

Telecom Market Liberalisation Status and Key Players **Region 1**

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Country	Local services	National long distance	Int'l long distance	Mobile	Data	Internet	VoIP	Comments
Country 1	M	M	M	L	M	L	LE	Build - Operator – Transfer fixed licenses to be awarded. Liberalisation of the local, national and data markets planned for 2005. VoIP used by incumbent.
Country 2	L	L	L	L	L	L	LE	
Country 3	L	L	M	L	L	L	LE	
Country 4	M	M	M	M	L	L	LE	VAS licenses to be allocated.
Country 5	M	M	M	M	M	L	LE	
Country 6	L	L	L	L	L	L	IL	VoIP is legal for licensed fixed operators only. Duopoly in the fixed market.

Source: ITU, Regulators, Operators, hot telecom research

Key Telecom Players – Region 1

Country	Main Fixed operators	Main Mobile operators	Main ISPs	Regulator
Country x	Afghan Telecom	AWCC Roshan	Afghan Telecom ARIANA Telecom CeReTechs InstaNet Itehad Internet NEDA Trasil Telecom	MOC
Country y	AAPT Optus Primus Telstra	Hutchison Optus Telstra Vodafone	AAPT Optus Primus Telstra	DCITA
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