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Connecting the Physical World to the Internet

Wireless Devices for CBM

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Presentation Outline

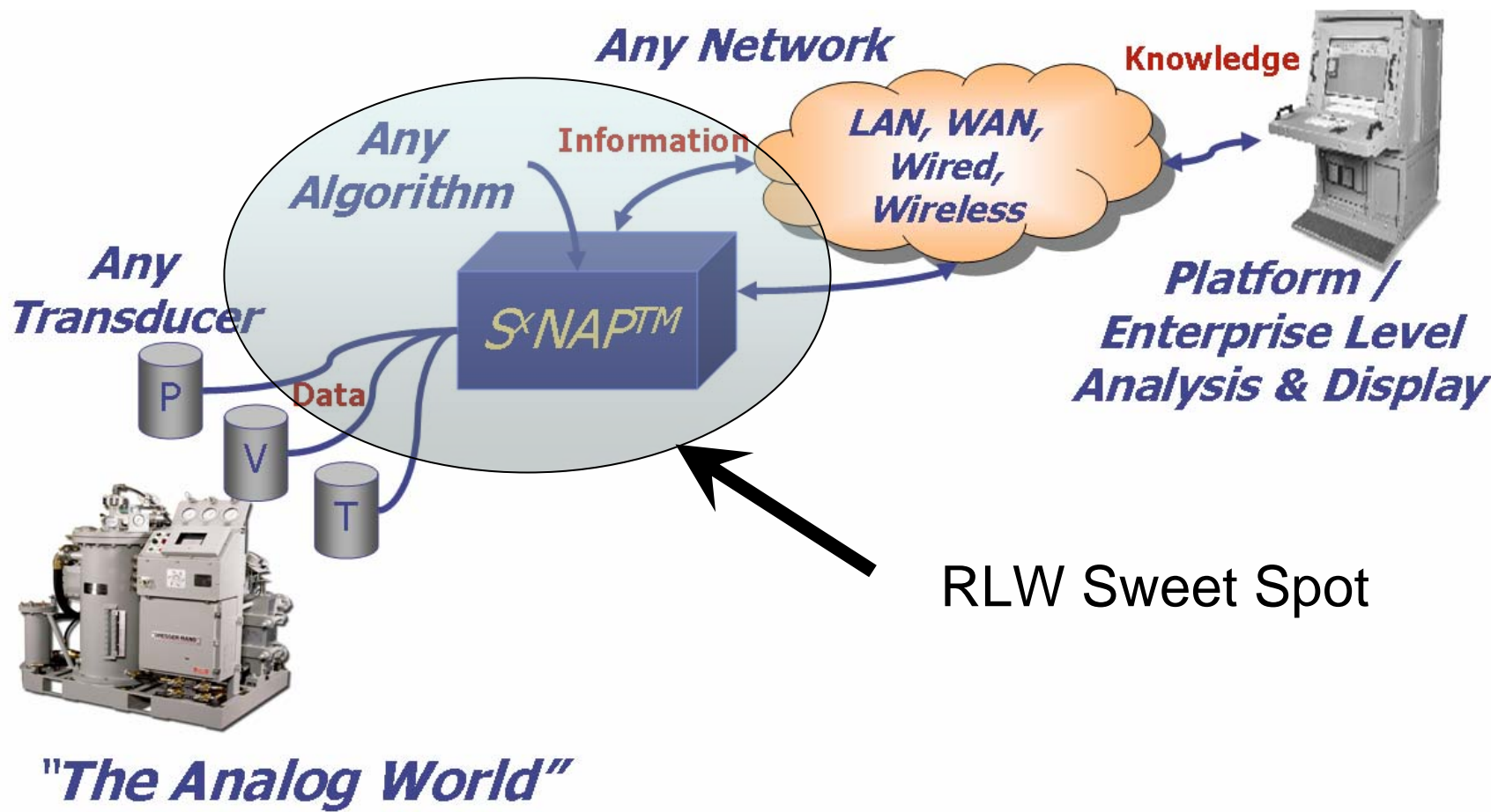
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- **Who we are**
- **What we've done**
- **Where we're going**

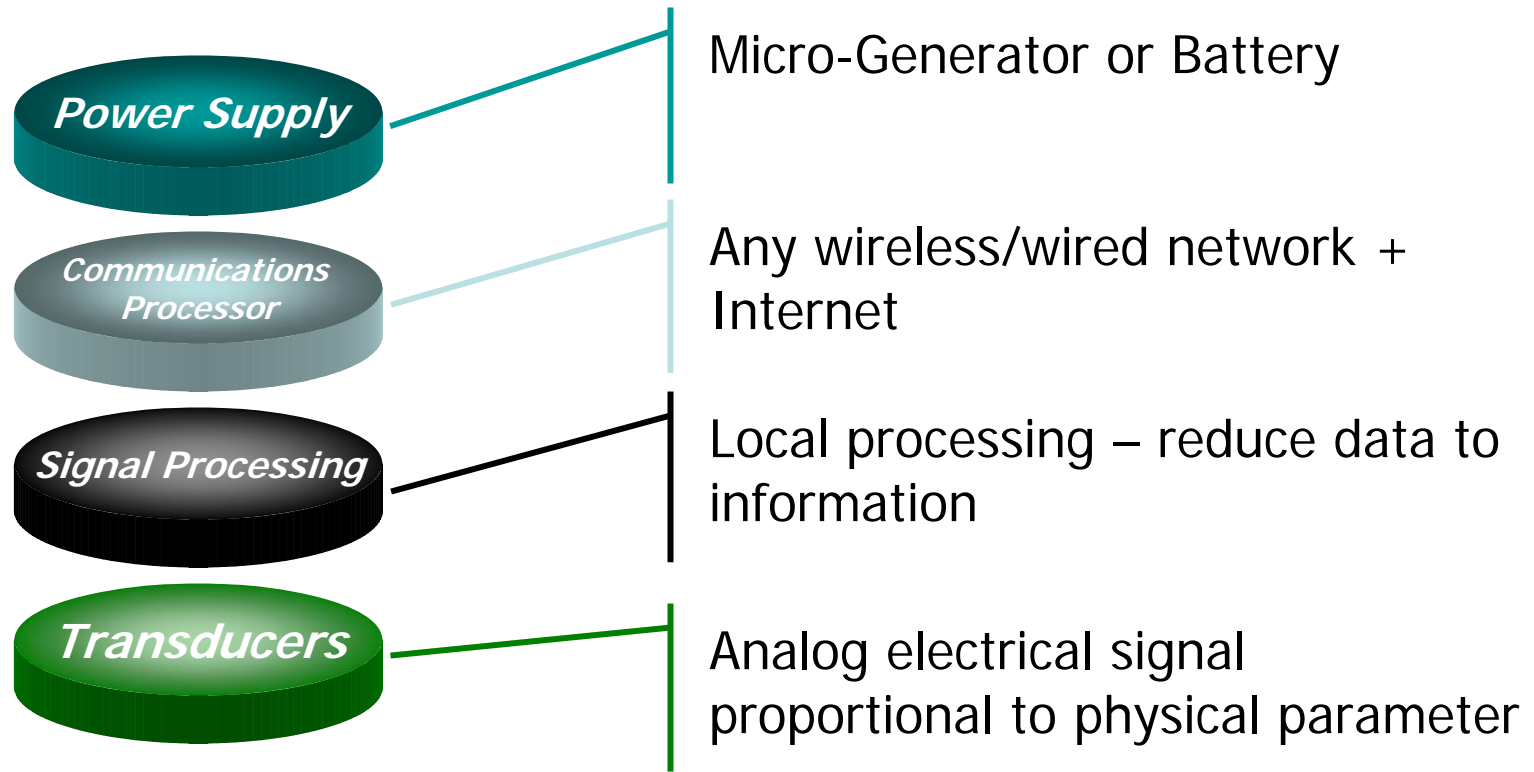


Open Platform for Condition Monitoring

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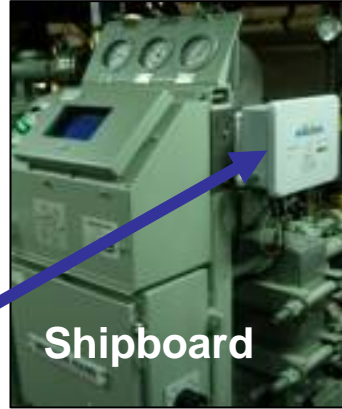
“Small, smart, networkable appliance to
“connect the physical world to the Internet”™



S2NAP® - Baseline Product

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S²NAP®



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- XML Interfaces [[S2NAP® XML Schema](#)]
- 8 Sensor Channels
- Tachometer Input
- 2 Analog Output Channels
- 1 Relay Contact Output
- 2 EIA-232 Serial Ports. (Optional EIA 422/485)
- Dual Processor Architecture
- Wi-Fi (IEEE 802.11b) Wireless Network

S⁵NAP



- **Power from ambient vibration**
- Dual Channel - temp & vibe
- 802.15.4 wireless radio
- Low power 16 bit microcontroller
- Commercial sale pending

S⁶NAP

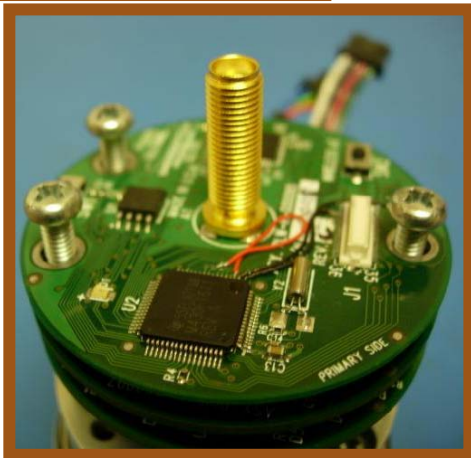


- **Battery-Powered – 2 Year Life.**
- **802.11b Wireless**
- **2 Channels:**
- Raw Data to host computer via connector software
- Network host interface - XML in/out

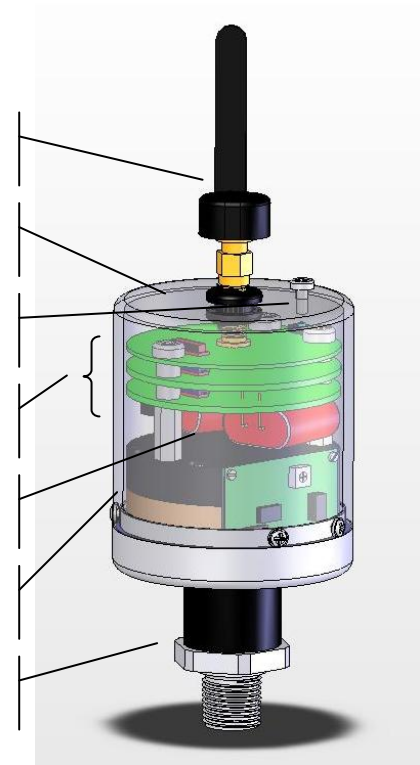


S⁵NAP™ Prototype

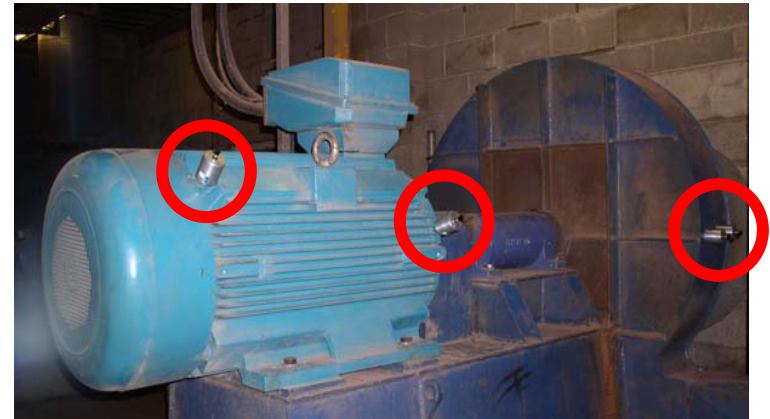
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- Giga-Ant 2.4 GHz. Antenna
- Chipcon CC2420 802.15.4 Radio
- Reset button access screw
- 3 board PCB stack
- Supercapacitors (x2)
- Power Generator
- Pressure Transducer



- **Using Perpetuum PMG7**
- **6 kBytes of data**
- **3 customer orders**
 - 2nd US Navy Contract
 - Major UK Water Utility
 - International Oil Company
- **Successful trials in Nov 2005**





KCF Generator Powered

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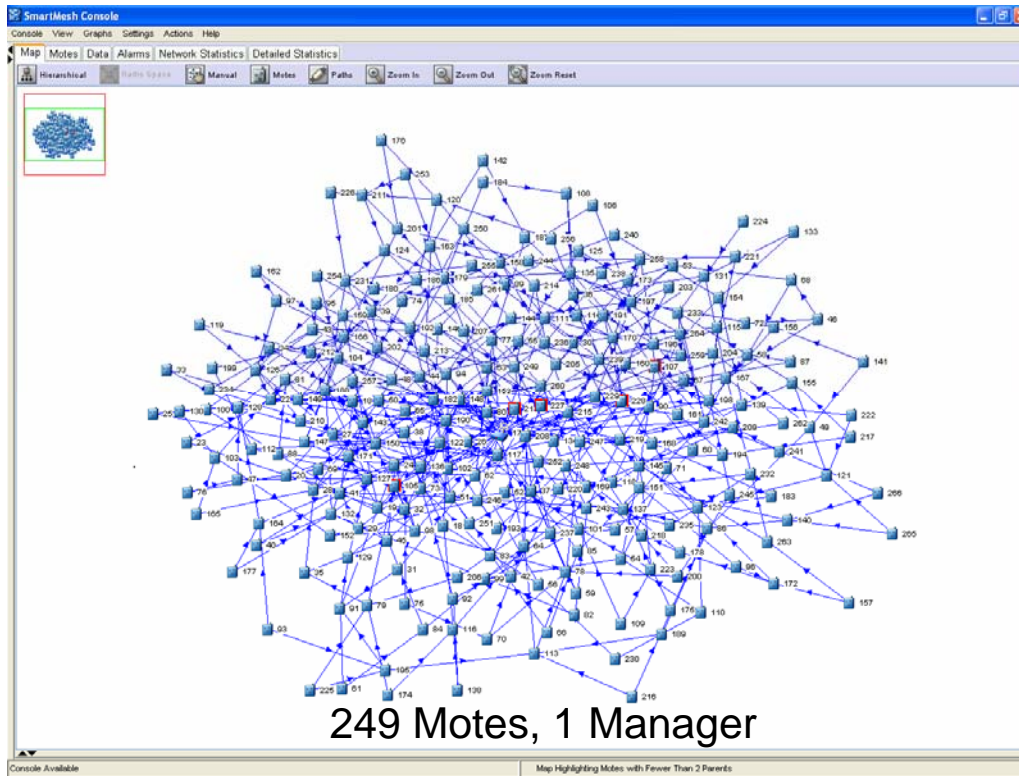


S⁵NAP™ Powered by KCF Generators in Industrial test facility



Dust Wireless Mesh Network

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- Presently proprietary network
- 2.4GHz, Time Synchronized Mesh Protocol (TSMP)
- Committed to move to ISA SP 100 Standard when released
- Chip version motes sampling now, available summer 07
- RLW's devices will remain "network agnostic" until full interoperability is realized through standards

"...We are committed to working with leading OEMs and industry organizations to ensure that wireless sensor networking technology is both easy to implement and fully interoperable.

<http://www.dustnetworks.com/about/standards.shtml>



S&T Leapfrogs Commercial Baseline

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S&T Leapfrog

Info-sensor

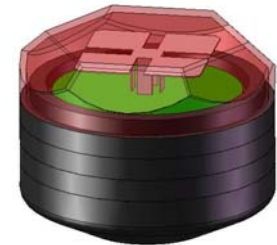
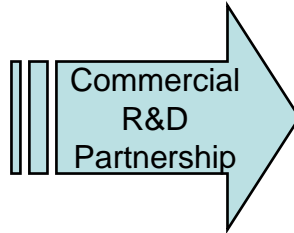
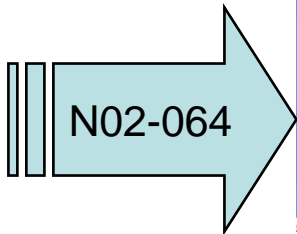
- Co-design algorithms and mixed signal IC
- Highly efficient SP Algorithms
- Sub-threshold and saturation CMOS Analog SP Circuit Design

Dynamically Optimized Network

- Optimize network lifetime vis-à-vis node life
- Decentralized optimization without knowledge of entire network
- Ensure application level vice link level QoS

Emergent Intelligence

- Linked nodes of limited intelligence know own state but not overall
- Collective intelligence emerges through iterative goal achievement without central cognitive model



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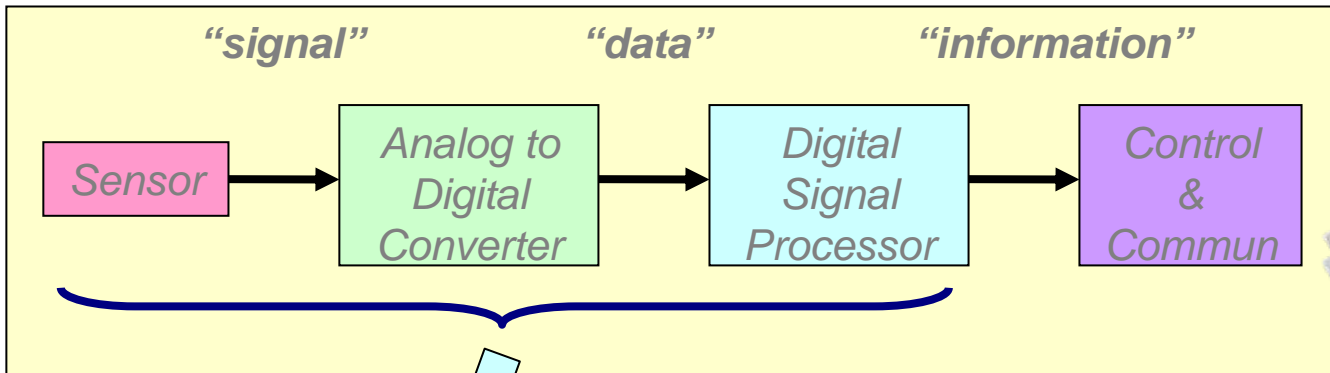
- TRL 6
- Per Customer

- Major Oil Company
- Mainstream condition monitoring player
- RLW Inc.
- Perpetuum

August 2007 - Production

- Open dynamic, self-healing mesh network
- Intrinsically safe
- Separate sensor
- Integral antenna
- Report to Condition Monitoring Software

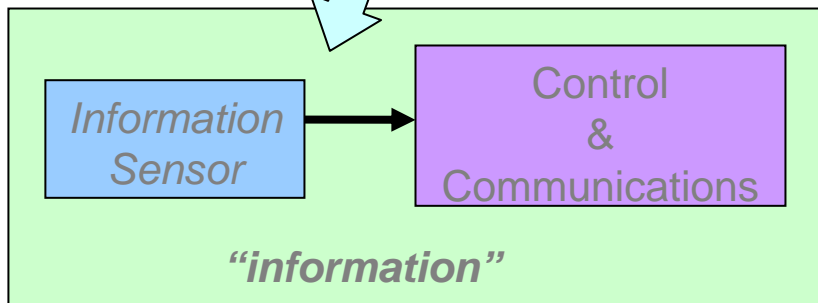
Traditional Wireless Sensors



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"mote"



New Info-sensor



Valtronic
flip chip
package



ADVIS Inc./University of Rochester

First Generation Info-Sensor

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- Implements Sentry Circuit on board – Always monitoring, sensing not duty-cycled
- Integral sensor, battery, processor, radio
- Hermetically sealed package
- Demonstrate Sep 07, 10 node network

1 Step away from 1 cubic inch goal!