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The Path to Deterministic Wireless

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The 'Wireless-First' World

Expanding Expectations for new use-cases

Reliable

Always-on, Predictable

Scalable Performance

Bandwidth / Bounded Latency

Secure

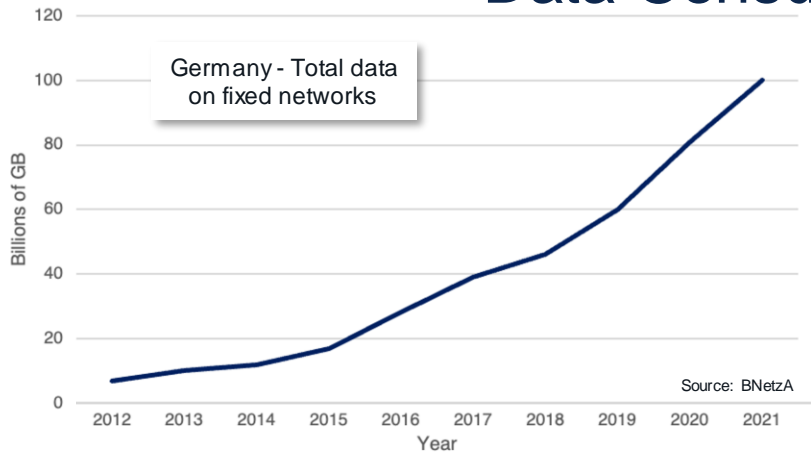
Software-defined Segmentation

Mobile

Policy-based path selection

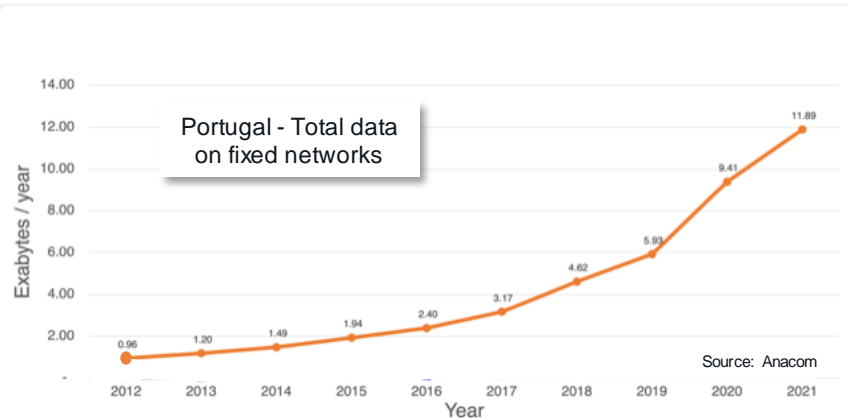


Data Consumption Megatrend

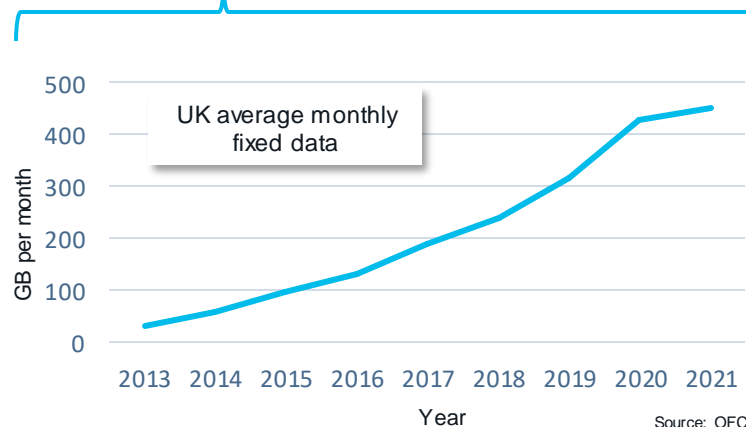


Country Consumption

Wi-Fi relays 92.3% of the overall fixed broadband traffic in Europe

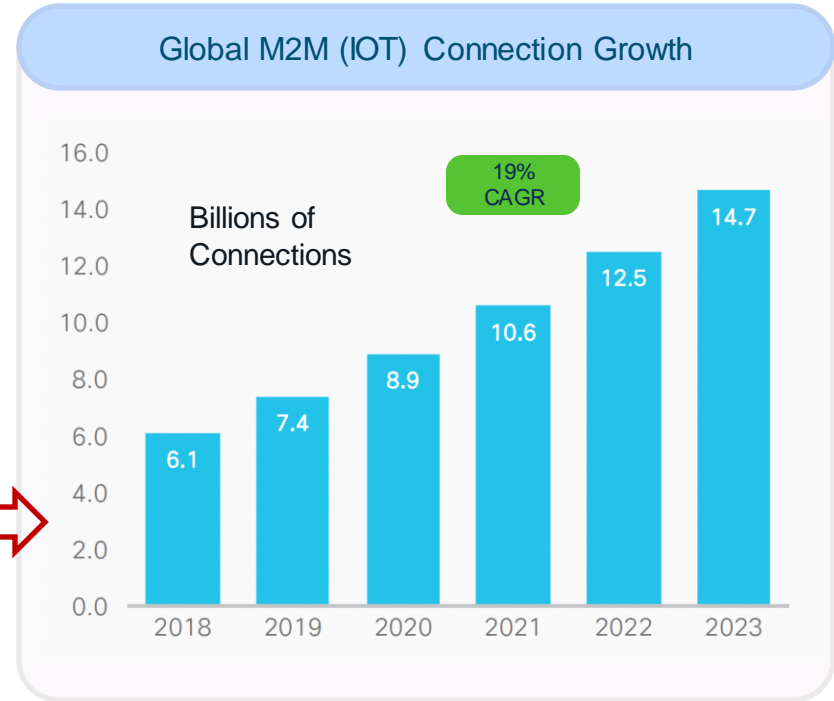
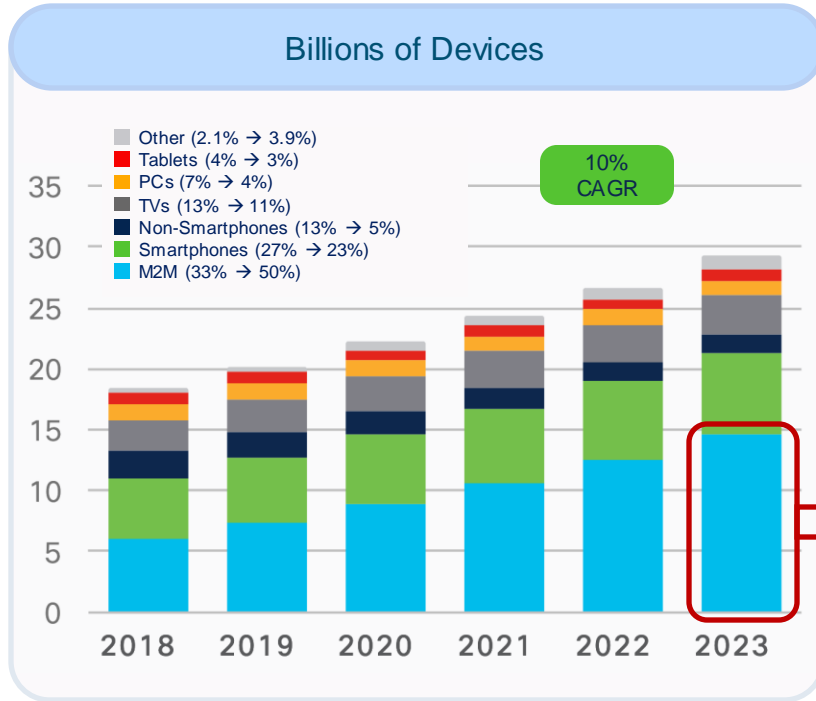


Subscriber Consumption



Density Megatrend

An Explosion of Access and Devices



Globally, Wi-Fi 6 hotspots will grow 13-fold from 2020-2023, 11% of all public hotspots by 2023
Source: Cisco Annual Internet Report (2018-2023)



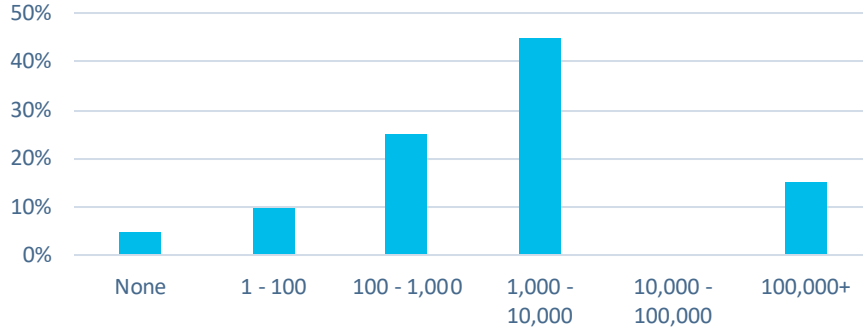
5G devices and connections will be over 10% of global mobile devices and connections by 2023.

IoT in the enterprise

What our customers told us at Cisco Live US

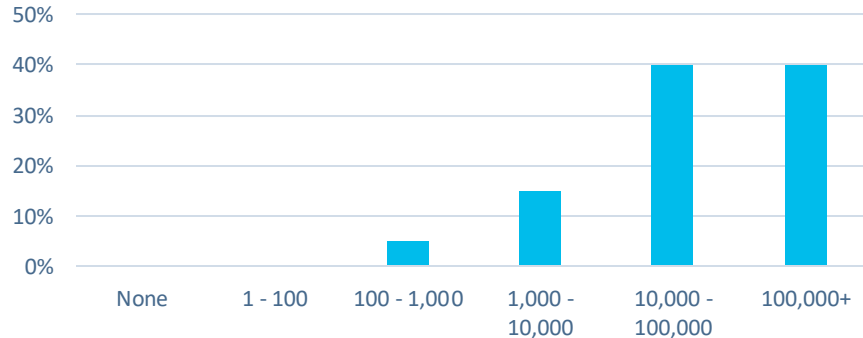
2022

IoT devices 2022



2025

IoT devices 2025



Drivers:

1) Hybrid work & sustainability

- Lower seat occupancy
- Environmental monitoring & Control

2) Smart value chains

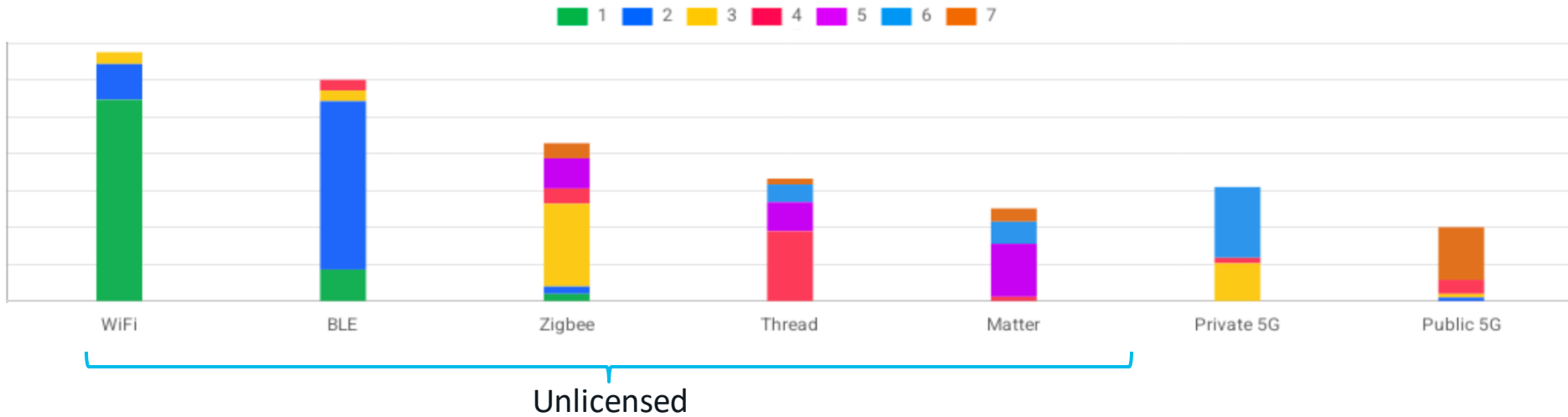
- Healthcare
- Retail
- Hospitality

3) Automation

- Manufacturing
- Supply chain
- Operations

IoT wireless technology ranking

Survey of Cisco customers – what IoT access is most important to you?



Wireless Evolution

The path to Determinism

Currently W-Fi Addressable Use Cases

Convenience
Best Effort



- Smartphones, tablets, cameras
- TV & Entertainment
- Appliances, Home automation
- Wearables & Fitness
- Home medical
- Work from home

Wireless First
Enterprise - Scale
Mission Critical



- Smartphones, tablets, laptops
- Hospitality & Smart Retail
- Business-critical communications
- Hybrid Workplace
- Smart Building & Campus
- Healthcare

Determinism
High Reliability
Bounded Latency/Jitter



- Digital Immersion (AR/VR/MR)
- Critical Operations use cases
- Supply Chain & Warehouses
- Manufacturing & Heavy Industry
- Natural resources & Energy
- Power & Utilities
- Automation & Robotics

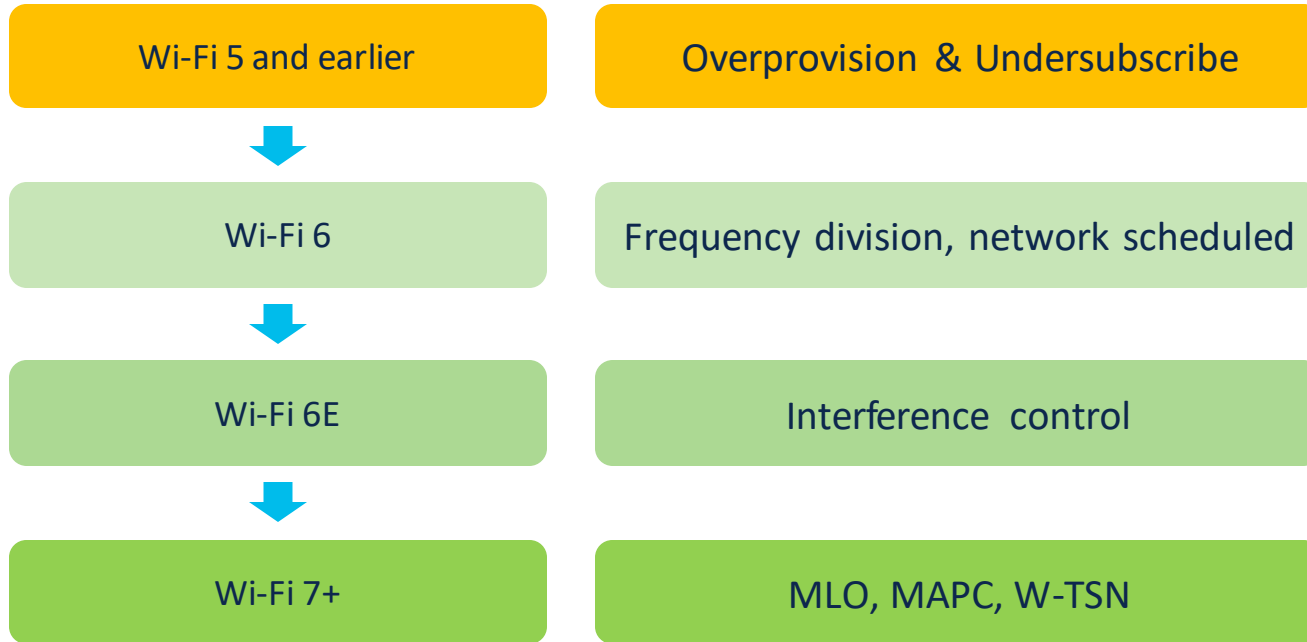
Bandwidth

Overprovisioned by Design

Next Generation

Wi-Fi Stack Progression

A gross over-simplification



Deterministic Wireless

Reliable communication while meeting application latency requirements at scale



Industrial IOT (IIOT) and deterministic Wi-Fi



AMR (Autonomous Mobile Robot)
AMR (w/ positioning)
AMR (w/ Wi-Fi6E + 5G)

- Intel and Cisco are collaborating to enable Time-Sensitive-Network (TSN) applications like remote control of robotics for manufacturing in Wi-Fi6 networks
- These applications rely on the new **deterministic/bounded** (<2ms) of WiFi6-TSN

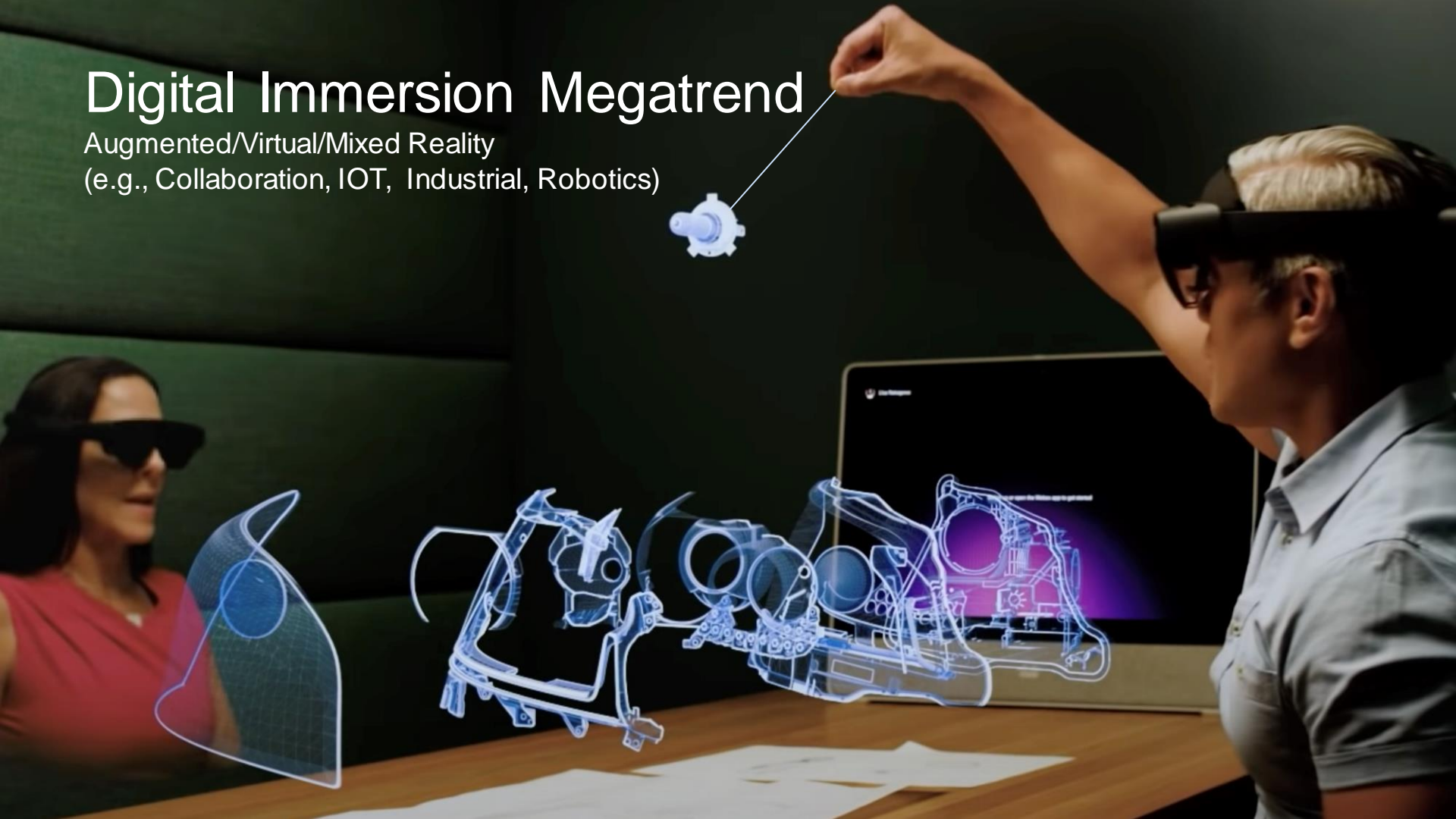
Safety (remote control)



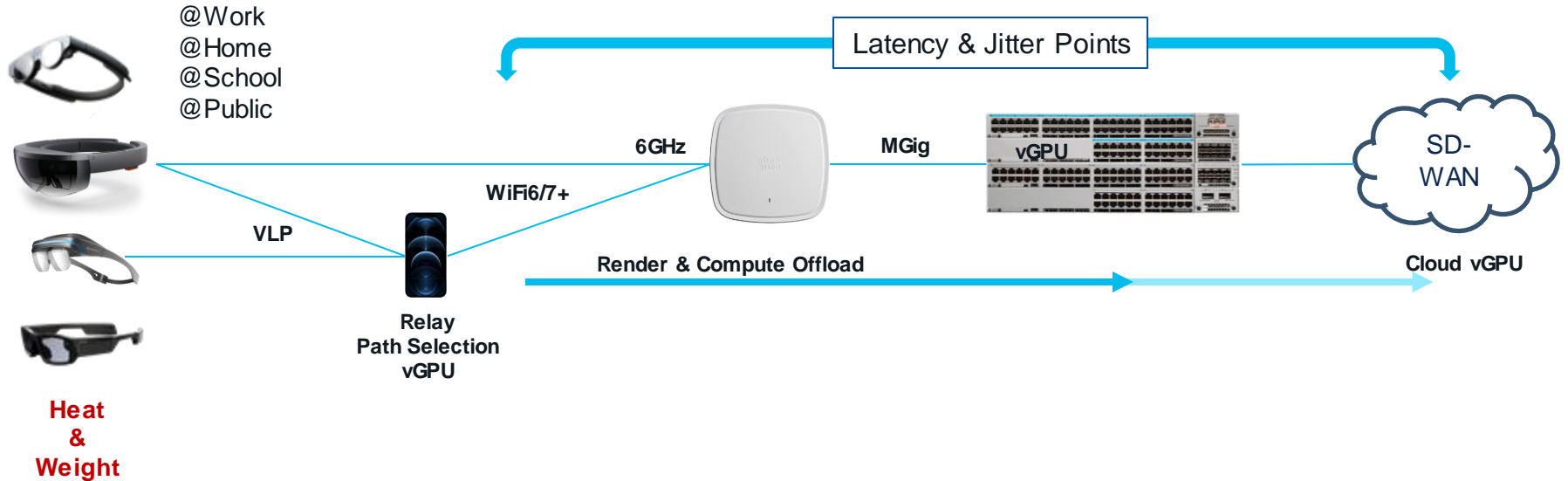
Digital Immersion Megatrend

Augmented/Virtual/Mixed Reality

(e.g., Collaboration, IOT, Industrial, Robotics)

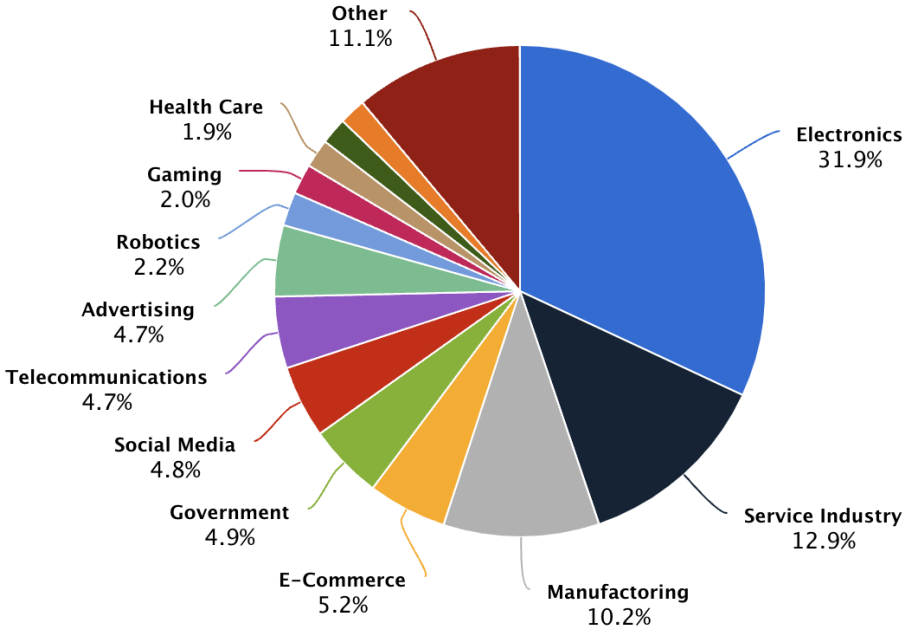


Remote Rendering Megatrend

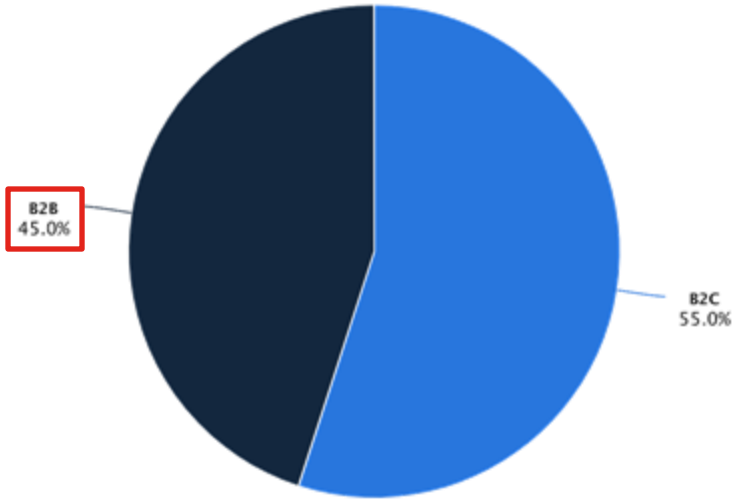


Industry Revenue Share

Revenue-share per Industry (B2B and B2C)



B2B vs B2C



\$52B Market by 2027

Cisco-Apple FastLane+ for superior client experience

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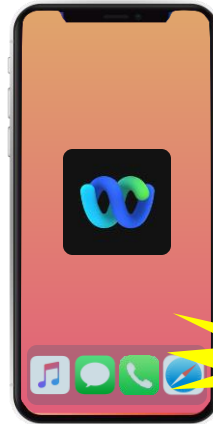
iOS device sends ASR request to the network

2

ASR session is established between network and client

3

Network uses ASR trigger data to estimate all future BSRs



Up to 40% improved voice MOS in loaded networks!



Superior high-density scheduling in Wi-Fi 6/6E/7



Already deployed in both Catalyst and Meraki APs

Now part
of Wi-Fi 7

FastLane Auto-802.11r/k/v

Low-latency mobility (Available today, on by default)

Ultra-Reliable
Bounded-Latency
Megatrend

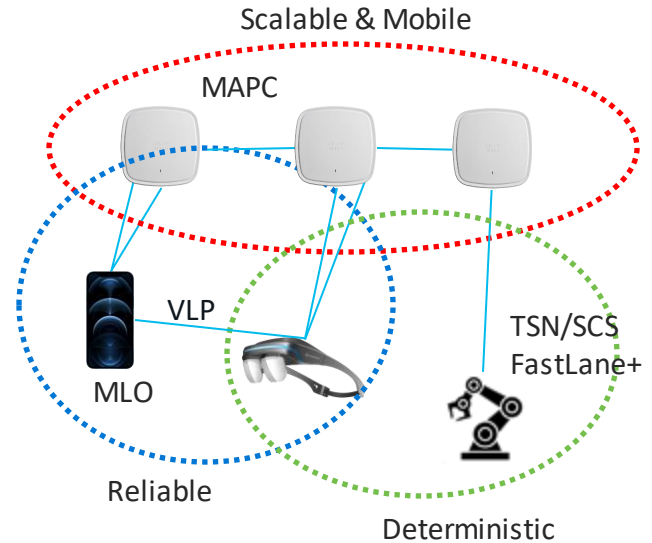
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Wi-Fi

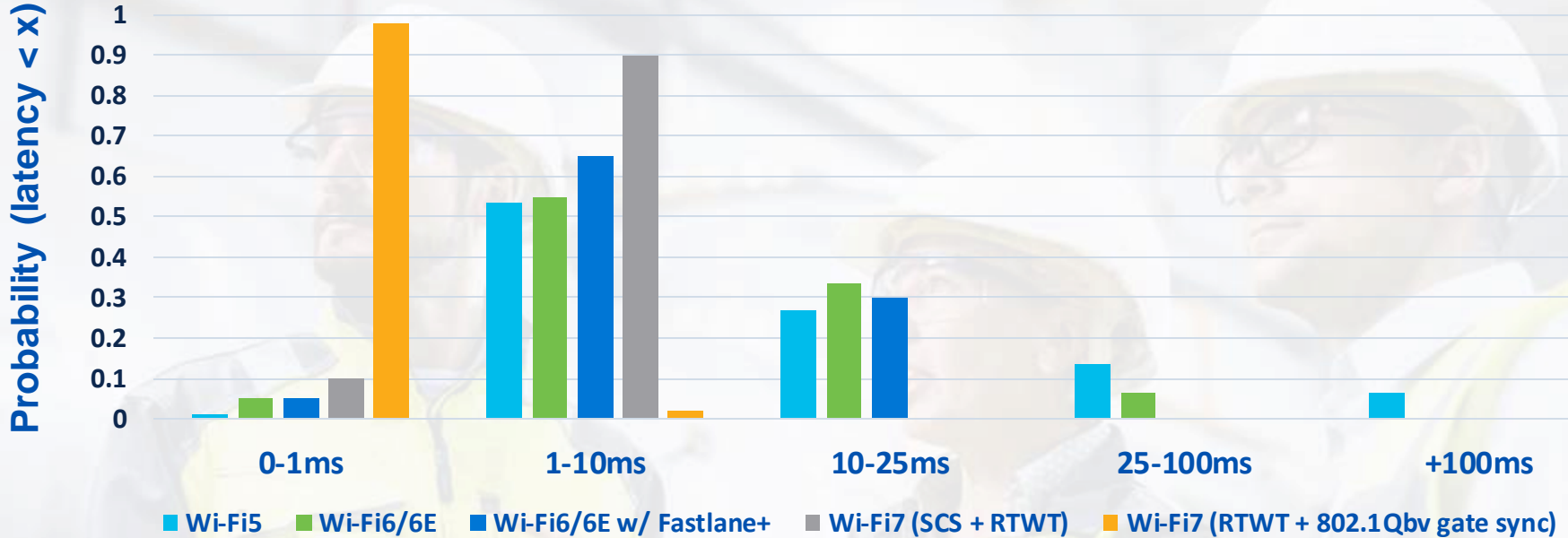
Wi-Fi 7+

- Wi-Fi 7 (802.11be EHT)
 - Extremely High Throughput
 - ~4X Wi-Fi 6
 - >30Gbps
 - Multi-Link Operation (MLO)
 - Spectral separation
 - SLA-based Wi-Fi (SLAW, WTSN)
 - Bounded Latency for next generation applications
 - QoS Management (SCS)
 - Policy-based SLA
- Wi-Fi 8
 - MAPC – Multi-AP Coordination

Architecture



The path to deterministic latency & high reliability

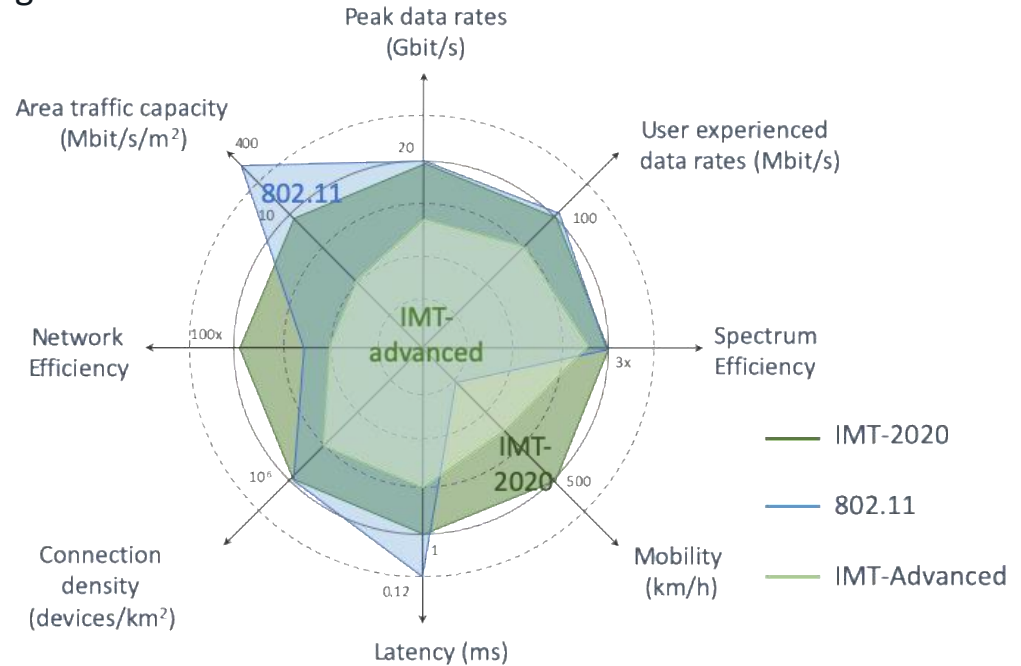
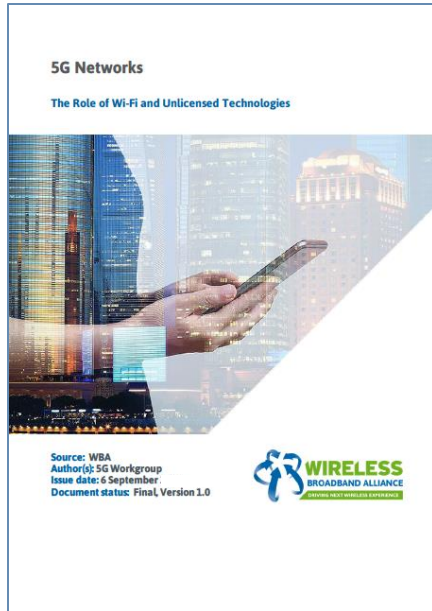


Latency performance bounded, even in high-traffic scenarios.

Convergence

Multi-Access – Yes!

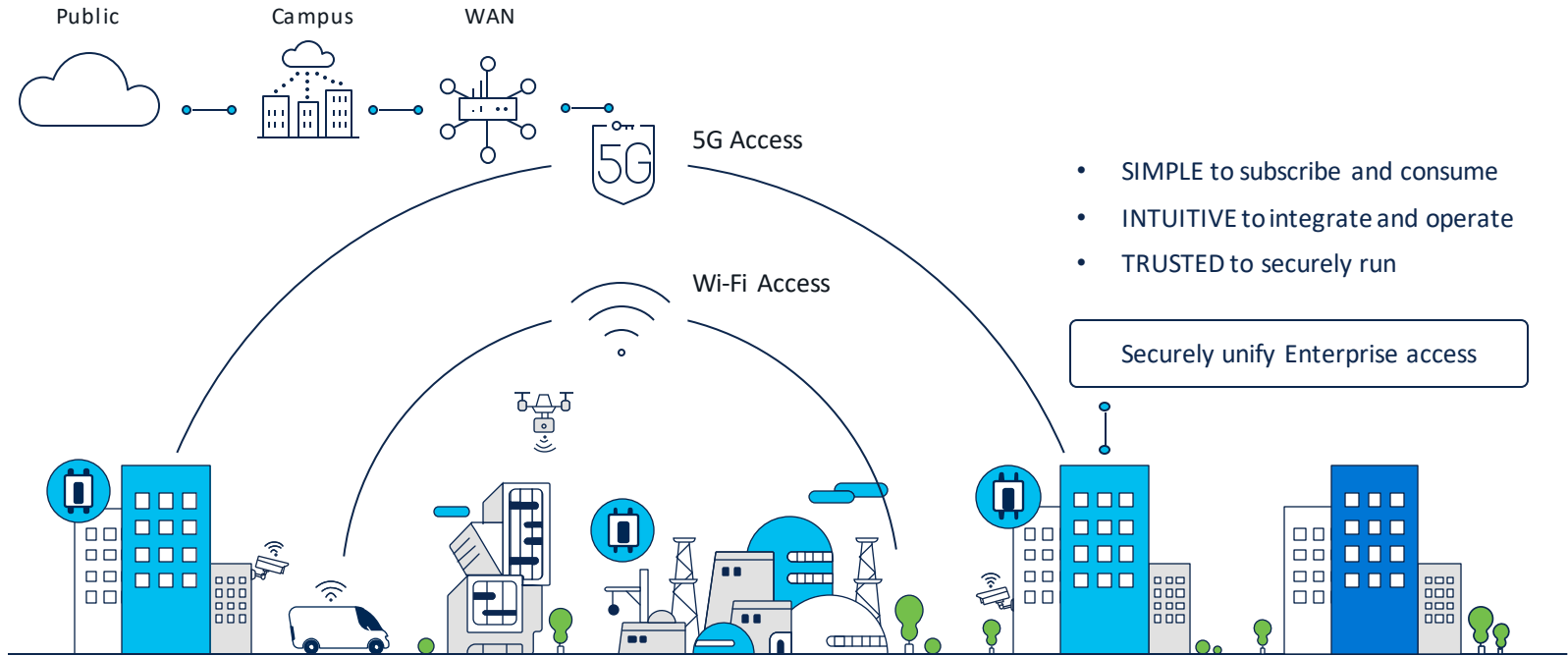
5G & Wi-Fi – more overlap means better convergence!



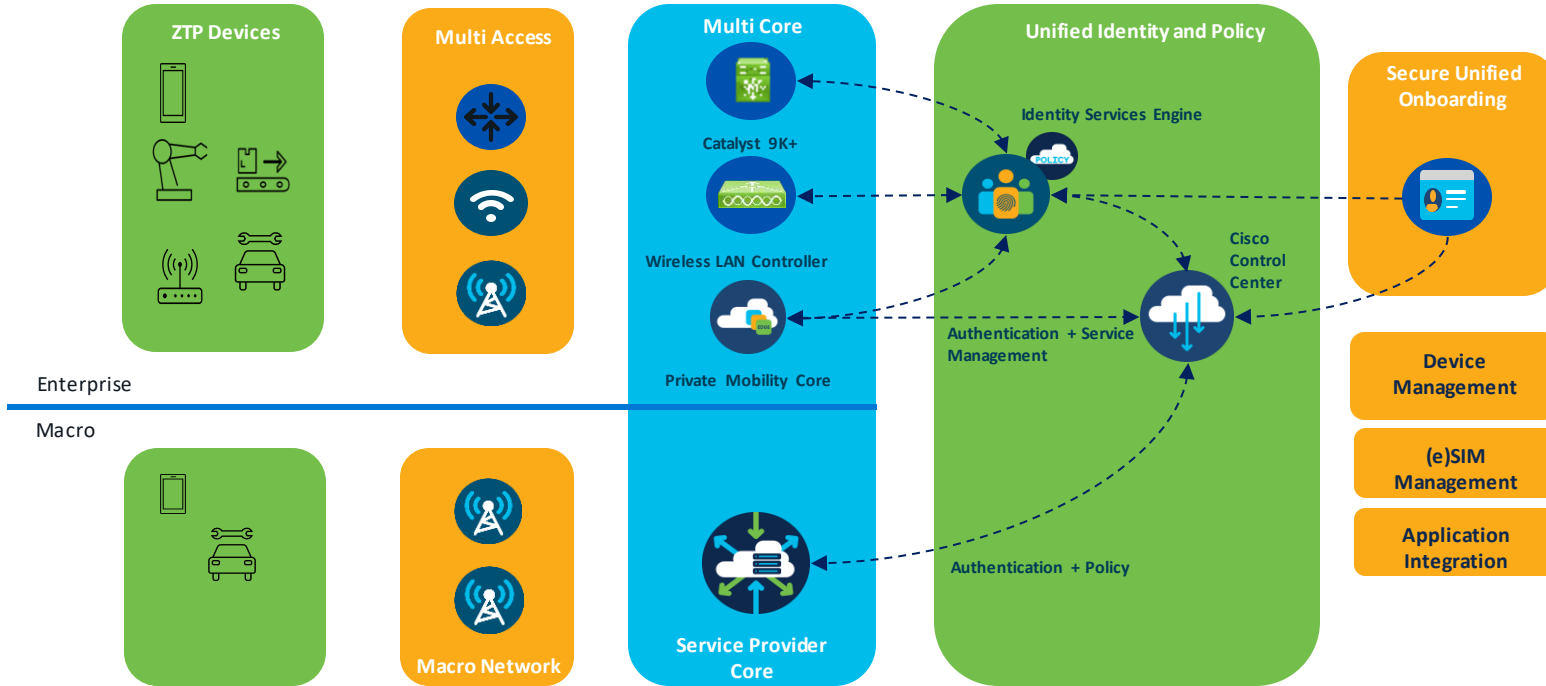
optimized to stack strengths

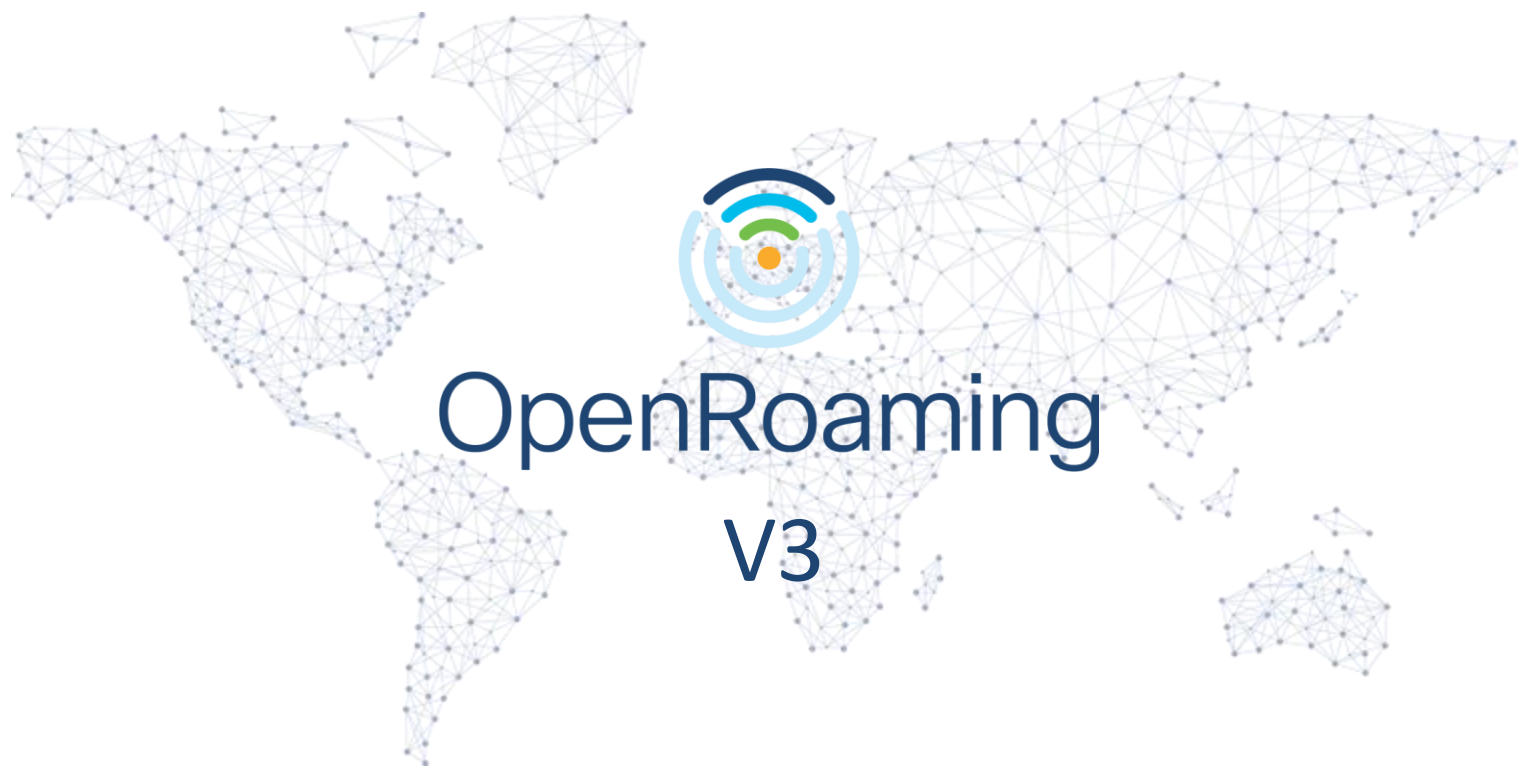
Cisco vision for Private 5G in the enterprise

Enhancing the enterprise network



Access Convergence with Policy



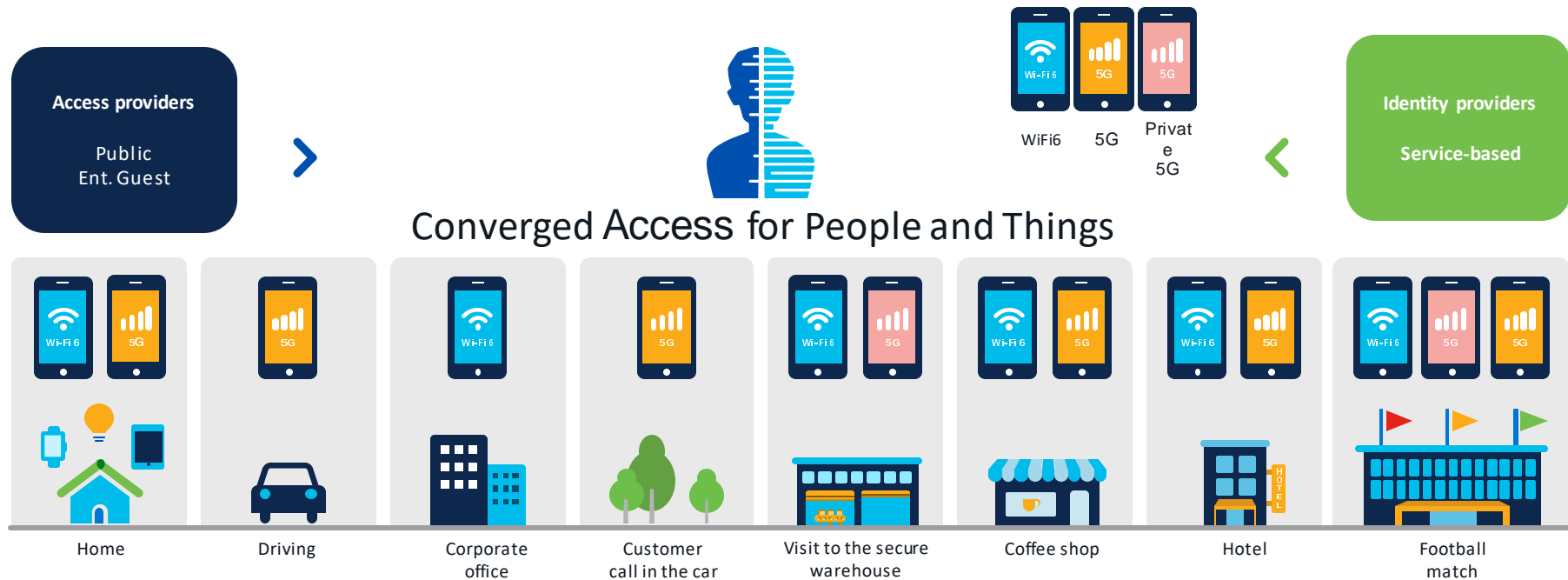


OpenRoaming

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Intelligent Multi-Access

Smart Convergence – Seamless roaming across enterprise and service provider based on context and policy



To use all stacks better, we need...

Frictionless Onboarding

OpenRoaming for all stacks
(assure access to all available paths)

Seamless Interworking

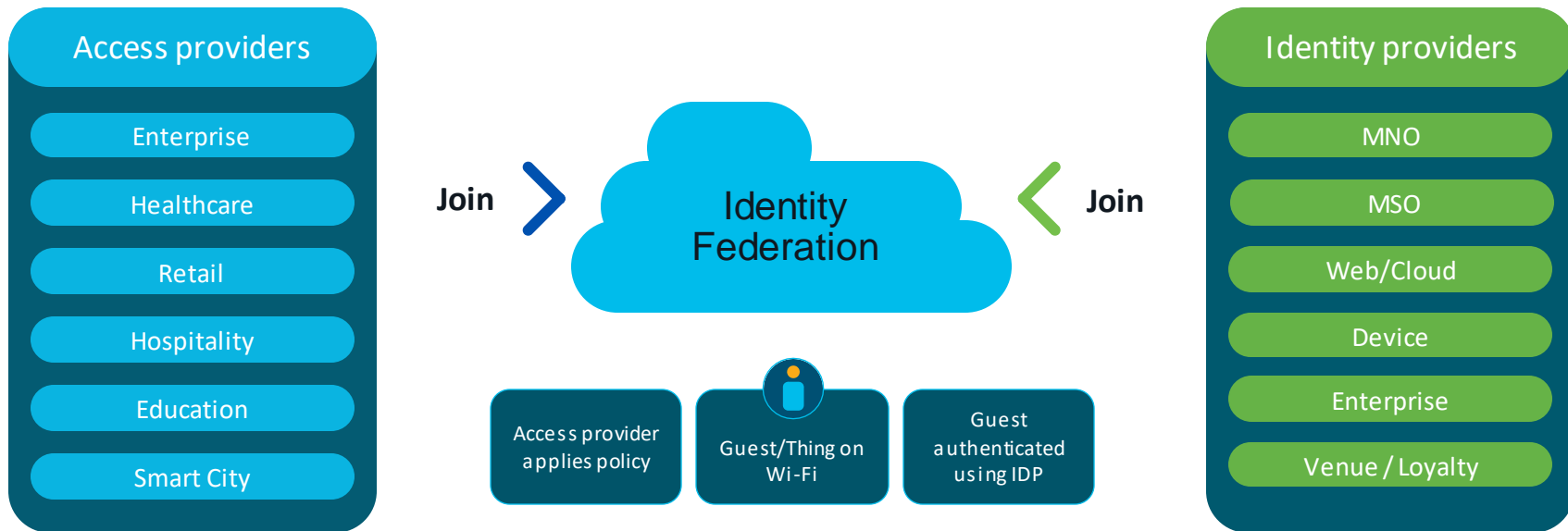
Policy-based path selection for
Loosely-coupled Access Networks

Seamless Handover

Roaming between Wi-Fi (private)
and cellular (public)

OpenRoaming: Opening the Wi-Fi Ecosystem to new experiences & business models

Leverage Identity Federation to scale and facilitate relationships

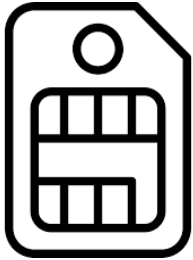


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OpenRoaming is a consortium of identity & access providers to enable seamless roaming & onboarding

Which ID's are available?

Service
Provider



Enterprise

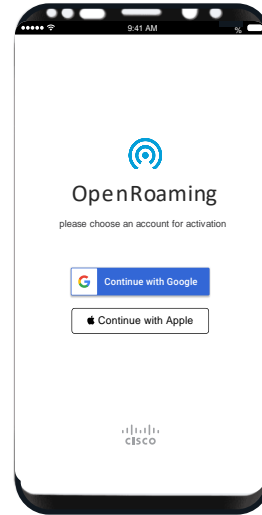


Device
Embedded

SAMSUNG



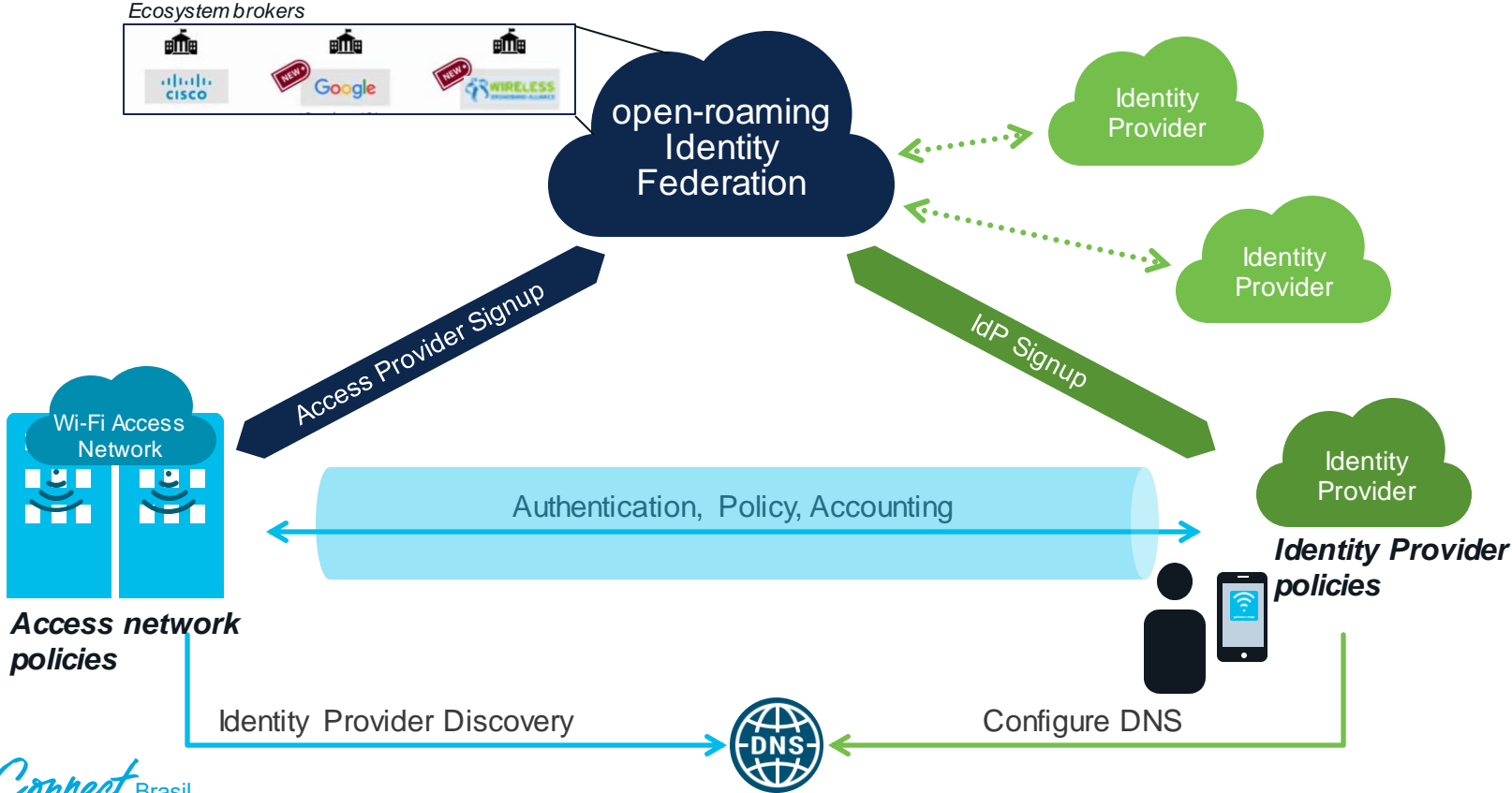
Cloud ID



Loyalty



OpenRoaming double-click: How it works



OpenRoaming: Increased Attach with SLA

Enables new convergence models between Enterprise and SP (e.g. indoor coverage)

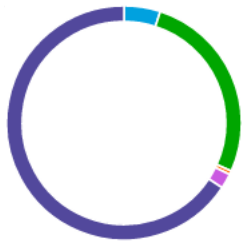
Immediate Impact: Coverage issues solved



Good IDP distribution

Devices By IDP

Distribution based on Identity provider.

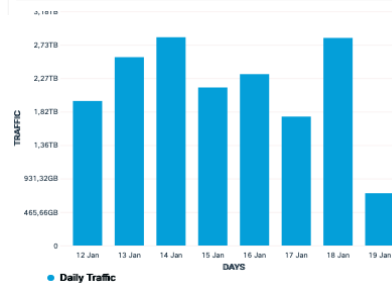


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High Usage

Data Usage

Total data exchanged on the network during the selected period.



User Feedback

- Delight!
- Some users do not notice they are on Wi-Fi, but they notice good data / voice
- Other users want to get on Wi-Fi and notice they are already on, compliment the great experience
- Reduced visitor coverage complaints
- Lower burden on staff

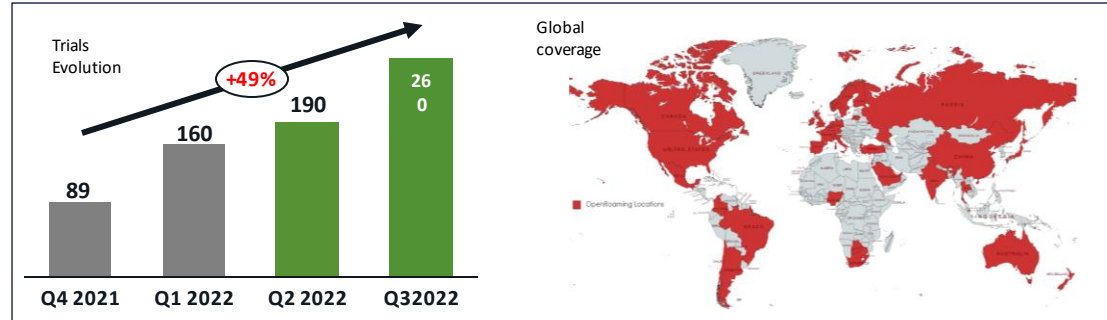
OpenRoaming Achievements & Evolution

Achievements

Approaching OpenRoaming Scale



Momentum around global trials and deployments

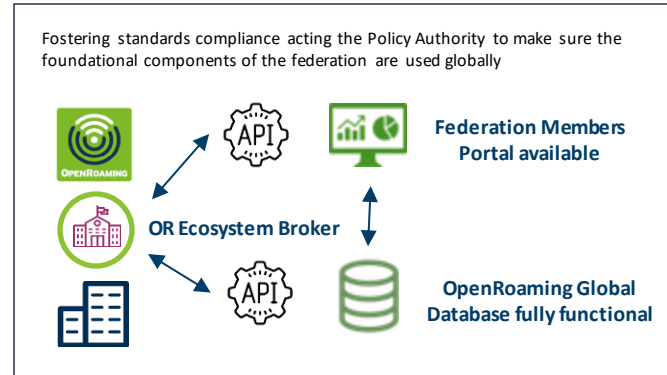


Truly holistic OpenRoaming standard, key industry players delivering

Wide Range Availability



Accelerating adoption of Federation assets (e.g. API, DB)



OpenRoaming leading the Public-Guest Wi-Fi > Focusing on evolving horizontally and vertically

Spectrum Regulatory Interference Control

Channel Width – Solving Consumption Growth

Wider channels at same re-use factor (6-12 APs based on device density)

% of customers at different channel widths				
20MHz (13-25ch@5GHz)	40MHz (6-12ch@5GHz)	80MHz (3-5ch@5GHz) (14@6GHz)	160MHz (1-2ch(160) + 1ch(80M) @5GHz) @6GHz)	320 MHz in 6GHz
5GHz Manual				
25%	64%	11%	0.02%	N/A
5GHz Auto				
23%	59%	17%	0.02%	N/A
6GHz Estimate				
5%	25%	60%	10%	0.02%

Anonymous data from >30k configs and >900k 160MHz capable APs across 6 countries

6GHz is wider channels

Less interference, higher throughput & density = Reliable Wireless

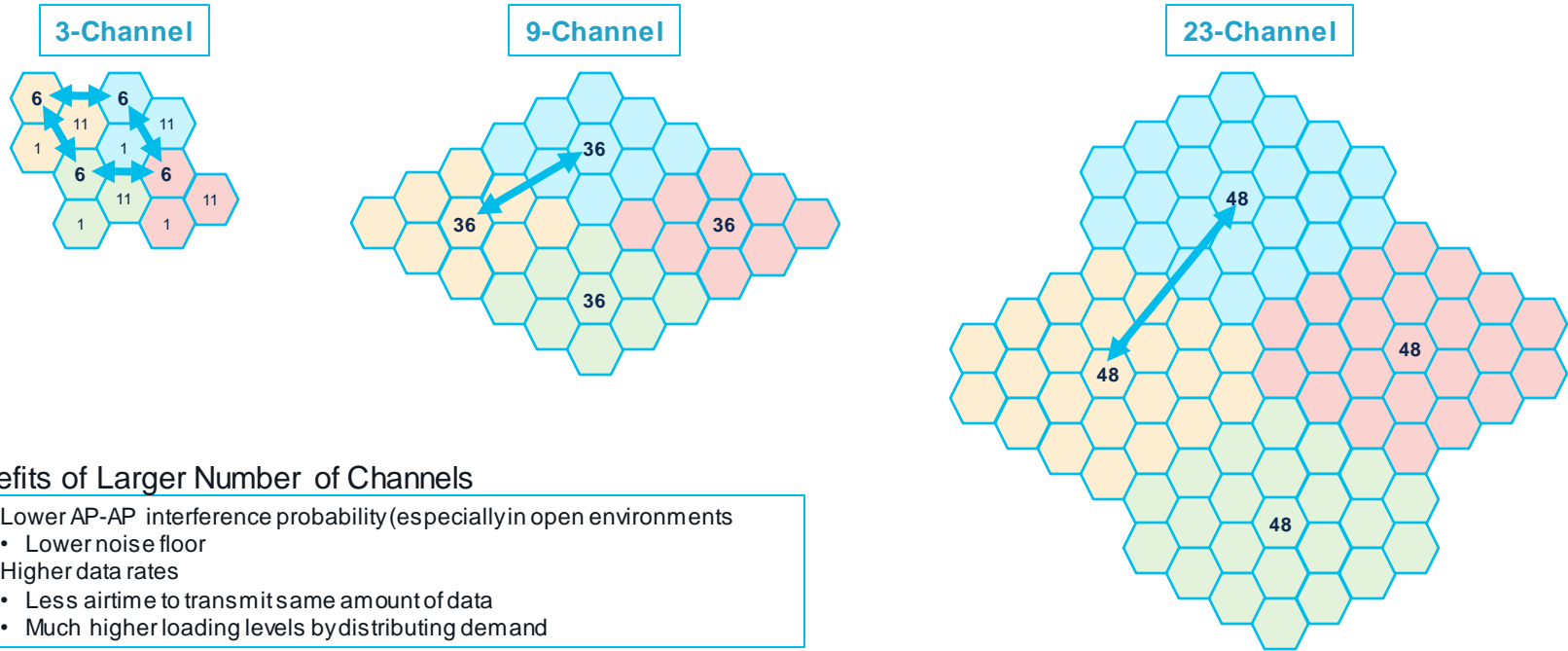
5GHz channel width feasibility				
Environment	20 MHz (25)	40 MHz (12)	80 MHz (6)	160 MHz (2)
High Density [1200 ft ²]	Green	Yellow	Red	Red
Typical Density [2500 ft ²]	Green	Green	Yellow	Red
Low Density [6000 ft ²]	Green	Green	Green	Yellow

6GHz channel width feasibility (1200 MHz)				
Environment	20 MHz (59)	40 MHz (29)	80 MHz (14)	160 MHz (7)
High Density [1200 ft ²]	Green	Green	Yellow	Red
Typical Density [2500 ft ²]	Green	Green	Green	Yellow
Low Density [6000 ft ²]	Green	Green	Green	Green

Note: Experience based on relative amount of AP co-channel interference at the AP based on Max EIRP power and channels available.

Enterprise Wi-Fi Design

More channels improve performance & reduces interference



Benefits of Larger Number of Channels

- Lower AP-AP interference probability (especially in open environments)
- Lower noise floor
- Higher data rates
- Less airtime to transmit same amount of data
- Much higher loading levels by distributing demand



The bridge to possible

Thank you

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