

## GENERAL TARIFF

EXCHANGE SERVICE - GENERAL

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- 1.01 An exchange is a basic unit for the administration and furnishing of telephone service, and normally includes a city, town or village and adjacent parts. The territory served by an exchange, within which local-service rates apply, is known as the exchange area or local-service area. In some cases, an exchange area includes two or more base rate areas.
- 1.02 When an exchange area contains one wire centre and more than one base rate area, then that wire centre is designated as the rate centre. When more than one wire centre and more than one base rate area exists in an exchange area, then only one of the wire centres is designated as the rate centre.
- The rate centre location is used for determining message toll rate distance and in determining local, inter-exchange and foreign-exchange distance charges.
- 1.03 Exchange service (or local service) is the furnishing of the service and equipment required for telephone communication between primary exchange services of the same exchange or local-service area, and between such service and the associated toll office.

2. PRIMARY EXCHANGE SERVICES

- 2.01 Primary exchange services are the basic services which provide for the facilities essential to the service, according to their respective equipment specifications.
- 2.02 The following primary services are furnished in each exchange except where otherwise stated in this Tariff:
- (a) Flat-rate services, which consist of Customer services, namely, first, individual line service.
  - (b) Message-rate services, which consist of the following:
    - (1) Public telephone service.

3. EXCHANGES

- 3.01 The exchange names, Central Office (NXX) codes and area code are as follows:

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EXCHANGE NAMES	NXX NO.	AREA CODE
Cochrane	272	705

4.0 RATE SCHEDULES FOR PRIMARY EXCHANGE (LOCAL) SERVICE

4.01A specific schedule of basic rates for primary exchange (or local) service applies for the Base Rate Area and for the Rural Flat Rate Area.

4.02The initial service period for all primary exchange services is one month.

4.03The following are basic monthly rates for primary exchange service.

Note: additional charges as specified in the Company's Tariff apply for telephones or other equipment provided by the Company.

USOC	DESCRIPTION	MRC	SC
1FR	Residence - Individual Line	\$28.00	MESC
1FRR	- Rural	\$28.00	MESC
1FRGL	- New Amalgamation	\$30.00	MESC
	NOTE - New Amalgamation includes touch tone		
1FL	Business - Individual	\$39.96	MESC
1FBR	- Rural ( South Highway )	\$39.96	MESC
1FGL	- New Amalgamation	\$44.40	MESC
	NOTE - New Amalgamation includes Touch tone		

Additional lines are subject to same rate as first line

(a) Emergency Reporting Tel. is classified as Business service

- (b) Equivalent service is arranged at a monthly rate of \$1.00 (USOC ROTHT) for each line so arranged.