

Radio Program (Audio) Transmission Channel Service

1. Service Description

This service provides unidirectional radio program (audio) channels, for both occasional and permanent use, in a point-to-point or point-to-multi point configuration over local loop and inter-exchange facilities for the transmission of a 7.5KHz or 15KHz monaural or stereo program audio signal, dependent upon available technology.

2. Conditions of Service

- 1. The radio program (audio) service is for carriage of occasional and permanent 7.5KHz and 15KHz monaural and stereo audio signals. Transmission of other signals is not permitted.
- 2. The service is provided subject to the availability of suitable local and interexchange facilities.
- 3. When it is necessary for SaskTel to install special equipment or to incur an unusual expense to establish service, the customer shall pay an additional charge, based on the cost of the equipment installed and the unusual expense incurred.
- 4. The radio program (audio) occasional service offering is provided for single events or a number of recurring broadcasts of an event within a thirty day period. At the time of reservation, the customer must specify the amount of transmission time required.
- 5. The radio program (audio) permanent service is provided for events greater than one month. A minimum service period of 6 months is required for radio program (audio) permanent service



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- 6. Local radio program (audio) services outside the base rate boundary are subject to additional charges if service can be provided.
- 7. The radio program (audio) service is designed to provide end-to-end transmission of a 7.5KHz or 15KHz monaural or stereo signal through SaskTel provided equipment.
- 8. Termination charges will apply for cancellation of a permanent radio program (audio) service with less than 6 months of service. Termination charges will equal any remaining monthly payments up to the 6 month period and will be paid to SaskTel as a single payment at the time of cancellation.
- 9. Cancellation charges apply for the occasional radio program (audio) service in the following circumstances except as identified in (10) and (11).
 - (a) A cancellation charge of 100% of the scheduled charges applies if the customer cancels after the beginning of the scheduled transmission time as booked by the customer or less than 24 hours prior to the beginning of the scheduled transmission time.
 - (b) A cancellation charge of 50% of the scheduled charges applies if the customer cancels less than 72 hours and at least 24 hours prior to the beginning of the scheduled transmission time as booked by the customer.
 - (c) A cancellation charge of \$50.00 applies if the customer cancels more than 72 hours prior to the scheduled transmission time as booked by the customer. Any unusual expenses such as installing new equipment for the feed will apply if equipment is not normally in place for this event.





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- 10. No cancellation charges identified in (9) above apply if:
 - (a) the customer changes the beginning of the transmission time to an earlier start time; or
 - (b) the customer changes the end of the transmission time to a later end time.
- 11. Customers may reschedule a service within a thirty day period of the originally scheduled in-service date. However, any unusual expenses such as installing new equipment will apply if equipment is not normally in place for this event. The rescheduled service must be the same service end points as the originally scheduled service. A reservation may be rescheduled only once. Reservations which are rescheduled and then cancelled are charged a cancellation charge of 100%. A \$50.00 cancellation charge applies to requests to reschedule within twelve hours of the beginning of the transmission time. No cancellation charges apply to requests to reschedule more than twelve hours from the beginning of the transmission time.
- 12. If sufficient notice is not given for the service to be installed during normal working hours, an overtime charge of \$145.00 per hour, per person, minimum two hours with 15 minute increments after the first two hours will apply.



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3. Rates

The Customer shall pay to SaskTel the following rates and charges for Radio Program (Audio) Transmission Channel Service. Such rates and charges are in addition to any other rates and charges that may be applicable.

1. Occasional-Local Radio Program (Audio) Channel

The rates apply for each unidirectional local radio program 7.5KHz or 15KHz monaural or stereo audio occasional channel.

Service	Service Charge	Monthly Rental
Monaural	\$650.00	1 x \$60.00
7.5KHz or 15KHz		(in addition to VF rate)
Stereo	850.00	2 x \$60.00
7.5KHz or 15KHz		(in addition to VF rate)

Note: The monthly rental charge of \$60.00 applies for each audio channel (two for stereo) and is in addition to the applicable rates in the item on Local Loop Service.

2. Occasional - Inter-Exchange Radio Program (Audio) Channel

The rates apply for each unidirectional inter-exchange radio program 7.5KHz or 15KHz monaural or stereo audio occasional channel.

	Rate per Kilometre	Minimum Usage
Service	Per Hour	Charge
Monaural 7.5 KHz or 15 KHz	\$ 0.30	\$ 100.00
Stereo 7.5KHz or 15 KHz	0.50	200.00

Note: The total distance charges per monaural or stereo facility are calculated by multiplying the total airline kilometres by the charge per kilometre for the appropriate distances.



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- 3. Occasional Order Processing Fee
 - (a) A one-time order processing fee of \$50.00 applies for each occasional radio program (audio) order and is in addition to all of the above rating options for program occasional service.
 - (b) There is a **minimum fee of \$200.00** for each occasional one-way service point to service point feed ordered. The minimum fee of \$200.00 also applies for stand-alone orders for the switching of radio program (audio) facilities previously paid by a customer.

Order Processing Fee \$50.00 (minimum charge of \$200.00 per feed)



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4. Permanent - Local Radio Program (Audio) Channel

The rates apply for each unidirectional local radio program 7.5KHz or 15KHz monaural or stereo audio permanent channel.

Service	Service Charge	Monthly Rental
Monaural	\$2,900.00	1 x \$52.00
7.5KHz or 15KHz		(in addition to VF rate)
Stereo	2,900.00	2 x \$52.00
7.5KHz or 15KHz		(in addition to VF rate)
Additional conditioning	1,000.00	\$ 13.00

Notes:

- 1) The monthly rental charge of \$52.00 applies for each audio channel (two for stereo) and is in addition to the applicable rates in the item on Local Loop Service.
- 2) The additional conditioning charge applies when the local channel is routed through more than one central office (when more than two voice grade legs are charged). This charge is in addition to the monthly rental for the permanent local channel.



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5. Permanent - Inter-Exchange Radio Program (Audio) Channel

The following monthly rates apply for each unidirectional inter-exchange radio program 7.5KHz or 15KHz monaural or stereo audio permanent channel.

Service	Monthly Rental
Monaural 7.5KHz	VF Rate X 1.3 (Note 1)
Monaural 15KHz	VF Rate X 1.6 (Note 2)
Stereo 7.5KHz	VF Rate X 2.6 (Note 3)
Stereo 15KHz	VF Rate X 3.2 (Note 4)

Note 1: To determine the 7.5KHz monaural monthly rate, calculate the permanent voice grade inter-exchange tariff rate and multiply by 1.3.

Note 2: To determine the 15KHz monaural monthly rate, calculate the permanent voice grade inter-exchange tariff rate and multiply by 1.6.

Note 3: To determine the 7.5KHz stereo monthly rate, calculate the permanent voice grade inter-exchange tariff rate and multiply by 2.6.

Note 4: To determine the 15KHz stereo monthly rate, calculate the permanent voice grade inter-exchange tariff rate and multiply by 3.2.

Note 5: Rates are based on terrestrial facilities and satellite space segment rental is in addition to above rates.



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6. Musicam Codec Rental - ISDN Radio Program (Audio) Channel

The rates apply for the rental for each pair of Musicam codecs to provide 7.5KHz or 15KHz monaural or stereo audio facilities on an ISDN facility. SaskTel ISDN tariff rates and long distance charges apply in addition to the Musicam rental.

MUSICAM EQUIPMENT RENTAL		
DURATION	OCCASIONAL USE RATE	
1st day	\$800.00 (plus ISDN rate)	
Each add'l day	200.00 (plus ISDN rate)	
Monthly Maximum	1500.00 (plus ISDN rate)	

Note: The monthly rental charge applies for each Musicam pair and is in addition to applicable rates in the item on Microlink Service (ISDN) and long distance charges.