

How to adjust timings for Calling Card extensions

Applies to VoipNow 3 and higher!

In order to adjust timings for Calling Card extensions you need to set three global variables in the dialplan. This article explains how to do that.

Step-by-step guide

STEP 1: Connect to your VoipNow server as `root` using a SSH client (e.g. Putty).

STEP 2: Open the `/etc/asterisk/extensions.conf` file in an editor and add the statements below at the beginning of the file, in the `[globals]` section:

- `CACCCNUMBERTIMEOUT=<CACCCNUMBERTIMEOUT_value>` | Set the number of seconds the extension will wait after the final digit when typing a calling card number. The default value is 6.
- `CACPASSTIMEOUT=<CACPASSTIMEOUT_value>` | Set the number of seconds the extension will wait after the final digit when typing a password. The default value is 6.
- `CACNUMBERTIMEOUT=<CACNUMBERTIMEOUT_value>` | Set the number of seconds the extension will wait after the final digit when typing a number. The default value is 6.
- `CACDIGITFIRSTTIMEOUT=<CACDIGITFIRSTTIMEOUT_value>` | Set the number of seconds the extension will wait before entering the first digit. The default value is 6.

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