

ACRONYMS USED IN UNE RATE COMPARISONCompanies

ACS	ACS of Fairbanks, Alaska
ATU	ATU Telecommunications (now ACS Anchorage, Alaska)
BS	BellSouth
HI	Hawaiian Telecom
SBC	SBC Telecommunications
QW	Qwest
VZ	Verizon

Other Terms

Avg.	Average
BRA	Base Rate Area
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FUSF	Federal Universal Service Fund
LATA	Local Access and Transport Area
MOU	Minutes of Use
RBOC	Regional Bell Operating Company
SLC	Subscriber Line Charge
UNE	Unbundled Network Element
UNE-P	Unbundled Network Element-Platform

**SLCs AND FUSFs IN EACH STATE
February 2005 vs. August 2005**

State	Co	February 2005			August 2005			Difference
		SLC	FUSF	Total	SLC	FUSF	Total	
Alabama	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
Alaska	ATU	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.68	\$7.18	-\$0.04
Arizona	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.31	\$0.65	\$6.96	-\$0.26
Arkansas	SBC	\$5.21	\$0.55	\$5.76	\$5.25	\$0.53	\$5.78	\$0.02
California	SBC	\$4.42	\$0.47	\$4.89	\$4.38	\$0.44	\$4.82	-\$0.07
Colorado	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.68	\$7.18	-\$0.04
Connecticut	SBC	\$5.71	\$0.61	\$6.32	\$5.73	\$0.58	\$6.31	-\$0.01
Delaware	VZ	\$6.42	\$0.71	\$7.13	\$6.44	\$0.66	\$7.10	-\$0.03
D.C.	VZ	\$3.84	\$0.44	\$4.28	\$3.85	\$0.40	\$4.25	-\$0.03
Florida	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
Georgia	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
Hawaii	VZ	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.68	\$7.18	-\$0.04
Idaho	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.34	\$0.66	\$7.00	-\$0.22
Illinois	SBC	\$4.49	\$0.48	\$4.97	\$4.50	\$0.45	\$4.95	-\$0.02
Indiana	SBC	\$5.51	\$0.58	\$6.09	\$5.52	\$0.56	\$6.08	-\$0.01
Iowa	QW	\$4.93	\$0.54	\$5.47	\$4.80	\$0.50	\$5.30	-\$0.17
Kansas	SBC	\$5.21	\$0.55	\$5.76	\$5.25	\$0.53	\$5.78	\$0.02
Kentucky	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
Louisiana	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
Maine	VZ	\$6.38	\$0.71	\$7.09	\$6.38	\$0.66	\$7.04	-\$0.05
Maryland	VZ	\$5.67	\$0.63	\$6.30	\$5.67	\$0.58	\$6.25	-\$0.05
Massachusetts	VZ	\$6.38	\$0.71	\$7.09	\$6.38	\$0.66	\$7.04	-\$0.05
Michigan	SBC	\$5.34	\$0.57	\$5.91	\$5.35	\$0.54	\$5.89	-\$0.02
Minnesota	QW	\$5.06	\$0.54	\$5.60	\$4.92	\$0.51	\$5.43	-\$0.17
Mississippi	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
Missouri	SBC	\$5.21	\$0.55	\$5.76	\$5.25	\$0.53	\$5.78	\$0.02
Montana	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.68	\$7.18	-\$0.04
Nebraska	QW	\$5.05	\$0.54	\$5.59	\$4.91	\$0.51	\$5.42	-\$0.17
Nevada	SBC	\$5.25	\$0.60	\$5.85	\$5.25	\$0.53	\$5.78	-\$0.07
New Hampshire	VZ	\$6.38	\$0.71	\$7.09	\$6.38	\$0.66	\$7.04	-\$0.05
New Jersey	VZ	\$6.26	\$0.71	\$6.97	\$6.27	\$0.64	\$6.91	-\$0.06
New Mexico	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.68	\$7.18	-\$0.04
New York	VZ	\$6.38	\$0.71	\$7.09	\$6.38	\$0.66	\$7.04	-\$0.05
North Carolina	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
North Dakota	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.68	\$7.18	-\$0.04
Ohio	SBC	\$5.38	\$0.57	\$5.95	\$5.39	\$0.54	\$5.93	-\$0.02
Oklahoma	SBC	\$5.21	\$0.55	\$5.76	\$5.25	\$0.53	\$5.78	\$0.02
Oregon	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.68	\$7.18	-\$0.04
Pennsylvania	VZ	\$6.05	\$0.67	\$6.72	\$5.91	\$0.61	\$6.52	-\$0.20
Rhode Island	VZ	\$6.38	\$0.71	\$7.09	\$6.38	\$0.66	\$7.04	-\$0.05
South Carolina	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
South Dakota	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.43	\$0.67	\$7.10	-\$0.12
Tennessee	BS	\$6.50	\$0.70	\$7.20	\$6.50	\$0.66	\$7.16	-\$0.04
Texas	SBC	\$5.21	\$0.55	\$5.76	\$5.25	\$0.53	\$5.78	\$0.02
Utah	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.35	\$0.66	\$7.01	-\$0.21
Vermont	VZ	\$6.38	\$0.71	\$7.09	\$6.38	\$0.66	\$7.04	-\$0.05
Virginia	VZ	\$6.29	\$0.70	\$6.99	\$6.28	\$0.65	\$6.93	-\$0.06
Washington	QW	\$6.12	\$0.66	\$6.78	\$5.85	\$0.61	\$6.46	-\$0.32
West Virginia	VZ	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.67	\$7.17	-\$0.05
Wisconsin	SBC	\$5.06	\$0.54	\$5.60	\$5.07	\$0.51	\$5.58	-\$0.02
Wyoming	QW	\$6.50	\$0.72	\$7.22	\$6.50	\$0.68	\$7.18	-\$0.04
TOTAL		\$5.71	\$0.62	\$6.33	\$5.70	\$0.58	\$6.28	-\$0.05

Source: FCC Tariffs

**WEIGHTED AVERAGE MONTHLY UNE RATES
FOR RBOC'S IN EACH STATE
August 2005**

<u>State</u>	<u>Average Loop Rates</u>	<u>Port Rates</u>	<u>Switching Rates</u>	<u>Basic UNE-P</u>	<u>Access Lines</u>
Alabama	\$16.66	\$1.15	\$0.70	\$18.51	1,834,337
Arizona	\$12.12	\$1.61	\$0.97	\$14.70	2,530,160
Arkansas	\$13.88	\$2.61	\$1.66	\$18.15	953,638
California	\$11.73	\$4.29	\$0.00	\$16.02	17,022,689
Colorado	\$15.85	\$1.15	\$1.61	\$18.61	2,566,718
Connecticut	\$14.41	\$0.00	\$6.41	\$20.82	2,204,505
D.C.	\$8.49	\$1.55	\$3.00	\$13.04	832,290
Delaware	\$12.03	\$2.23	\$1.92	\$16.18	564,508
Florida	\$13.95	\$1.17	\$0.77	\$15.89	6,277,815
Georgia	\$12.82	\$0.90	\$0.61	\$14.33	3,897,165
Idaho	\$20.21	\$1.34	\$1.34	\$22.89	525,771
Illinois	\$13.40	\$3.18	\$0.00	\$16.58	6,470,450
Indiana	\$11.97	\$4.08	\$0.00	\$16.05	2,219,943
Iowa	\$15.94	\$1.15	\$1.56	\$18.65	1,028,347
Kansas	\$13.47	\$2.61	\$1.51	\$17.59	1,224,632
Kentucky	\$17.26	\$1.15	\$1.20	\$19.61	1,147,905
Louisiana	\$16.24	\$1.36	\$1.87	\$19.47	2,196,551
Maine	\$16.18	\$0.94	\$1.68	\$18.80	698,325
Maryland	\$12.00	\$1.41	\$1.24	\$14.65	3,733,450
Massachusetts	\$13.93	\$2.22	\$0.77	\$16.92	3,980,560
Michigan	\$11.73	\$4.46	\$0.00	\$16.19	4,966,710
Minnesota	\$12.86	\$3.12	\$0.00	\$15.98	2,004,934
Mississippi	\$22.37	\$1.23	\$1.03	\$24.63	1,278,863
Missouri	\$15.71	\$2.95	\$1.95	\$20.61	2,478,864
Montana	\$23.98	\$1.58	\$1.57	\$27.13	347,382
Nebraska	\$17.51	\$2.47	\$1.26	\$21.24	395,465
Nevada	\$21.25	\$2.63	\$1.61	\$25.49	370,904
New Hampshire	\$16.21	\$0.71	\$2.44	\$19.36	726,497
New Jersey	\$10.32	\$2.72	\$1.38	\$14.42	6,095,951
New Mexico	\$21.62	\$2.06	\$2.52	\$26.20	818,870
New York	\$11.49	\$2.57	\$1.13	\$15.19	10,858,329
North Carolina	\$12.42	\$2.19	\$1.50	\$16.11	2,362,747
North Dakota	\$16.71	\$2.58	\$1.48	\$20.77	189,857
Ohio	\$12.63	\$5.61	\$0.78	\$19.02	3,903,288
Oklahoma	\$15.97	\$3.29	\$2.70	\$21.96	1,469,349
Oregon	\$15.00	\$1.14	\$1.33	\$17.47	1,304,393
Pennsylvania	\$13.76	\$1.68	\$1.27	\$16.71	5,706,854
Rhode Island	\$13.93	\$1.86	\$1.28	\$17.07	549,546
South Carolina	\$16.51	\$1.13	\$1.05	\$18.69	1,422,703
South Dakota	\$18.84	\$1.84	\$0.70	\$21.38	219,501
Tennessee	\$14.12	\$1.70	\$0.80	\$16.62	2,496,477
Texas	\$14.29	\$3.22	\$1.44	\$18.95	9,116,910
Utah	\$12.97	\$3.56	\$0.00	\$16.53	994,767
Vermont	\$14.41	\$1.03	\$4.00	\$19.44	349,788
Virginia	\$13.76	\$1.30	\$1.99	\$17.05	3,304,681
Washington	\$16.71	\$1.34	\$1.18	\$19.23	2,328,093
West Virginia	\$20.41	\$1.60	\$2.55	\$24.56	821,887
Wisconsin	\$12.25	\$3.83	\$0.00	\$16.08	1,946,471
Wyoming	\$23.39	\$2.64	\$0.92	\$26.95	244,238
TOTAL	\$13.49	\$2.59	\$1.03	\$17.11	130,984,078

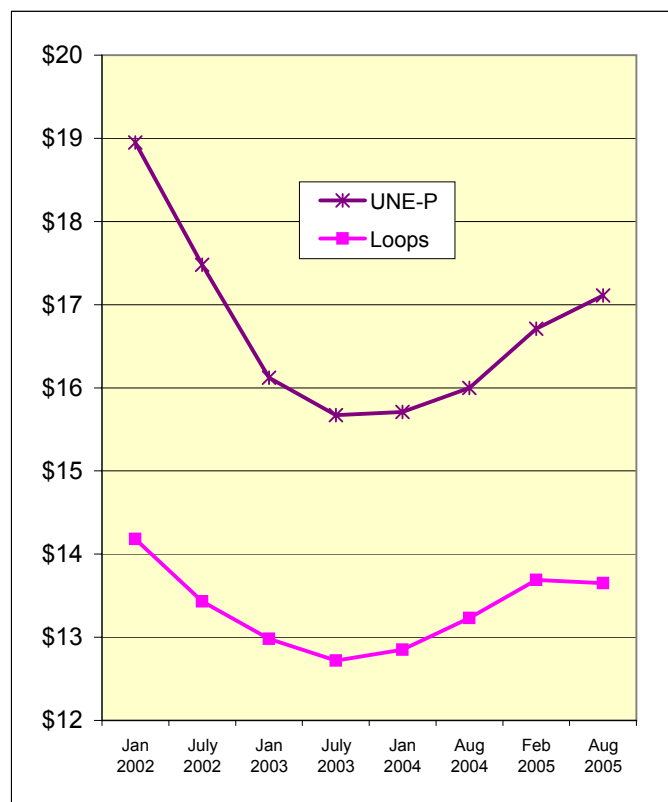
Note: Switching rates based on 1000 minutes of use.

LOOP AND UNE-P RATES FOR RBOC'S IN EACH STATE
SORTED BY WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATES
August 2005

<u>State</u>	<u>Average Monthly UNE-P Rates W/2000 MOU</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Average Monthly UNE-P Rates W/1000 MOU</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Average Monthly Stand Alone Loop Rates</u>
New Mexico	\$28.72	Montana	\$27.13	Montana	\$23.98
Montana	\$28.70	Wyoming	\$26.95	Wyoming	\$23.39
Wyoming	\$27.87	New Mexico	\$26.20	Mississippi	\$23.12
Connecticut	\$27.23	Nevada	\$25.49	New Mexico	\$21.62
West Virginia	\$27.11	Mississippi	\$24.63	Nevada	\$21.25
Nevada	\$27.10	West Virginia	\$24.56	West Virginia	\$20.41
Mississippi	\$25.66	Idaho	\$22.89	Idaho	\$20.21
Oklahoma	\$24.66	Oklahoma	\$21.96	South Dakota	\$18.84
Idaho	\$24.23	South Dakota	\$21.38	Kentucky	\$18.04
Vermont	\$23.44	Nebraska	\$21.24	Alabama	\$17.60
Missouri	\$22.56	Connecticut	\$20.82	South Carolina	\$17.60
Nebraska	\$22.50	North Dakota	\$20.77	Nebraska	\$17.51
North Dakota	\$22.25	Missouri	\$20.61	Louisiana	\$17.30
South Dakota	\$22.08	Kentucky	\$19.61	Washington	\$16.90
New Hampshire	\$21.80	Louisiana	\$19.47	North Dakota	\$16.71
Louisiana	\$21.34	Vermont	\$19.44	New Hampshire	\$16.21
Kentucky	\$20.81	New Hampshire	\$19.36	Maine	\$16.18
Maine	\$20.48	Washington	\$19.23	Oklahoma	\$15.97
Washington	\$20.41	Ohio	\$19.02	Iowa	\$15.94
Texas	\$20.39	Texas	\$18.95	Colorado	\$15.85
Colorado	\$20.22	Maine	\$18.80	Missouri	\$15.71
Iowa	\$20.21	South Carolina	\$18.69	Florida	\$15.27
Arkansas	\$19.81	Iowa	\$18.65	Oregon	\$15.00
Ohio	\$19.80	Colorado	\$18.61	Tennessee	\$14.92
South Carolina	\$19.74	Alabama	\$18.51	Connecticut	\$14.41
Alabama	\$19.21	Arkansas	\$18.15	Vermont	\$14.41
Kansas	\$19.10	North Carolina	\$16.11	Texas	\$14.29
Oregon	\$18.80	Kansas	\$17.59	Massachusetts	\$13.93
Rhode Island	\$18.35	Oregon	\$17.47	Rhode Island	\$13.93
US Average	\$18.18	US Average	\$17.11	Arkansas	\$13.88
Delaware	\$18.10	Rhode Island	\$17.07	Pennsylvania	\$13.76
Pennsylvania	\$17.98	Virginia	\$17.05	Virginia	\$13.76
North Carolina	\$17.81	Massachusetts	\$16.92	Georgia	\$13.70
Massachusetts	\$17.69	Pennsylvania	\$16.71	US Average	\$13.65
Tennessee	\$17.42	Tennessee	\$16.62	Kansas	\$13.47
Florida	\$16.66	Illinois	\$16.58	Illinois	\$13.40
Illinois	\$16.58	Utah	\$16.53	Utah	\$12.97
Utah	\$16.53	Michigan	\$16.19	Minnesota	\$12.86
New York	\$16.32	Delaware	\$16.18	Ohio	\$12.63
Michigan	\$16.19	Wisconsin	\$16.08	North Carolina	\$12.42
Wisconsin	\$16.08	Indiana	\$16.05	Wisconsin	\$12.25
Indiana	\$16.05	California	\$16.02	Arizona	\$12.12
D.C.	\$16.04	Minnesota	\$15.98	Delaware	\$12.03
California	\$16.02	Florida	\$15.89	Maryland	\$12.00
Minnesota	\$15.98	New York	\$15.19	Indiana	\$11.97
Maryland	\$15.89	Arizona	\$14.70	California	\$11.73
New Jersey	\$15.80	Maryland	\$14.65	Michigan	\$11.73
Arizona	\$15.67	New Jersey	\$14.42	New York	\$11.49
Virginia	\$15.06	Georgia	\$14.33	New Jersey	\$10.32
Georgia	\$14.94	D.C.	\$13.04	D.C.	\$8.49

CHANGES IN NATIONWIDE AVERAGE UNE PRICES SINCE JANUARY 2002

Date of Report	Stand Alone Loops	Port	Switching	UNE-P w/ 1000 MOU	UNE-P w/ 2000 MOU
Jan 2002	\$14.18	\$2.42	\$2.36	\$18.95	\$21.31
July 2002	\$13.43	\$2.15	\$1.90	\$17.48	\$19.38
Jan 2003	\$12.98	\$1.93	\$1.49	\$16.12	\$17.62
July 2003	\$12.72	\$1.91	\$1.23	\$15.67	\$16.90
Jan 2004	\$12.85	\$1.97	\$1.08	\$15.71	\$16.79
Aug 2004	\$13.23	\$1.92	\$1.04	\$16.00	\$17.05
Feb 2005	\$13.69	\$2.19	\$1.03	\$16.71	\$17.74
Aug 2005	\$13.65	\$2.59	\$1.03	\$17.11	\$18.18
\$ Change	-\$0.53	\$0.17	-\$1.33	-\$1.84	-\$3.13
% Change	-3.7%	7.0%	-56.4%	-9.7%	-14.7%



Source: Previous Surveys of Unbundled Network Element Prices in the United States