



The *OCTAVE* Project

New Business Planning Group
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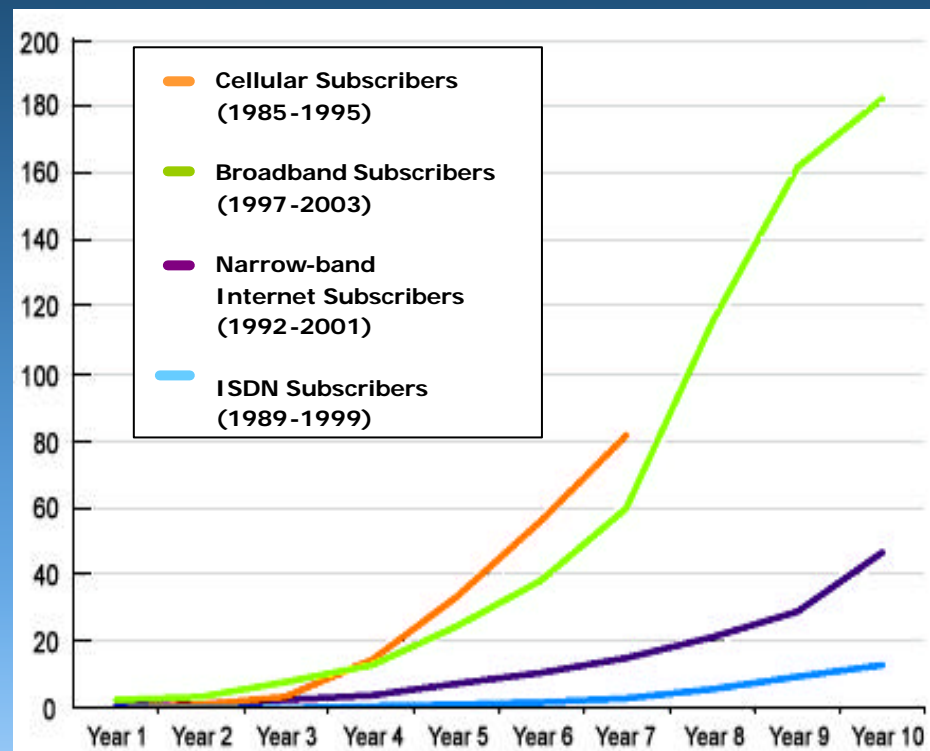
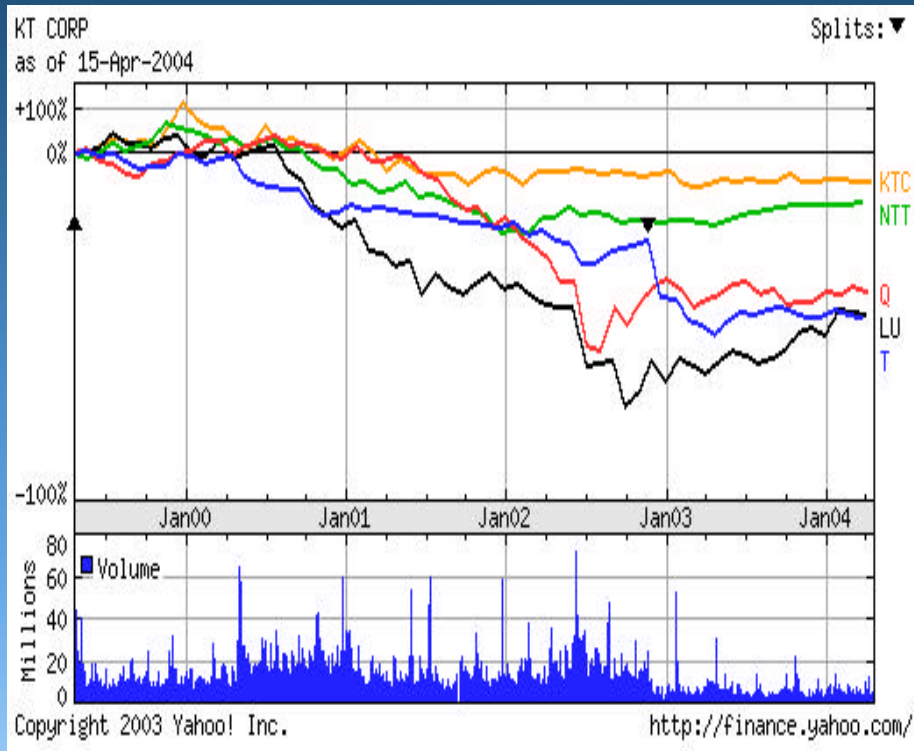
KT Value Networking

Today's Telco - Broadband

Downfall of Main Revenue Stream

- PSTN Business
- Leased-line

Broadband take-up over first 10 years is faster than previous services across the OECD countries.



Two Sides of Broadband Internet Business in Korea

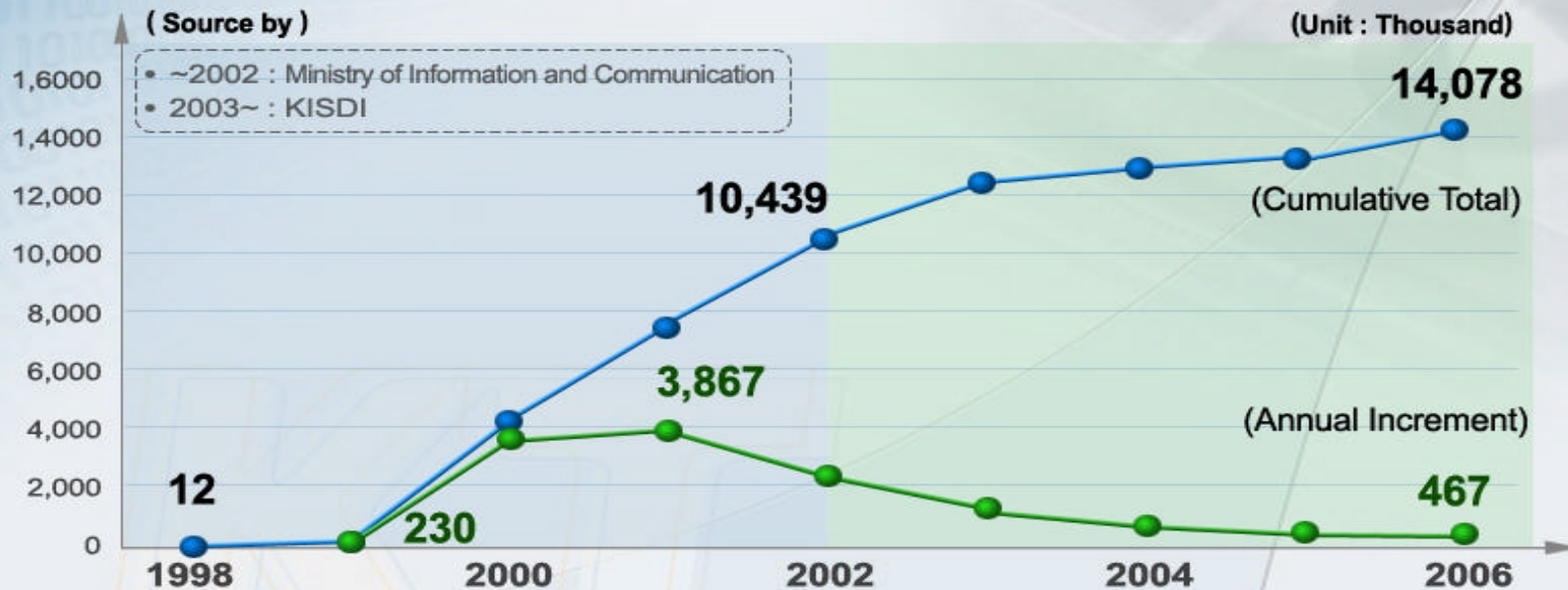
Threat

- ◆ Revenue: Saturating market with flat rate
- ◆ Expenditure: Increasing CAPEX/OPEX due to doubling traffic
- ◆ High customer expectation level:
 - avr. ~4.5Mbps bandwidth per customer
 - customer sensitivity to network quality



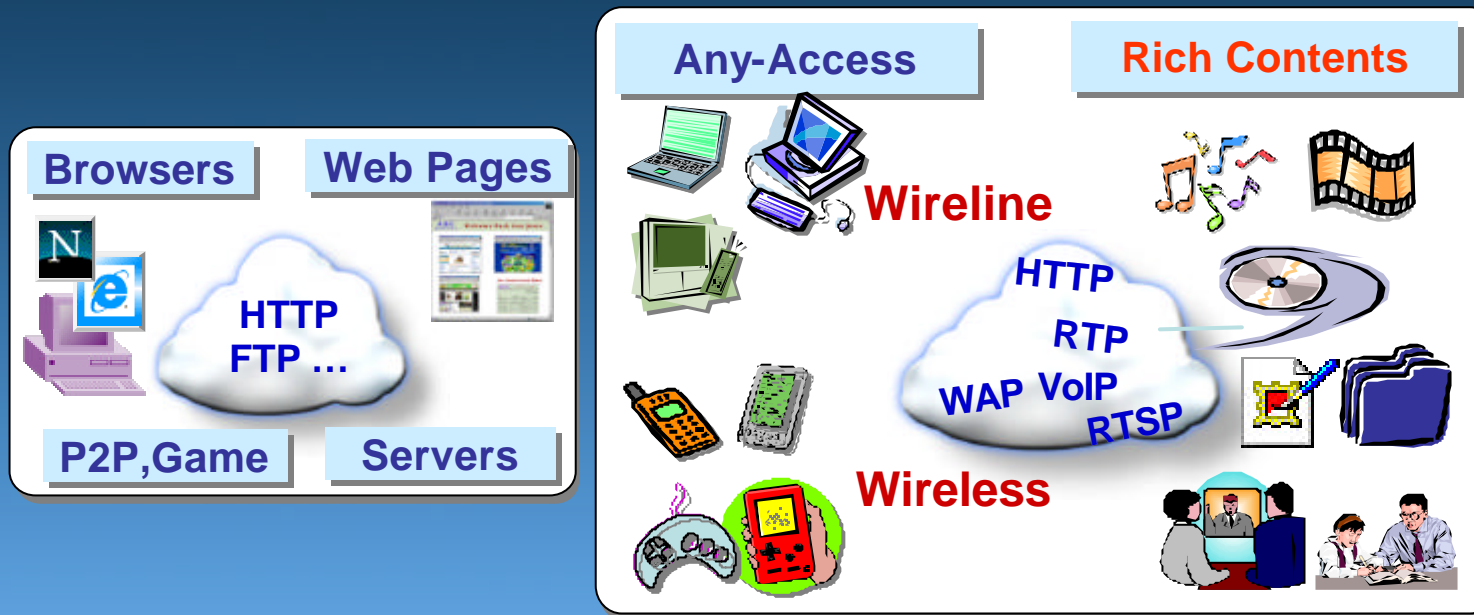
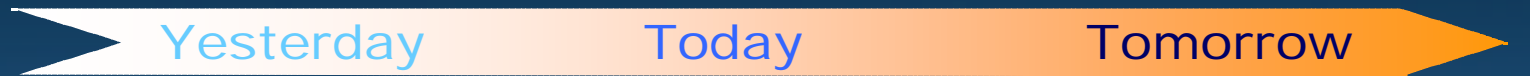
Opportunity

- ◆ Has established
 - high quality infrastructure
 - Large customer base
- ◆ Opportunities in application & value-added services



Broadband Internet: The Next Stage

- From simple Internet access to “quality life/work services”

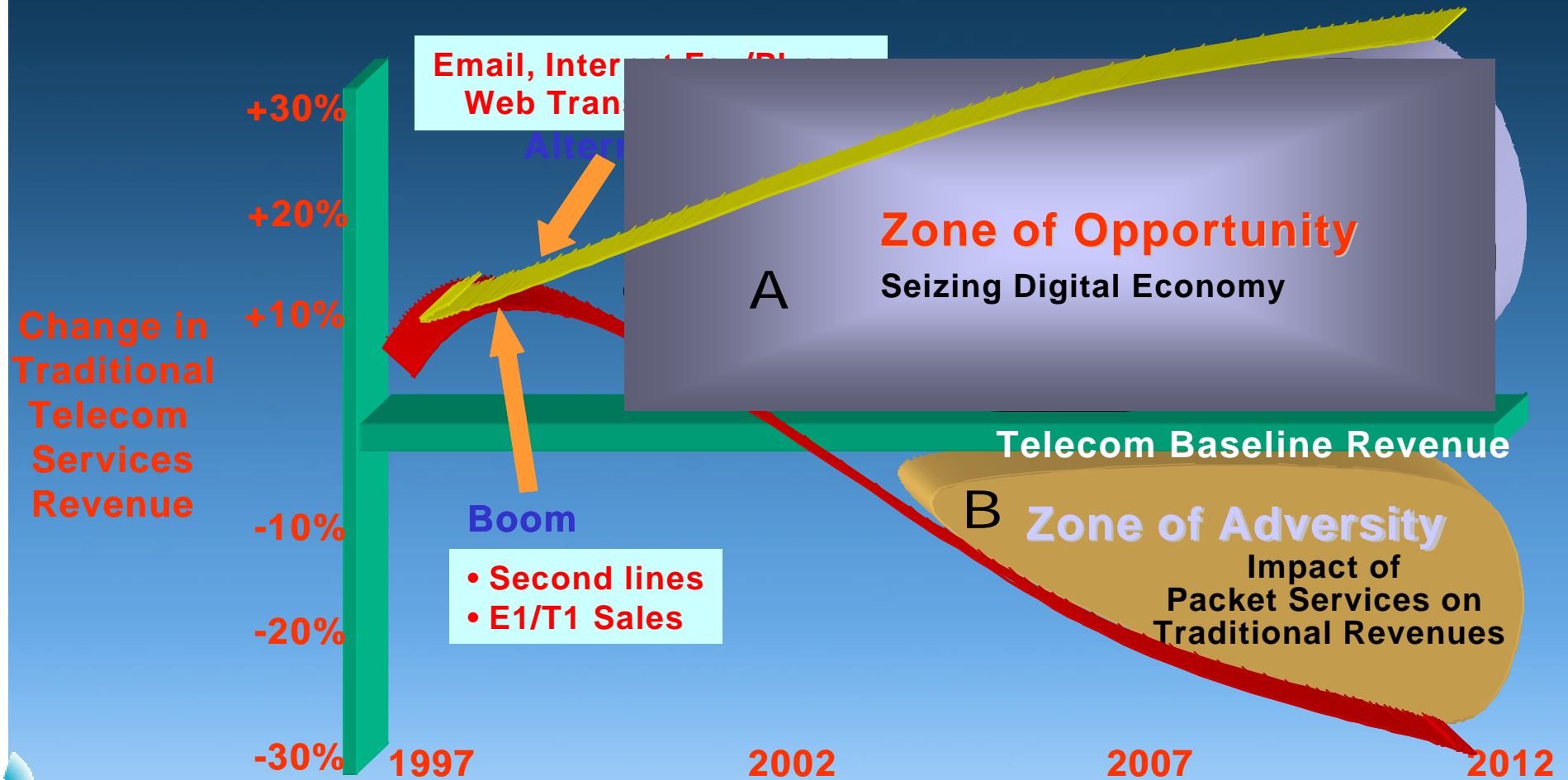


Simple Internet Access

Quality Life/work services

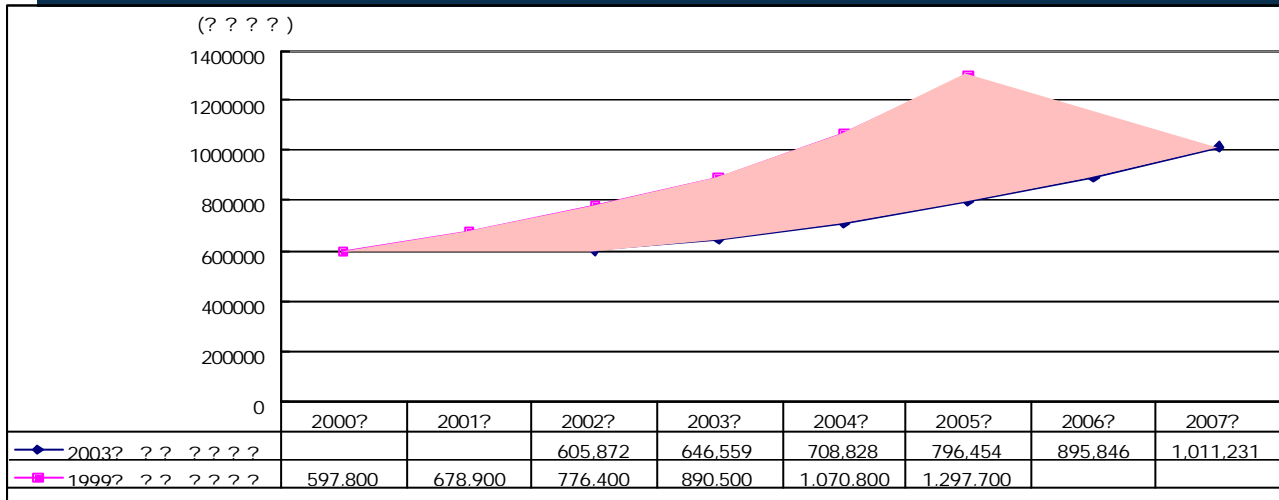
Basic Questions

1. Will |A| >> |B|?
2. Will Telcos dominate the market?



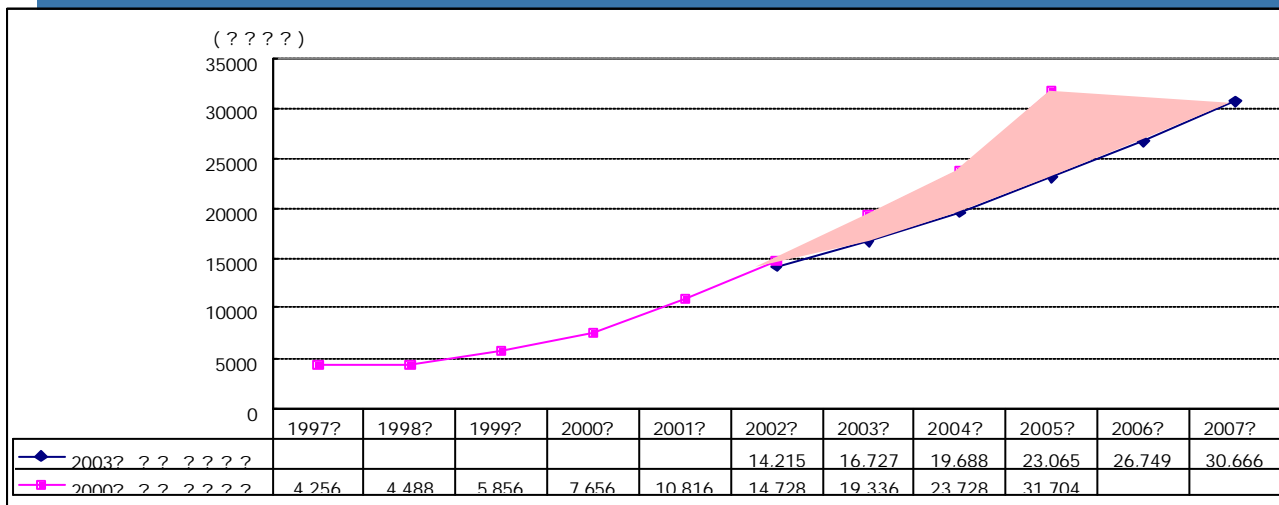
Answers #1

App./Solution Market: Forecasts & Facts



For Digital Content Market (2003, Korea)

- Creation & Service(63.2%)
- Delivery(14.9%)
- Solution(21.9%)



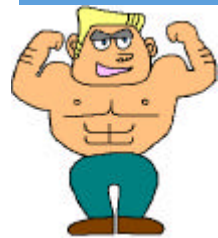
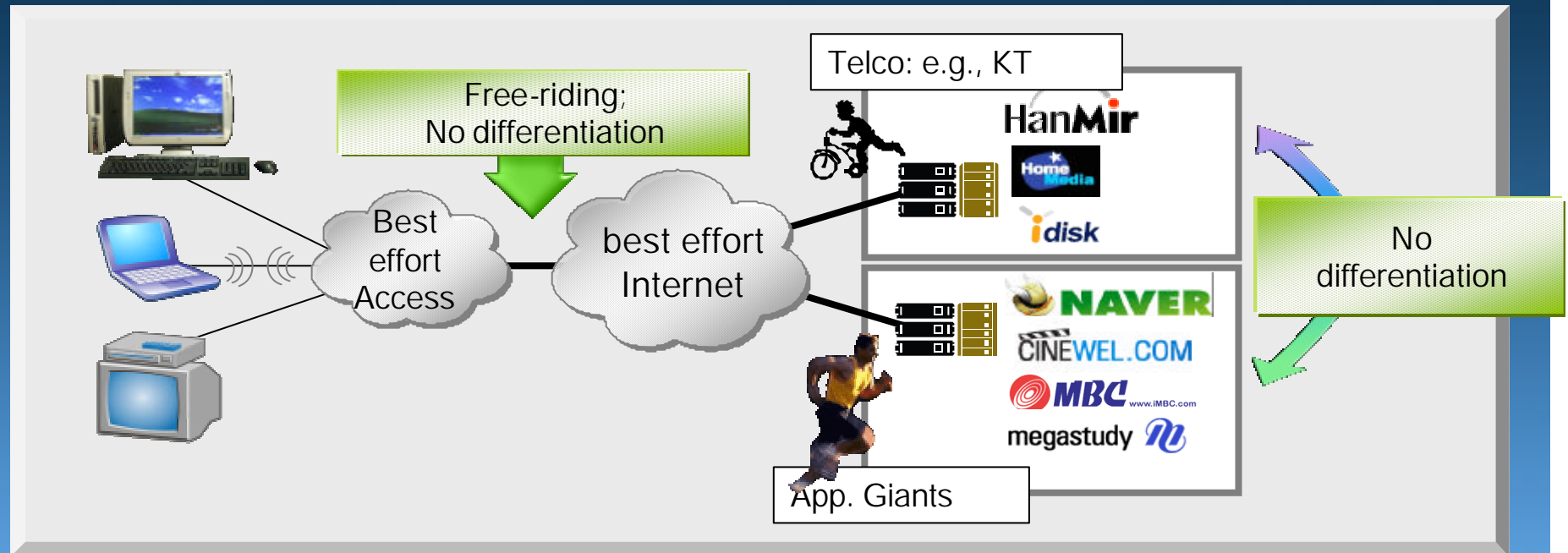
For Delivery

- Off-line(51%)
- On-line(49%)

Answers #2

Telcos in the App. & Solution Market

- Small name in the application service market

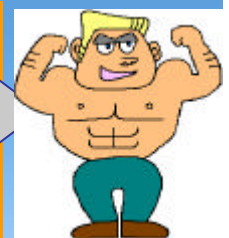


Contents
(or App. service)

Platform

Network

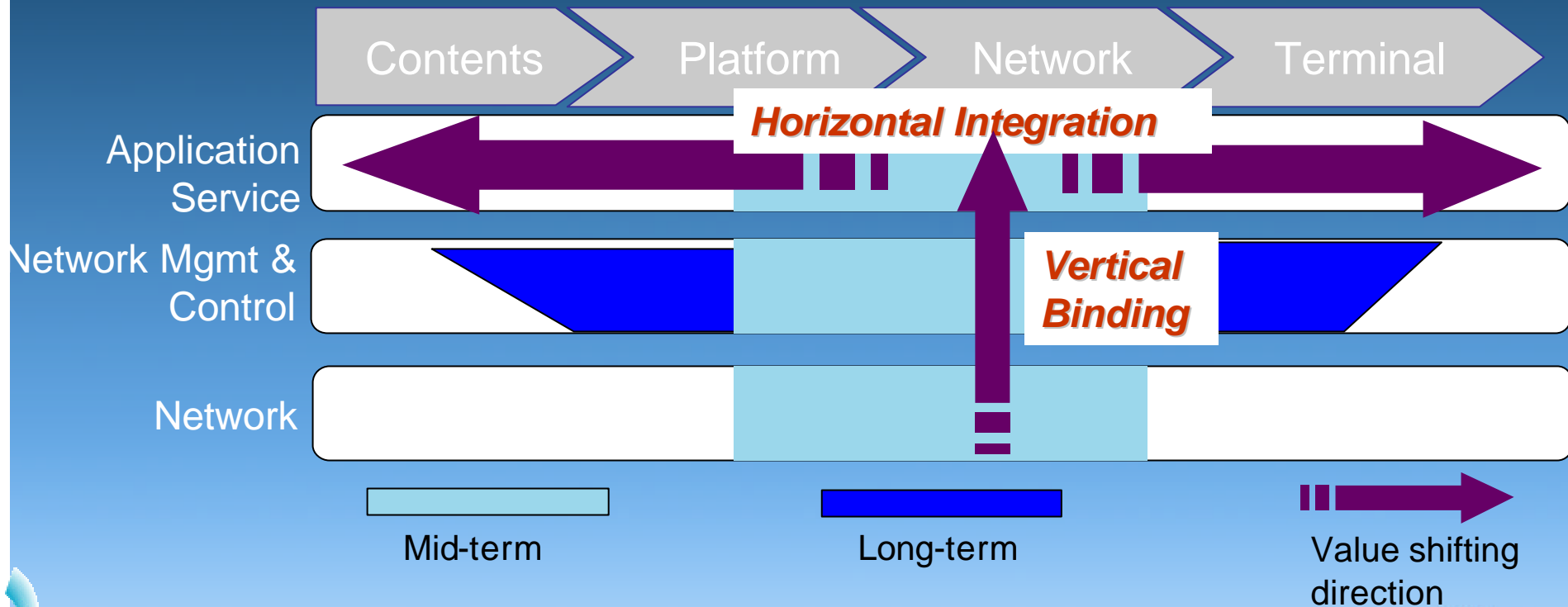
Terminal



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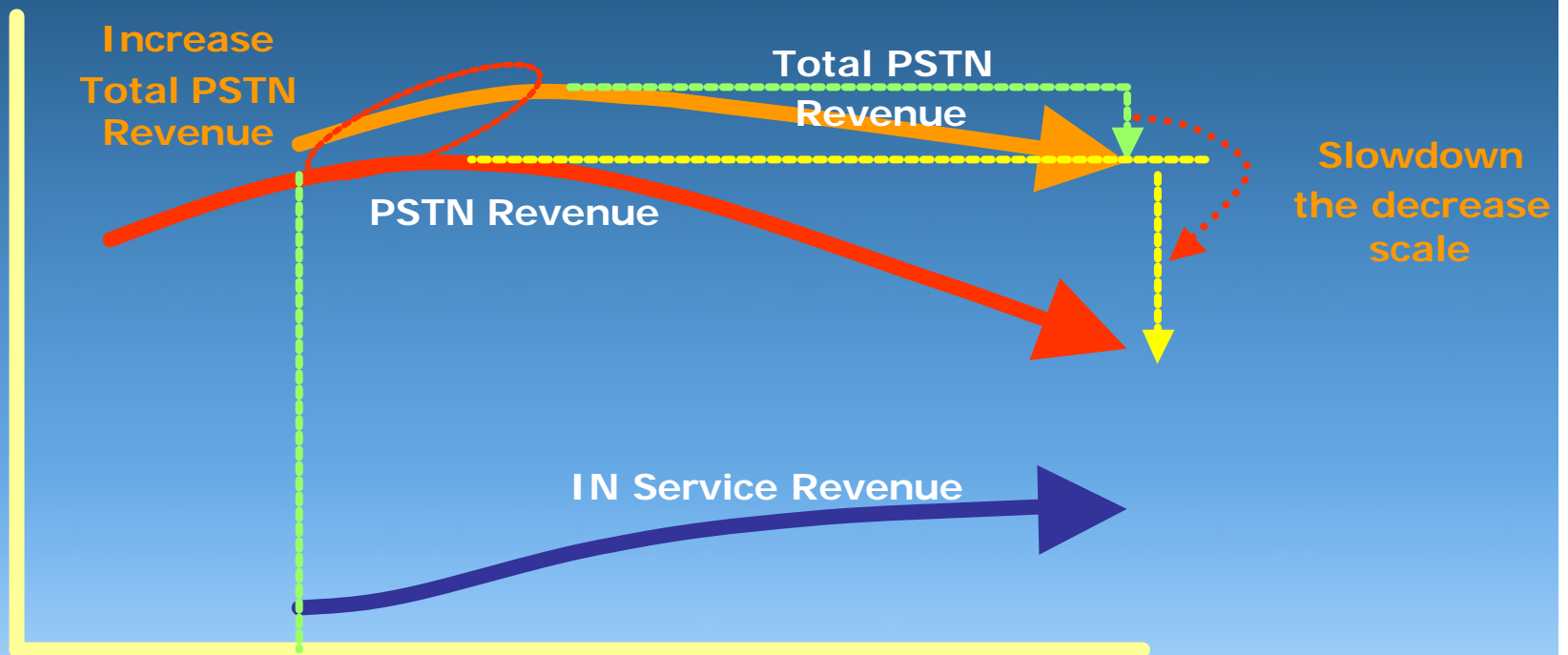
- Values shifting from the Network to Contents/Platform/Terminal
- Expected growth rate:
 - Contents(38.9%), Platform(22%), Terminal(16%), Network(11%)
- Telco as the application-to-network binder & service integrator



Octave Concept

● Past Case : PSTN and IN(Intelligence Network) Service

- IN Service Revenue increase Total PSTN Revenue at the early stage
- New Signaling Structure and Device invested
- Recently IN service slowdown the decrease scale of PSTN revenue



Octave Concept

Now : Broadband Service & Managed Service

- Broadband Service Market almost saturated and will decrease due to other substitute service like Wibro, 4G, etc..
- To expand market size, Managed & Innovative Service needed
- For Managed & Innovative Service, New Signaling Structure and New Device will be invested

➔ **Octave Project**



The Octave Project

Service	From network provider to total solution provider
Strategic Direction	Differentiated services on differentiated infrastructure <ul style="list-style-type: none">• step 1: basic application services over the Octave infra• step 2: innovative ICT-based life/work application services over the consolidated Octave infrastructure
Analogy	From plain seaside to water park



- Free/cheap, Unstable Quality, Unmanaged, Insecure



- Fee-based, Guaranteed Quality, Managed, Secure

Octave Service

- **New Application Services that will Take Up Broadband Internet Revenue**
 - Providing octave service and device to the home with broadband access
 - Reaching up to the next octave level : twice the size of the current broadband revenue



KT Octave Device

Managed Broadband Network (Megapass/NESPOT/Wibro)

Beyond Broadband : Services

- Multimedia conferencing
- High quality voice service
- Multimedia messaging

- Network computing (Grid computing)
- Computing on-demand
- ASP (Application service provider) service
- Network intelligence

Contents

- Broadcast over IP
- Media on-demand
- Interactive TV
- Personal/Enterprise casting
- Interactive learning
- Embedded communication

Computing

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Commerce/ Finance

- On-line banking
- On-line stock trading

Control

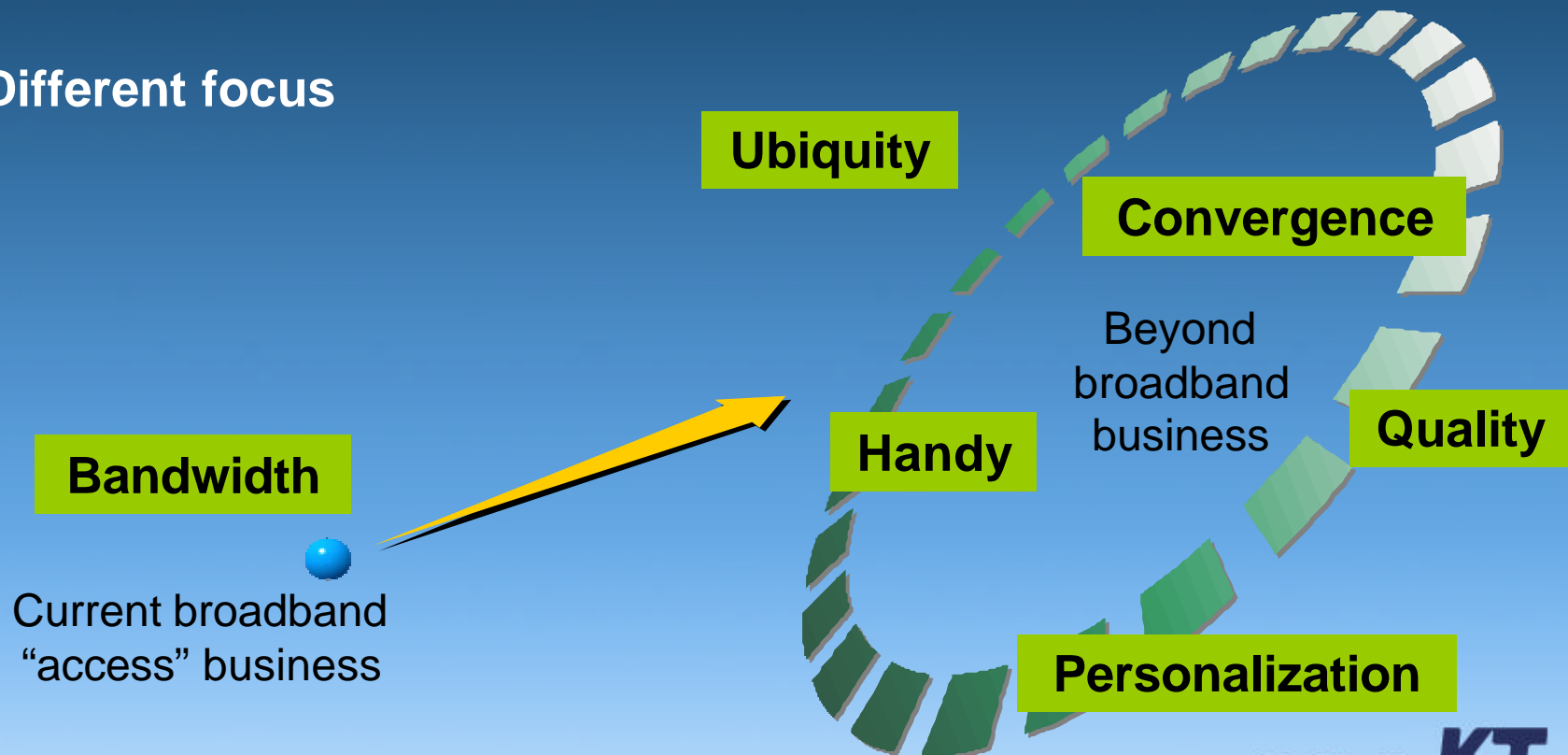
- Telemetry
- Remote surveillance
- Home/office automation

Beyond Broadband : Business

● Different business

- *From access service to end-to-end service*
- *Both best-effort & quality service*
- *From network service to solution/application services*
- *Applications: from niche market to mass revenue market*

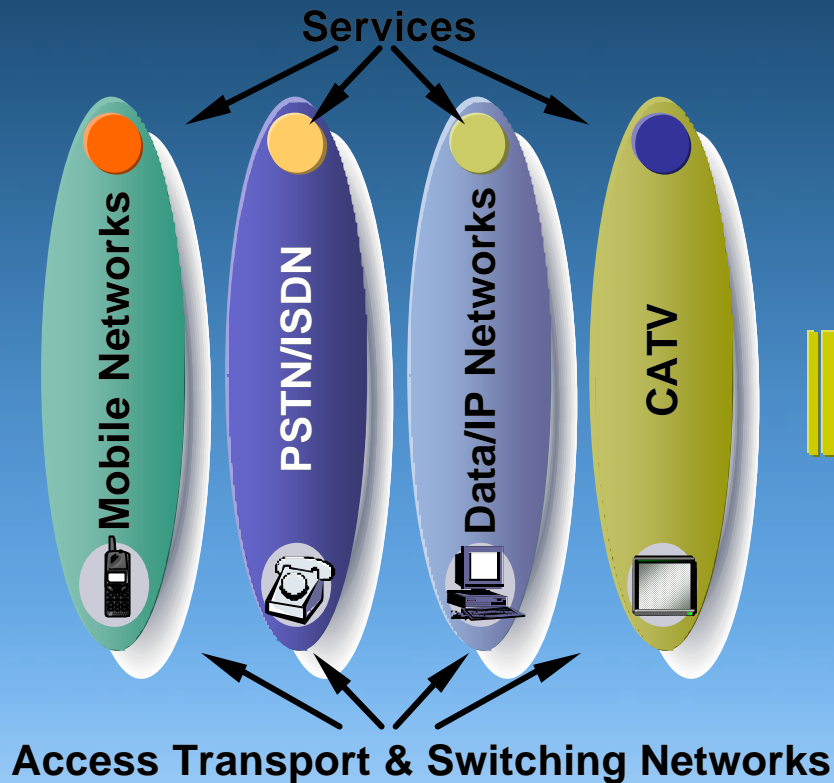
● Different focus



The Next Generation Networks

- The following picture has been in place for more than 10 years

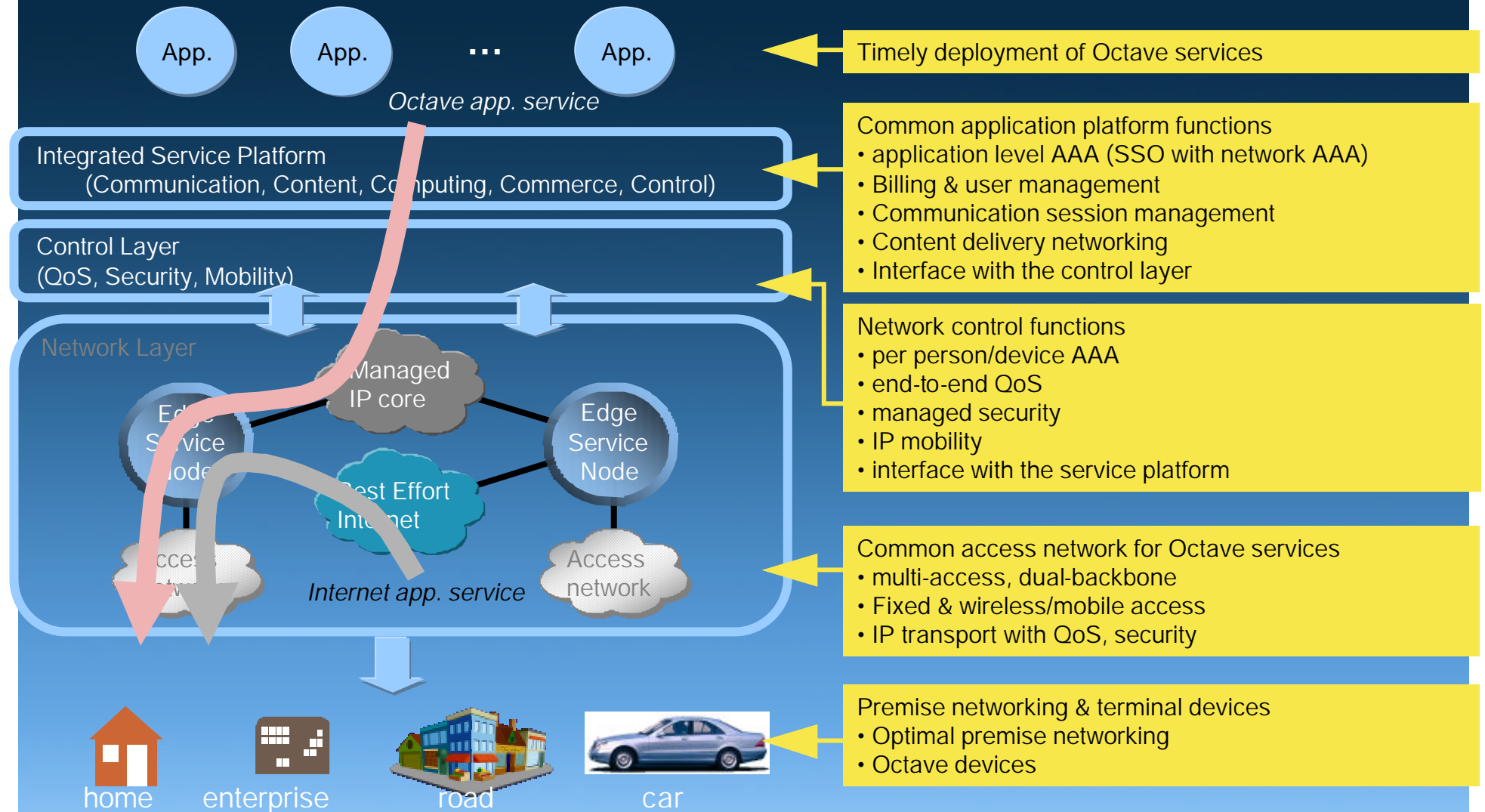
Too costly, per-service network architecture



Single/simple/cost-effective network infrastructure for existing & new services



Octave Infra



(AAA: Authentication, Authorization, Accounting) (SSO: Single Sign-On)

Challenge for One Octave Higher

- **Octave** is the Vision for Next Generation Network and Services of KT
- **Octave Infra** aims One Network for Multiple Services (triple play services, broadband wireless services, etc)
- **Octave Service** will integrate various broadband services and provide them to customers homogeneously



Octave Project will give **One Octave Higher**
in Broadband Service Revenue

The logo consists of the letters 'K' and 'T' in a bold, white, sans-serif font. The 'K' and 'T' are connected at the top, with the 'K' having a slightly curved top edge and the 'T' having a straight top edge. The background is a dark blue gradient with a bright orange and white light flare on the right side.

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