

Monthly Telecom Indicators Statistics - March 2013	
Fixed Telephone Line Services:	March
1.1 Post Paid	253,069
1.2 Prepaid Lines	25,278
1.3 Public Telephone – Payphones	6,801
1.4 ISDN Channels (Equivalent DELs)	44,634
1.5 WLL Connections	1,814
1. Total Fixed Telephone Lines (1.1-1.5)	331,596
Fixed Telephone Lines Penetration/inhabitant	9.15%
Fixed Telephone Lines Penetration/household	82.43%
Mobile Services:	March
2.1 Post-paid (2.1.1+2.1.2)	479,121
2.1.1 Operators	479,121
2.1.2 Resellers	0
2.2 Prepaid (2.2.1+2.2.2)	4,803,066
2.2.1 Operators	4,306,869
2.2.2 Resellers	496,197
2. Total Mobile Subscribers; (2.1+2.2):	5,282,187
Mobile Penetration/inhabitant	145.80%
Fixed Internet Services:	March
3.1.1. Post paid	4,902
3.1.2. Pre paid	523
3.1 Dial up Internet Subscribers(3.1.1+3.1.2):	5,425
3.2 Fixed Broadband Subscribers	122,124
3. Total Fixed Internet Subscribers; (3.1+3.2)	127,549
Fixed Internet Penetration/inhabitant	3.52%
Fixed Internet Penetration/household	31.71%
Mobile Broadband	March
4. Active Mobile Broadband Subscribers ¹	1,899,519
Mobile Broadband Penetration/inhabitant	52.43%

¹ As per ITU definition the (Mobile broadband subscribers (potential access)) has been replaced with the Active Mobile Broadband Subscribers.

The Active Mobile Broadband subscribers has been calculated as per ITU Handbook to represent the sum of:

(i) Dedicated mobile broadband subscriptions: (All subscribers who have subscribed to a data plan which has a subscription charge and fixed period of subscription irrespective of the subscription duration (daily, weekly or monthly plans)

(ii) Standard Mobile Broadband Subscriptions: (subscribers who use 3G broadband service at least once in a month without subscribing to a fixed duration plan. These are generally called "pay as you go" (PAYG) users.

Note: The penetration rates for the month of (Jan & Feb) according to the provisional population which was (3,295,298) up to Mid of 2011; provided by the National Center for Statistics & Information and households (402,286)

Note: The penetraion rates for the month of (March), according to the lastest statistics recieved from NCSI, which is (3,623,001) up to Mid of 2012; and households (402,286)