
SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (cont'd)

3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)

B) Tandem Transport

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Tandem-Switched Transport provides Switched Transport that is switched through a tandem switch, between the customer's serving wire center and the end offices subtending the tandem. Tandem Switched Transport is also available between an access tandem and end offices subtending that tandem. Tandem-Switched Transport consists of circuits dedicated to the use of a single customer from the serving wire center to the tandem and circuits used in common by multiple customers from the tandem to the end office.

Tandem-Switched Transport is composed of the following usage sensitive rate elements:

- The Tandem-Switched Termination element includes the non-distance sensitive portion of Switched Transport, and is assessed on a per access minute of use basis.
- The Tandem-Switched Facility element includes the distance sensitive portion of Switched Transport and is assessed on a per access minute of use per mile basis.
- The Tandem Switching element includes the access tandem switching associated with Tandem-Switched Transport traffic and is assessed per access minute switched through the tandem.

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4) Interconnection Charge

The Interconnection Charge provides for interconnection with the Company's Switched Access network. This rate element will be applied to all switched access calls that originate or terminate at a Company end office.

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3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)

C) End Office – Local Switching

The End Office rate category provides the local end office switching and end user termination functions necessary to complete the transmission of switched access communications to and from the end users served by the Company's end office. The Local Switching rate element provides for:

- a) the use of end office switching equipment;
- b) the terminations for the end user common lines terminating in the local end office; and
- c) the termination of a call at a Company intercept operator or recording. The operator or recording tells a caller why a call, as dialed, could not be completed, and if possible, provides the correct number. Intercept rates are assessed to a Customer based on the total number of access minutes.

D) Dedicated End Office Trunk Port Service

The Dedicated End Office Trunk Port Service provides for termination of dedicated transport trunk facilities at the end office switch. This service is required with dedicated transport to an end office and is available on a dedicated DSO/VG trunk port basis and on a dedicated DS1 trunk port basis. These elements apply per each dedicated DSO/VG and each DS1 transport facility terminated at an end office.

E) Shared End Office Trunk Port

The Shared End Office Trunk Port used by multiple customers provides for the termination of common transport trunks in common end office trunk ports in conjunction with tandem routed traffic. The Common Trunk Port rate is assessed on a usage sensitive basis on tandem routed switched access.

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SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (cont'd)3.1 Access Services (cont'd)3.1.3 Other Rate CategoriesA) Toll Free Data Base Access Service

Toll Free Data Base Access Service is a service offering that utilizes originating trunk side Switched Access Service to deliver Toll Free calls to the Company's Interexchange Carrier Customers. The service provides for the forwarding of end user dialed Toll Free calls to a Company Service Switching Point which will initiate a query to the database to perform the Customer identification and delivery function. The call is forwarded to the appropriate Interexchange Carrier Customer based on the dialed Toll-Free number. Records exchange, rating and billing for Toll Free Data Base Access Service is subject to the provisions of the Multiple Exchange Carrier Access Billing Guidelines (MECAB).

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(1) Customer Identification Charge

The Toll Free Data Base Access Service Customer Identification Charge applies for the identification of the appropriate Interexchange Carrier Customer. The charge is assessed to the Customer on a per query basis and may include an area of service which may range from a single NPA/NXX to an area consisting of all LATAs and NPAs in the State of Ohio.

(2) Customer Delivery Charge

The Toll Free Data Base Access Service Delivery Charge applies for the delivery of the dialed Toll-Free ten-digit number. The charge is assessed to the Interexchange Carrier Customer on a per query basis and may include an area of service which may range from a single NPA/NXX to an area consisting of all LATAs and NPAs in the State of Ohio.

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3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

3.1.3 Other Rate Categories (cont'd)

A) Toll Free Data Base Access Service (cont'd)

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SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (cont'd)

3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

3.1.3 Other Rate Categories (cont'd)

B) Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service

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Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service is an access service in which the Company transports Toll Free traffic originated by a third party who is not an end user or other user of the Company's local exchange or exchange access service through its wire center to an Interexchange Customer. It provides for the use of the Tandem Switching, Tandem Termination, and Tandem Transport facilities of the Company. In a Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service call, the Company will not charge Carrier Common Line, Local End Office Switching, or End Office Port charges. The rates for Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service set forth below are usage sensitive. Records exchange, rating, and billing for Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service is subject to the provisions of the Multiple Exchange Carrier Access Billing Guidelines (MECAB).

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RATES (cont'd)

3.1 Access Service (cont'd)

3.1.3(A) Toll Free Data Base Access Service

	<u>Rate</u>	
1. Customer Identification -Per Query	\$0.001037	[R]
2. Customer Delivery Charge -Per Query	\$0.001350	[R]

(B) Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service [C]

	<u>Rate</u>	
Tandem Switching	\$0.000124	 [C]
Tandem Transport Termination	\$0.0000794	
Tandem Transport Per Min Per Mile	\$0.0000133	

3.2 Miscellaneous Services

3.2.1 Presubscription

	Non-Recurring Charge	
Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk		
Manual Charge	\$5.50	[C]
Electronic Charge	\$1.25	[C]

*When both the intralata and interlata PIC are changed simultaneously, [N]
50% of the intralata charge will be waived. [N]

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RATES (cont'd)3.1 Access Service (cont'd)3) Tandem Transport

Termination (Per Min. of Use/Termination)	\$0.000000 [R]
Facility (Per Min. of Use/Mile)	\$0.000000 [R]
Tandem Switching (Per Min. of Use)	\$0.001033
Tandem Interconnection Charge (Per Min. of Use)	\$0.000000

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