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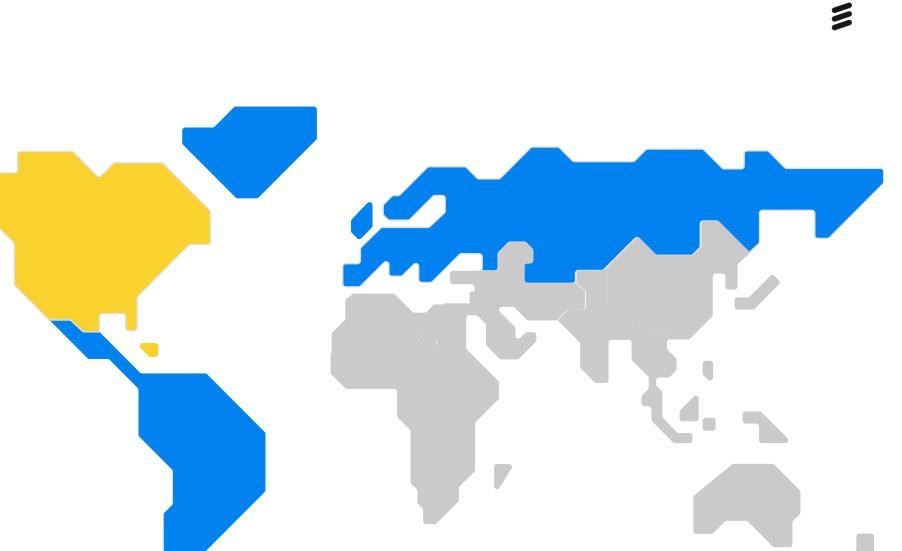
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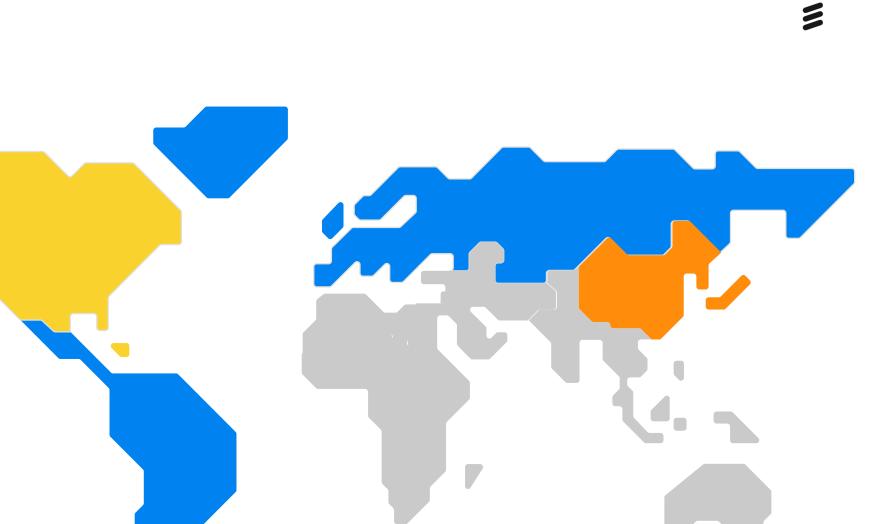
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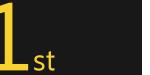




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NB-IoT share in China

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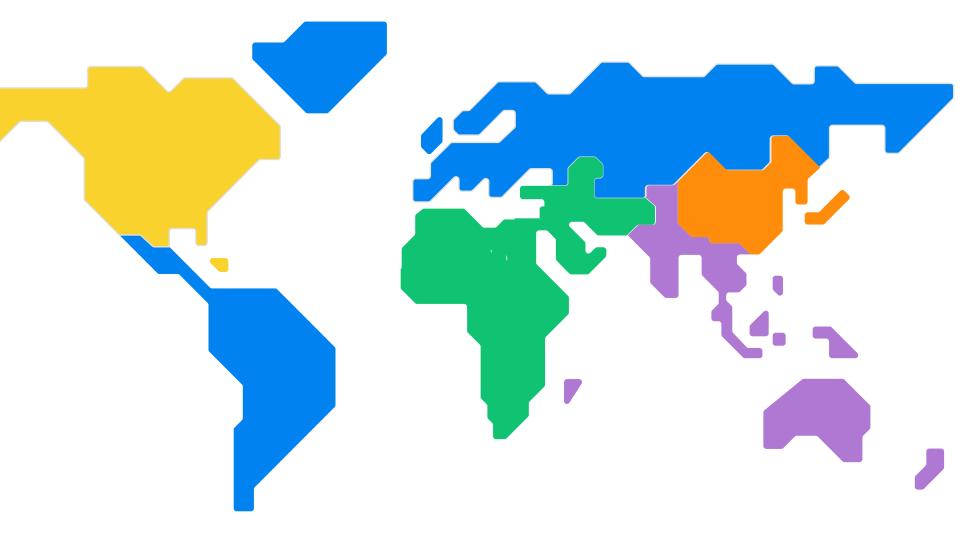
NB-IoT share in China

20%

reduction in working capital

+3%

mobile subscription growth



# Market Area North America

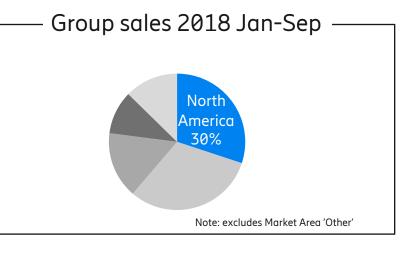
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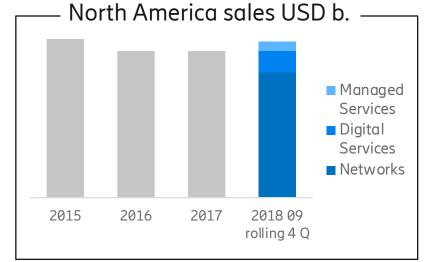
### Ericsson leading in North America

- North American sales were \$6.1B in 2017
- \$4.7B YTD (+9% YoY), driven by investments in 5G readiness \_\_\_\_
- #1 wireless infrastructure vendor in North America
- 10,200+ employees in North America
- Increased investment in local R&D
- Started up local manufacturing

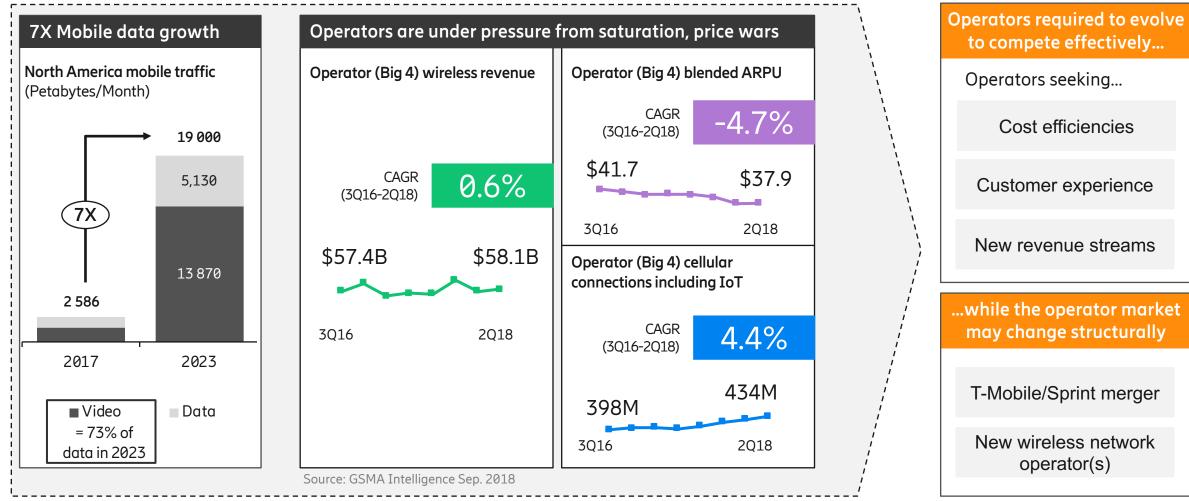
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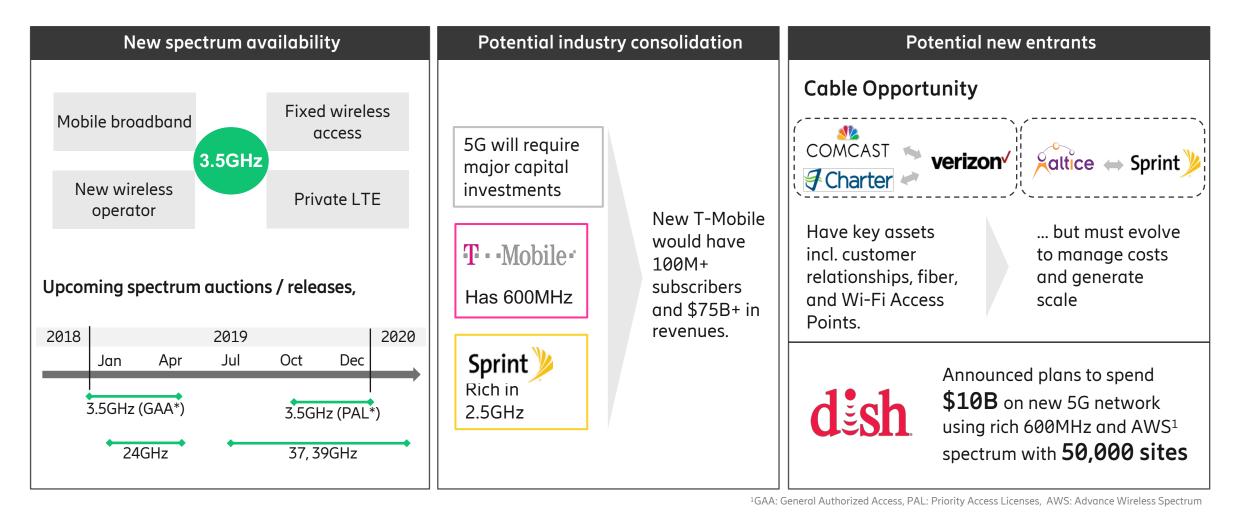


### The market reality



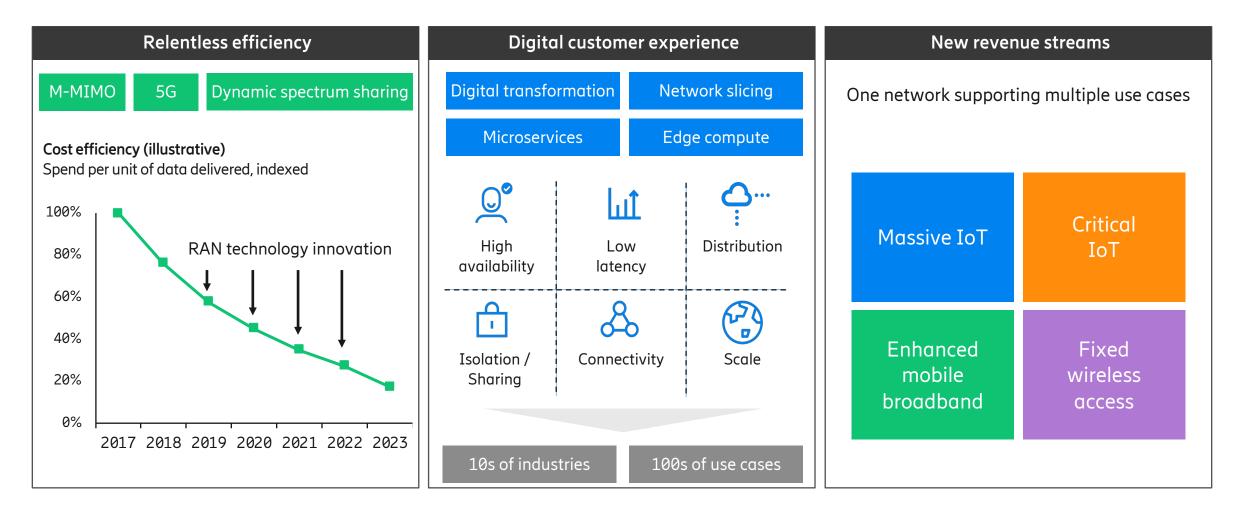
ARPU is blended pre-paid and postpaid, also includes IoT connections where reported which dilutes blended ARPU Wireless Revenue includes device sales, leases and rentals as well as wholesale /affiliate sales

### The evolving industry



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### The business opportunity



### The 5G race in North America

	Commercial launch plans as announced by the operators		operators
	2018 Q4	2019	
AT&T		Mobile broadband 12 cities 5G NR* (39 GHz)	
Sprint		Mobile broadband 9 cities 5G NR* (2.5 GHz)	Plans to be
<b>T</b> • • Mobile •		Mobile broadband 30 cities 5G NR* (28/39 GHz)	announced
verizon	Fixed wireless access 4 cities 5G TF* (28 GHz)	Mobile broadband 5G NR* (28/39 GHz)	

 Ericsson awarded 5G contracts across all top-4 operators

- Two initial use cases:
  Fixed wireless access and mobile broadband
- Contracted for high-, mid-, and low-band 5G NR\*
- Additional spectrum 2019:3.5 GHz and 24 GHz

### Summary and priorities going forward

North America is leading the global 5G race

Service providers are transforming to address new opportunities

Ericsson is uniquely positioned to support our customers maximize operating efficiencies, customer experience and new revenue growth

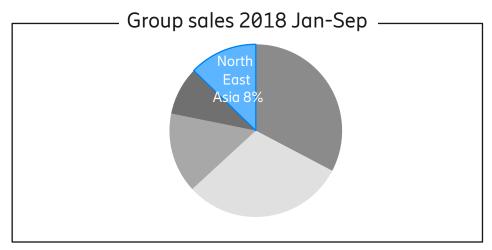
# Market Area North East Asia

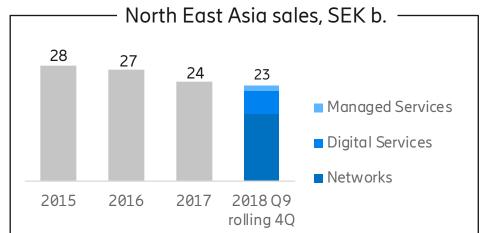
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Chris Houghton, SVP and Head of North East Asia

### Ericsson in North East Asia

- 16,100 employees
  - 14,100 in Greater China (Mainland China, Taiwan, Hong Kong)
  - 2,000 in Japan and Korea
- Ericsson market position
  - No.1 in Taiwan
  - No.2 in Korea
  - No.2 in Hong Kong
  - No.3 in Japan
  - No.3 in Mainland China
- North East Asia sales
  - Mass LTE deployments in China 2015-2016
  - Mass LTE deployments in Japan pre 2015
  - 4G declining investments whilst operators prepare for 5G





#### North East Asia market

#### Comments

- North East Asia provides scale and innovation.
- Operators capex investments in non 5G declining whilst investment in 5G commencing, overall flat capex spend.
- Sharp growth in data traffic whilst slow uptake of additional revenue streams.
- Core transformation towards virtualization.
- Strong drive in Greater China particularly for 5G industrial applications, for example smart manufacturing and connected vehicles.



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#### Addressable wireless capex (RAN+telecom core)

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2017

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### North East Asia by market

#### China market

- 5G the foundation of ambition to be the world's leading economy
- Spectrum allocation at no cost to realize 5G potential
- Operators are developing network capabilities to support growth ambition
- 5G technology studies and lab test/field trials are ongoing to ensure 5G leadership

#### Japan market

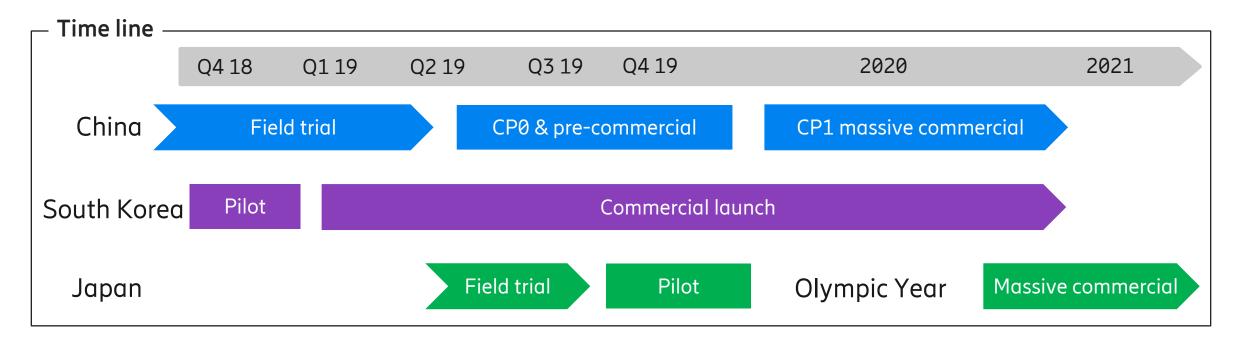
- Main driver for 5G starts from eMBB, later move to IoT/Critical IoT connections
- Initially focus on limited 5G services to support Rugby World Cup and Olympic games
- Volume deployments expected in 2H 2020/2021.
   Constraints are spectrum allocation and construction resources (due to Olympic games activity)

#### South Korea market

- Government vision of smart manufacturing, health and transport running on 5G networks
- Wants to be one of the first in the world to commercialize 5G
- Operators initially focus on limited 5G services to support government ambition
- Volume deployments expected 2020/2021

### 5G in North East Asia

- Ericsson awarded 5G contract by SKT in Q3 2018
- One of the earliest markets to launch 5G (Korea in early 2019)
- Expected to be the biggest 5G market in the world (China from 2020) through government support



#### Priorities going forward

Improve business performance in Mainland China

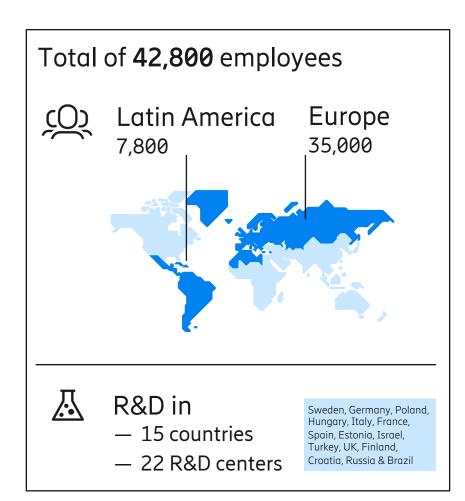
Increase footprint in Japan and Korea

Secure 5G leadership

# Market Area Europe & Latin America

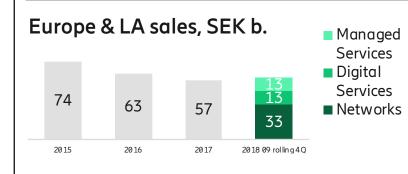
Arun Bansal, SVP and Head of Europe & Latin America

### Ericsson in Europe and Latin America



#### Group sales 2018 Jan-Sep

Europe and Latin America: 29%



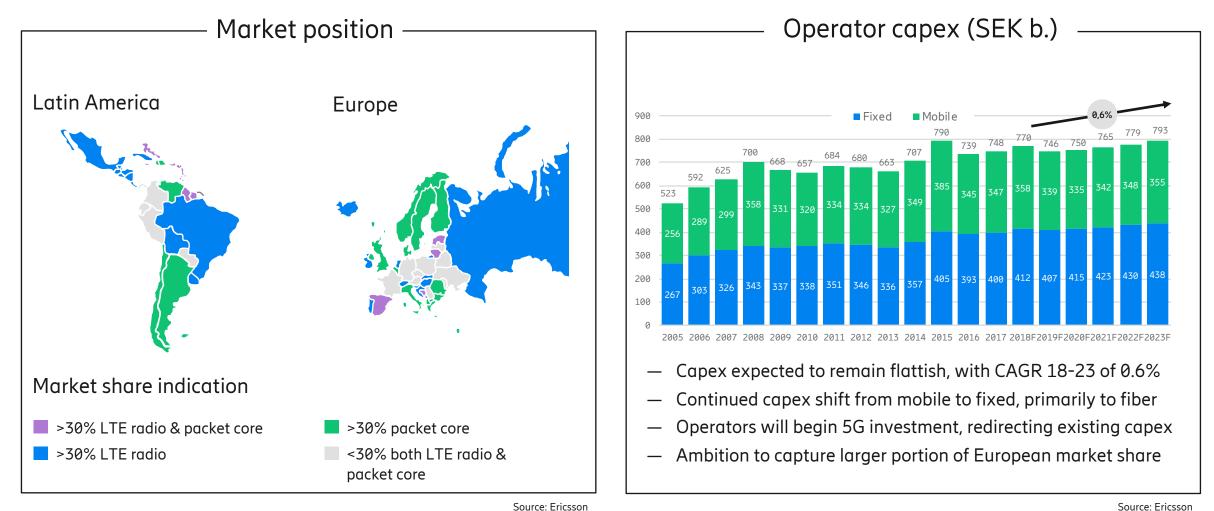
- Market share growth in some European countries
- Brazil modernization & Mexico projects
- Currency exchange rates
- Partially offset by managed services contract renegotiations/exits

Top Countries		
Brazil United Kingdom Italy Spain Russia	France Germany Mexico Sweden Netherland	
> 60% ne	et sales	

Telefonica	MTS
American Movil	Wind Tre
Vodafone	Bouygues
Orange	Entel
Telecom Italia	Telia
Duetsche Telekom	

> 60% net sales

### Market position and capital spending



Source: Ericsson

### Selective gain of 4G footprint in Europe

#### 4G Growth in European market share

#### Portfolio leadership

- Ericsson Radio System
  - Product leadership
  - Competitive TCO
- 5G software upgrade capability
- Strong and competitive local services delivery



### 5G leadership in Europe

### 5G

- Spectrum allocation, pricing and limited license term challenging
- Standalone industrial use case requires 5G capability not available until 2020
- Market fragmentation and clarity on the 5G business case

 US and China growth promoting 5G acceleration in Europe

Desired frontrunners beginning to emerge



# Digitalization of Telecom core and Front end to enable 5G

— Reduce opex

- Speed to launch consumer services
- End to end digitalization
- Agile consumer offerings



### Priorities going forward

#### Strengthen 4G footprint

#### Focus on 5G in Europe

#### **Enable digitalization of Telecom core and Front end**

#### Key Enablers

- Ensure early 5G deals secure future profits
- Build strong capabilities and accelerate competence shift to new generation products
- Apply strict commercial rules for new business
- Attract talent to drive transformation
- Control cost rigidly



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turnaround	Strong foundation through strategy execution R&D investments and cost out have restored market position and gross margin
Market opportunity	Growing demand for connectivity Addressed through solution in 4G, 5G, IoT and edge
Growth	Selective, disciplined and profitable Grow market share in core, address new value pools and M&A opportunities
Targets	>12% operating margin <sup>1</sup> 2022 Supported by increased sales ambition



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