

# **Comparison of Monthly Charges for Broadband Internet Access in Regulated Member Countries**

**Table A.8.1 Comparison of Monthly Charges for Entry Level Broadband Internet Access in Regulated Member Countries**

Country	Service Provider	Service	Techn.	Speed (Kbps)		US \$/month	Inst. US\$	Features
				Down	Up			
Switzerland	Swisscom	Bluewin ADSL 150	ADSL	150	50	7.40		+ \$ 2/hour of usage ; 5 e-mail addresses, anti virus, spam filter, etc.
Colombia	Colombia Telecom	Plan Velocidad 256	ADSL	256	128	14.00		
Mexico	Cableaccess		Cable	80		14.00	50.30	One time US\$ 57.80 charge for non TV subscribers
Argentina	Ciudad (Grupo Clarin)	Flash	Cable	128		14.60		With cable TV subscription; 30 MB web hosting; anti spam; anti virus; 1 e-mail address
Mexico	Cableaccess		Cable	150		17.50	50.30	One time US\$ 57.80 charge for non TV subscribers
Argentina	Telefonica	Speedy 256K	ADSL	256		17.80	0	3 e-mail addresses; web hosting 30 MB
Finland	Elisa Comm.	Elisa ADSL	ADSL	256	256	21.00		
Colombia	ETB	Banda Ancha 150	ADSL	150		21.30		
Brazil	Brasil Telecom	Turbo Lite	ADSL	150	64	22.10	28.70	50 hr/month usage limit
Canada	Bell Canada	Basic Lite	ADSL	128		22.40		Cheaper for the first year; certain features such as anti virus, spam filters etc are given free for the first 3 months; better rates can be negotiated
Canada	Rogers	Ultra lite	Cable	128	64	22.50		
Colombia	ETB	ADSL Servicio Residencial	ADSL	150		24.30	13.25	1 yr contract
Colombia	TV Cable	Cable Servicio Residencial	Cable	300	100	24.80	0	1 yr contract
Costa Rica	ICE		ADSL	128	64	24.90		
Sweden	Telia	Upp till o,25	ADSL	250	128	25.00		
Chile	Telefonica (CTC)	Speedy 128	ADSL	128	64	26.70		1 year contract
Chile	GTD Manquehue	Fastnet 128 Hogar	ADSL	128		28.00		

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Colombia	Telecom	ADSL	ADSL	128	64	28.80	13.25	1 yr contract
Chile	TELMEX	TELMEX ADSL Full	ADSL	128	64	28.80		
Republica Dominicana	Verizon Dominicana	Internet Flash	ADSL	384	128	29.80		
Barbados	C&W Barbados	ADSL 256	ADSL	256	64	31.60		
Peru	Telefonica del Peru	Speedy	ADSL	200	128	31.90		
Paraguay	Tigo	IW Cablelan	Cable	64		32.90	132.00	
Colombia	Telecom	ADSL	ADSL	256	128	33.12	13.25	1 yr contract
Uruguay	Antel	256 Libre	ADSL	256	64	35.80		
Chile	TELMEX	TELMEX ADSL Full	ADSL	200	64	36.00		
Chile	Entel	200 Empresas	ADSL	200		38.10	0	
Chile	GTD Manquehue	Fastnet 200 Hogar	ADSL	200		38.20		
Bolivia	COTAS		ADSL	128		39.00		
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Fast Boy	ADSL	128	64	39.90	50.00	
Jamaica	C&W Jamaica	Lite	ADSL	128	64	40.00		
Jamaica	C&W Jamaica	Classic	ADSL	256	128	40.00		
Brazil	NET (Telmex)	Virtua	Cable	300	128	41.40		
Cayman Islands	Cable & Wireless Cayman	ADSL 256	ADSL	256	128	48.00		
Cayman Islands	TeleCayman	256/128 unbundled	BWA	256	128	48.00		
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Corporativo	ADSL	128	64	49.90	50.00	
Bolivia	AXS	Post Pago	ADSL	256		50.00		
Ecuador	Ecuanel		ADSL	128	64	50.00	60.00	
Cayman Islands	WestTel	Speed Saver	BWA	256	256	52.80		
St. Lucia	C&W	XNET 256	ADSL	256	128	54.70		
Grenada	C&W	XNET 256	ADSL	256	128	54.70		
Bolivia	COTAS		ADSL	256		55.00		
Jamaica	N5	Wireless	MMDS	256	128	55.00		

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Republica Dominicana	Tricom	Turbo ADSL	ADSL	128	128	57.00		
Belize	Channel Broadcasting	128K	Cable	128	56	59.00		
Belize	BTL	DSL	ADSL	128	64	60.00		
Paraguay	Tigo	Banda Ancha Hogar	Pre-WiMAX	64		64.90		4 PCs, 128 Kbps download speed at night
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Fast Boy	ADSL	256	128	65.00	50.00	
Trinidad & Tobago	TSTT	Residential High Speed Access	ADSL	256	64	70.50		
Jamaica	Kasnet	Res. Silver	MMDS	256	128	75.00		
Ecuador	Ecuanel		ADSL	256	128	75.00	75.00	
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Corporativo	ADSL	256	64	79.90	50.00	
Republica Dominicana	Tricom	Turbo ADSL	ADSL	256	256	82.50		
Antigua & Barbuda	C&W	Select	BWA	256	64	91.40		
Paraguay	Tigo	Banda Ancha PYMES	Pre-WiMAX	128		108.90		For cybercafés with up to 10 PCs
Trinidad & Tobago	TSTT	Business 1	ADSL	128	64	184.00		
Paraguay	Tigo	Banda Ancha Empresariales	Pre-WiMAX	256		209.00		

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Country	Service Provider	Service	Techn.	Speed (Kbps)		US \$/month	Inst. US\$	Features
				Down	Up			
Bahamas	Coralwave	GEO	Cable	1,000	256	10.70		Limited to 10 hrs/month
USA	Verizon		ADSL	768	128	15.00		1 year contract
Bahamas	Coralwave	Jazz	Cable	1,000	256	21.70		No time limited
Germany	Deutsche Telecom	T-DSL 1000	ISDN (?)	1,024	128	21.80		
Argentina	Telecom	Arnet 640 Megas	ADSL	640	128	22.70	0	Discount for first year; anti virus, anti spam, web hosting, 3 e-mail addresses
Argentina	Ciudad (Grupo Clarin)	Flash ADSL	ADSL	640		24.30		Includes anti-spam, anti-virus, technical support, web space, etc.
Canada	Videotron	Basic Internet	Cable	600	128	24.30		1 year contract; limited to 1 GB in each direction
Argentina	Telefonica	Speedy 512K	ADSL	512		25.90	0	3 e-mail addresses; web hosting 30 MB
Finland	Elisa Comm.	Elisa Adsl	ADSL	1,000	512	29.00		
Argentina	Telefonica	Speedy 1 M	ADSL	1,024		29.10	0	10 e-mail addresses; web hosting 30 MB
France	FT	Internet 512	ADSL	512	128	30.00		
Canada	Bell Canada	Basic	ADSL	1,000		31.30		Cheaper for the first year; certain features such as anti virus, spam filters etc are given free for the first 3 months; better rates can be negotiated
Canada	Rogers	Highspeed lite	Cable	1,000	128	31.50		
Argentina	Ciudad (Grupo Clarin)	Flash Cablemodem	Cable	1,024		34.20	0	With cable subscription.; 1 e-mail address; 30 MB web hosting; anti spam; antivirus incl.
El Salvador	CTE Telecom	Turbonet	ADSL	512		35.00		Does not include sales tax.
Mexico	Cableaccess		Cable	600		35.10	50.30	One time US\$ 57.80 charge for non TV subscribers
Brazil	Brasil Telecom	Turbo 400	ADSL	400	200	35.30	28.70	
Colombia	TV Cable	Servicio Residencial	Cable	500	150	36.17	0	1 year contract

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Colombia	Colombia Telecom	Plan Velocidad 1,024	ADSL	1,024	512	37.20		Includes anti spam and a number of other additional services
Chile	GTD Manquehue	Fastnet 600 Hogar	ADSL	600		38.20		
Venezuela	CANTV	ABA	ADSL	512	128	38.70		Taxes not included
Jamaica	C&W Jamaica	Delux	ADSL	1,024	256	40.00		
Colombia	ETB	Banda Ancha 600	ADSL	600		41.40		
Brazil	Telefonica	Speedy	ADSL	500	128	43.40		
Peru	Telefonica del Peru	Speedy	ADSL	600	256	45.80		
Chile	Telefonica (CTC)	Speedy 600	ADSL	600	128	46.20		1 year contract
Chile	TELMEX	TELMEX ADSL Full	ADSL	600	128	47.00		
Chile	Entel	600 Empresas		600		47.20	0	
Venezuela	CANTV	ABA	ADSL	1,024	512	47.40		Taxes not included
Republica Dominicana	Verizon Dominicana	Internet Flash	ADSL	768	512	49.80		
Chile	Entel	WILL Empresas	WLL	512	128	50.10		
Mexico	Telmex			1,200		52.60	50.30	One time US\$ 57.80 charge for non TV subscribers
Colombia	ETB	Servicio Corporativo	ADSL	600		53.00	22.08	1 year contract
Chile	TELMEX	TELMEX ADSL Full	ADSL	1,024	256	56.10		
Chile	Telefonica (CTC)	Speedy 1 Mbs	ADSL	1,024	256	56.90		1 year contract
Colombia	ETB	Banda Ancha 1000	ADSL	1,000		58.00		
Chile	Entel	1024 Empresas		1,024		58.10	0	
Chile	GTD Manquehue	Fastnet 1300Hogar	ADSL	1,300		58.30		
Mexico	Alestra (AT&T)		ADSL	1,024		60.30		
Cayman Islands	WestTel	Bronze	BWA	512	256	64.80		

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Colombia	ETB	Servicio Residencial	ADSL	1,000		66.20	13.25	1 year contract
Cayman Islands	TeleCayman	512/256 unbundled	BWA	512	256	69.60		
Cayman Islands	Cable & Wireless Cayman	ADSL 512	ADSL	512	256	70.80		
Costa Rica	ICE		ADSL	512	128	72.30		
St. Lucia	C&W	XNET 512	ADSL	512	128	73.00		
Grenada	C&W	XNET 512	ADSL	512	128	73.00		
Ecuador	Ecuanet		ADSL	512	128	75.00	120.00	
Cayman Islands	WestTel	Silver	BWA	1,024	512	76.80		
Uruguay	Antel	768 Empresariales	ADSL	768	192	78.18		
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Fastboy	ADSL	512	128	79.99	50.00	
Colombia	Colombia Telecom		ADSL	640	384	83.90	35.33	1 year contract
Barbados	C&W Barbados	ADSL 768	ADSL	768	128	86.30		
Colombia	ETB	Servicio Corporativo	ADSL	1,000		88.30	33.12	1 year contract
Bolivia	AXS	Post Pago	ADSL	512		95.00		
Costa Rica	ICE		ADSL	1,024	256	98.30		
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Corporativo	ADSL	512	256	99.90	50.00	
Mexico	Alestra (AT&T)		ADSL	1,300		100.70		
Peru	Telefonica del Peru	Speedy	ADSL	1200	256	103.80		
Colombia	Colombia Telecom		ADSL	832	416	106.00	35.33	1 year contract
Colombia	TV Cable	Servicio Corporativo	Cable	1,200	500	110.40	0	1 year contract
Bolivia	AXS	Post Pago	ADSL	768		120.00		
Republica Dominicana	Tricom	Turbo ADSL	ADSL	512	512	132.00		
Mexico	Telmex	Protegy	ADSL	512		136.10		Anti virus included
Grenada	C&W	XNET 768	ADSL	768	256	139.10		
Colombia	Colombia Telecom		ADSL	1,024	512	154.56	35.33	1 year contract
Mexico	Telmex			1,000		161.30		Anti virus included

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Antigua & Barbuda	C&W	Premium	BWA	512	128	183.10		
Uruguay	Antel	1,024 Empresariales	ADSL	1,024	256	192.50		
Bolivia	COTAS		ADSL	1,024		195.00		
Mexico	Telmex			1,300		201.70		Anti virus included
St. Lucia	C&W	XNET 1544	ADSL	1,544	512	219.80		
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Corporativo	ADSL	1,024	512	230.00	50.00	
Belize	BTL	DSL	ADSL	1,024	256	265.00		
Grenada	C&W	XNET 768 (Business)	ADSL	768	256	307.90		
Paraguay	Tigo	Banda Ancha Empresariales	Pre- WiMAX	512		330.00		
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Corporativo	ADSL	1,536	384	350.00	50.00	
Antigua & Barbuda	C&W	Delux	BWA	1,024	256	366.60		
Trinidad & Tobago	TSTT	Business 4	ADSL	512	128	467.72		
Paraguay	Tigo	Banda Ancha Empresariales	Pre- WiMAX	1,024		506.00		

**Table A.8.3 Comparison of Monthly Charges for Upper Range Broadband Internet Access in Regulated Member Countries**

Country	Service Provider	Service	Techn.	Speed (Kbps)		US \$/month	Inst. US\$	Features
				Down	Up			
Germany	Deutsche Telecom	T-DSL 2000	ISDN (?)	2,048	192	25.60		
Netherlands	KPN	Direct ADSL GO	ADSL	1,500	256	27.70	94.50	Free wireless modem
USA	Verizon		ADSL	3,000	768	30.00		1 year contract
USA	Comcast		Cable	6,000	768	30.00		
Germany	Deutsche Telecom	T-DSL 6000	ISDN (?)	6,016	576	32.00		
UK	British Telecom	BT Broadband Option 1	ADSL	8,000		33.50		2 GB monthly maximum; 1 yr contract, anti phishing, anti virus, spam filter, etc.
Argentina	Telefonica	Speedy 2 MB	ADSL	2,048	256	34.40	0	10 e-mail addresses; web hosting 30 MB
Spain	Jazztel	Hasta 20 M	ADSL	20,480	1,024	35.00		
Argentina	Telecom	Arnet 2.5 Megas	ADSL	2,5 MB	256	35.60	0	Discount for first 4 months; Anti virus, anti spam, web hosting, 3 e-mail addresses
Argentina	Ciudad (Grupo Clarin)	Flash ADSL	ADSL	2,500		37.60		Includes anti-spam, anti-virus, technical support, web space, etc.
Bahamas	Coralwave	Lite	Cable	2,000	512	37.70		
Netherlands	KPN	Direct ADSL Lite	ADSL	3,000	512	37.80	94.50	Free wireless modem
Canada	Bell Canada	Sympatico	ADSL	3,000	800	38.00		
Germany	Deutsche Telecom	T-DSL 16000	ISDN (?)	16,000	1,024	38.40		
Switzerland	Swisscom	Bluewin ADSL 2000	ADSL	2000	100	40.20		5 e-mail addresses, anti virus, spam filter, etc.
Canada	Rogers	Highspeed express	Cable	5,000	384	42.30		
UK	British Telecom	BT Broadband Option 2	ADSL	8,000		42.80		6 GB monthly maximum; 1 yr contract, anti phishing, anti virus, spam filter, etc.

**Table A.8.3 Comparison of Monthly Charges for Upper Range Broadband Internet Access in Regulated Member Countries**

				Speed (Kbps)				
Canada	Bell Canada	High speed Ultra	ADSL	5,000		44.80		Cheaper for the first year; certain features such as anti virus, spam filters etc are given free for the first 3 months; better rates can be negotiated
Canada	Rogers	Highspeed extreme	Cable	6,000	800	45.00		
Argentina	Telecom	Arnet 5 Megas	ADSL	5 MB	256	48.00	0	Discount for first 4 months; Anti virus, anti spam, web hosting, 3 e-mail addresses
Jamaica	C&W Jamaica	Business Delux	ADSL	2,048	512	50.00		
Argentina	Ciudad (Grupo Clarin)	Flash ADSL	ADSL	5,000		50.40		Includes anti-spam, anti-virus, technical support, web space, etc.
Bahamas	Coralwave	Groove	Cable	3,000	768	55.70		
UK	British Telecom	BT Broadband Option 4	ADSL	8,000		55.80		40 GB monthly maximum; 1 yr contract, anti phishing, anti virus, spam filter, etc.
Switzerland	Swisscom	Bluewin ADSL 3500	ADSL	3500	300	56.60		5 e-mail addresses, anti virus, spam filter, etc.
Canada	Videotron	Extreme high speed	Cable	10,000	900	58.50		1 year contract
Netherlands	KPN	Direct ADSL Basic	ADSL	6,000	768	63.00	94.50	Free wireless modem
Chile	Telefonica (CTC)	Speedy 2 Mbs	ADSL	2,048	256	69.30		1 year contract
Republica Dominicana	Verizon Dominicana	Internet Flash	ADSL	1,536	128	70.30		
Chile	TELMEX	TELMEX ADSL Full	ADSL	2,048	256	70.60		
Chile	Entel	2048 Empresas		2,048		70.80	0	
Chile	GTD Manquehue	Fastnet 2000 Hogar	ADSL	2,000		71.00		
Canada	Videotron	Extreme plus	Cable	16,000	1,000	72.10		1 year contract

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				Speed (Kbps)				
Netherlands	KPN	Direct ADSL Extra	ADSL	12,000	1,1024	94.50	94.50	Free wireless modem
Mexico	Cableaccess		Cable	1,500		99.10		
Argentina	Telefonica	Speedy 5 MB	ADSL	5 MB	256	103.80	0	3 e-mail addresses; web hosting 30 MB
Barbados	C&W Barbados	ADSL 256	ADSL	1,544	256	108.10		
Cayman Islands	WestTel	Gold	BWA	1,544	512	112.80		
Cayman Islands	TeleCayman	1.5/512 unbundled	BWA	1,544	512	117.60		
Cayman Islands	Cable & Wireless Cayman	ADSL 1544	ADSL	1,544	512	118.80		
Colombia	ETB	Banda Ancha 2000	ADSL	2,000		124.50		
Colombia	TV Cable	Servicio Corporativo	Cable	2,000	600	154.60	0	
Colombia	Colombia Telecom		ADSL	2,024	512	154.60	35.33	1 year contract
Venezuela	CANTV	ABA	ADSL	1,536	512	163.30		Taxes not included
Dominica	C&W	XNET 1544	ADSL	1,544	512	183.10		
Costa Rica	ICE		ADSL	2,048	256	204.50		
St. Lucia	C&W	XNET 1544	ADSL	1,544	512	219.80		
St. Vincent & The Grenadines	C&W	XNET 1544	ADSL	1,544	512	238.20		
Republica Dominicana	Tricom	Turbo ADSL	ADSL	1,536	768	244.40		
St. Kitts & Nevis	C&W	XNET 1544	ADSL	1,544	512	256.00		
Grenada	C&W	XNET 1544	ADSL	1,544	512	256.50		
Antigua & Barbuda	C&W	XNET 1544	ADSL	1,544	256	292.50		
Antigua & Barbuda	C&W	XNET 1544 (Business)	ADSL	1,544	256	421.70		
Grenada	C&W	XNET 1544 (Business)	ADSL	1,544	256	440.00		
Ecuador	AndinaNet	Corporativo	ADSL	2,048	512	450.00	50.00	
Mexico	Alestra		ADSL	2,000		458.80		

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				Speed (Kbps)				
Mexico	Telmex	Protegy ADSL	ADSL	2,000		564.90		
Trinidad & Tobago	TSTT	Business 6	ADSL	1,544	256	663.35		