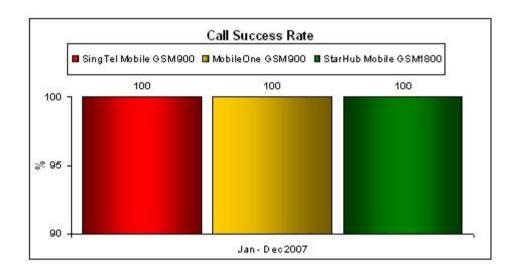


# **Quality of Service (QoS) Standards for PCMTS for Jan - Dec 2007**

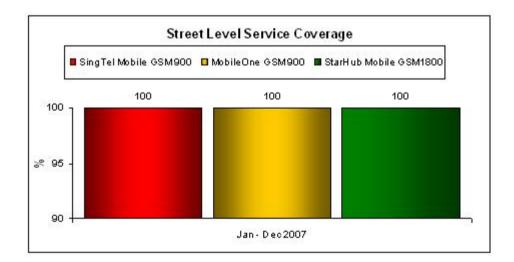
#### Call Success Rate

This refers to the number of successful calls established over the total number of mobile call attempts.



## Service Coverage (Street-Level)

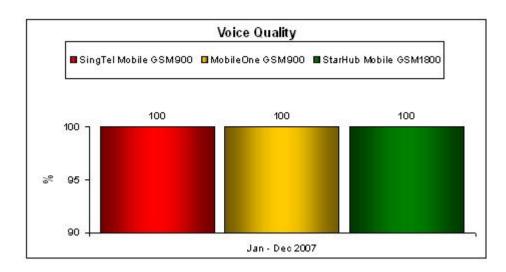
The definition of service coverage in this case is based on signal strength. The availability of service coverage is therefore the ability of a network in achieving a minimum signal strength of -100dBm. Of the successful calls established by the mobile networks along expressways, major and secondary roads/ streets, an average of 252,465 samples of signal strength were obtained for each network. Samples of signal strength were taken at approximately 0.5-second intervals.



## Voice Quality

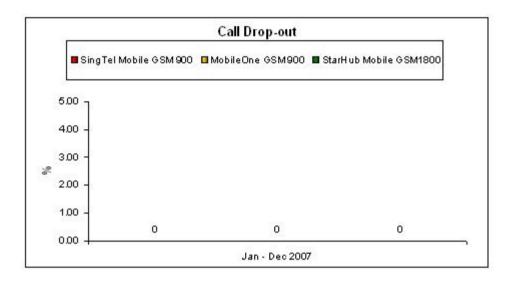
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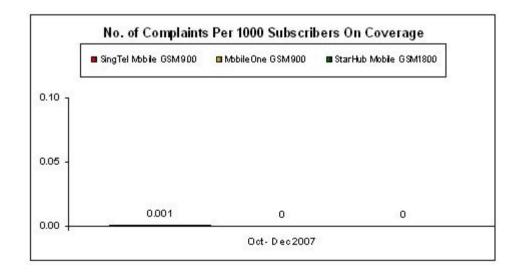


### Call Dropout

This refers to the unintended disconnection of the mobile calls by the network during a 100 second call holding period for each call.



# No. of Complaints Per 1000 Subscribers on Coverage



#### Notes:

- 1. Number of complaints is based on self-reporting results submitted by the service providers to IDA on a quarterly basis. Statistical reporting provided by the different service providers may differ.
- 2. Number of complaints per 1000 subscribers refers to the total number of complaints received from the subscribers to the operator on poor cell coverage per 1000 subscribers in a month. Complaint is defined as any expression of dissatisfaction with the service provider's service, product,



- advertisement or policy via oral or written communication that requires some action by the service provider beyond the initial contact.
- 3. Figures are rounded up to 2 decimal places. Readings under "No. of Complaints Per 1000 Subscribers" will be rounded up to 3 decimal places.