

WS8 (4): Frequency Policy and Spectrum Engineering: General Procedures on Spectrum Management

## Results of WRC15 and ITU-R Study Groups activities for WRC19; 9 Sept 16

Some information appears in 2<sup>nd</sup> Asia Pacific Spectrum Management Conference, April 2016, presented by Vadim Nozdrin, Counselor, ITU-R Study Group.

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#### International Wroclaw Symposium on EMC, 1996

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Around 3,275 participants, 162 out of ITU's 193 Member States, 495 participants representing 130 other entities, incl. industry, as observers. 678 Documents including 2,888 proposals were submitted. Two thirds were common proposals (either regional or multi-country).



- World radiocommunication conference (WRC) 1. WRCs are held every 3–4 years
- 2. WRC reviews & revises the <u>Radio Regulations</u> (RR) the international treaty governing the use of the RF & the geostationary-satellite & non-geostationary-satellite orbits
- 3. Revisions are made on the basis of agenda determined by the <u>ITU Council</u>
- 4. Agenda is established four to six years in advance; final agenda set by the ITU Council two years before the conference

## Under terms of ITU Constitution WRC can

- Revise the RR & any associated RF assignment & allotment Plans
- Address any radiocommunication matter of worldwide character
- Instruct Radio Regulations Board &
  - the R-Bureau, & review their activities
  - Determine Questions for study by the Radiocommunication Assembly and its Study Groups in preparation for future **Radio Conferences**

## **Conference Preparatory Meeting CPM Report**

- Based on contributions from administrations, R-Study Groups, & other sources concerning the regulatory, technical, operational & procedural matters to be considered by World and Regional Radiocommunication Conferences, the **Conference Preparatory Meeting (CPM)** prepares a consolidated report to support the
- work of such conferences

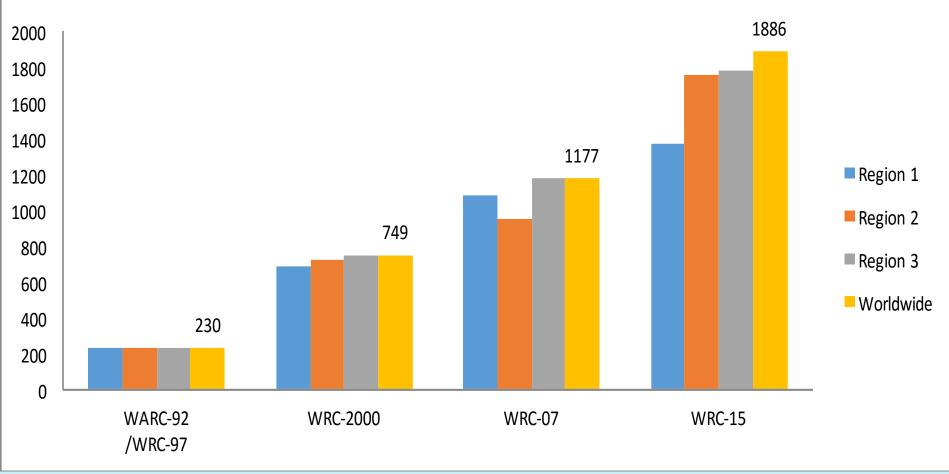
WRC-15 Main Results: Mobile Broadband (BB)

- Mobile broadband in 694–790 MHz in ITU Region-1 (Europe, Africa, the Middle East and Central Asia) a global harmonization for the digital dividend
- Germany (June 15; over €1 billion) & France (Nov. 15, €2,8 billion) already auctioned the 700 MHz band
- 3. Protection to TV, aeronautical radionavigation in this band
- 4. 470–690 MHz remains exclusively to TV in Region1, for at least a decade; to be reviewed only on 2023
- 5. L-band (1427–1518 MHz) improves coverage & capacity
- 6. Harmonize 200 MHz of C-band (3.4–3.6 GHz), to improve capacity in urban areas; used in small cells -7-

WRC-15 Main Results: Mobile Broadband (BB 2)

- 1. Identification of additional harmonized 318 MHz in more than 80% countries (total 1,228 MHz), in regions, where there was no interference with other services
- 2. Studies in the agenda for WRC 2019 to identify bands above 6 GHz for greater capacity.
- 3. Administrations and industry concentrate to develop necessary technologies for implementation of <u>IMT-2020</u>
- 4. 5G services, mainly above 24 GHz; e.g., 31.8–33.4 GHz, for short range applications

#### Total amount of spectrum identified for IMT (MHz)



IMT: International Mobile Telecommunications Figure provided by Vadim Nozdrin

On May 2016,0 ITU-R SG5 established a dedicated Task Group (TG 5/1) to deal with complex issues related to WRC-19 agenda item 1.13: identification of frequency bands for IMT

## WRC-15 Main Results: Satellite Communications (1)

- 1. <u>250 MHz up-link in Region 1, 250 MHz up-link in 30 countries of</u> <u>Regions 1 and 2, 200 MHz in 10 countries of Region 3</u>
- 2. Such as additional FSS (Fixed Satellite Service) spectrum needs in the 51.4–52.4 GHz
- WRC-23 agenda will consider additional spectrum in 37.5–39.5 GHz
- 4. FSS links for Unmanned Aerial Systems: drones
- 5. Earth observation satellites for environmental monitoring:
  - 1. allocations in 7–8 GHz to uplink for future missions of earthexploration satellite services (EESS)
  - Allocations in 9–10 GHz to develop broadband sensing technologies & space-borne radars on active sensing EESS. Scientific and geo-information will provide measurements in all weather conditions for disaster relief and humanitarian aid, land use & large-area coastal surveillance

WRC-15 Main Results: Satellite Communications (2) Easing Regulation

- Suppression of Advance Publication Information (API); it was obligatory, before coordination phase or notification (No.9.1)
- 2. Reduction of coordination arc
- Reduce regulatory period of suspension day-byday
- Increase transparency when one space station is used to bring into use assignments to GSO networks at different orbital locations within a short period of time
- 5. BR has to provide a reason for query on orbit use

### Key Maritime Issues

- **1. Broadband satellite: Earth Stations in Motion (ESIM)** Deployment in 19.7–20.2 & 29.5–30.0 GHz in fixed-satellite service (FSS), to provide global broadband. Earth stations on-board moving platforms, such as ships, trains & aircraft, to communicate with high power multiple spot beam satellites, allowing 10–50 Mbits/s
- 2. Enhanced maritime communications: Automatic Identification System (AIS)

New data exchange to improve safety of navigation. New allocations in downlink 161.9375–161.9625 MHz & uplink 161.9875–162.0125 MHz to maritime mobile-satellite (MMSS). Studies continue on compatibility between MMSS downlink & incumbent services in-band & adjacent bands -<sup>12-</sup>

#### Public Protection & Disaster Relief (PPDR) and Safety

- 1. Emergency communications and disaster relief
  - WRC-15 identified global harmonized spectrum in 694–894 MHz, to
    facilitate mobile BB for robust & reliable mission critical emergency
    services in PPDR, such as police, fire, ambulances & disaster response
    teams. 4 940-4 990 MHz, in Region 3. Significant updates to
    Resolution 646 on PPDR. ITU-R WP 5A applies the results.

#### 2. Amateur radio service gets new allocation

New allocation in 5351.5 - 5366.5 kHz for stable communications over various distances, especially for communications in disaster situations and for relief operations

#### 3. Search and rescue

WRC-15 reinforced beacons' protection in the 406-406.1 MHz uplink, such as the Cospas-Sarsat system. Resolution 205 was modified to avoid drifting close to 406 MHz

#### 4. Road Safety

Short-range <u>automotive radar</u> in 77.5–78 GHz. Globally harmonized regulatory framework to prevent collisions. WP 5A and 5C advance it -13-

WRC-15 Main Results: Aviation and Avionics (WP 5B)

1. Unmanned aircraft systems (UAS)

WRC-15 opened the way for the development by ICAO of worldwide standards for UAS, and identified regulatory conditions to such systems

- 2. Wireless Avionics Intra-Communications (WAIC) RF to allow for the heavy and expensive wiring used in aircraft to be replaced by wireless systems (Fly By Wireless)
- **3. Global flight tracking for civil aviation** RF for <u>global flight tracking in civil aviation</u> for improved safety. 1087.7–1092.3 MHz has been allocated to aeronautical mobile-satellite service (Earth-to-space) for reception by space stations of Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast (ADS-B) emissions from aircraft transmitters, to report position of aircraft

Resolution 809 (WRC-15): shortened & highlighted WRC 2019 Agenda (1)

1.1 allocation of <u>50-54 MHz to the amateur service in Region 1</u>;

power limits for earth stations in the mobile-satellite service,
 meteorological-satellite service and Earth exploration-satellite service in <u>401-</u>
 <u>403 MHz</u> and <u>399.9-400.05</u> MHz;

1.5 use of <u>17.7-19.7 GHz</u> (space-to-Earth) and <u>27.5-29.5 GHz</u> (Earth-to-space) by <u>earth stations in motion</u> communicating with geostationary space stations in the fixed-satellite;

1.8 support Global Maritime Distress Safety Systems (GMDSS) modernization and to support the introduction of additional satellite systems into the GMDSS;

1.9 to consider, based on the results of ITU-R studies:

1.9.1 <u>156-162.05 MHz</u> for autonomous maritime radio devices to protect the <u>GMDSS</u> and <u>automatic identifications system (AIS)</u>;

1.9.2 new spectrum allocations to the maritime mobile-satellite service (Earth-to-space and space-to-Earth), preferably within the frequency bands <u>156.0125-157.4375 MHz</u> and <u>160.6125-162.0375 MHz</u>, to enable a new <u>VHF</u> <u>data exchange system</u> (VDES) satellite component;

1.10 use of Global Aeronautical Distress and Safety System (GADSS) -15-

Resolution 809 (WRC-15): shortened & highlighted WRC 2019 Agenda (2)

1.11 support <u>railway radiocommunication systems</u> between train and trackside within existing mobile service allocations, in accordance with Resolution **236** [COM6/12] (WRC-15) (Beijing-Amsterdam);

1.12 evolving Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS);

1.13 identification of <u>frequency bands for IMT</u>, including possible additional allocations to the mobile service on a primary basis;

1.14 regulatory actions for <u>high-altitude platform stations</u>

(HAPS), within existing fixed-service allocations Google & Facebook);

1.15 land-mobile and fixed services applications operating in <u>275-</u> <u>450 GHz</u>;

1.16 wireless access systems, including radio local area networks (<u>WAS/RLAN</u>), between 5 150-5 925 MHz, including additional spectrum allocations to the mobile service

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Resolution 810 (WRC-15): Preliminary WRC 2023 Agenda

- 2.1 support <u>Global Maritime Distress and Safety</u> <u>System (GMDSS)</u>;
- 2.2 new allocation to the Earth exploration-satellite (active) service for <u>spaceborne radar sounders</u> around 45 MHz;
- 2.3 regulating <u>space weather sensors</u>;
- 2.4 new allocations to the <u>fixed-satellite service</u> in
- 37.5-39.5 GHz (Earth-to-space);

2.5 spectrum use and spectrum needs of existing services in the frequency band <u>470-960 MHz in</u> <u>Region 1 and consider possible regulatory actions in</u> the frequency band <u>470-694 MHz in Region 1</u> -17-

# Urgent studies required in preparation for the 2019 World Radiocommunication Conference (WP1B)

- 1. Wireless <u>Power Transmission (WPT)</u> for electric vehicles
  - a) impact of WPT on radio services (WP1B);
  - b) suitable harmonized frequency ranges
- 2. Examine <u>unauthorized</u> earth stations terminals
- **3.** <u>Internet of Things</u>: Narrowband and broadband machine-type communication infrastructure

## CPM19-1 in Geneva from 30 Nov. to 1 Dec. 2015

- Organized preparatory studies for WRC-19
   & proposed a structure for its Report
- 2. Nominated 6 Chapter Rapporteurs to assist the Chairman in managing the development of the draft Report to WRC-19
- With one exception, all the preparatory work will be performed within the ITU-R Study Groups
- ITU-R SG5 will establish a dedicated Task Group (TG 5/1) to deal with complex issues related to WRC-19 agenda item 1.13

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#### Geneva, 17 Nov 2015 football match: WRC-15 participants vs. ITU staff

Sergio Buonomo Captain ITU staff

Official ITU announcement at screens on 17 Nov 15: football match WRC-15 at 12:00-14:00 Varembé Stade

## Many Thanks; Any Qs?

More info: <u>World Radiocommunication Conference 2015 (WRC-15)</u> & <u>Provisional Final Acts</u> <u>The Radio Regulations</u>, edition of 2016, is available on October 2016

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