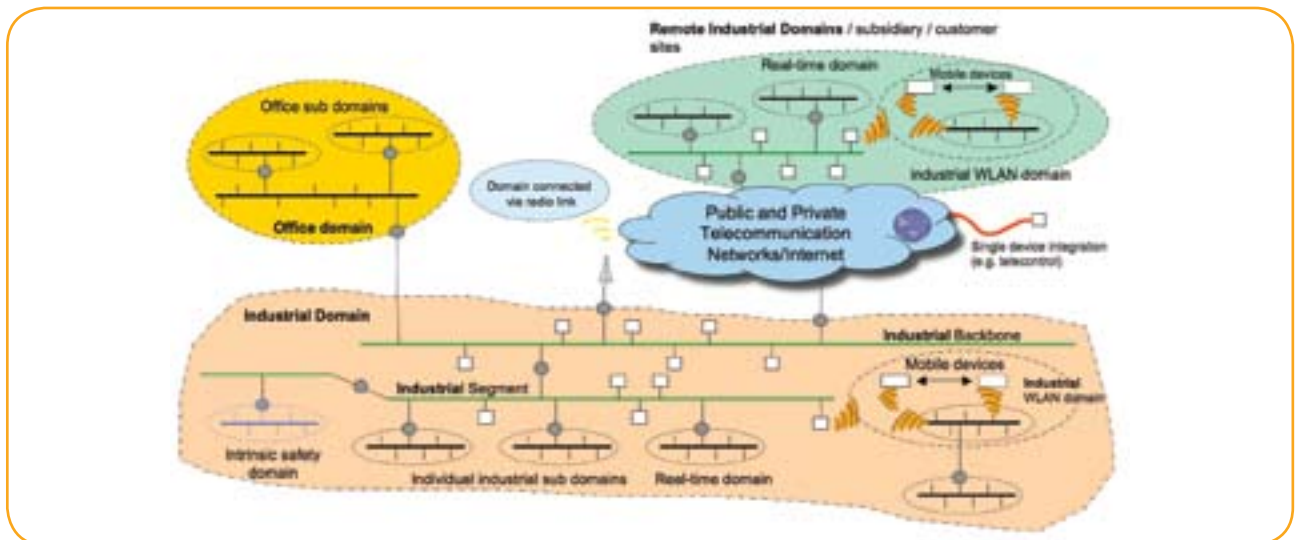


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Virtual Automation Networks – Investigation for future Industrial Communication

Within VAN solutions for the usage of Local and Wide Area Networks – public or private – for application in factory and process automation will be investigated and developed. Hereby, the vision is an open and seamless multi-vendor networking solution, which is able to link worldwide components in automation industry considering aspects such as Real-Time, Safety and Security, and providing a uniform engineering concept.



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