

# 3GPP Technology Standards Roadmap

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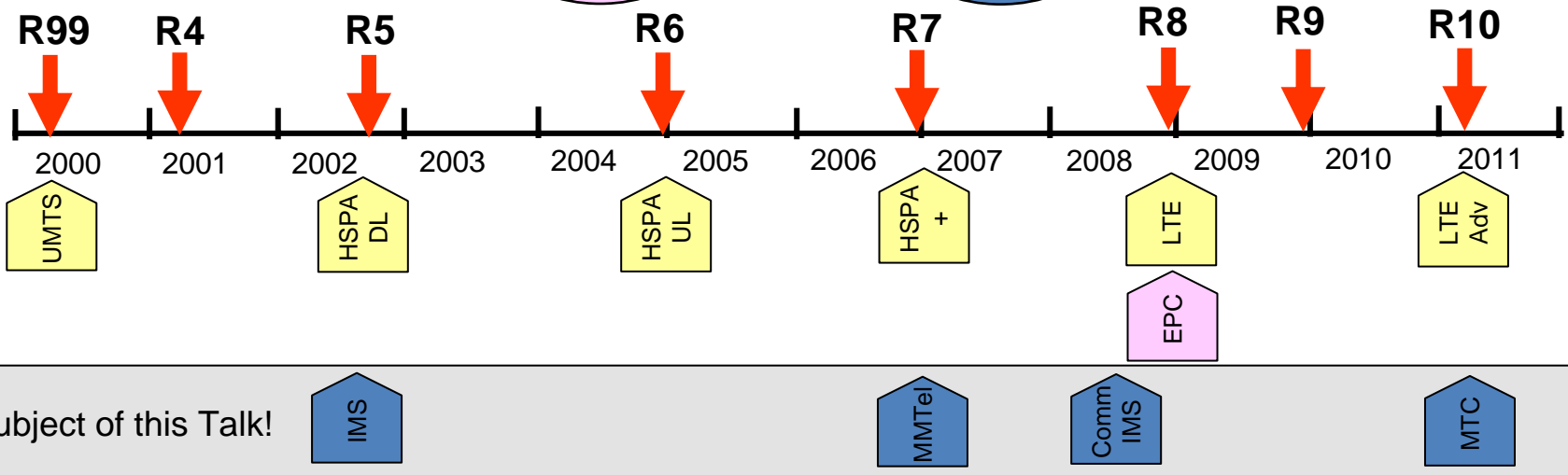
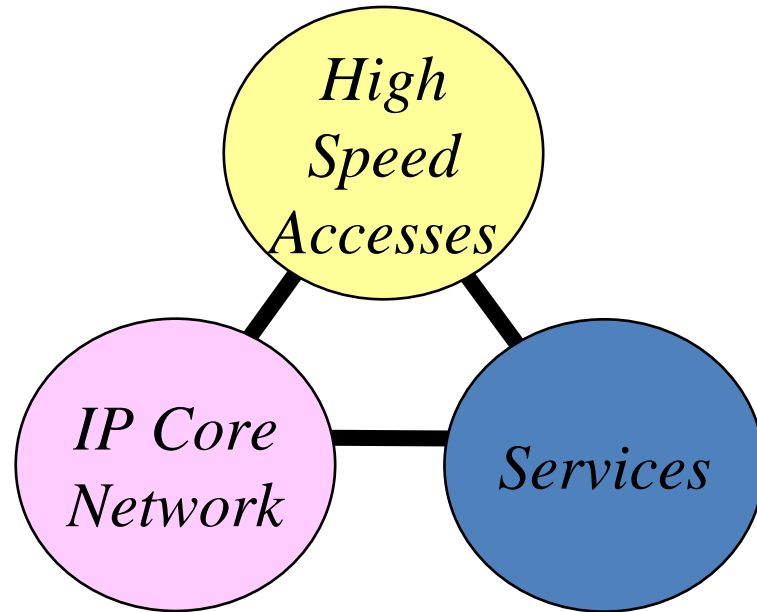
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# Areas that 3GPP Works On



# The 3GPP Services Story

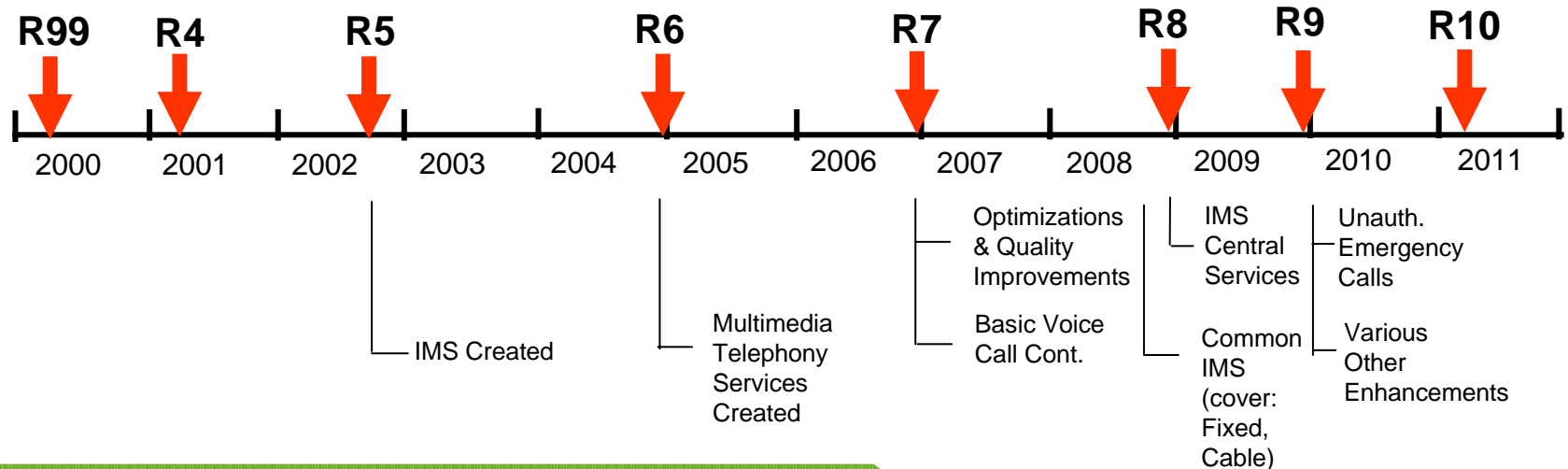


- IMS
  - IMS is the goal for voice over LTE
    - VoLTE
  - IMS allows a transition to Multimedia
    - Multimedia Telephony
  - Transition capabilities developed to allow transition to IMS
    - CS Fallback
    - SRVCC
    - IMS Centralized Services
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# 3GPP IMS Timeline



- 3GPP specified IMS as part of Rel 5 with improvements in Rel 6
- 3GPP added Voice Call Continuity in Rel 7
- Many IMS based optimizations in Rel 7
- Common IMS developed in Rel 8
- Transition services (VCC, SRVCC, ICS) started in Rel 7 and continue today
- Ability to make unauthenticated IMS emergency calls added in Rel 9



# Dispelling some Myths about LTE and IMS



- **Myth 1: LTE is Data only**

**Reality:** Support of voice was one of the key considerations in designing LTE. The voice solution for LTE is IMS VoIP and it is fully specified.

- **Myth 2: SMS isn't supported over LTE**

**Reality:** LTE and EPS will support a rich variety of messaging applications - including SMS. The solution is twofold, covering both the full IMS case and a transition solution for those networks that do not support IMS.

- **Myth 3: IMS isn't ready for prime time**

**Reality:** IMS was first developed as part of Rel 5 in 2002. It is based on IETF protocols such as SIP and SDP that are very mature. These technologies have been embraced by the industry as the signalling mechanism for multimedia applications.

- **Myth 4: LTE doesn't support emergency calls**

**Reality:** VoIP support for emergency calls (incl. location) in Rel 9. A transition solution fall back to 3G/2G - has existed since IMS was introduced (Rel 5).

# Multimedia Telephony Services



- Telephony Services Defined for Multimedia
  - Originating Identification Presentation (OIP)
  - Originating Identification Restriction (OIR)
  - Terminating Identification Presentation (TIP)
  - Terminating Identification Restriction (TIR)
  - Communication Diversion (CDIV)
  - Communication Hold (HOLD)
  - Communication Barring (CB)
  - Message Waiting Indication (MWI)
  - Conference (CONF)
  - Explicit Communication Transfer (ECT)
  - Communication Waiting (CW)
  - Completion of Communications to Busy Subscriber (CCBS)
  - Completion of Communications on No Reply (CCNR)
  - Customized Alerting Tone (CAT)
  - Customized Ringing Signal (CRS)
  - Personal Network Management (PNM)
  - Malicious Communication Identification (MCID)
  - Anonymous Communication Rejection (ACR)
  - Advice Of Charge (AOC)
  - Reverse charging
  - Closed User Group (CUG)
  - Three-Party (3PTY)
  - Flexible Alerting (FA)

BLUE = Applicable to mobile only

RED = Applicable to fixed only

Multimedia Telephony Services are defined in 3GPP TS 22.173

# Transition Mechanisms in 3GPP



- Voice
  - Voice Call Continuity (VCC) – Allows a basic voice call to be handed over from IMS to circuit switched and vice-versa (Rel 7) – Primarily focused on WiFi-GSM handover
  - CS Fallback – CS Voice provided over GSM or UMTS if no LTE IMS voice available (Rel 8)
  - SRVCC – Provides voice continuity with only a single radio (Rel 8)
  - IMS Centralized Services – Your services also work seamlessly between CS and IMS (Rel 8)
- Messaging
  - CS Fallback – SMS carried over LTE signalling – no need to switch radio I/F (Rel 8 – improvements ongoing)
  - SMS over IP – Enhancements to the gateway to integrate with OMA CPM (being defined in Rel 10)
- Video
  - SRVCC for video being defined in Rel 10



## Other IMS related work ongoing



- Enhancements to Inter-Device Transfer
- IMS based Home Node B
- Non-voice Emergency Services
- Enhancements for supporting Streaming and MBMS using IMS
- Enhancements to IMS to support video

# Non-IMS Services



- Regulatory
  - Public Warning System (completed in Rel 9)
    - Extensible, but currently only Japan and US supported
  - Prioritized packet communications
- Enhancements to the Codec
  - Rate adaptation for LTE allowed in Rel 9
  - Enhanced Voice Codec in Rel 10
- MTC – Machine Type Communication
  - Focusing on network optimizations
  - 14 Features identified
  - Rel 10 work will focus on general functionality to allow priorities for features to stabilize

# Machine Type Communications



- Work started on this in Rel 10
- 14 MTC Features identified
  - Low Mobility
  - Time Controlled
  - Time Tolerant
  - Packet Switched (PS) Only
  - Small Data Transmissions
  - Mobile Originated Only
  - Infrequent Mobile Terminated
  - MTC Monitoring
  - Priority Alarm Message (PAM)
  - Secure Connection
  - Location Specific Trigger
  - Network Provided Destination for Uplink Data
  - Infrequent Transmission
  - Group Based MTC Features
- In Rel 10, 3GPP will focus on the general functionality required to support these features
  - Overload control (Radio Network Congestion use case, Signalling Network Congestion use case and Core Network Congestion use case)
  - Addressing
  - Identifiers
  - Subscription control
  - Security

# Not Quite Services – But Related



- The Rel 8 Evolved Packet Core allows mobility at the IP level, so mobility between accesses is possible without use of IMS
  - Currently working with BBF to integrate BBF accesses
- Home Node B (and Home e Node B) – No new services, but support of closed subscriber groups and provisioning
- Traffic offload – As internet traffic grows, there is a need to offload the radio accesses and the core network
  - Local IP Access (LIPA) is used from a Home Node B to access local network resources (such as a printer)
  - IP Flow Mobility and Seamless Offload (IFOM) is used to carry some of a UE's traffic over wifi to offload Home Node B access.
  - Selected IP Traffic Offload (SIPTO) is used to offload the mobile core network by breaking traffic out of the network early.
    - SIPTO for Home Node B may be deferred to a later release

# Fixed Mobile Convergence



- 3GPP is working with BBF to support FMC with convergence using EPC
  - Convergence addresses IP session mobility, authentication, and policy
- 3 Phase plan adopted
  - Phase 1 is basic interworking between fixed and wireless
  - Phase 2 provides offloading of traffic
  - Phase 3 provides convergence of network nodes
- Phase 1 target is Rel 10.

# More Information

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