

Announcement of Greek Fiber Optic Cable



Overview

Athens, February 3rd 2026, Grid Telecom, a wholesale telecommunications provider and subsidiary of IPTO, has announced the construction of ARTEMIS, an ultra-high-capacity subsea optical fiber cable system that will link Crete with mainland Greece. It will connect to the 2Africa (pictured) cable network (Credit: Vodafone) Vodafone is significantly expanding its footprint in the Eastern Mediterranean with the announcement of Thetis Express, a new 340km subsea. A new 340-kilometre subsea optical fibre link is set to be built by Vodafone, providing enough capacity to let around 25 million people stream 4K video simultaneously as it connects Crete to mainland Greece. Vodafone is also building. Vodafone's announcement to construct a new high-capacity subsea cable system in Greece, named Thetis Express, represents a strategically significant move not only for the country's digital economy but also for Europe's broader role in global connectivity. This project signals how telecom operators.



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Vodafone to build 180Tbps subsea cable in Greece

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Vodafone Expands Greece's Connectivity with High

Vodafone's Carrier Services unit will construct a fast, high-capacity subsea optical fiber cable system in Greece, linking Crete with the mainland, to

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Tamara Telecom and Grid Telecom progress the

The ANDROMEDA optical fiber cable system will interconnect Greece with the Arabian Peninsula via Israel, through a critical low latency path between

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Vodafone Greece unveils €1 billion plan to expand fibre

The 2Africa project, described as the world's largest subsea cable system, will enhance connectivity between Africa, Europe, and Asia, delivering

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320 km fiber optic cable will "connect" Italy with Greece

It took just over two years to build, lay and seal the 320 km submarine fiber optic cable from Crotona in Italy to Preveza.

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Fiber optics: How Greece will enter the realm of ultra-high speeds

The initiative to wire buildings with fiber optics is also on track to be activated within the year. Through the Smart Readiness Voucher action, with a total budget of 148.4 million euros, which

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UGI to Commercialise New Fiber Corridor | United Fiber

By commercialising the asset, UGI is helping position Greece as a major digital gateway between the Eastern Mediterranean, Central Europe and the Middle East.

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Another provider focusing on fiber and cable networks, HCN offers competitive speeds (around 179.77 Mbps) in its operational areas. PPC (Public Power

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Greek-Saudi deal on fiber-optic data cable

Greece and Saudi Arabia agreed on Tuesday on the main terms to set up a joint venture to lay a fiber-optic data cable that will link Europe with Asia.

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IslaLink's Ionian cable makes landing in Greece and Italy

IslaLink's Ionian cable system has landed in Greece and Italy and is set to launch later this year. The 320km, 24-fiber pair Ionian system will connect

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Connectivity Boost: Vodafone Builds Subsea Cable in

Vodafone's Carrier Services unit has begun work on a new 340km subsea optical fibre cable system to connect Heraklion in Crete with Athens on

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GRID TELECOM and ISLALINK agreement on new fiber optic corridor

Grid Telecom and Islalink announce the signing of a 25-year agreement on the expansion of the terrestrial optical backbone network of the IONIAN submarine cable that connects Italy and

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Fiber optics across Greece

The rationale of the project – dating back at least to May 2018, when the then administration of the Ministry of Digital Governance had published a

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United Fiber Deploys New Cable Connecting Athens to Thessaloniki

United Group has announced a significant infrastructure project: a new terrestrial cable connecting Athens and Thessaloniki. This cable is part of a broader regional backbone aimed at

Mar 25, 2026

United Fiber, subsidiary of United Group, to kick off new

The new terrestrial cable, is scheduled to kick off in September 2024 and be completed by the end of 2025. It is implemented in Greece through United

Mar 06, 2026

Vodafone to boost internet in Greece with 180tbps subsea cable

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United Fiber continues to expand FTTH network | United

United Group, a leading telecommunications and media provider in Southeast Europe, continues to accelerate the Fiber to the Home infrastructure in

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Fiber optics: how it will reach 810,000 households and businesses in Greece

How fiber optics work Optical fibers are short strands of plastic or glass, which, when combined into a set of 10 or 100 fibers, form a cable. This cable transmits digital data using light

Oct 21, 2025

Italian ship is laying fibre optic cables with the

Under the surveillance of units from both the Greek and Turkish Navies, the Italian ship "Teliri" is laying fiber optic cables within the potential Greek

Oct 28, 2025

United Fiber: Continues to grow rapidly

The development of optical fibre continues to accelerate to the home (Fiber to the Home) in Greece the leading telecommunications and media provider in Southeast Europe. Specifically,

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