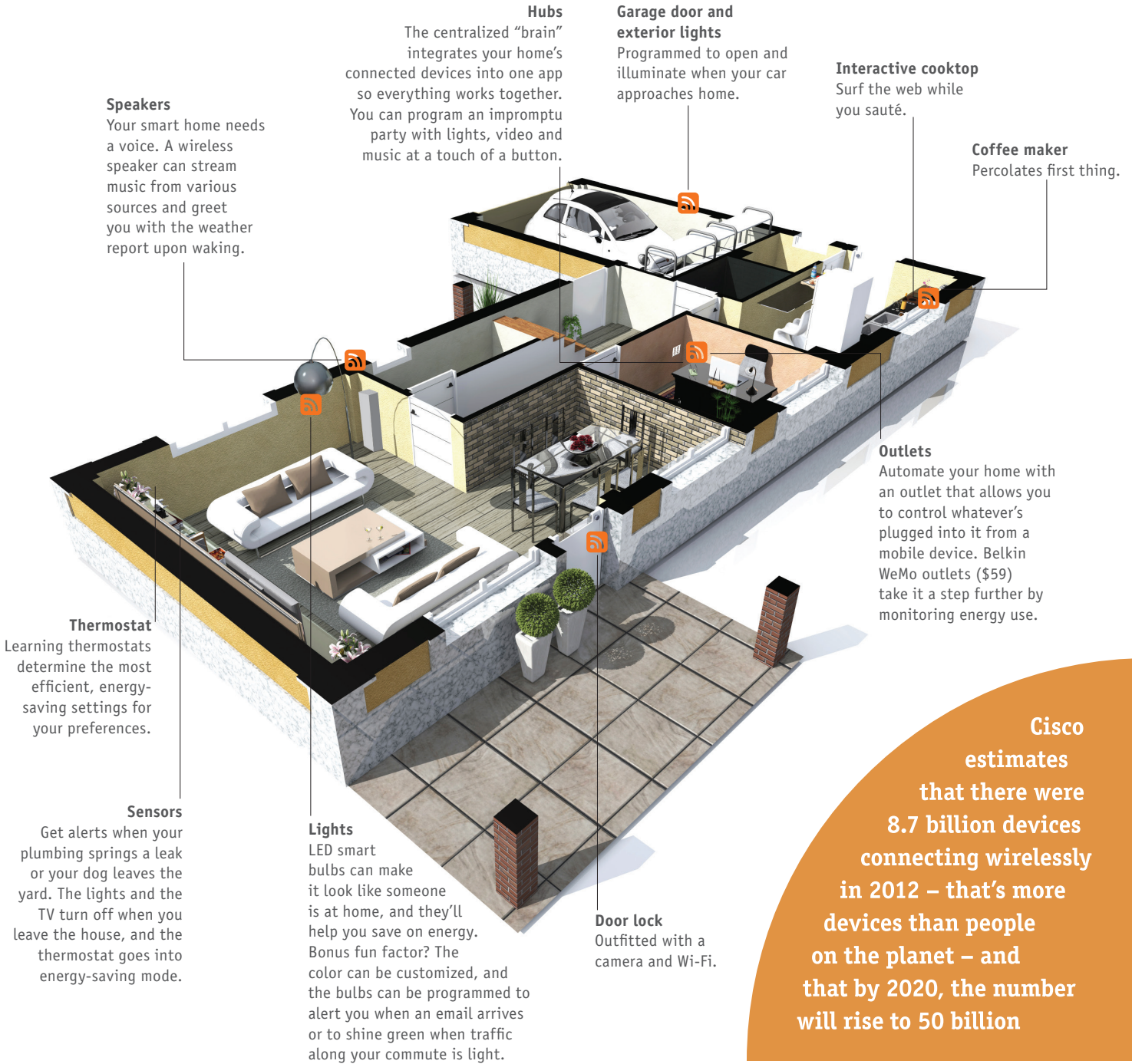


# The smart home

Imagine a home that can take a photo of who's knocking and send it to your phone, switch on lights and heating when you wake up, or alert you when Fido jumps the fence. This kind of customization and peace of mind is no longer a dream for the average consumer – all you need is some do-it-yourself hardware, an Internet connection and a mobile device. Here are some of the most buzz-worthy home automation products you can control from your smartphone. These connected gadgets may someday do more than just adjust the environment to our preferences, with applications in home healthcare and wellness especially intriguing.



Cisco estimates that there were 8.7 billion devices connecting wirelessly in 2012 – that’s more devices than people on the planet – and that by 2020, the number will rise to 50 billion

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