Web Site News As Of April 20, 2004

Welcome to the SBC Midwest Performance Measurements web site.

March 2004 performance results for SBC Midwest performance measurements are now available.

2003 Six-Month Review Performance Measurement Change Implementation:

Implementation of the 2003 Six-Month Review performance measurement changes began with February 2004 performance results. The 2003 Six-Month Review Agreed-To Measurement Change Implementation Schedule indicates the performance measurements that were implemented on March 22, 2004 and April 20, 2004 as well as targeted implementation dates for other performance measurements. The Schedule along with an Implementation Tracking Worksheet is available on the Performance Measures section of the CLEC OnLine web site.

Effective with March 2004 data:

- PMs 1.1, 13, 104, 105-108, 112, CLEC WI 1, CLEC WI 6-9, CLEC WI 11, CLEC BLG 2 and CLEC BLG 3 have been updated to reflect all agreed to measurement changes, including changes to definitions, exclusions, calculations, benchmarks, disaggregations and remedies.
- For PM 28 the calculation logic has been updated to include UNE-P Projects in the UNE-P Res and Bus disaggregations. This is a partial implementation of the substantive changes specified for this PM under the 2.0 Business Rules.
- For PM 39 the calculation logic has been updated to exclude CLEC requested commitments from the PM results. This is a partial implementation of the substantive changes specified for this PM under the 2.0 Business Rules.
- For PM 43 the calculation logic has been updated to exclude CLEC requested due dates greater than the standard/offered installation interval from the PM results. This is a partial implementation of the substantive changes specified for this PM under the 2.0 Business Rules.
- For PM 55 the calculation logic has been updated to properly count the start of the interval when a MLR (Manual Loop Request) is involved and to exclude CFA expedites. This is a partial implementation of the substantive changes specified for this PM under the 2.0 Business Rules.

The SBC/Ameritech Performance Measurements User Guide Version 2.0 has been posted, exactly as filed, and details 2003 Six-Month Review agreed-to (color-lined) changes. Also posted is a clean copy of Version 2.0 with all track (agreed-to) changes accepted. The SBC/Ameritech Performance Measurement User Guide

Version 1.9 will continue to be posted until all 2003 Six-Month Review changes have been implemented. The User Guides are accessible via the User Guide link.

Please note that the exclusion change approved in the 2003 six-month review for MI 12 was not implemented this month as planned. The change was to add a new exclusion proposed by SBC and agreed to by CLECs that permits SBC to subtract the time that an order falls into a 'resubmit' status from the total interval used to calculate the numerator. Programming of this new exclusion will be completed for April 2004 results to be reported in May 2004.

In addition, please note:

- SBC Midwest has been reporting a Broadband service under the UNE Installation and Maintenance Broadband DSL sub-measures that was not provisioned as a UNE under Section 251 of the Act. Reporting of this service within the Broadband DSL sub-measures will be discontinued effective with April reporting, as the PMs are required to report only on SBC Midwest's performance with respect to UNEs under Section 251(c) of the Act. Going forward, Broadband DSL UNE PM results will include only those circuits purchased, provisioned and maintained as Broadband DSL UNE circuits, if any. (This change has been implemented for all PMs except PM 60. PM 60 will be updated with the next posting of results.)
- As previously noted on the SBC Midwest PM News Page dated March 22, 2004, PM 124.1 (Test Environment Availability) had been reported as the percent of time the test environment was unavailable, the inverse of what should have been reported (percent of time available). The issue was corrected with March 22, 2004 reporting of February results. This month, PM 124.1 results for prior months have been re-displayed as the percent of time the test environment was available.
- For PMs 55 and 56 the product names of "Analog Switch Port" and "Analog Line Port" will be included in the reported product "Switch Port Analog" for March 2004 results. Also, similarly for CLEC WI 5, the reported product currently states "Analog Trunk Port". The reported product has been updated for March 2004 results to include "Analog Switch Port" and include all circuits of this type.