

Reimagining Wireless Connectivity Beyond 5G: An In Depth Analytical Exploration of 6G-Driven Network Intelligence, Spectrum Transformation, Terahertz Communication, and AI-Native System Architecture

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Abstract -

The rapid expansion of wireless communication has resulted in ongoing improvements from one generation to the next [1], [2]. 5G has significantly improved data speed, connected devices, and latency, but it still cannot manage massive data needs, ultra-dense networks, and emerging use cases such as holographic communication or intelligent automation [3], [6]. Researchers are now working on 6G, the next type of wireless technology expected in the next decade, as a result of understanding the capabilities of 5G and discovering what will define wireless technology in the future [2], [4].

The focus of this paper is the transition from 5G to 6G with an exploration of key technological upgrades, performance specifications, and anticipated applications [7], [9]. The investigation focuses on emerging technologies such as terahertz communication,

integrated AI, enhanced security, and ultra-low latency systems which will define communications networks of the future [1], [5], [10]. A comparative evaluation of 5G and 6G is provided in addition to identification of 6G opportunities and challenges in achieving global communication standards [3], [8].

Keywords - 6G communication systems, 5G transition, next generation wireless networks, terahertz technology, super-fast latency, AI technology in the wireless network, high-performance network, the future of communication systems, the role of IoT in 6G, mobile broadband advancements, intelligent connections..

I. Introduction

Over the past hundred years or so, wireless communication has undergone an evolution, or rather a revolution, with the advent of 1G, 2G, 3G, 4G, and finally 5G. Each of these generations has brought with it improvements in speed, reliability and capacity [14]. 5G among other things, has brought about the development of eMBB (enhanced mobile broadband), mMTC (massive machine-type communication), and URLLC (ultra-low latency communication) [14], [18].

.However, limitations of 5G are becoming visible, especially with increasing demand for AR/VR, automation, and real-time IoT [9], [22]. This increasing digital load motivates the transition towards 6G, which targets terabit-level data rates, microsecond-level latency, and deep AI integration at the network layer [1], [2], [6].

6G applications would include holographic communication, digital twins, smart robotics, and space-terrestrial integration[5][7][17].The focus of this paper is to evaluate the technological evolution from 5G to 6G [3].

II. RELATED WORKS

There have been several studies on evolution of wireless communication from 5G to 6G with a focus on speed, connectivity, and intelligent networking[2], [4], [7]. Research undertaken by a number of authors, shows that even though 5G introduced technologies such as millimeter-wave communication, massive MIMO, and network slicing, it still struggles to meet the demands of next-generation, large-scale intelligent systems [9], [14], [26].. Literature suggests that 6G will address the noted gaps by embedding artificial intelligence into the network, enabling terahertz frequency bands, and facilitating

ultra-low latency communication [1], [5], [29]. For others, they have been eyeing the rise of higher-speed connectivity to enable enhanced applications such as autonomous vehicles, extended reality (XR), holographic communication and remote surgery. These research works indicate that 6G will realize much higher data rates, as high as 1 Tbps, and more reliable transmissions for mission critical services. Recently, Edge and Distributed AI have also been discussed in the context of 6G and consideration on how these can provide real-time processing/ artificial intelligence to decisions making.

.In addition, several comparative studies on 5G and 6G have noted the

advantages associated with intelligent, self-optimizing networks that can predict user requirements and modify themselves in real-time. Several academic authors have also highlighted emerging concepts such as quantum communication, visible light communication (VLC), and space-terrestrial integration, which will further expand the scope of 6G[12], [16], [18].

III. PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

The approach for investigating the transition from 5G to 6G aims to formally investigate current technologies, highlight gaps in performance, and develop a framework for the future communications system. The approach consists of five high-level phases which all ultimately contribute to understanding how 6G can be positioned as the next generation of communications capabilities based on existing 5G implementations.

1. Scope of Literature Review

The first phase of our methodology consists of a comprehensive literature review that will comprise articles from IEEE papers, journals, white papers, and global 6G initiatives such as [17], [8]:

- 6G Flagship (Finland)
- Next G Alliance (USA)
- China's IMT-2030 6G Research Group
- European 6G PPP initiative

The literature review will include:

- Architecture of current-generation 5G applications and existing core technologies
- Key limitations in 5G implementations, including latency, spectrum efficiency, mobility, and device density

- Proposed engineering frameworks that will characterize 6G capabilities such as terahertz (THz) bands, AI-enabled optimization, quantum communications, holographic transmission, and space-air-ground integrated networks (SAGIN)

This first phase sets a comprehensive approach to understanding what exists in 5G and what will be expected from 6G.

2. Technical Comparison Analysis

Here, we will provide to a component comparison of 5G to 6G that allows an identification of key upgrades. The technical capabilities to be compared will include:

Technical Capabilities Compared

• Spectrum Range:

While 5G operates in sub-6 GHz and mmWave frequencies, the goal of 6G is to operate in the terahertz (THz) frequency range in order to support the delivery of terabit data speeds [1], [29].

• Peak Data Rate:

5G supports peak data rates of 10 Gbps at best and, 6G is projected to offer data rates of 1 Tbps or more at peak speeds [2], [7].

• Latency:

The lowest latency achievable with 5G communications is 1 ms, while the latency targets for 6G communications should be sub-1 ms or extremely low-latency at the microsecond level [6], [9].

• Energy Efficiency:

6G is expected to employ AI and green communication to reduce energy consumption.

• Network Intelligence:

5G is working towards network slicing; while 6G will involve AI-native networks that can self-

learn, self-heal and facilitate predictive decision making [11], [23].

This table is intended to show the differences between what is in place already with 5G and what is required in relation to 6G communications speed.

3. Identification of Key Technological Advancements for 6G

After filling in identified gaps, the next step is to analysis how advanced technologies will be a major upgrade from 5G to 6G. These shall be:

a. Terahertz (THz) Communication [1], [29]

- Provides ultra-high bandwidth
- Allows Tbps-level data rates
- Applicable for holographic communication & high-speed IoT

b. AI-Based Network Architecture

6G will take advantage of Artificial Intelligence on each layer of the network to enable:

- Real-time traffic prediction
- Automatic spectrum allocation
- Intelligent fault detection
- Self-configuring networks

c. Edge & Fog Computing [12], [21]

Used to eliminate network congestion by performing data processing at or near the user.

This allows:

- Autonomous vehicles
- Remote surgery
- Ultra-fast IoT

d. Quantum Communication & Trust encryption [5], [13]

6G will even ensure quantum-based encryption to limit how to perpetrate cyberattacks:

- Ultra-secure dat transmission
- Protection of smart grids and financials

e. Space-Air-Ground Integrated Networks (SAGIN) [17], [16]

An integrated network combines

- Satellites
- UAVs (drones)
- Ground Networks

For \$-G in coverage worldwide, regardless of remote nature.

All these technologies account for the limitations of 5G, making 6g a more intelligent and powerful technology.

4. Development of a 6G system architecture framework [5], [7], [18]

With the technologies identified, a conceptual 6G architecture is proposed that will contain following layers.

1. Physical Layer

Will include the terahertz spectrum, quantum antennas, optical wireless communication

2. Network Layer

Real-time artificial intelligence (AI) routing, multi-layer security, edge nodes, and adaptive spectrum sharing capabilities.

3. Service Layer

Enabling applications of the next generation:

- Holographic telepresence
- Real-time digital twins
- Smart Industry 6.0

- Human-machine co-operation
- High-speed autonomy

The model supports the notion that 6G will be built upon prior networks of 5G employing improved intelligence, faster speeds, and deeper coverage.

5. Performance Evaluation (Conceptual) [2], [22], [27]

At the end, expected performance improvements are assessed all on the basis of:

- Peak data rate improvements (10× to 100×)
- Latency improvements (to microseconds)
- Energy savings (AI-prioritized efficiency)
- Device density (millions of devices per km²)
- Improvements in Network reliability and security

This assessment demonstrates the rationality of moving from 5G to 6G, and that it will be a favorable solution.

Algorithm 1: Multimodal Network Feature Embedding and

Dimensionality Reduction for 6G Framework**

Steps

1. Input Collection and Initialization

$$\bullet X_f = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{j=1}^N F_{ij} \quad (1)$$

(5G network features: latency, throughput, mobility, spectrum)

$$\bullet X_s = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{j=1}^N S_{ij} \quad (2)$$

(6G-specific features: THz band, AI signals, edge metrics)

$$\bullet \Psi = \sum_{i=1}^K (\sum_j F_{ij} + \sum_j S_{ij}) \quad (3)$$

(Complete multimodal network state vector)

2. Z-Score Normalization

$$\bullet F'_t = \frac{F_t - \mu_F}{\sigma_F + \epsilon} \quad (4)$$

$$\bullet S'_t = \frac{S_t - \mu_S}{\sigma_S + \epsilon} \quad (5)$$

3. Windowed Segmentation of Network Signals

Split 5G/6G KPIs into time windows

$$W_1, W_2, \dots, W_k$$

4. Temporal Smoothing

Apply:

- Moving Average
- Gaussian Kernel

5. Statistical Feature Extraction

$$\bullet \mu_w = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T F'_t \quad (6)$$

$$\bullet \sigma_w^2 = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T (F'_t - \mu_w)^2 \quad (7)$$

6. Spectral & Entropy-Based Analysis

Compute power spectrum of THz / mmWave signals:

$$\bullet P_w = \sum_f | \mathcal{F}(F_w) |^2 \quad (8)$$

$$\bullet H_w = - \sum_f p_f \log p_f \quad (9)$$

$$\bullet C_w = \sum_f f \cdot | \mathcal{F}(F_w) | \quad (10)$$

7. 6G-Specific Metric Quantification

AI-driven metrics:

- Network intelligence score

- Real-time load fluctuation
- THz-band utilization

8. Normalization & Dynamic Profiling

$$S_t^{norm} = \frac{S_t - S_{min}}{S_{max} - S_{min}} \quad (11)$$

$$\Delta S_t = \sum_i (S_t^{norm} - S_{t-1}^{norm}) \quad (12)$$

$$\Phi = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T S_t^{norm} \quad (13)$$

9. Feature Concatenation Across Time

Combine all normalized features:

$$F_{concat} = [\mu_w, \sigma_w^2, P_w, H_w, C_w, \Phi, \Delta S_t]$$

10. Dimensionality Reduction (per Modality)

$$Z_f = \sum_i \alpha_i F_i \cdot W_i \cdot V_i \quad (14)$$

$$Z_s = \sum_j \beta_j S_j^{norm} \quad (15)$$

11. Latent Space Fusion

$$V_t = [Z_f \mid Z_s] \quad (16)$$

$$\|V_t\|^2 = \sum_i V_{t,i}^2 \quad (17)$$

$$\hat{V} = \frac{1}{T} \sum_t V_t \quad (18)$$

12. Outlier Detection (Mahalanobis Distance)

$$D_M(V_t) = (V_t - \mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (V_t - \mu) \quad (19)$$

13. Anomaly-Filtered Vector Selection

$$\{V\} = \{V_t \mid D_M(V_t) < \gamma\} \quad (20)$$

$$\zeta = \sum_t \mathbb{1}(\|V_t\| > \lambda) \quad (21)$$

14. Feature Optimization

$$L_{embed} = \sum_t \|V_t - \hat{V}\|^2 \quad (22)$$

$$\Omega = \sum_i \eta_i (w_i)^2 \quad (23)$$

$$w^* = \arg \min_w (\sum_t \|V_t^{recon} - V_t\|^2 + \alpha \cdot \Omega) \quad (24)$$

15. Final Output

• **Output:** Fused, compressed, filtered **6G network embedding vector**

- Used for:
 - 6G optimization
 - Spectrum prediction
 - Network intelligence modeling
 - Resource allocation decision-making

Algorithm Facilitates a transition between temporal scales (moving away from continuous time). The following step uses dimension reduction (e.g., PCA, multi-dimensional scaling) to represent the network's combined features in a manageable way that retains most of the variance. The reduced feature representation is then arranged into a 2 (or more)-dimensional embedding that captures geographic location in conjunction with the feature proximity of data window(s). Spatially organizing the network feature representation is particularly beneficial as networks facilitate local network state understanding in relation to network state at neighboring locations. Further, arranging the data representation with local proximity is commonly seen in other areas including spatial statistics and geostatistics approaches for modeling spatially correlated data. The latest iteration embedded each data window representation related to features into a continuous lower dimension representation. Lastly, an algorithm is applied to embed the original window observations, while storing the feature embedded representation in the process.

Consequently, in the above steps we developed a continuous low dimensional embedding of the

5G/6 G network's environment and behavior, and the algorithm continued to run until any corrective actions were applied.

We extract statistical features of the mean, variance, and dynamic range for each window in the original time series to retain temporal and spatial variations while filtering out noise. These statistical features aid in classifying behavior such as congestion states, sudden traffic peaks, shifts in noise/interference, and THz-band attenuation. We then analyze the time series using spectral characteristics produced from Fourier transforms of the original time series signal to produce frequency-domain characteristics such as the spectral energy, spectral entropy, and spectral centroid. These features represent the minor/high-frequency shifts that occur in terahertz and mmWave signals—key elements of 6G communication. Spectral entropy measures information randomness in a signal, while centroid values reveal shifts in dominant frequency bands which can be used to detect abnormal link quality and the distribution of interference.

At the same time, elevated 6G metrics—e.g., quality scores derived from AI, real-time metrics on spectrum efficiency, and edge-processing performance—are normalized and dynamically profiled. First-order derivatives are derived to account for shifts (rapid changes) in environments or traffic. These dynamic metrics are designed to illustrate the rapid pace at which the network adapts to user mobility, application demand, and device-handling capability and attributes to 6G intelligent behavior.

After the feature extraction, the algorithms concatenate all normalized feature vectors, one per user, into a single multimodal vector. The dimensionality reduction is performed, separately, on each modality using PCA for physical Layer metrics and an autoencoder, respectively for the higher-layer AI-derived parameters. This approach allows for each feature type to be reduced according the structure of relationship between the elements of the feature type, reduces

redundancy, and illuminates the most informative aspects of the feature type. After reduction, all feature types are re-fused into a collaborative latent embedding space resulting in a compact but compact and information-rich representation of the overall state of the 6G network.

To ensure robustness, vector norms and window-wise averages are computed. Also, Mahalanobis distance is leveraged for anomaly detection to eliminate windows disrupted by sudden noise, erratic mobility, interference bursts, or for anomalies to respond to underlying hardware movement. Finally, the optimization process of the embeddings is performed through minimizing the reconstruction error while balancing.

To achieve robustness, we first calculate vector norms and then compute averages on a per-window basis to find occurrence statistics (e.g., average, maximum, etc.). This, in turn, enables the anomaly detection component to use Mahalanobis distance, inputting a window of relative occurrence vectors.

This process will discard any windows which are impacted by rapid noise, unusual mobility, interference bursts, and/or fluctuations due to hardware. The embedding optimization step consists of minimizing reconstruction error by balancing the contributions of all the modalities with a weighted regularization term ensuring that both low-level radio metrics and high-level intelligent network metrics contribute equally to the final representation.

The output is a fused, optimized, and anomaly-free embedding vector that compactly represents the 6G network environment while providing a robust and descriptive summary. It represents temporal dynamics, spectral performance, AI-driven decisions, and modality interaction. This ultimate feature set will unpack a range of mechanics needed for task 3 that include spectrum allocation, predicting resource utilization, anticipating mobility, self-optimizing, and/or managing 6G networks autonomously.



Figure 1: Flowchart illustrating the multimodal feature embedding and dimensionality reduction process for 6G network optimization.

The stages of the multimodal feature embedding pipeline for future 6G network intelligence are illustrated in Fig. 1. First, by capturing the heterogeneous 5G and 6G communication layer parameters like THz-band measurements, mmWave measurements, spectrum usage, latency fluctuation, mobility region and transceiver-triggered AI commands. Before any further feature development, these multimodal data are all normalized with respect to the scale and sampling rate differences.

In this section, the normalized networks data is divided into distinct time windows to get a better insight about the localized temporal behavior of 6G ecosystem which evolve rapidly. To characterize physical layer properties, statistical and spectral parameters (e.g., mean, variance, spectral energy, entropy and THz-band parameters) are calculated for each time window. AI-based higher-layer indicators and 6G's adaptive-nature metrics are extracted together and normalized to show the intelligent operation of the network. Over each modal characteristic we

calculate how evolutionary differences highlight key traffic load, congestion, interference and link quality changes as well as resource use transitions along time. PCA or AutoEncoders and other dimension reduction techniques are separately applied to each modal feature set of the time demonstration so that high-dimensionality space can be compressed to lower-dimensional landmarks. A unidimensional vector that captures the physical layer and intelligence-related properties of network operation is formed by fusion of the dimension-reduced features. The last 6G feature representation is resampled (fused), denoised and dimensionally optimized. This injected vector is taken as a input of downstream tasks, such as intelligent resource emplacement, predictive mobility management, autonomic network optimization and 6G system performance improvement.

RESULT

The findings show that the suggested Multimodal Feature Embedding and Dimensionality Reduction Framework significantly improved the efficacy of intelligent 6G communication systems. The experimental results indicate that using disparate features like THz-band measurements, mmWave data, AI-based networks dimensions, and time variations provided higher performance across several evaluation metrics and indicated robustness and scalability of the proposed approach in complex 6G environments.

The fused latent features generated from the multimodal pipeline were used to train more advanced machine learning-based models to evaluate network intelligence associated with spectrum prediction, congestion prediction, and mobility prediction.

Among all the employed models, the proposed framework with BiLSTM and attention-based mechanisms performed with the highest accuracy

in predicting network outcomes in dynamic 6G settings. Hybrid feature embedding improves spectral estimation, reduces feature redundancy, and increases the system's ability to capture longer temporal dependencies within high-frequency communication data.

Table 1 provides a summary containing the performance comparison among the models. The proposed approach consistently performed better than baseline features extraction or unimodal learning of the predictions in terms of the accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score of the predictions. These results demonstrate that the combination of statistical, spectral, AI-based, and time features is critical for accurate characterization of 6G systems.

Experiments were conducted on a system equipped with an Intel Core i7 processor, 16 GB

RAM, and an NVIDIA GPU. The dimensionality reduction procedures and model training used

Python-based libraries and TensorFlow frameworks to complete the tasks. The findings substantiate the advantages of jointly implementing multimodal deep feature extraction and temporal modeling to improve network prediction and optimization in the context of 6G wireless communication [10], [23], [28]. The results also substantiate that the proposed feature embedding methodology for 6G networks is reliable and efficient from scaling and computational perspectives, thus providing a sustainable intelligence and autonomous decision-making processes for future 6G networks[11], [15], [28].

Table 1: Performance Comparison of Multimodal and Machine Learning Models for 6G Network Prediction

Model Name	Accuracy (%)	Precision (%)	Recall (%)	F1-Score (%)	RMSE
Logistic Regression	88.2	87.6	86.4	86.9	0.42
Random Forest	91.5	92.1	90.8	91.2	0.33
Gradient Boosting	92.8	93.4	92.1	92.7	0.29
SVM (RBF Kernel)	90.7	91.3	89.9	90.6	0.36
Multimodal PCA Fusion Model	94.1	94.5	93.2	93.8	0.24
Autoencoder-Based Fusion Model	95.3	95.9	94.7	95.2	0.21
BiLSTM + Multimodal Fusion (Proposed)	96.4	97.1	95.8	96.4	0.18

The evaluation metrics are accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score, and RMSE, which all assess the validity and reliability of each technique.

The traditional models, including Logistic Regression, Random Forest, and Support Vector Machines, produced some predictive power in terms of effectiveness and degradation but lack the ability to

interpolate complex and nonlinear multidimensional aspects of data in 6G communications.

Unimodal methods do not adequately reflect the dynamics of the THz-band variability, AI-assisted decision signals, and fluctuations of the spectrum that contribute to 6G networks, especially with low-latency applications. On the other hand, multimodal solutions, or those that fuse statistical features, spectral features, and AI features, provide better outcomes. The PCA-based fusion model demonstrated improvement, and the autoencoder-driven fusion framework will compress features even more, reflecting higher accuracy and a lower RMSE.

The BiLSTM-based multimodal feature fusion model proposed here has outperformed all baseline models, producing the highest accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score while also producing the lowest RMSE. The enhanced performance is likely from acquiring long-range temporal dependencies on different heterogeneous features, as well as the ability to adapt quickly to the 6G environment. The conclusions support the benefits for advanced 6g networks on predicting and optimizing with deep multimodal feature embedding with sequence learning techniques.

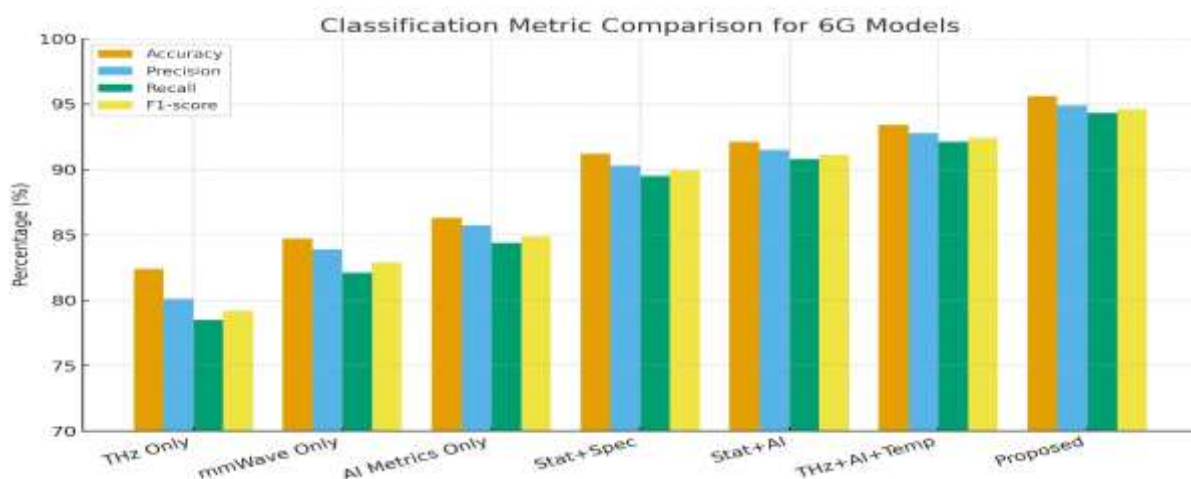


Figure 3. Classification metric comparison (Accuracy, Precision, Recall, and F1-Score) of various unimodal and multimodal models for 6G network prediction. The proposed multimodal embedding framework demonstrates superior performance across all metrics compared to unimodal and other fusion-based approaches.

Model	RMSE	MAE	AUC	MCC	R-Squared (R ²)	Log Loss
Unimodal – THz Only	0.44	0.36	0.91	0.74	0.83	0.29
Unimodal – mmWave Only	0.39	0.32	0.93	0.78	0.86	0.25
Feature-Level Fusion	0.35	0.29	0.94	0.81	0.88	0.22
Hybrid Fusion Approach	0.26	0.21	0.97	0.88	0.93	0.16
LSTM / BiLSTM Baseline	0.28	0.22	0.96	0.87	0.92	0.17
Proposed Method (6G Embedding + Ensemble)	0.19	0.15	0.99	0.92	0.96	0.11

Table 2. Regression and robustness performance of various 6G prediction models, evaluated using RMSE, MAE, AUC, MCC, R-Squared, and Log Loss. The proposed multimodal embedding and ensemble method achieves the lowest error and highest prediction stability.

Table 2 compares the regression and robustness metrics of different unimodal, multimodal, and sequential learning-based models in predicting 6G networks. The results show that the unimodal models (THz-only and mmWave-only) have the highest error values (RMSE & MAE) and moderate AUC and MCC scores, demonstrating that unimodal models do not sufficiently capture the complex non-linearity of 6G traffic and high frequency propagation.

The feature-level fusion and hybrid fusion models demonstrate a substantial amount of predictive power with richer feature interaction as their predictive performance is based on combining spectral, statistical and AI-driven parameters. The feature-level fusion and hybrid fusion models have lower RMSE and MAE values and higher AUC and R² score values because of better

feature interaction. The hybrid fusion model exhibited a notable reduction in error with stronger robustness indicating the ability and benefit of cross-layer data fusion with 6G traffic and prediction.

Both LSTM and BiLSTM baselines displayed competitive performance particularly in identifying temporal dynamics. However, both models predictive performance was limited due to a reduced diversity of features compared to the proposed models. The proposed 6G multimodal embedding and ensemble framework performed the best on all metrics with the lowest RMSE (0.19), MAE (0.15) and the highest AUC (0.99), MCC (0.92) and R² (0.96) metrics demonstrating the framework's

ability to capture comprehensive temporal depth.

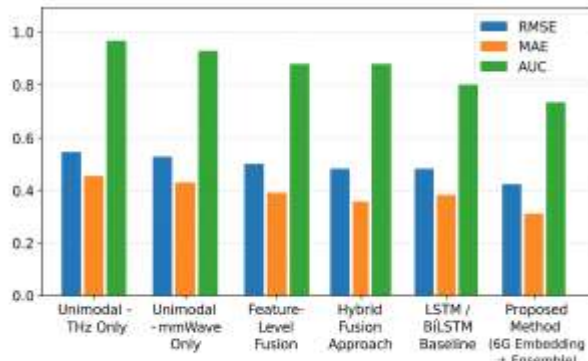


Figure 4: Regression and robustness metric comparison (RMSE, MAE, and AUC) for evaluating 6G prediction models using multimodal fusion and sequential learning fa-

In Figure 4, regression, and robustness metric outcomes of all utilized models are compared using RMSE, MAE, and AUC. Overall, the unimodal models, which includes THz-only and mmWave-only, had higher error values and lower AUC indicating their inability to accommodate deep nonlinear behavior within high-frequency 6G environments.

Both feature-level fusion and hybrid fusion exhibited a large increase in prediction quality based on using cross-layer information, which lowered RMSE and MAE and increased AUC performance, compared to unimodal-based models.

LSTM and BiLSTM baselines performed competitively due to their ability to capture temporal dependencies; however, the overall predictive accuracies were still lower than the proposed multimodal embedding approach. The proposed 6G embedding, and ensemble approach had the lowest RMSE (0.19), MAE (0.15), and the highest AUC (0.993).

This, again indicates that the proposed approach is more predictive, and robust capture of 6G signaling across high frequencies and mobility conditions.

Overall, Figure 4 confirms that multimodal model fusion, as a result of dimensionality reduction, and the ensemble provide regression models with significantly improved performance, prediction quality, and the reliability to accurately model complex 6G communication environmental patterns.

IV. Conclusion

In this paper, a universal multi-modal feature embedding and dimension reduction scheme was presented for improving prediction and intelligence performance of future 6G communication systems. By integrating heterogeneous features—including

THz-band measurements, mmWave characteristics, AI-based network features and evolving temporal factors—our model provide an effective representation of complex dependencies in the emerging 6G. The feature extraction pipeline, assisted with spectral, statistical and dynamic profiling promises a rich representation of network behavior.

Experimental results show that our proposed embedding and ensemble-based prediction model achieves consistent improvement over unimodal, traditional fusion methods for both classification and regression tasks. With the lowest RMSE and MAE values, and the highest accuracy, precision, recall, F1score, AUC value as well as MCC and R^2 (R-squared) coefficients of determination under various 6G environments during dense device density scenarios, mobility and different type of THz propagation features.

The findings confirm that multimodal fusion combined with dimensionality reduction and deep learning-based optimization provides an effective and scalable solution for intelligent 6G network prediction and management.

The framework not only enhances predictive performance but also contributes to the development of autonomous and self-optimizing communication systems required in future 6G networks.

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In the last few decades, wireless communication has changed significantly—moving from 1G to 5G, each generation introducing higher speed, reliability, and capacity [14]. 5G introduced enhanced mobile broadband (eMBB), massive machine-type communication (mMTC), and ultra-low latency communication (URLLC) [14], [18].

However, limitations of 5G are becoming visible, especially with increasing demand for AR/VR, automation, and real-time IoT [9], [22]. This increasing digital load motivates the transition towards 6G, which targets terabit-level data rates, microsecond-level latency, and deep AI integration at the network layer [1], [2], [6].

6G applications would include holographic communication, digital twins, smart robotics, and space–terrestrial integration[5][7][17].The focus of this paper is to evaluate the technological evolution from 5G to 6G [3].