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610.30**Ethernet Transport Service**

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1. Service Description

Ethernet Transport Service (the “Service”) provides shared transport for a SaskTel provided Ethernet Access Service from the SaskTel serving wire centre to an Ethernet Transport Interface (ETI) located in either the Regina or the Saskatoon main wire centre. The Service does not include connectivity between the ETI and the competitor’s Point of Presence (POP). Such connectivity can be established using a SaskTel Ethernet Access Service, in the case of a competitor that is not co-located, or using a SaskTel Ethernet Central Office (CO) Connecting Link in the case of a co-located competitor.

Ethernet Transport Service is available to registered Canadian Carriers, Digital Subscriber Line Service Providers (DSLSPs) and resellers, hereinafter referred to as the “competitor”.

2. Definitions

“*Ethernet Port*” connects a SaskTel provided Ethernet Access Service to a SaskTel Ethernet switch in the wire centre serving the Ethernet Access.

“*Network Path*” provides transport between a SaskTel wire centre serving the Ethernet Access Service and the ETI.

“*Burstable Peak Rate*” represents the highest attainable transmission speed for a Network Path.

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2. Definitions – Continued

“*Metro Network Path*” refers to transport provided from a wire centre within the Regina or Saskatoon exchanges to an ETI in the same exchange. A Metro Network Path does not provide transport between the exchanges of Regina and Saskatoon.

“*Provincial Network Path*” refers to transport provided from a SaskTel Ethernet serving wire centre to an ETI located in an exchange other than the exchange in which the wire centre is located.

“*Ethernet Transport Interface (ETI)*” provides the point at which connectivity between the SaskTel network and the competitor’s network can be achieved through the use of other SaskTel services.

“*Ethernet Access*” refers to an Ethernet Access Service available in SaskTel’s General Tariff – Basic Services.

“*Virtual Local Area Network (VLAN) Trunking*” refers to multiple VLANs on an Ethernet Transport Interface.

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3. Terms and Conditions

1. Ethernet Transport Service is provided subject to the availability of suitable facilities and equipment.
2. SaskTel is not able to provide redundancy, protection, or access diversity for this service at this time.
3. SaskTel will install, maintain and repair only those elements of the Service described in this tariff item.
4. Ethernet Transport Service is available for use with only the SaskTel Ethernet Access Service.
5. One Ethernet Port is required for each Ethernet Access.
6. One Network Path is required for each Ethernet Port. A Network Path supports the maximum transmission speed identified as the Burstable Peak Rate in this tariff. Minimum and maximum transmission speeds are not guaranteed.
7. Cancellation of the connection between the ETI and the competitor's network will result in the concurrent termination of all associated Ethernet Ports, Network Paths and Ethernet Accesses.
8. Ethernet Transport Service terminates at the ETI. The point of demarcation for the ETI is the patch panel associated with the Ethernet switch designated by SaskTel as the serving switch for the ETI.
9. The ETI is provided only at a transmission speed of 1000 Mbps. One ETI is required for each competitor.
10. SaskTel will continue processing competitor's requests to add network paths to an existing ETI, until otherwise instructed by the competitor or until the ETI reaches its capacity of 1000 VLANs.
11. An ETI can be used only in association with the services provided under this tariff, the Ethernet Access Service tariff and the Ethernet CO Connecting Link tariff.

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12. Interconnection between a competitor network and the ETI is available using:
- a) A trunked 1000 Mbps Ethernet Access Service available from the SaskTel General Tariff – Basic Services.
 - b) A 1000 Mbps Ethernet CO Connecting Link Service available from the SaskTel Competitor Access Tariff.

The bandwidth associated with the Ethernet Access Service or the Ethernet CO Connecting Link must match the bandwidth capability of the ETI.

13. VLAN Trunking is supported only on the ETI.
14. The Service is not monitored. Competitors are required to report service outages to SaskTel, and diagnostic charges apply as appropriate.
15. After a firm order has been placed and is cancelled before the service has been installed and is operational, the applicable Service Charge applies.
16. A service termination charge equal to the total remaining balance of the monthly rates for the minimum contract period chosen by the competitor applies for early termination of the Service.
17. Upon expiration of the initial contract period chosen by the competitor, the contract period shall automatically renew for the same duration as the initial contract period at SaskTel's current rate for the Service. The terms and conditions of the current tariff will be applied for the renewal period, unless either the competitor or SaskTel provides written notice to the other that it does not want the contract to renew. Notice of automatic renewal must be given at least 60 days prior to the end of the initial contract period.
18. SaskTel may also provide the service in this tariff at rates and on terms different from the tariffed rates and terms if the service is provided pursuant to an agreement entered into between the company and a competitor because the Commission has forborne, in Telecom Decision 2008-17, with respect to the regulation of this service.

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4. Rates

The rates and charges for the Ethernet Transport Service are as follows:

Ethernet Port	Monthly Rental	Service Charge
10 Mbps Ethernet Port	\$21.00	\$350.00
100 Mbps Ethernet Port	21.00	350.00

Network Path	Metro Monthly Rental	Provincial Monthly Rental
Burstable Peak Rate 10 Mbps	\$16.00	\$138.00
Burstable Peak Rate 30 Mbps	53.00	490.00
Burstable Peak Rate 50 Mbps	88.00	815.00
Burstable Peak Rate 70 Mbps	122.00	1145.00
Burstable Peak Rate 100 Mbps	160.00	1550.00

ETI (Note 1)	Contracted Monthly Rental			Service Charge
	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	
Each Interface, 1000 Mbps	\$1800.00	\$1700.00	\$1600.00	\$2000.00

Change Management Fee (Note 2)	Service Charge
Per change	\$300.00

Note 1: For any tariffed service subscribed to or approved contract entered into prior to 2 April 2008, early termination charges, as defined in Telecom Decision CRTC 2008-17, will be waived if the customer terminates the contract early for any reason.

Note 2: Change Management Fees include, but are not limited to activities such as: change in burstable peak rate, re-direction of Network Paths, changes occurring due to a competitor cutover or network upgrade, competitor name changes or competitor mergers or acquisitions.

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Diagnostic Maintenance Charge:

A Diagnostic Maintenance Charge applies for each customer request for repairing or testing of a trouble when no trouble is found in the Service.

Diagnostic Maintenance repair or test time scheduled ...	Labour Charge
During normal working hours*, per person	\$100.00 per hour** (minimum ½ hour)
Outside normal working hours*, per person	\$150.00 per hour** (minimum 2 hours)***

- * SaskTel normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, SaskTel observed holidays excepted.
- ** Billed in ¼ hour increments. If SaskTel performs such Diagnostic Maintenance, it will do so at a charge to the competitor using SaskTel’s then current rates for Diagnostic Maintenance.
- *** The minimum charge does not apply when work begins:
 - during and continues after a regular work day, *or*
 - within one hour before a regular work day.