

Glossary

BDUK	Broadband Delivery UK	DCMS managed team overseeing the Government funding
FTTC	Fibre to the Cabinet	BT technology providing fibre optic connectivity to the green cabinet
FTTP	Fibre to the Premise	BT technology providing fibre optic connectivity direct to a premise
FTTRN	Fibre to the Remote Node	BT pilot technology takes fibre optic deeper in to rural areas
LSOAs	Local Super Output Area	ONS population area
Mbps	Megabits Per Second	Measure of broadband speed
MIP	Mobile Infrastructure Project	BDUK funded project to reduce the number of mobile not spots in rural areas
NCC	National Competency Centre	BDUK affiliate tasked with managing the UK's umbrella state aid derogation for public subsidy in broadband
NGA	Next Generation Access	Broadband Characteristics delivered primarily by fibre and achieving over 24Mbps
PAC	Public Accounts Committee	
Phase 1		First tranche of BDUK and Local Authority funding for superfast broadband
PIA	Passive Infrastructure Access	Regulatory term governing the sharing of duct and post infrastructure by multiple providers
SEP / Phase 2 Superfast broadband	Superfast Extension Programme	Second tranche of BDUK an Local Authority funding for superfast broadband See NGA
THP	Total Homes Passed	The measure of coverage
USC	Universal Service Commitment	Governments commitment of at least 2 Mbps to all, seemingly superseded by the Universal Service Obligation
VfM	Value for Money	