

Press Release

Bharat 6G Alliance and 5G-ACIA signed MoU to Build a Strong Global Ecosystem for Industrial Wireless Technologies



Frankfurt/New Delhi, 16th October 2024: The **Bharat 6G Alliance (B6GA)** and **5G Alliance for Connected Industries and Automation (5G-ACIA)** have signed a landmark **Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)** during the **International 6G Symposium**, held at **India Mobile Congress (IMC)** on **16th October 2024** in **New Delhi**. The MoU was signed in the presence of **Shri Jyotiraditya M. Scindia**, Hon'ble Minister of Communications and Development of North-Eastern Region, who inaugurated the International 6G Symposium.

This MoU aims at fostering **global cooperation in industrial wireless communications**, with a focus on **Industrial 5G** and the transition towards **6G** technologies. This strategic partnership is set to build and consolidate a **global ecosystem** for the advancement of wireless technologies in industrial settings.

About Bharat 6G Alliance (B6GA):

The Bharat 6G Alliance is established as a not for profit Society under Indian laws (<https://bharat6galliance.com/>). It is an alliance of Indian industry, academia, national research institutions and standards organizations facilitated by the Government. The vision of Bharat 6G Alliance is aligned with the Bharat 6G Mission of the Government of India to design, develop and deploy technology and innovations that provide an

intelligent and secure solution for high quality living experience of citizens in India and across the world. The Bharat 6G Alliance aims to promote the ecosystem for research, design, prototyping, development, proof of concept testing, IPR creation, field testing, security, certification and manufacturing of telecom products, end-to-end Solutions, Use-cases, Pilots, etc.

About 5G-ACIA:

The 5G Alliance for Connected Industries and Automation (5G-ACIA) is the central global forum for driving and shaping Industrial 5G. 5G-ACIA members jointly prepare for the disruptive change that 5G will bring, promote a better understanding of industrial needs, and gain insights into a highly attractive emerging market. 5G-ACIA provides a unique platform for OT and ICT companies, academia, and all relevant stakeholders to influence 5G development and deployment, in line with industrial imperatives. The currently more than 95 member organizations make the results of their work directly available to 3GPP, the main standardization body for developing 5G. 5G-ACIA is a market representation partner of 3GPP and has the formal status of a working party of ZVEI – German Electro and Digital Industry Association. www.5g-acia.org
