Test and measurement over the entire ecosystem

 5G changes impact everything from device level to conformance testing to installation and maintenance (I&M).

- Bringing in mmWave capabilities at usable costs.

OTA and I&M? Interference hunt ideas



Mobile Technology R&D



Device/Module Production



Access Network I&M



Core Network



Component / Antenna



Conformance / Acceptance



Data Center / Computing



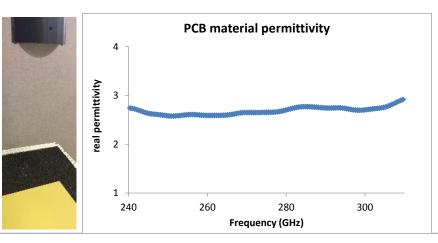
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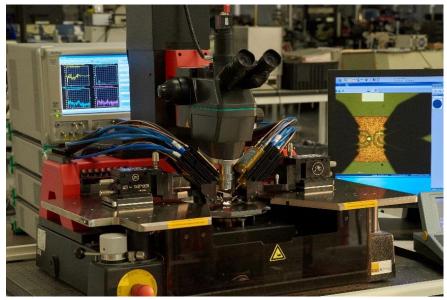


Device modeling and design development

Higher frequency tools exist for (quasi-) linear characterization to include AM-PM, intermodulation distortion, etc...

- How critical is harmonic characterization from a design (not modeling) perspective at higher frequencies?
- Will the PA continue to be a performance-defining element?





4-port 70 kHz-145 GHz Vector Network Analysis for device/model development

Materials measurement methods exist to the THz range. Adequate?

Radio measurements and the integration question

- Some waveforms place more demands on measurement equipment (less of a concern) but can reduce achievable EVM (uncertainties?).

 OTA blocking: the best way to test efficiently? Channel-specific steering and traffic generation?

 Not just the analog-digital split, but where is the network split? How much data reduction happens before an access point?

