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Leading the world to 5G and its expansion to new industries

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5G vision and 5G NR overview

A unified, more capable
air interface for the next
decade and beyond

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Based on the 3GPP
Release 15 global
standard

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5G NR evolution and expansion

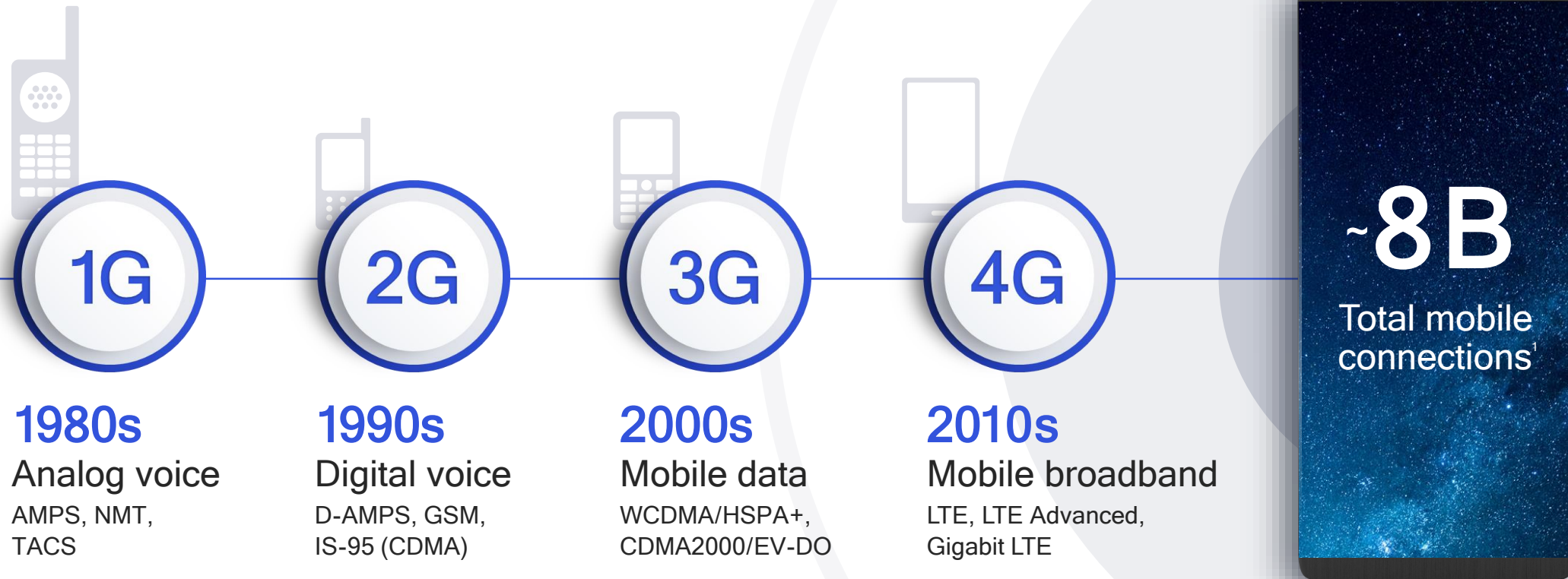
Driving 5G NR beyond
mobile broadband in 3GPP
Release 16 and beyond

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Mobile is the largest technology platform in human history



1. GSMA Intelligence, July 2018, excluding licensed cellular IoT

A unifying connectivity fabric for society

Like electricity, you will just expect it everywhere



Multi-gigabit speed



Scalable to extreme simplicity



Ultra-low latency



Virtually unlimited capacity

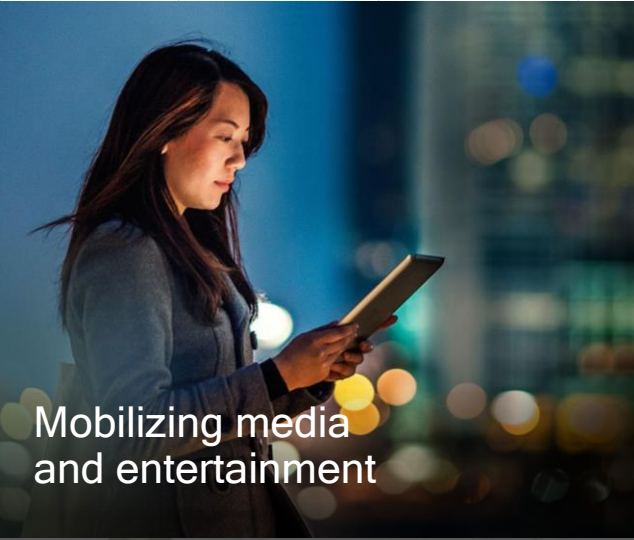


Extreme reliability

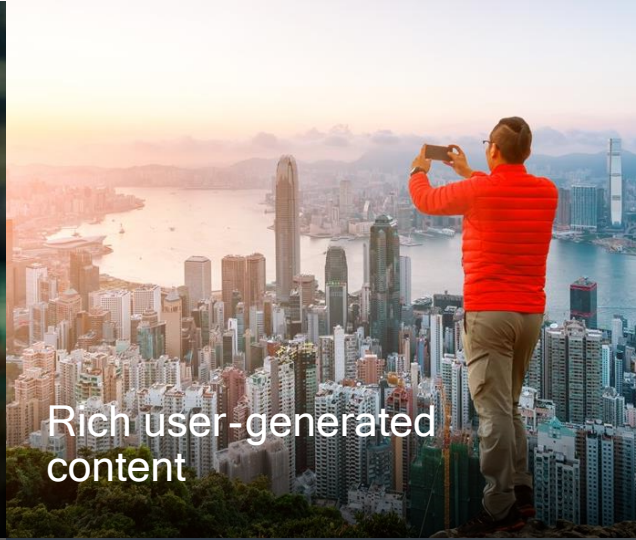


On-device intelligence

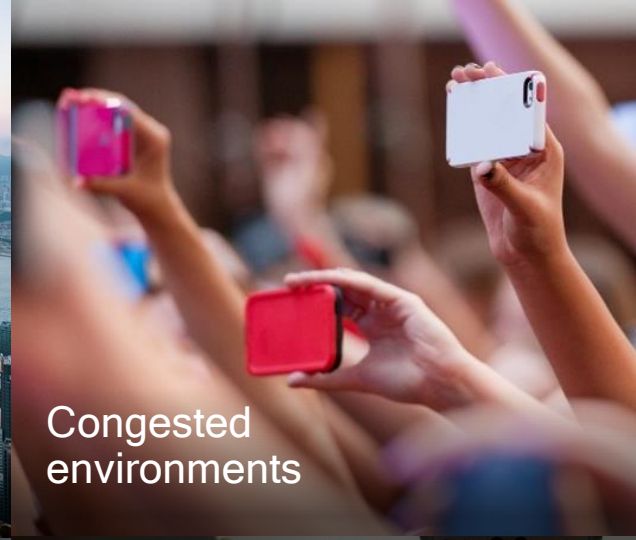




Mobilizing media and entertainment



Rich user-generated content



Congested environments



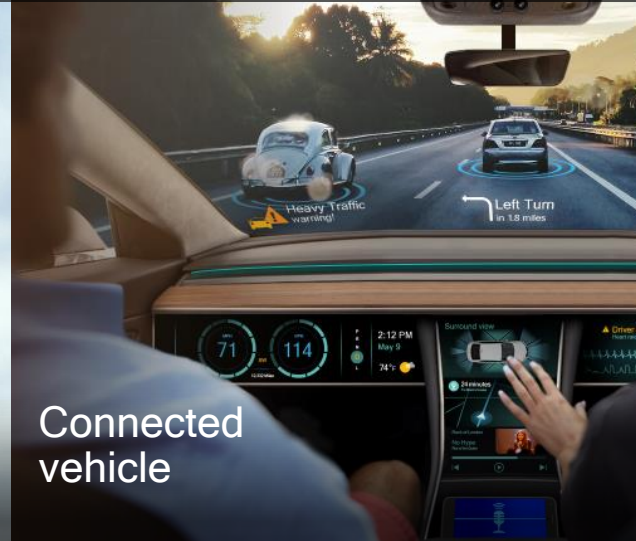
High-speed mobility



Connected cloud computing



Immersive experiences



Connected vehicle



Augmented reality



5G is essential for next generation mobile experiences

- Fiber-like data speeds
- Low latency for real-time interactivity
- More consistent performance
- Massive capacity for unlimited data

Enabler to the factory of the future



Safer, autonomous transportation



Reliable access to remote healthcare



Precision agriculture



Efficient use of energy and utilities



Private networks for logistics, enterprises, industrial,...



Sustainable smart cities and infrastructure



Digitized logistics and retail



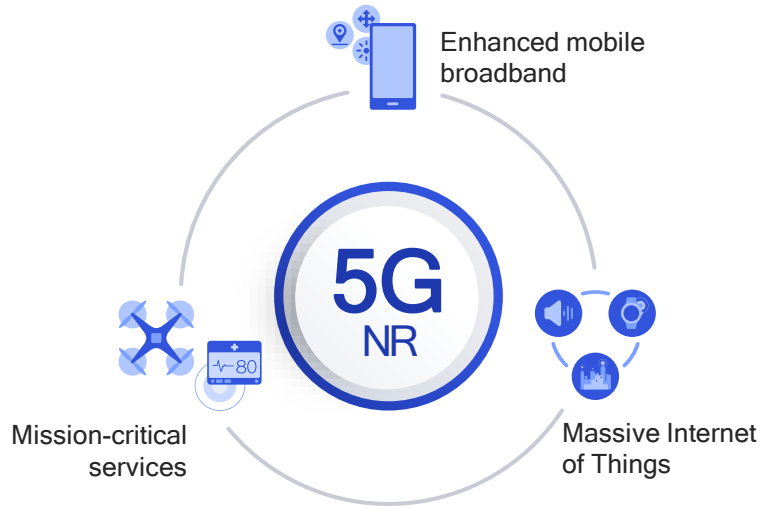
5G will expand the mobile ecosystem to new industries

Powering the digital economy > \$12 Trillion In goods and services by 2035*

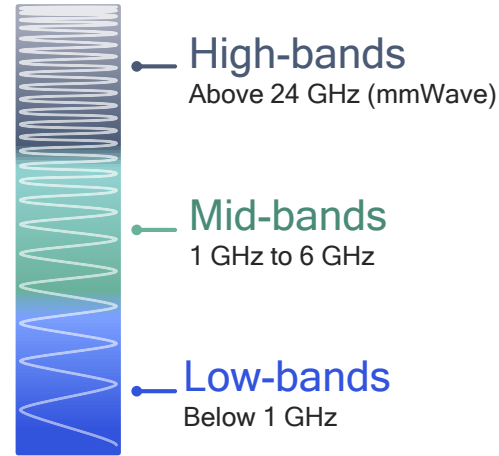
* The 5G Economy, an independent study from IHS Markit, Penn Schoen Berland and Berkeley Research Group, commissioned by Qualcomm



Designing a unified, more capable 5G air interface



Diverse services



Licensed/shared/unlicensed

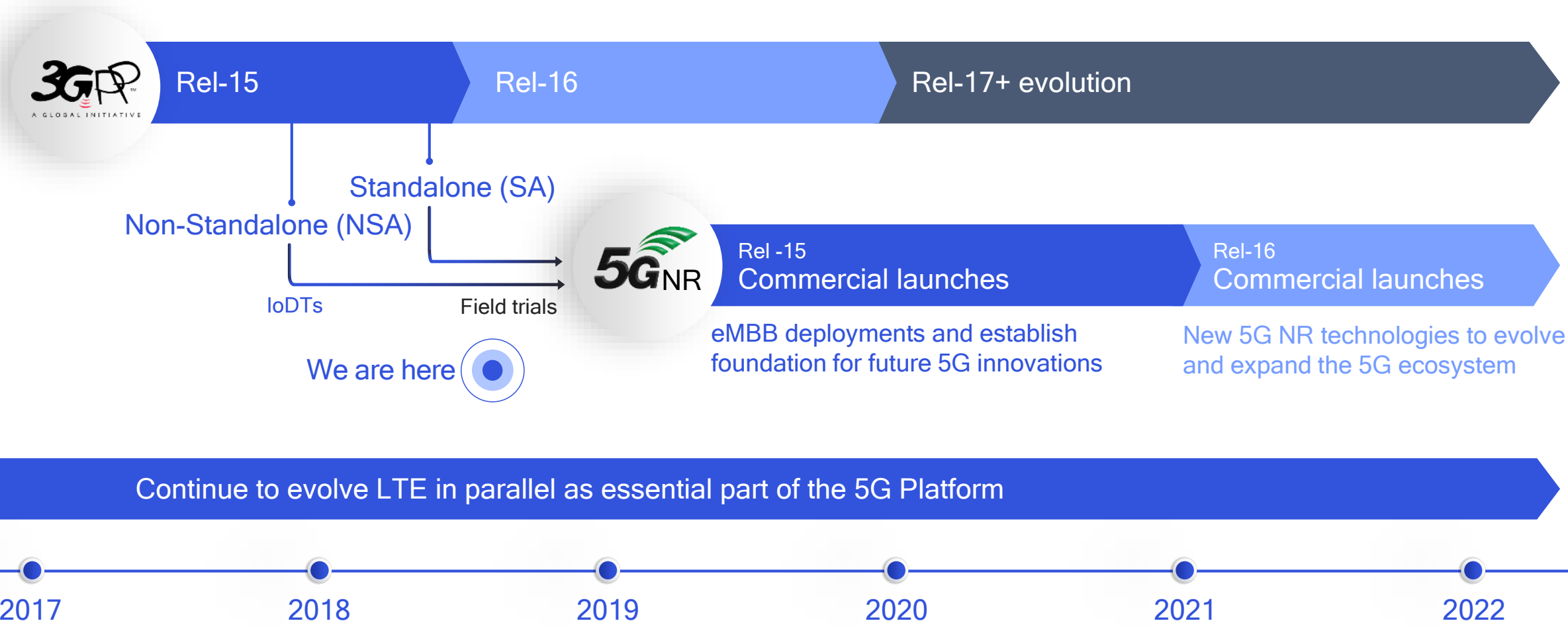
Diverse spectrum



Diverse deployments

Existing, emerging, and unforeseen services - a platform for future innovation

Driving the 5G roadmap and ecosystem expansion



World's first 5G NR milestones led by Qualcomm



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World's first interoperable 5G NR sub-6 GHz data connection

November 2017



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World's first interoperable 5G NR mmWave data connection

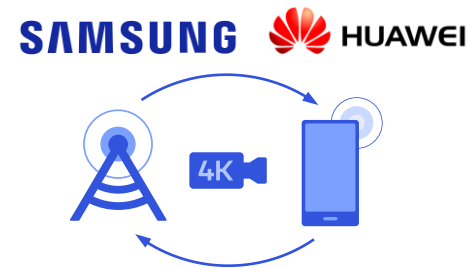
December 2017



NOKIA

Successful multi-band 5G NR interoperability testing

February 2018



MOBILE™
GSMA WORLD CONGRESS

Interoperable 5G NR sub-6 GHz & mmWave connections with 5 vendors

MWC 2018



大唐移动
DTmobile

5G NR interoperability testing preparing for the Chinese mass market

June 2018



Rel-15 5G NR trials based on Snapdragon™ X50 modem chipset

2H-2018

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Driving the 5G ecosystem towards 2019 launches in collaboration with 18+ global mobile network operators and 20+ device manufacturers



X50

5G Modem family

World's first 5G NR
multimode modems



5G NR standards compliant



Sub-6 + mmWave



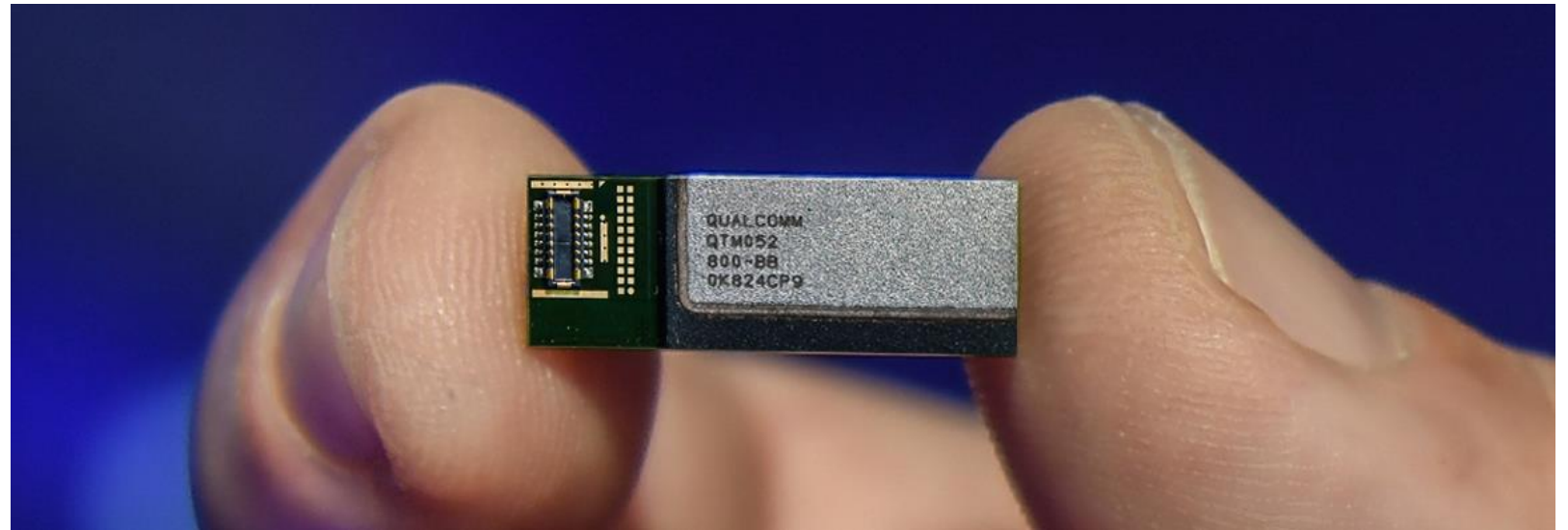
Premium-tier
smartphones in 2019

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Qualcomm® QTM052 mmWave antenna modules

For pairing with the
Qualcomm Snapdragon X50
5G modem to deliver modem-
to-antenna capabilities
across spectrum bands



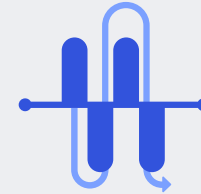
Smartphone form factor

Suitable for compact
smartphone industrial
designs with four
mmWave modules



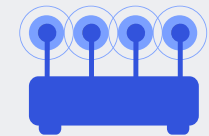
Fully-integrated mmWave RF

Including transceiver,
PMIC, RF front-end
components, and a
phased antenna array



Newly supported mmWave bands

Supporting for up to 800 MHz
of bandwidth in n257, n260,
and n261 5G NR mmWave
bands



Advanced mobility features

Supporting beamforming,
beam steering, and beam
tracking for bi-directional
mmWave communications

Making 5G NR a commercial reality for 2019



Best-in-class 5G prototype systems

Designing and testing 5G technologies for many years



5G NR standards and technology leadership

Our technology inventions are driving the 5G NR standard



5G NR interoperability testing and trials

Leveraging prototype systems and our leading global network experience



Qualcomm
snapdragon
X50 5G modem

Modem and RFFE leadership

Announced the Qualcomm Snapdragon X50 5G modem family

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LTE foundational technologies

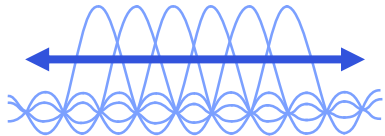
5G NR design and technologies

3GPP Release 15



Our technology inventions drove Rel-15 specifications

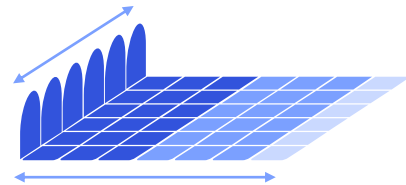
Scalable OFDM-based air interface



Scalable OFDM numerology

Address diverse services, spectrum, deployments

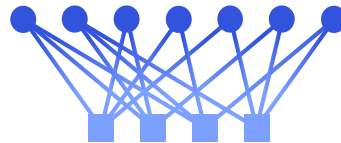
Flexible slot-based framework



Self-contained slot structure

Low latency, URLLC, forward compatibility

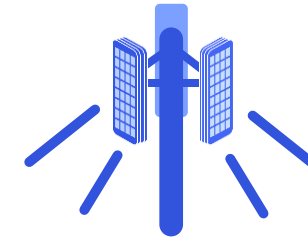
Advanced channel coding



Multi-Edge LDPC and CRC-Aided Polar

Support large data blocks, reliable control channel

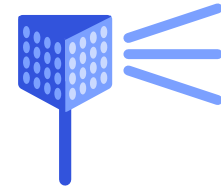
Massive MIMO



Reciprocity-based MU-MIMO

Large # of antennas to increase coverage/capacity

Mobile mmWave

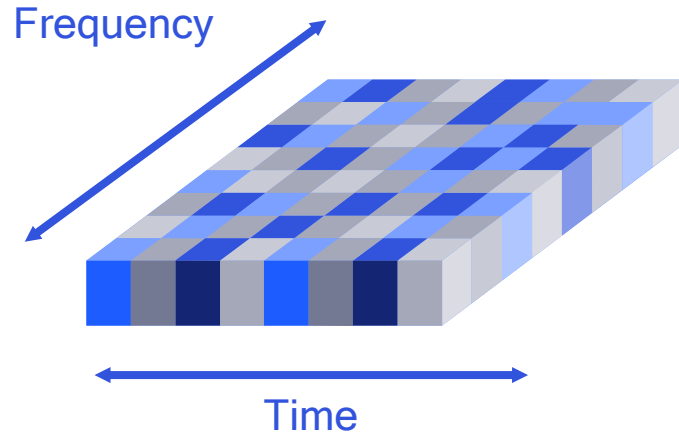


Beamforming and beam-tracking

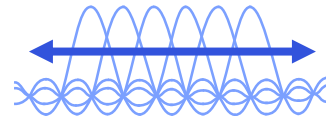
For extreme capacity and throughput

Early R&D investments | Best-in-class prototypes | Fundamental contributions to 3GPP

Scalable OFDM-based 5G NR air interface

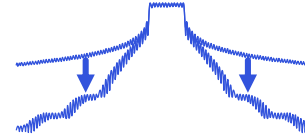


Scalable numerology



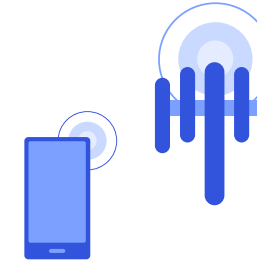
2^n scaling of sub-carrier spacing to efficiently support wider bandwidths

Frequency localization



Windowing¹ can effectively minimize in-band and out-of-band emissions

Lower power consumption



Single-carrier² OFDM utilized for efficient uplink transmissions

Asynchronous multiple access



Can co-exist with optimized waveforms and multiple access for IoT UL³

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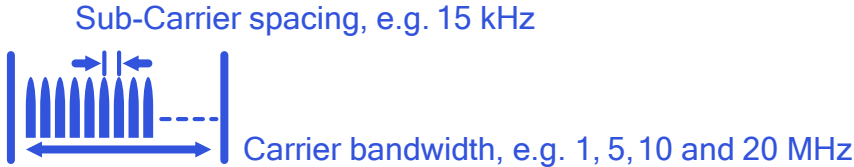
1. Such as Weighted Overlap Add (WOLA) utilized in LTE systems today. 2. DFT-Spread (DFT-S) OFDM. 3. Such as non-orthogonal Resource Spread Multiple Access (RSMA)

3GPP Rel-15 specifications aligned with Qualcomm Research whitepaper published Nov 2015 [link]

Scalable 5G NR OFDM numerology—examples

Outdoor macro coverage

e.g., FDD 700 MHz



2ⁿ scaling of Sub-Carrier Spacing (SCS)

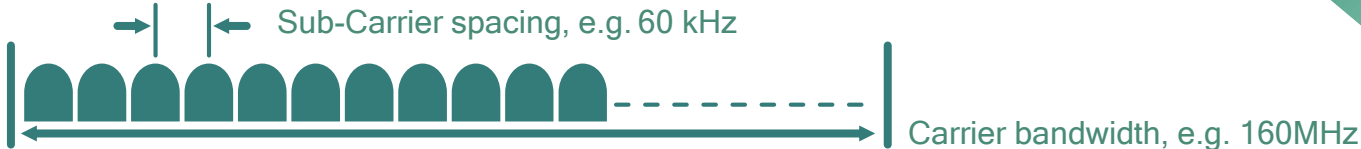
Outdoor macro and small cell

e.g., TDD 3-5 GHz



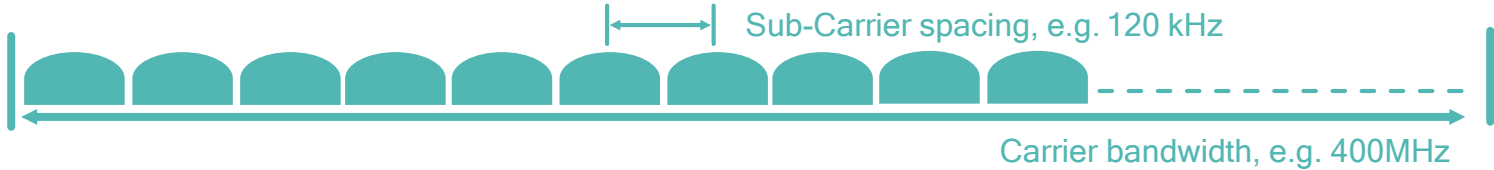
Indoor wideband

e.g., unlicensed 6 GHz



mmWave

e.g., TDD 28 GHz



Efficiently address 5G diverse spectrum, deployments and services

Scaling reduces FFT processing complexity for wider bandwidths with reusable hardware

Flexible slot-based 5G NR framework

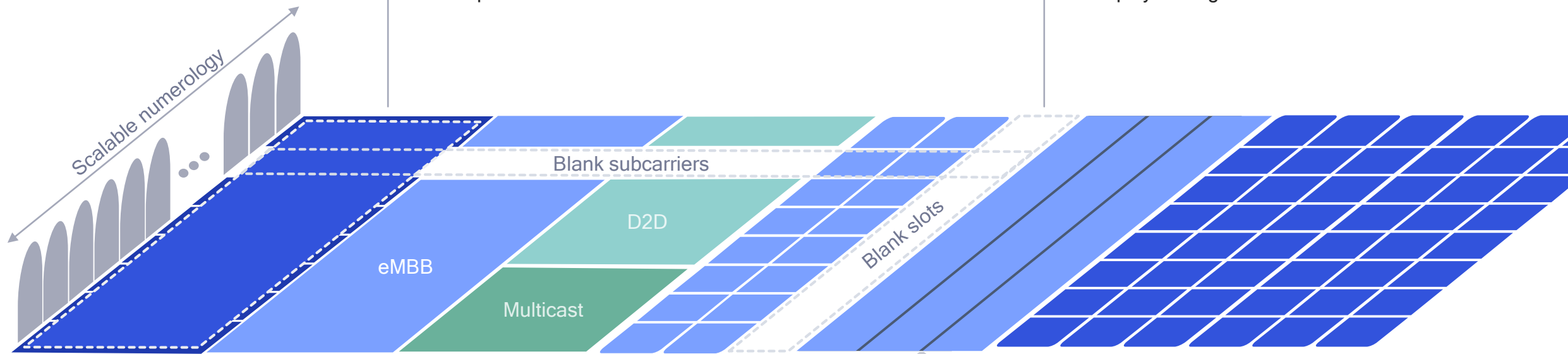
Efficiently multiplex envisioned and future 5G services on the same frequency

Scalable slot duration

Efficient multiplexing of diverse latency and QoS requirements

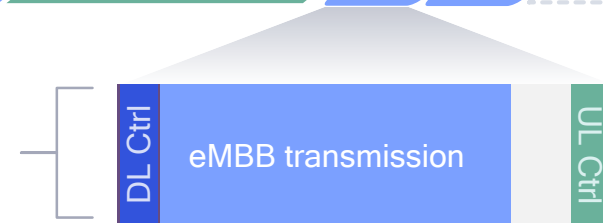
Forward compatibility

Transmissions well-confined in time/frequency to simplify adding new features in future



Self-contained slot structure

Ability to independently decode slots and avoid static timing relationships across slots

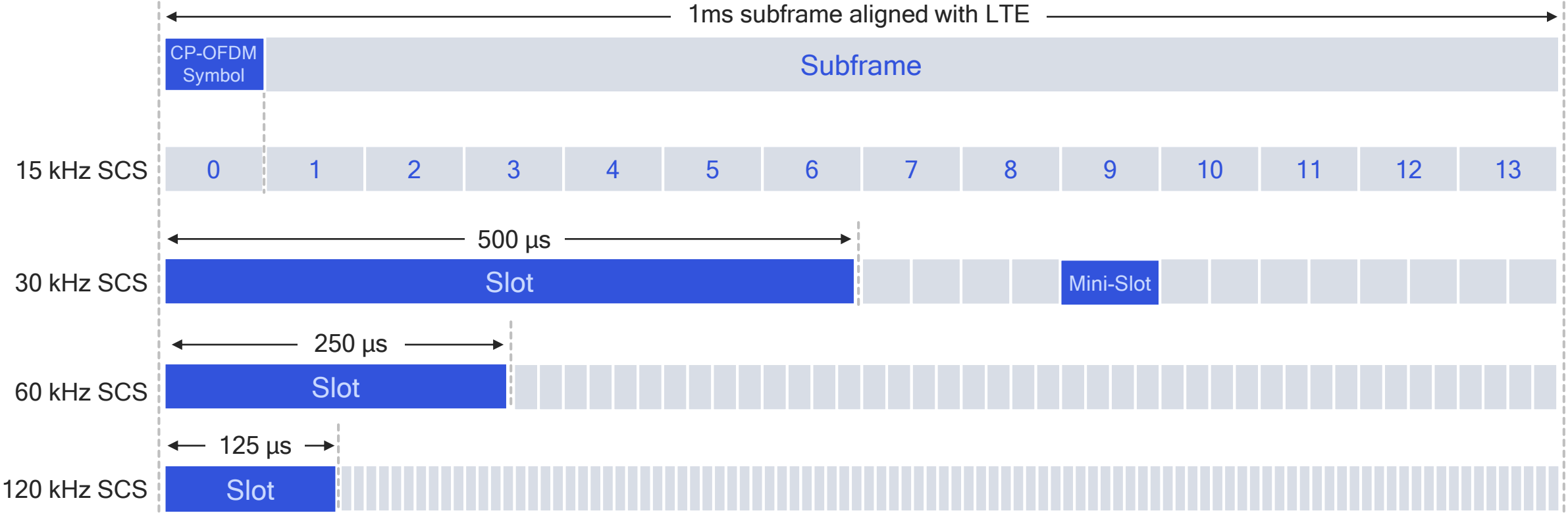


Nominal traffic puncturing

To enable URLLC transmissions to occur at any time using mini-slots



Scalable 5G NR slot duration for diverse latency/QoS



14 OFDM symbols per slot with mini-slot (2, 4, or 7 symbols) for shorter transmissions¹

Supports slot aggregation for data-heavy transmissions

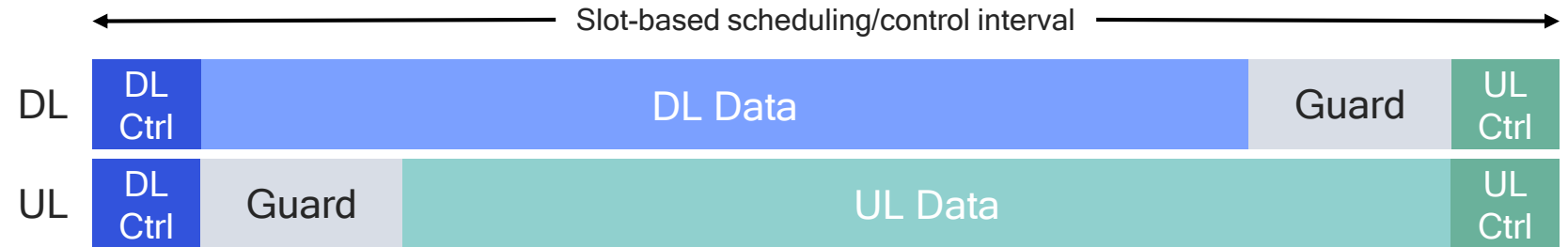
Efficient multiplexing of long and short transmissions²

1. As low as two symbols per mini-slot; 2. Symbols across numerologies align at symbol boundaries and transmissions span an integer # of OFDM symbols

Flexible 5G NR slot structures – Examples

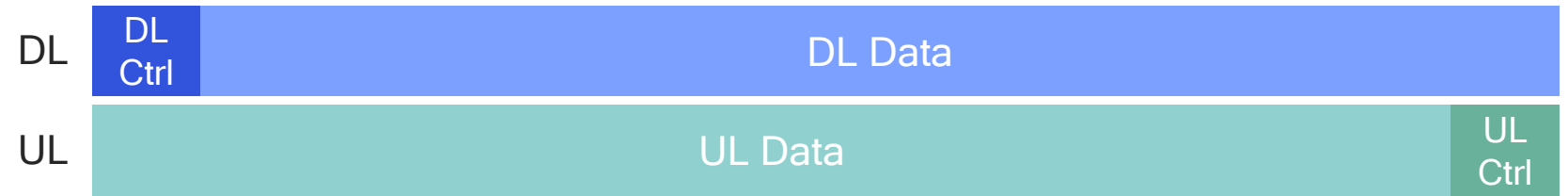
TDD Self-Contained

Opportunity for UL/DL scheduling, data and ACK/SRS in the same slot



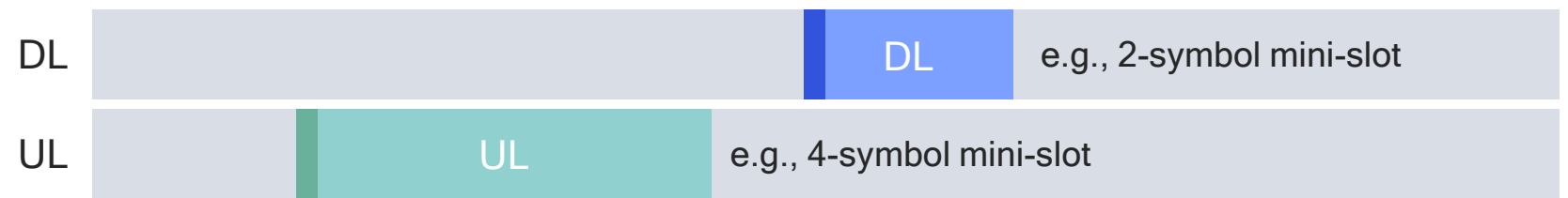
Data-centric

More relaxed TDD timing configurations + FDD operation



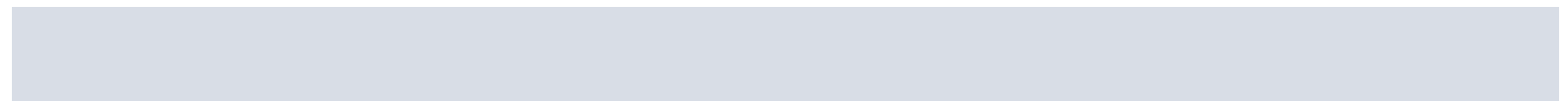
Mini-slot

Optimized for shorter data transmissions, e.g. URLLC



Blank slot

Designed in a way not to limit future feature introductions



Benefits of the 5G NR TDD self-contained slot

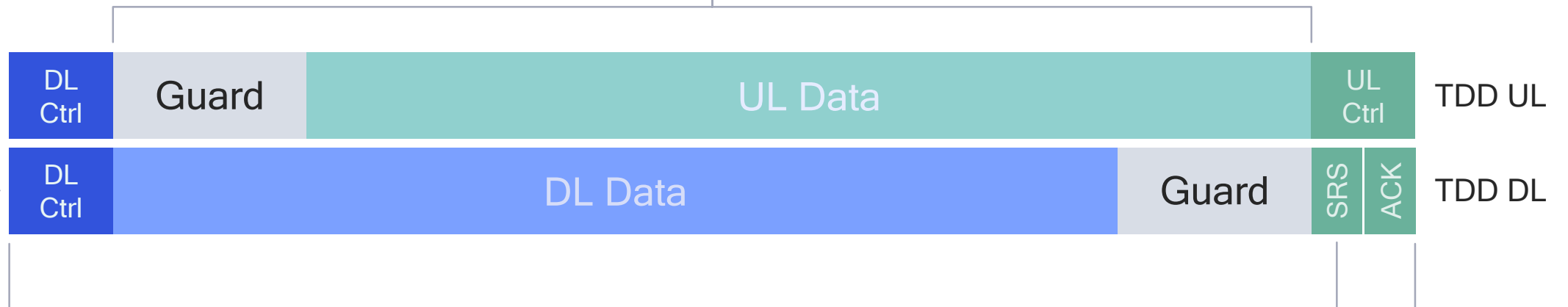
Much faster, more flexible TDD switching and turn-around than 4G LTE

Flexibility for additional headers

E.g., channel reservation header for unlicensed/shared spectrum

More adaptive UL/DL

Faster TDD switching allows for more flexible capacity allocation



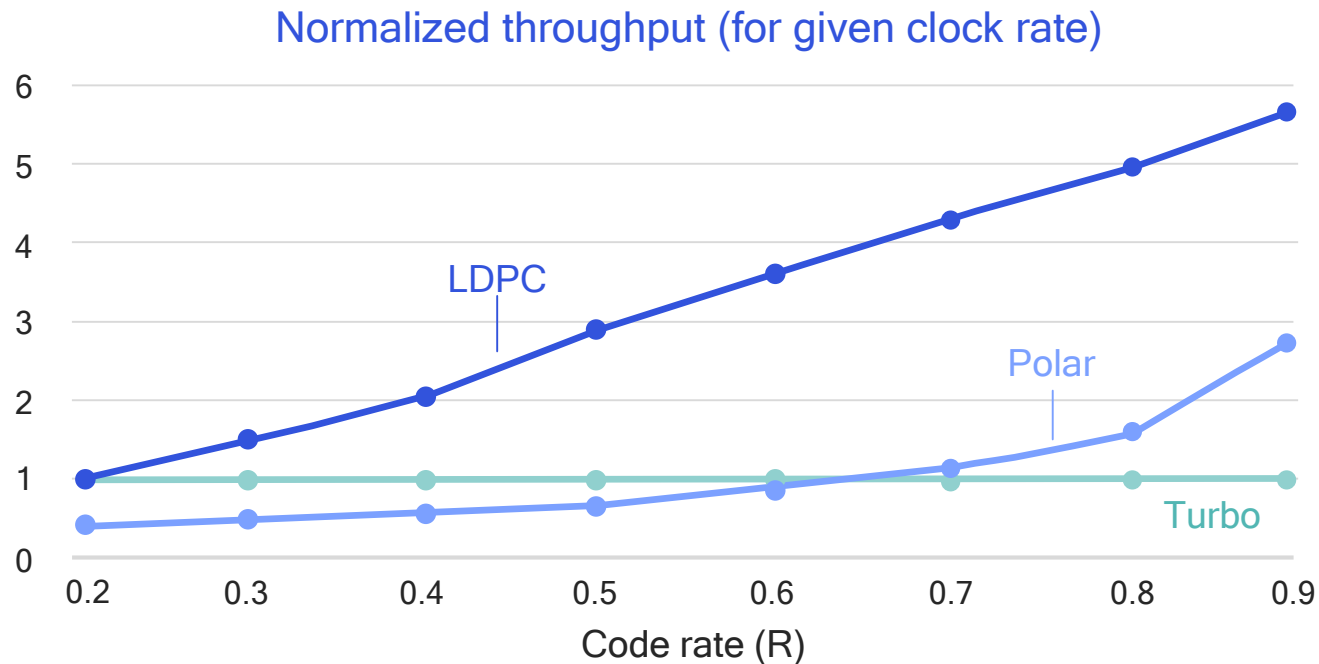
Low latency

Faster TDD turn-around, with opportunity for UL/DL scheduling, data and ACK in the same slot

Efficient massive MIMO

Optimized TDD channel reciprocity with opportunity for SRS¹ every slot

Advanced ME-LDPC¹ channel coding is more efficient than LTE Turbo code at higher data rates



High efficiency

Significant gains over LTE Turbo—particularly for large block sizes suitable for MBB

Low complexity

Easily parallelizable decoder scales to achieve high throughput at low complexity

Low latency

Efficient encoding/decoding enables shorter transmission time at high throughput

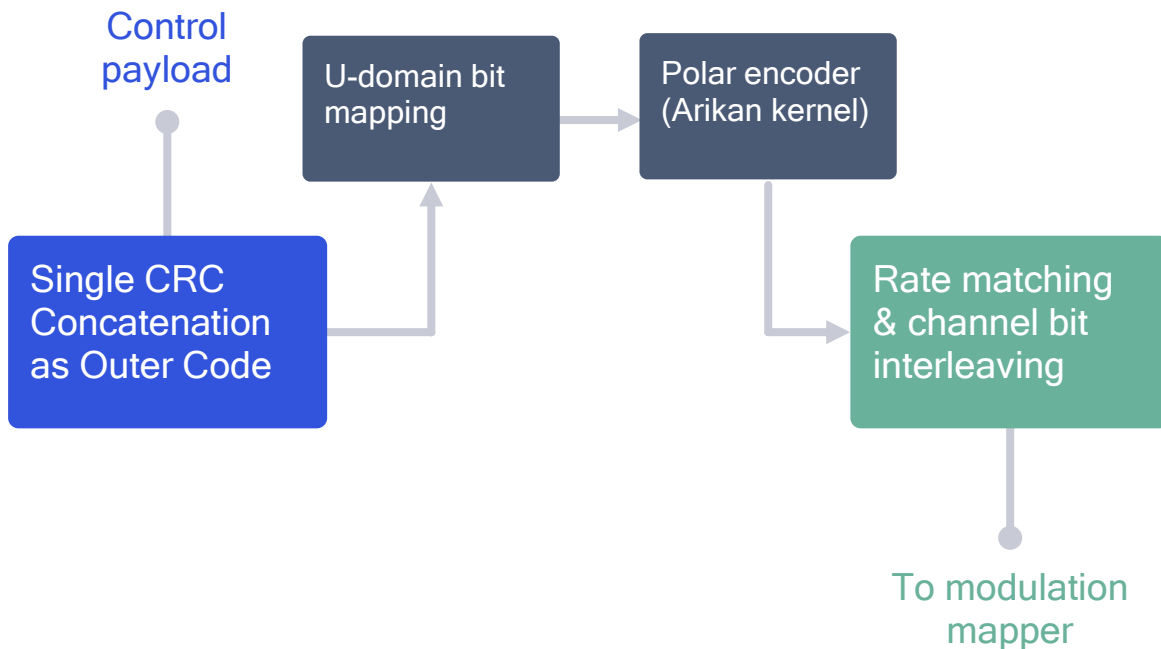
1. Multi-Edge Low-Density Parity-Check

Selected as 5G NR eMBB data channel as part of 3GPP Release-15

Performance gains of CRC-Aided Polar channel coding led to its adoption across many 5G NR control use cases

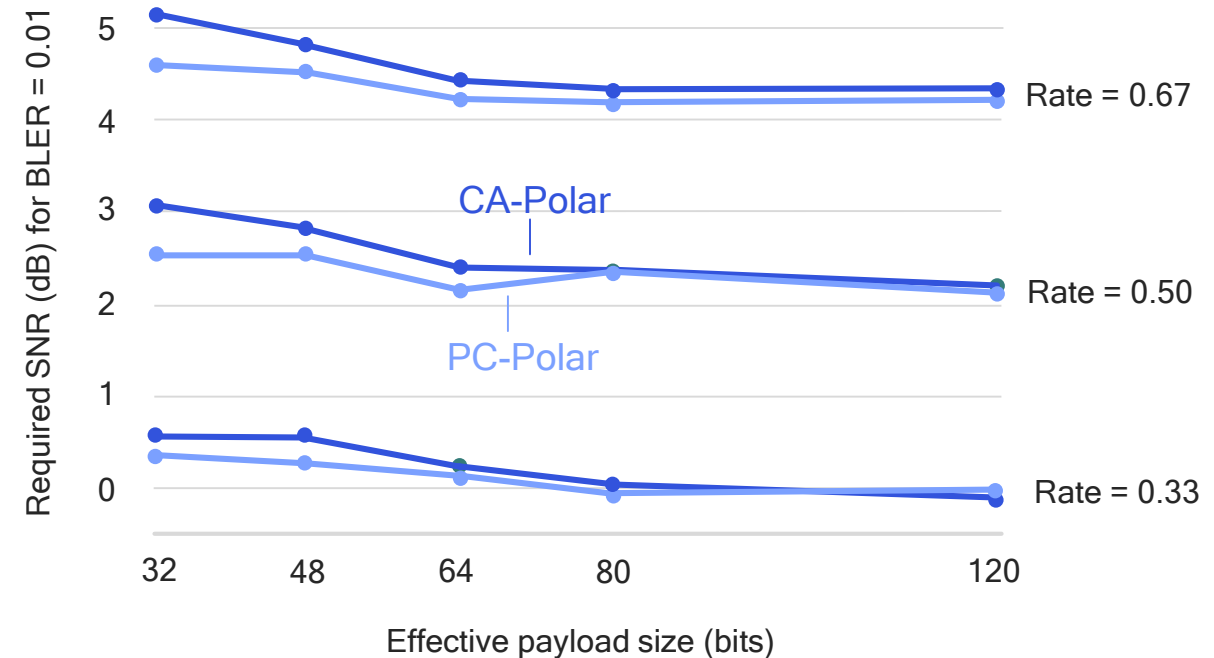
5G NR CRC-Aided (CA-Polar) design

Efficient construction based on single Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC) for joint detection and decoding



Link-level gains of 5G NR CA-Polar design

Versus PC-Polar¹ (lower is better)



5G NR optimized design for massive MIMO

Key enabler for using higher spectrum bands, e.g. 4 GHz, with existing LTE sites

Exploit 3D beamforming with up to 256 antenna elements

Accurate and timely channel knowledge essential to realizing full benefits

Mitigate UL coverage with 5G NR massive MIMO + HPUE³

5G NR co-located with existing LTE macro sites

UL SRS

CSI-RS

Enabled through an advanced 5G NR end-to-end Massive MIMO design (network and device)

Optimized design for TDD reciprocity procedures utilizing UL SRS¹

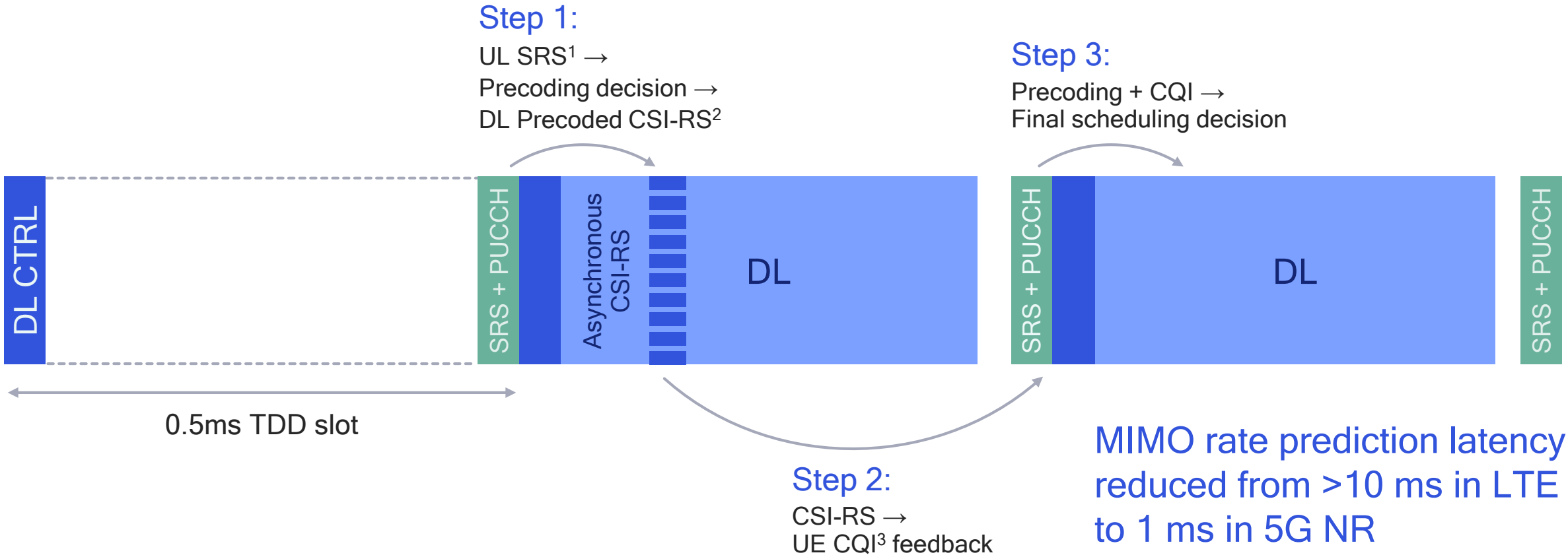
Enhanced CSI-RS² design and reporting mechanism

Advanced, high-spatial resolution codebook supporting up to 256 antennas

New features, such as distributed MIMO

5G NR optimized design for TDD reciprocity procedures

5G NR slot structure and enhanced Ref Signals enable fast/accurate feedback



*Sub-6 GHz, macro cell numerology, 30 kHz tone spacing; Channel sounding opportunity increases from <= 200 Hz with LTE to 2 kHz with 5G NR.
1. Sounding Reference Signal. 2. Channel State Information Reference Signal. 3. Channel Quality Indicator



SU MIMO

Massive MIMO



5G Macro
Massive MIMO

Coverage Benefits

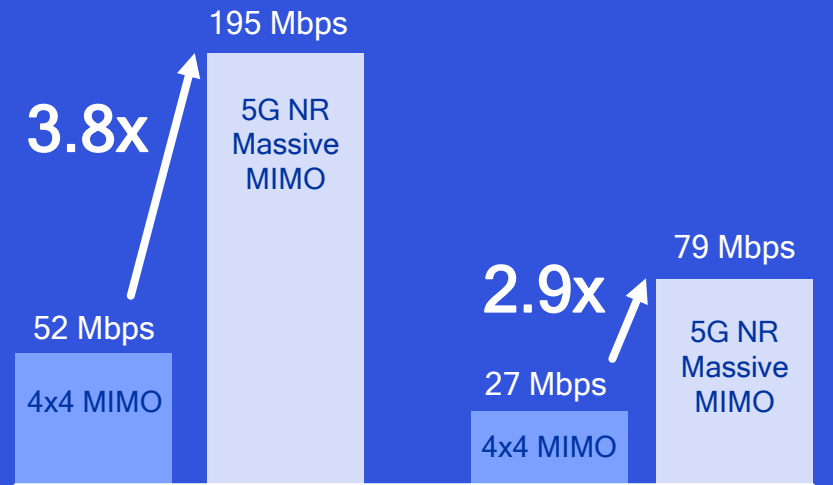
User Experience Improvement

Low Latency Services

Single Subframe Animation

5G NR massive MIMO increases coverage & capacity

Faster, more uniform data rates throughout cell



Median Burst Rate

Cell-edge Burst Rate

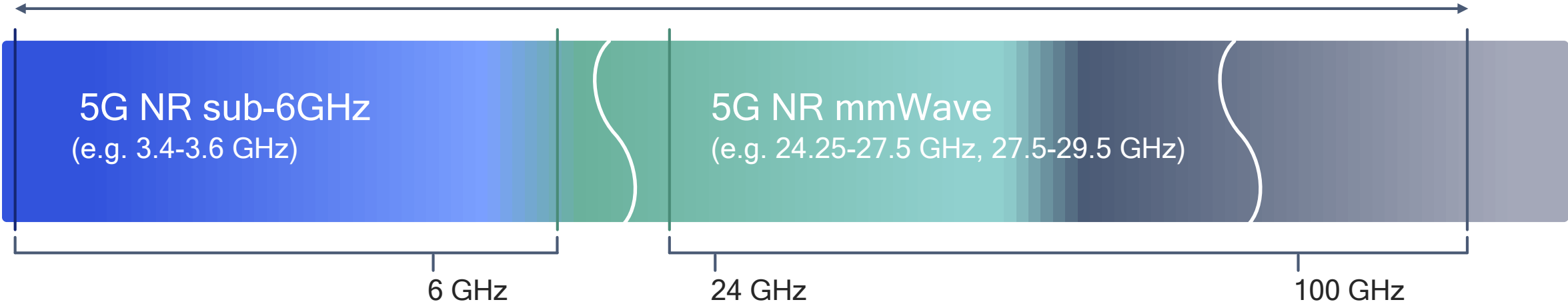
Assumptions: carrier frequency 4GHz; 200m ISD, 200MHz total bandwidth; base station: 256 antenna elements (x-pol), 48dBm Tx power; UE: 4 Tx/Rx antenna elements, 23dBm max. Tx power; full buffer traffic model, 80% indoor and 20% outdoor UEs.

The large bandwidth opportunity for mmWave

The new frontier of mobile broadband



Unified design across diverse spectrum bands/types

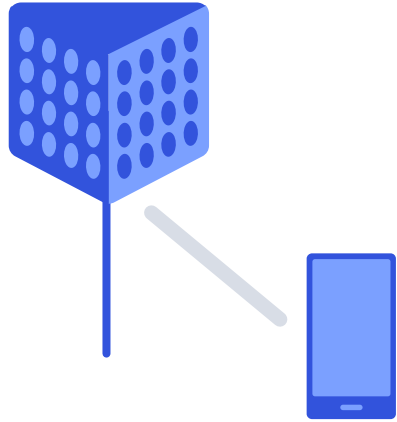


Multi-Gbps data rates
With large bandwidths (100s of MHz)

Much more capacity
With dense spatial reuse

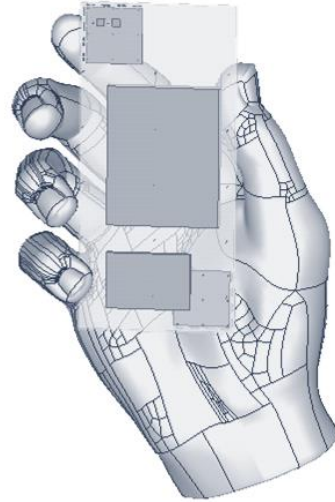
Excels in wider bandwidths
Opens up new opportunities

Overcoming numerous challenges to mobilize mmWave



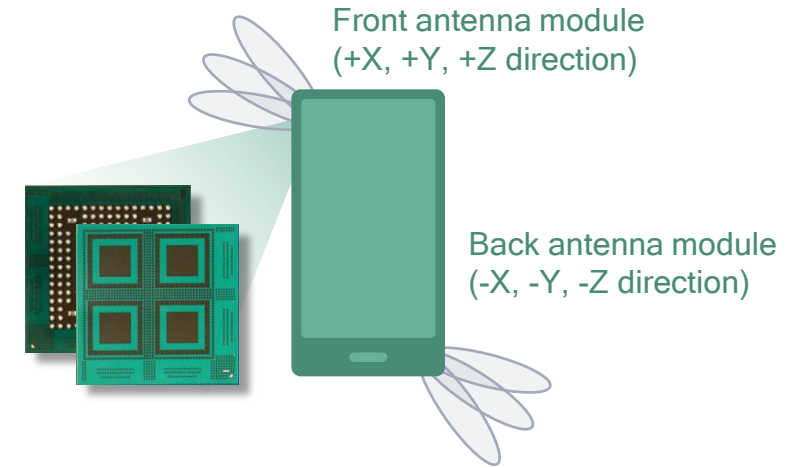
Coverage

Analog beamforming with narrow beamwidth to overcome significant path loss in bands above 24 GHz



Robustness

Adaptive beam steering and switching to overcome blockage from hand, head, body and foliage

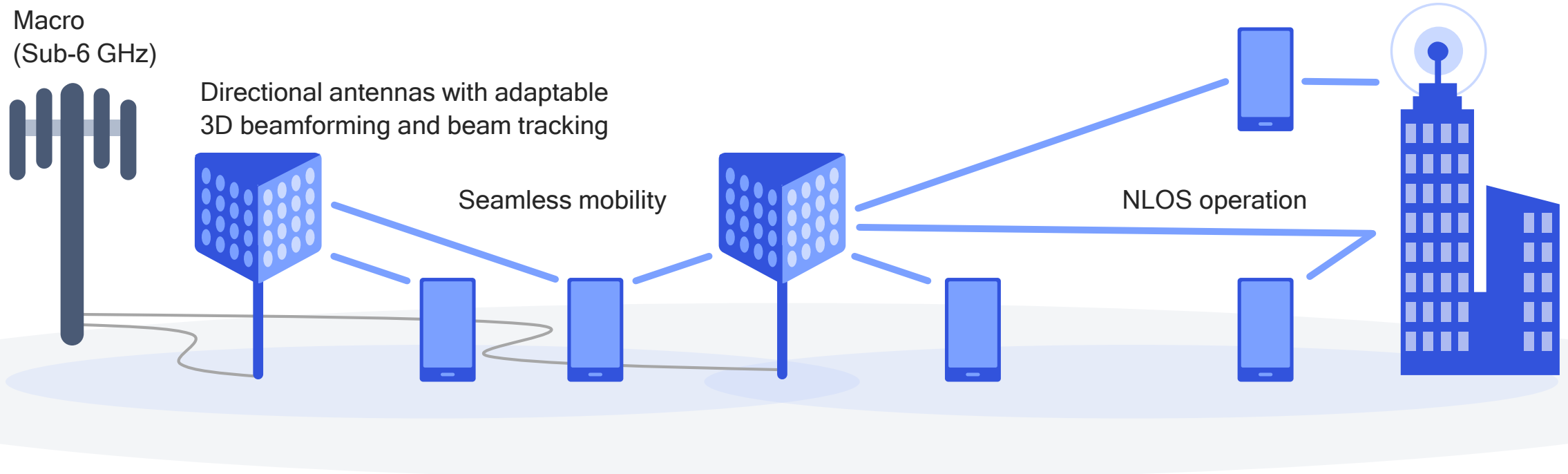


Device size/power

Different antenna configurations (face/edge) to fit mmWave design in smartphone form factor and thermal constraints

Mobilizing mmWave with 5G NR technologies

Key properties for robust mmWave operation in a NLOS mobile environment



Very dense network topology and spatial reuse (~150-200m ISD)

Fast beam steering and switching within an access point

Architecture that allows for fast beam switching across access points

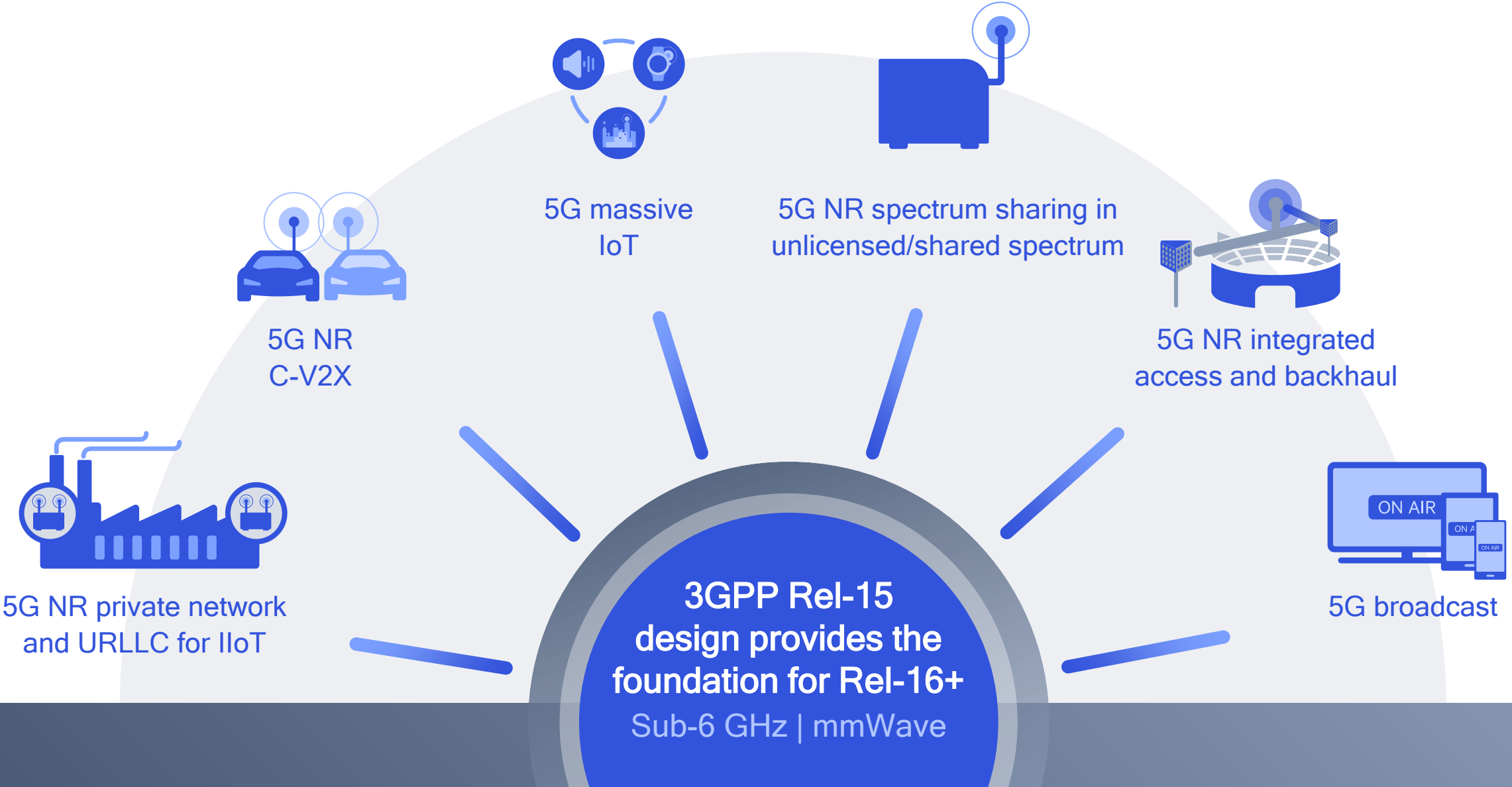
Tight integration with sub-6 GHz (LTE or NR)

Driving 5G NR evolution and expansion

3GPP Release 16 and beyond



Driving a rich 5G roadmap in Release 16 and beyond



Spectrum sharing valuable for wide range of deployments

Licensed spectrum aggregation

Better user experience with higher speeds



Enhanced local broadband

Neutral host, neighborhood network



Private 5G networks

Industrial IoT, Enterprise



Enhancing existing deployments

New types of deployments

Examples today: Gigabit LTE with LAA¹

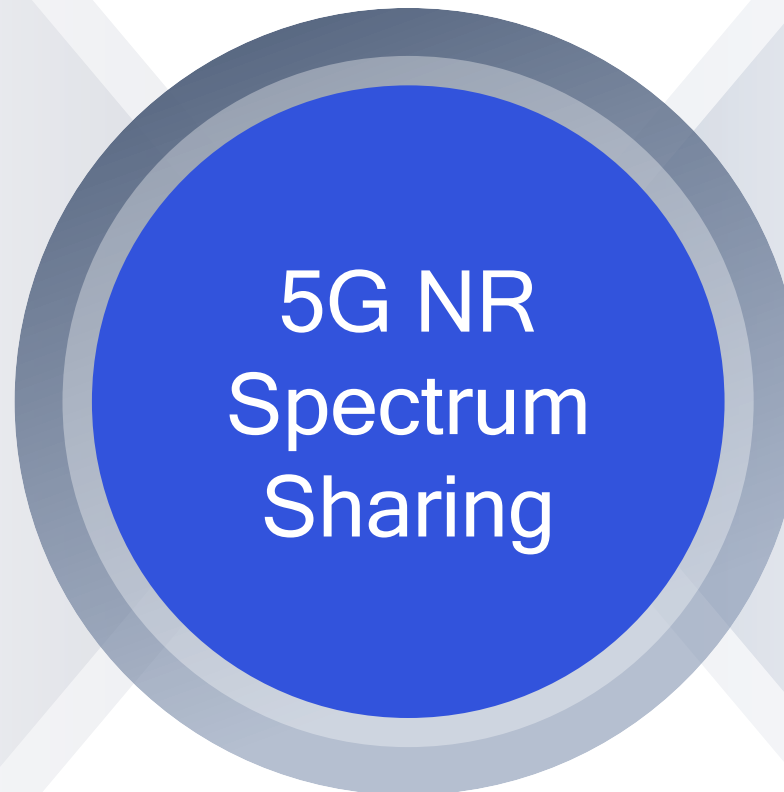
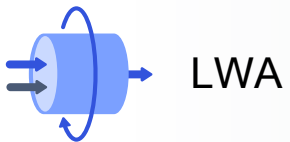
Examples today: Private LTE networks

1. Licensed-Assisted Access (LAA);

5G NR – opportunity for new spectrum sharing paradigms

Building on spectrum sharing technologies that we are pioneering today for LTE

Evolution Path



Revolution Path



Flexible
NR framework



Time synch. and
coordinated sharing



Guaranteed QoS



Exploiting spatial
domain

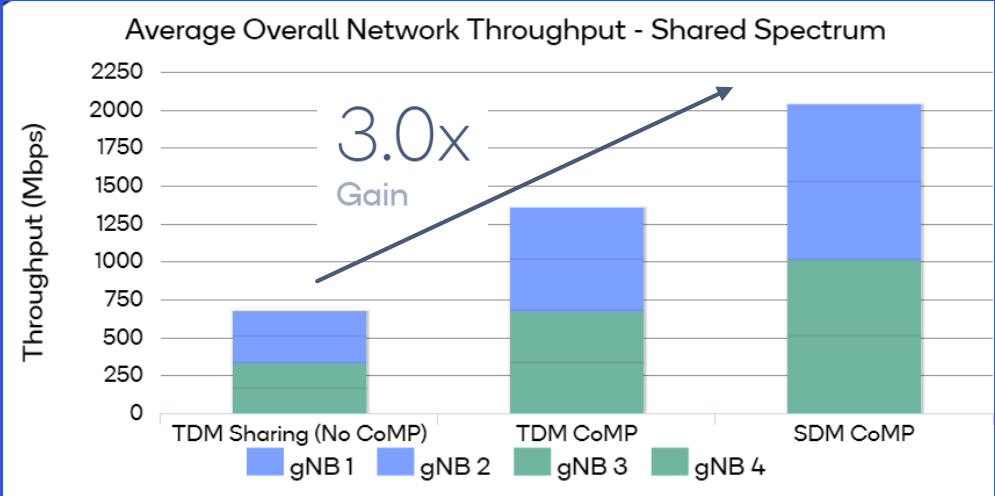
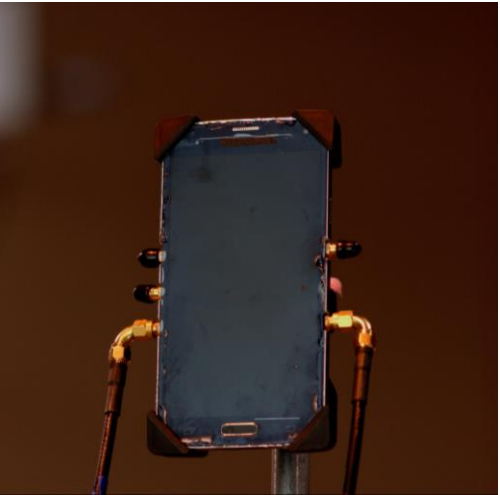


Vertical & horizontal
sharing

Demonstrating the potential new 5G NR spectrum sharing paradigms

Utilizes 5G NR spectrum sharing prototype – designed to also support testing of 5G NR in unlicensed spectrum

Significant performance gains utilizing advanced intra-operator CoMP and inter-operator SDM techniques

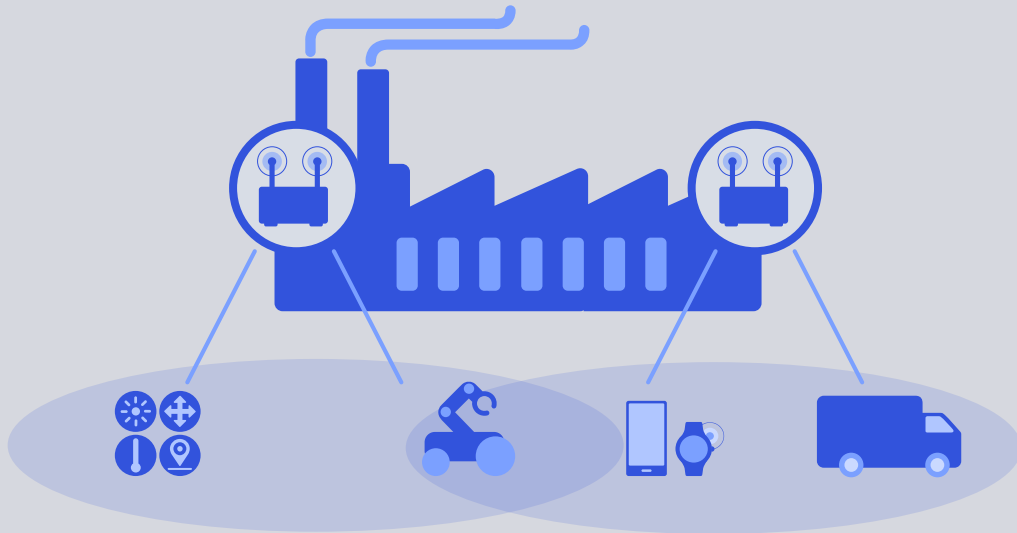


COMP = Coordinated Multi-Point
SDM = Spatial Domain Multiplexing

Private 5G NR networks for Industrial IoT use cases

Optimizing LTE for the industrial IoT

Scalable from Gigabit LTE to LTE IoT



New opportunities with 5G NR capabilities

Advanced capabilities in 3GPP Release 15 Study Items¹



Ultra-reliable
low-latency



Time-sensitive
networking



mmWave for
extreme eMBB



Wireless industrial
ethernet

1. TR 22.821 Feasibility Study on LAN Support in 5G and TR 22.804 Study on Communication for Automation in Vertical Domain

Optimized

Tailored for industrial applications,
e.g., QoS, latency, security

Dedicated

Easy to deploy small-cells, hosted
or self-contained core network

On-premise

Locally managed,
sensitive data stays local

Private 5G NR network enables the next Industrial Revolution

New capabilities

- URLLC – ultra-reliable, low-latency
- Time sensitive networking

Large cellular ecosystem

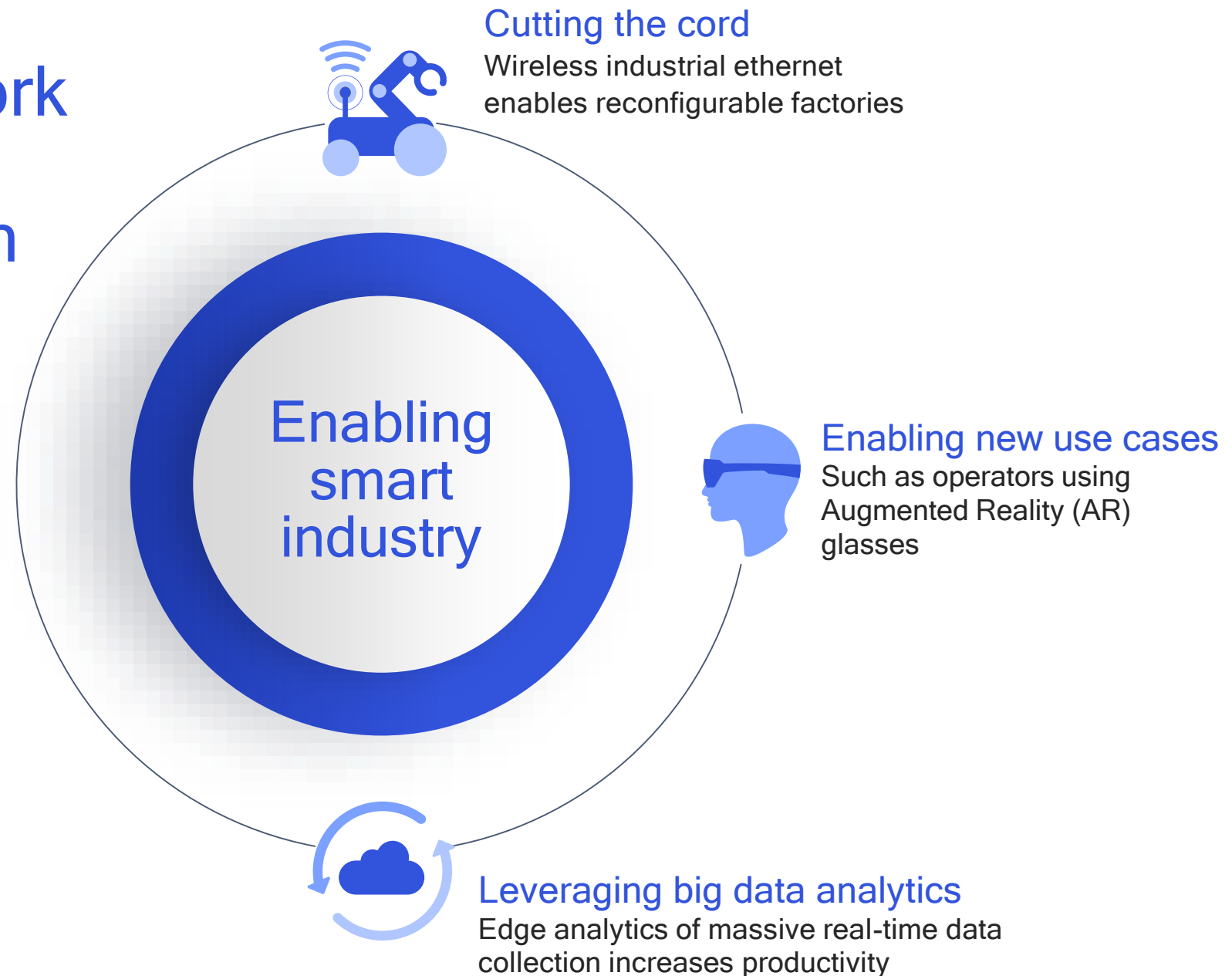
- Global solutions
- Certified interoperability

More spectrum

- Licensed, shared, unlicensed
- Low, mid, mmWave spectrum

Single network for the entire factory

- Multimode network supporting LTE & 5G NR
- Scalable to all connectivity needs



Industry-first demo of wireless PROFINET Industrial Ethernet over 5G NR

Showcases precise command-and-control of high-demand factory apps



Previews new use cases for 5G NR URLLC with sub-millisecond latencies



Highlights factory automation use case with 5G NR Private Networks



Enables wireline replacement and reconfigurable factories: a key concept of Industry 4.0



Long range

To reach challenging locations by achieving device link budget of 164 dB¹



Power efficient

To realize 10+ year device battery life² and 100x network energy efficiency³



Massive scale

To efficiently support dense connections of 1+ million devices/km²



Scaling for the massive Internet of Things

Extreme simplicity

To allow scaling to the lowest-end use cases with e.g., single Rx antenna

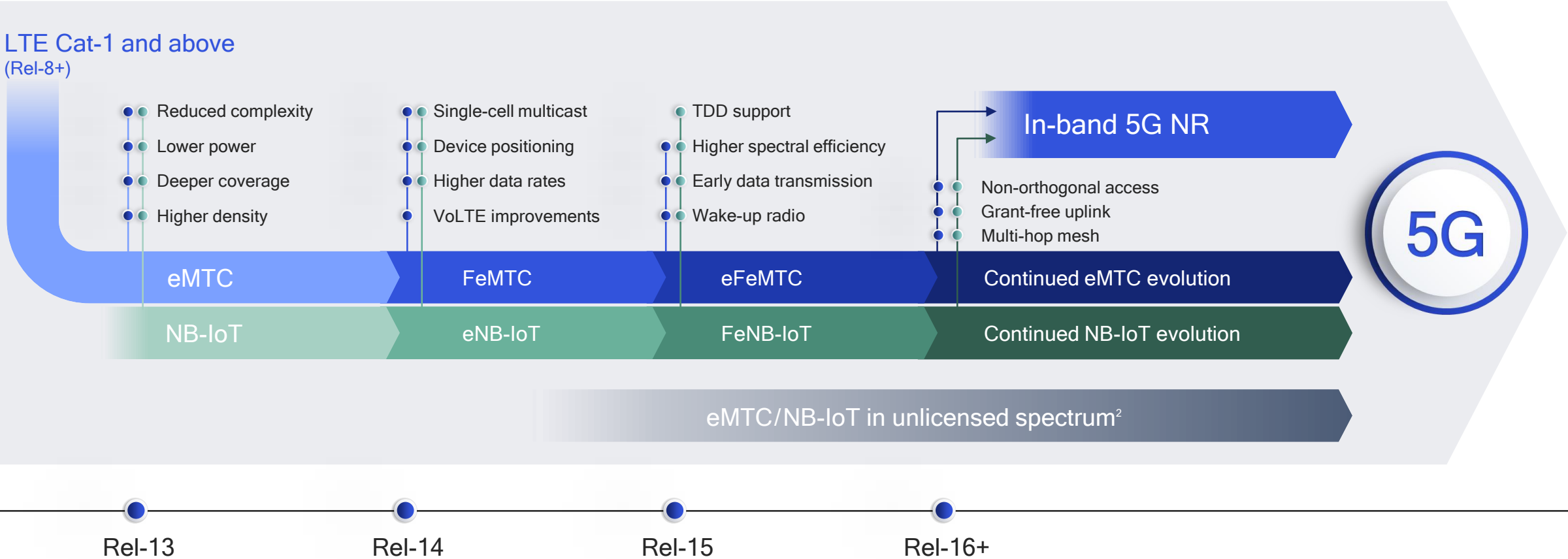


Addressing the growing needs of low-power, wide-area IoT use cases

1. Maximum Coupling Loss, assuming data rate of 160bps; 2. Assuming 200B UL + 20B DL per day at 164 MCL with 5Wh battery; 3. Compared to IMT-Advanced

Continued evolution to meet tomorrow's massive IoT needs

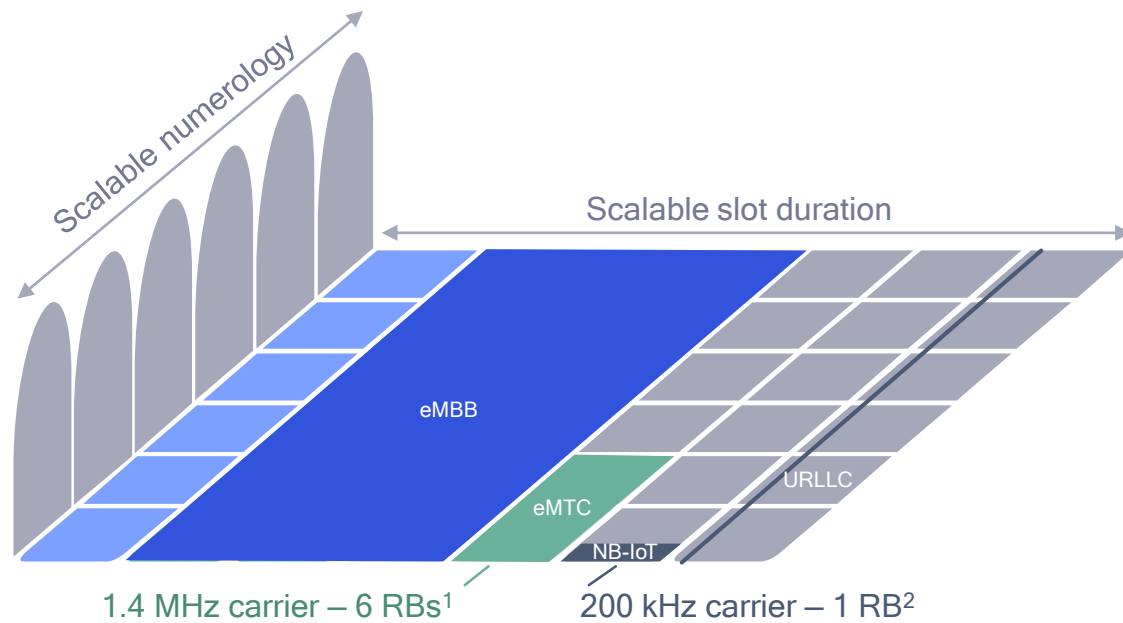
Essential to 5G – LTE IoT to be submitted to meet IMT-2020¹ requirements



1. Defined in ITU Recommendation ITU-R M.2083-0, September, 2015; 2. Standardization in MulteFire Alliance

5G NR IoT to fully leverage the LTE IoT evolution

Enabled by in-band deployment of LTE IoT in 5G NR spectrum



In-band eMTC / NB-IoT support in Rel-16

5G NR 2ⁿ scaling of 15 kHz subcarrier spacing is natively compatible with eMTC and NB-IoT numerologies

Agnostic to core networks

Both 5G NR deployment options – NSA with LTE EPC and SA with 5G core – support eMTC and NB-IoT evolution

Advanced features coming in Rel-16+

Non-orthogonal access, grant-free uplink, and multi-hop mesh will deliver even better performance and efficiency

1. Cat-M1 uses 6 Resource Blocks (RBs) with 12 tones per RB at 15 kHz SCS; 2. Cat-NB1 uses 1 Resource Block (RB) with 12 tones with 12 tones per RB at 15 kHz SCS, single-tone option also available

5G NR

Flexible framework designed to support future evolution addressing even broader IoT use cases such as latency sensitive applications

V2V

Vehicle-to-vehicle
e.g., collision avoidance safety systems



V2I

Vehicle-to-infrastructure
e.g., traffic signal timing/priority



V2P

Vehicle-to-pedestrian
e.g., safety alerts to pedestrians, bicyclists



V2N

Vehicle-to-network
e.g., real-time traffic/routing, cloud services



Enhanced range and reliability for direct communication without network assistance

C-V2X

Establishes the foundation for safety use cases and a continued 5G NR C-V2X evolution for future autonomous vehicles

- ✓ C-V2X Release 14 completed in 2017
- 5G Broad industry support – 5GAA
- 🌐 Global trials started in 2017
- 🚗 Our 1st announced C-V2X product in September, 2017

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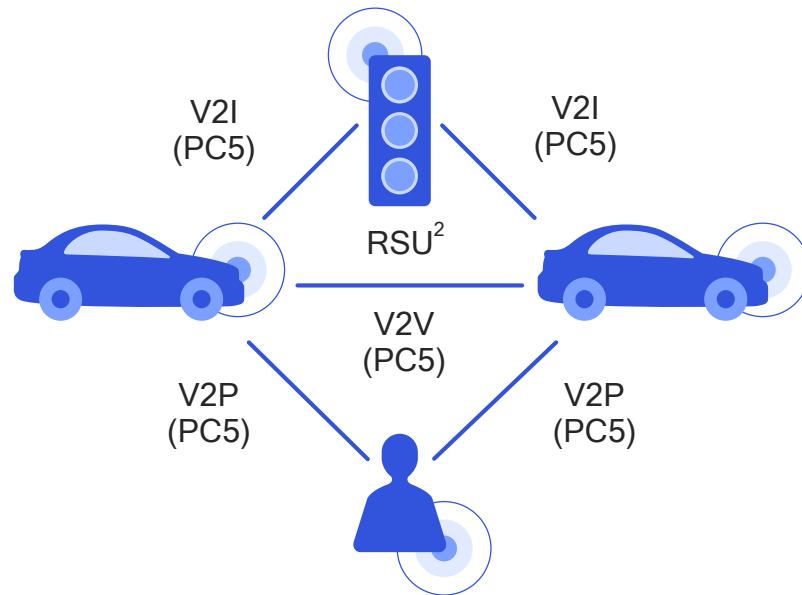
C-V2X enables network independent communication

Direct safety communication independent of cellular network

Low latency Vehicle to Vehicle (V2V), Vehicle to Infrastructure (V2I), and Vehicle to Person (V2P) operating in ITS bands (e.g. 5.9 GHz)

Direct PC5 interface

e.g. location, speed, local hazards

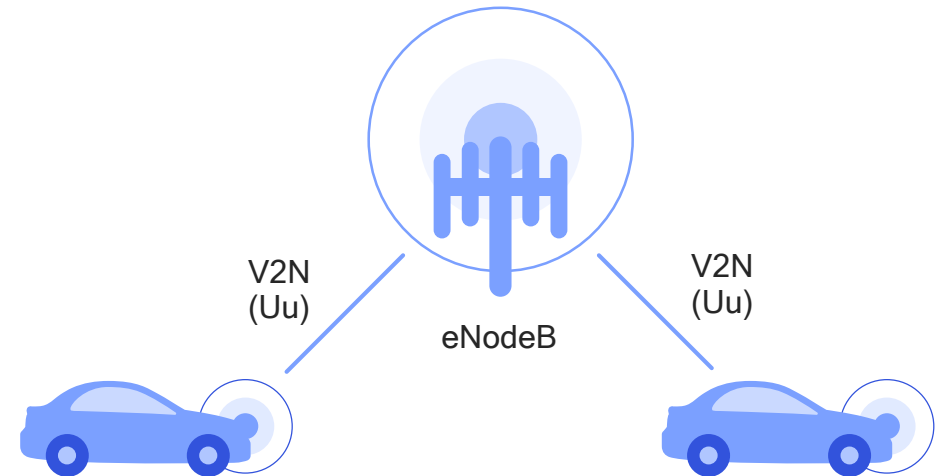


Network communications for complementary services

Vehicle to Network (V2N) operates in a mobile operator's licensed spectrum

Network Uu interface

e.g. accident 2 kilometer ahead



1. PC5 operates on 5.9GHz; whereas, Uu operates on commercial cellular licensed spectrum 2. RSU stands for roadside unit. 3. 3GPP also defines a mode, where eNodeB helps coordinate C-V2X Direct Communication; 4. GNSS is required for V2X technologies, including 802.11p, for positioning. Timing is calculated as part of the position calculations and it requires smaller number of satellites than those needed for positioning

C-V2X has a strong evolution path towards 5G NR

While maintaining backward capabilities

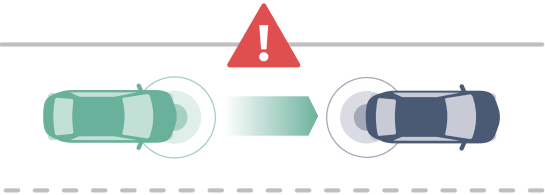
Evolution to 5G NR, while being backward compatible
C-V2X Rel-14 is necessary and operates with Rel-16

Basic and enhanced safety

C-V2X Rel-14/Rel-15 with enhanced range and reliability

Basic safety

IEEE 802.11p



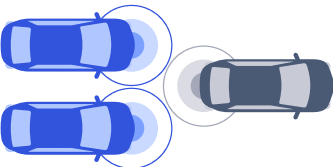
Autonomous driving use cases

5G NR C-V2X Rel-16

Backward compatible with Rel-14/Rel-15 enabled vehicles

Higher throughput
Higher reliability

Wideband ranging/positioning
Lower latency



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