

## Impact of Internet and OTT on Voice and new Services

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- Issues for voice and new services
  - Voice service increase versus decrease or migration?
  - Voice revenues evolution?
  - New services substituting classical voice?
  - What impact of new services on traffic and revenues?
  - From country monopoly to ... multiple country providers versus... worldwide oligopoly?
  - · ... and many more



- Topics to analyze
  - Main driving services for NGN (Next Generation Networks)
  - New capabilities of NGN and web based services
  - Main e-services at national level
  - OTT (Over the Top) positioning for web based services
  - Service provider positioning on the new market
  - Economies of scale versus market fragmentation
  - Strategies recommended for the service providers



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## Impact of Internet on services NGN driving services

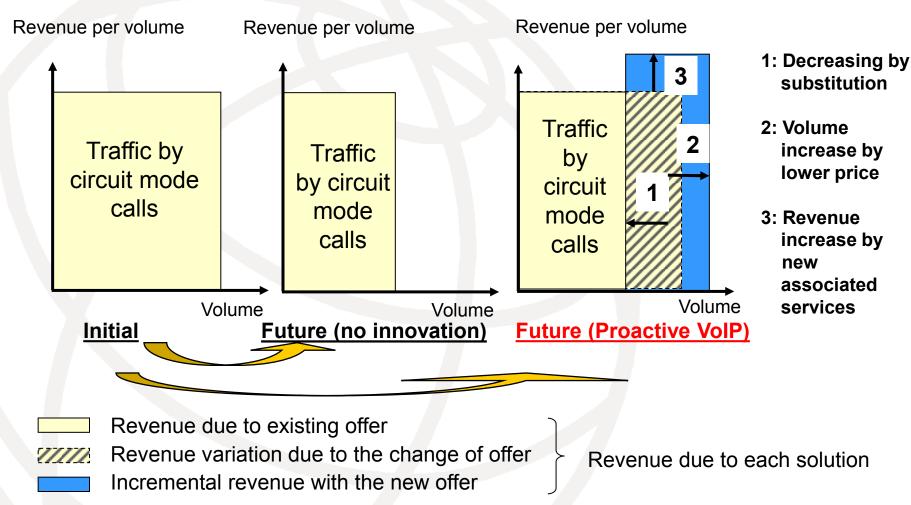


- Residential type
  - VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol):
    - Motivation: Cost saving, integration with chat and video
    - Concerns: Cannibalization, Interconnection and QoS
  - IPTV (Internet Protocol Television): Wide selection, video on demand and special events
  - Content delivery:
    - Music, games, gambling

## Impact of Internet on services NGN driving services



#### VoIP positioning for a service provider



## Impact of Internet on Services Typical Skype prices from smart terminals to fixed telephone



#### From Spain to:

- France, Germany, USA, Australia, India, etc: 2,2 cents/min
- Brazil: 2,6 cents/min
- Thailand: 6 cents/min
- South Africa: 6,7 cents/min
- Nigeria: 11,5 cents/min
- Argelia 16 cents/min
- Kenia 21,7 cents/min
- Tanzania: 24,7 cents/min
- RD Congo: 32,8 cents/min
- Etiopia: 34,5 cents/min
- Senegal: 35,9 cents/min
- Ratios up to 15:1. Special discounts also apply per volume and flat tariffs per month

## **Impact of Internet on Services NGN Driving Services for Business**



- Virtual Private Network (VPN): Customized operation
- Multimedia Conferencing: Quality increase for multiparty
- Unified messaging: Better productivity and efficiency
- ASP (Application Services Provider): Wide availability and adaptation of IT services

## Impact of Internet on Services NGN Driving Services for Business



#### ASP Context

- ASPs provide a contractual service offering to deploy, host, and manage access to an application residing in a facility other than the customer's site.

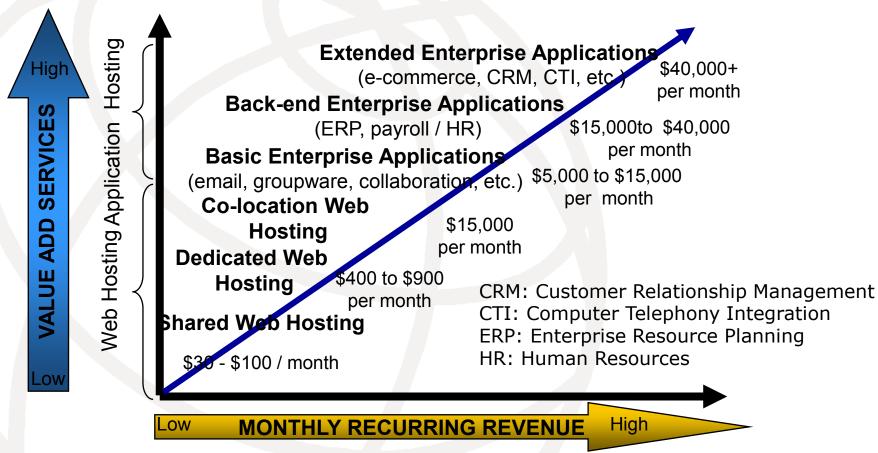
#### Motivation

- To en user
  - Solution to lack of internal Information Technologies (IT) resources
  - Potential cost savings and better cost control
  - Easier and faster software implementation
  - Gives access to otherwise unaffordable applications for Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs)
  - Access to latest technology and superior connectivity
- To operator
  - Enlarge value chain business to the applications and
  - Empower attractive bundling for business customers
  - Increases participation in e-business

## Impact of Internet on Services NGN Driving Services for Business



## Main ASP applications and projected value/revenue added



Source: Cherry Tree & Co

## **Impact of Internet on Services Importance of service mix on business**



- Due to the cost and revenue drivers for different services, the mix of services on an NGN has a fundamental influence on the project profitability.
- Costs are distributed and assigned among services as follows:
  - Common cost to all network
  - Common costs to the Broadband and multiservice platforms
  - Specific costs for each service introduction and operation
- Higher number of NGN services (and not only VoIP) will increase overall profitability and each service profitability by the common cost sharing among them.



#### **E-Government**

 Increasing importance of efficient exchange of best practices through electronic means to connect citizens to the e-government have a major impact on the overall country efficiency and competitiveness.

#### **E-business**

 The fastest growing ICT landscape notably with international broadband connectivity that influence the creation of local content and the ability of developing countries to market their ICT products.

#### E-science

 More affordable and accessible content of scientific findings that promote collaboration and e-publishing with different pricing options and open access.

ICT: Information and Communication Technologies Impact of Internet on services - by O.G.S.



#### **E-learning and Mobile Learning**

 Major facility for professional development to teachers on using mobile technologies to support use technologies for education, teaching and learning.

#### E-health

- Major current development of national e-Health solutions integrating ICTs to support the priorities of the health sector;
- Affordable and reliable solutions applications to health centers and institutions including connectivity to remote areas. E-health appliances and wearable devices as a major topic in the latest CES (Consumer Electronic Show) at Las Vegas in January 2014



#### **E-environment**

• Wide impact of ICT on solutions for the main challenges related with key environmental issues, such as climate change, energy consumption, electronic waste management and disaster risk reduction to ensure sustainable development.

#### E-agriculture

- A growing body of experience shows clear benefits of ICT in facilitating information flows and social networks, and the positive impact ICT can have on the livelihoods of people in rural agricultural communities.
- Mobile technology is the dominant tool in agricultural information services, and is expected to remain so.



## Telecom Support to public security, catastrophe prevention and emergency aid

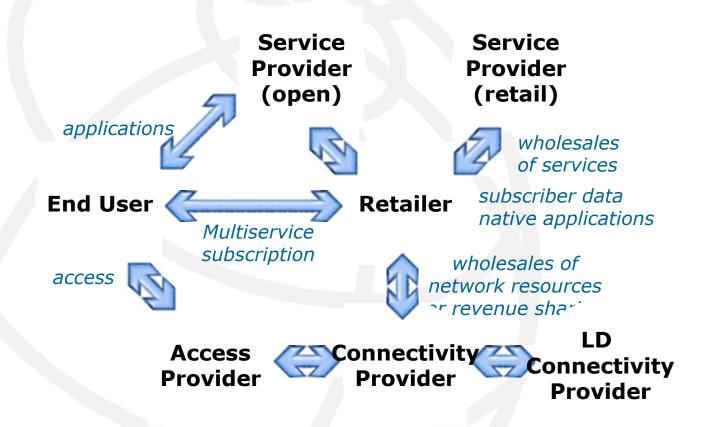
- Priority associated to support to remote vigilance at neuralgic installations, airports, railway stations, and other public singular sites.
- Quick reaction in the support to public services reestablishment in case of damage, medical support, food distribution, assistance to service substitution and tele-working, etc.



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## Impact of Internet on Services New players in service provisioning and interrelations

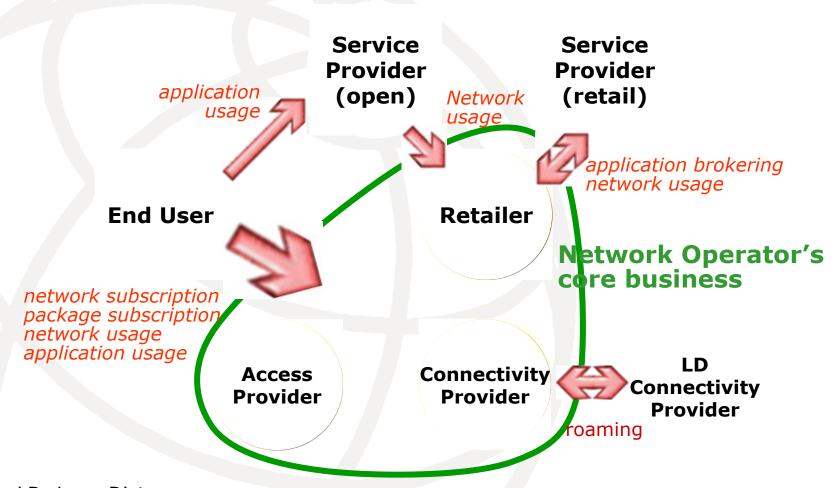




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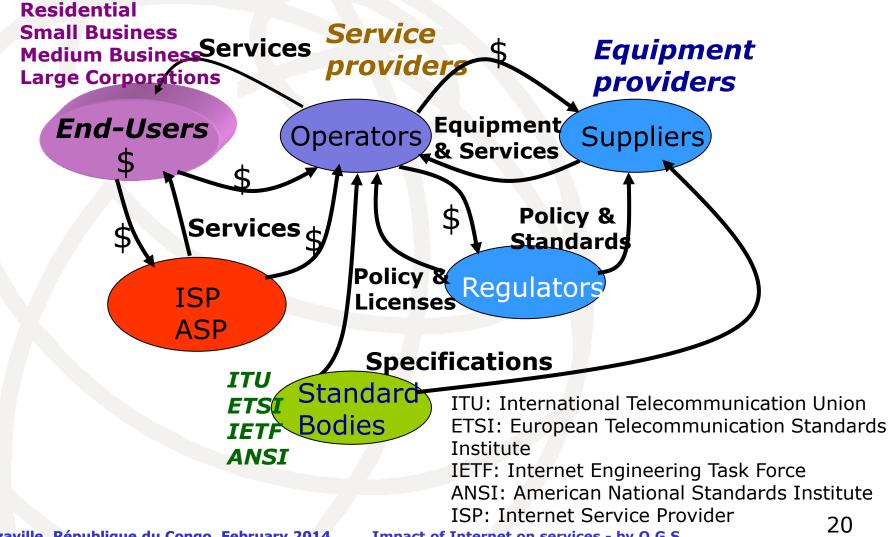




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#### Impact of Internet on Services Players in new service definition and interrelations





## Impact of Internet on Services OTT players (web based)



- Skype
- Google voice
- WhatsApp
- LINE
- Twitter
- Facebook
- Linkedin
- Paypal
- .... And many others



## Impact of Internet on Services OTT main services

- VoIP + videoconference
- Content delivery
- Messaging
- Chat
- Social networking
- Instagram
- Wallet
- ... and many other innovations

## Impact of Internet on Services **OTT** positioning



#### **OTT** services volume\*

- Skype: at 2013 300 million users with around 70 million connected simultaneously and with an average call holding time of 7 minutes. Around 2 billion minutes per day
- WhatsApp: at 3Q 2013 350 million active users with 11 billion messages send, 20 billion received and 325 million photos per day
- Facebook: at 2Q 2013 1110 million users (680 million on mobile), 700 billion minutes and average duration of 20 minutes

<sup>\*</sup>Ref: http://www.statisticbrain.com/ and others

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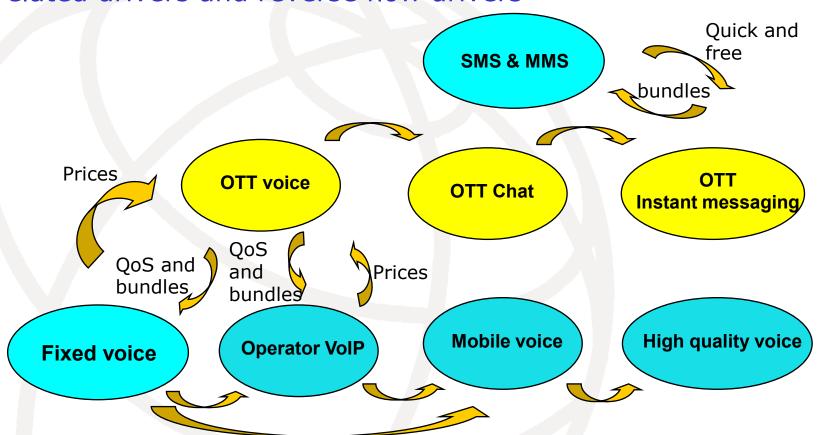
#### OTT services volume ...

- •Twitter: at 2Q 2013 555 million users and 58 million tweets per day
- LINE: at 4Q 2013 300 million users with highest number in Japan
- Linkedin: at 3Q 2013 260 million users, 2,1 million groups and 200 conversations per minute.
- Paypal: at 2Q 2013 132 million active accounts with 14 billion dollars at 2012 for annual mobile payment

## Impact of Internet on Services Services migration flows



Highlight of voice and services migration towards other solutions, related drivers and reverse flow drivers



Overall voice traffic increases but is shared among all existing solutions

SMS: Short Message Service

MMS: Multimedia Message Service

QoS: Quality of Service

## Impact of Internet on Services OTT positioning Strengths



- Benefit from worldwide coverage by internet and quick deployment
- Exploit economies of scale
- Exploit broadband data capacities
- Benefit from publicity revenues
- High negotiation power towards suppliers

#### Weakness

- Difficulties to assure end to end quality control
- Less advantage for proximity and consumer experience related requirements
- Lower capability for country national and local dependent services
- Lack of contribution to the Universal Services Fund and very limited contribution to national Taxes

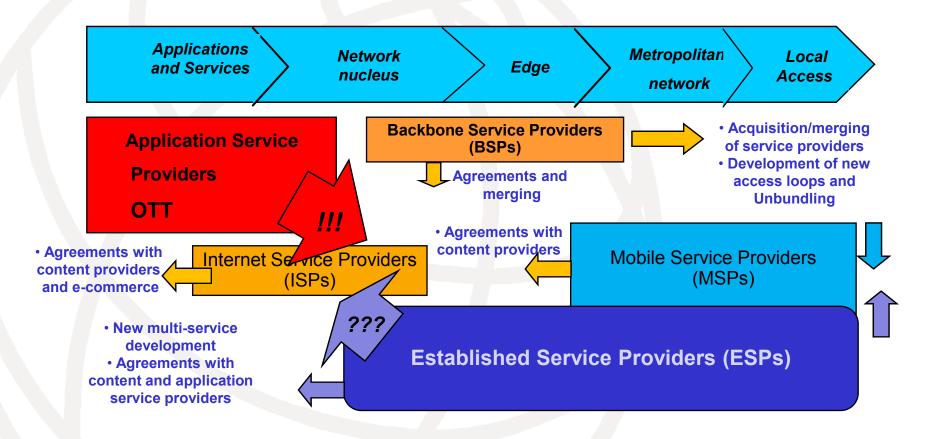


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## Impact of Internet on Services Business domains and trends



Example of Value Added chain and operators movements to gain economy of scale and market



#### Impact of Internet on Services Committed to connecting the world **Industry Initiative for multiservice compatibility**



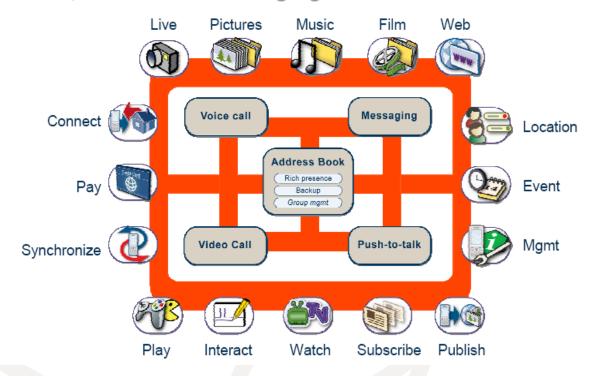
Forum multioperator and multisupplier to reinforce new IMS (Internet Protocol Multimedia Subsystem) based services compatibility and interoperability from the operator side

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## Impact of Internet on Services Industry Initiative for multiservice compatibility

### RCS Vision - A richer experience

Freedom, control and belonging

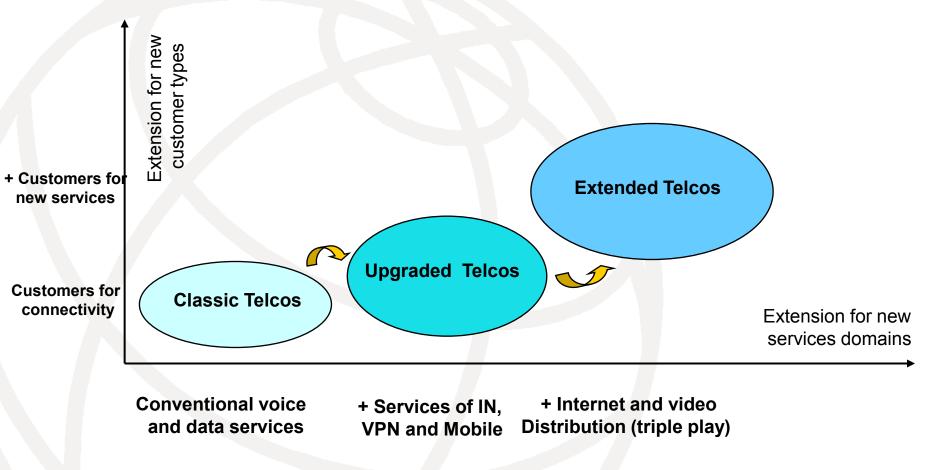


Vision by the RCS forum for personalized services and social networks based on generic functions and affinity grouping

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### Impact of Internet on Services Strategy on Business Migration Leaps Committed to connecting the world

"staircase" for leading growing alternatives

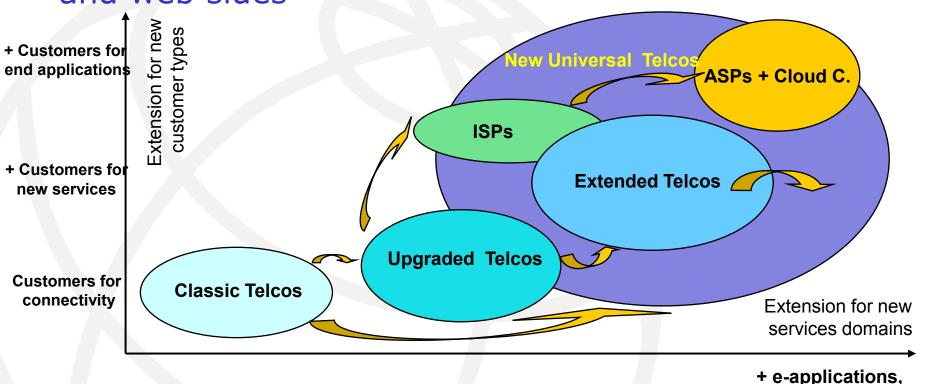


IN: Intelligent Network

### Impact of Internet on Services **Strategy on Business Migration Leaps**



"staircase" for New Universal Telcos from operator and web sides



**Conventional voice** and data services

+ Internet and video Hosting, Cloud C. and + Services of IN, **VPN and Mobile distribution (triple play)** 

Specific migration and timeframe to be optimized for the country context and regulatory conditions

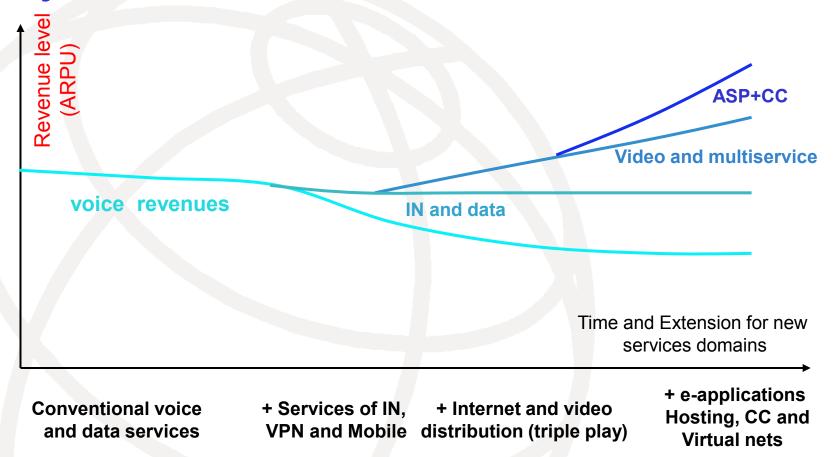
CC or Cloud C.: Cloud Computing

**Virtual Nets** 

## Impact of Internet on Services Trends on Convergence



Projected evolution of revenues with service domains



Convergence strategy is fundamental to grow in a competitive environment and compensate from voice revenue decrease (typical 7% per year)

## Impact of Internet on Services Recommendations for operators actions Actions for topics to analyze:

- •1- Specific demand of new services and consumer experience per country
- •2- Market power and competition level for players per country
- •3- Flexible tariffs and bundle offers
- 4- NGN deployment stage at the country
- 5- Positioning of service providers for higher value added in the services chain
- 6- Analysis of competition versus win-win cooperation partnership with OTT's

## Impact of Internet on Services Summary of Key Factors



 High potential for new NGN services drives the interest in the network modernization and capture of new revenues

 Analyze new business chain from content to delivery and watch OTT services

 Provide attention to Quality of Service on VoIP and Consumer experience

 Design financial performance with best business practices and services bundles.



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