

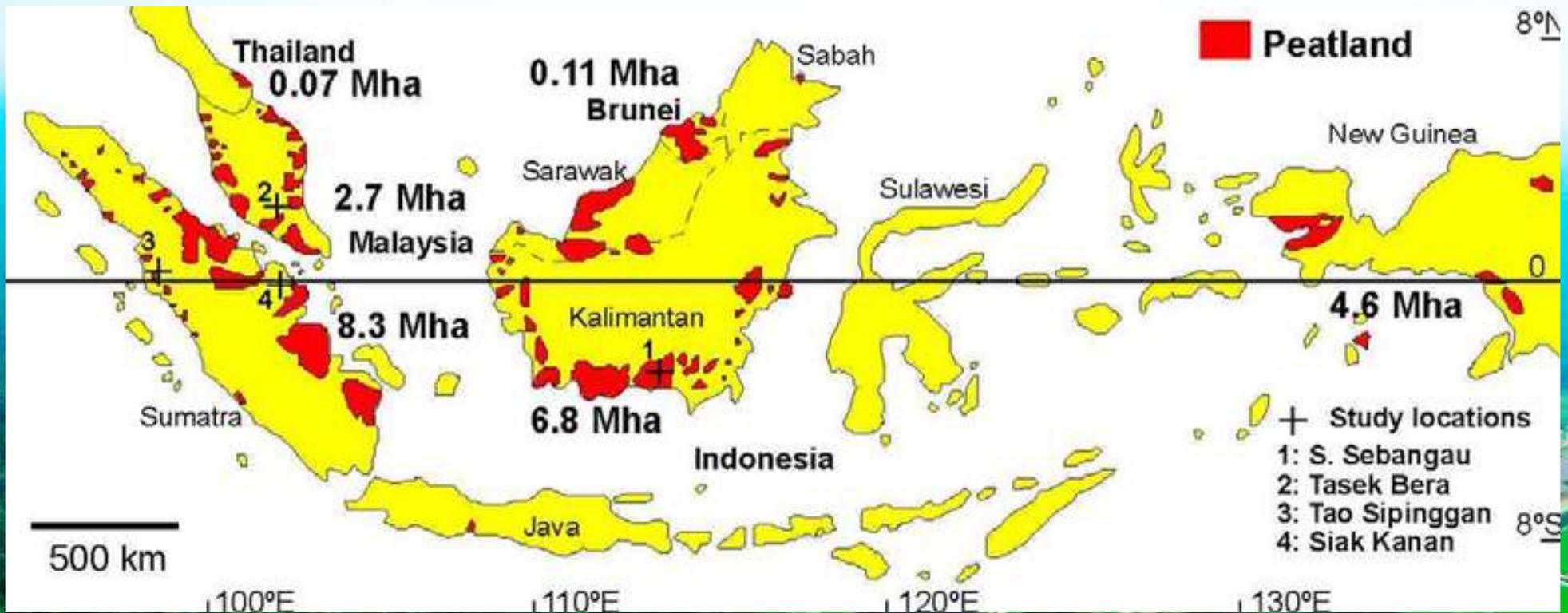
Innovation for ASEAN Peat Swamp Forest Management

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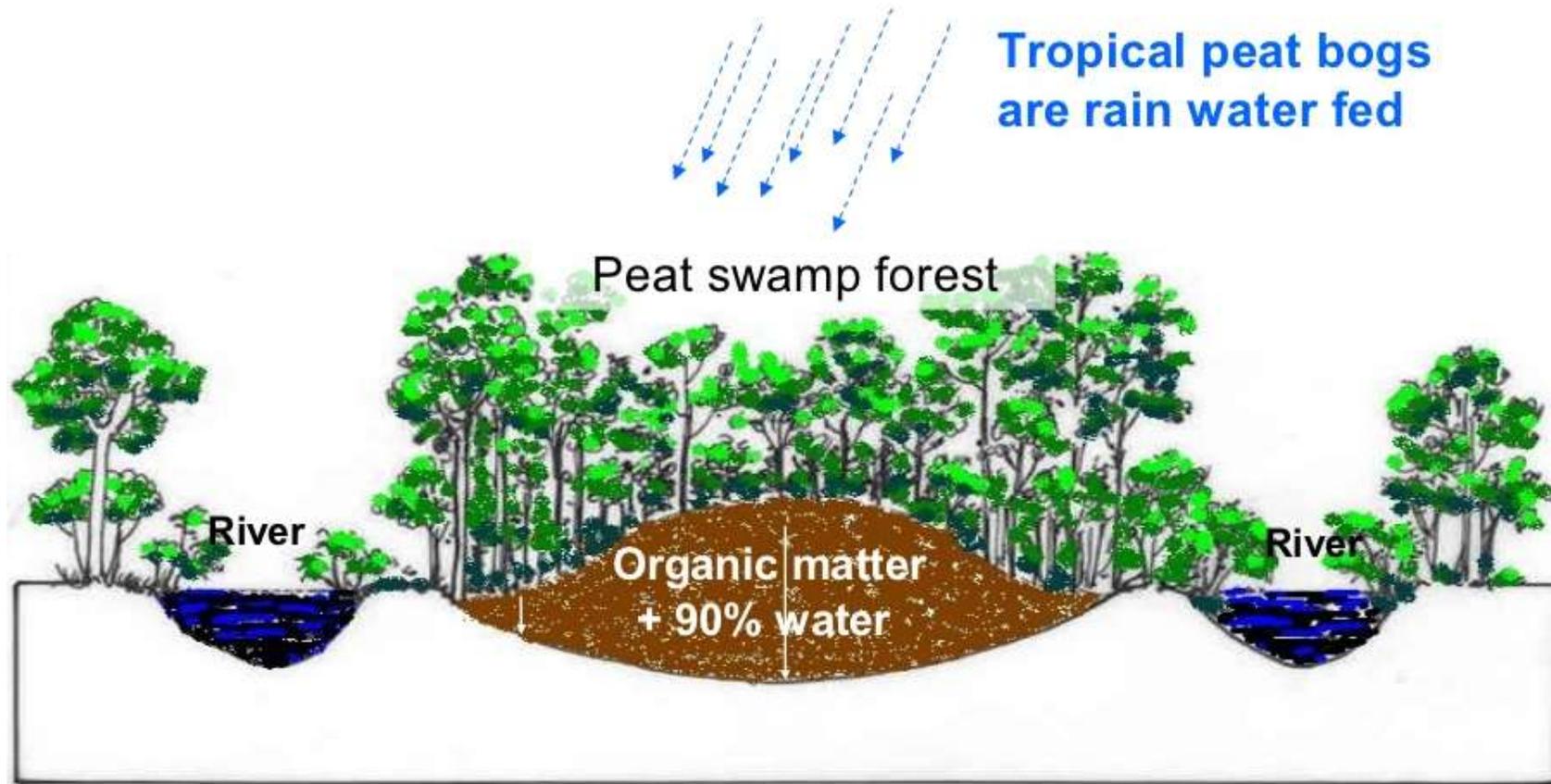
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Peatlands in Southeast Asia = 60% of the world's tropical peatlands (25 million ha)

Major peatland areas are located in Indonesia, Malaysia, Brunei, Vietnam and Thailand

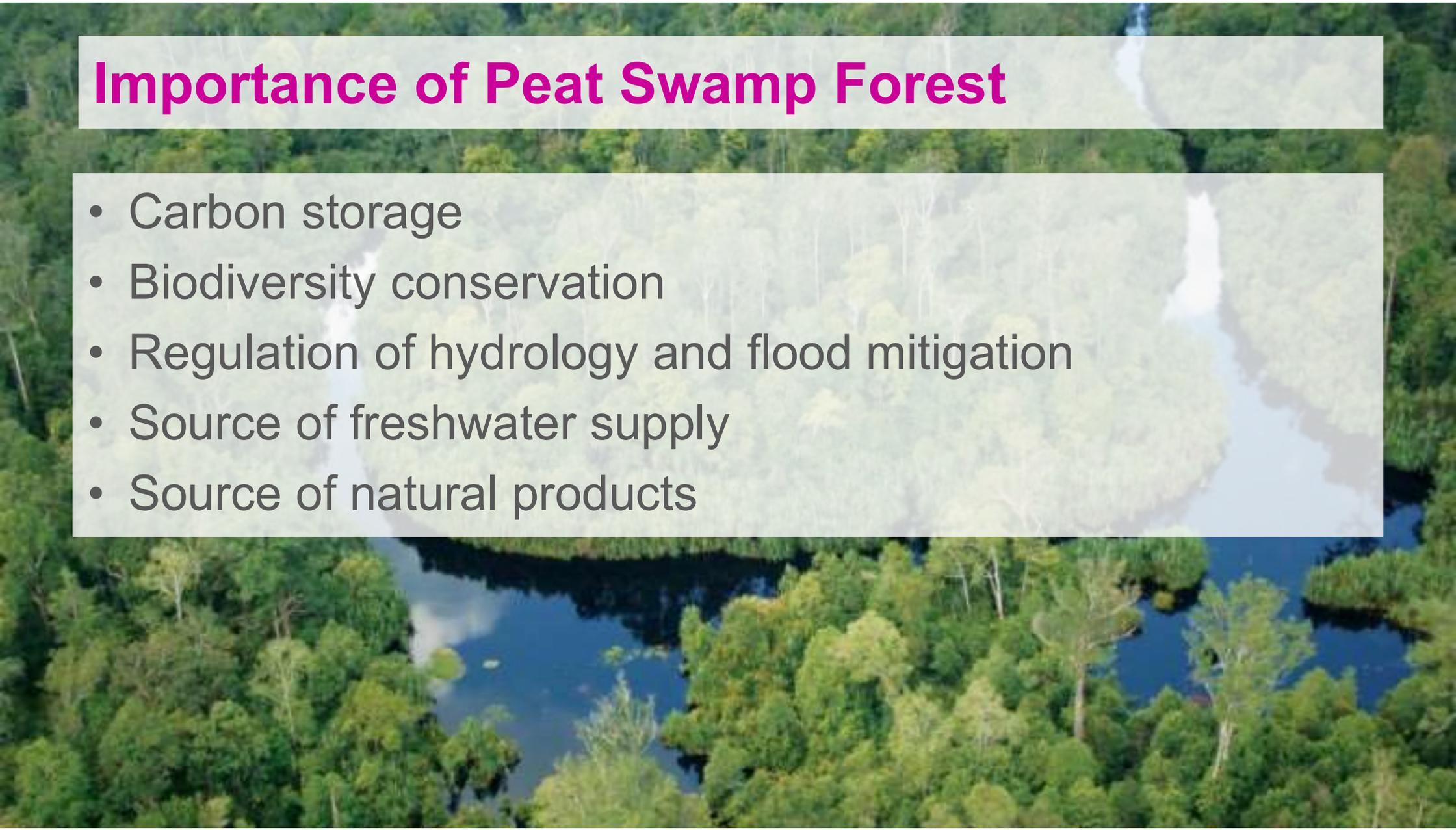
Peat Swamp Forest?



Peat = an accumulation of partially decayed vegetation or **organic matter**

Importance of Peat Swamp Forest

- Carbon storage
- Biodiversity conservation
- Regulation of hydrology and flood mitigation
- Source of freshwater supply
- Source of natural products



Project Locations



Location		
MALAYSIA	Raja Musa Forest Reserve	
VIETNAM	Ca Mau Peat Swamp	
BRUNEI	Badas Peatland	
INDONESIA	Sebangau Park	





Project Members

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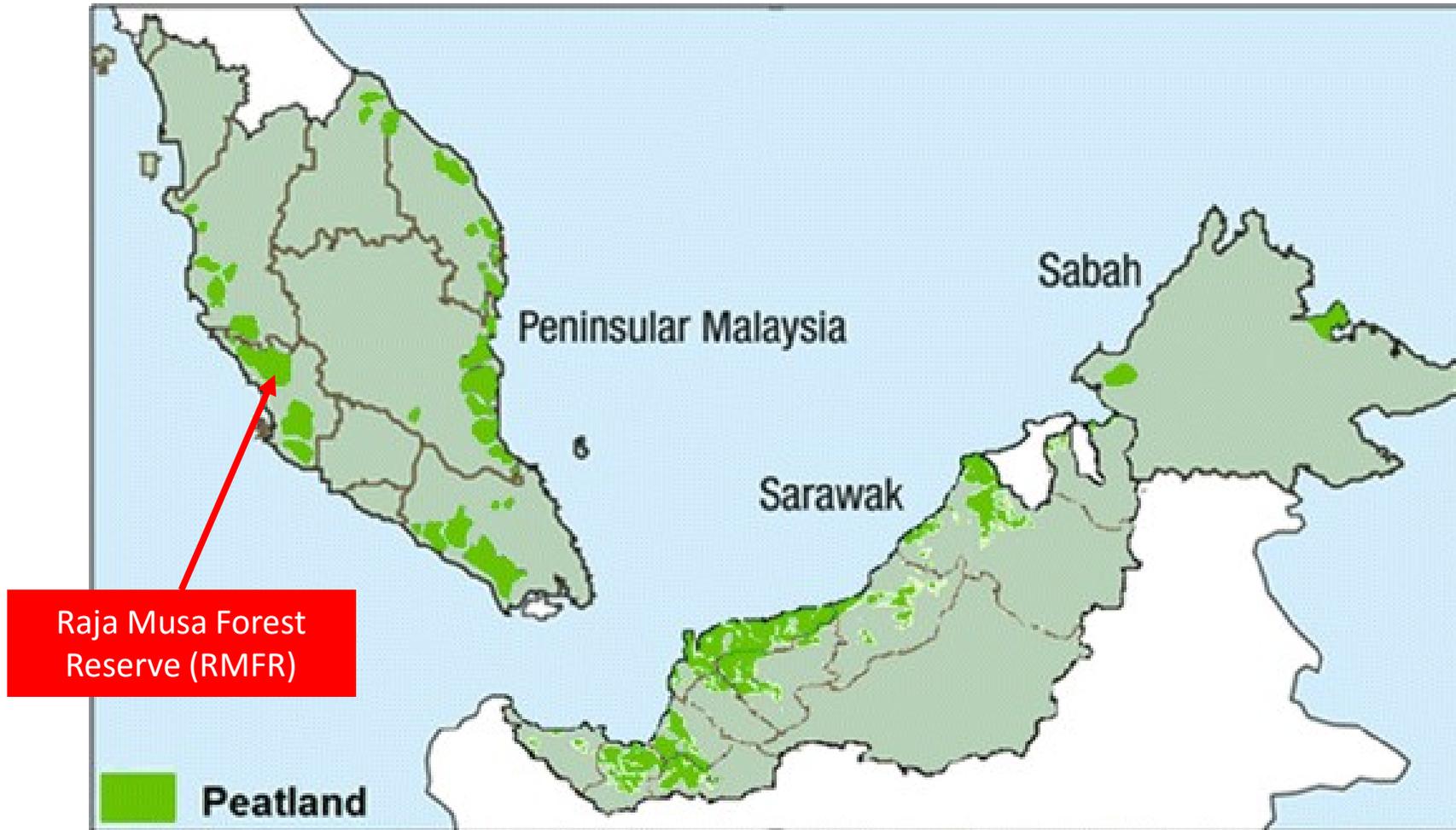




**Project Location in Malaysia:
Raja Musa Forest Reserve (RMFR)**



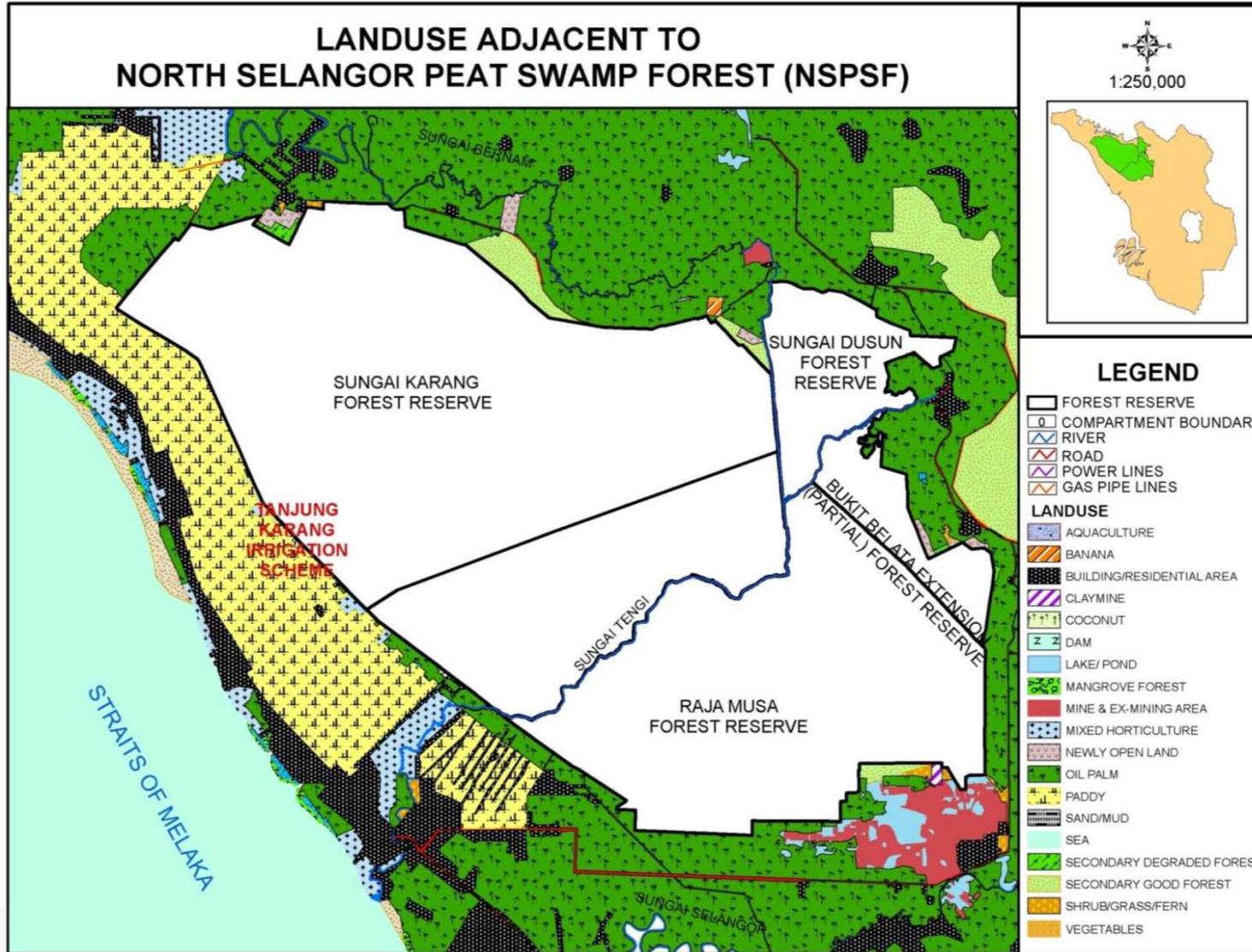
Raja Musa Forest Reserve (RMFR)



Major Issue: Forest Fire

- Frequent fires during prolonged dry spells
 - February to March and June to August
- Burning of agricultural waste outside the RMFR
- Illegal clearing for settlement, agriculture activities and other encroachment activities
- Southern part of the RMFR is directly affected by drainage and has been severely degraded by fire

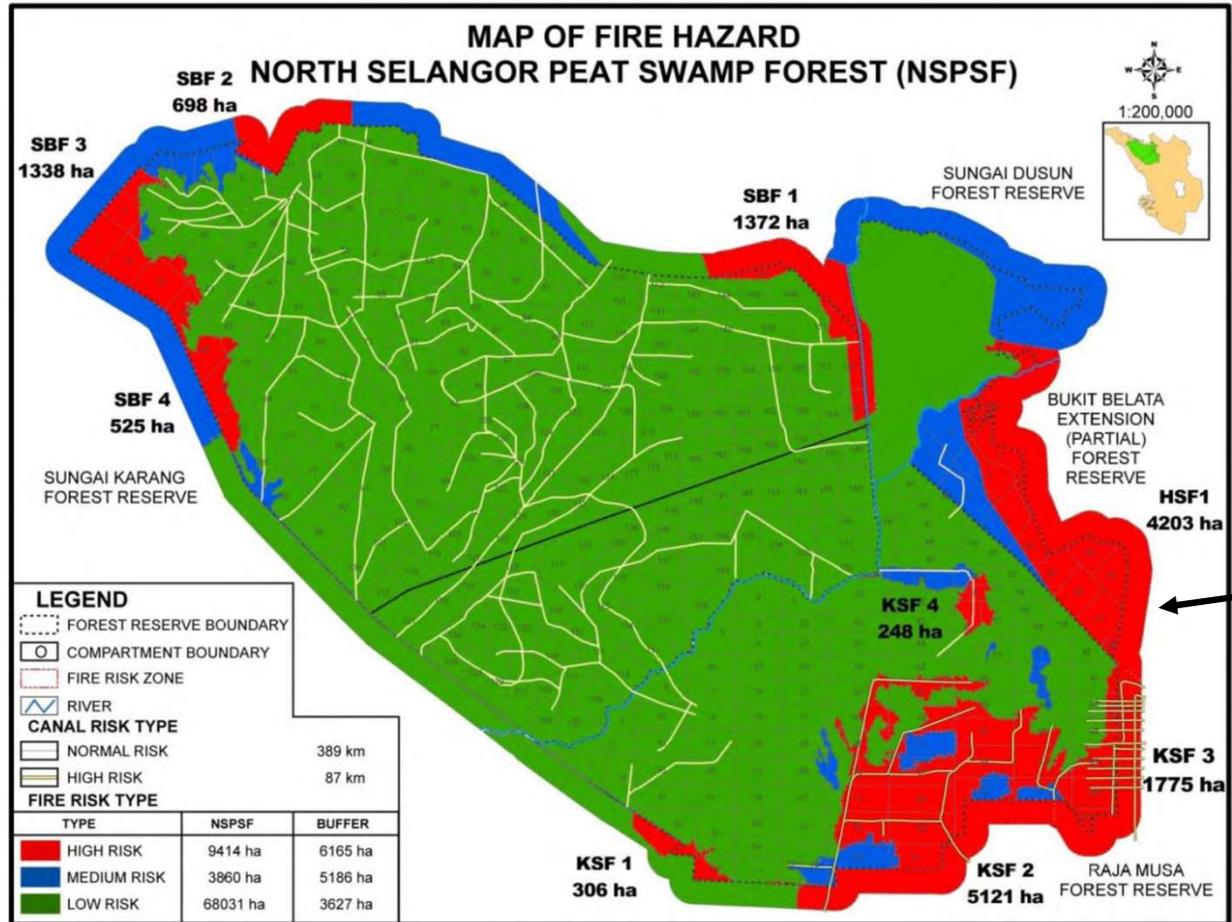
Map: Peat Swamp Forest Area



Total area = 73,592 hectares



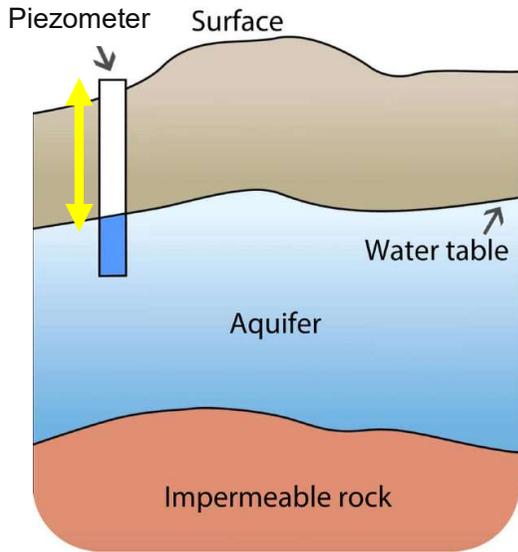
Map: Fire Hazard



Red = High Risk

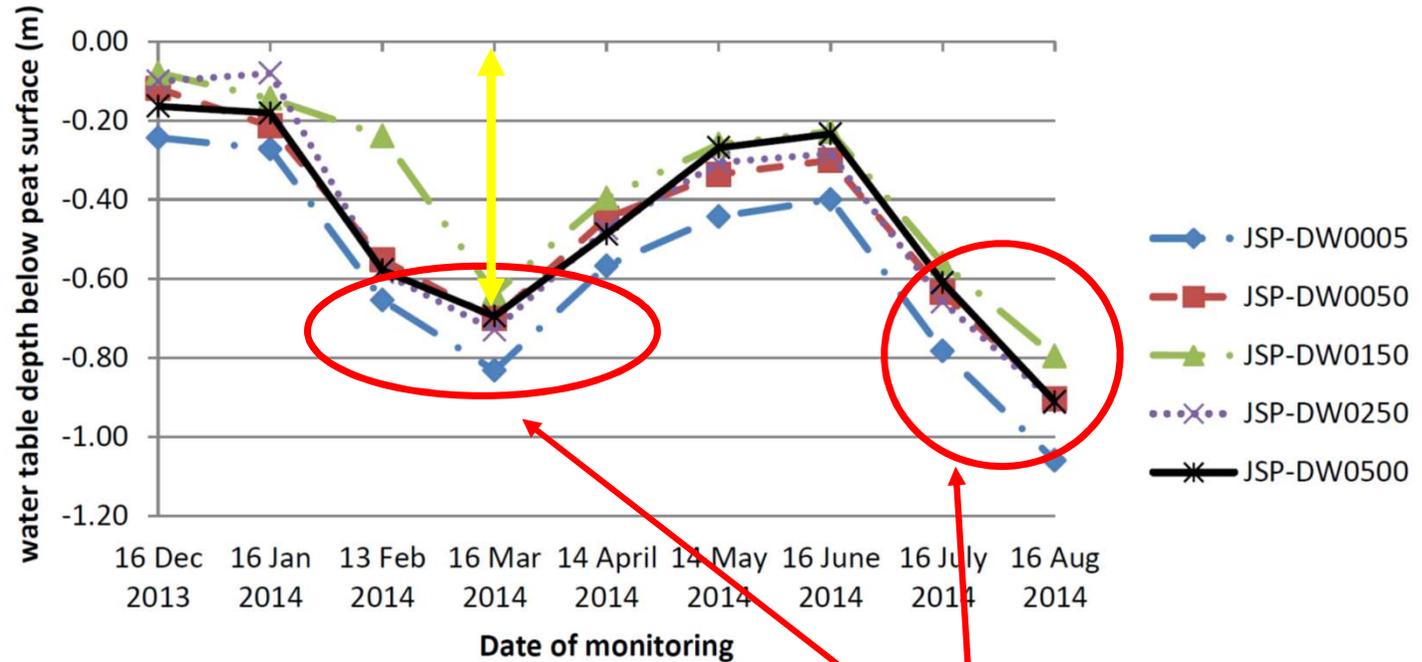


Manual Data Collection



Monitoring water table
*(level below which the ground
is saturated with water)*

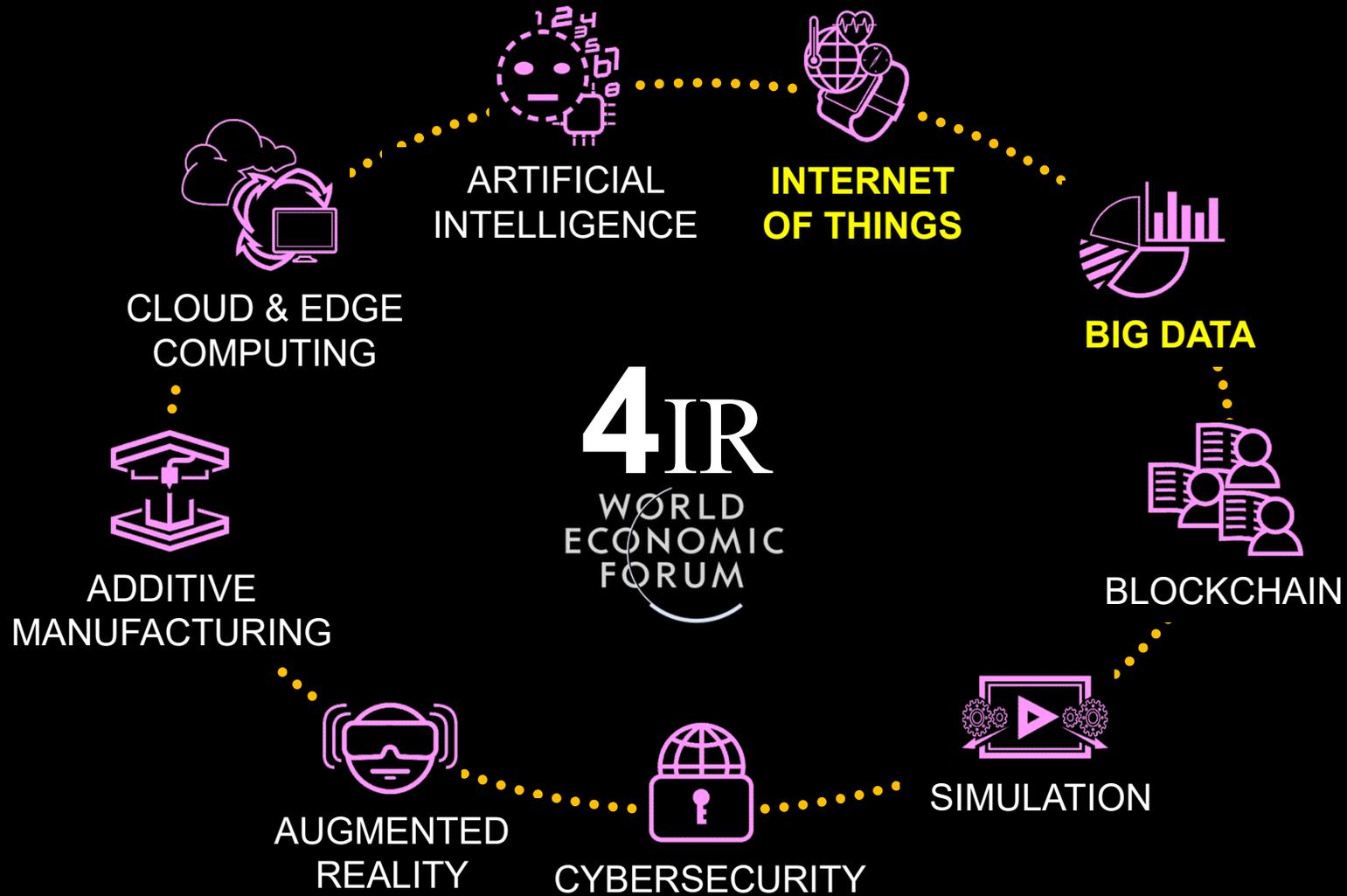
Water table depth monitoring at JSP (Jalan Sungai Panjang)



**Low water level =
high risk fire hazard!**



Key Technologies for the 4th Industrial Revolution

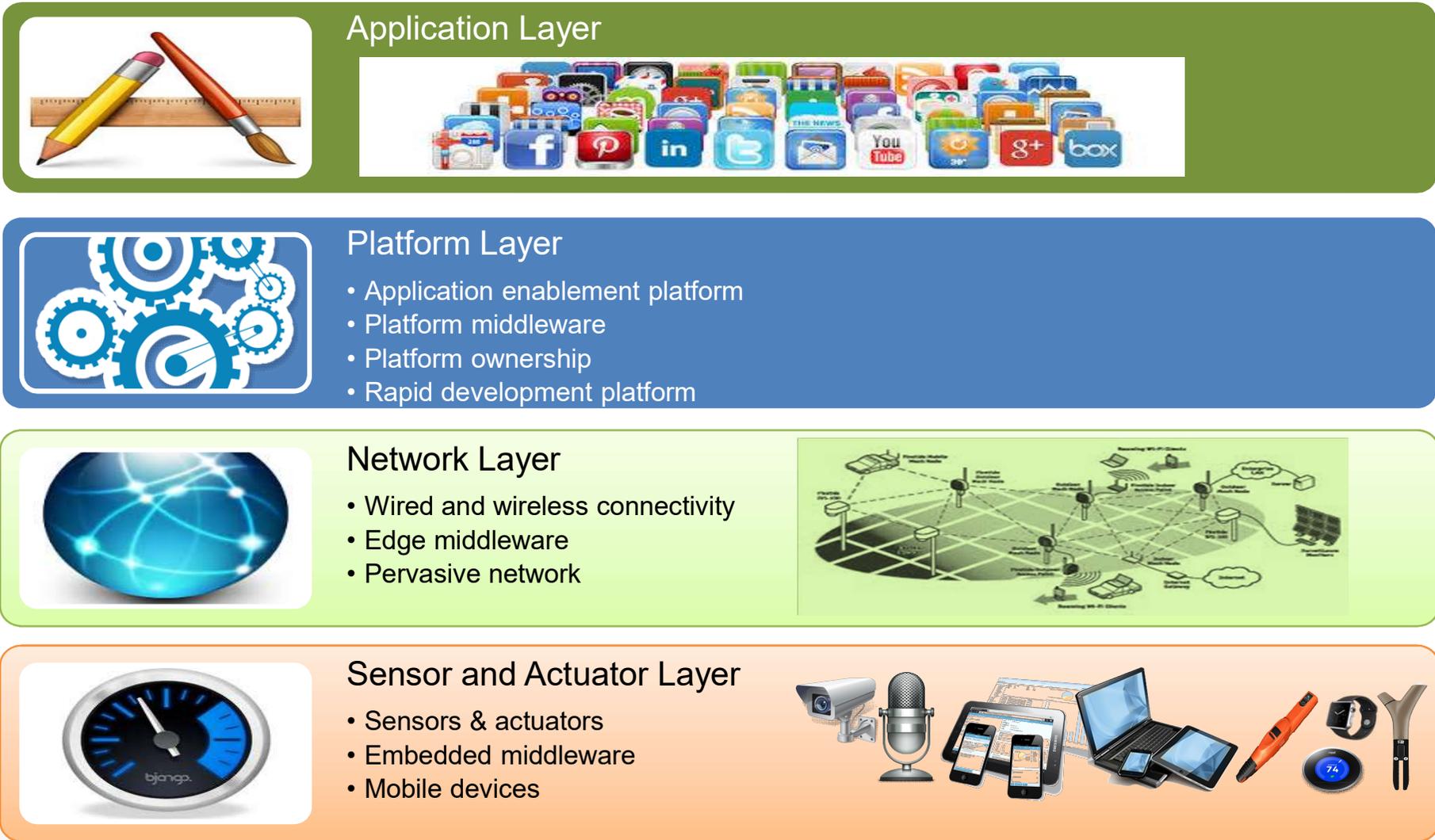




IoT Based Peat Swamp Monitoring



IoT 4 Layers Architecture



Ruler

Line Path Polygon Circle 3D path 3D polygon

Measure the distance between two points on the ground

Map Length:	12,478.00	Meters
Ground Length:	12,478.09	
Heading:	69.54	degrees

Mouse Navigation

Save Clear

HRRM_P6001 HRM_TOWER



HRMM_VWP_COE



Site A (Near CoE)

Gateway: Light intensity

Sensor: Piezometer, soil moisture, temperature

Site B (Near tower area)

Gateway: Compact weather station (wind speed, wind direction, rainfall, temperature, humidity, atmospheric pressure). Light intensity and camera

Sensors: Piezometer, soil moisture, temperature

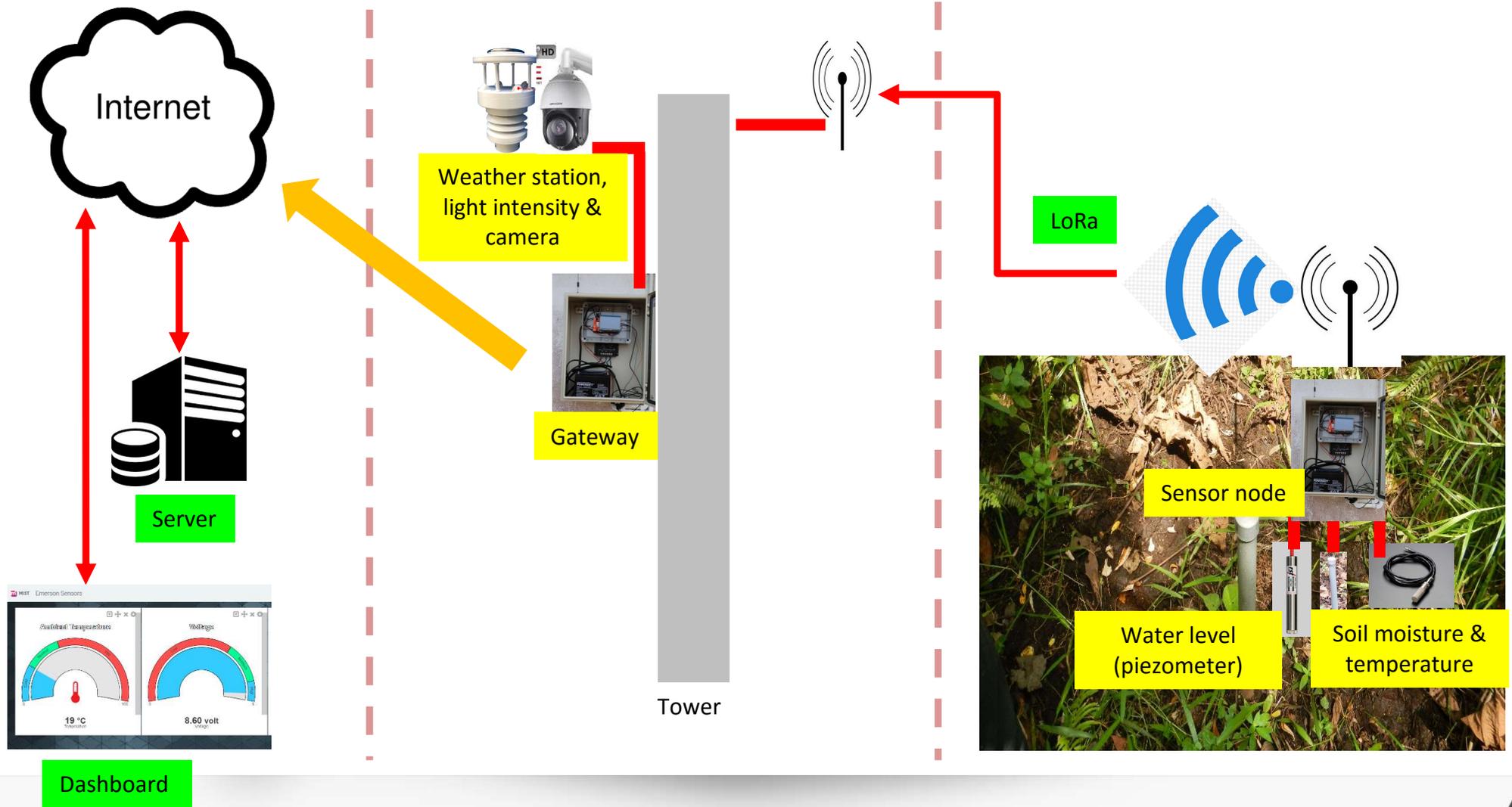
Actuator: Water pump starter

Baharu Pasangan

Kampung Berjantai Bestari



System Overview



Project Impact

- Enable connectivity for IoT-based monitoring system in peat swamp forest areas in four ASEAN countries
- Enable forest management community and researchers to further understand peat swamp forest ecosystem by analyzing the collected micro climate data
- Serve as a peat swamp forest fire monitoring system for immediate human and automated interventions

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS





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