

# SENSOR NETWORKS AND DATA COMMUNICATIONS

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# BIOGRAPHY

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- Prior to joining the Masdar Institute, he was an associate professor of the Materials Science and Engineering (MSE) program for 2007-2013 at University of Idaho (USA). Currently, he is the Department Head of the Mechanical and Materials Engineering Department at the Masdar Institute of Science and Technology, Abu Dhabi, the United Arab Emirates.

# RESEARCH INTERESTS

- ▶ Graphene - based Nano electronics
- ▶ 3D-electronics
- ▶ Nanomaterial-based energy storage devices (Li-ion batteries and ultra-capacitors)
- ▶ Thermo electrics
- ▶ Novel materials for low-energy nuclear reactions (LENR)
- ▶ Bio-medical sensors/drug delivery systems

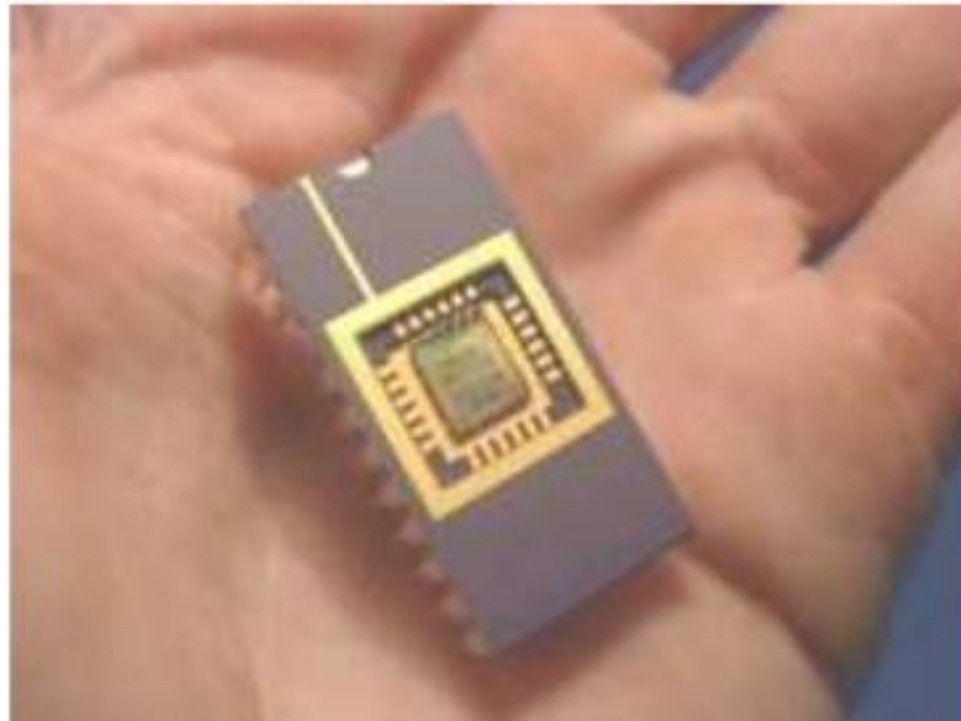
# BIOSENSORS

- **A biosensor is an analytical device, used for the detection of an analyte, that combines a biological component with a physicochemical detector.**



# CURRENT DEFINITION

A sensor that integrates a biological element with a physiochemical transducer to produce an electronic signal proportional to a single analyte which is then conveyed to a detector.

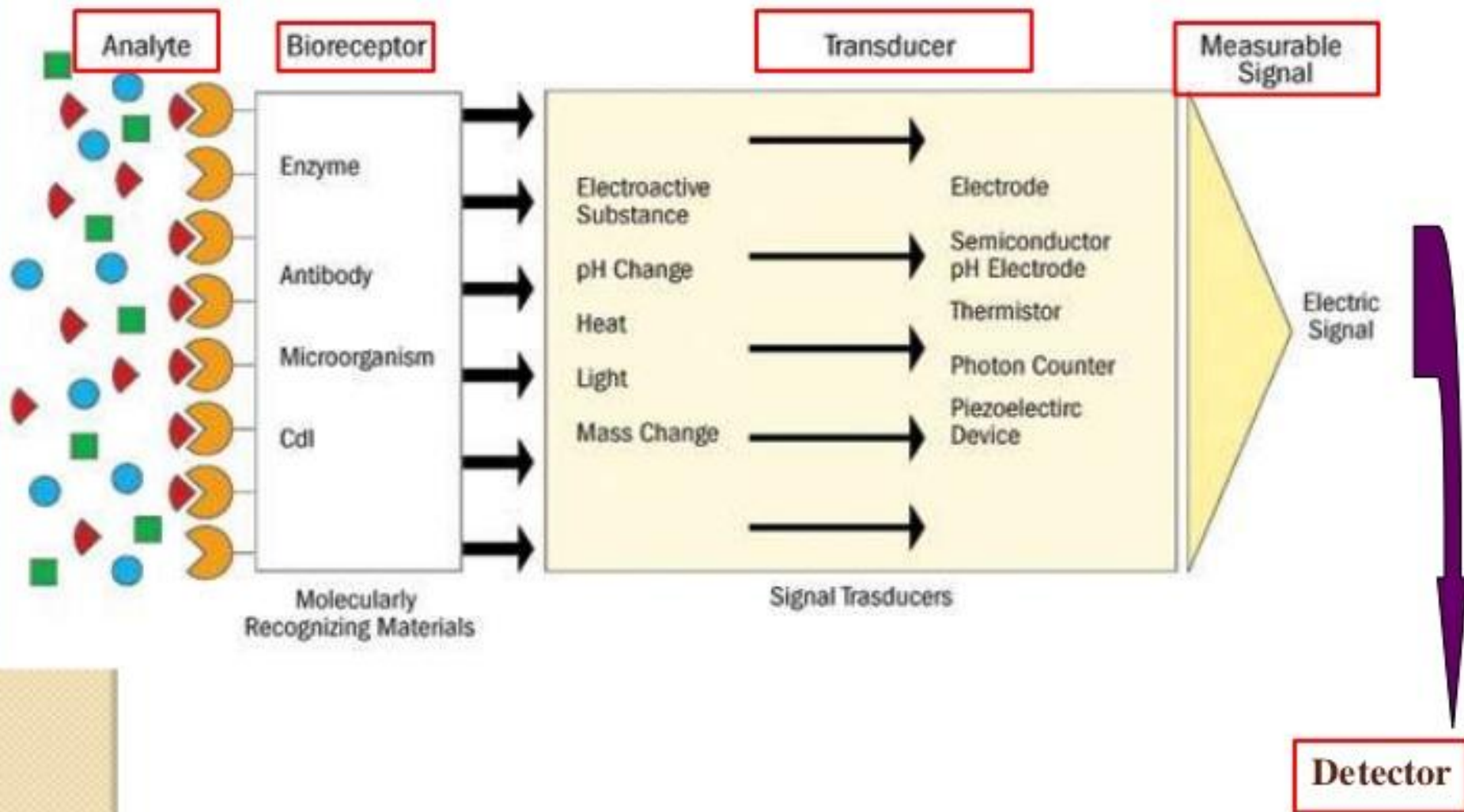


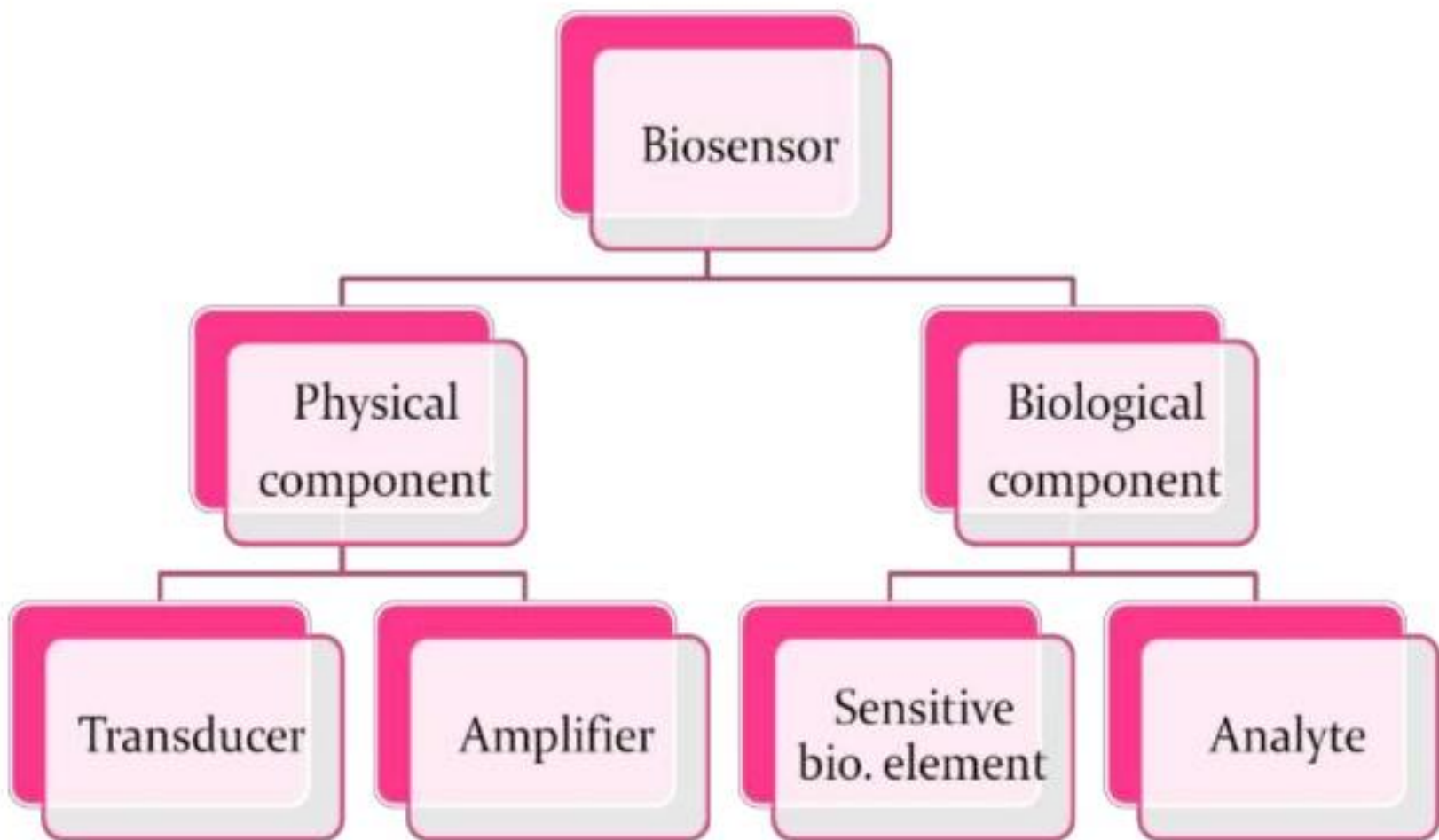
- Any device that has specific biochemical reactions to detect chemical compounds in biological samples.



**FATHER OF BIOSENSOR.**  
**Professor Leland C Clark Jr**  
**(1918–2005)**

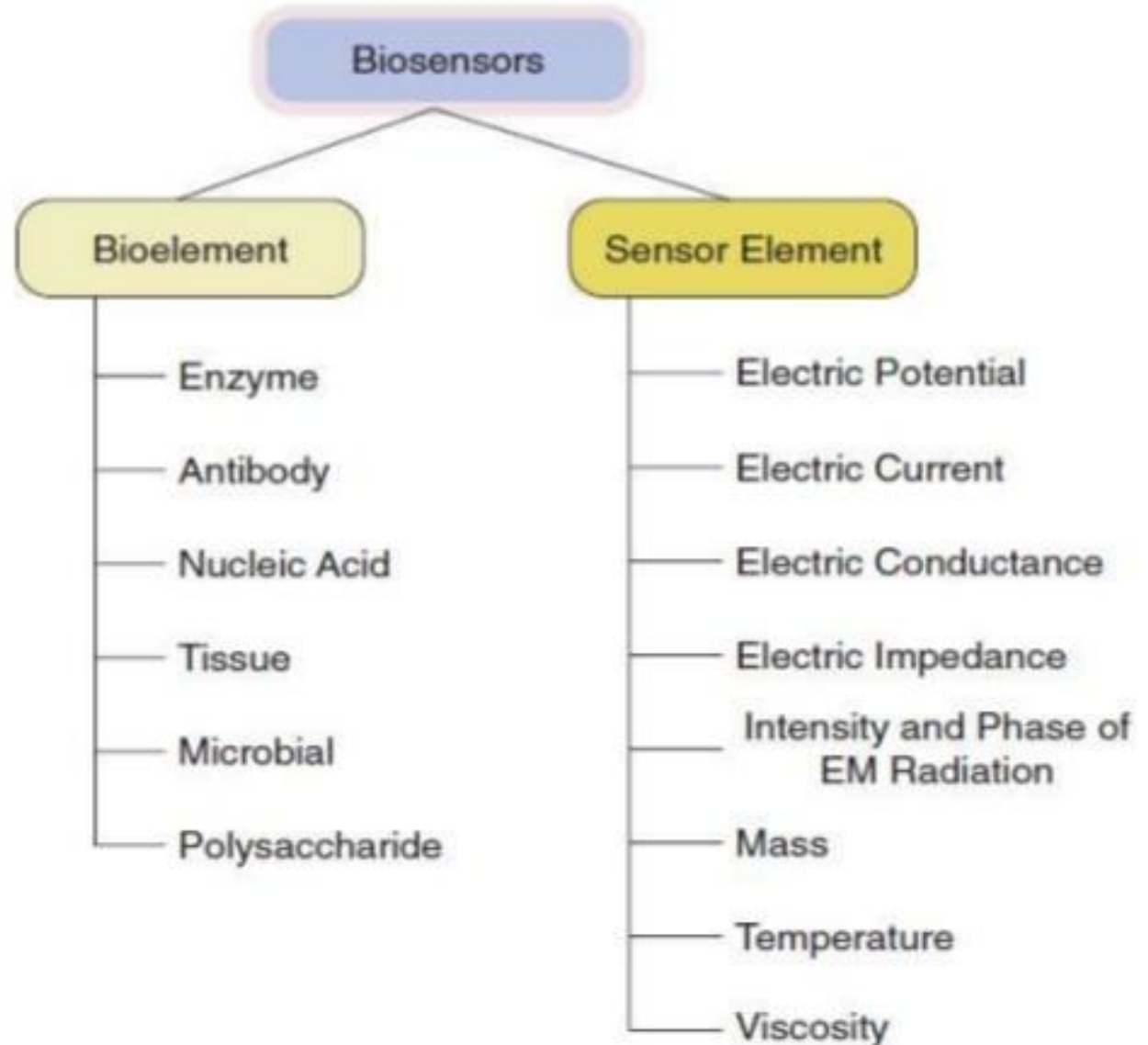
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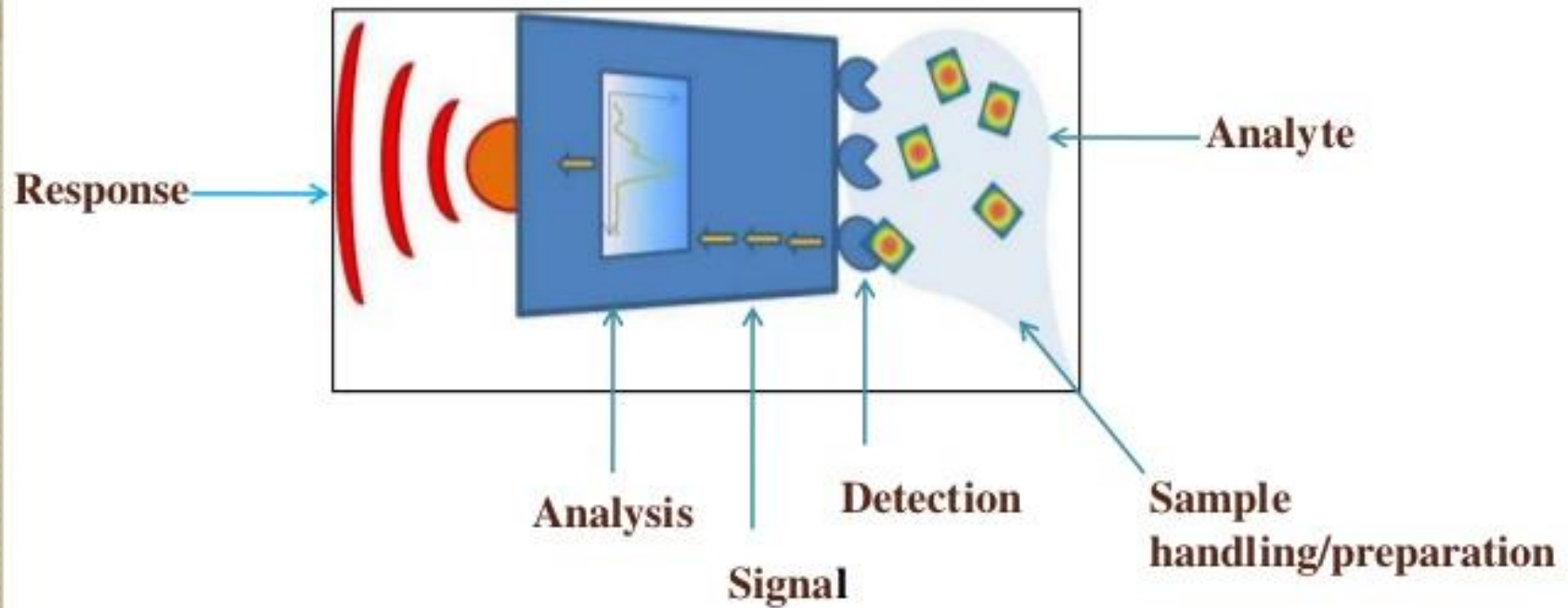




# ELEMENTS OF BIOSENSORS



# BIOSENSOR.



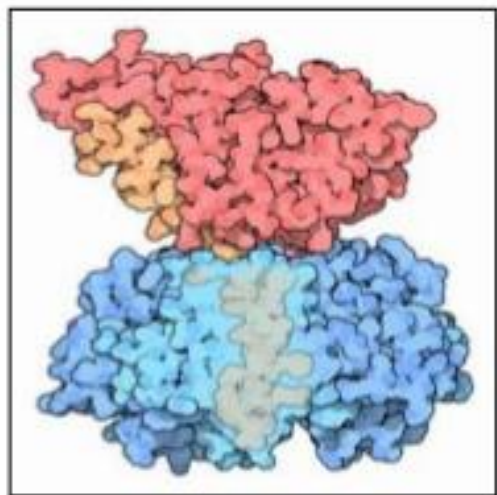
# THE ANALYTE.

(What do you want to detect?)

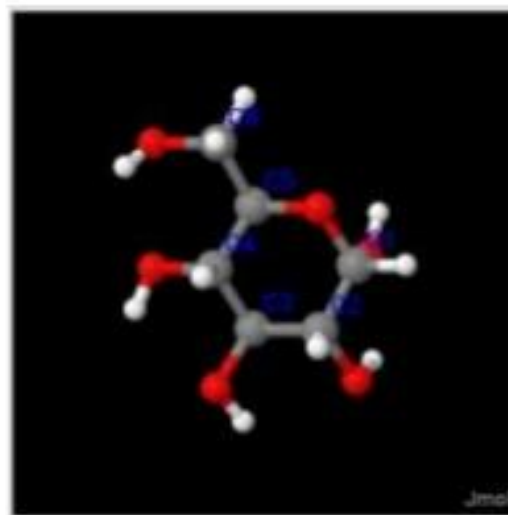


## Molecule

Protein, toxin, peptide, vitamin, sugar, metal ion



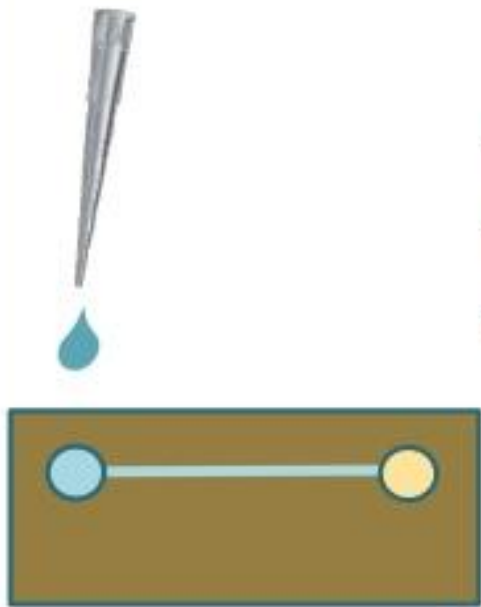
**Cholera toxin**



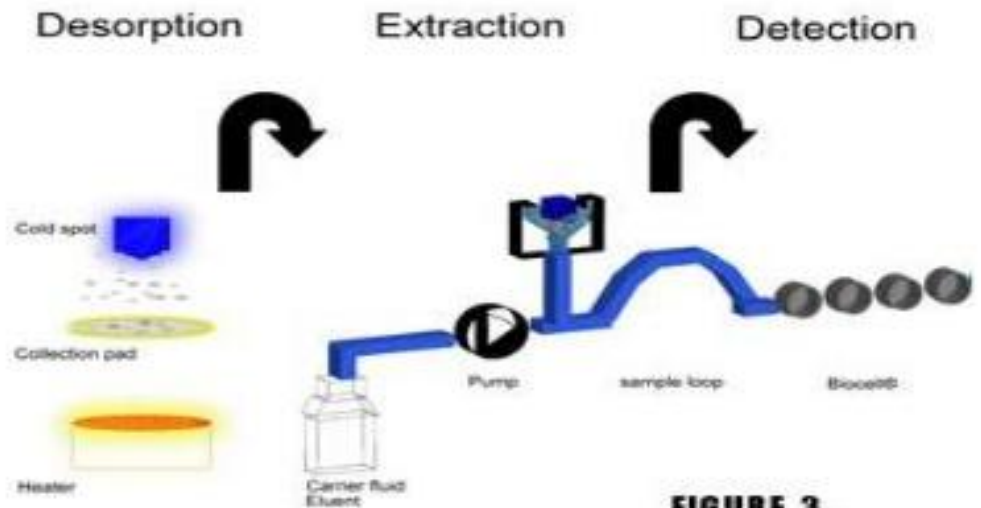
**Glucose**

# SAMPLE HANDLING.

(How to deliver the Analyte to the Sensitive Region?)



- (Micro) fluidics
- Concentration (increase/decrease)
- Filtration/selection



**FIGURE 3**



# DETECTION/RECOGNITION.

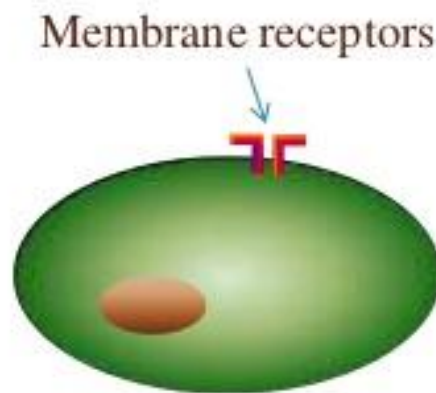
(How do you specifically recognise the analyte?)



**Antibody**



**Enzyme**



**Cell**

Competitive binding



**Polymer/Hydrogel**

# WORKING PRINCIPLE

- ✦ Analyte diffuses from the solution to the surface of the Biosensor.
- ✦ Analyte reacts specifically & efficiently with the Biological Component of the Biosensor.
- ✦ This reaction changes the physicochemical properties of the Transducer surface.
- ✦ This leads to a change in the optical/electronic properties of the Transducer Surface.
- ✦ The change in the optical/electronic properties is measured/converted into electrical signal, which is detected.

# BASIC CHARACTERISTICS

- LINEARITY - Should be High – For the detection of High Substrate Concentration.
- SENSITIVITY - Value of Electrode Response per Substrate Concentration.
- SELECTIVITY - Chemical Interference must be minimised for obtaining Correct Result.
- RESPONSE TIME – Time necessary for having 95% of the Response.



# ADVANTAGES

- ⊕ Highly Specific.
- ⊕ Independent of Factors like stirring, pH, etc.
- ⊕ Linear response, Tiny & Biocompatible.
- ⊕ Easy to Use, Durable.
- ⊕ Require only Small Sample Volume.
- ⊕ Rapid, Accurate, Stable & Sterilizable.



# TYPICAL SENSING TECHNIQUES

- Fluorescence.
- DNA Microarray.
- SPR (Surface Plasma Resistance).
- Impedance Spectroscopy.
- SPM (Scanning Probe Microscopy, AFM, STM).
- QCM (Quartz Crystal Microbalance).
- SERS (Surface Enhanced Raman Spectroscopy).
- Electrochemical.

# TYPES

- Calorimetric/Thermal Detection Biosensors.
- Optical Biosensors.
- Resonant Biosensors.
- Piezoelectric Biosensors.
- Ion Sensitive Biosensors.
- Electrochemical Biosensors.
  - Conductimetric Sensors.
  - Amperometric Sensors.
  - Potentiometric Sensors.

# APPLICATIONS

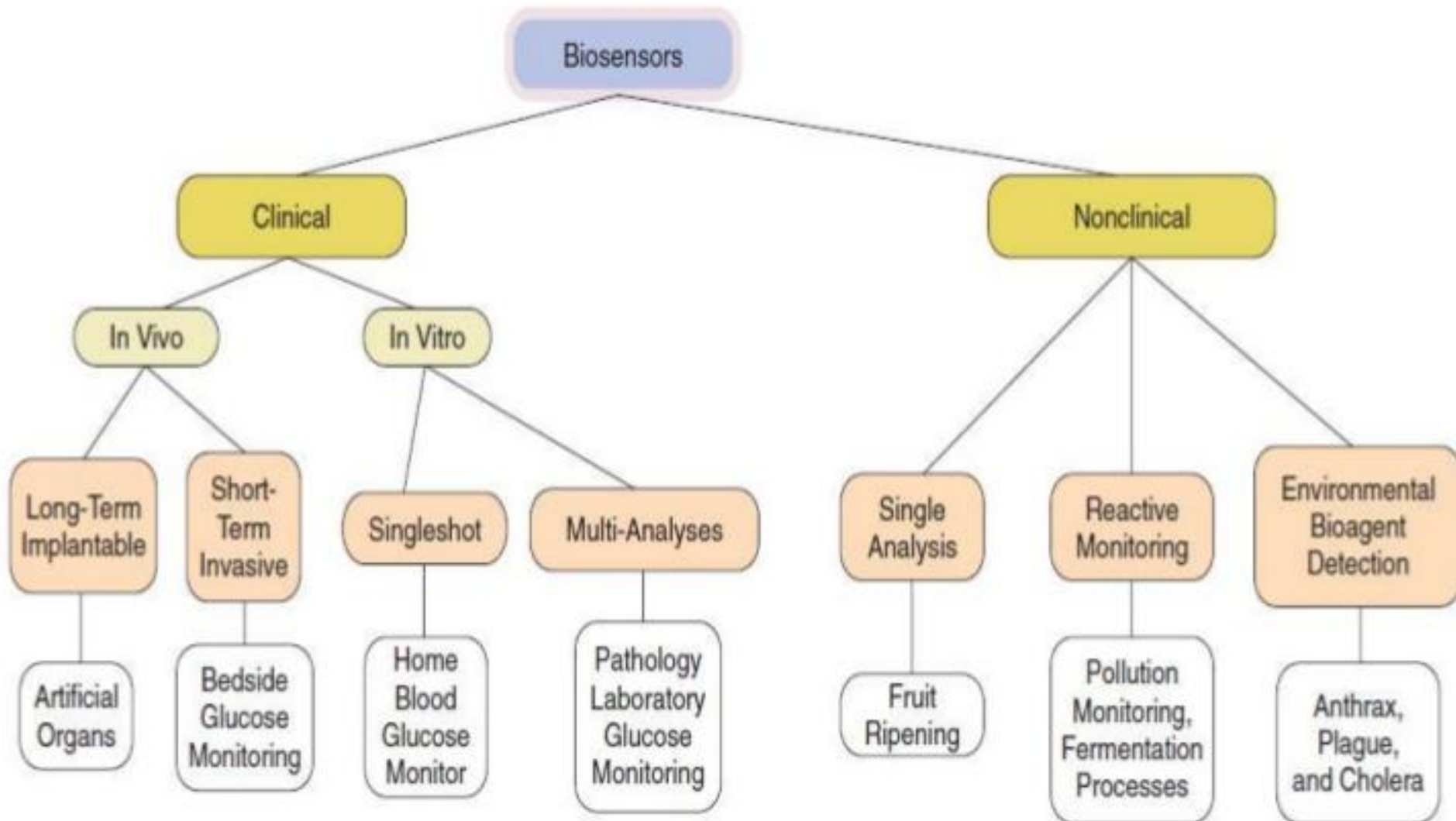


Fig. 2 Potential applications of biosensors



**At the bed side**



**At medical emergency sites**



**In medical labs**



**For home-based medical care**





**The DNA capture element instrument- for hereditary diseases**



**Glucometer- for measurement of glucose in blood.**



### Pregnancy Test.

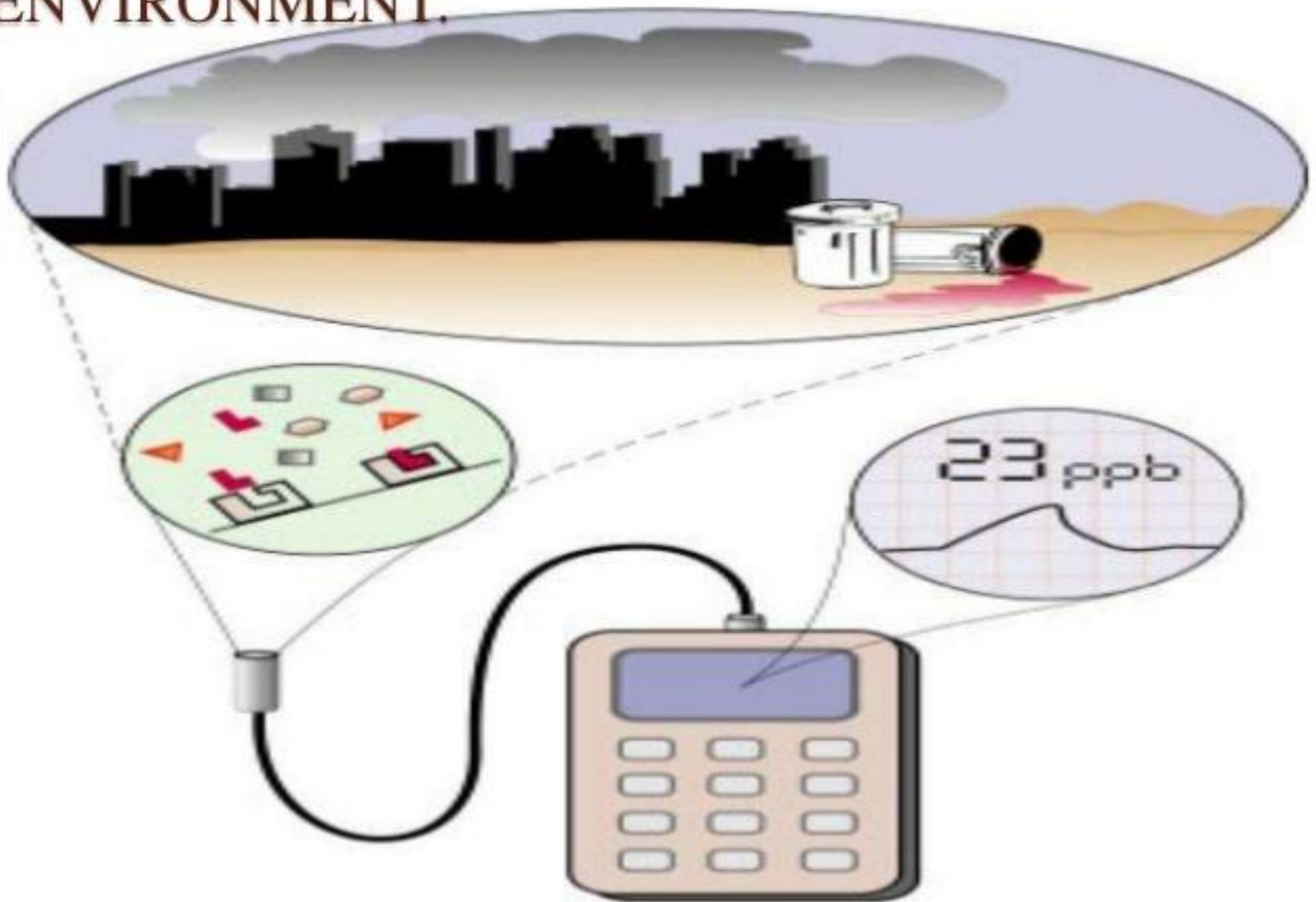
- *Detects the hCG protein in urine.*
- *Interpretation and data analysis performed by the user.*



### Infectious Disease Biosensor.

- *Data analysis and interpretation performed by a microprocessor.*

# BIOSENSOR FOR DETECTION OF POLLUTION & OF THE CHEMICALS PRESENT IN THE ENVIRONMENT.





# RECENT PUBLICATIONS

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# **SENSOR NETWORKS AND DATA COMMUNICATIONS RELATED JOURNALS**

- **Biosensors & Bioelectronics**
- **Biosensors Journal**

# **SENSOR NETWORKS AND DATA COMMUNICATIONS RELATED CONFERENCES**

- **Global Summit on Electronics and Electrical Engineering, November 03-05, 2015 Valencia, Spain**
- **4th International Conference and Exhibition on Biometrics & Biostatistics, November 16-18, 2015 San Antonio, USA**
- **2nd International Conference on Big Data Analysis and Data Mining, November 30-December 02, 2015 San Antonio, USA**
- **2nd International Conference and Business Expo on Wireless & Telecommunication April 21-22, 2016 Dubai, UAE**



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