

A Global Overview of FTTH

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FTTH council - Intercontinental Sister Organizations



Necessity to respect "Culture" & "History"



FTTH councils - enhanced global collaboration

- January 9th 2009, definitions refreshed
 - FTTH Definition can be found on <u>www.ftthcouncilap.org</u>

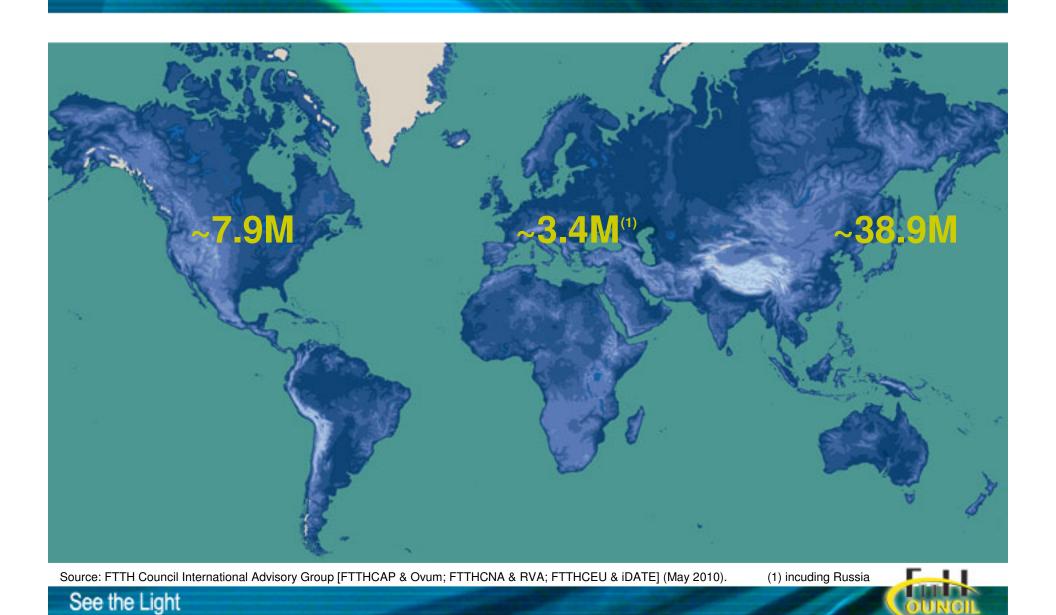
- February 23rd 2010, vision & mission statements reviewed
 - Global themes (Economic Benefits; Sustainability; New Services...)
 - Coordination of strategies, projects & working plans





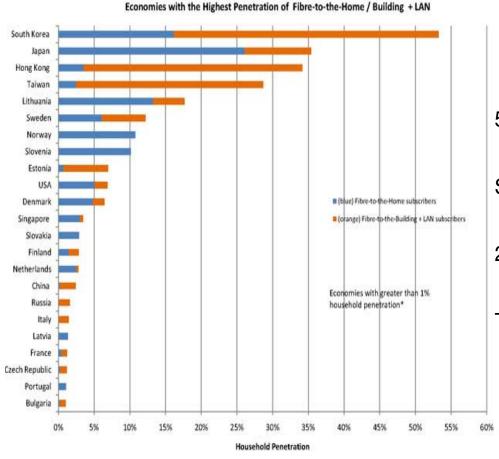


FTTH/B Subscribers Connected (May 2010)



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Global FTTH Ranking (May 2010 ranking)



Triumphant success around the world

50M+ subscribers (+12M vs. May 2009 ranking)

FTTB represent majority (~60%)

South Korea is number 1 (penetration)

1st country with > 50% FTTH/B household (HH)

23 countries [1] qualifying

Only 7 of "world leading economies" (G20)

Top 7 Global economies (subscribers):

- S.Korea, Japan, USA, China, Russia, Italy & France
- Represent > 90% of all FTTH/B subscribers
- S. Korea & Japan > 35% HH connected

May 2010 Ranking Source: Fibre to the Home Council May 2010

Economies with at least 200,000 households

The FTTH Global Ranking is based on the FTTH Councils' definition of FTTH/B: it includes both Fibre to the Home (FTTH), where the fibre connection reaches direct to the household, and Fibre to the Building (FTTB), where fibre terminates inside the boundary of a multi-tenant building. The Ranking covers all countries with at least 200,000 households where the penetration of FTTH/B has reached 1% of the total number of homes.

FTTH Global Ranking - APAC updates (vs. May 2009 ranking)

"What is most encouraging is that more & more countries have started to embark on this exciting journey of FTTH deployment realizing social and economic benefits that the technology brings."

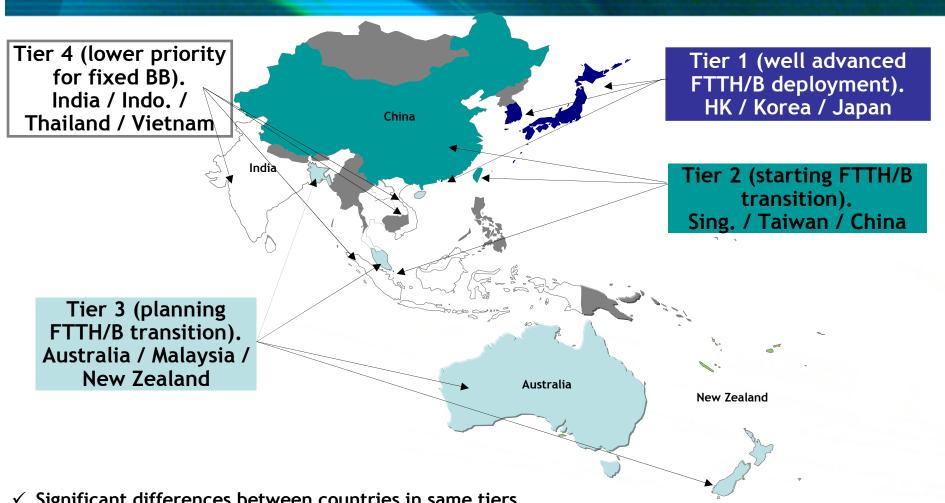
FTTH Council Asia-Pacific President Y.K. Loke

Sustainable FTTx growth in Asia-Pacific

- 38.9 million subscribers (+8.9 million). 61% is FTTB
- China has the highest growth
 - 9.6 million subscribers (+2.7 million). 92% is FTTB
- South Korea still largest FTTH/B penetration
 - 52.3% penetration (+8.7pts). 70% is FTTB
- Japan maintain leadership of FTTx subscribers
 - 17.2 million subscribers (+2.8 million). 62% is FTTH
- Strong global FTTx subscriber growth despite the recession:
 - Taiwan 25% (+12.9pts), Hong Kong 33.5% (+6.3pts),
 - Japan 34.5% (+5.6pts), Singapore 3.2% (+2.0pts), China 2.2% (+0.6pts)



APAC markets differentiated by strong regional goals

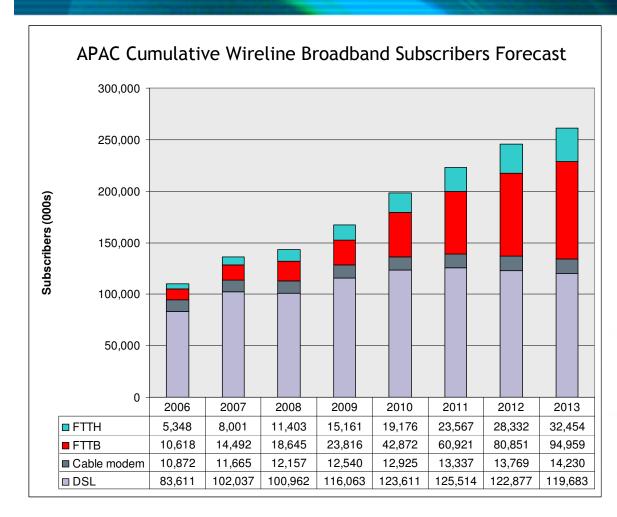


- Significant differences between countries in same tiers.
- ✓ China changed (Tier 3 to Tier 2) since last year, resulting from large-scale FTTx deployments 2008-2009
- ✓ Malaysia moved from Tier 4 to Tier3. Vietnam appearing in Tier 4

Source: FTTH Council APAC. The Impacts of Government Policy and Regulation on FTTH within Asia Pacific. March, 2010 ©



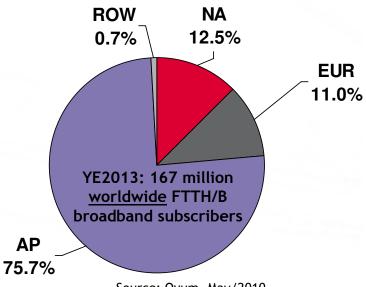
APAC is on the road to 130 millions FTTx subscribers



Sources: FTTH Council APAC/Ovum. Feb.2010

APAC FTTH/B YE2013:

- ✓~130M subscribers
- ✓25% FTTH, 75% FTTB
- ✓~50% of wireline BB



Source: Ovum. May/2010

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Asia Pacific market leadership expected to continue

Concluding remarks

- APAC ~ 80% of world FTTH/B subscribers is growing fast
- Government policy play instrumental role in FTTx development
 - Many lessons to be learned from Korea, Japan and other leaders
 - Correlate FTTH development to national development
- We congratulate recent FTTH announcements
 - Critical dynamic "government drive ⇔ stakeholder identification"
 - Build innovative solution for industrializing "Content & Applications"
 - Business-centric cloud computing, Multi-Screen video, web-enabled social services...
- Next update of the FTTH Global Ranking (September 2010)
 - FTTH Council North America's annual conference in Las Vegas



Thank you for your attention! Wish you a great Annual Conference

Embrace the FTTH changes!



