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1 Scope

The present document specifies requirements on UEs supporting a DB-DC-HSDPA, 4C-HSDPA, and 8C-HSDPA configuration that is independent of release. TSG-RAN has agreed that the standardisation of new configurations may be independent of a release. However, in order to implement a UE that conforms to a particular release but supports a configuration that is specified in a later release, it is necessary to specify some extra requirements.

For example, Band I-XI combination for DB-DC-HSDPA (referred to as DB-DC-HSDPA configuration 4 in [2]) is contained in the Release 10 specifications. In order to implement a UE conforming to Release 9 but supporting this configuration, it is necessary for the UE to additionally conform to some parts of the Release 10 specifications, such as the radio frequency and radio resource management requirements for the configuration.

Similarly, 4C-HSDPA configuration I-3 is contained in the Release 11 specification [3]. In order to implement a UE conforming to Release 10, but supporting this configuration, it is necessary for the UE to additionally conform to some parts of the Release 11 specifications.

2 References

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- [1] 3GPP TR 21.905: "Vocabulary for 3GPP Specifications".
- [2] 3GPP TS 25.101 (Release 10): "User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception (FDD)".
- [3] 3GPP TS 25.101 (Release 11): "User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception (FDD)".
- [4] Void
- [5] Void

3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

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3.2 Abbreviations

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DB-DC-HSDPA Dual Band Dual Cell HSDPA

4C-HSDPA Four-carrier HSDPA 8C-HSDPA Eight-carrier HSDPA

6	8C-HSDPA configurations independent of release
5.2.5	Void
5.2.4	Void
5.2.3	Void
5.2.2	Void
5.2.1	Void
5.2	Dual-band configurations
5.1.2	Void
5.1.1	Void
5.1	Single-band contiguous configurations
5	4C-HSDPA configurations independent of release
4.3	Void
4.2	Void
4.1	Void
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2017-03	RP-75	-	-	-		Upgrade to Release 14 - no technical change	14.0.0		
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