

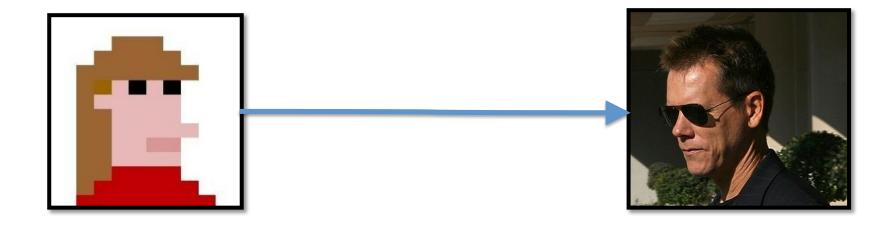
Evolution or Revolution?

The expectations of 4G services within UK Higher Education

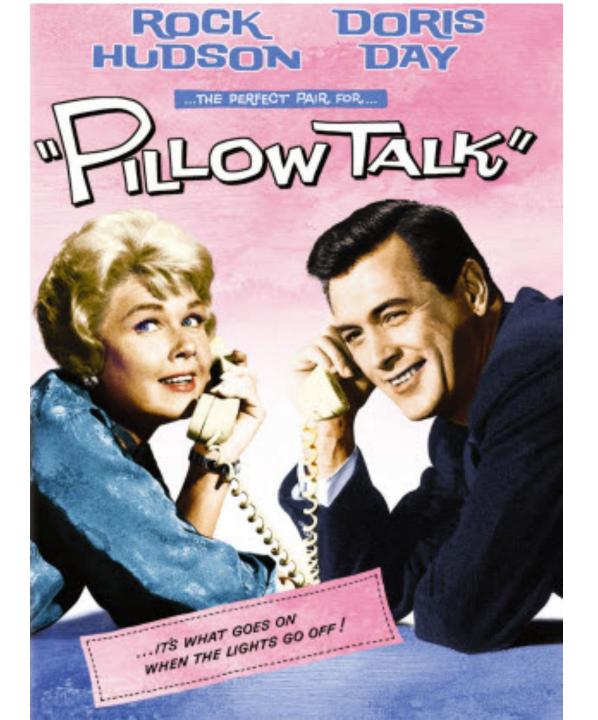
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What links me and Kevin Bacon?



HOW DID WE GET HERE?









FLY FISHING J. R. HARTLEY



The Mobile Phone. Business essential or status symbol?

The answer is at Yorkstar Motors.

If you think a Mobile Phone is a status symbol, you're right. But it's a whole lot more when it comes to doing business effectively and efficiently.

For a special demonstration of the Telecom Mobile Phone in the luxurious Mercedes-Benz see the Telecom Sales Representative at Yorkstar Motors, 108 William Street, Sydney from Monday 8th to Saturday 13th November.

If you would like to see and hear more about a Telecom Mobile Phone and you can't make it to the special demonstration at Yorkstar Motors, call the Communications Hotline on (02) 267 6767.



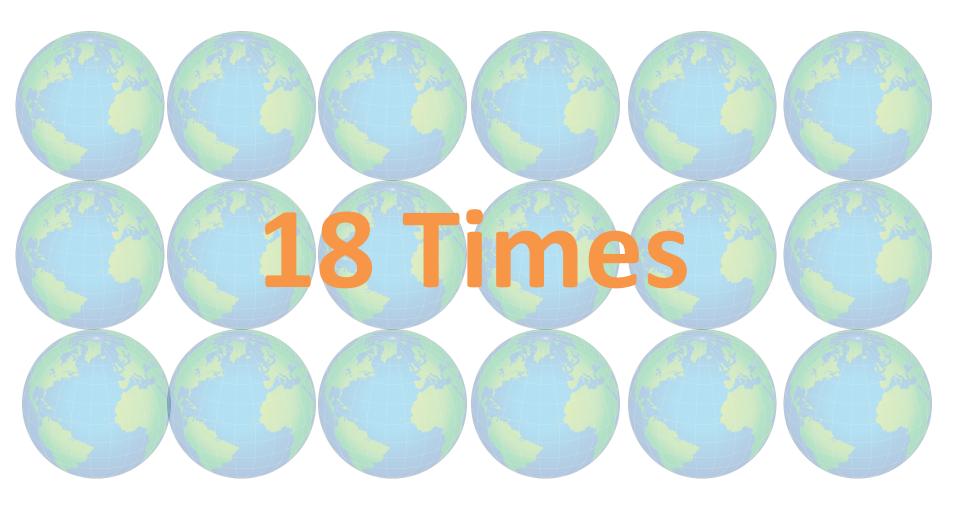
Telecom Australia







2012 Mobile Traffic was....



the size of global internet traffic in 2000



LTE, WiMAX, HSPA+, 3G, GSM information by country (March 21, 2014)



2013 Mobile Traffic generated

4G



3G



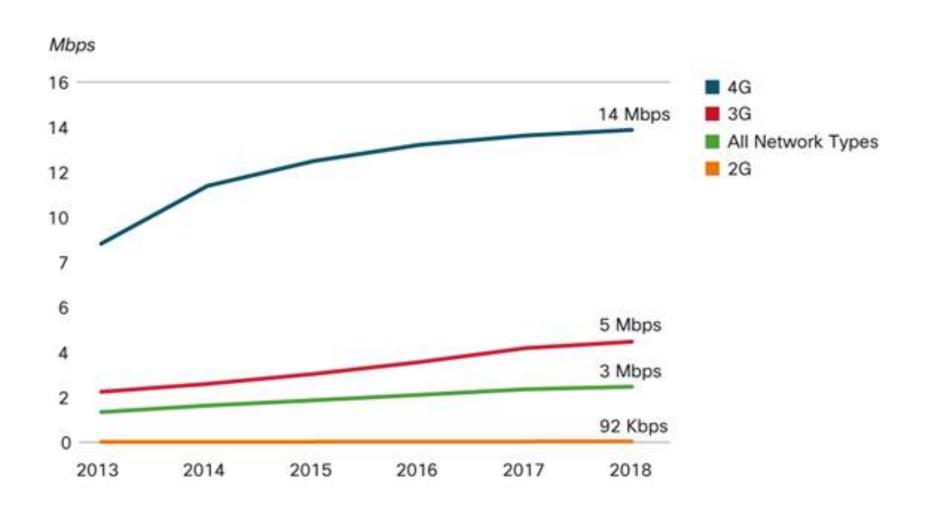
Benefits of 4G

Higher Bandwidth

Lower Latency

Improved spectrum efficiency

Mobile speeds by Technology



"4G allows you to do the things you couldn't do before..."

"Some users have reported that 4G is more reliable and better able to handle some tasks than some home broadband connections."

"4G should not be thought so much as something that is changing mobiles but is changing the Internet."



"There is no task that 4G could perform better."

"Frustrations that individuals currently have relating to failed 3G.... Are likely to remain for the time being."

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN IN REALITY FOR EDUCATION?









CASE STUDY



SUPERFAST 4GEE FROM EE

We're launching the next generation mobile network, that gives you superfast internet speeds on your mobile, tablet or laptop. We like to call it 4GEE.

Not only will you get the UK's biggest 3G network with EE, you will also get the first mobile 4G network to be rolled out across the UK. You can't get it from anyone else. We'll have 16 cities good to go by the end of 2012, covering over a third of the population.

It will be powered by a new technology called 4G LTE that makes everything go unbelievably quick. You'll be able to do things like downloads and streaming — five times faster than you can on 3G.

Be one of the first to get it.

FIND WHERE YOU COULD USE SUPEREAST AGES





The UK's biggest 3G network with 4G first in these cities: Belfast Birmingham Bristol Cardiff Derby Edinburgh Glasgow Hull Leeds Liverpool London Manchester Nottingham Sheffield

Scroll down for terms and conditions

Speed Tests

Table 1: Connections speed gained across various UK locations tested with speedtest.net

Type	Date / Time	Time	Download (Mbps)	Upload (Mbps)	Ping (ms)	Location
3G	19/06/13	20:40	0.89	0.00	179	London (4)
Wifi	19/06/13	20:38	12.91	0.64	17	London (4)
4G	19/06/13	20:37	14.40	5.00	51	London (4)
3G	17/06/13	09:03	3.05	1.65	109	Plymouth (3)
Broadband	17/06/13	09:03	63.06	29.13	16	Plymouth (2)
Wi-Fi	17/06/13	09:03	50.99	28.80	17	Plymouth (1)

Source: Garcia, Bugliolo, Elbeltagi (2013)

Mobile Learning

"Most of the locations that I ended up in would have Wi-Fi and I would find that to be as equally good as using 4G."

"It will allow you to do anything you do indoors, outdoors. This will really change teaching and learning experience."

"It is an excellent device to have in the classroom, or should I say in the outdoor classroom."

"These... devices could be useful for field trips where you want students to connect to the internet through a controlled connection."

"This will enable sessions to occur in a range of environments and allow students to have hands on experiences and learn from this."

Teachers are not tied to desks

"Probably not a life changing experience."

"These devices haven't really improved my efficiency. It's been useful but it hasn't really changed things."

"Extremely useful and something I should like to use permanently."

"I love my device and it has literally changed my life. My time is now used efficiently and effectively. My productivity has been increased."

Commuting

"Overall, it means I can stay in touch and on the pulse all the time I'm on the train."

"The speed of 4G from Bristol to Birmingham is amazing even on a moving train."

"A good internet signal can make the train journey far more productive."

"I love my device and it has literally changed my life. I don't think I can, or should, go without it."

"I used to feel that it was "dead" time travelling before because we really need the internet to do our job."



Distance Learning

"I am sure especially in terms of distance learning soon will be expanded within the institution."

"The students think it is a brilliant device for continuity and remote teaching."

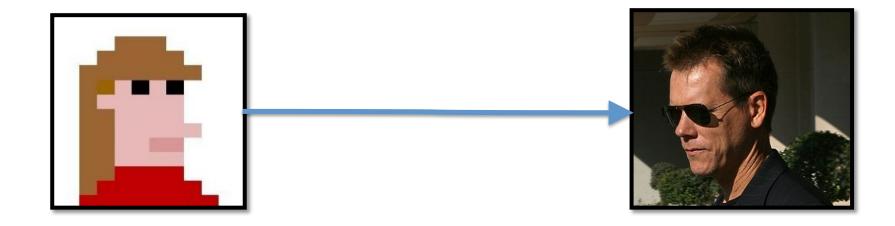
REVOLUTION OR EVOLUTION?

Promises are of a revolution

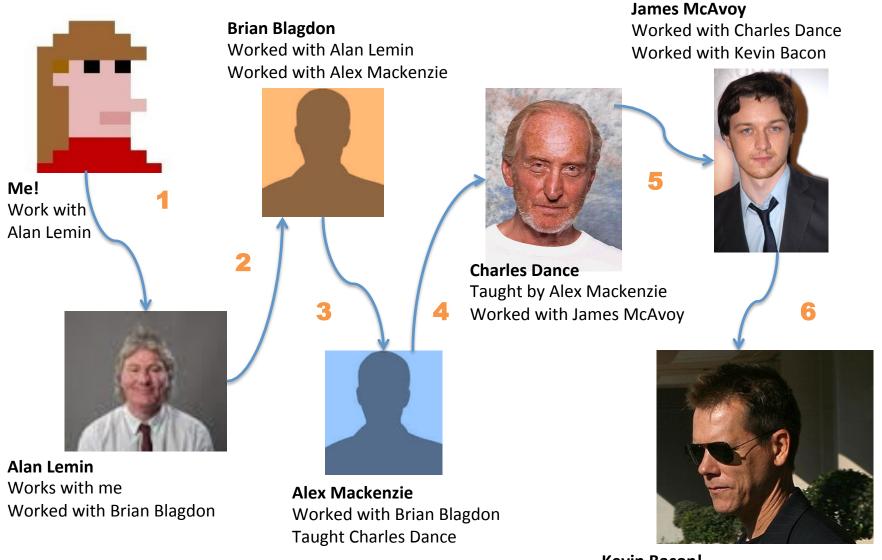
Experiences suggest a evolution

LETS TALK ABOUT KEVIN...

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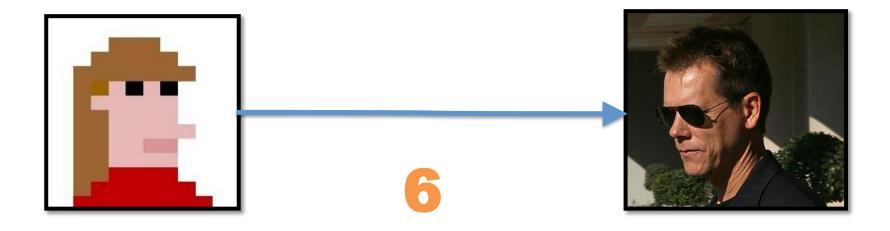


Six degrees of Kevin Bacon



Kevin Bacon!Worked with James McAvoy

Six degrees of Kevin Bacon



Google: "Bacon number + actor"

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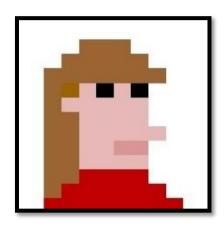
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