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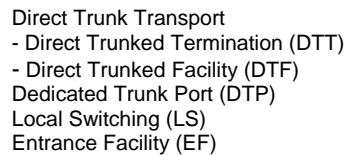
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6.1.3 Rate Categories (Cont'd)

DEDICATED TRUNK SIDE SERVICES



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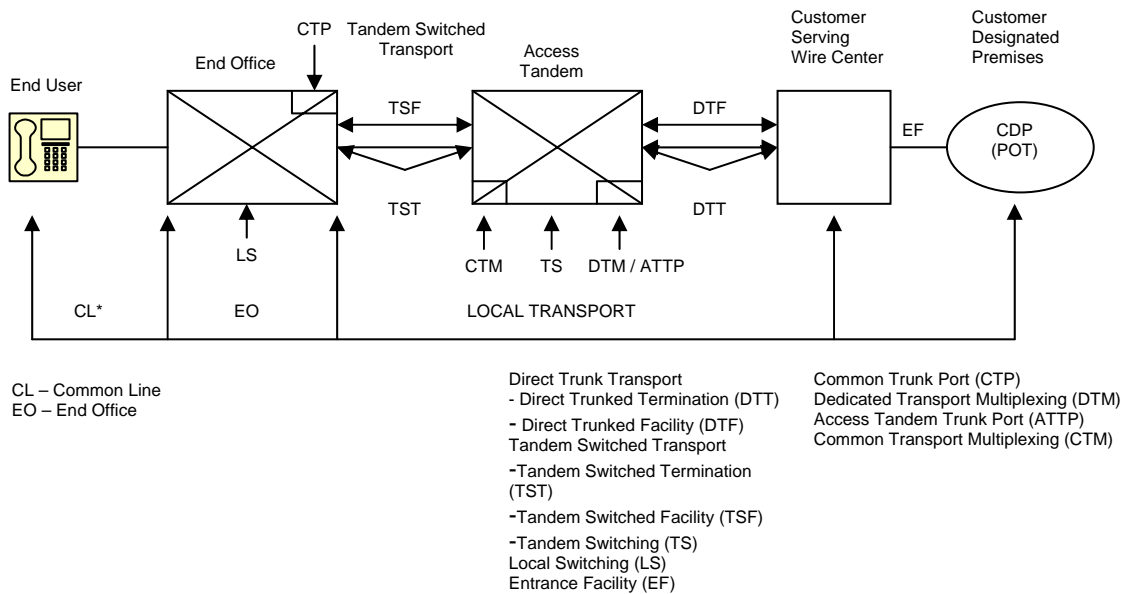
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6.1 General (Cont'd)

6.1.3 Rate Categories (Cont'd)

TANDEM SWITCHED TRUNK SIDE SERVICES



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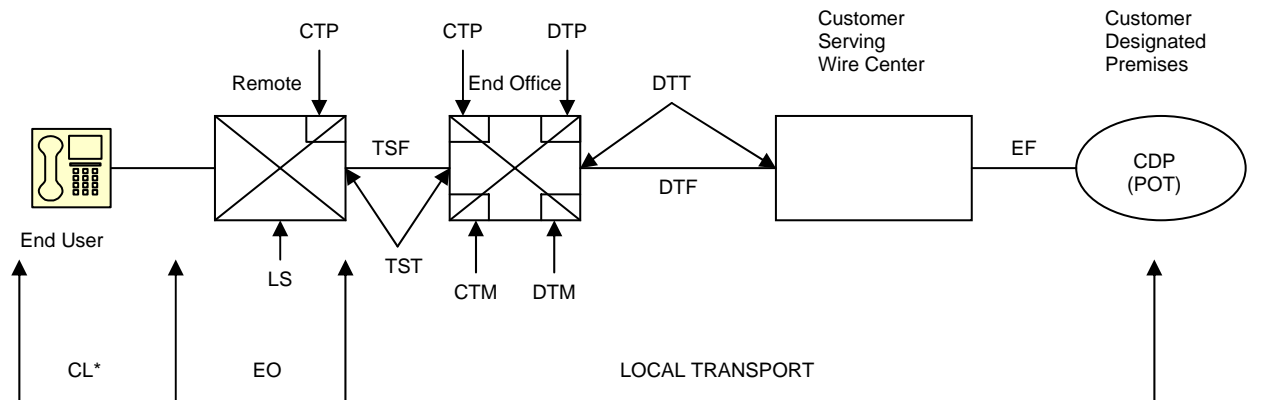
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6.1 General (Cont'd)

6.1.3 Rate Categories (Cont'd)

DIRECT TRUNKED HOST-REMOTE ARRANGEMENTS



CL – Common Line
EO – End Office

Direct Trunk Transport
- Direct Trunked Termination (DTT)
- Direct Trunked Facility (DTF)
Tandem Switched Transport
- Tandem Switched Termination (TST)
- Tandem Switched Facility (TSF)
Local Switching (LS)
Entrance Facility (EF)

Dedicated Trunk Port (DTP)
Common Trunk Port (CTP)
Dedicated Transport Multiplexing (DTM)
Common Transport Multiplexing (CTM)

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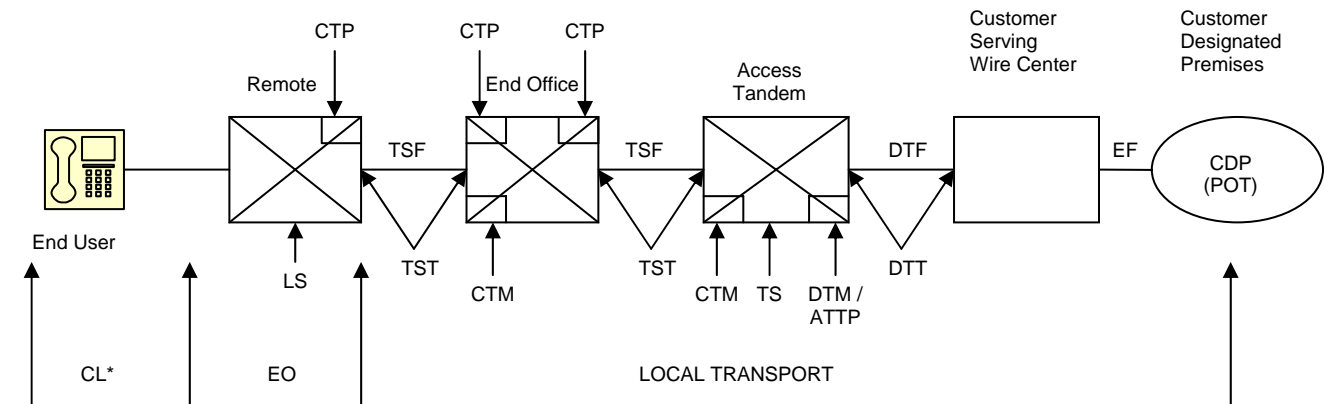
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6.1 General (Cont'd)

6.1.3 Rate Categories (Cont'd)

TANDEM SWITCHED HOST-REMOTE ARRANGEMENTS



CL – Common Line
EO – End Office

Direct Trunk Transport

- Direct Trunked Termination (DTT)

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Tandem Switched Transport

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Dedicated Trunk Port (DTP)

Common Trunk Port (CTP)

Dedicated Transport Multiplexing

(DTM)

Access Tandem Trunk Port (ATTP)

Common Transport Multiplexing (CTM)

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6. Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

6.1 General (Cont'd)

6.1.3 Rate Categories (Cont'd)

(A) Local Transport (Cont'd)

(3) Tandem Switched Transport (Cont'd)

The Tandem Switching rate recovers a portion of the costs of switching traffic through an access tandem. The Tandem Switching rate specified in 17.2.2 and 18.2.2 following is applied on a per access minute per tandem basis for all originating and all terminating minutes of use switched at the tandem. Tandem locations are identified in NAT

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F.C.C. NO. 4, WIRE CENTER INFORMATION.

The Tandem Switched Facility rate recovers a portion of the costs of the transmission facilities, including intermediate transmission circuit equipment, between the end points of the interoffice circuits. The Tandem Switched Facility rate specified in 17.2.2 and 18.2.2 following is applied on a per access minute per mile basis for all originating and terminating minutes of use routed over the facility.

The Tandem Switched Termination rate recovers a portion of the costs of the circuit equipment that is necessary for the termination of each end of the Tandem Switched Facility. The Tandem Switched Termination rate specified in 17.2.2 and 18.2.2 following is applied on a per access minute basis (for all originating and terminating minutes of use routed over the facility) at each end of each segment of a Tandem Switched Facility (e.g., at the end office, Feature Group A dial tone office, host office, and the access tandem). When the Tandem Switched Facility mileage is zero, neither the Tandem Switched Facility rate nor the Tandem Switched Termination rate will apply.

The Tandem-Switched multiplexing charge recovers the cost of multiplexing equipment on the end office side of the tandem switch and the trunk side of the end office. The Tandem-Switched Multiplexing charge specified in 17.2.2 following is a per-minute charge assessed to the customer purchasing common transport on the end office-to-tandem link.

Charges for Tandem Direct Trunk Ports, located on the serving wire center side of the Access Tandem, recover costs to terminate direct Trunks. Tandem Direct Trunk Ports are a flat-rate monthly charge as specified in 17.2.2 following assessed to the customer purchasing the dedicated trunk terminated at that port.

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6. Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

6.1 General (Cont'd)

6.1.3 Rate Categories (Cont'd)

(B) End Office (Cont'd)

(1) Local Switching (Cont'd)

(d) Intercept

The Intercept function provides for the termination of a call at a Telephone 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.

(2) Information Surcharge

Information Surcharge rates are assessed to a customer based on the total number of access minutes. Information Surcharge rates are as set forth in 17.2.3(B) and 18.2.3(B) following. The application of these rates with respect to individual Feature Groups is as set forth in 6.4.1(C) following.

The number of end office switching transmission paths will be determined as set forth in 6.2.5 following.

(3) End Office Direct Trunk Port

Charges for End Office Direct Trunk Ports, located on the trunk side of the end office, recovers costs to terminate direct trunks. End Office Direct Trunk Ports are a flat-rate monthly charge as specified in 17.2.3 following assessed to the customer purchasing the dedicated trunk terminated at the port.

(4) End Office Common Trunk Port

Charges for DS-1 End Office Common Trunk Ports, located on the trunk side of the end office, recover costs to terminate common trunks. End Office Common Trunk Ports are per minute-of-use charge as specified in 17.2.3 following assessed to the customer of common transport trunks terminating at these ports.

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17. Rates and Charges – Consolidated Communications of Texas (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

17.2.2 Local Transport

Rate

(A) Entrance Facility, Per Termination

(1)	Voice Grade Two Wire	\$ 25.35
(2)	Voice Grade Four Wire	\$ 28.99
(3)	High Capacity DS1	\$ 75.06
(4)	High Capacity DS3	\$1,041.99
(5)	Optical Carrier Service - OC3	\$2,620.00
(6)	Optical Carrier Service - OC12	\$5,764.00

(B) Direct-Trunked Transport

(1) Direct-Trunked Facility, Per Mile

(a)	Voice Grade	\$ 0.98
(b)	High Capacity DS1	\$ 13.78
(c)	High Capacity DS3	\$ 110.77
(d)	OCS -- OC3	\$174.00
(e)	OCS -- OC12	\$348.00

(2) Direct-Trunked Termination, per termination

(a)	Voice Grade	\$4.13	
(b)	High Capacity DS1	\$11.81	(R)
(c)	High Capacity DS3	\$107.85	
(d)	OCS -- OC3	\$556.00	
(e)	OCS -- OC12	\$1,224.00	

(C) Tandem Switched Transport

(1) Tandem Switched Facility
Per Access Minute Per Mile

\$0.000160

(2) Tandem Switched Termination
Per Access Minute Per Termination

\$0.000314

(R)

(D) Tandem Switching
Per Access Minute Per Tandem

\$0.000680

(E) Tandem Switched Multiplexing
Common Multiplexing
- per minute charge

\$0.000069

(N)

(F) Access Tandem Trunk Ports
DS1 Access Tandem Trunk Ports
- per month

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(N)

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17. Rates and Charges – Consolidated Communications of Texas (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

17.2.3 End Office	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Section Reference</u>	
(A) Local Switching			
(1) Premium			
- Per Access Minute	\$0.001724	6.1.3(B)(1)	(R)
(2) Non-Premium			
- Per Access Minute	\$0.000812	6.1.3(B)(1)	
(3) Common Trunk Port			(N)
- Per Access Minute	\$ 0.000074	6.1.3(B)(4)	
(4) DS-1 Dedicated Trunk Port			
- Per Month	\$1.03	6.1.3.(B)(3)	(N)
(B) Information Surcharge			
(1) Premium Per 100 Access Minutes	\$0.080694	6.1.3(B)(2)	
(2) Non-Premium Per 100 Access Minutes	\$0.0421	6.1.3(B)(2)	

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18. Rates and Charges - Consolidated Communications of Fort Bend (Cont'd)

18.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

18.2.2 Local Transport

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Section
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(A) Premium Access

(1) Entrance Facility
Per Termination

6.1.3(A)(1)

-	Voice Grade Two Wire	\$ 19.02
-	Voice Grade Four Wire	\$ 32.73
-	High Capacity DS1	\$ 159.29
-	High Capacity DS3	\$1558.06
-	OCS -- OC3	\$2,620.00
-	OCS -- OC12	\$5,764.00

(2) Direct Trunked Transport
Direct Trunked Facility Per Mile

6.1.3(A)(2)

-	Voice Grade	\$ 0.20
-	High Capacity DS1	\$ 1.96
-	High Capacity DS3	\$ 17.68
-	OCS -- OC3	\$174.00
-	OCS -- OC12	\$348.00

(3) Direct Trunked Termination
Per Termination

-	Voice Grade	\$ 1.51
-	High Capacity DS1	\$ 4.19
-	High Capacity DS3	\$ 44.97
-	OCS -- OC3	\$556.00
-	OCS -- OC12	\$1,224.00

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18. Rates and Charges - Consolidated Communications of Fort Bend (CCFB) (Cont'd)

18.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

18.2.2 Local Transport (Cont'd)

Rate

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Section
Reference

(A) Premium Access (Cont'd)

(4) Multiplexing

6.1.3(A)(5)

(a) Multiplexing, Per Arrangement

- DS1 to Voice \$ 30.30
- DS3 to DS1 \$ 78.46
- OC3 to DS3 \$1,400.00
- OC12 to OC3
or DS3 \$3,000.00

(b) Multiplexing, Per Port

- Voice Grade N/A
- DS1 \$ 80.00
- DS3 \$ 135.00
- OC3 \$ 225.00

(5) Tandem Switched Transport

6.1.3(A)(3)

- Tandem Switched Facility Per Access
Minute Per Mile \$0.000110
- Tandem Switched Termination
Per Access Minute
Per Termination \$0.000571
- Tandem Switching Per Access Minute
Per Tandem \$0.000500

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(6) Tandem Switched Multiplexing
Common Multiplexing

- per minute charge \$0.000050

(N)

(7) Access Tandem Trunk Ports

- DS1 Access Tandem Trunk Ports
per month \$0.95

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18. Rates and Charges - Fort Bend Telephone Company (Cont'd)

18.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

18.2.2 Local Transport (Cont'd)

(B)	Network Blocking Per Blocked Call			(M)
-	Applies to FGD only	\$0.0157	6.8.6	
(C)	800 Series Data Base Access Service Queries Per Query		6.1.3(A)(6)	
-	Basic	\$0.000703		
-	Vertical Feature	\$0.000782		(M)

(D) Service Provider Number Portability (SPNP) Service

Regulations concerning SPNP are set forth in Section 6.10.2.

Monthly Rate			
		<u>Per Query</u>	
(1)	SPNP Query - Prearranged, Per Query		
-	End Office	\$0.002723	
-	Tandem Office	\$0.002723	
(2)	SPNP Query - Default, Per Query		
-	End Office	\$0.002723	
-	Tandem Office	\$0.002723	
(3)	Reserved for Future Use		
		<u>Monthly Rate</u> <u>Per Line</u>	
(4)	SPNP Surcharge* Per access line or equivalent	\$0.62	

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18.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

18.2.3 End Office	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>	
(A) Local Switching			
(1) Premium Per Access Minute	\$0.00083123	6.1.3(B)(1)	(R)
(2) Non-Premium Per Access Minute	\$0.000388	6.1.3(B)(1)	
(B) Information Surcharge			
(1) Premium Per 100 Access Minutes	\$0.07252318	6.1.3(B)(2)	
(2) Non-Premium Per 100 Access Minutes	\$0.044814	6.1.3(B)(2)	
(C) Common Trunk Port			(N)
- Per Access Minute	\$0.000036	6.1.3(B)(4)	
(D) DS-1 Dedicated Trunk Port			
- Per Month	\$0.42	6.1.3(B)(3)	(N)

18.2.4 Reserved for future use.

18.2.5 Reserved for future use.