

#### Dispatches from the IoT Frontier: Practical Experiments and Business Benefits

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### How do we answer the BIG questions?

### How do we protect Mother Earth?

How did the Universe form and where is it going?

# How do we divert an asteroid?

## Are we alone?

# Can we find Earth 2.0?

Is/was there life on Mars?





HOW: OPEN • AGILE • PROTOTYPING • CROWD SOURCING • CONSUMERIZATION WHAT: NATURAL USER INTERFACES • WEARABLES • CONVERSATION UI WHAT: INTERNET OF THINGS • INNOVATION VIA COMBINATIONS WHAT: SMART DATA • ANALYTICS • CLOUD • AUGMENTED INTELLIGENCE **CHALLENGES:** CHAOTIC ARCHITECTURE • AUTOMATION • CYBER SECURITY

- Human Behavior IT Trends, 2015-2018 Foretells what technologies can/will be adopted in the enterprise
- WHO: INTRAPRENEURS MAKERS CROWD/PARTNERS FROM EVERYWHERE AT ANY TIME



## For IoT, we double down on these trends

## Embrace Interacting Naturally.

## Benefit from the hype of Internet of Things.

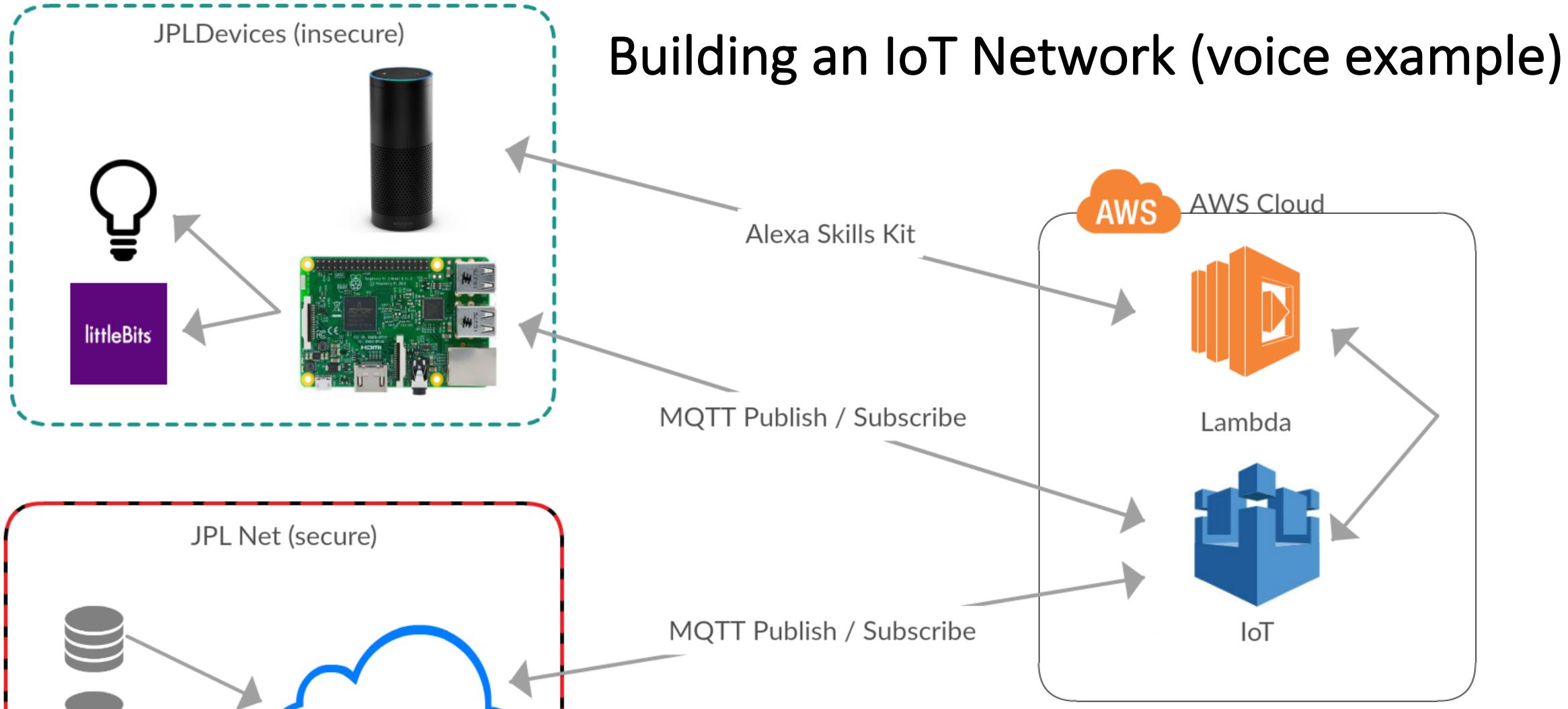
## Evolve Augmented Intelligence.

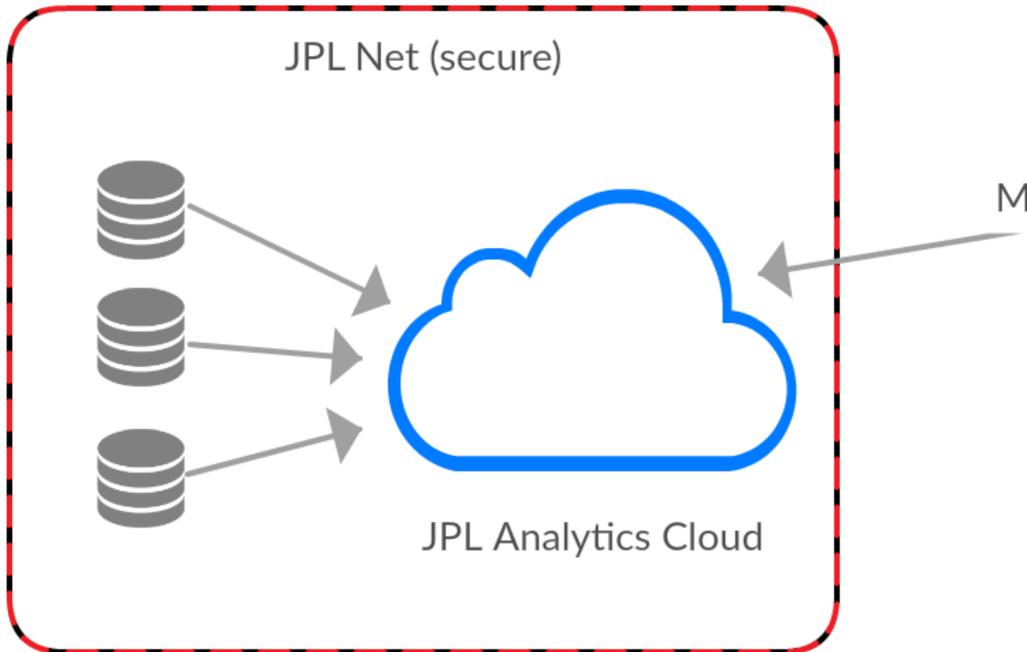
## Why should we care about the Internet of Things? Near term benefits

- Smarter, more intuitive conference rooms and work environments
- Improved interactivity with the existing systems  $\bullet$
- + Growth numbers
- Gartner estimates 26B connected devices by 2020; Cisco says 50B
- $\bullet$
- = Long term benefits
- Ubiquitous sensing: no more lag between real life and the data
- Truly responsive environments: no more digital butler

Improved sensing: ensuring data-driven decisions, parking, clean rooms, ...

McKinsey estimates loT market size as \$900M in 2015 and \$3.7B in 2020 • Manufacturing, Utilities, and Transportation invested \$325B in 2016 (IDC)







#### How do we interact naturally with our compute environment?

#### Create an Innovation Experience Center

+ Click it

+ Touch it

+ Tap It

+ Swipe it

+ Approach it

+ Sign it

+ Speak it

+ Blink it

+ Think it

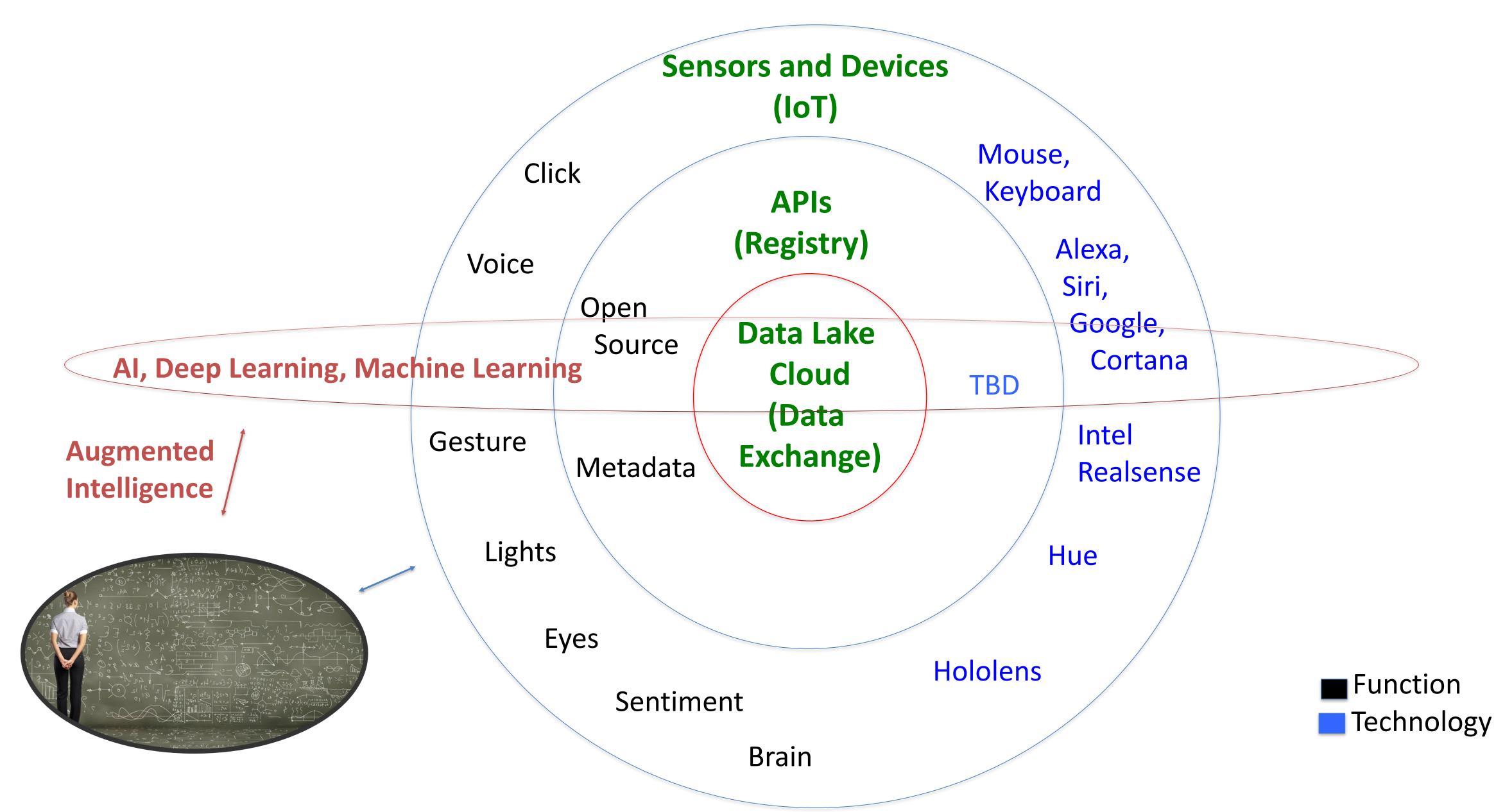


### ACT ON IT

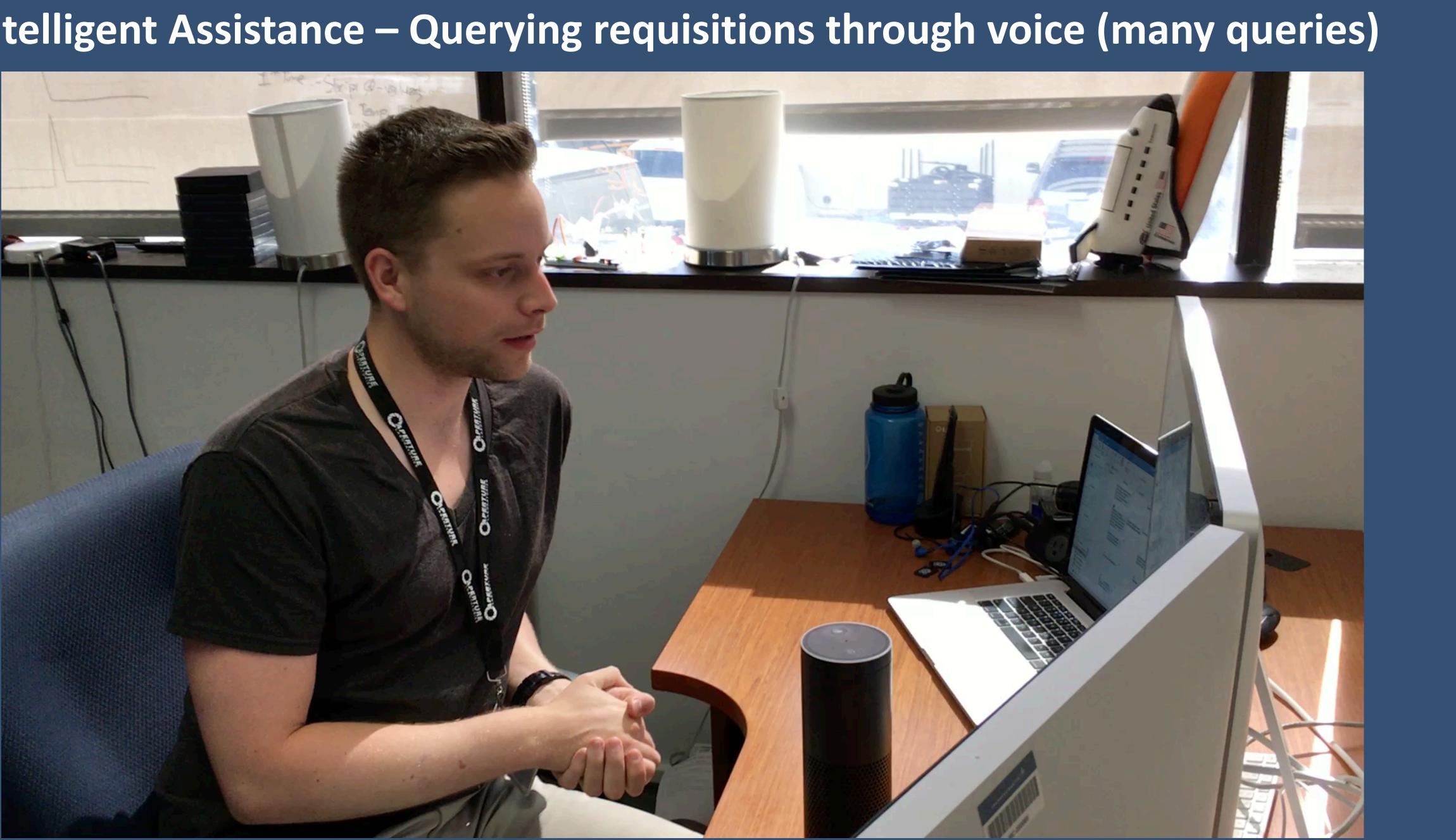
#### MEASURE IT

### Establishing the architecture for 2018 and beyond

Leverages IOT, Programming, Smart Data, Cloud, and Augmented Intelligence



#### Intelligent Assistance – Querying requisitions through voice (many queries)



## THE OLD WAY (SHORTEST)

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# Acquisition IA Proof of Concept 00:00:00

### THE OLD WAY (LONGEST)



#### Consumer devices at Scale in the Enterprise



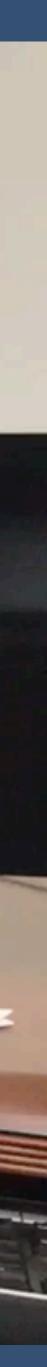




Acquisition/CIO POC Demonstration - Aug , 2017

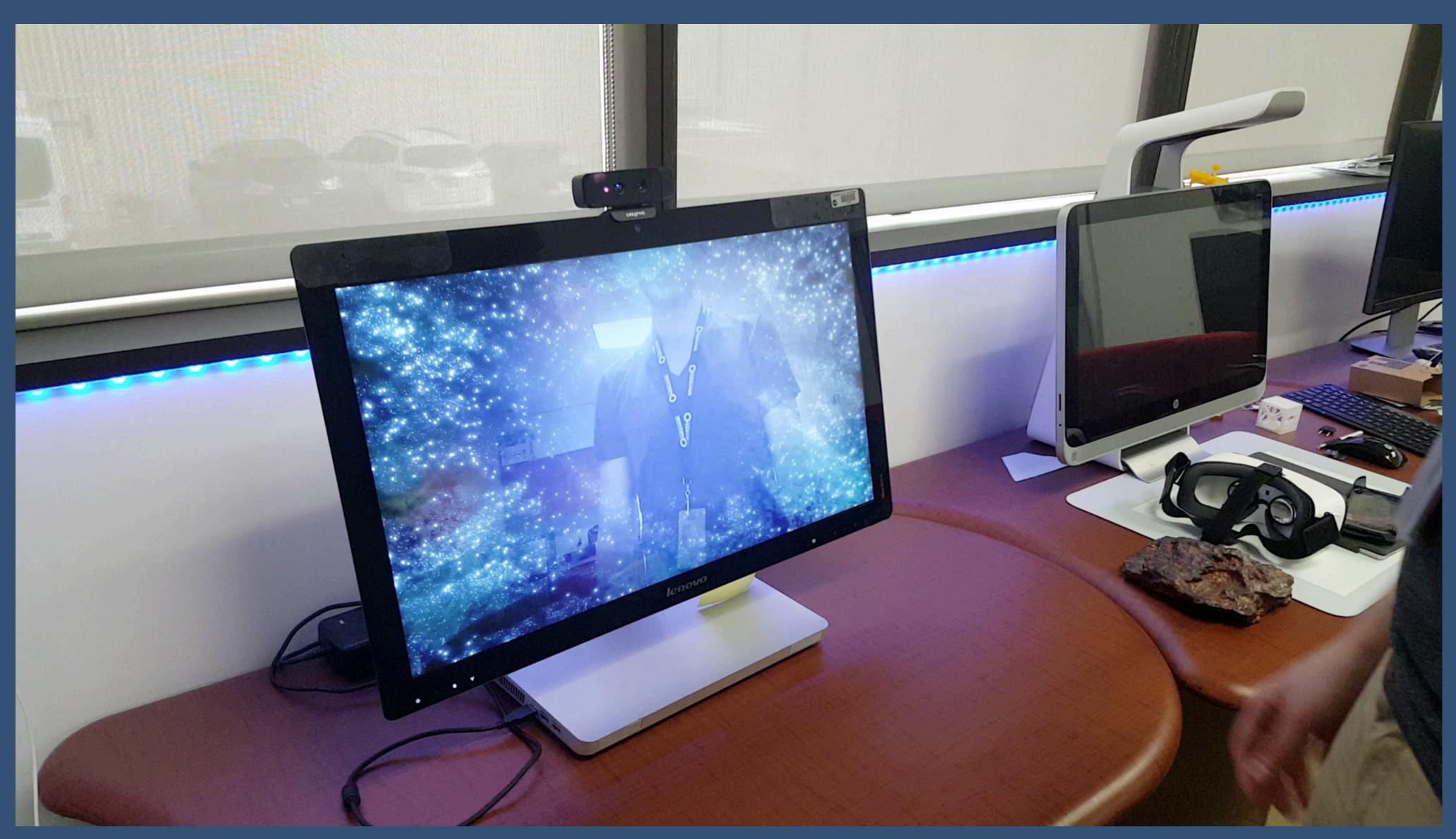
#### Helpdesk of the future – I need help now!





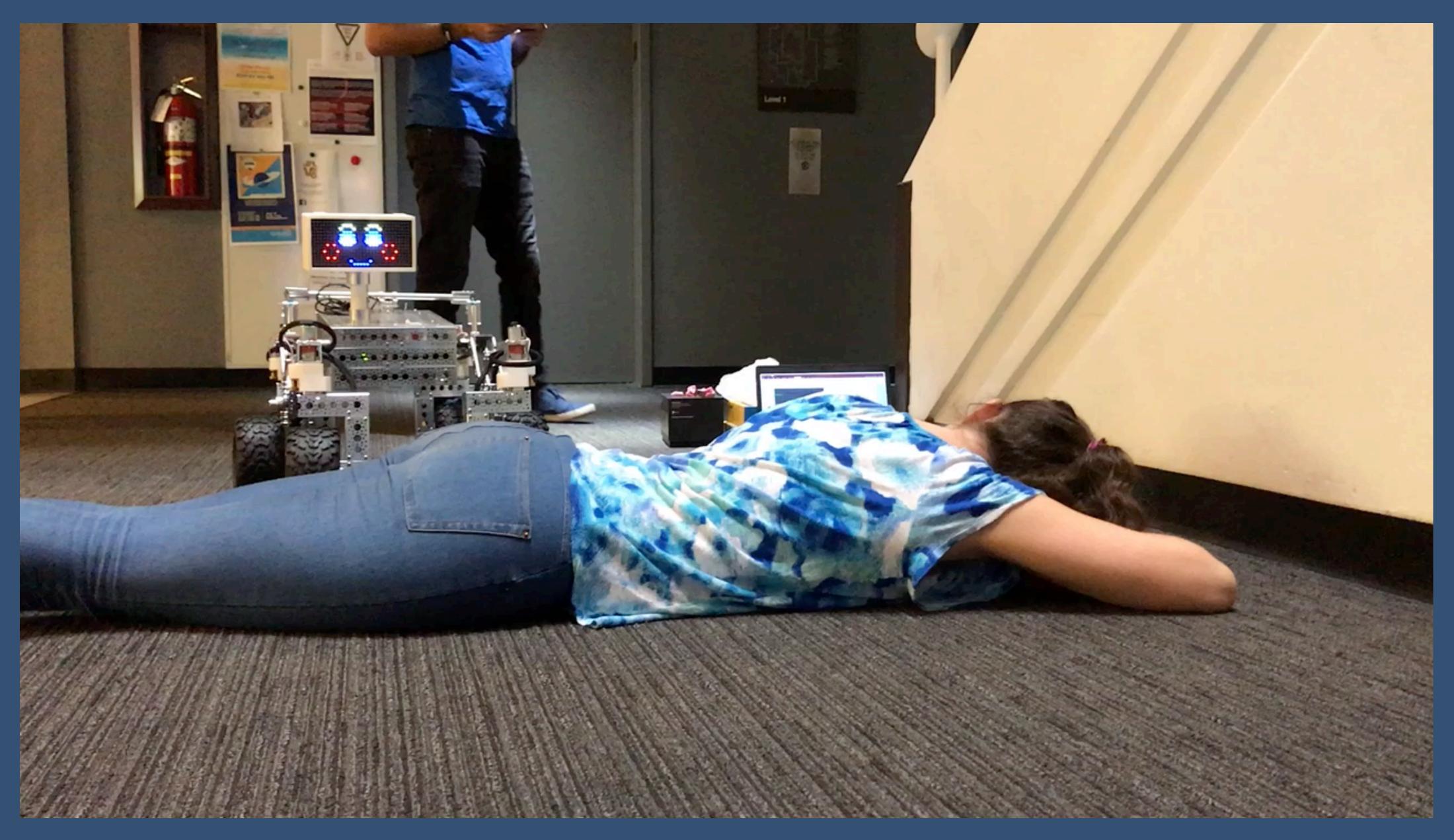
### Combining multiple senses for your use case





### Enable with gesturing + IoT

#### loT used for training, outreach, and partnering



#### Enable with robotics + 3D printing + startup mentality





#### There are new IoT Use Cases every day...



**Connected Vehicles** Credit: The Daily Conversation/YouTube



Fleet Management Credit: AT&T Enterprise/YouTube



White Cane 2.0 (Credit: MIT and Economist)

Smart care Smart Vorking **G** Smart Smart Home

> Smart Cities and Smart Homes Credit: Lux Reviews

**Near-term areas:** Wearables Voice Healthcare Transportation Manufacturing Security monitoring Energy





#### A bit about the IoT technologies for reference

#### A few technologies related to IoT (near-term to longer term)

- Current: Programmable LEDs, sensors, controllers, emerging open source, ...
- Current: 802.11ad, Bluetooth 4.2, ZigBee, Z-Wave
- Later: Li-Fi (Light Fidelity): Super-fast line-of-sight transmissions

#### Useful things for the CIO to watch

#### **1. Underlying protocols:**

- IPv6 (have a roadmap)
- Advanced Message Queuing Protocol (AMQP) (track)
- **3. Cyber Security:** 

  - MatrixSSL (for encryption)
  - Firmware updates over the air (e.g. ensure SCOTA capabilities)

• Soon: 802.11ax, Bluetooth 5, 5G: Faster, farther, more devices, less power hungry

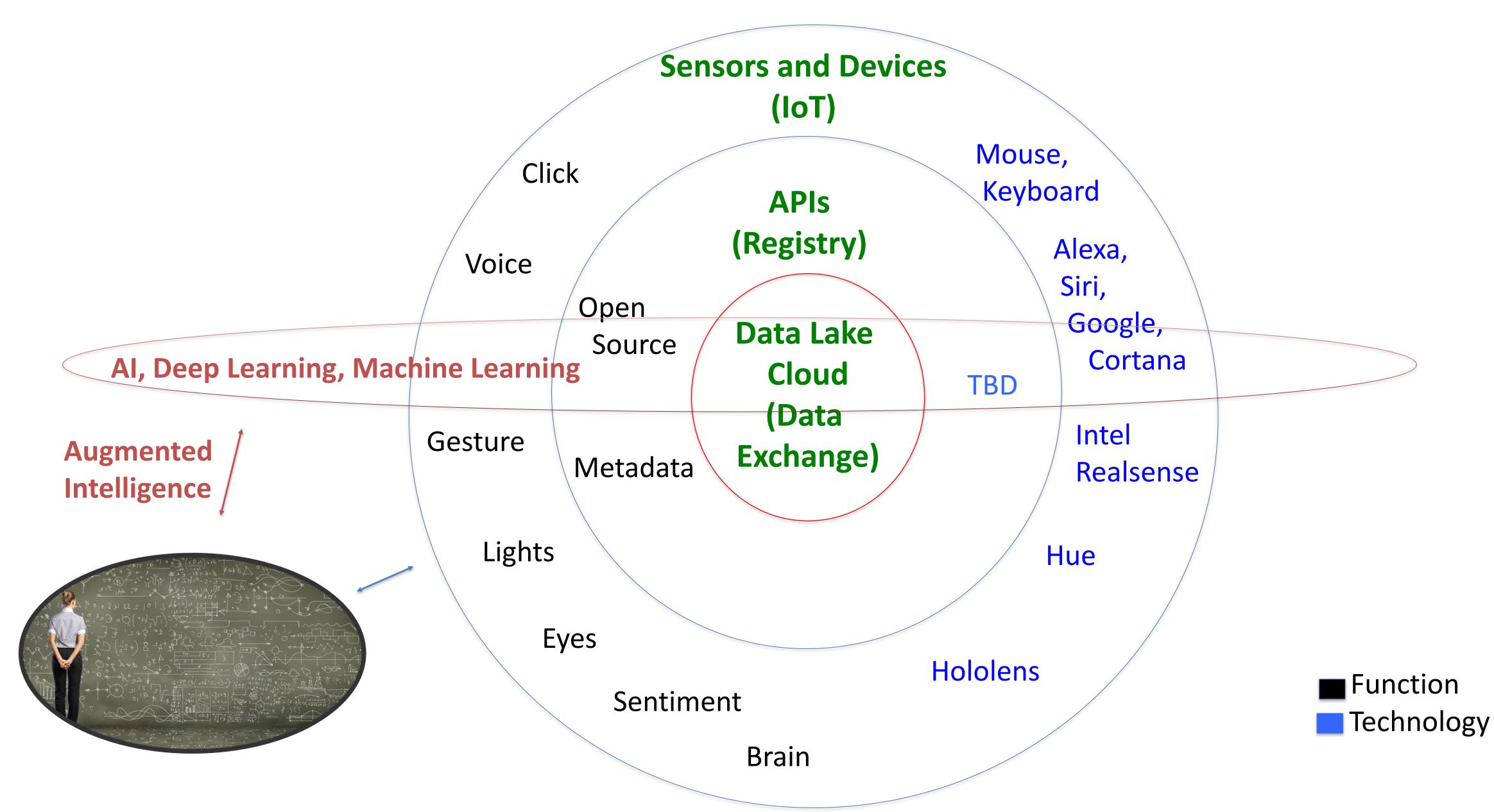
- Message Queue Telemetry Transport (MQTT) (the lingua franca of IoT)

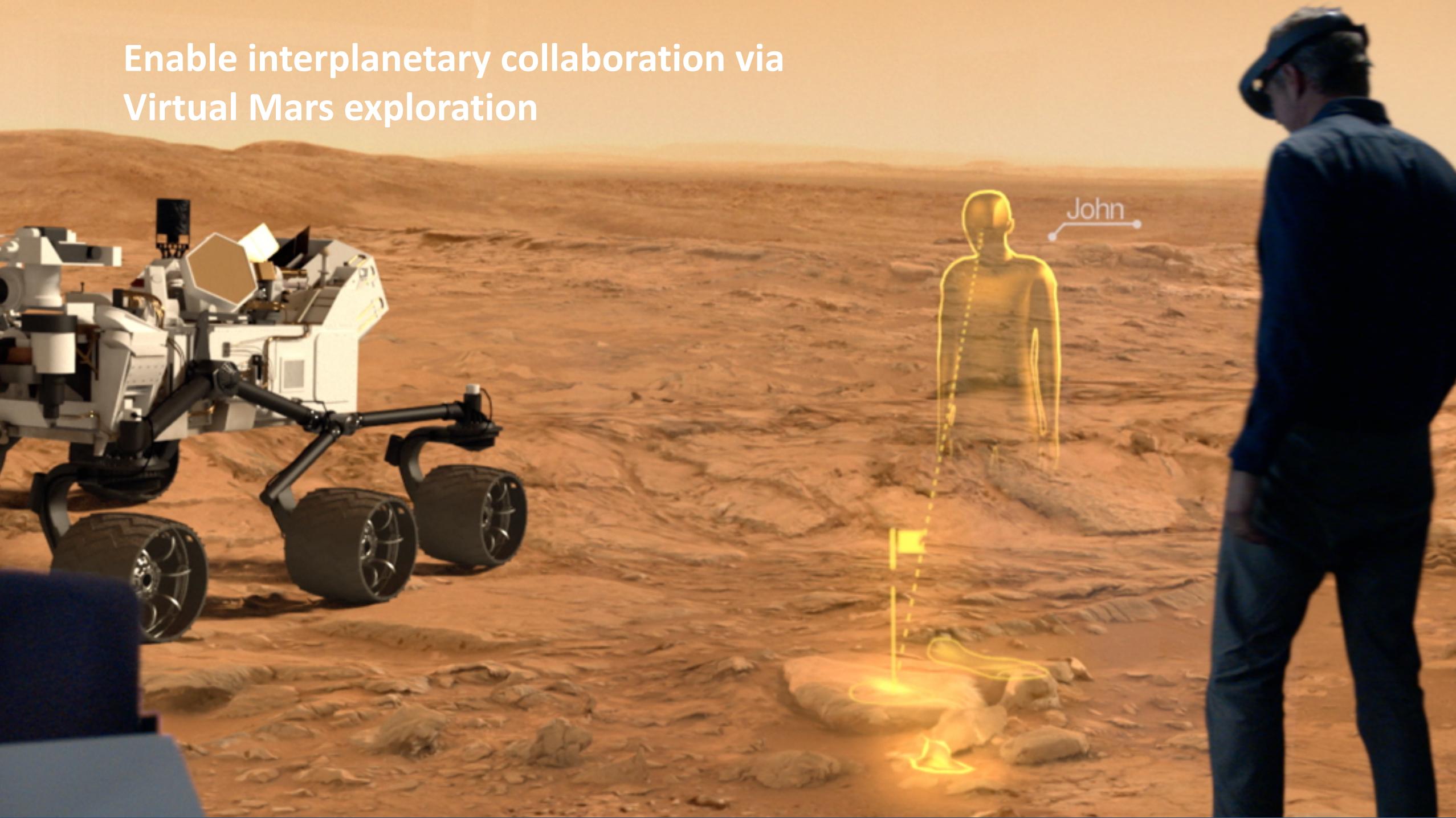
2. Platforms/OS: Contiki, LiteOS, TinyOS, SigFox, WiGig (for AR) (team and experiment)

- FIDO (Fast IDentity Online) (helps with SSO and has broad industry support)

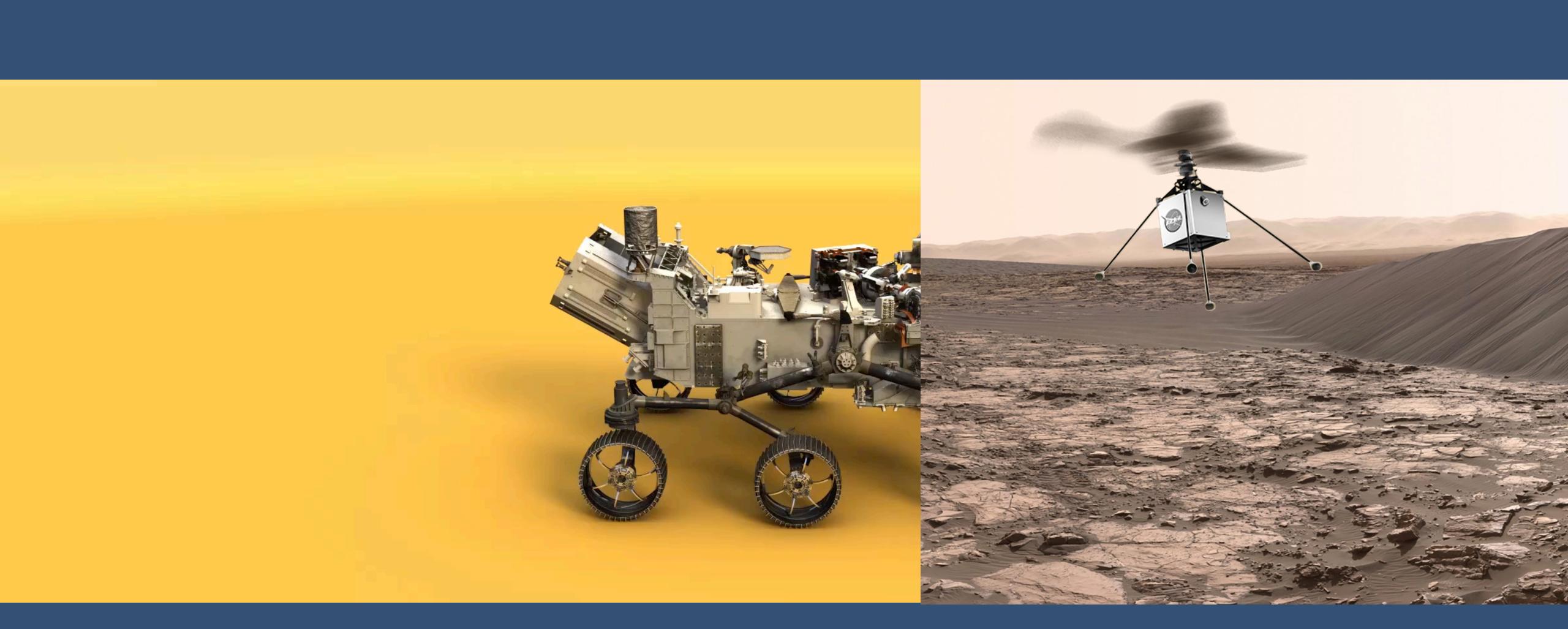
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### Our next mission to Mars



Can experiments help answer the BIG questions? How do we divert How do we protect an asteroid? Mother Earth? Can we find Is/was there life Earth 2.0? on Mars? Are we alone? How did the Universe form and where is it going? Yes, if we partner and focus; go cloud first; use analytics, IoT, and Augmented Intelligence; and dare to try



#### Recommendations for how to benefit from IoT now

- 3. Look for innovation through combinations (but that help you today)
- 4. Question Farm and prototype quickly (do the easiest Use Cases first)

- Expect to integrate technologies and standards yourself 7.
- 8. Start now and celebrate progress (KISS and tell)

### You can only win if you play

1. Think of IoT a business improvement initiative, not a technology initiative 2. We're still early in the IoT lifecycle so expect growing payback over time 5. Team up newer and experienced people (home automation, "one-pizza teams") 6. Pick an IoT standard/platform; expect it to evolve and partner with providers

9. Look to apply Augmented Intelligence today for maximum benefit long-term

