

PERFORMANCE VARIATION BY ACCESS TECHNOLOGY

As shown in Chart 4, there is some variance in performance by technology during peak periods. DSL on average meets 82 percent of advertised download speed during peak periods, cable meets 93 percent and fiber-to-the-home meets 114 percent of advertised speeds. Upload performance is, as noted, generally better than download performance during peak periods with all technologies meeting advertised upload speeds by 95 percent or better.³⁷

Chart 4: Average peak period sustained download and upload speeds as a percentage of advertised, by technology

