

Four of the Best Ways to Trade the 5G Boom

2019 could be a big year for 5G investors.

We're talking about a potential \$1.3 billion story that could provide us with speeds up to 100x faster than 4G networks. Speed like that is a game-changer.

When 3G hit, it gave the world access to mobile television and video on demand. As a result, stocks like Broadcom soared more than 240%. Qualcomm jumped more than 260%.

Then 4G hit, and stocks like Crown Castle jumped more than 540%.

Imagine what'll happen to stocks when technology that's 100x faster than 4G hits!

Rolling Out with 5G

Companies will begin to roll out 5G, or 5th generation mobile networks. The goal is to provide quicker Internet speeds for users. The other objective of 5G is to help usher in the next wave of human-technology interaction, such as with the Internet of Things (IoT) and autonomous cars.

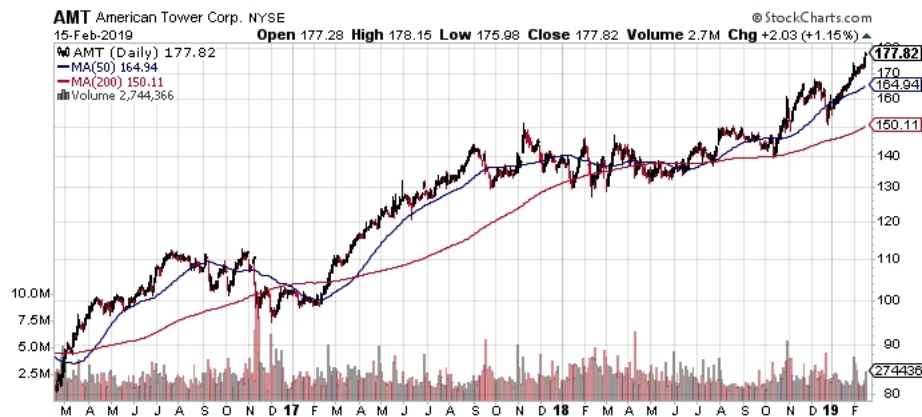
4G has a download speed of 100 megabits per second.

But that's nothing compared to the 10,000 megabits per second that 5G can handle. That's 100 times faster than 4G, and would be under significant demand.

By 2035, about \$12.3 trillion worth of goods and services will be enabled by 5G networks, and the rollout of 5G will add approximately \$3 trillion to the worldwide GDP.

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American Tower Corporation (NYSE:AMT) is one of the best ways to trade the 5G story. AMT, one of the largest global REITs, is a leading independent owner, operator and developer of multitenant communications real estate with a portfolio of over 170,000 communications sites, which it leases out to mobile carriers.



“Around 200,000 cell towers were built to broadcast the 4G signal that blankets most of America today. The cost of building out the 4G network hit \$200 billion in 2015,” reports Forbes. “A big winner from this spending spree was cell tower operator American Tower Corp.”

According to AT&T, 5G could need another 300,000 towers, which could boost AMT.

Dycom Industries (NYSE:DY) makes the cell towers for major carriers to prepare for 5G technology. And **Ceragon Networks (NASDAQ:CRNT)** provides wireless backhaul solutions that enable cellular operators and other wireless service providers to deliver voice and data services worldwide.

You may also want to consider **Crown Castle (NYSE:CCI)** – which exploded on 4G news.



CCI is expecting to deploy up to 15,000 small cells just in 2019, they say.

“In addition to the expected acceleration and new leasing activity, our pipeline of contracted small cell nodes to be constructed over the next 18 to 24 months continues to grow, and currently stands at an all-time high of approximately 35,000, which is up 40% from this time last year,” Brown said. “This increased activity is a result of all four of our large customers investing in their networks through towers and small cells to both keep pace with the current 4G demand environment and position their networks for 5G.”

History tells us that such upgrades are beneficial to these stocks.

With 5G a significant game-changer with \$1.3 billion potential, near-term, it just makes sense to buy and hold related stocks. Unless of course, you want to miss out on the next 540% runner!