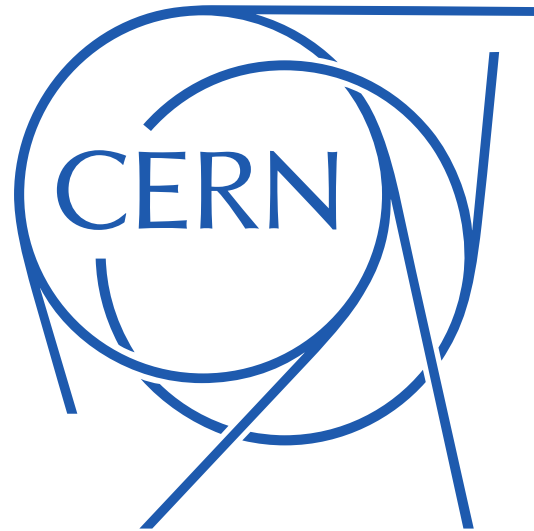


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TELEPHONES AT CERN



Old phones working until mass migration (in 8 to 16 months)

- Skype for Business : Microsoft software (formerly called Lync) Skype's commercial version
- «Old phone» : desk telephone using landline (analog, digital) or old models of IP Alcatel (not supporting SfB)
- IP Phone : deskphone using an IP (internet protocol) network
- Lync phone : IP phone supporting SfB
- Softphone: (conventionally) use of Skype for Business without deskphone (computer / smartphone)

IT recommends to use a headset instead of deskphone for flexibility, cost sparing and easy technical manageability.

Info under IT link: <https://information-technology.web.cern.ch/book/lync-ip-phone-service/how-register>

Private subscription for mobiles will be cancelled from 1. February 2019

Telephone Models

If your phone is an Alcatel , with a sticker on the back of the device mentioning IP Touch 4018, IP Touch 4028 or IP Touch 4068 and has a socket for connection to the Ethernet network, it is an **"Alcatel IP Phone"** and cannot use Skype for Business. Expiry date: ~□by end 2019 →



If your phone is a "HP IP 4120" or a "Polycom CX300 or CX600", it is an **old Lync phone** and can use Skype for Business. Expiry date: 2023



IP Touch 4018

1. Alcatel IP touch 4028 model

[Quick Guide \(en\)](#) / [Mode d'emploi \(fr\)](#)



2. Alcatel IP touch 4068 model

[Quick Guide \(en\)](#) / [Mode d'emploi \(fr\)](#)



Only these two telephone models are now available in the CERN store:

IP POLYCOM VVX201 phone (Standard User) , item no. 80.13.02.008.0, 141 CHF (2 lines)

IP POLYCOM VVX411 Phone (Advanced User / Secretary - Supervisor) , item 80.13.02.008.2, 288 CHF
(12 lines, calls recording, SKU)



IP phones versus Softphones

FEATURE	IP PHONE	SOFTPHONE
Cost	141 – 288 CHF	32 – 35,50 CHF *
Use	office desk	Anywhere (no roaming cost)
Phonebook	automatic update	automatic update
Installation	(Technician)	On-line
Lifetime	2023 +	No expiry
Advantages	Can be used by several users Runs when PC is off Integration with CERN calendar and CERN mailbox	Working on all devices Direct call from Phonebook Easy managing of contacts Integration with calendar + mailbox Both hands free Sharing desktops, instant messaging Request approved in a couple of hours, needs no authorization Can transfer GSM line to the fixed line

ARRIVAL / DEPARTURE / CHANGE OF OFFICE

Telephone: NOT possible to move an old telephone keeping the same number; you need to migrate to Skype For Business (either Lync IP phone or headset)

Register your computer(s) in the IT network: [Network connection request form](#)

Please see with Cinzia for PC name and confirm registration.

Address registration (office and telephone): updated by Cinzia

OFFICIAL TRAVEL

Reminder that travels follow 2 administrative steps:

- Travel Request (issued by traveller) needs to indicate all (rough) costs involved and if the trip has been booked / fees paid etc.
- Travel claim (issued by Cinzia) to process reimbursement. May differ from Travel Request = no need to cancel the TREQ in case of discrepancy.
- Please refer to the tutorial in our website: <http://ep-dep-sft.web.cern.ch/document/edh-how-tos>

ERGONOMY

Sitting in front of a computer all day may lead to back ache problems.

I'm organizing a short presentation concerning ergonomics at work, carried out by the CERN Medical Service during our Monday meeting. Individual cases may be treated immediately after.

Meanwhile you can refer to :

[Ergonomics](#)

and

[Back pain](#)