Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development

Regional Digital Connectivity program

Snapshot of all projects

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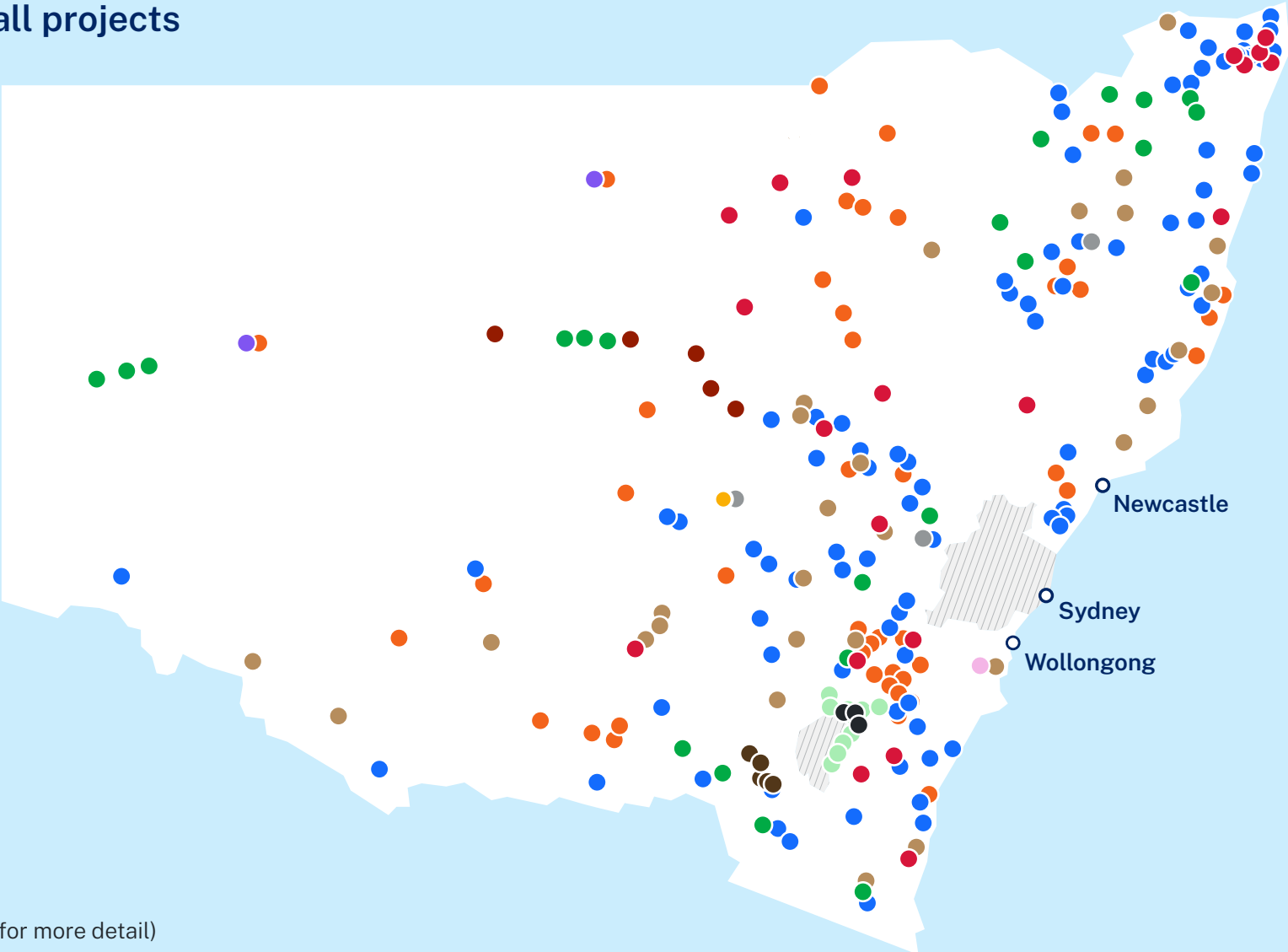
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Marker	Program	Locations	Description of project
●	**Active Sharing Partnership** *Mobile Coverage*	2 locations: Brewarrina and Wilcannia	2 small cell mobile towers delivering 4G and 5G voice and data services for more than 800 premises, providing over 1,350 square kilometres of mobile coverage.
●	**Cobar corridor connectivity** *Internet Connectivity*	5 locations: Cobar, Narromine, Nyngan, Trangie and Warren	5 fixed wireless towers delivering fast and reliable nbn fixed wireless internet for more than 800 premises along the Cobar corridor.
●	**Connecting Country Communities Fund Kangaroo Valley** *Internet Connectivity*	1 location: Kangaroo Valley	10 fixed wireless broadband towers offering fast and reliable broadband internet for 600 homes and business in the Kangaroo Valley.
●	**Connecting Country Communities Fund Monaro and Goulburn** *Internet Connectivity*	36 locations: Collector, Gundaroo, Murrumbateman, Tarago, Wallaroo Bungendore, Carwoola, Googong, Michelago and Royalla	36 fixed wireless broadband towers offering fast and reliable broadband internet for more than 3,400 rural homes and business across the Monaro and Goulburn regions.
●	**Mobile Black Spot Program Round 1** *Mobile Coverage*	91 locations: Abercrombie Road-Paling Yards, Anglers Reach, Araluen, Attunga Avonside, Balala, Barry, Bedgerebong, Bentley, Billimari, Binalong, Bodalla, Bogee, Bonalbo A, Bonshaw, Brooms Head, Bunnaloo, Burringbar, Burrumbuttock, Camboon, Capertee, Central Tilba, Clarence, Clunes, Coffee Camp, Comboyne A, Comboyne B, Copmanhurst, Dalgety, Dalton, Darbys Falls, Dooralong, Drake, Elands, Ettrick, Farrants Hill, Gollan, Golspie, Goolma, Gooloogong, Grattai, Hallsville, Hernani, Hickeys Creek, Hillgrove, Invergowrie, Jiggi, Kings Plains, Kioloa, Koonorigan, Kunghur, Ladysmith, Lemon Tree, Lue, Mannus, Mayfield, Merriwagga, Minnie Water, Mumbil, Murringo, Nelligen, Nerriga, North Dorrigo, Numeralla, Nymboida, Oakdene, Piallamore, Pilliga, Porters Retreat, Possum Creek, Rockley, Rocky Creek, Sherwood, Stanhope, Tabulam, Tarlo, Taylors Arm, The Channon, Tomboye, Towamba, Trunkey Creek, Urbenville, Walcha Road, Warroo, Wentworth, Wherrol Flat, Windellama, Windeyer, Woolomin, Wyong Creek and Yarramalong	91 new or upgraded mobile towers delivering 4G voice and data services for more than 13,000 premises, providing over 17,500 square kilometres of mobile coverage. These locations are co-funded by the NSW Government as part of the Australian Government's Mobile Black Spot Program (Round 1).
●	**Mobile Black Spot Program Round 2** *Mobile Coverage*	29 locations: Baldersleigh, Ballimore, Barragga Bay, Boggabri, Brierfield, Byabarra-Bagnoo Road, Firefly, Girvan, Hargraves, Koreelah, Lost River, Mount Hourigan, Mount McDonald, Napoleon Reef, Niemur, Old Wagga Road South, Peelwood Road, Pinkett, Rye Park, Summer Hill Creek, Temora West, The Homestead, Trungley Hall, Waldaira, Wee Jasper, Westella, Woodhill, Wyndham and Yarrabandinni	29 new or upgraded mobile towers delivering 4G voice and data services for more than 2,500 premises, providing over 7,700 square kilometres of mobile coverage. These locations are co-funded by the NSW Government as part of the Australian Government's Mobile Black Spot Program (Round 2).
●	**Mobile Black Spot Program NSW Round** *Mobile Coverage*	20 locations: Anembo, Bannaby Hill, Bourbah, Fernleigh, Glanmire, Golden Highway Uarby, Goolmangar, Lowanna East, Main Arm, Majors Creek, Mount Bodangora, Mt Mary, Rock Valley, Rosebank, Rouchel Brook, Spring Plains, South Cryon, Sunnyside, Tanja and The Lake Tower (Walgett)	20 new or upgraded mobile towers delivering 4G voice and data services for more than 5,000 premises, providing over 7,600 square kilometres of mobile coverage. These locations are co-funded by the NSW Government as part of the Australian Government's Mobile Black Spot Program (NSW Round).

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🟢	**Mobile Black Spot Program Round 5A** *Mobile Coverage*	21 locations: Barrier Highway (Between Broken Hill and Little Topar Hotel), Barrier Highway (Between Canbelego and Hermindale), Biala, Bukkulla, Burraga, Burragate, Carabost, Ewingar, Glen Elgin, Glenora Barrier Highway, Hermidale, Kosciuszko Tourist Park, Little Topar, Maragle, Miandetta, Barrier Highway, Millbank, Mole River Exchange, Tenterfield, Watsons Creek, Wolgan Valley and Woods Reef Exchange	21 new or upgraded mobile towers delivering 4G voice and data services for more than 330 premises, providing over 1,000 square kilometres of mobile coverage. Round 5A is focused on improving mobile connectivity in natural disaster-prone areas such as bushfire zones. These locations are co-funded by the NSW Government as part of the Australian Government's Mobile Black Spot Program (Round 5A).
🟠	**nbn regional NSW fixed wireless** *Internet Connectivity*	46 locations: Baradine, Binda, Bingie, Binnaway, Brayton, Brewarrina, Collombatti, Area surrounding Condobolin, Area surrounding Coonabarabran, Area surrounding Crookwell, Deepwater, Emmaville, Goolgowi, Grabben Gullen, Grattai, Area surrounding Grenfell, Gundary, Hargraves, Area surrounding Hay, Area surrounding Henty, Herons Creek, Kentucky, Kundabung, Laggan, Lower Boro, Merah North, Moree, Mungindi, Area surrounding Narrabri, Parkesbourne, Pleasant Hills, Area surrounding Pokolbin, Quialigo, Quorrobolong, Area surrounding Rylstone, Area south of Goulburn, Taralga, Tirrannaville / Yarra, Tottenham, Urana, Area surrounding Walcha, Area surrounding Wee Waa, Wilcannia, Windellama, Woolbrook and Yerong Creek	Delivering a network of new or co-located fixed wireless broadband towers to provide fast and reliable nbn fixed wireless internet for more than 10,000 premises across 46 locations in regional NSW.
🟡	**Parkes Special Activation Precinct connectivity** *Internet Connectivity*	1 location: Parkes Special Activation Precinct	Delivering reliable, high-speed fixed line internet for businesses in the Parkes Special Activation precinct.
⚪	**Smart Regional Spaces** *Partnership with The University of Sydney and University of NSW*	3 locations: Armidale, Lithgow and Parkes	A pilot program involving Armidale Regional Council, Lithgow City Council and Parkes Shire Council aimed to pivot the smart cities movement into rural and regional NSW. A suite of accessible digital tools, templates and training modules are available online to support councils and regional communities to reap the benefits associated with 'smart place' initiatives.
🟤	**Snowy Mountains Highway Mobile Safety** *Mobile Coverage*	5 locations: Alpine Creek, Connors Hill, Caves Road exit, Lobbs Hole Ravine and Tantangara Road	5 small cell mobile towers delivering 4G voice and data services. The towers will improve mobile coverage along the Snowy Mountains Highway, between Talbingo and Adaminaby, to increase commuter safety.
⚫	**Wamboin, Bywong and Sutton connectivity** *Internet Connectivity*	3 locations: Wamboin, Bywong and Sutton	Delivering reliable, high-speed fixed line internet for over 1400 rural homes and businesses in Wamboin, Bywong and Sutton.