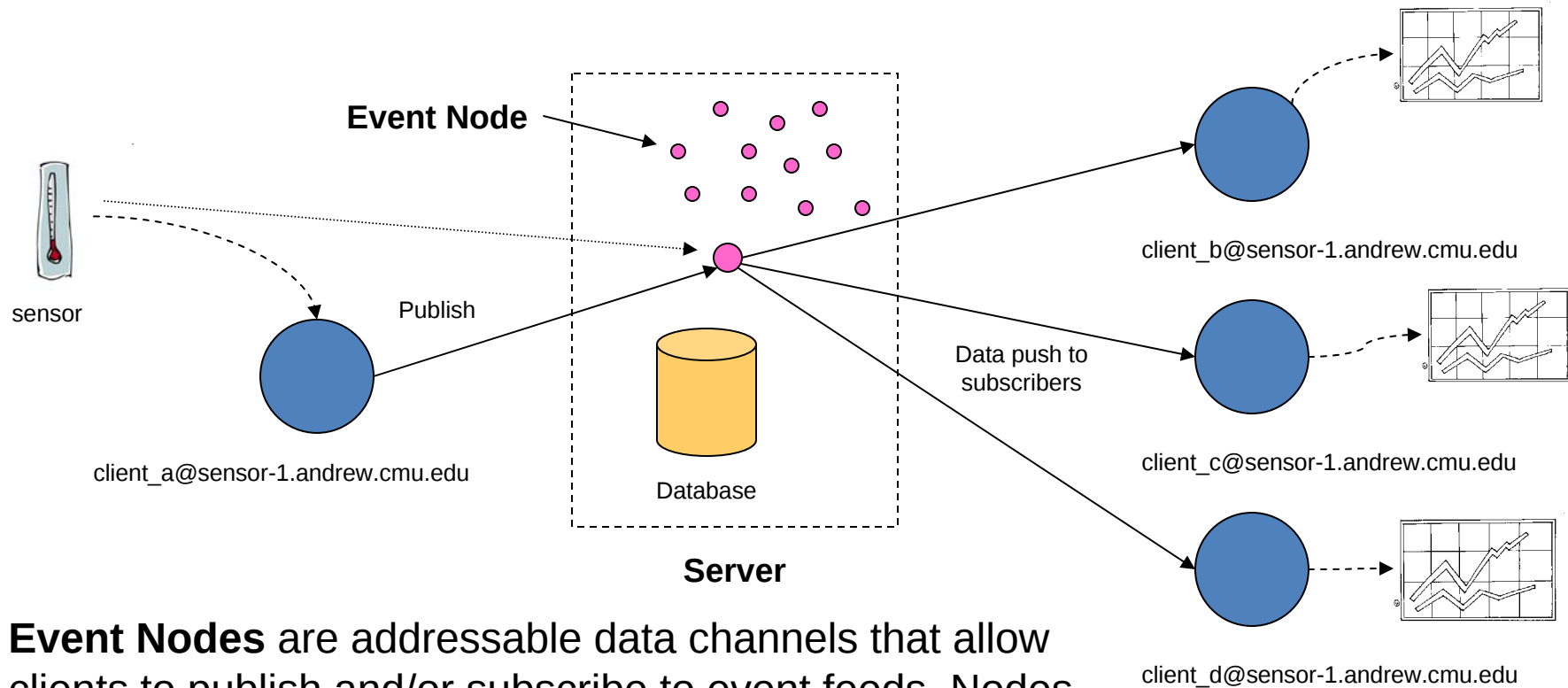
- Direct Messaging



- Server-to-Server Messaging (beyond just local campus)

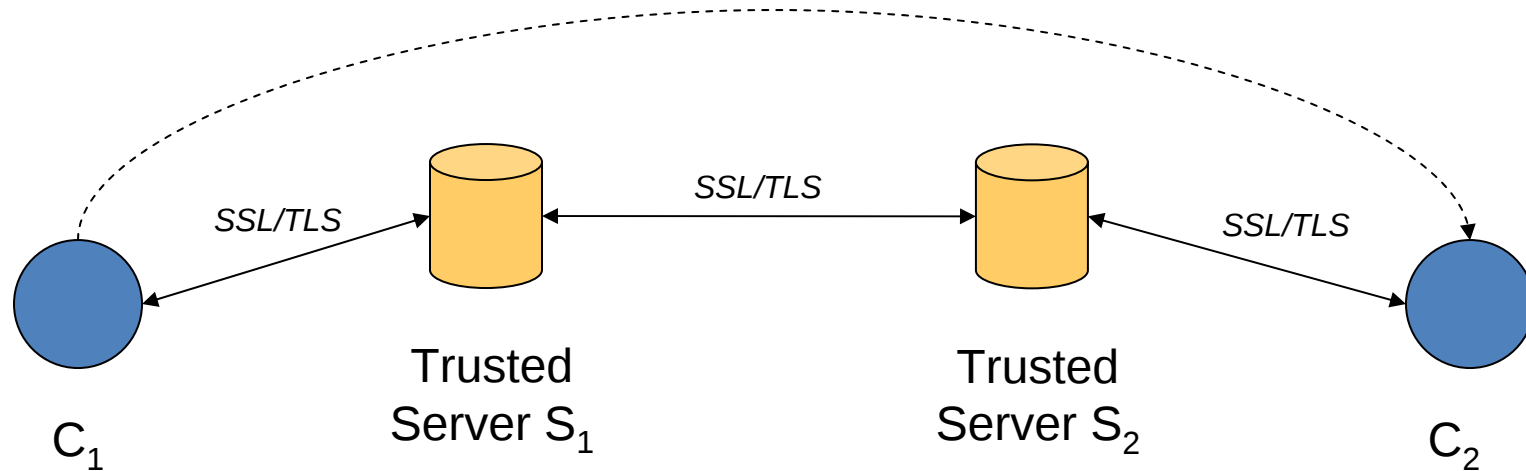


# XMPP Publish / Subscribe



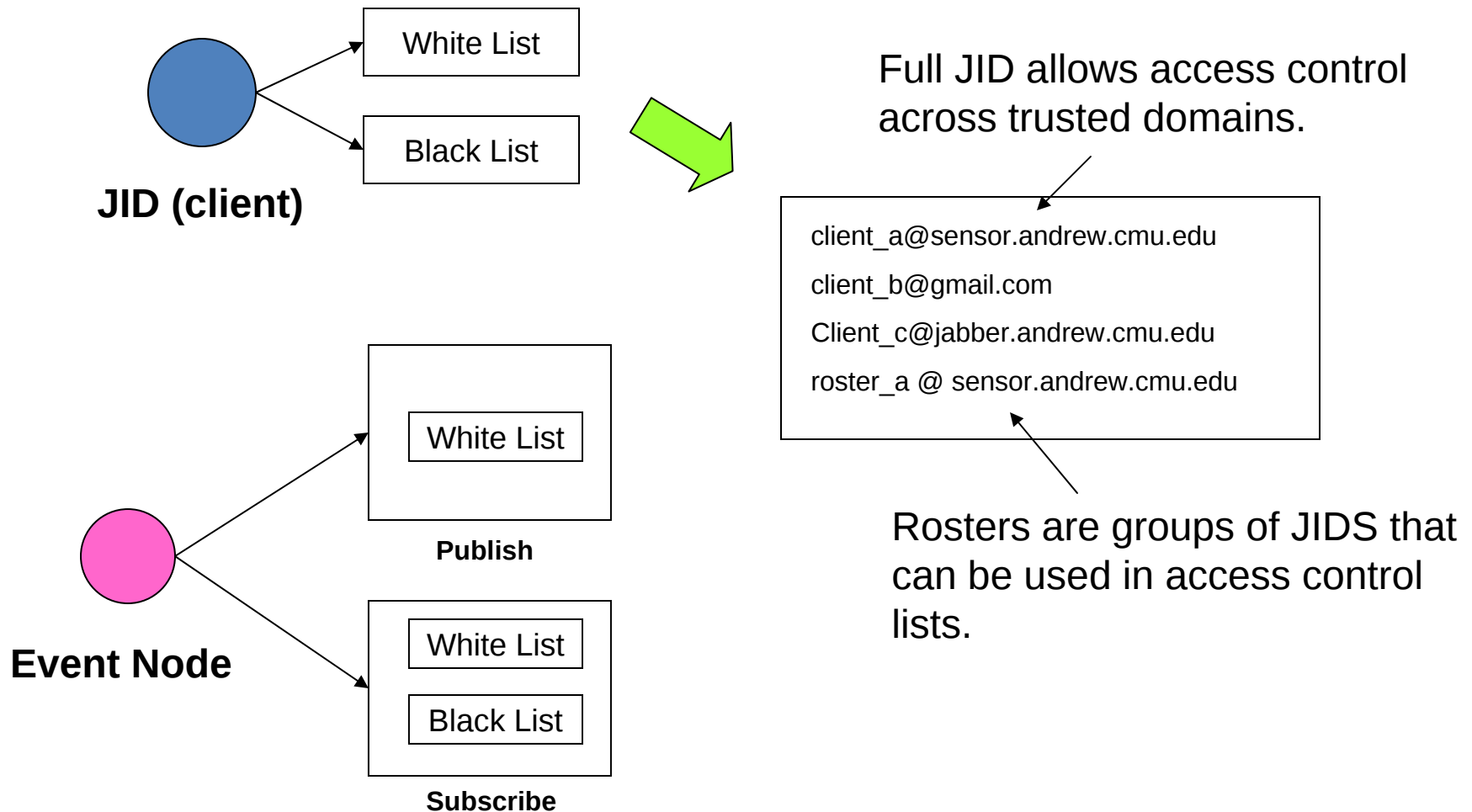
**Event Nodes** are addressable data channels that allow clients to publish and/or subscribe to event feeds. Nodes may also maintain a history of events and provide other services that supplement the pure pubsub model.

# XMPP Security

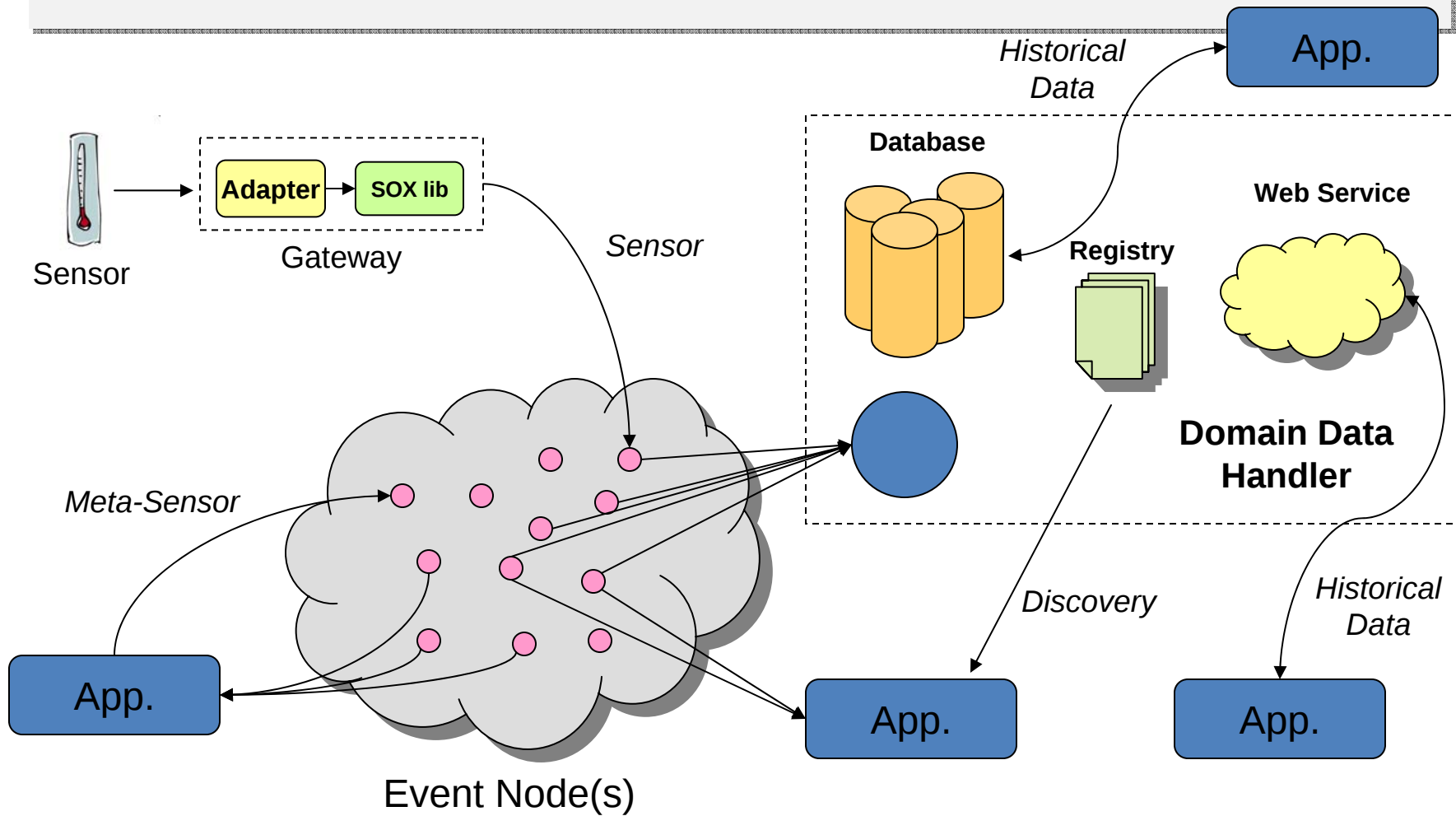


- $C_1$  wants to send a message to  $C_2$ ...
- $C_1$  establishes a session with  $S_1$
- Likewise  $C_2$  sets up a session with  $S_2$
- $S_1$  and  $S_2$  trust each other
- $S_2$  passes message to  $C_2$  marking in the source field that  $S_1$  vouches it came from  $C_1$

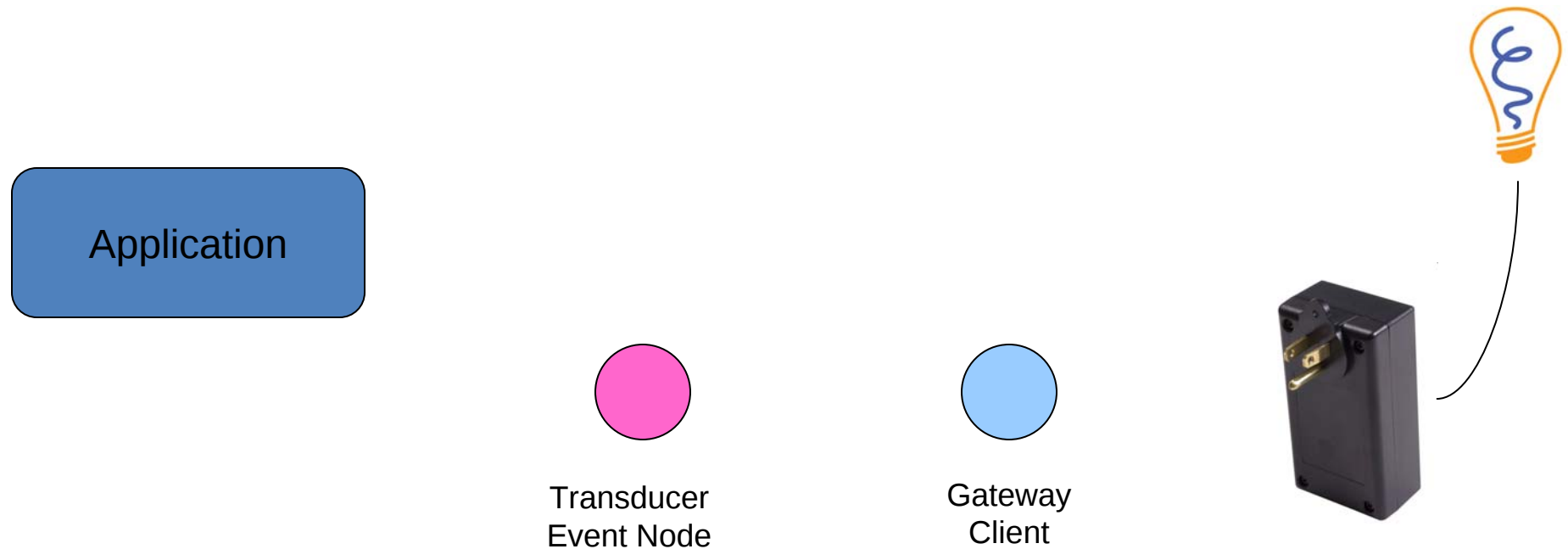
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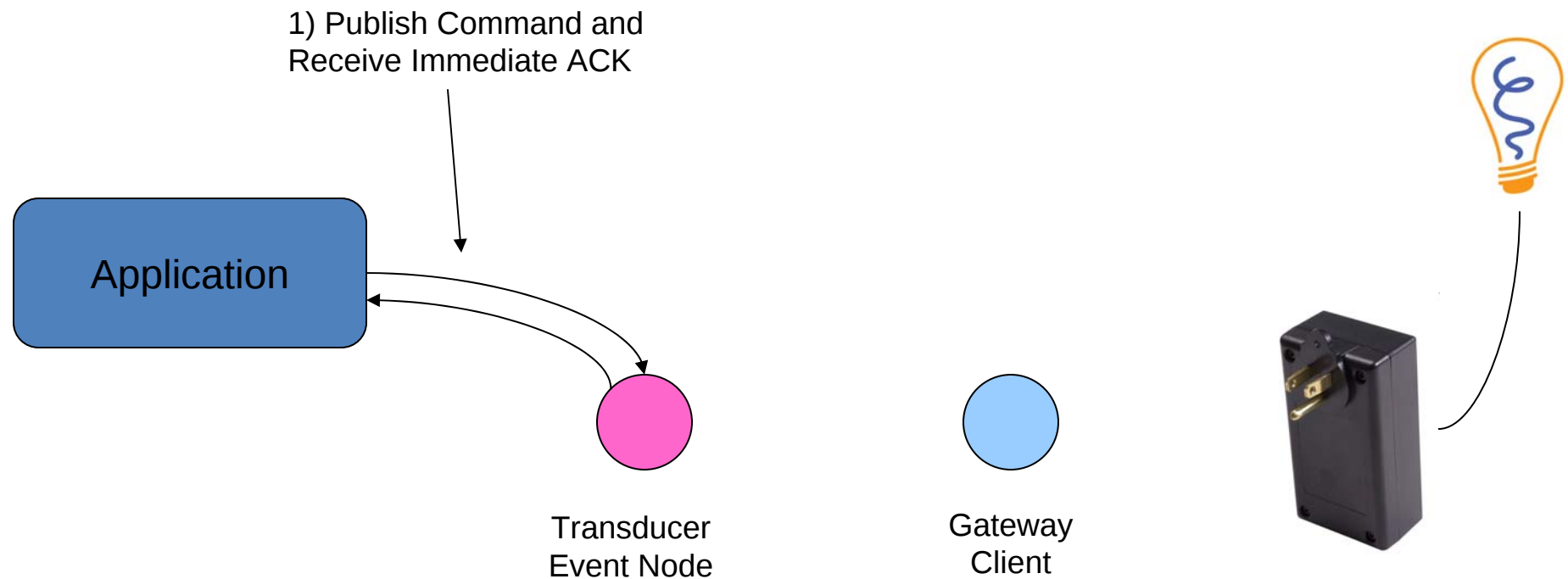
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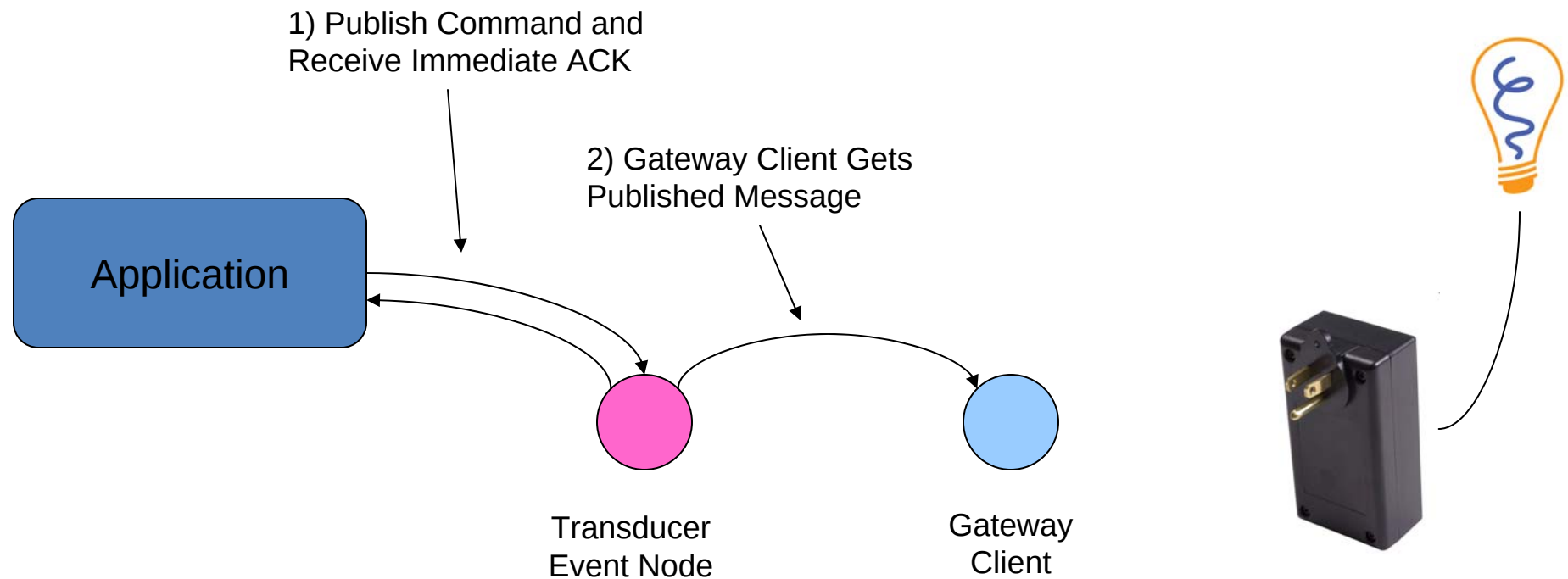
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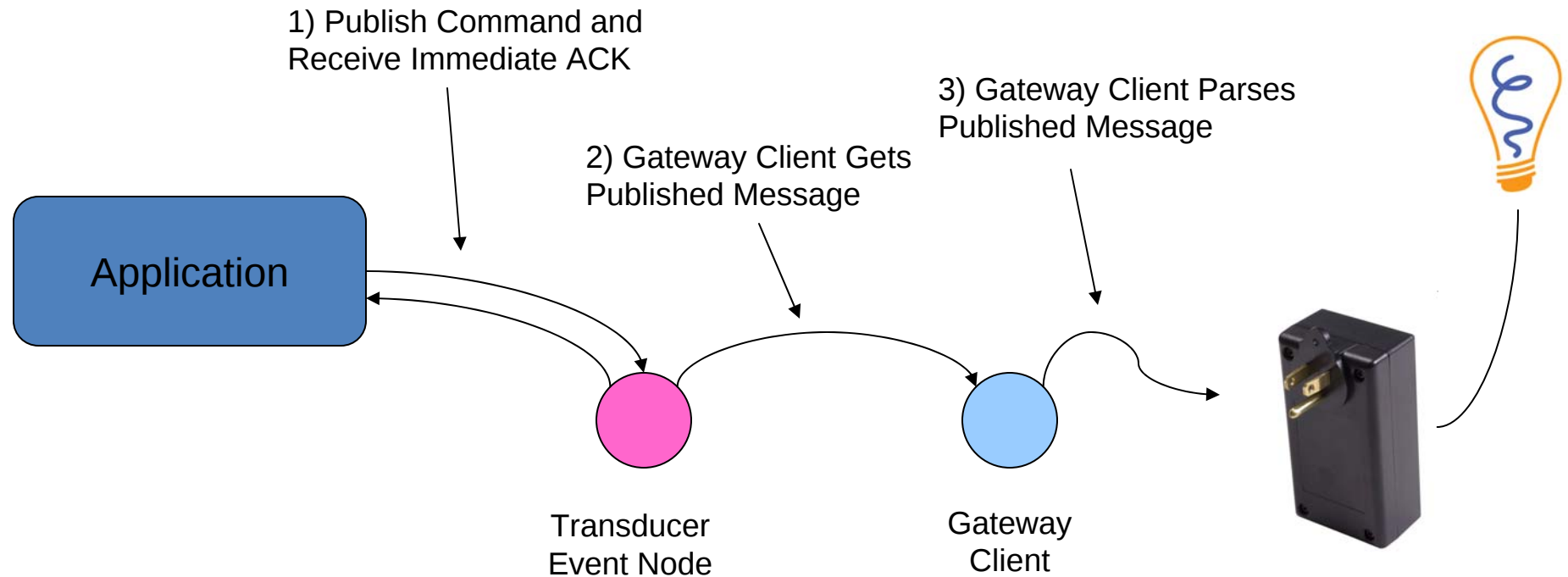
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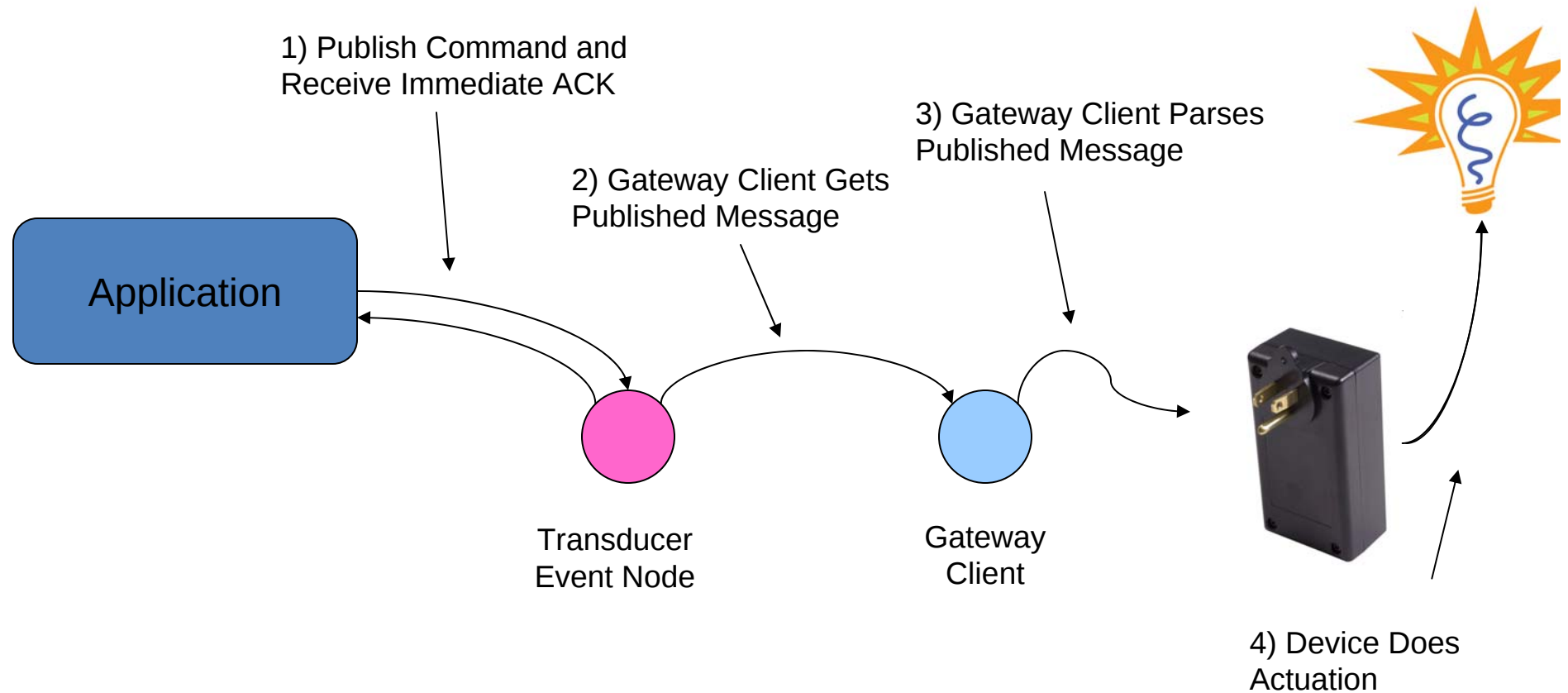
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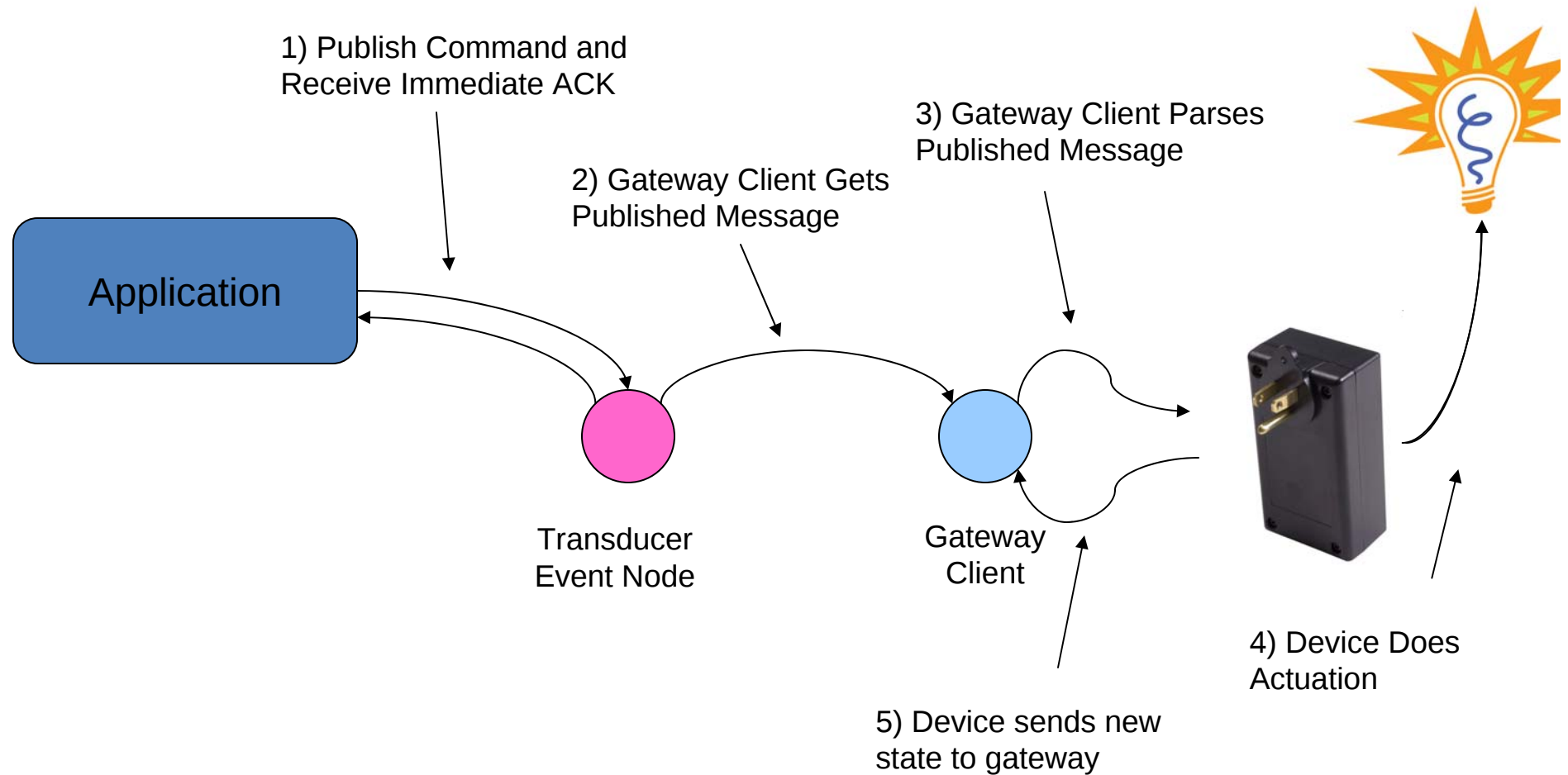
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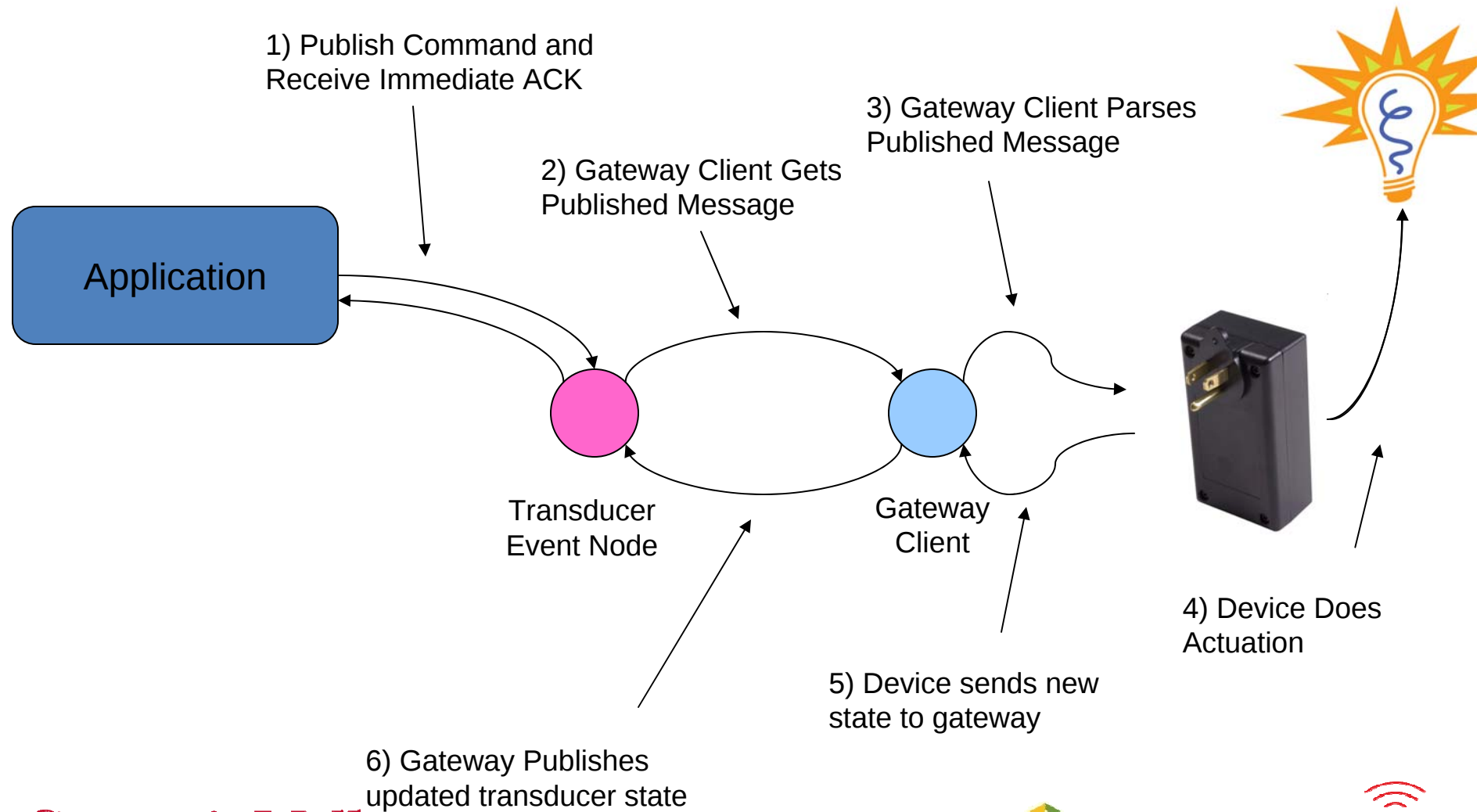
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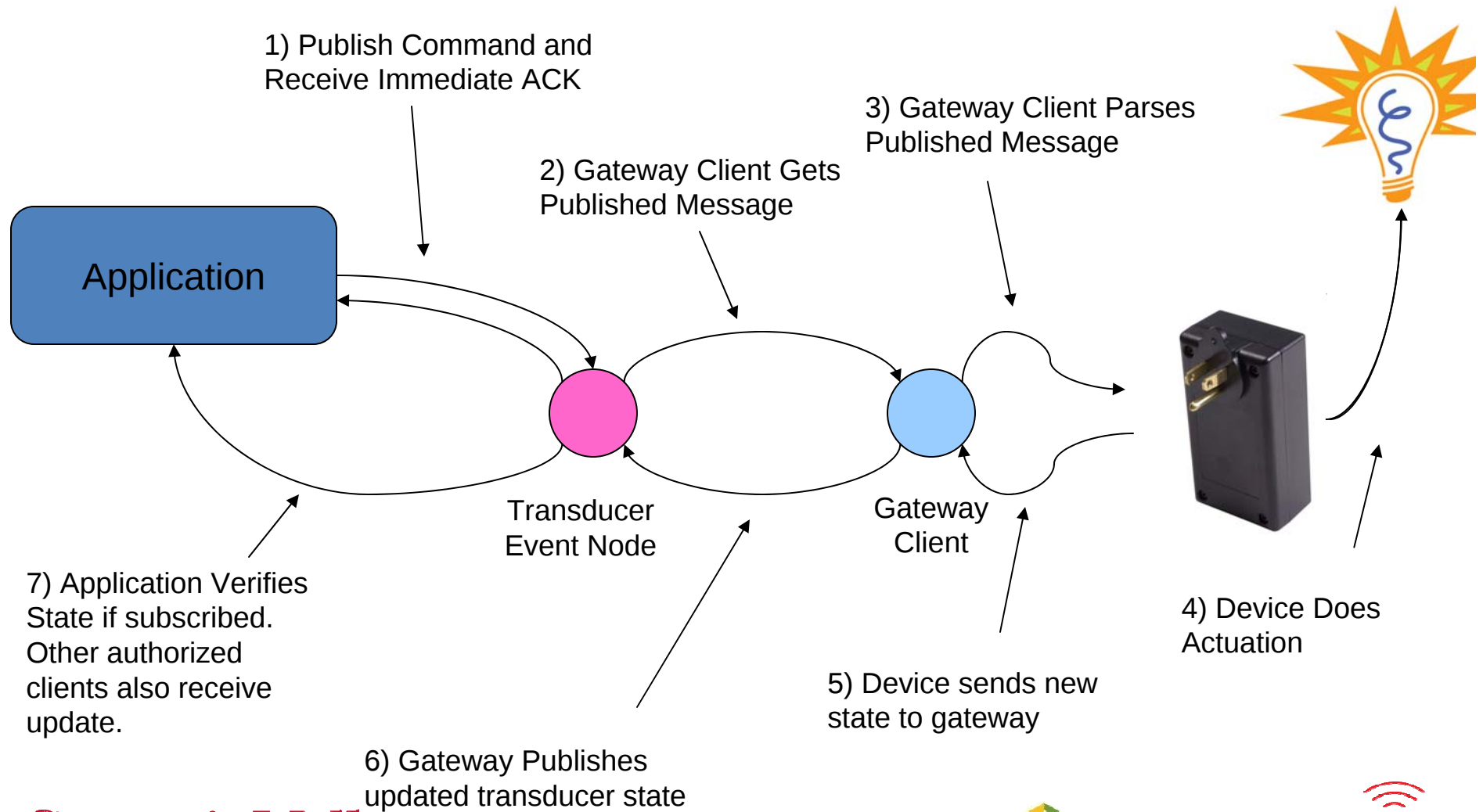
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# Sensor Over XMPP

- SOX Library
  - Command Line Tools w/ Examples
- Implementaion in various languages:
  - C
  - .NET
  - LabVIEW
  - Java
  - Python
- Implementation/testing in various platforms:
  - MAC
  - Linux
  - Gumstix
- Common transport XML schema

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## SOX

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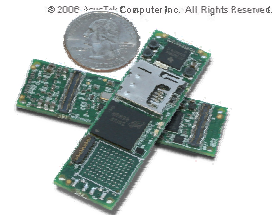
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## SOX



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XMPP Server: sensor.andrew.cmu.edu  
XMPP Server Port: 5223  
XMPP PubSub Server: pubsub.sensor.andrew.cmu.edu  
XMPP Server SSL Fingerprint: blah  
username: marioberges@sensor.andrew.cmu.edu  
Event Node: 00000803  
Verbose: YES

initialized xmpp client

Data from node '00000803'

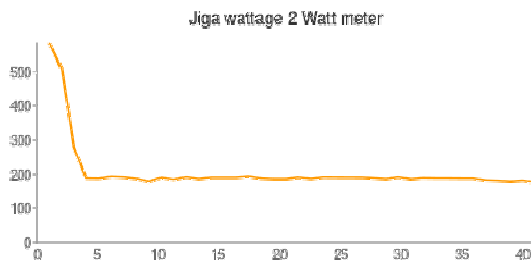
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Got data from node <00000803>

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Device



Application

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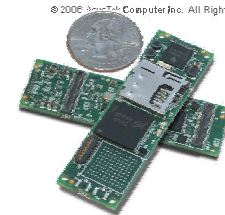
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## SOX



Gateway



# Proposed Solution

## Problem

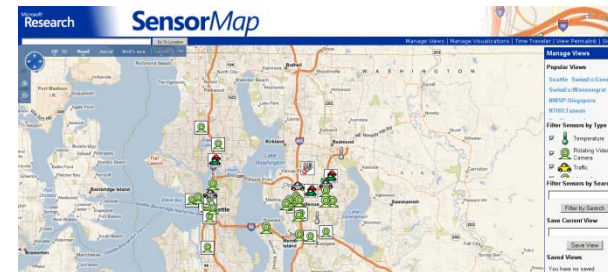
- Communication Requirements
- Meta-Data Operations
- Heterogeneity

## Solution

- XMPP
- Data Handler
  - Registry
  - Historical DB
- SOX Library, SOX Adapters

# Similar Projects

- **Microsoft:** SenseWeb & SensorMap
- Pachube
- **Intel:** IrisNet
- **OGC:** SensorML & TransducerML
- **Sensorpedia**



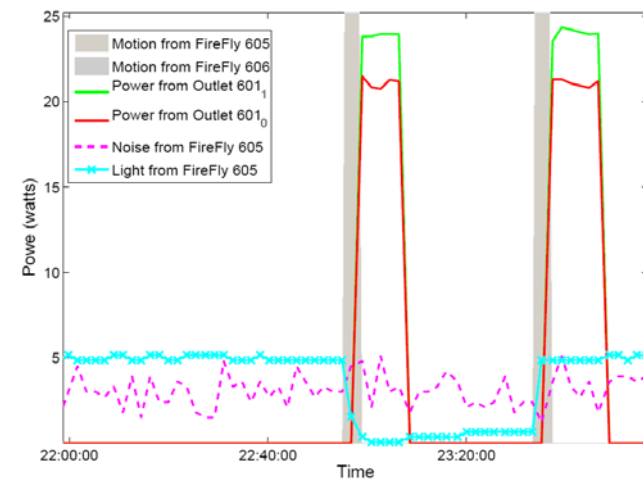
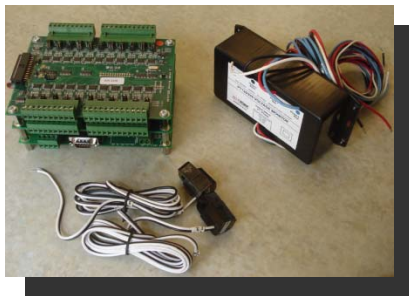
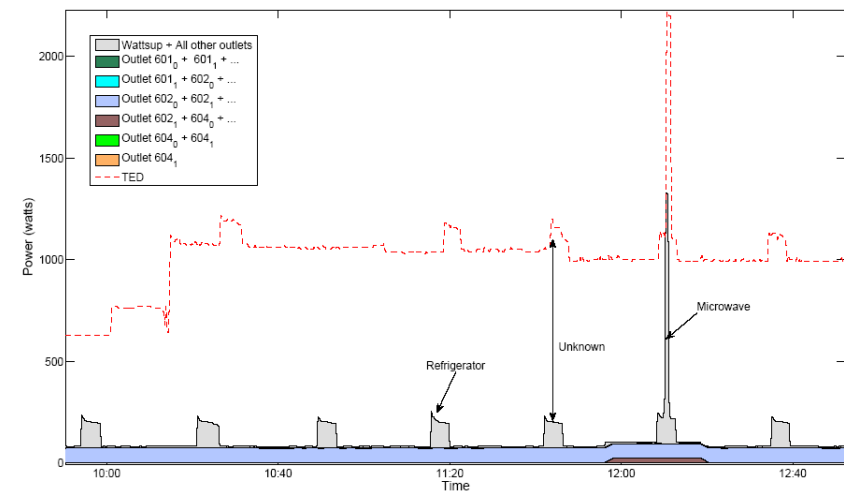
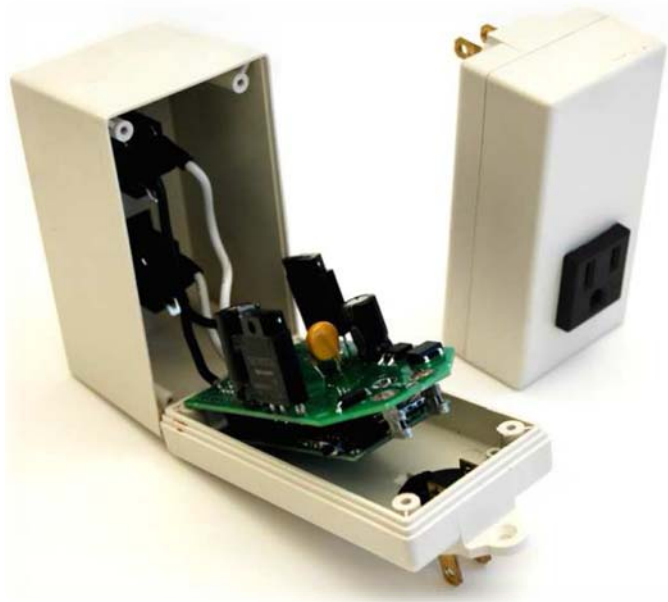
# Differences

- Fully heterogeneous
- Support for Actuation
- Non-centralized architecture
- Highly scalable and adaptable
  - Not purpose-specific
  - Evolvable
  - Easy to expand and reconfigure

# Current Applications

- Building Energy Monitoring
  - For research
  - For Facility Management Operations
- Pipeline Monitoring
- Green Roof Project
- Event-Notification System
- Web-portal

# Energy Monitoring



# Other Projects



Integrating Building Automation Systems  
(Intelligent Workplace)



Wireless Sensor Networks  
for Environmental  
Monitoring



Pipeline Monitoring (Leakage Detection)



Integrating Environmental Sensors  
(Green Roof)

# Other Projects

Sensor Andrew - Mozilla Firefox

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# Demonstration

<http://sensor.andrew.cmu.edu/>

# Future Development

- **User interfaces**
- **Complete the API**
- **Self-Describing Data**
- **Expanding the coverage**
- **Larger user-base**
- **New Applications**

# The End

Questions?