

Research directions beyond 5G, and Vertical applications for 5G

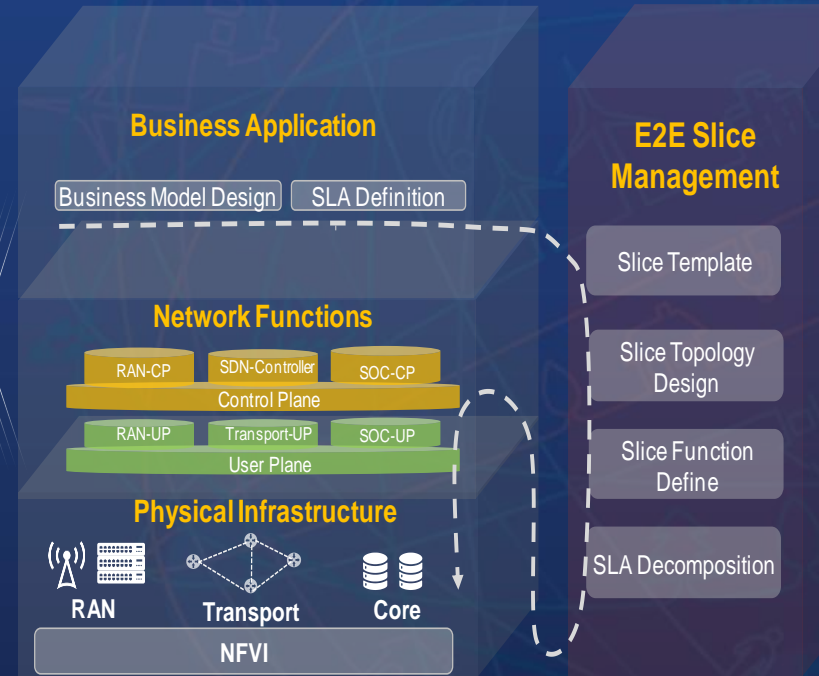
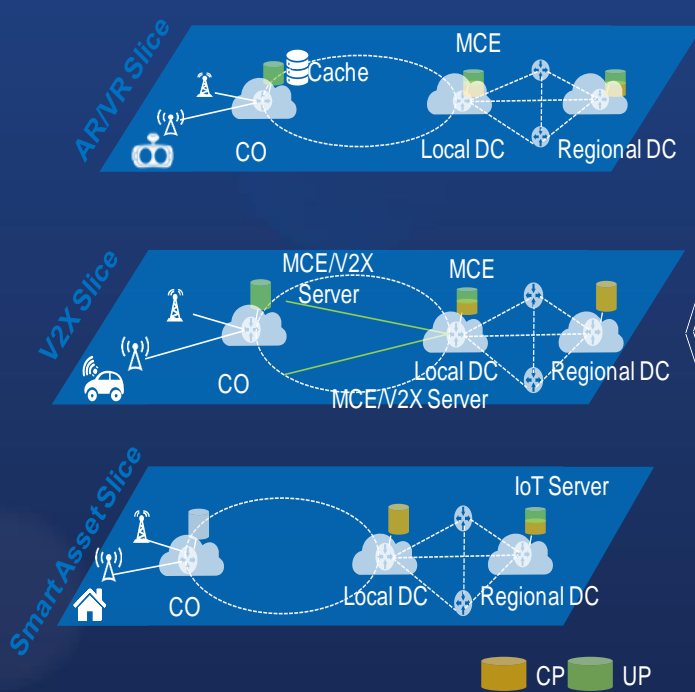
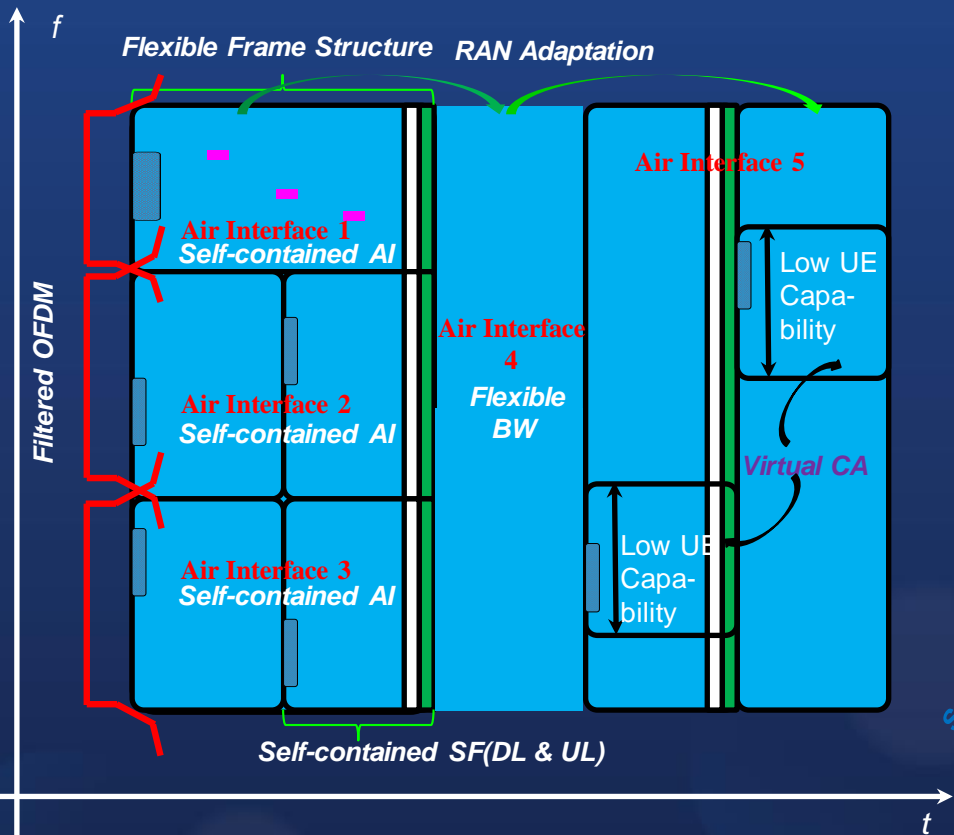
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Service Oriented Radio and Cloud-Native Architecture



Service Oriented Radio (SOR)

5G Air Interface

Cloud-Native Architecture for E2E slicing

5G Architecture



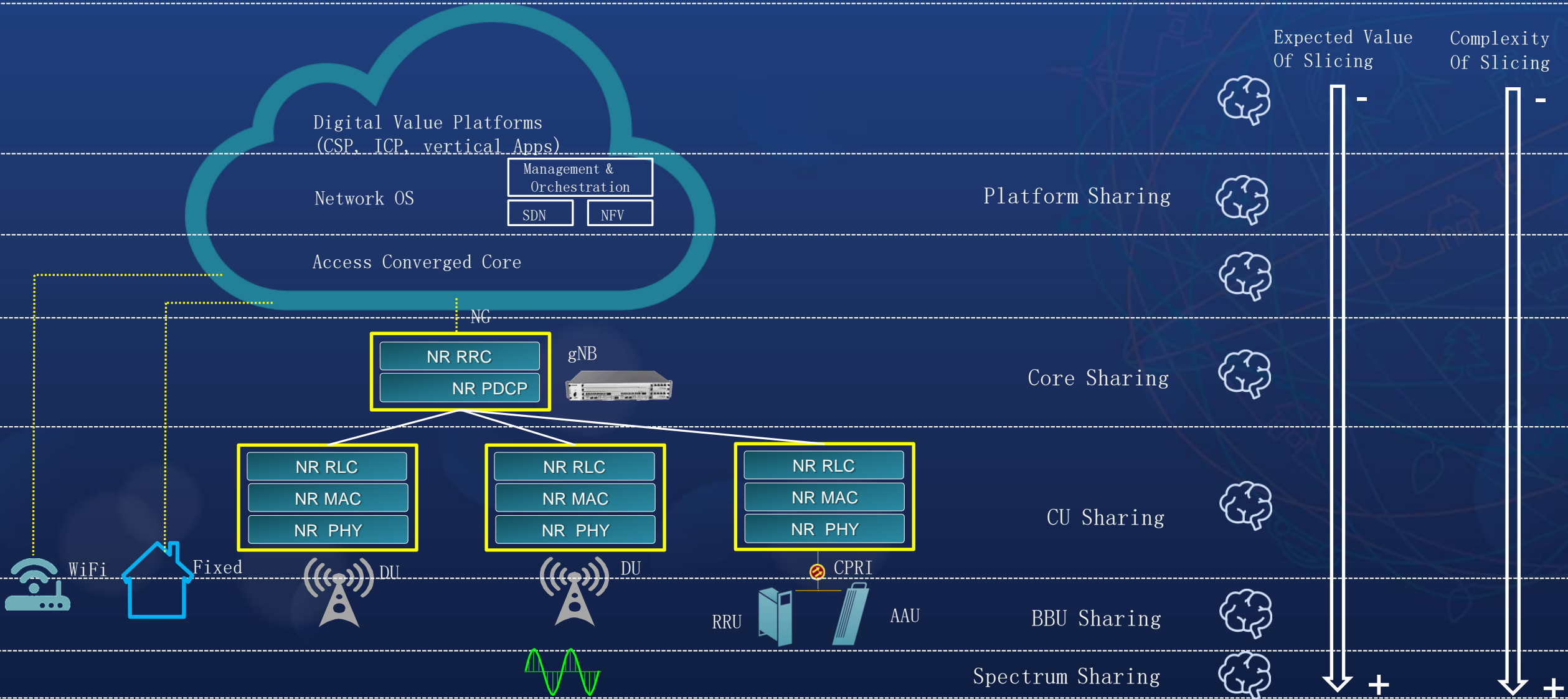
"5G-Beyond" with service awareness and sharing?

e.g. "Video" RAN Slice w/ cross layer?

e.g. Network/Spectrum Sharing?



Layered Slicing/Sharing and Layered Intelligence



Network/Spectrum Sharing for reasonable performance/cost tradeoff

Licensed spectrum
Exclusive use

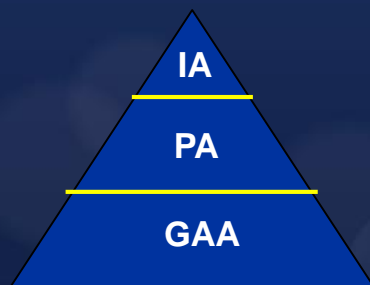
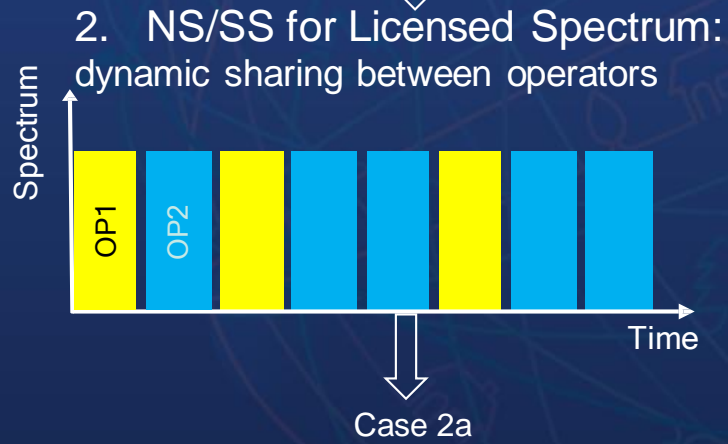
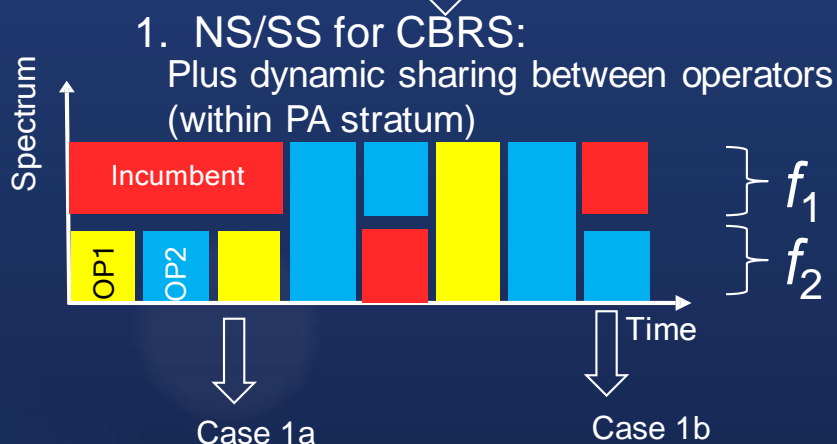
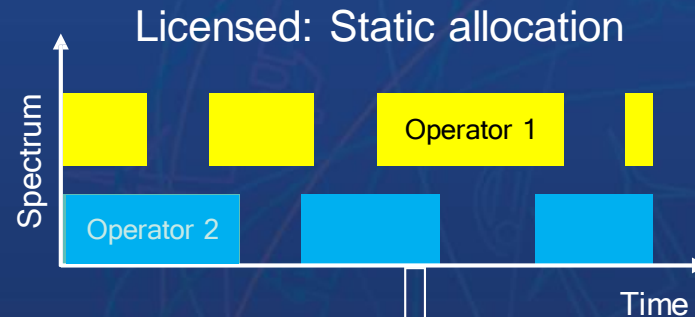
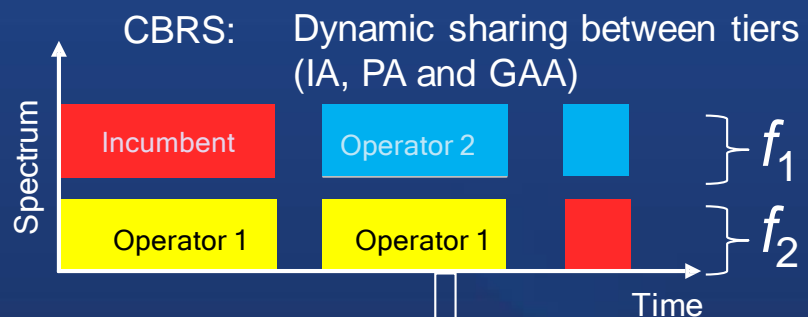
Unlicensed spectrum
Shared use

Example: 2.4 GHz / 5 GHz / 60 GHz

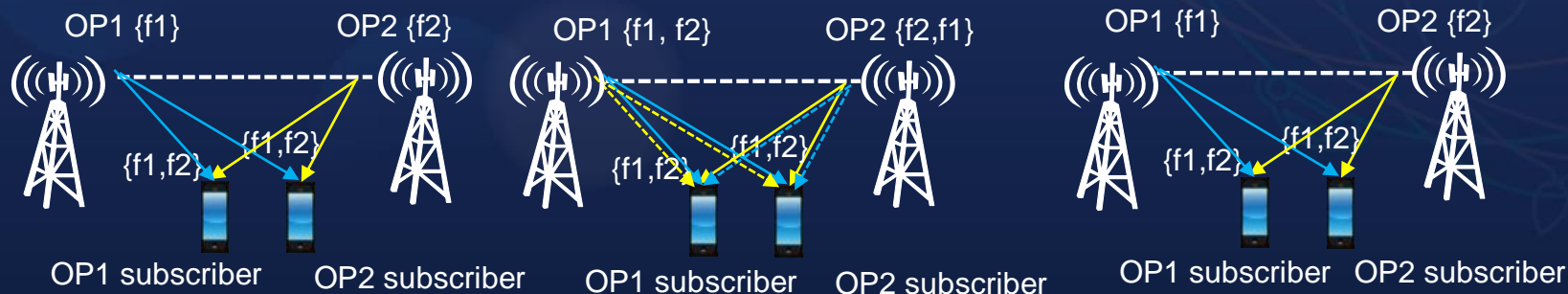
Shared spectrum

New spectrum sharing paradigms

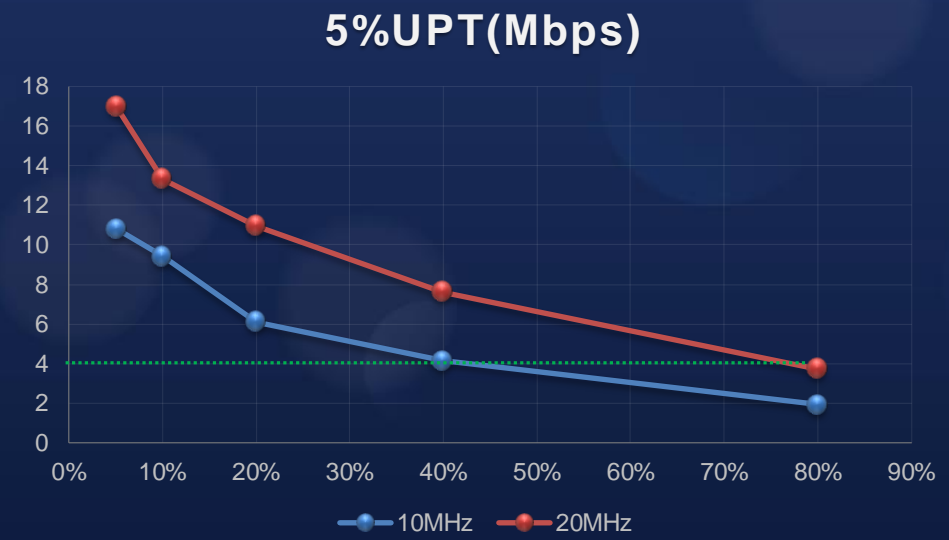
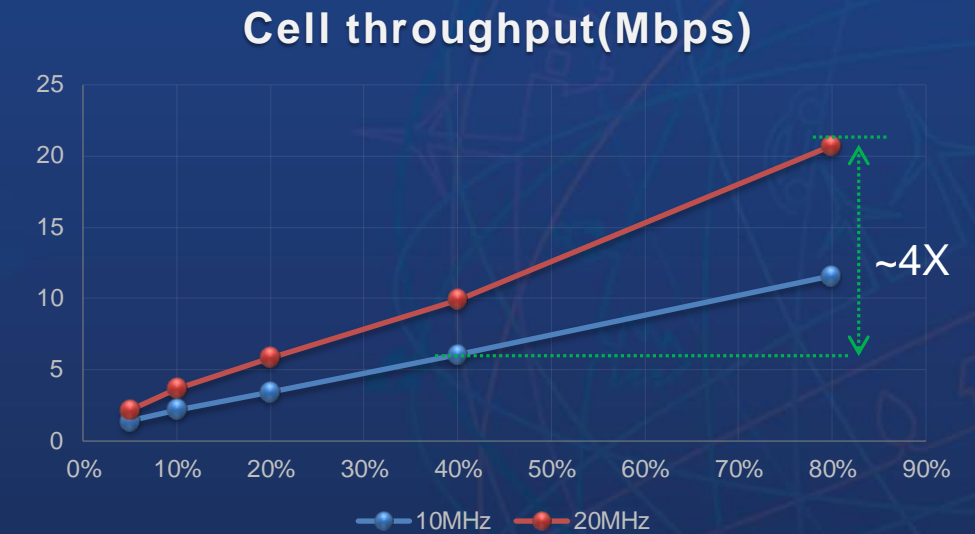
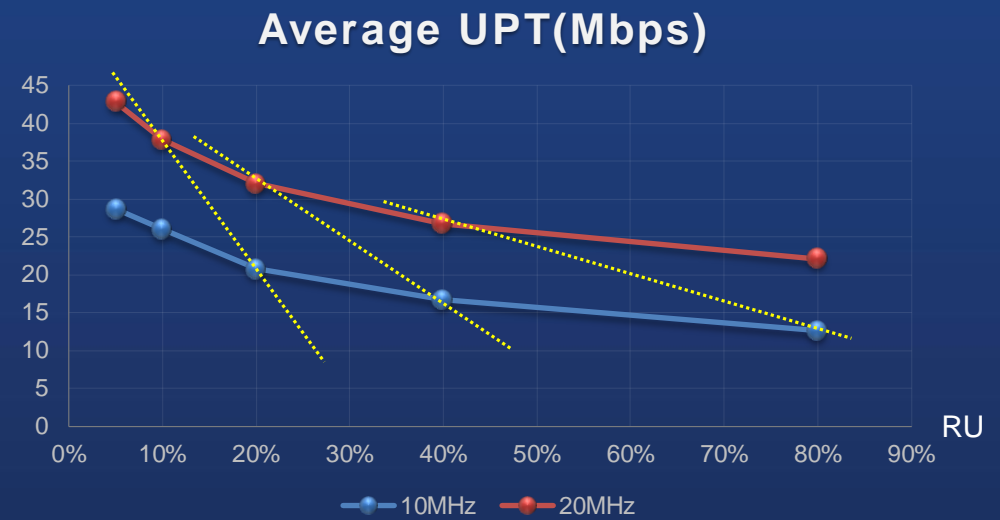
Example: 2.3 GHz Europe (LSA) / 3.5 GHz USA (CBRS¹)



¹: 3 tiers model of CBRS



Rethink “Spectrum Efficiency” with QoS constraint

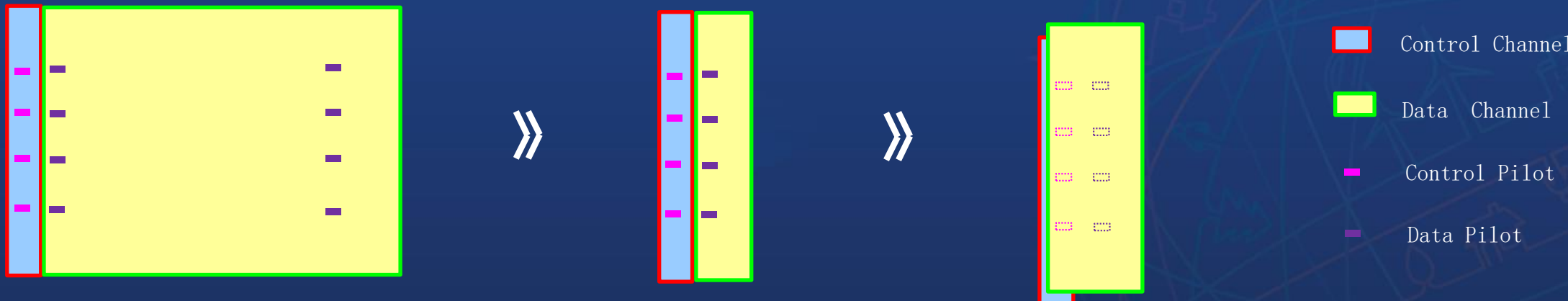


“Spectrum Efficiency” Changes with Bandwidth
 - e.g. if 4Mbps 5% UPT required, 20MHz cell throughput is 4 times of 10MHz (i.e. SE is 2 times)

User Perceived Throughput normalized with used resource Changes with Bandwidth
 -20MHz UPT/Hz is approximately 2 times of 10MHz (a.k.a Trunking gain)

Observations: “SE” gain \approx UPT gain?

Rethink "Spectrum Efficiency" with Joint Pilot and Data



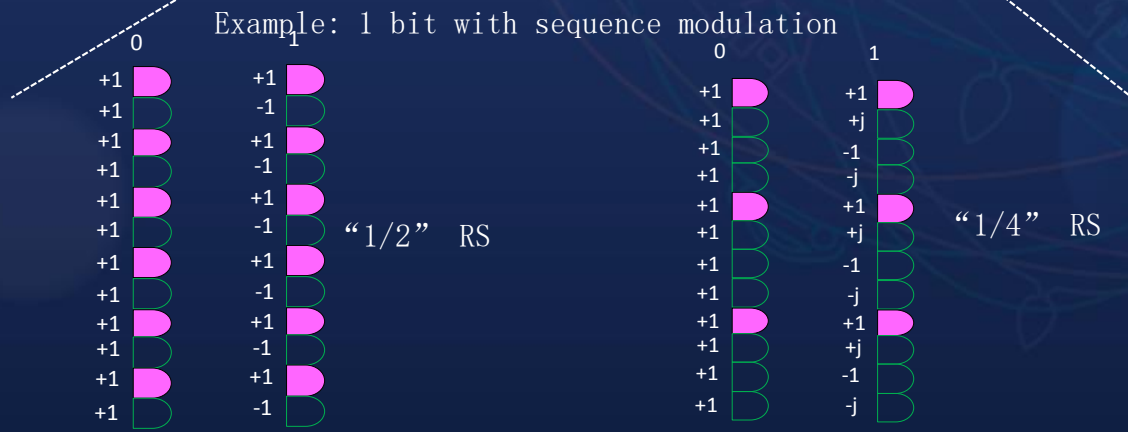
Control /Pilot/Data separately optimized

Self-contained transmission (short duration) for analog switching (mmWave) /Interference agility (unlicensed spectrum) /URLLC

Self-contained transmission with overlaid data/pilot/control (Joint Optimization of data/pilot)

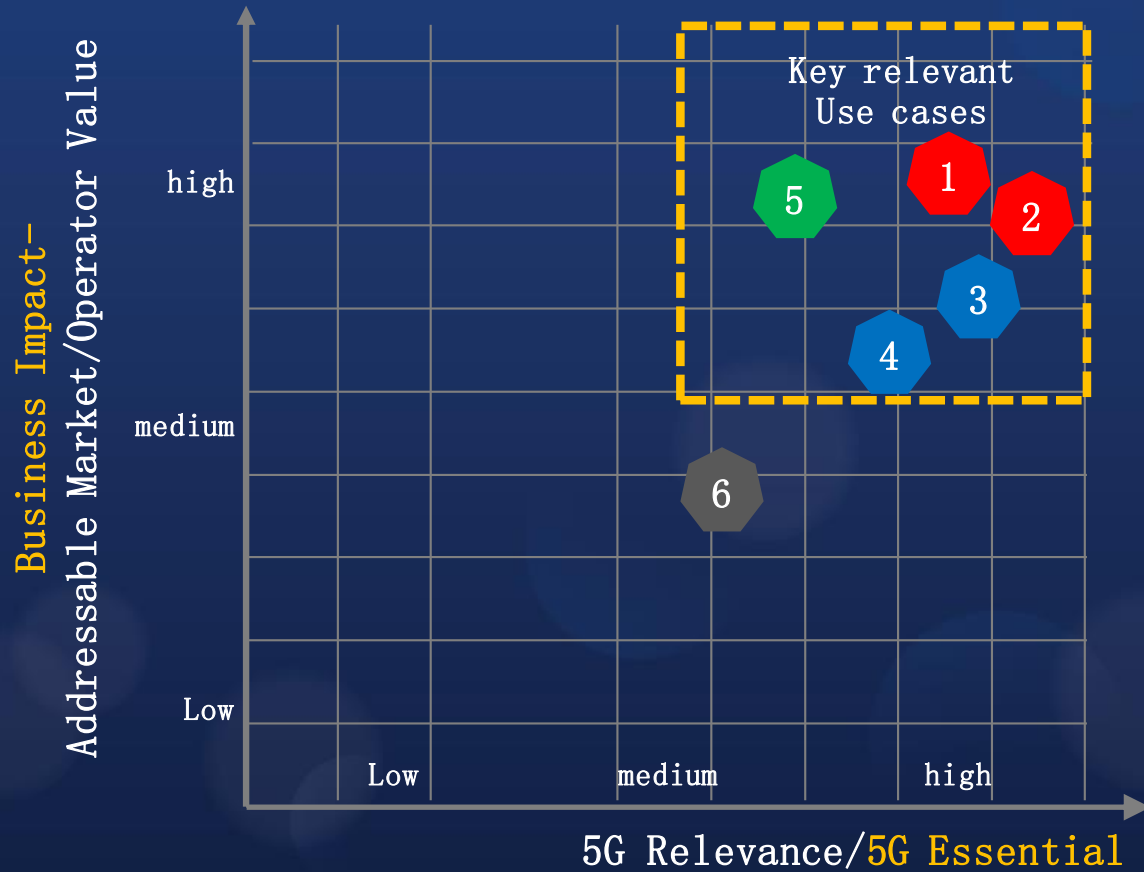
Experiments show better performance of "1/2" RS against "1/4 RS" for 1 bit data; but "1/4" RS is better than "1/2" RS for 2 bit data

How to achieve the best "Spectrum Efficiency" with joint Pilot and Data?



5G Use Cases Evaluation & Prioritization

Use Case Evaluation



Use Case Example

- 1 UHD/3D/Holo... Video
- 2 AR/VR
- 3 Connected Vehicle
- 4 Smart Manufacturing
- 5 Fixed Wireless Access
- 6 Delivery Drone

Source: Huawei wireless X Labs