5G or WiFi6?

Styrk effektiviteten på dine industrielle applikationer

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Hvad er fremtiden for 5G og industrien?

Used frequency spectrum of WLAN - WLAN to populate also 6GHz in the future



*under discussion by FCC (USA) & ETSI (EU)

Evolution of the IEEE 802.11 Standard - Wi-Fi standard is evolving to match new requirements

IEEE 802.11-1997	IEEE 802.11a	IEEE 802.11g	IEEE 802.11n	IEEE 802.11ac	IEEE 802.11ax
Released: 1997	Released: 2001	Released: 2003	Released: 2009	Released: 2012	Release: 2020
Data rate: max. 2 Mbps	Data rate: up to 54 Mbps	Data rate: up to 54 Mbps	Data rate: up to 600 Mbps	Data rate: up to 6933 Mbps	Data rate: up to 9608 Mbps
Frequency: 2.4 GHz	Frequency: 5 GHz	Frequency: 2.4 GHz	Frequency: 2.4 & 5 GHz	Frequency: 5 GHz	Frequency: 2.4 GHz & 5 GHz Wi-Fi 6E: 6 GHz
			Wi-Fi 4	Wi-Fi 5	Wi-Fi 6
 Core features: FHSS (Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum) DSSS (Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum) 	Core features: • OFDM (Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing)	Core features: • OFDM (Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing)	Core features: • MIMO (Multiple- Input/Multiple- Output)	 Core features: Channel bonding up to 160 MHz 	

802.11 Timelines



Features of IEEE 802.11ax Standard First Wireless LAN Standard with main focus on efficiency



Core Feature: Multi-user operation with OFDMA Improvement of communication fairness and latency

Predecessor IEEE 802.11 standards enabled one device to speak at one given time within a wireless channel.

IEEE 802.11ax divides one channel into up to 9 "subchannels" (so called Ressource Units, RUs) which can be used in parallel.

The Access Point can speak per RU to one WLAN client. At uplink several clients can speak at the same time to the Access Point. This makes communication more efficient and decreases latencies.

OFDM transmission



OFDMA transmission



Latency and roaming on IEEE 802.11ax

What's not in the standard?

- Scheduling algorithm to trigger frames at the Access Point
- Fast roaming is not improved and could take up to seconds
- → No reliable, predictable worst case latency for an industrial application!

iFeatures from Siemens to improve the Standard

- Improvement for a fast roaming
- Reduced latency with deterministic cycles
- Application-appropriate treatment of all client devices
- → Reliable, predictable worst case latency for an industrial application!



iFeatures are needed for reliable and real-time automation solutions

iFeatures from Siemens will improve the WiFi 6 standard



Must have for automation applications:

- Known worst case latency, e.g. to avoid interruption of automation protocols like PROFINET and OPC UA
- High reliability to assure uptimes and maximize the production output

Lower priority for automation applications:

- Highest data rates as they do not guarantee the quality of your service
- Highest number of clients since most industrial applications do not require it

Use cases for Industrial Wireless LAN



Wireless networks in industrial applications

- Overhead monorails
- Automated guided vehicle + Automated mobile robot systems (AGVs + AMRs)
- Intralogistics (rack feeder, shuttle)
- Retrofitting with wireless networks

Cyclic and reliable communication



Wireless applications with critical requirements

- Public transport (e.g. train to ground)
- Amusement park rides
- Ski lifts, big wheels, fun rides
- Safety applications (with Safety Integrity up to Level SIL3 according to IEC 61508)

Emergency stop for safety applications



Portfolio for harsh environments – indoor and outdoor

- Oil & Gas industry
- Seaport applications and container terminals
- · Mine shafts and tunnel networks

Industrial approvals and enhanced environmental conditions (EEC)

The right Industrial Wireless Solution for each of your applications!



IEEE 802.11n iFeatures (Wi-Fi 4) IEEE 802.11ax iFeatures (Wi-Fi 6)

Cyclic and real-time communication over wireless	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Emergency stop for safety applications	\checkmark		\checkmark
Data privacy	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Spectrum	unlicensed	unlicensed	licensed
Scalability of architecture	Scalable from small to medium size	Scalable from small to larger size	Full solution from medium to campus-wide





Industrial **5G**



Industrial WLAN

The evolution of cellular networks in Industry – from the first commercial network to the network of the future.

1 G	2 G	3 G	4G	5G
Released: 1979 Standards: MMT, AMPS & TACS Capabilities: Analog voice	Released: 1991 Standards: GSM & CDMA Capabilities: • Digital voice • Encrypted communication • Limited roaming • SMS & MMS Extensions: • GPRS (2.5G) • CDMA2000 (2.5G) • EDGE (2.75G)	Released: 2002 Standards: UMTS & EV-DO Capabilities: • Mobile broadband • Locating services • Multimedia streaming • Seamless global roaming Extensions: HSPA+ (3.5G)	Released: 2009 Standards: LTE Capabilities: • High Speed mobile Internet • IP-based packet switching • HD multimedia streaming • Seamless global roaming Extensions: Feature extension through new category/releases	 Released: 2019 Standards: 5G Capabilities: Private networks (local use frequency) (l)IoT Ready Massive Machine Type communication Ultra-low-latency Ultra-high reliability Millimeter wave support Extensions: Feature extension through new categories/releases
0.0024 Mbit/s Industry Impact	0.064 Mbit/s Industry Impact	42 Mbit/s Industry Impact	1,000 Mbit/s Industry Impact	10,000 Mbit/s Industry Impact
No impact on industrial applications	 Remote control/Telecontrol Text messages from and to remote machines 	 Video monitoring Remote Access to machines (e.g. for teleservice) Remote Condition Monitoring 	 Mobile service Technicians Service via smart phone Wireless Backhaul 	 Autonomous Logistics Autonomous Machines Assisted Work Wireless Backhaul Edge Computing Mobile Equipment

5G fulfills various network requirements



Connect 1,000,000 devices per km²

Reliability 99.999% | Latency of 10 ms

Classification of applications according to network requirements Factory and Process Automation



Why can we only start with Release 16 in Industry?









Release 15 Available: Dec. 2018

Release 16 Available: July 2020*

Release 17 Available: June 2022*

Release 18 Planned: Q2/2024*

Data rate / Area traffic capacity (20 Gbps)	Complete	Complete	Complete	Complete
Spectrum efficiency (3 x 4G)	Complete	Complete	Complete	Complete
Network Energy efficiency (100x 4G)	Complete	Complete	Complete	Complete
Connection density (1,000,000 / km ²)	Partially	Partially	Complete	Complete
Latency (<10 ms)	None	Partially	Complete	Complete
Reliability (99.999% under 10 ms)	None	Partially	Complete	Complete
Mobility (handover/ roaming with 500 km/h)	Complete	Complete	Complete	Complete
Localization (Phase 1: 1 meter accuracy)	None	Partially	Partially	Complete
Non-public networks (Private Networks)	None	Partially	Complete	Complete
Industrial IoT (TSN Support)	None	Partially	Partially	Complete
Network slicing (Multiple networks on shared network)	Complete	Complete	Complete (+ more)	Complete (+ more)
SideLink (Direct Communication between end-devices)	None	Partially	Partially	Complete

Possible benefits for Industrial 5G



and Release 16)

- Maximum data privacy as data stays on premises.
- Full network ownership.



Coexistence of public and private 5G networks to enable high-performance industry-campus networks





Industrial Wireless networks need a private frequency band

Advantage of wireless network ownership in OT:

- self-management guarantees flexibility in production
- Qualified IT-experts with OT-knowledge on-site \rightarrow 24/7 support and maintenance of the network
- QoS based on dedicated network for industrial use
 → support ultra-reliable and low-latency communication

Maximum data privacy and security:

- Data stay on-premises
- Protection of trade secrets, production data and patents



Private networks combined with private spectrum ensure optimal data privacy

Which 5G infrastructure is right for your Industrial Automation?

Local, private deployment Public deployment¹ Semi public deployment¹ Flexibility: Very limited, depends on provider Flexibility: Limited, depends on provider Flexibility: Unlimited Insufficient w/o additional UEs are visible outside Privacy: Privacy: **Privacy:** Optimal precaution QoS: Best effort QoS: Optimal QoS: Not guaranteed Network: This scenario is one possible Network: This scenario is only possible Network: Depends on implementation of way of slicing, depends on with access to spectrum provider provider Public Userplane Control plane **Industrial 5G** Control User plane 0 0 olane User plane Private Location 1 Location 2 Used frequency: 3,4 ... 3,7 GHz (Public) Used frequency: 3,4 ... 3,7 GHz (Public) Used frequency: 3,7 ... 3,8 GHz (Private)²

¹ Depends on the implementation of the provider, most likely variants are shown

² Based on German spectrum model

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Private Industrial 5G solution

5G Core	Management of 5G network incl. UEs and data traffic	
Radio Access Network (RAN)	Central Unit (CU): control of the radio network Distributed Unit (DU): conversion of the radio signal Radio Units (RUs): transmission of the radio signal	
User Equipment (UEs)	Connection of end devices to 5G network	



Siemens Private 5G Infrastructure based on Release 15 Setup in the Siemens Automotive Center

Radio Unit

Active radio device connected to the distributed unit, responsible for converting the digital radio signal into an analog

5G Core

The Core manages the complete network including connected User Equipment (UEs) and data traffic

Central Unit (CU) & Distributed Unit (DU)

The CU controls the radio equipment, the DU translates the network traffic into a digital radio signal which is send and received by radio units.



Siemens Industrial 5G End Devices based on Release 15 SCALANCE MUM856-1 direct mounted on a SIMOVE AGV

SCALANCE MUM856-1

5G User Equipment in the form of an Industrial Router, IP65, to direct mount on for example AGVs. Supporting Rel. 15 of the 5G standard.

5G Use Cases Connection of automated guided vehicle system to a private 5G network

Task

 Reliable connection of stationary and mobile participants to private industrial 5G networks

Solution

- SCALANCE MUM856-1 with its IP65 enclosure enables the connection of different participants to private 5G networks
- Rugged design enables the mounting outside of the control cabinet and on stationary and mobile participants in harsh industrial environments

Benefits

- Benefitting from the advantages of 5G technology in private industrial networks
- Flexible utilization of a device for both public and private 5G networks depending on configuration
- Compatible with private third-party 5G networks* (e.g., Nokia, Ericsson)

* Smooth integration in private third-party networks is not guaranteed; use in Nokia and Ericsson networks has been tested successfully



MUM853-1 depending on the environmental and deployment circumstances

SCALANCE M with SINEMA Remote Connect Secure connection of remote machines via VPN

Task

- Easy and secure remote maintenance of machinery and larger installations also with the latest 5G mobile communications technology
- Connection of stationary and mobile participants over 5G to an existing SINEMA Remote Connect server

Solution

- SCALANCE MUM856-1 with its IP65 enclosure enables the connection of stationary and mobile participants to public 5G networks and offers SINEMA Remote Connect support
- User-friendly setup of devices with routing/ NAT information in SINEMA Remote Connect
- Access to machinery/ installations is secured by security mechanisms (OpenVPN) and integrated stateful inspection firewall

Benefits

- Realization of data-intensive applications with high bandwidth
- Can be used without specialized IT knowledge
- Transparent IP communication
- Prevention of manipulation and unauthorized access through secure data transmission and authentication
- Seamless technology proven workflow is maintained
- Cost savings same remote maintenance system in all networks
- Cell protection concept (defense in depth) also with 5G





Global connectivity solution for factories

Simple plantwide connectivity throughout the factory

Task

- Providing wireless connectivity on the shopfloor, including brownfield installations
- Simple integration of new /additional devices in an existing shopfloor environment

Solution

- Installation of a private 5G Infrastructure provides a reliable wireless connection to devices in the field.
- Legacy devices can be easily connected through the state of the art technology of 5G with an Industrial 5G router
- · With Industrial 5G various applications within one network can be supported

Benefits

- · Easy way to add connectivity in brownfield scenarios
- Smart Design to facilitate easy handling by OT personal
- · Simple and fast deployment of new end devices
- Scalability of the system leaves room for future adaptions





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