

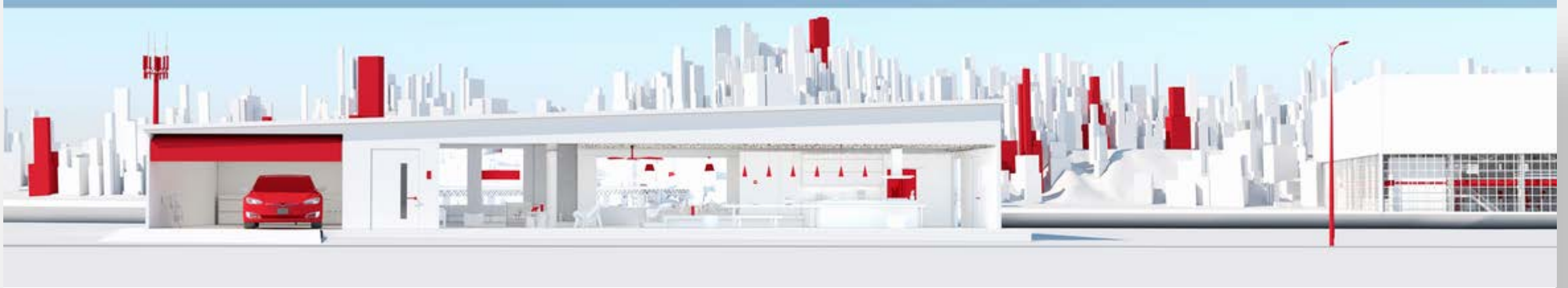


Dotdot Unifies IoT Device Networks

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The IoT is happening!



Billions of devices from smart homes to smart cities and everything in between

Diverse applications driving varied connectivity needs



The Walled Gardens of IoT Networks

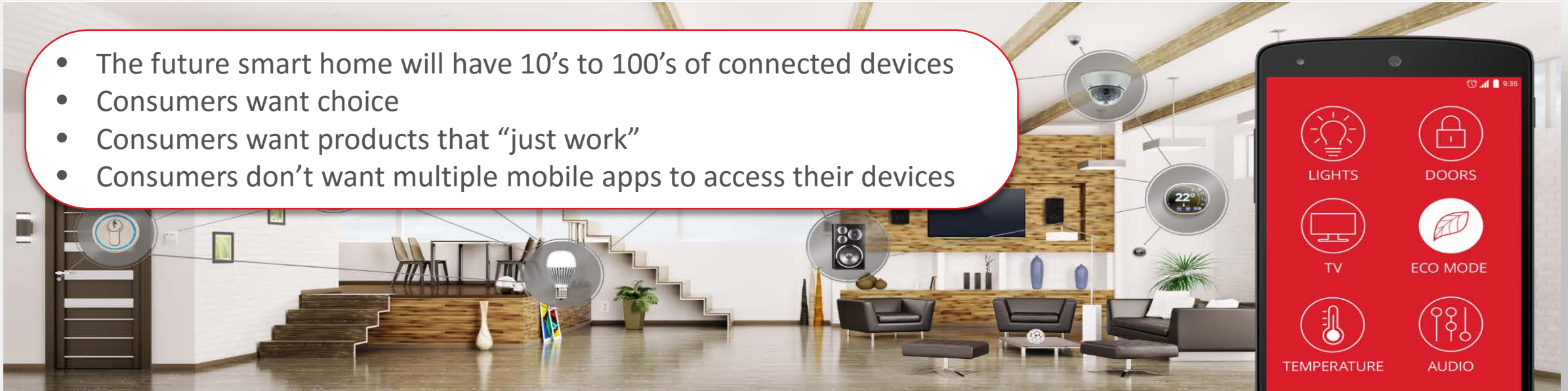


“The Internet of Things will weave a seamless tapestry of connected devices into your life. Except that it won’t... if things keep going the way they are.”

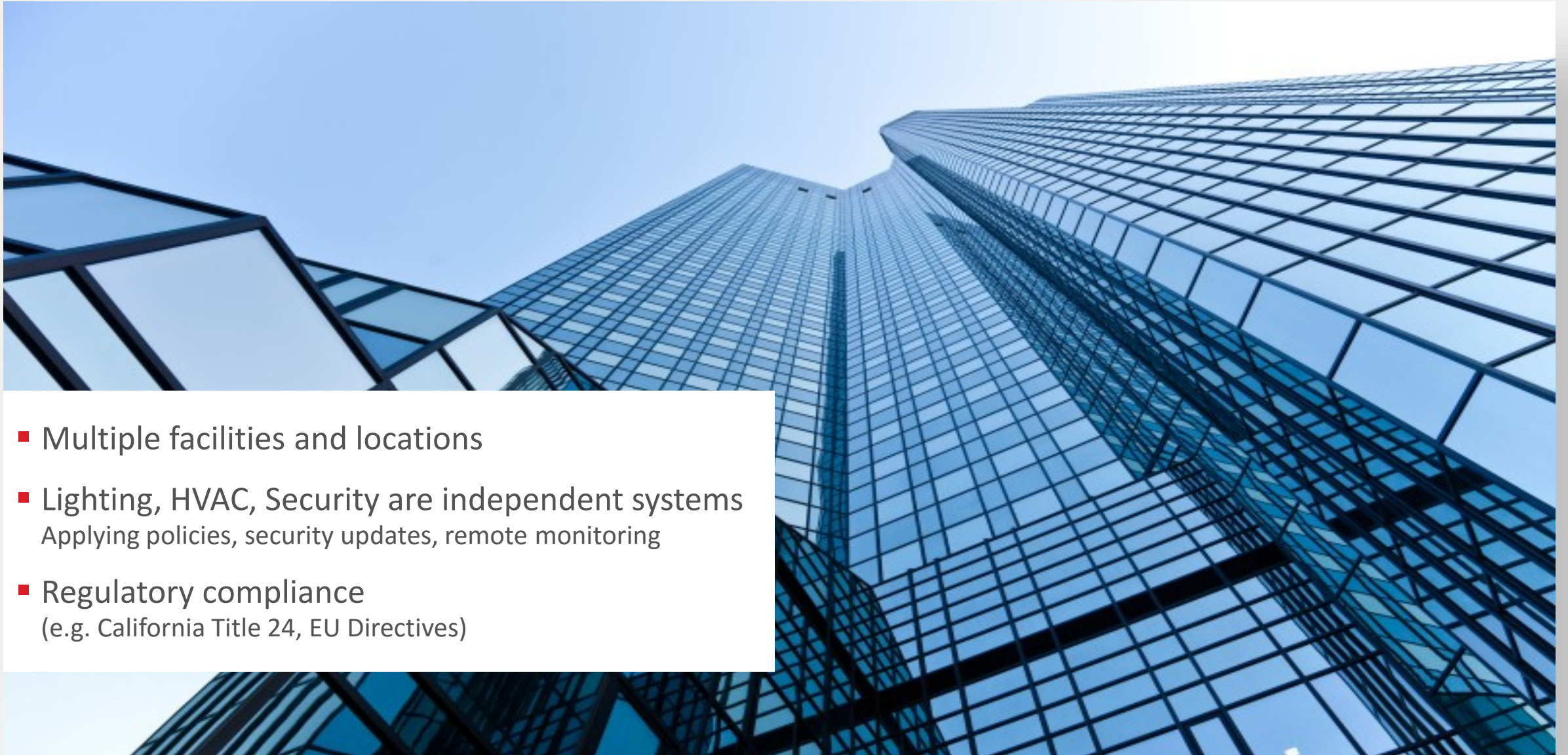
- Michael Dorazio, Concannon Business Consulting

The Connected Home

- The future smart home will have 10's to 100's of connected devices
- Consumers want choice
- Consumers want products that “just work”
- Consumers don't want multiple mobile apps to access their devices



The Connected Building

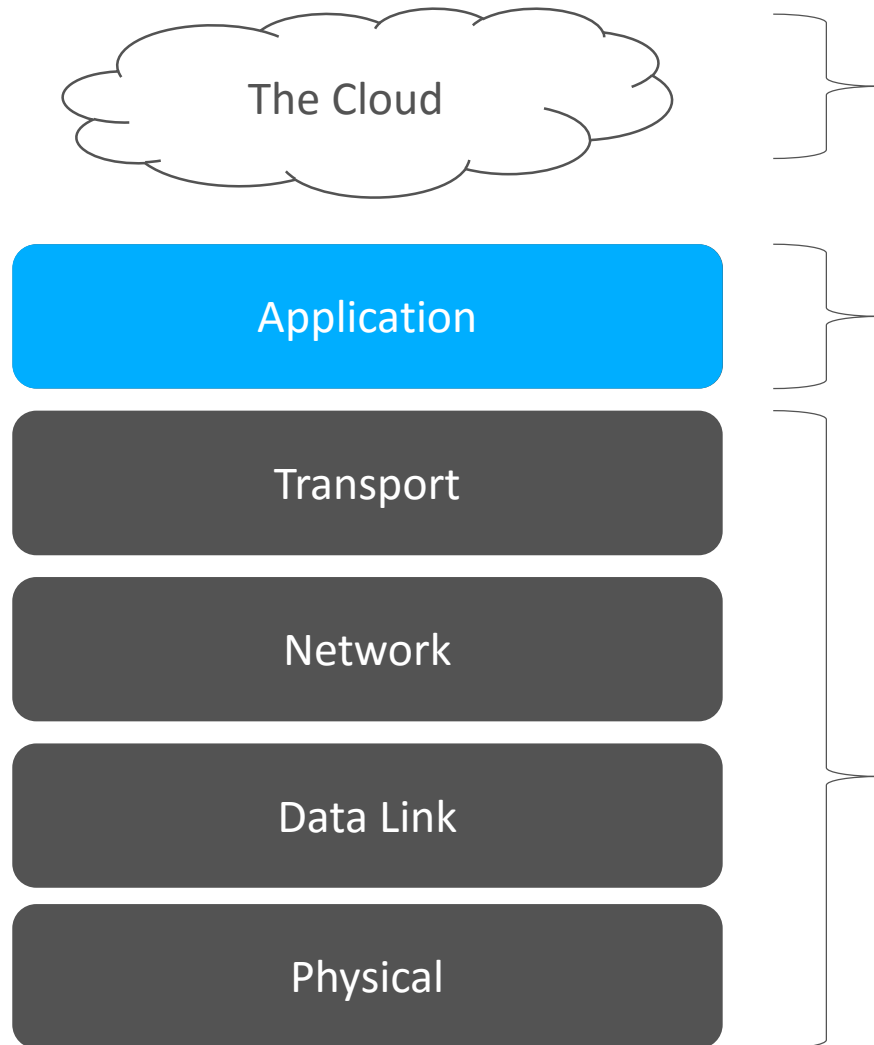


- Multiple facilities and locations
- Lighting, HVAC, Security are independent systems
Applying policies, security updates, remote monitoring
- Regulatory compliance
(e.g. California Title 24, EU Directives)

IoT devices need a **common language**

Multi-vendor, multi-protocol device interoperability is essential to unlock the full potential of the IoT

Where Should the Convergence Happen?



The cloud is too high...

- 1) Latency
- 2) Reliability – devices need to keep working without the cloud
- 3) Complexity – maintaining a patchwork of API translations



Table 3-52. Attributes of the Level Control Server Cluster

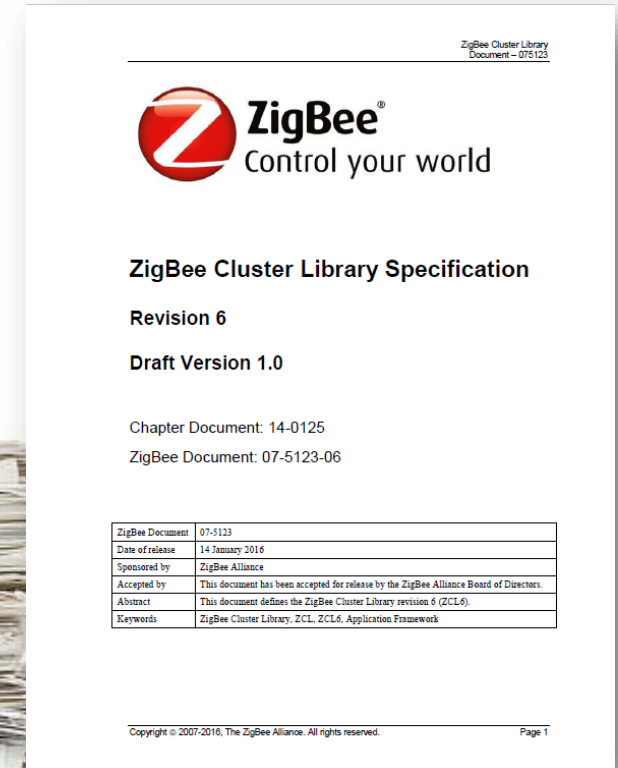
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Not possible since dictated by wireless protocols



Example: Zigbee Cluster Library (ZCL)

- 15 years of development and learning
- 400+ global and diverse companies
- 1,000 page specification
 - 100+ clusters
 - Functional building blocks (e.g. level control)
 - 100+ device types
 - Flow meter, occupancy sensor, thermostat, ...
- 2,400+ certified products
- Over 300 Million products deployed



ZigBee Document	07-5123
Date of release	14 January 2016
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Abstract	This document defines the ZigBee Cluster Library revision 6 (ZCL6).
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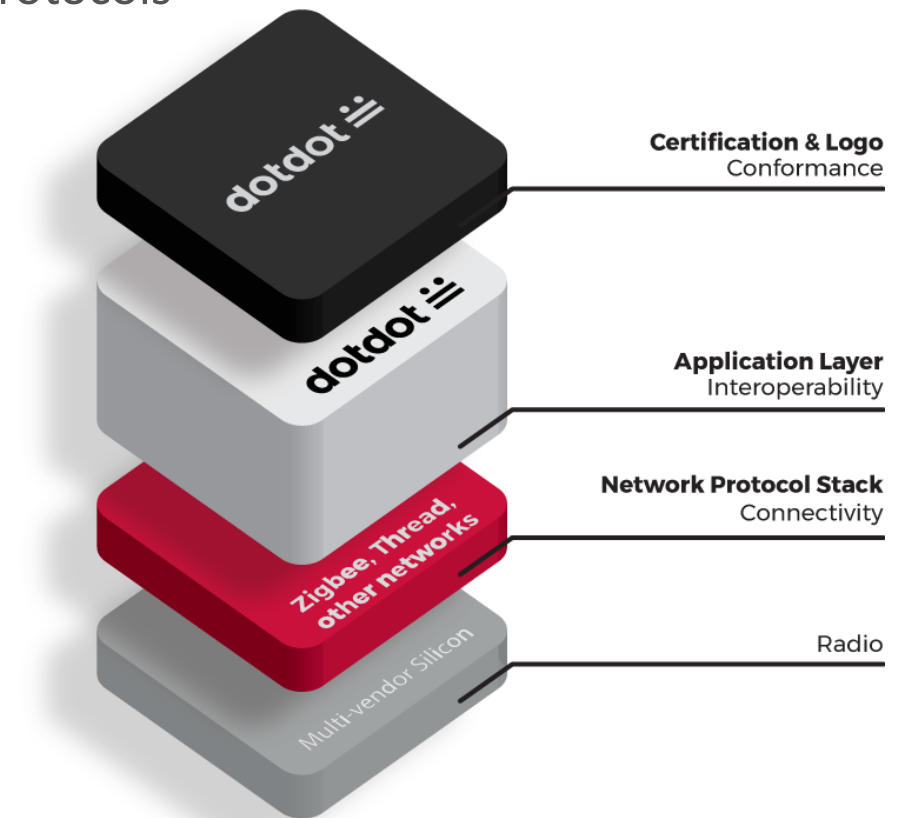
Sounds great! ...but isn't the ZCL only supported on Zigbee?

meet

dotdot 

dotdot by zigbee alliance

- “The universal language of the Internet of Things”
- A standard application layer for IoT devices to communicate with each other over any network
- Adaptation of the Zigbee Cluster Library to other networking protocols
- Open standard; collaboration with other standards bodies
- Certification program to ensure interoperability
- Consumer-friendly brand
- 1st implementation of dotdot is over Thread (IPv6 mesh)

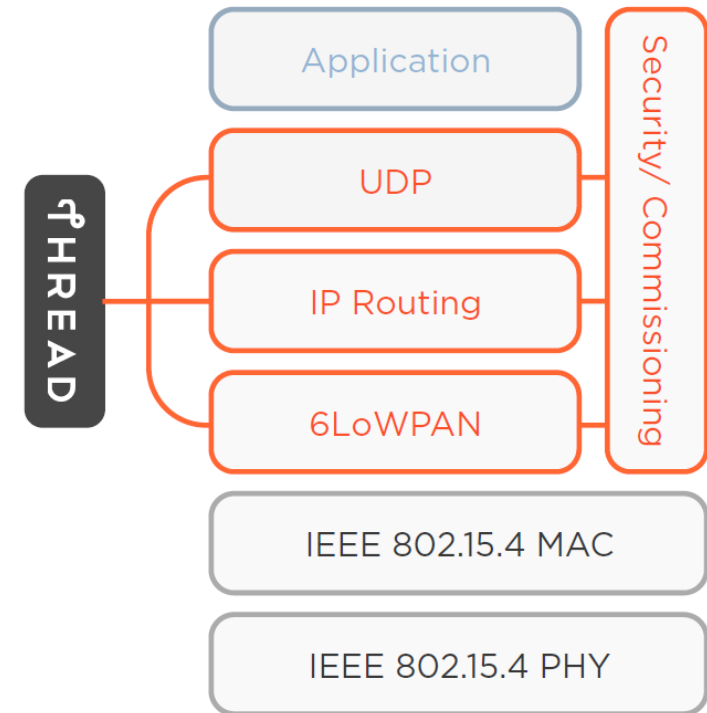


Thread Overview

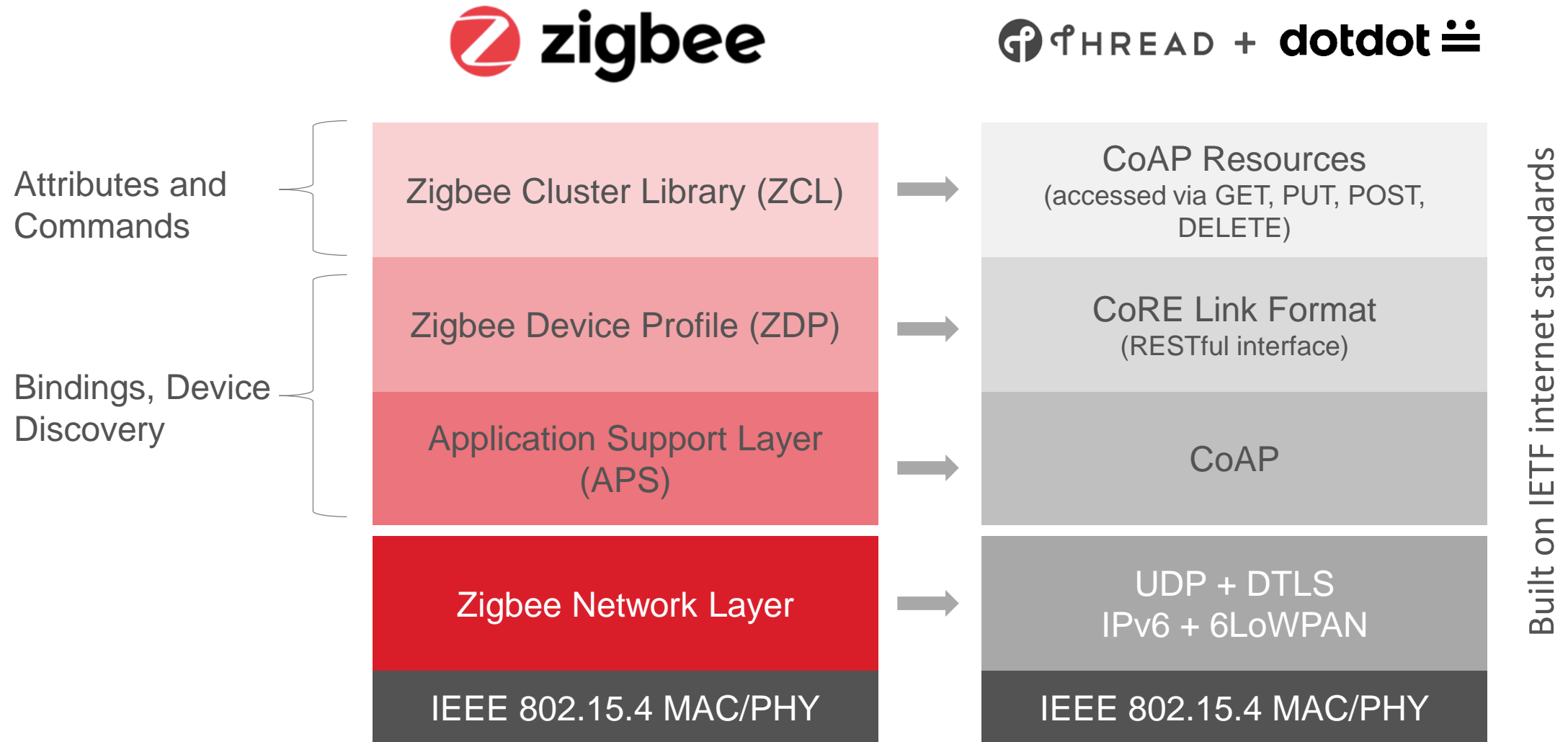


- IPv6-based, low-power, secure mesh networking protocol
- Built for the IoT – smart home, commercial buildings
- Intended for control and automation (250 kbps)
- Scalable to 250+ nodes per subnet
- Runs on existing 802.15.4 wireless SoCs

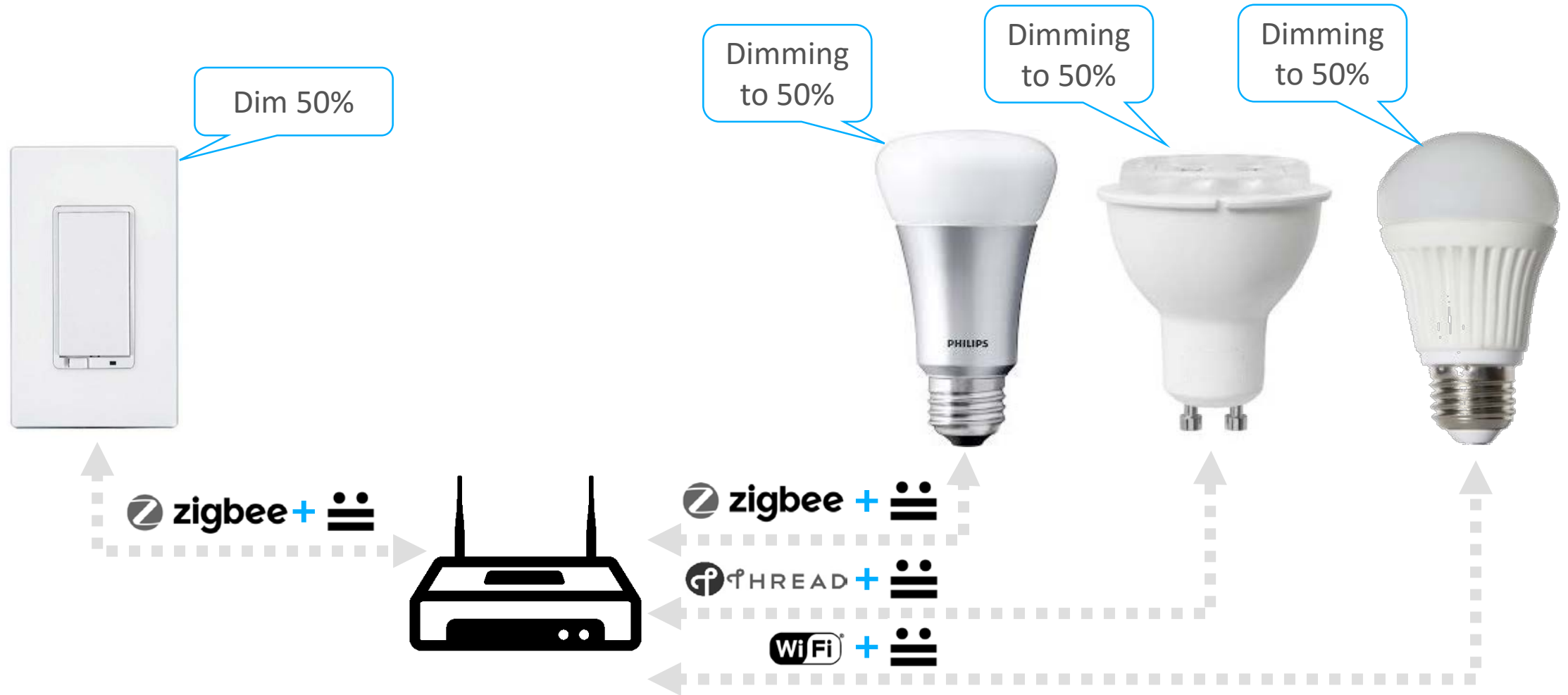
Thread can support many popular application layer protocols



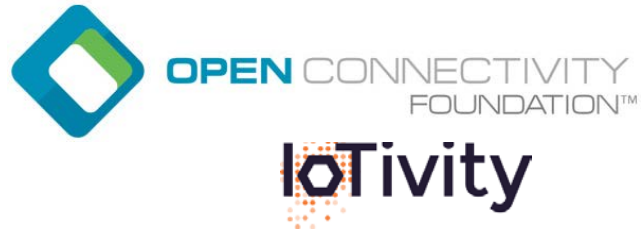
Mapping Zigbee to Thread + dotdot



End-to-End Example



Alternatives



- Other similar, new initiatives exist in the space
- Each have pros/cons and are ultimately trying to solve the same problem
- Dotdot leverages existing specifications enabling manufacturers to focus on core product development instead of defining a new language

Current Status of dotdot

- Announced at CES 2017
- Specification in development with global test events scheduled
- 1st implementation: Thread + dotdot demonstrated at CES 2018
- Launch planned for Summer 2018
- To learn more...
 - Visit www.speakdotdot.com
 - Watch Thread + dotdot [webinar](#)
 - Get involved! Join Zigbee or Thread Group

dotdot Announced

Jan 2017

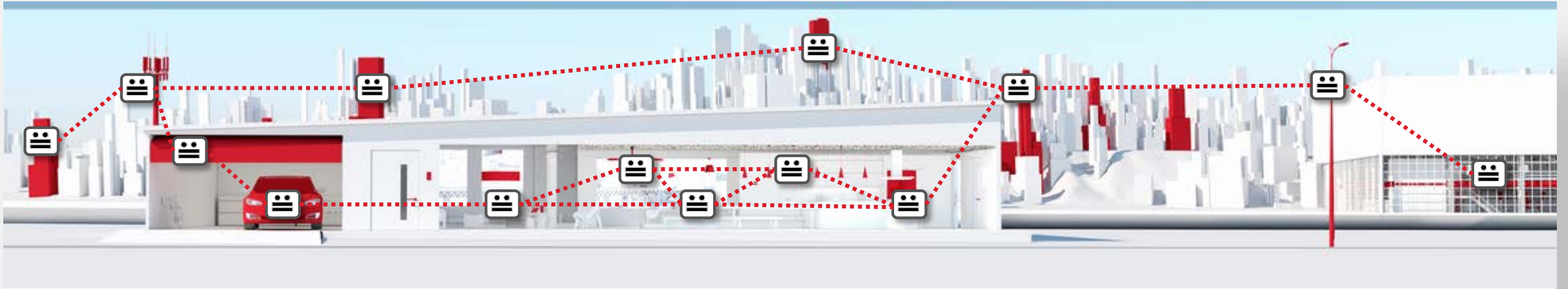
dotdot over Thread Spec
Available and CES Demos

Jan 2018

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Launch and Certifications

Summer 2018





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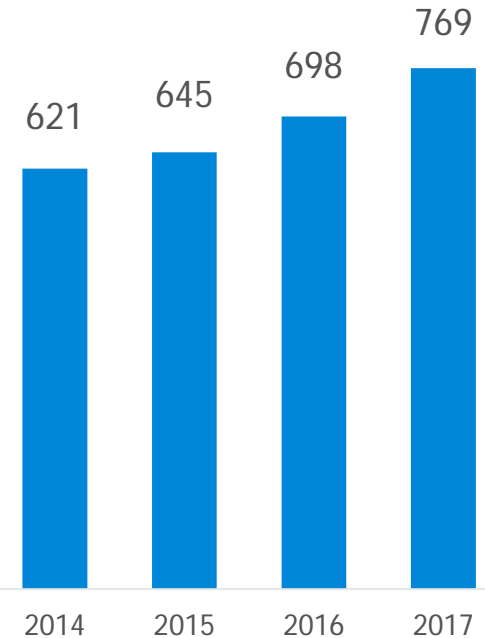


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