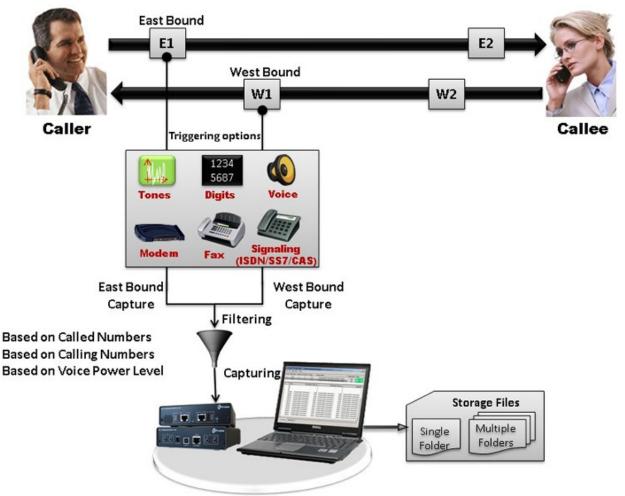
# T1 (E1) Multiple Call Capture and Analysis



### **Overview**

**Multi CCA** is used to monitor hundreds of calls, capture the bidirectional data, signaling and traffic, simultaneously from multiple T1/ E1 lines, based on the user-defined trigger configurations. Once the capture trigger type is selected, users can control and run multiple capture instances on different T1/E1 ports from a single GUI.

Results from Multi CCA include -

- Voice capture for both directions
- Complete signaling information for each direction for CAS, ISDN, MFC-R2, and SS7
- All alarms and errors occurring during the call including BPV, Frame Errors, CRC errors, LOS, and more

Subsequently, captured calls can be played back and analyzed in time and spectral modes using a commercial sound card, built-in high fidelity speakers, and audio viewing software (Adobe Audition, or Goldwave).

For more information, please visit <u>T1/E1 Multi Call Capture and Analysis</u> webpage.

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### **Main Features**

- Run multiple capture instances on different T1/E1 ports from a single GUI
- Ability to capture calls using different Triggering modes ;both signaling (CAS -R1, wink start, MFC-R2), message based (ISDN, SS7) and traffic (voice, fax, modem, tones, digits) activated triggers supported
- Each capture instance is identified by a unique probe name, and can have different trigger options, such as the timeslot selection, output directory, record time, and so on
- Capability of capturing on both directions simultaneously or from a single direction, East or West side
- Supports capturing of various types of traffic including signaling bits, voice-band data, and signaling protocol data (e.g. DTMF of MF digits)
- Different encoding formats supported (u-law, A-law, PCM)
- Provides an option of stamping the captured files sequentially or with date/time
- "Call filtering" feature is used to capture calls with a user-defined called or calling numbers rather than all calls in case of ISDN and SS7 calls

### **Applications of Multi CCA**

- Call recording for post analysis
- Analysis of single/dual tones, DTMF and MF digit purity (frequency, power, duration)
- Analysis of call quality (speech levels, noise levels, echo return loss, speech clipping, impulse noise, and other impairments)
- Call activity analysis
- Signaling protocol analysis (off/on durations, wink durations, etc.)
- Monitoring and recording ISDN calls at various network elements such as ISDN bridges, routers etc.

CC No	Capture Name	e West(Port) East(Port) Timeslots			Storage	Location	Trigger Option	Action	
1	CCA1	1	2	0-10	Cá	Program Files\GL Communications Inc\tPr	obe T1 Analyzer	Edit	Abort
2	CCA2	1	2	11-21		Program Files\GL Communications Inc\tPr		Edit	Abort
TS	TS Status		We	st Filename	Bytes Cap	East Filename	Bytes Cap		Signaling Fi
0	Capturing	C:\Program Fil	es\GL Commu	nications	1023408	C:\Program Files\GL Communications	1023408	C:\Program Files\GL O	ommunications.
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11	Idle			-	0	-	0		-
12	Idle			-	0	-	0		-
13	Idle			-	0	-	0		-
14	Idle			-	0	-	0		-
15	Idle			-	0		0		-

#### **Figure: Call Capture Analysis**



### **Operating Modes**

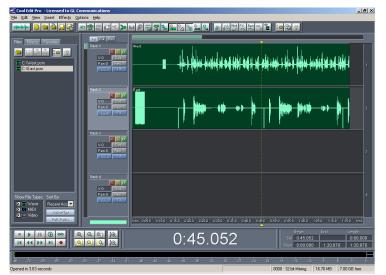
Different ways to trigger Capture are – Manual, Signaling, Tone, Signaling + Tone, ISDN Signaling, SS7 Signaling and Traffic such as fax, modem, voice, and any type of signal with specified power level.



**Figure: Triggering Modes** 

### **Oscilloscope (Time) and Spectral (Frequency) Views**

There are several methods for viewing captured files supported by various third-party visualization programs such as **Adobe Audition** and **Goldwave** programs. Adobe Audition and Goldwave are used with a variety of file formats including PCM, wav, and others. Adobe Audition and Goldwave can be used to visualize both East and West files. Any of these graphical software programs should be installed in order to directly invoke application.



**Figure: Adobe Audition Software** 

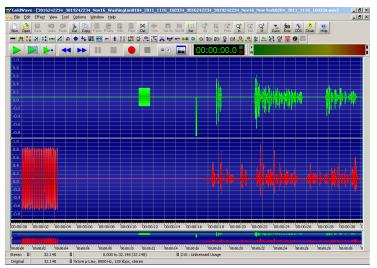


Figure: Gold Wave Software

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#### **SS7 Call Capture**

The Multi CCA allows to detect and capture SS7 calls by defining DPC, OPC, and CIC groups. When an SS7 call is detected, an Origination Point Code (OPC), a Destination Point Code (DPC), and a CIC # is retrieved. If the comparison holds good capture task is performed, otherwise the call is discarded.

Configure CCA		×
Card Selection SS7 Configur	ation Call Storage	
64 kbps     65 kbps     Protocol Selection	7 Call Filtering No Call Filtering Call Filtering Originating Number Destination Number	Signaling Selection Primary Secondary Card Card Uplink Card 1 V Downlink Card 2 V Timeslot 23 V
CIC Group Configuration CIC Start 100 CIC Quantity 8 Device Selection Card 1+ Timeslot Start 11 OPC 1 1	2 V V 1 Add CIC	Destination Point Code
T1/E1 #         Start CIC         #           1+2         1         10           1+2         100         8	of Cha Start Time	eslot
		Apply OK Cancel

**Figure: SS7 Options** 

## **ISDN Call Capture Option with NFAS**

The Multi CCA gets triggered when any ISDN calls are placed. Capture occurs after the ISDN message, "SETUP", is detected. Call filtering option is available, which allows application to capture calls only on the called/calling number defined by the user. Multi CCA also supports NFAS.

Configure CCA		×
Card Selection ISDN Co	nfiguration Call Storage	
Card Selection ISDN Co Data Rate © 64 kbps © 56 kbps Call Filtering Option © No Filtering © Filter Calls © Called Number © Calling Number	Implicit Interface	
	Apply OK Cancel	

**Figure: ISDN Options** 

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## **Traffic Triggered Call Capture**

Multi CCA also includes a feature to trigger capturing of calls based on various types of traffic such as fax, modem, voice, standard tones, digits, and so on. They are V.22 bis forward channel, V.22 bis reverse channel, V.34 and V.90 uplink, V.29, V.32/V.17 > 2400 bps, V.27 ter @ 4800 bps, V.27 ter @ 2400 bps, Voice, binary V.90 downlink, FSK, DTMF digits, Dial tone, Ringback, and Busy tone. Detecting the above types of traffic requires use of the traffic classifier.

2048 byte (256 ms) block of data is sent to the traffic classifier. The traffic classifier determines if the data is one of the accepted types of traffic. If the condition is met, then capture of the traffic data commences.

Configure CCA					
Card Selection Traffic Configuration Call Storage					
Start Traffic Triggers V.22 bis forward channel V.22 bis reverse channel V.24 & V.90 Uplink V.29 V.32 / V.17 > 2400bps V.27 ter @ 4800bps V.27 ter @ 2400 bps V.27 ter @ 2400 bps V.27 ter @ 2400 bps Sinary V.90 downlink Einary V.90 downlink	Stop Traffic Triggers Silence Parameters , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				
DTMF digits Dial tone Ringback Busy tone Any Traffic dBm	Traffic Algorithm C Linear C Quadratic G Hybrid (Recommended) C Hybrid Filtered				
	Apply OK Cancel				

**Figure: Traffic Options** 

### **Tone Triggered Call Capture**

User can define the single and/or dual tones need to be detected by the application. Various other options such as Power Threshold, Inter-burst Length Threshold and S/N ratio can be specified for the defined tones.

onfigure CCA						
Card Selection Tone Configuration Call Storage						
User Defined						
Label			Tones			
a	1004	0	Insert			
			Remove			
			lear			
			File			
			Load Defs			
(Set "Hi Freq")	to 0 for Mono	o Tones)	Save Defs			
Detection Parameters Tone Wait(sec)						
Inter-burst Leng Threshold	····· / -		Static			
Minimum S/N Rat	io 10	(dB)				
	Restor	e Defaults				
			Apply OK Cancel			

**Figure: Tone Parameters Option** 

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### **Call Storage**

Multi CCA supports creation of subfolders automatically based on the system time and date and user-specified time-period.

File Creation provides options for stamping captured files sequentially or with the date/time, user-defined direction labels, probe name etc.

Multi CCA supports creation of subfolders automatically based on the system time and date and user-specified time-period using the Call Storage feature. 'Save Folder' option places all the files captured in a desired directory with the file extension (pcm, a-law,  $\mu$ -law, and others) as specified by the user.

Ex: With '3' as Create New Subfolder Every value, and 'Voicecapture' as Subfolder Name Prefix value, it will create folders every 3 Hours with the system date and time automatically appended to the folder name, for example- Voicecapture0122091808.

Configure CCA					
Card Selection ISDN Configuration Call Storage					
Capture File Management					
Save Folder C:\Program Files\GL Communications Inc\USB T1 A Subfolders Use Subfolders Subfolder Name Voicecapture Create New SubFolder Every 1 THour(s) File Creation © Date/Time stamp © Sequential Use Default Direction	Default Extension				
E1 File Naming Convention Call Summary Records Select Output Format Csv Facility Alarms Supervisory Signals					
Apply	OK Cancel				

Figure: Call Storage Options

#### Multi CCA with other GL applications

#### GLInsight™

The captured files can be analyzed using GLInsight<sup>™</sup> Modem and Fax Analysis Software for 2-wire Analog interface.

#### **Call Data Records**

Call Data Records is an optional application that produces call summary and call detail reports based on the input event log files (\*\_csr.csv, \*\_fac.csv, \*\_sbf.csv) of Multi CCA.

#### Voice Band Analyzer

VBA operates in near-real-time, processing the signal files recorded by Multi CCA. It is an analysis tool that monitors voice band network traffic for monitoring speech and noise levels, and line echo.



# **Buyer's Guide**

Item No	Product Description
<u>XX030</u>	Multi Call Capture Analysis Software and its accessories
<u>XX031</u>	Multi CCA with Traffic Activated Triggering
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Item No	Related Software
<u>CDR032</u>	Call Data Records (CDR) Software
<u>SA026</u>	Adobe Audition Software
<u>SA048</u>	Goldwave Software
<u>VBA032</u>	Near Real-time Voice-band Analyzer
<u>VQT035</u>	2-wire Voice Recorder
<u>XX680</u>	T1/E1 Traffic Classifier
<u>FXT001</u> / <u>FXT002</u>	GLInsight™ Single Fax Analysis – TDM/IP
MDT001/ MDT002	GLInsight™ Single Modem Analysis-TDM/IP
Item No	Related Hardware

Item No	Related Hardware
<u>PTE001</u>	tProbe™ Dual T1 E1 Laptop Analyzer
<u>TTE001</u>	tScan16 <sup>™</sup> T1 E1 Boards
<u>XTE001</u>	Dual Express (PCIe) T1 E1 Boards
FTE001	QuadXpress T1 E1 Main Board (Quad Port)
ETE001	OctalXpress T1 E1 Daughter boards (Octal Port)

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