

A crowd of people, including children and adults, are gathered at night, looking up at bright, out-of-focus light displays in a city. The lights appear to be part of a large-scale urban art installation or festival. The people are wearing casual clothing, and some are holding up their phones or cameras to capture the scene. The overall atmosphere is one of wonder and public engagement with technology and art.

# CITIES & THE NETWORKED SOCIETY

# 2017



people will generate  
15 times more mobile data

50% of the world's population will be  
covered by 4g

85% will be covered  
by 3g

3 billion mobile  
smARTPHONE  
SUBSCRIPTIONS

5 billion mobile  
broadband subscriptions

9 billion  
mobile  
subscriptions



In the networked society  
people, knowledge, devices, and information  
are networked for the growth  
of society, life and business







Networked  
transport





# STOCKHOLM ROYAL SEAPORT



# Innovation in Electric Vehicle Charging





Smart grids  
for smart cities



The image features a large, rectangular solar panel array in the foreground, illuminated from below, creating a grid-like pattern of light and shadow. The array is mounted on a dark pole. In the background, a deep blue night sky is filled with a dense field of stars and a bright, horizontal band of light resembling a galaxy or nebula. In the top right corner, there is a small, white, stylized logo consisting of three parallel, slightly curved lines.

Today's choices shape tomorrow's  
opportunities  
for the cities



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