

**ITEM**            **Extra Provisioning Charges**  
105.15**1. Service Description**

Extra Provisioning Charges include the material, engineering and labour costs for new and / or existing SaskTel facilities in order to provide customers with service outside the base rate or island base rate area boundary.

**2. Definitions**

For the purposes of this Tariff Item:

“*Monitoring*” refers to the transmitting of data sensed by instrumentation and measuring devices to a remote station where it is recorded and analyzed. It involves a dial-up line and does not require real time monitoring.

“*Agricultural Area*” refers to the areas of the province that:  
fall within the definition of Primary Land Descriptor which refers to the  
Dominion Land Survey or Primary Land descriptions implemented and used for  
the initial surveying in Saskatchewan, which typically includes quarter section,  
township, range and meridian. The primary survey plan refers to the plans  
created by an independent land surveyor approved by Information Services  
Corporation (Land Titles Saskatchewan), which map the Dominion Land Survey  
or the Quadrilateral Grid System used in the Primary Land Descriptor for  
Saskatchewan.

The Agricultural area would be located outside the Base Rate and Island Base  
Rate Areas of all cities, towns, villages, and hamlets. The land location  
descriptors refer to the specific geographic location of the land area. It must be  
listed in the following manner: Quarter Section, Section, Township, Range,  
Meridian, and may also include further descriptors such as quarter of legal  
subdivision and legal subdivision. Each land location will also have a unique  
surface parcel number to define ownership and is typically shown as SE 3-22-22-  
3, for example.

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The following definitions describe the terms section, township, range, meridian, parcel and surface parcel number:

**Section or Quarter Section** - A unit of measurement used in the Dominion Land Survey that equals approximately 640 acres or 160 acres respectively

**Township** - The East-West rows referred to in rural land descriptions; on average, each contains 36 sections of land

**Range** - North South columns referred to in the Dominion Land Survey

**Meridian** - One of the three main north south lines referred to in Saskatchewan and the Dominion Land Survey

**Parcel** - A graphical representation of a designated area of land

**Surface Parcel Number** - A 9 digit number assigned to each parcel by ISC, upon creation

**3. Conditions of Service**

1. Extra provisioning charges apply on a per customer request basis (per customer, per cable pair or equivalent).

**4. Rates**

1. **Residential:** A residential customer pays 50% of the amount over \$10,000.00 for up to 3 cable pairs or equivalents requested, per demarcation. All requests for additional cable pairs or equivalent will be rated at cost.

**Exceptions:**

- Trailer courts or apartments (where the subsidy for the first three cable pairs or equivalent will apply on a per customer basis).
  - If a residential customer upgrades to business services within two years of providing service, the business air mile charge will apply.
2. **Business:** SaskTel will fully subsidize the business customer's first voice cable pair or equivalent only, per demarcation. All incremental cable pairs or equivalents requested at the same customer's location will be subject to the following air mile charges:

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