ICON[®] VSN for Digital Leased Lines



Transition from analog to digital leased lines and improve protection performance

- Deliver <10 ms latency performance for demanding applications like direct transfer trip.
- Retain existing protective relay equipment by adding a cost-effective SEL ICON Integrated Communications Optical Network to each substation.
- Address analog leased line obsolescence concerns.
- Reduce leased line cost and improve reliability by switching to digital.



Switch to Digital

ICON virtual synchronous networking (VSN) makes it easy to migrate from analog to digital leased line services without compromising protection.

With the major telecom carriers announcing the end of service for leased analog lines, you may be facing a forced transition to leased Ethernet services. Switching to packet-based networking makes it challenging to maintain adequate latency and asymmetry performance for critical analog circuits. The ICON is the solution.

By simply adding an ICON at each end of a digital leased line, you can get the latency, asymmetry, and failover necessary to continue using sophisticated protection schemes like direct transfer trip (DTT).



You can combine ICON deterministic transport with dedicated analog drop interfaces, including 2-wire FXO/FXS, 4-wire analog voice frequency, and DTT. These interfaces allow you to preserve existing analog end equipment and create a low-latency circuit through your digital leased line to maintain end-to-end communications channel performance for critical applications. With the ICON, you can achieve end-to-end latency of less than 5 ms for a contact transfer across leased Ethernet service.



Performance for Protection Networks

ICON VSN technology allows you to use Ethernet transport but preserve performance for time-division multiplexing (TDM) circuits. And it works with any packet technology that your telecom carrier has adopted for core transport, including Multiprotocol Label Switching (MLPS) and Carrier Ethernet.



The ICON efficiently packetizes TDM traffic for Ethernet transport. It does not packetize at the DSO/EO level; it packetizes at increments of an STS (i.e., STS 1–12) and passes that through an Ethertype handler. For transport itself, the ICON uses an innovative method of generating regularly spaced Ethernet frames with each containing packetized TDM information. By maintaining regularly spaced transport, the ICON maintains its synchronous TDM engine, ensuring fast data recovery. The combination of the efficient packetization and regularly spaced transport allows the synchronous transfer of data across a packet infrastructure, preserving TDM performance over the packet-based network.



ICON Specifications

8022-01 Enhanced Protected Line Module	SFP Ports A/B/C/D: 155 Mbps, 622 Mbps, 1 Gbps, or 2.4 Gbps
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Server Module 8030-01 Server Module	NMS ports: USB, RJ-45
	GPS antenna: TNC
19-Inch Pack Mount Chassis	IRIG-B in: BNC
	10 available slots
	Supply voltage: 102–264 Vac, 50/60 Hz
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	Supply voltage. 19 50 vut
	Supply voltage: 102–264 Vac, 50/60 Hz
	Supply voltage: 102–264 Vac, 50/60 Hz; or 88–300 Vd
	Supply voltage: 19–60 Vdc
	100/1000 Ethernet ports: 4 SFP
Access 8036-01 Ethernet Bridging Access Module Modules	10/100/1000 Ethernet ports: 4 RJ-45
8036-02 Ethernet Bridging Access Module	100/1000 Ethernet ports: 4 SFP
With PTP	10/100/1000 Ethernet ports: 4 RJ-45
8051-11 Nx64F Multimode Submodule	ST ports: 1 Rx, 1 Tx
8051-12 Nx64F Single-Mode Submodule 8053-11 Data Async Submodule 8053-12 Async-CB Submodule	Standard: IEEE C37.94 multimode
	ST ports: 1 Rx, 1 Tx
	Standard: IEEE C37.94 single-mode
	Ports: 2 RJ-45 Standards: EIA-232, EIA-422, EIA-485
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8055-01 422 Sync Submodule	Port: 1 RJ-45
8056-01 G.703 Submodule	Port: 1 RJ-48C
8065-11 4-Wire VF Submodule	Ports: 2 RJ-45
8065-12 4-Wire VF Bridging Submodule 8066-01 2-Wire FXS Submodule 8067-01 2-Wire FXO Submodule	Ports: 2 RJ-45
	Port: 1 RJ-11
	Ports: 2 RJ-11
8041-01, -04 Transfer Trip Module	Commands: 4
8057-11 DS1 Async Submodule	Ports: 4 RJ-48C
8057-12 DS1 Sync Submodule	Ports: 4 RJ-48C
8057-03 DS1 Psync Submodule	Ports: 4 RJ-48C
8057-14 E1 Async Submodule	Ports: 4 RJ-48C
8057-15 E1 Sync Submodule	Ports: 4 RJ-48C
Network Topologies	Linear and multiple rings with single or dual interconnected nodes, plus linear spur and subtended ring topologies
Path Switching Time	<5 ms
Convection-Cooled	No fans
Operating Temperature	-20° to +65°C (-4° to +149°F)
	19-Inch Rack Mount Chassis8001-01 Full 19-Inch Chassis8011-01 HV AC 120-240 V, IEC C6 Line Cord8011-02 HV AC/DC 120-240 V, Terminal BlockBulf-Width Cube Chassis8002-01 Half-Width Chassis8010-01 HV AC 120-240 V, IEC C6 Line Cord8010-02 HV AC/DC 120-240 V, Terminal Block8010-03 MV DC 24-48 V, Terminal Block8010-01 HV AC 120-240 V, Terminal Block8010-02 HV AC/DC 120-240 V, Terminal Block8036-01 Ethernet Bridging Access Module8036-02 Ethernet Bridging Access ModuleWith PTP8051-11 Nx64F Multimode Submodule8053-12 Async-CB Submodule8053-12 Async-CB Submodule8055-01 422 Sync Submodule8055-01 422 Sync Submodule8065-11 4-Wire VF Submodule8065-12 4-Wire VF Bridging Submodule8066-01 2-Wire FXS Submodule8067-01 2-Wire FXS Submodule8057-13 DS1 Async Submodule8057-14 E1 Async Submodule8057-15 E1 Sync Submodul

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