

Côte d'Ivoire Profile (Latest data available: 2018)

Various statistics (Latest data available: 2018)

Fixed-telephone subscriptions per 100 inhabitants	1.2
Mobile-cellular subscriptions per 100 inhabitants	135.7
Fixed (wired)-broadband subscriptions per 100 inhabitants	0.6
Mobile-broadband subscriptions per 100 inhabitants	62
Households with a computer (%)	5.6
Households with Internet access at home (%)	13.5
Individuals using the Internet (%)	43.8

Policy Maker (Latest data available: 2012)

Please provide the name and contact details of the main Policy-Maker in charge of telecommunications/ICTs	Ministère de la Poste, des Technologies de l'Information et de la Communication
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Regulatory Authority (Latest data available: 2013)

Name of the telecom/ICT regulator	Agence des Télécommunications de Côte d'Ivoire
Please provide the name of the Head of the Regulatory Authority [2012]	Bile Diéméléou
Please provide the exact title of the Head of the Regulatory Authority. [2012]	Directeur Général
Legal document creating the regulator	Loi n° 95-526 portant Code des Télécommunications
Year separate regulator created	1995
Regulator also regulates other utilities	• No
Regulator autonomous in decision making	Yes
Who is responsible for approving the budget of the Regulator? [2010]	Le Conseil d'Administration
Sources of regulator's budget and % financed from each source	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Licence fees, percentage; • Numbering fees, percentage; • Spectrum fees, percentage; • Regulatory fees, percentage; • Regulated telecom operators • Regulated telecom operators percentage; percentage of operator revenue (turnover);
Reporting requirements of the regulator	• Annual report to Sector Ministry

Regulatory Functions (Latest data available: 2012)

Entity in charge of licensing	S R	M: Les autorisations sont délivrées par l'Autorité de régulation, tandis que les Conventions de concession le sont par le Ministère de tutelle
Entity in charge of interconnection rates	R	
Entity in charge of price regulation	R	M: Seulement en cas de convention de concession. Les autres autorisations bénéficient de la liberté de fixation des prix
Entity in charge of technical standards setting	R	
Entity in charge of radio frequency allocation and assignment	R	
Spectrum Monitoring and Enforcement	R	
Entity in charge of numbering	R	

Entity in charge of type approval	R	
Entity in charge of service quality monitoring	R	
Entity in charge of universal service/access	O	M: Fonds National des Télécommunications
Quality of service standards setting	R	
Entity in charge of enforcement of quality of service obligations	R	
Broadcasting (sound transmission)2010	O	
Entity in charge of broadcasting content	O	
Entity in charge of Information Technology2010	S	
Entity in charge of Internet content	N	

S: Sector Ministry

O: Other Ministry or Government body

R: Regulatory Authority

Op: Operator

N: Not regulated

M: If more than one entity or another body is involved in this function, please explain

Level of Competition (Latest data available: 2012)

Local Fixed Line Services2008	P	
Domestic fixed long distance	P*	P: 2004
International Fixed Long Distance	P	
Mobile	P*	P: 1996
IMT (3G, 4G, etc.)	N	
Wireless Local Loop	P	
DSL2004	M	
Cable modem2010	N	
Fixed Wireless Broadband2008	P	
Leased Lines	P*	P: 2004
International Gateways	M	
Internet Services	C	
Cable Television2010	N	
Fixed Satellite Services (FSS)2008	C	
Mobile Satellite Services (MSS)2001	P	
VSAT	C*	

M: Monopoly

P: Partial competition (year when competition was introduced)

C: Full competition (year when competition was introduced)

N: N/A

Universal Service - services covered and operator obligations (Latest data available: 2012)

Definition of universal service/access exists	Yes
Universal access/service policy adopted	Yes
Voice services included in Universal service/access definition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fixed line private residential service as part of universal service definition • Fixed line public payphone service as part of universal service definition
Internet services included in Universal service/access definition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dial-up Internet access as part of universal service definition

Other services included in Universal service/access definition • Emergency services as part of universal service definition
• Directory services as part of universal service definition

Operators under universal access/service obligation • All operators
• Network/facilities-based operators
• Incumbent fixed line operator(s)
• Fixed-line operators
• Mobile operators

Operators/service providers required to offer below-cost prices No

Financing of Universal Service activities and/or Universal Service Funds (Latest data available: 2012)

Means of financing operator(s) universal access/service obligations • Universal service funds

Operational Universal Service Fund Yes

If Yes, when? [2008] 1998

Operators/ service providers required to contribute to USF • All operators

Means of calculating USF contribution amounts • Percentage of total gross revenues (turnover) Percentage: 2% du chiffre d'affaire,

USF financed by other sources Yes

USF budget financing by source (in percentage) • Other • Other percentage:, please specify: Dons et legs,

Regulator administrating USF No

If No, name the entity responsible [2011] Comité de gestion du Fonds

Other financing mechanisms for the provision of Universal service No

If Yes, please explain [2004] création d'un Fonds National des Télécommunications