

5G NR Device Testing



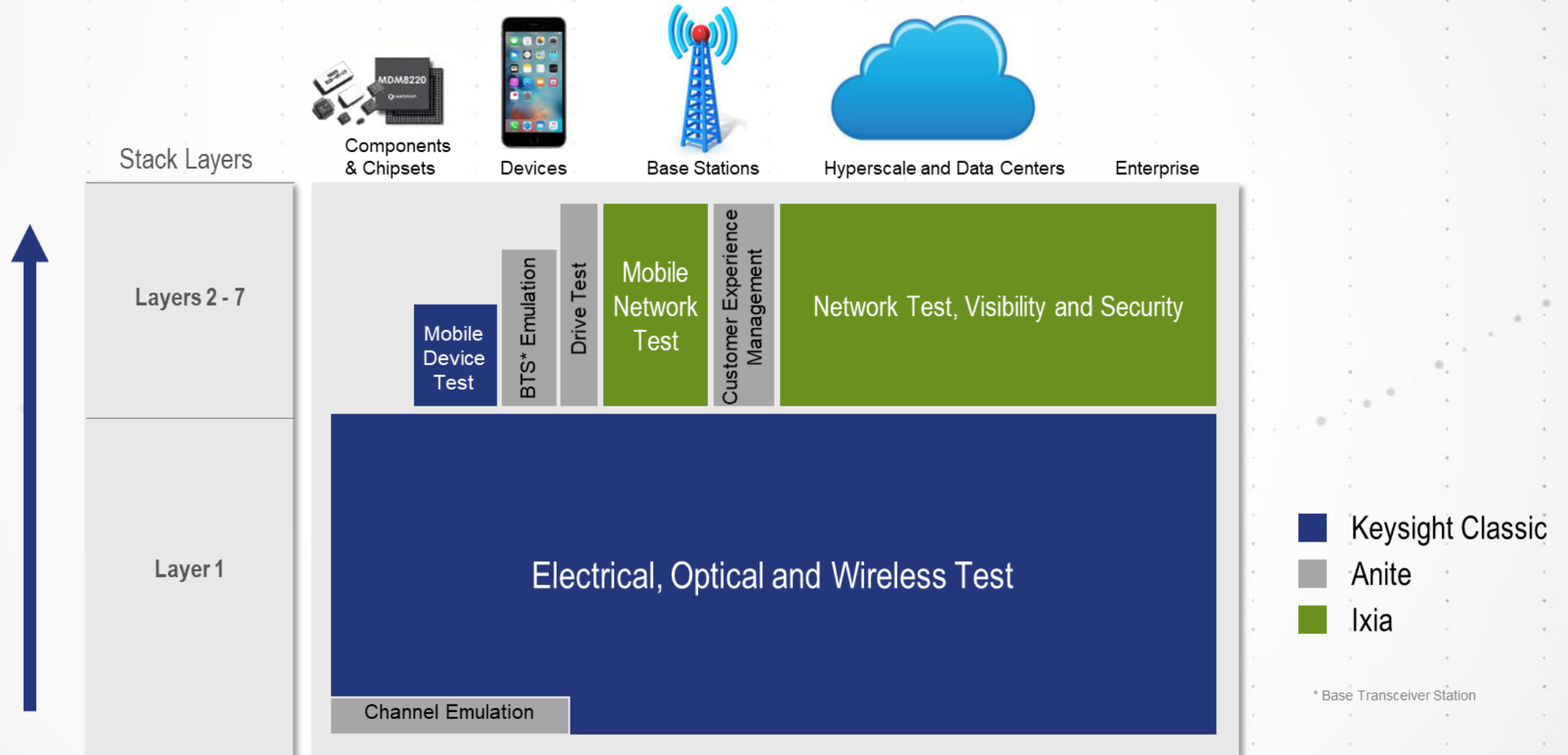
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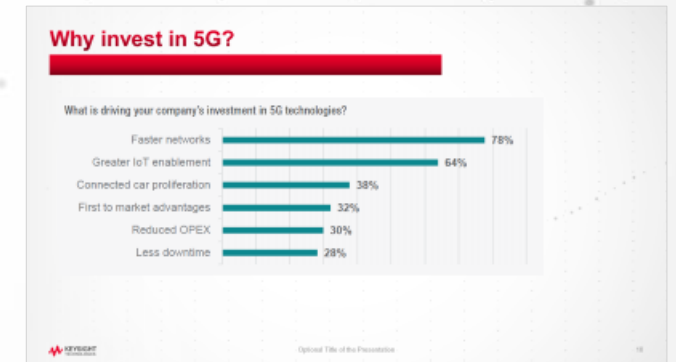
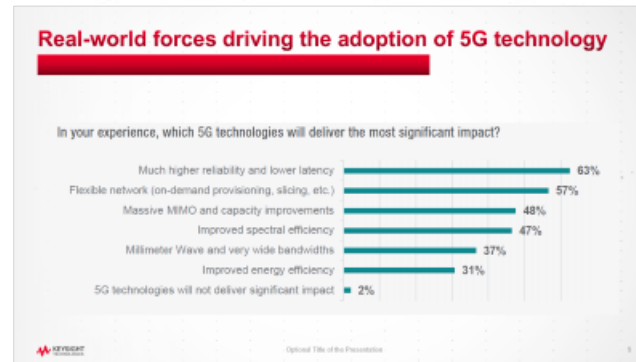
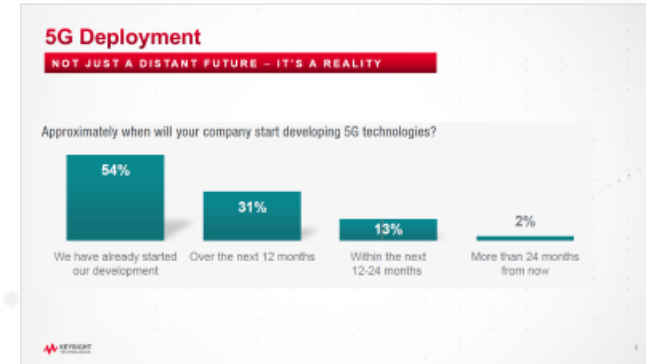
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Market and Technology perspective



Keysight 2018 State of 5G Survey > 350 Companies

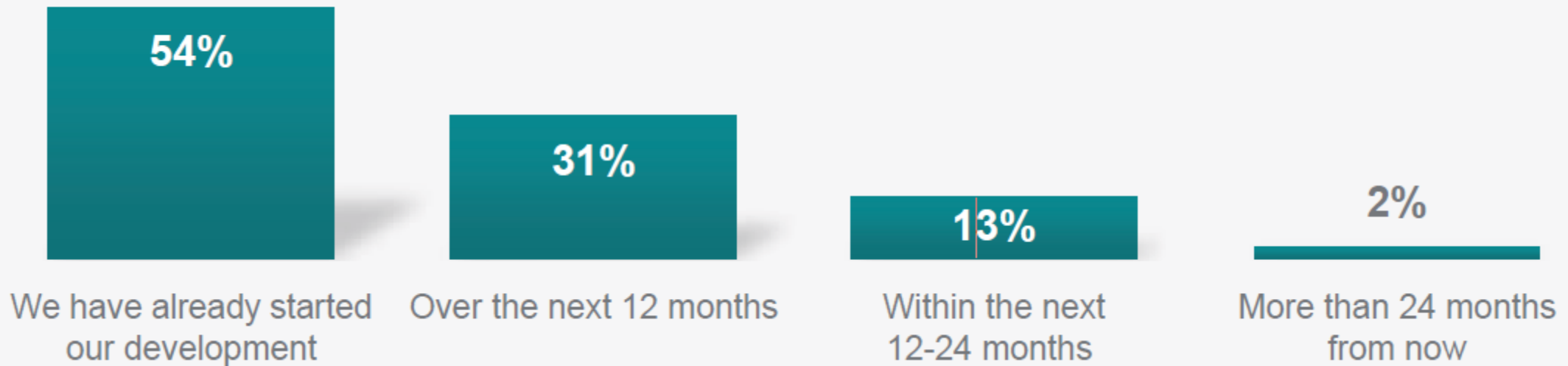


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5G Deployment

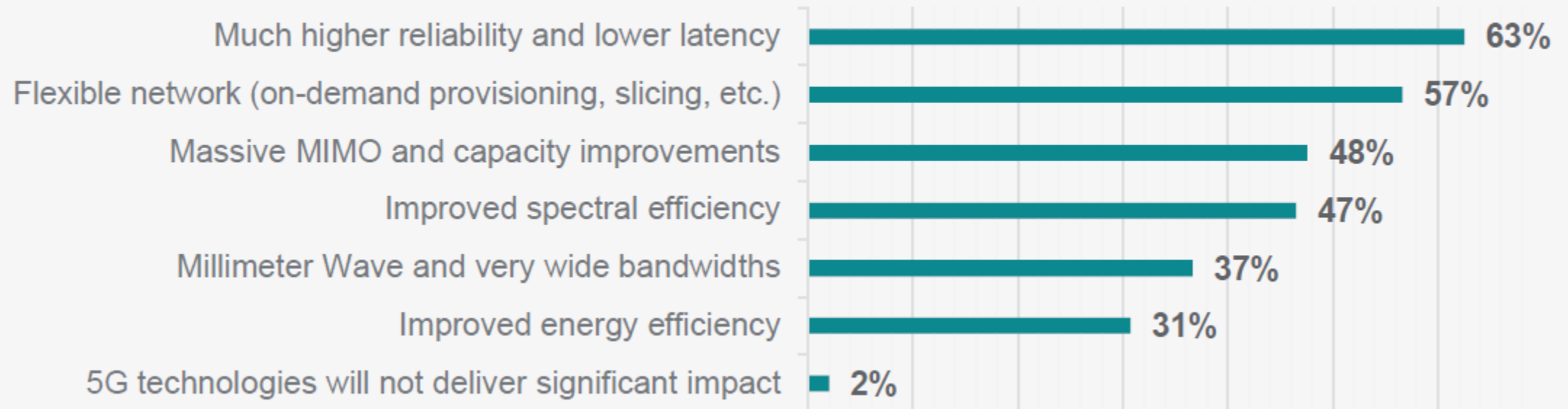
NOT JUST A DISTANT FUTURE – IT'S A REALITY

Approximately when will your company start developing 5G technologies?



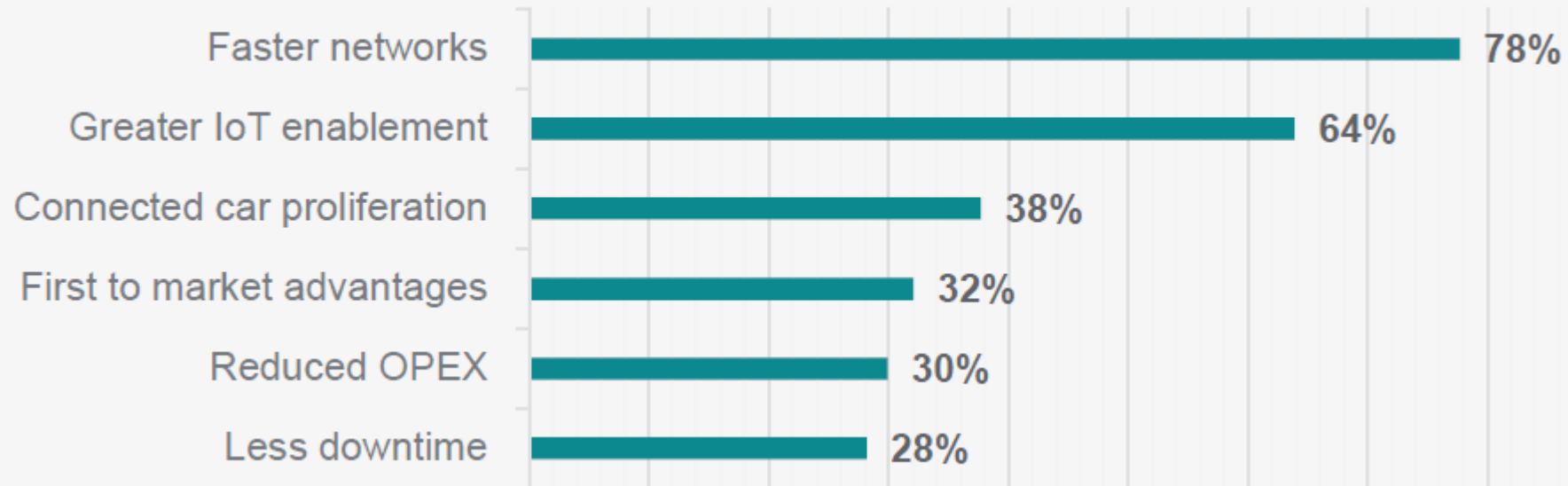
Real-world forces driving the adoption of 5G technology

In your experience, which 5G technologies will deliver the most significant impact?



Why invest in 5G?

What is driving your company's investment in 5G technologies?



Agenda

- 5G Ecosystem
- 5G Standards
- 5G Testability Updates
- Keysight 5G Testing Solutions





5G Ecosystem

Ecosystem and features

OPERATORS

NSA vs SA
MIMO layers
Sub 6 GHz vs mmWave
CA

CHIPSETS

Frequency bands

- Sub 6GHz: 3.3-3.8 GHz, 4.4-4.99 GHz, B41
- mmWave: 17.5-28.35 GHz, 37-40GHz

Number of carriers

- Sub 6 GHz: 1CC (BW:100 MHz, SCS:30 kHz)
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Dual connectivity options:

Options 3x/3A, Option 2

Modulation schemes:

- Sub 6 GHz: 256QAM (DL&UL)
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Duplex mode: TDD

3GPP short term

Frequency bands

up to 43.5 GHz →52.6 GHz

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Up to 5CC LTE+ 1CC NR, Up to 4CC LTE + 2CC NR, xCC NR (x TBD), 2cc UL CA

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3GPP mid term

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CHIPSETS

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and DC: 1
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3GPP mid term

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Carriers

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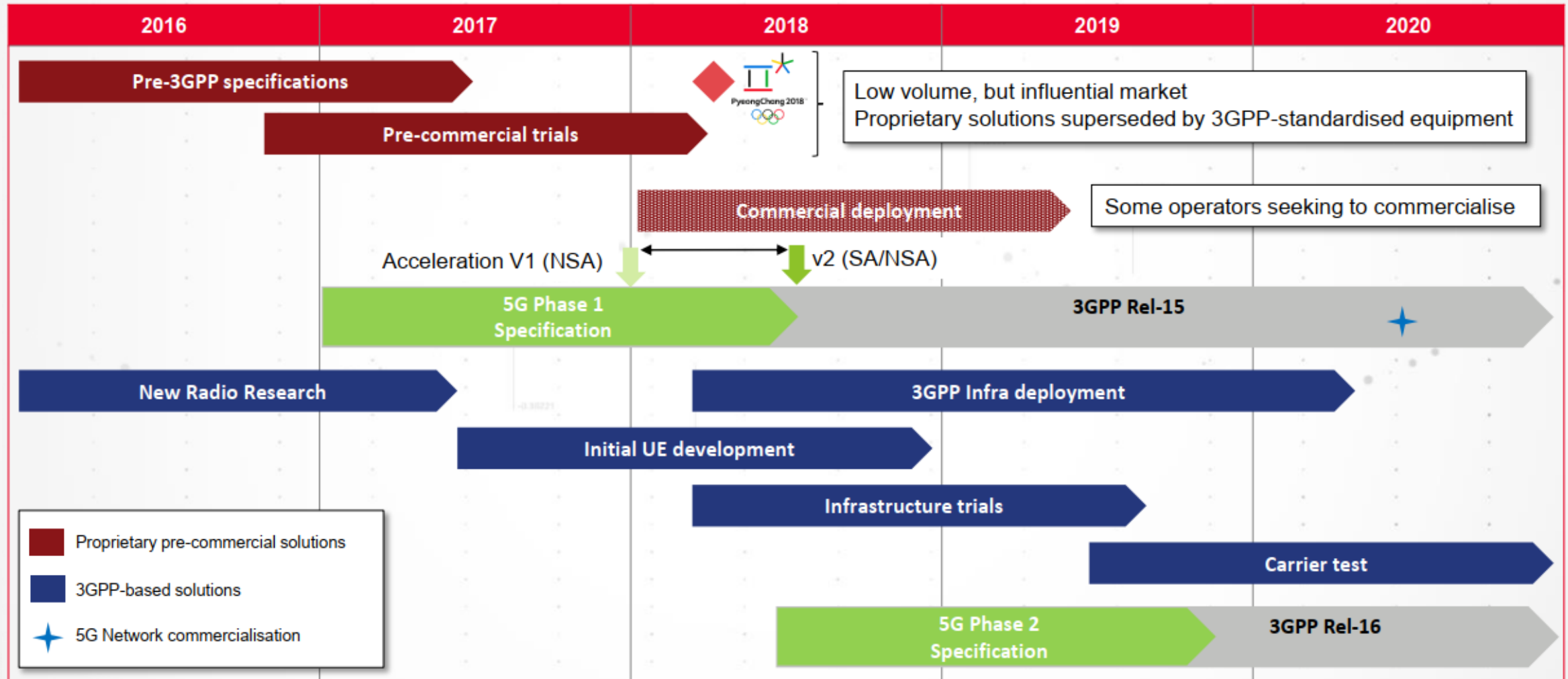
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5G Standards

5G Standards Development

PROGRESS AND TIMELINE



3GPP Specifications

- Specifications structured in Releases
- Stable platform for implementation of features
- Addition of new features
- Phases, related to a specific technology



**How many releases, when
did they start?**

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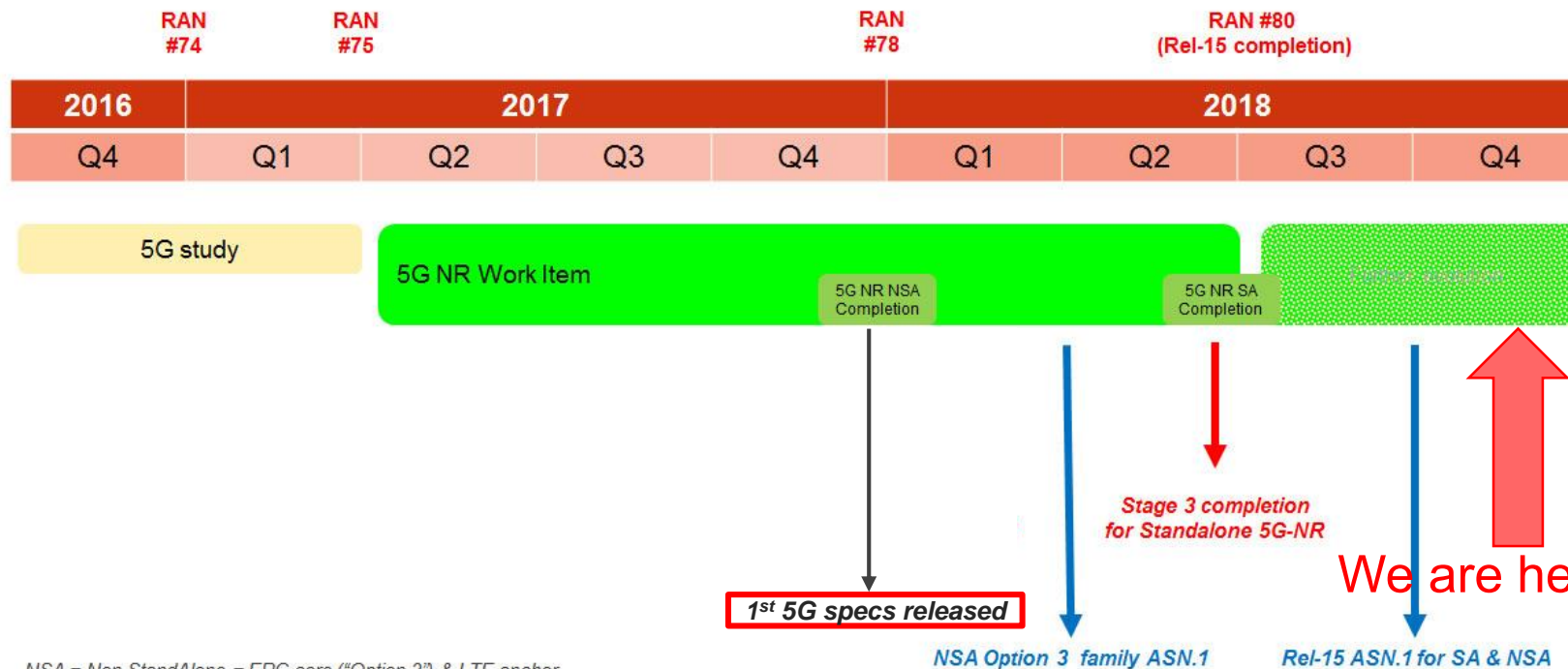
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eMBB acceleration

New Radio Timeline



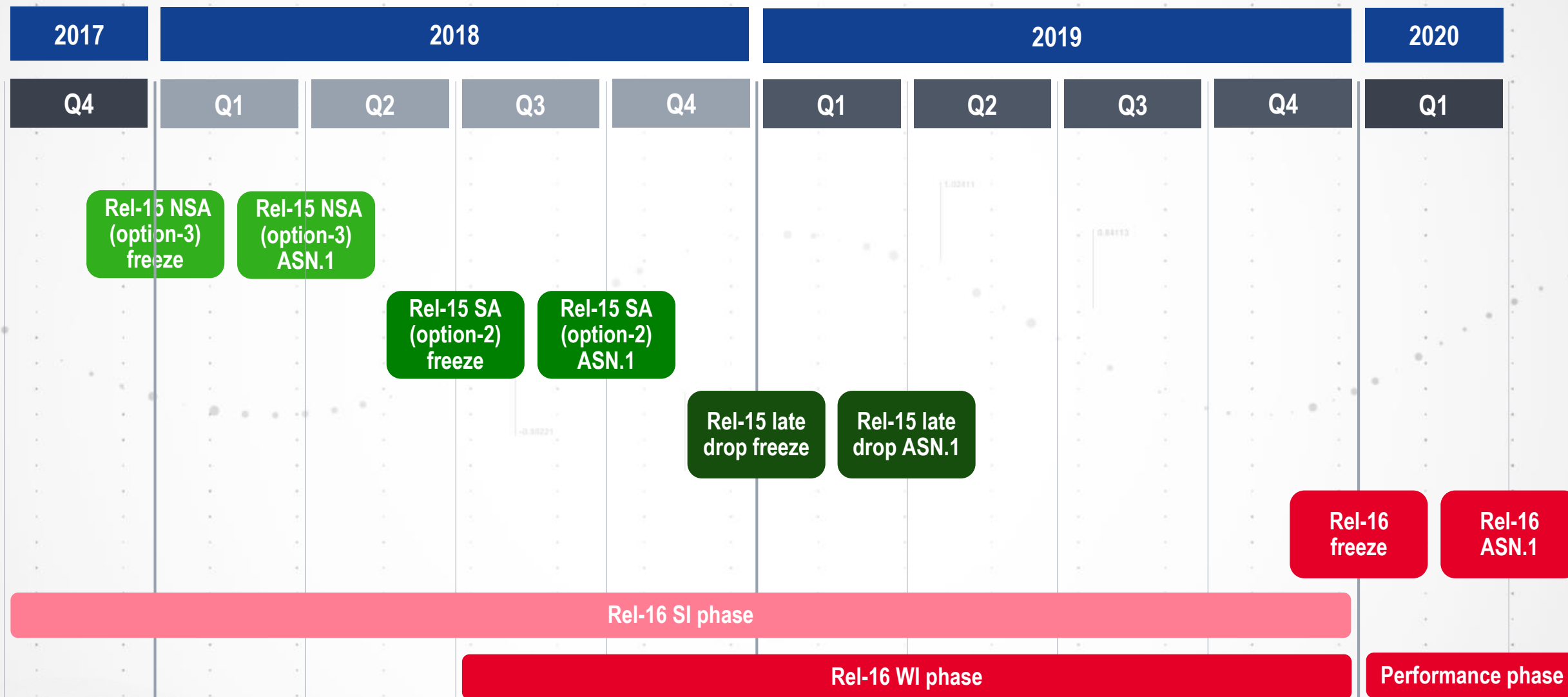
5G-NR eMBB workplan



NSA = Non StandAlone = EPC core ("Option 3") & LTE anchor
SA = StandAlone

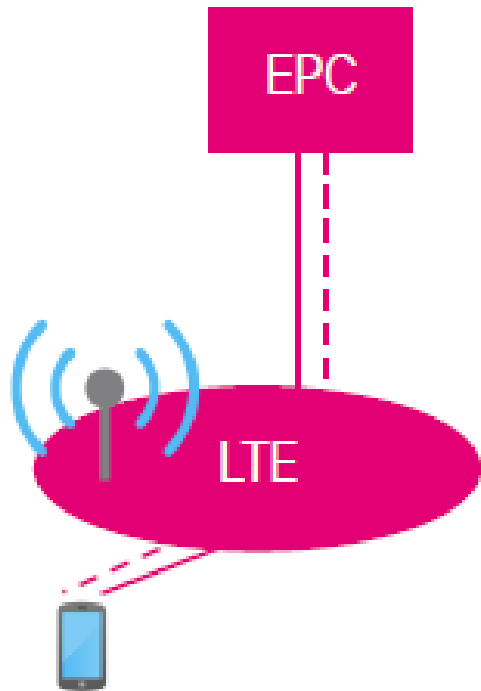
- 1st 5G specification version released in Dec 2017 for NSA (Option 3)
- Lot of maintenance work in H12018 to stabilize the specs
- ASN1 for NSA agreed to be frozen for NSA in Mar 2018
- Additional work to complete SA (Option 2) by Jun 2018
- Additional work to define basic URLLC by June 2018
- Additional dual connectivity options (Opt 4 and 7) couldn't be completed by Jun 2018 despite operators requests

5G 3GPP Releases Timeline

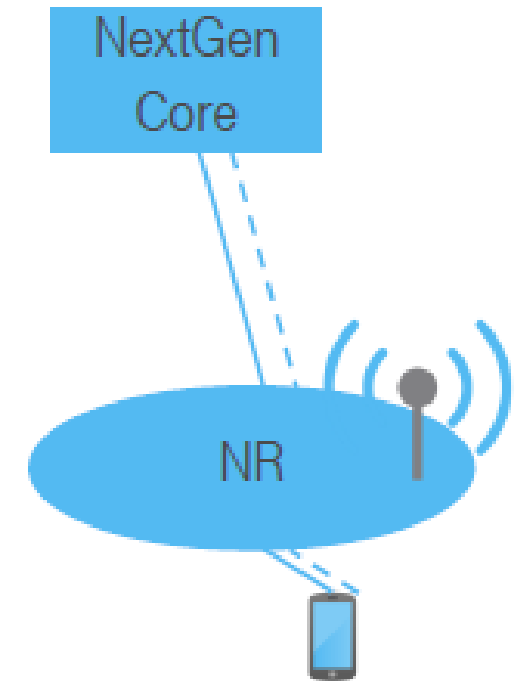


Dual Connectivity options

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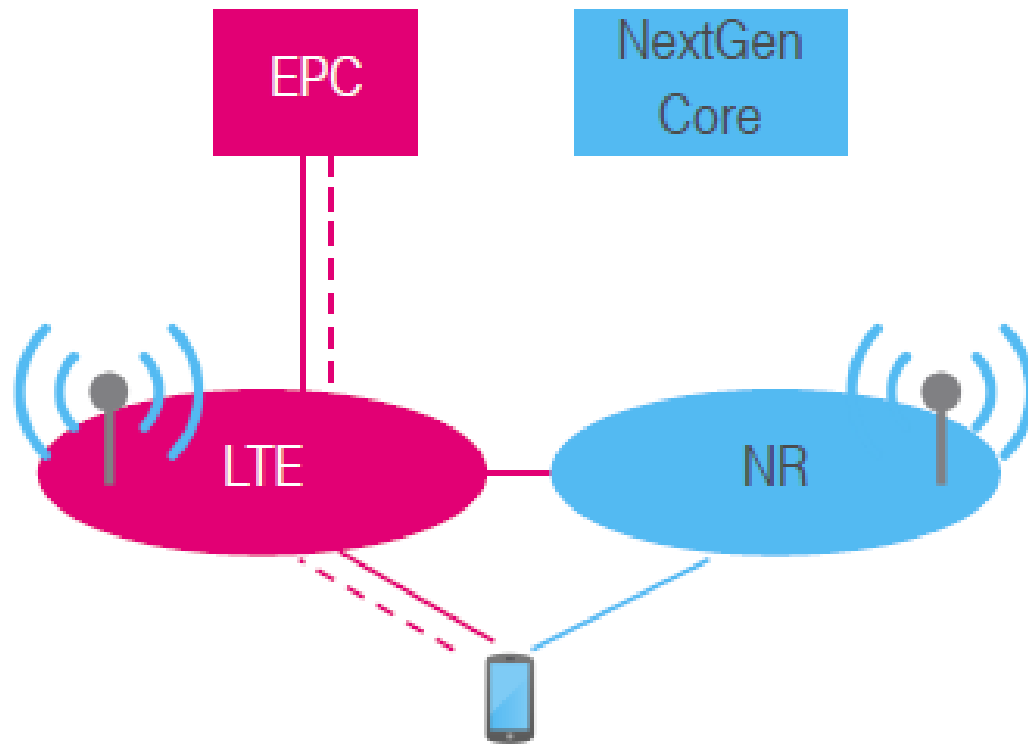
2) Standalone NR, NGCN connected



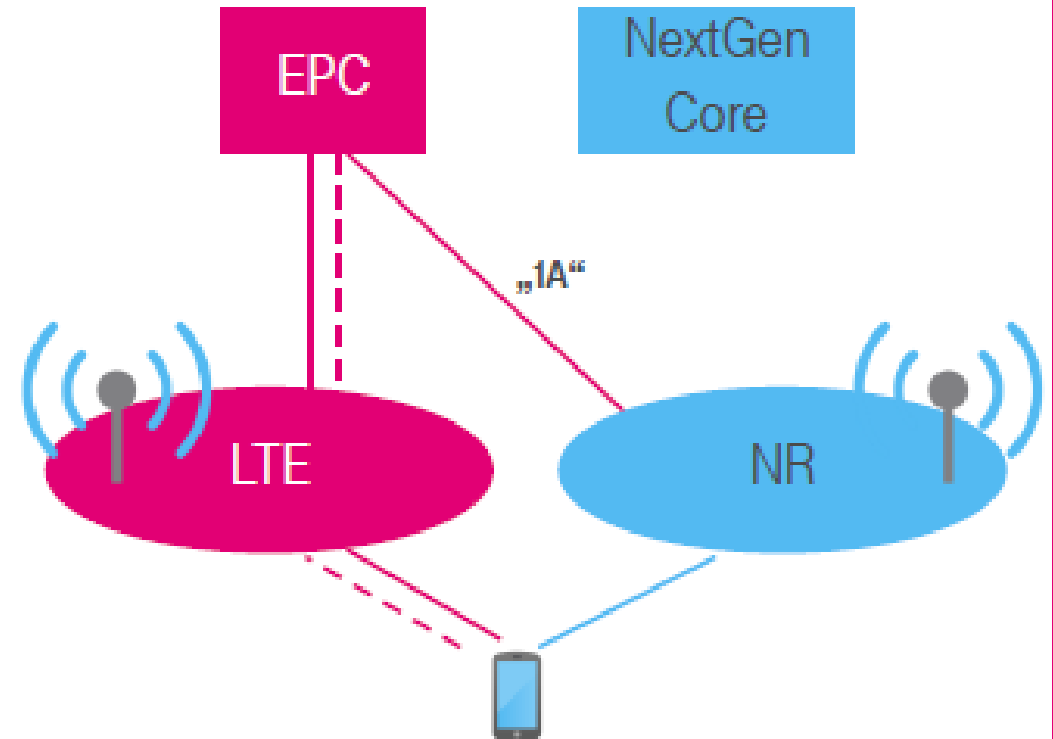
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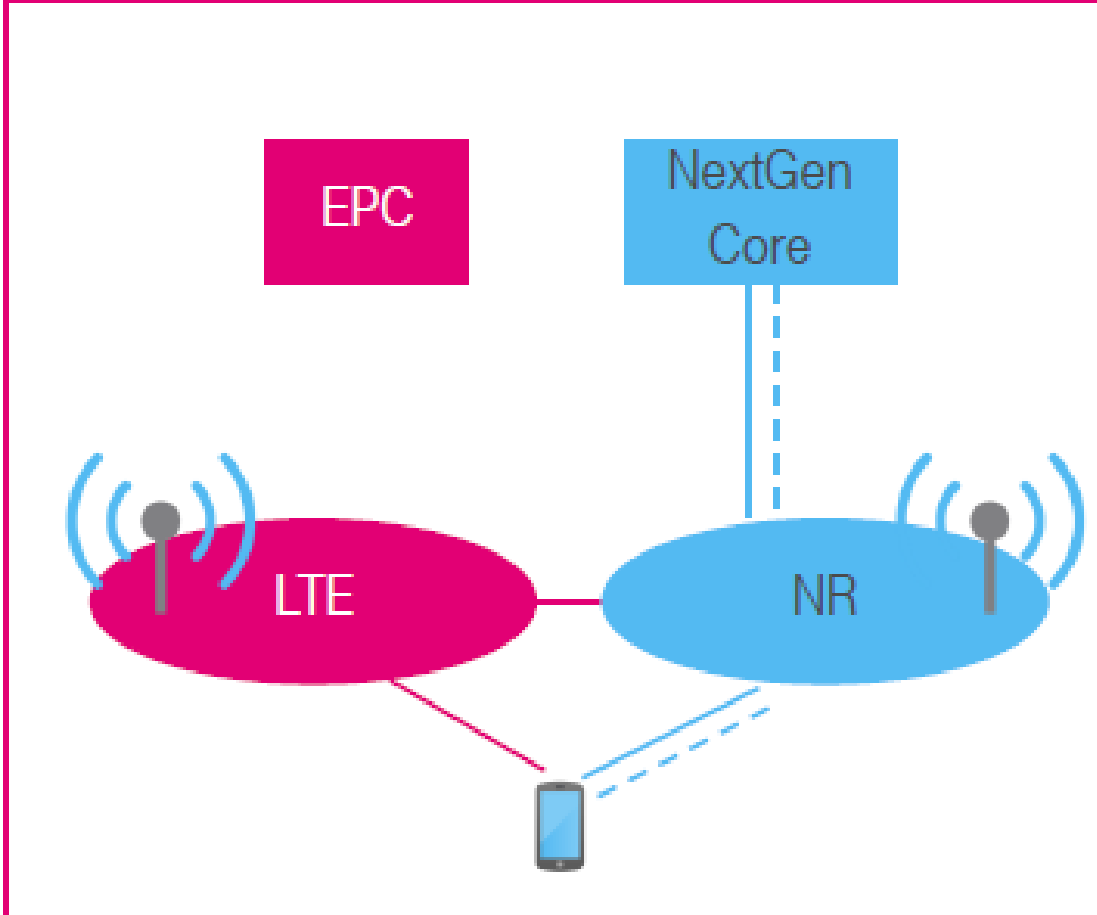
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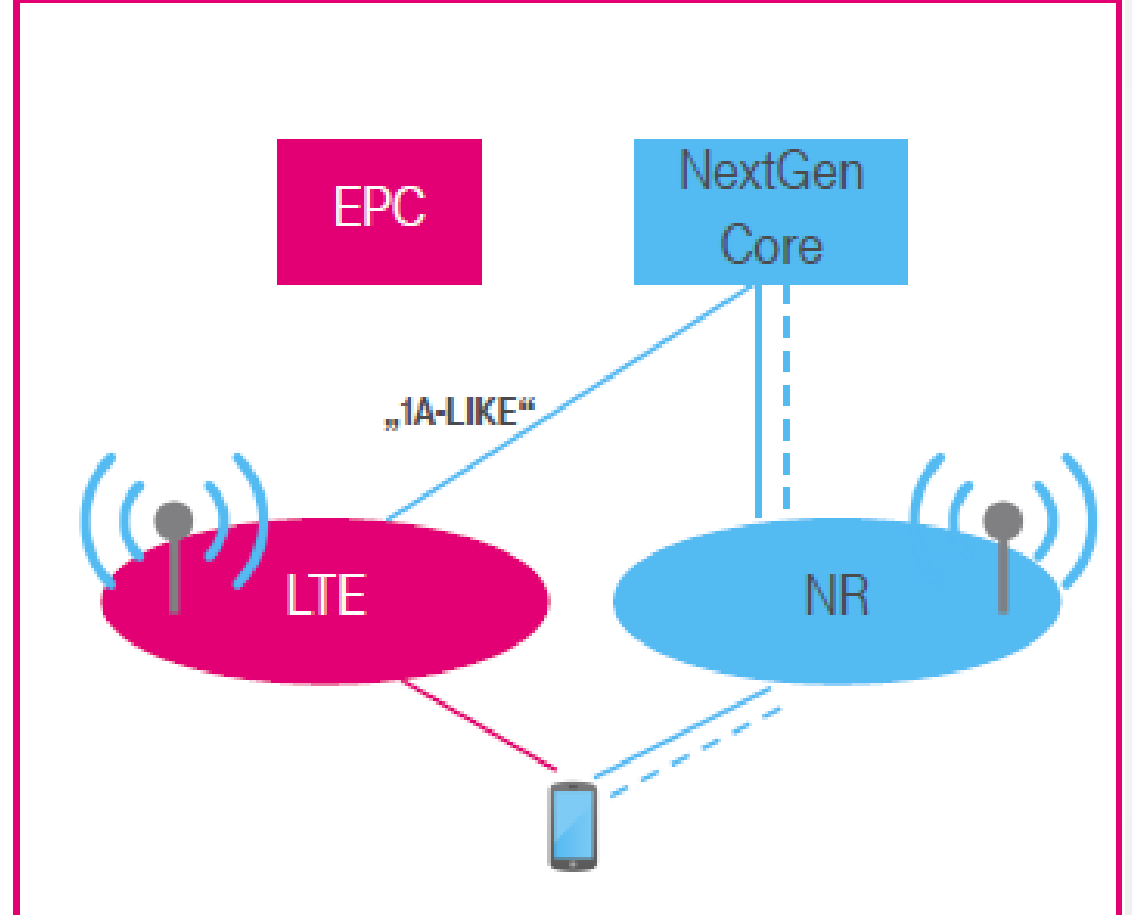
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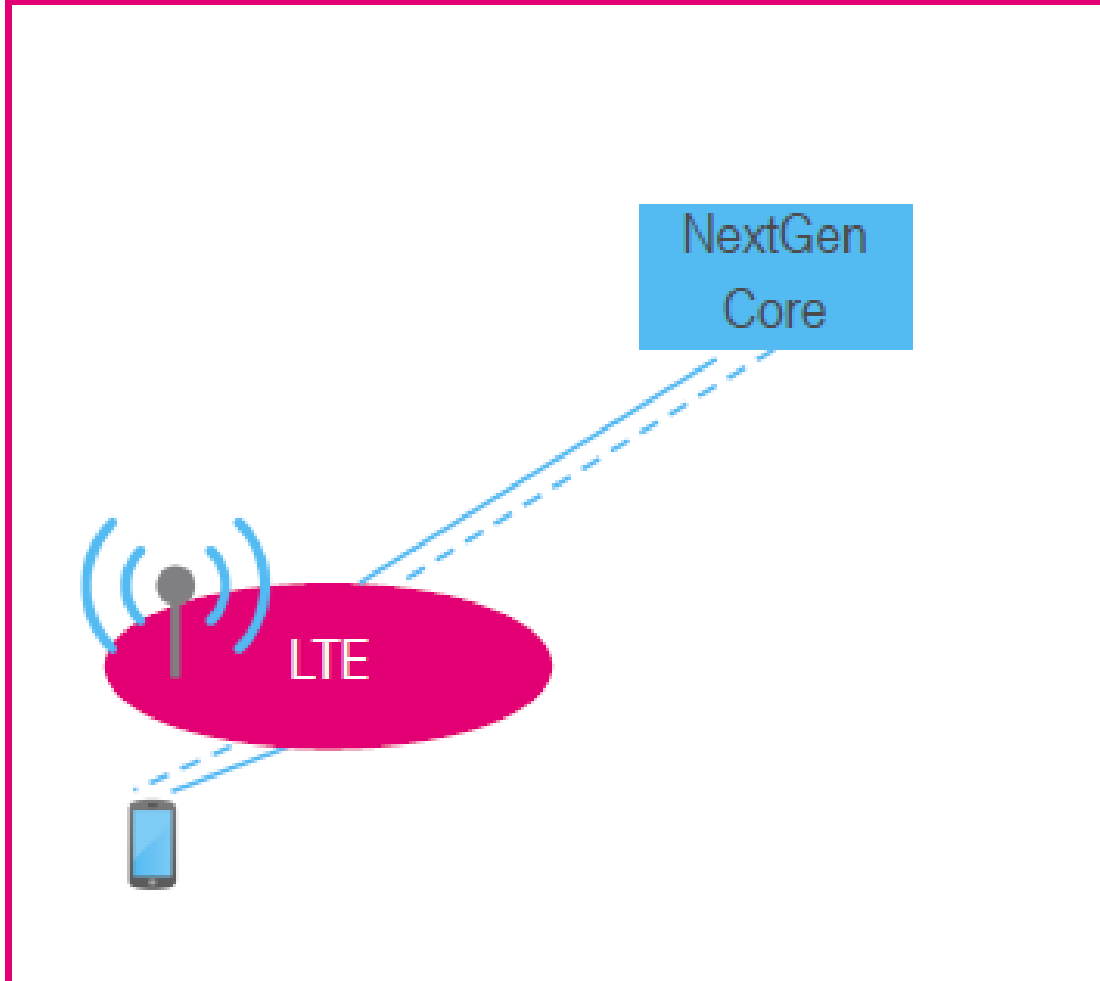
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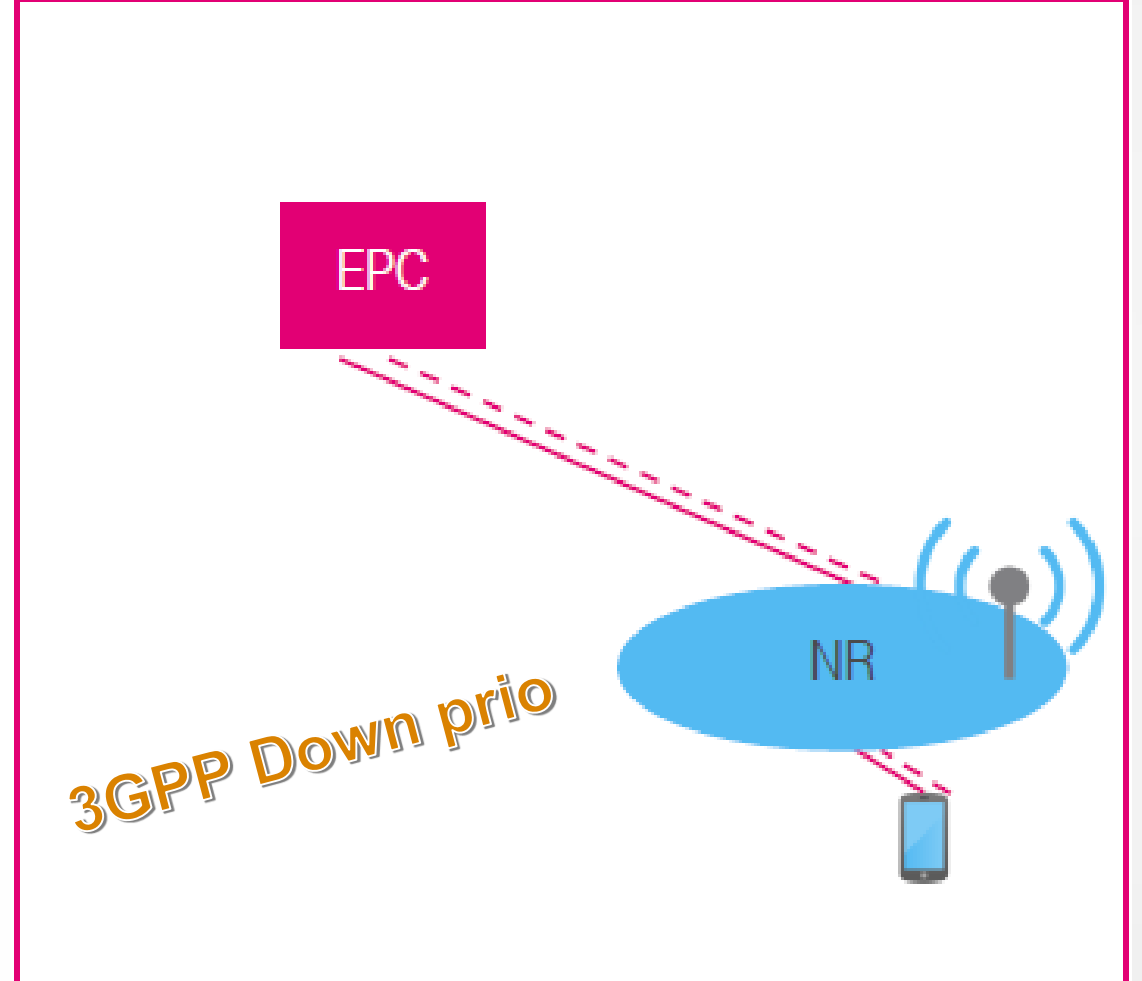
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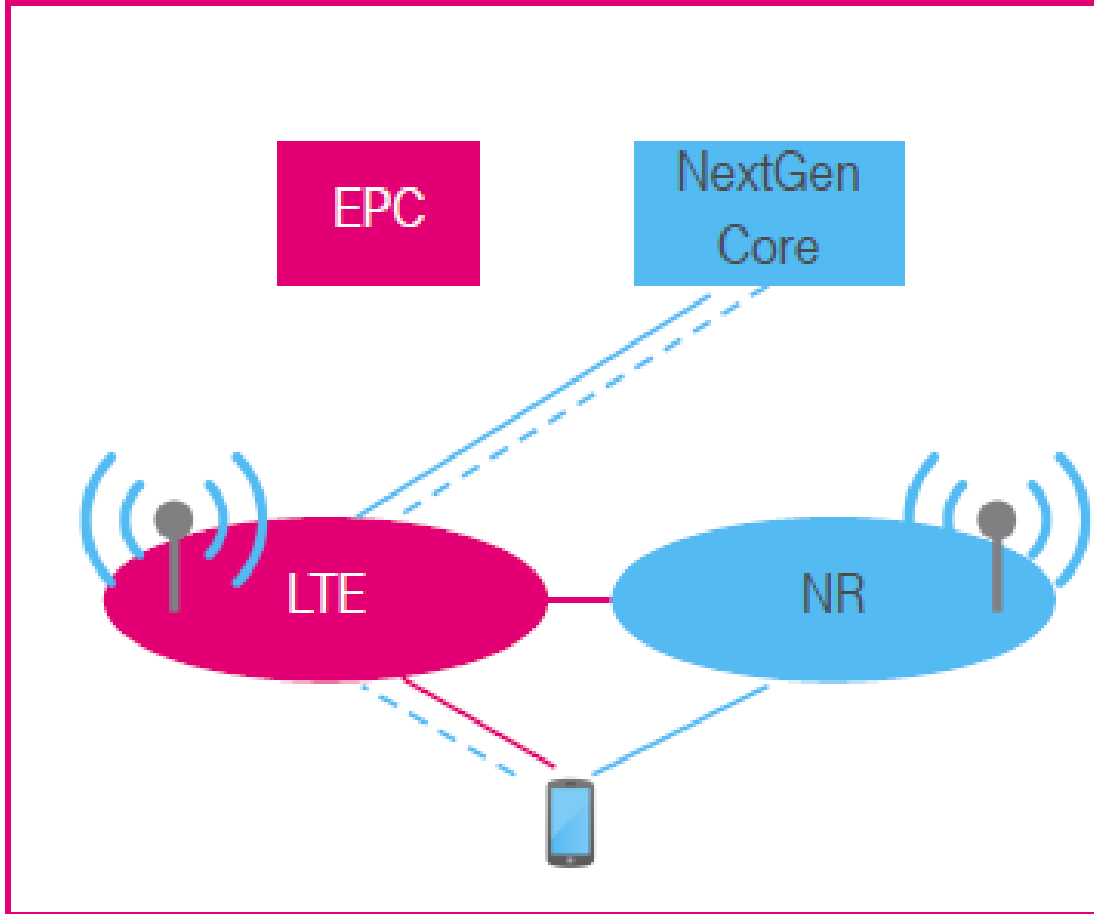


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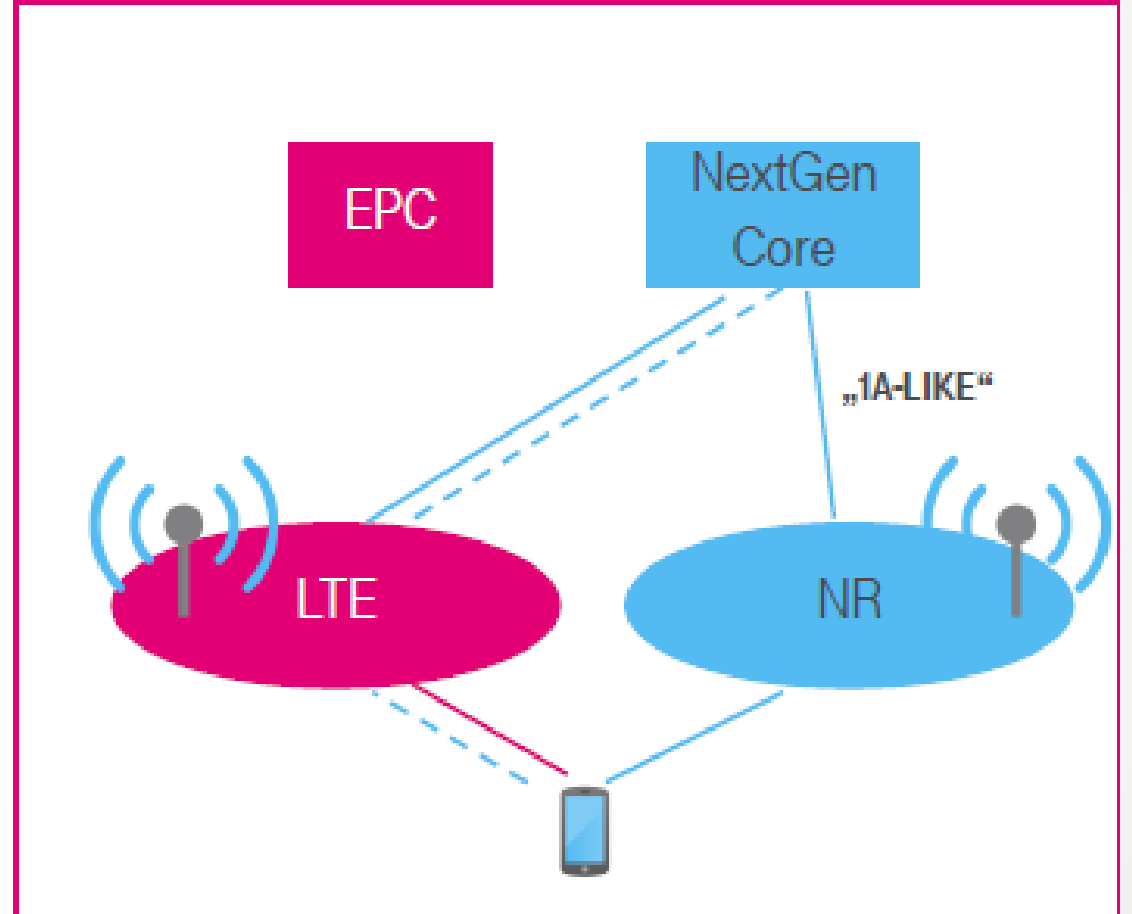


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7) Non-Standalone/"LTE assisted", NGCN connected



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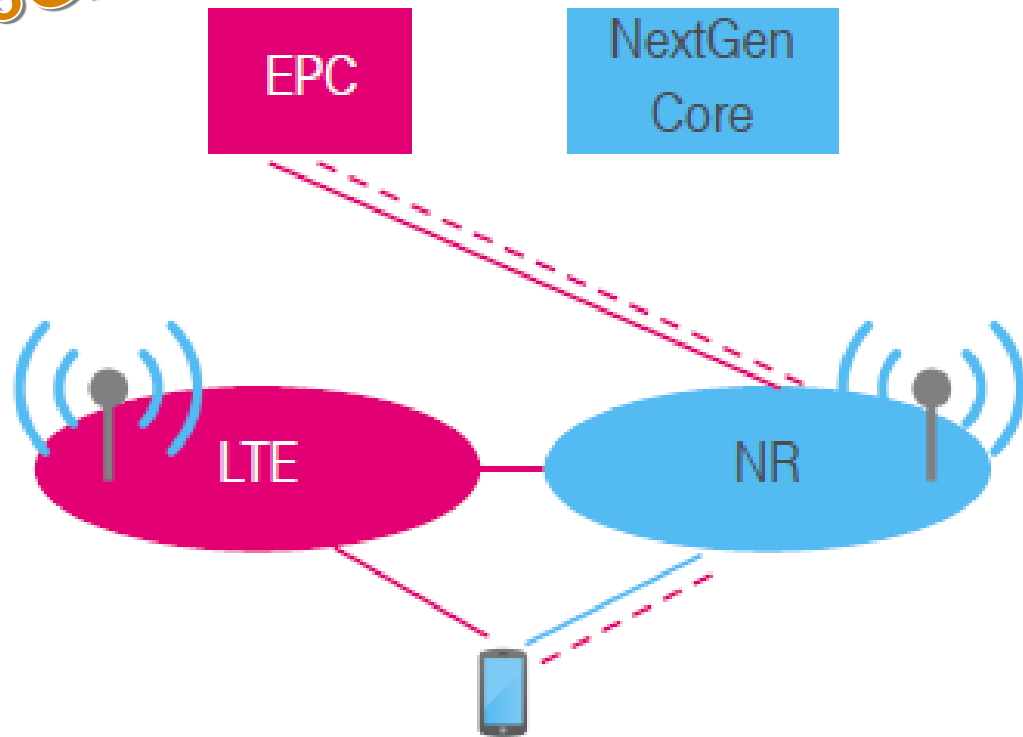


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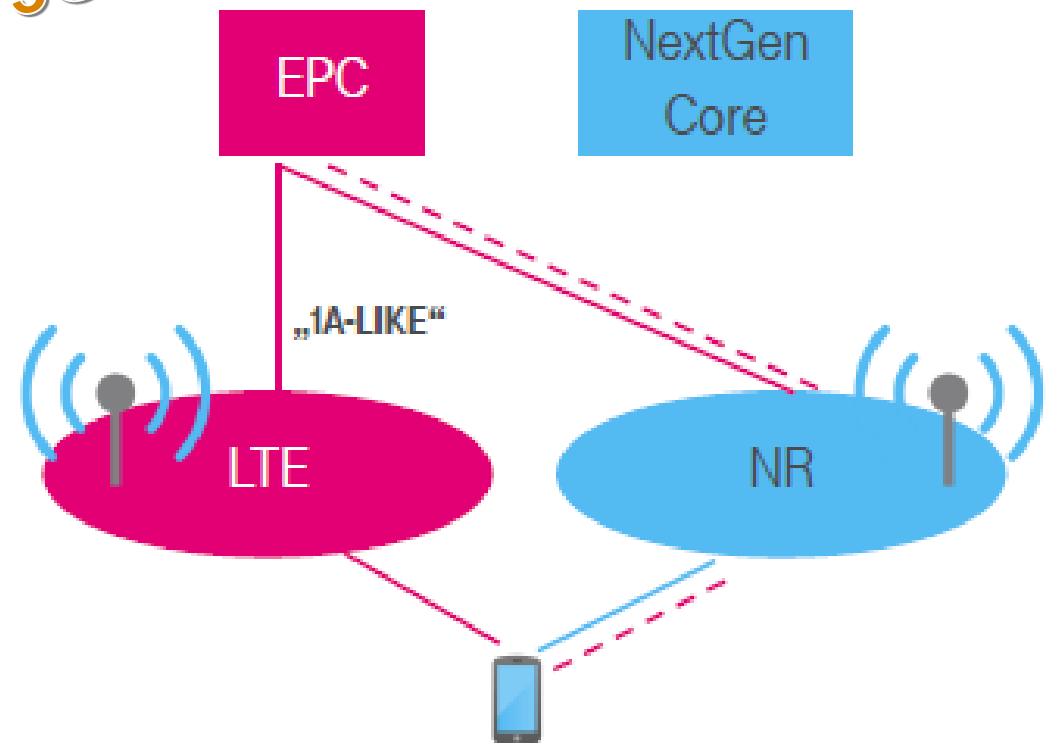
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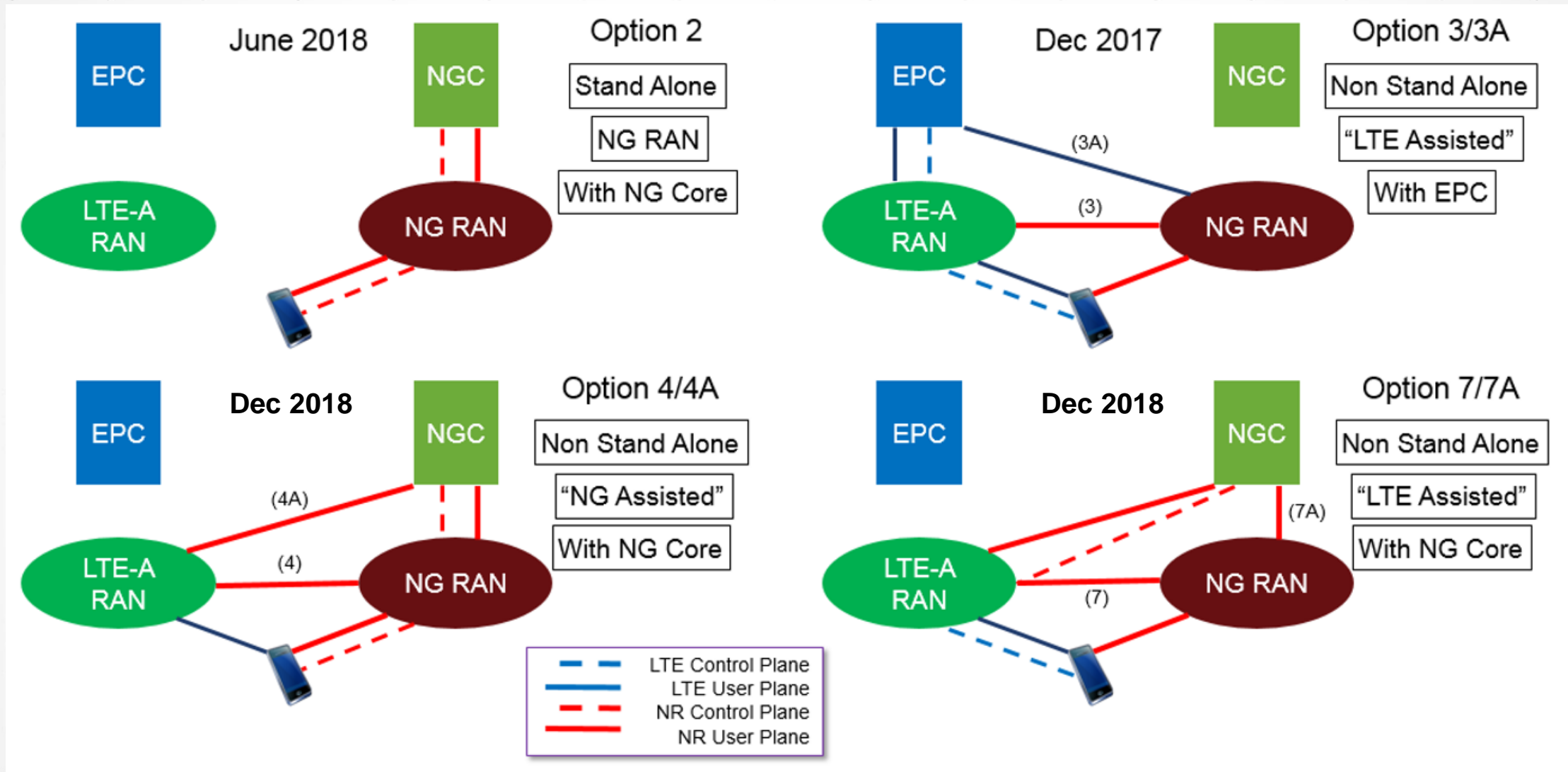
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3GPP Rel 15 architecture priorities





5G Testability Updates

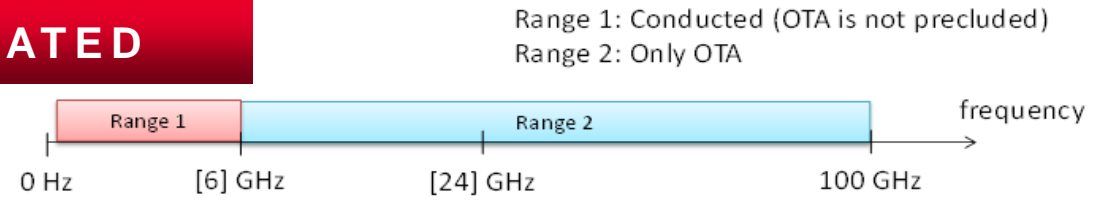
3GPP Context

5G NR SPECIFICATIONS: CONDUCTED VS RADIATED

According to 3GPP 38.803:



RAN4 UE specs	Spec title	Estimated approval date	Comments
38.101-1	NR; User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception Technical Specification for NR range 1 for UE RF requirements	TSG-RAN #78 (Dec'17)	Rapporteur; Vintola Ville vvintola@QTI.QUALCOMM.COM Core part
38.101-2	NR; User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception Technical Specification for NR range 2 for UE RF requirements	TSG-RAN #78 (Dec'17)	Rapporteur; Vintola Ville vvintola@QTI.QUALCOMM.COM Core part
38.101-3	NR; User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception Technical Specification for NR interworking between NR range1 + NR range2 and between NR and LTE for UE RF requirements	TSG-RAN #78 (Dec'17)	Rapporteur; Vintola Ville vvintola@QTI.QUALCOMM.COM Core part
38.133	NR; Requirements for support of radio resource management	TSG-RAN #78 (Dec'17)	Rapporteur; Yang Tang yang.tang@INTEL.COM Core part
38.101-4	NR; User Equipment (UE) performance requirements	TSG-RAN #82 (Dec'18)	Rapporteur; TBD Performance part
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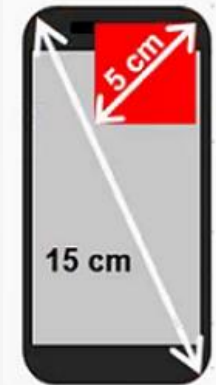
Mode	Frequency ranges involved	LTE connections	FR1 connections	FR2 connections
SA	FR1	--	Conducted-calibrated	--
SA	FR2	--	--	Radiated-calibrated
SA	FR1 (Pcell) + FR2	--	Radiated --not calibrated (*)	Radiated calibrated
NSA	LTE + FR1	Conducted-calibrated	Conducted-calibrated	--
NSA	LTE + FR2	Radiated --not calibrated (*)	--	Radiated calibrated
NSA	LTE + FR1 (Pcell) + FR2	Radiated --not calibrated (*)	Radiated --not calibrated (*)	Radiated calibrated

(*) When measuring FR2.
No FR1/LTE simultaneous measurements with FR2.
FR1 and LTE tested without FR2
References: [R4-1803261](#), [R4-1801587](#)

RF measurement set-up

3GPP DEFINED DUT ANTENNA CONFIGURATIONS

- DUT Antenna Configuration can be chosen by an optional declaration from a manufacturer



DUT Config 1



DUT Config 2

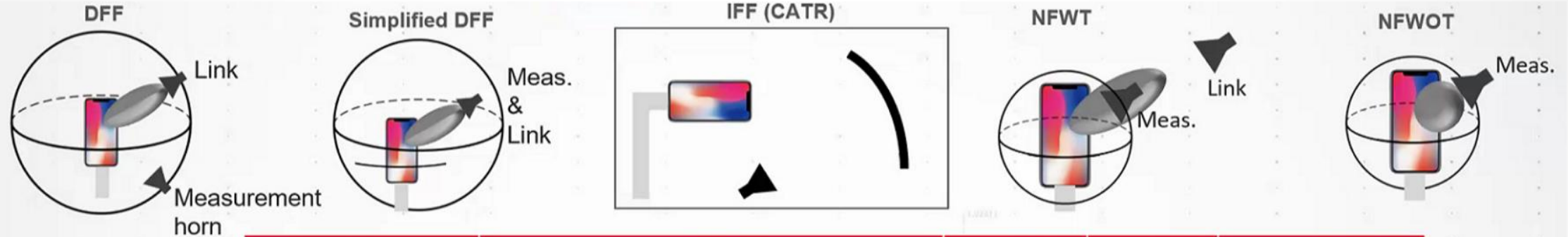


DUT Config 3

DUT Antenna Configuration	Description
Config 1	Maximum one antenna panel with $D \leq 5$ cm active at any one time
Config 2	More than one antenna panel $D \leq 5$ cm without phase coherence between panels active at any one time
Config 3	Any phase coherent antenna panel of any size (e.g. sparse array)

RF measurement set-up

PERMITTED OTA TEST SYSTEMS

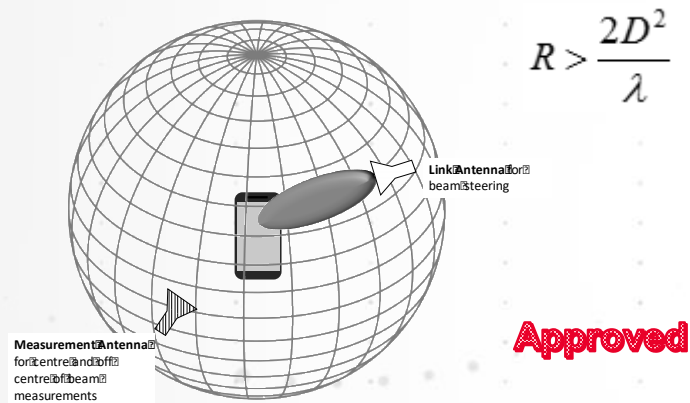


Permitted Systems	UE RF		DEMOD	RRM	Protocol Sig
	Tx	Rx			
Direct Far-Field (DFF)	Yes (DUT config 1, 2)	Yes (DUT config 1 DUT config 2: no MU defined)	Yes	Yes (1 and 2 AoAs)	Yes
Simplified DFF	Yes (DUT config 1, 2)	Yes (DUT config 1 DUT config 2: no MU defined)	Yes	Yes (1AoA)	Yes (single cell TCs)
Indirect Far-Field (IFF)	Yes (DUT config 1, 2, 3)	Yes (DUT config 1, 2, 3)	Yes	Yes (1 AoA)	Yes (single TCs)
Near Field With Transform (NFWT)	Partially	No	No	No	No
Near Field Without Transform (NFWOT)	No	No	Yes	No	Not precluded (single cell TCs)

RF measurement set-up

RF PARAMETRICS: MEASUREMENT SET-UPS DESCRIPTION

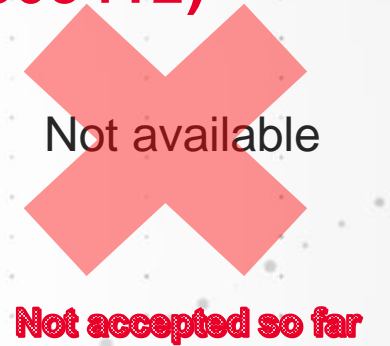
DIRECT FAR FIELD (R4-1803554)



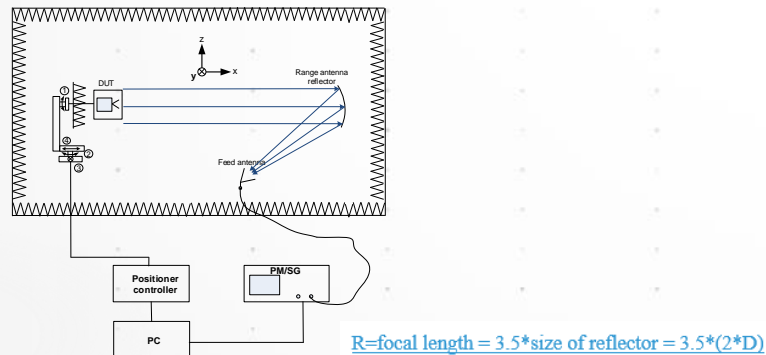
NEAR FIELD TO FAR FIELD TRANSFORM (R4-1805062)



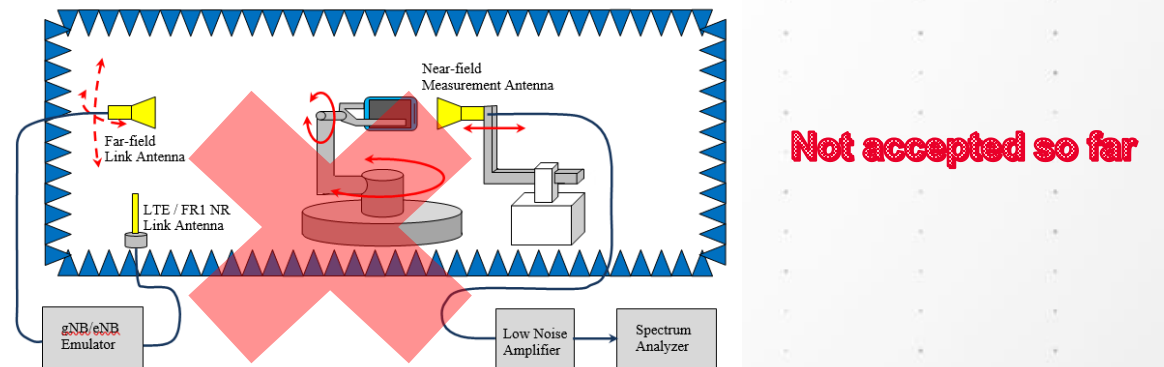
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INDIRECT FAR FIELD (R4-1803575)



NEAR FIELD WITHOUT FAR FIELD TRANSFORM (R4-1805896)



RRM Testability agreement (R4-1710028)

1. Only RRM static geometry scenarios to be prioritized so far, i.e. in terms of RRM testing complexity scenarios:

1. Scenario 1: 1 NR TRxP + AWGN + Static AoA
2. Scenario 3: 1 NR TRxP + Fading + Static AoA
3. Scenario 5: 2 NR TRxPs + AWGN + Static AoA
4. Scenario 7: 2 NR TRxPs + Fading + Static AoA

Impact:
Beam steering capability
not tested

2. Fading i.e. emulation of the propagation channel for RRM is under discussion in another WF.

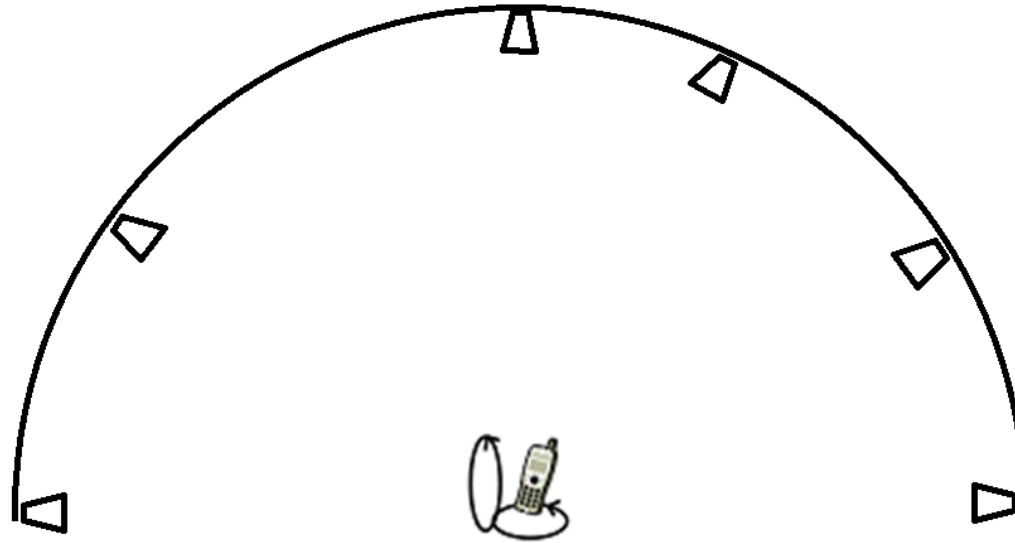
Its appliance to 1 or 2 TRxPs affects directly the baseline setup.

Still under discussion as shown in section 2.2 in R4-1800021

RRM baseline measurement set-up

R4-1803532, R4-1808402, R4-1808405

- OTA link, LTE radiated link for NSA (not calibrated). Positioning system.
- Rel 15 testing scope: Up to **2 NR transmission reception points** TRxPs are emulated. (max num of simultaneously active AoA)
- Relative angular relationships between the active AoA: **30°, 60°, 90°, 120°, 150° and 180°**.



5G Protocol Conformance Test Cases


TEST CASE ESTIMATES

- Breakdown below based on the latest available RAN5 work plans and estimates.
- Covers Release-15 only. Further 5G PCT test cases will also be defined in later 3GPP releases.
- Test case numbers below are subject to ongoing revisions by RAN5.

5GS Rel-15	TCs #	Timescale for TTCN development	Comments				
NSA option 3	112	2018: 90% 2019: 10%	Test case breakdown:				
			Layer	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase x
			MAC	28	9		May contain TCs for NR L1/L2 flexibility testing
			RLC	17			
			PDCP	14			
			RRC	12	20	9	
			NAS	3			
Total	74	29	9				
SA options 2,5	~250	2018: 25% 2019: 75%	Includes all layers of option3 + IdleMode, NR SDAP/RRC, 5GC, inter-RAT with 4G.				
NSA options 4,7	~75	2019: 100%	Option4: extension of option2, test scope limited to DC. Option7: extension of option5, test scope limited to DC.				
IMS	~75	2018: 20% 2019: 80%	Voice, video, SMS, emergency, codecs...				
TOTAL:	~512						

GCF 5G Status

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- Dec 2017: GCF approved the creation of 5G work items (SG#73)
- Mar 2018: 5G work item structure agreed (CAG#53bis)
- Apr 2018: Umbrella work items created (CAG#54)
- Jul 2018: Sub-work items, with bands/ test case lists, agreed (CAG#55) 
- Oct 2018: Target for first 5G test case validations (CAG#56). **Likely to be delayed due to need to move to Sep '18 ASN.1**
- Jan 2019: Target for activation of 5G certification (CAG#57)

Umbrella Work Item	Sub Work Items
WI-500: 5G RF	WI-500_NR-nx WI-500_EUTRA-5GC-x WI-500_EN-DC_x_ny WI-500_NGEN-DC_x_ny
WI-501: 5G RRM	WI-501_NR-nx WI-501_EUTRA-5GC-x WI-501_EN-DC_x_ny WI-501_NGEN-DC_x_ny
WI-502: 5G De-Mod/CSI	WI-502_NR-nx WI-502_EUTRA-5GC-x WI-502_EN-DC_x_ny WI-502_NGEN-DC_x_ny
WI-503: 5G RAN Protocol	WI-503_NR-nx (opt 2) WI-503_EUTRA-5GC-x (opt 5) WI-503_EN-DC_x_ny (opt 3) WI-503_NGEN-DC_x_ny (opt 7)
WI-504: 5G NAS Protocol	WI-504_NR-nx WI-504_EUTRA-5GC-x WI-504_EN-DC_x_ny WI-504_NGEN-DC_x_ny
WI-505: IMS Protocol	
WI-506: 5G Positioning	

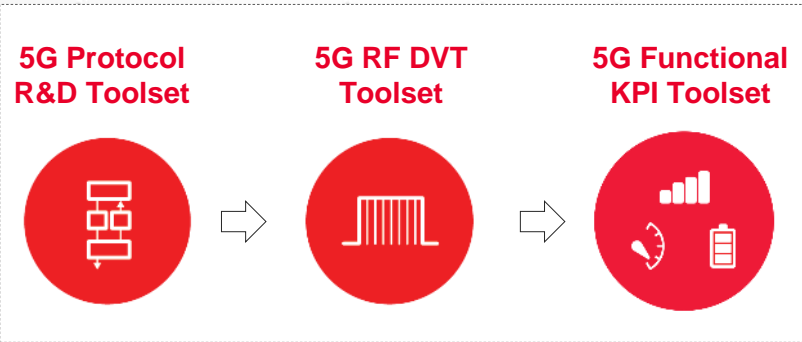


Keysight 5G Testing Solutions

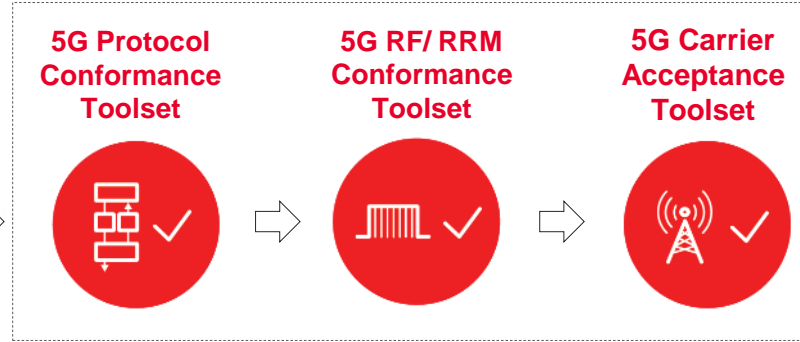
5G Device E2E Workflow Solutions

FIRST-TO-MARKET WITH 5G NR-READY NETWORK EMULATION SOLUTIONS

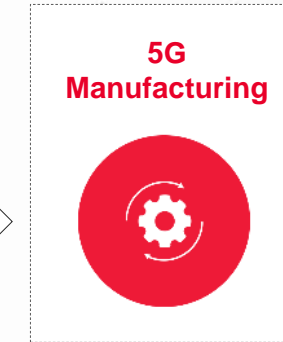
5G Interactive R&D Solutions



5G Device Acceptance Solutions



5G MFG Solutions



Network Emulator



Channel Emulator



mmWave OTA Solutions



5G Network Emulator Solutions – building blocks

UXM 5G (E7515B)



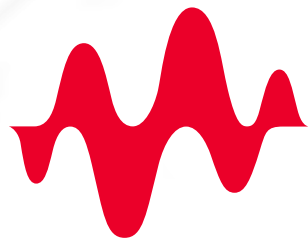
UXM 5G Wireless Test Platform (E7515B)

- <6GHz Frequency range
- Scalable bandwidth 8Tx/4Rx @800MHz, 4Tx/2Rx @1600MHz
- Integrated RFIO + Internal fading
- Support for RF, IF, Host and BBIQ interfaces (slow and full rate)
- Support for 10GbE connectivity

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