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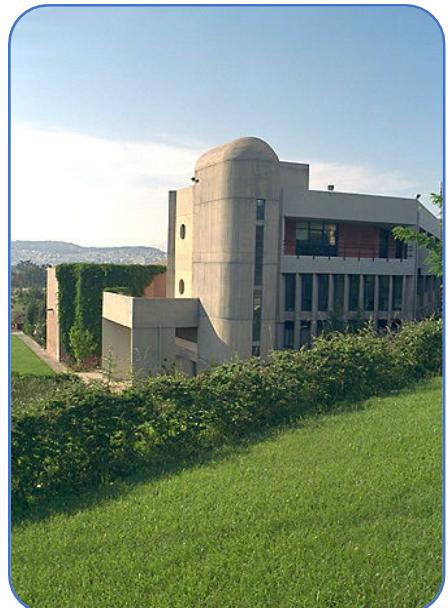


SNS R&I Work Programme 2026

General Facts

Institute of Communication and Computer Systems

Among the top 20 European Organisations (Academia, Research, Industry, SMEs) in terms of funding from competitive research projects.



National Technical University Athens

~200
People

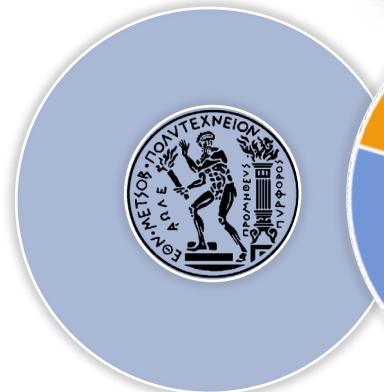
> 100 / 70
Ongoing/Finished Projects

~200
Partners

6G SNS IA
Full Research Member



ETSI
World Class Standards
Participant
MEC, ZSM, ENI, NFV ISGs



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Technology Areas & Verticals



Research Areas

Predictive QoS (pQoS)

- 3GPP-compliant implementation
 - QoS Sustainability, DN Performance
- LF CAMARA-compliant APIs
 - Connectivity Insights...



Multi-connectivity

- AT-SSS implementation
- NBI exposure
- Support for MPQUIC



Extreme/far edge service orchestration

- 5G NR PC5 – Sidelink
- Relaying, D2D



MLOps for Federated/Split Learning services

- Drift Management
- Geofencing
- Client Selection
- XAI



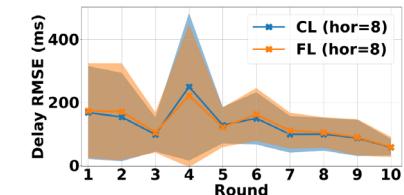
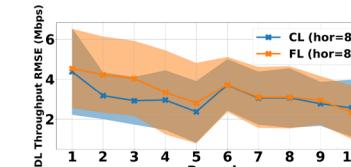
STREAM-B-01

Collection, Generation and Validation of Datasets suitable for training AI Models for 6G Networks and for AlaaS

STREAM B/C

STREAM-C-01

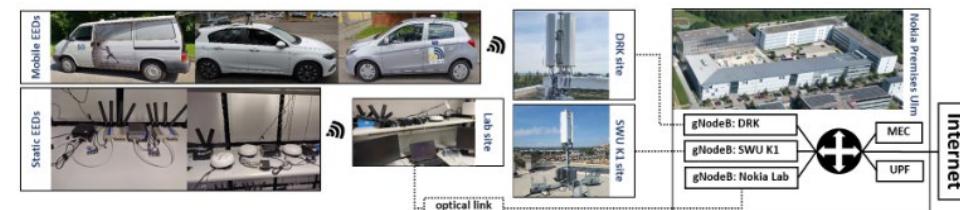
SNS experimental infrastructure



Service Orchestration at the Extreme-Edge: An Experimental Investigation Over a 5G Testbed

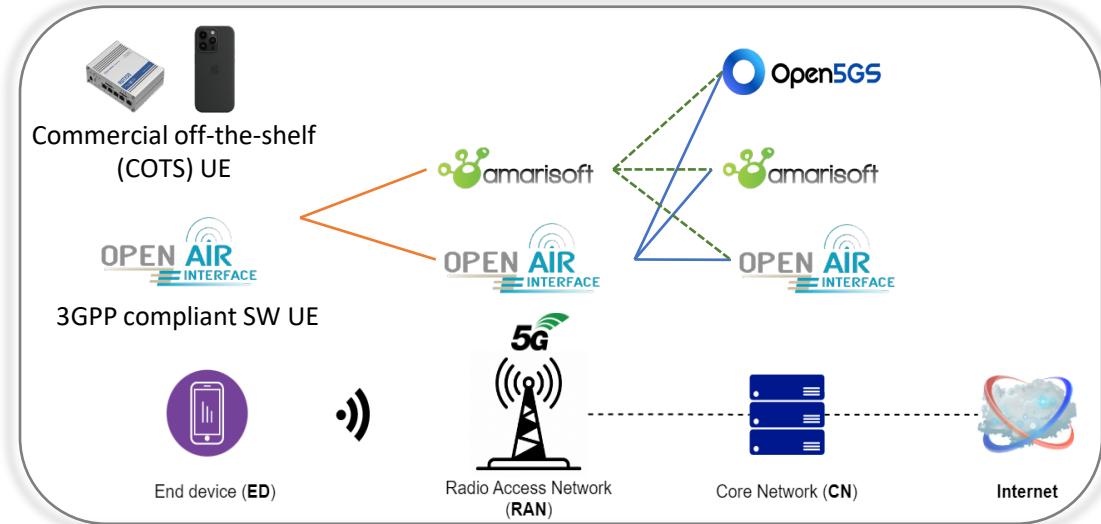
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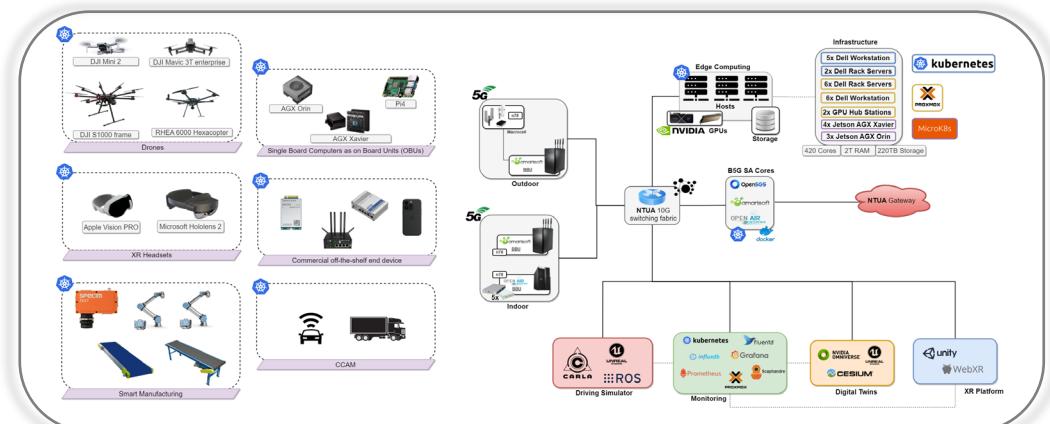


ICCS B5G/6G Testbed

- Eight (8) cell 5G-SA
- Rich AI/ML HW support
- Drones (heavy-/lightweight)
- Quadruped robot



Additional campus-wide commercial grade deployment on-going through CEF2 (see next)



- STREAM-B-01 **STREAM B/C**
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- STREAM-C-01 **SNS experimental infrastructure**

STREAM-B-01

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Data (*indicative*)

- **RAN**: RSRP, RSRQ, num cell users, UE throughput, etc.
- **Core**: UPF throughput/packet loss rate, SMF session QoS, etc.
- **Edge**: CPU/GPU/RAM utilization, etc.
- **UE**: RSRP, RSRQ, etc.; app. level metrics: RTT, velocity, etc.

Verticals

Automotive



- 20-30 5G-enabled OBUs
- *Teleoperation Service*

Education AR/VR



- 10-20 headsets
- AR/VR-enabled courses
- 6 NTUA Schools

- Civil Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Rural, Surveying and Geoinformatics Engineering
- Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering

Predictive QoS Real World Datasets



Campus-wide **commercial grade** deployment on-going through CEF2

- Real MNO subscribers [> 500]
- 6 outdoor / 3 indoor cells
- NEF, GPU-ready edge w/ UPF

3GPP Services (TS 23.288)



- QoS Sustainability
- DN Performance Analytics
- Service Experience Analytics
- Network Slice Performance Analytics

STREAM-C-01

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Areas of SNS technological development

AI Driven architecture, programmability and control

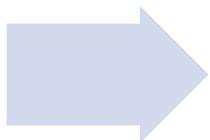
Radio and signal processing, new waveforms and spectrum, ISAC capabilities

Optical networking, flexible and green high capacity transport and backhaul

Ubiquitous computing, edge cloud continuum service and management

Security for network and services, security as a service

NTN, technologies for TN/NTN unification



ICCS Contributions

XAI pQoS: real-time attribution



Extreme/far edge service orchestration



AT-SSS for TN/NTN

Thank you!



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