

CONNECTIVITY

The Importance of Connectivity during and after the COVID-19 Crisis

Source: Euractiv

The main goal for connectivity in the EU's Digital Decade is for every European household to have access to high-speed internet coverage by 2025 and gigabit connectivity by 2030. [read more].

REGULATION

EU Roaming Regulation Review: Parliament Lead Industry Committee agrees to start Negotiations with the Council

Source: Cullen International

The European Parliament Lead Industry (ITRE) committee adopted its report on the review of the EU Roaming Regulation on 14 October 2021. [read more – subscription required].

BEREC wants to make EU Broadband Coverage Metrics More Comparable

Source: Cullen International

BEREC, the body assembling European telecoms regulators, considers that further refinement of the EU's broadband coverage indicators is necessary to improve their comparability and usefulness. [read more – subscription required].

TELEVISION

TV's Sustainable Future: A Critical Analysis

Source: Broadband TV News

Chasing higher quality should happen in the production chain not with the consumer, according to Dom Robinson of Greening of Streaming.org. [read more].

CONSUMER

Understanding the Needs of a Next Generation Customer

Source: Total Telecom

"The next generation customer is going to be much more aware of things going on in society – things like the energy crisis, resilience in critical infrastructure, and the interconnectivity between transport, energy, and water," explained Cartwright. "That's all underpinned by the telco network and the data behind that." [read more].

DSA

UK urged to move faster to implement DSA

Source: Policy Tracker

Speakers at a recent meeting organised by the UK's Spectrum Policy Forum said the regulator Ofcom and the government should urgently consider implementing a dynamic spectrum access (DSA) model. [read more – subscription required].

EU Countries reject Strict Deadline for DSA, DMA

Source: Euractiv

A majority of EU countries have succeeded in rejecting the commitment to a tight timeline for an agreement on two key



pieces of digital legislation that would have served well the French government ahead of the presidential elections there in April next year. [read more].

MARKET ANALYSIS

German Regulator presents New Rules for Wholesale Local Access

Source: Cullen International

Telekom Deutschland's new fibre-to-the-home (FTTH) network will be subject only to light regulation based on the principle of non-discrimination with equivalence of inputs (EoI) and an economic replicability test (ERT). [read more – subscription required].