



COMMON ACRONYMS CONTAINED IN BELLCORE PRACTICES

1. General

1.01 This practice provides an alphabetical listing of acronyms generally associated with Bellcore practices. Each acronym is defined and cross-referenced to a division subject code (first 3-digits of the Bellcore practice number) in which the related acronym is used. Specific practices associated with the division subject code can be found in the particular Division Index practice.

1.02 Whenever this practice is reissued, the reason for reissue will be explained in this paragraph.

1.03 A bullet (•) indicates an item that has been added or changed since the previous issue of the practice.

1.04 A square (□) indicates a canceled item. Information relating to the cancellation, if necessary, will be shown with a note following the item. Canceled items and related notes will be deleted upon reissue of this practice.

A

ABATS.....	Automated Bit Access Test System.....	314
ACD	Automatic Call Distribution	218, 475, 476, 533, 981
ACTGA.....	Attendant Control of Trunk Group Access.....	554
ADIS	Automatic Data Interchange System.....	314
ADTS	Automatic Data Test System.....	668, 824
AIC.....	Automatic Intercept Center.....	250
AIOD	Automatic Identified Outward Dialing	218, 554
AIS/TPSP.....	Automatic Intercept System/Traffic Service Position System	250, 821
AMA.....	Automatic Message Accounting	210, 216, 220, 227, 252, 801, 816
AMACS.....	Automatic Message Accounting Collection System.....	232
AMA/DDD.....	Automatic Message Accounting/Direct Distance Dialing	252
AMA/PTR	Automatic Message Accounting/Paper Tape Report	218
AMARC.....	Automatic Message Accounting Recording Center.....	201
ANI.....	Automatic Number Identification.....	216, 218, 227, 5534, 801, 816
ARADCOM.....	Army Air Defense Command	408
ARSB	Automated Repair Service Bureau	660, 662
ATA.....	Automatic Trouble Analysis	190
ATMS.....	Automatic Transmission Measuring System.....	103
ATRS	Automatic Trouble Reporting System	190
AUTOVON.....	Automatic Voice Network	167, 554, 801, 809, 851, 981

B

BANCS.....	Bell Administrative Network Communications Systems	758
BATS	Bit Access Test System	314
BDT.....	Billing Data Transmitter.....	201
BEMARR.....	Building Energy Management Redesign Retrofit	760
BERT	Below Ground Electronics Remote Terminal.....	622, 915

BISCOM	Business Information Systems Communications System	758
BISP	Business Information Systems Program	936
BOFADS/DLL	Business Office Force Administration Data System/Down Line Loading	476
BSFAP	Business Services Facilities Administrative Practice	788
BSFEP	Business Services Facilities Engineering Practice	788

C

CACS	Customer Administration Center System	554
CAMA	Centralized Automatic Message Accounting	210, 212, 218, 220, 226, 227, 250, 252, 814, 818, 819, 958
CAMA-C	Centralized Automatic Message Accounting-Computerized	201, 212, 220
CAP	Customer Administration Panel	309, 554
CARL	Computerized Administrative Route Layouts	901
CAROT	Centralized Automatic Reporting On Trunks	103, 190, 951
CAS	Carrier Alarm Scanner	103
CAS	Centralized Attendant Service	553
CCIS	Common Channel Interoffice Signaling	212, 231, 234, 256, 333, 801, 818, 820
CCIS/SO	Common Channel Interoffice Signaling / Signaling Office	212
CCSA	Common Controlled Switching Arrangement	309, 781, 851
CCSA-DF	Common Controlled Switching Arrangement with Added Data Feature	660
CCSS	Common Channel Signaling System	256, 333, 825
CD	Call Distribution	476
CDA	Call Data Accumulator	201, 227
CDT	Call Data Transmitter	201
CDT	Communication Display Terminals	578
CDWS	Civil Defense Warning System	480, 981
CEV	Controlled Environment Value	919
CIMAP	Circuit Installation and Maintenance Assistance Package	682
CIMS/LV	Centralized Inventory Management System/Low Volume	790
CIS	Customer Information System	533, 476
CLRC/WORD	Circuit Layout Record Card/Work Order Record and Details	780, 790
CMDR	Centralized Message Detail Recorder	190
CMS	Circuit Maintenance System	190, 234, 865, 951
CMSMC	Circuit Maintenance System Maintenance Center	234
CMT	Circuit Maintenance System	750
CNAC	Network Administration Center/Cutover Conversion	256, 333
CNCCS	Customer Network Control Center System	533
COC	Cableman Order Circuit	201
COEES	Central Office Equipment Estimation System	759
COER	Central Office Engineering Reports	212, 231
COMAS	Computerized Maintenance and Administration System	220
COMMS	Central Office Maintenance Management System	190
CONECS	Connectorized Exchange Cable Splicing System	626, 627, 628, 629, 935
COPAN	Command Post Alerting Network	310, 480
CORC	Customer Originated Resent Change	231
COSMIC	Common Systems Main Interconnecting Frame	201, 801, 915
COSMOS	Computer System For Main Frame Operators	190, 680, 780
CPC	Circuit Provision Center	780
CPC	Cable Pressure Contactors	680
CPMS	Cable Pressure Monitoring System	201, 637, 680, 930
CREG	Concentrated Range Extension With Gain	231, 680, 902,
CRT	Cathode-Ray Tube	250
CSACC	Customer Service Administrative Control Center	309
CTAP	Cable Transfer Administration Plan	620
CTMS	Carrier Transmission Maintenance System	356
CTMS/TFMS	Carrier Transmission Maintenance System/Trunk and Facility	103
CTRAP	Customer Trouble Report Analysis Plan	660
CTTU	Central Trunk Test Unit	824, 951

D

DACS	Digital Access and Cross-Connect System	855
DAS	Digital Alarm Scanner	201
DATS	Digital Access Timeslot Selector	103
DCPR	Detailed Continuing Property Record	010
DDAP	Detailed Distribution Area Planning	901
DDD	Direct Distance Dialing	314, 951
DDS	Digital Data Service	660
DILEP	Digital Line Engineering Program	902
DIR/ECT	White Pages Directory System	754
DMS	Digital Multiplex System	241
DMS	Data Management System	255
DOC	Dynamic Overload Control	780
DRMA/DRP	Division of Revenue Monthly Allocation Process/Division of Revenues Process	754, 759
DRP/CES	Detailed Regulatory Processing/Circuit Equipment Study	759
DS	Digital Service	314
DSDC	Distribution Service Design Center	935
DSPC	Distribution Service Planning Center	191
DSTU	Digital Signaling Test Unit	107
DTLS	Digital Television Lightwave System	318, 857

E

EADAS	Engineering and Administrative Data Acquisition System	190, 232, 822
EADAS/NM	Engineering and Administrative Data Acquisition System/Network Maintenance	191
EADAS/NORGEN	Engineering and Administrative Data Acquisition System/Network Operations Report Generator	190
EBAC	Equipment and Billing Accuracy Control	190
ECCR	Exchange Customer Cable Record	680
ECSA	Energy Communications Service Adjunct	554
EDTSR	Electronic Dial Tone Speed Registrar	252
EFRAP	Exchange Feeder Route Analysis Program	901
EIMS	Engineering and Implementation Methods System	902
EMIS	Early Maintenance Information System	790
EPSCS	Enhanced Private Switch Communication Service	231, 309, 851
ESAC	Electronic System Assistance Center	191
ESS	Electronic Switching System	231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 240, 480, 966
ETL	Equipment Test List	100
ETN	Electronic Tandem Network	309, 781, 788
ETS	Electronic Translation System	212, 218
EUCD	Enhanced Uniform Call Distribution	554

F

FADS	Force Administration Data System	252, 476, 554
FAP	Facility Analysis Plan	936
FAST	Field Assistance and Support Team	010
FAX	Facsimile Communication	006
FEPS	Facility and Equipment Planning System	781
FMAC	Facility Maintenance Administration Center	190
FPDS	Floor Plan Data Sheets	800

G

GULP	Generic Utility Program	254
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H

HOBIS	Hotel Billing Information System	201, 250
HOBIS/CCRS	Hotel Billing Information System/Centralized Credit Refund System	201

ICIS.....	Investment and Cost Information System	758
ICS.....	Industrial Communications System	473
IFAMS.....	Integrated Force Administration Mechanization System.....	190
IFFAS.....	Integrated Facilities and Force Administration System.....	190
IMA.....	Ineffective Machine Attempts.....	780
INA.....	Integrated Network Access	190
ISCP.....	Intercompany Services Coordination Plan.....	010
ISSC.....	Interfunctional Special Services Coordination.....	010
ITSO.....	Incoming Trunk Service Observing	231

J

JCSAN.....	Joint Chiefs of Staff Alerting Network	310
JMX.....	Jumbogroup Multiplex	356, 855

L

LADT.....	Local Area Data Transport	255
LAMA.....	Local Automatic Message Accounting.....	218, 801, 816, 819
LAMA-C.....	Local Automatic Message Accounting-Computerized	218, 958
LASS.....	Local Alarm Scanning System	356
LATIS.....	Loop Activity Tracking Information System	901
LATS.....	Line Access Test System	314
LCAP.....	Loop Carrier Analysis Program.....	902
LCAS.....	Local Customer Administration System.....	309
LCRIS.....	Loop Cable Record Inventory System.....	680, 901
LEPAC.....	Lead Particle Entrapment Compound	081
LOC.....	Local Order Circuit.....	201
LPIE.....	Loop Plant Improvement Evaluator	929
LRSS.....	Local Range Switching Structure	781
LSRP.....	Local Switching Replacement Plan	781
LSS.....	Loop Switching System	363, 915
LSU.....	Local Storage Unit	190
LTD.....	Local Test Desk	201
LFT.....	Loop Test Frame	662

M

MAP.....	Minimum Acceptable Performance	314
MATFAP.....	Metropolitan Area Transmission Facility Analysis Program.....	781
MDT.....	Maintenance Data Transmitter.....	190
MECCA.....	Mechanized Evaluation of Call Completion Anomalies	984
MGT.....	Mastergroup Translator	356
MMG.....	Minicomputer Maintenance Group	007
MMGT.....	Multimastergroup Translator	356
MMGT-C.....	Multimastergroup Translator for Cable	356
MMGT-R.....	Multimastergroup Translator for Radio	356
MMOC.....	Minicomputer Maintenance and Operations Center	007
MOC.....	Maintenance Operations Center.....	007, 234
MOG.....	Minicomputer Operations Group	007
MSTIC.....	Mechanized Standard Time Increment Calculation	620
MTCS.....	Modular Terminal Communication System.....	480, 981
MTF.....	Metallic Terminal Frame	234
MTSO.....	Mobile Telephone Switching Office	231

N

NAC.....	Network Administration Center	190, 780
NAFMAP.....	Network Administration Force Management and Productivity	780
NAWAS.....	National Warning System	310
NAWS.....	Norad Attack Warning System	811

NCP	National Control Points	256
NEBS	New Equipment Building System	760
NIAC-EBS	National Industry Advisory Committee-Emergency Broadcast System	320
NMC	Network Management Center	234
NMMP	Network Maintenance Management Plan	216, 226, 780
NOTIS	Network Operations Trouble Information System	190
NPA	Number Plan Administration	302
NPD	Nongeneric Parameter Data	201
NSC	Network Service Center	190
NS-LA	Nonstandard-Limited Availability	626
NTS	Network Technical Support	010

O

OCC	Other Common Carriers	471
OCDD	Operations Center Deliverable Documentation	191, 753
OLTS	Optical Loss Test Set	640
OOCAT	Optical Order Channel and Alarm Telemetry Systems	365
OTDR	Optical Time Domain Reflectometer	640
OTTS	Outgoing Trunk Testing System	103

P

PBX	Private Branch Exchange	809
PD	Power Data Sheets	802
PDT	Pollable Data Terminal	476
PICS	Plug-In Inventory Control System	010, 756
PICS/DCPR	Plug-In Control System/Detailed Continuing Property Record	756, 790
PQUARK	Programmable Quantizer Analyzer and Record Keeping	422
PREMIS	Premises Information System	753
PRO	Performance Reporting Option	554

R

RAND	Rural Area Network Design	680, 915
RBCS	Record Base Coordination System	190
RCMAC	Recent Change Memory Administration Center	191
RCU	Remote Console Unit	007
RDES	Remote Data Entry System	901
RDT	Radio Digital Terminal	417
READ	Remotely Accessible Data Terminal	252
REG	Range Extender with Gain	103
RIMS	Reuse Inventory Management System	790
RLTF	Radio Line Terminating Frame	801
RMAP	Remote Memory Administration Position	190
RMAS	Remote Memory Administration System	191
RMATS	Remote Maintenance Administration and Traffic System	554
RMMS	Regional Maintenance Management System	190
ROGT	Remote Outgoing Trunk Unit	103
ROTL	Remote Office Test Line	201, 218, 220, 232, 233
RPFT	Remote Power Feed Terminal	640
RSS	Remote Switching System	255, 680, 915
RSTC	Routing Selected Transmission Control	801
RTTU	Remote Trunk Test Unit	232, 824, 951

S

SAC	Serving Area Concept	915
SACCS	Strategic Air Command Control System	314
SARTS	Switched Access Remote Test System	666, 951
SCA	Signal Converter Allotter	252, 254
SCAM	Switch Control and Monitor	230
SCANS	Software Change Administration and Notification System	190

SCCS.....	Switching Control Center System	190, 201, 780
SCOTS.....	Surveillance and Control of Transmission System	190, 201, 824, 865, 981
SDDS.....	Switched Digital Data System	981
SES.....	Service Evaluating System	252, 254
SLC.....	Subscriber Loop Carrier.....	.363, 622, 640, 680, 801, 902, 915
SLIM.....	Subscriber Loop Interface Module	363
SLM.....	Subscriber Loop Multiplexer.....	.680
SMAS.....	Switched Maintenance Access System, 5B	667
SMETDS.....	Standard Message Trunk Design System	852
SONDS.....	Small Office Network Data System190, 226, 780
SPARS.....	Service and Product Analysis Report System	660
SPUC/DL.....	Serial Peripheral Unit Controller/Data Link	232
SSC.....	Special Service Center190, 660, 865
SSCAG.....	Special Service Center Administrative Guide.....	660
SSD.....	Software Subsystem Description.....	231
SSFS.....	Special Services Forecasting System	756, 781
SSN/EPSCS.....	Switched Services Network/Enhanced Private Switched Communications Service	309
SSS.....	Special Service System	660
STATPAK.....	Statistical Package.....	250

T

TASC	Telecommunications Alarm Surveillance and Control.....	.190, 220, 824, 865
TASI.....	Time Assigned Speech Interpolation.....	370
TASL.....	Time Assignment Speech Interpolation	855
TCAS	T-Carrier Administration System.....	.190, 865
TCCP	Trunk Cutover Control Program	231
TEC.....	Terminal Equipment Center	234
TERA	Trunk Error Analysis	234
TFMS.....	Trunk and Facility Maintenance System.....	103
TIRKS	Trunk Integrated Records Keeping System	756, 780
TNDS	Total Network Data System	756, 780
TNPP	Traffic Network Planning Procedures	781
TOC.....	Trunk Operations Center	234
TOCC.....	Tone Operated Control Circuit	314
TOLD	Toll Diversion to Attendant	231
TOPS	Task Oriented Practices000, 231, 403
TRCC	T-Carrier Restoration Control Center.....	.190
TREAT	Trouble Report Evaluation and Analysis Toll System190, 660
TSP.....	Traffic Service Position	220
TPSP	Traffic Service Position System	250
TUR.....	Traffic Usage Recorder.....	252, 984

U

UNICCAP	Universal Cable Circuit Analysis Program	856
USOA.....	Universal Service Order of Accounts	751
USOC.....	Uniform Service Order Codes	751

V

VFCT	Voice-Frequency Carrier Telegraph	312
VOTEC.....	Voice and Non-Data Special Services Technical Support	010
VSS	Voice Storage System	255

W

WADS.....	Wide Area Data Service179, 972
WATS	Wide Area Telecommunications Service311, 554
WRR	Wideband Regenerative Repeater	314