Telecommunications

Size

- Subscriber base of 1,191.40 million, as of September 2018

Global Rank

- Second Largest telecom network
- Fastest growing app market
- Second highest number of internet users

Sector Composition

- Composition Of Telephone Subscribers (FY19*)
  - Wireless: 1.86%
  - Wireline: 98.14%

- Urban: 55.95%
- Rural: 44.05%

Note: * - As of September 2018

Sector Trends

- Wireless Subscription (mn)
  - FY07: 165.00
  - FY18: 1,183.41
  - FY19*: 1,169.29

- Internet subscriptions (mn)
  - FY07: 9.27
  - FY12: 22.86
  - FY18: 493.96
  - FY19*: 560.01

Note: * - As of September 2018

Government Initiatives

- National Digital Communications Policy 2018
- Phased Manufacturing Programme (PMP)
- 100 per cent FDI