

Feeling the (Pain of) Convergence: mmWave, 5G, SDN, NFV, IoT, ION, MEC, ...

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Expectation Always Grows with Success!

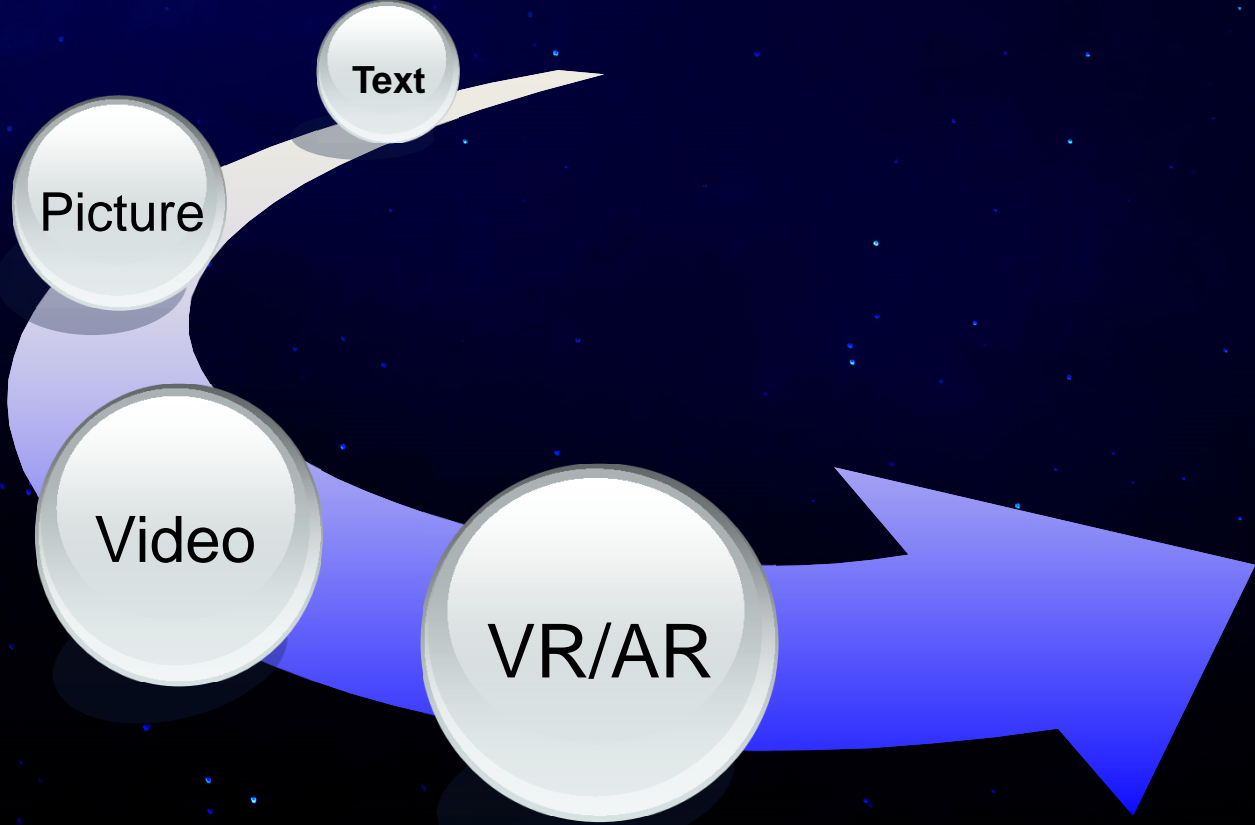
Expectation for runners:

- When you run 100 meters in 10 seconds, you are expected to run it in 9.5 seconds
- When you reach 9.5 seconds, you are expected to run it in 9 seconds
- You will always be expected for something newer and harder!

Expectation for the Internet

- TCP/IP was initially expected to send/receive “lettergrams”
- When the Internet can successfully support “textual” applications, it is expected to support “image applications”
- When the internet can support “voice applications”, it is expected to support “video” applications
- When the internet can support video applications, it is expected to support “immersive experience” applications. But can it really support it?

Evolution of Internet Applications



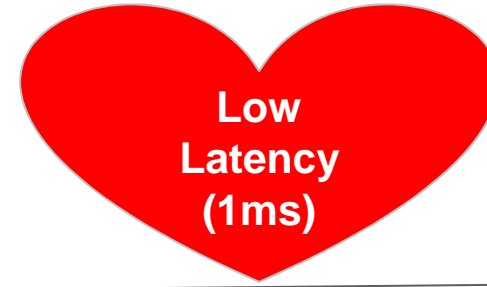
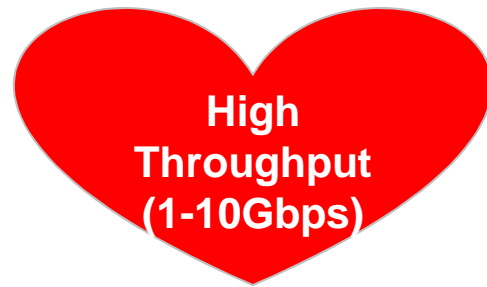
AR/VR: New Way to Live, to Play, to Work, to Share, to Design, to Experience, to Go beyond the Screen



Source: Modification of <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aThCr0PsyuA>

Can the Internet Support any New Applications?

New Requirements



Obstacles

Physics

- ❖ Light speed: 300km/ms

Protocols

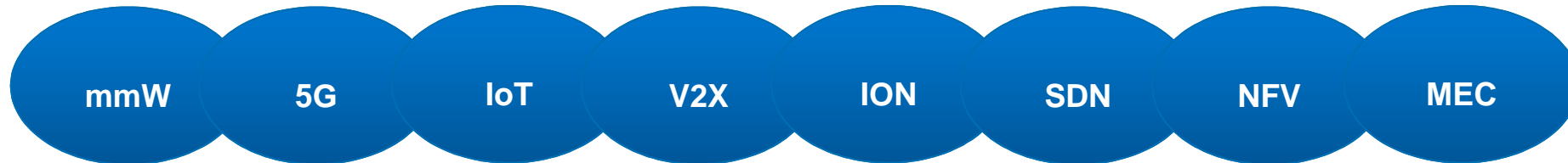
- ❖ 40-year old design

Real Transport: 100km/ms

Economics

- ❖ CapEx
- ❖ OpEx

Emerging Technologies



Panelists

- **Tommy Svensson:** Challenges and Opportunities with mm-wave Communications in 5G
- **Valerio Frascolla:** Mobile Edge Computing, a key building block for 5G networks
- **Eugen Borcoci:** Centralized SDN control in distributed IoT environment - is it possibly an efficient cooperation ?

Thank you

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SDN, NFV, MEC.. in IoT Environment?

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Facts:

- **Internet and Telecom convergence** → **Integrated networks: Future Internet**
- **Novel services, applications and communication paradigms**
 - **Internet of Things (IoT) and Smart cities, M2M and Vehicular communications, Content/media oriented communications, Social networks,**
 - **Internet of Everything (IoE), etc.**
- **Novel, emergent technologies** are changing networks and services architectures :
 - ***Supporting technologies***
 - ***Cloud Computing***
 - ***Fog/Edge Computing /Mobile Edge Computing /Cloudlets***
 - ***Software Defined Networks (SDN)***
 - ***Network Function Virtualization (NFV)***
 - ***Advances in wireless technologies: 4G-LTE, LTE-A, WiFi, 5G***

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■ Software Defined Networking (SDN)

- SDN – applicable in Clouds, WANs, IoT, vehicular, 5G

■ SDN concepts and advantages:

- **Control Plane (CPI) and Data Plane (DPI) separation**
- **centralized logical control and view** of the network
 - underlying network infrastructure is abstracted to applications
 - common APIs (northbound I/F)
- Open I/Fs Southbound I/F CPI (controllers - DPI elements)
 - E.g. OpenFlow
- **Network programmability**: by external applications including network management and control
- **Independency of operators** w.r.t. network equipment vendors
- Increased network reliability and security

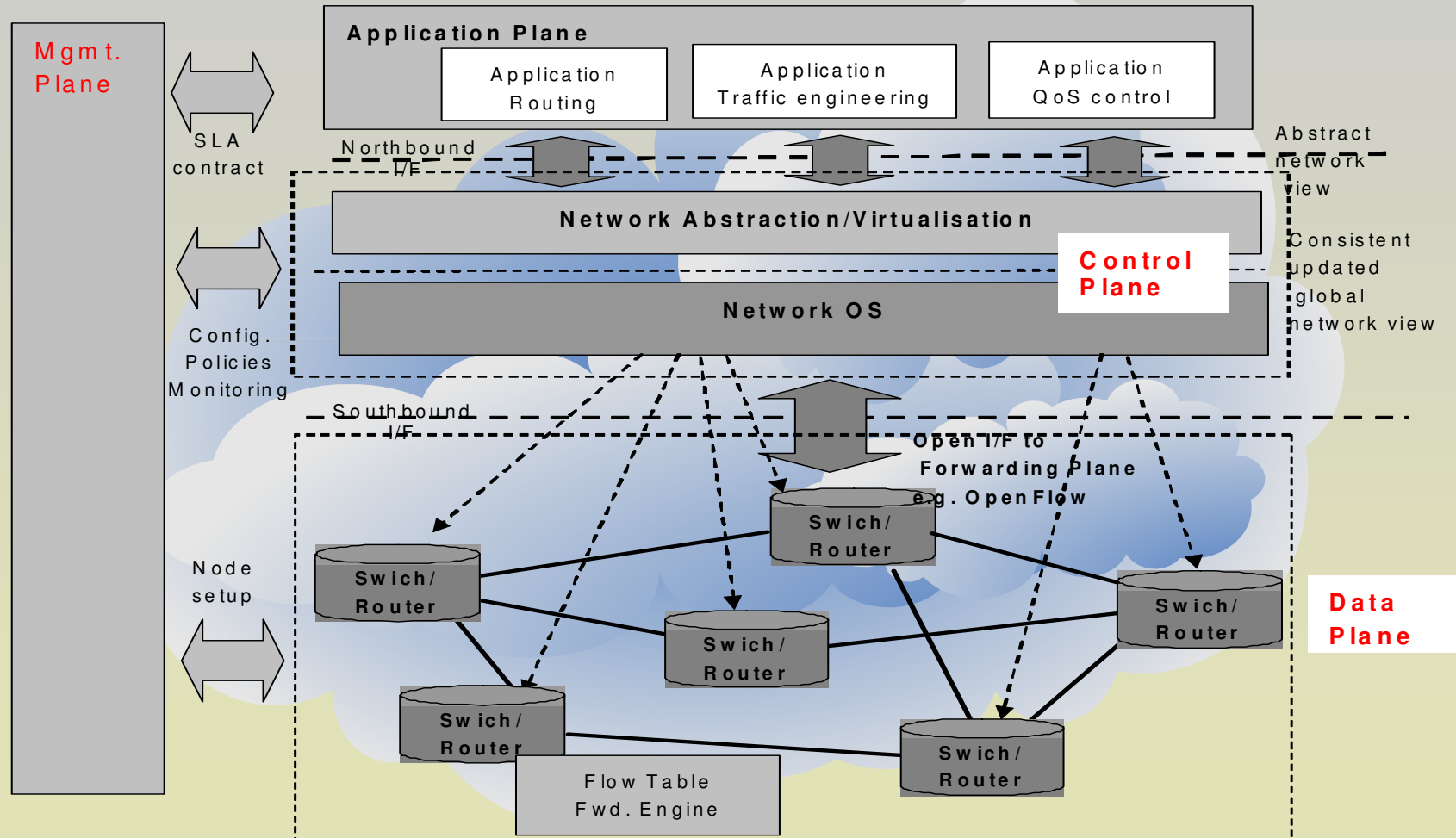
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SDN –architectural planes separation



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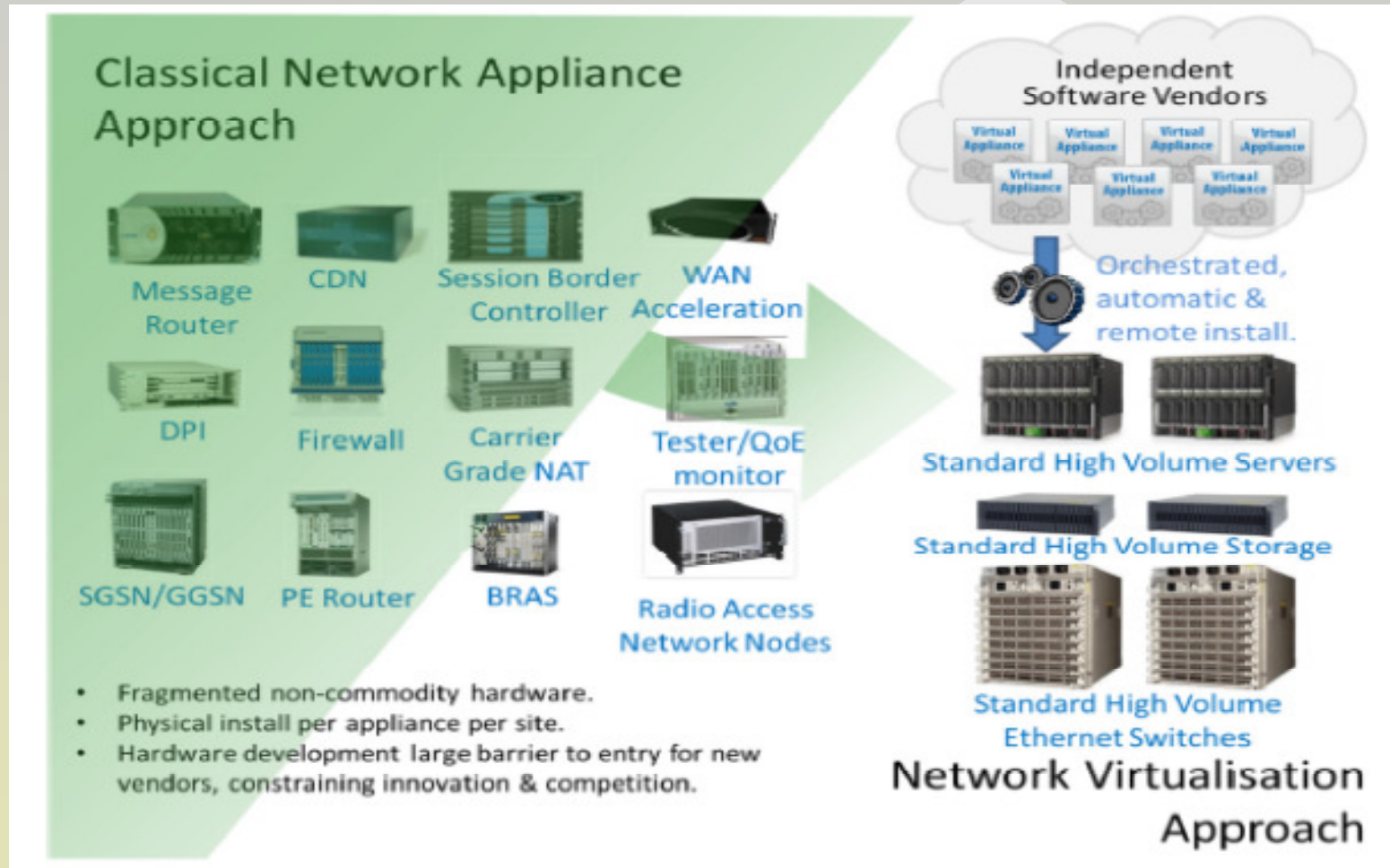


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- **Network Function Virtualization (NFV)**
 - Using COTS computing HW to provide **Virtualized Network Functions (VNFs)**
 - Sharing of HW and reducing the number of different HW arch.
 - **High flexibility in assigning VNFs to HW**
 - better scalability (hope)
 - decouples functionality from location
 - enables time of day reuse
 - **Virtualization-** → flexibility and resource sharing
 - **Rapid service innovation** through SW -based service deployment
 - Higher **operational efficiencies**
 - **Reduced power consumption**
 - (VNF migration, instantiation, ...)
 - **Standardized and open I/Fs:** between VNFs infrastructure and mgmt. entities

NFV vision (source : ETSI)





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- **SDN and NFV –complementary (orthogonal?)**
 - SDN - **horizontal** separation in planes
 - NFV - **vertical** separation : HW/SW (applicable in both CPI and DPI)
 - They can be developed together
 - NFV provides functionalities
 - SDN provides “Tools”

- Cooperation
 - ETSI
 - ONF
 - IETF
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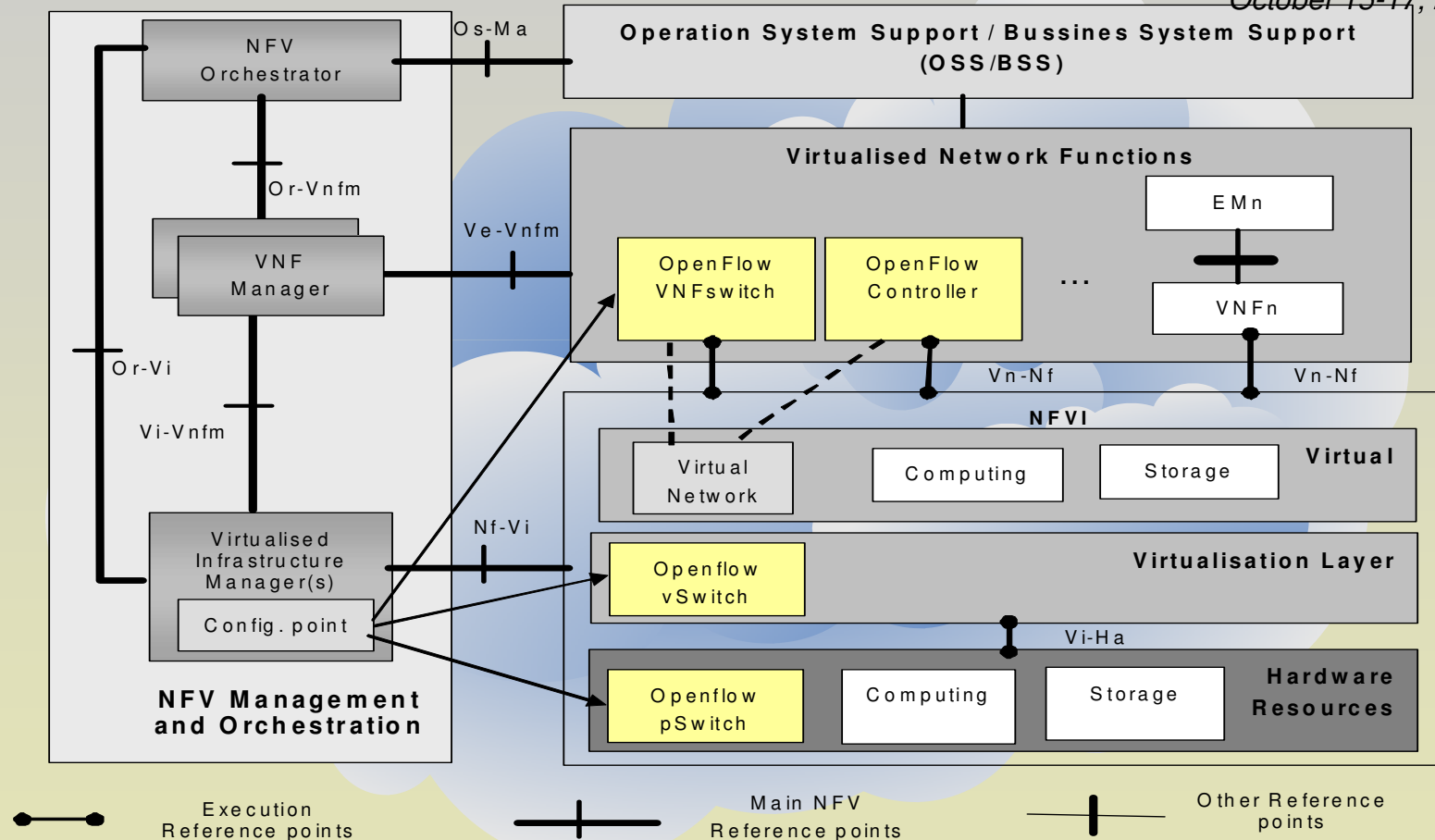


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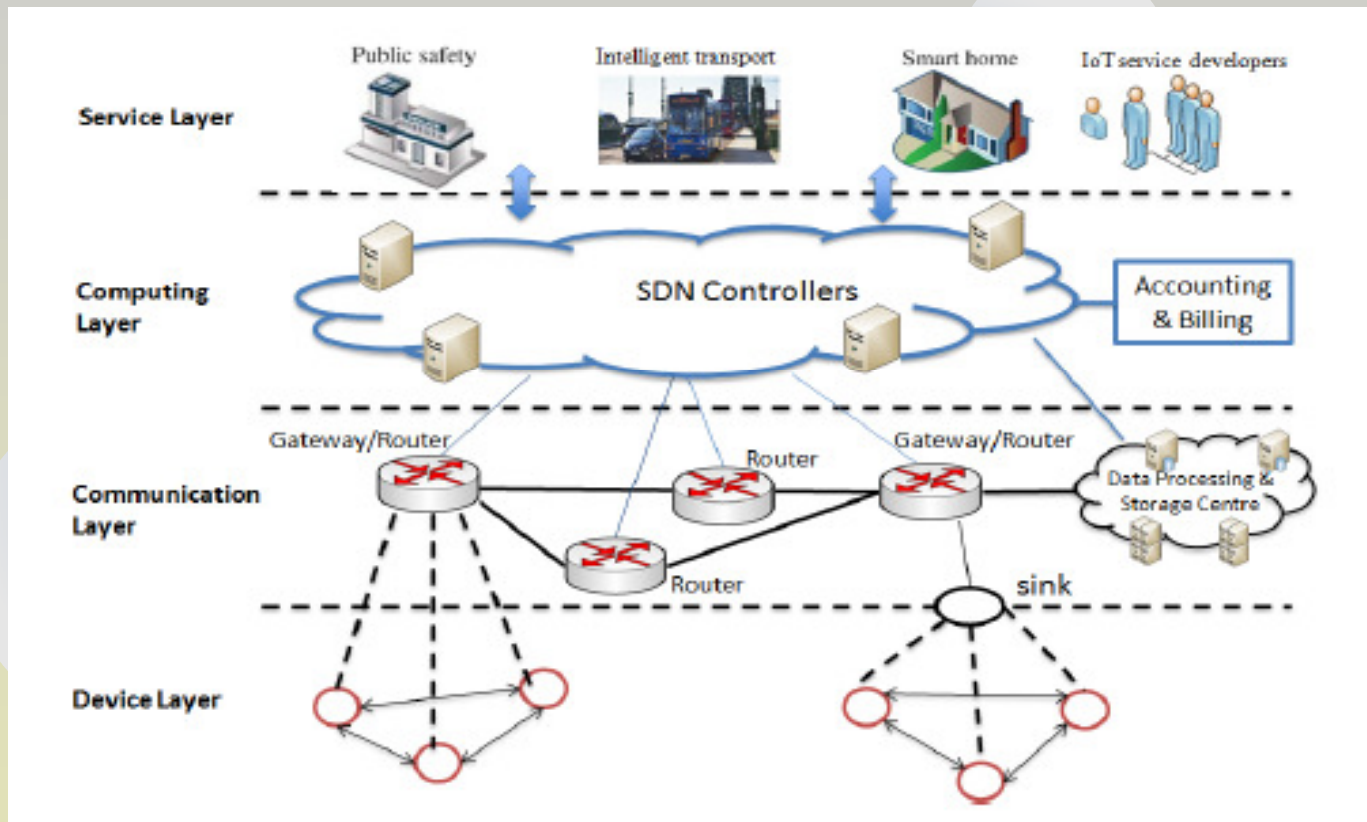
SDN and NFV –are complementary- example

Source: "SDN and OpenFlow World Congress", Frankfurt, October 15-17, 2013



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- SDN control of IoT- example 1



Source: Y.Li, et.al, "A SDN-based Architecture for Horizontal Internet of Things Services", ICC Conference, 2016

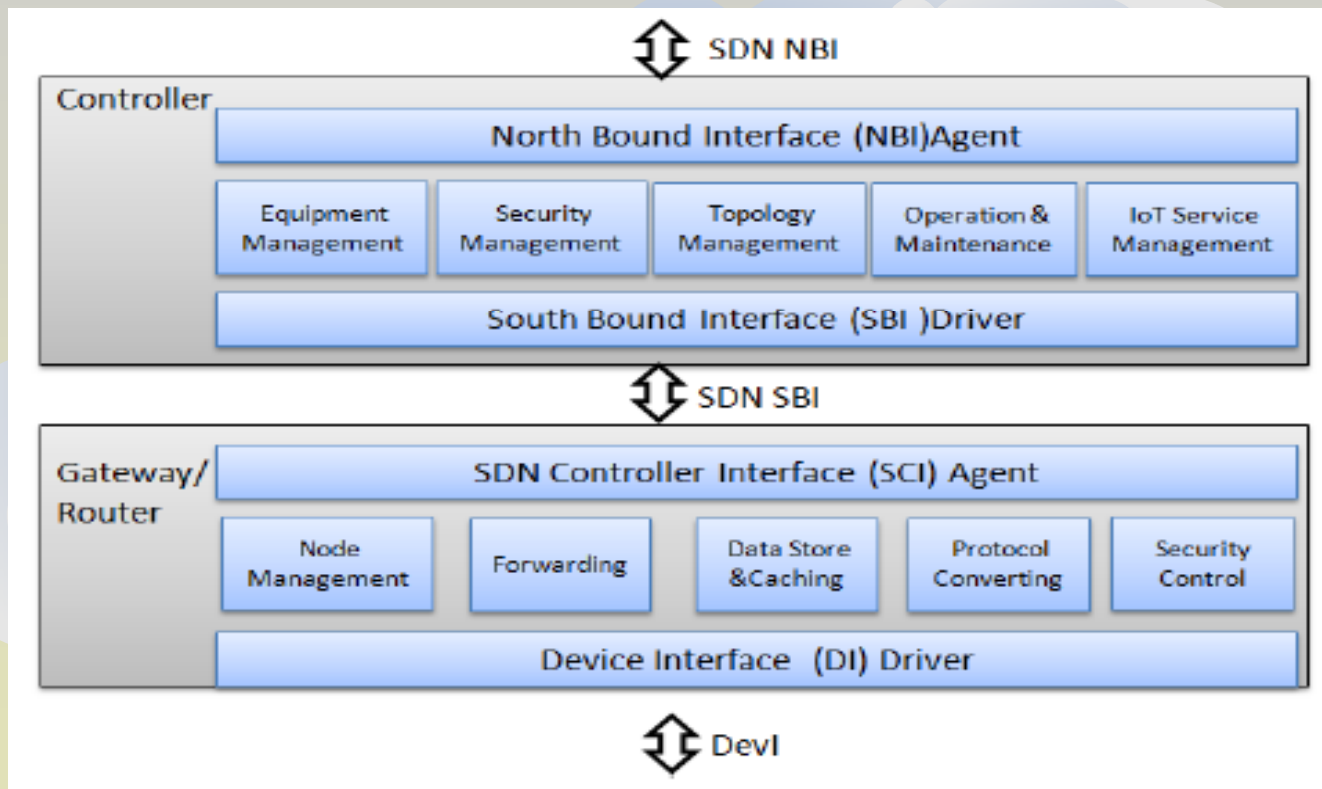
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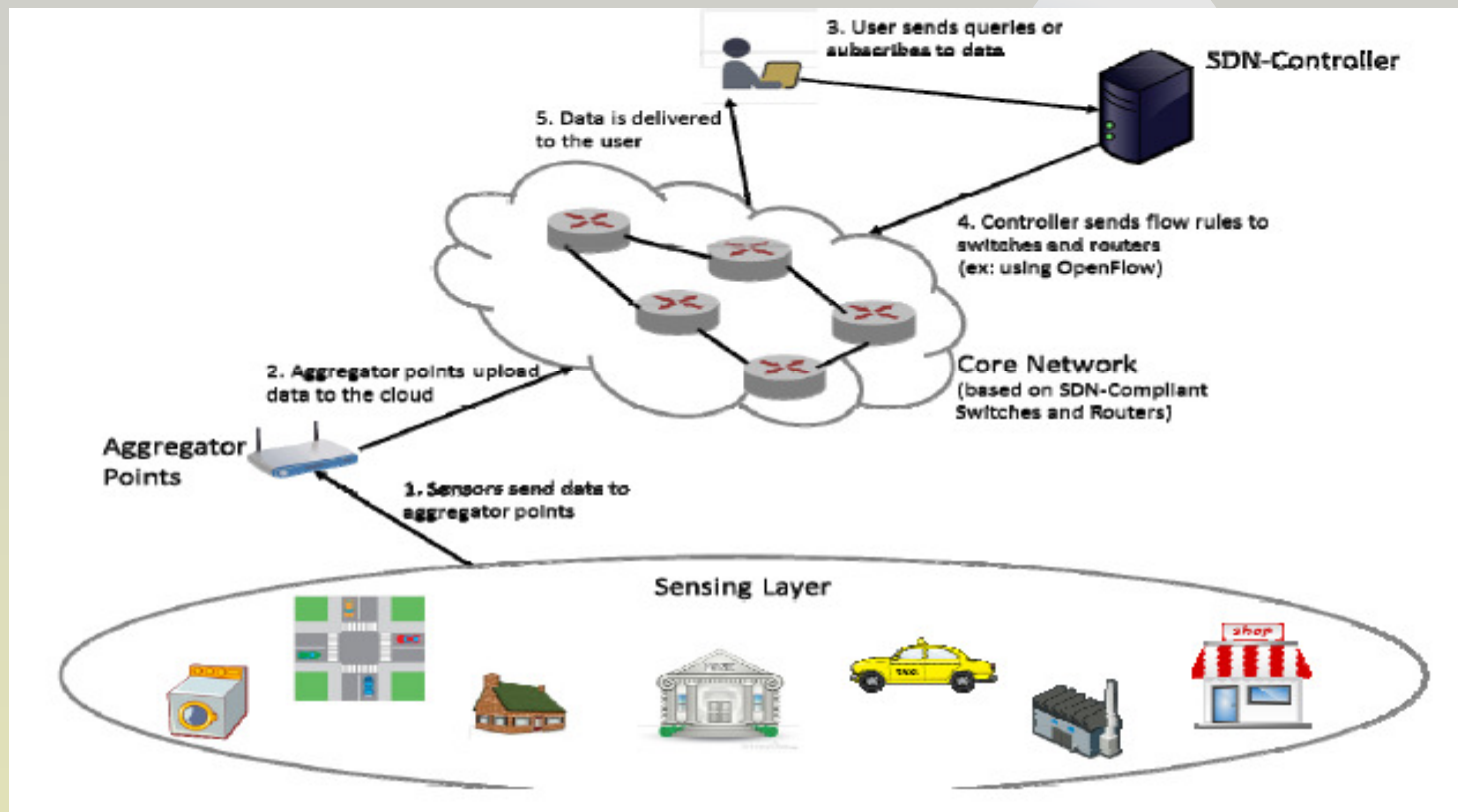
- SDN control of IoT- example 1 (cont'd)
- Functional modules of the controller and gateways



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- SDN control of IoT- example 2 (ICN-style architecture)

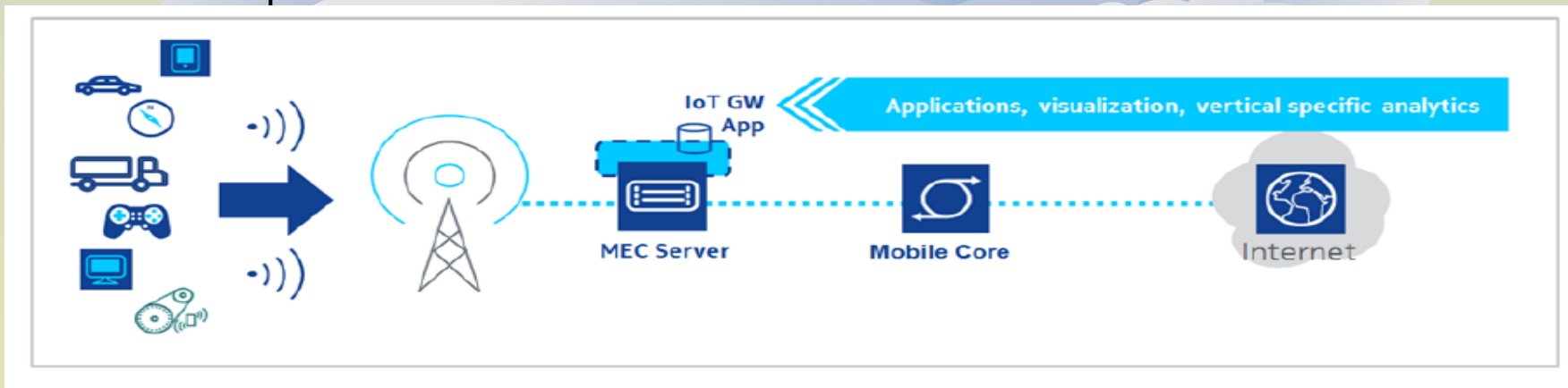


Source: Amr El-Mougy, et.al., "Software-Defined Wireless Network Architectures for the Internet-of-Things", LCN 2015, Florida, USA

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MEC Use Cases example- IoT

- Internet of Things (IoT)
 - IoT devices: Often limited (processor, memory capacity) → need for messages aggregation , security , low latency ..
 - r.t. capability → grouping of sensors and devices is needed for efficient service.
 - Possible Solutions:
 - IoT manipulated close to the devices (e.g., MEC server)
 - This also provides an analytics processing capability and a low latency response time.



Source: Yun Chao Hu et.al., "Mobile Edge Computing A key technology towards 5G" ETSI White Paper No. 11 September 2015, ISBN No. 979-10-92620-08-5

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- **Conclusions**
- Significant effort exist towards convergence/cooperation
- **Technologies**
 - SDN- NFV
 - SDN- NFV- 4G-5G
 - CC- EC/Fog- 5G
 - EC/Fog-MEC- Cloudlets
 - CC-SDN-NFV- IoV
 - CC-SDN-NFV- IoT
- **Issues: eliminate parallelism and overlapping between standardization efforts.....**
- **Different functional and business aspects**
 - Management and control
 - Slicing and virtualization
 - Security, privacy
 - Scalability
 - Interoperability
 - Seamless deployment characteristics
 - Support for apps and services
- **New business models**
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- **Backup slides**



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List of Acronyms

- BS Base Station
- BSS Business Support System
- CC Cloud Computing
- CCN Content Centric Networking
- COTS Commercial-off-the-Shelf
- EC Edge Computing
- EPC Evolved Packet Core
- ETSI European Telecommunications Standards Institute
- FC Fog Computing
- FCN Fog Computing Node
- IoT Internet of Things
- LTE Long Term Evolution
- MEC Mobile Edge Computing
- M&O Management and Orchestration
- MME Mobility Management Entity
- NF Network Function
- NFV Network Functions Virtualization
- NFVI Network Functions Virtualization Infrastructure
- NO Network Operator
- NP Network Provider
- NS Network Service
- OSS Operations Support System
- SDN Software Defined Network
- SLA Service Level Agreement
- SP Service Provider

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Intro to Panel on “Feeling the Pain of Convergence: mmWave, 5G, SDN, NFV, IoT, ION, MEC, ...”

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METIS Scenarios and Test Cases

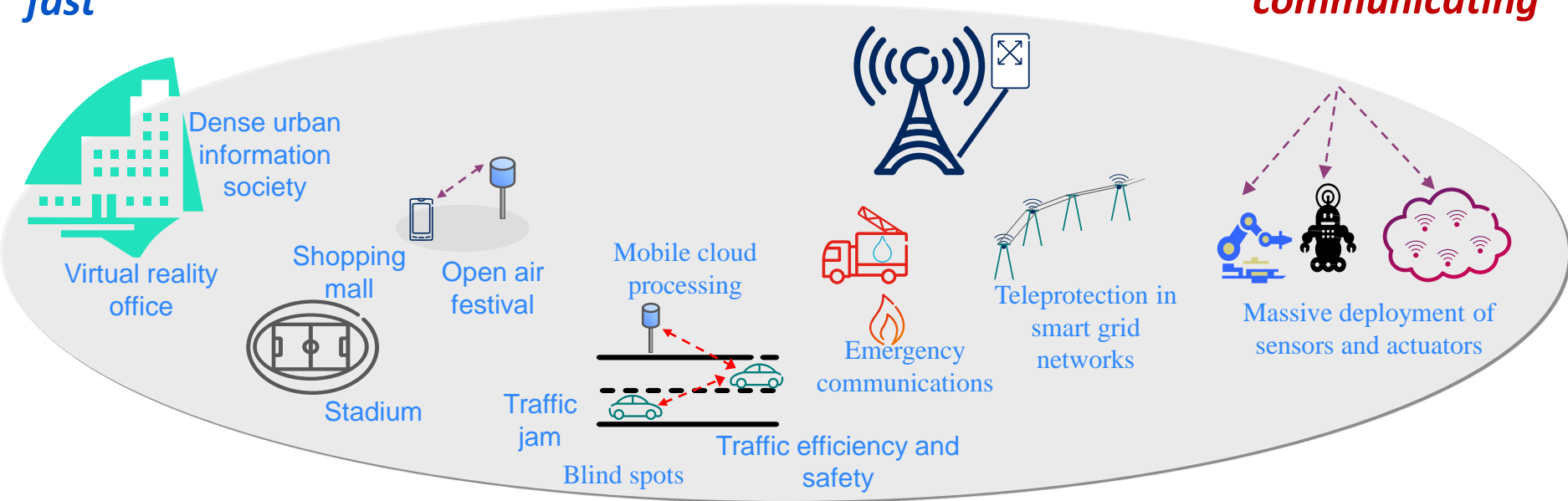
Amazingly fast

Great service in a crowd

Best experience follows you

Super real-time and reliable connections

Ubiquitous things communicating



Source: METIS Deliverable D1.1 “Scenarios, requirements and KPIs for 5G mobile and wireless system”, <https://www.metis2020.com/>

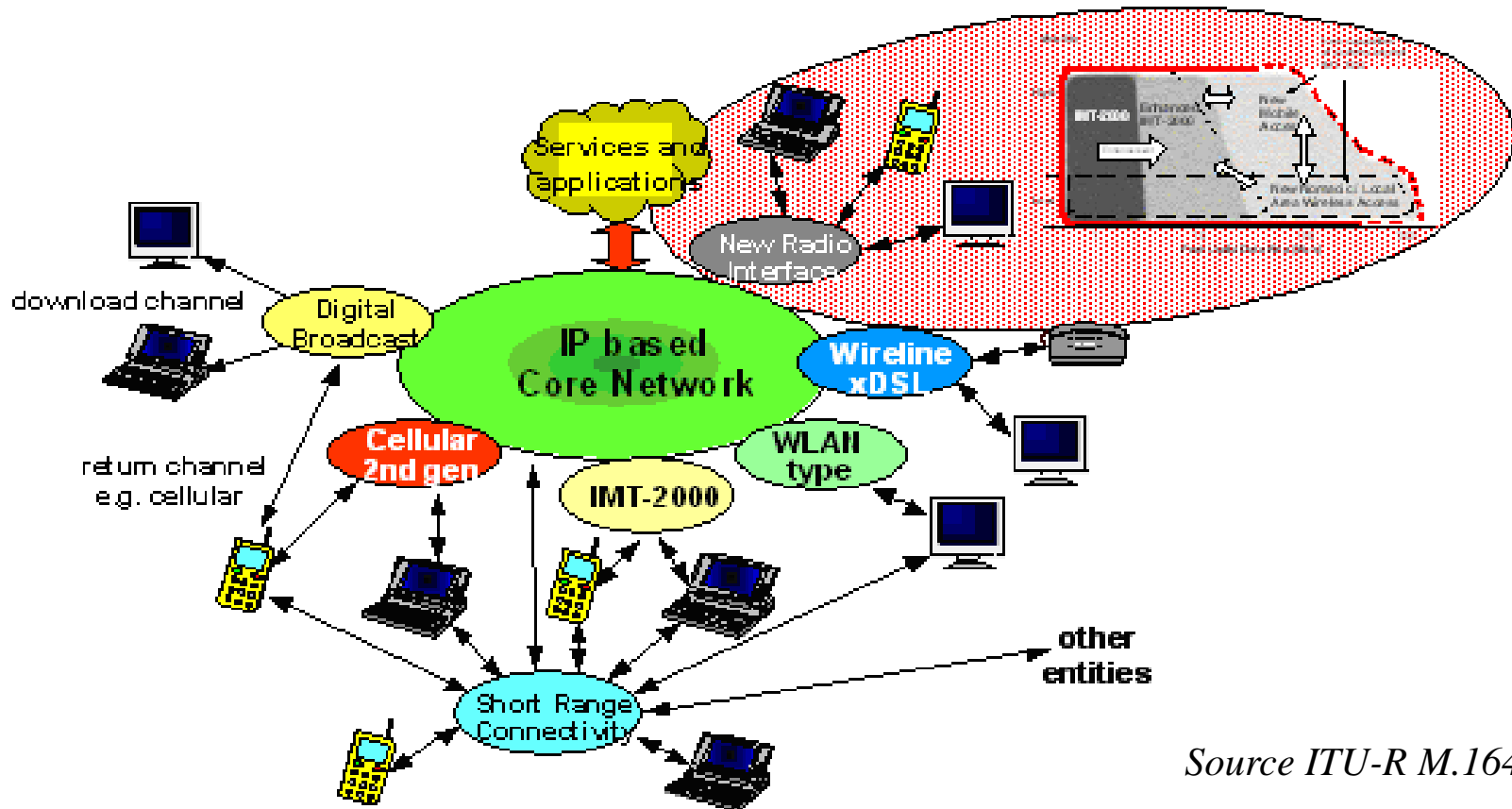
Additional use cases has been proposed by NGMN Alliance, ‘NGMN White Paper,’ Feb. 2015 (available online https://www.ngmn.org/uploads/media/NGMN_5G_White_Paper_V1_0.pdf)

METIS Overall Technical Goal

A system concept that, relative to today, supports:

- › 1000 times higher mobile data volume per area,
- › 10 times to 100 times higher number of connected devices,
- › 10 times to 100 times higher typical user data rate,
- › 10 times longer battery life for low power Massive Machine Communication (MMC) devices,
- › 5 times reduced End-to-End (E2E) latency.

Recap: ITU-R Vision for Systems Beyond 3G



Integrate existing and evolving access systems on a *packet-based* platform to enable cooperation and interworking.

“Optimally connected anywhere, anytime”

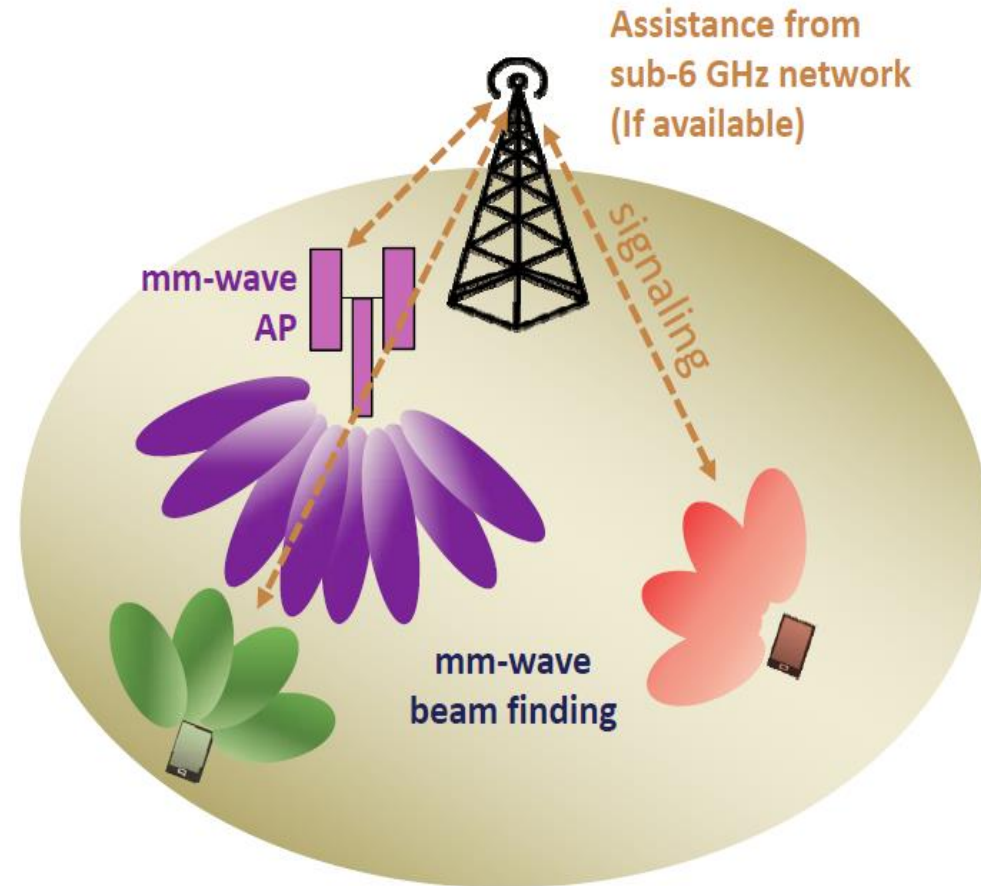
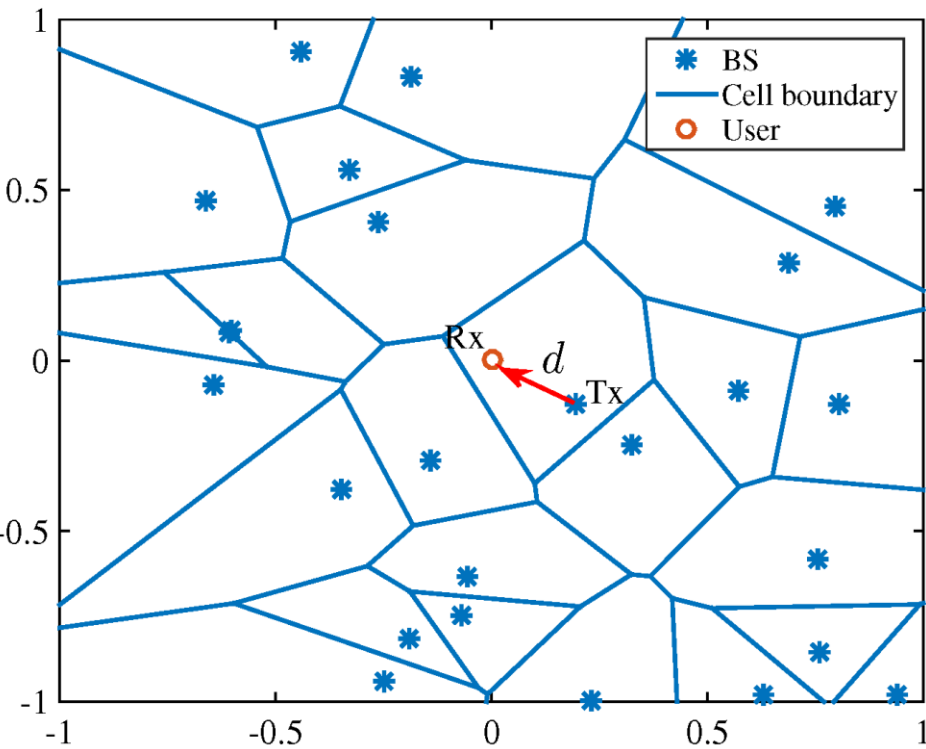
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On the terminal side!



Flexibility versus Efficiency

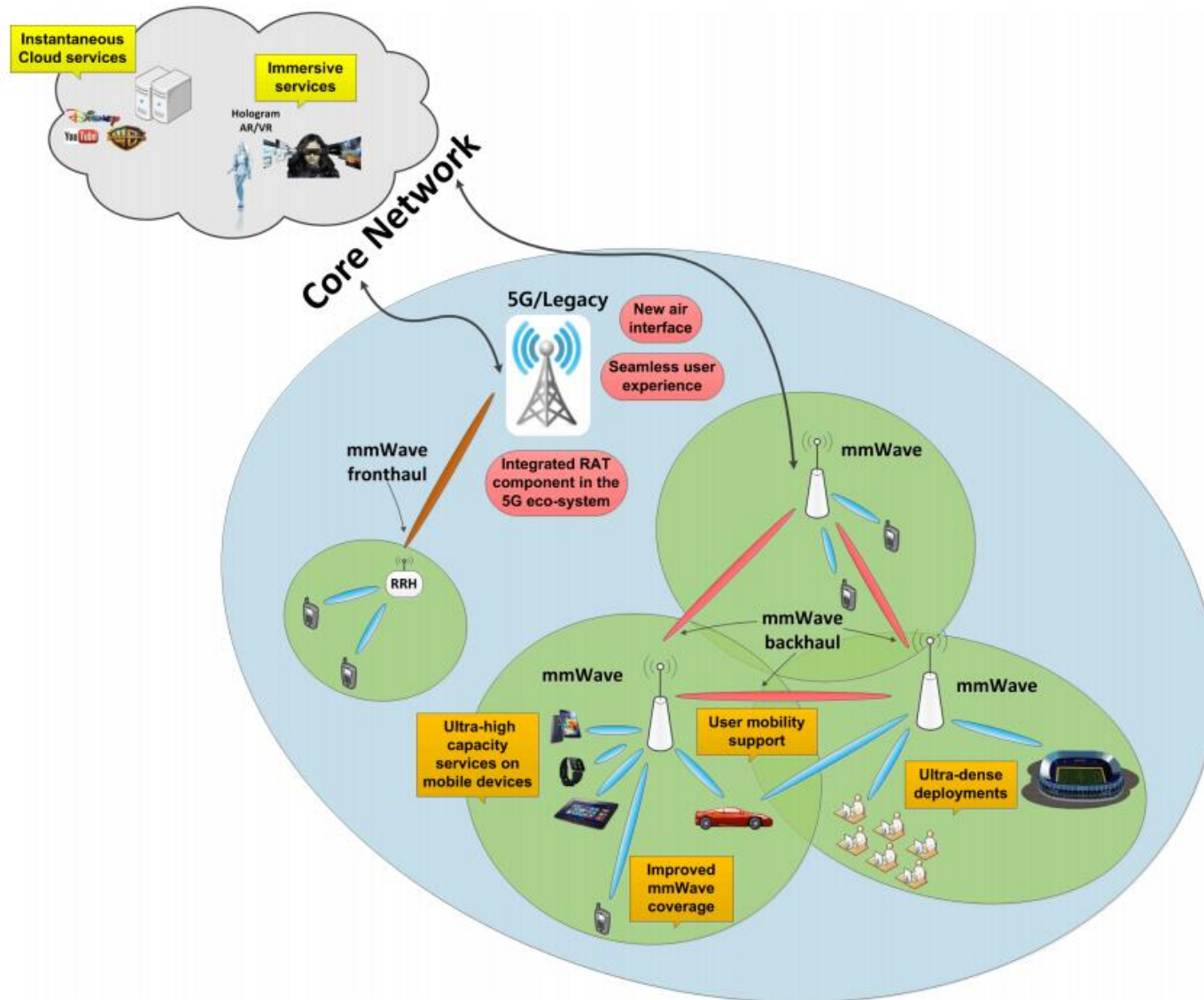
Picture source: <http://onpr.com/choosing-the-right-smartphone-its-easy-to-decide/>

From hexagonal cells to unstructured beam spaces



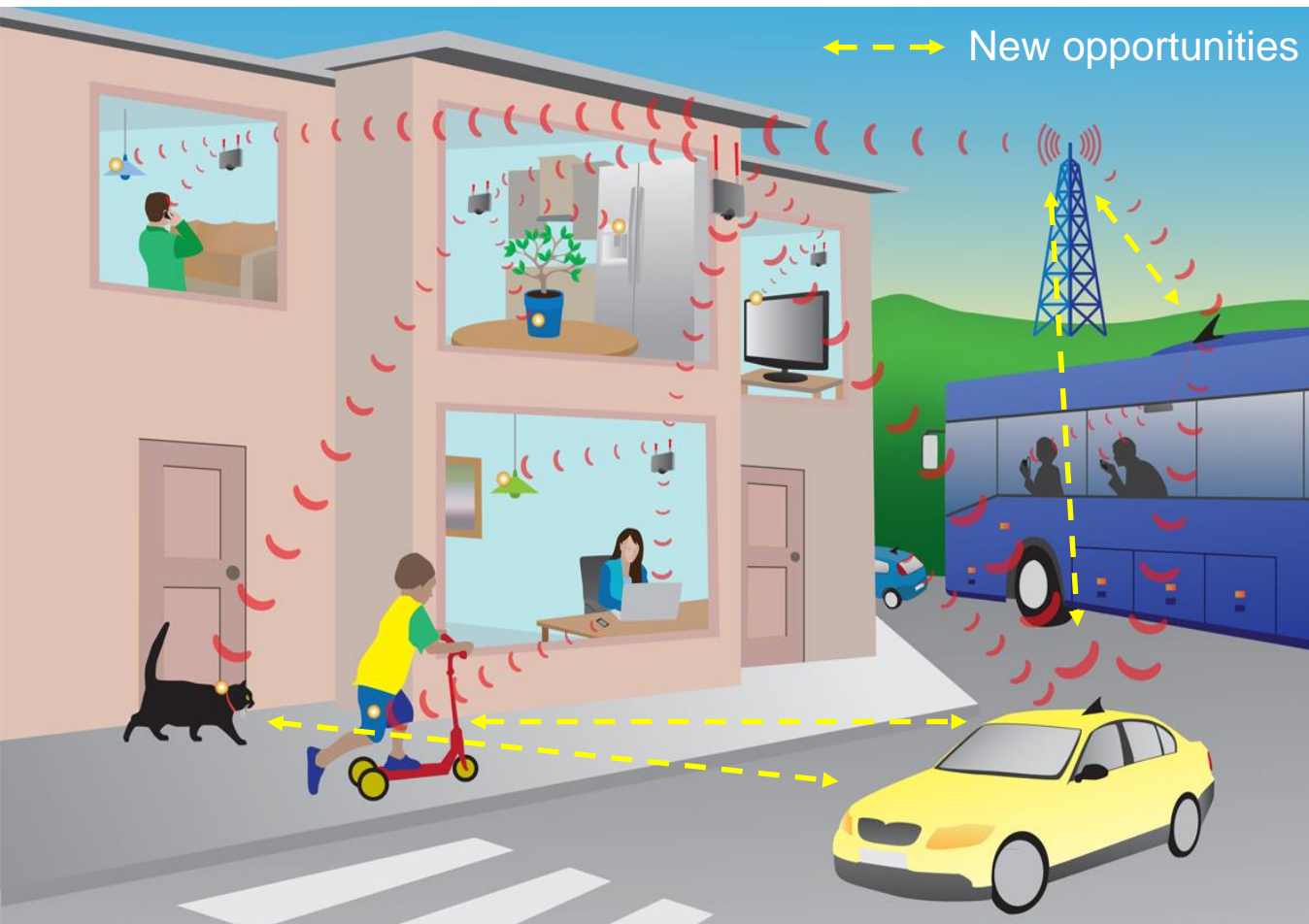
Source: mmMAGIC WP4 presentation, ETSI workshop, Sophia-Antipolis, Jan 28, 2016

Network slicing - Where should we do the computing?



Challenges and Opportunities with Demanding Verticals

"Integrated Moving Networks"



- **Mutual benefits!**
- **Better mobile systems efficiency:** Vehicles collect side information to improve the resource allocation and performance of the mobile network
- **More reliable V2X links:** Connect non-vehicular users to the Traffic Safety/Traffic Efficiency protocols (Pedestrians, cyclists, pets, ...)
- **New disruptive business opportunities:** exploiting vehicle sensed data

The research leading to these results partly received funding from the European Commission H2020 programme under grant agreement no671650 (5G-PPP mmMAGIC project).

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Find out more at <https://5g-mmmagic.eu>

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Main topics:

- Novel radio access network (RAN) architectures
- Advanced radio resource management (RRM) techniques
- Emerging technologies in physical layer
- Novel services
- mmWave communications
- Energy efficiency
- Spectrum
- Prototype and test-bed for 5G and beyond technologies

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From concept to deployment: the visions of the 5GCHAMPION and 5G-MiEdge projects (Olympic Games are coming ...)

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Intel

2017.04.27, COCORA 2017, Venice



5GCHAMPION (www.5g-champion.eu)

- Project name: 5G Communication with a Heterogeneous, Agile Mobile network in the Pyeongchang Winter Olympic Competition
- Funding scheme: FP8, Europe-Korea co-funding
- Duration: 2016.06 – 2018.05
- Key Targets:
 - The first 5G proof-of-concept in conjunction with the 2018 Korean Winter Olympics,
 - Synergize satellite and terrestrial technologies,
 - Strong impact on Standards bodies.



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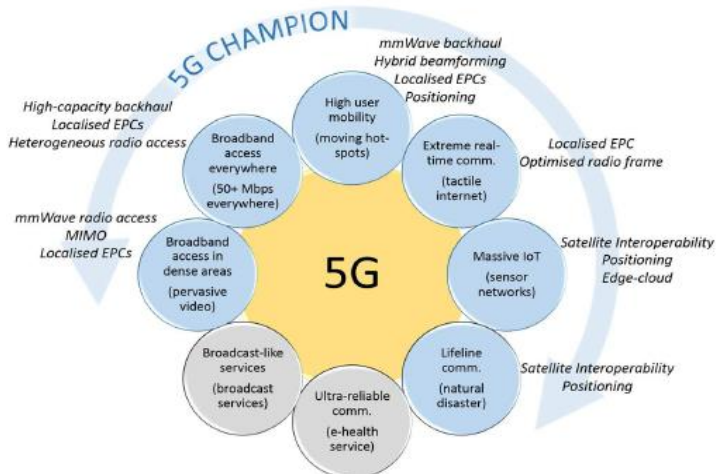
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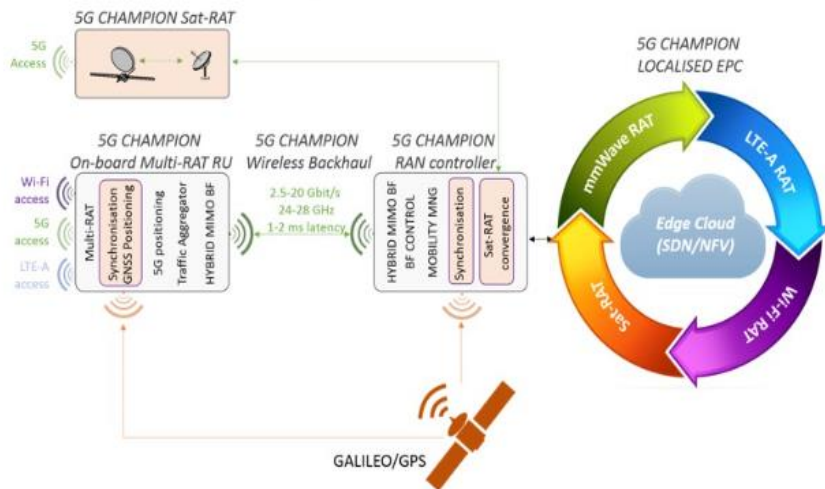
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5G CHAMPION SYSTEM CONCEPT IMPLEMENTATION



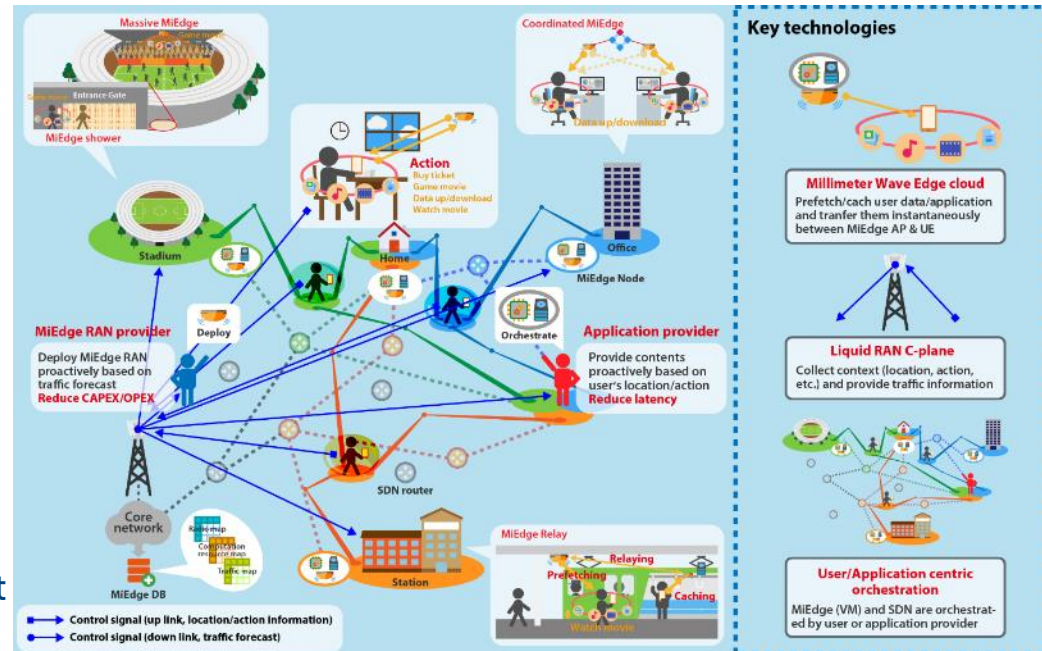
➤ Main technology enablers:

- mmWave Backhauling,
- mmWave transceivers with reconfigurable antennas,
- Localised evolved packet core supported by distributed or centralized mobile edge clouds with caching,
- Media streaming functionalities,
- Satellite radio access,
- Satellite-terrestrial positioning.

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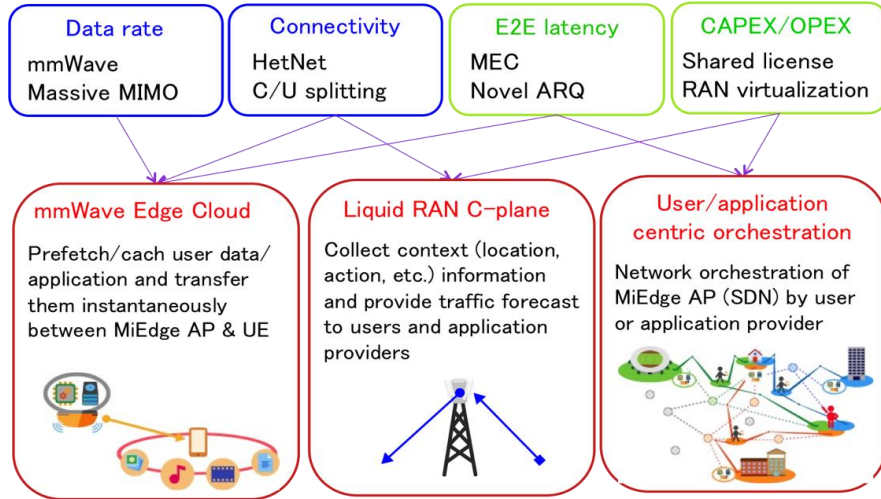
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- **Key Target:**
 - 5G proof-of-concept in conjunction with the 2020 Japanese Summer Olympics.
- **Key technology enablers:**
 - mmWave Access & Backhaul,
 - User/Application Centric Orchestration,
 - Liquid RAN Control-plane:
 - novel ultra-lean and inter-operable control signaling over 3GPP LTE to provide liquid ubiquitous coverage in 5G networks, based on acquisition of context information and forecasting of traffic requirements.



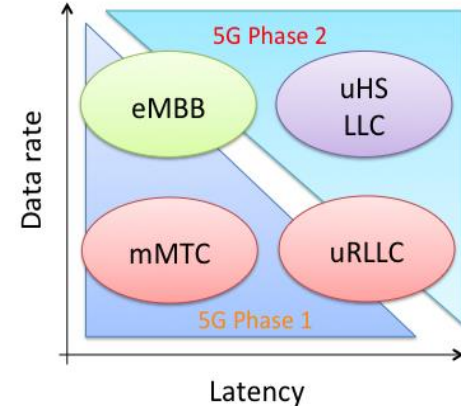
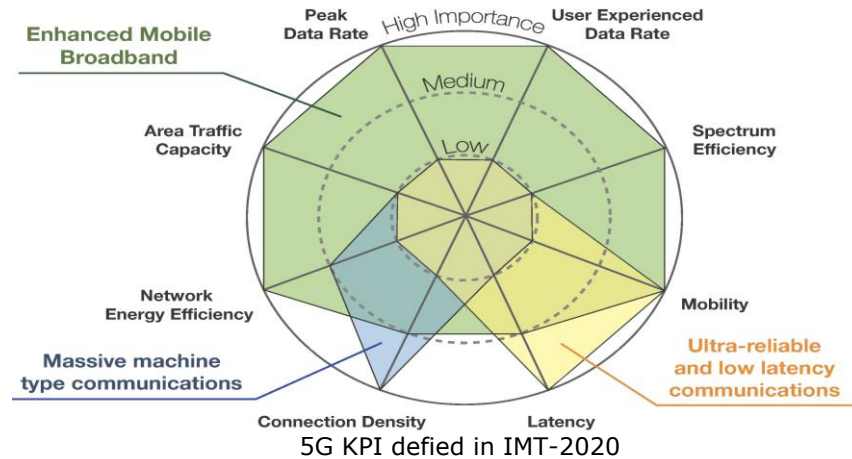
5G-MiEdge

➤ Main research directions:

- Focus on the ultra High-Speed and Low Latency Communications (uHSLLC) use cases and related technology enablers
- Synergize between mmWave and MEC technologies



Technology enablers for uHSLLC and related KPIs



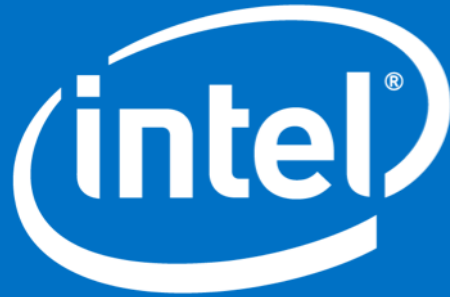
➤ Questions?



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