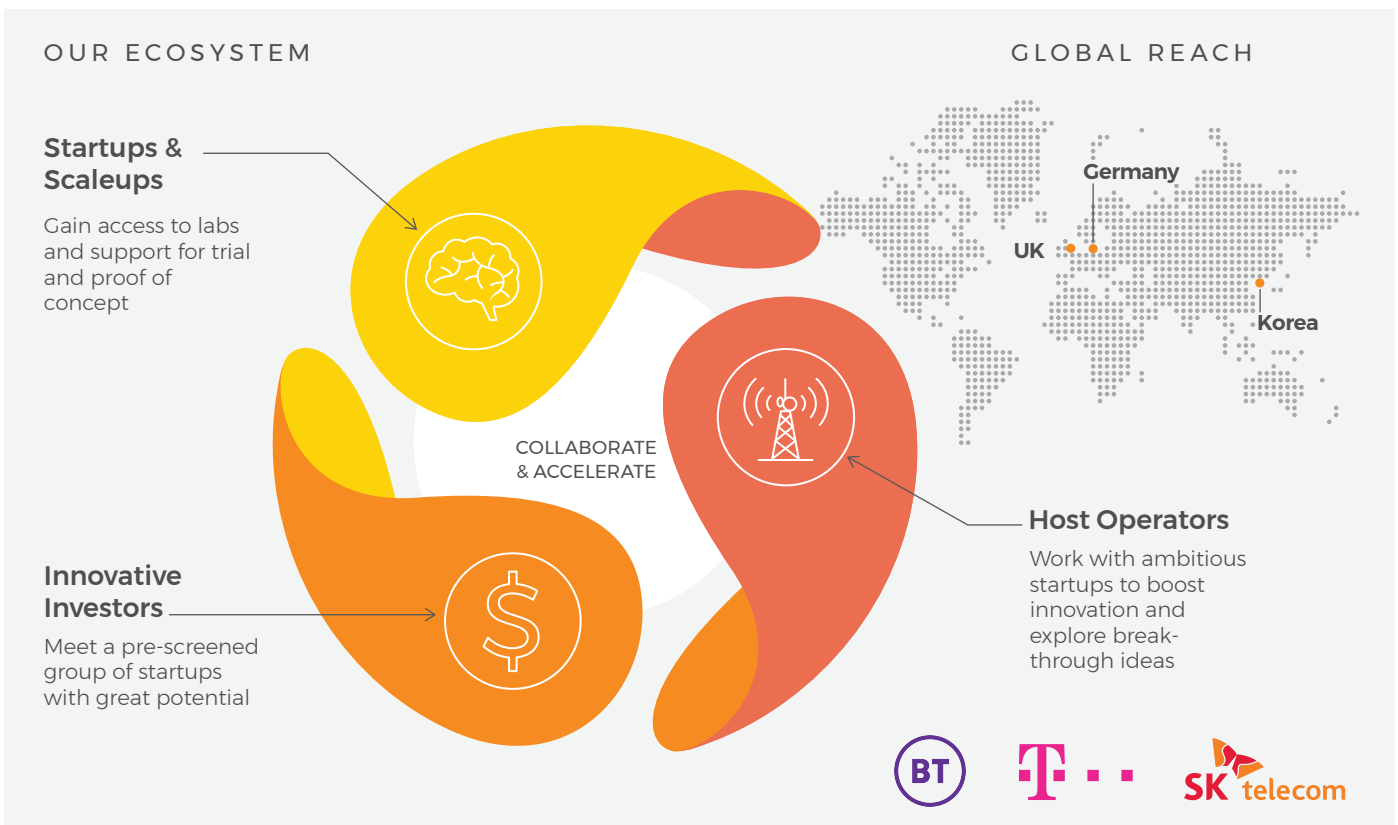


TIP Ecosystem Acceleration Centers

A global engineering-led program that accelerates the route to success for startups in the telecoms market. Bringing a fresher, faster and open approach to innovation.



The Purpose of TEAC

TIP Ecosystem Acceleration Centres (TEACs) exist to enable a fresher, faster, and more open approach to innovation in telecoms.

They reach around the world, across technologies and deep into the telecoms ecosystem.

Each center partners with a leading telecoms service provider to speed up innovation and enable adoption of new technologies. Their focus is on providing effective support for innovative startups, from concept through field trials to investment for growth.

TEACs select for success, matching teams and technologies with opportunities.

In partnership with the Telecom Infra Project (TIP), some of the world's largest telecom service providers are currently hosting TEACs in the UK, Korea and Germany. The specific program duration is tailored to each startup's needs. The average timeline is currently 12-18 months.

What TEAC Provides

TEACs provide an environment where innovative startups can accelerate their technology development and deployment in partnership with leading carriers. TEACs offer multiple labs and contacts worldwide. For carriers and investors they offer exposure to a variety of technologies already vetted for success.

TEAC Process



Benefits

Each TEAC has been developed, in partnership with the TIP, to provide the benefits of a global accelerator focused on the telecoms industry:

- **Reach**

Global scale provides wider options. An engineering-led approach, across multiple labs, each with dedicated partner support, means a greater variety of technologies are introduced and developed.

- **Speed**

Support from our partner carriers and the wider TIP-community enables ambitious startups to achieve faster paced innovation, aiding the adoption of new technologies and accelerating the path to commercial deals.

- **Opportunity**

TEACs provide support to develop trials through to proof of concept. They match new technologies with investors, helping to open up the best channels for each business.

Creating a Community

On joining the program each startup becomes a part of the wider TEAC community. The relationship is maintained beyond graduation, helping build a sustainable ecosystem of ambitious startups. Many of the successful graduates stay connected to advise and mentor the cohorts that follow them through the program. And our focus on sustainability is not purely self-serving. Our ambition is to create a more sustainable industry that ultimately supports all of our futures.

Want to Learn More?

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