

International Link
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Around the beginning of the year you said you were arranging for a free international Link. What about it? I have, for instance, a local access number for CompuServe with a very low international link rate, independent of the time of day.

From the Nautilus Team:

We've been hearing from many of our international subscribers that we need to provide a much more reliable data network, with local access, for communicating with us. While the new Link feature will not be toll-free, it will allow you local telephone access, which means you won't have to pay long distance charges from your residence or business to Ohio; you'll pay only to reach the nearest access point. And if that nearest point is not exactly local, you certainly gain in data transfer reliability: Data traveling 40 miles is less likely to be interrupted by line noise than a call made over thousands of miles, for example, from Hawaii or California, or even Israel, to Ohio. Thus the new system should alleviate Link failures you may have experienced.

The new Link will be made available shortly. Watch for details over the next few months.