

Single Pair Ethernet

The Evolution of Automation Device Communications

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Topics



Why Single Pair Ethernet?



SPE Standards & Applications



SPE Development



SPE Moving the Industry Forward...



Discussion



What if...?

WHAT IF...

Devices could be powered by their data connection?



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Unlock space – how much space is used for panel power supplies



Centralize power – cost of distributed UPS for critical devices



Reduce installation cost – of bringing AC to the edge panels



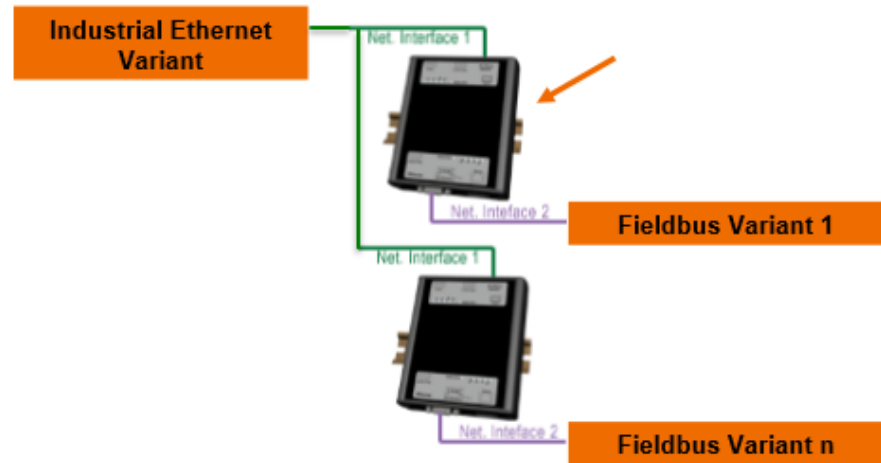
How many IoT devices/sensors use Batteries?

WHAT IF...

Data could be freely accessed without gateways?



The gap at the edge is commonly filled by application-specific Gateways



WHAT IF...

Security on the OT network could be easier to implement?

Application

- Telnet, FTP, https, snmp

Transport

- TCP/UDP

Network

- IP, ICMP, Routing Protocols

Link

- Network Interface, Drivers

Physical

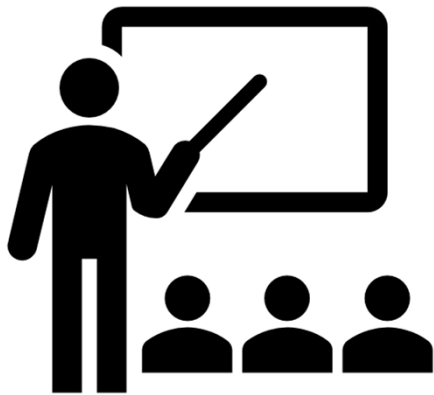
- Device access

Defense in Depth



WHAT IF...

Controls networking expertise could be easier to find?



“ Technical limitation and **lack of skilled expertise** is expected to hamper the growth of building automation system market during forecast period 2016-2022.. ”

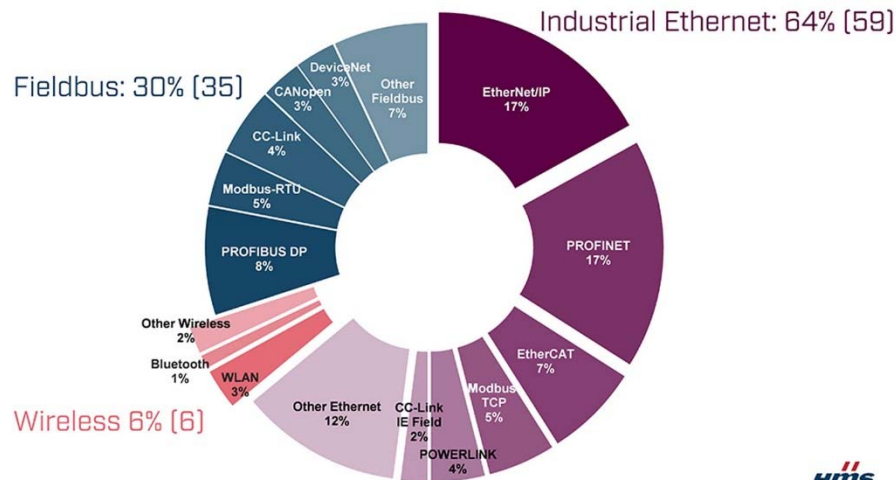
Market Watch, October 2018, marketwatch.com

“ In contrast to other industries, where employers cite worries about declining workforce productivity, dynamism and outdated skillsets, the manufacturing industry’s greatest concern associated with the aging workforce is “brain drain,” the **loss of institutional and technical knowledge.** ”

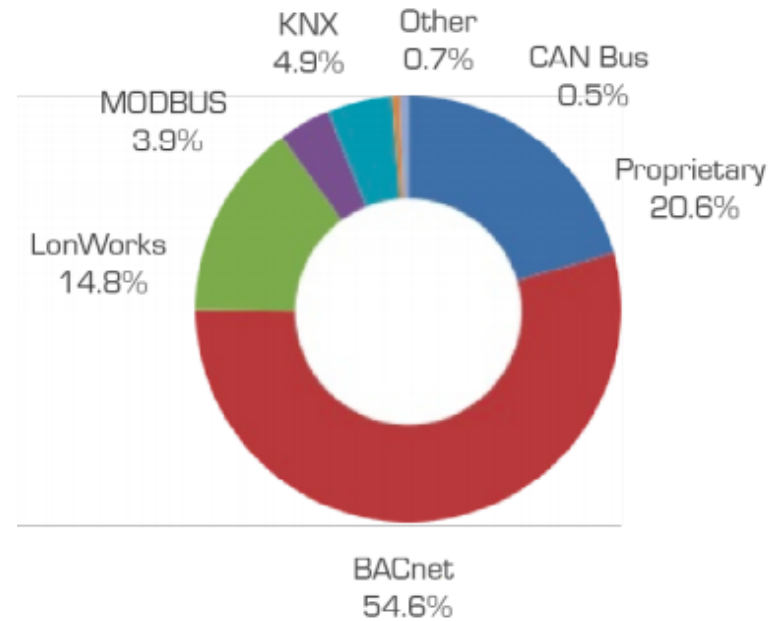
The Aging of the Manufacturing Workforce. Manufacturing Institute. July 2019.

One Protocol to Rule them All

Industrial Automation



Building Automation



Source: BSRIA, 2017

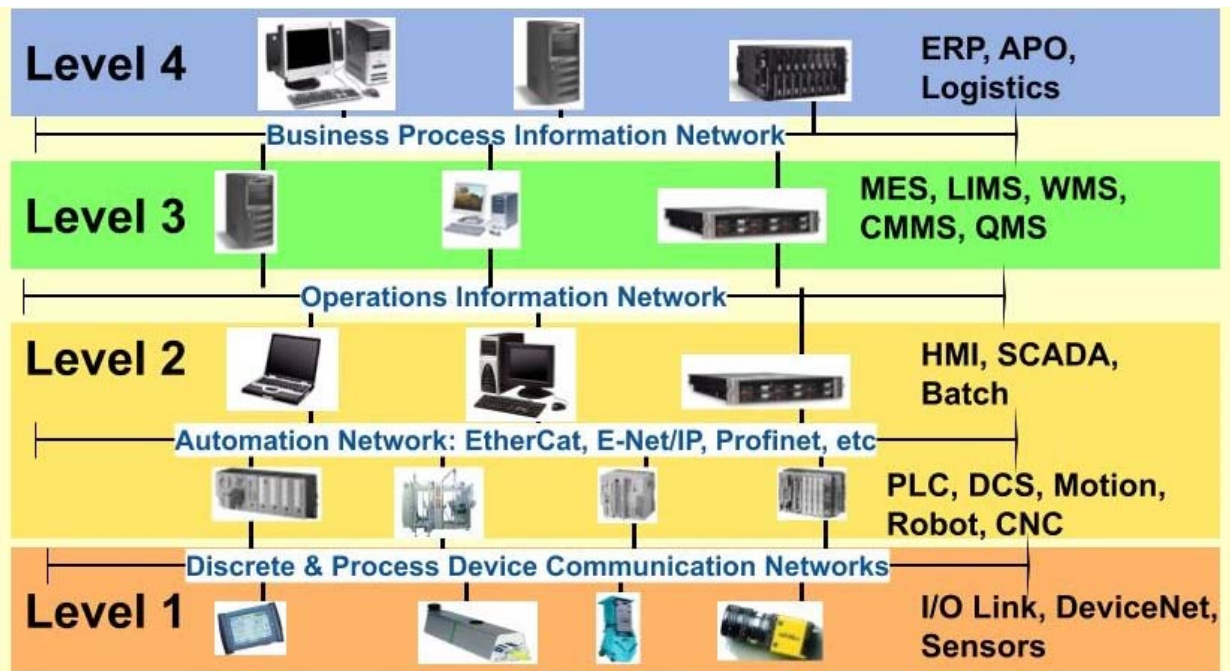
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STANDARDS & APPLICATIONS

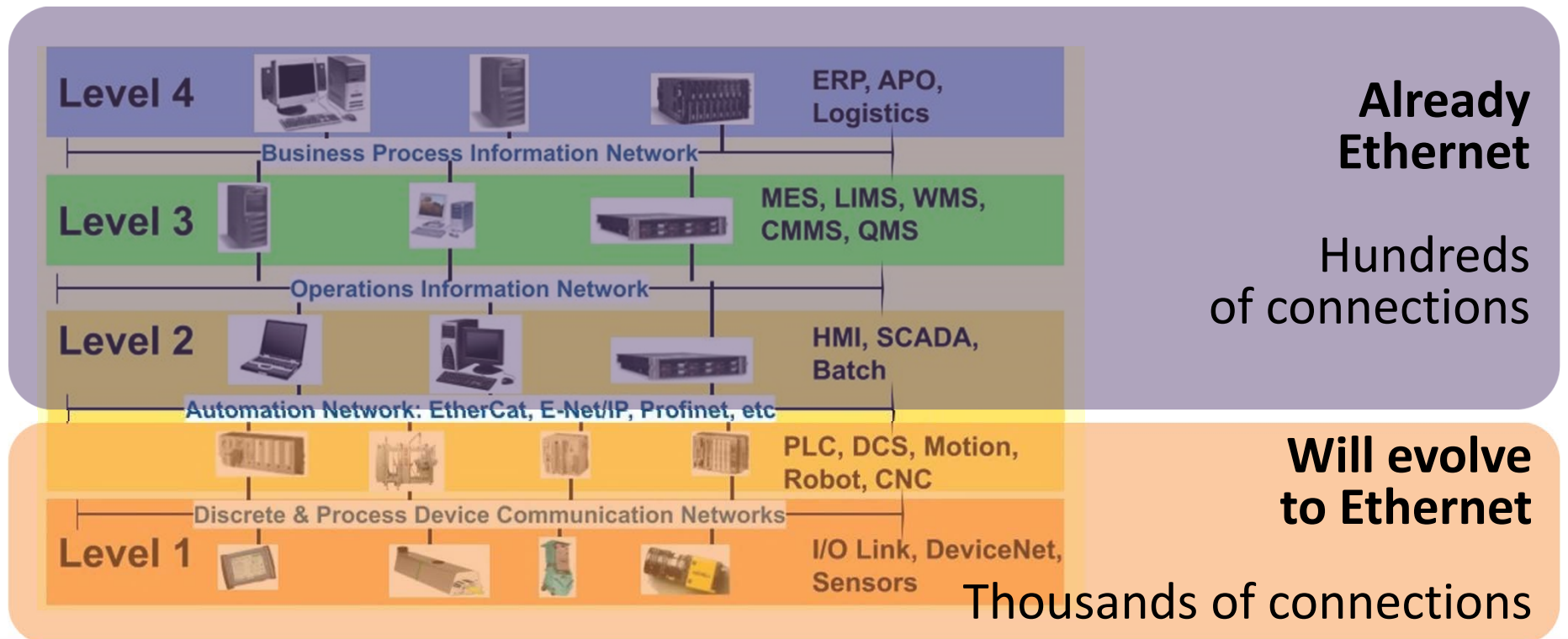
Deep & Broad Industry Leadership on SPE

Organization	Standards
IEEE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">IEEE 802.3<ul style="list-style-type: none">Data, Powering, Electrical Properties802.3cg802.3bw802.3da (future)
IEC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">ISO/IEC<ul style="list-style-type: none">Connectors<ul style="list-style-type: none">SC48bCable<ul style="list-style-type: none">SC46b
TIA	<ul style="list-style-type: none">TIA TR42<ul style="list-style-type: none">Premises physical layer<ul style="list-style-type: none">Enterprise<ul style="list-style-type: none">(TR42.1, TR42.7)Industrial<ul style="list-style-type: none">(TR42.9)
ODVA	<ul style="list-style-type: none">ODVA<ul style="list-style-type: none">Physical Layer for Industrial Network applications<ul style="list-style-type: none">Volume 2, Chapter 8Participation in APL for process
NEC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">NEC<ul style="list-style-type: none">CMP-03Article 725.144 update under review to accommodate single pair cables

ISA 95 and Industrial Networks



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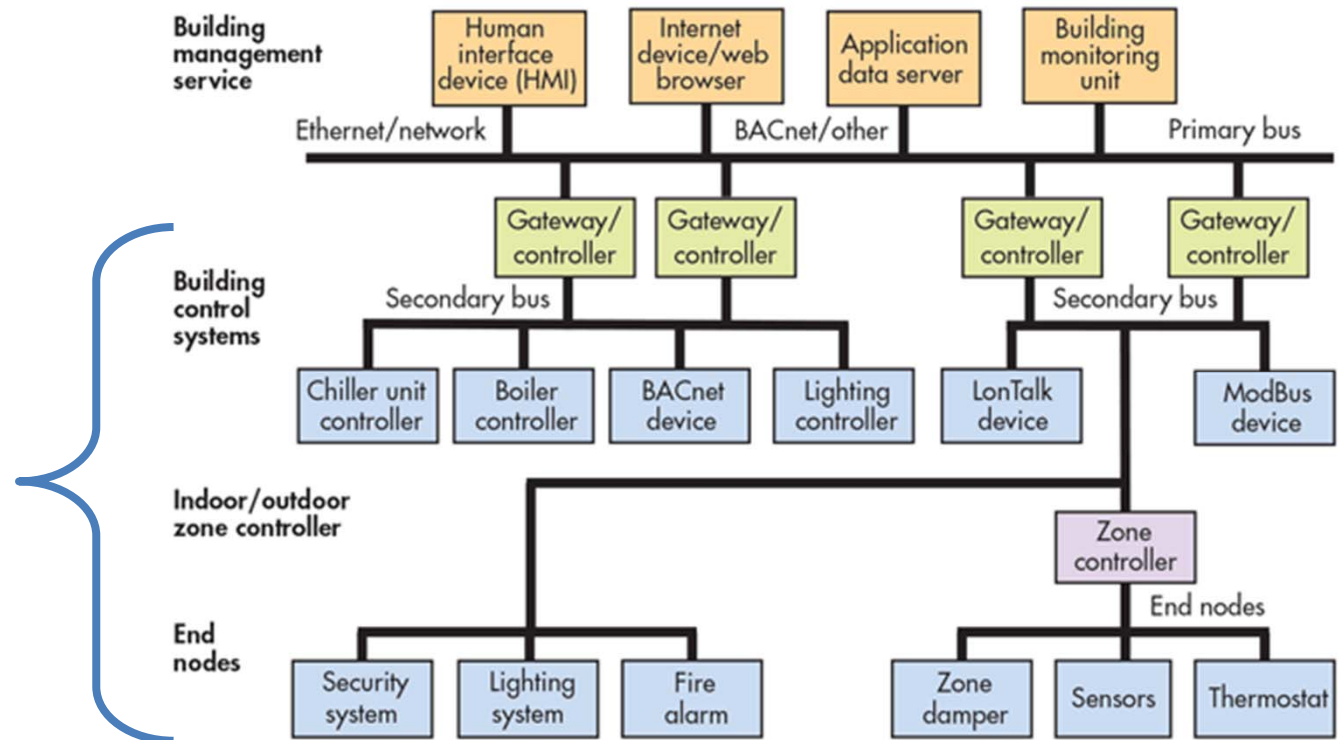




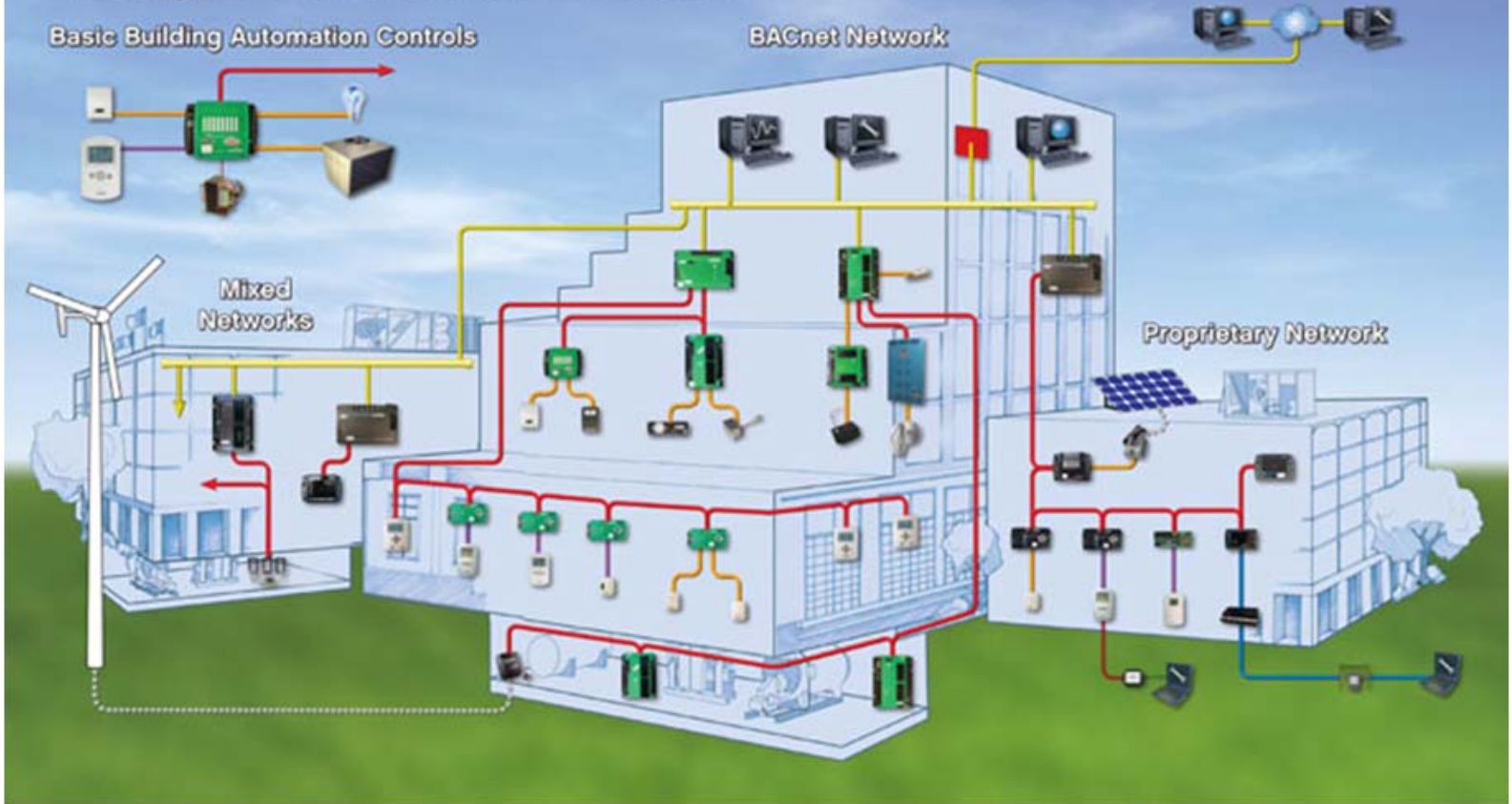
Operational Edge Assets

Ethernet to the Edge of Building Automation

A secure, reliable, cost-effective way to bring Ethernet to the field device level



Building Automation Behind the Scenes



Case Study



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- 600,000 feet of 4-pair
- 500,000 feet of 2-wire
- Proprietary gateways for HVAC, glass break, duress, lighting, etc.

What could it have been?

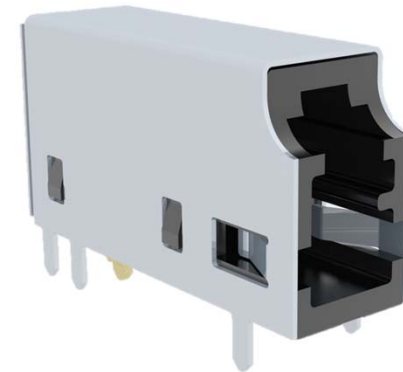
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WHAT IS SPE?

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Single Pair Ethernet Overview

- SPE can provide:
 - Power + Data
 - 2 point to point reaches: 15m and 1000m
 - Reuse of 2-wire cable and topology
 - Noise immunity
 - Compact Connector
 - Easy deployment
- Multidrop in the future –
25m and 8 stations

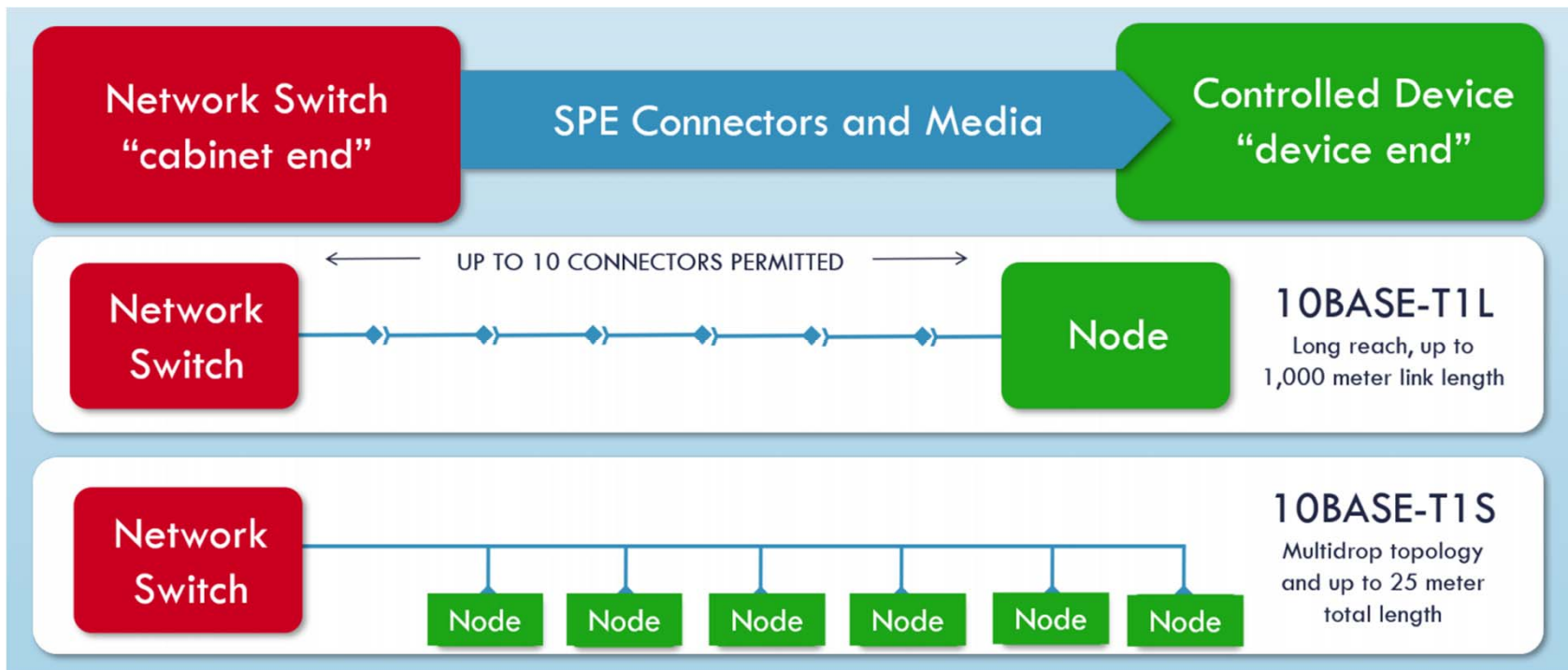


Typical Jack Design

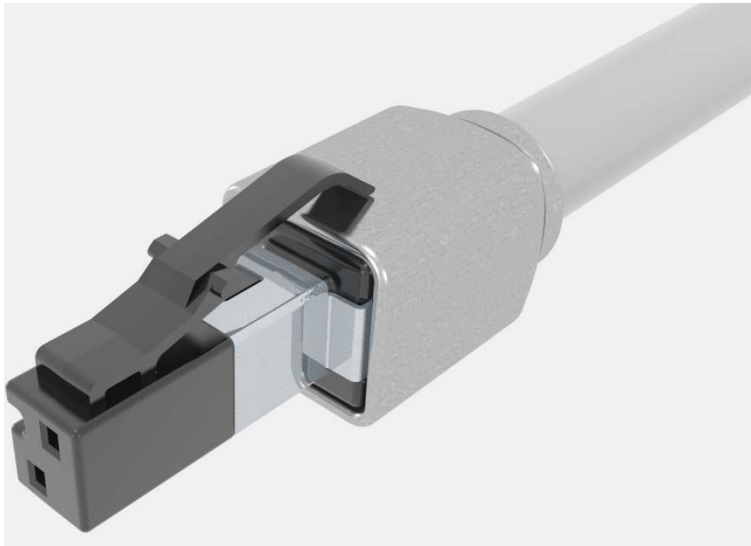
Single Pair Comparison

Protocol	Cable Length	Bit Rate	Power Delivered	Number of Conductors	Connector
10/100/1000/2.5/5/10GBASE-T	100 m	10 Gbit, full duplex	Yes, up to 90 W	4 to 8	RJ45
10BASE-T1L	1000 m (2.4 V) with up to 10 joints (terminal boxes)	10 Mbit, full duplex	Yes, up to 60 W	2	LC style IDC connector
10BASE-T1S	25 m with up to 8 connections on one port	10 Mbit, full duplex	No	2	LC style IDC connector
PROFIBUS PA	1200 m	31.25 kbps, bus, half duplex	Yes	2	M12, terminal screw
Modbus RTU and Other RS-485 Profocols	1200 m (up to approximately 185 kbps, at 375 kb 300 m, at 500 kb, 200 m)	Typically 19.2 kbps, bus, half duplex	No	2	DB9, M12
I/O Link	20 m	Max 230.4 kbps, half duplex	No	2	M12
4 mA to 20 mA	>10 km	-/-	Yes, 36 mW	2	Screw
HART	>1500 m	1200 bps, bus, half duplex	Yes, 36 mW	2	Screw

SPE General Topologies



SPE Connectors: IP20



- Approved by IEC SC48B, standardized as IEC 63171-1
- Approved by TIA as connector for Single Pair Ethernet
- Based on fiber optic LC form factor
- Positive latch Engagement
- IDC connection
- **Simple, tool-less field termination**

SPE Connectors: IP67

- IP67 version still in standards definition with ODVA, APL and other bodies
- May have extra pins for positive shield engagement to pin (still 2 wires)



SPE Cable

- 18 AWG, shielded twisted pair cable
 - Cable construction optimized to achieve 1000-meter maximum link distance
 - Shielded to perform in E2/E3 environments
- 23 AWG
 - Can reach up to 400m distance
 - Could be shielded or unshielded

“I’ve heard talk of cable reuse ...”



Cable Reuse for SPE



- Electrically, it **may be possible** to reuse cables that carry legacy protocols today
 - The forces that degrade cable performance are available in abundance in factories
 - Some installed cable is very old
 - Network topologies **may** be compatible, legacy routes versus new SPE routes
- Field test procedures are being developed to determine cable reuse viability

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WHAT NEXT?

Industry groups coalesce around SPE

Telecommunications Industry Association (TIA) TR-42

- Develops and maintains Telecom industry standards for cabling infrastructure
- Single Pair Ethernet Consortium (SPEC) to accelerate the adoption of next generation Operational Technology (OT) and Internet of Things (IoT) connectivity

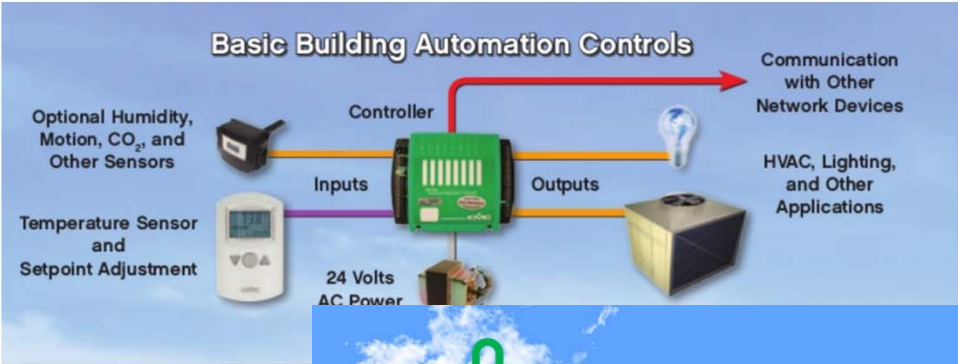


Ethernet Alliance

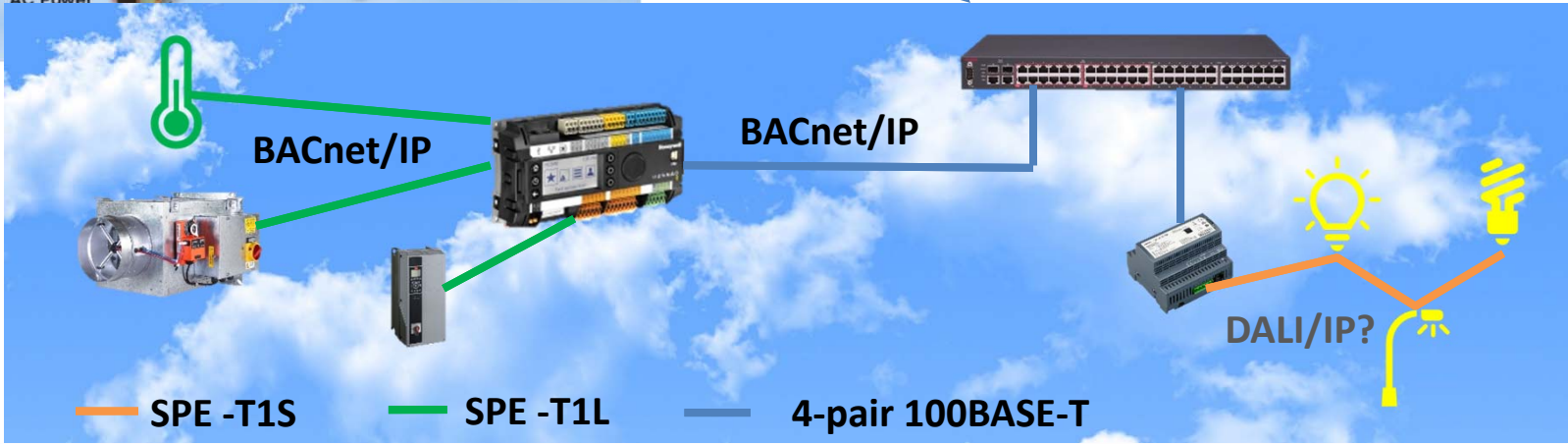
- Dedicated to the advancement of Ethernet
- Single Pair Ethernet team partnering on content and technology development
- Partnering with OT standards organizations



Evolving from...



to...



Expect to See



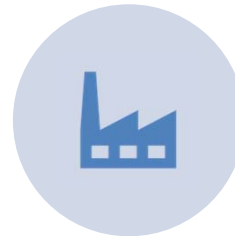
Growing industry support, see www.ethernetalliance.org/single-pair-ethernet and spec.tiaonline.org



Initial use cases to launch in Q1 '21



Device vendors turning to SPE for simple device connectivity & DC power



Growing importance of Structured Cabling in Ethernet Networks

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