

Overview of 5G Technology

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Evolution Mobile Communication Technologies

- 1G Introduced in 1979.
 - Voice only, Analog Signals
 - 850 Mhz and 1900 Mhz
- 2G Introduced in 1991.
 - Digital, Encrypted conversations, Data services
 - 900, 1800 Mhz
- 2.5G Introduced around 2000
 - Same as 2G, packet switching along with circuit switching
- 3G Introduced in 1998
 - Higher bandwidths, broadband access
 - 2100 Mhz
- 4G Introduced in 2008
 - 850 Mhz, 1.8 Ghz
 - Much more higher bandwidths, IP telephony, cloud computing
- 5G Introduced in 2019
 - 3Ghz to 300 Ghz
 - Low Latency, Massive Data Speed, 5G NR, Edge Computing

5G 2019 - Onwards

- Massive data speed
- Ultralow latency
- 5G NR
- IP
- Still Evolving...

4G 2011 - Onwards

- High data speed
- Broadband Internet
- 4G
- Mobile-IP
- LTE

3G 2002 - Onwards

- Video telephony
- Internet access
- 3G
- W-CDMA, UMTS, HSPA

2.5G 2000 - 2010

- Data transfer
- GPRS, EDGE

2G 1990 - 2005

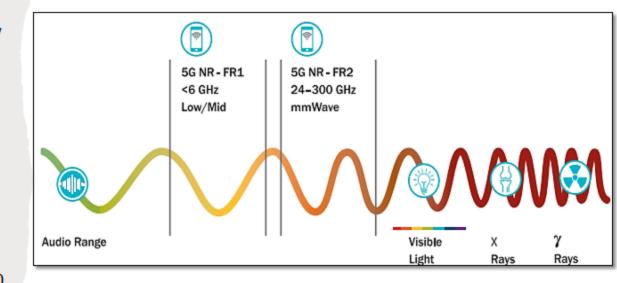
- Digital signals,
- Messaging
- · GSM, CDMA, TDMA

1G 1980-1995

- Voice only,
- Analog signals
- NMT, AMPS, TACS

5G Communication Classification

- 5G works in three different frequency ranges
 - Low Band, Mid Band, Millimeter Wave (mm Wave)
- Low Band 5G uses the same frequency as 4G
 - Uses below 3GHz
 - Slightly more data speed than 4G
- Mid Band 5G uses frequency up to 6GHz
 - Used by Wi-Fi, to provide downlink speed of 1Gbps
- Millimeter wave uses
 - Frequency range 24GHz and 300 GHz
 - Downlink speed of 2Gbps, which can even go up to 20 Gbps.



5G NR

- The 3GPP, has proposed 5G NR (New Radio) as a new global standard for air interface of 5G Networks.
- Under 5G NR there are two frequencies ranges:
 - FR1 < 6 GHz (Range 3.3 4.2 Ghz)
 with max channel bandwidth 100 Mhz
 - FR2 > 24 Ghz (Range 24 Ghz to 300 GHz) with channel bandwidth min 50Mhz and max 400 Mhz.
- The low band 5G can be built on the existing 4G infrastructure.
- Mid band and mm Wave require new spectrum auctions, low band 5G fully rolled out in coming years

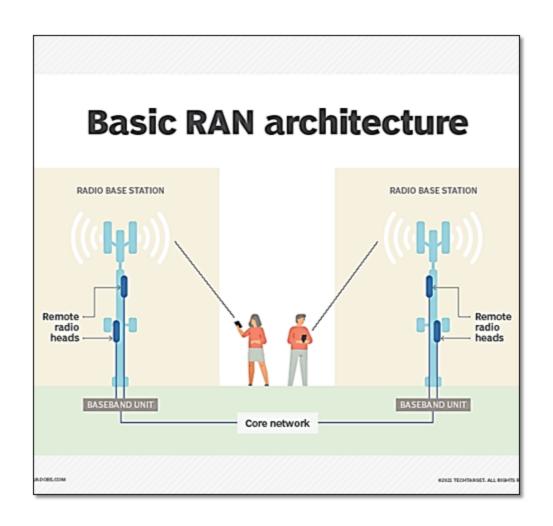
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 More cell towers will be required to build a seamless 5G network.



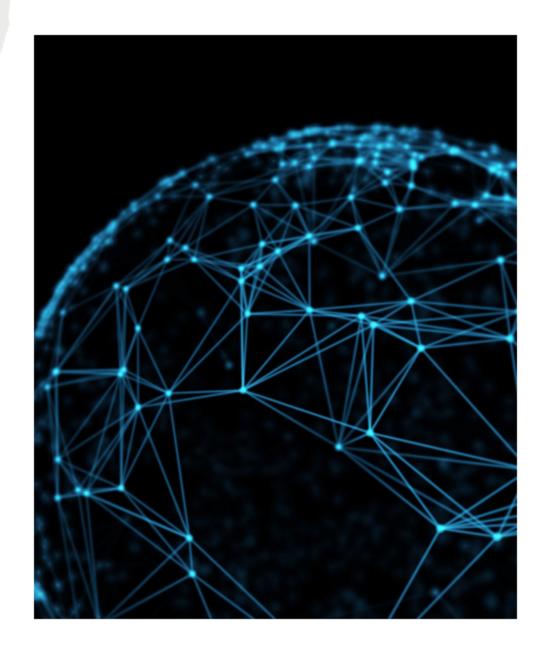
Radio Access Network

- A Radio Access
 Network ("RAN")
 connects wireless
 devices to other
 parts of the network
 through radio waves.
- A RAN comprises of a base station and antenna.

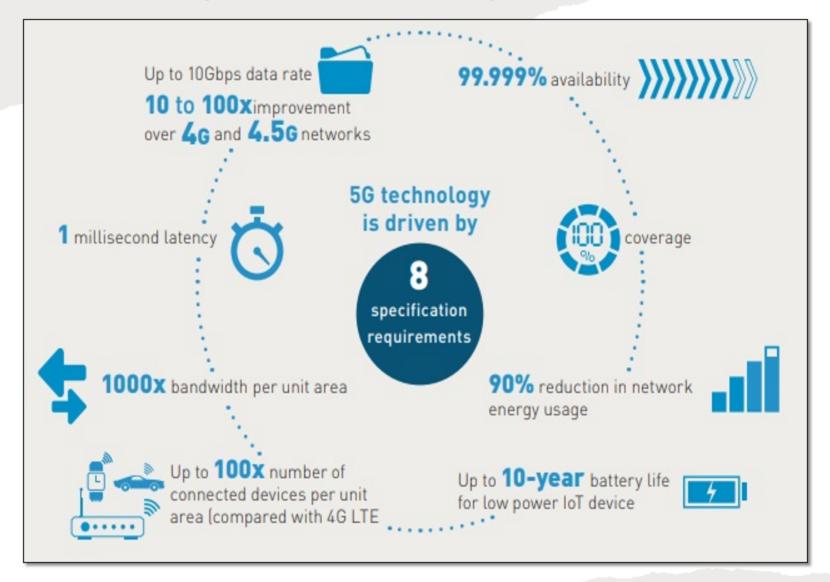


Technologies in 5G

- Millimeter Wave
- Small Cell
- Massive MIMO
- Beam forming
- Full Duplex



5G Specification Requirements



5G Pros and Cons

Pros





- Higher data transfer speeds more than 10x.
- Ultralow latency for synchronous communication.
- Significantly more device connections in a coverage area.
- Increased bandwidth due to more available frequency channels.
- Convergence of cellular and wi-fi technologies.
- Greater energy efficiency per bits of data transferred.
- Utility for new technologies e.g. Al, drones, AR/VR.
- More applications e.g. commercial, entertainment, defense.

- Massive capital expenditure required for new installations.
- Larger scale of infrastructure deployment due to small cells.
- Greater operational and maintenance costs.
- Limited coverage area due to shorter reach of the signal.
- Susceptible to atmospheric absorption and blocking through material.
- Need new 5G capable devices.
- Interference with more applications in the same frequency.
- New security and privacy issues.

5G Use Cases

- Use cases associated with low latency are:
 - V2X, V2I, V2V,
 autonomous, connected
 cars
 - Immersive Virtual Reality
 Gaming
 - Remote surgical operations



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