

# Research Agenda

Q1 2024, Q2 2024

DATE

December 2023

### Q1 2024 – Industry Research

## Mobile Operators & Networks

## Fixed, TV & Convergence

## IoT & Digital Enterprise Consumer

### **Spectrum**

### Data

#### Mobile markets

Quarterly forecast update: connections and revenues (forecasts to 2030)

### Smartphone unique subscribers

Market-level sizing (forecasts to 2030)

NEW ADDITION

### Fixed and pay-TV markets

Quarterly forecast update: connections (to 2030)

### **Fixed and pay-TV markets**

Quarterly product tracker update: commercial services

#### Cellular IoT markets

Quarterly forecast update: licensed cellular IoT connections (to 2030)

#### IoT revenue

Forecast update (to 2030)

#### **Consumers in Focus**

Generative AI
(dashboard, consumer
behaviour, operator thinking
and expectations,
survey-based)

### **Spectrum intelligence**

5G and previous generation networks (auctions, assignments, pricing, spectrum migration)

#### **Network sunsets**

Tracker of operators switching off 2G and 3G networks (outlook to 2030)

NEW ADDITION

## Major

Reports

### 5G in Context

Global 5G and network landscape (quarterly series)

### Fixed and pay-TV markets

New developments and outlook (quarterly series)

#### **Fixed broadband**

Major trends shaping the markets through 2030, from networks to technology, customer demand and competition

### **Operators in Focus**

Enterprise opportunity.

Operator strategies, plans and expectations (survey-based report + dashboard)

#### IoT market outlook

Charting connections growth to 2030 across consumer and enterprise markets and across regions

#### **Generative Al**

Latest developments and trends, consumer awareness and expectations, operator views and expectations, future outlook

### **Spectrum landscape**

New insights and trends to watch (quarterly series)

#### **Network sunsets**

Pace of 2G and 3G network sunsets globally and by region, and drivers (outlook to 2030) NEW ADDITION

## Other Research

- Spotlights: weekly reports covering important trends, developments and events in the telecoms/digital ecosystems and their implications for ecosystem players
- Insightful charts: a monthly graphic providing a visual way of telling an important story or development in the industry turning data into insights
- Operator case studies: a concise and consistent way to shine some light on operators' strategies and business models, as well as how they are launching new services

### Q1 2024 – Regional, Economic & Social Research

### **Region in Focus**

**Asia-Pacific** 

China

**Europe** 

**Latin America** 

Middle East and North
Africa

**North America** 

**Sub-Saharan Africa** 

## The Mobile Economy

**The Mobile Economy 2024** 

The Mobile Economy China 2024

## **Economic and Social Impact**

Spectrum set-asides and private networks

**5G Development Index** 

Spectrum pricing in Latin America: Honduras and Bolivia

Mobile Money Regulatory Index 2024

Mobile money interoperability: regulatory impact assessment

The evolving role of MNOs in online safety

## Industry Megatrends

**Global Mobile Trends 2024** 

Edge compute: coming to a place near you

Telco Energy Benchmark results (2023)

Telcos as virtual power plants: catch the wind

Decarbonising compute: from the ground up

### Major Reports

### Q2 2024 – Industry Research

## Mobile Operators & Networks

## Fixed, TV & Convergence

## IoT & Enterprise

## Digital Consumer

### **Spectrum**

Data

#### Mobile markets

Quarterly forecast update: connections and revenues (to 2030)

### Adult unique mobile subscribers

Market-level sizing (forecasts to 2030)

NEW ADDITION

### Fixed and pay-TV markets

Quarterly forecast update: connections (to 2030)

### **Fixed and pay-TV markets**

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#### **Consumers in Focus**

5G user behaviour (dashboard, survey-based)

### Spectrum intelligence

5G and previous generation networks (auctions, assignments, pricing, spectrum migration)

#### **Network sunsets**

Tracker of operators switching off 2G and 3G networks (outlook to 2030)

### **5G SA deployments**

Tracker of operators
launching 5G SA networks
NEW ADDITION

### 5G in Context

Global 5G and network landscape (quarterly series)

### **Fixed and pay-TV markets**

New developments and future outlook (quarterly series)

### Pay TV

Major trends shaping the markets to 2030, from technology to consumer demand (survey-based) and competition. Report and dashboard

### **Smart mobility**

New trends and developments shaping the market and future outlook, from technology to services and partnerships

### **Consumer 5G**

State of the market, 5G user behaviour across different areas, and progress with monetisation

### Spectrum landscape

New insights and trends to watch (quarterly series)

#### **Network landscape**

New network technologies: trends and insights
NEW ADDITION

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## The Mobile Economy

The Mobile Economy
Latin America 2024

The Mobile Economy Eurasia 2024

## **Economic and Social Impact**

Investment gaps in the Caribbean

Mobile broadband and poverty reductions in Latin America

Mobile Gender Gap Report 2024

Spectrum pricing in Pakistan

### Industry Megatrends

The 5G core of the future

Major Reports



Operators seeking new growth in connectivity and beyond

The technologies, services and business models driving change



Changing shape of telecoms networks

Impact of new technologies and network capabilities on industry transformation



Advanced Al technology takes hold

The generative Al world and its impact on the telecoms sector



Scaling the B2B opportunity in the 5G era

Turning growing enterprise digitisation into a scalable business opportunity



Rise of eSIM as mainstream technology

Building on tech and service availability to drive customer adoption



Consumer 5G monetisation quest

Making 5G a truly global story and monetising consumer and FWA use cases



Device innovation imperative

Balancing tech innovation and shifting consumer preferences



Reshaping services in the digital era

XR, the metaverse, new digital experiences and bundle approaches



Maximising the value of spectrum

Effective spectrum management to deliver its full potential



Bridging mobile connectivity investment gaps

Supporting digital inclusion, digital transformation and digital economy growth



Energy efficiency and sustainability at full strength

Advancements in green networks and sustainable practices across industries



## Themes cut across most content modules (research and data)

	Mobile Operators & Networks	Fixed, TV & Convergence	loT & Enterprise	Digital Consumer	Spectrum
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Mobile Operators & Networks

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Spectrum

50 million data points updated daily. 170 data metrics modelled and forecast to 2030. More than 150 reports published annually.

- Covers 782 mobile operators and 343 mobile metrics across 239 markets
- Historical data and forecasts to 2030
- Mobile subscribers/connections, network and operational data, ARPU and financials
- Operator Network Transformation Survey
- Covers 180 FBB service providers and 183 pay-TV providers across 36 of the world's largest markets (90% of global FBB connections)
- Historical data and forecasts to 2030
- Fixed voice, broadband and pay-TV connections, bundling and convergence, financials
- Product and Service Tracker

- IoT connections and revenue
- Historical data and forecasts to 2030
- Cellular & non-cellular connections, enterprise & consumer connections across vertical use cases
- Operator Enterprise Opportunity Survey

- Global consumer survey of major markets
- Interactive consumer survey dashboards covering 5G, gaming, video services, devices, eSIM, the metaverse, and generative AI. Filters for specific consumer segments
- eSIM: devices, services, adoption forecast to 2030

- Tracker of spectrum auctions, assignments, pricing, licence duration and obligations
- Granular data covering 200+ countries and 1,000+ operators worldwide, from 1980 to today
- Spectrum for 5G and previous generation networks
- Network sunsets and rollout of 5G SA, open RAN, and VoLTE
- Spotlights: weekly reports covering important trends, developments and events in the telecoms/digital ecosystems and their implications for ecosystem players
- Industry deep dives: quarterly reports on specific topic streams with in-depth analysis of the market and future outlook, including major trends and competitive dynamics
- Insightful charts: a monthly graphic providing a visual way of telling an important story or development in the industry turning data into insights
- Operator case studies: a concise and consistent way to shine some light on operators' strategies and business models, as well as how they are launching new services
- Regional research: Mobile Economy reports and Region in Focus series examining major trends (technology, market, policy and regulation) shaping the regional telecoms landscapes
- Bespoke consulting: on-demand, customised research on industry topics including megatrends, technology/service innovation, economic and social Impact of mobile technology and spectrum

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