

Near Field Communication (NFC) and the Internet of Things (IoT) are better when they work together. Indeed, the strongest case for NFC is the way it will complement the ever-growing IoT. The simple tap-and-go operation that we see in contactless payments provides an easy way to pair two IoT devices, making it an ideal bridge between other connections like Bluetooth or Wi-Fi. Plus, the short range of NFC makes it secure from hackers. Finally, the wireless charging feature of NFC is ideal to keep one's IoT devices charged. For those reasons and many more that's why IoT and NFC are better together.

What is the Future of NFC in the Internet of Things? Why Include NFC in Your Product Plans?

The IoT refers to a network of devices that are connected to the internet and

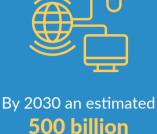
can "communicate" with each other. Such devices include consumer devices like smartphones, wearables, smart home products, as well as industrial devices. These smart connected devices are able to gather, share, and analyze information and create actions accordingly. By 2023, global spending on IoT will reach 1.1 trillion U.S. dollars. (Statista)



15 connected devices.

planet will have an average of





IoT-enabled devices

will be in circulation. (Cisco)

In 2020, the industrial IoT market reached \$77.3 billion.



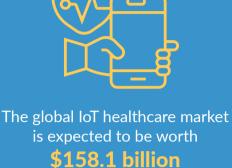
supporting increased public transportation ridership and reducing traffic. NFC is expected to become

mobility-as-a-service applications aimed at

Together, NFC and IoT will enable



being connected every minute by 2025, NFC will be critical in commissioning and controlling their proliferation. (IDC)



in 2022. (Market Watch, Deloitte)

Wireless charging via a

smartphone is a key IoT

application.



among the IoT, thanks to increased adoption of tags and contactless technology. (ABI Research)

more widely adopted outside

of payments, particularly

By 2050

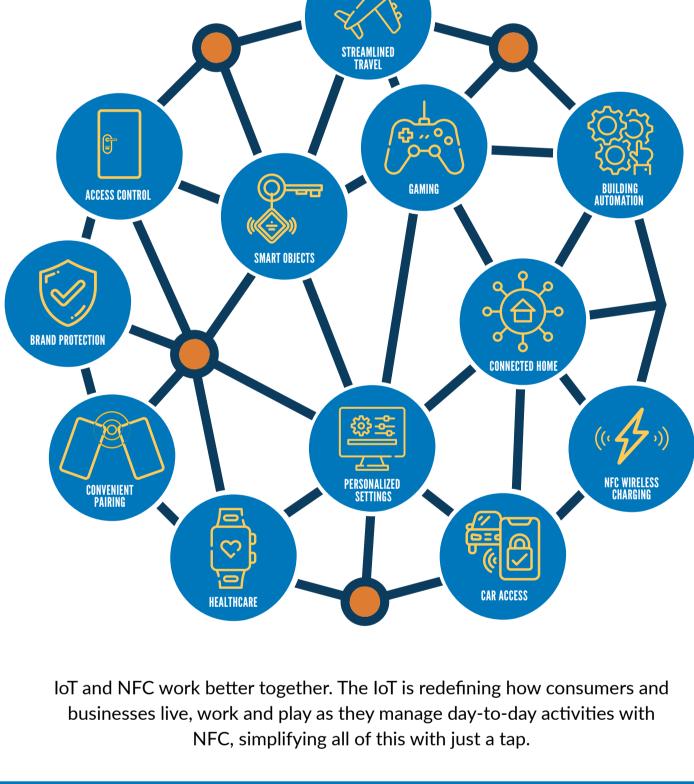


By 2025, the amount of data generated by IoT devices will reach 73.1 ZB. hailing primarily from video and security surveillance

and industrial IoT applications. (IDC)

A World of Tap and Go Experiences.

Living the NFC Contactless Lifestyle



Lifestyle for Consumers and **Businesses**

Only NFC Provides...

IoT, NFC and The Contactless

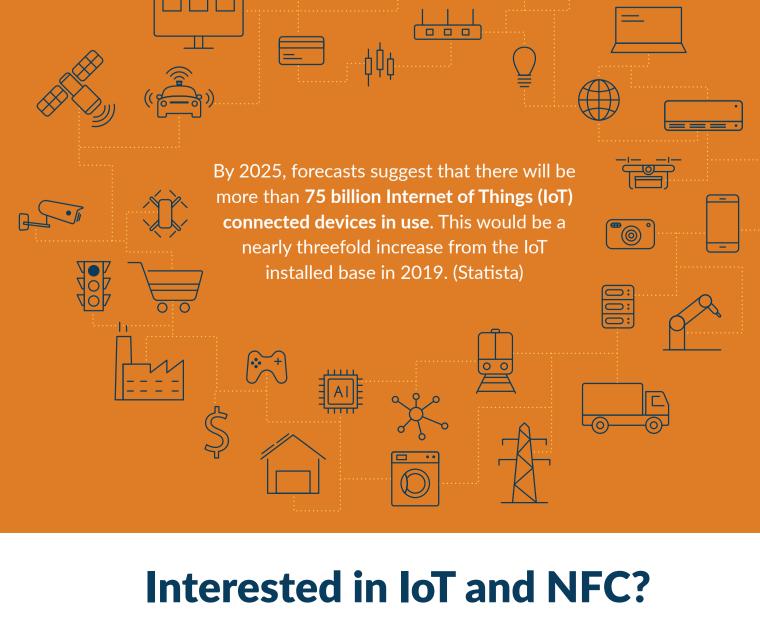
expression of intent

Ability to connect the

unconnected







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