

**ACCESS SERVICE**

---

5. Ordering Regulations (Cont'd)

5.4 Access Order Modifications (Cont'd)

5.4.3 Design Change Charge

The customer may request a design change to the service ordered. A design change is any change to an Access Order which requires engineering review by Telephone Company personnel to determine what, if any, changes are necessary in the design of the service ordered to implement the changes requested by the customer.

The Telephone Company will review the requested change, notify the customer whether the change constitutes a design change, if it can be accommodated and if a new service date is required. If the customer authorizes the Telephone Company to proceed with the design change, a Design Change Charge will apply on a per order, per occurrence basis, for each order requiring a design change.

If a change of service date is required, the Order Modification Charge as set forth in Section 5.4 preceding will also apply.

- (A) Design changes include such things as the addition or deletion of optional features or functions or a change in the type of Transport Termination (Switched Access only), type of channel interface, type of Interface Group or technical specification package.

The Design Change Charge applies on a per order, per occurrence basis for each design change, as follows:

	<u>Charge</u>	
Design Change Charge	\$9,132.86	(C)

- (B) Design changes do not include a change of customer premises, end user premises, or Special Access Service channel type. Changes of this Nature will require the issuance of a new order and the cancellation of the original order with appropriate cancellation charges applied.

ACCESS SERVICE

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service

(A) Standard Channel Termination

Per point of termination

		<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	
DS1 (1.544 Mbps) Month to Month #	All Zones Grandfathered Market	\$50,525.18	\$203,661.53 Not Available	(C)
1 YR-OPP Plan # DS1 (1.544 Mbps)	All Zones Grandfathered Market	Not Available	Not Available Not Available	
3 YR-OPP Plan # DS1 (1.544 Mbps)	All Zones Grandfathered Market	Not Available	Not Available Not Available	
5 YR-OPP Plan # DS1 (1.544 Mbps)	All Zones Grandfathered Market	\$15,808.78	\$203,661.53 Not Available	(C)
Disconnect Non-Recurring Charge – per Circuit			\$975.00	
- Re-termination to Expanded Interconnection DS1 cross-connect	N/A		\$67,059.29	(C)
- Grandfathered Market			Not Available	

# Effective November 19, 2021, Optional Payment Plans (OPPs) are no longer permitted. Optional Payment Plans in effect as of November 19, 2021 may continue the existing term but will not be eligible to extend, renew, reenroll in, convert to a new term period, or in any other way continue their existing plan beyond its current expiration. At expiration of the term the service will convert to the Month to Month Rate. If at any time an existing customer terminates its Optional Payment Plan, the customer may not re-subscribe to the plan.

ACCESS SERVICE

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(A) Standard Channel Termination (Cont'd)

Per point of termination

		<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	
<u>Month to Month Service</u>				
Fractional DS1 (128 Kbps)	All Zones	\$34,062.07	\$212,886.74	(C)
	Grandfathered Market		Not Available	
Fractional DS1 (256 Kbps)	All Zones	\$36,900.41	\$212,886.74	(C)
	Grandfathered Market		Not Available	
Fractional DS1 (384 Kbps)	All Zones	\$39,739.05	\$212,886.74	(C)
	Grandfathered Market		Not Available	
Fractional DS1 (512 Kbps)	All Zones	\$39,739.05	\$212,886.74	(C)
	Grandfathered Market		Not Available	
Fractional DS1 (768 Kbps)	All zones	\$39,739.05	\$212,886.74	(C)
	Grandfathered Market		Not Available	
Disconnect Non-Recurring Charge – per Circuit		\$975.00		

**ACCESS SERVICE**

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(B) Channel Mileage

DS1 (1.544 Mbps) All Zones				
<u>Mileage Bands</u>	<u>Month to Month Rate</u>		<u>1 YR OPP #</u>	
	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>
0	None	None	None	None
Over 0	\$24,127.42	\$6,244.76	Not Available	Not Available

  

DS1 (1.544 Mbps) All Zones				
<u>Mileage Bands</u>	<u>3 YR OPP #</u>		<u>5 YR OPP #</u>	
	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>
0	None	None	None	None
Over 0	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

	<u>Mileage Bands</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	
		<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>
Fractional DS1 (128 Kbps)			
All Zones	0	None	None
	Over 0	\$21,288.87	\$2,697.98
Fractional DS1 (256 Kbps)			
All Zones	0	None	None
	Over 0	\$21,288.87	\$3,776.52

Disconnect Non-Recurring Charge – per Circuit      \$975.00

# Effective November 19, 2021, Optional Payment Plans (OPPs) are no longer permitted. Optional Payment Plans in effect as of November 19, 2021 may continue the existing term but will not be eligible to extend, renew, reenroll in, convert to a new term period, or in any other way continue their existing plan beyond its current expiration. At expiration of the term the service will convert to the Month to Month Rate. If at any time an existing customer terminates its Optional Payment Plan, the customer may not re-subscribe to the plan.

**ACCESS SERVICE**

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(B) Channel Mileage (Cont'd)

		<u>Monthly</u>		
		<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	
Fractional DS1 (384 Kbps)				
	<u>Mileage Bands</u>			
All Zones	0	None	None	
	Over 0	\$21,288.87	\$4,855.25	(C)
Fractional DS1 (512 Kbps)				
	<u>Mileage Bands</u>			
All Zones	0	None	None	
	Over 0	\$21,288.87	\$4,855.25	
Fractional DS1 (768 Kbps)				
	<u>Mileage Bands</u>			
All Zones	0	None	None	
	Over 0	\$21,288.87	\$4,855.25	(C)
Disconnect Non-Recurring Charge – per Circuit		\$975.00		

**ACCESS SERVICE**

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(A) Standard Channel Termination (Cont'd)

Per point of termination

		<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	
Month-to-Month # DS3 (44.736 Mbps)	All Zones Grandfathered Market	\$823,161.33	\$629,919.98 Not Available	(C)
Monthly Extension Rates #	All Zones -	Not Available		
1-Year OPP Plan # DS3 (44.736 Mbps)	All Zones Grandfathered Market	Not Available	Not Available Not Available	
3-Year OPP Plan # DS3 (44.736 Mbps)	All Zones Grandfathered Market	Not Available	Not Available Not Available	
5-Year OPP Plan # DS3 (44.736 Mbps)	All Zones Grandfathered Market	\$118,416.95	\$629,919.98 Not Available	(C)
Disconnect Non-Recurring Charge – per Circuit			\$975.00	
- Re-termination to Expanded Interconnection DS3 cross-connect		Not Available	\$85,864.02	(C)
- Grandfathered Market			Not Available	

# Effective November 19, 2021, Optional Payment Plans (OPPs) are no longer permitted. Optional Payment Plans in effect as of November 19, 2021 may continue the existing term but will not be eligible to extend, renew, reenroll in, convert to a new term period, or in any other way continue their existing plan beyond its current expiration. At expiration of the term the service will convert to the Month to Month Rate. If at any time an existing customer terminates its Optional Payment Plan, the customer may not re-subscribe to the plan. In addition the DS3 Month-to-Month rate is readded and the DS3 Monthly Extension Rate is removed.

**ACCESS SERVICE**

---

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(A) Standard Channel Termination (Cont'd)

Per point of termination

Nonrecurring  
Charges

Rollover Charges:

Per DS1 rearrangement<sup>(2)</sup>

All Zones  
Grandfathered Market

\$43,352.70  
Not Available

(C)

Per DS3 rearrangement

All Zones  
Grandfathered Market

\$65,640.04  
Not Available

(C)

<sup>(2)</sup> If a test of DS0 circuits that connect to the DS1 circuit is requested at the time of rollover, then a rearrangement charge per DS0 circuit tested will apply.

ACCESS SERVICE

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(B) Channel Mileage (Cont'd)

DS3 (44.736 Mbps) All Zones

Monthly to Month Rate #

<u>Mileage Bands</u>	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	
0	None	None	
Over 0	\$255,463.77	\$33,210.39	(C)

1 YR OPP #

3 YR OPP #

<u>Mileage Bands</u>	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>
0	None	None	None	None
Over 0	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

5 YR OPP #

<u>Mileage Bands</u>	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>
0	None	None
Over 0	Not Available	Not Available

Disconnect Non-Recurring Charge – per Circuit      \$975.00

# Effective November 19, 2021, DS3 Optional Payment Plans (OPPs) are no longer permitted. DS3 Optional Payment Plans in effect as of November 19, 2021 may continue the existing term but will not be eligible to extend, renew, reenroll in, convert to a new term period, or in any other way continue their existing plan beyond its current expiration. At expiration of the term the service will convert to the Month to Month Rate. If at any time an existing customer terminates its DS3 Optional Payment Plan, the customer may not re-subscribe to the plan. In addition, the DS3 Month-to-Month rate is re-added and the Monthly Extension Rate is removed.

ACCESS SERVICE

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(C) Optional Features and Functions

Multiplexing

Per arrangement

		<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	
DS3 to DS1 Monthly*	All Zones	\$255,463.77	None	(C)
DS3 to DS1 Monthly Extension	All Zones	\$255,463.77	None	
DS3 to DS1 1 Year Plan	All Zones	\$185,118.62	None	
DS3 to DS1 3 Year Plan	All Zones	\$94,437.17	None	
DS3 to DS1 5 Year Plan	All Zones	\$59,208.34	None	(C)

\* This option will no longer be available for new circuits provisioned on or after, December 19, 2003.

ACCESS SERVICE

24. Metropolitan Statistical Area Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

24.5.2 Special Access Services (Cont'd)

24.5.2.6 High Capacity Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(C) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)

Multiplexing (Cont'd)

Per arrangement

		<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	
DS1 to Voice* Monthly	All Zones	\$58,189.13	None	(C)
DS1 to Voice* 1 Year Plan #	All Zones	Not Available	None	
DS1 to Voice* 3 Year Plan #	All Zones	Not Available	None	
DS1 to Voice* 5 Year Plan #	All Zones	Not Available	None	
<u>Clear Channel Capability</u>				
Per 1.544 Mbps High Capacity Service				
- Installed coincident with the initial installation of service				
	All Zones	None	None	
- Installed subsequent to the installation of service				
	All Zones	None	\$71,061.65	(C)

\* A channel of this DS1 to the Hub can be used for a Digital Data or Program Audio Service.

# 1, 3 and 5 Year Plan rates are not available for new circuits. When an existing term expires the rate will transition to the Monthly Rate.