

# National Communications Commission

The statistic figures of radio and television broadcasting business licenses

## 1. Status of the radio and television broadcasting (February, 2024)

Category	Number of Companies	Notes
Wireless Radio	186	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Prior to 1993's opening of the frequency : 28 companies.</li> <li>2. Posterior to 1993's opening of the frequency : 141 companies. (Medium Power : 64 companies &amp; Small Power : 77 companies) (Note: The PenghuWan radio station will cease operations from August 29, 2017 due to licensing renewal disapproval.)</li> <li>3. HAKKA RADIO obtained a broadcasting license on June 22, 2017 and began operations on June 23, 2017.</li> <li>4. Alian Radio obtained a broadcasting license on August 4, 2017 and began operations on August 9, 2017.</li> <li>5. Voice of Green River Radio Station obtained a broadcasting license on January 14, 2020.</li> <li>6. Geocenter Broadcasting Co. obtained a broadcasting license on January 14, 2020.</li> <li>7. Guo Ji Radio obtained a broadcasting license on January 31, 2020.</li> <li>8. Chillax Radio obtained a broadcasting license on February 25, 2020.</li> <li>9. TRANSFORMATION RADIO obtained a broadcasting license on March 19, 2020.</li> <li>10. Daikin Radio obtained a broadcasting license on June 17, 2020.</li> <li>11. Fusing Radio obtained a broadcasting license on September 4, 2020.</li> <li>12. Nonxiang Radio obtained a broadcasting license on September 4, 2020.</li> <li>13. Metropolis Voice obtained a broadcasting license on September 4, 2020.</li> <li>14. Go Go Radio obtained a broadcasting license on September 4, 2020.</li> <li>15. New Radio obtained a broadcasting license on September 4, 2020.</li> <li>16. Voice of Hsinchu obtained a broadcasting license on September 4, 2020.</li> <li>17. North Taiwan Radio obtained a broadcasting license on October 7, 2020.</li> <li>18. Garden Radio obtained a broadcasting license on October 21, 2020.</li> <li>19. Hi Radio obtained a broadcasting license on March 31, 2021.</li> </ol>
Wireless TV	5 (23 channels)	TTV 、CTV 、CTS 、FTV 、PTV
Community Antenna Business	1	

Cable TV system operator		64	
Satellite Broadcasting Business	Direct Satellite Service Operator	1	1 company: Cosatech Satellite
	Satellite Broadcasting Program Supplier	69 (130channels)	69 companies & 130 channels
Foreign Satellite Broadcasting Business	Foreign Direct Satellite Service Operator	3	3 companies: 1. Business News (Asia) LLP. Taiwan Branch 2. Turner Broadcasting Sales Taiwan, Inc 3. Bloomberg L.P., Taipei Branch
	Foreign Satellite Broadcasting Program Supplier	21 (79 channels)	21 companies & 79 channels
Other Type Channel and Program Supply Business		53 (87 channels)	53 companies & 87 channels

Notes:

1. Satellite broadcasting program suppliers operating domestic and overseas businesses: 3 companies (ERA Digital Media, Golden TV, Taiwan Interactive Television )
2. The Examination Regulations for the License Renewal of Satellite Broadcasting and Foreign Satellite Broadcasting Businesses were promulgated on the 16th of July 2016, in accordance with the amendment made to the Satellite Broadcasting Act on the 6th of January 2016. Anyone who, before this amendment, had been transmitting programs or advertisements of a specific channel to the public audio and visual broadcasting platform via methods other than satellite, should apply for license renewal as an Other Type Channel and Program Supply Business within six months prior to the expiration of its license.

## 2. Cable TV subscribers ( Q4 2023 )

Category	Number of subscribers at the end of December 2023	Popularity rate
Cable TV subscribers	4,516,586	48.88%
Cable TV digital service subscribers	4,516,586	100.00%