

# Differences Between IM-ATM Model A and Model B Capabilities

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## Introduction

This document discusses the differences between IM-ATM Model A and Model B capabilities.

## Prerequisites

### Requirements

There are no specific requirements for this document.

### Components Used

This document is not restricted to specific software and hardware versions.

### Conventions

For more information on document conventions, refer to the [Cisco Technical Tips Conventions](#).

## Capability Comparison

Feature/Property	IM-ATM	IM-ATM	IM-ATM	IM-ATM
	model A - T1	model A - E1	model B - T1	model B - E1
Faceplate Name	IMATM-8T1	IMATM-8E1	IMATM-8T1/B	IMATM-8E1/B

<b>Distribution Bus Capability</b>	no	—	yes	—
<b>Maximum Tolerable Diff. Delay</b>	50 ms	50 ms	275 ms	200 ms
<b>Forum Compliance Capability</b>	no	no	yes	yes
<b>Support for Rel 3.X FW</b>	yes	yes	no	no
<b>Support for Rel 4.X FW</b>	yes	yes	yes	yes
<b>Compatible Back Cards with Rel 3.X FW</b>	RJ48-T3T1	RJ48-E3E1 SMB-E3E1	—	—
<b>Compatible Back Cards with Rel 4.X FW</b>	RJ48-T3T1 RJ48-E3T1*	RJ48-E3E1 SMB-E3E1 RJ48-T3E1 SMB-T3E1*	RJ48-T3T1 RJ48-E3T1	RJ48-E3E1 SMB-E3E1 RJ48-T3E1 SMB-T3E1*

**Note:** \* These cross-combinations are not tested as of 10/01/1997.

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