

Avaya Solution & Interoperability Test Lab

Application Notes for Configuring G-Tek/AEi Communications AAX-4100 with Avaya IP Office - Issue 1.0

Abstract

These Application Notes describe the configuration steps required for G-Tek/AEi Communications AAX-4100 analog telephone to interoperate with Avaya IP Office.

Readers should pay attention to Section 2, in particular the scope of testing as outlined in Section 2.1 as well as any observations noted in Section 2.2, to ensure that their own use cases are adequately covered by this scope and results.

Information in these Application Notes has been obtained through DevConnect compliance testing and additional technical discussions. Testing was conducted via the DevConnect Program at the Avaya Solution and Interoperability Test Lab.

1. Introduction

These Application Notes describe the steps required to configure G-Tek/AEi Communications AAX-4100 analog telephone to interoperate within Avaya IP Office. G-Tek/AEi's AAX-4100 is a phone used in the hospitality industry.

2. General Test Approach and Test Results

To verify interoperability of G-Tek/AEi Communications AAX-4100 with IP Office, calls were made between G-Tek/AEi telephones and PSTN, Avaya SIP, H.323, analog and digital telephones using various common PBX features.

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2.1. Interoperability Compliance Testing

Interoperability compliance testing covered the following features and functionality:

- Calls between G-Tek/AEi telephones and PSTN, Avaya SIP, H.323, analog, and digital telephones.
- Basic features including the following:
 - o Answer
 - Hang up
 - o DTMF transmission
 - Message Waiting Indicator (MWI)
 - Abort
 - Music on hold
 - Short Codes
 - Long duration
 - o Invalid Number
 - o Busy
 - Forward
 - o DND
 - Alarm Scheduling and Alarm Call

IP Office was rebooted and the GTek/AEi Communications telephones were disconnected and re-connected to test serviceability.

2.2. Test Results

All test cases were executed and passed successfully.

2.3. Support

Technical support from G-Tek/AEi Communications can be obtained through the following:

• Phone: +1-650-552-9416

• E-mail: techsupport@aeicommunications.com

3. Reference Configuration

The diagram illustrates an enterprise site with an Avaya IP Office 500 V2, Avaya SIP, H.323, analog, and digital telephones. Two G-Tek/AEi AAX-4100 telephones were used during the compliance test.

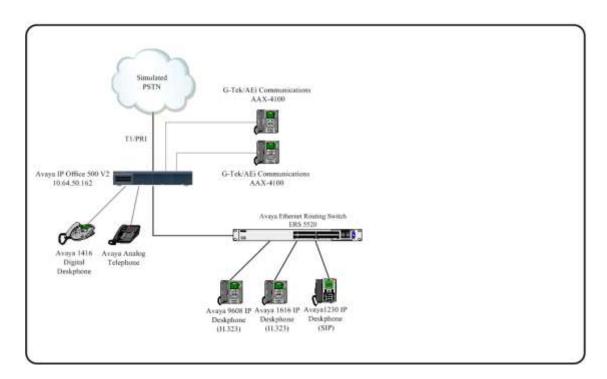


Figure 1: G-Tek AAX-4100 Reference Configuration

4. Equipment and Software Validated

The following equipment and software were used for the sample configuration provided:

Equipment/Software	Release/Version
Avaya PBX Products	
Avaya IP Office 500 V2	9.1.0.0 build 437
Avaya Messaging (Voice Mail) Products	
Avaya Voicemail Pro	9.1.0.0 build 166
Avaya Endpoints	

Equipment/Software	Release/Version
Avaya 1616 IP Deskphone	(H.323 3.2)
Avaya 9608 IP Deskphone	(H.323 6.4)
Avaya 1230 IP Deskphone	(SIP 04.04.18.00)
Avaya 1416 Digital Deskphone	R39
Avaya Analog Telephone	NA
G-Tek/AEi Communications Products	
G-Tek/AEi Communications AAX-4100	NA

Compliance Testing is applicable when the tested solution is deployed with a standalone IP Office 500 V2 only.

5. Configure Avaya IP Office

This section provides the procedures for configuring IP Office.

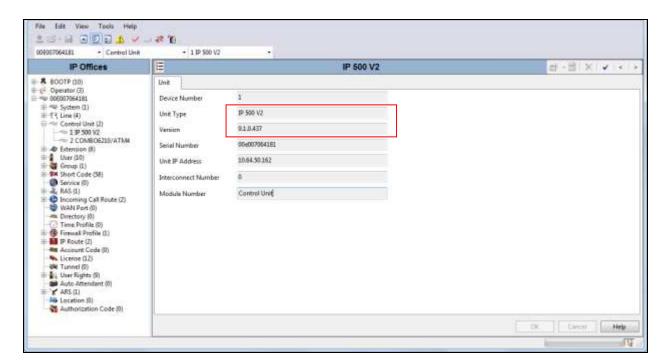
Note: For these Application Notes it is assumed that IP Office has already been installed and licensed for operation. Information included within is specifically for configuring the AAX-4100 for operation with IP Office.

5.1. Connect to IP Office using Manager

From a PC running the IP Office Manager application, select **Start** → **All Programs** → **IP Office** → **Manager** to launch the Manager application. Select the desired IP Office system and login with the appropriate credentials.

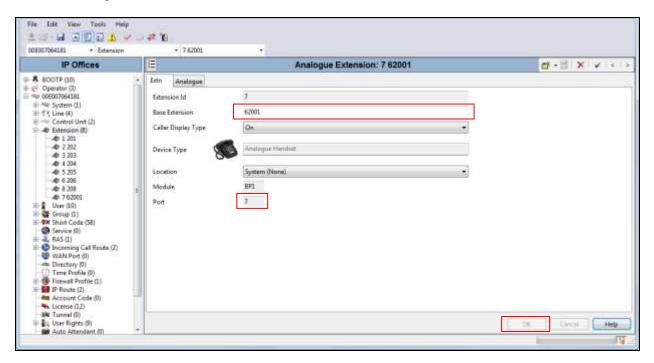
5.2. Verify IP Office Control Unit

From the configuration tree in the navigation pane, select Control Unit → IP 500 V2. Verify Unit Type and Version. This compliance test verified functionality using IP Office 500 V2 hardware with version 9.1.0.437 software.



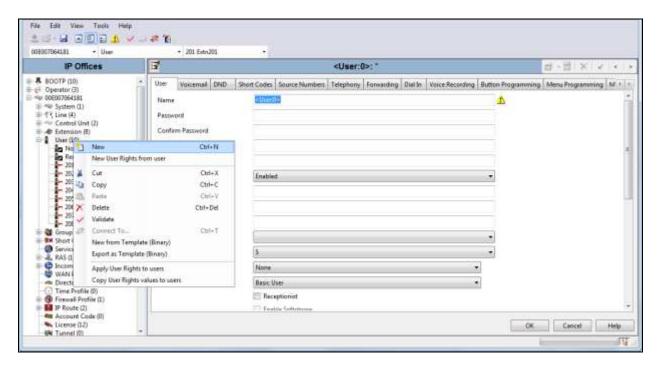
5.3. Configure Extension

From the left pane select $00E007064181 \rightarrow Extension$, and the relevant analog port. In this example the **Base Extension** has been configured as 62001 and the analog port that the AAX-4100 will be connected to on the IP Office 500V2 device is **Port 7**. When finished click **OK** to save the configuration.

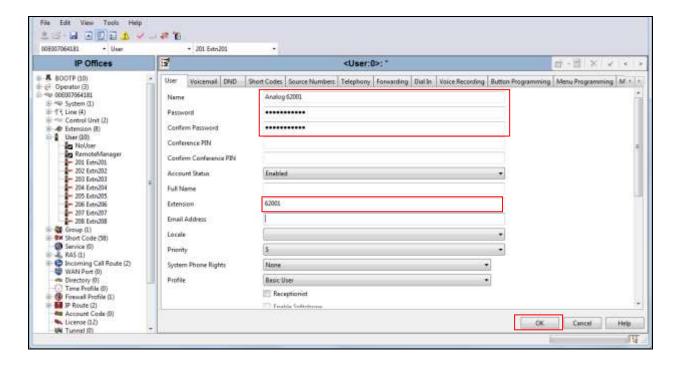


5.4. Configure User

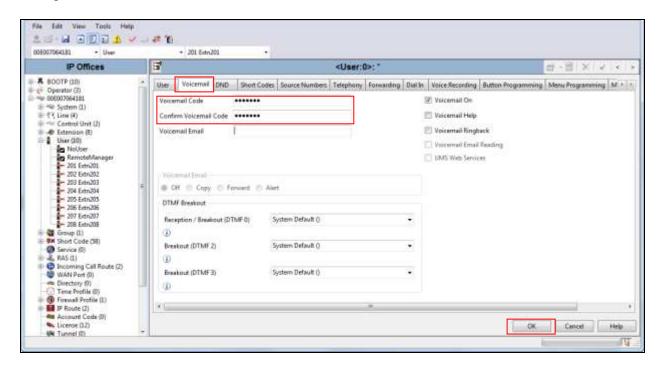
From the left pane, right-click **User** and select **New**. This will display a new user configuration section in the right pane.



In this section enter a **Name**, **Password**, and the **Extension** that was configured **Section 5.3**. When finished click **OK**.



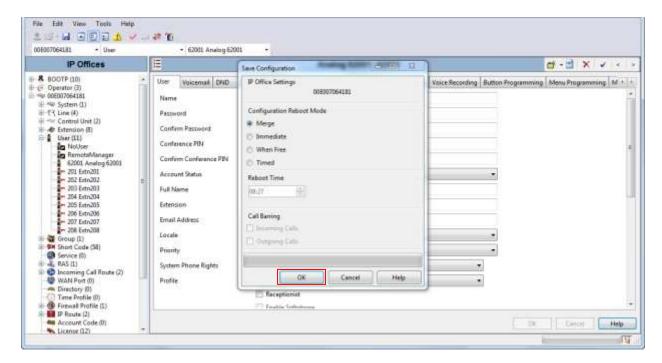
Now select the **Voicemail** tab and enter a **Voicemail Code**. When finished click \mathbf{OK} to save the configuration.



Note: **Sections 5.3** and **5.4** should be repeated for every GTek/AEi Communications analog telephone.

5.5. Save IP Office Configuration

From the top toolbar select **File** \rightarrow **Save Configuration**. Click **OK** to save the configuration.



6. G-Tek/AEi Communications AAX-4100 Analog Telephone

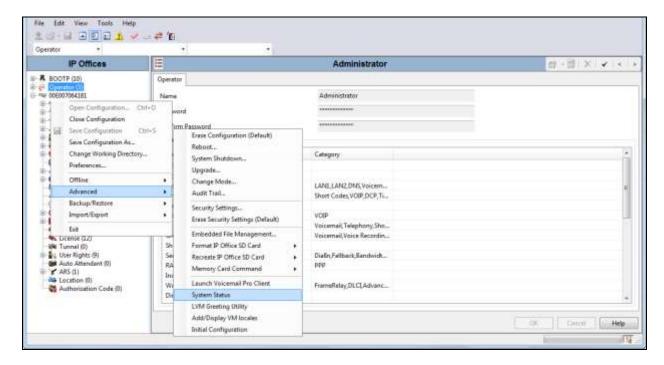
The G-Tek/AEi AAX-4100 is an analog telephone and doesn't require any specific configuration in order to makes calls with IP Office. Once IP Office has been configured and each AAX-4100 is connected to an analog port, the telephone should be able to place and receive calls.

7. Verification Steps

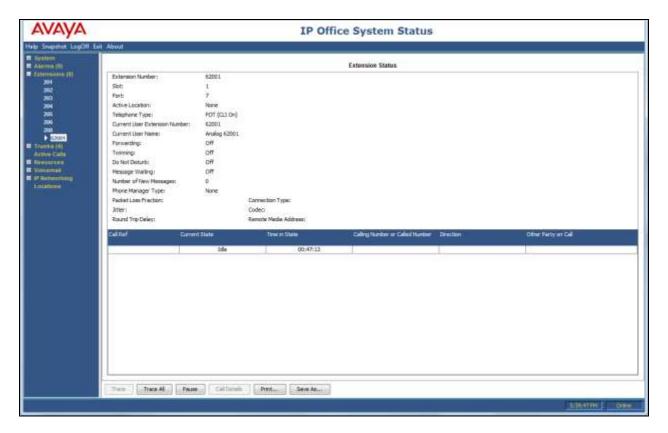
In order to verify proper functionality of the AAX-4100, make calls to and from the telephone. If calls are unsuccessful, first check to see if there is a good physical connection between the telephone and the analog port on IP Office, then verify the Extension and User configuration in IP Office Manager. If there are still problems, use the IP Office System Status Program to check status or launch IP Office Monitor to capture and debug calling problems.

7.1. IP Office System Status

From the IP Office Manager click **File** → **Advanced** → **System Status**. This launches the System Status tool for IP Office.

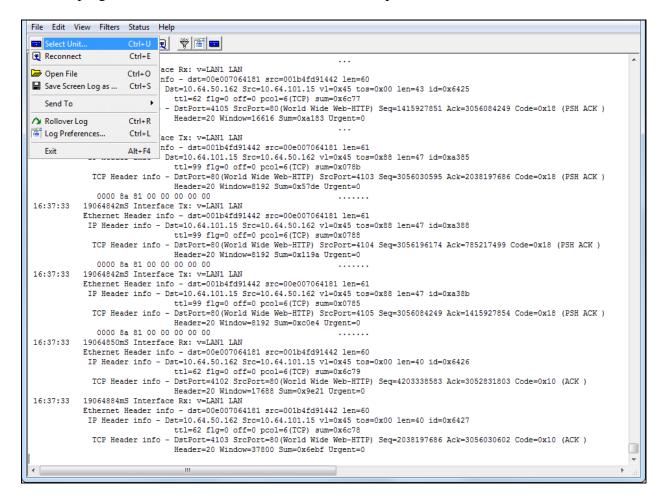


Enter the appropriate credentials to login. Once System Status has launched, from the left pane expand **Extensions** and select the extension number of the AAX-4100 in order to verify its status. Additionally other **Extensions**, **Alarms**, and **Resources** including licenses status can be verified in System Status.

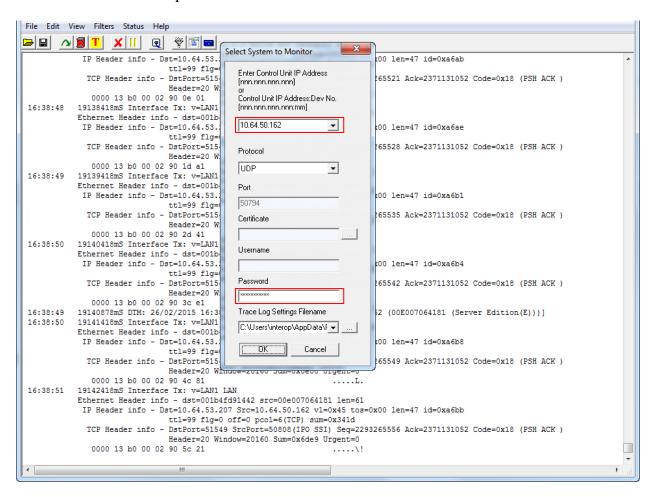


7.2. IP Office Monitor

From the Windows Start Menu select **All Programs** \rightarrow **IP Office** \rightarrow **Monitor** to launch the Monitor program. Once Monitor is launched, from the top menu bar select **File** \rightarrow **Select Unit**.



Enter the IP address and password for the unit.



Try searching for one of the extensions to find information about the call. The extensions were configured in **Section 5.3**.

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8. Conclusion

These Application Notes describe the configuration steps required for G-Tek/AEi Communications AAX-4100 analog telephone to successfully interoperate with Avaya IP Office. All feature and serviceability test cases were completed successfully.

9. Additional References

This section references documentation relevant to these Application Notes. Avaya product documentation is available at http://support.avaya.com. GTek/AEi Communications product documentation can be found at http://www.aeicommunications.com.

[1] Administering Avaya IP OfficeTM Platform with Manager Release 9.1.0 Issue 10.04 February 2015.

[2] AAX-4100 GUESTROOM TELEPHONE USERS GUIDE

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