Cingular Timeline

1984

SBC and BellSouth Corp. launch first wireless services.

2000

cingular WIRELESS

SBC Communications Inc. and BellSouth Corp. create Cingular Wireless, second-largest wireless carrier.

2004

cingular raising the bar™

AT&T Wireless

Cingular acquires AT&T Wireless, a spinoff of AT&T Corp. and the largest provider of wireless service in the U.S.

2005

SBC Communications Inc. acquires AT&T Corp., becomes AT&T Inc.

2006

at&t

AT&T Inc. and BellSouth Corp. merge, consolidating ownership of the Cingular Wireless brand and operating under one global brand.