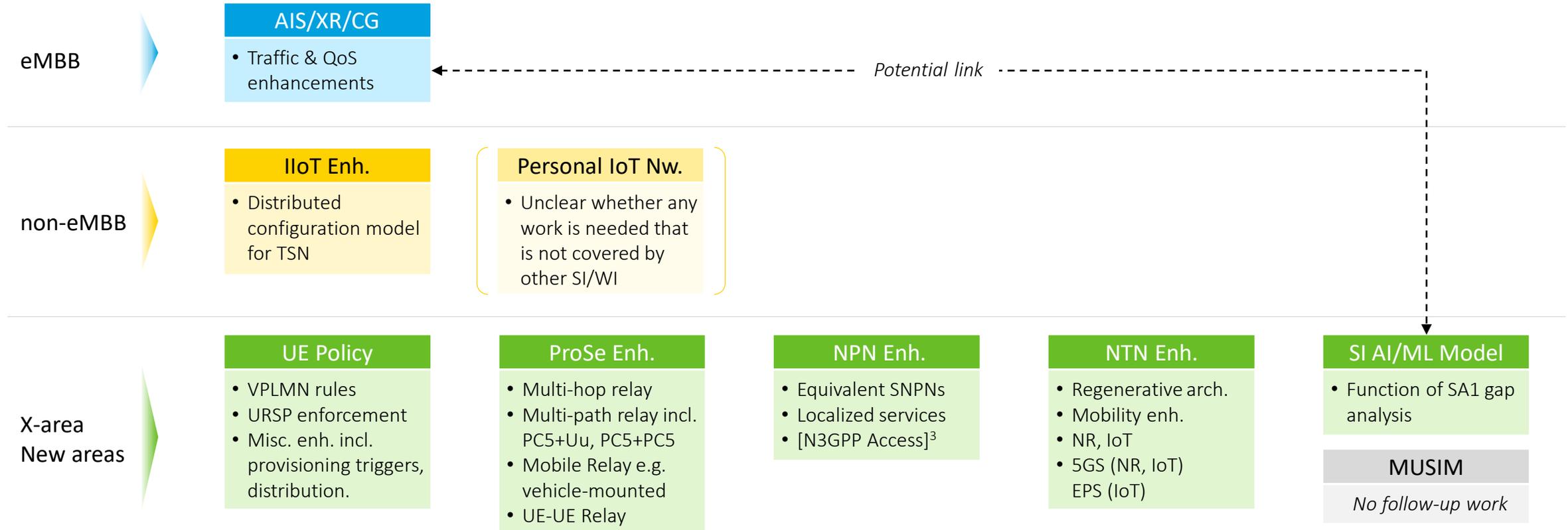


Initial views on Rel-18

Rel-18 focus (initial view)



NOTE 1: 18-mo release assumed

NOTE 2: A number of items are not listed (e.g. MBS enhancements, network-only items)

NOTE 3: N3IWF access to an SNPN is already specified

Way forward

- Moderated Email discussions *per topic* between SA2#145E and SA2#146E
 - Topics to be identified during SA2#145E based (at least) on submitted TDocs
 - WI/SI proposals on the same topic to be handled in the same email discussion
 - E.g. misc. proposals on 5GS ProSe Enhancements to be handled in the same email discussion
 - Each Email discussion should result in identifying
 1. ~Consensual WI/SI objectives
 2. Outstanding issues, if any, and proposed way(s) forward by the Moderator
 3. Estimated accurate workload (using the TU model)
 4. Cross WG dependencies esp. with RAN
 - NOTE: Being an Email moderator does not necessarily warrant being a Rapporteur of WI/SI