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Annual General Meeting

Vancouver, B.C. - August 23, 1995

# OVERVIEW

- Our Distributed Antenna Array Technology
- Fiscal 1995 in Review
- International Activities
- CDMA - What Happened?
- Outlook and Projections



## FY '95 in Review: Highlights

- u Sold \$1.4 million of MEX and BEX products to 11 customers in 7 different countries
- u Completed successful field trials of RAD and RASP and sold \$300,000 of these products
- u Positioned company for sales of RAD and RASP products into rollout of North American PCS networks
- u Raised \$2.3 million through exercise of 5 million share purchase warrants

# Company Performance - Financing

- Cash on hand - February 28, 1995: \$116,132
- \$10.8 million Special Warrant Financing - July 1995
- \$3.5 million exercise of warrants and share options - March through June 1995
- Cash on hand August 23, 1995 - in excess of \$11.5 million

# The Wait for PCS is Over...

- u New wireless systems offer secure voice / data in:

- wide area mobility
- business

AND

- residential service  
(i.e. LOCAL LOOP)

- u PCS is here NOW



The REAL target of PCS

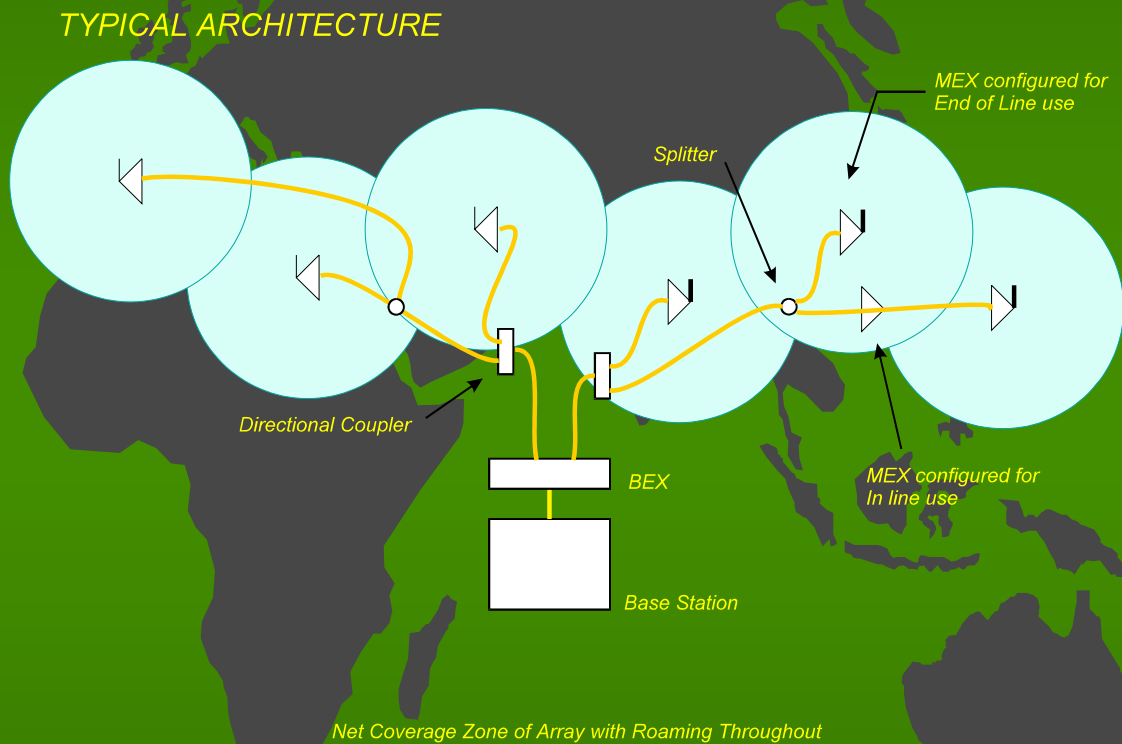
# Our Distributed Antenna Arrays

- u Replace high power transmission towers
- u Integrate Cable-TV and wireless networks
- u Extend the reach of wireless service into buildings, tunnels, undergrounds and homes
- u Help wireless network operators fulfill the promise of affordable, ubiquitous, advanced personal communications services



# DAA Overview

- Networks of smart, low-power repeaters
- Centralized resources
- Minimize costs



# Activities in Canada



- Sep'94: Major CT2+ contract announced with Microcell 1-2-1
- Dec'94: Industry Canada announces PCS licensing process; Microcell 1-2-1 cancels CT2+ contract
- May'95: Renewed MoU with Microcell 1-2-1 for 1.9GHz products
- *Dec'95: Industry Canada announces PCS license holders*
- *1996: Network rollout begins*



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# Activities in Asia

- June '94: China - Purchase of 5 CT-2 trial systems  
Operators: Guangzhou, Shenzhen, Shenvang, Wenzhou, Dalian
- Dec '94: Sale of additional CT-2 systems to China
- Jan '95: Extensive CT-2 trials underway in China
- Aug '95: Sale of US\$560K of CT-2 MEX/BEX units
- *Sep '95: PCS Wireless holds seminar in China*
- *Feb '96: PCS1900 systems expansion into Korea*



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# Activities in Europe



- July'94 - May'95: Sale of CT-2 BEX/MEX Trial Systems to France Telecom, Matra Communication and Dassault AT
- Fall'95: GSM Cellular MEX trial in UK
- Fall'95: Projected commercial sales of CT-2 system

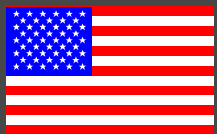


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# Activities in the US



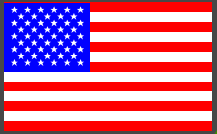
- Sep'94-Jun'95: Sale of prototype Platform RAD to Ericsson, Motorola, NorTel, AT&T, Nokia
- Mar'95: Major Supply Agreement with Motorola for Platform RAD units
- Apr'95: Major Supply Agreement with Ericsson for GSM Platform RAD units
- Jul'95: Sprint Telecommunication Venture (STV) selects CDMA technology

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# Activities in the US



- ⌞ Aug'95: Ericsson GSM Supply Agreement cancelled
- ⌞ *Aug'95: Expected pre-production CDMA system marketing trials*
- ⌞ *Nov/Dec'95: Major CDMA network vendors selected*
- ⌞ *Oct'95: Cellular MEX commercial trial*
- ⌞ *Q1 '96: CATV/CDMA network rollout begins*

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# CDMA - Industry Situation

## CDMA

- New technology
- Untried
- Made in America

## GSM (Global)

- Proven technology
- Extensively tested
- European

# CDMA - Market Positioning

## Ericsson

- u No CDMA
- u Must win time to market
- u Spent significant \$\$\$ attempting to secure STV contract

## Nortel

- u Supplies both CDMA and GSM

## AT&T

- u CDMA ONLY, NO GSM
- u Very confident in CDMA
- u Have financing capability

## Motorola

- u Supplies both CDMA and GSM
- u Switched trials to CDMA 4 months ago

# Outlook and Projections: The US PCS Market

- υ 102 major licenses (MTA) issued
- υ Almost 500 additional basic licenses (BTA) due to be auctioned
- υ When all is said and done:
  - 6 new service providers everywhere in US
  - **PLUS** 2 existing cellular providers
  - **PLUS** several additional data and 2-way paging operators

# Outlook and Projections: The US PCS Market

## CDMA National Service

- PrimeCo + cellular backfill
- STV (over CATV, from scratch)
- NAW (from scratch)

## PCS GSM National Service

- GO (from scratch)
- DCR (from scratch)

## IS136 National Service

- AT&T Wireless  
+ cellular backfill

## Others

- BellSouth (GSM)
- PacTel (GSM)
- WesternPCS (GSM)
- APC (GSM)

# SUMMARY

- υ FY'96 was a building year
- υ We are well positioned to supply CATV based PCS systems (RADS) for BOTH GSM and CDMA
- υ We have over \$10 m cash on hand
- υ We have a superb development team
- υ We are diversifying our product line and expanding into new international markets

# Overview

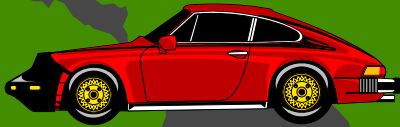
- u PCS Wireless, Inc.
- u Meeting Operator Challenges
- u CablePATH RAD/RASP Overview
- u New Project:
  - HomePATH 1.9GHz
  - MEX slaved to RAD
- u CablePATH RAD/RASP Training
- u Other issues

# PCS Wireless, Inc.

- u Who are we ?
  - a Vancouver based, Canadian public company
  - a pioneer in Distributed Antenna Array technology since 1990
- u What do we bring to the industry?
  - a fresh set of network deployment alternatives
  - efficient, low-cost indoor/outdoor wireless coverage deployment solutions

# Meeting Operator Challenges

u Offer a new generation of wireless services:



**Quickly**

- Planning
- Buildout
- Marketing



**Affordably**

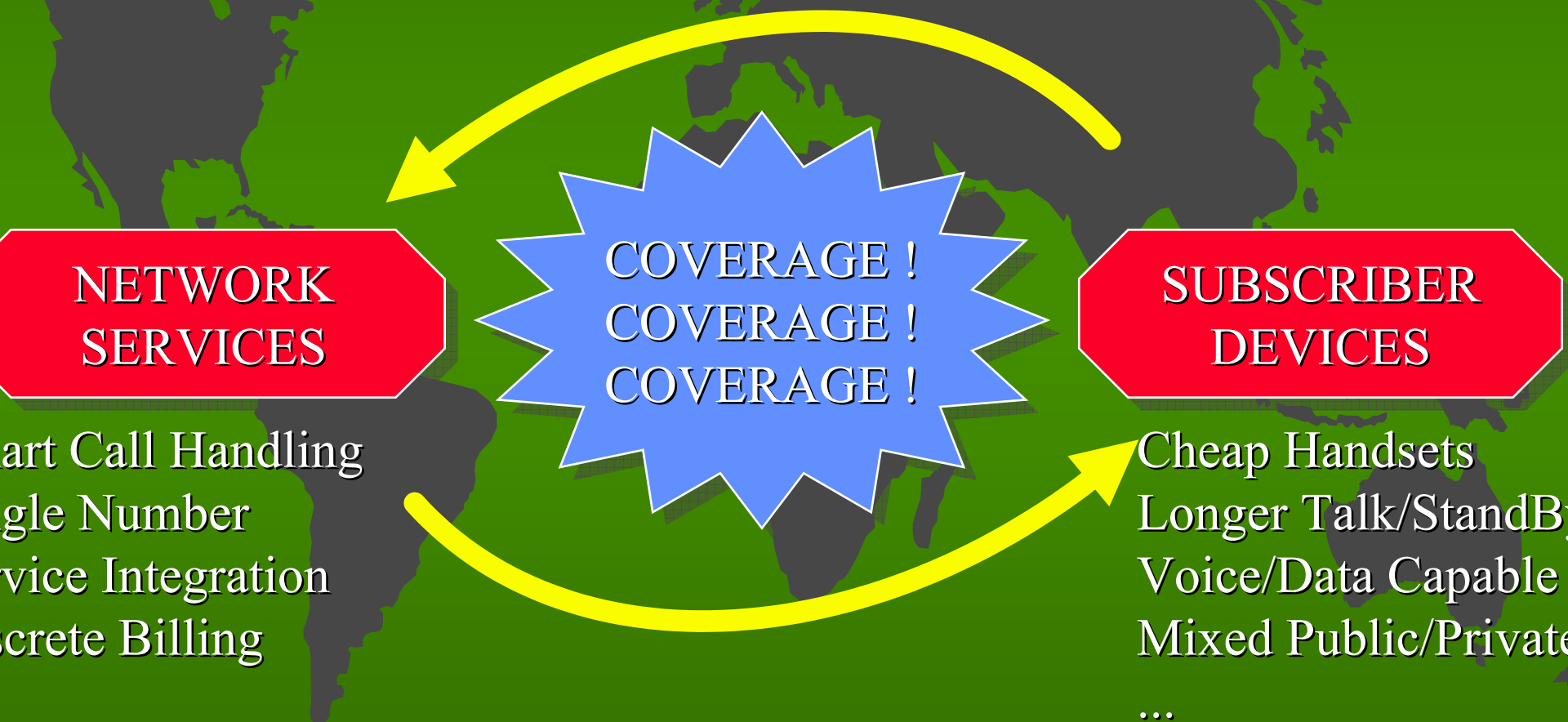
- Infrastructure
- Operations
- Subscriber



**Creatively**

- Distribution
- New markets
- Integration

# The RF Delivery Factor



# RF Delivery Alternatives

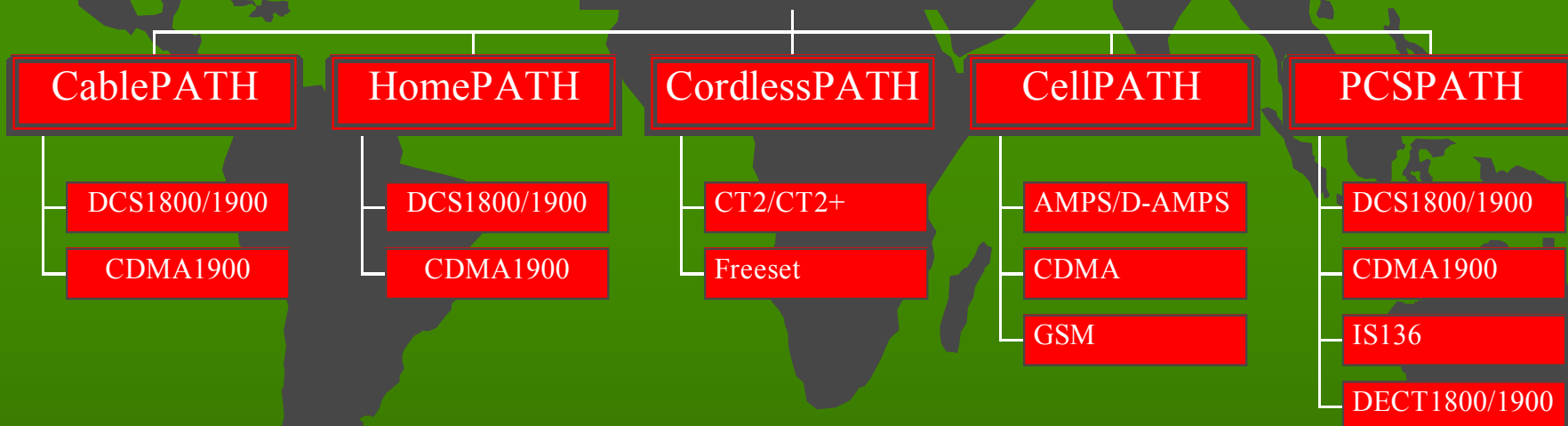
- ▮ Conventional Distributed Base Stations
- ▮ Passive Distributed Antennas
- ▮ Active Distributed Antennas

Performance



# PCS Wireless Product Family

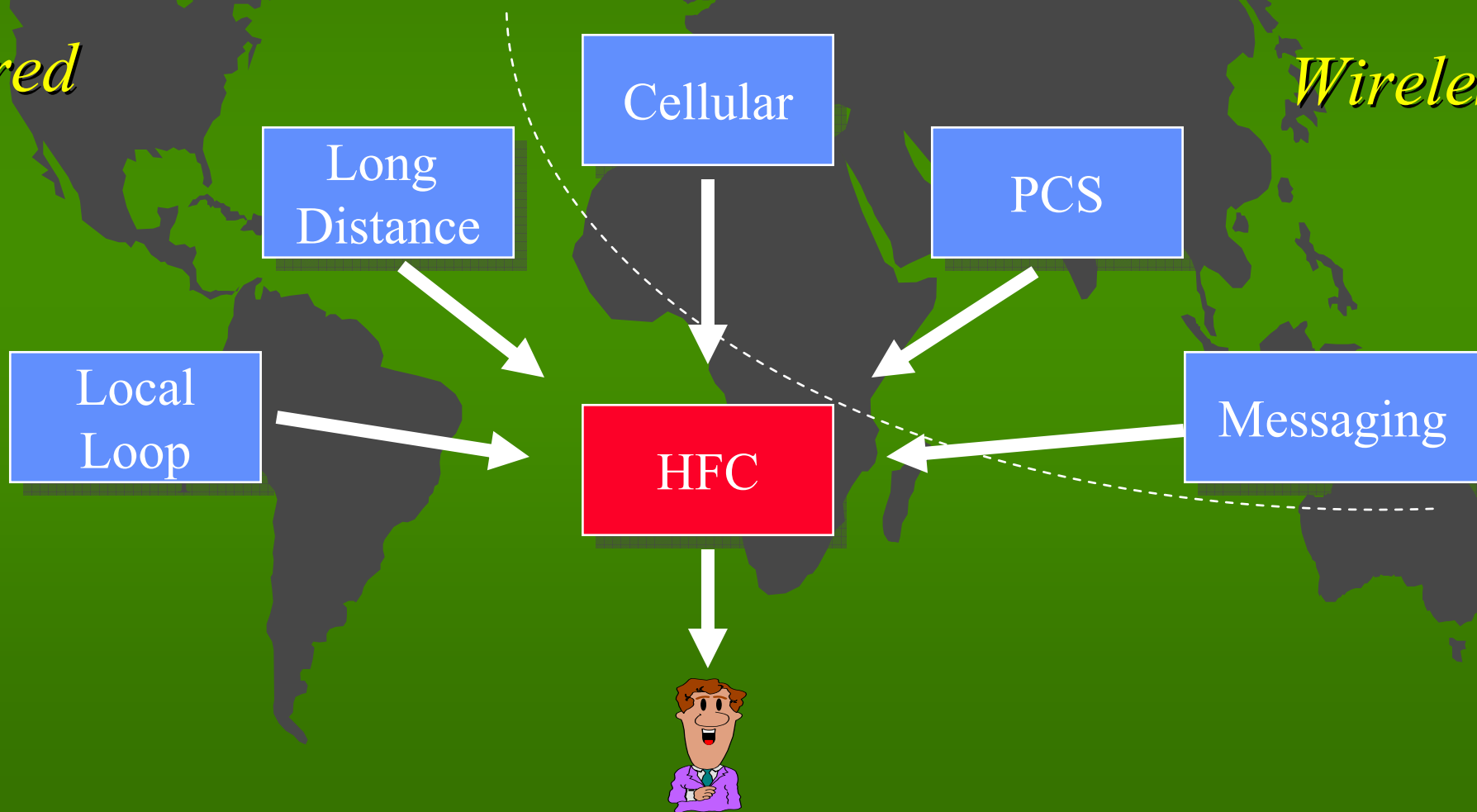
## PATHWAY



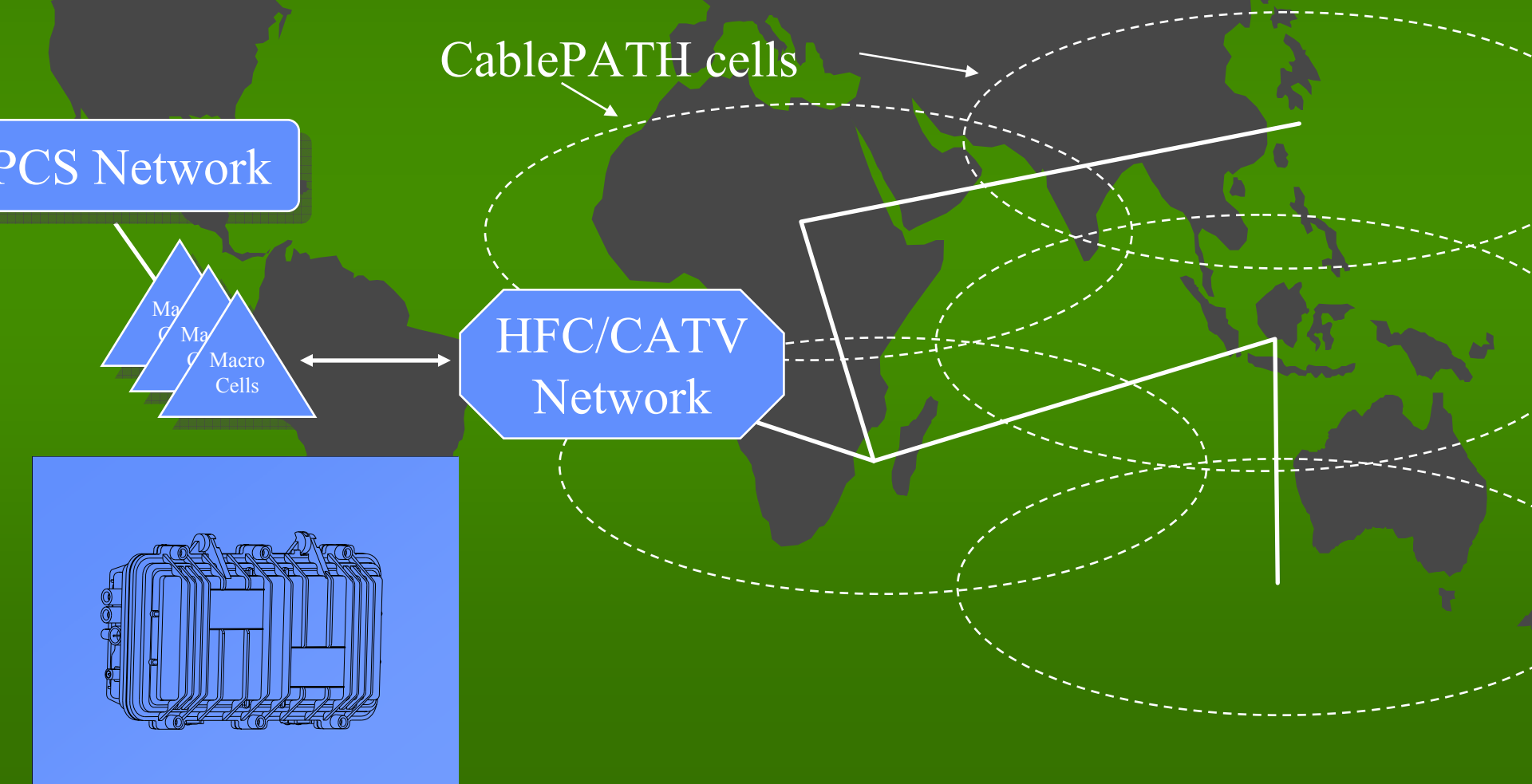
# Network Convergence: The Hybrid Fiber Coax Factor

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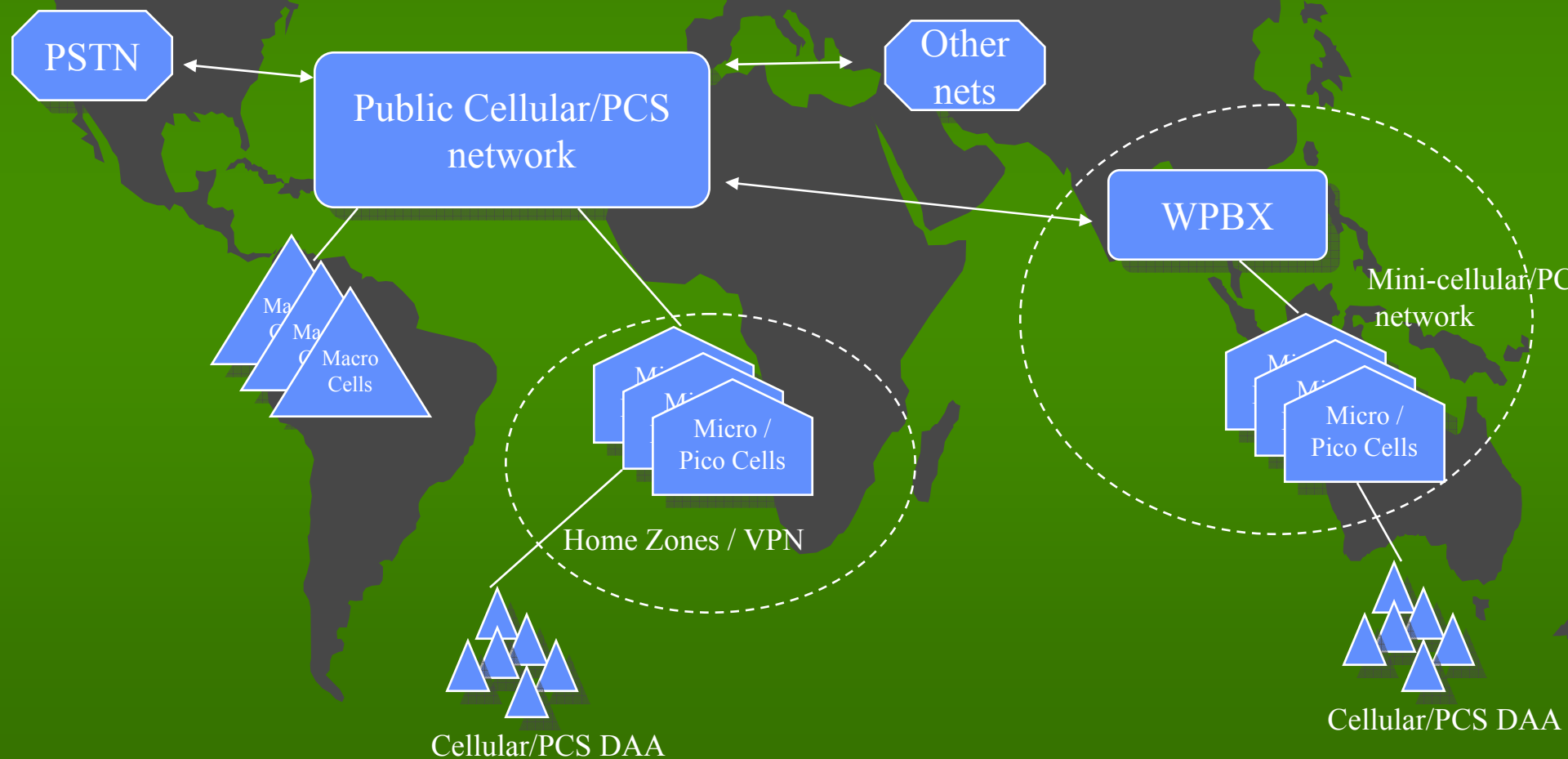
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# CablePATH RAD/RASP



# CellPATH & PCSPATH Public/Private Application



# PCSPATH 1.9GHz MEX

- u Public and private market subnets slaved off a RAD acting as a “gateway”
- u Uses dedicated coaxial cable. This allows multi-band, multi-vendor usages (e.g. mixed public 1.9GHz network with private 902 MHz networks).

# Field Trials

United States



- Time Warner
  - Satcom
  - Cable Montana
  - US West
  - Pactel
  - US CableLabs
  - Cablevision Systems Corp
  - COX
  - Adelphia
  - Motorola/RTI
  - Ericsson/COX
  - Motorola/COX
  - Northern Telecom/COX
  - AT&T Network Systems
  - Nokia
- CATV CT-2 PCS Network
  - MMDS PCS Network
  - CATV PCS Network
  - CT-2 PCS Network
  - DCT900 Wireless PBX
  - CATV PCS Network
  - Multi-Standard RAD
  - Vehicular CATV PCS Network
  - CDMA CATV PCS Network
  - CATV PCS Network
  - Vehicular PCS Network
  - DCS1900 CATV PCS Network
  - DCS/CDMA 1900 CATV PCS Network
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# Field Trials

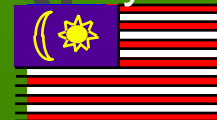
Public Area CT-2  
MEX Networks

- Hutchison
- Pacific Telelink
- Chevalier Telepoint
- Malaysia Telekom
- Singapore Telecom
- France Telecom

Hong Kong



Malaysia



Singapore



France

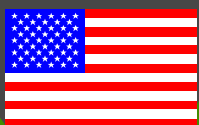


# Current Sales

*Regulatory Approvals Pending*

*Regulatory Approved*

United States



DCT900 Ericsson Freeset  
In-Building MEX Network

- Telesis - John Muir Hospital
- Motorola - DCS1900 Platform RAD
- Ericsson - DCS1900 Platform RAD

Public Area CT-2  
MEX Networks

- Chinese CT-2
- Hutchison
- Vietnam/  
Steamers  
Communications
- Telecom Australia  
(Telstra)

Hong Kong



Vietnam

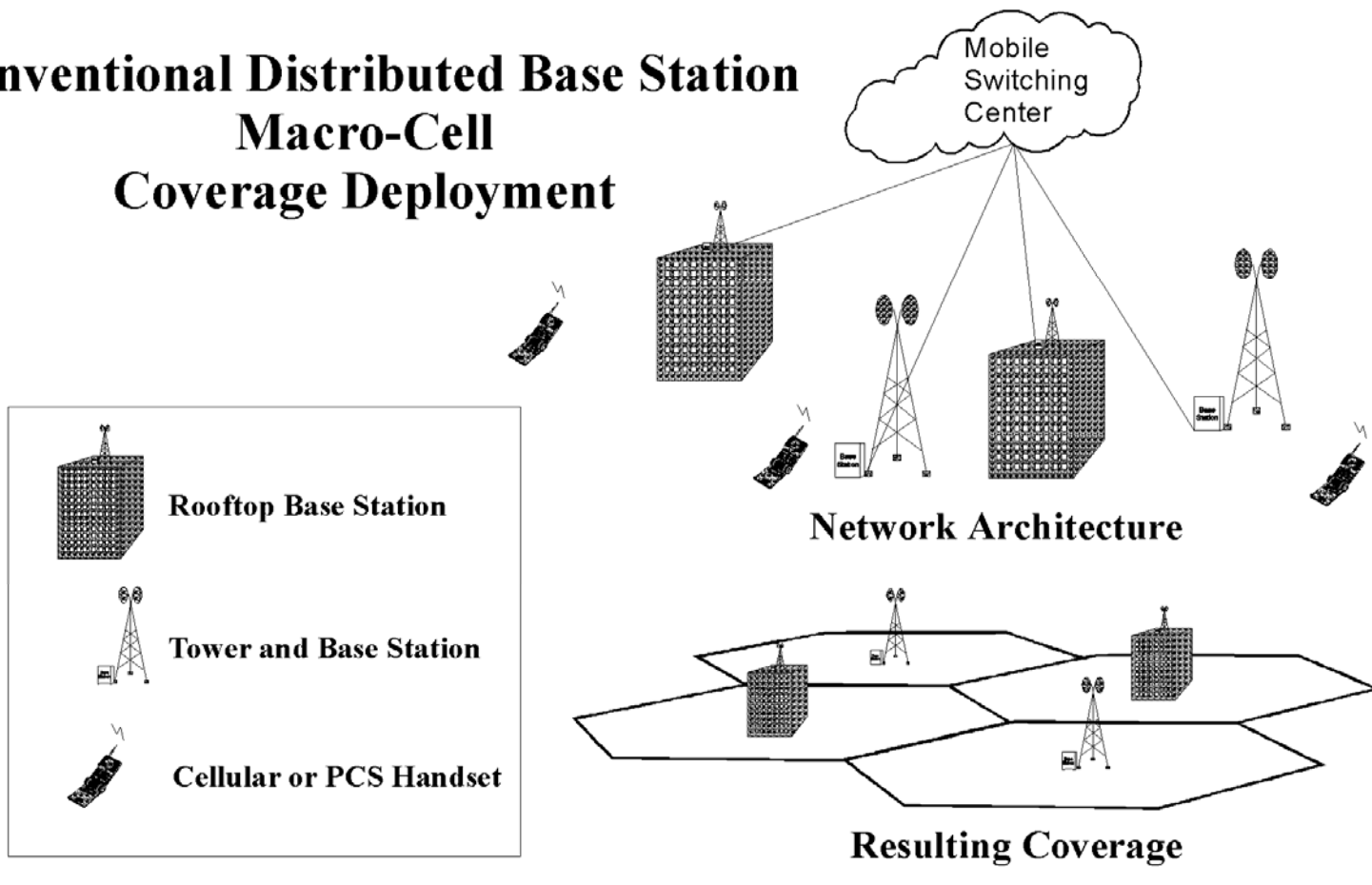


Australia



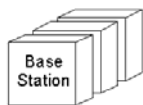
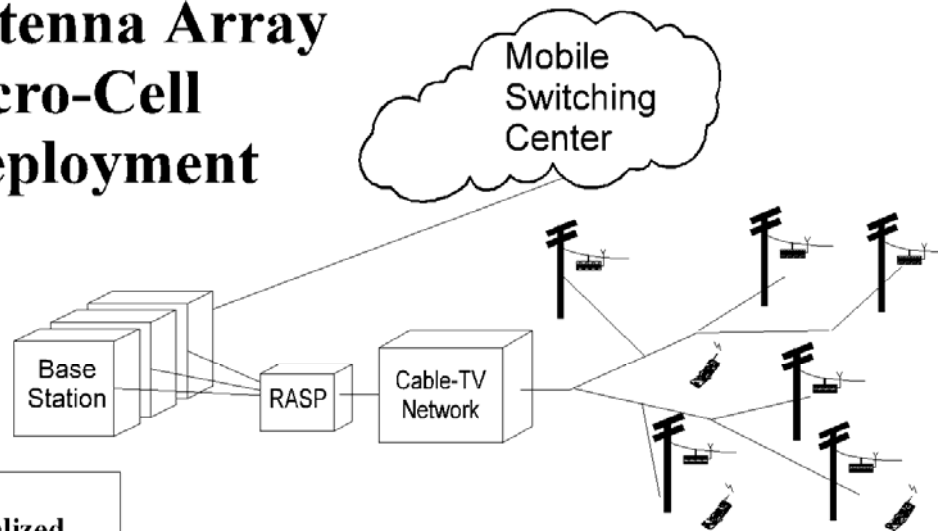
# Distributed Base Stations

## Conventional Distributed Base Station Macro-Cell Coverage Deployment



# Distributed Antennas

## Distributed Antenna Array CATV Micro-Cell Coverage Deployment



Base Stations Centralized at Head End location



Remote Antenna Driver (RAD) Mounted on Cable-TV Plant

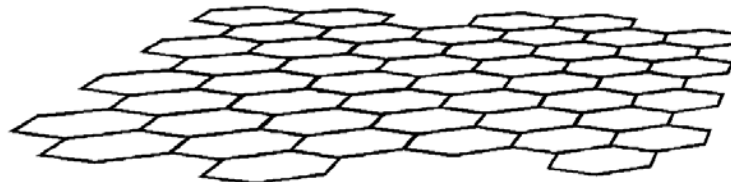


Remote Antenna Signal Processor (RASP) provides interface between base stations and CATV network



Cellular or PCS Handset

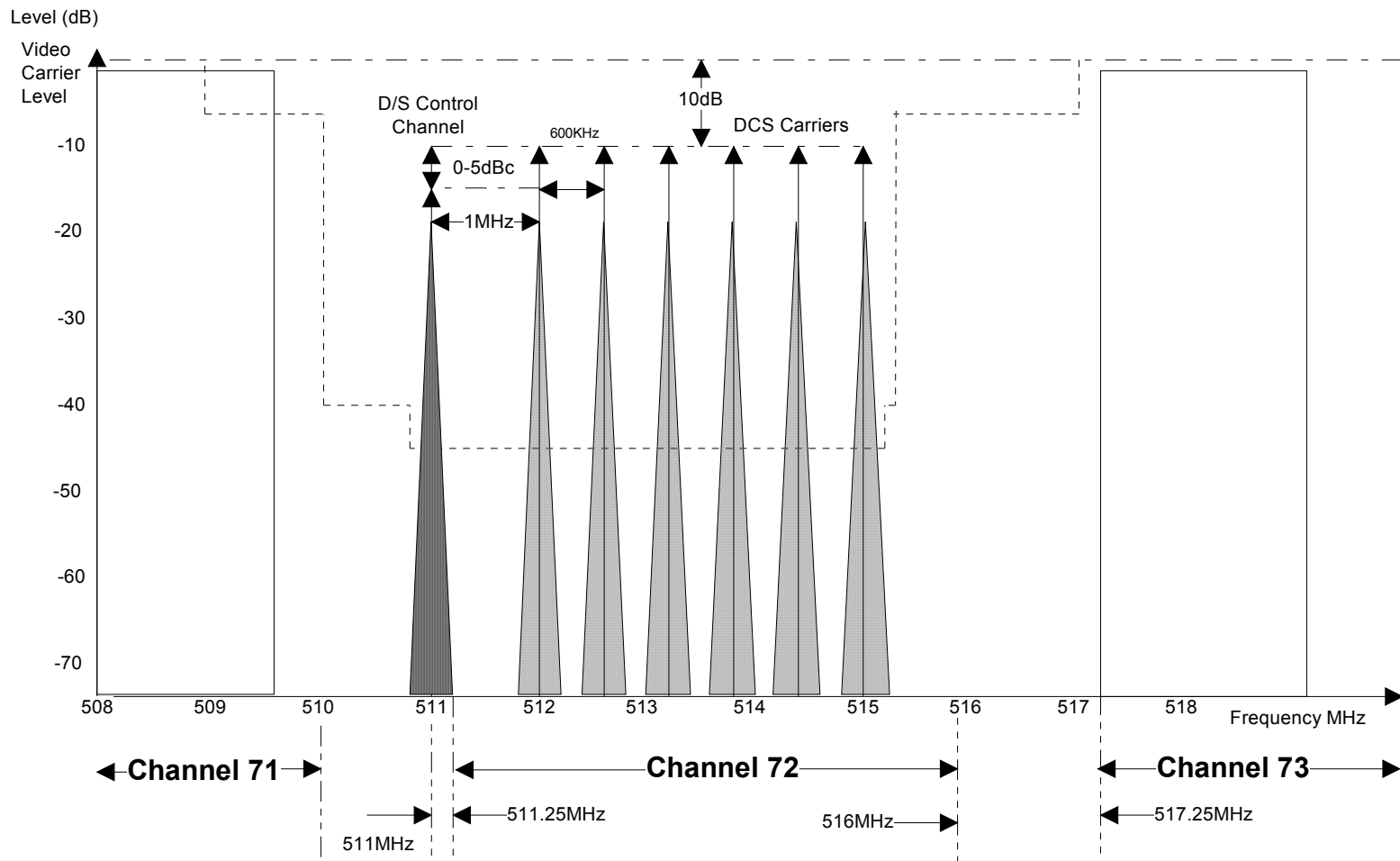
## Network Architecture



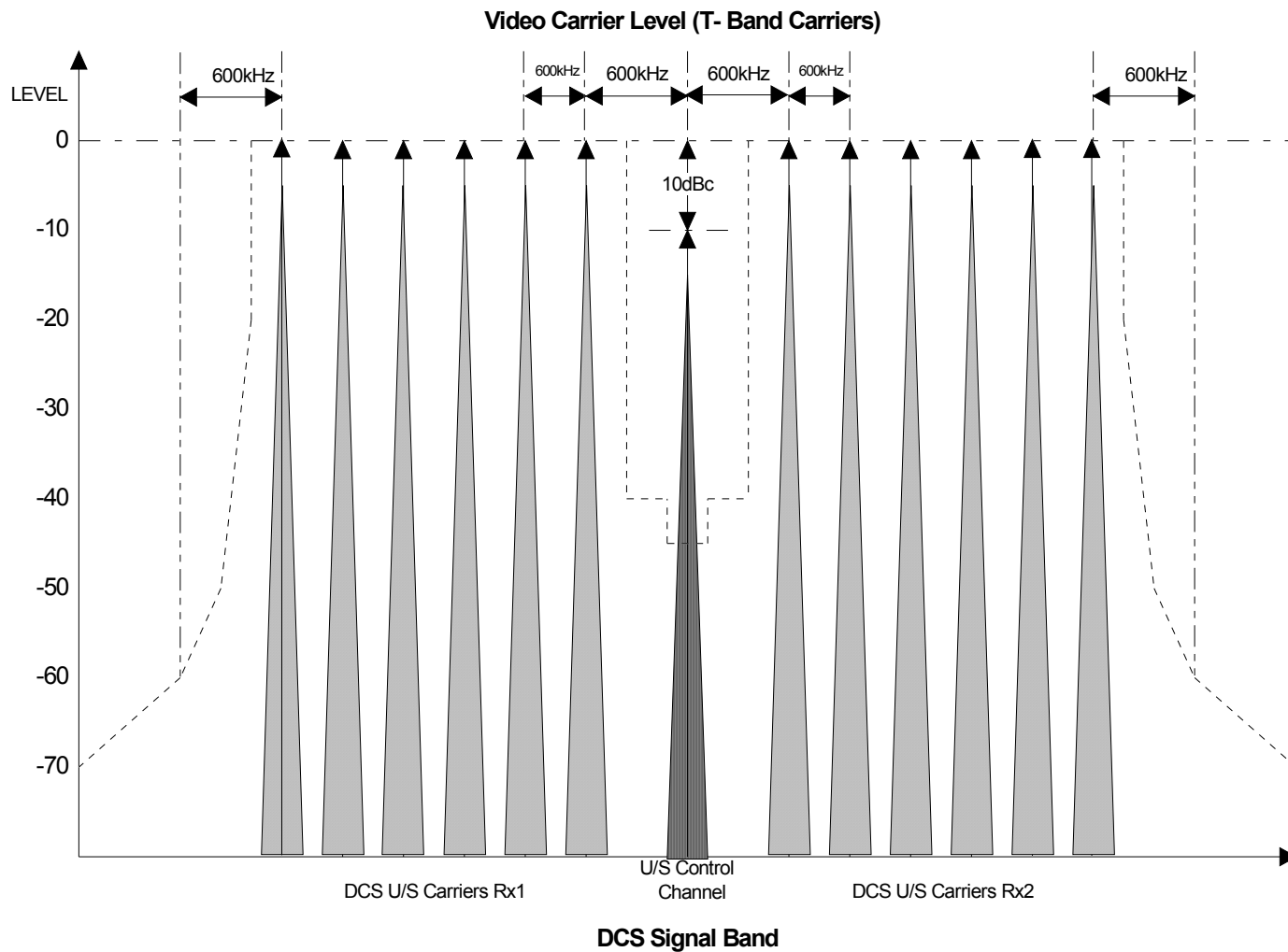
## Resulting Coverage

# Typical DCS1900 Tx over CATV

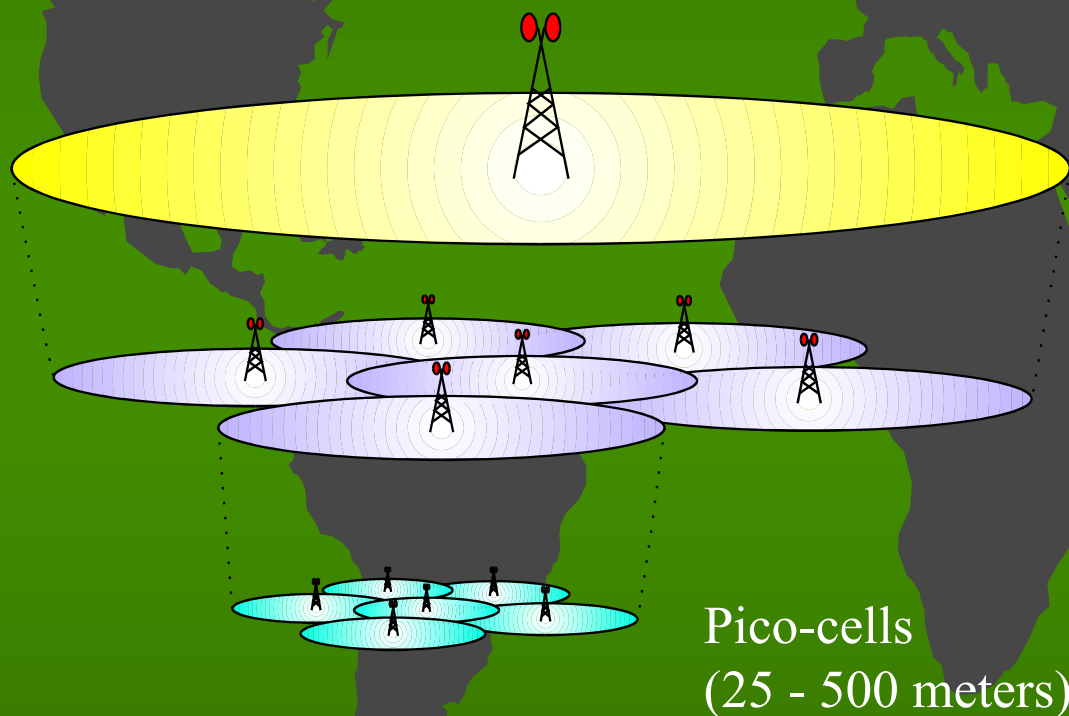
Six D/S DCS Carriers and 1 Control Carrier in a 4.5MHz "Channel Slot" for an IRC CATV Plant



# Typical DCS1900 Rx over CATV



# Conventional Coverage Deployment



Macro-cells  
(5 - 20 km)

Micro-cells  
(0.5 - 5 km)

Pico-cells  
(25 - 500 meters)

Cellular

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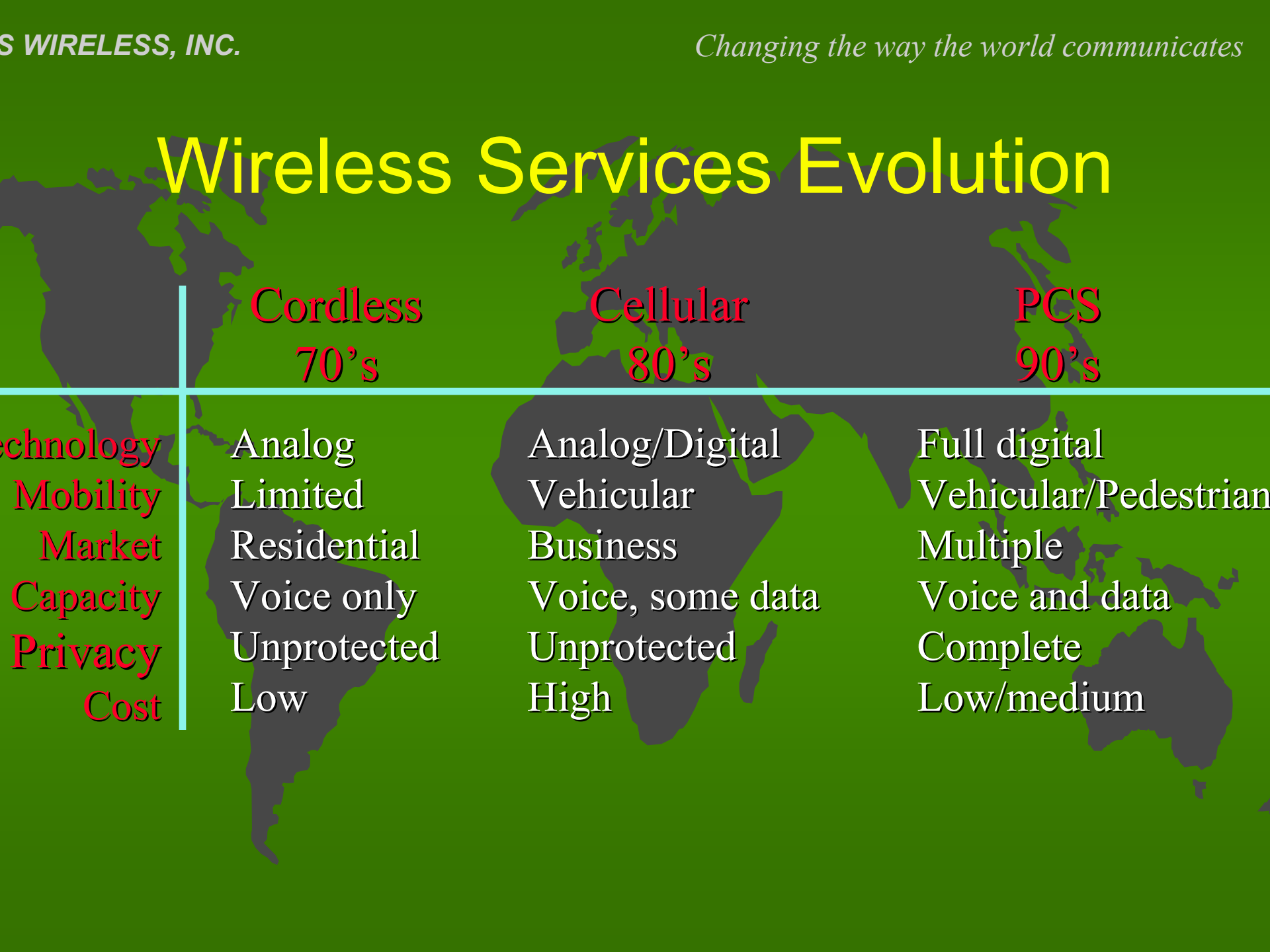
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# Wireless Services Evolution




	Cordless 70's	Cellular 80's	PCS 90's
Technology	Analog	Analog/Digital	Full digital
Mobility	Limited	Vehicular	Vehicular/Pedestrian
Market	Residential	Business	Multiple
Capacity	Voice only	Voice, some data	Voice and data
Privacy	Unprotected	Unprotected	Complete
Cost	Low	High	Low/medium



“PCS is likely to be a \$50 Billion industry by the close of the decade. The system will serve as many as 150 million people world-wide and 60 million people in the United States . . .”

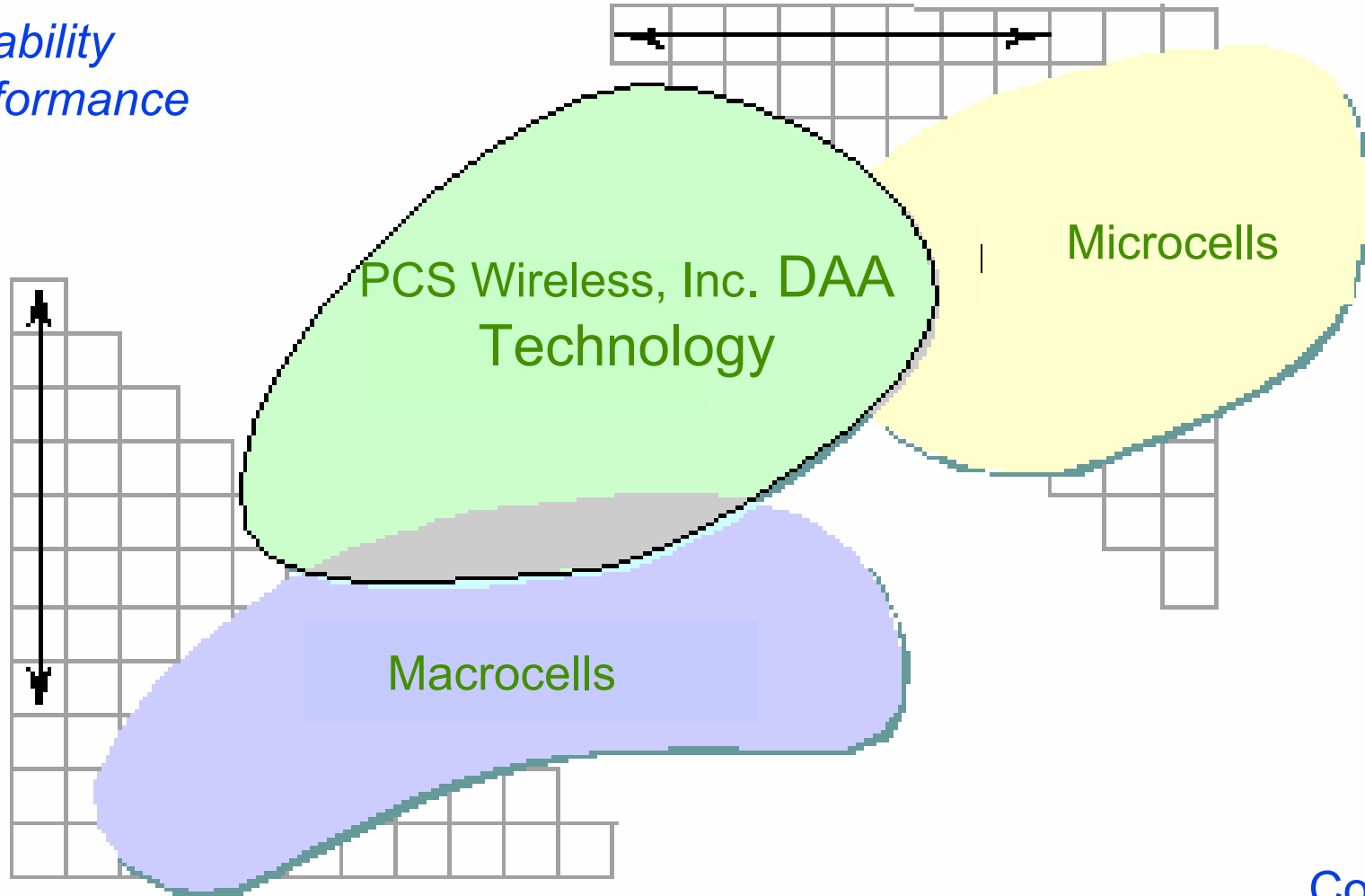
- IEEE Communications



“The next decade will see the emergence of fortunes in ever-changing transmutations of PCN, digital video, multimedia and wireless computers that dwarf the yields of cable and cellular.”

- Forbes Magazine

Capability  
/Performance



Cost

# Field Trials

Canada



- Rogers
  - World's First CATV Based PCS Ntwk
- Canadian CableLabs
  - CATV Network CT-2 RAD Trials
- Cantel
  - Public Area CT-2 MEX Trials
- BC Mobility
  - In-Building Wireless PBX MEX Trials
- Northern Telecom
  - CT-2+ Trials
- Ericsson
  - DCT900 Freeset Trials
- Telezone
  - CT-2+ Public Network
- Microcell 1-2-1
  - CT-2+ Public Network

# Intellectual Property

- Protection Mechanisms
- Patents, Pending Patents
- Trade Secrets
- Copyrights
- Know-How

# Key Operating Personnel

Ralph Scobie

President & CEO

Derek Spratt

Executive VP

Andrew Beasley

VP Technology

Paul Lancaster

VP Engineering

Suresh Singh

VP Operations

Guylain Roy

Director of Sales

## Key Operating Personnel (Cont.)

Richard Topham

Financial Controller

Evelyn Haines

Office Administrator

Anthony Chu

Director of Quality

Stephen Vandenbrink

Project Manager - 900 MEX

Dean Schebel

Project Manager - All RAD

Brad Kelly/Bob Ballam

Project Managers - 1.9 MEX

Lewis Yu

Asia Sales Mgr

Herman Van de Kerkoff

Manufacturing Mgr

Paul Marcanto

Service Supervisor

# Board of Directors

Ralph Scobie

Derek Spratt

Don Sheldon

Todd Parker

Director

Director

Director

Outside Director

## Finances: Capitalization Structure

- 20,500,000 issued and outstanding shares
- 24,000,000 fully diluted
- Initial private placements for financing the business were handled by Canaccord and First Marathon
- Completed a \$7 Million financing in the last year for business operations/aquisition

## Finances: 4 Year Proformas (000's)

	1995	1996	1997	1998	Totals
<b>Revenue</b>	4,120	16,594	27,925	48,911	96,675
<b>COGS</b>	1,430	7,723	13,471	22,358	49,781
<b>R&amp;D</b>	1,008	2,544	4,743	8,384	17,277
<b>SG&amp;A</b>	2,680	4,863	6,469	9,702	22,805
<b>Net Income</b>	(998)	1,464	3,242	6,604	9,813