

Get to the bottom of the matter and reduce the financial impact of IT downtime

Don't let network downtime, system changes and the lack of support reduce your business opportunities

Benefits

- A state-of-the-art, global IP network with no network congestion
- Use your existing Frame Relay and ATM technologies to access advanced IP technologies
- Robust quality of service to prioritize time-sensitive traffic such as VoIP and video streaming
- Managed networking to free up resources—giving you expertise in design and implementation
- Performance is backed by one of the industry leading service level agreements
- Ideal for multimedia applications
- Diverse billing options match bandwidth and budgetary requirements with competitive rates

Get network security, reliability and cost management with your own private Internet

In today's fast-moving, competitive environment, you depend on your network to support your critical business applications across your virtual private network (VPN). Private Port is isolated from the public Internet to help ensure a secure and reliable IP VPN. Private Port uses multi-protocol label switching (MPLS) or virtual private LAN service (VPLS) to create a fully-meshed, any-to-any VPN and a flexible quality of service (QoS) to keep pace with changes in demand for IP-based content delivery.

The CenturyLink IP network is one of the most advanced networks available, with best-in-class service level agreements (SLAs). In the continental United States, you'll receive a service level agreement with a 100% availability goal. Our account services team will guide you through any changes required in your system, helping to manage costs effectively and reduce any risks in switching networks or systems. You'll be able to converge all of your communications onto a single network to run the most productive and efficient operations possible with Private Port. You can free up valuable resources, allow staff to work on other projects, use our expertise to watch the network and help in design and implementation, and keep your network running at all times, minimizing network downtime and increasing application performance.

Description

Private Port is a flexible, scalable and reliable private IP-based VPN service that enables you to combine your voice and data applications onto a single network. It is based on the CenturyLink best-in-class IP network that supports a variety of platforms so your operations won't be limited if you have a specific vendor's equipment on your network. Private Port is the ideal environment for Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP), video and other bandwidth-intensive business needs.

Private Port supports a variety of access types including: IP access, Ethernet, Frame Relay and ATM, and it simplifies any-to-any connectivity and allows you to segment and prioritize data traffic. You'll have access to options that will ensure you have the best available technology to support your business' changing strategies.

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Features

- The CenturyLink OC-192 IP backbone network
- Supports Layer 1 and multiple Layer 2 access types
- Flexible QoS functionality
 - 8 priority queues
 - 15 templates
 - 4 queuing methods
- Performance management 24/7/365 by CenturyLink skilled operations engineers using automated surveillance tools – continuous, proactive network monitoring and real-time notification of managed devices to support your network performance at a level that meets or exceeds your needs
- Configuration management –configuration faults and changes to ensure integrity
- Comprehensive SLAs
- Any-to-any connectivity
- Flat-rate, tiered and use-sensitive billing options (use-based billing not available on Private Ports using VPLS as a networking type with Ethernet access)

How it works

Private Port connects your remote locations using IP/MPLS or VPLS based technology to create an enterprise-wide network designed to carry real-time and data applications over a single interface with a variety of port speeds, ranging from 56Kbps to 2.4Gbps. Customer care centers (CCCs) are available to support your needs 24/7/365. CenturyLink network operation centers (NOCs) have full visibility and control of the platform with 24-hour management and proactive notification* when problems occur.

IP access	ATM	Frame Relay	Ethernet
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DS-1 • NxDS-1 • DS-3 • OC-N 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DS-1 • NxDS-1 • DS-3 • OC-N 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DS-1 • DS-3 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to 2Mbps • 1Gig Ethernet
Available using flat, use or tiered billing	Available using flat or tiered billing only	Available using flat or tiered billing only	Available using flat or tiered billing only

Other products available from CenturyLink

In addition to Private Port, CenturyLink offers an array of products to meet your telecommunication needs including:

- Internet Port
- Enhanced Port
- Data CPE solutions
- VoIP and SIP Trunking

Why buy from CenturyLink?

- **We'll help you design, build and run your network** on our VoIP, long-distance, nationwide network
- **You'll receive a reliable network that is well managed**; it's one of the largest, most sophisticated networks in the world
- **Your technology needs are met** with reliable, robust and fully-managed service solutions

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* Not available when using Ethernet access.

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