# **About Extensions**

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## Overview

The extension is a number associated to a phone device. It is defined by a number, a caller ID, a set of preferences and properties.

## **Extension number**

A three digit number, e.g. 001\*003, where 001 is the Organization ID and 003 is the the local extension number.

#### **Caller ID**

The public phone number assigned to the extension.

#### **Preferences**

One can either use the templates available in the system or can customize it to suit their own needs.

#### **Properties**

The properties of the extension take into consideration the extension type. They can have a specific set of incoming rules or a particular charging plan. They can have **Conference** or **CallNow** features activated.

# Extension types

VoipNow supports several types of extensions that you find listed below, among which Phone Terminal is the most frequently used.

- Phone Terminal
- Queue
- IVR
- Voicemail Center
- Conference
- Callback
- Calling Card
- Intercom/Paging
- Queue Login Center

Each extension type comes with its own set of specific features: from Voicemail to Call Recording, Extension Virtualization to SIP Presence, etc.

## Related topics

Phone terminal extension features