

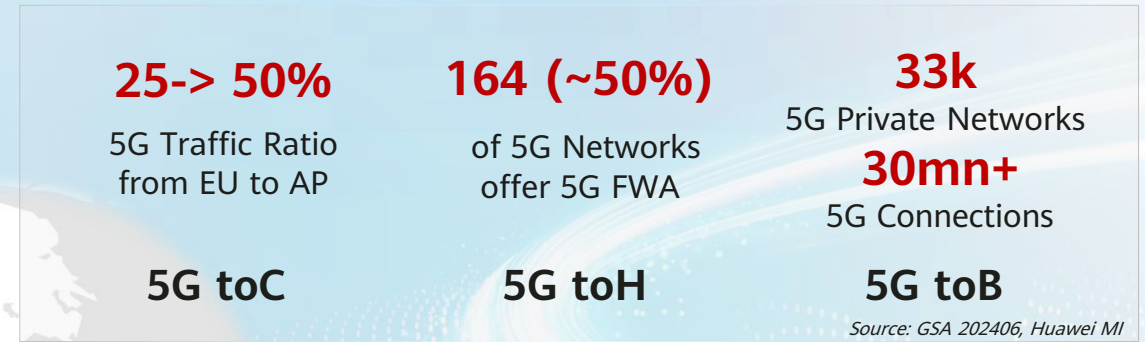
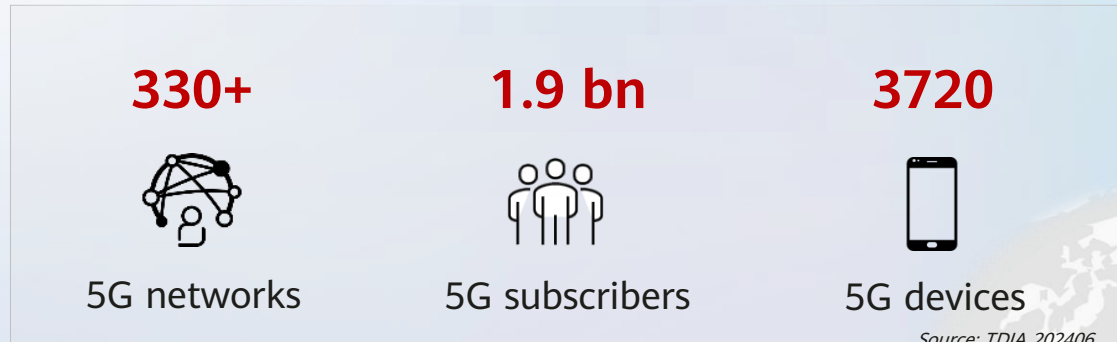
Public Policy Best Practices to Unleash 5G Potential

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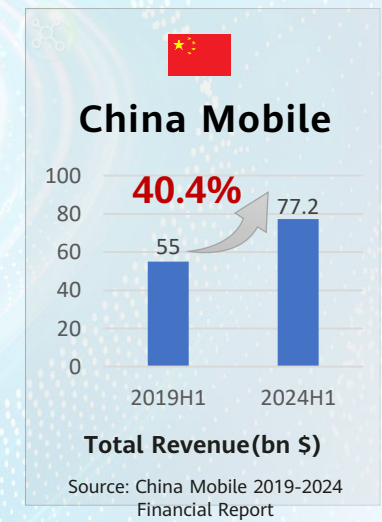
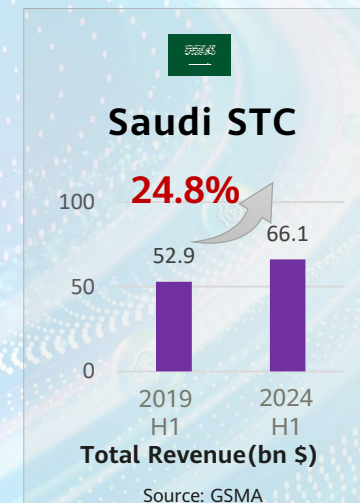
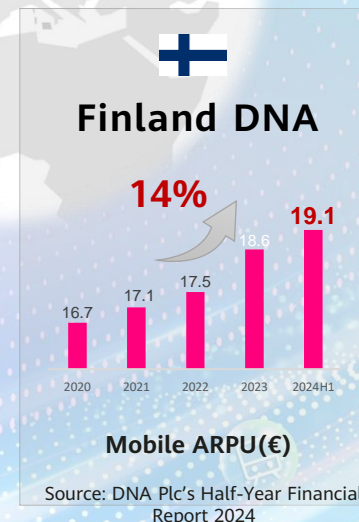
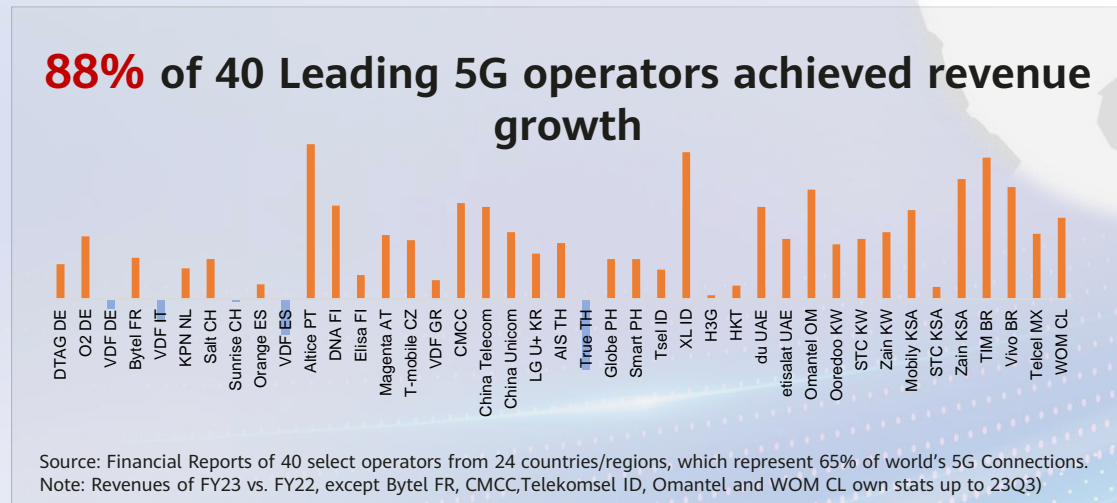
5G with Rapid Development Keeps Inspiring Commercial Success

5G: **2x** faster than 4G, **30%** Global Penetration @ **5Y**

5G has Enabled business Prosperity



Go Fast, Win First



5G Supportive Spectrum Policy for Sustainable Development

The development and prosperity of 5G is inseparable from the support of the government and regulators



Continuous

- Award at least **80-100 MHz of contiguous spectrum per operator** in initial 5G mid-bands (e.g. 3.5 GHz)

Affordable

- Governments and regulators should **avoid inflating 5G spectrum prices** as this is linked to slower broadband speeds and worse coverage.

Obligatory

- Regulators should carefully consider the right 5G spectrum **license terms, conditions, obligations and awards approach** and consult industry to **maximize the benefits of 5G for all**

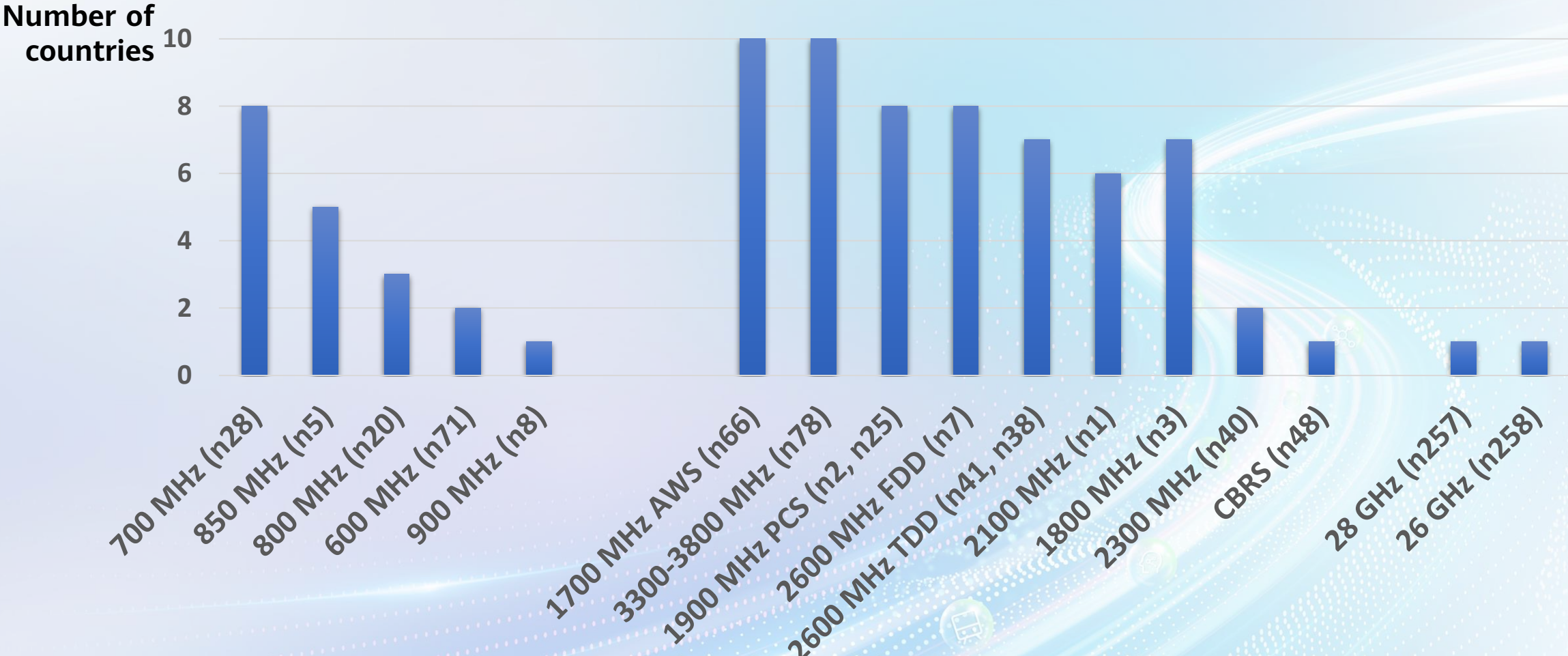
National

- **Exclusively licensed spectrum** over wide geographic areas is vital to the success of 5G. **National license for operators** is the mainstream worldwide

Long-term

- Governments need to adopt national spectrum policy measures to **encourage long-term heavy investment in 5G networks** (e.g. long-term licenses, renewal process, spectrum roadmap etc.)

5G Bands in Latin America

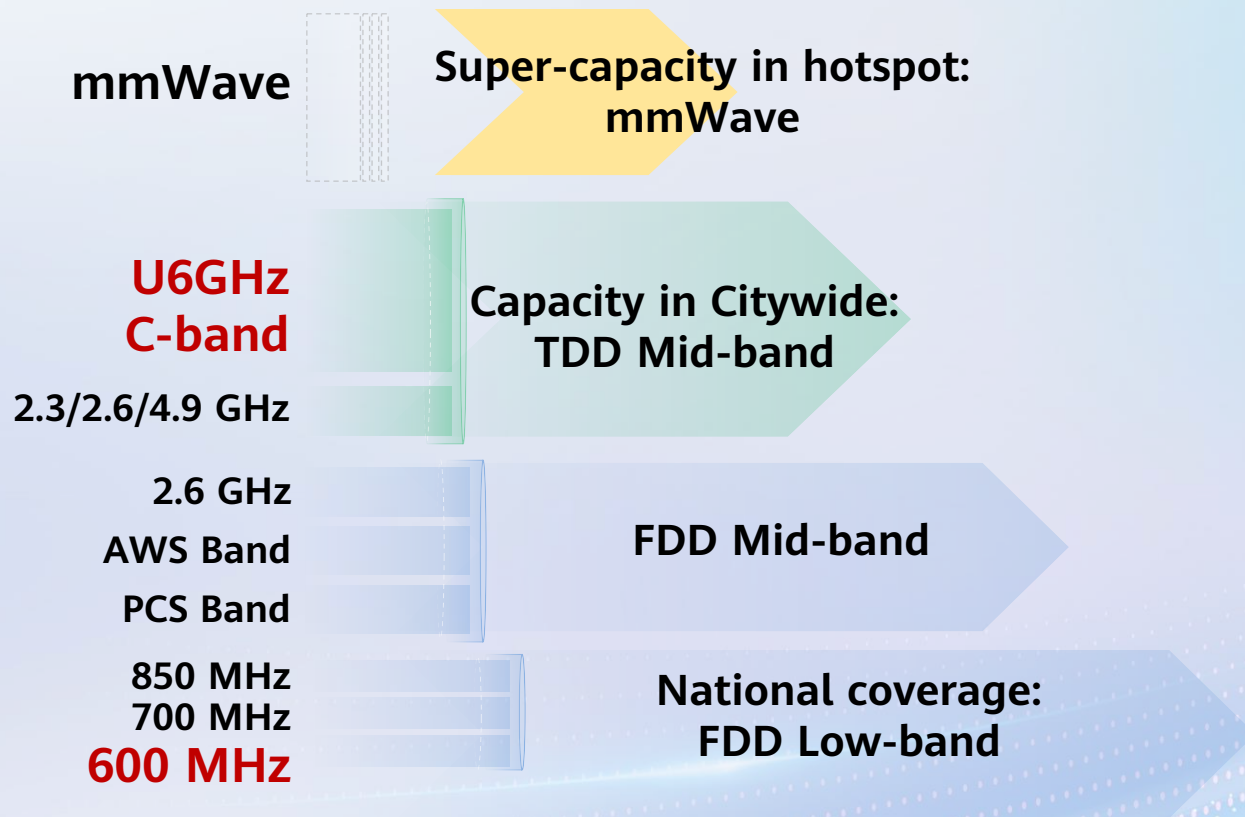


Source: GSA GAMBoD, 2024. Countries where the band is either considered for 5G, or already in use for 5G commercial service

Target for the 5G/5G-A network and spectrum needs

5G-A spectrum

C-Band and U6G for continuous 5G/5G-A citywide coverage and capacity, 600M for national 5G coverage



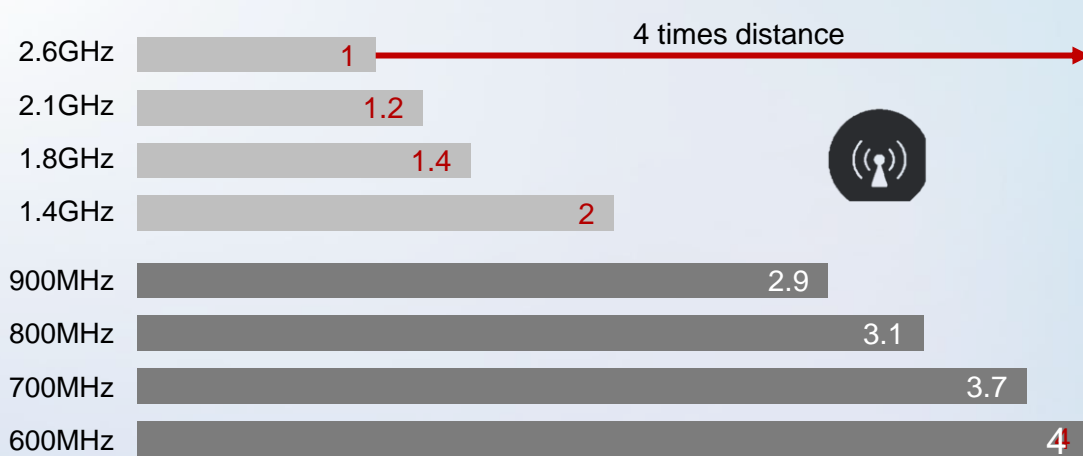
To reach 5G-A target experience for various use cases

- Hotspots: DL 10 Gbps + UL 1 Gbps
- Ubiquity: DL 5 Gbps + UL 500 Mbps

Band	Likely bandwidth per operator	Peak Rate
mmWave	400 MHz	4.5 Gbps
U6G	200 MHz	3.6 Gbps
C-Band	100 MHz	1.8 Gbps
FDD	2x50 MHz	1.8 Gbps

600 MHz: A New 5G Golden Band with Better Coverage

■ Sub-1GHz expanding network coverage



■ 600MHz leads to additional capacity

● Increase download speeds on 5G network : 30-50%



● Quickly improve 5G coverage with fewer sites : 33%



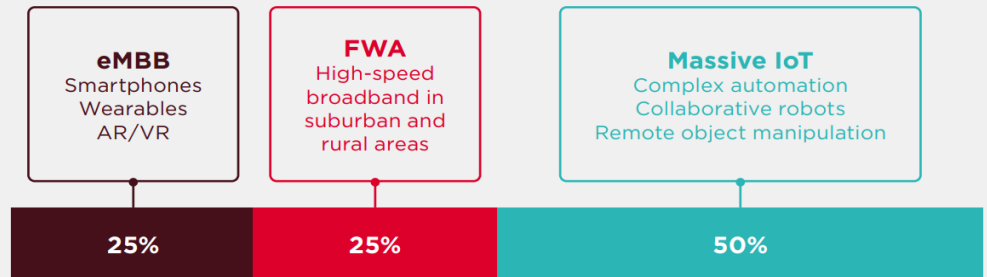
Additional low-band spectrum benefit 5G use cases

Reduce cost of covering rural roads for 5G-connected vehicles	Improve digital equality with 5G user-experienced speed in rural areas	Consistent speed coverage deep-indoors and in hard to reach urban areas
Improve the business case for 5G FWA to isolated rural buildings	Enable smart agriculture, notably precision farming	Cost-efficient 5G capacity solution for areas where mid-bands do not reach

The No.1 Use Case for Low bands are Massive IoT

Distribution of 5G low-band benefits by use case

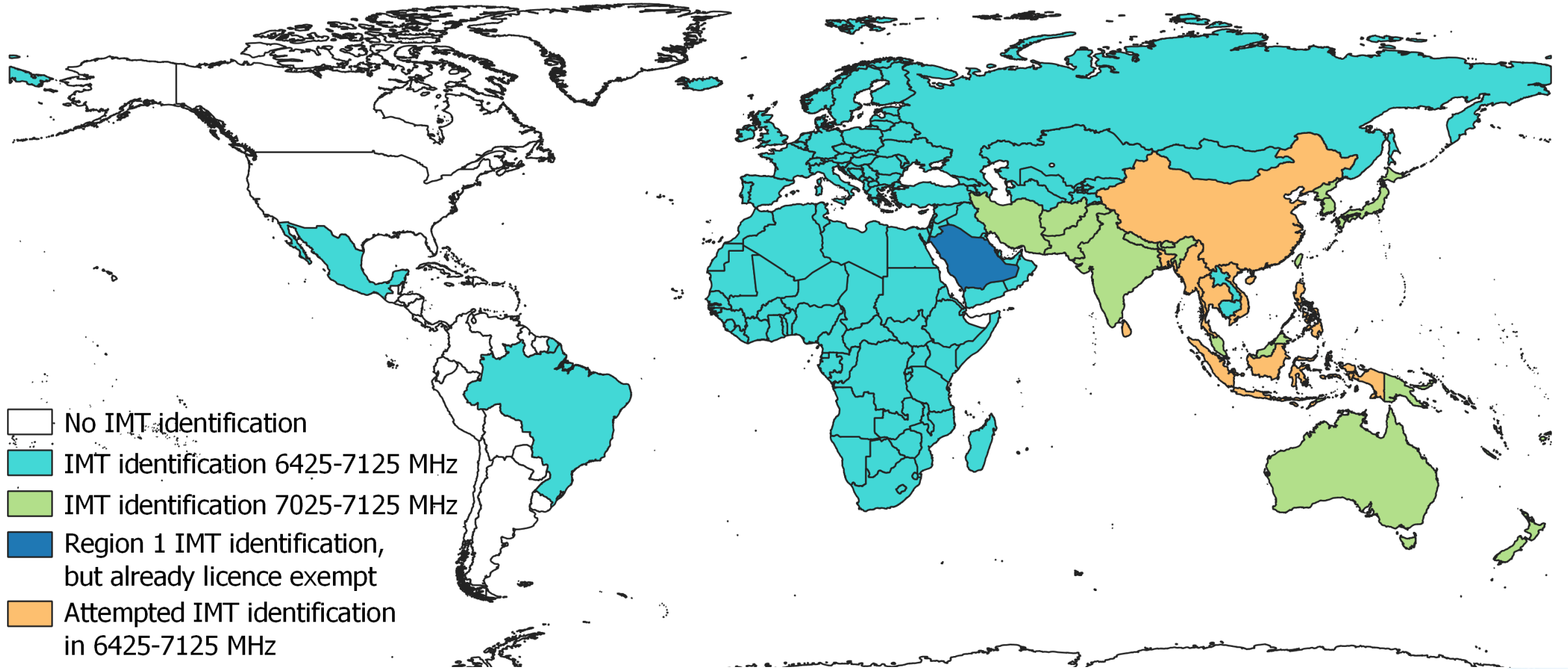
Percentage of total GDP impact in 2030



Source: GSMA Intelligence

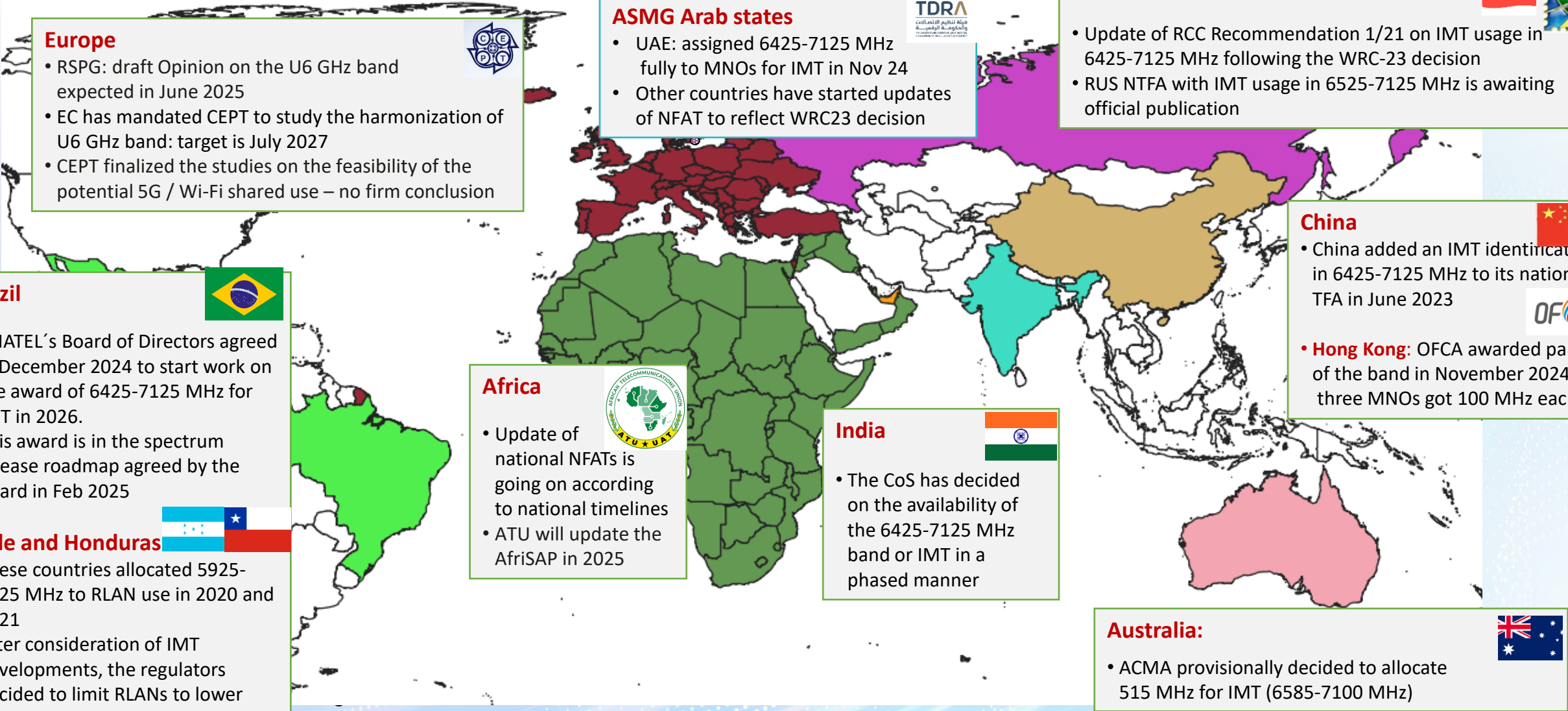
Source: GSMA & Coleago Report < 5G-Low-Band-Spectrum >

WRC-23 outcomes



~ 80% of the world's population live in countries that either have identified 6425-7125 MHz for IMT at WRC-23, or attempted to identify the band at WRC-23 but were blocked

6425-7125 GHz for IMT: The Global Picture



Europe

- RSPG: draft Opinion on the U6 GHz band expected in June 2025
- EC has mandated CEPT to study the harmonization of U6 GHz band: target is July 2027
- CEPT finalized the studies on the feasibility of the potential 5G / Wi-Fi shared use – no firm conclusion

ASMG Arab states

TDRA

- UAE: assigned 6425-7125 MHz fully to MNOs for IMT in Nov 24
- Other countries have started updates of NFAT to reflect WRC23 decision

RCC and Russia

- Update of RCC Recommendation 1/21 on IMT usage in 6425-7125 MHz following the WRC-23 decision
- RUS NTFA with IMT usage in 6525-7125 MHz is awaiting official publication

China

- China added an IMT identification in 6425-7125 MHz to its national TFA in June 2023
- **Hong Kong:** OFCA awarded parts of the band in November 2024, three MNOs got 100 MHz each

India

- The CoS has decided on the availability of the 6425-7125 MHz band or IMT in a phased manner

Africa

- Update of national NFATs is going on according to national timelines
- ATU will update the AfriSAP in 2025

Brazil

- ANATEL’s Board of Directors agreed in December 2024 to start work on the award of 6425-7125 MHz for IMT in 2026.
- This award is in the spectrum release roadmap agreed by the Board in Feb 2025

Chile and Honduras

- These countries allocated 5925-7125 MHz to RLAN use in 2020 and 2021
- After consideration of IMT developments, the regulators decided to limit RLANs to lower 6GHz in 2022 and 2024

Australia:

- ACMA provisionally decided to allocate 515 MHz for IMT (6585-7100 MHz)

U6G Ecosystem: Leading U6GHz industry solutions

~2023

Prototype

World 1st U6G Trial



6GHz AAU



- **BW** : 400MHz
- **Tx/Rx** : 128TR

6GHz Test UE

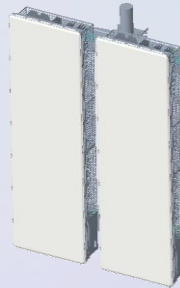


2024~2025

Pre-commercial

World 1st 6GHz Pre-commercial

256T U6G AAU



- **Bandwidth(MHz)** : 400MHz
- **Tx/Rx** : 256TR
- **AAU Dimension:**
1385*1100*200mm
- **Weight:**110kg
- **Power consumption:** 5000W

2026~

commercial

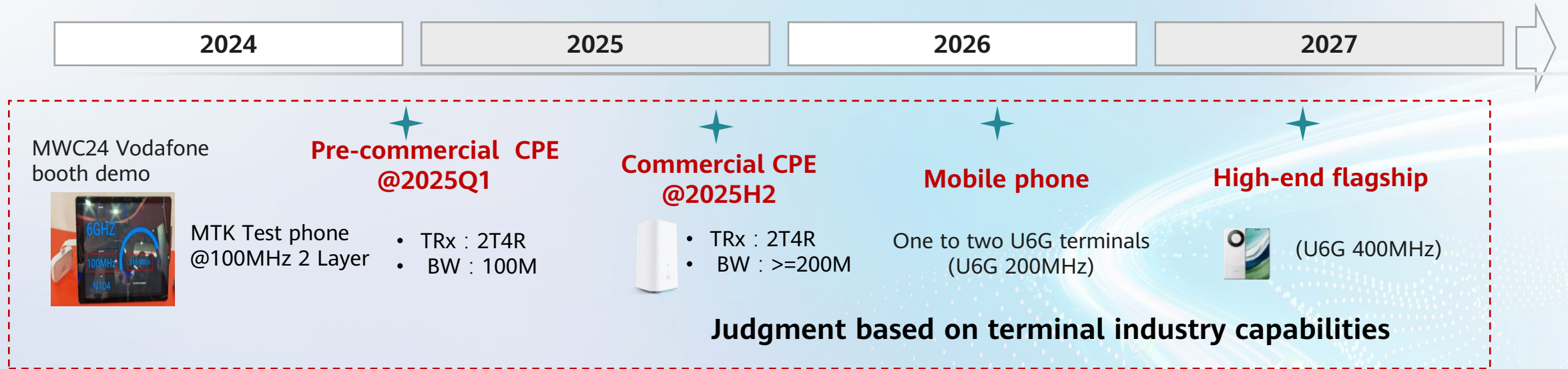
world 1st 6GHz commercial

High Integrated U6G AAU



- 256TRX
- 1536 AEs
- 400MHz
- Width<500mm

U6G Ecosystem: Chipset maturity and readiness



6GHz Terminal equipment assembly

- Modem : Ready (QC/MTK/ UniSoc)
- Transceiver : Ready (QC/MTK/ UniSoc)
- Power amplifier and filters : Prototype ready; Commercial products to be developed(Vanchip / Smarter Microelectronics)

6 GHz test terminal platform: ready

- MediaTek and Ericsson 5G NR demo on 6 GHz licensed band ([link](#))
- Huawei takes the lead in completing IODT of 1~2 types of chips in 2025

2025 Agenda

From the most inspiring speakers, to participating in debates about the hottest topics in technology – see 2025's session lineup.

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