

Private Automatic Branch Exchanges (PABXs)

DLD 1

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Index and Charges
Section D leaflets

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PLEASE NOTE

This is a simple guide; it is not intended to be a comprehensive list.

Exchange line charges are not included; these are given in General Information leaflet DLX 1.

The full connexion charges are shown, but in certain instances reductions are made.

The charges and rentals shown in this leaflet are correct as at 1 November 1970, and the decimal currency charges and rentals which apply from 15 February 1971 are shown in italics. The charges and rentals may be revised subsequently by the Post Office.

For each automatic or manual extension within the building (internal extension) there is a connexion charge of £3 (£3) and a quarterly rental of £1 (£1).

For each automatic or manual extension to another building (external extension) there is a scale of connexion charges starting at £5 (£5) and a scale of

additional rental starting at £1 5s (£1.25), both based on distance.

Charges are not shown for inter-switchboard circuits as these depend on the facilities required, and the distance involved.

PABXs1, 2 and 6, the smaller sizes, are supplied by the Post Office on rental terms, and the charges shown include the cost of providing and maintaining the equipment.

PABXs3 and 4, the larger sizes, are obtained from and installed by an approved contractor. A list of approved contractors will be supplied on request. The Post Office provides the extensions and maintains the whole installation for the charges shown.

We do our best to supply our customers with the apparatus they ask for, but from time to time we may have to provide apparatus which does not accord exactly with the descriptions and illustrations in the leaflets mentioned.

Leaflet Number	Description of Apparatus	Connexion Charge		Additional Quarterly Rental			
		£	s d	£	£	s d	£
DLD 400	PABX1 An automatic telephone system incorporating a modern cordless switchboard for dealing with incoming calls. There are four sizes of installation						
	4 + 15 A system for up to four exchange lines and fifteen extensions	110	0 0	<i>110</i>	55	0 0	<i>55</i>
	5 + 24 A system for up to five exchange lines and twenty-four extensions	130	0 0	<i>130</i>	65	0 0	<i>65</i>
	7 + 35 A system for up to seven exchange lines and thirty-five extensions	150	0 0	<i>150</i>	75	0 0	<i>75</i>
	10 + 49 A system for up to ten exchange lines and forty-nine extensions	170	0 0	<i>170</i>	85	0 0	<i>85</i>
DLD 400	PABX2 An automatic system similar to the PABX1, in four sizes, each being combined with a cord-type switchboard with facilities for up to thirty manual extensions						
	4 + 15 A system for up to four exchange lines, fifteen automatic extensions, and thirty manual extensions	140	0 0	<i>140</i>	70	0 0	<i>70</i>
	5 + 24 A system for up to five exchange lines, twenty-four automatic extensions, and thirty manual extensions	160	0 0	<i>160</i>	80	0 0	<i>80</i>

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Leaflet Number	Description of Apparatus	Connexion Charge		Additional Quarterly Rental			
		£	s d	£	s d	£	
DLD 400 (continued)	7 + 35 A system for up to seven exchange lines, thirty-five automatic extensions, and thirty manual extensions	180	0 0	180	90	0 0	90
	10 + 49 A system for up to ten exchange lines, forty-nine automatic extensions, and thirty manual extensions	200	0 0	200	100	0 0	100
DLD 400	PABX3 An automatic system designed by a contractor to meet the individual needs of the customer. Maximum capacity is normally 1,200 extensions, but if necessary an installation to serve up to 4,000 extensions can be provided. One or more cord-type switchboards are incorporated depending upon the number of extensions and the volume of calls						
	Connecting, testing and maintaining each fifty extensions' equipment, or part of fifty	26	0 0	26	26	0 0	26
	Testing and maintaining each switchboard position	12	0 0	12	12	0 0	12
DLD 400	PABX4 An automatic system similar to the PABX3, but with more facilities, which incorporates one or more desk-type cordless switchboards. Each installation is contractor-designed to meet individual needs; the capacity is virtually unlimited. Each contractor produces his own version of the switchboard.						
	Connecting, testing and maintaining each fifty extensions' equipment, or part of fifty	26	0 0	26	26	0 0	26
	Testing and maintaining each switchboard position	12	0 0	12	12	0 0	12
DLD 402	PABX6 An automatic system which does not require a switchboard or operator, as certain "designated" extensions answer and deal with incoming calls. An attendant's telephone which uses two extensions is available. It allows the majority of calls to be answered at one point, if required						
	When equipped for up to three exchange lines and ten extensions	100	0 0	100	50	0 0	50
	When equipped for up to five lines and twenty extensions	120	0 0	120	60	0 0	60
	Each "designated" extension	3	0 0	3	1	0 0	1
	Each attendant's telephone, including two extensions and a night-service key	3	0 0	3	1	15 0	1.75