

Progress and status of different Telecom development parameters

For the month of **April 2009**

The major highlights for the various parameters during March 2008 & 2009, April 2008 and 2009 as well as percentage growth during current year, monthly and yearly basis is given in the following tables:

Major Highlights for Telecom Sector for April'09									
S.No.	Description	Position at the End of				%age Growth during			
		March'08	March'09	April'08	April'09	Month	Current Year	Yearly	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
1	Phones (In Lakh)	Total	4297.25	4297.25	3085.10	4414.75	2.73%	2.73%	43.10%
		Wireline	379.65	379.65	392.09	378.12	-0.40%	-0.40%	-3.56%
		Wireless	3917.60	3917.60	2693.01	4036.63	3.04%	3.04%	49.89%
		Public	895.46	895.46	797.85	904.30	0.99%	0.99%	13.34%
		Private	3401.79	3401.79	2287.25	3510.45	3.19%	3.19%	53.48%
		Rural	1235.13	1235.13	797.96	1271.45	2.94%	2.94%	59.34%
		Urban	3062.12	3062.12	2287.14	3143.30	2.65%	2.65%	37.43%
2	Teledensity	Overall	36.98%	36.98%	26.89%	37.94%	2.60%	2.60%	41.09%
		Public	7.71%	7.71%	6.95%	7.77%	0.78%	0.78%	11.80%
		Private	29.27%	29.27%	19.93%	30.17%	3.07%	3.07%	51.38%
		Rural	15.11%	15.11%	9.86%	15.54%	2.85%	2.85%	57.61%
3	%age share of	Urban	90.76%	88.84%	67.67%	91.03%	2.47%	0.30%	34.52%
		Public	20.84%	20.84%	25.86%	20.48%	-	-	-
		Private	79.16%	79.16%	74.14%	79.52%	-	-	-
		Rural	28.74%	28.74%	25.86%	28.80%	-	-	-
4	Switching Capacity (In Lakh)	Urban	71.26%	71.26%	74.14%	71.20%	-	-	-
		Public	959.76	1103.68	965.15	1115.31	1.05%	16.21%	15.56%
		Private	532281	561959	533411	562187	0.04%	5.62%	5.39%
		Public	22.91	20.89	22.67	20.71	-0.86%	-9.60%	-8.65%
5	Village Public Telephones [VPTs]	Public	564166	609223	565070	610344	0.18%	8.19%	8.01%
6	PCCOs (In Lakh)	Public	86.85	88.33	86.85	88.33	1.70%	1.70%	1.70%
7	OFC Route kms	Public	86.85	88.33	86.85	88.33	1.70%	1.70%	1.70%
8	TAX Lines (In Lakh)	Public	86.85	88.33	86.85	88.33	1.70%	1.70%	1.70%