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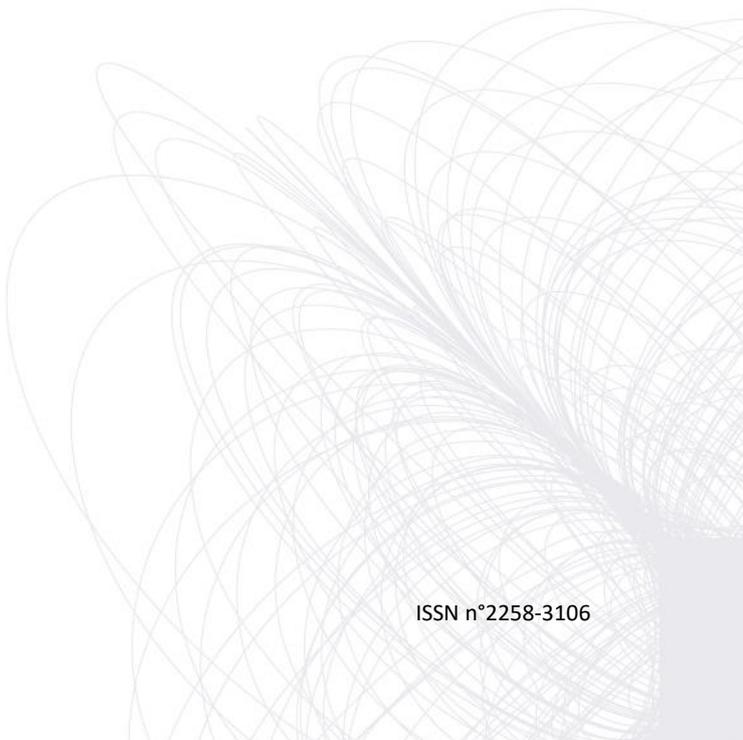
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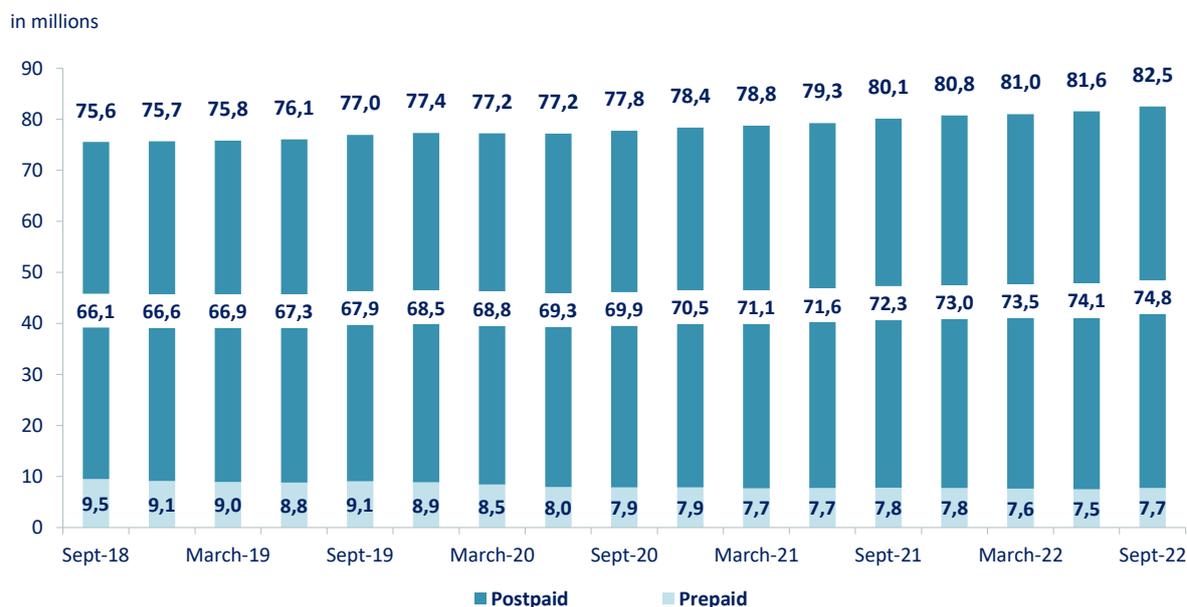
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A. Mobiles services market - MtoM SIM cards excluded

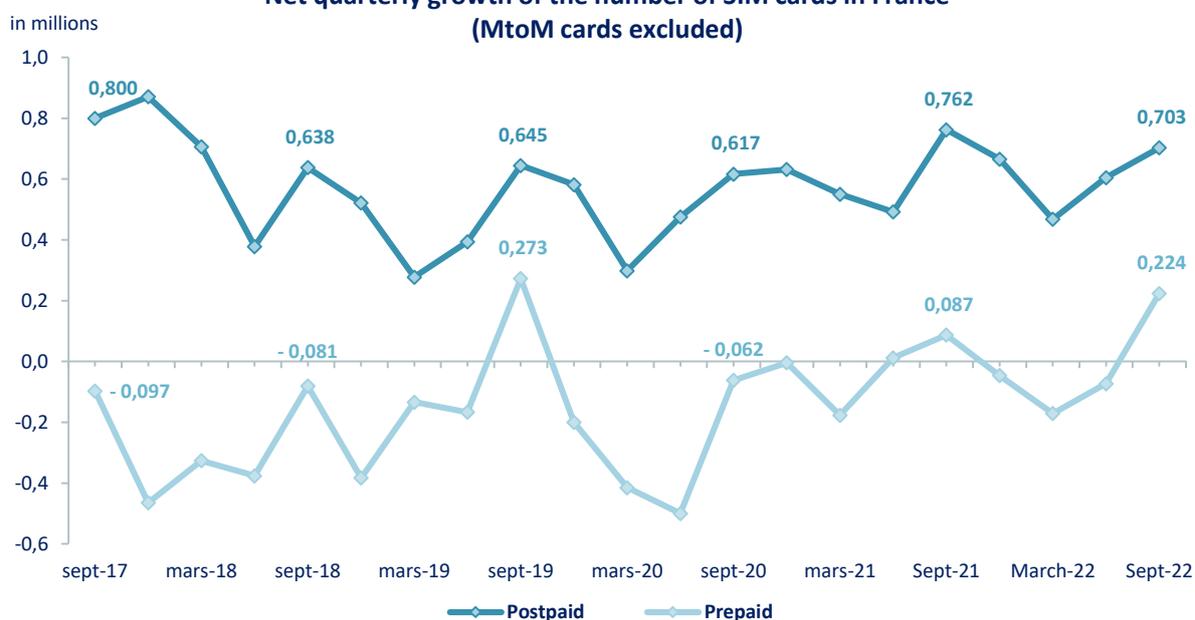
I. National Report - Total customers and active customers

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total customers	80,133	80,753	81,050	81,581	82,508
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,849	0,620	0,297	0,532	0,927
- Year on year net growth (in %)	3,0%	3,0%	2,9%	2,9%	3,0%
Penetration Rate	118,4%	119,3%	119,4%	120,2%	121,6%
<i>Population at January the 1st of previous year (source: Insee)</i>	67,678			67,863	
Postpaid customers	72,327	72,992	73,460	74,065	74,768
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,762	0,665	0,468	0,605	0,703
- Year on year net growth (in %)	3,5%	3,5%	3,4%	3,5%	3,4%
Prepaid customers	7,806	7,760	7,589	7,516	7,740
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,087	-0,046	-0,171	-0,073	0,224
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-1,0%	-1,6%	-1,5%	-2,6%	-0,8%
	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total active customers	77,873	78,540	78,738	79,294	80,113
- as a % of total customers	97,2%	97,3%	97,1%	97,2%	97,1%
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,909	0,667	0,198	0,556	0,819
- Year on year net growth (in %)	3,0%	3,2%	2,9%	3,0%	2,9%
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Number of SIM cards in France (MtoM cards excluded)



Net quarterly growth of the number of SIM cards in France (MtoM cards excluded)



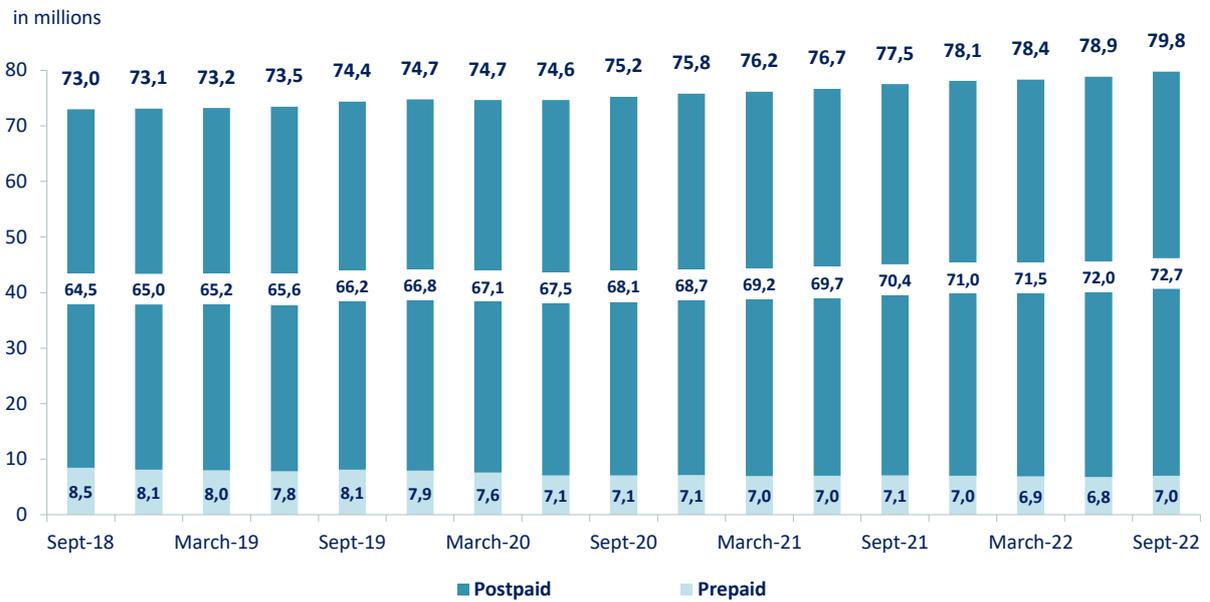
II. Metropolitan report



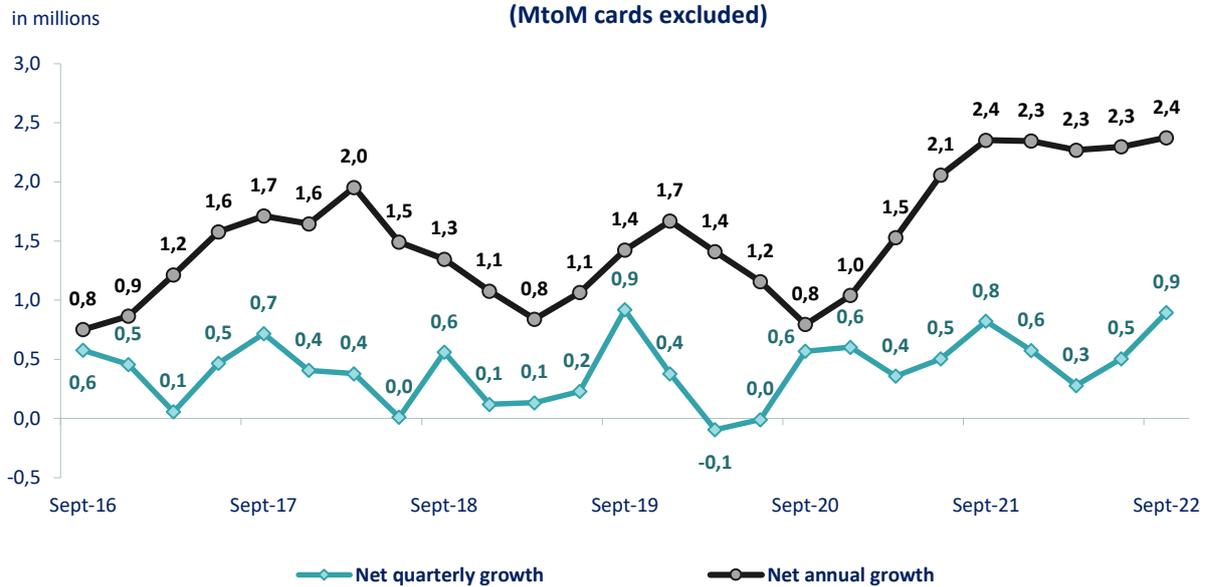
1. Total customers segmentation and total active customers (excluding MtoM SIM cards)

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total customers	77,501	78,077	78,356	78,863	79,759
among which Internet SIM cards	3,643	3,653	3,657	3,754	3,838
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,823	0,576	0,279	0,506	0,896
- Year on year net growth (in %)	3,0%	3,0%	2,9%	2,8%	2,9%
Penetration Rate	118,4%	119,3%	119,4%	120,2%	121,5%
<i>Population at January the 1st of previous year (source: Insee)</i>	65,447		65,627		
Postpaid customers	70,401	71,032	71,471	72,046	72,714
among which Internet SIM cards	3,017	3,026	3,021	3,095	3,149
- Quarterly gross sales	3,404	3,540	3,337	3,280	3,521
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,724	0,631	0,438	0,575	0,668
- Year on year net growth (in %)	3,4%	3,4%	3,3%	3,4%	3,3%
Prepaid customers	7,100	7,045	6,886	6,817	7,045
among which Internet SIM cards	0,627	0,628	0,635	0,659	0,689
- Quarterly gross sales	1,854	1,752	1,682	1,819	2,048
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,099	-0,055	-0,159	-0,069	0,228
- Year on year net growth (in %)	0,0%	-1,0%	-1,0%	-2,6%	-0,8%
Total active customers	75,426	76,060	76,240	76,779	77,568
- as a % of total customers	97,3%	97,4%	97,3%	97,4%	97,3%
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,888	0,633	0,180	0,540	0,789
- Year on year net growth (in %)	3,0%	3,1%	2,8%	3,0%	2,8%
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Number of metropolitan SIM cards (MtoM cards excluded)



Net quarterly and annual growths of the total metropolitan number of SIM cards (MtoM cards excluded)



2. Virtual mobile network operators (MVNO) market share

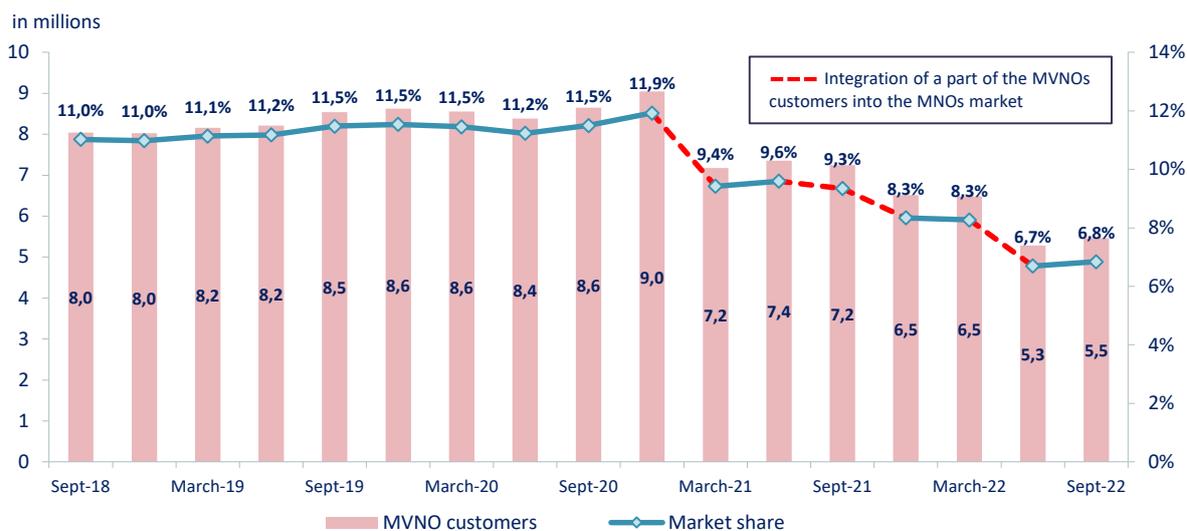


	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Mobile networks operators (MNOs) customers	70,259	71,565	71,876	73,583	74,299
- Among which postpaid customers	67,183	67,695	68,049	69,419	70,030
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,938	1,306	0,311	1,707	0,716
- Year on year net growth (in %)	5,5%	7,2%	4,2%	6,1%	5,8%
MVNOs customers	7,242	6,512	6,480	5,280	5,459
- Among which postpaid customers	3,219	3,337	3,422	2,627	2,684
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,115	-0,730	-0,032	-1,200	0,180
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-16,3%	-28,0%	-9,7%	-28,2%	-24,6%
MVNO Market share	9,3%	8,3%	8,3%	6,7%	6,8%
MVNO Market share of gross postpaid sales	8,8%	8,1%	8,3%	5,3%	4,9%
MVNO Market share of gross prepaid sales	61,6%	55,2%	56,4%	50,7%	46,2%
Irrelevant growth : Integration of a part of the MVNOs customers into the MNOs market					

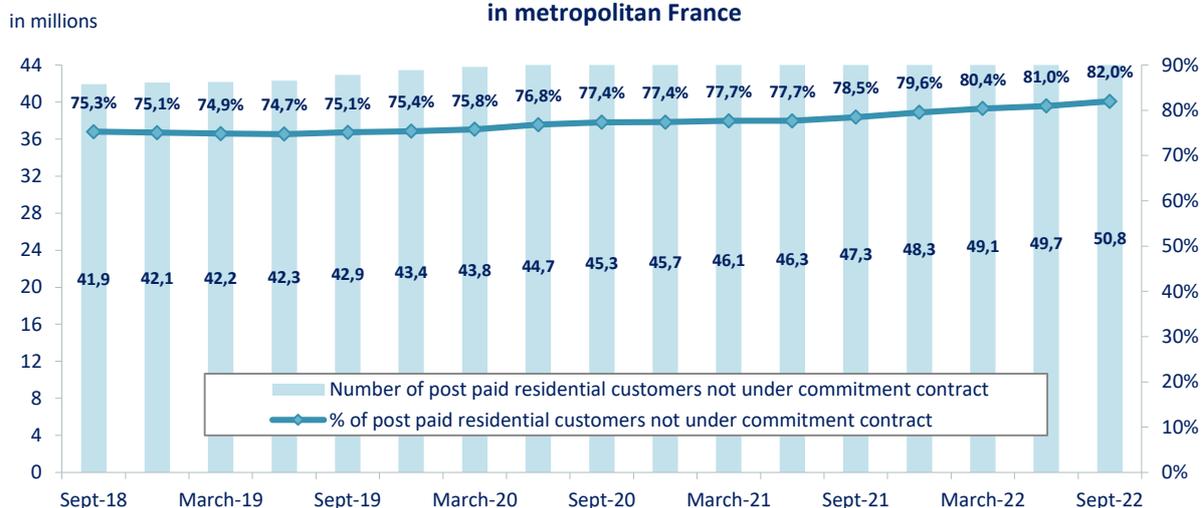
3. Market fluidity

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Quarterly postpaid cancellation rate	3,8%	4,1%	4,1%	3,8%	4,0%
Quarterly prepaid cancellation rate	24,8%	25,4%	26,3%	27,4%	26,2%
Numbers ported during the quarter	1,647	1,861	1,790	1,612	1,634
- Year on year net growth (in %)	9,0%	8,3%	3,1%	-9,3%	-0,8%
Post-paid residential customers not under commitment	47,302	48,307	49,059	49,702	50,753
- % of customers not under commitment contract	78,5%	79,6%	80,4%	81,0%	82,0%
Post-paid customers not under commitment contract	51,153	52,363	53,021	53,750	54,822
- % of customers not under commitment contract	72,7%	73,7%	74,2%	74,6%	75,4%
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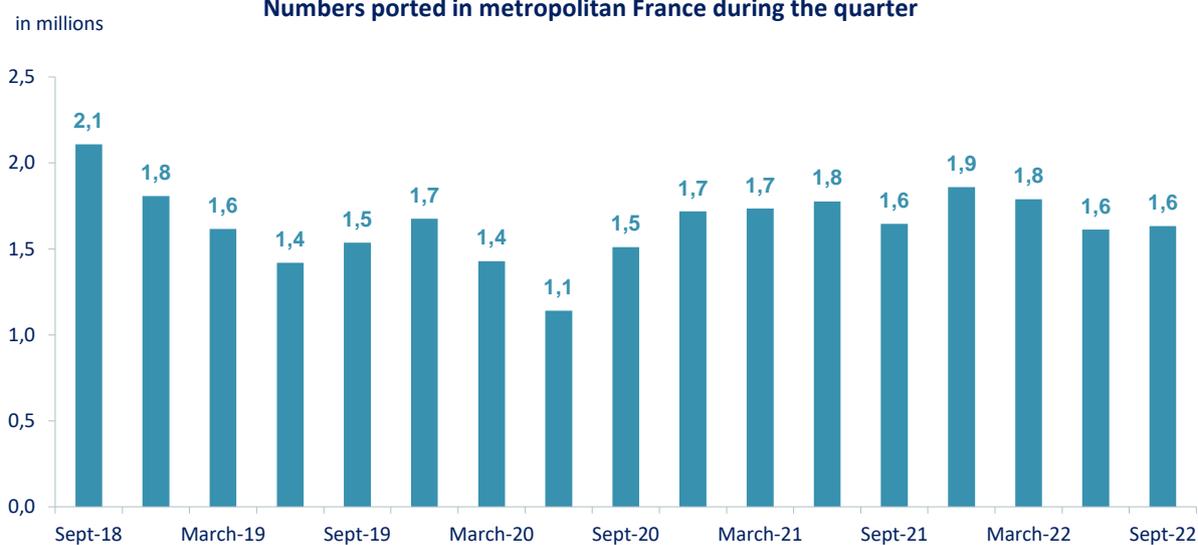
MVNO - Number of SIM cards and market share in metropolitan France



Post-paid residential customers not under commitment contract in metropolitan France



Numbers ported in metropolitan France during the quarter



III. Metropolitan residential and business market segmentation



1. Residential market - Total customers segmentation

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total residential customers	67,363	67,763	67,898	68,213	68,942
among which Internet SIM cards	2,168	2,174	2,185	2,243	2,292
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,691	0,400	0,135	0,315	0,729
- Year on year net growth (in %)	2,5%	2,5%	2,4%	2,3%	2,3%
Postpaid residential customers	60,264	60,718	61,013	61,396	61,897
- Quarterly gross sales	2,997	3,070	2,878	2,785	3,055
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,592	0,454	0,295	0,383	0,501
- Year on year net growth (in %)	2,8%	2,9%	2,8%	2,9%	2,7%
Prepaid residential customers	7,100	7,045	6,886	6,817	7,045
- Quarterly gross sales	1,854	1,752	1,682	1,819	2,048
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,099	-0,055	-0,159	-0,069	0,228
- Year on year net growth (in %)	0,0%	-1,0%	-1,0%	-2,6%	-0,8%

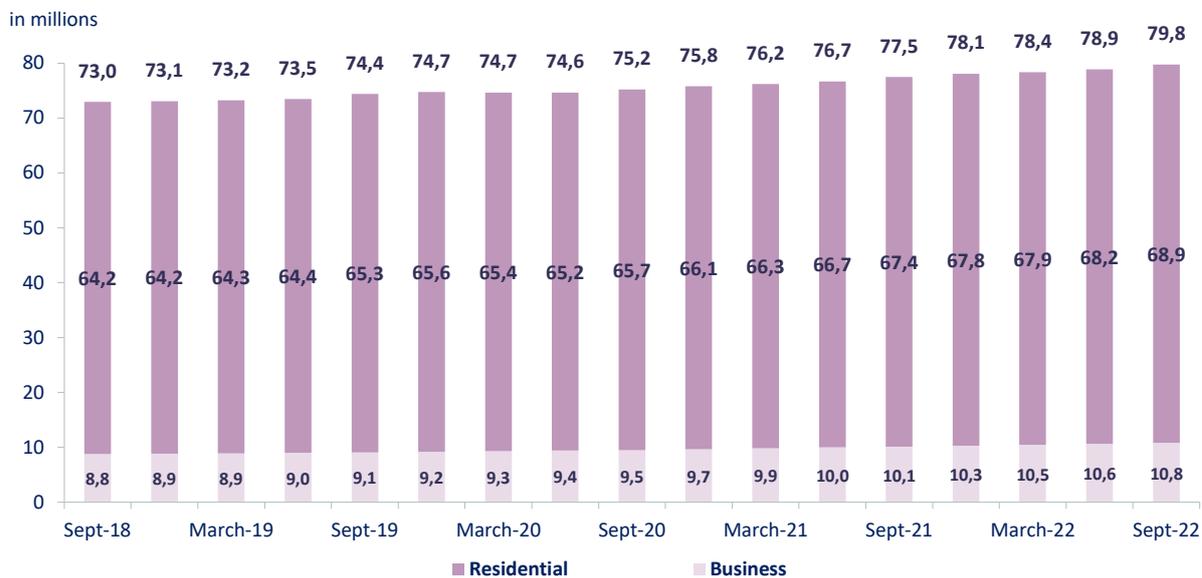
2. Residential market - Mobile Virtual Network Operators market share

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
MNOs	60,799	61,979	62,177	63,495	64,059
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,841	1,180	0,198	1,318	0,564
- Year on year net growth (in %)	5,4%	7,4%	4,1%	5,9%	5,4%
MVNOs	6,564	5,784	5,721	4,718	4,883
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,150	-0,780	-0,063	-1,003	0,165
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-18,3%	-31,1%	-13,0%	-29,7%	-25,6%
MVNO Market share	9,7%	8,5%	8,4%	6,9%	7,1%
MVNO Market share of gross postpaid sales	7,9%	6,8%	7,6%	4,5%	4,3%
Irrelevant growth : Integration of a part of the MVNOs customers into the MNOs market					

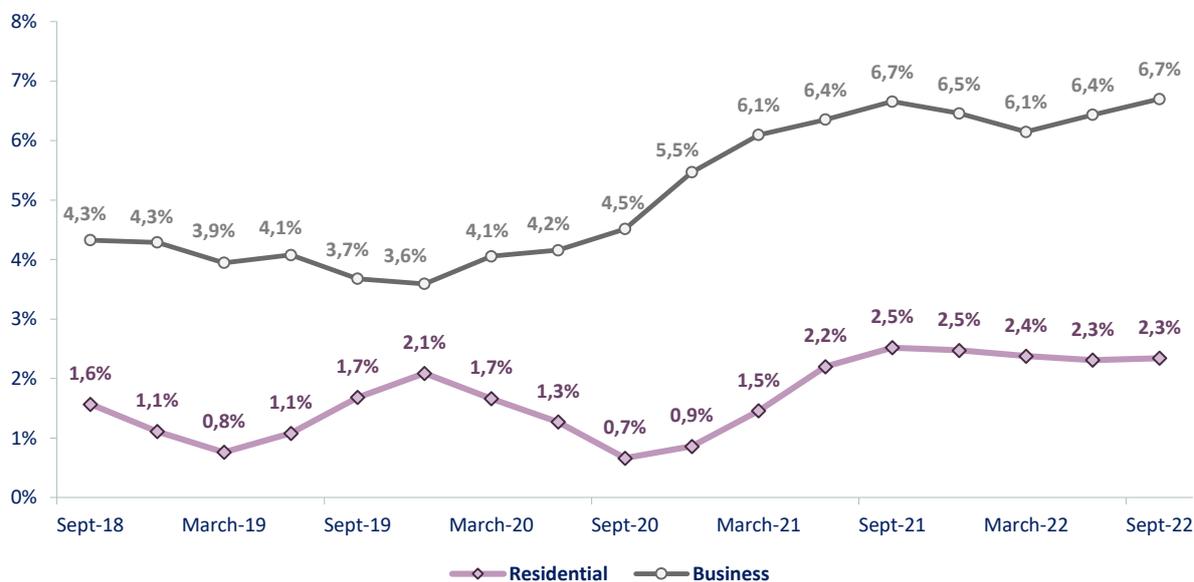
3. Business market - total customers MtoM SIM cards excluded

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Postpaid business customers	10,138	10,314	10,458	10,649	10,817
among which Internet SIM cards	1,475	1,479	1,472	1,511	1,546
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,132	0,177	0,143	0,192	0,167
- Year on year net growth (in %)	6,7%	6,5%	6,1%	6,4%	6,7%
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Number of SIM cards in metropolitan France Residential / Business segmentation



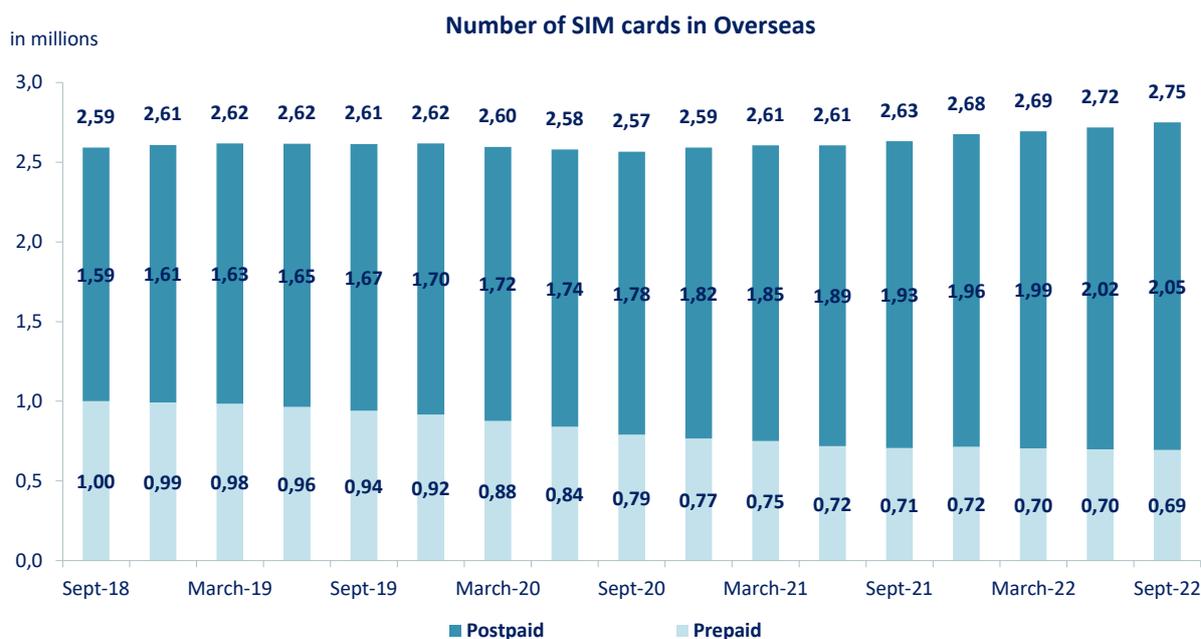
Year on year net growth of residential and business SIM cards



IV. Overseas report: DOM, Saint-Martin, Saint-Barthélemy, Saint-Pierre-et-Miquelon

1. Overseas départements: total customers and total active customers segmentation

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total customers	2,632	2,675	2,693	2,719	2,749
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,026	0,044	0,018	0,025	0,031
- Year on year net growth (in %)	2,5%	3,3%	3,4%	4,3%	4,5%
Penetration Rate	118,0%	120,0%	120,5%	121,6%	123,0%
<i>Population at January the 1st of previous year (source: Insee)</i>	2,230		2,236		
Postpaid customers	1,926	1,960	1,990	2,020	2,055
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,038	0,034	0,030	0,030	0,035
- Year on year net growth (in %)	8,5%	7,4%	7,3%	7,0%	6,7%
Prepaid customers	0,706	0,715	0,704	0,699	0,695
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,012	0,009	-0,012	-0,005	-0,004
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-10,8%	-6,7%	-6,3%	-2,6%	-1,6%
Total active customers	2,447	2,480	2,499	2,515	2,545
- as a % of total customers	93,0%	92,7%	92,8%	92,5%	92,6%
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,021	0,034	0,019	0,016	0,030
- Year on year net growth (in %)	3,9%	3,7%	3,9%	3,7%	4,0%
Adjusted figure					



2. Guadeloupe, St-Martin, St-Barth: total customers and active customers segm.



	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total customers	0,613	0,623	0,629	0,637	0,648
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,008	0,010	0,006	0,008	0,011
- Year on year net growth (in %)	1,0%	3,2%	3,1%	5,3%	5,7%
Penetration Rate	145,0%	147,3%	151,1%	153,0%	155,6%
<i>Population at January the 1st of previous year (source: Insee)</i>	0,423		0,416		
Postpaid customers	0,422	0,430	0,437	0,445	0,454
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,008	0,008	0,008	0,008	0,009
- Year on year net growth (in %)	8,1%	7,7%	7,8%	7,5%	7,6%
Prepaid customers	0,191	0,193	0,192	0,192	0,194
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,000	0,002	-0,001	0,000	0,001
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-11,8%	-5,5%	-6,2%	0,5%	1,4%
Total active customers	0,546	0,553	0,558	0,564	0,573
- as a % of total customers	89,1%	88,8%	88,7%	88,4%	88,5%
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,001	0,007	0,005	0,005	0,010
- Year on year net growth (in %)	2,5%	3,3%	3,2%	3,1%	4,9%

3. Guyane: total customers and total active customers segmentation



	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total customers	0,286	0,296	0,301	0,305	0,311
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,007	0,010	0,005	0,004	0,006
- Year on year net growth (in %)	0,8%	5,7%	6,8%	9,3%	8,8%
Penetration Rate	98,4%	101,9%	102,2%	103,4%	105,6%
<i>Population at January the 1st of previous year (source: Insee)</i>	0,291		0,294		
Postpaid customers	0,180	0,188	0,193	0,196	0,201
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,007	0,007	0,006	0,003	0,004
- Year on year net growth (in %)	19,8%	18,6%	16,9%	13,4%	11,5%
Prepaid customers	0,106	0,109	0,107	0,108	0,110
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,000	0,003	-0,001	0,001	0,002
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-20,7%	-11,0%	-7,5%	2,5%	4,0%
Total active customers	0,278	0,284	0,289	0,296	0,304
- as a % of total customers	97,2%	95,9%	96,1%	97,3%	97,8%
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,008	0,006	0,005	0,007	0,008
- Year on year net growth (in %)	6,3%	7,0%	8,3%	9,6%	9,5%
Adjusted figure					

4. Martinique: total customers and total active customers segmentation



	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total customers	0,514	0,521	0,523	0,527	0,532
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,002	0,007	0,002	0,004	0,004
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-0,4%	2,3%	2,0%	2,2%	3,4%
Penetration Rate	144,4%	146,4%	149,3%	150,5%	151,8%
<i>Population at January the 1st of previous year (source: Insee)</i>	0,356		0,350		
Postpaid customers	0,369	0,372	0,376	0,380	0,384
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,004	0,004	0,004	0,004	0,004
- Year on year net growth (in %)	5,2%	4,6%	4,5%	4,4%	4,1%
Prepaid customers	0,146	0,149	0,147	0,147	0,148
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,006	0,003	-0,002	0,000	0,001
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-12,4%	-2,9%	-4,0%	-2,9%	1,7%
Total active customers	0,448	0,453	0,457	0,457	0,461
- as a % of total customers	87,2%	86,9%	87,3%	86,7%	86,6%
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,003	0,005	0,004	0,001	0,004
- Year on year net growth (in %)	0,9%	1,6%	2,2%	1,3%	2,8%

5. Mayotte: total customers and total active customers segmentation



	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total customers	0,288	0,297	0,297	0,299	0,299
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,002	0,008	0,001	0,001	0,000
- Year on year net growth (in %)	8,1%	2,8%	3,4%	4,4%	3,7%
Penetration Rate	100,0%	102,9%	99,3%	99,7%	99,9%
<i>Population at January the 1st of previous year (source: Insee)</i>	0,288		0,299		
Postpaid customers	0,086	0,090	0,094	0,098	0,104
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,003	0,004	0,004	0,004	0,006
- Year on year net growth (in %)	22,1%	16,0%	17,3%	18,8%	21,0%
Prepaid customers	0,203	0,207	0,204	0,201	0,195
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,001	0,004	-0,003	-0,003	-0,006
- Year on year net growth (in %)	3,1%	-2,0%	-2,0%	-1,4%	-3,6%
Total active customers	0,255	0,261	0,259	0,256	0,255
- as a % of total customers	88,3%	88,1%	87,2%	85,6%	85,3%
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,005	0,007	-0,002	-0,004	-0,001
- Year on year net growth (in %)	7,8%	5,1%	4,5%	2,2%	0,1%
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6. Réunion: total customers and total active customers segmentation



	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
Total customers	0,925	0,933	0,938	0,945	0,954
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,011	0,008	0,004	0,008	0,009
- Year on year net growth (in %)	4,2%	3,2%	3,3%	3,4%	3,2%
Penetration Rate	106,8%	107,7%	107,9%	108,8%	109,8%
<i>Population at January the 1st of previous year (source: Insee)</i>	0,866			0,869	
Postpaid customers	0,864	0,876	0,884	0,895	0,907
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,016	0,012	0,008	0,011	0,012
- Year on year net growth (in %)	6,8%	5,6%	5,4%	5,5%	4,9%
Prepaid customers	0,061	0,057	0,053	0,050	0,047
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,005	-0,004	-0,004	-0,003	-0,003
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-22,5%	-23,8%	-22,8%	-23,1%	-22,0%
Total active customers	0,914	0,923	0,930	0,937	0,947
- as a % of total customers	98,8%	98,9%	99,2%	99,1%	99,2%
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,012	0,009	0,007	0,007	0,010
- Year on year net growth (in %)	4,7%	3,8%	3,6%	3,8%	3,6%
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B. Internet of things: MtoM SIM cards

I. MtoM cards of French operators

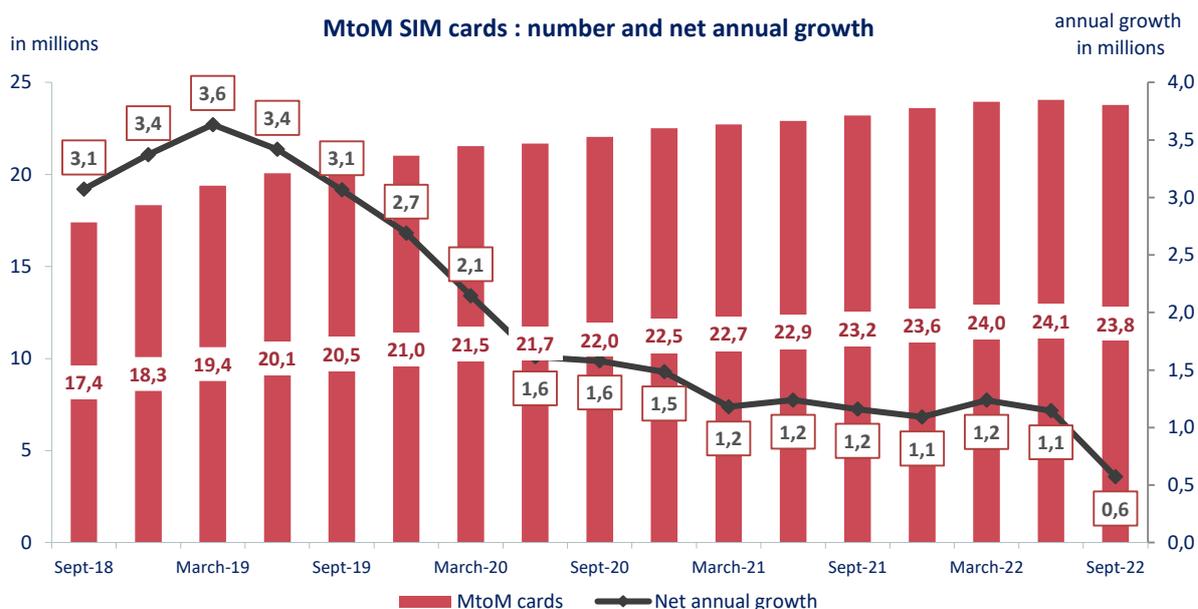
	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
MtoM SIM cards	23,201	23,598	23,953	24,062	23,772
- Gross sales for the quarter	0,505	0,549	0,627	0,559	0,555
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,285	0,397	0,355	0,109	-0,290
- Year on year net growth (in %)	5,3%	4,9%	5,4%	5,0%	2,5%

1. MtoM cards of French operators - Metropolitan

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
MtoM SIM cards	23,170	23,569	23,924	24,033	23,743
- Quarterly Net Adds	0,286	0,398	0,355	0,109	-0,290
- Year on year net growth (in %)	5,3%	4,9%	5,5%	5,0%	2,5%

2. MtoM cards of French operators - Overseas departments

	Sept-21	Dec-21	March-22	Jun-22	Sept-22
MtoM SIM cards	0,030	0,029	0,029	0,029	0,029
- Quarterly Net Adds	-0,001	-0,001	0,000	0,000	0,000
- Year on year net growth (in %)	-11,4%	-13,0%	-13,1%	-9,2%	-5,1%



Appendix: Definitions

Total SIM cards: Total SIM cards registered with an operator's Home Location Register (HLR) or in the Home Subscriber Server (HSS) at the date in question. So, for business clients, each line is considered as a post-paid contract. Post-paid cards are those whose service is invoiced regularly (packages, metered offers, blocked accounts, etc.). By default, any non-post-paying client is considered to be a pre-paying client.

Internet SIM cards: number of SIM cards sold by mobile operators (flat rates or prepaid cards), to be used solely for accessing the Internet (PCMCIA cards, 3G/4G USB keys). These cards cannot be used to make voice calls.

Gross sales: total SIM cards at the end of the quarter which are registered with the HLR/HSS during the quarter. They exclude migrations: pre-paid to post-paid migration corresponds to clients asking their operator to replace their pre-paid offer in force at the beginning of the quarter with a post-paid offer; conversely, post-paid to pre-paid migration corresponds to clients asking their operator to replace their post-paid offer in force at the beginning of the quarter with a pre-paid offer.

Cancellation: Total SIM cards at the beginning of the quarter whose registration in the HLR/HSS was deleted during the quarter. Modifications to the registration in the HLR/HSS are not cancellations. So, this definition does not cover changes in offers within a line, or pre- to post-paid migrations or post- to pre-paid migrations, or service suspensions.

Penetration rate: Penetration rate: it is obtained by dividing the total number of clients by the population. The reference population is 1st January of the year N-1 published by Insee on the 1st January of the year N. The reference population in 2021, comes from estimates published in January 2021 (and therefore of the population for January 1st, 2020).

Customers not under commitment contract: a client under a commitment contract is any client having taken out or renewed a contract (out of all or part of the contracts related to mobile service) for a minimum period not having expired at the date in question. A client not under commitment contract is any client not having a contract.

Total active customers: the number of active clients equals to all post-paid customers under contract and pre-paid customers under contract having made or received a telephone call, whether free or paid, sent a SMS, MMS used a multimedia (e-mail, internet) service during the past three months (not including incoming SMS).

Number of ported numbers: is calculated as half of the volume of numbers of "in" porting and "out" porting done by all operators. "In" porting is considered to be an effective porting from the receiving operator's point of view. "Out" porting is an effective porting from the donor operator's point of view.

Total MtoM cards: number of SIM cards used for communication between remote equipment (remote management of equipment, terminals and servers, fixed or mobile). The communications from these cards are generally carried out without human intervention. These cards are used for example for tracking of objects and tools (fleets of vehicles, machinery, etc.), for purposes of updating of data (surveys at distance of meters, sensors...), for the identification and monitoring of all kinds (alarms, remote actions...), the list of those uses where communication is from "machine to machine" is not limited. Are taken into account the MtoM SIM cards, the communication was done only in downstream, only upstream or both. The cards used for interpersonal communication and exclusive internet cards are not included here.

Operators

- Metropolitan mobile network operators: Bouygues Telecom, Free mobile, Orange, Société Française du Radiotéléphone (SFR).
- Overseas mobile network operators : Dauphin Telecom, Digicel AFG, Free Caraïbe, Globaltel, Orange Caraïbe, Orange Réunion, Outremer Telecom, SAS SPM, Société Réunionnaise du Radiotéléphone (SRR), Telco OI, UTS Caraïbe, Maoré Mobile, Zeop.
- Mobile Virtual Network Operators independent of mobile network operators active on the quarter.