

Research Dossier: Movitel

Country

Angola

Company Name

Movitel Telecomunicações S.A.

Ownership Type

Privately Held

State/Government Owned

Website

<http://movitel.co.ao/>

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Company Overview

Movitel was originally created in 2003 as a subsidiary of the state owned Angola Telecom. In 2010, 80% of the company's capital was sold to various private companies, the remaining 20% remain in the hands of the state owned companies Angola Telecom and ENCTA. The seat of the company is the capital city Luanda. Movitel sells its services via a network of shops; recharging cards for pre-paid contracts are also sold by individual street sellers.

Movitel offers GSM based mobile communication for voice communications, text and multimedia messages, and mobile internet access. Movitel has coverage in all 18 Angolan provinces. Despite it's size, Movitel was first to market in Angola with their LTE service on B3 (1800 MHz) going live in 2012.

The company has investigated refarming its 2G 900 MHz spectrum to deploy its B8 (900 MHz) UMTS network, which was confirmed as active in 2012.

▼ 3G UMTS Network Information

Details on UMTS network deployments are shown below. Data are often incomplete due to commercial nature. Consult dossier text for further details.

Launch Date	-	Status	Active
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UMTS Band	Packet Data	Status
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B8 (900 MHz)	HSPA	Active
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▼ 4G LTE Network Information

Details on LTE network deployments are shown below. Data are often incomplete due to commercial nature. Consult dossier text for further details.

Evolution	LTE (Standard)	Status	Active
Max. MIMO	2x2 MIMO	Max. Modulation	64QAM
Carrier Aggregation	-	Features	-
LTE Band	Channel Width	Status	
B3 (1800 MHz)	No Data	Active	

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