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Application Notes for Avaya Aura® Communication Manager 6.2 and Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise with AT&T IP Transfer Connect Service – Issue 1.0

Abstract

These Application Notes describe the steps for configuring Avaya Aura® Communication Manager 6.2 with SIP Network Call Redirection (NCR) and the Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise 4.0.5, over the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service using AT&T **AVPN** or **MIS/PNT** transport connections.

The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service is a service option available with the AT&T IP Toll Free service, and supports the rerouting of inbound toll free calls to alternate destinations based upon SIP redirection messages from Avaya Aura® Communication Manager. In addition, the Avaya Aura® Communication Manager NCR and SIP User-to-User Information (UUI) features can be utilized together, in conjunction with the Data Forwarding option of the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service, to transmit UUI within SIP signaling messages to the alternate destinations.

Note that these Application Notes are intended to supplement the separate document: Applications Notes for Avaya Aura® Communication Manager 6.2 and Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise with AT&T IP Toll Free SIP Trunk Service – Issue 1.0

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1. Introduction

These Application Notes describe the steps for configuring Avaya Aura® Communication Manager 6.2 with SIP Network Call Redirection (NCR) and the Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise 4.0.5, (referred to in the remainder of this document as *Avaya SBCE*), with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service using AT&T **AVPN** or **MIS/PNT** transport connections¹. The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service is a service option available with the AT&T IP Toll Free service, and supports the rerouting of inbound toll free calls to alternate² destinations based upon SIP redirection messages from Avaya Aura® Communication Manager.

The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service is typically used by enterprises that have multiple call centers that are separated geographically or otherwise not interconnected. Using SIP NCR, trunk-to-trunk routing of certain inbound calls at Avaya Aura® Communication Manager can be avoided by requesting that the AT&T network transfer the inbound caller to an alternate destination.

In addition, the Avaya Aura® Communication Manager SIP User-to-User Information (UUI) feature can be utilized with the SIP NCR feature to transmit UUI within SIP signaling messages to the alternate destinations. This capability is used in conjunction with the Data Forwarding option of the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service to transmit a limited amount of call-related data between call centers to support enhanced, customer-friendly applications and/or support efficient use of call center resources. Examples of UUI data might include a customer account number obtained during a database query and the best service routing data exchanged between Avaya Aura® Communication Manager systems.

Note – These Application Notes are intended to supplement the separate document: *Application Notes for Avaya Aura*® *Communication Manager 6.2 and Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise with AT&T IP Toll Free SIP Trunk Service*. It is recommended that this AT&T IP Toll Free service document should be available as a reference during provisioning of the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service.

2. General Test Approach and Test Results

The test environment consisted of:

- A simulated enterprise with Avaya Aura® Communication Manager, Avaya phones, and the Avaya SBCE.
- A laboratory version of the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service, to which the simulated enterprise was connected.

¹ MIS/PNT transport does not support compressed RTP (cRTP), however AVPN transport does support cRTP

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² Note that this is NOT the same as the "Alternate Destination Routing (ADR)" service option available with the AT&T IP Toll Free service.

2.1. Interoperability Compliance Testing

The interoperability compliance testing focused on verifying inbound call flows (see **Section 3.2** for descriptions) to Communication Manager, and subsequent redirection messages to AT&T for rerouting to alternate destinations.

The compliance testing was based on a test plan provided by AT&T, for the functionality required for certification as a solution supported on the AT&T network. Calls were made from the PSTN across the AT&T network. The following features were tested as part of this effort:

- SIP trunking.
- Call redirection functionality utilizing 302 and Refer SIP call processing.
- Communication Manager features such as hold, resume, and local transfer.

Note – Documents used to provision the reference configuration are listed in **Section 10**. Specific references to these documents are indicated in the following sections by the notation [x], where x is the document reference number.

2.2. Test Results

The main test objectives were to verify the following features and functionality:

- Inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service calls to Communication Manager VDNs, agents, and phones.
- Inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service calls that are immediately redirected by a Communication Manager vector (pre-answer redirection) back to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service for redirection to an alternate destination.
- Inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service calls that are answered by a Communication Manager vector and then redirected (post-answer redirection) back to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service for redirection to an alternate destination.
- Redirected AT&T IP Transfer Connect service calls per above arriving on Communication Manager VDNs, agents, and phones (i.e., Communication Manager as the target party for the redirected calls).
- Recovery from unsuccessful post-answer redirection attempts per above due to busy or error conditions on the alternate destination.
- Call and two-way talk path establishment between callers and Communication Manager agents/phones.

The above test objectives with limitations as noted in **Section 2.2.1** were verified.

2.2.1. Known Limitations

1. **302 redirections and 180 Ringing** - The IP Transfer Connect service specifies that 18x responses should not be used in conjunction with 302 redirection calls. Therefore ringback should not be specified in Communication Manager 302 redirection vectors (see **Section 5.3.1**).

- 2. Communication Manager 18x responses and Refer The Communication Manager 6.2 SIP trunk form may be configured to send either a 180 Ringing message (default), or a 183 Session Progress message (see Section 5.2). The message type selected alters the Communication Manager behavior upon receipt of a Notify from AT&T during Refer calls. If 180 is selected, then Communication Manager will issue a BYE upon receipt of the Notify/Ringing message from AT&T. If 183 is selected, then Communication Manager will issue a BYE upon receipt of the Notify/200OK from AT&T. In both cases the expected behavior was for the Avaya CPE to wait for AT&T IP Transfer Connect service to issue the BYE. However no issues were encountered during testing due to either behavior.
- 3. Customers subscribing to AT&T IP Transfer Connect and IP Flexible Reach Enhanced Features services The Communication Manager Network Call Redirection (NCR) feature is required to enable Refer and 302 call redirection with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect Service (see Section 5.2). With this feature enabled, Communication Manager will also use the SIP parameter SendOnly to signal any hold call conditions (as well as the RecvOnly response as required). The SendOnly SIP parameter is not currently supported by the AT&T IP Flexible Reach Enhanced Features service (see document [10]). Any customers subscribing to both AT&T IP Transfer Connect and AT&T IP Flexible Reach Enhanced Features services via the same Communication Manager environment, must use the procedures described in Section 6.1 of this document. That section describes having the Avaya SBCE replace the SendOnly parameter with the SendRecv parameter that the AT&T IP Flexible Reach Enhanced Features service does support.

2.3. Support

AT&T customers may obtain support for the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service by calling (800) 325-5555.

Avaya customers may obtain documentation and support for Avaya products by visiting http://support.avaya.com. In the United States, (866) GO-AVAYA (866-462-8292) provides access to overall sales and service support menus. Customers may also use specific numbers (provided on http://support.avaya.com) to directly access specific support and consultation services based upon their Avaya support agreements.

3. Reference Configuration

The reference configuration used in these Application Notes is shown in **Figure 1** and consists of several components:

- Communication Manager 6.2 provides the voice communication services for a particular enterprise site. Avaya H.323 endpoints register to Communication Manager.
- The Avaya Media Gateway provides the physical interfaces and resources for Communication Manager. In the reference configuration, an Avaya G430 Media Gateway is used. This solution is extensible to other Avaya Media Gateways.

- Avaya 1603 (H.323), 96x0 Series IP Telephones (running H.323 firmware), and 96x1 Series IP Telephones (running H.323 firmware) were tested, as well as Avaya 6211 Analog Telephones, and Avaya one-X® Agent soft phone (H323). Note that Avaya SIP endpoints are not supported in configurations without Avaya Aura® Session Manager.
- The Avaya SBCE provides SIP Session Border Controller (SBC) functionality, including address translation and SIP header manipulation between the AT&T IP Toll Free service and the enterprise internal network.
- The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service uses SIP over UDP to communicate with enterprise edge SIP devices, (e.g., the Avaya SBCE). Communication Manager may use SIP over TCP or TLS to communicate with SIP network elements, (e.g., the Avaya SBCE). In the reference configuration, Communication Manager uses SIP over TCP to communicate with the Avaya SBCE to facilitate network tracing.
- Avaya Aura® Messaging was used in the reference configuration to provide voice messaging capabilities. The provisioning of Avaya Aura® Messaging is beyond the scope of this document.
- Inbound calls were placed from PSTN via the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service, through the Avaya SBCE to Communication Manager. Communication Manager terminates the call to the appropriate agent/phone. The Avaya H.323 telephones in the enterprise register to the Communication Manager Processor Ethernet (Procr) interface.

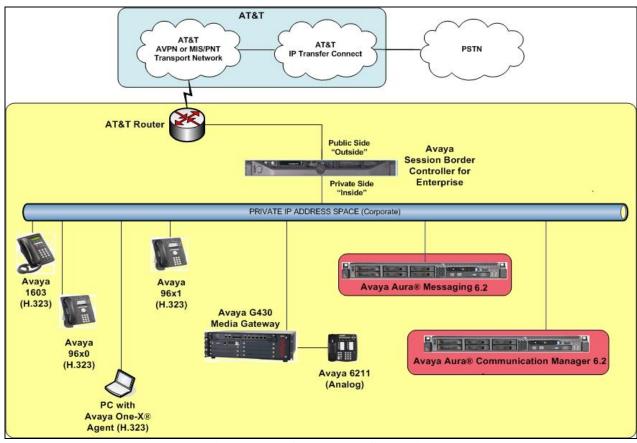


Figure 1: Reference configuration

3.1. Illustrative Configuration Information

The specific values listed in **Table 1** below and in subsequent sections are used in the reference configuration described in these Application Notes, and are **for illustrative purposes only**. Customers must obtain and use the specific values for their own specific configurations.

Note - The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service Border Element IP address and DNIS digits, (destination digits specified in the SIP Request URIs sent by the AT&T Transfer Connect service) are shown in this document as examples. AT&T Customer Care will provide the actual IP addresses and DNIS digits as part of the IP Transfer Connect provisioning process.

Component	Illustrative Value in these				
Awaya Ayya Cammunisation Managan	Application Notes				
Avaya Aura® Communication Manager					
IP Address	192.168.67.44				
Avaya Aura® Communication Manager	19xxx – Stations				
extensions	4xxxx – Agents and VDNs				
Voice Messaging Pilot Extension	36000				
Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterpris	se (SBCE)				
IP Address of Outside (Public) Interface (to	192.168.64.130				
AT&T IP Flexible Reach-Enhanced Features					
Service)					
IP Address of Inside (Private) Interface	192.168.67.120				
(connected to Avaya Aura® Communication					
Manager)					
Avaya Aura Messaging					
IP Address	192.168.67.147				
Messaging Mailboxes	19xxx & 4xxxx				
AT&T IP Transfer Connect Service					
Border Element IP Address	135.25.29.74				

Table 1: Illustrative Values Used in these Application Notes

3.2. Call Flows

To understand how inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service calls are handled by the Avaya SBCE and Communication Manager, four general call flows are described in this section.

The first call scenario illustrated in **Figure 2** is an inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service call that arrives at the Avaya SBCE. IP address, domain, and header manipulations are applied and then forwarded to Communication Manager, which in turn routes the call to a vector, agent, or phone. Note that no redirection is performed in this scenario, and thus the call flow is the same as that of an inbound AT&T IP Toll Free service call.

- 1. A PSTN phone originates a call to an AT&T IP Transfer Connect service number (an AT&T IP Toll Free service number that has been enabled with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service option).
- 2. The PSTN routes the call to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service network.
- 3. The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service routes the call to the Avaya SBCE.
- 4. The Avaya SBCE performs SIP Network Address Translation (NAT) and any necessary SIP header modifications, and routes the call to Communication Manager.
- 5. Depending on the called number, Communication Manager routes the call to a vector, which in turn routes the call to an agent or phone, or Communication Manager routes the call directly to an agent or phone.

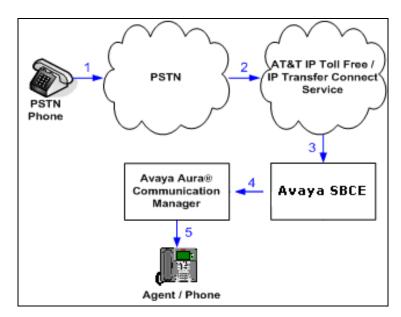


Figure 2: Inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect Call – No Redirection

Note: In the call scenarios that follow, the term "alternate destination" does NOT refer to the "Alternate Destination Routing (ADR)" service option of the AT&T IP Toll Free service. ADR and the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service are unrelated.

The second call scenario illustrated in **Figure 3** is an inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service call that arrives on Communication Manager, which in turn routes the call to a vector. The vector, without answering the call, immediately redirects the call back to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service for routing to an alternate destination.

- 1. Same as the first four steps from the first call scenario.
- 2. Communication Manager routes the call to a vector, which redirects the call by sending a SIP 302 message back out the SIP trunk on which the inbound call arrived. The SIP 302 message is routed through the Avaya SBCE, which sends the call to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service. Since the SIP 302 message is a final response, the redirecting party (Communication Manager) is no longer involved in the call whether the redirection succeeds or fails, and thereby releases the trunk.
- 3. The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service places a call to the alternate destination and upon answer, connects the calling party to the target party (alternate destination).

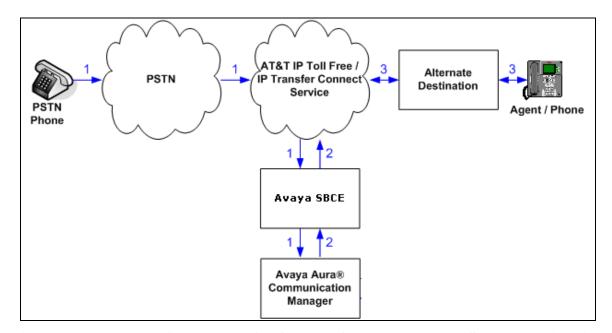


Figure 3: Inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect Call – Pre-Answer SIP 302 Redirection

The third call scenario illustrated in **Figure 4** is an inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service call that arrives on the Avaya SBCE, is subsequently routed to Communication Manager, which in turn processes the call with a vector. The vector answers the call and then redirects the call back to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service, (using Refer), for routing to an alternate destination.

- 1. Same as the first four steps from the first call scenario.
- 2. Communication Manager routes the call to a vector, which answers the call and plays an announcement, and attempts to redirect the call by sending a SIP Refer message back out on the SIP trunk on which the inbound call arrived. The SIP Refer message specifies the alternate destination number, and is routed back through the Avaya SBCE, which sends the call to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service network.
- 3. The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service places a call to the target party (alternate destination) and upon answer, connects the calling party to the target party.
- 4. Either Communication Manager or the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service clears the redirecting/referring party call.

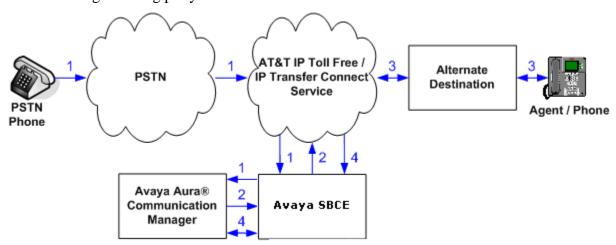


Figure 4: Inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect Call – Post-Answer SIP Refer Redirection Successful

The fourth call scenario illustrated in **Figure 5** is similar to the third call scenario, except that the redirection is unsuccessful due to the alternate destination being busy or otherwise unavailable. As a result, Communication Manager "takes the call back" and routes the call to a local agent/phone.

- 1. Same as the third call scenario.
- 2. Same as the third call scenario.
- 3. The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service places a call to the target party (alternate destination), but the target party is busy or otherwise unavailable.
- 4. The AT&T IP Transfer Connect service notifies the redirecting/referring party (Communication Manager) of the error condition.
- 5. Communication Manager routes the call to a local agent or phone.

Note: This "error handling" scenario occurs only with AT&T IP Transfer Connect service lines enabled with the Attended IP Courtesy Transfer feature.

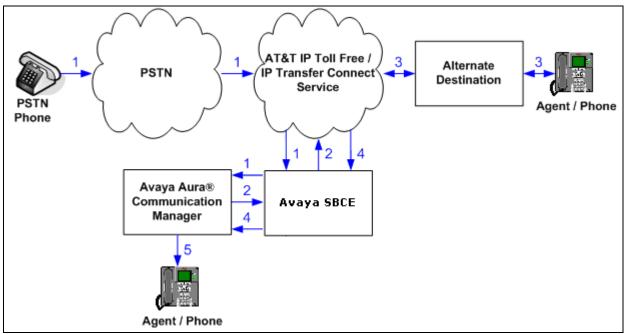


Figure 5: Inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect Call - Post-Answer SIP Refer Redirection Unsuccessful, Communication Manager reroutes to Agent

4. Equipment and Software Validated

The following equipment and software was used for the reference configuration described in these Application Notes.

Equipment/Software	Release/Version			
HP Proliant DL360 G7 server/				
• System Platform 6.2	• System Platform 6.2.1.0.9			
 Avaya Aura® Communication Manager 6.2 	• 6.2 SP4 (02.0.823.0-20199)			
Dell R610/Avaya Aura® Messaging 6.2	• System Platform 6.2.1.0.9			
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	109_0102)			
Avaya G430 Media Gateway	31.20.0			
MM711 Analog card	HW31 FW094			
MM712 Digital card	HW07 FW011			
Dell R210 V2/ Avaya Session Border Controller	4.0.5.Q19			
for Enterprise				
Avaya 96x0 IP Telephone	H.323 Version S3.105S			
Avaya 96x1 IP Telephone	H.323 Version S6.020S			
Avaya one-X® Agent	2.5 SP1 Patch 1 (2.5.1072.11082)			
Avaya 1603 IP Telephone	H323 (ha1603ua1_3200.bin)			
Avaya 6424 Digital telephone				
Windows PC/ Ventafax Home Version (Fax	6.1.59.144			
device)				
AT&T IP Transfer Connect service using	VNI 26			
AVPN/MIS-PNT transport service connection				

Table 2: Equipment and Software Versions

5. Avaya Aura® Communication Manager

The Communication Manager administration for interaction with the AT&T IP Toll Free service is described in document [9] and is applicable for the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service as well. This section describes the additional administration steps on Communication Manager necessary for supporting interaction with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service. The steps are performed from the Communication Manager System Access Terminal (SAT) interface.

Note – In the following sections, only the **highlighted** parameters are applicable to these Application Notes. Other parameters shown should be considered informational.

5.1. System Parameters

This section reviews the additional Communication Manager licenses and features that are required for supporting the interaction with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service.

NOTE - For any required features that cannot be enabled in the steps that follow, contact an authorized Avaya account representative to obtain the necessary licenses.

1. Enter the **display system-parameters customer-options** command. On **Page 4** of the **system-parameters customer-options** form, verify that the **ISDN/SIP Network Call Redirection?** feature is set to "y".

```
display system-parameters customer-options
                                                                       4 of
                                                                            11
                                                                Page
                                OPTIONAL FEATURES
  Emergency Access to Attendant? y
                                                                 IP Stations? v
          Enable 'dadmin' Login? y
          Enhanced Conferencing? y
                                                           ISDN Feature Plus? n
                 Enhanced EC500? y
                                         ISDN/SIP Network Call Redirection? y
                                                             ISDN-BRI Trunks? y
   Enterprise Survivable Server? n
      Enterprise Wide Licensing? n
                                                                   ISDN-PRI? y
             ESS Administration? y
                                                 Local Survivable Processor? n
         Extended Cvg/Fwd Admin? y
                                                       Malicious Call Trace? y
    External Device Alarm Admin? y
                                                   Media Encryption Over IP? n
                                       Mode Code for Centralized Voice Mail? n
 Five Port Networks Max Per MCC? n
               Flexible Billing? n
  Forced Entry of Account Codes? y
                                                    Multifrequency Signaling? y
     Global Call Classification? y
                                           Multimedia Call Handling (Basic)? y
            Hospitality (Basic)? y
                                        Multimedia Call Handling (Enhanced)? y
Hospitality (G3V3 Enhancements)? y
                                                 Multimedia IP SIP Trunking? y
                      IP Trunks? y
          IP Attendant Consoles? y
        (NOTE: You must logoff & login to effect the permission changes.)
```

2. On Page 6 of the system-parameters customer-options form, verify that the ACD, EAS, and Vectoring features are set to "y".

```
display system-parameters customer-options
                                                                                6 of 11
                                                                        Page
                            CALL CENTER OPTIONAL FEATURES
                              Call Center Release: 6.0
                                                                       Reason Codes? y
                                    ACD? y
                          BCMS (Basic)? y
                                                          Service Level Maximizer? n
                                            Service Observing (Basic)? y
Service Observing (Remote/By FAC)? y
          BCMS/VuStats Service Level? y
  BSR Local Treatment for IP & ISDN? y
                    Business Advocate? n
                                                         Service Observing (VDNs)? y
                      Call Work Codes? y
                                                                           Timed ACW? y
      DTMF Feedback Signals For VRU? y
                                                                  Vectoring (Basic)? y
                     Dynamic Advocate? n
                                                             Vectoring (Prompting)? y
                                                         Vectoring (G3V4 Enhanced)? y
       Expert Agent Selection (EAS)? y
                     EAS-PHD? y Vectoring (3.0 Enhanced)? y
Forced ACD Calls? n Vectoring (ANI/II-Digits Routing)? y
St Occupied Agent? y Vectoring (G3V4 Advanced Routing)? y
                Least Occupied Agent? y
                                                Vectoring (G3V4 Advanced Routing)? y
           Lookahead Interflow (LAI)? y
                                                                  Vectoring (CINFO)? y
Multiple Call Handling (On Request)? y
                                               Vectoring (Best Service Routing)? y
    Multiple Call Handling (Forced)? y
                                                              Vectoring (Holidays)? y
  PASTE (Display PBX Data on Phone)? y
                                                             Vectoring (Variables)? y
         (NOTE: You must logoff & login to effect the permission changes.)
```

5.2. Trunks

This section describes the steps for modifying the SIP trunk to the Avaya SBCE to support the interaction with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service.

- 1. Enter the **change trunk-group x** command, where **x** is the number of the trunk group administered in document [9] for inbound AT&T IP Toll Free service calls (e.g., trunk 4).
 - On Page 4 of the trunk-group form, set Network Call Redirection to y.
- 2. Note whether the setting for **Convert 180 to 183 for Early Media?** is **n** (default) or **y**. The value defined will alter the Refer NOTIFY response behavior (see **Section 2.2.1**, **item 2**).

```
21
change trunk-group 4
                                                                        4 of
                                                                Page
                              PROTOCOL VARIATIONS
                           Mark Users as Phone? n
                 Prepend '+' to Calling Number? n
           Send Transferring Party Information? n
                      Network Call Redirection? y
                         Send Diversion Header? n
                       Support Request History? n
                  Telephone Event Payload Type: 100
            Convert 180 to 183 for Early Media? n
      Always Use re-INVITE for Display Updates? n
            Identity for Calling Party Display: P-Asserted-Identity
Block Sending Calling Party Location in INVITE? n
                                  Enable Q-SIP? n
```

5.3. Inbound Call Routing

This section describes the steps for routing inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service calls to reach Vector Directory Numbers (VDNs) with corresponding programmable vectors. These vectors contain steps that invoke the Communication Manager SIP Network Call Redirection (NCR) functionality. The routing of inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service calls that do not invoke the SIP NCR functionality is addressed in document [9].

Two different inbound call routing scenarios are described in these Application Notes:

- Pre-Answer Redirection An inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service call that invokes SIP NCR, using a vector generated SIP 302 message. In this case no audio announcement is generated by the vector.
- Post-Answer Redirection An inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service call that invokes SIP NCR, using a vector generated SIP Refer message. In this case the vector does play an announcement back to the caller prior to the redirection.

The following inbound call treatment information is defined using the inbound number information provided by AT&T.

NOTE - These Application Notes provide rudimentary vector and agent definitions to demonstrate and test the SIP NCR and UUI functionalities. In general, call centers will use vector and agent functionality that is more complex and tailored to their individual needs. Call centers may also use customer hosts running applications used in conjunction with Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services (AES) to define call routing and provide associated UUI. The definition and documentation of those complex applications, and associated vectors and agents, are beyond the scope of these Application Notes. Consult documents [3] and [4] for further information.

5.3.1. Pre-Answer Redirection - 302

This section provides an example of Pre-Answer Redirection. In this example, the inbound call is routed to the VDN shown in **Figure 7**, which invokes the vector shown in **Figure 8**. Note that the vector does not specify ringback (see **Section 2.2.1**, **item 1**), or generate an announcement. The vector does the following:

- 1. Assigns the data "1234567890123456" to ASAI UUI variable "B" (vector step 05). Note: The parameters for ASAI UUI variables "A" and "B", and other vector variables are defined using the change variables command (see Figure 6).
- 2. Redirects the call to the number "1012" (vector step 08), which is a predefined AT&T IP Transfer Connect access number. The presence of the "~r" in the "route-to number" triggers Communication Manager NCR processing to send a SIP 302 message with the number "1012" in the user part of the Contact header URI, e.g., 1012@<host/domain>, to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service (via the Avaya SBCE).

cha	nge variables	VARIABLES	EOD W	TCTODQ		Page	1 of	39
		VALIADLES	rok vi	CIORS				
Var	Description	Type	Scope	Length	Start	Assignment		VAC
A	UuiTest1	asaiuui	L	16	1			
В	UUI 16	asaiuui	L	16	1 C			

Figure 6: Change Variables Form

```
display vdn 19020
                                                                 Page
                                                                         1 of
                                                                                3
                            VECTOR DIRECTORY NUMBER
                             Extension: 19020
                                 Name*: 302
                           Destination: Vector Number
                                                              22
                   Attendant Vectoring? n
                  Meet-me Conferencing? n
                    Allow VDN Override? n
                                   COR: 1
                                   TN*: 1
                              Measured: none
        VDN of Origin Annc. Extension*:
                            1st Skill*:
                            2nd Skill*:
                            3rd Skill*:
* Follows VDN Override Rules
```

Figure 7: Sample VDN for Pre-Answer Redirection

```
display vector 22
                                                                   1 of
                                                                          6
                                                            Page
                                CALL VECTOR
   Number: 22
                           Name: 302NoRingUUI
Multimedia? n
                Attendant Vectoring? n Meet-me Conf? n
                                                                   Lock? n
                      G3V4 Enhanced? y
    Basic? y
              EAS? y
                                         ANI/II-Digits? y
                                                           ASAI Routing? y
Prompting? y LAI? y G3V4 Adv Route? y
                                         CINFO? y BSR? y
                                                            Holidays? y
Variables? y 3.0 Enhanced? y
01
02
03
04 #
       Define UUI variable
05 set
              В
                    = none
                              CATR 1234567890123456
07 #
       Redirect
08 route-to number ~r1012
                                      with cov y if unconditionally
09 stop
10
```

Figure 8: Sample Vector for Pre-Answer Redirection

5.3.2. Post-Answer Redirection - Refer

This section provides an example of Post-Answer Redirection. In this example, the inbound call is routed to the VDN shown in **Figure 9**, which invokes the vector shown in **Figure 10**. The vector does the following:

- Assigns the data "1234567890123456" to ASAI UUI variable "A" (vector step 02).
 Note: The parameters for UUI variable "A" and other vector variables are defined using the change variables command (see Figure 6).
- 2. The vector plays an announcement, (vector step **04**), which answers the call. This action of answering the call and sending media, distinguishes the Refer call processing from the 302 described in **Section 5.3.1**.
- 3. Attempts to redirect the call to the number "1012", (vector step 06), which is a predefined AT&T IP Transfer Connect access number. The presence of the "~r" in the "route-to number" triggers Communication Manager NCR processing to send a SIP Refer message with the number "1012" in the user part of the Refer-To header URI, e.g., 1012@<host/domain> to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service (via the Avaya SBCE).

```
display vdn 19010
                                                                 Page
                                                                        1 of
                            VECTOR DIRECTORY NUMBER
                             Extension: 19010
                                 Name*: Refer
                           Destination: Vector Number
                                                             15
                   Attendant Vectoring? n
                  Meet-me Conferencing? n
                    Allow VDN Override? n
                                   COR: 1
                                   TN*: 1
                              Measured: none
        VDN of Origin Annc. Extension*:
                            1st Skill*:
                            2nd Skill*:
                            3rd Skill*:
```

Figure 9: Sample VDN for Post-Answer Redirection

```
display vector 15
                                                              Page
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                                 CALL VECTOR
   Number: 15
                           Name: Refer UUI
Multimedia? n Attendant Vectoring? n Meet-me Conf? n
                                                                     Lock? n
    Basic? y EAS? y G3V4 Enhanced? y ANI/II-Digits? y ASAI Routing? y
Prompting? y LAI? y G3V4 Adv Route? y CINFO? y BSR? y Variables? y 3.0 Enhanced? y
                                                              Holidays? y
01 # Generate UUI
02 set
                      = none CATR 1234567890123456
               В
03 # Play Refer announcement
04 announcement 42008
       Refer occurs since this is post answer
06 route-to number ~r1012
                                       with cov y if unconditionally
07 stop
```

Figure 10: Sample Vector for Post-Answer Redirection

6. Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise

The Avaya SBCE configuration for interaction with the AT&T IP Toll Free service provided in document [9] should also be followed for interoperability with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service. However additional Avaya SBCE provisioning may be required for interoperability with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service if those customers also subscribe to the AT&T IP Flexible Reach – Enhanced Features service.

6.1. SIP Header Manipulation - Convert SendOnly to SendRecv

As described in **Section 2.2.1**, **Item 3**, the Communication Manager NCR feature is required to enable Refer and 302 call redirection with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect Service. With this feature enabled, Communication Manager will also use the SIP parameter *SendOnly* to signal any hold call conditions. The *SendOnly* SIP parameter is not currently supported by the AT&T IP Flexible Reach - Enhanced Features service.

As a workaround, an Avaya SBCE SIP header manipulation script was written for the AT&T IP Flexible Reach - Enhanced Features service, which includes the conversion of *SendOnly* to *SendRecv*. That script, (named "**sendonly**"), is documented in **Section 12.1.3** of document [10], however it is also shown below as a reference.

Customers that subscribe to both the AT&T IP Transfer Connect and AT&T IP Flexible Reach - Enhanced Features services via the same Communication Manager environment, must use this script as well.

```
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Options
                                                                               Save
    sendonly
     //Replace SendOnly with SendRecv for IPFR
     within session "INVITE"
  3
       act on request where %DIRECTION="INBOUND" and %ENTRY POINT="PRE ROUTING"
  6
  7
       -{
  9
        %BODY[1].regex replace( "a=sendonly", "a=sendrecv");
 10
 11
 12 }
 13
```

7. Verification Steps

7.1. Call Verification Tests

The call verification steps and troubleshooting tools described for the AT&T Toll Free service described in document [9], apply to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service as well.

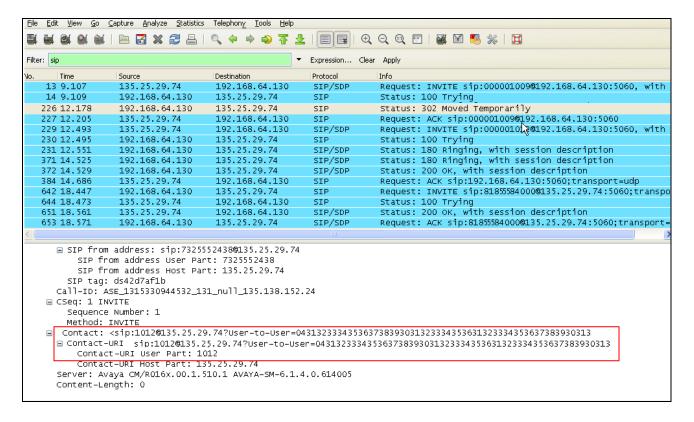
- Place an inbound call to an AT&T IP Transfer Connect service line enabled with Redirect features. Verify that an appropriate Communication Manager vector immediately redirects the call back to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service for redirection to an alternate destination using 302. Verify two-way talk path and transmission of UUI information as appropriate.
- 2. Place an inbound call to an AT&T IP Transfer Connect service line enabled with Refer features. Verify that an appropriate Communication Manager vector answers the call and then redirects the call back to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service for redirection to an alternate destination using Refer. Verify two-way talk path and transmission of UUI information as appropriate.
- 3. Verify that when Communication Manager is the transfer target of redirected calls, the calls are answered with two-way talk path. Verify that the calls remain stable for several minutes and disconnect properly.

7.2. Protocol Traces

Using a SIP protocol analyzer (e.g. Wireshark), monitor the SIP traffic at the Avaya SBCE public "outside" interface connection to the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service.

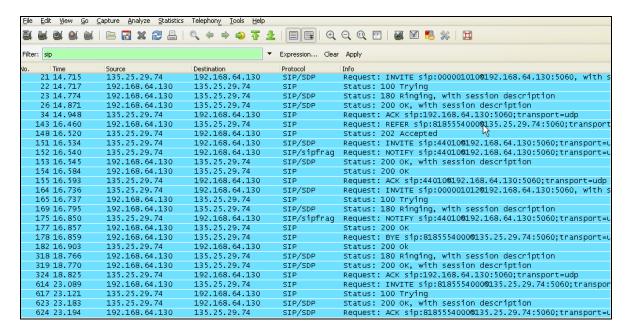
7.2.1. 302 Redirection

The following is an example of a 302 redirection call filtering on the SIP protocol. Note that the Contact header contains the new called number (1012) as defined in vector 22 shown in **Section 5.3.1**. Also note the UUI information also defined in vector 22.



7.2.2. Refer with 180

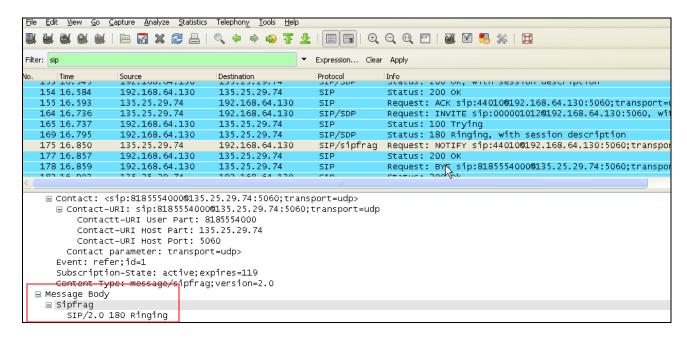
The following is an example of a Refer (frame 143) redirection call filtering on the SIP protocol. Note that Communication Manager is sending 180 Ringing. As described in **Section 2.2.1**, **item 2**, this causes Communication Manager to send a BYE (frame 178) upon receipt of the Notify/180 Ringing sent by AT&T in frame 175.



This screen shows the Refer in frame 143 in detail. The Refer-To header specifies the new called number (1012) as defined in vector 15 shown in **Section 5.3.2**. Also note the UUI information defined in vector 15 (see Figure 10).

```
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                                                      ▼ Expression... Clear Apply
   Time
                                      Destination
                  Source
                                                                       Info
                                                          Protocol
                                                                       Status: 200 OK, with session description
    26 14.871
                  192.168.64.130
                                      135.25.29.74
                                                          SIP/SDP
    34 14.948
                                                                       Request: ACK sip:192.168\64.130:5060;transport=udp
Request: REFER sip:8185554000@135.25.29.74:5060;tran
                  135.25.29.74
                                      192.168.64.130
                                                          SIP
  143 16.460
                  192.168.64.130
                                      135.25.29.74
                                                          SIP
                                                                       Status: 202 Accepted
   148 16.520
                   135.25.29.74
                                      192.168.64.130
                                                          SIP
                  135.25.29.74
                                      192.168.64.130
                                                          SIP/SDP
                                                                       Request: INVITE sip:44010@192.168.64.130:5060;transp
   151 16.534
                  135.25.29.74
  152 16.540
                                      192.168.64.130
                                                          SIP/sipfrag Request: NOTIFY sip:44010@192.168.64.130:5060;transp
  153 16.545
                  192.168.64.130
                                      135.25.29.74
                                                          SIP/SDP
                                                                       Status: 200 OK, with session description
                  192.168.64.130
                                      135.25.29.74
   154 16.584
                                                          SIP
                                                                       Status: 200 OK
   155 16 593
                                      192 168 64 130
                                                          STD
                                                                       Request: ACK sin:44010@192 168 64 130:5060:transnort
                   135 25 29 74
          Contactt-URI User Part: 44010
          Contact-URI Host Part: 192.168.64.130
          Contact-URI Host Port: 5060
        Contact parameter: transport=udp>
      Content-Length: 0
    □ P-Asserted-Identity: "REFER" <sip:44010@192.168.64.130>
        SIP Display info: "REFER"
      ■ SIP PAI Address: sip:44010@192.168.64.130
          SIP PAI User Part: 44010
          SIP PAI Host Part: 192.168.64.130
     Refer-To: <sip:1012@135.25.29.74?user-to-user=0431323334353637383930313233343536%3Bencoding%3Dhex>
      Max-Forwards:
```

This screen shows the Notify/180 Ringing sent by AT&T in frame 175. Note that this Notify is in response to the 180 Ringing sent in frame 169.

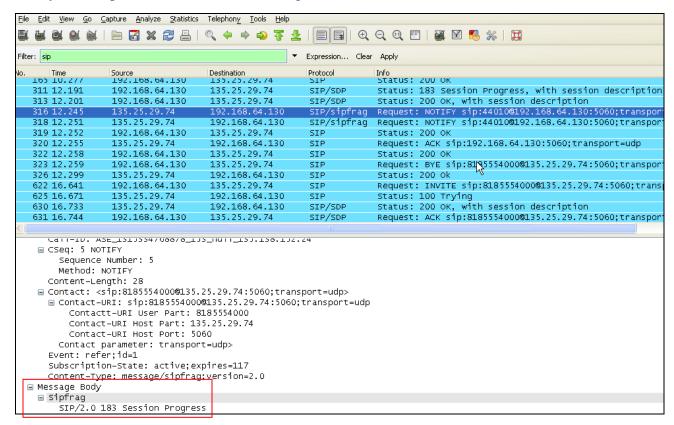


7.2.3. Refer with 183

The following is an example of a Refer (frame 134) redirection call filtering on the SIP protocol. Note that Communication Manager is sending 183 Session Progress. As described in **Section 2.2.1**, **item 2**, this causes Communication Manager to send a BYE (frame 323) upon receipt of the Notify/183 Session Progress sent by AT&T in frame 316.

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lo.		Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Info
	11	8.186	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP/SDP	Request: INVITE sip:000001010@192.168.64.130:50
	12	8.188	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Status: 100 Trying
	13	8.204	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP/SDP	Status: 183 Session Progress, with session desc
	18	8.302	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP/SDP	Status: 200 OK, with session description
	26	8.382	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP	Request: ACK sip:192.168.64.130:5060;transport=
	134	9.890	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Request: REFER sip:8185554000@135.25.29.74:5060
	139	9.948	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP	Status: 202 Accepted
	141	9.963	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP/SDP	Request: INVITE sip:44010@192.168.64.130:5060;t
	142	9.970	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP/sipfrag	Request: NOTIFY sip:44010@192.168.64.130:5060;t
	143	9.975	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP/SDP	Status: 200 OK, with session description
	145	10.013	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Status: 200 OK
	146	10.028	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP	Request: ACK sip:44010@192.168.64.130:5060;trar
	154	10.169	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP/SDP	Request: INVITE sip:000001012@192.168.64.130:50
	155	10.171	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Status: 100 Trying
	158	10.217	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP/SDP	Status: 183 Session Progress, with session desc
	164	10.271	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP/sipfrag	Request: NOTIFY sip:44010@192.168.64.130:5060;t
	165	10.277	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Status: 200 OK
	311	12.191	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP/SDP	Status: 183 Session Progress, with session desc
	313	12.201	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP/SDP	Status: 200 OK, with session description
	316	12.245	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP/sipfrag	Request: NOTIFY sip:44010@192.168.64.130:5060;t
	318	12.251	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP/sipfrag	Request: NOTIFY sip:44010@192.168.64.130:5060;t
	319	12.252	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Status: 200 OK
	320	12.255	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP	Request: ACK sip:192.168.64.130:5060;transport=
	322	12.258	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Status: 200 OK
	323	12.259	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Request: BYE sip:8185554000@135.25.29.74:5060;t
	326	12.299	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP	Status: 200 ok
	622	16.641	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP	Request: INVITE sip:8185554000@135.25.29.74:506
	625	16.671	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP	Status: 100 Trying
	630	16.733	135.25.29.74	192.168.64.130	SIP/SDP	Status: 200 OK, with session description
	631	16.744	192.168.64.130	135.25.29.74	SIP/SDP	Request: ACK sip:8185554000@135.25.29.74:5060;t

This screen shows the Notify/183 Session Progress sent by AT&T in frame 316. Note that this Notify is in response to the 183 Session Progress sent in frame 311.



8. Conclusion

As illustrated in these Application Notes, Avaya Aura® Communication Manager and the Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise can be configured to interoperate successfully with the AT&T IP Transfer Connect service. In addition, these Application Notes further demonstrate that the Avaya Aura® Communication Manager SIP Network Call Redirection (NCR) and User-to-User Information (UUI) features can work in complement with the AT&T implementations of SIP NCR and UUI to support call redirection over SIP trunks while preserving initiating caller information. This solution provides contact center users of Avaya Aura® Communication Manager the ability to redirect inbound AT&T IP Transfer Connect service calls to alternate destinations (using Refer and 302 redirection), and deliver UUI-encoded customer information to those alternate destinations for the purposes of invoking contact center applications, e.g., triggering agent screen pop-ups with caller information, etc.

The sample configuration shown in these Application Notes is representative of a basic enterprise customer configuration and is intended to provide configuration guidance to supplement other Avaya product documentation. It is based upon formal interoperability compliance testing as part of the Avaya DevConnect Service Provider program.

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