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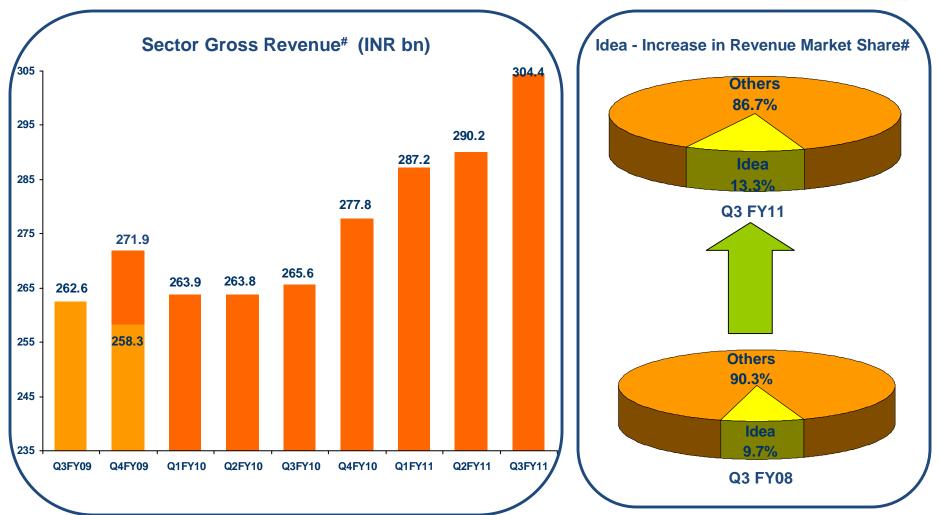
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Indian Wireless Sector – Revenue Trend

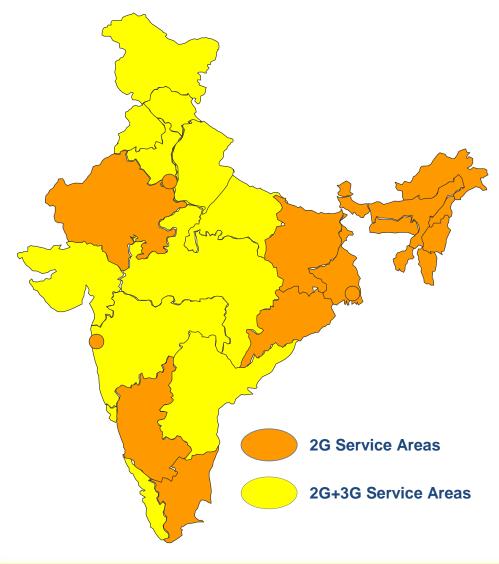




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Idea - An Overview

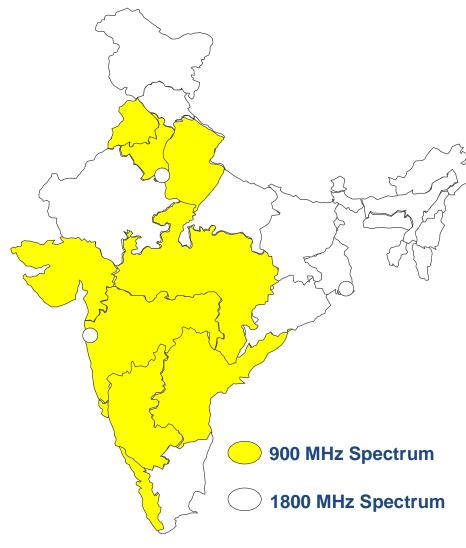




- A pan India 2G service provider, with all
 22 licenses under a single legal entity
- Third largest wireless operator in India
- Minutes of Use on network >1bn per day, placing Idea among the top 10 operators in the world
- Winner of 3G spectrum in 11 service areas

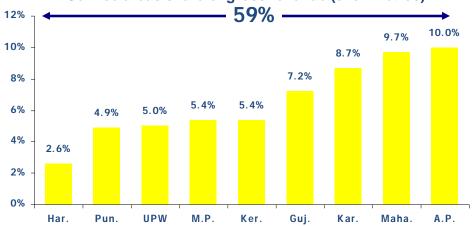
Competitiveness Lever 1 - Spectrum





- 900 MHz spectrum band provides capex/opex advantage, compared to 1800 MHz
- 900 MHz spectrum also accompanied by early mover advantage
- Idea holds 900 MHz spectrum in 9 service areas, covering
- ~ 48% of national revenue and ~76% of Idea's revenue
- ~ 59% of national revenue base (excl. metros*)
- Idea's spectrum profile is very attractive across all private operators

Service areas share of gross revenue (excl. metros)

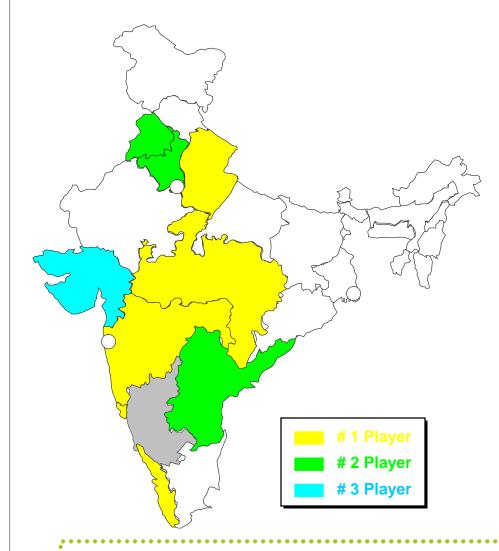


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* Metros as Mumbai, Delhi and Kolkata

Competitiveness Lever 2 - Scale within Service Area





Service Area (900 MHz)	Revenue Mkt Share ¹ (RMS)	Rank ²	
Kerala	29.9%	1	
M.P.	29.5%	1	
Maharashtra	28.6%	1	
UP (W)	27.5%	1	
Punjab	19.6%	2	
Haryana	19.5%	2	
A.P	16.3%	2	
Gujarat	17.3%	3	
Karnataka	7.8%	5	
Total	21.0%	2	

¹Based on gross revenue for Q3FY11, as released by TRAI

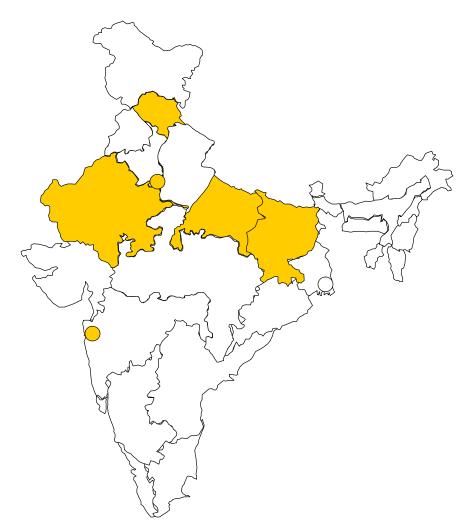
In 9 service areas, comprising ~ 48% of national revenue market, Idea's competitiveness is intrinsically strong based on a) 900 MHz spectrum and b) scale of operations

²Based on revenue market share

1800 MHz Operations (Older 6 Service Areas)

Emerging Stronger





Service Area	Revenue Mkt Share ¹ (RMS)	Rank ²
UPE	11.2%	3
Rajasthan	8.9%	3
Delhi	9.6%	4
Bihar	9.0%	4
H.P.	7.6%	4
Mumbai	6.9%	6
Total	9.0%	4

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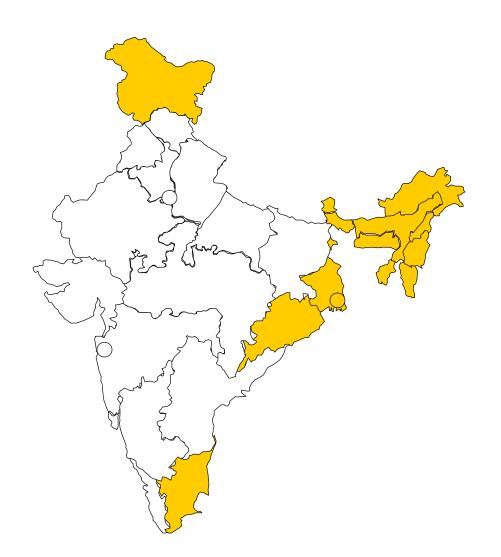
- These service areas cover ~31% of all India revenue and ~21% of Idea's revenue.
- Idea has increased its RMS from 5.8% in Q3FY09 to 9.0% in Q3FY11.
- With continuous improvement in RMS, Idea is emerging stronger.

²Based on revenue market share

1800 MHz Operations (Newer 7 Service Areas)

Focus On Optimisation, Not Maximisation



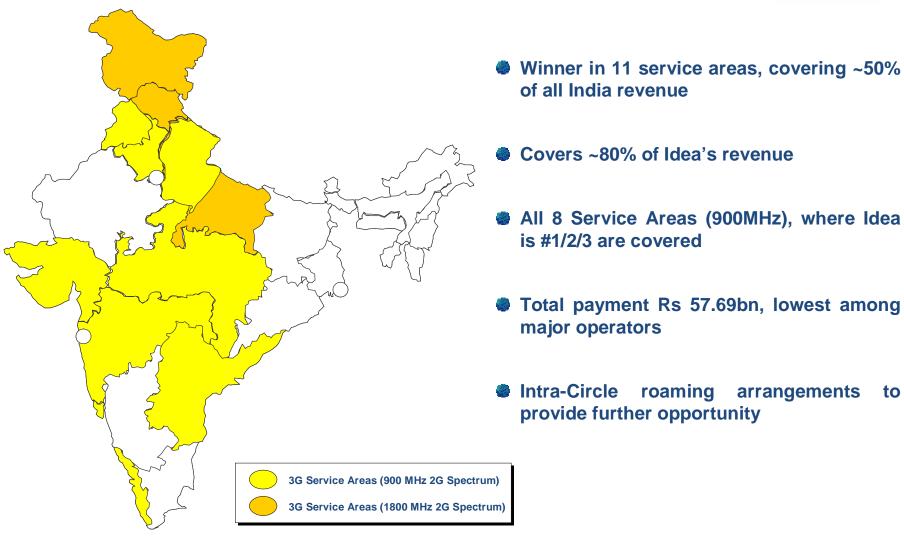


- Providing pan India footprint
- Leverage synergies of pan India operations i.e. roaming, NLD, ad spend, common network elements, etc.
- Infra sharing to reduce capex, and quicker time to market
- Focus on operational and financial goals, not league tables

3G Auction

Winner Where It Counts





Idea – Long Term Shareholder Value



900 MHz (9 Service Areas) 1800 MHz (13 Service Areas) **3G Value Drivers** (11 Service Areas)

Cover ~48% of national revenue market

Strong position in these service areas

900 MHz spectrum accompanied by early mover advantage

900 MHz spectrum provides capex and opex advantage

Leverage spectrum and scale to enhance leadership

Pan India Footprint

Leverage synergies of scale and footprint

Strong presence in Delhi and Mumbai

Calibrated Capex with infra sharing etc

Focus on operational & financial goals, not league tables

Sustainable and profitable growth

Market power to drive new business: Ranked #1 or #2, in 7 out of 11 service areas

Protecting existing business value:

3G footprint covers ~80% of
company revenue

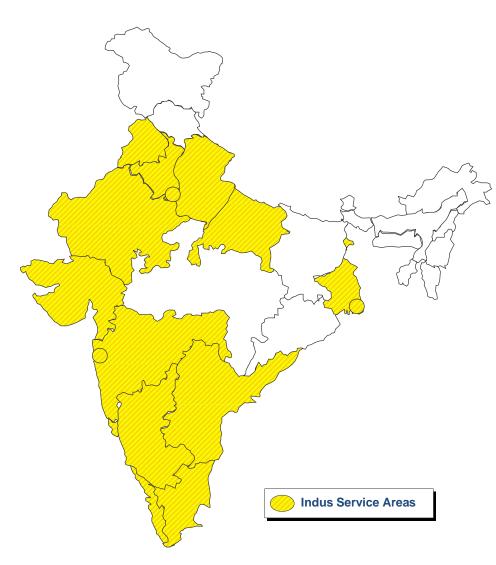
Other value: High 2G spectrum utilisation makes the 3G spectrum also valuable for voice

Affordability: Payout < 6 months revenue for 11 service areas

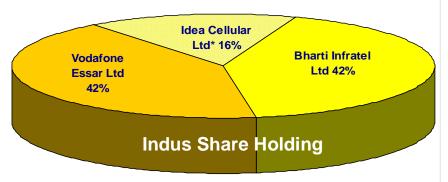
Best placed to exploit 3G

The Indus Advantage





- Provides passive infrastructure services in 15 service areas
- Largest independent tower company in the world with around 108,000 towers
- Indus benefits from assured tenancy from promoters (combined revenue market share of ~66%*), apart from other operators
- Idea benefits by reduced capex, speed to market, and embedded value of shareholding

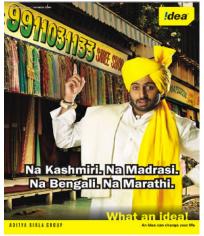


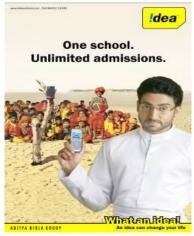
*through Aditya Birla Telecom Ltd.

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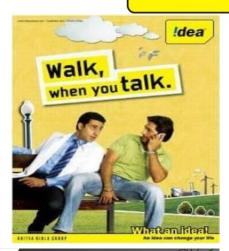
Idea - A Power Brand

















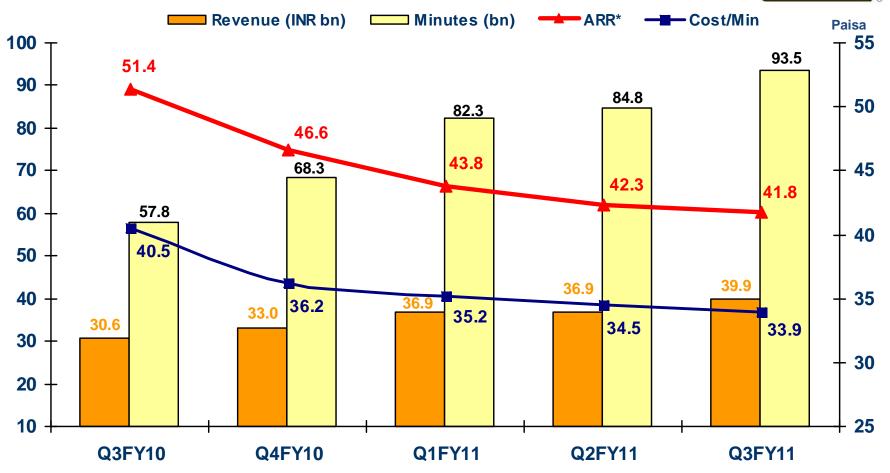






World Class Operations and Cost Management





- In an over-crowded sector, Idea is among the very few companies which have the capability to maintain and grow quality operations at a realised rate of 41.8p (less than 1cent/minute), and still turn in reasonable profits
- Arguably, Idea among the most competitive operators in the world

*ARR is based on service revenue (exclusive of infrastructure revenues)

Strong Balance Sheet to Support Strategic Intent !dea



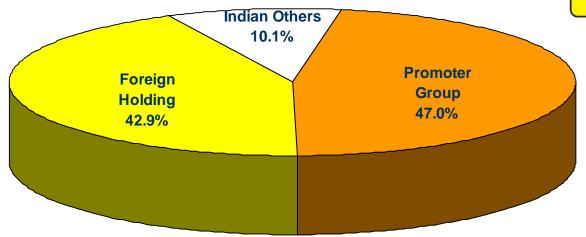
INR bn	Q1 FY09	Q1 FY10	Q4 FY10	Q1 FY11	Q2 FY11	Q3 FY11
Balance Sheet ¹						
Gross debt	97.4	60.9	65.3	97.8	97.5	97.6
Cash & Cash equivalent	9.2	26.6	14.0	1.2	5.0	4.6
Net Debt	88.3	34.3	51.3	96.6	92.5	93.0
Net Worth	38.1	136.5	114.1	116.1	117.8	120.1
Cash Profit ¹	5.7	7.3	7.7	7.2	7.0	7.7
Financial Ratios ¹						
Net Debt to Net Worth	2.32	0.25	0.45	0.83	0.79	0.77
Net Debt to Annualised EBITDA	3.06	1.11	1.54	3.04	3.04	2.83
ROCE	14.7%	9.3%	8.7%	6.4%	4.7%	5.6%

¹Figures for Idea including its 100% subsidiaries and excluding Joint Venture Spice (till February 28,2010) and Indus.

Shareholding

As on 31st Dec'10





PROMOTERS' HOLDING

ADITYA BIRLA NUVO LIMITED 25.4% BIRLA TMT HOLDINGS PVT LTD 8.6% HINDALCO INDUSTRIES LIMITED 6.9% GRASIM INDUSTRIES LTD 5.2% OTHERS 0.9%

TOP 5 SHAREHOLDERS

TMI MAURITIUS	14.1%
P5 ASIA INVESTMENTS (MAURITIUS)	10.0%
TMI INDIA LTD.	5.0%
MONET LIMITED	2.7%
BAJAJ ALLIANZ LIFE INSURANCE	1.8%

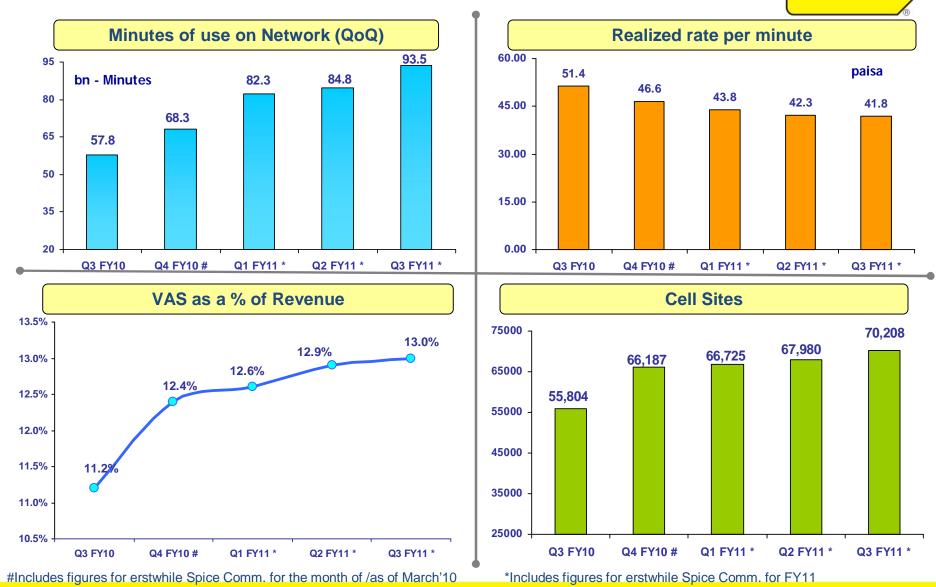


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ADITYA BIRLA GROUP

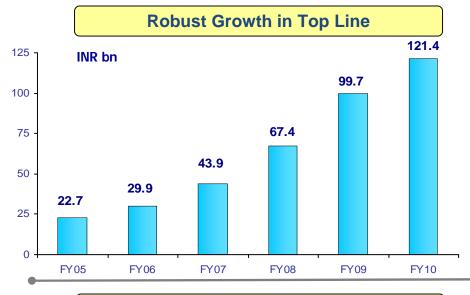
Key Trends (Quarterly)

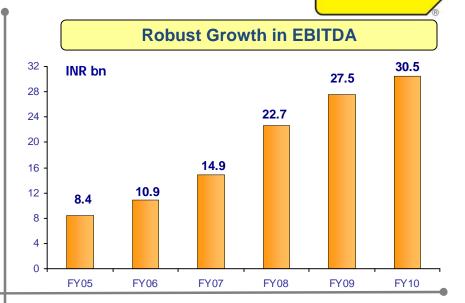


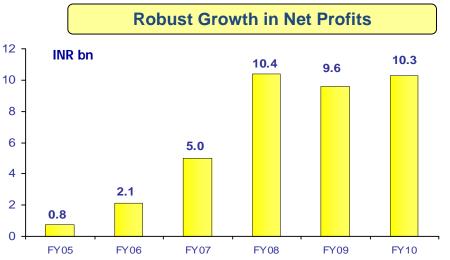


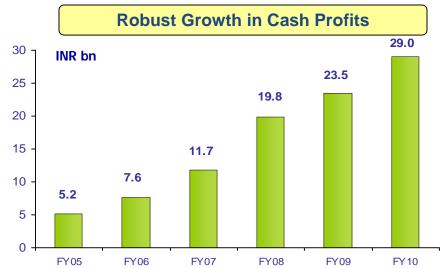
Financial Matrix (Idea*- Annual)











*Represents Idea and its 100% subsidiaries

Financial Matrix (Consolidated*- Annual)







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