

## Mauritania (country code +222)

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The *Autorité de Régulation de la République Islamique de Mauritanie (ARE)*, Nouakchott, announces the introduction of a new eight-digit numbering plan in Mauritania (country code +222) with effect from 1 January 2011.

This increase to eight (8) digits is in order to give operators greater flexibility in the management of their numbering resources while at the same time facilitating tariff visibility and the use of telephone networks by users.

The new National Numbering Plan is a closed eight-digit plan in the form "AB PQ MC DU", where each letter corresponds to a digit.

In the new plan, the prefixes "A and B" are assigned such that each operator and each type of service has contiguous blocks.

### 1 Structure of the new plan

A	B	PQ MC DU	Type of service	
0	0	–	Access to international	Remain unchanged
0	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 et 9	–	Reserved	
1	5, 7 et 8	–	Public services	
1	X	Y	User assistance services	
1	X	YZ	Value-added services	
2	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 et 9	XX XX XX	Mobile telephony services	Operator: Chinguitel
2	5	XX XX XX	Fixed telephony services	
3	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 et 9	XX XX XX	Mobile telephony services	Operator: Mattel
3	5	XX XX XX	Fixed telephony services	
4	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 et 9	XX XX XX	Mobile telephony services	Operator: Mauritel
4	5	XX XX XX	Fixed telephony services	
5	X	XX XX XX	Blocked	
6	X	XX XX XX	Blocked	

<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>PQ MC DU</i>	<i>Type of service</i>	
7	X	XX XX XX	Blocked	
8	X	XX XX XX	Special services	
9	X	XX XX XX	Blocked	

X, Y and Z = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9

## 2 Assignment of prefixes

– (A = 4) Operator – Mauritel: To call Mauritel subscribers, key in the digit "4" followed by the current seven digits, as follows:

- (B= 0,1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9) Mobile telephony service subscribers: To call mobile telephony users, key in "4" followed by the current seven digits (see table below)

- (B=5) Fixed telephony service subscribers: To call fixed telephony users, key in "45" followed by the current six digits (see table below)

<i>Operator</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Current number</i>	<i>Number as from 1 January 2011</i>
Mauritel	Fixed telephony service	5 1X XX XX	45 1X XX XX
		5 2X XX XX	45 2X XX XX
		5 3X XX XX	45 3X XX XX
		5 4X XX XX	45 4X XX XX
		5 5X XX XX	45 5X XX XX
		5 6X XX XX	45 6X XX XX
		5 7X XX XX	45 7X XX XX
	Mobile telephony service	4 XX XX XX	44 XX XX XX
		6 0X XX XX	46 0X XX XX
		6 4X XX XX	46 4X XX XX
		6 5X XX XX	46 5X XX XX
6 7X XX XX		46 7X XX XX	

<i>Operator</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Current number</i>	<i>Number as from 1 January 2011</i>
		6 8X XX XX	46 8X XX XX
		6 9X XX XX	46 9X XX XX
		7 4X XX XX	47 4X XX XX
		7 5X XX XX	47 5X XX XX
		7 6X XX XX	47 6X XX XX
		7 7X XX XX	47 7X XX XX
		7 8X XX XX	47 8X XX XX
		7 9X XX XX	47 9X XX XX

X = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

– (A=2) Operator Chinguitel: To call Chinguitel subscribers, key in the digit "2" followed by the current seven digits:

- (B=1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9) Mobile telephony service subscribers: To call mobile telephony users, key in "2" followed by the current seven digits (see table below)

- (B=5) Fixed telephony service subscribers: To call fixed telephony users, key in "25" followed by the current six digits (see table below)

<i>Operator</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Current number</i>	<i>Number as from 1 January 2011</i>
Chinguitel	Fixed telephony service	5 0X XX XX	25 0X XX XX
		5 8X XX XX	25 8X XX XX
	Mobile telephony service	7 0X XX XX	27 0X XX XX
		2 XX XX XX	22 XX XX XX

X = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

– (A = 3) Operator Mattel: To call Mattel subscribers, key in the digit "3" followed by the current seven digits, as follows:

- (B=1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9) Mobile telephony service subscribers: To call mobile telephony users, key in "3" followed by the current seven digits (see table below)

- (B=5) Fixed telephony service subscribers: To call fixed telephony users, key in "35" followed by the current six digits (see table below)

<i>Operator</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Current number</i>	<i>Number as from 1 January 2011</i>
Mattel	Fixed telephony service	–	35 XX XX XX
	Mobile telephony service	3 XX XX XX	33 XX XX XX
		6 1X XX XX	36 1X XX XX
		6 2X XX XX	36 2X XX XX
		6 3X XX XX	36 3X XX XX
		6 6X XX XX	36 6X XX XX
		7 1X XX XX	37 1X XX XX
		7 2X XX XX	37 2X XX XX
		7 3X XX XX	37 3X XX XX

X = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

- (A=8) Special services in the 800 series:

To call the numbers that are reserved for special services in the 800 series, key in "800" followed by the five digits. These numbers cannot be called from outside the country (see table below).

<i>Special services</i>	<i>Current number</i>	<i>Number as from 1 January 2011</i>
Numbers in the 800 series	800 XX XX	800X XX XX

X = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

### 3 Unchanged numbers

It is to be noted that the aforementioned changes do not apply to special service and public service numbers such as:

- the international prefix for accessing the automatic international network, which remains as "00"
- two- and three-digit special numbers assigned to public services

- three-digit short numbers in the form 1XY already assigned to services associated with the internal operation of operators' networks
- four-digit short numbers in the form 1X YZ assigned to value-added services.

Annex 1

Modifications made to the E.164 numbering plan of the  
Islamic Republic of Mauritania (country code: +222)

<i>Announced time and date of change (UTC)</i>	<i>N(S)N</i>		<i>Use of E.164 number</i>	<i>Operation in parallel</i>		<i>Operator</i>
	<i>Old number</i>	<i>New number</i>		<i>Start</i>	<i>End</i>	
1.1.2011 – 00:00	2X XXXXX	22 XX XXXX	Numbers for mobile services	N/A	N/A	Chinguitel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	70 XXXXX	27 0X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Chinguitel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	50 XXXXX	25 0X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Chinguitel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	58 XXXXX	25 8X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Chinguitel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	3X XXXXX	33 XX XXXX	Numbers for mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mattel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	59 XXXXX	35 XX XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Mattel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	61 XXXXX	36 1X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mattel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	62 XXXXX	36 2X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mattel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	63 XXXXX	36 3X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mattel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	66 XXXXX	36 6X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mattel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	71 XXXXX	37 1X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mattel

<i>Announced time and date of change (UTC)</i>	<i>N(S)N</i>		<i>Use of E.164 number</i>	<i>Operation in parallel</i>		<i>Operator</i>
	<i>Old number</i>	<i>New number</i>		<i>Start</i>	<i>End</i>	
1.1.2011 – 00:00	72 XXXXX	37 2X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mattel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	73 XXXXX	37 3X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mattel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	4X XXXXX	44 XX XXXX	Numbers for mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	60 XXXXX	46 0X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	64 XXXXX	46 4X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	65 XXXXX	46 5X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	67 XXXXX	46 7X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	68 XXXXX	46 8X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	69 XXXXX	46 9X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	74 XXXXX	47 4X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	75 XXXXX	47 5X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	76 XXXXX	47 6X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	77 XXXXX	47 7X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	78 XXXXX	47 8X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	79 XXXXX	47 9X XXXX	Numbers for GSM mobile services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel

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	<i>Old number</i>	<i>New number</i>		<i>Start</i>	<i>End</i>	
1.1.2011 – 00:00	51 XXXXX	45 1X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	52 XXXXX	45 2X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	53 XXXXX	45 3X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	54 XXXXX	45 4X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	55 XXXXX	45 5X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	56 XXXXX	45 6X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	57 XXXXX	45 7X XXXX	Numbers for fixed services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel
1.1.2011 – 00:00	80 0XXXX	80 00 XXXX	Numbers for special services	N/A	N/A	Mauritel

## Annex 2

### Presentation of the E.164 numbering plan for the Islamic Republic of Mauritania (country code: +222)

#### – General

The minimum number length (not including the country code) is eight (8) digits

The maximum number length (not including the country code) is eight (8) digits

#### – The numbering plan in detail

<i>Leading digits of N(S)N (National (Significant) Number)</i>	<i>N(S)N number length</i>		<i>Use of E.164 number</i>	<i>Additional information</i>
	<i>Maximum length</i>	<i>Minimum length</i>		
22 XX XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Chinguitel
27 0X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Chinguitel
25 0X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Chinguitel
25 8X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Chinguitel
33 XX XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mattel
35 XX XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Mattel
36 1X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mattel
36 2X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mattel
36 3X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mattel
36 6X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mattel
37 1X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mattel
37 2X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mattel
37 3X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mattel
44 XX XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
46 0X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel



<i>Leading digits of N(S)N (National (Significant) Number)</i>	<i>N(S)N number length</i>		<i>Use of E.164 number</i>	<i>Additional information</i>
	<i>Maximum length</i>	<i>Minimum length</i>		
46 4X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
46 5X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
46 7X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
46 8X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
46 9X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
47 4X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
47 5X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
47 6X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
47 7X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
47 8X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
47 9X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for mobile telephony services	Mauritel
45 1X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Mauritel
45 2X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Mauritel
45 3X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Mauritel
45 4X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Mauritel

<i>Leading digits of N(S)N (National (Significant) Number)</i>	<i>N(S)N number length</i>		<i>Use of E.164 number</i>	<i>Additional information</i>
	<i>Maximum length</i>	<i>Minimum length</i>		
45 5X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Mauritel
45 6X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Mauritel
45 7X XXXX	8	8	Numbers for fixed telephony services	Mauritel
80 00 XXXX	8	8	Numbers for special services	

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