



# 5G | Power Up Greece

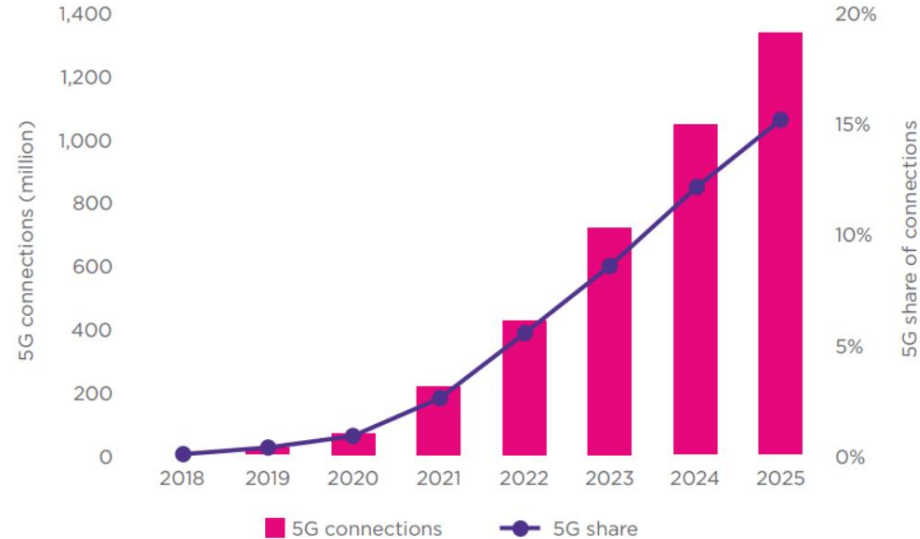
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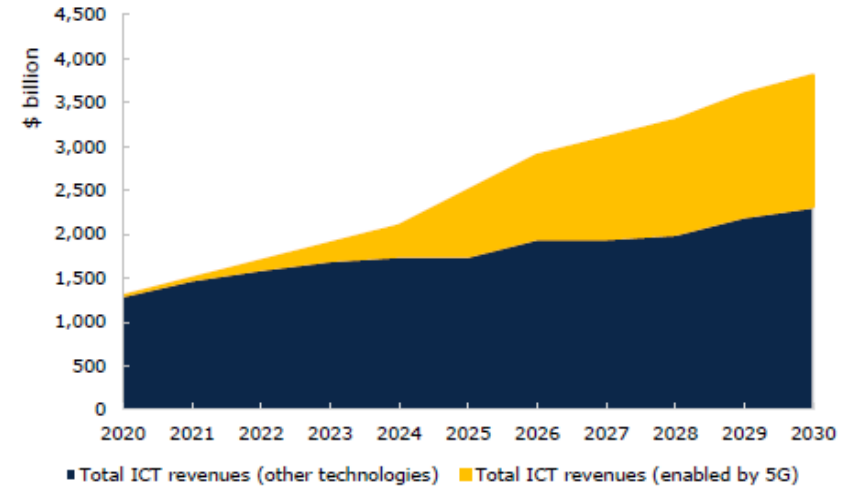
# 5G global expectations and projections

- 5G is a synonymous with global technology explosion and key element for the 4<sup>TH</sup> industrial revolution (*the era of the Cyber Physical Systems and Connected Things*):

Global 5G connections estimations



Total ICT revenue forecast split between 5G enabled and other technologies

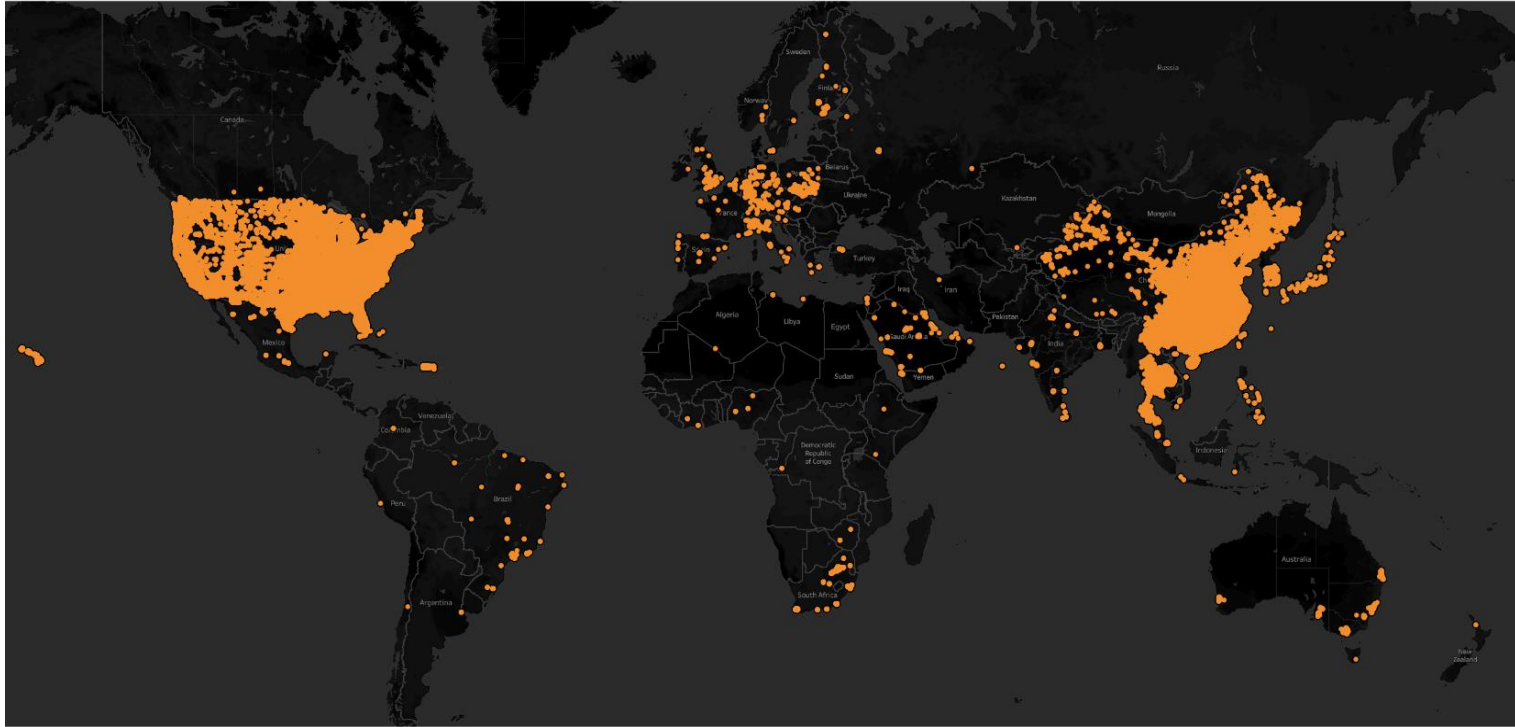


Source:

- GSMA
- Axon consulting

## 5G global footprint

- **5G Stand Alone is increasingly commercially deployed and trailed across markets, pushing the road to new services and business models.**



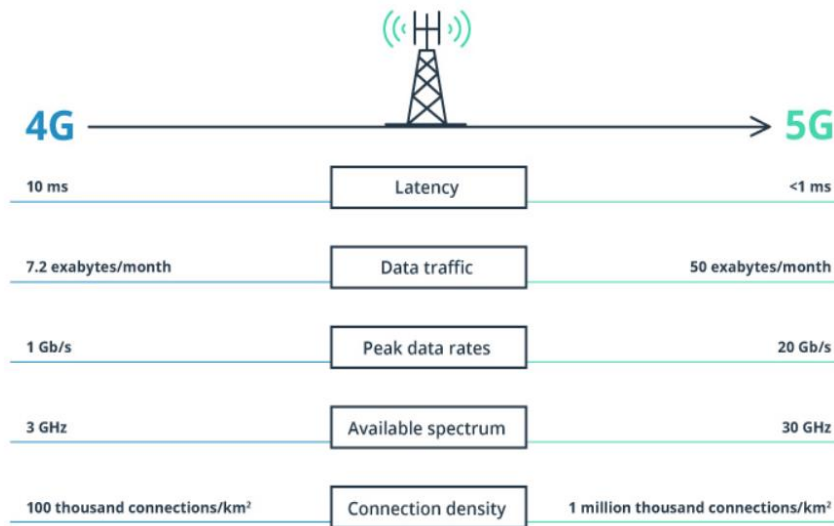
Source: Based on analysis by Ericsson of Ookla® Speedtest Intelligence® data for October 2021 to April 2022.

Note: Samples include iOS and Android smartphones connecting to a 5G SA network. Sample density varies across markets, reflecting differences between markets with more extensive commercially launched 5G SA or markets with mainly trials/tests.

# 5G main performance characteristics

- The 5<sup>th</sup> generation of mobile networking technology, working on the same principles as 4G , however it comes with **improved performance characteristics** and an **extensive functionality** ‘over and above’ just mobile internet, **providing a higher level of scalability and flexibility**.

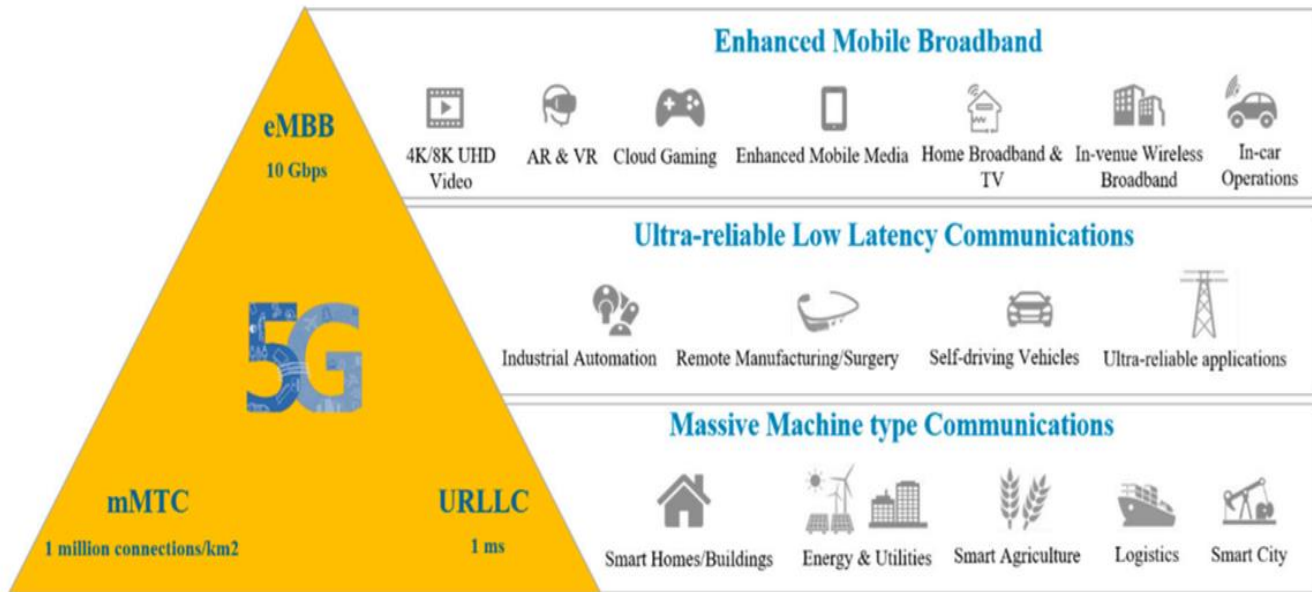
Comparison of key 4G and 5G parameters



Source: Qorvo – Getting to 5G : Comparing 4G & 5G System Requirements

# 5G types of services and main applications

## 5G Use cases categorization into three main types of connected services



## Characteristics & Requirements

- Extension of the existing 4G value proposition
- Extend Cellular coverage
- Improve network Capacity
- Applications requiring high reliability and low latency connectivity e.g., mission critical services
- Strong security and availability requirements
- Adoption and utilization across different sectors on a massive scale
- Uptake of mobile technologies to address mIoT applications

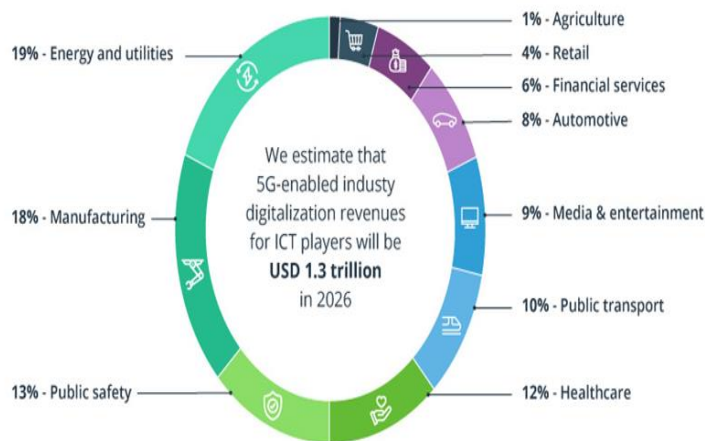
### Sources:

- PWC, *The Global Economic impact of 5G*
- O'Connell, Moore, Newe, *'Challenges associated with Implementing 5G in Manufacturing'*, 2020

# 5G expected to 'recharge' the energy and utilities sector

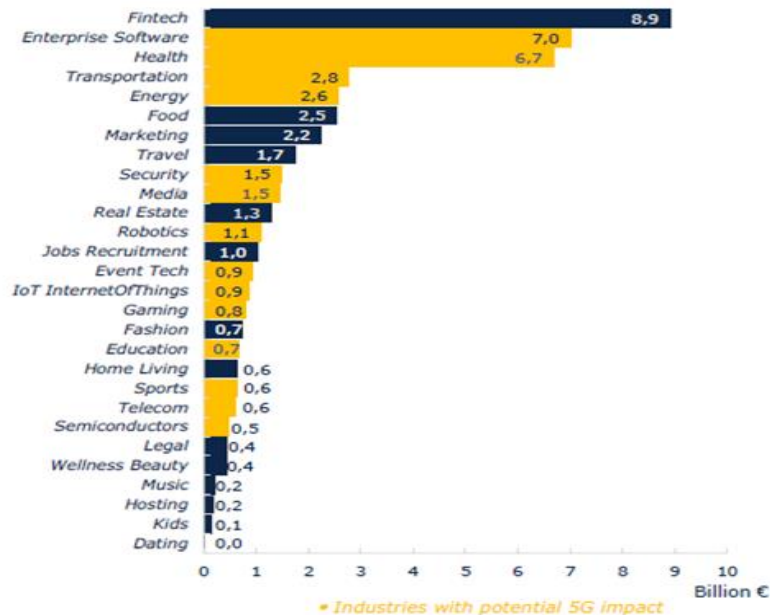
- Technology and capital enablers highlight energy sector as an area of high gains from the realization of 5G

Industries that win the most from 5G



Source: Ericsson Report – the 5G Business Potential , 2nd edition

European VC investments by industry in 2019



Source: European Commission, European Investment Bank – Accelerating the 5G transition in Europe; AXON

# Main challenges of the energy and utilities sector

Global and local energy sector facing a series of different challenges.

Limited natural resources for the traditional energy production (fossil fuels)

Energy waste and storage limitations

Unstable cost of production, driving market turmoil in a global scale

New uses of electricity power high on the global agenda (i.e., smart cars)

Overpopulation and growing demand in existing electricity production sources

Green energy targets towards a carbon neutral world

Poor and outdated infrastructures (lack of visibility and control)

Unexplored renewable energy options and the energy transition

Poor distribution system (lack of visibility and control)

Public policy and regulatory framework at a changing environment

Source:

- *Market insights*
- *Accenture : Fuel for Innovation: Greece's race to 5G*

# Use cases for energy and utilities powered by 5G

- **5G technology** has the capability to **connect a massive number of devices** and **provide visibility and control** over a **diverge and dynamic landscape on energy sources**.

## Smart grid 5G enabled technology

- **Energy management-monitoring and forecasting of demand**
- **Reduction of production cost** by efficiently balancing the required energy load
- **Optimization of investments**

## Smart meters for private or industrial properties

- **Real-time monitoring** of energy consumption
- **Efficient planning and control of energy costs** of consumer or corporate energy spending

## Remote monitoring of energy sites

- **Monitor the health and readiness of the equipment**
- **Detect parameters deviation** in a large-scale
- **Remote control and configuration of equipment**
- **Reducing system faults and optimizing restorations**

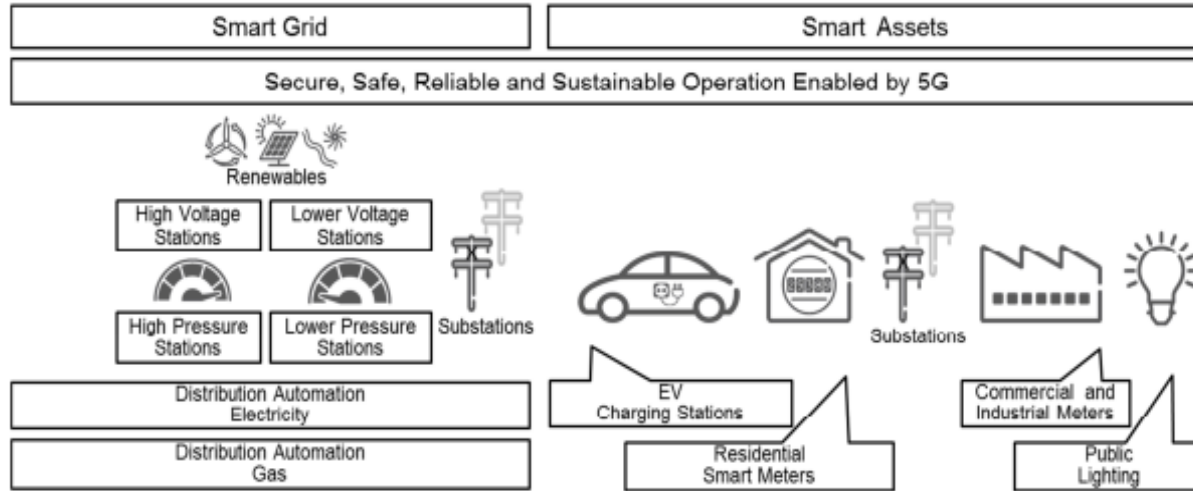
## Digital asset management

- **Eliminate different data formats** across the network
- **Unification of energy data statistics and advanced analytics requirements**
- **Enhance the data management and utilization process**



# 5G powered smart grid, a requisite for the energy transition

- Energy and Utility sector are at the forefront of a sweeping energy transition that will radically alter existing business models and customer interactions.
- Besides optimization of existing power networks, 5G enabled grids are essential for the transition to renewable sources:



## A Zoom-in Renewable production requirements:

- **Production is uncertain and variable daily** based on weather conditions per location (i.e., sun, wind)
- **Production is much more distributed** in the landscape than traditional power plants (i.e., fossil fuel or hydroelectric or nuclear)
- **Real-time dynamic routing of electricity flows needed to support optimized use of renewables and black-outs prevention**
- **New electrical equipment and continuous (remote) supervision and configuration needed**
- Advanced data processing
- Advanced security

Source: 5G Infrastructure Public Private Partnership

# 'In market' use cases of energy and telco bundling

- Advanced utilities offered to the retail market merging economy, convenience and piece of mind

## Customer layer:



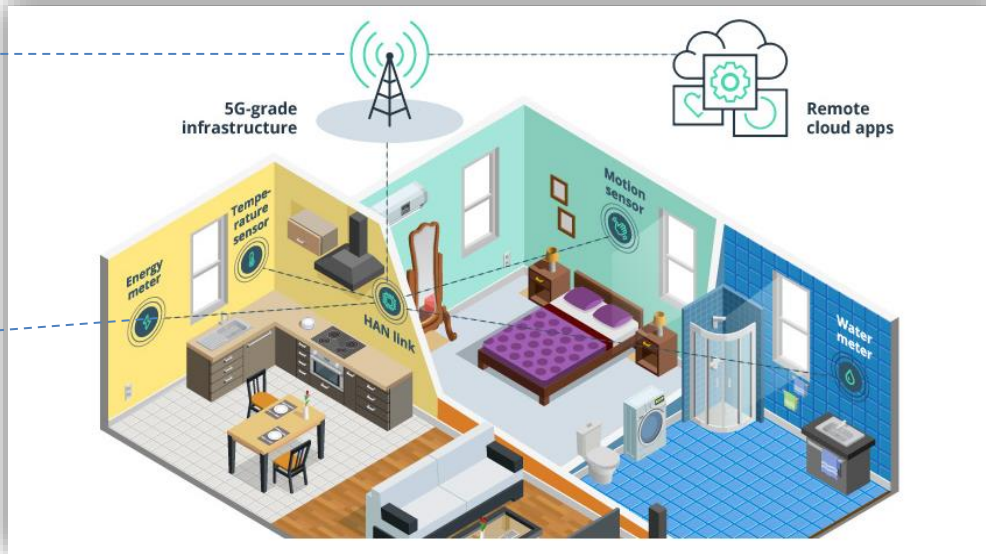
### Telco subscription



### Energy Subscription -Smart Meter

- Data Collection
- Usage -Charges monitoring
- Alerts and Remote actions
- Consumer Interface (Self-Care)

## In House Deployment of Smart Meters



## Service Provider layer:



- Advanced customer profile data
- 'Bundling' Telco and Energy
- Improved value proposition
- Improved CEX
- Improved Customer Lifetime Value
- Portfolio margin optimization



# Volton Group of Companies

## Milestones and highlights

- **2016: licensed for Electricity Supply**
- **2017: commenced** the Supply of Electricity to consumers
- **2019: acquired “KEN” energy company**, commenced activities in the **Natural Gas** sector
- **2021: Licenced for Telecommunications**
- **350+** experienced executives
- Modern network of **30 stores**
- **150,000+** customers

## Dynamic Infrastructure investments

- **Renewable ‘Green’ Energy Sources** and Guarantees of origin targeting production capacity of **~ 560+ MW**
- **Full xVNO development plan** in progress for **mobile** and **fixed telephony and Broadband**

## Our Vision

- **‘Green’ & Environmentally- Friendly**
- **Multiservice provider:**
  - **Customer Experience**
  - **Economy**



**Thank You**



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