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**SaskTel Ethernet Transport Service**

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**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”.

**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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**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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**SaskTel Ethernet Transport Service** – *Continued***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 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 item. 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 at a transmission speed of 1 Gbps or 10 Gbps. At least one ETI is required for each competitor. C
10. SaskTel will continue processing competitors' 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 in association with the services provided under this non-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 1 Gbps Ethernet Access Service available from the SaskTel General Tariff – Basic Services. C
  - b) A 1 Gbps Ethernet CO Connecting Link Service available from the SaskTel Competitor Access Tariff. C
  - c) A trunked 10 Gbps Ethernet Access Service available on a special assembly basis. N  
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  - d) A 10 Gbps Ethernet CO Connecting Link Service available under an off-tariff agreement. |

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 non-tariff at rates and on terms different from those described in this item if the service is provided pursuant to an agreement entered into between the company and a competitor.

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**Rates**

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

<b>Ethernet Port</b>	<b>Monthly Rental</b>	<b>Service Charge</b>
10 Mbps Ethernet Port	#	#
100 Mbps Ethernet Port	#	#
1 Gbps Ethernet Port	#	#

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<b>Network Path</b>	<b>Metro Monthly Rental</b>	<b>Provincial Monthly Rental</b>
Burstable Peak Rate 10 Mbps	#	#
Burstable Peak Rate 30 Mbps	#	#
Burstable Peak Rate 50 Mbps	#	#
Burstable Peak Rate 70 Mbps	#	#
Burstable Peak Rate 100 Mbps	#	#
Burstable Peak Rate 500 Mbps	N/A	#

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<b>ETI (Note 1)</b>	<b>Contracted Monthly Rental</b>			<b>Service Charge</b>
	<b>1 Year</b>	<b>3 Year</b>	<b>5 Year</b>	
Each Interface, 1 Gbps	#	#	#	#
Each Interface, 10 Gbps	N/A	N/A	#	#

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<b>Change Management Fee (Note 2)</b>	<b>Service Charge</b>
Per change	#

**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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**Rates – Continue**

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.

<b>Diagnostic Maintenance repair or test time scheduled ...</b>	<b>Labour Charge</b>
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.

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