

AT&T KANSAS GUIDEBOOK

PART 15 - Dedicated Communications Services
SECTION 3 - Digital Private Line Services

3rd Revised Sheet 16
Replacing 2nd Revised Sheet 16

MEGALINK 1.5 HIGH CAPACITY DIGITAL SERVICE (cont'd)

D. Rates and Charges (cont'd)

4. Rollover

	<u>USOC</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	
		<u>First Circuit</u>	<u>Additional Circuit</u>
- Analog Private Line and MegaLink Digital service to MegaLink 1.5, per service, per order.....	NR9QA	\$250.00	\$175.00
- MegaLink 1.5 to MegaLink 1.5 service, per service, per order	NR9QB	300.00	225.00

5. Term Pricing Plan

- a. The Term Pricing Plan (TPP) provides the customer with rate stabilization and discounted rates. The TPP provides for one^{/3/}, two^{/2/}, three^{/2/} or five^{/1/} year rate stabilization. Decreases in monthly recurring rates will be passed on to customers who participate in a TPP. The Company will notify customers participating in a TPP when monthly rates are decreased. (C)

Should the Company increase its rates during the Term Pricing Plan period, the customer would continue to pay the rates in effect at the time the customer elected to establish service under the TPP.

For customers choosing a two year or greater commitment, the nonrecurring charge will be waived. However, customers terminating service prior to the completion of their term commitment will become liable for the full payment of nonrecurring charges.

- b. The customer may choose to terminate an existing TPP before the end of the one^{/3/}, two^{/2/}, three^{/2/} or five^{/1/} year period and negotiate a new TPP. The new TPP must be based upon the rates that are currently in effect and available to all customers. (C)

If during the duration of the TPP, the customer wishes to rearrange or move a Local Distribution Channel location, no termination charge will apply. However, the nonrecurring charge that is currently in effect for month-to-month service will apply.

- c. The customer must provide the Company with a written notice of intent to renew a TPP no later than 90 days prior to its expiration. A TPP may not be renewed beyond the one^{/3/}, two^{/2/}, three^{/2/} or five^{/1/} year commitment at the same rate. If the customer elects not to renew the TPP, or does not notify the Company of the customer's intent to renew the TPP, the service will automatically be billed under the monthly rates in effect at the time the TPP expires. (C)

- d. Any special construction charges incurred for services billed under a TPP will be applicable as provided for in Part 15, Section 1.

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/2/ As of January 15, 2021, 24 and 36 Month Term Pricing Plans are no longer available for new or renewing subscribers.

/3/ Effective August 29, 2025, customers may not elect a Term Payment Plan of any length, and existing Term Payment Plans of any length will not be renewed or extended. Upon expiration of any Term Payment Plan, month-to-month rates will apply subject to the Company's right to modify such rates upon notice to customer. (N)
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MEGALINK 1.5 HIGH CAPACITY DIGITAL SERVICE (cont'd)**D. Rates and Charges (cont'd)**

5. Term Pricing Plan (cont'd)

- e. If the customer terminates the Term Pricing Plan agreement prior to the expiration of the one, two^{/2/}, three^{/2/} or five^{/1/} year TPP, the customer shall pay a termination charge. Payment of the termination charge does not release the customer from other previous amounts owed to the Company. (C)

The termination charge for all service terms will be calculated as follows:

For service terms that become effective on or after October 1, 2004:

- All unpaid Special Construction or Nonrecurring Charges (excluding any waived charges); plus
- Fifty percent (50%) of all recurring charges for the remaining months of the customer's term.

For service terms in effect prior to October 1, 2004:

- Customers requesting the termination of a TPP prior to the expiration date, excluding TPPs terminated as a result of a re-negotiation, will be charged a termination charge based on a percentage of the remainder of the term as indicated below:

<u>Term Pricing Plan</u>	<u>Termination Percentage</u>	
1 year ^{/3/}	50% for first year	(C)
2 years ^{/2/}	50% for first year, 25% for each subsequent year, plus Nonrecurring Charges	
3 years ^{/2/}	50% for first year, 25% for each subsequent year, plus Nonrecurring Charges	
5 years ^{/1/}	50% for first year, 25% for each subsequent year, plus Nonrecurring Charges	

The termination charge is calculated as follows:

$$\text{Billed Monthly Rate} \times \text{Months Remaining in TPP} \times \text{Termination Percentage} = \text{Termination Charge}$$

Customers requesting the termination of a renewed TPP prior to the expiration date will pay the subsequent year termination percentage for the applicable TPP.

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MEGALINK 1.5 HIGH CAPACITY DIGITAL SERVICE (cont'd)**D. Rates and Charges (cont'd)**

5. Term Pricing Plan (cont'd)

- f. Customers currently subscribing to MegaLink 1.5 Service on a month-to-month basis may convert their existing service to a one-year or greater TPP. Nonrecurring charges will be waived at the time of conversion.

Customers may upgrade their service to a greater bandwidth (e.g., MegaLink 1.5 to MegaLink 45) without incurring a termination charge provided that the new TPP is of equal or greater duration. The nonrecurring charge associated with new service will apply.

g. TPP Rates

1. Local Distribution Channel

- Per local distribution channel

<u>TPP</u>	<u>USOC</u>	<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u> ^{/1/}	
1 Year ^{/5/}	1LDPJ	\$427.00	\$900.00	(C)
2 Years ^{/3/}	1LDPJ	188.00	668.00	
3 Years ^{/3/}	1LDPJ	150.00	204.00	
5 Years ^{/2/}	1LDPJ	110.00	204.00	

2. Interoffice Channel Mileage

- Rate per V-H mile or fraction thereof, between serving wire centers, or between a serving wire center and digital hub

<u>TPP</u>	<u>USOC</u>	<u>Mileage Band</u>	<u>Monthly Rates</u>		
			<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	
1 Year ^{/5/}	3LBNA	0	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	(C)
	3LBNA	Over 0	263.00	47.00	
2 Years ^{/3/}	3LBNA	0	0.00	0.00	
	3LBNA	Over 0	110.00	24.00	
3 Years ^{/3/}	3LBNA	0	0.00	0.00	
	3LBNA	Over 0	88.00	19.00	
5 Years ^{/2/}	3LBNA	0	0.00	0.00	
	3LBNA	Over 0	55.00	15.00	

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/4/ Material now appears on Sheet 18.1.

/5/ Effective August 29, 2025, customers may not elect a Term Payment Plan of any length, and existing Term Payment Plans of any length will not be renewed or extended. Upon expiration of any Term Payment Plan, month-to-month rates will apply subject to the Company's right to modify such rates upon notice to customer.

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MEGALINK 1.5 HIGH CAPACITY DIGITAL SERVICE (cont'd)**D. Rates and Charges (cont'd)**

5. Term Pricing Plan (cont'd)

g. TPP Rates (cont'd)

4. Central Office Multiplexing

- Per local distribution channel

	Monthly Rates				(C)
	<u>1 Year</u> ^{/4/}	<u>2 Years</u> ^{/2/}	<u>3 Years</u> ^{/2/}	<u>5 Years</u> ^{/1/}	
1.544 Mbps (DS1) to Voice					
- Per arrangement	\$746.00	\$390.00	\$380.00	\$370.00	
1.544 Mbps (DS1) to 64 kbps (DS0)					
- Per arrangement	746.00	390.00	380.00	370.00	
64 kbps (DS0) to Subrate					
- Per arrangement					
Up to twenty 2.4 kbps services	190.00	190.00	190.00	190.00	
Up to ten 4.8 kbps services	190.00	190.00	190.00	190.00	
Up to five 9.6 kbps services	190.00	190.00	190.00	190.00	

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DS3 SERVICE**A. General**

DS3 Service, hereinafter referred to as DS3 service, is an intraLATA dedicated high capacity channel that provides for the simultaneous two-way transmission of serial, bipolar, return-to-zero isochronous digital signals at a transmission speed of 44.736 Mbps. The interface to the customer will be an electrical signal. The channel design, performance and maintenance objectives are specified in Technical Reference Publications TR-INS-000342 and TP-76625.

DS3 service is available within those Local Access and Transport Areas (LATAs) served by and within the service territories of the Company.

The service is available in a point-to-point configuration between:

- Two customer-designated premises
- A customer-designated premises and a Company central office where multiplexing, hubbing or cross-connection functions are performed
- A customer-designated premises and a Company Network Reconfiguration Service (NRS)^{/1/} system location

B. Regulations

1. The regulations and rates specified herein are in addition to the applicable regulations found in other sections of this guidebook.
2. DS3 service is only available under a Term Pricing Plan (TPP) with a 12-month^{/2/} minimum service period for which rates and charges are applicable. When a service is discontinued prior to the expiration of the minimum period, termination charges are applicable for the remaining portion of the minimum period, whether the service is used or not, and will be based on the rates in effect for the service at the time of discontinuance. (See D. 4. following.) (C)
3. Provision of Service
 - a. DS3 service is available only on an intraLATA basis.
 - b. DS3 service is furnished on a full-time basis (24 hours a day, seven days per week).
 - c. DS3 service can only be provided within the same LATA where existing digital facilities and equipment permit. Services between serving wire centers must have digital connectivity between all intermediate offices to have the ability to provide the service. Additional service features may be available only at selected central offices as determined by the Company.
 - d. Customer requests for DS3 service where suitable service components are not available and the Company instructs the requested service components, when certain conditions exist, is considered special construction. The regulations, rates and charges applicable to special construction are found in Part 15, Section 1. Service availability will be negotiated locally.
 - e. When the customer requests a service arrangement which requires the installation of special equipment or modification of standard equipment, and for which provision is not otherwise made in this guidebook, it can be furnished by the Company subject to additional regulations, rates and charges as specified for Specialized Service Arrangements.
 - f. The Company has the service responsibility up to and including the network interface. The Demarcation Point will be provided by the Company as set forth in Bellcore Technical Advisory TA-TSY-000342.

/1/ Effective October 30, 2018, Network Reconfiguration Service (NRS) will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. See Part 20, Section 15.

/2/ Effective August 29, 2025, customers may not elect a Term Payment Plan of any length, and existing Term Payment Plans of any length will not be renewed or extended. Upon expiration of any Term Payment Plan, month-to-month rates will apply subject to the Company's right to modify such rates upon notice to customer. (N)

DS3 SERVICE (cont'd)**D. Rates and Charges**

		Monthly Rate					(C)	
	<u>USOC</u>	<u>1-Year</u> ^{/3/}	<u>2-Year</u> ^{/2/}	<u>3-Year</u> ^{/2/}	<u>5-Year</u> ^{/1/}	<u>Monthly Extension</u>		
1.	Local Distribution Channel							
-	per local distribution channel							
	Zone 1	TZUP1	\$3,553.00	\$1,500.00	\$1,200.00	\$975.00	\$43,044.00	
	Zone 2	TZUP2	3,827.00	1,620.00	1,300.00	1,050.00	46,631.00	
	Zone 3	TZUP3	4,099.00	1,740.00	1,400.00	1,125.00	50,220.00	
2.	Interoffice Channel Mileage							
-	Rate per V-H mile or fraction thereof, per channel							
	Fixed							
	Zone 1	CZ4X1	1,320.00	620.00	550.00	500.00	17,934.00	
	Zone 2	CZ4X2	1,366.00	645.00	575.00	525.00	19,726.00	
	Zone 3	CZ4X3	1,412.00	670.00	600.00	550.00	21,521.00	
	Variable							
	Zone 1	1YZX1	182.00	82.00	70.00	45.00	2,687.00	
	Zone 2	1YZX2	190.00	87.00	75.00	50.00	3,132.00	
	Zone 3	1YZX3	199.00	92.00	80.00	55.00	3,585.00	

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DS3 SERVICE (cont'd)**D. Rates and Charges (cont'd)**

		Monthly Rate					(C)
	<u>USOC</u>	<u>1-Year</u> ^{/4/}	<u>2-Year</u> ^{/3/}	<u>3-Year</u> ^{/3/}	<u>5-Year</u> ^{/1/}	<u>Monthly Extension</u>	
3. Additional Service Features							
Central Office Multiplexing ^{/2/}							
44.736 Mbps (DS3) to 1.544 Mbps (DS1)							
- per arrangement							
Zone 1	QM3X1	725.00	605.00	525.00	475.00	1,000.00	
Zone 2	QM3X2	750.00	630.00	550.00	500.00	1,100.00	
Zone 3	QM3X3	775.00	655.00	575.00	525.00	1,200.00	
		<u>USOC</u>		<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>		
SecureNet®							
- per Local Distribution Channel		P7T		\$0.00	\$0.00		
		<u>USOC</u>		<u>First Circuit</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge Additional Circuit</u>		
Rollover							
MegaLink 1.5 to DS3 service							
- per service, per order		NR9QB		\$0.00	\$0.00		

/1/ As of October 1, 2013, Term Pricing Plan terms greater than 36 months are no longer available for new or renewing subscribers.

/2/ For rates and charges for MegaLink 1.5 High Capacity Digital Service used in conjunction with this multiplexing arrangement, refer to MegaLink 1.5 High Capacity Digital Service.

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DS3 SERVICE (cont'd)**D. Rates and Charges (cont'd)**

4. Nonrecurring Charges

	<u>USOC</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	
Administrative Charge - per order			(C)
Zone 1	NRBA1	\$125.00	
Zone 2	NRBA2	125.00	
Zone 3	NRBA3	125.00	
Design and Central Office Connection Charge - per circuit			(C)
Zone 1	NRBD1	500.00	
Zone 2	NRBD2	500.00	
Zone 3	NRBD3	500.00	
Customer Connection Charge - per termination			(C)
Zone 1	NRBB1	750.00	
Zone 2	NRBB2	750.00	
Zone 3	NRBB3	750.00	

5. Rate Zones

All wire centers in the state of Kansas have been assigned a rate zone. The following table lists all wire centers classified as either Zone 1 or Zone 2. All wire centers not listed are classified as Zone 3.

Zone 1	----- Zone 2-----	
KSCYKSCB	DDCYKS01	KSCYKSOL
KSCYKSLE	EMPRKS08	KSCYMO55
TPKAKSJA	HAYSKS11	LWRNKSVE
WCHTKSAM	HTSNKS02	MNHTKSFA
	KSCYKS10	PRSSKSWA
	KSCYKSJO	SALNKSTA
	KSCYKSNA	

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DS3 SERVICE (cont'd)**D. Rates and Charges (cont'd)**

6. Term Pricing Plan (TPP)

- a. DS3 service TPP provides the customer with discounted rates. The TPP provides for one-^{/3/}, two-^{/2/}, three-^{/2/} or five-year^{/1/} rates. During the length of the selected TPP, monthly prices for service ordered under the plan will automatically change (increase or decrease) as Company-initiated price changes become effective. However, under no circumstances will any price change cause the monthly price for the service to exceed the price that was in effect at the beginning of the selected TPP term. The Company will notify customers participating in a TPP when monthly rates are changed. (C)

- b. The customer may choose to terminate an existing TPP before the end of the one-^{/3/}, two-^{/2/}, three-^{/2/} or five-year^{/1/} period and negotiate a new TPP. The new TPP must be based upon the rates that are currently in effect and available to all customers, and must be of equal or greater duration than the existing TPP. (C)

If during the duration of the TPP, the customer wishes to rearrange or move a Local Distribution Channel location, no termination charge will apply. However, the nonrecurring charges will apply.

- c. If the customer elects not to renew the TPP, or does not notify the Company of the customer's intent to renew the TPP, the service will automatically be billed under the monthly extension rates in effect at the time the TPP expires.
- d. Any special construction charges incurred for services billed under a TPP will be applicable as provided for in Part 15, Section 1.
- e. If a customer cancels a Service Order or terminates service before the completion of the term for any reason whatsoever other than a service interruption (as defined in B. 4. preceding) or as a result of a re-negotiation, the customer agrees to pay the Company termination liability charges, which are defined below. These charges shall become due and owing as of the effective date of the cancellation or termination and be payable within the period set forth in 'Rules and Regulations Applying to All Customers' Contracts' in Part 2, Section 2, *Payment for Service*. Payment of the termination charge does not release the customer from other previous amounts owed to the Company.

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DS3 SERVICE (cont'd)**D. Rates and Charges (cont'd)**

6. Term Pricing Plan (TPP)

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If the customer terminates the Term Pricing Plan agreement prior to the expiration of the one^{/4/}, two^{/3/}, three^{/3/}, or five^{/1/} year TPP, the customer shall pay a termination charge. Payment of the termination charge does not release the customer from other previous amounts owed to the Company.

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The termination charge for all service terms will be calculated as follows:

For service terms that become effective on or after October 1, 2004:

- All unpaid Special Construction or Nonrecurring Charges (excluding any waived charges); plus
- Fifty percent (50%) of all recurring charges for the remaining months of the customer's term.

For service terms in effect prior to October 1, 2004:

Customer termination liability for cancellation of a DS3 Service shall be equal to the lesser of:

- The difference between the total rates and charges of the completed months of the original service term at the time of termination and the total rates and charges for the next lower service term^{/2/} actually completed, plus interest charges based on the current discount rate as specified in 'Rules and Regulations Applying to All Customers' Contracts' in Part 2, Section 2, or
- The monthly payments remaining on the service term.

Example: If the customer completes 37 months of a 60-month service term, the first calculation of a termination charge will equal the difference between 37 months of rates and charges at the 60-month service term and 37 months of rates and charges at the 36-month service term (which is the next lower service term actually completed), plus interest at the current discount rate in effect at the time of termination. The second calculation will be the sum of the twenty-three remaining monthly payments on the 60-month service term. The termination charge is the lesser of the two calculations.

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