

Contents

<i>Foreword</i>	ix
<i>Acknowledgments</i>	xi
1. Introduction	1
1.1 5G—A new era of connectivity	1
1.2 A step change	1
1.3 A new context for operators	2
1.4 The road to 5G network deployments	2
1.5 3GPP release 15 and 16	2
1.6 Core requirements	4
1.7 New service grades	4
1.8 Structure of this book	5
2. Drivers for 5G	7
2.1 Introduction	7
2.2 New use cases	7
2.3 New technologies	9
3. Architecture overview	15
3.1 Introduction	15
3.2 Two perspectives on 5G Core	19
3.3 Service-based architecture (SBA)	22
3.4 The core of the core	26
3.5 Connecting the core network to mobile devices and radio networks	28
3.6 Mobility and data connectivity	30
3.7 Policy control and charging	35
3.8 5GC interworking with EPC	37
3.9 Voice services	41
3.10 Messaging services	44
3.11 Exposure of network information	46
3.12 Device positioning services	48
3.13 Network analytics	49
3.14 Public warning system	50
3.15 Support for devices connected over non-3GPP access networks	52
3.16 Network slicing	54
3.17 Roaming	55

3.18 Storage of data	59
3.19 5G radio networks	59
4. EPC for 5G	73
4.1 Introduction	73
4.2 Key EPC functions	77
4.3 (Enhanced) Dedicated Core Networks ((e)DECOR)	84
4.4 Control and User Plane Separation (CUPS)	89
5. Key concepts	105
5.1 Architecture modeling	105
5.2 Service Based Architecture	105
5.3 Identifiers	107
6. Session management	111
6.1 PDU Session concepts	111
6.2 PDU Session types	114
6.3 User plane handling	121
6.4 Mechanisms to provide efficient user plane connectivity	126
6.5 Edge computing	132
6.6 Session authentication and authorization	134
6.7 Local Area Data Network	135
7. Mobility Management	137
7.1 Introduction	137
7.2 Establishing connectivity	138
7.3 Reachability	144
7.4 Additional MM related concepts	146
7.5 N2 management	150
7.6 Control of overload	157
7.7 Non-3GPP aspects	161
7.8 Interworking with EPC	162
8. Security	171
8.1 Introduction	171
8.2 Security requirements and security services of the 5G system	172
8.3 Network access security	176
8.4 Network domain security	192
8.5 User domain security	198
8.6 Lawful intercept	198

9. Quality-of-Service	203
9.1 Introduction	203
9.2 Flow based QoS framework	205
9.3 Signaling of QoS	207
9.4 Reflective QoS	210
9.5 QoS parameters and characteristics	213
10. Policy control and charging	217
10.1 Introduction	217
10.2 Overview of policy and charging control	217
10.3 Access and mobility related policy control	222
10.4 UE policy control	224
10.5 Management of Packet Flow Descriptions	227
10.6 Network status analytics	228
10.7 Negotiation for future background data transfer	228
10.8 Session Management related policy and charging control	229
10.9 Additional session related policy control features	237
10.10 Charging	242
11. Network slicing	247
11.1 Introduction	247
11.2 Management and orchestration	249
11.3 Network Slice selection framework	251
12. Dual connectivity	265
12.1 Introduction	265
12.2 Multi-RAT Dual Connectivity overall architecture	268
12.3 MR-DC: UE and RAN perspective	272
12.4 MR-DC: Subscription, QoS flows and E-RABs, MR-DC bearers	274
12.5 Managing secondary RAN node handling for mobility and session management	278
12.6 Security	282
12.7 Reporting User Data Volume traversing via SN	283
13. Network functions and services	287
13.1 5G core network functions	287
13.2 Services and service operations	293
14. Protocols	337
14.1 Introduction	337
14.2 5G non-access stratum (5G NAS)	337

14.3	NG application protocol (NGAP)	343
14.4	Hypertext transfer protocol (HTTP)	347
14.5	Transport layer security (TLS)	360
14.6	Packet forwarding control protocol (PFCP)	363
14.7	GPRS tunneling protocol for the User Plane (GTP-U)	378
14.8	Extensible Authentication Protocol (EAP)	379
14.9	IP security (IPSec)	382
14.10	Stream Control Transmission Protocol (SCTP)	387
14.11	Generic routing encapsulation (GRE)	392
15.	Selected call flows	395
15.1	Introduction	395
15.2	Registration and deregistration	396
15.3	Service Request	400
15.4	UE Configuration Update	404
15.5	PDU Session Establishment	407
15.6	Inter-NG-RAN handover	409
15.7	EPS interworking with N26	416
15.8	EPS fallback	422
15.9	Procedures for untrusted non-3GPP access	424
16.	Architecture extensions and vertical industries	431
16.1	Overview	431
16.2	Architecture enhancements and extensions	431
16.3	New feature capabilities	437
17.	Future outlook	465
<i>References</i>		467
<i>Abbreviations</i>		471
<i>Index</i>		475