

uControl

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DIDs (Direct Inward Dialing numbers) are additional numbers that will be routed from the telephone network to your SIP trunk. Therefore, you must first have a SIP trunk before ordering DIDs.

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Login to uControl

Open your web browser and go to <https://ucontrol.thinktel.ca>. Once there, you will be prompted to login; simply enter the username and password that were provided to you when you opened your account with ThinkTel. If you do not have the information at hand, please contact your Account Manager or Account Relations Manager.



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How to order new DIDs

The first step in ordering new DIDs for your SIP trunk is to select "Order a Service" from the "Orders" menu. Then, click "New SIP Trunk DIDs" in the SIP trunk features.

The screenshot shows the ThinkTel user interface. At the top, the 'Orders' menu is highlighted with a red box, and a dropdown menu is open, with 'Order a Service' selected and highlighted. Below the navigation bar, there are several sections: 'My Account - Company ABC' with details like Account Manager, Sales Agent, and Account Relations Manager; 'My Recent Invoices' with a table showing Date, Number, Total, Completed Date, and Data; and 'My Numbers' which includes a 'Download All' button, a search bar, and a table with columns for Number, Parent, Label, Additional Label, Offering, and Type. The table shows one entry for number 5877824109, which is a Standard Retail Sip Trunk. Below the table, there are pagination controls showing 'Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries'.

The screenshot shows the 'Order a Service' page in the ThinkTel user interface. The navigation bar at the top is the same as in the previous screenshot. The main content area is titled 'Order a Service' and contains four sections, each with a list of service options: 'Hosted PBX' with 'Bilingual easy attendant'; 'SIP Trunking (Retail)' with 'Standard Retail Sip Trunk'; 'Virtual Fax' with 'Fax to inbox'; and 'SIP Trunk Features' with 'New Sip Trunk DIDs' and 'New Sip Trunk Binding'.

Adding DIDs to a SIP Trunk

After selecting the "New SIP Trunk DIDs" menu item you will be brought to a page with a form to fill out.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk

Rate Center

[Submit Order](#)

Select SIP Trunk

The first step is to choose the SIP trunk for which you wish to order additional DIDs. Click the drop down arrow and select the trunk from the list. The drop down list contains all the SIP trunks on your account by their pilot number, as well as the label you chose when creating the trunk.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk	5877824109 - Edmonton
Rate Center	--Select Rate Center --

[Submit Order](#)

TIP: If you have many SIP trunks on your account, then you can optionally type in the first few digits of the pilot number, or the first few letters of the label, while the drop down is selected. This will reduce the list to the trunks that match what you have typed; making the list much easier to navigate in order to select the SIP trunk you want.

Select Rate Center

The second step is to choose the Rate Center for the DIDs you wish to order. Each rate center will include a number beside its name indicating the amount of available numbers we have in inventory.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk	5877824109 - Edmonton
Rate Center	Edmonton, AB (945)

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- Camrose, AB (94)
- Canmore, AB (237)
- Castlemore, ON (130)
- Charlottetown, PE (25)
- Chatham, ON (33)
- Chicoutimi, QC (131)
- Chilliwack, BC (157)
- Chomedey, QC (198)
- Clarkson, ON (86)
- Cobble Hill, BC (112)
- Cochrane, AB (246)
- Collingwood, ON (75)
- Cooksville, ON (84)
- Cornwall, ON (113)
- Dawson Creek, BC (95)
- Drayton Valley, AB (59)
- Drumheller, AB (146)
- Drummondville, QC (143)
- Dunnville, ON (75)
- Edmonton, AB (945)

TIP: If you know the name of the **Rate Center** you wish to choose and do not want to scroll through the drop down list to find it, you can type a few of the letters in its name while the drop down is selected. The list will then be reduced to only rate centers that match the letters you have typed, thereby making selection easier.

IMPORTANT: If the rate center you wish to order from has less than the amount of DIDs you want to order, don't panic. Instead, please contact your Account Relation Manager/Customer Service or our orders department (orders@thinktel.ca) with the amount of DIDs and rate center you wish to order from. We can accommodate many types of custom order requests, both large and small.

Choosing to order single DIDs or blocks of DIDs

After choosing your SIP trunk and the rate center of the additional DIDs, you will be given a choice. You can either order a single number or a block of numbers by clicking either the Order Single or the Order Block button respectively.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk	5877824109 - Edmonton
Rate Center	Edmonton, AB (945)
	<input type="radio"/> Single Number <input type="radio"/> Block of Numbers

[Submit Order](#)

Upon clicking the **Order Single** button the form will expand with another drop down list, which will contain the next 10 available numbers of the rate center. You may select the specific number you want or leave the drop down list on the **Next Available** choice to let the system pick one for you.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk 5877824109 - Edmonton

Rate Center Edmonton, AB (945)

Single Number **Block of Numbers**

Select Individual DID

Next Available

Next Available

Next 10

- 5877824102
- 5877824112
- 5877824113
- 5877824115
- 5877824116
- 5877824117
- 5877824118
- 5877824119
- 5877824120
- 5877824121

Submit Order

Once you have chosen the number you want, or left the choice on **Next Available**, then you are ready to review the order. When you are satisfied everything looks correct, press the **Submit Order** button.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk 5877824109 - Edmonton

Rate Center Edmonton, AB (945)

Single Number **Block of Numbers**

Select Individual DID Next Available

Submit Order

After clicking the **Submit Order** button you will be brought to a page listing your new DID and the trunk to which it belongs.



Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

SIP Trunk	_____
Number	5877824109
New DID's	_____
	5877824102

Order a block of DIDs

If you clicked on the **Order Block** button, instead of the **Order Single** button, the form will expand with three fields, a **Select Number Block** drop down list, a **Start From** radio selection, and an **Order Size** text box.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk	5877824109 - Edmonton
Rate Center	Edmonton, AB (944)
	<input type="radio"/> Single Number <input checked="" type="radio"/> Block of Numbers
Select Number Block	Next Available
Start From	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Front <input type="radio"/> Back
Order Size	<input type="text"/>

Submit Order

The first step in selecting your block is to choose from the list of available blocks in the system. The **Select Number Block** drop down will list blocks by their first and last number, along with the amount of numbers within the block. You may also leave the selection on **Next Available** if you are not after a specific block of consecutive numbers.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk	5877824109 - Edmonton
Rate Center	Edmonton, AB (944)
	<input type="radio"/> Single Number <input checked="" type="radio"/> Block of Numbers
Select Number Block	Next Available
Start From	Next Available
Order Size	Available Numbers
	5877824112 - 5877824113 (2)
	5877824115 - 5877824349 (235)
	5877824351 - 5877824706 (356)
	5877824730 - 5877824733 (4)
	5877824735 - 5877824995 (261)
	5877825010 - 5877825010 (1)
	5877825012 - 5877825012 (1)
	5877825020 - 5877825020 (1)
	5877825027 - 5877825027 (1)

TIP: If you choose a specific block of numbers, then you will be limited to the size of that block. If you choose **Next Available**, then you are limited only by the total available numbers in the rate center.

The second step in choosing a block is how much of the block you wish to order and from which direction to start.

Add DIDs to SIP Trunk

Select Sip Trunk	<input type="text" value="5877824109 - Edmonton"/>
Rate Center	<input type="text" value="Edmonton, AB (944)"/>
	<input type="radio"/> Single Number <input checked="" type="radio"/> Block of Numbers
Select Number Block	<input type="text" value="Next Available"/>
Start From	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Front <input type="radio"/> Back
Order Size	<input type="text" value="3"/>

Submit Order

Examples:

Number Block	Start From	Order Size	Actual Ordered
Next Available	Front	3	5877824112 - 5877824115
Next Available	Front	10	5877824112 - 5877824113 5877824115 - 5877824122
5877824730 - 5877824733 (4)	Front	3	5877824730 - 5877824732
5877824730 - 5877824733 (4)	Back	3	5877824732 - 5877824730
5877824730 - 5877824733 (4)	Front	4	5877824730 - 5877824733

Once you have chosen the block of numbers you want, then you are ready to review the order. When you are satisfied that everything is correct, press the **Submit Order** button. After clicking the **Submit Order** button you will be brought to a page listing your new DIDs and the trunk to which they all belong.

Add DIDs to SIP trunk

SIP Trunk

Number

5877824109

New DID's

5877824112

5877824113

5877824115