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# How much electricity does a mobile base station device consume in a day

## Overview

How do base stations affect mobile cellular network power consumption?

Base stations represent the main contributor to the energy consumption of a mobile cellular network. Since traffic load in mobile networks significantly varies during a working or weekend day, it is important to quantify the influence of these variations on the base station power consumption.

Do base stations dominate the energy consumption of the radio access network?

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How much energy does a mobile network use?

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How much power does a 5G base station use?

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