### Benefits of the ICN Architecture in Smart Buildings

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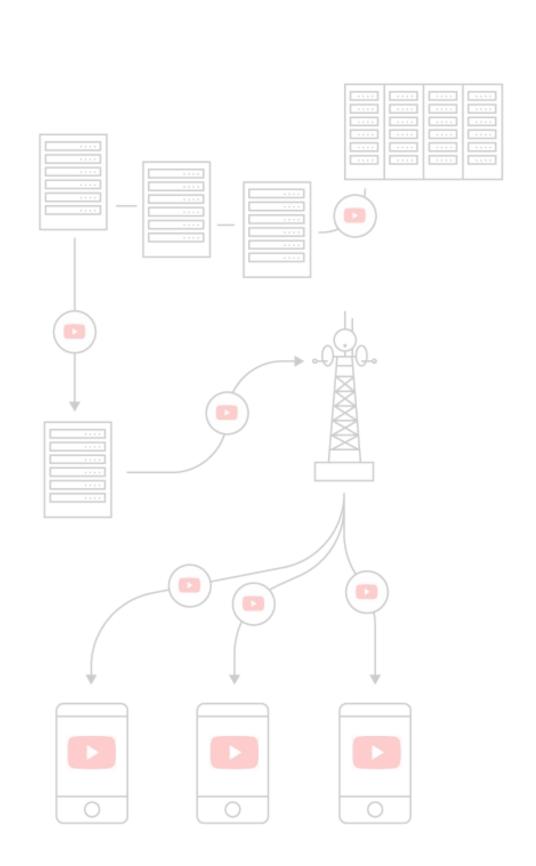
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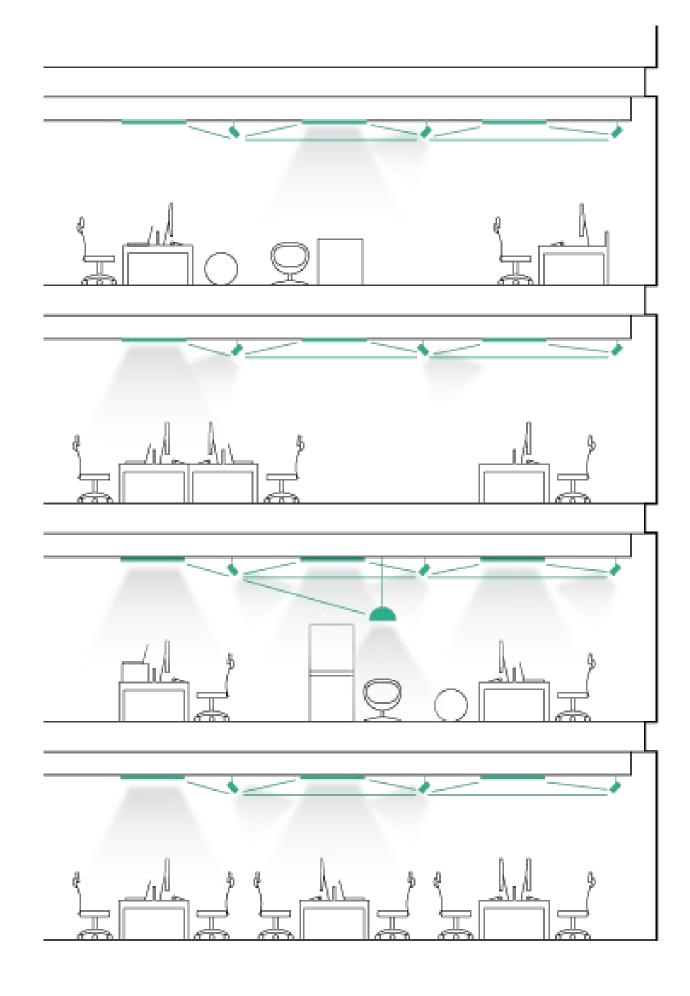
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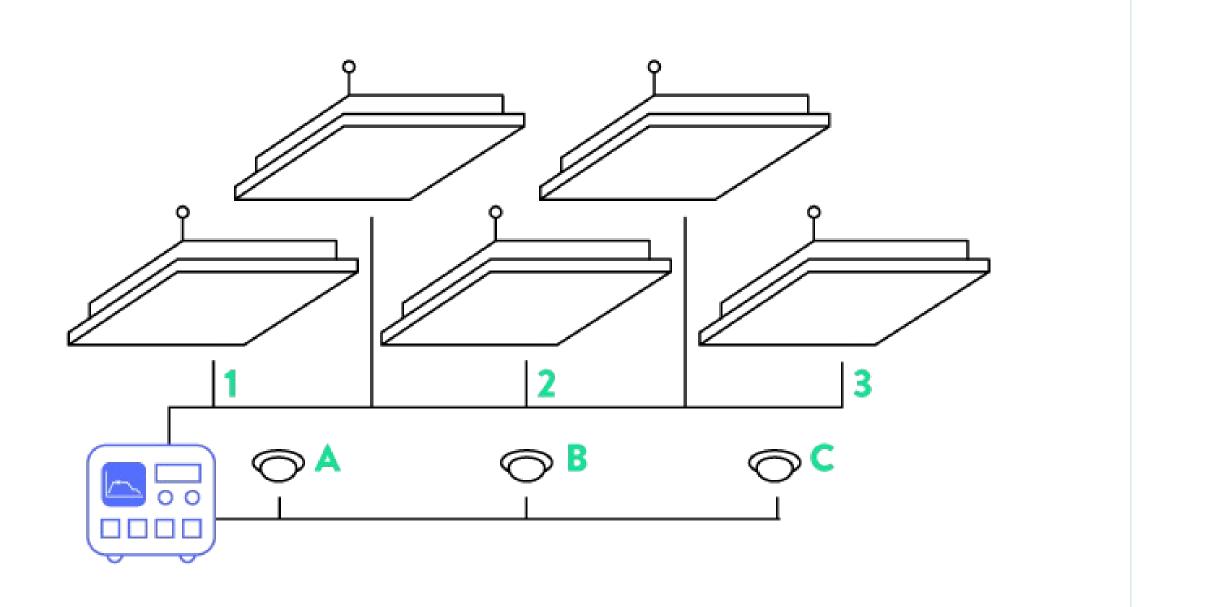
The ICN concept is being developed for the Internet, but is very applicable to the IoT and smart buildings in particular.

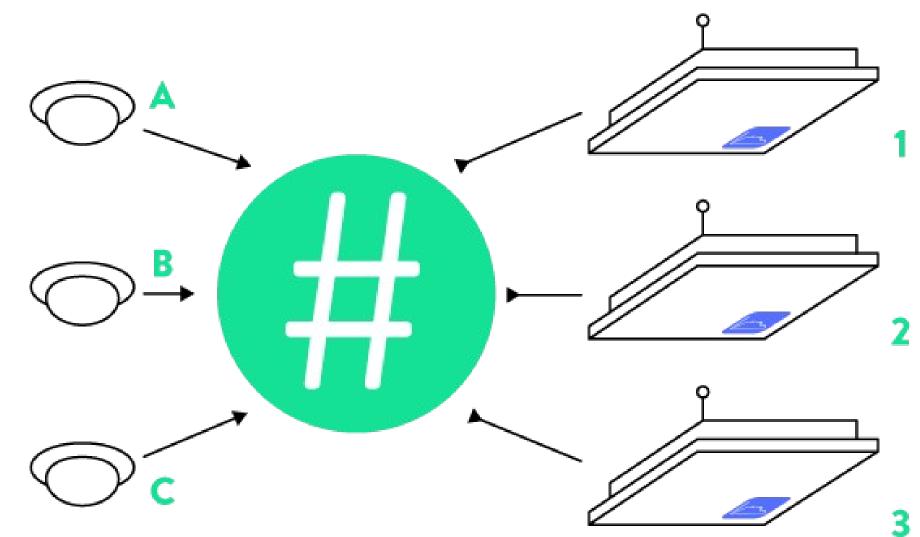
- named & addressable data as the focal point
  - → simplified configuration
- decentralized architecture
  - → scalability and no points of failure
- multicast communications
  - → the foundation
- publish subscribe paradigm
  - → for relationships among devices



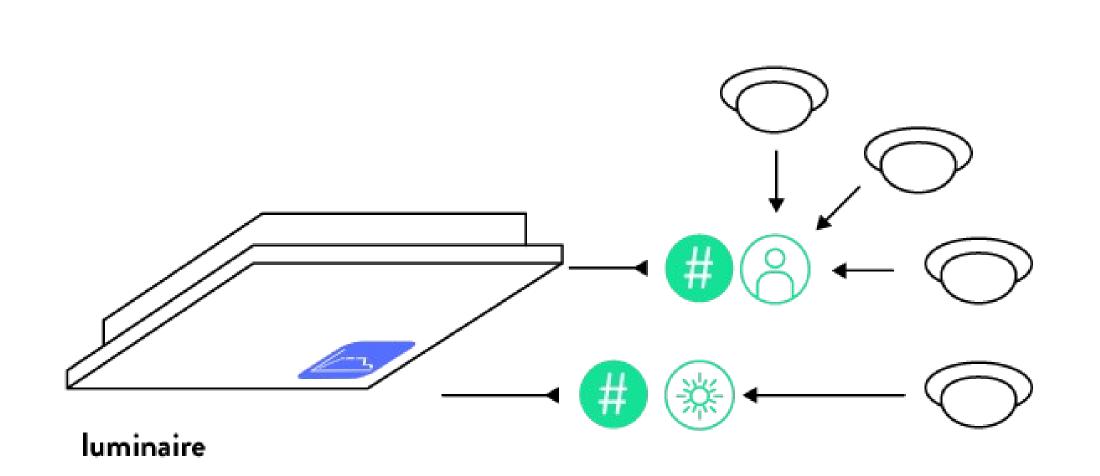


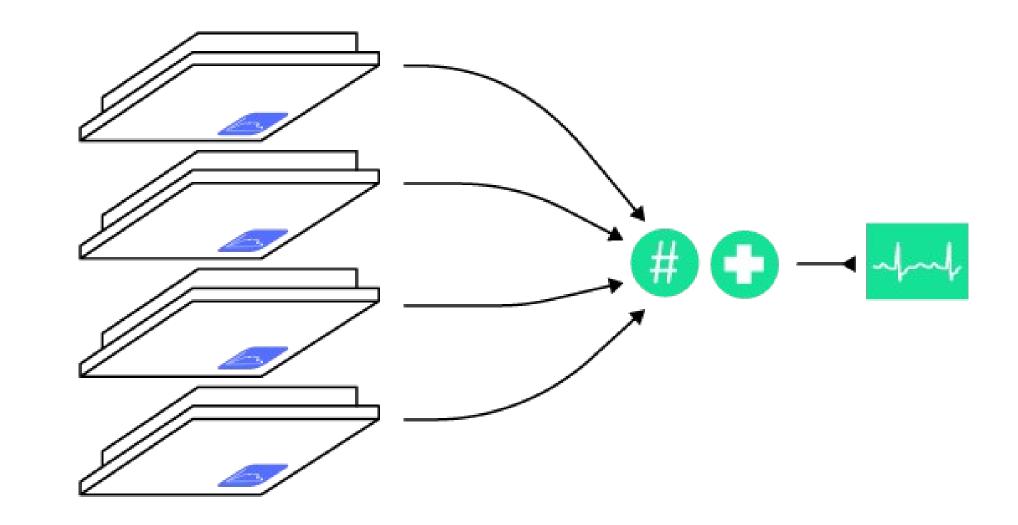
## ICN lighting controls: the concept





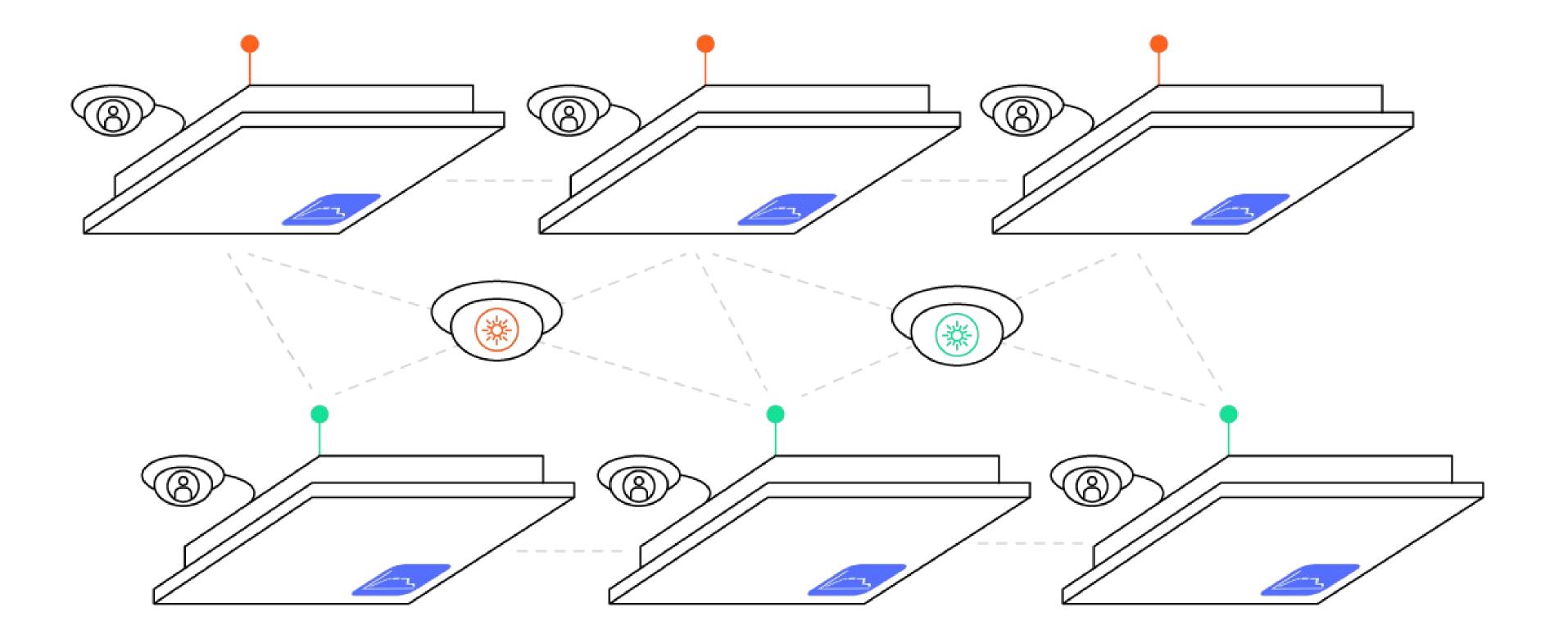
## ICN lighting controls: examples





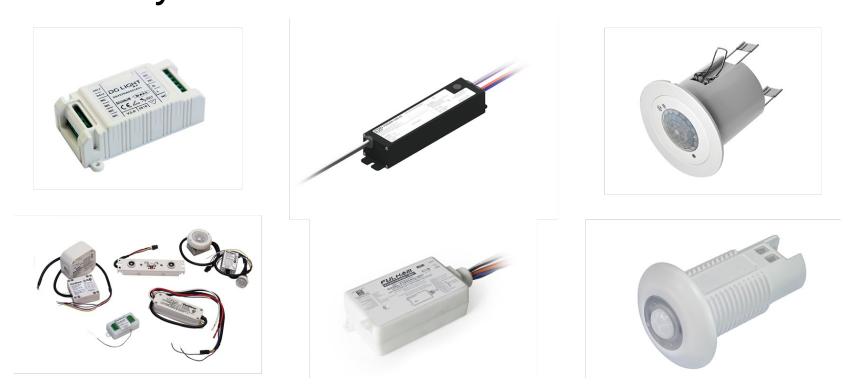
## ICN lighting controls: benefits

- simple
- scalable
- reliable



### Qualified Bluetooth mesh is here

- Adopted and publicly available since 2017. After Audio and Low Energy, Mesh is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Bluetooth revolution
- Close to 100 qualified, interoperable products are available now
- Includes a strictly defined, yet very flexible application layer, focused on Sensing and Lighting
- Pub/Sub, concurrent multicast and distributed control architecture help achieve simplicity, scalability and reliability: the three pain points of wireless lighting control systems



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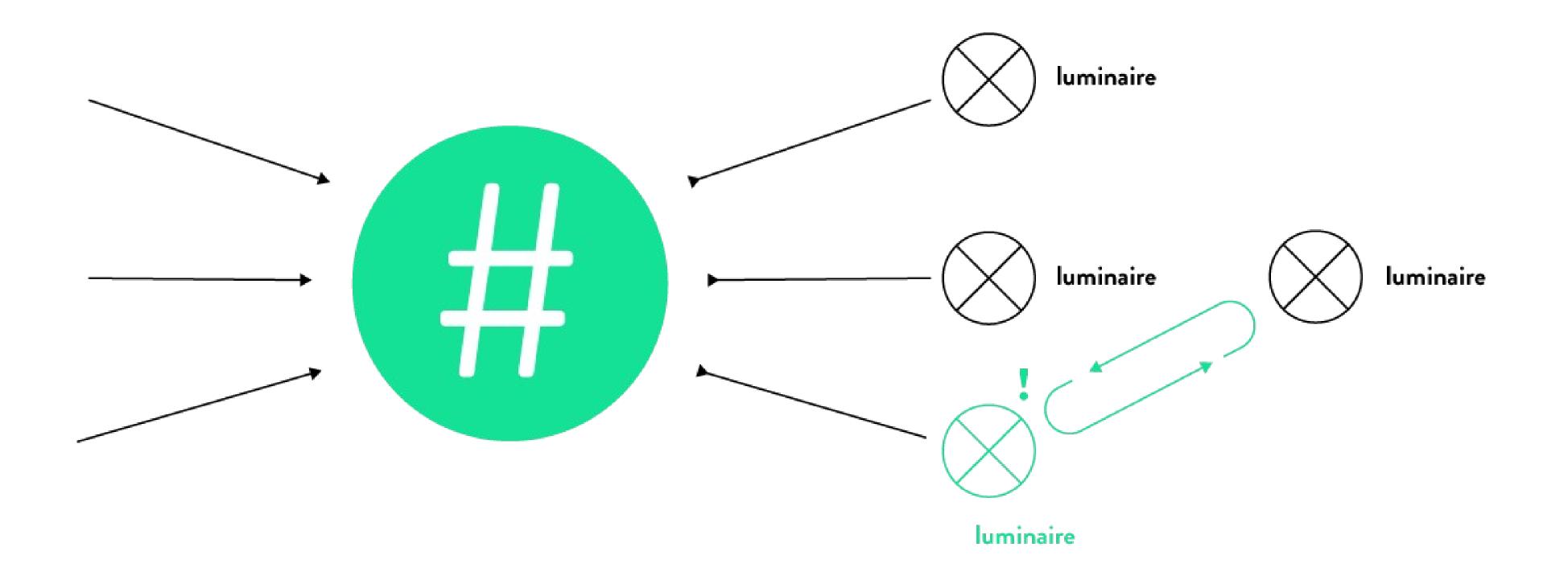
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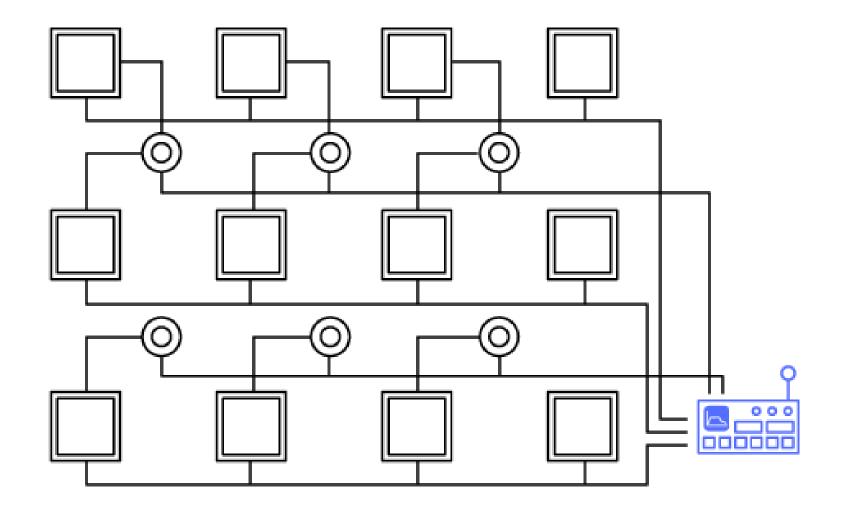
## ICN lighting controls: simplicity

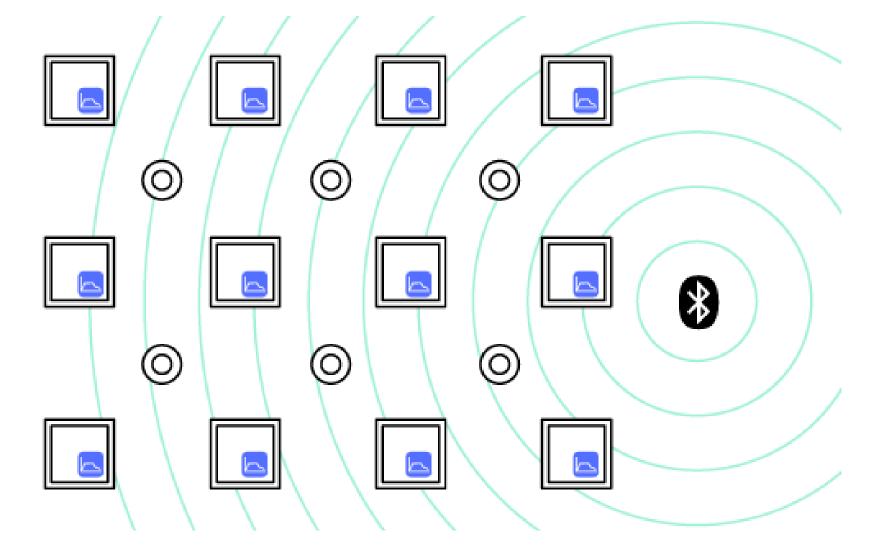
- configuration simplicity
- maintenance simplicity



## ICN lighting controls: scalability

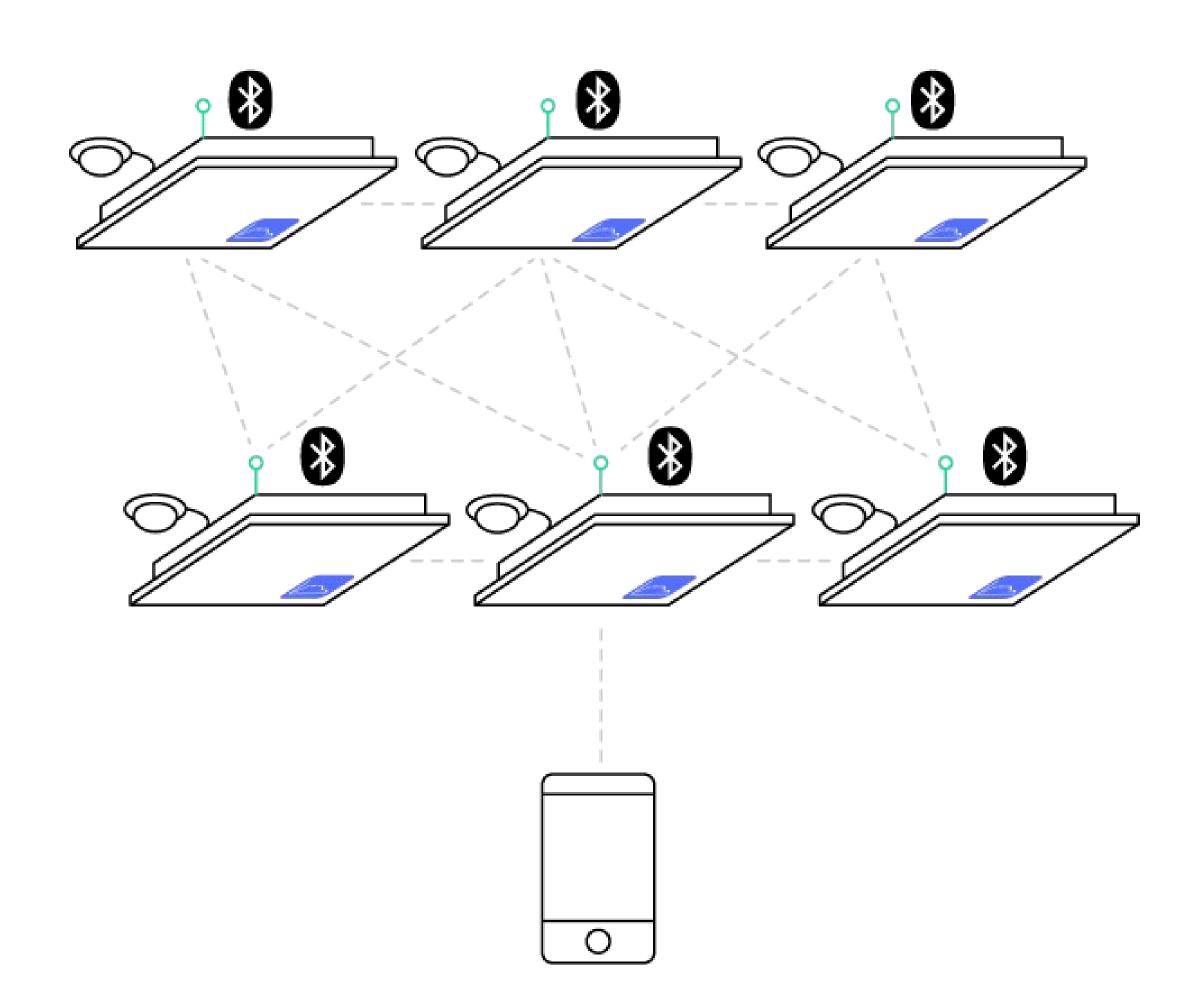
- no bottlenecks (gateways, hubs, central controllers)
- robust multicasting
- subnets
- ultra-short messages
- high spectral efficiency
- high data transfer rate





## ICN lighting controls: reliability

- no single point of failure
- multi-path delivery
- peer-to-peer communication
- controller in every node
- publish / subscribe paradigm



## Questions?

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