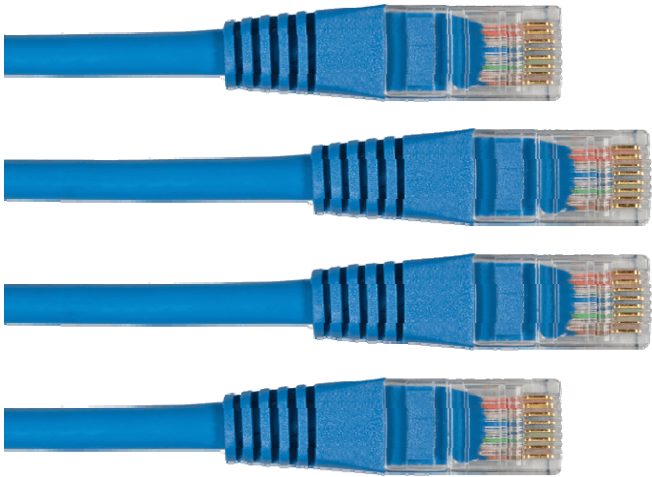


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# Smart, Connected = Intelligent Lighting

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It is not a lighting control system.

It is a sensor network and operating system that enables applications far beyond light.





# Value for people and for building management

Seamlessly improves the comfort, satisfaction, and productivity of **people** where they work, study, and heal

Increases the value, security, and operating efficiency of **buildings**





# Sensors on every luminaire



Sensors on every  
light harvest rich  
data

That is  
communicated over  
the network

To enable valuable  
software  
applications and  
services

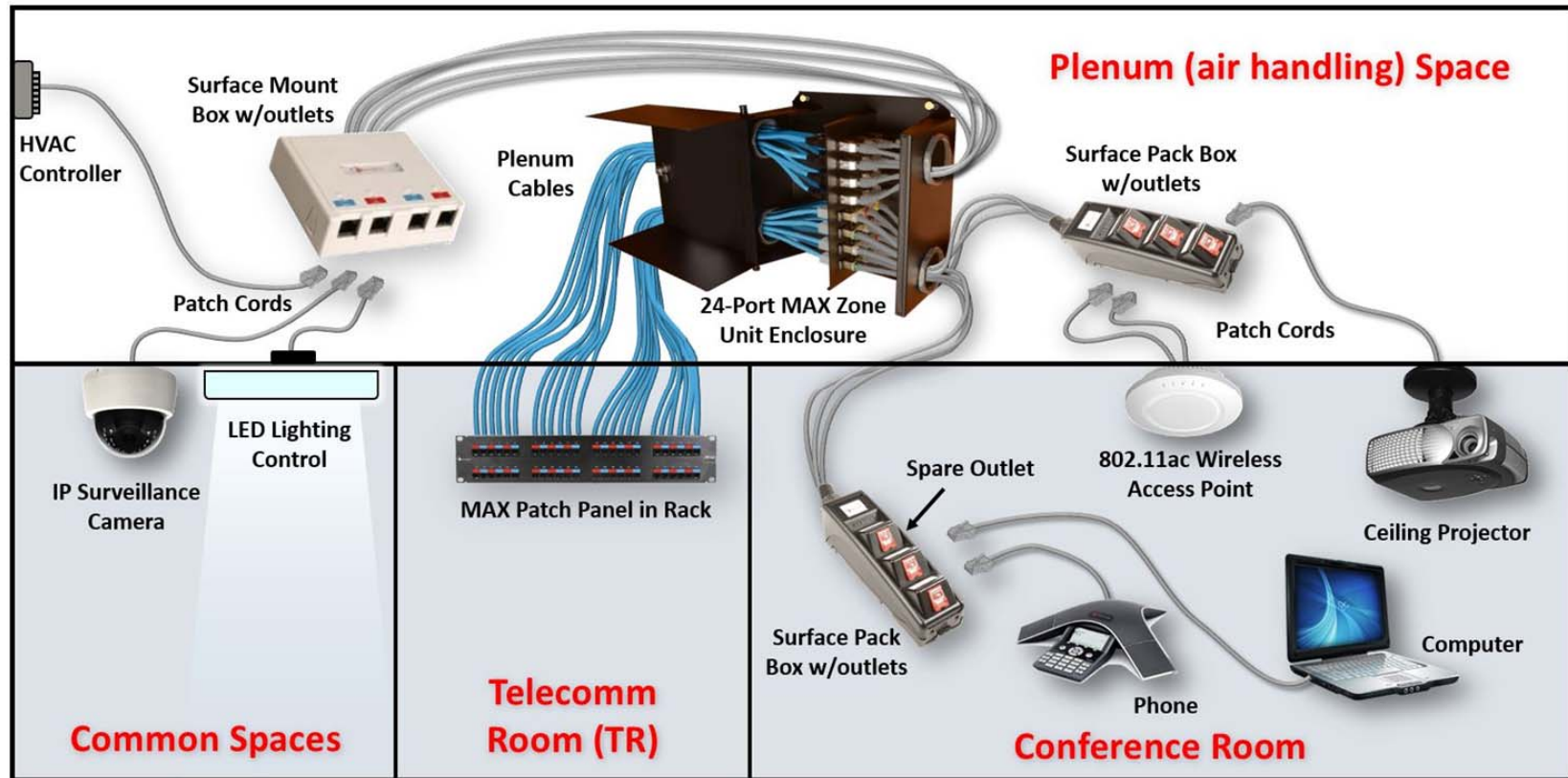
# What we will cover today

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- Why Power over Ethernet (PoE) for lighting?
- System Overview
- Use Cases
- Considerations



# We are already living in a PoE World



## 6 Trends Driving Lighting on PoE

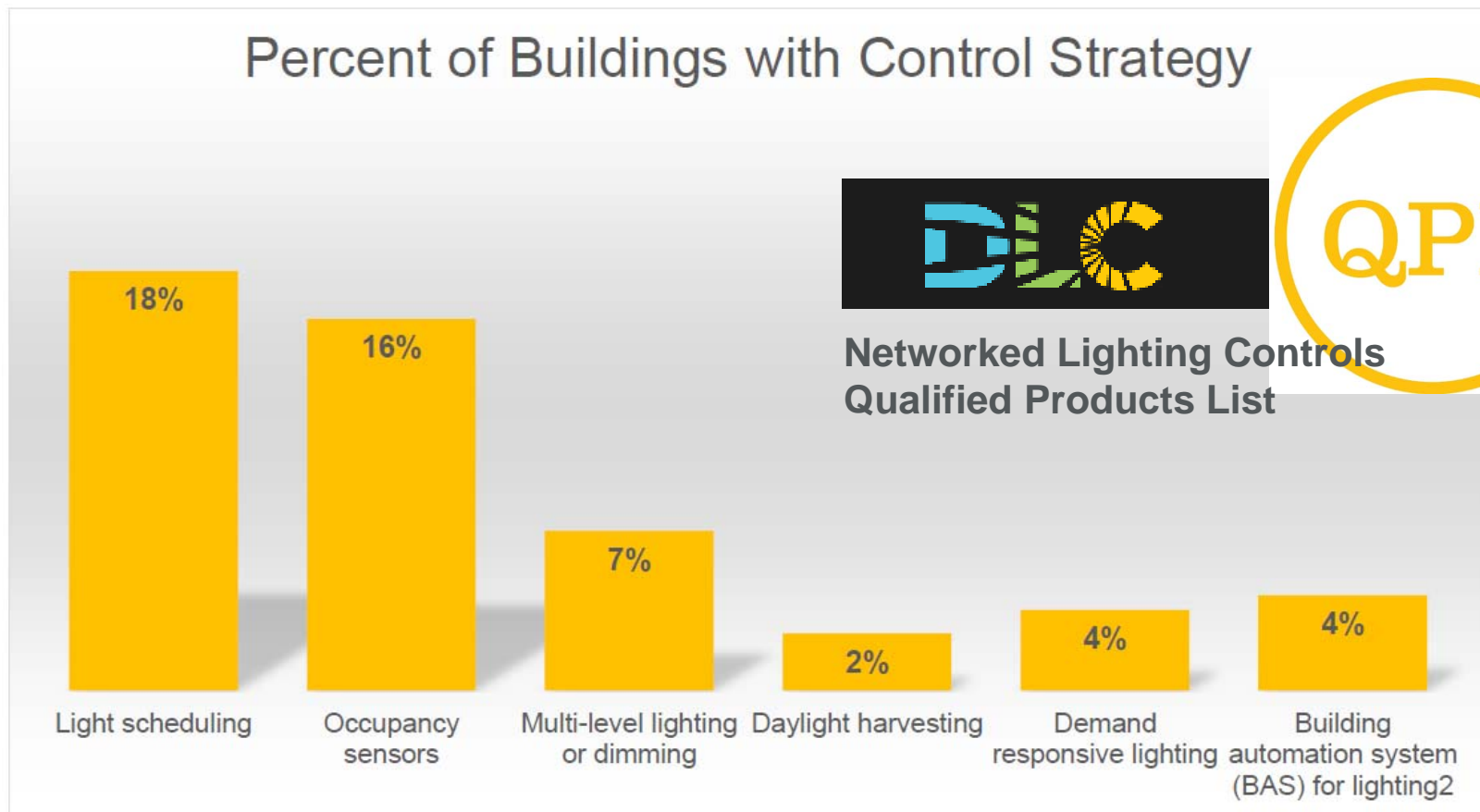
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1. Energy Codes
2. Sensors
3. Improvements in LED Technology
4. Evolution of PoE Technology
5. Software Systems/Big Data Analytics
6. Building Systems Converging onto IP Network





# Trend #1 Energy Codes Requiring Advanced Controls



Source: 2012 Commercial Buildings Energy Consumption Survey, US Energy Information Administration





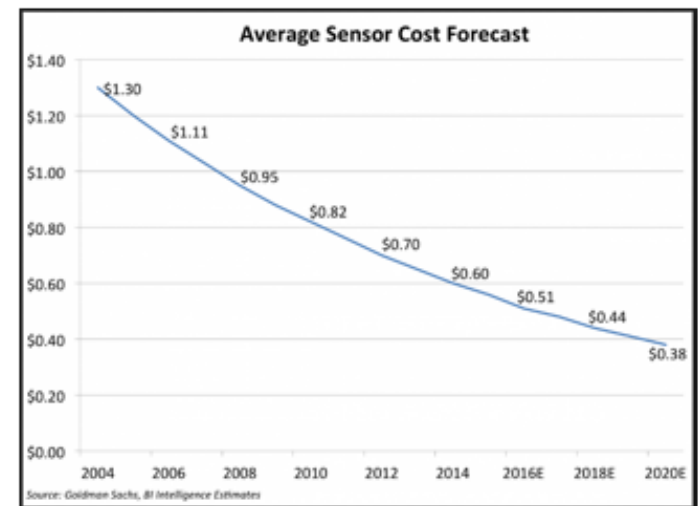
# Trend #2 From Sensor Scarcity to Sensor Abundance

Traditional Lighting Control Schemes Rely on Few Precision Sensors



Today's More Intelligent Control Lighting Systems Simplify Things by Using Lots of Sensors

Smartphone Analogy – Sensors Today are Abundant and Affordable



# The Digital Luminaire: Light plus data



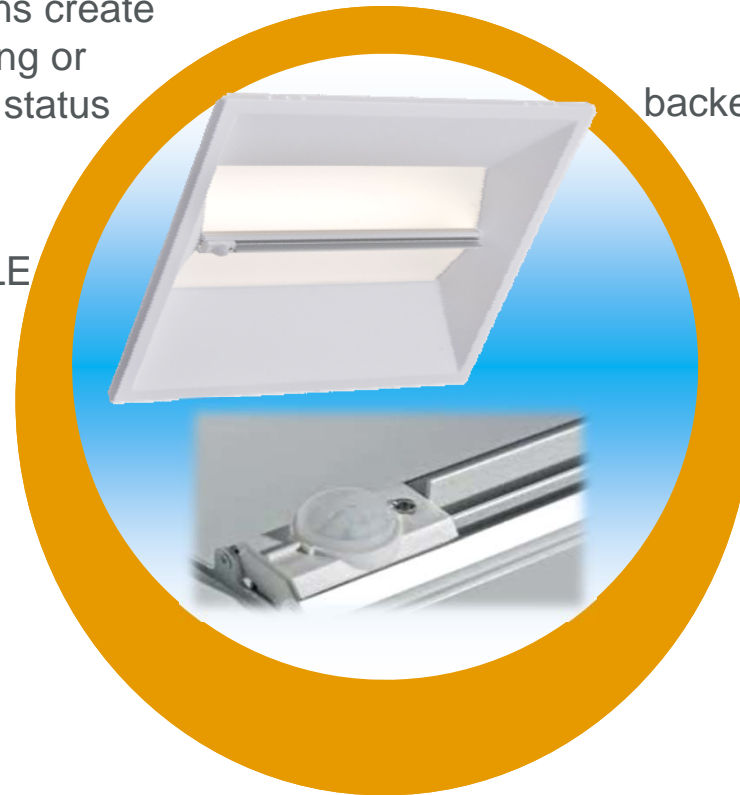
Colour beacons create pathway lighting or indicate room status



Integrated BTLE for nearby devices



Integrated Speaker modules



Any light can be backed up with a UPS



Integrated CO2 and other gas or particle sensors

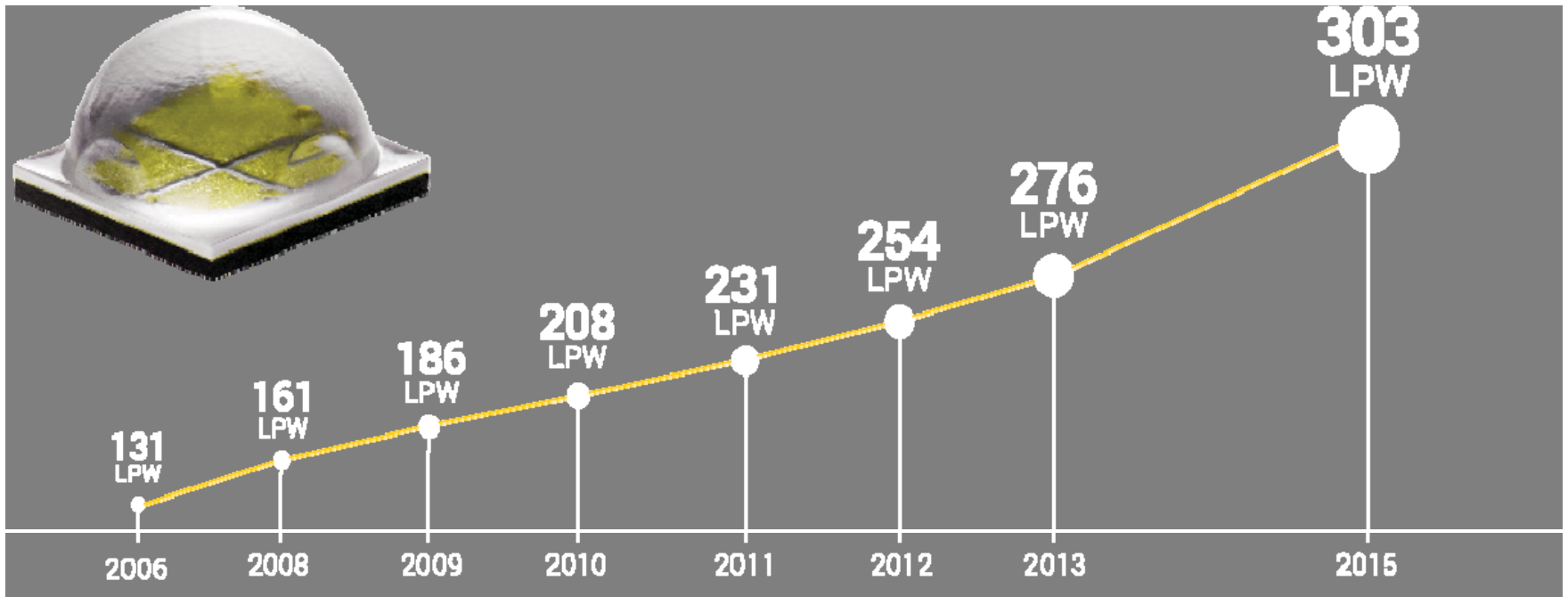


LiFi to data streaming applications



**Lighting provides strategic ceiling placement for advanced sensing technologies and other devices**

# Trend #3 LED lighting's improved efficacy & lower cost



**~ 75% Price Reduction from 2007 – 2017 for Similar or Better Performance**



**DLC QPL Premium Troffer LPW Requirement = 125 LPW**

**DLC QPL Standard Troffer LPW Requirement = 100 LPW**

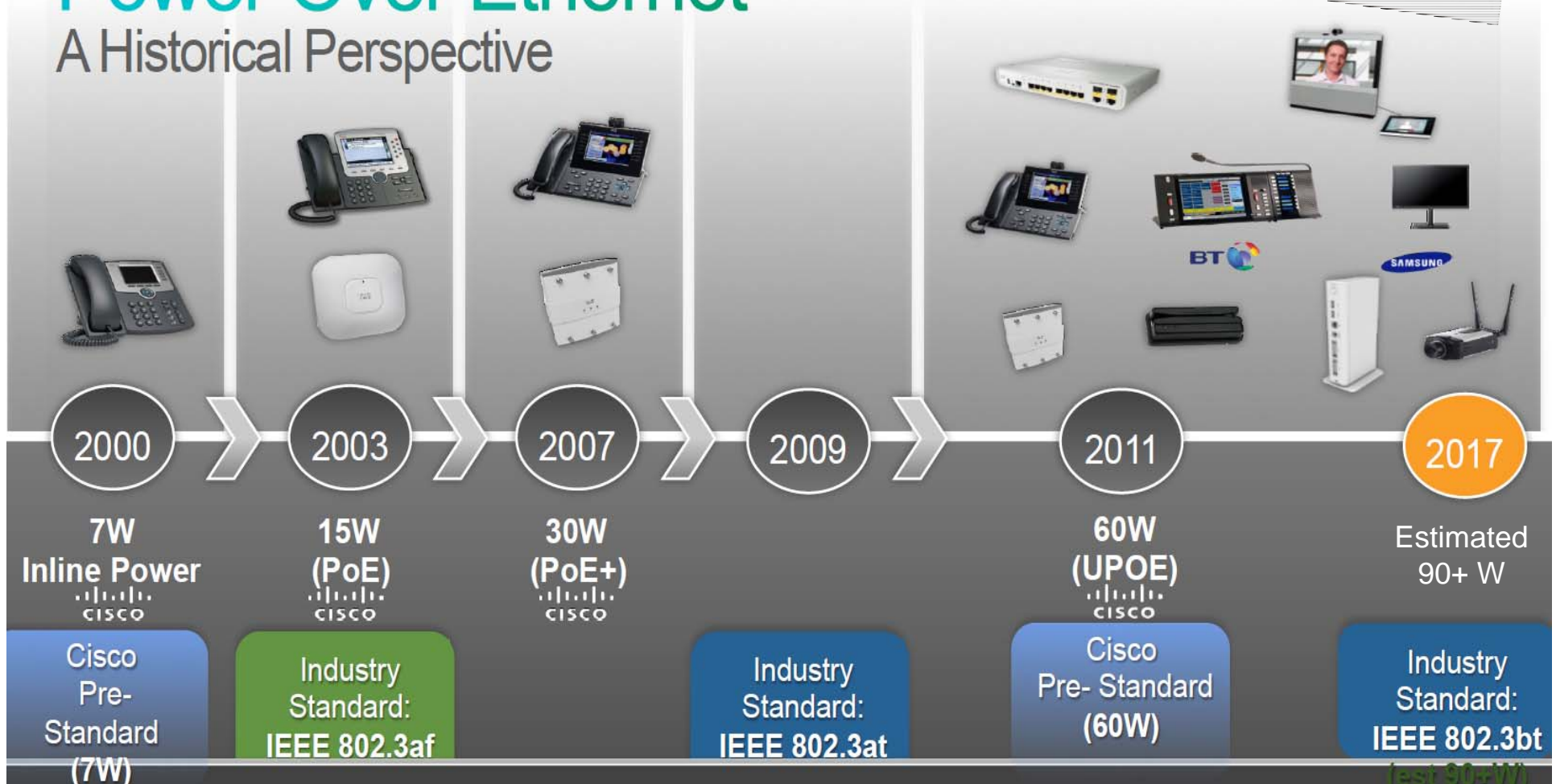




# Trend #4 Evolution of PoE Current Density

## Power Over Ethernet

A Historical Perspective

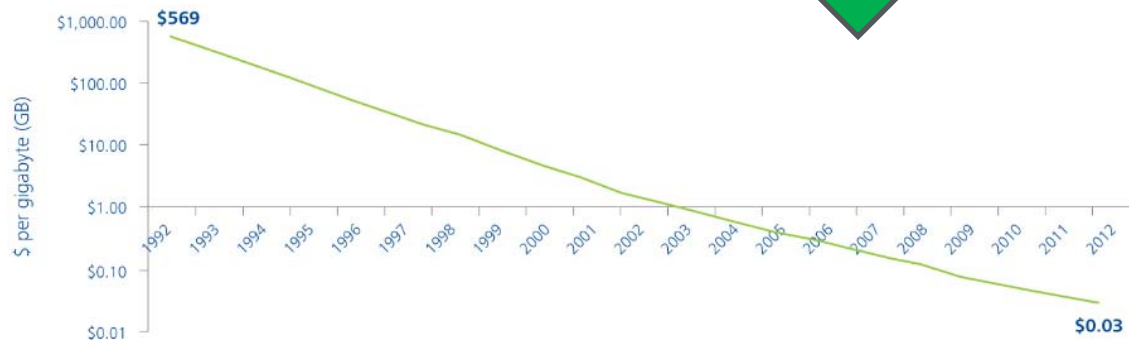
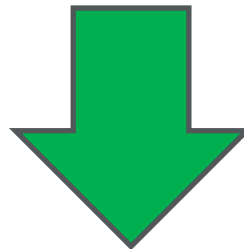


**We can now power LED luminaires with PoE**

# Trend #5 Software Systems and *Big Data* Analytics

Increased Data Storage Capacity

Increased Computing Power

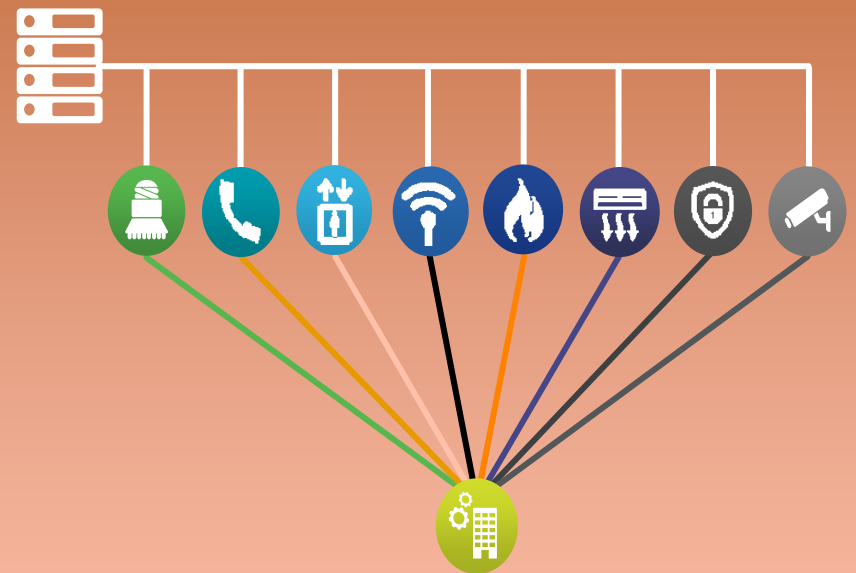


# Trend #6 Building Systems Converging onto IP Network

Separate Building System Networks



Single Converged IP Network & Media



Simplified Management, Lower Cost

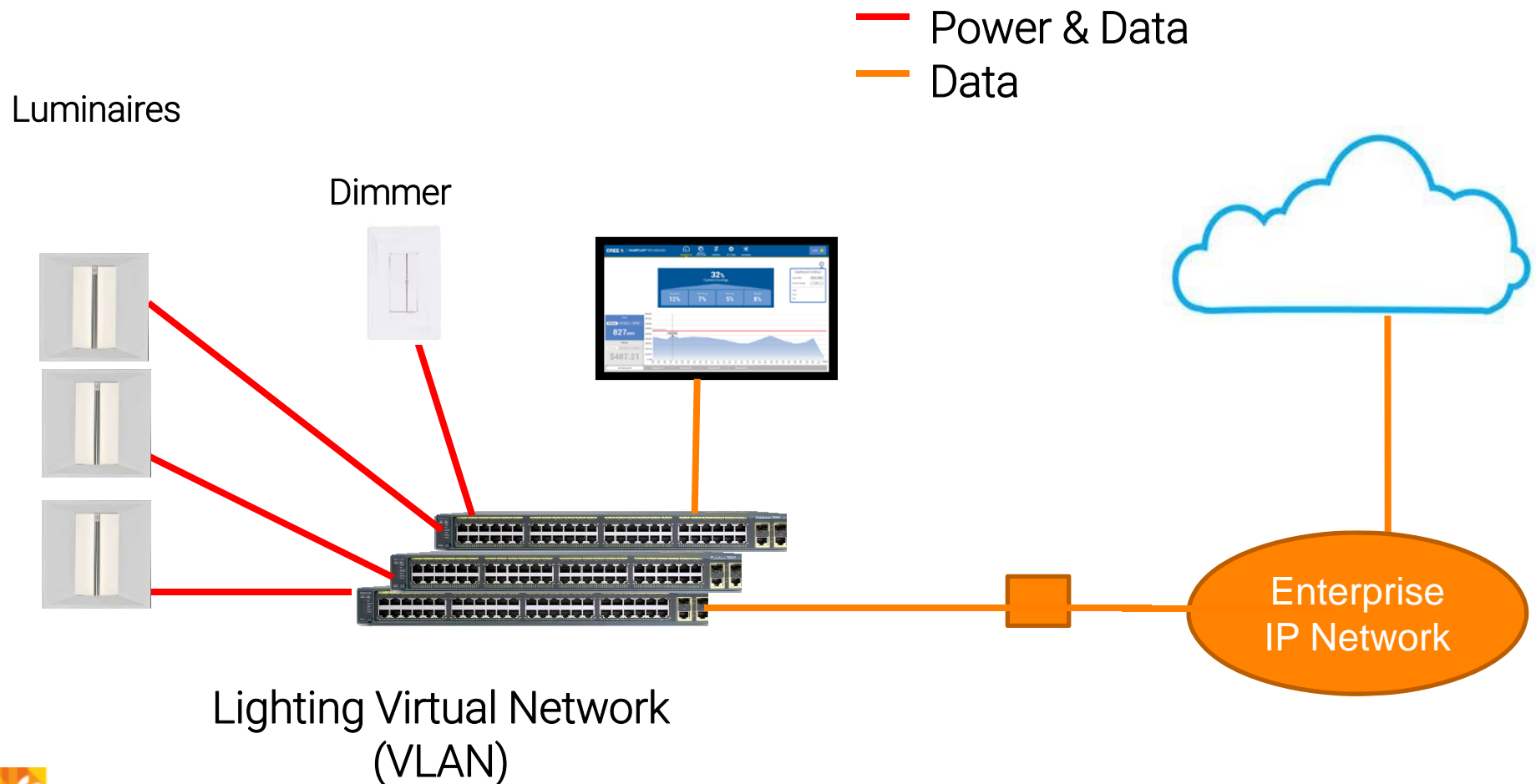


# Why lighting is so valuable to PoE – it's everywhere

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# Example PoE System Overview



## Use Cases: Where it's being used and why



Offices



Schools



Healthcare





## Business Analytics



Analyze Traffic Patterns

Reallocate Space

Improve Security

Workspace Optimization with Presence Sensors

# The 3 – 30 – 300 Rule



Enhance  
User  
Experience

Lower  
Total Costs

Enable  
Business  
Analytics

How Could Enhanced User Experiences Work?



Enhance  
User  
Experience



Adapt Environment to  
Personal Preferences

Customized User Experience

Light On - Intensity and Color  
Adjusted Automatically

Room Temperature

Preset Phone & PC/Video Profile





# Intelligent Light can help you find conference rooms



Photo Credit: Serraview and Eventboard

Occupancy data may be integrated with conference room scheduling apps.



Enhance  
User  
Experience

Network-powered Building  
Systems Communicate

Sensors Detect More People

Sensors Alert HVAC  
to Pipe in More Fresh Air

Automatically Optimize  
Environment for Group Comfort



## Intelligent Lighting can help keep buildings secure

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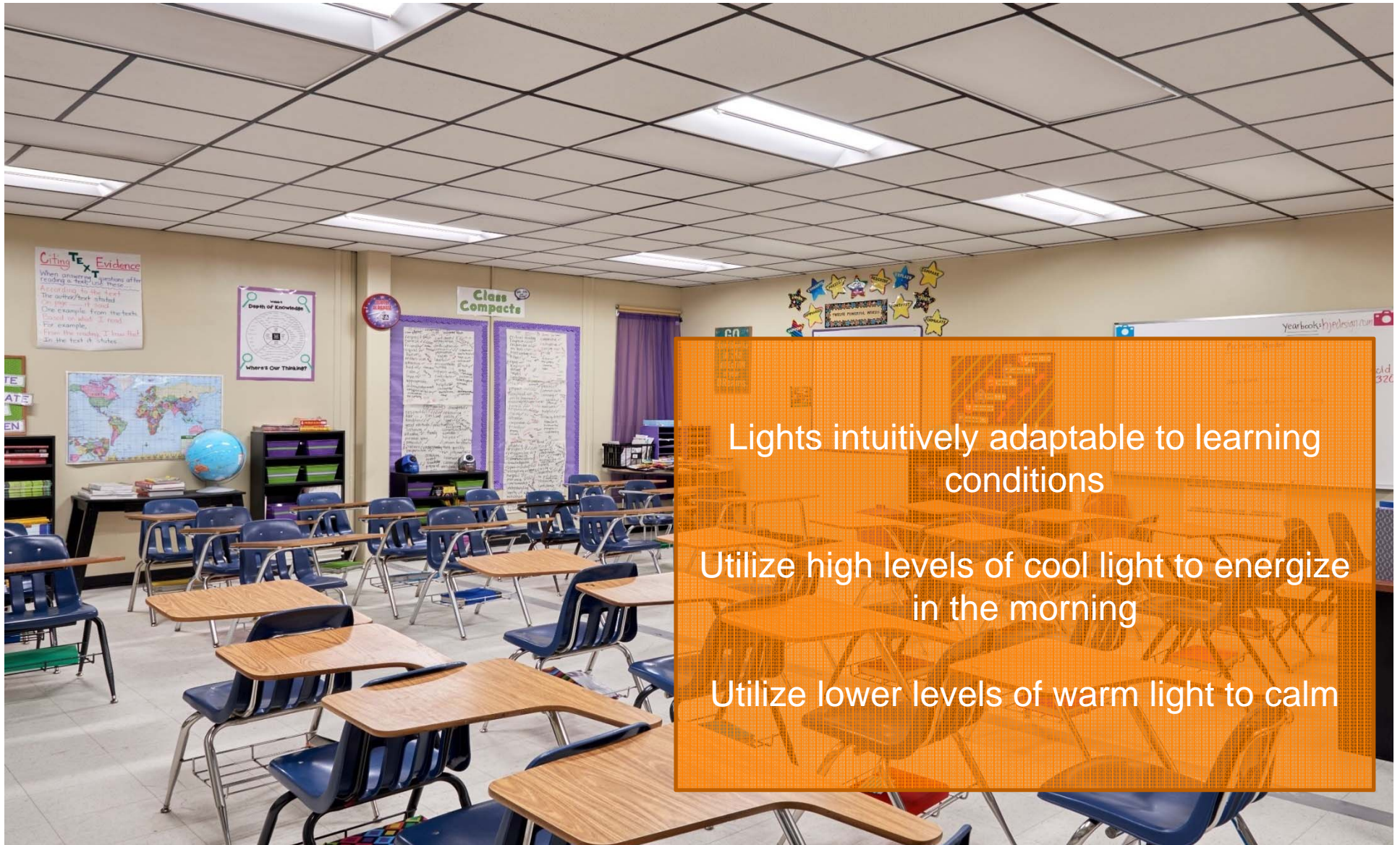
Occupancy data from PoE Lighting may be integrated with security apps to detect abnormal activity and notify security electronically or with light





# Intelligent Light can help students learn

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Lights intuitively adaptable to learning conditions

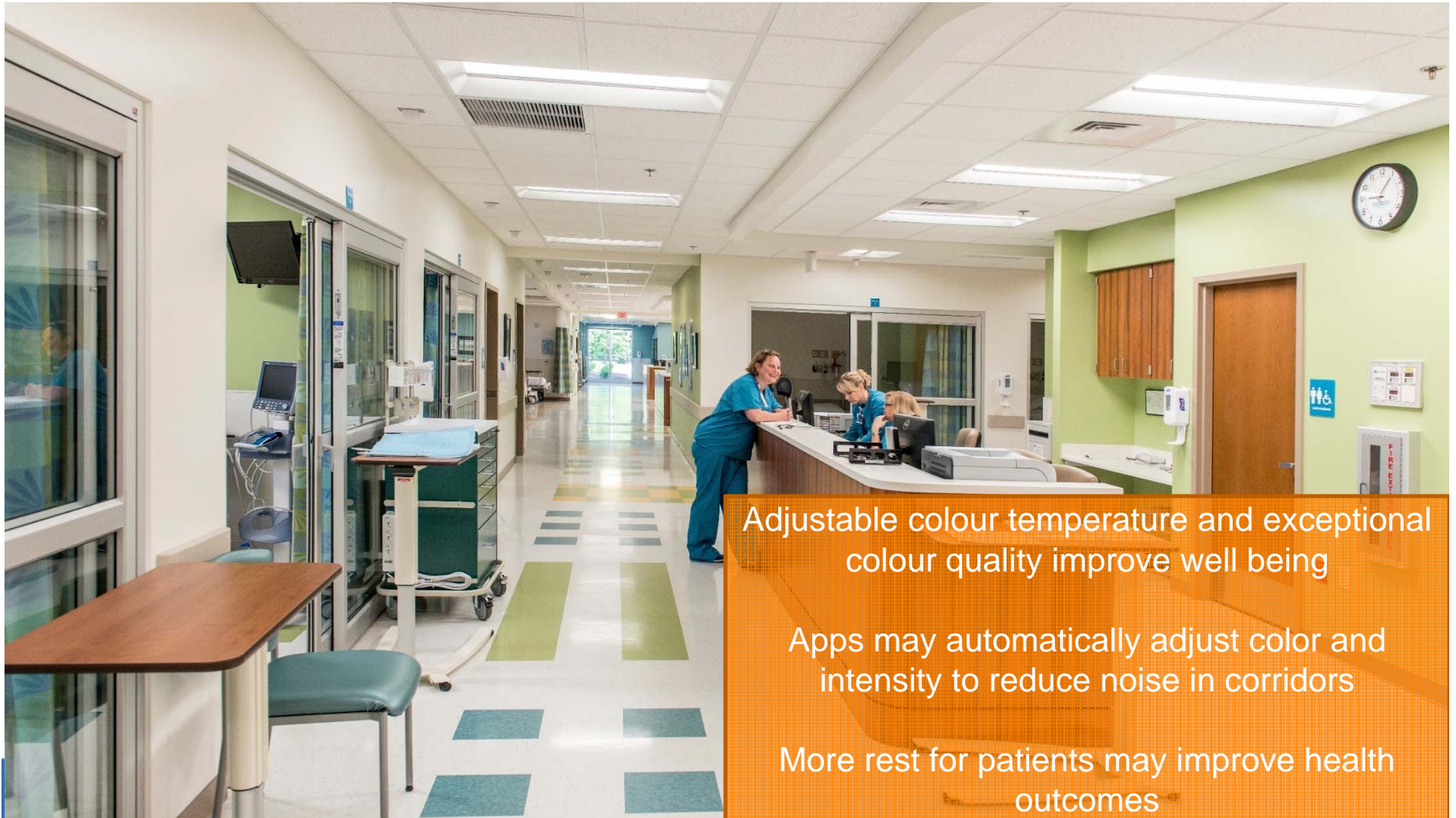
Utilize high levels of cool light to energize in the morning

Utilize lower levels of warm light to calm



# Intelligent Light can improve the patient and staff experience

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Adjustable colour temperature and exceptional colour quality improve well being

Apps may automatically adjust color and intensity to reduce noise in corridors

More rest for patients may improve health outcomes

# Considerations

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1. New construction or deep retrofit
2. Sensor integration, one per luminaire
3. Secure – validated designs
4. IT and Facility teams
5. Open API (allows for third-party App's)
6. Scalability
7. Commissioning process





# **Land Rush – existing ceilings**

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- prime real estate for non-lighting companies
- interior and exterior
- fight for lighting quality – don't want the lighting to become a footnote to the data



# Intelligent Lighting is Rapidly Transforming the Lighting Industry

This transformation will be even more dramatic than the solid state lighting transformation.

Lighting is converging with IT to enable benefits WAY beyond light that make organizations more effective and profitable.



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