# **General Tariff Information**

Service Provider Name	Qatar Telecom (QTel) Q.S.C.
License	Public Mobile Telecommunications Networks and Services
Tariff Number	C12-01
Service Name	Postpaid Mobile Broadband
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# **Tariff Version Control**

Tariff Version Number	Approval Date	Effective Date	Tariff Modifications
001	Pending	15 February 2010	New revamped tariff and data allowance amendments
002	Pending	21 June 2010	New Postpaid Mobile Broadband revamped tariff

#### 1. Definitions

- **1.1.** Bearer Services Services used for transporting data over the network.
- **1.2.** Bit the lowest unit of data usage.
- **1.3.** Byte 8 bits.
- **1.4.** <u>Data Device Data modem i.e. a USB modem, PCMCIA data card or laptop embedded modem.</u>
- **1.5.** Data Device Rating Maximum speed of device defined in Mbps (Mega Bits per second).
- **1.6.** Data Only SIM A USIM which only allows data access only (i.e. No voice access). For use in a data device such as a USB modem, PC Data card or embedded in a laptop.
- **1.7.** GB Giga Bytes. 1 GB is 1024 MB.
- **1.8.** HSDPA High Speed Downlink Packet Access
- **1.9.** HSPA High Speed Packet Access which includes HSDPA and HSUPA.
- **1.10.** HSUPA High Speed Uplink Packet Access.
- 1.11. KB KiloByte. 1 KB equals 1024 Bytes.
- **1.12.** MB Mega Bytes. 1 MB is 1024 KB.
- **1.13.** Mobile Broadband The data service which enables, by using one or more bearer\_services, the subscriber to download and/or upload information.
- **1.14.** Network The telecommunications systems utilized by Qtel in providing the Mobile Broadband service.
- **1.15.** <u>Subscriber</u> The person or entity that enters into an agreement with Qtel to receive and pay for service.

### 2. Tariff Terms and Conditions

- **2.1.** This tariff is neither a special promotion nor a readjustment.
- **2.2.** This tariff will be effective as of the date established in this tariff and will automatically cease being effective if, subject to ictQATAR approval, Qtel publishes a new tariff for this service or publishes notification on its webpage that this tariff is no longer effective.
- **2.3.** From time to time, and subject to ictQATAR approval, Qtel may publish promotions and readjustments on its webpage or by other means. Such promotions and readjustments will automatically modify this tariff as specified by Qtel as of the date Qtel publishes such promotions or readjustments.
- **2.4.** This tariff contains rates and charges applicable to Consumer Postpaid Mobile Broadband service.
- **2.5.** These terms and conditions are in addition to the terms and conditions specified in other tariffs and General Terms and Conditions for the Provision of Consumer Services where referenced.

## 3. Service Description:

- **3.1.** The Postpaid Mobile Broadband service facilitates wireless broadband network access including access to the internet for consumers. The service is provided via a 'data-only' SIM card used either directly in a subscriber's device or via use of a USB modem.
- **3.2. Minimum Service Period:** The minimum service period for the Mobile Broadband Service is three (3) months commencing from the date of activation of service.

## 3.3. Coverage:

- **3.3.1.** HSPA coverage matches the Qtel 3G network which covers the greater Doha and outer skirts from Umm Salal in the north to Sealine beach in the south and from Rayyan in the west to the Corniche area in the East. An updated 3G network coverage map can be found at: http://www.qtel.com.qa/documents/Coverage-map.pdf.
- **3.3.2.** Where HSPA coverage is not available then the subscriber will get the best coverage available.

## 3.4. Speed Achieved:

- 3.4.1. Speed achieved is dependent on the network and data device rating.
- **3.4.2.** The available network speed is best efforts and dependent on the subscriber's coverage, distance from the base station and current usage load on the cell.
- **3.4.3.** HSDPA 7.2 Mbps will be the theoretical downlink speed at launch. The maximum uplink speed will be 2Mbps in view of the introduction of HSUPA service capability.
- **3.4.4.** The Data Device Rating will constrain the speed achieved by the subscriber if less than the available network speed.
- **3.4.5.** Qtel reserves the right to reduce the theoretical maximum speed of the network, in some or all of its coverage areas from time to time, in order to maintain availability and quality of service, subject to our statutory and licence obligations and requirements.

#### 4. Service Features

## 4.1. Postpaid Mobile Broadband service:

**4.1.1. Description:** The Postpaid Mobile Broadband service facilitates wireless broadband network access including access to the internet for consumers. The service is provided via a 'data-only' SIM card used either directly in a subscriber's device or via use of a USB modem. The service is available in form of 2GB, 5GB and Unlimited Bundle.

#### 4.1.2. Condition

- **4.1.2.1.** Customers will receive a mobile data usage sheet within their monthly postpaid bill. This will detail all mobile data usage in excess of that customer's data allowance, and any applicable charges for this excess usage.
- **4.1.2.2.** Both downloaded and uploaded data are accounted for in the subscriber's usage.
- **4.1.2.3.** The subscriber will be subject to the monthly recurring charge irrespective of whether the subscriber consumes their monthly data usage allowance/bundle.
- **4.1.2.4.** The subscriber will receive an SMS message in both English and Arabic to notify the subscriber when they have: i) utilised 80% of their bundle limit, and ii) exceeded their bundle limit.
- **4.1.2.5.** Once the subscriber exceeds the monthly data usage allowance/bundle limit, the subscriber will be charged the 'Out of Bundle' usage rate multiplied by the subscriber's excess usage per month rounded to the nearest MB.
- **4.1.2.6.** The subscriber may not rollover any unused data allowance to the next charging period.
- **4.1.2.7.** The subscriber may move from one bundle to another at the end of the charging period.
- **4.1.2.8.** The 'Unlimited' Bundle is subject to a 'Fair Usage Policy' as detailed on Qtel's website
- **4.1.2.9.** The subscriber may transfer the service to another subscriber.
- **4.1.3. Charging:** The charges for each pack are set out in Section **Error! Reference source not found.**5 of this Tariff.

# 4.2. Messaging

- 4.2.1. Short Message Service (SMS)
- **4.2.2. Description:** A service feature that allows the subscriber to send a text message to another handset (also referred to as text messaging)
- **4.2.3. Charging:** Normal national SMS charges as contained in Qtel Service Tariff C10-01, Postpaid Mobile Services will apply to any SMS messages sent using the subscriber's data-only SIM card.

## 4.3. International data roaming:

**4.3.1. Description:** International mobile internet allows Users to enjoy access to mobile internet services while roaming.

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#### 4.3.2. Conditions:

- 4.3.2.1. International Roaming: The Mobile Broadband Service is available outside of Qatar only in locations where Qtel has a roaming agreement in place. Usage outside of Qatar will be subject to roaming charges for all incoming and outgoing downloads, uploads and messages at the applicable roaming rate for the country in which the Service was provided as listed in Qtel Service Tariff C10-01, Postpaid Mobile Services, and via the Qtel website.
- **4.3.2.2.** Roaming is offered by Qtel's international roaming partners. Qtel is not responsible for quality of service or coverage made available to Users while Roaming.
- **4.3.2.3.** Roaming coverage may change without notice. Qtel is not responsible for those networks and services that are not available while roaming and does not make any representations regarding the quality of service while roaming.
- **4.3.2.4.** Customers have the option to bar the roaming element of the service, instructions for which can be obtained by visiting any Qtel retail outlet, calling the Qtel Customer Service Centre or via the Qtel website.

#### **4.3.3. Charging:**

- **4.3.3.1.** Use of the Service while roaming outside Qatar is charged at the GPRS roaming rates contained in Qtel Service Tariff C10-01, Postpaid Mobile Services.
- **4.3.3.2.** Roaming data usage will not be deducted from any allowance or bundle that a Subscriber may have active on their service. All Roaming data usage is charged at the applicable rate indicated on Qtel Service Tariff C10-01 Postpaid Mobile Services.
- **4.3.3.3.** Billing increments for all roaming zones are in units of 10 KB.

# 5. Charge rates

- **5.1.** The rates for Mobile Broadband postpaid service as listed in the following rate schedules are subject to the conditions set forth herein, and the General Terms and Conditions for Consumer Services.
- **5.2.** Recurring monthly tariff: The subscriber selects a monthly data usage allowance or 'bundle'. The monthly recurring charges for each monthly data usage allowance or bundle are shown in the table below, together with incremental usage charge rates for out of bundle usage:

	Lite 2GB	Plus 5GB	Unlimited		
Initiation Fee	QAR 100				
Plans	Month-to-Month	Month-to-Month	Month-to-Month		
Price	QAR 100	QAR 200	QAR 400		
Out of Bundle usage	0.10/MB	0.10/MB	N/A*		
Transfering service to another subscriber	QAR50				
	One-time charge for the replacement of an existing prepaid mobile broadband data-only SIM card QAR 50				

<sup>\*</sup> Subject to Qtel's Fair Usage Policy

- **5.3.** Customers opting to take the 'Unlimited' Bundle for a term of 12 months will receive a USB modem free of charge.
- **5.4.** Customers opting to take the 'Unlimited' Bundle for a term of 12 months, but then cancelling at any time within the term, will be subject to a cancellation charge equal to the retail price of the USB modem which the customer received free of charge. The current retail price of the USB modem provided by Qtel in connection with the postpaid mobile broadband service is QAR400.

## 6. Service Provider Obligations

- **6.1. Commencement of Service:** The subscriber will be provided with a Data Only SIM card. When the Data Only SIM card is placed in the subscriber's Data Device, the Data Device will be registered into Qtel's mobile network and the subscriber will have access to the service. The service shall commence from the date of activation of service.
- **6.2.** Qtel will fully reimburse the subscriber for the Postpaid Mobile Broadband service if the subscriber is consistently unable to receive service during the minimum service period in locations that Qtel has advertised as being covered with the exception of the service availability and limits described in Section 4 to 3.3.2.
- **6.3.** Qtel shall exercise all reasonable efforts to make the bearer services available to subscribers at all times. However, due to the constraints of radio and electronic communication, the bearer services shall not be fault free.
- **6.4.** Qtel shall exercise all reasonable efforts to provide access that is continuous, except in cases in which the provision of service is affected as set forth in other applicable sections of this tariff or the Qtel General Terms and Conditions for Consumer Services ("Section 19 Force Majeure and Matters Beyond Qtel's Reasonable Control").

### 6.5. Service Availability and Limits:

- **6.5.1.** Certain factors, such as network changes, traffic volume, transmission limits, service outages, technical limitations, signal strength, customer device, terrain, structures, weather, or other conditions that may arise from time to time, may interfere with actual service quality and availability.
- **6.5.2.** Connection may be interrupted, dropped, refused or limited. Qtel will not be liable for any service limits due to these conditions that may arise from time to time, subject to our statutory, licence and other obligations.

- **7.1. Equipment**: The Subscriber may acquire equipment from a third-party, provided that all equipment used to connect to Qtel's network complies with the technical standards and specifications described in Qtel's General Terms and Conditions for the Provision of Consumer Telecommunications Services, Article 10 (Connecting Subscriber Equipment).
- **7.2. Data-only SIM Card:** It is the subscriber's responsibility to keep safe the SIM card that is provided to them. SIM Cards are easily damaged and should be handled with care. The subscriber must promptly notify Qtel if the SIM Card is damaged. In the event of loss or theft of the subscriber's SIM Card, the subscriber must notify Qtel within forty-eight (48) hours of becoming aware of such loss or theft. The subscriber may be charged in the event of loss or theft of the SIM Card as noted in Section **Error! Reference source not found.**
- **7.3.** The subscriber shall comply with any reasonable request by Qtel concerning the configuration of the subscriber's data device, data-only SIM Card and/or the use of the service.
- **7.4.** Qtel may require the subscriber to submit information reasonably related to their service, data device or data-only SIM card.
- **7.5.** The customer must notify Qtel of such change within 14 days in the case of change of customer billing address.
- **7.6.** The subscriber undertakes to use the service personally and for the subscriber's own private interest, and shall not transfer the service or assign it to a third party without obtaining Qtel's prior written consent. The subscriber may transfer the service to another user for a charge as noted in Section 4.1.2.8.

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