

Open 5G/6G infrastructures to enable Vertical Experimentation

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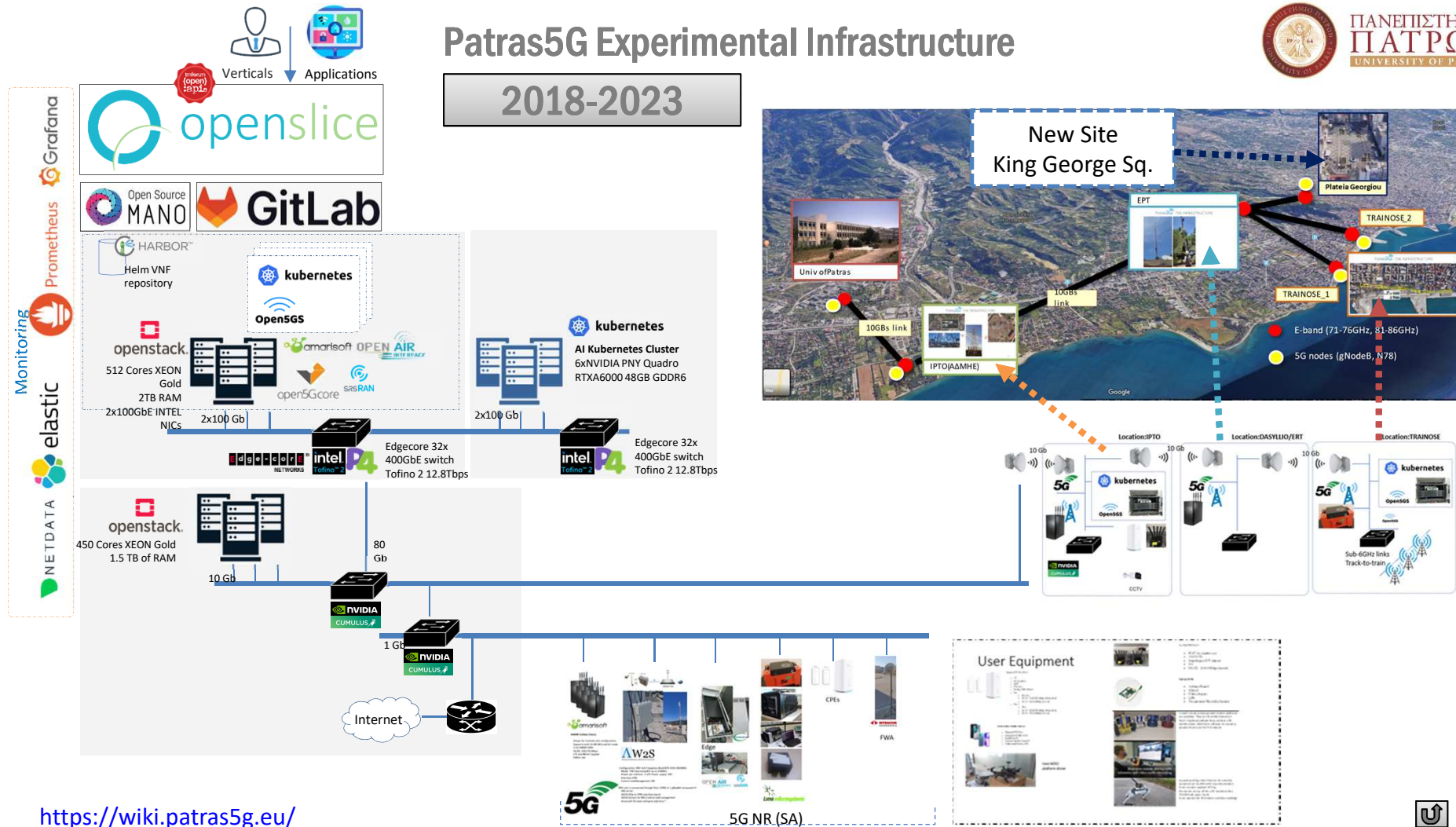
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The 5G/6G Infrastructure

A playground for Verticals

Patras5G Experimental Infrastructure

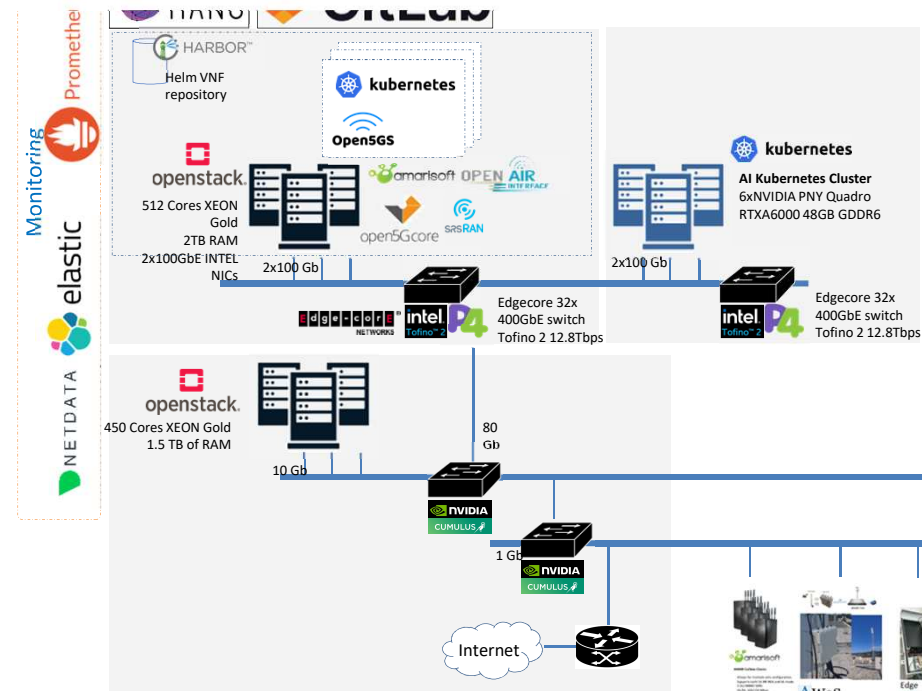
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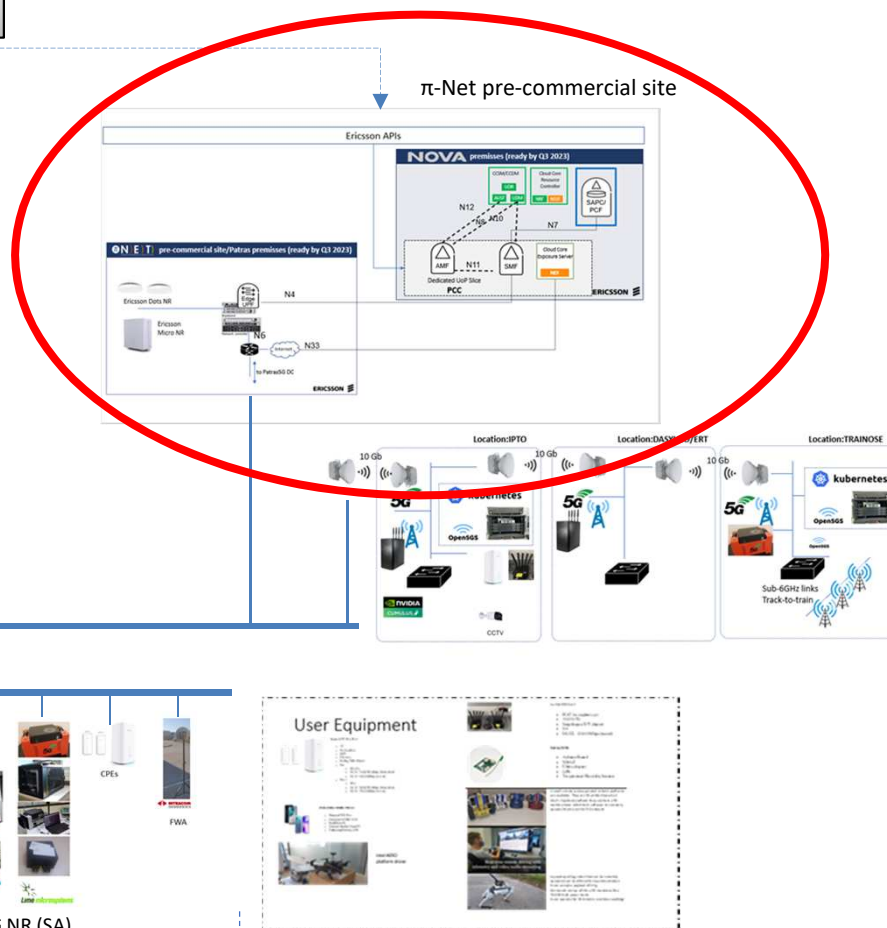


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Other Services



Verticals



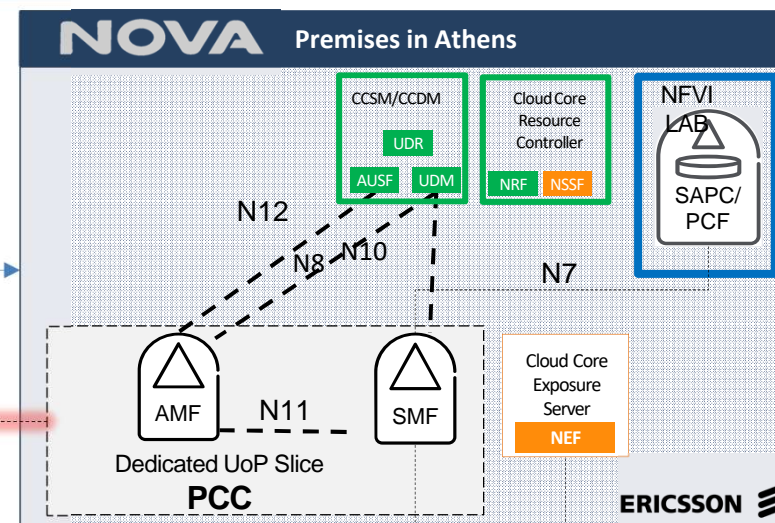
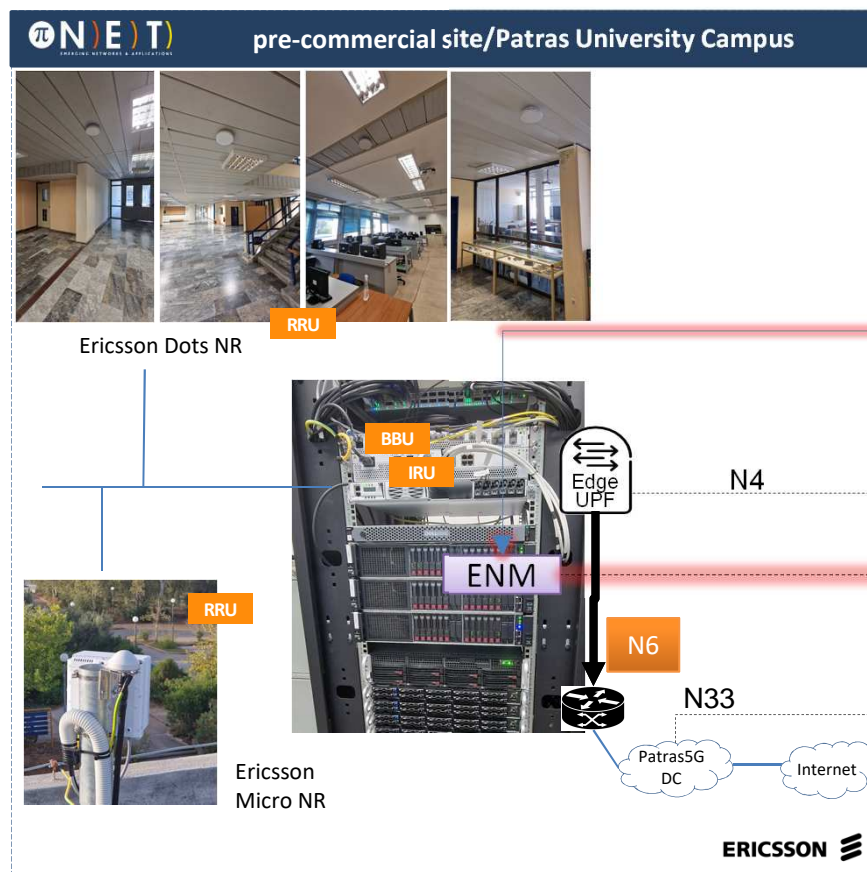
Integrators Software Developers Manufacturers



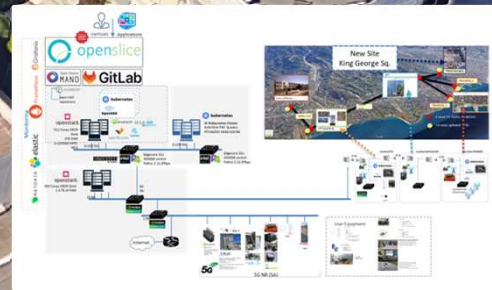
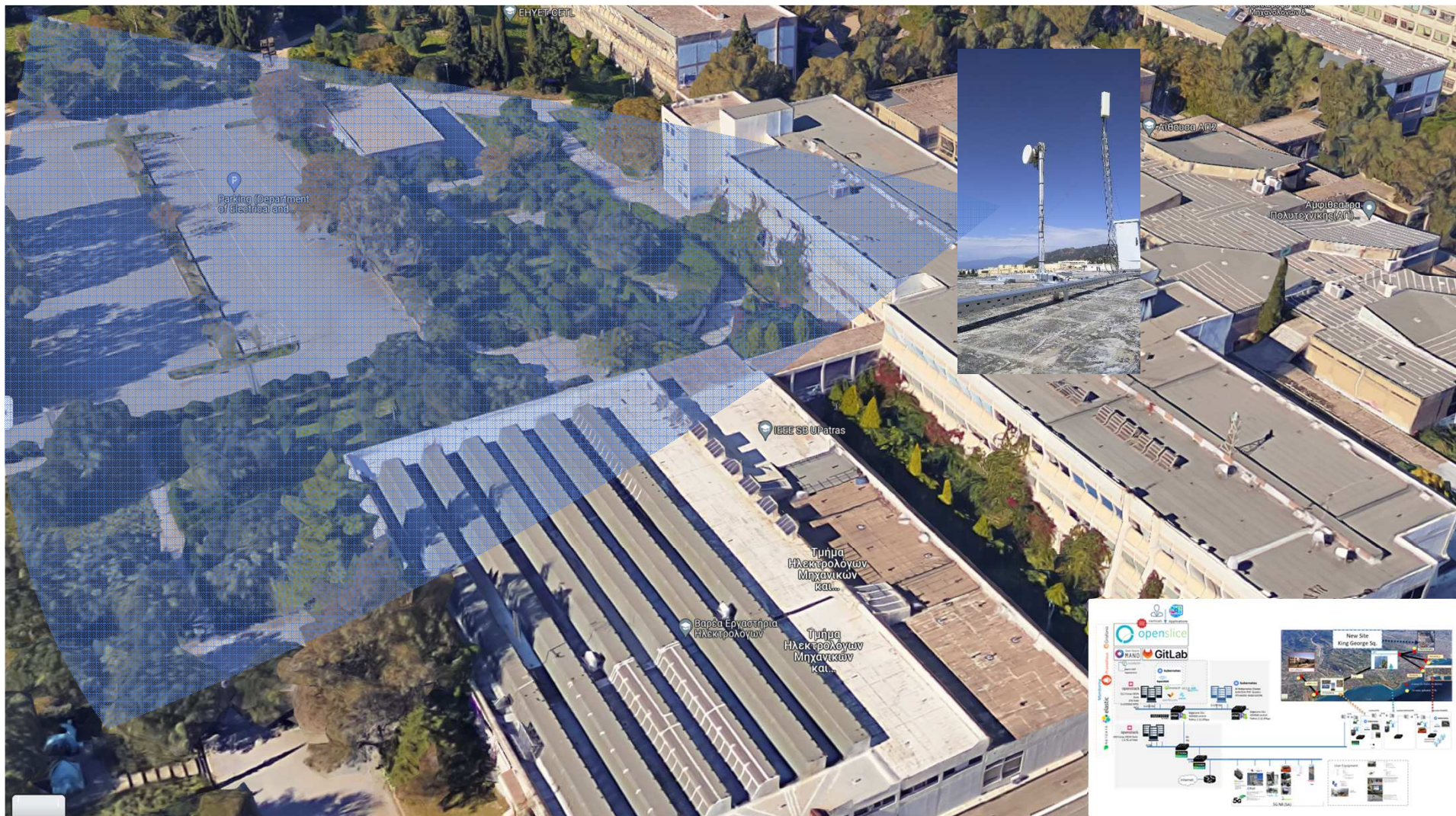
5G Infrastructures



Ericsson APIs



Exposure Function for Data
Energy sensors in every plug



5G/6G/MEC/IoT Outdoors Infrastructure



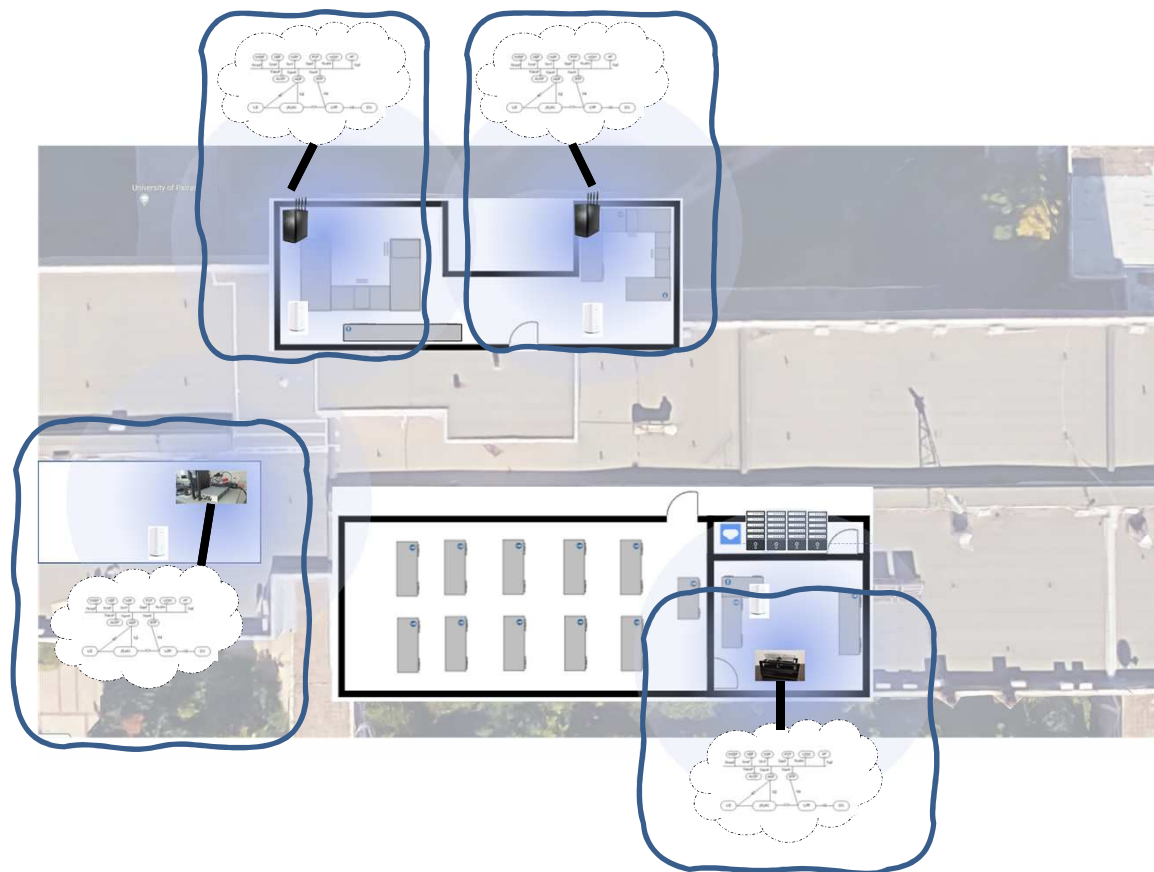


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Fixed Wireless Access



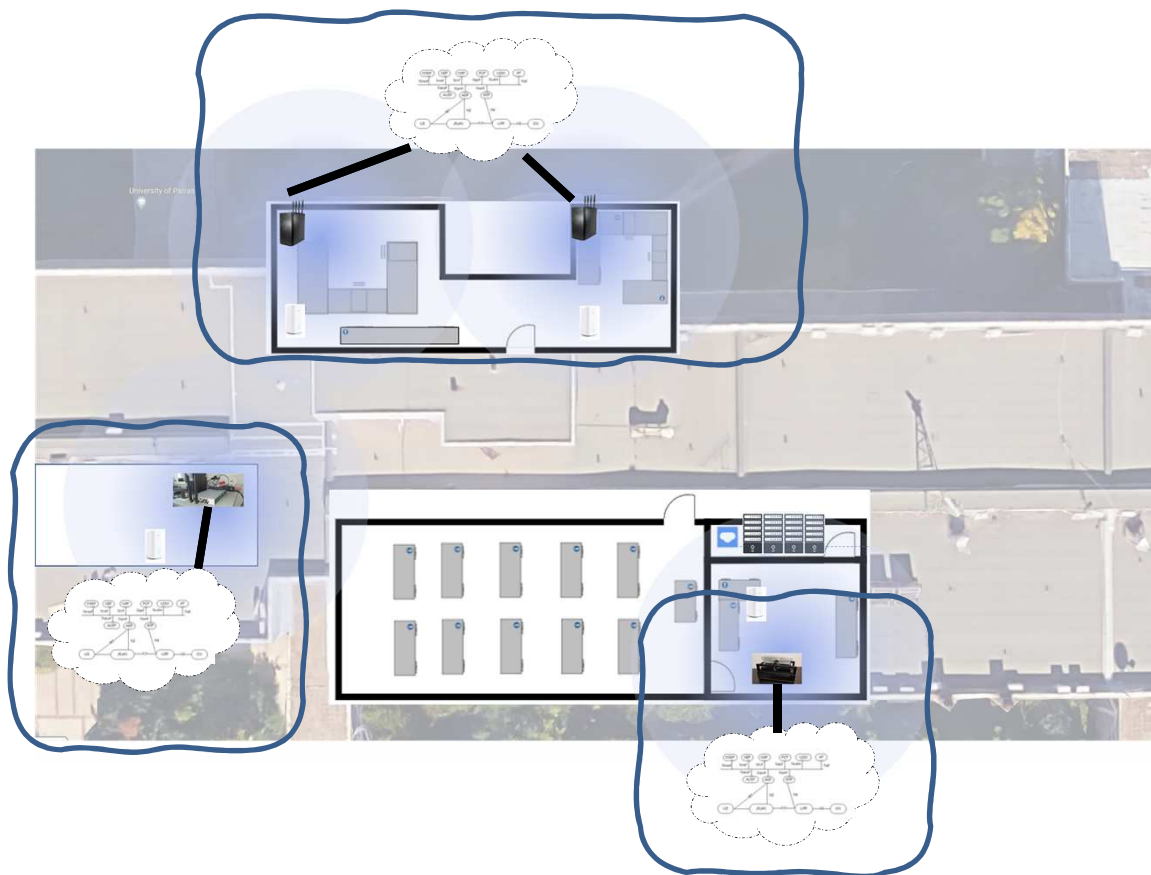
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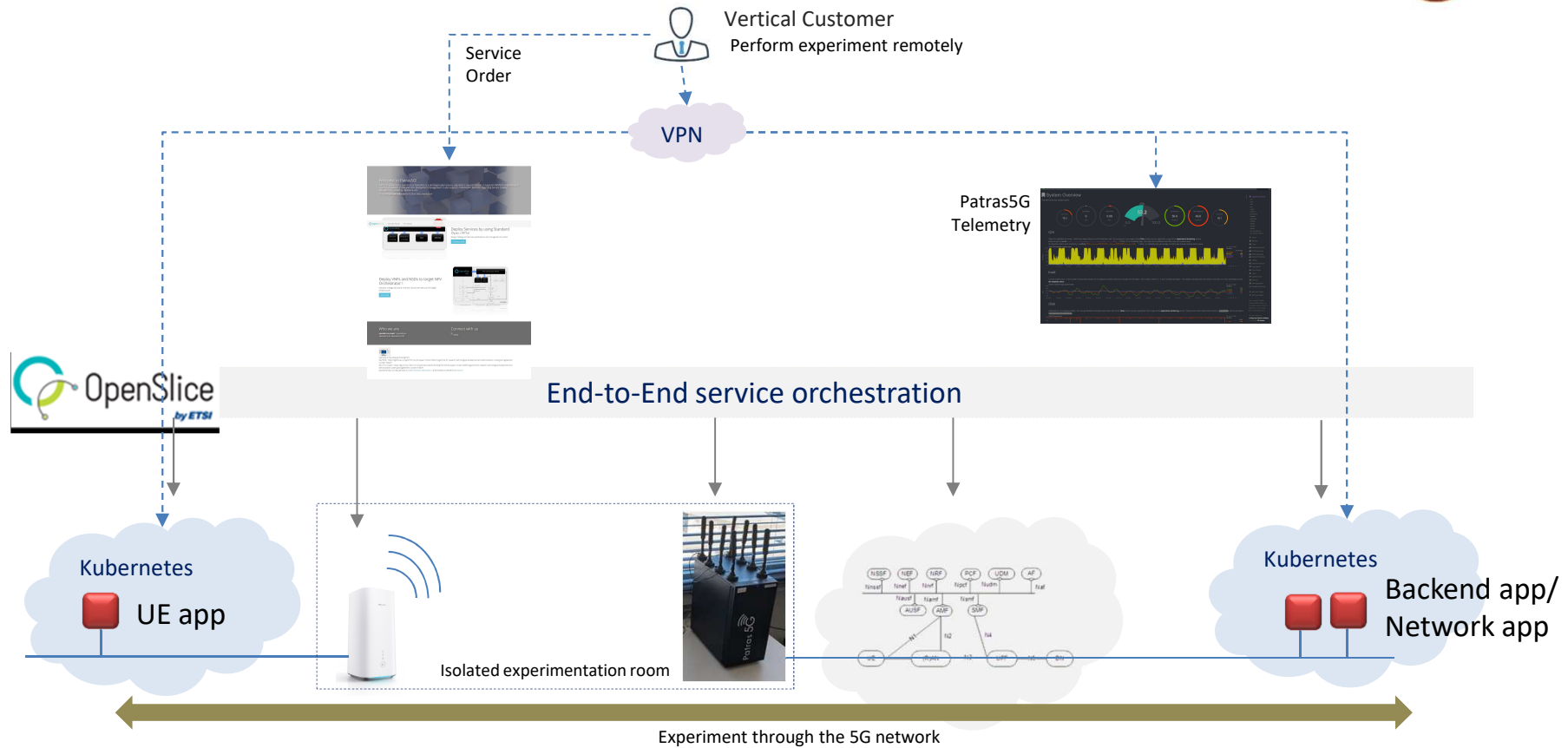
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... or shared

With various slice types

On premises or remotely

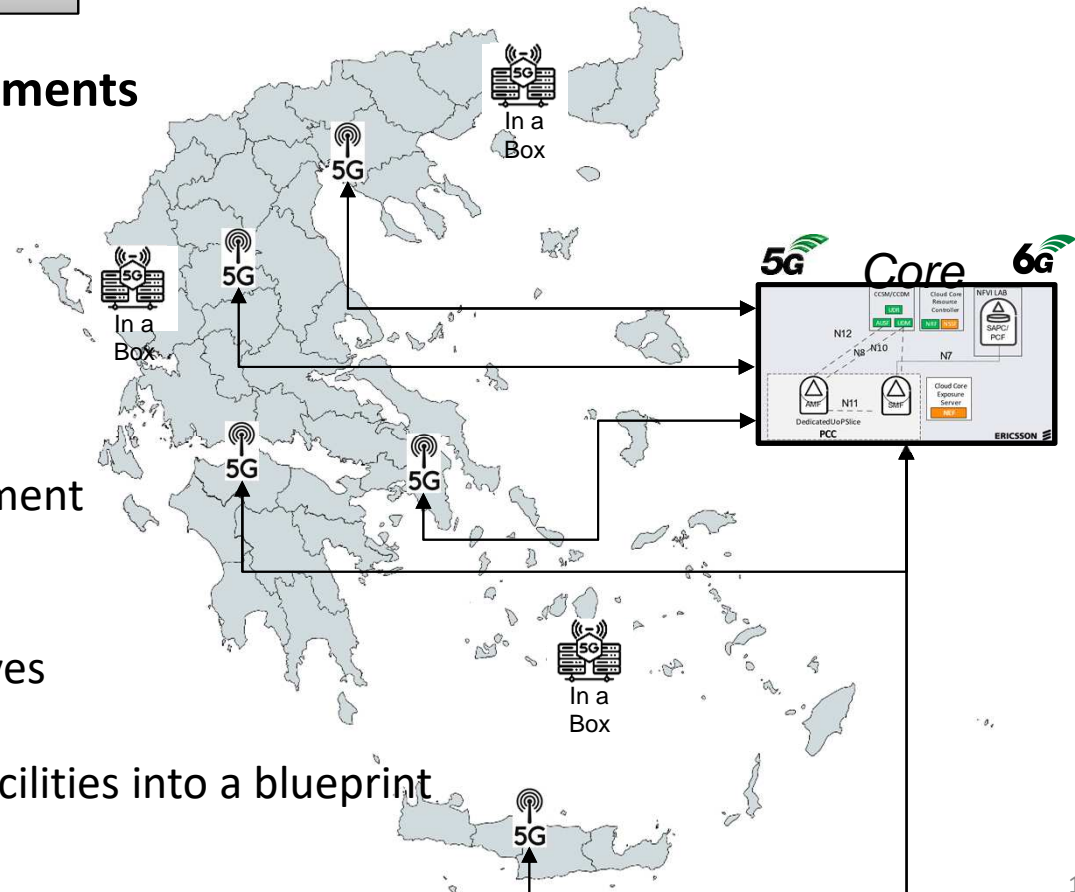
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Suitable for 5G+/6G oriented experiments

- Equipment vendors e.g. conformance
- New 5G/6G functionality
- KPI Measurements
- Integration Testing
- E2E Trials
- Small Scale Vertical use cases deployment
- Training
- Linked with other EU national initiatives
- Transform the Patras/π-NET 5G/6G facilities into a blueprint



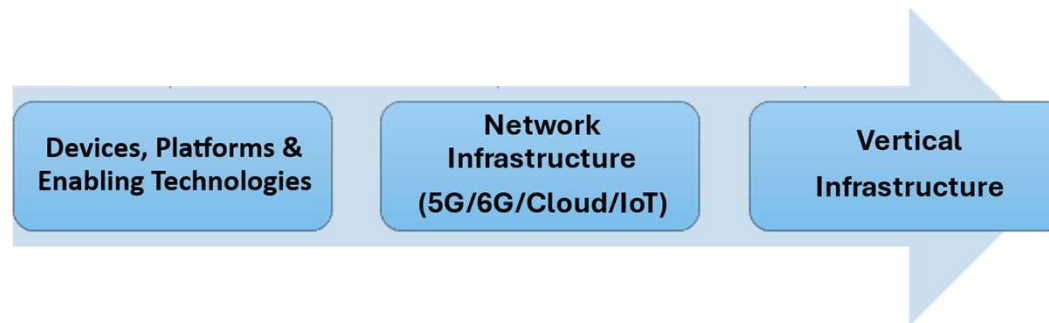
IS THIS ENOUGH?

ENTER THE VERTICALS

THE REAL INCUBATORS FOR INNOVATION

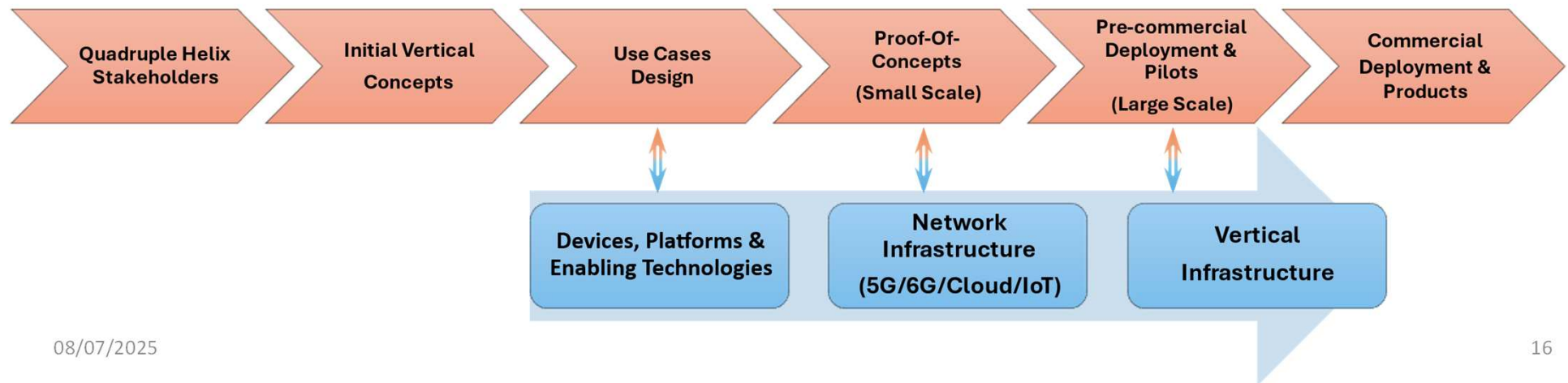
From 5G/6G Infrastructure to Verticals

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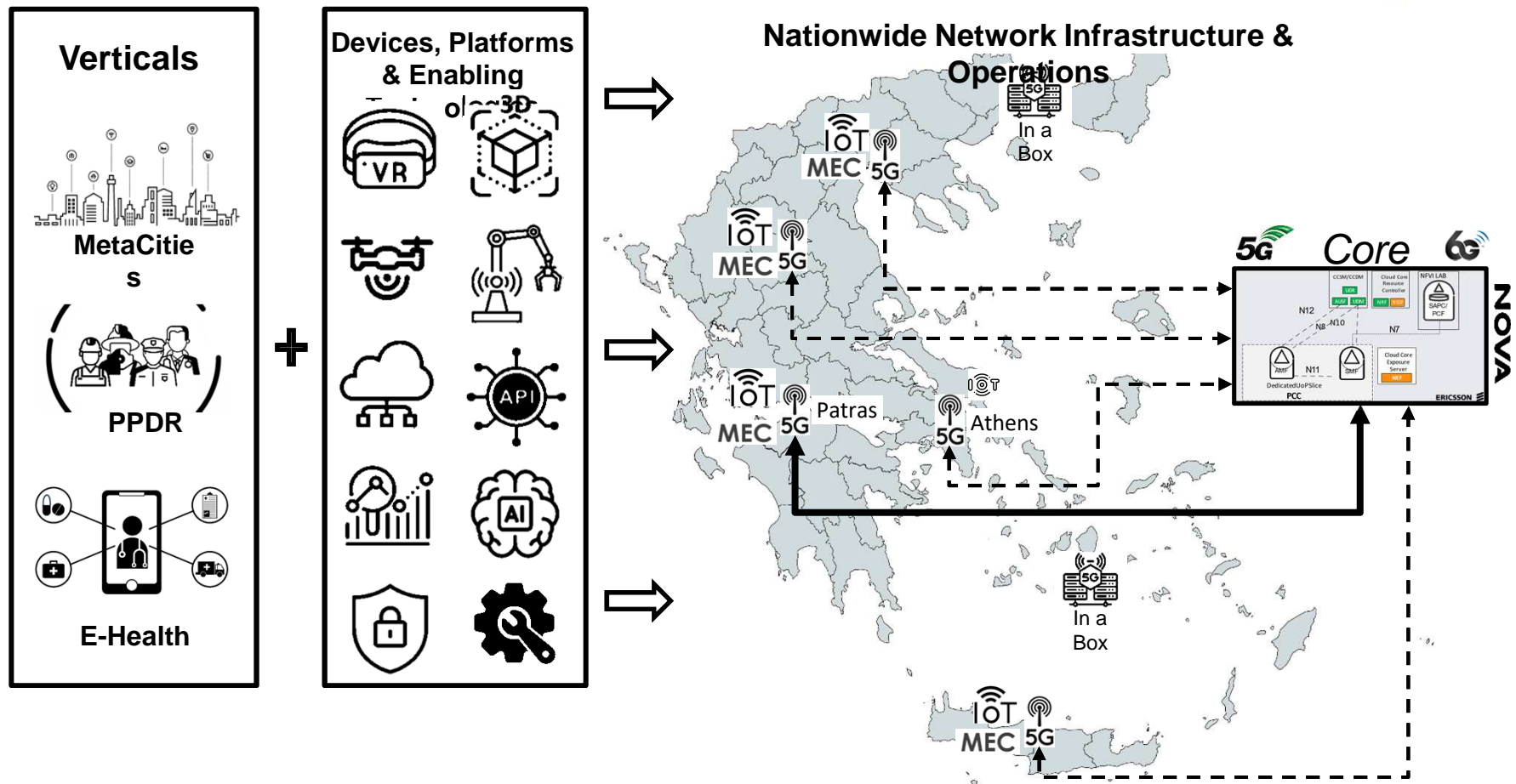


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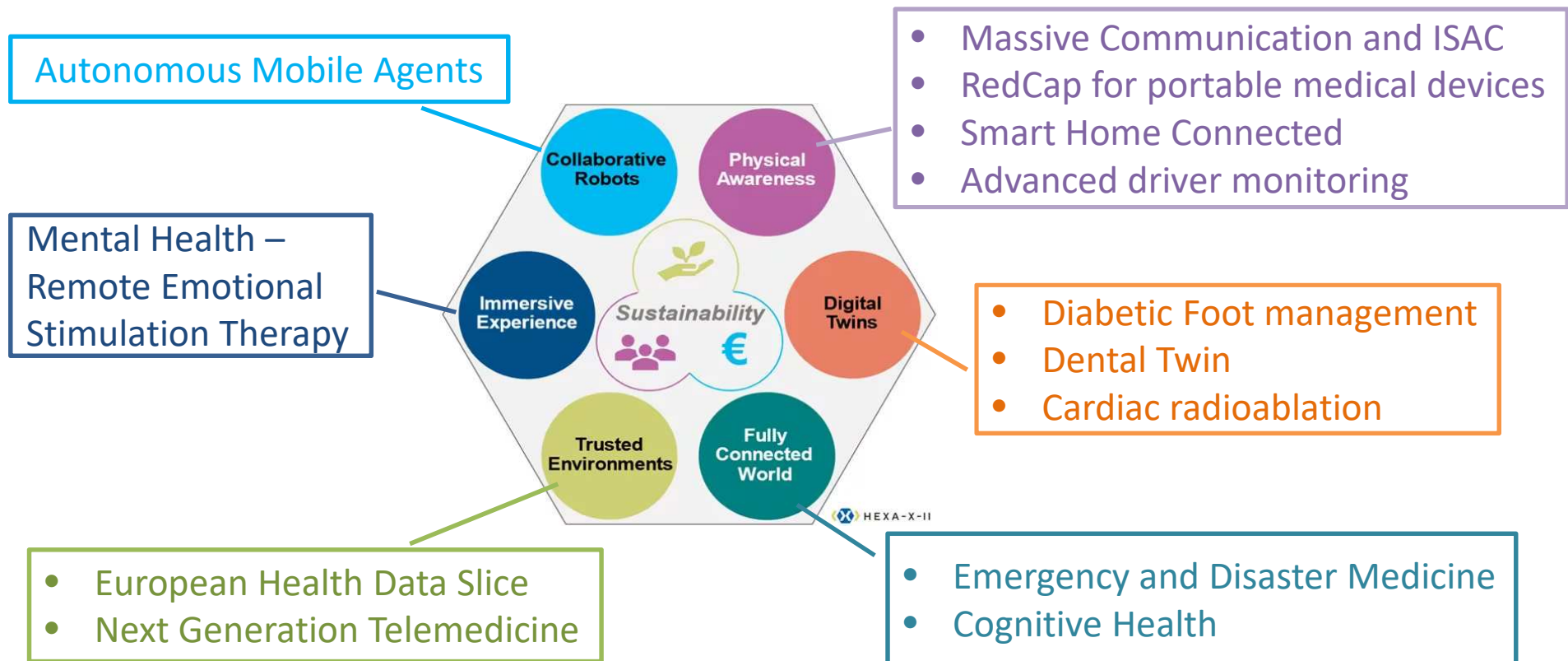
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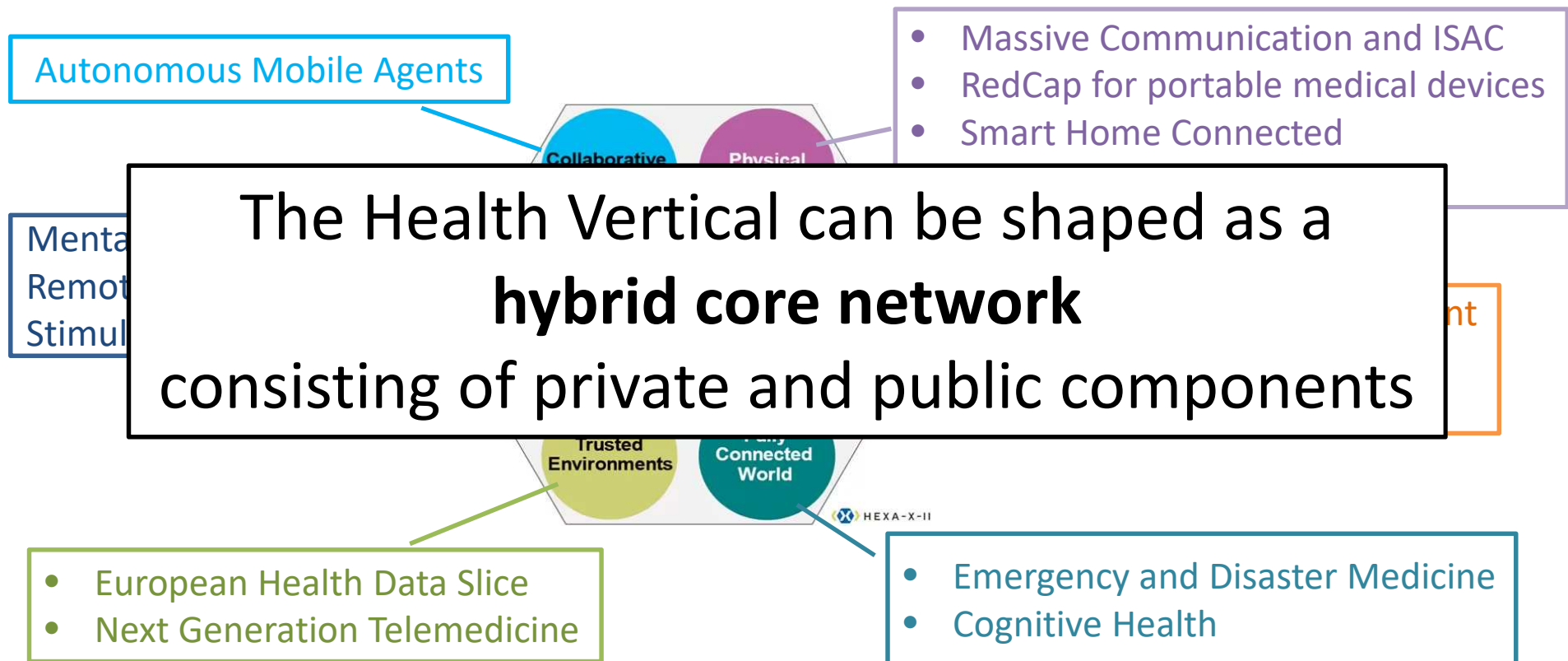
5G Enabled Vertical Experimental Infrastructures



5G/6G Use Case Topics projected into Health Vertical



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The Vision



- Jointly build a Nation-wide, Research, Innovation and Development environment
- Driven by smart networks and services, oriented towards Vertical Industries.
- Engaging all the relevant stakeholders of the quadruple helix
- Exploit local/regional competences and know-how
- Aiming at advancing knowledge economy and pave the way towards a knowledge society .

Tribute to the Team

- 5 Faculty Members Collaborating Together
 - Spyros Denazis (Associate Professor) → Programmable Networks
 - Odysseas Koufopavlou (Professor – Department Chair) → Security + Hardware Design
 - Alexis Birbas (Professor) → Microelectronics
 - Ioannis Tomkos (Professor) → Optical Networks
 - Tania Politi (Assistant Professor at University of Peloponnesse) → Optical Networks
- 8+ Senior Researchers
- 10+ Junior Researchers/Developers
- 10+ PhD Students
- Large number diploma thesis undergraduate students
- ... and we are getting more

THANK YOU!
ΕΥΧΑΡΙΣΤΩ!



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