



PRESS RELEASE

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Free Fiber is now available on the **Isère THD** Public Initiative Network (PIN).

Free's arrival on this network – located in the Isère *département* – further demonstrates its commitment to the rollout of fiber throughout France in line with its aim of having a presence on the networks deployed by local communities.

To date, the Isère THD PIN covers more than 184,000 connectible fiber sockets, a number which is scheduled to rise to 450,000 by the end of 2024. **Free Fiber is currently available on this network to over 164,000 homes** in more than 200 municipalities (see attached list), and ultimately it will be available to all of the homes covered by the network.

In the zones covered by privately-deployed networks in the Isère *département*, in very-densely populated areas and in the AMII¹ areas – Free Fiber is already available to all the homes to which fiber has been rolled out, representing over 320,000 homes.

In all of the above areas, businesses covered by the FTTH networks and interested in Fiber are eligible for the **Free Pro** offer.

¹ AMII areas: medium-populated areas of France in which fiber networks are rolled out using private funds, following calls for expressions of investment intentions ("*appels à manifestation d'intentions d'investissement*").

Free's partnership with the Isère THD network illustrates its aim of offering fiber services throughout France and being able to propose a fiber plan to French consumers through the **Freebox Pop** (€29.99/month for 12 months and then €39.99/month).

Additionally, Free is the only operator in France to offer its subscribers **10G-EPON fiber technology**² (subject to the subscriber having a compatible plan and Freebox).

To find out more about Free Fiber's arrival on this PIN, see the eligibility map on the Free website and fill out the form to be kept updated about each stage of the connection process: <https://www.free.fr/freebox/carte-fibre-optique/>



As from today, people living in the Isère *département* can check their eligibility and subscribe for Free Fiber at www.free.fr, or on **1033** (a freephone number – France only – dedicated to Free Fiber), or in the **Free stores in Grenoble (downtown, Grand Place and Espace Comboire)**.

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FREE: FASTEST FIBER
IN H1 2022*



28.6 MILLION
CONNECTIBLE SOCKETS



4.2 MILLION
FIBER SUBSCRIBERS

Numbers of connectible sockets and Fiber subscribers as at June 30, 2022.

*Free: the best performances for Fixed Internet and Fiber in first-half 2022 according to the nPerf survey of Fixed Internet connections in Metropolitan France published on July 20, 2022. In the survey Free ranked number one for average download speed (264.24 Mbps) and average upload speed (178.26 Mbps), all technologies combined (Fiber and ADSL) in Metropolitan France in the first half of 2022. For Fiber, Free also ranked number one for average download speed (591.32 Mbps) and average upload speed (407.35 Mbps). Survey based on 2,944,739 tests carried out between January 1, 2022 and June 30, 2022 on Fixed Broadband lines (ADSL and cable) and Fixed Ultra-Fast Broadband lines (FTTH and FTTB) by users of the nPerf tool in Metropolitan France. See www.nperf.com for the full survey and the methodology used.

About Free

Free – the inventor of the world's first triple-play box – is a Fixed and Mobile Ultra-Fast Broadband operator in France, standing out for its innovative, straightforward and attractive offerings. At end-June 2022, it had 20.9 million BtoC subscribers (13.9 million Mobile subscribers and 7 million Fixed subscribers). Free is a subsidiary of the iliad Group, which was created in France in the early 1990s and now also operates in Italy under the iliad brand and in Poland under the Play brand. In March 2021, the iliad Group launched its BtoB business in France under the Free Pro brand.

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² 10G-EPON fiber technology: maximum theoretical speeds of 8 Gbps download and 700 Mbps upload, subject to use of compatible devices.

Fiber offer subject to terms and conditions, eligibility and actual connection of the subscriber's home. See free.fr for full terms and conditions and eligibility.

Connectible FTTH socket: a socket for which the link between the shared access point and the optical splitter has been put in place by the building operator, which the Group can access in accordance with its co-financing commitments, and for which the connection to the Group's network has been completed or is in progress.

Start-up fee: €49. Termination fee: €49.

1033: freephone number (access & call), France only.

Freebox ADSL unbundled subscribers eligible for Free Fiber will be contacted by Free with a proposal to migrate their offer, which will be carried out by a technician at their home. The fiber installation is provided at no cost to the subscriber.

List of the municipalities covered by Free Fiber on the Isère THD Public Initiative Network

ALLEVARD
ANTHON
APPRIEU
ASSIEU
BARRAUX
BEAUCROISSANT
BEAUFORT
BEAUREPAIRE
BERNIN
BIVIERS
BIZONNES
BONNEFAMILLE
LE BOURG-D'OISANS
BRESSON
BREZINS
BRIE-ET-ANGONNES
BURCIN
CHABONS
CHAMAGNIEU
CHAMPAGNIER
CHAMPIER
LE CHAMP-PRES-FROGES
CHAMP-SUR-DRAC
CHAPAREILLAN
CHARVIEU-CHAVAGNEUX
CHAVANOZ
LE CHEYLAS
CHOLONGE
CHOZEAU
COGNET
COLOMBE
LA COMBE-DE-LANCEY
CORPS
LA COTE-SAINT-ANDRE
COUR-ET-BUIS
COURTENAY
CRAS
CREMIEU
CROLLES
DIEMOZ
DIZIMIEU
DOMARIN
LES EPARRES
EYDOCHE
LA FLACHERIE

FLACHERES
LA FORTERESSE
FOUR
FROGES
FRONTONAS
LA GARDE
GILLONNAY
GONCELIN
LE GRAND-LEMPES
GRENAY
HERBEYS
HEYRIEUX
HUEZ
L' ISLE-D'ABEAU
JANNEYRIAS
JARCIEU
JARRIE
LAFFREY
LAVAL
LAVALDENS
LENTIOL
LIVET-ET-GAVET
LUMBIN
MARCILLOLES
MARCOLLIN
MARNANS
MAUBEC
MAYRES-SAVEL
MENS
MEYRIE
MOISSIEU-SUR-DOLON
MONSTEROUX-MILIEU
MONTBONNOT-SAINT-MARTIN
MONTCARRA
MONTCHABOUD
LES DEUX ALPES
MONTSEVEROUX
MORETTE
LA MOTTE-D'AVEILLANS
LA MOTTE-SAINT-MARTIN
LE MOUTARET
LA MURE
NIVOLAS-VERMELLE
NOTRE-DAME-DE-COMMIERS
NOTRE-DAME-DE-MESAGE

NOTRE-DAME-DE-VAULX
OPTEVOZ
ORIS-EN-RATTIER
ORNON
OYEU
PACT
PAJAY
PANOSSAS
LE PEAGE-DE-ROUSSILLON
PELLAFOL
LA PIERRE
PIERRE-CHATEL
PISIEU
PLAN
POISAT
POMMIER-DE-BEAUREPAIRE
PONSONNAS
PONTCHARRA
PONT-DE-CHERUY
PRIMARETTE
PRUNIERES
RENAGE
REVEL
REVEL-TOURDAN
ROCHE
ROUSSILLON
RUY-MONTCEAU
SAINTE-AGNES
SAINT-AGNIN-SUR-BION
SAINT-ALBAN-DE-ROCHE
SAINT-AREY
SAINT-BARTHELEMY
SAINT-BLAISE-DU-BUIS
SAINT-CASSIEN
SAINT-CHEF
SAINT-DIDIER-DE-BIZONNES
SAINT-ETIENNE-DE-SAINT-GEOIRS
SAINT-GEOIRS
SAINT-GEORGES-DE-COMMIERS
SAINT-HONORE
SAINT-ISMIER
SAINT-JEAN-DE-MOIRANS
SAINT-JEAN-DE-VAULX
SAINT-JEAN-LE-VIEUX
SAINT-JULIEN-DE-L'HERMS
SAINT-LAURENT-EN-BEAUMONT
SAINTE-LUCE
SAINT-MARCEL-BEL-ACCUEIL
SAINTE-MARIE-DU-MONT
SAINT-MARTIN-D'URIAGE
SAINT-MAURICE-L'EXIL
SAINT-MAXIMIN
SAINT-PAUL-D'IZEAUX
CRETS EN BELLEDONNE
SAINT-PIERRE-DE-BRESSIEUX
SAINT-PIERRE-DE-MEAROZ
SAINT-PIERRE-DE-MESAGE
SAINT-QUENTIN-FALLAVIER
SAINT-ROMAIN-DE-JALIONAS
SAINT-ROMAIN-DE-SURIEU
SAINT-SAVIN
SAINT-SIMEON-DE-BRESSIEUX
SAINT-THEOFFREY
SALAISE-SUR-SANNE

LA SALLE-EN-BEAUMONT
LE SAPPEY-EN-CHARTREUSE
SARDIEU
SATOLAS-ET-BONCE
SEREZIN-DE-LA-TOUR
SERMERIEU
SICCIEU-SAINT-JULIEN-ET-CARISIEU
SIEVOZ
SILLANS
SUCCIEU
SUSVILLE
LA TERRASSE
TIGNIEU-JAMEYZIEU
LE TOUVET
TULLINS
VALENCIN
LA VALETTE
VAUJANY
VAULNAVEYS-LE-BAS
VAULNAVEYS-LE-HAUT
VAULX-MILIEU
LA VERPILLIERE
LE VERSOUD
VEYSSILIEU
VIGNIEU
VILLARD-BONNOT
VILLARD-RECLUS
VILLARD-SAINT-CHRISTOPHE
VILLEFONTAINE
VILLE-SOUS-ANJOU
VIRIVILLE
VIZILLE
VOUREY
MOIRANS
VILLETTE-D'ANTHON
SAINT-NAZAIRE-LES-EYMES