## **5G: ARE YOU UP TO SPEED?**

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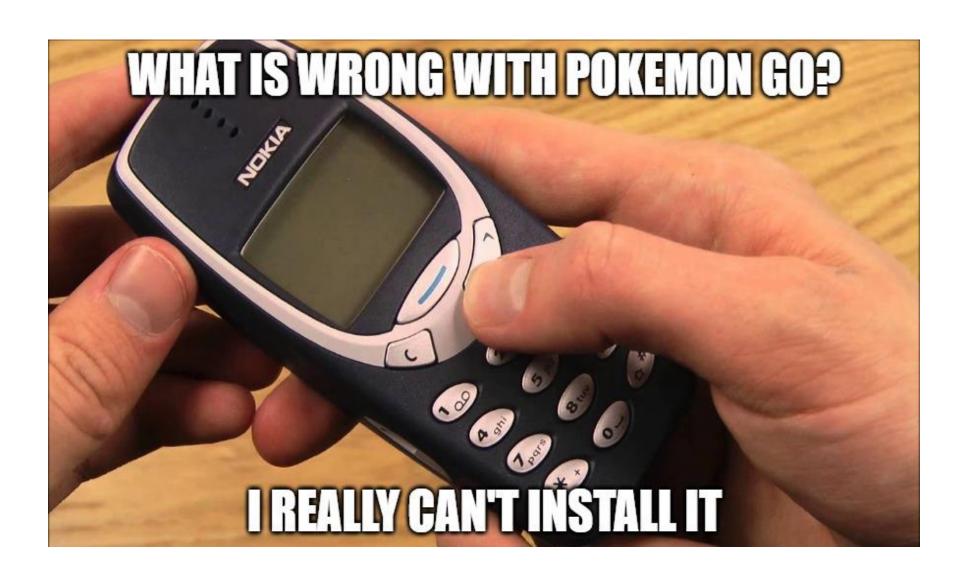


## WHAT'S SO DIFFERENT ABOUT 5G?

### 1G: Where it all began







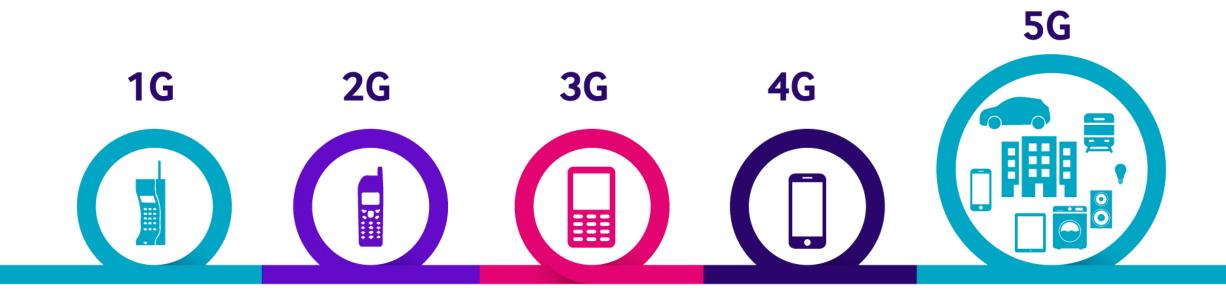
## 3G: The first smartphones



## 4G: The streaming era



#### The evolution of mobile communications: from 1G to 5G



Large size portable phones



Feature mobile phones



WAP, Internet-connected mobile phones



Smartphones



Internet of Things (IoT)





- 200-300 Mbps
- 6 minutes to download a 2-hour long 3D movie



- 1-10 Gbps
- 3.6 seconds to download a 2-hour long 3D movie

## 5G will be 100 times faster than 4G.

## O2 CONTROVERSY

### How 5G towers look VS how people see them







#### **RESKILLING THE WORKFORCE**

The deployment of 5G technology will create many jobs – 22 million globally by 2035, according to IHS Markit - it will also eliminate others.



#### **CYBERSECURITY ISSUES**

- Some believe **5G** will be more secure than existing networks.
- However, without regulation and strong proactive measures, 5G networks are more susceptible to cyberattacks than their predecessors.

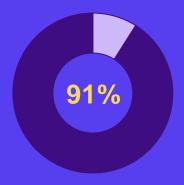
## OS WHAT TO EXPECT FROM 5G?

72% of business and tech executives say they need help imagining the possibilities and future uses of 5G.

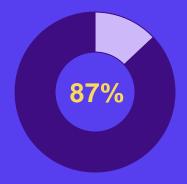


Source: Accenture 2019 survey

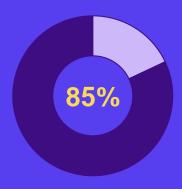
Business decision leaders, analysts and tech enthusiasts have the following expectations:



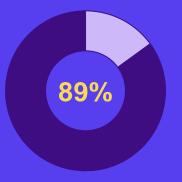
products and services that have yet to be invented



expect new industries to emerge



expect 5G to make companies more globally competitive

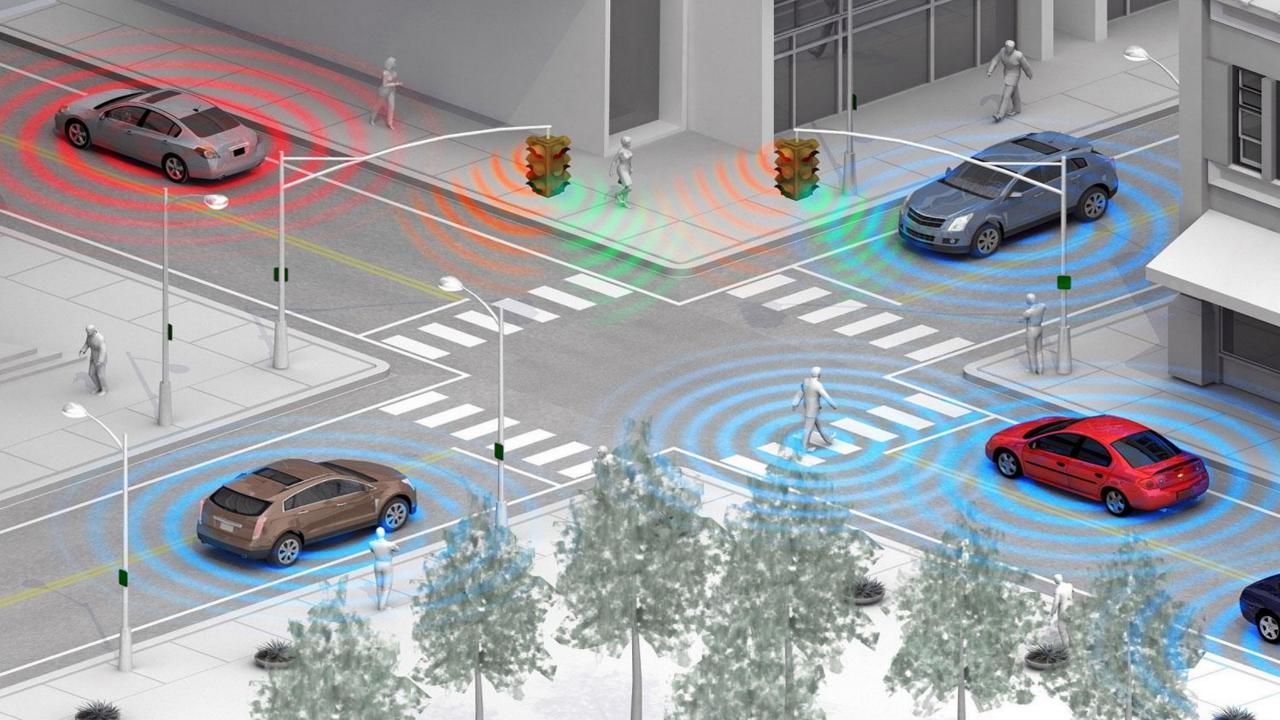


expect increased productivity

Source: report from PSB Research

## O4 5GIN ACTION









#### Mobility: How 5G will shape the future of enterprise mobility



Employee flexibility (remote working, digital workplace in the era of Covid-19 etc.)



Increased productivity



Smoother operations (apps will run faster which means greater transfer of data, deeper visibility etc.)



Cloud Services will become the foundation of enterprises (easier access to data from anywhere, enhanced comms etc.)

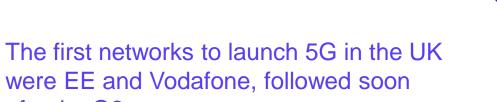


AR and VR will expand engagement and make interactions smoother

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#### 5G in the UK



BT Mobile, Sky Mobile, and Three now also have 5G networks, but the technology hasn't reached yet all regions of the nation.

were EE and Vodafone, followed soon

after by O2.

5G speeds in the UK are nearly four times faster than the average Wi-Fi connection.

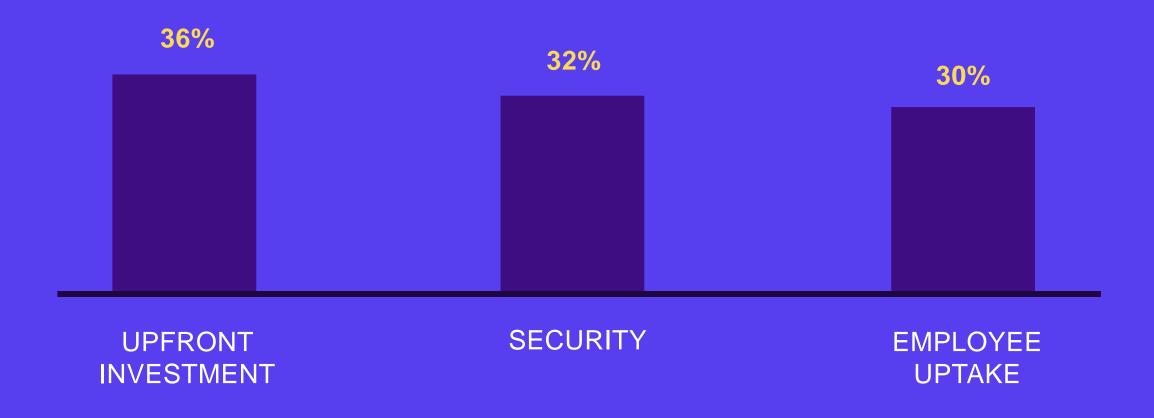


#### 5G in France

- 5G deployment in France has been discussed since the end of 2019.
- In February 2020, the first phase of selection of operators aspiring to acquire frequencies took place. The winners were SFR, Orange, Bouygues Telecom and Free Mobile.
- 5G was expected in France in July 2020 but because of COVID-19, it will likely take several weeks or even months before the first 5G networks start operating.

## OG BARRIERS TO 5GADOPTION

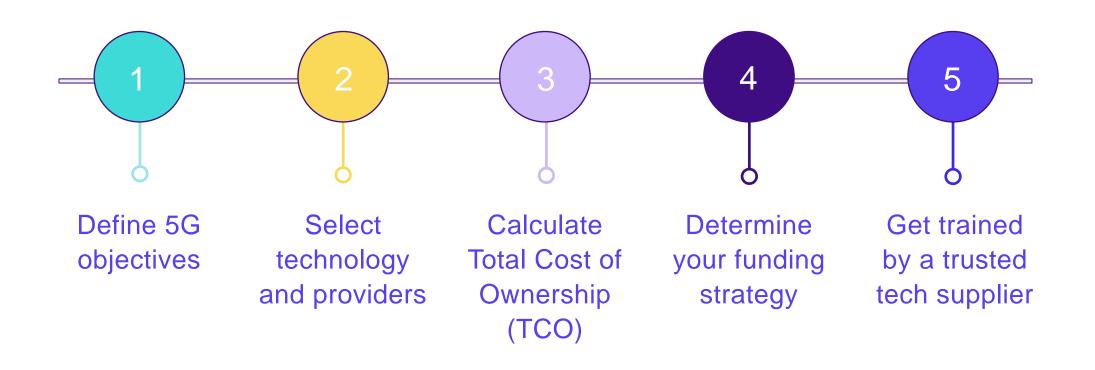
Business and technology executives worldwide cite the following concerns in adopting 5G:



Source: Accenture 2019 survey

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#### Roadmap



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