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The presentation made to the analysts on March 2, 2017 on "Jio" is enclosed.

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## **OUR FUNDAMENTAL BELIEFS**

## **Shift in Industry Revenue**



- > Revenue Transition from voice to data in 1-2 years
  - Voice revenue to reduce from Rs 1.5 lakh cr to Rs 0.5 lakh cr
  - Shift of Rs 1 lakh cr from voice will take data revenue to Rs 1.3 lakh cr
- Overall Industry Revenue to grow to Rs 3 lakh cr by 2020-21
  - Leading global consultants have forecasted demand for data at 500 -600 cr GB / month. At yield of Rs 50/GB it translates to Rs 3.0 - 3.6 lakh cr / year
  - Equivalent to 1.35 -1.6 % of projected GDP (still lesser than 2.5% in developed economies)
  - Government revenues likely to increase by 50%
- Industry growth was low in last 5 years next 5 years to see rapid growth with data explosion

## Mobile market to expand to Rs 3 lakh cr primarily from data

## **Elasticity of Demand**



- Industry is moving from voice to data
- Voice is demand constrained
  - Inelastic demand; limited by time availability
  - No possibility of service differentiation
- Data is supply constrained (demand will always outstrip supply)
  - Very elastic demand
  - Increase due to screen size, resolution, data speeds and time spent
  - Consumption will increase; Constrained by budget only → ARPU growth

ARPU will grow because of shift from voice to data – revenue market share will be driven by data capacity share

## Industry will move to ARPU / User from ARPU / SIM



- ARPU per SIM is a misnomer while assessing ability to pay
- TRAI data indicates 1.13 bn SIMS in India
- Data can be activated only on one SIM (unlike voice on dual SIM)

Particulars	UOM	Smartphone Users	Feature Phone users
Devices in circulation	Mn	263	496
Average SIM / User		1.19	1.28
ARPU per VLR SIM	Rs.	277	134
Effective ARPU per user	Rs	329	172

Source: TRAI, CMR data, Company estimates

### 1.13 bn SIMs will move to 0.8 bn SIMs with no voice arbitrage

## **Customers have ability to pay**



Particulars	Mobile Users
Subscribers in 2009	392 mn
ARPU in 2009	Rs 179
Equivalent ARPU in 2016 (adjusted for nominal per capita income)	Rs 500

Source: TRAI, RBI, World Bank

400 mn subscribers can afford to spend Rs 500 and above on digital services

# PRE JIO vs WITH JIO



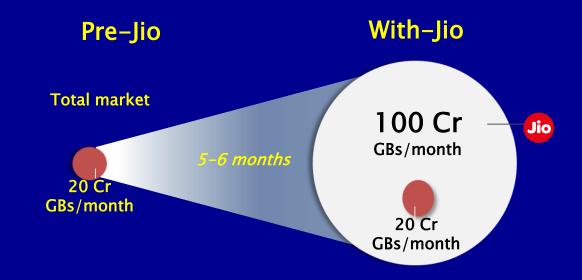






## **Data Explosion**



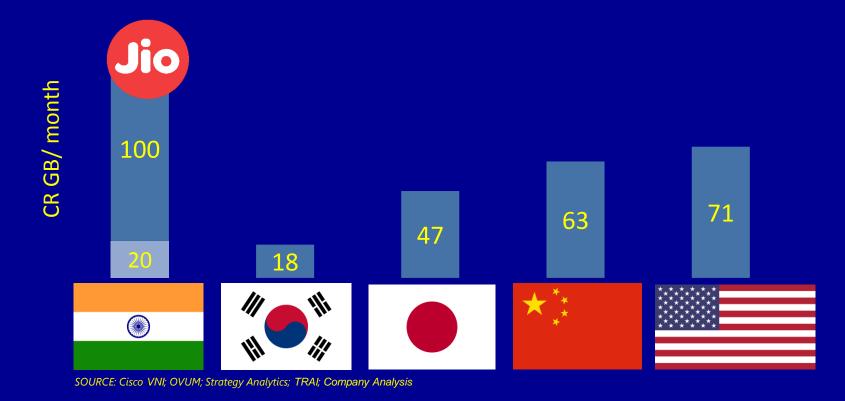


Jio has created world record for fastest 100 mn acquisition

# Market expanded 6X with introduction of Jio in less than 6 months

## Jio Impact on India Ranking





India has become no 1 country for mobile data usage with Jio

## Jio First Mover for Customer Friendly Tariffs (1/2)



#### **Before Jio**

- 1. High base rate (Rs 4,000 20,000 per GB)
- 2. 16,000 plans to confuse customers
- 3. Roaming charges
- 4. Blackout
- 5. VAS charges

#### **After Jio**

- 1. Base rate = Rs 250/GB (pack rate at which competition sells)
- 2. Simple structure
- 3. All-India ONE ~ no roaming in India
- 4. No Blackout / Unfair charges
- 5. No old-world VAS in digital world

## Jio First Mover for Customer Friendly Tariffs (2/2)



#### **Before Jio**

- 6. Pay for every service separately, including low-cost ones
- 7. High data rates, causing data anxiety and bill shocks
- 8. Voice charged at equivalent of Rs 5,000 / GB, premium for local, STD, Roaming, Off-net

#### **After Jio**

- Only pay for one service (highest demand) data
- 7. Lowest data rates in the WORLD with the BEST experience
- 8. Truly Free voice Local, STD, Roaming, Off-net

## Jio bringing the best to India



- World's largest all IP network
- Highest VoLTE traffic of 200 cr mins/day (equals Vodafone India CS voice)
- > Filed 53 global patents
- Created device ecosystem for 4G in India
- India has become most active market for Google and Facebook (70 mn additions post Jio)
- ➢ Jio hits ~3.6 mn peak simultaneous video streams daily (v/s largest US operator who had a peak of 1.7 mn simultaneous video streams during Super Bowl '17)

## **Jio Applications**



Free up to 31 March 2018 for Jio Prime Customers

Jio has best suite of applications with the most comprehensive library of content ensuring stickiness of customers



# <u>JIO</u>

# CONCERNS V/S PERFORMANCE

## **Concerns v/s Performance**



#### **Concerns**

#### Performance

There are very few devices for LTE

- 124 mn LTE devices
- All new smartphones models are LTE enabled (8-9 mn /month)
- 2G/3G smartphones (165 mn) can enjoy 4G with JioFi
- 4G smart feature phone is becoming a reality

**Mobile Data demand is limited** 

- Data explosion with commencement of Jio services
- Average consumption of 10 GB/month across all circles and urban/ rural

## **Concerns v/s Performance**



Concerns
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#### Performance

LTE cannot support good voice quality

- HD quality voice is only on Jio network
- Jio network today carries 200 cr mins per day; equivalent to large incumbent operators
- Jio has capacity to carry 100% of India's voice traffic
- On Jio network lowest call drop in Industry
- Deliberate attempt of incumbent operators caused POI issues

Subscriber offtake would be slow

- 7 subscribers per second over 170 days
- Activation within 15 minutes using eKYC
- Data adoption has been rapid

## Concerns v/s Performance



#### **Concerns**

#### **Performance**

#### **Quality of Customers**

- Handset price is proxy to ARPU
- Average price of handset on Jio network is >10k (Industry has 10% >10k)
- Jio has 40% market share in devices >20k

# Ubiquitous LTE coverage and high quality indoor coverage not possible

- Jio population coverage of over 75%
  - 100% urban coverage
  - Plan for over 95% population coverage
- Only operator with pan-India sub-GHz LTE spectrum



## **MYTHS & HARD REALITY**

## **Capacity = Spectrum x Towers**



**Capacity = Cells x Spectrum** 

Jio 4.7x of entire Industry LTE MHz-cells (million)

Jio*	13.46
Others	2.85

\*includes Jio small cells under implementation

#### **SINR Factor**

- Interference reduced by Jio's unique real-time analytics and automation tools
- **Better Signal** ensured- device support, single sector cells. indoor solutions

#### **Backhaul Factor**

- **Backhaul constraints** due to Site fiberisation
- Jio 60%, Rest 20%
- Incremental backhaul is not only expensive but also time consuming and complex execution
- Jio has 3-4 years head start

It is not arithmetic which determines capacity, it is a detailed science

## LTE device support all bands



- Jio operates in Band 3 (1800 MHz), Band 5 (850 MHz) and Band 40 (2300 MHz)
- ➢ Jio's joint efforts with chipset, OEMs and brands helped in successfully shifting the market from 80 models a year ago to more than 762 models
- ▶ LTE device ecosystem in other bands is underdeveloped in India. Further, poor global ecosystem across these bands is major barrier

4G device ecosystem beyond these three bands is underdeveloped

## Refarming 3G to 4G is easy



- Due to increasing voice load and absence of VoLTE, incumbents need to keep 3G on for voice traffic
- Conventional antennas may need to be replaced since they don't support remote electrical tilt and MIMO (Multiple Input, Multiple Output)
- ➢ Old 3G BTS cannot be upgraded to 4G. Even new 3G BTS would require additional card and huge license cost for 4G upgrade
- Even in most advanced countries, there is no shutdown of 3G yet

## Refarming 3G to 4G is very costly and challenging



## **STRONG ECONOMICS**

## **Strong Economics**



- Superior spectral efficiency
- No legacy systems
- Lowest capex per unit capacity
- Lowest operating cost per GB
- Bulk of network is already built can support more than 60% of forecasted 2020 - 21 India data demand

Jio anticipates EBITDA margin >50% on gross revenue



# SUMMARY

## **Summary**



- Voice revenues will shift to data. Data market in India will be Rs 3 lakh crore by 2020-21
- > 400 mn subscribers can afford to spend minimum of Rs 500 on digital services
- Jio caters to 85% of mobile data traffic in India today. Jio can support more than 60% of forecasted 2020 - 21 India data demand
- > Jio is India's only 5G ready network due to its elastic network and deep fiber
- **▶** Well positioned to achieve more than 50% revenue market share
- Jio anticipates EBITDA margin >50%



## **THANK YOU**