

U N	Goal	9. Build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and foster innovation
	Target	9.c Significantly increase access to information and communications technology and strive to provide universal and affordable access to the Internet in least developed countries by 2020
	Indicator	9.c.1 Proportion of population covered by a mobile network, by technology

I. Global indicator

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Indicator	Proportion of population covered by a mobile network, by technology
Definition	<p>The proportion of population covered by a mobile network, broken down by technology (2G, 3G, or 4G), refers to the percentage of inhabitants living within range of a mobile-cellular signal, irrespective of whether or not they are mobile phone subscribers or users.</p> <p>This is calculated by dividing the number of inhabitants within range of a mobile-cellular signal by the total population.</p>

II. Data description

[Data] Proportion of population covered by a mobile network

Calculation method	$\frac{\text{Inhabitants living within range of a mobile-cellular signal}}{\text{Total population}} \times 100$
Unit	Percent (%)
Data sources	ITU collects data for this indicator through an annual questionnaire from national regulatory authorities or ICT ministries.
Calendar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Time series: 2000-2018(Data for Korea included in 2014-2018) ■ Data release: Annually
Organizations	ITU(International Telecommunication Union)
Global indicator link	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Metadata: https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-09-0c-01.pdf ■ Data: https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/indicators/database/