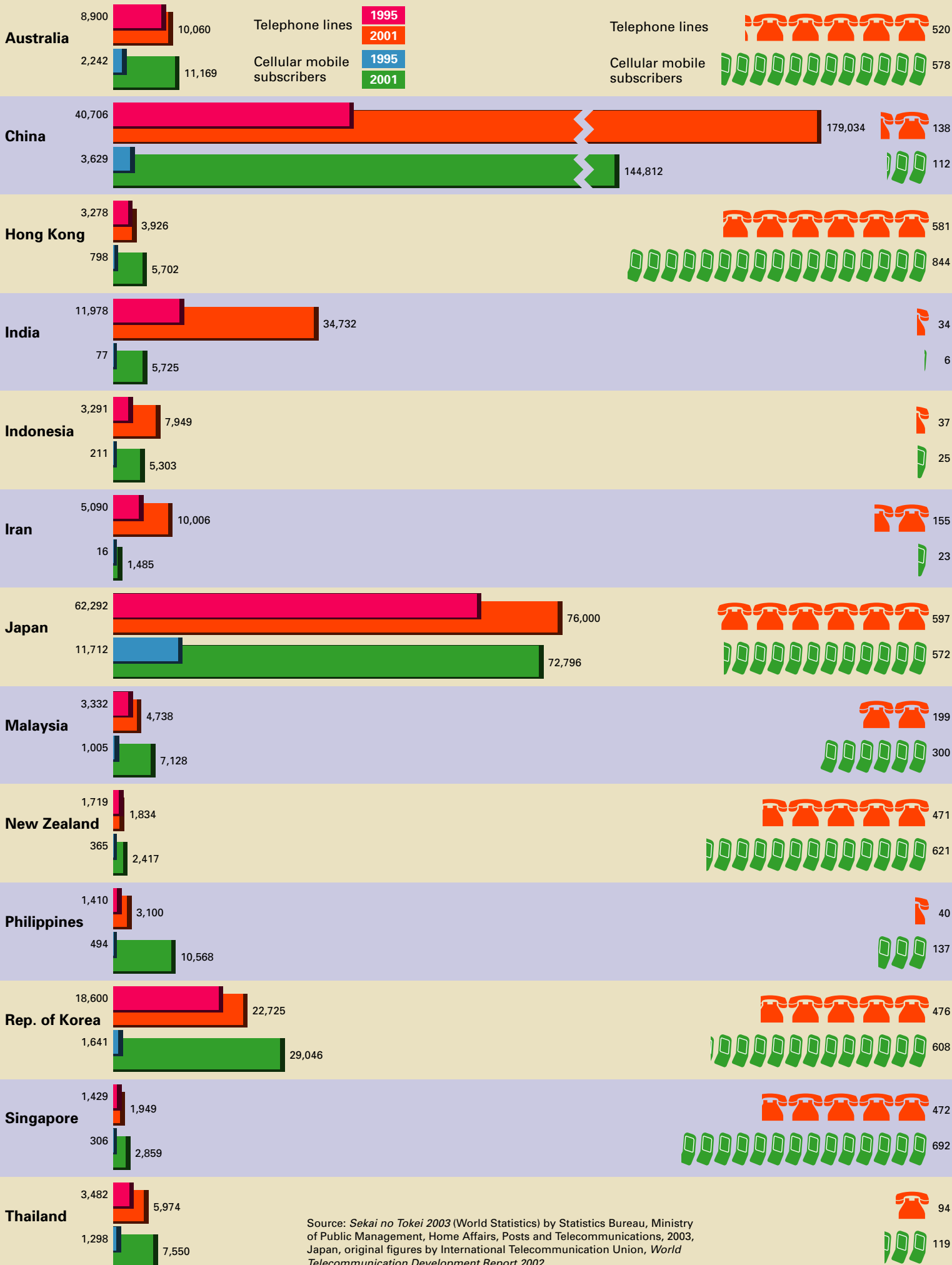


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Total number in 1995 and 2001 (thousands)

Number per 1,000 inhabitants in 2001



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