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# "IlJmio eSIM Service Data Plan Zero" Briefing on New eSIM Plan

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# IIJmio eSIM Service (Beta Version)

**Business Status Report** 

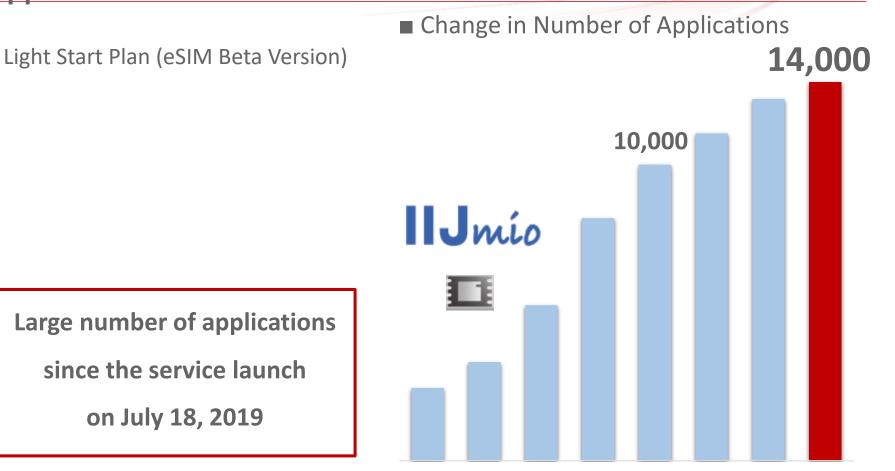
## IIJmio eSIM Service (Beta Version)

The launch of Japan's first eSIM-compatible data communications service Light Start Plan (eSIM Beta Version) Offering from July 18, 2019



The above Ad says the following] Supports iPhone 11/xs/xr and iPad Data-only SIM eSIM Plan (Beta Version) You no longer need a physical SIM. Save money with two connection lines. 6GB for 1,520 yen (excluding consumption tax) per month Offer Data Communications only No SMS and Voice Communications functionss

## **Application Status**



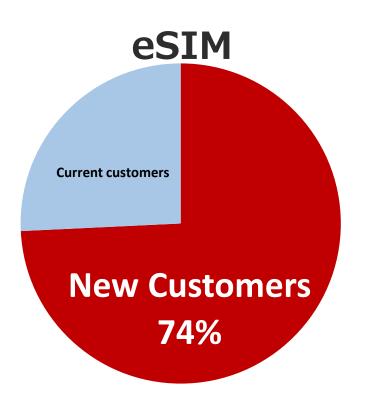
Large number of applications

since the service launch

on July 18, 2019

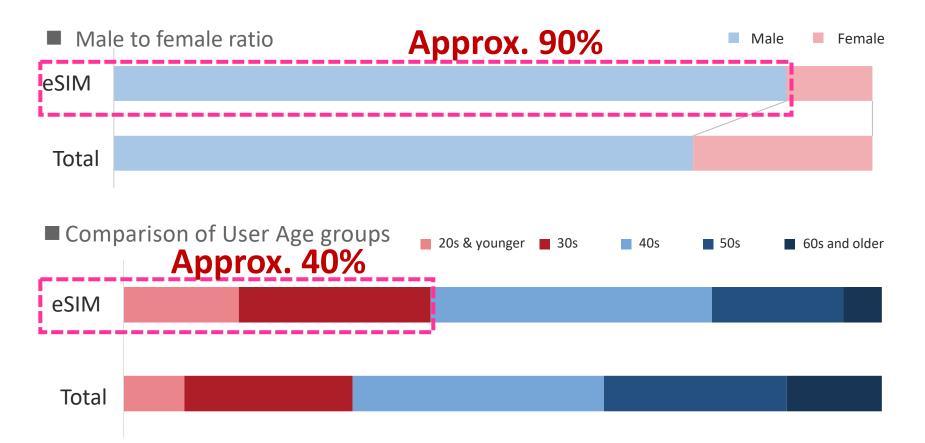
# **Demographics of Applying Customers**

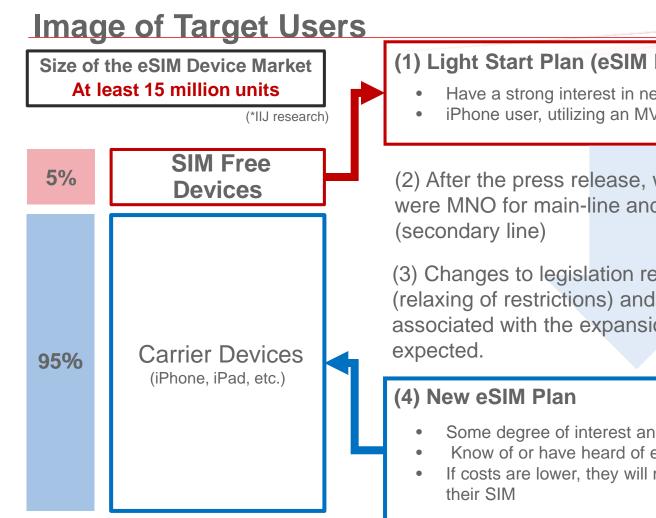
Three quarters of applications are from **new customers** who have not used IIJmio



## **User Demographics**

The service is popular among males in their 20s and 30s





(1) Light Start Plan (eSIM Beta Version)

- Have a strong interest in new things
- iPhone user, utilizing an MVNO for their main line

(2) After the press release, we saw that user needs were MNO for main-line and IIJ for sub-line

(3) Changes to legislation regarding SIM unlocking (relaxing of restrictions) and market recognition associated with the expansion of eSIM providers are

- Some degree of interest and familiarity with new things
- Know of or have heard of eSIM
- If costs are lower, they will make the effort to unlock

# Beta Version Release shall .....

- Confirmed that there are greater than
   expected usage needs
- Uncovered potential for new markets

A service enabling a new method of use was needed

# March 19, 2020: Release of the new eSIM plan

\* The Light Start Plan (eSIM Beta Version) will also be continued

Profile reissuance fee (2,000 yen, excluding tax)

For both Beta Version and the new plan!

From March 19, 2020: Free

\* A separate profile issuance fee of 200 yen (excluding tax) is required

### IIJmio eSIM Service

[Introduction to the New Plan]

#### Service Launch from 10:00 a.m., Thursday, March 19, 2020

Keep your current contract as is

# Ushering in a new era of smartphone usage

Announcing the Arrival of the IIJmio eSIM Service Data Plan Zero!

# **Plan Concept**

# Ushering in a new era of smartphone usage

- Conclude a contract quickly and easily with a simple plan
- Keep your existing carrier contract as is, and leave data communications to IIJmio
- Prepaid style to use only what you need, when you need it





## Plan Overview

# IIJmio eSIM Service Data Plan Zero

Communication Type		Data-only Plan	For 1GB usage, 450 yen per
Monthly Fee * Bundled coupon amount: 0GB		150 yen per month	
Additional data volume	Up to 1GB each month	300 yen per GB	month
	From 2GB to 10GB each month	450 yen per GB	

## **Plan Usage Examples**

Months in which no data was used	Months in which 1GB of data was used	Months in which 2GB of data was used
Basic charge: 150 yen	Basic charge: 150 yen additional data volume of 1GB x 1: 300 yen	Basic charge: 150 yen + additional data volume of 1GB x 1: 300 yen
		+ additional data volume of 2GB+ x 1: 450 yen
Total: 150 yen per month	Total: 450 yen per month	Total: 900 yen per month

Months in which no data was used: 150 yen Months in which up to 1GB was used: 450 yen When needed, the required data volume can be added and used

# **Plan in Details**

Plan Name		Data Plan Zero	
Release Date		10:00 a.m., Thursday, March 19, 2020	
Communication	Communication Type	Data only	
Features	SMS / International Roaming	Not allowed / Not allowed	
Initial Cost	Initial Cost	3,000 yen	
	Profile Issuance Fee	200 yen	
Monthly Fee	Monthly Fee	150 yen * To use data communications, it is necessary to purchase additional data volume.	
	Bundled Data Volume	0 GB	
	Plan Changes	Not allowed	
	After exceeding data cap	Communications not allowed * The page for purchasing additional data can be accessed	
	Increments for Additional Data	Up to 10GB per month in 1GB increments	
Additional Data Volume	Price	First 1GB: 300 yen / GB (up to 1GB per month) 2GB to 10GB: 450 yen / GB (from 2 to 10GB per month)	
	Period of Validity	To the end of the current month * Unused data cannot be carried over	

\* The use of additional data volume cannot be switched on or off.

\* Additional data volume is exclusively for use with Data Plan Zero, and cannot be used with other services.

\* Listed prices do not include consumption tax.

# Usage Scenario (1)

# Using a carrier contract for voice calls, and IIJmio for data communications

- There is no need to cancel the carrier contract or use MNP
- Limited carrier contract cancellation windows have no impact
- Family discount schemes can be used as is
- You can also keep your email address
- As a different carrier is used, there is extra peace of mind in case of an emergency

# No need to switch from another carrier



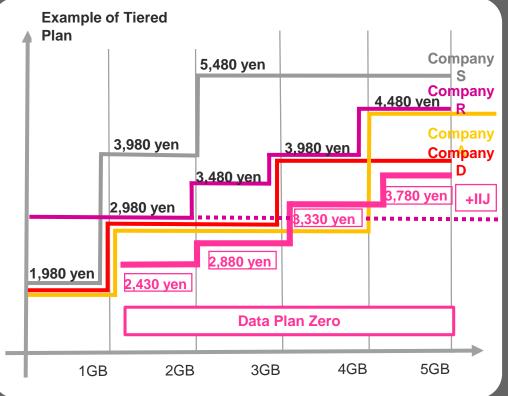
# Usage Scenario (2)

[Rescue Plan] for When Using a Tiered Plan and there is Insufficient Remaining Data at the End of the Month

- Several days before the end of the month, download speed restrictions kick in due to data limit being exceeded

- Under the current tiered plan, a few extra MB can be costly, and if exceeded, could be another 1,000

+450 yen in 1GB increments Add only when needed, without wastage



# **Usage Scenario (3)**

#### If up to 1GB is used, the price is at the lowest level in the industry

- This is also cost effective when using data communications on an eSIM-compatible second-hand device or tablet!
- Convenient for when staying in Japan for a short period Prepaid Usage

Starting from 1GB for 450 yen per month 150 yen per month in months without any usage



# **Usage Scenario (4)**

#### Communicate easily during remote work out of the office

• Easily check emails or schedules while out of the office on business

• No need for Wi-Fi routers that take up space in your bag, or having to worry about battery life while tethering

Wi-Fi router or tethering not required Free yourself from troublesome tasks while on the move



## eSIM-compatible Devices

The IIJmio supply service is expanding the range of eSIM-compatible devices



#### Second-hand iPhone XS



## Second-hand iPhone XR

# ASUS TransBook Mini





Second-hand 11-inch iPad Pro



Second-hand 12.9-inch iPad Pro (3<sup>rd</sup> generation)

# **eSIM** Device Verification

### eSIM-compatible devices are being verified for operation

What devices can use eSIM?

Smartphones	Tablets and Notebook PCs	
iPhone 11 :::4	iPad(第7世代)※1 ※3 (7th generation)	
iPhone 11 Pro :::4	iPad mini(第5世代)**1 **3 (5th generation)	
iPhone 11 Pro MAX :::4	iPad Air (第3世代) ※1 ※3 (3rd generation)	
iPhone XS **1	11インチiPad Pro ※1 ※3 11-inch iPad Pro	
iPhone XS Max #1	12.9インチiPad Pro(第3世代) ※1 ※3 12.9-inch iPad Pro (3rd generation)	
iPhone XR **1	Surface Pro LTE Advanced #2	
Google Pixel 4	ogle Pixel 4 Surface Pro X	
Google Pixel 4XL	ASUS TransBook Mini T103HAF-LTE :::s	
	ASUS TransBook Mini T103HAF-GR079LTE %5	

\*1: iOS 12.1 and later, \*2: Windows 10 RS4 and later, \*3: Wi-Fi + Cellular models, \*4: iOS 13.0 and later, \*5: Please check [Information for ASUS TransBook Mini users]

# **Endorsements from Business Partners**

■ Endorsement from ASUS JAPAN Corp. ASUS JAPAN Corp. is delighted that IIJ will launch an eSIM-compatible communications service for individual customers. By concentrating on expanding our lineup of compatible products and stepping up coordination with IIJ, we will continually offer services and products that enable instant access to needed information in a bid to bring even greater convenience to all users of the communications service.

> Cynthia Teng. division director of system marketing ASUS JAPAN Corp.

#### Endorsement from Microsoft Japan Co., Ltd.

Microsoft Japan Co., Ltd. sincerely welcomes the official launch of "IIJ Mobile Service Data Plan Zero," IIJ's new data communications service for eSIM.

In addition to existing support for Surface Pro LTE, the Surface Pro X has been newly added to the list of eSIM service-compatible models, and we are confident this will further broaden possibilities for customers who will no longer be constrained by time or location. Microsoft Japan will continue to work with IIJ and help customers make the most of its "ultra-thin and always connected" offerings.

> Takuya Mizuta, Director, Microsoft Device Category Management Lead Consumer & Device Sales, Microsoft Japan Co., Ltd.

# **Application Flow**

#### STEP 1 Submitting an Application

<For users with a device subscribed to a telecom carrier>

- SIM unlocking

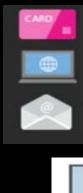
\* Not required for SIM free devices





## Application

Have the following items ready and proceed from the [Sign Up] button on the IIJmio site.



Credit card in your own name Internet-capable environment and PC, etc. Email address





# Setting & Activation

After the application process is complete, an activation code will be sent via email

Scan the activation code using the device that will be used to complete setup



# **Participating Stores**

#### eSIM Data Plan Zero can also be purchased directly at a store

[Dedicated BIC Camera Package]

Available from March 19, 2020



[Standard Package]

Availability will be gradually expanded going forward.





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