

LATENCY 5G WITH AN EDGE

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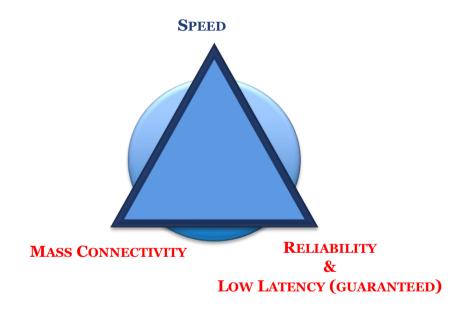
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5G PROMISES



DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION



LATENCY: MAIN DIFFERENTIATION BETWEEN 5G AND PREVIOUS GENERATIONS



- LOW LATENCIES AT ALL LAYERS, NEW PARALLEL SIGNAL PROCESSING AND COMPUTING ALGORITHMS @ THE EDGE
- MOST DELAYS IN PREVIOUS GENERATIONS DUE TO C-PLANE SIGNALLING

4G INITIAL CALL SETUP TOTAL DELAY (FROM RRC IDL > CONNECTED MODE): ~ 80 MS WITH VARIATIONS (NOT **GUARANTEED**)

THROUGHPUT VS. BANDWIDTH AND LATENCY (ROUND-TRIP TIME)



4G example:



- **BANDWIDTH CAPACITY:** IDEAL THROUGHPUT A UE COULD GET:
 - MAX. DATA RATE DIVIDED BY NUMBER OF ACTIVE UES IN A CELL
- Round-trip Time (RTT): the RTT between UE and a requested content's location can be:
 - 15 to 40ms if available at eNB, BBU or P-GW
 - Up to hundreds of ms if not available at network edge

• Question: How is UE's throughput affected by these different values?

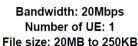


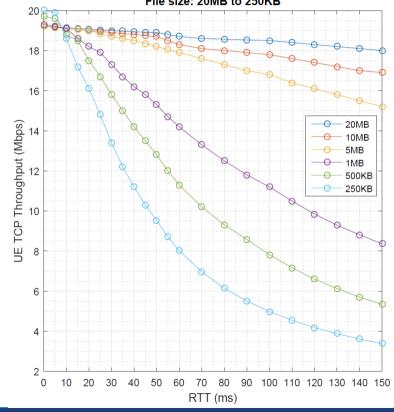


EXPERIMENT SCENARIO: SINGLE FILE DOWNLOAD

- THROUGHPUT IS MEASURED USING WIRESHARK IN A CLIENT-SERVER-BASED TESTBED (FIXED NETWORK)
 - RTT AND BANDWIDTH ARE MANIPULATED VIA NETWORK EMULATOR
 - SCENARIO: SINGLE FILE TRANSFER OVER TCP

- 20MBPS BANDWIDTH CAPACITY
 - LARGER DOWNLOADS (>= 5MB) ARE NOT AFFECTED MUCH BY LATENCY.
 - SMALLER DOWNLOADS (<= 1MB) ARE NEAR-LINEARLY AFFECTED BY LATENCY
 - As a download becomes smaller, it is affected more by latency (i.e., throughput drops quicker as latency increases).





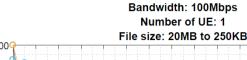
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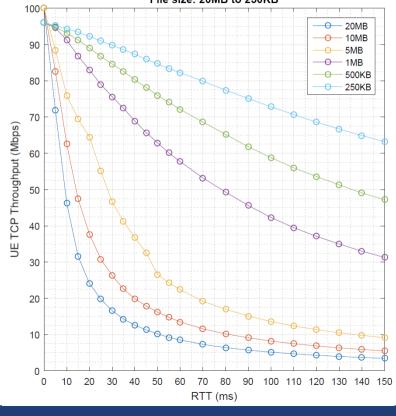
Throughput vs. Bandwidth and Latency (Round-Trip Time)



Experiment Scenario: Single File Download

- 100Mbps bandwidth capacity
 - DOWNLOAD THROUGHPUT IS AFFECTED MORE COMPARED WITH THE 20MBPS BANDWIDTH.
 - UNDER HIGHER BANDWIDTH, IT IS EASIER FOR LATENCY TO BECOME THE BOTTLENECK.
 - LARGER DOWNLOADS (>= 5MB) ARE <u>NEAR-LINEARLY</u> AFFECTED BY LATENCY.
 - SMALLER DOWNLOADS (<= 1MB) ARE AFFECTED MORE BY LATENCY, ESPECIALLY AT 10-50MS (EXPONENTIALLY).







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4K 360 Video Streaming 5G vs. 4G

End-to-end latency: 100ms

Video bitrate: 200Mbps

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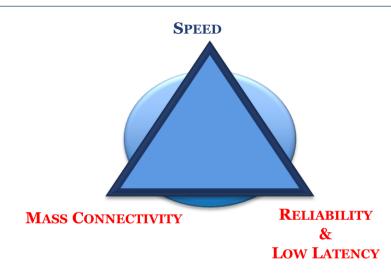


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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE &

ULTRA RELIABLE AND LOW LATENCY
COMMUNICATION
&

Mass Connectivity (IoT)



AUTOMATION



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• EXAMPLES:

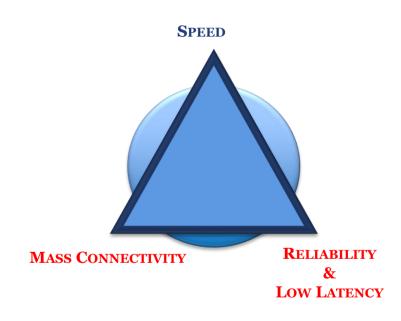
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- UTILITIES
- HEALTH







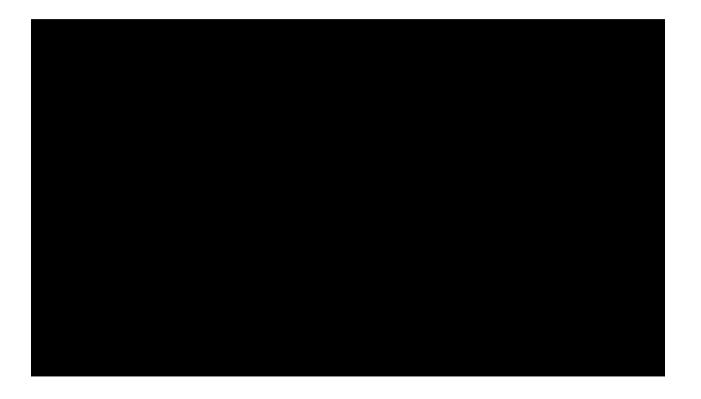




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LATENCY-INDUSTRIAL AUTOMATION







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