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1.0 Abstract

The purpose of this document is to guide a small team of programmers to efficiently implement an operational SX4 OAM system. This system is used by operators for the management of a small telephone exchange system. This system will be used to manage customer records, billing history, billing payments, and control the underlying hardware.

This document will provide sufficient design and implementation details to allow novice programmers complete the project.

All interaction between each component module is described, and details given of the interfaces used. Between the UI Clients and the OAM Server a TCP/IP connection is used, over which XML messages are passed. A MySQL database is used to store the system's information. TCP/IP is used to communicate between the OAM Server the database.

As specified in the OAM Software Interface specs, communication between the OAM Server and the CUs will use message queues.

A prototype UI Client is provided. The UI Client will be implemented using Tcl/Tk.

For the convenience of project leaders or management, cost and time estimates are provided.

2.0 Introduction

2.1 Purpose

This document is intended to provide a detailed description of the SX4 OAM software system, for use in implementation. It is intended that this document be used by both developers and project leaders/management.

For developers, this document will serve as a template for implementation. Detailed descriptions of the main classes and methods found within the system modules are given. As well, an appropriate coding standard is provided.

For project leaders or managers, this document provides information about development and maintenance costs, and a task schedule.

2.2 Scope

As described in the OAM Architecture Document, each process of the OAM consists of a number of modules. The functionality of each of these modules is summarized in a fashion similar to a CRC card, followed by descriptions of the main routines and classes found within. Pseudo-code examples of complex functions are provided. As well, examples of inter process communication that occurs due to function calls are provided.

Externally visible interfaces are presented, so that developers can quickly reference the details when they need access to a component. UI descriptions, as well as external communications interfaces are provided.

An Integration Task Plan is proposed to allow concurrent development. Following the plan given will yield major milestones at which integration and integration testing can be performed.

Cost estimates are given, in terms of lines of code and time to implement, for each module. It is expected that under normal circumstances, the time to develop would be 9 months, at a cost of \$105,600, with an annual maintenance cost of \$25,600. A task schedule is provided in the form of a Gantt chart. A period of time between June 30th and July 2nd has been recognized as a likely period of vacation for all developers on the project.

The coding standards will adopt a form of Hungarian notation as a naming convention, and follow the GNU Coding Standards for formatting the source code (with slight modifications). Other customized standards are also described.

2.3 Document Conventions

This document makes use of many tables to convey method and process information. Diagrams are provided to further augment understanding. The method tables will follow the following format:

Declaration Provides either a C/C++ member function declaration: <code>returnType functionName(arg1, arg2, ...)</code> or a Tcl/Tk procedure declaration: <code>proc procedureName {arg1 arg2 ...}</code>
Purpose What this method does
Arguments (optional) Description of input parameters
Return Value (optional) Description of any explicitly returned values (values returned through input arguments are described in the Arguments section)
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode (optional) Specifies any additional notes that are important to the implementation and/or provides a pseudocode.

The table for processes is similar except that it specifies *Usage* instead of specifying method *Declaration*. For usage signatures, <argument> represents a required argument and [argument] represents an optional argument.

When specifying XML messages sent or received, the type of message is usually encompassed in < > brackets. This denotes that that type of message is expected in the XML, along with the structure of that node that is specified in the DTD. The method may specify that <TestEquipmentRequest> is an argument, but that actually corresponds to the message:

```
<Message>  
  <TestEquipmentRequest>  
    <EX>2</EX>  
    <Shelf>2</Shelf>  
    <Slot>3</Slot>  
  </TestEquipmentRequest>  
</Message>
```

3.0 Design Overview

3.1 Module Dependency Diagram

The following diagram displays module dependencies. Dashed lines indicate messaging dependencies. Messaging dependencies are those that the interface between these components is determined to be an external interface is well defined. And hence there is not a direct dependency.

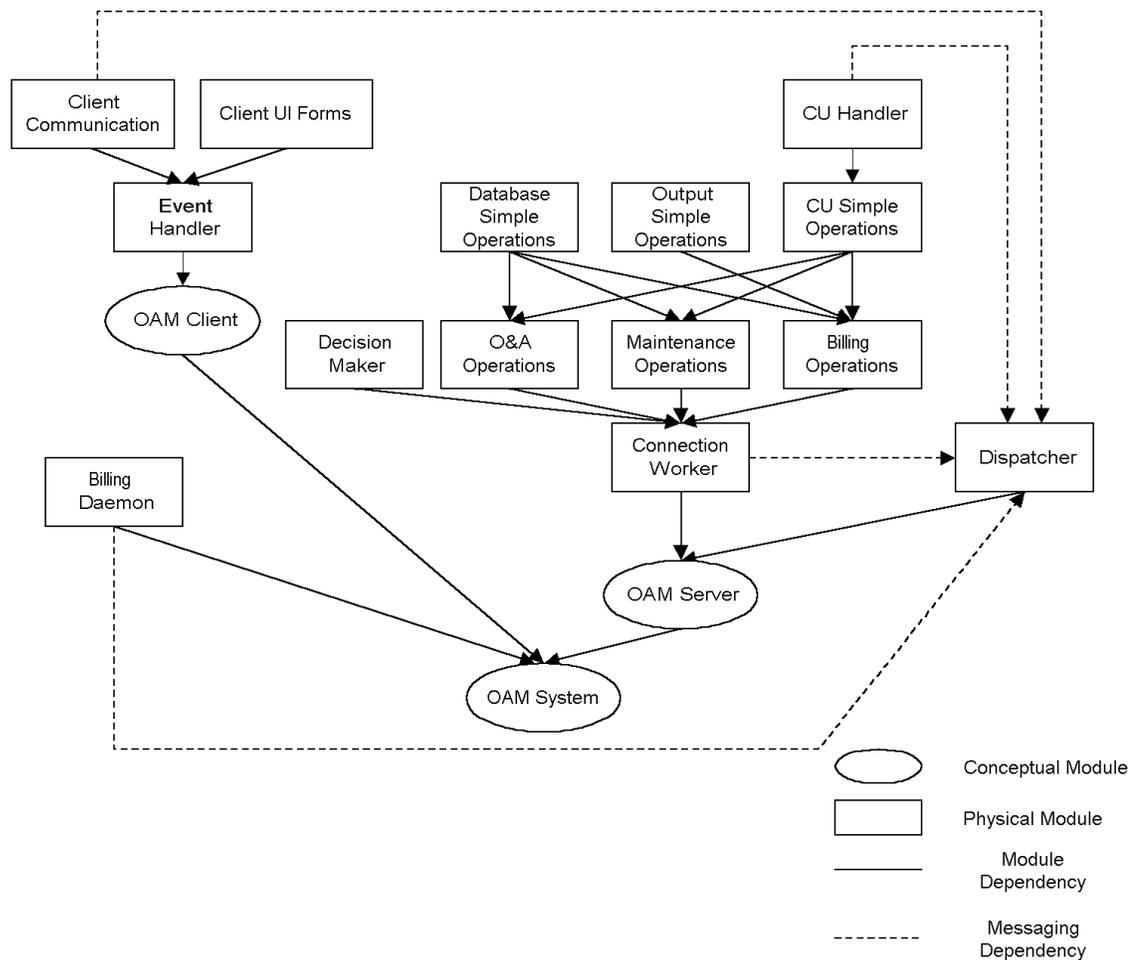


Figure 1 Module Dependencies

3.2 Design Decisions and Justification

The OAM System follows a Client Server Design Pattern. This is typical of a system that maintains and manages central data that can be accessed from many points across the network. Some of the design considerations and justification of choices of how the system is partitioned are presented in this section. It includes Class-Responsibility-Collaborator (CRC) cards for each major module. The Detailed

Design section will further expand on each of the modules outlined by expressing externally visible methods to other components.

3.2.1 Internationalization

A consideration that was present in all of our design decisions was to allow Internationalization of the end visible product. Strong typing of messages and structures by enumerated types permits this. For example, our error return results from the Server to Client are well define integers and not error messages. The UI can then look at its locale table for resources to get the language specific message corresponding to the error. It would be difficult to implement an internationalized version of a product in the short amount of time that is projected; we feel that the product produced will require some work for it to be internationalized but it should not require any architectural or major design changes.

3.2.2 Messaging

The Messaging System between major components is designed to be one that uses well formatted XML. There are numerous benefits to this, including validation, extensibility and abstraction. The XML messages sent between components can be readily verified for the correct structure using a Document Type Definition (DTD). The DTD is specified in the External Interfaces Section.

Using XML allows us to abstract the server from the client completely, in that the server can be written independent of the client being written. The server need not know about the OS or language that the client is running. XML also allows us to support multiple languages, and not have to change the protocol in which messages are sent out. In other words, we can write multi-byte character sets into the XML and dynamically determine what character set to use on the server end.

Another benefit of using XML is that it can be easily captured, and regression test can be done on individual components.

3.2.3 OAM Server

The OAM Server is partitioned into two components, the Dispatcher and the Connection Worker. The partitioning occurs based on functionality. The Connection Worker is responsible for servicing a client's request. The Dispatcher is responsible for administration of Connection Workers, such as allocating and notifying. The design pattern that this separation of functionality corresponds to is commonly referred to as the Administrator-Worker pattern. It allows many clients to access the various services, while maintaining a high level of concurrency.

The Connection Worker is partitioned using a layered Design Pattern. It has three main layers, the Decision Maker layer, the Complex Operations layer and the Simple Operations layer. The divisions of the layers occur based on complexity of each layer.

3.2.3.1 Dispatcher & Connection Worker

Dispatcher	
<p>Collaborator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connection Worker • Billing Daemon • OAM Client • CU Handler 	<p style="text-align: center;">Responsibility</p> <p>The Dispatcher is the central point for the distribution and synchronization of work; it is an administrator for client processes. It delegates requests from the OAM Client and CU Handler. A client begins by establishing a connection to the Dispatcher. The Dispatcher then allocates a Connection Worker to handle the client's request. The Dispatcher can also broadcast messages to all existing Connection Workers to notify them of system errors.</p>

Connection Worker	
<p>Collaborator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dispatcher • Billing Daemon • OAM Client • CU Handler • Database • Print Server 	<p style="text-align: center;">Responsibility</p> <p>The Connection Worker handles all communication between the OAM Server and a client. A Connection Worker has three sub-components; Decision Maker, Complex Operations and Simple Operations. All client requests are processed through the decision maker and passed down to complex and simple operations that are performed on low-level operations on the resources in the system.</p>

3.2.3.2 Decision Maker

Decision Maker	
<p>Collaborator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connection Worker • Complex Operations • Dispatcher • OAM Client • CU Handler 	<p style="text-align: center;">Responsibility</p> <p>The Decision Maker handles all communication between the OAM Server and a client. Once created a Connection Worker's Decision Maker is the only component that can communicate with the client.</p>

3.2.3.3 Complex Ops layer

The Complex Operations is subdivided into three modules; Operations & Administration, Maintenance, and Billing. These three modules compose the core functionality of the system. The division of the Complex Operations occurs based on similar functionality.

Operations & Administration
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Responsibility	
Collaborator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decision Maker • Simple Operations 	This component handles Operations & Administration type requests. The component communicates with the three Simple Operations Layer. An example of such a request is Add Customer.

Maintenance	
Collaborator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decision Maker • Simple Operations 	This component handles Maintenance type requests. The component communicates with the three Simple Operations Layer. An example of such a request is Reset a Line Card in the CU.

Billing	
Collaborator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decision Maker • Simple Operations 	This component handles Billing type requests. The component communicates with the three Simple Operations Layer. An example of such a request is Print the bill for a customer.

3.2.3.4 Simple Ops layer

The bottom Simple Operations layer is divided into three components, Database, Output and CU. These three divisions occur based on functional components that each communicates with. Components on this layer are not allowed to communicate amongst each other. The original design of the Database Simple Operations was to follow a Create, Restore, Update, Delete (CRUD) design pattern. However, it was found that CRUD produced an inefficient interface for doing operations. For example, if we needed to do something on all subscriptions, we must fetch all the subscriptions then execute an update on each one. For large databases this would create many database execution messages to be performed, whereas it could be done in one single database message. Therefore, our Database Simple Operations interface has a CRUD look and feel for some of the operations, but we have extended its functionality for optimization purposes.

Database Simple Operations	
Collaborator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complex Operations • Database 	Responsibility Provides a set of basic methods for interfacing with the Database. These methods are similar to system calls in an operating system.

CU Simple Operations

Collaborator	Responsibility
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complex Operations • CU Handler Operations 	The CU Simple Operations layer implements basic atomic operations and provides an abstract interface to the CU.

Output Simple Operations	
Collaborator	Responsibility
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complex Operations • Print Server 	The Output Simple Operations layer implements basic atomic operations and provides an abstract interface to the PDF bill generation, emailing of bills and physical outputting of bills.

3.2.4 OAM Client

The OAM Client uses an adaptation of the Model, View and Controller design pattern. The Event Handler represents the Controller, the Communications Layer represents the Model, and the UI Forms represent the View. The hierarchical and navigational feel of the GUI to be design differs from the initial specification of it in SRS. These changes along with screen captures and functionality are presented in Appendix B.

Communication Layer	
Collaborator	Responsibility
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OAM Server • Event Handler 	The Communication module acts as an interface between the Event Handler and the Server. It is responsible for transforming the internal data representation into the externally visible data representation of XML. It handles requests received from both the Server and Event Handler and deals with them appropriately.

UI Forms	
Collaborator	Responsibility
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operator • Event Handler 	The User Interface Forms module acts as an interface between the OAM Client's Event Handler and the Operator Terminal. This involves formatting the display that is output by the Operator Terminal and altering this display when events and data are received from the Event Handler. The module must also pass events and data from the Operator Terminal to the Event Handler.

Event Handler

Collaborator	Responsibility
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dispatcher • Connection Worker • UI Forms 	<p>The Event Handler defines methods for all operations that are available to the OAM Client. These methods are used to decide which events are sent to the OAM Server in response to input events from a User Interface Forms. For example, pressing a button to add a customer results in an “Add Customer” event being sent to the OAM Server. The Event Handler then waits for the OAM Server to respond to this event with either an ID number for the new customer or an error message.</p> <p>The Event Handler may also receive unsolicited events from the OAM Server such as error messages. Upon receipt of such messages, the Event Handler should display the event on the Operator Terminal by using User Interface Forms.</p>

3.2.5 Billing Daemon

Billing Daemon	
Collaborator	Responsibility
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dispatcher • Connection Worker 	<p>The Billing Daemon will contact that dispatcher and send a print all bills message, specifying the period as the last day it was run to yesterday’s date (inclusive). It is set up so that it can run as a scheduled automated job. (in UNIX, it could be a cron job)</p>

The Billing Daemon is designed primarily to be an input source of regularly scheduled events. It is envisioned that of course all the bills will not get printed on a given day, but the Billing Daemon could start up on given days and tell a Connection Worker to print all bills that have a billing date of today, or to print all bills in Exchange number 1. It is expected that this functionality will be implemented in a further release of the product and not the initial release.

3.2.6 CU Handler

CU Handler	
Collaborator	Responsibility
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dispatcher • CU Simple Operations • Decision Maker 	<p>The CU Handler is the central point for communication to the CU. The CU Handler is to implement Message queues to talk directly to the CU. There is a one to one relationship between each CU and a CU Handler. The Simple CU Operations will communicate to the CU Handler, and the CU Handler will notify the Dispatcher of any errors that may occur.</p>

This module is both a Server and a Client. The Design decision to make this a component stems from the ability for the system to be distributed across many

machines. Since there is only one CU, there must be a 1-1 relationship with a piece of software to receive and write messages on the event queue with the CU. It is envisioned that this component could be running on the machine that the CU is connected to and many Dispatchers and Connection Workers could access it from various points in the network. This central point to talk to the CU allows simulation to occur easily. [\[There's more than one CU but the point is valid\]](#)

4.0 Class Specifications

4.1 Basic System Objects

Basic system objects have been presented here that are used throughout the system and are referenced in the methods for each individual component. There is a checksum on the objects that can be modified. The checksum is used much like a cookie, to ensure that the Operator updating the data has the most current version and that no one between the time they fetched the data and when the time they update it no one has modified it.

4.1.1 Customer

```
struct Customer
{
    int     m_id;
    int     m_checkSum;
    int     m_status;
    string  m_firstName;
    string  m_lastName;
    string  m_email;
    string  m_address;
    string  m_city;
    int     m_province
    string  m_postalCode;
};
```

4.1.2 Subscription

```
struct Subscription
{
    int     m_id;
    int     m_customerId;
    int     m_checkSum;
    int     m_status;
    int     m_planID;
    bool    m_canReceiveCalls;
    bool    m_canCallLocal;
    bool    m_canCallLongDistance;
    string  m_address;
    string  m_city;
    string  m_province;
    string  m_postalCode;
    int     m_dialedNumber
    int     m_exchange;
    int     m_shelf;
    int     m_slot;
};
```

4.1.3 Exchange

```
struct Exchange
{
    int     m_exNum;
    string  m_location;
    int     m_checkSum;
};
```

4.1.4 Equipment and Cards

```
struct Equipment
{
    byte m_exNum;
    byte m_shelf;
    byte m_slot;
    byte m_dn;
    byte m_cos;
    int  m_stat;
    int  m_checkSum;
};
struct LineCard : public Equipment {};
struct TrunkCard : public Equipment {};
```

4.1.5 Rate

```
struct Rate
{
    byte  m_srcExNum;
    byte  m_dstExnum;
    double m_rate;
    int   m_checksum;
};
```

4.1.6 Charges and Calls

```
struct Charge
{
    int     m_customerId;
    int     m_subscriptionId;
    int     m_id;
    string  m_start;
    string  m_finish;
    double  m_amount;
    int     m_type;
};

struct Call : public Charge
{
    int     m_startTime;
    int     m_duration;
    byte    m_numberCalled;
    int     m_plan;
    double  m_
};
```

4.1.7 Bill

```
struct Bill
{
    int     m_customerId;
    int     m_subscriptionId;
    int     m_exchange;
    string  m_start;
```

```

string m_finish;
Charge *m_serviceCharges;
Call *m_calls;
int m_numServiceCharges;
int m_numCalls;
double m_totalLocalMin;
double m_totalLDMin;
double m_totalLDCharges;
double m_totalServiceCharges;
double m_total;
double m_totalSavings;
};

```

4.1.8 Error Codes

These error codes are used for errors exported in the external interfaces. For example, the XML messaging specifies an error can be present in requests. The error is an integer for internationalization purposes. It allows us to use the same backend server, but different front ends, so the backend is not locale specific.

```

enum ErrorCode
{
    MALFORMED_REQUEST=1,    CU_CONNECT_ERROR,    DATE_BEFORE_TODAY,
    DB_CONNECT_ERROR,      DN_IN_USE,            EMPTY_VARIABLE,
    INVALID_PARAMS,        INVALID_PASSWORD,    INVALID_CHECKSUM,
    INVALID_DATE,          INVALID_COS,          INVALID_STAT,
    INVALID_DN,            INVALID_RATE,         INVALID_TIME,
    INVALID_PHONE_NUMBER,  INVALID_POSTAL_CODE,  INVALID_EMAIL,
    INVALID_PROVINCE,      NO_AUTHORIZATION,    NO_SUCH_CUST,
    NO_SUCH_SUB,           NO_SUCH_CALL_PLAN,   NO_SUCH_SHELF,
    NO_SUCH_SLOT,          NO_SUCH_EXCHANGE,    SYSTEM_ERROR,
    USER_NOT_FOUND
};

```

4.1.9 Status Enumeration

The XML DTD also specifies that Customers will have statuses for the Subscription data blocks. The following enumeration is applied to those fields.

```

Enum StatusCodes
{
    CANCELLED = 1, ACTIVE, SUSPENDD
};

```

4.2 The Dispatcher Process

Usage dispatcher [-p port]
Purpose Initialize communication then start receiving and handling messages.
Arguments port – Port on which the dispatcher will bind and receive TCP/IP messages. (default 8723)
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode main(int argc, char *argv[]) { Verify argument format and number of arguments Set port number, if one was given otherwise use the default Call InitCommunications with the port number. If initialization was successful then

<pre> Call AcceptCommunications to begin receiving and handling messages } </pre>

4.2.1 Dispatcher Methods

4.2.1.1 AcceptCommunications()

Declaration	<code>void AcceptCommunications();</code>
Purpose	Continuously receives and handles messages on the previously bound socket.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	<pre> for (;;) { accept a message on the previously bound socket If the message received is an error then Send the message to all active Connection Workers using their pipe. Else If it is a client request then Spawn a new Connection Worker, cw Handoff all further communication with the client to cw Pass cw the client's host name (determined from socket connection) Pass cw a handle to a new pipe, p Add cw,p to the list of active Connection Workers and their pipe } </pre>
Notes:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Depending on how 'Spawn' is implemented the socket connection may have to be closed after spawning the connection worker (e.g. this will be the case if a Unix fork is used). 2) This method will only return if a signal interrupt (Ctrl-C) is detected from the input console or if a fatal error occurs.

4.2.1.2 InitCommunications()

Declaration	<code>bool InitCommunications(short port);</code>
Purpose	Initialize communication for the dispatcher.
Arguments	port – the port number to bind on.
Return Value	True if successful, false otherwise.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Bind to a TCP/IP socket on the specified port (on all network adapters).

4.3 The Connection Worker Process

Usage	<pre> conworker <socketHandle> <clientHostname> <pipeHandle> conworker -F </pre>
Purpose	Initialize communication then start receiving and handling messages from a client or from the Dispatcher
Arguments	<pre> socketHandle – socket to use for all client communication clientHostname – host name of client machine (used for logging) pipeHandle – alternate communication channel for messages from the Dispatcher -F – use standard i/o for communication (used for interactive debugging) </pre>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	<pre> main(int argc, char *argv[]) { Verify argument format and number of arguments If -F flag specified then </pre>

```

    p = some default value
    chost = some default value
    in = standard input
    out = standard output
else
    p = Get pipe handle from command-line
    chost = Get client host from command-line
    Get socket handle from command-line
    in = socket handle's receive channel
    out = socket handle's send channel
Call InitCommunications(p)
If initialization was successful then
    Call DecisionMaker::AcceptCommunications (in,out)
}

```

4.3.1 Connection Worker Methods

4.3.1.1 InitCommunications()

Declaration	<code>bool InitCommunications(int pipeHandle);</code>
Purpose	Initialize communication for the Connection Worker.
Arguments	pipeHandle – messages from the Dispatcher will be received on this pipe.
Return Value	True if successful, false otherwise.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Load the TCP/IP libraries if required.

4.4 The Decision Maker Class

4.4.1 Decision Maker Methods

4.4.1.1 AcceptCommunications()

Declaration	<code>void AcceptCommunications(Stream* in, Stream* out);</code>
Purpose	Continuously processes requests from a client or from the Dispatcher.
Arguments	in – an open stream from which message from the client will be read. out – an open stream to which messages to the client will be written. Note: See the External Interfaces section for details on the format of a message.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	<pre> For(;;) { Read a request Parse the request to validate its structure d = Create a new XML document Determine the Complex Operation that corresponds to this request Determine what data this Complex Operation needs from the request, c Call the Complex Operation passing c and d. Write d to the output stream } </pre>
Notes:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) The request is validated using the DTD specified in the External Interfaces section. 2) This method will only exit if a fatal error occurs or when the communications channel to the

client is dropped.

4.5 The O&A Operations Class

All methods in the following subsections have a similar signature format, so we will define all commonalities here. The only differences are the declaration, purpose and implementation notes of the method as well as the names of the XML elements received (the 'head' variable) and returned; hence, only these details will be specified in the following subsections. For more details on the XML elements, see the External Interfaces section.

Declaration DOM_Node methodName(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Specified in subsections
Arguments theDoc – the document that will be returned to the user (we need this to create DOM_Nodes, i.e. to construct the return value) head – represents a correctly formatted _____ element.
Return Value A correctly formatted _____ element.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode All methods in the Complex Operations layer use methods from the Simple Operations layer. In the sections below, a list of the Simple Operations necessary to complete a given Complex Operation are listed using the following syntax: Uses simpleOp1(), simpleOp2(), ... Notice that arguments are not listed for the Simple Operations.

4.5.1 General Methods

4.5.1.1 Login()

Declaration DOM_Node Login(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Log the user into the OAM system.
Arguments head – <LoginRequest>
Return Value <LoginResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses DBSimpleOps.Connect() DBSimpleOps.Disconnect(). The username and password received from the <LoginRequest> must be stored so that the other methods in the O&A Operations class can establish a database connection. An operator's userid and password are the same as the userid and password used to connect to the database.

4.5.2 Customer Methods

4.5.2.1 AddCustomer()

Declaration DOM_Node AddCustomer(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Add a customer to the OAM system.
Arguments head – <AddCustomerRequest>
Return Value <AddCustomerResponse>

Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses CreateCustomer()

4.5.2.2 EditCustomer()

Declaration DOM_Node EditCustomer(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Edit customer information already stored in the OAM system.
Arguments head – <EditCustomerRequest>
Return Value <EditCustomerResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses UpdateCustomer()

4.5.2.3 FindCustomer()

Declaration DOM_Node FindCustomer(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Find a customer or customers that match the provide information.
Arguments head – <FindCustomerRequest>
Return Value <FindCustomerResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses RetrieveCustomer() and/or RetrieveSubscription()

4.5.3 Subscription Methods

4.5.3.1 AddSubscription()

Declaration DOM_Node AddSubscription(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Add a subscription to an existing customer.
Arguments head – <AddSubscriptionRequest>
Return Value <AddSubscriptionResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode CreateSubscription() // Create a subscription (allocate line card and phone number) UpdateDB() // Update the dialed number on the line card that was allocated

4.5.3.2 CancelSubscription()

Declaration DOM_Node CancelSubscription(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Cancel a subscription; this will release the line card and phone number associated with the subscription. Canceling a subscription also results in a bill being sent.
Arguments head – <CancelSubscriptionRequest>
Return Value <CancelSubscriptionResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode UpdateSubscription() // Free this subscription's line card and phone number UpdateDB() //Tell the CU that the line card is free (set the card's DN to 99) GeneratePDF(), PrintPDF(), EmailPDF() // Email and Print the bill

4.5.3.3 EditAllSubscriptions()

Declaration DOM_Node EditAllSubscriptions(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Update all subscriptions that satisfy the given criteria.
Arguments head – <EditAllSubscriptionsRequest>
Return Value <EditAllSubscriptionsResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode UpdateAllSubscriptions() // Update multiple subscriptions UpdateDB() // Update the CU if necessary (if the phone number or the class // of service has changed)

4.5.3.4 EditSubscription()

Declaration DOM_Node EditSubscription(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Update an existing subscription.
Arguments head – <EditSubscriptionRequest>
Return Value <EditSubscriptionResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode UpdateSubscription() // Update the given Subscription UpdateDB() // Update the CU if necessary (if the phone number or the class // of service has changed)

4.5.3.5 FindSubscription()

Declaration DOM_Node FindSubscription(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Find one or more subscriptions given partial information.
Arguments head – <FindSubscriptionRequest>
Return Value <FindSubscriptionResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses RetrieveSubscription()

4.5.3.6 ResumeSubscription()

Declaration DOM_Node ResumeSubscription(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Resume a subscription; associates a linecard with the subscription.
Arguments head – <ResumeSubscriptionRequest>
Return Value <ResumeSubscriptionResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode UpdateSubscription() // Find and allocate a line card for this subscription UpdateDB() // Update the dialed number on the line card that was allocated

4.5.3.7 SuspendSubscription()

Declaration DOM_Node SuspendSubscription(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Suspend a subscription; this will release the line card associated with a subscription (but not the

phone number)
Arguments head – <SuspendSubscriptionRequest>
Return Value <SuspendSubscriptionResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode UpdateSubscription() // Free this subscription's line card but not its phone number UpdateDB() // Tell the CU that the line card is free (set the card's DN to 99)

4.6 The Billing Operations Class

4.6.1 Plan Methods

4.6.1.1 AddPlan()

Declaration DOM_Node AddPlan(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Add a new long distance plan to the OAM System.
Arguments head – <AddPlanRequest>
Return Value <AddPlanResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses CreatePlan()

4.6.1.2 ActivatePlan()

Declaration DOM_Node ActivatePlan(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Sets the given plans status to active.
Arguments head – <ActivatePlanRequest>
Return Value <ActivatePlanResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses UpdatePlan()

4.6.1.3 DeactivatePlan()

Declaration DOM_Node DeactivatePlan(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Receives an old plan and a replacement plan. Sets the old plan's status to inactive. All subscriptions that reference the old plan are switched to the replacement plan.
Arguments head – <ActivatePlanRequest>
Return Value <ActivatePlanResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses UpdatePlan(), UpdateAllSubscriptions()

4.6.1.4 DescribePlan()

Declaration DOM_Node DescribePlan(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Retrieve the information pertaining for a given plan.
Arguments head – <DescribePlanRequest>

Return Value	<DescribePlanResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses RetrievePlan()

4.6.2 Bill Methods

4.6.2.1 DescribeBill()

Declaration	DOM_Node DescribeBill(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose	Retrieves information pertaining the given subscription and period (i.e. a list of changes).
Arguments	head – <DescribeBillRequest>
Return Value	<DescribeBillResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses RetrieveBill()

4.6.2.2 OutputAllBills()

Declaration	DOM_Node OutputAllBills(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose	Outputs a bill for every subscription with an outstanding balance.
Arguments	head – <OutputAllBillsRequest>
Return Value	<OutputAllBillsResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses RetrieveBill(), GeneratePDF(), EmailPDF(), PrintPDF()

4.6.2.3 OutputBill()

Declaration	DOM_Node OutputBill(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose	Outputs the bill for a given subscription and period.
Arguments	head – <OutputBillRequest>
Return Value	<OutputBillResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses RetrieveBill(), GeneratePDF(), EmailPDF(), PrintPDF()

4.6.3 Charge and Call Methods

4.6.3.1 AddCharge()

Declaration	DOM_Node AddCharge(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose	Adds a charge to the given subscription.
Arguments	head – <AddChargeRequest> or <BillCallRequest>
Return Value	<AddChargeResponse> or <BillCallResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	If <BillCallRequest> is received then c = a new <i>Call</i> object based on the information provided by the element Else if <AddChargeRequest> is received then

<p><i>c</i> = a new <i>Charge</i> object based on the information provided by the element Call <code>CreateCharge(c)</code></p>

4.6.3.2 AddChargeAll()

Declaration DOM_Node AddChargeAll(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Adds a charge to all subscriptions that satisfy given criteria.
Arguments head – <AddChargeAllRequest>
Return Value <AddChargeAllResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses RetrieveSubscription(), RetrieveBill() and CreateCharge()

4.7 The Maintenance Operations Class

4.7.1 Exchange Methods

4.7.1.1 AssociateExchange() and DisassociateExchange()

Declaration DOM_Node AssociateExchange(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head); and DOM_Node DisassociateExchange(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Allows one exchange to call another. This means allocating a trunk card within the source exchange that is associated with a remote or destination exchange. Associating to a remote exchange will allow calls to be routed to that exchange. Disassociating from a remote exchange will disassociate the trunk card and the remote exchange.
Arguments head – <AssociateExchangeRequest> and <DisassociateExchangeRequest>
Return Value <AssociateExchangeResponse> and <DisassociateExchangeResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode UpdateEquipment() // Allocate a trunkcard and set its dialed number // to the number of the remote exchange UpdateDB() // Inform the CU of the change to the trunk card

4.7.1.2 DescribeExchange()

Declaration DOM_Node DescribeExchange(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Retrieves information about one or all exchanges.
Arguments head – <DescribeExchangeRequest>
Return Value <DescribeExchangeResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses RetrieveExchange()

4.7.1.3 EditExchange()

Declaration DOM_Node EditExchange(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Update the information stored for a given exchange.
Arguments head – <EditExchangeRequest>

Return Value	<EditExchangeResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses UpdateExchange()

4.7.2 Equipment Methods

4.7.2.1 DescribeEquipment()

Declaration	DOM_Node DescribeEquipment(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose	Retrieve the information pertaining to one or more cards. This information is retrieve from the OAM's version of the exchange database.
Arguments	Head – <DescribeCardRequest>
Return Value	<DescribeCardResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses RetrieveCard()

4.7.2.2 EnableEquipment() and DisableEquipment()

Declaration	DOM_Node EnableEquipment(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head); and DOM_Node DisableEquipment(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose	Requests that the CU change the status of a given piece of equipment to Enabled or Disabled.
Arguments	head – <EnableEquipmentRequest> and <DisableEquipmentRequest>
Return Value	<EnableEquipmentResponse> and <DisableEquipmentResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses SetStatus(). Does not call UpdateEquipment() because the CU will send an update request to acknowledge that it has handled our SetStatus() request.

4.7.2.3 QueryCU()

Declaration	DOM_Node QueryCU(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose	Retrieve the information pertaining to a card. This information is retrieve from the CU's version of the exchange database.
Arguments	Head – <QueryCURequest>
Return Value	<QueryCUResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses QueryCU()
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Uses TestEquipment()

4.7.2.4 ResetEquipment()

Declaration	DOM_Node ResetEquipment(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose	Requests that the CU reset a given card.
Arguments	head – <ResetEquipmentRequest>
Return Value	

<ResetEquipmentResponse>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Uses ResetEquipment()

4.7.2.5 TestEquipment()

Declaration DOM_Node TestEquipment(DOM_Document& theDoc, DOM_Node head);
Purpose Requests that the CU test a given piece of equipment.
Arguments Head – <TestEquipmentRequest>
Return Value <TestEquipmentResponse>

4.8 The Database Simple Operations Class

4.8.1 Commonalities in Methods

All methods that receive a filter must be implemented using dynamic SQL statements. Here is a brief example of what is meant by ‘dynamic SQL statements’

```
s = "SELECT * FROM Customer WHERE "
If (filter & CUSTOMER_FIRSTNAME) then
    s = s + "firstName=" + c.firstName
if ...
```

Many of the methods define in the flowing subsections are very similar. These similarities will be define once in the following tables

4.8.1.1 CreateObject()

Declaration void CreateObject(Object* newObject);
Purpose Create a new record in the _____ table of the database using the given Object. Requires a connection to the database. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs. See the actually method specifications for the name of the table into which the new record is inserted.
Arguments newObject – the Object whose information will be used to create the new record in the database.

4.8.1.2 RetrieveObject()

Declaration void RetrieveObject(Object* criteria, unsigned int filter, Object**resultArray, int* resultSize);
Purpose Retrieves 0 or more Objects that match the given a search criteria. The calling method is a responsible for deallocating the resultArray. Requires a connection to the database. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Arguments criteria – An Object whose values will be used as search criteria when querying the database . filter – Determines which fields in the given Object should be used as search criteria. resultArray – Used to return an array of Objects that match the given criteria. resultSize – Used to return the number of records that matched the given criteria.

4.8.1.3 UpdateObject()

Declaration void UpdateObject(Object* alteredObject, unsigned int filter);
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<p>Purpose Updates the record whose unique identifiers match those of the given <i>Object</i> (i.e. this method is allow to effect at most one record). If the given <i>Object</i> has a checksum then before the update occurs this checksum is checked to make sure it represents the most recent version of the record corresponding to this object. Requires a connection to the database. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.</p>
<p>Arguments alteredObject – The <i>Object</i> containing the updated information filter – Used to specify which fields in the <i>Object</i> contain updated information</p>

4.8.2 Connection Methods

4.8.2.1 Connect()

<p>Declaration void Connect(char* dbName, char* host, char* userId, char* userPassword, int port);</p>
<p>Purpose Connect to a given database on a particular host and port. The user id and password will be that of the Operator, so they will be granted specific access into the database. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.</p>
<p>Arguments dbName – the name of the database to connect to host – the host name of the machine that the data server runs on userId, userPassword – the user id and password of to use to connect to the database port – the port that the data server is bound to</p>
<p>Implementation Notes/Pseudocode This method must be repeatable so that a DBSimpleOps object can be reused.</p>

4.8.2.2 Disconnect()

<p>Declaration void Disconnect();</p>
<p>Purpose Disconnect from the current database. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.</p>
<p>Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Calling this method without a current connect will not cause an error.</p>

4.8.2.3 IsConnected()

<p>Declaration Bool IsConnected();</p>
<p>Purpose Determine if there is a current database connection.</p>
<p>Returns True if there is a connection, false otherwise.</p>

4.8.3 Customer Methods

4.8.3.1 CreateCustomer()

<p>Declaration void CreateCustomer(Customer* newCustomer);</p>
<p>Purpose Create a new record in the Customer table, using newCustomer.</p>
<p>Arguments newCustomer – if the record is successfully created then customer id of this object will be set. Also see “Commonalities in Methods” section.</p>

4.8.3.2 RetrieveCustomer()

<p>Declaration</p>

<pre>void RetrieveCustomer(Customer* criteria, unsigned int filter, Customer** resultArray, int* resultSize);</pre>
Purpose Retrieves 0 or more Customers that match the given a search criteria.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.3.3 UpdateCustomer()

Declaration <pre>void UpdateCustomer(Customer* alteredCustomer, unsigned int filter);</pre>
Purpose Updates the customer record whose customer id matches the id of the given Customer.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.4 Subscription Methods

4.8.4.1 CreateSubscription()

Declaration <pre>void CreateSubscription(Subscription* newSubscription);</pre>
Purpose Create a new record in the Subscriptions table, using newSubscription.
Arguments newSubscription – The customer id of this object must contain a valid customer id. If a subscription is successfully created then this object’s subscription id will be set. Also see “Commonalities in Methods” section.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Insert the given info (excluding the phone number) into the Subscription Table If a phone number has been specified If the phone number is already in use within the new subscription’s exchange Throw an exception Else Generate a new phone number that is unique within this subscription’s exchange i.e. choose one of the values returned by SELECT dialedNumber FROM PossibleDN WHERE dn NOT IN (SELECT dialedNumber FROM Subscription as S WHERE S.exchange = newSubscription.m_exchange) Update the dialed number of the new subscription’s record Atomically Allocate a functional (i.e. status = 000*), free line card (i.e. DN=99) i.e. let COS = (newSubscription.m_canCallLongDistance & 0x01) << 3 (newSubscription.m_canCallLocal & 0x01) << 2 (newSubscription.canReceiveCalls & 0x01) UPDATE Card SET(dialedNumber, classOfService) VALUES (newSubscription.m_dn, COS) WHERE dialedNumber=99 AND status IS LIKE ‘000%’ If no such line cards exist (rows effected by UPDATE is 0) then throw an exception Call UpdatedDB() to inform the CU of the changes to the allocated line card

4.8.4.2 RetrieveSubscription()

Declaration <pre>void RetrieveSubscription(Subscription* criteria, unsigned int filter, Subscription** resultArray, int* resultSize);</pre>

Purpose	Retrieves 0 or more Subscriptions that match the given a search criteria.
Arguments	See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.4.3 UpdateAllSubscriptions()

Declaration	<code>void UpdateAllSubscriptions(Subscription* criteria, unsigned int searchFilter, Subscription* alteredSubscription, unsigned int setFilter, int* recordsAltered);</code>
Purpose	Update the subscription records that meet the given criteria.
Arguments	<p>criteria – A Subscription object whose values will be used as search criteria when selecting records to be updated.</p> <p>searchFilter – Determines which fields in the given criteria should be used as search criteria.</p> <p>alteredSubscription – The Subscription object containing the updated information</p> <p>filter – Used to specify which fields of alteredSubscription will be used to update the selected rows.</p> <p>recordsAltered – Used to return the number of subscriptions that were updated as a result of this method.</p>

4.8.4.4 UpdateSubscription()

Declaration	<code>void UpdateSubscription(Subscription* alteredSubscription, unsigned int filter);</code>
Purpose	Updates the subscription record whose customer id and subscription id match those of the given Subscription.
Arguments	See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.5 Exchange Methods

4.8.5.1 CreateExchange()

Declaration	<code>void CreateExchange(Exchange* newExchange);</code>
Purpose	Creates a new exchange record in the Exchange table based on newExchange. Also initialize the Equipment table with entries for each slot in the exchange and inserts record into the Rate table for calls between the given exchange and all existing exchanges (plus one more record for the local rate).
Arguments	<p>newExchange – the exchange number of this object must be set to a valid exchange number that does not already exist in the database.</p> <p>Also see “Commonalities in Methods” section.</p>
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Refer to the Software Interface Description for details about how many shelves and slots an exchange has, as well as the default values for each equipment type. All rates are stored in the CallingRates table, a local rate is stored as an entry with the same value for source and destination exchange. Use CreateRate() and CreateEquipment() to implement this method.

4.8.5.2 RetrieveExchange()

Declaration	<code>void RetrieveExchange(Exchange* criteria, unsigned int filter, Exchange** resultArray, int* resultSize);</code>
Purpose	Retrieves 0 or more Exchanges that match the given a search criteria.

Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.5.3 UpdateExchange()

Declaration void UpdateExchange(Exchange* alteredExchange, unsigned int filter);
Purpose Updates the exchange record whose exchange number matches that of the given Exchange.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.6 Rate Methods

4.8.6.1 CreateRate()

Declaration void CreateRate(Rate* newRate);
Purpose Creates a new rate record in the Rate table based on newRate.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.6.2 RetrieveRate()

Declaration void RetrieveRate(Rate* criteria, unsigned int filter, Rate** resultArray, int* resultSize);
Purpose Retrieves 0 or more Rates that match the given a search criteria.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.6.3 UpdateRate()

Declaration void UpdateRate(Rate* alteredRate, unsigned int filter);
Purpose Updates the rate record whose source and destination exchange match those of the given Rate.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section. Note that the filter argument is not necessary here however it is included for consistency with other methods, and for any future expansions to the Rate object

4.8.7 Equipment Methods

4.8.7.1 CreateEquipment()

Declaration void CreateEquipment(Equipment* newEquipment);
Purpose Creates a new equipment record in the Equipment table based on newEquipment.
Arguments newEquipment – the exchange, shelf and slot of this object must be set. Also see “Commonalities in Methods” section.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Refer to the Software Interface Description for details about the default values for each equipment type.

4.8.7.2 RetrieveEquipment()

Declaration

<code>void RetrieveEquipment(Equipment* criteria, unsigned int filter, Equipment** resultArray, int* resultSize);</code>
Purpose Retrieves 0 or more pieces of Equipment that match the given a search criteria.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.7.3 UpdateEquipment()

Declaration <code>void UpdateEquipment(Equipment* alteredEquipment, unsigned int filter);</code>
Purpose Updates the equipment record whose exchange number, shelf and slot match those of the given Equipment object.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.8 Bill Methods

4.8.8.1 RetrieveBill()

Declaration <code>void RetrieveBill(Bill* criteria, unsigned int filter, Bill** resultArray, int* resultSize);</code>
Purpose Retrieves 0 or more Bills that match the given a search criteria.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Use RetrieveCharge() and any queries necessary to calculate totals stored in the Bill object.

4.8.9 Charge Methods

4.8.9.1 CreateCharge()

Declaration <code>void CreateCharge(Charge* newCharge);</code>
Purpose Creates a new record in the Charge table based on newCharge. A record will also be inserted into the Call table if newCharge is an instance of the Call class.
Arguments newCharge – the customer id and subscription id of this object must be set. If the new record is successfully created then the charge id of this object will be set. If this object is an instance of the Call class then this object’s plan id will also be set. Also see “Commonalities in Methods” section.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Insert the charge into the Charge table and retrieve the new records charge id Set newCharge’s charge id to the retrieved value If newCharge is an instance of the Call class Get the plan that corresponds to this charge’s subscription Set newCharge’s plan id Insert a new record into the Call table based on newCharge

4.8.9.2 RetrieveCharge()

Declaration <code>void RetrieveCharge(Charge* criteria, unsigned int filter, Charge** resultArray, int* resultSize);</code>
Purpose Retrieves 0 or more charges that match the given a search criteria.

Arguments resultArray – may contain instances of both the Charge and Call classes. Also See “Commonalities in Methods” section.
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4.8.10 Plan Methods

4.8.10.1 CreatePlan()

Declaration void CreatePlan(Plan* newPlan);
Purpose Creates a new record in the Plan table based on newPlan.
Arguments newPlan – If the new record is successfully created then the plan id of this object will be set. Also see “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.10.2 RetrievePlan()

Declaration void RetrievePlan(Plan* criteria, unsigned int filter, Plan** resultArray, int* resultSize);
Purpose Retrieves 0 or more plans that match the given a search criteria.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.8.10.3 UpdatePlan()

Declaration void UpdatePlan(Plan* alteredPlan, unsigned int filter);
Purpose Updates the plan record whose plan id matches that of the given Plan.
Arguments See “Commonalities in Methods” section.

4.9 The CU Simple Operations Class

4.9.1 Connection Methods

4.9.1.1 Connect()

Declaration void Connect(char* host, short port);
Purpose Connect to a CU Handler at the specified host and port. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode This method must be repeatable so that a CUSimpleOps object can be reused.

4.9.1.2 Disconnect()

Declaration void Disconnect();
Purpose Disconnect from a previously connect CU Handler. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode If there is no current connection then this method should have no effect.

4.9.2 Maintenance and Debugging Methods

4.9.2.1 QueryDB()

Declaration <code>void QueryDB(Equipment &equipment, Equipment* result);</code>
Purpose Asks the CU (via the CU Handler) to return its copy of the information stored from a given piece of equipment. Requires a connection to a CUHandler. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Arguments equipment – The piece of equipment to be reset. result – Object that stores the information of the equipment specified
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Format and send a QueryDB message to the CU Handler. See the Software Interface Description Document for more details

4.9.2.2 ResetEquipment()

Declaration <code>void ResetEquipment(Equipment &equipment);</code>
Purpose Asks the CU (via the CU Handler) to reset a given piece of equipment. Requires a connection to a CUHandler. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Arguments equipment – The piece of equipment to be reset.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Format and send a ResetDevice message to the CU Handler. See the Software Interface Description Document for more details

4.9.2.3 SetStatus()

Declaration <code>void SetStatus(Equipment &equipment);</code>
Purpose Asks the CU (via the CU Handler) to change the status of the given piece of equipment. Requires a connection to a CUHandler. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Arguments equipment – The piece of equipment whose status is to be updated.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Format and send a SetStatus message to the CU Handler. See the Software Interface Description Document for more details

4.9.2.4 TestEquipment()

Declaration <code>void TestEquipment(Equipment &equipment);</code>
Purpose Asks the CU (via the CU Handler) to test the given piece of equipment. Requires a connection to a CUHandler. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Arguments equipment – The piece of equipment to be tested.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Format and send a TestEN message to the CU Handler. See the Software Interface Description Document for more details

4.9.2.5 UpdateDB()

Declaration <code>void UpdateDB(Equipment &alteredEquipment);</code>
Purpose Tells the CU (via the CU Handler) to update its copy of the Equipment table. Requires a connection to a CUHandler. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.

Arguments	alteredEquipment – The updated data to be included in the message to the CU
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Format and send an UpdateDB to the CU Handler. See the Software Interface Description Document for more details

4.10 The Output Simple Operations Class

4.10.1 Output Methods

4.10.1.1 EmailPDF()

Declaration	<code>void EmailPDF(Customer* cust, Subscription* sub, char pdfFile[100]);</code>
Purpose	Email the given PDF file to the given customer. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Arguments	<p>cust – The customer information that corresponds to the bill represented by the given PDF file</p> <p>sub – The subscription information that corresponds to the bill represented by the given PDF file</p> <p>pdfFile – the path to a PDF file representing a bill</p>

4.10.1.2 GeneratePDF()

Declaration	<code>void GeneratePDF(Customer* cust, Subscription* sub, Bill* bill, char pdfFile[100]);</code>
Purpose	Generate a PDF file representing the bill for the given customer and subscription. The method will create a file in the temporary disk space on the machine. The calling method is responsible for deleting the file by calling ReleasePDF. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs.
Arguments	<p>cust – The customer information that corresponds to the given bill</p> <p>sub – The subscription information that corresponds to the given bill</p> <p>bill – The billing information to include in the generated file</p> <p>buffer – Used to return the path to a PDF file</p>
Arguments	<p>cust – The customer information that corresponds to the given bill</p> <p>sub – The subscription information that corresponds to the given bill</p> <p>bill – The billing information to include in the generated file</p> <p>buffer – Used to return the path to a PDF file</p>

4.10.1.3 PrintPDF()

Declaration	<code>void PrintPDF(char* outputDevice, Customer* cust, Subscription* sub, char pdfFile[100]);</code>
Purpose	Print the given PDF file using the given output device. An exception will be thrown if an error occurs. Note: The printing may not occur immediately, the PrintPDF method may pass the bill off to a Print Server or Print Queue to be printed
Arguments	<p>outputDevice – An identifier of a device that can be used to print the given PDF file</p> <p>cust – The customer information that corresponds to the bill represented by the given PDF file</p> <p>sub – The subscription information that corresponds to the bill represented by the given PDF file</p> <p>pdfFile – the path to a PDF file representing a bill</p>

4.10.1.4 ReleasePDF()

Declaration void ReleasePDF(char pdfFile[100]);
Purpose Release a previously allocated PDF file. This is accomplished by deleting the file specified.
Arguments pdfFile – the path to a PDF file representing a bill

4.11 The CU Handler Process

Usage cuhandler dispatcherHost dispatcherPort eventQueueHandle [-p IncomingPort]
Purpose Initialize communication then start receiving and handling messages from a client or from the Dispatcher
Arguments dispatcherHost – host name of machine running the Dispatcher process dispatcherPort – port number of that the Dispatcher is bound to eventQueueHandle – a handle to where the event queue should be created to talk with a CU IncomingPort – Port on which the cuhandler will bind and receive TCP/IP messages (default 8724)
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode main(int argc, char *argv[]) { Verify argument format and number of arguments Set port number, if one was given otherwise use the default Call InitCommunications with the dispatcher host and port, port number and event queue If initialization was successful then Call StartCUListener to begin receiving messages from the CU's Call AcceptCommunications to begin receiving and handling messages from other clients (Connection Workers) }

4.11.1 CU Handler Methods

4.11.1.1 AcceptCommunications()

Declaration void AcceptCommunications();
Purpose Continuously receives and handles messages on the previously bound socket.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode for (;;) { accept a message on the previously bound socket Reformat the message if necessary Write the message to the Message Queue } Notes: 1) This method will only return if a signal interrupt (Ctrl-C) is detected from the input console or if a fatal error occurs.

4.11.1.2 InitCommunications()

Declaration bool InitCommunications(char* requestedHost, short port, short listenPort, char* eventQueueHandle);
Purpose Initialize communication for the CU Handler.
Arguments

RequestedHost, port – Establish a socket connection to the OAM Server on this remote system listenPort – Listen for messages on this port eventQueueHandle - a handle to where the event queue should be created to talk with a CU
Return Value True if successful, false otherwise.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Bind to a TCP/IP socket on the listen port (on all network adapters). Then open a second socket (the send socket to the OAMServer) to the requestedHost and port. Finally send a login request on the send socket.

4.11.1.3 StartCUListener ()

Declaration void StartCUListener(char* queueName);
Purpose Create a MessageQueue and a new thread of control to receive information from the CU.
Arguments queueName – The queue that is created will be given this name.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Create the message queue Start a new thread to execute the following: for (;;) { wait on the queue for a message, m if m is and UpdateDB, BillCall message then Send a message on the send socket (to the Connection Worker) if m is an UpdateDB message and it represents a equipment failure then Create a new connection to the OAM Server Send an error message to the OAM Server (received by the dispatcher) Close this connection }

4.12 The Billing Daemon

Usage billdaemon dispatcherHost dispatcherPort
Purpose Notify the OAM Server when it is time to output all bills
Arguments dispatcherHost – host name of machine running the Dispatcher process dispatcherPort – port number of that the Dispatcher is bound to
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode main(int argc, char *argv[]) { Verify argument format and number of arguments Connect to the OAM Server Send a <GenerateAllBillsRequest> to the OAM Server If an error is returned Disconnect and exit Send an <OutputAllBillsRequest> to the OAM Server Disconnect }

4.13 The OAM Client Process

4.13.1 UI Forms

Declaration proc DisplayAddEditCustomerScreen { frame, isAdd }
Purpose Display the screen used to add and edit a customer's information. Display the form in the given

frame. The widgets used solely for editing will be disabled if the isAdd variable is true.
Declaration proc DisplayAddEditSubscriptionScreen { frame, isAdd }
Purpose Display the screen used to add or edit a subscription's information. Display the form in the given frame. The widgets used solely for editing will be disabled if the isAdd variable is true.
Declaration proc DisplayCallPlanScreen { frame }
Purpose Display the call plan screen in the given frame.
Declaration proc DisplayCustomerScreen { frame }
Purpose Display the customer screen in the given frame.
Declaration proc DisplayDebugConsole { frame }
Purpose Display the debug console in the given frame.
Declaration proc DisplayError { anErrorMessage }
Purpose Display the given error message.
Declaration proc DisplayExchangeDetails { frame }
Purpose Display the exchange details screen in the given frame.
Declaration proc DisplayLoginScreen { frame }
Purpose Display the login screen in the given frame.
Declaration proc DisplayMain { frame }
Purpose Display the main form in the given frame.
Declaration proc DisplaySubscriptionScreen { frame }
Purpose Display the subscription screen in the given frame.

4.13.2 Event Handling Methods

All methods (except Error()) retrieve data from the widgets on the current form and send a message to the OAM Server then wait for a response. If this response contains an error, then the error code is extracted from the response and an error event is generated (i.e. call the Error procedure passing it the extracted error code). For details about the format of the messages sent to and from the OAM Server, see the External Interfaces section.

4.13.2.1 ActivatePlan()

Declaration proc AcivatePlan { }
Purpose Activates a plan (i.e. makes it valid for a subscription specify this plan).
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <ActivatePlanRequest> message then wait for a <ActivatePlanResponse>.

4.13.2.2 AddCharge()

Declaration proc AddCharge { }
Purpose Adds a charge to a subscription.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <AddChargeRequest> message then wait for a <AddChargeResponse>.

4.13.2.3 AddCustomer()

Declaration proc AddCustomer { }
Purpose Add a customer to the OAM system.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send an <AddCustomerRequest> message then wait for a <AddCustomerResponse>.

4.13.2.4 AddEquipment() and RemoveEquipment()

Declaration proc AddEquipment { } and proc RemoveEquipment { }
Purpose Marks a slot in specified exchange and shelf as containing (Add) or not containing (Remove) a piece of equipment.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <AddEquipmentRequest> or <RemoveEquipmentRequest> message then wait for a <AddEquipmentResponse> or <RemoveEquipmentResponse>.

4.13.2.5 AddPlan()

Declaration proc AddPlan { }
Purpose Adds a plan to the OAM system.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <AddPlanRequest> message then wait for a <AddPlanResponse>.

4.13.2.6 AddSubscription()

Declaration proc AddSubscription { }
Purpose Add a subscription to the OAM System.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send an <AddSubscriptionRequest> message then wait for a <AddSubscriptionResponse>.

4.13.2.7 AssociateExchange() and DisassociateExchange()

Declaration proc AssociateExchange { } and proc DisassociateExchagne { }
Purpose

Allocates (associate) or Deallocates (disassociates) a trunk card linking a local exchange to a remote exchange. This link allows the phones in the local exchange to call phones in the remote exchange (Note: this link is unidirectional).
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <AssociateExchangeRequest> or <DisassociateExchangeResponse> message then wait for a <AssociateExchangeResponse> or <DisassociateExchangeResponse>.

4.13.2.8 CancelSubscription()

Declaration proc CancelSubscription { }
Purpose Cancels a subscription.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <CancelSubscriptionRequest> message then wait for a <CancelSubscriptionResponse>.

4.13.2.9 DeactivatePlan()

Declaration proc DeactivatePlan { }
Purpose Deactivates a plan. A replacement plan is also provided, all subscriptions that refer to the deactivated plan will be switched to the replacement plan.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <DescribePlanRequest> message then wait for a <DescribePlanResponse>.

4.13.2.10 DescribeBill()

Declaration proc DescribeBill { }
Purpose Retrieves all information pertaining to a bill (used, for example, when viewing a customer's bill).
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <DescribeBillRequest> message then wait for a <DescribeBillResponse>.

4.13.2.11 DescribeEquipment()

Declaration proc DescribeEquipment { }
Purpose Retrieves information about one or more pieces of equipment.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <DescribeEquipmentRequest> message then wait for a <DescribeEquipmentResponse>.

4.13.2.12 DescribeExchange ()

Declaration proc DescribeExchange { }
Purpose Retrieves information about one or more exchanges.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <DescribeExchangeRequest> message then wait for a <DescribeExchangeResponse>.

4.13.2.13 DescribePlan()

Declaration proc DescribePlan { }
Purpose Retrieves one of more plans.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <DescribePlanRequest> message then wait for a <DescribePlanResponse>.

4.13.2.14 EditCustomer()

Declaration

Declaration	proc EditCustomer { }
Purpose	Updates a customer's information.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Send an <EditCustomerRequest> message then wait for a <EditCustomerResponse>.

4.13.2.15 EditExchange ()

Declaration	proc EditExchange { }
Purpose	Updates an exchange's information.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Send a <EditExchangeRequest> message then wait for a <EditExchangeResponse>.

4.13.2.16 EditSubscription()

Declaration	proc EditSubscription { }
Purpose	Updates a subscription's information.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Send an <EditSubscriptionRequest> message then wait for a <EditSubscriptionResponse>.

4.13.2.17 EnableEquipment() and DisableEquipment()

Declaration	proc EnableEquipment { } and proc DisableEquipment { }
Purpose	Marks a piece of equipment as offline-for-maintenance (Disable) or not (Enable).
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Send a <EnableEquipmentRequest> or <DisableEquipmentRequest> message then wait for a <EnableEquipmentResponse> or <DisableEquipmentResponse>.

4.13.2.18 Error()

Declaration	proc Error { errorCode }
Purpose	Format and display an error message
Arguments	errorCode – an number representing a specific error.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Translate errorCode to a message then display that message using the DisplayError procedure.

4.13.2.19 FindCustomer()

Declaration	proc FindCustomer { }
Purpose	Retrieves one or more customers whose information matches the criteria specified on the Find Customer form.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	Send a <FindCustomerRequest> message then wait for a <FindCustomerResponse>.

4.13.2.20 FindSubscription()

Declaration	proc EditSubscription { }
Purpose	Retrieves one or more subscriptions whose information matches the criteria specified on the current form.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode	

Send a <FindSubscriptionRequest> message then wait for a <FindSubscriptionResponse>.
--

4.13.2.21 Login()

Declaration Proc Login { }
Purpose Log a user into the OAM system
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Connect to the OAM Server using the connection login method.

4.13.2.22 OutputBill()

Declaration proc OutputBill { }
Purpose Output a bill (used, for example, when reprinting a customer's bill).
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <OutputBillRequest> message then wait for a <OutputBillResponse>.

4.13.2.23 QueryCU()

Declaration proc QueryCU { }
Purpose Retrieves information about a piece of equipment from the CU (instead of the OAM database).
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <QueryCURequest> message then wait for a <QueryCUResponse>.

4.13.2.24 ResetEquipment()

Declaration proc ResetEquipment { }
Purpose Resets a piece of equipment (returns the equipment to an idle state regardless of its current state).
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <ResetEquipmentRequest> message then wait for a <ResetEquipmentResponse>.

4.13.2.25 ResumeSubscription()

Declaration Proc ResumeSubscription { }
Purpose Resumes a subscription.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <ResumeSubscriptionRequest> message then wait for a <ResumeSubscriptionResponse>.

4.13.2.26 SuspendSubscription()

Declaration proc SuspendSubscription { }
Purpose Suspends a subscription.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <SuspendSubscriptionRequest> message then wait for a <SuspendSubscriptionResponse>.

4.13.2.27 TestEquipment()

Declaration proc TestEquipment { }
Purpose Tests a piece of equipment.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Send a <TestEquipmentRequest> message then wait for a <TestEquipmentResponse>.

4.13.3 Connection Methods

4.13.3.1 Close()

Declaration proc Close{ }
Purpose Close the previously connected socket and unbind the previously bound socket.

4.13.3.2 Login()

Declaration proc Login { srv port userID password }
Purpose Connects to a given server with the user name and password specified. If successful, it binds to a listening socket to accept incoming communications.
Arguments Srv, port – the hostname and port of the OAM server to connect to. UserID, password – authentication information needed to log into the OAM system.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Connect to the OAM server and send a <LoginRequest> message, then wait for a <LoginResponse>. If login is successful, bind a socket to listen on port 8725. Unsolicited messages (e.g. errors) will be written to this port. If the login fails extract the error code from <LoginResponse> and generate an error event (i.e. call the Error procedure, passing it the error code)
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Serialize the DOM Node passed in into a string and write the string on a previously connected socket.

4.13.3.3 Recv()

Declaration proc Recv{ }
Purpose Returns a DOM Node corresponding to the message received.
Implementation Notes/Pseudocode Receive on the previously connected socket and then deserialize the string into a DOM Node and return it.

4.13.3.4 Send()

Declaration proc Send {top}
Purpose Sends a message out on a previously established connection.
Arguments top – a variable that is referencing a XML DOM Node that contains the message to be sent.

5.0 External Interfaces

5.1 Operator Interface

The Operator Interface is specified in the SRS. The User Interface has been modified with changes focused on form organization. Screen captures of the interface to be implemented are presented in Appendix B. The new UI will be easier to navigate and implement over the one proposed in the initial SRS because it takes advantage of the similarities between certain forms (e.g. Add and Edit Customer). Refer to the SRS for a complete specification of the functionality of each widget; note however that some of the widgets have been relocated.

5.2 Message format

The Message format between the OAM Server and the Client uses a payload of XML Data. It is written in 8-bit ASCII, lines are separated by CRLF pairs. The End Transmission of single message is determined by sending two subsequent CRLF pairs. The Document Type Definition (DTD) for the XML data is specified below. An example of a request (with CRLF pairs) would be:

```
<Message><LoginRequest>\r\n
<UserID>dftapuska</UserID><Password>password</Password>\r\n
</LoginRequest></Message>\r\n\r\n
```

The DTD allows quick validation performed by the XML parsing engine rather than code that must be written into the Server to verify that all the elements are in the right order. There are quite a few messages in the DTD, each Message Type corresponds to two messages; a request and a response. The 2*n messages allows the DTD to be strongly typed, so that it is location of data is guaranteed, so the application may be specific about assume the location and quantity of data received. An initial draft

```
<?xml version="1.0"?>
<!DOCTYPE Message [
  <!-- Data Types -->
  <!-- Login / Authentication Data -->
  <!ELEMENT UserId (Letter+)>
  <!ELEMENT Password ((Letter|Digit)+)>

  <!ELEMENT SubInfo (SubscriptionID, CustomerID, CheckSum, Address,
    City, Province, PostalCode, Status, COS?, DN?, EX?,
    Shelf?, Slot?, CallPlan?)>
  <!ELEMENT CustInfo (CustomerID, CheckSum, FirstName, LastName,
    Email, Address, City, Province, PostalCode, SubInfo+ )>
  <!ELEMENT Charge (ChargeAmount, ChargeType, StartDate, EndDate)>
  <!ELEMENT Call (StartDate, StartTime, Duration, PhoneNumberCalled,
    ChargeAmount, CallPlan, IsLocal)>
  <!ELEMENT BillInfo (CustInfo, StartDate, EndDate, Total, Charge+,
    Call+ )>
  <!ELEMENT Rate (EX, CheckSum, ChargeRate)>
```

```
<!ELEMENT ExchInfo (EX, CheckSum, Location, AssociatedEX+, Rate+)>
<!ELEMENT CallPlan (CallPlanID, CallPlanName, Valid, ChargeRate)>
<!ELEMENT Equipment (EX, Shelf, Slot, Checksum, DN?, COS?, STAT?)>
<!ELEMENT SubCriteria (SuscriptionID?, CustomerID?, EX?, Address?,
    City?, Province?, PostalCode?, DN?, COS?, CallPlan?)>
<!ELEMENT SubChange (SuscriptionID?, CustomerID?, EX?, Address?,
    City?, Province?, PostalCode?, DN?, COS?, CallPlan?)>

<!-- Customer Data -->
<!ELEMENT FirstName (Letter+)>
<!ELEMENT LastName (Letter+)>
<!ELEMENT Email (#PCDATA+)>
<!ELEMENT Address (#PCDATA+)>
<!ELEMENT City (#PCDATA+)>
<!ELEMENT Province (#PCDATA+)>
<!ELEMENT PostalCode (#PCDATA+)>
<!ELEMENT CustomerID (Letter|Digit)+>

<!-- Subscription Data -->
<!ELEMENT SubscriptionID (Letter|Digit)+>
<!ELEMENT Status Digit>

<!-- Billing Data -->
<!ELEMENT ChargeAmount (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT ChargeType Digit>
<!ELEMENT IsLocal Digit>
<!ELEMENT Total (#PCDATA)>

<!-- Call Plan Data -->
<!ELEMENT CallPlanID Digit+>
<!ELEMENT ReplacementPlanID Digit+>
<!ELEMENT CallPlanName #PCDATA+>
<!ELEMENT ChargeRate Digit+>
<!ELEMENT Valid Digit>

<!-- CU Data -->
<!ELEMENT Shelf Digit+>
<!ELEMENT Slot Digit+>
<!ELEMENT DN (Digit)+>
<!ELEMENT EX Digit+>
<!ELEMENT AssociatedEX Digit+>
<!ELEMENT COS Digit+>
<!ELEMENT STAT Digit+>
<!ELEMENT TrunkNo Digit+>

<!-- Misc Data -->
<!ELEMENT Checksum (Digit)+>
<!ELEMENT Error Digit+>
<!ELEMENT StartDate (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT EndDate (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT StartTime (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT Duration (Digit)+>
<!ELEMENT PhoneNumberCalled (Digit)+>

<!-- Request Types -->
<!ELEMENT LoginRequest (UserId, Password)>
<!ELEMENT LoginResponse (UserId, Error?)>
```

```

<!-- Customer Ops -->
<!ELEMENT AddCustomerRequest (FirstName, LastName, Email, Address,
    City, Province, PostalCode)>
<!ELEMENT AddCustomerResponse (CustInfo, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT FindCustomerRequest (CustomerID?, FirstName?, LastName?,
    Email?, Address?, City?, Province?, PostalCode?, EX?,
    DN?)>
<!ELEMENT FindCustomerResponse (CustInfo+, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT EditCustomerRequest (CustomerID, CheckSum, FirstName?,
    LastName?, Email?, Address?, City?, Province?,
    PostalCode?)>
<!ELEMENT EditCustomerResponse (CustInfo, Error?)>

<!-- Subscription Ops -->
<!ELEMENT AddSubscriptionRequest (CustomerID, EX, Address, City,
    Province, PostalCode, DN?, COS, CallPlan?)>
<!ELEMENT AddSubscriptionResponse (SubInfo, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT CancelSubscriptionRequest SubscriptionID, CustomerID>
<!ELEMENT CancelSubscriptionResponse (SubInfo, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT FindSubscriptionRequest (CustomerID?, SubscriptionID?,
    EX?, DN?, Address?, City?, Province?, PostalCode?, COS?,
    CallPlan?)>
<!ELEMENT FindSubscriptionResponse (SubInfo+, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT EditSubscriptionRequest (SubscriptionID, CheckSum,
    CustomerID, EX?, Address?, City?, Province?, PostalCode?,
    DN?, COS?, CallPlan?)>
<!ELEMENT EditSubscriptionResponse (SubInfo, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT SuspendSubscriptionRequest SubscriptionID, CustomerID>
<!ELEMENT SuspendSubscriptionResponse (SubInfo, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT ResumeSubscriptionRequest SubscriptionID, CustomerID>
<!ELEMENT ResumeSubscriptionResponse (SubInfo, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT EditAllSubscriptionsRequest SubCriteria, SubChange>
<!ELEMENT EditAllSubscriptionsResponse Error?>

<!-- Billing Ops -->
<!ELEMENT OutputBillRequest SubscriptionID, CustomerID, StartDate,
    EndDate>
<!ELEMENT OutputBillResponse Error? >
<!ELEMENT OutputAllBillsRequest EX? >
<!ELEMENT OutputAllBillsResponse Error? >
<!ELEMENT DescribeBillRequest SubscriptionID, CustomerID,
    StartDate, EndDate>
<!ELEMENT DescribeBillResponse (BillInfo, Error?)>

<!-- Charges and Calls -->
<!ELEMENT AddChargeRequest SubscriptionID, CustomerID,
    ChargeAmount, ChargeType, StartDate, EndDate>
<!ELEMENT AddChargeResponse Error?>
<!ELEMENT BillCallRequest StartDate, StartTime, Duration, EX,
    Shelf, Slot, PhoneNumberCalled>
<!ELEMENT BillCallResponse Error?>
<!ELEMENT AddChargeAllRequest EX?, ChargeAmount, ChargeType,
    StartDate, EndDate>
<!ELEMENT AddChargeAllResponse Error?>

<!-- CallPlan Stuff -->

```

```

<!ELEMENT AddPlanRequest CallPlanName, ChargeRate>
<!ELEMENT AddPlanResponse (CallPlan, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT DescribePlanRequest CallPlanID?>
<!ELEMENT DescribePlanResponse (CallPlan+, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT ActivatePlanRequest CallPlanID>
<!ELEMENT ActivatePlanResponse Error?>
<!ELEMENT DeactivatePlanRequest CallPlanID, ReplacementPlanID>
<!ELEMENT DeactivatePlanResponse Error>

<!-- Equipment Stuff -->
<!ELEMENT AddEquipmentRequest (EX, Shelf, Slot, Checksum)>
<!ELEMENT AddEquipmentResponse (Ex, Shelf, Slot, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT RemoveEquipmentRequest (EX, Shelf, Slot, Checksum)>
<!ELEMENT RemoveEquipmentResponse (EX, Shelf, Slot, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT TestEquipmentRequest (EX, Shelf, Slot)>
<!ELEMENT TestEquipmentResponse (EX, Shelf, Slot, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT ResetEquipmentRequest (EX, Shelf, Slot)>
<!ELEMENT ResetEquipmentResponse (EX, Shelf, Slot, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT EnableEquipmentRequest (EX, Shelf, Slot, Checksum)>
<!ELEMENT EnableEquipmentResponse (EX, Shelf, Slot, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT DisableEquipmentRequest (EX, Shelf, Slot, Checksum)>
<!ELEMENT DisableEquipmentResponse (EX, Shelf, Slot, Error?)>

<!ELEMENT DescribeEquipmentRequest (EX, Shelf?, Slot?)>
<!ELEMENT DescribeEquipmentResponse (Equipment+, Error?)>
<!ELEMENT QueryCUREquest (Shelf, Slot, EX)>
<!ELEMENT QueryCUREsponse (Shelf, Slot, EX, (DN, COS, STAT)?,
    Error?)>

<!-- Exchange Stuff -->
<!ELEMENT DescribeExchangeRequest EX?>
<!ELEMENT DescribeExchangeResponse ExchInfo+>
<!ELEMENT EditExchangeRequest (EX, CheckSum, ChargeRate?,
    Location?, Rate+?)>
<!ELEMENT EditExchangeResponse ExchInfo>
<!ELEMENT AssociateExchangeRequest (EX, Shelf, Slot, CheckSum,
    RemoteEX)>
<!ELEMENT AssociateExchangeResponse Error?>
<!ELEMENT DisassociateExchangeRequest (EX, Shelf, Slot, CheckSum)>
<!ELEMENT DisassociateExchangeResponse Error?>
]>

```

5.3 Database

The communication with the database will use a well define MySQL++ API. This API allows SQL queries to be written in C++ and executed on a remote database machine. The protocol is transparent to the application.

The Database Schema is an external entity and is shown below in the following Schema Diagram. Appendix C shows the DML for the Database Schema shown.

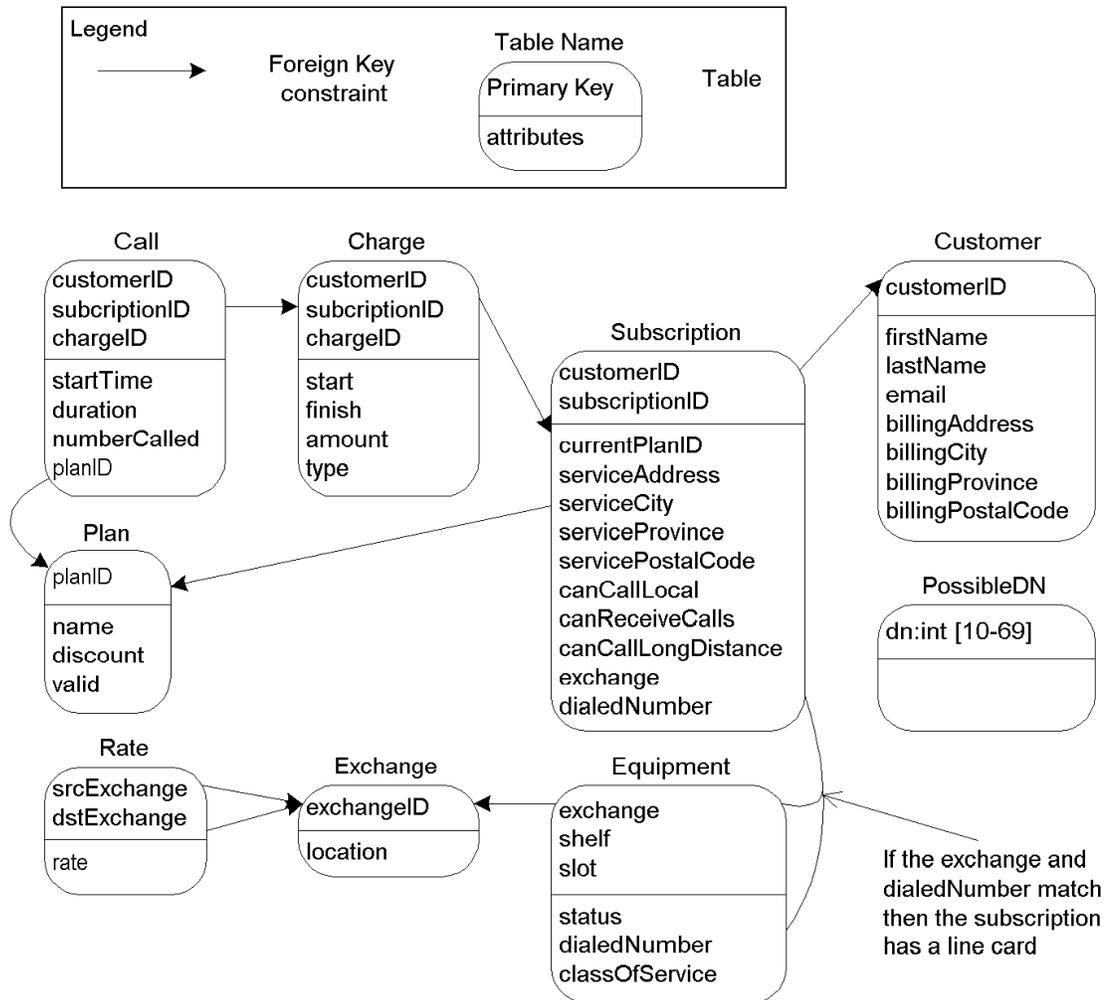


Figure 2 Database Schema Diagram

5.3.1 Notes

- PossibleDN contains one entry of each possible dialed number (10-69). It is used to improve the efficiency of finding a free phone number (see CreateSubscription() for details on how this table is used). The alternative would be to return all dialed number from the Subscription table then scan for a gap (this would be extremely inefficient if the range of dialed number were ever increased).
- Since we do not maintain historic information about a subscription's plan the Call table must store the plan id that applies to the call.
- Plans cannot be edited or deleted, because a customer may ask the Operator to reprint an old bill (this would require recalculating the old bill, and hence may require information about the old plan)
- Charges.type is one of 0=LocalCall, 1=LDCall, 2=Payment, 3=Credit, 4=ServiceFee

- There should be a dependency between Subscription.serviceAddress (the location of the phone) and Exchange.location. However, the design team has chosen to ignore this constraint since it is not a requirement.
- An exchange's local rate is stored in the Rate table as an entry with srcExchange=dstExchange
- The exchange, dialednumber, and class of service related attributes must be stored in the Subscription table and in the Equipment table to meet the requirements. That is, to 'reserve' a subscription's dialed number (e.g. when a subscription is suspended) and to maintain the class of service information on a subscription these fields must be stored in the Subscription table. Whereas, maintaining a master copy of the exchange database requires that these fields are recorded in the Equipment table.
- A subscription has a line card if the following query returns a row:

```
SELECT * FROM Subscription as S, Equipment as E
WHERE S.exchange=E.exchange AND S.dialedNumber=E.dialedNumber
```

5.4 Output Server

Outputting of bills requires two operations, email and printing. For simplicity, we make use of three Approved Request For Comments that specify the protocols which we are going to communicate on to do these two operations. Firstly, there is an assumption that there is Line Printer Daemon (as specified in RFC 1179) that is capable of receiving requests to print postscript files. Secondly, there is a SMTP server available to receive requests to send email [See RFC 821]. The emailing of bills will consist of emails being sent via the SMTP server. The data of the email will consist of a base 64 encoded attachment PDF file. The files will be attached according to the MIME RFC 1341.

5.5 Configuration Files

Configuration files will be required to start the dispatcher and let it know where the individual CUs are located. Individual CU Handlers do not need any configuration files because the arguments specified when you start the Handler permit the Handler to connect on different ports. The configuration file for the dispatcher will have various members such as database host, database port, CU Handler Hosts and CU Handler Ports. Whenever this configuration file is modified, the server will need to be restarted. This is an unfortunate side effect, however it could be enhanced that when the file is changed a program notifies the dispatcher that the file has changed. This is beyond what we wish to implement, but it shows that the system is extendible. An example of the configuration file is shown below:

```
#this is a comment, specify the db server by host:port
DbServer=db.uwaterloo.ca:3123
#
# for CUs specify host:port of CUHandler
# exchange number is handled by CUi where i is the exchange
# number
```

CU1=cu.uwaterloo.ca:8724
CU2=cu.uwaterloo.ca:8725
CU3=cu.uwaterloo.ca:8726

6.0 Integration Task Plan

Since our system is composed of small atomic components and there are sufficient time constraints, the Integration Task Plan should have a test plan that is flexible and not overwhelming. We feel that the system should use a Bottom-Up Integration style, meaning that small individual components will be integrated and tested until the whole system is composed. We have designed into our Task Scheduling four major integration milestones; those are Connection Worker Integration, Client Integration, Server Integration and OAM System Integration. There are three other minor integration milestones, however these have been rolled in with some coding tasks at the specific task points; these tasks are O&A Complex Ops, Maintenance Complex Ops, and Billing Complex Ops.

Although integration will occur on smaller components, for example Billing Complex Operations will need to integrate with Print Simple Ops, CU Simple Ops and Database Simple Ops, it is felt that integration on these components will occur with a Big Bank approach. The components below these three components are ensured to be unit tested, and therefore the integration of these units should not lead to a long time spent trying to find errors since the components at that level are relatively small.

The major milestones presented will occur with the Bottom-Up Integration style where drivers are written for each and the components will be tested. The detailed design allows for efficient testing of these components since message passing is done via XML. This means that a single driver could be written so that it could be reused in integration testing of various components that communicated via XML. For example If we were to test the Connection Worker or Client, we could have a single driver that played back a series of XML commands to each and test the responses against expected responses. A benefit of this is that it can be automated, so regression testing in the maintenance cycle is trivial.

Integration Task	Client	O&A	Maintenance	Billing	Connection Worker	Server	System
Client Comm.	X						X
Client Event Handler	X						X
UI Forms	X						X
Database Schema		X	X	X	X	X	X
DB Simple Ops		X	X	X	X	X	X
CU Handler		X	X	X	X	X	X
CU Simple Ops		X	X	X	X	X	X
Print Simple Ops				X	X	X	X
O&A C.O.		X			X	X	X
Maintenance C.O.			X		X	X	X
Billing C.O				X	X	X	X

Connection Worker Process					X	X	X
Billing Daemon							X
Dispatcher Process						X	X

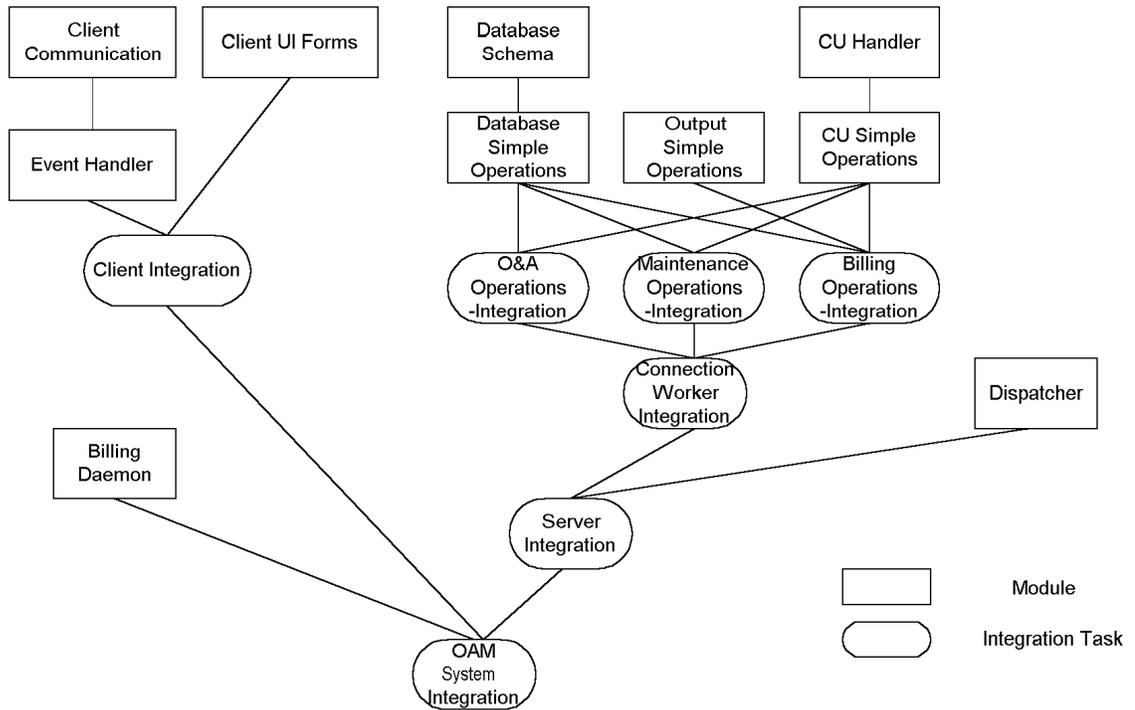


Figure 3 Integration Task Diagram

7.0 Task Scheduling

7.1 Cost Estimates

We estimate the amount of code to be roughly 12,000 lines. This estimate was calculated from the following matrix. Note the duration days column does not include integration and testing of the modules. It is a representation only for the implementation of the individual modules. The schedule provided later takes into account integration of the components.

Module	Lines of Code	Duration Days
Client Communication	200	1
Client Event Handler	2000	2
UI Forms	3000	7
Database Simple Operations	1000	2
Print Simple Operations	250	1
CU Simple Operations	250	1
CU Handler	1500	1
O&A Complex Operations	1000	2
Maintenance Complex Operations	500	1
Billing Complex Operations	500	1
Connection Worker Process	500	2
Dispatcher Process	500	2
Billing Daemon	300	1
Total	11,500	24

Applying COCOMO 1 on this (<http://www.jsc.nasa.gov/bu2/COCOMO.html>), with Development having 12 KDSI, and \$3200/PM and Maintenance having 2 KDSI added annual and 1 KDSI changed annual. The following table shows the results:

Inputs	Outputs
<u>Development</u> KDSI : 12 Development Mode: Organic Average Cost Rate (\$/PM): \$3200	Effort: 33 PM Schedule: 9 months Development Cost: \$105,600 Productivity: 364 instructions per month
<u>Maintenance</u> KDSI added: 2 KDSI changed: 1 Average Cost Rate (\$/PM): \$3200	Average Staffing: 3.7 FT programmers Annual Maintenance: 8 PM Annual Maintenance Cost: \$25,600

8.0 Programming Conventions

The Programming Style that we anticipate to be used is a modified Hungarian notation. Hungarian Notation is well defined in naming methods, and variables. A copy of the Hungarian Notation can be found at the Microsoft MSDN website.

<http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/techart/hunganotat.htm>

Our extension of Hungarian notation is to specify that all variables will be named in the following fashion: for global variables `g_variable`, for member variables `m_variable` and for static variables `s_variable`. Variables inside a local scope need not be named as our convention specifies, the convention only applies to variables in the global scope. It will also be required that preprocessor definitions must always be in all capitals. For C/C++ code, C++ style comments (ie. `//`) must be used inside method definitions and not `/* */`. Tabs are not to be used in the code, and spaces used instead.

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Design Document Example

<http://www.cs.cornell.edu/database/predator/designdoc.html>

10.0 Data Dictionary

Word	Meaning
API	Application Programming Interface
COCOMO	Constructive Cost Model
CRC	Class, Responsibilities, Collaborator
CRUD	Create, Restore, Update, Delete
CU	Control Unit
CS 445 SRS	Refers to the requirements document for the OAM Software System (<i>CS445 Software Requirements Specification: OAM Software for SX4</i>)
DB	Database
DOM	Document Object Model
DN	Dialed Number
DTD	Document Type Definition
EX	Exchange
GUI	Graphical User Interface
KDSI	Kilo deliverable source instruction
MIME	Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions
MSDN	Microsoft Development Network
O&A	Operations and Administration
OAM	Operating, Administration and Maintenance
PDF	Portable Document Format
PM	Programmer Month
RFC	Request for Comments
Spawn	The act of copying a process image and then replacing the code image inside the process image with that of another program. In Win32, this is a direct method call, in UNIX it can be simulated via a fork followed by an execl.
SMTP	Simple Mail Transfer Protocol
SRS	Software Requirements Specification
SQL	Structured Query Language
UI	User Interface
XML	Extensible Markup Language

11.0 Appendix A – Examples of XML Messages

<p>Example of Login Request</p> <p>This example illustrates a client sending login request, the Request is rejected, and an error is returned. The error returned corresponds to invalid password. (See External interfaces for error codes)</p>	
<p>Request</p> <pre><Message> <LoginRequest> <UserID>dftapuska</UserID> <Password>Dave</Password> </LoginRequest> </Message></pre>	<p>Response</p> <pre><Message> <LoginResponse> <UserID>dftapuska</UserID> <Error>04</Error> </LoginResponse> </Message></pre>
<p>Example of AddCustomer Request</p> <p>This example illustrates a client sending an add customer request. The Customer is added and the CustomerID is returned</p>	
<p>Request</p> <pre><Message> <AddCustomerRequest> <FirstName>Dave</FirstName> <LastName>Tapuska</LastName> <Email>d@tapuska.com</Email> <Address>23 Glen Dr</Address> <City>Waterloo</City> <Province>Ont</Province> <PostalCode> Z1Z2Z2 </PostalCode> </AddCustomerRequest> </Message></pre>	<p>Response</p> <pre><Message> <AddCustomerResponse> <CustInfo> <CustomerID>3123</CustomerID> <Checksum>1AD2DF23</Checksum> <FirstName>Dave</FirstName> <LastName>Tapuska</LastName> <Email>d@tapuska.com</Email> <Address>23 Glen Dr</Address> <City>Waterloo</City> <Province>Ont</Province> <PostalCode> Z1Z2Z2 </PostalCode> <Status>2</Status> </CustInfo> </AddCustomerResponse> </Message></pre>
<p>Example of FindCustomer Request</p> <p>This example illustrates a client sending a find customer request. Once customer that has the first name of Dave is returned. If there were more customers with that firstname, they would be returned.</p>	
<p>Request</p> <pre><Message> <FindCustomerRequest> <FirstName>Dave</FirstName> </FindCustomerRequest> </Message></pre>	<p>Response</p> <pre><Message> <FindCustomerResponse> <CustInfo> <CustomerID>3123</CustomerID> <Checksum>1AD2DF23</Checksum> <FirstName>Dave</FirstName> <LastName>Tapuska</LastName> <Email>d@tapuska.com</Email> <Address>23 Glen Dr</Address> <City>Waterloo</City> <Province>Ont</Province> <PostalCode> Z1Z2Z2 </PostalCode> <Status>2</Status> </CustInfo> </FindCustomerResponse> </Message></pre>

Example of EditCustomer Request

This is an example of an Edit Customer request and response that fails. It fails because the cookie or checksum that passed along with the request is invalid or does not correspond to the one that the database stores.

Request

```
<Message>
  <EditCustomerRequest>
    <CustID>3123</CustID>
    <Checksum>12322</Checksum>
    <FirstName>Bob</FirstName>
  </EditCustomerRequest>
</Message>
```

Response

```
<Message>
  <EditCustomerResponse>
    <CustInfo>
      <CustomerID>3123</CustomerID>
      <Checksum>1AD2DF23</Checksum>
      <FirstName>Dave</FirstName>
      <LastName>Tapuska</LastName>
      <Email>d@tapuska.com</Email>
      <Address>23 Glen Dr</Address>
      <City>Waterloo</City>
      <Province>Ont</Province>
      <PostalCode>
        Z1Z2Z2
      </PostalCode>
      <Status>2</Status>
    </CustInfo>
    <Error>09</Error>
  </EditCustomerResponse>
</Message>
```

Example of AddSubscription Request

This is an example of an Add Subscription request and response that is successful. It allocates a subscription that corresponds to the Customer Requested.

Request

```
<Message>
  <AddSubscriptionRequest>
    <CustID>3123</CustID>
    <EX>1</EX>
    <Address>23 Glen Dr</Address>
    <City>Waterloo</City>
    <Province>Ont</Province>
    <PostalCode>
      Z1Z2Z2
    </PostalCode>
  </AddSubscriptionRequest>
</Message>
```

Response

```
<Message>
  <AddSubscriptionResponse>
    <SubInfo>
      <SubscriptionID>
        2
      </SubscriptionID>
      <CustomerID>3123</CustomerID>
      <Checksum>DEADBEEF</Checksum>
      <Address>23 Glen Dr</Address>
      <City>Waterloo</City>
      <Province>Province</Province>
      <PostalCode>Z1Z2Z2</PostalCode>
      <Status>2</Status>
      <COS>2</COS>
      <DN>34</DN>
      <EX>1</EX>
      <Shelf>1</Shelf>
      <Slot>2</Slot>
    </SubInfo>
  </AddSubscriptionResponse>
</Message>
```

12.0 Appendix B – Enhancement of UI

It was decided that we needed to enhance the UI as the comments from the CS 445 TA said were that the UI could be more intuitive. We took these comments into account and decided to reorganize the way the controls are laid out. It is mainly a hierarchical change eliminating many screens that were repeated in the SRS. The functionality of the core screens have not changes, eg. Customer Details and Subscription Details. We have incorporated a tab control rather than the navigational “Back” control that the SRS used. We also have expressed the line cards, trunk cards in a tree control rather than a list, as the list could have hundreds of entries and would be difficult to navigate.

12.1 Operator Login

The Operator Login Control has not changed. The functionality is exactly as specified in the CS 445 SRS on Page 9.



Figure 4 Operator Login

12.2 Main Window – Customer Operations

The Customer Operations Window has encapsulated the functionality of Customer Operations Dialog in the SRS. The use of the tab control allowed us to eliminate the need for a separate dialog. We have also placed the field fields directly on the Customer window; this is intuitive because you need to find a customer before editing it. The list of possible matches is displayed in the list control below it. Then an operator can edit the customer or add a new one.

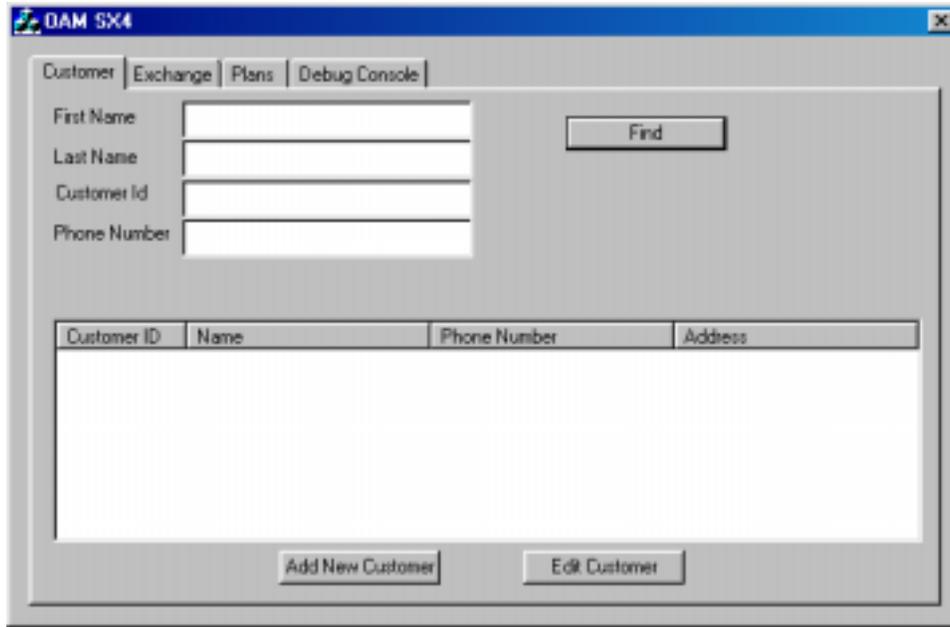


Figure 5 Customer Dialog

12.3 Add/Edit Customer Details

This Customer Details Form is a union of the Add, Edit, View Customer Screens in the SRS. It was felt that it is not necessary to have three separate dialogs that have pretty much the same layout and display the same information. This layout will reduce our development time as the number of dialogs has been reduced.

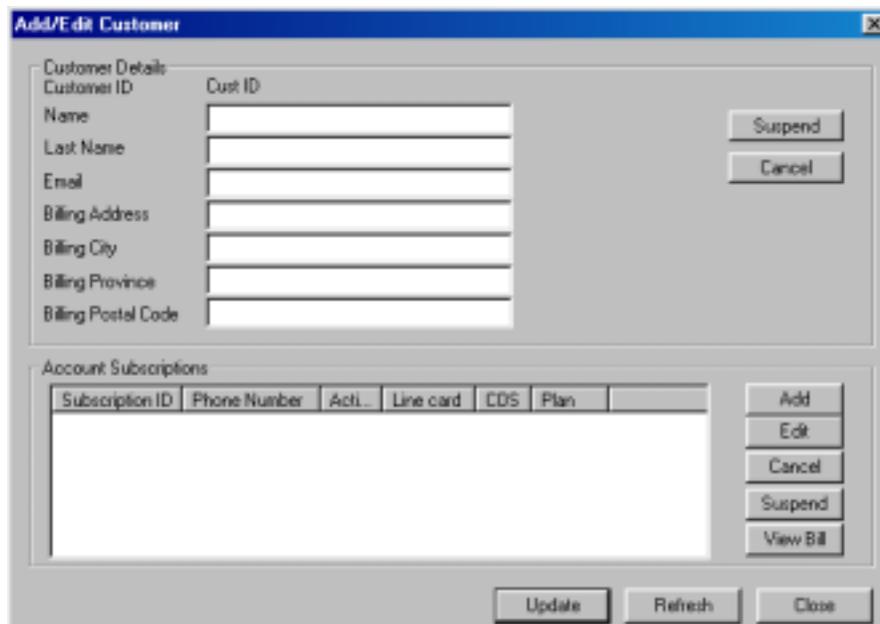


Figure 6 Add/Edit Customer

12.4 Add/Edit Subscription

The Add/Edit Subscription dialog is taken directly from the SRS; see page 30 of the SRS for details. It has only minor modifications that have the Service Address added to the Subscription and the Long Distance plan has been added to the Subscription rather than the billing details.

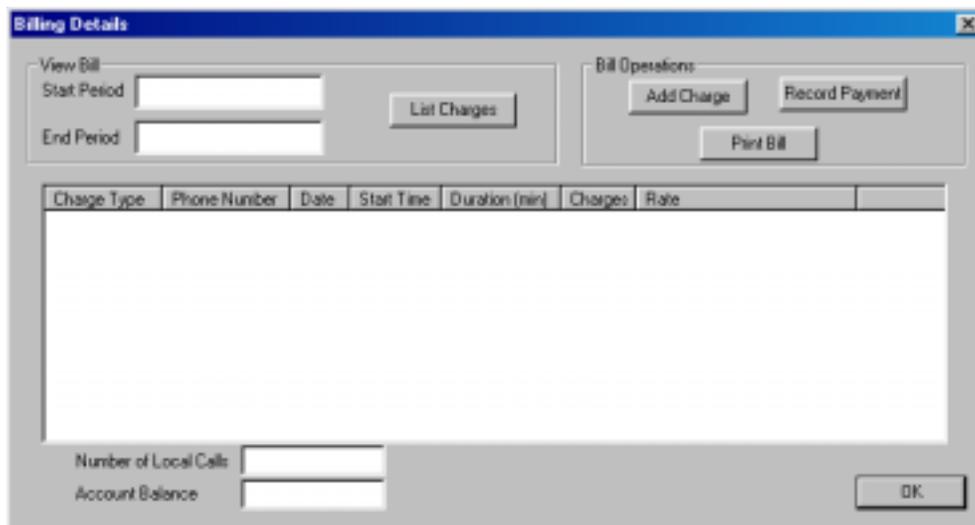


The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Add/Edit Subscription". It contains several input fields and buttons. At the top, there are fields for "Exchange" and "DN", with a "Find Free Number" button to the right. Below these are fields for "Service Address", "Service City", and "Service Postal". A section labeled "CDS" contains three checkboxes: "Originate local Calls", "Receive Calls", and "Originate LD Calls". To the right of this section is a "Status" section with three radio buttons: "Active", "Suspended", and "Cancelled". At the bottom, there is a "Long Distance Plan" dropdown menu. Finally, there are "OK" and "Cancel" buttons at the very bottom.

Figure 7 Add/Edit Subscription

12.5 Edit/View Bill

The Edit/View Bill Screen is very much similar to that one found in the SRS, however, it only lists charges between a certain period rather than individual bills.



The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Billing Details". It has a "View Bill" section with "Start Period" and "End Period" input fields, and a "List Charges" button. To the right is a "Bill Operations" section with "Add Charge", "Record Payment", and "Print Bill" buttons. Below this is a table with the following columns: "Charge Type", "Phone Number", "Date", "Start Time", "Duration (min)", "Charges", and "Rate". The table is currently empty. At the bottom, there are input fields for "Number of Local Calls" and "Account Balance", and an "OK" button.

Figure 8 Billing Details

12.6 Exchange Details

The Exchange Details, Line Card Details and Trunk Shelf Screens incorporate the functionality of the Maintenance Dialog in the SRS. However, we have broken the UI up to use a Tree Control so navigation is easier.

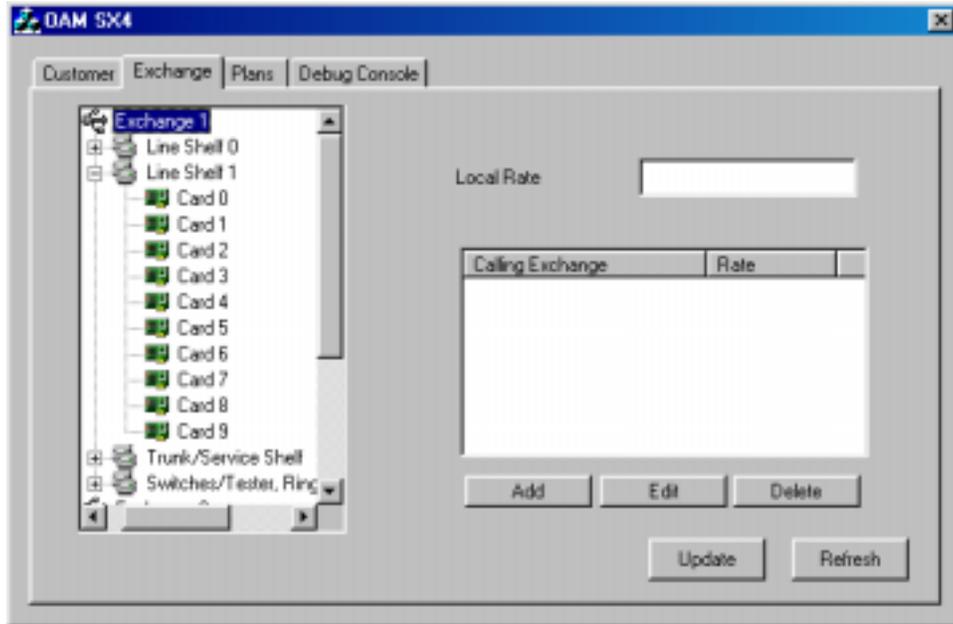


Figure 9 Exchange Details

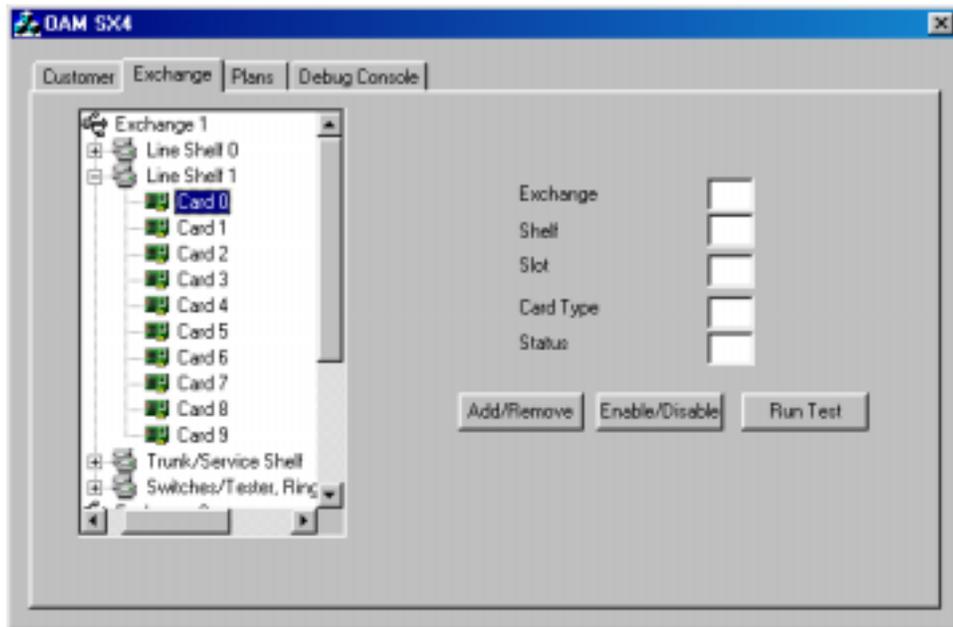


Figure 10 LineCard Details

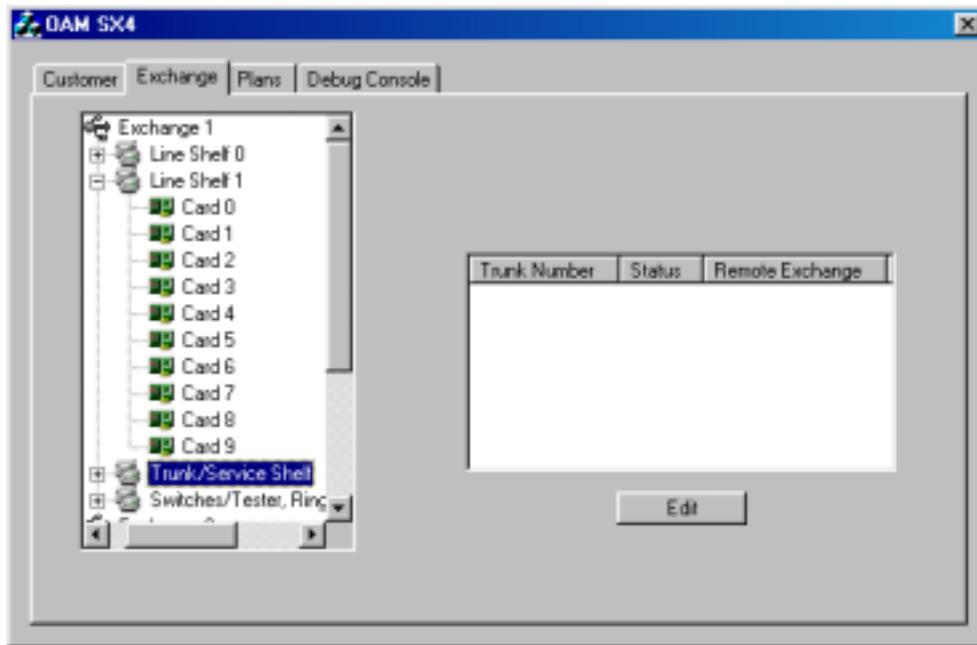


Figure 11 Trunk Card Details

12.7 Call Plan Details

The Call Plan Details and Add/Edit Call Plan Dialogs are a very simplified version of the one found in the SRS. The GUI specified in the SRS included things that were not specified in the textual SRS, this imposed an inconsistency, we have chosen to adopt the textual version and not follow the complicated UI. The following two dialogs show the functionality required by the SRS.

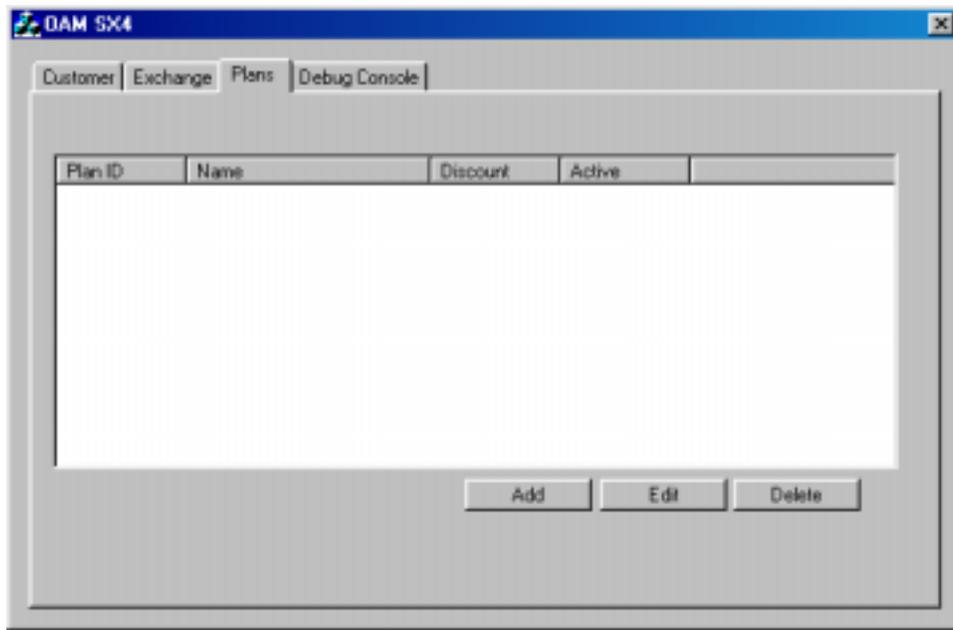


Figure 12 Call Plan Details

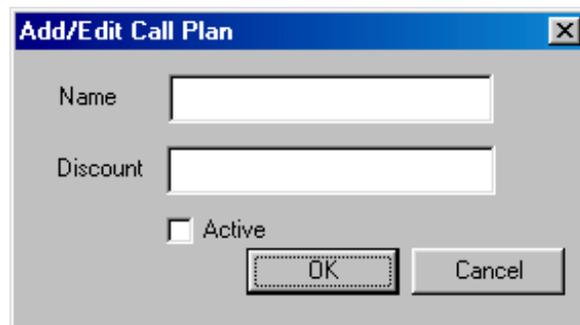


Figure 13 Add/Edit Call Plan

12.8 Debug Console

The Debug Console is much like a SQL query screen.

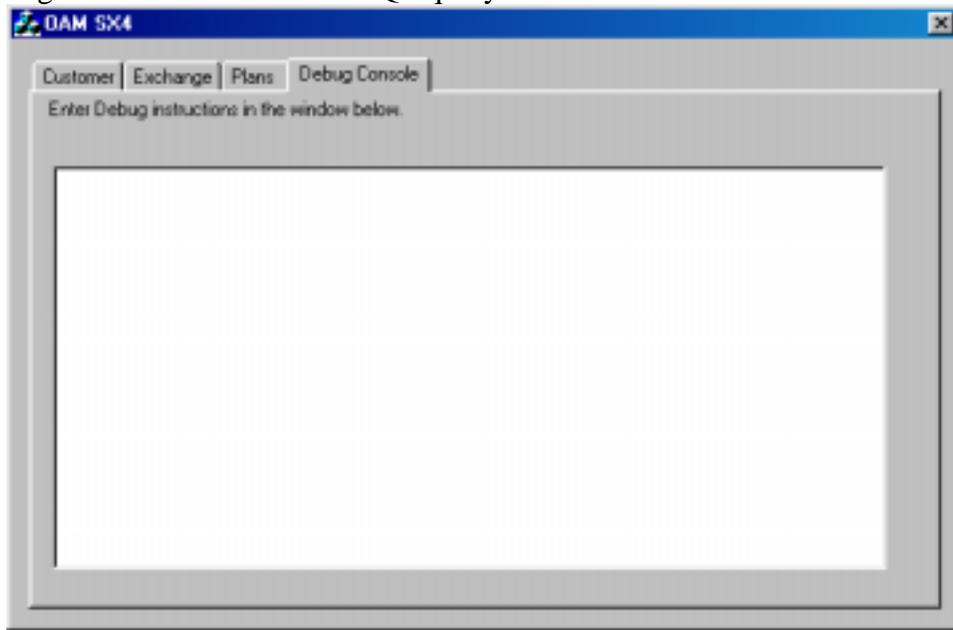


Figure 14 Debug Console

13.0 Appendix C – Database DML

A complete schema specification on the Database is provided in the External Interfaces Section. Presented here is the Data Modeling Language for the Database; it specifies exactly what the tables and relationships are amongst the keys. This is beneficial because the Schema does not show domain constraints and restrictions.

```
create table Customer
(
    customerID          int,
    firstName           varchar(20),
    lastName            varchar(30),
    email               varchar(50),
    billingAddress      varchar(50),
    billingCity         varchar(20),
    billingProvince    varchar(10),
    billingPostalCode   varchar(6),
    PRIMARY KEY        ( customerID )
)

create table Rate
(
    srcExchange         int,
    destExchange        int,
    rate                decimal(5,2),
    PRIMARY KEY ( srcExchange, destExchange),
    FOREIGN KEY srcExchange REFERENCES Exchange,
    FOREIGN KEY destExchange REFERENCES Exchange
)

create table Exchange
(
    exchangeID         int,
    location           varchar(30),
    PRIMARY KEY        (exchangeID),
    CHECK              (exchangeID >= 1 AND exchangeID <= 9)
)

create table PossbiledN
(
    dialedNumber       int,
    PRIMARY KEY        (dialedNumber),
    CHECK              ( dialedNumber >= 10 AND dialedNumber <= 69)
)

create table Equipment
(
    exchange           int,
    shelf              int,
    slot               int,
    status             int,
    dialedNumber       int,
    classOfService    int,
    PRIMARY KEY        (exchange, shelf, slot),
```

```

        FOREIGN KEY    (exchange) REFERENCES Exchange,
        CHECK          ( dialedNumber >= 10 AND dialedNumber <= 69),
        CHECK          ( shelf >= 0 AND shelf <= 9),
        CHECK          ( slot >= 0 AND slot <= 31)
    )

create table Plan
(
    planID            int,
    name              varchar(20),
    discount           DECIMAL(1,2),
    valid             int,
    PRIMARY KEY       (planID),
    CHECK             ( valid >= 0 AND valid <= 1)
)

create table Call
(
    customerID        int,
    subscriptionID    int,
    chargeID          int,
    startTime         time,
    duration           DECIMAL(5, 2),
    numberCalled      int,
    planID            int,
    PRIMARY KEY       (customerID, subscriptionID, chargeID)
    FOREIGN KEY       (planID) REFERENCES Plan,
    FOREIGN KEY       (chargeID) REFERENCES Charge
)

create table Charge
(
    customerID        int,
    subscriptionID    int,
    chargeID          int,
    start             DATE,
    finish            DATE,
    type              int,
    amount            DECIMAL(5, 2)
    PRIMARY KEY       (customerID, subscriptionID, chargeID),
    CHECK             ( finish >= start )
)

create table Subscription
(
    customerID        int,
    subscriptionID    int,
    currentPlanID     int,
    serviceAddress     varchar(50),
    serviceCity        varchar(20),
    serviceProvince    varchar(10),
    servicePostalCode  varchar(6),
    canRecvCalls      int,
    canCallLocal       int,
    canCallLD          int,
    exchange           int,
    dialedNumber       int,

```

```
PRIMARY KEY      (customerID, subscriptionID),
FOREIGN KEY      (currentPlanID) REFERENCES Plan,
FOREIGN KEY      (exchange) REFERENCES Exchange,
FOREIGN KEY      (customerID) REFERENCES Customer,
CHECK            ( canCallLD >= 0 AND canCallLD <= 1),
CHECK            ( canCallLocal >= 0 AND canCallLocal <= 1),
CHECK            ( canRecvCalls >=0 AND canRecvCalls <= 1),
CHECK            ( dialedNumber >= 10 AND dialedNumber <= 69)
)
```