# **Use case: BICS IoT solutions for agritech**

# The challenge

For an optimized IoT business model, farmers need reliable and cost-effective global connectivity.



#### **Customer context**

- Global agricultural IoT market will reach almost \$30 billion by 2023
- The food market is expected to grow annually by 3.14% (CAGR 2021-2025)
- Nearly 12 million agricultural sensors installed globally by 2023



## **Agritech applications**

- Livestock welfare and location monitoring
- **Precision farming** through environmental sensors
- Live, actionable data on livestock or crops
- Increased efficiency and minimized waste
- More effective site management



# **IoT** connectivity requirements

- Scalable, pay-as-you-grow model
- Real-time management, control, and monitoring
- Reliable global and rural connectivity
- Easy to deploy and maintain
- Low-power consumption



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#### The solution

BICS SIM for Things offers international connectivity suited to rural environments with typically poor connectivity.

### Simple deployment and easy integration

- Turnkey solution offering easy integrations
- Easy-to-use portal
  - 210+ APIs

# Reliable and seamless global connectivity

- Built-in connectivity across 700 networks in 200 countries
- **Constant monitoring** (even in remote locations)

#### Results

- Clear overview of the farmer's estate
- Actionable data
- Reliable and continuous connectivity
- Data-driven approach to streamline operations

### Secure, low-power connectivity

- Support for NB-IoT and LTE-M connectivity
- Autonomous provisioning, deprovisioning, management, and troubleshooting
- · Built-in security at the SIM level