



Company Presentation

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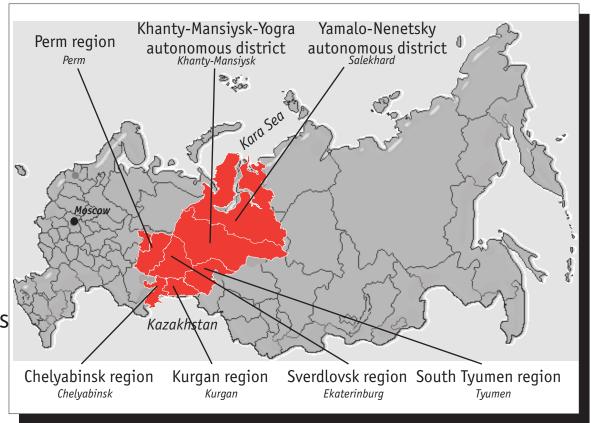


Region

Economic indicators

- Territory 1,9 mln sq. km
- Population 15,5 mln (9 % of overall population of Russia)
- Urban population 80 %
- Industrial output in 2002 -USD39,4 bln (18 % of Russia's overall industrial output)

Natural resources



- Oil (65 % of national reserves / 6 % of world resources)
- Gas (95 % of national reserves / 26 % of world resources)
- Iron (21 %) and manganese (9 %) ore, copper, gold, silver, diamonds



Key Facts

Technical

- Major telecommunications carrier in Urals region / Urals federal district and Perm region
- Overall installed capacity 4,4 mln lines, including mobile telephony -1,1 mln lines
- Wire-line subscriber number 3,1 mln, mobile 1,0 mln
- Number of employees 35,6 thous.

Financial

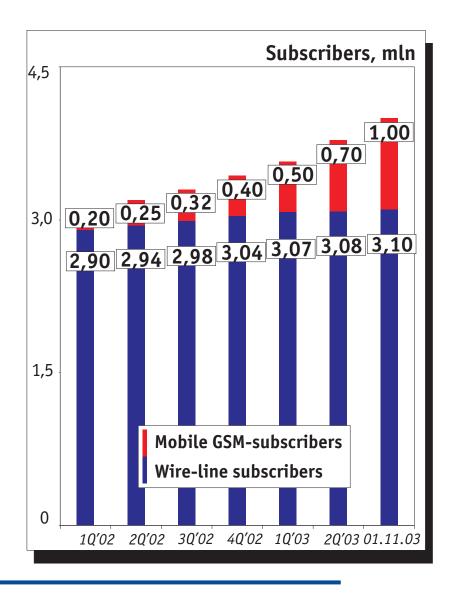
- Revenue'02/IAS USD564 mn
- EBITDA'02/IAS USD169 mn
- Capitalization as of 31/10/03 USD1 165 mn (+150% since of 01/01/03)

USD exchange rate as given here and henceforth: 2001 - RUR 29,5 / 2002 - RUR 31,4 / 2003E - RUR 30,7



Market performance

Local telephony*	Market share
	87
Alternative&departmental operators	13
DLD/ILD telephony*	
Uralsvyazinform	71
Alternative&departmental operators	29
Mobile telephony*	
Uralsvyazinform	55
MTS	26
MegaFon	17
Other	2
*07/01/03 data. As a percentage of total	subscriber number





Ownership structure

- Book capital USD 158 mn
- Number of shares 40 134 723 306 including common 32 298 782 020 / 80,5 % preference 7 835 941 286 / 19,5 %
- Number of stockholders 22 thous.

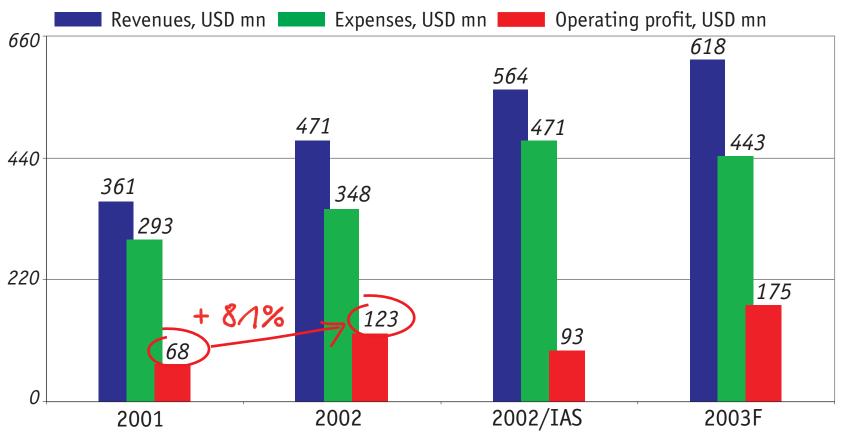
As of 01/10/03

Svyazinvest	41,4% (51,4%*)
Individuals	9,4% (5,8%)
Management	6,0% (6,1%)
State ownership	4,7% (5,8%)
ADR	10,1% (9,5%)
Institutional	28,4% (21,4%)
* stake in common shares	

• Free float - 48 %



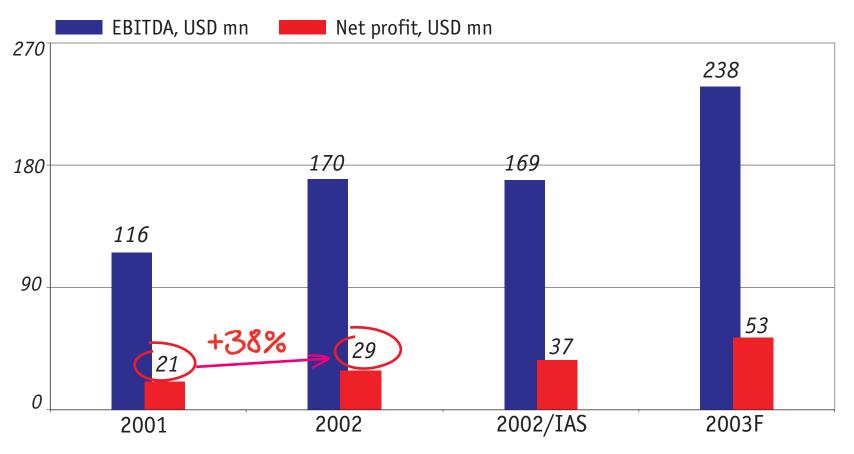
Financial Performance



Revenue growth rate has exceeded this of expenses over the last years. As a consequence, operating profit is going up.
 Operating margin (RAS): 2001 - 18,8 %, 2002 - 26,1 %, 2003F - 28,3 %



Financial Performance

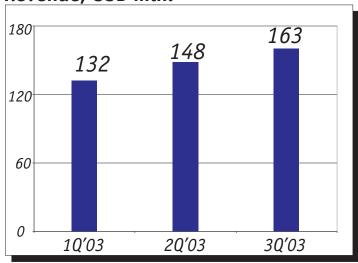


- EBITDA margin: 2001 32,1 %, 2002 36,1 %, 2003F 38,5 %
- Net margin: 2001 5,8 %, 2002 6,2 %, 2003F 8,6 %

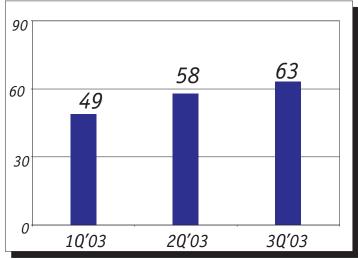


Quarterly Financial Highlights'03/RAS

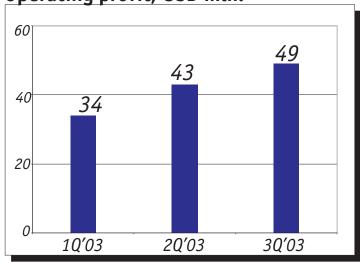
Revenue, USD mln.



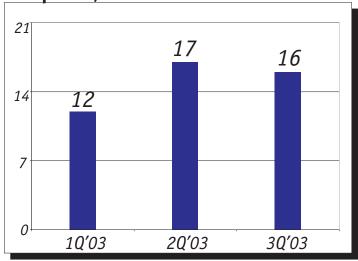
EBITDA, USD mln.



Operating profit, USD mln.

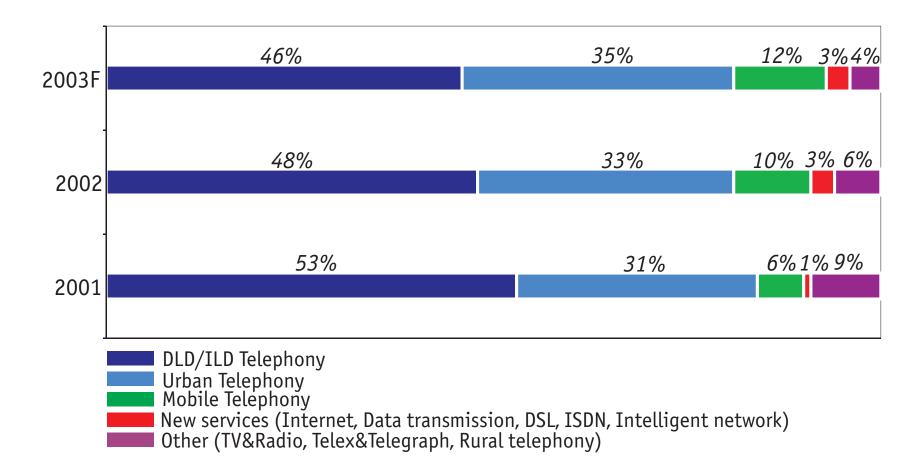


Net profit, USD mln.





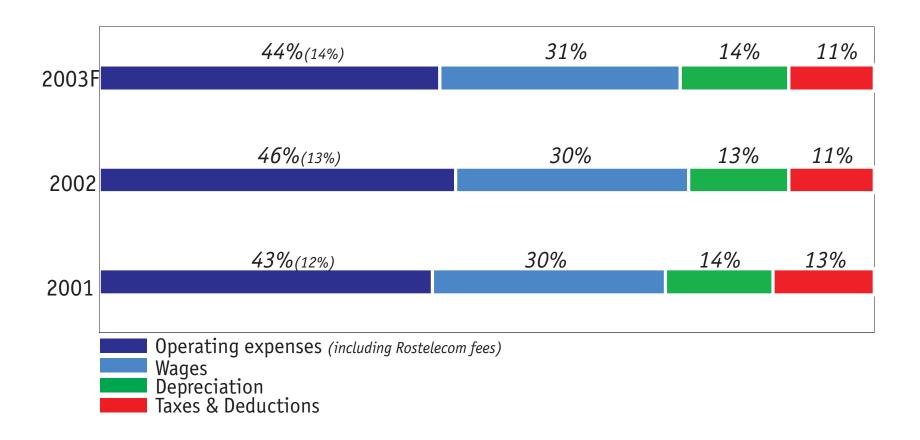
Revenue structure



Highly profitable services take up a higher share in revenue structure



Expenditure structure



 Plans to increase depreciation deductions, as well as budgets for marketing, advertizing, sales promotion, staff training, R&D



GSM 900/1800

Uralsvyazinform

South-Urals Cellular Phone

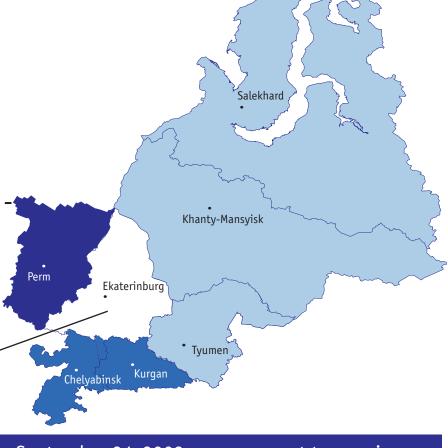
Ermak RMS

Total subscribers as of 01.11.03 - 1,0 mln (+119% since 01.01.03)

2003

Penetration into mobile market of Sverlovsk region and Ekaterinburg

 Prospects - consolidation of mobile business under one brand

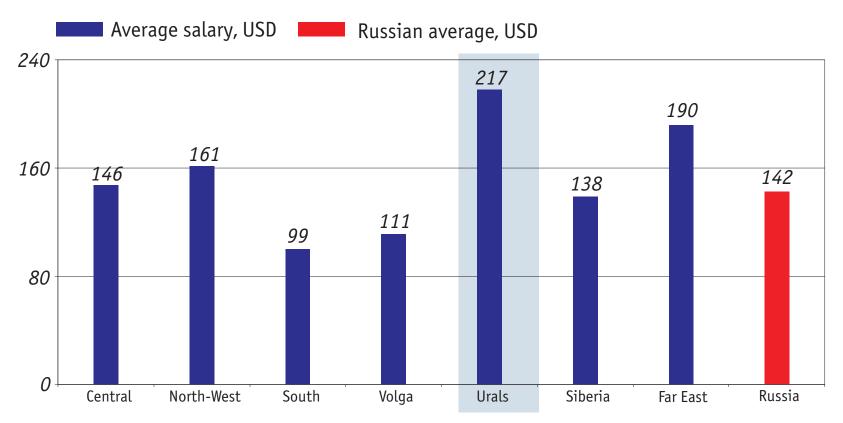


On September 24, 2003 an agreement to acquire 33,4% of Tatinkom-T, a mobile operator in Tatarstan was signed. Its subscriber base as of Sept.1, 2003 totaled 120 thousand.





Customer welfare...



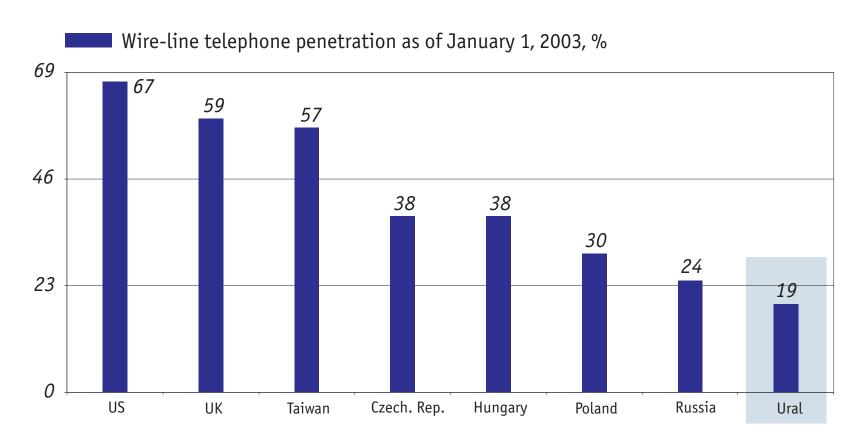
As a region of Russia, Ural ranks first in terms of customers' incomes / income per capita - subsistence wage ratio

According to Goskomstat (State Committee for Statistics) data as of 01.07.2002





along with pent-up demand for local telephony services ...



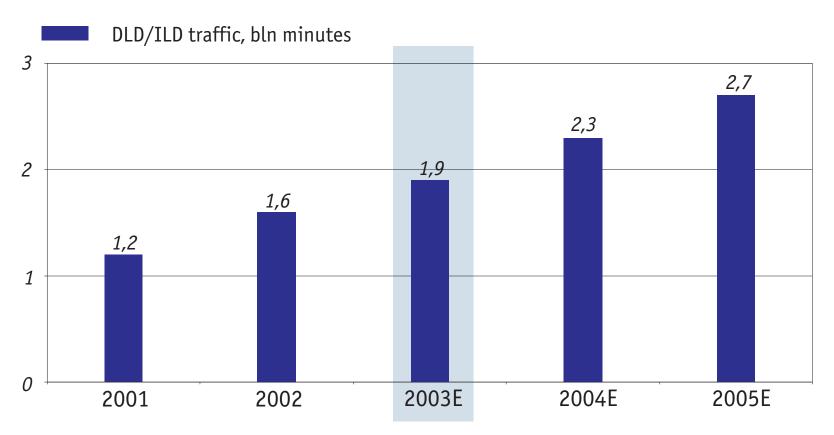
Waiting list as of January 1, 2003 accounts for 538 thous., 90% of which are urban. Each urban account covers installation costs, generating USD190 in revenue

According to GEM Telecom Overview/ING





... DLD/ILD telephony ...

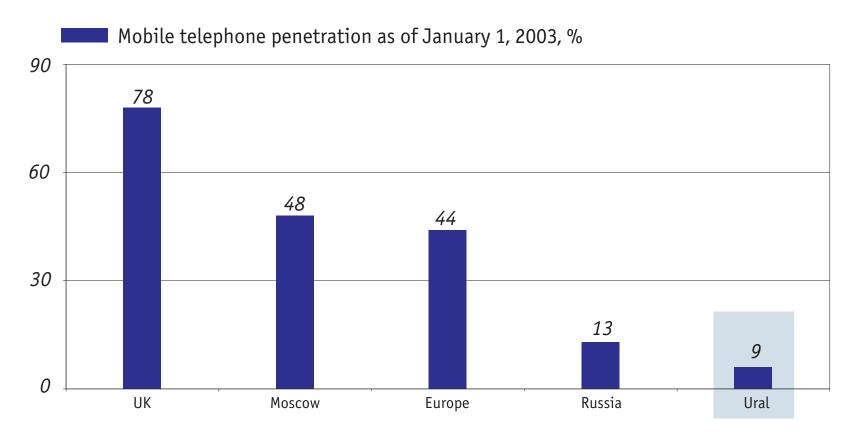


Healthy DLD/ILD traffic is backed by sustainable growth of foreign direct investment, and development of small and middle-scope businesses. Our revised long-distance tariff policy is another contributor to the traffic growth.





... and mobile telephony ...



We benefit from strong market potential in Urals region. The subscriber growth rate attained 89% since the beginning of the year, driven by competitive pricing, rising incomes and growing business activity.

*According to ACM Consulting





... determine investment priorities

- Capacity extension and network upgrade
 - Packet switching network
 - Optical broadband access networks
 - Intrazone optical and microwave transport networks
 - Wireless local loop
- Mobile telephony of GSM-900/1800 standard
- Internet
- Intelligent network
- Cable TV





Rapid growth

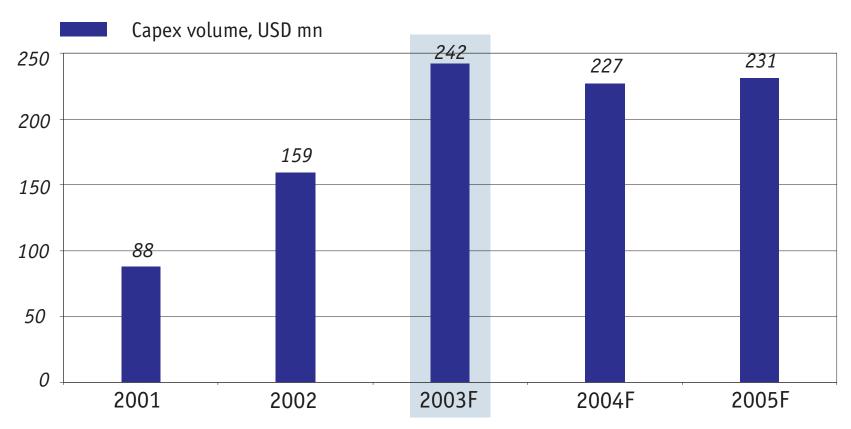
		2001					CAGR	2002-05
	Imple	mented	2002	2003F	2004F	2005F	2002-05	Plan
Wire-line	Thous. Lines	3 112	+338	+356	+380	+360	10%	+1 434
Mobile/GSM	Thous. Lines	261	+275	+804	+280	+280	63%	+1 639
Intrazone fiber optical links	Thous. Km	1,4	+1,5	+2,1	+2,5	+2,1	64%	+8,2
Intrazone radio microwave links	Thous. Km	2,0	+0,07	+1,1	+1,8	+1,3	33%	+4,3

Investment structure'2002: DLD/ILD telephony - 15 % Mobile telephony - 20 % Local telephony - 56 % New services - 8 % Other - 1 %





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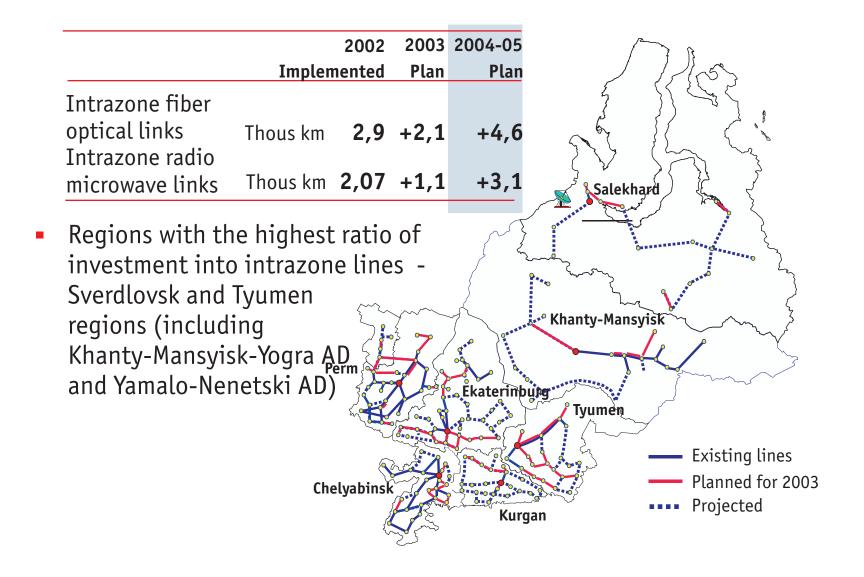


Priority investment regions - Sverdlovsk region, Tyumen region including Khanty-Mansyisk-Yogra and Yamalo-Nenetski autonomous districts.



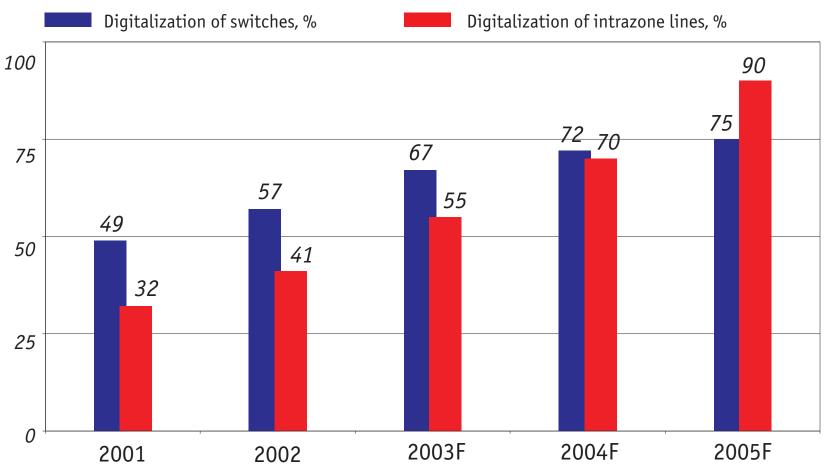


Digital transport network





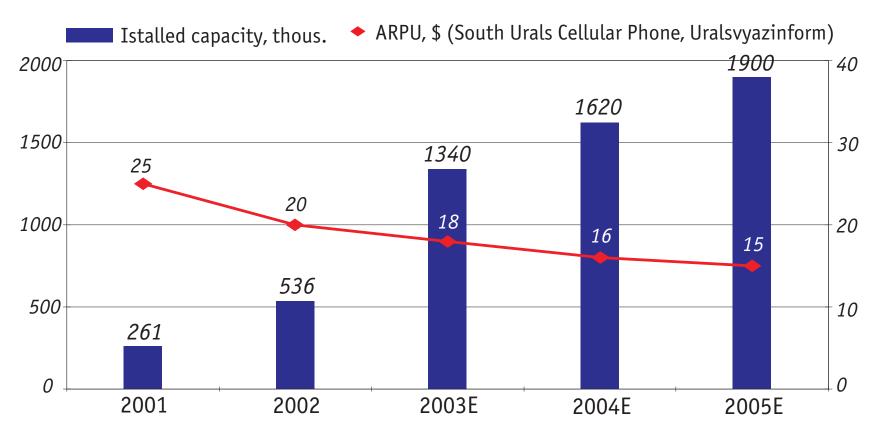
Digitalization



We expect high rate of digitalization of intrazone lines



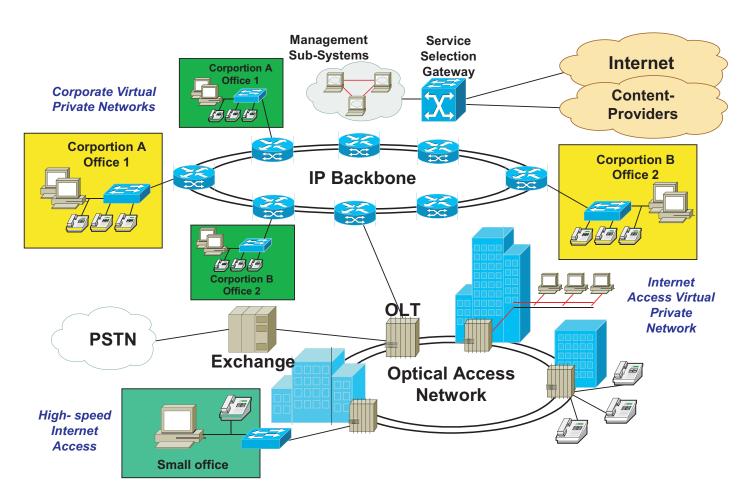
Development: GSM 900/1800



 The company plans to protect and expand its market share in mobile business through aggressive marketing and highly competitive pricing



Multiservice network



Further network development is based on optical access technology



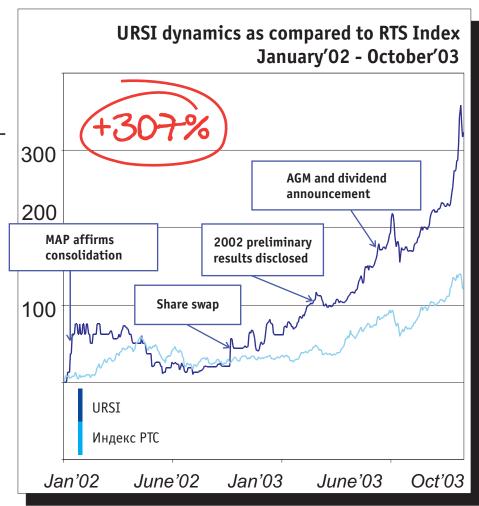
Development strategy

- Total Consumer Satisfaction policy
- Broadening of services array
- Enhancement of existing networks
- Prioritizing on highly profitable services
- Reduction of costs through introduction of up-to-date technologies, optimization of management structure and number of employees
- Elaboration of economically feasible tariff policy based on activity based costing
- Providing for capitalization growth and shares' liquidity



Stock performance

- Shares are traded on: Russian Trading System (RTS) -
 - RTS A1-Level Quotation List
 Moscow Interbank Currency Exchange MICEX A1-Level Quotation List
- Level 1 ADR program for common and preference shares
- ADR are traded on: Berlin Stock Exchange Frankfurt Stock Exchange NewEX Burse AG
- Credit ratings: Standard&Poors - "B", Stable Fitch Ratings - "B+", Positive
- Corporate governance score: Standard&Poors - "6,1"
- State owned shares sale: The state owned shares of the Company (4,7%) are expected to be sold in 2004



MSCI Indices:

Since May 30, 2003 shares are included in MSCI Russia and MSCI Telecommunications indices



Why Uralsvyazinform

- Vigorous business activity and solvent demand for telecommunications services in the region
 18 % of Russia's overall industrial output
- Total consumer satisfaction policy Over 4,0 mln. Subscribers
- Own mobile business and promotion of HVA-services 1,0 mln. Mobile subscribers
- Aggressive investment policy targeted at highly profitable technologies
 Approximately USD200 mln. Annually (2003-05)
- High economic efficiency and financial stability Operating profit'02 growth - 81%
- Effective management Corporate governance score: "6,1" (Standard&Poors)
- Company is striving to meet world standards of information transparency and corporate governance



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