



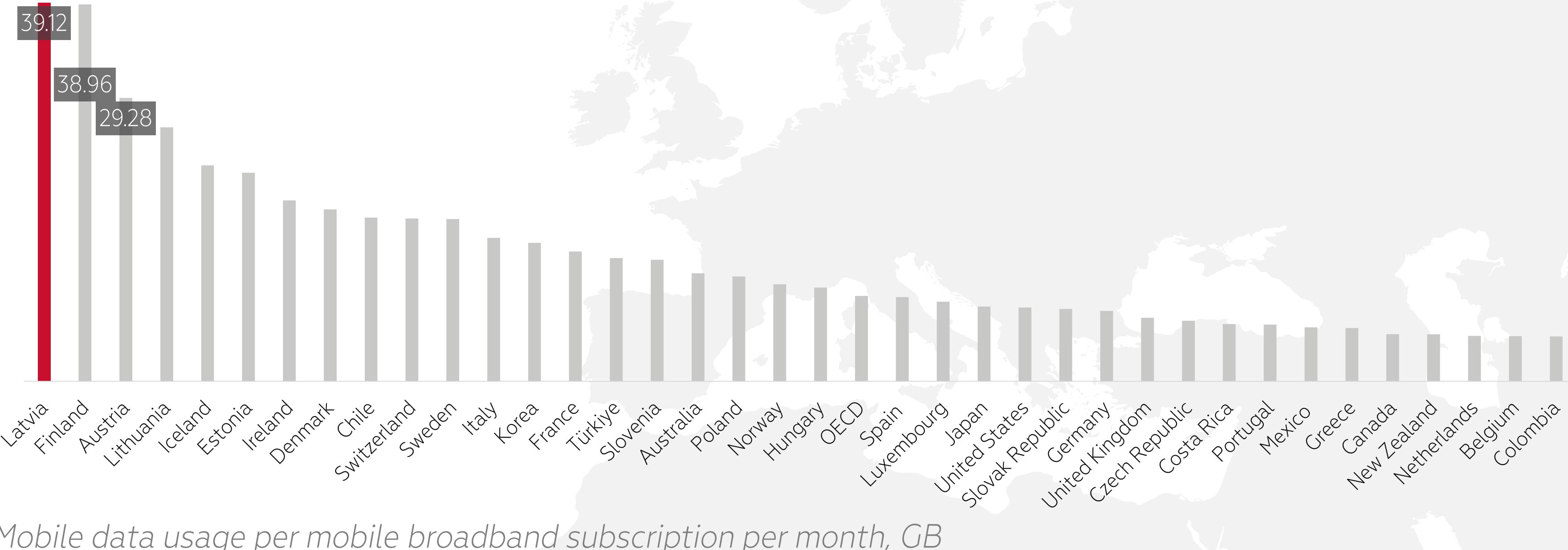
## LATVIJAS MILITĀRĀS INDUSTRIJAS STRATĒGIJA, INOVĀCIJAS UN LMT LOMA NOZARES ATTĪSTĪBĀ

**Ingmārs Pūķis**  
Viceprezidents

150 gadi



# Latvia leads mobile data consumption

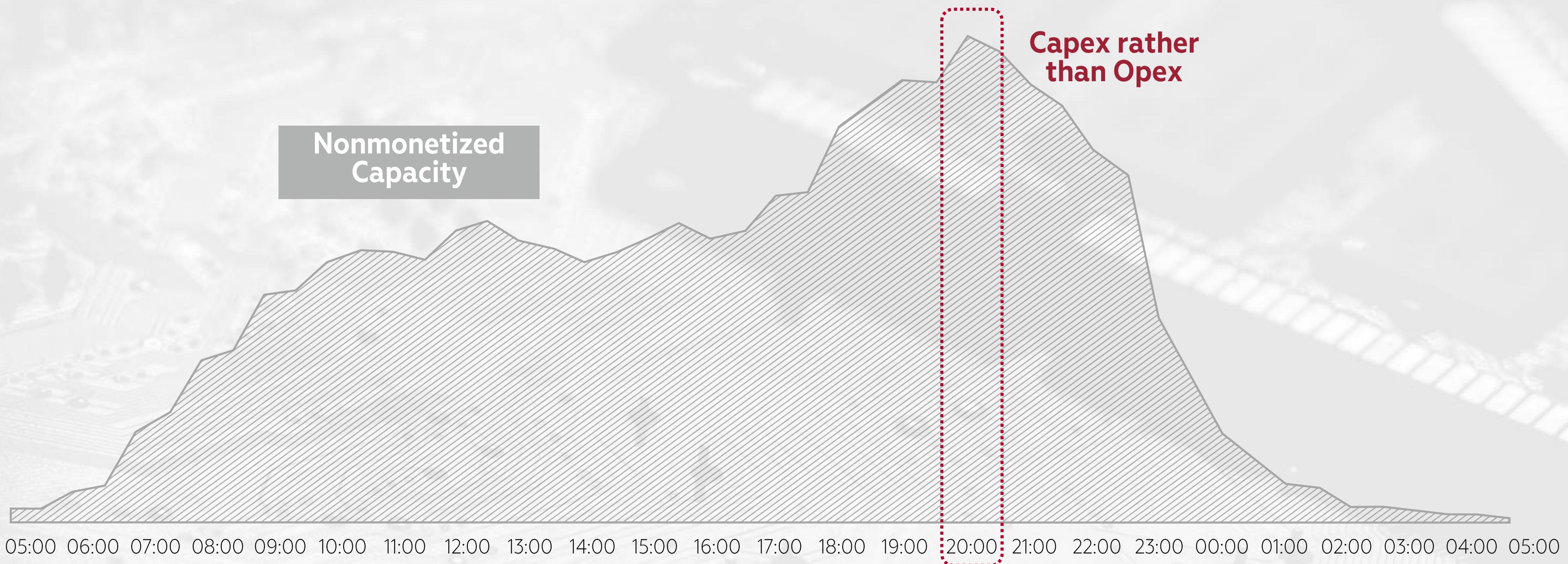


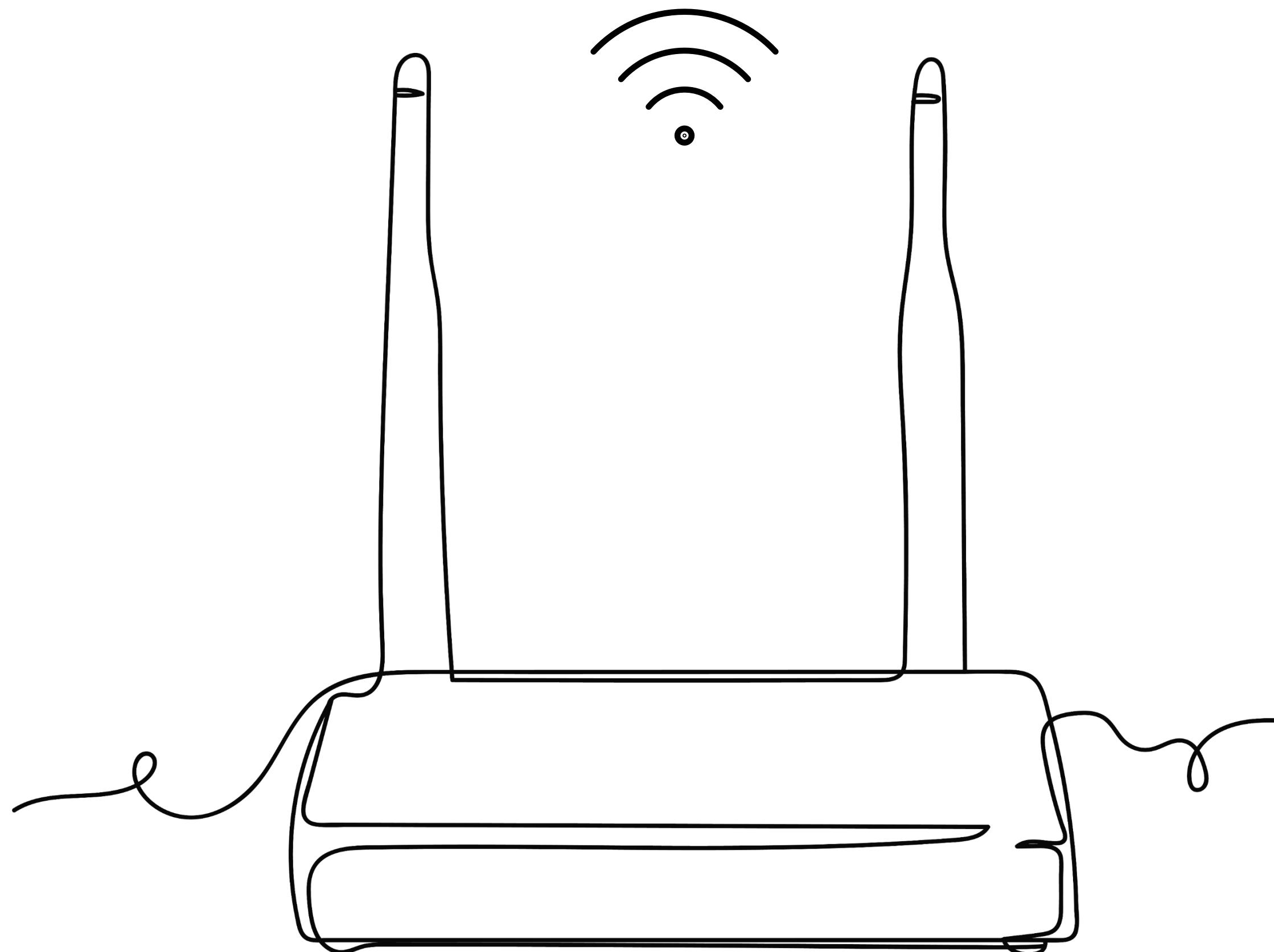
Mobile data usage per mobile broadband subscription per month, GB

Source: OECD, 2023

# Do megabytes have cost?

Network load throughout 24/7

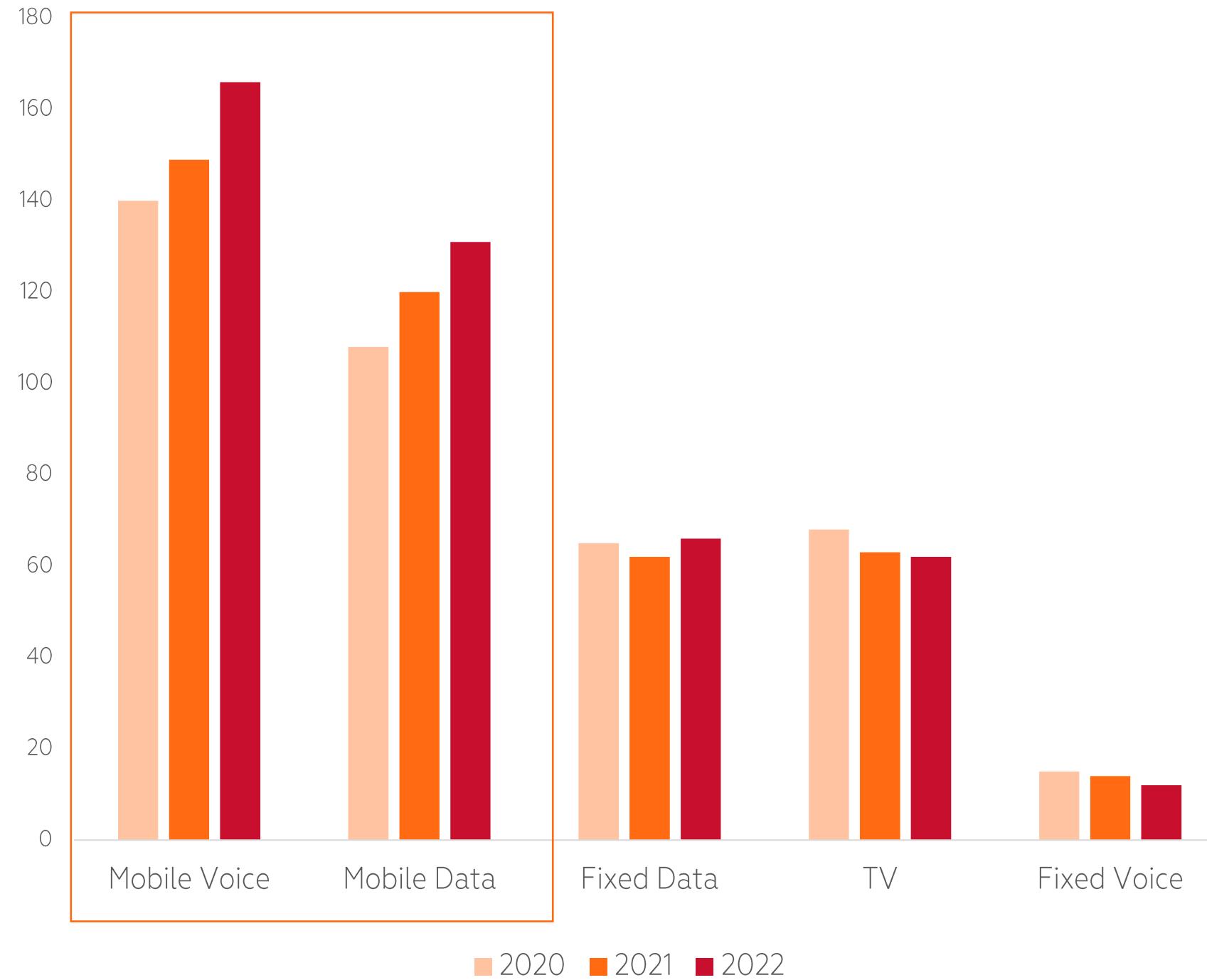




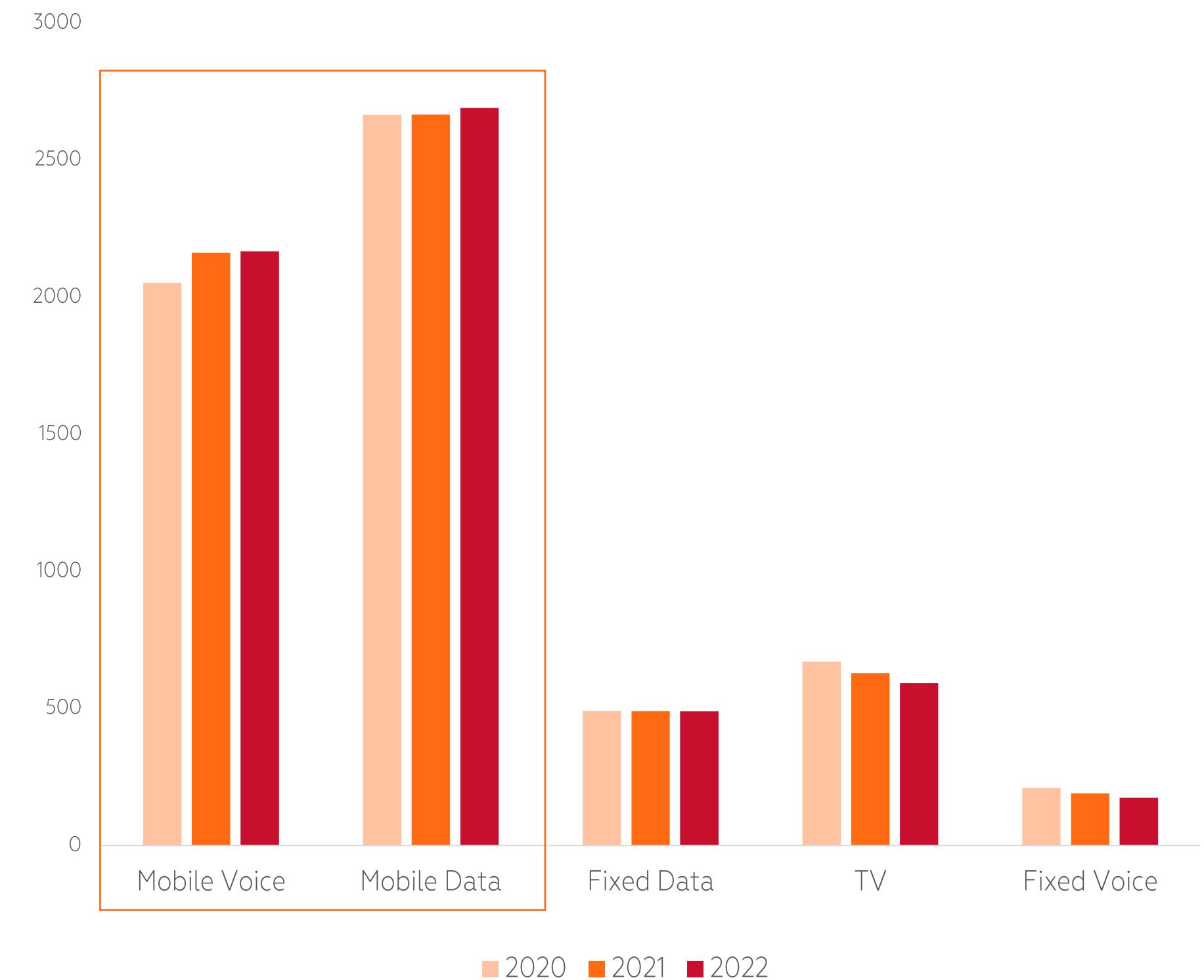
**Wifi is  
The Enemy**

# Mobile services have dominated the market for years

Revenue from electronic communications services (M)

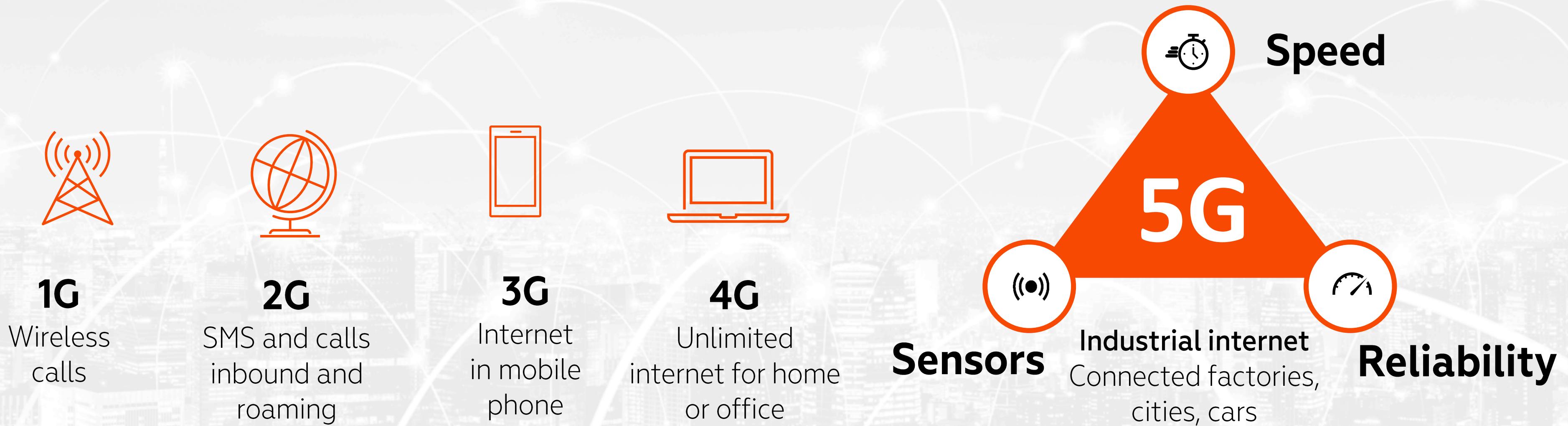


Number of connections to electronic communications services at the end of the year (k)

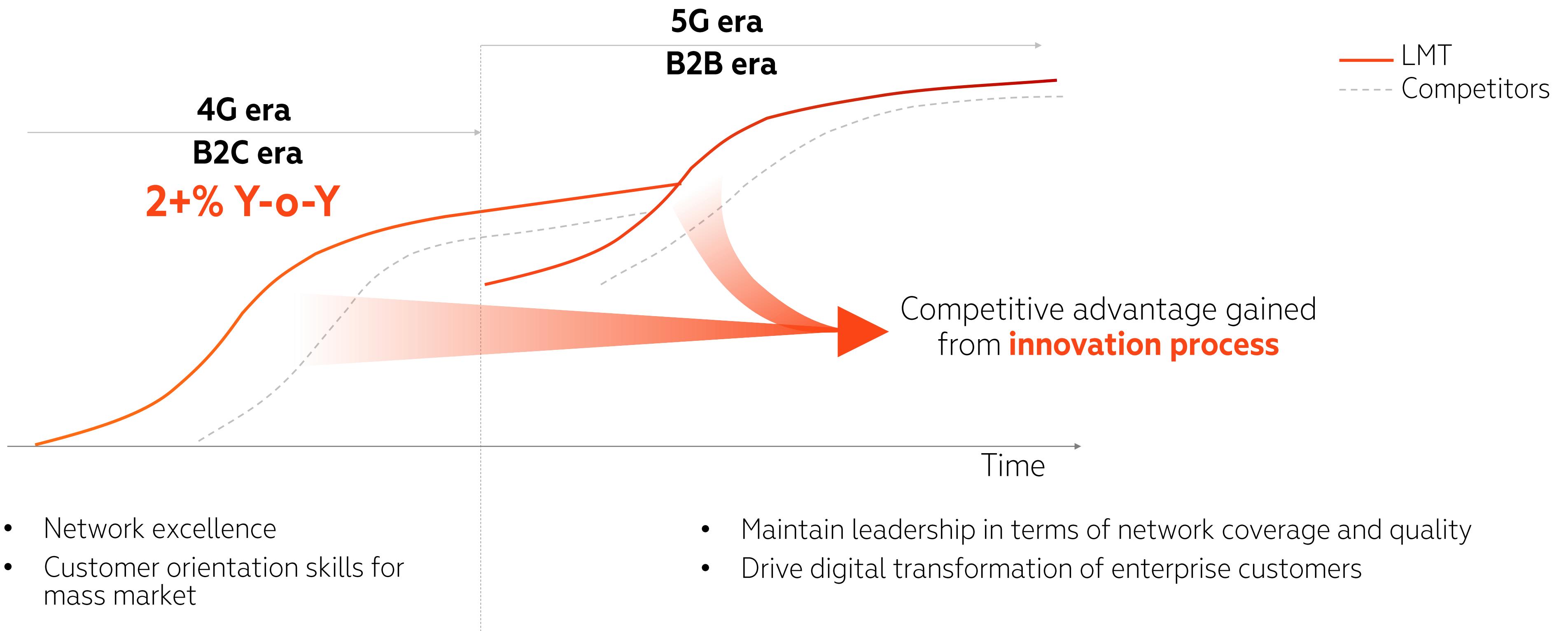


Source: [SPRK.gov.lv](http://SPRK.gov.lv), 2023

# 5G enables a new kind of mobile network



# Transition from 4G to 5G era opens up new business opportunities





LMT Telecommunications  
business

**1992**

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**1992**

**2000**



The diagram illustrates the growth of LMT over time. A horizontal orange arrow at the bottom serves as a timeline. Two orange circles are positioned above the arrow, representing different business units. The top circle, located above the year 2000, contains the text "LMT Telecommunications business". The bottom circle, located below the year 2000, contains the text "LMT Retail & Logistics". Both circles have white outlines and are partially overlapping. In the background, there is a faint, grayscale image of a modern building with a glass facade and structural steel framework. The word "mix" is visible on the side of the building, along with some abstract, overlapping shapes.

LMT  
Telecommunications  
business

LMT  
Retail &  
Logistics

## Member of international associations:



## Certificates:



Kvalitātes  
vadība



Vides  
vadība

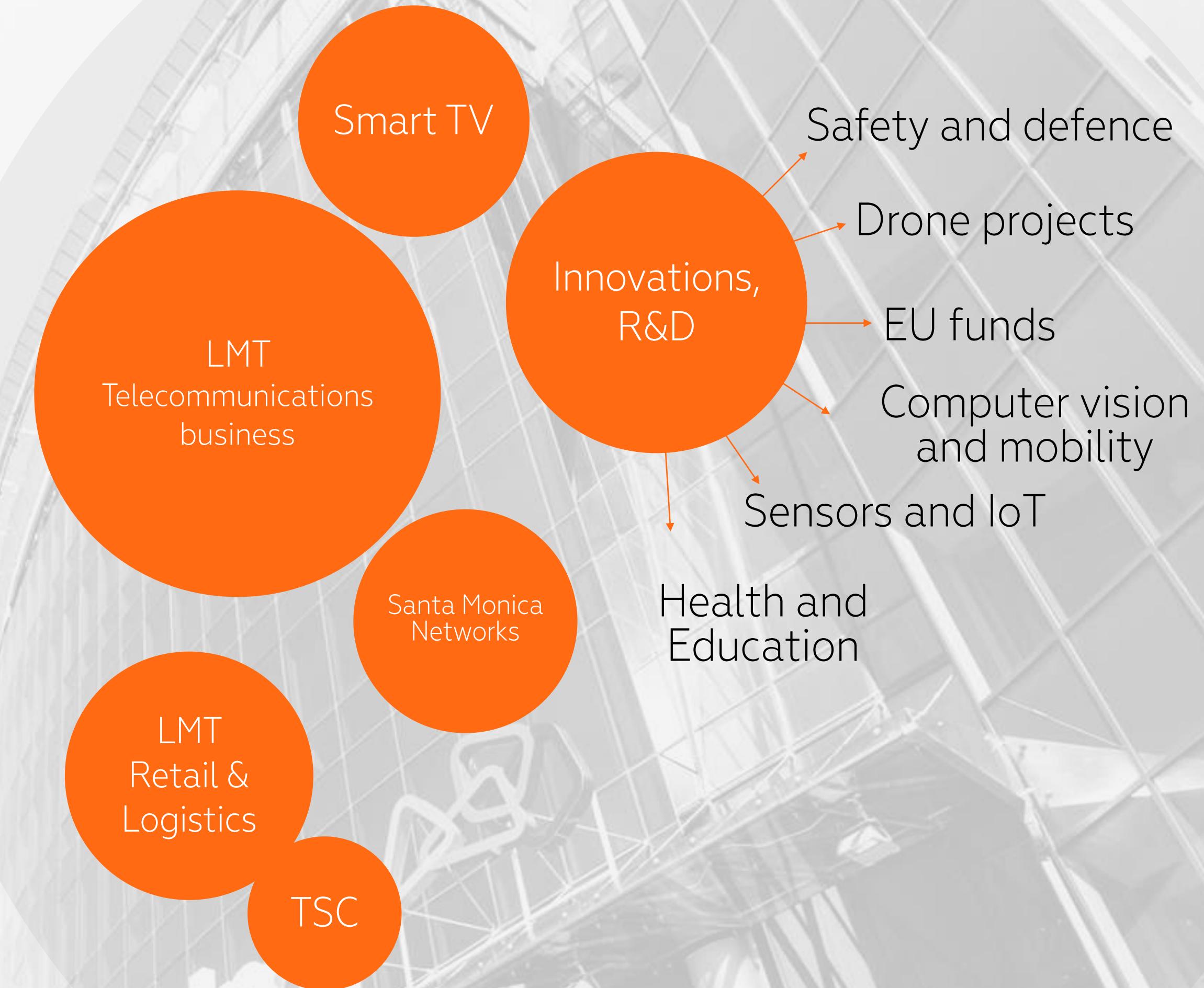


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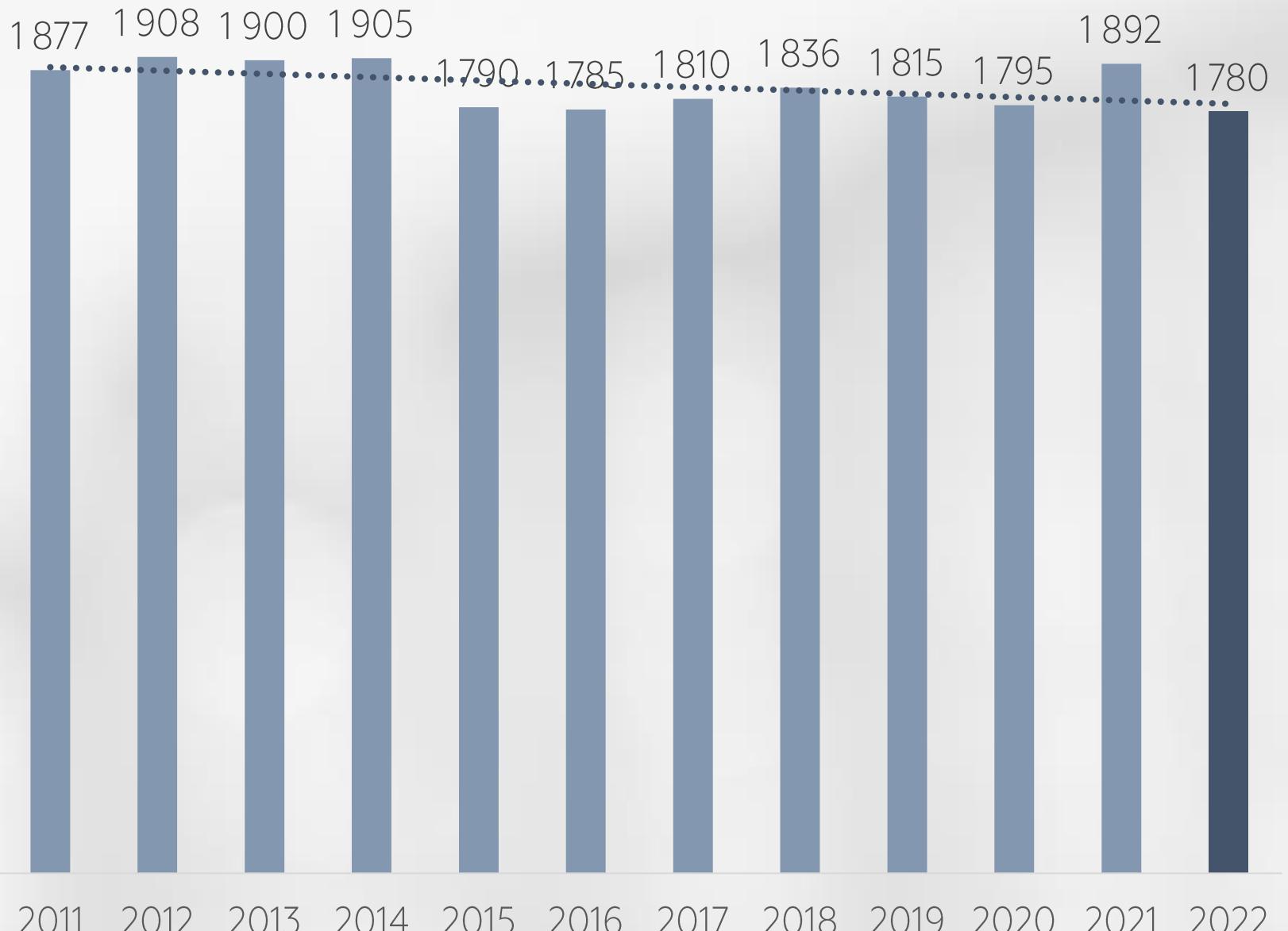
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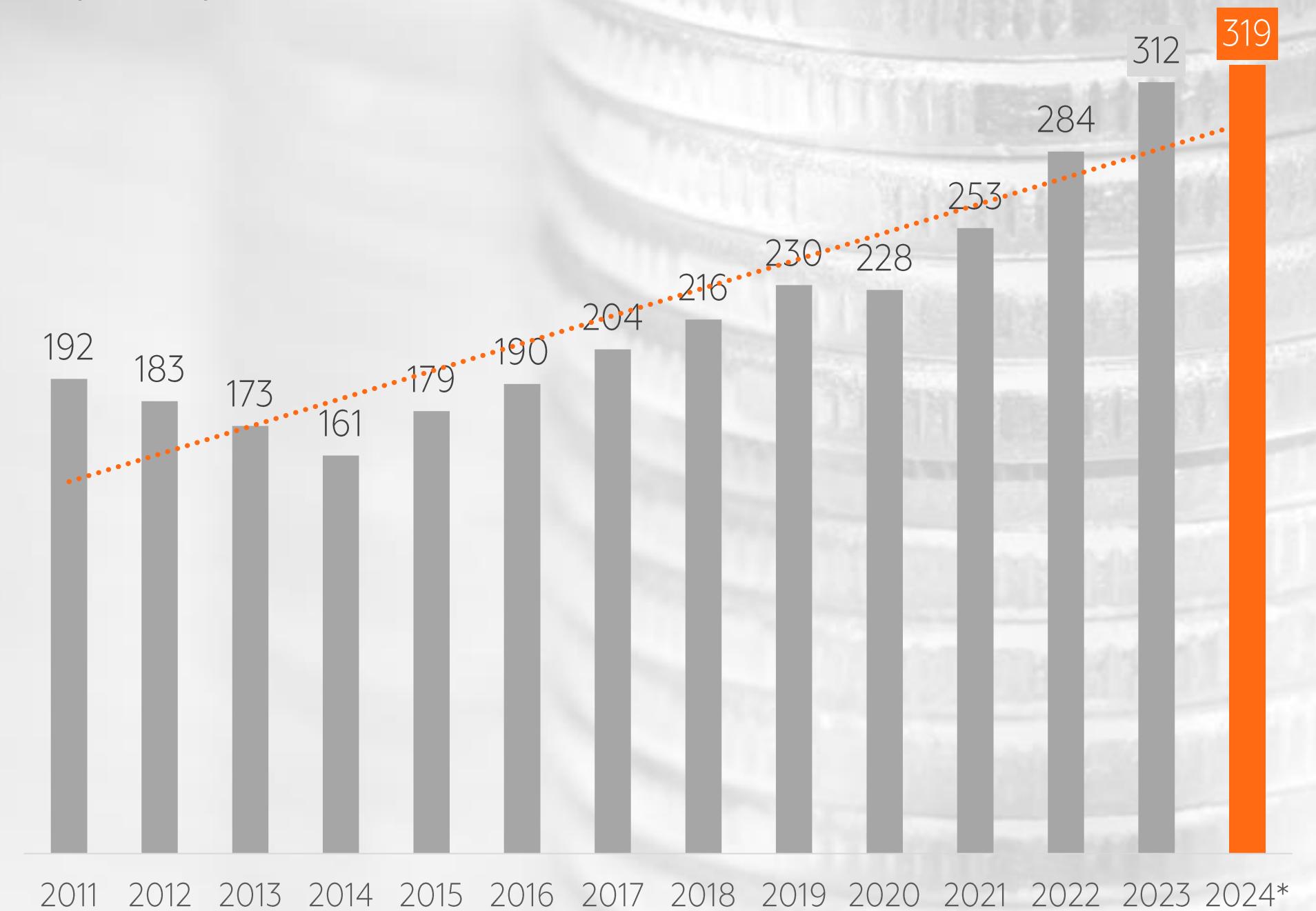
Today



## Global revenues of telecommunication companies worldwide, B\$ 2011-2022



## LMT Group revenue, M€ 2011-2024

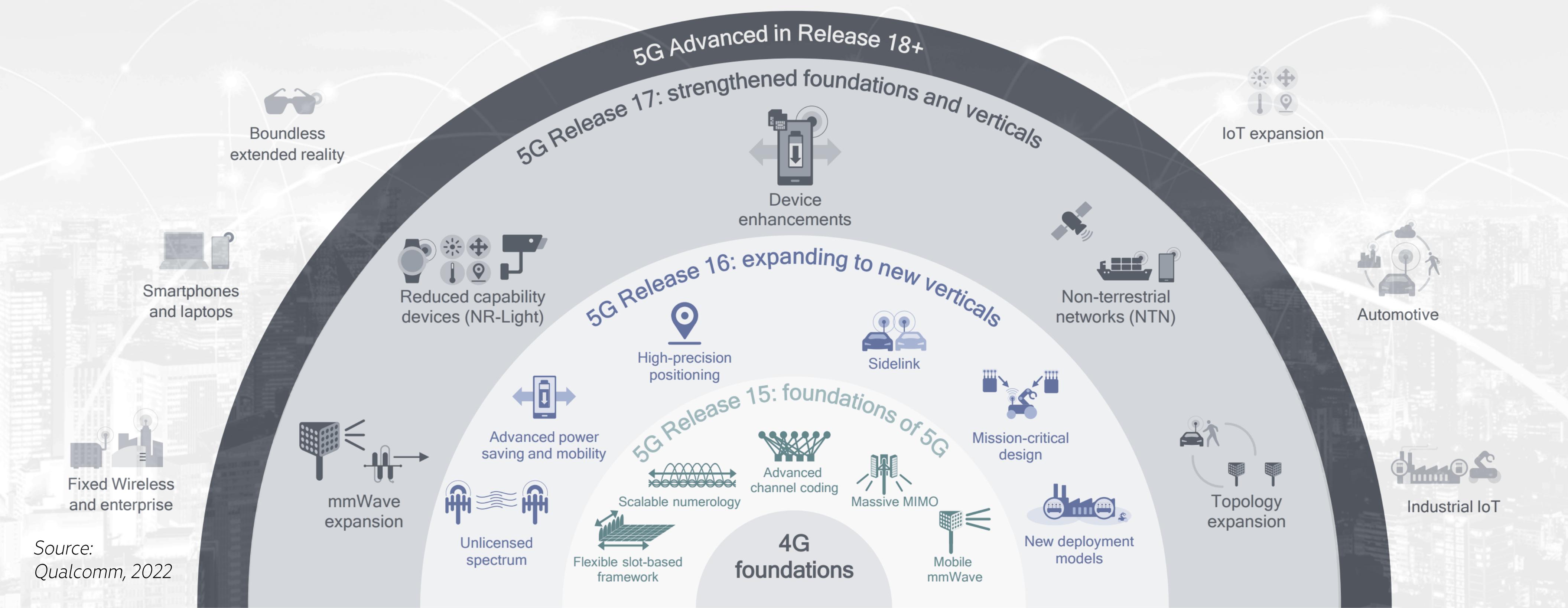


Source: <https://inform.tmforum.org/>

# Transformation from 4G to 5G

Mobile broadband services are improved

New verticals are enabled



# LMT 5G test sites

5G Sea  
Network



RSU Health tech,  
VT/AR/XR

RTU  
IoT, ML/AI, 5G/6G,  
Microchips, OpenRAN

LU / LU MII  
quantum technologies/  
big data

5G EMC Lab

VEFRESH  
Smart City

Bikernieki 5G  
mobility

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Drone testbed

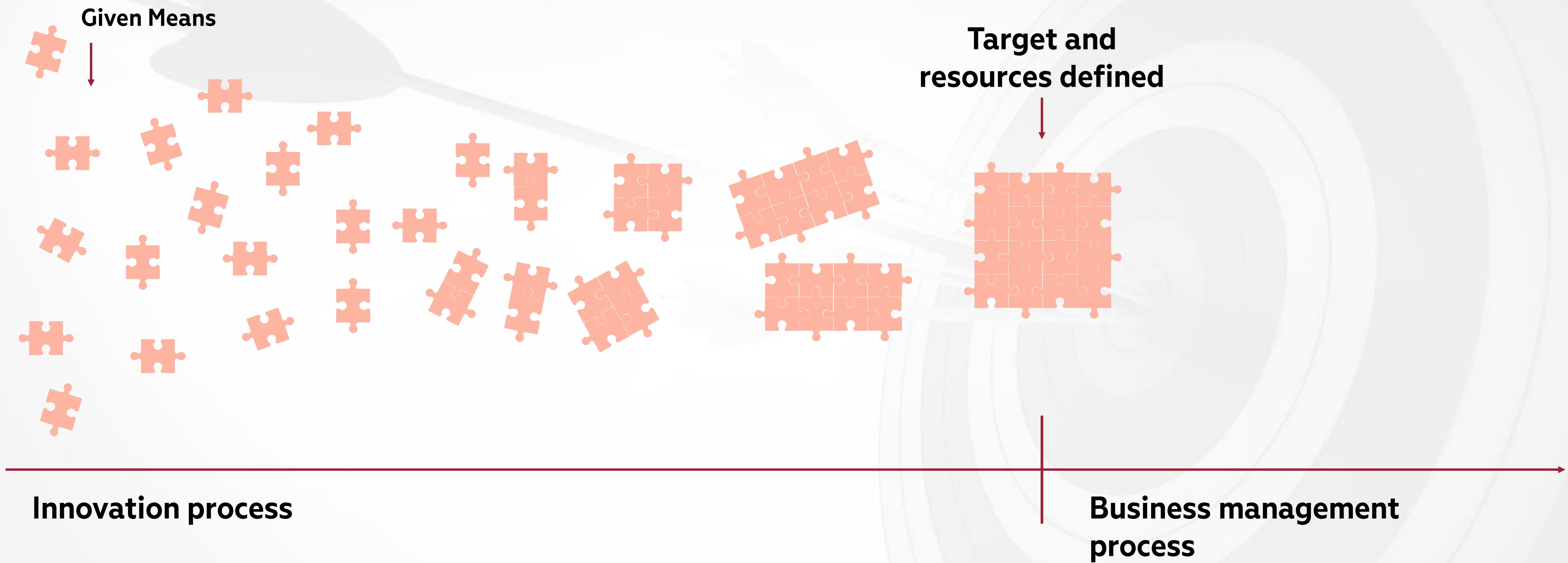
Ādaži  
5G defence



# How to define the goal of innovation?

## Entrepreneurial Thinking (Effectual)

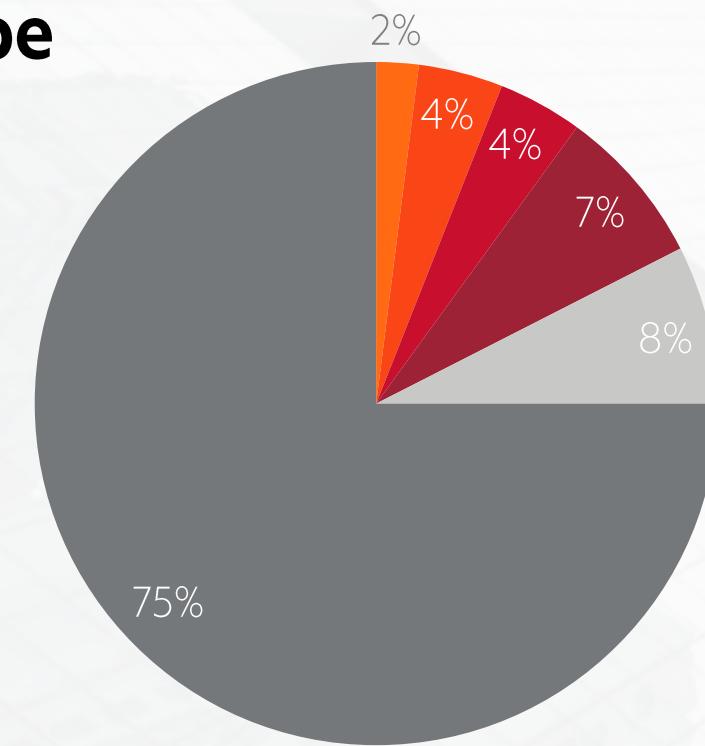
Imagining a possible new end using a given set of means



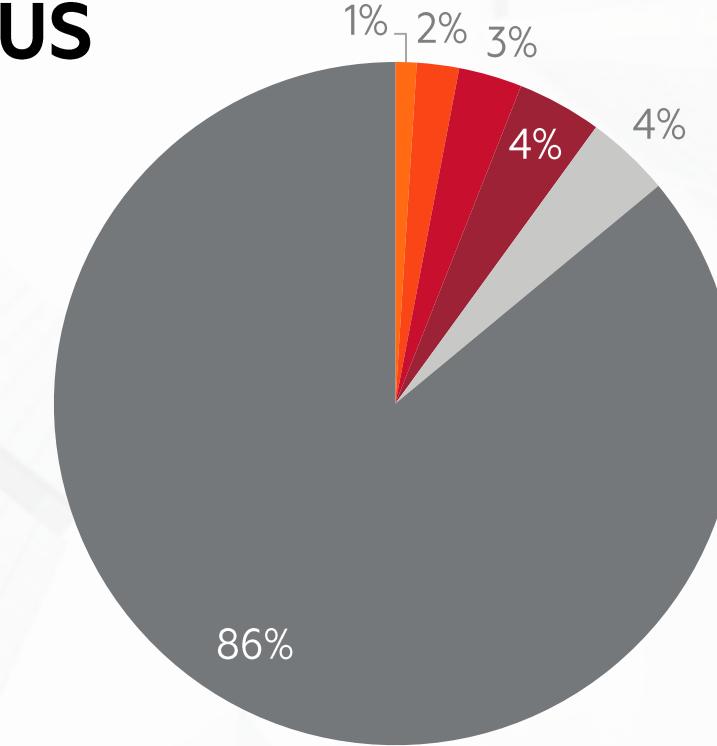
# In Europe and the US, research and development is funded by large companies

The amount of investment of companies in R&D depending on the number of employees in the company

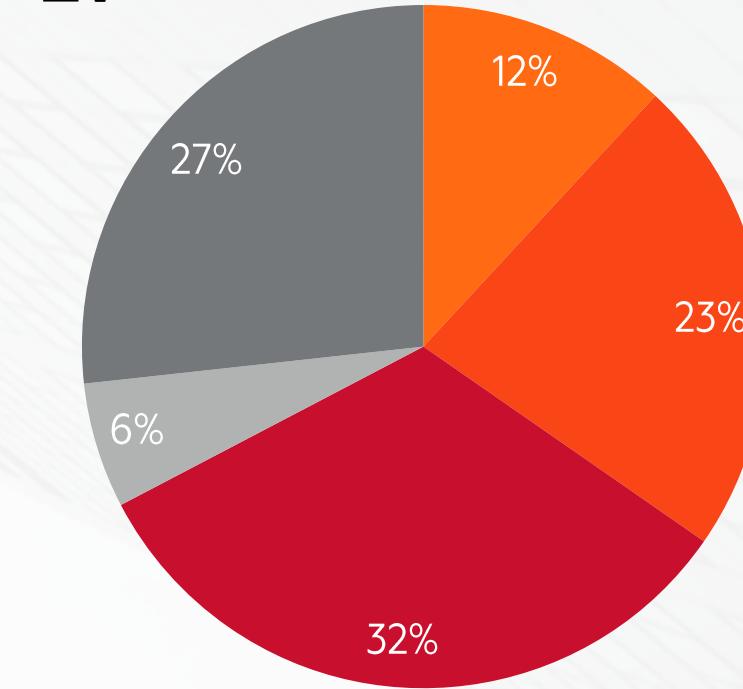
**Europe**



**US**



**LV**



■ 0-19 ■ 20-49 ■ 50-99 ■ 100-249 ■ 250-499 ■ >500

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Source: [europa.eu](https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/), 2022

Source: [nces.nsf.gov](https://nces.ed.gov), 2020

Source: [stats.oecd.org](https://stats.oecd.org), 2022

# US model

Investments in research and development

Federal funding for R&D  
*Planned in 2023*

**0.76%**  
of GDP

Source:  
<https://www.statista.com>

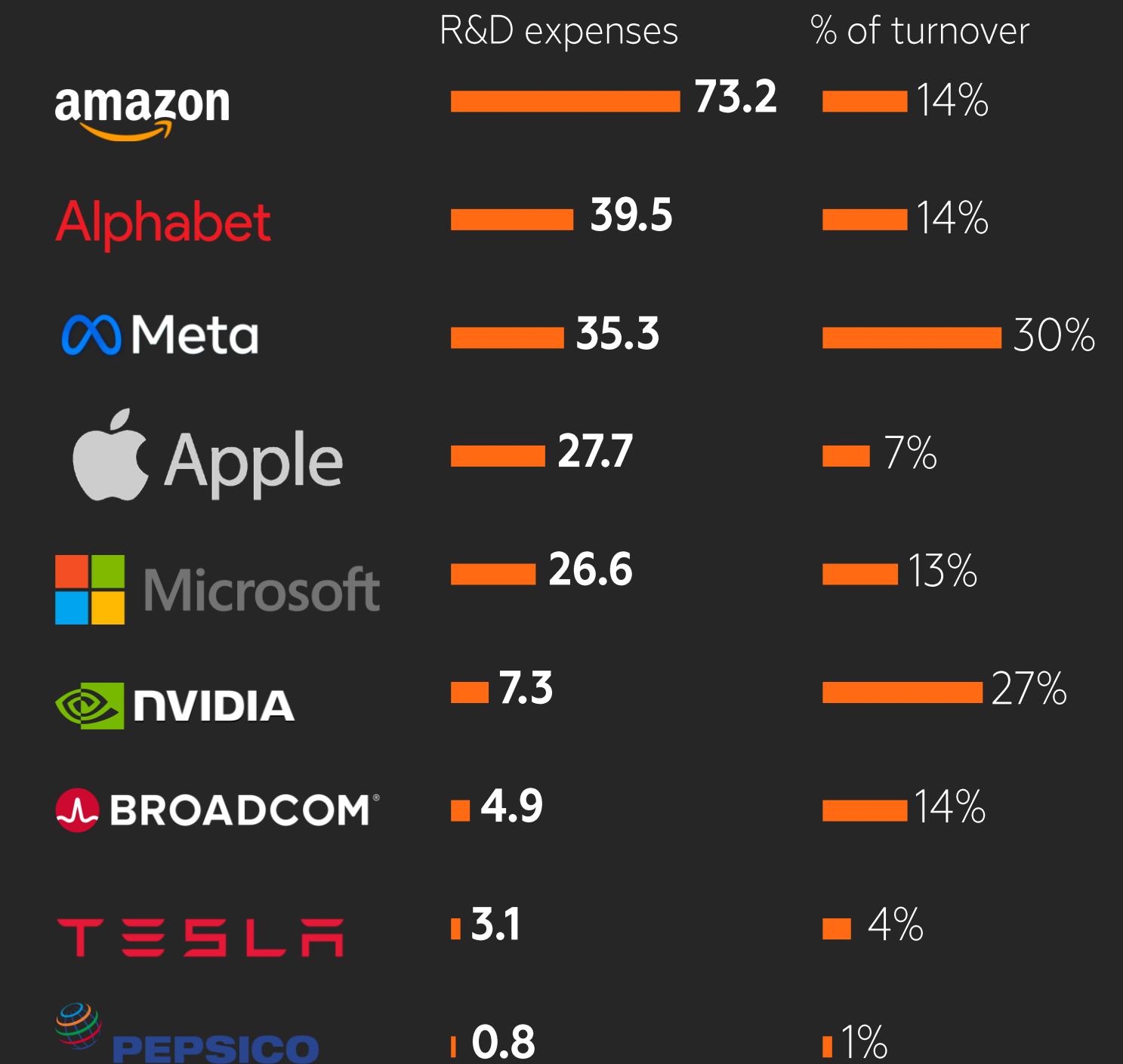


Top universities  
2022, spending on R&D,  
billion \$

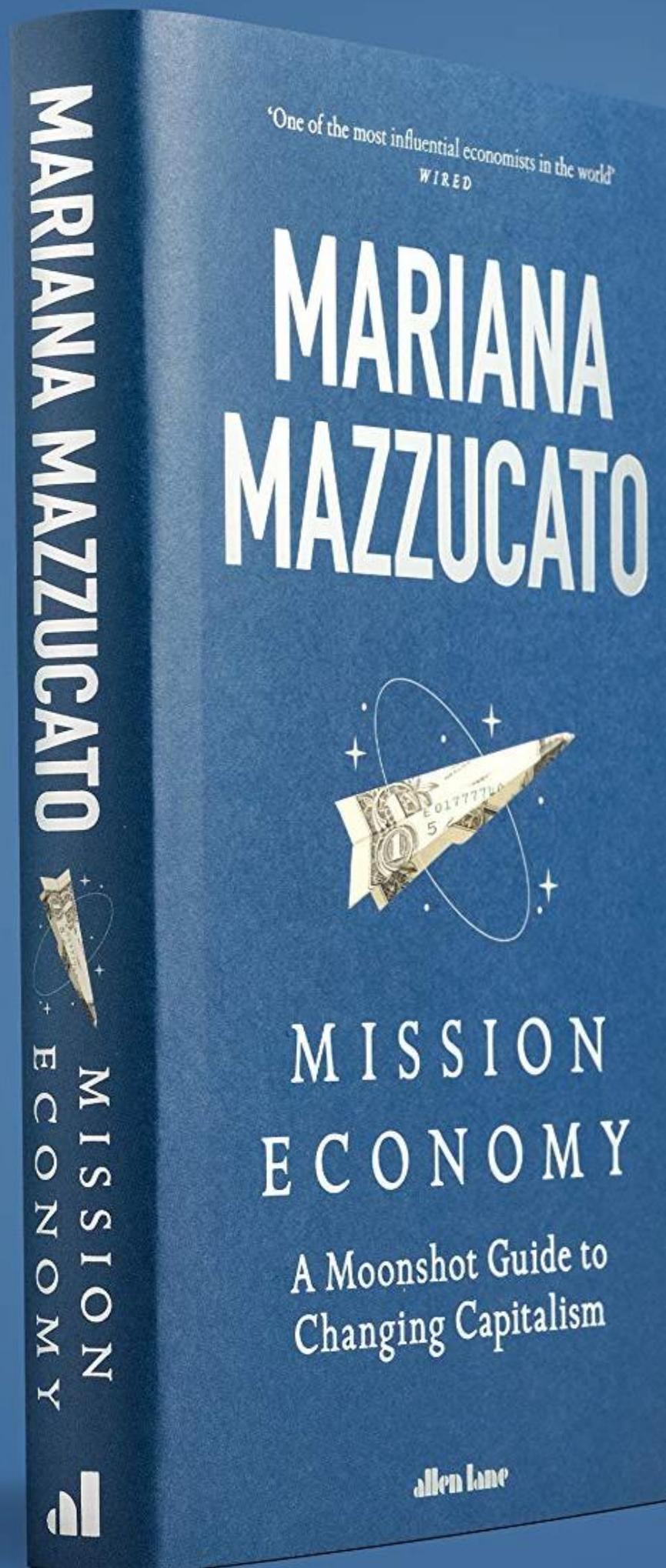
1. Johns Hopkins University	<b>3.2</b>
2. University of California, SF	<b>1.7</b>
3. University of Michigan	<b>1.6</b>
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5. University of Washington	<b>1.5</b>

Source: [universitybusiness.com](https://universitybusiness.com)

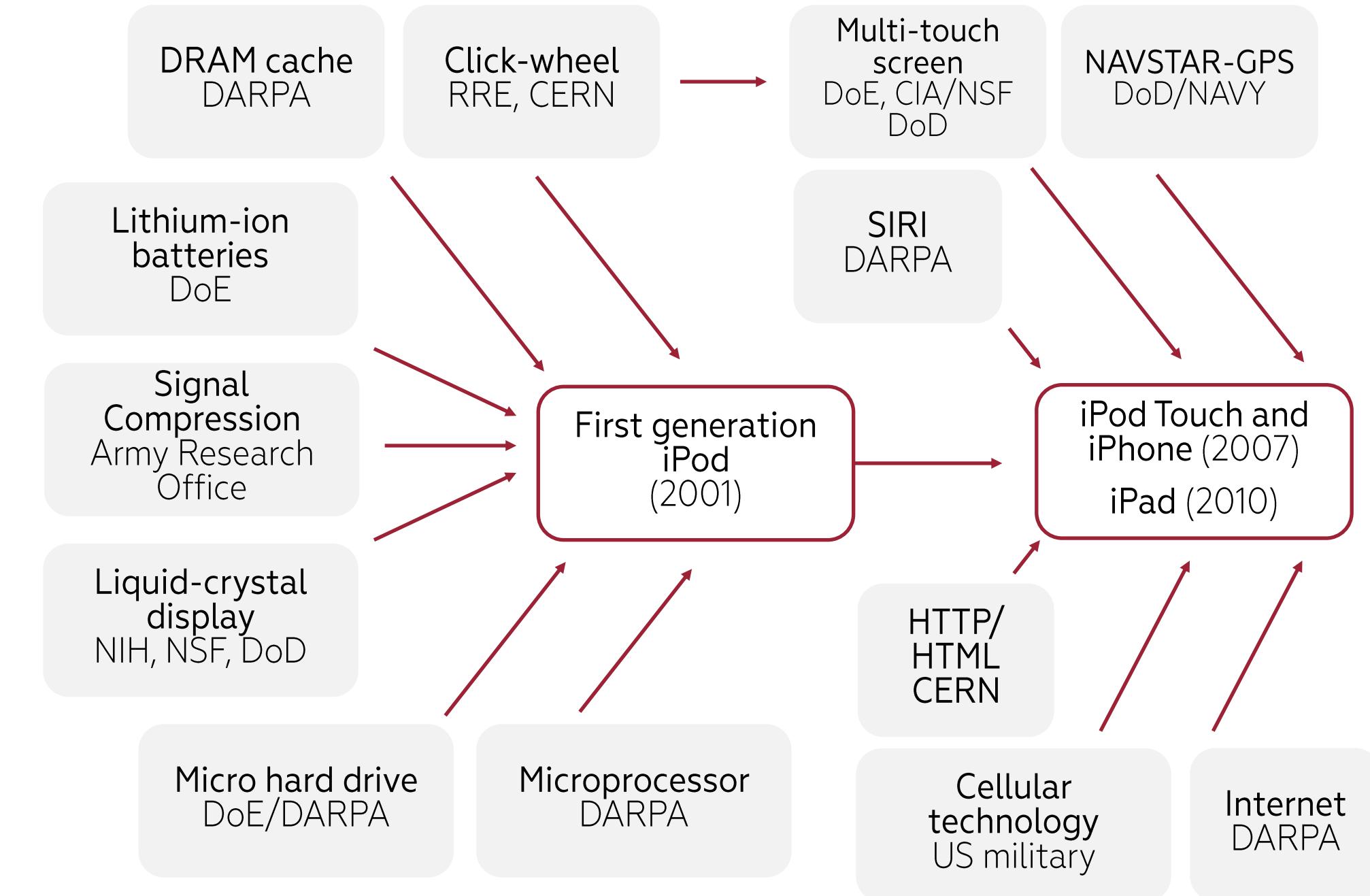
Top companies  
2022, billion \$



Source: [visualcapitalist.com](https://visualcapitalist.com)



## What makes the iPhone so smart?



Source: Mazzucato (2013), p. 109, Fig. 13

# Successful missions 1990-2020



«We want to join  
the EU!»



«We want to join the  
NATO!»

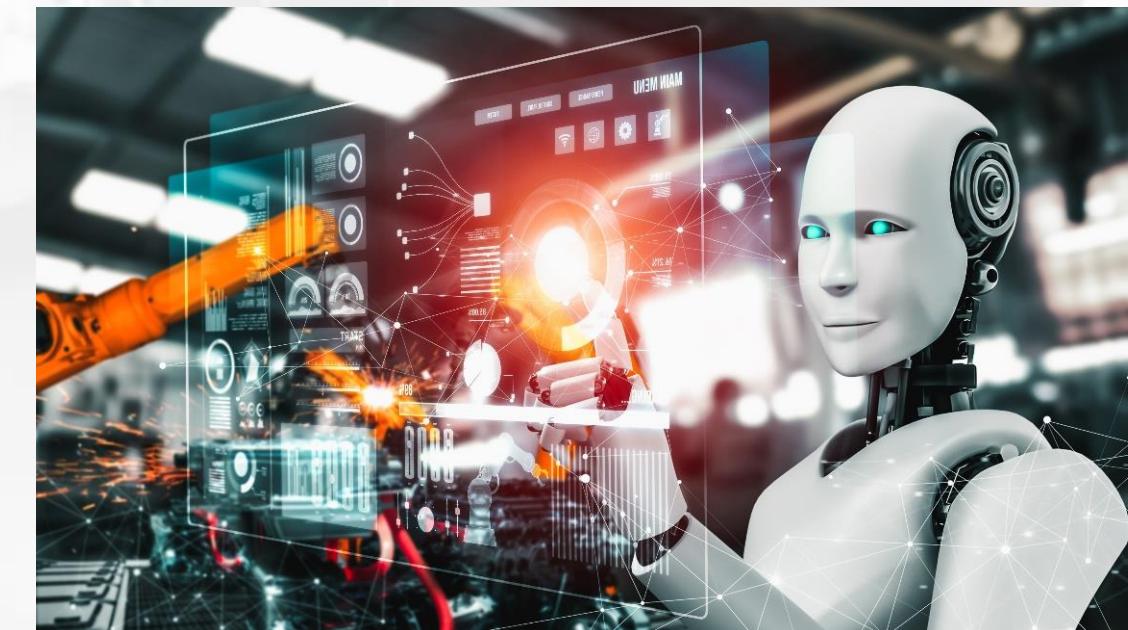


«We want to join the  
EUROZONE!»

# Missions for the development



**Energy  
independence**



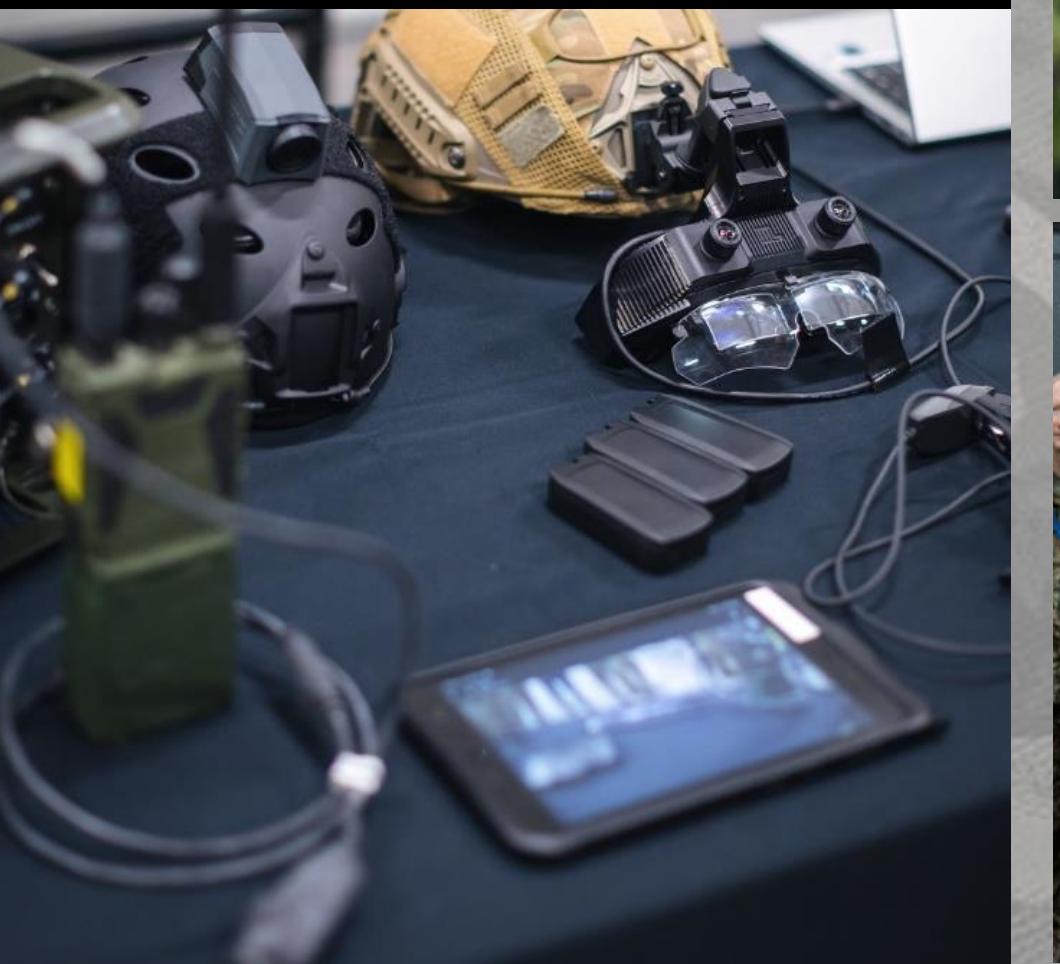
**Science and technology  
intensive education and  
production**



**Modernization of  
defense capabilities**

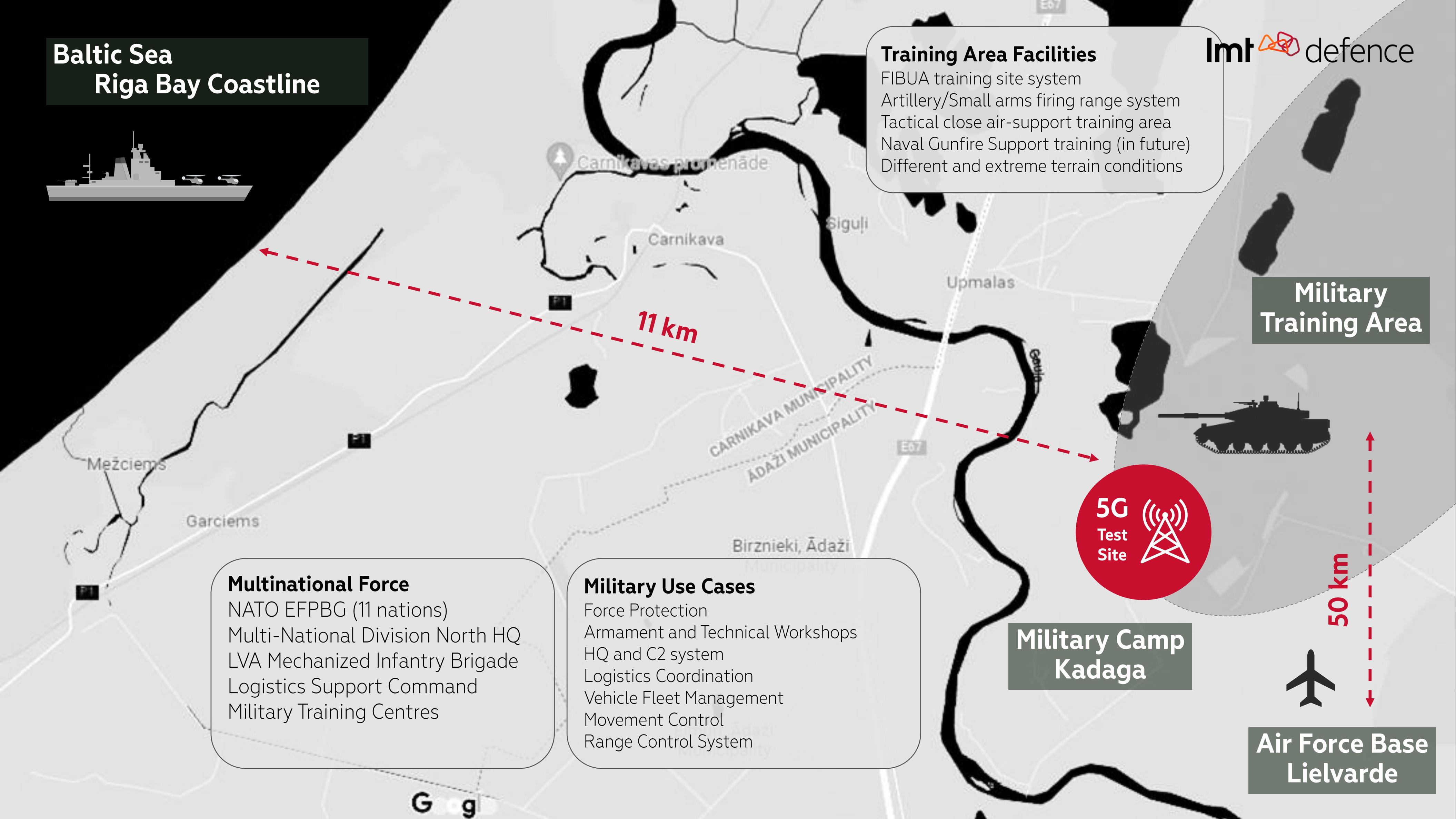


# First 5G military Test-bed in Europe



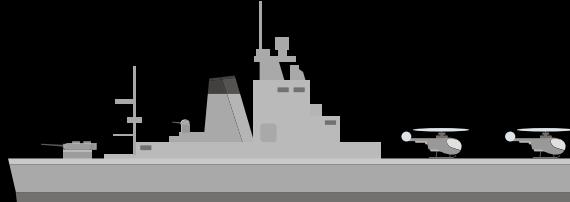
# Baltic Sea Riga Bay Coastline

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Baltic Sea

Riga Bay Coastline



Mežciems

Garciems

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Carnikavas promenāde

Carnikava

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Siguldi

Upmalas

Ģipka

CARNIKAVA MUNICIPALITY  
ĀDAŽI MUNICIPALITY

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Birznieki, Ādaži

## Multinational Force

NATO EFPBG (11 nations)  
Multi-National Division North HQ  
LVA Mechanized Infantry Brigade  
Logistics Support Command  
Military Training Centres

## Military Use Cases

Force Protection  
Armament and Technical Workshops  
HQ and C2 system  
Logistics Coordination  
Vehicle Fleet Management  
Movement Control  
Range Control System

## Training Area Facilities

FIBUA training site system  
Artillery/Small arms firing range system  
Tactical close air-support training area  
Naval Gunfire Support training (in future)  
Different and extreme terrain conditions

**Military Training Area**

5G  
Test  
Site



**Military Camp  
Kadaga**

50 km



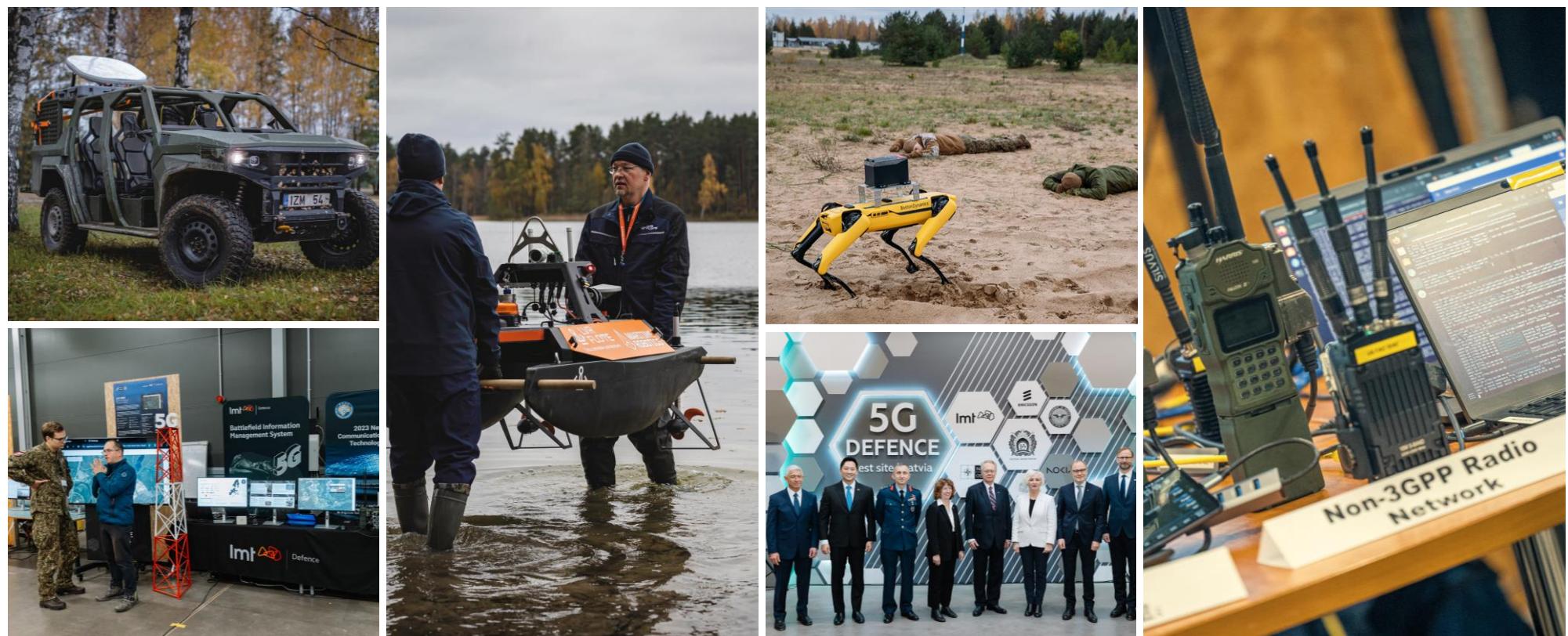
**Air Force Base  
Lielvarde**

## NATO experiment in context of MDO

From 23.10.2023 to 25.10.2023



## NATO ACT event 2023 in Ādaži Military 5G Test site



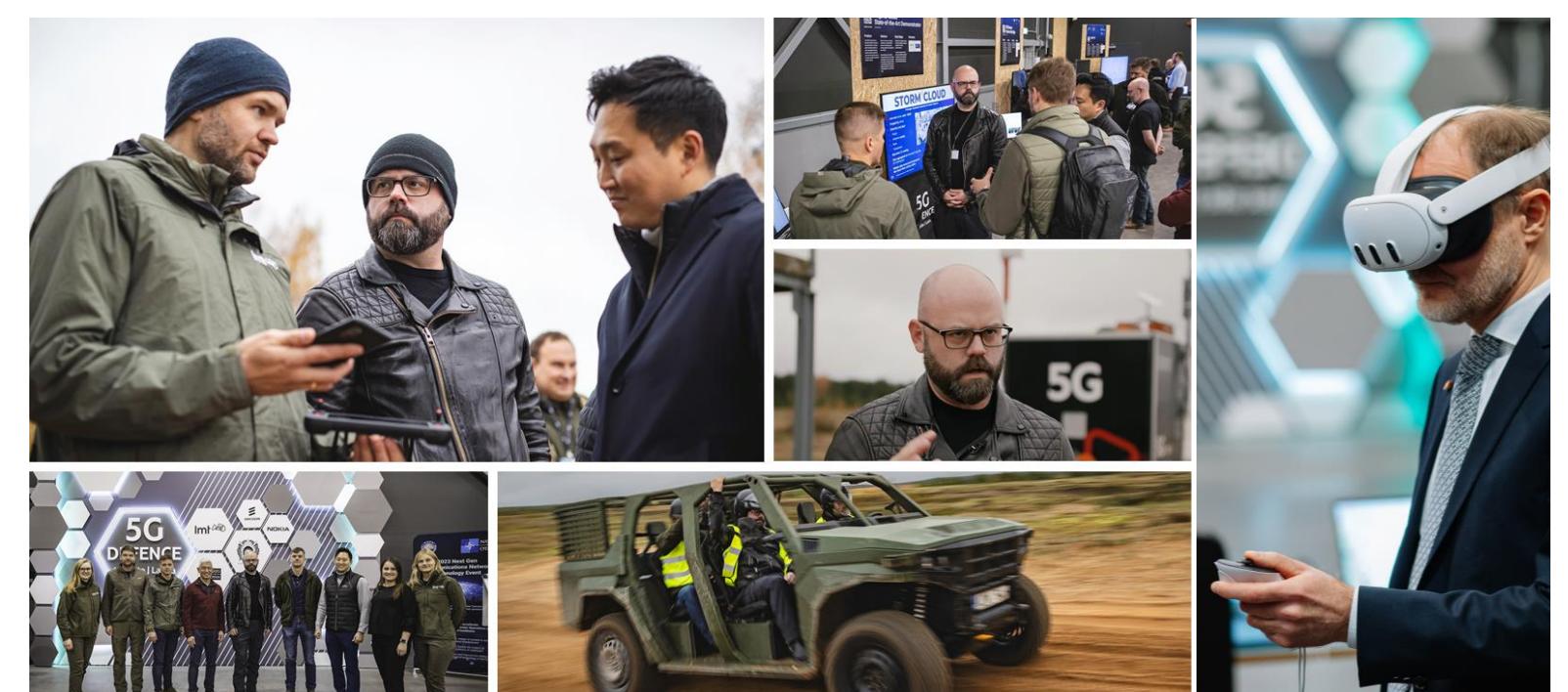
## NATO ACT 2023 and MILCOM 2023

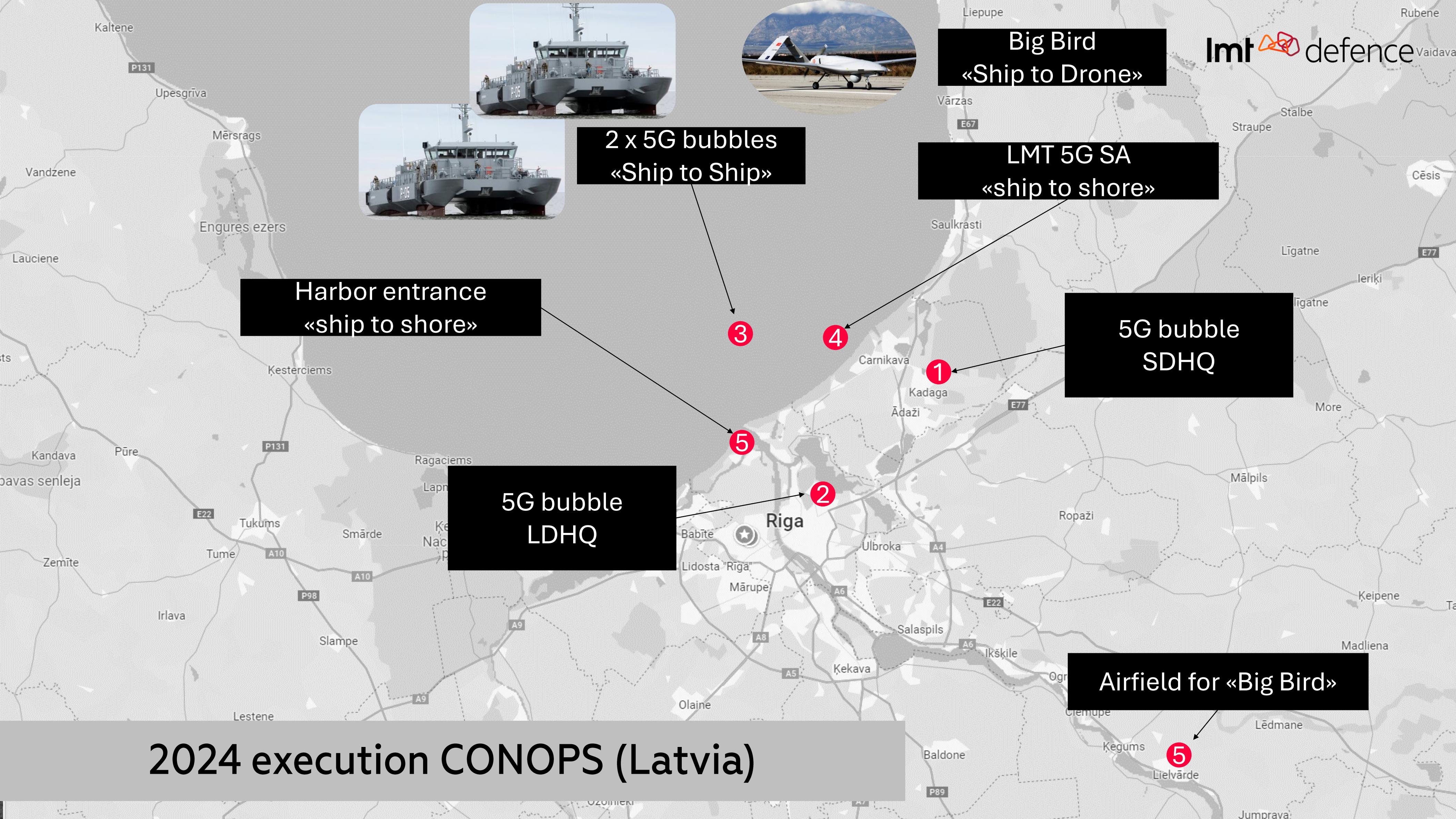


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Communications Supporting Military Operations in a Contested Environment



## US DoD principal director of «Future G» visiting Ādaži on 24.10.2023





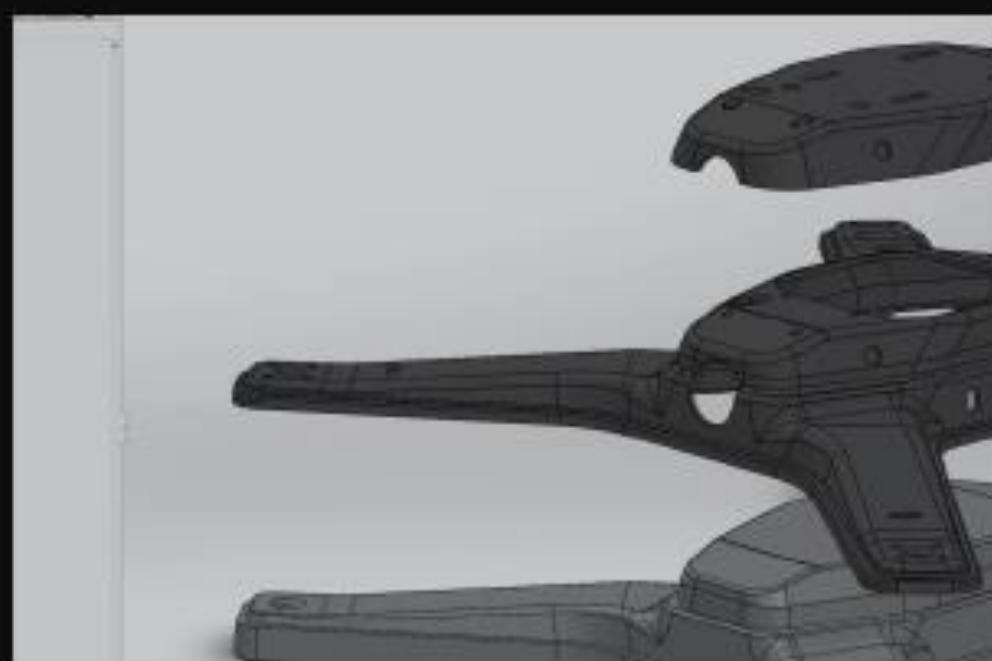
2024 execution CONOPS (Latvia)

# Strategy – 5G defence use case development

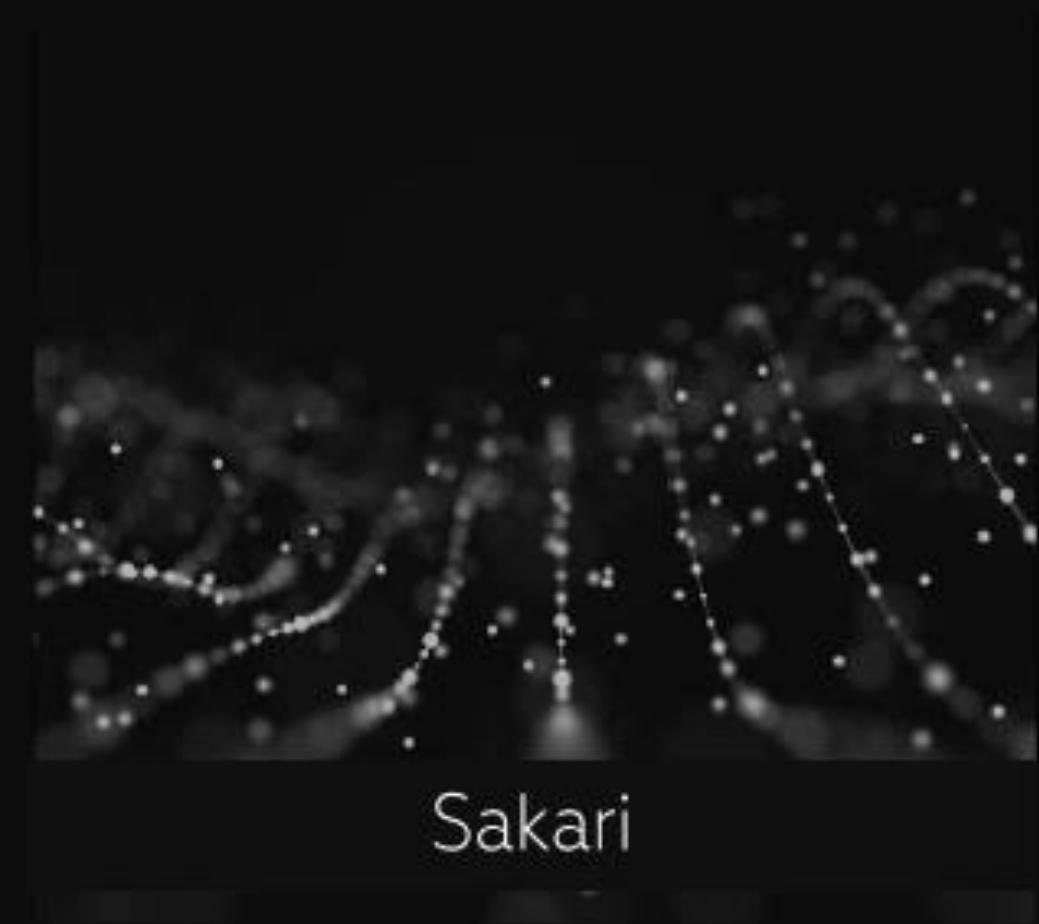




Digitālie risinājumi



Hardware produkti &  
inženierija



Sakari



R&D



Industriālās partnerības



Elektronikas serviss



# Support to Ukraine

- Supporting Ukraine's digitalization efforts
- Cooperation with NGO's supporting UAV development for UA Armed Forces (Aerorazvydka)
- Support to and cooperation with SOF and GUR



Aerorazvydka

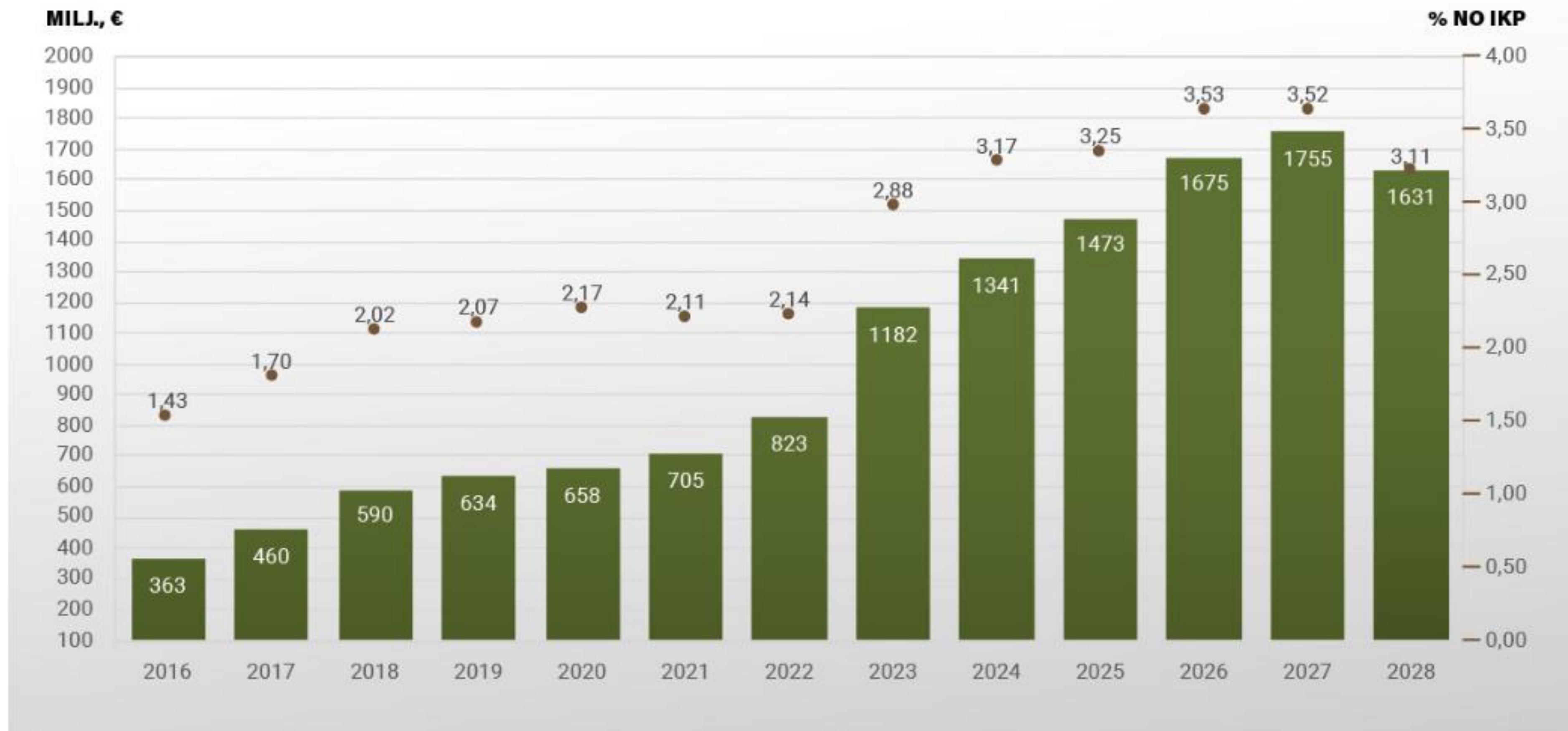


UA Special  
Operation Forces



Main Directorate  
of Intelligence





2024. gada aizsardzības budžets ir plānots **1 128 380 620 euro** jeb **2.4%** apmērā no IKP.  
Aizsardzības budžets 2027. gadā pieauga līdz 3 % no IKP.

## AIZSARDZĪBAS MINISTRIJAS BUDŽETA PRIORITĀTES



**Pilnveidot NBS kaujas spējas:**

- vidēja rādiusa pretgaisa aizsardzību
- krasta aizsardzību
- tālās darbības rākešu artilērijas sistēmas



**Turpināt ieviest valsts aizsardzības dienestu un pilnveidot NBS rezervistu sistēmu**



**Attīstīt infrastruktūru, tostarp militāro poligonu «Sēlija»**



**Attīstīt visaptverošas valsts aizsardzības sistēmu**

\*papildu aizsardzības budžetam ārpus fiskālās telpas ieplānots 74. resorā "Gadskārtējā valsts budžeta izpildes procesā pārdalāmais finansējums" 200 milj. euro.

# Security of Supply & Latvian defence industry

## **Ministry of Defence Security of Supply Policy**

National Defence Concept since 2016 foresees involvement of local companies in the equipment production and maintenance cycles in order to ensure continuity of supplies in the event of crisis







Ministry of Defence  
Republic of Latvia

## State Defence Corporation

State Defence Corporation, LLC (SDC) (SIA "Valsts aizsardzības korporācija") is a limited liability company whose aim is to support long-term development of national military industry in Latvia.

Strategic mission of SDC is to manage state defence industry investments and coordinate the development of Latvia's military production policies vital for the growth of national military industry and sustainability of supply chains.

## Latvijas un citu valstu kopīgais munīcijas ražošanas projekts no EK saņem 41 miljonu eiro

Dalīties:



Francijas munīcijas fabrika

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