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## Session 4: IMT Technologies

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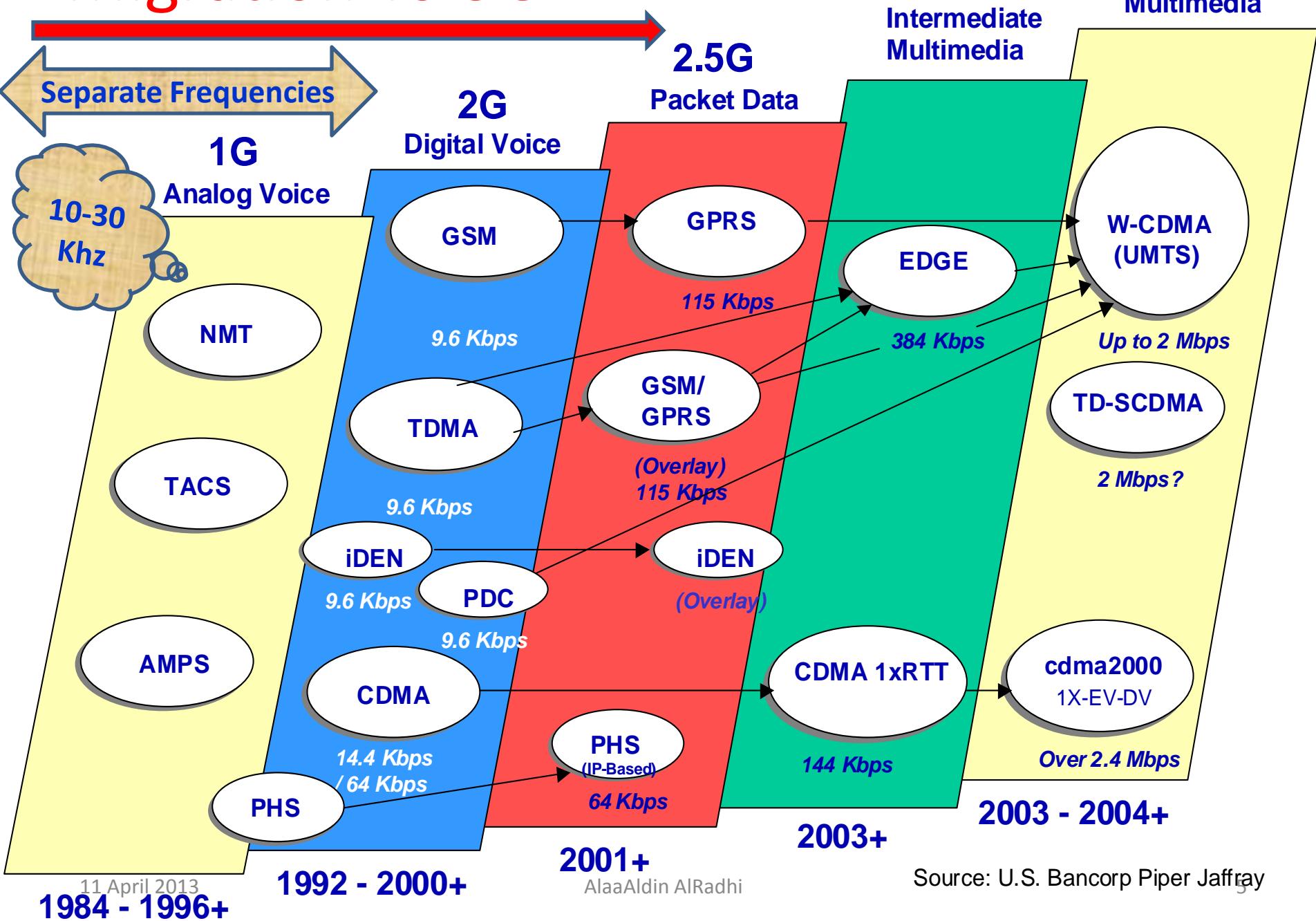
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# Generations of Cellular Technologies

Generation	Year	Network	Technology	Data	
<b>1G</b>	Early 1980s	Circuit switched	<b>TACS,AMPS</b>	Analog Voice	
<b>2G</b>	Early 1990s	D-AMPS, GSM,CDMA	<b>D-AMPS, GSM,CDMA</b>	Digital Voice	
<b>2.5G</b>	1996	Circuit switched or Packet switched	<b>GPRS, EDGE, EVDO, EVDV</b>	Digital Voice + Data	
<b>3G</b>	2000	Non IP, Packet switched / Circuit switched	<b>W-CDMA, CDMA2000</b>	Digital Voice + High speed Data + video	
<b>4G</b>	2012	IP based, Packet switched core network.	A pink starburst graphic with a dark blue outline. Inside the star, the words "NOT Finalized" are written in red capital letters. <b>NOT Finalized</b>		Digital Voice, High speed Data , Multimedia, Security

# Migration To 3G



## Complimentary to 3G = WLANs & WiMAX

- Faster than 3G: 11 or 56 Mbps vs. <2 Mbps for 3G when stationary
- Low cost, low barriers to entry
- Easy for Organizations to build own networks
- WLAN gives “hot spot” coverage
- WiMAX extends coverage to MANs
- 3G gives full mobility
- WLAN & WiMAX coupled/combined with 3G will offer mobile broadband for EVERYBODY & EVERYWHERE, whatever the technology and access mode

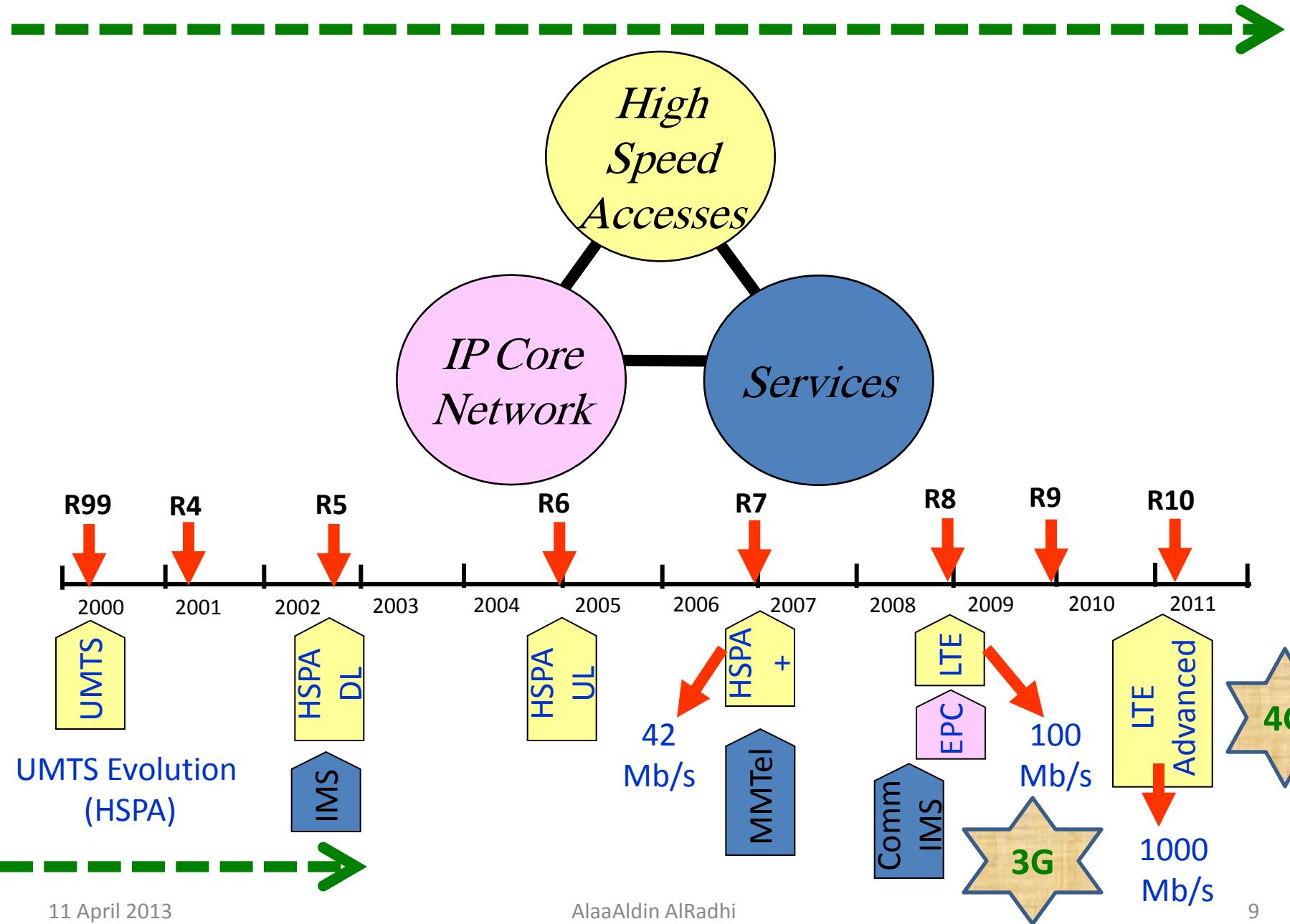
# UMTS = Universal Mobile Telecom System

- The most important International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000) proposals are the UMTS (W-CDMA) as the successor to 3G GSM.
- UMTS licenses have been awarded across Europe & Asia through 3GPP Group
- For interoperability with North American networks, another group known as 3GPP2 was formed to develop global specifications for 3G networks
- UMTS differs from GSM Phase 2+ (2.5 & 2.75 G) mostly in the new principles for air interface transmission, (W-CDMA instead of TDMA/ FDMA).

# 3GPP: 3<sup>rd</sup> Generation Partnership Project

- 3GPP Specified Radio Interfaces:
  - 2G radio: GSM, GPRS, EDGE
  - 3G radio: WCDMA, HSPA, LTE
  - 4G radio: LTE Advanced
- 3GPP Core Network:
  - 2G/3G: GSM core network
  - 3G/4G: Evolved Packet Core (EPC)
- 3GPP Service Layer:
  - GSM services
  - IP Multimedia Subsystem (IMS)
  - Multimedia Telephony (MMTEL)
  - Support of Messaging and other OMA functionality
  - Emergency services and public warning
  - Etc.

# 3GPP Release Concept



# General Directions of 3GPP Evolution

- Radio Interfaces:
  - Higher Data Throughput
  - Lower Latency
  - More Spectrum Flexibility
  - Improved CAPEX and OPEX
- IP Core Network:
  - Support of non-3GPP Accesses
  - Packet Only Support
  - Improved Security
  - Greater Device Diversity
- Service Layer:
  - More IMS Applications (MBMS, PSS, mobile TV now IMS enabled)
  - Greater session continuity

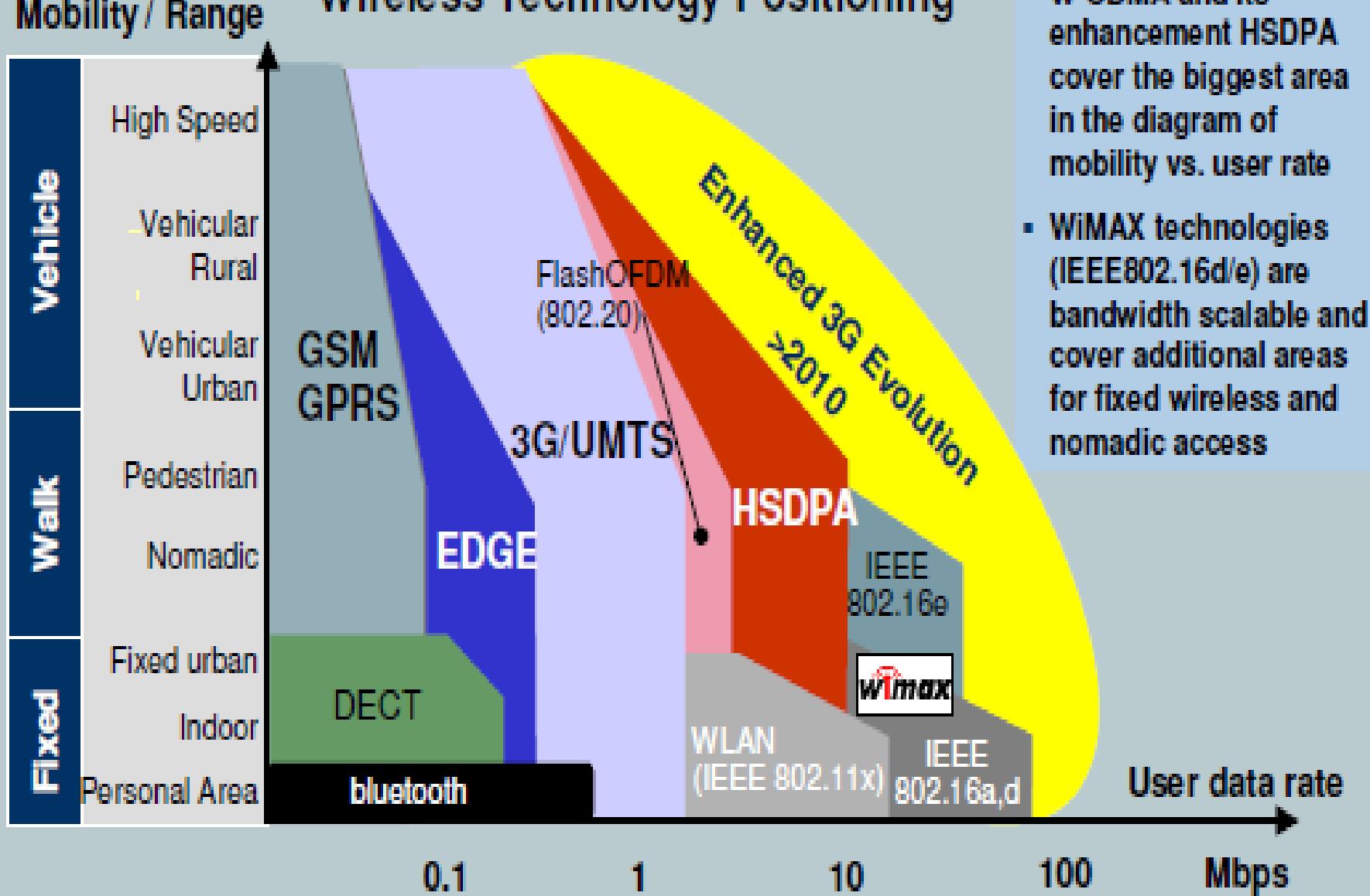
# LTE (Long Term Evolution)

- A standard, defined by 3GPP, is a highly flexible radio interface for wireless communication with high-speed data for mobile phones and data terminals.
- It is based on the GSM/EDGE and UMTS/HSPA network technologies, increasing the capacity and speed using new modulation techniques.
- Supports smooth evolution from earlier 3GPP system (TD-SCDMA, WCDMA/HSPA) & 3GPP2 systems: cdma2000.
- Also constitutes a major step towards IMT-Advanced
- Cell ranges up to:
  - 5 km; with best throughput, spectrum efficiency & mobility.
  - 30 km; Mobility with some degradation in throughput and spectrum efficiency permitted.

# LTE – Advanced

- Is to provide higher bitrates in a cost efficient way, and at the same time completely fulfill the requirements set by ITU for **IMT- Advanced**, also referred to as **4G**
- Focuses on higher capacity by adding more bandwidth:
  - Increased peak data rate, DL 3 Gbps, UL 1.5 Gbps
  - Higher spectral efficiency to 30 bps/Hz
  - Increased number of simultaneously active subscribers
- Uses **MIMO (Multiple Input Multiple Output)** or **Spatial Multiplexing**, to increase the overall bitrate through transmission of two (or more) different data streams on two (or more) different antennas

# Wireless Technology Positioning



- W-CDMA and its enhancement HSDPA cover the biggest area in the diagram of mobility vs. user rate
- WiMAX technologies (IEEE802.16d/e) are bandwidth scalable and cover additional areas for fixed wireless and nomadic access

# Wireless Evolution: 1990-Present

Technology evolution  
Market evolution

Increasing efficiency, bandwidth and data rates

2G

PDC (Japan)

GSM (Europe)

IS-136 (US TDMA)

IS-95A (US CDMA)

W-LAN  
802.11b

2.5G

iMODE

HSCSD

GPRS

IS-95B (US CDMA)

802.11a/g  
802.11h

3G

W-CDMA (FDD & TDD)

TD-SCDMA (China)

E-GPRS (EDGE)

cdma2000 (1x RTT)

802.11n

3.5G

HSDPA HSUPA

EDGE Evolution

1x EV-DO  
0 → A → B

802.16d (Fixed WiMAX)

WiBRO (Korea)

3.9G/  
4G

HSPA+ / E-HSPA

LTE (R8/9 FDD & TDD)

802.16e (Mobile WiMAX)

802.11ac  
802.11ad

4G / IMT-Advanced

LTE-Advanced (Release 10, 11, 12)

802.16m / WiMAX2 WirelessMAN-Advanced

# CR: Cognitive Radio = New ways of Using Spectrum

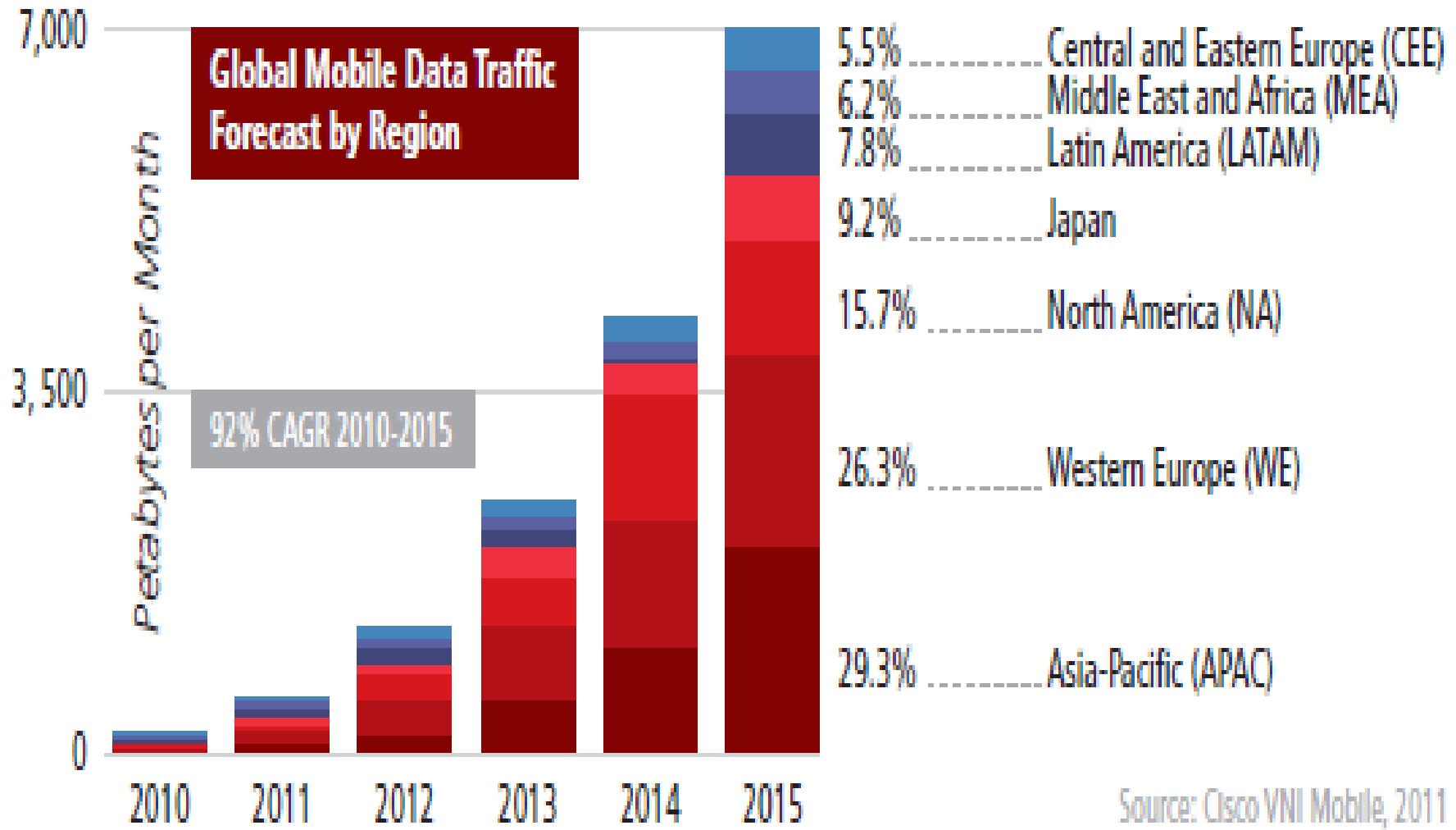
- Spectrum has been & will continue to be a scarce resource for the mobile-communication industry. So we need developed ways to use spectrum
- So CR technology allows different radio technologies to share the same spectrum efficiently by adaptively finding unused spectrum & adapting the transmission scheme to the requirements of the technologies currently sharing the spectrum.
- This dynamic radio resource management is achieved in a distributed fashion, & relies on Software-Defined Radio SDR
- SDR benefits from today's high processing power to develop multiband, multi-standard base stations & terminals.

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- Why IMT & IMT Standards Evolution Briefing

# Facing up to the Mobile Data Explosion: *Stats*

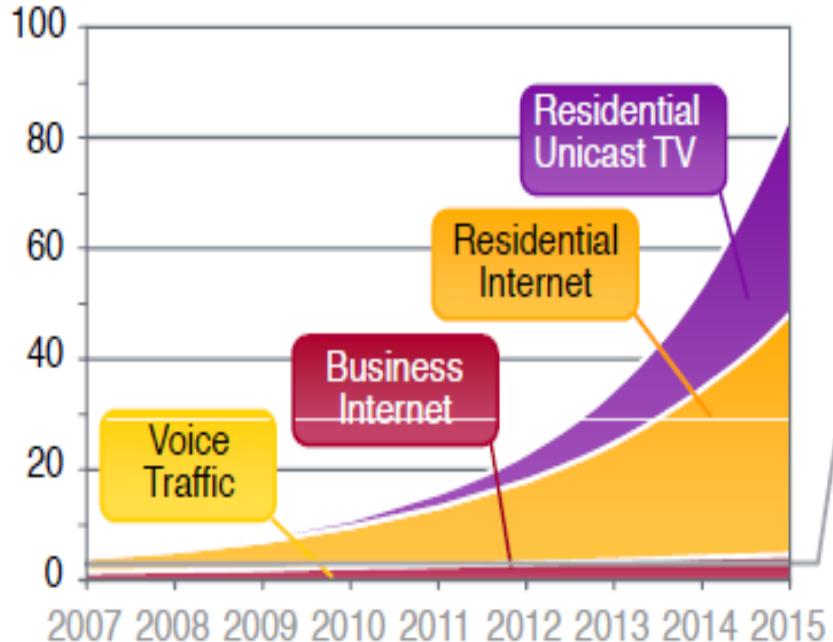
- As of today there are more than:
  - 1 billion 3G subscriptions
  - 400 3GPP-family networks of HSPA technology with data speeds in the 2-14 Mbps range.
  - 140 networks of HSPA+ technology with data speeds of up to 42 Mbps
  - 50 LTE already installed networks (started commercially late 2009) with 10 million LTE subscriptions and with many foreseen operators to deploy LTE gradually

# The volume of Mobile Data is Growing by Approximately 92 %, year over year

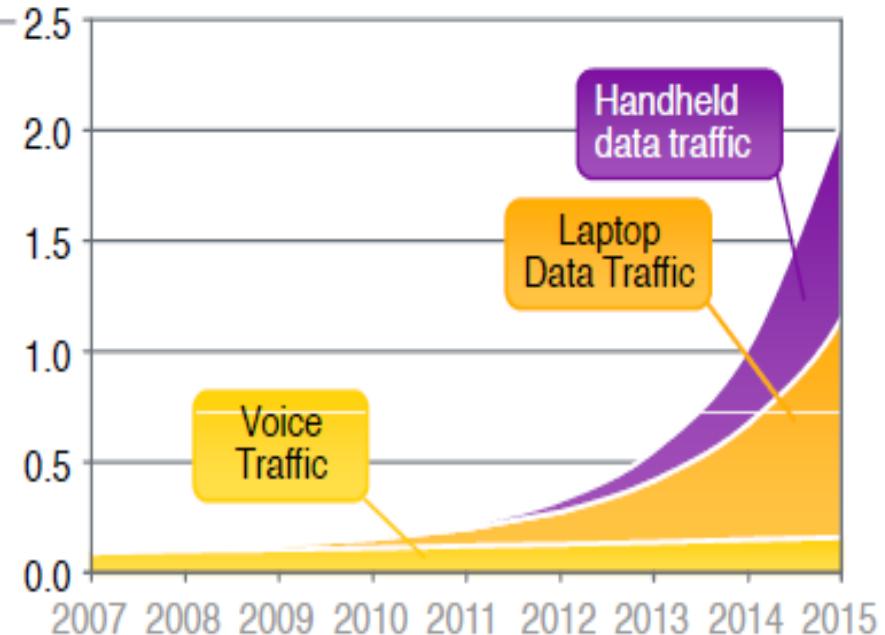


# Internet Traffic Growth is Huge

Global FIXED traffic (ExaByte/month)



Global MOBILE traffic (ExaByte/month)



Fixed broadband traffic  
is 40x mobile in 2015

Mobile data traffic  
grows 300 fold

# Facing up to the Mobile Data Explosion: *What is Needed?*

- *So we need:*
  - More Spectrum to support the projected growth of mobile data.
  - Less Radio Latency
  - Higher Processing Speed
  - Access to all kind of networks & interfaces

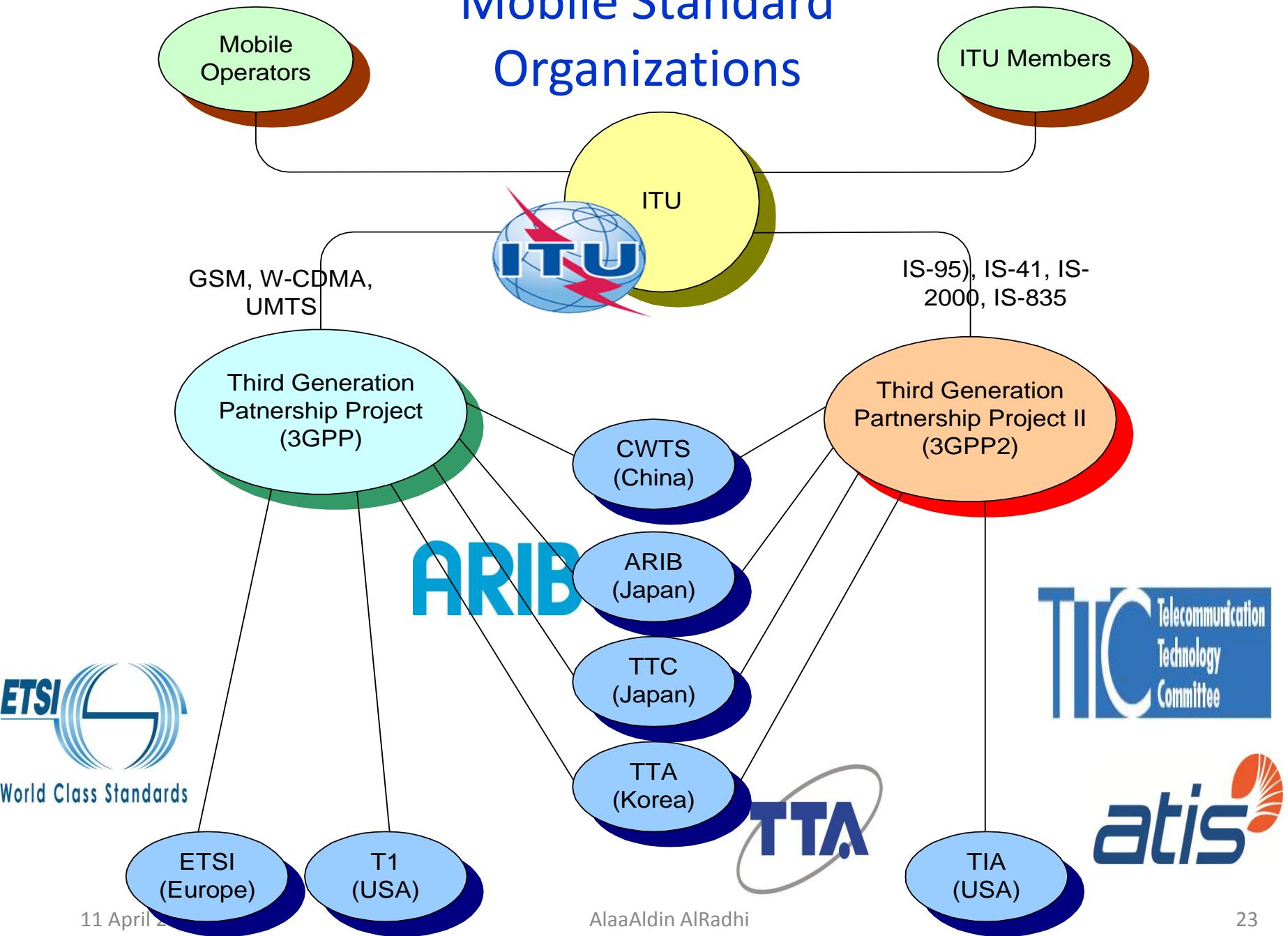


# WIRELESS ACCESS FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

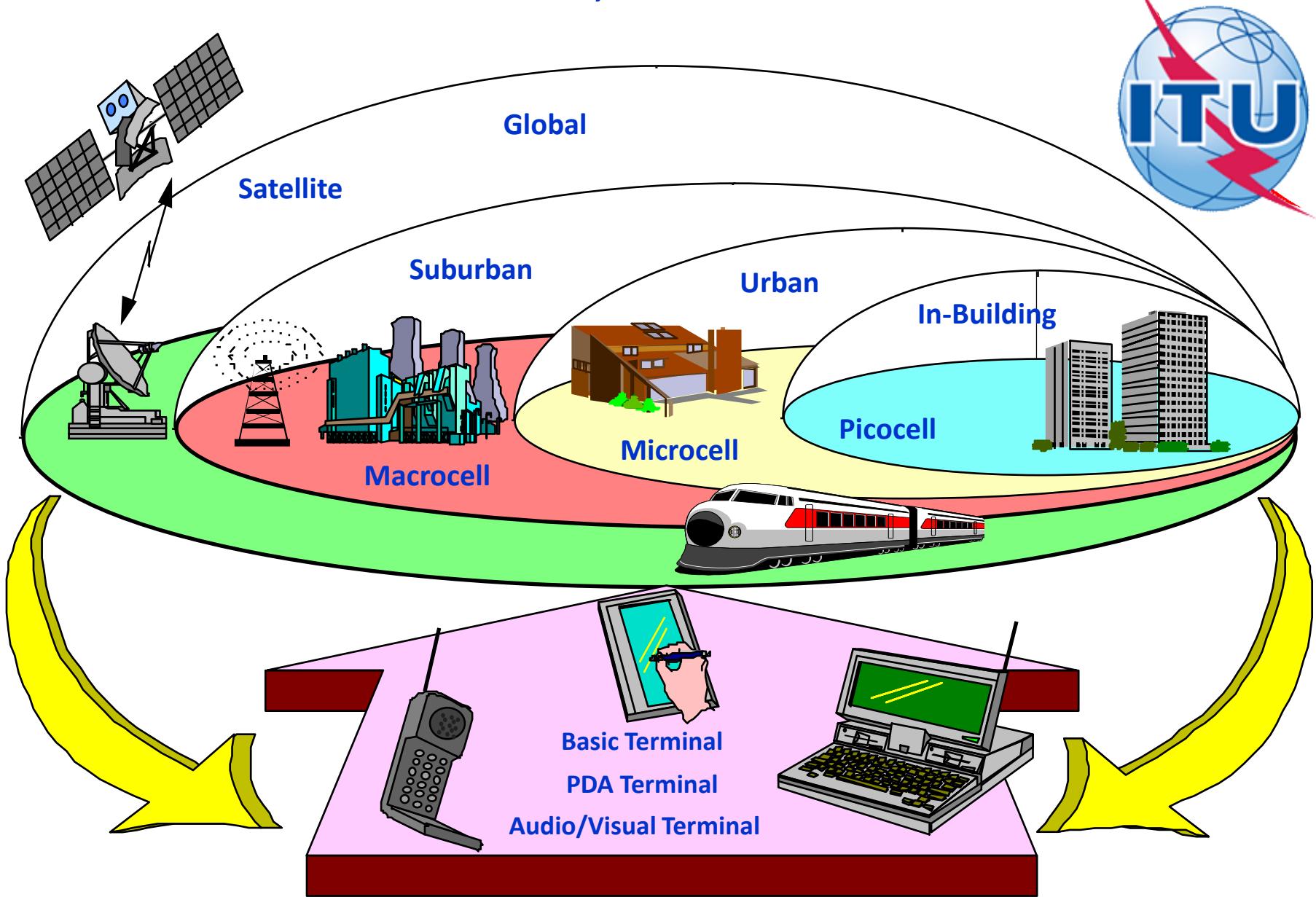
Anywhere - Anytime

- IMT = International Mobile Telecommunications
- ITU Global Broadband Multimedia International Mobile Telecommunication System
- A family of Standards:
  - IMT-2000: ITU's umbrella name for 3G
  - IMT-Advanced”
- National & Regional standards bodies are collaborating in 3G partnership projects: TIA (US), ETSI (EU), TTC (Japan), TTA (South Korea), etc
- 3G Partnership Projects (**3GPP & 3GPP2**): Focused on evolution of access & core networks
- *Currently:* There Are More Than 2 Billion IMT Subscribers In The World

# Mobile Standard Organizations



# IMT-2000 Vision: LAN, WAN & Satellite Services

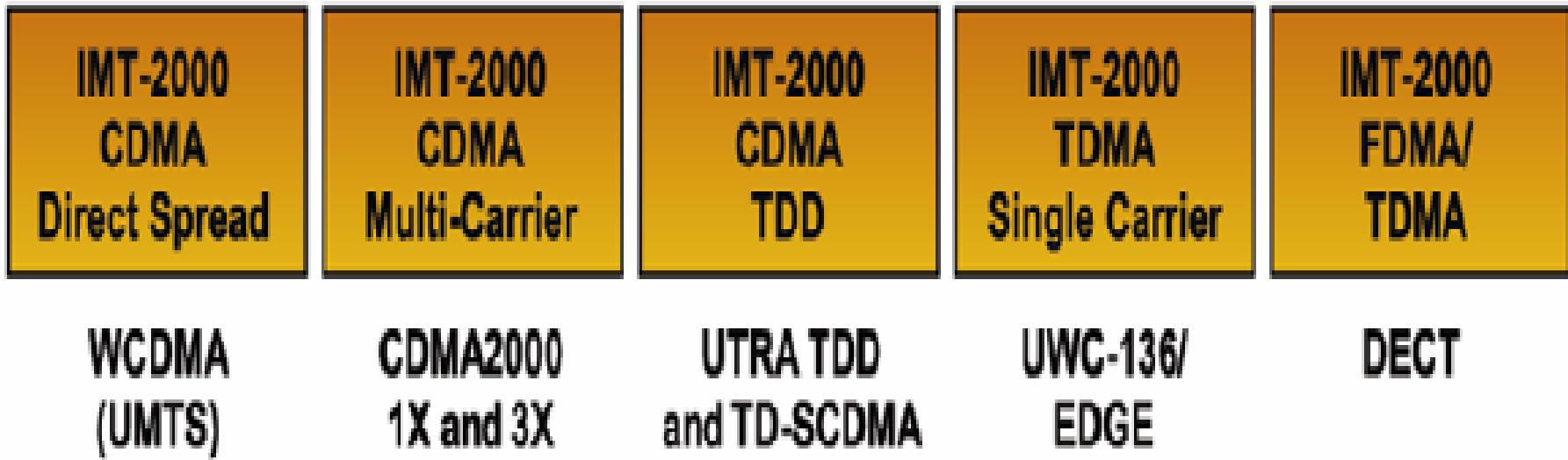


# IMT-2000 Radio Access Standards



(Source: ITU)

## IMT 2000 Terrestrial Radio Interfaces



# IMT – Advanced: ITU Standard for 4G

- IMT- Advanced was standardized late 2011 & agreed @ [ITU Radiocommunication Assembly \(RA-12\)](#), in Geneva , January 2012, consensus was reached to expand the IMT Radio Interface Family by establishing the new IMT-Advanced standard. The Recommendation [ITU-R M.2012](#) dealing with IMT was approved by all Member States.
- During the ITU [World Radiocommunication Conference \(WRC-12\)](#) in Geneva, February 2012, it was agreed that additional spectrum for the mobile applications (which includes IMT) was made in [Resolution 232](#) in the band 694 - 790 MHz in Region 1 and additionally asked the ITU-R to perform sharing studies in this band and in additional bands to be identified for IMT in preparation for WRC-15 ([Resolution 233](#)). The additional spectrum will be assigned by the next WRC-15.
- IMT-Advanced to be commercialized by 2015
- Data Rates of 1 Gbps Range

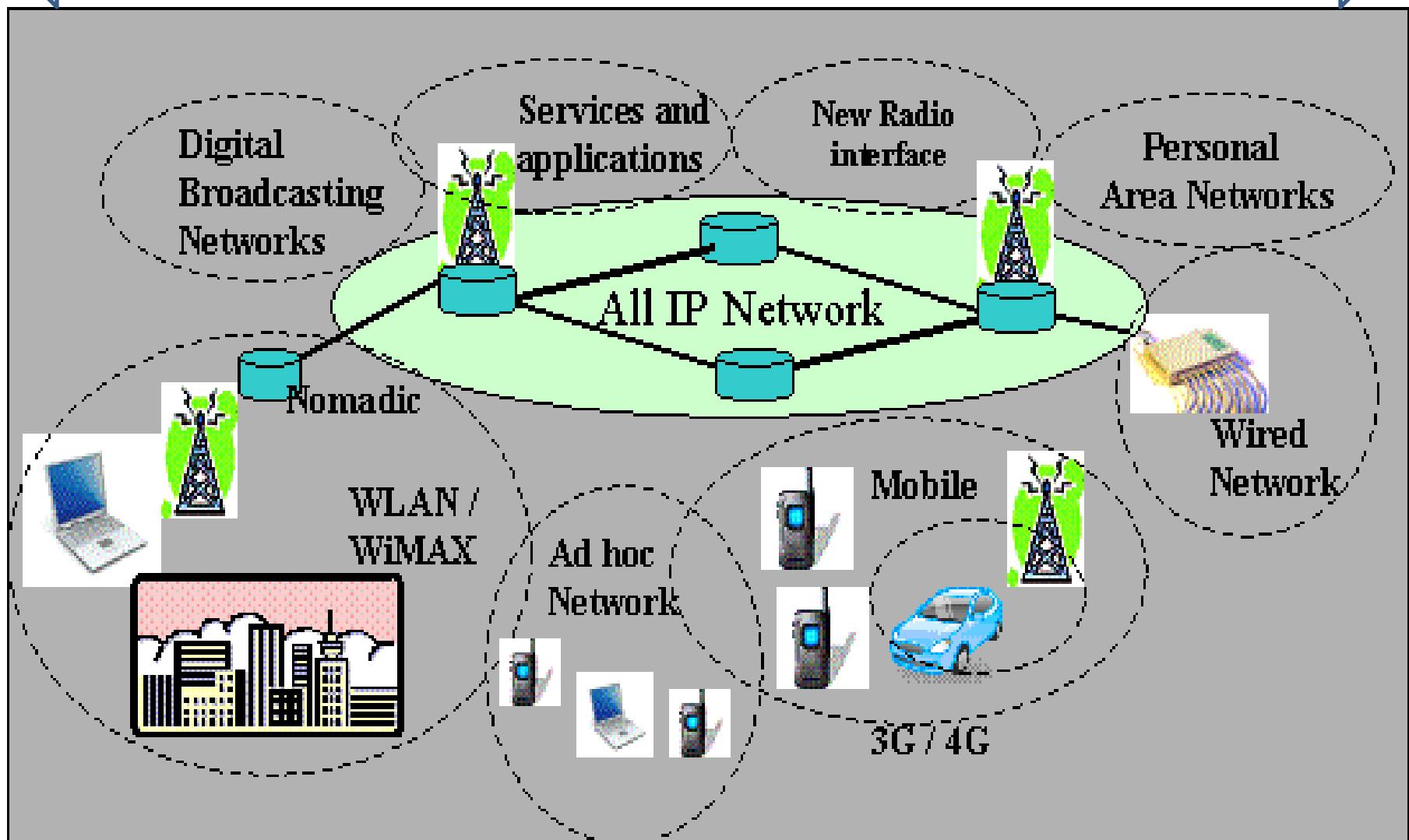


# IMT – Advanced: *Summary of Major Improvements Over IMT-2000*

- Increased spectrum efficiency — supporting more users at higher data rates per radio channel;
- Fully packet-based architecture — meaning reduced costs, and comprehensive support for broadband wireless data;
- Improved radio resource management and control — for enhanced quality of service;
- New capabilities for the physical layer of the radio interface — including wideband radio channels, MIMO [multiple input multiple output] smart antennas and flexible deployment options.

# IMT – Advanced: *Principle*

Convergence of Various Networks into 1 IP based Network



## IMT – Advanced: *Key Features*

- Compatibility of services within IMT & with fixed networks
- Capability of interworking with other radio access
- Worldwide roaming capability systems
- Enhanced peak data rates to support advanced services & applications (100 Mbit/s for high and 1 Gbit/s for low mobility)
- Use radio-frequency spectrum much more efficiently making higher data transfers possible on lesser bandwidth
- Less Latency
- A QoS that matches those of fixed networks

## IMT – Advanced: *Requirements*

- **1 IP based global core network.** Various networks (Wired PSTN, LAN, Cellular (3G), wireless (WIMAX), nomadic, ad hoc & sensor networks) will be able to communicate with this core network.
- The new Radio Channel Multiple access technologies will be backward compatible and must coexist with the IMT-2000 systems. Examples are:
  - OFDMA (Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiple Access)
  - SC-FDMA (Single Carrier- Frequency Division Multiple Access),
  - OFDM-TDMA (Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing - Time Division Multiple Access)
- Radio Aspects:
  - Base station: 2 transmit & 2 receive antennas: (2 x 2)
  - Mobile Station: 1 transmit & 2 receive antennas (1 x 2)

# IMT – Advanced: *Bandwidth & Spectrum Requirements 1*

Spectrum	Current Use	Advantages	Disadvantages
410 - 430 MHz	Land mobile services-public protection and disaster relief	More coverage area, good propagation characteristics	Large antennas, limited band, capabilities of IMT-Advanced could downscale
450 - 470 MHz	Land mobile services-public protection and disaster relief	More coverage area, good propagation characteristics	Large antennas, limited band, capabilities of IMT-Advanced could downscale
470 - 806 MHz	Broadcasting services (TV & Radio)	More coverage area, good propagation , upper band closer to IMT-2000. So reduced complexity of Equipment	Large antennas, limited band, capabilities of IMT-Advanced could downscale
2300 - 2400 MHz	Fixed and mobile services	Band closer to IMT-2000. Simplifies development, planning & deployment of IMT systems	Insufficient bandwidth, Used in other applications

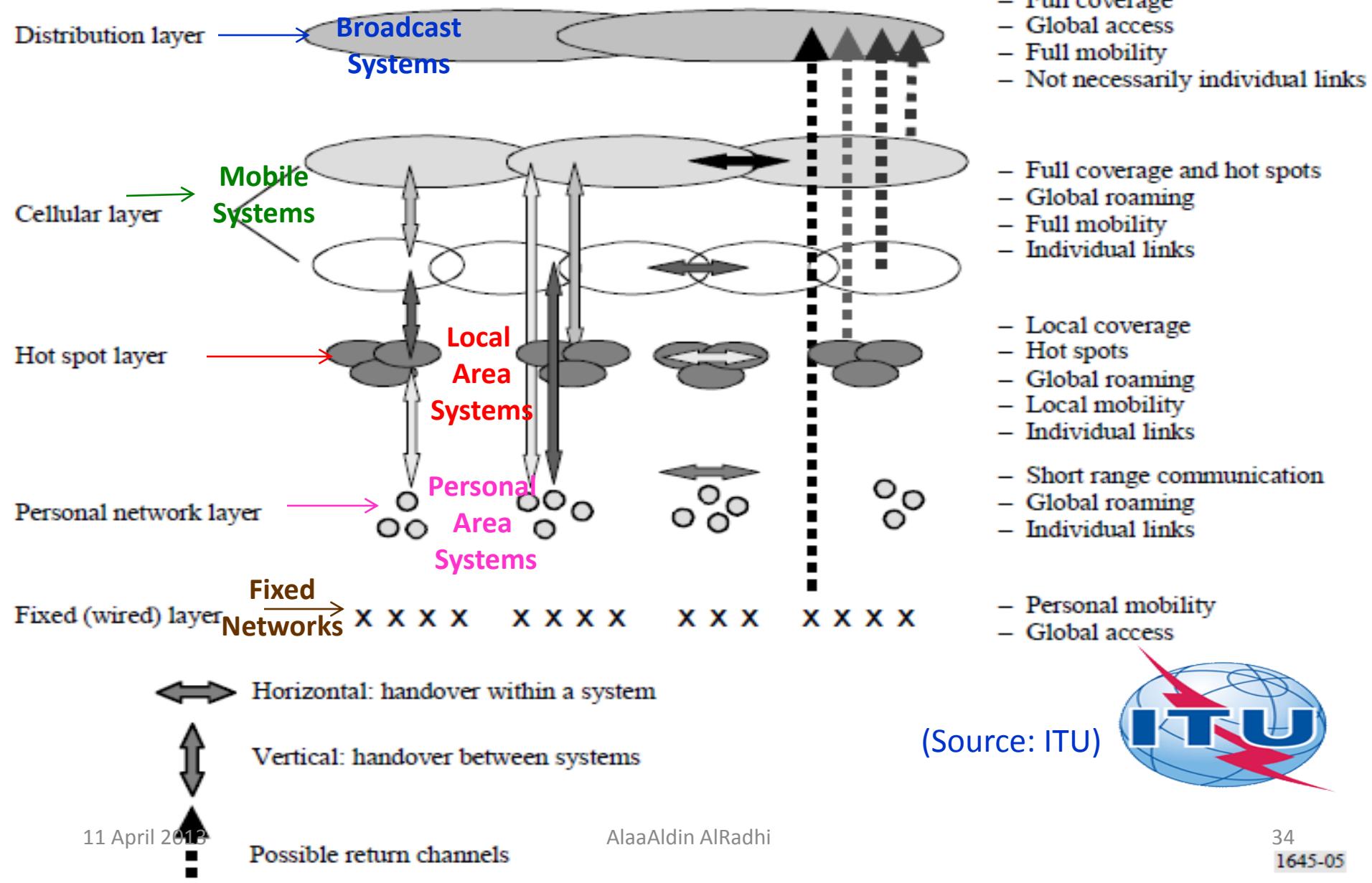
# IMT – Advanced: *Bandwidth & Spectrum Requirements 2*

Spectrum	Current Use	Advantages	Disadvantages
2700 - 2900 MHz	Radar systems, aeronautical radio navigation	Band closer to IMT-2000. Simplifies development, planning & deployment of IMT systems in this band	Not feasible for IMT-2000 systems. Lots of interference from radars
3400 - 4200 MHz	Fixed services & fixed satellite services; fixed & mobile BB wireless access systems	Large bandwidth, smaller antenna size, relatively better propagation characteristics	interference mitigation measures are required

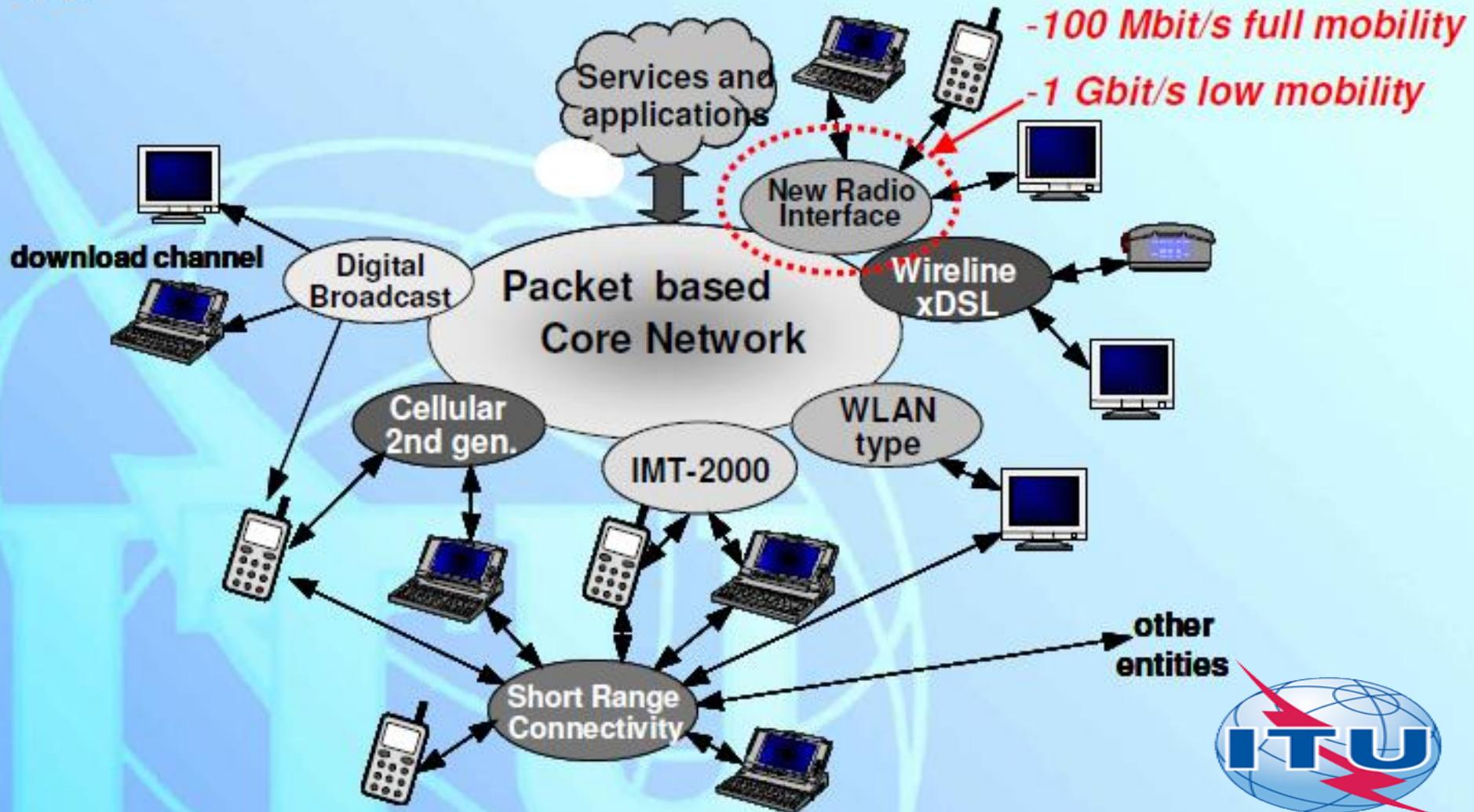
# IMT – Advanced: *Bandwidth & Spectrum Requirements 3*

Spectrum	Current Use	Advantages	Disadvantages
4400 - 4990 MHz	Mobile service, FSS providing basic infrastructure telecommunication system, aeronautical mobile or for Fixed Services (FS) for long distance links, radio astronomy	Large bandwidth, smaller antenna size, multiple antenna techniques enabling high spectrum efficiency	largest frequency-dependent propagation loss adversely affecting high mobility

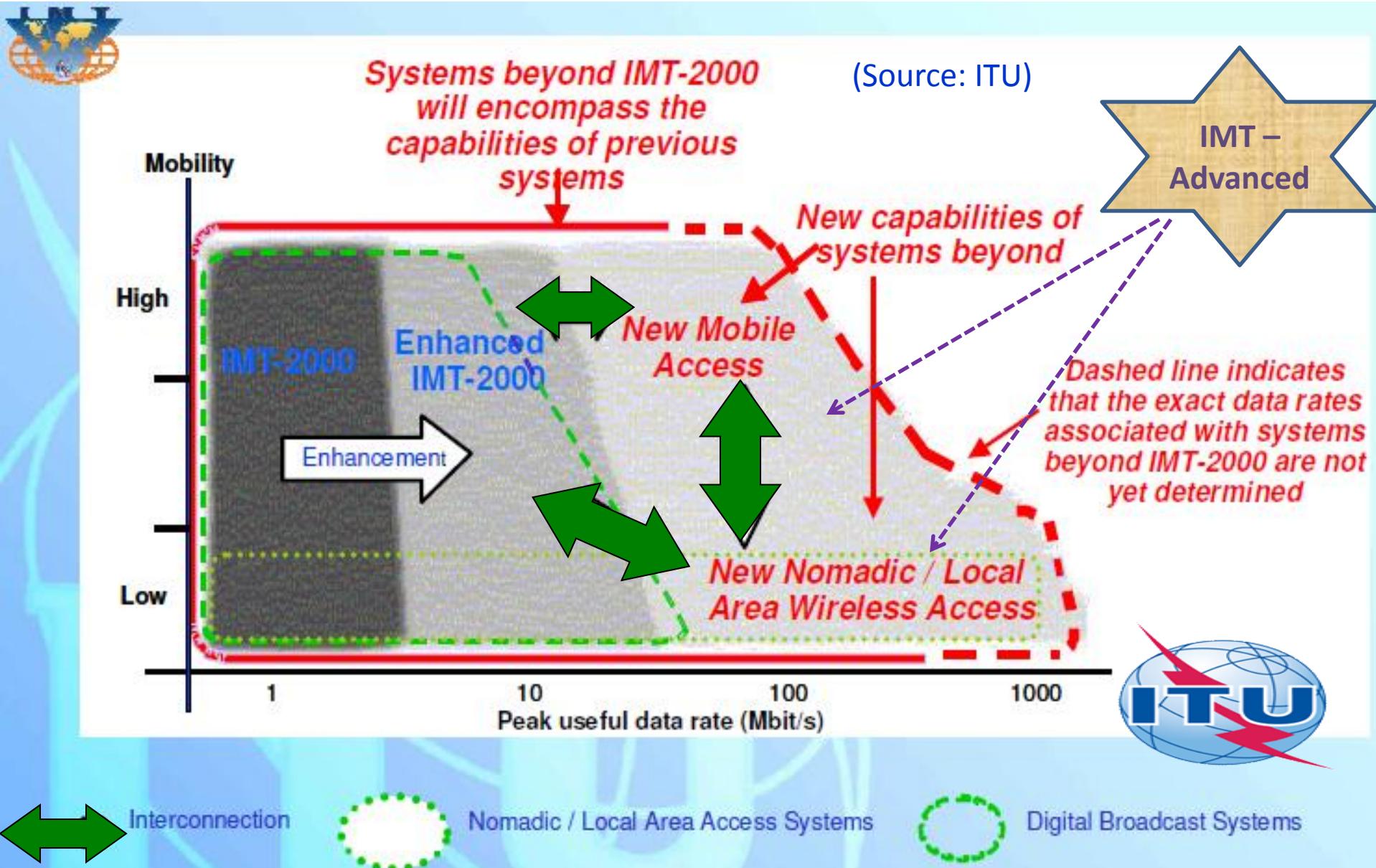
# IMT-Advanced Vision of Complementary Interconnected Access Systems



# New Radio Interface(s) - Variety of Access Networks



# Capabilities of IMT-2000 & IMT-Advanced: The Van



# IMT – Advanced: *Timelines*

(Source: ITU)

New elements to offer new capabilities of systems beyond IMT-2000

Other radio systems

IMT-2000 and future development

Systems deployment\*

Spectrum implementation

Vision definition Requirements definition Standards development Standards enhancement

Evolution/integration with other radio systems

Systems deployment

Spectrum implementation

Enhancement and related development of standards



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2003

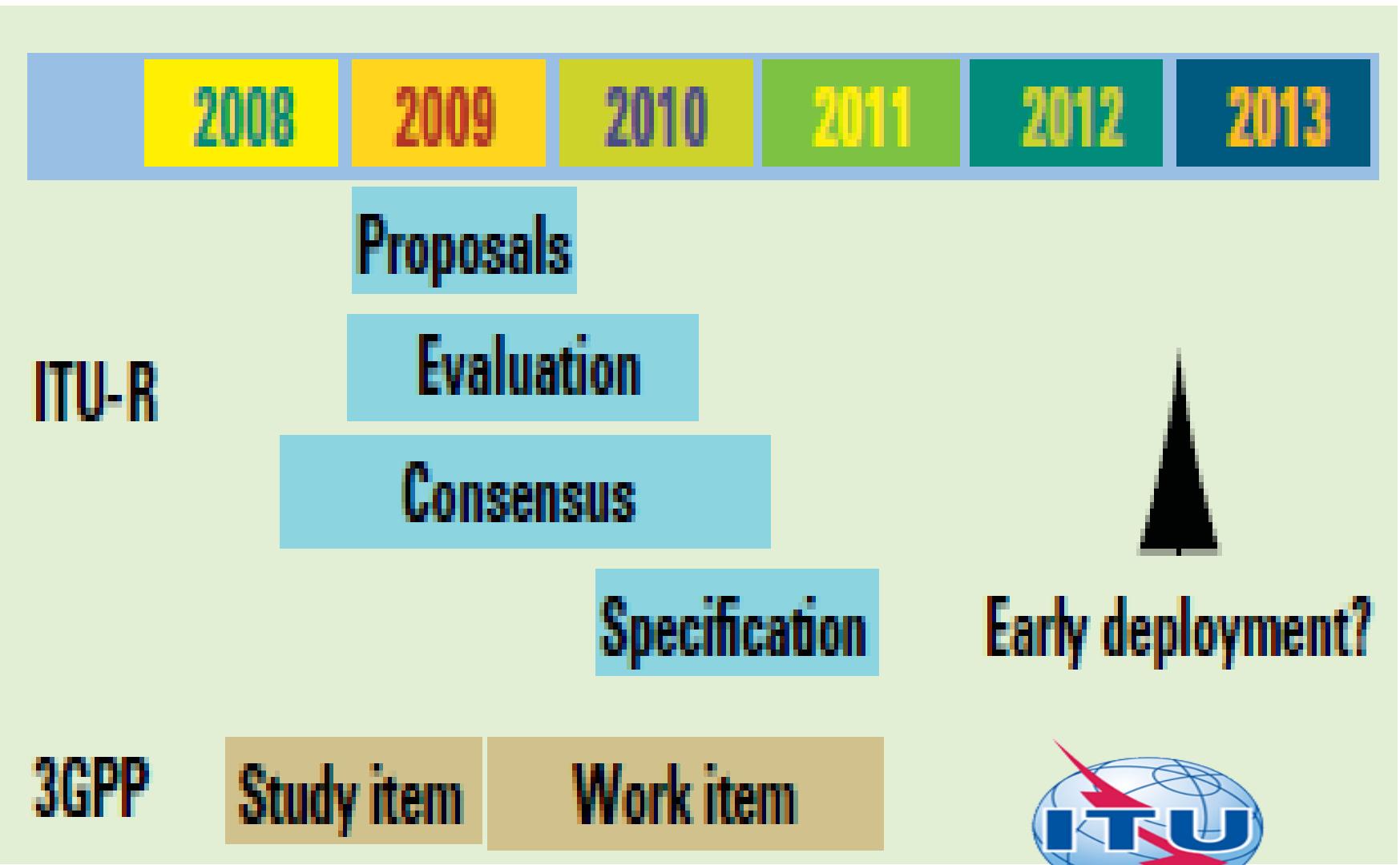
2006

2009

2012

2015

# IMT – Advanced: *Projected ITU timeline & links into 3GPP*



# IMT – Advanced: *Summary*

Characteristics	Technology
Deployment	2012-2015
Core networks	IP based
Band	Below 6 GHz
Data rates	100 Mbps to 1 GHz
Access methods	OFDMA, SC- FDMA, OFDM-TDMA
Radio Interface	Cognitive radios, software defined radios.
Modulation	QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM, DAPS K
Services provided	Rich multimedia, voice, high speed data.
Duplex methods	FDD(paired, unpaired), TDD
Error control	LDPC, turbo codes, HARQ
Handover	Seamless, vertical, horizontal, hard, soft

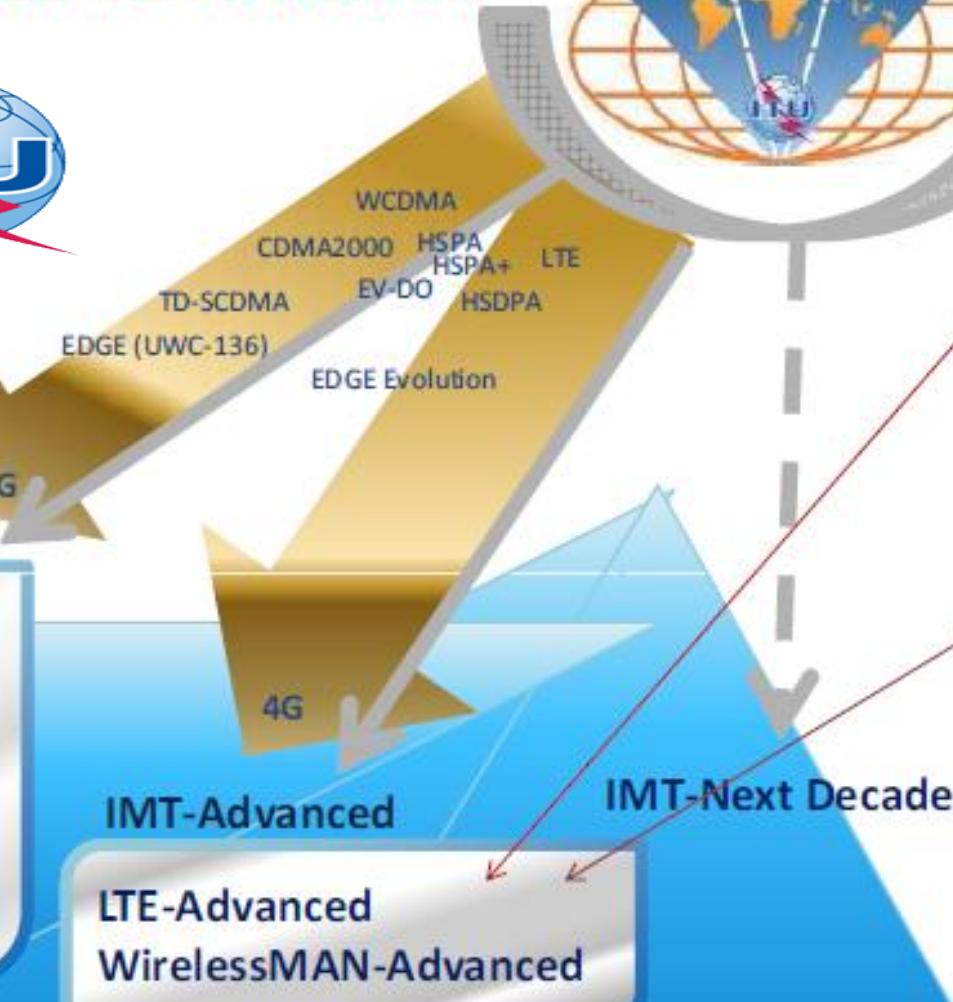
# IMT Standards Evolution



IMT-Advanced is the next generation set of standards in the International Mobile Telecommunications (IMT) framework for global wireless broadband communications.

## IMT-2000

CDMA-DS,  
CDMA-MC  
CDMA-TDD  
TDMA-SC  
FDMA-TDMA  
OFDMA-TDD-  
WMAN



ITU has determined that "LTE-Advanced" & "Wireless MAN-Advanced" should be accorded the official designation of IMT-Advanced

Following a detailed evaluation against stringent technical and operational criteria, ITU has determined that "LTE-Advanced" and "WirelessMAN-Advanced" were accorded the official designation of IMT-Advanced.

Studies are underway to harmonize the existing spectrum identified for IMT and to determine the additional spectrum required to support the burgeoning demand for mobile broadband

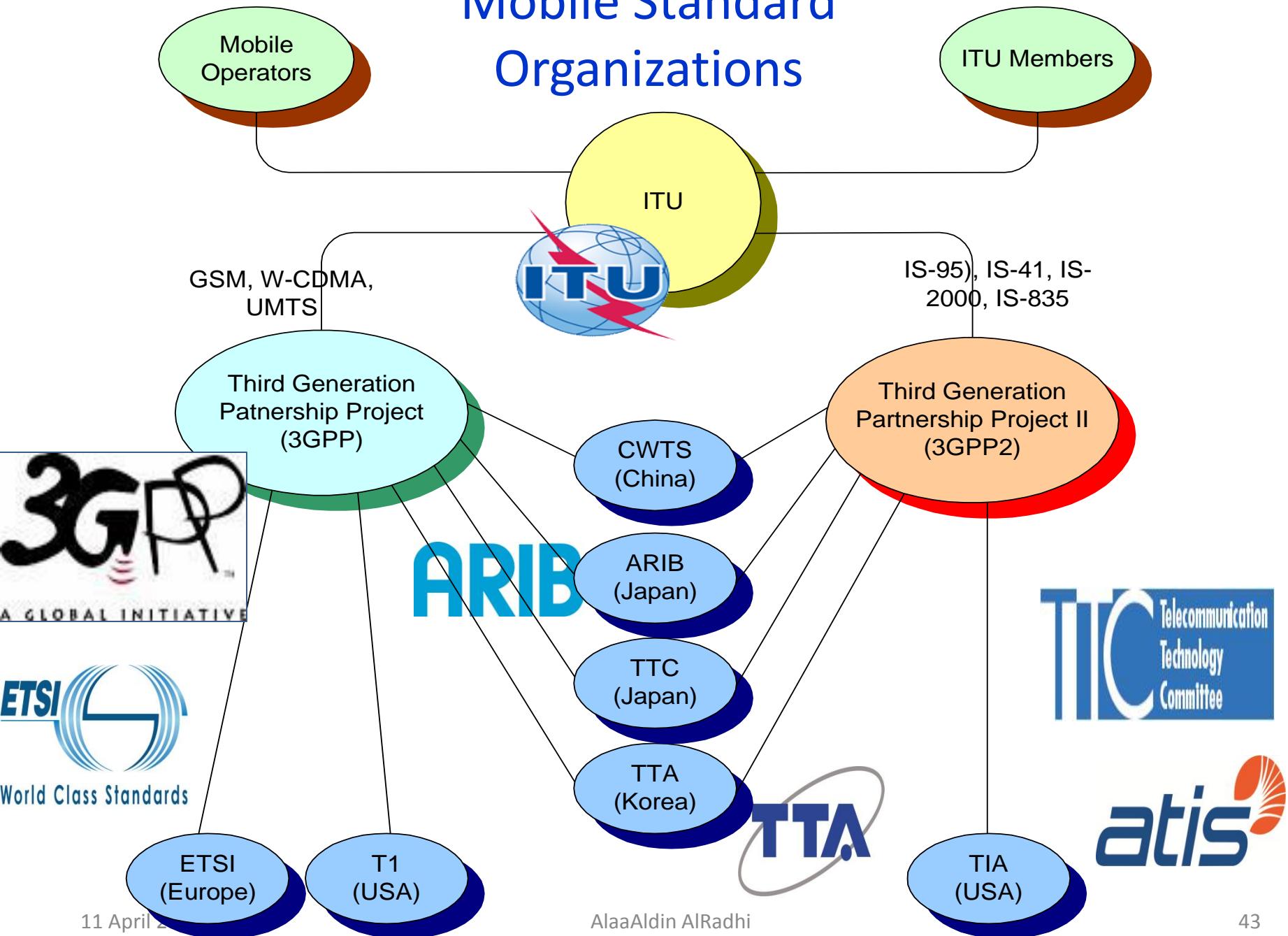
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# Role of ITU

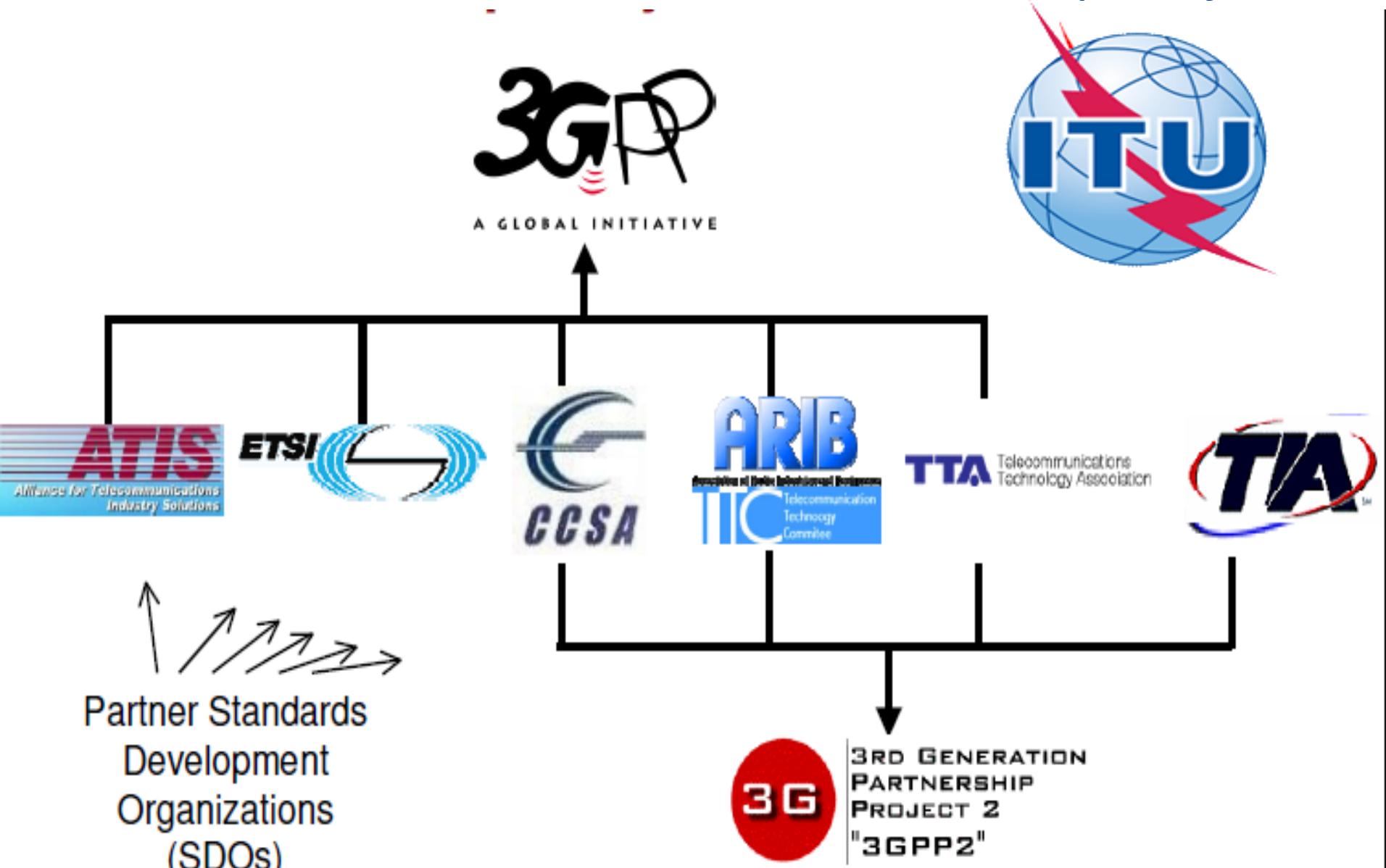


- World-Wide Spectrum Efficiency Coordination & Improvements
- Policy & Regulatory Harmonization
- International Standards for Key Access and Network Interfaces
- Provide Foundation, Framework & Catalyst For 3G Convergence Across Regions & Technologies
- Harmonize Regional Input Contributions & Consensus Building
- **World Radiocommunication Conference (WRCs):** Reviews & revises the use of the Radio-Frequency spectrum
- **Radiocommunication Assembly (RA):** Sets work priorities / time-frames and approves the Recommendations in support of WRCs
- **Radio Regulations Board (RRB):** Approves Rules of Procedure for applying Radio Regulations and registering frequency assignments made by Member States

# Mobile Standard Organizations

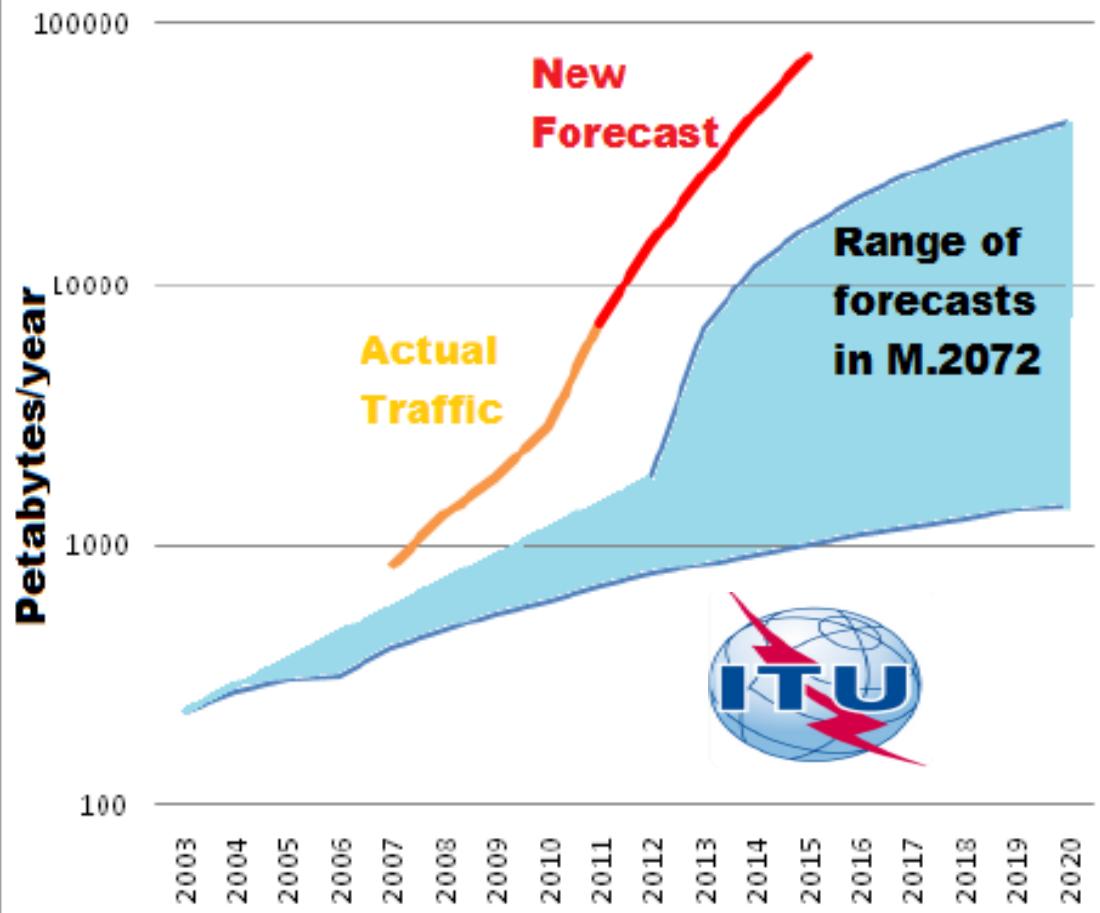


# ITU & SDO Partners of the 3G Partnership Projects



# ITU-R M.2072: Forecasts Vs Actual

Comparison of M.2072 with Current Data



Source: Report ITU-R M.2243 (00/2011)

The global estimates from Report ITU-R M.2072 (2005) were quite conservative

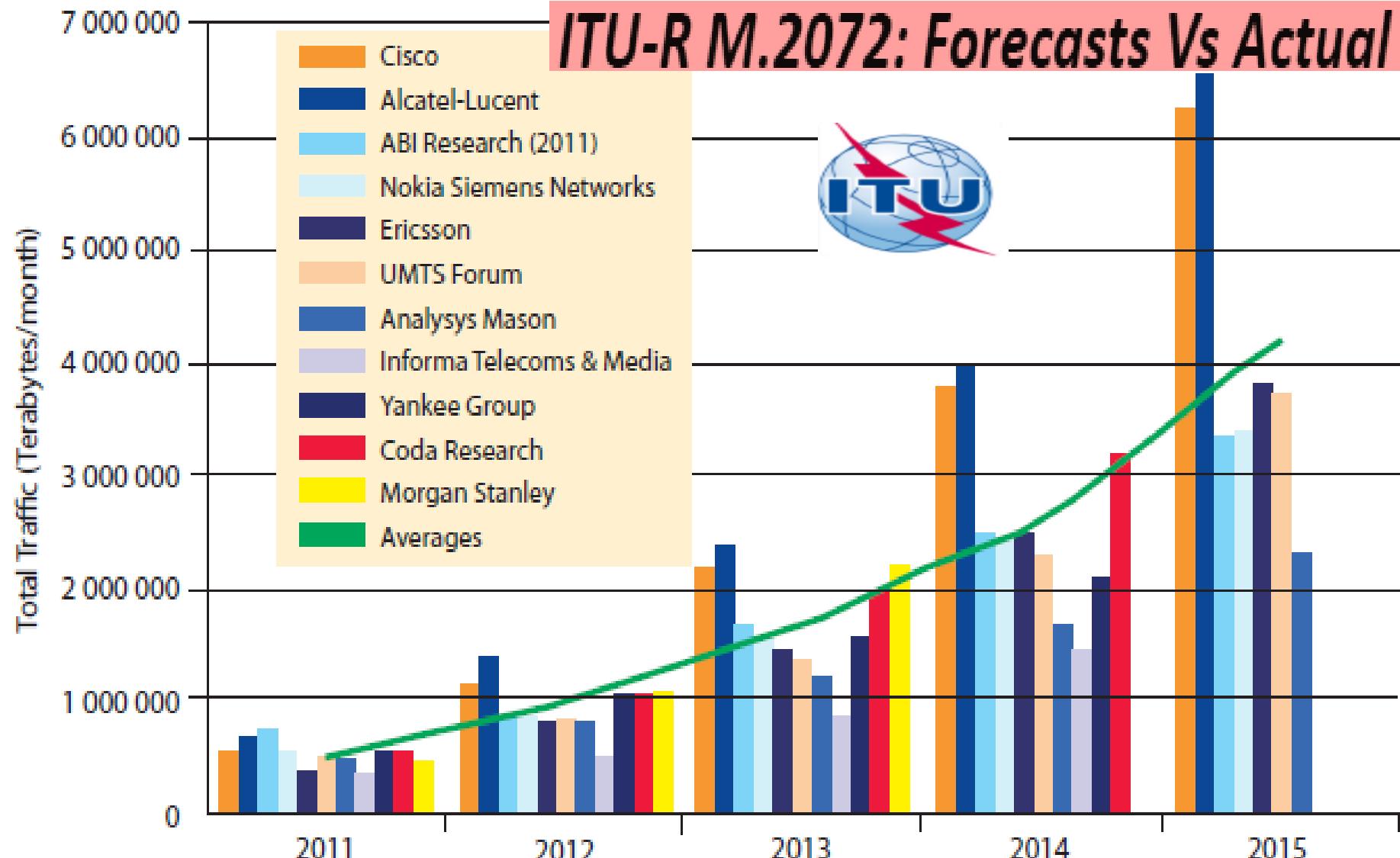
Actual data traffic is many times greater (more than 5) than some of the estimates in Report ITU-R M.2072.

Moreover, the actual traffic being experienced by the operators today is even greater than some of the forecasts in Report ITU-R M.2072 for the year 2020.

One Report ITU-R M.2072 forecast also anticipated that in 2015 data traffic would be equal to voice traffic for the first time, but, in reality, the proportion of traffic from mobile data already exceeded mobile voice in 2009.

# ITU-R Study on IMT Forecasts: ITU-R M.2243 Report: Mobile Global Data Traffic estimates 2011-2015

**ITU-R M.2072: Forecasts Vs Actual**

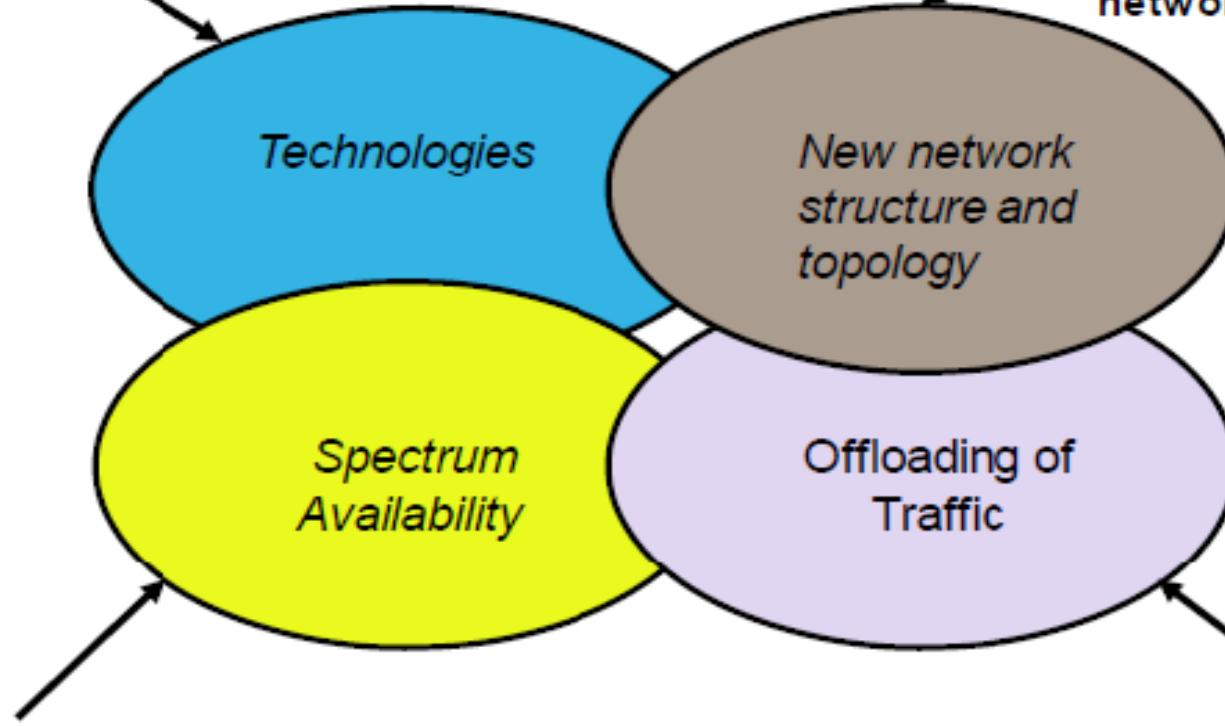


# Options to manage mobile demand



Migration to innovative,  
more efficient technologies

Number of radio sites and  
Smaller cell sizes for more  
local capacity and for  
offloading of traditional  
networks



Amount of spectrum used  
by radio interface

Wi-Fi or any type of  
traffic offloading

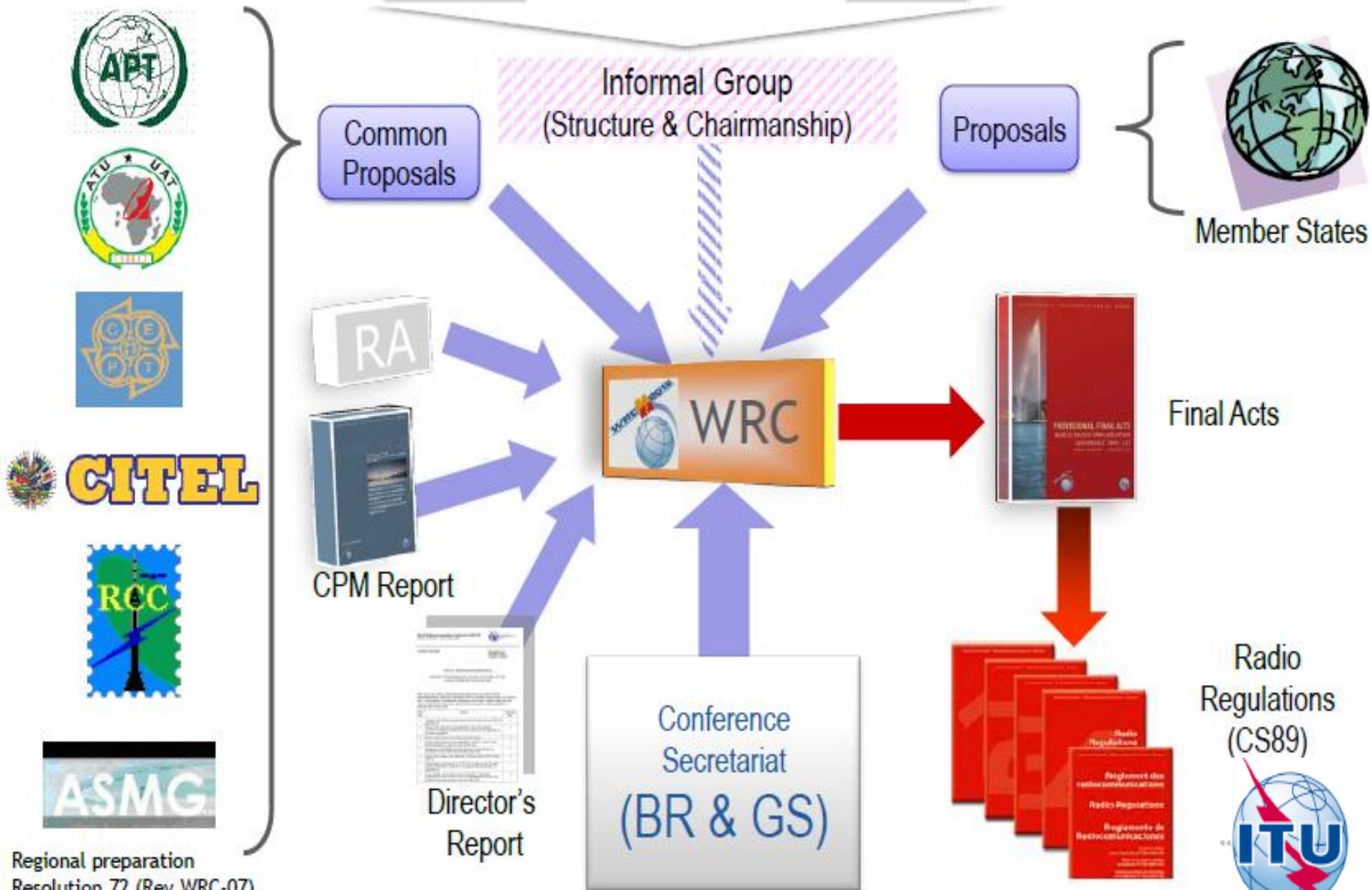
Source: Report ITU-R M.2243 (00/2011)

# Ensuring Full Availability of IMT Identified Spectrum

The Amount of Typical Available Spectrum Per Region

Region	ITU	Total spectrum available for IMT (Typical country)
APT	Asia-Pacific Telecommunity	Between 330 MHz and 510 MHz
ASMG	Arab Spectrum Management Group	Between 340 MHz and 630 MHz
ATU	African Telecomm Union	370 MHz
CEPT	EU Conference of Postal & Telecomm Administrations	590 MHz
North America (CITEL)		478 MHz
Latin America (CITEL)		Between 270 MHz and 360 MHz

# WRC-12: *Preparations*



## Mobile Broadband / IMT Spectrum

- ✓ **800 MHz:** sharing problems resolved
- ✓ **700 MHz:** allocation to MS globally available from 2015
- ✓ **Additional spectrum:** to be considered by WRC-15

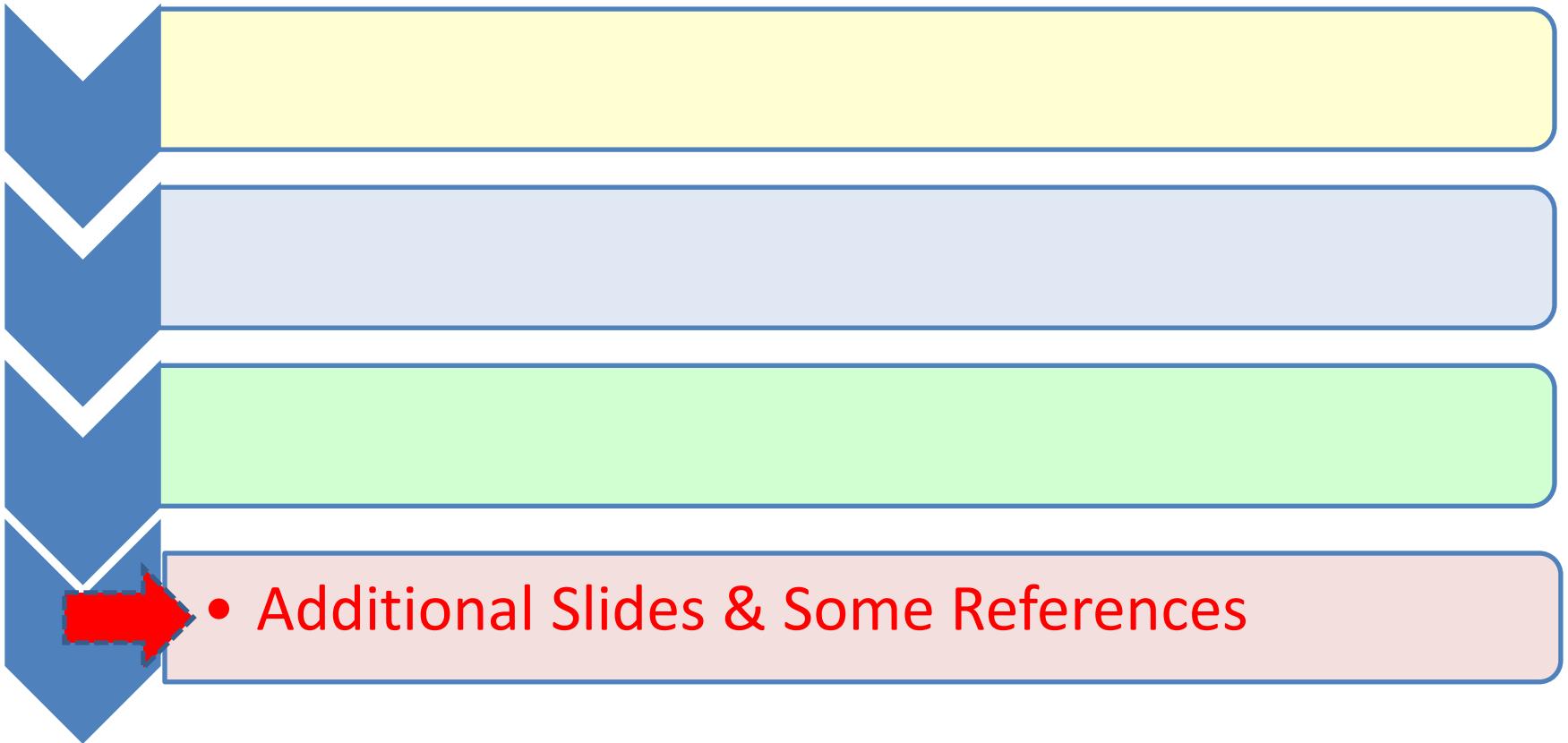
In addition to establishing the conditions to use of the 800 MHz band (i.e., 790-862 MHz) in Region 1 (the “first” digital dividend), WRC-12 considered further spectrum allocations to the mobile service, including International Mobile Telecommunications (IMT) to facilitate the development of terrestrial mobile broadband applications; thus the extension of the 800 MHz band, i.e., 694-790 MHz (the “second” digital dividend) in Region 1 will be available from 2015.

# WRC-12 & IMT: *Results*

## Spectrum Bands for IMT



- WARC-92, WRC-2000, WRC-2007, WRC-2012 identified the following bands:
  - 450-470 MHz,
  - 698-960 MHz,
  - 1710-2025 MHz,
  - 2110-2200 MHz,
  - 2300-2400 MHz,
  - 2500-2690 MHz,
  - 3400-3600 MHz
- Actual allocation may differ across Region 1, 2 and 3





## List of ITU-R Recommendations on IMT: M-Series



Radiocommunication Sector  
(ITU-R)



**RECOMMENDED**

Freely Available & Updated @: <http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/index.asp?category=information&rlink=imt-advanced-rec&lang=en>

- [M.687](#) - International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)
- [M.816](#) - Framework for services supported on International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)
- [M.817](#) - International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000). Network architectures
- [M.818](#) - Satellite operation within International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)
- [M.819](#) - International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000) for developing countries
- [M.1034](#) - Requirements for the radio interface(s) for International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)
- [M.1035](#) - Framework for the radio interface(s) and radio sub-system functionality for International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)
- [M.1036](#) - Frequency arrangements for implementation of the terrestrial component of International Mobile Telecommunications (IMT) in the bands identified for IMT in the Radio Regulations (RR)
- [M.1078](#) - Security principles for International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)

- [M.1079](#) - Performance and quality of service requirements for International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000) access networks
- [M.1167](#) - Framework for the satellite component of International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)
- [M.1168](#) - Framework of International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)
- [M.1182](#) - Integration of terrestrial and satellite mobile communication
- [M.1223](#) - Evaluation of security mechanisms for IMT-2000
- [M.1224](#) - Vocabulary of terms for International Mobile Telecommunications (IMT)
- [M.1225](#) - Guidelines for evaluation of radio transmission technologies for IMT-2000
- [M.1308](#) - Evolution of land mobile systems towards IMT-2000
- [M.1311](#) - Framework for modularity and radio commonality within IMT-2000
- [M.1390](#) - Methodology for the calculation of IMT-2000 terrestrial spectrum requirements
- [M.1391](#) - Methodology for the calculation of IMT-2000 satellite spectrum requirements

- [M.1456](#) - Minimum performance characteristics & operational conditions for high altitude platform stations providing IMT-2000 in the bands 1 885-1 980 MHz, 2 010-2 025 MHz & 2 110-2 170 MHz in Regions 1 & 3 and 1 885-1 980 MHz & 2 110-2 160 MHz in Region 2
- [M.1457](#) - Detailed specifications of the terrestrial radio interfaces of International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)
- [M.1545](#) - Measurement uncertainty as it applies to test limits for the terrestrial component of International Mobile Telecommunications-2000
- [M.1579](#) - Global circulation of IMT-2000 terrestrial terminals
- [M.1580](#) - Generic unwanted emission characteristics of base stations using the terrestrial radio interfaces of IMT 2000
- [M.1581](#) - Generic unwanted emission characteristics of mobile stations using the terrestrial radio interfaces of IMT 2000
- [M.1635](#) - General methodology for assessing the potential for interference between IMT-2000 or systems beyond IMT-2000 and other services
- [M.1641](#) - A methodology for co-channel interference evaluation to determine separation distance from a system using high-altitude platform stations to a cellular system to provide IMT-2000 service
- [M.1645](#) - Framework and overall objectives of the future development of IMT-2000 and systems beyond IMT-2000

- [M.1646](#) - Parameters to be used in co-frequency sharing & pfd threshold studies between terrestrial IMT-2000 & BSS (sound) in the 2 630-2 655 MHz
- [M.1654](#) - A methodology to assess interference from broadcasting-satellite service (sound) into terrestrial IMT-2000 systems intending to use the band 2 630-2 655 MHz
- [M.1768](#) - Methodology for calculation of spectrum requirements for the future development of the terrestrial component of IMT-2000 and systems beyond IMT-2000
- [M.1822](#) - Framework for services supported by IMT
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  - 3GPP2: <http://www.3gpp2.org>
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  - 3G All IP Forum: <http://www.3gip.org>
  - IPv6 Forum: <http://www.ipv6forum.com>
- Mobile Marketing Forums
  - Mobile Wireless Internet Forum: <http://www.mwif.org>
  - UMTS Forum: <http://www.umts-forum.org>
  - GSM Forum: <http://www.gsmworld.org>
  - Universal Wireless Communication: <http://www.uwcc.org>
  - Global Mobile Supplier: <http://www.gsacom.com>

# Mobile Standards Organizations

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  - <http://www.etsi.org>
- Telecommunication Industry Association (USA):
  - <http://www.tiaonline.org>
- Standard Committee T1 (USA):
  - <http://www.t1.org>
- China Wireless Telecommunication Standard (China):
  - <http://www.cwts.org>
- The Association of Radio Industries and Businesses (Japan):
  - <http://www.arib.or.jp/arib/english/>
- The Telecommunication Technology Committee (Japan):
  - <http://www.ttc.or.jp/e/index.html>
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