

周二，一家中国互联网技术公司公布了星座计划中的第一颗卫星，该卫星计划在全球范围内提供免费WiFi服务。此前，国际科技巨头纷纷进入这一领域。



??WiFi????????????????

linkSure Network?2013??

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People could use their mobile phones to search for internet services provided by the constellation and browse the internet, even in regions where telecom networks do not cover.

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Wang Jingying, CEO of linkSure Network, said the company will invest 3 billion yuan (\$431.4 million) into the plan. She believes through different scenarios, applications and modes, the company could earn in the future.

linkSure Network????????????????????30????(4.314??)????????????????????

By the end of 2017, there were still 3.9 billion people not connected to the internet, according to data from the United Nations.

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Because of the diversity and complexity of geomorphology, some infrastructure facilities of telecom networks cannot be installed at some places, and therefore satellite constellations might be an alternative.

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Currently, many foreign tech companies, including Google, SpaceX, oneWeb and Telesat, have already launched plans to use satellites to provide free internet access.

????????SpaceX?OneWeb?Telesat????????????????

A previous Goldman Sachs report estimated long-lasting and high-profit opportunities will appear in the space commercial market, at a scale of trillions of dollars within 20 years.

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Bank of America Merrill Lynch predicted that by 2045, the world space industry will reach \$2.7 trillion in value.

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Chinese aerospace technologist Huang Zhicheng said space projects were always high-risk and high-investment, they do not see returns for several years and investors should be patient.

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