

# UHD Immersive Media Service Status and Product Preparation

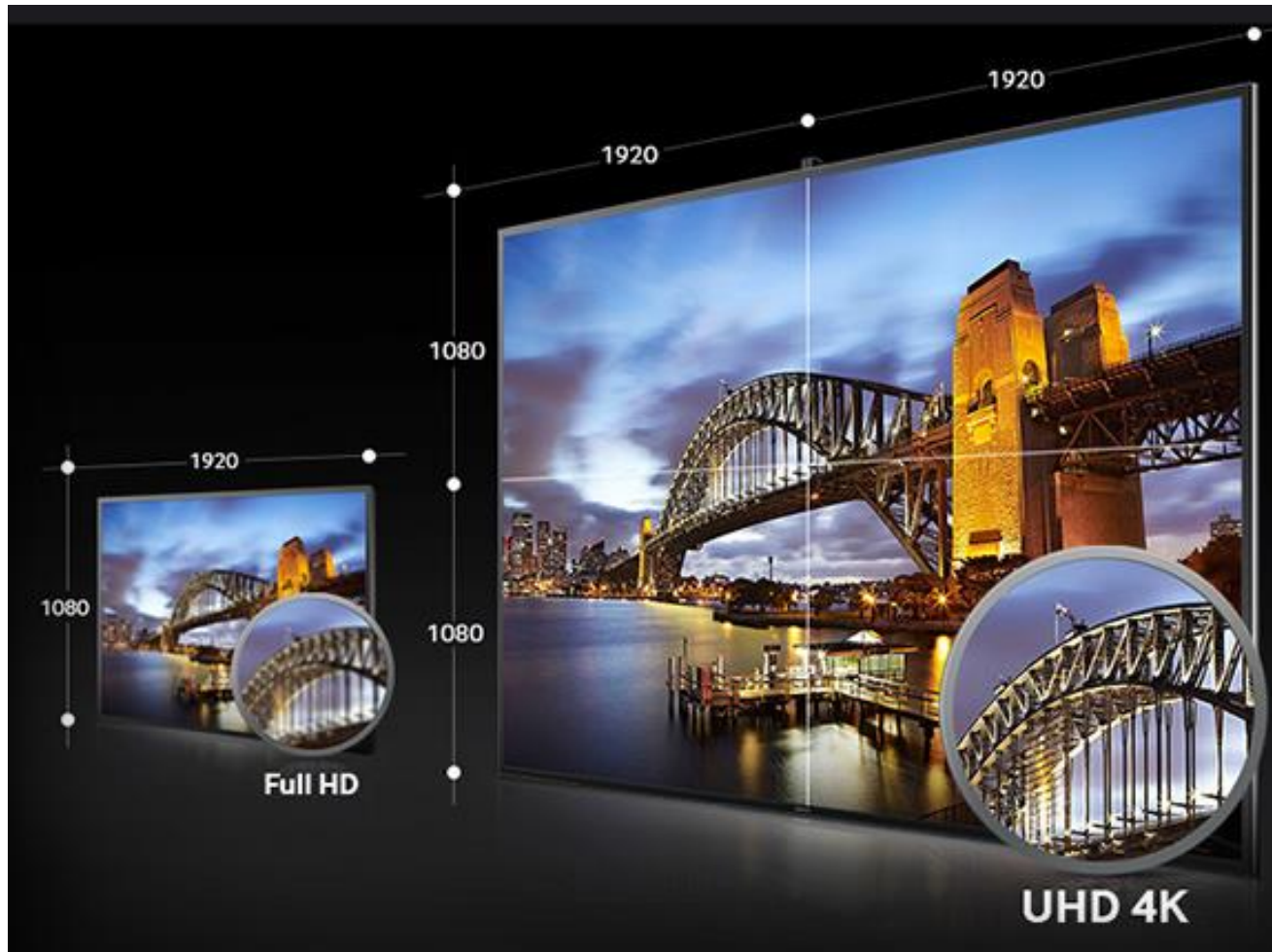
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# 4K UHD Terrestrial Broadcasting Started

2017, May, 31  
4K UHD TV

- Ultra High Quality Video
- Immersive Audio
- Indoor Reception and SFN
- IP Interactive ...



# Broadcasting Service spec. : FHD Broadcasting to UHD Broadcasting

MPEG-H Std. is adopted to new UHD broadcasting

	ATSC1.0 FHD Broadcasting of Korea	ATSC3.0 UHD Broadcasting of Korea	
System	MPEG2 TS	MPEG DASH Route / MMT	
Video	MPEG2 8bit 60i 2K/4K SDR	HEVC 10bit 60~120P 2K/4K SDR/HDR	
Audio	AC3	MPEG-H 3D Audio	
Terrestrial Broadcasting Start	2001 Nov. ~	2017 May ~	

# Korean ATSC3.0 Service Status and Plan

## 4K UHD Broadcasting Service

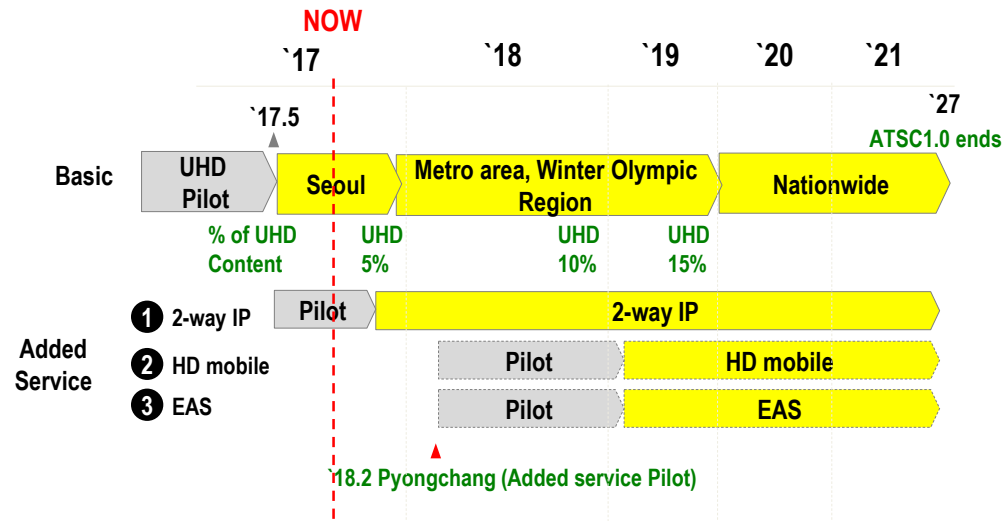
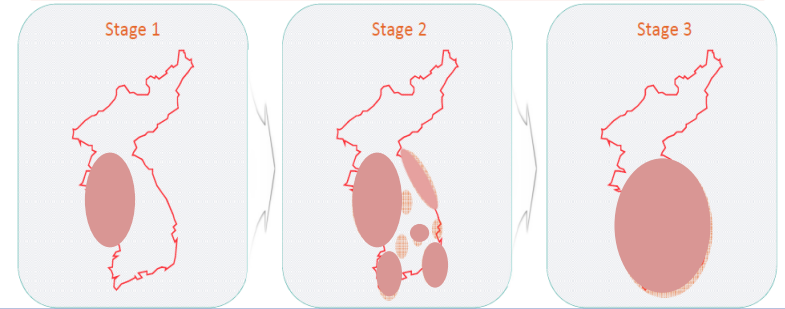
- Government led initiative to launch ATSC 3.0 → `16.12 Standardization and `17.05 live broadcasting, nationwide in progress
- `17 in Seoul region, nationwide by `21

## Additional Broadcasting Service

- In addition to UHD broadcasting, government and broadcasters are collaborating add additional services
  - Basic Service:  
4K UHD + MPEG-H Audio + AESG + Caption
  - Added Service:  
2-way IP, HD mobile broadcasting, EAS
  - 2-way IP broadcasting was started in `17.10 and expecting HD mobile broadcasting and EAS by `19

[2]-① Service Coverage

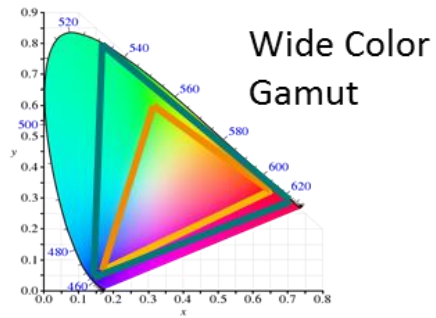
Starts with Seoul Metropolitan area by the 1Q of 2017, then expand to major cities by 2017 and ultimately nationwide by 2021



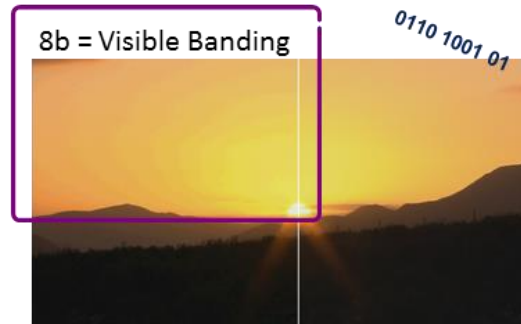
# Immersive Viewing Experience



High Dynamic Range



10-bit Sampling



High Frame Rate



Immersive Audio

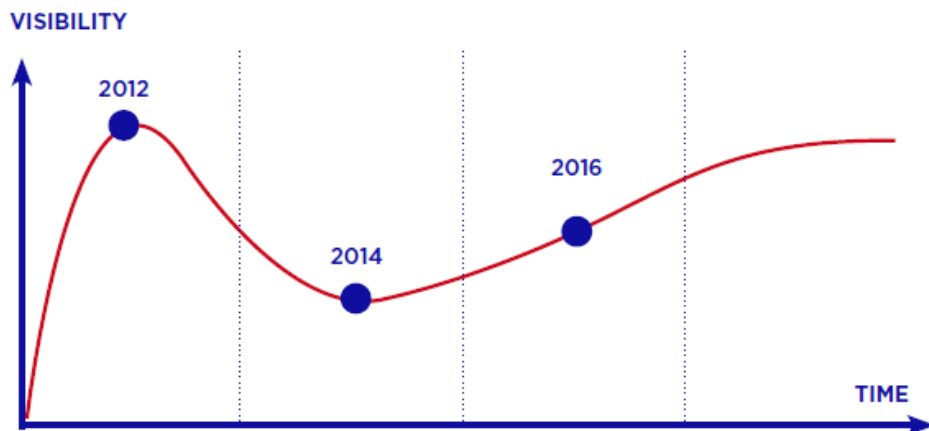
Muti-Channel  
Object Based  
Interactive

# Summary of current immersive media status

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- **4K TV Product 2014~ : with OTT application service of smart TV**
- **Netflix, Amazon, YouTube ... : 4K service 2014 ~**
- **Cable TV, IPTV , Salttlite 1 or 2 Channel service started 2015~**
- **Test Broadcasting : Brazil Worldcup 2014 ~, Several Country 2015~**
- **HDR : Service from 2016 / 2017**
- **HFR : Some Product Ready 2018**
- **8K Broadcasting : JAPAN ARIB2.0 4K/8K Broadcasting would be started 2018/12~**

# THE TIME IS NOW TO MOVE BEYOND HDTV!



**"Peak of inflated expectations"**

In 2012 the industry introduced «4k» as the next big thing for beyond HDTV leading to a huge hype and unrealistic expectations.

**"Trough of disillusionment"**

In 2014 the industry realized that 4k only provides limited immersive experience for the viewers. Understanding what makes better pixels was deemed as a necessary step.

**"Slope of enlightenment"**

In 2014 investigations made by EBU and others showed that HDR and HFR could be the game changers to go successfully beyond HDTV.

**Four possible scenarios are now considered.**

**"Plateau of productivity"**

The industry has reached agreement on standards on HDR and HFR. It is now time for broadcasters to produce content accordingly.

**1080p advanced 1**  
Resolution: 1080p  
Frame rate: 50Hz  
HDR: Yes  
WCG: Yes

**1080p advanced 2**  
Resolution: 1080p  
Frame rate: 100Hz  
HDR: Yes  
WCG: Yes

**UHD phase 2a**  
Resolution: 2160p  
Frame rate: 50Hz  
HDR: Yes  
WCG: Yes

**UHD phase 2a**  
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Frame rate: 100Hz  
HDR: Yes  
WCG: Yes

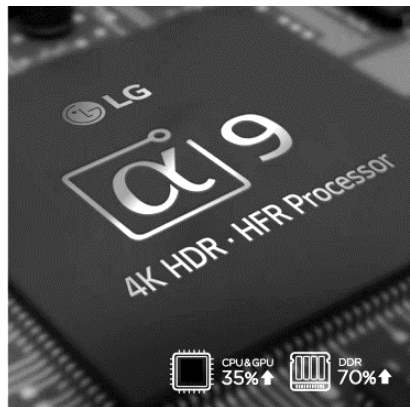
		1080p advanced 1	1080p advanced 2	UHD phase 2 a	UHD phase 2 b
<b>Production</b> 	Cameras	●	●	●	●
	Studio interfaces	●	●	●	●
	Wireless links	●	●	●	●
	Mixers	●	●	●	●
	Graphic engines	●	●	●	●
	Professional monitors	●	●	●	●
<b>Contribution</b> 	Encoders	●	●	●	●
	Decoders	●	●	●	●
	Modulators	●	●	●	●
	Demodulators	●	●	●	●
<b>Distribution</b> 	Encoders	●	●	●	●
	Decoders	●	●	●	●
	Modulators	●	●	●	●
	Demodulators	●	●	●	●
<b>Consumer</b> 	TVs	●	●	●	●
	Portables devices	●	●	●	●
	Set Top Boxes	●	●	●	●
	Consumer interfaces	●	●	●	●

**Legend:**

- Product available for purchase
- Specification/standard available - prototype available
- No agreed standard nor product available

# LG Product Feature Preparation for Immersive Service

## '18 OLED TV with Alpha9 Processor



2013 H2~

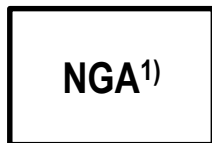


2016~



2018~

+ 4K Picture Quality Enhancement Post-Processing (incl. WCG Mapping)



1) NGA : next generation audio

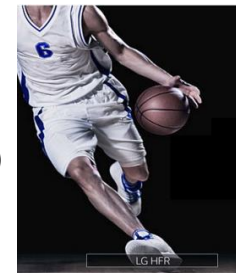
MPEG-H 3D Audio  
Dolby AC4/ATMOS  
2017~



HDR Prepared :  
HDR10  
HLG  
Dolby Vision  
Technicolor Prime



SFR  
(60Hz)



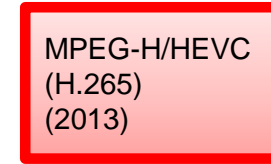
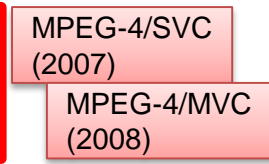
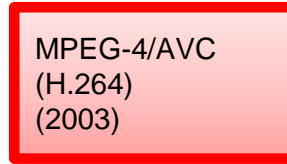
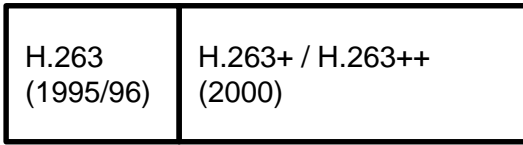
HFR  
(120Hz)

2K 120P  
4K 120P

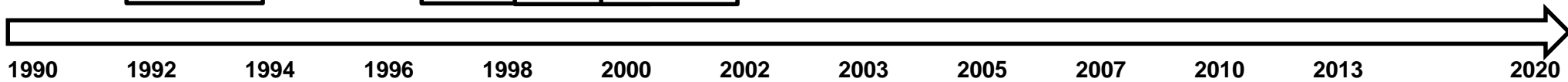
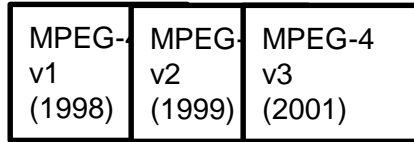
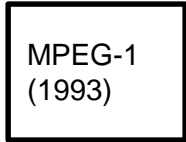


# MPEG coding standard and media service

ITU-T  
VCEG



ISO/IEC  
MPEG



digital

video telephony



Coding Efficiency

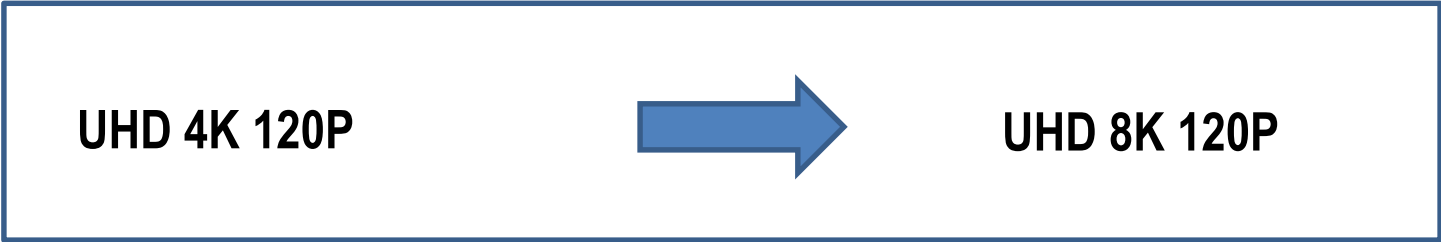
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Increasing  
Contents Size  
& Traffic

# 8K Preparation Consideration

To make 8K 60P or 8K 120P solution we expect MPEG-I video more than coding efficiency



**Bitrate**  
< x 2

**Computing Power**  
x 4

**Memory Bandwidth**  
x 4

**Memory Area**  
x 4 (about)

- 4K DEC
- 4K DEC
- 4K DEC
- 4K DEC

8K 10bit 120Hz (4:2:0)  
Ex) 1 Read and 1Write

15+ $\alpha$  Gbyte /Sec

Ex)Reference and Interface  
Frame Buffer

63+ $\alpha$  M Byte / frame

$\alpha$  : map alignment cost

+ Parameter Buffer, CPB  
And Picture Post Processing

# Conclusion

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- **Korea UHD broadcasting and many other immersive services have been preparing well**
- **4K, 10bit, HDR, HFR immersive viewing can be experienced now.**
- **Many MPEG standards are adopted in Immersive service diversely**
- **For 8K , beside coding efficiency, we also expect memory usage and computing power reduction to next standard.**



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