

# Video, Text and Social Networking Is Telephony Still Relevant?

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# A long, long time ago.....



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## Going back .....



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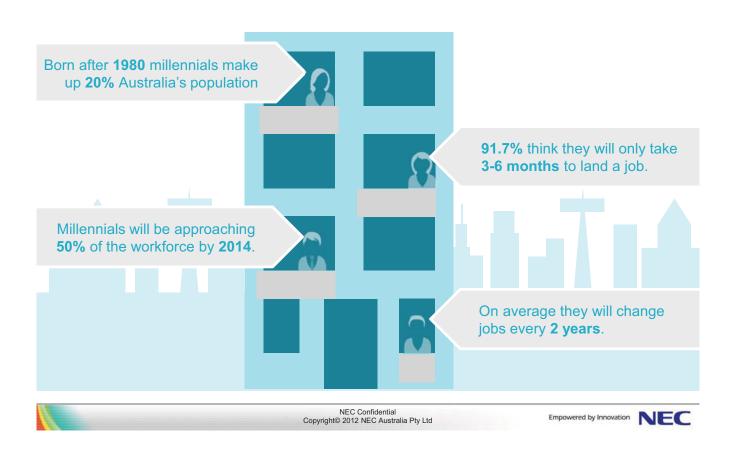
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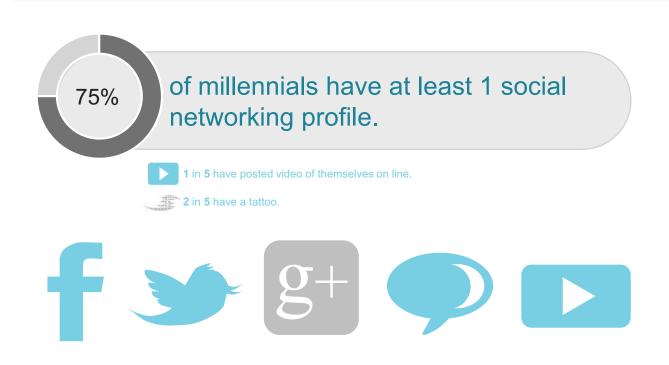
# **Communications today.....**

#### Modes and channels **Devices** Video Mobile Office workers workers Chat, IM, SMS, Email and Virtual & home Roaming Presence Voicemail office workers workers Social Networking

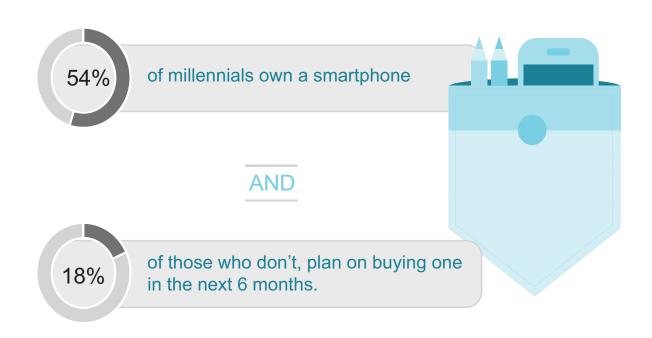
#### Millennials in the workforce



### Millennials are connected



## Millennials and their smartphones

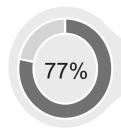


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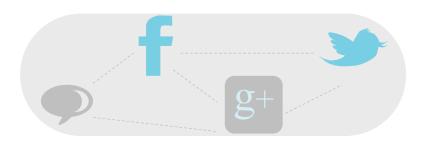
## Quality of work improves...

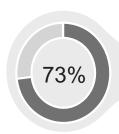




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# Communicating is easier...





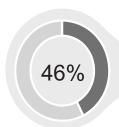
of millennials feel that technology makes it easier to communicate to their peers and supervisors.

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#### Love to IM...





of millennials use Instant Messaging on the corporate network vs **22**% for other generations.

### Always find a way...





of millennials report that they have used collaborative tool, online apps and open source technology when technologies provided at work did not meet their expectation.

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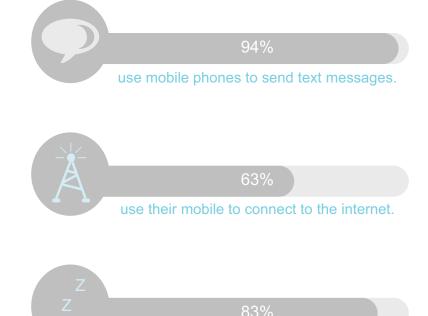
# Bring their own...





of millennials use devices or software at work that was not company-issued.

## Millenniums are always connected



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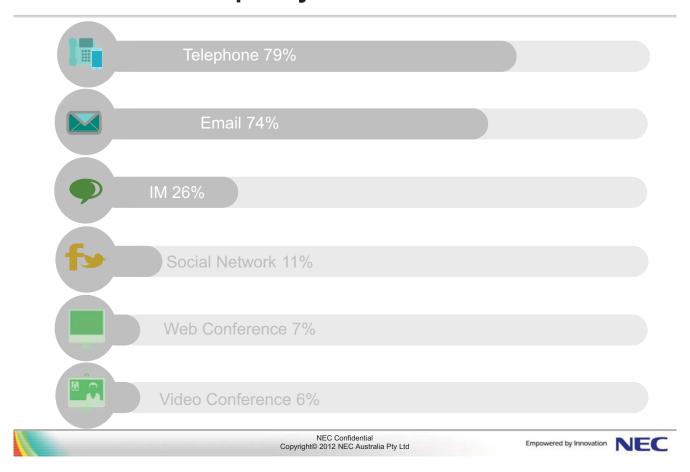
sleep with their cell phones by their bed.

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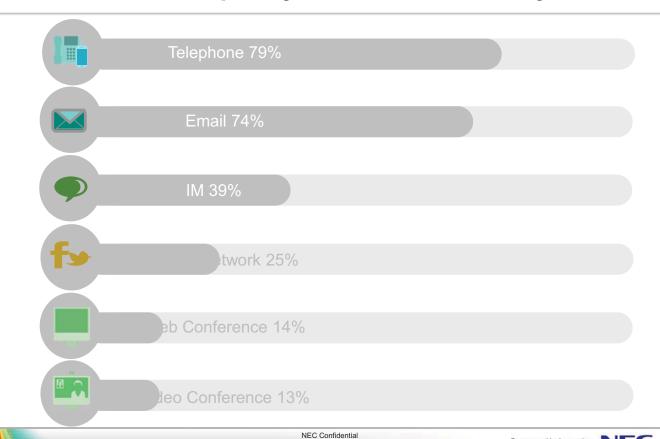
So with all the new tools, is telephony still relevant?



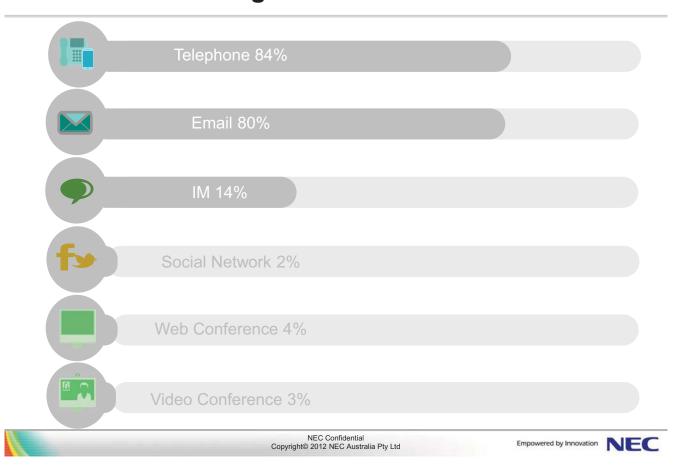
### How often is telephony used at work?



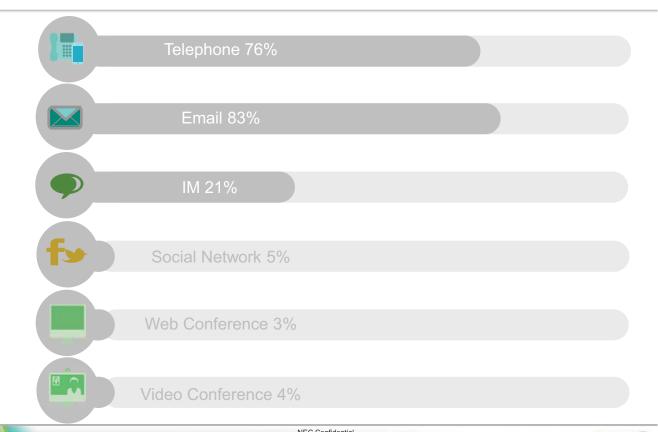
### How often is telephony used at work? <35 yrs



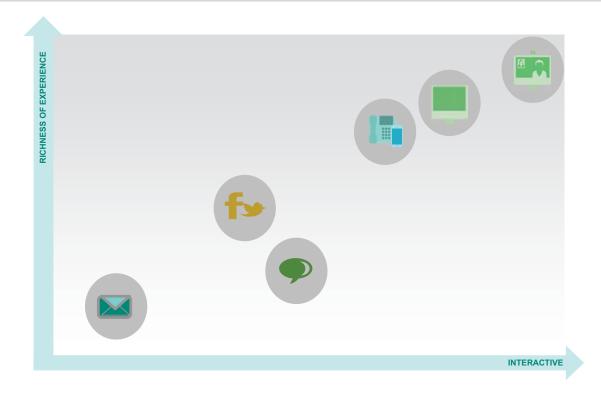
## Preferred technologies at work?



### Preferred technologies at work? <35 yrs



## The Multi-channel Workplace......



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"The single biggest problem in communication is the illusion that it has taken place"

George Bernard Shaw 1856-1950



# So how do we support multi-channel services?











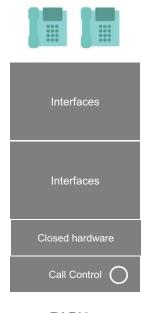




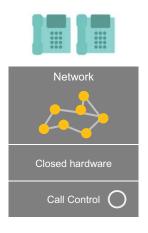
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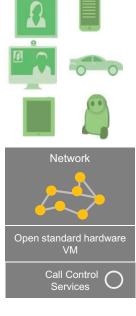
### **Evolution....**







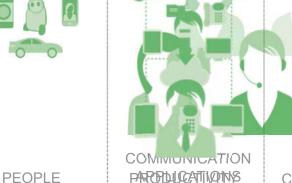
IP Telephony

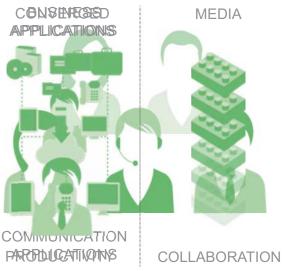


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### **NEC UC&C – Service Oriented Architecture**









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### In conclusion....

Customer and internal needs are changing rapidly

IT agility is the key to supporting customer and internal needs

Multi-channel strategy supported by flexible architectures

Telephony is a key component of the communications strategy