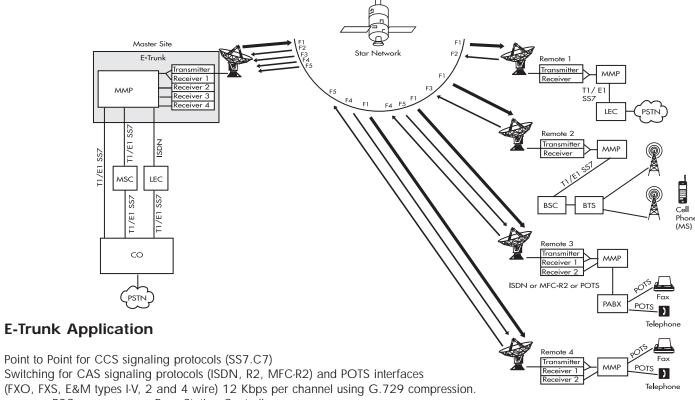
E-Trunk™ - Voice Trunking Applications



BSC - Base Station Controller

BTS - Base Station Transceiver Subsystem

CO - Central Exchange Office
LEC - Local Exchange Carrier
MS - Mobile Subscriber
MSC - Mobile Switching Center

PBX/PABX - Private Branch Exchange/Private Automatic Branch Exchange

POTS - Plain Old Telephone Service PSTN - Public Switched Telephone Network

The drawing depicts three subnetworks:

Network 1 - A CO at the hub connected with an LEC at remote 1 using SS7 point to point Network 2 - An MSC at the hub connected with a BSC at remote 2 using SS7 point to point

Network 3 - An LEC at the hub connected with a PABX at remote 3 and remote 4 where the MMP acts as a local PABX.

Remote 3 and remote 4 are in mesh communications so voice double hop is not an issue.

E-Trunk is a specific configuration of L-3 Satellite Networks' ISAT® Frame Relay product targeted to meet the needs of heavy voice traffic "trunking" applications. Typical E-Trunk sites service from 1 to 20 E1's (30 to 600 lines) of voice traffic per site. Users are public telephony providers, cellular/GSM, and Wireless Local Loop (WLL) carriers needing high-density extensions to remote locations, as well as service providers addressing these markets.

With its ability to combine high coding rates, scalability and native signaling support with high speed IP and Frame Relay support, E-Trunk is a strong competitor against traditional trunking methods.

Key Benefits and Features:

- Scalable, multi-destinational, multi-E1 platform requiring less hardware than traditional solutions.
- Line-by-line routing, locally and over satellite, including call detail records.
- High compression (8:1) using G.729 coding and silence suppression for reduced satellite access costs.
- Support for signaling protocols, including C7/SS7/DTMF/R2/MFC-R2 with cross-connections.
- Automatic bandwidth sharing between voice and data traffic.
- Up to 11 E1's (330 lines) on a single carrier.
- Support for toll quality voice, with additional features for IP and FR service, for extra revenue generation at little additional hardware cost.

Technical Specifications

Satellite Frequencies Antenna

RF Transceiver

Transmit Power Ratings

Redundant Configuration

Baseband Unit

Aggregate Information per Site

Modem Parameters

Modulations

Scrambling/Descrambling BER (1/2 rate coding)

Multimedia Processor

Optional Data Interface

Direct Access

Electrical

Clear Data Channels

Data Interface

Protocol

Telephony Interfaces

Voice Performance

Voice Encoding

Signaling

Corresponding Link Rate Average Link Rates Other Voice Encoding Voice/Fax Echo Cancelling Fax Bypass Group Processing Delay (End-to-End) Interface

C- or Ku- and other commercial bands

1.2 meter and above, depending on satellite and earth station requirements

C-band or Ku-band

2 to 200W (Ku-band) 5 to 400W (C-band)

Optional

Provides complete frequency conversions and application for uplink

and downlink signals

PSK modulator, single or multiple PSK demodulators as required. Provides interface between modulated carriers and digital baseband

9.6 to 4096 Kbps

Convolutional FEC coding, R=1/2 or R=3/4, Viterbi decoding, K=7,

soft decision BPSK, QPSK V.35

1 x 10 $^{-6}$ at Eb/No=5.6 dB (typ.) 1 x 10 $^{-7}$ at Eb/No=6.3 dB (typ.)

Incorporates Frame Relay Switch and optional voice codecs and

protocol encapsulation

Expandable to virtually any required number of ports

Frame Relay, X.25, X.25 PAD, SDLC, HDLC, BSC

Bridge/Routers, ISDN

RS-232, RS-422/449, V. 35, V.11, V.24

From 64 Kbps to 2048 Kbps

Ethernet 10BaseT, 10Base2, Token Ring

100 MHz Ethernet

Full RFC 1490 support, IP and IPX with routing/filtering

No external bridge or router required

T1/E1 interface (full or fractional)

2/4 wire E&M types I-V

FXS and FXO

Analog input or digital T1/E1 interface Configurable voice compression rates

5.8 Kbps (near toll-quality) or

8 Kbps (full toll-quality)

9.8 or 12 Kbps

ADPCM 16, 24, 32 or 40 Kbps

Priority over data (selectable)

Integral adaptive 3 up to 9.6 Kbps

Approx. 120 ms.

E&M type I to V, 4-wire or 2-wire, FXS, FXO

Tone or pulse, flash hook, wink start, AC15, R2, DID

North American or International ringing

