#### **Communications Services Tax Working Group**

#### **August 21, 2012 Meeting Materials**

#### Addendum #1

• Materials added to Agenda Item #6 – Developments in Technology



# The Changing Face of Communications



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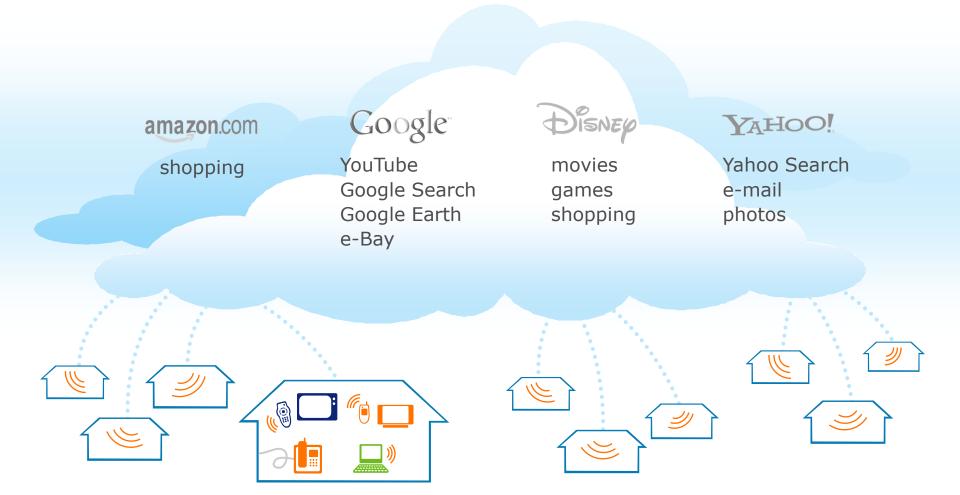
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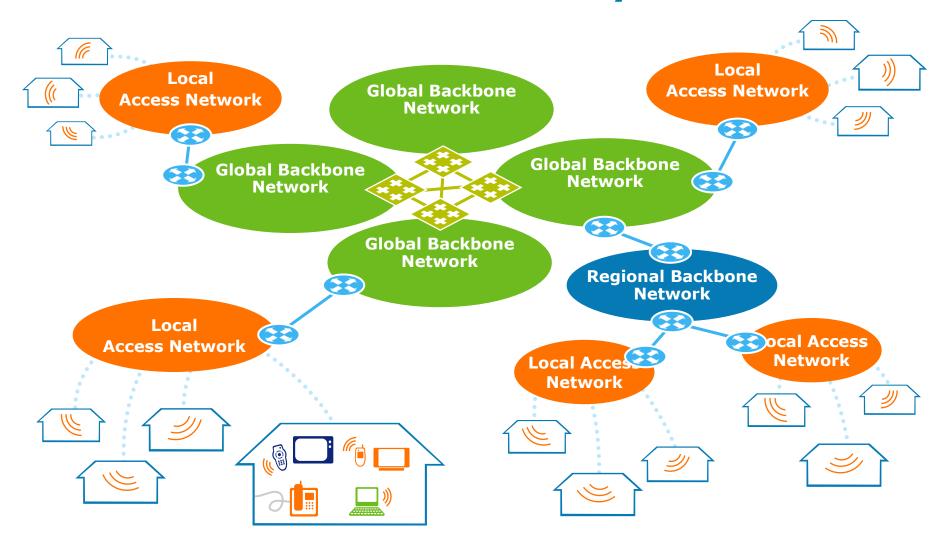
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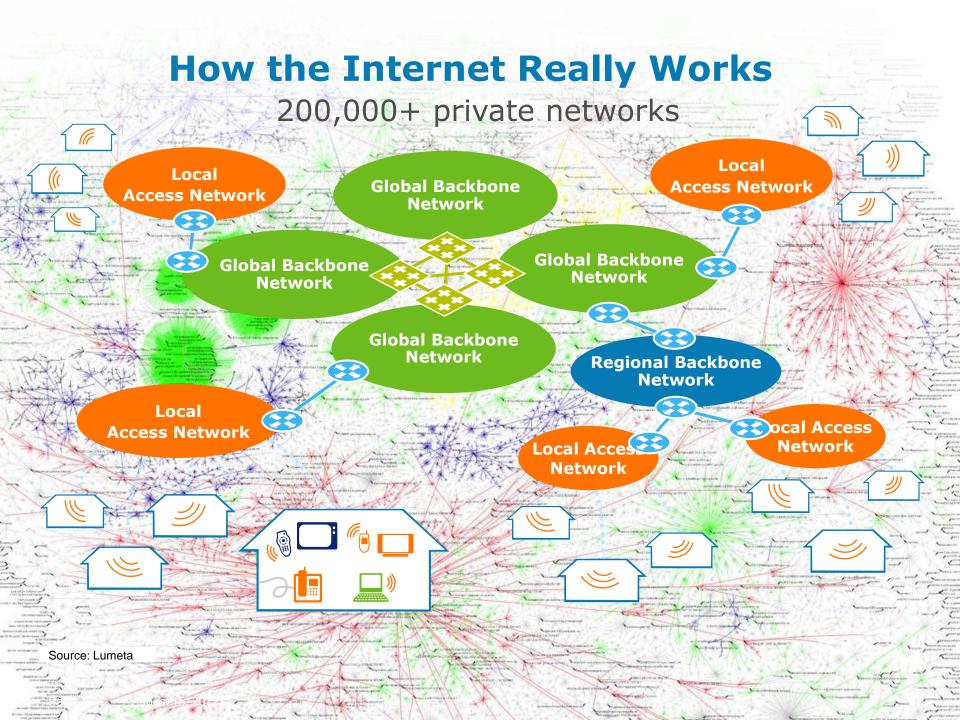
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#### **How Consumers "See" the Internet**



#### **How the Internet Really Works**





# WOTAT&T'S IP Network is one of the 200,000+ **Networks that Comprises the Internet** 1.133 Billion 1.6 Billion 35,000 301,760 100 Million 99.998%

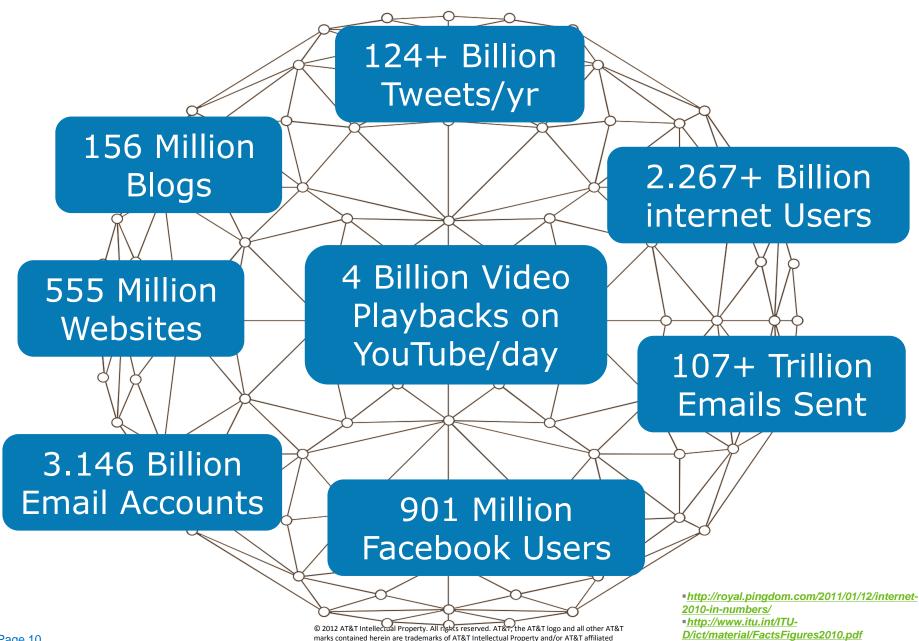
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### Where are We Today?

	2007	2010	2012	% increase
Electronic data				
generated this				
year (exabytes)	38	180	309	713%
Internet users		_		
(billions)	1	1.8	2.26	126%
YouTube daily				
downloads				
(millions)	100	2,000	4,000	3900%
Active				
Facebook				
Users				
(millions)	50	400	800	1500%
Tweets per				
Day				
(thousands)	5	50,000	250,000	50,000%

Source: Facebook.com, HubSpot.com, blog.twitter.com

#### The Online World Stats for 2012



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# "Cutting the Cord" Wireless Substitution

As of 2010 nearly 30% of all U.S. households disconnected their landlines--up from 25% the year before.

(Averaging 1% increase per quarter)

#### Households without landlines

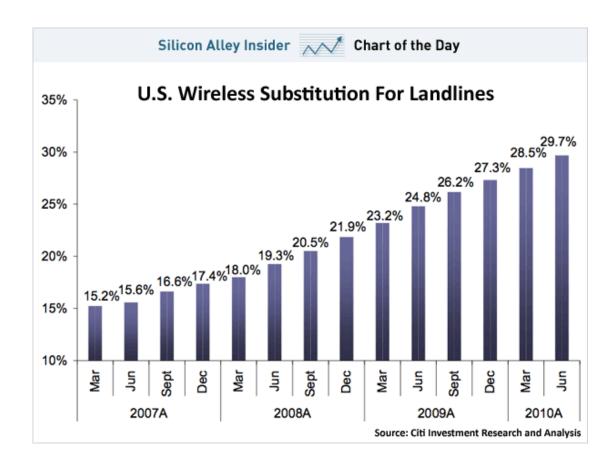
Percentage of U.S. adults and children living in homes that use cell phones as their primary home phone, July 2009-June 2010.

#### Florida:

27.3% (age 18 & older)

34.2% (under 18)

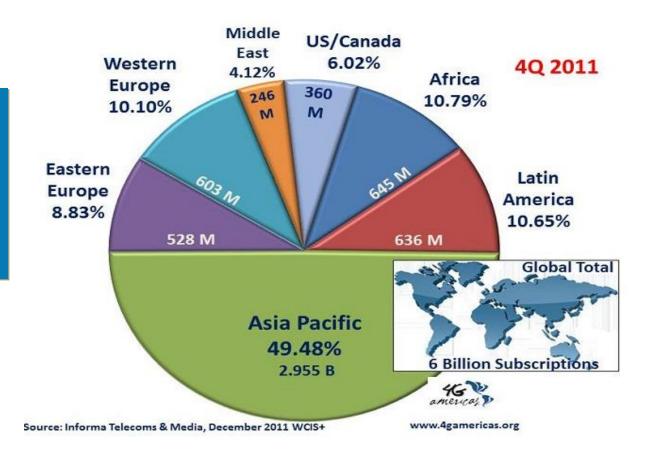
Source: National Center for Health Statistics



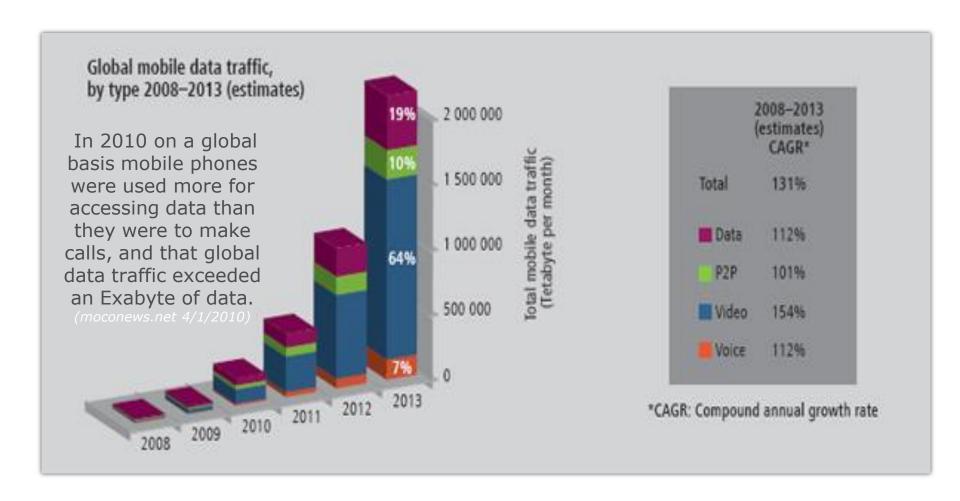
# Worldwide Mobile Subscribers: 6 Billion 4Q2011

#### IN 2010:

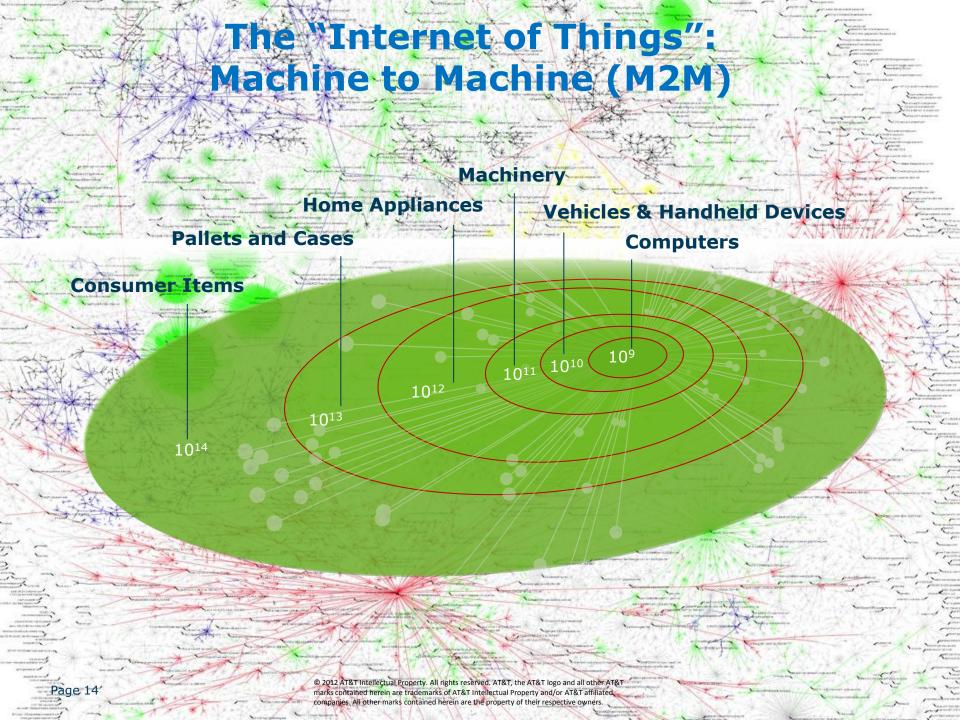
- Strategy Analysts predicted 5.8 billion by 2013
- 286 million mobile phones in US



# Mobile Traffic Estimates: Video in High Demand



Source: Cisco, graph at: www.itu.int/net/itunews/issues/2010/06/35.aspx



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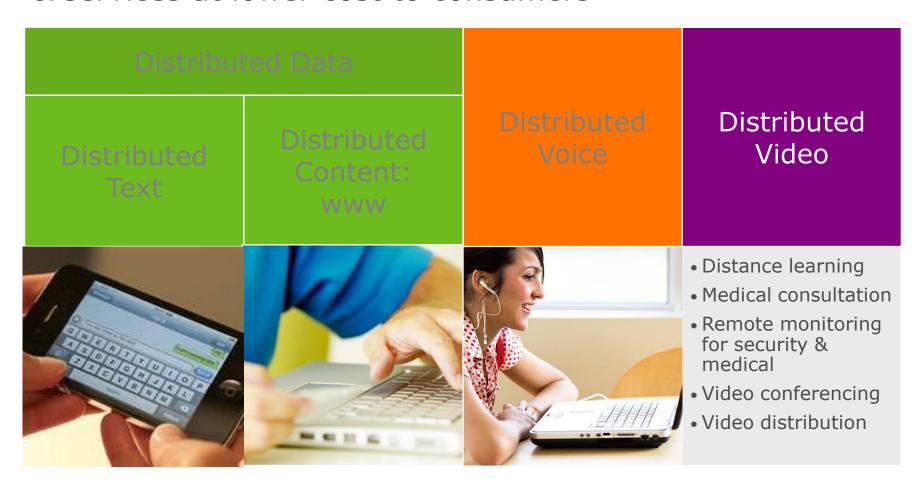


Provides a value-added platform to deliver content & services at lower cost to consumers

## Distributed Data Distributed Video Distributed Text • F-mail Instant messaging Text messaging E-collaboration/ e-work • Blogs

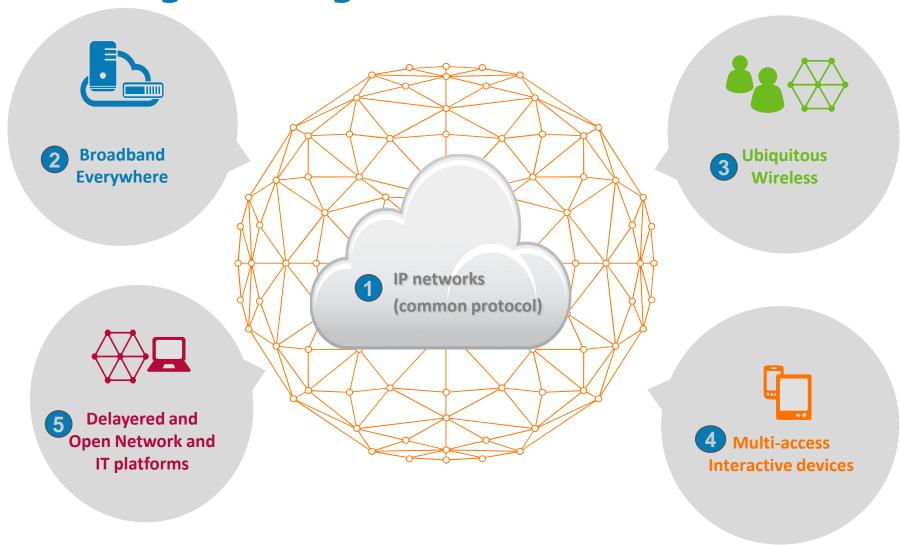




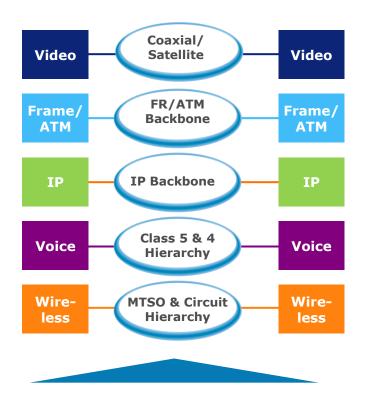


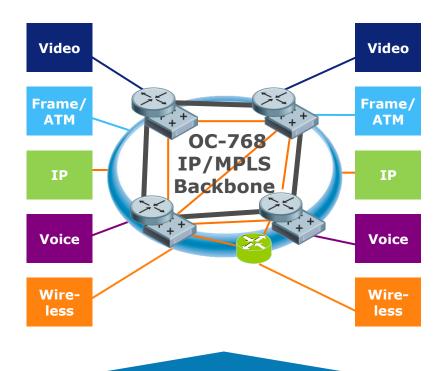
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## Five Major Technology Discontinuities Are Enabling Convergence



## **Network Convergence**





#### The Past

Multiple backbones for each access technology or service

#### **Today**

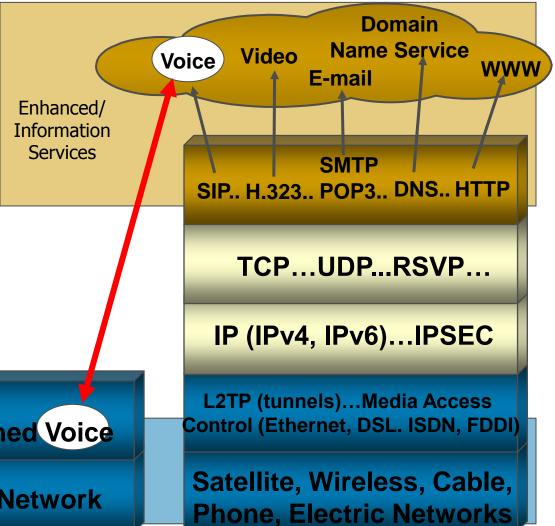
Multiple access technologies & services on one IP-based backbone

Internet Protocol (IP) separates applications from the network:

- Voice is not longer restricted to telephone networks
- Voice becomes another IP data application

Traditional Telecom
Services

Circuit Switched Voice
Public Phone Network



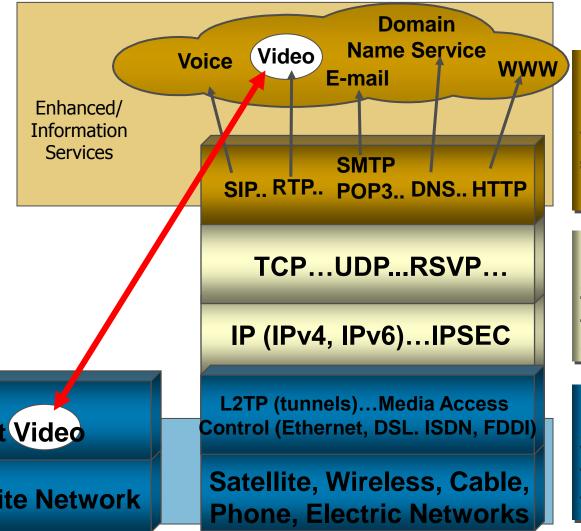
**Application Layer** 

**Logical Layer** 

**Physical Layer** 

Internet Protocol (IP) separates applications from the network:

- Video is not longer restricted to cable or Satellite networks
- Video becomes another IP data application



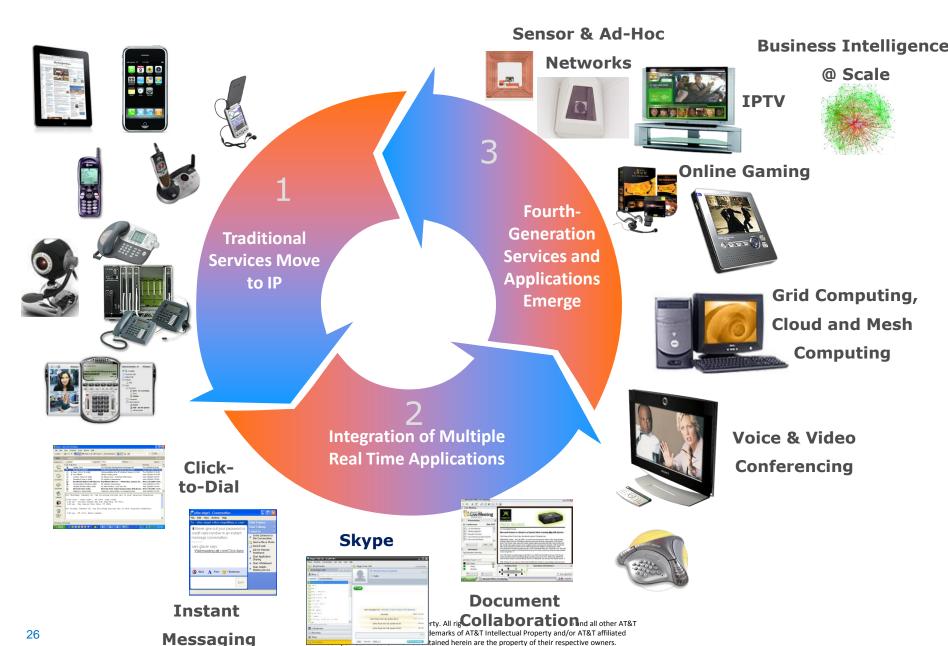
**Traditional** Video Services

**Broadcast Video** 

Cable, Satellite Network

On an IP Network

## **Application/Service Convergence**



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## Delayered Network and IT Platform Enabled by Internet Protocol

#### **Content Layer**

(movies, books, papers, information, etc.)

#### **Application Layer**

(voice, video, web, chat, e-mail, etc.)

#### Logical Layer

(IP addressing, wireless handoffs, etc.

#### **Physical Layer**

(electric, co-axial, copper, wireless, fiber)

Device Layer (phone, PC, tablet, GPS,...)

# IP operates in layers that allow applications to be separated from the infrastructure

- Enables multiple players to enter the market at different layers and compete, stimulating innovation
- The type of the network (electric, co-axial, copper, wireless, fiber) no longer dictates the application or services

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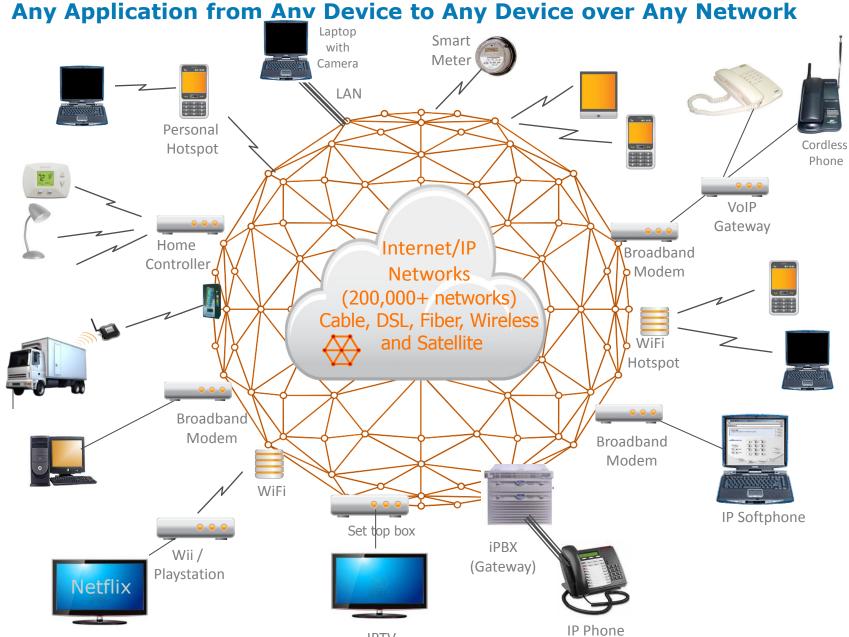
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AT&T U-verse IPTV	Ooma VoIP	Garmin GPS	Amazon Kindle	Skype Video calling	Apple iPad
AT&T / content owners	Ooma/ Phone Number Administ ration	Garmin / map, TMC traffic providers	Amazon / content owners		Apple / content owners
AT&T/ Partners	Ooma	Garmin	Amazon	Skype	Apple/ 100,000s application providers
AT&T/ Partners	Cable & DSL	Satellite & FM radio	Amazon / Global 3G providers	Cable & DSL, Wireless	Apple / AT&T 3G or broadband wifi
AT&T	Cable & DSL	Satellite & FM radio	Amazon / Global 3G providers	Cable & DSL, Wireless	Apple / Global 3G providers or wifi
AT&T / Set top box mfgr	Ooma/ VoiP box mfgr	Garmin GPS	Kindle, PC, MAC, iPhone, Blackberry, iPad, Android	PCs, MAC, camera, cell phone mfrs	Apple iPad

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#### **Realization of the Vision:**

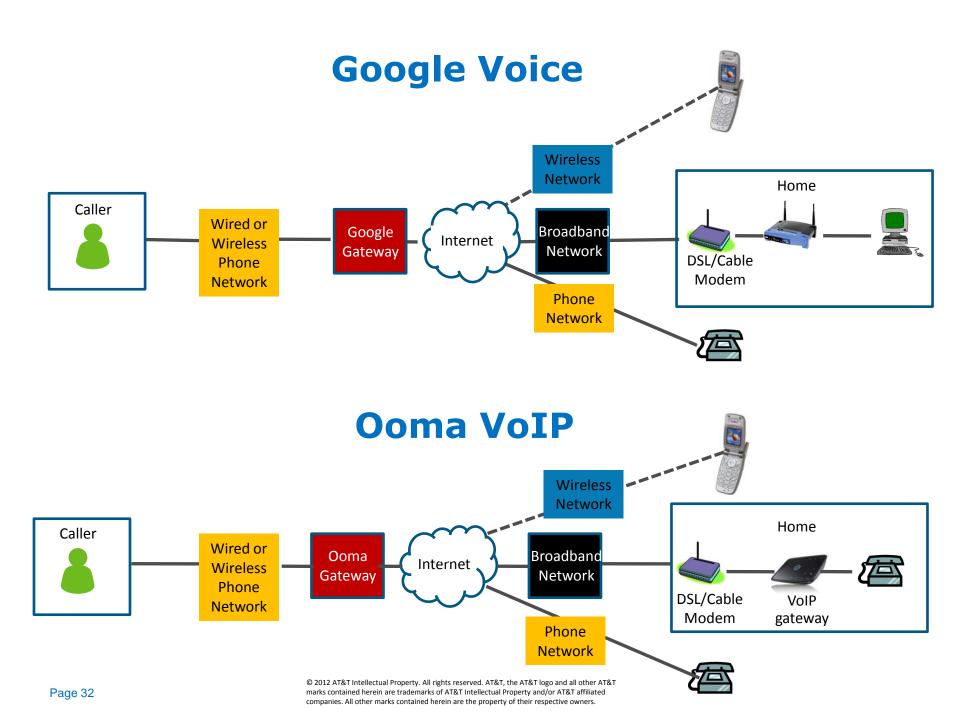




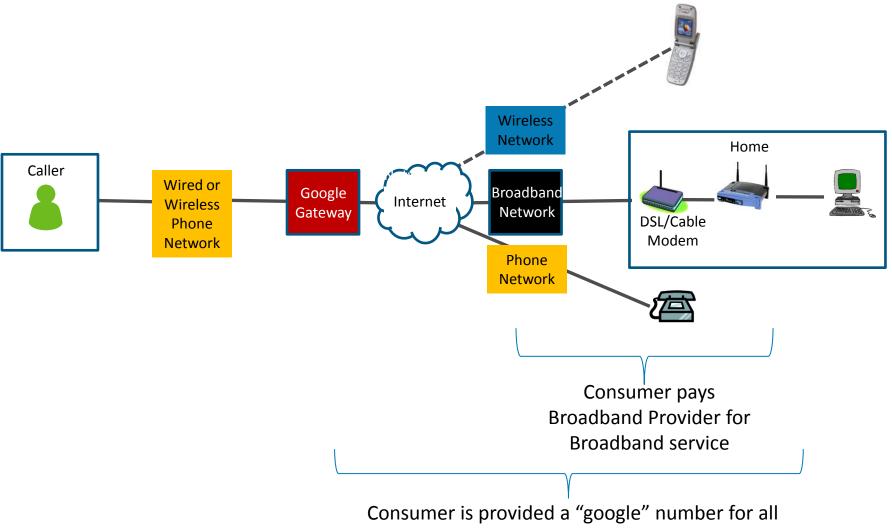
# **Service Comparison Discussions**



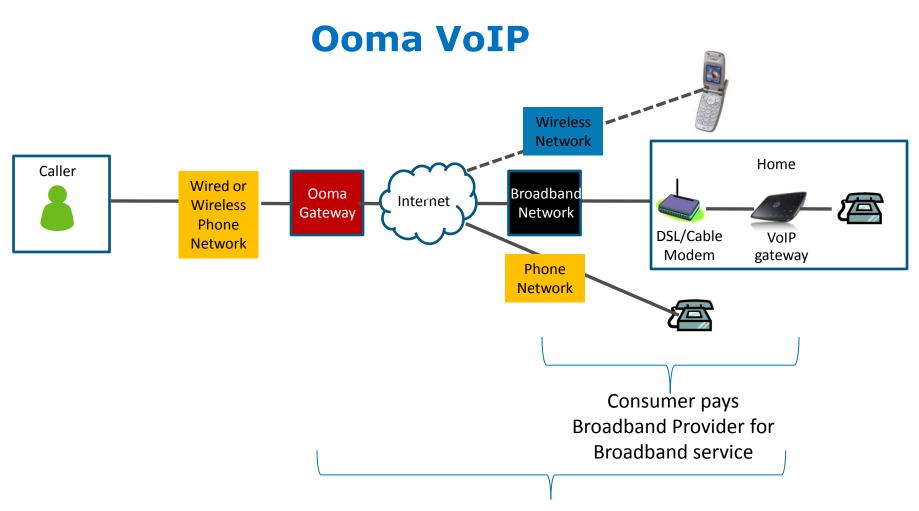
## **Voice over IP**



#### **Google Voice**

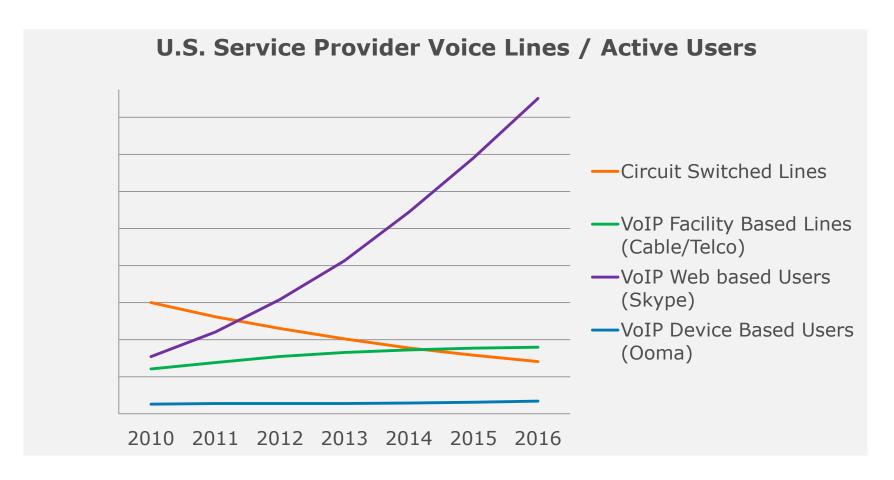


Consumer is provided a "google" number for all devices for free; pays Google for international calls

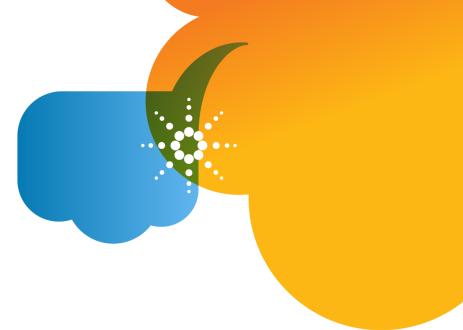


Consumer pays Ooma for (a) device with unlimited US local and LD calling, (b) optional monthly subscription fee for advanced phone features (c) optional rate plan for international calling

#### **U.S. Voice Communications Trend**

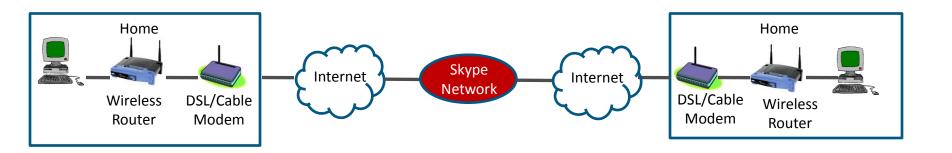


Source: IDC U.S. Voice Communications 2012 - 2016 Forecast © 2012 IDC

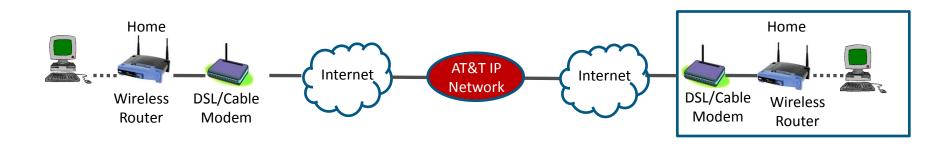


# Video Calling/Conferencing using IP

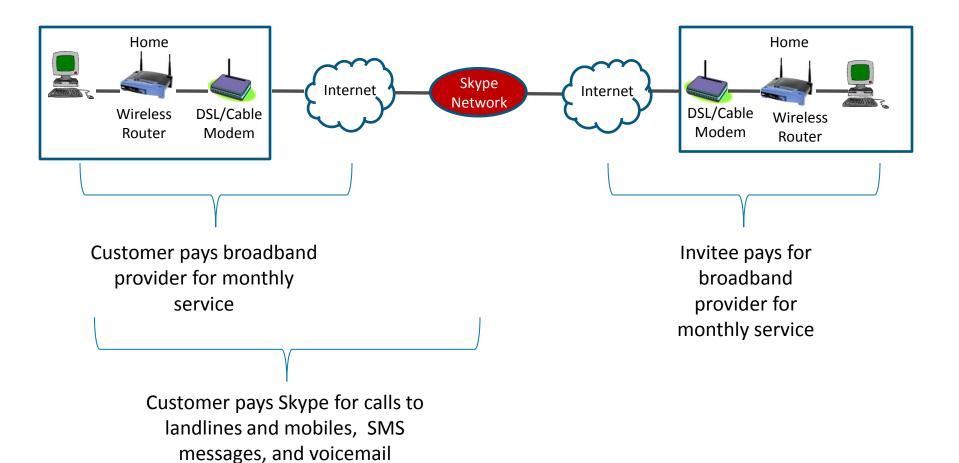
#### **Skype**



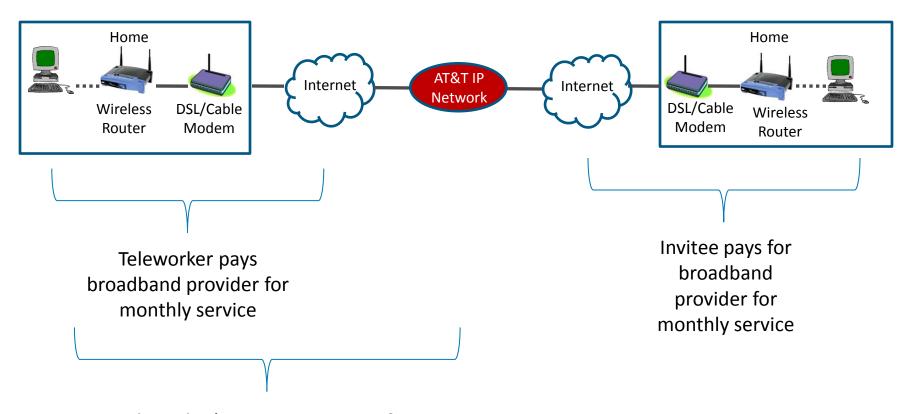
#### **AT&T Connect**



#### Skype



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Teleworker's company pays AT&T a monthly invoice based on contracted rates; have the option to have audio portion via phone

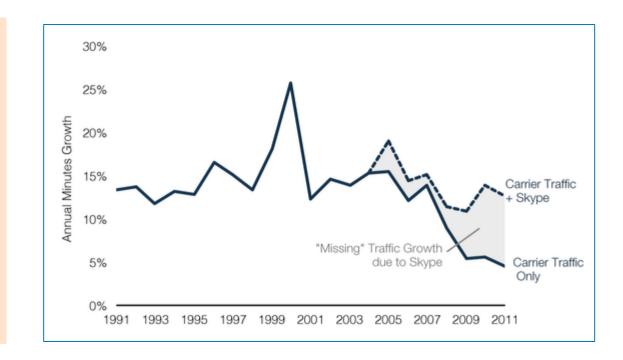
Skype Statistics	
Total number of Skype users as of Jan. 2012	31 million
Average time spent on a Skype conversation	27 minutes
Number of time that active Skype users spend on Skype per month	100 minutes
Total percentage of small businesses that use Skype as primary communication service	35%
Number Skype enabled television sets	50 million
Number of iphone Skype downloads in 2010	7 million
Number of people who have ever used Skype	560 million
Total percentage of Skype calls that are video to video	40%
Average spent yearly by a paying Skype user	\$96
Skype revenue in 2010	\$406.2 million
Number of monthly log-ins to Skype	124 million
Number of monthly paying Skype users	8.1 million
Amount of money spent by Microsoft to acquire Skype	\$8.5 billion

Source: http://statisticbrain.com/skype-statistics/

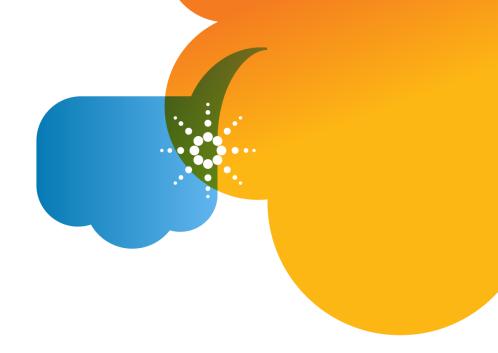
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#### Skype

TeleGeography estimates that cross-border Skypeto-Skype calls (including video calls) grew 48 percent in 2011, **to 145 billion minutes.**TeleGeography estimates that Skype added 47 billion minutes of international traffic in 2011—more than twice as much as all the telephone companies in the world, combined.

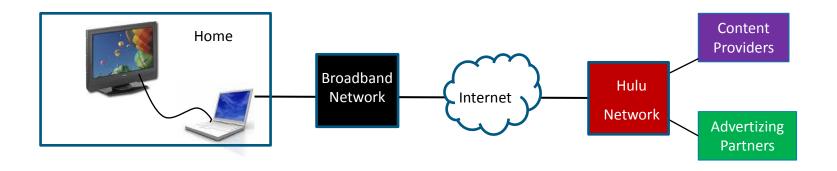


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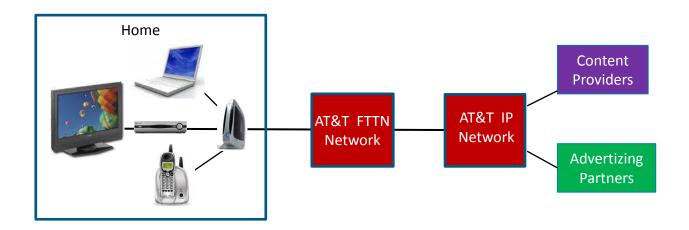


#### **IP Television**

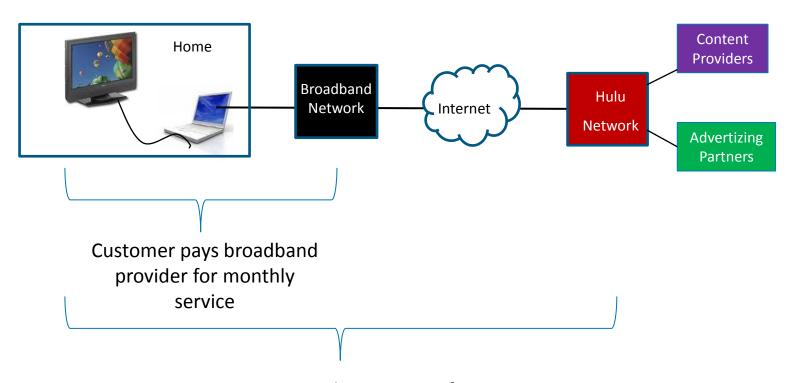
#### **Hulu IP Video**



#### **AT&T U-verse IPTV**

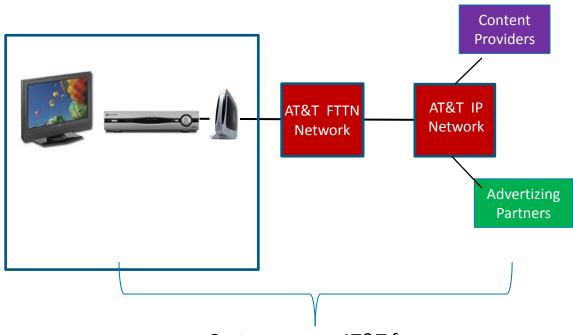


#### **Hulu IP Video**



Customer gets basic service free which includes upfront ad; optional premium service with a monthly charge just announced

#### **AT&T U-verse IPTV**



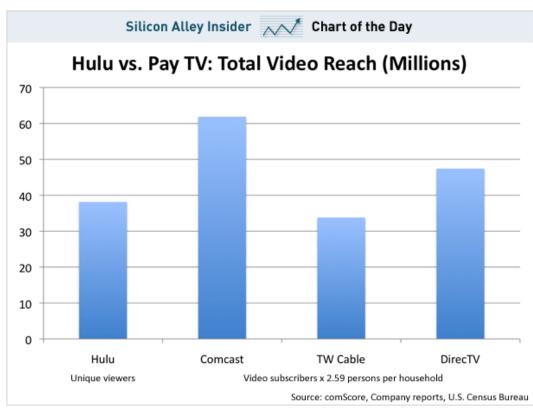
Customer pays AT&T for monthly TV & broadband; VoIP phone optional

## In August of 2009, Hulu had More Viewers than Time Warner Cable

#### Pascal-Emmanuel Gobry October 06, 2011

Hulu Plus is very successful, writes Hulu CEO Jason Kilar. It has now 1 million paying subscribers, and Kilar believes it will soon bring in half of Hulu's revenue.

# Apple, Hulu Reach Collaborative Agreement July 31, 2012 (NASDAQ:AAPL) Apple and Hulu reached an agreement without much fanfare Tuesday, as Hulu began its Hulu Plus streaming service on Apple TV boxes. Hulu joins several other third-party providers – like the NBA, NHL and MLB.TV, among others – to offer its streaming service to Apple TV users.



Source: http://articles.businessinsider.com/2009-08-28/tech/30029893\_1\_hulu-video-platform-time-warner-cable

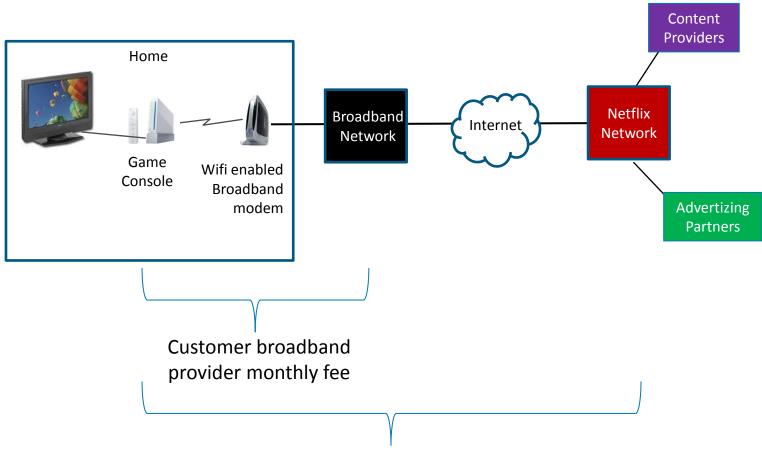
Netflix ended 1Q12 with 22.7 M domestic streaming subscribers and about 3 M international users.

AT&T ended the same quarter with 4 million U-verse TV subscribers.

Verizon reported that it counted 4.4 million FiOS TV subscribers.

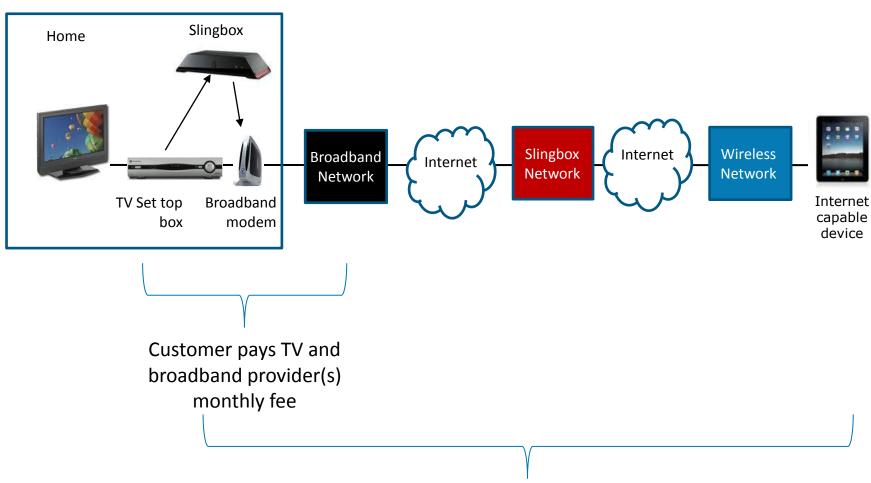
Source: various analyst reports

#### **Netflix "TV" via a Game Console**



Customer purchases a game console and pays Netflix a monthly fee for streaming movies

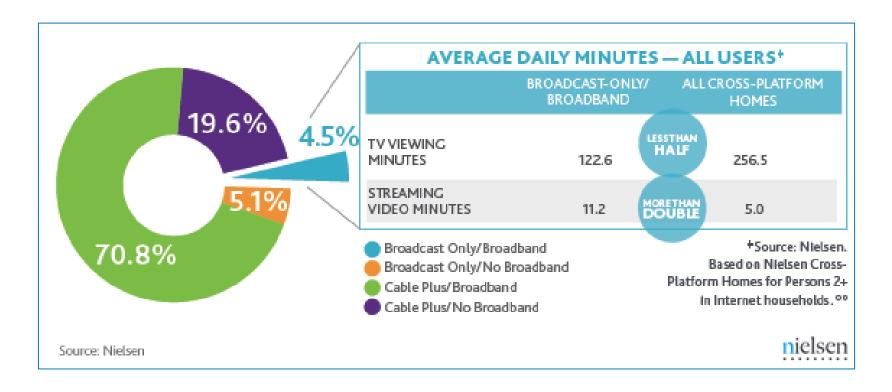
#### **Mobile TV via Slingbox**



Customer purchases Slingbox and Internet capable device. Customer may pay wireless provider a monthly fee.

#### **Cutting the TV Cord – A Growing Trend**

"Though less than 5 percent of TV households, homes with broadband Internet and free, broadcast TV are on the rise—growing 22.8 percent over last year. These households are also found to exhibit interesting video behaviors: they stream video twice as much as the general population and watch half as much TV."



Source: http://blog.nielsen.com/nielsenwire/online\_mobile/report-how-americans-are-spending-their-media-time-and-money/



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