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How did power outages affect mobile operators in Spain & Portugal?

Power outages triggered a rapid, severe, and sustained decline in mobile performance across all operators in Spain and Portugal on April 28, with impacts peaking in the mid-afternoon as backup batteries became depleted.

How did power outages affect the mobile network?

The impact on the mobile network due to power outages is not the same in all regions. Thus, during the last major power outages in the Iberian Peninsula, island communities such as the Canary Islands and the Balearic Islands were largely spared thanks to having isolated electricity generation systems.

How do network outages & application outages work?

Network outages and application outages are algorithmically detected based on billions of measurements to hundreds of apps and services crossing thousands of Internet Service Providers each day.

When do cell phone masts go down?

Cell phone masts and associated equipment are switched off as soon as they lose their main power source. Therefore, although some users still see coverage or can even make calls in the first few minutes, the network gradually begins to go down.

Realtime status of outages and problems with service providers. Having problems? Find out what is going on.

Spanish telcos have reported severe network issues caused by the nationwide grid outage. Both Spain and Portugal have been hit by ...

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Realtime overview of issues and outages with all kinds of services. Having issues? We help you find out what is wrong.

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