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# Mitel MiContact Center Enterprise

DIMENSIONING CALCULATOR  
INTELLIGENT INTERACTION FOR EXCELLENT CUSTOMER CARE  
Release 9.5 SP3



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# CALL TRAFFIC

The Call Traffic tab is used to calculate the number of trunks, media channels and IVR licenses necessary for a configuration. This can be used to estimate a configuration.

Call Traffic
Service Group Agents
SeC Traffic

**Input**

Probability of Blocking

Incoming Call Trunk:  %      Media Trunk:  %

**Service**

Service:

Calls per Hour (Peak):       Select Message Duration (Seconds):

Average Total Call Length (Seconds):       Input Message Duration (Seconds):

Average IVR Handling Time (Seconds):       Initial Queue Message Duration (Seconds):

Average Queue Time (Seconds):       Repeat Queue Message Duration (Seconds):

Welcome Message Duration (Seconds):       Repeat Queue Message Interval (Seconds):

**Results**

Service Results (Erlangs/Trunks Required):

Service	I/C Calls	IVR	Welcome	Selection	Input	Init Queue	Rep Queue

**Totals**

Incoming Call Traffic (Erlangs/Trunks Required):

Media Traffic (Erlangs/Trunks Required):

Estimated Concurrent IVR Sessions:

## INPUT

### PROBABILITY OF BLOCKING:

Incoming Call Trunk	Percentage of blocked incoming calls Specify the acceptable percentage of incoming calls that will receive a busy signal.
Media Trunk	Percentage of blocked media channels Specify the acceptable percentage of blocked media channels, i.e. calls that will not be able to reserve a media channel.

### SERVICE:

Service:	Select which service you are going to calculate. You can have up to 8 services which are totaled under Results.
Calls per hour (peak)	Maximum number of calls per hour Specify the estimated maximum number of calls per hour for the configuration.
Average Total Call Length (Seconds)	Specify the estimated average call length in seconds for the configuration. This is the time in seconds that the call stays with the agent.
Average IVR Handling Time (Seconds)	Specify the estimated average IVR handling time in seconds for the configuration. Please note that this value will be used when calculating the necessary number of media channels in the Results section below.
Average Queue Time (Seconds)	Specify the estimated average queue time in seconds for the configuration.
Welcome Message Duration (Seconds)	Specify the estimated welcome message duration time in seconds for the configuration.
Select Message Duration (Seconds)	Message duration time in the automatic attendant menu Specify the estimated message duration time in seconds in the automatic attendant menu.
Input Message Duration (Seconds)	If caller's input (for example, invoice number, account number, and so on) is needed, specify the estimated input message time in seconds for the configuration.
Initial Queue Message Duration (Seconds)	Specify the estimated duration time in seconds for the first message played to queuing callers.
Repeat Queue Message Duration (Seconds)	Specify the estimated duration time in seconds for repeated messages played to queuing callers after the first queue message.
Repeat Queue Message Interval (Seconds)	Specify the time in seconds between repeated queue messages.

Enter your variables to the best of your knowledge and press Calculate. If you are not satisfied with the results, modify your input values and press Calculate again.

To continue with a new service in the same installation, select a new Service from the Service drop-down list and enter new variables (the old ones are stored), and when you press Calculate the new calculations will be shown in addition to the previous.

Totals show the totals of all services calculated.

## RESULTS

### SERVICE RESULTS (ERLANGS/TRUNKS REQUIRED)

Service	Name of the service as selected previously.
I/C Calls (Erlang/number of Trunk lines)	This is the calculated traffic Erlangs and the number of Trunk lines required to for incoming calls to handle traffic at the blocking rate specified.
IVR (Erlang/number of Trunk lines)	This is the calculated traffic Erlangs and the number of media channels required to handle the IVR traffic. This is used for calculating the number of IVR channels necessary.
Welcome	This is the calculated traffic Erlangs and media channels for playing the welcome messages. This is used for calculating the number of media channels necessary.
Selection	This is the calculated traffic Erlangs and media channels for playing menu messages. This is used for calculating the number of media channels necessary.
Input	This is the calculated traffic Erlangs and media channels for requesting input from the caller. This is used for calculating the number of media channels necessary.
Init Queue	This is the calculated traffic Erlangs and media channels for playing initial queue messages. This is used for calculating the number of media channels necessary.
Rep Queue	This is the calculated traffic Erlangs and media channels for playing repeated queue messages. This is used for calculating the number of media channels necessary.
<b>TOTALS</b>	
Incoming Call Traffic /Erlang/Trunks Required)	This is a total of all the configured services' incoming calls by traffic Erlangs and Trunks required. The Trunks value can be used to estimate the number of external trunks necessary to support the amount of traffic indicated.
Media Traffic (Erlang/Trunks Required)	This is the calculated total required capacity in traffic Erlangs and Trunks required for media traffic, based on the input values specified on this page. This value can be used to indicate the number of media ports required in OAS as well as connections between OAS and MX-ONE.
Estimated Concurrent IVR Sessions:	This is the calculated necessary capacity for the number of concurrent Script Manager (IVR) sessions. The calculation is based on the values specified in the Calls per hour, Average IVR handling time fields and the entered acceptable blocking probability.

## SERVICE GROUP AGENTS

The Service Group Agents can be used in situations where you know the number of calls and service data to calculate how many agents would be necessary and their utilization.

This can be used in consultative situations or to verify that a configuration in terms of number of agents and incoming calls is realistic.

The screenshot shows a software window titled "Service Group Agents" with three tabs: "Call Traffic", "Service Group Agents", and "SeC Traffic". The "Service Group Agents" tab is active. The window is divided into two main sections: "Input" and "Results".

**Input Section:**

Calls per Hour (Peak):	<input type="text" value="3000"/>
Service Level %:	<input type="text" value="90"/>
Maximum Queue Time (Seconds):	<input type="text" value="180"/>
Average Handling Time (Seconds):	<input type="text" value="240"/>
Clerical Time (Seconds):	<input type="text" value="10"/>
Number of Recorded Calls per Hour:	<input type="text" value="0"/>

**Results Section:**

Agents Required:	---
Agent Utilization:	---
Traffic for Recorded Calls (MB/hour):	---

At the bottom of the window, there are five buttons: "Calculate", "Defaults...", "Open...", "Save...", and "Close".

## INPUT

### INPUT:

Calls per Hour (Peak)	Maximum number of calls per hour Specify the estimated maximum number of calls per hour for the configuration.
Service Level %	This is the desired service level as a percentage of Maximum Queue Time (see next item). It represents the percentage of calls that should be answered before they wait in queue for the Maximum Queue Time configured.
Maximum Queue Time (Seconds)	The maximum time the customer is allowed to stay in queue.
Average Handling Time (Seconds)	The average time the call stays with the agent.
Clerical Time (Seconds)	Wrap-up time after handling a call before a new call is allocated to that agent.
Number of Recorded Calls per Hour	The number of service group calls expected to be recorded per hour by all agents.

### RESULTS:

Agents Required	Calculated number of agents to handle the call inflow specified based on the service level and average handling time configured.
Agent Utilization	Percentage utilization of agents.
Traffic for Recorded Calls (MB/hour)	Indicates the amount of network traffic that will be generated by transferring recorded calls to the MiCC Enterprise server.

## SEC TRAFFIC

SeC Traffic is used to calculate data traffic for a contact center based on how much real time information and data is sent on the LAN/WAN.

Call Traffic
Service Group Agents
SeC Traffic

**Input**

Calls per Hour:	<input type="text" value="3000"/>	Agents:	<input type="text" value="50"/>
Service Accesses:	<input type="text" value="5"/>	Average Service Groups per Agent:	<input type="text" value="10"/>
Service Groups:	<input type="text" value="20"/>	Number of Information Managers:	<input type="text" value="10"/>
Performance Interval:	<input type="text" value="5"/>	Information Manager Update Interval:	<input type="text" value="2"/>

**Real Time Interface Traffic**

Server Type <input checked="" type="radio"/> Master <input type="radio"/> Slave	Slave Sites: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Service Groups: <input type="text" value="20"/>	Update Interval: <input type="text" value="5"/>
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**Results**

<p><b>Traffic (KBits/Sec)</b></p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr><td>Information Manager Traffic:</td><td><input type="text" value="---"/></td></tr> <tr><td>Solidus Agent Traffic:</td><td><input type="text" value="---"/></td></tr> <tr><td>RTI Traffic to Master/Slave Sites:</td><td><input type="text" value="---"/></td></tr> </table>	Information Manager Traffic:	<input type="text" value="---"/>	Solidus Agent Traffic:	<input type="text" value="---"/>	RTI Traffic to Master/Slave Sites:	<input type="text" value="---"/>	<p><b>Initial Event Service Data (Bytes)</b></p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 33%;">Agents</th> <th style="width: 33%;">Information Manager</th> <th style="width: 33%;">Solidus Agent</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td colspan="3" style="height: 100px;"></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Agents	Information Manager	Solidus Agent			
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Solidus Agent Traffic:	<input type="text" value="---"/>												
RTI Traffic to Master/Slave Sites:	<input type="text" value="---"/>												
Agents	Information Manager	Solidus Agent											

Calculate	Defaults...	Open...	Save...	Close
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## INPUT

### INPUT:

Calls per Hour	Maximum number of calls per hour Specify the estimated maximum number of calls per hour for the configuration.
Service Accesses	Number of service accesses in the configuration
Service Group	Number of service groups in the configuration
Performance Interval	Specify the configuration's performance interval (based on minutes) for calculating service levels.
Agents	Number of agents using MiContact Center Agent
Average Service Groups per Agent	Average number of service groups each agent is servicing.
Number of Information Managers	Number of Information Manager clients
Information Manager Update Interval	The interval that Information Manager receives updates in seconds.

### REAL TIME INTERFACE TRAFFIC:

Server Type	Master indicates that this server is the main server in a networked call center. If Master is selected, a number of slave servers can be entered. Slave indicates that the server is a secondary server in a networked call center.
Slave Sites	Number of slave sites that connect to the master server
Service Groups	Number of service groups that the Real Time Interface consolidates in the networked call center.
Update Interval	The interval (in seconds) that the Real Time Interface updates its clients and/or master server.

### RESULTS: TRAFFIC (KBITS/SEC)

Information Manager Traffic	Shows how much data is generated on the LAN for Information Manager clients
MiContact Center Agent Traffic	Shows how much data is generated on the LAN for MiContact Center Agent clients
RTI Traffic to Master/Slave Sites	Shows how much data is generated on the LAN/WAN between master and slave Real Time Interface servers

**RESULTS: INITIAL EVENT SERVICE DATA (BYTES)**

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Agents	Number of agents
Information Manager	The amount of data that must be sent with the initial configuration data at startup for the Information Manager clients
MiContact Center Agent	The amount of data that must be sent with the initial configuration data at startup for the MiContact Center Agent clients

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