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# **The Mobile WEB QoE**

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### Education

#### **□ 2004 – 2008**

Vienna University of Technology, Institute of Communications and Radio-Frequency Engineering, graduation as Doctor of Technical Sciences (Dr. techn).

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Gymnázium Jura Hronca.

□ What is **Quality of Experience**?

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□ The mobile broadband IP traffic generated by wireless devices present 45% actually.

This is a challenge for mobile operators and service providers, because it forces new investment for increasing network quality at all levels and on other hand to keep this investment on profitable basis.

broadband Internet accounts presents HTTP traffic.

In this domain, the most prominent application scenarios analysed are web browsing, file downloads and file uploads.
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## Outline

### The impact of following variables were investigated:

- □ End-user device
- Scenario
  - □Web page
  - □File download (DL)
  - □File upload (UL)
- □ Network parameters
  - □Bit rates (BR)
  - Delay of established connection between client and server (delay)

□ In total were 187 test condition for each user device on 194 test participants.



### Test setup

□ Test Methods: (rec. ITU-T P.800)

- 1. Absolute Category Rating (ACR): Scaling: 5 grade MOS scale.
- 1: Bad 5: Excellent
- Acceptability rating: Question: Were you satisfied with tested quality? Binary answer: YES or NO

□ Test participants: 193



### Test setup

□ Used Terminals:

- 1. standard notebook (Lenovo X201i)
  - Processor: Intel Core i3 i3-330M/2.13 GHz,
  - RAM: 2.0 GB,
  - Display: 12.1 in TFT active matrix,
  - Resolution: 1280x800 (WXGA),
  - OS: Microsoft Windows 7.



- Processor: Dual-core 1.2 GHz Cortex-A9,
- Display: 4.65 inch,
- Resolution: 720x1280 pixels,
- OS: Android v 4.0.







### Test setup

#### □ Laboratory environment:





### **Test scenarios**

#### U WEB:

- 3 contexts: idnes.cz, Facebook registration, aukro.cz
- Connection setup:
  - BR [kbps]: 32, 64, 128, 256, 512, 1000, N, Er
  - Initial delay [s]: 0, 1, 3, 5, 7, 11

#### DL:

- 4 context: picture (picasa.google.com), music (ulozto.cz), video (Facebook.com), PDF (ulozto.cz)
- Connection setup:
  - BR [kbps]: 32, 64, 128, 256, 512, 1024, 2048, 4M, 8M, 16M, N, Er
  - Initial delay [s]: 0, 2, 5, 7, 11

#### **UL:**

- 4 context: picture (picasa.google.com), video (Facebook.com),
- Connection setup:
  - BR [kbps]: 32, 64, 128, 256, 512, 1024, 2048, 4M, N, Er
  - Initial delay [s]: 0, 3, 7



### Assessment system

#### □ User interface:

#### Introduction:

Rozhrani pro hodnocení kvality zážitku QoE (Quality of experience )

#### Vitejte.

Hodnocení kvality zážitku mobilní datové služby v reprezentativních scénářích přinese komplexni nähled na vztah mezi subjektivním vnimáním datové služby a zvolenými klíčovými ukazateli (KPI), Získané výsledky budou statistickou analyzovány na spolehlivost a prezentovány podle metodiky Drive test E2E customer centric KPIs.

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#### Questionnaire:

#### Zadání scénáře:

Ohodnotte prosim celkovou kvalitu mobilni datové služby pro nahráni souboru. Kliknutím na tlačitko "Zahájit test" se v nové záložce spusti testovaná úloha. Kliknutím na jednu že zobrazených ikon se spusti automatické nahráváni souboru. Po skončeni anebo opuštěni úlohy se překliknutím na předchozi záložku vratte zpět a provedte hodnocení celkové kvality služby do hodnoticího formuláře.

Prosim ohodnotte celkovou kvalitu služby v průběhu zadané úlohy:

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Představte si, že používäte placenou mobilní službu. Byli jste s jeji kvalitou spokojení?

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□ Quality rating, web page scenario, notebook





□ Acceptability rating, web page scenario, notebook





□ Acceptability vs. quality ratings, web page scenario, notebook





# Quality Threshold and Quality Saturation

□ TiMo we specify 3,7 MOS as a quality threshold for "premium quality"

service.

Scenario	Notebook	Smartphone
Web Page	256 kbps	256 kbps
File DL	4 Mbps	4 Mbps
File UL	1 Mbps	1 Mbps

The saturation threshold refers to BR with zero delay of established connection between client and server and where quality rating is not more increasing or achieve maximum quality rating or 4,5 MOS at five grade scale.

Scenario	Notebook	Smartphone
Web Page	512 kbps	256 kbps
File DL	4 Mbps	8 Mbps
File UL	4 Mbps	1 Mbps

□ This is very practical output in order to avoid quality overprovisioning.



## Conclusions

□ The results allow us to identify "premium quality" and quality saturation thresholds for all investigated cases.

□ The both rating show clear trend of increasing quality or acceptability with increasing BR and decreasing quality or acceptability with increasing delay.



## Conclusions

### □ The QoE results for notebook:

- The results indicated strong web content dependence.
- The test subjects were very critical for new content.
- The test users are very sensitive for delay.

### □ The QoE results for smartphone:

- The results indicated significantly lower web content dependence and lower delay sensitivity in compare to the results obtained at notebook.
- Moreover, the statistical analyses show that BR is dominating QoE influencing parameter.



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