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A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

A3.20 Trunk Lines (Cont'd)

A3.20.2 Residence (Cont'd)

A. Trunks (Cont'd)

3. (Obsoleted, See Section A103)

A3.20.3 Business (Commercial, Hotel, Hospital, and Shared Tenant Service Provider)

A. Flat Rate

	Monthly Rate	USOC	
1. Trunks, each			
(a) Inward only, Both-way or Outward only			
Rate Group 1	\$140.00	TFN	(1)
Rate Group 2	140.00	TFN	(1)
Rate Group 3	140.00	TFN	(1)
Rate Group 4	140.00	TFN	(1)
Rate Group 5	140.00	TFN	(1)
The following exchanges are exceptions to the statewide group.			
Cedar Grove (Rate Group 1C)	140.00	TFN	(1)
Lyles (Rate Group 2B)	140.00	TFN	(1)
Big Sandy (Rate Group 2C)	140.00	TFN	(1)
Summertown (Rate Group 2D)	140.00	TFN	(1)
Bulls Gap (Rate Group 3B)	140.00	TFN	(1)
(b) Both-way or Outward only (Same as Inward Only Flat Trunk Rate)	-	TFC	
(c) DID (Direct In-Dial) (Same as Inward Only Flat Trunk Rate)	-	TDD1X	
(d) DID Combination ¹			
Rate Group 1	280.00	TDDCX	(1)
Rate Group 2	280.00	TDDCX	(1)
Rate Group 3	280.00	TDDCX	(1)
Rate Group 4	280.00	TDDCX	(1)
Rate Group 5	280.00	TDDCX	(1)

Note 1: DID Combination Trunks are only provisioned from 5ESS switches in conjunction with the Call Transfer feature located in A12.7.2A.

A12. CENTRAL OFFICE NON-TRANSPORT SERVICE OFFERINGS

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

A12.7.2 Rates And Charges

A. Direct Inward Dialing (DID) Charges

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate	USOC	
1. Group of 20 Working or Reserved DID Numbers ¹				
(a) Working Numbers, each	\$ 55.00	\$19.00	ND4	(1)
(b) Reserved Numbers, each	55.00	19.00	NDV	(1)
2. DID Trunk Termination in Central Office				
(a) Each, Inward Only Trunk ²	50.00	76.00	NDT	(1)
(b) Each, Combination Trunk with Call Transfer ^{2,3}	250.00	96.00	NCT	(1)
3. Multi-frequency (MF) Pulsing Option ⁴				
(a) Each Trunk	-	37.00	S5MBD	(1)
4. Dual Tone Multi-frequency (DTMF) Option ⁷				
(a) Each Trunk	-	37.00	S5DBD	(1)
5. Automatic Intercept Service ⁵				
(a) per number referred	16.00	-	ND1	
6. Non-Consecutive DID Numbers ¹				
(a) Each	1.25	3.00	ND5	(1)
7. Reserved Non-Consecutive DID Numbers ¹				
(a) Each	1.25	3.00	ND6	(1)

Note 1: The installation charge in A12.7.2.A.1.(a) applies for the establishment of the first group of Non-Consecutive DID numbers where the customer does not currently have DID service. It also applies for the first group of Reserved Numbers or the first Reserved Non-Consecutive DID number where the customer does not currently have DID service or Non-Consecutive DID numbers.

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

Note 3: Combination DID Trunk Terminations with the Call Transfer feature are only provisioned where facilities permit.

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

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

A13. MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

A13.55 Reserved For Future Use

A13.56 Hot Line Service

This service receives promotional pricing treatment as described in A2.3.26.

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 line in the circuit switched network. When the customer's instrument goes off-hook, a switched connection is set up without any further action.
- 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 normal service and monthly charges for individual line service found in Sections A3 and A4, respectively.

- 1. Per Line Equipped

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

(1)

A43. CHANNELIZED VOICE TRANSPORT SERVICES

A43.1 BellSouth Channelized Trunks (Cont'd)

A43.1.3 Application of Rates (Cont'd)

P. Superframe and Extended Superframe Format

Charges for Superframe and Extended Superframe Format are applicable only to additions or changes in line coding and formatting configurations subsequent to the initial installation of an existing BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line and/or Interoffice Facility.

A43.1.4 Rates and Charges

	Nonrecurring Charge	Month to Month	24 to 48 ² Months	49 to 72 ² Months	73 to 96 ² Months	USOC	
A. 1.544 Mbps Access Line							
1. Each Access Line Provisioned							
(a) First 1/2 Mile	\$350.00	\$ 223.00	\$ 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	210.00	189.00	171.00	154.00	BCTS1	
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 BellSouth 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 paragraph 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. Number

- 1. Each Number Activated

	Monthly Rate	USOC	
(a) DID Number	\$3.00	BCT1T	(1)
(b) Combination Number	3.00	BCT2T	(1)
(c) Outward Only 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)	-	MCOSF
(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 paragraph A43.1.3.G. 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 paragraph J 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) MegaLink Channel Service customer converting to BellSouth Channelized Trunks (Provisional USOC)	-	BCTCV
(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 paragraph J. 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.

	Nonrecurring Charge	USOC
1. Service Change and/or Inside Move		
(a) Each BellSouth Channelized Trunks 1.544 Mbps Access Line Provisioned	\$325.00	BCTMV
2. Transfer of Responsibility		
(a) Each Transfer	25.00	BCTTR
3. Premises Visit Charge		
(a) Each Visit	40.00	BCTPV

A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERING - BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

A103.38 Back-Up Line (Cont'd)

A103.38.1 Terms, Conditions and Rates (Cont'd)

G. The access line rate per Back-Up Line is as follows:

	Monthly Rate	USOC	
1. Back-Up Line associated with RegionServ business individual line service.			
(a) Per line			
Rate Group 1	\$120.00	SBL LX	(1)
Rate Group 2	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
Rate Group 3	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
Rate Group 4	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
Rate Group 5	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
The following exchanges are exceptions to the statewide group.			
Cedar Grove (Rate Group 1C)	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
Lyles (Rate Group 2B)	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
Big Sandy (Rate Group 2C)	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
Summertown (Rate Group 2D)	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
Bulls Gap (Rate Group 3B)	120.00	SBL LX	(1)
2. Back-Up Line associated with individual line BellSouth Business Plus service.			
(a) Per Back-Up line with BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 1 Primary line	120.00	SBL L1	(1)
(b) Per Back-Up line with BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 2 Primary line	120.00	SBL L2	(1)
3. Back-Up Line associated with all other business individual line service.			
(a) Per line			
Rate Group 1	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
Rate Group 2	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
Rate Group 3	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
Rate Group 4	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
Rate Group 5	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
The following exchanges are exceptions to the statewide group.			
Cedar Grove (Rate Group 1C)	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
Lyles (Rate Group 2B)	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
Big Sandy (Rate Group 2C)	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
Summertown (Rate Group 2D)	120.00	SBL FX	(1)
Bulls Gap (Rate Group 3B)	120.00	SBL FX	(1)

H. The following usage charges apply to all inward calls which terminate on Back-Up Line service. Time of day discounts do not apply.

1. Inward Calls

	Rate Per Minute Of Use	USOC
(a) Usage Charge	\$.05	NA

A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

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

A103.43.1 Plan Descriptions (Cont'd)

- A. BellSouth Business Plus Service (Cont'd)
 - 5. Customers may subscribe to either the standalone BellSouth Business Plus service offering or to the BellSouth Business Choice Package (See A3.44) which includes a BellSouth Business Plus service line or to the Complete Choice for Business Package (See A3.45) which includes a BellSouth Business Plus service line. If BellSouth Business Plus service is subscribed to, the rates of A3.43.2 are applicable. If BellSouth Business Choice Package or Complete Choice for Business package is subscribed to, the rates of A3.44.2 2 or A3.45.2, respectively, are applicable. All of the terms, conditions and limitations specified for each offering will apply to the respective services and features.
 - 6. Usage rating is dependent upon the underlying service of the originating call location. When BellSouth Business Plus service usage charges as described in paragraph 2 are applicable, they will also apply to 1+, 0+ and 0- calls made within the LATA. However, for 0+ and 0- calls, usage does not contribute toward the Option 1 usage threshold and each minute of use is rated. The appropriate operator services surcharges will also be charged in accordance with the terms and conditions of A.3.14.
 - 7. BellSouth Business Plus service Option 2 customers only may subscribe to Local Usage Detail for billable usage. There is no charge for the Local Usage Detail.
 - 8. Method of Determining Monthly Usage Charges
 - a. Usage is determined for each call based on minutes or fraction thereof, with a minimum call duration of one minute. This value is then multiplied by the rate per minute for the rate option selected by the customer. The resultant amount is truncated to whole cents for each call. The amount of usage billed to the customer is subject to paragraphs b. and c.
 - b. For Option 1, only usage above the first 120 hours (7,200 minutes) of usage allowance is billed to the customer.
 - c. For Option 2, only usage outside the Local Calling Area is subject to the billing as described in paragraph a.

A103.43.2 Exchange Access Line Rates

A. Individual Line Service

	Monthly Rate	Rate Per Minute of Use	USOC	
1. BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 1				
(a) Each line	\$132.00	-	BT1	(1)
(b) Each Minute of use above 120 hours (7,200 minutes)	-	\$.05	-	
2. BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 2				
(a) Each line	108.00	-	BT2	(1)
(b) Each Minute of use outside the Local Calling Area	-	.09	-	

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 Complete Choice for Business package.

Note 1: For a list of all exchanges in each LATA, see A3.6.3.

A113. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

- A113.40 Reserved For Future Use**
- A113.41 Reserved For Future Use**
- A113.42 Reserved For Future Use**
- A113.43 Reserved For Future Use**
- A113.44 Reserved For Future Use**
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- 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 a time delayed automatic dialing capability. If the customer with this service goes off-hook and initiates dialing within the time delay period, the call will proceed normally as dialed. If dialing does not commence within the time delay period (0-20 seconds), a preprogrammed number is automatically dialed. The preprogrammed 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 normal service and monthly charges for individual line service found in Sections A3 and A4, respectively.
 - 1. Per Line Equipped

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

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