SATELLITE MARKETS AND TECHNOLOGY TRENDS ITU INTERNATIONAL SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM

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## **Eutelsat in a nutshell**

**KEY DATA** 

- ► Revenues of €1.48bn
- Fleet of 39 satellites; global coverage
- Operating >1,370 transponders
- Broadcasting >6,600 channels
- ► Backlog of €5.2bn, representing 3.5 years of revenues

#### **REVENUE BREAKDOWN BY APPLICATION**

#### By geography



#### By application



Western Europe

- Central Europe
- MENA
- RCA
- SSA
- Americas
- APAC
- Unallocated and others

Video
Fixed Data
Government Services
Fixed Broadband
Mobile Connectivity



### The satellite value chain





### ► High barriers to entry

- Finite resource of orbital positions and frequencies, heavily regulated at international level with key commercial orbital positions have already been developed
- High upfront CAPEX before operations
- High technology & technical expertise through satellite lifecycle

### Robust business model

- Significant backlog with long term contracts generating revenue visibility
- Economies of scale
- High operating margins
- Predictable operating cash flow



### **Trends in our core businesses**

VIDEO: MODEST DEMAND GROWTH	FIXED DATA: STRUCTURALLY CHALLENGED	GOVERNMENT SERVICES: POCKETS OF OPPORTUNITY
<ul> <li>Sustained growth in generating markets</li> <li>Robust channel growth</li> <li>Increasing HD penetration</li> <li>Middle East, Africa leading growth</li> <li>Prices well-oriented</li> <li>Broadly stable channel count</li> <li>HD and Ultra HD ramp-up</li> <li>Improving encoding and compression</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Global demand driven by increasing connectivity needs</li> <li>Large HTS systems adding to existing overcapacity</li> <li>Ongoing severe pricing pressure</li> <li>More stickiness in certain segments</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>US DoD demand stabilising, albeit at lower prices</li> <li>Slower migration to HTS than Data Services</li> <li>Opportunities in Europe, Asia and MENA and in non-military</li> </ul>



## Longer-term potential in Video and Connectivity

VIDEO	FIXED AND MOBILE CONNECTIVITY
<ul> <li>Satellite and IPTV set to dominate global video distribution in the longer term</li> <li>Opportunity to enhance satellite value proposition by offering IP-like viewer experience</li> <li>Outsourcing of services by broadcasters will create additional sources of demand</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Nascent markets with huge potential</li> <li>Massive growth in bandwidth usage per consumer</li> <li>Medium-term potential in Aero</li> <li>Long-term potential in land mobility</li> <li>VHTS and VVHTS satellites are pre-requisites in terms of volume and pricing for mass-market adoption</li> </ul>



# Video: Higher signal quality driving worldwide growth of satellite marketshare

# EVOLUTION OF IMAGE QUALITY (NUMBER OF CHANNELS)



#### MILLION TV HOMES BY DISTRIBUTION MODE - GLOBAL



- Total number of TV homes to increase by 95 million to 1.7 bn by 2021
- Satellite reception to grow by 50 million homes to 430 million by 2021
- Satellite market share to rise from 24% to 26%



## Video: Satellite's competitive advantage over OTT / IP

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**COST-EFFICIENCY** 

- Satellite a fraction of TV platforms operating costs
- CDN costs rise in line with audience growth

Satellite more cost efficient above 50k viewers in Western Europe



- ► High cost of fibre roll-out
- Terrestrial networks cannot reach entire population
  - Lower image quality
  - Or even no service

# Satellite provides full coverage of a market

# 1 UHD channel in HEVC 20

SERVICE QUALITY



- Higher quality of image leading to increased bandwidth usage
- Congestion of terrestrial networks
  - Video will represent ~80% of consumer internet traffic by 2019

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#### Satellite and hybrid solutions give unimpaired viewing experience



## Fixed Broadband: Preparing for mass market adoption





Use the time to VHTS to prepare for mass market: optimise existing or committed assets (KA-SAT, Russian and African Broaband) and validate go-to-market models



## HTS value proposition: Consumer broadband in Europe





# Mobile Connectivity: Market foothold with existing assets



## **INNOVATION - Part of Eutelsat's DNA**



Innovation is a key element for success in a very competitive telecommunication market

#### Eutelsat has always been at the forefront of satellite innovation

- 1984: First transmission in DVB-S standard
- 1996: Development of DiSEgC standard •
- 2000: First satellite with electrical propulsion (E16C) ٠
- 2000 & 2002: Maiden flights of Atlas 3, Atlas V, Delta IV •
- 2002: First satellite with on-board multiplexing •
- 2003: First HD demo channel •
- 2004: First satellite with Lithium-Ion batteries •
- 2010: Highest capacity satellite ever launched (KA-SAT) •
- 2013: First UHD demo channel

#### Innovation - all about finding the right balance between creativity and rigor

#### **Open innovation**

- Continuous effort in collaboration with customers and other external partners: research institutes, work shops, etc.
- Evolution of the offer in our core market but also objective to address new or emerging markets (e.g. Internet of Things)
- Invest into highly innovative projects and companies

#### Looking beyond the satellite itself

- Satellite is part of a system including ground segment
- Innovation can be at satellite level, but it can also be on the ground, in products and services or in the interaction between the satellite and the ground equipment 12

2: smartlnb

### **Eutelsat is focused on 4 innovation priorities**

	IN SPACE	ON GROUND
Improve the value-for-money of our capacity	<ul> <li>Electric propulsion</li> <li>New multi-spot HTS architectures developed for fast growing markets</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>New encoding schemes for higher compression</li> <li>Enhanced access protocols for Interactive TV satellite services</li> </ul>
Ensure protection of satellite communications	<ul> <li>Signal prevention / detection techniques</li> <li>Increased resilience to jamming</li> </ul>	
Increase the flexibility of our satellite resources	<ul> <li>Reconfigurable satellite payloads</li> <li>On board power allocation to optimize commercial capacity</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>→ Multi-band reception systems</li> <li>→ C/Ku, Ku/Ka</li> <li>→ Hybrid set-top boxes</li> </ul>
Enhance end-user experience	<ul> <li>Smart LNB for DTH Connected TV         <ul> <li>low cost terminal for consumer market</li> <li>Multi-screen home IP distribution</li> <li>Home Automation and Internet of Things</li> <li>Mobile broadband</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	



### **Eutelsat Quantum: Cutting-edge technology**

- ► Software-defined class of satellites
- First satellite to be launched in 2019
  - Manufactured by Airbus Defence and Space
- Incomparable flexibility in terms of:
  - Coverage
  - Bandwidth

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- Power and frequency configurability
- Premium capacity through footprint shaping and steering, power and frequency band pairing that customers will be able to actively define
- ► Targeting for users operating in Government and Mobility markets



Most of the capacity is devoted to Cairo, during day-time in Africa



Most of the capacity is devoted to NYC, during day-time in Americas

#### Example of a coverage hopping between 2 markets

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QUANTUM

# Continue to evangelise the economic and social benefits of satellite technology

#### As an industry:

- → Unite our forces to promote standards & innovations
- → Continue to innovate for long term growth...

#### ... but in order to unlock short-term potential, focus

- → On customer premise equipment (cost & design)
- → On marketing & distribution
- On integration with other networks

#### On the regulatory front:

- → Lobby to simplify regulatory framework for satellite broadband (blanket terminal authorisations, Ka-band authorisations, out-of-country gateways, Open-Sky policy ...) and for DTH
- → Create a level-playing-field for all technologies, including satellite in National Broadband Plans and ensuring access to subsidies for satellite broadband projects
- → Incentivise States to use satellite broadband for emergency and law enforcement services, connecting schools, local administrations, etc.

# Image and especially true in this part of the world: collaborative partnerships

