# BEREC 2018

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## BEREC Mid-Term Strategy 2018-2020

### 3 overarching objectives

Promoting competition and investment

**Empowering and protecting end-users** 

Promoting the single market

- Responding to connectivity challenges and to new conditions for access to high-capacity networks
- Monitoring potential bottlenecks in the distribution of digital services
- Enabling 5G and promoting innovation in network technologies



- Fostering a consistent approach of the net neutrality principles
  - Exploring new ways to boost consumer empowerment
- BEREC Obligatory Work and Stakeholders
  Engagement

## **BEREC** FACILITATES A FAST AND SMOOTH DEPLOYMENT OF 5G IN EUROPE





#### PREPARE the 5G landscape

5G is based on small cells. meaning more base stations are needed for it to work properly. To help minimise the cost and boost the speed of 5G deployment, BEREC will gather best practices in infrastructure sharing across Europe. It will publish a Report on Infrastructure Sharing and adopt a Common Position.



#### SOW

#### the seeds of 5G in Europe

For 5G deployment, spectrum needs to be assigned. Member States may have different spectrum available and use different ways to assign it. To help each country to pick the most suitable procedure for its market, BEREC will publish a Report on Spectrum Authorisation and Award Procedures.



#### HELP

#### the crop of 5G grow

Citizens and companies should benefit from reliable 5G services. Coverage obligations can help to ensure the wide availability of 5G, especially in challenge areas like rural regions, indoors or along transportation networks. A Best Practices Report on Coverage Obligations by BEREC will help Europe to foster a fertile 5G deployment.



#### MONITOR

#### the development of 5G

There are clear benefits to achieving a common understanding of how to monitor mobile coverage. A BEREC Common Position on Monitoring Mobile Coverage will facilitate a mutual understanding and foster a consistent approach on how this information can be made available and understandable throughout Europe.



#### **HARVEST**

#### the bountiful 5G crop

With its work, BEREC will help to prepare a fertile landscape for 5G deployment. The next step is for citizens and operators to harvest the 5G crop, maximising the potential that 5G has to offer. Completely new business models, high speed internet everywhere and smart homes are just the beginning.

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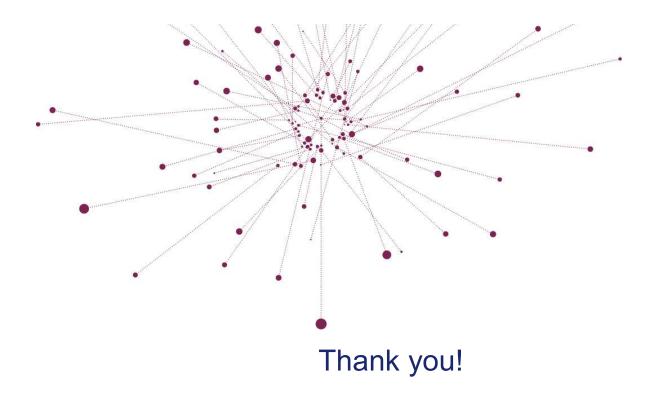












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