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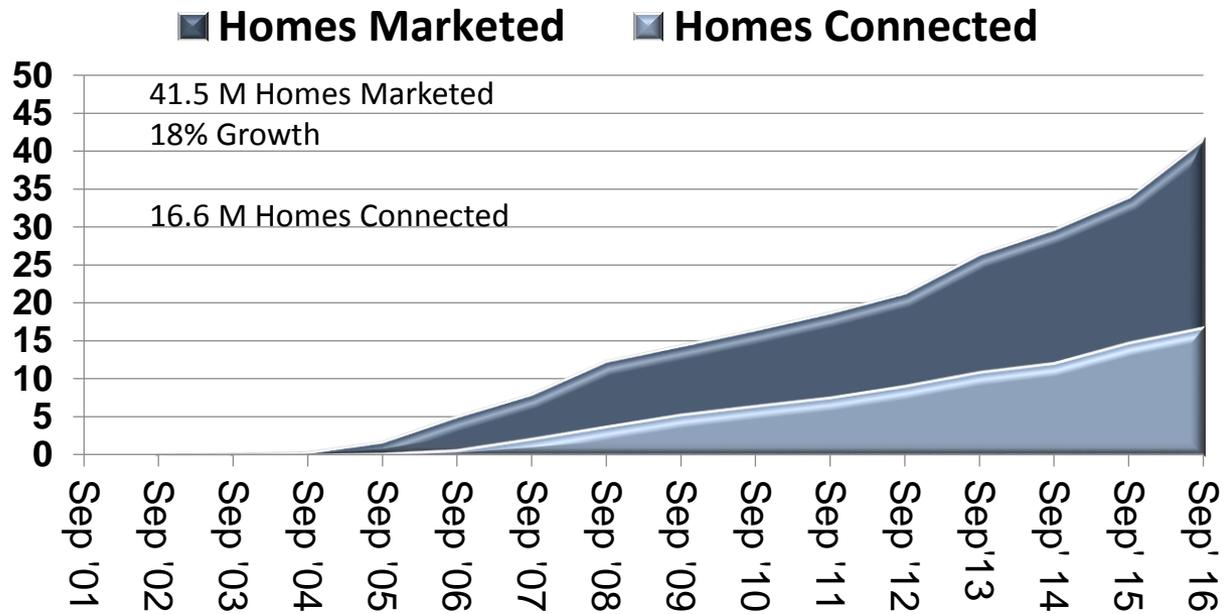


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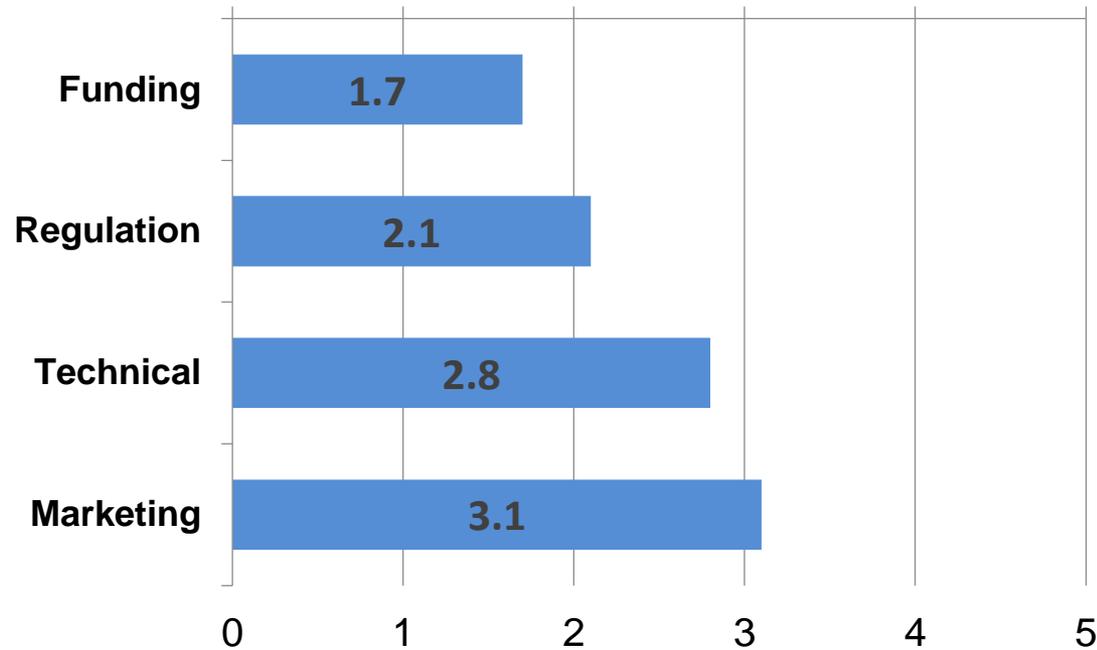
- Created by Memorandum of Understanding – Munich 2012
- Exists to promote the deployment of all fiber networks throughout the Globe
- Activities include:
 - FCGA Definition of Terms
 - Gimme Fiber Day
 - Sharing of Technical Information
 - Development of common approaches to new technologies
- 2017 Project – White paper on 5G and its reliance on Fiber

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Policies & Regulations Leading to Success

- New Administration is more investment friendly and is looking to expand infrastructure deployment
 - FCC clawing back on prior rulings seeking to regulate pricing on high capacity services
 - Commencing a proceeding and an Advisory Committee to establish “best practices” for infrastructure investment
 - Important because biggest impediments are now primarily under local control
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 - Access to rights of way
 - Access to buildings



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