

# Partner Brief:

## Aastra

### Metaswitch Accredited

Metaswitch leverages extensive experience in deploying multi-vendor networks to maintain one of the most comprehensive interoperability programs in the industry. Literally hundreds of devices from dozens of technology companies have been successfully tested with the Metaswitch Class 4/5 softswitch and MetaSphere application suite.

Our partner interoperability program is designed to remove deployment hurdles and customer uncertainty. When a partner product is Metaswitch accredited, customers can deploy it with confidence knowing that extensive testing has already been completed and that their networks will not become a lab experiment.

This depth of interoperability can only be achieved with partners, like Aastra, that are as committed as Metaswitch to successful implementation.

### Beyond Interoperability—Delivering Advanced Integration

Leveraging a strong partnership, Aastra and Metaswitch have worked together to enhance the user experience as well as deployability and administration of the solution, delivering features such as:

- Busy Lamp Field (BLF)
- One key call park
- One key transfer using a speed dial or a BLF key
- Group paging using local resources
- And many more.

On the management side, Aastra's wide range of SIP phones is now fully supported by the Metaswitch Provisioning Solution, simplifying deployment and configuration.

Aastra is a North American business unit of Aastra Technologies Limited ("Aastra"), a rapidly growing global company at the forefront of the Enterprise Communication market.



Aastra develops and delivers innovative and integrated solutions that address the communication needs of businesses small and large around the world. Aastra enables enterprises to communicate and collaborate more efficiently and effectively by offering customers a full range of open standard IP-based and traditional communications networking products, including terminals, systems, and applications.

Aastra works with partners to deliver products that simplify the provisioning process and ensure full interoperability. Our self discovery feature that automatically initiates when deploying Aastra SIP telephones with Metaswitch is only one example of how we deliver a tightly integrated solution for end users.

### SIP Telephones from Aastra

Aastra's SIP endpoints feature large screens supporting advanced productivity enhancing XML applications, elegant global styling, and for some models, optional add-on modules for console and reception purposes and integrated cordless handsets.

All Aastra SIP phones offer:

- Embedded XML browser
- Advanced features, integrated interoperability
- Full duplex speakerphone
- Aastra Hi-Q™ Audio technology
- Multiple line / call appearance lights
- Simplified deployment
- Intuitive, user friendly screen menus and interfaces.

## Enhanced Business Services

In order for carriers to compete for business subscribers, they must supply advanced, feature-rich integrated communications solutions. Metaswitch and Aastra provide critical pieces of this solution.

Business users need more advanced calling features in order to compete. Many small business customers simply do not have the in-house resources to tend to their

telecommunications needs and cannot extend significant capital to a new phone system.

The Metaswitch softswitch solution allows carriers to deliver hosted IP PBX features and enhanced applications delivered to high-quality Aastra SIP Telephones. These applications include Auto Attendant, Music on Hold, Outlook integration, Click-to-Dial, and Unified Messaging.

## Aastra SIP Phones for Metaswitch

Aastra has one of the widest selections of SIP handsets in the industry. Style, mobility options, and the inclusion of expansion modules all add up to choice, flexibility and

expandability in a full range of carrier / enterprise grade quality SIP telephones.



### 9480i

Part of Aastra's 9xi Series, the 9480i offers an advanced featured set supporting up to 9 lines, 5 line / 21 character display, 20 programmable keys.



### 6757i CT

From Aastra's 67xi Series, the 6757i CT has a 144 x 128 backlit LCD display and integrated cordless base providing SIP mobility. Compatible with up to three M670i or M675i expansion modules.



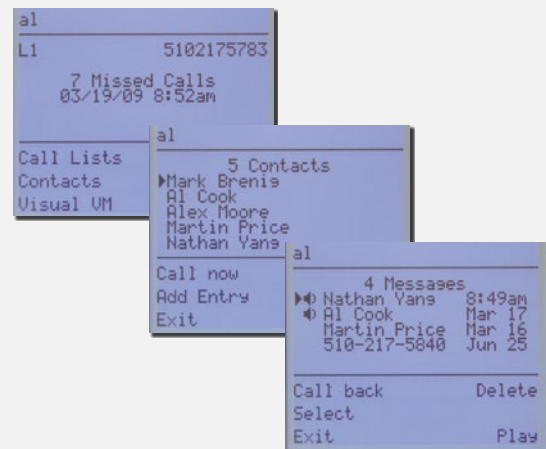
### Aastra SIP-DECT™

Employing superior DECT technology in the 1.9GHz spectrum, Aastra's SIP-DECT offers interference-free performance, security and reliability in a cordless SIP Telephone system.

## CommPortal Phone Applications Working with Aastra IP Phones

Aastra XML-enabled SIP phones connect business processes and people to critical information by providing display-based access to services and applications. Users can easily acquire information and perform tasks from their Aastra SIP Phone with these Metaswitch Accredited Features:

- Message List—shows users their voicemails in an on-screen list and allows them to listen-to and manage messages
- Network Contacts—enables users to use and update their CommPortal contact list directly from their phone handset
- Network Call Lists—displays missed, dialed, received and rejected calls, allowing return calls with a single key press
- Hot Desking—allows users to log on and off from individual phone handsets, by entering their phone number and password.



## For More Information

For more information on Metaswitch's award-winning IMS-based switching and application solutions, visit [www.metaswitch.com](http://www.metaswitch.com). Additional information on

Aastra's products and solutions can be found at [www.aastrausa.com](http://www.aastrausa.com).



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