GUIDEBOOK for Interconnection with NTT-East Networks

Guidebook for Interconnection Volume 2

Specific Procedures for Each Pattern of Interconnection

Framework of this Guidebook

This Guidebook consists of three volumes: (1) Common Interconnection Procedures, (2) Specific Procedures for Each Pattern of Interconnection, and (3) Reference Information Concerning Interconnection.

Please use each volume of this guidebook for the purposes indicated below.

- Volume 1: Please confirm the interconnection procedures based on the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection.
- Volume 2: The second volume introduces the necessary information for each pattern of interconnection used by other carriers.
- Volume 3: The third volume explains the interconnection rules and other details and introduces various activities undertaken by NTT East for the development of telecommunications.

Please see the latest information provided in the NTT East Homepage at the following address.

URL: http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/info-st/

Before Making Applications

Various applications need to be submitted for interconnection to NTT East networks. In submitting these applications, please provide information that is as accurate as possible on each application form in order to ensure a prompt response to your interconnection request. Before making applications, moreover, please read and understand the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection, the Guidebook for Interconnection, and the information provided on our Homepage.

In considering the interconnection to NTT East networks before submitting your applications, please refer to this Guidebook, the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection, and the various types of information provided. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Interconnection Business Promotion Section of the Interconnection Promotion Department.

While we will make every effort to provide information concerning interconnection in English, please note that Japanese only is available for consultations about interconnection, the exchange of formal documents concerning negotiations, and the conclusion of Interconnection Agreements and other contracts.



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Telephone Network Interconnection

- 1 Typical Patterns of Interconnection: Example of Interconnection with Long-Distance and International Carriers

The typical pattern of interconnection with long-distance and international carriers is shown below:



- 2 Typical Pattern of Interconnection: Example of Interconnection with Mobile and Local Carriers

The typical pattern of interconnection with mobile and local carriers is shown below:



- 3 Typical Pattern of Interconnection: Interconnection with IP Telephony Carriers

The pattern of interconnection to IP telephony carriers and IP telephony for our business customers is shown below.



- 4 Typical Pattern of Interconnection: Example of Interconnection by Use of Multiple Standard Points of Interconnection

The use of multiple standard points of interconnection makes it possible to provide a variety of services.



- 5 Major Functions That Become Available by Telephone Network Interconnection

We will provide the following major functions, etc., based on the requests by other carriers.

Major Function	Outline of Function
Transmission line allocation function for local switch and leased circuit node equipment interconnection (DSM-I)	Function to carry out discretional route setting on the basis of 1.5-Mbps units in multiple multiplexed input and output transmission signals.
Transmission-line interconnection usage functions (TCM local switch interconnection)	Function to carry out multiplex conversion of interfaces (52 Mbps/156 Mbps) in local switch interconnection.
Tandem switch alternate route interconnection function for overflow calls in local switch interconnection	Function to automatically shift to tandem switch alternate routes for overflow calls, which cannot be transmitted due to failures, etc., at the time of local switch interconnection.
Synchronization signal supply function	Function to supply clock signals generated by our clock generation equipment to synchronize telecommunications facilities.
Local switch menu usage function	Function to make it possible to provide optional added services by using our local switch from the service control point (SCP) of other carriers.
Carrier pre-subscription function	Function to enable telephone users to use the carrier they have selected by pre-registration without dialing the carrier identification code. For details, please refer to the " -1 Provision of Carrier Pre-Subscription Function" in this Chapter.
Number portability	Function to enable users to change the telecommunications carrier from which service is received, to another telecommunications carrier without changing the telecommunications number that is assigned to the user. For details, please refer to the " -1 Provision of Number Portability" in this Chapter

- 6 Entry Examples of Various Application Forms Concerning Telephone Network Interconnection



the	dance and Entry Exam ontents for Negot		Please specify interconnection poin among those specific Paragraph 1, Article the Articles of Agreen
1. Points of Interconnection			
Points of interconnection specified in the Articles of Agreement	Example 1) (3), Paragraph 1, Article 5 d Equipment for Local Switch) Example 2) (1) (Subscriber Line End) a Switch), Paragraph 1, Article 5 of the A Example 3) Same as current status	nd (4) (Transmission Ec	
Points of interconnection other than those specified in the Articles of Agreement	Example) As specified in Attachment 1 Articles of Agreement Are Not Applied). Please complete	in case of requesting
2. Demarcation point for telecommunic.	Please specify the request POI installation site(s).	other than those	at points of interconnection specified in Paragraph 1, rticles of Agreement.
(1) Requested POI installation site	Example 1) Within NTT East's I Example 2) Within our Building Example 3) In our manhole to be insta	Building (address)	
3. Area subject to interconnection			
 Service area of applicant carrier subject to interconnection Area subject to interconnection per POI mplete in case of new ecton with NTT East's 	Example 1) Scope in which our compe Management, Home Affairs, Posts and POI: Our network interconnection area: NTT East's network interconnection ar	I Telecommunications Example 1) Our Example 2) Our Ka	service area nto sales area i area
Please describe area subject to interconnection per POI with respect to your network and NTT East's network.	POI: Our network interconnection area: NTT East's network interconnection ar	Example 1) Our ser Example 2) Our Ka rea: Example 1) Hokkai	nto sales area
4. Technical conditions for interconne	ction (physical, electrical and logic	al conditions)	
Addition of new technical conditions	Yes No		
Interconnection based on the technical conditions specified in the Articles of Agreement.	Chapter XI (Technical Conditions) in th As specified in Pattern Sectic Pattern), Collection of Technical Cond However, Paragraph is applied for	n, Chapter 2 (Tech itions.	nical Conditions by
ease specify technical inditions specified in the Please circle an	Signaling network configuration	Associated network	Quasi-associated network
ticles of Agreement. entry for each.	Signaling speed	4.8kb/s	48kb/s
omplete in case of requesting ection based on technical	Priority originating-user reservation Bi-directional reservation	Yes	No
s other than those specified in es of Agreement.	Bi-directional reservation	Yes	No
Interconnection based on technical conditions other than those specified in the Articles of Agreement	As specified in Attachment 1 (Tech Articles of Agreement Are Not App		Cases in Which the

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Guidance and Entry Examples

Specific Contents for Negotiation (2/2)

							for each POI (number of
5. Construction of telecommunicat	ions facilit	es		traffic, numbe	er of peak hour ca	ails, n	umber of peak day calls
 Capacity of switching and transmission facilities per POI Applicant carrier facilities to be collocated within NTT East buildings (if any) Type, quantity, dimensions of facilities to be installed Electric power requirements Other installation conditions 		The dimensions o	the eq al insta this e	NTT East build Demarcation puipment to be allation of two quipment are:	ing under (1) Req point for telecomm used is the sa units of "XX" e H x W	me a equip	is that presently oment is requested.
6. Patterns of interconnection							
Patterns of interconnection specified in the Articles of Agreement	Articles of Agreement	Chapter VII (Patte Attached Table 2-	rns of 2, No.	Interconnectio ~ No	on)		
specify the pattern of interconnection	Articles of Optional Agreement	Chapter VI (Patter Attached Table 2-			n)		
Patterns of interconnection other to specified in the Articles of Agreem		As specified in At					attern of interconnection
7. Functions subject to network me	odification	charges patter	n other	han those specif	ied in the Articles	of Ag	reement.
Functions requested by applicant carrier f those subject to network modification cha							tion Charges), 1.2 Charges), Articles
Outline of functions requested by applicant carrier other than those subject to network modification charge		Example) Functio facilities and thos facilities.				teleo	
 Matters requiring operational cooperation Matters for which NTT East cooperation is requested (matters other than those stipulated in the Articles of Agreement in case the Articles of Agreement are applied) 		Please outline th requesting the us the Articles of Ag	e of a f	unction not inclu		Sper Moc (Inte	cified in 1.2 (Network dification Charges), Table erconnection Charges), A greement.
9. Carrier identification code and ty	pe of cod	e		1		·	
Carrier identification code		()	()	()
Domestic basic and domestic value-added service	e; shared use						
Domestic value-added and international value-added se	vice; shared use						
Domestic basic and international basic service	; shared use						
International basic service; exclusive us Please enter a check mark in any of the "domestic basic service; exclusive use," or "international value-added service; ex	four rows fo and check	the second row in t	ficatio ne cas	n code. Please e of "domestic	e check the firs c value-added	t row servi	v in the case of ce; exclusive use"
10. Carrier pre-subscription function							
Usage of carrier pre-subscription f		es or No					
Call category		Local calls	Intra	a-prefecture toll calls	Inter-prefect toll calls	ure	International calls
Carrier pre-subscription number					ton calls		
Service area							
11. Other		1	I		L		
		Example 1) Please pro Example 2) In submitt secured from "XX" Co	ng this			releva	nt consent has been

Attachment 1 Guidance and Entry Examples Please use this form in case any section ncludes any technical condition that is NOT ered by the Articles of Agreement and/c **Technical Conditions** the Collection of Technical Conditions for Cases in Which the Articles of Agreement Are Not Applied Specific Contents Technical Conditions (1) Point of interconnection Subscriber line end b. Subscriber line transmission equipment CLocal switch transmission equipment d. Tandem switch transmission equipment e. Leased-line node transmission equipment f. Signaling tandem switch transmission equipment Please select the appropriate item. No change in present interconnection point. . Other Please specify the type(s) of terminal in your company' network that uses the functions. Applicant carrier network side (2) Types of function-using terminals (Example 1) Subscriber telephones and ISDN terminals NTT-East network side (a) Subscriber telephone (b) General public telephone (c) ISDN terminal Please select the appropriate item (D) ISDN public telephone e. Other () Please specify the interfac No change in present function-using terminals equipment to be used. (3) Transmission equipment Example 1) 52-Mb/s or 156-Mb/s digital interface by interoffice line interface using SDH interface (4) Signaling system a No.7 common-channel signaling system in conformity with TTC standards b. I-interface c. Interface between PHS public cell station and digital network d. No change in present signaling system e. Other (5) Signaling network a. Associated network (b) Quasi-associated network configuration (6) Signaling speed a. 4.8kb/s (b) 48kb/s c. No change in present signaling speed d. Other (7) Numbering system a 0 + ABCDE + FGHJ 0: toll prefix; ABCDE: area code + local exchange number; FGHJ: subscriber number Please select th b. 00XY + 0 + ABCDE + FGHJ appropriate iter 00XY: carrier identification code; 0: toll prefix; ABCDE: area code + local exchange number; FGHJ: subscriber number c. $00XY + x \sim x + (1 \sim n)$ 00XY: carrier identification code; x ~ x: service code d. 00XY + x ~ x 00XY: carrier identification code;x ~ x: international number, etc. e 0A0 + CD + FEGH I Please specify the NTT East etwork function na 0A0: service identification code; CD: carrier identification code; EFGHJ: subscriber number which you request f. No change in present numbering plan. q. Other ((8) Interconnection with Example 1) Request interconnection with the Free-Dial access function NTT-East services Example 2) Request interconnection with the police and fire-fighting service access functions (9) Billing Example 1) Charging for ANM (charging indicator set as charging Charging conditions Example 2) Same as present conditions Please specify the charging conditions

Attachment 1

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Guidance and Entry Examples

Technical Conditions	Specific Contents
Charging-start/ stop timing	Charging-start timing:ⓐ Upon receipt of ANM (charging indicator set at charging) b. No change in present charging-start timing c. Other
Please select the appropriate item.	Charging-stop timing:
Calls not subject to charging	Onsuccessful calls b. Test calls c. Calls encountering facility faults, etc., that affect charging d. No change in present subject calls
Please specify the statement description and settlement methods.	e. Other
(10) Settlement between carriers (Statement description and settlement method)	Example) Statement description: the total billing amount including said access charges Settlement method: monthly bank transfers per account and date designated by NTT East statement
(11) Test methods Please select the appropriate item.	a. Manual interconnection test: Confirming good/bad connection by providing automatic answering trunk function to IGS and NCC-GS and manually conducting connection testing from both ends. b. Circuit activation access test: Upon line activation, confirming the name of the line, line number and good/bad calls between originating-switch outgoing side and terminating-switch norming side. C. Manual signaling route test: Confirming normal signaling link d. Circuit matching test: Matching circuit status to eliminate inconsistencies Ø No change in present test methods f. Other
(12) Congestion control functions	In conformity with Article 56 of the Articles of Agreement (Restrictions on Interconnection Messages) No change in present control methods
Please specify the method of securing essential communications.	c. Other
(13) Securing essential communications	Example 1) Implementing priority calling party reservation circuit control in order to secure essential communications
(14) Other Please specify any other matters to be considered in negotiations concerning technical conditions.	Example 1) Additionally using "1111110" in "b) Number type indicator, 3.8 Calling party number" in item (2) c., Paragraph 1, Article 18 of the Collection of Technical Conditions

Guidance and Entry Examples

Patterns of Interconnection

		Column 1	
	Originating Carrier	Transit Carrier	Terminating Carrier
1	Our company		NTT East
2	NTT East		Our company
3	Our company	NTT East	Local carrier
4			

	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
	Carrier Setting User Charges	Carrier Billing User Charges	Carrier Paying Usage-Sensitive Access Charges
1	Our company	Our company	Our company
2	NTT East	NTT East	-
3	Our company	Our company	Our company
4			

- 6 Entry Examples of Various Application Forms Concerning Telephone Network Interconnection

o: NTT East			No. Date:			
		From: Name:	Company: SEAL			
POI SURVEY APPLICATION						
		POI survey be undertaken	as follows.			
We here . Survey request		-	as follows.			
		POI survey be undertaken Requested interconnection start timing	as follows. Remarks			
. Survey request	contents	Requested interconnection				

Guidance and Entry Examples

Area	name (building name)	"XX" Building 🦯		lease complete in case of			
	ned service start	Leased line service	YY/MM/DD	ased-line service.			
timin	g	Telephone service	YY/MM/DD	Please complete in case of telephone service.			
	Transmission	NTT East	"XX" Building (name of transm	nission LE)			
	section	NCC	"YY" Building (name of transmission LE)				
	Transmission system		Example 1) F-600M system Example 2) SDH 156 Mb/s				
тr	Number of transmission	At time of service start	Example) 1+1 SYS (present us	se + backup)			
	systems	At end of planned installation					
	Interconnection sp	eed	Example) STM0/STM1				
nsn	Antenna type, qua	ntity		Please specify the dimensions of each equipment unit to be installed			
issi	Facility outline	External dimensions	H x W x D (m) within the NTT East building.			
on F	Please specify the heat generation	Total weight	kg/m²	Please specify the weight			
Transmission Facilities	volume of each equipment unit.	Heat generation volume	Example 1) About "OOO" kcal Example 2) About "OOO" W	I/h per unit area.			
05		Required capacity	Example) - 48V ± 4.8V	Please specify the voltage standards for each			
Plea	ase specify whether the ipment complies with	Voltage standards	Example) Within DC ± 5V	equipment unit.			
VC	Cl standards.	Electromagnetic induction	VCCI compliance Yes	No			
	Air-conditioning	Temperature conditions	Example) 25 ± 15				
	outline	Humidity conditions	Example) 65 ± 20%				
	Power facility	Power source	Example) DC-48V				
	outline	Supply conditions	Example) UPS needed	Please specify any conditions for power reception.			
		Type of grounding	Example 1) Communications (Example 2) Type arrester gr				
Ę.	Number of routes			ase specify the number of cable lead- outes to the NTT East building			
ne/u	Number of conduit	ts	Example) One conduit	butes to the NTT East building			
undergr	Number of cables		Example) One cable	ase specify the number of cable lead-			
Line/underground	Number of cable c	ores	Example) 20 cable cores	conduits to the NTT East building.			
nd	Type of cable core		Example) SM (Single Mode)	Please specify the number of cable lead-			
Other	Please specif of cable lead- NTT East buil	ins to the Plea	ise specify the type of e core	in cores to the NTT East building.			

- 1 Provision of Carrier Pre-Subscription Functions

Carrier pre-subscription functions make it possible for callers to use the selected telecommunications carriers without dialing the carrier identification code by registering the selected telecommunications carriers in advance at the NTT East local switch. Specifically, these functions involve a carrier selection service (MYLINE) and a carrier designation service (MYLINE PLUS), both of which services were started in May 2001. In addition, a carrier name notification function was added in May 2002.



- 2 Providing Carrier Pre-Subscription Service

Participation in the Carriers Association of Dialing Parity (MYLINE Carriers Association)

In order to contribute to the smooth introduction of carrier pre-subscription service to secure fair competition, to implement P/R activities for carrier pre-subscription service, to provide voluntary responses to claims made by users, and to discuss the problems raised by carriers concerning fair competition, etc., a Carriers Association of Dialing Parity (hereinafter referred to as the "MYLINE Carriers Association") has been established. In establishing your participation in the MYLINE Carriers Association, please indicate the names of personnel designated as the committee member, expert committee member, member of the WG and SWG as shown in the "FAX Sheet" Exhibit and send it to NTT East.

Submitting registration information to the MYLINE Center

Applications from users for carrier pre-subscription service are accepted at the MYLINE Center. Carriers wishing to register as carriers using pre-subscription service are requested to submit an "Application for MYLINE Center Carrier Registration" at least two months prior to the start of carrier pre-subscription service.

In addition, please submit "area code information" with respect to the start timing of carrier pre-subscription service for area code information at least two months prior to the start of carrier pre-subscription service.

In this connection, the Reception WG Secretariat of the Carriers Association of Dialing Parity will separately provide detailed explanations with respect to entry procedures.

Points to Consider

With respect to providing carrier pre-subscription service, please follow all procedures determined by the Preparatory Committee for the Introduction of Carrier Pre-Subscription Service and the Carriers Association of Dialing Parity.

By the time the service is started, please obtain the consent of the relevant local carrier(s). If such consent is not obtained in time, we may be forced to postpone the start of service.

Major costs in providing carrier pre-subscription service

[•]In order to register the 00XY number, expenses for translator-related work are required. In this connection, there is no cost exclusively required for the carrier pre-subscription service. (However, the costs of constructing the environment needed to connect to the reception system are to be borne by the carrier.)

^{•[}Access Charges] Per-connection expenses for carrier pre-subscription functions (please refer to 2-2 (3) of the Articles of Agreement) are required. (Such costs will be billed together with the ordinary access charge (AC).)

^{• [}Expenses for Procedures] Changing the category and number of the carrier pre-subscription service for any call category is subject to the expenses for procedures for carrier pre-subscription service acceptance (please refer to 2-1 (14) of the Articles of Agreement). (Such costs will be billed by the MYLINE Center. We will separately bill the user for the MYLINE registration fee.)

(Reference) Application Form for Participation in the MYLINE Carriers Association

Attachment	Secretariat MYLINE Carriers Association	
framework determined by the Study Group. • Any problems arising in the MYLINE Carriers	s Association s Association tudies are being carried out in each WG under the Association with respect to the rules for the entire elated carriers will be presented to the Study Group. ssociation mbers) rs Association the members) Publicity WG International SWG	FAX Sheet Date: YY/MM/DD Due Date: MM/DD Due Date: MM/DD To: Secretariat of the MYLINE Carriers Association, Telecommunications Carriers Association FAX: 03-3502-0992
	Specifications WG	Company Name:
Committee Confirmation of discussion results members Presenting problems to the Study Group Reporting and confirming results in each WG committee members Presenting the problem to the Study Group	Member Secretariat Meeting Cycle Carriers using carrier pre- subscription service (carriers that have a carrier Talecommunications Carriers Whenever necessary identification code) and which wish to participate in the MYLINE Carriers Whenever Association Whenever necessary	Contact Person: TEL:
Reception WG •Preparing reception processing flow •Establishing Reception Center •Responding to inquiries and complaints from users [Information] Information SWG •Establishing procedural rules for data exchanges between the Reception Center and carriers. Publicity WG •Implementing publicity activities for all users •Preparing and maintaining P/R schedule	Carriers participating in NTT regional Whenever carrier pre-subscription company (Fast) necessary	Participation in the WGs and SWGs:
Resoling problems concerning sales activities International Publicizing new procedures for international calls, SWG	service interconnection. KDDI	Company name:
Cost WG Clarifying the methods of allocating the costs	NTT regional company (East)	Division name:
Specifications •Resolving problems concerning specifications to WG be encountered in the future	NTT regional company (East)	
However, WGs and/or SWGs may be added or abolished as determined		Name:
	articipate in the MYLINE Carriers Association as om among mobile, PHS, CATV, and carriers, and	TEL: FAX:
Carriers Association are required to list the persor member, and member of each WG and SWG on the content of the second	service and that wish to participate in the MYLINE nnel for committee member, expert committee he attached FAX Sheet and send it to the ter applying to the relevant NTT regional company in. eported are as follows. committee member, and an expert committee member y WG, Cost WG and Specifications WG	Email:
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(Reference) Application Form for Participation in the MYLINE Carriers Association

To: NTT East NTT West Date: VV/MM/DD

"XX" Company

Date: YY/MM/DD

To NTT East

"XX" Company

Area code information

"00"ZA

Area Code	Area	Start Timing YY/MM/DD

MYLINE Center Carrier Registration Application

	Item		Description Column Notes	Description Column	Registration Category	Setting Value Update Date
able	Carrier Identification	Local calls	Within 7 half-sized characters		New	
etting	Code	Intra-prefecture toll calls	Within 7 half-sized characters		New	
formation		Long-distance calls	Within 7 half-sized characters		New	
		International calls	Within 7 half-sized characters		New	
	Label type used for CMT	Label type	Enter "JIS" or "IBM"		New	
	Carrier abbreviated	Abbreviated name 1	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
	name	Abbreviated name 2	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 3	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 4	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 5	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 6	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 7	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 8	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 9	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 10	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 11	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 12	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 13	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 14	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 15	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 16	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 17	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 18	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 19	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 20	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 21	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
		Abbreviated name 22	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
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		Abbreviated name 24	Within 15 full-sized characters			
		Abbreviated name 25	Within 15 full-sized characters			
		Abbreviated name 26	Within 15 full-sized characters			
		Abbreviated name 27	Within 15 full-sized characters			
		Abbreviated name 28	Within 15 full-sized characters			
		Abbreviated name 29	Within 15 full-sized characters			
		Abbreviated name 30	Within 15 full-sized characters			
	Caller telephone number	Caller telephone number	Within 15 full-sized characters		New	
	for dial-up connection	Reason	Enter within the cell			
	User ID for RADIUS	User ID	Refer to the following		New	
	authentication	Reason	Enter within the cell			
	User ID for FTP server	User ID	Refer to the following		New	
	authentication	Reason	Enter within the cell			
	User ID for Web server	User ID	Refer to the following		New	
	authentication	Reason	Enter within the cell			
	Global IP address at the		Enter within the cell		New	

1 Please limit Description column entries as specified under Description Column Notes.

2 Please enter "New," "Change" or "Deletion" in Registration Category column.

 Please use the format YYYMMDD in entering for the "Setting Value Update Date" (Example: January 10, 2001 2001010).
 As user ID passwords for RADIUS authentication, FTP server authentication and WEB server authentication are provided directly to the person responsible for network information liaison, advance registration is essential. The password for FTP server authentication is issued every month, and passwords for RADIUS authentication and WEB server authentication are issued every year by the MYLINE Center.

5 User ID issuing standards (: essential items) Must consist of half-sized alphanumeric characters.

Two or more alphabetic characters are included.

Must consist of at least six but fewer than eight characters. • The selected IDs must be combinations that are difficult to guess by unauthorized person (this particularly applies to those for FTP server authentication).

. The same ID may be used for RADIUS authentication, FTP server authentication and WEB server authentication

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6 Please specify the reason for any requested change in user TBb. Change requests without a stated reason may not be accepted.
7 The global IP address at the time of WEB referals is used for WEB server access control, and access is permitted from the applicable IP address.
In general, please enter a global IP address such as that of a proxy server, cic. In case of two or more proxy servers, please separate each address by a semi-colon (Example: 10.0.0.1;1).

8 Please submit this form at least one month prior to registration and any change request.



Other carrier

switch

Call

terminating

Call terminating

Incoming call

carrier

carrier switch

Provision of Number Portability

Number portability makes it possible for users to change telecommunications carriers from which service is received without any change in the telephone number, etc., which has been assigned to the user.

There are two types of number portability: "local number portability," which applies to numbers used for general subscriber telephone or ISDN service, and "toll free number portability," which applies to numbers used for toll-free service (numbers starting with 0120 or 0800). These services were started in March 2001.



- 2 Entry Examples of Number Portability Usage Application Forms

NTT East	No. Date:
	From: Company: Name:
We hereby submit the fo	NARY SURVEY APPLICATION ollowing Preliminary Survey Application for the /changing interconnection with the NTT East networks
Outline of interconnection to be established/changed	Realization of number portability for general subscriber telephones and ISDN service
to be established/changed Specific contents for	telephones and ISDN service

1. Points of Interconnection				
Points of interconnection specified in the Articles of Agreement				
Points of interconnection other than those specified in the Articles of Agreement				
2. Demarcation point for telecc	mm	unications facilities		
(1) Requested POI installation site				
3. Area subject to interconnect	ion			
(1) Service area of applicant carrier subject to interconnection	of F	ppe approval our com Public Management, l communications		
(2) Area subject to interconnection per POI		network interconnec		
4. Technical conditions for inte	rcon	nection (physical, ele	ectrical and logica	I conditions)
Addition of new technical conditions	Yes	No		
Interconnection based on the technical conditions specified in the Articles of Agreement.				
	-	aling network configuration	Associated network	Quasi-associated network
		naling speed	4.8kb/s	48kb/s
	Circ	Priority originating- user reservation Bi-directional reservation	Yes	No
	ation	Bi-directional reservation	Yes	No
Interconnection based on technical conditions other than those specified in the Articles of Agreement				
5. Construction of telecommun	icati	ons facilities		
(1) Capacity of switching and transmission facilities per POI (2) Applicant carrier facilities to be collocated within NTT-East buildings (if any) • Type, quantity, dimensions of facilities to be installed • Electric power requirements • Other installation conditions	(1) (2)	general sul	s of traffic volume, etc., oscriber telephones and o acceptable.)	concerning number portab d ISDN service. (Using a se

- 2 Entry Examples of Number Portability Usage Application Forms

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Outline of functions re applicant carrier other subject to network mo	than those									
8. Matters requir	ing operationa	l cooperation								
(1) Matters for w cooperation is										
9. Carrier identifi	ication code ar	nd type of code	9							
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(Reference) Provision of Directory Information Database (TDIS)

Carriers registered under the directory information database (TDIS) consist of carriers including NTT East and NTT West that have their own subscriber base, and mobile carriers. The registered number information (telephone number, address and name) is being used by telephone directory service companies and telephone directory issuing companies.



Explanation

- *1 In accordance with the laws and ordinances such as the "Guidelines Concerning the Protection of Personal Data in the Telecommunications Business (No. 570, Notification of the Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications, 1998;" hereinafter referred to as the "Personal Data Protection G uidelines, Etc."), the subscriber number information shall be limited to that separately specified by NTT East within the range necessary to implement telephone directory listings or directory assistance service.
- *2 Except the following cases, we will register subscriber number information.
 (1) In the event that the relevant contracting carrier fails or may likely fail to pay access charges stipulated in (4), 1.1.2.8 (Directory Assistance Function, Etc.), 1.1 (Access Charges), Table 1 in the Tables of Charges, or the expenses for procedures stipulated in Article 68 (Obligation to Pay Expenses for Procedures) of the Articles of Agreement.
 - (2) In the event that the contracting carrier fails or may likely fail to observe the following provisions in handling the subscriber number information to be registered. a The contracting carrier shall make it possible for its subscriber to select whether or
 - not to list such information in the telephone directory or provide same under directory assistance service. (In this case, the carrier may allow the subscriber to select whether to provide such information only by directory assistance service.)
 - b In the event the subscriber selects not to list such information in the telephone directory or to provide same under directory assistance service, the contracting carrier shall not request the registration of such information in our Directory Information Database.
 - c In the event the subscriber selects to provide such information under directory assistance service only, the contracting carrier shall request the registration of such information in our Directory Information Database only by limiting its purpose to directory assistance service.

- d In the event the subscriber asks the contracting carrier to register such information, the carrier shall request the registration of such information in our Directory Information Database without delay.
- e In addition, the contracting carrier shall observe the Personal Data Protection Guidelines, Etc.
- *3 Except the following cases, we will provide subscriber number information stored in our Directory Information Database.
 (1) In the event that the contracting carrier (including carriers using subscriber number information stored in the Directory
 - Information Database under contracts other than the agreement) fails or may likely fail to pay access charge stipulated in (5), 1.1.2.8 (Directory Assistance Function, Etc.), 1.1 (Access Charges), Table 1 in the Tables of Charges.
 (2) In the event that the contracting carrier fails or may likely fail to observe the following provisions in handling the
 - subscriber number information to be provided. a In the event that the contracting carrier is provided with subscriber number information, it shall modify its database
 - without delay. b The contracting carrier shall not wrongfully impair the rights or interests of any subscribers of the registering carriers.
 - c The contracting carrier shall use the number information registered in the Directory Information Database only for the
 - purposes of compiling lists in the telephone directory or of providing directory assistance service carried out by itself. d In the event that the subscriber number information is registered in our Directory Information Database only for the purpose of providing directory assistance service, the contracting carrier shall use said number information only for the purpose of providing directory assistance service.
 - e In addition, the contracting carrier shall observe the Personal Data Protection Guidelines, Etc.
- *4 Any carrier registering information may request the termination of the provision of its subscriber number information to a using carrier by submitting documentation proving that the carrier using the Directory Information Database is violating the Personal Data Protection Guidelines, Etc. However, in the event that said using carrier lodges a complaint or takes other action concerning the termination of the provision of number information, the carrier registering such information shall respond to such complaints on its own responsibility, unless such causes are attributable to our company.
- *5 In the event that a carrier registering information requests the termination of the provision of number information, we will notify the carrier using such information to that effect and shall stop providing number information on subscribers of the carrier registering such information, unless it is considered that the request has no foundation.

1 Application Procedures, Etc, for the Construction of Interconnection Circuits

With respect to application procedures for interconnection circuits, we will respond to other carriers on the basis of a semi-annual regular application cycle in July and January of every year.

Schedule for Application Procedures

Current Fiscal Year Next Fiscal Year First Half-Year Second Half-Year **First Half-Year** Second Half-Year August Circuit construction Completion October Submitting Application at the requested timing work information February Circuit construction Completion Construction process April Submitting negotiations*2 Application at the requested timing work information (August ~ October) Construction process negotiations *2 (February ~ April) Submitting Completion at the Circuit construction Applications information requested timina at any time work in advance Construction process negotiations*

Explanation

*1 Prior to making an application for construction, please submit information concerning the requested number of circuits, the actual and estimated traffic, the accommodation status of transmission equipment, etc.

*2 We will discuss the number of circuits and the implementation period for the circuit construction work.

Applications at any time will be accepted only under the following conditions as specified in the Articles of Agreement.

"À contracting carrier may make an application at any time only when there is fear that call loss (meaning the interruption of communications through the relevant transmission equipment, etc., or transmission lines due to the occurrence of calls that exceed the line capacity of the transmission equipment, etc., or transmission lines) may continuously occur due to rapid increases in the traffic of the contracting carrier."

With respect to the "function to use transmission equipment for local switch interconnection" and the "function to exclusively use local switch circuit-related parts" under the category of subscriber switching functions, the "function to exclusively use tandem switch circuit-related parts" under the category of tandem switching functions and the "function to use transmission equipment for tandem switch interconnection" under the category of interoffice transmission functions, the relevant expenses specified in the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection are to be individually borne in accordance with the number of circuits applied by a contracting carrier.



- 2 Application Procedures for the Construction of Interconnection Circuits

NTT East will start interconnection in accordance with the following procedures in response to an application for construction (submitted under the semi-annual regular application cycle and/or submitted at any time) after receiving notification of the traffic volume and the number of circuits.



Explanation

*1 Materials to be submitted by other carriers

Actual and estimated traffic volume and the estimated number of circuits per POI and per switch

Actual traffic

First half-year: Actual traffic in May, June and July Second half-year: Actual traffic in November, December and January

At any time. Actual traffic in the past three months Estimated traffic volume and the estimated number of circuits

First half-year: As of the end of September and March in the next fiscal year

Second half-year: As of the end of March in the next fiscal year and as of the

end of September in the fiscal year following the next fiscal year At any time: As of the end of the fiscal half-year that includes the requested usage start month for interconnection facilities; as of the end of the next fiscal half-year; and as of the end of the fiscal half-year following the next fiscal half-year

Information concerning the accommodation status of transmission equipment, etc.

Other matters for which cooperation is requested by NTT East Number of circuits for which an application is made

Actual and estimated traffic volume and the estimated number of circuits per MA and per local exchange number



Facility Introduction Plan Presentation Manual (Excerpts)



Outline of Facility Introduction Plan Presentation Manual

NTT East is promoting various measures aimed at offering a wide variety of services, improving the efficiency of network operations and cost reductions. In view of the potential impact that these measures may have on other carriers, it is necessary to notify other carriers of these plans at an early stage. Accordingly, the *NTT Facility Introduction Plan Presentation Manual* was published in November 1998 through consultation with other carriers that have established interconnection with NTT East facilities regarding the appropriate methods to present facility introduction plans accompanying our network restructuring, etc., for the purposes of facilitating a smooth local-switch interconnection with other carriers and promoting efficient facility construction among all telecommunications carriers.

This section introduces excerpts from this manual covering the basic concepts and the information presented, etc.

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Basic Concepts

Basic Concepts

Information concerning NTT East's facility introduction plans will be provided on a voluntary basis for the purpose of facilitating the efficient development of facilities by telecommunications carriers. As the basic concepts behind providing this information relate to the potential impact that the introduction of facilities accompanying network restructuring may have on other carriers in terms of existing networks, business plans and other factors, the scope of the target information to be presented focuses on facility introduction plans accompanying changes involving the point of interface (POI) between other carriers and NTT East. It is our belief that these concepts concerning the presentation of such information will be reciprocated in case other carriers carry out any renovations, etc., of their network facilities.

Please note that any information presented may be subject to change in response to environmental factors both inside and outside our company. In case of any changes on our side, we will provide notifications as quickly as possible and flexibly respond to plan modifications by other carriers accompanying such changes.

Carriers and Areas Subject to Information Presentation

Carriers Subject to Information Presentation

- Carriers that have already established interconnection at switches (Note 1)
- Carriers planning to establish interconnection at switches (Note 2)
- Areas Subject to Information Presentation

Coverage areas are areas subject to interconnection on a "prefectural unit"^(Note 3) basis. In the event information for other areas is necessary as a result of the expansion of areas subject to interconnection, information that is deemed necessary at each step in the interconnection consultation process will be presented successively in the same way as carriers planning to establish interconnection at local switches.

Notes 1. Interconnection at switches means (1) local switch interconnection, (2) tandem switch interconnection and (3) signaling tandem switch interconnection. 2. Information that is deemed necessary at each step in the interconnection consultation process will be presented successively.

3. In some regions, subject areas are to be classified in accordance with our branch area classification.

Presenting Information

Confidentiality Obligations

Because information provided to other carriers constitutes part of our business management information, the information provided shall be kept secret and shall not be used for other than the intended purposes.

Cost Bearing for Plan Changes

Unlike the situation in which carriers requesting interconnection submit individual applications requesting the construction of our network facilities, this presentation of information is implemented on a voluntary basis with the aim of improving efficiency in facility construction by other carriers.

In the event any changes in our plans for which we have presented information require changes in the construction applications of other carriers, NTT East will meet the requirements of such changes in principle. With respect to any changes in the plans of other carriers that are not attributable to changes in our plans, we will make every attempt to respond positively by discussing each case individually. However, we must ask the interconnecting carrier to bear the necessary expenses for emergency measures, etc.

With respect to construction expenses incurred by other carriers for plan changes due to changes in our plan within S^{*} - 6 months, we will discuss the handling of such expenses based on the provisions of Article 88 (Exemptions) of the Articles of Agreement.

* "S" indicates service start timing.

Outline of Information Presented

Information concerning the Facility Introduction Plan Accompanying Changes of the Point of Interface (POI) Between Other Carriers and NTT East (Note) that will be provided by NTT East consists of Information Necessary in Formulating Facility Construction Plans and Information Necessary for Routing.

(Note) A change of the NTT East point of interface means that the unit subject to interconnection is changed.

(1) Information Necessary in Formulating Facility Construction Plans Information necessary for other carriers to formulate facility construction plans Annual information (First half of fiscal year X: July of fiscal year X - 1, second half of fiscal year X: January of fiscal year X - 1) Information at time of any change (2) Information Necessary for Routing Information needed by other carriers for routing purposes such as translator deployment, etc. Prefix number information (S - 6 months) Prefix number information (S - 1 month)

Please see "V. Presentation Schedule" for details.

Presentation Schedule



Information Necessary in Formulating Facility Construction Plans (Annual Information and Information at Time of Any Change)

We present the information (annual information) necessary for other carriers in formulating facility construction plans in July of fiscal year X - 1 and January of fiscal year X - 1.

Annual information (first half of fiscal year X) : Provided in July of fiscal year X - 1 Annual information (second half of fiscal year X) : Provided in January of fiscal year X - 1 Information at time of any change (the modified version of annual information)

Information Necessary in Formulating Facility Construction Plans (Example : Local-Switch Interconnection)

Basic Information	Facility information
(1) Branch name	(7) Number of planned terminals (Note 1)
(2) Prefecture name	(INS64, INS1500, subscriber telephone)
(3) MA name	(8) Planned service start month
(4) Building name	(9) New accommodation information (Note 2)
(5) Type of switch	(10) DPC number
(6) Unit name	(11) Prefix numbers accommodated (new/additional)
	(12) Prefix numbers accommodated (shifted prefix numbers)
	(13) Old unit information (Note 3)

Notes:

1. The number of planned terminals refers to the number for S+12 months.

2. Information concerning switch to which the target switch is connected

3. Information concerning the old switch in which prefix numbers that were shifted to the target switch were accommodated

Information Necessary for Routing (Prefix Number Information)

We present the information (prefix number information) needed by other carriers for routing purposes such as the deployment of translators at S - 6 months and at S - 1 month.

In the prefix number information at S - 6 months, the "service start month (early/middle/late)" will be provided under the category of "cut-over date and time," and new numbering assignments will be provided under the category of "prefix numbers accommodated." In the prefix number information at S - 1 month, the "service start date and time" will be provided under the category of "cut-over date and time."





Plan Modification and Notification Procedures

As our plans to introduce facilities in GC units largely depend on demand trends, it is difficult to determine firm plans at an early stage. Accordingly, there may be cases in which modifications are required after the presentation of certain information. As such changes may have an impact on the facility plans of other carriers, we will provide notifications each time this occurs by means of "Information at Time of Any Change."



Notification Method In case of changes after the presentation of information, we will provide notifications by means of "Information at Time of Any Change" as quickly as possible each time a change is decided.

Target Information All annual information

Change to Routing Information (Prefix Number Information)

- Notification Method In case of changes after the presentation of information, we will announce such changes by including them in the next prefix number information presentation.
- Target Information Basically, changes concerning the numbering system and those with little impact upon facility construction plans.





Optical Fiber

Configuration of Optical Fiber Facilities (Also shown on Page 34, Volume 1: Common Interconnection Procedures)



1 In other than NTT buildings, there are cases in which we use cable installed by the building owner at the instructions of the building owner. The conditions under which service is provided in such cases depend on the building owner. 2 This connection format is applied in the case of a building in which intermediate distribution frames are installed

3 With respect to the indoor optical cable section, permission from the building superintendent for our staff to enter the building is required through the end user who is a tenant of this building, interconnecting carrier, etc., in principle. In this case, we ask the interconnecting carrier requesting the survey application to deal with the end user, etc., and obtain appropriate permission from the building superintendent.

4 This cable is provided if an NTT indoor optical cable has already been installed and there is unused cable that can be provided



System for Accepting Optical Fiber Interconnection Applications

Among the procedures concerning optical fiber interconnection applications by optical fiber interconnecting carriers, the "System for Accepting Optical Fiber Interconnection Applications" targets the sending and receiving of data concerning the following application process as greater efficiency can be expected in this process through systemization.

Line Facility Survey Application* Optical Line Facility Interconnection Application

Circuit Abolition Application



* This application is required only in case of using interoffice optical fiber lines.


Disclosure of Estimated Delivery Information for Subscriber Optical Fiber

We will disclose on the Web the estimated delivery information for subscriber optical fiber on the basis of the existing telephone numbers at sites where optical fiber installation is requested. ¹ The usage fee is required for this information disclosure per successful retrieval per telephone number. ²



Search conditions: Input of a telephone number. (With respect to searches by address information, individual requests are accepted on a preliminary inquiry basis, and manual searches are conducted to provide a response).

Search coverage: While estimated delivery information is disclosed with respect to Area A of "areas where subscriber optical fiber cable can be provided," information on areas where such cable cannot be promised might be included due to data setup arrangements. In conducting searches, please make sure to confirm that the searching area is an area where such cable can be provided.

Estimated delivery information: Delivery information is disclosed on an approximate monthly-unit basis "per telephone number" as determined from the optical fiber installation status, etc., at NTT East.

Explanation

1 Viewing information requires a Confidentiality Obligation Contract or an Interconnection Agreement with NTT East (registration of ID, password, etc., is necessary). 2 Please see "(15)c, 2.2.2.1 (Expenses for Procedures), Table 2 (Expenses for Works and Procedures) in the Tables of Charges, Articles of Agreement" for usage fees.



Information Disclosure Concerning Optical Fiber

Please confirm the newest information via homepage. (http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/info-st/mutial/hikari/index.html.)

Classificatio	on	Disclosure Item	Contents, Etc.	Disclosure Methods		
General information		Section where facilities can be provided				
necessary for		Optical fiber type	Listing of optical fiber types and wavelength (zero dispersion) that can be provided			
business development	Ψĭ	Connector type	Listing of optical fiber connector types that can be provided			
development	atio opt	Approximate optical fiber length	Approximate length of fiber to be used as charge calculation unit			
	n o ical	Total number of cores	Number of optical fiber cores that exist in each section	Information Station		
	n fib	Status of unused cores	Ranked display of number of unused cores in each section	on the Web Other carrier		
	er	Optical cable plan	Display of an optical cable plan exists (timing is also indicated)	★ /		
	sub	Areas where facilities can be provided	Names and street addresses in towns where subscriber optical fiber cable can be provided	Disclosure by HP		
	Inf scr	Optical fiber type	Types of optical fiber that can be provided	ONTING4		
	ibe	Connector type	Connector types at optical cable start and end points	The second second		
	nati r ol	Optical cable installation plan	Display of whether or not an optical cable installation plan exists (Optical Fiber Project maps)	· 米===		
	ion on otical	Accommodation building information	Whether or not the building has subscriber optical fiber facilities, and addresses of accommodation buildings	and a second sec		
		Information on buildings where FTMs are installed	Name and address of buildings where intermediate distribution frames are installed	http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/info st/mutial/hikari/index.html		
General information		Detailed information on optical fiber facilities	Total number of cores and number of unused cores of optical fiber facilities			
necessary for facility installat	ion	Status of optical main distribution facilities	Location of optical main distribution frame (drawings), total number of terminals, number of unused terminals			
		Details of collocation site	Number of racks available	Individual		
		Facility environment	Available air-conditioning capacity; available power supply and UPS capacity; availability of raised floors at collocation site	implementation by personnel Other carrier		
Detailed informa	ation	Age of optical fiber	Surveys installation date for relevant optical fiber	Survey		
necessary for ea		Transmission loss	Surveys transmission loss data for relevant optical fiber			
circuit		Estimated delivery time for subscriber optical fiber	Estimated delivery information "per telephone number" as determined from the optical fiber installation status, etc.	Estimated delivery timing information disclosure system Information Station on the Web		



MDF Interconnection (Related to DSL Services)

Patterns of MDF Interconnection





Pattern of MDF Interconnection by Collocation

Installing such other carrier facilities as splitters, DSLAMs, routers, etc., in NTT East communications buildings to provide DSL services, etc., by means of MDF interconnection is referred to as collocation (see Page 60).

In case of collocating other carrier facilities, such carriers can either undertake the installation work and carry out maintenance by themselves or consign such work to NTT East.

The following processes are involved in the self-undertaken installation work by other carriers or the work consigned to NTT East. (Including removal work)

1 Work to install DSLAM, splitter, etc. **2** Work to connect clock and electric power lines **3** Cable wiring

4Work to connect communications lines

In addition to 1 through 4, self-provided electric power and air-conditioning are also made possible.



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DSL Work Flow and Standard Timing

DSL Facility Construction Work

DSL Line Activation Work DSL Line Adjustment Work



- 1 "POI Installation Application" and "Line Facility Interconnection Application" must be submitted within one month after survey reply.
- 2 An application for self-undertaken work and the start of such work is required within six months after an application for securing facilities (1).
- 3 In case preparations for NTT infrastructural facilities are necessary; for example: raised floor: 1.5 months.

In case the work period exceeds three months, NTT East may request discussions with other carriers. Moreover, the usage charge for the relevant space is required during the work period.
 Confirming the possibility of providing DSL service with respect to optical fiber. ISDN lines, etc.

5 Confirming the possibility of providing DSL service with respect to optical fiber, ISDN lines, etc.
6 Communications at certain transmission speeds cannot be guaranteed through the implementation of line adjustment work. In case no unused wires are available in other subscriber lines, we may be unable to carry out the requested work to change the line wires used.

Acceptance of Applications for DSL Service Line Activation

In order to improve efficiency in accepting orders from DSL providers, information distribution such as line activation applications and orders between DSL providers and NTT East is realized by an online operations support system.



V - 1 Rules Concerning Line Accommodation, Etc., for Each Transmission System Based on Spectrum Management Standards

In responding to the rapid spread of DSL services and diversification in transmission systems, NTT East has provided for the rules for the accommodation, etc., of DSL lines and specific operational rules in the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection in accordance with the Spectrum Management for Metallic Subscriber Line Transmission Systems (Version 2) established by TTC¹ (hereinafter referred to as "TTC Standards Version 2") in order to enable smooth service usage by DSL service users of contracting carriers.

Articles 22, 37-2, 37-3, 50-3, 52, 59, 61, 68 and Tables of Charges, Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection

In the event of making an application for the installation or change ² of a DSL line, notifications concerning technical conditions for each transmission system should be provided to NTT East together with such application.

Transmission	Usage Restrictions	Interconnection Charges		
System	Usage Restrictions	Access Charges	Expenses for Works and Procedures	
Group 1	 No restrictions are imposed in terms of accommodation and line length. 	Access charges ap- plied to cases in which no restrictions	(With respect to lines subject to post-installation measures, there are cases in which expenses for post-installation measures are required in case another carrier reports any problem.	
Group 2	 Restrictions are imposed in terms of accommodation or line length. In case of transmission systems on which restrictions are imposed in terms of accommodation, other lines are not installed in the same quad ³. In case of transmission systems on which restrictions are imposed in terms of line length, usage in excess of the line length prescribed for each transmission system is not possible. 	are imposed in terms of accommodation are applied. Access charges applied to cases in which restrictions are imposed in terms of ac- commodation are applied.	• Expenses for surveys on the DSL accommodation status, expenses for surveys on DSL line length, and expenses for line adjustment work (Type 1) are applied as necessary.	

Explanation

Note 1: Classifications used in TTC Standards Version 2 are used in the Collection of Technical Conditions.

Note 2: As the application of the protection criteria ⁴ specified in TTC Standards Version 2 does not have direct impact on interconnection conditions of transmission systems themselves, the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection (other than technical conditions) take into account only whether or not there are restrictions in terms of accommodation or line length in classifying transmission systems.

Note 3: With respect to transmission systems for which spectral compatibility is not confirmed at TTC, interconnection will be established only after spectral compatibility is confirmed at TTC.

2 Limited to cases in which specific contents of technical conditions of DSL lines are changed.

3 Two line pairs are twisted in the metallic cable.

4 The protection criteria are provided to indicate the maximum permissible interference from other transmission systems. If new transmission systems do not satisfy the values of the protection criteria through the calculation of spectral compatibility, restrictions will be imposed in terms of accommodation or line length.

(Reference) Classification in TTC Standards Version	1 2
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	Protected from other transmission systems	Not protected from other transmission systems	Classification in the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection
No restrictions in terms of accommo- dation No restrictions in terms of line length	Class A	Class B	Group 1
Restrictions imposed in terms of accommodation or line length	Class A'	Class C	Group 2

¹ TTC: Telecommunication Technology Committee

2 Rules Concerning Line Accommodation, Etc., for Each Transmission System Based on Spectrum Management Standards (Post-Installation Measures)

A contracting carrier providing DSL services by using a transmission system for which TTC Standards Version 2 require post-installation measures (hereinafter referred as "systems subject to post-installation measures") is required to take post-installation measures (changing the relevant transmission system to a transmission system other than those subject to post-installation measures, or handling the relevant transmission system on which restrictions are imposed in terms of accommodation) if a carrier providing the other line within the same quad (limited to lines using transmission systems that are approved as eligible for reporting under TTC Standards Version 2) reports any influence caused by signal leakage.





Information Disclosure Concerning DSL

Please confirm the newest information via homepage. (http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/info-st/info_dsl/menu.html)

Classification	Information Disclosure Item	Specific Contents	Implementation Method		
Outline information	Location, etc., of an accommodating office	Addresses and specific names of administrative areas covered			
necessary for business evolution	Number of lines, etc., for each accommodating office	Number of analog telephone lines (full metallic, partial optical), number of ISDN lines			
	Availability of MDF, collocation site, and electric power facilities	Availability of MDF, collocation site, and electric power facilities (power receiving and generating facilities)	Information		
	Names of accommodating offices in which metallic lines have been totally removed	Addresses and specific names of administrative areas covered	Web Station Disclosure via HP Other carriers		
	Information on metallic line removal	Disclosed four years ago; disclosed one year ago; areas where removal plans have been determined	No man "Distance"		
	Current status of optical fiber installations and future plans for optical fiber installations	Current status and future plans			
Detailed information	Details on unused MDFs				
necessary for facility construction	Details on collocation site	Number of racks that can be installed	Manual surveys for each case		
construction	Facility environment	Available air-conditioning capacity, available power and UPS capacity, availability of raised floor at collocation site	Surveys Other carriers		
Detailed information necessary for each line	Line conditions (theoretical data)	Line length from accommodating office to user, type of insulation, line diameter, DC resistance, number of bridge taps, number of hand-twisted points, transmission loss	Line information disclosure system via HP		
	Accommodation status (service situation) (theoretical data)	Accommodation of ISDN, DSL, etc., in the same quad, adjacent quad, every other quad or subunit	Information Web Station		
Other information disclosed	Local exchange number for each accommodating office	List of local exchange numbers for each accommodating office (by prefectural unit)	Disclosure via HP		
	Information on shift to optical fiber for telephone lines	Identification of "lines for which optical fiber is applied" and "other lines" for each telephone number	Information Other carriers		



IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service)

Conditions for Interconnection to IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service)

Interconnection to the IP communications network (FLET'S service) is a menu for ISPs that provide Internet access service to end-users. The preconditions in submitting an application for interconnection are as follows.

Interconnection Conditions

An applicant must be a Type I or Type II telecommunications carrier.

An applicant can assign a global IP address to each end-user.

User authentication by RADIUS must be possible.

Cases in which service is not provided as telecommunications service and used on the in-house network, etc., of other carriers are not handled as interconnection.

With respect to FLET'S service, lines are provided for end-users only.

Patterns of Interconnection to IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service) (Overview)

Connecting to a POI for each prefecture makes it possible to provide service to end-users in service areas within each prefecture. Connecting to a centralized POI in any prefecture makes it possible to provide service to end-users in service areas in all prefectures.



> IP communications network: Can accommodate traffic of end-users for each prefecture on an individual basis.

Wide-area IP communications network: Can accommodate traffic of end-users beyond prefectural borders through centralization.

Patterns of Interconnection to IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service)





Cases of interconnection to other carrier facilities that are collocated in an NTT East building



Point of interface (POI)



Interfaces for Interconnection to IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service)

The interfaces for interconnection to the IP communications network of NTT East are as follows.

Interfaces for Tandem Office Router Interconnection	Corresponding Leased Line, Etc.
ATM (MM/SM) interface	ATM leased line, ¹ etc.
100BASE-TX interface 100BASE-FX interface 1000BASE-LX interface 1000BASE-SX interface	Interconnection to collocated other carrier facilities Wide-area LAN type leased line, ² etc.
Leased line primary-rate or secondary-rate user-network interface	Digital leased line, ³ etc.

Explanation

1 ATM Megalink (Dual and Single) can provide this interface in the case of NTT East leased line services.

2 MetroEther and SuperWide LAN (100 Mbit/s) can provide this interface in the case of NTT East leased line services.

3 Digital Access 1500 and 6000 can provide this interface in the case of NTT East leased line services.

If you have questions about interfaces other than the above, please contact us separately.

Expenses for Interconnection to IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service)

Expenses for interconnection to the IP communications network of NTT East include network modification charges, collocation charges, etc., that are required monthly (expenses for work and procedures represent one-time charges).



	Expense Item	Description	Intra-prefecture IP communications	Inter-prefecture IP communications
—	Expenses for procedures for the line installation in the IP communications network inter-prefectural section	Charges for the procedure when the IP communications network inter-prefecture transmission function is used		
1	IP communications network inter-prefecture transmission function	Charges in accordance with the classification (interface speeds: medium capacity class and large capacity class)		
2	IP communications network inter-prefectural line management function	Charges for the management, etc., of usage information on the IP communications network inter-prefecture transmission function		
3	Work expenses for IP communications network data settings	Expenses for setting IP addresses, etc., in a tandem office router		
4	IP communications network interconnection interface function	Interconnection usage charges (expenses for the interface package of a tandem of- fice router, connection equipment for centralization, etc.)		
6	Collocation expenses	Space charges, electricity usage charges, NTT East facility usage charges, maintenance expenses, etc., when other carrier routers, etc., are installed in an NTT East building		
6	Interconnection line expenses (leased lines, etc.)	Charges in accordance with the speed class when NTT East leased lines are used		
7	Optical signal intra-office transmission function	Expenses required when an optical signal intra-office transmission line (intra-office optical fiber) is used for interconnection between a tandem office router and other carrier facilities		
8	Optical signal intra-office line management function	Charges for the management, etc., of information on the usage of optical signal intra-office transmission function		

Obligation to Pay Expenses for Interconnection to IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service)

Obligation to Pay Interconnection Charges (Network Modification Charges)

Please note in advance that the payment of expenses for interconnection facilities prepared for other carriers will be handled as follows in accordance with Article 36-2 (Usage Cancellation, Etc., of Facilities Subject to Individual Management Through Application by a Contracting Carrier), Article 36-3 (Disposal or Diversion for Other Purposes of Facilities Subject to Individual Management), and Article 66 (Obligation to Pay Network Modification Charges) of the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection in the event either of the following is applicable.

[In Case of Canceling the Usage of Interconnection Facilities]

Please submit an application for the usage cancellation of interconnection facilities now being used by completing Form 22-2.

The payment of network modification charges as calculated by the following formula is required for interconnection facilities whose usage is to be canceled.

<When diversion for other purposes is not possible>

a. Cases in which the legal life of the relevant facility has not elapsed Charge amount = Undepreciated balance + removal work expenses

 b. Cased in which the legal life of the relevant facility has elapsed Charge amount = Residual value + removal work expenses

<When diversion for other purposes is possible> Cases in which the legal life of the relevant facility has not elapsed Charge amount = Undepreciated balance + removal work expenses - usage value after diversion for other purposes

[In Case of Upgrading Interconnection Facilities]

Please submit an application for the usage cancellation of interconnection facilities now being used by completing Form 22-2. At the same time, please submit an application for the construction of interconnection facilities to be newly used (which is the procedure usually taken for such cases).

The payment of network modification charges as calculated by the following formula is required for interconnection facilities whose usage is to be canceled for upgrading, in addition to network modification charges for the interconnection facilities after upgrading.

<When diversion for other purposes is not possible>

- a. Cases in which the legal life of the relevant facility has not elapsed
- Charge amount = Undepreciated balance + removal work expenses b. Cased in which the legal life of the relevant facility has elapsed
- Charge amount = Residual value + removal work expenses

<When diversion for other purposes is possible>

Cases in which the legal life of the relevant facility has not elapsed

Charge amount = Undepreciated balance + removal work expenses - usage value after diversion for other purposes

Please note in advance that the payment of expenses incurred is required in accordance with Paragraph 4, Article 27 of the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection in the case of canceling the installation or modification of interconnection facilities after the application is submitted but before the start of interconnection.

The same procedures as those in and are applied for interconnection facilities (the interface package of a tandem office router, connection equipment for centralization, etc.) that become unnecessary as a result of POI centralization through the usage of the IP communications network inter-prefecture transmission function.

Explanation

If a change is made in the connection equipment (the interface package of a tandem office router, connection equipment for concentration, etc.) due to an increase in the number of end users, a shortage of bandwidth, etc., (e.g., from 100BASE-TX to 1000BASE-LX), the payment of network modification charges as calculated in accordance with the above cal-

culation formula for the connection equipment whose usage is to be cancelled is also required in addition to network modification charges for the connection equipment (such as the interface) to be newly used.



Contracts and Agreements Necessary for Interconnection to IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service)

Contracts necessary for interconnection to the NTT East IP communications network are as follows.

Interconnection Agreement

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This agreement is based on the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection of NTT East and stipulates the pattern of interconnection, the POI location, a confidentiality obligation, and the basic items related to interconnection. It is not possible for applicant carriers to start service without entering into an Interconnection Agreement.

Particulars Based on Interconnection Agreement

This contract provides specific clerical processing details concerning the setup change work, maintenance, billing and payment methods, etc., after the start of interconnection, and confirms details of technical conditions concerning tandem office router connections. This contract is necessary for smooth interconnection operation.

Contract for Individual Construction, Etc.

This contract stipulates the conditions for the construction of NTT East communications facilities necessary for interconnection and monthly charges.

- Expenses for the provision of the tandem office router interface function (network modification charges)
- Expenses for the DSU (ONU) installed in an NTT East building (collocation expenses)

Various Types of Information Provided Concerning Interconnection to IP Communications Network (FLET'S Service)

Various types of information are provided on the Web for applicant carriers considering interconnection to the IP communications network.

Туре	URL
 Homepage for ISPs Interconnection application forms Information on service area expansion Information on POI (point of interface) buildings Seminar materials Other Application forms necessary for interconnection to NTT East facilities, such as the Preliminary Survey Application and the Interconnection Application and entry guidelines are shown. 	http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/info-st/ip_menu/index.html
Information on FLET'S service (information for end-users)	http://www.flets.com/
Information on leased lines	http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/senyo/
Possibility of diversion for other purposes with re- spect to facilities subject to individual management	http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/info-st/mutial/other/



Collocation

Collocation (Also detailed on Page 26, Volume 1: Common Interconnection Procedures)

Collocation means installing the <u>equipment, etc., necessary for the interconnection</u> of other carriers in an NTT East <u>communications building</u>, <u>etc.,</u> in establishing interconnection with NTT East networks. We will meet the requests of other carriers by announcing the conditions, etc., for providing a site in an NTT-East communications building where other carrier equipment necessary for interconnection is installed.

- 1 This includes transmission equipment, cable and other equipment (meaning the telecommunications facilities whose installation within an NTT East communications building, etc., is reasonably considered necessary in view of the technical and economic alternatives) of an applicant carrier that are necessary for interconnection.
- 2 This includes the NTT East communications building, conduits and cable tunnels for the section between such communications building and the nearest available manhole designated by NTT East, and telephone poles installed within the premises of such communications building.





Standard Lead-Time for Collocation (Also detailed on Page 32, Volume 1: Common Interconnection Procedures)

NTT East will complete preparations within the following periods ¹ for the installation of the applicant carrier equipment, etc., necessary for interconnection at the POI. Articles 10-4, 95 and 95-4, Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection



1 These periods may be exceeded in the event special work is necessary, such as when the installation and/or modification of power equipment, storage batteries or power reception/generation equipment is required because the existing capacity of such equipment would be exceeded if power were supplied to the equipment, etc., necessary for interconnection in establishing interconnection, or when the scale of work under the Facility Construction Contract is extensive (meaning cases in which the consigned work expenses total ¥5 million or more at the relevant POI from among the amounts to be borne on the basis of the Facility Construction Contract).

The indicated lead-time does not include any period required by an applicant carrier for study purposes, the time required to secure a road occupancy permit, road usage permit, etc., to install the equipment, etc., necessary for interconnection (the period from an application to obtaining a permit), or the time elapsed due to any force majeure such as natural disasters or otherwise due to the reasons not attributable to NTT East.

2 In the event the period form the planned work start date until the planned work completion date or the requested power equipment usage start date as indicated in the Self-Undertaken Work Application exceeds three months, an applicant carrier is requested to enter the reason therefor in the Self-Undertaken Work Application. 3 Within two weeks in the event of installing the equipment, etc., necessary for interconnection or any related equipment of the applicant carrier at the site where relevant equipment, etc., has already been installed by the applicant carrier and if there is no need for the installation or modification of the facilities available to the applicant carrier, including the power and air-conditioning facilities, raised floors or other peripheral equipment used in conjunction with the equipment, etc., necessary for interconnection.

4 The payment of fees covering such space (housing charges) is required during the work period. The payment of collocation charges is required from the requested usage start date of power equipment as estimated by the applicant carrier at the time of making an application for work or the date on which NTT East completes the preparations for power equipment, whichever is later. In the event the applicant carrier does not start the usage of new power equipment, the payment of collocation charges is required from the planned work completion date indicated by the applicant carrier in the Self-Undertaken Work Application or the date on which the self-undertaken work is completed, whichever is earlier.

5 NTT may ask the applicant carrier to discuss the situation in detail in case the work period exceeds three months

6 The payment of collocation charges is required from the planned work completion date or the date on which preparations are made for power equipment, whichever is later.

Entry Examples for Various Application Forms Concerning Collocation



Interconnection and on the NTT East Homepage before submitting this application.

Please carefully review the information contained in the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection, the Guideboo Interconnection and on the NTT East Homepage before submitting this application.

Entry Examples for Various Application Forms Concerning Collocation

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Entry Examples for Various Application Forms Concerning Collocation



Please carefully review the information contained in the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection, the Guidebook for Interconnection and on the NTT East Homepage before submitting this application.





Conduits, Telephone Poles, Etc.

Leasing of NTT East Telecommunications Facilities

In response to a request by an applicant carrier, NTT East also offers facilities other than those specified under the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection and provided as obligatory depending upon their availability. With respect to telephone poles, conduits, etc., in general sections from among these facilities, the usage procedures and conditions for providing such facilities are announced.



Point of interface (POI)

With respect to telephone poles, conduits, etc., that are owned by NTT East, NTT East has established conditions for providing the essential sections for interconnection (hereinafter referred to as "obligatory sections") in the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection. At the same time, we have also provided telephone poles, conduits, etc., in the sections other than obligatory sections (hereinafter referred to as "general sections") on a fair and nondiscriminatory basis in accordance with the Application for the Usage of Conduits, Etc., and Contract Conditions, Etc., announced on March 26, 1999, prior to the NTT reorganization when we do not have specific usage plans. Accompanying the April 2001enforcement of the Guidelines Concerning the Usage of Poles, Conduits, Etc., of Public Utility Companies (hereinafter referred to as the "Guidelines") by the Ministry of Public Management, Home Affairs, Posts and Telecommunications, we announced the new standard implementation outline that conforms to the Guidelines in April of the same year through a further enhancement of the contents that had so far been announced. Following this, we have been continuing our studies on conditions to further facilitate usage and revising the standard implementation outline.

Please see our Homepage for the latest version of the Application for the Usage of Poles, Conduits, Etc., and Contract Conditions (standard implementation outline) at URL: http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/info-st/conguide/kanro/index.html.



Usage Procedures for NTT East Conduits, Telephone Poles, Etc.

Usage procedures for conduits, telephone poles, etc., in the general sections are as follows:



- 1 Usage of NTT East Conduits, Etc.

NTT East offers our conduits, etc., for use by other carriers not only in the obligatory sections that are essential for interconnection, but also in other general sections when we do not have specific usage plans.



Explanation

Facilities Subject to Joint Accommodation

1. Underground conduits

- 2. Manholes, etc., that are connected to underground conduits
- 3. Cable tunnels (including public utility tunnels as stipulated by law). Public utility tunnels shared by multiple companies will become subject to joint accommodation only when the consent of all companies involved is obtained.

Carriers Subject to Joint Accommodation Approved telecommunications carriers

Carriers other than approved telecommunications carriers that can obtain a road occupancy permit pursuant to Article 35 of the Road Law are encouraged to separately consult with the appropriate branch of NTT East.

NTT

- 1 Usage of NTT East Conduits, Etc.

Usage Under Joint Accommodation

NTT East offers our facilities for joint accommodation pursuant to applicable laws and ordinances.

If usage conditions are met, NTT East facilities can be used after entering into a contract.

Installation Work by Other Carriers

With respect to the cable installation work of other carriers, the options of work consigned to NTT East and self-undertaken work by other carriers are both available.

- 2 Usage Conditions for NTT East Conduits, Etc.

NTT East will accept usage applications except in cases in which the following conditions are applicable.

Cases in which there is no unused space in the conduits, etc., in the requested section.

Cases in which NTT East has plans to use the conduits, etc., in the requested section within five years and there will be no available space at such time.

Cases in which plans call for the modification or relocation of the conduits, etc., in the requested section.

Cases involving non-conformity with NTT East technical standards, or cases in which NTT East technical standards do not include clear provisions and the installation of other carrier facilities has caused or may likely to cause difficulties in terms of construction or maintenance by NTT East.

Cases involving non-fulfillment of contracts regarding the expenses to be borne, usage period and other usage conditions in the past or a fear of the same.

Cases not meeting the conditions of applicable laws and ordinances, or cases involving difficulties in obtaining a road occupancy permit or a fear of the same.

Cases involving the failure to observe full security (confidentiality obligations, prohibition of usage for other than intended purposes) regarding information obtained from NTT East, or a fear of the same.

Cases otherwise involving a hindrance to public utility work by NTT East.

I - 3 - Entering into a Basic Contract Concerning the Usage of NTT East Conduits, Etc. (Joint Accommodation)

In order to reduce the period for negotiations concerning individual sections, a Basic Contract Concerning Joint Accommodation in Underground Conduits, Etc., will be entered into with the NTT East head office at the time the initial application is made.



Explanation

- Materials that need to be prepared for a Basic Contract application
 - Applicant carrier's company profile (that indicates the scale of the company)
 Name of the person authorized to enter into a Pacie Contract (company repr
 - Name of the person authorized to enter into a Basic Contract (company representative, etc.)
 - Specifications of the cable to be installed (including outer diameter and the number of cores)
 - Location of the requested section of conduits, etc. (please use a subdivision plotting map, etc., to indicate the location.)
- Contact numbers (the name of contact person, contact numbers, address, etc.) Please prepare the above materials before submitting an application.
- 2 In case of no changes in the Basic Contract draft.

- 3 - Survey Application and Response Concerning the Usage of NTT East Conduits, Etc. (Joint Accommodation)

Individual applications for usage begin with the Survey Request Form, and NTT East will provide a response indicating the usage feasibility, etc., within two months after receiving such request form.



Explanation

1 Joint Accommodation Survey Request Form

Requested section of conduits, etc. (please also attached a map.)

Outline of applicant carrier facilities to be installed (outer cable diameter, the number of cores, etc.)

Requested usage start timing and usage period

Request for a half-duct system (Yes or No)

Other matters that need to be considered at the time of a survey

- * Please consult with NTT InfraNet, which handles survey requests for NTT East, in completing the survey request form.
- 2 Joint Accommodation Survey Response

We will provide a response indicating the usage feasibility of the requested conduit, etc. In the event such usage is possible, we will also indicate the route, estimated expenses, etc.

- *In the event the survey finds that the requested usage would be difficult, we will provide a response that indicates the reasons therefor.
- *Whether or not the requested facilities are actually used, expenses incurred for the survey will be separately required.
- * The survey will be implemented on a documentary examination basis only to provide a response.
- (Note 1) Attachment 1: Joint Accommodation Survey for Underground Conduits, Etc. (Request) (Form N-05)
- (Note 2) Attachment 2: Results of Joint Accommodation Survey for Underground Conduits, Etc. (Response)



- 3 - Application for Individual Contracts Concerning the Usage of NTT East Conduits, Etc. (Joint Accommodation)

In the event conduits, etc., that can be provided are actually used, an applicant carrier is requested to submit an application for an Individual Contract Concerning Joint Accommodation in Underground Conduits, Etc., within three months of the survey response. An individual contract will be concluded within 12 months from this application.



Explanation

1 Application for Individual Contract

If an application is not submitted within three months from the survey response, the relevant response will cease to be effective as it is assumed that there is no intention to enter into a contract.

If an individual contract cannot be entered into even after 12 months have elapsed following an application due to reasons attributable to an applicant carrier, the payment of an amount equivalent to usage charges for 12 months is required as a penalty, and said application ceases to be effective. In the event any reason attributable to an applicant carrier prevents the conclusion of a contract before 12 months have elapsed, the payment of an amount equivalent to usage charges for the elapsed period is required. The same applies in case of canceling an application.

Attachment 3: Application for Individual Contract Concerning Joint Accommodation in Underground Conduits, Etc. (Request) (Form N-15)

2 Individual Contract Concerning Joint Accommodation in Underground Conduits, Etc.

Individual contracts will be entered into for each joint accommodation section.

The effective date of an individual contract will be the date on which an applicant carrier's cable installation work is started.



(Reference) Work Implementation Flow Concerning the Usage of NTT East Conduits, Etc.



A maintenance contract is required for usage start. An applicant carrier can select either self-undertaken maintenance or maintenance consigned to NTT East for the maintenance contract. Please consult with us separately for details.

- 3 - Cable Construction Contract Concerning the Usage of NTT East Conduits, Etc. (Joint Accommodation)

In parallel with individual contracts, a contract concerning the installation and maintenance of applicant carrier facilities will be entered into.



Explanation

1 Please conclude a contract with each branch of NTT East.

2 Please provide us with the equipment, materials, etc., necessary for work prior to the start of construction work.
- 3 - Basic Contract, Etc., Concerning Self-Undertaken Work for NTT East Conduits, Etc. (Joint Accommodation)

In parallel with individual contracts, a contract concerning self-undertaken work for applicant carrier facilities will be entered into.



Explanation

- 1 A Basic Contract is concluded with the NTT East head office only for the initial application.
- 2 Please submit an application for self-undertaken work for each work to the appropriate branch of NTT East.
- 3 Arrangements for self-undertaken work are made jointly with the appropriate branch of NTT East for each project.

(Reference) NTT East Technical Standards for Conduits, Etc.

NTT East's technical standards concerning conduits, etc., are as described below.

1. Structure of cable to be accommodated

(1) Conduits

For sections with a standard conduit inner diameter of 75 mm, the standard cable outer diameter shall be 60 mm or less. For sections with a conduit inner diameter of 50 mm, the standard cable outer diameter shall be 35 mm or less.

(2) Other than conduits

Flame-resistant cable shall be used.

2. Half-duct system

- (1) A half-duct system is applied to cable with a standard outer diameter of 24 mm or less.
- (2) In the case of conduits, an inner pipe with a standard inner diameter of 30 mm or less that is in conformity with NTT East specifications is installed within a conduit with a standard inner diameter of 75 mm, and the cable indicated in (1) above is accommodated within such inner pipe.
- (3) A half-duct system is not applied to the sections where measures to prevent freezing are taken, bridge sections or sections where many cables cannot be accommodated due to individual equipment circumstances.

3. Structure of cable joints (closures, etc.)

- (1) The cable joint structure shall not encroach upon the inner workspace of a manhole, etc.
- (2) The dimensions of closures, etc., shall be approximately 25 cm or less in outer diameter and 70 cm or less in length. Consultation will be provided individually for cases in which the above conditions cannot be applied, as limit values differ for specific equipment depending on the type of manhole, the existing cable situation, etc.

4. Other

Consultation will be provided individually for sections where measures to prevent cable movement, frost damage, induction, etc., are necessary depending on the environment where the conduit is installed, etc.

Moreover, consultation will also be individually provided with respect to the details on Items 1, 2 and 3 above, the connectivity of a cable measuring device, and other conditions and standards.

- 4 Information on Offices Handling Matters Relating to the Usage of NTT East Conduits, Etc.

From the standpoint of ensuring convenience and fairness as well as increasing efficiency by consolidating work, all matters relating to conduits, etc., will be handled by an NTT group company, NTT InfraNet.

Classification	Handling Office	Address and Telephone Number
Reception	NTT InfraNet (Route Design Office)	15F, Hama-cho Center Building, 2-31-1 Nihonbashi-Hama-cho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo 103-0007 TEL: +81-3-5645-1038
Concluding a basic contract, etc.	Nippon Telegraph and Telephone East Corporation (Network Business Headquarters, Interconnection Business Promotion Section, Interconnection Promotion Department)	3-19-2 Nishi-Shinjuku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 163-8019 TEL: +81-3-5359-4125
Concluding individual contracts and receiving work applications Nippon Telegraph and Telephone East Corporation		Each branch

URL link concerning the usage of NTT East conduits, etc.

NTT East http://www.ntt-east.co.jp/info-st/conguide/kanro/index.html

Attachments 1 and 2

Attachment 1 Attachment 2 (Form N-05) No. Ver.1.2 (October 21, 1999) Date: No. To: Mr./Ms. Date Company ____ To: NTT East From: NTT Fast General Manager of Branch General Manager of Branch SEAL From: Address Results of Joint Accommodation Survey for Underground Conduits, Etc. Company: SEAL (Response) Joint Accommodation Survey for Underground Conduits, Etc. (Request) We are pleased to provide the following response with respect to your request for the joint accommodation survey for underground conduits, etc. (No._____; dated October We hereby request that a joint accommodation survey for underground conduits, etc., 1, 2001). be undertaken as follows. 1. Joint accommodation survey section for underground conduits, etc. 1. Survey section(s): Nihonbashi-Hamacho, Chuo-ku, National Road No. Kabutocho, Chuo-ku Intersection ~ Intersection 2. Relevant branch/building: NTT Branch, Building 1 2. Number of cable cores and outer diameter 3. Section(s) where joint accommodation is possible (distance) cores; outer diameter: mm m 3. Requested joint accommodation start timing Cable tunnel: m Date: Conduit: m per month Manhole: 4. Requested joint accommodation period unit(s) 4. Joint accommodation usage charge: ¥_ Date: ~ Date: 5. Remarks 5. Survey expenses: ¥____ (hours) * Please let us know the feasibility for each section individually for which a survey is comple-(1) As indicated in the attached Expense Contract Concerning a Survey of Underted. We will separately consult with your contact section with respect to the priority of surground Conduits, Etc. vevs and replies. (2) The survey expense contract shall become effective on the date it is accepted by * In case joint accommodation is not possible in the section we requested, please also study an authorized representative of your company. an adiacent route. (3) The survey expenses will be billed on the basis of this contract. * Please conduct a survey on the basis of documentary examination and provide us with a prompt response. 6. Other * As the section subject to this survey assumes the adoption of a half-duct system, we leave (1) As this survey was conducted mainly on the basis of documentary examination. the matter of coordination for the adoption of a half-duct system to you in the event there althere may be cases in which the survey results cannot be used without further deready is another party for joint accommodation or such party subsequently emerges. tailed surveys. * As we request the connection to our conduits (one cable with E"75mm) at the survey start (2) Coordination with respect to the joint accommodation start timing, etc., will be and end points, please also let us know the feasibility of such connections. separately provided after an application for a Cable Construction Contract is sub-* With respect to connections to our conduits at the manhole, as we will determine and remitted. quest such connections by the beginning/middle/end of the year_____, please coordinate and implement such connections. 7. Attached materials * Please implement a survey on the basis of a Basic Contract Concerning Joint Accommoda-Attachment (Report on Route Survey Results) tion in Underground Conduits, Etc. 8. Contact information regarding this response 6. Contact information regarding the survey contents NTT _____ Branch, _____ Department, _ Section Contact person: Name: TEL: Contact number: FAX:



Attachment 3 and Attached Table 1

Attachment 3

	No Da	
To: NTT East General Manager of _		le:
	From: Addres Compa	
	Individual Contract Concerning Joint Ac Underground Conduits, Etc. (Request)	commodation ir
dation survey for une for an individual con We would also requi ture for joint accom	ponse (No, dated) to our request f derground conduits, etc. (No, dated tract as follows. est that you implement a design that will become modation as follows. Please also note that your a we carry out underground construction work.	_), we hereby appl necessary in the fu
1. Joint accommo- dation section	line manhole ~ cable tunnel, point	As indicated in the attached map.
2. Requested man- hole to install our conduit	line, manhole (one cable with 75mm) cable tunnel, point (one cable with 75mm)	As indicated in the attached map.
3. Requested join- taccommoda- tion start timing	Date:	
4. Other	Please let us know the installation location, etc., in your manhole by MM/YY by contact- ing the following. We will consult with your Design Section for details. With respect to the expenses, etc., relating to this request, we will make payment on the basis of the invoice sent by your company by the due date specified in the invoice. We will start coordination for cable construc- tion for the section indicated in the attached map, and ask you to provide whatever re- sponses are necessary in the future.	
5. Our contact infor- mation concern- ing this matter	Company: Branch: Department: Contact person:	

Attached Table 1

Section	Section	Distance (m)	Feasibility	Facility	Half-duct system	Reason that joint accommodation is not possible, etc.
1	cable tunnel Point A ~ cable tunnel Point J	456.5	Feasible	Cable tunnel	Yes	
2	cable tunnel Point J ~ cable tunnel Point A	120.5	Feasible	Cable tunnel	Yes	
3	cable tunnel Point A ~ j2MH	48.9	Feasible	Conduit	Yes	
4	No. 2 MH ~ j3MH	59.8	Feasible	Conduit	(*)	
5	No.2 MH ~ j4MH	84.5	Not Feasible	Conduit		There is no space available to ac commodate cable at present.
6						
7						
8						
9						

- 1 Usage Conditions for Joint Installations on Telephone Poles

NTT East will accept usage applications except in cases in which the following conditions are applicable.

Cases in which there is no available space on the requested telephone pole.¹

Cases in which NTT East has plans to use the requested telephone pole within five years and there will be no available space at such time. ¹

Cases in which plans call for the modification or relocation of the requested telephone pole.

Cases in which plans call for the installation of underground cable in the section in which the joint installation is requested.

Cases involving non-conformity with NTT East technical standards, ² or cases in which NTT East technical standards do not include clear provisions and the installation of other carrier facilities has caused or may likely to cause difficulties in terms of construction or maintenance by NTT East.

Cases involving non-fulfillment of contracts regarding the expenses to be borne, usage period and other usage conditions in the past or a fear of the same.

Cases not meeting the conditions of applicable laws and ordinances, or cases involving difficulties in obtaining a road occupancy permit or a fear of the same.

Cases involving the failure to observe full security (confidentiality obligations, prohibition of usage for other than intended purposes) regarding information obtained from NTT East, or a fear of the same.

Cases otherwise involving a hindrance to public utility work by NTT East.

Explanation

2 Please see NTT East Technical Standards for Telephone Poles (Page 84).

^{1 &}quot;No available space" means: (i) cases in which joint installation space (isolated from other joint use facilities) cannot be secured and (ii) the permissible range of pole strength would be exceeded if the applied cable, etc., is installed.

- 2 - Application for a Basic Contract and Individual Contracts for Joint Installations on Telephone Poles

In order to reduce the period for negotiations concerning individual sections, a Basic Contract Concerning the Joint Installation of Communications Cable will be concluded at the time the initial application is made. Please use the Joint Installation Application Form in making an application for individual usage cases.



Explanation

The following entries are required.

- Requested location or section (please also show a map and the number of the telephone pole).
- · Outline of other carrier facilities to be installed (the outer diameter of the cable to be installed, etc.)
- · Requested usage start timing and usage period
- Other matters requiring attention in conducting a survey.

The submission of this application form will be deemed as expressing the intention to make an application for an individual contract.

- 2 - Response on Feasibility of Joint Installations on Telephone Poles and Conclusion of Individual Contracts

Within one month from the submission of the Joint Installation Application Form (application for an individual contract), NTT East will provide a response on the usage feasibility of the requested pole.



Explanation

- 1 A response indicating the usage feasibility of the requested pole, expenses, etc., will be provided. In the event usage is possible, an individual contract will be entered into. Please see usage conditions (Page 81).
- If it is determined that usage would be difficult, we will provide a response that indicates the reasons therefor.
- · Survey expenses are separately required whether or not the requested pole is actually used.
- The period from the application to the response may exceed one month depending on the distance involved, etc.
- An individual contract is entered into per usage section.
- 2 Applicant carriers are requested to carry out cable installation and maintenance.



(Reference) NTT East Technical Standards for Telephone Poles

NTT East technical standards relating to telephone poles are as follows.

1. Lines to be jointly installed 4. Load, etc. (1) The type of line shall be cable or insulated wire. In principle, the wind pressure load, etc., of lines to be installed by Type I (2) Line voltage and electric current shall be 100V or less and telecommunications carriers shall not exceed the structural strength of the 15A or less. existing telephone pole facilities (including bundled facilities). 5. Prevention of unbalanced load 2. Distance from communications lines Type I telecommunications carriers are required to ensure that The distance between NTT East communications lines and jointly installed lines (including auxiliary facilities) shall be 30cm or more. measures to prevent unbalanced loads on the existing telephone pole facilities are fully taken with respect to the line to be installed. However, this shall not apply in the event approval is obtained from NTT East and the existing joint installation carriers, or in the event the aerial line to be installed (including auxiliary facilities) does not cause any hindrance 6. Installation of auxiliary facilities to work relating to aerial lines installed by NTT East and existing joint in-In case of installing auxiliary facilities such as repeaters and splitters, such facilities stallation carriers, and does not cause any damage to said lines. shall be installed within a range that results in no impact on NTT East facilities or ex-The above conditions are not applicable in the following cases. isting joint installation carrier facilities (including construction and maintenance work, (1) Cases in which the line to be installed is bundled with the existing aerial communications, etc., involving the relevant facilities), and said facilities shall not be lines and auxiliary facilities are installed at a site different from that for installed within 1 meter from the telephone pole flank (including pole braces). Consultation will be separately provided with respect to the shape, weight, etc., of the existing lines. such installations. (2) Cases in which the line is to be installed at the designated location by using protruding metal fittings after obtaining the approval of NTT East. 7. Lead-in wires to customers When Type I telecommunications carriers install lead-in wires, etc., a dis-3. Installation location tance of 1meter or more shall be secured from the telephone pole flank. The location where the joint installation line (including auxiliary facilities) is to be installed shall basically be above the NTT East communications line (including lead-in wires). 8. Other In the case of concrete poles, no line shall be installed within 15 Consultation will be provided on an individual basis with respect to details cm from the top of the telephone pole. for Items 1 through 7 above and other conditions and standards.

- 3 NTT Contact Sections for Joint Installations on Telephone Poles (East Japan Area)

Coverage	Contact Section	Address and Telephone Number	Coverage	Contact Section	Address and Telephone Number
Tokyo (Chiyoda-ku and Chuo-ku)	Access Section Plant Department Chuo Branch NTT-ME Tokyo	6F, NTT East Kasumigaseki Building Shinkan, 1-1-6 Uchisaiwaicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0011 TEL: 03-3519-9071	Yamanashi	Database Section Plant Operations Department NTT-ME Yamanashi	2-12-4 Honcho, Nirasaki, Yamanashi 407-0024 TEL: 0551-23-5800
Tokyo (Minato-ku, Shinagawa-ku, Meguro- ku, Ota-ku, Setagaya-ku, Shibuya-ku and part of Mitaka, Komae and Chofu)	Access Plant Promotion Section Access Techno Center Plant Department Minami Branch NTT-ME Tokyo	3F, NTT Togasaki LMC, 1-11-7 Chuo-cho, Meguro-ku, Tokyo 152-0001 TEL: 03-3760-8701	Nagano	Access Section Maintenance Sales Department NTT-ME Nagano	1137-5 Shinden-cho, Nagano 380-8519 TEL: 026-267-4322
Tokyo (Shinjuku-ku, Nakano-ku, Suginami-ku, Toshima-ku, Kita- ku, Itabashi-ku and Nerima-ku)	Techno Ikebukuro Second Section Plant Department Kita Branch NTT-ME Tokyo	4F, NTT Minami itabashi Building Honkan, 34-1 Saiwaicho Itabashi-ku,Tokyo 173-0034 TEL: 03-5986-2461	Niigata	Database Section Maintenance Sales Department NTT-ME Niigata	4F, NTT Kawagishi-cho Building, 1-37 Kawagishi-cho, Niigata 951-8133 TEL: 025-234-0708
Tokyo (Bunkyo-ku, Taito-ku, Sumida-ku, Koto-ku, Arakawa-ku, Adachi-ku, Katsushika-ku and Edogawa-ku)	Access Section Plant Department Higashi Branch NTT-ME Tokyo	NTT Mukojima Building Bekkan, 1-44-3 Kyojima, Sumida-ku, Tokyo 131-0064 TEL: 03-5631-9515	Miyagi	Access Support Section EG/Operations Department NTT-ME Miyagi	4-3-15 Nigatake, Miyagino-ku, Sendai, Miyagi 983-0036 TEL: 022-238-8760
Tokyo (Other than 23 wards, Tama district and part of Kanagawa)	Database Section Plant Department Tokyo Nishi Branch NTT-ME Tokyo	NTT Hino Building, 6-23 Tamadaira, Hino, Tokyo 191-0062 TEL: 042-582-2909	Fukushima	Liaison Section Plant Management Department NTT-ME Fukushima	22-1 Naka-arako, Fukushima 960-8216 TEL: 024-535-7149
Kanagawa (Except for Sagamihara)	Customer Subsection Access Section Plant Operations Department NTT-ME Kanagawa	2F, NTT Yokohama Minami Building, 3-54 Hananoki, Minami-ku, Yokohama, Kanagawa 232-0018 TEL: 045-714-7591	Iwate	Planning Support Section NTT-ME Iwate	2-18-43 Ueda, Morioka, Iwate 020-0066 TEL: 019-621-7191
Chiba	Access Liaison Section Engineering Sales Department NTT-ME Chiba	16F, NTT Makuhari Building, 1-6 Nakase, Mihama-ku, Chiba 261-0023 TEL: 043-351-7263	Aomori	Access Service Section IT Service Department NTT-ME Aomori	2-6-27 Tsutsumi-machi, Aomori 030-0812 TEL: 017-732-5805
Saitama	Plant Business Section Engineering Business Department NTT-ME Saitama	3F, NTT Daitakubo Building Kyukan, 1-26-20 Daitakubo, Saitama 336-8865 TEL: 048-813-7097	Yamagata	Plant Service Section Field Service Department NTT-ME Yamagata	6-10 Minami-niban-cho, Yamagata 990-2442 TEL: 023-635-2626
Ibaraki	Liaison and Coordination Section Maintenance Department NTT-ME Ibaraki	3-4131-1 Ishikawamachi, Mito, Ibaraki 310-0062 TEL: 029-232-4386	Akita	Access Service Section Field Service Department NTT-ME Akita	233 Aza-Noboriki, Izumi, Akita 010-0816 TEL: 018-883-4144
Tochigi	Liaison Office Plant Department NTT-ME Tochigi	3F, NTT DoCoMo Nishikawata Building, 64-1 Nishikawata-machi, Utsunomiya, Tochigi 321- 0151 TEL: 028-684-3491	Hokkaido	Service Operations Section Service Operations Department NTT-ME Hokkaido	5F, NTT 4-chome Building, Nishi 4-chome, Kita 1-Jo, Chuo-ku, Sapporo 060-0001 TEL: 011-210-2255
Gunma	Plant Database Section Access Service Department NTT-ME Gunma	3F, NTT Gunma Branch Building Honkan, 3 Takasugi-machi, Takasaki, Gunma 370-0829 TEL: 027-310-8395			

(As of August 1, 2004; addresses and contact numbers of contact sections are subject to change)



Carrier's Rate

- 1 Leased Line Carrier's Rate

Interconnection charges for subscriber line-end interconnection for leased line service have been revised from applying charges specified in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service mutatis mutandis to applying discount charges for carriers (carrier's rate: charges for inter-terminal transmission functions, etc.) (this revision was approved on January 31, 2001), and "not including liaison/coordination work" was added to the carrier's rate menu (this addition was approved on August 1, 2002).

Carrier's Rate <Discount Rate for Inter-Terminal Transmission Functions, Etc.> Not including Including liaison/ liaison/ coordination work coordination work High-speed digital transmission service 8.6% 21.6% 35.1% 24.3% ATM leased line service 3.5% 9.5% General leased line 10.3% 15.8% service Charges = {Charge amounts specified in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service x (1 - Discount rate for inter-terminal transmission functions, etc.)} Long-term continuous usage discounts and volume discounts can be applied to the above charges in the same way as stipulated in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service. Figures in parentheses indicate the maximum discount rate that combines the long-term continuous usage discount (excluding general leased line service) and the volume discount.





- 2 Major Conditions for Leased Line Carrier's Rate

Item		Major Conditions	
Applicable services	cluding IP routing network inte transmission service, broadcast Article 11 of the Supplementar D-3 (facsimile transmission),	service, ATM leased line service and general leased line service <ex- erconnection leased line service, wireless leased line service, video ing usage of general leased line service, and services stipulated in y Provisions of the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service> E-1 (AM broadcasting), G-2 (facsimile transmission), I-2 (photo/facsimile 100b/s, 200b/s, 300b/s, 1200b/s, 48kb/s, 1.5Mb/s (single class)</ex- 	
Application format	Selecting "including" or "not including" liaison/coordination work per carrier (per-line and per-service selections are not accepted)		
Line format	Intra-prefecture end-to-end lines (the same format as that for lines connecting users)		
Name of contracting party for line	 The line between the end-user building and the applicant carrier building: Under the name of the end-user or the name of the telecommunications carrier The line between the applicant carrier buildings and the line between the NTT East building and the applicant carrier building: Under the name of the applicant carrier 		
Contract format	Contracts are required on a per-line basis after concluding an Interconnection Agreement and a Contract on Leased Line Service for Carriers (this contract relates to the line between the end-user building and the applicant carrier building under the name of the telecommunications carrier).		
Usage format	The usage purpose is to provide telecommunications service to end-users. (Note) The carrier's rate is not applicable to lines used by other carriers for their own usage (so-called self-use lines).		
Billing format	Charges are billed to other carriers (end-user charges are set and billed by other carriers). (Note) The carrier's rate is not applicable to service segment unit charges (so-called per-unit charges).		
	Long-term continuous usage discount and volume discount	 Conditions stipulated in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service are applied mutatis mutandis. (Note) • Under the volume discount scheme, it is not possible to add charges for services provided under the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service. It is possible to add charges for services under contracts covered by the Interconnection Agreement plus a Contract on Leased Line Service for Carriers. 	
Other	Minimum usage period	Conditions stipulated in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line	
	Temporary lines	Service are applied mutatis mutandis.	
	Transfers, suspensions, etc.	Transfers, suspensions and relocations are possible. However, transfers are possible only to carriers that concluded an agreement concerning the leased line carrier's rate. (Transfers after changing to the lines covered by the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service are accepted.)	
	Retroactive and time lag settlements	Not applicable	

- 3 Contents of Liaison/Coordination Work for Leased Line Carrier's Rate

Work Description

Distributing line application forms received from other carriers to the appropriate Business Service Centers in each area, and confirming the contents with other carriers in case of any entry omissions, etc., and modifying the contents as required. Providing schedule coordination with the reception section and/or the work implementation section in case the service start date requested by other carriers is different from the date on which NTT East can make such service available. Receiving fault reports, providing progress reports on fault repairs, providing fault recovery reports, providing explanations on fault causes, etc., on a nationwide basis as required.



Differences Between "Including" and "Not Including" Liaison/Coordination Work

Category	Including liaison/coordination work	Not including liaison/ coordination work
Line application	An applicant carrier submits an application to the Business Service Center via an NTT East account manager (AM).	An applicant carrier submits an application directly to the Busi- ness Service Center. Please submit to: Business Service Center (Tokyo)
Confirmation of contents An AM confirms any entry errors or omissions in the line appli- cation form, and modifies same as required.		 After receiving an application, the Business Service Center confirms any entry errors or omissions, and notifies the applicant carrier accordingly. The applicant carrier modifies the contents in case of any errors or omis- sions in the line application form, and re-submits the application form.
When the requested service start date is different from the pos- sible service start date	An AM provides schedule coordination with the reception sec- tion and/or the work implementation section. (Note) The Business Service Center will make even	 An applicant carrier contacts the Business Service Center and notifies it of the requested service start date that comes after the possible service start date. ry effort to meet the request of an applicant carrier.
Troubleshooting	An AM will receive fault reports, provide progress reports on fault repairs, provide fault recovery reports, provide explanations	The Business Service Center will receive fault reports, provide progress re- ports on fault repairs, provide fault recovery reports, provide explanations of fault causes, etc., as required with respect to the lines under its coverage.

Regardless of whether liaison/coordination work is included or not included, consulting, visits, proposals, quotations (including completing an application form and physical attendance at the work site), etc., are not implemented by our account manager, etc., in providing the carrier's rate.

- 4 Providing Leased Line Carrier's Rate

Target Carriers, Etc.

The leased line carrier's rate is applied to telecommunications carriers that conform to the following conditions.

- Telecommunications carriers that offer basic telecommunications service as specified in the Telecommunications Business law are requested to provide NTT East with a copy of the latest Articles of Agreement for Service that were submitted to the competent Minister.
- With respect to other telecommunications carriers, one of the following items must be applicable.
 - (1) The carrier has a carrier identification code for settlements among carriers.
 - (2) Telecommunications numbers have been assigned to the carrier based on the Telecommunications Numbering Regulations.
 - (3) The carrier has received confirmation from a public utilities organization (a corporation established pursuant to the provisions of Article 34 of the Civil Law) relating to telecommunications business supervised by the competent authority (such confirmation work is handled by the Telecom Services Association).

Procedures, Etc., Necessary Before Usage Start

Such procedures as the "preliminary survey application," "interconnection application," and "entering into an Interconnection Agreement" are necessary before usage start.

Please submit an application to NTT East in accordance with the Leased Line Carrier's Rate Application Flow and the Line Shift Application Flow.

A form different from the existing application form for leased line services is used for new line applications, etc., relating to the leased line carrier's rate.

- 5 Leased Line Carrier's Rate Application Flow

For Telecommunications Carriers Offering Basic Telecommunications Service



For Other Telecommunications Carriers



- 6 Line Shift Application Flow and Data Format



Line Shift Data Format

Shift Information (1): Please enter the company identification code, leased line ID, and line-end interconnection carrier code.

For carriers that are using subscriber line-end interconnection for leased line service, please use the same format as the following to prepare the line-end interconnection line information.

	Shift Information (1)				
Company identification code	Leased line ID	Telecommunications carrier code for line-end interconnection			
One-digit number	Nine-digit number	Seven-digit number			
1	300123456	1234567			

Please use CSV file format.

Company identification code: Distinction between NTT East and West to which a line-shift application is to be submitted.

[1]: NTT East, [2]: NTT West

Line ID: Line number of the line for which a shift application is to be submitted.

Telecommunications carrier code for line-end interconnection designated by NTT East: Code to identify the carrier

Shift Information (2): Please verify the contents of the confirmation list and enter the line-end interconnection classification code, IDs of access lines for lines between other carrier buildings, etc.

Shift Info	Shift Information (1)		Shift Information	(2)
Company	Company identification Leased line ID	Line-end interconnection	Line between oth	ner carrier buildings
code	Leased line ID	classification code 1	Leased line ID 2	Dial-up number 3
One-digit number	Nine-digit number	One-digit number	Nine-digit number	Ten-digit number
1	300123456	0		
1	300123456	0		

		Discl	osed Informati	on			
Review results 4	Reason code 4	Company code, etc.	Installation number	Customer name			ation address mpany name
One-digit number	Two-digit number	Seven-digit number	Three-digit number	Up to 40 Chinese characters	Up to 50	Chine	se characters
0	00	1234567	001	corporation	Sendai	•	corporation
0	00	1234567	002	corporation	Sendai	•	corporation

1 Line-end interconnection classification code:

1 = Line-end interconnection side, 0 = User side

IDs of access lines connected at both ends (please enter only in case of the line between the applicant carrier buildings).
 Dial-up number in case of a public/leased line connection (please enter only in case of the line between the applicant carrier buildings).

The review results and reason code are provided after an examination of the lines with respect to the applicability of the carrier's rate based on the shift information (1).

- 7 Entry Examples of Various Leased Line Carrier's Rate Application Forms

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 1

V V	
PRELIMINA	RY SURVEY APPLICATION
	No. Date:
To: Executive Manager Interconnection Pro NTT East	r omotion Department
	From: Company: Name: SEA
inary Survey) of your Artic hereby submit the followi	s of Paragraph 2, Article 11 (Application for Prelir cles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection, v ng Preliminary Survey Application for the purpo- nterconnection with the NTT East networks.
Outline of interconnection to be established/changed	Usage of inter-terminal transmission functions, etc (We will set charges for your company's leased lin service section to be interconnected to our net work.)
	(We will set charges for your company's leased lin service section to be interconnected to our net
to be established/changed Specific contents for ne-	(We will set charges for your company's leased lin service section to be interconnected to our net work.)

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 2

Attachment 1 Specific Contents for Negotiation

Points of interconnection specified in the Articles of Agreement	To be interconnected at (1), Para nection) of the Articles of Agreen	graph 1, Article 5 (Standa	rd Points of Intercon	
Points of interconnection other than those		nent Concerning Interconr	lection.	
specified in the Articles of Agreement	N/A			
2. Demarcation point for teleco	ommunications facilities			
 Requested POI installation site 	(Enter the requested PO	installation sites)		
site	Example 1) Within our company's building (address)			
	Example 2) Within an NT		luuress)	
		Ŭ		
2 Area subject to interconnect	tion			
3. Area subject to interconnect				
 Service area of applicant carrier subject to inter- 	(Complete this section in th East networks)	e case of new interco	nnection with NT	
connection	Example 1) Within Tokyo			
(2) Area subject to intercon-	Our network interconnection			
nection per POI	NTT East's network interconr	nection area: Example 1	I) Tokyo	
4. Technical conditions for inte	rconnection (physical ele	ctrical and logical o	conditions)	
Addition of new technical conditions	Yes No	interior and region of		
	Chapter XI (Technical Condi		6 A	
Interconnection based on the technical conditions specified in the Articles of Agreement.	cerning Interconnection As specified in Part_, Chap Collection of Technical Cond		- /	
	Signaling network configuration	Associated network	Quasi-associated network	
	Signaling speed	4.8kb/s	4.8kb/s	
	Priority originating- user reservation Bi-directional res- ervation	Yes	No	
	Bi-directional res-	Yes	No	
	9 ervation	TeS	INO	
Interconnection based on technical conditions other than those speci- fied in the Articles of Agreement	As per technical conditions for of Agreement Concerning Inter			
5. Construction of telecommur	nications facilities			
(1) Capacity of switching and	(Complete this section or			
transmission facilities per POI	POI installation site), Item munications facilities) is "			
(2) Applicant carrier facilities	indirications racinites) is		unany.)	
to be collocated within NTT-East buildings (if any)				
Type, quantity, dimensions of facilities to be installed				
Type, quantity, dimensions				

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the a betw conr Plea a loc	se enter "17-2" in this section in the case of connecting lines between the end-user building and pplicant carrier building (under the name of the end-user): "543-6" in the case of connecting lines een the applicant carrier buildings (under the name of the applicant carrier) and in the case of ection by collocating applicant carrier facilities in a local NTT building under FLET'S service. s enter "16" in the case of direct connection without the collocation of applicant carrier facilities in a INTT building. se contact us separately for other cases
the Articles of Agree-	les of Chapter VII (Patterns of li erconnection) ement No. 17-2, No. 18, or No. 543-6, 2-2, Attached Table 2
Patterns of interconnection those specified in the A Agreement	other than
7. Functions subject t	o network modification charges
Functions requested by app rier from among those subje work modification charges	icant car-
Outline of functions request plicant carrier other than tho to network modification char	se subject
8. Matters requiring o	perational cooperation
(1) Matters for which N cooperation is requ	
9. Other 9. Oth	nter the applicable number from among the following: munications carriers offering basic telecommunications services: 1 munications carriers other than 1 and with a carrier identification code: 2 munications carriers other than 1 and to which telecommunications numbers are assigned: 3 munications carriers other than 1 and with a confirmation from a public utilities organization: 4 ers falling under Classifications 2, 3 and 4, please enter the applicable number, etc. (from the carrier identification code, the telecommunications number or the public utilities tion confirmation number).
Interconnection applie conditions	Action Our company falls under Item _, Paragraph 2, Article 22 of the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection. • Carrier identification code: • Telecommunications number: • Public utilities organization confirmation ble number.
Interconnection Agree concluded with NTT E	
Liaison/coordination v	vork Yes
Responsible NTT East p to whom an applicatic leased line or a line with er line functions, etc., is so	n for a Name of person results whom a leased line application or an application for a line subscrib- tel: with subscriber line functions, etc., has been submitted.
Number of lines to be nter in case of lines under the e between the end-user build pplicant carrier building.	Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service is as follows (as of MW/DD/YY). • Lines between the end-user building and our company building:tines (Breakdown: Under our company name:lines Under out-user name:lines Under our company buildings:lines • Lines between our company buildings:lines • Lines between our company building and our company building:lines

Interconnection Application Form Entry Example

To: President, NTT East

INTERCONNECTION APPLICATION

Date:

From: Postal Code: Address: Name: (Representative Director and President)

> Business Approval (Registration/Notification) No.: Business Approval (Registration/Notification) Date:

Regarding your reply dated ______ concerning our Preliminary Survey Application dated ______ (No._____), we hereby submit this Interconnection Application pursuant to the conditions specified in your reply.

- 1 Outline of INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate



Charges

Figures in parentheses = Discount rate

Item	Charges		
Not including liaison/coordination work	¥19,964 (35.6%)		
Including liaison/coordination work	¥23,312 (24.8%)		
Charges = {Line usage charges (basic charges) under the Articles of Agreement for ISDN Service × (1 - ISDN subscriber line transmission function discount rate)}			

- 2 Major Conditions for INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate

Item	Service Conditions
Applicable services	23B+D receive-only lines (excluding 23B+D subscriber lines that are shared with 24B lines, lines to which INS1500 carrier's rate is not applicable, and 23B+D lines used under a pilot number)
Application format	Selecting "including" or "not including" liaison/coordination work per carrier (per-line selections are not accepted)
Contract format	Contracts are executed on a per-line basis after concluding an Interconnection Agreement. (Lines are contracted under the name of the applicant carrier.)
Usage format	The usage purpose is to provide telecommunications service to end-users. (Note) The carrier's rate is not applicable to so-called self-use lines that are used by other carriers for their own usage.
Temporary lines	The carrier's rate is not applicable.
Transfers, suspensions, etc.	Transfers, suspensions and relocations are possible. However, transfers are possible only to carriers that conclude an agreement concerning the INS 1500 carrier's rate. (Transfers after changing to the general INS-Net 1500 lines are accepted.)
Retroactive settlements, etc.	Retroactive and time lag settlements are not applicable.
Other	Conditions stipulated in the Articles of Agreement for ISDN Service are applied mutatis mutandis to other conditions.

- 3 Providing INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate

Target Carriers, Etc.

The INS 1500 line carrier's rate is applied to telecommunications carriers that conform to the following conditions.

Telecommunications carriers that offer basic telecommunications service as specified in the Telecommunications Business law are requested to provide NTT East with a copy of the latest Articles of Agreement for Service that were submitted to the competent Minister.

With respect to other telecommunications carriers, one of the following items must be applicable.

- (1) The carrier has a carrier identification code for settlements among carriers.
- (2) Telecommunications numbers have been assigned to the carrier based on the Telecommunications Numbering Regulations.
- (3) The carrier has received confirmation from a public utilities organization (a corporation established pursuant to the provisions of Article 34 of the Civil Law) relating to telecommunications business supervised

Procedures, Etc., Necessary Before Usage Start

Such procedures as the "preliminary survey application," "interconnection application," and "entering into an Interconnection Agreement" are necessary before usage start.

For carriers that selected "Not including liaison/coordination work," please note the following.

- (1) An applicant carrier must submit a line application form to each NTT East branch that handles the line installation.
- (2) No coordination is provided with respect to the installation date (in case the possible work date is different from the requested date).
- (3) Troubleshooting will be handled via Dial 113.

If "Including liaison/coordination work" is selected, the same work as now provided by our account manager, etc., will be continued. Regardless of the selection of including or not including liaison/coordination work, consulting, visits, proposals, quotations (including completing an application form), etc., are not implemented by our account manager, etc., in providing the carrier's rate.

- 4 INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate Application Flow

For Telecommunications Carriers Offering Basic Telecommunications Service



Invoice description: Including liaison/coordination work "CR line usage charges <Type 1>," Not including liaison/coordination work "CR line usage charges <Type 2>." Other invoice descriptions are the same as those for general INS-Net 1500 service.

For Other Telecommunications Carriers



Invoice description: Including liaison/coordination work "CR line usage charges <Type 1>," Not including liaison/coordination work "CR line usage charges <Type 2>." Other invoice descriptions are the same as those for general INS-Net 1500 service.

- 5 Entry Examples of Various INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate Application Forms

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 1

PRELIMINA	RY SURVEY APPLICATION		
	No. Date:		
To: Executive Manage Interconnection Pr NTT East	r omotion Department		
	From: Company: Name:		
nary Survey) of your Artic hereby submit the followi	cles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection,		
of establishing/ changing i Outline of interconnection to be established/changed	ng Preliminary Survey Application for the purpor nterconnection with the NTT East networks.		
of establishing/ changing i Outline of interconnection	nterconnection with the NTT East networks.		
of establishing/ changing i Outline of interconnection to be established/changed Specific contents for ne-	Iterconnection with the NTT East networks.		

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 2

Attachment Specific Contents for Negotiation 1. Points of Interconnection Points of interconnection specified in the Articles of Agreement To be interconnected at (1), Paragraph 1, Article 5 (Standard Points of Intercon nection) of the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection. Points of interconnection other than those N/A specified in the Articles of Agreement 2. Demarcation point for telecommunications facilities (1) Requested POI installation site Within our company building (address) 3. Area subject to interconnection (1) Service area of applicant (Complete this section in the case of new interconnection carrier subject to interwith NTT East networks) connection /ithin Tokyo (2) Area subject to intercon-Our network interconnection area: Our Tokyo service area nection per POI NTT East's network interconnection area: Tokyo 4. Technical conditions for interconnection (physical, electrical and logical conditions) Addition of new technical conditions Yes No Chapter XI (Technical Conditions) of the Articles of Agreement Cop Interconnection based on the cerning Interconnection As specified in Part_, Chapter II (Technical Conditions by Pattern), Collection of Technical Conditions. technical conditions specified in the Articles of Agreement. -associated Signaling network configuration Associated network 4.8kb/s 48kb/s Signaling speed Priority originating Yes No 3 Ω user reservation Bi-directional res Yes No ervation Interconnection based on technical As specified in Attachment 1 (technical conditions for cases other than those in conditions other than those speci-fied in the Articles of Agreement which the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection are not applied). 5. Construction of telecommunications facilities (1) Capacity of switching and (Complete this section only when the entry in (1) (Requested transmission facilities per POI installation site), Item 2 (Demarcation point for telecom-POI munications facilities) is "Within an NTT East building.") (2) Applicant carrier facilities to be collocated within NTT-East buildings (if any) Type, quantity, dimensions of facilities to be installed For Type I telecommunications carriers Electric power requirements please enter "6-2." For Type II telecom-Other installation conditions munications carriers, please enter "17-2." 6. Patterns of interconnection Patterns of inter- Articles of Chapter VII (Patterns of Interconnection) connection speci- Agreement As specified in No. ____, Attached Table 2-2 fied in the Articles Articles of Chapter VI (Patterns of Interconnection) of Agreement Optional As specified in No. __ ~ No. __, Attached Table 2-2 Agreemen Patterns of interconnection other As specified in Attachment 2 (Patterns of Interconnection) than those specified in the Art cles of Agreement

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	7. Functions subject to network modification charges Functions requested by applicant carrier from among those subject to network modification charges Outline of functions requested by plicant carrier other than those subject to network modification charges 8. Matters requiring operational cooperation is requested 9. Carrier identification code and type of code	
	Carrier identification code () () Domestic basic and domesti Supplementary service; shared use	Please enter the applicable number from among the following: Telecommunications carriers offering basic telecommunications services: 1 Telecommunications carriers other than 1 and with a carrier identification code: 2
	10. Carrier pre-subscription function	Telecommunications carriers other than 1 and to which telecommunications
	Usage of carrier pre-subscription function: Yes or No Call category Local calls Intra-prefecture toil calls Inter-prefecture toil calls Inter-prefecture toil calls	numbers are assigned: 3 Telecommunications carriers other than 1 and with a confirmation from a
	Call category Local calls Intra-prefecture tell cates Inter-prefecture tell cates International calls Carrier pre-subscription number	public utilities organization: 4
	Service area	For carriers falling under Classifications 2, 3 and 4, please enter the applica- ble number, etc. (from among the carrier identification code, the telecommu-
	11. Other	nications number or the public utilities organization confirmation number).
	Interconnection application conditions Our company falls under Item, Paragraph 2, Article 22 of the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection. Carrier identification code: Telecommunications number: Public utilities organization confirmation number:	Please enter the applicable number.
	Interconnection Agreement concluded with NTT East Liaison/coordination work Yes	Please indicate Yes or No.
Please specify the NTT East account manager, etc., to whom	Responsible NTT East per- sonnel to whom an applica- Name of person responsible:	
the application for the INS-Net1500 line has been submitted.	tion for an INS-Net 1500 line is submitted Email:	Please enter the applicable billing cycle block(s)
Please enter the URL of your Homepage (showing a list of dial-up numbers for end-users, etc.), by which it is possible to confirm that the lines to be shifted are for service use. In case such list is not included	Number of lines to be shifted The number of lines to be shifted from those covered by the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service is (within NTT East area) (as of MM/DD/YY). Applicable billing cycle is Blocks and Service-use confirmation URL; www	(multiple blocks are acceptable; please confirm with the invoice issued by NTT East) from among the fol- lowing. Block A: 21st ~ 20th, Block B: 26th ~ 25th, Block C: 1st ~ end of month), Block D: 6th ~ 5th, Block E: 11th ~ 10th, Block F: 16th ~ 15th.
in the Homepage, please enclose a manual for end- users, etc., that indicates dial-up numbers.	Service-use committation ORL: www	