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20.25 Telecommunication Statistics

Year	Telephone services					
	No. of working connections (In thousand)			Number of exchange lines (Installed capacity in thousand)		
	Auto	Manual	Total	Auto	Manual	Total
1996-97	2473.14	84.47	2557.61	3049.85	109.59	3159.44
1997-98	2678.28	77.75	2756.03	3306.78	99.19	3405.97
1998-99	2929.22	56.29	2985.51	3612.85	76.44	3689.29
1999-00	3086.74	37.72	3124.46	3825.32	59.45	3884.77
2000-01	3312.80	27.39	3340.19	4032.79	47.80	4080.59
2001-02	3334.85	20.62	3355.47	4291.47	34.06	4325.52
2002-03	3893.46	9.39	3902.85	4787.34	17.40	4804.74
2003-04	4455.63	5.32	4460.95	5262.62	10.47	5273.10
2004-05	5187.40	3.50	5190.90	5677.90	5.84	5683.74
2004-05	5187.40	3.50	5190.90	5677.90	5.84	5683.74
2005-06	5180.28	9.17	5189.45	6003.50	10.60	6014.10

Year	Telephone services						
	Number of exchanges			Number of Telephones (in thousand)	Long distance public call offices		
	Auto	Manual	Total		on L & W	on VHF	Total
1996-97	1188	1258	2446	2813	2395	7662	10057
1997-98	1385	1150	2535	3032	2392	7679	10071
1998-99	1713	931	2644	--	2140	10139	12279
1999-00	1938	735	2673	--	2632	10400	13032
2000-01	2083	618	2701	--	--	--	--
2001-02	2163	456	2619	--	--	--	--
2002-03	2590	252	2842	--	127910	31710	159620
2003-04(R)	2814	148	2962	--	181098	3178	184276
2004-05	3040	91	3131	--	--	--	--
2005-06	2999	43	3042	--	--	--	--

On L & W = Line & wire

On VHF = By utilizing single channel very high frequency set

R=Revised

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Year	Telephone services					
	Manual trunk calls (In millions)	International telephone traffic calls (In millions)	International telephone traffic paid minutes (In millions)	International telephone circuits	Telephone density per 1000 population	Staff per 1000 telephone
1996-97	31.13	178.35	565.39	4445	17.8	21.0
1997-98	14.59	180.12	641.88	5196	22.0	20.0
1998-99	Service closed	195.49	726.57	5540	22.0	18.2
1999-00	"	219.83	874.56	7709	25.0	18.0
2000-01	"	--	--	--	--	--
2001-02	"	--	--	--	--	--
2002-03	"	398.15	1664.66	15467	29.0	11.11
2003-04	"	83.91	169.86	19753	29.0	11.3
2004-05	"	128.37	261.53	--	34.6	--
2005-06	Service closed	102.00	226.89	20156	3.25 *	10.63

Year	Telex services		
	International telex traffic calls (In millions)	International telex traffic paid (In millions)	International telex circuits
1996-97	2.78	--	435.00
1997-98	2.53	--	422.00
1998-99	2.38	0.76	406.00
1999-00	0.51	1.89	380.00
2000-01	--	--	--
2001-02	--	--	--
2002-03	0.25	2.83	293.00
2003-04	0.09	0.38	--
2004-05	0.06	0.25	--
2005-06	----- Service discontinued -----		

Note: All Gentex Exchange converted into Telex Exchange.

Source: Pakistan Telecommunication Company Limited.

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Year	Telegraph services			Telex services		
	Telegraph offices	Inland telegram (In millions)	International telegram (In millions)	No. of Telex exchanges	Telex exchange lines	Telex working connections
1996-97	433	2.06	0.16	13	9578	5377
1997-98	448	1.80	0.13	13	9578	4219
1998-99	398	1.29	0.07	13	9578	3600
1999-00	398	0.79	0.25	13	9578	2797
2000-01	346	0.71	0.18	13	9578	2858
2001-02	344	0.69	0.13	13	8408	2019
2002-03	326	0.80	0.15	13	8108	1821
2003-04	288	0.50	0.1	2	5368	973
2004-05	292	0.30	0.7	2	5368	806
2005-06						

----- Service discontinued -----

Year	Nation wide dialing		
	No. of NWD stations	No. of NWD channels	NWD calls (In millions)
	1996-97	756	32020
1997-98	937	32020	1006.00
1998-99	1305	216082	1338.00
1999-00	1458	216082	1438.00
2000-01	--	--	--
2001-02	--	--	--
2002-03	1643	298252	3386.17
2003-04	2257	--	--
2004-05	2252	--	--
2005-06	2441	--	--

* = Based on estimated population of 160 million.