

Statistics on Telecommunications in the ECTEL Member States (2002 -2005)

Telecommunications Revenues (EC\$ Million)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	\$87	\$83	\$68	\$82
Grenada	\$128	\$114	\$114	\$142
St Kitts and Nevis	\$80	\$84	\$88	\$98
Saint Lucia	\$156	\$169	\$204	\$218
St Vincent and the Grenadines	\$87	\$95	\$137	\$135
	\$538	\$545	\$611	\$675

Fixed Line Penetration

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	32%	34%	35%	30%
Grenada	29%	29%	26%	21%
St Kitts and Nevis	52%	52%	49%	42%
Saint Lucia	31%	32%	30%	26%
St Vincent and the Grenadines	24%	25%	22%	23%

Mobile Penetration

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	10%	18%	33%	62%
Grenada	7%	21%	67%	74%
St Kitts and Nevis	14%	32%	47%	61%
Saint Lucia	6%	33%	60%	63%
St Vincent and the Grenadines	7%	34%	64%	62%

Internet Penetration

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	3%	6%	8%	9%
Grenada	4%	4%	5%	5%
St Kitts and Nevis	9%	10%	13%	17%
Saint Lucia	3%	4%	4%	5%
St Vincent and the Grenadines	3%	3%	4%	6%

Local Traffic Originating from a Fixed Line

(Millions of minutes)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	n.a	84	72	60
Grenada	n.a	330	461	248
	n.a			
St Kitts and Nevis		154	117	110
Saint Lucia	n.a	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
St Vincent and the Grenadines	n.a	101	113	100
		669	763	518

Local Traffic Originating from a Mobile Phone

(Millions of minutes)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	n.a	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Grenada	n.a	6	18	42
	n.a			
St Kitts and Nevis		5	15	15
Saint Lucia	n.a	8	51	60
St Vincent and the Grenadines	n.a	90	118	126
		108	202	245

International Outgoing Traffic (Millions of minutes)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	9	9	8	10
Grenada	14	14	14	19
St Kitts and Nevis	14	16	15	15
Saint Lucia	17	18	24	25
St Vincent and the Grenadines	2	5	9	7
	57	62	70	76

Residential Fixed Line Access Charge (EC\$)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	20.00	20.00	24.00	24.00
Grenada	45.00	54.00	54.00	26.40
St Kitts and Nevis	22.00	22.00	24.00	24.00
Saint Lucia	24.25	22.00	26.40	26.40
St Vincent and the Grenadines	17.00	17.00	20.40	20.40

Local Fixed to Fixed Calling Rate (EC\$ per minute)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Day	n.a	0.09	0.09	0.07
Evening	n.a	0.08	0.08	0.05
Weekend	n.a	0.06	0.06	0.05

Local Fixed to Mobile Calling Rate (EC\$ per minute)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Day	n.a	0.81	0.81	0.76
Evening	n.a	0.80	0.80	0.75
Weekend	n.a	0.78	0.78	0.75

Outgoing International Rate from a Fixed Line

(EC\$ per minute)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
ECTEL States	n.a	0.50	0.50	0.50
C&W Caribbean	n.a	0.66	0.66	0.66
Non C&W Caribbean	n.a	0.99	0.99	0.99
US and Europe	n.a	1.65	1.65	1.65
Rest of World	n.a	2.20	2.20	2.20

Telecommunications Investment (EC\$ million)

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	13	8	27	44
Grenada	6	13	51	26
St Kitts and Nevis	29	17	17	38
Saint Lucia	45	78	93	54
St Vincent and the Grenadines	15	18	34	20
	107	134	222	182

Employment in Telecommunications

	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
Dominica	283	273	275	282
Grenada	219	172	190	183
St Kitts and Nevis	150	122	120	140
Saint Lucia	327	353	359	395
St Vincent and the Grenadines	160	147	137	156
	1139	1067	1081	1156

Mid-year population (Thousands)

	2001	2002	2003	2004
Dominica	71	70	70	70
Grenada	103	104	105	105
St Kitts and Nevis	46	47	47	48
Saint Lucia	158	159	161	162
St Vincent and the Grenadines	109	108	107	101

Notes on Statistical Data

These telecommunications statistics are subject to revision from time to time to ensure accuracy

All figures have been rounded to the nearest million, thousand, and whole number or to the second decimal place.

- -- denotes 'nil'
- 0.0 denotes 'negligible'
- n.a. denotes 'not available'
- ** denotes 'not applicable'

All dollar amounts are in Eastern Caribbean dollars (EC\$).

1. Telecommunications revenues are the revenues received from providing telecommunications services.
2. Fixed line penetration is obtained by dividing the number of fixed line subscribers by the population and multiplying by 100.
3. Mobile penetration is obtained by dividing the number of cellular subscribers by the population and multiplying by 100.
4. Internet penetration is obtained by dividing the number of Internet subscribers by the population and multiplying by 100.
5. Outgoing international traffic is the total telephone traffic measured in minutes that originated from a fixed or mobile phone in the specified state with a destination outside the state. Local and international traffic does not include traffic for Cingular Wireless, this was not available at the time of publication.)
6. Residential fixed line access charge is the recurring fixed charge for subscribing to the Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN).

7. Telecommunications investment is the expenditure associated with acquiring ownership of plant and property used for telecommunications service and includes land and buildings.
8. Employment refers to the total number of staff employed by a telecommunications provider. This does not include sub-contract staff.
9. Telecommunications data was obtained from telecommunications providers, estimates were used where data was not available. The data for populations are the mid-year estimates from the Eastern Caribbean Central Bank.