



Anticipated Cellular Carriers 2G/3G Sunset Dates

**** Please work directly with your wireless carrier representative or MVNO to better understand how their network sunset plans may impact your M2M-IoT deployments. ****

United States:

AT&T 2G/3G/LTE Sunset Schedule:

12/31/2016: 2G network sunset
12/31/2018: (6/30/2019 upon approved request.) Last day to add 3G-HSPA+ devices to AT&T
12/31/2021: Network sunset. No guarantee of service beyond this date
12/31/2027: AT&T has committed to make their LTE network available until at least 2027
<https://community.aeris.com/aeris/topics/availability-of-at-t-s-3g-service-in-the-united-states>

Sprint 2G/3G Sunset Schedule:

12/31/2021: 2G network sunset. No guarantee of service beyond this date
31/2022: 3G network sunset. No guarantee of service beyond this date

T-Mobile 2G/3G Sunset Schedule:

July 2020: No new activations on 2G/3G
Q1/Q2 2021: 2G and 3G network sunset

Verizon 2G/3G Sunset Schedule:

6/30/2018: Last day to add 2G-CDMA devices and 3G-EVDO devices on the Verizon Network
12/31/2019: Network sunset. No guarantee of 2G or 3G services beyond this date
Verizon Wireless Sunset Notification

Canada:

Bell Mobility (Canada) 2G/3G Sunset Schedule:

1/31/2017 – 6/1/2018: 2G-CDMA network sunset (depending on region)
http://support.bell.ca/Mobility/Smartphones_and_mobile_internet/CDMA_EVDO_network_change
12/31/2025: Anticipated 3G-HSPA+ network sunset.

Telus Mobility (Canada) 2G/3G Sunset Schedule:

2G-CDMA network: no longer supported
<https://www.telus.com/en/bc/support/article/cdma>
12/31/2025: Anticipated 3G-HSPA+ network sunset.

Rogers Wireless (Canada) 2G/3G Sunset Schedule:

7/1/2018: No new GSM/GPRS activations
3/31/2021: 2G/3G network sunset for 1900 MHz
12/31/2021: 2G network sunset for 850 MHz

Australia:

Telstra 2G/3G Sunset Schedule:

3G network sunset
2100Mhz turndown is occurring now. Full or partial geographic closure of 850Mhz 3G may occur any time after 2020, but would be unlikely before 2022. "So somewhere between 2020 and 2030 the 3G network will be shut down but precisely when has not yet been decided" <https://www.m2mone.com.au/m2m-on-e-june-2018-newsletter/>

APAC:

Japan: 2G is partially shut down. There is no clear announcement for 3G sunset

Korea: 2G is partially shut down. SKT CDMA network is still available. There is no clear announcement for 3G sunset

Taiwan: 2G was sunset on 12/31/2016. 3G sunset planned for 12/31/2018.n

EU:

Vodafone: Will not switch off 2G until at least 2025

<https://www.capacitymedia.com/articles/3735675/Exclusive-Vodafone-will-not-switch-off-2G-until-2025>

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