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## ACCESSES

*Unaudited figures (thousands)*

	2012	September 2011	% Chg
Final Clients Accesses	308,141.0	294,536.6	4.6
Fixed telephony accesses (1)	39,821.9	40,447.6	(1.5)
Internet and data accesses	19,364.6	19,005.6	1.9
Narrowband	686.8	1,031.3	(33.4)
Broadband (2)	18,524.0	17,817.3	4.0
Other (3)	153.8	157.0	(2.1)
Mobile accesses (4)	245,636.9	231,874.9	5.9
Prepay (5)	165,768.9	157,072.3	5.5
Contract (6)	79,867.9	74,802.6	6.8
Pay TV (7)	3,317.7	3,208.5	3.4
Wholesale Accesses	5,653.5	5,180.0	9.1
Unbundled loops	3,204.2	2,799.1	14.5
Shared ULL	189.6	215.0	(11.8)
Full ULL	3,014.7	2,584.1	16.7
Wholesale ADSL (8)	809.3	822.3	(1.6)
Other (9)	1,640.0	1,558.6	5.2
Total Accesses	313,794.5	299,716.6	4.7

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## MOBILE ACCESSES

*Unaudited figures (thousands)*

	2012	September 2011	% Chg
Prepay percentage (%)	67.5%	67.7%	(0.3 p.p.)
Contract percentage (%)	32.5%	32.3%	0.3 p.p.
MBB accesses ( 000)	47,661.8	34,031.9	40.1%
MBB penetration (%)	19%	15%	4.7 p.p.
Smartphone penetration (%)	17%	11%	5.5 p.p.

Notes:

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*PSTN (including Public Use Telephony) x1; ISDN Basic access x1; ISDN Primary access; 2/6 Access x30. Company's accesses for internal use and total fixed wireless included. Includes VoIP and Naked ADSL. Since the first quarter of 2012, fixed telephony accesses include 384 thousand VoIP customers in Germany and 65 thousand fixed lines in UK to homogenize these accesses to the criteria of Telefónica.*

- (2) ADSL, satellite, optical fiber, cable modem and broadband circuits.*
- (3) Retail circuits other than broadband.*
- (4) First quarter of 2012 includes the disconnection of 2.0 million inactive accesses in Spain.*
- (5) First quarter of 2012 includes the disconnection of 1.2 million inactive accesses in Spain. Additionally, 360 thousand inactive accesses were disconnected in Chile in the third quarter of 2011. In Brazil, 1.0 million inactive accesses were disconnected in the fourth quarter of 2011 and 1.6 million inactive accesses in the second quarter of 2012.*
- (6) First quarter of 2012 includes the disconnection of 800 thousand inactive accesses in Spain.*
- (7) Includes 150 thousand clients of TVA in June 2011.*
- (8) Includes ULL rented by T. Germany and T. UK.*
- (9) Circuits for other operators. Includes Wholesale Line Rental (WLR) in Spain.*

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**Consolidated Results**

Beginning in January 2012, Telefónica's consolidated results are reported in line with the new corporate structure approved in September 2011 that contemplates two regional business units, Telefónica Europe and Telefónica Latinoamérica, and two global business units, Telefónica Digital and Telefónica Global Resources.

Telefónica's management model, regional and integrated, means that the legal structure of the companies is not relevant for the release of Group financial information, and therefore, the operating results of each of these business units are presented independently, regardless of their legal structure.

For the purpose of presenting information on a regional basis, revenue and expenses arising from invoicing among companies within Telefónica's perimeter of consolidation for the use of the brand and management contracts have been excluded from the operating results for each Group region, while centrally-managed projects are included at the regional level. This breakdown of the results does not affect Telefónica's consolidated earnings.

In line with this reorganisation, Telefónica has included in the Telefónica Latinoamérica and Telefónica Europe regional business units all information pertaining to fixed, mobile, cable, data, Internet and television businesses based on their respective locations. The "Other companies" heading includes the global business units Telefónica Digital and Telefónica Global Resources, which are not taken into account for segmental reporting, the Atento business, as well as other Group subsidiaries and eliminations from the consolidation process.

As of 1 January 2012, Telefónica Europe's consolidation perimeter encompasses Telefónica España, with the exception of Tuenti and Terra España. Conversely, Telefónica International Wholesale Services (TIWS), Telefónica North America (TNA) and Jajah are excluded. The latter three companies are now listed under the "Other Companies and Eliminations" heading, as part of a group of businesses managed by Telefónica Digital and Telefónica Global Resources. Similarly, the operations of Terra, Medianetworks Peru, Wayra and the joint venture Wanda, which in 2011 fell under Telefónica Latinoamérica's scope, are now listed under the "Other Companies and Eliminations" heading, as part of a group of businesses run by Telefónica Digital.

With the aim of facilitating a homogeneous understanding of the information, the financial results of Telefónica Europe and Telefónica Latinoamérica have been restated for the fiscal year 2011 to reflect the new corporate structure as of January 2011. Telefónica's consolidated results are unaffected by the restatement.

Also, with the objective to provide greater detail in a consistent manner across regions, from January 2012 the revenue breakdown by country is reported under a new structure. Thus, the fixed business is subdivided into "Broadband and new services revenues, Voice and Access Revenue and Others", while reporting of mobile revenues is subdivided into Mobile Service Revenue, that include Mobile Data Revenue, and Handset Revenues.

Telefónica's results in the third quarter of the year showed significant progress in priority areas for the Company.

Earnings per share registered an outstanding improvement in the quarter, delivering positive year-on-year growth in underlying terms. This improvement reflected sequential OIBDA growth in absolute terms across all regions, and a quarter-on-quarter improvement in underlying terms in the consolidated OIBDA margin, reflecting transformational initiatives and cost-reduction measures undertaken in all countries. In this sense, particularly noteworthy were: the removal of handset subsidies for new customers acquisition in Spain from March this year -this is already leading to significant savings in commercial expenses-, the gradual reduction of subsidies in the UK, the focus on quality as a key lever to reduce churn, and network-sharing agreements reached with other operators in the UK and Mexico.



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Moreover, the higher efficiency reflects the benefits of our scale. Telefónica Global Resources is consistently contributing to higher efficiencies and cost reduction, driven by new ways of sourcing, building and operating our networks and IT. Evolved sourcing models, where aggregation, strategic sourcing, standardization, simplification and a clear focus on the right map of vendors, leveraged in our global scale, is providing the expected results. Global E2E management is starting to provide good results not only in terms of cost reduction but also in terms of better market relevance and simplified way of managing our portfolio.

Meanwhile, **the third quarter also featured a considerable reduction in net financial debt**, reflecting the Company's strategy of increasing its financial flexibility and improving its liquidity position.

In addition, the Company advanced further on the **capture of new growth opportunities in the digital world** in the third quarter, with initiatives such the joint-venture in the UK for mobile payment and advertising approved by the European Union authorities, the agreement signed with Aurasma, the world's leading augmented-reality platform, and the launch of Amérigo, a 300 million euros network of private equity funds. In parallel, the Company continues working with Mozilla in the development of an HTML5-based Firefox OS for mobile, with first terminals launch planned for the beginning of next year in Brazil. And, in the entrepreneurial world, the Company reached collaboration agreements with 172 start-ups through Wayra.

Total **accesses** increased by 5% year-on-year to 314 million by the end of September 2012, driven by the increase in mobile accesses, fixed and mobile broadband, and pay TV accesses. Noteworthy was the 8% year-on-year increase in accesses at Telefónica Latinoamérica (67% of the total).

**Mobile accesses** stood at 246 million at the end of the third quarter (+6% year-on-year), driven by a sustained growth in mobile contract accesses (+7% year-on-year), accounting for 33% of total mobile accesses. Mobile net additions in the first nine months totalled 10.5 million accesses (excluding the disconnection of 3.6 million inactive prepaid mobile accesses in Spain and Brazil).

The Company's **mobile broadband accesses** maintained solid growth of 40% year-on-year to 47.7 million at the end of September 2012, and accounted for 19% of mobile accesses (+5 percentage points year-on-year). It should be highlighted the continued smartphone adoption by our customers (with attached data tariffs), with 10.0 million net additions in the first nine months of 2012 (+14% year-on-year), reaching a penetration rate of 17% over total mobile accesses.

Telefónica's **retail fixed broadband accesses** increased by 4% year-on-year to 18.5 million at the end of September 2012, with 458 thousand net additions (94 thousand in the third quarter), reflecting the sustained growth of Telefónica Latinoamérica. Retail fixed broadband accesses reached a penetration rate of 47% over total fixed accesses.

**Revenues** in the first nine months of 2012 totalled 46,519 million euros, virtually unchanged year-on-year (-0.3%; -1.6% in the third quarter). This performance reflects the Company's high diversification, a key differentiating factor in the current environment characterised by adverse economic conditions, more intense competition and negative effects of regulation in some countries. Excluding the negative effect of regulation, revenues rose by 1.1% year-on-year vs. the first nine months of 2011. Exchange rate fluctuations contributed with 0.5 percentage points to growth (-0.8% in organic terms).

By region, Telefónica Latinoamérica's revenues continue to show strong year-on-year growth (+5.9%) and now account for 49% of consolidated revenues (+2.9 percentage points year-on-year), for the first time exceeding revenues from the European operations (48% of the total), that posted a 6.4% year-on-year decline. Telefónica España's contribution decreased to 24% of consolidated revenues.

Mobile data revenues continue to post a solid growth during the first nine months of 2012 (+14.2% year-on-year; +12.3% in organic terms), contributing more than 34% to mobile service revenues during the period (30% in the same period of 2011). Also, non-SMS mobile data revenues have posted a significant increase (+25.3% year-on-year; +23.4% in organic terms), representing 57% of total mobile data revenues, 5 percentage points more than in the first nine months of 2011.

Consolidated **operating expenses** amounted to 31,663 million euros, down 5.4% vs. the first nine months of 2011 (-21.1% in the third quarter). It should be noted that reported year-on-year comparison is affected by the provision for expenses related to the redundancy program in Spain booked in the third quarter of last year (2,671 million euros). In organic terms, January-September 2012 expenses increased by 2.1% year-on-year, an improvement of 1.7 percentage points from the first half mainly due to lower commercial costs and efficiency gains.



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**Supplies** in the January-September 2012 period totalled 13,403 million euros and were flat year-on-year in reported terms (-1.5% organic). In the third quarter of 2012, supplies were down 3.6% year-on-year (-4.8% organic), reflecting lower mobile interconnection costs and lower handset upgrades in Telefónica Europe.

**Subcontract expenses** (10,113 million euros) rose by 5.5% year-on-year compared to the first nine months of 2011 (+5.5% organic), with a sequential decrease in year-on-year growth in the third quarter (+4.0% reported vs. +6.3% in the first half), mainly due to efficiencies implemented and reflected in a general reduction of commercial costs. Also, increased customer satisfaction in many countries translated into lower claims and, thus, into lower customer care expenses.

**Personnel costs** stood at 6,507 million euros, down 27.0% year-on-year, affected by the aforementioned provision associated with the redundancy program in Spain. In organic terms, this item increased by 3.9% year-on-year, decelerating from the first half (+5.3% organic), thanks to the important savings derived from redundancy programs, despite the impact of inflation in some Latin American countries. The average headcount was 286,249 employees (1,186 employees more than the average for the first nine months of 2011), mainly due to the higher workforce at Atento. Excluding Atento, Telefónica's average workforce stood at 132,192 employees, 1,649 fewer than in the January-September 2011 period.

**Gains on sales of fixed assets** in the first nine months of the year stood at 289 million euros, similar to the same period of 2011 (293 million euros), although the amount for the third quarter of 2012 was significantly lower (4 million euros vs. 48 million euros, respectively). This heading in 2012 included mainly the following: i) the impact of the sale of non-strategic towers, with an impact in OIBDA of 289 million euros (78 million euros in the third quarter); ii) the gain from the sale of applications in the second quarter (39 million euros; 18 million euros in Telefónica España); and iii) the capital loss on the sale of shares of China Unicom (97 million euros in the third quarter). In the first nine months of 2011 this item included mainly: i) the positive effects of the partial reduction of our economic exposure to Portugal Telecom (183 million euros in the first half); and ii) the sale of non-strategic towers (with an impact in OIBDA of 74 million euros; 31 million euros in the third quarter).

In the first nine months of 2012, **operating income before depreciation and amortisation (OIBDA)** amounted to 15,782 million euros (-5.1% in underlying terms) and recorded an improvement vs. the first half thanks to a sequential improvement in all regions. Thus, OIBDA in the third quarter amounted to 5,448 million euros in underlying terms, up 1.8% from the second quarter despite lower revenues.

**OIBDA margin** in January-September 2012 stood at 33.9% (-1.7 percentage points year-on-year in underlying terms). It should be highlighted that the OIBDA margin in underlying terms posted a sustained sequential improvement to 35.1% in the third quarter compared to 34.6% in the second quarter and 32.8% in the first quarter. In addition, and in line with the Company's internal estimates, OIBDA margin in underlying terms showed a lower year-on-year erosion in the third quarter (-0.5 percentage points vs. -1.9 percentage points in the second quarter and -2.8 percentage points in the first quarter).

By region, Telefónica Latinoamérica continues increasing its contribution to consolidated underlying OIBDA, accounting for 50% (+3.7 percentage points vs. September 2011). Telefónica Europe represents the remaining 50%, with Telefónica España decreasing to less than a third of the total (32%).

**Depreciation and amortisation** in the first nine months of 2012 (7,773 million euros) increased by 2.9% year-on-year (+2.0% in organic terms) and was up 1.7% year-on-year in the third quarter, mainly due to the amortisation of the new spectrum acquired in Germany, Brazil, Colombia, Spain, Mexico and Venezuela, and the increase in fixed assets. The depreciation and amortisation charges derived from purchase price allocation processes amounted to 729 million euros in the January-September period (-13.7% year-on-year).

In the first nine months of 2012, **operating income (OI)** totalled 8,009 million euros (-11.9% in underlying terms), particularly improving in the third quarter (-7.8% in underlying terms).

**Profit from associates** stood at -486 million euros in the first nine months of 2012 vs. -506 million euros during the same period in 2011, mainly due to Telco, S.p.A.'s adjustments of the value of its investment in Telecom Italia, as well as to the operating synergies achieved, with both effects totalling -542 million euros in 2012 and -505 million euros in 2011. It should be pointed out that these effects were non-cash impacts.



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**Net financial expenses** for the first nine months of the year 2012 reached 2,419 million euros (+18.3% year-on-year), of which 30 million euros were negative foreign exchange differences. This yielded an effective cost of debt of 5.65% in the last 12 months. Excluding foreign exchange differences the effective cost of debt would be 5.50%, mainly explained by higher financing costs as a result of the tightening of credit markets, a higher proportion of fixed rate debt, the redundancy program of Telefónica España, higher interest rates in Latin American currencies and other various effects.

**Cash Flow from operations** reached 14,186 million euros (-5.6% year-on-year) in the first nine months of 2012 reflecting a significant improvement in the third quarter, which amounted to 5,225 million euros compared to June 2012.

It is worth noting the higher working capital consumption during the first nine months of the year. However, this trend reversed in the third quarter. Excluding the spectrum impact, in the first nine months of the year working capital presented a year-on-year improvement of 326 million euros vs. the same period of 2011.

**Interest payments** totalled 2,332 million euros, 786 million euros more than in January-September of 2011. Out of this amount, nearly 219 million euros were non-recurrent effects (payment of interests related to the restructuring of Colombian companies, payments to the SUNAT in Peru and front-end fees related to financial operations signed). The remaining was mainly due to a higher average debt in 2012, the increase of interest rates due to the negative evolution of credit markets and the seasonality in the payment of interests.

**Payment for taxes** totalled 1,200 million euros during the first nine months of 2012, 257 million lower than in the first nine months of 2011.

As a result, **Free Cash Flow** for January-September 2012 amounted to 4,268 million euros (-25.1% year-on-year), posting an improvement in the third quarter (2,541 million euros) compared to the first half of 2012, in line with Company estimates, remaining virtually unchanged compared to the third quarter of 2011.

At the end of September 2012, **net financial debt** amounted to 56,006 million euros, posting a significant reduction in the third quarter (-2,304 million euros).

The lower debt compared to December 2011 (-298 million euros) was mainly explained, on the one hand, by 4,268 million euros free cash flow generation, higher than shareholder remuneration (3,882 million euros), and, on the other hand, by a 710 million euros increase in debt resulting from the appreciation of exchange rates (the British pound, the Colombian peso and the Mexican peso) and by payments due to commitments (619 million euros), that could not offset the debt reduction in Colombia, net divestitures and other effects (1,241 million euros).

It should be pointed out that after the closing of the third quarter and thanks to the fast execution of the divestment program and asset portfolio management, net financial debt could be further reduced by 3,183 million euros as a result of Telefónica Deutschland's IPO, Atento, Hispasat and Rumbo disposals and the preferred shares swap for treasury stock.

The **leverage ratio** for the past 12 months (net debt over OIBDA) stood at 2.56 times as of end of September 2012. After post-closing events, the leverage ratio would be reduced to 2.44 times. If net commitments related to workforce reduction are considered, the ratio of total net debt plus commitments over OIBDA (excluding results on the sale of fixed assets) stood at 2.77 times.

During the first nine months of 2012, Telefónica's **financing activity**, excluding short-term Commercial Paper Programmes activity, stood at nearly 11,900 million equivalent euros, and has exceeded the amount raised in fiscal year 2011. It is to highlight the strong refinancing activity from the end of August until mid-October, when the Company raised around 5,375 million euro equivalent in the credit markets, improving significantly the Company's liquidity position.

The financing activity was focused on financing in advance debt maturing in 2012, and smoothing the debt maturity profile for 2013 and 2014 at the Holding level. Therefore, the Company maintains a debt maturity profile covered beyond 2014.





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Net debt maturities for 2013 amount to 6,400 million euros and for 2014 to 7,350 million euros. Main financing operations included:

In January, a loan facility with a Chinese financial entity was signed to finance telecom equipment purchases with a local supplier for an amount of 375 million US dollars.

In February, Telefónica issued a 6 year bond in the euro market for an amount of 1,500 million euros that experienced an excess of demand of over 6.5 times.

In February, Telefónica increased the 6 year euro bond issued last February 2011 through a private placement, for an amount of 120 million euros.

In the month of February Telefónica signed a 3 year loan with a financial entity for an amount of 200 million euros.

In March, Telefónica issued a bond in sterling pounds for an amount of 700 million and 8 year maturity, which was 3.8 times oversubscribed.

Also in March, Telefónica issued a 5 year bond in Czech crowns through a private placement, for an amount of 1,250 million Czech crowns.

It is worth highlighting, in the loan market, the refinancing signed in March with nearly 40 lenders for two tranches of the O2 syndicated loan maturing in December 2012 and December 2013 for approximately 3,400 million equivalent sterling pounds. On the one hand, Telefónica extended to December 2015 a total of approximately 1,300 million pounds of the 2,100 million sterling pounds maturing in December 2012. On the other hand, Telefónica extended to February 2017 the 2,100 million sterling pounds maturing in December 2013.

In June, a 6-year 10,000 million Japanese yen bond was issued through a private placement.

In August, a new loan facility with two Chinese financial entities was signed to finance telecom equipment purchases with a local supplier for an amount of 1,200 million US dollars.

In September, 1,000 million euros for a period of 5 years were raised through a 750 million euros bond that was above 9 times oversubscribed followed by a tap of 250 million euros.

Also in September, Telefónica Czech Republic signed a 4 year term loan facility worth CZK 3,000 million. After September close, in October, a 7 year bond issuance for an amount of 1,200 million euros was launched, more than 6.5 times oversubscribed.

Telefónica, S.A. and its holding companies have remained active during the first nine months of 2012 under its various Commercial Paper Programmes (Domestic and European), with an outstanding balance of nearly 854 million euros at the end of September.

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Regarding Latin America, as of September 2012 Telefónica's subsidiaries have tapped the capital markets for an amount of approximately 2,500 million equivalent euros. Main financing operations closed during the third quarter included:

In September, Telefónica Brazil completed a 5 year 2,000 million Brazilian reais debentures.

Also, in September, Telefónica Colombia issued a 10 year US dollar debut offering for an amount of 750 million nearly 11 times oversubscribed.

After September, Telefónica Chile issued a 10 year bond for 500 million US dollars which was over 10 times oversubscribed.

Telefónica maintains total undrawn committed credit lines for an amount above 10,000 million euros, with around 8,700 million maturing in more than 12 months.

At the end of September 2012, bonds and debentures represented 64% of **consolidated financial debt** breakdown, while debt with financial institutions weighted 36%.

**Corporate income tax** for the first nine months of 2012 totalled 1,358 million euros which, over an income before taxes of 5,104 million euros, implied an effective tax rate lower than 27%.

**Profit attributable to minority interests** dragged net income by 291 million euros in the first nine months of 2012, 11.9% year-on-year lower than in the same period of 2011.

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As a consequence of the items mentioned above, **consolidated net income** in the January-September 2012 period stood at 3,455 million euros (+26.4% year-on-year), while **basic earnings per share** were 0.77 euros (+28.9% year-on-year). In underlying terms, consolidated net income fell by 17.4% and basic earnings per share stood at 0.98 euros. It should be highlighted that underlying earnings per share registered an important improvement in the third quarter, standing at 0.36 euros per share and growing both sequentially (+4.8%) and year-on-year (+0.5% vs. -20.3% in the second quarter and -25.7% in the first quarter).

**CapEx** for the first nine months of the year totalled 5,699 million euros, 14.0% less than in the same period of 2011. It is worth to highlight that in 2011, this item included the cost of spectrum acquisition in Spain, Brazil and Costa Rica for 1,094 million euros, while in 2012 this item totalled 38 million, mainly due to spectrum acquisition in Venezuela (32 million euros). Therefore, in organic terms, CapEx rose year-on-year by 3.5%. The Company continues to devote the bulk of its investment to growth and transformation projects (81% of total investment), fostering the expansion of high speed broadband services, both fixed and mobile.

The CapEx over sales ratio (excluding spectrum investments) was 12.2% in the first nine months of 2012.

**Operating cash flow (OIBDA-CapEx)**, excluding spectrum investment, stood at 10,122 million euros for the first nine months of 2012 (+16.1% year-on-year; -8.8% in underlying terms).

**Definitions**

**Organic growth:** In financial terms, it assumes constant average exchange rates as of January-September 2011 and excludes hyperinflation accounting in Venezuela. Therefore, in OIBDA and OI terms, the first nine months of 2011 exclude the positive impact of the partial sale of our stake in Portugal Telecom (+183 million euros), and the provision for the redundancy program in Spain (-2,671 million euros). In OIBDA and OI terms, the first nine months of 2012 exclude the capital loss of China Unicom (-97 million euros). Telefónica's CapEx excludes spectrum investment and, in 2011, real estate commitments in relation to the new Telefónica headquarters in Barcelona.

**Underlying growth:** Reported figures, excluding exceptional impacts and spectrum acquisition. The first nine months of 2012 also exclude the reduction in the value of the Telecom Italia investment and operating synergies achieved (-542 million euros; -379 million euros net of taxes), and also PPAs (-799 million euros; -513 million euros net of taxes and minority interests), the capital loss of China Unicom (-97 million euros; -45 million euros net of taxes) and the difference in market value of the BBVA stake (-30 million euros; -21 million net of taxes). Figures for the first nine months of 2011 exclude the provision for the redundancy program in Spain (-2,671 million euros; -1,870 million euros net of taxes), value adjustments in relation to the stake in Telecom Italia and the operating synergies achieved (-505 million euros; -353 million euros net of taxes), the positive impact arising from a partial reduction of Telefónica's economic exposure to Portugal Telecom (+183 million euros) and also PPAs (-928 million euros; -569 million euros net of taxes and minority interests).

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**CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT***Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	January - September			July - September		
	2012	2011	% Chg	2012	2011	% Chg
Revenues	46,519	46,672	(0.3)	15,538	15,786	(1.6)
Internal exp capitalized in fixed assets	581	531	9.4	186	179	4.3
Operating expenses	(31,663)	(33,475)	(5.4)	(10,396)	(13,169)	(21.1)
Supplies	(13,403)	(13,397)	0.0	(4,343)	(4,504)	(3.6)
Personnel expenses	(6,507)	(8,916)	(27.0)	(2,130)	(4,777)	(55.4)
Subcontracts	(10,113)	(9,584)	5.5	(3,405)	(3,273)	4.0
Bad Debt Provisions	(584)	(595)	(1.9)	(172)	(244)	(29.6)
Taxes	(1,058)	(983)	7.6	(347)	(371)	(6.7)
Other net operating income (expense)	62	234	(73.6)	20	105	(81.0)
Gain (loss) on sale of fixed assets	289	293	(1.4)	4	48	(91.6)
Impairment of goodwill and other assets	(5)	(5)	(1.8)	(2)	(3)	(25.5)
Operating income before D&A (OIBDA)	15,782	14,251	10.7	5,351	2,946	81.6
<i>OIBDA margin</i>	<i>33.9%</i>	<i>30.5%</i>	<i>3.4 p.p.</i>	<i>34.4%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>	<i>15.8 p.p.</i>
Depreciation and amortization	(7,773)	(7,554)	2.9	(2,641)	(2,598)	1.7
Operating income (OI)	8,009	6,696	19.6	2,709	348	n.m.
Profit from associated companies	(486)	(506)	(3.9)	12	29	(59.5)
Net financial income (expense)	(2,419)	(2,045)	18.3	(834)	(880)	(5.3)
Income before taxes	5,104	4,145	23.1	1,887	(503)	c.s.
Income taxes	(1,358)	(1,082)	25.5	(398)	189	c.s.
Income from continuing operations	3,746	3,063	22.3	1,489	(315)	c.s.
Non-controlling interests	(291)	(330)	(11.9)	(109)	(114)	(4.5)
Net income	3,455	2,733	26.4	1,380	(429)	c.s.
Weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period (millions)	4,505	4,592	(1.9)	4,467	4,581	(2.5)
Basic earnings per share (euros)	0.77	0.60	28.9	0.31	(0.09)	c.s.

*Notes:*

*For the basic earnings per share calculation purposes, the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period has been obtained applying IAS rule 33 Earnings per Share . Thereby, the weighted average number of shares held as treasury stock during the period has not been taken into account as outstanding shares.*

*In accordance with IAS 33, Earnings per Share , the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period have been restated for 2011 and 2012 to reflect the bonus share issue due to the scrip dividend. As a consequence basic earnings per share have also been restated.*

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GUIDANCE 2012

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	Jan-Mar	2012 Jan-Jun	Jan-Sep	Guidance 2012	2011 Base
Revenues (%Chg YoY)	0.5%	1.0%	0.6%	<sup>3</sup> 0% (previous >1%)	62,837
OIBDA Margin (Chg YoY)	(2.7 p.p.)	(2.5 p.p.)	(1.6 p.p.)	Lower margin decline than in 2011	(2.1 p.p.)
CapEx / Sales (ex spectrum)	11.0%	11.8%	12.2%	Similar Capex / Sales as in 2011	14.2%
Net financial debt / OIBDA	2.55x	2.65x	2.56x	Net financial debt / OIBDA < 2.35	2.46x

*2012 guidance criteria: Assumes current exchange rates (2012 average FX of 1: US\$ 1.32; 1: BRL 2.30; 1: £ 0.85) and constant perimeter of consolidation. At the OIBDA level, excludes write-offs, capital gains/losses from companies disposals and significant exceptionals. CapEx excludes spectrum licenses.*

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REPORTED VS. UNDERLYING

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	January - September			%	
	Jan-Sep 2012 Reported	Jan-Sep 2012 Underlying	Jan-Sep 2011 Underlying	Underlying Change y-o-y	Reported Change y-o-y
	Revenues	46,519	46,519	46,672	(0.3)
OIBDA	15,782	15,879	16,739	(5.1)	10.7
OIBDA margin	33.9%	34.1%	35.9%	(1.7 p.p.)	3.4 p.p.
Operating Income (OI)	8,009	8,835	10,029	(11.9)	19.6
Net income	3,455	4,414	5,342	(17.4)	26.4
Basic earnings per share (euros)	0.77	0.98	1.16	(15.8)	28.9
OpCF (OIBDA-CapEx) ex-spectrum	10,122	10,219	11,209	(8.8)	16.1

Exceptional items	2012	2011
Reported OIBDA	15,782	14,251
PT capital gain		(183)
Workforce restructuring in Spain		2,671
China Unicom capital loss	97	
<b>Underlying OIBDA</b>	<b>15,879</b>	<b>16,739</b>
Reported Net Income	3,455	2,733
PT capital gain		(183)
Telco write-down	379	353
Difference in market value of BBVA stake	21	
PPAs	513	569
Workforce restructuring in Spain		1,870
China Unicom capital loss	45	
<b>Underlying Net Income</b>	<b>4,414</b>	<b>5,342</b>

**Underlying growth:** Reported figures, excluding exceptional impacts and spectrum acquisition. The first nine months of 2012 also exclude the reduction in the value of the Telecom Italia investment and operating synergies achieved (-542 million euros; -379 million euros net of taxes), and also PPAs (-799 million euros; -513 million euros net of taxes and minority interests), the capital loss generated from the sale of shares of China Unicom (-97 million euros; -45 million euros net of taxes) and the difference in market value of the BBVA stake (-30 million euros; -21 net of taxes). Figures for the first nine months of 2011 exclude the provision for the redundancy program in Spain (-2,671 million euros; -1,870 million euros net of taxes), value adjustments in relation to the stake in Telecom Italia and the operating synergies achieved (-505 million euros; -353 million euros net of taxes), the positive impact arising from a partial reduction of

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*Telefónica's economic exposure to Portugal Telecom (+183 million euros) and also PPAs (-928 million euros; -569 million euros net of taxes and minority interests).*

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REPORTED VS. UNDERLYING

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	July - September			%	
	Jul-Sep 2012 Reported	Jul-Sep 2012 Underlying	Jul-Sep 2011 Underlying	Underlying Change y-o-y	Reported Change y-o-y
	Revenues	15,538	15,538	15,786	(1.6)
OIBDA	5,351	5,448	5,617	(3.0)	81.6
OIBDA margin	34.4%	35.1%	35.6%	(0.5 p.p.)	15.8 p.p.
Operating Income (OI)	2,709	3,043	3,299	(7.8)	n.m.
Net income	1,380	1,596	1,629	(2.0)	c.s.
Basic earnings per share (euros)	0.31	0.36	0.36	0.5	c.s.
OpCF (OIBDA-CapEx) ex-spectrum	3,342	3,439	3,502	(1.8)	n.m.

Exceptional items	2012	2011
Reported OIBDA	5,351	2,946
Workforce restructuring in Spain		2,671
China Unicom capital loss	97	
Underlying OIBDA	5,448	5,617
Reported Net Income	1,380	(429)
Telco write-down	21	
PPAs	150	188
Workforce restructuring in Spain		1,870
China Unicom capital loss	45	
Underlying Net Income	1,596	1,629

**Underlying growth:** Reported figures, excluding exceptional impacts and spectrum acquisition. In the third quarter of 2012 also excludes the reduction in the value of Telecom Italia's operating synergies achieved (-30 million euros; -21 million euros net of taxes), and also PPAs (-239 million euros; -150 million euros net of taxes and minority interests) and the capital loss generated from the sale of shares of China Unicom (-97 million euros; -45 million euros net of taxes). In the third quarter of 2011 excludes the provision for the redundancy program in Spain (-2,671 million euros; -1,870 million euros net of taxes), and also PPAs (-311 million euros; -188 million euros net of taxes and minority interests).



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## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	September 2012	December 2011	% Chg
Non-current assets	105,397	108,800	(3.1)
Intangible assets	22,293	24,064	(7.4)
Goodwill	28,968	29,107	(0.5)
Property, plant and equipment and Investment properties	34,885	35,469	(1.6)
Non-current financial assets and investments in associates	12,177	13,743	(11.4)
Deferred tax assets	7,074	6,417	10.2
Current assets	23,716	20,823	13.9
Inventories	1,123	1,164	(3.5)
Trade and other receivables	11,350	11,331	0.2
Current tax receivable	1,343	1,567	(14.3)
Current financial assets	2,776	2,625	5.7
Cash and cash equivalents	7,123	4,135	72.3
Non-current assets classified as held for sale	1	1	(9.1)
Total Assets = Total Equity and Liabilities	129,113	129,623	(0.4)
Equity	26,194	27,383	(4.3)
Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent	20,890	21,636	(3.4)
Non-controlling interests	5,304	5,747	(7.7)
Non-current liabilities	72,435	69,662	4.0
Non-current financial debt	58,652	55,659	5.4
Deferred tax liabilities	4,913	4,739	3.7
Non-current provisions	6,794	7,172	(5.3)
Other non-current liabilities	2,076	2,092	(0.8)
Current liabilities	30,484	32,579	(6.4)
Current financial debt	10,682	10,652	0.3
Trade and other payables	8,655	9,406	(8.0)
Current tax payables	2,688	2,568	4.7
Current provisions and other liabilities	8,459	9,953	(15.0)
Financial Data			
Net Financial debt (1)	56,006	56,304	(0.5)

(1) Figures in million euros. Net financial debt in September 2012 includes: Long-term financial debt + other long term liabilities (1,623) + short-term financial debt + trade and other payables (54) - non-current financial assets and investments in associates (5,053) - trade and other receivables (53) - current financial assets - cash and cash equivalents.

Note: 2011 and 2012 reported figures include the hyperinflationary adjustments in Venezuela in both years.

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FREE CASH FLOW AND CHANGE IN DEBT

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

		January - September		
		2012	2011	% Chg
I	Cash flow from operations	14,186	15,028	(5.6)
II	Net interest payment (1)	(2,332)	(1,546)	
III	Payment for income tax	(1,200)	(1,457)	
A=I+II+III	Net cash provided by operating activities	10,653	12,025	(11.4)
B	Payment for investment in fixed and intangible assets (2)	(6,779)	(6,701)	
C=A+B	Net free cash flow after CapEx	3,875	5,324	(27.2)
D	Net Cash received from sale of Real Estate	22	19	
E	Net payment for financial investment	446	(1,368)	
F	Net payment for operations with minority shareholders and treasury stock (3)	(4,109)	(3,750)	
G=C+D+E+F	Free cash flow after dividends	234	225	4.1
H	Effects of exchange rate changes on net financial debt	710	(529)	
I	Effects on net financial debt of changes in consolid. and others	(774)	590	
J	Net financial debt at beginning of period	56,304	55,593	
K=J-G+H+I	Net financial debt at end of period	56,006	55,430	1.0

(1) Including cash received from dividends paid by subsidiaries that are not fully consolidated.

(2) Figures in million euros. In 2012, it includes 396 for the spectrum payments in Spain, 20 in Colombia, 7 in Mexico, 3 in Nicaragua and 32 in Venezuela. In 2011, it includes 356 in Spain, 26 in Mexico, 35 in Brazil, 3 in Nicaragua and 69 in Costa Rica.

(3) Dividends paid by Telefónica S.A., operations with treasury stock and operations with minority shareholders from subsidiaries that are fully consolidated.

Note: 2011 and 2012 reported figures include the hyperinflationary adjustments in Venezuela in both years.

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## RECONCILIATIONS OF CASH FLOW AND OIBDA MINUS CAPEX

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	January - September		
	2012	2011	% Chg
OIBDA	15,782	14,251	10.7
- CapEx accrued during the period	(5,699)	(6,625)	
- Payments related to cancellation of commitments	(619)	(609)	
- Net interest payment	(2,332)	(1,546)	
- Payment for tax	(1,200)	(1,457)	
- Results from the sale of fixed assets (1)	(289)	2,378	
- Investment In working capital and other deferred income and expenses	(1,768)	(1,068)	
= Net Free Cash Flow after CapEx	3,875	5,324	(27.2)
+ Net Cash received from sale of Real Estate	22	19	
- Net payment for financial investment	446	(1,368)	
- Net payment for operations with minority shareholders and treasury stock	(4,109)	(3,750)	
= Free Cash Flow after dividends	234	225	4.1

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	January - September		
	2012	2011	% Chg
Net Free Cash Flow after CapEx	3,875	5,324	(27.2)
+ Payments related to cancellation of commitments	619	609	
- Operations with minority shareholders	(227)	(232)	
= Free Cash Flow	4,268	5,701	(25.1)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period (millions)	4,505	4,592	
= Free Cash Flow per share (euros)	0.95	1.24	(23.7)

(1) Includes in 2011, 2,671 million euros from the workforce provision related to the Redundancy Program approved in Spain.

*Notes:*

*The concept Free Cash Flow reflects the amount of cash flow available to remunerate Telefónica S.A. Shareholders, to protect solvency levels (financial debt and commitments), and to accommodate strategic flexibility.*

*The differences with the caption Net Free Cash Flow after CapEx included in the table presented above, are related to Free Cash Flow being calculated before payments related to commitments (workforce reductions) and after operations with minority shareholders, due to cash recirculation within the Group.*

*2011 and 2012 reported figures include the hyperinflationary adjustments in Venezuela in both years.*

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*CapEx includes 38 million euros from the spectrum acquired, mainly corresponding to Venezuela (32) in the third quarter of 2012 and to Nicaragua (5) in the first quarter of 2012. In 2011, it includes 423 million euros from the spectrum acquired in Brazil (354), Costa Rica (69) in Q2 11 and 669 from the spectrum acquired in Spain in Q3 11.*

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## NET FINANCIAL DEBT PLUS COMMITMENTS

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	September 2012
Long-term debt (1)	60,275
Short term debt including current maturities (2)	10,735
Cash and cash equivalents	(7,123)
Short and Long-term financial investments (3)	(7,881)
<b>A</b> Net Financial Debt	<b>56,006</b>
Gross commitments related to workforce reduction (4)	4,168
Value of associated Long-term assets (5)	(926)
Taxes receivable (6)	(1,317)
<b>B</b> Net commitments related to workforce reduction	<b>1,926</b>
<b>A + B</b> Total Debt + Commitments	<b>57,932</b>
Net Financial Debt / OIBDA (7)	2.56x
Total Net Debt + Commitments / OIBDA (8)	2.77x

- (1) Includes long-term financial debt and 1,623 million euros of other long-term debt .
- (2) Includes short-term financial debt and 54 million euros of trade and other payables from Rent to Rent operations of T. España.
- (3) Includes Current financial assets , 5,053 million euros recorded under the caption of Non-current financial assets and investments in associates and 53 million euros of trade and other receivables from Rent to Rent operations of T. España.
- (4) Mainly in Spain. This amount is detailed in the captions Long-term provisions and Short-term provisions and other liabilities of the Statement of Financial Position, and is the result of adding the following items: Provision for Pre-retirement, Social Security Expenses and Voluntary Severance , Group Insurance , Technical Reserves , and Provisions for Pension Funds of Other Companies .
- (5) Amount included in the caption Non-current financial assets and investments in associates of the Statement of Financial Position. Mostly related to investments in fixed income securities and long-term deposits that cover the materialization of technical reserves of the Group insurance companies.
- (6) Net present value of tax benefits arising from the future payments related to actual workforce reduction commitments.
- (7) Calculated based on the last 12 months OIBDA.
- (8) Calculated based on the last 12 months OIBDA excluding results on the sale of fixed assets.

Note: 2012 reported figures include the hyperinflationary adjustments in Venezuela.

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## DEBT STRUCTURE BY CURRENCY

*Unaudited figures*

	September 2012				
	EUR	LATAM	GBP	CZK	USD
Debt structure by currency	79%	9%	6%	3%	3%

## CREDIT RATINGS

	Long-Term	Short-Term	Perspective	Date of last rating change
Moody <sup>1s</sup>	Baa2	P-2	Negative	10/18/2012
JCR <sup>2</sup>	A		Negative	03/23/2012
S&P <sup>1</sup>	BBB	A-2	Credit Watch Negative	10/12/2012
Fitch <sup>1</sup>	BBB+	F-2	Negative	06/08/2012

(1) The rating is issued by a credit rating agency established in the EU and registered under Regulation (EC) 1060/2009.

(2) The rating is issued by a third country credit rating agency that is certified in accordance with Regulation (EC) 1060/2009.

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## EXCHANGES RATES APPLIED

	P&L and CapEx (1)		Statement of Financial Position (2)	
	Jan -Sep 2012	Jan -Sep 2011	September 2012	December 2011
USA (US Dollar/Euro)	1.280	1.406	1.293	1.294
United Kingdom (Sterling/Euro)	0.812	0.871	0.798	0.835
Argentina (Argentinean Peso/Euro)	5.718	5.746	6.073	5.569
Brazil (Brazilian Real/Euro)	2.451	2.294	2.626	2.427
Czech Republic (Czech Crown/Euro)	25.134	24.359	24.865	25.800
Chile (Chilean Peso/Euro)	626.237	666.769	612.584	671.795
Colombia (Colombian Peso/Euro)	2,297.166	2,562.545	2,328.072	2,513.662
Costa Rica (Colon/Euro)	652.316	716.846	650.618	670.691
Guatemala (Quetzal/Euro)	10.010	10.934	10.289	10.106
Mexico (Mexican Peso/Euro)	16.932	16.911	16.640	18.047
Nicaragua (Cordoba/Euro)	29.976	31.329	30.806	29.726
Peru (Peruvian Nuevo Sol/Euro)	3.399	3.892	3.359	3.489
Uruguay (Uruguayan Peso/Euro)	26.210	26.838	27.127	25.746
Venezuela (Bolivar Fuerte/Euro) (3)	5.560	5.806	5.560	5.564

(1) These exchange rates are used to convert the P&L and CapEx accounts of Telefónica foreign subsidiaries from local currency to euros.

(2) Exchange rates as of 09/30/12 and 12/31/11.

(3)



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*After considering Venezuela as an hyperinflationary country, P&L and CapEx from the operations in the country are to be accounted at the closing exchange rate Bolivar Fuerte/Euro.*

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RESULTS BY REGIONAL BUSINESS UNITS

**Telefónica Latinoamérica<sup>1</sup>**

In the first nine months of 2012, Telefónica Latinoamérica continued to improve the Company's positioning in the fixed and mobile broadband businesses as the main long-term growth levels, while achieving sequential improvement in efficiency levels, as reflected in the positive performance of OIBDA throughout the year, which continued to grow sequentially.

By the end of September, Telefónica Latinoamérica managed 210 million **accesses** in the region, with year-on-year growth of 8%. It should be pointed out that this growth reflected the strong commercial activity in the mobile business, mainly since the second half of 2011, and positive trends in the fixed broadband and pay TV businesses, along with the recovery in the third quarter of traditional fixed accesses, which again registered positive net additions.

Main trends in the **mobile business** include the following:

Estimated penetration in Latin America was 126% (+20 percentage points year-on-year) at the end of September.

**Mobile accesses** continued to show strong year-on-year growth (+10%) and amounted to 175 million, despite the disconnection of inactive prepaid mobile customers in Brazil (1.6 million accesses in the second quarter) and the application of more restrictive criteria for both gross additions and disconnections in several countries.

Telefónica retained its leadership in the **contract** segment in the region, with 38.2 million accesses and growing by 12% year-on-year. This segment already accounts for 22% of total mobile accesses.

Noteworthy is the continued significant growth in **mobile broadband accesses** (+72% year-on-year) to 23.7 million, bringing penetration to 14% of the mobile access base, and with smartphones more than doubling accesses base as of September 2011.

**Net additions** reached 10.5 million accesses during the first nine months of the year (excluding the disconnections mentioned previously) and 2.0 million accesses in the third quarter. This trend reflected the significant year-on-year growth of gross additions in both the first nine months of 2012 (+16%) and the third quarter (+6%).

**Churn** stood at 3.1% in the first nine months of 2012 (+0.3 percentage points year-on-year; 3.2% in the third quarter, +0.4 percentage points year-on-year), affected by the disconnections and by the application of a more restrictive criteria for disconnections mentioned above.

**Traffic** grew by 15% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year and by 13% in the quarter in homogenous terms (excluding the tariff change from minutes to seconds applied from the first quarter of 2012 in Mexico) maintaining a pace of growth above accesses.

**ARPU** remained roughly stable in the region in the first nine months of the year (-0.7% year-on-year) despite the negative impact derived from the reduction of mobile termination rates. Thus, outgoing ARPU increased by 2.7% year-on-year in the first nine months, reflecting the Company focus on maximizing customer value.

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Highlights in the **fixed** business include the following:

The Company's **accesses** reached 34.9 million at the end of September, with year-on-year growth of 1%.

**Accesses in traditional business** totalled 23.9 million, representing a slight year-on-year decrease of 1%, although it should be noted that after the accesses loss registered in the last two years, the third quarter posted net additions of 14 thousand accesses thanks to the launch of convergent services.

<sup>1</sup> **Organic growth:** In financial terms, it assumes constant average January – September 2011 exchange rates and excludes changes in the perimeter of consolidation and hyperinflation in Venezuela. Therefore, in OIBDA and OI terms, the second quarter of 2011 excludes the positive impact of the partial sale of our stake in Portugal Telecom (+36 million euros). Capex excludes investments in spectrum.

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**Retail broadband accesses** stood at 8.3 million, up 9% year-on-year, with net additions of 511 thousand in the first nine months of the year and with a sequential improvement in the quarter (179 thousand accesses in the third quarter; 163 thousand accesses in the second quarter).

**Pay TV accesses** reached 2.4 million growing by 7% year-on-year, and with net additions of 96 thousand accesses year to date and improved sequentially (34 thousand in the third quarter; 25 thousand in the second quarter).

The continued focus on bundling and broadband is reflected in the fact that 75% of fixed accesses signed up for some form of bundled offer (+4 percentage points year-on-year), while 90% of broadband accesses are also under 2P/3P offers. Telefónica Latinoamérica's revenues amounted to 22,578 million euros in the first nine months of 2012, with 5.9% year-on-year growth in reported terms (+3.8% in the quarter), and 6.4% in organic terms in both the nine months and the quarter. Excluding the negative impact of regulation, revenues would have increased by 8.0% year-on-year, accelerating growth in the quarter (+8.2% year-on-year). This growth reflected the good performance of **mobile service revenues** (+11.8% year-on-year in organic terms in the first nine months, +10.7% in the third quarter), despite the negative impact from regulation (-2.0 percentage points as of September; -2.1 percentage points in the third quarter), and the better trend in the third quarter from the fixed business (-3.7% year-on-year in organic terms in the third quarter; -5.6% in the second quarter).

Mobile broadband business remained as a key growth driver and it is reflected in mobile data revenue with a year-on-year increase of 24.7% in organic terms (+19.6% in the quarter), now accounting for 29% of mobile service revenues (+3 percentage points year-on-year). Connectivity revenues increase bolstered the growing weight of non-SMS data revenues, which accounted for 56% of data revenues (+3 percentage points year-on-year).

**Operating expenses** amounted to 15,115 million euros, increasing by 8.0% year-on-year (+8.6% in organic terms), furthering the trend of gradual growth deceleration posted since the second quarter of the year (+3.0% year-on-year in the third quarter; +7.2% year-on-year in the second quarter).

**Supply costs** reached 5,650 million euros posting a year-on-year increase of 3.1% (+3.0% in organic terms), mainly associated to the growth of new businesses with higher weight of smartphones sales and costs associated with the provision of data service. However, growth eased in the third quarter (+3.4% organic vs. +4.8% in the second quarter excluding the positive impact of the reversal of a provision in Brazil).

**Subcontract expenses** amounted to 6,220 million euros, increasing by 9.8% year-on-year (+11.0% in organic terms). Costs efficiency measures coupled with a more comparable basis for commercial expenses in the quarter were reflected in the better performance registered in the quarter (+8.8% organic vs. +9.8% in the second quarter and +14.6% in the first quarter).

**Personnel expenses** increased by 13.0% year-on-year (+12.8% in organic terms) to 2,142 million euros and, similar to the main expense items discussed above, posted year-on-year growth slowdown in the quarter (+5.7% organic; +12.4% in the second quarter; +20.9% in the first quarter), thanks to the Company's restructuring efforts and despite inflation effect in certain countries as Argentina and Venezuela. **OIBDA** stood at 7,906 million in the first nine months of 2012, with year-on-year growth of 2.1% in reported terms and 2.9% in organic terms, posting significant improvement in the third quarter with a year-on-year increase of 4.8% in reported terms and of 7.4% year-on-year in organic terms, despite maintaining a high level of commercial activity during the quarter. OIBDA margin stood at 35.0% as of September 2012, a year-on-year decrease of 1.3 percentage points, but expanding in the third quarter (34.5%) by 0.4 percentage points vs. the same period of 2011.

OIBDA was affected by the sale of non-strategic towers in both periods, 245 million euros in 2012 compared to 74 million euros in 2011 (63 million in the third quarter of 2012 vs. 31 million euros in the third quarter of 2011). In addition, it is worth noting that OIBDA in the first nine months, both in absolute terms and in margin, was adversely affected by a number of factors that impacted various countries in the first half of 2012 (integration costs, rebranding and provision reversal in Brazil, service interruption in Argentina, retroactive impact of new labour laws in

Venezuela, etc.), reducing OIBDA by 42 million euros.

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**CapEx** amounted to 2,986 million euros (-6.6% year-on-year in reported terms; +6.7% in organic terms), focused on the continued improvement of the network in order to offer innovative services that already are a market benchmark in the region in terms of quality. The year-on-year performance is affected by spectrum investments along 2012 in Venezuela (32 million euros in the third quarter), Chile (0.4 million euros also in the third quarter) and Nicaragua (5 million euros in the first quarter) and by spectrum investments in 2011 in Brazil (354 million euros in the second quarter) and Costa Rica (69 million euros in the second quarter).

Thus, **operating cash flow** stood at 4,920 million euros in the first nine months of 2012, up by 8.2% year-on-year in reported terms (+0.8% organic).

### **BRAZIL** (year-on-year changes in organic terms)

Telefónica Brasil continued to strengthen its market leadership in the third quarter of the year, consolidating its status as reference operator, especially in the higher value segments thanks to its focus on service quality and providing the most advanced services, its solid network positioning in terms of coverage, and brand image.

Especially noteworthy in the third quarter of the year were the launch of new commercial offers both in the contract segment, with the launch of new plans with control of consumption for the corporate segment, and in the prepay segment, with the repositioning of the new data plans aimed at increasing the penetration of these services. At the fixed business, highlights include the launch in October of the IPTV service via a new platform and the 200 Mb fixed broadband service via the fibre optic network, which represents a new milestone in the market.

Moreover, also noteworthy is the successful launch in the second quarter of this year of convergent services with the fixed traditional business through the addition of mobile favourite numbers to the offer. The company also continued to focus on its fixed offer outside Sao Paulo through fixed wireless technology, which is now available in the country's largest metropolitan areas.

Furthermore, the Company continues posting market benchmark quality standards, expanding its leadership in terms of customer satisfaction in the mobile business and significantly improving its status in the fixed business, both in terms of service performance and in terms of customer satisfaction, which was reinforced following the rebranding of both businesses in last April.

The Company managed 92.2 million **accesses** at the end of September, a solid year-on-year increase of 11% despite the disconnection of 1.6 million inactive prepay accesses in the second quarter of the year.

Regarding the operating performance of the **mobile business**, highlights were:

Penetration in Brazil stood at 131% (+15 percentage points year-on-year).

**Market share** stood at 29.7% (+0.2 percentage points year-on-year) and at 36.9% in the contract segment (stable year-on-year).

**Mobile accesses** stood at 76.8 million (+15% year-on-year), mainly underpinned by the contract segment (+17% year-on-year) to account for 23% of mobile accesses. Particularly noteworthy was the growth acceleration of **mobile broadband accesses**, which accounted for 13% of mobile accesses (+62% year-on-year), on the back of the marked growth in smartphones with data plans attached, doubling accesses as of September 2011 and accounting for 10% of mobile accesses.

**Net additions** totalled 6.9 million accesses in the first nine months of the year (excluding the disconnection of 1.6 million inactive prepay accesses in the second quarter of this year), after posting net additions of 1.1 million accesses in the third quarter. Particularly noteworthy is the strong performance of gross additions (+21% in the first nine months of the year), which is partially offset by the disconnections above mentioned that resulted in a higher **churn** (3.3% in the first nine months). However, contract churn maintained a positive

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performance (1.6%).

**Traffic** maintained a positive trend and grew by 27% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year (+25% in the quarter) reflecting the strong take-up for the new tariff plans launched along the last year. The prepay top-ups also reflected this positive trend, growing 21% year-on-year in the quarter.

The year-on-year decline in **ARPU** stabilised (-7.3% in the first nine months; -7.2% in the quarter), and reflected the reduction in mobile termination rates and growth in accesses amid higher penetration levels. This growth also affected the outgoing ARPU trend, posting a 3.3% year-on-year decline but it is noteworthy that it improved sequentially (+1.4% quarter-on-quarter).

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Regarding commercial activity at the **fixed business** as of September 2012, the main highlights were:

**Traditional accesses** stood at 10.7 million (-3% year-on-year), with the pace of net losses easing in the quarter (-57 thousand vs. -113 thousand in the second quarter), following a lower loss in the residential segment and a positive growth in the corporate segment, both derived from the launch of convergent services.

**Retail Broadband accesses** totalled 3.8 million with a year-on-year increase of 6% and 121 thousand net additions along the year (37 thousand accesses in the quarter), against a backdrop of higher competitive intensity. Fixed broadband accesses already account for 35% of the Company's fixed traditional accesses increasing its weight by 3 percentage points year-on-year. Ultra-broadband accesses through fibre continued to grow, reaching 104 thousand accesses at the end of September 2012, four times the number of accesses at the end of September 2011, while penetration increased steadily over the more of 1.0 million homes passed.

**Pay TV accesses** stood at 619 thousand (-11% year-on-year), impacted by the MMDS technology accesses loss associated with the future return of the licence. As a result of the Company's strategic focus on the commercial repositioning of this service, in October the new IPTV service via a new platform for high-speed fibre technology was launched.

**Revenue** in the first nine months of 2012 amounted to 10,252 million euros (+2.1% year-on-year), with a slight improvement in the quarter (+2.3%). The mobile business continued to post a positive performance in the quarter, with year-on-year growth accelerating, while fixed business revenues improved its trend compared with the second quarter of the year.

It is important to note that 2012 revenues are affected since February, 24 by the reduction in mobile termination rates (VUM; -13.7%) and in the fixed-mobile retail tariff (VC; -10.4%). Excluding these effects revenues would have grown by 4.0% year-on-year to September, with growth accelerating to 5.0% year-on-year in the quarter.

**Mobile revenues** in the first nine months of the year stood at 6,371 million euros, up 9.4% year-on-year and 9.9% in the quarter.

**Mobile service revenues** maintained a solid trend, rising by 11.1% year-on-year as of September (+9.4% in the quarter). Excluding the impact of the reduction in mobile termination rates, mobile service revenues would have grown by 13.6% year-on-year (+12.8% in the quarter), even though this quarter year-on-year comparisons already reflected the successful launch of the VIVO Sempre plan for the prepaid segment in July 2011.

Particularly noteworthy is the growing contribution of data revenues, which advanced 21.7% year-on-year in the first nine months and accounted for 26% of service revenues (+2 percentage points year-on-year). Non-SMS data revenues accounted for 62% of total data revenues thanks to the good performance of mobile broadband.

**Fixed revenues** stood at 3,881 million euros in the first nine months of the year (-7.9% year-on-year) and improved sequentially in the third quarter (-8.5% year-on-year; -11.0% in the second quarter). Year-on-year performance was affected by the reduction in the fixed-mobile retail tariff, reducing year-on-year growth by 1.3 percentage points (-2.0 percentage points in the quarter). Breakdown by component:

**Voice and access revenues** (-11.4% in the first nine months of 2012; -11.8% in the quarter) reflected the abovementioned cut in fixed-mobile retail tariffs (-9.5% in the first nine months of 2012 and -8.8% in the quarter excluding this effect) and the mobile business substitution effect.



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**Broadband and new services revenues** remained virtually stable in the first nine months of the year (-0.5% year-on-year) and improved its performance in the quarter (-2.0% compared with -8.8% in the second quarter) due to the specific effects that impacted year-on-year trend in the second quarter, and despite being affected by intense competition in the fixed broadband and Pay TV businesses.

**Operating expenses** posted a year-on-year increase of 3.2%, with growth decelerating in the quarter (+0.8%) mainly due to the reduction of mobile termination rates and the steady slowdown in personnel expenses associated with the headcount restructuring program carried out in the first quarter of the year. Year-on-year growth in other cost items also slowed despite maintained high commercial activity associated with value customers. It is important to note that the first nine months of the year reflected the impact of rebranding and the costs associated with the integration of operators including the abovementioned headcount restructuring expenses in the first quarter of the year and the reversal of a provision in the second quarter with a net positive impact of 12 million euros in the year.

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Moreover, the first nine months of 2012 included 176 million euros (13 million euros in the third quarter) from the sale of non-strategic towers compared with 24 million euros in the first nine months of 2011. Also worth noting is the net negative impact of the reduction in mobile termination rates and fixed-mobile retail tariffs on OIBDA, totalling 65 million euros as of September 2012 (27 million euros in the quarter).

Thus, **OIBDA** as of September 2012 stood at 3,674 million euros, with a year-on-year increase of 1.7% in the nine months, and recorded a significant improvement in the third quarter (+3.2% year-on-year). The OIBDA margin stood at 35.8% at the end of September 2012 (-0.2 percentage points year-on-year) and at 34.5% in the quarter, a year-on-year improvement of 0.3 percentage points.

**CapEx** amounted to 1,335 million euros (+9.9% year-on-year excluding the investment in spectrum in the second quarter of 2011), mainly related to mobile network expansion aimed at securing strong data and accesses growth, as well as increased weight of higher speed in the fixed broadband service.

### **ARGENTINA** (year-on-year changes in local currency)

Telefónica Argentina maintained its market leadership in the first nine months of the year, with a portfolio of benchmark services via integrated bundled fixed and mobile broadband offers and value added services, with a segmented approach which enables to meet the diverse customers needs.

Thus, particularly noteworthy is the launch of the Dúo Plus services bundle this quarter, which included unlimited calls to both fixed and mobile accesses and, as a differential product in the market, it had very good take-up by customers.

In addition, it is important to highlight that the Company's economic results for the first nine months of the year were negatively impacted by the compensation to customers associated with the software fault in the equipment which manages signalling in Movistar's national network, which affected the service on April, 2. Moreover, the severe weather conditions that affected the northern area of Buenos Aires on April, 4 had also a further negative impact on the results.

The Company managed 23.6 million **accesses** at the end of September 2012, up 4% year-on-year.

Operating highlights at the **mobile business** as of September 2012 were:

The estimated penetration rate in the market stood at 142% (+9 percentage points year-on-year).

The Company's **mobile accesses** stood at 17.3 million (+5% year-on-year) after net additions of 554 thousand accesses in the third quarter (529 thousand accesses in the first nine months), significantly higher than net additions in the same period last year (49 thousand accesses in the quarter and 253 thousand accesses in the first nine months of 2011). Performance in the contract segment accesses stand out, with growth accelerating to 9% year-on-year and already accounting for 38% of total accesses.

**Churn** posted a sequential improvement in the quarter and stood at 2.2% (2.7% in the nine months) as a result of the improvement in the prepay segment and the positive trend in contract churn (0.9%), which remains as a market benchmark.

**Traffic** increased by 9% year-on-year as of September 2012 and 10% in the third quarter.

**ARPU** posted a positive performance, increasing by 15.1% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year (+10.7% in the third quarter) due to progressive uptake of data services and growth in voice traffic.

Regarding commercial activity at the **fixed business** in the first nine months of the year, the main highlights were:

**Traditional fixed accesses** stood at 4.6 million, virtually stable year-on-year (-1%), with limited net accesses loss in the quarter (-9 thousand accesses) due to the success of service bundling. Thus, 76% of accesses now include some type of service bundle.

**Retail broadband accesses** totalled 1.7 million, up 9% year-on-year, with higher net additions in the third quarter (44 thousand accesses) than in the first and second quarters (32 thousand accesses in both quarters).

**Revenues** reached 2,732 million euros in the first nine months of 2012, up 17.9% year-on-year, maintaining growth virtually stable in the quarter (+17.7% year-on-year).

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**Mobile revenues** totalled 1,783 million euros, growing 20.4% year-on-year (+19.2% in the quarter).

**Mobile service revenues** posted a significant increase of 18.7% year-on-year (+14.9% in the quarter), reflecting the high levels of usage. **Data revenues** were the main growth driver, advancing by 33.7% year-on-year in the nine months (+32.7% in the third quarter) and already accounting for 44% of service revenues (+5 percentage points year-on-year).

The increase in commercial activity led to a significant acceleration in **handset revenues**, which increased by 75.8% in the quarter (+40.7% in the first nine months).

**Fixed revenues** totalled 1,040 million euros, with growth accelerating to 14.0% year-on-year in the first nine months of 2012 (+15.5% in the quarter).

**Voice and access revenues** increased by 5.7% year-on-year in the first nine months (+5.8% in the quarter) thanks to the positive result of the voice services bundling strategy and accesses stability.

Particularly noteworthy is the strong increase in **broadband and new service revenues** (+26.4% year-on-year in the first nine months; +29.2% in the quarter), which reflected the solid growth of internet and content revenues, and of data, IT and capacity rental revenues.

**Operating expenses** totalled 1,954 million euros and increased by 26.8% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year. This trend was mainly driven by higher commercial costs caused by the increase in commercial activity in the quarter and the improvement in customer care service, and by widespread price increases, which translated into higher subcontract expenses and higher personnel expenses, also affected by the impact of the salary increase included in the collective bargaining agreement this quarter.

**OIBDA** amounted to 768 million euros in the first nine months of the year, down 2.3% year-on-year (-9.1% in the quarter), with an OIBDA margin of 27.5% and 25.9% in the quarter, with trends mainly reflecting the strong increase in commercial activity and the higher focus on customer care.

**CapEx** reached 290 million euros in the first nine months of the year, up 5.6% year-on-year, reflecting the focus on strengthening the leadership in quality, especially in fixed and mobile broadband services.

### **CHILE** (year-on-year changes in local currency)

Telefónica continues to lead the Chilean telecommunications market, strengthening its competitive advantage based on a differentiated and integrated services offering in a highly competitive environment. In this regard, it is important to note the introduction of mobile number portability nationwide in 2012 and the gradual implementation in the fixed business, reaching nationwide scope this quarter.

Against this backdrop, the Company continues to improve its offering through services bundling and development of the fixed ultra-broadband through VDSL and fibre optic technology as future growth levers, in addition to continuous improvement of mobile broadband plans.

Thus, Telefónica managed 12.9 million **accesses** in Chile at the end of September 2012, with a year-on-year increase of 5%.

Regarding operating highlights of the **wireless business** in the first nine months of the year were:

Estimated penetration of the Chilean mobile market stood at 146% (+13 percentage points year-on-year).

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The Company's **mobile accesses** stood at 9.8 million at the end of September, with growth accelerating to 7% year-on-year, after net additions of 110 thousand accesses in the third quarter (+202 thousand accesses in the first nine months of the year).

**Mobile broadband** accesses reached 1.5 million (+50% year-on-year) and accounted for 16% of total access, driven mainly by the strong growth of smartphones, that more than doubled accesses as of September 2011.

**Churn** stood at 2.4% in the year to date (2.1% in the same period of 2011), with a better performance in the third quarter (2.1%) despite the negative impact of portability.

**Traffic** increased by 6% year-on-year as of September (+5% in the third quarter).

**ARPU** decreased by 3.1% year-on-year in the first nine months of 2012 (-4.5% in the quarter), impacted by higher competitive intensity.

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Regarding commercial activity in the **fixed business**, highlights were:

**Traditional accesses** stood at 1.8 million (-6% vs. September 2011), highlighting a reduction in accesses net loss of the third quarter (-23 thousand accesses vs. -68 thousand accesses as of June), despite the gradual introduction of fixed number portability.

**Retail broadband accesses** totalled 926 thousand at the end of September 2012 (+7% year-on-year), after posting net additions of 48 thousand accesses (21 thousand in the quarter), compared with 43 thousand accesses in the first nine months of 2011.

**Pay TV accesses** stood at 408 thousand, growing by 7% year-on-year, with net additions of 17 thousand accesses as of September 2012. **Revenues** totalled 1,886 million euros in the first nine months of 2012, with year-on-year growth of 3.1% (+0.2% in the quarter):

**Mobile revenues** stood at 1,143 million euros, with a year-on-year increase of 3.5% in the first nine months of the year (+1.6% in the third quarter).

**Mobile service revenues** in the first nine months of the year increased by 3.8% year-on-year (+2.3% in the quarter), underpinned by accesses growth and data revenues contribution (+3.1% year-on-year as of September; +0.3% in the quarter), despite being negatively affected by the impact of the regulatory change in the treatment of Premium SMS. Non-SMS revenues accounted for 74% of data revenues, due to the higher penetration of mobile broadband services.

Revenues from the **fixed business** reached 820 million euros as of September 2012 (-0.4% year-on-year; -3.8% in the quarter).

**Broadband and new services** revenues accounted for 51% of fixed business revenues (+6 percentage points year-on-year) and grew by 11.8% year-on-year (+8.0% in the quarter), reflecting the growth coming from internet, TV and content revenues, and the increase from data, IT and capacity rental revenues.

**Voice and access** revenues decreased by 10.6% year-on-year (-14.0% in the quarter) due to the net accesses loss amid a more mature market environment.

**Operating expenses** growth eased to 10.0% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year (+14.1% year-on-year in the first half of the year) thanks to the Company's efficiency measures reflected in all expense items, although supplies showed the higher commercial activity in the mobile business, higher content expenses and interconnection traffic growth.

Thus, **OIBDA** reached 762 million euros in the first nine months of 2012 (-6.3% year-on-year; -3.8% in the quarter), with OIBDA margin at 40.4% in the year to date and 41.7% in the third quarter (-4.1 percentage points and -1.8 percentage points year-on-year respectively). It is important to note that year-on-year OIBDA comparison was affected by the sale of non-strategic towers in 2011 (11 million euros in the first nine months and 4 million euros in the third quarter).

**CapEx** reached 401 million euros in the first nine months of the year, with a year-on-year increase of 14.8%, mainly related to the development and improvement of the quality of fixed and mobile broadband services.

**PERÚ** (year-on-year changes in local currency)

In the first nine months of the year, Telefónica continued to reinforce its leadership in the market, leveraged on the advantages of its complete and integrated services offer.

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The Company's commercial offer remained focused on bundled offers in fixed business and on mobile broadband, with continued improvement of data plans to boost smartphone adoption. During the third quarter the commercial effort has been focused on the prepay segment, simplifying its offer under a unique tariff and launching loyalty campaigns.

Telefónica Peru managed 19.9 million **accesses** at the end of September, with year-on-year growth of 9%.

Highlights of the operating performance of the **mobile business** include:

The estimated penetration rate in the mobile market stood at 82% (+8 percentage points year-on-year).

The Company's **mobile accesses** totalled 14.8 million, with major growth of 10% year-on-year driven by a sound performance in the contract segment, which increased by 22% year-on-year, representing 23% of total accesses (+2.4 percentage points year-on-year).

**Net additions** amounted to 800 thousand accesses during the first nine months of the year and 114 thousand accesses in the third quarter. It should be noted that from the third quarter, the Company is applying more restrictive criteria to prepay gross additions, which was reflected in total net additions. Nevertheless, it is important to note the positive trend of net additions in the contract segment, amounting to 156 thousand accesses in the third quarter and 499 thousand accesses in the first nine months of 2012.

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**Mobile broadband accesses** posted strong year-on-year growth, 3 times the figure as of September 2011 and reaching a penetration of 7% of the total base.

**Churn** in the first nine months and third quarter of the year stood at 3.6%, unchanged from the first half of 2012 and down 0.3 percentage points from the second quarter of the year.

**Traffic** grew 26% year-on-year in the nine months of the year (+20% in the quarter) boosted by the good performance in outgoing traffic.

**ARPU** decreased by 2.3% year-on-year during the first nine months of the year (-1.4% in the third quarter) affected by the change in the fixed-mobile tariff and the interconnection tariff reduction applied in October 2011.

Regarding commercial activity in the **fixed business** the main highlights were as follows:

**Traditional accesses** at the end of September 2012 stood at 2.9 million, up 2% year-on-year, thanks to net additions of 51 thousand accesses in the first nine months of the year.

**Retail broadband accesses** amounted to 1.3 million, with strong year-on-year growth of 21% driven by net additions of 168 thousand accesses through September (+43 thousand in the third quarter).

The **pay TV accesses** stood at 885 thousand at the end of September, consolidating a strong increase of 15% year-on-year with net additions of 86 thousand accesses in the first nine months of the year (+29 thousand accesses in the quarter).

**Revenues** in the first nine months of 2012 totalled 1,781 million euros, with a 5.1% year-on-year growth (+5.4% in the quarter) despite adverse regulatory impacts which affected fixed-mobile calls (due to the change of call ownership and also a drop in the regulated retail rate) and the mobile interconnection rate cut in October 2011. Excluding these impacts, revenues would have increased strongly by 8.5% year-on-year in the first nine months of 2012 (+8.7% in the third quarter).

**Mobile service revenues** stood at 974 million euros in the first nine months, up by 7.9% year-on-year (+6.7% in the quarter).

**Mobile service revenues** posted a good performance, increasing by 9.7% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year (+8.6% in the quarter), despite the negative impact of the regulatory changes mentioned above. Excluding these effects, growth would have been 14.4% (+13.2% in the third quarter).

**Mobile data revenues** continued delivering a solid performance, with year-on-year growth of 39.8% compared to January-September 2011 (+53.8% in the quarter), already accounting for 17% of service revenues (+4 percentage points year-on-year), reflecting the strong growth of non-SMS data revenues (+44.3% year-on-year; +57.9% in the quarter), representing 66% of mobile data revenues (+2 percentage points year-on-year).

Revenues from **fixed business** stood at 908 million euros in the first nine months of 2012 and grew 1.0% year-on-year, with a significant acceleration in the third quarter (+3.2% year-on-year).



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**Revenues from broadband and new services** are the driver of growth, with year-on-year growth of 13.1% (+18.7% in the quarter), and now represent 60% of fixed revenues, thanks to solid performances of revenues from Internet, TV, content and business services.

**Voice and access revenues** decreased by 13.0% year-on-year through September (-14.0% in the quarter) highly affected by the impact of regulatory changes (-7.8% year-on-year during the first nine months of the year and -8.8% in the quarter, excluding these factors).

**Operating expenses** grew by 8.7% in the first nine months of the year to 1,182 million euros due mainly to higher commercial costs as a result of higher commercial activity, as well as higher taxes related to the canon for the usage of radioelectrical spectrum and participation of employees. It should be noted the decrease of interconnection costs due to the reduction of mobile termination rates.

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**OIBDA** stood at 651 million euros in January-September 2012 (+1.9% year-on-year; +10.1% in the quarter). OIBDA margin stood at 36.6% for the nine-month period (-1.2 percentage points year-on-year) and at 39.3% for the quarter (+1.5 percentage points year-on-year). It should be noted that year-on-year comparisons are affected by the sale of non-strategic towers in the third quarter of 2012 (20 million euros).

**CapEx** amounted to 232 million euros, representing year-on-year growth of 18.6%, focusing the investment on network deployment for broadband, both fixed and mobile, and new services.

### **COLOMBIA** (year-on-year changes in local currency)

In the first nine months of 2012, Telefónica continued to improve its positioning in the Colombian telecommunications market and became the country's second-largest integrated operator following the merger of Telefónica Móviles Colombia, S.A. and Colombia Telecomunicaciones S.A. ESP at the end of June.

It is noteworthy that after having brought all its services together under the Movistar brand in the last quarter, Telefónica has reinforced the convergent marketing of products by bundling fixed and mobile services in the third quarter of the year.

Thus, Telefónica in Colombia managed 14.4 million **accesses** at the end of September 2012, up 10% year-on-year.

The main highlights of the operating performance of the **mobile business** include:

The estimated mobile penetration rate in the market stood at 115% (+10 percentage points year-on-year).

The Company's **mobile accesses** stood at 12.0 million, up 12% year-on-year, led by the positive performance in both, the prepay and contract segments.

**Net additions** in the first nine months of the year totalled 614 thousand accesses, with a net access loss in the quarter of 354 thousand accesses associated with the disconnection of low value prepay customers offsetting the positive performance of gross additions (+26% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year; +13% in the quarter). It is noteworthy the positive performance of the contract segment, with net additions of 196 thousand customers in the year (41 thousand in the quarter).

**Churn** stood at 3.4% in the first nine months of the year, with a year-on-year increase of 0.4 percentage points as a result of the abovementioned disconnection of low value customers.

**Traffic** managed in the first nine months of the year declined 3% year-on-year (-6% in the quarter) and maintained the trend posted in the second quarter.

**ARPU** decreased by 10.4% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year (-13.5% in the third quarter), mainly as a result of the reduction in mobile termination rates.

Regarding commercial activity in the **fixed business** the main highlights were as follows:

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**Traditional fixed line accesses** stood at 1.4 million (-6% year-on-year), with a net loss of 50 thousand accesses in the first nine months of the year (-19 thousand in the quarter), 25% lower than the loss registered in the same period of 2011.

**Retail broadband accesses** reached 679 thousand, with year-on-year growth accelerating for the second consecutive quarter to 12%, after registering higher net additions in the third quarter than in the first half of the year (34 thousand accesses in the third quarter; 66 thousand in the first nine months of the year).

**Pay TV accesses** totalled 272 thousand, up 10% year-on-year, reflecting the Company's effort to reposition its offer as a differential aspect of its bundling strategy, with net additions steadily improving over the year (14 thousand in the quarter, 17 thousand in the first nine months).

**Revenues** in the first nine months of the year totalled 1,324 million euros, up 2.3% year-on-year (-1.3% in the quarter).

**Mobile revenues** stood at 800 million euros as of September, up 7.0% year-on-year (+3.5% in the quarter):

**Mobile service revenues** (+7.1% in January-September; +3.6% in the quarter, both year-on-year) were affected by a lower ARPU and the reduction in mobile termination rates. Stripping out this impact, mobile service revenues would have grown by 8.9% in the first nine months of 2012 (+6.7% in the third quarter).

**Data revenues** posted a strong year-on-year growth of 19.4% up to September despite the deceleration registered in the quarter (+8.8% year-on-year) due to a change in the marketing strategy of SMS premium, and already accounted for 24% of service revenues (+2.5 percentage points year-on-year). Non-SMS revenues accounted for 89% of data revenues (+2 percentage points year-on-year) and grew by 22.7% year-on-year (+12.4% in the quarter).

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**Fixed revenues** totalled 524 million euros in the first nine months of 2012 (-4.2% year-on-year; -7.9% in the quarter).

**Broadband and new service revenues**, which together accounted for 51% of total revenues, grew by 4.4% year-on-year in the first nine months of 2012, fuelled by the growth in Internet and content revenues. In the third quarter revenues decreased by 4.7% year-on-year strongly affected by the seasonality of corporate projects for the second quarter in a row.

**Voice and access revenues** posted a year-on-year decrease of 11.3% through September (-10.4% in the third quarter) due to a lower number of accesses and a highly competitive market environment.

**Operating expenses** totalled 916 million euros in the first nine months, a decrease of 2.2% year-on-year, as a result of the efficiency measures applied by the Company, mainly reflected in lower personnel and subcontract expenses, and lower supply costs due to the reduction in termination rates.

**OIBDA** stood at 443 million euros in the first nine months of 2012, up 3.0% year-on-year (+2.1% in the quarter) with an OIBDA margin of 33.5% (+0.3 percentage points year-on-year) and of 36.1% in the quarter (+1.2 percentage points year-on-year). The year-on-year comparison was affected by the sale of non-strategic towers in 2011 (17 million euros through September and 4 million euros in the third quarter of 2011) and in 2012 (2 million euros in the third quarter).

**CapEx** amounted to 163 million euros through September of 2012 (-31.5% year-on-year).

**MEXICO** (year-on-year changes in local currency)

Telefónica continues to bolster its commercial positioning in Mexico, offering products and services that focus on innovation and customer experience, and providing a unique services offering in the market.

Thus, after the significant launches in the second quarter of the year (plans billed by the second, innovation in roaming, new applications and Movistar Total ), it is noteworthy the launch of new data plans focused on boosting the mobile broadband business development. In this regard, the Company continues to strengthen its strategy for innovation and investment, as the focus on LTE in the country demonstrates, leading its development and standing ahead of the rest of competitors. Meanwhile, it should also be noted that the agreement signed in June with Iusacell in order to significantly reinforce the coverage and capacity of the services that both companies provide, entered into effect in the third quarter.

Highlights of the operating performance of the business include:

The estimated mobile penetration in the market stood at 86% at the end of September 2012, stable over the previous year.

Telefónica s **total accesses** in the country stood at 20.1 million (-6% year-on-year).

**Mobile accesses** totalled 19.1 million, down 7% year-on-year, following the application of more selective criteria to both gross additions and customer disconnections from the third quarter of 2011 with the aim of improving quality and customer base value which, accordingly, affect net additions.

In the first nine months of the year the **churn** rate stood at 3.1% (+0.5 percentage points year-on-year), but the third quarter (2.9%; -0.1 percentage points year-on-year) improved versus the previous quarter.

**Mobile broadband accesses** maintained the growth of previous quarters fuelled by the strong growth of smartphones, which were more than 3 times higher than in September 2011.

**ARPU** continued its growth trend begun in the previous quarter, increasing by 3.5% year-on-year in the first nine months of 2012, with a significant acceleration in the third quarter (+6.1%).

**Revenues** in the first nine months of the year totalled 1,174 million euros and remained virtually unchanged from last year (-0.7% year-on-year; stable in the quarter), with **mobile service revenues** improvement standing out (+1.1% in the quarter; -1.0% in the first nine months). It should be noted that the significant reduction in termination rates approved by the regulator in the second quarter of 2011 continues to affect negatively on year-on-year comparisons. Thus, excluding the effects of the reduction in termination rates, mobile service revenues would have posted solid year-on-year growth of 4.1% in the first nine months of 2012 (+2.4% in the quarter).

**Data revenues** increased by 20.8% year-on-year in the first nine months of 2012 (+19.4% year-on-year in the quarter) and accounted for 34% of mobile service revenues (+6 percentage points year-on-year). Non-SMS data revenues grew by 70.5% year-on-year (+62.5% in the third quarter) and already account for 37% of data revenues (+11 percentage points year-on-year).

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**Operating expenses** posted a year-on-year growth of 1.3% in the first nine months of the year, although improving its trend versus previous quarters (-6.9% year-on-year in the quarter), mainly due to the decrease in subcontract expenses as a consequence of the commissions scheme improvement implemented last quarter and lower supplies derived from the reduction in termination rates.

**OIBDA** in the first nine months reflected cost-containment efforts and stood at 299 million euros (+0.6% year-on-year; +32.2% in the third quarter), with an OIBDA margin of 25.5% in the first nine months and 28.5% in the quarter (+0.3 percentage points and +7.0 percentage points year-on-year, respectively). Excluding the impact of the aforementioned reduction in termination rates, OIBDA would have grown 5.0% versus the first nine months of 2011 (+32.9% year-on-year in the quarter).

Likewise, OIBDA and OIBDA margin year-on-year trends were affected by the sale of non-strategic towers in 2012 (42 million euros in the first nine months and 27 million euros in the third quarter) and 2011 (23 million euros in the third quarter of 2011).

**CapEx** amounted to 159 million euros in the first nine months of 2012 (-20.9% year-on-year), and was mainly devoted to investment in capacity and coverage in 2G and 3G network deployment, as well as on distribution channels and points of sale to ensure growth in capillarity.

### **VENEZUELA** (year-on-year changes in organic terms)

Telefónica maintained its leadership position in the market in the third quarter, thanks to its strategy on satisfying customer needs with focus on innovation, technical capacity, service quality, and improvement in tariff plans. All this was reflected in the Company's solid operating and financial results.

On the other hand, the Company's commitment to provide an innovative service and being a benchmark in service quality, was reflected in the concession of an additional 20 MHz in 1900 MHz band in September.

The highlights of operating performance in the businesses are as follows:

Estimated penetration at the end of September in the Venezuelan mobile market was 107% (+10 percentage points year-on-year).

Telefónica managed a total of 11.1 million **accesses** in Venezuela at the end of September, with a year-on-year increase of 9%.

**Mobile accesses** totalled 10.1 million, with year-on-year growth accelerating to 9% after registering net additions of 652 thousand accesses in the first nine months of the year (vs. -268 thousand accesses in the same period last year), with a sharp increase in growth in the third quarter, reaching net additions of 265 thousand accesses.

**Mobile broadband accesses** posted a significant year-on-year growth of 59.3%, driven by the strong increase in smartphones, which grew by 78.5% year-on-year and reached a penetration of 31% of total mobile accesses (+12 percentage points year-on-year).

**Churn** stood at 2.2% in the first nine months of 2012, down 0.7 percentage points year-on-year and reached 2.1% in the third quarter (-0.5 percentage points year-on-year). The contract churn stood at 0.8% in the nine months (-0.1 percentage points year-on-year) and remained as a market benchmark.

**Traffic** continued to show solid year-on-year growth with an increase of 10% in the first nine months of the year (+12% in the quarter).

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**ARPU** increased by 17.7% year-on-year in the first nine months of 2012 (+17.8% in the quarter), mainly driven by growth in data. **Revenues** totalled 2,305 million euros in the first nine months of the year, with year-on-year growth accelerating for the sixth consecutive quarter to 26.9% (+29.9% in the quarter). This trend reflected the strength of **mobile service revenues**, which increased by 23.5% in the first nine months (+25.1% in the quarter), driven by a larger customer base and ARPU growth. Excluding the impact of lower mobile termination rates, service revenues would have grown by 24.3% year-on-year in the first nine months of the year (+25.0% in the third quarter).

**Data revenues** posted a significant growth of 35.9% year-on-year through September, maintaining the same pace of growth in the quarter, to account for 39% of mobile service revenues (+7 percentage points year-on-year). Non-SMS data revenues accounted for 56% of data revenues (+16 percentage points year-on-year).

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**Operating expenses** increased by 28.9% year-on-year in the first nine months of 2012, impacted by the increase in personnel expenses following the reform of the labour law. Expenses were also affected by higher commercial costs related to the increased commercial activity in the quarter.

**OIBDA** totalled 1,021 million euros in the first nine months, with year-on-year growth accelerating to 25.6% after increasing 32.4% in the third quarter. OIBDA margin stood at 44.3% in the first nine months of 2012 and 48.5% in the third quarter (+0.1 percentage points and +3.0 percentage points year-on-year, respectively), reflecting the continued focus on increasing efficiency levels.

**CapEx** amounted to 261 million euros in the first nine months and increased 9.2% year-on-year in organic terms excluding the investment in spectrum (32 million euros) of this quarter, and was mainly devoted to investment in capacity and 3G coverage, distribution channel, points of sale and call centres.

## LATINOAMERICA

## ACCESSES

*Unaudited figures (thousands)*

	2011			2012		% Chg
	September	December	March	June	September	
Final Clients Accesses	194,260.6	200,760.5	205,433.8	207,908.5	210,101.4	8.2
Fixed telephony accesses (1)	24,126.6	23,960.7	23,905.3	23,860.0	23,873.7	(1.0)
Internet and data accesses	8,147.9	8,244.2	8,397.3	8,537.9	8,664.6	6.3
Narrowband	386.9	304.6	291.1	268.3	216.6	(44.0)
Broadband (2)	7,651.8	7,828.9	7,997.8	8,161.2	8,339.7	9.0
Other (3)	109.2	110.6	108.4	108.4	108.2	(0.9)
Mobile accesses	159,795.4	166,297.9	170,836.9	173,191.0	175,209.5	9.6
Prepay (4)	125,569.4	131,087.2	134,802.7	136,055.4	136,978.6	9.1
Contract	34,226.0	35,210.7	36,034.2	37,135.6	38,230.9	11.7
Pay TV (5)	2,190.6	2,257.7	2,294.3	2,319.6	2,353.6	7.4
Wholesale Accesses	53.8	50.9	49.3	44.0	47.6	(11.5)
Total Accesses T. Latam	194,314.4	200,811.3	205,483.1	207,952.5	210,149.0	8.1
Terra Accesses	572.3	641.7	691.5	660.6	673.6	17.7
Total Accesses in Latin America	194,886.7	201,453.0	206,174.6	208,613.1	210,822.6	8.2

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## MOBILE ACCESSES

*Unaudited figures (thousands)*

	2011			2012		% Chg
	September	December	March	June	September	
Prepay percentage (%)	78.6%	78.8%	78.9%	78.6%	78.2%	(0.4 p.p.)
Contract percentage (%)	21.4%	21.2%	21.1%	21.4%	21.8%	0.4 p.p.
MBB accesses ( 000)	13,724.6	16,283.3	18,554.3	21,472.4	23,657.1	72.4



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MBB penetration (%)	9%	10%	11%	12%	14%	4.9 p.p.
Smartphone penetration (%)	6%	7%	8%	10%	11%	5.2 p.p.

- (1) *PSTN (including Public Use Telephony) x1; ISDN Basic access x1; ISDN Primary access; 2/6 Access x30. Company's accesses for internal use included. Total fixed wireless accesses included.*
- (2) *Includes ADSL, optical fiber, cable modem and broadband circuits.*
- (3) *Retail circuits other than broadband.*
- (4) *360 thousand inactive accesses were disconnected in Chile in the third quarter of 2011. In Brazil, 1.0 million inactive accesses were disconnected in the fourth quarter of 2011 and 1.6 million inactive accesses in the second quarter of 2012.*
- (5) *Includes 150 thousand clients of TVA in June 2011.*

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## CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

*Unaudited figures (Euros in millions)*

	January - September			July - September		
	2012	2011	% Chg	2012	2011	% Chg
Revenues	22,578	21,317	5.9	7,615	7,339	3.8
Internal exp. capitalized in fixed assets	126	112	12.9	43	38	13.8
Operating expenses	(15,115)	(13,995)	8.0	(5,065)	(4,918)	3.0
Supplies	(5,650)	(5,477)	3.1	(1,908)	(1,885)	1.2
Personnel expenses	(2,142)	(1,895)	13.0	(705)	(675)	4.4
Subcontracts	(6,220)	(5,667)	9.8	(2,101)	(1,980)	6.1
Bad debt provision	(377)	(353)	6.7	(106)	(165)	(35.3)
Taxes	(726)	(603)	20.5	(245)	(212)	15.2
Other net operating income (expense)	57	185	(69.1)	29	76	(61.8)
Gain (loss) on sale of fixed assets	259	126	106.2	72	38	90.5
Impairment of goodwill and other assets	(0)	(2)	(96.2)	(0)	(2)	(96.2)
Operating income before D&A (OIBDA)	7,906	7,743	2.1	2,694	2,570	4.8
<i>OIBDA Margin</i>	<i>35.0%</i>	<i>36.3%</i>	<i>(1.3 p.p.)</i>	<i>35.4%</i>	<i>35.0%</i>	<i>0.4 p.p.</i>
Depreciation and amortization	(3,770)	(3,555)	6.0	(1,288)	(1,244)	3.5
Operating income (OI)	4,136	4,187	(1.2)	1,406	1,326	6.0

*Notes:**OIBDA and OI before management and brand fees.**2011 and 2012 reported figures include the hyperinflationary adjustments in Venezuela.*

*From January 1st, 2012, and due to the implementation of the new organization announced in September 2011, companies related to the digital world and global resources that were previously included in the consolidation perimeter of T. Latinoamérica (Terra, Medianetworks Perú, Wayra and the joint venture Wanda) have been excluded from the consolidation perimeter and are included within Other companies and eliminations. As a result, the results of T. Latinoamérica and Other companies and eliminations have been restated for the fiscal year 2011, to reflect the above mentioned new organization. As this is an intragroup change, Telefónica consolidated results for 2011 are not affected.*

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## ACCESSES BY COUNTRY (1)

*Unaudited figures (Thousands)*

	2011			2012		
	September	December	March	June	September	% Chg
<b>BRAZIL</b>						
Final Clients Accesses	82,750.8	87,172.1	90,333.7	91,136.9	92,144.8	11.4
Fixed telephony accesses (1)	11,086.6	10,977.4	10,880.9	10,767.4	10,710.9	(3.4)
Internet and data accesses	3,933.1	3,942.6	3,986.3	3,999.2	4,009.1	1.9
Narrowband	287.7	214.5	207.9	188.8	161.8	(43.8)
Broadband (2)	3,567.5	3,648.0	3,700.1	3,732.0	3,768.9	5.6
Other (3)	77.9	80.0	78.2	78.4	78.4	0.6
Mobile accesses	67,038.4	71,553.6	74,783.7	75,719.7	76,805.6	14.6
Prepay (4)	51,679.3	55,438.1	58,163.0	58,542.3	58,851.0	13.9
Contract	15,359.1	16,115.5	16,620.7	17,177.4	17,954.5	16.9
Pay TV (5)	692.7	698.6	682.8	650.5	619.3	(10.6)
Wholesale Accesses	32.0	28.0	26.9	25.7	25.0	(21.8)
Total Accesses	82,782.8	87,200.1	90,360.6	91,162.6	92,169.8	11.3
<b>ARGENTINA</b>						
Final Clients Accesses	22,630.4	23,008.4	22,786.3	23,009.8	23,574.5	4.2
Fixed telephony accesses (1)	4,617.1	4,611.0	4,597.0	4,582.7	4,573.7	(0.9)
Fixed wireless	38.2	38.2	36.8	49.5	47.2	23.6
Internet and data accesses	1,611.1	1,630.7	1,655.0	1,685.0	1,705.0	5.8
Narrowband	43.4	35.7	28.4	26.1	2.1	(95.1)
Broadband (2)	1,567.7	1,595.1	1,626.6	1,659.0	1,702.9	8.6
Mobile accesses	16,402.2	16,766.7	16,534.2	16,742.1	17,295.9	5.4
Prepay	10,303.2	10,581.3	10,274.0	10,325.0	10,677.2	3.6
Contract	6,099.0	6,185.4	6,260.2	6,417.1	6,618.7	8.5
Wholesale Accesses	13.2	13.9	13.4	9.4	14.1	7.1
Total Accesses	22,643.6	23,022.3	22,799.7	23,019.2	23,588.6	4.2
<b>CHILE</b>						
Final Clients Accesses	12,253.1	12,674.4	12,809.1	12,742.2	12,849.9	4.9
Fixed telephony accesses (1)	1,871.4	1,848.1	1,810.3	1,780.1	1,757.5	(6.1)
Internet and data accesses	875.1	887.4	894.9	913.8	934.3	6.8
Narrowband	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.6	(6.5)
Broadband (2)	864.9	878.1	886.0	905.4	926.0	7.1
Other (3)	4.2	3.5	3.2	2.9	2.7	(36.9)
Mobile accesses	9,125.5	9,548.1	9,703.3	9,640.3	9,750.0	6.8
Prepay (6)	6,326.0	6,732.7	6,922.7	6,818.9	7,007.5	10.8
Contract	2,799.5	2,815.4	2,780.6	2,821.5	2,742.5	(2.0)
Pay TV	381.1	390.8	400.6	407.9	408.1	7.1

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Wholesale Accesses	4.9	5.2	5.3	5.2	4.8	(2.4)
Total Accesses	12,258.0	12,679.6	12,814.4	12,747.4	12,854.7	4.9

- (1) *PSTN (including Public Use Telephony) x1; ISDN Basic access x1, ISDN Primary access, 2/6 Access x30. Company's accesses for internal use included. Total fixed wireless accesses included.*
- (2) *Includes ADSL, optical fiber, cable modem and broadband circuits.*
- (3) *Retail circuits other than broadband.*
- (4) *In Brazil, 1.0 million inactive accesses were disconnected in the fourth quarter of 2011 and 1.6 million inactive accesses in the second quarter of 2012.*
- (5) *Includes 150 thousand clients of TVA in June 2011.*
- (6) *360 thousand inactive accesses were disconnected in Chile in the third quarter of 2011.*

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## ACCESSES BY COUNTRY (II)

*Unaudited figures (Thousands)*

	2011			2012		
	September	December	March	June	September	% Chg
<b>PERU</b>						
Final Clients Accesses	18,205.6	18,766.1	19,332.8	19,694.1	19,870.2	9.1
Fixed telephony accesses (1)	2,855.8	2,848.4	2,877.2	2,908.6	2,899.0	1.5
Fixed wireless (2)	471.2	444.6	638.0	631.8	602.8	27.9
Internet and data accesses	1,070.3	1,120.4	1,182.5	1,245.0	1,287.8	20.3
Narrowband	9.8	9.4	9.7	8.6	8.3	(15.1)
Broadband (3)	1,040.3	1,090.6	1,152.2	1,215.6	1,258.6	21.0
Other (4)	20.2	20.4	20.5	20.7	20.8	3.1
Mobile accesses	13,506.8	13,998.3	14,445.2	14,684.1	14,798.4	9.6
Prepay	10,707.6	11,079.6	11,372.7	11,422.4	11,380.7	6.3
Contract	2,799.2	2,918.7	3,072.5	3,261.7	3,417.7	22.1
Pay TV	772.6	799.0	828.0	856.5	885.0	14.5
Wholesale Accesses	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	(7.9)
Total Accesses	18,206.0	18,766.6	19,333.3	19,694.5	19,870.6	9.1
<b>COLOMBIA</b>						
Final Clients Accesses	13,081.0	13,746.9	14,287.7	14,719.5	14,394.9	10.0
Fixed telephony accesses (1)	1,521.0	1,480.6	1,463.3	1,450.5	1,431.0	(5.9)
Internet and data accesses	613.6	620.3	636.4	652.8	687.1	12.0
Narrowband	7.1	7.9	8.5	8.5	8.5	20.9
Broadband (3)	606.5	612.3	627.9	644.2	678.6	11.9
Mobile accesses	10,700.0	11,391.1	11,933.0	12,358.5	12,005.0	12.2
Prepay	8,047.6	8,626.8	9,076.4	9,440.0	9,045.2	12.4
Contract	2,652.4	2,764.2	2,856.6	2,918.6	2,959.8	11.6
Pay TV	246.4	255.0	255.0	257.7	271.8	10.3
Wholesale Accesses	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	0.0
Total Accesses	13,084.3	13,750.2	14,291.0	14,722.8	14,398.2	10.0
<b>MEXICO</b>						
Mobile accesses	20,515.7	19,742.4	19,210.8	19,158.4	19,076.5	(7.0)
Prepay	18,731.4	18,149.8	17,690.8	17,637.8	17,626.1	(5.9)
Contract	1,784.3	1,592.6	1,520.0	1,520.6	1,450.4	(18.7)
Fixed wireless	726.6	745.3	821.4	886.6	991.9	36.5
Total Accesses	21,242.2	20,487.7	20,032.2	20,045.0	20,068.4	(5.5)
<b>VENEZUELA</b>						
Mobile accesses	9,246.2	9,438.7	9,695.0	9,826.4	10,091.0	9.1
Prepay	8,391.7	8,570.9	8,812.2	8,912.1	9,121.1	8.7

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Contract	854.6	867.8	882.9	914.4	969.9	13.5
Fixed wireless	893.7	883.4	866.8	882.5	884.7	(1.0)
Pay TV	97.8	114.3	127.9	147.1	169.5	73.2
Total Accesses	10,237.8	10,436.4	10,689.8	10,856.1	11,145.2	8.9

- (1) *PSTN (including Public Use Telephony) x1; ISDN Basic access x1, ISDN Primary access, 2/6 Access x30. Company's accesses for internal use included. Total fixed wireless accesses included.*
- (2) *From January 1st, 2012 it includes Public Use Telephony from the fixed wireless technology.*
- (3) *Includes ADSL, optical fiber, cable modem and broadband circuits.*
- (4) *Retail circuits other than broadband.*

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## ACCESSES BY COUNTRY (III)

*Unaudited figures (Thousands)*

	2011			2012		
	September	December	March	June	September	% Chg
<b>CENTRAL AMERICA (1)</b>						
Fixed telephony accesses (2)	512.3	530.1	547.5	561.5	579.5	13.1
Fixed Wireless	328.0	340.9	391.7	406.6	421.1	28.4
Internet and data accesses	2.9	3.0	3.3	3.0	3.0	1.8
Broadband (3)	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	(10.7)
Other (4)	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.4	20.7
Mobile accesses	7,018.2	7,562.5	8,085.3	8,542.7	8,871.1	26.4
Prepay	6,348.5	6,850.7	7,310.5	7,727.3	8,067.3	27.1
Contract	669.7	711.8	774.9	815.5	803.8	20.0
Total Accesses	7,533.5	8,095.6	8,636.1	9,107.3	9,453.5	25.5
<b>ECUADOR</b>						
Mobile accesses	4,459.3	4,477.5	4,627.3	4,710.2	4,710.0	5.6
Prepay	3,758.8	3,756.5	3,887.6	3,954.1	3,936.3	4.7
Contract	700.5	721.0	739.7	756.1	773.8	10.5
Fixed Wireless	42.1	36.4	40.8	40.1	45.5	7.9
Total Accesses	4,501.5	4,513.9	4,668.2	4,750.4	4,755.5	5.6
<b>URUGUAY</b>						
Mobile accesses	1,783.0	1,819.0	1,819.1	1,808.4	1,806.1	1.3
Prepay	1,275.4	1,300.8	1,292.9	1,275.5	1,266.3	(0.7)
Contract	507.6	518.2	526.1	532.8	539.8	6.3
Total Accesses	1,783.0	1,819.0	1,819.1	1,808.4	1,806.1	1.3

(1) Includes Guatemala, Panama, El Salvador, Nicaragua, and from Q4 11, Costa Rica.

(2) PSTN (including Public Use Telephony) x1; ISDN Basic access x1; ISDN Primary access, 2/6 Access x30. Company's accesses for internal use included. Total fixed wireless accesses included.

(3) Includes ADSL, optical fiber, cable modem and broadband circuits.

(4) Retail circuits other than broadband.

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## SELECTED MOBILE BUSINESS OPERATING DATA BY COUNTRY

*Unaudited figures*

	2011		2012			
	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	% Chg Local Cur
<b>BRAZIL (1)</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	24,395	24,944	26,221	27,420	29,252	25.1
ARPU (EUR)	10.2	10.1	9.6	8.6	8.6	(7.2)
<b>ARGENTINA</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	4,871	4,947	4,665	5,087	5,366	10.2
ARPU (EUR)	9.9	10.5	10.5	11.1	11.1	10.7
<b>CHILE</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	3,039	3,173	3,188	3,207	3,194	5.1
ARPU (EUR)	11.7	11.6	12.0	11.7	12.4	(4.5)
<b>PERU</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	4,551	4,771	4,988	5,110	5,459	20.0
ARPU (EUR)	6.0	6.3	6.5	6.4	7.0	(1.4)
<b>COLOMBIA</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	4,727	4,439	4,351	4,295	4,447	(5.9)
ARPU (EUR) (2)	7.1	6.7	7.0	6.8	6.9	(13.5)
<b>MEXICO</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes) (3)	6,004	5,754	4,454	4,505	4,292	(28.5)
ARPU (EUR)	5.1	5.1	5.5	5.5	5.7	6.1
<b>VENEZUELA</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	3,714	3,816	3,766	3,885	4,153	11.8
ARPU (EUR) (4)	16.5	19.0	19.4	20.6	21.9	17.8
<b>CENTRAL AMERICA (5)</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	2,564	2,676	2,754	2,738	2,743	7.0
ARPU (EUR)	5.6	5.9	5.9	5.7	5.7	(8.4)
<b>ECUADOR</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	1,163	1,222	1,127	1,046	1,056	(9.2)
ARPU (EUR)	6.6	7.4	7.3	7.5	7.9	5.4
<b>URUGUAY</b>						
Traffic (Million minutes)	781	825	827	820	858	9.9
ARPU (EUR)	10.0	10.5	10.6	10.2	10.6	6.1

*Notes:**ARPU calculated as a monthly quarterly average.*



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*Traffic is defined as minutes used by the company customers, both outbound and inbound. On-net traffic is only included once (outbound), and promotional traffic is included. Traffic not associated to the Company's mobile customers (roaming-in, MVNOs, interconnection of third parties and other business lines) is excluded. Traffic volume non rounded.*

- (1) 2011 figures have been reclassified according to a proforma criteria regarding the ownership of the licenses and inter-company eliminations. ARPU affected by the disconnection of 1.0 million inactive accesses in the fourth quarter of 2011 and 1.6 million inactive accesses in the second quarter of 2012 in Brazil.*
- (2) 2011 and 2012 figures have been reclassified according to a proforma criteria regarding the integration of the fixed and mobile businesses.*
- (3) From the first quarter of 2012 traffic is accounted in seconds without rounding to minutes.*
- (4) For comparative purposes and in order to facilitate the interpretation of the year-on-year change versus 2011 results, the variation in local currency of the ARPU in Venezuela is reported excluding the impact of the hyperinflation adjustment.*
- (5) Includes Guatemala, Panama, El Salvador, Nicaragua, and from Q4 11, Costa Rica.*