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# Introduction

The aim of the Decentralized Congestion Control (DCC) is to adapt the transmit parameters of the ITS station operating the ITS-G5 technology to the radio channel conditions, in order to maximize the probability of a successful reception at intended receivers.

The DCC aims to provide channel resources among neighbouring ITS-S according to their needs. The Facilities Layer DCC Entity determines priorities between different messages and informs DCC\_CROSS about the available resources to control the channel load generated by each application.

In case of a road traffic emergency the ITS-S may still transmit a burst of messages during a short period of time to maintain a safe road traffic environment, even during a high network utilization period, where every ITS-S has very few resources (e.g. CAM period at 1 Hz or 2 Hz). However, this exception occurs rarely and the messages transmitted for this purpose are only those of uttermost importance.

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# 1 Scope

The present document specifies the Facilities Layer DCC Entity of the DCC mechanism for ITS-S using the ITS-G5 technology, taking into account the available channel resources of the ITS-S from the cross-layer DCC entity and the message generation requirements from applications and services. The functional behaviour and the interfaces of the Facilities Layer DCC Entity to the DCC\_CROSS component are specified as well. The present document does not address Multi-Channel Operation.

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- [1] ETSI TS 102 636-4-2: "Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS); Vehicular Communications; GeoNetworking; Part 4: Geographical addressing and forwarding for point-to-point and point-to-multipoint communications; Sub-part 2: Media-dependent functionalities for ITS-G5".
- [2] ETSI TS 103 175: "Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS); Cross Layer DCC Management Entity for operation in the ITS G5A and ITS G5B medium".
- [3] ETSI TS 102 723-1: "Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS); OSI cross-layer topics; Part 1: Architecture and addressing schemes".

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- [i.1] ETSI EN 302 665: "Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS); Communications; Architecture".
- [i.2] ETSI TS 102 687: "Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS); Decentralized Congestion Control Mechanisms for Intelligent Transport Systems operating in the 5 GHz range; Access layer part".
- [i.3] ETSI EN 302 663: "Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS); ITS-G5 Access layer specification for Intelligent Transport Systems operating in the 5 GHz frequency band".
- [i.4] ETSI TR 103 562: "Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS); Vehicular Communications; Basic Set of Applications; Analysis of the Collective Perception Service (CPS); Release 2".

## 3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

### 3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in ETSI EN 302 665 [i.1], ETSI TS 103 175 [2] and the following apply:

**cross-layer DCC:** cooperation mechanisms based on components distributed over several layers of the protocol stack which jointly work together to fulfil the operational requirements of DCC

**decentralized congestion control:** set of mechanisms for ITS-S to maintain network stability, throughput efficiency and fair resource allocation to ITS-S using ITS-G5 access technology

**DCC\_ACC:** DCC component located at the access layer

**DCC\_CROSS:** DCC cross-layer component located in the management plane

**DCC\_CROSS\_Facilities:** function in the DCC\_CROSS entity that provides DCC control parameters to the facilities layer and to the applications

**DCC\_FAC:** DCC component located at the facilities layer

**DCC\_NET:** DCC component located in the networking & transport layer

**ITS application:** component of ITS applications layer

**ITS-G5:** access technology to be used in frequency bands dedicated for European Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS) as defined in ETSI EN 302 663 [i.3]

### 3.2 Symbols

For the purposes of the present document, the following symbols apply:

$ARD_i$	average resource deficit for $TC_i$
$ACR_i$	maximum available channel resources for $TC_i$
$ACR_{ij}$	maximum available channel resources for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$
$CBR_a$	available percentage of channel resources defined in ETSI TS 103 175 [2]
$\overline{CRE}_{ij}$	estimated channel resource for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$
$CR_a$	available percentage of channel resources
$CR_i$	total estimated channel resources from all applications/services in $TC_i$
$GCR_i$	gross channel resource for $TC_i$
$L_{ij}$	message length for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$ (in the unit of octets)
$\overline{L}_{ij}$	average message length for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$ (in the unit of octets)
$\overline{L}_{ij}^*$	previously estimated average message length for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$ (in the unit of octets)
$NCR_i$	net channel resource for $TC_i$
$PNR_i$	proportional net channel resource for $TC_i$
$R_{ij}$	data rate for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$
$TC_i$	traffic class with index $i$
$T_{off\ ij}$	inter-message interval for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$ (in the unit of seconds)
$\overline{T}_{off\ ij}$	average inter-message interval for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$ (in the unit of seconds)
$T_{off\ \min\ ij}$	proposed minimum inter-message interval for application/service $j$ and $TC_i$ (in the unit of seconds)

## 3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the following abbreviations apply:

CA	Cooperative Awareness
CAM	Cooperative Awareness Messages
CPM	Collective Perception Message
DCC	Decentralized Congestion Control
DEN	Decentralized Environmental Notification
DENM	Decentralized Environmental Notification Message
ITS	Intelligent Transport Systems
ITS-S	ITS Station
MCM	Maneuver Coordination Message
MCS	Modulation and Coding Scheme
MF-SAP	Management Facilities Service Access Point
OFDM	Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing
TC	Traffic Class

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# 4 Decentralized Congestion Control Architecture

## 4.1 Overview

ETSI EN 302 665 [i.1] provides the ITS reference architecture for an ITS-S and ETSI TS 103 175 [2] provides DCC architecture for ITS-G5 systems as shown in Figure 1. The present document provides details of the DCC\_FAC entity residing in the facilities layer for ITS-G5 systems.

The DCC functionality, including interfaces mapped to the ITS-S architecture, is shown in Figure 1. It is distributed between the following entities:

- DCC\_FAC located in the facilities layer is optional and specified in the present document;
- DCC\_NET located in the networking and transport layer as specified in ETSI TS 102 636-4-2 [1];
- DCC\_ACC located in the access layer as specified in ETSI TS 102 687 [i.2];
- DCC\_CROSS located in the management plane as specified in ETSI TS 103 175 [2].

The components are connected through the DCC interface 1 to interface 4 as shown in Figure 1. These interfaces are compliant with ETSI TS 102 723-1 [3].

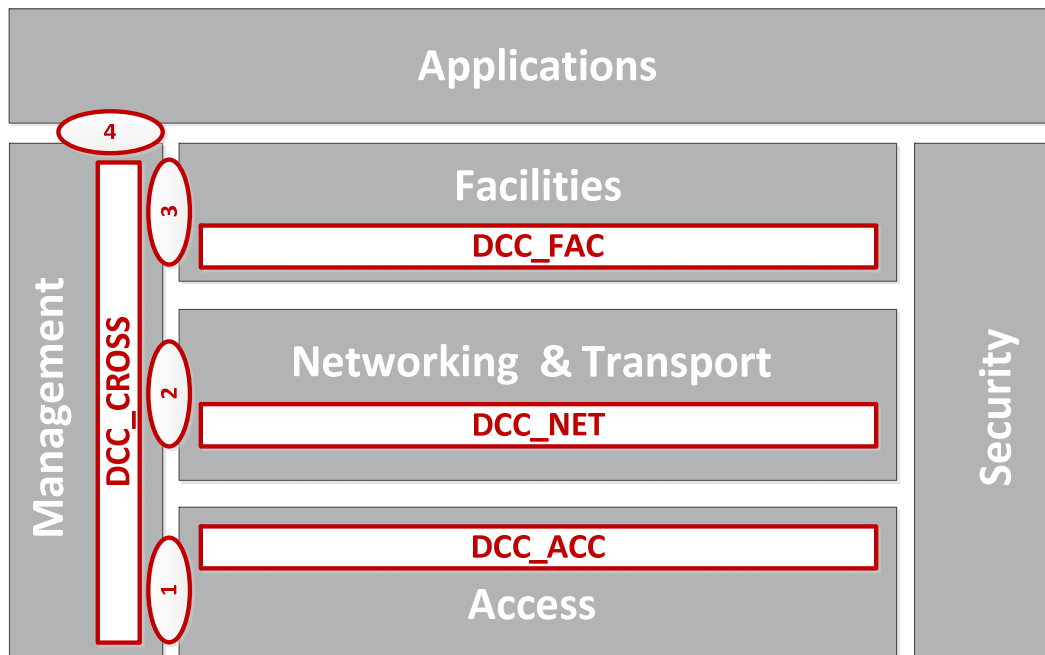


Figure 1: DCC Architecture

## 5 DCC Facilities Entity (DCC\_FAC)

The DCC\_FAC is a facilities layer entity that supports the control of the channel load generated by each application/service via DCC\_CROSS by considering the available channel resources of the ITS-S from the DCC\_CROSS and monitoring the message generation by applications/services. When the DCC\_FAC is supported, the functional requirements of DCC\_FAC are as follows:

- DCC\_FAC shall provide an indication of the upper limit for the channel resource utilization, e.g. minimum of inter-message interval, maximum message size, available data rate according to MCS, etc., for each message generation per application/service.

NOTE 1: Only if the required channel resources are estimated to be higher than the available channel resources, i.e.  $CBR_a$  defined in ETSI TS 103 175 [2], will DCC\_FAC have an influence on generated messages.

- DCC\_FAC shall not cause an ITS-S to underutilize the available channel resources.
- The channel load control for an ITS-S supported by DCC\_FAC should slightly overutilize the available channel resources.
- The channel resource utilization indicated by DCC\_FAC shall take the message priority based on the traffic class as defined in ETSI TS 102 636-4-2 [1] into account.

If the DCC\_FAC entity is supported, the DCC\_CROSS shall implement the DCC\_CROSS\_Facilities function as described in ETSI TS 103 175 [2] (see Figure 2).

NOTE 2: Generated messages cannot be dropped by DCC\_FAC by design.



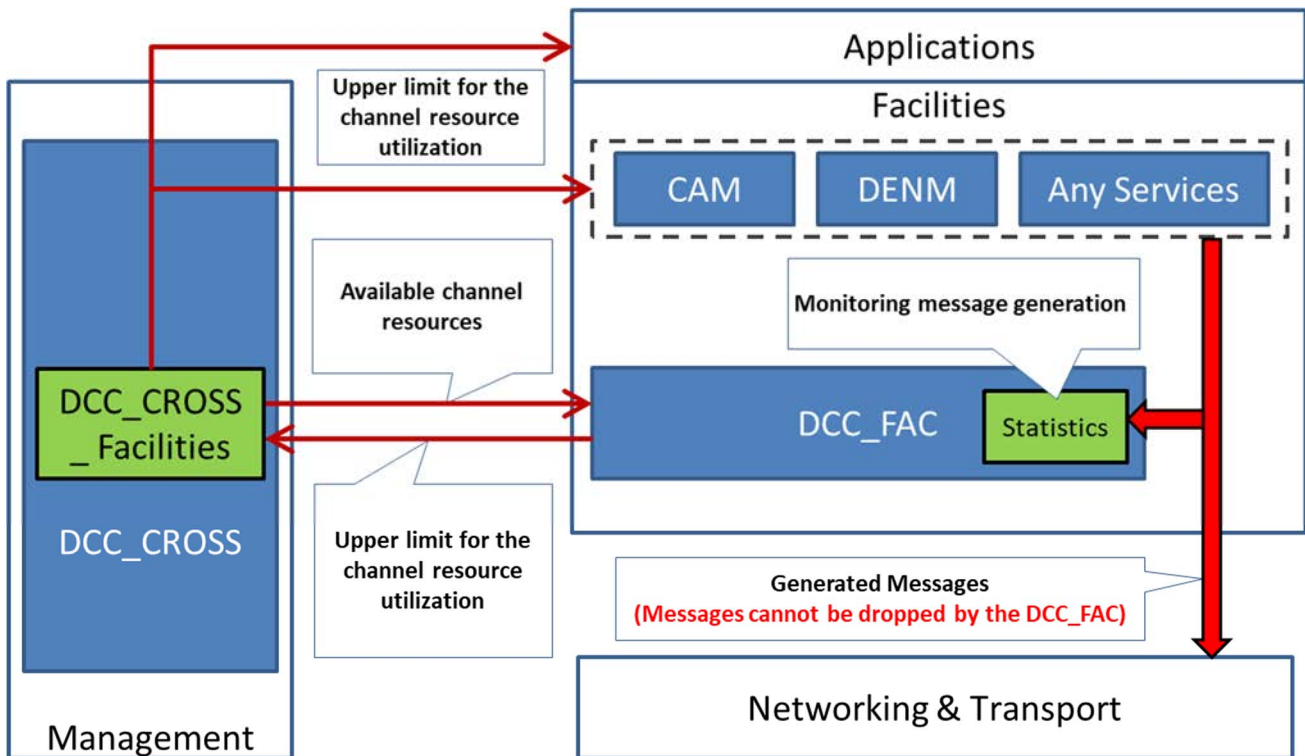


Figure 2: DCC\_FAC entity in the Facilities Layer

The detailed mechanism of DCC\_FAC entity is implementation specific. Possible mechanisms are described in Annex A and Annex B.

## 6 Interfaces for DCC\_FAC

### 6.1 Overview

The DCC\_FAC entity shall support the interfaces illustrated in Figure 2. The primitive transferred over these interfaces shall be compliant with ETSI TS 102 723-1 [3].

### 6.2 Interface with DCC\_CROSS (MF-SAP)

#### 6.2.1 MF-GET.request

##### 6.2.1.1 Function

This primitive allows retrieving of a parameter in the management entity, as described in clause 5, and Annex A and Annex B.

##### 6.2.1.2 Semantics

The parameters of the management service primitive MF-GET.request shall be as follows:

```
MF-GET.request (
    FAC-ID,
    CommandRef,
    Sequence of M-Param
)
```

**Table 1: Parameters of the service primitive MF-GET.request**

Name	ASN.1 type	Valid range	Description
MN-ID	INTEGER	Integer number	Unique identifier of the Management Interface
CommandRef	INTEGER	Integer number	Unique cyclic reference number of request
	INTEGER	0 to 255	Number of subsequent M-Param elements
M-Param.No	CHOICE	0 to 255	See Table 5
M-Param.Value		Depends on M-Param.No	

## 6.2.2 MF-GET.confirm

### 6.2.2.1 Function

This primitive reports the result of a previous MF-GET.request.

### 6.2.2.2 Semantics

The parameters of the management service primitive MF-GET.confirm shall be as follows:

```
MF-GET.confirm (
    FAC-ID,
    CommandRef,
    Sequence of Errors OPTIONAL
)
```

**Table 2: Parameters of the service primitive MF-GET.confirm**

Name	ASN.1 type	Valid range	Description
MN-ID	INTEGER	Integer number	Unique identifier of the Management Interface
CommandRef	INTEGER	0 to 255	Unique cyclic reference number of request
	INTEGER	0 to 255	Number of subsequent Errors elements
Errors. M-paramNo	INTEGER	See Table 5	See Table 5
Errors.ErrStatus	ENUMERATED	Specified in ETSI TS 102 723-1 [3].	Indicates error status of request.

## 6.2.3 MF-SET.request

### 6.2.3.1 Function

This primitive allows setting of a parameter in the management entity, as described in clause 5, and Annex A and Annex B.

### 6.2.3.2 Semantics

The parameters of the management service primitive MF-SET.request shall be as follows:

```
MI-SET.request (
    MAC-ID,
    CommandRef,
    Sequence of M-Param
)
```

**Table 3: Parameters of the service primitive MF-SET.request**

Name	ASN.1 type	Valid range	Description
MN-ID	INTEGER	Integer number	Unique identifier of the Management Interface
CommandRef	INTEGER	Integer number	Unique cyclic reference number of request
	INTEGER	0 to 255	Number of subsequent M-Param elements
M-Param.No	CHOICE	0 to 255	See Table 5
M-Param.Value		Depends on M-Param.No	

## 6.2.4 MF-SET.confirm

### 6.2.4.1 Function

This primitive reports the result of a previous MF-SET.request.

### 6.2.4.2 Semantics

The parameters of the management service primitive MF-SET.confirm shall be as follows:

```
MF-SET.confirm (
    MAC-ID,
    CommandRef,
    Sequence of Errors OPTIONAL
)
```

**Table 4: Parameters of the service primitive MF-SET.confirm**

Name	ASN.1 type	Valid range	Description
MN-ID	INTEGER	Integer number	Unique identifier of the Management Interface
CommandRef	INTEGER	0 to 255	Unique cyclic reference number of request
	INTEGER	0 to 255	Number of subsequent Errors elements
Errors. M-paramNo	INTEGER	See Table 5	See Table 5
Errors.ErrStatus	ENUMERATED	Specified in ETSI TS 102 723-1 [3]	Indicates error status of request

## 6.2.5 DCC Parameter at the MF-SAP

**Table 5: List of M-Param for DCC interface at MF-SAP**

M-Param.No	Name of M-Param	Access	Format	Description
0	Access Layer Identifier	W/R	1 octet 0 ... ITS-G5 (Other values are reserved for future updates)	Indicates the Intended access layer technology for which the DCC parameters are retrieved
1	Channel Number	W/R	1 octet, Range from 1 to 7	Identifies the radio channel number for which the DCC parameters are retrieved
2	MCS	W/R	2 octets	MCS for which the DCC parameters are retrieved

M-Param.No	Name of M-Param	Access	Format	Description
3	Available resources	R	2 octets, mapped to reciprocal value of the available percentage of channel resources $CR_a$	Available percentage of channel resources $CR_a$ for the ITS-S on the selected channel, provided by the DCC algorithm in relation to the total available channel resources available to all ITS-S. See the example below.
4	Application identifier	W/R		Locally unique application ID corresponding to the application index $i$ for which the DCC parameters are written.
5	TC	W/R	1 octet	Traffic class corresponding to the index $j$ for which the DCC parameters are written.
6	Average message size	W/R	1 octet, granularity is 1 OFDM symbol length = 8 $\mu$ s	Average message size $\overline{T_{on\ ij}}$ for the application with index $i$ and the traffic class with index $j$ .
7	Minimum inter-message interval	W/R	2 octets, in ms	proposed minimum inter-message interval $T_{off\ min\ ij}$ for the application/service with index $i$ and the traffic class with index $j$ .

EXAMPLE: For ITS-G5  $CR_a$  is the percentage of time the radio channel is idle in relation to the total averaging time. It is called  $CBR_a$  in ETSI TS 103 175 [2].

## Annex A (informative): Traffic class based DCC\_FAC algorithm

### A.1 Overview

The DCC\_FAC entity is illustrated in Figure A.1. Its purpose is to support controlling the channel load generated by each application/service at the generation time. The left part illustrates the DCC\_CROSS entity in the management plane. As described in ETSI TS 103 175 [2], the DCC\_CROSS optionally introduces a DCC\_CROSS\_Facilities function interfacing with the DCC\_FAC entity. For simplification of the figure, other functionalities located in DCC\_CROSS are not depicted here.

The DCC\_FAC obtains the available percentage of channel resources  $CR_a$  per radio channel from the DCC\_CROSS.  $CR_a$  is provided by the DCC algorithm based on information provided by DCC\_ACC.

DCC\_FAC analyses the average length (number of octets) of the message and the average inter-message interval for each application and service by monitoring their behaviour, to calculate from the data rate for the used MCS the proposed minimum inter-message interval  $T_{off\ min\ ij}$  for each application/service with index  $j$  and traffic class with index  $i$ .

Based on this analysis, a table in the management plane can provide for each application/service, each used MCS, and each traffic class the proposed minimum inter-message interval and average message size per radio channel.

NOTE: Messages cannot be dropped directly by the DCC\_FAC. When implemented, the DCC\_FAC controls the message rates and message size indirectly through DCC\_CROSS. The DCC\_FAC implements a statistics function DCC\_FAC\_Statistics to monitor data behaviour from applications and services.

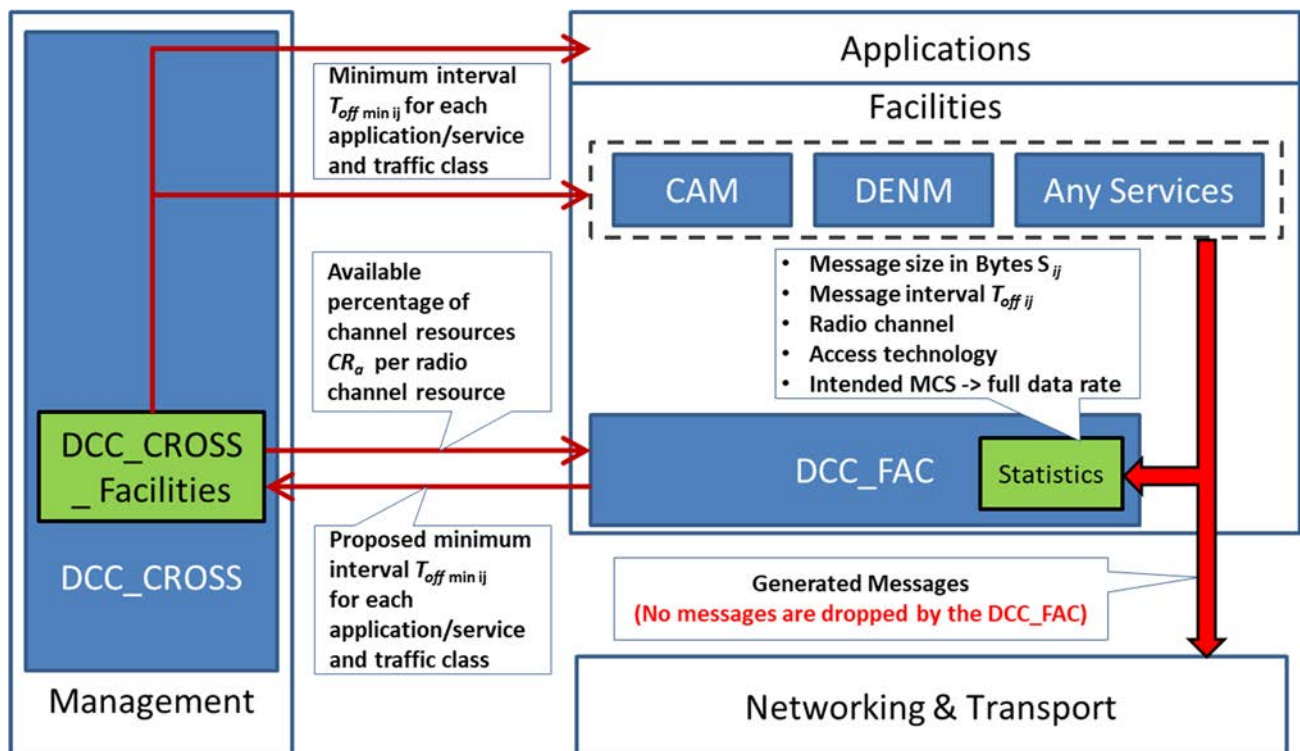


Figure A.1: DCC\_FAC entity in the Facilities Layer of Traffic class based DCC\_FAC algorithm

## A.2 Details of Traffic class based DCC\_FAC algorithm

The DCC\_FAC entity performs the following steps for each radio channel at every time when the facilities layer generates a message:

- 1) When the facilities service entity generates a message for application/service  $j$  and  $TC_i$ , DCC\_FAC analyses the message length  $L_{ij}$  of the recently generated message and the inter-message time interval  $T_{off\ ij}$  between last two recently generated messages for application/service  $j$  and traffic class with index  $i$ , referred to as  $TC_i$  from the facilities service entity.
- 2) DCC\_FAC estimates the average message length  $\overline{L_{ij}}$  and the average inter-message interval  $\overline{T_{off\ ij}}$  for application/service  $j$  and  $TC_i$ :

$$\overline{L_{ij}} = w \times L_{ij} + (1 - w) \times \overline{L_{ij}^*} \quad (\text{A.1})$$

$$\overline{T_{off\ ij}} = w \times T_{off\ ij} + (1 - w) \times \overline{T_{off\ ij}^*} \quad (\text{A.2})$$

Where  $\overline{L_{ij}^*}$  is the previously estimated average message length for application/service  $j$  and  $TC_i$ . If  $\overline{L_{ij}^*}$  is not available due to no previously generated message,  $\overline{L_{ij}^*}$  is set to  $L_{ij}$ . The weight coefficient  $w$  is set to 0,1 for the examples in clause A.3.

And  $\overline{T_{off\ ij}^*}$  is the previously estimated average inter-message interval for application/service  $j$  and  $TC_i$ . If  $\overline{T_{off\ ij}^*}$  is not available due to no previously generated message,  $\overline{T_{off\ ij}^*}$  is set to  $T_{off\ ij}$ .

NOTE 1:  $T_{off\ ij}$  and  $\overline{T_{off\ ij}}$  will be available as soon as the 2<sup>nd</sup> message for each application/service  $j$  and  $TC_i$  is generated.

- 3) Calculate the estimated channel resource  $\overline{CRE_{ij}}$  for each application/service  $j$  and  $TC_i$  for the used MCS data rate  $R_{ij}$ :

$$\overline{CRE_{ij}} = \frac{\overline{L_{ij}}}{L_{ij} + R_{ij} \times \overline{T_{off\ ij}}} \quad (\text{A.3})$$

If  $\overline{T_{off\ ij}}$  is not available due to no previously generated message,  $\overline{CRE_{ij}}$  is set to 0.

- 4) Calculate the total estimated channel resources  $\overline{CR_i}$  from all applications/services in one traffic class  $TC_i$ :

$$\overline{CR_i} = \sum_j \overline{CRE_{ij}} \quad (\text{A.4})$$

- 5) Obtain the available channel resources  $CR_a$  from DCC\_CROSS.
- 6) Set the available channel resources  $ACR_0$  for traffic class  $TC_0$ .

$$ACR_0 = \max(CR_{0min}, CR_a). \quad (\text{A.5})$$

NOTE 2:  $CR_{0min}$  is set to 0,001 for the examples in clause A.3.  $CR_{0min} > 0$  indicates the ITS-S to have an opportunity to send some messages at least every 4 seconds but typically one message every second.

- 7) Set the maximum available channel resources  $ACR_i$  for traffic class  $TC_i$ .

$$ACR_i = \max(CR_{imin}, ACR_{(i-1)} - \overline{CR_{(i-1)}}) \text{ for } i \geq 1 \quad (\text{A.6})$$

NOTE 3:  $CR_{imin}$  is set to 0,001 for the examples in clause A.3.

- 8) Divide the available channel resources  $ACR_i$  between the application with index  $j$  and traffic class with index  $i$ :

$$ACR_{ij} = \frac{\overline{CRE_{ij}}}{\overline{CR_i}} \times ACR_i \quad (\text{A.7})$$

- 9) Put the minimum inter- message interval  $T_{off\ min\ ij}$  into a table in the DCC\_CROSS in the management plane:

$$T_{off\ min\ ij} = \frac{\overline{L_{ij}}}{R_{ij}} \times \frac{1-ACR_{ij}}{ACR_{ij}} \quad (\text{A.8})$$

### Parameters

- External interface from DCC\_CROSS (MF-SAP): available percentage of channel resources per radio channel  $CR_a$  (Message generation parameters shown in Figure A.1).
- External interface to DCC\_CROSS (MF-SAP): the proposed minimum inter-message interval  $T_{off\ min\ ij}$  for each application/service with index  $j$  and traffic class with index  $i$ .
- Monitoring the applications and facilities services (e.g. CA basic service, DEN basic service, etc.): message length  $L_{ij}$  and inter-message interval  $T_{off\ ij}$  of each application/service with index  $j$  and traffic class with index  $i$ .

## A.3 Examples

Table A.1 shows a case that the available channel resource is sufficient for all application/services and traffic classes. Note that the message size for each application/service are fixed in this example but the method is applied to fixed and variable message sizes.

**Table A.1: Example of Sufficient Channel Resources ( $CR_a = 0,005$ ,  $T_{on\ ij} = \frac{L_{ij}}{R_{ij}} = 0,001\ s$ )**

$TC_i$	$ACR_i$ ( $ACR_{ij}$ )	$T_{off\ ij}$	$\frac{CR_i}{(CRE_{ij})}$	$T_{off\ min\ ij}$
$TC_1$	0,005	0,499 s	0,002	0,199 s
$TC_2$	0,003	0,799 s	0,00125	0,332 s
$TC_3$	0,00175	0,999 s	0,001	0,570 s

Table A.2 shows a case when the available channel resource is insufficient due to the reduction of the inter-message interval of  $TC_1$  from 0,499 s to 0,249 s. In this case, the minimum inter-message interval of  $TC_2$  exceeds the expected inter-message interval of  $TC_2$  (i.e. 0,999 s > 0,799 s) and the generation of messages for  $TC_3$  will be temporarily restricted to 1 Hz message rate.

**Table A.2: Example of insufficient Channel Resources ( $CR_a = 0,005$ ,  $T_{on\ ij} = \frac{L_{ij}}{R_{ij}} = 0,001\ s$ )**

$TC_i$	$ACR_i$ ( $ACR_{ij}$ )	$T_{off\ ij}$	$\frac{CR_i}{(CRE_{ij})}$	$T_{off\ min\ ij}$
$TC_1$	0,005	0,249 s	0,004	0,199 s
$TC_2$	0,001	0,799 s	0,00125	0,999 s
$TC_3$	0	0,999 s	0,001	1,001 s

## Annex B (informative): Transmission Demand and Deficit based DCC\_FAC algorithm

### B.1 Overview

Prioritizing messages using only static and fixed TCs may bring resource allocation challenges in future as the type of messages, such as High priority DENM, Normal DENM, CAM, CPM, MCM, multi-hop DENM, etc. continues to grow. According to ETSI TS 102 636-4-2 [1], there are 4 TCs, i.e. TC<sub>0</sub>, ..., TC<sub>3</sub>, but the types of V2X safety messages are larger than 4.

Strict prioritization using static TCs is used by DCC\_ACC for queuing and flow control as specified for DCC\_CROSS according to ETSI TS 103 175 [2], which may lead to starvation of lower priority services during insufficient channel resources as described in ETSI TR 103 562 [i.4]. Such a starvation at DCC\_CROSS and DCC\_ACC may not be prevented, unless some resource is transferred at the DCC\_FAC from a higher priority TC to a lower priority TC once in a while, while total resource consumption at DCC\_FAC remains within the  $CR_a$ .

In this Annex, resource allocation is presented using an additional factor, i.e. resource deficit in addition to prioritization via TC, demonstrating the feasibility for flexible channel resource allocation using DCC\_FAC on top of DCC\_ACC, which may not be possible by DCC\_ACC alone, thus presenting an additional benefit of DCC\_FAC.

### B.2 Operation of Channel Resource Calculation

As described in Annex A, DCC\_FAC implements a statistics function DCC\_FAC\_Statistics to monitor data behaviour based on time series analysis from applications and services. This function monitors and keeps a history of the average message length  $\overline{L_{ij}}$  of the generated messages and the average inter-message interval requested  $\overline{T_{off\ ij}}$  and the minimum inter-message interval suggested by DCC\_FAC, i.e.  $T_{off\ min\ ij}$ .

In addition, DCC\_FAC\_Statistics monitors the average estimated channel resource demand  $\overline{CR_i}$  by each  $TC_i$  and the maximum available channel resource  $ACR_i$  for each  $TC_i$ . Finally, for the starvation mitigation functionality as proposed in this Annex, DCC\_FAC\_Statistics stores the average resource deficit for each  $TC_i$  as:

$$ARD_i = \min(0, ACR_i - \overline{CR_i}) \quad (\text{B.1})$$

The estimated channel resource  $CR_i$  and available channel resource  $ACR_i$  are calculated in the same manner as detailed in Annex A. The gross channel resource  $GCR_i$  for each TC is calculated as a sum of the minimum between the maximum available channel resource and the available and estimated channel demand reduced by the average resource deficit  $ARD_i$ :

$$GCR_i = \min(ACR_i, \overline{CR_i}) + x_i * ARD_i \quad (\text{B.2})$$

The coefficient  $x_i$  is used to give higher emphasis to a resource deficit of a higher priority TC, i.e.  $x_{TC_1} > x_{TC_2} > x_{TC_3} > x_{TC_4}$ . The values of  $x_i$  can be in the range of 0 to 1 such as:

$x_{TC_1} = 1$ ;  $x_{TC_2} = 0,5$ ;  $x_{TC_3} = 0,25$ ;  $x_{TC_4} = 0,125$  respectively, denoting the deficit of each TC as twice important as the deficit of following lower priority TC. If  $x_i$  is set to 0 for all TC, then the allocation will be solely based on absolute priority of each TC similar to Annex A.

This gross channel resource of each TC is adjusted proportionately as a function of the resource demand and resource deficit by other TCs to obtain the proportional net resource  $PNR_i$ :

$$PNR_i = \frac{GCR_i}{\sum_1^N GCR_k} \quad (\text{B.3})$$

The net channel resource  $NCR_i$  for  $TC_i$ , is calculated as:

$$NCR_i = PNR_i \times CR_a \quad (\text{B.4})$$



The  $NCR_i$  of each  $TC_i$ , is divided proportionately among its services in a similar manner as Annex A:

$$ACR_{ij} = \frac{\overline{CRE}_{ij}}{CR_i} \times NCR_i \quad (B.5)$$

Similarly, the inter message interval of each service  $j$  belonging to each  $TC_i$  is calculated as, and updated in the DCC\_CROSS and DCC\_FAC\_Statistics:

$$T_{off\ min\ ij} = \frac{\overline{L}_{ij}}{R_{ij}} \times \frac{1-ACR_{ij}}{ACR_{ij}} \quad (B.6)$$

## B.3 Examples

Table B.1 shows the same example of insufficient channel resource as shown in Annex A, where  $TC_1$  is allocated its resource demand of 0,004 while  $TC_3$  is allocated no resource at all.  $CBR_a = 0,005$ ,  $T_{on\ ij} = \frac{\overline{L}_{ij}}{R_{ij}} = 0,001$  s.

**Table B.1: Example of insufficient channel resources and first resource allocation**

$TC_i$	$T_{off\ ij}$	$CRE_i$	$CR_i$	$T_{off\ min\ ij}$
<b>TC<sub>1</sub></b>	0,249 s	0,004	0,004	0,199 s
<b>TC<sub>2</sub></b>	0,799 s	0,00125	0,001	0,999 s
<b>TC<sub>3</sub></b>	0,999 s	0,001	0	$\infty$

Table B.2 shows the resource allocation at the next update considering the average resource deficit of each TC, with  $x_{TC_1} = 1$ ;  $x_{TC_2} = 0,5$  and  $x_{TC_3} = 0,25$ . On average,  $TC_1$  sacrifices 0,018 s (18 ms) of inter message interval, to allow  $TC_3$  messages once every 4 seconds, instead of completely blocking  $TC_3$ .

**Table B.2: Example of insufficient channel resources and updated resource allocation**

$TC_i$	$T_{off\ ij}$	$CRE_i$	$CR_i$	$ARD_i$	$NCR_i$	$T_{off\ min\ ij}$
<b>TC<sub>1</sub></b>	0,249 s	0,004	0,004	0	0,00372	0,26775 s
<b>TC<sub>2</sub></b>	0,799 s	0,00125	0,001	0,00025	0,00105	0,954556 s
<b>TC<sub>3</sub></b>	0,999 s	0,001	0	0,001	0,00023	4,299 s

Table B.3 shows the resource allocation at the tenth update, considering the average of each parameter during the ten previous instances.

**Table B.3: Example of insufficient channel resources and tenth updated resource allocation**

$TC_i$	$T_{off\ ij}$	$CRE_i$	$CR_i$	$ARD_i$	$NCR_i$	$T_{off\ min\ ij}$
<b>TC<sub>1</sub></b>	0,249 s	0,004	0,00382	0,00014	0,00362	0,275298 s
<b>TC<sub>2</sub></b>	0,799 s	0,00125	0,00102	0,00023	0,00104	0,960179 s
<b>TC<sub>3</sub></b>	0,999 s	0,001	0,00015	0,00088	0,00034	2,937318 s

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