Fiber Networks: The United States Experience

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At Faster Speeds, Fewer Competitors

Just under 15% have more than two providers

Wired Broadband Speed Tiers

* These data reflect speeds of 3 Mbps up / 768 kbps down, which the FCC uses as the best proxy for 4 Mbps / 1 Mbps. See, e.g., FCC, Eighth Broadband Progress Report, FCC 12-90, ¶ 29 (2010).

Source: NTIA State Broadband Initiative (Dec. 2013); FCC
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