

Quarterly Market Indicators

Q1 2020

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Main Market Indicators for Q1 2020



Mobile services: Subscriptions

O Between the end of 2019 and Q1 2020, mobile subscriptions decreased by 2.7%.

On the other hand, Postpaid subscribers increased for the same period by 1% while Prepaid subscribers declined by 4.3%.

OPenetration rate declined to 124% at the end of Q1 2020 from 126% at the end of 2019.

• Number of accepted ported mobile lines dropped from **7,714** by the end of 2019 to **3,479** in Q1 2020.





Number of Mobile subscriptions (End of Q1 2020) 1,847,352 Subscriptions

124% Penetration rate

	2017	2018	2019	Q1 2020	
Total	2,364,477	2,092,714	1,900,361	1,847,352	
% of Prepaid % of Postpaid	73.94% 26.06%	69.46% 30.54%	71.50% 28.50%	70.38% 29.62%	





Mobile services: Traffic (Minutes)

Between Q1 2019 & Q1 2020, total mobile outgoing minutes decreased by 10%.
For the same period, Domestic mobile prepaid outgoing minutes declined by 14.6% while domestic mobile postpaid minutes declined by 1.5%. Overall, total domestic minutes declined by 8%.

O Between Q1 2019 & Q1 2020, mobile international outgoing minutes, prepaid minutes declined by **16.5%** while postpaid minutes declined by **27.8%**. Overall, mobile International outgoing minutes declined by **17%**.

O Average monthly minutes per subscription decreased to **238** minutes in Q1 2020 compared to **256** minutes in Q1 2019. That number comprises average domestic monthly minutes per subscribers of **177** and average international monthly minutes by subscriber of







Fixed telephony services: Subscriptions (PSTN & Wireless)

O Between Q1 2019 and Q1 2020, fixed telephony subscriptions slightly dropped by **0.3%**. Fixed wired subscriptions increased by 3.5% while fixed wireless subscriptions decreased by **23.7%**.

O Number of ported fixed lines increased from **430** in Q1 2019 to **555** in Q1 2020.





No. of fixed telephony subscriptions

End of Q1 2019			End of Q1 2020			
226,571 15% Penetration rate			225,890 15% Penetration rate			
	2017		2018	2019	Q1 2020	
Total	234,709	2	25,479	225,797	225,890	
% of Fixed Wired	79.01%	8	84.91%	88.1%	89.06%	
% of Fixed Wireless	20.99%	:	15.09%	11.9%	10.94%	



Fixed telephony services: Traffic (PSTN & Wireless - Minutes)

Overall, fixed telephony domestic traffic declined by **16%** between Q1 2019 and Q1 2020.

Similarly, fixed telephony outgoing international traffic has decreased by **14%** over the period between Q1 2019 & Q1 2020.

O Average quarterly outgoing domestic minutes per subscriber decreased to **114** in Q1 2020 compared to **136** minutes in Q1 2019 while average quarterly international minutes slightly dropped to **5** minutes per subscriber compared to **6** minutes in Q1 2019.



* International Outgoing Minutes originated from ISDN traffic is not included in the chart above



Average International Traffic per User

Average Domestic Traffic per User

** Revised for 2019 data

Broadband services: Subscriptions*

O Broadband penetration dropped to **142.2%** and between Q1 2019 & Q1 2020 broadband subscription decreased by **7%** for the same period.

O Between Q1 2019 & Q1 2020 Fixed wired broadband subscription increased by **14.6%** while fixed wireless decreased by **11%**. The drop in Fixed wireless is mainly due to an operator restating their data and moving subscribers from fixed wireless technology to mobile broadband technology.

Overall, mobile broadband subscription dropped by **8%.** Similarly, standalone broadband subscription also decreased by **21%**.



* Standalone numbers have been revised from Q3 2019 as M2M subscribers have been removed from the total number.



Thousands

No. of broadband subscriptions (End of Q1 2020)* 2,111,372 142% Penetration rate











period last year while mobile data consumption increased by 25%.

*Fixed wired data traffic was revised from June 2018

M2M Subscribers & Traffic



O M2M subscribers base grow by 54% between Q1 2019 & Q1 2020.

O For the same period M2M traffic grow by 107%.

O Most of M2M traffic are for Other services, followed by Point of Sale and vehicle tracking





M2M Traffic by Type (GB)

■ Of which are Point of Sale ■ Of which are EWA smart meters ■ Of which are vehical tracking devices ■ Others

Definitions

Fixedtelephone subscriptions

Fixedtelephone subscriptions refers to the sum of active number of analogue fixed-telephone lines, voice-over-IP (VoIP) subscriptions, fixed wireless local loop (WLL) subscriptions.

Prepaid mobile subscribers

Prepaid mobiletelephone These are subscriptions

cellular telephone subscriptions (ITU code i271p) Refers to the total number of mobile-cellular subscriptions that use prepaid refills. where, instead of paying an ongoing monthly fee, users purchase blocks of usage time. Only active subscriptions should be included (those used at least once in the last three months for making or receiving a call or carrvina out a nonvoice activity such as sending or reading an SMS or accessing the Internet).

Postpaid mobile subscribers

cellular telephone subscriptions Refers to the total number of mobile-cellular subscriptions where subscribers are billed after their use of mobile services. at the end of each month. The postpaid service is provided on the basis of a prior arrangement with a mobile cellular operator. Typically, the subscriber's contract specifies a limit or allowance of minutes, text messages, etc. The subscriber will be billed at a flat rate for any usage equal to or less than that allowance. Any usage above that limit incurs extra charges. Theoretically, a subscriber in this situation has no limit on use of mobile services and, as a consequence, unlimited credit.

Postpaid mobile-

Active mobilebroadband subscriptions

Active mobile-broadband subscriptions refers to the sum of standard mobilebroadband and dedicated mobile broadband subscriptions to the public Internet. It covers actual subscribers, not potential subscribers, even though the latter may have broadband enabledhandsets. The indicator can be further broken down into:

Standard mobile-broadband subscriptions (ITU code i271mb_active): Refers to active mobile-cellular subscriptions with an advertised data speed of 256 kbit/s or greater that allow access to the greater Internet via HTTP and have been used to make a data connection using Internet protocol (IP) in the previous three months. Standard SMS and MMS messaging do not count as active Internet data connections, even if they are delivered via IP.

This includes mobile subscriptions that use mobile-broadband services on a pay-peruse basis. It excludes mobile subscriptions with a separate monthly data plan for mobile-broadband access (see Indicator 25b, Dedicated mobile broadband subscriptions).

Dedicated mobile-broadband subscriptions (ITU code i271md): Refers to subscriptions to dedicated data services (over a mobile network) that allow access to the greater Internet and that are purchased separately from voice services, either as a standalone service (e.g. using a data card such as a USB modem/dongle) or as an add-on data package to voice services that requires an additional subscription. All dedicated mobile-broadband subscriptions with recurring subscription fees are included as 'active data subscriptions' regardless of actual use. Prepaid mobile-broadband plans require use in the last three months if there is no monthly subscription. This indicator could also include mobile WiMAX subscriptions.

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