

Telkom Data On the Go Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is Telkom Data On the Go Product Offer?

The Telkom Data On the Go plan is a Post-paid Telkom network only data product. Customers can subscribe to the plan on a 24 month contract with a device or on a month-to-month SIM only contract. Telkom Data On the Go plans shall also be available on TopUp options.

This offer only works on the Telkom Mobile network and does not roam on the MTN Network.

2. What is the difference between Telkom Data On the Go plans and SmartInternet plans?

Telkom Data On the Go product is a Telkom only network service, whereas the SmartInternet product is an all network service which allows customers to access the internet on both Telkom Mobile and MTN networks.

3. Which are the Telkom Data On the Go product offers?

Product Name	Anytime Data Telkom Network Data	Free Unlimited Wi-Fi
Telkom Data On the Go 5GB	5GB	10GB FUP
Telkom Data On the Go 10GB	10GB	10GB FUP
Telkom Data On the Go 5GB Top-up	5GB	10GB FUP
Telkom Data On the Go 5GB Top-up	10GB	10GB FUP

4. What is the validity period of the Inclusive Data on the Telkom Data On the Go plans?

The inclusive data has a validity period of two calendar months.

i.e. The inclusive data allocated to your Telkom Data On the Go plan on the 1st August will expire on the 30th September

5. What happens to unused inclusive monthly data?

Any unused inclusive data will be carried over to the next calendar month. The carried over data will be depleted first before the new allotted data is used.

i.e. If you are subscribed to a Telkom Data On the Go 10GB plan and have only utilised 6GB of your inclusive data. The remaining 4GB unused data shall be carried over to the following month. The 4GB will be consumed and depleted first before the new allotment of 10GB is utilised

6. Do the Telkom Data On the Go plans include Night Surfer?

Telkom Data On the Go plans do not include the Night Surfer Data Component.

7. What is the Out of Bundle Data Rate on Telkom Data On the Go plans?

The standard Out of Bundle Data Rate of R0.30 per MB shall apply

8. Will I receive notifications of Data depletion?

Subscribers will receive SMS Notifications when the following data threshold is remaining: 500MB, 100MB, 10MB, and 0MB.

9. What will happen once my data resources has been depleted?

Subscribers will be directed to the Out of Bundle page once all their data has been depleted where they will have the option to do the following:

- I. End their Browsing session
- II. Purchase a Once-Off data bundle
- III. Continue to browse the internet at the Out-of-Bundle Rate of R0.30 per MB

10. Are there any adhoc data bundles available for purchase by Telkom Data On the Go subscribers should the inclusive data be depleted within a month?

Telkom Data On the Go subscribers will have the option of purchasing Once-off or Recurring data bundles once their inclusive data bundles are depleted.

Below are the available options

Bundle	Price
Once-off Telkom Data On the Go 5GB	R 59
Once-off Telkom Data On the Go 10GB	R 99
Recurring Telkom Data On the Go 5GB	R 59 per Month
Recurring Telkom Data On the Go 10GB	R 99 per Month

It must be noted that the Once-off and Recurring Bundles can only be used on the Telkom Mobile network and will not roam on MTN.

11. How do I purchase Once-off Telkom Data On the Go Bundles?

Telkom Data On the Go subscribers can purchase Once-off data bundles via

- USSD - *180#
- The Self-Service Portal
- The Telkom App (Android and IOS)
- Telkom Stores

12. How do I purchase Recurring Telkom Data On the Go Bundles?

Recurring Data bundles can be purchased via the Telkom Stores and the Call Centre

13. What is a Once-off Data Bundle?

Once-Off Data bundles can be purchased as required by a subscriber. The Once-off Telkom Data On the Go, bundles will have a validity period of the current month plus two additional calendar months.

For example: Once-off Data bundles purchased on the 15th July will expire on the 30th September.

14. What is a Recurring data bundle?

Recurring Data bundles are allocated to your service on the first day of each month on a recurring basis.

Recurring Telkom Data On the Go Bundles will have a validity period of the current month plus two additional calendar months.

For example: Recurring Data allocated on the 1st July will expire on the 30st September.

15. What do I have to do to access the internet in the MTN only coverage areas?

As a Telkom Data On the Go subscriber, you will also have the option to purchase All-Network Data bundles. This will allow you to have full internet access and will allow you to roam on the MTN network.

16. How can I purchase All Network Data Bundles?

All Network Data bundles can be purchased via:

- USSD Menu - *180#
- Self Service Portal

- Telkom Mobile App (iOS & Android)
- Telkom stores
- Call Centre

17. What is Free Unlimited Wi-Fi service?

Free Unlimited Wi-Fi is enabled on the Telkom Data On the Go plans and provides free access to the internet at any Telkom Wi-Fi hotspot.

- Free Unlimited Wi-Fi has a fair usage cap of 10GB per month.
- The Free Unlimited speed will be throttled to 128kbps if you reach a data usage of 10GB via Wi-Fi access before the end of the month.
- The speed will be reset to normal at the beginning of each month.

18. Can I access the Telkom Wi-Fi service at any Wi-Fi hotspot?

No, Wi-Fi access is limited to Telkom's Wi-Fi hotspots.

19. From which channels, can a customer purchase the Telkom Data On the Go offer?

The Telkom Data On the Go plans is available for purchase through the traditional Telkom Owned Stores, Direct Sales Force, 3rd Party channels and the Telkom online channel.

20. What documents do I need to sign for the contract?

You must undergo a credit vetting process as well as the RICA process. You will need to present the following documents: recent 3-months bank statement, a recent payslip, proof of residence, and your ID or passport.

21. What will happen to my airtime and / or data bundle balances that are active on my existing Telkom SIM card when I convert or migrate to another offer?

All airtime (only if hybrid and prepaid) and once-off data balances will be retained on the SIM card.

22. Will I be able to upgrade to another contract?

Yes, and you will retain any balance of the once-off internet bundle at the time of upward migration. Based on the migration request the commitment period shall be set according to the new contract period and the associated terms and conditions. Upward migrations are limited to one per calendar month.

23. Will I be able to downgrade?

Yes, but you will be liable to pay a migration fee for a downward migration, which will be determined at the time of requesting the migration. You will retain any balances of once-off internet bundles at the time of downward migration. Telkom will, as a downward migration fee, recover the difference in device subsidy between the original and the newly selected packages as well as a R400 (incl. VAT) administration fee.

24. How do I know if Telkom coverage is available in my area?

Before purchasing any of the Telkom Mobile data products, a coverage check must be done at <http://www.telkom.co.za/coverage/>

25. How do I check the data bundle balance?

Balance enquiry can be done via the following channels:

- Log in to the Telkom Self Service Portal at <http://www.telkom.co.za/eservices>
- Send blank SMS to 188
- USSD by dialling *188#
- Telkom Mobile App

26. Customer Support

Subscribers can call **081 180** which will be routed to the data call centre for support