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[Sprint Shaves Ten Bucks From Its 4G Pricing](#) - January 14, 2010 (Wireless Week)

Sprint has dropped the prices for its mobile WiMAX service to \$59.99, a \$10 drop from its earlier plans. The 3G/4G plans come with unlimited data on Sprint's 4G network and a 5Gb data cap for the use of its 3G networks.

[Instituto Eldorado develops WiMAX to operate in the UHF frequency](#) - January 12th, 2010 (Telecom)

The Eldorado Research Institute has developed a solution for broadband access to wireless operation on UHF frequencies below 1 GHz. Now the group works to achieve the framework of the project by the WiMAX Forum, which would classify as WiMAX solution opening new business perspectives.

[Intels Otellini Offers Glimpse of Future](#) - January 8, 2010 (Wireless Week)

During his keynote at the 2010 International Consumer Electronics Show (CES) last night, Intel President and CEO Paul Otellini outlined his company's vision of technology in the future with a series of demos that ranged from 3D TV to a smart meter concept for centralized home control.

Member Company News

[Sprint in Supermarket Sweep](#) - January 14, 2010 (BWCS)

According to various online rumours, and we all know how reliable they are - Elvis spotted in Asda and so on - US mobile operator Sprint is close to an agreement with retail giant Wal-Mart to put a WiMax tower on the roof of every supermarket owned by the shopping giant in...

[Clearwire Preps NY & SF Markets](#) - January 11, 2010 (Unstrung)

Mobile WiMax player Clearwire LLC (Nasdaq: CLWR) needs to quadruple its coverage footprint in 2010 in order to meet its target of 120 POPs (points of presence) covered by the end of the year.

['3G Roll-Out Will Give a Boost to the VAS Market'](#) - January 14, 2010 (CXOToday.com)

Mobile operators are increasingly looking at VAS to offset the lower revenue due to the tariff wars. This comes as a good news to companies such as Comverse, which provide various VAS solutions to...

[Will cable's wireless gamble pay off?](#) - January 13, 2010 (Cell Phone News2.0)

All eyes will be on the cable operators to see whether their wireless offerings take flight in 2010. Several of the major cable companies have wireless efforts in...

[A WiMAX-based Media Backpack at CES](#) - January 14, 2010 (Information Technology World)

Just how portable can mobile networking be? At CES 2010 we saw examples of traditional applications being reduced to a tiny footprint. One of the great examples is Speedstream TV, a boon for journalists in the field, and a great example of taking an application and shrinking it from truck-sized into a...

[Sprint Rumored to Be Working with Wal-Mart on WiMAX](#) - January 13, 2010 (TMCnet.com)

Rumor has it that Sprint (News - Alert) is forging on a deal with Wal-Mart to install WiMAX gear at all of the retailers locations. According to reports, the move would give Sprint a big boost in its national...

[WiMAX Comes to Silicon Valley, Part 1](#) - January 13, 2010 (Sidecut Reports)

Testing the Clearwire developer network in and around Silicon Valley first stop is the classic Menlo Park VC Central Starbucks on the corner of Santa Cruz...

[Viliv at CES: N10 Blade hands-on](#) - January 13, 2010 (Electronista)

Korea's well-known UMPC builder Viliv had a presence at CES, and Electronista had an opportunity to try its newest and most unique model, the S10...

[Only Three 3G Licenses in India, as Huawei Expands](#) - January 13, 2010 (TD)

The rules are changing once more in the Indian 3G auction, now expected to start next month. As the Department of Telecom continues to argue with the defense agencies about vacating the spectrum, it seems India will only be able to award three licenses per circle (telecoms operating region) rather than the...

[FCC prohibit locking system cell](#) - January 13, 2010 (O Globo)

The National Telecommunications Agency (Anatel) wants to end the blockade of cell phones, a system by which the User is attached to a carrier. According to the director Emilia Ribeiro anticipated O Globo, the agency will publish a regulation this month requiring that the release of the User's right, "which can be exercised at any time, prohibited the levying of any value."

[GE Gets its Smart Grid Foot in a Very Large Door: China](#) - January 12, 2010 (Seeking Alpha)

Monday's big news in Smart Grid is General Electric's (GE) announcement that they will partner with The City of Yangzhou (located nearly 175 miles northwest of Shanghai) for a 3-phase project, beginning with the opening of a 10,000 sq meter demonstration lab, and culminating with a city...

[The 50 Most Influential People in VoIP 13.11.2006](#) - January 12, 2010 (VoIP Providers List)

The world of VoIP changes as fast as it grows. This list represents the people, companies, and entities we believe will exert significant influence on IP Telephony in...

[T-Mobile shuts down home VOIP](#) - January 11, 2010 (IT Web)

T-Mobile shuts down home VOIP T-Mobile in the US has decided to gradually shut down its HotSpot@Home service, which allows consumers to make unlimited free wireless voice over Internet Protocol (VOIP) calls over their home WiFi connection, states...

[HTC Making WiMax Enabled Android Phone For Sprint](#) - January 11, 2010 (Cell Phone News2.0)

At least a portion of Sprints 2010 Roadmap has been uncovered by PhoneArena and in the list of new devices is none other than the HTC A9292. Doesn't seem like anything too interesting on the surface but as Gizmodo points out, the A-series of HTC device models are reserved for Android...

[Innovating for Emerging Markets](#) - January 11, 2010 (Silicon India)

Head of Bell Labs - India, Alcatel-Lucent A few decades ago, India was seen as a producer of finished goods for the international market, or if we put it bluntly, we were seen as a dumping ground for products from the developed...

[CES Round-Up: Great Quotes Edition](#) - January 11, 2010 (The Information Week Blogs)

I had countless conversations with tons of people in Las Vegas last week during the Consumer Electronics Show that made for great soundbites. Others made headlines all on their own with their quotable...

[Clearwire's WiMAX goes live in Spain](#) - January 11, 2010 (Cell Phone News2.0)

Clearwire launched a WiMAX network in Malaga, Spain under the brand Instanet. The move is the operator's first in Europe. Clearwire said the network will offer download speeds between 3 Mbps and 6...

[Bollere Telecom complete national WiMAX coverage](#) - January 11, 2010 (TeleGeography)

Bollere Telecom, the telecoms subsidiary of Bollere Group, has acquired two regional WiMAX licences from Altitude Telecom covering the Alsace and Burgundy regions, to complete its national...

[Sprints Overdrive 3G / 4G mobile hotspot is official](#) - January 10, 2010 (Cell Phone News2.0)

Regarding cell phone news today, Sprint made it official, the Overdrive 3G and 4G mobile hotspot is a go and was shown at the CES. This device is a Sierra Wireless built box that connects to Sprint's WiMAX network, and has the potential of sharing the connection with up to five...

[Best of CES 2010](#) - January 10, 2010 (Crunch Gear)

CES is over for CrunchGear and wed like to reflect on the best gear we saw at the show. These few days flew by and even with the glut of 3D TVs and ereaders we were actually impressed by a few small, good things that caught our eye on the show...

[MagicJack Works Their Magic in Femtocells](#) - January 10, 2010 (No Jitter)

The most interesting device to come out of the recent Consumer Electronics Show was a new gadget from Palm Beach, FL based YMax, Corp. (not to be confused with "WiMAX"), the company that produced the innovative...

[Sprints upcoming mobile phone inventory leaked? HTC WiMAX handset leads the pack](#) - January 9, 2010 (Cell Phone News2.0)

Some thought Sprint was teaming up with LG to launch a killer WiMAX smartphone at CES but the big press event came and went with nary a mention of an LG-branded WiMAX handset on the...

[MTN Rwanda deploys new Internet technology](#) - January 8, 2010 (The New Times)

Rwanda s leading telecom company by market share, MTN, has said that the company has deployed a technology called Aradial Authentication, Authorization, Accounting (AAA) that will provide wireless services in...

[Clearwire Growth Interests New Investors, CEO Says \(Update1\)](#) - January 8, 2010 (Bloomberg.com)
Clearwire Corp., the company building the fastest nationwide mobile-Web network, has piqued the interest of new investors, which could speed up completion of its WiMax system, Chief Executive Officer Bill Morrow...

[Gemtek shipping WiMAX/Wi-Fi routers to US market](#) - January 8, 2010 (Cell Phone News2.0)
Taiwan-based network equipment maker Gemtek Technology has begun shipping its in-house developed portable WiMAX/Wi-Fi routers to the US market, according to the...

[BSNL launches WiMax service](#) - January 8, 2010 (India Telecom News)
State-owned telecom player Bharat Sanchar Nigam Ltd (BSNL) has become the first company in India to launch wireless Internet services. WiMax allows for Internet services within a 15 km radius using only one...

[Clearwire to Launch First Metropolitan 4G Network in Spain](#) - January 8, 2010 (Wireless Week)
Clearwire says it is expanding its WiMAX network in Malaga, Spain. The mobile 4G service, called Instanet, will cover the city's entire metropolitan area and nearly 600,000...

[Clearwire Launches on the Costa del Sol](#) - January 8, 2010 (Light Reading)
Clearwire LLC (Nasdaq: CLWR), best known for its high-profile rollout in the U.S., has launched a mobile WiMax service in Malaga, Spain, covering a metropolitan population of almost 600...

[VIDEO: Sprint Overdrive Unboxing - CES 2010](#) - January 8, 2010 (Cell Phone News2.0)
Aaron gets some hands-on time with Sprint's newest 4G product, the Sprint Overdrive. Sporting 4G WiMAX connectivity, is it worth writing home about? We'll find...

[@CES: First Peek At BioShock 2 On WiMax](#) - January 8, 2010 (MocoNews)
If I were a gamer, I'd probably be a lot more excited by being one of the very first to play the highly anticipated BioShock 2, set for sale next month, and I was most honored to be shown my way around the game by developer Jesse...

[Pyramid Research believes the growth of WiMAX](#) - January 8, 2010 (TeleSintese)
A report from Pyramid Research to evaluate which technology offers the most popular and lucrative mobile voice service, broadband and video services, examines the operations and believes WiMAX technology as an alternative to the mobile broadband.

[Satellite capacity will grow at A. 7% in four years](#) - January 8, 2010 (E-Thesis)
The rapid growth in pay TV services, programs, Universal Service and the spread of wireless networks - such as UMTS / HSPA and WiMAX - driving demand for satellite capacity, the revenue must acknowledge growth of 6.8% between 2009 - 2014.

Industry News

[AzQtel to launch commercial use of mobile WiMAX](#) - January 13, 2010 (Azeri-Press Information Agency)

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[FullMAX 4th Generation Private Broadband Wireless Platform Available in 7 Major US Cities](#) - January 12, 2010 (dBusinessNews)

Full Spectrum, a developer and manufacturer of 4th generation broadband wireless equipment for smart grids and U.S. Television LLC (USTel), owner of or agent for UHF spectrum in 7 major cities, announced the availability of the FullMAX Broadband Wireless System for private wide area..

[WiMAX iPhone: Coming to Korea?](#) - January 12, 2010 (Cell Phone News2.0)

Korea Telecom (KT), an exclusive iPhone partner in South Korea, and a provider of Mobile WiMAX in Korea, plans to introduce a 4G iPhone to their domestic market as early as April, reports the Korea...

[Robotics -National Instruments Unveils LabVIEW Robotics 2009 By Raju Shanbhag](#) - January 12, 2010 (Robotics Technology)

TMCnet Contributor Robotics development is a fast evolving field, helped often by the developments in the software field. Often, these developments in the software field help the developers to bring innovative robotics ideas to the market...