

Progress and status of different Telecom development parameters
For the month of July 2008

The major highlights for the various parameters during March 2008, June 2008, July 2007 and 2008 as well as percentage growth during current year, monthly and yearly basis is given in the following tables:

| Major Highlights for Telecom Sector for July'08 | | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|--------------------|--------------|--------|--------|
| S.No. | Description | Position at the End of | | | | %age Growth during | | | |
| | | March'08 | June'08 | July'07 | July'08 | Month | Current Year | Yearly | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | |
| 1 | Phones (In Lakh) | Total | 3004.92 | 3257.86 | 2328.65 | 3348.44 | 2.78% | 11.43% | 43.79% |
| | | Wireline | 394.13 | 389.17 | 398.90 | 387.64 | -0.39% | -1.65% | -2.82% |
| | | Wireless | 2610.79 | 2868.69 | 1929.75 | 2960.80 | 3.21% | 13.41% | 53.43% |
| | | Public | 795.49 | 801.70 | 718.51 | 806.17 | 0.56% | 1.34% | 12.20% |
| | | Private | 2209.44 | 2456.16 | 1610.15 | 2542.27 | 3.51% | 15.06% | 57.89% |
| | | Rural | 765.00 | 846.90 | 543.31 | 881.93 | 4.14% | 15.29% | 62.33% |
| | | Urban | 2239.93 | 2410.96 | 1785.35 | 2466.51 | 2.30% | 10.12% | 38.15% |
| 2 | Teledensity | Overall | 26.22% | 28.33% | 20.51% | 29.08% | 2.66% | 10.91% | 41.77% |
| | | Public | 6.94% | 6.97% | 6.33% | 7.00% | 0.44% | 0.87% | 10.63% |
| | | Private | 19.28% | 21.36% | 14.18% | 22.08% | 3.38% | 14.53% | 55.67% |
| | | Rural | 9.46% | 10.44% | 6.77% | 10.87% | 4.04% | 14.87% | 60.55% |
| 3 | %age share of | Urban | 66.39% | 71.08% | 53.69% | 72.58% | 2.12% | 9.33% | 35.19% |
| | | Public | 26.47% | 24.61% | 30.86% | 24.08% | - | - | - |
| | | Private | 73.53% | 75.39% | 69.14% | 75.92% | - | - | - |
| | | Rural | 25.46% | 26.00% | 23.33% | 26.34% | - | - | - |
| 4 | Switching Capacity (In Lakh) | Public | 959.76 | 972.15 | 905.17 | 982.50 | 1.07% | 2.37% | 8.54% |
| 5 | Village Public Telephones [VPTs] | | 532281 | 533949 | 566083 | 534257 | 0.06% | 0.37% | -5.62% |
| 6 | PCOs (In Lakh) | Public | 22.91 | 22.37 | 23.20 | 22.12 | -1.11% | -3.44% | -4.63% |
| 7 | OFC Route kms | Public | 564166 | 568207 | 532301 | 570013 | 0.32% | 1.04% | 7.08% |
| 8 | TAX Lines (In Lakh) | Public | 86.85 | 87.12 | 83.85 | 87.12 | 3.90% | 0.31% | 3.90% |