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Introduction

Overview

What Is the CTNG?

The CTNG is a software module that allows a computer to interact with a PABX using an interface based on CSTA. The software module is not a complete application that can be used directly, but is rather a means for writing customized applications. The CTNG consists of routines for managing CSTA objects, and performing services based on the CSTA Phase I standard.

What Is CSTA?

CSTA stands for Computer-Supported Telecommunications Applications and is a standard for interconnecting general purpose computers with telephony exchanges. The purpose of CSTA is to enhance the functionality of both the computers and the telephony exchange. This is achieved by allowing them to use the services provided by the other part, without significantly changing or redesigning any of them.

CSTA defines the interact mechanisms between computers and telephony exchanges independently of their physical implementation. This makes it possible for any computer to connect and interact with any exchange, providing that both support CSTA.

About This Document

This document is a guide for how to use the CTNG in order to write an application on a computer that uses the CSTA services provided by a switch. The first chapters deal with general information, while the last chapters are intended for programmers and deal with programming details.

What You Need To Know?

In order to use the CTNG you need to have experience with Microsoft Component Object Model (COM), and a programming language that support COM.

Other Recommended Reading

AL40PG	Ericsson MD110 Application Link Version 4.0 (AL40) Application Programmer's Guide, Doc-Id: EN/LZT 102 2273 R5A
ECMA-179	Services for Computer Supported Telecommunication Applications (CSTA) Phase I
ECMA-180	Protocol for Computer Supported Telecommunication Applications (CSTA) Phase I
CTNG10RM	IPTC AB, CTNG v1.0 Reference Manual

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Full sample sources could be found in CTNG library distribution directory.

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Visual Basic Sample

Notes on the given sample:

- ?? CTNLib.Device should be declared WithEvents qualifier, and later on object allocated with New.
- ?? The full initialization sequence that should be performed only once is given in Initialize ()
- ?? Functions verbSysStat, verbConnInfo and verbCause are utility functions used to transform enumerated values CTNGLib.SystemStatusType, CTNGLib.LocalConnectionStateType and CTNGLib.EventCauseType to their verbose String values.

```
Option Explicit
Public csta As New CTNGLib.System
Public pabx As New CTNGLib.pabx
Public WithEvents dev As CTNGLib.device
Private Sub Initialize
    csta.AddPABX "md110", "csta.md110.com", 2555
    pabx.Open "md110"
    Set dev = New CTNGLib.Device
    dev.Open pabx, "805"
End Sub
Private Function verbConnInfo(ByVal info As
CTNGLib.LocalConnectionStateType) _ As String
    Select Case info
    Case lcs_alerting
        verbConnInfo = "Alerting"
    Case lcs_connected
        verbConnInfo = "Connected"
    Case lcs_fail
        verbConnInfo = "Fail"
    Case lcs_hold
        verbConnInfo = "Hold"
    Case lcs_initiated
        verbConnInfo = "Initiated"
    Case lcs_null
        verbConnInfo = "Null"
    Case lcs_queued
        verbConnInfo = "Queued"
    Case lcs_unknown
        verbConnInfo = "Unknown"
    Case Else
        verbConnInfo = "???"
    End Select
End Function
Private Function verbCause(ByVal cause As CTNGLib.EventCauseType) As
    Select Case cause
    Case ec_activeMonitor
        verbCause = "Active Monitor"
    Case ec_alternate
        verbCause = "Alternate"
    Case ec busy
        verbCause = "Busy"
    Case ec callBack
        verbCause = "Call Back"
    Case ec_callCancelled
        verbCause = "Cancelled"
    Case ec_callForward
```

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verbCause = "Call Forward" Case ec_callForwardAlways verbCause = "Call Forward Always" Case ec_callForwardBusy verbCause = "Call Forward Busy" Case ec callForwardNoAnswer verbCause = "Call Forward No Answer" Case ec callNotAnswered verbCause = "Call Not Answered" Case ec callPickup verbCause = "Call Pickup" Case ec_campOn verbCause = "Camp On" Case ec destNotObtainable verbCause = "Destination Not Obtainable" Case ec_doNotDisturb verbCause = "Do Not Disturb" Case ec_incompatibleDestination verbCause = "Incompatible Destination" Case ec_invalidAccountCode verbCause = "Invalid Account Code" Case ec_keyConference verbCause = "Key Conference" Case ec_lockout verbCause = "Lockout" Case ec_maintenance verbCause = "Maintenance" Case ec_networkCongestion verbCause = "Network Congestion" Case ec_networkNotObtainable verbCause = "Network Not Obtainable" Case ec_newCall verbCause = "New Call" Case ec noAvailableAgents verbCause = "No Available Agents" Case ec overflow verbCause = "Overflow" Case ec_override verbCause = "Override" Case ec_park verbCause = "Park" Case ec_recall verbCause = "Recall" Case ec_redirected verbCause = "Redirected" Case ec_reorderTone verbCause = "Reorder Tone" Case ec_resourcesNotAvailable verbCause = "Resources Not Available" Case ec_silentParticipation verbCause = "Silent Participation" Case ec_transfer verbCause = "Transfer" Case ec_trunksBusy verbCause = "Trunks Busy" Case ec_unknown verbCause = "Unknown" Case ec_voiceUnitInitiator verbCause = "Voice Unit Initiator" Case Else verbCause = "???" End Select

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End Function

```
Private Sub dev_OnDelivered( _
   ByVal connection As String, _
   ByVal alertingDevice As String, _
   ByVal callingDevice As String, _
   ByVal calledDevice As String,
   ByVal lastRedirectionDevice As String,
   ByVal localConnectionInfo As CTNGLib.LocalConnectionStateType, _
   ByVal cause As CTNGLib.EventCauseType _
   Report = Time$ + " DELIVERED Event" + vbCrLf _
   + " connection: " + connection + vbCrLf _
   + " alerting device: " + alertingDevice + vbCrLf _
   + " calling device: " + callingDevice + vbCrLf _
   + " called device: " + calledDevice + vbCrLf _
   + " last redirection device: " + lastRedirectionDevice + vbCrLf
   + " local connection info: " + verbConnInfo(localConnectionInfo) +
vbCrLf _
   + " cause: " + verbCause(cause) + vbCrLf
End Sub
```

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HTML Sample

Notes on the given sample:

- ?? CTNLib.Device should be defined with <OBJECT></OBJECT> HTML statement so HTML page could receive events.
- ?? The full initialization sequence that should be performed only once is given in Initialize() subroutine.
- ?? Functions verbSysStat, verbConnInfo and verbCause are utility functions used to transform enumerated values CTNGLib.SystemStatusType, CTNGLib.LocalConnectionStateType and CTNGLib.EventCauseType to their verbose String values.

```
<SCRIPT LANGUAGE=vbscript>
    Dim csta ' CTNG. System object
    Dim pabx ' CTNG.PABX object
    Dim cnid ' CTNG connection id
    pabxid = "md110" ' our name of the exchange
    ipaddr = "csta.server.com" ' address of AL40
    devid = "805" ' change this to actual DN
Private Sub Initialize ()
    Set csta = CreateObject( "CTNG.System" )
    'csta.OpenConsole
    csta.AddPABX pabxid, ipaddr, 2555
    csta.Dump
    Set pabx = CreateObject( "CTNG.PABX" )
    pabx.Open pabxid
    devc.Open pabx, devid
End Sub
Private Function verbConnInfo( info )
    Select Case info
    Case -1
        verbConnInfo = "Unknown"
    Case 0
        verbConnInfo = "Null"
    Case 1
        verbConnInfo = "Initiated"
    Case 2
        verbConnInfo = "Alerting"
    Case 3
        verbConnInfo = "Connected"
    Case 4
        verbConnInfo = "Hold"
    Case 5
       verbConnInfo = "Oueued"
    Case 6
       verbConnInfo = "Fail"
    Case Else
        verbConnInfo = "???"
    End Select
End Function
Private Function verbCause( cause )
    Select Case cause
    Case -1
```

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verbCause = "Unknown"

Case 1

verbCause = "Active Monitor"

Case 2

verbCause = "Alternate"

Case 3

verbCause = "Busy"

Case 4

verbCause = "Call Back"

Case 5

verbCause = "Cancelled"

Case 9

verbCause = "Call Forward"

Case 6

verbCause = "Call Forward Always"

Case 7

verbCause = "Call Forward Busy"

Case 8

verbCause = "Call Forward No Answer"

Case 10

verbCause = "Call Not Answered"

Case 11

verbCause = "Call Pickup"

Case 12

verbCause = "Camp On"

Case 13

verbCause = "Destination Not Obtainable"

verbCause = "Do Not Disturb"

verbCause = "Incompatible Destination"

verbCause = "Invalid Account Code"

verbCause = "Key Conference"

Case 18

verbCause = "Lockout"

Case 19

verbCause = "Maintenance"

Case 20

verbCause = "Network Congestion"

Case 21

verbCause = "Network Not Obtainable"

Case 22

verbCause = "New Call"

Case 23

verbCause = "No Available Agents"

Case 26

verbCause = "Overflow"

Case 24

verbCause = "Override"

Case 25

verbCause = "Park"

Case 27

verbCause = "Recall"

Case 28

verbCause = "Redirected"

Case 29

verbCause = "Reorder Tone"

Case 30

verbCause = "Resources Not Available"

Case 31

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```
verbCause = "Silent Participation"
   Case 32
       verbCause = "Transfer"
    Case 33
       verbCause = "Trunks Busy"
    Case 34
       verbCause = "Voice Unit Initiator"
    Case Else
       verbCause = "???"
    End Select
End Function
Private Sub devc_OnDelivered(connection, alertingDevice, callingDevice,
calledDevice, lastRedirectionDevice, localConnectionInfo, cause)
   Report.innerHTML = "DELIVERED Event.....: <b>" + connection +
"</b>, " _
       + alertingDevice + ", <b>" + callingDevice + "</b>, " _
        + calledDevice + ", " + lastRedirectionDevice _
       + ", " + verbConnInfo( localConnectionInfo ) _
        + ", " + verbCause( cause ) _
        + "<br>" + vbCrLf + Report.innerHTML
End Sub
//-->
</SCRIPT>
<!-- if we want that browser receives events, the object must be
embedded -->
<OBJECT id=devc classid="clsid:2BE420EA-C378-40F8-BF73-B19CFF854186" />
```