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A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

A3.7 Monthly Exchange Rates (Cont'd)

A3.7.4 Multi-line Service

The following rates apply to multi-line services as defined in A3.7.1.A.

A. Flat Rate Service

		Group				
	2	5	7	12	USOC	
1. Business - Individual Lines						
(a) Each	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$120.00		1FB
2. (Obsoleted, See A103.)						
3. (Obsoleted, See A103.)						
4. Rotary Line Service						
(a) Residence, each line	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		HTG
(b) Business, each line	12.43	16.23	19.25	14.75		HTG

B. PBX Trunks

		Group				
	2	5	7	12	USOC	
1. Residence PBX Trunk						
(a) Combination	21.42	24.30	25.18	29.34		TFR
2. Business PBX Trunk						
(a) Combination	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		TFC (I)
(b) Two-Way	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		TFB (I)
(c) Out Dial	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		TFU (I)
(d) Inward Only	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		TFN (I)
3. Direct-Inward-Dialing Trunk						
(a) Inward Only	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		TDD1X (I)
(b) Combination ¹	175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00		TDDCX (I)
4. Telephone Answering Service - lines associated with switchboard not serving administrative stations (Monthly rate is the Business Individual Line Flat Rate.)						
(a) (DELETED)						
(b) Two-Way	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00		S3L
5. Telephone Answering Service - trunks associated with switchboard serving administrative stations						
a. Rates and charges for PBX trunks apply.						

C. Auxiliary, Public Announcement and Reservation Service Lines

1. Auxiliary Line Service (Inward Service)						
(a) Each line	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00		7FB
2. Public Announcement Service (Obsoleted, See A103)						

D. Georgia Community Calling (Obsoleted, See A103)

Note 1: Only provisioned where facilities permit in conjunction with the DID Trunk Termination, each Combination Trunk with Call Transfer, as located in A12.7.2A.

A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

A3.10 Local Exceptions (Cont'd)

A3.10.3 Rate Schedules With EAS Differentials (Cont'd)

B. Monthly Rates (Cont'd)

1. Flat Rate Service (Cont'd)

b. Business (Cont'd)

(1) Per line or trunk (Cont'd)

		Rate Groups						
		2A	2B	2C	2D	2E		USOC
(h)	Direct-Inward-Dialing trunk - Combination	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$175.00		TDDCX (1)
		5A	5B	5C	5D	5E		USOC
		175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00		TDDCX (1)
		7A	7B	7C	7D	7E	7F	USOC
		175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00	TDDCX (1)
		12A	12B	12C	12D	12E		USOC
		175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00	175.00		TDDCX (1)
		Rate Groups						
		2A	2B	2C	2D	2E		USOC
(i)	Telephone Answering Service Line	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$120.00		NA
		5A	5B	5C	5D	5E		USOC
		120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00		NA
		7A	7B	7C	7D	7E	7F	USOC
		120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	NA
		12A	12B	12C	12D	12E		USOC
		120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00		NA
(j)	Public Announcement Service Line (Obsoleted, See A103)							
		Rate Groups						
		2A	2B	2C	2D	2E		USOC
(k)	Auxiliary line	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$120.00	\$120.00		7FB
		5A	5B	5C	5D	5E		USOC
		120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00		7FB
		7A	7B	7C	7D	7E	7F	USOC
		120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	7FB
		12A	12B	12C	12D	12E		USOC
		120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00		7FB

2. Georgia Community Calling (Obsoleted, See Section A103)

A3.11 Optional Extended Area Service (Obsoleted, See Section A103)

Pages 19.4 through 30.39 are hereby deleted in their entirety and removed from this Guidebook.

A9. FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE AND FOREIGN CENTRAL OFFICE SERVICE

A9.1 Foreign Exchange Service (Cont'd)

A9.1.5 Foreign Exchange Service Provided by Multiple Companies

A. Foreign Exchange Service may be furnished involving two areas of the Company or involving an area of the Company and an area of an independent company when the independent company is willing to concur in arrangements for furnishing such service. In those cases where a portion of the service is furnished by an independent company, the rates and regulations of the independent company apply to the part of the exchange service it furnishes.

A9.1.6 Rates and Charges

A. Basic Rate Elements

1. Local Channel

	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge		USOC	
		First	Additional		
(a) Primary	<i>\$54.00</i>	<i>\$64.90</i>	<i>\$64.90</i>	1D91X	(1)
(b) Secondary	<i>54.00</i>	<i>64.90</i>	<i>64.90</i>	1D92X	(1)

2. Interoffice Channel

	Fixed Monthly Charge	Monthly Charge Per Mile	Nonrecurring Charge Per Channel	USOC
(a) 1 thru 8 mile channel	\$32.00	\$2.05	\$42.00	1L9FX
(b) 9 thru 25 mile channel	32.00	2.00	42.00	1L9FX
(c) Over 25 mile channel	32.00	1.95	42.00	1L9FX

3. Bridging Equipment

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate	USOC
(a) Per Local Channel bridged	\$50.00	\$29.00	BME

(1)

A12. CENTRAL OFFICE NON-TRANSPORT SERVICE OFFERINGS

A12.7 Direct-Inward-Dialing (DID) Service (Cont'd)

A12.7.2 Rates and Charges

A. Central Office Components

1. Direct-Inward Dialing (DID) Service¹

	Installation Charge	Monthly Rate	USOC	
(a) Establish trunk group and provide first group of 20 DID numbers	\$915.00	\$7.00	NDZ	(I)
(b) Each additional group of 20 DID numbers	15.00	19.00	ND4	(I)
(c) Non-Consecutive DID numbers, each ¹	2.20	3.00	ND5	(I)
(d) DID Trunk Termination, each Inward Only Trunk ²	90.00	83.00	NDT	(I)
(e) DID trunk Termination, each Combination Trunk With Call Transfer ^{2,3}	250.00	96.00	NCT	(I)
(f) Multifrequency (MF) Pulsing option, each trunk ⁴	-	37.00	S5MBD	(I)
(g) Dual Tone Multifrequency (DTMF) Pulsing option, each trunk ⁴	-	37.00	S5DBD	(I)
(h) Automatic Intercept Service, per number referred ⁵	16.00	-	ND1	
(i) Group of 20 Reserved Numbers, each group ⁶	915.00	14.00	NDV	(I)
(j) Reserved Non-Consecutive DID numbers, each	2.20	2.00	ND6	(I)

Note 1: The installation charge in A12.7.2.1.(a) applies for the establishment of the first group of Non-Consecutive DID numbers where the customer does not currently have DID service.

Note 2: In addition to the rates and charges for the DID Trunk Terminations, rates and charges for DID PBX Trunks or NARs as specified in Section A3. apply as appropriate.

Note 3: Combination DID Trunks with the Call Transfer feature are available where facilities permit.

Note 4: Provides faster signaling on PBX DID trunks or NARs. The choice of pulsing alternative depends on the customer's premises equipment.

Note 5: Provides automatic referral of calls from a non-listed disconnected DID telephone number to a corresponding new telephone number for twelve months or until the delivery of the new directory, whichever comes first. AIS is available only where facilities permit.

Note 6: Installation charge applicable for reservation of numbers where DID service has not previously been established.

A13. MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

A13.56 Hot Line Service

A13.56.1 General

- A. Hot Line Service is an automatic dialing feature which provides the customer with the ability to automatically be connected with another predetermined telephone line in the circuit switched network. When the customer's telephone instrument goes off-hook, a switched connection is set-up without any further customer action. The predetermined telephone number is selected by the customer at the time service is established and can be changed only via service order.
- B. Hot Line Service may be used only in connection with individual line service.
- C. Hot Line Service is furnished only from central offices which have been arranged to provide this service and is provided subject to the availability of facilities.

A13.56.2 Rates and Charges

A. Hot Line Service

The rates and charges for this service are in addition to the service and monthly charges for individual line service found in Sections A3. and A4., respectively.

1. Per Individual Line

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate	USOC	
(a) Residence	\$2.00	\$.50	HLS	
(b) Business	2.00	14.00	HLS	(1)

A13.57 Warm Line Service (*Obsoleted, See Section A113*)

A43. CHANNELIZED VOICE TRANSPORT SERVICES

A43.1 BellSouth Channelized Trunks (Cont'd)

A43.1.4 Rates and Charges

A. 1.544 Mbps Access Line								
1. Each Access Line Provisioned								
		Nonrecurring	Month to	24 to 48²	49 to 72²	73 to 96²		
		Charge	Month	Months	Months	Months	USOC	
(a)	First 1/2 Mile	\$350.00	\$231.00	\$130.00	\$125.00	\$120.00	BCTL1	(1)
(b)	Each Additional 1/2 Mile (Provisional USOC)	-	-	-	-	-	BCTL2	
B. 1.544 Mbps Interoffice Facility								
1. Each Access Line Provisioned								
	Mileage Between Central Offices							
(a)	0 - 8 Miles	125.00	180.00	170.00	165.00	160.00	BCT9M	
(b)	9-25 Miles	125.00	370.00	350.00	340.00	330.00	BCT1M	
(c)	26-50 Miles	125.00	875.00	830.00	805.00	785.00	BCT2M	
(d)	Over 50 Miles	125.00	1440.00	1370.00	1325.00	1295.00	BCT5M	
C. Service Interface								
1. Each Service Interface Provisioned								
(a)	Per Service Interface	225.00	299.00	189.00	171.00	154.00	BCTS1	(1)
D. Arrangements With Other Services								
1. Access Lines Provisioned From Service Other Than BellSouth Channelized Trunks								
(a)	Each Access Line (Provisional USOC)	-	-	-	-	-	BCTAC	
2. Interoffice Facilities Provisioned From Service Other Than BellSouth Channelized Trunks								
(a)	Each Interoffice Access Line (Provisional USOC)	-	-	-	-	-	BCTFM	
3. Access Lines Provisioned in Company Central Offices and Arranged in Conjunction With SMARTRing service or LightGate Service								
(a)	Each Central Office Channel Interface	180.00	35.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	BCTS2	
4. Access Lines Provisioned on Customers' Premises and Arranged in Conjunction With SMARTRing service or LightGate Service								
(a)	Each Customer Channel Interface	285.00	35.00	30.00	25.00	20.00	BCTS3	
E. Channel								
1. Each Channel Type Activated								
(a)	Direct-Inward Dial (DID)	95.00	83.00	50.00	45.00	43.00	BCT1C	(1)
(b)	DID Dial Pulse (DP) Signaling ¹ (Provisional USOC)	-	-	-	-	-	S5MBP	
(c)	Combination	7.00	33.00	30.00	28.00	26.00	BCT2C	
(d)	Outward Only	7.00	33.00	30.00	28.00	26.00	BCTOC	

Note 1: DID Multifrequency (MF) and DID Dual Tone Multifrequency (DTMF) Pulsing Options are also available as provided in A12.7.

Note 2: Effective July 1, 2014, customers may not establish new variable payment period plans of any length for BellSouth Channelized Trunks, and existing variable payment period plans may not be renewed. For new service, or for existing service after any variable payment period plan expires, service will be provided only on a month-to-month basis.

A43. CHANNELIZED VOICE TRANSPORT SERVICES

A43.1 BellSouth Channelized Trunks (Cont'd)

A43.1.4 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

F. Telephone Number

1. Each Number Activated

	Monthly Rate	USOC	
(a) DID Telephone Number	\$3.00	BCT1T	(1)
(b) Combination Telephone Number	3.00	BCT2T	(1)
(c) Outward Only Telephone Number (Provisional USOC)	-	BCTOT	

G. Superframe Format / Extended Superframe Format

1. Per BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line formatted or per 1.544 Mbps Interoffice Facility formatted.

	Subsequent Nonrecurring Charge	USOC	
(a) Superframe Format	\$250.00	CCOSF	
(b) Superframe Format (Provisional USOC)	-	MCOSE	
(c) Extended Superframe Format	250.00	CCOEF	
(d) Extended Superframe Format (Provisional USOC)	-	MCOPO	

H. Service Establishment

A Service Establishment Charge is applicable for each BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line ordered, except as specified in A43.1.3.G, preceding. This charge is for receiving and recording information and/or taking action in connection with a customer's request for service. This charge includes engineering design, common centralized testing and coordination. A Premises Visit Charge as defined in J. following is also applicable to initial service establishment.

1. Service Establishment Charge, Each BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line Provisioned

	Nonrecurring Charge	USOC	
(a) (DELETED)			
(b) New BellSouth Channelized Trunks customer	\$575.00	BCTSE	

I. Move of Service

A Move of Service charge applies for each BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line moved to a new location in the same building. This move charge is equal to the sum of the Service Change and/or Inside Move Charge and the Premises Visit Charge as provided in J. following. A Move of Service charge also applies for each BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line moved to a new location in Company territory within the same state. In this case the move charge is equal to the sum of all nonrecurring charges applicable to a new BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line installation at the new location including a Premise Visit Charge.

J. Service Installation and Rearrangement

Service Installation and Rearrangement charges are applicable for receiving and recording information and/or taking action in connection with a customer's inside move, transfer of service responsibility request, or for processing the necessary data for a change to an existing BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line. Premises Visit Charges are applicable for Service Establishment and Moves of Service. Only one Premises Visit Charge applies when more than one BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line is moved or installed at the same premises at the same time.

1. Service Change and/or Inside Move

(a) Each BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line Provisioned	325.00	BCTMV	
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2. Transfer of Responsibility

(a) Each Transfer	25.00	BCTTR	
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3. Premises Visit Charge

(a) Each Visit	40.00	BCTPV	
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K. Termination Liability

A Termination Liability Charge (TLC) is applicable if service is terminated prior to expiration of a customer selected optional payment period. The applicable charge is based on the service period to which the customer is subscribed and will be equal to fifty-percent (50%) of the contracted monthly rate for Access Lines, Service Interfaces, Channels and Telephone Numbers times the number of months remaining in the commitment.

A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

A103.7 Monthly Exchange Rates (Cont'd)

A103.7.4 Multi-line Service

(Obsoleted 1-1-98, Type 4. Party Line Service is not available for new installations or transfers of service to new locations.)
The following rates apply to multi-line services as defined in A3.7.1.A.

A. Flat Rate Service

		Rate Group				
		2	5	7	12	USOC
1.	Business					
	(a) Two-Party, each ¹	\$23.20	\$29.60	\$34.70	\$44.85	2FB
	(b) Four-Party, each ¹	21.75	27.65	-	-	4FB

B. Reserved For Future Use

C. Auxiliary, Public Announcement and Reservation Service Lines

(Obsoleted 8-14-2004, Type 4) Not available for new installations, additions or transfers of service.

1. Reserved for Future Use
2. Public Announcement Service

		Group				
		2	5	7	12	USOC
	(a) Per control access line ¹	\$24.90	\$31.80	\$37.30	\$48.30	1AL
D.	Georgia Community Calling					
1.	Monthly Rates					
a.	Business					
	(1) Individual Lines					
	(a) Each ¹	120.00	120.00	120.00	120.00	1MBGE
b.	Rotary Line Service					
	(1) Each Line					
	(a) Residence	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	HTGGE
	(b) Business	9.04	11.80	14.00	18.40	HTGGE
c.	PBX Trunks					
	(1) Each					
	(a) Combination ¹	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	TMCGE (1)
	(b) Out Dial ¹	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	TMUGE (1)
d.	PBX Trunks, Hotels/Motels and Hospitals					
	(1) Each					
	(a) Combination ¹	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	TMC (1)
	(b) Out Dial ¹	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	TMU (1)
	(c) Inward	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	TMD (1)
e.	Direct-Inward-Dialing Service Trunk					
	(1) Each					
	(a) Inward	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	TD21G (1)

Note 1: Includes Touch-Tone capability. For rotary-dial service, see A103.1.F.

A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

A103.10 Local Exceptions (Cont'd)

A103.10.3 Rate Schedules With EAS Differentials (Cont'd)

- A. Monthly Rates (Cont'd)
 - 2. Georgia Community Calling (Cont'd)
 - b. Business (Cont'd)
 - (1) Per line or trunk (Cont'd)

		Rate Groups						
		2A	2B	2C	2D	2E		USOC
(b)	Rotary line service	\$9.48	\$9.30	\$9.74	\$9.76	\$9.28		HTGGE
		5A	5B	5C	5D	5E		USOC
		12.24	12.32	12.06	12.50	12.34		HTGGE
		7A	7B	7C	7D	7E	7F	USOC
		16.22	14.44	14.68	14.26	14.70	15.04	HTGGE
		12A	12B	12C	12D	12E		USOC
		18.84	18.84	18.66	19.10	19.10		HTGGE
		2A	2B	2C	2D	2E		USOC
(c)	PBX Trunk - Combination and Outdial ^{1, 2}	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$140.00		NA (1)
		5A	5B	5C	5D	5E		USOC
		140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		NA (1)
		7A	7B	7C	7D	7E	7F	USOC
		140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	NA (1)
		12A	12B	12C	12D	12E		USOC
		140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		NA (1)
		2A	2B	2C	2D	2E		USOC
(d)	PBX Trunk - Inward ¹	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$140.00		NA (1)
		5A	5B	5C	5D	5E		USOC
		140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		NA (1)
		7A	7B	7C	7D	7E	7F	USOC
		140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	NA (1)
		12A	12B	12C	12D	12E		USOC
		140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00	140.00		NA (1)

Note 1: Includes Touch-Tone capability. For rotary-dial service, see A103.1.F.

Note 2: See A3.7.4 for applicable USOC

A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

A103.43 BellSouth Business Plus Service (Cont'd)

A103.43.2 Exchange Access Line Rates

A. Individual Line Service

1. BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 1

	Monthly Rate	Rate per Minute of Use	USOC	
(a) Each line	<i>\$172.00</i>	-	BG1	(I)
(b) Each Minute of use above 120 hours (7,200 minutes)	-	\$.05	NA	

2. BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 2

(a) Each line	<i>128.00</i>	-	BG2	(I)
(b) Each Minute of use outside the Basic Service Area	-	\$.09	NA	

A103.43.3 Service Charges

- A. The service order charges specified in Section A4. are applicable for the installations of new lines at the subscriber's premises. These charges are not applicable for existing customers who wish to convert an existing line to a BellSouth Business Plus service plan.
- B. Service charges do not apply for transactions which only involve additions, deletions or changes to the service or features requested as part of BellSouth Business Plus service with BellSouth Business Choice Package service or with BellSouth Complete Choice for Business package.

A112. OBSOLETE CENTRAL OFFICE NON-TRANSPORT SERVICE OFFERINGS

A112.17 Prestige Communications Package (PCP) (Cont'd)

A112.17.2 Service Description (Cont'd)

B. Optional Features (Cont'd)

4. Alternate Answering

This feature automatically transfers incoming or intercom calls that encounter a don't answer condition after a preselected number of rings (from 1 to 7) on the subscribing PCP line to an alternate designated line within the PCP system. Because of technical limitations, the actual number of ring cycles before a don't answer call is transferred may vary slightly from the preset value. The number to which calls are transferred and the approximate number of ring cycles before a don't answer call is transferred are specified by the customer at the time the feature is ordered. This feature is in operation on a continuous basis and cannot be activated or deactivated by the customer. Changes to the feature must be requested from the Company by service order.

A112.17.3 Rates and Charges

The following rates and charges are for PCP service only and are in addition to the applicable service charges, monthly rates and nonrecurring charges for exchange access lines and other services or equipment with which they are associated.

A. Monthly Rates

1. PCP Standard Features¹

a. PCP I Service

	Feature Establishment Charge	Monthly Rate	USOC	
(1) (DELETED)				
(2) Business Service				
(a) Service Establishment Charge, per system ²	68.00	-		NA
(b) First exchange business line terminated in a system.	6.95	<i>\$26.00</i>		MVP (1)
(c) All additional exchange business lines terminated in a system (maximum of 5 additional lines per system), each line.	6.95	<i>26.00</i>		MVPAL (1)

Note 1: Includes Intercom, Call Hold, Call Pickup, user transfer and conferencing.

Note 2: The Service Establishment Charge per business system is not applicable for Prestige Single Line Service (PSLS) customers upgrading to PCP I or PCP II service. Charges in A112.17.3.B. apply as appropriate.

A113. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

A113.55 Reserved For Future Use

A113.56 Reserved For Future Use

A113.57 Warm Line Service¹

A113.57.1 General

- A. Warm Line Service provides a business customer who has basic exchange line service with time delayed automatic dialing capability. When the customer goes off-hook and initiates dialing within the time delay period (0-20 seconds), the call proceeds normally as dialed. If dialing does not commence within the time delay period, a predetermined telephone number is automatically dialed. The predetermined telephone number and time delay period are selected by the customer at the time service is established and can be changed only via service order.
- B. Warm Line Service may be used only in connection with individual line service.
- C. Warm Line Service is furnished only from central offices which have been arranged to provide this service and is provided subject to the availability of facilities.

A113.57.2 Rates and Charges

A. Warm Line Service

The rates and charges for this service are in addition to the service and monthly charges for individual line service found in Sections A3. and A4., respectively.

1. Per Individual Line

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate	USOC	
(a) Business	\$25.00	\$14.00	WLS	(1)

Note 1: Effective April 22, 2014, Warm Line Service is obsoleted for business customers and withdrawn for residential customers.