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#### 4G/LTE-A DEPLOYMENT IN VIET NAM

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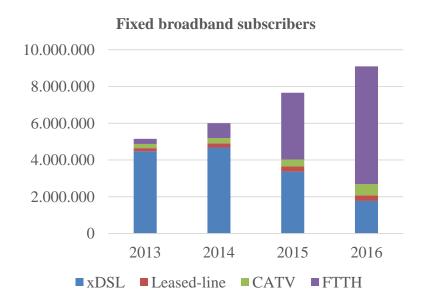
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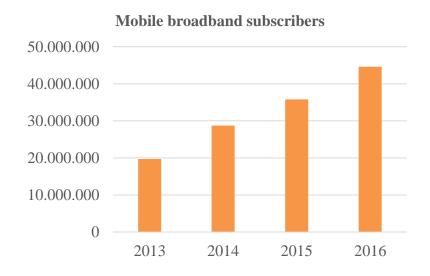
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### **OVERVIEW**

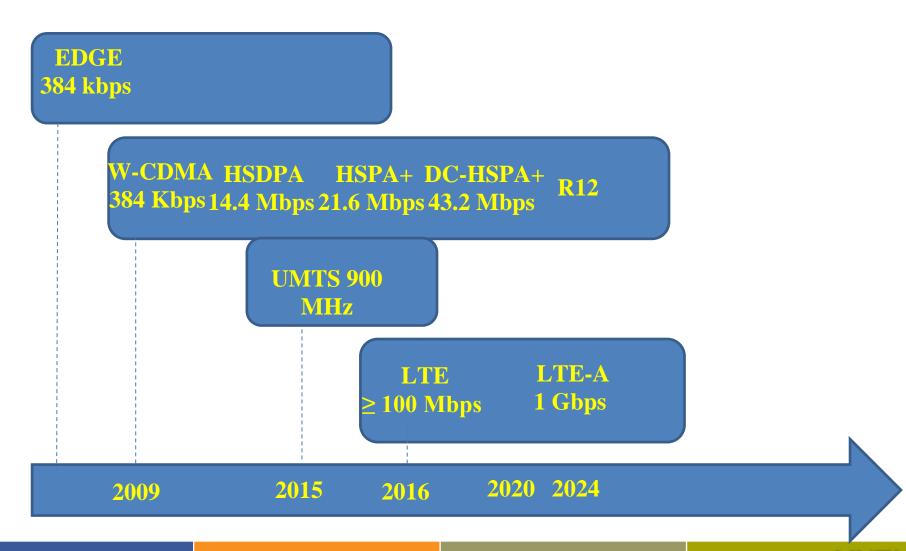
## **Internet Statistics (Upto 5/2017)**

- Total subscribers: 58,9 mil.
- Fixed broadband subscribers: 9,9 mil.
- Mobile broadband subscribers: 48,9 mil.
- Total domestic Internet bandwidth: **1.920** Gbps
- Total international Internet bandwidth: 4,500 Gbps





### Wireless Broadband road map in Vietnam

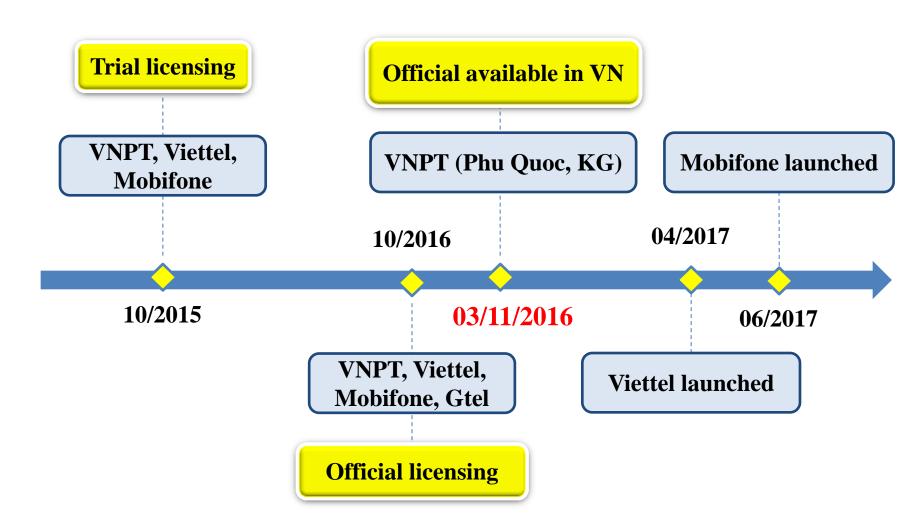


#### Trial 4G

- Areas:
  - VNPT: Ho Chi Minh city, Phu Quoc (Kien Giang);
  - Viettel: Ba Ria Vung Tau;
  - Mobifone: Ha Noi city, Da Nang city,
     Ho Chi Minh city.
- Duration: 01 year;
- Bands: 1800 MHz and 2600 MHz.



#### 4G/LTE-A deployment in Viet Nam



#### 4G licenses

#### **OPERATORS** mobifone moi lúc-moi noi Mobifone • Viettel VNPT • VNPT mobile Nghĩ mới, làm mới • Gtel • Vietnamobile vietnamobile **BANDS** • 900 MHz • 1800 MHz • 2100 MHz

## **Deployment**



## Official available in Viet Nam



43.000 eNodeB

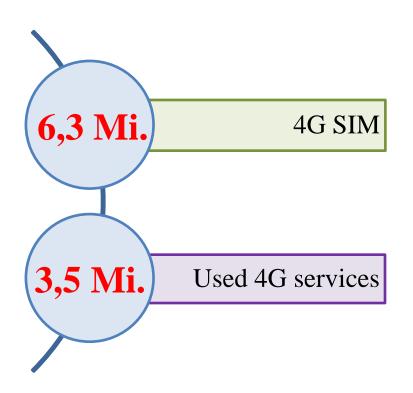


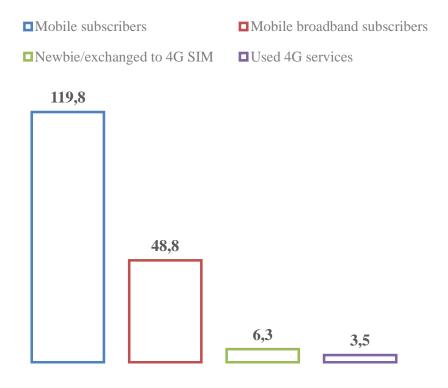
95% population



(Sources: VNTA, Q.I/2017)

#### 4G subscribers

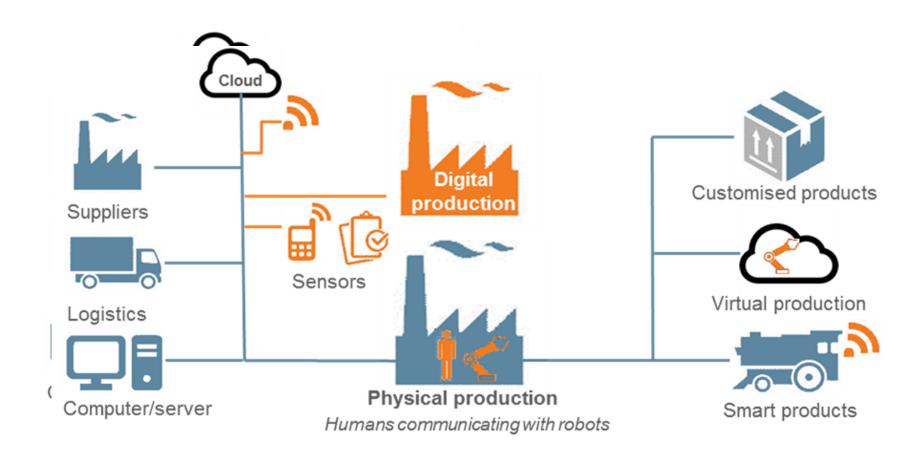




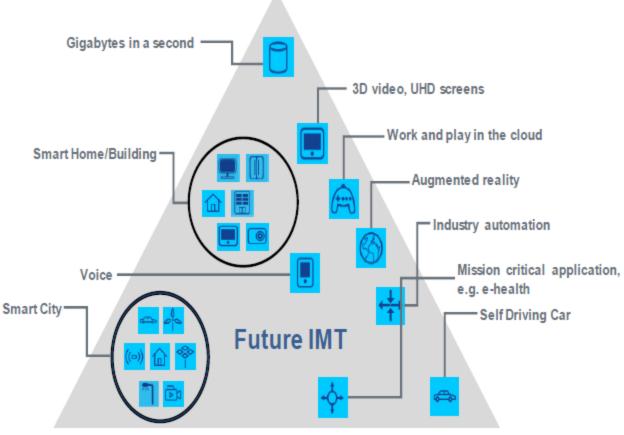
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#### TREND OF DEVELOPMENT

## **Industry 4.0**



#### **Enhanced Mobile Broadband**



Massive Machine Type Communications

Ultra-reliable and Low Latency
Communications





~7.5 billion connections, almost as many as people on earth<sup>1</sup>



Evolving into Internet of Everything: cars, meters, sensors, health devices, etc.



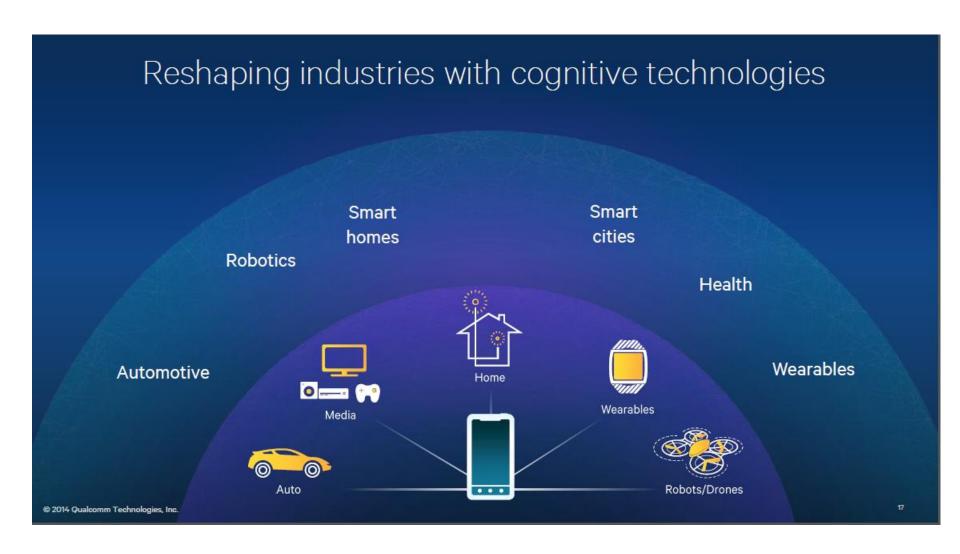
More prevalent than electricity or running water in some regions



At the center of breakthrough experiences like 4K UHD video

1~7.5B connections (~3.7B subs) — GSMA Intelligence, May "15.





#### 5G to meet significantly expanding connectivity needs Building on the transformation started in 4G LTE Enabling Connecting new services new industries and devices **Empowering** new user experiences Scalable **Edgeless** Unified For uniform experiences with To an extreme variation of Across all spectrum types/bands, new ways of connecting services and deployments requirements

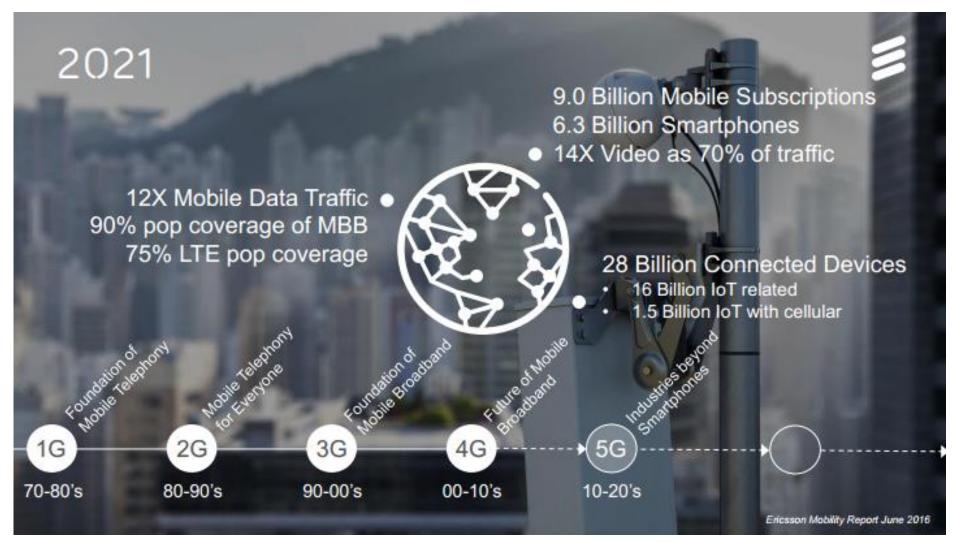
#### **OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES**

#### **Connection trend**

|                                                     | 2015  | 2016  | 2022<br>forecast | CAGR**<br>2016–2022 | Unit     |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|------------------|---------------------|----------|
| Mobile subscriptions                                |       |       |                  |                     |          |
| Worldwide mobile subscriptions                      | 7,260 | 7,520 | 8,980            | 3%                  | million  |
| > Smartphone subscriptions                          | 3,280 | 3,860 | 6,830            | 10%                 | million  |
| > Mobile PC, tablet and mobile router subscriptions | 240   | 240   | 320              | 5%                  | million  |
| > Mobile broadband subscriptions                    | 3,530 | 4,390 | 8,280            | 11%                 | million  |
| > Mobile subscriptions, GSM/EDGE-only               | 3,600 | 3,050 | 670              | -22%                | million  |
| > Mobile subscriptions, WCDMA/HSPA                  | 2,080 | 2,280 | 2,780            | 3%                  | million  |
| > Mobile subscriptions, LTE                         | 1,090 | 1,860 | 4,960            | 18%                 | million  |
| > Mobile subscriptions, 5G                          |       |       | 530              |                     | million  |
| Mobile traffic*                                     |       |       |                  |                     |          |
| > Data traffic per smartphone                       | 1.4   | 2.1   | 12               | 33%                 | GB/month |
| > Data traffic per mobile PC                        | 5.8   | 7.7   | 23               | 20%                 | GB/month |
| > Data traffic per tablet                           | 2.5   | 3.6   | 11               | 20%                 | GB/month |

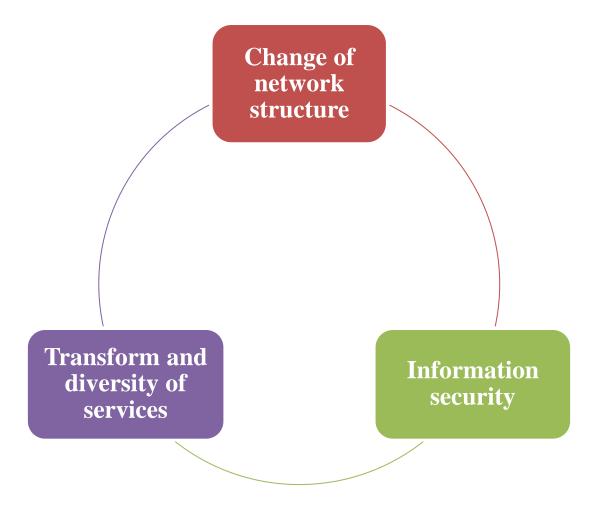
(Sources: Ericsson Mobility Report 6/2017)

#### **Connection trend**



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## **Challenges**



### **CONCLUSION**

## **Policy regulations**

- Complete telecommunications regulations:
  - Cross-sector Regulations;
  - Promotion of innovation;
  - Security of connections;
  - Quality of services;
  - Etc
- Technology neutrality orientation; Frequency allocation;
- Promote Broadband (4G, 5G) deployment:
  - Improve fiber infrastructure and deploy SDN, NFV;
  - Share passive infrastructure;
  - Extend network coverage, improve quality of services.
- Enhance network performance and HR skills in security.

#### **Future vision**

#### Infrastructure

- Future transforming into Cloud computing networks; Big data centers;
- Unified Platform for connectivity needs
- Unified air interface; Enhanced high speed and security networks;
   Flexible network Architecture;

#### Services

- High Valuable services;
- HD online video streaming;
- High security broadband access;
- Enhanced Mobile broadband (3D, UHD video, Virtual reality, Tctile Internet;
- Intelligent services
  - IoT, IoE connectivity;
  - Machine learning;
  - Computer vision;
- Etc

# Thank you