



Your Insider's Look at Phone and Home Internet Plans for February 2024!





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Introduction

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This report, "Your Insider's Look at Phone and Home Internet Plans for February 2024," is brought to you by Digital Plus Solutions. It serves as a comprehensive guide offering an in-depth comparison of phone and home internet plans tailored to suit the needs of students, individuals, families, and high-data users. The goal is to empower consumers to make informed decisions by navigating the complex landscape of digital solutions efficiently.

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Mobile Carrier Plans

Carrier	Plan	Price (1 line)	Price (2 lines)	Price (3 lines)	Price (4 lines)	Benefits
AT&T	Unlimited Premium Plan	\$85.99/month	\$151.98/month	\$182.97/month	\$203.96/month	Unlimited high-speed data, 5G access, 60GB of mobile hotspot data per line, Up to 4K UHD Streaming, along with AT&T ActiveArmorSM advanced security.
AT&T	Unlimited Extra Plan	\$75.99/month	\$131.98/month	\$152.97/month	\$163.96/month	75GB premium data post consumption AT&T may temporarily slow data speeds if the network is busy, 30GB of mobile hotspot data per line, along with AT&T ActiveArmorSM advanced security.
AT&T	Unlimited Starter Plan	\$65.99/month	\$121.98/month	\$137.97/month	\$143.96/month	AT&T may temporarily slow data speeds if the network is busy, with 5G access, 5GB of mobile hotspot data per line, and AT&T ActiveArmorSM advanced security.
Verizon	Unlimited Ultimate	\$90/month	\$160/month	\$195/month	\$220/month	Unlimited 5G/4G LTE, Mobile 60GB Hotspot data, Add-ons Verizon Home Internet as low as \$25/Month. Add Apple one by paying \$10/line per month.
Verizon	Unlimited Plus	\$80/month	\$140/month	\$165/month	\$180/month	Unlimited 5G/4G LTE, 30GB of mobile hotspot data per line. Add-ons Verizon Home Internet as low as \$25/Month. Add Disney bundle or Netflix & MAX by paying \$10/line per month
Verizon	Unlimited Welcome	\$65/month	\$110/month	\$120/month	\$120/month	Unlimited 5G/4G LTE Add-ons Verizon home Internet as low as \$40/Month. Add Walmart+ by paying \$10/line per month
Boost	5GB Plan	\$15/month	\$30/month	\$45/month	\$60/month	Unlimited Talk & Text, 5GB 5G/4G Data/mo, Mobile Hotspot
Boost	15GB Plan	\$25/month	\$50/month	\$75/month	\$100/month	Unlimited Talk & Text, 15 GB 5G/4G Data/mo, Mobile Hotspot

Boost	Unlimited Plan	\$40/month	\$80/month	\$120/month	\$160/month	Unlimited Talk & Text, 30GB 5G/4G Data, Mobile Hotspot
Mint	5GB Plan	\$15/month	\$30/month	\$45/month	\$60/month	Unlimited Talk & Text, 5GB 5G/4G Data/mo, Mobile Hotspot
Mint	15GB Plan	\$20/month	\$40/month	\$60/month	\$80/month	Unlimited Talk & Text, 15GB 5G/4G Data/mo, Mobile Hotspot
Mint	20GB Plan	\$25/month	\$50/month	\$75/month	\$100/month	Unlimited Talk & Text, 20GB 5G/4G Data/mo, Mobile Hotspot
Mint	Unlimited Plan	\$30/month	\$60/month	\$90/month	\$120/month	Unlimited Talk & Text, 40GB 5G/4G Data, Mobile Hotspot limited to 10GB
T-Mobile	Go5G Next	\$100/month	\$170/month	\$180/month	\$225/month	Upgrade your phone Every year, Unlimited Talk, Text & Data, Unlimited Priority Data, Ultra-High Definition Streaming, 50GB Hotspot Access, Apple TV+, Netflix™ Standard with ads, Hulu (With Ads).
T-Mobile	Go5G Plus	\$90/month	\$150/month	\$150/month	\$185/month	Upgrade your phone Every two years, Unlimited Talk, Text & Data, Unlimited Priority Data, Ultra-High Definition Streaming, 50GB Hotspot Access, Apple TV+, Netflix™ Standard with ads.
T-Mobile	Essential	\$50/month	\$90/month	\$90/month	\$100/month	Unlimited Talk, Text & Data, 50GB Premium Data, Unlimited 3G mobile hotspot data
U.S Cellular	Basic	\$29.99/month	\$59.98/month	\$89.97/month	\$119.96/month	Unlimited Talk, Text & Data, SD Streaming
U.S Cellular	Everyday	\$39.99/month	\$79.98/month	\$119.97/month	\$159.96/month	Unlimited Talk, Text & Data, 50 GB Priority Data, HD Streaming, 25GB Hotspot Access
U.S Cellular	Even Better	\$49.99/month	\$99.98/month	\$149.97/month	\$199.96/month	Unlimited Talk, Text & Data, Unlimited Priority Data, Ultra-High Definition Streaming, 50GB Hotspot Access

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AT&T:

Q. How does AT&T's Unlimited Premium Plan differ from its Unlimited Extra and Unlimited Starter Plans in terms of features and cost?

❖ AT&T's Plans Overview:

- Cost:
 - Premium: \$85.99-\$203.96/month (1-4 lines)
 - Extra: \$75.99-\$163.96/month (1-4 lines)
 - Starter: \$65.99-\$143.96/month (1-4 lines)
- Features:
 - Premium: Highest cost, 50GB hotspot, 4K UHD Streaming.
 - Extra: Mid-cost, 15GB hotspot.
 - Starter: Lowest cost, potential data slowdown.
- Data:
 - Premium: Unlimited high-speed.
 - Extra: 50GB premium data.
 - Starter: May slow during congestion.

Q. What separates AT&T's mobile hotspot offerings throughout its plans, and how does it cater to a variety of consumer needs?

- ❖ Premium Plan:
 - 50GB hotspot: Ideal for heavy data users, remote work, or streaming on the go.
- ❖ Extra Plan:
 - 15GB hotspot: Suitable for moderate data sharing, remote work, or occasional streaming.
- ❖ Starter Plan:
 - 3GB hotspot: Basic connectivity for light users or essential online tasks.
- ❖ AT&T caters to diverse needs by providing hotspot options that align with varying data usage patterns, from high-demand scenarios to basic connectivity requirements.

Q. Given that the Unlimited Starter Plan's internet speed may be reduced due to network congestion, how does AT&T address this issue, and what solutions do they provide?

- ❖ AT&T Unlimited Starter Plan Speed Management:
 - During network congestion, AT&T may temporarily slow data speeds for users on the Unlimited Starter Plan.
 - AT&T provides 5G access to enhance network capabilities, offering improved speeds and reduced congestion effects in 5G-covered areas.
 - Users experiencing reduced speeds during congestion can benefit from 5G technology for a more consistent and faster internet experience.

Verizon:

Q. How does Verizon balance pricing and functionality throughout its plans, especially the Unlimited Plus and Unlimited Welcome Plans?

- ❖ Unlimited Ultimate: Priced at \$90/line per month, it offers a balance with unlimited 5G/4G LTE and includes Mobile + Home Discount with Fios Home Internet, providing comprehensive functionality at a higher cost.
- ❖ Unlimited Plus: Positioned at \$80/line per month, it strikes a balance with 50GB premium 5G data and 15 GB hotspot, providing a mix of features at a slightly lower cost.
- ❖ Unlimited Welcome: At \$65/line per month, it maintains a balance with basic functionality, including 5G data, a 3GB hotspot, and a more budget-friendly price point.

Q. Examine Verizon's mix of price and features, particularly when comparing the Unlimited Plus and Unlimited Welcome plans.

- ❖ Verizon's Unlimited Plus and Unlimited Welcome plans to cater to different budget and feature preferences:
 - Unlimited Plus (\$80/line per month):
 - Higher cost but offers 50GB premium data, 5G access, and 15 GB hotspot.
 - Suitable for users requiring ample high-speed data and enhanced hotspot capabilities.

- Unlimited Welcome (\$65/line per month):
 - More budget-friendly option with essential features like 5G access and 3GB hotspot.
 - Appeals to users seeking cost-effectiveness with essential plan features.

Boost:

Q.What is the advantage of Boost's 5GB Plan over its 15GB and Unlimited Plans, and how does it cater to different consumer needs?

- ❖ Boost's Plan Comparison:
 - Boost's 5GB Plan:
 - Lower cost at \$15/month.
 - Suitable for users with light data needs.
 - Ideal for essential communication and limited data usage customers.
 - Boost's 15GB Plan:
 - Priced higher at \$25/month.
 - Appeals to users with moderate data requirements.
 - Offers increased data allowance for more usage without the commitment of an unlimited plan.
 - Boost's Unlimited Plan:
 - Priced at \$40/month.
 - Targets users with high data demands and those seeking unlimited data access.
 - Ideal for heavy data users and those who want worry-free, up to 30 GB data usage.

Q. How does Boost include mobile hotspot services in its plans, and what are the limitations or enhancements to each plan?

- ❖ Mobile Hotspot Services:
 - Inclusion in Plans:
 - 5GB Plan:
 - Mobile hotspot included with 5GB of 5G/4G data per month.
 - Suitable for basic internet sharing needs.
 - 15GB Plan:
 - Mobile hotspot feature integrated with 15GB of 5G/4G data monthly.
 - Enhanced data allowance for more extensive hotspot use.
 - Unlimited Plan:
 - Upto 30GB mobile hotspot is included for extensive data sharing.

- Ideal for users requiring unlimited hotspot connectivity.

❖ Limitations/Enhancements:

- Limitations:
 - Data speed may be subject to network conditions.
 - Higher plans offer greater data allowances but may face deprioritization during network congestion.
- Enhancements:
 - Gradual increase in data allowance from 5GB to 30GB, catering to diverse user needs.
 - Flexibility to choose a plan based on desired hotspot usage and budget constraints.

Q. Given Boost's pricing structure, how do the costs fluctuate between plans, and what additional features become accessible as the price rises?

❖ Boost Mobile Pricing Structure and Features:

- Cost Fluctuations Between Plans:
 - 5GB Plan:
 - Priced at \$15/month, offering basic talk, text, and 5GB 5G/4G data.
 - Suited for users with light data needs.
 - 15GB Plan:
 - Priced at \$25/month, providing increased data allowance (15GB) and other standard features.
 - Catering to users requiring moderate data usage.
 - Unlimited Plan:
 - Priced at \$40/month, offering unlimited talk, text, and upto 30GB data (5G/4G).
 - Ideal for users with high data demands.

❖ Additional Features as Price Rises:

- Higher Data Allowances:
 - More expensive plans offer increased data allowances, accommodating diverse user preferences.
- Mobile Hotspot Inclusion:
 - All plans include mobile hotspot services, with data allowances varying based on the plan's pricing tier.
- Flexibility:
 - Users can choose plans based on their budget and data requirements, ensuring cost-effectiveness.

Mint:

Q. In terms of pricing, where does Mint stand in the market, and does it provide competitive rates for its plans?

- ❖ Mint Mobile Pricing Position:
 - Mint Mobile is a popular option among students as it positions itself as a budget-friendly choice in the market.
- ❖ Competitive Rates for Plans:
 - 5GB Plan:
 - Priced at \$15/month, offering 5GB 5G/4G data, unlimited talk, and text.
 - Competitive for users with light data needs seeking cost-effective plans.
 - 15GB Plan:
 - Priced at \$20/month, providing 15GB 5G/4G data, unlimited talk, and text.
 - Competitive rates for moderate data users compared to other providers.
 - Unlimited Plan:
 - Priced at \$30/month, offering 40GB 5G/4G data, unlimited talk, and text.
 - Competitive pricing for users with high data demands.
- ❖ Summary:
 - Mint Mobile strategically positions itself with competitive rates across its plans, making it an attractive choice for users seeking affordability without compromising on features.

Q. How do Mint's data plans differ between the 5GB, 15GB, and Unlimited Plans, and what aspects should users consider when selecting a plan?

- ❖ Mint Mobile Data Plans Overview:
 - 5GB Plan:
 - Data Allowance: 5GB of 5G/4G data per month.
 - Usage Profile: Ideal for light data users who mainly use basic apps and services.
 - Considerations: Cost-effective option for users with minimal data needs.
 - 15GB Plan:
 - Data Allowance: 15GB of 5G/4G data per month.
 - Usage Profile: Suitable for moderate data users who stream occasionally and use social media.
 - Considerations: Balances data needs with affordability, catering to a broader audience.
 - Unlimited Plan:
 - Data Allowance: 40GB of 5G/4G data.

- Usage Profile: Tailored for users with high data demands, including heavy streaming and frequent use of data-intensive apps.
- Considerations: Best for those seeking worry-free, limitless data usage.

Q. Examine how Mint's Unlimited Plan implements unlimited call and text capabilities and compare them to the 5GB and 15 GB Plans.

❖ Mint Mobile Unlimited Plan vs. 5GB/15GB Plans:

- Unlimited Plan:
 - Calls and Texts: Offers unlimited nationwide talk and text.
 - Data: 40GB of 5G/4G data, providing worry-free data usage.
 - Ideal for Users with extensive communication needs and high data usage.
- 5GB/15GB Plans:
 - Calls and Texts: Similar to the Unlimited Plan, they include unlimited nationwide talk and text.
 - Data: Fixed data allowances of 5GB and 15 GB, respectively, suitable for users with moderate data needs.
 - Ideal For: Individuals who prioritize communication but have lower data usage.
- Comparison:
 - Calls and Texts: All plans provide unlimited calling and texting features.
 - Data: The key distinction lies in the data offerings of the Unlimited Plan of 40GB 5G/4G data.
 - Usage Profile: Choose based on your data requirements, with the Unlimited Plan being optimal for heavy data users.
- Considerations:
 - Communication Needs: If unlimited calling and texting are sufficient, the 5GB or 15 GB plans may be suitable.
 - Data Intensity: Opt for the Unlimited Plan (40 GB) if you have high data demands.
- Summary:
 - Mint Mobile's plans maintain consistent unlimited calling and texting capabilities, differentiating primarily based on data allowances. The choice depends on your communication preferences and data usage patterns.

T-mobile:

Q. Compare T-Mobile's priority data allocation among its Go5G Next, Go5G Plus, and Essential plans, and examine the impact on customer experience.

- ❖ T-Mobile's priority data allocation varies among its plans:

- Go5G Next:
 - Priority Data: Unlimited Priority Data
 - Impact on Customer Experience: Go5G Next subscribers enjoy constant high-speed data access without fear of being deprioritized amid network congestion, resulting in a superior and reliable data experience.
- Go5G Plus:
 - Priority Data: Unlimited Priority Data
 - Impact on Customer Experience: Similar to Go5G Next, Go5G Plus subscribers enjoy uninterrupted high-speed data, ensuring a reliable and consistent data experience even during peak usage times.
- Essential:
 - Priority Data: 50GB Premium Data
 - Impact on Customer Experience: While Essential offers a large quantity of priority data, there is a 50GB cap. Consumers may experience slower speeds during network congestion when reached at this level. This plan is appropriate for those with modest data use.

- ❖ In summary, Go5G Next and Go5G Plus provide limitless priority data, ensuring clients have an optimal and reliable data experience. Essential offers an abundance of priority data but has a cap, which will impact speeds beyond 50GB usage depending on network congestion. The decision is based on the user's data requirements and preferences for a smooth data experience.

Q. Examine T-Mobile's plans' versatility in meeting the demands of various users, particularly when comparing Go5G Next, Go5G Plus, and Essential.

- ❖ T-Mobile's plans, including Go5G Next, Go5G Plus, and Essential, cater to various user demands with differences in features and pricing. Here's an examination of their versatility:

- Go5G Next:
 - Target Audience: Users wanting a premium and comprehensive package.
 - Key Features:
 - Unlimited Talk, Text & Data.
 - Unlimited Priority Data for a superior network experience.
 - Ultra-High Definition Streaming for top-tier video quality.
 - 50GB Hotspot Access for on-the-go connectivity.
 - Annual phone upgrade for those who want the latest devices.
- Go5G Plus:
 - Target Audience: Users seeking for a good price/feature ratio.
 - Key Features:
 - Unlimited Talk, Text & Data.

- 50GB Priority Data for a reliable network experience.
 - HD Streaming for good video quality.
 - 25GB Hotspot Access for moderate mobile connectivity.
 - Phone upgrade every two years.
- Essential:
- Target Audience: Users who are on a tight budget, want basic communication services.
 - Key Features:
 - Unlimited Talk, Text & Data.
 - 50GB Premium Data for standard network usage.
 - Unlimited 3G mobile hotspot data, suitable for basic connectivity.
 - A cost-effective option without some of the premium features of higher-tier plans.
- ❖ Plans comparison:
- Data Priority: Go5G Next provides unlimited priority data, ensuring a top-tier network experience, while Go5G Plus and Essential offer varying degrees of priority data to suit different needs and budgets.
 - Hotspot Access: Go5G Next has a higher hotspot allowance (50GB) compared to Go5G Plus (25GB) and Essential (3G unlimited). This caters to users with diverse hotspot requirements.
 - Streaming Quality: Go5G Next offers Ultra-High Definition Streaming, providing the best video quality. Go5G Plus offers HD Streaming, balancing quality and cost. Essential focuses on standard network usage without premium streaming features.
- ❖ In summary, T-Mobile's plans showcase versatility by providing options for users with different preferences, priorities, and budget constraints. Whether users prioritize premium features, a balance between cost and features, or budget-friendly options, T-Mobile's plans cater to diverse user demands.

U.S Cellular:

Q. How does U.S Cellular guarantee a high-quality streaming experience in its Everyday and Even Better plans, and how does data management work?

- ❖ US Cellular ensures a high-quality streaming experience in its Everyday and Even Better plans through key features and effective data management:
 - EveryDAY Plan:
 - High-Quality Streaming: The plan includes HD Streaming, ensuring that users can enjoy content in high definition for an enhanced viewing experience.

- 50GB Priority Data: With 50GB of priority data, users receive a reliable and fast network connection, especially during periods of network congestion.
- Even Better Plan:
 - Ultra-High Definition Streaming: This plan takes the streaming experience a step further by offering Ultra-High Definition (UHD) Streaming. This provides the highest quality video streaming for users who prioritize excellent visual content.
 - Unlimited Priority Data: Users benefit from unlimited priority data, ensuring a consistently high-speed and reliable network connection even during peak times.
- Data Management:
 - Priority Data: Both plans include a significant amount of priority data, ensuring that users have access to fast and reliable network speeds. This is crucial for activities like streaming, online gaming, and other data-intensive tasks.
 - Network Congestion Management: During periods of network congestion, US Cellular may implement data management practices. While Everyday and Even Better plans provide priority data, exceeding certain thresholds might lead to reduced speeds for specific users during congestion to maintain a smoother network experience for all users.
 - HD and UHD Streaming: By offering HD and UHD Streaming in Everyday and Even Better plans, US Cellular allows users to enjoy high-quality video content without compromising on clarity.

Q. How is hotspot access organized in US Cellular plans, and what alternatives exist for consumers that prefer mobile hotspot features?

- ❖ US Cellular organizes hotspot access in its plans with specific data allocations, and for consumers preferring mobile hotspot features, alternative plans are offering varying hotspot options:
- ❖ Hotspot Access in US Cellular Plans:
 - Everyday Plan: This plan provides 25GB of hotspot data, allowing users to connect their devices and enjoy internet access on the go.
 - Even Better Plan: Users of this plan benefit from a generous 50GB hotspot data allowance, providing extended mobile hotspot usage.
- ❖ Alternatives for Mobile Hotspot Users:
 - Everyday Plan: Customers opting for this plan can utilize the 25GB hotspot data for various purposes, such as connecting laptops, tablets, or other devices to the internet outside their home.

- Even Better Plan: For those with higher mobile hotspot needs, this plan's 50GB hotspot allowance offers more flexibility, making it suitable for users who frequently rely on mobile hotspot connectivity.

Q. What are the US Cellular Unlimited Plan's benefits in data use, and how does it compare to other unlimited plans?

- ❖ The US Cellular Unlimited Plan offers several benefits regarding data use, distinguishing it from other unlimited plans:
- ❖ Unlimited Talk, Text & Data:
 - The US Cellular Unlimited Plan provides unrestricted access to talk, text, and data usage. Customers can communicate freely without worrying about exceeding limits on calls and messages.
- ❖ SD Streaming:
 - The plan includes SD streaming, allowing users to watch videos and content at standard definition quality. While not at the highest resolution, it still offers a satisfactory viewing experience for many users.
- ❖ Comparative Analysis:
 - In comparison to other unlimited plans, the US Cellular Unlimited Plan stands out for its simplicity and inclusivity. It caters to users who prioritize unlimited communication and data access without the need for premium streaming quality.
- ❖ Competitive Pricing:
 - The Unlimited Plan from US Cellular is competitively priced, providing value for customers seeking comprehensive communication and data services without the additional costs associated with premium features.
- ❖ Comparison with Other Plans:
 - When compared to plans from other carriers, the US Cellular Unlimited Plan may appeal to those who prioritize basic communication needs and general data usage without requiring high-definition streaming or extensive mobile hotspot features.
- ❖ Alternative Options:
 - For users with specific preferences such as higher-quality streaming or increased mobile hotspot data, US Cellular offers alternative plans like EveryDAY and Even Better, each tailored to different needs.

ALL CARRIERS:

Q. Find the ideal phone plan for high hotspot usage?

- ❖ For people who use a lot of hotspot data, T-Mobile has a plan Go5G Next. It costs \$100 for each line and gives you 50GB of hotspot data. This is good for those who need a lot of data for their other devices. If you're trying to save money, Verizon has a plan for \$80

per line that gives you 30GB of hotspot data. It's a bit cheaper and still offers a good amount of data for your needs.

Q. Discover a phone plan tailored for high data consumption?

- ❖ The T-Mobile Go5G Next plan, ideal for those with heavy data use, offers Unlimited Priority Data at \$100 per line/month. It's tailored for users requiring extensive data and includes perks like upgrading to a new phone every year and subscriptions to Netflix, Hulu, and Apple TV+. This plan addresses the needs of high data consumers comprehensively.

Q. Identify a suitable phone plan for moderate data usage?

- ❖ For moderate data usage, the Mint 15GB Plan priced at \$40 per month for a single line offers a balanced allocation of data. With generous 15GB of 5G/4G data per month, this plan caters to users with moderate data needs, providing a cost-effective option for reliable connectivity.

Q. Pinpoint the best phone plan for extensive international texting?

- ❖ For extensive international texting, Mint's Unlimited Plan priced at \$30 per month for a single line is a suitable choice. This plan offers unlimited talk and text, including international texting, making it a cost-effective option for users with significant international communication needs.

Q. Find the optimal phone plan for frequent international calls?

- ❖ T-Mobile's Go5G Next plan is designed for those who often make international calls, priced at \$100 per line/month. It includes unlimited talk, text, data, and special rates for international calls. This plan is also packed with perks like an annual phone upgrade and subscriptions to Netflix, Hulu, and Apple TV+, catering to users who value entertainment and staying connected globally.

Q. Identify the most cost-effective and feature-rich phone plan for four lines with unlimited data?

- ❖ T-Mobile's Go5G Next plan, at \$225/month for four lines, breaks down to \$56.25 per line/month, offering a rich mix of features like unlimited talk, text, data, priority data, ultra-high definition streaming, 50GB hotspot access, and subscriptions to Apple TV+, Netflix™ Standard (with ads), and Hulu (with ads). This blend of affordability and premium features makes it an excellent choice for families or groups requiring extensive data and entertainment.

Q. Find the best phone plan for four lines with unlimited talk services?

- ❖ For four lines with a focus on unlimited talk services, Mint's Unlimited Plan is a great option. Priced at \$120 per month for four lines, this plan includes Unlimited Talk & Text, as well as Unlimited 5G/4G Data. Mint Mobile's pricing structure offers a cost-effective solution for families seeking unlimited talk services on multiple lines.

Home Internet Plans

AT&T:

Plan	Download Speed	Monthly Price	Connected Devices	Features & Benefits
Internet 300	300 Mbps	\$55/mo. plus taxes	10	Unlimited data • Whole-home Wi-Fi (equipment rental may apply) • AT&T ActiveArmor security
Internet 500	500 Mbps	\$65/mo. plus taxes	11	All features of Internet 300 • Faster download speeds for streaming and gaming
1GIG Internet	1 Gbps	\$80/mo. plus taxes	12	All features of Internet 500 • Ideal for multiple connected devices and high-bandwidth activities
2GIG Internet	2 Gbps	\$125/mo. plus taxes	12+	All features of Internet 1000, Ultra-fast speeds for heavy data users and large households
5GIG Internet	5 Gbps	\$225/mo. plus taxes	12+	All features of 2 GIG Internet, Blazing-fast speeds for power users and future-proof connectivity

<https://www.att.com/internet/internet-service-plans/>

Additional Notes:

- Prices are for new customers and may be subject to change.
- Get a discount on your monthly rate when you activate and enroll in Autopay & Paperless Bill. It starts in two billing cycles. Keep autopay/paperless billing and a valid email for the discount.
- Equipment rental fees may apply depending on the plan chosen.
- Connected devices refer to the number of devices recommended for optimal performance on the plan.
- Some plans may offer additional features or benefits, such as free HBO Max or access to AT&T TV streaming services.

Verizon:

Plans	Download Speed	Monthly Prices	Monthly Prices W/O Discount	Features & Benefits
Fios Internet Welcome	300 Mbps	\$24.99	\$49.99	Get a \$50 Target GiftCard on us.
Fios Internet Gaming & Streaming	500 Mbps	\$44.99	\$69.99	Get a \$100 Target GiftCard on us.
Fios Internet Complete	1 Gig	\$64.99	\$89.99	Get a \$200 Target GiftCard on us. Choose from one of these bundles.*
Fios Internet 2 Gig	2 Gigs	\$84.99	\$109.99	Get a \$300 Target GiftCard on us. Choose from one of these bundles.*
5G Home	High Speed	\$35.00	\$60.00	1080p HD Video streaming
5G Home Plus	Higher Speed	\$45.00	\$80.00	Get a \$200 Target GiftCard on us. Verizon Cloud Unlimited Ultra HD 4K Video streaming

<https://www.verizon.com/home/internet/fios-fastest-internet/>

<https://www.verizon.com/home/internet/5g/>

Additional notes:

- ❖ Save even more with this discount. Mobile + Home Discount Save \$25/mo for existing postpaid mobile customers with an unlimited plan that includes 5G Ultra Wideband who then add and maintain a Fios 2 Gig plan. Mobile + Home Discount enrollment req'd.
 - \$99 setup and other terms may apply. Subject to credit approval.
- ❖ Router rental and Whole-Home Wi-Fi Plus included
- ❖ *Choose a bundle based on your plan:
- ❖ Streaming Bundle (Included with the 1 Gig/2 Gig plan):
 - 2 TB Verizon Cloud Storage for secure backup.
 - Disney+ Premium (No Ads) free for the first 6 months.
 - Offer valid for new Verizon Home Internet Fios 1 Gig service customers.

- Install eligible service, then redeem the offer within 180 days.
 - Disney+ subscription auto-renews at \$13.99/mo after the promo period.
 - Must remain on a qualified Verizon Home Internet plan to retain the Disney+ offer.
- ❖ Gaming Bundle (Included with the 1 Gig/2 Gig plan):
- MoCA Ethernet Adapter for a wired connection through existing coax outlets.
 - \$50 Xbox eGift Card.
 - Must install and maintain eligible Fios services for 30 days.
 - Offer must be redeemed within 180 days.
- ❖ Complete Bundle (+\$10/mo):
- Upgrade to Whole-Home Wifi Plus for Wi-Fi coverage.
 - 2 TB Verizon Cloud Storage for secure backup.
 - Disney+ Premium (No Ads) free for the first 6 months.
 - MoCA Ethernet Adapter for a wired connection.
 - \$50 Xbox eGift Card.
 - Rental of 1 router and up to 3 Wi-Fi extenders included in Whole-Home Wi-Fi Plus.
 - Offer valid for new Verizon Home Internet Fios 1 Gig Complete Package and 2 Gig customers.
 - Disney+ subscription auto-renews at \$13.99/mo after the promo period.
 - Must remain on a qualified Verizon Home Internet plan to retain the Disney+ offer.

Google Fiber:

Plan	Download Speed	Monthly Price	Features & Benefits
Google Fiber 1 Gig	1 Gbps	\$70	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Nest Wifi Pro with Wi-Fi 6E included · 1 TB of free cloud storage
Google Fiber 2 Gig	2 Gbps	\$100	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Multi-gig Wi-Fi 6E router included · Up to 2 Mesh Extenders included
Google Fiber 5 Gig	5 Gbps	\$125	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Multi-gig Wi-Fi 6E router included · Up to two Mesh Extenders included
Google Fiber 8 Gig	8 Gbps	\$150	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Multi-gig Wi-Fi 6E router with 4 multi-gig ports included · Up to two Mesh Extenders included

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Additional Features & Benefits:

- Free professional installation or easy self-install kit
- 5 and 8 Gig plans are not available in all locations. Please check your address above to see available speeds and plans for your area.
- No data caps or overage charges: Enjoy unlimited internet usage without worry.
- No contracts: Cancel anytime with no early termination fees.

Xfinity:

Plan	Price	Download Speed	Connected Device	Contract
50 Mbps Internet*	\$9.99/month	50 Mbps	4	No Term Agreement
75 Mbps Internet	\$19.99/month	75 Mbps	4	\$19.99/mo for the first 12 months with a 1-year agreement
100 Mbps Internet*	\$29.95/month	100 Mbps	5	No Term Agreement
200 Mbps Internet	\$30/month	200 Mbps	5	\$30.00/mo for the first 24 months with No Term Agreement
400 Mbps Internet	\$50/month	400 Mbps	8	\$50.00/mo for the first 24 months with No Term Agreement
800 Mbps Internet	\$60/month	800 Mbps	11	\$60.00/mo for the first 24 months with No Term Agreement
1000 Mbps Internet	\$65/month	1000 Mbps	12+	\$65.00/mo for the first 24 months with No Term Agreement
1200 Mbps Internet	\$70/month	1200 Mbps	Unlimited devices	\$70.00/mo for the first 24 months with No Term Agreement
2000 Mbps Internet	\$120/month	2000 Mbps	Unlimited devices	No Term Agreement

<https://www.xfinity.com/learn/deals/internet>

Additional Features & Benefits:

- ❖ Add an Xfinity Gateway at checkout. Enjoy a powerful, secure connection. Price varies (up to \$15/mo)
- ❖ *Plans are limited to location. Please check with the provider.
- ❖ ADD XFINITY MOBILE + SAVE
 - Get the best price for 2 lines of Unlimited — just \$30/mo per line
- ❖ Prices can change, not all areas qualify, and extra fees abound.

T-Mobile:

Plan	Download Speed	Monthly Price	Features & Benefits
Unlimited 5G Home Internet	72-245 Mbps	\$50 (with AutoPay, new line, qualifying voice line)	Unlimited data, no throttling, coverage in 48 contiguous states
Unlimited 5G Home Internet	72-245 Mbps	\$40 (with AutoPay, qualifying T-Mobile voice line, existing line)	Unlimited data, no throttling, coverage in 48 contiguous states
T-Mobile Internet Only	72-245 Mbps	\$60 (with AutoPay)	Unlimited data, no throttling, coverage in 48 contiguous states

<https://www.t-mobile.com/home-internet>

Additional Notes:

- ❖ Prices listed are after AutoPay discount and may vary depending on location and promotions.
- ❖ Qualifying voice lines include Go5G Next, Go5G Plus, Magenta MAX, or equivalent.
- ❖ Unlimited plans have no data caps but speeds lower than other customers and further reduction if using >1.2TB/mo or throttling, but speeds may vary based on location and network usage.
- ❖ T-Mobile Internet Lite plans are limited-time offers and may not be available in all areas.
- ❖ All plans require a one-time device fee of \$65.

Offers by Different Carriers:

AT&T:

AT&T Phone Deals (with trade-in) as of Feb,15,2024

Company	Deals	Notes & Terms
AT&T	Up to \$1000 off Samsung Galaxy S24+ and S24 Ultra, or up to \$800 off Galaxy S24 with eligible trade-in. Free Galaxy Tab A9+ with a new line.	- Purchase eligible smartphones and tablets on qualifying installment agreements. - Activate/keep postpaid unlimited wireless service. - Trade-in an eligible smartphone within 30 days. - Bill credits start within 3 bills after the trade-in is completed. - Guarantee limited to current Galaxy S24 series trade-in promos.
Costco	Up to \$350 off an eligible smartphone when switching to AT&T. \$10/month per line discount on AT&T Unlimited PremiumSM. Credit on activation fee for new and existing customers.	- Exclusive discounts for Costco members. - New line activation or upgrade required. - Purchase a new tablet or wearable device on a qualified installment plan for a \$25 Costco Shop Card.
Best Buy	Save up to \$1000 on Samsung Galaxy S24 Series with qualified activation and trade-in for AT&T. Up to \$150 Best Buy e-Gift Card.	- Trade-in offer fulfilled via AT&T. - Eligible phones for trade-in include various models from Apple, Samsung, Google, LG, Motorola, OnePlus, and others. - New line customers instantly save an additional \$100.
Sam's Club	Up to \$250 in bill credits + waived activation fee for new lines. Up to \$200 off with a new line and eligible smartphone activation. Up to \$150 off for existing customers upgrading with an eligible smartphone.	- Maximum bill credit savings. - Trade-in offer for Galaxy smartphones. - Combine with AT&T national trade-in offer.

Additional Notes:

- Deals and terms may change at any time. Please visit the respective company websites for the latest information and complete details.
- These are just a selection of current deals. Many other offers may be available.
- Be sure to read the full terms and conditions of any deal before you commit.

Verizon:

Verizon Phone Deals (with trade-in) as of Feb,15,2024

Company	Deals	Notes & Terms
Verizon	Up to \$1000 off the Samsung Galaxy S24+ with a new line and trade-in. Free Galaxy Watch and Tab for new Samsung phone trade-ins with select Unlimited plans.	- Trade-in any old device within 30 days of purchase. - Trade-in promo credit over 36 months. - Unlimited Ultimate plan required. - Guarantee limited to the same brand, any model, any condition. - Promo credit may change based on other Unlimited plans.
Best Buy	Save up to \$1000 on Samsung Galaxy S24 Series with qualified activation and trade-in for Verizon. Up to \$150 Best Buy e-Gift Card.	- Trade-in offer fulfilled via Verizon. - Eligible phones for trade-in include various models from Apple, Samsung, Google, LG, Motorola, OnePlus, and others. - New line customers instantly save an additional \$100. - Switch from T-Mobile and get a \$200 Verizon e-Gift Card.
Apple	iPhone 15 Pro from \$0.00/mo. per month after trade-in.	- Requires activation on eligible carrier plan. - Trade-in value varies based on the device and condition.

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T-Mobile:

T-Mobile Samsung Galaxy Offers as of Feb,15,2024

Company	Deals	Notes & Terms
T-Mobile	Get the new Samsung Galaxy S24 for free without a trade-in. Up to \$800 via bill credits. \$200 Virtual Prepaid Card for porting in from specific carriers.	- No trade-in required. - Contact T-Mobile before canceling the account to continue the remaining bill credits. - Qualifying credit and service required. - The \$35 device connection charge is due at the sale. - Up to \$800 via bill credits; must be active and in good standing. - Max 4 discounted devices/account. - A \$200 virtual prepaid card is required for porting in from specific carriers; registration and activation are required within 30 days. - Allow 8 weeks for the Virtual Prepaid Card. - Max 5/account. - May not be combinable with some offers or discounts.
Costco Members	Get up to \$400 when you activate with a Go5G Plus plan. \$150 Member Benefit + \$250 credit when you switch.	- Exclusions like taxes & fees apply. - No rate increase for talk, text, and data. - Over \$270 worth of benefits every month with Go5G Plus family plans. - Benefits include Netflix on Us, voice and data in Canada and Mexico, coverage in 215+ countries and destinations, inflight Wi-Fi, and Scam Shield™. - Savings for members 55+. Plans start at \$27.50/mo. - Home Internet: Get high-speed 5G home internet for \$50/mo. with AutoPay. - Exclusive Costco member savings when purchasing, activating, or upgrading phones. - Call 833-428-1765 for exclusive Costco member savings.

Remember, all deals require an eligible plan and may have additional terms.

Glossary

1. **Priority Data Allocation:** The mechanism by which data traffic is preferentially treated, ensuring superior transmission speeds for designated data volumes under network congestion scenarios.
2. **Ultra-High Definition (UHD) Streaming Capability:** The ability of a service plan to support streaming of video content at resolutions of 3840×2160 pixels, necessitating high data throughput rates.
3. **5G/4G LTE Connectivity:** Reference to wireless broadband communication standards, with 5G denoting the fifth-generation technology standard for cellular networks, offering increased speed and capacity, and 4G LTE (Long-Term Evolution) representing the fourth generation, providing reliable data transmission at peak download rates.
4. **Data Entitlement:** The specified volume of data—measured in gigabytes (GB)—allocated to a subscriber within a billing cycle can be transmitted over 5G/4G LTE networks.
5. **Annual Mobile Device Upgrade Program:** A feature within certain service plans allows subscribers to exchange their mobile device for a new model annually, subject to specific terms and conditions.
6. **Unrestricted Priority Data Usage:** A service feature that guarantees uninterrupted data speeds for subscribers without any speed throttling, regardless of the volume of data consumed or prevailing network traffic conditions.
7. **Mobile Hotspot Allocation:** The provision within a service plan that designates a certain amount of data specifically for tethering other devices to the subscriber's mobile internet connection, facilitating shared connectivity.
8. **Bundled Streaming Service Subscriptions:** The inclusion of subscriptions to streaming platforms such as Netflix™ (Standard plan with advertisements) and Hulu (with ad-supported access) as part of a mobile service plan, offering a range of on-demand content as an added benefit.
9. **Standard Definition (SD) Video Streaming Quality:** A service specification limiting streamed video content's resolution to 480p, optimizing data usage while providing a satisfactory viewing experience.
10. **Dedicated 50GB High-Priority Data:** A specific data provision within a service plan that ensures data transmission at optimal speeds for the first 50 gigabytes of data usage, aimed at maintaining performance during periods of network congestion.

Summary

Are you looking for the perfect phone or internet plan? It can feel like searching for a needle in a haystack. But don't worry. We have you covered with the easiest summarized method for choosing the ideal plan, whether for studying, being independent, managing a busy household, or sorting out your home internet.

Students, Listen Up! Need something affordable that lets you stay online? Check out the [Mint 5GB Plan](#) at just \$15/month, offering unlimited talk, text, and 5GB of data. It's a wallet-friendly choice that gives you all the basics without costing a fortune.

Are you looking for an Individual Plan? Here are some tips to help you find the right plan.

If you're not constantly attached to your phone, [T-Mobile's Essential Plan](#) at \$60/month keeps things simple and affordable with unlimited talk, text, and data, plus 50GB of premium data and unlimited 3G mobile hotspot data. **Data hogs**, we see you. [AT&T's Unlimited Premium Plan](#) at \$85.99/month has got your back with unlimited high-speed data, 5G access, 4K UHD streaming, and 60GB of mobile data because not all heroes wear capes. **Somewhere in the middle?** [Mint's Unlimited Plan](#) at \$30/month with 40GB data hits the sweet spot for daily use, keeping things simple and affordable.

Families, Gather Round! Do you love streaming movies together? [T-Mobile's Go5G Next plan](#) costs \$225 for four lines and breaks down to \$56.25 per line/month, offering a range of benefits. You get unlimited priority data, 50 GB hotspot access, and the option to upgrade your phone yearly. The plan includes subscriptions to streaming services like Apple TV+, Netflix Standard, and Hulu. If you're looking for a more basic plan, [T-Mobile's Essential Plan](#) costs \$100 for four lines and keeps everyone connected with 50GB of Premium data without additional terms.

Homebodies, This One's for You: [Google Fiber's 5 Gig](#) at \$125/month for the speed demons offers blazing-fast 5 Gbps with a multi-gig Wi-Fi 6E router and includes up to two Mesh Extenders, perfect for ultra-HD streaming and gaming. **Middle of the road?** [Verizon Fios Internet 2 Gig](#) at \$84.99/month brings 2 Gbps, which is ideal for busy households with multiple devices. **Just the basics?** [Google Fiber 1 Gig](#) at \$70/month provides solid 1 Gbps speed, including a Nest Wifi Pro and 1 TB of cloud storage. **On a tight budget?** [Xfinity's 100 Mbps Internet](#) at \$29.95/month keeps you connected without overstretching your wallet.

When navigating 2024 phone and internet options, compare pricing, including charges, data restrictions, speeds, and hidden fees. **Pay attention to the tiny print, and be wary of surprises like data limitations and termination costs.** Investigate bundles for cost-effective solutions and remain current on technical improvements such as 5G and Wi-Fi 6E. Remember that plan specifics change by area and carrier, so always check the carrier's website for the most up-to-date information and read the terms before deciding.

Happy exploring the world of cutting-edge phone and internet plans in 2024!

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