

SensOrLabs

a protocol validation platform for the IoT

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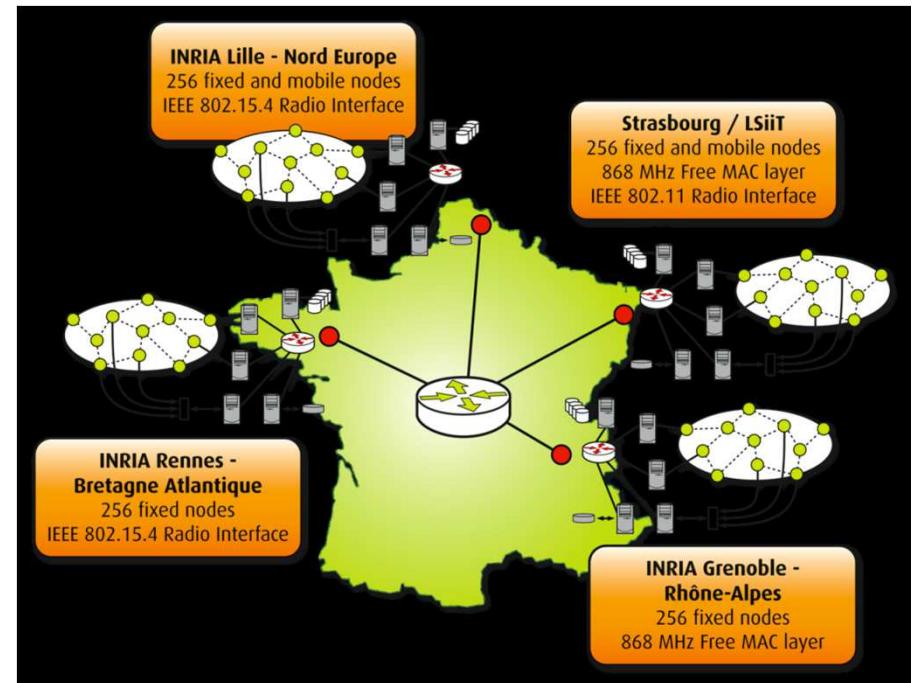


SensOrLabs

- inspired by the ANR Senslab project

- <http://www.senslab.info/>
 - INRIA, UPMC/LIP6, LSIIT, Thalès

- consortium agreement for re-use of technology
- ended up re-doing most of it



- part of the new work done under ANR ARESA2

agenda

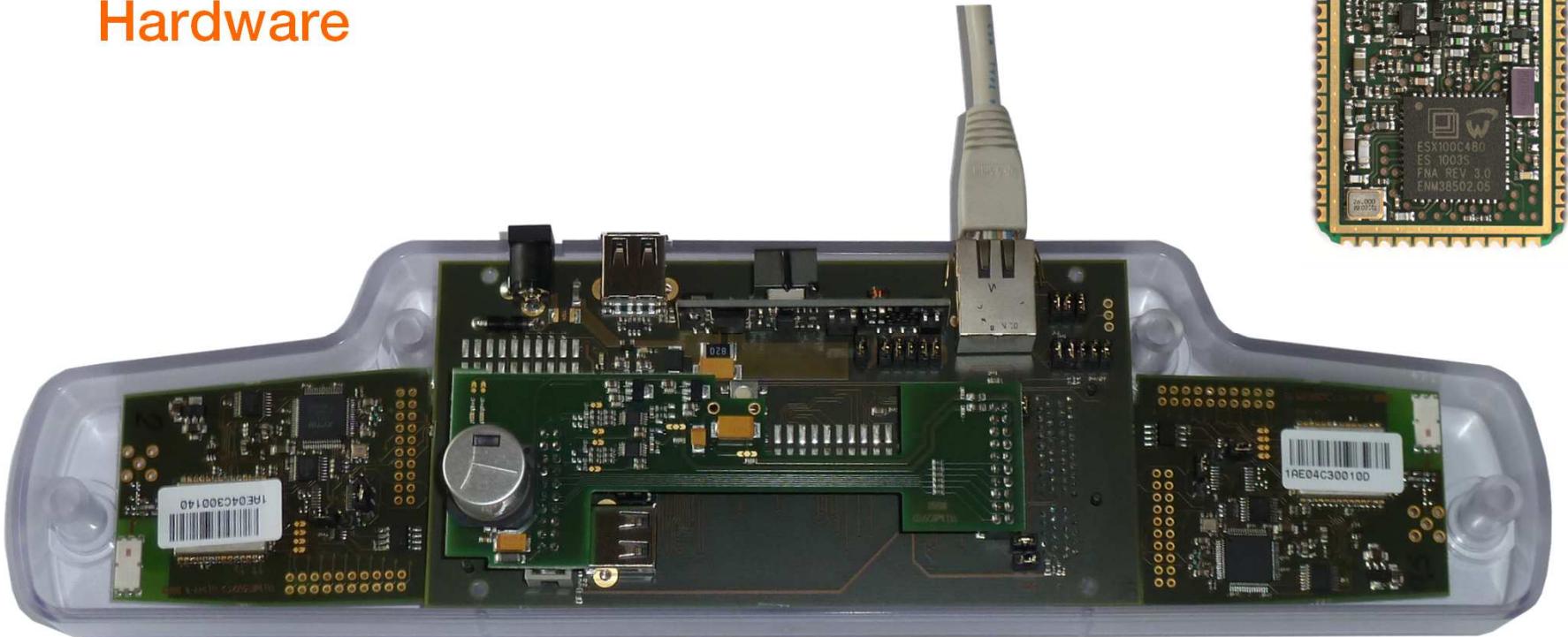
part 1 hardware

part 2 software

part 3 evolutions

Part 1: hardware

Hardware

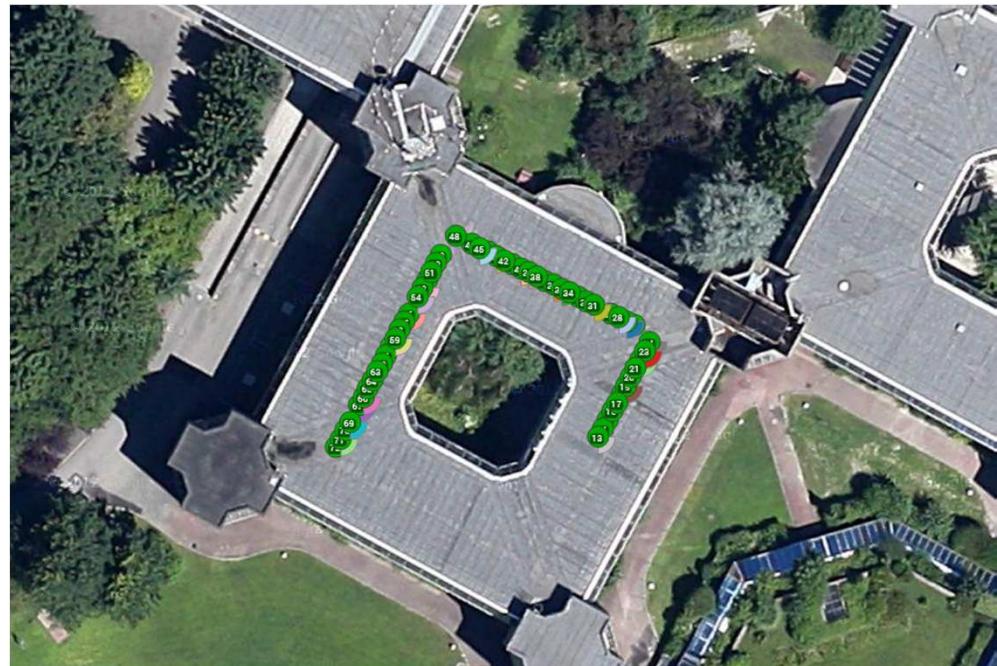


- Changes compared to SensLab
 - Elster/Coronis Excelyo SoC module, 868 MHz
 - improved gateway with Pragmatec computer board
 - improved current monitoring board with TI INA226 chip and analog filter

Deployment



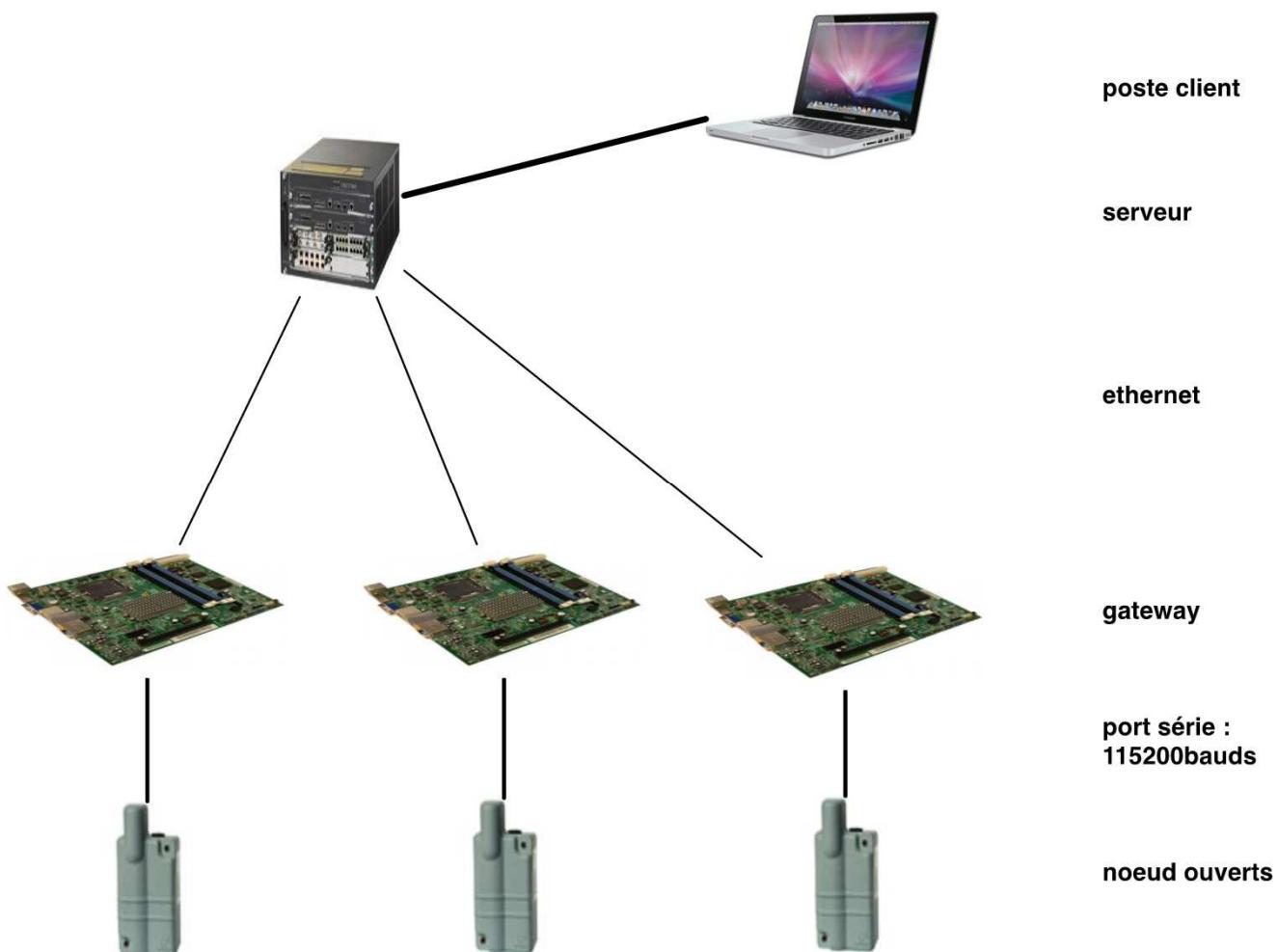
- 82 devices, indoor, at Meylan
- portable to any site Ethernet socket



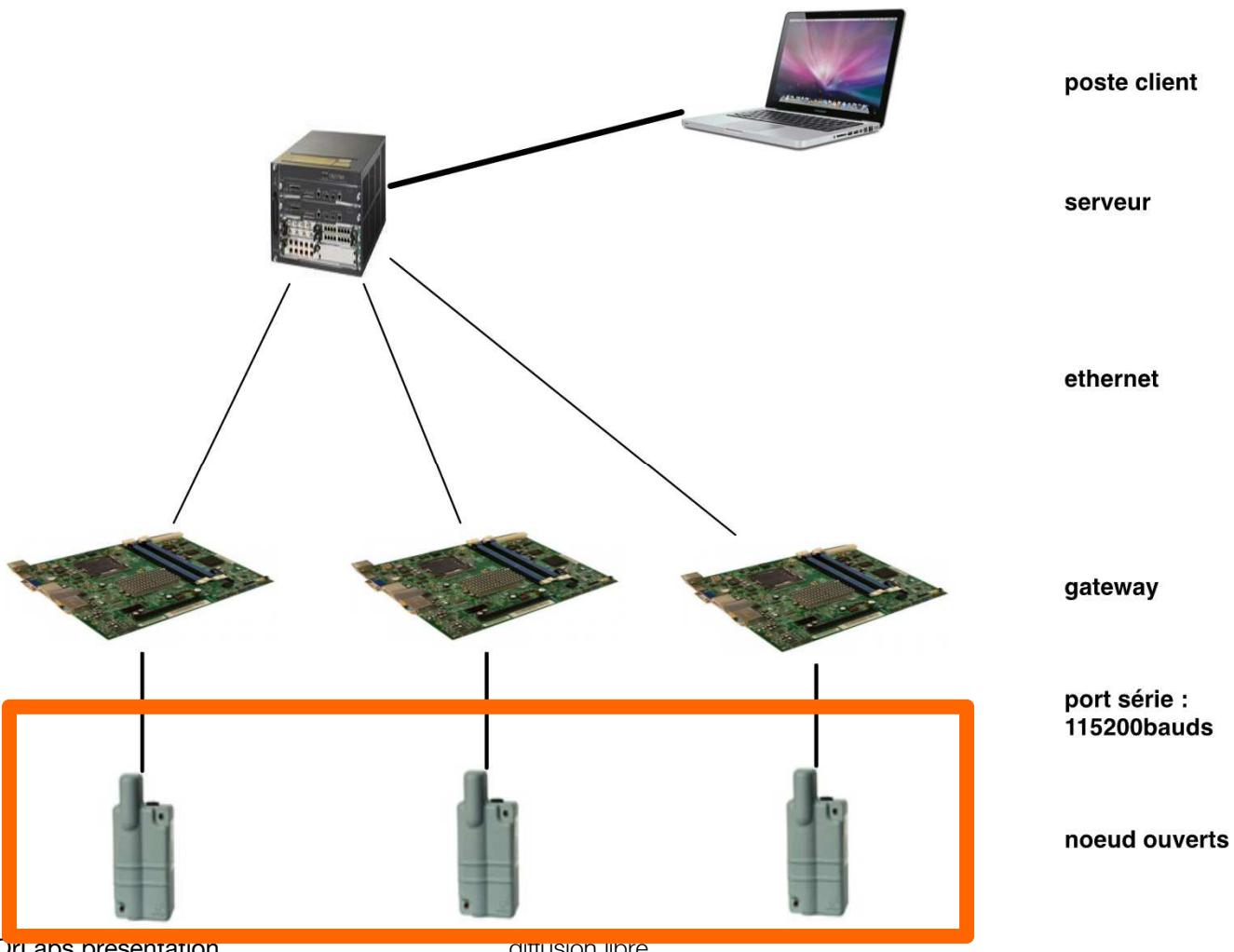
Part 2: software

Logiciel infrastructure

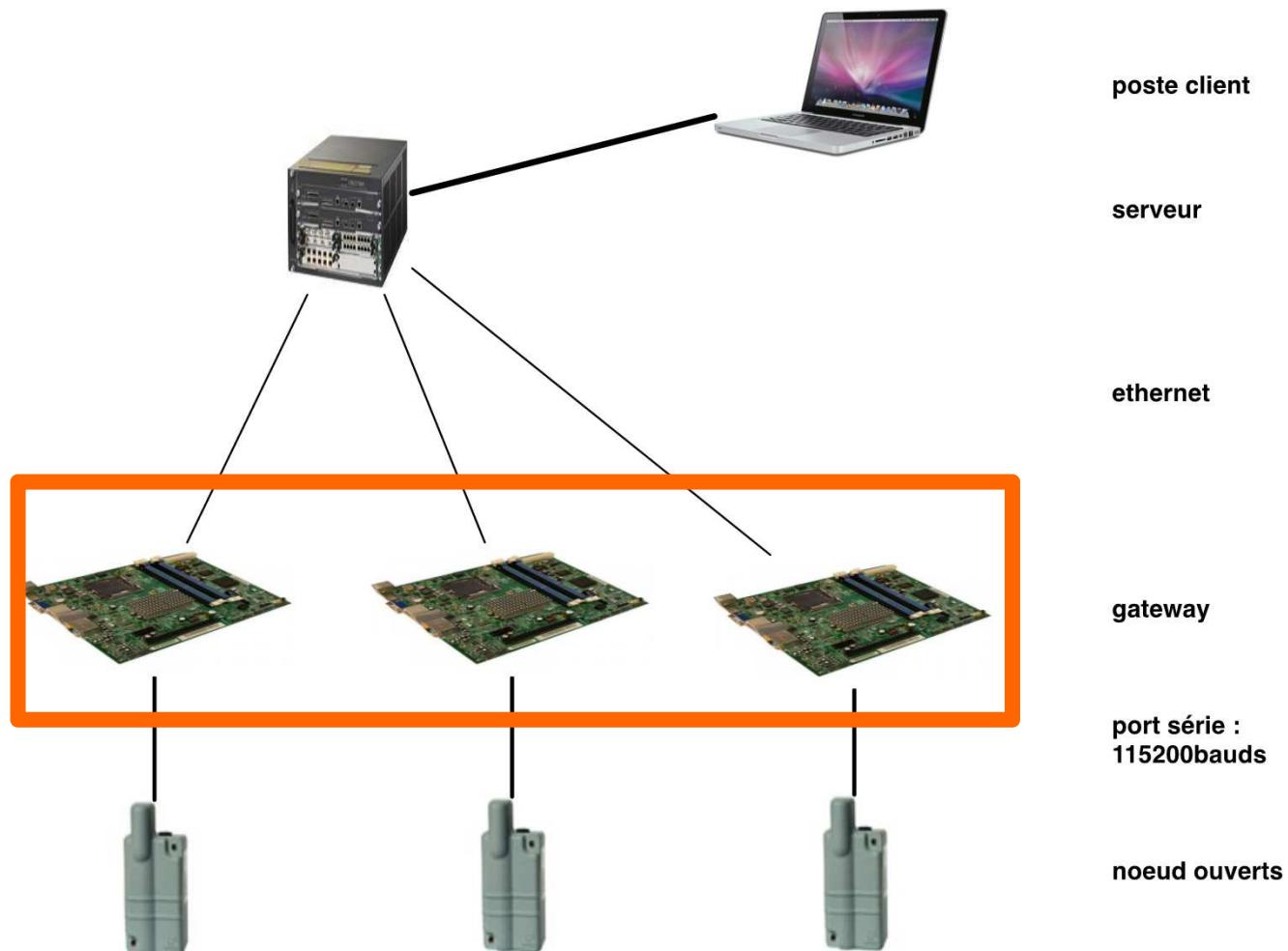
- Retour d'expérience démonstrateur ARESA (2009) et SensLab
 - Peu ou pas d'observabilité sur le fonctionnement des protocoles réseau déployés.
 - Difficulté à valider le respect des spécifications des protocoles.
 - Analyse de performance impossible.
- Besoin
 - Outils pour observer de manière systématique le fonctionnement du réseau.
 - communs à tous les utilisateurs (arrêter le bricolage ad-hoc)
 - génériques (indépendants des protocoles étudiés)



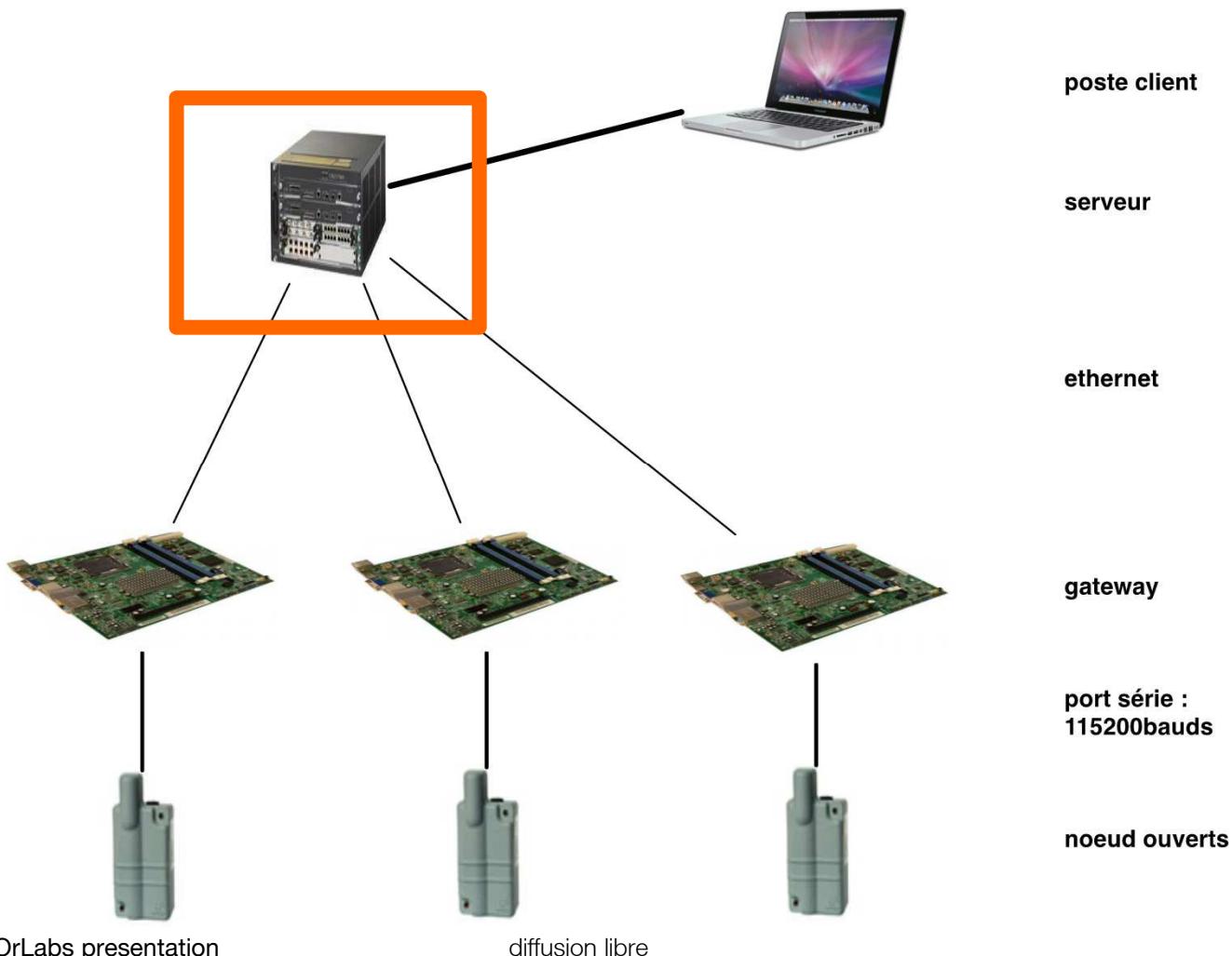
Développement librairie de log



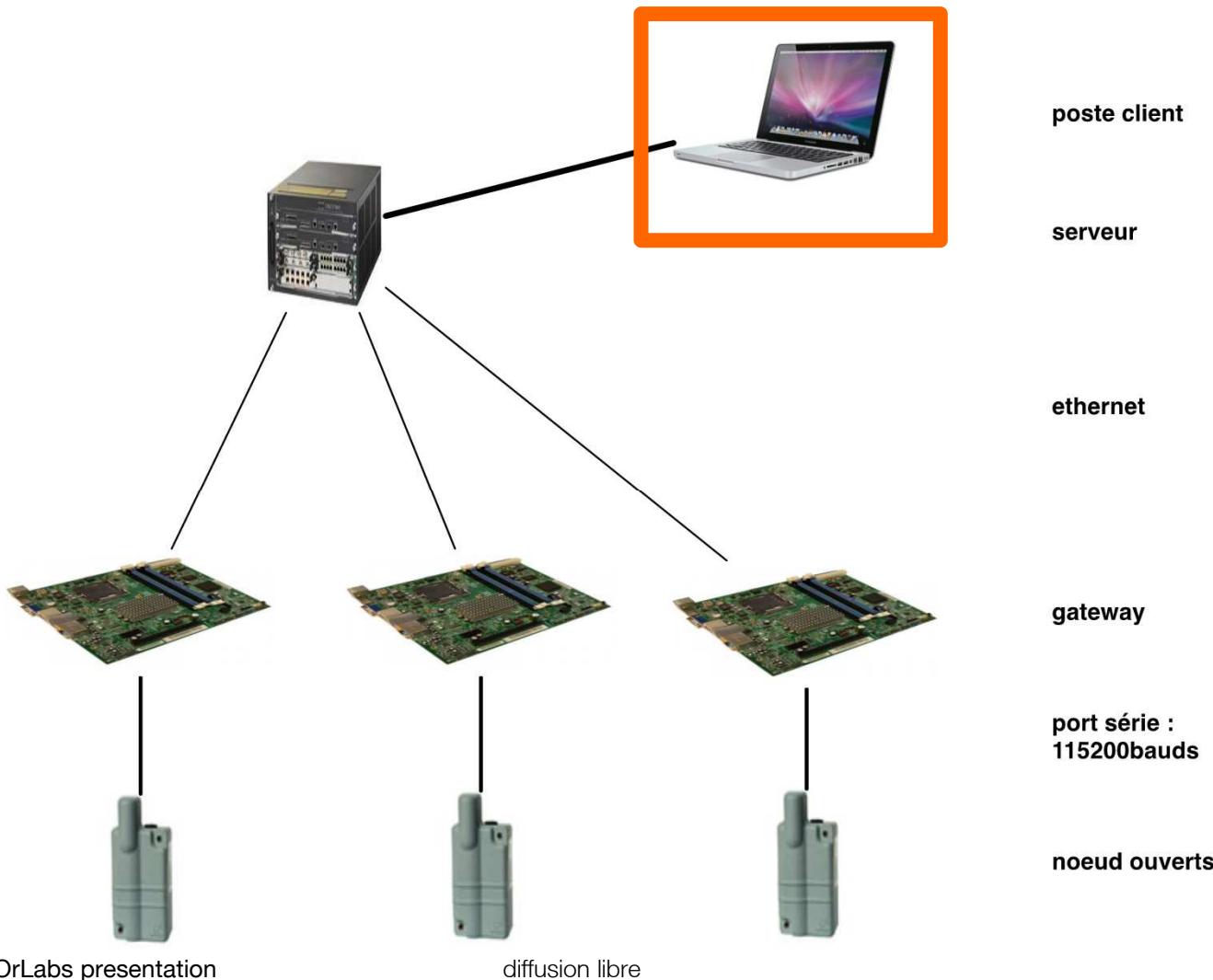
Formatage log et horodatage



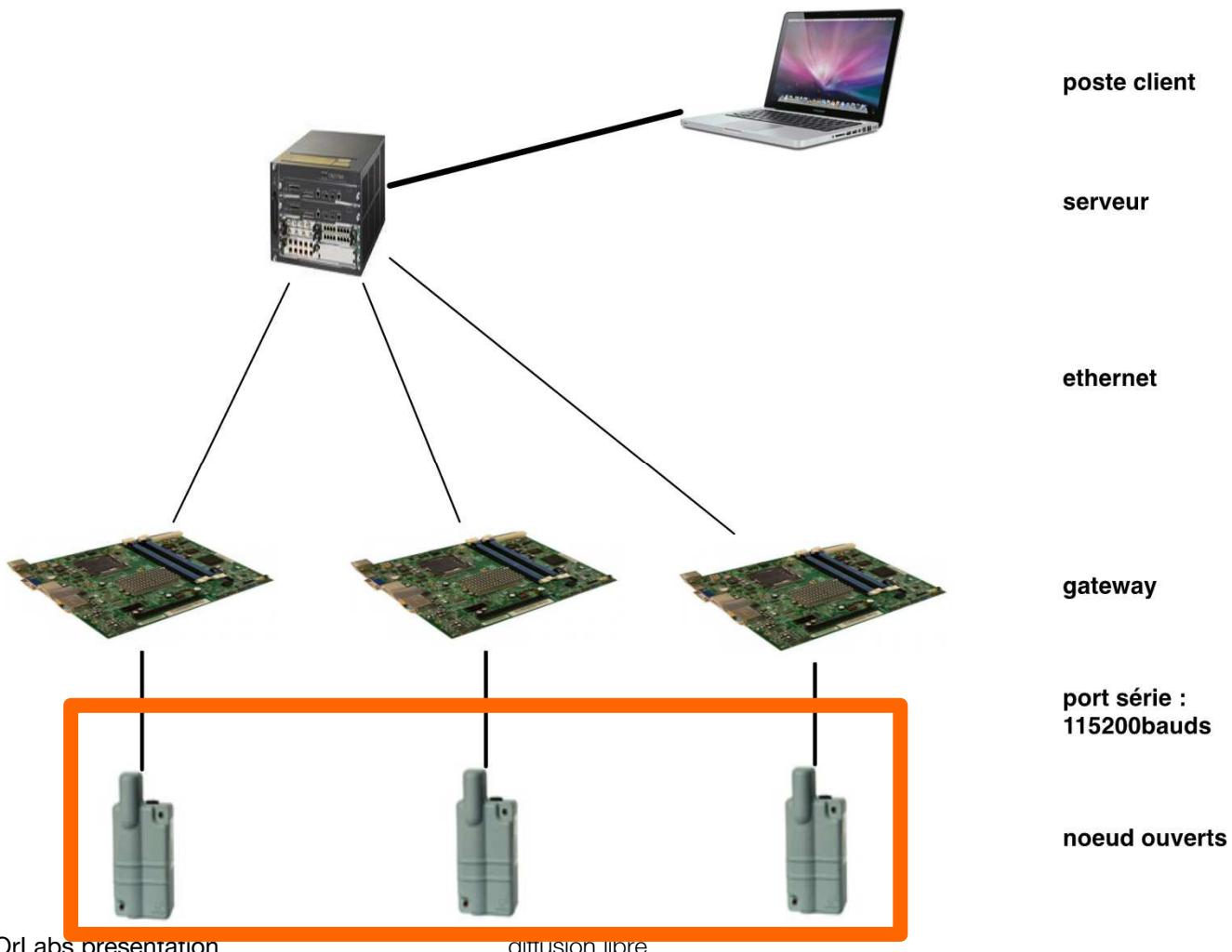
Formatage, ordonnancement et multiplexage



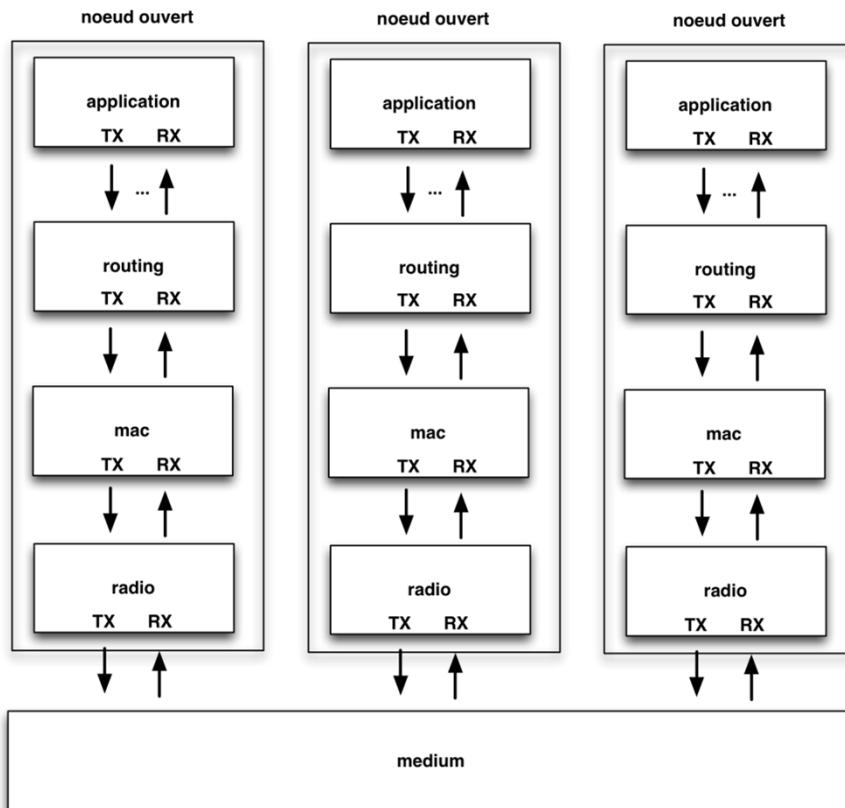
Analyse de log, visualisation



Exemple 1 : modéliser fonctionnement des noeuds

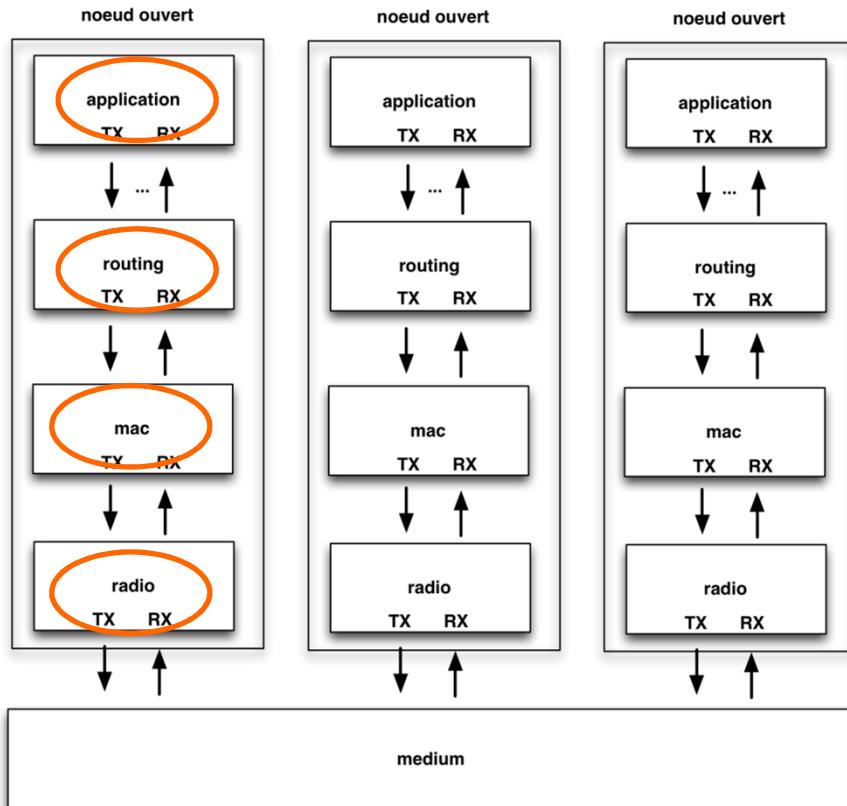


Modéliser les noeuds



- Représentation sous forme
 - d'entités (couches) ou machines à états
 - d'échanges d'information entre entités
- Log ?

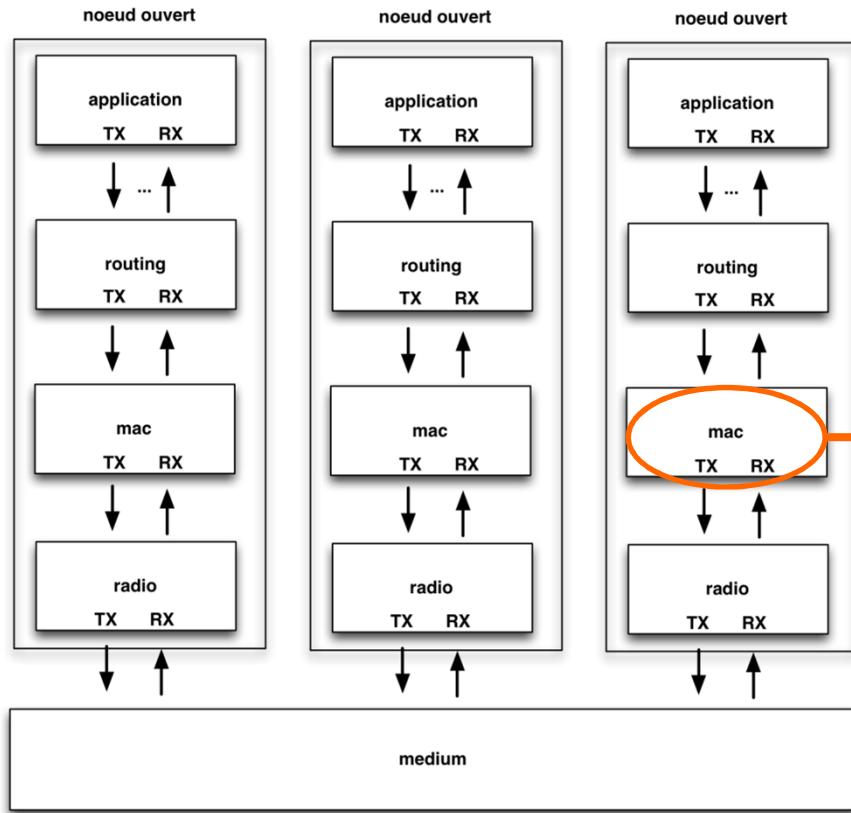
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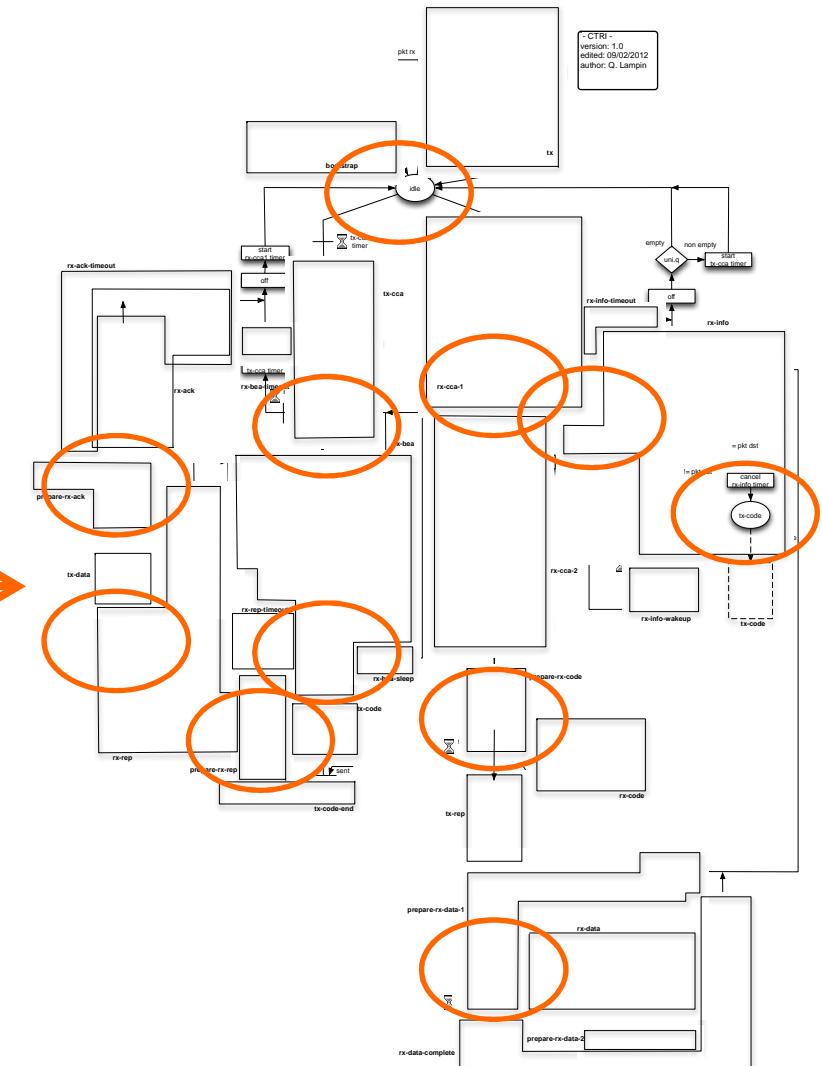
Log

- échanges inter-entités
- états internes des entités

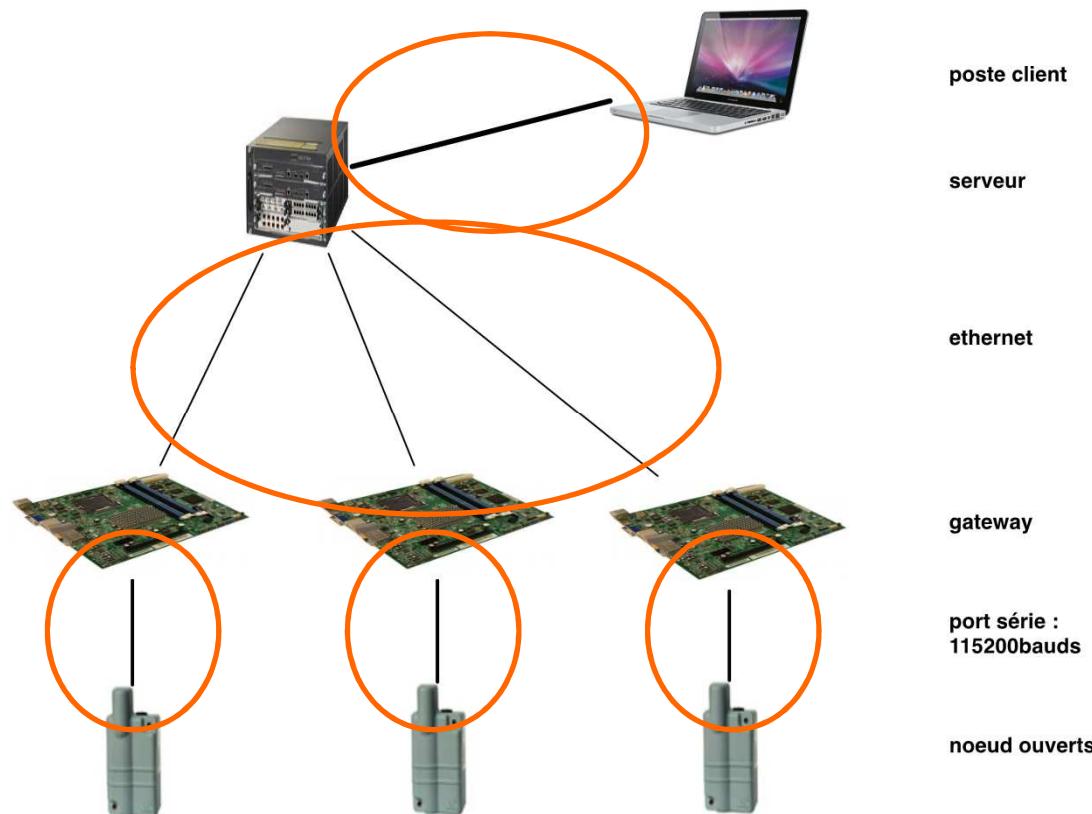
Modéliser les noeuds



- informations utiles ?
- instrumentation code



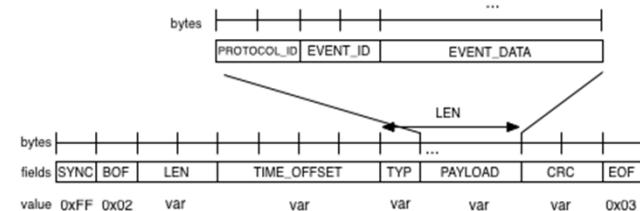
Exemple 2 : usage d'outils standards



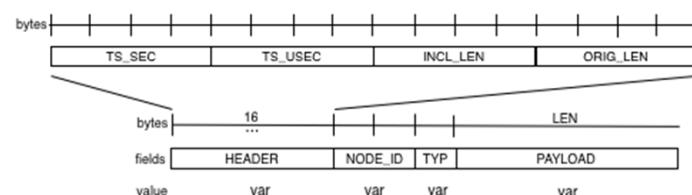
- quel format de log ?
- quels outils d'analyse ?

Usage d'outils standard

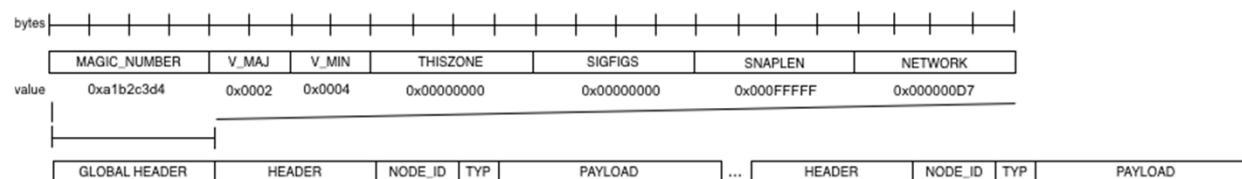
noeud ouvert à passerelle



passerelle à serveur

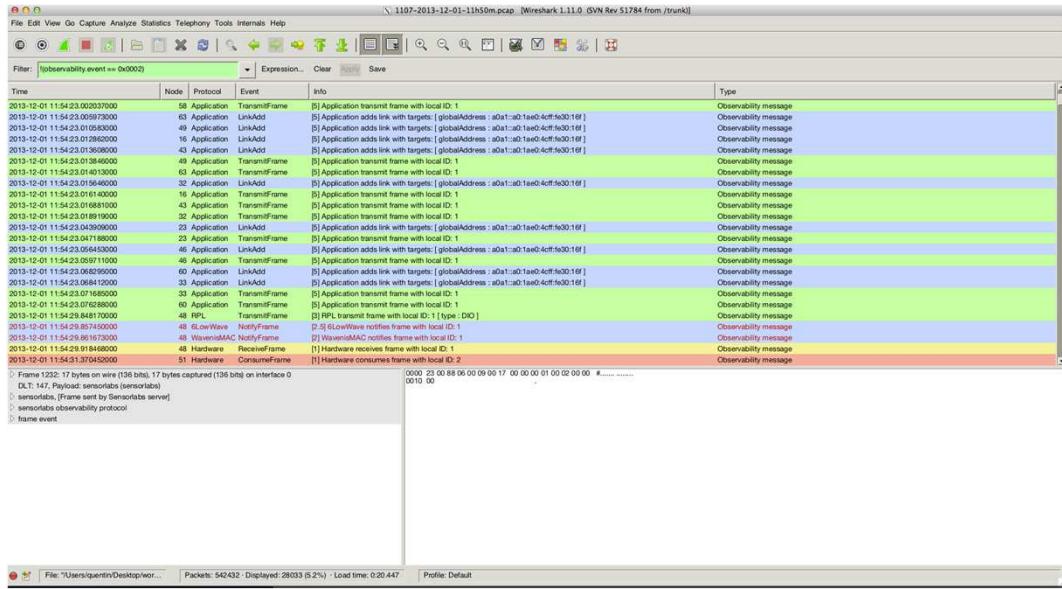


serveur à poste client



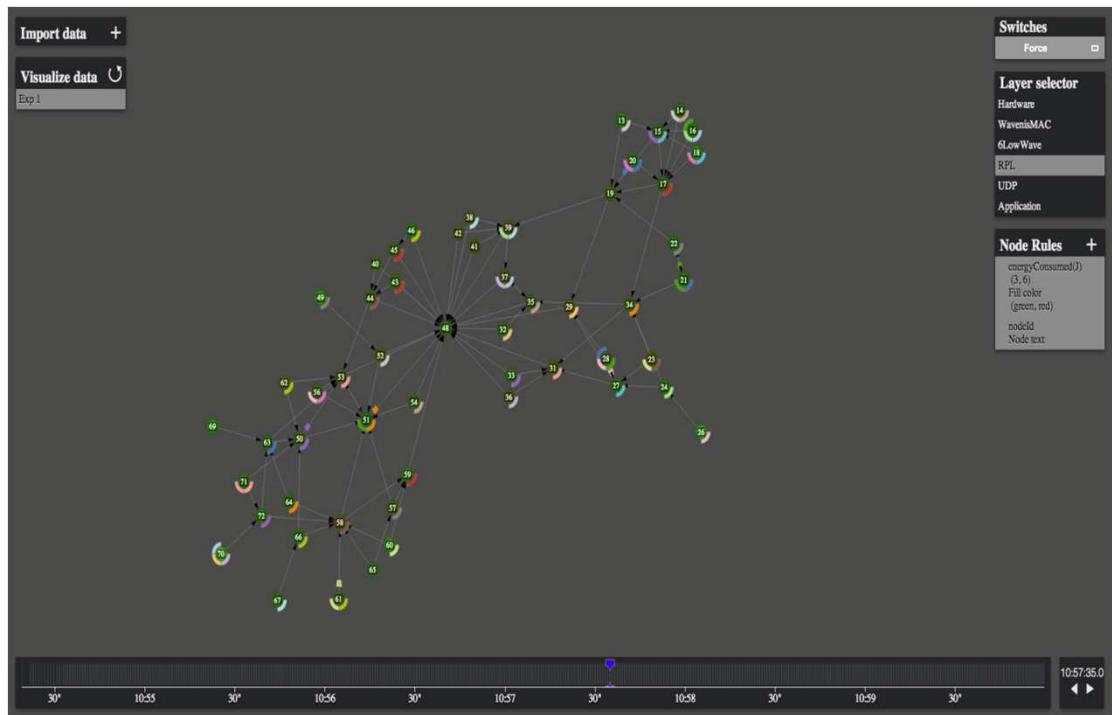
- format de log PCAP

Usage d'outils standard



- outil de capture et d'analyse Wireshark
 - nombreux protocoles supportés
 - notamment IPv6
- dissectors, taps et personnalisation

Usage d'outils standard



- outil de visualisation
 - développé en interne
 - basé sur librairie standard D3.js

Démo

Part 3: evolutions

Hardware evolution

- replace Coronis module by
 - newer radios: aim for 15.4 e radio to start with, k/g next
 - flexible interface (USB) + supply shunt resistor ?
- replace gateway computer board?
 - our Pragmatec board too little-known
- re-use IoT-Lab gateway?

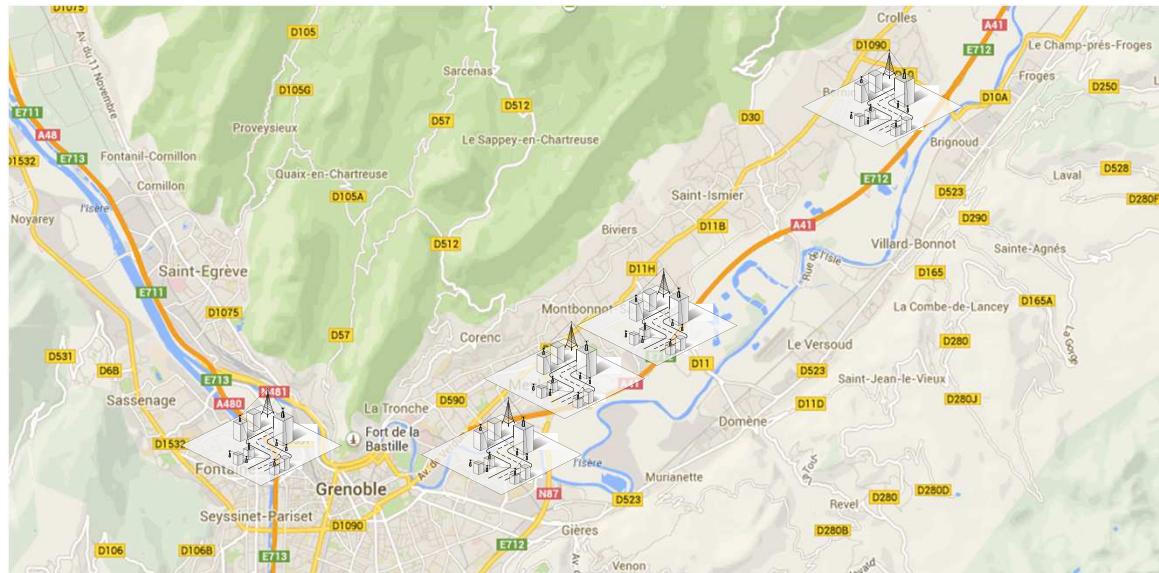


Software evolution

- leverage our observability tool chain
 - improve network analysis tools
- improve our graphical visualization tool
 - scalability in node number, event number
 - visualization modalities

Team-up with other users

- share best practices, create local expertise center
- collaborative development, maintenance
- multi-site platform (Crolles, Montbonnot, Meylan, SMH, Grenoble)
 - long range radio network validation



Questions ?

