International Pricing Model

The international pricing model calculated overall annual costs for a Canadian freight forwarder's EDI usage with foreign trading partners, for the initial three years of operation. The following volume assumptions were used:

1st year	Send 100 Documents per month
2nd year	Send 600 Documents per month
3rd year	Send 1200 Documents per month

The average monthly costs per year ranged as follows:

1st year	\$80.00	\$565.00 with an average of \$196.00
2nd year	\$280.00	\$1329.00 with an average of \$643.00
3rd year	\$748.00	\$1894.00 with an average of \$1568.00

With this model, AT&T, and Sterling Ordernet's prices were at the low end of the range. In the middle range were GEIS, IBM and TDNI. Kleinschmidt was at the upper end of the range.

FIGURE 5 DOMESTIC PRICING MODEL

FIGURE 6 INTERNATIONAL PRICING MODEL



