

Disclaimer Draft Text

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IMPORTANT NOTICE: During the course of testing, the FCC and Sam Knows identified performance issues with the shared Measurement Lab test servers in New York and Los Angeles. These issues distorted test results for a significant number of panelists across various ISPs participating in the study, and in multiple states. The performance issues affected data collected between XX/XX/XXXX and XX/XX/XXXX (“the March 2012 Data”). It is also possible that a similar issue could have affected other servers. Accordingly, although data from that time period is being released publicly consistent with our open data policy, the FCC has determined that the data collected during this time period is ~~or~~ ~~may be~~ unreliable and flawed. Thus the FCC will not use data in this period as a comparative basis of performance for ISPs in the 2012 First Report. **The FCC considers this data to be unreliable and inappropriate for comparing performance across panelists, ISPs or time periods.**