Mobile Cellular Telephone Service

	1983	1984	1988	1992	1996	1998	2000	2001	2004	2006	2009	2011(a)
AT&T II (SBC)										35,0	36,5	44,4
Cingular (c)							18,5	19,9	21,2			
SBC		5,4	6,0	7,4	7,5	11,0	Cingular					
Ameritech		6,5	7,5	6,5	5,5	SBC						
BellSouth		5,2	5,3	6,0	6,0	7,0	Cingular					
Vanguard/Cellular One												
AT&T I (McCaw)	44,5	0,9	2,0	10,8	11,0	12,0	16,0	14,0	14,0	Cingular		
SNET		0,8	0,9	1,0	1,0	0,5	Cingular					
Verizon Wireless (b)							24,4	27,9	27,9	28,0	32,5	32,5
Bell Atlantic		7,6	6,3	8,9	10,0	12,0	Verizon					
Metro Mobile	2,0	3,4	3,2	2,6	2,5	Bell Atlantic						
NYNEX		6,5	6,5	6,5	Bell Atlantic							
GTE Mobilenet/Contel	6,8	6,8	7,3	8,8	9,0	8,0	Verizon					
Vodafone						12,0	Verizon					
Air Touch (Pac Tel)	0,0	7,0	7,1	10,3	11,0	Vodafone						
US West New Vector	0,0	5,5	4,1	3,9	Airtouch							
MCI				1,6	2,0		0,2	0,1	0,1	Verizon		
Alltel	1,4	1,4	1,2	1,8	2,0	6,0	5,7	6,5	6,5	6,5	Verizon	
Sprint Nextel	1,0	1,0	1,0	4,6	5,0	6,0	7,5	11,2	11,2	18,9	16,8	16,8
Centel			4,5	3,5	Sprint							
Nextel				3,1	3,9	4,7	5,5	7,7	7,7	Sprint		
T-Mobile							4,3	5,9	5,9	5,9	7,9	AT&T
Voicestream					0,2	2,0	T-Mobile					
Century	1,2	1,2	1,0	0,4	0,3	1,0	0,8	0,7	0,7	0,7		
US Cellular(TDS)				0,9	1,0	3,0	2,8	3,3	3,3	3,3	2,1	2,1
Leap Wireless											1,0	1,0
Metro PCS											2,2	2,2
Other	43,1	40,8	36,1	11,4	22,1	14,8	14,3	2,8	1,5	1,7	1,0	1,0
Total subs		0,1	2,1	16,0	44,0	69,2	109,4	128,4	182,1	194,6	285,6	302,9
US Total Revenue ($mil)	200	340	1.959	12.253	26.415	36.633	51.908	61.051	102.121	108.535	152.600	159.900
C4	54,7	27,9	28,4	38,8	41,0	47,0	53,6	72,9	74,3	88,4	93,7	95,9
HHI	2.035	341	362	627	602	774	1.340	1.642	1.697	2.455	2.744	3.320

(a) 2011 figures illustrate only AT&T's pending (2011) acquisition of T-Mobile; all other data remain the same. (b) Vodaphone owns 45% of Verizon Wireless. (c) In 2006, SBC acquired Bell South and its part of Cingular (60%). *Notes* : 2011 revenue number is based on 2010 figure. It merged these wireless operations with the acquired from AT&T and renamed all of it AT&T Mobil. AT&T, prior to the 1984 divestiture, owned the RBOC licenses for mobile telephony and transferred them to these firms in 1984. It acquired McCaw in 1994. Bell Atlantic and NYNEX merged their cellular operations in 1995. d In 1991, GTE Mobilnet merged with Contel Cellular. Sprint acquired Centel in 1993, then spun it off to create 360 Degrees Communications in 1995. Voicestream (1999) was spun off from Western Wireless and acquired Omnipoint Communications and Aerial Communications in 2000. T-Mobile bought Suncom for $2.4 billion in 2008. U.S. Cellualr Corp is owned by TDS (80.9%), an LEC that serves about 28 states. CTIA Wireless Quickfacts, April 2006. Available at http://files.ctia.org/pdf/Wireless_Quick_Facts_April_06.pdf. Verizon wireless acquired Alltel in 2008/9 for $28.1 billion, giving it, for 2009, about 33% of the US market. Alltel had bought in 2007 Western Wireless for $6 billion. 2009 data: The number of subscribers for each company was aquired from the individual company's websites, annual reports, and press releases, with the exception of US Cellular(TDS) which was aquired from the website *MobileBurn* : Haselton, Todd. "U.S. Cellular reports Q1 2010 figures, Sees Flat Subscriber Growth," May 10, 2010. Last accessed on 12 July 2010 at http://www.mobileburn.com/news.jsp?Id=9408 . The total number of subscibers was found at CTIA.org. 2009 revenue data: *Standard & Poor's Industry Surveys* (Telecommunications - Wireless): http://www.netadvantage.standardpoor.com/NASApp/NetAdvantage/showIndustrySurveyPDF.do?loadIndSurFromMenu=pdf. Last accessed August 23, 2010. CTIA, The Wireless Association: http://www.ctia.org/advocacy/research/index.cfm/aid/10323. Last accessed July 15, 2011.