

5G Spectrum in mmW Bands



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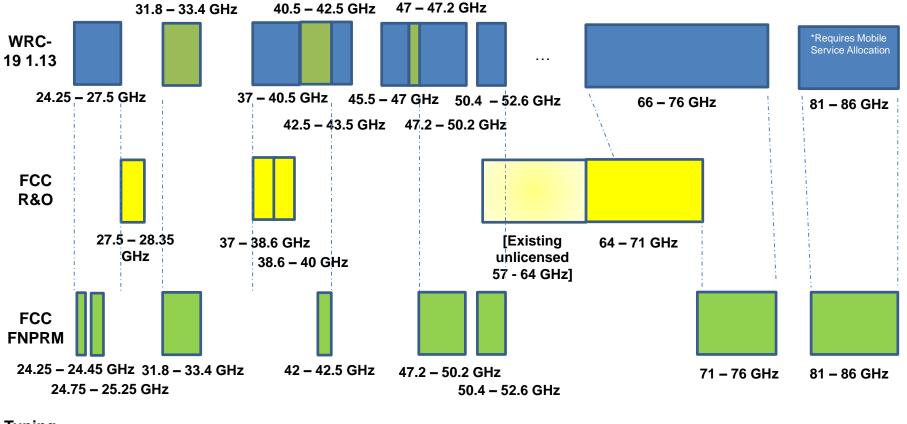
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Overview of New Bands

	28 GHz	37 GHz	39 GHz	64-71 GHz
Frequency	27.5-28.35 GHz	37-38.6 GHz	38.6-40 GHz	64-71 GHz
Bandwidth	850 MHz	1600 MHz	1400 MHz	7000 MHz
Terrestrial Allocation	Licensed for fixed operations, with about 75% of the population covered by existing licenses; remaining licenses in inventory	Yes (no current use)	Licensed for fixed operations, with about 50% of the population covered by existing licenses; the remaining licenses are in inventory.	Yes (no current use)
Federal Allocation	No	Radio Astronomy / Space Research in 37-38 GHz @ 3 sites; Federal Fixed/Mobile in 37-38.6 GHz @ 14 locations	Fixed Satellite Service / Mobile Satellite Service in 39.5-40 (military use only)	Earth Exploration Satellite Fixed/Mobile/Satellite
Satellite Allocation	Yes	Yes (no current use)	Yes (no current use)	Yes (no current use)
Licensing Scheme	Licensed	Licensed	Licensed	Unlicensed

Possible International Harmonization



Tuning			
Range?			

Next Steps

Mobile service in mmW band has strong support

- Suppliers have developed equipment
- Carriers are conducting tests & planning trials

Follow up on Further NPRM

Comments/Reply Comments have been received

Petition for Reconsideration

- R&O has been published in the Federal Register
- Recon petitions are due on December 14th, 2016

Research by government and industry is ongoing:

- Executive Branch launched a \$400 million Advanced Wireless Research Initiative led by the National Science Foundation (NSF)
- Will enable the deployment and use of four city-scale testing platforms for advanced wireless research over the next decade and builds upon FCC action on *Spectrum Frontiers*
- □ For details see <u>https://nsf.gov/cise/advancedwireless/</u>

Questions?