

# CeTRI

## The Wide Sense Concept and New Focus Areas in Sensing

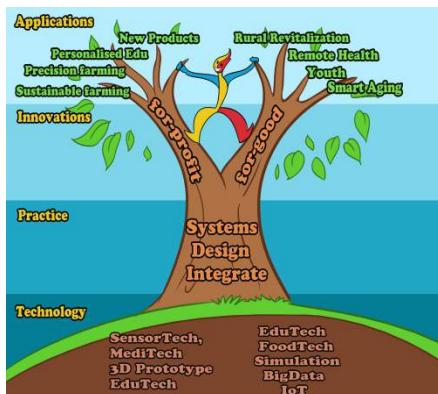
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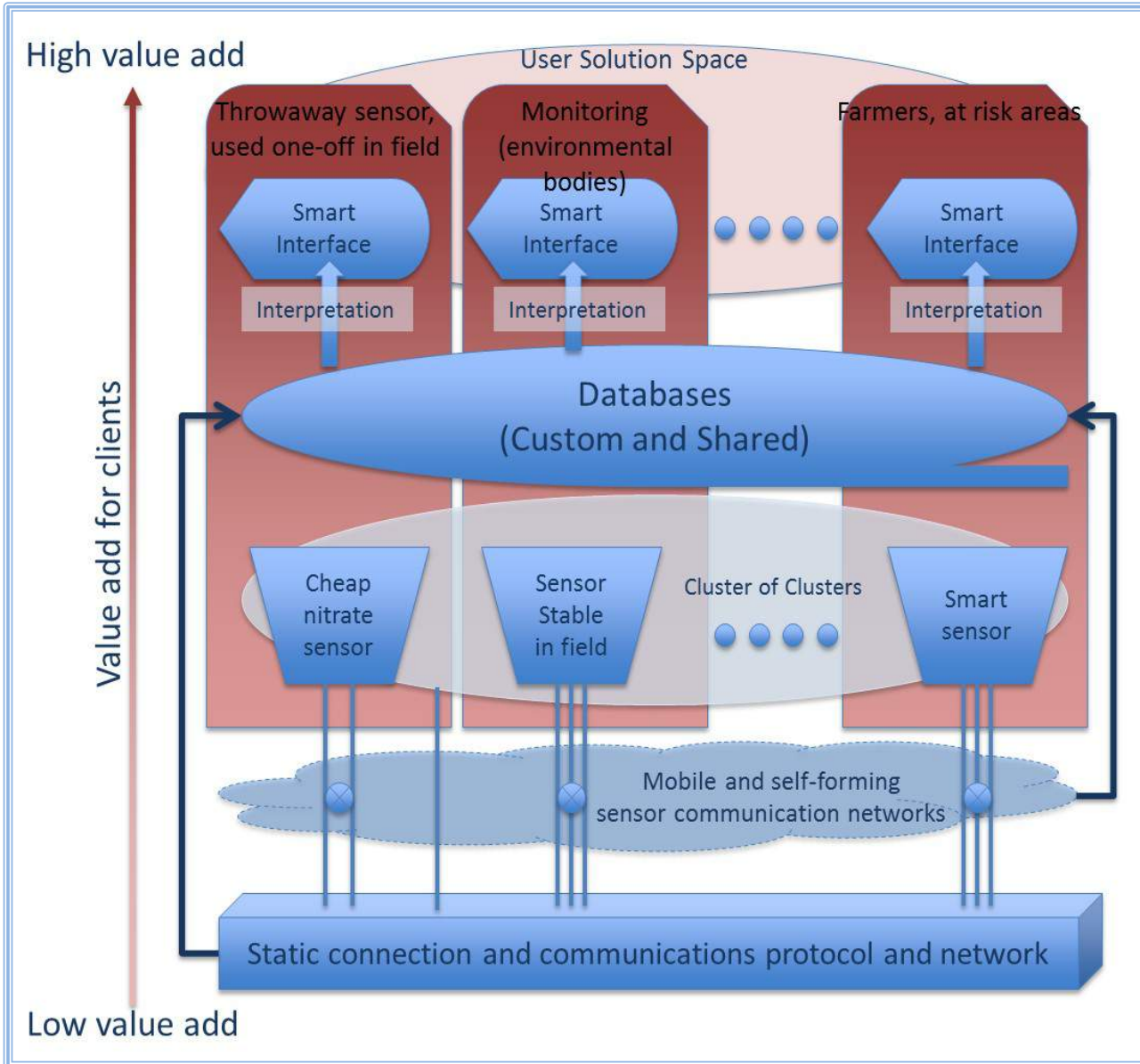
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## Outdoor Sensors Supported:

Soil Moisture (x3)

Soil Temperature (x4)

Nitrate/Phosphate (On trial)

Anemometer

Wind Direction

Air Pressure

Relative Humidity (Air)

Air Temperature

Solar Irradiation Estimate

Ultra Violet

Infrared

Dust

pH

Conductivity

Oxidation-Reduction Potential

Ammonia

Dissolved Oxygen

Turbidity

Water Quality (In development)

## Indoor Sensors Supported:

Temperature

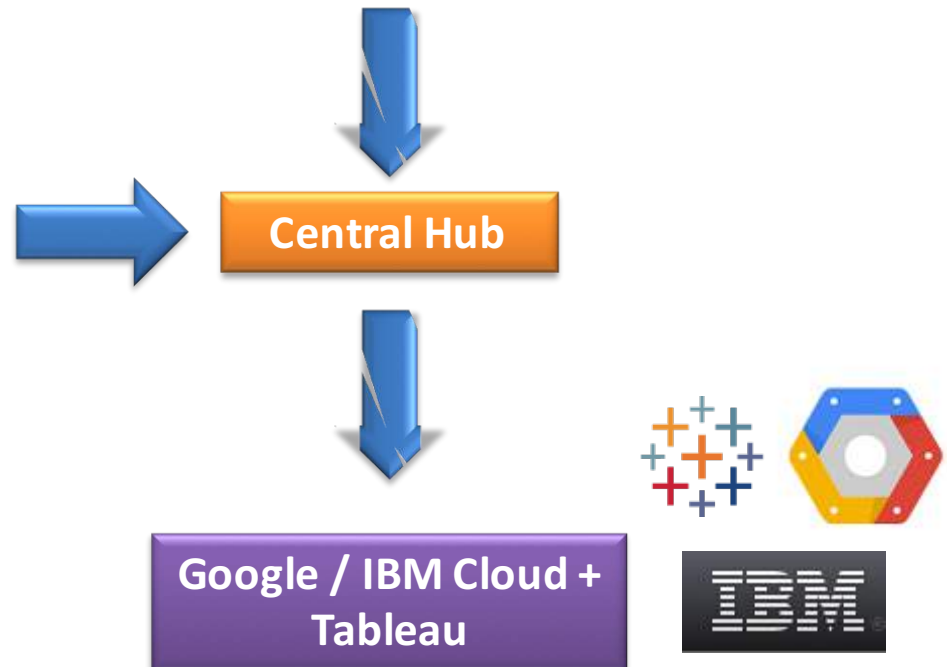
Relative Humidity (Air)

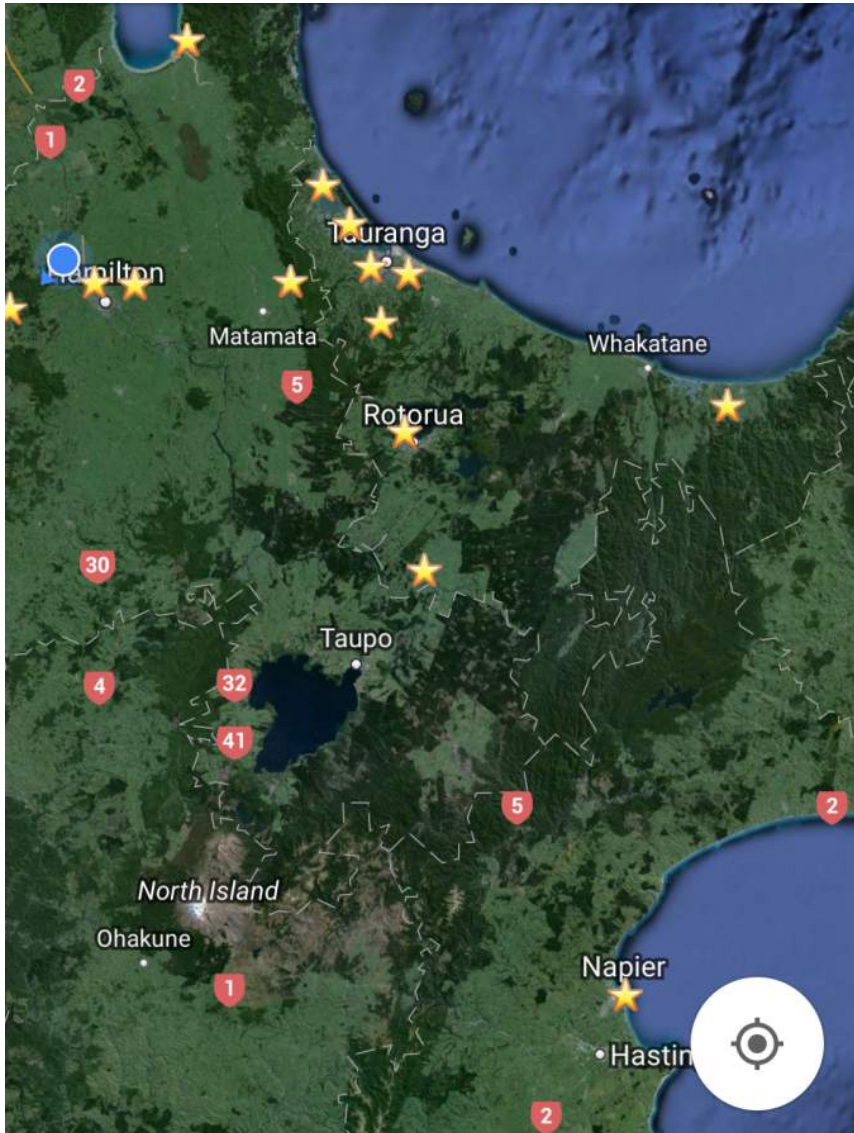
Light Level

CO Level

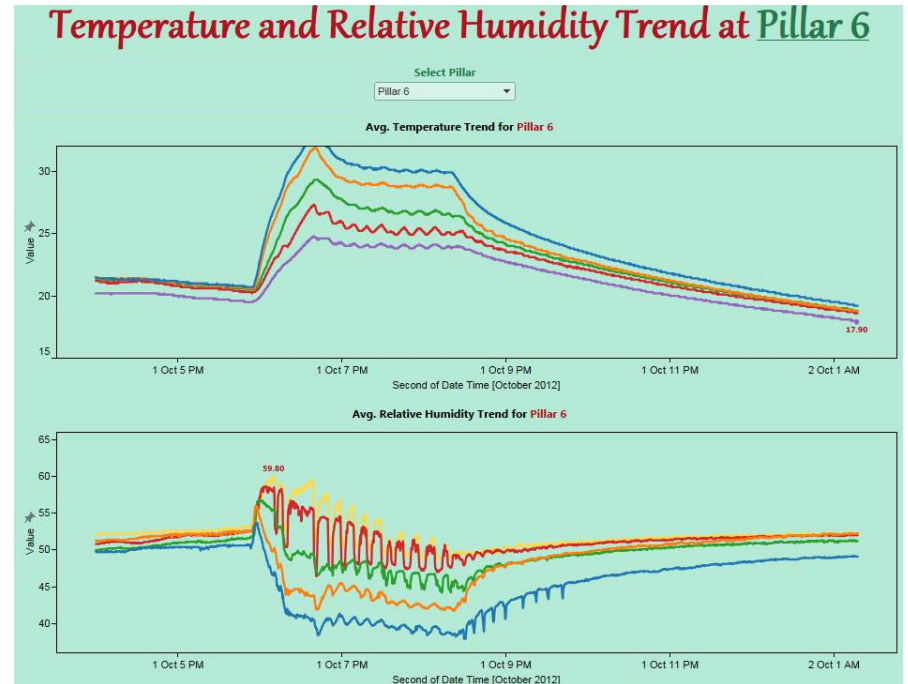
Power Use (x10)

Dust



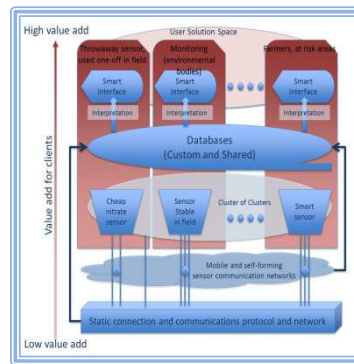


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# New Focus



## Novel Micro and Nano Sensors

Specialist Chemistry Capability  
High Definition 3D Printing  
Specialist Design Capability  
Ability to Integrate

## Practical examples

NP Sensor as platform tech  
Dynamic Fruit Monitoring  
Human performance and bio-systems  
Health Initiatives

## Dynamic impact on Complex Adaptive Systems

Dynamically monitor environment  
Simulate solutions with Live Data  
Influence feedback into environment  
“Dynamically influence complex and complex adaptive systems with the aim to thrive and build resilience”

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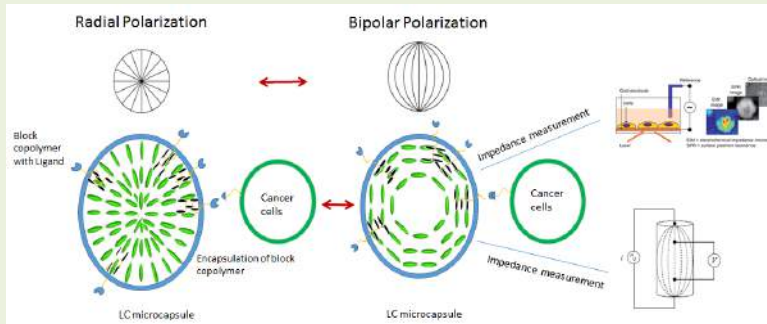
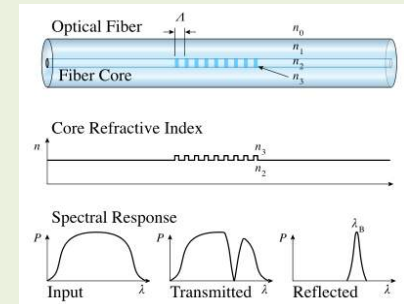
Energy independent communities  
Dynamic crowd influence  
Health Systems (Asthma, Silver Economy)  
Affordable Precision Agri

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(We are looking for funders/Collaborators)

## Bragg Diffraction in Optical Fibres

Myriad known methodologies that can be used to create various sensors – the focus is on FFF (Form, Fit and Function), low cost, low energy use, high reliability and accuracy.



## Smart Nano Sensors

Biological and nano-systems, for example by using Liquid Crystal Micro droplets methods

## Live Culture Sensors

Genetically adapted live cultures can be sensitive to specific substances. We have prototyped the platform technology for this method. Focus on high sensitivity, accuracy, low cost, low energy use

