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ENTERPRISE 5G
TURN OPPORTUNITY INTO REVENUE WITH AGILE AND
DISTRIBUTED POLICY & CHARGING ON AWS HYBRID CLOUD

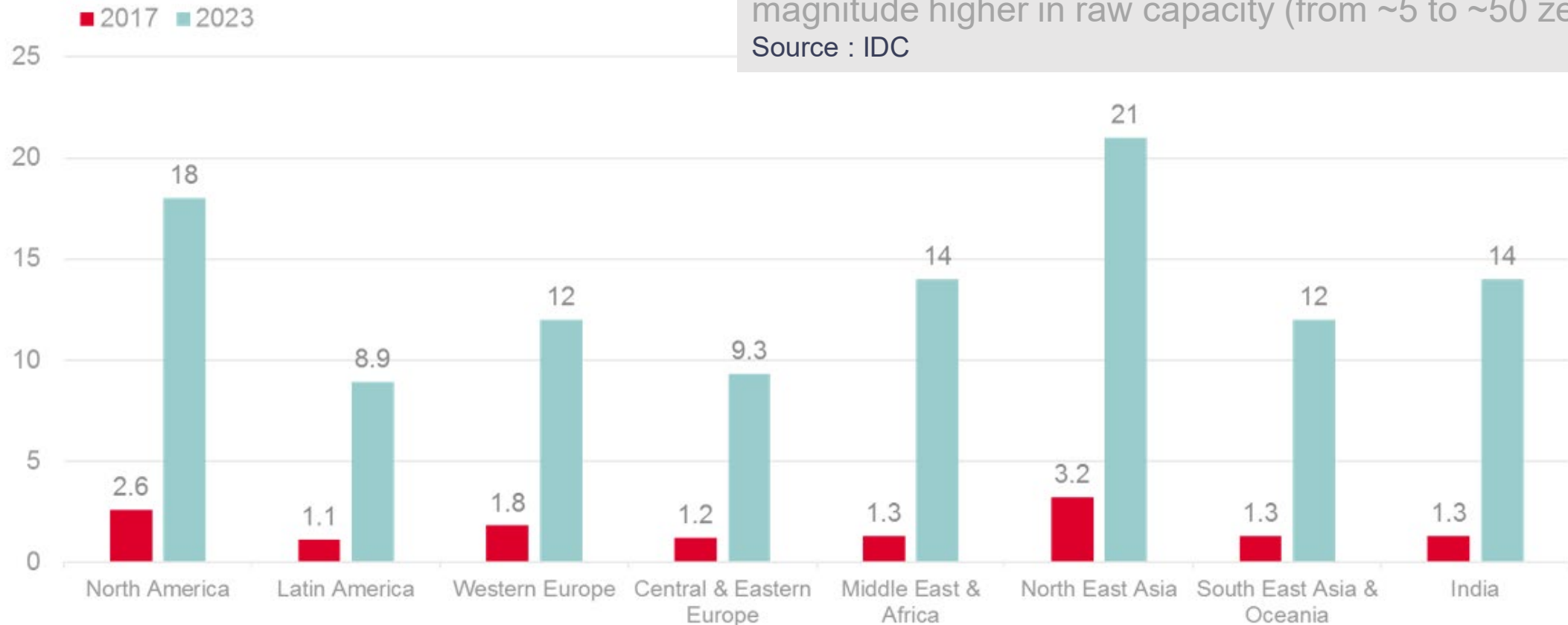
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Agenda

- 5G & the concept of 'edge'
- Opportunity from Enterprise 5G
- The importance of network slicing
- Getting ready for the Edge - Distributed based PCC to support 1ms latency urLLC use cases
- Different slices, different policy rules, different prices – Port and Hospital example
- AWS in the telecommunications industry
- AWS Outposts at the 5G edge
- Openet PCC on AWS

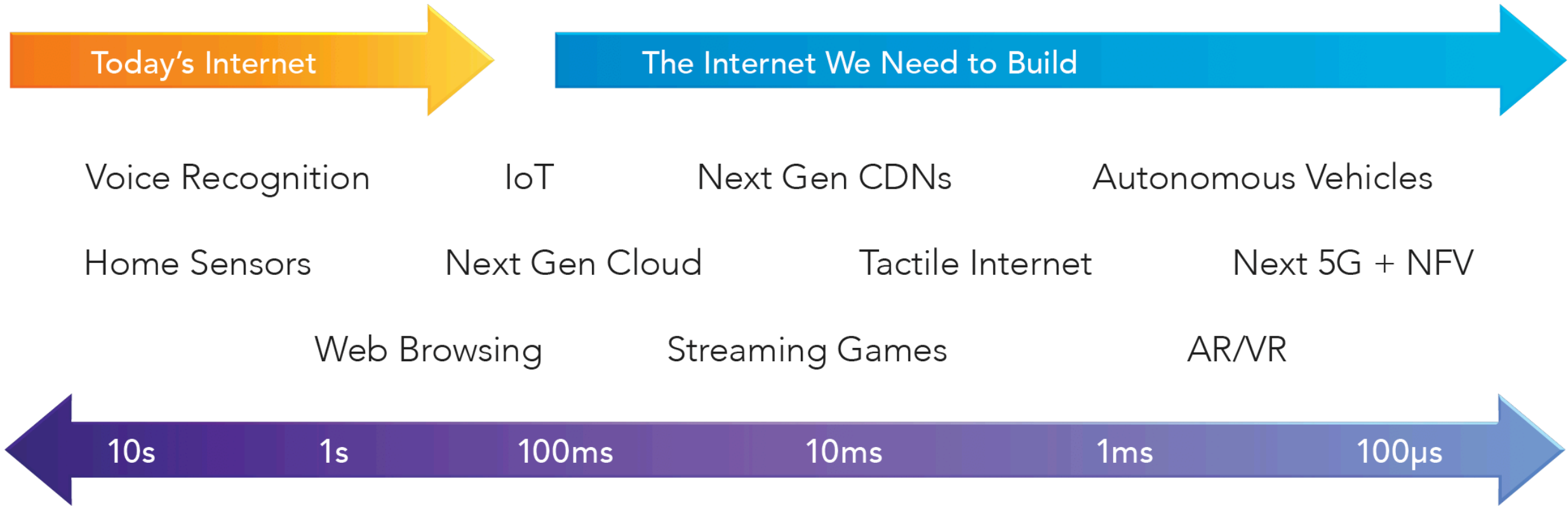
The inexorable rise of global mobile traffic

In 2017, real-time data was a mere 15% of all information created, captured, or replicated.
In 2025, it's expected to reach 30%. That's an order of magnitude higher in raw capacity (from ~5 to ~50 zettabytes).
Source : IDC



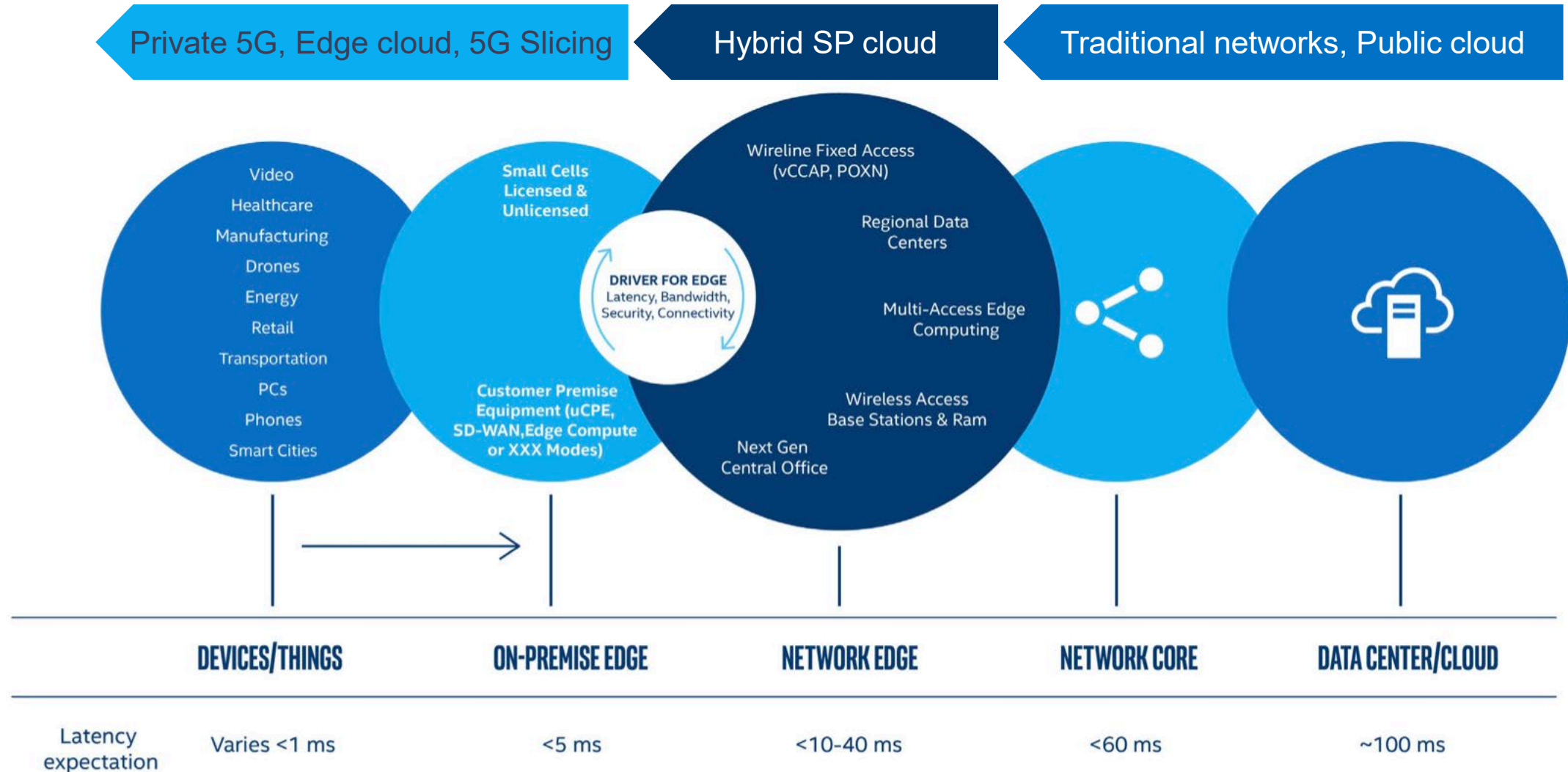
Source : Ericsson

5G inflection point : Edge-enabled internet that operates at machine speeds



Source : State of the Edge 2020

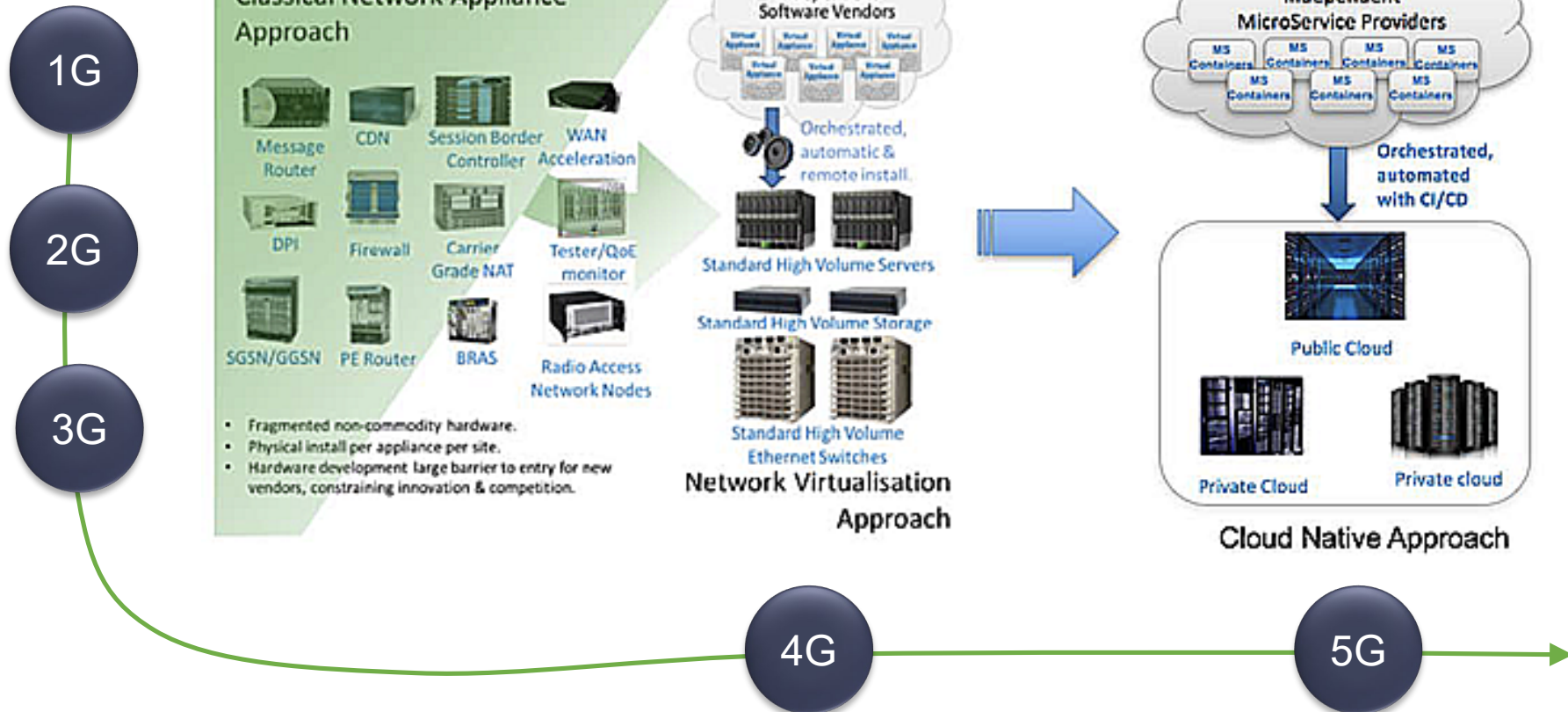
But what do we mean by 'Edge' ?



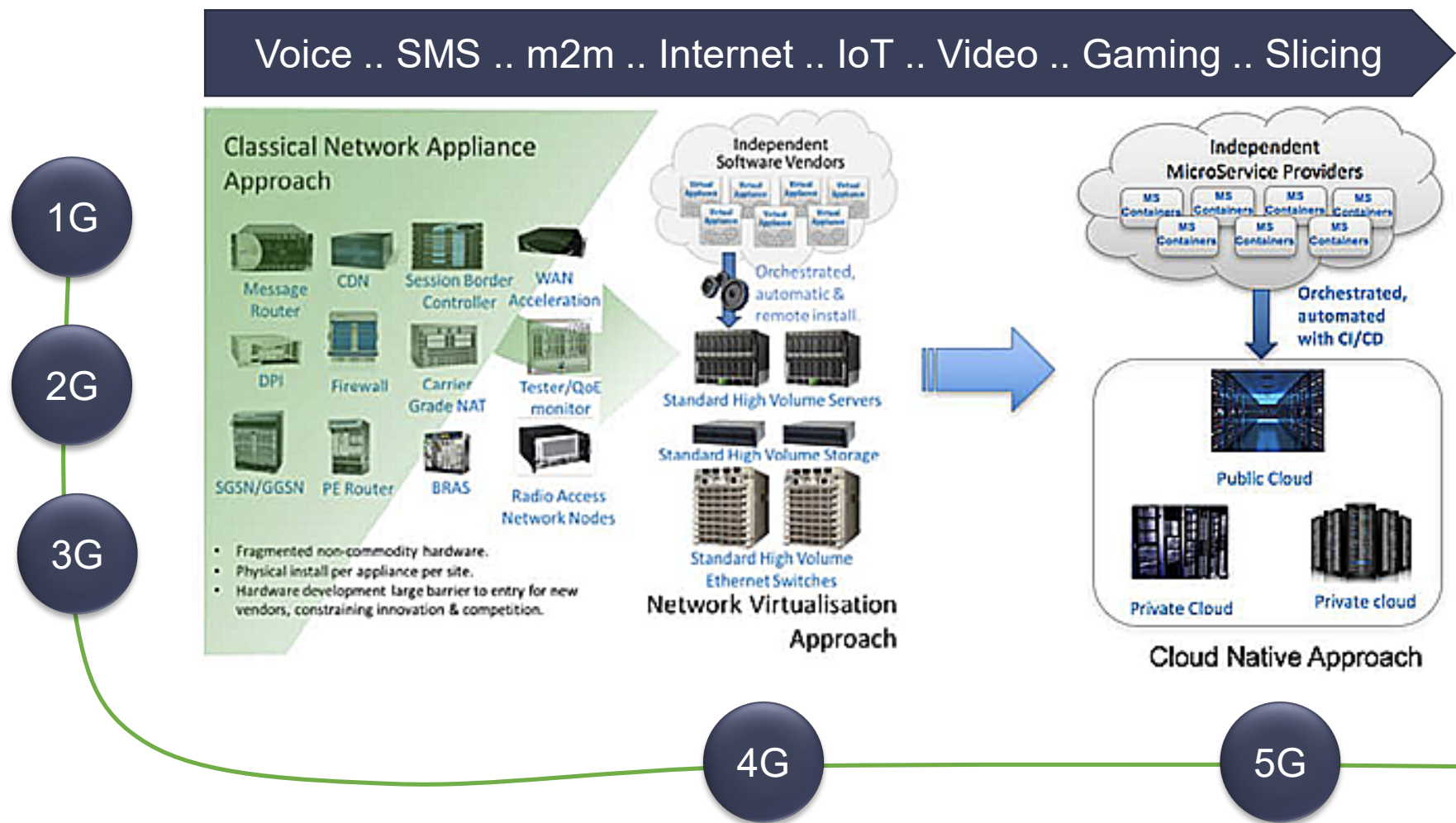
Source : Intel

Looking back & going forwards – how did we get to 5G on cloud?

Voice .. SMS .. m2m .. Internet .. IoT .. Video .. Gaming .. 5G & Slicing



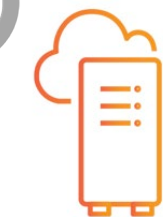
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AWS Outposts

Enterprise 5G – The Opportunity for CSPs

“ .. the addressable industry digitalisation market for service providers could grow to about **US\$700 billion by 2030..**”

- Ericsson and Arthur D. Little - 5G for business: a 2030 market compass (October 2019)

*“Figuring out **how to tap the enterprise market** will be critical to communications service providers’ (CSPs) 5G success, but they must act fast as large companies in many industry verticals are **considering whether to deploy their own private 5G networks** ...*

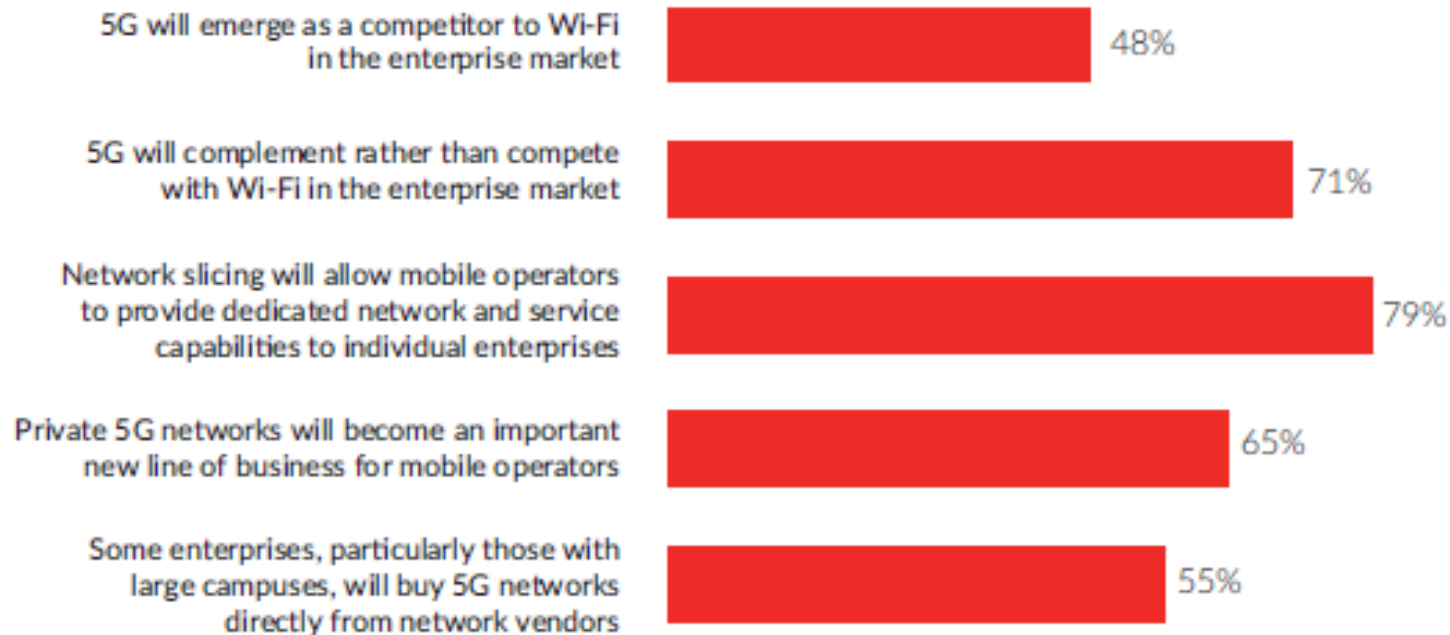
*CSPs must collaborate with third-party providers to deliver automated, ultra-low latency services and customized performance backed by service level guarantees. If they can manage this, **mobile operators may find the enterprise market to be a vast multiverse of opportunity with endless demand**”.*

- TM Forum operator survey - 5G Future: Targeting The Enterprise (September 2019)

TM Forum Operator Survey Results on Enterprise 5G

“Why Enterprise 5G”?
... isn't Wi-Fi good enough? ?

CSPs are bullish about enterprise 5G



Cost

Carrier class

Macro integration

Concurrent users

Quality of Service

Zero interference

Fast mobility

Policy control

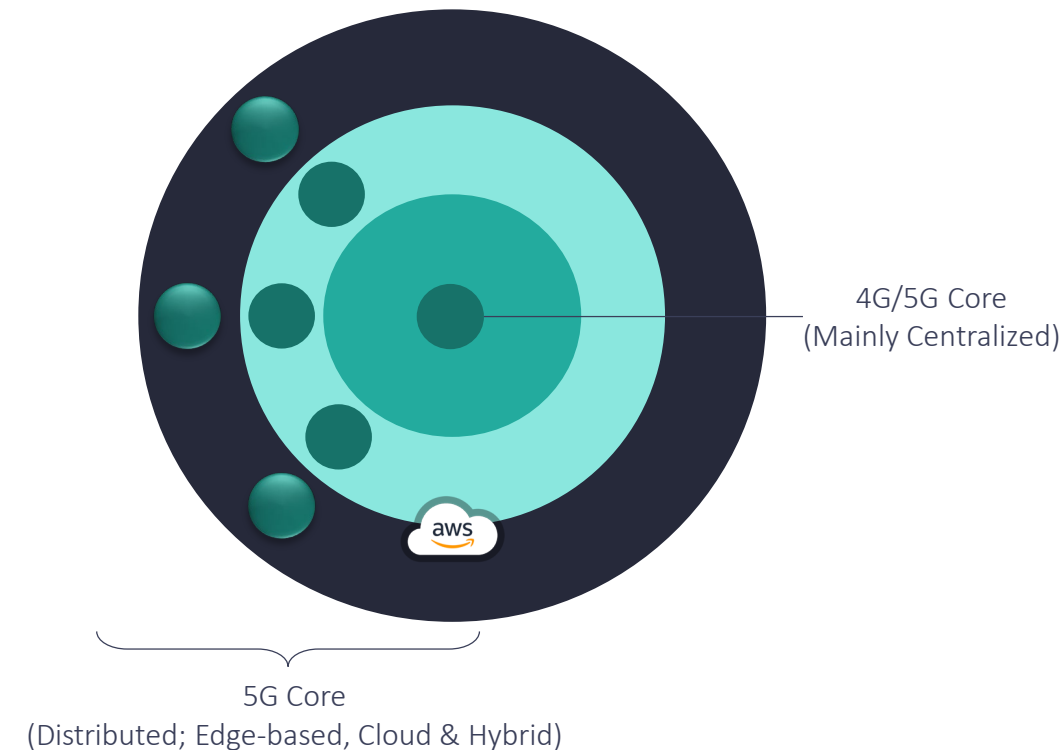
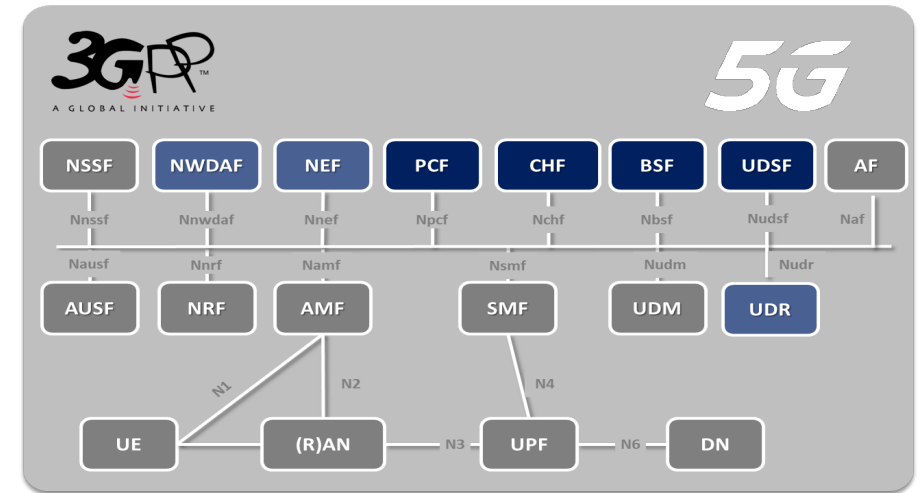
Security robustness

Delivering 5G across the domains

Openet provides key Monetization, Policy Control, Service Exposure and Data Management functions for new 5G Networks.

5G brings new challenges – and opportunities.

- To support explosion of 5G-enabled devices, Openet applications must be **distributed**
- To support low latency use cases, Openet applications must be **deployed to the network edge**
- To support dynamic needs of 5G applications, Openet applications must be **cloud native and resilient**.



5G Network Slicing

- Slices can be network-wide or geographically based
- Slicing enables creation of dedicated and specific capabilities, connectivity and policies for secure or demanding applications
- Operators need to use a Cloud Native architecture to:
 - Quickly assign distributed resources (compute, storage, processing) to specific business needs
 - Police and Monetize the availability of, modifications to and usage within purpose-built network slices
 - Geo-fence customer locations and provide secure, dedicated applications & connectivity
- Operators should move to enable a self-serve App Store to permit their enterprise customers to configure – and ultimately deploy – a network slice.

eMBB: Enhanced Mobile Broadband

- Consumer devices
- Fixed/Mobile
- Geography
- QoS





mM2MC: Massive M2M Communications

- Industry
- Dedicated (Secure, Geo-fenced)
- Geography
- Data Types

urLLC: Ultra Reliable Low Latency Communications

- Gaming
- AR (Mobile)
- VR (Fixed)
- Medicine

Distributing 5G NFs into slices

| Slice | | Edge | | | Core | |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|----------|------------------------|--------------------|
|  | Phone Slice | | | | CU-UP, CU-CP, UPF, SMF | CCS, PCF, BSF, CHF |
|  | eMBB slice | CU-UP, UPF | Edge apps | CHF, NEF | CU-UP, CU-CP, UPF, SMF | CCS, PCF, BSF |
|  | Massive IoT Slice | CU-UP, UPF | CHF, PCF, NEF | | CU-UP, CU-CP, UPF, SMF | CCS, PCF, BSF |
|  | Augmented reality slice | CU-UP, CU-CP, UPF, SMF, AMF | CHF, PCF, NEF | | | CCS, PCF, BSF |

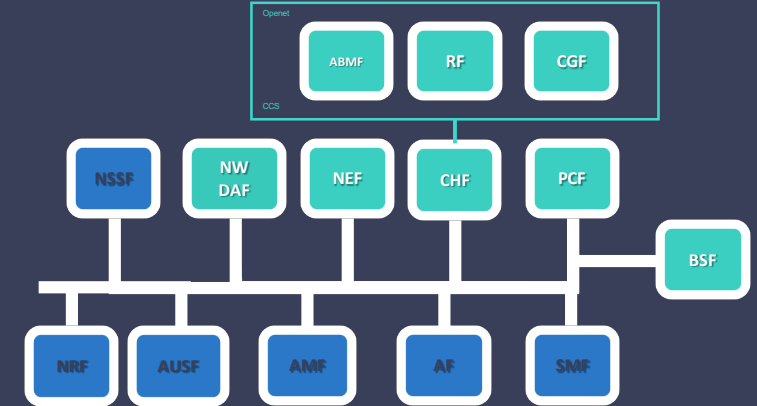
Note : non exhaustive representation of 5G NFs

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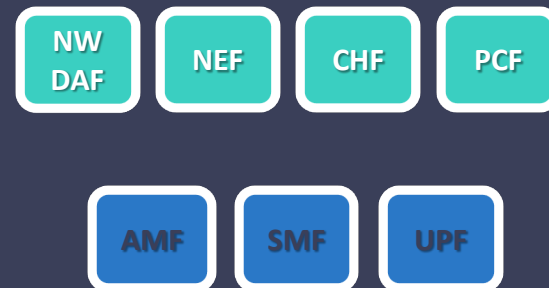
Openet NFs

Operator Network Core

Full 5G Suite of Network Functions



Reduced Set of Network Functions



5G Edge Compute

Beyond the slice : 5G private network

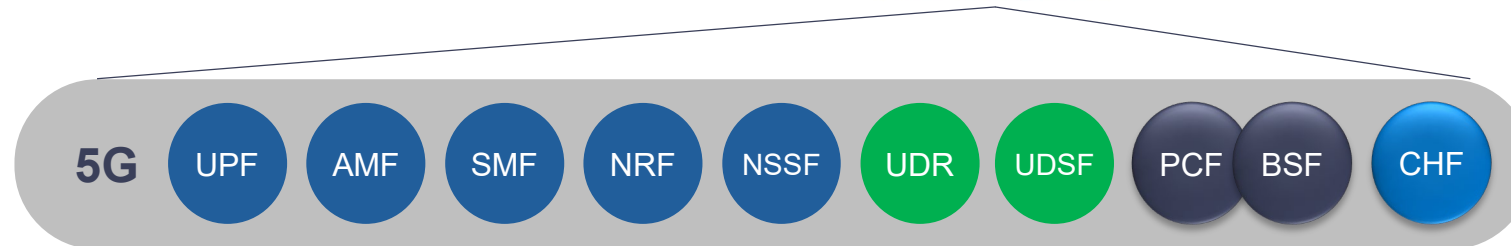
Attributes of a Private Network:

- In-building DAS
- Small cells
- Operator or enterprise spectrum




- Private Network 'Compact Core'
- Options on integrating into operator network or dual-SIM
- Huge gains in business continuity & performance

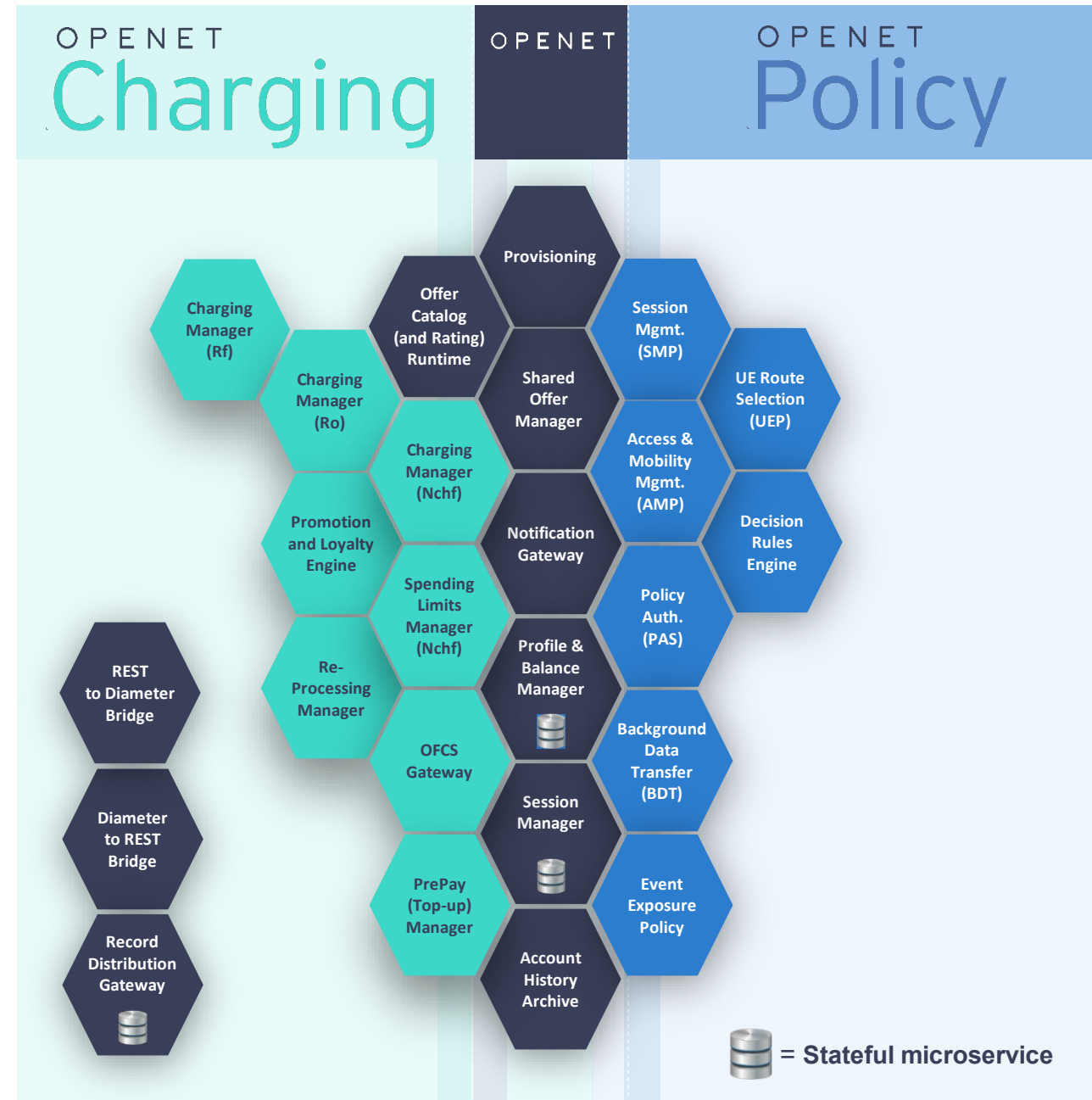


AWS Outposts

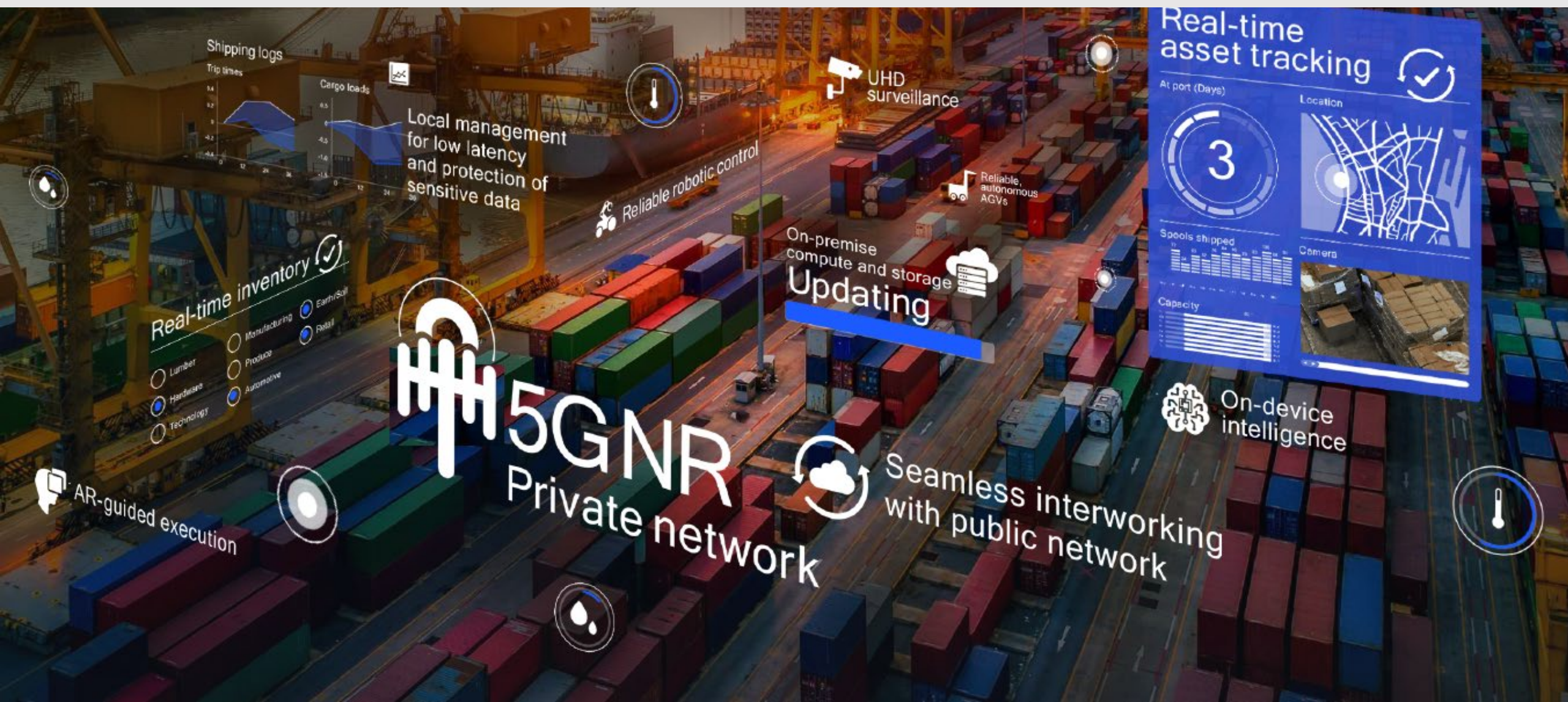


Openet PCC microservices Library

-  Common microservices
 - Data Management
 - Common Functionality
-  Charging specific microservices
-  Policy specific microservices



Example use cases for advanced, monetised 5G slices



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Local management for low latency and protection of sensitive data

Reliable robotic control

UHD surveillance

Reliable, autonomous AGVs

On-premise compute and storage
Updating

Real-time asset tracking

At port (Days): 3

Location: [Map]

Spoils shipped: [Bar chart]

Capacity: [Bar chart]

Camera: [Video feed]

5G NR Private network

On-device intelligence

Seamless interworking with public network

AR-guided execution

- ### Real-time inventory
- Manufacturing
 - Products
 - Automotive
 - Earth/Soil
 - Retail
 - Lumber
 - Handises
 - Technology

Enterprise Example : Port Facility

QoS Differentiation & Control as it Applies to Various Needs; Active Management of:

- Personnel: Non-critical Comms and Rota-Handling
- Personnel: Critical Comms / Senior Personnel
- Non-Critical Machinery e.g. Environment Monitoring Telemetry
- Critical Machinery Monitoring
- Critical Machinery Remote Control e.g. Cranes Requiring Low Latency
- High Bandwidth e.g. Inventory Control, High Resolution Scanning and Security; VR Headsets
- Facility Access and Security
- Ship-to-Shore Comms
- Multiple Other Devices as they are Activated



Example: Port Facility – Different services, different slices, different prices



| Use Case | Slice | Basis For Charging (Example) |
|--|-------|----------------------------------|
| Personnel: Non-critical Comms and Rota-Handling | 1 | Flat Rate Plan A Per Month |
| Personnel: Critical Comms / Senior Personnel | 1 | Flat Rate Plan B Per Month |
| Non-Critical Machinery e.g. Environment Monitoring Telemetry | 1 | Annual Rate C Per Device |
| Critical Machinery Monitoring | 3 | Minimum Per Month + \$s per GB |
| Critical Machinery Remote Control e.g. Cranes; Low Latency | 3 | \$s per GB Rate D |
| High Bandwidth e.g. Inventory Control, Scanning; VR Headsets | 3 | \$s per GB Rate E |
| Facility Access and Security | 2 | Per Device per Month Rate Plan F |
| Ship-to-Shore Comms | 4 | Per Device per Month Rate Plan G |



Port Charged For Slices and For Additional Device / User Type Plans Within Various Slices

Example: Critical Control of Hospital Environment

QoS Differentiation & Control as it Applies to Various Needs; Active Management of:

- Patients' Passive Needs e.g. Waiting Room TV / Entertainment
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- Personnel: Critical Comms / Senior Personnel
- Non-Critical Machinery e.g. Environment Monitoring Telemetry
- Critical Machinery e.g. Patient Monitoring
- Critical Machinery (High Bandwidth) e.g. MRI/Echo, In-Surgery VR Headsets
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QoS Differentiation, Control & Charging for Different Needs:
Charging Examples

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CCS deployed external to slice
PCF deployed external to slice

CCS is also deployed within the slice
PCF deployed within the slice

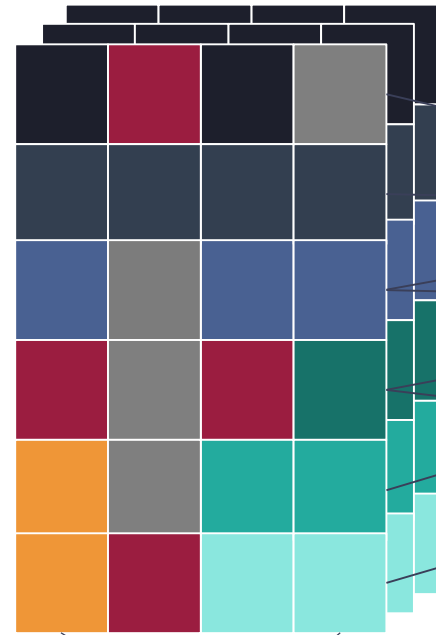


Hospital Charged For Slices and For Additional Device / User Type Plans Within Various Slices

5G Charging & Policy



Business Domains



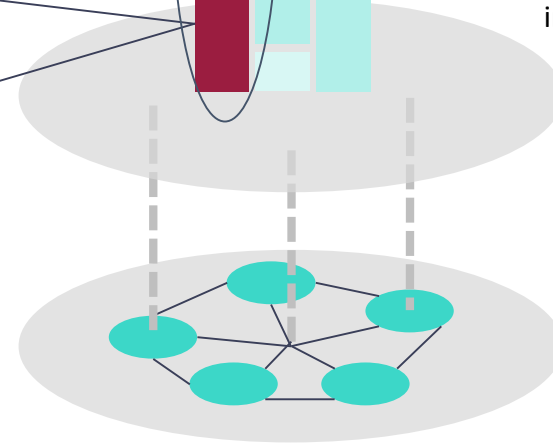
Microservices Openet Charging & Policy (PCC) Microservices

Openet PCC Service Instances

Provides the charging, rating & policy characteristics which are required by a Service Instance.
A Service Slice Instance may also be shared across multiple Service Instances provided by the network operator.

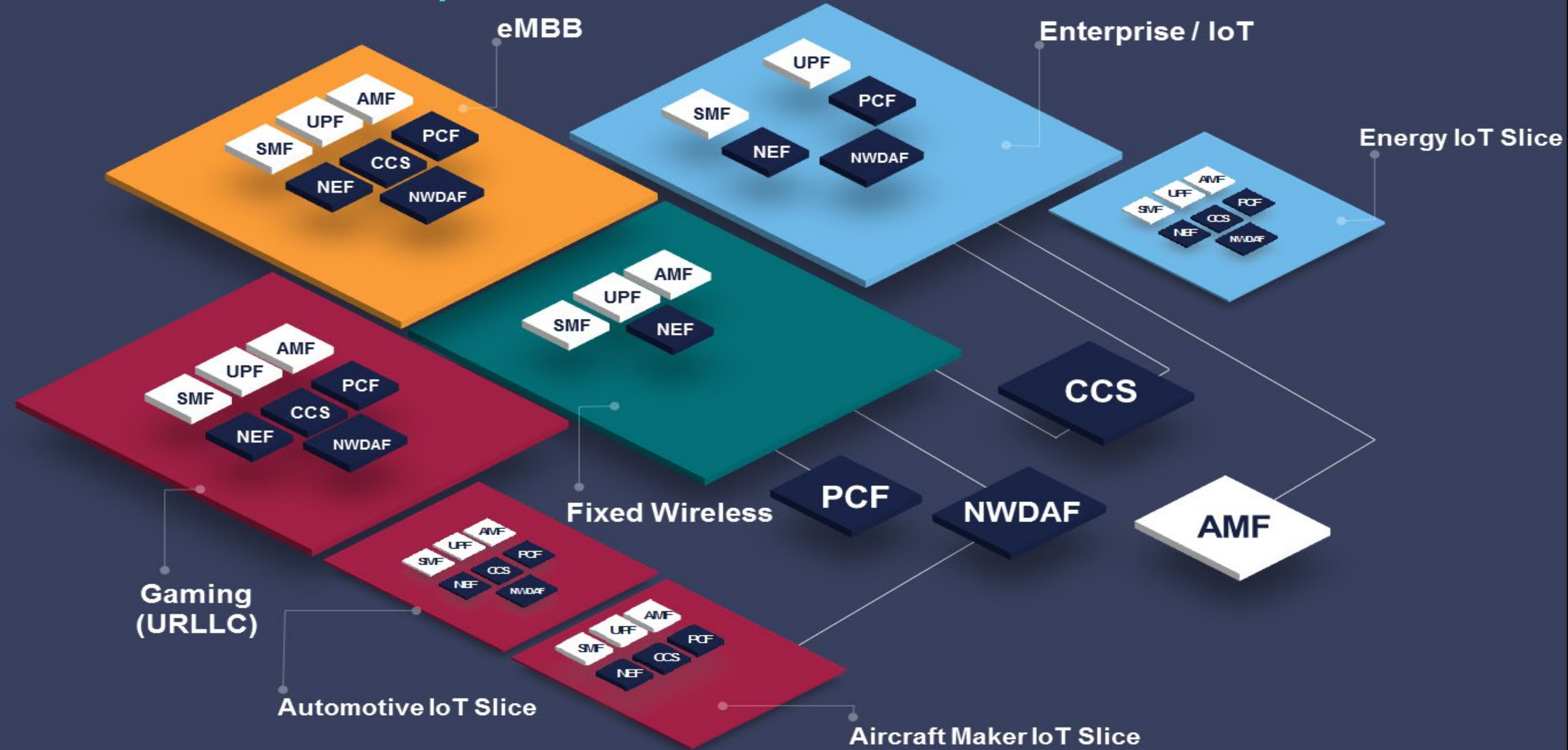


- e.g.
- AR/VR Charging Instance
- IOT Heart Monitor Charging instance
- Surveillance Cameras Charging instance



5G Network Slice

5G IoT Slice & Enterprise Slice Enablement



Openet and AWS



Openet Wins PCC Deal with Leading North American Operator on AWS

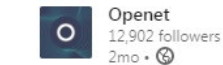
Tony Gillick, VP Product Management, Openet

We made the investment when needed, and we worked with AWS to get our portfolio fully cloud native and our platform live in an operator. While lots of companies talk about cloud ready systems, we have a cloud-native system running in a production environment for a customer.



HOME TECHNOLOGY BUSINESS GLOBAL EVENTS INSIGHT

Openet Announces Win with Leading North American Communications Service Provider on Amazon Web Services



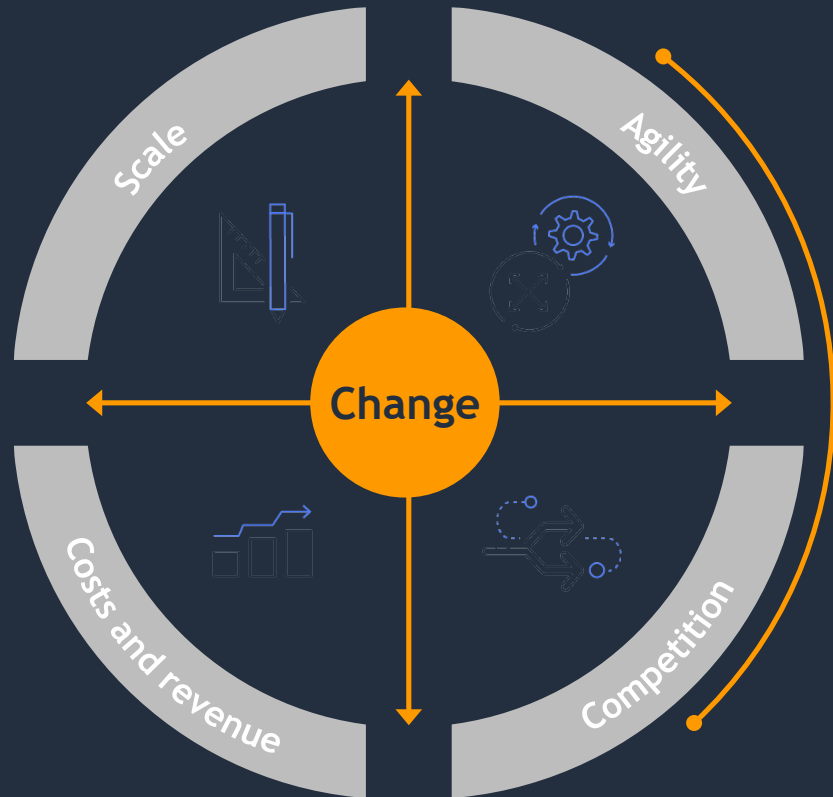
Openet is proud to announce that it has been recognised as an [Amazon Web Services \(AWS\)](#) partner in the AWS Partner Network (APN). Well done to all involved in this great achievement. [#APNproud](#)



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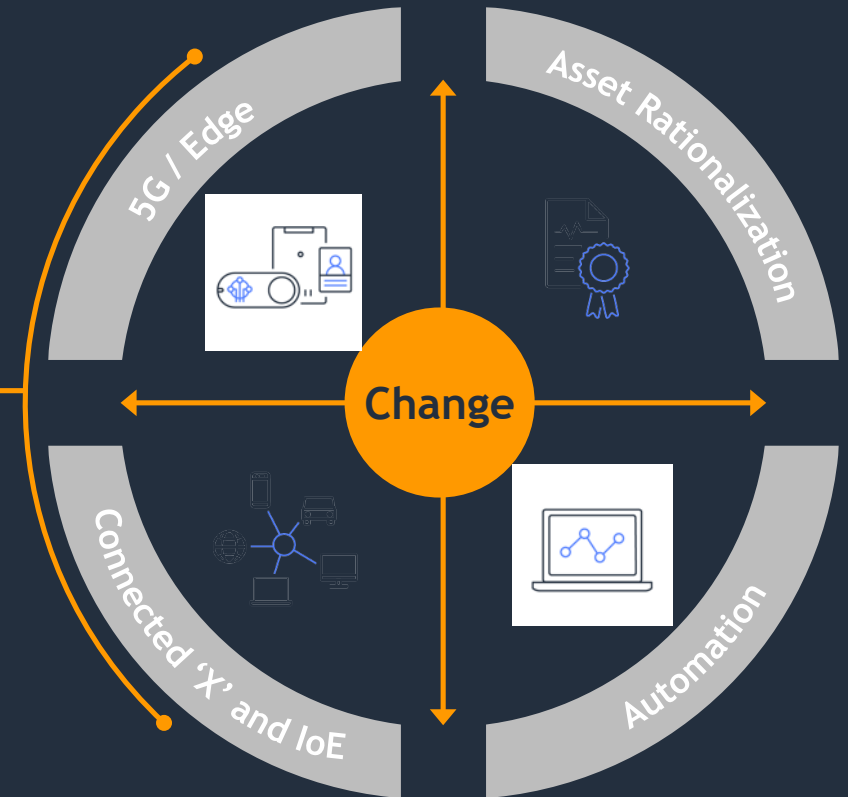
Telecom industry dynamics

Business challenges



Disruption and transformation

Technology megatrends



Top line (revenue) and bottom line (net income) pressures driving massive transformation initiatives across Telecom

Disruptive trends driving change in Telecommunications



CSP use of open-source software will enhance competitiveness and redefine vendor partnerships



Network virtualization initiatives will require CSPs to reinvent themselves first



Wireless edge computing will allow CSPs to participate in new cloud opportunities



AI will drive operational efficiencies and create new opportunities for CSPs



CSP workforce's adoption of new technologies and digital processes will determine future prospects

By 2022, **50%** of tier-1 CSPs will contribute at least one open-source project directly or through partners.”

By 2020, **60%** of network-based CSPs will face deficient outcomes from NFV/SDN implementation programs due to inadequate planning and collaboration.”

By 2020, over **50%** of new wireless edge computing deployments in CSP networks will be driven by vertical-specific use cases.”

By 2022, **25%** of newly automated CSP processes will employ machine learning.”

By 2023, over **35%** of roles in CSP organizations will either be new or redesigned.”

Why OSS/BSS on AWS?



Flexibility, Faster Time to Market

- **Rapid Provisioning:**
Create new systems or environments for continuous experimentation, expansion and improvements
- **Increased Automation:**
Pace of innovation, efficiency & decreased human errors with Infra as code and DevOps.
- **Innovations:**
Leverage breadth and depth of AWS instead of building from scratch
- **Latest Technology:**
Newest technology as it becomes available



Intelligent Operation

- **Scalable & Secure:**
Innovate and expand while maintaining a secure environment.
- **Simplicity & Reliability:**
Active & Passive, Active & Active to Cloud Native setups
- **Expertise:**
Collaboration between partners & AWS with mutual investments to ensure success
- **Interoperability:**
Deploy and integrate easily with solutions from AWS Marketplace



Cloud Economics

- **Grow (or shrink) as you go:**
Scale-Up or Out your configuration in <1 hour
- **Consume:**
Scale to meet demand and pay for only what you use
- **Low Cost of Entry:**
Many pricing options such as on demand, reserved instances, spot and private pricing

5G CHALLENGES FOR CSP's

- Increase in Radio and **Transport needs** requiring Edge Cloud
- **Virtualization** extension to Radio network (RAN) in addition to Core Network
- Complexity of **orchestration** multiplied due to diverse ecosystem and need for new applications
- Need for **5G Monetization** models beyond mobile consumers

AWS APPROACH TO 5G & EDGE CLOUD

- Creating a ubiquitous cloud programming model by extending AWS to edge
- Enabling service slicing i.e. orchestration of network slices & services
- Enable AWS community to leverage and accelerate Telco monetization of 5G

Build an Edge Cloud infrastructure that can drive innovative use cases leveraging the vast existing ISV/Developer/Customer community

- Solving for data load balancing between edge and public cloud

Single Edge Cloud for Telco Network, IT & 5G Edge Monetization

INTRODUCING AWS OUTPOSTS



Fully integrated and fully managed AWS infrastructure on-premises

Building on the security, performance & power of the Nitro system

Offering the same APIs and functionality as in public AWS regions

Automatically monitored, updated and patched as part of AWS regions

AWS Outposts rack

- Industry standard **42U rack**
- **Fully assembled**, ready to be rolled into final position
- **Installed by AWS**, simply plugged into power and network
- **Centralized redundant power conversion unit** and DC distribution system for higher reliability, energy efficiency, easier serviceability
- **Redundant active components** including top of rack switches and hot spare hosts



Supported regions



Local AWS Services for Low Latency Applications



Amazon **EC2 services**, including **VPC**, subnets, route tables, network gateways, and **EBS volumes**

AWS services including **EC2, RDS, ECS, EBS, EKS, and EMR** (S3 coming later this year)

DRIVERS FOR DISTRIBUTED CHARGING

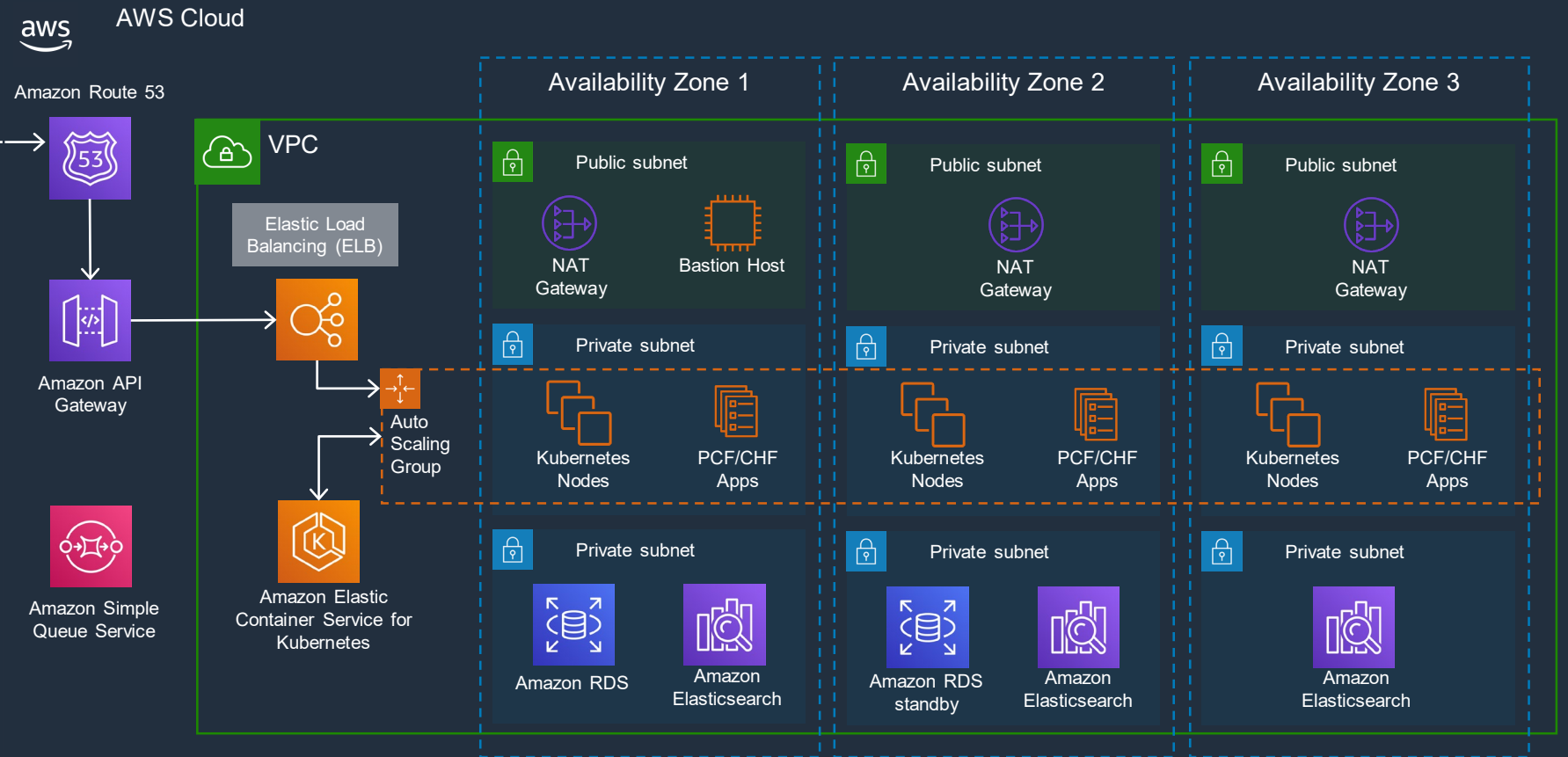
- 5G enhanced experience with low latency
- Device scaling (IoT and others)
- Regulatory/data residency
- Dynamic orchestration (traffic handling)
- Multi-site operator edge integration with CSP (Gaming and VR applications)
- Multi-site dedicated edge integration with CSP (Industrial IoT)

5G will drive distribution of charging control (CHF, CCS), usage and rating functions

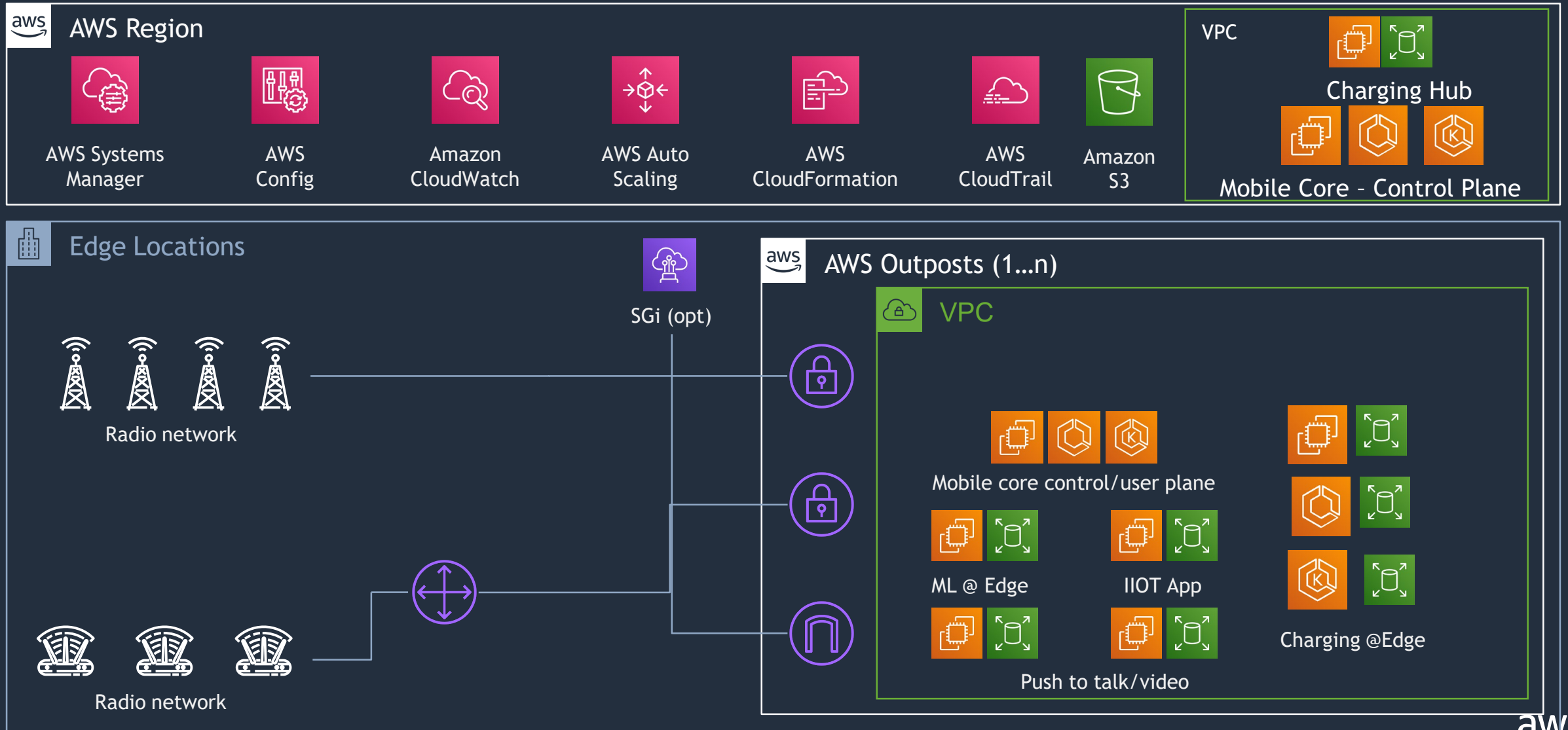
Policy and Charging Framework for 5G

AWS Services

- EKS
- ELB
- EC2
- VPC
- RDS
- CloudWatch
- CloudTrail
- Systems Manager
- Elasticsearch
- SQS
- SES



Distributed Mobile Edge Architecture w/PCC@Edge





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