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Agenda

- Changing telecom landscape
- Impact on
 - Operator & Tower companies
 - Regulatory landscape
- Opportunities
- Bharti Infratel 2.0

Changing telecom landscape

	1G	2G	3G	4G	5G	
						
						
	1980	1991	2001	2009	2019	Global
	N/A	1995	2008	2014	2020	India
Spectrum		900 MHz 1800 MHz	900 MHz 2100 MHz	850MHz, 1800 MHz, 2300MHz	<1 GHz, 1-6 GHz, >6 GHz	
Speeds		64 kbps	2 Mbps	200 Mbps	>1 Gbps	
Latency		500 -1000 ms	50 - 200 ms	25 – 100 ms	<= 1 ms	

With M2M and IoT, the number of devices continue to increase

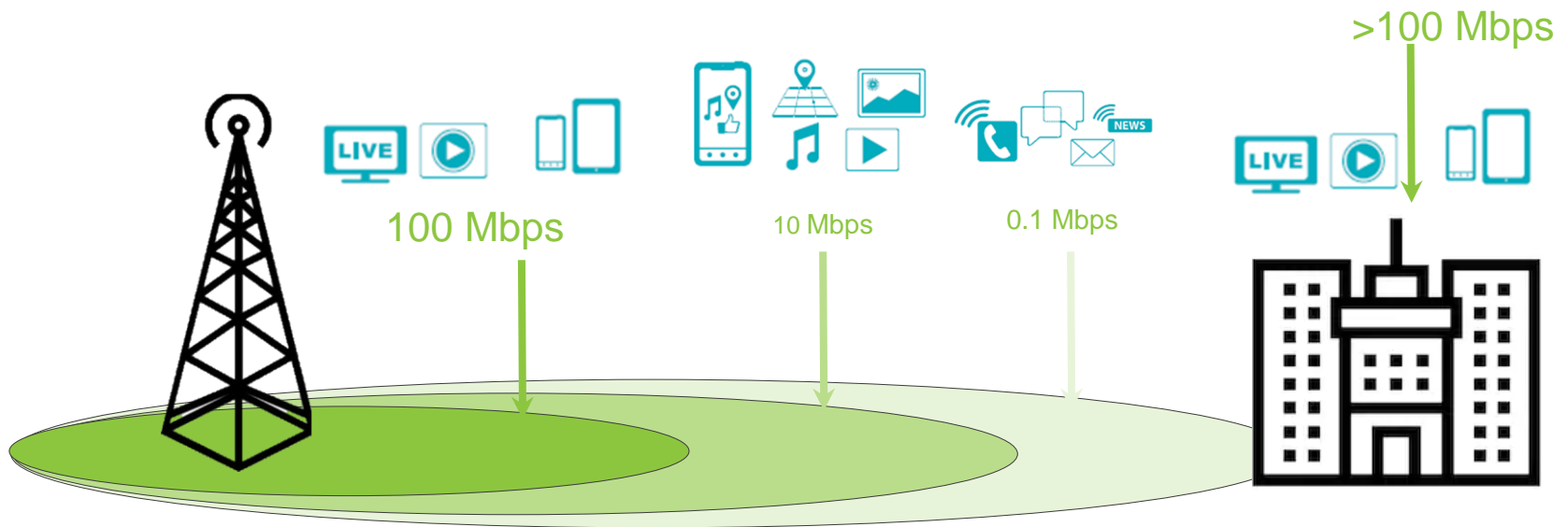
Trends

- Voice to data demand
- Increasing data speeds
- Technology cycle shrinking
- Band to 'Bandwidth' for higher speeds
- Bandwidth only in higher bands; i.e. need higher frequencies
- Better user experience necessitates lower latency demands
- Favorable regulatory environment for Infrastructure

Impact

- Uniform high speeds require site densification
- Higher frequency signals travel lesser distances
- Fiber a necessity to backhaul
- Capex requirements going up and hence sharing is imperative
- Service differentiation would be the key

User speed reduces with distance from site



Site densification needed to give uniform speeds for applications

More sites required for coverage on higher frequency

2G Spectrum

3G / 4G Spectrum

		<i>New frequency band</i>				
		900 MHz	1800 MHz	2100 MHz	2300 MHz	2600 MHz
<i>Base frequency band</i>	900 MHz	1.0x	1.6x	1.9x	3.2x	3.7x
	1800 MHz		1.0x	1.2x	2.0x	2.3x
	2100 MHz			1.0x	1.7x	2.0x
	2300 MHz				1.0x	1.1x
	2600 MHz					1.0x

High bandwidth 5G likely to be in 3.5Ghz frequency bands

High backhaul capacity needs call for Fiber

Backhaul Capacity per BTS

2G	2 – 4 Mbps
3G	12 – 30 Mbps
4G	30 – 120 Mbps
5G	> 1 Gbps

Drivers for fiber

- Microwave capacity limitations
- Low latency demands
- Losses due to large distances
- Poor wireline availability
- More data is consumed indoors

% Fiberized
Networks

China
~85%

US
~80%

Global
~50%

India
~25 %

Opportunity to create another shareable asset

Increasing investment by operators

Spectrum

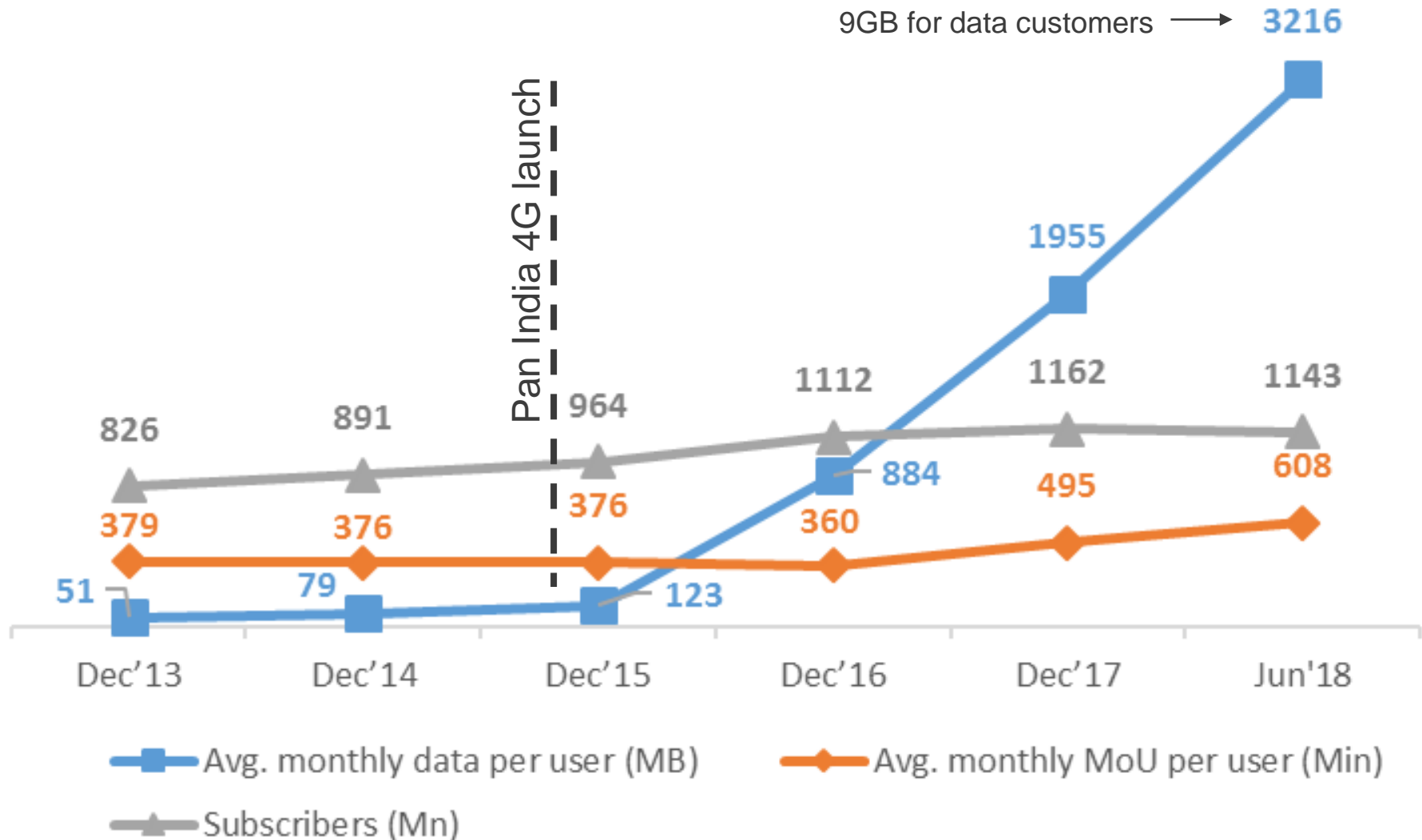
Spectrum Outlay	2010	2012	2014	2015	2016	Cumulative
(Rs bn)	1,063	94	672	1,099	658	3,585
(USD bn)	15.9	1.4	10.1	16.4	9.8	53.7

Non-Spectrum *

Capital investment	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19 (H1 annualized)
(Rs. Bn)	219	280	296	337	372
(USD Bn)	3.3	4.2	4.5	5.1	5.6

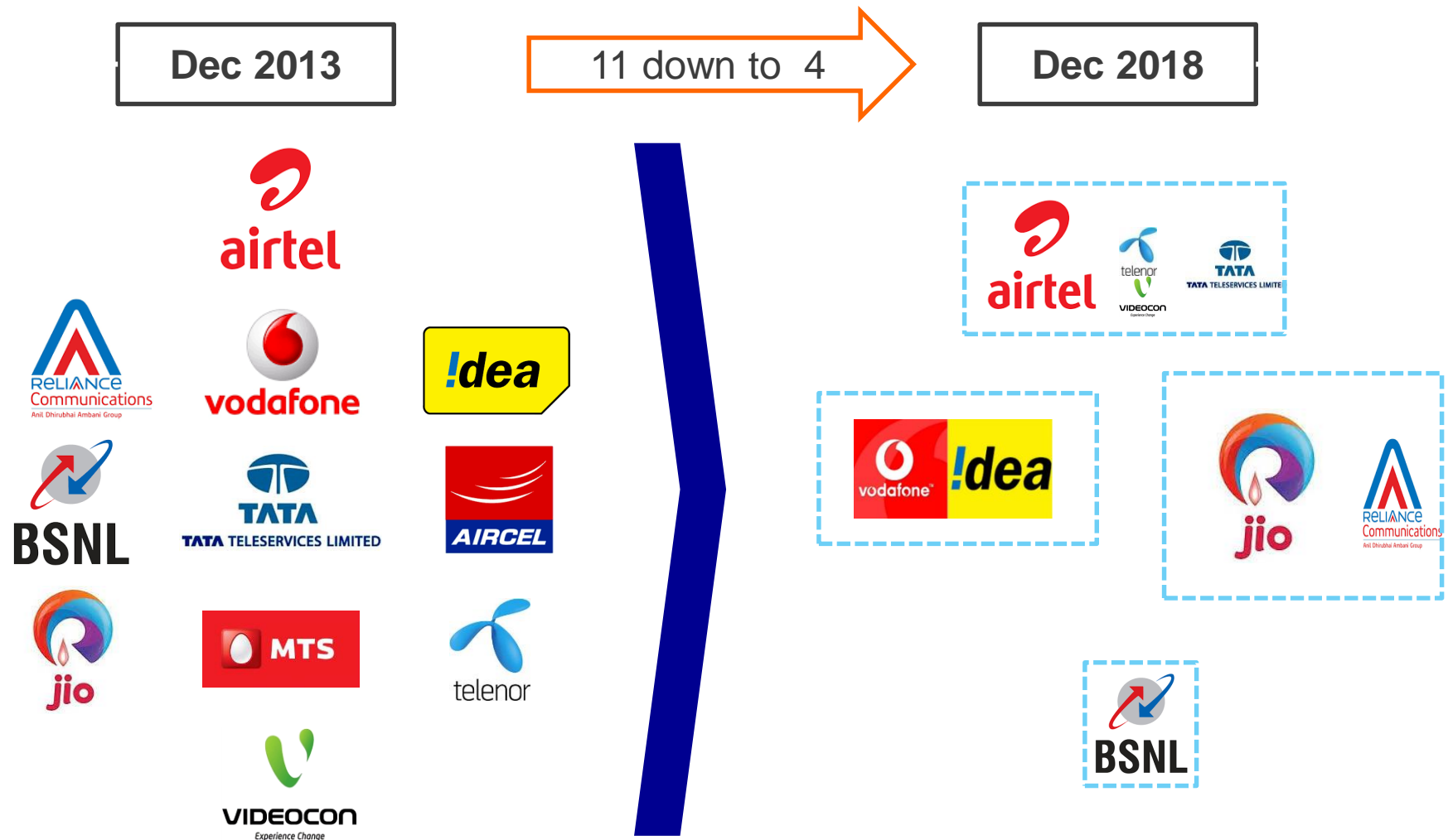
Sharing is imperative

Growth trends with 4G launch



With increasing penetration of 4G and implementation of 5G, a bigger leap is expected

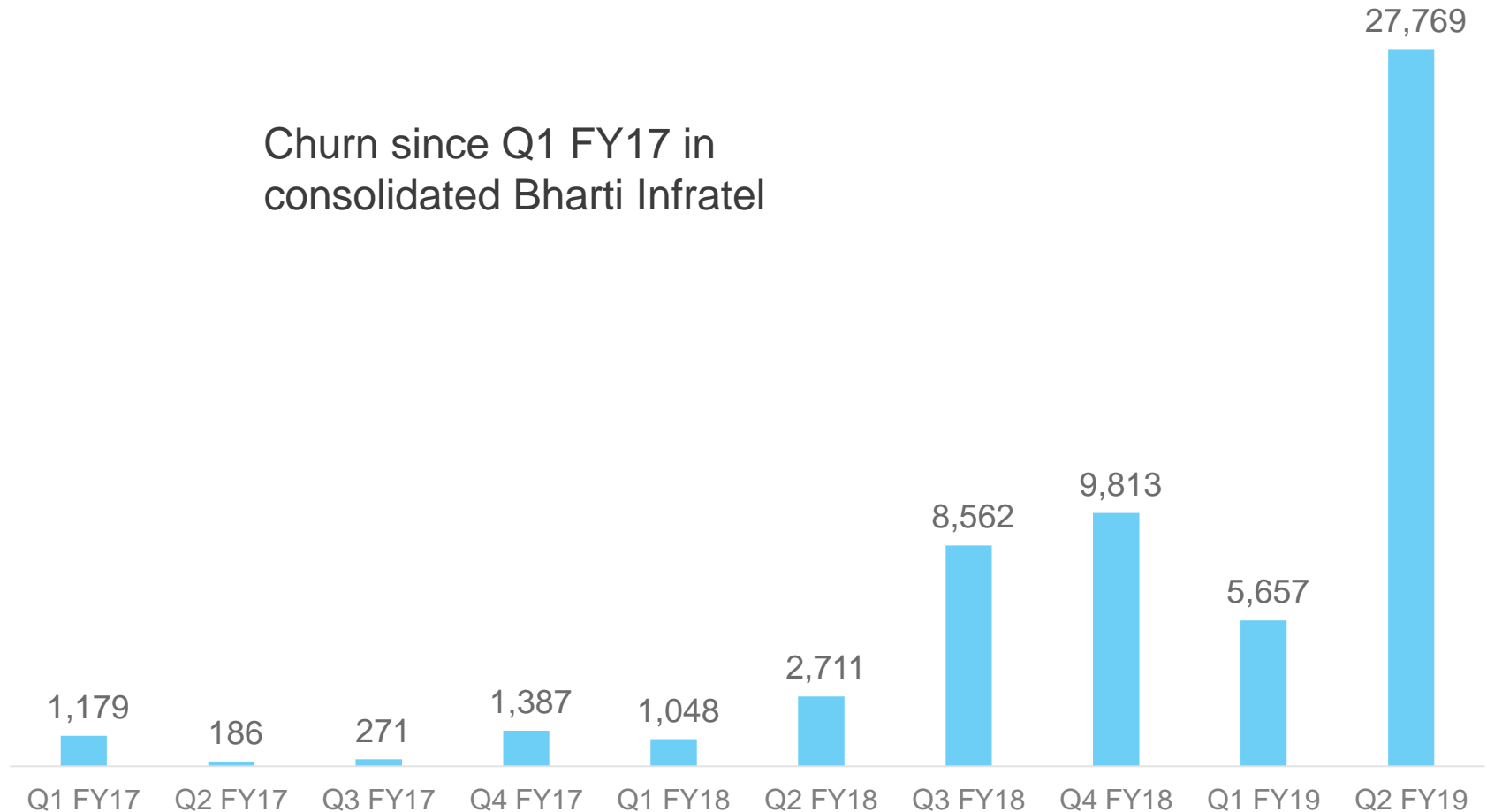
Consolidation in operator landscape...



Larger and stronger operators to take on data led opportunities

Operator consolidation impact on Bharti Infratel

Churn since Q1 FY17 in
consolidated Bharti Infratel



Worst behind us, industry impact significantly higher

Leading to consolidation in tower market

Key Players



OpCo owned towers



Other players



Changing landscape as we head towards more independent tower companies

Changing regulatory landscape

National Digital Communications Policy 2018

Vision

India's transition to a digitally empowered economy and society by fulfilling ICT needs of citizens and enterprises by establishment of a ubiquitous, resilient and affordable Digital Communications Infrastructure and Services.

Missions

- **Connect India:** Creating Robust Digital Communications Infrastructure
- **Propel India :** Enabling Next Generation Technologies and Services through Investments, Innovation and IPR generation
- **Secure India :** Ensuring Sovereignty, Safety and Security of Digital Communications

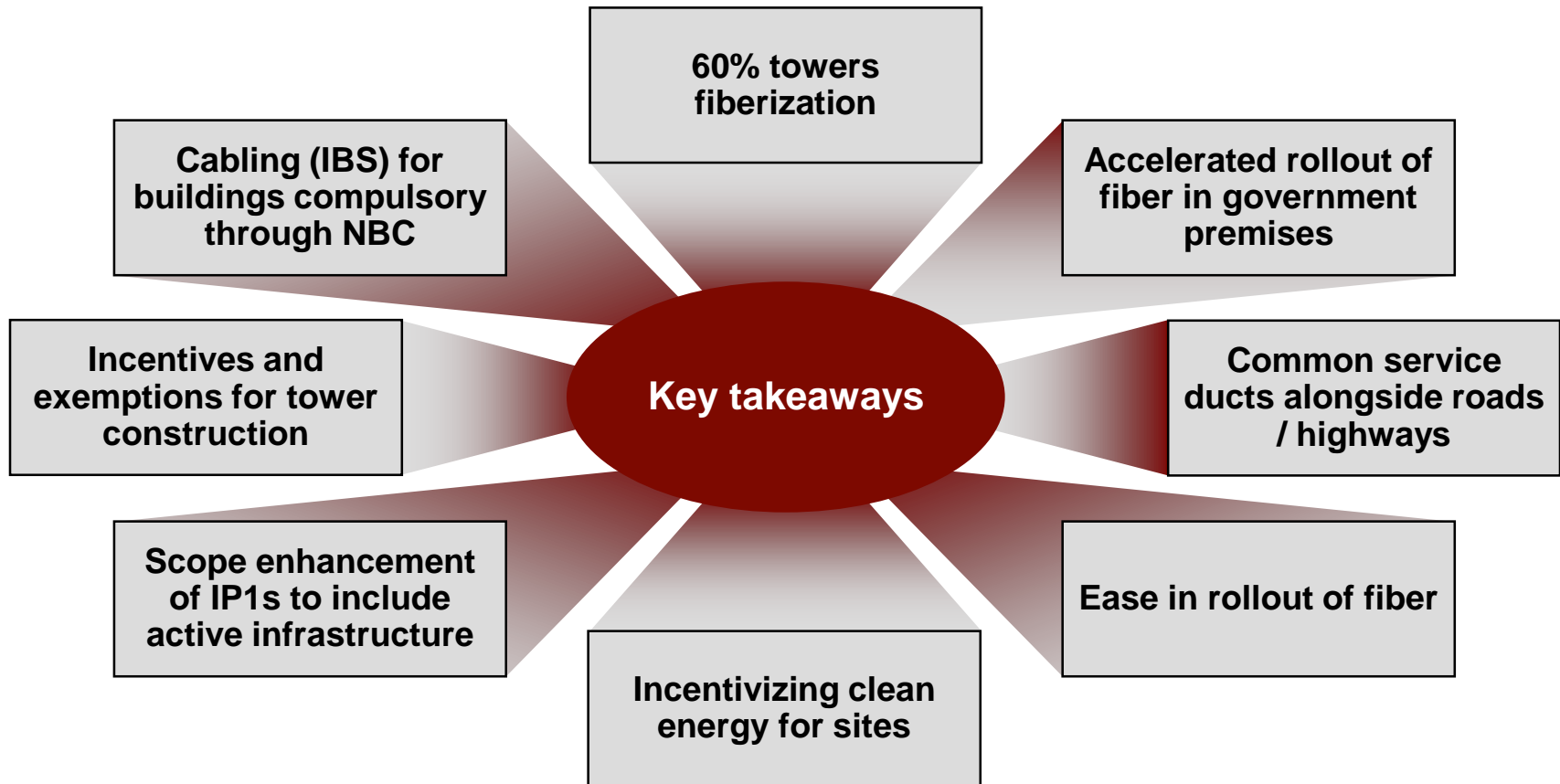
Strategic Objectives

(to be accomplished by 2022)

1. Provisioning of Broadband for All
2. Creating 4 Million additional jobs in the Digital Communications sector
3. Enhancing the contribution of the Digital Communications sector to 8% of India's GDP from ~ 6% in 2017
4. Propelling India to the Top 50 Nations in the ICT Development Index of ITU from 134 in 2017
5. Enhancing India's contribution to Global Value Chains
6. Ensuring Digital Sovereignty

Progressive, forward looking policy with Infrastructure focus

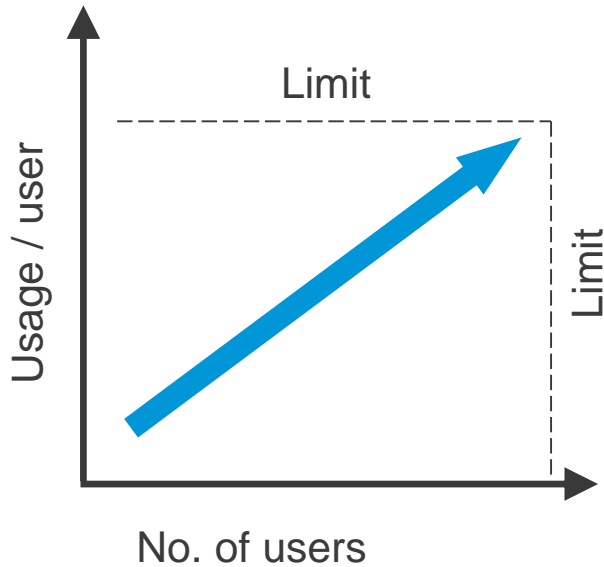
Impact on tower companies



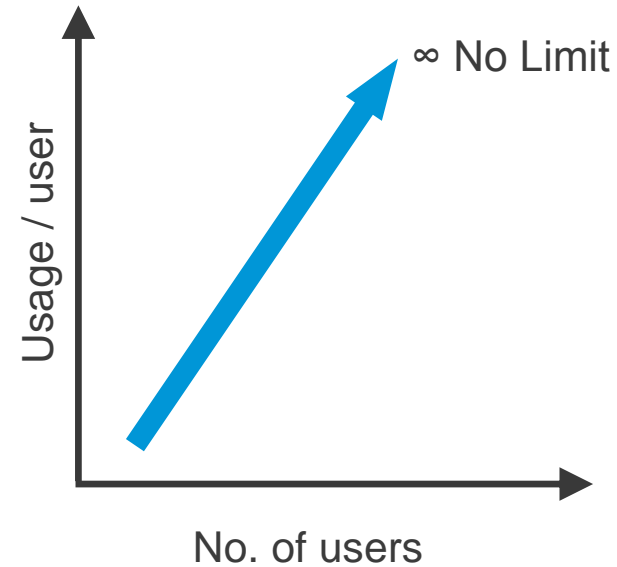
Government realizing the importance of Neutral Hosts; paving way for NetCo

Opportunities

Multiplier effect on data consumption



Growth in voice usage



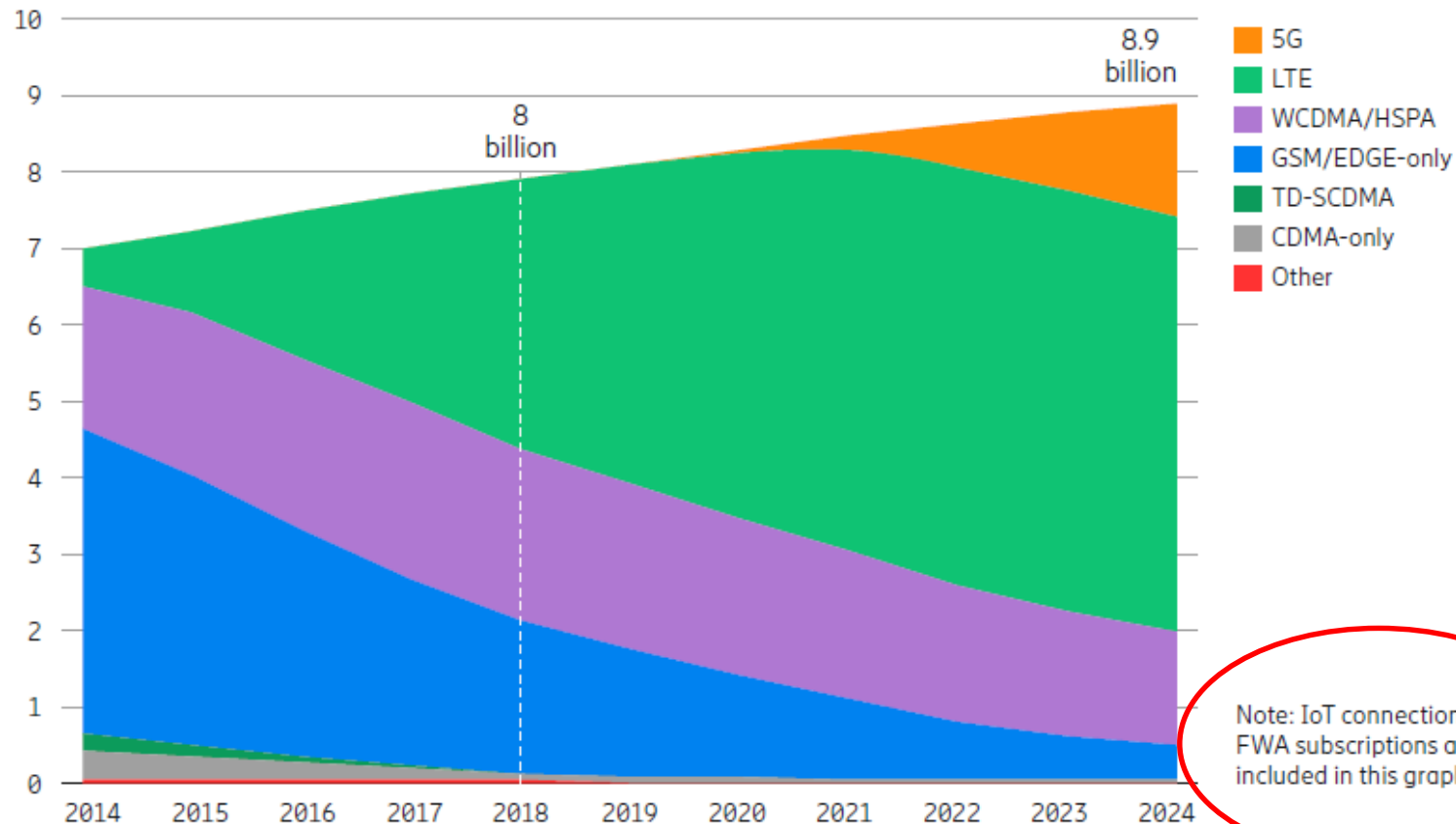
Growth in data usage

$$\text{Capacity} = \text{No. of users} \times \text{Usage per user}$$

Data, unlike voice, is not limited by number of subscribers or usage

Mobile subscriptions forecast

Mobile subscriptions by technology (billion)



Note: IoT connections and FWA subscriptions are not included in this graph

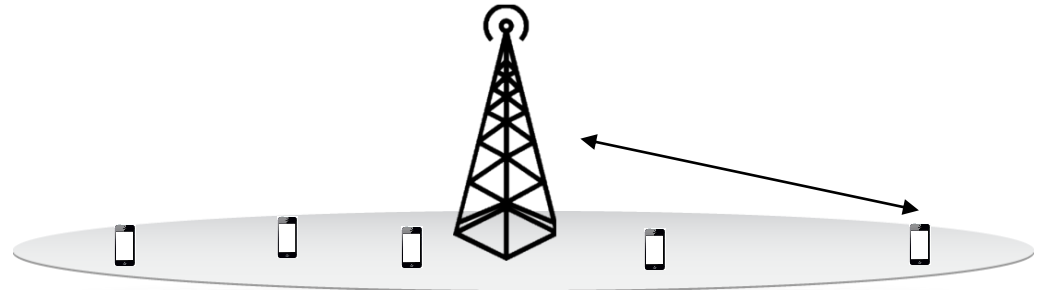
3.5 Bn 4G subscriptions against <2Bn 4G subscriptions as envisaged in 2014

4G technology adoption exceeded expectations by over 2X

Different kinds of sites

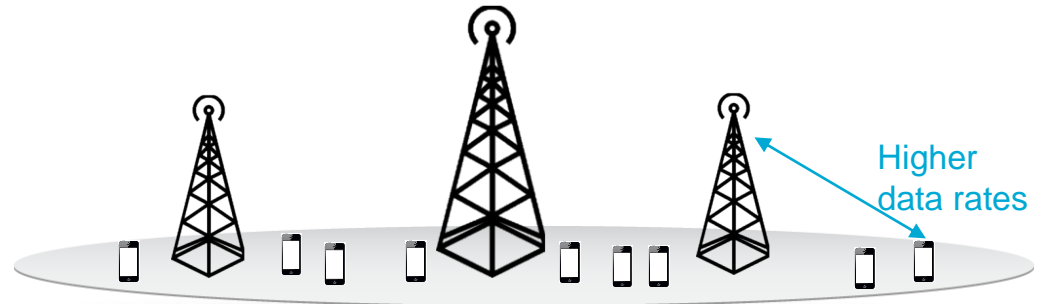
Improve macro

More spectrum, Multi Carrier, MIMO, Advanced Antennas, etc



Densify

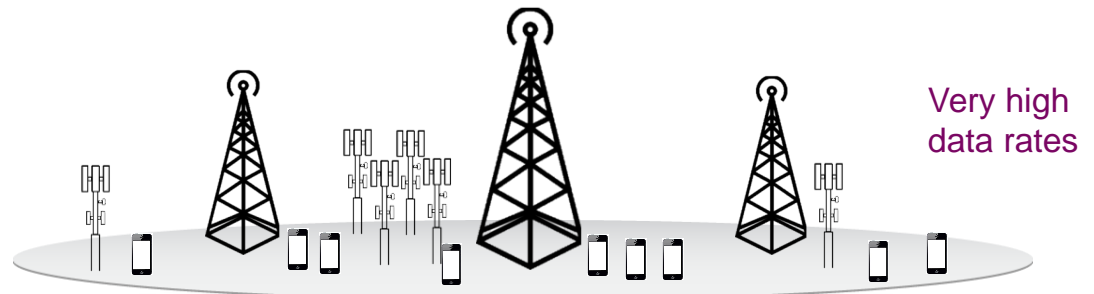
Additional Macro



Higher capacity

Add "Small Cell"

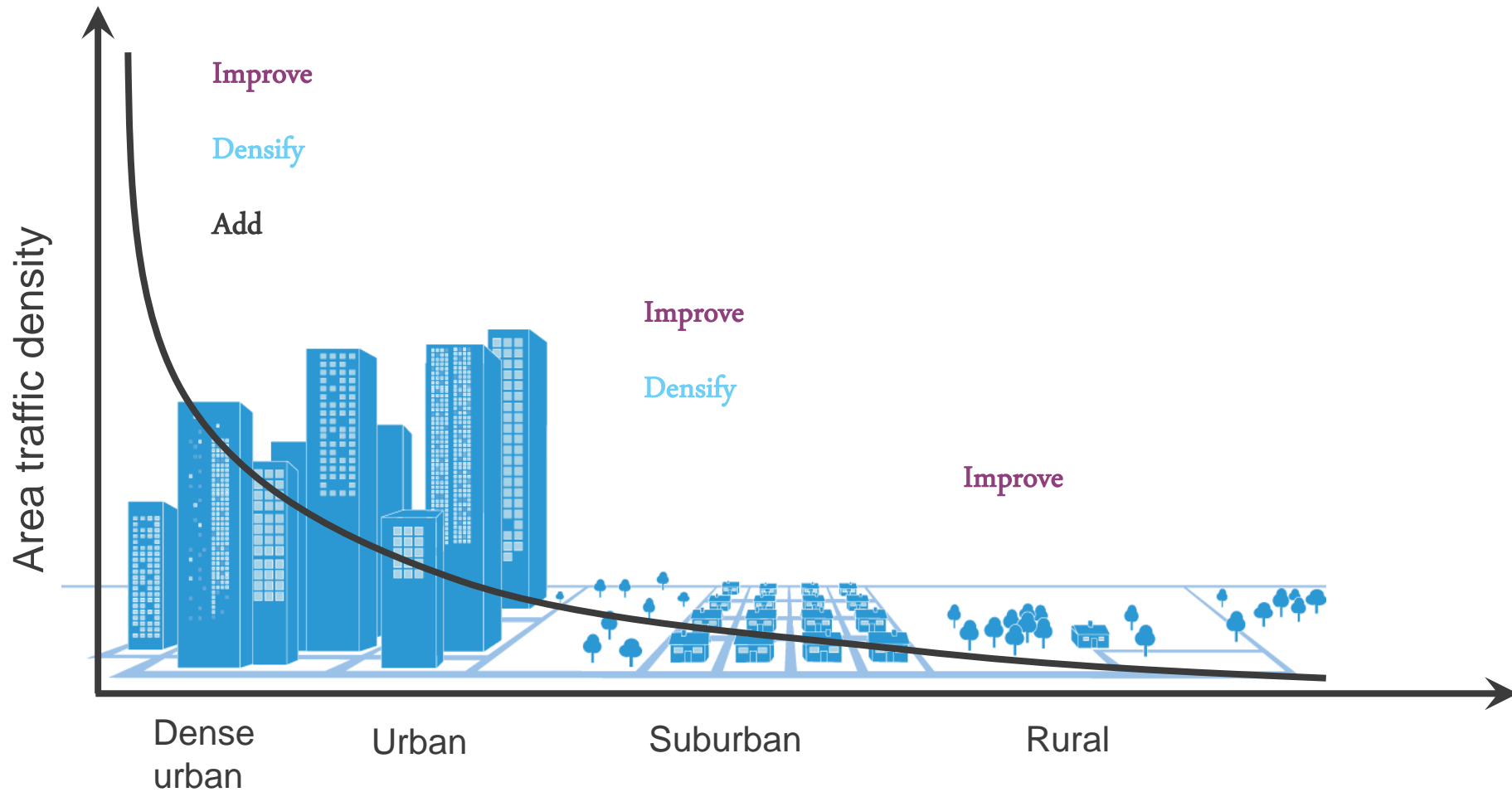
Macro + "Small Cells"



Very high data rates

Very high capacity

How densification will play out



Working towards a service differentiation

Existing sites



180k



200k



> 220k

Would have to
catch up /
rationalize



Market growth will be led by macro densification and small cells

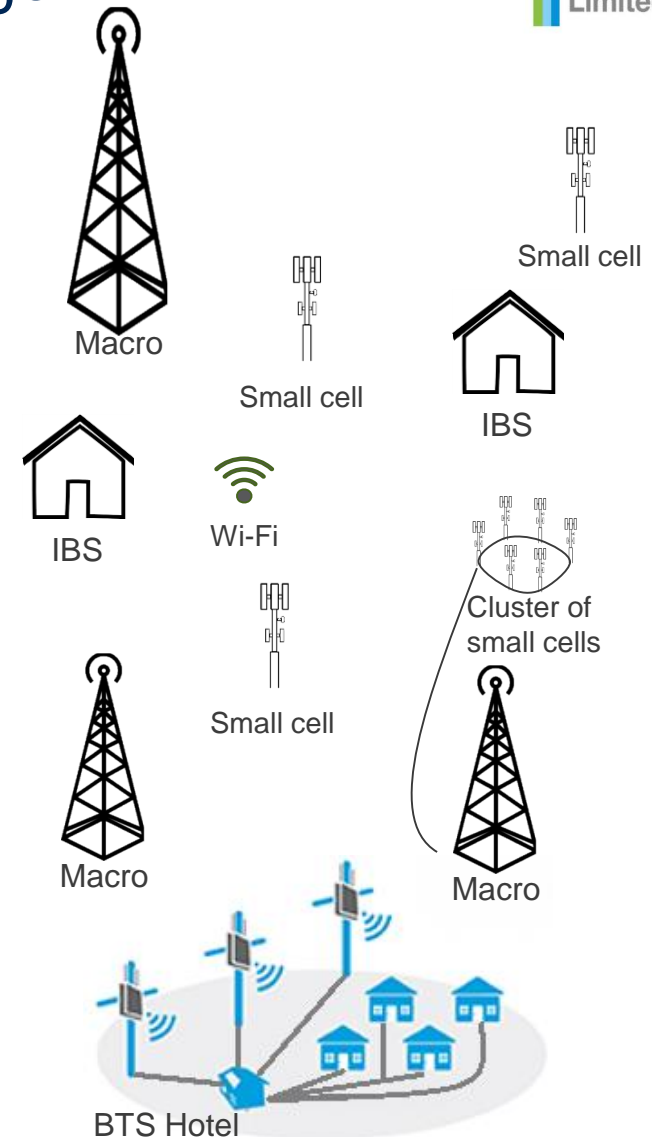
New type of opportunities will emerge

Current opportunities

- › Macro densification
- › In-building solutions (IBS)
- › Smartly placed “small cells”

Adjacent opportunities

- › Wi-Fi complementing 3GPP access
- › Fiber backhaul for high capacity BTS Sites
- › BTS hotels / Outdoor DAS
- › Managed Services
- › NetCo
- › Data Center



Number of Sites will increase; but new type of sites will start to emerge

Bharti Infratel 2.0

Company Strategy

Promote Passive Infrastructure Sharing

Organic Growth and Acquisition Opportunities

Capitalize on opportunities of Data growth, Digital India, Smart Cities Initiatives of Government



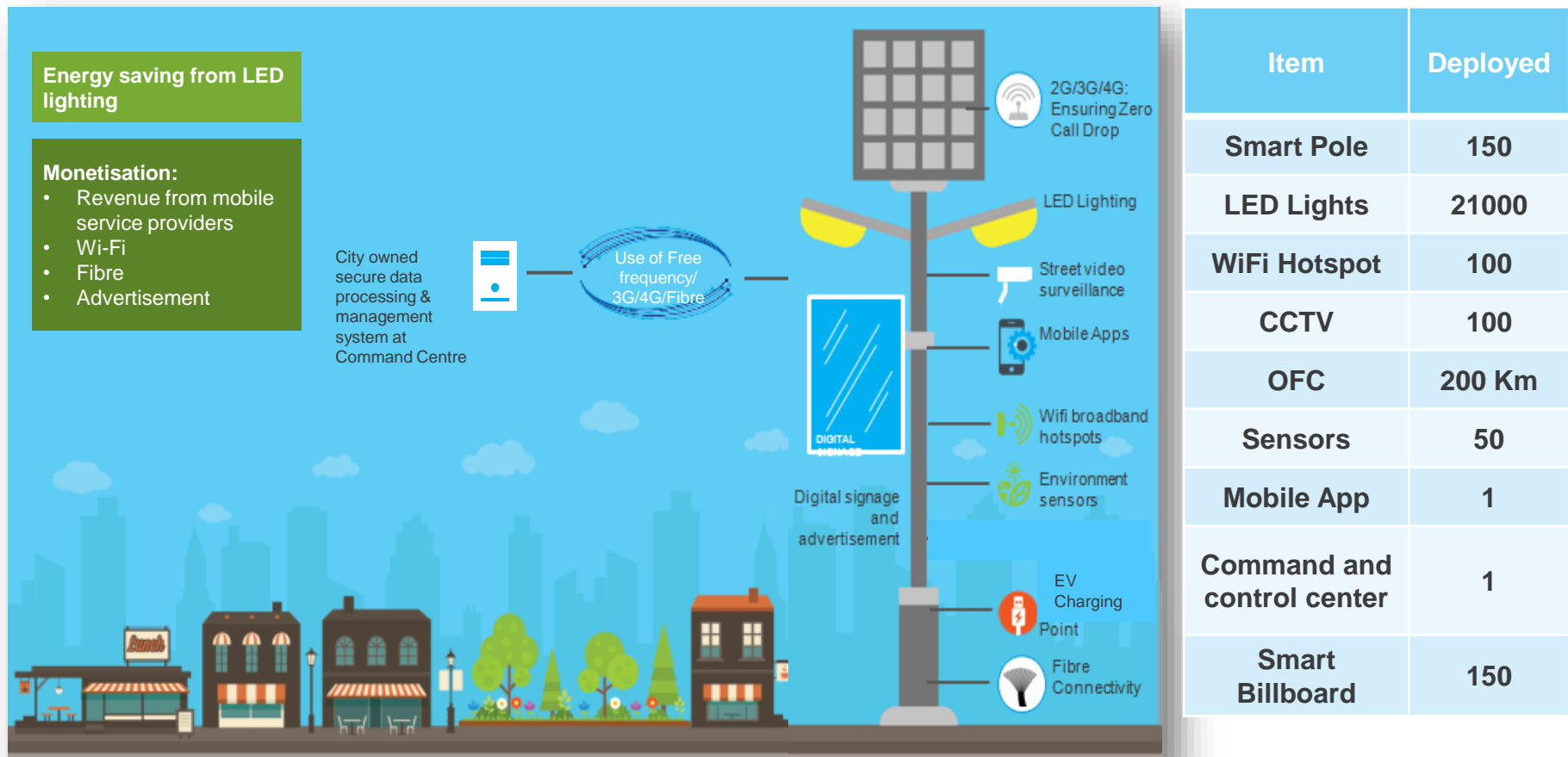
Achieving Cost Efficiencies Across Tower Portfolios

Increasing Revenue and Capital Productivity

Investment Thesis



Bhopal Smart City: Architecture



Great showcase to demonstrate the model and capability

Smart City expertise

- Setting up of infrastructure which will include poles, micro sites and fiberized backhaul
- PPP long term contracts
- Shared ICT infrastructure is the key enabler of the smart city



Smart Cities to throttle us ahead to capitalize on new opportunities

Opportunities for Infratel

- Existing areas of business
 - Maximizing organic business
 - Small Cell
 - In Building Solutions
- New areas
 - Fiber sharing
 - Wi-Fi
 - Smart cities
 - BTS Hotel
 - Managed services
- Selectively evaluate inorganic growth



Thank you

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Glossary

Term	Definition
3GPP	3rd Generation Partnership Project
Bn	Billion
BTS	Base Transceiver System
CCTV	Closed Circuit Television
DAS	Distributed Antenna System
FY	Fiscal Year
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
IBS	In-Building Solutions
ICT	Information and Communication Technology
IoT	Internet of Things
ITU	
LED	Light Emitting Diode
MHz / GHz	Mega / Giga Hertz
MB / GB	Megabyte / Gigabyte

Glossary

Term	Definition
MIMO	Multiple Input Multiple Output
MoU	Minutes of Usage
Ms	Milliseconds
M2M	Machine to Machine
NDCP	National Digital Communications Policy
NetCo	Network Company
OFC	Optical Fiber Cable
Rs / Re	Rupees
Towerco	Tower Company
USD	United States Dollar
Wi-Fi	Wireless Fidelity