

# The role of testbeds in the SME and Startup value chain

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#### **HIKOB**

Founded the 4th of July 2011

Founding team: three ex- IT researchers in Wireless Sensor Networks Lyon

Spinoff from INRIA, INSA de Lyon & ENS Lyon

Two locations: Lyon & Grenoble

15 employees in November 2014.

International activity.





 Develop and provide wireless autonomous multi-point data acquisition systems to capture information on the field and learn from reality, in all contexts and conditions



# **HIKOB** FIELD DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEM





#### CAPTURE COLLECT REPORT

AUTONOMOUS WIRELESS MULTIPOINT MULTIHOP DATA AQUISITION SYSTEMS WITH EMBEDDED DATA PROCESSING

# **HIKOB** FIELDS OF OPERATION





# **HIKOB** APPLICATIONS





INDUSTRY

**MEDIA** 

# STRUCTURAL HEALTH MONITORING



# Parc des Princes stadium, Paris (France)

- Real-time monitoring of the roof structure (crack, tilt, bend, temperature)
- 32 acquisition nodes, 96 crackmeters, 32 PT100
- 8 routers, 1 gateway

DLUS GRAND

Also applied to bridges



# Advitam

Infrastructure Management Solutions

# INFRASTRUCTURE MANAGEMENT



# Grand Lyon, Lyon (France)

- Real-time road surface and moisture measurement to optimize the timing for winter road management
- Optimization of management and reduction of cost and resource





## **INRIA**

- R&D testbed spread over 4 universities in France
- 1700 open wireless sensor nodes
- Ubiquitous network / Internet of Things platform





# IoT in B2B, Industrial Internet. The third revolution.

# The revolution: rise of the industrial Internet





#### Industrial Internet :

- Intelligent Machines
- Advanced Analytics
- People at Works

« That which is measured improves. That which is measured and reported improves exponentially » (Pearson's law)

#### **IoT revolution :**

- Smart Objects
- Internet of Things
- Big Data Analysis



# In B2B: revolution of processes, not application



Figure 5. Industrial Internet Potential GDP Share



Source: World Bank, 2011 and General Electric

**The war**: traditionnal industries vs native IoT players



Most of the Industrial Internet Market belong to traditional players.

*IoT technologies are not disruptive for the industries but instead they operate as an enabler: they open new perspectives to existing industries and give existing players the opportunity to leap across the frontiers of their current exercise.* 

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# The pain: from engineers to digital engineers





# The transition: hard & fast









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# **The need**: IoT engineering tools









#### FIT I@T-lab



# The role of Testbeds for Native IoT Startups and Traditional industries.

## Where do we need testbeds?





#### FROM AN IDEA TO A PROOF OF CONCEPT

#### PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

#### PRODUCT TESTING & VALIDTION

# **Why** do we need testbeds ? (1) From idea to proof of concept

- Because we **need to innovate**, we have to **concretize ideas** into proof of concepts.
- **Services expected**: engineering support to make the technology accessible
- **Value**: speed and easyness of concept validation, which translate into a shorter time-to-market.
- **Targets**: product manufacturers, integrators, service & application providers // they know the application & service, not necessarily the technology // they neeed help to see what the technology can do.









# **Why** do we need testbeds ? (1) Prototype / product testing and validation

• Because we do hardware/software, we need **testing and operational validation**.

 Because we sell real systems to real people operating them in real conditions, the testbed should somehow be « in vivo », not only « in vitro »

• **Services expected**: in vivo, close to what the product will experience, with the capability to experience many conditions.

• **Value**: space of testing conditions / paramters (e.g. scale, *etc*.)

• **Targets**: product/software manufacturer // they now the technology // they want to play in conditions they don't have!









Sector		# of Global "Big" Assets & things Plants that spin	
Transportation	Rotating Machinery		
Rail: Diesel Electric Engines	Wheel Motors, Engine, Drives, Alternators	120,000	2,160,00
Aircraft: Commercial Engines	Compressors, Turbines, Turbofans	43,000	129,00
Marine: Bulk Carriers	Steam Turbines, Reciprocating Engines, Pumps, Generators	9,400	84,60
Oil and Gas	Rotating Machinery		
Big Energy Processing Plants (1)	Compressors, Turbines, Pumps, Generators, Fans, Blowers, Motors	990	36,90
Hidstream Systems (2)	Engines, Turbines, Compressors, Turbo Expanders, Pumps, Blowers	16,300	63,00
Drilling Equipment: Drillships, Land Rigs etc.	Engines, Generators, Electric Motors, Dnilling Works, Propulsion Drives	4,100	29,20
Power Plants	Rotating Machinery		
hermal Turbines: Steam, CCGT, etc.	Turbines, Generators	17,500	74,00
Other Plants: Hydro, Wind, Engines, etc. (3)	Turbines, Generators, Reciprocating Engines	45,000	190,0
Industrial Facilities	Rotating Machinery	1	
iteel Mills	Blast and Basic Oxygen Furnace Systems, Steam Turbines, Handling Systems	1,600	47,00
ulp and Paper Mills	Debarkers, Radial Chippers, Steam Turbines, Fourdrinier Machines, Rollers	3,900	176,0
Cement Plants	Rotary Kilns, Conveyors, Drive Motors, Ball Mills	2,000	30,00
ugar Plants	Cane Handling Systems, Rotary Vacuums, Centrifuges, Cystalizers, Evaporators	650	23,00
thanol Plants	Grain Handling Systems, Conveyors, Evaporators, Reboilers, Dryer Fans, Motors	450	16,00
Immonia and Methanol Plants	Steam Turbines, Reformer and Distillation Systems, Compressors, Blowers	1,300	45,00
Medical Machines	Rotating Machinery		
CT Scanners	Spinning X-Ray Tube Rotors, Spinning Gantries	52,000	104,0
s: Not exhaustive. (11 includes LNG processing ons, LNG regasification terminals, Large Crude iter than 30 MW	trains, Refineries, and Ethylene steam crackers. (21 includes Compressor and pumping carriers, gas processing plants, 13) Only counting engines in large scale power generation	Total	3,207,7

Sources: Multiple aggregated sources including Platts UDI, IHS-CERA, OI and Gas Journal, Clarkson Research, GE Aviation & Transport InMedica, industrial info, RISI, US Dept. of Energy, GE Strategy and Analytics estimates of large rotating systems





SENSORS









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# **HIKOB story:** from simulation tools, testbeds







#### WSim, WSNet









# Through experiments to industrial products and industrial partnertships.







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# CONCLUSION



#### Strong interest in testbed to:

- Confront a concept to the reality of the technology
- Test and validate prototypes / products in specific conditions

#### But:

- What is the service brought with the testbed ?
- It is IoT-native players oriented or traditional industries oriented?

They know the application, we bring them the technology.

#### Next step:

 Develop the programming tools to smartly spread the data processing and the configuration among the different system components.

They know the application, we bring them the tools to play with the technology.

# THANK YOU VERY MUCH !



### **Questions ?**

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