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Foreword

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Introduction

The present document is part of a TS family covering the 3rd Generation Partnership Project; Technical Specification Group Services and System Aspects; Telecommunication management; as identified below:

- TS 28.657Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access Network (E-UTRAN) Network Resource Model (NRM) Integration Reference Point (IRP); Requirements
- TS 28.658Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access Network (E-UTRAN) Network Resource Model (NRM) Integration Reference Point (IRP): Information Service (IS)
- TS 28.659Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access Network (E-UTRAN) Network Resource Model (NRM) Integration Reference Point (IRP): Solution Set (SS) definitions

1 Scope

The present document defines, in addition to the requirements defined in [1], [2] and [3], the Requirements for the E-UTRAN and ng-eNB Network Resource Model (NRM).

2 References

The following documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of the present document.

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- [1] 3GPP TS 32.101: "Telecommunication management; Principles and high level requirements".
- [2] 3GPP TS 32.102: "Telecommunication management; Architecture".
- [3] 3GPP TS 32.600: "Telecommunication management; Configuration Management (CM); Concept and high-level requirements".
- [4] 3GPP TS 32.150: "Telecommunication management; Integration Reference Point (IRP) Concept and definitions".
- [5] 3GPP TS 21.905: "Vocabulary for 3GPP Specifications".
- [6] 3GPP TS 32.511: "Telecommunication management; Automatic Neighbour Relation (ANR) management; Concepts and requirements".
- [7] 3GPP TS 32.107: "Telecommunication management; Fixed Mobile Convergence (FMC) Federated Network Information Model (FNIM)".
- [8] 3GPP TS 28.620: "Telecommunication management; Fixed Mobile Convergence (FMC) Federated Network Information Model (FNIM) Umbrella Information Model (UIM)".
- [9] 3GPP TS 32.130: "Telecommunication management; Network sharing; Concepts and requirements".
- [10] 3GPP TS 37.340: "NR; Multi-connectivity; Overall description; Stage 2".
- [11] 3GPP TS 38.300: "NR; Overall description; Stage-2".
- [12] 3GPP TS 28.540: " Management and orchestration of 5G networks; Network Resource Model (NRM); Stage 1".

3 Definitions and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in TS 32.150 [4], TS 32.101 [1], TS 32.102 [2] and TS 21.905 [5] and the following apply. A term defined in the present document takes precedence over the definition of the same term, if any, in TS 32.150 [4], TS 32.101 [1], TS 32.102 [2] and TS 21.905 [5], in this order.

ng-eNB: Defined in 3GPP TS 38.300 [11].

3.2 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the abbreviations given in TS 32.150 [4], TS 32.101 [1], TS 32.102 [2] and TS 21.905 [5] and the following apply. An abbreviation defined in the present document takes precedence over the definition of the same abbreviation, if any, in TS 32.150 [4], TS 32.101 [1], TS 32.102 [2] and TS 21.905 [5], in this order.

СМ	Configuration Management
EN-DC	E-UTRA-NR Dual Connectivity
NE-DC	NR-E-UTRA Dual Connectivity
NGEN-DC	NG-RAN E-UTRA-NR Dual Connectivity
E-UTRAN	Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access Network
IRP	Integration Reference Point
NB-IoT	NarrowBand Internet of Things
NR	New Radio
NRM	Network Resource Model

4 Requirements

4.1 General requirements

The following general and high-level requirement applies for the present IRP:

- IRP-related requirements in 3GPP TS 32.101 [1];
- IRP-related requirements in 3GPP TS 32.102 [2];
- IRP-related requirements in 3GPP TS 32.600 [3];
- ANR management related requirements in 3GPP TS 32.511 [6];
- E-UTRAN sharing related requirements in 3GPP TS 32.130 [9].

The NRM defined by this IRP:

- Shall support communications for telecommunication network management purposes, including management of converged networks.
- Is a member of the Federated Network Information Model (FNIM) [7] and its information is derived from FNIM Umbrella Information Model (UIM) [8]

4.2 Requirements for management of E-UTRAN

In addition to sub-clause 4.1, the following more specific requirements apply to E-UTRAN NRM:

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-001: The NRM defined by this IRP shall contain E-UTRAN specific IOCs and related definitions, supporting E-UTRAN network entities.

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-002: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support management of inter-system handover between EPS and UMTS, between EPS and GSM, and between EPS and CDMA2000.

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-003: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support management of Inter-Radio Access Technology Automatic Neighbour Relation (IRAT ANR) from E-UTRAN to UTRAN, from E-UTRAN to GERAN, and from E-UTRAN to CDMA2000.

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-004: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support management of Intra-E-UTRAN handover.

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-005: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support management of Intra-E-UTRAN Automatic Neighbour Relation (ANR).

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-006: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support management of E-UTRAN relaying by having a Relay Node (RN) wirelessly connect to a Donor eNB (DeNB).

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-007: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support the management of designation of individual cells as reserved for special use, i.e. such that only UEs with an operator-specified subset of Access Classes 10 to 15 can use those cells.

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-008: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support the management of shared E-UTRAN.

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-009: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support the management of NB-IoT.

REQ-EUTRAN_NRM-CON-010: The NRM defined by this IRP shall support the management of Master eNB in EN-DC (see 3GPP TS 37.340 [10]).

4.3 Requirements for management of ng-eNB

As ng-eNB is one RAN node type of NG-RAN [x], so the NG-RAN NRM requirements defined in TS 28.540 [12] apply to ng-eNB NRM. In addition, the ng-eNB related MD-DC management requirements defined in TS 28.540 [12] apply to ng-eNB NRM also, including management of ng-eNB in NGEN-DC or NE-DC operation.

Annex A (informative): Change history

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