# The Future of Smart Farming with Nordic wireless technology at heart

Challenges and solutions of putting 'Smart' in Biotechnology



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### What is a Smart farming?



- A farm that can adjust to optimum operation with little or no need for human interaction.
- Maximum yield with minimum recourses
- Higher yield is needed to feed a growing population

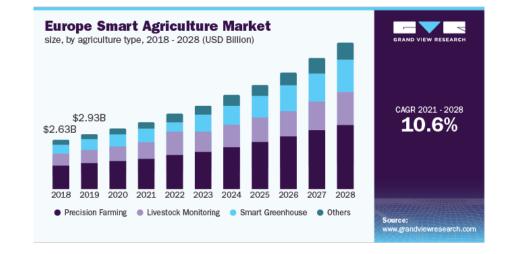
## Why Smart Farming

- Enhancing efficiency
- Environmental impact
  - Climate Change
- State of farm
  - Making operational improvements
- Maintenance
  - Predictive/Preventive
- Better yield
- Cost-saving



## **Opportunities**

 Compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 10.6% from 2021 to 2028



### Use cases

- Smart-building and -equipment management
- Smart Crop Monitoring
- Smart Livestock Monitoring
- Drone farming
- Autonomous farming machinery



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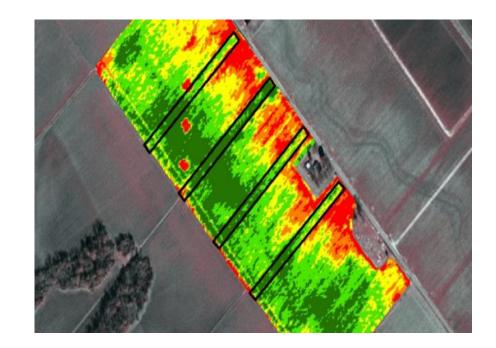
### Smart-building and -equipment management

- Stare of buildings
- State of equipment/machinery
- Predictive/Preventative
  Maintenance
- Decrease risk of mold, fire, and other threats
- Tank levels
  - Petrol/Water/milk etc.
- Solar powered and mobile operated pumps



### Smart crop monitoring

- Connected irrigation and nutrient-distribution equipment
- Connected sensor data and imagery analysis
- Horticultural lighting
- Optimizing resource usage
  - Water, fertilizers, seeds, feed etc.
- Optimizing yield



## Vertical farming

- In-door
- Horticultural lighting
- Sensors
  - Humidity, Fertilization, temperature
- Automation
- Yield optimization
- Cost-saving



## **Smart Livestock Monitoring**

- Individualized feeding-and-care plans
- Body sensors
  - Monitoring health and movement
  - Optimal feed and medicine mix
- Maximize growth
- Geo Fencing



## Drone farming (UAV)

- Surveillance
- Image analysis
- Connected sensors communicating data with the drone
- Providing more frequent, costeffective remote monitoring



### Autonomous farming machinery

- Self-operated machinery and robots
- Able to perform targeted interventions based on connected-sensor data, GPS data, and imagery
- Reducing labor requirements
- Boosting yield through more precise and individualized interventions



### **Market Dynamics**

### Drivers

- Climate Change
- Power/fuel conservation
- Need for water conservation
- Emphasis on Enhancing Efficiency

### Restrains

- Fragmented Agricultural Market
- Many small players
- Lack of Connecting services
- High Capital investment
- Data management
  - Lack of standard
  - Lack of local knowledge
- Data security/Hacking

### Smart Farming – Connectivity spectrum

Fiber/

DOCSIS 3.x

Short range (eg, RFID/ Bluetooth)



Short-range. efficient device-todevice connectivity, storage, and identification

(eg, NB-loT, LoRa, Sigfox)

LPWAN<sup>1</sup>



Low-power, lowmaintenance networks that support high densities of connected devices



High-speed, low-latency fixed networks that support other connectivity

Wi-Fi 6

Next generation High-speed, Wi-Fi with cellularimproved speed, device density, and overlay on features to existing 4G increase device infrastructure efficiency

Low-to mid-band 5G

low-latency speed. connectivity

High-band 5G LEO (eg, millimeter wave)





Highestlow-latency, and highly secure cellular connectivity



Global significantly reduced latency vs existina satellite

coverage with offerings

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### **Smart Farming - Value Chain**



### Applications of IoT in Smart Agriculture

- Precision Farming
- Variant rate Technology
- Smart Irrigation
- Agriculture Drones
- Smart Greenhouse
- Yield Monitoring
- Farm Management Systems
- Soil Monitoring Systems
- Precision Livestock Farming

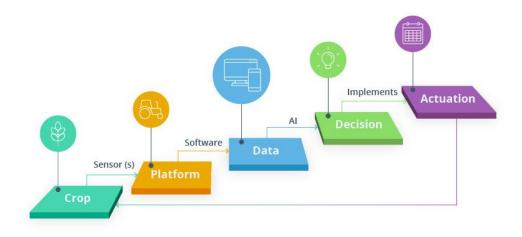


## Data transmission and end user analysis

### Who will:

- Gather data
- Transmit data
- Store data
- Analyze data
- Data Management
- Decide/Act on data

AI



### Future

- Higher yield with less recourses
  - Cost optimized
- More people will live in cities
  - Workforce shortage
  - More effective robots
- Higher yield
  - Growing population, more food needed
- Environmental
  - Less waste and energy use
  - Less Greenhouse footprint



# **Nordic Solutions**

## A globally leading IoT enabler

### Simplifying lives through all things connected



- Leading ultra-low-power wireless connectivity solutions
- Short-range, medium-range and long-range technologies

		<b>o</b> !:
Integrated circuits (ICs)	Embedded software	Development tools

- Broad products and solutions portfolio
- Common software platform and development tools
- Excellent technology support

### **Product Portfolio Snapshot**

	Low power short-range SoC Decades of low power connectivity experience					
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### Low power cellular IoT SiP

Future proof and global platform





### Complementary



2.4GHz

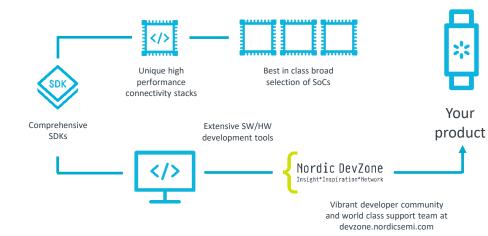


Charger+Buck



nRF Cloud

### DevZone – class leading tech support



- devzone.nordicsemi.com -> Leading support community in the industry
- >80K developers, 3Mill site visits last 6months
- Strong tech support team
- Nordic Tech Tours, Tutorials and webinars
- Blogs, guides, Wireless Quarter
- Strong 3rd Party Module Partners-offering
- New Nordic Partner Program launched

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Module Partners



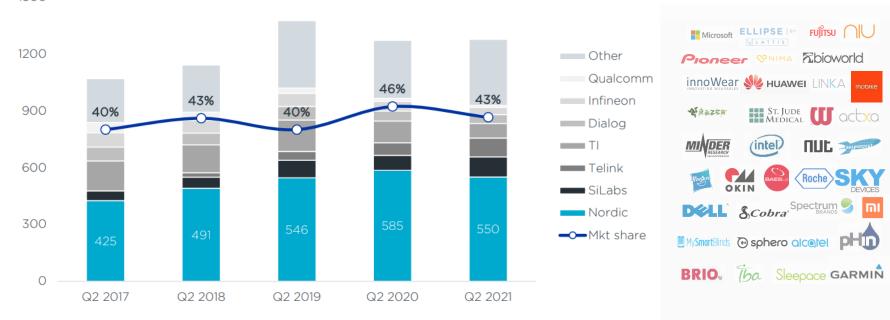
- Huge Variety in Form, Fit and Function
  - nRF52, nRF53 & nRF91 series available
  - 30+ Module partners
  - Modules + sensors variants available
- Module solutions are:
  - Minimized development efforts
  - Pre-qualified
  - Tele-regulatory approved
  - Very competitive option even in medium level volumes
- World-Wide Coverage

### https://www.nordicsemi.com/modules

## Market leader in Bluetooth

#### **Bluetooth/FCC certification\***

Bluetooth Low Energy end-product certifications, last 12 months



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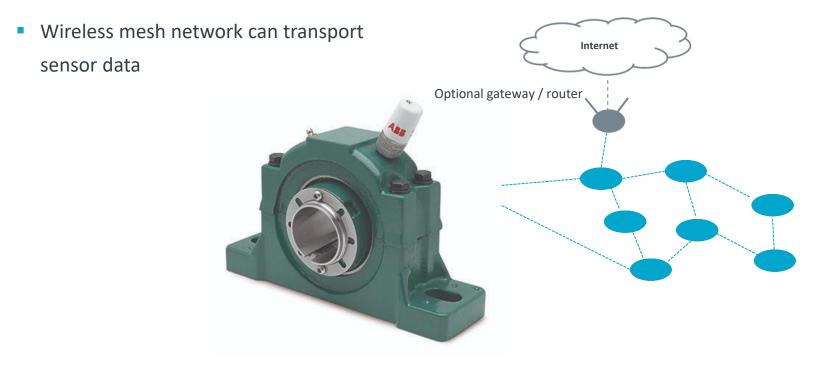
### Bluetooth mesh

- Bluetooth mesh 1.0
- SDK with all models available\*
- Provisioning App
- Mesh source code
- EnOcean Switch integration
- NFC
- Strongest 3<sup>rd</sup> party module lineup

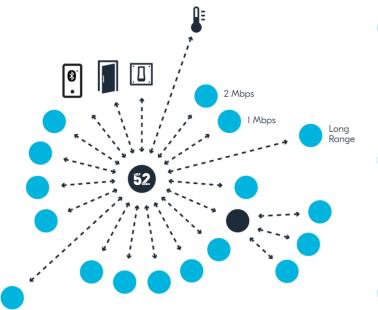


\* http://developer.nordicsemi.com/nRF\_Connect\_SDK/doc/1.6.1/nrf/include/bluetooth/mesh/models.html

### Bluetooth mesh Sensor Network



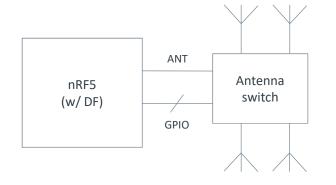
### Bluetooth mesh or Multilink? Or both?



- Multilink strengths
  - Low power consumption
  - Low 1:1 latency
  - High throughput
- Bluetooth mesh strengths
  - Low 1:many latency
  - Supports large distributed networks
  - Interoperability
- Combine to get the best of both

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### Direction Finding (AoA/AoD) Bluetooth 5.1



### Direction finding offering

- Code example
  - From IQ samples to Application (according to SIG spec.)
- Direction finding algorithm with example
  - Proprietary
- Antanna kit/switch with SW
- Availabile through DevZone

#### Supported parts:

- nRF52811
- nRF52820
- nRF52833
- nRF5340

### Asset tracking with nRF9160

- On-Board GPS
  - Cloud connectivity
- Assisted GPS (A-GPS)
  - Assisted GPS acquires and stores information about the location of satellites using the cellular network, so the information does not need to be downloaded by satellite.
- Predicted GPS (P-GPS)
  - Similar to A-GPS, device downloads up to two weeks of predicted assistance data.

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### Cellular for sensor data



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