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Role of 5G in Future Wireless Cities NSF Future Wireless Cities Workshop

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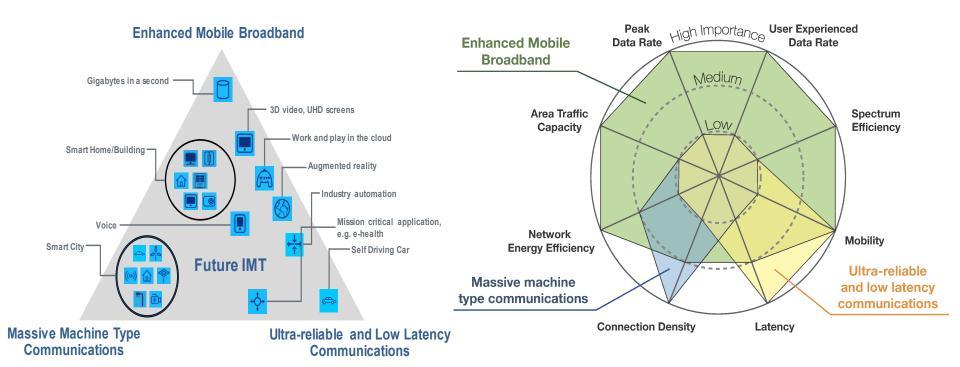


Future Wireless Cities

- Key Components:
 - Connect via a cost-effective and scalable communication infrastructure
 - Collect real time data
 - Analyze for timely action plan and decision-making
- Application Areas (Examples)
 - Metering (e.g., gas, energy, and water),
 - Lights management,
 - Environmental monitoring (e.g., pollution, temperature, humidity, noise)
 - Vehicle traffic control
- Extremely high density of devices (sensors) with different characteristics and different communication needs



ITU-R vision for IMT-2020 and beyond



Three use case categories

Eight Key Capabilities



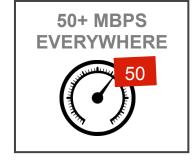
5G supports a wide range of services

NGMN: 5G Use Case Families and Use Case Examples

Broadband access in dense areas



Broadband access everywhere



Higher user mobility



Massive Internet of Things



Extreme real-time communications



Lifeline communications

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Ultra-reliable communications



Broadcast-like services

BROADCAST



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5G Use cases & Requirements

- Broadband everywhere
 - Peak data rate > 10 Gbps
- High user mobility
 - High speed train
- Pervasive HD video communications (dense urban environments)
 - Context awareness
- Massive IoT
 - Scalability, low cost
- Real-time communication
 - ETE response time
- Mission critical
 - High reliability

Almost all of the use cases will be applicable to future wireless cities



5G - Key Architecture Principles

- Evolution from 4G (LTE/LTE-A), not replacement
- SDN/NFV
 - Programmable network/network slices
- Scalability
- Separation of control and data plane in the core network
- More intelligence at the edge
 - > Centralization vs. de-centralization of functions based on latency requirements
- Spectrum licensed, shared, and unlicensed bands
 - Low band < 6 GHz and high band ≥ 6 GHz</p>
- Front haul/backhaul complexity simplification
- Energy Efficient
- Convergence for various types of use cases



Future Wireless Cities - Studies & Trials Needed

- Network capabilities and interworking framework to serve all the future wireless cities use cases
- Role of 5G
- Varying characteristics of devices, communication, processing, and storage needs
- Different communication infrastructure architectures suited for future cities segmented on various criteria
- Performance, reliability, and security
- Role of NFV and SDN
- User experience, value, and cost
- An integrated View scalability as the focus

