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Introduction

The present document is the first part of a multi-part conformance specification valid for 3GPP Release 8. 3GPP TS 36.523-2 [18] contains a pro-forma for the Implementation Conformance Statement (ICS) and an applicability table, indicating the release from which each test case is applicable. 3GPP TS 36.523-3 [19] contains a detailed and executable description of the test cases written in a standard testing language, TTCN, as defined in ISO/IEC 9646.

For at least a minimum set of services, the prose descriptions of test cases will have a matching detailed test case implemented in TTCN [19].

The present document may contain descriptions of tests for additional services, but these tests may not have matching TTCN test cases.

The present document will not contain any tests on the USIM, or the interface between the UE and the USIM. These tests are documented elsewhere.

1 Scope

The present document specifies the protocol conformance testing for the 3rd Generation E-UTRAN User Equipment (UE).

This is the first part of a multi-part test specification. The following information can be found in this part:

- the overall test structure;
- the test configurations;
- the conformance requirement and reference to the core specifications;
- the test purposes; and
- a brief description of the test procedure, the specific test requirements and short message exchange table.

The following information relevant to testing could be found in accompanying specifications:

- the default setting of the test parameters [18];
- the applicability of each test case [19].

A detailed description of the expected sequence of messages could be found in the 3rd part of this test specification.

The Implementation Conformance Statement (ICS) pro-forma could be found in the 2nd part of the present document.

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- [18] 3GPP TS 36.508: "Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access (E-UTRA) and Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access (E-UTRAN); Common Test Environments for User Equipment (UE) Conformance Testing".
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- [22] 3GPP TS 23.401: "3GPP System Architecture Evolution; GPRS enhancements for E-UTRAN access".
- [23] 3GPP TS 51.010-1: "Mobile Station (MS) conformance specification; Part 1: Conformance specification".
- [24] ISO/IEC 9646 (all parts): "Information technology - Open Systems Interconnection - Conformance testing methodology and framework".
- [25] 3GPP TS 36.509: "Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access (E-UTRA) and Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access Network (E-UTRAN); Special conformance testing functions for User Equipment (UE)".

3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in TR 21.905 [1] and the following apply. A term defined in the present document takes precedence over the definition of the same term, if any, in TR 21.905 [1].

example: text used to clarify abstract rules by applying them literally.

Floor: Floor(x) is the largest integer smaller than or equal to x.

Ceil: Ceil (x) is the smallest integer larger than or equal to x.

3.2 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the abbreviations given in TR 21.905 [1] and the following apply. An abbreviation defined in the present document takes precedence over the definition of the same abbreviation, if any, in TR 21.905 [1].

| | |
|------|--------------------------------------|
| ENB | Evolved Node B |
| FDD | Frequency Division Duplex |
| FFS | For Further Study |
| ICS | Implementation Conformance Statement |
| ROHC | RObust Header Compression |

4 Overview

4.1 Test Methodology

4.1.1 Testing of optional functions and procedures

Any function or procedure which is optional, as indicated in the present document, may be subject to a conformance test if it is implemented in the UE.

A declaration by the apparatus supplier (ICS) is used to determine whether an optional function/procedure has been implemented.

4.1.2 Test interfaces and facilities

Detailed descriptions of the UE test interfaces and special facilities for testing will be provided in [6 or FFS].

4.2 Implicit Testing

For some 3GPP signalling and protocol features conformance is not verified explicitly in the present document. This does not imply that correct functioning of these features is not essential, but that these are implicitly tested to a sufficient degree in other tests.

5 Reference Conditions

The reference environments used by all signalling and protocol tests will be specified in TS 36.508 [18]. Where a test requires an environment that is different, this will be specified in the test itself.

5.1 Generic setup procedures

A set of basic generic procedures for radio resource signalling, and generic setup procedures for layer 3 NAS signalling will be described in TS 36.508 [18]. These procedures will be used in numerous test cases throughout the present document.

6 Idle Mode Operations

6.0 Introduction

6.0.1 UE pre-test condition

Unless otherwise stated in the method of test, in all of the tests of this clause the UE is equipped with a USIM containing default values. The USIM is in the idle updated state in the default tracking area with a GUTI assigned at the beginning of each test. More details regarding USIM default values are FFS.

6.0.2 Cell levels

The cells shall be configured such that $Srxlev > 0$. The actual values for $Qrxlevmin$, $Qrxlevminoffset$ and the measured cell Rx level (RSRP) are TBD. The definition of the "high quality" E-UTRAN cell is TBD in TS 36.304.

6.0.3 Test method

In order to check that the UE is camping to a new cell, this cell belongs to a tracking area which was not in the list of tracking areas previously allocated to the UE. In the test case description, a test step will be included with a question such as "Does the UE initiate a random access on cell X?". If such a random access is detected by the SS, the SS shall allow the UE to do a complete successful tracking area update procedure as specified in table 6.1, before executing the next step of the test procedure description.

Table 6.0.3.2: Tracking area update behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 2 | The UE sends an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message to perform signalling? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS transmit a <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message (included in <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message) order to update the registration of the actual tracking area. | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> message to activate AS security. | <-- | <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits a <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> | - | - |
| 7 | SS responds with TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message. | <-- | TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits a <i>RRCCConnectionRelease</i> message to release RRC connection and move to RRC_IDLE. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionRelease</i> | - | - |

Note: The periodic tracking area updating timer T3412 is deactivated by default during the attach procedure (TS 36.508 clause 4.7.2).

Note: The SS does not initiate authentication and NAS SECURITY MODE COMMAND are not performed (reuse of keys allocated during the attach procedure).

6.0.4 PLMN and TAC

The PLMN numbers indicated in table 6.1 are used in test cases to associate a cell with an MCC and MNC for that cell. If no PLMN is explicitly specified, the default value is PLMN 1.

Table 6.0.4-1: Tracking Area Identity (TAI) in System Information Block Type 1 broadcast on the BCCH (E-UTRAN)

| PLMN | MCC1 | MCC2 | MCC3 | MNC1 | MNC2 | MNC3 | TAC |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------|-----|
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | Not present | x |
| 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Not present | x |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | Not present | x |
| 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 1 | Not present | x |
| 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 1 | Not present | x |
| 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 1 | Not present | x |
| 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 1 | Not present | x |
| 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 7 | 1 | Not present | x |
| 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 2 | Not present | x |
| 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | Not present | x |
| 11 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | Not present | x |
| 12 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | Not present | x |

NOTE: 'x' denotes any value.

Editor's note: The number of PLMN's and the values for MCC and MNC in Table 6.1 are FFS.

Editor's note: The Location Area Information (LAI) for UTRA and GSM could be re-used from TS 34.123-1 clause 6.

6.0.5 Other

Editor's note: Other generic [FFS] information for idle mode testing to be added in this clause is as follows:

- Default values of the system information fields for different methods and IEs specific to idle mode;
- Requirements for FDD and TDD cells (check TS 36.331) in order for the UE to be able to identify a new detectable cell and camp on it (minimum channel power levels);
- Generic test behaviour in case of combined E-UTRA/UTRA/GSM/HRPD/1xRTT tests: indication of access technology;
- Test channel numbers used in test cases to associate a cell with a frequency for that cell. If no channel is explicitly specified, the default value is Test Channel 1. The frequencies and RF signal levels for UTRA and GSM could be re-used from TS 34.123-1 clause 6. The frequencies and RF signal levels for E-UTRA test channels shall be based on TS 36.508 clauses 4.3.1.1, 4.3.1.2 and 4.3.4.

6.1 In a pure E-UTRAN environment

6.1.1 PLMN Selection

6.1.2 Cell Selection and Reselection

6.1.2.2 Cell selection, Qrxlevmin

6.1.2.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { a cell fulfils all requirements for a suitable cell except the cell selection criteria
which are not fulfilled (S<0) }
  then { the UE does not consider the cell suitable and no camping on this cell can take place }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
```

```

ensure that {
  when { a cell fulfils all requirements for a suitable cell including the cell selection criteria
    for a cell which are also fulfilled (S>0) }
  then { the UE considers the cell suitable and camps on it }
}

```

6.1.2.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS36.300, clause 10.1.1.1 and TS 36.304, clause 4.1, 5.1.2.2, 5.2.3.1, 5.2.3.2 and 5.2.8.

[TS 36.300, clause 10.1.1.1]

...

Cell selection:

- The UE NAS identifies a selected PLMN and equivalent PLMNs;
- The UE searches the E-UTRA frequency bands and for each carrier frequency identifies the strongest cell. It reads cell system information broadcast to identify its PLMN(s);
- The UE may search each carrier in turn ("initial cell selection") or make use of stored information to shorten the search ("stored information cell selection").
- The UE seeks to identify a suitable cell; if it is not able to identify a suitable cell it seeks to identify an acceptable cell. When a suitable cell is found or if only an acceptable cell is found it camps on that cell and commence the cell reselection procedure:
- A suitable cell is one for which the measured cell attributes satisfy the cell selection criteria; the cell PLMN is the selected PLMN, registered or an equivalent PLMN; the cell is not barred or reserved and the cell is not part of a tracking area which is in the list of "forbidden tracking areas for roaming";
- An acceptable cell is one for which the measured cell attributes satisfy the cell selection criteria and the cell is not barred;

...

[TS 36.304, clause 4.1]

...

When a UE is switched on, a public land mobile network (PLMN) is selected by NAS. For the selected PLMN, associated RAT(s) may be set [5]. The NAS shall provide a list of equivalent PLMNs, if available, that the AS shall use for cell selection and cell reselection.

With the cell selection, the UE searches for a suitable cell of the selected PLMN and chooses that cell to provide available services, further the UE shall tune to its control channel. This choosing is known as "camping on the cell".

The UE will, if necessary, then register its presence, by means of a NAS registration procedure, in the tracking area of the chosen cell and as outcome of a successful Location Registration the selected PLMN becomes the registered PLMN [5].

...

[TS 36.304, clause 5.1.2.2]

The UE shall scan all RF channels in the E-UTRA bands according to its capabilities to find available PLMNs. On each carrier, the UE shall search for the strongest cell and read its system information, in order to find out which PLMN(s) the cell belongs to. If the UE can read one or several PLMN identities in the strongest cell, each found PLMN (see the PLMN reading in [3]) shall be reported to the NAS as a high quality PLMN (but without the [quality measure TBD]), provided that the following high quality criterion is fulfilled:

[include definition of a "high quality" E-UTRAN cell here]

Found PLMNs that do not satisfy the high quality criterion, but for which the UE has been able to read the PLMN identities are reported to the NAS together with the [quality measure TBD]. The quality measure reported by the UE to NAS shall be the same for each PLMN found in one cell.

...

Once the UE has selected a PLMN, the cell selection procedure shall be performed in order to select a suitable cell of that PLMN to camp on.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.3.1]

The UE shall use one of the following two cell selection procedures:

a) Initial Cell Selection

This procedure requires no prior knowledge of which RF channels are E-UTRA carriers. The UE shall scan all RF channels in the E-UTRA bands according to its capabilities to find a suitable cell. On each carrier frequency, the UE need only search for the strongest cell. Once a suitable cell is found this cell shall be selected.

...

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.3.2]

The cell selection criterion S is fulfilled when:

$$S_{rxlev} > 0$$

Where:

$$S_{rxlev} = Q_{rxlevmeas} - (Q_{rxlevmin} - Q_{rxlevminoffset}) - P_{compensation}$$

Where:

the signalled value $Q_{rxlevminOffset}$ is only applied when a cell is evaluated for cell selection as a result of a periodic search for a higher priority PLMN while camped normally in a VPLMN [5]. During this periodic search for higher priority PLMN the UE may check the S criteria of a cell using parameter values stored from a different cell of this higher priority PLMN.

| | |
|----------------------|--|
| S_{rxlev} | Cell Selection RX level value (dB) |
| $Q_{rxlevmeas}$ | Measured cell RX level value (RSRP). |
| $Q_{rxlevmin}$ | Minimum required RX level in the cell (dBm) |
| $Q_{rxlevminoffset}$ | Offset to the signalled $Q_{rxlevmin}$ taken into account in the S_{rxlev} evaluation as a result of a periodic search for a higher priority PLMN while camped normally in a VPLMN [5] |
| $P_{compensation}$ | [FFS] |

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.8]

In this state, the UE shall attempt to find an acceptable cell of any PLMN to camp on, trying all RATs that are supported by the UE and searching first for a high quality cell, as defined in subclause 5.1.2.2.

The UE, which is not camped on any cell, shall stay in this state until an acceptable cell is found.

6.1.2.2.3 Test description

6.1.2.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- Cell 1 is a cell with TAI1 (PLMN1 + TAC1) where PLMN1 is part of the Equivalent PLMN list:
- Cell 1 is not a CSG cell, $S_{rxlev_{Cell\ 1}} < 0$

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

6.1.2.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 6.1.2.2.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while row marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 6.1.2.2.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Remark |
|---|-----------------------|------|--------|---|
| T0 | Cell-specific RS EPRE | dBm | -95 | The power level value is such to satisfy $SrxlevCell\ 1 < 0$ but the UE is able to read the PLMN identity |
| | Qrxlevmin | dBm | -84 | |
| | Qrxlevminoffset | dB | 0 | |
| | Pcompensation | dBm | 0 | Still FFS in the core specification |
| T1 | Cell-specific RS EPRE | dBm | -75 | The power level is such that $SrxlevCell\ 1 > 0$ |
| Note: The downlink signal level uncertainty is specified in TS 36.508 section 4.3.4.1 | | | | |

Editors note: The power levels will be revisited when the definition of a high quality cell and Pcompensation will be completed in TS 36.304.

Table 6.1.2.2.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Is there any random access request from the UE on Cell 1 within the next 60 s? | - | - | 1 | F |
| 3 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level of Cell 1 level according to row "T1" in table 6.1.2.2.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Is there any random access request from the UE on Cell1? | - | - | 2 | P |

6.1.2.2.3.3 Specific message or IE contents

Table 6.1.2.2.3.3-1 SystemInformationBlockType1 for cell 1 (preamble)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.4.3.2 | | | |
|---|---|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType1 ::= SEQUENCE { cellSelectionInfo SEQUENCE { q-Rxlevmin } schedulingInformation ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxSI-Message)) OF SEQUENCE {} } | -42 (-84 dBm) Combination 1 in TS 36.508 section 4.4.3.1.1 | Only SIB2 and SIB3 are transmitted | |

6.1.2.3 Cell selection / intra E-UTRAN / serving cell becomes non-suitable ($S < 0$, barred) (intra frequency)

6.1.2.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { the serving cell becomes non-suitable ( $S < 0$ ) and there is a suitable neighbour cell ( $S > 0$ ) }
  then { UE selects the suitable neighbour cell }
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { the serving cell becomes barred and there is a suitable neighbour cell }
  then { UE selects the suitable neighbour cell }
```

6.1.2.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS36.300, clause 10.1.1.1 and TS 36.304, clause 4.1, 5.2.1, 5.2.3.2, 5.2.4.6 and 5.3.1.

[TS 36.300, clause 10.1.1.1]

...

Cell selection:

- The UE NAS identifies a selected PLMN and equivalent PLMNs;
- The UE searches the E-UTRA frequency bands and for each carrier frequency identifies the strongest cell. It reads cell system information broadcast to identify its PLMN(s):
 - The UE may search each carrier in turn ("initial cell selection") or make use of stored information to shorten the search ("stored information cell selection").
- The UE seeks to identify a suitable cell; if it is not able to identify a suitable cell it seeks to identify an acceptable cell. When a suitable cell is found or if only an acceptable cell is found it camps on that cell and commence the cell reselection procedure:
 - A suitable cell is one for which the measured cell attributes satisfy the cell selection criteria; the cell PLMN is the selected PLMN, registered or an equivalent PLMN; the cell is not barred or reserved and the cell is not part of a tracking area which is in the list of "forbidden tracking areas for roaming";
 - An acceptable cell is one for which the measured cell attributes satisfy the cell selection criteria and the cell is not barred;

...

[TS 36.304, clause 4.1]

...

With the cell selection, the UE searches for a suitable cell of the selected PLMN and chooses that cell to provide available services, further the UE shall tune to its control channel. This choosing is known as "camping on the cell".

The UE will, if necessary, then register its presence, by means of a NAS registration procedure, in the tracking area of the chosen cell and as outcome of a successful Location Registration the selected PLMN becomes the registered PLMN [5].

If the UE finds a more suitable cell, according to the cell reselection criteria, it reselects onto that cell and camps on it. If the new cell does not belong to at least one tracking area to which the UE is registered, location registration is performed.

...

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.1]

...

When camped on a cell, the UE shall regularly search for a better cell according to the cell reselection criteria. If a better cell is found, that cell is selected.

...

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.3.2]

The cell selection criterion S is fulfilled when:

$$S_{rxlev} > 0$$

Where:

$$S_{rxlev} = Q_{rxlevmeas} - (Q_{rxlevmin} - Q_{rxlevminoffset}) - P_{compensation}$$

Where:

the signalled value $Q_{rxlevminOffset}$ is only applied when a cell is evaluated for cell selection as a result of a periodic search for a higher priority PLMN while camped normally in a VPLMN [5]. During this periodic search for higher priority PLMN the UE may check the S criteria of a cell using parameter values stored from a different cell of this higher priority PLMN.

| | |
|----------------------|--|
| S_{rxlev} | Cell Selection RX level value (dB) |
| $Q_{rxlevmeas}$ | Measured cell RX level value (RSRP). |
| $Q_{rxlevmin}$ | Minimum required RX level in the cell (dBm) |
| $Q_{rxlevminoffset}$ | Offset to the signalled $Q_{rxlevmin}$ taken into account in the S_{rxlev} evaluation as a result of a periodic search for a higher priority PLMN while camped normally in a VPLMN [5] |
| $P_{compensation}$ | [FFS] |

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.6]

...

In all cases, the UE shall reselect the new cell, only if the following conditions are met:

- the new cell is better ranked than the serving cell during a time interval $T_{reselection}$,
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.3.1]

Cell status and cell reservations are indicated in the *SystemInformationBlockType1* by means of three Information Elements:

- cellBarred (IE type: "barred" or "not barred")
In case of multiple PLMNs indicated in SIB1 sharing, this IE is common for all PLMNs

...

When cell status is indicated as "not barred", "not reserved" for operator use and "not reserved" for future extension (Cell Reservation Extension),

- All UEs shall treat this cell as candidate during the cell selection and cell re-selection procedures.

...

When cell status "barred" is indicated,

- The UE is not permitted to select/re-select this cell, not even for emergency calls.
- The UE shall ignore the "Cell Reserved for future extension (Cell Reservation Extension) use" IE.
- The UE shall select another cell

6.1.2.3.3 Test description

6.1.2.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2
- Cell 1 and Cell 2 are high quality cells on the same E-UTRA frequency and different tracking areas:
 - Cell 1 serving cell, $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > 0$
 - Cell 2 $Srxlev_{Cell\ 2} > 0$
 - $Treselection_{Cell\ 1} = Treselection_{Cell\ 2} > 1$ second

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE is in state Registered, Idle Mode (state 2) according to [18].

6.1.2.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 6.1.2.3.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1" and "T2" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 6.1.2.3.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|-----------|-----------------------|------|-----------|--------|--|
| T0 | Cell-specific RS EPRE | dBm | 60 | 80 | $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 2} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 4}$, such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| | Qrxlevmin | dBm | -110 | -110 | |
| | Qrxlevminoffset | dB | 0 | 0 | |
| | Qhyst | dB | 0 | 0 | |
| | Treselection | s | 7 | 7 | Cell reselection timer values for EUTRA cells |
| T1 | Srxlev* | dB | 50 | 30 | Cell 1 is the strongest cell |
| | Cell-specific RS EPRE | dBm | 120 | 80 | $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} < 0$ |
| | Srxlev* | dB | -10 | 30 | Cell 2 becomes the strongest cell |
| T2 | Cell-specific RS EPRE | dBm | -100 | -80 | $Srxlev_{Cell\ 2} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > 0$ |
| | Srxlev* | dB | 10 | 30 | Cell 1 becomes suitable |
| | cellBarred | - | notBarred | barred | Serving cell becomes barred |

Table 6.1.2.3.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level of Cell 1 according to row "T1" in table 6.1.2.3.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 2 within the next [5s]? | - | - | 1 | P |
| 3 | SS changes serving cell signal level and SIB1 IE <i>cellBarred</i> according to row "T2" in table 6.1.2.3.3.2-1 and transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including <i>systemInfoModification</i> | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Is there any random access request from the UE on Cell 1? | - | - | 2 | P |

6.1.2.3.3.3 Specific message or IE contents

Table 6.1.2.3.3.3-1 Conditions for tables 6.1.2.3.3.3-2, 6.1.2.3.3.3-3 and 6.1.2.3.3.3-4

| Condition descriptions |
|--|
| Cell 1 This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 1. |
| Cell 2 This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 2. |

Table 6.1.2.3.3.3-2 *SystemInformationBlockType1* for cells 1 and 2 (preamble and all steps, Table 6.1.2.3.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.4.3.2 | | | |
|---|--|------------------------------------|------------------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType1 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| cellAccessRelatedInformation SEQUENCE { | | | |
| trackingAreaCode | FFS | different for all cells | Cell 1 Cell 2 |
| cellIdentity | FFS | different for all cells | |
| cellBarred | See table 6.1.2.3.3.2-1 | | Cell 1 Cell 2 |
| } | | | |
| cellSelectionInfo SEQUENCE { | | | |
| q-Rxlevmin | -55 (-110 dBm) | | |
| q-Rxlevminoffset | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| schedulingInformation ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxSI-Message)) OF SEQUENCE {} | Combination 1 in TS 36.508 section 4.4.3.1.1 | Only SIB2 and SIB3 are transmitted | Cell 1 Cell 2 |
| } | | | |

Table 6.1.2.3.3.3-3 *SystemInformationBlockType3* for cells 1 and 2 (Preamble and all steps, table 6.1.2.3.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.4.3.3, Table 4.4.3.3-2 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType3 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| cellReselectionInfoCommon SEQUENCE { | | | |
| q-Hyst | dB0 | | |
| t-ReselectionEUTRAN | 7 | | Cell 1 |
| | 7 | | Cell 2 |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

6.1.2.4 Cell reselection

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41 and 36.304 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

6.1.2.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects the cell ranked as the best cell }
  then { UE reselects the new cell }
}
```

6.1.2.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.2 and 5.2.4.6.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.2]

Following rules are used by the UE to limit needed measurements:

- If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} > S_{\text{intrasearch}}$, UE may choose to not perform intra-frequency measurements.
- If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} \leq S_{\text{intrasearch}}$, UE shall perform intra-frequency measurements.
- The UE shall apply the following rules for E-UTRAN inter-frequencies and inter-RAT frequencies which are indicated in system information and for which the UE has priority provided as defined in 5.2.4.1:
 - o For an E-UTRAN inter-frequency or inter-RAT frequency with a reselection priority higher than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRA frequency the UE shall perform measurements of higher priority E-UTRAN inter-frequency or inter-RAT frequencies according to [10].
 - o For an E-UTRAN inter-frequency with a equal or lower reselection priority than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRA frequency and for inter-RAT frequency with lower reselection priority than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRAN frequency:
 - If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} > S_{\text{nonintrasearch}}$ UE may choose not to perform measurements of E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies of equal or lower priority.
 - If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} \leq S_{\text{nonintrasearch}}$ the UE shall perform measurements of E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies cells of equal or lower priority according to [10].

Where $S_{\text{ServingCell}}$ is the S_{rxlev} -value of the serving cell.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.6]

The cell-ranking criterion R_s for serving cell and R_n for neighbouring cells is defined by:

$$R_s = Q_{\text{meas},s} + Q_{\text{hyst},s}$$

$$R_n = Q_{\text{meas},n} - Q_{\text{offset}}$$

where:

| | |
|---------------------|---|
| Q_{meas} | RSRP measurement quantity used in cell reselections. |
| Q_{offset} | For intra-frequency: Equals to $Q_{\text{offset},n}$, if $Q_{\text{offset},n}$ is valid, otherwise this equals to zero. For inter-frequency: Equals to $Q_{\text{offset},s,n}$ plus $Q_{\text{offset}_{\text{frequency}}}$, if $Q_{\text{offset}_{s,n}}$ is valid, otherwise this equals to $Q_{\text{offset}_{\text{frequency}}}$. |

The UE shall perform ranking of all cells that fulfill the cell selection criterion S , which is defined in 5.2.1.2

The cells shall be ranked according to the R criteria specified above, deriving $Q_{\text{meas},n}$ and $Q_{\text{meas},s}$ and calculating the R values using averaged RSRP results.

If a cell is ranked as the best cell the UE shall perform cell re-selection to that cell. If this cell is found to be non-suitable, the UE shall behave according to subclause 5.2.4.4.

In all cases, the UE shall reselect the new cell, only if the following conditions are met:

- the new cell is better ranked than the serving cell during a time interval $T_{\text{reselection}}$,
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

6.1.2.4.3 Test description

6.1.2.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 4 are high quality cells on the same E-UTRA frequency:
 - Cell 1 serving cell, $S_{\text{rxlev}}_{\text{Cell 1}} > 0$ (FFS $Q_{\text{rxlevmeas}}$, Q_{rxlevmin})
 - Cell 2 $S_{\text{rxlev}}_{\text{Cell 2}} > 0$ (FFS $Q_{\text{rxlevmeas}}$, Q_{rxlevmin})
 - Cell 4 $S_{\text{rxlev}}_{\text{Cell 4}} > 0$ (FFS $Q_{\text{rxlevmeas}}$, Q_{rxlevmin})

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) on Cell 1 according to [18].

6.1.2.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 6.1.2.4.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 6.1.2.4.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Cell 4 | Remark |
|-----------|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | Shall be assigned values to satisfy $S_{\text{rxlev}}_{\text{Cell 1}} > S_{\text{rxlev}}_{\text{Cell 2}} > S_{\text{rxlev}}_{\text{Cell 4}}$, such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | Power P11 shall be assigned values to satisfy $R_{\text{Cell 1}} < R_{\text{Cell 2}}$. |

Table 6.1.2.4.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS changes Cell 1 level according to the row "T1" in table 6.1.2.4.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Wait for [5s] for the UE to perform cell reselection procedure. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 2? | - | - | 1 | P |

6.1.2.4.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 6.1.2.4.3.3-1: SystemInformationBlockType3 for Cell 1 (pre-test conditions)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-2 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType3 ::= SEQUENCE { cellReselectionInfoCommon SEQUENCE { q-Hyst } ... } | dB0 | | |

6.1.2.5 Cell reselection for inter-band operation

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41 and 36.304 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

6.1.2.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects the cell re-selection criteria are met for the cell on the different frequency band }
  then { UE reselects the new cell }
}

```

6.1.2.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.1, 5.2.4.2 and 5.2.4.5.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.1]

Absolute priorities of different E-UTRAN frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies may be provided to the UE in the system information or in the RRC message releasing the RRC connection. If priorities are assigned via dedicated signalling, the UE shall ignore all the priorities provided in system information. The UE shall delete priorities provided by dedicated signalling when:

- the UE enters RRC_CONNECTED state; or
- the optional validity time of dedicated priorities (T320) expires; or
- a PLMN selection is performed on request by NAS [5].

NOTE: Equal priorities between RATs are not supported.

UE shall only perform reselection evaluation for E-UTRAN frequencies and inter-RAT frequencies that are given in system information and for which the UE has a priority provided.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.2]

Following rules are used by the UE to limit needed measurements:

- If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} > S_{\text{intrasearch}}$, UE may choose to not perform intra-frequency measurements.
- If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} \leq S_{\text{intrasearch}}$, UE shall perform intra-frequency measurements.
- The UE shall apply the following rules for E-UTRAN inter-frequencies and inter-RAT frequencies which are indicated in system information and for which the UE has priority provided as defined in 5.2.4.1:
 - o For an E-UTRAN inter-frequency or inter-RAT frequency with a reselection priority higher than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRA frequency the UE shall perform measurements of higher priority E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies according to [10].

- o For an E-UTRAN inter-frequency with a equal or lower reselection priority than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRA frequency and for inter-RAT frequency with lower reselection priority than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRAN frequency:
 - If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} > S_{\text{nonintrasearch}}$ UE may choose not to perform measurements of E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies of equal or lower priority.
 - If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} \leq S_{\text{nonintrasearch}}$ the UE shall perform measurements of E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies cells of equal or lower priority according to [10].

Where $S_{\text{ServingCell}}$ is the S_{rxlev} -value of the serving cell.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.5]

Criteria 1: the $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ of a cell on evaluated frequency is greater than $\text{Thresh}_{x, \text{high}}$ during a time interval $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$;

Cell reselection to a cell on a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency shall be performed if:

- A cell of a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency fulfills criteria 1; and
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

Cell reselection to a cell on a lower priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency shall be performed if:

- No cell on serving frequency or on a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency fulfills the criteria 1; and
- $S_{\text{ServingCell}} < \text{Thresh}_{\text{serving}, \text{low}}$ and the $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ of a cell of a lower priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency is greater than $\text{Thresh}_{x, \text{low}}$ during a time interval $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$; and
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

Cell reselection to a cell on an equal priority E-UTRAN frequency shall be based on ranking for Intra-frequency Cell Reselection as defined in sub-clause 5.2.4.6.

$S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ is the S_{rxlev} -value of a evaluated cell. In all the above criteria the value of $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$ is scaled when the UE is in the medium or high mobility state as defined in subclause 5.2.4.6. If more than one cell meets the above criteria, the UE shall reselect a cell ranked as the best cell among the cells meeting the criteria on the highest priority RAT or the highest priority frequency if the highest priority RAT is E-UTRA.

Note: It is FFS what the definition is for $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ for cdma2000 RATs.

6.1.2.5.3 Test description

6.1.2.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 3 and Cell 10

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) on Cell 1 according to [18].

6.1.2.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 6.1.2.5.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 6.1.2.5.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 3 | Cell 10 | Remark |
|-----------|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | Shall be assigned values to satisfy $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 3} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 10}$, such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P13 (FFS) | Cell 3 and Cell 10 becomes stronger than $Thresh_{x, high}$ |

Table 6.1.2.5.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS changes Cell 1, Cell 3 and Cell 10 level according to the row "T1" in table 6.1.2.5.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Wait for [5 s] for the UE to perform cell reselection procedure. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 10? | - | - | 1 | P |

6.1.2.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 6.1.2.5.3.3-1: SystemInformationBlockType3 for Cell 1 (pre-test conditions)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-2 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType3 ::= SEQUENCE { cellReselectionServingFreqInfo SEQUENCE { cellReselectionPriority } ... } | 1 | | |

Table 6.1.2.5.3.3-2: SystemInformationBlockType5 for Cell 1 (pre-test conditions)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-4 | | | |
|---|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType5 ::= SEQUENCE { interFreqCarrierFreqList SEQUENCE { eutra-CarrierFreq[1] SEQUENCE { earfcn-DL } } cellReselectionPriority[1] eutra-CarrierFreq[2] SEQUENCE { earfcn-DL } cellReselectionPriority[2] } | 2 entries Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 3 3 Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 10 5 | | |

6.1.2.6 Cell reselection using Qhyst, Qoffset and Treselection

6.1.2.6.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state, and the UE is not in high mobility state }
ensure that {
  when { Qhyst is non-zero in system information }
    then { UE reselects the highest ranked cell taking this Qhyst value into account }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state, and the UE is not in high mobility state }
ensure that {
  when { cell reselection criteria are fulfilled during a time interval Treselection }
    then { UE reselects the highest ranked cell }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state, and the UE is not in high mobility state }
ensure that {
  when { Qoffset is non-zero in system information }
    then { UE reselects the highest ranked cell taking this Qoffset value into account }
}
```

6.1.2.6.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS36.300, clause 10.1.1.2 and TS 36.304, clauses 5.2.1 and 5.2.4.6 and TS 36.331 clause 6.3.1.

[TS 36.300, clause 10.1.1.2]

UE in RRC_IDLE performs cell reselection. The principles of the procedure are the following:

- The UE makes measurements of attributes of the serving and neighbour cells to enable the reselection process:
 - There is no need to indicate neighbouring cell in the serving cell system information to enable the UE to search and measure a cell i.e. E-UTRAN relies on the UE to detect the neighbouring cells;
 - For the search and measurement of inter-frequency neighbouring cells, only the carrier frequencies need to be indicated;
 - Measurements may be omitted if the serving cell attribute fulfils particular search or measurement criteria.
- Cell reselection identifies the cell that the UE should camp on. It is based on cell reselection criteria which involves measurements of the serving and neighbour cells:
 - Intra-frequency reselection is based on ranking of cells;
- ...
- Cell reselection parameters are applicable for all UEs in a cell, ...

...

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.1]

...

When camped on a cell, the UE shall regularly search for a better cell according to the cell reselection criteria. If a better cell is found, that cell is selected.

...

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.6]

The cell-ranking criterion R_s for serving cell and R_n for neighbouring cells is defined by:

$$R_s = Q_{\text{meas},s} + Q_{\text{hyst},s}$$

$$R_n = Q_{\text{meas},n} - Q_{\text{offset}}$$

where:

| | |
|---------------------|--|
| Q_{meas} | RSRP measurement quantity used in cell reselections. |
| Q_{offset} | Equals to $Q_{\text{offset},n}$ if it is valid otherwise this equals to $Q_{\text{offset},\text{frequency}}$ |

The UE shall perform ranking of all cells that fulfill the cell selection criterion S , which is defined in 5.2.1.2

RAN5 Editor's note: This reference (5.2.1.2) in 36.304 is incorrect and should be replaced with 5.2.3.2.

The cells shall be ranked according to the R criteria specified above, deriving $Q_{\text{meas},n}$ and $Q_{\text{meas},s}$ and calculating the R values using averaged RSRP results.

If a cell is ranked as the best cell the UE shall perform cell re-selection to that cell.

...

In all cases, the UE shall reselect the new cell, only if the following conditions are met:

- the new cell is better ranked than the serving cell during a time interval $T_{\text{reselection},s}$

...

- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

Note: There may need to have additional measurement quantities in criterion R .

Note: Scaling of measurement rule parameters need to be specified when parameters are finalized.

Note: Exact scaling parameters for different mobility states are FFS.

[TS 36.331, clause 6.3.1]

...

The IE *SystemInformationBlockType4* contains information about the serving neighbouring frequencyies and intra-frequency neighbouring cells relevant for cell re-selection, covering both E-UTRA and other RATs. The IE includes cell re-selection parameters common for a frequency as well as cell specific re-selection parameters.

...

6.1.2.6.3 Test description

6.1.2.6.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2
- Cell 1 and Cell 2 are high quality cells on the same E-UTRA frequency and different tracking areas:
 - Cell 1 serving cell, $S_{\text{rxlev}}_{\text{Cell 1}} > 0$, (FFS $Q_{\text{rxlevmeas}}$, Q_{rxlevmin})
 - Cell 2 intra-frequency cell $S_{\text{rxlev}}_{\text{Cell 2}} > 0$, (FFS $Q_{\text{rxlevmeas}}$, Q_{rxlevmin})
- All cells broadcast system information. Serving cell does not continuously page UE. Normal response to *RRConnectionRequest* so Attach can be done

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

6.1.2.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Rows marked "T0" denote the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1", "T2", "T3", "T4", "T5", "T6" and "T7" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter change

| Ti | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|-----------|--------------------|------|------------|------------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | Shall be assigned values to ensure $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 2}$ such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| | Tracking Area Code | - | TAC1 (FFS) | TAC2 (FFS) | |
| | Qhyst | dB | ≠0 (FFS) | 0 | |
| | Qoffset | dB | 0 | 0 | |
| | Treselection | s | 0 | 0 | |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P02 (FFS) | P01 (FFS) | Cell 2 becomes stronger than Cell 1 but Cell 1 remains the highest ranked one due to $Qhyst_{sCell\ 1}$ |
| T2 | Qhyst | dB | 0 | 0 | $Qhyst_{sCell\ 1}$ change causes Cell 2 to become highest ranked cell |
| T3 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | Cell 1 becomes the strongest |
| | Qoffset | dB | ≠0 (FFS) | 0 | Cell 1 becomes the highest ranked |
| T4 | Ro | dBm | P02 (FFS) | P01 (FFS) | Cell 1 becomes weaker but it remains the highest ranked one due to $Qoffset_{s,nCell\ 1}$ |
| T5 | Qoffset | dB | 0 | 0 | Cell 2 becomes the highest ranked one due to $Qoffset_{s,nCell\ 1}$ change |
| T6 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | Cell 1 becomes the highest ranked one |
| | Treselection | s | 7 | 0 | |
| T7 | Ro | dBm | P02 (FFS) | P01 (FFS) | Cell 2 becomes the highest ranked cell |

Table 6.1.2.6.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS re-adjusts re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal levels according to row "T1" in table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Wait to see if there is any random access request from the UE on Cell 2? | - | - | 1 | F |
| 3 | SS resets $Q_{\text{hyst}}^{\text{Cell1}}$ according to row "T2" in table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1. and notifies UE of the system information change. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Wait to see if there is any random access request from the UE on Cell 2? | - | - | 1 | P |
| 5 | SS changes $Q_{\text{offset}}^{\text{s,nCell1}}$ and re-adjusts cell-specific reference signal levels according to rows "T3" in table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Wait until there is any random access requests from the UE on Cell 1 | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | SS re-adjusts cell-specific reference signal levels according to row "T4" in table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Wait to see if there is any random access requests from the UE on Cell 2? | - | - | 3 | F |
| 9 | SS resets $Q_{\text{offset}}^{\text{s,nCell1}}$ according to row "T5" in table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1 and notifies UE of the system information change. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Wait to see if there is any random access request from the UE on Cell 2? | - | - | 3 | P |
| 11 | SS changes $T_{\text{reselection}}^{\text{Cell 1}}$ and re-adjusts cell-specific reference signal levels according to rows "T6" in table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | Wait until there is any random access requests from the UE on Cell 1 | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | SS re-adjusts cell-specific reference signal levels according to rows "T7" in table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1 and waits $T_{\text{evaluateFDD,intra s}}$ (TS 36.133 clause 4.2.2.3) for FDD and TBD for TDD. | - | - | - | - |
| 14 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 2 within the next 5 s? | - | - | 2 | F |
| 15 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 2 within the next 7 s? | - | - | 2 | P |

Editor's note: The wait time in steps 2, 6, 8 and 12 has to cover the cell reselection delay according to TS 36.133 plus the required tolerance to allow the UE to perform cell reselection (FFS).

Editor's note: The wait time in steps 4 and 10 is required to allow UE enough time to read serving cell system information and perform cell reselection (FFS).

Editor's note: The time interval in step 14 is set by $T_{\text{reselection}}^{\text{Cell 1}} - 2 \text{ s}$ tolerance. The time interval in step 15 is set by 2 s tolerance + 1280 ms for DRX cycle + 1280 ms for system information block type scheduling + 2 s tolerance.

6.1.2.6.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 6.1.2.6.3.3-1 Conditions for tables 6.1.2.6.3.3-2 and 6.1.2.6.3.3-3

| Condition descriptions |
|--|
| Cell 1 This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 1. |
| Cell 2 This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 2. |

Table 6.1.2.6.3.3-2 SystemInformationBlockType3 for cells 1 and 2 (preamble and table 6.1.2.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.4.3.3 | | | |
|--|--------------------------|---------|------------------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType3 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| cellReselectionInfoCommon SEQUENCE { | | | |
| q-Hyst | See table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1. | | Cell 1 Cell 2 |
| t-Reselection | See table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1 | | Cell 1 Cell 2 |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 6.1.2.6.3.3-3 SystemInformationBlockType4 for cell 1 and 2 (preamble and table 6.1.2.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.4.3.3 | | | |
|---|--|---------|------------------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType4 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| intraFreqNeighbouringCellList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellIntra)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| physicalCellIdentity [1] | Physical cell identity of Cell 2 Physical cell identity of Cell 1 | | Cell 1 Cell 2 |
| q-OffsetCell [1] | See table 6.1.2.6.3.2-1. | | Cell 1 Cell 2 |
| } | | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |

6.1.2.15 Inter-frequency cell reselection according to cell reselection priority provided by SIBs

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41 and 36.304 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

6.1.2.15.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects the cell re-selection criteria are met for the cell which belongs to the equal
priority frequency }
  then { UE reselects the cell which belongs to the equal priority frequency }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects the cell re-selection criteria are met for the cell which belongs to the higher
priority frequency }
  then { UE reselects the cell which belongs to the higher priority frequency }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects the cell re-selection criteria are met for the cell which belongs to the lower
priority frequency }
  then { UE reselects the cell which belongs to the lower priority frequency }
}
```

6.1.2.15.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.1, 5.2.4.2, 5.2.4.5 and 5.2.4.6.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.1]

Absolute priorities of different E-UTRAN frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies may be provided to the UE in the system information or in the RRC message releasing the RRC connection. If priorities are assigned via dedicated signalling, the UE shall ignore all the priorities provided in system information. The UE shall delete priorities provided by dedicated signalling when:

- the UE enters RRC_CONNECTED state; or
- the optional validity time of dedicated priorities (T320) expires; or
- a PLMN selection is performed on request by NAS [5].

NOTE: Equal priorities between RATs are not supported.

UE shall only perform reselection evaluation for E-UTRAN frequencies and inter-RAT frequencies that are given in system information and for which the UE has a priority provided.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.2]

Following rules are used by the UE to limit needed measurements:

- If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} > S_{\text{intrasearch}}$, UE may choose to not perform intra-frequency measurements.
- If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} \leq S_{\text{intrasearch}}$, UE shall perform intra-frequency measurements.
- The UE shall apply the following rules for E-UTRAN inter-frequencies and inter-RAT frequencies which are indicated in system information and for which the UE has priority provided as defined in 5.2.4.1:
 - o For an E-UTRAN inter-frequency or inter-RAT frequency with a reselection priority higher than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRA frequency the UE shall perform measurements of higher priority E-UTRAN inter-frequency or inter-RAT frequencies according to [10].
 - o For an E-UTRAN inter-frequency with a equal or lower reselection priority than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRA frequency and for inter-RAT frequency with lower reselection priority than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRAN frequency:
 - If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} > S_{\text{nonintrasearch}}$ UE may choose to not perform measurements of E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies of equal or lower priority.
 - If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} \leq S_{\text{nonintrasearch}}$ the UE shall perform measurements of E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies cells of equal or lower priority according to [10].

Where $S_{\text{ServingCell}}$ is the S_{rxlev} -value of the serving cell.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.5]

Criteria 1: the $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ of a cell on evaluated frequency is greater than $\text{Thresh}_{x, \text{high}}$ during a time interval $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$;

Cell reselection to a cell on a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency shall be performed if:

- A cell of a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency fulfills criteria 1; and
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

Cell reselection to a cell on a lower priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency shall be performed if:

- No cell on serving frequency or on a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency fulfills the criteria 1; and

- $S_{\text{ServingCell}} < \text{Thresh}_{\text{Serving, low}}$ and the $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ of a cell of a lower priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency is greater than $\text{Thresh}_{x, \text{low}}$ during a time interval $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$; and
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

Cell reselection to a cell on an equal priority E-UTRAN frequency shall be based on ranking for Intra-frequency Cell Reselection as defined in sub-clause 5.2.4.6.

$S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ is the S_{rxlev} -value of a evaluated cell. In all the above criteria the value of $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$ is scaled when the UE is in the medium or high mobility state as defined in subclause 5.2.4.6. If more than one cell meets the above criteria, the UE shall reselect a cell ranked as the best cell among the cells meeting the criteria on the highest priority RAT or the highest priority frequency if the highest priority RAT is E-UTRA.

Note: It is FFS what the definition is for $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ for cdma2000 RATs.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.6]

The cell-ranking criterion R_s for serving cell and R_n for neighbouring cells is defined by:

$$R_s = Q_{\text{meas},s} + Q_{\text{hyst}_s}$$

$$R_n = Q_{\text{meas},n} - Q_{\text{offset}}$$

where:

| | |
|---------------------|---|
| Q_{meas} | RSRP measurement quantity used in cell reselections. |
| Q_{offset} | For intra-frequency: Equals to $Q_{\text{offsets},n}$, if $Q_{\text{offsets},n}$ is valid, otherwise this equals to zero. For inter-frequency: Equals to $Q_{\text{offsets},n}$ plus $Q_{\text{offset}_{\text{frequency}}}$, if $Q_{\text{offsets},n}$ is valid, otherwise this equals to $Q_{\text{offset}_{\text{frequency}}}$. |

The UE shall perform ranking of all cells that fulfill the cell selection criterion S , which is defined in 5.2.1.2

The cells shall be ranked according to the R criteria specified above, deriving $Q_{\text{meas},n}$ and $Q_{\text{meas},s}$ and calculating the R values using averaged RSRP results.

If a cell is ranked as the best cell the UE shall perform cell re-selection to that cell. If this cell is found to be non-suitable, the UE shall behave according to subclause 5.2.4.4.

In all cases, the UE shall reselect the new cell, only if the following conditions are met:

- the new cell is better ranked than the serving cell during a time interval Treselection_s
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

6.1.2.15.3 Test description

6.1.2.15.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 3 and Cell 6

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) on Cell 1 according to [18].

6.1.2.15.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 6.1.2.15.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1", "T2" and "T3" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 6.1.2.15.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 3 | Cell 6 | Remark |
|-----------|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | Shall be assigned values to satisfy $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 3} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 6}$ and $Srxlev_{Cell\ 6} < Thresh_{Cell\ 1}$ such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be assigned values to satisfy $R_{Cell\ 1} < R_{Cell\ 3}$. |
| T2 | Ro | dBm | P21 (FFS) | P22 (FFS) | P23 (FFS) | P21, P22 and P23 shall be assigned to satisfy $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} < 0$ and $Srxlev_{Cell\ 6} > Thresh_{Cell\ 3, high}$. |
| T3 | Ro | dBm | P21 (FFS) | P32 (FFS) | P33 (FFS) | P32 and P33 shall be assigned values to satisfy $Srxlev_{Cell\ 6} < Thresh_{serving, low}$ and $Srxlev_{Cell\ 3} > Thresh_{Cell\ 6, low}$, $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} < Srxlev_{Cell\ 3}$ |

Table 6.1.2.15.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 3 level according to the row "T1" in table 6.1.2.15.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 3? | - | - | 1 | P |
| 3 | Wait for 5 s. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS changes Cell 1, Cell 3 and Cell 6 level according to the row "T2" in table 6.1.2.15.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 6? | - | - | 2 | P |
| 6 | Wait for 5s. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | The SS changes Cell 3 and Cell 6 level according to the row "T3" in table 6.1.2.15.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 3? | - | - | 3 | P |

6.1.2.15.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 6.1.2.15.3.3-1: Conditions for specific message contents in tables 6.1.2.15.3.3-2 and 6.1.2.15.3.3-3

| Condition | Explanation |
|-----------|---|
| Cell 1 | This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 1. |
| Cell 3 | This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 3. |
| Cell 11 | This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 6. |

Table 6.1.2.15.3.3-2: SystemInformationBlockType3 for Cell 1, Cell 3 and Cell 6 (preamble and all steps, Table 6.1.2.15.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-2 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType3 ::= SEQUENCE { cellReselectionServingFreqInfo SEQUENCE { cellReselectionPriority } } | 5 | | Cell 6 |

Table 6.1.2.15.3.3-2: SystemInformationBlockType5 for Cell 1, Cell 3 and Cell 6 (preamble and all steps, Table 6.1.2.15.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-4 | | | |
|---|---|---------|---|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType5 ::= SEQUENCE { interFreqCarrierFreqList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxFreq)) OF SEQUENCE { eutra-CarrierFreq[1] SEQUENCE { earfcn-DL } eutra-CarrierFreq[2] SEQUENCE { earfcn-DL } } cellReselectionPriority[2] } | 2 entries EARFCN of Cell 3 EARFCN of Cell 1 EARFCN of Cell 6 EARFCN of Cell 3 5 4 | | Cell 1 Cell 3, Cell 6 Cell 1, Cell 3 Cell 6 Cell 1, Cell 3 |

7 Layer 2

7.1 MAC

7.1.1 Mapping between logical channels and transport channels

7.1.1.1 CCCH mapped to UL SCH/ DL-SCH / Reserved LCID (Logical Channel ID)

Editors Note: This test case should be updated when description of disassembly and demultiplexing is added in 36.5231 clause 5.3.3. Also, there is currently no core specification requirements matching with the first test purpose.

7.1.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and after transmitting a RRCConnectionRequest message}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU on DL SCH and addressed to its T-CRNTI but including a reserved value for LCID }
  then { UE discards the MAC PDU }
```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and after transmitting a RRCConnectionRequest message}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU on DL SCH and addressed to its T-CRNTI with value '00000'B as LCID }
  then { UE forwards to upper layers the disassembled and demultiplexed SDU on logical channel
        CCCH }
}

```

7.1.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 6.2.1 and 5.3.3.

[TS 36.321, clause 6.2.1]

The MAC header is of variable size and consists of the following fields:

- LCID: The Logical Channel ID field identifies the logical channel instance of the corresponding MAC SDU or the type of the corresponding MAC control element or padding as described in tables 6.2.1-1 and 6.2.1-2 for the DL and UL-SCH respectively. There is one LCID field for each MAC SDU, MAC control element or padding included in the MAC PDU. The LCID field size is 5 bits;

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Table 6.2.1-1 Values of LCID for DL-SCH

| Index | LCID values |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|
| 00000 | CCCH |
| 00001-01010 | Identity of the logical channel |
| 01011-11011 | Reserved |
| 11100 | UE Contention Resolution Identity |
| 11101 | Timing Advance |
| 11110 | DRX Command |
| 11111 | Padding |

[TS 36.321, clause 5.3.3]

Editor's note: This section describes the disassembly and demultiplexing of MAC PDUs into MAC SDUs

7.1.1.1.3 Test description

7.1.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

7.1.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: Steps 1 to 4 shall be repeated for decreasing reserved LCID values from 01011 to 11011. | | | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including a matched identity. | - | - | 1 | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | - | - | 1 | - |
| 3 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> , and Contention Resolution Identity MAC Control Element except for LCID in MAC Header set to reserved value 11011 or lower (depending on iteration number). | <-- | MAC PDU | 1 | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel with step 4, UE may execute parallel behaviour defined in table 7.1.1.1.3.2-2 | | | | |
| 4 | Check: For 5 seconds after Step3, does the UE transmit <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message? | - | - | 1 | F |
| 5 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including a matched identity. | - | - | 2 | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | - | - | 2 | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits a valid MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> , and Contention Resolution Identity MAC Control Element and LCID in MAC Header set correctly to CCCH 00000 | <-- | MAC PDU | 2 | - |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message? | - | - | 2 | P |

Table 7.1.1.1.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | - | - | - | - |

7.1.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.1.1.2 DTCH or DCCH mapped to UL SCH/ DL-SCH / Reserved LCID (Logical Channel ID)

7.1.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB [Logical channel ID 3] established}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU on DL SCH and addressed to its CRNTI but including a reserved value
    for LCID }
  then { UE shall not forward the disassembled and demultiplexed SDU on the configured logical
    channels }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and after transmitting a RRCConnectionRequest message}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU on DL SCH and addressed to its CRNTI with value '00011'B as LCID }
  then { UE shall forward the disassembled and demultiplexed SDU on the corresponding logical
channel }
}

```

Editors Note: This clause needs to be updated based on 36.321 clause 5.3.3

7.1.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 6.2.1 and 5.3.3.

[TS 36.321, clause 6.2.1]

The MAC header is of variable size and consists of the following fields:

- LCID: The Logical Channel ID field identifies the logical channel instance of the corresponding MAC SDU or the type of the corresponding MAC control element or padding as described in tables 6.2.1-1 and 6.2.1-2 for the DL and UL-SCH respectively. There is one LCID field for each MAC SDU, MAC control element or padding included in the MAC PDU. The LCID field size is 5 bits;

...

Table 6.2.1-1 Values of LCID for DL-SCH

| Index | LCID values |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|
| 00000 | CCCH |
| 00001-01010 | Identity of the logical channel |
| 01011-11011 | Reserved |
| 11100 | UE Contention Resolution Identity |
| 11101 | Timing Advance |
| 11110 | DRX Command |
| 11111 | Padding |

[TS 36.321, clause 5.3.3]

Editor's note: This section describes the disassembly and demultiplexing of MAC PDUs into MAC SDUs

7.1.1.2.3 Test description

7.1.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

Note: In the following, the established DRB is assumed to have Logical channel ID 3

7.1.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: the steps 1 and 2 are repeated for decreasing reserved LCID values from 01011 to 11011 | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits a valid MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU except for LCID in MAC Header set to reserved value 11011. | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a Scheduling Request on PUCCH within 5 seconds after step 1? | --> | (SR) | 1 | F |
| 3 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU containing RLC PDU with LCID in MAC Header set correctly to DRB 00011. | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmits a Scheduling Request on PUCCH? | --> | (SR) | 2 | P |
| 5 | The SS sends an UL grant suitable for the loop back PDU to transmitted | <-- | (UL Grant) | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU with LCID set to DRB 00011? | -> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |

7.1.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.1.2 RACH

7.1.2.1 Correct Selection of RACH parameters / Random Access Preamble and PRACH resource explicitly signalled to the UE by RRC [Non Contention Based Random Access Procedure]

7.1.2.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { SS sends an RRCConnectionReconfiguration message including RACH-ConfigDedicated information element }
  then { UE sends a prach preamble given in the RACH-ConfigDedicated on the target cell }
}

```

7.1.2.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clauses 5.1.2 and 5.1.4.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.2]

The Random Access Resource procedure shall be performed as follows:

- If the Random Access Preamble and PRACH resource have been explicitly signalled:
 - the UE can directly proceed to the transmission of the Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3).

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.4]

Once the Random Access Preamble is transmitted and regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap, the UE shall monitor the PDCCH for Random Access Response(s) identified by the RA-RNTI defined below, in the TTI window RA_WINDOW_BEGIN—RA_WINDOW_END which starts at the subframe that contains the end of the preamble transmission [7] plus three subframes and has length ra-ResponseWindowSize subframes. The RA-RNTI associated with the PRACH resource in which the Random Access Preamble is transmitted, is computed as:

$$\text{RA-RNTI} = t_id + 10 * f_id$$

Where t_id is the index of the first subframe of the specified PRACH resource ($0 \leq t_id < 10$), and f_id is the index of the specified PRACH resource within that subframe, in ascending order of frequency domain ($0 \leq f_id < 6$). The UE may stop monitoring for Random Access Response(s) after successful reception of a Random Access Response corresponding to the Random Access Preamble transmission.

- If a downlink assignment for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the RA-RNTI and the received TB is successfully decoded, the UE shall regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap:

...

- if the Random Access Response contains a Random Access Preamble identifier corresponding to the transmitted Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3), the UE shall:
 - consider this Random Access Response reception successful;
 - process the received Timing Alignment value (see subclause 5.2);
 - process the received UL grant value and indicate it to the lower layers;
 - if the Random Access Preamble was explicitly signalled (i.e., not selected by MAC):
 - consider the Random Access procedure successfully completed.

7.1.2.1.3 Test description

7.1.2.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] in cell 1.

7.1.2.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2, including explicit Random Access Preamble. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit Preamble on PRACH corresponding to <i>ra-PreambleIndex</i> in step 1? | --> | (PRACH Preamble) | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits Random Access Response on cell 2, with RAPID corresponding to <i>ra-PreambleIndex</i> in step 1 | <-- | Random Access Response | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE send on cell 2, a MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> ? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 5 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state in cell 2? | - | - | - | - |

7.1.2.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.1.2.1.3.3-1: *RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION* (step 1, table 7.1.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|--|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { <i>rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8</i> SEQUENCE { mobilityControlInformation SEQUENCE { targetCellIdentity eutra-CarrierFreq rach-ConfigDedicated SEQUENCE { ra-PreambleIndex } } } } } } | MobilityControlInformation-HO PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) Not present Arbitrarily set to value not included in SI | | |

7.1.2.2 Correct Selection of RACH parameters / Random Access Preamble and PRACH resource explicitly signalled to the UE in PDCCH Order [Non Contention Based Random Access Procedure]

7.1.2.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { PDCCH control command is received providing Random Access Preamble }
  then { UE sends a prach preamble given in the PDCCH Order }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and transmitted PRACH Preamble, after reception of PDCCH
order }
ensure that {
  when { UE does not receive a matching Random Access response in ra-ResponseWindowSize (hence
considers RACH attempt as failed) and PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER is less than PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX
}
  then { UE retransmits the Preamble given in the PDCCH Order }
}

```

(3)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and transmitted PRACH Preamble, after reception of PDCCH
order }
ensure that {
  when { PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER is not less than PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX }
  then { UE does not transmit the Preamble given in the PDCCH Order }
}

```

7.1.2.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clauses 5.1.2 and 5.1.24.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.2]

The Random Access Resource procedure shall be performed as follows:

- If the Random Access Preamble and PRACH resource have been explicitly:
 - the UE can directly proceed to the transmission of the Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3).

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.4]

Once the Random Access Preamble is transmitted and regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap, the UE shall monitor the PDCCH for Random Access Response(s) identified by the RA-RNTI defined below, in the TTI window RA_WINDOW_BEGIN—RA_WINDOW_END which starts at the subframe that contains the end of the preamble transmission [7] plus three subframes and has length ra-ResponseWindowSize subframes. The RA-RNTI associated with the PRACH resource in which the Random Access Preamble is transmitted, is computed as:

$$\text{RA-RNTI} = t_id + 10 * f_id$$

Where t_id is the index of the first subframe of the specified PRACH resource ($0 \leq t_id < 10$), and f_id is the index of the specified PRACH resource within that subframe, in ascending order of frequency domain ($0 \leq f_id < 6$). The UE may stop monitoring for Random Access Response(s) after successful reception of a Random Access Response corresponding to the Random Access Preamble transmission.

- If a downlink assignment for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the RA-RNTI and the received TB is successfully decoded, the UE shall regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap:

...

- if the Random Access Response contains a Random Access Preamble identifier corresponding to the transmitted Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3), the UE shall:
 - consider this Random Access Response reception successful;
 - process the received Timing Alignment value (see subclause 5.2);
 - process the received UL grant value and indicate it to the lower layers;
 - if the Random Access Preamble was explicitly signalled (i.e., not selected by MAC):
 - consider the Random Access procedure successfully completed.

...

If no Random Access Response is received within the TTI window [RA_WINDOW_BEGIN—RA_WINDOW_END], or if all received Random Access Responses contain Random Access Preamble identifiers that do not match the

transmitted Random Access Preamble, the Random Access Response reception is considered not successful and the UE shall:

- if the Random Access procedure was initiated by the MAC sublayer itself; or
- if the Random Access procedure was initiated by a PDCCH order and the PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER is less than PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX:
 - increment PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER by 1;
 - if in this Random Access procedure:
 - the Random Access Preamble was selected by MAC:
 - based on the backoff parameter in the UE, select a random backoff time according to a uniform distribution between 0 and the Backoff Parameter Value;
 - delay the subsequent Random Access transmission by the backoff time;
 - proceed to the selection of a Random Access Resource (see subclause 5.1.2).

7.1.2.2.3 Test description

7.1.2.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] in cell 1

7.1.2.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a PDCCH order providing Random Access Preamble. | <-- | (PDCCH Order) | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH using the same preamble index as given in step 1? | --> | (PRACH Preamble) | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH after <i>ra-ResponseWindowSize</i> using the same preamble index as given in step 1? | --> | (PRACH Preamble) | 2 | P |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH after <i>ra-ResponseWindowSize</i> using the same preamble index as given in step 1? | --> | (PRACH Preamble) | 2 | P |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH after <i>ra-ResponseWindowSize</i> using the same preamble index as given in step 1? | --> | (PRACH Preamble) | 2 | P |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a RACH preamble within the next 5 seconds? | --> | (PRACH Preamble) | 3 | F |
| 7 | The SS transmits a PDCCH order providing Random Access Preamble. | <-- | (PDCCH Order) | - | - |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH after <i>ra-ResponseWindowSize</i> using the same preamble index as given in step 7? | --> | (PRACH Preamble) | 1 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmits Random Access Response with RAPID corresponding to Preamble in step 8 | <-- | Random Access Response | - | - |
| 10 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | - | - |

7.1.2.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.1.2.2.3.3-1: *SystemInformationBlockType2* (all steps, table 7.1.2.2.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.4.3.3, Table Nr. 4.4.3.3.-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { radioResourceConfigCommon SEQUENCE { rach-Configuration SEQUENCE { ra-SupervisionInformation SEQUENCE { preambleTransMax } } } } } | n3 | PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX | |

7.1.2.3 Correct Selection of RACH parameters, selected by MAC itself [Contention Based Random Access Procedure]

7.1.2.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { SS sends a Paging message to the UE }
    then { UE transmits a random access preamble using a preamble in one of the two groups of random
access preambles indicated in SIB2 }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and have transmitted a RRCCConnectionRequest message }
ensure that {
  when { SS does not respond before contention resolution timer expiry }
  then { UE transmits a random access preamble using a preamble in the same group of random access
preambles as used for the first transmission of the RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}

```

(3)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and Random access procedure initiated by MAC }
ensure that {
  when { SS does not respond before contention resolution timer expiry after more than
PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX transmissions from UE }
  then { UE transmits a random access preamble using a preamble in the same group of random access
preambles as used for the first transmission of the RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}

```

7.1.2.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.1.2 and 5.1.5.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.2]

The Random Access Resource procedure shall be performed as follows:

- If the Random Access Preamble and PRACH resource have been explicitly signalled:
...
- else the Random Access Preamble shall be selected by the UE as follows:
 - If the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU has not yet been transmitted, the UE shall:
 - if Random Access Preambles group B exists and if the potential message size (data available for transmission plus MAC header and, where required, MAC control elements) is greater than MESSAGE_SIZE_GROUP_A and if the pathloss is less than PARTITION_PATHLOSS_THRESHOLD then:
 - select the Random Access Preambles group B;
 - else:
 - select the Random Access Preambles group A.
 - else, if the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU is being retransmitted, the UE shall:
 - select the same group of Random Access Preambles as was used for the preamble transmission attempt corresponding to the first transmission of the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU.
 - randomly select a Random Access Preamble within the selected group. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections can be chosen with equal probability;
 - if more than one PRACH resources are available in the same subframe (TDD), randomly select one. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections can be chosen with equal probability;
 - proceed to the transmission of the Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3).

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.5]

Contention Resolution is based on C-RNTI on PDCCH and UE Contention Resolution Identity on DL-SCH..

Once the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU is transmitted, the UE shall:

- start the Contention Resolution Timer;
- regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap, monitor the PDCCH until the Contention Resolution Timer expires;
- ...
- if the Contention Resolution Timer expires:
 - consider the Contention Resolution not successful.
- if the Contention Resolution is considered not successful the UE shall:
 - if the Random Access procedure was initiated by the MAC sublayer itself; or
 - if the Random Access procedure was initiated by a PDCCH order and the PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER is less than PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX:
 - increment PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER by 1;
 - ...- proceed to the selection of a Random Access Resource (see subclause 5.1.2).
- discard the Temporary C-RNTI.

7.1.2.3.3 Test description

7.1.2.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 (FDD or TDD).
- System information set using parameters as specified in Table 7.1.2.3.3.3-1.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

7.1.2.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.3.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a Paging message including a matched identity. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit preamble on PRACH using a preamble in one of the 2 preamble groups defined in SIB2 (<i>numberOfRA-Preambles</i> and <i>sizeOfRA-PreamblesGroupA</i>)? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit preamble on PRACH using a preamble in one of the 2 preamble groups defined in SIB2 (<i>numberOfRA-Preambles</i> and <i>sizeOfRA-PreamblesGroupA</i>)? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1 | P |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit preamble on PRACH using a preamble in one of the 2 preamble groups defined in SIB2 (<i>numberOfRA-Preambles</i> and <i>sizeOfRA-PreamblesGroupA</i>)? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits Random Access Response with RAPID corresponding to the transmitted Preamble in step 4, including T-CRNTI and not including Backoff Indicator sub header. | <-- | Random Access Response | 2 | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | - | - | 2 | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit preamble on PRACH using a preamble belonging to the same preamble group like the preamble transmitted in step 4? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 2 | P |
| 8 | Check: does the UE continue to repeatedly transmit for 2s after step 2 a preamble belonging to the same preamble group like the preamble transmitted in step 4? Note: 2s is the value of T302. | --> | PRACH Preamble | 2, 3 | P |

7.1.2.3.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.1.2.3.3.3-1: SystemInformationBlockType2 (all steps, table 7.1.2.3.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 clause 4.4.3.3, Table 4.4.3.3.-1 | | | |
|---|--|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { radioResourceConfigCommon SEQUENCE { rach-Configuration SEQUENCE { preambleInformation SEQUENCE { sizeOfRA-PreamblesGroupA } } ra-SupervisionInformation SEQUENCE { preambleTransMax } } } } ue-TimersAndConstants SEQUENCE { t300 } } | Any allowed value less than 'numberOfRA-Preambles' n3 ms2000 | PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX T300 | |

7.1.2.4 Random Access Procedure: Successful

7.1.2.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { The SS pages the UE with a matching identity }
  then { UE transmits a random access preamble in the next available Random Access occasion }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state after transmission of a PRACH preamble }
ensure that {
  when { SS does not answer with a matching Random Access Response within ra-ResponseWindowSize }
  then { UE retransmits a PRACH preamble }
}
```

7.1.2.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.1.2, 5.1.3 & 5.1.4.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.2]

The Random Access Resource procedure shall be performed as follows:

- If the Random Access Preamble and PRACH resource have been explicitly signalled:
 - the UE can directly proceed to the transmission of the Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3).
- else the Random Access Preamble shall be selected by the UE as follows:
 - If the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU has not yet been transmitted, the UE shall:
 - if Random Access Preambles group B exists and if the potential message size (data available for transmission plus MAC header and, where required, MAC control elements) is greater than MESSAGE_SIZE_GROUP_A and if the pathloss is less than PARTITION_PATHLOSS_THRESHOLD then:
 - select the Random Access Preambles group B;
 - else:
 - select the Random Access Preambles group A.
 - else, if the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU is being retransmitted, the UE shall:
 - select the same group of Random Access Preambles as was used for the preamble transmission attempt corresponding to the first transmission of the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU.
 - randomly select a Random Access Preamble within the selected group. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections can be chosen with equal probability;
 - if more than one PRACH resources are available in the same subframe (TDD), randomly select one. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections can be chosen with equal probability;
 - proceed to the transmission of the Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3).

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.3]

The random-access procedure shall be performed as follows:

- If PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER = PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX + 1:
 - indicate a Random Access problem to upper layers.
- [- set the parameter PREAMBLE_RECEIVED_TARGET_POWER to
 $\text{PREAMBLE_INITIAL_RECEIVED_TARGET_POWER} + (\text{PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER} - 1) * \text{POWER_RAMP_STEP};$]
- determine the next available Random Access occasion (a UE may take into account the possible occurrence of measurement gaps when determining the next available Random Access occasion);
- instruct the physical layer to transmit a preamble using the selected PRACH resource, corresponding RA-RNTI, preamble index and PREAMBLE_RECEIVED_TARGET_POWER.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.4]

Once the Random Access Preamble is transmitted and regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap, the UE shall monitor the PDCCH for Random Access Response(s) identified by the RA-RNTI defined below, in the TTI window RA_WINDOW_BEGIN—RA_WINDOW_END which starts at the subframe that contains the end of the preamble transmission [7] plus three subframes and has length *ra-ResponseWindowSize* subframes. The RA-RNTI associated with the PRACH resource in which the Random Access Preamble is transmitted, is computed as:

$$\text{RA-RNTI} = t_id + 10 * f_id$$

Where *t_id* is the index of the first subframe of the specified PRACH resource ($0 \leq t_id < 10$), and *f_id* is the index of the specified PRACH resource within that subframe, in ascending order of frequency domain ($0 \leq f_id < 6$). The UE may stop monitoring for Random Access Response(s) after successful reception of a Random Access Response corresponding to the Random Access Preamble transmission.

- If a downlink assignment for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the RA-RNTI and the received TB is successfully decoded, the UE shall regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap:
 - if the Random Access Response contains a Backoff Indicator sub header:
 - set the backoff parameter value in the UE as indicated by the BI field of the Backoff Indicator sub header and Table 7.2-1.
 - else, set the backoff parameter value in the UE to 0 ms.
 - if the Random Access Response contains a Random Access Preamble identifier corresponding to the transmitted Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3), the UE shall:
 - consider this Random Access Response reception successful;
 - process the received Timing Alignment value (see subclause 5.2);
 - process the received UL grant value and indicate it to the lower layers;
 - if the Random Access Preamble was explicitly signalled (i.e., not selected by MAC):
 - consider the Random Access procedure successfully completed.
 - else, if the Random Access Preamble was selected by UE MAC:
 - set the Temporary C-RNTI to the value received in the Random Access Response message no later than at the time of the first transmission corresponding to the UL grant provided in the Random Access Response message;
 - if this is the first successfully received Random Access Response within this Random Access procedure:
 - if the transmission is not being made for the CCCH logical channel, indicate to the Multiplexing and assembly entity to include a C-RNTI MAC control element in the subsequent uplink transmission;
 - obtain the MAC PDU to transmit from the "Multiplexing and assembly" entity and store it in the [Message3] buffer.

NOTE: When an uplink transmission is required, e.g., for contention resolution, the eNB should not provide a grant smaller than 80 bits in the Random Access Response.

NOTE: If within a Random Access procedure, an uplink grant provided in the Random Access Response for the same group of Random Access Preambles has a different size than the first uplink grant allocated during that Random Access procedure, the UE behaviour is not defined.

If no Random Access Response is received within the TTI window [RA_WINDOW_BEGIN—RA_WINDOW_END], or if all received Random Access Responses contain Random Access Preamble identifiers that do not match the transmitted Random Access Preamble, the Random Access Response reception is considered not successful and the UE shall:

- if the Random Access procedure was initiated by the MAC sublayer itself; or
- if the Random Access procedure was initiated by a PDCCH order and the PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER is less than PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX:
 - increment PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER by 1;

...

- proceed to the selection of a Random Access Resource (see subclause 5.1.2).

Editor's note: Whether error conditions are specified is FFS.

7.1.2.4.3 Test description

7.1.2.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- System information are set according to table 7.1.2.4.3.3-1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

7.1.2.4.3.2

Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a Paging message including a matched identity. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel with steps 2 to 7, parallel behaviour defined in table 7.1.2.4.3.2-3 | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH, in an even frame number X, subframe number 4(FDD)/3(TDD)? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH, in an even frame number X+2, subframe number 4(FDD)/3(TDD)? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1,2 | P |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH, in an even frame number X+4, subframe number 4(FDD)/3(TDD)? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1,2 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits a Random Access Response with not-matching RA-Id, including T-CRNTI and not including Backoff Indicator sub header. | <-- | Random Access Response | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH in an even frame number X+6, subframe number 4(FDD)/3(TDD)? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1,2 | P |
| 7 | Wait for 2s. Note: the UE may transmit additional RACH preambles | --> | PRACH Preamble | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits a Paging message including a matched identity. | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH, in an even frame number, subframe number 4(FDD)/3(TDD)? | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1 | P |
| 10 | The SS transmits Random Access Response with RAPID corresponding to the transmitted Preamble in step 9, including T-CRNTI and not including Backoff Indicator sub header. | <-- | Random Access Response | - | - |
| 11 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> , and including 'UE Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control element with matching 'Contention Resolution Identity' | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 13 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message. | - | - | - | - |

Table 7.1.2.4.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | - | - | - | - |

7.1.2.4.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.1.2.4.3.3-1: SystemInformationBlockType2 (all steps, table 7.1.2.4.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3.-1 | | | |
|---|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { radioResourceConfigCommon SEQUENCE { rach-Configuration SEQUENCE { ra-SupervisionInformation SEQUENCE { preambleTransMax } } } prach-Configuration SEQUENCE { prach-ConfigInfo SEQUENCE { prach-ConfigurationIndex | n3 | PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX | |
| | 1 | As per table 5.7.1-2 of 36.211, this results in PRACH preamble transmission start in even frame numbers and sub-frame number 4 | FDD |
| prach-ConfigurationIndex | 0 | As per table 5.7.1-4 of 36.211, this results in PRACH preamble transmission with frequency resource index=0; occurring in even radio frames; resource is located in first half frame and sub frame number 3 Note 1 | TDD |
| } } } ue-TimersAndConstants SEQUENCE { t300 } } | ms2000 | T300 | |

Note 1: 36.508. Table 4.4.3.2-3 specifies tdd-Configuration-> subframeAssignment as sa1.

7.1.2.5 Random Access Procedure: MAC PDU containing Multiple RAR's

7.1.2.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and transmitted PRACH preamble }
ensure that {
    when { UE receives during TTI window [RA_WINDOW_BEGIN-RA_WINDOW_END] MAC PDU containing multiple
RAR's but with none of the subheaders cotains a RAPID correseponding to the UE }
    then { UE tranmits a random access preamble in the next available Random Access occasion }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and transmitted PRACH preamble }
ensure that {
    when { UE receives during TTI window [RA_WINDOW_BEGIN-RA_WINDOW_END] MAC PDU containing multiple
RAR's and one of the subheaders contains a RAPID corresponding to the UE }
    then { UE transmits MAC PDU containing RRCConnectionRequest }
}

```

}
}

7.1.2.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.1.3 and 5.1.4.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.3]

The random-access procedure shall be performed as follows:

- If PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER = PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX + 1:
 - indicate a Random Access problem to upper layers.
- [- set the parameter PREAMBLE_RECEIVED_TARGET_POWER to
PREAMBLE_INITIAL_RECEIVED_TARGET_POWER + (PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER-1) *
POWER_RAMP_STEP;]
- determine the next available Random Access occasion (a UE may take into account the possible occurrence of measurement gaps when determining the next available Random Access occasion);
- instruct the physical layer to transmit a preamble using the selected PRACH resource, corresponding RA-RNTI, preamble index and PREAMBLE_RECEIVED_TARGET_POWER.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.4]

Once the Random Access Preamble is transmitted and regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap, the UE shall monitor the PDCCH for Random Access Response(s) identified by the RA-RNTI defined below, in the TTI window RA_WINDOW_BEGIN—RA_WINDOW_END which starts at the subframe that contains the end of the preamble transmission [7] plus three subframes and has length *ra-ResponseWindowSize* subframes. The RA-RNTI associated with the PRACH resource in which the Random Access Preamble is transmitted, is computed as:

$$\text{RA-RNTI} = t_id + 10 * f_id$$

Where *t_id* is the index of the first subframe of the specified PRACH resource ($0 \leq t_id < 10$), and *f_id* is the index of the specified PRACH resource within that subframe, in ascending order of frequency domain ($0 \leq f_id < 6$). The UE may stop monitoring for Random Access Response(s) after successful reception of a Random Access Response corresponding to the Random Access Preamble transmission.

- If a downlink assignment for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the RA-RNTI and the received TB is successfully decoded, the UE shall regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap:
 - if the Random Access Response contains a Backoff Indicator sub header:
 - set the backoff parameter value in the UE as indicated by the BI field of the Backoff Indicator sub header and Table 7.2-1.
 - else, set the backoff parameter value in the UE to 0 ms.
- if the Random Access Response contains a Random Access Preamble identifier corresponding to the transmitted Random Access Preamble (see subclause 5.1.3), the UE shall:
 - consider this Random Access Response reception successful;
 - process the received Timing Alignment value (see subclause 5.2);
 - process the received UL grant value and indicate it to the lower layers;
 - if the Random Access Preamble was explicitly signalled (i.e., not selected by MAC):
 - consider the Random Access procedure successfully completed.
 - else, if the Random Access Preamble was selected by UE MAC:

- set the Temporary C-RNTI to the value received in the Random Access Response message no later than at the time of the first transmission corresponding to the UL grant provided in the Random Access Response message;
- if this is the first successfully received Random Access Response within this Random Access procedure:
 - if the transmission is not being made for the CCCH logical channel, indicate to the Multiplexing and assembly entity to include a C-RNTI MAC control element in the subsequent uplink transmission;
 - obtain the MAC PDU to transmit from the "Multiplexing and assembly" entity and store it in the [Message3] buffer.

NOTE: When an uplink transmission is required, e.g., for contention resolution, the eNB should not provide a grant smaller than 80 bits in the Random Access Response.

NOTE: If within a Random Access procedure, an uplink grant provided in the Random Access Response for the same group of Random Access Preambles has a different size than the first uplink grant allocated during that Random Access procedure, the UE behaviour is not defined.

If no Random Access Response is received within the TTI window [RA_WINDOW_BEGIN—RA_WINDOW_END], or if all received Random Access Responses contain Random Access Preamble identifiers that do not match the transmitted Random Access Preamble, the Random Access Response reception is considered not successful and the UE shall:

- if the Random Access procedure was initiated by the MAC sublayer itself; or
- if the Random Access procedure was initiated by a PDCCH order and the PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER is less than PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX:
- increment PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER by 1;

...

- proceed to the selection of a Random Access Resource (see subclause 5.1.2).

Editor's note: Whether error conditions are specified is FFS.

7.1.2.5.3 Test description

7.1.2.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- System information are set according to table 7.1.2.4.3.3-1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

7.1.2.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.5.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a Paging message including a matched identity. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU addressed to UE RA-RNTI, containing multiple RAR's but none of the MAC sub headers contains a matching RAPID | <-- | Random Access Response | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel with step 4, parallel behaviour defined in table 7.1.2.5.3.2-3 is executed | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE re-transmit a preamble on PRACH | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU addressed to UE RA-RNTI, containing multiple RAR's one of the MAC sub headers contains a matching RAPID | <-- | Random Access Response | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits an RRCConnectionRequest message. | - | MAC PDU | 2 | - |
| 7 | The SS sends a MAC PDU containing matching Contention Resolution Identity MAC control element | <-- | MAC Control PDU | - | - |

Table 7.1.2.5.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE transmits an RRCConnectionRequest message. | - | MAC PDU | 1 | F |

7.1.2.5.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.1.2.6 Maintenance of Uplink Time Alignment

7.1.2.6.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and having initiated a random access procedure)
  ensure that {
    when { The SS transmits a Timing Alignment Command in a Random Access Response message}
    then {the UE applies the received Timing Advance value in the next transmitted MAC PDU}
  }
```

(2)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when { Timing Advanced MAC control Element is received and UE has pending data during the period
the Time Alignment timer is running}
    then { UE does not send any Random Access Preamble, but Scheduling Requests to request
transmission of data while Time Alignment timer is running}
  }
```

(3)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
```

```
when{ (Timing Alignment timer has expired or is not running and UL transmission is required) }  
  then {UE triggers a RA Procedure}  
}
```

7.1.2.6.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321 clause 5.2.

[TS 36.321 clause 5.2]

The UE has a configurable Time Alignment Timer. The Time Alignment Timer is valid only in the cell for which it was configured and started.

If the Time Alignment Timer has been configured, the UE shall:

- when a Timing Advance MAC control element is received:
 - apply the Timing Advance Command;
 - start the Time Alignment Timer (if not running) or restart the Time Alignment Timer (if already running).
- when a Time Alignment Command is received in a Random Access Response message:
 - if the Random Access Preamble and PRACH resource were explicitly signalled:
 - apply the Time Alignment Command;
 - start the Time Alignment Timer (if not running) or restart the Time Alignment Timer (if already running).
 - else, if the Time Alignment Timer is not running or has expired:
 - apply the Time Alignment Command;
 - start the Time Alignment Timer;
 - when the contention resolution is considered not successful as described in subclause 5.1.5, stop the Time Alignment Timer.
 - else:
 - ignore the received Time Alignment Command.
- when the Time Alignment Timer has expired or is not running:
 - prior to any uplink transmission, use the Random Access procedure (see subclause 5.1) in order to obtain uplink Time Alignment.
- when the Time Alignment Timer expires:
 - flush all HARQ buffers and consider the next transmission for each process as the very first transmission;
 - release all PUCCH resources;
 - release any assigned SRS resources.

7.1.2.6.3 Test description

7.1.2.6.3.1 Pre-test condition

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE

None.

Preamble

- The generic procedure to get UE in state Idle mode (state 2) Loopback Activated (State 4) according to TS 36.508 clause 4.5 is executed.

7.1.2.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.6.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--------|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U – S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS pages the UE | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | SS respond to UE Random Access request by a Random Access Response with TA field within message set to 600 (Note 2). | <-- | MAC PDU(Random Access Response (TA=600)) | - | - |
| 3 | Check: Does UE send an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message in the first scheduled UL transmission using the Timing Advance value sent by the SS in step 2? | --> | MAC PDU (<i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i>) | 1 | P |
| 4 | RA Procedure considered a success. | <-- | MAC PDU (UE Contention Resolution Identity) | - | - |
| 5 | The SS sends an <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message. | <-- | MAC PDU (<i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i>) | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> ? | --> | MAC PDU (<i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i>) | 1 | P |
| 7 | The generic procedure to get UE in test state Loopback Activated (State 4) according to TS 36.508 clause 4.5 is executed with UL SDU size set to '0' (no data returned in uplink) | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | SS transmits Timing Advance command. SS does not send any subsequent alignments. SS Starts Timer_1 = 0.8 * Time Alignment Timer | <-- | MAC PDU (Timing Advance MAC Control Element) | - | - |
| 9 | SS sends a MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU with SN=0 and poll bit set to trigger UE to transmit a status report in uplink. SS does not respond to any scheduling requests or Random Access Preambles from the UE. | <-- | MAC PDU (RLC PDU) | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does UE transmit Scheduling Requests, but no Random Access Preamble message while Timer_1 is running? (Note 1) | --> | (SR) | 2 | P |
| 11 | SS waits 0.2* Time Alignment Timer | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | Check: UE transmits a Random Access Preamble | --> | Random Access Preamble | 3 | P |
| 13 | SS responds with a valid Random Access Response | <-- | MAC PDU (Random Access Response (C-RNTI)) | - | - |
| 14 | Check: The UE successfully transmits an RLC STATUS PDU for the acknowledgement of the DL Data with the Temporary C-RNTI set to the value of C-RNTI received in the Random Access Response message | --> | MAC PDU(RLC STATUS PDU (ACK_SN =1)) | 3 | P |
| 15 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU including 'UE Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control element with matching 'Contention Resolution Identity' | <-- | MAC PDU(Matching UE Contention Resolution Identity) | - | - |
| Note 1 | A conformant UE correctly applies Timing Advance MAC Control and restarts the Timing Alignment timer, causing the uplink to stay in sync for a period equal to the received Time Alignment Value. | | | | |
| Note 2 | TA value of 600 has been chosen arbitrary in the middle of the range 0 to 1282 and corresponds to 0.3125 ms (timing advance in ms = 1000 x NTA x TS where NTA = TA x 16 and TS = 1 / (15000x2048) according to TS 36.213 and TS 36.211). | | | | |

7.1.2.6.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.2.7 MAC-Contention Resolution [Temporary C-RNTI]

7.1.2.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and after transmitting a RRCConnectionRequest message}
ensure that {
  when { SS does not send any MAC PDU including 'UE Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control
  element before contention resolution timer expires }
  then { UE transmits a random access preamble}
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and after transmitting a RRCConnectionRequest message}
ensure that {
  when { SS transmits a valid MAC PDU containing RRCConnectionSetup, but not including 'UE
  Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control element }
  then { UE transmits a random access preamble }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and after transmitting a RRCConnectionRequest message}
ensure that {
  when { SS transmits a valid MAC PDU containing RRCConnectionSetup, including 'UE Contention
  Resolution Identity' MAC control element but with un-matched 'Contention Resolution Identity' }
  then { UE transmits a random access preamble }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and after transmitting a RRCConnectionRequest message}
ensure that {
  when { SS transmits a valid MAC PDU containing a RRCConnectionSetup, including 'UE Contention
  Resolution Identity' MAC control element and matching 'Contention Resolution Identity' }
  then { UE transmits a RRCConnectionSetupComplete message}
}
```

7.1.2.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.1.5.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.5]

Contention Resolution is based on C-RNTI on PDCCH and UE Contention Resolution Identity on DL-SCH..

Once the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU is transmitted, the UE shall:

- start the Contention Resolution Timer;
- regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap, monitor the PDCCH until the Contention Resolution Timer expires;
- if notification of a reception of a PDCCH transmission is received from lower layers, the UE shall:

...

- else if the uplink message included the CCCH SDU and the PDCCH transmission is addressed to its Temporary C-RNTI:
 - if the MAC PDU is successfully decoded:
 - stop the Contention Resolution Timer;
 - if the MAC PDU contains a UE Contention Resolution Identity MAC control element; and
 - if the UE Contention Resolution Identity included in the MAC control element matches the CCCH SDU transmitted in the uplink message;

- consider this Contention Resolution successful and finish the disassembly and demultiplexing of the MAC PDU;
- set the C-RNTI to the value of the Temporary C-RNTI;
- consider this Random Access procedure successfully completed.
- else
 - consider this Contention Resolution not successful and discard the successfully decoded MAC PDU.
 - discard the Temporary C-RNTI.
- if the Contention Resolution Timer expires:
 - consider the Contention Resolution not successful.
- if the Contention Resolution is considered not successful the UE shall:
 - if the Random Access procedure was initiated by the MAC sublayer itself; or
 - if the Random Access procedure was initiated by a PDCCH order and the PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER is less than PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX:
 - increment PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER by 1;
 - based on the backoff parameter in the UE, select a random backoff time according to a uniform distribution between 0 and the Backoff Parameter Value;
 - delay the subsequent Random Access transmission by the backoff time;
 - proceed to the selection of a Random Access Resource (see subclause 5.1.2).
- discard the Temporary C-RNTI.

7.1.2.7.3 Test description

7.1.2.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- RACH parameters in SIB2 as indicated in table 7.1.2.7.3.1-1.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

Table 7.1.2.7.3.1-1: RACH Parameters

| Parameter | Value |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX | Max allowed value |
| Contention Resolution Timer | FFS |
| Back off timer in UE | 0ms |

7.1.2.7.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.7.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a Paging message including a matched identity. | - | - | 1 | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | - |
| 3 | Check: For time equal to 'Contention Resolution Timer', does UE send a PRACH preamble? | | PRACH preamble | 1 | F |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel with steps 5 to 8, the parallel behaviour in table 7.1.2.7.3.2-2 is running. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> , but not including 'UE Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control element | <-- | MAC PDU | 2 | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |
| 7 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> , and including 'UE Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control element but with un matched 'Contention Resolution Identity' | <-- | MAC PDU | 3 | - |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message? | --> | MAC PDU | 3 | P |
| 9 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> , and including 'UE Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control element with matching 'Contention Resolution Identity' | <-- | MAC PDU | 4 | - |
| 10 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message? | --> | MAC PDU | 4 | P |

Table 7.1.2.7.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: UE transmits a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message indicating acceptance of <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message | --> | MAC PDU | 2,3 | F |

7.1.2.7.3.3 Specific message contents

| 7.1.2.7.3.3-1: <i>SystemInformationBlockType2</i> (all steps, table 7.1.2.7.3.2-1) Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { radioResourceConfigCommon SEQUENCE { rach-Configuration SEQUENCE { ra-SupervisionInformation SEQUENCE { preambleTransMax mac-ContentionResolutionTimer } } } } | N10 sf64 | Max value Max value | |

7.1.2.8 MAC-Contention Resolution [C-RNTI]

7.1.2.8.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and after transmitting a
RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE message for a handover without dedicated preamble}
ensure that {
  when { The SS does not schedule any PDCCH transmission addressed to UE C-RNTI before Contention
resolution timer expiry}
    then { The UE retransmits the RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE message}
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and after transmitting a
RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE message for a handover without dedicated preamble }
ensure that {
  when { UE receive PDCCH transmission addressed to its C-RNTI before Contention resolution timer
expiry }
    then { The UE does not retransmit the RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE message }
}

```

7.1.2.8.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.1.5.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.1.5]

Contention Resolution is based on C-RNTI on PDCCH and UE Contention Resolution Identity on DL-SCH..

Once the uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or the uplink message including the CCCH SDU is transmitted, the UE shall:

- start the Contention Resolution Timer;
- regardless of the possible occurrence of a measurement gap, monitor the PDCCH until the Contention Resolution Timer expires;
- if notification of a reception of a PDCCH transmission is received from lower layers, the UE shall:
 - if the C-RNTI MAC control element was included in uplink message:
 - if the Random Access procedure was initiated by the MAC sublayer itself and the PDCCH transmission is addressed to the C-RNTI and contains an UL grant; or
 - if the Random Access procedure was initiated by a PDCCH order and the PDCCH transmission is addressed to the C-RNTI:
 - consider this Contention Resolution successful;
 - stop the Contention Resolution Timer;

- discard the Temporary C-RNTI;
- consider this Random Access procedure successfully completed.

...

- else
 - consider this Contention Resolution not successful and discard the successfully decoded MAC PDU.
 - discard the Temporary C-RNTI.
- if the Contention Resolution Timer expires:
 - consider the Contention Resolution not successful.
- if the Contention Resolution is considered not successful the UE shall:
 - if the Random Access procedure was initiated by the MAC sublayer itself; or
 - if the Random Access procedure was initiated by a PDCCH order and the PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER is less than PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX:
 - increment PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER by 1;
 - based on the backoff parameter in the UE, select a random backoff time according to a uniform distribution between 0 and the Backoff Parameter Value;
 - delay the subsequent Random Access transmission by the backoff time;
 - proceed to the selection of a Random Access Resource (see subclause 5.1.2).
- discard the Temporary C-RNTI.

7.1.2.8.3 Test description

7.1.2.8.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2
- System information as in table 7.1.2.8.3.3-1.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on cell 1.

7.1.2.8.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.8.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2, not including explicit Random Access Preamble. | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits on cell 2 a MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> , including C-RNTI MAC control element | --> | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 3 | SS Does not schedule any PDCCH transmission for UE C-RNTI | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a PRACH preamble within time equal to 'Contention Resolution Timer'? | --> | (PRACH preamble) | 1 | F |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit on cell 2 a MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> , including C-RNTI MAC control element? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 6 | SS sends PDCCH transmission for UE C-RNTI | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> within the next 2s? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | F |
| 8 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 2? | - | | | - |

7.1.2.8.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.1.2.8.3.3-1: *SystemInformationBlockType2* (all steps, Table 7.1.2.8.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { radioResourceConfigCommon SEQUENCE { rach-Configuration SEQUENCE { ra-SupervisionInformation SEQUENCE { preambleTransMax mac-ContentionResolutionTimer } } } } | N10 sf64 | Max value Max value | |

Table 7.1.2.8.3.3-2 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 7.1.2.8.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|---|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { mobilityControllInformation SEQUENCE { targetCellIdentity eutra-CarrierFreq } } } } } | MobilityControllInformatio n-HO PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) Not present | | |

7.1.2.9 MAC-Backoff Indicator

Editor's note: This test case is not based on 36.321 v8.3.0.

7.1.2.9.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and having initiated a random access procedure)
  ensure that {
    when { SS sends a Random Access Response including a Backoff Indicator but Random Access
Preamble identifier is different from the value received from the UE }
    then{ UE does not send any RRC connection request }
  }
```

(2)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and having initiated a random access procedure)
  ensure that {
    when { SS sends a Random Access Response that does not contain an Backoff Indicator}
    then{ UE sends a RRC connection request in the first scheduled UL transmission }
  }
```

(3)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and having initiated a random access procedure)
  ensure that {
    when { { SS sends a Random Access Response contains Backoff Indicator and a Random Access
Preamble identifier with the same value as received from the UE }
    then{ UE sends a RRC connection request before time equal to the Backoff Parameter Value
expires }
  }
```

6.1.2.8.2 Conformance requirements

Editor's note: The conformance requirement is based on CR R2-083688 to TS 36.321 v8.2.0 that was agreed in principle at RAN2#62-BIS meeting

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clauses 5.1.4 and 7.2.

[TS 36.321 clause 5.1.4]

- If notification of a reception of the Random Access Response is received from lower layers, the UE shall:
 - if the Random Access Response contains a Backoff Indicator sub header:
 - set the backoff parameter value in the UE as indicated by the BI field of the Backoff Indicator sub header and Table 7.2-1.

- else, set the backoff parameter value in the UE to 0 ms.

...

If no Random Access Response is received within the TTI window [RA_WINDOW_BEGIN—RA_WINDOW_END], or if all received Random Access Responses contain Random Access Preamble identifiers that do not match the transmitted Random Access Preamble, the Random Access Response reception is considered not successful and the UE shall:

...

- if in this Random Access procedure:
 - the Random Access Preamble was selected by MAC; or
 - the Random Access Preamble and PRACH resource were explicitly signalled and will expire before the next available Random Access occasion:
 - based on the backoff parameter in the UE, select a random backoff time value according to a uniform distribution between 0 and the Backoff Parameter Value;
 - delay the subsequent compute and apply a backoff value indicating when a new Random Access transmission by the backoff time according to the backoff value shall be attempted;

[TS 36.321 clause 7.2]

Backoff Parameter values are presented in Table 7.2-1.

Table 7.2-1: Backoff Parameter values.

| Index | Backoff Parameter value (ms) |
|-------|------------------------------|
| 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 10 |
| 2 | 20 |
| 3 | 30 |
| 4 | 40 |
| 5 | 60 |
| 6 | 80 |
| 7 | 120 |
| 8 | 160 |
| 9 | 240 |
| 10 | 320 |
| 11 | 480 |
| 12 | 960 |

7.1.2.9.3 Test description

7.1.2.9.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble

- Random Access settings in *SystemInformationBlockType2* are as specified in specific message content.
- The UE is in state Registered, Idle Mode (state 2) according to [18].

Table 7.1.2.9.3.1-1: Random Access Settings in *SystemInformationBlockType2*

FFS

7.1.2.9.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.2.9.3.2-1: Backoff Parameter values.

| x: Index | Y: Backoff Parameter value (ms) |
|----------|---------------------------------|
| 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 10 |
| 2 | 20 |
| 3 | 30 |
| 4 | 40 |
| 5 | 60 |
| 6 | 80 |
| 7 | 120 |
| 8 | 160 |
| 9 | 240 |
| 10 | 320 |
| 11 | 480 |
| 12 | 960 |

Table 7.1.2.9.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: Steps 1 to 4 are repeated for values of 'x' and 'y' according to table 7.1.2.9.3.2-1 | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | SS page the UE | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does UE send a Random Access Preamble? | --> | Random Access Preamble | 1 | P |
| 3 | SS sends a Random Access Response with the backoff parameter set to value Index field 'x' and with the Random Access Preamble identifier different from the value received from the UE in the Random Access Preamble. The SS sets Timer_T1 to the Backoff value 'y' associated with the Index value 'x' and starts Timer_T1. | <-- | Random Access Response(BI, RAPID) | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does UE send any RRCConnectionRequest while Timer_T1 is running? | | - | 1 | F |
| 5 | SS stops Timer_T1 and responds with a Random Access Response with no back-off indicator set and the Random Access Preamble identifier value set to the same value as received from the UE in the Random Access Preamble. | <-- | Random Access Response(RAPID) | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does UE send an RRCConnectionRequest message in the first scheduled UL transmission? | --> | MAC PDU (RRCConnectionRequest) | 2 | P |
| 7 | The SS sends a Contention Resolution Failure. | <-- | MAC PDU (Un matching UE Contention Resolution Identity) | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: Steps 8 to 11 are repeated for values of 'x' and 'y' according to table 7.1.2.9.3.2-1 | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does UE send a Random Access Preamble? | --> | Random Access Preamble | 3 | P |
| 9 | SS sends a Random Access Response with a backoff parameter set to value Index field 'x' and the Random Access Preamble identifier value set to the same value as received from the UE in the Random Access Preamble. The SS sets Timer_T1 to the Backoff value 'y'+ [TBD ms] associated with the Index value 'x' and starts Timer_T1. | <-- | Random Access Response(BI, RAPID) | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does UE send an RRCConnectionRequest while Timer_T1 is running? | --> | MAC PDU (RRCConnectionRequest) | 3 | P |
| 11 | The SS sends a Contention Resolution Failure. | <-- | MAC Control PDU (Un matching UE Contention Resolution Identity) | - | - |

Editor's note: In steps 4 and 5, SS behaviour is unclear, as step 4 does not describe the Random Access Preamble, and the step 5 seems to be a response matching with Random Access Preamble in step 2. At least a note could be useful to clarify.

7.1.2.9.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None

7.1.3 DL-SCH Data transfer

7.1.3.1 Correct handling of DL assignment / dynamic case

7.1.3.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives downlink assignment on the PDCCH for the UE's C-RNTI and receives data in the
associated subframe and UE performs HARQ operation }
  then { UE sends a HARQ feedback on the HARQ process }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives downlink assignment on the PDCCH with a C-RNTI unknown by the UE and data is
available in the associated subframe }
  then { UE does not send any HARQ feedback on the HARQ process }
}
```

7.1.3.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.321 clause 5.3.1

[TS 36.321, clause 5.3.1]

Downlink assignments transmitted on the PDCCH indicate if there is a transmission on the DL-SCH for a particular UE and provide the relevant HARQ information.

When the UE has a C-RNTI, Semi-Persistent Scheduling C-RNTI, Temporary C-RNTI or RA-RNTI, the UE shall for each TTI during Active Time, for each TTI when a Random Access Response or Contention Resolution is expected and for each TTI for which a DL assignment has been configured:

- if a downlink assignment for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the UE's C-RNTI, Temporary C-RNTI:
- indicate the presence of a downlink assignment and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.

...

Editor's note: L1 is configured, as needed, by upper layers or MAC [FFS] to monitor PDCCH for C-RNTI, and by MAC to monitor PDCCH for Temporary C-RNTI and RA-RNTI.

7.1.3.1.3 Test description

7.1.3.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble

- The generic procedure to get UE in test state Loopback Activated (State 4) according to TS 36.508 clause 4.5 is executed, with all the parameters as specified in the procedure except that the RLC SDU size is set to return no data in uplink.

7.1.3.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.3.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits a downlink assignment including the C-RNTI assigned to the UE | <-- | (PDCCH (C-RNTI)) | - | - |
| 2 | SS transmits in the indicated downlink assignment a RLC PDU in a MAC PDU. | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 3 | Check: Does the UE transmit an HARQ ACK on PUCCH? | --> | HARQ ACK | 1 | P |
| 4 | SS transmits a downlink assignment to including a C-RNTI different from the assigned to the UE | <-- | (PDCCH (unknown C-RNTI)) | - | - |
| 5 | SS transmits in the indicated downlink assignment a RLC PDU in a MAC PDU. | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE send any HARQ ACK on PUCCH? | --> | HARQ ACK | 2 | F |

7.1.3.1.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.3.2 Correct handling of DL assignment: semi persistent case

7.1.3.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a DL assignment addressed to its SPS-CRNTI in sub-frame y and with NDI set as 0
  }
  then { UE starts receiving DL MAC PDU in sub frames y+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] where
'n' is positive integer starting at zero}
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established and stored DL SPS grant to receive MAC
PDU at subframe y+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a DL assignment addressed to its SPS-CRNTI in sub-frame p and with NDI set as
0, where p!= y+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] }
  then { UE starts receiving DL MAC PDU in sub frames p+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] and
stops receiving DL MAC PDU at sub frames y+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] where 'n' is positive
integer starting at zero}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established and stored DL SPS grant to receive MAC
PDU at subframe p+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a DL assignment [for retransmission] addressed to its SPS-CRNTI in sub-frame z
and with NDI set as 1, where z!= p+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] }
  then { UE receives MAC PDU in sub frame z+4 as per the new grant for SPS-CRNTI}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established and stored DL SPS grant to receive MAC
PDU at subframe z+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a DL assignment addressed to its CRNTI in sub-frame p, such that p+4=
z+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] }
  then { UE receives MAC PDU in sub frame p+4 as per grant addressed to its C-RNTI }
```

(5)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established and stored DL SPS grant to receive MAC
PDU at subframe z+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a RRCConnectionReconfiguration including the mobilityControlInformation and
hence resulting in SPS grant deactivation}
  then { UE stops receiving DL MAC
PDU's as per stored SPS grant in sub frame z+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL] }
}

```

Editors note: SPS Grant deactivation is not very clear

7.1.3.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321 clause 5.3.1 and 36.331 clause 5.3.10.5.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.3.1]

Downlink assignments transmitted on the PDCCH indicate if there is a transmission on the DL-SCH for a particular UE and provide the relevant HARQ information.

When the UE has a C-RNTI, Semi-Persistent Scheduling C-RNTI, or Temporary C-RNTI, the UE shall for each TTI during Active Time, for each TTI when a Random Access Response or Contention Resolution is expected and for each TTI for which a DL assignment has been configured:

- if a downlink assignment for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the UE's C-RNTI, or Temporary C-RNTI:
 - indicate the presence of a downlink assignment and deliver the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.
- else, if a downlink assignment for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the UE's Semi-Persistent Scheduling C-RNTI:
 - if the NDI in the received HARQ information is 1:
 - consider the NDI not to have been toggled;
 - indicate a downlink assignment and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.
 - else, if the NDI in the received HARQ information is 0:
 - store the downlink assignment and the associated HARQ information as configured downlink assignment;
 - initialise (if not active) or re-initialise (if already active) the configured downlink assignment to start in this TTI and to recur with the periodicity configured via RRC;
 - set the HARQ Process ID to [the HARQ Process ID associated with this TTI];
 - consider the NDI bit to have been toggled;
 - indicate the presence of a configured downlink assignment and deliver the stored HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.
- else, if [PDCCH condition for deactivation of SPS]:
 - clear the configured downlink assignment (if any).
- else, if a downlink assignment for this TTI has been configured:
 - instruct the physical layer to receive, in this TTI, transport(s) block on the DL-SCH according to the configured downlink assignment and to deliver it to the HARQ entity;
 - set the HARQ Process ID to [the HARQ Process ID associated with this TTI];
 - consider the NDI bit to have been toggled;

- indicate the presence of a configured downlink assignment and deliver the stored HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.5]

Authors Note: Is this allowed?

- 1> if the received RRCConnectionReconfiguration message includes the mobilityControlInformation:
- 2> if SPS resource is activated:
- 3> deactivate SPS resource;

7.1.3.2.3 Test description

7.1.3.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- The loop back size is set in such a way that one RLC SDU in DL shall result in 1 RLC SDU's in UL of same size.
- Following specific parameters in table 7.1.3.2.3.1-1 are allocated to the UE during preamble.

Table 7.1.3.2.3.1-1: specific Parameters in RRCConnectionReconfiguration

| Parameter | Value |
|-----------------------------------|-------|
| semiPersistSchedIntervalDL | sf160 |
| Semi-Persistent Scheduling C-RNTI | FFS* |

Editors Note: It is not yet clear how the SPS C-RNTI is assigned to UE.

7.1.3.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.3.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS Transmits a DL assignment using UE's SPS C-RNTI in sub frame 'Y', NDI=0 | <-- | (DL SPS Grant) | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits in sub frame 'Y+4', DL MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU [DL-SQN=0]on DRB | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 3 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK? | --> | HARQ ACK | 1 | P |
| 4 | The SS transmits in sub frame 'Y+4+X[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL]', DL MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU [DL-SQN=1]on DRB | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK? | --> | HARQ ACK | 1 | P |
| 6 | The SS Transmits a DL assignment using UE's SPS C-RNTI in sub frame 'P', NDI=0; [Where $Y+X < P < Y+2X$] | <-- | (DL SPS Grant) | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits in sub frame 'P+4', DL MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU [DL-SQN=2]on DRB | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK? | --> | HARQ ACK | 2 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmits in sub frame 'Y+4+2X', DL MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU [DL-SQN=3]on DRB | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ Feedback? | --> | HARQ ACK/NACK | 2 | F |
| 11 | The SS transmits in sub frame 'P+4+X[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL]', DL MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU [DL-SQN=3]on DRB; CRC is calculated in such a way will result in CRC error in UE. | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ NACK? | --> | HARQ NACK | 2,3 | P |
| 13 | The SS Transmits a DL assignment using UE's SPS C-RNTI in sub frame 'Z', NDI=1; Where $P < Z < P+1X$; The DL HARQ process is same as in step 11 | <-- | (DL SPS Grant) | - | - |
| 14 | The SS re-transmits in sub frame 'Z+4', DL MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU [DL-SQN=3]on DRB; | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 15 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK? | --> | HARQ ACK | 3 | P |
| 16 | The SS transmits in sub frame 'P+4+2X[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL]', DL MAC PDU containing a RLC PDU [DL-SQN=4]on DRB | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 17 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK? | --> | HARQ ACK | 1 | P |
| 18 | The SS Transmits a DL assignment using UE's C-RNTI in sub frame 'P+3X[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL]' | <-- | (DL Grant) | - | - |
| 19 | The SS transmits in sub frame 'P+4+3X[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL]', DL MAC PDU containing 1 RLC PDU's [DL-SQN=4]on DRB; Size of RLC PDU is different than all previous PDU's | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 20 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK ? | --> | HARQ ACK | 4 | P |
| 21 | SS transmits an UL Grant sufficient for transmitting loop back PDU's corresponding to DL RLC PDU's with SQN's 0 to 4 | <-- | (UL Grant) | | |
| 22 | The UE MAC PDU transmits loop back SDU's corresponding to DL RLC PDU's with SQN 0 to 4. | -> | MAC PDU | | |
| 23 | SS Transmits RRCConnectionReconfiguration including the mobilityControllInformation | | | - | - |

| | | | | | |
|----|---|-----|---------------|---|---|
| 24 | The UE transmits RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete | | | - | - |
| 25 | The SS transmits in sub frame 'Y+4+nX[semiPersistSchedIntervalDL]', DL MAC PDU containing 1 RLC PDU's [DL- SQN=5]on DRB; [n>4] | <- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 26 | Check: The UE transmits a HARQ Feedback | --> | HARQ ACK/NACK | 5 | F |

Note 1: Steps 21 and 22 are executed to bring UE in stable state.

7.1.3.2.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.1.3.3 MAC PDU header handling

Editor's note: This test case is not based on 36.321 v8.3.0.

7.1.3.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU with a MAC header containing a Length field L value that is greater
than the remaining MAC payload size }
  then { UE discards PDU }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU where in the MAC header an Extension field E is set to "1" in the
last MAC sub-header and there after no more MAC SDUs or padding follow }
  then { UE discards PDU }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU containing one MAC SDU and two sub-headers where one contains a
Length field L=0 }
  then { UE reads the MAC header and correctly delivers the higher layers }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU with multiple sets of R/R/E/LCID fields set to correct values in the
MAC header and containing the respective MAC SDUs and MAC control elements }
  then { UE reads the MAC header and correctly delivers the higher layers }
}
```

Editor's Note: Handling of erroneous data is FFS (TP1, TP2 and TP3)

7.1.3.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.321 clause 6.1.2 and 6.2.1.

[TS 36.321, clause 6.1.2]

A MAC PDU consists of a MAC header, zero or more MAC Service Data Units (MAC SDU), zero, or more MAC control elements, and optionally padding; as described in Figure 6.1.2-3.

Both the MAC header and the MAC SDUs are of variable sizes.

A MAC PDU header consists of one or more MAC PDU sub-headers; each sub header corresponding to either a MAC SDU, a MAC control element or padding.

A MAC PDU sub header consists of the six header fields R/R/E/LCID/F/L but for the last sub header in the MAC PDU and for fixed sized MAC control elements. The last sub header in the MAC PDU and sub-headers for fixed sized MAC control elements consist solely of the four header fields R/R/E/LCID. It follows that a MAC PDU sub header corresponding to padding consists of the four header fields R/R/E/LCID.

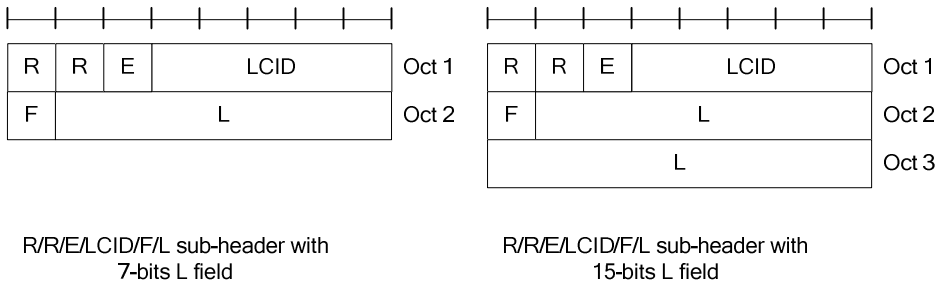


Figure 6.1.2-1: R/R/E/LCID/F/L MAC sub header

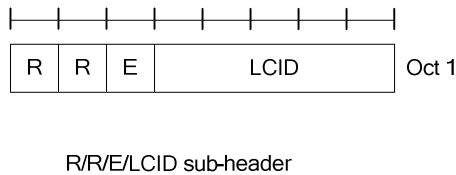


Figure 6.1.2-2: R/R/E/LCID MAC sub header

MAC PDU sub-headers have the same order as the corresponding MAC SDUs, MAC control elements and padding.

MAC control elements, except Padding BSR, are always placed before any MAC SDU. Padding BSR occurs at the end of the MAC PDU.

Padding occurs at the end of the MAC PDU, except when single-byte or two-byte padding is required but cannot be achieved by padding at the end of the MAC PDU.

When single-byte or two-byte padding is required but cannot be achieved by padding at the end of the MAC PDU, one or two MAC PDU sub-headers corresponding to padding are inserted before the first MAC PDU sub header corresponding to a MAC SDU; or if such sub header is not present, before the last MAC PDU sub header corresponding to a MAC control element.

A maximum of one MAC PDU can be transmitted per TB per UE. [Depending on the physical layer category], one or two TBs can be transmitted per TTI per UE.

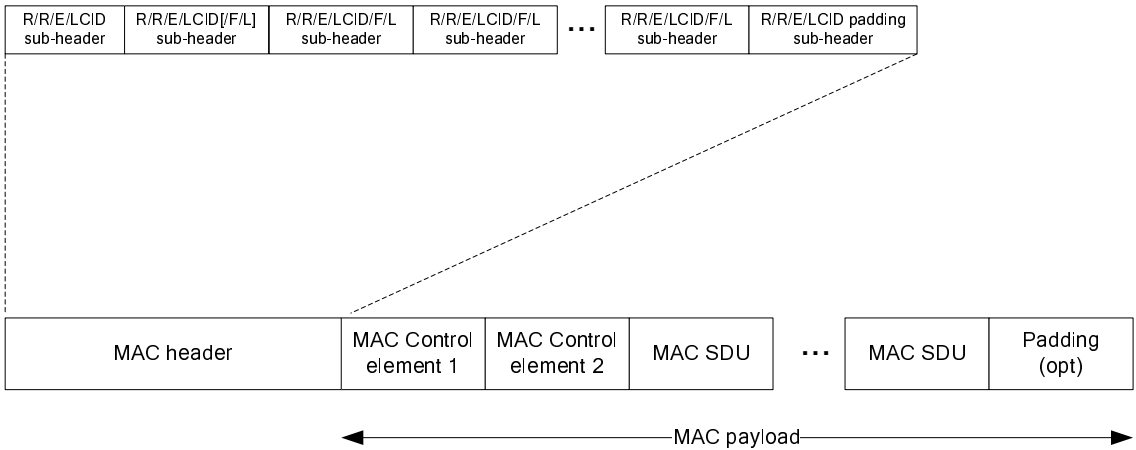


Figure 6.1.2-3: MAC PDU consisting of MAC header, MAC control elements, MAC SDUs and padding

[TS 36.321, clause 6.2.1]

The MAC header is of variable size and consists of the following fields:

- LCID: The Logical Channel ID field identifies the logical channel instance of the corresponding MAC SDU or the type of the corresponding MAC control element or padding as described in tables 6.2.1-1 and 6.2.1-2 for the DL and UL-SCH respectively. There is one LCID field for each MAC SDU, MAC control element or padding included in the MAC PDU. The LCID field size is 5 bits;
- L: The Length field indicates the length of the corresponding MAC SDU or MAC control element in bytes. There is one L field per MAC PDU sub header except for the last sub header and sub-headers corresponding to fixed-sized MAC control elements. The size of the L field is indicated by the F field;
- F: The Format field indicates the size of the Length field as indicated in table 6.2.1-3. There is one F field per MAC PDU sub header except for the last sub header and sub-headers corresponding to fixed-sized MAC control elements. The size of the F field is 1 bit. If the size of the MAC SDU or MAC control element is less than 128 bytes, the UE shall set the value of the F field to 0, otherwise the UE shall set it to 1;
- E: The Extension field is a flag indicating if more fields are present in the MAC header or not. The E field is set to "1" to indicate another set of at least R/R/E/LCID fields. The E field is set to "0" to indicate that either a MAC SDU, a MAC control element or padding starts at the next byte;
- R: Reserved bits.

The MAC header and sub-headers are octet aligned.

Table 6.2.1-1 Values of LCID for DL-SCH

| Index | LCID values |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|
| 00000 | CCCH |
| 00001-xxxxx | Identity of the logical channel |
| xxxxx-11011 | Reserved |
| 11100 | UE Contention Resolution Identity |
| 11101 | Timing Advance |
| 11110 | DRX Command |
| 11111 | Padding |

Table 6.2.1-2 Values of LCID for UL-SCH

| Index | LCID values |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| 00000 | CCCH |
| 00001-yyyyy | Identity of the logical channel |
| Yyyyy-11010 | Reserved |
| 11011 | Power Headroom Report |
| 11100 | C-RNTI |
| 11101 | Short Buffer Status Report |
| 11110 | Long Buffer Status Report |
| 11111 | Padding |

Table 6.2.1-3 Values of F field:

| Index | Size of Length field (in bits) |
|-------|--------------------------------|
| 0 | 7 |
| 1 | 15 |

....

Editor’s note: xxxxx and yyyyy are FFS

7.1.3.3.3 Test description

7.1.3.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- SS sets the downlink and uplink shared channel configuration transport block size (TBS) to accommodate one MAC PDU packet plus PDCP/RLC/MAC header without padding.

Editor's note: there is no information towards what should be the size of a MAC PDU allocated. Should it be so that in each test step where data are transmitted, all the data can be transmitted in a single MAC PDU (e.g. RLC PDUs are all concatenated)?

7.1.3.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.3.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a RLC SDU contained in a MAC PDUs with the respective MAC sub-header containing a value of the Length field $L = x$ that is greater than the max MAC SDU size $= y$ (where $x > y$). | <-- | MAC PDU with incorrect header ($L > \text{MAC SDU size}$) (containing a RLC PDU) | 1 | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a RLC SDU for a period of [1s]? (Note 1) | - | - | 1 | F |
| 3 | SS sends RLC SDU contained in a MAC PDU where an Extension field E is set to "1" in the last MAC sub-header and there after no more MAC SDUs or padding follow. | <-- | MAC PDU with incorrect header (E) (containing a RLC PDU) | -2 | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit a RLC SDU for a period of [1s]? (Note 1) | - | - | 2 | F |
| 5 | The SS transmits a RLC SDU contained in a MAC PDU where there are two MAC sub-headers and only one MAC SDU. The first sub-header contains Length field L "0" and the second sub-header contains the correct sub-header fields with respect to its MAC SDU. | <-- | MAC PDU with one incorrect sub-header ($L = 0$) plus one correct sub-header (containing 1 RLC PDU) | 3 | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit a RLC SDU? | --> | MAC PDU with correct header containing only one sub-header (containing 1 RLC PDU) | 3 | P |
| 7 | The SS transmits 10 RLC SDUs contained in MAC PDUs where the MAC header contains multiple sets of correctly configured MAC sub-headers. | <-- | MAC PDU with correct header (containing 10 RLC PDUs) | 4 | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit return 10 RLC SDUs? | --> | MAC PDU with correct header (containing 10 RLC PDUs) | 4 | P |

Note 1. Confirms UE has discarded the received MAD PDU.

Editor's note: In step 1, description is not consistent between "procedure" and "message". Is the intention to say that a Length field is greater than the total MAC PDU size minus the lengths of all MAC sub headers and their associated MAC SDUs?

Editor's note: In step 6, is anything in the "message" column to be checked which is not mentioned in the procedure column? If so, the description should be more specific with respect to how to judge that a header is correct.

7.1.3.3.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None

7.1.3.4 Correct HARQ process handling[DCCH /DTCH]

7.1.3.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_ CONNECTED state with DRB established}
ensure that {
  when { the UE receives a MAC PDU for DRB and CRC fails}
  then { the UE transmits a NACK for the corresponding HARQ process}
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_ CONNECTED state with DRB established}
ensure that {
  when { the UE receives a MAC PDU retransmission for DRB, and results in CRC pass on combined data}
  then { the UE transmits an ACK for the corresponding HARQ process and delivers data to upper
layers}
}
```

7.1.3.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.3.2.1 & 5.3.2.2.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.3.2.1]

There is one HARQ entity at the UE which maintains a number of parallel HARQ processes. Each HARQ process is associated with a HARQ process identifier. The HARQ entity directs HARQ information and associated TBs received on the DL-SCH to the corresponding HARQ processes (see subclause 5.3.2.2).

The number of DL HARQ processes and soft buffers are specified in [5], subclause 5.1.4.1.2.

When the physical layer is configured for spatial multiplexing [2], one or two TBs are expected per subframe. Otherwise, one TB is expected per subframe.

The UE shall:

- If a downlink assignment has been indicated for this TTI:
 - allocate the TBs received from the physical layer and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ processes indicated by the associated HARQ information.
- If a downlink assignment has been indicated for the broadcast HARQ process:
 - allocate the received TB to the broadcast HARQ process.

NOTE: In case of BCCH a dedicated broadcast HARQ process is used.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.3.2.2]

For each received TB and associated HARQ information, the HARQ process shall:

- if the NDI, when provided, has been toggled compared to the value of the previous received transmission for this HARQ process; or
- if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process and the physical layer indicates a new transmission; or

- if this is the very first received transmission for this HARQ process:
 - replace the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process with the received data.
 - if the data has not yet been successfully decoded:
 - combine the received data with the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process.
 - if the TB size is different from the last valid TB size signalled for this HARQ process:
 - the UE may replace the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process with the received data.
- attempt to decode the data in the soft buffer;
- if the data in the soft buffer was successfully decoded:
 - if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process, deliver the decoded MAC PDU to RRC.
 - else, deliver the decoded MAC PDU to the disassembly and demultiplexing entity.
 - generate a positive acknowledgement (ACK) of the data in this HARQ process.
- else:
 - generate a negative acknowledgement (NACK) of the data in this HARQ process.
- if the HARQ process is associated with a transmission indicated with a Temporary C-RNTI and the Contention Resolution is not successful (see subclause 5.1.5); or
- if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process; or
- if there is a measurement gap at the time of the transmission of the HARQ feedback:
 - do not indicate the generated positive or negative acknowledgement to the physical layer.
- else:
 - indicate the generated positive or negative acknowledgement to the physical layer.

7.1.3.4.3 Test description

7.1.3.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.1.3.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.3.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: Steps 1 to 8 are run 8 times using test parameter values as given for each iteration in table 7.1.3.4.3.2-4. | | | | |
| 1 | The SS indicates a new transmission on PDCCH and transmits a MAC PDU (containing an RLC PDU) on HARQ process X, but the CRC is calculated in such a way that it will result in CRC error on UE side. The AMD PDU contains a full RLC SDU. | <-- | MAC PDU | 1 | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ NACK? | --> | HARQ NACK | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: Does the UE transmit a Scheduling Request within 500ms after step 1? | --> | (SR) | 1 | F |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 3 below runs in parallel with behaviour in table 7.1.3.4.3.2-3. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS indicates a retransmission on PDCCH and transmits the same MAC PDU like step 1, with CRC is calculated in such a way that it will result in CRC pass on UE side. | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE send a HARQ ACK? | --> | HARQ ACK | 2 | P |
| 6 | UE transmit a Scheduling Request on PUCCH | --> | (SR) | - | - |
| 7 | The SS sends an UL grant suitable for the loop back PDU to transmitted | <-- | (UL Grant) | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmit a MAC PDU containing the loop back PDU corresponding to step 1 and 4 | -> | MAC PDU | - | - |

Table 7.1.3.4.3.2-2: Test Parameters

| Iteration | HARQ process (X) |
|-----------|------------------|
| 1 | 0 |
| 2 | 1 |
| 3 | 2 |
| 4 | 3 |
| 5 | 4 |
| 6 | 5 |
| 7 | 6 |
| 8 | 7 |

7.1.3.4.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.1.3.5 Correct HARQ process handling [CCCH]

7.1.3.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state with RRC connection establishment procedure initiated }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU addressed to RA-RNTI }
  then { UE does not transmit ACK/NACK for the corresponding HARQ process }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state with RRC connection establishment procedure initiated }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU addressed to T-CRNTI without UE Contention Resolution Identity
        matching the one included in the RRCConnectionRequest message }
  then { UE does not transmit a ACK for the corresponding HARQ process }
}
```

}

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state with RRC connection establishment procedure initiated }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU addressed to T-CRNTI and cannot decode properly }
  then { UE does not transmit a NACK for the corresponding HARQ }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state with RRC connection establishment procedure initiated }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU addressed to T-CRNTI with UE Contention Resolution Identity matching
the one included in the RRCConnectionRequest message }
  then { UE transmits an ACK for the corresponding HARQ process and delivers data to upper layers }
}
```

7.1.3.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.3.2.1 and 5.3.2.2.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.3.2.1]

There is one HARQ entity at the UE which maintains a number of parallel HARQ processes. Each HARQ process is associated with a HARQ process identifier. The HARQ entity directs HARQ information and associated TBs received on the DL-SCH to the corresponding HARQ processes (see subclause 5.3.2.2).

The number of DL HARQ processes and soft buffers are specified in [5], subclause 5.1.4.1.2.

When the physical layer is configured for spatial multiplexing [2], one or two TBs are expected per subframe. Otherwise, one TB is expected per subframe.

The UE shall:

- If a downlink assignment has been indicated for this TTI:
 - allocate the TBs received from the physical layer and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ processes indicated by the associated HARQ information.
- If a downlink assignment has been indicated for the broadcast HARQ process:
 - allocate the received TB to the broadcast HARQ process.

NOTE: In case of BCCH a dedicated broadcast HARQ process is used.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.3.2.2]

For each received TB and associated HARQ information, the HARQ process shall:

- if the NDI, when provided, has been toggled compared to the value of the previous received transmission for this HARQ process; or
- if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process and the physical layer indicates a new transmission; or
- if this is the very first received transmission for this HARQ process:
 - replace the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process with the received data.
- if a retransmission is indicated for this HARQ process:
 - if the data has not yet been successfully decoded:
 - combine the received data with the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process.
 - if the TB size is different from the last valid TB size signalled for this HARQ process:
 - the UE may replace the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process with the received data.
- attempt to decode the data in the soft buffer;

- if the data in the soft buffer was successfully decoded:
 - if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process:
 - deliver the decoded MAC PDU to RRC.
 - else:
 - deliver the decoded MAC PDU to the disassembly and demultiplexing entity.
 - generate a positive acknowledgement (ACK) of the data in this HARQ process.
- else:
 - generate a negative acknowledgement (NACK) of the data in this HARQ process.
- if the HARQ process is associated with a transmission indicated with a Temporary C-RNTI and a UE the Contention Resolution Identity match is not indicated successful (see subclause 5.1.5); or
- if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process; or
- if there is a measurement gap at the time of the transmission of the HARQ feedback:
 - do not indicate the generated positive or negative acknowledgement to the physical layer.
- else:
 - indicate the generated positive or negative acknowledgement to the physical layer.

7.1.3.5.3 Test description

7.1.3.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- System information taking into account parameters in table 7.1.3.5.3.3-1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode state (state 2) according to [18].

7.1.3.5.3.2

Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.3.5.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a Paging message including a matched identity. | - | | 1 | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits Preamble on PRACH | --> | PRACH Preamble | 1 | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits Random Access Response with matching RA-Id and including T-CRNTI. The CRC is calculated in such a way, it will result in CRC error on UE side | <-- | Random Access Response | 1 | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK/NACK? | --> | HARQ ACK/NACK | 1 | F |
| 5 | Within <i>ra-ResponseWindowSize</i> from step 2, the SS re-transmits Random Access Response in step 3. The CRC is calculated in such a way, it will result in CRC pass on UE side. | <-- | Random Access Response | 2 | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK? | --> | HARQ ACK | 1 | F |
| 7 | The UE transmits a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | --> | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits a valid MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> , and including 'UE Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control element with not matching 'Contention Resolution Identity'. | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 9 | Check: does the UE transmit a HARQ NACK? | --> | HARQ NACK | 2 | F |
| 10 | The UE transmits Preamble on PRACH | --> | PRACH Preamble | - | - |
| 11 | The SS transmits Random Access Response with matching RA-Id and including T-CRNTI. | <-- | Random Access Response | - | - |
| 12 | The UE transmits a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | --> | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 13 | The SS transmits a valid MAC PDU containing <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> , and including 'UE Contention Resolution Identity' MAC control element with matching 'Contention Resolution Identity'. The CRC is calculated in such a way that it will result in CRC error on UE side | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 14 | Check: Does UE transmit a HARQ NACK? | --> | HARQ NACK | 3 | F |
| 15 | Within <i>mac-ContentionResolutionTimer</i> time from step 12, the SS transmits the same MAC PDU like in step 13, but the CRC is calculated in such a way that it will result in CRC pass on UE side | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 16 | Check: does the UE transmit a HARQ ACK? | --> | HARQ NACK | 4 | P |
| 17 | The UE transmits a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message indicating acceptance of <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message | --> | MAC PDU | - | - |

Note: It is not clear from core spec if the UE transmits a NACK or not after step 10.

- allocate the TBs received from the physical layer and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ processes indicated by the associated HARQ information.
- If a downlink assignment has been indicated for the broadcast HARQ process:
 - allocate the received TB to the broadcast HARQ process.

NOTE: In case of BCCH a dedicated broadcast HARQ process is used. [TS 36.321, clause 5.3.2.2]

For each received TB and associated HARQ information, the HARQ process shall:

- if the NDI, when provided, has been toggled compared to the value of the previous received transmission for this HARQ process; or
- if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process and the physical layer indicates a new transmission; or
- if this is the very first received transmission for this HARQ process:
 - replace the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process with the received data.
 - if the data has not yet been successfully decoded:
 - combine the received data with the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process.
 - if the TB size is different from the last valid TB size signalled for this HARQ process:
 - the UE may replace the data currently in the soft buffer for this HARQ process with the received data.
- attempt to decode the data in the soft buffer;
- if the data in the soft buffer was successfully decoded:
 - if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process, deliver the decoded MAC PDU to RRC.
 - else, deliver the decoded MAC PDU to the disassembly and demultiplexing entity.
 - generate a positive acknowledgement (ACK) of the data in this HARQ process.
- else:
 - generate a negative acknowledgement (NACK) of the data in this HARQ process.
- if the HARQ process is associated with a transmission indicated with a Temporary C-RNTI and a UE the Contention Resolution Identity match is not indicated successful (see subclause 5.1.5); or
- if the HARQ process is equal to the broadcast process; or
- if there is a measurement gap at the time of the transmission of the HARQ feedback:
 - do not indicate the generated positive or negative acknowledgement to the physical layer.
- else:
 - indicate the generated positive or negative acknowledgement to the physical layer.

7.1.3.6.3 Test description

7.1.3.6.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

7.1.3.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.3.6.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an updated system information with S-RNTI addressed in L1/L2 header. CRC is calculated in such a way, it will result in CRC fail on UE side. Dedicated HARQ process for broadcast is used. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a HARQ NACK ? | -> | HARQ NACK | 1 | F |
| 3 | Wait for 10 seconds for UE to attempt to read the modified system information. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including a matched identity. | <-- | - | | |
| 45 | Check: does the UE transmits a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 6 | The SS transmits an updated system information with S-RNTI addressed in L1/L2 header. CRC is calculated in such a way, it will result in CRC fail on UE side. Dedicated HARQ process for broadcast is used. | | | | |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit an ACK? | -> | HARQ ACK | 1 | F |
| 8 | Wait for 10 seconds for UE to read the modified system information. | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including a matched identity. | <-- | - | - | - |
| 10 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message, using PRACH resources as in new SI. | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |

7.1.3.6.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.1.3.6.3.3-1: *SystemInformationBlockType2* (steps 1 and 6 of table 7.1.3.6.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-1 | | | |
|--|------------------------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { radioResourceConfigCommon SEQUENCE { prach-Configuration SEQUENCE { rootSequenceIndex } } } | Value different than default | As per table 5.7.1-2 of 25.211, this results in PRACH preamble transmission start in even frame numbers and sub-frame number 4 | |

7.1.3.7 MAC-Padding

7.1.3.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when { UE is receiving RLC PDUs in MAC PDUs with padding greater than 2 bytes }
    then { UE acknowledge reception of the RLC PDUs }
  }
```

(2)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when { UE is receiving RLC PDUs in MAC PDUs with padding less than 2 bytes }
    then { UE acknowledge reception of the RLC PDUs }
  }
```

(3)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when { SS is transmitting a MAC control Timing Advance PDU with padding less than 2 bytes and no
    Data MAC PDU sub-headers followed by transmitting a RLC PDU using the new Timing Advance value }
    then { UE acknowledge reception of the RLC PDU }
  }
```

7.1.3.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 6.1.2.

[TS 36.321 clause 6.1.2]

...

Padding occurs at the end of the MAC PDU, except when single-byte or two-byte padding is required but cannot be achieved by padding at the end of the MAC PDU.

When single-byte or two-byte padding is required but cannot be achieved by padding at the end of the MAC PDU, one or two MAC PDU sub-headers corresponding to padding are inserted before the first MAC PDU sub header corresponding to a MAC SDU; or if such sub header is not present, before the last MAC PDU sub header corresponding to a MAC control element.

A maximum of one MAC PDU can be transmitted per TB per UE.

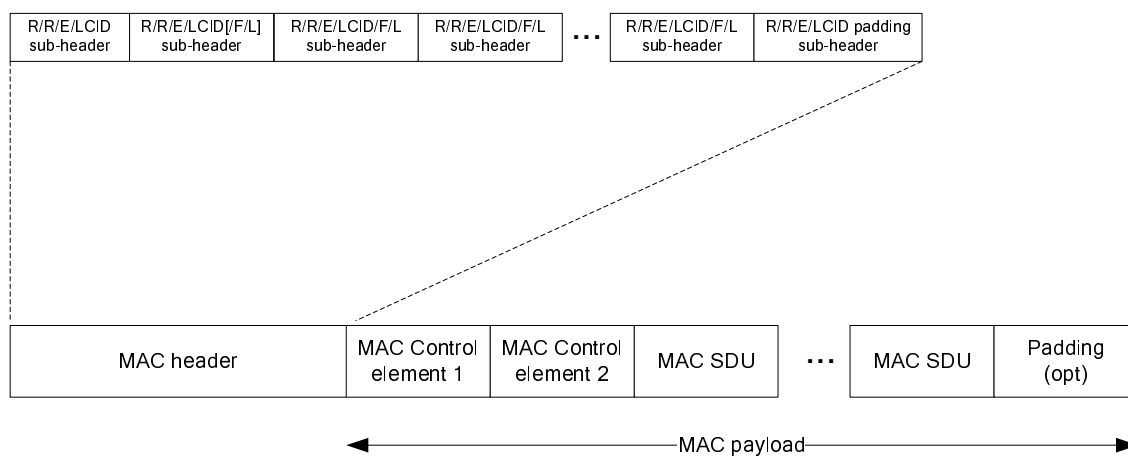


Figure 6.1.2-3: MAC PDU consisting of MAC header, MAC control elements, MAC SDUs and padding

7.1.3.7.3 Test description

7.1.3.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- The UL RLC SDU size is set to not return any data.

7.1.3.7.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.3.7.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing a RLC SDU in an AMD PDU with polling field 'P' set to '1'. The MAC SDU payload is set 10-bytes smaller than the TB size allocated in the DL Assignment minus AMD PDU and MAC headers. | <-- | MAC PDU(AMD PDU, padding) | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an RLC STATUS PDU with ACK_SN field equal to 1? | --> | RLC STATUS PDU (ACK_SN 'n') | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing a RLC SDU in an AMD PDU. The MAC SDU payload is set to 1-byte smaller than the TB size allocated in the DL Assignment minus AMD PDU and MAC headers. SS adds a 1 byte padding by inserting a MAC PDU sub-header before first Data MAC PDU sub-header. | <-- | MACPDU(AMD PDU, one byte padding) | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit an RLC STATUS PDU with ACK_SN field equal to 2? | --> | MAC PDU(RLC STATUS PDU (ACK_SN =2)) | 2 | P |
| 5 | The SS sets the downlink assignment for TBS of '16-bits' | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS transmits a Timing Advance without any additional padding. Start Timer_1 = Time Alignment timer value. | <-- | MAC Control PDU(Timing Advance) | - | - |
| 7 | The SS sets the downlink assignment for TBS of '24-bits' | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | The SS waits a time period equal to 0.5 of Timer_1 value and configures a MAC PDU that consists of only a Control MAC PDU sub header (8-bits). Transmit another Timing Advance MAC PDU (8-bits) which leaves 1-byte padding. The SS does not transmit any subsequent timing alignment. Restart Timer_1 = Time Alignment timer value | <-- | MAC Control(Timing Advance) + 1-byte padding | - | - |
| 9 | The SS waits a time period equal to 0.7 of Timer_1 and then transmits MAC PDU containing one RLC SDU in an AMD PDU with polling field 'P' set to '1'. | <-- | MAC PDU(AMD PDU (SN=2, P=1)) | - | - |
| 10 | Check: does the UE transmit an RLC STATUS PDU acknowledging the reception of the RLC PDU in step 9? | --> | MAC PDU(RLC STATUS PDU (ACK_SN =3)) | 3 | P |

7.1.3.7.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.4 UL-SCH Data Transfer

7.1.4.1 Correct handling of UL assignment / dynamic case

7.1.4.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives for a TTI an uplink grant with valid C-RNTI }
  then { UE transmits data and associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI }
}

```


7.1.4.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.321 clause 5.4.1.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.4.1]

In order to transmit on the UL-SCH the UE must have a valid uplink grant (except for non-adaptive HARQ retransmissions) which it may receive dynamically on the PDCCH or in a Random Access Response or which may be configured semi-persistently. To perform requested transmissions, the MAC layer receives HARQ information from lower layers.

When the UE has a C-RNTI, Semi-Persistent Scheduling C-RNTI, or Temporary C-RNTI, the UE shall for each TTI:

- if an uplink grant for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the UE's C-RNTI or Temporary C-RNTI; or
- if an uplink grant for this TTI has been received in a Random Access Response:
 - deliver the uplink grant and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.
- else, if an uplink grant for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the UE's Semi-Persistent C-RNTI:
 - if the NDI in the received HARQ information is 1:
 - consider the NDI not to have been toggled;
 - indicate a valid uplink grant and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.

...

NOTE: The period of configured uplink grants is expressed in TTIs.

NOTE: If the UE receives both a grant for its RA-RNTI and a grant for its C-RNTI, the UE may choose to continue with either the grant for its RA-RNTI or the grant for its C-RNTI.

7.1.4.1.3 Test description

7.1.4.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.1.4.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | SS transmits a MAC PDU including a RLC SDU | <-- | MAC PDU | 1 | - |
| 3 | The SS responds to any scheduling grants by sending an UL Grant, allowing the UE to return the RLC SDU as received in step 2, on PDCCH with the C-RNTI as assigned to the UE. | <-- | (UL Grant (C-RNTI)) | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit associated HARQ information with RV=0? | --> | HARQ ACK | 1 | P |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 6 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | SS transmits a MAC PDU containing a RLC SDU | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 8 | The SS responds to any scheduling grants by sending an UL Grant, allowing the UE to return the RLC SDU as received in step 7, on PDCCH, but with a C-RNTI different from the C-RNTI assigned to the UE. | <-- | (UL Grant (unknown C-RNTI)) | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit associated HARQ information with RV=0? | --> | HARQ ACK | 1 | P |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit any MAC PDU? | - | - | 1 | F |

7.1.4.1.3.3 Specific message contents.

None.

7.1.4.2 Correct handling of UL assignment / semi persistent case

7.1.4.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a UL grant addressed to its SPS-CRNTI in sub-frame y and with NDI set as 0 }
  then { UE starts transmitting UL MAC PDU in sub frames y+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] where
'n' is an integer [≥0] }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established and stored UL SPS grant to transmit MAC
PDU at subframe y+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a UL grant addressed to its SPS-CRNTI in sub-frame P and with NDI set as 0,
where p!= y+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] }
  then { UE starts transmitting UL MAC PDU in sub frames p+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] and
stops transmitting UL MAC PDU at sub frames y+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] where 'n' is an integer
[≥0] }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established and stored UL SPS grant to transmit MAC
PDU at subframe y+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a UL grant [for retransmission] addressed to its SPS-CRNTI in sub-frame z and
with NDI set as 1, for the corresponding HARQ Process, where z!= y+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] }
  then { UE re-transmits MAC PDU in sub frame z+4 as per the new grant for SPS-CRNTI }
}
```

(4)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established and stored UL SPS grant to receive MAC
PDU at subframe z+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a UL grant addressed to its CRNTI in sub-frame p, such that in subframe p+4=
z+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] }
  then { UE transmits MAC PDU in sub frame p+4 as per grant addressed to its C-RNTI }

```

(5)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established and stored UL SPS grant to receive MAC
PDU at subframe z+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a RRCConnectionReconfiguration including the mobilityControlInformation and
hence resulting in SPS grant deactivation}
  then { UE stops transmitting UL MAC
PDU's as per stored SPS grant in sub frame z+4+n*[semiPersistSchedIntervalUL] }
}

```

Editors note: SPS Grant deactivation is not very clear

7.1.4.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321 clause 5.4.1 and 36.331 clause 5.3.10.5.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.4.1]

In order to transmit on the UL-SCH the UE must have a valid uplink grant (except for non-adaptive HARQ retransmissions) which it may receive dynamically on the PDCCH or in a Random Access Response or which may be configured semi-persistently. To perform requested transmissions, the MAC layer receives HARQ information from lower layers.

When the UE has a C-RNTI, Semi-Persistent Scheduling C-RNTI, or Temporary C-RNTI, the UE shall for each TTI:

- if an uplink grant for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the UE's C-RNTI or Temporary C-RNTI; or
- if an uplink grant for this TTI has been received in a Random Access Response:
 - deliver the uplink grant and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.
- else, if an uplink grant for this TTI has been received on the PDCCH for the UE's Semi-Persistent C-RNTI:
 - if the NDI in the received HARQ information is 1:
 - consider the NDI not to have been toggled;
 - indicate a valid uplink grant and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.
 - else if the NDI in the received HARQ information is 0:
 - store the uplink grant and the associated HARQ information as configured uplink grant;
 - initialise (if not active) or re-initialise (if already active) the configured uplink grant to start in this TTI and to recur with the periodicity configured via RRC;
 - consider the NDI bit to have been toggled;
 - indicate a configured uplink grant, valid for new transmission, and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.
- else, if [PDCCH condition for deactivation of SPS]:
 - clear the configured uplink grant (if any).
- else, if an uplink grant for this TTI has been configured:
 - consider the NDI bit to have been toggled;
 - deliver the configured uplink grant, and the associated HARQ information to the HARQ entity for this TTI.

NOTE: The period of configured uplink grants is expressed in TTIs.

NOTE: If the UE receives both a grant for its RA-RNTI and a grant for its C-RNTI, the UE may choose to continue with either the grant for its RA-RNTI or the grant for its C-RNTI.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.5]

Authors Note: Is this allowed?

1> if the received RRCConnectionReconfiguration message includes the mobilityControlInformation:

2> if SPS resource is activated:

3> deactivate SPS resource;

7.1.4.2.3 Test description

7.1.4.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- The loop back size is set in such a way that one RLC SDU in DL shall result in 1 RLC SDU's in UL of same size.
- Following specific parameters in table 7.1.4.2.3.1-1 are allocated to the UE during preamble.

Table 7.1.4.2.3.1-1: specific Parameters in RRCConnectionReconfiguration

| Parameter | Value |
|-----------------------------------|-------|
| semiPersistSchedIntervalUL | sf160 |
| Semi-Persistent Scheduling C-RNTI | FFS* |

Editors Note: It is not yet clear how the SPS C-RNTI is assigned to UE.

7.1.4.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a DL MAC PDU containing 9 RLC SDU's | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits a Scheduling Request, indicating that loop back PDUs are ready for transmission in UL RLC | --> | (SR) | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an UL Grant using UE's SPS C-RNTI in sub frame 'Y', NDI=0, allowing the UE to transmit one loop back PDU per MAC PDU. | <-- | (UL SPS Grant) | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in sub frame 'Y+4'? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits a HARQ ACK | <-- | HARQ ACK | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does The UE transmit a MAC PDU in sub frame 'Y+4+X semiPersistSchedIntervalUL'? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 7 | The SS transmits a HARQ ACK | <-- | HARQ ACK | - | - |
| 8 | The SS Transmits an UL Grant using UE's SPS C-RNTI in sub frame 'P', NDI=0, where $Y+X < P < Y+2X$, and allowing the UE to transmit two loop back PDUs per MAC PDU. | <-- | (UL SPS Grant) | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in sub frame 'P+4' as per grant in step 8? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |
| 10 | The SS transmits a HARQ ACK | <-- | HARQ ACK | - | - |
| 11 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in sub frame 'Y+4+2X'? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | F |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in sub frame 'P+4+X semiPersistSchedIntervalUL' as per grant in step 8? | --> | MAC PDU | 2,3 | P |
| 13 | The SS transmits a HARQ ACK | <-- | HARQ ACK | - | - |
| 14 | The SS Transmits an UL Grant using UE's SPS C-RNTI in sub frame 'Z', NDI=1, where $P < Z < P+1X$; the UL HARQ process is the same as in step 12 | <-- | (UL SPS Grant) | - | - |
| 15 | Check: Does the UE transmit in sub frame 'Z+4' a MAC PDU as in step 12? | --> | MAC PDU | 3 | P |
| 16 | The SS transmits a HARQ ACK | <-- | HARQ ACK | 3 | - |
| 17 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in sub frame 'P+4+2X semiPersistSchedIntervalUL' as per grant in step 8? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 18 | The SS transmits a HARQ ACK | <-- | HARQ ACK | - | - |
| 19 | The SS Transmits a UL Grant using UE's C-RNTI in sub frame 'P+3X semiPersistSchedIntervalUL'; allowing UE to transmit MAC PDU containing one RLC SDU | <-- | (DL Grant) | - | - |
| 20 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in sub frame 'P+4+3X semiPersistSchedIntervalUL' as per grant in step 19? | --> | MAC PDU | 4 | P |
| 21 | The SS transmits a HARQ ACK | <-- | HARQ ACK | - | - |
| 22 | SS Transmits <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> including the <i>mobilityControlInformation</i> | - | - | - | - |
| 23 | The UE transmits <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - | - | - |
| 24 | The SS transmits DL MAC PDU containing 1 RLC SDU's | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 25 | The UE transmits Scheduling request, indicating loop back PDU's ready for transmission in UL RLC | --> | (SR) | - | - |

| | | | | | |
|----|--|-----|------------|---|---|
| 26 | Check :does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in sub frame 'Y+4+nX semiPersistSchedIntervalUL' as per grant in step 8? | --> | MAC PDU | 5 | F |
| 27 | SS transmits an UL Grant | <-- | (UL Grant) | - | - |
| 28 | The UE transmits MAC PDU as per grant in step 27. | --> | MAC PDU | - | - |

Note 1: Steps 27 and 28 are executed to bring UE in stable state.

7.1.4.2.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.1.4.3 Logical channel prioritization handling

Editor's note: This test case is not based on 36.321 v8.3.0.

7.1.4.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with {UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state}
ensure that {
  when { sending data on the uplink }
  then { UE serves the logical channels according to their priority and configured PBR }
}
```

7.1.4.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.321 clauses 5.4.3.1.

[TS 36.323, clause 5.4.3.1]

The Logical Channel Prioritization procedure is applied when a new transmission is performed.

RRC can control the scheduling of uplink data by giving each logical channel a priority where increasing priority values indicate lower priority levels. In addition, each logical channel is given a Prioritized Bit Rate (PBR).

The UE shall perform the following Logical Channel Prioritization procedure when a new transmission is performed:

- The UE shall allocate resources to the logical channels in the following sequence:
 - all the logical channels are allocated resources in a decreasing priority order up to a value such that on average, the served data rate for radio bearers that have data for transmission equals the configured PBR for the radio bearer. If the PBR of a radio bearer is set to "infinity", the UE shall allocate resources for all the data that is available for transmission on the radio bearer before meeting the PBR of the lower priority radio bearer(s);
 - if any resources remain, all the logical channels are served in a strict decreasing priority order until either the data for that logical channel or the UL grant is exhausted, whichever comes first.
- The UE shall also follow the rules below during the scheduling procedures above:
 - the UE should not segment an RLC SDU (or partially transmitted SDU or retransmitted RLC PDU) if the whole SDU (or partially transmitted SDU or retransmitted RLC PDU) fits into the remaining resources;
 - if the UE segments an RLC SDU from the logical channel, it shall maximize the size of the segment to fill the grant as much as possible;
 - the UE shall serve as much data as it can to fill the grant in general. However, if the remaining resources require the UE to segment an RLC SDU with size smaller than x bytes or smaller than the L2 header size (FFS), the UE may use padding to fill the remaining resources instead of segmenting the RLC SDU and sending the segment.

Logical channels configured with the same priority shall be served equally the by UE.

MAC control elements for BSR, with exception of Padding BSR, have higher priority than U-plane Logical Channels.

At serving cell change, the first UL-DCCH MAC SDU to be transmitted in the new cell has higher priority than MAC control elements for BSR.

7.1.4.3.3 Test description

7.1.4.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- 3 DRBs are configured according to table 7.1.4.3.3.1-1.

Table 7.1.4.3.3.1-1: Priority and PBR settings

| DRB | Priority | PBR |
|------|----------|-------------|
| DRB1 | 1 | 8 kBytes/s |
| DRB2 | 2 | 16 kBytes/s |
| DRB3 | 3 | 32 kBytes/s |

7.1.4.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS sends N1 320-octet RLC SDUs on DRB1, N2 320-octet RLC SDUs on DRB2, and N3 320-octet RLC SDUs on DRB3. | <-- | RLC SDUs | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: the steps 2 to 4 are run 4 times using the parameters specified for each run in table 7.1.4.3.3.2-3. In addition, for each run, the step 2 is run in parallel with the behaviour specified in table 7.1.4.3.3.2-2. | | | | |
| 2 | For a duration of T2, the SS sends an UL grant of D octets every T1. | <-- | UL grants | - | - |
| 3 | Check: the total number of octets of the UL RLC SDUs received at the SS for each DRB as follows: - the total number of octets received for DRB1 is D1 octets +/- 10% - the total number of octets received for DRB2 is D2 octets +/- 10% - the total number of octets received for DRB3 is D3 octets +/- 10% | - | - | 1 | P |
| 4 | The SS re-establish the RLC for each RB at the UE. | - | - | - | - |

Table 7.1.4.3.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE sends the RLC SDUs back to the SS. | --> | - | - | - |

Table 7.1.4.3.3.2-3: Test parameter values

| Parameter | First run | Second run | Third run | Fourth run |
|-------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|
| N1 (SDUs) | 13 | 13 | 7 | 104 |
| N2 (SDUs) | 25 | 25 | 50 | 25 |
| N3 (SDUs) | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| D (octets) | 1128 | 568 | 1128 | 2280 |
| T1 (ms) | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| T2 (ms) | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 |
| D1 (octets) | 4160 | 4000 | 2240 | 33000 |
| D2 (octets) | 8000 | 8000 | 9960 | 8000 |
| D3 (octets) | 16000 | 2200 | 16000 | 16000 |

Editor's note: the numbers above and the test procedure assume that the UE has a loopback buffer of at least 57280 octets.

7.1.4.4 Correct Handling of MAC control information [Scheduling Requests/ PUCCH]

Editor's note: This test case is not based on 36.321 v8.3.0.

7.1.4.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when { PUCCH Configured and UE has UL data in transmission buffer and UE has no UL-SCH resources
available }
      then { the UE transmits a SR on PUCCH at every TTI until resources are granted }
  }
```

7.1.4.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.4.4.

[TS 36.321 clause 5.4.4]

The Scheduling Request (SR) is for requesting UL-SCH resources.

If an SR has been triggered, the UE shall for each TTI, until UL-SCH resources are granted for a new transmission:

- if no UL-SCH resources are available in this TTI:
 - if a PUCCH is configured for the UE to send an SR in this TTI and if there is no measurement gap in this TTI, instruct the physical layer to signal the SR on PUCCH;
 - if no PUCCH for SR is configured for the UE in any TTI, initiate a Random Access procedure (see subclause 5.1).

NOTE: A triggered SR is considered pending and is repeated until UL-SCH resources are granted for a new transmission.

7.1.4.4.3 Test description

7.1.4.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.1.4.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--|---|------------------|----------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing 10 MAC SDUs each containing a RLC SDU | <-- | MAC PDU (containing 10 MAC SDUs) | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 2 shall be repeated for 20 TTIs. Step 2 runs in parallel with behaviour in table 7.1.4.4.3.2-2. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a Scheduling Request on PUCCH at this TTI? (Note 1) | --> | (SR) | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits UL grant to allocate UL-SCH resources that are enough to transmit MAC PDU containing 10 MAC SDUs | <-- | (UL Grant) | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing 10 RLC PDUs? | --> | MAC PDU (containing 10 MAC SDUs) | 1 | P |
| Note 1: The UE repeats the scheduling requests as long there is data in the transmission buffer and there are no resources available to transmit it. | | | | | |

Table 7.1.4.4.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | F |

7.1.4.4.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.4.5 Correct Handling of MAC control information [Scheduling Requests/Random Access Procedure]

7.1.4.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

```
with { UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state, no PUCCH for SR is configured }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a MAC PDU with a Timing Advance control element and UL data in transmission
buffer and no UL-SCH resources available }
  then { the UE initiates the random access procedure }
}
```

7.1.4.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321 , clause 5.4.4.

[TS 36.321 clause 5.4.4]

The Scheduling Request (SR) is for requesting UL-SCH resources.

If an SR has been triggered, the UE shall for each TTI, until UL-SCH resources are granted for a new transmission:

- if no UL-SCH resources are available in this TTI:
 - if a PUCCH is configured for the UE to send an SR in this TTI and if there is no measurement gap in this TTI, instruct the physical layer to signal the SR on PUCCH;
 - if no PUCCH for SR is configured for the UE in any TTI, initiate a Random Access procedure (see subclause 5.1).

NOTE: A triggered SR is considered pending and is repeated until UL-SCH resources are granted for a new transmission.

7.1.4.5.3 Test description

7.1.4.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.1.4.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.5.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--------|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing a MAC SDU and a Timing Advance MAC Control Element, but do not send any subsequent alignments. | <-- | MAC PDU (Timing Advance Command, MAC SDU) | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 2 runs in parallel with behaviour in table 7.1.4.4.3.2-2 | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a preamble on PRACH? (Note 1) | --> | (PRACH Preamble) | 1 | P |
| 4 | The SS transmits a Random Access Response including an UL grant to enable UE to transmit C-RNTI MAC Control Element and the RLC SDU as received in step 1. | <-- | Random Access Response | - | - |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU including a C-RNTI MAC Control Element and a MAC SDU? (Note 2) | --> | MAC PDU (C-RNTI control element, MAC SDU) | 1 | P |
| 6 | The UE transmits a MAC PDU including a UE Contention Resolution control element) | <-- | MAC PDU (UE Contention Resolution Identity) | - | - |
| Note 1 | When UL time alignment timer expires in the UE then "UL synchronization" is lost and the UE initiates a Random Access Procedure. | | | | |
| Note 2 | The UE transmission of the MAC PDU ensures that the random access procedure was successful. | | | | |

Table 7.1.4.5.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | UE may transmit a Scheduling Request before timing alignment timer expires. SS shall not respond to the Scheduling Grant. | --> | (SR) | - | - |

7.1.4.5.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.4.6 Correct Handling of MAC control information [Buffer Status/ UL data arrives in the UE Tx buffer / Regular BSR]

7.1.4.6.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when{ UL data arrives in the UE transmission buffer and the data belongs to a logical channel
with higher priority than those for which data already existed in the UE transmission and more than
one LCG has buffered data in a TTI}
      then { UE Reports a Long Buffer Status Reporting (BSR)}
  }
```

(2)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when{ UL data arrives in the UE transmission buffer and the data belongs to a logical channel
with higher priority than those for which data already existed in the UE transmission buffer and one
LCG has buffered data in a TTI}
      then { UE Reports a Short Buffer Status Reporting (BSR)}
  }
```

(3)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when { a Regular BSR has been triggered and UE has pending data for transmission and UE has only
resources to send either BSR report or data}
      then { UE transmits the pending BSR report}
  }
```

(4)

```
with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
  ensure that {
    when{ UE determines that a BSR has been triggered since last transmission while PUCCH is
synchronised }
      then { UE transmits a scheduling request}
  }
```

7.1.4.6.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.4.5, 6.1.2, 6.1.3.1 and 6.2.1 and in TS 36.323 clause 4.5.

[TS 36.321 clause 5.4.3.1]

...

MAC control elements for BSR, with exception of Padding BSR, have higher priority than U-plane Logical Channels.

[TS 36.321 clause 5.4.5]

The Buffer Status reporting procedure is used to provide the serving eNB with information about the amount of data in the UL buffers of the UE.

A Buffer Status Report (BSR) shall be triggered if any of the following events occur:

- UL data arrives in the UE transmission buffer in the RLC entity or in the PDCP entity (the definition of what data shall be considered as available for transmission is specified in [3] and [4] respectively) and the data belongs to a logical channel with higher priority than those for which data already existed in the UE transmission buffer, in which case the BSR is referred below to as "Regular BSR";

...

For Regular and Periodic BSR:

- if only one LCG has data available for transmission in the TTI where the BSR is transmitted: report Short BSR;

- else if more than one LCG has data available for transmission in the TTI where the BSR is transmitted: report Long BSR.

If the Buffer Status reporting procedure determines that a BSR has been triggered since the last transmission of a BSR or this is the first time that a BSR is triggered:

- if the UE has UL resources allocated for new transmission for this TTI:
 - instruct the Multiplexing and Assembly procedure to generate a BSR MAC control element;
 - restart the PERIODIC BSR TIMER.
- else if a Regular BSR has been triggered:
 - a Scheduling Request shall be triggered.

NOTE: Even if multiple events occur by the time a BSR can be transmitted, only one BSR will be included in the MAC PDU.

A pending BSR shall be cancelled in case the UL grant can accommodate all pending data available for transmission but is not sufficient to additionally accommodate the BSR MAC control element.

[TS 36.321 clause 6.1.2]

MAC control elements are always placed before any MAC SDU.

[TS 36.321 clause 6.1.3.1]

Buffer Status Report (BSR) MAC control elements consist of either:

- Short BSR and Truncated BSR format: one LCG ID field and one corresponding BS field (figure 6.1.3.1-1); or
- Long BSR format: four Buffer Size fields, corresponding to LCG IDs #1 through #4 (figure 6.1.3.1-2).

The BSR formats are identified by MAC PDU sub headers with LCIDs as specified in table 6.2.1.-1.

The fields LCG ID and BS are defined as follow:

- LCG ID: The Logical Channel Group ID field identifies the group of logical channel(s) which buffer status is being reported. The length of the field is 2 bits;
- Buffer Size: The Buffer Size field identifies the total amount of data available across all logical channels of a logical channel group after the MAC PDU has been built. The amount of data is indicated in number of bytes. It shall include all data that is available for transmission in the RLC layer and in the PDCP layer; the definition of what data shall be considered as available for transmission is specified in [3] and [4] respectively. The size of the RLC and MAC headers are not considered in the buffer size computation. The length of this field is 6 bits. The values taken by the Buffer Size field are shown in [Table 6.1.3.1-1].

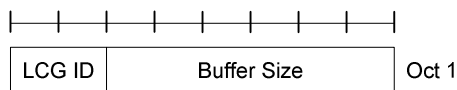


Figure 6.1.3.1-1: Short Buffer Status MAC control element

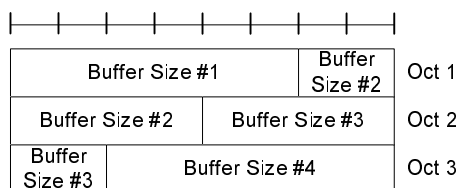


Figure 6.1.3.1-2: Long Buffer Status MAC control element

Table 6.1.3.1-1: Buffer size levels for BSR

| Index | Buffer Size (BS) value [bytes] | Index | Buffer Size (BS) value [bytes] |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------|
| 0 | BS = 0 | 32 | 1132 < BS ≤ 1326 |
| 1 | 0 < BS ≤ 10 | 33 | 1326 < BS ≤ 1552 |
| 2 | 10 < BS ≤ 12 | 34 | 1552 < BS ≤ 1817 |
| 3 | 12 < BS ≤ 14 | 35 | 1817 < BS ≤ 2127 |
| 4 | 14 < BS ≤ 17 | 36 | 2127 < BS ≤ 2490 |
| 5 | 17 < BS ≤ 19 | 37 | 2490 < BS ≤ 2915 |
| 6 | 19 < BS ≤ 22 | 38 | 2915 < BS ≤ 3413 |
| 7 | 22 < BS ≤ 26 | 39 | 3413 < BS ≤ 3995 |
| 8 | 26 < BS ≤ 31 | 40 | 3995 < BS ≤ 4677 |
| 9 | 31 < BS ≤ 36 | 41 | 4677 < BS ≤ 5476 |
| 10 | 36 < BS ≤ 42 | 42 | 5476 < BS ≤ 6411 |
| 11 | 42 < BS ≤ 49 | 43 | 6411 < BS ≤ 7505 |
| 12 | 49 < BS ≤ 57 | 44 | 7505 < BS ≤ 8787 |
| 13 | 57 < BS ≤ 67 | 45 | 8787 < BS ≤ 10287 |
| 14 | 67 < BS ≤ 78 | 46 | 10287 < BS ≤ 12043 |
| 15 | 78 < BS ≤ 91 | 47 | 12043 < BS ≤ 14099 |
| 16 | 91 < BS ≤ 107 | 48 | 14099 < BS ≤ 16507 |
| 17 | 107 < BS ≤ 125 | 49 | 16507 < BS ≤ 19325 |
| 18 | 125 < BS ≤ 146 | 50 | 19325 < BS ≤ 22624 |
| 19 | 146 < BS ≤ 171 | 51 | 22624 < BS ≤ 26487 |
| 20 | 171 < BS ≤ 200 | 52 | 26487 < BS ≤ 31009 |
| 21 | 200 < BS ≤ 234 | 53 | 31009 < BS ≤ 36304 |
| 22 | 234 < BS ≤ 274 | 54 | 36304 < BS ≤ 42502 |
| 23 | 274 < BS ≤ 321 | 55 | 42502 < BS ≤ 49759 |
| 24 | 321 < BS ≤ 376 | 56 | 49759 < BS ≤ 58255 |
| 25 | 376 < BS ≤ 440 | 57 | 58255 < BS ≤ 68201 |
| 26 | 440 < BS ≤ 515 | 58 | 68201 < BS ≤ 79846 |
| 27 | 515 < BS ≤ 603 | 59 | 79846 < BS ≤ 93479 |
| 28 | 603 < BS ≤ 706 | 60 | 93479 < BS ≤ 109439 |
| 29 | 706 < BS ≤ 826 | 61 | 109439 < BS ≤ 128125 |
| 30 | 826 < BS ≤ 967 | 62 | 128125 < BS ≤ 150000 |
| 31 | 967 < BS ≤ 1132 | 63 | BS > 150000 |

[TS 36.321 clause 6.2.1, 6.2.1-2]

Table 6.2.1-2 Values of LCID for UL-SCH

| Index | LCID values |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| 00000 | CCCH |
| 00001-01010 | Identity of the logical channel |
| 01011-11001 | Reserved |
| 11010 | Power Headroom Report |
| 11011 | C-RNTI |
| 11100 | Truncated BSR |
| 11101 | Short BSR |
| 11110 | Long BSR |
| 11111 | Padding |

[TS 36.323 clause 4.5]

For the purpose of MAC buffer status reporting, the UE shall consider the following as data available for transmission in the PDCP layer:

For SDUs for which no PDU has been submitted to lower layers:

- the SDU itself, if the SDU has not yet been processed by PDCP, or
- the PDU (control or data) if the SDU has been processed by PDCP.

7.1.4.6.3 Test description

7.1.4.6.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator :

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble :

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- 3 AM DRBS are configured with the following parameters:

Table 7.1.4.6.1-1: Logical Channel Configuration Settings

| Parameter | Value DRB1 | Value DRB1 | Value DRB1 |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| LogicalChannel-Identity | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Priority | 8 | 7 | 6 |
| prioritizedBitRate | 0 kB/s | 0 kB/s | 0 kB/s |
| logicalChannelGroup | 2 (LCG ID#3) | 2 (LCG ID#3) | 1 (LCG ID#2) |

7.1.4.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.6.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--------|---|------------------|---|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing two RLC SDUs of size 10 bytes on LC 3 | <-- | MAC PDU (2 RLC SDUs on LC 3) | - | - |
| 3 | Check: Does the UE transmit a scheduling request? | --> | (SR) | 4 | P |
| 4 | SS respond to the scheduling request in step 3 by an UL Grant of 32 bits. (Note 1) | <-- | (UL Grant, 32 bits) | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit a Short BSR with 'LCG ID' field set to '3' and 'Buffer size' field set to value '6' or bigger? (Note 2) | --> | MAC PDU (MAC Short BSR (LCG ID='3', Buffer Size='6' or bigger)) | 2,3 | P |
| 6 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing one RLC SDUs of size 10 bytes on LC 4 | <-- | MAC PDU (1 RLC SDUs on LC 4) | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit a scheduling request? | --> | (SR) | 4 | P |
| 8 | SS respond to the scheduling request in step 7 by an UL Grant of 32 bits. (Note 1) | <-- | (UL Grant, 32 bits) | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit a Short BSR with 'LCG ID' field set to '3' and 'Buffer size#1' field set to value '8' or bigger? (Note 2) | --> | MAC PDU (MAC Short BSR (LCG ID='3', Buffer Size='8' or bigger)) | 2,3 | P |
| 10 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing two RLC SDUs of size 2 bytes on LC 5 | <-- | MAC PDU (2 RLC SDUs on LC 5) | - | - |
| 11 | Check: Does the UE transmit a scheduling request? | --> | (SR) | 4 | P |
| 12 | SS respond to the scheduling request in step 11 by one UL Grant of 32 bits. (Note 2) | <-- | (UL Grant, 32 bits) | - | - |
| 13 | Check: Does the UE transmit a Long BSR with 'Buffer size#2' field set to value '6', 'Buffer size#3' field set to value '8' or bigger? (Note 2) | --> | MAC PDU (MAC Long BSR (Buffer size#2='6' or bigger, Buffer size#3='8' or bigger)) | 1,3 | P |
| Note 1 | 32 bits enables UE to transmit a MAC PDU with a MAC BSR header and a Short BSR (1 bytes) or a Long BSR (3 byte). | | | | |
| Note 2 | UE triggers a Short BSR of type "Regular BSR" to report buffer status for one LCG for that TTI. The UE should not send any of the received RLC SDUs (segmented) due to Regular BSR has higher priority than U-plane logical channels. | | | | |
| Note 3 | UE triggers and transmit a Long BSR of type "Regular BSR". The UL grant would be enough for UE to transmit one RLC SDU as received in step 8, but Regular BSR has higher priority than U-plane logical channels. | | | | |

7.1.4.6.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.4.7 Correct Handling of MAC control information [Buffer Status/ UL resources are allocated/ Padding BSR]

Editor's note: This test case is not based on 36.321 v8.3.0.

7.1.4.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state =
ensure that {
  when { UE transmits a MAC PDU and the number of padding bits are larger than the Size of a Short
BSR plus its subheader, but less than the size of a Long BSR plus its subheader and the UE has
buffered data from more than one LCG in the TTI where the BSR is transmitted }
  then { UE Reports a Truncated BSR with LCG containing highest LC priority }
}

```

(2)

```

with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state)
ensure that {
  when { UE transmits a MAC PDU and the number of padding bits are larger than the Size of a Short
BSR plus its subheader, but less than the size of a Long BSR plus its subheader and the UE has
buffered data for only one LCG in the TTI where the BSR is transmitted }
  then { UE Reports a Short BSR indicating the LCG with buffered data }
}

```

(3)

```

with (UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state )
ensure that {
  when{ UE transmits a MAC PDU and the number of padding bits are larger than the Size of a Long BSR
plus its subheader }
  then { UE Reports a long BSR }
}

```

7.1.4.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.4.5, 6.1.2, 6.1.3.1 and 6.2.1 and in TS 36.323 V8.2.1 clause 4.5.

[[TS 36.321 clause 5.4.3.1]

...

MAC control elements for BSR, with exception of Padding BSR, have higher priority than U-plane Logical Channels.

TS 36.321 clause 5.4.5]

The Buffer Status reporting procedure is used to provide the serving eNB with information about the amount of data in the UL buffers of the UE.

A Buffer Status Report (BSR) shall be triggered if any of the following events occur:

...

- UL resources are allocated and number of padding bits is equal to or larger than the size of the Buffer Status Report MAC control element, in which case the BSR is referred below to as "Padding BSR";

...

For padding BSR:

- if the number of padding bits is equal to or larger than the size of the Short BSR plus its sub header but smaller than the size of the Long BSR plus its sub header:
- if more than one LCG has buffered data in the TTI where the BSR is transmitted: report Truncated BSR of the LCG with the highest priority logical channel with data available for transmission;
- else report Short BSR.
- else if the number of padding bits is equal to or larger than the size of the Long BSR plus its sub header, report Long BSR.

If the Buffer Status reporting procedure determines that a BSR has been triggered since the last transmission of a BSR or this is the first time that a BSR is triggered:

- if the UE has UL resources allocated for new transmission for this TTI:
 - instruct the Multiplexing and Assembly procedure to generate a BSR MAC control element;
 - restart the PERIODIC BSR TIMER.
- else if a Regular BSR has been triggered:
 - a Scheduling Request shall be triggered.

NOTE: Even if multiple events occur by the time a BSR can be transmitted, only one BSR will be included in the MAC PDU.

A pending BSR shall be cancelled in case the UL grant can accommodate all pending data available for transmission but is not sufficient to additionally accommodate the BSR MAC control element.

[TS 36.321 clause 6.1.2]

MAC control elements are always placed before any MAC SDU.

[TS 36.321 clause 6.1.3.1]

Buffer Status Report (BSR) MAC control elements consist of either:

- Short BSR and Truncated BSR format: one LCG ID field and one corresponding BS field (figure 6.1.3.1-1); or
- Long BSR format: four Buffer Size fields, corresponding to LCG IDs #1 through #4 (figure 6.1.3.1-2).

The BSR formats are identified by MAC PDU sub headers with LCIDs as specified in table 6.2.1.-1.

The fields LCG ID and BS are defined as follow:

- LCG ID: The Logical Channel Group ID field identifies the group of logical channel(s) which buffer status is being reported. The length of the field is 2 bits;
- Buffer Size: The Buffer Size field identifies the total amount of data available across all logical channels of a logical channel group after the MAC PDU has been built. The amount of data is indicated in number of bytes. It shall include all data that is available for transmission in the RLC layer and in the PDCP layer; the definition of what data shall be considered as available for transmission is specified in [3] and [4] respectively. The size of the RLC and MAC headers are not considered in the buffer size computation. The length of this field is 6 bits. The values taken by the Buffer Size field are shown in [Table 6.1.3.1-1].

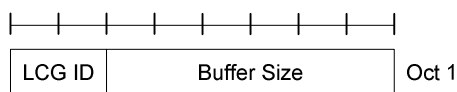


Figure 6.1.3.1-1: Short Buffer Status MAC control element

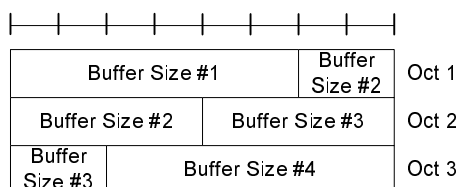


Figure 6.1.3.1-2: Long Buffer Status MAC control element

[TS 36.321 clause 6.2.1, 6.2.1-2]

Table 6.2.1-2 Values of LCID for UL-SCH

| Index | LCID values |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| 00000 | CCCH |
| 00001-01010 | Identity of the logical channel |
| 01011-11001 | Reserved |
| 11010 | Power Headroom Report |
| 11011 | C-RNTI |
| 11100 | Truncated BSR |
| 11101 | Short BSR |
| 11110 | Long BSR |
| 11111 | Padding |

[TS 36.323 clause 4.5]

For the purpose of MAC buffer status reporting, the UE shall consider the following as data available for transmission in the PDCP layer:

For SDUs for which no PDU has been submitted to lower layers:

- the SDU itself, if the SDU has not yet been processed by PDCP, or
- the PDU (control or data) if the SDU has been processed by PDCP.

7.1.4.7.3 Test description

7.1.4.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- 3 AM DRBS are configured with the parameters specified in table 7.1.4.7.1-1.

Table 7.1.4.7.1-1: Logical Channel Configuration Settings

| Parameter | DRB1 | DRB2 |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| LogicalChannel-Identity | 3 | 4 |
| Priority | 7 | 6 |
| prioritizedBitRate | 0kbs | 0kbs |
| logicalChannelGroup | 2 (LCG ID#3) | 1 (LCG ID#2) |
| periodicBSR-Timer | infinity | |

7.1.4.7.3.2

Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.7.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|---|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 2 shall be repeated for 2 times | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU including an RLC SDU of size 12 bytes on logical channel 4. | <-- | MAC PDU (RLC SDU on LC 4) | - | |
| 3 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU including an RLC SDU of size 12 bytes on logical channel 3. | <-- | MAC PDU (RLC SDU on LC 3) | - | - |
| 4 | SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 4) | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | The SS sends an uplink grant of size 32 bits. (Note 1) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmit a Long BSR report | --> | MAC PDU (Long BSR header (LCID='11110'), Long BSR) | - | - |
| 7 | The SS sends an uplink grant of size 136 bits. (Note 2) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does UE transmit a MAC PDU containing a RLC SDU and a Truncated BSR indicating pending data ('Buffer size' field > '0') for logicalChannelGroup 1 ('LCG ID' field set to '01')? | --> | MAC PDU (Truncated BSR header (LCID='11100'), Short BSR(LCG ID = '01', Buffer size>'0'), RLC SDU) | 1 | P |
| 9 | SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 4) | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | The SS sends an uplink grant of size 136 bits (Note 2) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 11 | Check: Does UE transmit a MAC PDU containing a RLC SDU and with a Short BSR indicating pending data ('Buffer size' field > '0') for logicalChannelGroup 2 ('LCG ID' field = '10')? | --> | MAC PDU (Short BSR header(LCID='11101'), Short BSR(LCG ID = '10', Buffer size>'0'), RLC SDU) | 2 | P |
| 12 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU including a RLC SDU of size 12 bytes on logical channel 3. | <-- | MAC PDU (RLC SDU on LC 3) | - | - |
| 13 | SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 4) | - | - | - | - |
| 14 | The SS sends an uplink grant of size 152 bits. (Note 3) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 15 | Check: Does UE transmit a MAC PDU containing a RLC SDU and a Long? | --> | MAC PDU (Long BSR header (LCID='11110'), Long BSR), RLC SDU) | 3 | P |
| Note 1: SS transmit an UL grant of 32 bits ($I_{TBS}=0$, $N_{PRB}=2$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) to allow UE to transmit a Regular BSR triggered by the new data received logicalChannelGroup 2 and 1 in steps 2 and 3. This to enable testing of Padding BSR which has lower priority than Regular BSR. | | | | | |
| Note 2: UL grant of 136 bits ($I_{TBS}=9$, $N_{PRB}=1$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that the MAC PDU padding bits will be equal to or larger than the size of Short/Truncated BSR and smaller than Long BSR. RLC SDU size is 12 bytes, size of AMD PDU header is 2 bytes, size of MAC header is 2 bytes (1 byte for MAC SDU sub-header using R/R/E/LCID for last sub header and 1 byte for BSR sub-header) and size of Short BSR/Truncated BSR is one byte, i.e. setting UL grant to 17 bytes (136 bits) enable UE to include Short/Truncated BSR. | | | | | |
| Note 3: UL grant of 152 bits ($I_{TBS}=9$, $N_{PRB}=1$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that the MAC PDU padding bits will be equal to or larger than the size of Long BSR. RLC SDU size is 12 bytes, size of AMD PDU header is 2 bytes, size of MAC header is 2 bytes (1 byte for MAC SDU sub-header using R/R/E/LCID for last sub header and 1 byte for BSR sub-header) and size of Long BSR is 3 bytes, i.e. setting UL grant to 19 bytes (152 bits) enable UE to include padding Long BSR. | | | | | |

Note 4: The wait time is specified to ensure that the UE is ready to loop back the data when the grant is received.

7.1.4.7.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.4.8 Correct Handling of MAC control information [Buffer Status/ Periodic BSR Timer expires]

7.1.4.8.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { PERIODIC BSR TIMER expires and more than one LCG has buffered data in a TTI }
  then { UE reports Long BSR }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { PERIODIC BSR TIMER expires and one LCG has buffered data in a TTI }
  then { UE reports Short BSR }
}
```

7.1.4.8.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.4.5, 6.1.2, 6.1.3.1 and 6.2.1; TS 36.323 clause 4.5.

[TS 36.321 clause 5.4.5]

The Buffer Status reporting procedure is used to provide the serving eNB with information about the amount of data in the UL buffers of the UE.

A Buffer Status Report (BSR) shall be triggered if any of the following events occur:

...

- the PERIODIC BSR TIMER expires, in which case the BSR is referred below to as "Periodic BSR".

For Regular and Periodic BSR:

- if only one LCG has data available for transmission in the TTI where the BSR is transmitted: report short BSR;
- else if more than one LCG has data available for transmission in the TTI where the BSR is transmitted: report long BSR.

...

If the Buffer Status reporting procedure determines that a BSR has been triggered since the last transmission of a BSR or this is the first time that a BSR is triggered:

- if the UE has UL resources allocated for new transmission for this TTI:
 - instruct the Multiplexing and Assembly procedure to generate a BSR MAC control element;
 - restart the PERIODIC BSR TIMER.

...

NOTE: Even if multiple events occur by the time a BSR can be transmitted, only one BSR will be included in the MAC PDU.

A pending BSR shall be cancelled in case the UL grant can accommodate all pending data available for transmission but is not sufficient to accommodate the BSR MAC control element in addition.

[TS 36.321 clause 6.1.2]

MAC control elements are always placed before any MAC SDU.

[TS 36.321 clause 6.1.3.1]

Buffer Status Report (BSR) MAC control elements consist of either:

- Short BSR and Truncated BSR format: one LCG ID field and one corresponding BS field (figure 6.1.3.1-1); or
- Long BSR format: four Buffer Size fields, corresponding to LCG IDs #1 through #4 (figure 6.1.3.1-2).

The BSR formats are identified by MAC PDU sub headers with LCIDs as specified in table 6.2.1.-1.

The fields LCG ID and BS are defined as follow:

- LCG ID: The Logical Channel Group ID field identifies the group of logical channel(s) which buffer status is being reported. The length of the field is 2 bits;
- Buffer Size: The Buffer Size field identifies the total amount of data available across all logical channels of a logical channel group after the MAC PDU has been built. The amount of data is indicated in number of bytes. It shall include all data that is available for transmission in the RLC layer and in the PDCP layer; the definition of what data shall be considered as available for transmission is specified in [3] and [4] respectively. The size of the RLC and MAC headers are not considered in the buffer size computation. The length of this field is 6 bits. The values taken by the Buffer Size field are shown in [Table 6.1.3.1-1].

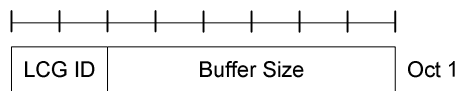


Figure 6.1.3.1-1: Short Buffer Status MAC control element

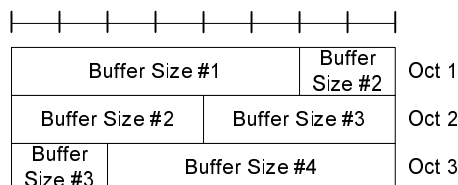


Figure 6.1.3.1-2: Long Buffer Status MAC control element

[TS 36.321 clause 6.2.1, 6.2.1-2]

Table 6.2.1-2 Values of LCID for UL-SCH

| Index | LCID values |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| 00000 | CCCH |
| 00001-01010 | Identity of the logical channel |
| 01011-11001 | Reserved |
| 11010 | Power Headroom Report |
| 11011 | C-RNTI |
| 11100 | Truncated BSR |
| 11101 | Short BSR |
| 11110 | Long BSR |
| 11111 | Padding |

[TS 36.323 clause 4.5]

For the purpose of MAC buffer status reporting, the UE shall consider the following as data available for transmission in the PDCP layer:

For SDUs for which no PDU has been submitted to lower layers:

- the SDU itself, if the SDU has not yet been processed by PDCP, or
- the PDU (control or data) if the SDU has been processed by PDCP.

7.1.4.8.3 Test description

7.1.4.8.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- 2 AM DRBS are configured with the parameters specified in table 7.1.4.8.1-1.

Table 7.1.4.8.1-1: Logical Channel Configuration Settings

| Parameter | DRB1 | DRB2 |
|-------------------------|-------|------|
| LogicalChannel-Identity | 3 | 4 |
| priority | 7 | 6 |
| prioritizedBitRate | 0kbs | 0kbs |
| logicalChannelGroup | 2 | 1 |
| periodicBSR-Timer | 10 SF | |

7.1.4.8.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.8.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|---|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 2 shall be repeated for 50 times | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing an RLC PDU on logical channel 4 (LCG ID 1), which contains an RLC SDU of size 14 bytes. | <-- | MAC PDU (RLC SDU) | | |
| 3 | The SS sends an uplink grant of size 32 bits. (Note 3) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmit a Long BSR report | --> | MAC PDU (Long BSR) | | |
| 5 | The SS responds to any scheduling grants by sending UL Grants of 136 bits. (Note 1) | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in step 4, step 1 specified in Table 7.1.4.4.3.5.2-2 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 6 shall be repeated twice | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does UE transmit a MAC PDU containing a Short BSR with 'LCG ID' field set to '01' (logicalChannelGroup 1) and Buffer Size Index > 0? | --> | MAC PDU (LCID='11101', LCG ID='01', Buffer Size index > 0) | 2 | P |
| 7 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 8 shall be repeated for 30 times | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing an RLC PDU on logical channel 3 (LCG ID 2), which contains an RLC SDU of size 14 bytes. | <-- | MAC PDU (RLC SDU) | - | - |
| 9 | The SS responds to any scheduling grants by sending UL Grants of 136 bits. (Note 1) | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in step 4, step 1 specified in Table 7.1.4.4.3.5.2-2 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 10 shall be repeated twice. | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does UE transmit a MAC PDU containing a Long BSR with 'Buffer size#2' (LCG ID=1) and 'Buffer size#3' (LCG ID=2) fields set to value > '0'? (Note 2) | --> | MAC PDU (LCID='11110', Buffer size#2 index > 0, Buffer size#3 index > 0) | 1 | P |
| 11 | The UE transmits MAC PDUs containing the remaining RLC SDUs as sent by the SS in steps 2 and 6. | --> | MAC PDU (complete RLC SDU or RLC SDU segment) | - | - |
| <p>Note 1. UL grant of 136 bits ($I_{TBS}=9$, $N_{PRB}=1$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that the UE can return one RLC SDU without padding. RLC SDU size is 14 bytes, size of AMD PDU header is 2 bytes, size of MAC header is 1 byte (1 byte for MAC SDU sub-header using last R/R/E/LCID sub-header), i.e. setting UL grant to 17 bytes (136 bits) enable UE to either to send a complete RLC SDU or a Short or Long BSR when BSR is triggered.</p> <p>Note 2. Buffer size fields in Long BSR are number #1 to #4 in 36.321 (Clause 6.1.3.1) which maps to LCG ID values 0 to 3, i.e. LCG ID=1 associates with Buffer size#2 field, and LCG ID=2 associates with Buffer size#3, in the Long BSR MAC control element.</p> <p>Note 3. SS transmit an UL grant of 32 bits ($I_{TBS}=0$, $N_{PRB}=2$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) to allow UE to transmit a Regular BSR triggered by the new data received logicalChannelGroup 2 and 1 in steps 2 and 3. This to enable testing of Padding BSR which has lower priority than Regular BSR.</p> | | | | | |

Table 7.1.4.8.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE transmits a MAC PDU containing a complete RLC SDU, RLC SDU segments or BSR and RLC SDU segments. | --> | MAC PDU | - | - |

7.1.4.8.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.4.10 MAC-Padding

7.1.4.10.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
  ensure that {
    when { UE is to transmit a MAC PDU with padding exceeding 2 bytes }
      then { Padding goes to the end of the MAC PDU }
  }
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
  ensure that {
    when { UE is to transmit a MAC PDU with with single-byte padding and there is a data MAC PDU
subheader present }
      then { UE is insering padding MAC PDU subheader before the first Data MAC PDU subheader }
  }
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
  ensure that {
    when { UE is to transmit a MAC PDU with with two-byte padding and there is a data MAC PDU
subheader }
      then { UE is inserting two padding MAC PDU subheaders before the first data MAC PDU subheader }
  }
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
  ensure that {
    when { UE is to transmit a MAC PDU with single-byte padding and there is no data MAC PDU
subheader but a MAC Control element is present }
      then { UE is inserting a padding MAC PDU subheader before the last Control MAC PDU
subheader }
  }
```

Editor's note: TP 3 to 6 do not follow a stimulus/response scheme. Also, they are not independent.

7.1.4.10.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321 , clause 6.1.2.

[TS 36.321 clause 6.1.2]

...

Padding occurs at the end of the MAC PDU, except when single-byte or two-byte padding is required but cannot be achieved by padding at the end of the MAC PDU.

When single-byte or two-byte padding is required but cannot be achieved by padding at the end of the MAC PDU, one or two MAC PDU sub-headers corresponding to padding are inserted before the first MAC PDU sub header

corresponding to a MAC SDU; or if such sub header is not present, before the last MAC PDU sub header corresponding to a MAC control element.

A maximum of one MAC PDU can be transmitted per TB per UE..

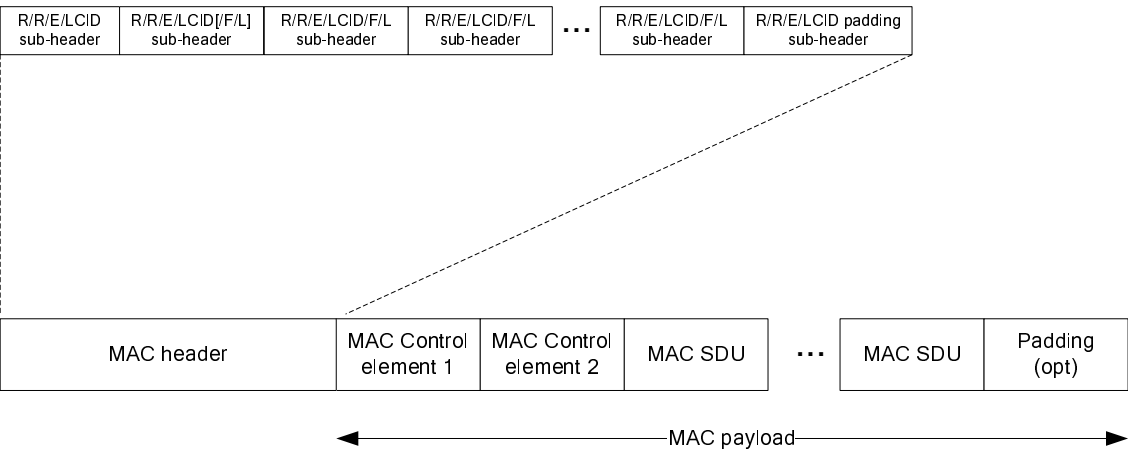


Figure 6.1.2-3: MAC PDU consisting of MAC header, MAC control elements, MAC SDUs and padding

7.1.4.10.3 Test description

7.1.4.10.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- MAC configuration setting are as specified in table 7.1.4.10.3.1-1.

Table 7.1.4.10.3.1-1: MAC Configuration Settings

| Parameter | Value |
|-------------------|----------|
| periodicBSR-Timer | Infinity |

7.1.4.10.3.1 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.10.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing an RLC AMD PDU of size 8 bytes. | <-- | MAC PDU(AMD PDU) | - | - |
| 3 | The SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 5) | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an uplink grant of size 152 bits. (Note 1) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU with a MAC SDU of length 8 bytes and where the last MAC sub-header has the Extension field 'E' set to '0' and the Logical Channel ID field 'LCID' set to '1111'? | --> | MAC PDU (MAC SDU sub-header (L=8 bytes), Padding MAC sub-header (E='0', LCID='1111'), BSR, MAC SDU, padding) | 1 | P |
| 6 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing an RLC AMD PDU of size 10 bytes. | <-- | MAC PDU(AMD PDU) | - | - |
| 7 | The SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 5) | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits an uplink grant of size 120 bits. (Note 2) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU with a MAC SDU of length 10 bytes and with a padding MAC sub-header, with Extension field 'E' is set to '1' and the Logical Channel ID field 'LCID' is set to '1111', inserted before the MAC SDU sub-header? | --> | MAC PDU (Padding MAC-sub-header (E='1', LCID='1111'), MAC SDU sub-header (L=10 bytes), MAC SDU) | 2 | P |
| 10 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing an RLC AMD PDU of size 5 bytes. | <-- | MAC PDU (AMD PDU) | - | - |
| 11 | The SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 5) | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | The SS transmits an uplink grant of size 120 bits. (Note 3) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 13 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU with two padding MAC sub-header, with Extension field 'E' is set to '1' and the Logical Channel ID field 'LCID' is set to '1111', inserted after the BSR sub-header, but before the MAC SDU sub-header? | --> | MAC PDU (BSR sub-header, Padding MAC-sub-header#1 (E='1', LCID='1111'), Padding MAC-sub-header#2 (E='1', LCID='1111'), MAC SDU sub-header (L=5 bytes), BSR, MAC-SDU) | 3 | P |
| 14 | The SS transmits a Timing Advance command and does not send any subsequent timing alignments. Start Timer_T1 = Time Alignment timer value on SS. | <-- | MAC PDU (Timing Advance Command) | - | - |
| 15 | The SS waits until Timer_T1 expires and then transmits a MAC PDU containing an RLC AMD PDU with polling enabled. | <-- | MAC PDU (AMD PDU (P=1)) | - | - |
| 16 | The UE transmits a preamble on PRACH. | --> | (PRACH preamble) | - | - |
| 17 | The SS transmits a Random Access Response, with an UL Grant of 32-bits. (Note 4) | <-- | Random Access Response | | |
| 18 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU with a padding MAC sub header with Extension field 'E' is set to '1' and 'LCID' field set to '1111' (8-bits) inserted before a Control sub-header (8-bits) and a C-RNTI MAC Control Element (16-bits)? | --> | MAC PDU (Padding MAC-sub-header#1 (E='1', LCID='1111'), MAC Control sub-header, C-RNTI control element) | 4 | P |
| 19 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU with a UE Contention Resolution Identity Control | <-- | MAC PDU (UE Contention Resolution Identity) | - | - |

| | Element. | | | | |
|---------|---|-----|-------------------------|---|---|
| 20 | The SS transmits an uplink grant enabling UE to transmit a RLC STATUS PDU. | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 21 | The UE transmits an RLC STATUS PDU. | --> | MAC PDU(RLC STATUS PDU) | 4 | P |
| Note 1: | UL grant of 152 bits ($I_{TBS}=0$, $N_{PRB}=6$, see TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that the MAC PDU padding will be larger than 2 bytes. RLC SDU size is 8 bytes, size of AMD PDU header is 2 bytes, size of MAC header is 3 bytes (2 bytes for MAC SDU sub-header using 7-bit LI and 1 byte for BSR sub-header) and size of Short BSR is 1 byte, equals to 112 bits (14 bytes) and resulting into 40 bits padding. | | | | |
| Note 2: | UL grant of 120 bits ($I_{TBS}=0$, $N_{PRB}=5$, see TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that the MAC PDU padding will be a single byte. RLC SDU size is 10 bytes, size of AMD PDU header is 2 bytes and size of MAC header is 2 bytes for MAC SDU sub-header (using 7-bit LI), equals to 112 bits (14 bytes) and resulting into 1 single byte padding. | | | | |
| Note 3: | UL grant of 120 bits ($I_{TBS}=0$, $N_{PRB}=5$, see TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that the MAC PDU padding will be equal to 2 bytes. RLC SDU size is 5 bytes, size of AMD PDU header is 2 bytes, size of MAC header is 3 bytes (2 bytes for MAC SDU sub-header using 7-bit LI and 1 byte for BSR sub-header) and size of Long BSR is 3 bytes, equals to 104 bits (13 bytes) and resulting into two-bytes padding. | | | | |
| Note 4: | UL grant of 32 bits ($I_{TBS}=0$, $N_{PRB}=2$, see TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that the MAC PDU padding will be equal a single byte. | | | | |
| Note 5: | The wait time is specified to ensure that the UE is ready to loop back the data when the grant is received. | | | | |

7.1.4.10.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.4.11 Correct HARQ process handling

7.1.4.11.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an UL Grant with incremented NDI and has data is available for transmission }
  then { UE transmits a new MAC PDU using redundancy version 0 }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established and having transmitted a MAC PDU less
than maxHARQ-Tx times }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a NACK and no uplink grant is included for the next TTI corresponding to the
HARQ process }
  then { UE performs non adaptive retransmission of the MAC PDU with redundancy version incremented
by one of the last (re)transmission [0,2,3,1 order] }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established and having transmitted a MAC PDU less
than maxHARQ-Tx times }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a uplink grant on PDCCH for the next TTI corresponding to the HARQ process with
old NDI [not incremented], irrespective of ACK/NACK is received for previous (re)transmission }
  then { UE performs an adaptive retransmission of the MAC PDU with redundancy version as received
on PDCCH }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established and having transmitted a MAC PDU less
than maxHARQ-Tx times }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a ACK and no uplink grant is included for the next TTI corresponding to the
HARQ process }
  then { UE does not retransmit the MAC PDU }
}
```

(5)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established and having transmitted a MAC PDU
maxHARQ-Tx times }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an uplink grant on PDCCH for the next TTI corresponding to the HARQ process
with not incremented NDI }
  then { UE flushes the HARQ buffer and does not retransmit the MAC PDU}
}

```

(6)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established and having transmitted a MAC PDU less
than maxHARQ-Tx times }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an uplink grant on PDCCH for the next TTI corresponding to the HARQ process
with incremented NDI, and data are not available for transmission}
  then { UE flushes the HARQ buffer and does not transmit any MAC PDU}
}

```

(7)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established and having transmitted a MAC PDU
maxHARQ-Tx times }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a NACK and no uplink grant is included for the next TTI corresponding to the
HARQ process}
  then { UE does not transmit any MAC PDU }
}

```

7.1.4.11.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321, clause 5.4.2.1 & 5.4.2.2.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.4.2.1]

There is one HARQ entity at the UE, which maintains a number of parallel HARQ processes allowing transmissions to take place continuously while waiting for the feedback on the successful or unsuccessful reception of previous transmissions.

The number of parallel HARQ processes is specified in [2], clause 8.

At a given TTI, if an uplink grant is indicated for the TTI, the HARQ entity identifies the HARQ process for which a transmission should take place. It also routes the received feedback (ACK/NACK information), MCS and resource, relayed by the physical layer, to the appropriate HARQ process.

If TTI bundling is configured, the parameter TTI_BUNDLE_SIZE provides the number of TTIs of a TTI bundle. Within a bundle HARQ retransmissions are non-adaptive and shall be performed without waiting for feedback from previous transmissions according to TTI_BUNDLE_SIZE. The feedback for a bundle is only received for the TTI corresponding to TTI_BUNDLE_SIZE. A retransmission of a TTI bundle is also a TTI bundle.

For transmission of an uplink message containing the C-RNTI MAC control element or an uplink message including a CCCH SDU during Random Access (see section 5.1.5) TTI bundling does not apply.

For each TTI, the HARQ entity shall:

- identify the HARQ process associated with this TTI;
- if an uplink grant has been indicated for this TTI:
 - if the received grant was not addressed to a Temporary C-RNTI on PDCCH and if the NDI provided in the associated HARQ information has been toggled compared to the value in the previous transmission of this HARQ process; or
 - if this is the very first transmission for this HARQ process (i.e. , no previous NDI is available); or
 - if the uplink grant was received in a Random Access Response:
 - if there is an ongoing Random Access procedure and there is a MAC PDU in the [Message3] buffer:

- obtain the MAC PDU to transmit from the [Message3] buffer.
- else:
 - obtain the MAC PDU to transmit from the "Multiplexing and assembly" entity;
 - deliver the MAC PDU and the uplink grant and the HARQ information to the identified HARQ process;
 - instruct the identified HARQ process to trigger a new transmission.
- else:
 - deliver the uplink grant and the HARQ information (redundancy version) to the identified HARQ process;
 - instruct the identified HARQ process to generate an adaptive retransmission.
- else, if the HARQ buffer of the HARQ process corresponding to this TTI is not empty:
 - instruct the identified HARQ process to generate a non-adaptive retransmission.

When determining if NDI has been incremented compared to the value in the previous transmission UE shall ignore NDI received in all uplink grants on PDCCH for its Temporary C-RNTI.

NOTE: A retransmission triggered by the HARQ entity should be cancelled by the corresponding HARQ process if it collides with a measurement gap or if a non-adaptive retransmission is not allowed.

[TS 36.321, clause 5.4.2.2]

Each HARQ process is associated with a HARQ buffer.

Each HARQ process shall maintain a state variable CURRENT_TX_NB, which indicates the number of transmissions that have taken place for the MAC PDU currently in the buffer. When the HARQ process is established, CURRENT_TX_NB shall be initialized to 0.

The sequence of redundancy versions is 0, 2, 3, 1. The variable CURRENT_IRV is an index into the sequence of redundancy versions. This variable is up-dated modulo 4.

New transmissions and adaptive retransmissions are performed on the resource and with the MCS indicated on PDCCH, while a non-adaptive retransmission is performed on the same resource and with the same MCS as was used for the last made transmission attempt,

The UE is configured with a Maximum number of HARQ transmissions and a Maximum number of Message3 HARQ transmissions by RRC. For transmissions on all HARQ processes and all logical channels except for transmission of a MAC PDU stored in the [Message3] buffer, maximum number of transmissions shall be set to Maximum number of HARQ transmissions. For transmission of a MAC PDU stored in the [Message3] buffer, maximum number of transmissions shall be set to Maximum number of Message3 HARQ transmissions.

If the HARQ entity requests a new transmission, the HARQ process shall:

- set CURRENT_TX_NB to 0;
- set CURRENT_IRV to 0;
- store the MAC PDU in the associated HARQ buffer;
- store the uplink grant received from the HARQ entity;
- if there is no measurement gap at the time of the transmission or if the MAC PDU was obtained from the [Message3] buffer:
 - generate a transmission as described below.

If the HARQ entity requests a retransmission, the HARQ process shall:

- increment CURRENT_TX_NB by 1;
- if there is no measurement gap at the time of the retransmission:
 - if the HARQ entity requests an adaptive retransmission:
 - store the uplink grant received from the HARQ entity;
 - set CURRENT_IRV to the value provided in the HARQ information;
 - generate a transmission as described below.
 - else if the HARQ entity requests a non-adaptive retransmission:
 - if TTI bundling is not configured and the last received feedback for this HARQ process is a HARQ NACK; or
 - if TTI bundling is configured and CURRENT_TX_NB modulo TTI_BUNDLE_SIZE = 0 and the last received feedback for this HARQ process is a HARQ NACK; or
 - if TTI bundling is configured and CURRENT_TX_NB modulo TTI_BUNDLE_SIZE != 0:
 - generate a transmission as described below.

NOTE: When receiving a HARQ ACK alone, the UE keeps the data in the HARQ buffer.

NOTE: When a non-adaptive retransmission does not take place due to the occurrence of a measurement gap, the last received HARQ feedback for this HARQ process is the feedback corresponding to the preceding transmission.

To generate a transmission, the HARQ process shall:

- instruct the physical layer to generate a transmission according to the stored uplink grant with the redundancy version corresponding to the CURRENT_IRV value;
- increment CURRENT_IRV by 1;
- if there is a measurement gap at the time of the feedback reception for this transmission, consider the feedback coinciding with the measurement gap to be a HARQ ACK i.e. the "last received feedback" for a retransmission of this HARQ process will be considered as a HARQ ACK.

The HARQ process shall:

- if CURRENT_TX_NB = maximum number of transmissions - 1:
 - flush the HARQ buffer;

The HARQ process may:

- if CURRENT_TX_NB = maximum number of transmissions - 1; and
 - if the last feedback received (i.e., the feedback received for the last transmission of this process) is a HARQ NACK except for the transmission of a MAC PDU stored in the [Message3] buffer:
 - notify the relevant ARQ entities in the upper layer that the transmission of the corresponding RLC PDUs failed.

7.1.4.11.3 Test description

7.1.4.11.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- System information take into account the parameters in table 7.1.2.11.3.1-1.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18], with the DRB for the default EPS bearer context configured with RLC in UM mode.
- The loop back size is set in such a way that one RLC SDU in DL shall result in 1 RLC SDU's in UL.
- No UL Grant is allocated, PUCCH is configured for sending Scheduling Requests.

Table 7.1.2.11.3.1-1: RACH Parameters

| Parameter | Value |
|------------|-------|
| maxHARQ-Tx | n8 |

7.1.4.11.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.11.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU containing RLC PDU | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a Scheduling Request? | --> | Scheduling Request | - | - |
| 3 | The SS allocate UL Grant for one HARQ process X, sufficient for one RLC SDU to be loop backed in a TTI, and NDI indicates new transmission | <-- | Uplink Grant | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU including one RLC SDU, in HARQ process X, redundancy version 0? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits a NACK | <-- | HARQ NACK | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTI for HARQ process X, redundancy version 2? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |
| 7 | The SS transmits a NACK | <-- | HARQ NACK | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTI for HARQ process X, redundancy version 3? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmits a NACK | <-- | HARQ NACK | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTI for HARQ process X, redundancy version 1? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |
| 11 | The SS transmits a NACK | <-- | HARQ NACK | - | - |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTI for HARQ process X, redundancy version 0? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |
| 13 | The SS transmits a NACK | <-- | HARQ NACK | - | - |
| 14 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTI for HARQ process X, redundancy version 2? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |
| 15 | The SS transmits an ACK | <-- | HARQ ACK | - | - |
| 16 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTI for HARQ process X? | --> | MAC PDU | 4 | F |
| 17 | The SS transmits an UL grant corresponding to TTI for HARQ process X, with NDI not incremented and redundancy version to be used as '1' | <-- | Uplink Grant | - | - |
| 18 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in for HARQ process X, using redundancy version 1? | --> | MAC PDU | 3 | P |
| 19 | The SS transmits a NACK | <-- | HARQ NACK | - | - |
| 20 | The SS transmits an UL grant corresponding to next TTI for HARQ process X, with NDI not incremented and redundancy version to be used as '3' | <-- | Uplink Grant | - | - |
| 21 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTI for HARQ process X, using next redundancy version 3? | --> | MAC PDU | 3 | P |
| 22 | The SS transmits a NACK | <-- | HARQ NACK | - | - |
| 23 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTIs corresponding to HARQ process X? | --> | MAC PDU | 7 | F |
| 24 | The SS transmits an UL grant corresponding to TTI for HARQ process X, with NDI not incremented | <-- | Uplink Grant | - | - |
| 25 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTIs corresponding to HARQ process X? | --> | MAC PDU | 5 | F |
| 26 | The SS Transmits a valid MAC PDU containing RLC PDU | <-- | MAC PDU | - | - |

| | | | | | |
|----|---|-----|--------------------|---|---|
| 27 | The UE transmits a Scheduling Request | --> | Scheduling Request | - | - |
| 28 | The SS allocates UL Grant for one HARQ process Y, sufficient for one RLC SDU to be loop backed in a TTI, and NDI indicates new transmission | <-- | Uplink Grant | - | - |
| 29 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU including one RLC SDU, in HARQ process Y, redundancy version 0? | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 30 | The SS allocates UL Grant for one HARQ process Y, sufficient for one RLC SDU to be loop backed in a TTI, and NDI indicates new transmission | <-- | Uplink Grant | - | - |
| 31 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU in the next TTIs corresponding to HARQ process Y? | --> | MAC PDU | 6 | F |

7.1.4.11.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.1.4.13 MAC PDU header handling

7.1.4.13.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE has a MAC SDU to be transmitted that is less smaller 128 bytes }
  then { UE sets F field to 0 }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE has a MAC SDU to be transmitted that is larger than 128 bytes }
  then { UE sets F field to 1 }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE inserts a R/R/E/LCID field in the MAC header and there is a subsequent R/R/E/LCID field to be inserted }
  then { UE sets E field to 1 }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE inserts a R/R/E/LCID field in the MAC header and a MAC SDU or a MAC control element starts at the next byte }
  then { UE sets E field to 0 }
}
```

(5)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE inserts the last MAC sub-header in the MAC PDU }
  then { UE inserts a MAC sub-header consist solely of the four header fields R/R/E/LCID }
}
```

(6)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE inserts padding at the end of a MAC PDU }
```

```

    then { UE inserts the last MAC sub-header as a padding MAC subheader consisting solely of the
    four header fields R/R/E/LCID with LCID set to Padding }
  }

```

7.1.4.13.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.321 clause 6.1.2 and 6.2.1.

[TS 36.321, clause 6.1.2]

A MAC PDU consists of a MAC header, zero or more MAC Service Data Units (MAC SDU), zero, or more MAC control elements, and optionally padding; as described in Figure 6.1.2-3.

Both the MAC header and the MAC SDUs are of variable sizes.

A MAC PDU header consists of one or more MAC PDU sub-headers; each sub header corresponding to either a MAC SDU, a MAC control element or padding.

A MAC PDU sub header consists of the six header fields R/R/E/LCID/F/L but for the last sub header in the MAC PDU and for fixed sized MAC control elements. The last sub header in the MAC PDU and sub-headers for fixed sized MAC control elements consist solely of the four header fields R/R/E/LCID. It follows that a MAC PDU sub header corresponding to padding consists of the four header fields R/R/E/LCID.

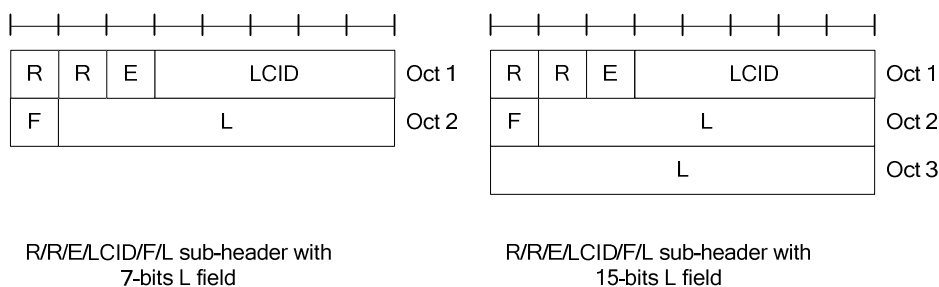


Figure 6.1.2-1: R/R/E/LCID/F/L MAC sub header

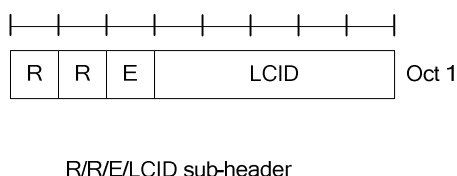


Figure 6.1.2-2: R/R/E/LCID MAC sub header

MAC PDU sub-headers have the same order as the corresponding MAC SDUs, MAC control elements and padding.

MAC control elements are always placed before any MAC SDU.

Padding occurs at the end of the MAC PDU, except when single-byte or two-byte padding is required but cannot be achieved by padding at the end of the MAC PDU.

When single-byte or two-byte padding is required but cannot be achieved by padding at the end of the MAC PDU, one or two MAC PDU sub-headers corresponding to padding are inserted before the first MAC PDU sub header corresponding to a MAC SDU; or if such sub header is not present, before the last MAC PDU sub header corresponding to a MAC control element.

A maximum of one MAC PDU can be transmitted per TB per UE.

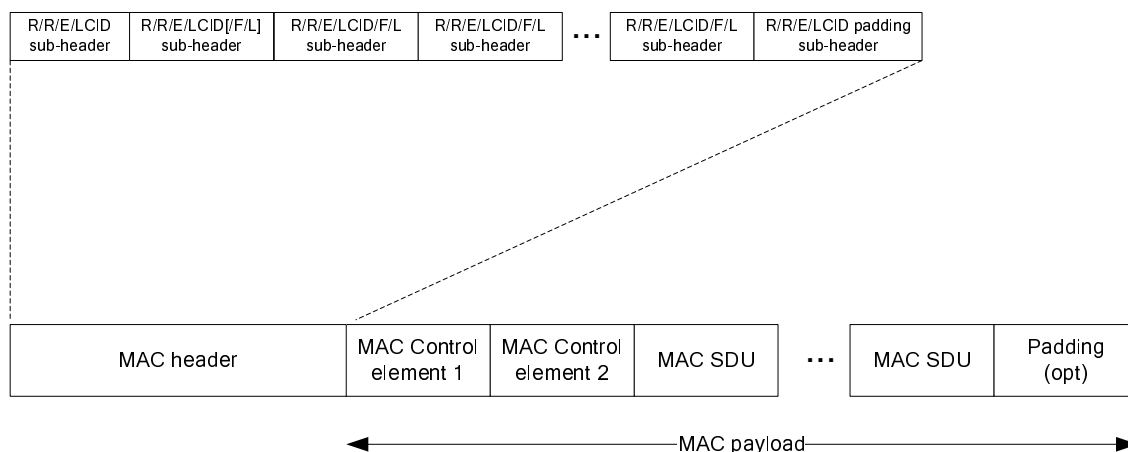


Figure 6.1.2-3: MAC PDU consisting of MAC header, MAC control elements, MAC SDUs and padding

[TS 36.321, clause 6.2.1]

The MAC header is of variable size and consists of the following fields:

- LCID: The Logical Channel ID field identifies the logical channel instance of the corresponding MAC SDU or the type of the corresponding MAC control element or padding as described in tables 6.2.1-1 and 6.2.1-2 for the DL and UL-SCH respectively. There is one LCID field for each MAC SDU, MAC control element or padding included in the MAC PDU. The LCID field size is 5 bits;
- L: The Length field indicates the length of the corresponding MAC SDU or MAC control element in bytes. There is one L field per MAC PDU sub header except for the last sub header and sub-headers corresponding to fixed-sized MAC control elements. The size of the L field is indicated by the F field;
- F: The Format field indicates the size of the Length field as indicated in table 6.2.1-3. There is one F field per MAC PDU sub header except for the last sub header and sub-headers corresponding to fixed-sized MAC control elements. The size of the F field is 1 bit. If the size of the MAC SDU or MAC control element is less than 128 bytes, the UE shall set the value of the F field to 0, otherwise the UE shall set it to 1;
- E: The Extension field is a flag indicating if more fields are present in the MAC header or not. The E field is set to "1" to indicate another set of at least R/R/E/LCID fields. The E field is set to "0" to indicate that either a MAC SDU, a MAC control element or padding starts at the next byte;
- R: Reserved bits.

The MAC header and sub-headers are octet aligned.

...

Table 6.2.1-2 Values of LCID for UL-SCH

| Index | LCID values |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| 00000 | CCCH |
| 00001-01010 | Identity of the logical channel |
| 01011-11001 | Reserved |
| 11010 | Power Headroom Report |
| 11011 | C-RNTI |
| 11100 | Truncated BSR |
| 11101 | Short BSR |
| 11110 | Long BSR |
| 11111 | Padding |

Table 6.2.1-3 Values of F field:

| Index | Size of Length field (in bits) |
|-------|--------------------------------|
| 0 | 7 |
| 1 | 15 |

7.1.4.13.3 Test description

7.1.4.13.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1

UE

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- 2 AM DRBs are configured with the parameters specified in table 7.1.4.13.3.1-1.

Table 7.1.4.13.3.1-1: Logical Channel Configuration Settings

| Parameter | DRB1 | DRB2 |
|-------------------------|----------|------|
| LogicalChannel-Identity | 3 | 4 |
| Priority | 7 | 6 |
| prioritizedBitRate | 0kbs | 0kbs |
| logicalChannelGroup | 2 | 1 |
| periodicBSR-Timer | infinity | |

7.1.4.13.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.13.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|-------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing a MAC SDU of size 127 bytes (RLC SDU of size 125 bytes + AMD PDU header 2 bytes with the Logical Channel ID field 'LCID' set to '00011', Format field 'F' set to '0' and Length field 'L' set to '127' in the associated MAC SDU sub-header. | <-- | MAC PDU (MAC sub-header (LCID='00011', F='0', L='127'), AMD PDU) | - | - |
| 3 | The SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 5) | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an uplink grant of size 1064 bits. (Note 1) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU with a MAC SDU sub-header with Logical Channel ID field 'LCID' set to '00011', Format field 'F' set to '0' and Length field 'L' set to '127'? | --> | MAC PDU (MAC sub-header (LCID='00011', F='0', L='127' bytes), AMD PDU) | 1 | P |
| 6 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing a MAC SDU of size 129 bytes RLC SDU of 127 bytes + AMD PDU header 2 bytes) with the Logical Channel ID field 'LCID' set to '00011', Format field 'F' set to '1' and Length field 'L' set to '129' in the associated MAC SDU sub-header. | <-- | MAC PDU (MAC sub-header (LCID='00011', F='1', L='129'), AMD PDU) | - | - |
| 7 | The SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 5) | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits an uplink grant of size 1064 bits. (Note 2) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit a MAC PDU with a MAC SDU sub-header with Format field 'F' set to '1' and Logical Channel ID field 'LCID' set to '00011'? | --> | MAC PDU (MAC sub-header (LCID='00011', F='1', L='129'), AMD PDU) | 2 | P |
| 10 | The SS transmits an RLC STATUS PDU to acknowledge correctly received data | <-- | RLC STATUS PDU (ACK_SN=2) | - | - |
| 11 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing two MAC SDUs, the first containing a 11 byte RLC SDU with LCID set to '00011' and the second containing a 10 byte RLC SDU with LCID set to '00100'. | <-- | MAC PDU (MAC sub-header (E='1', LCID='00011', F='0', L='11'), MAC sub-header (E='0', LCID='00100', F='0'), AMD PDU, AMD PDU) | - | - |
| 12 | The SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 5) | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | The SS transmits an uplink grant of size 176 bits. (Note 3) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 14 | Check: Does the UE return a MAC PDU of length 176 bits containing two MAC sub-headers where the first MAC sub-header has the Expansion bit 'E' set to '1' and including a LCID field set to '00011' and a Length field set to '11'; or including a LCID set to '00100' and a Length field set to '10' bytes; and the second MAC sub-header has the Expansion bit 'E' set to '0' and not including any Length field? | --> | MAC PDU (MAC sub-header (E='1', (LCID='00011', L='11') or (LCID='00100', L='10'), MAC sub-header (E='0', no Length field present), AMD PDU, AMD PDU) | 3,4,5 | P |
| 15 | SS transmits an RLC STATUS PDU to acknowledge correctly received data | <-- | RLC STATUS PDU (ACK_SN=4) | - | - |
| 16 | The SS transmits a MAC PDU containing two MAC SDUs, the first containing a 10 byte RLC SDU with LCID set to '00011' and the second containing a 9 byte RLC SDU with LCID set to '00100'. | <-- | MAC PDU (MAC sub-header (E='1', LCID='00011', F='0', L='10'), MAC sub-header (E='1', LCID='00100', F='0', L='9'), padding MAC sub-header (E='0', LCID='11111'), AMD PDU, AMD PDU, padding) | - | - |
| 17 | SS waits [10 TTIs]. (Note 5) | - | - | - | - |
| 18 | The SS transmits an uplink grant of size 224 bits. (Note 4) | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |

| | | | | | |
|---------|--|-----|---|-------|---|
| 19 | Check: Does the UE return a MAC PDU of length 224 bits containing four MAC sub-headers where the first two MAC sub-headers have the Expansion bit 'E' set to '1' and the last MAC sub-header has the Expansion bit 'E' set to '0' and the LCID field set to '11111'? | --> | MAC PDU (MAC sub-header (E='1', F='0'), MAC sub-header (E='1', F='0'), Long BSR MAC sub-header (E='1', LCID='11110', F='0'), padding MAC sub-header (E='0', LCID='11111'), AMD PDU, AMD PDU, Long BSR, padding) | 3,4,6 | P |
| Note 1. | UL grant of 1064 bits ($I_{TBS}=17$, $N_{PRB}=3$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen to enable UE to transmit a MAC SDU of size 127 bytes in a MAC PDU (125 bytes RLC SDU size + 2 bytes AMD PDU header + 2 bytes MAC header (7 bit LI) = 129 bytes = 1032 bits < 1064 bits) | | | | |
| Note 2. | UL grant of 1096 bits ($I_{TBS}=17$, $N_{PRB}=3$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen to enable UE to transmit a MAC SDU of size 129 bytes in a MAC PDU (127 bytes RLC SDU size + 2 bytes AMD PDU header + 3 bytes MAC header (15 bit LI) = 132 bytes = 1056 bits < 1064 bits) | | | | |
| Note 3. | UL grant of 176 bits ($I_{TBS}=1$, $N_{PRB}=5$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen to enable UE to transmit two MAC SDUs, one of size 11 and one of size 10 bytes, in a MAC PDU (9 bytes RLC SDU + 2 bytes AMD PDU header + 8 bytes RLC SDU + 2 bytes MAC sub-header (7 bit LI) + one byte MAC sub-header (R/R/E/LCID) = 22 bytes = 176 bits) | | | | |
| Note 4. | UL grant of 224 bits ($I_{TBS}=5$, $N_{PRB}=5$, TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen to enable UE to transmit two MAC SDUs of size 10 and 9 bytes in a MAC PDU (8 bytes RLC SDU + 2 bytes AMD PDU header + 7 bytes RLC SDU + 2 byte padding + 3 byte Long BSR + 2 x 2 bytes MAC sub-header (7 bit LI) + one byte BSR header + one byte padding MAC sub-header (R/R/E/LCID) = 28 bytes = 224 bits) | | | | |
| Note 5: | The wait time is specified to ensure that the UE is ready to loop back the data when the grant is received. | | | | |

7.1.4.13.3.3 Specific Message Contents

None.

7.1.4.15 UE Power Headroom Reporting [Periodic reporting]

7.1.4.15.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established, periodic power headroom reporting configured }
ensure that {
  when { PERIODIC PHR TIMER is configured in RRCConnectionReconfiguration procedure }
  then { UE transmits a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element }
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established, periodic power headroom reporting configured }
ensure that {
  when { PERIODIC PHR TIMER expires and UL resources allocated for new transmission }
  then { UE transmits a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element }
```

7.1.4.15.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321 clause 5.4.6 and 6.1.3.6

[TS 36.321, clause 5.4.6]

The Power Headroom reporting procedure is used to provide the serving eNB with information about the difference between the UE TX power and the maximum UE TX power (for the positive values of the power headroom) and about the difference between the maximum UE TX power and the calculated UE TX power, according to the UL power control formula, when it exceeds the maximum UE TX power (for the negative values of the power headroom).

A Power Headroom Report (PHR) shall be triggered if any of the following events occur:

- the PROHIBIT_PHR_TIMER expires or has expired and the path loss has changed more than DL_PathlossChange dB since the last power headroom report;
- the PERIODIC PHR TIMER expires, in which case the PHR is referred below to as "Periodic PHR";

- upon configuration and reconfiguration of a Periodic PHR.

If the Power Headroom reporting procedure determines that a PHR has been triggered since the last transmission of a PHR:

- if the UE has UL resources allocated for new transmission for this TTI:
 - obtain the value of the power headroom from the physical layer;
 - instruct the Multiplexing and Assembly procedure to generate a PHR MAC control element based on the value reported by the physical layer;
 - if the PHR is a "Periodic PHR", restart the PERIODIC PHR TIMER;
 - restart the PROHIBIT_PHR_TIMER.

NOTE: Even if multiple events occur by the time a PHR can be transmitted, only one PHR is included in the MAC PDU.

[TS 36.321, clause 6.1.3.6]

The Power Headroom MAC control element is identified by a MAC PDU sub header with LCID as specified in table 6.2.1-1. It has a fixed size and consists of a single octet defined as follows (figure 6.1.3.6-1):

- R: reserved bits;
- Power Headroom: this field indicates the power headroom. The length of the field is 6 bits.

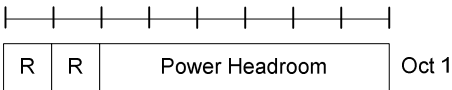


Figure 6.1.3.5-1: Power Headroom MAC control element

7.1. 4.15.3 Test description

7.1.4.15.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

7.1.4.15.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.15.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits UL grant for the UE at every TTI. | | | | |
| 2 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to provide Power Headroom parameters | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message to confirm the setup of Power Headroom parameters. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | P |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element 200ms after step 3? | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |

Editors Note: It is possible that Power Headroom MAC Control Element of step 3 is received in step 2 itself along with *RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE*.

7.1.4.15.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.1. 4.15.3.3-1: *RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION* (step 1, Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table xxx | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| <pre> RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { RadioResourceConfigDedicated SEQUENCE { mac-MainConfig CHOICE { explicit SEQUENCE { phr-Configuration CHOICE { enable SEQUENCE { periodicPHR-Timer prohibitPHR-Timer dl-PathlossChange } } } } } } } } } </pre> | sf200 sf1000 infinity | | |

7.1.4.16 UE Power Headroom Reporting [DL_Pathloss change reporting]

7.1.4.16.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established, Power headroom reporting for
DL_Pathloss change configured}
ensure that {
  when { the DL Pathloss changes and prohibitPHR-Timer is running }
  then { UE does not transmits a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element }
}

```


(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_Connected state with DRB established, periodic power headroom reporting
configured}
ensure that {
  when { prohibitPHR-Timer expires and power headroom report is triggered due to DL Pathloss change
}
  then { UE transmits a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element }
}

```

7.1.4.16.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.321 clause 5.4.6 and 6.1.3.6

[TS 36.321, clause 5.4.6]

The Power Headroom reporting procedure is used to provide the serving eNB with information about the difference between the UE TX power and the maximum UE TX power (for the positive values of the power headroom) and about the difference between the maximum UE TX power and the calculated UE TX power, according to the UL power control formula, when it exceeds the maximum UE TX power (for the negative values of the power headroom).

A Power Headroom Report (PHR) shall be triggered if any of the following events occur:

- the PROHIBIT_PHR_TIMER expires or has expired and the path loss has changed more than *DL_PathlossChange* dB since the last power headroom report;
- the PERIODIC PHR TIMER expires, in which case the PHR is referred below to as "Periodic PHR";
- upon configuration and reconfiguration of a Periodic PHR.

If the Power Headroom reporting procedure determines that a PHR has been triggered since the last transmission of a PHR:

- if the UE has UL resources allocated for new transmission for this TTI:
 - obtain the value of the power headroom from the physical layer;
- instruct the Multiplexing and Assembly procedure to generate a PHR MAC control element based on the value reported by the physical layer;
- if the PHR is a "Periodic PHR", restart the PERIODIC PHR TIMER;
- restart the PROHIBIT_PHR_TIMER.

NOTE: Even if multiple events occur by the time a PHR can be transmitted, only one PHR is included in the MAC PDU.

[TS 36.321, clause 6.1.3.6]

The Power Headroom MAC control element is identified by a MAC PDU sub header with LCID as specified in table 6.2.1-1. It has a fixed size and consists of a single octet defined as follows (figure 6.1.3.6-1):

- R: reserved bits;
- Power Headroom: this field indicates the power headroom. The length of the field is 6 bits.

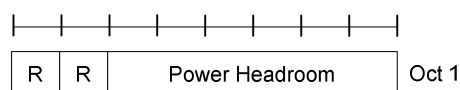


Figure 6.1.3.5-1: Power Headroom MAC control element

7.1. 4.15.3 Test description

7.1.4.16.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

7.1.4.16.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.1.4.16.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Exception: SS is configured to continuously transmit UL grant for UE, every TTI | | | | |
| 2 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to provide Power Headroom parameters | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message to confirm the setup of Power Headroom parameters. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 4 | the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element. | --> | MAC PDU | - | - |
| 5 | Wait for T1= 10% of <i>prohibitPHR-Timer</i> . | | | | |
| 6 | Reduce SS power level so as to cause a DL_Pathloss change at UE by 5dB. | | | | |
| 7 | Check : for 80% of <i>prohibitPHR-Timer</i> since step 6, if the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | F |
| 8 | Check: after <i>prohibitPHR-Timer</i> after step 4, does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |
| 9 | Increase SS power level so as to cause a DL_Pathloss change at UE by 5dB. | | | | |
| 10 | Check : for 80% of <i>prohibitPHR-Timer</i> since step 6, if the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element | --> | MAC PDU | 1 | F |
| 11 | Check: after <i>prohibitPHR-Timer</i> after step 8, does the UE transmit a MAC PDU containing Power Headroom MAC Control Element | --> | MAC PDU | 2 | P |

Editors Note: It is possible that Power Headroom MAC Control Element of step 3 is received in step 2 itself along with *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete*.

7.1.4.16.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.1. 4.15.3.3-1: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table xxx | | | |
|--|---------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE{ rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { RadioResourceConfigDedicated SEQUENCE { mac-MainConfig CHOICE { explicit SEQUENCE { phr-Configuration CHOICE { enable SEQUENCE { periodicPHR-Timer prohibitPHR-Timer dl-PathlossChange } } } } } } } } } | infinity sf1000 dB3 | | |

7.2 RLC

Editor's note: For test procedure sequences in this section, unless specific indications are provided for uplink grant allocations, it may be assumed that for each test step where the contents of the "U-S" column is "-->", at least sufficient uplink grant is allocated at the start of the immediately preceding contiguous sequence of steps having a "U-S" column which contents is not "<--".

Editor's note: Test cases in the RLC section shall contain RLC PDU names in the "message" column. When something else is in this column, it is indicated with parenthesis. While such notation is unambiguous for (UL grant), (RLC SDU#n) should be avoided unless a clear definition is added.

7.2.1 Transparent Mode

7.2.2 Unacknowledged Mode

7.2.2.4 UM RLC/ Reassembly / 10-bit SN / 11-bit "Length Indicators" / LI value > PDU size

Editor's note: conformance requirements are based on 36.322 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

7.2.2.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

```

(1)
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RLC PDU with Length Indicator value larger than RLC PDU size }
  then { UE discards the RLC PDU }
}
```

7.2.2.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clause 5.5.1.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.5.1]

When an RLC entity receives an RLC PDU that contains reserved or invalid values, the RLC entity shall:

- discard the received PDU.

7.2.2.4.3 Test description

7.2.2.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.2.2.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.2.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: the behaviour described in table 7.2.2.4.3.2-2 runs in parallel with steps 1 to 5 below. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#1 containing first segment of RLC SDU#1. | <-- | UMD PDU#1 | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#2 containing last segment of RLC SDU#1 and first segment of RLC SDU#2. | <-- | UMD PDU#2 | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#3 containing last segment of RLC SDU#2, first segment of RLC SDU#3 and with Length Indicator that points beyond the end of the RLC PDU#3. | <-- | UMD PDU#3 | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#4 containing last segment of RLC SDU#3. | <-- | UMD PDU#4 | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#5 containing RLC SDU#4. | <-- | UMD PDU#5 | - | - |

Table 7.2.2.4.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|------------------------------------|------------------|-------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: does the UE send RLC SDU#1? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 2 | Check: does the UE send RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | F |
| 3 | Check: does the UE send RLC SDU#3? | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 1 | F |
| 4 | Check: does the UE send RLC SDU#4? | --> | (RLC SDU#4) | 1 | P |

7.2.2.4.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.2.8 UM RLC / In sequence delivery of upper layers PDUs without residual loss of RLC PDUs / Maximum re-ordering delay exceeds the T_reordering time

7.2.2.8.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE having completed loopback activation procedure }
ensure that {
  when { a PDU or PDU segment is received out of order after T_reordering has expired }
  then { UE discards the corresponding PDU and delivers all correctly received RLC SDUs to upper
layer in the correct order }
}
```

7.2.2.8.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clause 5.1.2.2.2, 5.1.2.2.3 and 5.1.2.2.4.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.2.2.2]

When an UMD PDU with SN = x is received from lower layer, the receiving UM RLC entity shall:

- if $VR(UR) < x < VR(UH)$ and the UMD PDU with SN = x has been received before; or
- if $(VR(UH) - UM_Window_Size) \leq x < VR(UR)$:
 - discard the received UMD PDU;
- otherwise:
 - place the received UMD PDU in the reception buffer.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.2.2.3]

When an UMD PDU with SN = x is placed in the reception buffer, the receiving UM RLC entity shall:

- if x falls outside of the reordering window:
 - update $VR(UH)$ to $x + 1$;
 - reassemble RLC SDUs from any UMD PDUs with SN that falls outside of the reordering window, remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence if not delivered before;
 - if $VR(UR)$ falls outside of the reordering window:
 - set $VR(UR)$ to $(VR(UH) - UM_Window_Size)$;
- if the reception buffer contains an UMD PDU with SN = $VR(UR)$:
 - update $VR(UR)$ to the SN of the first UMD PDU with SN > current $VR(UR)$ that has not been received;
 - reassemble RLC SDUs from any UMD PDUs with SN < updated $VR(UR)$, remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence if not delivered before;
- if T_reordering is running:
 - if $VR(UX) \leq VR(UR)$; or
 - if $VR(UX)$ falls outside of the reordering window:
 - stop and reset T_reordering;
 - set $VR(UX)$ to NULL;
- if T_reordering is not running (includes the case when T_reordering is stopped due to actions above):

- if $VR(UH) > VR(UR)$:
 - start $T_{reordering}$;
 - set $VR(UX)$ to $VR(UH)$.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.2.2.4]

When $T_{reordering}$ expires, the receiving UM RLC entity shall:

- update $VR(UR)$ to the SN of the first UMD PDU with $SN \geq VR(UX)$ that has not been received;
- reassemble RLC SDUs from any UMD PDUs with $SN < \text{updated } VR(UR)$, remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence if not delivered before;
- if $VR(UH) > VR(UR)$:
 - start $T_{reordering}$;
 - set $VR(UX)$ to $VR(UH)$;
- otherwise:
 - set $VR(UX)$ to NULL.

7.2.2.8.3 Test description

7.2.2.8.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

Preamble

- UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with a RLC UM bearer as specified in table 7.2.2.8.3.1-1.

Table 7.2.2.8.3.1-1: RLC parameters

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----|
| Downlink RLC $T_{reordering}$ (ms) | FFS |
|---------------------------------------|-----|

7.2.2.8.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.2.8.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: the behaviour described in table 7.2.2.8.3.2-2 runs in parallel with steps 1 to 4 below. | | | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits RLC PDU#1 containing first segment of RLC SDU#1. | <-- | UMD PDU#1 | - | - |
| 2 | The SS does not transmit RLC PDU#2 containing last segment of RLC SDU#1. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits RLC PDU#3 containing RLC SDU#2. | <-- | UMD PDU#3 | - | - |
| 4 | $1.5 * T_{reordering}$ after Step 1, the SS transmit RLC PDU#2 containing last segment of RLC SDU#1. | <-- | UMD PDU#2 | - | - |

Table 7.2.2.8.3.2-2: Parallel Behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an uplink grant allowing the UE to send 2 RLC SDUs | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE send back the RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | P |

7.2.2.8.3.3 Specific message contents.

None.

7.2.2.9 UM RLC / In sequence delivery of upper layers PDUs with residual loss of RLC PDUs / Maximum re-ordering delay exceeds the T_reordering time

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.322 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

7.2.2.9.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects that RLC PDUs constructing different RLC SDUs are lost }
  then { UE delivers all received RLC SDUs to upper layer in the correct order }
}
```

7.2.2.9.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clause 5.1.2.2.2, 5.1.2.2.3 and 5.1.2.2.4.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.2.2.2]

When an UMD PDU with SN = x is received from lower layer, the receiving UM RLC entity shall:

- if $VR(UR) < x < VR(UH)$ and the UMD PDU with SN = x has been received before; or
- if $(VR(UH) - UM_Window_Size) \leq x < VR(UR)$:
 - discard the received UMD PDU;
- else:
 - place the received UMD PDU in the reception buffer.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.2.2.3]

When an UMD PDU with SN = x is placed in the reception buffer, the receiving UM RLC entity shall:

- if x falls outside of the reordering window:
 - update $VR(UH)$ to $x + 1$;
 - reassemble RLC SDUs from any UMD PDUs with SN that falls outside of the reordering window, remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence if not delivered before;
- if $VR(UR)$ falls outside of the reordering window:
 - set $VR(UR)$ to $(VR(UH) - UM_Window_Size)$;
- if the reception buffer contains an UMD PDU with SN = $VR(UR)$:

- update VR(UR) to the SN of the first UMD PDU with SN > current VR(UR) that has not been received;
- reassemble RLC SDUs from any UMD PDUs with SN < updated VR(UR), remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence if not delivered before;
- if T_reordering is running:
 - if VR(UX) <= VR(UR); or
 - if VR(UX) falls outside of the reordering window and VR(UX) is not equal to VR(UH):
 - stop and reset T_reordering;
 - set VR(UX) to NULL;
- if T_reordering is not running (includes the case when T_reordering is stopped due to actions above):
 - if VR(UH) > VR(UR):
 - start T_reordering;
 - set VR(UX) to VR(UH).

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.2.2.4]

When T_reordering expires, the receiving UM RLC entity shall:

- update VR(UR) to the SN of the first UMD PDU with SN >= VR(UX) that has not been received;
- reassemble RLC SDUs from any UMD PDUs with SN < updated VR(UR), remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence if not delivered before;
- if VR(UH) > VR(UR):
 - start T_reordering;
 - set VR(UX) to VR(UH);
- else:
 - set VR(UX) to NULL.

...

7.2.2.9.3 Test description

7.2.2.9.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with a RLC UM bearer as specified in table 7.2.2.9.3.1-1.

Table 7.2.2.9.3.1-1: RLC parameters

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|
| Downlink RLC T_reordering (ms) | ms200 |
|-----------------------------------|-------|

7.2.2.9.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.2.9.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#1 containing first segment of RLC SDU#1. | <-- | UMD PDU#1 | - | - |
| 2 | The SS does not transmit UMD PDU#2 containing last segment of RLC SDU#1. | - | | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#3 containing first segment of RLC SDU#2. | <-- | UMD PDU#3 | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#4 containing last segment of RLC SDU#2. | <-- | UMD PDU#4 | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits UMD PDU#5 containing first segment of RLC SDU#3. | <-- | UMD PDU#5 | - | - |
| 6 | The SS does not transmit UMD PDU#6 containing last segment of RLC SDU#3. | - | | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits RLC UMD #7 containing first segment of RLC SDU#4. | <-- | UMD PDU#7 | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits RLC UMD #8 containing last segment of RLC SDU#4. | <-- | UMD PDU#8 | - | - |
| 9 | Wait for 200 ms to ensure that T_reordering for the UMD PDU#2 expires. | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE loop back the RLC SDU#2. | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | P |
| 11 | Wait for 200 ms to ensure that T_reordering for the UMD PDU#6 expires. | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE loop back the RLC SDU#4. | --> | (RLC SDU#4) | 1 | P |

7.2.2.9.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3 Acknowledged Mode

7.2.3.1 AM RLC / Concatenation and Reassembly

7.2.3.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { The UE has multiple RLC SDUs in the transmission buffer that fits into the available AMD
PDU size }
  then { The UE concatenates the RLC SDUs in the transmission buffer into an AMD PDU and transmits
it}
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { The UE receives an AMD PDUs containing concatenated RLC }
  then { The UE reassembles the RLC SDUs in accordance with the Framing Info and Length Indicators
indicated in AMD PDUs }
}
```

Editor's note: TP should not contain "shall", should be worded as stimulus/response preferably with external stimulus and purely implementation information

7.2.3.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clauses 4.2.1.3.2 , 4.2.1.3.3, 6.2.1.4 and 6.2.2.6.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.2]

When the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity forms AMD PDUs from RLC SDUs, it shall:

- segment and/or concatenate the RLC SDUs so that the AMD PDUs fit within the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer at the particular transmission opportunity notified by lower layer.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.3]

When the receiving side of an AM RLC entity receives RLC data PDUs, it shall:

....

- reassemble RLC SDUs from the reordered RLC data PDUs and deliver the RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence.

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.1.4]

AMD PDU consists of a Data field and an AMD PDU header.

AMD PDU header consists of a fixed part (fields that are present for every AMD PDU) and an extension part (fields that are present for an AMD PDU when necessary). The fixed part of the AMD PDU header itself is byte aligned and consists of a D/C, a RF, a P, a FI, an E and a SN. The extension part of the AMD PDU header itself is byte aligned and consists of E(s) and LI(s).

An AMD PDU header consists of an extension part only when more than one Data field elements are present in the AMD PDU, in which case an E and a LI are present for every Data field element except the last. Furthermore, when an AMD PDU header consists of an odd number of LI(s), four padding bits follow after the last LI.

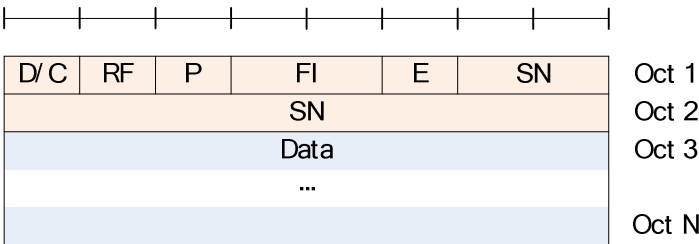
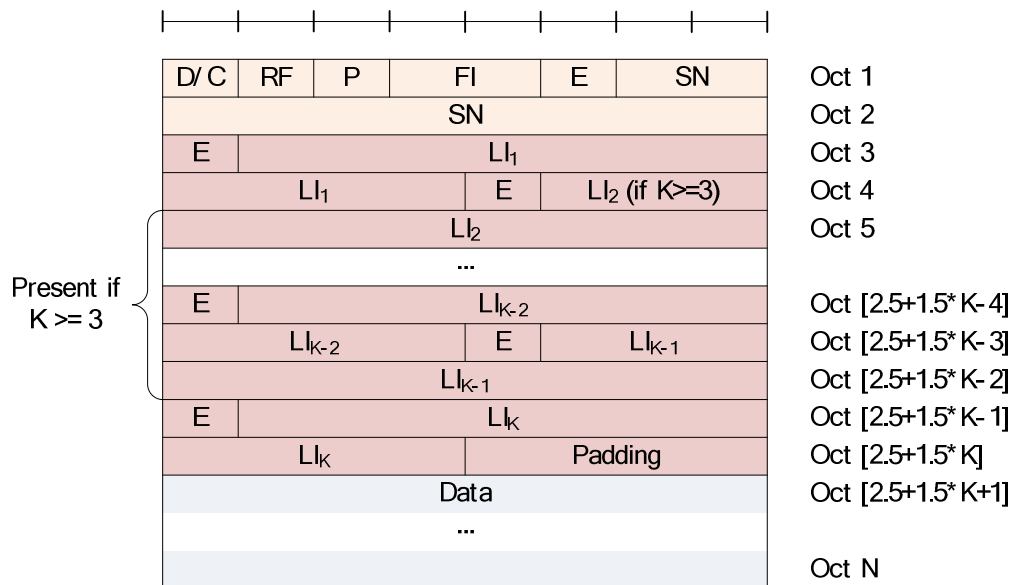
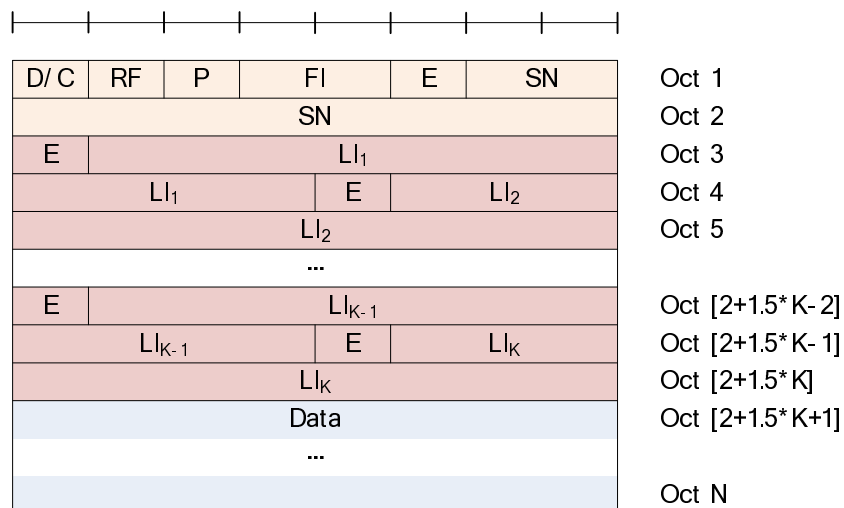


Figure 6.2.1.4-1: AMD PDU (No LI)

Figure 6.2.1.4-2: AMD PDU (Odd number of LIs, i.e. $K = 1, 3, 5, \dots$)Figure 6.2.1.4-3: AMD PDU (Even number of LIs, i.e. $K = 2, 4, 6, \dots$)

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.2.6]

The FI field indicates whether a RLC SDU is segmented at the beginning and/or at the end of the Data field. Specifically, the FI field indicates whether the first byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU, and whether the last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. The interpretation of the FI field is provided in Table 6.2.2.6-1.

Table 6.2.2.6-1: FI field interpretation

| Value | Description |
|-------|--|
| 00 | First byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 01 | First byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field does not correspond to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 10 | First byte of the Data field does not correspond to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 11 | First byte of the Data field does not correspond to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field does not correspond to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |

7.2.3.1.3 Test description

7.2.3.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with the exceptions as listed in table 7.2.3.1.3.1-1 and with UL RLC SDU size set to same size as received in downlink.

Table 7.2.3.1.3.1-1: RLC settings

| Parameter | Value |
|-------------------|----------|
| T_status_prohibit | Disabled |

7.2.3.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

The SS transmits STATUS PDUs with positive acknowledgements for each received AMD PDU,

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--------|--|------------------|--|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | SS transmits an AMD PDU including two RLC SDUs of size 40 bytes each with poll bit set to '1'. | <-- | AMD PDU(AMD PDU header(D/C='1', RF='0', P='1', FI='00', E='1', SN='0', E ₁ '='0', LI ₁ '='40' bytes), 2 RLC SDUs of 40 bytes) | - | - |
| 3 | SS responds to any scheduling requests from the UE by transmitting UL grants of size 776 bits (Note 1). | <-- | (UL grants, 776 bits) | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does UE transmit a STATUS PDU with positive acknowledgement? | --> | STATUS PDU (ACK SN=1) | 2 | P |
| 5 | Check: Does UE transmit two RLC SDUs within an AMD PDU with FI field set to '00', first E field in the fixed part set to '1', first E field in the extension part set to '0', first LI field set to 40 bytes? | --> | AMD PDU(AMD PDU header(P='1', FI='00', E='1', SN=0, E ₁ '='0', LI ₁ '='40')), two RLC SDUs of size 40 bytes) | 1, 2 | P |
| 6 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | SS transmits an AMD PDU including three RLC SDU of size 40 bytes with P field set to "1". | <-- | AMD PDU(AMD PDU header(D/C='1', RF='0', P='1', FI='00', E='1', SN='1', E ₁ '='1', LI ₁ '='40' bytes, E ₂ '='0', LI ₂ '='40' bytes), three RLC SDUs of size 40 bytes) | - | - |
| 8 | SS responds to any scheduling requests from the UE by transmitting an UL grant of size 1096 bits. (Note 2) | <-- | (UL grants, 1096 bits) | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does UE transmits a STATUS PDU with positive acknowledgement? | --> | STATUS PDU (ACK SN=2) | 2 | P |
| 10 | Check: Does UE transmit three RLC SDUs within an AMD PDU with FI field set to "00", first E field in the fixed part set to '1', first E field in the extension part set to '1', first LI field set to 40 bytes, second E field in the extension part set to '0', second LI field set to 40 bytes and P field set to "1"? | --> | AMD PDU(AMD PDU header(P='1', FI='00', SN=1, E ₁ '='1', LI ₁ '='40', E ₂ '='0', LI ₂ '='40'), three RLC SDUs of size 40 bytes) | 1, 2 | P |
| Note 1 | UL grant of 776 bits ($I_{TBS}=13$, $N_{PRB}=3$, see TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that UE will fit two RLC SDUs of 40 bytes within one AMD PDU. MAC PDU of 776 bits=97 bytes fits an AMD PDU payload of 80 bytes (two 40 byte RLC SDUs) + 2 byte AMD PDU header + 15 bytes spare for MAC header and possible RLC STATUS PDU and BSR report. | | | | |
| Note 2 | UL grant of 1096 bits ($I_{TBS}=9$, $N_{PRB}=7$, see TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen such that UE will fit three RLC SDUs of 40 bytes within one AMD PDU. MAC PDU of 1096 bits=137 bytes fits an AMD PDU payload of 120 bytes (three 40 byte RLC SDUs) + 2 byte AMD PDU header + 15 bytes spare for MAC header and possible RLC STATUS PDU and BSR report. | | | | |

7.2.3.1.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.2 AM RLC / Segmentation and Reassembly / 11 bit "Length Indicators" / No PDU segmentation

7.2.3.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
  ensure that {
    when { the UE has a RLC SDU with larger size than available AMD PDU size in the transmission
buffer }
      then { the UE segments the RLC SDU in accordance with the available AMD PDU size }
  }

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { the UE receives AMD PDUs containing a segmented RLC SDU }
  then { the UE reassembles the RLC SDUs in accordance with the Framing Info and Length Indicators
indicated in the AMD PDUs }
}

```

7.2.3.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clauses 4.2.1.3.2, 4.2.1.3.3 and 6.2.2.6.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.2]

When the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity forms AMD PDUs from RLC SDUs, it shall:

- segment and/or concatenate the RLC SDUs in accordance to the TB size selected by lower layer at the particular transmission opportunity notified by lower layer.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.3]

When the receiving side of an AM RLC entity receives RLC data PDUs, it shall:

- reassemble RLC SDUs from the RLC data PDUs that are received in sequence and deliver the RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence.

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.2.6]

The FI field indicates whether a RLC SDU is segmented at the beginning and/or at the end of the Data field. Specifically, the FI field indicates whether the first byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU, and whether the last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. The interpretation of the FI field is provided in Table 6.2.2.6-1.

Table 6.2.2.6-1: FI field interpretation

| Value | Description |
|-------|--|
| 00 | First byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 01 | First byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field does not correspond to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 10 | First byte of the Data field does not correspond to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 11 | First byte of the Data field does not correspond to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field does not correspond to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |

7.2.3.2.3 Test description

7.2.3.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.2.3.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--|---|------------------|--|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| 1 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | | | | |
| 2 | The SS transmits a RLC SDU of size 80 bytes segmented into two AMD PDUs. The two AMD PDUs are transmitted in separate TTIs. | <-- | (RLC SDU#1) AMD PDU#1(FI='01',SN=0) AMD PDU#2(FI='01',SN=0) | - | - |
| 3 | The SS responds to any scheduling requests from the UE by transmitting an UL grant of size 392 bits. (Note 1). | <-- | (UL grants) | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE return a RLC SDU with equal content as sent in downlink in step 2 segmented into two AMD PDUs and received in different TTIs? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) AMD PDU#1 AMD PDU#2 | 1,2 | P |
| 5 | The SS ignores scheduling requests and does not allocate any uplink grant. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS sends a RLC SDU of size 120 bytes octets segmented into three AMD PDUs. | <-- | (RLC SDU#2) AMD PDU#1(FI='01',SN=2) AMD PDU#2(FI='11',SN=3) AMD PDU#3(FI='10',SN=4) | - | - |
| 7 | The SS responds to any scheduling requests from the UE by transmitting an UL grant of size 392 bits. (Note 1). | <-- | (UL grants) | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE return a RLC SDU with equal content as sent in downlink in step 6 segmented into three AMD PDUs where each AMD PDU is received in different TTI? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) AMD PDU#1 AMD PDU#2 AMD PDU#3 | 1,2 | P |
| Note 1 UL grant of 392 bits ($I_{TBS}=8$, $N_{PRB}=3$, see TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen to force the UE to segment the returned UL RLC SDU into multiple AMD PDUs. An UL grant of 392 bits=49 bytes allows the UE to transmit one AMD PDU of maximum 46 bytes (49 bytes – 2 byte AMD PDU header - minimum 1 byte MAC header). | | | | | |

7.2.3.2.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.3 AM RLC / Segmentation and Reassembly / 11-bit "Length Indicators" / "Framing Info Field"

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.322 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

7.2.3.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an AMD PDU or an AMD PDU segment containing a FI field set to 00 }
  then { UE correctly decodes the received AMD PDU or AMD PDU segment }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an AMD PDU or an AMD PDU segment containing a FI field set to 01 }
  then { UE correctly decodes the received AMD PDU or AMD PDU segment }
}

```

(3)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an AMD PDU or an AMD PDU segment containing a FI field set to 11 }
  then { UE correctly decodes the received AMD PDU or AMD PDU segment }
}

```

}

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an AMD PDU or an AMD PDU segment containing a FI field set to 10 }
  then { UE correctly decodes the received AMD PDU or AMD PDU segment }
}
```

7.2.3.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clause 6.2.2.6.

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.2.6]

Length: 2 bits.

The FI field indicates whether a RLC SDU is segmented at the beginning and/or at the end of the Data field. Specifically, the FI field indicates whether the first byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU, and whether the last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. The interpretation of the FI field is provided in Table 6.2.2.6-1.

Table 6.2.2.6-1: FI field interpretation

| Value | Description |
|-------|--|
| 00 | First byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 01 | First byte of the Data field corresponds to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field does not correspond to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 10 | First byte of the Data field does not correspond to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field corresponds to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |
| 11 | First byte of the Data field does not correspond to the first byte of a RLC SDU. Last byte of the Data field does not correspond to the last byte of a RLC SDU. |

7.2.3.3.3 Test description

7.2.3.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.2.3.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------------|-------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits AMD PDU#1 containing a complete RLC SDU#1 (FI field = 00). | <-- | AMD PDU#1 | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#1? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits AMD PDU#2 containing the first segment of RLC SDU#2 (FI field = 01). | <-- | AMD PDU#2 | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits AMD PDU#3 containing the second segment of RLC SDU#2 (FI field = 11). | <-- | AMD PDU#3 | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits AMD PDU#4 containing the last segment of RLC SDU#2 (FI field = 10). | <-- | AMD PDU#4 | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 2,3,4 | P |
| 7 | The T_poll_retransmit timer for RLC PDU#5 expires and SS assumes that the transmission of AMD PDU#5 containing a complete RLC SDU#3 and a complete RLC SDU#4 is failed and consider RLC PDU#5 for re-transmission | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits AMD PDU segment containing a complete RLC SDU#3 (FI field = 00). | <-- | AMD PDU segment | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#3? | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 1 | P |
| 10 | The SS transmits AMD PDU segment containing the first segment of RLC SDU#4 (FI field = 01). | <-- | AMD PDU segment | - | - |
| 11 | The SS transmits AMD PDU segment containing the second segment of RLC SDU#4 (FI field = 11). | <-- | AMD PDU segment | - | - |
| 12 | The SS transmits AMD PDU segment containing the last segment of RLC SDU#4 (FI field = 10). | <-- | AMD PDU segment | - | - |
| 13 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#4? | --> | (RLC SDU#4) | 2,3,4 | P |

7.2.3.3.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.4 AM RLC / Segmentation and Reassembly / 11-bit "Length Indicators" / Different numbers of Length Indicators

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.322 v8.2.0 i.e. after RAN#40.

7.2.3.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an AMD PDU or an AMD PDU segment without no LI field }
  then { UE correctly decodes the received AMD PDU or AMD PDU segment }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an AMD PDU or an AMD PDU segment with one LI field }
  then { UE correctly decodes the received AMD PDU or AMD PDU segment }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE receives an AMD PDU or an AMD PDU segment with two LI fields }  
  then { UE correctly decodes the received AMD PDU or AMD PDU segment }  
}
```

7.2.3.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clause 6.2.2.5.

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.2.5]

Length: 11 bits.

The LI field indicates the length in bytes of the corresponding Data field element present in the AMD PDU. The first LI present in the AMD PDU header corresponds to the first Data field element present in the Data field of the AMD PDU, the second LI present in the AMD PDU header corresponds to the second Data field element present in the Data of the AMD PDU, and so on.

7.2.3.4.3 Test description

7.2.3.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in Loopback Activated state (state 4) according to [18].

7.2.3.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits AMD PDU#1 containing a complete RLC SDU#1 without LI field. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 | 1 | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits an uplink grant allowing the UE to transmit 1 RLC SDU. | <-- | (UL grant) | 1 | - |
| 3 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#1? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 4 | The SS transmits AMD PDU#2 containing a complete RLC SDU#2 and a complete RLC SDU#3 with one LI field. | <-- | AMD PDU#2 | 2 | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits two uplink grants allowing the UE to transmit 2 RLC SDUs. | <-- | (UL grant) | 2 | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 2 | P |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#3? | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 2 | P |
| 8 | The SS transmits AMD PDU#3 containing a complete RLC SDU#4, a complete RLC SDU#5 and a complete RLC SDU#6 with two LI fields. | <-- | AMD PDU#3 | 3 | - |
| 9 | The SS transmits three uplink grants allowing the UE to transmit 3 RLC SDUs. | <-- | (UL grant) | 3 | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#4? | --> | (RLC SDU#4) | 3 | P |
| 11 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#5? | --> | (RLC SDU#5) | 3 | P |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#6? | --> | (RLC SDU#6) | 3 | P |
| 13 | The T_poll_retransmit timer for RLC PDU#5 expires and SS assumes that the transmission of AMD PDU#5 containing a complete RLC SDU#7, a complete RLC SDU#8, a complete RLC SDU#9, a complete RLC SDU#10, a complete RLC SDU#11 and a complete RLC SDU#12 is failed and consider RLC PDU#5 for re-transmission. | - | - | - | - |
| 14 | The SS transmits AMD PDU segment containing a complete RLC SDU#7 without LI field. | <-- | AMD PDU segment | 1 | - |
| 15 | The SS transmits an uplink grant allowing the UE to transmit 1 RLC SDU. | <-- | (UL grant) | 1 | - |
| 16 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#7? | --> | (RLC SDU#7) | 1 | P |
| 17 | The SS transmits AMD PDU segment containing a complete RLC SDU#8 and a complete RLC SDU#9 with one LI field. | <-- | AMD PDU segment | 2 | - |
| 18 | The SS transmits two uplink grants allowing the UE to transmit 2 RLC SDUs. | <-- | (UL grant) | 2 | - |
| 19 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#8? | --> | (RLC SDU#8) | 2 | P |
| 20 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#9? | --> | (RLC SDU#9) | 2 | P |
| 21 | The SS transmits AMD PDU segment containing a complete RLC SDU#10, a complete RLC SDU#11 and a complete RLC SDU#12 with two LI fields. | <-- | AMD PDU segment | 3 | - |
| 22 | The SS transmits three uplink grants allowing the UE to transmit 3 RLC SDUs. | <-- | (UL grant) | 3 | - |
| 23 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#10? | --> | (RLC SDU#10) | 3 | P |
| 24 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#11? | --> | (RLC SDU#11) | 3 | P |
| 25 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#12? | --> | (RLC SDU#12) | 3 | P |

Editor's note: step 13 should be checked, there could be a mismatch between DL AMD PDU numbers.

Editor's note: how to allocate "sufficient grants" is FFS for the time being.

7.2.3.4.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.5 AM RLC / Reassembly / 11-bit "Length Indicators" / LI value > PDU size

7.2.3.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE receives PDU with "Length Indicators" that point beyond the end of the PDU }  
  then { UE discards PDU }  
}
```

7.2.3.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clauses 5.5.1 and 6.2.2.5.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.5.1]

When an RLC entity receives an RLC PDU that contains reserved or invalid values, the RLC entity shall:

- discard the received PDU.[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.2.5]

Length: 11 bits.

The LI field indicates the length in bytes of the corresponding Data field element present in the AMD PDU. The first LI present in the AMD PDU header corresponds to the first Data field element present in the Data field of the AMD PDU, the second LI present in the AMD PDU header corresponds to the second Data field element present in the Data of the AMD PDU, and so on.

7.2.3.5.3 Test description

7.2.3.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in Loopback Activated state (state 4) according to [18] with the loopback size set to 102 bytes.

7.2.3.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.5.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU is the 1 st part of SDU#1. | <-- | AMD PDU#1(SN = 0) | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 100 data bytes to the UE. This PDU contains the last part of SDU#1, and the 1 st part of SDU#2. LI associated with PDU#2 has a value > PDU size, i.e. > 100. | <-- | AMD PDU#2(SN=1) | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 100 data bytes to the UE. This PDU contains the last part of SDU 2, and the 1 st part of SDU#3. | <-- | AMD PDU#3(SN=2) | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU contains the last part of SDU#3. | <-- | AMD PDU#4(SN=3) | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU with NACK_SN field set to 1? | --> | STATUS PDU | 1 | P |
| 6 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 100 data bytes to the UE. This PDU contains the last part of SDU#1, and the 1st part of SDU#2. The LI is correct. | <-- | AMD PDU#2 (SN=1) | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#1? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | P |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit RLC SDU#3? | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 1 | P |

7.2.3.5.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.6 AM RLC / Correct use of Sequence Numbering

7.2.3.6.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE transmits the first PDU }
  then { UE sets the Sequence Number field equal to 0 }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE transmits subsequent PDUs }
  then { SN incremented by 1 for each PDU transmitted }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE transmits more than 1024 PDUs }
  then { UE wraps the Sequence Number after transmitting the 1024 PDU }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { more than 1024 PDUs are sent to UE }
  then { UE accepts PDUs with SNs that wrap around every 1024 PDU }
}
```

7.2.3.6.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clauses 5.1.3.1.1, 6.2.2.3 and 7.1.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.1.1]

...

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall prioritize transmission of RLC control PDUs over RLC data PDUs. The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall prioritize retransmission of RLC data PDUs over transmission of new AMD PDUs.

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall maintain a transmitting window according to state variables VT(A) and VT(MS) as follows:

- a SN falls within the transmitting window if $VT(A) \leq SN < VT(MS)$;
- a SN falls outside of the transmitting window otherwise.

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall not deliver to lower layer any RLC data PDU whose SN falls outside of the transmitting window.

When delivering a new AMD PDU to lower layer, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- set the SN of the AMD PDU to VT(S), and then increment VT(S) by one.

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity can receive a positive acknowledgement (confirmation of successful reception by its peer AM RLC entity) for a RLC data PDU by the following:

- STATUS PDU from its peer AM RLC entity.

When receiving a positive acknowledgement for an AMD PDU with $SN = VT(A)$, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if positive acknowledgements have been received for all other AMD PDUs whose SN fall within the range $VT(A) \leq SN < VT(S)$:
 - set VT(A) equal to VT(S);
- else
 - set VT(A) equal to the SN of the AMD PDU with the smallest SN, whose SN falls within the range $VT(A) \leq SN < VT(S)$ and for which a positive acknowledgment has not been received yet.
- if positive acknowledgements have been received for all AMD PDUs associated with a transmitted RLC SDU:
 - send an indication to the upper layers of successful delivery of the RLC SDU....

...

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.2.3]

Length: 10bits for AMD PDU, AMD PDU segments and STATUS PDUs. ...

The SN field indicates the sequence number of the corresponding ... AMD PDU. For an AMD PDU segment, the SN field indicates the sequence number of the original AMD PDU from which the AMD PDU segment was constructed from. The sequence number is incremented by one for every ... AMD PDU.

[TS 36.322, clause 7.1]

...

All state variables (i.e. VT(A), VT(MS), VT(S), VR(R), VR(MR), VR(X), VR(MS), VR(H), VT(US), VR(UR), VR(UX) and VR(UH)) are non-negative integers.

All state variables related to AM data transfer (i.e. VT(A), VT(MS), VT(S), VR(R), VR(MR), VR(X), VR(MS) and VR(H)) can take values from 0 to 1023. All arithmetic operations contained in the present document on state variables related to AM data transfer are affected by the AM modulus (i.e. final value = [value from arithmetic operation] modulo 1024).

AMD PDUs ... are numbered integer sequence numbers (SN) cycling through the field: 0 to 1023 for AMD PDU ...

...

c) VT(S) – Send state variable

This state variable holds the value of the SN to be assigned for the next newly generated AMD PDU, and it serves as the higher edge of the STATUS receiving window. It is initially set to 0, and is updated whenever the AM RLC entity delivers an AMD PDU with SN = VT(S).

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7.2.3.6.3 Test description

7.2.3.6.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in Loopback Activated state (state 4) according to [18].

7.2.3.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.6.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 1 to 2 are executed 1024 times. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to step 1, the behaviour described in table 7.2.3.6.3.2-2 is running. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. SN equals 0 and is incremented for each PDU transmitted. Polling bit enabled for every 128th AMD PDU transmitted. | <-- | AMD PDU | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits a STATUS PDU with ACK_SN field which is smaller or equal to last SN transmitted from the SS and greater than 128 resp multiples of 128. | --> | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. SN equals 0. The polling bit is enabled. | <-- | AMD PDU | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU with ACK_SN = 1? | --> | STATUS PDU | 4 | P |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with SN=0? | --> | AMD PDU | 3 | P |
| 6 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU with ACK_SN = 1. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |

Table 7.2.3.6.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with SN = 0? | --> | AMD PDU | 1 | P |
| - | EXCEPTION: Steps 2-3 are executed 1023 times. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with SN increased by 1 compared with the previous one? | --> | AMD PDU | 2 | P |
| 3 | IF the AMD PDU received in step 2 contains a polling bit THEN the SS transmits a STATUS PDU with ACK_SN acknowledging all the AMD PDUs received. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | |

7.2.3.6.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.7 AM RLC / Control of Transmit Window

7.2.3.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established and pending uplink data for transmission }
ensure that {
  when { AMD PDUs in transmission buffer fall outside VT(A) <= SN < VT(MS) }
  then { UE does not transmit these AMD PDUs }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with DRB established and pending uplink data for transmission }
ensure that {
  when { receiving a STATUS PDU where ACK_SN acknowledges at least one AMD PDU not yet acknowledged }
  then { UE transmits AMD PDUs within updated window range }
}
```

7.2.3.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clauses 5.1.3.1.1 and, 7.1 7.2.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.1.1]

...

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall maintain a transmitting window according to state variables VT(A) and VT(MS) as follows:

- a SN falls within the transmitting window if $VT(A) \leq SN < VT(MS)$;
- a SN falls outside of the transmitting window otherwise.

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall not deliver to lower layer any RLC data PDU whose SN falls outside of the transmitting window.

When delivering a new AMD PDU to lower layer, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- set the SN of the AMD PDU to VT(S), and then increment VT(S) by one.

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity can receive a positive acknowledgement (confirmation of successful reception by its peer AM RLC entity) for a RLC data PDU by the following:

- STATUS PDU from its peer AM RLC entity.

When receiving a positive acknowledgement for an AMD PDU with $SN = VT(A)$, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if positive acknowledgements have been received for all other AMD PDUs whose SN fall within the range $VT(A) \leq SN < VT(S)$:
 - set $VT(A)$ equal to $VT(S)$;
- else
 - set $VT(A)$ equal to the SN of the AMD PDU with the smallest SN, whose SN falls within the range $VT(A) \leq SN < VT(S)$ and for which a positive acknowledgment has not been received yet.
- if positive acknowledgements have been received for all AMD PDUs associated with a transmitted RLC SDU:
 - send an indication to the upper layers of successful delivery of the RLC SDU.

[TS 36.322, clause 7.2]

a) AM_Window_Size

This constant is used by both the transmitting side and the receiving side of each AM RLC entity to calculate $VT(MS)$ from $VT(A)$, and $VR(MR)$ from $VR(R)$. $AM_Window_Size = 512$.

...

[TS 36.322 ver 8.2.0 clause 7.1]

a) $VT(A)$ – Acknowledgement state variable

This state variable holds the value of the SN of the next AMD PDU for which a positive acknowledgment is to be received in-sequence, and it serves as the lower edge of the transmitting window). It is initially set to 0, and is updated whenever the AM RLC entity receives a positive acknowledgment for an AMD PDU with $SN = VT(A)$.

b) $VT(MS)$ – Maximum send state variable

This state variable equals $VT(A) + AM_Window_Size$, and it serves as the higher edge of the transmitting window.

...

7.2.3.7.3 Test description

7.2.3.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in Loopback Activated state (state 4) according to [18] with the loopback size set to 100 bytes.
- UE support for either RLC SDU Buffering OR RLC SDU Discard. This is to be indicated in the PIXIT.

7.2.3.7.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.7.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--|---|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 1 is repeated W+1 times, where W = AM_Window_Size. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to step 1, the behaviour described in table 7.2.3.7.3.2-2 is running.. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU containing a SDU to the UE | <-- | AMD PDU | | |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU within t_poll_retransmit/2? | --> | AMD PDU | 1 | F |
| 3 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU to acknowledge the W uplink AMD PDUs with SN=0 to SN=W-1. ACK_SN = W. | <-- | STATUS PDU | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 4 is repeated W+1 times. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: IF UE buffers RLC SDUs in parallel to the events described in Step 4 the steps specified in table 7.2.3.7.3.2-3 shall take place; IF UE discards RLC SDUs in parallel to the events described in Step 4 the steps specified in table 7.2.3.7.3.2-4 shall take place. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU containing a SDU to the UE | <-- | AMD PDU | - | - |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU within t_poll_retransmit/2? | --> | AMD PDU | 1 | F |
| 6 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU to acknowledge W uplink RLC PDUs | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 7a | IF UE buffers RLC SDUs THEN Check: does the UE transmit the same PDU content as received in the corresponding downlink PDU (2W+1) of the SDU? | --> | AMD PDU 2W+1(SN=0) | 2 | P |
| 7b1 | IF UE discards RLC SDUs THEN The SS transmits an AMD PDU containing an SDU to the UE | --> | AMD PDU W+2, Poll | - | - |
| 7b2 | Check: does the UE transmit the same AMD PDU content as received in the corresponding downlink AMD PDU (2W+3) of the SDU? | --> | AMD PDU 2W+3, (SN = 0) | 2 | P |
| Note: SDUs are numbered 1,2, ..., 2W+3 | | | | | |

Table 7.2.3.7.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 1 is repeated W-1 times. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE transmit an AMD PDU with the same data as received in the corresponding DL AMD PDU. | --> | AMD PDU | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with the Poll bit set and with the contents of the SDU? | --> | AMD PDU(SN=W-1), Poll | 1 | P |

Table 7.2.3.7.3.2-3: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 1 is repeated W-1 times. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE transmit an AMD PDU with the same data as received in the corresponding DL AMD PDU. | --> | AMD PDU | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmit an AMD PDU with the Poll bit set. and contents of the (2W)th SDU. The contents is that of the (2W)th SDU. | --> | AMD PDU(SN=2W-1), Poll | - | - |

Table 7.2.3.7.3.2-4: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 1 is repeated W-1 times. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE transmits an AMD PDU with the same data as received in the corresponding DL AMD PDU. | --> | AMD PDU W | | |
| 2 | The UE transmit an AMD PDU with the Poll bit set. The contents is that of the (2W+1)th SDU. | --> | AMD PDU(SN=2W-1), Poll | - | - |

7.2.3.7.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.8 AM RLC / Control of Receive Window

7.2.3.8.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { the UE receives AMD PDUs with SN outside the upper boundary of the receive window }
  then { the UE discards these AMD PDUs }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { the receive window has been moved }
  then { UE continues accepting AMD PDUs within updated window range }
}
```

7.2.3.8.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clauses 5.1.3.2.1., and 7.2..

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.2.1]

...

The receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall maintain a receiving window according to state variables VR(R) and VR(MR) as follows:

- a SN falls within the receiving window if $VR(R) \leq SN < VR(MR)$;
- a SN falls outside of the receiving window otherwise.

When receiving a RLC data PDU from lower layer, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- either discard the received RLC data PDU or place it in the reception buffer (see sub clause 5.1.3.2.2);
- if the received RLC data PDU was placed in the reception buffer:
 - update state variables, reassemble and deliver RLC SDUs to upper layer and start/stop T_reordering as needed (see sub clause 5.1.3.2.3).

When T_reordering expires, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- update state variables and start T_reordering as needed (see sub clause 5.1.3.2.4).

...

[TS 36.322, clause 7.2]

a) AM_Window_Size

This constant is used by both the transmitting side and the receiving side of each AM RLC entity to calculate VT(MS) from VT(A), and VR(MR) from VR(R). AM_Window_Size = 512.

...

7.2.3.8.3 Test description

7.2.3.8.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

7.2.3.8.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.8.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 1 shall be repeated W times, where W is AM_Window_Size. Polling bit enabled for the Wth RLC PDU transmitted. The SS shall set the Sequence Number field for the first AMD PDU to 0 and increment it by 1 for every execution of Step 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE | <-- | AMD PDU | | |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU acknowledging W PDUs? (ACK_SN = W) | --> | STATUS PDU | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits the (W+1)th AMD PDU to the UE with the Sequence Number field set to ((2W mod 1024) = 0) and the Polling bit set | <-- | AMD PDU | | |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU acknowledging W PDUs? (ACK_SN = W) (Note 1) | --> | STATUS PDU | 1 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits the (W+2)th AMD PDU to the UE with the Sequence Number field set to W and the Polling bit set. | <-- | AMD PDU | | |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU acknowledging W +1 PDUs? (ACK_SN field = W+1) (Note 2) | --> | STATUS PDU | 2 | P |

Note 1: This shows that the UE has discarded the (W+1)th PDU.

Note 2: This shows that the UE did not discard the (W+2)th PDU and has updated the Receive Window correctly

7.2.3.8.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.9 AM RLC / Polling for status

7.2.3.9.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { last data in the buffer was transmitted }
  then { UE transmits a Poll }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { the poll retransmit timer expires }
  then { UE transmits a Poll }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { PDU_WITHOUT_POLL=Poll_PDU }
  then { UE transmits a Poll }
}
```

(4)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL=Poll_Byte }
  then { UE transmits a Poll }
}

```

7.2.3.9.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clauses 5.2.2.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.2.2]

Upon assembly of a new AMD PDU, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- increment PDU_WITHOUT_POLL by one;
- increment BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL by every new byte of Data field element that it maps to the Data field of the RLC data PDU;
- if PDU_WITHOUT_POLL >= Poll_PDU; or
- if BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL >= Poll_Byte;
 - include a poll in the RLC data PDU as described below.

Upon assembly of a AMD PDU or AMD PDU segment, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if both the transmission buffer and the retransmission buffer becomes empty (excluding transmitted RLC data PDU awaiting for acknowledgements) after the transmission of the RLC data PDU; or
- if no further RLC data PDU can be transmitted after the transmission of the RLC data PDU (e.g. due to window stalling);
 - include a poll in the RLC data PDU as described below.

To include a poll in a RLC data PDU, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- set the P field of the RLC data PDU to "1";
- set PDU_WITHOUT_POLL to 0;
- set BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL to 0;
- set POLL_SN to VT(S) – 1;
- if T_poll_retransmit is not running:
 - start T_poll_retransmit;
- else:
 - restart T_poll_retransmit;

[TS 36.322, clause 5.2.2.3]

Upon expiry of T_poll_retransmit, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if both the transmission buffer and the retransmission buffer are empty (excluding transmitted RLC data PDU awaiting for acknowledgements); or
- if no new RLC data PDU can be transmitted (e.g. due to window stalling):
 - consider the AMD PDU with SN = VT(S) – 1 for retransmission;
 - include a poll in a RLC data PDU as described in section 5.2.2.1.

7.2.3.9.3 Test description

7.2.3.9.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with 1 RLC AM DRB configured (called DRB1) according to table 7.2.3.9.3.1-1.

Table 7.2.3.9.3.1-1: RLC Settings

| Parameter | Value |
|-------------------|-----------|
| Poll_PDU | 256 |
| Poll_Byte | 25 kBytes |
| T_poll_retransmit | 400ms |

Note: these settings assume a 2-octet RLC header and 2-octets MAC header for non-segmented RLC SDUs.

7.2.3.9.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.9.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | During the whole test sequence, the size of the UL grants allocated by the SS shall be 12 576 bits. (Note 1) | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in step 1, the steps specified in Table 7.2.3.9.3.2-2 should take place | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits 4 AMD PDUs, each containing an RLC SDU of size 12 544 bits., on DRB1. | <-- | AMD PDU(SN=0) AMD PDU(SN=1) AMD PDU(SN=2) AMD PDU(SN=3) | - | - |
| 2 | Check1: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with SN=3 and P=1? | --> | AMD PDU | 2 | P |
| 3 | Upon receiving the Poll, the SS sends an RLC Status Report. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE retransmit an AMD PDU within T_poll_retransmit ms ? | --> | AMD PDU | 2 | F |
| 5 | SS performs a RRC Connection Reconfiguration procedure triggering an RLC-reestablishment of the RLC entity and sets Poll_PDU to 4. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in step 6, the steps specified in Table 7.2.3.9.3.2-3 should take place | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS transmits 8 AMD PDUs, each containing an RLC SDU of 12 544bits on DRB1. | <-- | AMD PDU(SN=0) AMD PDU(SN=1) ... AMD PDU(SN=7) | - | - |
| 7 | The SS sends a Status Report with NACK_SN=0, NACK_SN=1, NACK_SN=2 and NACK_SN=4. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit AMD PDUs with the following SN and P values: AMD PDU, SN=0, P=0 AMD PDU, SN=1, P=0 AMD PDU, SN=2, P=0 AMD PDU, SN=4, P=0 | --> | AMD PDU(SN=0, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=1, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=2, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=4, P=0) | 3 | P |
| 9 | SS performs a RRC Connection Reconfiguration procedure triggering an RLC-reestablishment of the RLC entity and sets Poll_PDU to 256. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in step 10, the steps specified in Table 7.2.3.9.3.2-4 should take place | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | The SS transmits 34 AMD PDUs, each containing an RLC SDU of size 12 544 bits on DRB1. | <-- | AMD PDU(SN=0) AMD PDU(SN=1) ... AMD PDU(SN=33) | - | - |
| Note 1 UL grant of 12 576 bits ($I_{TBS}=25$, $N_{PRB}=20$, see TS 36.213 Table 7.1.7.2.1-1) is chosen to allow the UE to loop back one SDU of size 12 544 bits into each AMD PDU sent in the uplink (12 576 bits - 16 bit AMD PDU header - 16 bit MAC SDU header). | | | | | |

Table 7.2.3.9.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit 4 AMD PDUs, with only the last one having the poll bit set? Record time T _A when the PDU with the poll bit set is received at SS. | --> | AMD PDUs | 1 | P |

Table 7.2.3.9.3.2-3: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit 8 AMD PDUs, with the poll bit set only in the 4 th and the 8 th PDUs? | --> | AMD PDUs | 3 | P |

Table 7.2.3.9.3.2-4: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit 34 AMD PDUs, with the poll bit set only in the 16 th one, the 32 nd one and the last one? | --> | AMD PDUs | 4 | P |

7.2.3.9.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.10 AM RLC / Receiver Status Triggers

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.322 v8.3.0.

7.2.3.10.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { Reception failure of an RLC data PDU is detected }
  then { UE initiates Status Reporting when T_reordering expires }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { Status Reporting is triggered and T_status_prohibit_timer is running }
  then { UE wait until T_prohibit_timer has expired to send Status Report }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { Polling from peer AM RLC entity is detected }
  then { UE initiates Status Reporting }
}
```

7.2.3.10.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clause 5.2.3.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.2.3]

An AM RLC entity sends STATUS PDUs to its peer AM RLC entity in order to provide positive and/or negative acknowledgements of RLC PDUs (or portions of them).

RRC configures whether or not the status prohibit function is to be used an AM RLC entity.

Triggers to initiate STATUS reporting include:

- Polling from its peer AM RLC entity:
 - When a RLC data PDU with SN = x and the P field set to "1" is received from lower layer, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:
 - if the PDU is to be discarded as specified in subclause 5.1.3.2.2; or
 - if $x < VR(MS)$:
 - trigger a STATUS report;
 - else:
 - delay triggering the STATUS report until $x < VR(MS)$.

NOTE: This ensures that the RLC Status report is transmitted after HARQ reordering.

- Detection of reception failure of an RLC data PDU:
 - The receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall trigger a STATUS report when T_reordering expires.

NOTE: The expiry of T_reordering triggers both VR(MS) to be updated and a STATUS report to be triggered, but the STATUS report shall be triggered after VR(MS) is updated.

When STATUS reporting has been triggered, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if T_status_prohibit is not running:
 - at the first transmission opportunity indicated by lower layer, construct a STATUS PDU and deliver it to lower layer;
- else:
 - at the first transmission opportunity indicated by lower layer after T_status_prohibit expires, construct a STATUS PDU even if status reporting was triggered several times while T_status_prohibit was running and deliver it to lower layer;

When a STATUS PDU has been delivered to lower layer, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- start T_status_prohibit.

When constructing a STATUS PDU, the AM RLC entity shall:

- for the AMD PDUs with SN such that $VR(R) \leq SN < VR(MS)$ that has not been completely received yet, in increasing SN order, starting with SN = VR(R) up to the SN for which the resulting STATUS PDU fits to the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer:
 - if no byte segments have been received yet for an AMD PDU:
 - include in the STATUS PDU a NACK_SN which is set to the SN of the AMD PDU;
 - else
 - include in the STATUS PDU a set of NACK_SN, SOstart and SOend for each continuous sequence of byte segments of the AMD PDU that has not been received yet.
- set the ACK_SN to the SN of the next not received RLC Data PDU which is not indicated as missing in the resulting STATUS PDU.

7.2.3.10.3 Test description

7.2.3.10.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with 1 RLC AM DRB configured (called DRB1) according to table 7.2.3.10.3.1-1.

Table 7.2.3.10.3.1-1: RLC settings

| Parameter | Value |
|-------------------|--------|
| T_reordering | 200 ms |
| T_status_prohibit | 300 ms |
| T_poll_retransmit | 500 ms |

7.2.3.10.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.10.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in steps 1 to 7, the UE performs the parallel behaviour specified in Table 7.2.3.10.3.2-2 | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits 4 AMD PDUs with SN=0, 1, 2, and 4 on DRB1. The SS sets the P field of all the AMD PDUs to 0. Record time T _A when the AMD PDU with SN=4 is sent. | <-- | AMD PDU(SN=0, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=1, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=2, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=4, P=0) | - | - |
| 2 | Check1: does the UE transmit a Status Report with NACK_SN=3 and ACK_SN=5? Record time T _B Check 2: (T _B - T _A) = T_reordering | --> | STATUS PDU | 1 | P |
| 3 | Within (T_status_prohibit / 2) ms after the Status Report is received at Step 2, the SS transmits 4 AMD PDUs with SN=5, 6, 8 and 9 on DRB 1. The SS sets the P field of all the AMD PDUs to 0. | <-- | AMD PDU(SN=5, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=6, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=8, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=9, P=0) | - | - |
| 4 | Check1: does the UE transmit a Status Report with NACK_SN=3, NACK_SN=7 and ACK_SN=10? Record time T _C Check 2: (T _C - T _B) = T_status_prohibit | --> | STATUS PDU | 2 | P |
| 5 | The SS waits for T_status_prohibit. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS transmits 3 AMD PDUs with SN=3, SN=7, and SN=9 on DRB 1. The SS sets the P field of all the AMD PDUs to 0 except for that of the AMD PDU with SN=9. | <-- | AMD PDU(SN=3, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=7, P=0) AMD PDU(SN=9, P=1) | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a Status Report with no NACK_SN and ACK_SN = 10? | --> | STATUS PDU | 3 | P |

Table 7.2.3.10.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | UE transmits AMD PDUs to loop back the data received in the downlink | --> | AMD PDUs | - | - |

7.2.3.10.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.12 AM RLC / Operation of the RLC re-establishment procedure / UE Terminated

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.322 v8.3.0.

7.2.3.12.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE is requested to perform a RRC Connection reconfiguration with RLC re-establishment }  
  then { the UE discards the remaining AMD PDUs; and discards all RLC SDUs in the transmitting  
side; and reset all state variables to their initial values. }  
}
```

Editor's note: The test purpose has been limited to verify that any remaining AMD PDUs in receiving side and any remaining RLC SDUs in transmitting side are discarded; and that state variables are reset to their initial values. Thus are the following conformance requirements not verified:

- (1) "discard all RLC control PDUs" - due to not feasible to trigger re-establishment of RLC entity while there is a RLC control PDU pending for transmission;
- (2) "when possible, reassemble RLC SDUs from any byte segments of AMD PDUs with SN < VR(MR) in the receiving side, remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer" - due to not feasible to verify delivery to upper layer as the transmitting side will discard the returned UL SDU).; and
- (3) "stop and reset all timers" has not been included in this version of the test case and is FFS. Is it essential to verify in the RLC re-establishment test case?]

7.2.3.12.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clause 5.4.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.4]

RLC re-establishment is performed upon request by RRC, and the function is applicable for AM and UM RLC entities.

When RRC indicates that an RLC entity should be re-established, the RLC entity shall:

- if it is an AM RLC entity:
 - when possible, reassemble RLC SDUs from any byte segments of AMD PDUs with SN < VR(MR) in the receiving side, remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer if not delivered before;
 - discard the remaining AMD PDUs and byte segments of AMD PDUs in the receiving side;
 - discard all RLC SDUs and AMD PDUs in the transmitting side;
 - discard all RLC control PDUs.
- stop and reset all timers;
- reset all state variables to their initial values.

7.2.3.12.3 Test description

7.2.3.12.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- UL RLC SDU size is configured to be the same as received in DL RLC SDUs.

Editor's note: It needs to be further studied if the test case should be expanded to use one additional AM DRB to verify that the UE is only performing the RLC re-establishment on the specific DRB as requested by the SS.

7.2.3.12.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.12.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--------|---|------------------|-------------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS creates 3 RLC SDUs of size [TBD] segmented into two AMD PDUs each. AMD PDU#1 and AMD PDU#2 belongs to RLC SDU#1, AMD PDU#3 and #4 belongs to RLC SDU#2 and AMD PDU#5 and #6 belongs to RLC SDU#3. SS transmits AMD PDU#1, AMD PDU#2 and AMD PDU#4. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 AMD PDU#2 AMD PDU#4 | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does UE returns RLC SDU#1? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 3 | SS does not acknowledge the reception of RLC SDU#1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | SS performs a RRC Connection Reconfiguration procedure triggering an RLC-reestablishment of an RLC entity. See Note 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | SS transmits AMD PDU#5 with SN=0 and the P field set to "1" | <-- | AMD PDU#5 | 1 | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the STATUS PDU report an AMD PDU with SN=3 as missing? (i.e. using NACK_SN, SOstart / SOend) See Note 2. | --> | STATUS PDU | 1 | F |
| 7 | SS transmits AMD PDU#6 with SN=Receiving_AM_Window_Size+2 | <-- | AMD PDU#6 | 1 | - |
| 8 | Check: Does UE return RLC SDU#3 within [1s]? See Note 3. | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 1 | F |
| 9 | SS transmits AMD PDU#6 with SN=2 | <-- | AMD PDU#6 | 1 | - |
| 10 | Check: Does UE return RLC SDU#3 with its first AMD PDU with SN=0? | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 1 | P |
| Note 1 | The conformant UE discards any remaining AMD PDUs in the receiver and transmitter side, stops and resets all timers and resets all state variables to their initial values. | | | | |
| Note 2 | AMD PDU#4 have been discarded by the conformant UE in step 4. | | | | |
| Note 3 | AMD PDU#6 have been discarded by the conformant UE due to being outside the receiving window size. | | | | |

7.2.3.12.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.2.3.12.3.3-1: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 4)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause [TBD], Table Nr [TBD] | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RadioResourceConfiguration | | | |
| - Rlc-ReestablishmentRequest | true | | |

7.2.3.13 AM RLC / Reconfiguration of RLC parameters by upper layers

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.322 v8.3.0.

7.2.3.13.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { the poll retransmit timer expires }
  then { UE transmits a Poll }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { Reception failure of an RLC data PDU is detected }
  then { UE initiates Status Reporting }
}
```

Editor's note: this test purpose should be clarified as there are several ways to detect the reception failure.

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { Status Reporting is triggered and T_status_prohibit_timer is running }
  then { UE transmits a status report at T_status_prohibit_timer expiry }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { PDU_WITHOUT_POLL=Poll_PDU }
  then { UE transmits a Poll }
}
```

(5)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and using AM RLC }
ensure that {
  when { BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL=Poll_Byte }
  then { UE transmits a Poll }
}
```

7.2.3.13.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clause 5.2.2 and 5.2.3.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.2.2]

An AM RLC entity can poll its peer AM RLC entity in order to trigger STATUS reporting at the peer AM RLC entity.

Triggers to initiate polling include:

- Transmission of last data in the buffer:

- The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall set the P field of an RLC data PDU to "1" if both the transmission buffer and the retransmission buffer becomes empty (excluding transmitted RLC data PDU awaiting for acknowledgements) after the transmission of the RLC data PDU;
- Expiry of poll retransmit timer:
 - The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:
 - upon delivering a RLC data PDU with the P field set to "1" to lower layer;
 - if $T_{\text{poll_retransmit}}$ is not running:
 - start $T_{\text{poll_retransmit}}$;
 - store the $SN = VT(S) - 1$ in memory;
 - else:
 - restart $T_{\text{poll_retransmit}}$;
 - replace the stored SN in memory with the $SN = VT(S) - 1$.
 - stop $T_{\text{poll_retransmit}}$ when it receives either a positive or negative acknowledgement for the corresponding RLC data PDU with the SN it stored in memory;
 - when $T_{\text{poll_retransmit}}$ expires:
 - if both the transmission buffer and the retransmission buffer are empty (excluding transmitted RLC data PDU awaiting for acknowledgements):
 - consider the AMD PDU with $SN = VT(S) - 1$ for retransmission;
 - set the P field of the RLC data PDU to be transmitted in the next transmission opportunity to "1";
 - else:
 - set the P field of the RLC data PDU to be transmitted in the next transmission opportunity to "1".
- Every Poll_PDU PDUs:
 - The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:
 - maintain a counter $PDU_WITHOUT_POLL$, which is initially set to 0;
 - increment $PDU_WITHOUT_POLL$ by one for every new AMD PDU that it forms;
 - set the P field of an AMD PDU that it forms to "1" when $PDU_WITHOUT_POLL = Poll_PDU$;
 - reset $PDU_WITHOUT_POLL$ to 0 when it delivers to lower layer a RLC data PDU whose P field is set to "1".
- Every Poll_Byte bytes:
 - The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:
 - maintain a counter $BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL$, which is initially set to 0;
 - increment $BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL$ for every new byte of Data field element that it maps to the Data field of an AMD PDU;
 - set the P field of an AMD PDU that it forms to "1" when $BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL \geq Poll_Byte$;
 - reset $BYTE_WITHOUT_POLL$ to 0 when it delivers to lower layer a RLC data PDU whose P field is set to "1".

Editor's note: Whether or not the polling trigger "Every Poll_PDU PDUs" and "Every Poll_Byte bytes" are configurable or not is FFS. It has been decided that other polling triggers are always enabled.]

[TS 36.322, clause 5.2.3]

An AM RLC entity sends STATUS PDUs to its peer AM RLC entity in order to provide positive and/or negative acknowledgements of RLC PDUs (or portions of them).

RRC configures whether or not the status prohibit function is to be used for an AM RLC entity.

Triggers to initiate STATUS reporting include:

- Polling from its peer AM RLC entity:
 - The receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall trigger a STATUS report when it receives a RLC data PDU with the P field set to "1" and the HARQ reordering of the corresponding RLC data PDU is completed.
- Detection of reception failure of an RLC data PDU:
 - The receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall trigger a STATUS report when T_reordering expires.

NOTE: The expiry of T_reordering triggers both VR(MS) to be updated and a STATUS report to be triggered, but the STATUS report shall be triggered after VR(MS) is updated.

When STATUS reporting has been triggered, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if T_status_prohibit is not running:
 - at the first transmission opportunity indicated by lower layer, construct a STATUS PDU and deliver it to lower layer;
- else:
 - at the first transmission opportunity indicated by lower layer after T_status_prohibit expires, construct a single STATUS PDU even if status reporting was triggered several times while T_status_prohibit was running and deliver it to lower layer;

When a STATUS PDU has been delivered to lower layer, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- start T_status_prohibit.

When constructing a STATUS PDU, the AM RLC entity shall:

- for the AMD PDUs with SN such that $VR(R) \leq SN < VR(MS)$ that has not been completely received yet, in increasing SN order, starting with SN = VR(R) up to the SN for which the resulting STATUS PDU fits to the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer:
 - if no byte segments have been received yet for an AMD PDU:
 - include in the STATUS PDU a NACK_SN which is set to the SN of the AMD PDU;
 - else
 - include in the STATUS PDU a set of NACK_SN, SOstart and SOend for each consecutive byte segments of the AMD PDU that has not been received yet.
- set the ACK_SN to the SN of the next not completely received AMD PDU which is not indicated with a NACK_SN in the resulting STATUS PDU.

7.2.3.13.3 Test description

7.2.3.13.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18], with the exceptions as specified in table 7.2.3.13.3.1-1 and 7.2.3.13.3.1-2 and with the UL SDU size set to [FFS] bytes.

Table 7.2.3.13.3.1-1: MAC Settings

| Parameter | Value |
|-----------|------------|
| DL TBSIZE | FFS octets |
| UL TBSIZE | DL TBSIZE |

Table 7.2.3.13.3.1-2: RLC settings

| Parameter | Value |
|-------------------|------------------|
| T_reordering | 50 ms |
| T_status_prohibit | 150 ms |
| T_poll_retransmit | FFS |
| Poll_PDU | 10 |
| Poll_Byte | 2 x (TBSIZE – 3) |

7.2.3.13.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.13.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| - | The SS re-establishes RLC in the UE and sets - T_reordering to [tbd], - T_status_prohibit to [tbd], - T_poll_retransmit to [tbd], - Poll_PDU to [tbd], - Poll_Byte to [tbd]. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits 4 AMD PDUs with P=0 and SN=0, 1, 2 and 4. The SS record time T _A when AMD PDU 5 (with SN=4) is sent. | <-- | AMD PDU (SN=0, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=1, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=2, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=4, P=0) | - | - |
| 3 | Check1: Does the UE transmit a SR on PUCCH? Record time T _B . Check2: (T _B - T _A) = T_reordering | --> | (SR) | 2 | P |
| 4 | The SS transmits an UL grant to the UE. | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 5 | Check1: does the UE transmit a Status Report with NACK_SN=3 and ACK_SN=5? Record time T _B . Check2: (T _B - T _A) = T_reordering | --> | STATUS PDU | 2,3 | P |
| 6 | The SS sends 4 AMD PDU with SN=5, 6, 8 and 9 within (T_status_prohibit / 2) ms after it receives the SR in step 2 above. | <-- | AMD PDU (SN=5, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=6, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=8, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=9, P=0) | - | - |
| 7 | Check 1: does the UE transmit SR on PUCCH? Report. Record time T _C . Check 2: (T _C - T _B) = T_status_prohibit | --> | (SR) | 2 | P |
| 8 | The SS transmits an UL grant to the UE. | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 9 | Check1: does the UE transmit a Status Report with NACK_SN=3, NACK_SN=7 and ACK_SN=10? Record time T _C . Check2: (T _C - T _B) = T_status_prohibit | --> | STATUS PDU | 2,3 | P |
| 10 | The SS waits for T_status_prohibit/2. | - | - | - | - |
| 11 | The SS transmits 3 AMD PDUs with SN=3, 7, 9 | <-- | AMD PDU (SN=3, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=7, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=9, P=1) | - | - |
| 12 | The SS transmits an UL grant to the UE. | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 13 | Check: does the UE transmit a Status Report with no NACK_SN and ACK_SN = 10? | --> | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 14 | Close Test Loop | - | - | - | - |
| 15 | The SS transmits 4 AMD PDUs with (TBSize - 3) data octets | <-- | AMD PDU (SN=0, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=1, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=2, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=3, P=0) | - | - |
| 16 | The SS transmits four UL grants with size TBSize octets in each of them. | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 17 shall be repeated for 4 times. Where n=0, 1, 2 and 3. Polling bit is only enabled for n=3 | - | - | - | - |
| 17 | Check: does the UE transmit 4 AMD PDUs with SN and P bit as indicated? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=0, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=1, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=2, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=3, P=1) | ? | ? |
| 18 | Record time T _A when the last PDU is received from the UE. | | | | |
| 19 | The SS does not send any RLC Status Report. | - | - | - | - |
| 20 | Check 1: does the UE transmit SR on PUCCH? Record time T _B . Check 2: (T _B - T _A) = T_status_retransmit | --> | (SR) | - | - |
| 21 | The SS sends an UL grant size TBSize to the UE. | <-- | (UL grant) | - | - |
| 22 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with SN=3 and P=1. | --> | AMD PDU (SN=3, P=1) | 1 | P |

| | | | | | |
|----|--|-----|--|---|---|
| 23 | The SS transmits an RLC Status Report. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 24 | Check: does the UE transmit a SR on PUCCH within $T_{\text{poll_retransmit}}$ ms? | - | (SR) | ? | F |
| 25 | The SS transmits ($2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$) AMD PDUs with SN=(4, ..., $4+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}-1$) with ($\text{TBSize}-3$) data octets | <-- | AMD PDU (SN=4) AMD PDU (SN=5) ... AMD PDU (SN= $4+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}-1$) | - | - |
| 26 | The SS transmits Poll_PDU UL grants with size TBSize octets in each of them. | <-- | (UL grants) | - | - |
| 27 | Check: Does the UE transmit (Poll_PDU) AMD PDUs with SN as indicated? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=4) AMD PDU (SN=5) ... AMD PDU (SN= $4+\text{Poll_PDU}-1$) | ? | ? |
| 28 | The SS transmits a Status Report with NACK_SN=14 and NACK_SN=15. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 29 | The SS transmits two UL grants with size TBSize octets in each of them. | <-- | (UL grants) | - | - |
| 30 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with SN=4, P=0? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=4, P=0) | - | - |
| 31 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with SN=5, P=0? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=5, P=0) | - | - |
| 32 | The SS transmits Poll_PDU UL grants with size TBSize octets in each of them. | <-- | (UL grants) | - | - |
| 33 | Check: Does the UE transmit (Poll_PDU) AMD PDUs with SN and P bit as indicated? | --> | AMD PDU (SN= $4+\text{Poll_PDU}$, P=0) AMD PDU (SN= $5+\text{Poll_PDU}$, P=0) ... AMD PDU (SN= $4+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}-1$, P=1) | 4 | P |
| 34 | Check: Does the UE transmit (Poll_PDU) AMD PDUs with SN as indicated? | --> | AMD PDU (SN= $4+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$,) AMD PDU (SN= $5+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$) AMD PDU (SN= $6+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$) AMD PDU (SN= $7+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$) | - | - |
| 35 | The SS transmits and AMD PDU with ($\text{TBSize}-3$) data octets. | <-- | AMD PDU | - | - |
| 36 | The SS transmits four UL grants with size TBSize octets in each of them. | <-- | (UL grants) | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 37 shall be repeated for Poll_PDU times. $n=4+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$, $5+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$, $6+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$, $7+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$. Polling bit is only enabled for $n=5+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$ and $n=7+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$. | - | - | - | - |
| 37 | Check: Does the UE transmit (Poll_PDU) AMD PDUs with SN and P bit as indicated? | --> | AMD PDU (SN= $4+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$, P=0) AMD PDU (SN= $5+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$, P=1) AMD PDU (SN= $6+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$, P=0) AMD PDU (SN= $7+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$, P=1) | 5 | P |
| 38 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU to the UE. This PDU acknowledges PDUs up to $7+2 \times \text{Poll_PDU}$. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |

7.2.3.13.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.14 AM RLC / In sequence delivery of upper layers PDUs

7.2.3.14.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE receives duplicate AMD PDUs }  
  then { UE discards the duplicate AMD PDUs }  
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE receives an AMD PDU with a SN gap }  
  then { UE sends STATUS PDU to request retransmissions of PDUs in the SN gap }  
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE receives PDUs within a SN gap }  
  then { RLC reassembles and reorders the AMD PDUs and deliver them to the upper layer in sequence }  
}
```

7.2.3.14.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clause 4.2.1.3.3.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.3]

When the receiving side of an AM RLC entity receives RLC data PDUs, it shall:

- detect whether or not the RLC data PDUs have been received in duplication, and discard duplicated RLC data PDUs;
- reorder the RLC data PDUs if they are received out of sequence;
- detect the loss of RLC data PDUs at lower layers and request retransmissions to its peer AM RLC entity;
- reassemble RLC SDUs from the reordered RLC data PDUs and deliver the RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence.

...

7.2.3.14.3 Test description

7.2.3.14.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.2.3.14.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.14.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU carries SDU#1. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 | | |
| 2 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU carries SDU#1. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 | - | - |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#1? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 4 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU contains SDU#2, and the 1 st part of SDU#3. | <-- | AMD PDU#2 | - | - |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | P |
| 6 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU contains SDU#2, and the 1 st part of SDU#3. | <-- | AMD PDU#2 | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | F |
| 8 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU contains the 2 nd part of SDU#3. | <-- | AMD PDU#3 | - | - |
| 9 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#3? | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 1 | P |
| 10 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU contains the last part of SDU#6. | <-- | AMD PDU#6 | - | - |
| 11 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU contains SDU#5, and the 1 st part of SDU#6. | <-- | AMD PDU#5 | - | - |
| 12 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU carries SDU#4 and the 1 st part of SDU#5. | <-- | AMD PDU#4 | - | - |
| 13 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#4? | --> | (RLC SDU#4) | 3 | P |
| 14 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#5? | --> | (RLC SDU#5) | 3 | P |
| 15 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#6? | --> | (RLC SDU#6) | 3 | P |
| 16 | The SS transmits an AMD RLC PDU [FFS] bytes to the UE. This PDU contains the last part of SDU#9. | <-- | AMD PDU#9 | - | - |
| 17 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU NACK_SN/E1/E2 fields set correctly to inform SS of missing PDUs #7, #8, (ACK_SN =10, NACK_SN = 7, NACK_SN = 8).? | --> | STATUS PDU | 2 | P |
| 18 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU contains SDU#8, and the 1 st part of SDU#9. | <-- | AMD PDU#8 | - | - |
| 19 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU to the UE. This PDU carries SDU#7. | <-- | AMD PDU#7 | - | - |
| 20 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#7? | --> | AMD PDU#7 | 3 | P |
| 21 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#8? | --> | AMD PDU#8 | 3 | P |
| 22 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#9? | --> | AMD PDU#9 | 3 | P |

7.2.3.14.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.15 AM RLC / Re-ordering of RLC PDU segments

7.2.3.15.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives RLC AM PDU segments }
  then { UE reorders RLC AMD PDU segments received out of sequence }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { T_reordering expires }
  then { Set VR(MS) to SN >= T_reordering state variable. For first AMD PDU where not all SDU
Segments have been received }
}

```

(3)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state when T_reordering expires }
ensure that {
  when { VR(H) > VR(MS) }
  then { start T_reordering timer and set VR(X) to VR(H) }
}

```

7.2.3.15.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clauses 4.2.1.3.3, 5.1.3.2.1, 5.1.3.2.2, 5.1.2.3.3 and 5.1.2.3.4.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.3]

When the receiving side of an AM RLC entity receives RLC data PDUs, it shall:

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- detect the loss of RLC data PDUs at lower layers and request retransmissions to its peer AM RLC entity;
- reassemble RLC SDUs from the reordered RLC data PDUs and deliver the RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence.

...

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.2.1]

The receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall maintain a receiving window according to state variables VR(R) and VR(MR) as follows:

- a SN falls within the receiving window if $VR(R) \leq SN < VR(MR)$;
- a SN falls outside of the receiving window otherwise.

When receiving a RLC data PDU from lower layer, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- either discard the received RLC data PDU or place it in the reception buffer (see sub clause 5.1.3.2.2);
- if the received RLC data PDU was placed in the reception buffer:
 - update state variables, reassemble and deliver RLC SDUs to upper layer and start/stop T_reordering as needed (see sub clause 5.1.3.2.3).

When T_reordering expires, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- update state variables and start T_reordering as needed (see sub clause 5.1.3.2.4).

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.2.2]

When a RLC data PDU is received from lower layer, where the RLC data PDU contains byte segment numbers y to z of an AMD PDU with SN = x, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if x falls outside of the receiving window; or
- if byte segment numbers y to z of the AMD PDU with SN = x have been received before:
 - discard the received RLC data PDU;
- otherwise:
 - place the received RLC data PDU in the reception buffer;

- if some byte segments of the AMD PDU contained in the RLC data PDU have been received before:
 - discard the duplicate byte segments.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.2.3]

When a RLC data PDU with SN = x is placed in the reception buffer, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if all byte segments of the AMD PDU with SN = VR(MS) are received:
 - update VR(MS) to the SN of the first AMD PDU with SN > current VR(MS) for which not all byte segments have been received;
- if x = VR(R):
 - if all byte segments of the AMD PDU with SN = VR(R) are received:
 - update VR(R) to the SN of the first AMD PDU with SN > current VR(R) for which not all byte segments have been received;
 - update VR(MR) to the updated VR(R) + AM_Window_Size;
 - reassemble RLC SDUs from any byte segments of AMD PDUs with SN that falls outside of the receiving window and in-sequence byte segments of the AMD PDU with SN = VR(R), remove RLC headers when doing so and deliver the reassembled RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence if not delivered before;
- if x >= VR(H)
 - update VR(H) to x+ 1;
- if T_reordering is running:
 - if VR(X) = VR(R); or
 - if VR(X) falls outside of the receiving window:
 - stop and reset T_reordering;
 - set VR(X) to NULL;
- if T_reordering is not running (includes the case T_reordering is stopped due to actions above):
 - if the VR (H) > VR(R):
 - start T_reordering;
 - set VR(X) to VR(H).

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.2.4]

When T_reordering expires, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- update VR(MS) to the SN of the first AMD PDU with SN >= VR(X) for which not all byte segments have been received;
- if VR(H) > VR(MS):
 - start T_reordering;
 - set VR(X) to VR(H);
- otherwise:
 - set VR(X) to NULL.

7.2.3.15.3 Test description

7.2.3.15.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with a loop back size of 102 bytes.

7.2.3.15.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.15.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits 1 RLC PDU of 100 data bytes to the UE. SN=7 indicates the loss of 7 PDUs. The P-bit is set. | <-- | AMD PDU#8 | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU#1. SO=0 and LSF=0. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 segment 1 | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 2 of PDU#2. SO=50 and LSF=1. | <-- | AMD PDU#2 segment 2 | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU#3. SO=0 and LSF=0. | <-- | AMD PDU#3 segment 1 | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 2 of PDU#4. SO=50 and LSF=1. | <-- | AMD PDU#4 segment 2 | - | - |
| 6 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU#4. SO=0 and LSF=0. | <-- | AMD PDU#4 segment 1 | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 2 of PDU#1. SO=50 and LSF=1. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 segment 2 | - | - |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit an RLC SDU with same content as received in the corresponding DL PDU segments? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU#2. SO=0 and LSF=0. | <-- | AMD PDU#2 segment 1 | - | - |
| 10 | Check: does the UE transmit an RLC SDU with the same PDU content as received in the corresponding DL PDU segments? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | P |
| 11 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU#3. SO=50 and LSF=1. | <-- | AMD PDU#3 segment 2 | | |
| 12 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with same content as received in the corresponding DL PDU segments? | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 1 | P |
| 13 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with same content as received in the corresponding DL PDU segments? | --> | (RLC SDU#4) | 1 | P |
| 14 | The SS transmits an RLC STATUS PDU to the UE. This PDU acks PDUs up to those including SDU#4. | <-- | STATUS PDU | | |
| 15 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries segment 1 of PDU 7. SO=0 and LSF=0. | <-- | AMD PDU#7 segment 1 | | |
| 16 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries segment 2 of PDU 6. SO=50 and LSF=1. | <-- | AMD PDU#6 segment 2 | | |
| 17 | Wait T_reordering to run out at the UE side | - | | | |
| 18 | Check: does the UE transmit a Status Report with NACK_SN=5 with SOStart=0 and SOEnd=49, and NACK_SN=6 with SOStart=50 and SOEnd=special value, and ACK_SN=5? | --> | STATUS PDU | | P |
| 19 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU#7. SO=50 and LSF=1. | <-- | AMD PDU#7 segment 2 | | |
| 20 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU#6. SO=0 and LSF=0. | <-- | AMD PDU#6 segment 1 | | |
| 21 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data | <-- | AMD PDU#5 | | |

| | | | | | |
|----|---|-----|---------------------|-----|---|
| | bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU#5. SO=0 and LSF=0. | | segment 1 | | |
| 22 | Wait T_reordering to run out at the UE side | - | | | |
| 23 | Check: Does the UE transmit a Status Report with NACK_SN=5 with SOSTart=0 and SOEnd=49, and ACK_SN=8? | --> | STATUS PDU | | P |
| 24 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries part 1 of PDU 5. SO=50 and LSF=1. | <-- | AMD PDU#5 segment 2 | | |
| 25 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with same content as received in the corresponding DL PDU segments? | --> | (RLC SDU#5) | 2,3 | P |
| 26 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with same content as received in the corresponding DL PDU segments? | --> | (RLC SDU#6) | 2,3 | P |
| 27 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with same content as received in the corresponding DL PDU segments? | --> | (RLC SDU#7) | 2,3 | P |
| 29 | The SS transmits an RLC STATUS PDU to the UE. This PDU acks PDUs up to those including SDU#7.. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |

Editor's note: In the table above, the RLC SDUs which are checked in uplink are called "PDUs" in the 'Procedure' column when transmitted in downlink. For consistency, they could be called "RLC SDUs" in both directions.

Editor's note: In the table above, when checking uplink data, the "message" column indicates which data are expected (i.e. which RLC SDU) while the "procedure" column uses a wording which does not indicate any RLC SDU. If the intention is to check the data contents of the PDU in the "message" column, this should be clarified in the "procedure" column.

Editor's note: In steps 14 and 28, the contents of STATUS PDU is not provided.

7.2.3.15.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.16 AM RLC / Re-transmission of RLC PDU without re-segmentation

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.322 v8.3.0.

7.2.3.16.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a STATUS PDU including a NACK_SN for missing AMD PDUs and missing AMD PDUs can
fit into within the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer at the particular transmission
opportunity}
then { UE successfully retransmits missing AMD PDUs without re-segmentation}
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { NACK received for missing AMD PDUs and RETX_COUNT = Max_Retx_Threshold }
then { UE indicates to upper layers that max retransmission has been reached }
}
```

Editor's note: TP2 may be affected by RAN2 #63'bis' discussions

7.2.3.16.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clause 5.2.1.

[TS 36.322 ver 8.2.0 clause 5.2.1]

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity can receive a negative acknowledgement (notification of reception failure by its peer AM RLC entity) for an AMD PDU or a portion of an AMD PDU by the following:

- STATUS PDU from its peer AM RLC entity;
- HARQ delivery failure from the transmitting MAC entity.

When receiving a negative acknowledgement for an AMD PDU or a portion of an AMD PDU by a STATUS PDU from its peer AM RLC entity, the transmitting side of the AM RLC entity shall:

- if the SN of the corresponding AMD PDU falls within the range $VT(A) \leq SN < VT(S)$:
 - consider the AMD PDU or the portion of the AMD PDU for which a negative acknowledgement was received for retransmission.

When receiving a negative acknowledgement for an AMD PDU or a portion of an AMD PDU by HARQ delivery failure notification from the transmitting MAC entity, the transmitting side of the AM RLC entity may:

- if the SN of the corresponding AMD PDU falls within the range $VT(A) \leq SN < VT(S)$:
 - consider the AMD PDU or the portion of the AMD PDU for which a negative acknowledgement was received for retransmission.

When an AMD PDU or a portion of an AMD PDU is considered for retransmission, the transmitting side of the AM RLC entity shall:

- if it is considered for retransmission for the first time:
 - set the RETX_COUNT associated with the AMD PDU to zero;
- else, if it or a portion of it has been delivered to lower layers for transmission since the last increment of RETX_COUNT or $RETX_COUNT = 0$:
 - increment the RETX_COUNT;
- if $RETX_COUNT = Max_Retx_Threshold$:
 - indicate to upper layers that max retransmission has been reached.

When retransmitting an AMD PDU, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if the AMD PDU can entirely fit within the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer at the particular transmission opportunity, deliver the AMD PDU as it is except for the P field (the P field should be set according to sub clause 5.2.2);

...

7.2.3.16.3 Test description

7.2.3.16.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18], with the exceptions as specified in table 7.2.3.16.3.1-1.
- UL SDU size is set to return same size as received in downlink.

Table 7.2.3.16.3.1-1: MAC Settings

| Parameter | Value |
|--------------------|------------|
| DL TBSsize | FFS octets |
| UL TBSsize | DL TBSsize |
| Max_Retx_Threshold | |

7.2.3.16.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.16.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | U - S | Message Sequence Message | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|-------|---|----|---------|
| 1 | The SS transmits 20 RLC SDUs each with an AMD PDU with SN=0 to 19, FI field set to "00" and P field set to "0". | <-- | AMD PDU(SN=0) AMD PDU (SN=1) ... AMD PDU (SN=19) | ? | ? |
| 2 | The SS transmits a grant with TBS=RB Size + RLC header size + MAC header size | <-- | (UL grant) | | |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit 20 RLC SDUs each in an AMD PDU as indicated? | --> | AMD PDU(SN=0, FI=00, P=0) AMD PDU (SN=1, FI=00, P=0) ... AMD PDU (SN=19, FI=00, P=1) | ? | ? |
| 4 | The SS transmits a RLC STATUS PDU. SN_ACK field set to "18", E1 field set to "1", SN_NACK field set to "4", E2 field set to "0", E1 field set to "1", SN_NACK field set to "7", E2 field set to "0", E1 field set to "1", SN_NACK field set to "8", E2 field set to "0" | <-- | STATUS PDU | | |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC PDUs in an AMD PDU with SN "4", FI field set to "00" and P field set to "0"? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=4) | 1 | P |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC PDUs in an AMD PDU with SN "7", FI field set to "00" and P field set to "0"? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=7) | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC PDUs in an AMD PDU with SN "8", FI field set to "00" and P field set to "0"? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=8) | 1 | P |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC PDUs in an AMD PDU with SN "18", FI field set to "00" and P field set to "0"? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=18) | 1 | P |
| 9 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC PDUs in an AMD PDU with SN "19", FI field set to "00" and P field set to "0"? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=19, P=1) | 1 | P |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 10 to 12 shall be repeated Max_Retx_Threshold times | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU. SN_ACK field set to "20", E1 field set to "1", SN_NACK field set to "4", E2 field set to "0", E1 field set to "1", SN_NACK field set to "7", E2 field set to "0" | <-- | STATUS PDU | | |
| 11 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC PDUs in an AMD PDU with SN "4", FI field set to "00" and P field set to "0"? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=4) | 1 | P |
| 12 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC PDUs in an AMD PDU with SN "7", FI field set to "00" and P field set to "0"? | --> | AMD PDU (SN=7) | 1 | P |
| 13 | The SS transmits an UL grant. | <-- | (UL grant) | 2 | P |
| 14 | Check: does UE transmit an AMD PDU with SN=4 or SN=7? | | - | 2 | F |

Editor's note: It should be clarified what is exactly checked with respect to "RLC PDUs in an AMD PDU"

7.2.3.16.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.17 AM RLC / Re-segmentation RLC PDU / SO, FI, LSF

7.2.3.17.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { AMD PDU to be retransmitted does not fit in new allocated TBS }
then { UE segments AMD PDU into AMD PDU segments }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { AMD PDU segment to be retransmitted does not fit in new allocated TBS }
then { UE resegments AMD PDU segment to fit TBS }
}
```

7.2.3.17.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clauses 4.2.1.3.2, 5.2.1, 6.2.1.4 and 6.2.1.5.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.2]

When the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity forms AMD PDUs from RLC SDUs, it shall:

- segment and/or concatenate the RLC SDUs so that the AMD PDUs fit within the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer at the particular transmission opportunity notified by lower layer.

The transmitting side of an AM RLC entity supports retransmission of RLC data PDUs (ARQ):

- if the RLC data PDU to be retransmitted does not fit within the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer at the particular transmission opportunity notified by lower layer, the AM RLC entity can re-segment the RLC data PDU into AMD PDU segments;
- the number of re-segmentation is not limited.

When the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity forms AMD PDUs from RLC SDUs received from upper layer or AMD PDU segments from RLC data PDUs to be retransmitted, it shall:

- include relevant RLC headers in the RLC data PDU.

[TS 36.322 clause 5.2.1]

...

When retransmitting an AMD PDU, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if the AMD PDU can entirely fit within the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer at the particular transmission opportunity:
 - deliver the AMD PDU as it is except for the P field (the P field should be set according to sub clause 5.2.2);
- otherwise:
 - segment the AMD PDU and form a new AMD PDU segment which will fit within the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer at the particular transmission opportunity.

When retransmitting a portion of an AMD PDU, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- segment the portion of the AMD PDU as necessary and form a new AMD PDU segment which will fit within the total size of RLC PDU(s) indicated by lower layer at the particular transmission opportunity.

When forming a new AMD PDU segment, the transmitting side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- only map the Data field of the original AMD PDU to the Data field of the new AMD PDU segment;

- set the header of the new AMD PDU segment in accordance with the description in sub clause 6.;
- set the P field according to sub clause 5.2.2.

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.1.4]

AMD PDU consists of a Data field and an AMD PDU header.

AMD PDU header consists of a fixed part (fields that are present for every AMD PDU) and an extension part (fields that are present for an AMD PDU when necessary). The fixed part of the AMD PDU header itself is byte aligned and consists of a D/C, a RF, a P, a FI, an E and a SN. The extension part of the AMD PDU header itself is byte aligned and consists of E(s) and LI(s).

An AMD PDU header consists of an extension part only when more than one Data field elements are present in the AMD PDU, in which case an E and a LI are present for every Data field element except the last. Furthermore, when an AMD PDU header consists of an odd number of LI(s), four padding bits follow after the last LI

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[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.1.5]

AMD PDU segment consists of a Data field and an AMD PDU segment header.

AMD PDU segment header consists of a fixed part (fields that are present for every AMD PDU segment) and an extension part (fields that are present for an AMD PDU segment when necessary). The fixed part of the AMD PDU segment header itself is byte aligned and consists of a D/C, a RF, a P, a FI, an E, a SN, a LSF and a SO. The extension part of the AMD PDU segment header itself is byte aligned and consists of E(s) and LI(s).

An AMD PDU segment header consists of an extension part only when more than one Data field elements are present in the AMD PDU segment, in which case an E and a LI are present for every Data field element except the last. Furthermore, when an AMD PDU segment header consists of an odd number of LI(s), four padding bits follow after the last LI.

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7.2.3.17.3 Test description

7.2.3.17.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with a loop back size of 102 bytes.

7.2.3.17.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.17.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----------|--|------------------|----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 100 data bytes. This PDU carries SDU#1. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 | | |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU with the same content as received in the corresponding part of DL PDU 1? | --> | AMD PDU(SN=0) | | |
| 3 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU. This PDU nacks the first byte in the AMD PDU with SN=0. NACK_SN=0 with SOStart=0 and SOEnd=0, and ACK_SN=0. | <-- | STATUS PDU | | |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU segment with SO=0, LSF=0 and the same content at the requested position as in the original AMD PDU? | --> | AMD PDU#1 segment 1(SN=0) | 1 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU. SN_ACK=1. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 6 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 100 data bytes. This PDU carries SDU#2. | <-- | AMD PDU#2 | - | - |
| 7 | The UE transmits an AMD PDU which carries SDU#2. | --> | AMD PDU (SN=1) | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU. This PDU nacks the first 10 bytes in the AMD PDU with SN=1. NACK_SN=1 with SOStart=0 and SOEnd=9, and ACK_SN=1. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 9 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU segment with SO=0, LSF=0 and the same content at the requested positions as in the original AMD PDU? | --> | AMD PDU#2 segment 1(SN=1) | 1 | P |
| 10 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU. This PDU nacks the first byte in the AMD PDU with SN=1. NACK_SN=1 with SOStart=2 and SOEnd=6, and ACK_SN=1. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 11 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU segment with SO=2, LSF=0 and the same content at the requested positions as in the original AMD PDU? | --> | AMD PDU#2 segment 2 (SN=1) | 2 | P |
| 12 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU. SN_ACK=2. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 13 | The SS transmits one AMD PDU of 100 bytes. This PDU carries SDU#3. | <-- | AMD PDU#3 | - | - |
| 14 | The UE transmits an AMD PDU which carries SDU#2. | --> | AMD PDU (SN=2) | - | - |
| 15 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU. This PDU nacks the 10 bytes and the last 30 bytes in the AMD PDU with SN=2. NACK_SN=2 with SOStart=50 and SOEnd=59, resp. SOStart=70 and SOEnd='FFFF'H, and ACK_SN=2. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 16a 1 | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU segment with SO=50, LSF=0 and the same content at the requested positions as in the original AMD PDU? | --> | AMD PDU#3 segment 1 (SN=2) | 1 | P |
| 16a 2 | Check : does the UE transmit and AMD PDU segment with SO =70, LSF=1 and the same content at the requested positions as in the original AMD PDU? | --> | AMD PDU#3 segment 2 (SN=2) | 1 | P |
| 16b | Check: does the UE transmit an AMD PDU segment with SO=50, LSF=0 and the same content at the requested positions as in the original AMD PDU? | --> | AMD PDU#3 segment 1 (SN=2) | 1 | P |
| 17 | The SS transmits a STATUS PDU with SN_ACK=3. | <-- | STATUS PDU | - | - |

Editor's note: Steps 16a1, 16a2 and 16b should be updated so as to use a IF/THEN statement (e.g. by having one step only for 16a1 and 16b, then 16a2 would be conditional to LSF received in step 16a1).

7.2.3.17.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.18 AM RLC / Reassembly / AMD PDU reassembly from AMD PDU segments; Segmentation Offset and Last Segment Flag fields

7.2.3.18.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives AM PDUs segments }
  then { UE delivers reassembled RLC SDU to upper layer }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives RLC AM PDUs segments without segment header extension part }
  then { UE correctly handles RLC AMD PDU segments }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives RLC AM PDUs segments with segment header extension part }
  then { UE correctly handles RLC AMD PDU segments }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives duplicate RLC AM PDU segments }
  then { UE discards duplicate RLC AMD PDU segments }
}
```

(5)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives RLC AM PDU segments out of sequence }
  then { UE delivers reassembled RLC SDU to upper layer }
}
```

(6)

```
with { UE in E-UTRAN RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives RLC AMD PDU segments with a gap }
  then { UE transmits STATUS PDU to request retransmission of missing segments }
}
```

7.2.3.18.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.322 clauses 4.2.1.3.3, 6.2.1.4 and 6.2.1.5.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.3]

When the receiving side of an AM RLC entity receives RLC data PDUs, it shall:

- detect whether or not the RLC data PDUs have been received in duplication, and discard duplicated RLC data PDUs;
- reorder the RLC data PDUs if they are received out of sequence;
- detect the loss of RLC data PDUs at lower layers and request retransmissions to its peer AM RLC entity;
- reassemble RLC SDUs from the reordered RLC data PDUs and deliver the RLC SDUs to upper layer in sequence.

...

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.1.4]

AMD PDU consists of a Data field and an AMD PDU header.

AMD PDU header consists of a fixed part (fields that are present for every AMD PDU) and an extension part (fields that are present for an AMD PDU when necessary). The fixed part of the AMD PDU header itself is byte aligned and consists of a D/C, a RF, a P, a FI, an E and a SN. The extension part of the AMD PDU header itself is byte aligned and consists of E(s) and LI(s).

An AMD PDU header consists of an extension part only when more than one Data field elements are present in the AMD PDU, in which case an E and a LI are present for every Data field element except the last. Furthermore, when an AMD PDU header consists of an odd number of LI(s), four padding bits follow after the last LI.

[TS 36.322, clause 6.2.1.5]

AMD PDU segment consists of a Data field and an AMD PDU segment header.

AMD PDU segment header consists of a fixed part (fields that are present for every AMD PDU segment) and an extension part (fields that are present for an AMD PDU segment when necessary). The fixed part of the AMD PDU segment header itself is byte aligned and consists of a D/C, a RF, a P, a FI, an E, a SN, a LSF and a SO. The extension part of the AMD PDU segment header itself is byte aligned and consists of E(s) and LI(s).

An AMD PDU segment header consists of an extension part only when more than one Data field elements are present in the AMD PDU segment, in which case an E and a LI are present for every Data field element except the last. Furthermore, when an AMD PDU segment header consists of an odd number of LI(s), four padding bits follow after the last LI.

...

7.2.3.18.3 Test description

7.2.3.18.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with a loop back size of 102 bytes.

7.2.3.18.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.18.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---------------------------|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 50 data bytes. This PDU carries the 1 st part of SDU#1. This PDU is in error and to be discarded by the UE. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 | - | - |
| 2 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 100 data bytes. The P-bit is set. This PDU carries SDU#2. | <-- | AMD PDU#2 | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmits a STATUS PDU NACK_SN field for missing PDU#1. ACK_SN=2, NACK_SN=0. | --> | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 50 data bytes. This PDU carries segment 1 of PDU#1. SO=0 and LSF=0. | <-- | AMD PDU#1 segment 1 | | |
| 5 | The SS transmits an AMD of 50 data bytes. This PDU carries segment 2 of PDU 1. SO=[tbd] and LSF=1. The P-bit is set. | <-- | AMD PDU #1 segment 2 | | |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU ACK_SN field for the receipt of PDUs up to 2? NACK_SN not provided. | --> | STATUS PDU | 2 | P |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#1? | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 100 data bytes. The P-bit is set. This PDU carries SDU#4. | <-- | AMD PDU#4 | | |
| 10 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU NACK_SN field for receipt of PDU#3? | --> | STATUS PDU | 5 | P |
| 11 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 50 data bytes to the UE. This PDU carries segment 1 of PDU#3. SO=0 and LSF=0. PDU#3 contains SDU#3. | <-- | AMD PDU#3 (P=1) segment 1 | | |
| 12 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU with NACK_SN=3, SOStart=50/SOEnd='FFFF'H? | --> | STATUS PDU | 3,6 | P |
| 13 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 50 data bytes. This PDU carries segment 1 of PDU#3. SO=0 and LSF=0. | <-- | AMD PDU#3 segment 1 | | |
| 14 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 50 data bytes. This PDU carries segment 2 of PDU#3. SO=50 and LSF=1. The P-bit is set. | <-- | AMD PDU#3 segment 2 | | |
| 15 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU ACK_SN field for receipt of PDUs up to 4? NACK_SN not provided. | --> | STATUS PDU | 4 | P |
| 16 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#3? | --> | RLC SDU#3 | 1 | P |
| 17 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#4? | --> | RLC SDU#4 | 1 | P |
| 18 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 50 data bytes. This PDU carries part 2 of PDU#6 SO=50, LSF=1. The P-bit is set. | <-- | AMD PDU#6 segment 2 | | |
| 19 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU NACK_SN, E1/E2 field for receipt of PDU#5 and SOStart=0/SOEnd=49 for segment 1 of PDU#6? | --> | STATUS PDU | 6 | P |
| 20 | The SS transmits an AMD PDU of 100 data bytes. This PDU carries segment 2 of PDU#5. SO=0 and LSF=0, E, LI field. | <-- | AMD PDU#6 segment 1 | | |
| 21 | The SS transmits one RLC PDU of 100 data bytes. This PDU carries segments 1 and 2 of PDU#5. FI=00, SO=0 and LSF=1, E, LI=50. | <-- | AMD PDU 5 segment 1 | | |
| 22 | Check: does the UE transmit a STATUS PDU acknowledging receipt of PDUs up to 6? NACK_SN not provided. | --> | STATUS PDU | 3,5 | P |
| 23 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#5? | --> | (RLC SDU#5) | 1 | P |

| | | | | | |
|----|--|-----|-------------|---|---|
| 24 | Check: does the UE transmit RLC SDU#6? | --> | (RLC SDU#6) | 1 | P |
|----|--|-----|-------------|---|---|

Editor's note: Steps 6, 14 and 22 should be clarified (does the SS check that "NACK_SN" is absent ?).

Editor's note: In the table above, wordings such as "ACK_SN field for receipt of", "NACK_SN for receipt of", etc, should be replaced with actual values.

Editor's note: In step 20, "E, LI field" should be clarified.

7.2.3.18.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.19 AM RLC / Duplicate detection of RLC PDU segments

7.2.3.19.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a RLC data PDU within an AMD PDU segment where byte segments of the original
AMD PDU contained in the RLC data PDU have been received before }
  then { the UE discards the duplicate byte segments }
}
```

7.2.3.19.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.2.2.

[TS 36.322, clause 5.1.3.2.2]

When a RLC data PDU is received from lower layer, where the RLC data PDU contains byte segment numbers y to z of an AMD PDU with SN = x, the receiving side of an AM RLC entity shall:

- if x falls outside of the receiving window; or
- if byte segment numbers y to z of the AMD PDU with SN = x have been received before:
 - discard the received RLC data PDU;
- else:
 - place the received RLC data PDU in the reception buffer;
 - if some byte segments of the AMD PDU contained in the RLC data PDU have been received before:
 - discard the duplicate byte segments.

7.2.3.19.3 Test description

7.2.3.19.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

- The UL RLC SDU size is configured to be the same as received in DL RLC SDUs.

7.2.3.19.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Editor's note: The method to make AMD PDU header invalid is TBD in the test sequence below.

Table 7.2.3.19.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--|---|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS creates 1 RLC SDU of size 100 bytes using 5 SDU segments denoted a to e of each 20 bytes. The SS transmits an AMD PDU segment with poll bit enabled and SN = 0 containing SDU segment a to c. (Note 1) | <-- | AMD PDU segment ((AMD PDU Segment header(P='1', SN='0', LSF='1', SO='0' bytes, E ₁ ='1', LI ₁ ='20', E ₂ ='1', LI ₂ ='20', E ₃ ='0', LI ₃ ='20'), SDU segment a to c) | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits a STATUS PDU. | --> | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 3 | SS ignores ACK of AMD PDU Segment and resends it. (Note 2) | <-- | AMD PDU segment ((AMD PDU Segment header(SN='0', LSF='1', SO='0' bytes, E ₁ ='1', LI ₁ ='20', E ₂ ='1', LI ₂ ='20', E ₃ ='0', LI ₃ ='20'), SDU segment a to c) | 1 | - |
| 4 | SS sends another AMD PDU segment#2 with SN=0 with byte segment numbers d to e. | <-- | AMD PDU segment ((AMD PDU Segment header(SN='0', LSF='1', SO='60' bytes, E ₁ ='1', LI ₁ ='20', E ₂ ='0', LI ₂ ='20'), SDU segment d to e) | 1 | - |
| 5 | Check: Does UE transmit a RLC SDU with same content correspondent to SDU segments a to e as created in step 1? | --> | (RLC SDU) | 1 | P |
| 6 | SS creates 1 RLC SDU of size 100 bytes using 5 SDU segments denoted a to e of each 20 bytes. The SS transmits the SDU byte segments a to d in an AMD PDU segment with poll bit enabled and SN=1. (Note 1) | <-- | AMD PDU segment ((AMD PDU Segment header(P='1', SN='1', LSF='0', SO='0' bytes, E ₁ ='1', LI ₁ ='20', E ₂ ='1', LI ₂ ='20', E ₃ ='1', LI ₃ ='20', E ₄ ='0', LI ₄ ='20'), SDU segment a to d) | - | - |
| 7 | UE transmits a STATUS PDU. | --> | STATUS PDU | - | - |
| 8 | SS ignores ACK of AMD PDU Segment sent in step 5 and resends it. | <-- | AMD PDU segment ((AMD PDU Segment header(SN='1', LSF='0', SO='0' bytes, E ₁ ='1', LI ₁ ='20', E ₂ ='1', LI ₂ ='20', E ₃ ='1', LI ₃ ='20'), SDU segment a to d) | - | - |
| 9 | The SS transmits the SDU byte segments a to b in an AMD PDU segment with SN=1. (Note 2) | <-- | AMD PDU segment ((AMD PDU Segment header(SN='1', LSF='0', SO='0' bytes, E ₁ ='1', LI ₁ ='20', E ₂ ='0', LI ₂ ='20'), SDU segment a to b) | 1 | - |
| 10 | The SS transmits the SDU byte segments c to e in an AMD PDU segment with SN=0. | <-- | AMD PDU segment ((AMD PDU Segment header(SN='1', LSF='0', SO='40' bytes, E ₁ ='1', LI ₁ ='20', E ₂ ='1', LI ₂ ='20', E ₃ ='0', LI ₃ ='20'), SDU segments c to e). | - | - |
| 11 | Check: Does UE transmit a RLC SDU with same content correspondent to SDU segments a to e as created in step 5? (Note 2) | --> | (RLC SDU) | 1 | P |
| Note 1. PDU segments are used when a PDU needs to be retransmitted and the available transport block size has changed since the original transmission. | | | | | |
| Note 2. The duplicated AMD data PDUs/AMD segments are discarded by the UE. | | | | | |

7.2.3.19.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

7.2.3.20 AM RLC / Duplicate detection of RLC PDUs

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.322 v8.3.0.

7.2.3.20.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE is in AM mode and receives duplicated RLC data PDUs having the same sequence number }  
  then { UE discards the duplicated RLC data PDUs }  
}
```

7.2.3.20.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.3.

[TS 36.322, clause 4.2.1.3.3]

When the receiving side of an AM RLC entity receives RLC data PDUs, it shall:

- detect whether or not the RLC data PDUs have been received in duplication, and discard duplicated RLC data PDUs;

7.2.3.20.3 Test description

7.2.3.20.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- The UL RLC SDU size is configured to be the same as received in DL RLC SDUs.

Editor's note: UL RLC SDU size is not a parameter of the generic procedure to bring the UE in test state Loopback Activated. The statement on UL RLC SDU size shall be removed if the default scheduling policy can be used.

7.2.3.20.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.2.3.20.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--------|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS creates 3 RLC SDUs of size 40 bytes segmented into two AMD PDUs each. AMD PDU#1 and AMD PDU#2 belongs to RLC SDU#1, AMD PDU#3 and #4 belongs to RLC SDU#2 and AMD PDU#5 and #6 belongs to RLC SDU#3. SS transmits AMD PDU#1 with SN=0, AMD PDU#2 with SN=1 and AMD PDU#3 twice with SN=2. | <-- | RLC AMD PDU#1 (SN=0) RLC AMD PDU#2 (SN=1) RLC AMD PDU#3 (SN=2) RLC AMD PDU#3 (SN=2) | 1 | - |
| 2 | Check: Does UE transmit RLC SDU#1? (Note 1) | --> | (RLC SDU#1) | 1 | P |
| 3 | SS transmits AMD PDU#4 with SN=3. | <-- | RLC AMD PDU#4 (SN=3) | 1 | - |
| 4 | Check: Does UE transmit RLC SDU#2? | --> | (RLC SDU#2) | 1 | P |
| 5 | SS transmits AMD PDU#6 twice with SN=5. | <-- | RLC AMD PDU#6 (SN=5) RLC AMD PDU#6 (SN=5) | 1 | - |
| 6 | SS transmits AMD PDU#5 twice with SN=4. | <-- | RLC AMD PDU#5 (SN=4) RLC AMD PDU#5 (SN=4) | 1 | - |
| 7 | Check: Does UE transmit RLC SDU#3 once? (Note 2) | --> | (RLC SDU#3) | 1 | P |
| Note 1 | The duplicated AMD PDU#3 have been discarded by the conformant UE in step 1. | | | | |
| Note 2 | The duplicated AMD PDU#5 and AMD PDU#6 have been discarded by the conformant UE in steps 5 and 6. | | | | |

7.2.3.20.3.3 Specific message content

None.

7.3 PDCP

7.3.1 Maintenance of PDCP sequence numbers for radio bearers

7.3.1.1 Maintenance of PDCP sequence numbers (user plane, RLC AM)

7.3.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE transmits a PDCP Data SDU }
  then { UE increments SN with 1 for each transmitted PDU for SN=0 to Maximum_PDCP_SN }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE transmits a PDCP Data SDU and Next_PDCP_TX_SN reach the Maximum_PDCP_SN limit }
  then { UE sets SN to 0 in the next transmitted PDCP SDU }
}

```

7.3.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.323 clause 5.1.1 and 5.1.2.1.

[TS 36.323, clause 5.1.1]

At reception of a PDCP SDU from upper layers, the UE shall:

- associate the PDCP SN corresponding to Next_PDCP_TX_SN to this PDCP SDU;
- start the Discard_Timer associated with this PDCP SDU (if configured);
- perform header compression of the PDCP SDU (if configured) as specified in the subclause 5.5.4;
- perform integrity protection (if applicable), and ciphering (if applicable) using COUNT based on TX_HFN and the PDCP SN associated with this PDCP SDU as specified in the subclause 5.7 and 5.6, respectively;
- increment Next_PDCP_TX_SN by one;
- if Next_PDCP_TX_SN > Maximum_PDCP_SN:
 - set Next_PDCP_TX_SN to 0;
 - increment TX_HFN by one;
- submit the resulting PDCP Data PDU to lower layer.

[TS 36.323, clause 5.1.2.1]

For DRBs mapped on RLC AM, at reception of a PDCP Data PDU from lower layers, the UE shall:

- if received PDCP SN – Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN > Reordering_Window or 0 <= Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN – received PDCP SN < Reordering_Window:
 - if received PDCP SN > Next_PDCP_RX_SN:
 - decipher the PDCP PDU as specified in the subclause 5.6, using COUNT based on RX_HFN - 1 and the received PDCP SN;
 - else:
 - decipher the PDCP PDU as specified in the subclause 5.6, using COUNT based on RX_HFN and the received PDCP SN;
 - perform header decompression (if configured) as specified in the subclause 5.5.5;
 - discard this PDCP SDU;
- else if Next_PDCP_RX_SN – received PDCP SN > Reordering_Window:
 - increment RX_HFN by one;
 - use COUNT based on RX_HFN and the received PDCP SN for deciphering the PDCP PDU;
 - set Next_PDCP_RX_SN to the received PDCP SN + 1;
- else if received PDCP SN – Next_PDCP_RX_SN > Reordering_Window:
 - use COUNT based on RX_HFN – 1 and the received PDCP SN for deciphering the PDCP PDU;
- else if received PDCP SN >= Next_PDCP_RX_SN:
 - use COUNT based on RX_HFN and the received PDCP SN for deciphering the PDCP PDU;
 - set Next_PDCP_RX_SN to the received PDCP SN + 1;
- if Next_PDCP_RX_SN is larger than Maximum_PDCP_SN:
 - set Next_PDCP_RX_SN to 0;
 - increment RX_HFN by one;
- else if received PDCP SN < Next_PDCP_RX_SN:

- use COUNT based on RX_HFN and the received PDCP SN for deciphering the PDCP PDU;
- if the PDCP PDU has not been discarded in the above:
 - perform deciphering and header decompression (if configured) for the PDCP PDU as specified in the subclauses 5.6 and 5.5.5, respectively;
- if a PDCP SDU with the same PDCP SN is stored:
 - discard this PDCP SDU;
- else:
 - store the PDCP SDU;
- if the PDCP PDU received by PDCP is not due to the re-establishment of lower layers:
 - deliver to upper layers in ascending order of the associated COUNT value:
 - all stored PDCP SDU(s) with an associated COUNT value less than the COUNT value associated with the received PDCP SDU;
 - all stored PDCP SDU(s) with consecutively associated COUNT value(s) starting from the COUNT value associated with the received PDCP SDU;
 - set Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN to the PDCP SN of the last PDCP SDU delivered to upper layers;
- else if received PDCP SN = Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN + 1:
 - deliver to upper layers in ascending order of the associated COUNT value:
 - all stored PDCP SDU(s) with consecutively associated COUNT value(s) starting from the COUNT value associated with the received PDCP SDU;
 - set Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN to the PDCP SN of the last PDCP SDU delivered to upper layers.

7.3.1.1.3 Test description

7.3.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator

- Cell 1
- SS PDCP set to Transparent Mode

UE:

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.3.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.3.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Steps 1 and 2 shall be repeated for k=0 to Maximum_PDCP_SN (increment=1). | | | | |
| 1 | SS transmits a PDCP Data PDU on DRB1 containing one IP packet without header compression. | <-- | PDCP Data PDU (SN = k) | | |
| 2 | CHECK: Does UE transmit a PDCP Data PDU with SN=0 for the first iteration and then incremented by 1 at each iteration? | --> | PDCP Data PDU (SN = k) | 1 | P |
| 3 | SS transmits a PDCP Data PDU on DRB1 containing one IP packet without header compression. | <-- | PDCP Data PDU (SN = 0) | | |
| 4 | CHECK: Does UE transmit a PDCP Data PDU with SN=0? | --> | PDCP Data PDU (SN = 0) | 2 | P |
| 5 | SS sends a PDCP Data PDU on DRB1 containing one IP packet without header compression. | <-- | PDCP Data PDU (SN = 1) | | |
| 6 | CHECK: Does UE transmit a PDCP Data PDU with SN=1? | --> | PDCP Data PDU (SN = 1) | 1 | P |

7.3.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

None

7.3.4 PDCP Integrity Protection

7.3.4.1 Integrity protection: Correct functionality of EPS AS integrity algorithms (SNOW3G)

7.3.4.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to achieve functionality of EPS AS integrity algorithms with SNOW3G }
  then { UE performs the integrity protection function in PDCP entities associated with SRBs. }
}

```

7.3.4.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.323 clauses 5.4

[TS 36.323, clause 5.4]

The integrity protection function includes both integrity protection and integrity verification and is performed in PDCP for PDCP entities associated with SRBs.

The integrity protection algorithm and key to be used for PDCP entities are the ones configured by upper layers for each received PDCP PDU [3] and the integrity protection method shall be applied as specified in [6].

The integrity protection function is activated by upper layers [3]. After security activation, the integrity protection function shall be applied to all PDUs including and subsequent to the PDU indicated by upper layers [3] for the downlink and the uplink, respectively.

NOTE: As the RRC message which activates the integrity protection function is itself integrity protected with the configuration included in this RRC message, this message needs first be decoded by RRC before the integrity protection verification could be performed for the PDU in which the message was received.

The parameters that are required by PDCP for integrity protection are defined in [6] and are input to the integrity protection algorithm. The parameters required by PDCP which are provided by upper layers [3] are listed below:

- BEARER (defined as the radio bearer identifier in [6]. It will use the value RB identity –1 as in [3]);
- DIRECTION (direction of the transmission: 0 for uplink, 1 for downlink);
- IK (Integrity Protection Key).

At transmission, the UE computes the value of the MAC-I field and at reception it verifies the integrity of the PDCP PDU by calculating the X-MAC based on the input parameters as specified above. If the calculated X-MAC corresponds to the received MAC-I, integrity protection is verified successfully, otherwise the interaction with upper layers is FFS.

The data unit that is integrity protected is the unciphered data part of the PDU and the PDU header.

7.3.4.1.3 Test description

7.3.4.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle Mode (State 2) according to [18].

7.3.4.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.3.4.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS sends a Paging message to the UE on the appropriate paging block, and including the UE identity in one entry of the IE <i>pagingRecordLists</i> . | - | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 2 | UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU should be set to 0. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU should be set to 0. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message to confirm the successful completion of the connection establishment and to initiate the session management procedure by including the SERVICE REQUEST message. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU should be set to 0. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> message to activate AS security with SNOW3G integrity algorithms protected. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU is set to an authentication code. | <-- | <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> message and establishes the initial security configuration. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU is set to an authentication code. | --> | <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: Does the <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> message from UE passes the SS' integrity protection check? | - | - | 1 | P |

7.3.4.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.3.4.1.4-1 *SecurityModeCommand* message (step 6)

| Derivation Path: 36.331 clause 6.2.2 | | | |
|---|------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rrc-TransactionIdentifier | RRC-TransactionIdentifier-DL | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| securityModeCommand-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| securityConfiguration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| integrityProtAlgorithm | FFS | | |
| cipheringAlgorithm | FFS | | |
| keyIndicator | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

7.3.4.2 Integrity protection: Correct functionality of EPS AS integrity algorithms (AES)

7.3.4.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE is requested to achieve functionality of EPS AS integrity algorithms with AES }  
  then { UE performs the integrity protection function in PDCP entities associated with SRBs. }  
}
```

7.3.4.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.323 clauses 5.4
[TS 36.323, clause 5.4]

The integrity protection function includes both integrity protection and integrity verification and is performed in PDCP for PDCP entities associated with SRBs.

The integrity protection algorithm and key to be used for PDCP entities are the ones configured by upper layers for each received PDCP PDU [3] and the integrity protection method shall be applied as specified in [6].

The integrity protection function is activated by upper layers [3]. After security activation, the integrity protection function shall be applied to all PDUs including and subsequent to the PDU indicated by upper layers [3] for the downlink and the uplink, respectively.

NOTE: As the RRC message which activates the integrity protection function is itself integrity protected with the configuration included in this RRC message, this message needs first be decoded by RRC before the integrity protection verification could be performed for the PDU in which the message was received.

The parameters that are required by PDCP for integrity protection are defined in [6] and are input to the integrity protection algorithm. The parameters required by PDCP which are provided by upper layers [3] are listed below:

- BEARER (defined as the radio bearer identifier in [6]. It will use the value RB identity –1 as in [3]);
- DIRECTION (direction of the transmission: 0 for uplink, 1 for downlink);
- IK (Integrity Protection Key).

At transmission, the UE computes the value of the MAC-I field and at reception it verifies the integrity of the PDCP PDU by calculating the X-MAC based on the input parameters as specified above. If the calculated X-MAC corresponds to the received MAC-I, integrity protection is verified successfully, otherwise the interaction with upper layers is FFS.

The data unit that is integrity protected is the unciphered data part of the PDU and the PDU header.

7.3.4.2.3 Test description

7.3.4.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in Registered, Idle Mode (State 2) according to [18].

7.3.4.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.3.4.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS sends a Paging message to the UE on the appropriate paging block, and including the UE identity in one entry of the IE pagingRecordLists. | <-- | Paging | - | - |
| 2 | UE transmits an RRCConnectionRequest message. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU should be set to 0. | --> | RRCConnectionRequest | - | - |
| 3 | SS transmit an RRCConnectionSetup message. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU should be set to 0. | <-- | RRCConnectionSetup | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an RRCConnectionSetupComplete message to confirm the successful completion of the connection establishment and to initiate the session management procedure by including the SERVICE REQUEST message. (State3) The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU should be set to 0. | --> | RRCConnectionSetupComplete | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a SecurityModeCommand message to activate AS security with AES integrity algorithms protected and without Ciphering. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU is set to an authentication code. | <-- | SecurityModeCommand | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmits a SecurityModeComplete message and establishes the initial security configuration. The MAC-I of this message related PDCP Data PDU is set to an authentication code? | --> | SecurityModeComplete | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: does the SecurityModeComplete message from UE passes the SS' integrity protection check and can be submitted to RRC layer? | - | - | 1 | P |

7.3.4.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.3.4.2.4-1 SecurityModeCommand message (step 6)

| Derivation Path: 36.331 clause 6.2.2 | | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SecurityModeCommand ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rrc-TransactionIdentifier | RRC-TransactionIdentifier-DL | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| securityModeCommand-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| securityConfiguration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| integrityProtAlgorithm | FFS | | |
| cipheringAlgorithm | FFS | | |
| keyIndicator | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

7.3.5 PDCP – Handover

7.3.5.1 PDCP handover / Lossless Handover / Retransmission of PDCP SDU in the uplink

7.3.5.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make a handover by SS }
  then { UE re-transmits uplink PDCP SDUs }
}
```

7.3.5.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.323 clauses 5.5.1.3

The following represent an extraction of the requirements relevant to the test purpose.

[TS 36.323, clause 5.5.1.3]

When upper layers indicate that a handover has occurred, for radio bearers that are mapped on RLC AM the UE shall:

- re-transmit all uplink PDCP SDUs starting from the first PDCP SDU for which the successful delivery of the corresponding PDCP PDU has not been confirmed by lower layers;
- perform header compression if applicable and ciphering as specified in subclauses 5.2 and 5.3 on the PDCP SDUs.

7.3.5.1.3 Test description

7.3.5.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2
- ROHC is not used for headerCompression settings.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- ROHC is not used, according to table 7.3.5.1.3.1-1.

Table 7.3.5.1.3.1-1: headerCompression settings

| Parameter | Value |
|-----------|-------|
| notUsed | NULL |

7.3.5.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.3.5.1.3.2-1 Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS creates a PDCP Data PDU. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "0". | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS is configured no RLC ACK to the UE. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The SS sends the PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) After having send a PDU, the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN by "1". | <-- | PDCP DATA | - | - |
| 4 | Check if the UE sends a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content back to the SS: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received packet | --> | PDCP DATA | - | - |
| 5 | The SS requests UE to make a handover with the <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits a <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the transmit a PDCP SDU in the PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content back to the SS: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received packet? | --> | PDCP DATA | 1 | P |

7.3.5.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.3.5.1.3.3-1 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (Step 5, 7.3.5.1.3.2-1)

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Table 7.3.5.1.3.3-2 *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* (Step 6, 7.3.5.1.3.2-1)

FFS

7.3.5.2 PDCP handover / Lossless handover / PDCP Sequence Number maintenance

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.323 v8.3.0.

7.3.5.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with {UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with default RB using RLC-AM}
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make a lossless handover by SS }
  then { UE retransmits the unacknowledged data }
}

```

7.3.5.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.323 clause 5.5.1.1.

[TS 36.323, clause 5.5.1.1]

When upper layers indicate that a handover has occurred, for radio bearers that are mapped on RLC AM, the UE shall:

- start the Flush_Timer

- perform maintenance of PDCP sequence numbers, header decompression and deciphering as indicated in subclauses 5.1.1.1, 5.2 and 5.3 for PDCP PDUs received from lower layers and store the out-of-sequence PDCP SDUs, if any, in the reordering buffer until it is indicated to submit them to upper layers (Note these SDU are received because of the reset of the lower layer).
- if $(\text{Next_PDCP_RX_SN} - \text{Reordering_Window}) \bmod 4096 > \text{Next_PDCP_RX_SN}$:
 - decrease the value of RX_HFN by one;
- set the variable Next_PDCP_RX_SN to $(\text{Next_PDCP_RX_SN} - \text{Reordering_Window}) \bmod 4096$;
- if the radio bearer is configured by upper layers to send a PDCP status report, compile a status report as indicated below and submit it to lower layers as the first PDCP PDU for the transmission, by:
 - setting the FMS field to the PDCP Sequence Number of the first missing PDCP SDU;
 - if there are more than one missing PDCP SDUs, allocating a Bitmap field of length in bits equal to the number of PDCP Sequence Numbers from and not including the first missing PDCP PDU up to and including the last out-of-sequence PDCP PDU, rounded up to the next multiple of 8;
 - setting as '0' in the corresponding position in the bitmap field all PDCP SDUs that have not been received as indicated by lower layers and optionally, PDCP PDUs for which decompression has failed;
 - indicating in the bitmap field as '1' all other PDCP SDUs.
- reset the header compression protocol in the transmitting and receiving sides of the PDCP entity;
- perform in-order delivery and duplicate elimination in the downlink as specified in subclause 5.5.1.2.1 until the reordering function is finished as indicated in 5.5.1.2.2;
- perform re-transmission of PDCP SDUs in the uplink as specified in subclause 5.5.1.3.

7.3.5.2.3 Test description

7.3.5.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.3.5.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.3.5.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS creates a TCP/IP packet without IP header compression. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "0". | | | - | - |
| 2 | The SS sends a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) Afterwards the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN by "1". | <-- | PDCP DATA | - | - |
| 3 | Check if the UE sends a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content back to the SS: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received TCP/IP packet | --> | PDCP DATA | 1 | P |
| 4 | The SS does not send the RLC ACK to the UE | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | SS generates the <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message as signalled to the UE (parameter values as used in RRC testing). | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Check if UE has completed the RRC connection reconfiguration. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check if the UE retransmits a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content back to the SS: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received TCP/IP packet | --> | PDCP DATA | 1 | P |

7.3.5.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.3.5.2.3.3-1 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 4, Table 7.3.5.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 7.3.5.2.3.3-2 *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* (step 5, Table 7.3.5.2.3.2-1)

FFS

7.3.5.3 PDCP handover/Non-lossless handover PDCP Sequence Number maintenance

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.323 v8.3.0.

Editor's note: This test case should be updated according to CRs in RP-080412. Especially, test purpose and test sequence may be affected by CR3r1 in RP-080412 (new section is added so that UE re-numbers not-discarded PDCP SDUs).

7.3.5.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with {UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with default bearer using RLC-UM}
ensure that {
  when {UE is requested to make a non-lossless handover by SS}
  then { UE sets the PDCP state variable to 0 }
}

```

7.3.5.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.323 clauses 5.5.2.1.
[TS 36.323, clause 5.5.2.1]

When upper layers indicate that a handover has occurred, for DRBs mapped on RLC UM the UE shall:

- perform maintenance of PDCP sequence numbers, header decompression and deciphering as indicated in subclauses 5.1.1.1, 5.2 and 5.3 for PDCP PDUs received from lower layers;
- reset the header compression and de-compression protocol;
- set the variables Next_PDCP_TX_SN, Next_PDCP_RX_SN, TX_HFN and RX_HFN to 0.

7.3.5.3.3 Test description

7.3.5.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].

7.3.5.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.3.5.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS creates a TCP/IP packet without IP header compression. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "0". | --> | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS sends a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-UM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) Afterwards the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN by "1". | <-- | PDCP DATA | - | - |
| 3 | Check if the UE sends a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-UM RB with the following content back to the SS: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received TCP/IP packet | --> | PDCP DATA | 1 | P |
| 4 | SS generates the <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message as signalled to the UE (parameter values as used in RRC testing). | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 5 | Check if UE has completed the RRC connection reconfiguration. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 6 | The SS creates a TCP/IP packet without IP header compression. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "0". | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | The SS sends a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-UM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) Afterwards the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN by "1". | <-- | PDCP DATA | - | - |
| 8 | Check if the UE sends a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-UM RB with the following content back to the SS: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received TCP/IP packet Check if the PDCP SN = 0 | --> | PDCP DATA | 1 | P |

7.3.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.3.5.3.3-1 *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 4, 7.3.5.3.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 7.3.5.3.3-2 *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* (Step 5, 7.3.5.3.3.2-1)

FFS

7.3.5.5 PDCP handover / In-order delivery and duplicate elimination in the downlink

7.3.5.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with default RB using RLC-AM }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make a handover by SS and the timer Flush_Timer is running }
  then { UE achieves in-order delivery and duplicate elimination in the downlink }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with default RB using RLC-AM }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make a handover by SS and the timer Flush_Timer expires }
  then { UE Stops in-order delivery and duplicate elimination in the downlink }
}

```

7.3.5.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.323 clauses 5.5.1.2 and 5.5.1.2.2.

[TS 36.323, clause 5.5.1.2.1]

When a PDCP PDU associated with a PDCP Sequence Number is received from lower layers the UE shall:

- if received PDCP Sequence Number – Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN > Reordering_Window or $0 \leq \text{Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN} - \text{received PDCP Sequence Number} < \text{Reordering_Window}$:
 - if received PDCP Sequence Number > Next_PDCP_RX_SN:
 - decipher the PDCP PDU according to 5.3, using COUNT based on the value of the variable RX_HFN - 1 and the value of the PDCP Sequence Number contained in the SN field of the PDCP PDU header;
 - else
 - decipher the PDCP PDU according to 5.3, using COUNT based on the value of the variable RX_HFN and the value of the PDCP Sequence Number contained in the SN field of the PDCP PDU header;
 - perform header decompression, if configured as specified in 5.2.5;
 - discard this PDCP SDU;
- else if Next_PDCP_RX_SN – received PDCP Sequence Number > Reordering_Window:
 - increment the variable RX_HFN by one;
 - use the COUNT based on the value of the variable RX_HFN and the received PDCP Sequence Number contained in the PDCP SN field for deciphering the PDCP PDU;
 - set the variable Next_PDCP_RX_SN to received PDCP Sequence Number + 1;
- else if received PDCP Sequence Number – Next_PDCP_RX_SN > Reordering_Window:
 - use the COUNT based on the value RX_HFN – 1 and the received PDCP Sequence Number contained in the PDCP SN field for deciphering the PDCP PDU;
- else if received PDCP Sequence Number \geq Next_PDCP_RX_SN:
 - use the COUNT based on the value of the variable RX_HFN and the received PDCP Sequence Number contained in the PDCP SN field for deciphering the PDCP PDU;
 - set the variable Next_PDCP_RX_SN to received PDCP Sequence Number + 1;
 - if the variable Next_PDCP_RX_SN is larger than the Maximum_PDCP_SN:
 - set the variable Next_PDCP_RX_SN to 0;
 - increment the variable RX_HFN by one;
- else if received PDCP Sequence Number < Next_PDCP_RX_SN:
 - use the COUNT based on the value of the variable RX_HFN and the received PDCP Sequence Number contained in the PDCP SN field for deciphering the PDCP PDU;
- if the PDCP PDU has not been discarded in the above:
 - perform deciphering and header decompression as indicated in subclauses 5.2 and 5.3.

- if a PDCP SDU with the same PDCP Sequence Number is stored:
 - discard this PDCP SDU;
- else:
 - store the PDCP SDU for later delivery;
- if the received PDCP PDU is not received due to the re-establishment of the lower layers:
 - submit to upper layer in ascending order of the associated COUNT value:
 - all stored PDCP SDU(s) with an associated COUNT value less than or equal to the COUNT value associated with the received PDCP SDU;
 - all stored PDCP SDU(s) with consecutive associated COUNT value(s) starting from the COUNT value associated with the received PDCP SDU + 1, if any.
- else:
 - set the variable Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN to the PDCP Sequence Number of the last PDCP SDU delivered to upper layers

[TS 36.323, clause 5.5.1.2.2]

If the timer Flush_Timer expires the UE shall:

- deactivate the in-order delivery and duplicate elimination function in the downlink

When the in-order delivery and duplicate elimination function in the downlink is deactivated, the UE shall:

- deliver all stored PDCP SDUs in ascending order of the associated COUNT value to upper layers;
- set the variable Last_Submitted_PDCP_RX_SN to the SN of the last PDCP SDU that was delivered to the upper layers;

7.3.5.5.3 Test description

7.3.5.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2
- ROHC is not used for headerCompression settings.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18].
- ROHC is not used, according to table 7.3.5.5.3.1-1.

Table 7.3.5.5.3.1-1: headerCompression settings

| Parameter | Value |
|-----------|-------|
| notUsed | NULL |

7.3.5.5.3.2

Test procedure sequence

Table 7.3.5.5.3.2-1 Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS creates a PDCP Data PDU#0. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "0". | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS sends the PDCP Data PDU#0 via RLC-AM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) After having sent a PDU, the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN to "1". | <-- | PDCP DATA PDU#0 | - | - |
| 3 | Check: Does the UE transmit a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content back to the SS? D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received packet in PDCP DATA#0 | --> | PDCP DATA PDU | 2 | P |
| 4 | The SS requests UE to make a handover with the <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | The UE transmits a <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message in the new cell. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS creates a PDCP Data PDU#1. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "2". | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | The SS sends the PDCP Data PDU#1 via RLC-AM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) | <-- | PDCP DATA PDU #1 | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit a PDCP DATA PDU? | --> | PDCP DATA PDU | 1 | F |
| 9 | The SS creates a PDCP Data PDU#2. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "2". | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | The SS sends the PDCP Data PDU#2 via RLC-AM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) After having sent a PDU, the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN to "3". | <-- | PDCP DATA PDU #2 | - | - |
| 11 | Check: Does the UE transmit a PDCP DATA PDU? | - | - | 1 | P |
| 12 | The SS creates a PDCP Data PDU#3. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "1". | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | The SS sends the PDCP Data PDU#3 via RLC-AM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) After having sent a PDU, the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN to "2". | <-- | PDCP DATA PDU #3 | - | - |
| 14 | Check: does the UE transmit a PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content back to the SS? D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received packet in PDCP DATA#3 | --> | PDCP DATA PDU | 1 | P |
| 15 | Check: does the UE transmit PDCP Data PDU via RLC-AM RB with the following content back to the SS? D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received packet in PDCP DATA#1 | --> | PDCP DATA PDU | 1 | P |
| 16 | After Flush_Timer expires, the SS creates a PDCP Data PDU#4. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "4". | - | - | - | - |
| 17 | The SS sends the PDCP Data PDU#4 via | <-- | PDCP DATA PDU #4 | - | - |

| | | | | | |
|----|---|-----|------------------|---|---|
| | RLC-AM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) After having sent a PDU, the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN by "5". | | | | |
| 18 | Check: does the UE transmit a PDCP Data PDU without buffering via RLC-AM RB with the following content back to the SS? D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) data: previously received packet in PDCP DATA#4 | --> | PDCP DATA PDU #4 | 2 | P |
| 19 | The SS creates a PDCP Data PDU#5. The Next_PDCP_TX_SN is set to "4". | - | - | - | - |
| 20 | The SS sends the PDCP Data PDU#5 via RLC-AM RB with the following content to the UE: D/C field = 1 (PDCP Data PDU) After having sent a PDU, the SS increments its counter value Next_PDCP_TX_SN to "5". | <-- | PDCP DATA PDU #5 | - | - |

Editor's note: PDCP PDU SN field value should be specified rather than Next_PDCP_TX_SN which is only an internal variable.

7.3.5.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 7.3.5.5.3.3-1 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (Step 4, 7.3.5.5.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 7.3.5.5.3.3-2 RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete (Step 5, 7.3.5.5.3.2-1)

FFS

7.3.6 Others

7.3.6.1 PDCP Discard

7.3.6.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { the Discard Timer for a PDCP SDU expires }
  then { UE discards the corresponding PDCP SDU }
}
```

7.3.6.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.323 clause 5.9.

[TS 36.323, clause 5.9]

When the Discard Timer expires for a PDCP SDU the UE shall discard the PDCP PDU along with the corresponding PDCP SDU. If the corresponding PDCP PDU has already been submitted to lower layers the discard is indicated to lower layers.

7.3.6.1.3 Test description

7.3.6.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- SS PDCP set to Transparent Mode

Editor's note: The above statement shall be clarified.

- SS sets the downlink and uplink shared channel configuration transport block size (TBS) to accommodate one IP packet plus PDCP/RLC/MAC header without padding.

Editor's note: The above statement is not feasible because the UE may always segment a PDCP SDU into several RLC PDUs.

UE:

None.

Preamble

- The UE is in state Loopback Activated (state 4) according to [18] with the exceptions as specified in table 7.3.6.1.3.1-1.

Table 7.3.6.1.3.1-1: PDCP Settings

| Parameter | Value |
|---------------|-------------|
| Discard_Timer | FFS seconds |

Editor's note: Specific message contents for procedure in 36.508 shall be defined.

7.3.6.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 7.3.6.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--------------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS sends 10 IP packets without header compression which are transmitted in 10 PDCP Data PDUs on DRB1 | <-- | 10 PDCP Data PDUs (SN = 0 to SN = 9) | - | - |
| 2 | SS schedules an uplink grant to enable the UE to return one PDCP Data PDU in uplink | <-- | (UL Grant) | - | - |
| 3 | CHECK: Does UE return a PDCP Data PDU with SN=0? | --> | PDCP Data PDU (SN = 0) | 1 | P |
| 4 | SS waits for time equal to Discard_Timer+ 10 TTIs and ignores any UL scheduling requests from the UE. | - | | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: Steps 5 to 6 shall be repeated for 10s | - | | - | - |
| 5 | SS continuously schedules uplink grants to enable transmission of PDCP Data PDUs in uplink | - | (UL Grant) | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit any PDCP Data PDU? | --> | PDCP Data PDU | 1 | F |

Editor's note: It is FFS if the monitoring of PDCP Data PDUs (steps 5 and 6) for should be replaced with checking that UE is not sending any scheduling requests.

7.3.6.1.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

8 Radio Resource Control RRC

Editor's Note: This section is based on TS 36.331 v8.2.0. + R2-083795.

8.1 RRC Connection management procedures

8.1.1 Paging

8.1.1.1 RRC / Paging for Connection in idle mode

Editor's note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.1.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a Paging message including an IE ue-Identity set an unmatched S-TMSI i.e. other
than the one allocated to the UE at the UE registration procedure }
  then { UE does not establish an RRC connection }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a Paging message including an IE ue-Identity set to the S-TMSI which was
allocated to the UE at the UE registration procedure }
  then { UE establishes an RRC connection }
}
```

8.1.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.2.3, 5.3.3.2, 5.3.3.3 and 5.3.3.4.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.2.3]

Upon receiving the *Paging* message, the UE shall:

- 1> If in RRC_IDLE, for each of the Paging records included in the *Paging* message:
- 2> If the *ue-identity* included in the *pagingRecordList* matches one of the UE identities allocated by upper layers:
- 3> forward the *ue-Identity*, the *cn-Domain* and the *pagingCause* to the upper layers.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2]

The UE initiates the procedure when upper layers request establishment of an RRC connection while the UE is in RRC_IDLE state.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

...

1> If access to the cell, as specified above, is not barred:

- 2> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
- 2> start timer T300;
- 2> initiate transmission of the *RRCConnectionRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.3.3;

NOTE 2: Upon initiating the connection establishment procedure, the UE is not required to ensure it maintains up to date system information applicable only for UEs in RRC_IDLE state. However, the UE needs to perform system information acquisition upon re-selection.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.3]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCConnectionRequest* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *ue-Identity* as follows:
 - 2> if upper layers provide an S-TMSI:
 - 3> set the *ue-Identity* to the value received from upper layers;
 - 2> else
 - 3> draw a random value and set the *ue-Identity* to this value;

NOTE 1 Upper layers provide the S-TMSI if the UE is registered in the TA of the current cell.

- 1> Set the *establishmentCause* in accordance with the information received from upper layers;

The UE shall submit the *RRCConnectionRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

The UE shall continue cell re-selection related measurements as well as cell re-selection evaluation. If the conditions for cell re-selection are fulfilled, the UE shall perform cell re-selection as specified in 5.3.3.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.4]

NOTE: Prior to this, lower layers allocate a C-RNTI. For further details see TS 36.321 [6];

The UE shall:

- 1> establish SRB1 in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfiguration* and as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> If stored, discard the Inter-frequency priority information and the Inter-RAT priority information provided via dedicated signalling using the IE *idleModeMobilityControlInfo*;
- 1> stop timer T300;
- 1> stop timer T302, if running;
- 1> stop timer T303, if running;
- 1> stop timer T305, if running;
- 1> stop timer T320, if running;
- 1> enter RRC_CONNECTED state;
- 1> stop the cell re-selection procedure;
- 1> set the content of *RRCConnectionSetupComplete* message as follows:
 - 2> set the *selectedPLMN-Identity* to the PLMN selected by upper layers [TS 23.122, TS 24.008] from the PLMN(s) included in the *plmn-IdentityList* broadcast, within *SystemInformationBlockType1*, in the cell where the RRC connection was established;

- 2> if upper layers provide the 'Registered MME', set the *registeredMME* as follows:
 - 3> if the PLMN identity of the '*Registered MME*' is different from the PLMN selected by the upper layers, set the IE *plmnIdentity* to the value received from upper layers;
 - 3> set the IEs *mmegi* and *mmec* to the value received from upper layers;
- 2> set the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to include the information received from upper layers;
- 2> submit the *RRCConnectionSetupComplete* message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

8.1.1.1.3 Test description

8.1.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode(state 2) according to [18].

8.1.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------------------------------|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including an unmatched identity (incorrect S-TMSI). | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> message within 5s? | --> | <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | F |
| 3 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including a matched identity. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit an <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> message? | --> | <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> | 2 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmit an <i>RRCConnectionSetup</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit an <i>RRCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message to confirm the successful completion of the connection establishment? | --> | <i>RRCConnectionSetupComplete</i> | 2 | P |
| 7 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | 1, 2 | |

8.1.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.1.1.1.3.3-1: *Paging* (step 1, Table 8.1.1.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-7 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| Paging ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| pagingRecordList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPageRec)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| ue-Identity[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| s-TMSI SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mmec | Set to the different value from the S-TMSI of the UE | | |
| m-TMSI | Set to the different value from the S-TMSI of the UE | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| pagingCause[1] | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.1.1.3.3-2: *RRCCONNECTIONRequest* (step 4, Table 8.1.1.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-15 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCCONNECTIONRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| establishmentCause | mt-Access | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.1.2 RRC / Paging for notification of BCCH modification in idle mode

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

Editor's Note: The test procedure sequence should be modified because the UE can not answer to paging while T302 is running, so a conformant UE can not pass the test case as it is now. An alternative testing method could be that the SS does not answer for T300 (range is 100ms to 2s), so that the UE resumes acting on paging messages.

8.1.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a Paging message including an IE systemInfoModification }
  then { UE re-acquires and applies the new system information }
}

```

8.1.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.2.3, 5.2.2.3, and 5.2.2.4.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.2.3]

Upon receiving the *Paging* message, the UE shall:

- 1> If in RRC_IDLE, for each of the Paging records included in the *Paging* message:
 - 2> If the *ue-identity* included in the *pagingRecordList* matches one of the UE identities allocated by upper layers:
 - 3> forward the *ue-Identity*, the *cn-Domain* and the *pagingCause* to the upper layers.
- 1> If the *systemInfoModification* is included:
 - 2> re-acquire the required system information using the system information acquisition procedure as specified in 5.2.2.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.2.2.3]

The UE shall

- 1> ensure having a valid version, as defined below, of (at least) the following system information, also referred to as the 'required' System Information:
 - 2> if in RRC_IDLE:
 - 3> the *MasterInformationBlock* and *SystemInformationBlockType1* messages as well as *SystemInformationBlockType2* through *SystemInformationBlockType8*, depending on support of the concerned RATs, and *SystemInformationBlockType9*;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.2.2.4]

The UE shall

- 1> if the procedure is triggered by a system information change notification:
 - 2> start acquiring the required system information, as defined in 5.2.2.3, from the beginning of the modification period following the one in which the change notification was received;

...

The UE may apply the received SIBs immediately i.e. the UE does not need to delay using a SIB until all SI messages have been received.

8.1.1.2.3 Test description

8.1.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode state (state 2) according to [18].

8.1.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including matched identity. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> message? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREJECT</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREJECT</i> | - | - |
| 4 | The SS changes the <i>prach-ConfigurationIndex</i> in the system information | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including <i>systemInfoModification</i> . | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Wait for [X] ms for UE to receive system information. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including matched identity. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> message? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> | 1 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREJECT</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREJECT</i> | - | - |
| 10 | Check: the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state on Cell 1. NOTE: T302 (Reception of <i>RRCCONNECTIONREJECT</i> including the IE wait Time) should be long enough so that this should be executed before the expiry of T302 | - | - | 1 | |

8.1.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.1.1.2.3.3-1: *RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST* (step 2 and step 8, Table 8.1.1.2.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-15 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| establishmentCause | mt-Access | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.1.2.3.3-2: *Paging* (step 5, Table 8.1.1.2.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-5 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>Paging</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| pagingRecordList | Not present | | |
| systemInfoModification | true | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.1.2.3.3-3: SystemInformationBlockType2 (step 6, Table 8.1.1.2.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.4.3.3-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| radioResourceConfigCommon SEQUENCE { | | | |
| prach-Configuration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| prach-ConfigurationIndex | FFS | Set to index which denote subframe numbers different from the default one. | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.1.3 RRC / Paging for Connection in idle mode (multiple paging records)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.1.1.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a Paging message including only unmatched identities }
  then { UE does not establish any RRC connection }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a Paging message including any matched identity }
  then { UE establishes an RRC connection }
}
```

8.1.1.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.2.3, 5.3.3.2, 5.3.3.3 and 5.3.3.4.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.2.3]

Upon receiving the *Paging* message, the UE shall

- 1> If in RRC_IDLE, for each of the Paging records included in the *Paging* message:
 - 2> If the *ue-identity* included in the *pagingRecordList* matches one of the UE identities allocated by upper layers:
 - 3> forward the *ue-Identity*, the *cn-Domain* and the *pagingCause* to the upper layers.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2]

The UE initiates the procedure when upper layers request establishment of an RRC connection while the UE is in RRC_IDLE state.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

...

- 1> If access to the cell, as specified above, is not barred:

2> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;

2> start timer T300;

2> initiate transmission of the *RRCConnectionRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.3.3;

NOTE 2: Upon initiating the connection establishment procedure, the UE is not required to ensure it maintains up to date system information applicable only for UEs in RRC_IDLE state. However, the UE needs to perform system information acquisition upon re-selection.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.3]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCConnectionRequest* message as follows:

1> set the IE *ue-Identity* as follows:

2> if upper layers provide an S-TMSI:

3> set the *ue-Identity* to the value received from upper layers;

2> else

3> draw a random value and set the *ue-Identity* to this value;

NOTE 1 Upper layers provide the S-TMSI if the UE is registered in the TA of the current cell.

1> Set the *establishmentCause* in accordance with the information received from upper layers;

The UE shall submit the *RRCConnectionRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

The UE shall continue cell re-selection related measurements as well as cell re-selection evaluation. If the conditions for cell re-selection are fulfilled, the UE shall perform cell re-selection as specified in 5.3.3.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.4]

NOTE: Prior to this, lower layers allocate a C-RNTI. For further details see TS 36.321 [6];

The UE shall:

1> establish SRB1 in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfiguration* and as specified in 5.3.10;

1> If stored, discard the Inter-frequency priority information and the Inter-RAT priority information provided via dedicated signalling using the IE *idleModeMobilityControlInfo*;

1> stop timer T300;

1> stop timer T302, if running;

1> stop timer T303, if running;

1> stop timer T305, if running;

1> stop timer T320, if running;

1> enter RRC_CONNECTED state;

1> stop the cell re-selection procedure;

1> set the content of *RRCConnectionSetupComplete* message as follows:

2> set the *selectedPLMN-Identity* to the PLMN selected by upper layers [TS 23.122, TS 24.008] from the PLMN(s) included in the *plmn-IdentityList* broadcast, within *SystemInformationBlockType1*, in the cell where the RRC connection was established;

2> if upper layers provide the 'Registered MME', set the *registeredMME* as follows:

- 3> if the PLMN identity of the 'Registered MME' is different from the PLMN selected by the upper layers, set the IE *plmnIdentity* to the value received from upper layers;
- 3> set the IEs *mmegi* and *mmec* to the value received from upper layers;
- 2> set the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to include the information received from upper layers;
- 2> submit the *RRCConnectionSetupComplete* message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

8.1.1.3.3 Test description

8.1.1.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

8.1.1.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.1.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including only unmatched identities (incorrect IMSI). | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | 1 | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> message for [X]s. | --> | <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | F |
| 3 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including two unmatched identities and a matched identity. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | 2 | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> | 2 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCConnectionSetup</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message to confirm the successful completion of the connection establishment. | --> | <i>RRCConnectionSetupComplete</i> | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state. | - | - | 1,2 | P |

8.1.1.3.3.3

Specific message contents

Table 8.1.1.3.3.3-1: Paging (step 1, Table 8.1.1.3.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-5 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| Paging ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| pagingRecordList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPageRec)) OF SEQUENCE { | 3 entries | | |
| ue-Identity[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| imsi | Set to the different value from the IMSI of the UE | | |
| } | | | |
| pagingCause[1] | FFS | | |
| ue-Identity[2] CHOICE { | | | |
| imsi | Set to the different value from the IMSI of the UE | | |
| } | | | |
| pagingCause[2] | FFS | | |
| ue-Identity[3] CHOICE { | | | |
| imsi | Set to the different value from the IMSI of the UE | | |
| } | | | |
| pagingCause[3] | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.1.3.3.3-2: Paging (step 3, Table 8.1.1.3.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-5 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| Paging ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| pagingRecordList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPageRec)) OF SEQUENCE { | 3 entries | | |
| ue-Identity[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| imsi | Set to the different value from the IMSI of the UE | | |
| } | | | |
| pagingCause[1] | FFS | | |
| ue-Identity[2] CHOICE { | | | |
| imsi | Set to the different value from the IMSI of the UE | | |
| } | | | |
| pagingCause[2] | FFS | | |
| ue-Identity[3] CHOICE { | | | |
| imsi | Set to the value of the IMSI of the UE | | |
| } | | | |
| pagingCause[3] | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.1.3.3.3-3: *RRCConnectionRequest* (step 4, Table 8.1.1.3.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-15 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| <i>criticalExtensions</i> CHOICE { | | | |
| <i>rrcConnectionRequest-r8</i> SEQUENCE { | | | |
| <i>establishmentCause</i> | mt-Access | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.1.4 RRC / Paging for Connection in idle mode (Shared Network environment)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.1.1.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having been registered in the TA of the current cell which has
broadcasted a SystemInformationBlockType1 message including multiple PLMN identities }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a Paging message including an IE ue-Identity set to the S-TMSI which was
allocated to the UE at the UE registration procedure }
  then { UE establishes an RRC connection }
}

```

8.1.1.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.2.3, 5.3.3.2, 5.3.3.3 and 5.3.3.4.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.2.3]

Upon receiving the *Paging* message, the UE shall:

- 1> If in RRC_IDLE, for each of the *Paging* records included in the *Paging* message:
 - 2> If the *ue-identity* included in the *pagingRecordList* matches one of the UE identities allocated by upper layers:
 - 3> forward the *ue-Identity*, the *cn-Domain* and the *pagingCause* to the upper layers.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2]

The UE initiates the procedure when upper layers request establishment of an RRC connection while the UE is in RRC_IDLE state.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

...

- 1> If access to the cell, as specified above, is not barred:
 - 2> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
 - 2> start timer T300
 - 2> initiate transmission of the *RRCConnectionRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.3.3;

NOTE 2: Upon initiating the connection establishment procedure, the UE is not required to ensure it maintains up to date system information applicable only for UEs in RRC_IDLE state. However, the UE needs to perform system information acquisition upon re-selection.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.3]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCCConnectionRequest* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *ue-Identity* as follows:
 - 2> if upper layers provide an S-TMSI:
 - 3> set the *ue-Identity* to the value received from upper layers;
 - 2> else
 - 3> draw a random value and set the *ue-Identity* to this value;

NOTE 1 Upper layers provide the S-TMSI if the UE is registered in the TA of the current cell.

- 1> Set the *establishmentCause* in accordance with the information received from upper layers;

The UE shall submit the *RRCCConnectionRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

The UE shall continue cell re-selection related measurements as well as cell re-selection evaluation. If the conditions for cell re-selection are fulfilled, the UE shall perform cell re-selection as specified in 5.3.3.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.4]

NOTE: Prior to this, lower layers allocate a C-RNTI. For further details see TS 36.321 [6];

The UE shall:

- 1> establish SRB1 in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfiguration* and as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> If stored, discard the Inter-frequency priority information and the Inter-RAT priority information provided via dedicated signalling using the IE *idleModeMobilityControlInfo*;
- 1> stop timer T300;
- 1> stop timer T302, if running;
- 1> stop timer T303, if running;
- 1> stop timer T305, if running;
- 1> stop timer T320, if running;
- 1> enter RRC_CONNECTED state;
- 1> stop the cell re-selection procedure;
- 1> set the content of *RRCCConnectionSetupComplete* message as follows:
 - 2> set the *selectedPLMN-Identity* to the PLMN selected by upper layers [TS 23.122, TS 24.008] from the PLMN(s) included in the *plmn-IdentityList* broadcast, within *SystemInformationBlockType1*, in the cell where the RRC connection was established;
 - 2> if upper layers provide the 'Registered MME', set the *registeredMME* as follows:
 - 3> if the PLMN identity of the 'Registered MME' is different from the PLMN selected by the upper layers, set the IE *plmnIdentity* to the value received from upper layers;
 - 3> set the IEs *mmegi* and *mmec* to the value received from upper layers;
 - 2> set the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to include the information received from upper layers;

- 2> submit the *RRConnectionSetupComplete* message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

8.1.1.4.3 Test description

8.1.1.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

8.1.1.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.1.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including a matched identity. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRConnectionRequest</i> message? | --> | <i>RRConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmit an <i>RRConnectionSetup</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRConnectionSetupComplete</i> message including an IE <i>selectedPLMN-Identity</i> corresponding to the PLMN on which the UE has been registered to confirm the successful completion of the connection establishment? | --> | <i>RRConnectionSetupComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 5 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | 1 | - |

8.1.1.4.3.3 Specific message contents

Editors note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure

Table 8.1.1.4.3.3-1: SystemInformationBlockType1 (all steps, Table 8.1.1.4.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.4.3.2-3 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType1 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| cellAccessRelatedInformation SEQUENCE { | | | |
| plmn-IdentityList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..6)) OF SEQUENCE { | 2 entries | | |
| plmn-Identity[1] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mcc | FFS | | |
| mnc | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| cellReservedForOperatorUse[1] | notReserved | | |
| Plmn-Identity[2] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mcc | FFS | | |
| mnc | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| cellReservedForOperatorUse[2] | notReserved | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.1.4.3.3-2: RRCConnectionRequest (step 2, Table 8.1.1.4.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-15 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| establishmentCause | mt-Access | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.1.4.3.3-3: RRCConnectionSetupComplete (step 4, Table 8.1.1.4.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-17 | | | |
|---|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionSetupComplete ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionSetupComplete-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| selectedPLMN-Identity | Set to the PLMN selected by upper layers | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.2 RRC Connection Establishment

8.1.2.1 RRC Connection Establishment: Success

8.1.2.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with {UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state}
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make an outgoing call }
  then { UE establishes an RRC Connection }

```

}

8.1.2.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.3.2, 5.3.3.3 and 5.3.3.4.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2]

The UE initiates the procedure when upper layers request establishment of a signalling connection while the UE is in RRC_IDLE state.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

...

- 1> If access to the cell, as specified above, is not barred:
 - 2> apply the default physical channel configuration as specified in 9.2.4, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
 - 2> apply the default semi-persistent scheduling configuration as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
 - 2> apply the default transport channel configuration as specified in 9.2.2, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
 - 2> apply the CCCH configuration as specified in 9.1.1.2;
 - 2> start timer T300;
 - 2> initiate transmission of the *RRCCConnectionRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.3.3.

NOTE 2 Upon initiating the connection establishment procedure, the UE is not required to ensure it maintains up to date system information applicable only for UEs in RRC_IDLE state. However, the UE needs to perform system information acquisition upon re-selection.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.3]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCCConnectionRequest* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *ue-Identity* as follows:
 - 2> if upper layers provide an S-TMSI:
 - 3> set the *ue-Identity* to the value received from upper layers;
 - 2> else
 - 3> draw a random value and set the *ue-Identity* to this value;

NOTE 1 Upper layers provide the S-TMSI if the UE is registered in the TA of the current cell.

- 1> Set the *establishmentCause* in accordance with the information received from upper layers;

The UE shall submit the *RRCCConnectionRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.4]

...

The UE shall:

- 1> establish SRB1 in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfiguration* and as specified in 5.3.10;

- 1> If stored, discard the Inter-frequency priority information and the Inter-RAT priority information provided via dedicated signalling using the IE *idleModeMobilityControlInfo*;
- 1> stop timer T300;
- 1> stop timer T302, if running;
- 1> stop timer T303, if running;
- 1> stop timer T305, if running;
- 1> stop timer T320, if running;
- 1> Enter RRC_CONNECTED state.
- 1> stop the cell re-selection procedure;
- 1> set the contents of *RRCConnectionSetupComplete* message as follows:
 - 2> set the *selectedPLMN-Identity* to the PLMN selected by upper layers [TS 23.122, TS 24.008] from the PLMNs included in the *plmn-IdentityList* broadcast, within *SystemInformationBlockType1*, in the cell where the RRC connection was established;
 - 2> if upper layers provide the 'Registered MME', set the *registeredMME* as follows:
 - 3> if the PLMN identity of the 'Registered MME' is different from the PLMN selected by the upper layers, set the IE *plmnIdentity* to the value received from upper layers;
 - 3> set the IEs *mmegi* and *mmec* to the value received from upper layers; 2> set the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to include the information received from upper layers;
 - 2> set the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to include the information received from upper layers;
 - 2> submit the *RRCConnectionSetupComplete* message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

8.1.2.1.3 Test description

8.1.2.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

8.1.2.1.3 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.2.1.3-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmit a <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message with SRB1 configuration. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> to confirm the successful completion of the connection establishment? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 5 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | 1 | - |

8.1.2.1.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

8.1.2.2 RRC Connection Establishment / Reject with wait time

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.331 v8.3.0.

Editor's Note: The test procedure sequence needs updating so as to check that the UE considers the cell barred while T302 is running and so that a new *RRCCConnectionRequest* message is generated after T302 expiry (to be done at the next RAN5 meeting)

8.1.2.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state and has sent an RRCCConnectionRequest message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCCConnectionReject message including an IE waitTime set to non-zero value }
  then { UE doesn't re-send RRCCConnectionRequest before the waitTime is expired }
}
```

8.1.2.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.3.2, 5.3.3.3, 5.3.3.4 and 5.3.3.6.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2]

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

1> if T302 is running and the UE is not establishing the RRC connection for emergency calls:

2> consider access to the cell as barred;

...

1> If access to the cell, as specified above, is not barred:

2> stop acting on *Paging* messages;

2> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;

2> start timer T300;

2> initiate transmission of the *RRCConnectionRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.3.3;

NOTE 2: Upon initiating the connection establishment procedure, the UE is not required to ensure it maintains up to date system information applicable only for UEs in RRC_IDLE state. However, the UE needs to perform system information acquisition upon re-selection.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.3]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCConnectionRequest* message as follows:

1> set the IE *ue-Identity* as follows:

2> if upper layers provide an S-TMSI:

3> set the *identityType* to *s-TMSI*;

3> set the *S-TMSI* to the value received from upper layers;

2> else

3> set the *identityType* to *randomNumber*;

3> draw a random value and set the *randomNumber* to this value;

NOTE 1 Upper layers provide the S-TMSI if the UE is registered in the TA of the current cell.

1> Set the *establishmentCause* in accordance with the information received from upper layers;

NOTE 1 Upper layers provide the S-TMSI if the UE is registered in the TA of the current cell.

The UE shall submit the *RRCConnectionRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.4]

The UE shall:

1> establish SRB1 in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfiguration* and as specified in 5.3.10;

NOTE 1: The details of how the signalling radio bearer configuration is signalled are FFS, i.e. the use of a default RLC configuration has been agreed for SRB1. Use of default configurations for other parts of the Radio resource configuration is not precluded.

1> If stored, discard the Inter-frequency priority information and the Inter-RAT priority information provided via dedicated signalling using the IE *idleModeMobilityControlInfo*;

1> stop timer T300;

1> stop timer T302, if running;

1> stop timer T303, if running;

1> stop timer T305, if running;

1> stop timer T320, if running;

1> enter RRC_CONNECTED state;

1> stop the cell re-selection procedure;

1> set the content of *RRCConnectionSetupComplete* message as follows:

2> set the *selectedPLMN-Identity* to the PLMN selected by upper layers [TS 23.122, TS 24.008] from the PLMNs included in the *plmn-IdentityList* broadcast within *SystemInformationBlockType1*, in the cell where the RRC connection was established (it is FFS when the UE shall include this IE, possibly on whether the UE has a valid S-TMSI);

- 2> if upper layers provide the 'Registered MME', set the *registeredMME* as follows:
 - 3> if the PLMN identity of the 'Registered MME' is different from the PLMN selected by the upper layers, set the IE *plmnIdentity* to the value received from upper layers;
 - 3> set the IEs *mmegi* and *mmec* to the value received from upper layers;
- 2> set the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to include the information received from upper layers;
- 2> submit the *RRCCONNECTIONSETUPCOMPLETE* message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.6]

The UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T300;
- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;
- 1> resume acting on *Paging* messages;
- 1> start timer T302, with a timer value set according to the value of the *waitTime*;

8.1.2.2.3 Test description

8.1.2.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

8.1.2.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.2.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Make UE attempt an outgoing call | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS responds with <i>RRCCONNECTIONREJECT</i> message with IE <i>waitTime</i> set to 10s. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREJECT</i> | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: the behaviour in table 8.1.2.6.3.2-2 runs in parallel with step 4 below. | | | | |
| 4 | Make UE attempt an outgoing call. | | | | |
| 8 | Check: the test results of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state. | - | - | 1 | P |

Table 8.1.2.2.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: does the UE transmit an <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> message within 16s ? | --> | <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | F |

8.1.2.2.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

8.1.2.3 RRC Connection Establishment in RRC_IDLE state: return to idle state after T300 timeout

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.331 v8.3.0.

8.1.2.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with {UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having sent an RRCConnectionRequest message}
ensure that {
  when { the SS does not answer to the UE during T300}
  then {UE goes to RRC_IDLE}
}
```

8.1.2.3.1 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clause 5.3.3.6.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.6]

The UE shall:

- 1> if timer T300 expires or
- 1> if cell reselection occurs during RRC connection establishment:
 - 2> stop timer T300, if running;
 - 2> stop timer T302, if running;
 - 2> stop timer T303, if running;
 - 2> stop timer T305, if running;
 - 2> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;
 - 2> resume acting on *Paging* messages;
 - 2> inform upper layers about the failure to establish the RRC connection, upon which the procedure ends.

8.1.2.3.3 Test description

8.1.2.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

8.1.2.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.2.3.3-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Make UE attempt an outgoing call | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS waits for T300. Note: the UE may transmit one or more <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> messages but the SS does not answer to these messages. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check: the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state. | - | - | 1 | P |

8.1.2.3.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS

8.1.2.5 RRC Connection Establishment: 0% access probability for MO calls, no restriction for MO signalling.

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.1.2.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having received SystemInformationBlockType2 indicating 0% access probability for MO calls }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make an outgoing call }
  then { UE does not transmit any RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
ensure that {
  when { UE reselects a new cell which belongs to different TA and broadcasts SystemInformationBlockType2 indicating no restriction for MO signalling }
  then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having received SystemInformationBlockType2 with no restriction }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make an outgoing call }
  then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}
```

8.1.2.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2]

The UE initiates the procedure when upper layers request establishment of an RRC connection while the UE is in RRC_IDLE state.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

1> If the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile terminating calls:

...

1> else if the UE is establishing the RRC connection for emergency calls:

...

1> else if the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile originating calls:

2> if timer T302 or T303 is running:

3> consider access to the cell as barred;

2> else if *SystemInformationBlockType2* includes the *accessBarringInformation* and the *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls* is present:

3> if the UE has one or more Access Classes, as stored on the USIM, with a value in the range 11..15, which is valid for the UE to use according to TS 22.011 [10] and TS 23.122 [11], and

NOTE 1: ACs 12, 13, 14 are only valid for use in the home country and ACs 11, 15 are only valid for use in the HPLMN/ EHPLMN.

3> for at least one of these Access Classes the *accessClassBarring* in the *accessClassBarringList* contained in *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls* is set to FALSE:

4> consider access to the cell as not barred;

3> else:

4> draw a random number 'rand' uniformly distributed in the range: $0 \leq \text{rand} < 1$;

4> if 'rand' is lower than the value indicated by *accessProbabilityFactor* included in *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls*:

5> consider access to the cell as not barred;

4> else:

5> consider access to the cell as barred;

2> else:

3> consider access to the cell as not barred;

1> else (the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile originating signalling):

2> if timer T302 or T305 is running:

3> consider access to the cell as barred;

2> else if *SystemInformationBlockType2* includes the *accessBarringInformation* and the *accessBarringForSignalling* is present:

3> if the UE has one or more Access Classes, as stored on the USIM, with a value in the range 11..15, which is valid for the UE to use according to TS 22.011 [10] and TS 23.122 [11], and

3> for at least one of these Access Classes the *accessClassBarring* in the *accessClassBarringList* contained in *accessBarringForSignalling* is set to FALSE:

4> consider access to the cell as not barred;

3> else:

4> draw a random number 'rand' uniformly distributed in the range: $0 \leq \text{rand} < 1$;

4> if 'rand' is lower than the value indicated by *accessProbabilityFactor* included in *accessBarringForSignalling*:

5> consider access to the cell as not barred;

4> else:

5> consider access to the cell as barred;

2> else:

3> consider access to the cell as not barred;

1> If access to the cell, as specified above, is not barred:

2> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;

2> start timer T300;

2> initiate transmission of the *RRCConnectionRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.3.3;

NOTE 2: Upon initiating the connection establishment procedure, the UE is not required to ensure it maintains up to date system information applicable only for UEs in RRC_IDLE state. However, the UE needs to perform system information acquisition upon re-selection.

...

8.1.2.5.3 Test description

8.1.2.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.1.2.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be assigned values to satisfy $S_{rxlevCell\ 1} > S_{rxlevCell\ 2}$ such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be assigned values to satisfy $R_{Cell\ 1} < R_{Cell\ 2}$. |

Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-2: Main Behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|---|---|------------------|--|-------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message within 5s? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | F |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 level according to the row "T1" in table 8.1.2.5.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message on Cell 2? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 2 | P |
| 5 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits a <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> message to activate AS security. | <-- | <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmits a <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> | - | - |
| 9 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 10 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 11 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRelease</i> message to release RRC connection and move to E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionRelease</i> | - | - |
| 12 | Wait for 5 s for the UE to enter E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state. | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | The SS transmits a Paging message including <i>systemInfoModification</i> . | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 14 | The SS changes <i>SystemInformationBlockType2</i> parameters to default parameters defined in [18]. | - | - | - | - |
| 15 | Wait for 15 s for the UE to receive system information. | - | - | - | - |
| 16 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 17 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. The UE starts T300? (Note 1) | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 3 | P |
| 18 | Wait for 5 s to ensure that T300 expires. | - | - | - | - |
| 19 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state on Cell 2. | - | - | 1,2,3 | - |
| Note 1: It is not required to check that the T300 is started. | | | | | |

8.1.2.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.1.2.5.3.3-1: SystemInformationBlockType1 for Cell 1 and Cell 2 (preamble and all steps, Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.4.3.2-3 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType1 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| cellAccessRelatedInformation SEQUENCE { | | | |
| trackingAreaCode | FFS | | Cell 1 |
| | FFS | | Cell 2 |
| cellIdentity | FFS | | Cell 1 |
| | FFS | | Cell 2 |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

| Condition | Explanation |
|-----------|---|
| Cell 1 | This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 1. |
| Cell 2 | This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 2. |

Table 8.1.2.5.3.3-2: SystemInformationBlockType2 for Cell 1 and Cell 2 (preamble and all steps, Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.4.3.3-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| accessBarringInformation SEQUENCE { | | | |
| accessBarringForEmergencyCalls | FALSE | | |
| accessBarringForSignalling | Not present | | |
| accessBarringForOriginatingCalls SEQUENCE { | | | |
| accessProbabilityFactor | p00 | | |
| accessBarringTime | s4 | | |
| accessClassBarringList SEQUENCE (SIZE (maxAC)) OF SEQUENCE { | 5 entries | | |
| accessClassBarring[1] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[2] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[3] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[4] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[5] | FALSE | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.5.3.3-3: RRCConnectionRequest (step 4, Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-15 | | | |
|---|---------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | mo-Signalling | | |
| establishmentCause | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.5.3.3-4: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 9, Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6, condition DRB(1,0) | | | |
|--|-----------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| nas-DedicatedInformation | FFS (TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT) | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.5.3.3-5: Paging (step 13, Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-5 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| Paging ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| pagingRecordList | Not present | | |
| systemInfoModification | true | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.5.3.3-6: RRCConnectionRequest (step 17, Table 8.1.2.5.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-15 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | mo-Data | | |
| establishmentCause | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.2.7 RRC Connection Establishment: 0% access probability for AC 0..9, AC 10 is barred, AC 11..15 are not barred, access for UE with the access class is in the range 11..15 is allowed.

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.1.2.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having an Access Class with a value in the range 11..15 and
having received SystemInformationBlockType2 indicating 0% access probability for AC 0..9 for both MO
call and MO signalling, access restriction for AC 10 and no restriction for AC 11..15 for both MO
call and MO signalling }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make an outgoing call }
  then { UE transmits an RRCConnectionRequest message }
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having an Access Class with a value in the range 11..15 }
ensure that {
  when { UE reselects a new cell which belongs to different TA and broadcasts
SystemInformationBlockType2 indicating 0% access probability for AC 0..9 for both MO call and MO
signalling, access restriction for AC 10 and no restriction for AC 11..15 for both MO call and MO
signalling }
```

```

    then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionRequest message }
  }

```

(3)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having an Access Class with a value in the range 11..15 and
having received SystemInformationBlockType2 indicating 0% access probability for AC 0..9 for both MO
call and MO signalling, access restriction for AC 10 and no restriction for the Access Class 11..15
for both MO call and MO signalling }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives Paging message including a matched identity }
  then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}

```

(4)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having received SystemInformationBlockType2 with no restriction }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make an outgoing call }
  then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}

```

8.1.2.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2]

The UE initiates the procedure when upper layers request establishment of an RRC connection while the UE is in *RRC_IDLE* state.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

1> If the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile terminating calls:

2> if timer T302 is running:

...

2> else:

3> consider access to the cell as not barred;

1> else if the UE is establishing the RRC connection for emergency calls:

...

1> else if the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile originating calls:

2> if timer T302 or T303 is running:

...

2> else if *SystemInformationBlockType2* includes the *accessBarringInformation* and the *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls* is present:

3> if the UE has one or more Access Classes, as stored on the USIM, with a value in the range 11..15, which is valid for the UE to use according to TS 22.011 [10] and TS 23.122 [11], and

NOTE 1: ACs 12, 13, 14 are only valid for use in the home country and ACs 11, 15 are only valid for use in the HPLMN/ EHPLMN.

3> for at least one of these Access Classes the *accessClassBarring* in the *accessClassBarringList* contained in *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls* is set to FALSE:

4> consider access to the cell as not barred;

3> else:

...

1> else (the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile originating signalling):

2> if timer T302 or T305 is running:

...

2> else if SystemInformationBlockType2 includes the *accessBarringInformation* and the *accessBarringForSignalling* is present:

3> if the UE has one or more Access Classes, as stored on the USIM, with a value in the range 11..15, which is valid for the UE to use according to TS 22.011 [10] and TS 23.122 [11], and

3> for at least one of these Access Classes the *accessClassBarring* in the *accessClassBarringList* contained in *accessBarringForSignalling* is set to FALSE:

4> consider access to the cell as not barred;

3> else:

...

1> If access to the cell, as specified above, is not barred:

2> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;

2> start timer T300;

2> initiate transmission of the *RRCCoordinateRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.3.3;

NOTE 2: Upon initiating the connection establishment procedure, the UE is not required to ensure it maintains up to date system information applicable only for UEs in RRC_IDLE state. However, the UE needs to perform system information acquisition upon re-selection.

...

8.1.2.7.3 Test description

8.1.2.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2
- Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1(MCC1/MNC1/TAC1) and Cell 2 belongs to TAI-2(MCC1/MNC1/TAC2).

UE:

- USIM with one or more Access Classes of a value in the range 11..15 is inserted

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.1.2.7.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be assigned values to satisfy $SrxlevCell\ 1 > SrxlevCell\ 2$ such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be assigned values to satisfy $RCell\ 1 < RCell\ 2$. |

Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|-------------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. The UE starts T300.(Note 1) | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | Wait for 5 s to ensure that T300 expires. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 level according to the row "T1" in table 8.1.2.7.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message on Cell 2. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 2 | P |
| 6 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 7 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 9 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 10 | The UE transmits an <i>ULInformationTransfer</i> message. | --> | <i>ULInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 11 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRelease</i> message to release RRC connection and move to E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionRelease</i> | - | - |
| 12 | Wait for 5 s for the UE to enter E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state. | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including a matched identity. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 14 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. The UE starts T300.(Note 1) | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 3 | P |
| 15 | Wait for 5 s to ensure that T300 expires. | - | - | - | - |
| 16 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including systemInfoModification. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 17 | The SS changes SystemInformationBlockType2 parameters to default parameters defined in [18]. | - | - | - | - |
| 18 | Wait for 15 s for the UE to receive system information. | - | - | - | - |
| 19 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 20 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. The UE starts T300.(Note 1) | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 4 | P |
| 21 | Wait for 5 s to ensure that T300 expires. | - | - | - | - |
| 22 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state on Cell 2. | - | - | 1,2, 3,4 | - |

8.1.2.7.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.1.2.7.3.3-1: *SystemInformationBlockType1* for Cell 1 and Cell 2 (preamble and all steps before step 18, Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.4.3.2-3 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType1 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| cellAccessRelatedInformation SEQUENCE { | | | |
| trackingAreaCode | TAC1 | | Cell 1 |
| | TAC2 | | Cell 2 |
| cellIdentity | FFS | | Cell 1 |
| | FFS | | Cell 2 |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

| Condition | Explanation |
|-----------|---|
| Cell 1 | This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 1. |
| Cell 2 | This condition applies to system information transmitted on Cell 2. |

Table 8.1.2.7.3.3-2: *SystemInformationBlockType2* for Cell 1 and Cell 2 (preamble and all steps, Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.4.3.3-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| accessBarringInformation SEQUENCE { | | | |
| accessBarringForEmergencyCalls | TRUE | | |
| accessBarringForSignalling SEQUENCE { | | | |
| accessProbabilityFactor | p00 | | |
| accessBarringTime | s4 | | |
| accessClassBarringList SEQUENCE (SIZE (maxAC)) OF SEQUENCE { | 5 entries | | |
| accessClassBarring[1] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[2] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[3] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[4] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[5] | FALSE | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| accessBarringForOriginatingCalls SEQUENCE { | | | |
| accessProbabilityFactor | p00 | | |
| accessBarringTime | s4 | | |
| accessClassBarringList SEQUENCE (SIZE (maxAC)) OF SEQUENCE { | 5 entries | | |
| accessClassBarring[1] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[2] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[3] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[4] | FALSE | | |
| accessClassBarring[5] | FALSE | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.7.3.3-3: *RRCCConnectionRequest* (step 2 and 22, Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-16 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCCConnectionRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| establishmentCause | mo-Data | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.7.3.3-4: *RRCCConnectionRequest* (step 5, Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-16 | | | |
|---|---------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCCConnectionRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| establishmentCause | mo-Signalling | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.7.3.3-5: *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 8, Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-8, condition DRB(1,0) | | | |
|--|--------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| nas-DedicatedInformation | TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.7.3.3-6: *ULInformationTransfer* (step 10, Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-26 | | | |
|--|--------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| ULInformationTransfer ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| ulInformationTransfer-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| informationType CHOICE { | | | |
| nas3GPP | | TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.7.3.3-7: *RRCCConnectionRequest* (step 14, Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-16 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCCConnectionRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| establishmentCause | mt-Access | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.7.3.3-7: Paging (step 16, Table 8.1.2.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-7 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| Paging ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| pagingRecordList | Not present | | |
| systemInfoModification | true | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.2.8 RRC Connection Establishment: range of access barring time

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.2.0 i.e. after RAN#40 + R2-083795.

8.1.2.8.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state with T303 running }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make an outgoing call }
  then { UE does not transmit any RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having received SystemInformationBlockType2 with no restriction }
ensure that {
  when { UE is requested to make an outgoing call }
  then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionRequest message }
}
```

8.1.2.8.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.2]

The UE initiates the procedure when upper layers request establishment of an RRC connection while the UE is in RRC_IDLE state.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

- 1> if T302 is running and the UE is not establishing the RRC connection for emergency calls:
 - 2> consider access to the cell as barred;
- 1> else if *SystemInformationBlockType2* includes the *accessBarringInformation*:
 - 2> if the UE is establishing the RRC connection for emergency calls:

...

- 2> else if the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile terminating access:

...

2> else if the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile originating signalling:

...

2> else:

3> if the *accessBarringInformation* includes *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls*:

4> if the UE has one or more Access Classes, as stored on the USIM, with a value in the range 11..15, which is valid for the UE to use according to TS 22.011 [10] and TS 23.122 [11], and

4> for at least one of these Access Classes the *accessClassBarring* in the *accessClassBarringList* contained in *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls* is set to FALSE :

5> consider access to the cell as not barred;

4> else:

5> if T303 is running:

6> consider access to the cell as barred;

5> else:

6> draw a random number 'rand' uniformly distributed in the range: $0 \leq \text{rand} < 1$

6> if 'rand' is lower than the value indicated by the *accessProbabilityFactor* included in *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls*:

7> consider access to the cell as not barred;

6> else:

7> consider access to the cell as barred;

3> else:

4> consider access to the cell as not barred;

1> else:

2> consider access to the cell as not barred;

1> If access to the cell, as specified above, is not barred:

2> stop acting on *Paging* messages;

2> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;

2> start timer T300;

2> initiate transmission of the *RRCConnectionRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.3.3;

NOTE 2: Upon initiating the connection establishment procedure, the UE is not required to ensure it maintains up to date system information applicable only for UEs in RRC_IDLE state. However, the UE needs to perform system information acquisition upon re-selection.

1> else:

2> if the UE is not establishing the RRC connection for emergency calls; and

2> if T302 is not running:

3> if the UE is establishing the RRC connection for mobile originating signalling:

4> if T305 is not running:

5> draw a random number 'rand' that is uniformly distributed in the range $0 \leq \text{rand} < 1$;

5> start timer T305 with a timer value calculated as follows, using the *accessBarringTime* included in *accessBarringForSignalling*:

$$T305 = (0.7 + 0.6 * \text{rand}) * \text{accessBarringTime}$$

3> else:

4> if T303 is not running:

5> draw a random number 'rand' that is uniformly distributed in the range $0 \leq \text{rand} < 1$;

5> start timer T303 with a timer value calculated as follows, using the *accessBarringTime* included in *accessBarringForOriginatingCalls*:

$$T303 = (0.7 + 0.6 * \text{rand}) * \text{accessBarringTime}$$

2> inform upper layers about the failure to establish the RRC connection, upon which the procedure ends.

8.1.2.8.3 Test description

8.1.2.8.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in Registered, Idle mode state (state 2) according to [18].

8.1.2.8.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.2.8.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------------------------|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including <i>systemInfoModification</i> . | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The SS changes <i>SystemInformationBlockType2</i> parameters to 50% access probability for MO calls. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | Wait for [15] s for the UE to receive system information. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS initializes an internal flag F to TRUE. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 5 shall be repeated while the flag F is TRUE. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 5a | IF the UE does not transmit any <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> message (The UE starts T303) (Note 2) THEN the SS sets the flag F to FALSE. | - | - | 1 | - |
| 5b | ELSE IF the UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> message (The UE starts T300) (Note 1) THEN wait for [5] s to ensure that T300 expires. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 6 to 7 shall be repeated 35 times (every 10 s). | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> message within 5s? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> | 1 | F |
| 8 | Wait for 20 s to ensure that T303 expires. | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including <i>systemInfoModification</i> . | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 10 | The SS changes <i>SystemInformationBlockType2</i> parameters to those used before the step 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 11 | Wait for [15] s for the UE to receive system information. | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> message. The UE starts T300.(Note 1)? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> | 2 | P |
| 14 | Wait for [5] s to ensure that T300 expires. | - | - | - | - |
| 15 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state? | - | - | 1,2 | - |

8.1.2.8.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.1.2.8.3.3-1: Paging (step 1, Table 8.1.2.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.1.2.8.3.3-2: SystemInformationBlockType2 (step 2, Table 8.1.2.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.1.2.8.3.3-3: RRCConnectionRequest (step 5b, Table 8.1.2.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.1.2.8.3.3-4: Paging (step 9, Table 8.1.2.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.1.2.8.3.3-5: RRCConnectionRequest (step 13, Table 8.1.2.8.3.2-1)

FFS

8.1.2.10 RRC Connection Establishment during Cell reselection: Failure

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

Editor's Note: There are some concerns on the feasibility of this test case, see editor's notes at the end of section 8.1.2.10.3.2.

8.1.2.10.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having transmitted an RRCConnectionRequest message }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE recognises that the current cell conditions change and new cell meets the cell re-  
selection criteria }  
  then { UE selects the new cell and stops establishment of the RRC connection }  
}
```

8.1.2.10.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.3.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.3.5]

The UE shall:

- 1> If cell reselection occurs while T300 is running:
 - 2> stop timer T300;
 - 2> stop timer T302, if running;
 - 2> stop timer T303, if running;
 - 2> stop timer T305, if running;
 - 2> reset MAC;
 - 2> inform upper layers about the failure to establish the RRC connection, upon which the procedure ends.

8.1.2.10.3 Test description

8.1.2.10.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- 2 cells on same E-UTRA frequency (FDD for both or TDD for both):
- Cell 1: serving cell
- Cell 2: intra-frequency cell

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE is brought to state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.1.2.10.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.2.10.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.1.2.10.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | Shall be assigned values to satisfy $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 2}$ such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | Power P11 shall be assigned values to satisfy $RCell\ 1 < RCell\ 2$. |

Table 8.1.2.10.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Make UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> on Cell 1? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 level according to the row "T1" in table 8.1.2.10.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Wait for [x]s to ensure that the UE camps on Cell 2. | - | - | 1 | P |
| 5 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state on Cell2.(FFS)? | - | - | 1 | - |

Editor's note: This test case is not really checking the test purpose: the maximum value of T300 is 2, so if waiting for more than 2s as now specified in step 4, normal cell selection after T300 expiry occurs.

Editor's note: It may be possible to check the purpose of this test case using T300=2s and Treselection= 0, assuming the SS can change the power of Cell 1 and Cell 2 within 0.5s after *RRCCConnectionRequest* is received in step 2, 1s could be enough for cell reselection (needs checking with 36.133), then paging could be sent within 1.5s-1.6s, so that the *RRCCConnectionRequest* on Cell 2 comes before T300 expiry. If any of the above assumption is not true, this test case may not be feasible.

8.1.2.10.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.1.2.10.3.3-1: SystemInformationBlockType2 for Cell 1 (pre-test conditions)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.4.3.3-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| ue-TimersAndConstants SEQUENCE { | | | |
| t300 | ms2000 | | |
| } | | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.10.3.3-2: SystemInformationBlockType3 for Cell 1 (pre-test conditions)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.4.3.3-2 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType3 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| cellReselectionInfoCommon SEQUENCE { | | | |
| t-ReselectionEUTRAN | 0 | | |
| } | | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.2.10.3.3-3 RRCConnectionRequest (step 2, Table 8.1.2.10.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-15 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRequest-r8 = SEQUENCE { | | | |
| establishmentCause | mo-Data | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.3 RRC Connection Release

8.1.3.1 RRC Connection Release: Success

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.331 v8.3.0.

8.1.3.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in RRC_CONNECTED state}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCConnectionRelease message }
  then { UE releases the signalling connection, the established EPS bearer and all radio resources
and enters in RRC_IDLE state }
}

```

8.1.3.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clause 5.3.8.3.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.8.3]

The UE shall:

1> delay the following actions defined in this sub-clause 60ms from the moment the *RRConnectionRelease* message was received or optionally when lower layers indicate that the receipt of the *RRConnectionRelease* message has been successfully acknowledged, whichever is earlier;

1> indicate the release of the RRC connection to upper layers;

1> release all radio resources;

...

1> enter RRC_IDLE.

8.1.3.1.3 Test description

8.1.3.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.1.3.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.3.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits a <i>RRConnectionRelease</i> message to release the RRC connection. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionRelease</i> | - | - |
| 2 | SS waits for [x1] ms + 5s. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | Check: the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state. | - | - | 1 | P |

8.1.3.1.3.3 Specific message content

None.

8.1.3.3 RRC Connection Release: UE stays on same cell

8.1.3.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRConnectionRelease message and a cell with higher Srxlev than serving cell exist }
  then { UE enters E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state on the last cell for which UE was in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
}
```

8.1.3.3.1 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clause 5.3.8.3 and 3GPP TS 36.304 clauses 5.2.4.6 and 5.2.7.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.8.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> delay the following actions defined in this sub-clause 60ms from the moment the *RRConnectionRelease* message was received or optionally when lower layers indicate that the receipt of the *RRConnectionRelease* message has been successfully acknowledged, whichever is earlier;
- 1> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.12.

...

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.6]

In all cases, the UE shall reselect the new cell, only if the following conditions are met:

- the new cell is better ranked than the serving cell during a time interval Treselection,

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.7]

On transition from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE, a UE shall attempt to camp on the last cell for which it was in RRC_CONNECTED or any cell on a frequency or frequency of RAT by RRC in the state transition message.

8.1.3.3.3 Test description

8.1.3.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.1.3.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.3.3.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.1.3.3.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | Shall be assigned values to satisfy $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 2}$, such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | Power P12 shall be assigned values to satisfy $RCell\ 1 < RCell\ 2$. |

Table 8.1.3.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 level according to the row "T1" in table 8.1.3.3.3.2-1.. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRelease</i> message to release the RRC Connection. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionRelease</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS waits for [x1] ms + 5s. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 1? | - | - | 1 | P |

8.1.3.3.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.1.3.3.3.3-1 *SystemInformationBlockType3* for Cells 1 and Cell 2 (pre-test conditions)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.4.3.3-2 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>SystemInformationBlockType3</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| <i>cellReselectionInfoCommon</i> SEQUENCE { | | | |
| <i>t-ReselectionEUTRAN</i> | 7 | | |
| } | | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.3.4 RRC Connection Release: redirection to another E-UTRAN frequency

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.331 v8.3.0.

8.1.3.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCCConnectionRelease message including an IE RedirectionInformation with E-UTRA-CarrierFreq different from the frequency UE was on in RRC_CONNECTED state }
  then { UE enters RRC_IDLE state on new frequency included in IE RedirectionInformation }
}

```

8.1.3.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.8.3 and TS 36.304, clause 5.2.7.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.8.3]

The UE shall:

1> delay the following actions defined in this sub-clause 60ms from the moment the *RRCCConnectionRelease* message was received or optionally when lower layers indicate that the receipt of the *RRCCConnectionRelease* message has been successfully acknowledged, whichever is earlier;

1> indicate the release of the RRC connection to upper layers;

1> release all radio resources;

...

1> If the *RRCCConnectionRelease* message includes the *redirectionInformation* :

- 2> select a suitable cell on the (E-UTRA or inter-RAT) frequency indicated by the *redirectionInformation* in accordance with the cell selection process as specified in TS 36.304;

1> enter RRC_IDLE.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.7]

On transition from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE, a UE shall attempt to camp on the last cell for which it was in RRC_CONNECTED or a cell/any cell of set of cells or any cell of frequency assigned by RRC in the state transition message...

8.1.3.4.3 Test description

8.1.3.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- 2 cells on different E-UTRA frequencies:
- Cell 1 (default parameters) serving cell
- Cell 3 (TBD parameters) inter-frequency cell

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on cell 1.

8.1.3.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.3.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 3 parameters so that Cell 3 meets cell selection criteria. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionRelease</i> message (IE <i>RedirectionInformation</i> including <i>EUTRA-CarrierFreq</i>). | <-- | <i>RRConnectionRelease</i> | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: The steps 3 and 4 below are repeated for a duration of [x1]ms + 5s. | | | | |
| 3 | SS sends a paging message on Cell 1 | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | 1 | - |
| 4 | Check if UE response to paging | --> | <i>RRConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | F |
| 5 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state on Cell 3. | - | - | 1 | P |

8.1.3.4.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.1.3.4.2.3.3-1 *RRConnectionRelease* message (step 2, Table 8.1.3.4.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 table 4.6.1.2-14 | | | |
|---|------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RRConnectionRelease</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRelease-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| redirectionInformation ::= CHOICE { | | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq | EARFCN of cell 3 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.3.4.2.3.3-2 *SystemInformationBlockType4* for Cell 3

| Derivation Path: 36.331 clause 6.2.2 | | | |
|---|-----------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>SystemInformationBlockType4</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| servingFreqCellReselectionInfo SEQUENCE { | | | |
| s-NonIntraSearch | Not present | | |
| threshServingLow | | FFS | |
| cellReselectionPriority | 0 | | |
| } | | | |
| intraFreqNeighbouringCellList | Not needed in this TC | FFS | |
| intraFreqBlacklistedCellList | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.3.4.2.3.3-3 *SystemInformationBlockType5* for Cell 3

| Derivation Path: 36.331 clause 6.2.2 | | | |
|---|------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>SystemInformationBlockType5</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| interFreqCarrierFreqList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxFreq)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq[0] | EARFCN of cell 1 | | |
| threshX-High[0] | | FFS | |
| threshX-Low[0] | | FFS | |
| measurementBandwidth[0] | | FFS | |
| cellReselectionPriority[0] | 1 | | |
| q-OffsetFreq[0] | | FFS | |
| interFreqNeighbouringCellList[0] | Not present | | |
| interFreqBlacklistedCellList [0] | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.3.5 RRC Connection Release: success (with priority information)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41 and 36.304 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.1.3.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state having received an *RRConnectionRelease* message with the IE *interFreqPriorityList* with higher priority frequency}

```
ensure that {  
  when { UE detects the cell re-selection criteria is met for the cell which belongs to the higher  
priority frequency }  
  then { UE reselects the cell which belongs to the higher priority frequency }  
}
```

8.1.3.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.8.3, and TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.1, 5.2.4.2, 5.2.4.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.8.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> delay the following actions defined in this sub-clause 60ms from the moment the *RRConnectionRelease* message was received or optionally when lower layers indicate that the receipt of the *RRConnectionRelease* message has been successfully acknowledged, whichever is earlier;

- 1> If the *RRConnectionRelease* message includes the *idleModeMobilityControlInfo*:

- 2> store the *idleModeMobilityControlInfo*

- 2> If the *t320* is included:

- 3> start timer T320, with the timer value set according to the value of *t320*;

- 1> else:

...

- 1> If the *releaseCause* is set to 'load balancing TAU required'

...

- 1> If the *RRConnectionRelease* message includes the *redirectionInformation* :

...

- 1> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.12.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.1]

Absolute priorities of different E-UTRAN frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies may be provided to the UE in the system information or in the RRC message releasing the RRC connection. If priorities are assigned via dedicated signalling, the UE shall ignore all the priorities provided in system information. The UE shall delete priorities provided by dedicated signalling when:

- the UE enters RRC_CONNECTED state; or
- the optional validity time of dedicated priorities (T320) expires; or
- a PLMN selection is performed on request by NAS [5].

NOTE: Equal priorities between RATs are not supported.

UE shall only perform reselection evaluation for E-UTRAN frequencies and inter-RAT frequencies that are given in system information and for which the UE has a priority provided.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.2]

Following rules are used by the UE to limit needed measurements:

- If *SServingCell* > *Sintrasearch*, UE may choose to not perform intra-frequency measurements.
- If *SServingCell* <= *Sintrasearch*, UE shall perform intra-frequency measurements.

- The UE shall apply the following rules for E-UTRAN inter-frequencies and inter-RAT frequencies which are indicated in system information and for which the UE has priority provided as defined in 5.2.4.1:
 - For an E-UTRAN inter-frequency or inter-RAT frequency with a reselection priority higher than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRA frequency the UE shall perform measurements of higher priority E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies according to [10].
 - For an E-UTRAN inter-frequency with a equal or lower reselection priority than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRA frequency and for inter-RAT frequency with lower reselection priority than the reselection priority of the current E-UTRAN frequency:
 - If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} > S_{\text{nonintrasearch}}$ UE may choose not to perform measurements of E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies of equal or lower priority.
 - If $S_{\text{ServingCell}} \leq S_{\text{nonintrasearch}}$ the UE shall perform measurements of E-UTRAN inter-frequencies or inter-RAT frequencies cells of equal or lower priority according to [10].

Where $S_{\text{ServingCell}}$ is the S_{rxlev} -value of the serving cell.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.4.5]

Criteria 1: the $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ of a cell on evaluated frequency is greater than $\text{Thresh}_{x, \text{high}}$ during a time interval $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$;

Cell reselection to a cell on a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency shall be performed if:

- A cell of a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency fulfills criteria 1; and
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

Cell reselection to a cell on a lower priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency shall be performed if:

- No cell on serving frequency or on a higher priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency than serving frequency fulfills the criteria 1; and
- $S_{\text{ServingCell}} < \text{Thresh}_{\text{Serving}, \text{low}}$ and the $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ of a cell of a lower priority E-UTRAN frequency or inter-RAT frequency is greater than $\text{Thresh}_{x, \text{low}}$ during a time interval $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$; and
- more than 1 second has elapsed since the UE camped on the current serving cell.

Cell reselection to a cell on an equal priority E-UTRAN frequency shall be based on ranking for Intra-frequency Cell Reselection as defined in sub-clause 5.2.4.6.

$S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ is the S_{rxlev} -value of a evaluated cell. In all the above criteria the value of $\text{Treselection}_{\text{RAT}}$ is scaled when the UE is in the medium or high mobility state as defined in subclause 5.2.4.6. If more than one cell meets the above criteria, the UE shall reselect a cell ranked as the best cell among the cells meeting the criteria on the highest priority RAT or the highest priority frequency if the highest priority RAT is E-UTRA.

Note: It is FFS what the definition is for $S_{\text{nonServingCell},x}$ for cdma2000 RATs.

8.1.3.5.3 Test description

8.1.3.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 3 and Cell 5

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.1.3.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.3.5.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.1.3.5.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 3 | Cell 5 | Remark |
|-----------|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | P05 (FFS) | Shall be assigned values to satisfy $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > S_{intrasearch}$, such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P13 (FFS) | P15 (FFS) | Power P13 and P15 shall be assigned values to satisfy $Thresh_{x, high} < \text{both } Srxlev_{Cell\ 3} \text{ and } Srxlev_{Cell\ 5}$ |

Table 8.1.3.5.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionRelease</i> message including the IE <i>interFreqPriorityList</i> . | <-- | <i>RRConnectionRelease</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Wait for 5 s for the UE to enter E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state on Cell 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1, Cell 3 and Cell 5 level according to the row "T1" in table 8.1.3.5.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Wait for 5 s for the UE to perform cell reselection procedure. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Make the UE initiate an outgoing call. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Is there any random access requests from the UE on Cell 5? | - | - | 1 | P |

8.1.3.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.1.3.5.3.3-1: *RRConnectionRelease* (step 2, Table 8.1.3.5.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 Table 4.6.1-14 | | | |
|--|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RRConnectionRelease</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRelease-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| idleModeMobilityControlInfo SEQUENCE { | | | |
| interFreqPriorityList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxFreq)) OF SEQUENCE { | 2 entries | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq[1] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 3 | | |
| } | | | |
| cellReselectionPriority[1] | 1 | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq[2] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 5 | | |
| } | | | |
| cellReselectionPriority[2] | 5 | | |
| } | | | |
| geran-FreqPriorityList | Not present | | |
| utra-FDD-FreqPriorityList | Not present | | |
| utra-TDD-FreqPriorityList | Not present | | |
| hrpd-BandClassPriorityList | Not present | | |
| oneXRTT-BandClassPriorityList | Not present | | |
| t320 | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.1.3.6 RRC Connection Release: redirection from E-UTRAN to UTRAN

Editor's note: this test case description is not based on 36.331 v8.3.0.

8.1.3.6.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRConnectionRelease message including an IE redirectionInformation with
    utra-CarrierFreq UTRA frequency }
  then { UE enters RRC_IDLE state on UTRA frequency included in IE redirectionInformation }
}

```

8.1.3.6.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.8.3 and TS 36.304, clause 5.2.7. The following represent an extraction of the requirements relevant to the test purpose.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.8.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> delay the following actions defined in this sub-clause 60ms from the moment the *RRConnectionRelease* message was received or optionally when lower layers indicate that the receipt of the *RRConnectionRelease* message has been successfully acknowledged, whichever is earlier;
- 1> indicate the release of the RRC connection to upper layers;

1> release all radio resources;

1> If the *RRCConnectionRelease* message includes the *redirectionInformation* :

2> select a suitable cell on the (E-UTRA or inter-RAT) frequency indicated by the *redirectionInformation* in accordance with the cell selection process as specified in TS 36.304;

1> enter RRC_IDLE.

[TS 36.304, clause 5.2.7]

On transition from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE, a UE shall attempt to camp on the last cell for which it was in RRC_CONNECTED or a cell/any cell of set of cells or any cell of frequency assigned by RRC in the state transition message...

8.1.3.6.3 Test description

8.1.3.6.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- one E-UTRA cell and one UTRA cell :
- Cell 1 (default parameters) E-UTRA serving cell
- Cell 5 (TBD parameters) UTRA cell

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on cell 1 according to [18].

Editor's note: SS Test conditions to be finalised

8.1.3.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.1.3.6.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS changes Cell 5 parameters so that Cell 5 meets cell selection criteria. | | | - | - |
| 2 | SS transmits an <i>RRCConnectionRelease</i> message (IE <i>RedirectionInformation</i> including <i>UTRA-CarrierFreq</i>). | <-- | <i>RRCConnectionRelease</i> | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: The steps 3 and 4 below are repeated for a duration of [x1]ms + 5s. | | | | |
| 3 | SS sends a paging message on Cell 1 | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check if UE response to paging | --> | <i>RRCConnectionRequest</i> | 1 | F |
| 5 | Check: the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that UE is in UTRA RRC_IDLE state on Cell (. | - | - | 1 | P |

8.1.3.6.3.3 Specific message or IE contents

Table 8.1.3.6.3.3-1 RRCConnectionRelease message (step 2, Table 8.1.3.6.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 table 4.6.1.2-14 | | | |
|--|------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionRelease ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionRelease-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| redirectionInformation ::= CHOICE { | | | |
| interRAT-target CHOICE { | | | |
| utra | UARFCN of cell 2 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.1.3.6.3.3-2 Priority Info List IE for cell 5

In the "Priority Info List" IE within system information, priority of UARFCN of cell 5 is 0, priority of EARFCN of cell 1 is 1.

Note: It is FFS in which System Information Block type this IE will be introduced, or if a new System Information Block type will be created.

The exact definition of IE "Priority Info List" definition is FFS.

8.2 RRC Connection Reconfiguration

8.2.1 Radio Bearer Establishment

8.2.1.1 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Radio Bearer Establishment for transition from RRC_IDLE to RRC_CONNECTED: Success (Default bearer, early bearer establishment)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RP#41 + R2-085979.

8.2.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE having completed the RRC connection establishment procedure }
ensure that {
  when { SS sends in sequence a SecurityModeCommand and an RRCConnectionReconfiguration message }
  then { UE establishes the initial security configuration in accordance with the received
securityConfiguration included in SecurityModeCommand and successfully completes the connection
reconfiguration }
}
```

8.2.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.1.2, 5.3.5.3 and 5.3.10.3. The following represent an extraction of the requirements relevant to the test purpose.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.1.2]

The UE shall:

- 1> process the received messages in order of reception by RRC, i.e. the processing of a message shall be completed before starting the processing of a subsequent message;

NOTE: E-UTRAN may initiate a subsequent procedure prior to receiving the UEs response of a previously initiated procedure.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.1.1]

...

After having initiated the initial security activation procedure, E-UTRAN initiates the establishment of SRB2 and of radio bearers carrying user data (DRBs), i.e. E-UTRAN may do this prior to receiving the confirmation of the initial security activation from the UE. In any case, E-UTRAN will apply both ciphering and integrity protection for the RRC connection reconfiguration messages used to establish SRB2 and DRBs.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
- 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;

...

NOTE: If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the establishment of radio bearers others than SRB1, the UE may start using these radio bearers immediately, i.e. there is no need to wait for an outstanding acknowledgment of the *SecurityModeComplete* message.

- 1> submit the *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration, upon which the procedure ends;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *drb-ToAddModifyList*:
- 2> for each *drb-Identity* value included in the *drb-ToAddModifyList* that is not part of the current UE configuration (DRB establishment):
- 3> establish a PDCP entity and configure it with the current security configuration and in accordance with the received *PDCP-Configuration* IE;
- 3> establish an RLC entity in accordance with the received *RLC-Configuration* IE;
- 3> establish a DTCH logical channel in accordance with the received *LogicalChannelConfig* IE;

...

8.2.1.1.3 Test description

8.2.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) according to [18].

8.2.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Make UE attempting an outgoing call | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionRequest</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS transmit a <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> message | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionSetup</i> | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> to confirm the successful completion of the connection establishment. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionSetupComplete</i> | - | - |
| 5 | SS transmits a <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> message to activate AS security. | <-- | <i>SecurityModeCommand</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Before the security activation procedure completes, the SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to establish a data radio bearer. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> message? | --> | <i>SecurityModeComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message to confirm the establishment of data radio bearer? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 9 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | 1 | |

8.2.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.1.1.3.3-1 *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 6, Table 8.2.1.1.3.2-1)

| |
|---|
| Derivation Path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6, condition SRB2-DRB(1, 0) |
|---|

8.2.1.2 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Radio Bearer Establishment for transition from RRC_IDLE to RRC_CONNECTED: Failure (Default bearer)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.2.0 i.e. after RAN#40 + R2-083795.

8.2.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE having completed the initial security activation procedure }
ensure that {
  when { UE is unable to comply with a received RRCCConnectionReconfiguration message }
  then { UE initiates the connection re-establishment procedure }
}
```

8.2.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3, 5.3.5.5, 5.3.7.2, 5.3.7.3, 5.3.7.4 and 5.3.7.9.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:

2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *ue-RelatedInformation*:

2> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*, if received;

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *nas-DedicatedInformation*:

2> Forward the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to upper layers;

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:

2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

NOTE: If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the establishment of radio bearers others than SRB1, the UE may start using these radio bearers immediately, i.e. there is no need to wait for an outstanding acknowledgment of the *SecurityModeComplete* message.

1> submit the *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration, upon which the procedure ends;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.5]

The UE shall:

1> If the UE is unable to comply with (part of) the configuration included in the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message:

2> continue using the configuration used prior to the reception of *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message;

2> initiate the connection re-establishment procedure as specified in 5.3.7, upon which the connection reconfiguration procedure ends.

NOTE: If the UE is unable to comply with part of the configuration, it does not apply any part of the configuration i.e. there is no partial success/ failure.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.2]

The UE shall only initiate the procedure when security has been activated. The UE initiates the procedure when one of the following conditions is met:

1> after having detected radio link failure, in accordance with 5.3.11; or

1> upon handover failure, in accordance with 5.3.5.6; or

1> when RLC indicates that the maximum number of retransmissions has been reached, as specified in TS 36.322 [7]; or

1> upon an RRC connection reconfiguration failure, in accordance with 5.3.5.5.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

1> stop timer T310, if running;

1> stop timer T312, if running;

1> start timer T311;

1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

1> select a suitable cell in accordance with the cell selection process as specified in [4];

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.3]

Upon (re-)entry of service area while T311 is running, the UE shall:

- 1> Upon selecting an E-UTRA cell:
 - 2> stop timer T311;
 - 2> start timer T301;
 - 2> initiate transmission of the *RRCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.7.4;

NOTE 1: The criteria for re-entry of service area specified in 5.3.11.4.

NOTE 2: This procedure applies also if the UE returns to the source cell

- 1> Upon selecting an inter-RAT cell:
 - 2> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.12.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.4]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE ue-Identity as follows:
 - 2> set the c-RNTI to the C-RNTI used in the source cell (handover failure case) or used in the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);
 - 2> set the *cellIdentity* to the Physical layer identity of the source cell (handover failure case) or of the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);
 - 2> set the *authenticationCode* to a MAC-I calculated over:
 - 3> the C-RNTI used in the source cell (handover failure case) or used in the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);
 - 3> the Physical layer identity of the source cell (handover failure case) or of the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases)
 - 3> the identity of the target cell (details FFS)
- 1> set the IE *reestablishmentCause* as follows (details FFS):

Editor's note: SA3 indicated that a size of around 16 may be used for the MAC-I i.e. using truncation (see R2-081917).

The UE shall submit the *RRCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.9]

Upon receiving the *RRCConnectionReestablishmentReject* message, the UE shall:

- 1> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.12.

Editor's note: It is up to upper layers to take further action. To facilitate this, the cause of the release may need to be indicated to upper layers.

8.2.1.2.3 Test description

8.2.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle mode (state 2) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.2.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour (FFS)

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a <i>Paging</i> message including a matched identity. | <-- | <i>Paging</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREQUEST</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONSETUP</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONSETUP</i> | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONSETUPCOMPLETE</i> message to confirm the successful completion of the connection establishment. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONSETUPCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a <i>SECURITYMODECOMMAND</i> message to activate AS security. | <-- | <i>SECURITYMODECOMMAND</i> | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits a <i>SECURITYMODECOMPLETE</i> message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | <i>SECURITYMODECOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> , which lacks the IEs required for the DRB setup. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | 1 | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREESTABLISHMENTREQUEST</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREESTABLISHMENTREQUEST</i> | 1 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREESTABLISHMENTREJECT</i> message to release the RRC connection. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREESTABLISHMENTREJECT</i> | 1 | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state? | - | - | 1 | - |

8.2.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-1: Paging (step 1, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-2: RRCConnectionRequest (step 2, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-3: RRCConnectionSetup (step 3, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-4: RRCConnectionSetupComplete (step 4, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-5: SecurityModeCommand (step 5, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-6: SecurityModeComplete (step 6, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-7: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 7, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-8: RRCConnectionReestablishmentRequest (step 8, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.1.2.3.3-9: RRCConnectionReestablishmentReject (step 9, Table 8.2.1.2.3.2-1)

FFS

8.2.1.3 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Radio Bearer Establishment: Success (Dedicated bearer)**8.2.1.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)**

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { SS sends an RRCConnectionReconfiguration message including a drb-Identity that is not part
of the current UE configuration and a nas-DedicatedInformation }
  then { UE successfully establish the radio bearer according to IE radioResourceConfiguration }
}

```

8.2.1.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.3 and 5.3.10.3.

The following represent an extraction of the requirements relevant to the test purpose.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

1> If the *RRCCONNECTIONReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:

2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;

...

1> If the *RRCCONNECTIONReconfiguration* message includes the *nas-DedicatedInformation*:

2> Forward the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to upper layers;

...

1> submit the *RRCCONNECTIONReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration, upon which the procedure ends;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.3]

The UE shall:

1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *drb-ToAddModifyList*:

2> for each *drb-Identity* value included in the *drb-ToAddModifyList* that is not part of the current UE configuration (DRB establishment):

3> establish a PDCP entity in accordance with the received *PDCP-Configuration* IE;

3> establish an RLC entity in accordance with the received *RLC-Configuration* IE;

3> establish a DTCH logical channel in accordance with the received *LogicalChannelConfig* IE;

8.2.1.3.3 Test description

8.2.1.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.2.1.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.1.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONReconfiguration</i> message to establish a data radio bearer. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | The UE transmits an <i>ULInformationTransfer</i> message. | --> | <i>ULInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check: the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state. | - | - | 1 | |

8.2.1.3.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.1.3.3.3-1 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1, Table 8.2.1.3.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6, condition DRB(1,0) | | | |
|---|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| nas-DedicatedInformation | octet string | ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST according 36.508 table 4.7.3-3 | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.2.1.4 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Radio Bearer Establishment: Failure (Dedicated bearer)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.2.0 i.e. after RAN#40 + R2-083795.

8.2.1.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure
}
ensure that {
  when { UE is unable to comply with a received RRConnectionReconfiguration message }
  then { UE performs the connection re-establishment procedure }
}

```

8.2.1.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3, 5.3.5.5, 5.3.7.2, 5.3.7.3, 5.3.7.4, 5.3.7.5 and 5.3.7.6.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *ue-RelatedInformation*:
 - 2> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*, if received;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *nas-DedicatedInformation*:
 - 2> Forward the *nas-DedicatedInformation* to upper layers;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

NOTE: If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the establishment of radio bearers others than SRB1, the UE may start using these radio bearers immediately, i.e. there is no need to wait for an outstanding acknowledgment of the *SecurityModeComplete* message.

- 1> submit the *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration, upon which the procedure ends;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.5]

The UE shall:

- 1> If the UE is unable to comply with (part of) the configuration included in the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message:
 - 2> continue using the configuration used prior to the reception of *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message;
 - 2> initiate the connection re-establishment procedure as specified in 5.3.7, upon which the connection reconfiguration procedure ends.

NOTE: If the UE is unable to comply with part of the configuration, it does not apply any part of the configuration i.e. there is no partial success/ failure.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.2]

The UE shall only initiate the procedure when security has been activated. The UE initiates the procedure when one of the following conditions is met:

- 1> after having detected radio link failure, in accordance with 5.3.11; or
- 1> upon handover failure, in accordance with 5.3.5.6; or
- 1> when RLC indicates that the maximum number of retransmissions has been reached, as specified in TS 36.322 [7]; or
- 1> upon an RRC connection reconfiguration failure, in accordance with 5.3.5.5.

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310, if running;
- 1> stop timer T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T311;
- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;
- 1> select a suitable cell in accordance with the cell selection process as specified in [4];

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.3]

Upon (re-)entry of service area while T311 is running, the UE shall:

- 1> Upon selecting an E-UTRA cell:
 - 2> stop timer T311;
 - 2> start timer T301;
 - 2> initiate transmission of the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.7.4;

NOTE 1: The criteria for re-entry of service area specified in 5.3.11.4.

NOTE 2: This procedure applies also if the UE returns to the source cell

- 1> Upon selecting an inter-RAT cell:
 - 2> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.12.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.4]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message as follows:

1> set the IE ue-Identity as follows:

- 2> set the c-RNTI to the C-RNTI used in the source cell (handover failure case) or used in the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);
- 2> set the *cellIdentity* to the Physical layer identity of the source cell (handover failure case) or of the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);
- 2> set the authenticationCode to a MAC-I calculated over:
 - 3> the C-RNTI used in the source cell (handover failure case) or used in the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);
 - 3> the Physical layer identity of the source cell (handover failure case) or of the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases)
 - 3> the identity of the target cell (details FFS)

1> set the IE *reestablishmentCause* as follows (details FFS):

Editor's note: SA3 indicated that a size of around 16 may be used for the MAC-I i.e. using truncation (see R2-081917).

The UE shall submit the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.5]

NOTE: Prior to this, lower layers allocate a C-RNTI. For further details see TS 36.321 [6];

The UE shall:

- 1> Stop timer T301;
- 1> resume SRB1 after reconfiguring it in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfiguration* and as specified in 5.3.10;

Editor's note: It has been agreed that the procedure is the same irrespective of whether the UE returns to the same cell. So, e.g. the UE always derives a new AS base-key (KeNB)

- 1> configure lower layers to re-activate integrity protection using the previously configured algorithm immediately, i.e. integrity protection shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> configure lower layers to apply ciphering using the previously configured algorithm immediately, i.e. ciphering shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> send the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete* message as specified in 5.3.7.6;
- 1> Resume the RRC connection with the restriction that the use of all radio bearers other than SRB1 is suspended until a subsequent *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message is received;

Editor's note: A subsequent RRC connection reconfiguration procedure is used to re-activate the measurements. The concerned *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message can, for the RLC/MAC & measurement configuration, either apply delta or full signalling. In case of 'full signalling' the UE completely deletes the existing configuration and replaces this with the newly received configuration. The use of 'full signalling' for PDCP is FFS, but should be aligned with what is agreed for handover. Upon successful connection re-establishment, the UE applies the same rules to the measurement configuration as defined for the case of handover.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.6]

The UE shall submit the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete* message to lower layers for transmission.

8.2.1.4.3 Test description

8.2.1.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.2.1.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.1.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour (FFS)

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message, which lacks the IEs required for the DRB setup. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | 1 | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> message? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishment</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishment</i> | 1 | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 5 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | 1 | |

8.2.1.4.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.2.1.4.3.3-1: RRCCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.2.1.4.3.2-1)

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Table 8.2.1.4.3.3-2: RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest (step 2, Table 8.2.1.4.3.2-1)

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Table 8.2.1.4.3.3-3: RRCCConnectionReestablishment (step 3, Table 8.2.1.4.3.2-1)

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Table 8.2.1.4.3.3-4: RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete (step 4, Table 8.2.1.4.3.2-1)

FFS

8.2.1.7 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Radio Bearer Establishment: Success (SRB2)

8.2.1.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state without SRB2 }
ensure that {
  when { SS sends an RRCConnectionReconfiguration message including SRB2 configuration }
  then { UE successfully establish the signalling radio bearer }
}
```

8.2.1.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.3, and 5.3.10.1.

The following represent an extraction of the requirements relevant to the test purpose.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

1> If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:

2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.10.10;

...

1> submit the *RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration, upon which the procedure ends;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.1]

The UE shall:

1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *srb-ToAddModifyList*:

2> for each *srb-Identity* value included in the *srb-ToAddModifyList* that is not part of the current UE configuration (SRB establishment):

3> if the *rlc-Configuration* is set to 'explicit':

4> establish an RLC entity in accordance with the received *RLC-Configuration* IE;

3> else if the *rlc-Configuration* is set to 'default':

4> establish an RLC entity in accordance with the default configuration applicable for this *srb-identity* as specified in 9.2.1;

3> if the *logicalChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':

4> establish a DCCH logical channel in accordance with the received *LogicalChannelConfig* IE;

3> else if the *logicalChannelConfig* is set to 'default':

4> establish a DCCH logical channel in accordance with the default configuration applicable for this *srb-identity* as specified in 9.2.1;

8.2.1.7.3 Test description

8.2.1.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle Mode (State 2) according to [18].

8.2.1.7.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.1.7.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | U - S | Message Sequence Message | TP | Verdict |
|-----|--|-------|--|----|---------|
| 1-7 | Generic Radio Bearer Establishment (State 3) step 1 to 7. | | | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to establish SRB2. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 9 | The UE transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 10 | Check: the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state. | - | | 1 | P |

8.2.1.7.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.1.7.3.3-1: *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 8)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6, condition SRB2-DRB(1, 0) | | | |
|---|------------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| C1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| radioResourceConfiguration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| srb-ToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..2)) | | | |
| OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| srb-ToAddModify[1] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rlc-Configuration CHOICE { | | | |
| explicit | RLC-Configuration-NON-DEFAULT-SRB2 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.2.1.7.3.3-2: RLC-Configuration-NON-DEFAULT-SRB2 (step 8)

| Derivation Path: 36.331 clauses 6.3.2, 9.2.1.2 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RLC-Configuration-NON-DEFAULT-SRB2 ::= CHOICE { | | | |
| am SEQUENCE { | | | |
| ul-AM-RLC SEQUENCE { | | | |
| t-PollRetransmit | ms100 | | |
| pollPDU | p16 | | |
| pollByte | kb500 | | |
| maxRetxThreshold | t4 | | |
| } | | | |
| dl-AM-RLC SEQUENCE { | | | |
| t-Reordering | ms100 | | |
| t-StatusProhibit | ms200 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.2.2 Radio Resource Reconfiguration

8.2.2.1 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Radio Resource Reconfiguration: Success

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RP#41 + R2-085979.8.2.2.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCConnectionReconfiguration message including a radioResourceConfiguration
with SRB, DRB, transport channel and physical channel reconfiguration }
  then { UE reconfigures the data and signalling radio bearers }
}
```

8.2.2.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clause 5.3.5.3, 5.3.10.1, 5.3.10.3, 5.3.10.4 and 5.3.10.6.

The following represent an extraction of the requirements relevant to the test purpose.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

1> If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:

2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;

...

1> submit the *RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration, upon which the procedure ends;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.1]

The UE shall:

1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *srb-ToAddModifyList*:

...

- 2> for each *srb-Identity* value included in the *srb-ToAddModifyList* that is part of the current UE configuration (SRB reconfiguration):
 - 3> if the *rlc-Configuration* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> reconfigure the RLC entity in accordance with the received *RLC-Configuration* IE;
 - 3> else if the *rlc-Configuration* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the RLC entity in accordance with the default configuration applicable for this *srb-identity* as specified in 9.2.1.1;
 - 3> if the *logicalChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> reconfigure the DCCH logical channel in accordance with the received *LogicalChannelConfig* IE;
 - 3> else if the *logicalChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the DCCH logical channel in accordance with the default configuration applicable for this *srb-identity* as specified in 9.2.1.1;

NOTE 1: 'Infinity' is the only applicable value for the *prioritizedBitRate* for SRB1 and SRB2

NOTE 2: AM is the only applicable RLC mode for SRB1 and SRB2

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *drb-ToAddModifyList*:

...

- 2> indicate the establishment of the DRB(s) to upper layers;
- 2> for each *drb-Identity* value included in the *drb-ToAddModifyList* that is part of the current UE configuration (DRB reconfiguration):
 - 3> reconfigure the PDCP entity in accordance with the received *PDCP-Configuration* IE;
 - 3> reconfigure the RLC entity in accordance with the received *RLC-Configuration* IE;
 - 3> reconfigure the DTCH logical channel in accordance with the received *LogicalChannelConfig* IE;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the IE *mac-MainConfig*:
- 2> if the *mac-MainConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 3> if the received *mac-MainConfig* includes the *dl-SCH-Configuration*:
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> if the received *mac-MainConfig* includes the *ul-SCH-Configuration*:
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> if the *mac-MainConfig* includes *drx-Configuration*:
 - 4> if the *drx-Configuration* is set to 'disable':
 - 5> disable the DRX functionality;
 - 5> release the DRX configuration.
 - 4> else if the *drx-Configuration* includes *shortDRX* and *shortDRX* is set to 'disable':

- 5> disable the short DRX functionality;
- 5> release short DRX configuration;
- 3> if the *mac-MainConfig* includes *timeAlignmentTimerDedicated*:
 - 4> apply the *timeAlignmentTimerDedicated*;
- 3> if the *mac-MainConfig* includes *phr-Configuration*:
 - 4> if the *phr-Configuration* is set to 'disable':
 - 5> disable the power headroom reporting functionality;
- 2> else if the *mac-MainConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 3> reconfigure the *mac-MainConfig* in accordance with the default configuration as specified in 9.2.2;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.6]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *physicalConfigDedicated*:
 - 2> reconfigure the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
 - 2> if the *antennaInformation* is included and set to 'explicit':
 - 3> reconfigure the antenna configuration in accordance with the received *AntennaInformationDedicated*;
 - 2> else if the *antennaInformation* is included and set to 'default':
 - 3> reconfigure the antenna configuration in accordance with the default configuration 'Antenna Information Dedicated' as specified in 9.2.4;
 - 2> if *physicalConfigDedicated* includes IE *cqi-Reporting* and *cqi-Reporting* includes IE *cqi-ReportingPeriodic* and the configuration is set to disable:
 - 3> deactivate any uplink resources used for periodic CQI Reporting, if active;
 - 3> release the *cqi-ReportingPeriodic* configuration;
 - 2> if *physicalConfigDedicated* includes the IE *soundingRsUL-Config* and the configuration is set to disable:
 - 3> deactivate any uplink resources used for Sounding if active;
 - 3> release the *soundingRsUL-Config* configuration.
 - 2> if *physicalConfigDedicated* includes the IE *schedulingRequestConfig* and the configuration is set to disable:
 - 3> deactivate any uplink resources used for Scheduling Request if active;
 - 3> release the *schedulingRequestConfig* configuration.

8.2.2.1.3 Test description

8.2.2.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.2.2.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.2.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> containing a <i>radioResourceConfiguration</i> with SRBs, DRB, transport channel and physical channel reconfiguration. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message to confirm the reconfiguration of the radio resources? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | | - |

8.2.2.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.2.1.3.3-1 *RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION*

| Derivation Path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| radioResourceConfiguration | RadioResourceConfigDedicated-RECONFIG | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.2.2.1.3.3-2 *RadioResourceConfigDedicated-RECONFIG* (step 1)

| Derivation Path: 36.331 clause 6.3.2 | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RadioResourceConfigDedicated-RECONFIG</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| srb-ToAddModifyList | FFS | | |
| drb-ToAddModifyList | FFS | | |
| drb-ToReleaseList | Not present | | |
| transportChannelConfig CHOICE { | | | |
| default | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| physicalConfigDedicated | FFS | | |
| } | | | |

8.2.2.2 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / SRB/DRB Reconfiguration: Success

8.2.2.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state}  
ensure that {  
  when { UE receives a RRCCConnectionReconfiguration message}  
  then { UE sets parameters according to the value of IE and sends  
         RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete message }  
}
```

8.2.2.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC is specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.5.3, 5.3.9.1, 5.3.9.3, and 9.2.2.1.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

1> if the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:

2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.1]

The UE shall:

1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *srb-ToAddModifyList*:

2> for each *srb-Identity* value included in the *srb-ToAddModifyList* that is not part of the current UE configuration (SRB establishment):

3> if the *rlc-Configuration* is set to 'explicit':

4> establish an RLC entity in accordance with the received *RLC-Configuration* IE;

3> else if the *rlc-Configuration* is set to 'default':

4> establish an RLC entity in accordance with the default configuration applicable for this *srb-identity* as specified in 9.2.1;

3> if the *logicalChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':

4> establish a DCCH logical channel in accordance with the received *LogicalChannelConfig* IE;

3> else if the *logicalChannelConfig* is set to 'default':

4> establish a DCCH logical channel in accordance with the default configuration applicable for this *srb-identity* as specified in 9.2.1;

2> for each *srb-Identity* value included in the *srb-ToAddModifyList* that is part of the current UE configuration (SRB reconfiguration):

3> if the *rlc-Configuration* is set to 'explicit':

4> reconfigure the RLC entity in accordance with the received *RLC-Configuration* IE;

3> else if the *rlc-Configuration* is set to 'default':

4> reconfigure the RLC entity in accordance with the default configuration applicable for this *srb-identity* as specified in 9.2.1.1;

3> if the *logicalChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':

- 4> reconfigure the DCCH logical channel in accordance with the received *LogicalChannelConfig* IE;
- 3> else if the *logicalChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the DCCH logical channel in accordance with the default configuration applicable for this *srb-identity* as specified in 9.2.1.1;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *drb-ToAddModifyList*:

...

- 2> for each *drb-Identity* value included in the *drb-ToAddModifyList* that is part of the current UE configuration (DRB reconfiguration):
 - 3> reconfigure the PDCP entity in accordance with the received *PDCP-Configuration* IE;
 - 3> if the *rlc-ReestablishmentRequest* is included, re-establish RLC for the corresponding DRB;
 - 3> reconfigure the RLC entity in accordance with the received *RLC-Configuration* IE;
 - 3> reconfigure the DTCH logical channel in accordance with the received *LogicalChannelConfig* IE;

8.2.2.2.3 Test Description

8.2.2.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.2.2.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.2.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>radioResourceReconfiguration</i> which includes <i>srb-ToAddModifyList</i> | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Check: UE transmits <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> . | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: UE modifies SRBs using the parameters according to the value of IE sent in step 1. | - | - | 1 | P |
| 4 | SS transmits <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>radioResourceReconfiguration</i> which includes <i>drb-ToAddModifyList</i> | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 5 | Check: UE transmits <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> . | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 6 | Check: UE modifies DRBs using the parameters according to the value of IE sent in step 4. | - | - | 1 | P |
| 7 | SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>radioResourceReconfiguration</i> which includes <i>rlc-ReestablishmentRequest</i> | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 8 | Check: UE transmits <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> and re-establish rlc entities. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 9 | Check: UE re-establish RLC entities. | - | - | 1 | P |

8.2.2.2.3.3 Specific message or IE contents

Table 8.2.2.2.3.3-1 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1, Table 8.2.2.2.3.2-1)

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Table 8.2.2.2.3.3-2 *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* (step 2, Table 8.2.2.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.2.2.3.3-3 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 4, Table 8.2.2.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.2.2.3.3-4 *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* (step 5, Table 8.2.2.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.2.2.3.3-5 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 7, Table 8.2.2.2.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.2.2.3.3-6 *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* (step 8, Table 8.2.2.2.3.2-1)

FFS

8.2.3 Radio Bearer Release

8.2.3.1 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Radio Bearer Release: Success

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RP#41 + R2-085979.8.2.3.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE receives an RRCCConnectionReconfiguration message including a drb-ToReleaseList }  
  then { for each drb-Identity release the PDCP entity and RLC entity and DTCH logical channel;  
and indicate release of the DRB(s) to upper layers }  
}
```

8.2.3.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clause 5.3.5.3 and 5.3.10.2.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
- 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- ...
- 1> submit the *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration, upon which the procedure ends;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.2]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *drb-ToReleaseList*:
- 2> for each *drb-Identity* value included in the *drb-ToReleaseList* that is part of the current UE configuration (DRB release):
 - 3> release the PDCP entity;
 - 3> release the RLC entity;
 - 3> release the DTCH logical channel;
- 2> indicate the release of the DRB(s) and the *eps-BearerIdentity* of the released DRB(s) to upper layers;

8.2.3.1.3 Test description

8.2.3.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.2.3.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.3.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS to transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message with a <i>drb-ToReleaseList</i> | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmits a <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | | - |

8.2.3.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.3.1.3.3-1: *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|---|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| radioResourceConfiguration | RadioResourceConfigDedicated-DRB-RELEASE | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.2.3.1.3.3-2: *RadioResourceConfigDedicated-DRB-RELEASE* (step 1)

| Derivation Path: 36.331 clause 6.3.2 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| <i>RadioResourceConfigDedicated-DRB-RELEASE</i> ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| srb-ToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| drb-ToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| drb-ToReleaseList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxDRB)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| drb-Identity[1] | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| transportChannelConfig | Not present | | |
| physicalConfigDedicated | Not present | | |
| } | | | |

8.2.4 Handover

8.2.4.1 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Handover: Success (Dedicated preamble)

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8.2.4.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

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with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure
and performed the intra frequency measurement}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCCConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControlInformation with an IE rach-ConfigDedicated }
    then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete message }
}

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8.2.4.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.4, 5.3.10.4 and 5.3.10.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

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If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;

1> start timer T304 with the timer value set to *t304*, as included in the *mobilityControlInformation*;

1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:

2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;

1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;

1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:

2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;

1> else:

2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;

1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:

2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;

1> else:

2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;

1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:

2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;

1> else:

2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;

1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;

- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:
 - 2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;
- 1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;
- 1> submit the *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;
- 1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:
 - 2> stop timer T304;
 - 2> If the *physicalConfigDedicated* is included in the *RRConnectionReconfiguration*:
 - 3> If the UE needs the SFN of the target cell to apply the PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration upon acquiring the SFN of the target cell;
 - 3> else:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration;
 - 2> indicate to PDCP to complete the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all DRBs that are established, if any;
 - 2> the procedure ends.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the IE *MAC-MainConfiguration*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a DL-SCH transport channel configuration (DL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> establish an DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

- 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a UL-SCH transport channel configuration (UL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'
 - 4> establish an UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
- 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.5]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *physicalConfigDedicated*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a physical channel configuration (physical channel establishment):
 - 3> establish the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> reconfigure the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
- 1> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
- 1> if the received *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation*:
 - 2> if SPS resource is activated:
 - 3> deactivate SPS resource;

8.2.4.1.3 Test description

8.2.4.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.2.4.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.4.1.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.2.4.1.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 2 (M2) satisfy exit condition for event A3 ($M2 + Hys < M1$). |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 2 (M2) satisfy entry condition for event A3 ($M2 - Hys > M1$). |

Table 8.2.4.1.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to setup intra frequency measurement. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 parameters according to the row "T1" in table 8.2.4.1.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2. | --> | <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message on Cell 2 using dedicated preamble to confirm the successful completion of the intra frequency handover? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 2? | - | - | 1 | - |

8.2.4.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.4.1.3.3-1 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.2.4.1.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|--|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measurementConfiguration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measObjectToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measObjectToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectld)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| measObject[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| measObjectEUTRA | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| reportConfigToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| reportConfigToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigld)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| reportConfig[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| reportConfigEUTRA | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| measldToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measldToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasld)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| measld[1] | 1 | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| quantityConfig | FFS | | |
| measGapConfig | Not present | | |
| s-Measure | Not present | | |
| hrpd-PreRegistrationInfo | Not present | | |
| mbsfn-NeighbourCellConfig | Not present | | |
| speedDependentParameters | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| radioResourceConfiguration | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| MeasObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 2 | | |
| } | | | |
| measurementBandwidth | Not present | | |
| offsetFreq | dB0 | | |
| cellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| cellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| cellForWhichToReportCGI | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| ReportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| triggerType CHOICE { | | | |
| event SEQUENCE { | | | |
| eventId CHOICE { | | | |
| eventA3 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| a3-Offset | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| hysteresis | FFS | | |
| timeToTrigger | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| triggerQuantity | rsrp | | |
| reportQuantity | sameAsTriggerQuantity | | |
| maxReportCells | 8 | | |
| reportInterval | Not present | | |
| reportAmount | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

Table 8.2.4.1.3.3-2 *MeasurementReport* (step 4, Table 8.2.4.1.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| MeasurementReport ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| measurementReport-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measuredResults SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measId | 1 | | |
| measResultServing | FFS | | |
| mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { | | | |
| measResultListEUTRA SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| physicalCellIdentity[1] | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) | | |
| globalCellIdentity[1] | Not present | | |
| measResultEUTRA[1] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rsrpResult | FFS | | |
| rsrqResult | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.2.4.1.3.3-3 *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 5, Table 8.2.4.1.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mobilityControlInformation SEQUENCE { | MobilityControlInformation-HO | | |
| targetCellIdentity | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq | Not present | | |
| rach-ConfigDedicated SEQUENCE { | | | |
| ra-PreambleIndex | FFS | | |
| ra-ResourceIndex | Not present | | FDD |
| ra-ResourceIndex | FFS | | TDD |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| securityConfiguration | SecurityConfiguration-HO | | |
| ue-RelatedInformation | UE-RelatedInformation-HO | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

| Condition | Explanation |
|-----------|----------------------|
| FDD | FDD cell environment |
| TDD | TDD cell environment |

8.2.4.2 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Handover: Success (Common preamble)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.2.4.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

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with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure
and performed the intra frequency measurement }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCCConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControlInformation without an IE rach-ConfigDedicated }
  then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete message }
}

```

8.2.4.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.4, 5.3.10.4 and 5.3.10.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

...

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T304 with the timer value set to *t304*, as included in the *mobilityControlInformation*;

1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:

2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;

1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;

1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:

2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;

1> else:

2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;

1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:

2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;

1> else:

2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;

1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:

2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;

1> else:

2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;

1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:

2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;

2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;

2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:

2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;

1> submit the *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;

1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:

2> stop timer T304;

2> If the *physicalConfigDedicated* is included in the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message:

3> If the UE needs the SFN of the target cell to apply the PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration:

4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration upon acquiring the SFN of the target cell;

3> else:

4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration;

2> indicate to PDCP to complete the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all DRBs that are established, if any;

2> the procedure ends.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.4]

The UE shall:

1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the IE *MAC-MainConfiguration*:

2> if the current UE configuration does not include a DL-SCH transport channel configuration (DL-SCH establishment):

3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':

4> establish an DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;

3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':

4> establish a DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

2> else:

3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':

4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;

3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':

4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

2> if the current UE configuration does not include a UL-SCH transport channel configuration (UL-SCH establishment):

3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'

4> establish an UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;

3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':

4> establish a UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

2> else:

3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'

4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;

3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':

4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.5]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *physicalConfigDedicated*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a physical channel configuration (physical channel establishment):
 - 3> establish the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> reconfigure the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
- 1> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
- 1> if the received *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation*:
 - 2> if SPS resource is activated:
 - 3> deactivate SPS resource;

8.2.4.2.3 Test description

8.2.4.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on cell 1 according to [18].

8.2.4.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.4.2.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.2.4.2.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 2 (M2) satisfy exit condition for event A3 ($M2 + Hys < M1$). |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 2 (M2) satisfy entry condition for event A3 ($M2 - Hys > M1$). |

Table 8.2.4.2.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to setup intra frequency measurement. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 parameters according to the row "T1" in table 8.2.4.2.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Check: The UE transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message on Cell 2 using common preamble to confirm the successful completion of the intra frequency handover. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 2. | - | - | 1 | P |

8.2.4.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.4.2.3.3-1 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.2.4.2.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|--|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measurementConfiguration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measObjectToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measObjectToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectld)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| measObject[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| measObjectEUTRA | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| reportConfigToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| reportConfigToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigld)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| reportConfig[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| reportConfigEUTRA | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| measldToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measldToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasld)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| measld[1] | 1 | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| quantityConfig | FFS | | |
| measGapConfig | Not present | | |
| s-Measure | Not present | | |
| hrpd-PreRegistrationInfo | Not present | | |
| mbsfn-NeighbourCellConfig | Not present | | |
| speedDependentParameters | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| radioResourceConfiguration | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| MeasObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 2 | | |
| } | | | |
| measurementBandwidth | Not present | | |
| offsetFreq | dB0 | | |
| cellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| cellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| cellForWhichToReportCGI | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| ReportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| triggerType CHOICE { | | | |
| event SEQUENCE { | | | |
| eventId CHOICE { | | | |
| eventA3 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| a3-Offset | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| hysteresis | FFS | | |
| timeToTrigger | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| triggerQuantity | rsrp | | |
| reportQuantity | sameAsTriggerQuantity | | |
| maxReportCells | 8 | | |
| reportInterval | Not present | | |
| reportAmount | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

Table 8.2.4.2.3.3-2 *MeasurementReport* (step 4, Table 8.2.4.2.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| MeasurementReport ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| measurementReport-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measuredResults SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measId | 1 | | |
| measResultServing | FFS | | |
| mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { | | | |
| measResultListEUTRA SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| physicalCellIdentity[1] | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) | | |
| globalCellIdentity[1] | Not present | | |
| measResultEUTRA[1] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rsrpResult | FFS | | |
| rsrqResult | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.2.4.2.3.3-3 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 5, Table 8.2.4.2.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mobilityControllInformation SEQUENCE { | MobilityControllInformatio n-HO | | |
| targetCellIdentity | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| securityConfiguration | SecurityConfiguration-HO | | |
| ue-RelatedInformation | UE-RelatedInformation- HO | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.2.4.3 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Handover: success (intra-cell, security reconfiguration)

Editor's Note: This section is based on TS 36.331 v82.0 RAN#40 + R2-083795.

8.2.4.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE SecurityConfiguration }
  then { UE transmits an RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete message }
}

```

8.2.4.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.4.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

NOTE 1: The UE should perform the handover as soon as possible following the reception of the RRC message triggering the handover, which could be before confirming successful reception (HARQ and ARQ) of this message.

If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControllInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T304;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;
- 1> indicate the occurrence of handover to PDCP;
- 1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:

2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;

1> else:

2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;

1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:

2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;

1> else:

2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;

1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:

2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;

1> else:

2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;

1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:

2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;

2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm immediately, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;

2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm immediately, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;

...

1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of handover, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;

1> submit the *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;

1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:

2> stop timer T304;

2> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:

3> perform the physical layer reconfiguration related actions applicable upon successfully completing the handover as specified in 5.3.10.5;

2> the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It has been agreed that the UE is not required to determine the SFN of the target cell by acquiring system information from that cell.

Editor's note The handling of the radio configuration is covered by the general reconfiguration procedure. It has been agreed that the configuration used in the target cell may either be specified as a delta to the one used in the serving cell or by providing the full configuration (signalling details are FFS)

Editor's note Currently it is specified that the *keyIndicator* always needs to be provided upon handover as a result of which the *securityConfiguration* becomes mandatory in case of handover. If however the *securityConfiguration* would be optional in case of handover, the case the IE is not included needs to be covered also.

8.2.4.3.3 Test description

8.2.4.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.2.4.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.4.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | <i>DLInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and re-establishes mutual authentication. | --> | <i>ULInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to reactivate NAS security. | <-- | <i>DLInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and re-establishes the security configuration. | --> | <i>ULInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to perform intra cell handover and security reconfiguration. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message using the security key indicated by the IE KeyIndicator to confirm the successful completion of the intra cell handover and security reconfiguration? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | 1 | - |
| 1 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | <i>DLInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and re-establishes mutual authentication. | --> | <i>ULInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to reactivate NAS security. | <-- | <i>DLInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and re-establishes the security configuration. | --> | <i>ULInformationTransfer</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to perform intra cell handover and security reconfiguration. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |

8.2.4.3.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.2.4.3.3.3-1: *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 5, Table 8.2.4.3.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.2.4.3.3.3-2: *RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* (step 6, Table 8.2.4.3.3.2-1)

FFS

8.2.4.5 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Handover (all parameters included)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.2.4.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

```

with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure
and performed the intra frequency measurement }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCCConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControlInformation will all parameters included }
  then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete message }
}

```

8.2.4.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.4, 5.3.10.4 and 5.3.10.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

...

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T304 with the timer value set to *t304*, as included in the *mobilityControlInformation*;
- 1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;
- 1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;
- 1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;
- 1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:

- 2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;
- 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;
- 1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;
- 1> submit the *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;
- 1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:
 - 2> stop timer T304;
 - 2> If the *physicalConfigDedicated* is included in the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message:
 - 3> If the UE needs the SFN of the target cell to apply the PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration upon acquiring the SFN of the target cell;
 - 3> else:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration;
 - 2> indicate to PDCP to complete the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all DRBs that are established, if any;
 - 2> the procedure ends.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the IE *MAC-MainConfiguration*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a DL-SCH transport channel configuration (DL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> establish an DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

- 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a UL-SCH transport channel configuration (UL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'
 - 4> establish an UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
- 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.5]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *physicalConfigDedicated*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a physical channel configuration (physical channel establishment):
 - 3> establish the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> reconfigure the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
- 1> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
- 1> if the received *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation*:
 - 2> if SPS resource is activated:
 - 3> deactivate SPS resource;

8.2.4.5.3 Test description

8.2.4.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.2.4.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.4.5.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.2.4.5.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 2 (M2) satisfy exit condition for event A3 ($M2 + Hys < M1$). |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 2 (M2) satisfy entry condition for event A3 ($M2 - Hys > M1$). |

Table 8.2.4.5.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to setup intra frequency measurement. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message to confirm the setup of intra frequency measurement. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 parameters according to the row "T1" in table 8.2.4.5.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message to confirm the successful completion of the intra frequency handover? | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 2? | - | - | 1 | - |

8.2.4.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Editors note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.2.4.5.3.3-1: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-8 | | | |
|---|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measurementConfiguration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measObjectToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measObjectToAddModifyList SEQUENCE | 1 entry | | |
| (SIZE (1..maxObjectld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| measObject[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| measObjectEUTRA | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| reportConfigToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| reportConfigToAddModifyList SEQUENCE | 1 entry | | |
| (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| reportConfig[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| reportConfigEUTRA | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| measldToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measldToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE | 1 entry | | |
| (1..maxMeasld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measld[1] | 1 | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| quantityConfig | FFS | | |
| measGapConfig | Not present | | |
| s-Measure | Not present | | |
| hrpd-PreRegistrationInfo | Not present | | |
| mbsfn-NeighbourCellConfig | Not present | | |
| speedDependentParameters | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| radioResourceConfiguration | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| MeasObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 2 | | |
| } | | | |
| measurementBandwidth | Not present | | |
| offsetFreq | dB0 | | |
| cellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| cellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| cellForWhichToReportCGI | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| ReportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |

| | | | |
|----------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| triggerType CHOICE { | | | |
| event SEQUENCE { | | | |
| eventId CHOICE { | | | |
| eventA3 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| a3-Offset | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| hysteresis | FFS | | |
| timeToTrigger | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| triggerQuantity | rsrp | | |
| reportQuantity | sameAsTriggerQuantity | | |
| maxReportCells | 8 | | |
| reportInterval | Not present | | |
| reportAmount | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

Table 8.2.4.5.3.3-2: *MeasurementReport* (step 4)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-5 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| MeasurementReport ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| measurementReport-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measuredResults SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measId | 1 | | |
| measResultServing | FFS | | |
| mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { | | | |
| measResultListEUTRA SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| physicalCellIdentity[1] | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) | | |
| globalCellIdentity[1] | Not present | | |
| measResultEUTRA[1] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rsrpResult | FFS | | |
| rsrqResult | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

Table 8.2.4.5.3.3-3: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 5, Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-8, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mobilityControllInformation SEQUENCE { | | | |
| targetCellIdentity | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 1 | | |
| earfcn-UL | Same uplink EARFCN as used for Cell 1 | | FDD |
| | Not present | | TDD |
| } | | | |
| eutra-CarrierBandwidth SEQUENCE { | | | |
| dl-Bandwidth | Same downlink system bandwidth as used for Cell 1 | | |
| ul-Bandwidth | Same uplink system bandwidth as used for Cell 1 | | |
| } | | | |
| additionalSpectrumEmission | Same additionalSpectrumEmission as used for Cell 1 | | |
| t304 | ms1000 | | |
| radioResourceConfigCommon SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rach-Configuration | FFS | | |
| prach-Configuration | FFS | | |
| pdsch-Configuration | FFS | | |
| pusch-Configuration | FFS | | |
| phich-Configuration | FFS | | |
| pucch-Configuration | FFS | | |
| soundingRsUL-Config | FFS | | |
| uplinkPowerControl | FFS | | |
| antennaInformationCommon | FFS | | |
| tdd-Configuration | Not present | | FDD |
| | FFS | | TDD |
| } | | | |
| rach-ConfigDedicated | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| securityConfiguration | SecurityConfiguration-HO | | |
| ue-RelatedInformation | UE-RelatedInformation-HO | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

| Condition | Explanation |
|-----------|----------------------|
| FDD | FDD cell environment |
| TDD | TDD cell environment |

8.2.4.6 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Handover: Success (inter-frequency)

8.2.4.6.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure
and performed the inter frequency measurement }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCCConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControlInformation indicating a different E-UTRA frequency}
  then { UE transmits an RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete message }
}
```

8.2.4.6.2 conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.4, 5.3.10.4 and 5.3.10.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

...

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T304 with the timer value set to *t304*, as included in *mobilityControlInformation*;
- 1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;
- 1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;
- 1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:

- 2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;
- 1> If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:
 - 2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;
- 1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;
- 1> submit the *RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;
- 1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:
 - 2> stop timer T304;
 - 2> If the *physicalConfigDedicated* is included in the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message:
 - 3> If the UE needs the SFN of the target cell to apply the PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration upon acquiring the SFN of the target cell;
 - 3> else:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration;
 - 2> indicate to PDCP to complete the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all DRBs that are established, if any;
 - 2> the procedure ends.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the IE *MAC-MainConfiguration*:
- 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a DL-SCH transport channel configuration (DL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> establish an DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
- 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;

- 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
- 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a UL-SCH transport channel configuration (UL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'
 - 4> establish an UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
- 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.5]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *physicalConfigDedicated*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a physical channel configuration (physical channel establishment):
 - 3> establish the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> reconfigure the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
- 1> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
- 1> if the received *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation*:
 - 2> if SPS resource is activated:
 - 3> deactivate SPS resource;

8.2.4.6.3 Test description

8.2.4.6.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 3

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state state Generic RB Established (state 3) on cell 1 according to [18].

8.2.4.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 3 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 3 (M3) satisfy exit condition for event A3 ($M3 + Hys < M1$). |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 3 (M3) satisfy entry condition for event A3 ($M3 - Hys > M1$). |

Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to setup inter frequency measurement. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 3 parameters according to the row "T1" in table 8.2.4.6.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 3. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to order the UE to perform inter frequency handover to Cell 3. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message on Cell 3 to confirm the successful completion of the inter frequency handover? | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 3? | - | - | 1 | - |

8.2.4.6.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.4.6.2.3.3-1 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|---|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measurementConfiguration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measObjectToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measObjectToAddModifyList SEQUENCE | 1 entry | | |
| (SIZE (1..maxObjectld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| measObject[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| measObjectEUTRA | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| reportConfigToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| reportConfigToAddModifyList SEQUENCE | 1 entry | | |
| (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| reportConfig[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| reportConfigEUTRA | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| measldToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measldToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE | 1 entry | | |
| (1..maxMeasld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measld[1] | 1 | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| quantityConfig | FFS | | |
| measGapConfig | Not present | | |
| s-Measure | Not present | | |
| hrpd-PreRegistrationInfo | Not present | | |
| mbsfn-NeighbourCellConfig | Not present | | |
| speedDependentParameters | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| radioResourceConfiguration | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| MeasObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 3 | | |
| } | | | |
| measurementBandwidth | Not present | | |
| offsetFreq | dB0 | | |
| cellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| cellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| cellForWhichToReportCGI | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| ReportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| triggerType CHOICE { | | | |
| event SEQUENCE { | | | |
| eventId CHOICE { | | | |
| eventA3 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| a3-Offset | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| hysteresis | FFS | | |
| timeToTrigger | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| triggerQuantity | rsrp | | |
| reportQuantity | sameAsTriggerQuantity | | |
| maxReportCells | 8 | | |
| reportInterval | Not present | | |
| reportAmount | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

Table 8.2.4.6.3.3-2 *MeasurementReport* (step 4, Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| MeasurementReport ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| measurementReport-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measuredResults SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measId | 1 | | |
| measResultServing | FFS | | |
| mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { | | | |
| measResultListEUTRA SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| physicalCellIdentity[1] | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 3 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.3) | | |
| globalCellIdentity[1] | Not present | | |
| measResultEUTRA[1] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rsrpResult | FFS | | |
| rsrqResult | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.2.4.6.2.3.3-3 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 5, Table 8.2.4.6.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mobilityControllInformation SEQUENCE { | MobilityControllInformatio n-HO | | |
| targetCellIdentity | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 3 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.3) | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 3 | | |
| earfcn-UL | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| securityConfiguration | SecurityConfiguration-HO | | |
| ue-RelatedInformation | UE-RelatedInformation- HO | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.2.4.7 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Handover: Failure (Re-establishment successful)

8.2.4.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

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with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure
and after receiving an RRConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControllInformation indicating a different E-UTRA cell having attempted intra frequency
handover }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects handover failure and the initial cell is selectable}
  then { UE performs an RRC connection re-establishment procedure and remains in the E-UTRA
RRC_CONNECTED state }
}

```

8.2.4.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.4, 5.3.5.6, 5.3.7.2, 5.3.7.4, 5.3.7.5, 5.3.7.6 and 5.3.10.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControllInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T304 with the timer value set to *t304*, as included in the *mobilityControllInformation*;
- 1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;
- 1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:
 - 2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;
- 1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;
- 1> submit the *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;
- 1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:
 - 2> stop timer T304;
- 2> If the *physicalConfigDedicated* is included in the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message:
 - 3> If the UE needs the SFN of the target cell to apply the PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration upon acquiring the SFN of the target cell;
 - 3> else:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration;

- 2> indicate to PDCP to complete the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all DRBs that are established, if any;
- 2> the procedure ends.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.6]

The UE shall:

- 1> If T304 expires (handover failure):

NOTE 1 Following T304 expiry dedicated preambles, if provided within the *rach-ConfigDedicated*, are not available for use by the UE anymore.

- 2> revert back to the configuration used in the source cell, excluding the physical layer configuration;

NOTE 2: The UE reverts to the RRC configuration as well as the layer 2 configuration (PDCP/RLC/MAC) used in the source cell.

- 2> initiate the connection re-establishment procedure as specified in 5.3.7, upon which the RRC connection reconfiguration procedure ends.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.2]

The UE shall only initiate the procedure when security has been activated. The UE initiates the procedure when one of the following conditions is met:

...

- 1> upon handover failure, in accordance with 5.3.5.6; or

...

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310, if running;

- 1> stop timer T312, if running;

- 1> start timer T311;

- 1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 1: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

- 1> select a suitable cell in accordance with the cell selection process as specified in [4];

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.4]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *ue-Identity* as follows:

- 2> set the *c-RNTI* to the C-RNTI used in the source cell (handover failure case) or used in the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);

- 2> set the *cellIdentity* to the Physical layer identity of the source cell (handover failure case) or of the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);

- 2> set the *shortMAC-I* to the 16 least significant bits of the MAC-I calculated:

- 3> over the concatenation of the ASN.1 encoded *CellIdentity* of the current cell, *PhysicalCellIdentity* of the cell the UE was connected to prior to the failure and *C-RNTI* that the UE had in the cell it was connected to prior to the failure;
 - 3> with the integrity protection key and integrity protection algorithm that was used in the cell the UE was connected to prior to the failure; and
 - 3> with all input bits for COUNT, BEARER and DIRECTION set to binary ones.
- 2> else if the re-establishment procedure was initiated due to handover failure as specified in 5.3.5.6 (intra-LTE handover failure) or 5.4.3.5 (inter-RAT mobility from EUTRA failure):
- 3> set the *reestablishmentCause* to the value '*handoverFailure*';
- 1> set the IE *reestablishmentCause* as follows:

...

The UE shall submit the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.5]

NOTE: Prior to this, lower layers allocate a C-RNTI. For further details see TS 36.321 [6];

The UE shall:

- 1> Stop timer T301;
- 1> resume SRB1 after reconfiguring it in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfiguration* and as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> configure lower layers to re-activate integrity protection using the previously configured algorithm immediately, i.e. integrity protection shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> configure lower layers to apply ciphering using the previously configured algorithm immediately, i.e. ciphering shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> send the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete* message as specified in 5.3.7.6;
- 1> Resume the RRC connection with the restriction that the use of all radio bearers other than SRB1 is suspended until a subsequent *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message is received;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.6]

The UE shall submit the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete* message to lower layers for transmission.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the IE *MAC-MainConfiguration*:
- 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a DL-SCH transport channel configuration (DL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to '*explicit*':
 - 4> establish an DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to '*default*':
 - 4> establish a DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
- 2> else:

- 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
- 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
- 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a UL-SCH transport channel configuration (UL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'
 - 4> establish an UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
- 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.5]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *physicalConfigDedicated*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a physical channel configuration (physical channel establishment):
 - 3> establish the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> reconfigure the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
- 1> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
- 1> if the received *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation*:
 - 2> if SPS resource is activated:
 - 3> deactivate SPS resource;

8.2.4.7.3 Test description

8.2.4.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on cell 1 according to [18].

8.2.4.7.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" and "T2" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 2 (M2) satisfy exit condition for event A3 ($M2 + Hys < M1$). |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 (M1) and Cell 2 (M2) satisfy entry condition for event A3 ($M2 - Hys > M1$). |
| T2 | Ro | dBm | P21 (FFS) | P22 (FFS) | P21 and P22 shall be assigned values to satisfy $SrxlevCell\ 1 > SrxlevCell\ 2$ and $SrxlevCell\ 2 < 0$ such that selecting Cell 1 is guaranteed |

Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to setup intra frequency measurement. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 parameters according to the row "T1" in table 8.2.4.7.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in step 6 the steps specified in Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-3 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 parameters according to the row "T2" in table 8.2.4.7.3.2-1. | - | - | 1 | |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> message on Cell 1? | --> | <i>RRConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> | 1 | P |
| 8 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReestablishment</i> message to resume SRB1 operation and re-activate security. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReestablishment</i> | 1 | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRConnectionReestablishmentComplete</i> message? | --> | <i>RRConnectionReestablishmentComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 10 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 1? | - | - | 1 | - |

Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: The steps 1 and 2 below are repeated for the duration of T304 | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE attempts to perform the intra frequency handover using MAC Random Access Preamble on Cell 2 | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS does not respond. | - | - | - | - |

8.2.4.7.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.4.7.3.3-1 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|---|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measurementConfiguration SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measObjectToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measObjectToAddModifyList SEQUENCE | 1 entry | | |
| (SIZE (1..maxObjectld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| measObject[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| measObjectEUTRA | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| reportConfigToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| reportConfigToAddModifyList SEQUENCE | 1 entry | | |
| (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| reportConfig[1] CHOICE { | | | |
| reportConfigEUTRA | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| measldToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| measldToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE | 1 entry | | |
| (1..maxMeasld)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measld[1] | 1 | | |
| measObjectld[1] | IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| reportConfigld[1] | IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| } | | | |
| quantityConfig | FFS | | |
| measGapConfig | Not present | | |
| s-Measure | Not present | | |
| hrpd-PreRegistrationInfo | Not present | | |
| mbsfn-NeighbourCellConfig | Not present | | |
| speedDependentParameters | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| radioResourceConfiguration | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| MeasObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 2 | | |
| } | | | |
| measurementBandwidth | Not present | | |
| offsetFreq | dB0 | | |
| cellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| cellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToRemoveList | Not present | | |
| blackListedCellsToAddModifyList | Not present | | |
| cellForWhichToReportCGI | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| ReportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |
| triggerType CHOICE { | | | |
| event SEQUENCE { | | | |
| eventId CHOICE { | | | |
| eventA3 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| a3-Offset | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| hysteresis | FFS | | |
| timeToTrigger | FFS | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| triggerQuantity | rsrp | | |
| reportQuantity | sameAsTriggerQuantity | | |
| maxReportCells | 8 | | |
| reportInterval | Not present | | |
| reportAmount | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| | | | |

Table 8.2.4.7.3.3-2 *MeasurementReport* (step 4, Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| MeasurementReport ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE { | | | |
| measurementReport-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measuredResults SEQUENCE { | | | |
| measId | 1 | | |
| measResultServing | FFS | | |
| mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { | | | |
| measResultListEUTRA SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { | 1 entry | | |
| physicalCellIdentity[1] | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) | | |
| globalCellIdentity[1] | Not present | | |
| measResultEUTRA[1] SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rsrpResult | FFS | | |
| rsrqResult | Not present | | |
| ... | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.2.4.7.3.3-3 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 5, Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mobilityControlInformation SEQUENCE { | MobilityControlInformation-HO | | |
| targetCellIdentity | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| securityConfiguration | SecurityConfiguration-HO | | |
| ue-RelatedInformation | UE-RelatedInformation-HO | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

Table 8.2.4.7.3.3-4 RRCConnectionReestablishmentRequest (step 7, Table 8.2.4.7.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-12 | | | |
|--|-----------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReestablishmentRequest ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| rrcConnectionReestablishmentRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| reestablishmentCause | handoverFailure | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.2.4.8 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Handover: Failure (re-establishment failure)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.2.4.8.1 Test Purpose (TP)

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with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure
and after receiving an RRCConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControlInformation indicating a different E-UTRA cell having attempted intra frequency
handover }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects handover failure and fails an RRC connection re-establishment procedure }
  then { UE enters the E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state }
}

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8.2.4.8.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.4, 5.3.5.6, 5.3.7.2, 5.3.7.3, 5.3.7.4, 5.3.7.7 and 5.3.12.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

...

If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T304 with the timer value set to t304, as included in the *mobilityControlInformation*;
- 1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;
- 1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:
 - 2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;
- 1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;

1> submit the *RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;

1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:

2> stop timer T304;

2> If the *physicalConfigDedicated* is included in the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message:

3> If the UE needs the SFN of the target cell to apply the PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration:

4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration upon acquiring the SFN of the target cell;

3> else:

4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration;

2> indicate to PDCP to complete the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all DRBs that are established, if any;

2> the procedure ends.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.6]

The UE shall:

1> If T304 expires (handover failure):

NOTE 1: Following T304 expiry dedicated preambles, if provided within the *rach-ConfigDedicated*, are not available for use by the UE anymore.

2> revert back to the configuration used in the source cell, excluding the physical layer configuration;

NOTE 2: The UE reverts to the RRC configuration as well as the layer 2 configuration (PDCP/RLC/MAC) used in the source cell.

2> initiate the connection re-establishment procedure as specified in 5.3.7, upon which the RRC connection reconfiguration procedure ends.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.2]

The UE shall only initiate the procedure when security has been activated. The UE initiates the procedure when one of the following conditions is met:

...

1> upon handover failure, in accordance with 5.3.5.6; or

...

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

...

1> start timer T311;

1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 1: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

1> select a suitable cell in accordance with the cell selection process as specified in [4];

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.3]

...

- 2> initiate transmission of the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.7.4;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.4]

The UE shall set the contents of *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *ue-Identity* as follows:

- 2> set the *c-RNTI* to the C-RNTI used in the source cell (handover failure case) or used in the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);
- 2> set the *cellIdentity* to the Physical layer identity of the source cell (handover failure case) or of the cell in which the trigger for the re-establishment occurred (other cases);
- 2> set the *shortMAC-I* to the 16 least significant bits of the MAC-I calculated:
 - 3> over the concatenation of the ASN.1 encoded *CellIdentity* of the current cell, *PhysicalCellIdentity* of the cell the UE was connected to prior to the failure and C-RNTI that the UE had in the cell it was connected to prior to the failure;
 - 3> with the integrity protection key and integrity protection algorithm that was used in the cell the UE was connected to prior to the failure; and
 - 3> with all input bits for COUNT, BEARER and DIRECTION set to binary ones.

- 1> set the IE *reestablishmentCause* as follows:

...

- 2> else if the re-establishment procedure was initiated due to handover failure as specified in 5.3.5.6 (intra-LTE handover failure) or 5.4.3.5 (inter-RAT mobility from EUTRA failure):
 - 3> set the *reestablishmentCause* to the value '*handoverFailure*';

...

The UE shall submit the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message to lower layers for transmission.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.7.7]

Upon T311 expiry, the UE shall:

- 1> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.12.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.12]

Upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE, the UE shall:

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

...

- 1> stop all timers that are running except T320;
- 1> release all radio resources, including release of the RLC entity and the associated PDCP entity for all established RBs;
- 1> indicate the release of the RRC connection to upper layers;
- 1> enter RRC_IDLE.

8.2.4.8.3 Test description

8.2.4.8.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

- None

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.2.4.8.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels and other changing parameters to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while columns marked "T1" and "T2" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-1: Time instances of cell power level and parameter changes

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|-----------|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 ($M1$) and Cell 2 ($M2$) satisfy exit condition for event A3 ($M2 + Hys < M1$). |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 ($M1$) and Cell 2 ($M2$) satisfy entry condition for event A3 ($M2 - Hys > M1$). |
| T2 | Ro | dBm | P21 (FFS) | P22 (FFS) | P21 and P22 shall be assigned values to satisfy $Srxlev_{Cell\ 1} > Srxlev_{Cell\ 2}$ and $Srxlev_{Cell\ 2} < 0$ such that selecting Cell 1 is guaranteed |

Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to setup intra frequency measurement. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 parameters according to the row "T1" in table 8.2.4.8.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits a <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2. | --> | <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in step 6 the steps specified in Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-3 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 parameters according to the row "T2" in table 8.2.4.8.3.2-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONREESTABLISHMENTREQUEST</i> message on Cell 1? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONREESTABLISHMENTREQUEST</i> | 1 | P |
| 8 | The SS does not respond to any <i>RRCCONNECTIONREESTABLISHMENTREQUEST</i> message and waits for [X]s to ensure that T311 expires. | - | - | 1 | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state on Cell 1? | - | - | 1 | - |

Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-3: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: The steps 1 and 2 below are repeated for the duration of T304 | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE attempts to perform the intra frequency handover using MAC Random Access Preamble on Cell 2 | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS does not respond. | - | - | - | - |

8.2.4.8.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.2.4.8.3.3-1: *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1, Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE{ rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { measurementConfiguration SEQUENCE { measObjectToRemoveList measObjectToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectId)) OF SEQUENCE { measObjectId[1] measObject[1] CHOICE { measObjectEUTRA } } reportConfigToRemoveList reportConfigToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigId)) OF SEQUENCE { reportConfigId[1] reportConfig[1] CHOICE { reportConfigEUTRA } } measIdToRemoveList measIdToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasId)) OF SEQUENCE { measId[1] measObjectId[1] reportConfigId[1] } quantityConfig measGapConfig s-Measure hrpd-PreRegistrationInfo mbsfn-NeighbourCellConfig speedDependentParameters } radioResourceConfiguration } } } } | Not present 1 entry IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 Not present 1 entry IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 Not present 1 entry 1 IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 FFS Not present Not present Not present Not present Not present Not present | | |
| MeasObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE { earfcn-DL } measurementBandwidth offsetFreq cellsToRemoveList cellsToAddModifyList blackListedCellsToRemoveList blackListedCellsToAddModifyList cellForWhichToReportCGI } | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 2 Not present dB0 Not present Not present Not present Not present Not present | | |
| ReportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { triggerType CHOICE { event SEQUENCE { | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 | | |

| | | | |
|---|---|--|--|
| <pre> eventId CHOICE { eventA3 SEQUENCE { a3-Offset } } hysteresis timeToTrigger } triggerQuantity reportQuantity maxReportCells reportInterval reportAmount ... } </pre> | <pre> FFS FFS FFS rsrp sameAsTriggerQuantity 8 Not present Not present </pre> | | |
|---|---|--|--|

Table 8.2.4.8.3.3-2: MeasurementReport (step 4, Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|---|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| <pre> MeasurementReport ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE{ measurementReport-r8 SEQUENCE { measuredResults SEQUENCE { measId measResultServing mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListEUTRA SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { physicalCellIdentity[1] globalCellIdentity[1] measResultEUTRA[1] SEQUENCE { rsrpResult rsrqResult ... } } } } } } </pre> | <pre> 1 FFS 1 entry PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) Not present FFS Not present </pre> | | |

Table 8.2.4.8.3.3-3: *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 5, Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|---|---|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { mobilityControllInformation SEQUENCE { targetCellIdentity eutra-CarrierFreq } securityConfiguration ue-RelatedInformation } } } | MobilityControllInformation-HO PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 2 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.2) Not present SecurityConfiguration-HO UE-RelatedInformation-HO | | |

Table 8.2.4.8.3.3-5: *RRConnectionReestablishmentRequest* (step 7, Table 8.2.4.8.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-12 | | | |
|--|-----------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRConnectionReestablishmentRequest ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { rrcConnectionReestablishmentRequest-r8 SEQUENCE { reestablishmentCause } } } | handoverFailure | | |

8.2.4.9 RRC Connection Reconfiguration / Handover (Inter band blind handover): Success

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41.

8.2.4.9.1 Test Purpose (TP)

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with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment and initial security activation procedure
and performed the inter frequency measurement }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControlInformation indicating an E-UTRA frequency on different frequency band }
  then { UE transmits an RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete message }
}

```

8.2.4.9.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clauses 5.3.5.4, 5.3.10.4 and 5.3.10.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

...

If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T304 with the timer value set to *t304*, as included in the *mobilityControlInformation*;
- 1> request PDCP to initiate the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of the L2 re-establishment, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;
- 1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;

...

- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:
 - 2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE in the target cell, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;
- 1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;

- 1> submit the *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;
- 1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:
 - 2> stop timer T304;
 - 2> If the *physicalConfigDedicated* is included in the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message :
 - 3> If the UE needs the SFN of the target cell to apply the PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration upon acquiring the SFN of the target cell;
 - 3> else:
 - 4> apply the new PUCCH and Sounding RS configuration;
 - 2> indicate to PDCP to complete the PDCP Re-establishment procedure for all DRBs that are established, if any;
 - 2> the procedure ends.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the IE *MAC-MainConfiguration*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a DL-SCH transport channel configuration (DL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> establish an DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *dl-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the DL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a UL-SCH transport channel configuration (UL-SCH establishment):
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit':
 - 4> establish an UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
 - 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> establish a UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'explicit'

- 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the received *ul-SCH-Configuration*;
- 3> else if the *transportChannelConfig* is set to 'default':
 - 4> reconfigure the UL-SCH transport channel in accordance with the default configuration for SRB1 as specified in 9.2.1.1;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.10.5]

The UE shall:

- 1> if the received *radioResourceConfiguration* includes the *physicalConfigDedicated*:
 - 2> if the current UE configuration does not include a physical channel configuration (physical channel establishment):
 - 3> establish the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> reconfigure the physical channel configuration in accordance with the received *physicalConfigDedicated*;
- 1> apply the default configuration applicable for the *antennaInformation* as specified in 9.2.3, until explicitly receiving a configuration;
- 1> if the received *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation*:
 - 2> if SPS resource is activated:
 - 3> deactivate SPS resource;

8.2.4.9.3 Test description

8.2.4.9.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 10

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on cell 1 according to [18].

8.2.4.9.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.2.4.9.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to order the UE to perform inter band handover to Cell 10. | <-- | <i>RRCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message on Cell 10? | --> | <i>RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 10? | - | - | 1 | - |

8.2.4.9.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.2.4.9.3.3-1: *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1, Table 8.2.4.9.3.2-1)

| Derivation Path: 36.508, Table 4.6.1-6, condition RBC-HO | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| criticalExtensions CHOICE { | | | |
| c1 CHOICE{ | | | |
| rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { | | | |
| mobilityControllInformation SEQUENCE { | MobilityControllInformation-HO | | |
| targetCellIdentity | PhysicalCellIdentity of Cell 10 (see 36.508 clause 4.4.4.10) | | |
| eutra-CarrierFreq SEQUENCE { | | | |
| earfcn-DL | Same downlink EARFCN as used for Cell 10 | | |
| earfcn-UL | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| securityConfiguration | SecurityConfiguration-HO | | |
| ue-RelatedInformation | UE-RelatedInformation-HO | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

8.3 Measurement Configuration Control and Reporting

8.3.1 Intra E-UTRAN measurements

8.3.1.1 Measurement configuration control and reporting / intra E-UTRAN measurements: event A1

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41 + R2-08597

8.8.3.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurement configured for event A1 with event based
periodical reporting }
ensure that {
  when { Serving cell becomes better than absolute threshold plus hysteresis }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport message at regular intervals while entering conditions for
event A1 are satisfied }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and periodical measurement reporting triggered by event A1
ongoing}
ensure that {
  when { Serving cell becomes worse than absolute threshold minus hysteresis }
  then { UE stops sending MeasurementReport message }
}
```

8.3.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.5.3, 5.5.4.1, 5.5.4.2 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

...

1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:

2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency/ set of frequencies (GERAN) to be applicable as follows:

...

3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

...

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* while the *VarMeasurementReports* does not include an entry for this *measId* (a first cell triggers the event):

3> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;

3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells not included in the *cellsTriggeredList* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* (a subsequent cell triggers the event):

3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;

3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the leaving condition applicable for this event is fulfilled for one or more of the cells included in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event:

3> remove the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

3> if the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is empty:

4> remove the entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

4> stop the periodical reporting timer for this event, if running;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.2]

The UE shall:

1> apply inequalityA1-1, as specified below, as the entry condition for this event;

1> apply inequalityA1-2, as specified below, as the leaving condition for this event;

InequalityA1-1 (Entering condition)

$$Ms - Hys > Thresh$$

InequalityA1-2 (Leaving condition)

$$Ms + Hys < Thresh$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. *hysteresis* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Thresh is the threshold parameter for this event (i.e. *a1-Threshold* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Ms is expressed in dBm in case of RSRP, or in dB in case of RSRQ

Hys is expressed in dB

Thresh is expressed in dBm in case *Ms* is expressed in dBm; otherwise it is expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;

1> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event':

2> set the *neighbouringMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsTriggeredList* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*

...

1> ordered as follows:

2> for each included cell include the filtered measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that *measId*, as follows:

3> If for E-UTRA the *reportQuantity* is set as 'both':

4> include the E-UTRA cells in order of decreasing *triggerQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first;

3> else:

4> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.

- 1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* by 1;
- 1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is less than to *reportAmount* as defined within the reporting configuration for this event as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> stop the periodical reporting timer, if running;
 - 2> start the periodical reporting timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
- 1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

8.3.1.1.3 Test description

8.3.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.3.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.1.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for Cell 1 at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1", "T2", "T3" and "T4" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.1.1.3.2-1 : Power levels

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Remark |
|--|-----------------------|------|--------|--|
| T0 | | | [-95] | Power level is such that $Ms + Hys < Thresh$ |
| T1 | | | [-65] | Power level is such that $Ms > Thresh$ and $Ms - Hys < Thresh$ |
| T2 | Cell-specific RS EPRE | dBm | [-44] | Power level is such that entry condition for event A1 is satisfied $Ms - Hys > Thresh$ |
| T3 | | | [-80] | Power level is such that $Ms < Thresh$ and $Ms + Hys > Thresh$ |
| T4 | | | [-95] | |
| Note: The total tolerance used is the sum of downlink signal level uncertainty (TS 36.508 clause 4.3.4.1) and absolute UE measurement accuracy (TS 36.133 clause 9). | | | | |

Table 8.3.1.1.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> to setup intra LTE measurement and reporting for event A1. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T1" in table 8.3.1.1.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message within the next 10s? | - | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | F |
| 5 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T2" in table 8.3.1.1.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A1 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 1? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 7 below is repeated until 3 <i>MeasurementReport</i> messages are received from the UE | | | | |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message, with a measured RSRP value for Cell 1? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| 8 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T3" in table 8.3.1.1.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 9 below is repeated until 3 <i>MeasurementReport</i> messages are received from the UE | | | | |
| 9 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message, with a measured RSRP value for Cell 1? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |
| 10 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T4" in table 8.3.1.1.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 11 | Check: does the UE attempt to transmit an uplink message within the next 10s? | - | - | 2 | F |

Editors note: It is FFS if tight enough test tolerances can be achieved to perform test steps 4 and 9

8.3.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.3.1.1.3.3-1 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1, Table 8.3.1.1.3.2-2)

| |
|---|
| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-8 with condition Measurement |
|---|

Table 8.3.1.1.3.3-2 MeasurementConfiguration (step 1, Table 8.3.1.1.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 clause 4.6.6 table 4.6.6-1 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| measurementConfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { measObjectToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectId)) OF SEQUENCE { measObjectId[1] measObject[1] } reportConfigToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigId)) OF SEQUENCE { reportConfigId[1] reportConfig[1] } measIdToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasId)) OF SEQUENCE { measId[1] measObjectId[1] reportConfigId[1] } } | 1 entry IdMeasObject-f1 MeasObjectEUTRA-GENERIC(f1) 1 entry IdReportConfig-A1 ReportConfig-A1-H 1 entry 1 IdMeasObject-f1 IdReportConfig-A1 | | |

Table 8.3.1.1.3.3-3 ReportConfig-A1-H (step 1, Table 8.3.1.1.3.3-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 clause 4.6.6 table 4.6.6-4 ReportConfigEUTRA-A1([-72]) | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| ReportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { triggerType CHOICE { event SEQUENCE { hysteresis } } } | [30] | 15dB | |

Table 8.3.1.1.3.3-4 MeasurementReport (steps 6, 7 and 9, Table 8.3.1.1.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-5 | | | |
|---|--|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| MeasurementReport ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { measurementReport-r8 SEQUENCE { measuredResults ::= SEQUENCE { measId measResultServing ::= SEQUENCE { rsrpResult rsrqResult } neighbouringMeasResults CHOICE {} } } } } | 1 (0 .. 96) Not present Not present | Report Cell 1 Measured RSRP result | |

8.3.1.2 Measurement configuration control and reporting / intra E-UTRAN measurements: event A2

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RAN#41 + R2-08597

8.8.3.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurement configured for event A2 with event based
periodical reporting }
ensure that {
  when { Serving cell becomes worse than absolute threshold minus hysteresis }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport message at regular intervals while entering conditions for
event A2 are satisfied }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and periodical measurement reporting triggered by event A2
ongoing}
ensure that {
  when { Serving cell becomes better than absolute threshold plus hysteresis }
  then { UE stops sending MeasurementReport message }
}

```

8.3.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.5.3, 5.5.4.1, 5.5.4.3 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

...

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:

2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency/ set of frequencies (GERAN) to be applicable as follows:

...

3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

...

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* while the *VarMeasurementReports* does not include an entry for this *measId* (a first cell triggers the event):

3> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;

3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

...

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells not included in the *cellsTriggeredList* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* (a subsequent cell triggers the event):

3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;

3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the leaving condition applicable for this event is fulfilled for one or more of the cells included in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event:

3> remove the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

3> if the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is empty:

4> remove the entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

4> stop the periodical reporting timer for this event, if running;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.3]

The UE shall:

1> apply inequalityA2-1, as specified below, as the entry condition for this event;

1> apply inequalityA2-2, as specified below, as the leaving condition for this event;

InequalityA2-1 (Entering condition)

$$Ms + Hys < Thresh$$

InequalityA2-2 (Leaving condition)

$$Ms - Hys > Thresh$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. *hysteresis* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Thresh is the threshold parameter for this event (i.e. *a2-Threshold* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Ms is expressed in dBm in case of RSRP, or in dB in case of RSRQ

Hys is expressed in dB

Thresh is expressed in dBm in case ***Ms*** is expressed in dBm; otherwise it is expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;
- 1> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event':
 - 2> set the *neighbouringMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsTriggeredList* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*
- ...
- 1> ordered as follows:
 - 2> for each included cell include the filtered measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that *measId*, as follows:
 - 3> If for E-UTRA the *reportQuantity* is set as 'both':
 - 4> include the E-UTRA cells in order of decreasing *triggerQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first;
 - 3> else:
 - 4> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.
 - 1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* by 1;
 - 1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is less than *reportAmount* as defined within the corresponding reporting configuration as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> stop the periodical reporting timer, if running;
 - 2> start the periodical reporting timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
 - ...
 - 1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

8.3.1.2.3 Test description

8.3.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.3.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.2.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for Cell 1 at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1", "T2", "T3" and "T4" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.1.2.3.2-1 : Power levels

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Remark |
|-------|--|------|--------|--|
| T0 | Cell-specific RS EPRE | dBm | [-45] | Power level is such that $M_s > Thresh - Hys$ |
| T1 | | | [-82] | Power level is such that $M_s < Thresh$ and $M_s - Hys > Thresh$ |
| T2 | | | [-95] | Power level is such that entry condition for event A2 is satisfied $M_s - Hys < Thres$ |
| T3 | | | [-62] | Power level is such that $M_s > Thresh$ and $M_s + Hys < Thresh$ |
| T4 | | | [-45] | |
| Note: | The total tolerance used is the sum of downlink signal level uncertainty (TS 36.508 clause 4.3.4.1) and absolute UE measurement accuracy (TS 36.133 clause 9). | | | |

Table 8.3.1.2.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> to setup intra LTE measurement and reporting for event A2. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmit an <i>RCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T1" in table 8.3.1.2.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message within the next 10s? | - | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | F |
| 5 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T2" in table 8.3.1.2.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A2 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 1? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 7 below is repeated until 3 <i>MeasurementReport</i> messages are received from the UE | | | | |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message, with a measured RSRP value for Cell 1? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| 8 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T3" in table 8.3.1.2.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 9 below is repeated until 3 <i>MeasurementReport</i> messages are received from the UE | | | | |
| 9 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message, with a measured RSRP value for Cell 1? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |
| 10 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T4" in table 8.3.1.2.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 11 | Check: does the UE transmit an <i>MeasurementReport</i> message within the next 10s? | - | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 2 | F |

Editors note: It is FFS if tight enough test tolerances can be achieved to perform test steps 4 and 9.

8.3.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.3.1.2.3.3-1 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1, table 8.3.1.2.3.2-2)

Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-8 with condition Measurement

Table 8.3.1.2.3.3-2 *MeasurementConfiguration* (step 1, Table 8.3.1.2.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 clause 4.6.6 table 4.6.6-1 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| measurementConfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { measObjectToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectId)) OF SEQUENCE { measObjectId[1] measObject[1] } reportConfigToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigId)) OF SEQUENCE { reportConfigId[1] reportConfig[1] } measIdToAddModifyList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasId)) OF SEQUENCE { measId[1] measObjectId[1] reportConfigId[1] } } | 1 entry IdMeasObject-f1 MeasObjectEUTRA-GENERIC(f1) 1 entry IdReportConfig-A2 ReportConfig-A2-H 1 entry 1 IdMeasObject-f1 IdReportConfig-A2 | | |

Table 8.3.1.2.3.3-3 *ReportConfig-A2-H* (step 1, Table 8.3.1.2.3.3-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 clause 4.6.6 table 4.6.6-5 ReportConfigEUTRA-A2([70]) | | | |
|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| ReportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { triggerType CHOICE { event SEQUENCE { hysteresis } } } | [30] | 15 dB | |

Table 8.3.1.2.3.3-4 *MeasurementReport* (steps 6, 7 and 9, 8.3.1.2.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-5 | | | |
|---|--|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| MeasurementReport ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { measurementReport-r8 SEQUENCE { measuredResults ::= SEQUENCE { measId measResultServing ::= SEQUENCE { rsrpResult rsrqResult } neighbouringMeasResults CHOICE {} } } } } | 1 (0 .. 96) Not present Not present | Report Cell 1 Measured RSRP result | |

8.3.1.3 Measurement configuration control and reporting / intra E-UTRAN measurements: 2 simultaneous events A3 (intra and inter frequency measurements)

8.3.1.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurements configured for two event A3 at the same time }
ensure that {
  when { Neighbour becomes offset better than serving }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport with correct measId for event A3 }
}
```

8.3.1.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.5.3, 5.5.4.1, 5.5.4.4 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

...

1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:

2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency/ set of frequencies (GERAN) to be applicable as follows:

...

3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

2> else consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency to be applicable as follows:

...

3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* or:

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical' and a (first) measurement result is available:

3> if the *VarMeasurementReports* does not include an entry for this *measId*:

4> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

4> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;

- 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;
- 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:
 - 3> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical':
 - 4> clear the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* and include the applicable cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList*;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
 - 2> if the leaving condition applicable for this event is fulfilled for one or more of the cells included in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event:
 - 3> remove the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> apply inequality A3-1, as specified below, as the entry condition for this event;
- 1> apply inequality A3-2, as specified below, as the leaving condition for this event;

Inequality A3-1 (Entering condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + Of + Ocs + Off$$

Inequality A3-2 (Leaving condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn + Hys < Ms + Of + Ocs + Off$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Mn is the measurement result of the neighbouring cell.

Ofn is the frequency specific offset of the frequency of the neighbour cell (equals Of for intra-frequency measurements and is included in MeasObjectEUTRA corresponding to the inter frequency as offsetFreq for inter-frequency measurements)

Ocn is the cell specific offset of the neighbour cell. If not configured zero offset shall be applied (included in MeasObjectEUTRA of the serving frequency as parameter cellIndividualOffset for intra-f measurements and included in MeasObjectEUTRA corresponding to the inter frequency as parameter cellIndividualOffset for inter-frequency measurements).

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Of is the frequency specific offset of the serving frequency (i.e. offsetFreq within the MeasObjectEUTRA corresponding to the serving frequency)

Ocs is the cell specific offset of the serving cell (included in MeasObjectEUTRA of the serving frequency as parameter cellIndividualOffset)

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. hysteresis as defined within the VarMeasurementConfiguration for this event)

Off is the offset parameter for this event (i.e. a3-Offset as defined within the VarMeasurementConfiguration for this event)

Mn, **Ms** are expressed in dBm in case of RSRP, or in dB in case of RSRQ

Ofn, **Ocn**, **Of**, **Ocs**, **Hys**, **Off** are expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;
- 1> set the *mobilityMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsToReportList* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*
- 1> for each included cell include the filtered measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that *measId*, ordered as follows:
 - 2> If for E-UTRA the *reportQuantity* is set as 'both':
 - 3> include the E-UTRA cells in order of decreasing *triggerQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether, if multiple cells meet the criteria, ordering is also applied irrespective of the cells carrier frequency

- 1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* by 1;
- 1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is less than to *reportAmount* as defined within the reporting configuration for this event as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
- 2> start the periodical reporting timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

...

- 1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It is FFS which additional cells may be included in a report, e.g. cells of another type (e.g. best inter-frequency cell included in an intra-frequency report).

8.3.1.3.3 Test description

8.3.1.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 3

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.3.1.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.3.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 3 at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1" and "T2" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.1.3.3.2-1 : Power levels

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Cell 3 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | P01, P02 and P03 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 (measld 1 & 2) is not satisfied: $Mn + Ofn + Ocn + Hys < Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$ |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P13 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 (measld 1) is satisfied: $Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$ |
| T2 | Ro | dBm | P21 (FFS) | P22(FFS) | P23(FFS) | P21 and P23 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 (measld 2) is satisfied: $Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$ |

Table 8.3.1.3.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> to setup intra LTE measurement and reporting for two event A3 (<i>measld 1</i> and <i>measld 2</i>) (intra and inter frequency measurement). | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message within the next 10s? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | F |
| 4 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T1" in table 8.3.1.3.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 (<i>measld 1</i>) with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| 6 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T2" in table 8.3.1.3.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 (<i>measld 2</i>) with the measured RSRP value for Cell 3? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| 8 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 1? | - | - | 1 | - |

Editors note: When test tolerances in TS36.508 will cover measurements steps 4 and 6 above will take them into account.

Editor's note: It is FFS if Cell 3 is included in the *MeasurementReport* in step 5.

Editor's note: It is FFS if Cell 2 is included in the *MeasurementReport* in step 7

8.3.1.3.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.3.1.3.3.3-1: *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1) *measurementConfiguration* test specific information elements

FFS

Table 8.3.1.3.3-2: MeasurementReport (step 5) measuredResults test specific information elements

FFS

Table 8.3.1.3.3-3: MeasurementReport (step 7) measuredResults test specific information elements

FFS

8.3.1.4 Measurement configuration control and reporting / intra E-UTRAN measurements: Periodic reporting (intra and inter frequency measurements)

8.3.1.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurement configured for periodic reporting of intra
frequency cells and inter frequency cells on specified frequency }
ensure that {
  when { The UE receives reference signal power for cells on the serving frequency and cells on the
frequency where measurements are configured }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport message at regular intervals for these cells }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and a MeasurementReport message for a configured periodic
measurement reporting of intra and inter frequency cells was sent }
ensure that {
  when { A previously reported cell become unavailable or the UE receives reference signal power on
a reported frequency for a cell which was previously not reported }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport message at regular intervals for the available intra and inter
frequency cells }
}

```

(3)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and periodic measurement reporting ongoing}
ensure that {
  when { The UE receives a RRCCConnectionReconfiguration message removing measIds for periodic
reporting }
  then { UE stops sending MeasurementReport messages for these measIds }
}

```

8.3.1.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.5.3, 5.5.2.2, 5.5.4.1 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

...

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:

2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.2.2]

The UE shall:

1> for each *measId* value included in the *measIdToRemoveList*:

2> remove the entry, from the parameter *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, with the corresponding *measId* value;

2> remove the entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if included;

Editors note It has been agreed that the UE should NOT autonomously delete any unused measurement objects or reporting configurations.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

...

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical' and a (first) measurement result is available:

3> if the *VarMeasurementReports* does not include an entry for this *measId*:

4> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

4> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;

3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:

3> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical':

4> clear the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* and include the applicable cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList*;

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;

1> set the *mobilityMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsToReportList* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*

1> for each included cell include the filtered measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that *measId*, ordered as follows:

2> If for E-UTRA the *reportQuantity* is set as 'both':

3> include the E-UTRA cells in order of decreasing *triggerQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first;

2> else:

3> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether, if multiple cells meet the criteria, ordering is also applied irrespective of the cells carrier frequency

1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* by 1;

1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is less than to *reportAmount* as defined within the reporting configuration for this event as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

- 2> start the periodical reporting timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

...

- 1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It is FFS which additional cells may be included in a report, e.g. cells of another type (e.g. best inter-frequency cell included in an intra-frequency report).

Editor's note: It is FFS if, for the case of a SON report of the strongest cell(s) on the carrier, the UE is required to report more than one cell.

8.3.1.4.3 Test description

8.3.1.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2, Cell 3, Cell 4 and Cell 6(FFS)

Editor's Note: It is necessary to add a cell on using frequency f2 to TS 36.508.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on Cell 1.

8.3.1.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1" and "T2" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-1 : Power levels

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Cell 3 | Cell 4 | Cell 6 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | | | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | off | off | Power levels shall be such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | |
| T2 | | | P01 (FFS) | off | off | P02 (FFS) | P03 (FFS) | |

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message including measurementConfiguration to setup intra LTE measurements and periodical reporting for intra and inter frequency cells. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to events described in steps 3 to 4 the steps specified in table 8.3.1.4.3.2.-3 and table 8.3.1.4.3.2.-4 shall take place | | | | |
| 3 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical intra frequency reporting and a periodical inter frequency reporting. | - | - | 1 | - |
| 4 | SS sets the cell-specific reference signal levels and switches Cell 4 and Cell 6 on according to row "T1" in table 8.3.1.4.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Wait and ignore <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> messages for 5 s to allow for the switching of cells. | - | - | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to events described in steps 6 to 7 the steps specified in table 8.3.1.4.3.2.-5 and table 8.3.1.4.3.2.-6 shall take place | | | | |
| 6 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical intra frequency reporting and a periodical inter frequency reporting. | - | - | 1, 2 | - |
| 7 | SS sets the cell-specific reference signal levels and switches Cell 2 and Cell 3 off according to row "T2" in table 8.3.1.4.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | Wait and ignore <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> messages for 5 s to allow for the switching of cells. | - | - | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to events described in steps 9 to 11 the steps specified in table 8.3.1.4.3.2.-7 and table 8.3.1.4.3.2.-8 shall take place | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical intra frequency reporting and a periodical inter frequency reporting. | - | - | 1, 2 | - |
| 10 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message including measurementConfiguration to remove measIds for periodical reporting. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 11 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 12 | Check: does the UE attempt to transmit an uplink message for the next 10s? | - | - | 3 | F |

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-3: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: After the 1st message is received, step 1 below shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 2? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-4: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: After the 1st message is received, step 1 below shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical inter frequency reporting for Cell 3? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-5: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--------------------------|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: Step 1 below shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 2 and Cell 4? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-6: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--------------------------|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 1 below shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | | | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical inter frequency reporting for Cell 3 and Cell 6? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-7: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 1 below shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | | | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 4? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |

Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-8: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 1 below shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | | | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical inter frequency reporting for Cell 6? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |

Editor's note: The value and tolerance of the *reportInterval* is FFS.

8.3.1.4.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's note: When default message contents of *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* in TS36.508 will cover measurement configuration the tables for specific message contents below will be updated accordingly.

Table 8.3.1.4.3.3-1 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|--|--|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { measurementConfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { measObjectToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectId)) OF SEQUENCE { measObjectId[1] measObject[1] measObjectId[2] measObject[2] } reportConfigToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigId)) OF SEQUENCE { reportConfigId[1] reportConfig[1] } measIdToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasId)) OF SEQUENCE { measId[1] measObjectId[1] reportConfigId[1] measId[2] measObjectId[2] reportConfigId[2] } quantityConfig ::= SEQUENCE { quantityConfigEUTRA filterCoefficient } measGapConfig ::= SEQUENCE { gapActivation CHOICE { activate SEQUENCE { gapPattern ENUMERATED {} startSFN startSubframeNumber } } } ... } } } } | 2 entries MeasObjectId-MO1 MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 MeasObjectId-MO2 MeasObjectEUTRA-MO2 1 entry ReportConfigId-RC1 ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 2 entries 1 MeasObjectId-MO1 ReportConfigId-RC1 2 MeasObjectId-MO2 ReportConfigId-RC1 FFS gp1 (FFS) FFS FFS | Intra frequency Inter frequency | |
| measObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE {}, measurementBandwidth offsetFreq cellsToRemoveList cellsToAddModifyList blackListedCellsToRemoveList blackListedCellsToAddModifyList } | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 0 dB Not present Not present Not present Not present | E-UTRA DL carrier frequency of the serving cell FFS Default Neighbour cell list Black lists | |
| measObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE {}, | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO2 | E-UTRA DL | |

| | | | |
|---|--|---|--|
| measurementBandwidth offsetFreq cellsToRemoveList cellsToAddModifyList blackListedCellsToRemoveList blackListedCellsToAddModifyList } reportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { triggerType CHOICE { periodical SEQUENCE { reportCGI } } triggerQuantity reportQuantity maxReportCells reportInterval SEQUENCE {} reportAmount SEQUENCE {} } | 0 dB Not present Not present Not present Not present ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 FALSE rsrp sameAsTriggerQuantity 4 FFS seconds Not present | carrier frequency different than the serving cell FFS Default Neighbour cell list Black lists Reference Signal Received Power Report Cell 2, Cell 3, Cell 4 and Cell 6 Periodical reporting required | |
|---|--|---|--|

Table 8.3.1.4.3.3-2 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 8, Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-2)

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|---|-----------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { measurementConfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { measIdToRemoveList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasId)) OF SEQUENCE { measId[1] measId[2] } } } } } | 1 entry 1 2 | | |

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|--|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| measuredResults ::= SEQUENCE { measId measuredResultServing ::= SEQUENCE {} mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { physicalCellId[1] measResultEUTRA[1] ::= SEQUENCE {} } mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { physicalCellId[1] measResultEUTRA[1] ::= SEQUENCE {} physicalCellId[2] measResultEUTRA[2] ::= SEQUENCE {} } mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { physicalCellId[1] measResultEUTRA[1] ::= SEQUENCE {} } } } } | 2 | FFS | Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-4 |
| | 3 rsrp | Report Cell 3 FFS | |
| | 3 rsrp | Report Cell 3 FFS | Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-6 |
| | 6 rsrp | Report Cell 6 FFS | Table 8.3.1.4.3.2-8 |

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

- 1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency/ set of frequencies (GERAN) to be applicable as follows:

...

- 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
 - 2> else consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency to be applicable as follows:

...

- 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
 - 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* or:
 - 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical' and a (first) measurement result is available:
 - 3> if the *VarMeasurementReports* does not include an entry for this *measId*:
 - 4> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;
 - 4> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;
 - 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
 - 2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:
 - 3> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical':
 - 4> clear the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* and include the applicable cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList*;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
 - 2> if the leaving condition applicable for this event is fulfilled for one or more of the cells included in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event:
 - 3> remove the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> apply inequality A3-1, as specified below, as the entry condition for this event;
- 1> apply inequality A3-2, as specified below, as the leaving condition for this event;

Inequality A3-1 (Entering condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$$

Inequality A3-2 (Leaving condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn + Hys < Ms + Of_s + Ocs + Off$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Mn is the measurement result of the neighbouring cell.

Ofn is the frequency specific offset of the frequency of the neighbour cell (equals *Ofs* for intra-frequency measurements and is included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the inter frequency as *offsetFreq* for inter-frequency measurements)

Ocn is the cell specific offset of the neighbour cell. If not configured zero offset shall be applied (included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* of the serving frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset* for intra-f measurements and included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the inter frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset* for inter-frequency measurements).

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Ofs is the frequency specific offset of the serving frequency (i.e. *offsetFreq* within the *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the serving frequency)

Ocs is the cell specific offset of the serving cell (included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* of the serving frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset*)

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. hysteresis as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Off is the offset parameter for this event (i.e. a3-Offset as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Mn, Ms are expressed in dBm in case of RSRP, or in dB in case of RSRQ

Ofn, Ocn, Of_s, Ocs, Hys, Off are expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;
 - 1> set the *mobilityMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsToReportList* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*
 - 1> for each included cell include the filtered measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that *measId*, ordered as follows:
 - 2> If for E-UTRA the *reportQuantity* is set as 'both':
 - 3> include the E-UTRA cells in order of decreasing *triggerQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.
- Editor's note: It is FFS whether, if multiple cells meet the criteria, ordering is also applied irrespective of the cells carrier frequency
- 1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* by 1;
 - 1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is less than to *reportAmount* as defined within the reporting configuration for this event as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> start the periodical reporting timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

1> if the measured results are for CDMA:

2> set the *preRegistrationStatus* to the UE's cdma upper layer's HRPD *preRegistrationStatus*;

1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It is FFS which additional cells may be included in a report, e.g. cells of another type (e.g. best inter-frequency cell included in an intra-frequency report).

8.3.1.5.3 Test description

8.3.1.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18]

8.3.1.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.5.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for Cell 1 and Cell 2 at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1" and "T2" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.1.5.3.2-1 : Power levels

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|--------------|--------------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 (measId 1 & 2) is not satisfied: $Mn + Ofn + Ocn + Hys < Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$ |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 (measId 1) is satisfied: $Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$ |
| T2 | Ro | dBm | P21 (FFS) | P22(FFS) | P21 and P22 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 (measId 2) is satisfied: $Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$ |

Table 8.3.1.5.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> to setup intra LTE measurement and reporting for two event A3 (measId 1 and measId 2) with different parameters. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message within the next 10s? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | F |
| 4 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T1" in table 8.3.1.5.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 (measId 1) with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| 6 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T2" in table 8.3.1.5.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 (measId 2) with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| 8 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 1? | - | - | | |

Editors note: When test tolerances in TS36.508 will cover measurements steps 4 and 6 above will take them into account.

8.3.1.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.3.1.5.3.3-1 *RRConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1): *measurementConfiguration* test specific information elements: FFS

Table 8.3.1.5.3.3-2 *MeasurementReport* (step 5): *measuredResults* test specific information elements: FFS

Table 8.3.1.5.3.3-3 *MeasurementReport* (step 7): *measuredResults* test specific information elements: FFS

8.3.1.6 Measurement configuration control and reporting / intra E-UTRAN measurements: 2 simultaneous events A2 and A3 (Inter frequency measurements)

8.3.1.6.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurements configured for event A2 and event A3 }
ensure that {
  when { Serving becomes worse than threshold }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport for event A2 }
}
```

(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurements configured for event A2 and event A3 }
ensure that {
  when { Neighbour becomes offset better than serving }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport for event A3 }
}

```

8.3.1.6.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.5.3, 5.5.4.1, 5.5.4.3, 5.5.4.4 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

...

1> If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:

2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency/ set of frequencies (GERAN) to be applicable as follows:

...

3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

2> else consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency to be applicable as follows:

...

3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* or:

2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical' and a (first) measurement result is available:

3> if the *VarMeasurementReports* does not include an entry for this *measId*:

4> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

4> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;

3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;

3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:

3> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical':

- 4> clear the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* and include the applicable cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList*;
- 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> if the leaving condition applicable for this event is fulfilled for one or more of the cells included in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event:
- 3> remove the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> apply inequality A2-1, as specified below, as the entry condition for this event;
- 1> apply inequality A2-2, as specified below, as the leaving condition for this event;

Inequality A2-1 (Entering condition)

$$Ms - Hys < Thresh$$

Inequality A2-2 (Leaving condition)

$$Ms + Hys > Thresh$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. hysteresis as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Thresh is the threshold parameter for this event (i.e. a2-Threshold as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Ms is expressed in dBm in case of RSRP, or in dB in case of RSRQ

Hys is expressed in dB

Thresh is expressed in dBm in case **Ms** is expressed in dBm; otherwise it is expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> apply inequality A3-1, as specified below, as the entry condition for this event;
- 1> apply inequality A3-2, as specified below, as the leaving condition for this event;

Inequality A3-1 (Entering condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + Of + Ocs + Off$$

Inequality A3-2 (Leaving condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn + Hys < Ms + Of + Ocs + Off$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Mn is the measurement result of the neighbouring cell.

Ofn is the frequency specific offset of the frequency of the neighbour cell (equals *Ofs* for intra-frequency measurements and is included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the inter frequency as *offsetFreq* for inter-frequency measurements)

Ocn is the cell specific offset of the neighbour cell. If not configured zero offset shall be applied (included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* of the serving frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset* for intra-f measurements and included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the inter frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset* for inter-frequency measurements).

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Ofs is the frequency specific offset of the serving frequency (i.e. *offsetFreq* within the *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the serving frequency)

Ocs is the cell specific offset of the serving cell (included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* of the serving frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset*)

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. hysteresis as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Off is the offset parameter for this event (i.e. a3-Offset as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Mn, Ms are expressed in dBm in case of RSRP, or in dB in case of RSRQ

Ofn, Ocn, Ofs, Ocs, Hys, Off are expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;
- 1> set the *mobilityMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsToReportList* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*
- 1> for each included cell include the filtered measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that *measId*, ordered as follows:
 - 2> If for E-UTRA the *reportQuantity* is set as 'both':
 - 3> include the E-UTRA cells in order of decreasing *triggerQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.
- 1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* by 1;
- 1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is less than to *reportAmount* as defined within the reporting configuration for this event as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> start the periodical reporting timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

...

- 1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It is FFS which additional cells may be included in a report, e.g. cells of another type (e.g. best inter-frequency cell included in an intra-frequency report).

8.3.1.6.3 Test description

8.3.1.6.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 3

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.3.1.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.6.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for Cell 1 and Cell 3 at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1" and "T2" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.1.6.3.2-1 : Power levels

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 3 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|--------------|--------------|--|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that entry condition for event A2 and event A3 is not satisfied: $M_s + H_{ys} > Thresh$ AND $M_n + Of_n + Ocn + H_{ys} < M_s + Of_s + Ocs + Off$ |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 shall be such that entry condition for event A2 is satisfied: $M_s - H_{ys} < Thresh$ AND P11 and P12 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 is not satisfied: $M_n + Of_n + Ocn + H_{ys} < M_s + Of_s + Ocs + Off$ |
| T2 | Ro | dBm | P21 (FFS) | P22(FFS) | P21 and P22 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 is satisfied: $M_n + Of_n + Ocn - H_{ys} > M_s + Of_s + Ocs + Off$ |

Table 8.3.1.6.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> to setup intra LTE measurement and reporting for event A2 and event A3 (inter frequency measurement) | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message within the next 10s? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | F |
| 4 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T1" in table 8.3.1.6.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A2 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 1? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| 6 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T2" in table 8.3.1.6.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 3? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 2 | P |
| 8 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 1? | - | - | | |

Editors note: When test tolerances in TS36.508 will cover measurements steps 4 and 6 above will take them into account.

Editor's note: It is FFS if Cell 3 is included in the *MeasurementReport* in step 5.

8.3.1.6.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.3.1.6.3.3-1 *RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION* (step 1): *measurementConfiguration* test specific information elements: FFS

Table 8.3.1.6.3.3-2 *MeasurementReport* (step 5): *measuredResults* test specific information elements: FFS

Table 8.3.1.6.3.3-3 *MeasurementReport* (step 7): *measuredResults* test specific information elements: FFS

8.3.1.7 Measurement configuration control and reporting/ intra E-UTRAN measurements: blacklisting

8.3.1.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurement configured for event A3 reporting }
ensure that {
  when { Blacklisted neighbour cell satisfies entry condition for event A3 }
  then { It is not considered in event evaluation and UE does not send MeasurementReport message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurement reporting triggered by event A3 is ongoing }
ensure that {
  when { Blacklisted neighbour cell satisfies entry condition for event A3 }
```

```

    then { It is not considered in measurement reporting }
}

```

8.3.1.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.5.1, 5.5.4.1, 5.5.4.4 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.1]

The UE reports measurement information in accordance with the measurement configuration as provided by E-UTRAN. E-UTRAN provides the measurement configuration applicable for a UE in RRC_CONNECTED state by means of dedicated signalling, i.e. using the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message.

...

- For intra-frequency and inter-frequency measurements a measurement object is a single E-UTRA carrier frequency. Associated with this carrier frequency, E-UTRAN can configure a list of cell specific offsets and a list of 'blacklisted' cells. Blacklisted cells are not considered in event evaluation or measurement reporting.

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

- 1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more cells applicable for this event for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration*
 - 3> if the *reportInterval* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event is not equal to 0:
 - 4> set the *periodicalReportingOngoing* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to *TRUE*;
 - 3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to 0;
 - 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event, if not included;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
 - 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical' and a (first) measurement result is available:
 - 3> if the *reportInterval* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event is not equal to 0:
 - 4> set the *periodicalReportingOngoing* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to *TRUE*;
 - 3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to 0;
 - 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event, if not included;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> if the leaving condition applicable for this event is fulfilled for one or more of the cells included in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event:
 - 3> remove the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> apply equation A3-1, as specified below, as the entry condition for this event;
- 1> apply equation A3-2, as specified below, as the leaving condition for this event;

Equation A3-1 (Entering condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + Ofs + Ocs + Off$$

Equation A3-2 (Leaving condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn + Hys < Ms + Ofs + Ocs + Off$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Mn is the measurement result of the neighbouring cell.

Ofn is the frequency specific offset of the frequency of the neighbour cell

Ocn is the cell specific offset of the neighbour cell. If not configured zero offset shall be applied.

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Ofs is the frequency specific offset of the serving frequency (i.e. *offsetFreq* within *MeasObjectEUTRA*)

Ocs is the cell specific offset of the serving cell (i.e. *servingCellOffset* within *MeasObjectEUTRA*)

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. *hysteresis* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Off is the offset parameter for this event (i.e. *a3-Offset* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Mn, ***Ms*** are expressed in dBm

Ofn, ***Ocn***, ***Ofs***, ***Ocs***, ***Hys***, ***Off*** are expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;
- 1> set the *mobilityMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsToReportList* as defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event
- 1> for each included cell include the measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that measurement;
- 1> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportingQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether, if multiple cells meet the criteria, ordering is also applied irrespective of the cells carrier frequency

- 1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event by 1;
- 1> if the *periodicalReportingOngoing* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event is set to *FALSE* or
- 1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event is equal to *reportAmount* as defined within the reporting configuration for this event as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> set the *periodicalReportingOngoing* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to *FALSE*;
- 1> else:

2> start a timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event;

1> if the measured results are for CDMA:

2> set the *preRegistrationStatus* to the UE's cdma upper layer's HRPD *preRegistrationStatus*;

1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It is FFS which additional cells may be included in a report, e.g. cells of another type (e.g. best inter-frequency cell included in an intra-frequency report).

Editor's note: It is FFS if, for the case of a SON report of the strongest cell(s) on the carrier, the UE is required to report more than one cell.

8.3.1.7.3 Test description

8.3.1.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 4:
- Cell 1 is the serving cell
- Cell 2 and Cell 4 are intra-frequency neighbour cells

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.3.1.7.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.7.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 4 at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1", "T2" and "T3" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.1.7.3.2-1 : Power level

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Cell 4 | Remark |
|----|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P04 (FFS) | Power levels shall be such that that exit condition for event A3 is satisfied for all cells ($M2 + Hys < M1$ and $M2 + Hys < M1$) with all offset parameters set to 0 dB. |
| T1 | | | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P04 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 ($M1$) and Cell 2 ($M2$) satisfy entry condition for event A3 ($M2 - Hys > M1$). |
| T2 | | | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P24 (FFS) | P24 shall be such that measurement results for Cell 1 ($M1$) and Cell 4 ($M4$) satisfy entry condition for event A3 ($M4 - Hys > M1$). |

Table 8.3.1.7.3.2-2 : Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> to setup intraLTE measurement and reporting for event A3. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal levels according to row "T1" in table 8.3.1.7.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> messages within the next 10s? | - | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | F |
| 5 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal levels according to row "T2" in table 8.3.1.7.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP values for Cell 1 and Cell 4 without Cell 2 results? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 2 | P |
| 7 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> to remove Cell 2 from the blacklisted cell list. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 9 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP values for Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 4? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |

Editors note: When test tolerances in TS36.508 will cover measurements steps 3, 5 and 10 above will take them into account

8.3.1.7.3.3 Specific message contents

Editors note: When default message contents of *RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION* in TS36.508 will cover measurement configuration it will be referenced in the derivation path in the table below.

Table 8.3.1.7.3.3-1 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1): measurementConfiguration test specific information elements

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|--|---|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { measurementConfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { measObjectToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectId)) OF SEQUENCE { measObjectId[1] measObject[1] } reportConfigToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigId)) OF SEQUENCE { reportConfigId[1] reportConfig[1] } measIdToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasId)) OF SEQUENCE { measId[1] measObjectId[1] reportConfigId[1] } quantityConfig ::= SEQUENCE { quantityConfigEUTRA filterCoefficient } } } } } } | 1 entry IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 1 entry IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 1 entry 1 IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 IdReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 FFS | | |
| measObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE {}, measurementBandwidth offsetFreq servingCellOffset cellsToRemoveList cellsToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellMeas)) OF SEQUENCE { cellIndex[1] physicalCellIdentity[1] cellIndividualOffset[1] cellIndex[2] physicalCellIdentity[2] cellIndividualOffset[2] } blackListedCellsToRemoveList blackListedCellsToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellMeas)) OF SEQUENCE { cellIndex[1] physicalCellIdentity[1] } } | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 0 dB 0 dB Not present 2 entries 1 2 0 dB 2 4 0 dB Not present 1 entry 1 2 | Identifies E-UTRA carrier frequency FFS Default Default (FFS) Neighbour cell list Add Cell 2 and Cell 4 Entry index FFS Entry index FFS Black lists Add Cell 2 Entry index FFS | |

| | | | |
|--|---|--|--|
| reportConfigEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { eventId CHOICE { eventA3 SEQUENCE { a3-Offset } } triggerQuantity hysteresis timeToTrigger reportQuantity maxReportCells reportInterval SEQUENCE {} reportAmount SEQUENCE {} } | ReportConfigEUTRA-RC1 0 dB rsrp TBD [> 0 dB] 0 seconds sameAsTriggerQuantity 3 Not present Not present | Reference Signal Received Power FFS Report Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 4 | |
|--|---|--|--|

Table 8.3.1.7.3.3-2 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 7): measurementConfiguration test specific information elements

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|---|--|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { measurementConfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { measObjectToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectId)) OF SEQUENCE { measObjectId[1] measObject[1] } } } } } } | 1 entry IdMeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 | | |
| measObjectEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { eutra-CarrierInfo SEQUENCE {}, measurementBandwidth offsetFreq servingCellOffset cellsToRemoveList cellsToAddModifyList blackListedCellsToRemoveList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellMeas)) OF SEQUENCE { cellIndex[1] } blackListedCellsToAddModifyList } | MeasObjectEUTRA-MO1 0 dB 0 dB Not present Not present 1 entry 1 Not present | Identifies E-UTRA carrier frequency FFS Default Default (FFS) Neighbour cell list Black lists Remove Cell 2 Entry index | |

Table 8.3.1.7.3.3-3 MeasurementReport (step 6): measuredResults test specific information elements

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|--|---|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| measuredResults ::= SEQUENCE { measId measuredResultServing ::= SEQUENCE {} mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { physicalCellIdentity[1] measResultEUTRA[1] ::= SEQUENCE {} physicalCellIdentity[2] measResultEUTRA[2] ::= SEQUENCE {} } } } | 1 4 rsrp 1 rsrp | FFS Report Cell 4 FFS Report Cell 1 FFS | |

Table 8.3.1.7.3.3-4 MeasurementReport (step 9): measuredResults test specific information elements

| Derivation Path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|---|--|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/remark | Comment | Condition |
| measuredResults ::= SEQUENCE { measId measuredResultServing ::= SEQUENCE {} mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListEUTRA ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { physicalCellIdentity[1] measResultEUTRA[1] ::= SEQUENCE {} physicalCellIdentity[2] measResultEUTRA[2] ::= SEQUENCE {} physicalCellIdentity[2] measResultEUTRA[2] ::= SEQUENCE {} } } } | 1 2 rsrp 4 rsrp 1 rsrp | FFS Report Cell 2 FFS Report Cell 4 FFS Report Cell 1 FFS | |

8.3.1.8 Measurement configuration control and reporting / intra E-UTRAN measurements: handover (IE measurement configuration present)

8.3.1.8.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment, initial security activation procedure **and** performed the intra frequency measurement }
ensure that {
 when { UE receives an *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message including an IE *mobilityControlInformation* and an IE *measurementConfiguration* for removing intra frequency measurement }
 then { UE performs intra frequency handover **and** stops the intra frequency measurement }
}

8.3.1.8.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4, 5.5.2.2 and 5.5.2.6.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.4]

NOTE 1: The UE should perform the handover as soon as possible following the reception of the RRC message triggering the handover, which could be before confirming successful reception (HARQ and ARQ) of this message.

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310 and T312, if running;
- 1> start timer T304;
- 1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Radio resource configuration procedure as specified in 5.3.10;
- 1> set the C-RNTI to the value of the *newUE-Identity*;
- 1> indicate the occurrence of handover to PDCP;
- 1> if the *eutra-CarrierFreq* is included:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the frequency indicated by the *eutra-CarrierFreq* with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> consider the target cell to be one on the current frequency with a physical cell identity indicated by the *targetCellIdentity*;
- 1> if the *dl-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the downlink bandwidth indicated by the *dl-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same downlink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> if the *ul-Bandwidth* is included:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the uplink bandwidth indicated by the *ul-Bandwidth*;
- 1> else:
 - 2> for the target cell, apply the same uplink bandwidth as for the current cell;
- 1> configure lower layers in accordance with the received *radioResourceConfigCommon*;
- 1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *securityConfiguration*:
 - 2> apply the AS-derived keys associated with the AS-base key indicated by the *keyIndicator*;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated integrity protection algorithm immediately, i.e. the indicated integrity protection configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
 - 2> configure lower layers to apply the indicated ciphering algorithm immediately, i.e. the indicated ciphering configuration shall be applied to all subsequent messages received and sent by the UE, including the message used to indicate the successful completion of the procedure;
- 1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;
- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

NOTE 2: The handling of the radio bearers after the successful completion of handover, e.g. the re-transmission of unacknowledged PDCP SDUs (as well as the associated status reporting), the handling of the SN and the HFN, is specified in [8].

- 1> synchronise to the DL of the target cell;
- 1> submit the *RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete* message to lower layers for transmission using the new configuration;
- 1> If MAC successfully completes the random access procedure:
 - 2> stop timer T304;
 - 2> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *radioResourceConfiguration*:
 - 3> perform the physical layer reconfiguration related actions applicable upon successfully completing the handover as specified in 5.3.10.5;
 - 2> the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It has been agreed that the UE is not required to determine the SFN of the target cell by acquiring system information from that cell.

Editor's note The handling of the radio configuration is covered by the general reconfiguration procedure. It has been agreed that the configuration used in the target cell may either be specified as a delta to the one used in the serving cell or by providing the full configuration (signalling details are FFS)

Editor's note Currently it is specified that the *keyIndicator* always needs to be provided upon handover as a result of which the *securityConfiguration* becomes mandatory in case of handover. If however the *securityConfiguration* would be optional in case of handover, the case the IE is not included needs to be covered also.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.2.2]

The UE shall:

- 1> for each *measId* value included in the *measIdToRemoveList*:
 - 2> remove the entry, from the parameter *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, with the corresponding *measId* value;

Editors note It has been agreed that the UE should NOT autonomously delete any unused measurement objects or reporting configurations.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.2.6]

The UE shall:

- 1> for each *reportConfigId* value included in the *reportConfigToRemoveList*:
 - 2> remove, from the parameter *reportConfigList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, the entry with the corresponding *reportConfigId* value;
 - 2> if the removed entry included *t321*:
 - 3> Stop timer T321, if running;
 - 2> remove, from the parameter *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, the entry(ies) with the corresponding *reportConfigId* value, if included;

8.3.1.8.3 Test description

8.3.1.8.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on Cell 1.

8.3.1.8.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to setup intra frequency measurement. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message to confirm the setup of intra frequency measurement. | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical reporting for Cell 2. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in steps 4 to 6 the steps specified in Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-2 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS changes Cell 1 and Cell 2 parameters so that the measurement reporting criteria is met. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report the event A3 with the measured TBD value for Cell 2. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |
| 6 | The SS transmits an <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message with an IE <i>measurementConfiguration</i> for removing periodical reporting, to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2. | <-- | <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> | 1 | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message to Cell 2? | --> | <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | 1 | P |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical reporting within the time indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> ? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | F |
| 9 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 2? | - | - | 1 | P |

Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: The step 1 shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical reporting for Cell 2. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |

8.3.1.8.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.3.1.8.3.3-1: *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1, Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-1)

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Table 8.3.1.8.3.3-2: *RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete* (step 2 and step 7, Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.8.3.3-3: *MeasurementReport* (step 3, Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.8.3.3-4: *MeasurementReport* (step 5, Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.8.3.3-5: *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 6, Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.8.3.3-6: *MeasurementReport* (step 1, Table 8.3.1.8.3.2-2)

FFS

8.3.1.9 Measurement configuration control and reporting / intra E-UTRAN measurements: intra-frequency handover (IE measurement configuration not present)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.2.0 i.e. after RAN#40 + R2-083795.

8.3.1.9.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

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with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment, initial security activation procedure and
performed the intra frequency and inter frequency measurements }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControlInformation and not including an IE measurementConfiguration }
  then { UE performs intra frequency handover and continues the intra frequency and inter
frequency measurements }
}

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8.3.1.9.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.5.6.1.2.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.6.1.2]

The UE shall:

- 1> If the *RRCConnectionReconfiguration* message triggering the handover does not include the IE measurement configuration:
- 2> continue the intra-frequency, inter-frequency and inter-RAT measurements without modifying the measurement configuration.

8.3.1.9.3 Test description

8.3.1.9.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2, Cell 3 and Cell 4

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on Cell 1.

8.3.1.9.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to setup intra and inter frequency measurements. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message to confirm the setup of intra and inter frequency measurements. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in steps 3 to 5 the steps specified in Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-2 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in steps 3 to 5 the steps specified in Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-3 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical intra frequency reporting and a periodical inter frequency reporting. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message without an IE <i>measurementConfiguration</i> , to order the UE to perform intra frequency handover to Cell 2. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | 1 | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message to Cell 2? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | 1 | P |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in steps 6 to 7 the steps specified in Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-4 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in steps 6 to 7 the steps specified in Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-5 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical intra frequency reporting and a periodical inter frequency reporting. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 2? | - | - | 1 | - |

Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: The step 1 shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 2 and Cell 4. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |

Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-3: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: The step 1 shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical inter frequency reporting for Cell 3. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |

Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-4: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 1 and Cell 4. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| - | EXCEPTION: The step 2 shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 1 and Cell 4. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |

Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-5: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical inter frequency reporting for Cell 3. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| - | EXCEPTION: The step 2 shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical inter frequency reporting for Cell 3. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |

8.3.1.9.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.3.1.9.3.3-1: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.9.3.3-2: RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete (step 2 and step 5, Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.9.3.3-3: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 4, Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.9.3.3-4: MeasurementReport (step 1, Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-2)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.9.3.3-5: MeasurementReport (step 1, Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-3)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.9.3.3-6: MeasurementReport (step 1 and step 2, Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-4)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.9.3.3-7: MeasurementReport (step 1 and step 2, Table 8.3.1.9.3.2-5)

FFS

8.3.1.10 Measurement configuration control and reporting / intra E-UTRAN measurements: inter-frequency handover (IE measurement configuration not present)**Editor's Note:** This section is based on 36.331 v8.2.0 i.e. after RAN#40 + R2-083795.**8.3.1.10.1 Test Purpose (TP)**

(1)

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with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment, initial security activation procedure and
performed the intra frequency and inter frequency measurements }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an RRCConnectionReconfiguration message including an IE
mobilityControlInformation indicating a different E-UTRA frequency and not including an IE
measurementConfiguration }
  then { UE performs inter frequency handover, continues the intra frequency measurement and stops
inter frequency measurement }
}

```

8.3.1.10.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.5.6.1.3.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.6.1.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> If the iRRCConnectionReconfiguration message triggering the handover does not include the IE measurement configuration:
- 2> continue the intra-frequency measurements as follows:
 - 3> for each imeasId value in the parameter measIdList within VarMeasurementConfiguration that is linked to the measObjId value in the parameter measObjectList within VarMeasurementConfiguration whose eutra-CarrierInfo is set to the source carrier frequency;
 - 4> link this measId value to the measObjId value in the parameter measObjectList within VarMeasurementConfiguration whose eutra-CarrierInfo is set to the target frequency;
- 2> stop all inter-frequency and inter-RAT measurements while keeping the measurement configuration unchanged;

NOTE 2 The UE resumes the applicable inter-frequency measurements after the E-UTRAN has configured the corresponding measurement object and activated the (corresponding) measurement gap(s)

2> deactivate the measurement gap, if activated.

NOTE If the IE *measurementConfiguration* is included, then the normal procedure in 5.5.2 is performed

8.3.1.10.3 Test description

8.3.1.10.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2, Cell 3, Cell 4 and Cell 6(FFS)

Editor's Note: It is necessary to add a cell on using frequency f2 to TS 36.508.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on Cell 1.

8.3.1.10.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to setup intra and inter frequency measurements. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message to confirm the setup of intra and inter frequency measurements. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in steps 3 to 5 the steps specified in Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-2 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| - | EXCEPTION: In parallel to the events described in steps 3 to 5 the steps specified in Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-3 should take place. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical intra frequency reporting and a periodical inter frequency reporting. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message without an IE <i>measurementConfiguration</i> , to order the UE to perform inter frequency handover to Cell 3. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message to Cell 3? | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | 1 | P |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 6. | --> | <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> | 1 | P |
| 7 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 3? | - | - | 1 | - |

Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-2: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: The step 1 shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 2 and Cell 4. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |

Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-3: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| - | EXCEPTION: The step 1 shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | The UE transmits a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical inter frequency reporting for Cell 3 and Cell 6. | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | - | - |

8.3.1.10.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.3.1.10.3.3-1: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.10.3.3-2: RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete (step 2 and step 5, Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.10.3.3-3: RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 4, Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.10.3.3-4: MeasurementReport (step 6, Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.10.3.3-5: MeasurementReport (step 1, Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-2)

FFS

Table 8.3.1.10.3.3-6: MeasurementReport (step 1, Table 8.3.1.10.3.2-3)

FFS

8.3.2 Inter RAT measurements

8.3.2.3 Measurement configuration control and reporting / inter RAT measurements: event B2 (measurement of UTRAN cells)

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.2.0 i.e. after RAN#40 + R2-083795.

8.3.2.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

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with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment, initial security activation procedure and
performed the inter RAT measurement for UTRA cell and not detected entering condition for the event
B2 is met }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering condition for the event B2 is not met }
  then { UE does not transmit any MeasurementReport }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment, initial security activation procedure and
performed the inter RAT measurement for UTRA cell and not detected entering condition for the event
B2 is met }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering condition for the event B2 is met }
  then { UE transmits a MeasurementReport }
}

```

(3)

```

with { UE having completed the radio bearer establishment, initial security activation procedure and
performed the inter RAT measurement for UTRA cell and detected entering condition for the event B2
is met }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects leaving condition for the event B2 is met }
  then { UE does not transmit any MeasurementReport }
}

```

8.3.2.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1, 5.5.4.8 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

- 1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
- 2> if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more cells applicable for this event for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration*
 - 3> if the *reportInterval* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event is not equal to 0:
 - 4> set the *periodicalReportingOngoing* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to TRUE;
 - 3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to 0;
 - 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event, if not included;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical' and a (first) measurement result is available:
 - 3> if the *reportInterval* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event is not equal to 0:
 - 4> set the *periodicalReportingOngoing* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to TRUE;
 - 3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to 0;
 - 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event, if not included;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.4;

- 2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> if the leaving condition applicable for this event is fulfilled for one or more of the cells included in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event:
 - 3> remove the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.8]

The UE shall:

- 1> for UTRA and CDMA2000, only trigger the event for cells included in the corresponding measurement object;
- 1> apply equation B2-1 and equation B2-2 i.e. both have to be fulfilled, as specified below, as the entry equation for this event;
- 1> apply equation B3-3 and equation B2-4 i.e. at least one of the two has to be fulfilled, as specified below, as the leaving equation for this event;

Equation B2-1 (Entering condition 1)

$$Ms - Hys < Thresh1$$

Equation B2-2 (Entering condition 2)

$$Mn + Ofn - Hys > Thresh2$$

Equation B2-3 (Leaving condition 1)

$$Ms + Hys > Thresh1$$

Equation B2-4 (Leaving condition 2)

$$Mn + Ofn + Hys < Thresh2$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Mn is the measurement result of the neighbouring inter RAT cell.

Ofn is the frequency specific offset of the frequency of the neighbour cell

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. hysteresis as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Thresh1 is the threshold parameter for this event (i.e. b2-Threshold1 as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Thresh2 is the threshold parameter for this event (i.e. b2-Threshold2 as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Mn, Ms are expressed in dBm

Ofn, Hys, Thresh1, Thresh2 are expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;

1> set the *mobilityMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsToReportList* as defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event

1> for each included cell include the measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that measurement;

1> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportingQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether, if multiple cells meet the criteria, ordering is also applied irrespective of the cells carrier frequency

1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event by 1;

1> if the *periodicalReportingOngoing* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event is set to FALSE or

1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event is equal to *reportAmount* as defined within the reporting configuration for this event as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

2> set the *periodicalReportingOngoing* defined within the *VarEventsTriggered* for this event to FALSE;

1> else:

2> start a timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event;

1> if the measured results are for CDMA:

2> set the *preRegistrationStatus* to the UE's cdma upper layer's HRPD *preRegistrationStatus*;

1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It is FFS which additional cells may be included in a report, e.g. cells of another type (e.g. best inter-frequency cell included in an intra-frequency report).

Editor's note: It is FFS if, for the case of a SON report of the strongest cell(s) on the carrier, the UE is required to report more than one cell.

8.3.2.3.3 Test description

8.3.2.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 7(FFS), Cell 8(FFS), Cell 9(FFS)

Editor's Note: It is necessary to add three UTRA cells to TS 36.508.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on Cell 1.

8.3.2.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.2.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message to setup inter RAT measurement. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message to confirm the setup of inter RAT measurement. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| 3 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> message to report the event B2 within the time indicated in the IE <i>timeToTrigger</i> . | --> | <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> | 1 | F |
| 4 | The SS changes Cell 7 and Cell 8 parameters so that the measurement reporting criteria is met. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> message to report the event B2 for Cell 7 and Cell 8. | --> | <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> | 2 | P |
| 6 | The SS changes Cell 7 and Cell 8 parameters so that the measurement reporting criteria is not met. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> message to report the event B2 for Cell 7 and Cell 8 within the time indicated in the IE <i>timeToTrigger</i> . | --> | <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> | 3 | F |
| 8 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 1? | - | - | ? | - |

8.3.2.3.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's Note: To be updated according to agreed RRC message structure.

Table 8.3.2.3.3.3-1: RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION (step 1, Table 8.3.2.3.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.2.3.3.3-2: RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE (step 2, Table 8.3.2.3.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 8.3.2.3.3.3-3: MEASUREMENTREPORT (step 5, Table 8.3.2.3.3.2-1)

FFS

8.3.2.4 Measurement configuration control and reporting / inter RAT measurements: Periodic reporting (measurement of UTRAN cells)

8.3.2.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and measurement configured for periodic reporting of UTRA
cells }
ensure that {
  when { The UE receives reference signal power for cells on the UTRA frequency where measurements
are configured }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport message at regular intervals for these UTRA cells }
}

```


(2)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and a Measurement Report message for a configured periodic
measurement reporting of UTRA cells on a configured frequency were sent }
ensure that {
  when { A previously reported cell become unavailable or the UE receives reference signal power on
a reported UTRA frequency for a cell which was previously not reported }
  then { UE sends MeasurementReport message at regular intervals for the available UTRA cells }
}

```

(3)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state and periodic measurement reporting of UTRA cells ongoing}
ensure that {
  when { The UE receives a RRConnectionReconfiguration message removing the measID of periodic
reporting of UTRA cells }
  then { UE stops sending MeasurementReport message for UTRA cells }
}

```

8.3.2.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.5.3, 5.5.2.2, 5.5.4.1 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

...

- 1> If the *RRConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:
- 2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.2.2]

The UE shall:

- 1> for each *measId* value included in the *measIdToRemoveList*:
- 2> remove the entry, from the parameter *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, with the corresponding *measId* value;
- 2> remove the entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if included;

Editors note It has been agreed that the UE should NOT autonomously delete any unused measurement objects or reporting configurations.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

- 1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
- 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency/ set of frequencies (GERAN) to be applicable as follows:
- 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns UTRA or CDMA2000: when the concerned cell is included in the *cellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId* (i.e. the cell is included in the white-list);
- 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns GERAN: when the concerned cell matches the *ncc-Permitted* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
- 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;

- 2> else consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency to be applicable as follows:
 - 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns UTRA or CDMA2000: when the concerned cell is included in the *cellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId* (i.e. the cell is included in the white-list) or the corresponding *reportingConfig* includes a purpose set to 'reportStrongestCellsForSON' or to 'reportCGF';
 - 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns GERAN: when the concerned cell matches the *ncc-Permitted* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId* or the corresponding *reportingConfig* includes a purpose set to 'reportStrongestCellsForSON' or to 'reportCGF';
 - 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
- 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* or:
- 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical' and a (first) measurement result is available:
 - 3> if the *VarMeasurementReports* does not include an entry for this *measId*:
 - 4> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;
 - 4> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;
 - 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:
 - 3> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical':
 - 4> clear the *cellsToReportList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* and include the applicable cell(s) in the *cellsToReportList*;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;
- 1> set the *mobilityMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsToReportList* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*
- 1> for each included cell include the filtered measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that *measId*, ordered as follows:
 - 2> If for E-UTRA the *reportQuantity* is set as 'both':
 - 3> include the E-UTRA cells in order of decreasing *triggerQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first;
 - 2> else:
 - 3> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether, if multiple cells meet the criteria, ordering is also applied irrespective of the cells carrier frequency

1> increment the numberOfReportsSent as defined within the VarMeasurementReports for this measId by 1;

1> if the numberOfReportsSent as defined within the VarMeasurementReports for this measId is less than to reportAmount as defined within the reporting configuration for this event as defined in variable VarMeasurementConfiguration:

2> start the periodical reporting timer with the value of reportInterval as defined within the VarMeasurementConfiguration for this measId;

1> if the measured results are for CDMA:

2> set the preRegistrationStatus to the UE's cdma upper layer's HRPD preRegistrationStatus;

1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It is FFS which additional cells may be included in a report, e.g. cells of another type (e.g. best inter-frequency cell included in an intra-frequency report).

Editor's note: It is FFS if, for the case of a SON report of the strongest cell(s) on the carrier, the UE is required to report more than one cell.

8.3.2.4.3 Test description

8.3.2.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 7(FFS) and Cell 8(FFS)

Editor's Note: It is necessary to add a cell on using frequency f2 to TS 36.508.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on Cell 1.

8.3.2.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for the cells at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while rows marked "T1" and "T2" are to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-1 : Power levels

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Parameter | Unit | Cell 7 | Cell 8 | Remark |
|----|--------------------|------|-----------|-------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|---|
| | E-UTRA Cell | | | UTRA Cells | | | | |
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | CPICH_Ec | dBm/ 3.84 MHz | P07 (FFS) | Off | Power levels shall be such that camping on Cell 1 is guaranteed |
| T1 | | | P01 (FFS) | | | P07 (FFS) | P07 (FFS) | |
| T2 | | | P01 (FFS) | | | Off | P07 (FFS) | |

Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message including measurementConfiguration to setup measurements and periodical reporting for UTRA cells. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to events described in steps 3 to 4 the steps specified in table 8.3.2.4.3.2.-3 shall take place | | | | |
| 3 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical reporting of UTRA cells. | - | - | 1 | - |
| 4 | SS sets the cell-specific reference signal levels and switches Cell 8 on according to row "T1" in table 8.3.2.4.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Wait and ignore <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> messages for 5 s to allow for the switching of cells. | - | - | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to events described in steps 6 to 7 the steps specified in table 8.3.2.4.3.2.-4 shall take place | | | | |
| 6 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical reporting of UTRA cells. | - | - | 1, 2 | - |
| 7 | SS sets the cell-specific reference signal levels and switches Cell 7 off according to row "T2" in table 8.3.2.4.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | Wait and ignore <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> messages for 5 s to allow for the switching of cells. | - | - | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: In parallel to events described in steps 9 to 10 the steps specified in table 8.3.2.4.3.2.-5 shall take place | | | | |
| 9 | Wait for 30 s to ensure that the UE performs a periodical reporting of UTRA cells. | - | - | 1, 2 | - |
| 10 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> message including measurementConfiguration to remove measId for periodic reporting. | <-- | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATION</i> | - | - |
| 11 | The UE transmits an <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> message | --> | <i>RRCCONNECTIONRECONFIGURATIONCOMPLETE</i> | - | - |

Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-3: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: After the 1st message is received, step 1 below shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | | | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 7? | --> | <i>MEASUREMENTREPORT</i> | 1 | P |

Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-4: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--------------------------|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 1 below shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | | | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 7 and Cell 8? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |

Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-5: Parallel behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------------|------|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | EXCEPTION: Step 1 shall be repeated every time the duration indicated in the IE <i>reportInterval</i> has elapsed. | | | | |
| 1 | Check: Does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to perform periodical intra frequency reporting for Cell 8? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1, 2 | P |

Editor's note: The value and tolerance of the *reportInterval* is FFS.

8.3.2.4.3.3 Specific message contents

Editors note: When default message contents of *RRConnectionReconfiguration* in TS36.508 will cover measurement configuration the tables for specific message contents below will be updated accordingly.

Table 8.3.2.4.3.3-1 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 1, Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|---|--|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { measurementConfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { measObjectToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxObjectId)) OF SEQUENCE { measObjectId[1] measObject[1] } reportConfigToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxReportConfigId)) OF SEQUENCE { reportConfigId[1] reportConfig[1] } measIdToAddModifyList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasId)) OF SEQUENCE { measId[1] measObjectId[1] reportConfigId[1] } quantityConfig ::= SEQUENCE { quantityConfigEUTRA filterCoefficient } measGapConfig ::= SEQUENCE { gapActivation CHOICE { activate SEQUENCE { gapPattern ENUMERATED {} startSFN startSubframeNumber } } } ... } } } } | 1 entry MeasObjectId-MO1 MeasObjectUTRA-MO1 1 entry ReportConfigId-RC1 ReportConfigInterRAT-RC1 1 entry 1 MeasObjectId-MO1 ReportConfigId-RC1 FFS gp1 (FFS) FFS FFS | UTRA frequency | |
| measObjectUTRA ::= SEQUENCE { utra-CarrierFreq SEQUENCE {}, offsetFreq cellsToRemoveList cellsToAddModifyList CHOICE { cellsToAddModifyListUTRA-FDD ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellMeas)) OF SEQUENCE { cellIndex[1] cellIdentity[1] cellIndex[2] cellIdentity[2] } } cellForWhichToReportCGI ... } | MeasObjectUTRA-MO1 FFS 0 dB Not present 1 UTRA-FDD-CellIdentity-UC1 (FFS) 2 UTRA-FDD-CellIdentity-UC2 (FFS) Not present | UTRA DL carrier frequency Default Neighbour cell list Cell 7 Cell 8 | |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|--|
| reportConfigInterRAT ::= SEQUENCE { triggerType CHOICE { periodical SEQUENCE { purpose CHOICE { reportStrongestCells } } } maxReportCells reportInterval SEQUENCE {} reportAmount SEQUENCE {} } | ReportConfigInterRAT-RC1 2 FFS seconds Not present | | |
| | | Report Cell 7 and Cell 8 Periodical reporting required | |

Table 8.3.2.4.3.3-2 RRCConnectionReconfiguration (step 10, Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-2)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-6 | | | |
|--|------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| RRCConnectionReconfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { rrcConnectionReconfiguration-r8 SEQUENCE { measurementConfiguration ::= SEQUENCE { measIdToRemoveList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxMeasId)) OF SEQUENCE { measId[1] } } } } } } | 1 entry 1 | | |

Table 8.3.2.4.3.3-3 MeasurementReport (step 1, Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-3, Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-4, Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-5)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.6.1-3 | | | |
|---|------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| measuredResults ::= SEQUENCE { measId measuredResultServing ::= SEQUENCE {} mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListUTRA ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { utra-CellIdentity[1] CHOICE { cellIdentityFDD cellIdentityTDD } measResultUTRA[1] ::= SEQUENCE {} } } mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListUTRA ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { utra-CellIdentity[1] CHOICE { cellIdentityFDD cellIdentityTDD } measResultUTRA[1] ::= SEQUENCE {} utra-CellIdentity[2] CHOICE { cellIdentityFDD cellIdentityTDD } measResultUTRA[2] ::= SEQUENCE {} } } mobilityMeasResults CHOICE { measResultListUTRA ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellReport)) OF SEQUENCE { utra-CellIdentity[1] CHOICE { cellIdentityFDD cellIdentityTDD } measResultUTRA[1] ::= SEQUENCE {} } } } | 1 | FFS | Table 8.3.2.4.3.2-3 |
| | 7 (FFS) FFS | Report Cell 7 FFS | FDD TDD |
| | cpich-RSCP (FFS) | FFS | |
| | 7 (FFS) FFS | Report Cell 7 FFS | FDD TDD |
| | cpich-RSCP (FFS) | FFS | |
| | 8 (FFS) FFS | Report Cell 8 FFS | FDD TDD |
| | cpich-RSCP (FFS) | FFS | |
| | 8 (FFS) FFS | Report Cell 8 FFS | FDD TDD |
| | cpich-RSCP (FFS) | FFS | |

8.3.3 Measurements for Self Optimized Networks

8.3.3.1 Measurement configuration control and reporting / SON / ANR: CGI reporting of LTE cell

Editor's Note: This section is based on 36.331 v8.3.0 i.e. after RP#41 + R2-085978.

8.3.3.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
    when { Neighbour becomes offset better than serving }
    then { UE sends MeasurementReport for event A3 }
}
```

(2)

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC CONNECTED state }


```

ensure that {
  when { UE is commanded to report the global cell identity of the neighbour cell }
  then { UE determines the global cell identity of the cell included in the associated measurement
object by acquiring the relevant system information from the concerned cell and reports the global
cell identity in the MeasurementReport }
}

```

8.3.3.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.5.3, 5.5.3, 5.5.4.1, 5.5.4.4 and 5.5.5.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.5.3]

If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message does not include the *mobilityControlInformation* and the UE is able to comply with the configuration included in this message, the UE shall:

...

1> If the *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* message includes the *measurementConfiguration*:

2> perform the Measurement configuration procedure as specified in 5.5.2;

...

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.3]

The UE supports measurement using a reporting configuration with the purpose set to '*reportCGI*', if the network provides sufficient idle periods.

The UE shall:

1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

2> If measurement gaps are active or

2> the UE does not require measurement gaps to perform the concerned measurement:

3> If *s-Measure* is not configured or

3> If *s-Measure* is configured and the serving cell quality (RSRP value) is lower than this value:

4> Perform the corresponding measurements of neighbouring cells on the frequencies and RATs indicated in the concerned *measObject* and

4> Perform the evaluation of reporting criteria as specified in section 5.5.4;

1> If a measurement is configured which the UE should attempt to perform during idle periods:

2> if for one of the measurements purpose within the *reportConfig* is set to '*reportCGI*' and

2> if timer T321 is running:

3> determine the global cell identity of the cell included in the associated measurement object by acquiring the relevant system information from the concerned cell;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.1]

The UE shall:

1> for each *measId* included in the *measIdList* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:

2> if the *triggerType* is set to '*event*' consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency/ set of frequencies (GERAN) to be applicable as follows:

3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns UTRA or CDMA2000: when the concerned cell is included in the *cellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId* (i.e. the cell is included in the white-list);

- 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns GERAN: when the concerned cell matches the *ncc-Permitted* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
- 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
- 2> else consider a neighbouring cell on the associated frequency to be applicable as follows:
 - 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns UTRA or CDMA2000: when the concerned cell is included in the *cellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId* (i.e. the cell is included in the white-list) or the corresponding *reportingConfig* includes a purpose set to 'reportStrongestCellsForSON' or to 'reportCGI';
 - 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns GERAN: when the concerned cell matches the *ncc-Permitted* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId* or the corresponding *reportingConfig* includes a purpose set to 'reportStrongestCellsForSON' or to 'reportCGI';
 - 3> if the corresponding *measObject* concerns EUTRA: when the concerned cell is not included in the *blackListedCellsToAddModifyList* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
- 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* while the *VarMeasurementReports* does not include an entry for this *measId* (a first cell triggers the event):
 - 3> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;
 - 3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;
 - 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical' and a (first) measurement result is available:
 - 3> include an entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;
 - 3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the entry condition applicable for this event, i.e. the event corresponding with the *eventId* of the corresponding *reportConfig* within *VarMeasurementConfiguration*, is fulfilled for one or more applicable cells not included in the *cellsTriggeredList* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined for this event within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* (a subsequent cell triggers the event):
 - 3> set the *numberOfReportsSent* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* to 0;
 - 3> include the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*, if not included;
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> Upon expiry of the periodical reporting timer for this:
 - 3> initiate the measurement reporting procedure, as specified in 5.5.5;
- 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event' and if the leaving condition applicable for this event is fulfilled for one or more of the cells included in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* for a duration exceeding the value of *timeToTrigger* defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event:

- 3> remove the concerned cell(s) in the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;
- 3> if the *cellsTriggeredList* defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is empty:
 - 4> remove the entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;
 - 4> stop the periodical reporting timer for this event, if running;

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.4.4]

The UE shall:

- 1> apply inequality A3-1, as specified below, as the entry condition for this event;
- 1> apply inequality A3-2, as specified below, as the leaving condition for this event;

Inequality A3-1 (Entering condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + Of + Ocs + Off$$

Inequality A3-2 (Leaving condition)

$$Mn + Ofn + Ocn + Hys < Ms + Of + Ocs + Off$$

The variables in the formula are defined as follows:

Mn is the measurement result of the neighbouring cell.

Ofn is the frequency specific offset of the frequency of the neighbour cell (equals *Ofs* for intra-frequency measurements and is included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the inter frequency as *offsetFreq* for inter-frequency measurements)

Ocn is the cell specific offset of the neighbour cell. If not configured zero offset shall be applied (included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* of the serving frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset* for intra-f measurements and included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the inter frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset* for inter-frequency measurements).

Ms is the measurement result of the serving cell, not taking into account any cell individual offset.

Ofs is the frequency specific offset of the serving frequency (i.e. *offsetFreq* within the *MeasObjectEUTRA* corresponding to the serving frequency)

Ocs is the cell specific offset of the serving cell (included in *MeasObjectEUTRA* of the serving frequency as parameter *cellIndividualOffset*)

Hys is the hysteresis parameter for this event (i.e. *hysteresis* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Off is the offset parameter for this event (i.e. *a3-Offset* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this event)

Mn*, *Ms are expressed in dBm in case of RSRP, or in dB in case of RSRQ

Ofn*, *Ocn*, *Ofs*, *Ocs*, *Hys*, *Off are expressed in dB

[TS 36.331, clause 5.5.5]

For the *measId* for which the measurement reporting procedure was triggered, the UE shall set the *measuredResults* within the *MeasurementReport* message as follows:

- 1> set the IE *measId* to the measurement identity that triggered the measurement reporting;
- 1> if the *triggerType* is set to 'event':
 - 2> set the *neighbouringMeasResults* to include all cells included in the *cellsTriggeredList* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*

- 1> else:
 - 2> set the *neighbouringMeasResults* to include the applicable cells;
- 1> ordered as follows:
 - 2> for each included cell include the filtered measured results in accordance with the *reportConfigList* defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for that *measId*, as follows:
 - 3> If for E-UTRA the *reportQuantity* is set as 'both':
 - 4> include the E-UTRA cells in order of decreasing *triggerQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first;
 - 3> else:
 - 4> include the cells in order of decreasing *reportQuantity*, i.e. the best cell is included first.
- 1> increment the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* by 1;
- 1> if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is less than *reportAmount* as defined within the corresponding reporting configuration as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> stop the periodical reporting timer, if running;
 - 2> start the periodical reporting timer with the value of *reportInterval* as defined within the *VarMeasurementConfiguration* for this *measId*;
- 1> else if the *numberOfReportsSent* as defined within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId* is equal to *reportAmount* as defined within the corresponding reporting configuration as defined in variable *VarMeasurementConfiguration*:
 - 2> if the *triggerType* is set to 'periodical':
 - 3> remove the entry within the *VarMeasurementReports* for this *measId*;
- 1> if the measured results are for CDMA HRPD:
 - 2> set the *hrpdPreRegistrationStatus* to the UE's cdma upper layer's HRPD *preRegistrationStatus*;
- 1> if the measured results are for CDMA 1xRTT:
 - 2> set the *hrpdPreRegistrationStatus* to '0';
- 1> submit the MEASUREMENT REPORT message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

Editor's note: It is FFS if, for the case of a SON report of the strongest cell(s) on the carrier, the UE is required to report more than one cell.

8.3.3.1.3 Test description

8.3.3.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 2

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

8.3.3.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.3.3.1.3.2-1 illustrates the downlink power levels to be applied for Cell 1 and Cell 2 at various time instants of the test execution. Row marked "T0" denotes the initial conditions, while row marked "T1" is to be applied subsequently. The exact instants on which these values shall be applied are described in the texts in this clause.

Table 8.3.3.1.3.2-1: Power levels

| | Parameter | Unit | Cell 1 | Cell 2 | Remark |
|-----------|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|---|
| T0 | Ro | dBm | P01 (FFS) | P02 (FFS) | P01 and P02 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 is not satisfied: $Mn + Ofn + Ocn + Hys < Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$ |
| T1 | Ro | dBm | P11 (FFS) | P12 (FFS) | P11 and P12 shall be such that entry condition for event A3 is satisfied: $Mn + Ofn + Ocn - Hys > Ms + OfS + Ocs + Off$ |

Table 8.3.3.1.3.2-2: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> to setup intra LTE measurement and reporting for event A3 (intra frequency measurement). | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an <i>RCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 3 | SS re-adjusts the cell-specific reference signal level according to row "T1" in table 8.3.3.1.3.2.-1. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report event A3 with the measured RSRP value for Cell 2? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 1 | P |
| 5 | SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message including <i>measurementConfiguration</i> including <i>reportCGI</i> for Cell 2 and sufficient idle periods for UE to acquire the relevant system information from Cell 2. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits an <i>RCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | - | - |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>MeasurementReport</i> message to report globalCellIdentity for Cell 2? | --> | <i>MeasurementReport</i> | 2 | P |

Editors note: When test tolerances in TS36.508 will cover measurements step 3 above will take them into account.

8.3.3.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Editors note: Specific message contents will be updated when default message contents of *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* in TS36.508 will cover measurement configuration.

Table 8.3.3.1.3.3-1 *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 1): *measurementConfiguration* test specific information elements

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Table 8.3.3.1.3.3-2 *MeasurementReport* (step 4): *measuredResults* test specific information elements

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Table 8.3.3.1.3.3-3 *RRCCConnectionReconfiguration* (step 5): *measurementConfiguration* test specific information elements

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Table 8.3.3.1.3.3-4 *MeasurementReport* (step 7): *measuredResults* test specific information elements

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8.4 Inter RAT Handover

8.5 RRC Others

8.5.1 Radio Link Failure

8.5.1.1 RRC Connection Re-establishment: Success (after Radio Link Failure)

8.5.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

```

(1)
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detecting physical layer problems }
  then { UE shall start timer T310 and UE does not initiate any RRC Connection re-establishment
procedure before expiring of timer T310 }
}

(2)
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detecting radio link failure on expiring of timer T310 }
  then { UE starts timer T311 and UE initiates the RRC Connection re-establishment procedure }
}

(3)
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE successfully completes the RRC Connection re-establishment procedure }
  then { UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
}

```

8.5.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.7.2, 5.3.10.1, 5.3.10.3 and 5.3.10.4.

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.7.2]

The UE shall only initiate the procedure when security has been activated. The UE initiates the procedure when one of the following conditions is met:

- 1> upon re-entry of the service area after having detected radio link failure, in accordance with 5.3.10; or
- 1> upon handover failure, in accordance with 5.3.6.3; or
- 1> when lower layers detect problems, as specified in TS 36.322 [7].

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

...

- 1> start timer T301;

- 1> initiate transmission of the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.7.3;

...

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.10.1]

Upon detecting physical layer problems, the UE shall:

The criteria for detecting physical layer problems are FFS i.e. whether RRC considers this condition to be met upon receiving a certain number of physical layer failure indications within a predefined time-period.

It is FFS if a counter will be used instead of timer T310.

Upon receiving a Random Access problem indication from the MAC, the UE shall:

1> start a timer T312.

...

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.10.3]

Upon T310 or T312 expiry, the UE detects radio link failure and shall:

1> If security is not activated:

2> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.11;

1> else:

2> stop timer T310, if running;

2> stop timer T312, if running;

2> start timer T311;

2> select a suitable cell in accordance with the cell selection process as specified in [4].

...

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.10.4]

Upon selecting an E-UTRA cell while T311 is running, the UE shall:

1> stop timer T311;

1> initiate the Connection re-establishment procedure as specified in 5.3.7.

NOTE This procedure applies also if the UE returns to the source cell

The criteria for re-entry of service area, i.e. for detecting 'in service' are FFS.

...

8.5.1.1.3 Test description

8.5.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- 2 cells on same E-UTRA frequency:
 - Cell 1 (default parameters) serving cell
 - Cell 2 (TBD parameters) intra-frequency cell

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on cell 1.

8.5.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.5.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS reduces DL RS TX power level of Cell 1 below $Q_{rxlevmin}$ and sends erroneous physical layer frames so that UE is detecting physical layer problems on Cell 1. | - | | | |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE initiate an RRC connection re-establishment procedure on Cell 1 or Cell 2. This is checked during the time $T=T310$. | - | | 1 | F |
| 3 | Check: does the UE send RRC connection re-establishment message on Cell 2? | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> | 2 | P |
| 4 | The SS transmits <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishment</i> message. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishment</i> | | |
| 5 | The UE transmits <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentComplete</i> | | |
| 6 | The SS transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to resume existing radio bearer. | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfiguration</i> | | |
| 7 | The UE transmits a <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> | | |
| 8 | Check: The test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that the UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state on Cell 2. | - | | 3 | P |

8.5.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

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8.5.1.2 RRC Connection Re-establishment: End of procedure after T301 expiry (after Radio Link Failure)

8.5.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receiving a Random Access problem indication from MAC }
  then { UE shall start timer T312 and shall continue the Random Access procedure until timer T312 is expired }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detecting radio link failure on expiring of timer T312 }
  then { UE starts timer T311 and UE selects a suitable cell in accordance with the cell selection process }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
```



```

    when { UE having sent an RRCCConnectionReestablishment message on starting of timer T301 }
    then { UE re-sends RRCCConnectionReestablishment messages until timer T301 is expired }
  }

```

(4)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE having sent an RRCCConnectionReestablishment message on starting of timer T301 }
  then { UE does not send any RRCCConnectionReestablishment messages after timer T301 is expired }
}

```

8.5.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in TS 36.331, clauses 5.3.7.2, 5.3.10.1, 5.3.10.3 and 5.3.10.4. The following represent an extraction of the requirements relevant to the test purpose.

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.7.2]

The UE shall only initiate the procedure when security has been activated. The UE initiates the procedure when one of the following conditions is met:

- 1> upon re-entry of the service area after having detected radio link failure, in accordance with 5.3.10; or
- 1> upon handover failure, in accordance with 5.3.6.3; or
- 1> when lower layers detect problems, as specified in TS 36.322 [7].

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;
- ...
- 1> start timer T301;
- 1> initiate transmission of the *RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest* message in accordance with 5.3.7.3;
- ...

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.10.1]

Upon detecting physical layer problems, the UE shall:

- 1> start a timer T310.

The criteria for detecting physical layer problems are FFS i.e. whether RRC considers this condition to be met upon receiving a certain number of physical layer failure indications within a predefined time-period.

It is FFS if a counter will be used instead of timer T310.

Upon receiving a Random Access problem indication from the MAC, the UE shall:

- 1> start a timer T312.

...

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.10.3]

Upon T310 or T312 expiry, the UE detects radio link failure and shall:

- 1> If security is not activated:
 - 2> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.11;
- 1> else:
 - 2> stop timer T310, if running;
 - 2> stop timer T312, if running;

2> start timer T311;

2> select a suitable cell in accordance with the cell selection process as specified in [4].

...

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.10.4]

Upon selecting an E-UTRA cell while T311 is running, the UE shall:

1> stop timer T311;

1> initiate the Connection re-establishment procedure as specified in 5.3.7.

NOTE This procedure applies also if the UE returns to the source cell

The criteria for re-entry of service area, i.e. for detecting 'in service' are FFS.

...

8.5.1.2.3 Test description

8.5.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- 2 cells on same E-UTRA frequency:
 - Cell 1 (default parameters) serving cell
 - Cell 2 (TBD parameters) intra-frequency cell

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is brought to UE test state Generic RB Established (state 3) on cell 1.

8.5.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.5.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS triggers the Random Access Resource procedure on transmit of a <i>PDCCH order</i> providing Random Access Preamble. UE initiates the Random Access procedure and transmits Random Access Preambles. | - | | | |
| 2 | SS does not respond to the Random Access Preambles sent by the UE until condition $\text{PREAMBLE_TRANSMISSION_COUNTER} = \text{PREAMBLE_TRANS_MAX} + 1$ is fulfilled. | - | | | |
| 4 | SS sets Cell 1 to serving cell and Cell 2 to suitable neighbour cell (FFS). | - | | | |
| 5 | Check: UE shall transmit Random Access Preambles on Cell 1 and shall not perform cell reselection on Cell 2 until timer T312 is expired. | - | | 1 | P |
| 6 | SS does not respond to the Random Access Preambles sent by the UE on Cell 1 in step 5. | - | | | |
| 7 | Check: The UE shall send RRC connection re-establishment message on Cell 2. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishment Request</i> | 2 | P |
| 8 | The SS does not respond to any <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishment</i> messages | - | | | |
| 9 | Check: The UE shall send RRC connection re-establishment messages on Cell 2 during timer T3=T301. | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishment Request</i> | 3 | P |
| 10 | Check: The UE shall not send any RRC connection re-establishment messages on Cell 2 after timer T301 is expired. | - | | 4 | P |

8.5.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS

8.5.1.3 RRC Connection Re-establishment; Failure: T311 Expiry (after Radio Link Failure)

8.5.1.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with default bearer established and radio link failure was
detected and UE attempts to select a suitable E-UTRA cell to re-establish the RRC connection }
ensure that {
  when { UE can not find a suitable cell for T311 }
  then { UE does not try to re-establish the RRC connection and goes to RRC_IDLE }
}

```

8.5.1.3.2 Conformance requirements

The conformance requirements covered in the current test case are specified in TS 36.331 clause 5.3.7.2, 5.3.7.7 and 5.3.12.

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.7.2]

...

Upon initiation of the procedure, the UE shall:

- 1> stop timer T310, if running;

1> stop timer T312, if running;

1> start timer T311;

...

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.7.7]

Upon T311 expiry, the UE shall:

1> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.12.

Editor's note: It is up to upper layers to take further action. To facilitate this, the cause of the release may need to be indicated to upper layers.

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.12]

Upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE, the UE shall:

...

1> release all radio resources;

1> indicate the release of the RRC connection to upper layers;

1> enter RRC_IDLE.

8.5.1.3.3 Test description

8.5.1.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established according to [18].

8.5.1.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.5.1.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|--|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS drops Cell 1 DL RS TX power level below $Q_{rxlevmin}$ and sends erroneous physical layer frames to the UE during T310. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The SS waits for T311 and then raises Cell 1 DL RS TX power level to the original level. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | Check: does the UE transmit a <i>RRCConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> messages within the next 60s? | --> | <i>RRCConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> | | F |
| 4 | No action (the test is successful unless it failed in the step 3). | - | - | | P |

Note: The RRC_IDLE state is not checked because the UE may have started to scan other frequencies, bands or RATs during the out of coverage period in step 2, so it can not be ensured that it will respond to paging.

8.5.1.3.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

8.5.1.4 RRC Connection Re-establishment; Failure: Reject (after Radio Link Failure)

8.5.1.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state with default bearer established and radio link failure was
detected and UE initiates the re-establishment procedure}
ensure that {
  when { the UE receives a RRCConnectionReestablishmentReject message }
  then { UE goes to RRC_IDLE }
}
```

8.5.1.4.2 Conformance requirements

The conformance requirements covered in the current test case are specified in TS 36.331 clause 5.3.7.9 and 5.3.12.

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.7.9]

Upon receiving the *RRCConnectionReestablishmentReject* message, the UE shall:

- 1> perform the actions upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE as specified in 5.3.12.

Editor's note: It is up to upper layers to take further action. To facilitate this, the cause of the release may need to be indicated to upper layers.

[TS 36.331 clause 5.3.12]

Upon moving from RRC_CONNECTED to RRC_IDLE, the UE shall:

- 1> reset MAC and re-establish RLC for all RBs that are established;

Editor's note: The above is to stop ongoing procedures e.g. random access.

- 1> stop all timers that are running except T320;
- 1> release all radio resources;
- 1> indicate the release of the RRC connection to upper layers;
- 1> enter RRC_IDLE.

8.5.1.4.3 Test description

8.5.1.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established state according to [18].

8.5.1.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.5.1.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS sends erroneous physical layer frames during T310. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | UE transmits an <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> message | --> | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentRequest</i> | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits a <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentReject</i> message | <-- | <i>RRCCConnectionReestablishmentReject</i> | - | - |
| 4 | Check: the test result of CALL generic procedure indicates that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_IDLE state. | - | - | 1 | P |

8.5.1.4.3.3 Specific message contents

None.

8.5.1.5 Radio Link Recovery while T310 is running

8.5.1.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detecting physical layer recovery while T310 was running }
  then { the UE resumes the RRC connection without explicit signalling }
}
```

8.5.1.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 36.331 clause 5.3.11.1 and 5.3.11.2.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.11.1]

The UE shall:

...

Upon detecting physical layer problems, the UE shall:

1> start a timer T310.

The criteria for detecting physical layer problems are FFS i.e. whether RRC considers this condition to be met upon receiving a certain number of physical layer failure indications within a predefined time-period.

It is FFS if a counter will be used instead of timer T310.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.3.11.2]

Upon detecting physical layer recovery while T310 was running, the UE shall:

1> stop timer T310.

NOTE In this case, the UE resumes the RRC connection without explicit signalling i.e. the UE resumes the entire radio resource configuration.

The criteria for detecting physical layer recovery are FFS.

8.5.1.5.3 Test description

8.5.1.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18].

8.5.1.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.5.1.5.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|---------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS changes the cell conditions so the UE detects physical failure indications. | - | - | | |
| 2 | SS waits for 1.5s < T310 s. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | SS changes the cell level to default value. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | SS waits for 5s. | - | - | 1 | P |
| 5 | Check: does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that UE is in E-UTRA RRC_CONNECTED state? | - | - | 1 | - |

8.5.1.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.5.1.5.3.3-1 SystemInformationBlockType2

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.4.3.3-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| SystemInformationBlockType2 ::= SEQUENCE { | | | |
| ue-TimersAndConstants { | | | |
| t310 | ms2000 | | |

8.5.4 UE capability transfer

8.5.4.1 UE capability transfer / Success

8.5.4.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in RRC_CONNECTED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an UECapabilityEnquiry message }
  then { UE transmits an UECapabilityInformation message including UE radio access capability
information corresponding to the ue-RadioAccessCapRequest variable }
}

```

8.5.4.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 36.331, clause 5.6.3.3.

[TS 36.331, clause 5.6.3.3]

The UE shall:

- 1> set the contents of *UECapabilityInformation* message as follows:
 - 2> If the *ue-RadioAccessCapRequest* includes E-UTRA:
 - 3> include the *UE-EUTRA-Capability* within a *ueCapabilitiesRAT-Container* and with the *rat-Type* set to *eutra*;
 - 2> If the UE radio access capability request includes GERAN:
 - 3> include the UE radio access capabilities for GERAN within a *ueCapabilitiesRAT-Container* and with the *rat-Type* set to *geran*;
 - 2> If the UE radio access capability request includes UTRA:
 - 3> include the UE radio access capabilities for UTRA within a *ueCapabilitiesRAT-Container* and with the *rat-Type* set to *utran*;
 - 2> If the UE radio access capability request includes CDMA2000-1xRTT Bandclass:
 - 3> include the UE band class radio access capabilities for CDMA 2000 within a *ueCapabilitiesRAT-Container* and with the *rat-Type* set to *cdma2000-1xrttBandClass*;
- 1> submit the *UECapabilityInformation* message to lower layers for transmission, upon which the procedure ends.

8.5.4.1.3 Test description

8.5.4.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB Established (state 3) according to [18] on Cell 1.

8.5.4.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 8.5.4.1.3.2-1: Main Behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|-----|--|------------------|--------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits an <i>UECapabilityEnquiry</i> message to request UE radio access capability information for E UTRA only. | <-- | <i>UECapabilityEnquiry</i> | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>UECapabilityInformation</i> message? | --> | <i>UECapabilityInformation</i> | 1 | P |
| - | EXCEPTION: Steps 3a1 to 3a2 describe behaviour that depends on the UE capability. | - | - | - | - |
| 3a1 | IF pc_FDD, pc_TDD_HCR, pc_TDD_LCR, pc_TDD_VHCR, pc_UMTS_GSM, pc_1xRTT or pc_HRPD THEN the SS transmits an <i>UECapabilityEnquiry</i> message to request UE radio access capability information for every other supported RATs. | <-- | <i>UECapabilityEnquiry</i> | - | - |
| 3a2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an <i>UECapabilityInformation</i> message? | --> | <i>UECapabilityInformation</i> | 1 | P |

8.5.4.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 8.5.4.1.3.3-1: UECapabilityEnquiry (step 1, Table 8.5.4.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-23 | | | |
|---|--------------|-------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| UECapabilityEnquiry ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { ueCapabilityEnquiry-r8 SEQUENCE { ue-RadioAccessCapRequest } } } } | eutra | E-UTRA only | |

Table 8.5.4.1.3.3-2: UECapabilityInformation (step 2, Table 8.5.4.1.3.2-1)

[illegible]

Table 8.5.4.1.3.3-4: UECapabilityInformation (step 3a2, Table 8.5.4.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 clause 4.6.1 table 4.6.1-24 | | | |
|---|-----------------------------|--|--|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| UECapabilityInformation ::= SEQUENCE { criticalExtensions CHOICE { c1 CHOICE { ueCapabilityInformation-r8 SEQUENCE { SIZE (1..maxRAT-Capabilities)) OF SEQUENCE { | | | |
| rat-Type[i1] | utran | Stated capability shall be compatible with 3GPP TS 36.523-2 (ICS statements) and the user settings | pc_FDD, pc_TDD_H CR, pc_TDD_L CR, pc_TDD_V HCR |
| ueCapabilitiesRAT-Container[i1] OCTET STRING {} | FFS | The encoding of UE capabilities is defined in IE [FFS] TS 25.331 [19]. | pc_FDD, pc_TDD_H CR, pc_TDD_L CR, pc_TDD_V HCR |
| rat-Type[i2] | geran | | pc_UMTS_ GSM |
| ueCapabilitiesRAT-Container [i2] OCTET STRING {} | FFS | The encoding of UE capabilities is defined in IE [FFS] [24.008 and/or 44.018; FFS]. | pc_UMTS_ GSM |
| rat-Type[i3] | cdma2000- 1xrttBandClass | | pc_1xRTT, pc_HRPD |
| ueCapabilitiesRAT-Container [i3] OCTET STRING {} | FFS | The encoding of UE capabilities is defined in IE [A.S.0008; FFS] | pc_1xRTT, pc_HRPD |
| nonCriticalExtension SEQUENCE {} | Not present | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |
| } | | | |

9 EPS Mobility Management

Editor's note: The contents of this section are aligned with 3GPP TS 24.301 v0.4.0.

9.1 EMM common procedures

9.1.1 GUTI reallocation procedures

9.1.1.1 GUTI reallocation procedure

9.1.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE receives a GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message allocating a new GUTI and a new TAI list }  
  then { UE transmits a GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE and UE considers the new GUTI as valid and the  
old GUTI as invalid and UE considers the new TAI list as valid and the old TAI list as invalid }  
}
```

9.1.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.4.1.1, 5.4.1.2 and 5.4.1.3.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.1.1]

The purpose of the GUTI reallocation procedure is to allocate a GUTI and optionally to provide a new TAI list to a particular UE.

The reallocation of a GUTI is performed by the unique procedure defined in this subclause. This procedure can only be initiated by the MME in state EMM-REGISTERED.

The GUTI can also be implicitly reallocated at attach or tracking area updating procedures. The implicit reallocation of a GUTI is described in the subclauses which specify these procedures (see subclause 5.5.1 and 5.5.3).

The PLMN identity in the GUTI indicates the current registered PLMN.

NOTE 1: The GUTI reallocation procedure is usually performed in ciphered mode.

NOTE 2: Normally, the GUTI reallocation will take place in conjunction with another mobility management procedure, e.g. as part of tracking area updating.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.1.2]

The MME shall initiate the GUTI reallocation procedure by sending a GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message to the UE and starting the timer T3450 (see figure 5.4.1.2.1).

The GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message shall include a GUTI and may include a TAI list.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.1.3]

Upon receipt of the GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message, the UE shall store the GUTI and the TAI list, and send a GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE message to the MME. The UE considers the new GUTI as valid and the old GUTI as invalid. If the UE receives a new TAI list in the GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message, the UE shall consider the new TAI list as valid and the old TAI list as invalid; otherwise, the UE shall consider the old TAI list as valid

9.1.1.1.3 Test description

9.1.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 3:

- Cell 1 is the serving cell with TAI1 (PLMN1+TAC1);
- Cell 3 is a neighbour with TAI4 (PLMN1+TAC4).

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode (state 2) according to [18] on cell 1.

Editor's note: No such state is defined, state 2 is "Registered, Idle mode".

- The UE has a valid GUTI1 and a valid TAI_list_1 {TAI1, TAI2 (PLMN1 + TAC2), TAI3 (PLMN1 + TAC3)} for EPS service.

9.1.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.1.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message as specified. | <-- | GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE as specified? | --> | GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits a Paging on cell 1 with S-TMSI1 | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE perform a random access on cell 1 in the next 5s? | - | - | 1 | F |
| 6 | Check: Does the test results of CALL generic procedure [18] indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state on cell 1 with PagingUE-Identity = S-TMSI2? | - | - | 1 | - |
| 7 | Set the cell type of cell 3 to the "Serving cell". Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "Suitable neighbour cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE perform a random access on cell 3 in the next 5s? | - | - | 1 | F |
| 9 | Check: Does the test results of CALL generic procedure [18] indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state on cell 3 with PagingUE-Identity = S-TMSI2? | - | - | 1 | - |

Note 1: It is assumed in the test procedure sequence that the UE initially has a valid GUTI.

Note 2: NAS security procedures are checked in this TC, especially integrity procedures.

9.1.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.3.3-1: Message GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND (step 1, Table 9.2.1.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-13 | | | |
|--|--------------|------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | No security protection | |
| GUTI | GUTI2 | New GUTI | |
| TAI list | present | TAI1, TAI4 | |
| Length of tracking area identity list contents | 00001010 | 10 octets | |
| Partial tracking area identity list 1 | | TAI1, TAI4 | |
| Type of list | 000 | Non consecutive TACs | |
| Number of elements | 2 | | |
| MCC | PLMN1's MCC | | |
| MNC | PLMN1's NCC | | |
| TAC 1 | TAC1 | Cell 1 | |
| TAC 2 | TAC4 | Cell 3 | |

Note: This message is a SECURITY PROTECTED NAS MESSAGE with Security header type = 0001(Security protected NAS message).

Table 9.2.1.1.3.3-2: Message GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE (step 2, Table 9.2.1.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.3-14 | | | |
|--|--------------|------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | No security protection | |

Note: This message is a SECURITY PROTECTED NAS MESSAGE with Security header type = 0001(Security protected NAS message).

9.1.1.2 GUTI reallocation procedure, no TAI list

9.1.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message allocating a new GUTI and no TAI list }
  then { UE transmits a GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE and UE considers the new GUTI as valid and the
old GUTI as invalid and UE considers the old TAI list as valid }
}

```

9.1.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.4.1.1, 5.4.1.2 and 5.4.1.3.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.1.1]

The purpose of the GUTI reallocation procedure is to allocate a GUTI and optionally to provide a new TAI list to a particular UE.

The reallocation of a GUTI is performed by the unique procedure defined in this subclause. This procedure can only be initiated by the MME in state EMM-REGISTERED.

The GUTI can also be implicitly reallocated at attach or tracking area updating procedures. The implicit reallocation of a GUTI is described in the subclauses which specify these procedures (see subclause 5.5.1 and 5.5.3).

The PLMN identity in the GUTI indicates the current registered PLMN.

NOTE 1: The GUTI reallocation procedure is usually performed in ciphered mode.

NOTE 2: Normally, the GUTI reallocation will take place in conjunction with another mobility management procedure, e.g. as part of tracking area updating.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.1.2]

The MME shall initiate the GUTI reallocation procedure by sending a GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message to the UE and starting the timer T3450 (see figure 5.4.1.2.1).

The GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message shall include a GUTI and may include a TAI list.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.1.3]

Upon receipt of the GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message, the UE shall store the GUTI and the TAI list, and send a GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE message to the MME. The UE considers the new GUTI as valid and the old GUTI as invalid. If the UE receives a new TAI list in the GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message, the UE shall consider the new TAI list as valid and the old TAI list as invalid; otherwise, the UE shall consider the old TAI list as valid

9.1.1.2.3 Test description

9.1.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 3:
 - Cell 1 is the serving cell A with TAI1 (PLMN1+TAC1);
 - Cell 3 is a neighbour cell B with TAI3 (PLMN1+TAC3).

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode (state 2) according to [18] on cell A.

Editor's note: No such state is defined, state 2 is "Registered, Idle mode".

- The UE has a valid GUTI1 and a valid TAI_list_1 {TAI1, TAI2 (PLMN1, TAC2), TAI3} for EPS service.

9.1.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.1.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND message as specified. | <-- | GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND | | |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE as specified? | --> | GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits a Paging on cell 1 with S-TMSI1. | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE perform a random access on cell 1 in the next 5s? | - | - | 1 | F |
| 6 | Check: Does the test results of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state on cell A with PagingUE-Identity = S-TMSI2? | - | - | 1 | - |
| 7 | Set the cell type of cell 3 to the "Serving cell". Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "Suitable neighbour cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE perform a generic TRACKING AREA UPDATE procedure [18] indicating that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state on cell 3 with TAI3 within 10 seconds? | - | - | 1 | - |

Note 1: It is assumed in the test procedure sequence that the UE initially has a valid GUTI.

Note 2: NAS security procedures are checked in this TC, especially integrity procedures.

9.1.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.2.3.3-1: Message GUTI REALLOCATION COMMAND (step 1, Table 9.2.1.1.2.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-13 | | | |
|--|--------------|------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | No security protection | |
| GUTI | GUTI2 | New GUTI | |
| TAI list | Not present | No TAI list | |

Note: This message is a SECURITY PROTECTED NAS MESSAGE with Security header type = 0001(Security protected NAS message).

Table 9.2.1.1.2.3.3-2: Message GUTI REALLOCATION COMPLETE (step 2, Table 9.2.1.1.2.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table xxx | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | No security protection | |

Note: This message is a SECURITY PROTECTED NAS MESSAGE with Security header type = 0001(Security protected NAS message).

9.1.2 Authentication procedure

9.1.2.1 Authentication accepted

9.1.2.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode }  
ensure that {  
  when { the UE receives an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message }  
  then { the UE establishes correct EPS security context and responds with a correct  
AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message }  
}
```

9.1.2.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.4.2.1 and 5.4.2.33 and TS 33.401, clause 6.1.1.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.2.1]

The UE shall only support the EPS authentication challenge if a USIM is present.

An EPS security context is established in the UE and the network when an EPS authentication is successfully performed. During a successful EPS authentication, the CK and IK keys are computed. CK and IK are then used as key material to compute a new key, KASME. KASME is stored in the EPS security contexts (see 3GPP TS 33.401 [11]) of both the network and the UE, and is the root for the EPS integrity protection and ciphering key hierarchy.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.2.3]

The UE shall respond to an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message. With the exception of the cases described in subclause 5.4.2.6, the UE shall process the authentication challenge data and respond with an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message to the network.

Upon a successful EPS authentication challenge, the new KASME calculated from the authentication challenge data shall overwrite the previous KASME.

[TS 33.401, clause 6.1.1]

UE shall compute KASME from CK, IK, and serving network's identity (SN id) using the KDF as specified in Annex A. SN id binding implicitly authenticates the serving network's identity when the derived keys from KASME are successfully used.

...

UE shall respond with User authentication response message including RES.

9.1.2.1.3 Test description

9.1.2.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode (State 3) according to [18].

Editor's note: No such state is defined, state 3 is "Generic RB established".

9.1.2.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.1.2.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE respond with a correct AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message within 6 seconds and the included RES matches the one stored in the SS? | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | 1 | P |
| 3 | SS transmits a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE respond with a correct SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message integrity protected with the selected NAS integrity algorithm and the NAS integrity key based on the K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} ? | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 4 | SS releases the RRC connection | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | SS pages the UE using S-TMSI. Paging Cause= Terminating High Priority Signalling | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE respond with a correct SERVICE REQUEST message providing KSI_{ASME} value that equals the value provided in the AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message? | --> | SERVICE REQUEST | 1 | P |

Editor's note: This scenario is not using the new keys, which is not a realistic network behaviour and may cause side effects.

Editor's note: There is no requirement that the UE shall answer before 6s.

Editor's note: The check of RES shall be introduced in default message contents in 36.508.

9.1.2.1.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS.

9.1.2.3 Authentication not accepted by the network, GUTI used, authentication reject and re-authentication

9.1.2.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE having sent an initial NAS message with type of identity GUTI }
ensure that {
  when { as a result of failure of an Authentication procedure initiated by the network the UE
receives an AUTHENTICATION REJECT message }
  then { the UE shall set the update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED, delete the stored GUTI,
TAI list, last visited registered TAI and  $KSI_{ASME}$  and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED }
}
```

9.1.2.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.4.2.5.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.2.5]

Upon receipt of an AUTHENTICATION REJECT message, the UE shall set the update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED, delete the stored GUTI, TAI list, last visited registered TAI and KSI_{ASME} . The USIM shall be considered invalid until switching off the UE or the UICC containing the USIM is removed.

If the AUTHENTICATION REJECT message is received by the UE, the UE shall abort any EMM signalling procedure, stop any of the timers T3410, T3417 or T3430 (if running) and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

9.1.2.3.3 Test description

9.1.2.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

- The test USIM contains a valid GUTI1 and TAI1, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.1.2.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.1.2.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Switch the UE on | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message including a GUTI-1 and a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REJECT message | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REJECT | - | - |
| 6 | SS releases the RRC connection | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-DEREGISTERED state? FFS | - | - | 1 | - |
| 8 | Switch the UE off | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | Switch the UE on | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message including IMSI and a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message (Note 1)? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 11 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 12 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 13 | The SS transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 14 | The UE transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 15 | SS responds with ATTACH ACCEPT message with a new GUTI-2 included in the EPS mobile identity IE | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 16 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| Note 1: The ATTACH REQUEST message combined with the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message shall not be integrity protected | | | | | |

9.1.2.3.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS.

9.1.2.4 Authentication not accepted by the UE, MAC code failure

9.1.2.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode}
ensure that {
  when { the UE receives an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message with invalid MAC code }
  then { the UE shall send an AUTHENTICATION FAILURE message to the network, with the reject cause
"MAC failure" }
}

```

9.1.2.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.4.2.6.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.2.6]

In an EPS authentication challenge, the UE shall check the authenticity of the core network by means of the AUTN parameter received in the AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message. This enables the UE to detect a false network.

During an EPS authentication procedure, the UE may reject the core network due to an incorrect AUTN parameter (see 3GPP TS 33.401 [11]). This parameter contains two possible causes for authentication failure:

a) MAC code failure:

If the UE finds the MAC code (supplied by the core network in the AUTN parameter) to be invalid, the UE shall send an AUTHENTICATION FAILURE message to the network, with the reject cause "MAC failure". The UE shall then follow the procedure described in subclause 5.4.2.7 (c).

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.2.7]

c) Authentication failure (reject cause "MAC failure"):

The UE shall send an AUTHENTICATION FAILURE message, with reject cause "MAC failure" according to subclause 5.4.2.6, to the network and start timer T3418. Furthermore, the UE shall stop any of the retransmission timers that are running (e.g. T3410, T3417, T3421 or T3430). Upon the first receipt of an AUTHENTICATION FAILURE message from the UE with reject cause "MAC failure", the network may initiate the identification procedure described in subclause 5.4.4. This is to allow the network to obtain the IMSI from the UE. The network may then check that the GUTI originally used in the authentication challenge corresponded to the correct IMSI. Upon receipt of the IDENTITY REQUEST message from the network, the UE shall send the IDENTITY RESPONSE message.

...

If the GUTI/IMSI mapping in the network was incorrect, the network should respond by sending a new AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to the UE. Upon receiving the new AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message from the network, the UE shall stop the timer T3418, if running, and then process the challenge information as normal.

9.1.2.4.3 Test description

9.1.2.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode (State 3) according to [18].

Editor's note: No such state is defined, state 3 is "Generic RB established".

9.1.2.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.1.2.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message which contains an invalid MAC code | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE respond with a AUTHENTICATION FAILURE message, with reject cause "MAC failure"? | --> | AUTHENTICATION FAILURE | 1 | P |
| 3 | SS transmits an IDENTITY REQUEST message requesting IMSI in the IE Identity type | <-- | IDENTITY REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE responds with a correct IDENTITY RESPONSE message providing its IMSI in the IE Mobile Identity | --> | IDENTITY RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | SS transmits a correct AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE respond with a correct AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message with RES that matches the one stored in the SS? | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | 1 | P |
| 7 | SS transmits a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 8 | UE transmits a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message integrity protected with the selected NAS integrity algorithm and the NAS integrity key based on the KASME indicated by the KSIASME | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |

9.1.2.4.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS.

9.1.3 Security mode control procedure

9.1.3.1 NAS security mode command accepted by the UE

9.1.3.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { succesful completion of EPS authentication and key agreement (AKA) procedure }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an integrity protected SECURITY MODE COMMAND message including replayed
security capabilities and IMEISV request }
  then { UE sends an integrity protected and ciphered SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message including
IMEISV and starts applying the NAS Security in both UL and DL }

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(2)

```

with { NAS Security Activated and EPS Authentication and key agreement procedure is executed for new
Key generation}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an integrity protected SECURITY MODE COMMAND message corresponding to NAS count
rest to zero including replayed security capabilities and IMEISV request }
  then { UE sends integrity protected and ciphered SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message [with NAS count
set to zero] including IMEISV and starts applying the NAS Security in both UL and DL}
}

```

9.1.3.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301 clause 4.4.2.1, 5.4.3.1, 5.4.3.2 and 5.4.3.3.

Editor's note: Sections 5.4.3.1 and 5.4.3.2 seem to not contain any UE requirement.

[TS 24.301, clause 4.4.2.1]

The network NAS COUNT shall be initialized to zero in the first SECURITY MODE COMMAND when a new security context is activated following a successful authentication and key agreement (AKA) procedure. The UE NAS COUNT shall be initialized to zero when the UE receives the first SECURITY MODE COMMAND message after a successful AKA procedure and uses it in the following SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message.

Editor's note: How the NAS COUNT shall be handled after handover from UTRAN/GERAN to E-UTRAN is FFS.

After each new outbound message, the sender shall always increase the NAS COUNT number by one. Specifically, the NAS sequence number is increased by one, and if the result is zero (due to wrap around), the NAS overflow counter is also incremented by one (see 4.4.2.5).

Editor's note: Other general details are FFS.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.1]

The purpose of the NAS security mode command (SMC) procedure is to take the new key set into use, initialise and start NAS signalling security between the UE and the MME, which performs integrity and replay protection as well as enciphering and deciphering of NAS signalling messages.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether the SMC procedure can be combined or concatenated with the attach and tracking area update procedures for optimisation purposes.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.2]

The MME initiates the NAS security mode setup command procedure by sending a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to the UE and starting timer T3460.

The MME shall integrity protect the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message with the NAS integrity key based on K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} indicated in the message.

...

The MME shall include the replayed security capabilities of the UE (including the security capabilities with regard to NAS, RRC and UP (user plane) ciphering as well as NAS, RRC integrity, and other possible target network security capabilities, i.e. UTRAN/GERAN if UE included them in the message to network), the replayed NONCEUE if the UE included it in the message to the network, the selected NAS ciphering and integrity algorithms and the Key Set Identifier (KSI_{ASME} or KSI_{SGSN}).

Additionally, the MME may request the UE to include its IMEISV in the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message.

NOTE: The AS and NAS security capabilities will be the same, i.e. if the UE supports one algorithm for NAS it is also be supported for AS.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.3]

Upon receipt of the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message, the UE shall check whether the security mode command can be accepted or not. This is done by performing the integrity check of the message and by checking that the received UE security capabilities and the received UE nonce have not been altered compared to what the UE provided in the initial layer 3 message that triggered this procedure.

If the security mode command can be accepted and the KSI_{ASME} was included in the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message, the UE shall send a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message integrity protected with the selected NAS integrity algorithm and the NAS integrity key based on the K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} . If the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message includes KSI_{SGSN} , MME nonce and UE nonce, the UE shall generate K'_{ASME} from both nonces as indicated in 3GPP TS 33.401 [11] to check whether the SECURITY MODE COMMAND can be accepted or not. If the MME selected a NAS ciphering algorithm different from the "null ciphering algorithm", the UE shall cipher the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message with the selected NAS ciphering algorithm and the NAS ciphering key based on the K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} or fresh K'_{ASME} .

From now on the UE shall cipher and integrity protect all NAS signalling messages with the selected NAS ciphering and NAS integrity algorithms.

If the MME indicated in the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message that the IMEISV is requested, the UE shall include its IMEISV in the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message.

9.1. 3.1.3 Test description

9.1.3.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.1.3.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.1.3.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. It is integrity protected and includes request to include IMEISV | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and does it establish the initial security configuration? | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 7 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| 9 | The SS Transmits an IDENTITY REQUEST message [Security protected] | <- | IDENTITY REQUEST | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit an IDENTITY RESPONSE message [Security Protected]? | -> | IDENTITY RESPONSE | 1 | P |
| 11 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure for new key set generation. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 12 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 13 | SS resets UL and DL NAS Count to zero | - | - | - | - |
| 14 | The SS transmits a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. It is integrity protected and includes request to include IMEISV | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 15 | The UE transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | 2 | P |
| | Exception : Steps 16 and 17 are executed 100 times to check UE is applying security correctly | | | | |
| 16 | The SS transmits an IDENTITY REQUEST message [Security protected] | <- | IDENTITY REQUEST | - | - |
| 17 | Check: Does the UE transmit an IDENTITY RESPONSE message [Security Protected]? | -> | IDENTITY RESPONSE | 2 | P |

Editor's note: The "establishment of initial security configuration" is not described by any action neither in the TP, nor in the conformance requirements. If these statements are purely explanatory, they should be indicated as notes or removed.

Editor's note: Does "[Security protected]" mean that it is FFS if the message is security protected, or shall it be security protected?

9.1.3.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.1.3.1.3.3-1: SECURITY MODE COMMAND (Steps 5 and 14)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-19 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| IMEISV request | Present | | |

Table 9.1.3.1.3.3-2: SECURITY MODE COMPLETE (Steps 6 and 15)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-20 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| IMEISV | Present | | |

9.1.3.2 NAS security mode command not accepted by the UE

9.1.3.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

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with { successful completion of EPS authentication and key agreement (AKA) procedure[ ]
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an integrity protected SECURITY MODE COMMAND message including not matching
replayed security capabilities}
  then { UE sends SECURITY MODE REJECT and does not start applying the NAS security in both UL and
DL}
}

```

9.1.3.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301 clause 5.4.3.1, 5.4.3.2, 5.4.3.3 and 5.4.3.5.

Editor's note: clauses 5.4.3.1 and 5.4.3.2 do not contain any UE requirement.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.1]

The purpose of the NAS security mode command (SMC) procedure is to take the new key set into use, initialise and start NAS signalling security between the UE and the MME, which performs integrity and replay protection as well as enciphering and deciphering of NAS signalling messages.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether the SMC procedure can be combined or concatenated with the attach and tracking area update procedures for optimisation purposes.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.2]

The MME initiates the NAS security mode setup command procedure by sending a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to the UE and starting timer T3460.

The MME shall integrity protect the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message with the NAS integrity key based on K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} indicated in the message.

...

The MME shall include the replayed security capabilities of the UE (including the security capabilities with regard to NAS, RRC and UP (user plane) ciphering as well as NAS, RRC integrity, and other possible target network security capabilities, i.e. UTRAN/GERAN if UE included them in the message to network), the replayed NONCEUE if the UE included it in the message to the network, the selected NAS ciphering and integrity algorithms and the Key Set Identifier (KSI_{ASME} or KSI_{SGSN}).

Additionally, the MME may request the UE to include its IMEISV in the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message.

NOTE: The AS and NAS security capabilities will be the same, i.e. if the UE supports one algorithm for NAS it is also be supported for AS.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.3]

Upon receipt of the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message, the UE shall check whether the security mode command can be accepted or not. This is done by performing the integrity check of the message and by checking that the received UE security capabilities and the received UE nonce have not been altered compared to what the UE provided in the initial layer 3 message that triggered this procedure.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.5]

If the security mode command cannot be accepted, the UE shall send a SECURITY MODE REJECT message, which shall not be integrity protected. The SECURITY MODE REJECT message shall contain a cause code that typically indicates one of the following causes:

#23: UE security capabilities mismatch;

#24: security mode rejected, unspecified.

Editor's note: The actions to be taken by the network are FFS.

Upon receipt of the SECURITY MODE REJECT message, the MME shall stop timer T3460. The MME shall also abort the ongoing procedure that triggered the initiation of the NAS security mode setup command procedure.

9.1. 3.2.3 Test description

9.1.3.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.1.3.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.1.3.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. It is integrity protected and includes unmatched replayed security capabilities. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit a NAS SECURITY MODE REJECT message with cause'#23: UE security capabilities mismatch'? | --> | SECURITY MODE REJECT | 1 | P |
| 7 | The SS transmits an IDENTITY REQUEST message for IMSI [Security not applied] | <- | IDENTITY REQUEST | - | - |
| 8 | The UE Transmits an IDENTITY RESPONSE message [Security not applied] | -> | IDENTITY RESPONSE | 1 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmits a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. It is integrity protected and includes request to include IMEISV | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 10 | The UE transmits a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 11 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 12 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |

Editor's note: Does "[Security not applied]" mean that it is FFS if the message is security protected, or shall it be security protected?

9.1.3.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.1.3.1.3.3-1: SECURITY MODE COMMAND (Step 5)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-19 | | | |
|--|--|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Replayed UE security capabilities | Set to mismatch the security capability of UE under test | | |

Table 9.1.3.1.3.3-2: SECURITY MODE REJECT (Step 6)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-21 | | | |
|--|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EMM cause | #23 | | |

9.1.4 Identification procedure

9.1.4.1 Identification procedure, IMSI requested

9.1.4.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state / EMM-CONNECTED mode }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an IDENTITY REQUEST message with IMSI in the IE Identity type }
  then { UE sends an IDENTITY RESPONSE message providing its IMSI }
}
```

9.1.4.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clause 5.4.4.3.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.4.3]

A UE shall be ready to respond to an IDENTITY REQUEST message at any time whilst in EMM-CONNECTED mode.

Upon receipt of the IDENTITY REQUEST message the UE shall send an IDENTITY RESPONSE message to the network. The IDENTITY RESPONSE message shall contain the identification parameters as requested by the network.

9.1.4.1.3 Test description

9.1.4.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE in EMM-REGISTERED state (State 2) according to [18] / EMM-CONNECTED mode

Editor's note: No such state is defined, state 2 is "Registered, Idle mode".

9.1.4.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.1.4.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | SS transmits an IDENTITY REQUEST message requesting IMSI in the IE Identity type | <-- | IDENTITY REQUEST | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE respond with a correct IDENTITY RESPONSE message within 6 seconds? | --> | IDENTITY RESPONSE | 1 | P |

Editor's note: there is not requirement for a UE to respond within 6 seconds.

9.1.4.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.1.4.1.3.3-1: Message IDENTITY REQUEST (step 1, Table 9.1.4.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: FFS | | | |
|----------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Identity Type | 0001 | IMSI | |

Table 9.1.4.1.3.3-2: IDENTITY RESPONSE (step 2, Table 9.1.4.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: FFS | | | |
|----------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Mobile Identity | | | |
| Type of identity | 001 | IMSI | |
| Identity digits | UE's IMSI | | |

9.2 EMM specific procedures

9.2.1 Attach procedure

9.2.1.1 Attach procedure for EPS services

9.2.1.1.1 Attach Procedure / Success (valid GUTI)

9.2.1.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE is switched-off }
ensure that {
  when { UE is powered on and a valid GUTI is available }
  then { the UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message with the EPS attach type set to "initial EPS
attach", including GUTI and last visited registered TAI and a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message with
the request type set to "initial attach" and not including APN }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE has sent an ATTACH REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH_ACCEPT message with EPS attach result matching the requested
service(s), the TAI list the UE is registered to and including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS CONTEXT
BEARER message with IE EPS Bearer Identity for the default EPS bearer context activated for the UE }
  then { UE deletes the old TAI list and transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message, together with
ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message and enters EMM-REGISTERED state }
}

```

9.2.1.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.5.1.2.1, 5.5.1.2.2 and 5.5.1.2.4.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.1]

The attach procedure is used to attach for packet services in EPS. With a successful attach procedure, a context is established for the UE in the MME, and a default bearer is established between the UE and the PDN GW, thus enabling always-on IP connectivity to the UE. The network may also initiate the activation of dedicated bearers as part of the attach procedure.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.1]

This procedure is used to attach for EPS services only. If the UE wants to keep the connection(s) to the PDN GW to which it has connected via non-3GPP access, the UE shall indicate "handover EPS attach" in the EPS attach type IE. Otherwise, the UE shall indicate "initial EPS attach"....

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.2]

In state EMM-DEREGISTERED, the UE initiates the attach procedure by sending an ATTACH REQUEST message to the MME, starting timer T3410 and entering state EMM-REGISTERED-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.1.2.2.1).

...

The UE shall include in the ATTACH REQUEST message a valid GUTI together with the last visited registered TAI, if available. If there is no valid GUTI available, the UE shall include the IMSI in the ATTACH REQUEST message.

The UE shall send the ATTACH REQUEST message together with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN (see subclause 6.5.1).

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.4]

...

If the ATTACH ACCEPT message contains a GUTI, the UE shall use this GUTI as the new temporary identity and set its TIN to "GUTI". The UE shall delete its old GUTI and store the new assigned GUTI. If no GUTI has been included by the MME in the ATTACH ACCEPT message, the old GUTI, if any available, shall be kept.

...

The UE, when receiving the ATTACH ACCEPT message combined with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message, shall send an ATTACH COMPLETE message combined with an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message to the network.

...

TS 24.301, clause 6.2.2]

The UE shall set the PDN type IE in the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message based on its IP stack configuration as follows:

- A UE, which is IPv6 and IPv4 capable, shall set the PDN type IE to IPv4v6.
- A UE, which is only IPv4 capable, shall set the PDN type IE to IPv4.
- A UE, which is only IPv6 capable, shall set the PDN type IE to IPv6.
- When the IP version capability of the UE is unknown in the UE (as in the case when the MT and TE are separated and the capability of the TE is not known in the MT), the UE shall set the PDN type IE to IPv4v6.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 6.4.1.3]

Upon receipt of the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message, the UE shall first check the received uplink TFT before taking it into use. The UE shall send an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message and enter the state BEARER CONTEXT ACTIVE. When the default bearer is activated as part of the attach procedure, the UE shall send the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message together with ATTACH COMPLETE message.

...

The UE checks the PTI in the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message to identify the UE requested PDN connectivity procedure to which the default bearer context activation is related (see subclause 6.5.1).

If the uplink TFT is included in the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message, the UE shall use the received uplink TFT to apply mapping of uplink service data flows (SDFs) to the radio bearer.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 6.5.1.2]

In order to request connectivity to the default PDN in the attach procedure, the UE shall not include any APN in the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message.

...

The UE shall set the request type to "initial attach" when the UE is establishing connectivity to a PDN for the first time, i.e. when it is an initial attach to that PDN. The UE shall set the request type to "handover" when the connectivity to a PDN is established upon handover from a non-3GPP access network and the UE was connected to that PDN before the handover to the 3GPP access network.

[TS 24.301, clause 8.3.20.2]

This IE is included in the message when the UE wishes to request network connectivity as defined by a certain access point name. This IE shall not be included when the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message is included in an ATTACH REQUEST message.

9.2.1.1.1.3 Test description

9.2.1.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- Cell 1 is a cell with TAI1 (PLMN1 + TAC1).
- The cell power levels are such that Cell 1 is guaranteed to become the serving cell

UE:

- The test USIM contains a valid GUTI1 and TAI1, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.2.1.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message including a GUTI and a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 7 | SS responds with ATTACH ACCEPT message including a valid TAI list. The ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message is piggybacked in ATTACH ACCEPT message Note: The IP addresses of the UE are not allocated in this test so PDN address is not included in the message.. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | Check: does the UE transmit an ATTACH COMPLETE message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message? | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 9 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure [18] indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state on Cell 1? | - | - | 2 | - |

Note: It is assumed in the test procedure sequence that the UE initially has a valid GUTI, hence it is included in ATTACH REQUEST message in step 2. However, it is not important for the test procedure sequence.

9.2.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.3.3-1: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 2, Table 9.2.1.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: TS 24.301 clause 8.2.4 | | | |
|---|---|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | GUTI1 | Old and valid GUTI is included by the UE | |
| MS network capability | Not checked. | Set according the network capability of UE under test (see TS 24.008 clause 10.5.5.12) | |
| NAS key set identifier | 111 | "No key is available" | |
| Last visited registered TAI | TAI1 | If available, the last TAI is included by UE and will be used to establish a good list of TAIs in subsequent ATTACH ACCEPT message. | |
| DRX parameter | Not checked. | | |
| Old LAI | Not checked | | |
| TMSI status | Not checked | | |
| ESM message container | PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message as specified in table 9.2.1.1.3.2-1. | | |

Table 9.2.1.1.1.3.3-2: Message PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST (step 2, Table 9.2.1.1.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: TS 24.301 clause 8.3.18 | | | |
|--|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Protocol discriminator | ESM | | |
| EPS bearer identity | 0000 | 0 is used when the value is not yet assigned by the network. | |
| Procedure transaction identifier | FFS | Under CT1 discussion | |
| Request type | 001 | Initial attach | |
| PDN type | Not checked. | The UE may request a PDN for IPv4 only or IPv6 only even if it supports dual stack. | |
| Access point name | Not present | The UE shall not include any APN for the first time. | |
| Ciphered PCO transfer flag | Not checked | | |
| Protocol configuration options | Not checked | Check mandatory presence if PCO IE is present. (FFS) This IE is optional. This IE is mandatory present if UE has set the Ciphered PCO transfer flag. | |

Table 9.2.1.1.1.3.3-3: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (step 7, Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: TS 24.301 clause 8.2.1 | | | |
|--|--|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS attach result | 001 | EPS only | |
| Spare half octet | 0000 | | |
| T3412 value | Default value | | |
| TAI list | | List of 3 TAIs | |
| Length of tracking area identity list contents | 12 | | |
| Number of elements | 3 | | |
| Type of list | 000 | One PLMN with non-consecutive TACs | |
| Partial tracking area identity list | PLMN = PLMN1 TAC 1 = TAC1 TAC 2 = TAC2 TAC 3 = TAC4 | | |
| ESM container | Contains the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message specified in table 9.2.1.1.5.3.2-1. | | |

Table 9.2.1.1.3.3-4: Message ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST (step 7, Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: TS 24.301 clause 8.3.6 | | | |
|---|---|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS bearer identity | Default EBId | SS assigns a Default EPS bearer ID between 5 and 15. | |
| Procedure transaction identifier | FFS | Same value as in in PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST | |
| SDF QoS | Default QoS | SS defines a Default SDF QoS | |
| PDN address | Not present | The IP addresses of the UE are not allocated, so no new IPv4 and/or IPv6 addresses are assigned to the UE | |
| Access point name | Arbitrary name | SS defines a Default APN | |
| Uplink TFT | Present. See default UL TFT defined in TS 36.508 | | |
| Negotiated QoS | Not present | If the UE supports A/Gb mode or lu mode or both, the network may include the corresponding pre Rel-8 QoS parameter values of a PDP context. | |
| Negotiated LLC SAPI | Not present | If the UE supports A/Gb mode, the network may include this IE | |
| Radio priority | Not present | If the UE supports A/Gb mode, the network may include this IE. | |
| Packet flow Identifier | Not present | If the UE supports A/Gb mode, the network may include this IE. If the UE indicated in the UE Network Capability it does not support BSS packet flow procedures, then the MME shall not include this IE. | |
| Protocol configuration options | Not present | | |
| ESM cause | Not present | | |

Table 9.2.1.1.3.3-5: Message ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT (step 8, Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: TS 24.301 clause 8.3.4 | | | |
|---|--|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Protocol discriminator | ESM | | |
| EPS bearer identity | Default EBId | Same value as in ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST | |
| Procedure transaction identifier | FFS | Same value as in PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST | |
| Activate default EPS bearer context accept message identity | Activate default EPS bearer context accept | | |

9.2.1.1.2 Attach Procedure / Success / With IMSI, GUTI reallocation

9.2.1.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in EMM-DEREGISTERED state }
ensure that {
  when { there is no valid GUTI available in UE }
  then { UE sends ATTACH REQUEST message, containing IMSI as the EPS mobile identity }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE having received reallocated GUTI in the ATTACH ACCEPT message }
ensure that {
  when { UE detaches from the EPS services }
  then { UE sends DETACH REQUEST message, containing GUTI as the EPS mobile identity }
}
```

9.2.1.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.2]

In state EMM-DEREGISTERED, the UE initiates the attach procedure by sending an ATTACH REQUEST message to the MME, starting timer T3410 and entering state EMM-REGISTERED-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.1.2.2.1). If timer T3402 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3402. If timer T3411 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3411. The UE shall include in the ATTACH REQUEST message a valid GUTI together with the last visited registered TAI, if available. If there is no valid GUTI available, the UE shall include the IMSI in the ATTACH REQUEST message.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.4]

If the attach request is accepted by the network, the MME shall send an ATTACH ACCEPT message to the UE and start timer T3450. The MME shall send the ATTACH ACCEPT message together with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message to activate the default bearer (see subclause 6.4.1). The network may also initiate the activation of dedicated bearers towards the UE by invoking the dedicated EPS bearer context activation procedure (see subclause 6.4.2).

The MME shall assign and include the TAI list the UE is registered to in the ATTACH ACCEPT message. The UE, receiving an ATTACH ACCEPT message, shall delete its old TAI list and store the received TAI list.

Upon receiving the ATTACH ACCEPT message, the UE shall stop timer T3410, reset the attach attempt counter and tracking area updating attempt counter, enter state EMM-REGISTERED and set the EPS update status to EU1 UPDATED.

The GUTI reallocation may be part of the attach procedure. When the ATTACH REQUEST message includes the IMSI, the MME considers the GUTI provided by the UE is invalid, or the GUTI provided by the UE was assigned by another MME, the MME shall allocate a new GUTI to the UE. The MME shall include in the ATTACH ACCEPT message the new assigned GUTI together with the assigned TAI list. In this case the MME shall enter state EMM-COMMON-PROCEDURE-INITIATED as described in subclause 5.4.1.

For a shared network, the TAIs included in the TAI list can contain different PLMN identities.

If the ATTACH ACCEPT message contains a GUTI, the UE shall use this GUTI as the new temporary identity and set its TIN to "GUTI". The UE shall delete its old GUTI and store the new assigned GUTI. If no GUTI has been included by the MME in the ATTACH ACCEPT message, the old GUTI, if any available, shall be kept.

9.2.1.1.2.3 Test description

9.2.1.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle Mode (State 2) according to [18].

9.2.1.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits Paging on cell 1 with IMSI. Upon reception of paging with IMSI the UE shall locally deactivate any EPS bearer context(s), locally detach from EPS and delete the GUTI-1. After local detach the UE shall perform an EPS attach procedure. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message including IMSI in the EPS mobile identity IE? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 7 | SS responds with ATTACH ACCEPT message with a new GUTI-2 included in the EPS mobile identity IE | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| 9 | Cause UE to detach from the EPS services | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit a DETACH REQUEST message including GUTI-2 in the EPS mobile identity IE? | --> | DETACH REQUEST | 2 | P |
| 11 | SS responds with DETACH ACCEPT message | <-- | DETACH ACCEPT | - | - |

9.2.1.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS

9.2.1.1.5 Attach procedure / Success / ATTACH ACCEPT message includes the PDN address assigned to the UE

9.2.1.1.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE has sent an ATTACH REQUEST message together with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH ACCEPT message with EPS attach result matching the requested
service(s) and including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message with IE EPS Bearer
Identity matching the ATTACH REQUEST message and including a PDN address and an APN }
  then { UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message together with ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT
ACCEPT and enters EMM-REGISTERED state }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE is in EMM-REGISTERED state and a PDN address for an active default EPS bearer was received
in an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message linked to the existing
default EPS bearer }
  then { UE transmits an ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT messages }
}

```


9.2.1.1.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.5.1.1, 5.5.1.2.1, 5.5.1.2.2, 5.5.1.2.4, 6.2.2, 6.4.1.3 and 6.5.1.2.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.1]

The attach procedure is used to attach for packet services in EPS. With a successful attach procedure, a context is established for the UE in the MME, and a default bearer is established between the UE and the PDN GW, thus enabling always-on IP connectivity to the UE. The network may also initiate the activation of dedicated bearers as part of the attach procedure.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.1]

This procedure is used by a UE to attach for EPS services only. When the UE initiates the EPS attach procedure, the UE shall indicate "EPS attach" in the EPS attach type IE.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.2]

In state EMM-DEREGISTERED, the UE initiates the attach procedure by sending an ATTACH REQUEST message to the MME, starting timer T3410 and entering state EMM-REGISTERED-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.1.2.2.1).

...

The UE shall include in the ATTACH REQUEST message a valid GUTI together with the last visited registered TAI, if available. If there is no valid GUTI available, the UE shall include the IMSI in the ATTACH REQUEST message.

The UE shall send the ATTACH REQUEST message together with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN (see subclause 6.5.1).

The UE may also indicate the DRX parameter.

If a valid NAS security context exists, the UE shall integrity protect the ATTACH REQUEST message combined with the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message. When the UE does not have a valid NAS security context, the ATTACH REQUEST message combined with the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message is not integrity protected.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.4]

...

If the ATTACH ACCEPT message contains a GUTI, the UE shall use this GUTI as the new temporary identity and set its TIN to "GUTI". The UE shall delete its old GUTI and store the new assigned GUTI.

...

The UE, when receiving the ATTACH ACCEPT message combined with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message, shall send an ATTACH COMPLETE message combined with an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message to the network.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 6.2.2]

The UE shall set the PDN type IE in the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message based on its IP stack configuration as follows:

- A UE, which is IPv6 and IPv4 capable, shall set the PDN type IE to IPv4v6.
- A UE, which is only IPv4 capable, shall set the PDN type IE to IPv4.
- A UE, which is only IPv6 capable, shall set the PDN type IE to IPv6.
- When the IP version capability of the UE is unknown in the UE (as in the case when the MT and TE are separated and the capability of the TE is not known in the MT), the UE shall set the PDN type IE to IPv4v6.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 6.4.1.3]

Upon receipt of the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message, the UE shall send an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message and enter the state BEARER CONTEXT ACTIVE. When the default bearer is activated as part of the attach procedure, the UE shall send the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message together with ATTACH COMPLETE message.

...

The UE checks the PTI in the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message to identify the UE requested PDN connectivity procedure to which the default bearer context activation is related (see subclause 6.5.1).

...

[TS 24.301, clause 6.4.2.3]

Upon receipt of the ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message, the UE shall first check the received uplink TFT before taking it into use. Then the UE shall send an ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message and enter the state BEARER CONTEXT ACTIVE. The ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message shall include the EPS bearer identity.

The linked EPS bearer identity included in the ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message indicates to the UE to which default bearer, IP address and PDN the dedicated bearer is linked.

If the PTI is included in the ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message, the UE uses the PTI to identify the UE requested bearer resource allocation procedure to which the dedicated bearer context activation is related (see subclause 6.5.3).

The UE shall use the received uplink TFT to apply mapping of uplink service data flows (SDFs) to the radio bearer.

...

[TS 24.301, clause 6.5.1.2]

In order to request connectivity to the default PDN in the attach procedure, the UE shall not include any APN in the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message.

...

The UE shall set the request type to "initial attach" when the UE is establishing connectivity to a PDN for the first time, i.e. when it is an initial attach to that PDN. The UE shall set the request type to "handover" when the connectivity to a PDN is established upon handover from a non-3GPP access network and the UE was connected to that PDN before the handover to the 3GPP access network.

...

9.2.1.1.5.3 Test description

9.2.1.1.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

- The test USIM contains GUTI1 and TAI1, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

Note: The PDN type (IPv4, IPv6 or both) of the UE is determined by the PICS.

9.2.1.1.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. Note: in the DEFAULT EBC REQUEST message, the SS allocates a PDN address of a PDN type which is compliant with the PDN type requested by the UE. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH COMPLETE message including ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message as specified? | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 9 | The SS transmits an ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST. Note: the same PDN address is applicable because the linked EPS bearer ID refers to the default EBC allocated in step 7. | <-- | ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST | | |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message as specified? | --> | ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT | 2 | P |
| 11 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | Check: Does the test results of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state with S-TMSI2? | - | - | 1 | - |

9.2.1.1.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.3-1: Message ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST (step 7, Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.3-6 | | | |
|---|---|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS bearer identity | Default EBId | SS assigns a Default EPS bearer ID between 5 and 15. | |
| PDN address | Same value like the "PDN type" in the PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message in step 2 or 011 is it was unknown | | |
| PDN type | | | |
| PDN address | | | |
| (octet 4 to 11) and IPv4 Address (octet 12 to 15) according to PDN type above | IPv4 Address (octet 4 to 7), IPv6 Address (octet 4 to 11) or IPv6 Address SS assigns private IPv6/IPv4 address(es) | | |

Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.3-2: Message ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST (step 9, Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.3-3 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS bearer identity | EBId-1 | SS assigns an EPS bearer ID between 5 and 15 different from Default EBId. Under CT1 discussion | |
| Procedure transaction identifier | FFS | | |
| Linked EPS bearer identity | Default EBId (same value like in table 9.2.1.1.5.3.3-1) | | |
| SDF QoS | Default dedicated QoS | SS defines a Default dedicated SDF QoS | |
| Uplink TFT | Present (value is FFS) | | |

Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.3-3: Message ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT (step 10, Table 9.2.1.1.5.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.3-1 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS bearer identity | EBId-1 | Same value as in ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST Under CT1 discussion | |
| Procedure transaction identifier | FFS | | |

9.2.1.1.9 Attach / rejected / IMSI invalid

Editor's note: The contents of this section are aligned with 3GPP TS 24.301 v1.1.0

9.2.1.1.9.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE has sent an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH REJECT message with the reject cause set to "Illegal MS" }
  then { UE considers the USIM as invalid for EPS services and non-EPS services and enters state
        EMM-DEREGISTERED }
}

```

9.2.1.1.9.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5]

...

Upon receiving the ATTACH REJECT message, the UE shall stop timer T3410 and take the following actions depending on the reject cause value received.

#3 (Illegal MS);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI and KSI. The UE shall consider the USIM as invalid for EPS services and non-EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed. Additionally, the UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

...

9.2.1.1.9.3 Test description

9.2.1.1.9.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 3
- TAIs are assigned according to table 9.2.1.1.9.3.1-1.

Table 9.2.1.1.9.3.1-1: TAI for simulated cells

| Cells | TAI | | |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|
| | MNC | MCC | TAC |
| Cell 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Cell 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Cell 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 |

UE:

- The test USIM contains IMSI1, GUTI1 and TAI1, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to clause [18].

9.2.1.1.9.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.1.9.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS configures: - Cell 1 as the "Serving cell". - Cell 2 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell 3 as a "Non-Suitable cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message on cell 1. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an ATTACH REJECT message with EMM cause = "Illegal MS" as specified. | <-- | ATTACH REJECT | - | - |
| 5 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS configures: - Cell 1 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell 2 as the "Serving cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds on cell 2 or on cell 1? Note: Cell 2 belongs to the same PLMN where the UE was rejected but a different TA | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 8 | The operator initiates an attach by MMI or by AT command. | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds on cell 2 or on cell 1? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 10 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE ignores paging on cell 2 for PS domain with IMSI1? | - | - | 1 | - |
| 11 | Check: Does the test result of CALL generic procedure indicate that the UE ignores paging on cell 2 for PS domain with GUTI1? | - | - | 1 | - |
| 12 | The SS configures: - Cell 2 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell 3 as the "Serving cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds on cell 3 or on cell 2? Note: Cell 3 belongs to a PLMN which is not the same like the one on which the UE was rejected. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 14 | The user initiates an attach by MMI or by AT command. | - | - | - | - |
| 15 | Check : Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds on cell 3 or on cell 2? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |

9.2.1.1.9.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.9.3.3-1: Message ATTACH REJECT (step 4, Table 9.2.1.1.9.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2.3 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | "No security protection" #3 "Illegal MS" | |
| EMM cause | 00000011 | | |
| ESM message container | Not present | | |

9.2.1.1.10 Attach / rejected / illegal UE

9.2.1.1.10.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE has sent an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH REJECT message with the reject cause set to "Illegal ME" }
  then { UE considers the USIM as invalid for EPS services and non-EPS services and enters state
        EMM-DEREGISTERED }
}
```

9.2.1.1.10.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5]

...

Upon receiving the ATTACH REJECT message, the UE shall stop timer T3410 and take the following actions depending on the reject cause value received.

#6 (Illegal ME);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI and KSI. The UE shall consider the USIM as invalid for EPS services and non-EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed. Additionally, the UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

...

9.2.1.1.10.3 Test description

The test description is identical to the one of subclause 9.2.1.1.9 except that the reject cause #3 "Illegal MS" is replaced with the reject cause #6 "Illegal UE".

9.2.1.1.11 Attach / rejected / GPRS services and non-GPRS services not allowed

9.2.1.1.11.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE has sent an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH REJECT message with the reject cause set to "Illegal ME" }
  then { UE considers the USIM as invalid for EPS services and non-EPS services and enters state
        EMM-DEREGISTERED }
}
```

9.2.1.1.11.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5]

...

Upon receiving the ATTACH REJECT message, the UE shall stop timer T3410 and take the following actions depending on the reject cause value received.

#8 (GPRS services and non-GPRS services not allowed);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI and KSI. The UE shall consider the

USIM as invalid for EPS services and non-EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed. Additionally, the UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

...

9.2.1.1.11.3 Test description

The test description is identical to the one of subclause 9.2.1.1.9 except that the reject cause #3 "Illegal MS" is replaced with the reject cause #8 "GPRS services and non-GPRS services not allowed".

9.2.1.1.12 Attach / rejected / GPRS services not allowed

9.2.1.1.12.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE has sent an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH REJECT message with the reject cause set to "GPRS services not
allowed" }
  then { UE deletes the GUTI and the last visited registered TAI and KSI and considers the USIM as
invalid for EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed and deletes
the list of equivalent PLMNs and UE enters state EMM-DEREGISTERED }
}
```

9.2.1.1.12.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.5.1.2.2 and 5.5.1.2.5.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.2]

In state EMM-DEREGISTERED, the UE initiates the attach procedure by sending an ATTACH REQUEST message to the MME, starting timer T3410 and entering state EMM-REGISTERED-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.1.2.2.1). If timer T3402 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3402. If timer T3411 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3411. The UE shall include in the ATTACH REQUEST message a valid GUTI together with the last visited registered TAI, if available. If there is no valid GUTI available, the UE shall include the IMSI in the ATTACH REQUEST message.

The UE shall send the ATTACH REQUEST message together with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN (see subclause 6.5.1).

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5]

If the attach request cannot be accepted by the network, the MME shall send an ATTACH REJECT message to the UE including an appropriate reject cause value.

...

Upon receiving the ATTACH REJECT message, the UE shall stop timer T3410 and take the following actions depending on the reject cause value received.

#7 (GPRS services not allowed);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI and KSI. The UE shall consider the USIM as invalid for EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed. Additionally, the UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

If A/Gb mode or Iu mode is supported by the UE, the UE shall in addition handle the GMM parameters GMM state, GPRS update status, P-TMSI, P-TMSI signature, RAI and GPRS ciphering key sequence number as specified in 3GPP TS 24.008 [6] for the case when the normal attach procedure is rejected with this cause value.

9.2.1.1.12.3 Test description

9.2.1.1.12.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 3:
 - Cell 1 in MCC1/MNC1/TAC1 (TAI-1),
 - Cell 2 in MCC1/MNC1/TAC2 (TAI-3),
 - Cell 3 in MCC2/MNC1/TAC1 (TAI-2).
- If pc_GERAN or pc_UTRAN supported by UE, Cell A (GERAN or UTRAN) with MCC1/MNC2 – NMO2
- The different cells may not be simultaneously activated.

UE:

- The test USIM contains IMSI1, GUTI1 and TAI1, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".
- If pc_GERAN or pc_UTRAN supported by UE, the test USIM contains P-TMSI1, P-TMSI signature1 and RAI1, and GPRS update status is "GU1: UPDATED".

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to clause [18].

9.2.1.1.12.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.1.12.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----------|--|------------------|----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS configures: - Cell 1 as the "Serving cell". - Cell 2 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell 3 as a "Non-Suitable cell". IF pc_GERAN or pc_UTRAN THEN the SS configures Cell A as "Non-Suitable cell". | - | - | - | - |
| - | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The user switches the UE on. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an ATTACH REJECT message with EMM cause = "GPRS services not allowed". | <-- | ATTACH REJECT | - | - |
| 5 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | The SS reconfigures: Cell 1 as a "Non-Suitable cell". Cell 2 as the "Serving cell". Note: Cell 1 and Cell 2 are in different TAIs – same PLMN. | - | - | - | - |
| - | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 2. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 8 | The user initiates an attach by MMI or by AT command. | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| - | EXCEPTION: Steps 11a1 to 11a6 describe behaviour that depends on the UE capability. | - | - | - | - |
| 10a 1 | IF pc_UTRAN or pc_GERAN THEN the SS configures - Cell 2 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell A as the "Serving cell". Note: Cell 2 and Cell A are in different PLMNs | - | - | - | - |
| 10a 2 | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell A. | - | - | - | - |
| 10a 3 | IF pc_CS THEN the UE registers on CS domain – See TS 34.108 or TS 51.010 Note: This is applied only for UE in UE operation mode A or in class A or in class B. | - | - | - | - |
| 10a 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 2 minutes? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 10a 5 | The user initiates an attach by MMI or by AT command. | - | - | - | - |
| 10a 6 | Check : Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 11 | The SS configures: - Cell 2 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell 3 as the "Serving cell". Note: Cell 2 and Cell 3 are different PLMNs. | - | - | - | - |
| - | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 3. | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |

| | | | | | |
|----|---|-----|----------------|---|---|
| 13 | The operator initiates an attach by MMI or by AT command. | - | - | - | - |
| 14 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |

9.2.1.1.12.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.12.3.3-1: Message ATTACH REJECT (step 4, Table 9.2.1.1.12.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2.3 (This message is transmitted as a "plain NAS message") | | | |
|--|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | "No security protection" #7 "GPRS services not allowed" | |
| EMM cause | 00000111 | | |
| ESM message container | Not present | | |

9.2.1.1.13 Attach / rejected / PLMN not allowed

9.2.1.1.13.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE has sent an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH REJECT message with the reject cause set to "PLMN not allowed" }
  then { UE deletes the GUTI, the last visited registered TAI and KSI and UE deletes the list of
equivalent PLMNs and UE enters state EMM-DEREGISTERED.PLMN-SEARCH and UE stores the PLMN in the
"forbidden PLMN list" }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE is switched off and a PLMN is stored in the "forbidden PLMN list" }
ensure that {
  when { UE is powered on this PLMN }
  then { UE doesn't perform an attach procedure }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA EMM-DEREGISTERED.PLMN-SEARCH state and a PLMN is stored in the "forbidden PLMN
list" }
ensure that {
  when { UE enters a PLMN which is not in the "forbidden PLMN list" }
  then { UE performs an attach procedure }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in E-UTRA EMM-DEREGISTERED.PLMN-SEARCH state and a PLMN is stored in the "forbidden PLMN
list" }
ensure that {
  when { UE is in the rejected PLMN and when that PLMN is selected manually }
  then { UE performs an attach procedure }
}
```

9.2.1.1.13.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.5.1.2.2 and 5.5.1.2.5.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.2]

In state EMM-DEREGISTERED, the UE initiates the attach procedure by sending an ATTACH REQUEST message to the MME, starting timer T3410 and entering state EMM-REGISTERED-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.1.2.2.1). If timer T3402 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3402. If timer T3411 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer

T3411. The UE shall include in the ATTACH REQUEST message a valid GUTI together with the last visited registered TAI, if available. If there is no valid GUTI available, the UE shall include the IMSI in the ATTACH REQUEST message.

The UE shall send the ATTACH REQUEST message together with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN (see subclause 6.5.1).

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5]

If the attach request cannot be accepted by the network, the MME shall send an ATTACH REJECT message to the UE including an appropriate reject cause value.

...

Upon receiving the ATTACH REJECT message, the UE shall stop timer T3410 and take the following actions depending on the reject cause value received.

#11 (PLMN not allowed);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI and KSI. Additionally, the UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs, reset the attach attempt counter, and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.PLMN-SEARCH.

The UE shall store the PLMN identity in the "forbidden PLMN list".

The UE shall perform a PLMN selection according to 3GPP TS 23.122 [3].

If A/Gb mode or Iu mode is supported by the UE, the UE shall in addition handle the MM parameters update status, TMSI, LAI, ciphering key sequence number and location update attempt counter, and the GMM parameters GMM state, GPRS update status, P-TMSI, P-TMSI signature, RAI, GPRS ciphering key sequence number and GPRS attach attempt counter as specified in 3GPP TS 24.008 [6] for the case when the normal attach procedure is rejected with this cause value and no RR connection exists.

9.2.1.1.13.3 Test description

9.2.1.1.13.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2, Cell 3, and Cell 4
 - Cell 1 in MCC1/MNC2/TAC1 (TAI-1)
 - Cell 2 in MCC1/MNC2/TAC1 (TAI-1),
 - Cell 3 in MCC1/MNC2/TAC2 (TAI-2),
 - Cell 4 in MCC2/MNC1/TAC1 (TAI-3).
- MCC1/MNC2 and MCC2/MNC1 are not HPLMN of the UE.
- The cells may not be simultaneously activated.

UE:

- The test USIM contains IMSI1, GUTI1 and TAI1, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".
- The "forbidden PLMN list" is empty.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to clause [18].

9.2.1.1.13.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.1.13.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS configures: - Cell 1 as the "Serving cell". - Cell 2 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell 3 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell 4 as a "Non-Suitable cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits an ATTACH REJECT message including EMM cause = "PLMN not allowed". | <-- | ATTACH REJECT | - | - |
| 6 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | - | - | 1 | F |
| 8 | If possible (see ICS) switch off is performed. Otherwise the power is removed. | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | The SS configures: - Cell 1 as a "Non-Suitable cell". - Cell 2 as the "Serving cell". Note: Cell 1 and Cell 2 are in the same TAI – same PLMN. | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 2. | - | - | - | - |
| 11 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 3 | F |
| 12 | The user initiates an attach by MMI or by AT command. | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 14 | The SS configures: Cell 2 as a "Non-Suitable cell". Cell 3 as the "Serving cell". Note: Cell 2 and Cell 3 are in the different TAI – same PLMN. | - | - | - | - |
| 15 | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 3. | - | - | - | - |
| 16 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 2 | F |
| 17 | The user initiates an attach by MMI or by AT command. | - | - | - | - |
| 18 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 19 | The SS configures: Cell 3 as a "Non-Suitable cell". Cell 4 as the "Serving cell". Note: Cell 3 and Cell 4 are different PLMNs. | - | - | - | - |
| 20 | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 4. | - | - | - | - |
| 21 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message as specified? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 4 | P |
| 22 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |

| | | | | | |
|----|---|-----|------------------------|---|---|
| 23 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message. | --> | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 24 | The SS starts integrity protection and ciphering | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 25 | The UE responds to the SS. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 26 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 27 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| 28 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 29 | The user switches the UE off. | - | - | - | - |
| 30 | The UE transmits a DETACH REQUEST message. | --> | DETACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 31 | The SS configures: Cell 1 as the "Serving cell". Cell 4 as a "Non-suitable cell". Note: Cell 1 belong to the forbidden PLMN. | - | - | - | - |
| 32 | The user switches the UE on. | - | - | - | - |
| 33 | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 34 | The user sets the UE in manual PLMN selection mode or requests a PLMN search. | - | - | - | - |
| 35 | The user selects PLMN (MCC=1, MNC=2) | - | - | - | - |
| 36 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message as specified? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 5 | P |
| 37 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 38 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message. | --> | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 39 | The SS starts integrity protection and ciphering | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 40 | The UE responds to the SS. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 41 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 42 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |

9.2.1.1.13.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.13.3.3-1: Message ATTACH REJECT (step 5, Table 9.2.1.1.13.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2.3 (Plain NAS message) | | | |
|---|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | "No security protection" #11 "PLMN not allowed" | |
| EMM cause | 00001011 | | |
| ESM message container | Not present | | |

Table 9.2.1.1.13.3.3-2: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 21, Table 9.2.1.1.13.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2.4 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | IMSI1 | GUTI has been deleted after receiving ATTACH REJECT at step 5; only IMSI is available. TAI has been deleted after receiving ATTACH REJECT at step 5. | |
| Last visited registered TAI | Not present | | |

9.2.1.1.14 Attach / rejected / tracking area not allowed

Editor's note: The contents of this section are aligned with 3GPP TS 24.301 v1.1.1.

9.2.1.1.14.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE has sent an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH REJECT message with the reject cause set to "Tracking area not
allowed" }
    then { UE sets the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED, UE deletes the GUTI, last
visited registered TAI and KSI, UE enters the state EMM-DEREGISTERED.LIMITED-SERVICE and UE stores
the current TAI in the list of "forbidden tracking areas for regional provision of service" }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE is in EMM-DEREGISTERED.LIMITED-SERVICE state and the current TAI in the list of "forbidden
tracking areas for regional provision of service" }
ensure that {
  when { serving cell belongs to TAI where UE was rejected }
    then { UE does not attempt to attach on any other cell }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE is in EMM-DEREGISTERED.LIMITED-SERVICE state and the current TAI in the list of "forbidden
tracking areas for regional provision of service" }
ensure that {
  when { UE re-selects a new cell in the same TAI it was rejected }
    then { UE does not attempt to attach }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE is in EMM-DEREGISTERED.LIMITED-SERVICE state and the current TAI in the list of "forbidden
tracking areas for regional provision of service" }
ensure that {
  when { UE enters a cell belonging to a tracking area not in the list of "forbidden tracking areas
for regional provision of service" }
    then { UE attempts to attach with IMSI }
}
```

(5)

```
with { UE is in EMM-DEREGISTERED.LIMITED-SERVICE state and the list of "forbidden tracking areas for
regional provision of service" contains more than one TAI }
ensure that {
  when { UE re-selects a cell belonging to one of the TAIs in the list of "forbidden tracking areas
for regional provision of service" }
    then { UE does not attempt to attach }
}
```

(6)

```
with { UE is switched off }  
ensure that {  
  when { UE is powered on in the cell belonging to the TAI which was in the list of "forbidden  
tracking areas for regional provision of service" before the UE was swithed off }  
  then { UE performs registration on that cell }  
}
```

9.2.1.1.14.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.3.2, 5.5.1.2.2, 5.5.1.2.5, 5.2.2.3.2, and Annex C.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.3.2]

The UE shall store a list of "forbidden tracking areas for roaming", as well as a list of "forbidden tracking areas for regional provision of service". These lists shall be erased when the UE is switched off or when the USIM is removed, and periodically (with a period in the range 12 to 24 hours).

...

Each list shall accommodate 10 or more TAIs. When the list is full and a new entry has to be inserted, the oldest entry shall be deleted.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.2]

In state EMM-DEREGISTERED, the UE initiates the attach procedure by sending an ATTACH REQUEST message to the MME, starting timer T3410 and entering state EMM-REGISTERED-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.1.2.2.1).

...

The UE shall include in the ATTACH REQUEST message a valid GUTI together with the last visited registered TAI, if available. If there is no valid GUTI available, the UE shall include the IMSI in the ATTACH REQUEST message.

The UE shall send the ATTACH REQUEST message together with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN (see subclause 6.5.1).

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.1.2.5]

...

Upon receiving the ATTACH REJECT message, the UE shall stop timer T3410 and take the following actions depending on the reject cause value received.

...

#12 (Tracking area not allowed);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI and KSI. Additionally, the UE shall reset the attach attempt counter and enter the state EMM-DEREGISTERED.LIMITED-SERVICE.

The UE shall store the current TAI in the list of "forbidden tracking areas for regional provision of service".

...

[TS 24.301, clause 5.2.2.3.2]

The UE shall perform an attach procedure when entering a cell which provides normal service.

[TS 24.301, Annex C (normative)]

The following EMM parameters shall be stored on the USIM if the corresponding file is present:

- GUTI;
- last visited registered TAI;
- EPS update status;
- Allowed CSG list.

NOTE: The corresponding files on the USIM will not be available if the USIM inserted in the UE is a pre-Rel-8 USIM.

Editor's note: Whether security context parameters need to be stored on the USIM to handle the case the USIM application on the UICC is changed is FFS.

If the corresponding file is not present on the USIM, these EMM parameters are stored in a non-volatile memory in the ME together with the IMSI from the USIM. These EMM parameters can only be used if the IMSI from the USIM matches the IMSI stored in the non-volatile memory; else the UE shall delete the EMM parameters.

9.2.1.1.14.3 Test description

9.2.1.1.14.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 4, Cell 2 and Cell 3:
 - Cell 1 and Cell 4 in MCC1/MNC1/TAC1 (TAI-1),
 - Cell 2 in MCC1/MNC1/TAC2 (TAI-3),
 - Cell 3 in MCC2/MNC1/TAC1 (TAI-2).

Note 1: Cell 3 is present to confirm that UE shall not perform PLMN search after reject from the SS.

Note 2: Cell 4 is present to confirm that UE shall not attempt attach to the cell in same TAI after reject from the SS.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to clause [18].
- The test USIM contains IMSI1, GUTI1 and TAI1, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".

9.2.1.1.14.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.1.14.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS configures: Cell 1 as the "Serving cell". Cell 4 as a "Non-Suitable cell", Cell 2 as a " Suitable cell", Cell 3 as a " Suitable cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message as specified on Cell 1. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits an ATTACH REJECT message, EMM cause = "Tracking area not allowed". (The list of "forbidden tracking areas for roaming" in the UE should now contain TAI-1) | <-- | ATTACH REJECT | - | - |
| 5 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit the ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds on Cell 2 and Cell 3? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 2 | F |
| 7 | The user initiates an attach by MMI or by AT command. | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit the ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds on Cell 1? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 9 | The SS reconfigures: Cell 1 as a "Non-Suitable cell". Cell 4 as the "Serving cell", Cell 2 as a " Suitable cell", Cell 3 as a " Suitable cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit the ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds on any cell? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 3 | F |
| 11 | The SS reconfigures: Cell 1 as a " Non-Suitable cell". Cell 4 as a "Suitable cell", Cell 2 as the "Serving cell". Cell 3 as a " Suitable cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | The following messages are sent and shall be received on Cell 2. | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | Check: Does the UE transmit the ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message as specified? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 4 | P |
| 14 | The SS transmits an ATTACH REJECT message, EMM cause = "Tracking area not allowed". (The list of "forbidden tracking areas for roaming" in the UE should now contain TAI-1 and TAI-3) | <-- | ATTACH REJECT | - | - |
| 15 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 16 | The SS reconfigures: Cell 1 as the "Serving cell". Cell 4 as a "Non-Suitable cell", Cell 2 as a " Suitable cell", Cell 3 as a " Suitable cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 17 | Check: Does the UE transmit the ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 5 | F |
| 18 | If possible (see ICS) switch off is performed. Otherwise the power is removed. | - | - | - | - |
| 19 | The UE is brought back to operation. | - | - | - | - |
| 20 | The following message is sent on Cell 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 21 | Check: Does the UE transmit the ATTACH | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 6 | P |

| | | | | | |
|----|--|-----|-------------------------|---|---|
| | REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message as specified? | | | | |
| 22 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 23 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 24 | The SS starts integrity protection and ciphering | - | - | - | - |
| 25 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 26 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |

9.2.1.1.14.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.14.3.3-1: Message ATTACH REJECT (step 4, Table 9.2.1.1.14.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2.3 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | "No security protection" #12 "Tracking area not allowed" | |
| EMM cause | 00001100 | | |
| ESM message container | Not present | | |

Table 9.2.1.1.14.3.3-2: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 13 and 21 Table 9.2.1.1.14.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2.4 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | IMSI1 | GUTI has been deleted after receiving ATTACH REJECT at step 4; only IMSI is available. TAI has been deleted after receiving ATTACH REJECT at step 4. | |
| Last visited registered TAI | Not present | | |

9.2.1.1.19 Attach / Abnormal case / Failure due to non integrity protection

9.2.1.1.19.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE has not performed NAS security mode control procedure }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an ATTACH ACCEPT messages without NAS integrity protection }
  then { UE discards this message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { a valid NAS security context exists and the NAS security mode control procedure has been
successfully completed in the network and the UE }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a NAS signalling message without integrity protection }
  then { UE discards this NAS signalling message }
```

}

9.2.1.1.19.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 4.4.3.1, 4.4.3.2 and 5.5.2.2.1.

[TS 24.301, clause 4.4.3.1]

Integrity protected signalling is mandatory for the NAS messages once a valid NAS security context exists and the NAS security mode control procedure has been successfully completed in the network and the UE. Integrity protection of all NAS signalling messages is the responsibility of the NAS layer. It is the network which activates integrity protection.

[TS 24.301, clause 4.4.3.2]

Except the messages listed below, no NAS signalling messages shall be processed by the receiving EMM entity or forwarded to the ESM entity, unless the NAS security mode control procedure has been successfully completed:

- EMM messages:
- IDENTITY REQUEST (if requested identification parameter is IMSI);
- AUTHENTICATION REQUEST;
- AUTHENTICATION REJECT;
- ATTACH REJECT;
- DETACH REQUEST;
- DETACH ACCEPT (for non switch off);
- TRACKING AREA UPDATE REJECT;
- SERVICE REJECT.

NOTE: These messages are accepted by the UE without integrity protection, as in certain situations they are sent by the network before security can be activated.

Editor's note: The messages in this list need to fulfil one or several SA3 requirement(s) as follows: the message may be sent before the security mode control procedure is performed, or when too much complexity would be involved if the message were received with integrity protection.

Once integrity protection is activated, the receiving EMM or ESM entity in the UE shall not process any NAS signalling messages unless they have been successfully integrity checked by the NAS layer. If NAS signalling messages, having not successfully passed the integrity check, are received, then the NAS layer in the UE shall discard that message. If any NAS signalling message is received, as not integrity protected even though the integrity protection has been activated in the UE by the network, then the NAS layer shall discard this message.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.5.2.2.1]

...

If the UE is to be switched off, the UE shall try for a period of 5 seconds to send the DETACH REQUEST message. During this period, the UE may be switched off as soon as the DETACH REQUEST message has been sent. After transmission of the message, the UE shall delete the KSI, if any.

...

9.2.1.1.19.3 Test description

9.2.1.1.19.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

- The test USIM contains GUTI1 and TAI1, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.2.1.1.19.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.1.19.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message including a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message. Note: The ATTACH REQUEST message shall be sent as a plain NAS message (see TS 24.301 – clause 9.1). | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT although UE has not successfully completed any NAS security mode control procedure. Note: The ATTACH ACCEPT message is sent as a plain NAS message (see TS 24.301 – clause 9.1). | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH COMPLETE message within the next 1s? Note: the UE discards ATTACH ACCEPT message without security protection | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 1 | F |
| 5 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 6 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message to establish mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmits a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and establishes the initial security configuration. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 9 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT without integrity protection. Note: The ATTACH ACCEPT message is sent as a plain NAS message (see TS 24.301 – clause 9.1). | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH COMPLETE message within the next 1s? Note: the UE discards ATTACH ACCEPT message without security protection | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 2 | F |
| 11 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST. Note: The ATTACH ACCEPT message is sent as a security protected NAS message (see TS 24.301 – clause 9.1). Nota 1: SS allocates a PDN address of a PDN type which is compliant with from the PDN type requested by the UE. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH COMPLETE message including a ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message as specified? Note: The ATTACH COMPLETE message is sent as a security protected NAS message (see TS 24.301 – clause 9.1). | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 2 | P |
| 13 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |

| | | | | | |
|----|--|---|---|------|---|
| 14 | <p>Check : Does the test results of CALL generic procedure [18] indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state with S-TMSI3?</p> <p>Note: This step verifies that the UE has dropped the GUTI2 which was included in the unprotected ATTACH ACCEPT messages.</p> | - | - | 1, 2 | - |
|----|--|---|---|------|---|

9.2.1.1.19.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.1.1.19.3.3-1: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (steps 3 and 9, Table 9.2.1.1.19.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-1 (Plain NAS message) | | | |
|---|---|----------------------------|---|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | "no security protection" | NOT pc_CSfallb ack pc_CSfallb ack |
| EPS attach result | 001 | "EPS only" | |
| | 010 | "combined EPS/IMSI attach" | |
| Spare half octet | 0000 | List of 3 TAIs | |
| TAI list | | | |
| Length of tracking area identity list contents | 12 | | One PLMN with non-consecutive TACs 3 TACs including the TAI including "Last visited registered TAI" if present The SS chooses a value different from GUTI1. |
| Number of elements | 3 | | |
| Type of list | 000 | | |
| Partial tracking area identity list | PLMN = PLMN1 TAC1 = TAC1 TAC2 = TAC2 TAC3 = TAC3 | | |
| GUTI | GUTI2 | | |
| Location area identification | Not present | | |
| MS identity | Not Present | | |
| EMM cause | Not present | | |

Note: This message is voluntarily sent as a plain NAS message (see TS 24.301 – clause 9.1).

Table 9.2.1.1.19.3.3-2: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (step 11, Table 9.2.1.1.19.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-1 (Security protected NAS message) | | | |
|--|---|---|---|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Security header type | 0000 | "no security protection" | NOT pc_CSfallb ack pc_CSfallb ack |
| EPS attach result | 001 | "EPS only" | |
| | 010 | "combined EPS/IMSI attach" | |
| Spare half octet | 0000 | List of 3 TAIs | |
| TAI list | | | |
| Length of tracking area identity list contents | 12 | | |
| Number of elements | 3 | | |
| Type of list | 000 | One PLMN with non-consecutive TACs | |
| Partial tracking area identity list | PLMN = PLMN1 TAC1 = TAC1 TAC2 = TAC2 TAC3 = TAC3 | 3 TACs including the TAI including "Last visited registered TAI" if present | |
| GUTI | GUTI3 | The SS chooses a value different from GUTI1 and GUTI2. | |
| Location area identification | Not present | | |
| MS identity | Not Present | | |
| EMM cause | Not present | | |

9.2.1.2 Combined attach procedure for EPS services and non-EPS services

9.2.1.2.1 Combined attach procedure / Success /EPS and non-EPS services

9.2.1.2.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in state EMM-DEREGISTERED and is switched off }
ensure that {
  when { UE is powered up or switched on}
  then { UE sends ATTACH REQUEST message with EPS attach type IE 'combined EPS/IMSI attach' }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in state EMM-REGISTERED-INITIATED}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives ATTACH ACCEPT message with EPS attach result 'combined EPS/IMSI attach' }
  then { UE sends ATTACH COMPLETE message and enters EMM state EMM-REGISTERED and MM state MM-IDLE }
}
```

9.2.1.2.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses 5.5.1.3.2, 5.5.1.3.4.1 and 5.5.1.3.4.2.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.1.3.2]

If the UE is in EMM state EMM-DEREGISTERED, the UE initiates the combined attach procedure by sending an ATTACH REQUEST message to the network, starting timer T3410 and entering state EMM-REGISTERED-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.1.2.2.1).

The UE shall include a valid GUTI together with the last visited registered TAI in the ATTACH REQUEST message. If there is no valid GUTI available, the IMSI shall be included instead of the GUTI.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.1.3.4.1]

Depending on the value of the EPS attach result IE received in the ATTACH ACCEPT message, two different cases can be distinguished:

- 1) The EPS attach result IE value indicates "combined EPS/IMSI attach": attach for EPS and non-EPS services have been successful.

...

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.1.3.4.2]

The description for attach for EPS services as specified in subclause 5.5.1.2.4 shall be followed. In addition, the following description for attach for non-EPS services applies.

The TMSI reallocation may be part of the combined attach procedure. The TMSI allocated is then included in the ATTACH ACCEPT message, together with the location area identification (LAI). In this case the MME shall start timer T3450 and enter state EMM-COMMON-PROCEDURE-INITIATED as described in subclause 5.4.1.

The UE, receiving an ATTACH ACCEPT message, stores the received location area identification, stops timer T3410, resets the location update attempt counter and sets the update status to U1 UPDATED. If the message contains a mobile identity, the MS shall use this mobile identity as the new temporary identity. The UE shall delete its old mobile identity and shall store the new mobile identity. If no mobile identity has been included by the network in the ATTACH ACCEPT message, the old mobile identity, if any available, shall be kept. The UE shall enter EMM state EMM-REGISTERED and MM state MM-IDLE.

Upon receiving an ATTACH COMPLETE message, the MME shall stop timer T3450 and consider the new TMSI sent in the ATTACH ACCEPT message as valid.

9.2.1.2.1.3 Test description

9.2.1.2.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1(MCC1/MNC1/TAC1)..

UE:

- The UE has a valid GUTI (GUTI-1).

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.2.1.2.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.1.2.1.3.2-1: Main Behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is powered up or switched on. | | | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits ATTACH REQUEST message with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN. EPS attach type = "combined EPS/IMSI attach" | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS starts an authentication procedure | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE responds properly to the authentication procedure | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | The UE responds properly to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 7 | The SS sends ATTACH ACCEPT message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE send ATTACH COMPLETE message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 2 | P |
| 9 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 10 | The SS sends Paging message with S-TMSI2 in GUTI-2 to the UE. | - | - | - | - |
| 11 | Check: Does the UE initiates RRC Connection establishment? | - | - | 2 | P |
| 12 | The SS sends Paging message with TMSI-1 to the UE (FFS). | <-- | Paging | - | - |
| 13 | Check: Does the UE perform CS fallback? (FFS) | | | 2 | P |

9.2.1.2.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's note: this subclause is not complete yet.

Table 9.2.1.2.1.3.3-1: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 2, Table 9.2.1.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table xxx | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | GUTI-1 | | |
| EPS attach type | combined EPS/IMSI attach | | |

Table 9.2.1.2.1.3.3-2: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (step 7, Table 9.2.1.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table xxx | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS attach result | combined EPS/IMSI attach | | |
| GUTI | GUTI-2 | | |
| LAI | LAI-1 | | |
| MS identity | TMSI-1 | | |

9.2.2 Detach procedure

9.2.2.1 UE initiated detach procedure

9.2.2.1.1 UE initiated detach / UE switched off

9.2.2.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in any EMM state }  
ensure that {  
  when { the UE is switched off }  
    then { the UE sends DETACH REQUEST message, deletes the KSI, if any, and deactivates the EPS  
bearer context(s) locally }  
}
```

9.2.2.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses and 5.5.2.2.1 and 5.5.2.2.2.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.2.2.1]

The detach procedure is initiated by the UE by sending a DETACH REQUEST message. The Detach type IE included in the message indicates whether detach is due to a "switch off" or not. The Detach type IE also indicates whether the detach is for EPS services only, for non-EPS services only, or for both.

...

If the UE is to be switched off, the UE shall try for a period of 5 seconds to send the DETACH REQUEST message. During this period, the UE may be switched off as soon as the DETACH REQUEST message has been sent. After transmission of the message, the UE shall delete the KSI, if any.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.2.2.2]

When the DETACH REQUEST message is received by the network, the network shall send a DETACH ACCEPT message to the UE, if the Detach type IE does not indicate "switch off". Otherwise, the procedure is completed when the network receives the DETACH REQUEST message. On reception of a DETACH REQUEST message indicating "switch off", the MME shall delete the KSI, if any.

The network and the UE shall deactivate the EPS bearer context(s) for this UE locally without peer-to-peer signalling between the UE and the MME.

The UE, when receiving the DETACH ACCEPT message, shall stop timer T3421.

The UE is marked as inactive in the network for EPS services. State EMM-DEREGISTERED is entered in the UE and the network.

9.2.2.1.1.3 Test description

9.2.2.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in to EMM-REGISTERED state (State 2) according to [18].

Editor's note: No such state is defined, state 2 is "Registered, Idle mode".

- UE has a valid GUTI-1 and is registered in TAI-1

Note: Detach due "switch off" can be done in any state but for testing purposes EMM-REGISTERED has been chosen as a representative state.

9.2.2.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.2.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-----------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Cause switch off or remove power from the UE | | | | |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a DETACH REQUEST with the Detach Type IE indicating "switch off"? | --> | DETACH REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: does the send any further DETACH REQUEST messages within the next 5s? | --> | DETACH REQUEST | 1 | F |
| 4 | The SS starts an authentication procedure using the previously allocated KSI | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | | |
| 5 | Check: does the UE transmit an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message within the next 6s? | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | 1 | F |
| 6 | The SS starts the EPS bearer context modification procedure using the previously allocated EPS bearer identity | <-- | MODIFY EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST | | |
| 7 | Check: does the UE transmit a MODIFY EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message within the next 6s? | --> | MODIFY EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT | 1 | F |

9.2.2.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS.

9.2.2.1.2 UE initiated detach / USIM removed from the UE

9.2.2.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in any EMM state }
ensure that {
  when { the USIM is removed from the UE }
  then { the UE sends DETACH REQUEST message and indicates that the detach is for both EPS services
and non-EPS services }
}
```

9.2.2.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses and 5.5.2.2.1 and 5.5.2.2.3.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.2.2.1]

The detach procedure is initiated by the UE by sending a DETACH REQUEST message. The Detach type IE included in the message indicates whether detach is due to a "switch off" or not. The Detach type IE also indicates whether the detach is for EPS services only, for non-EPS services only, or for both.

If the detach is not due to switch off and the UE is in the state EMM-REGISTERED, timer T3421 shall be started in the UE after the DETACH REQUEST message has been sent. If the detach type indicates that the detach is for non-EPS

services only the UE shall enter the state EMM-REGISTERED.IMSI-DETACH-INITIATED, otherwise the UE shall enter the state EMM-DEREGISTERED-INITIATED. If the detach type indicates that the detach is for non-EPS services or both EPS and non-EPS services, the UE shall enter the state MM IMSI DETACH PENDING.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.2.2.3]

When the DETACH REQUEST message is received by the network, a DETACH ACCEPT message shall be sent to the UE, if the Detach type IE value indicates that the detach request has not been sent due to switching off. Depending on the value of the Detach type IE the following applies:

- combined EPS/IMSI detach:

The UE is marked as inactive in the network for EPS and for non-EPS services. The states EMM-DEREGISTERED and MM-NUL are entered in both the UE and the network.

9.2.2.1.2.3 Test description

9.2.2.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 (FDD or TDD).

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- UE is brought to EMM-REGISTERED state (State 2) according to [18]
- UE has a valid GUTI-1 and is registered in TAI-1
- Does UE support USIM removal without power down Y/N

Note: Detach due "USIM removal" can be done in any state but for testing purposes EMM-REGISTERED has been chosen as a representative state.

9.2.2.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.2.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Cause removal of USIM from the UE without powering down | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: does the UE transmit a DETACH REQUEST with the Detach Type IE indicating "normal detach" and "combined EPS/IMSI detach"? | --> | DETACH REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 3 | SS responds with DETACH ACCEPT message | <-- | DETACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 4 | The SS starts a paging procedure using the previously allocated identifiers | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: does the UE respond to the paging? | --> | | 1 | F |

9.2.2.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS.

9.2.2.2 Network initiated detach procedure

9.2.2.2.1 NW initiated detach / re-attach required

9.2.2.2.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state }  
ensure that {  
  when { SS sends DETACH REQUEST message with the Detach type IE "re-attach required" }  
  then { UE sends DETACH ACCEPT message and UE initiates an attach procedure }  
}
```

9.2.2.2.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirement covered in the present TC is specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses 5.5.2.3.2.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.2.3.2]

When receiving the DETACH REQUEST message and the Detach type IE indicates "re-attach required", the UE shall deactivate the EPS bearer context(s) including the default EPS bearer context locally without peer-to-peer signalling between the UE and the MME. The UE shall then send a DETACH ACCEPT message to the network and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED. The UE shall, after the completion of the detach procedure, initiate an attach procedure, using the existing NAS signalling connection.

A UE which receives a DETACH REQUEST message with detach type indicating "re-attach required" or "re-attach not required" and no cause code, is detached only for EPS services.

...

If the detach type IE indicates "IMSI detach" or "re-attach required" then the UE shall ignore the cause code if received.

9.2.2.2.1.3 Test description

9.2.2.2.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1
- Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1 (MCC1/MNC1/TAC1)..

UE:

- The UE has a valid GUTI (GUTI-1) and is registered in TAI-1

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

9.2.2.2.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.2.2.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message/PDU/SDU | | |
| 1 | The SS initiates Detach procedure with the Detach Type IE "re-attach required" | <-- | DETACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE send DETACH ACCEPT message? | --> | DETACH ACCEPT | 1 | P |
| 3 | Check: Does the UE send ATTACH REQUEST message with GUTI-1 and TAI-1? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 4 | The SS starts an authentication procedure | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 5 | The UE responds properly to the authentication procedure | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 6 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 7 | The UE responds properly to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 8 | The SS sends ATTACH ACCEPT to assign the new GUTI (GUTI-2). | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE send ATTACH COMPLETE message? | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 10 | The SS releases RRC connection. | - | | - | - |
| 11 | Check: Does the UE ignore paging on cell 1 with S-TMSI1 for PS domain? | - | - | 1 | |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE respond to paging on cell 1 with S-TMSI2 for PS domain? | - | | 1 | |

9.2.2.2.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.2.2.1.3.3-1: Message DETACH REQUEST (step 1, Table 9.2.2.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-12 | | | |
|--|--------------|----------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Detach type | '001'B | "re-attach required" | |

Table 9.2.2.2.1.3.3-2: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 3, Table 9.2.2.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-4 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | GUTI-1 | | |

Table 9.2.2.2.1.3.3-3: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (step 8, Table 9.2.2.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-1 | | | |
|--|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| TAI list | | | |
| Length of tracking area identity list contents | '00001000'B | 8 octets | |
| Number of elements | '00000'B | 1 element | |
| Type of list | '00'B | "list of TACs belonging to one PLMN, with non-consecutive TAC values" | |
| Partial tracking area identity list | TAI-1 | | |
| GUTI | GUTI-2 | | |

9.2.2.2.4 NW initiated detach / re-attach not required / IMSI invalid

9.2.2.2.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives DETACH REQUEST message with the Detach type IE = 're-attach not required' and
with the EMM cause IE = 'Illegal MS'}
  then { UE sends DETACH ACCEPT message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in EMM-DEREGISTERED state and in EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED status}
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering a new tracking area}
  then { UE does not send ATTACH REQUEST message }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in Power off, in EMM-DEREGISTERED state and in EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED status}
ensure that {
  when { UE is powered on or switched on}
  then { UE sends ATTACH REQUEST message }
}
```

9.2.2.2.4.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirement covered in the present TC is specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clause 5.5.2.3.2.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.2.3.2]

...

When receiving the DETACH REQUEST message and the Detach type IE indicates "re-attach not required", the UE shall deactivate the EPS bearer context(s) including the EPS default bearer context locally without peer-to-peer signalling between the UE and the MME. The UE shall then send a DETACH ACCEPT message to the network and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

...

If the detach type IE indicates "re-attach not required", the UE shall take the following actions depending on the received EMM cause code:

#3 (Illegal MS);

#6 (Illegal ME);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI, TAI list and KSI. The UE shall consider the USIM as invalid for EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed. The UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs and shall enter the state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

If A/Gb mode or Iu mode is supported in the UE, the UE shall handle the MM parameters update status, TMSI, LAI and ciphering key sequence number and the GMM parameters GMM state, RAI, P-TMSI, P-TMSI signature, GPRS ciphering key sequence number and GPRS update status as specified in 3GPP TS 24.008 [6] for the case when a DETACH REQUEST is received with this cause value and with detach type set to "re-attach not required". The USIM shall also be considered as invalid for non-EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed.

9.2.2.2.4.3 Test description

9.2.2.2.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 3
- Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1(MCC1/MNC1/TAC1)
- Cell 3 belongs to TAI-3(MCC1/MNC2/TAC1).
- Cell 1 is set to the "Serving cell" and Cell 3 is set to the "non-Suitable cell"

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].
- UE has a valid GUTI (GUTI-1) and is registered in TAI-1

9.2.2.2.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.2.2.4.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Cause the SS to initiate Detach procedure with the Detach Type IE "re-attach not required" and with EMM cause IE "Illegal MS" | <-- | DETACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE send DETACH ACCEPT message | --> | DETACH ACCEPT | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS releases RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 4 | Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "non-Suitable cell ". Set the cell type of cell 3 to the "Serving cell " | | | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit ATTACH REQUEST message to SS in next 30sec. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 2 | F |
| 6 | The UE is powered off or switched off. | | | - | - |
| 7 | The UE is powered on or switched on. | | | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE send ATTACH REQUEST message with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 3 | P |
| 9 | The SS starts an authentication procedure | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 10 | The UE responds properly to the authentication procedure | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 11 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 12 | The UE responds properly to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 13 | The SS sends ATTACH ACCEPT message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 14 | The UE sends ATTACH COMPLETE message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 3 | P |

Editor's note: The definitions for "Non-Suitable cell", "Suitable neighbour cell" and "Serving cell" are FFS and should be specified in TS36.508.

9.2.2.2.4.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.2.2.4.3.3-1: Message DETACH REQUEST (step 1, Table 9.2.2.2.4.3.2-1)

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Table 9.2.2.2.4.3.3-2: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 8, Table 9.2.2.2.4.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-4 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | IMSI | | |

Table 9.2.2.2.4.3.3-3: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (step 13, Table 9.2.2.2.4.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-1 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| TAI list | TAI-3 | | |
| GUTI | GUTI-3 | | |

9.2.2.2.6 Detach / re-attach not required / GPRS services not allowed

9.2.2.2.6.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives DETACH REQUEST message with the Detach type IE = 're-attach not required' and
with the EMM cause IE = 'GPRS services not allowed'}
  then { UE sends DETACH ACCEPT message }
}

```

(2)

```

with { UE in EMM-DEREGISTERED state and in EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED status}
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering a new tracking area}
  then { UE does not send ATTACH REQUEST message }
}

```

(3)

```

with { UE in Power off, in EMM-DEREGISTERED state and in EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED status}
ensure that {
  when { UE is powered on or switched on}
  then { UE sends ATTACH REQUEST message }
}

```

9.2.2.2.6.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirement covered in the present TC is specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses 5.5.2.3.2.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.2.3.2]

...

When receiving the DETACH REQUEST message and the Detach type IE indicates "re-attach not required", the UE shall deactivate the EPS bearer context(s) including the EPS default bearer context locally without peer-to-peer signalling between the UE and the MME. The UE shall then send a DETACH ACCEPT message to the network and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

...

If the detach type IE indicates "re-attach not required", the UE shall take the following actions depending on the received EMM cause code:

...

#7 (GPRS services not allowed);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI, TAI list and KSI. The UE shall consider the USIM as invalid for EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed. The UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs and shall enter the state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

If A/Gb mode or Iu mode is supported in the UE, the UE shall handle the GMM parameters GMM state, RAI, P-TMSI, P-TMSI signature, GPRS ciphering key sequence number and GPRS update status as specified in 3GPP TS 24.008 [6] for the case when a DETACH REQUEST is received with this cause value and with detach type set to "re-attach not required".

9.2.2.2.6.3 Test description

9.2.2.2.6.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 3
 - Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1(MCC1/MNC1/TAC1)
 - Cell 3 belongs to TAI-3(MCC1/MNC2/TAC1).
- Cell 1 is set to the "Serving cell" and Cell 3 is set to the "non-Suitable cell"

UE:

- The UE has a valid GUTI (GUTI-1) and is registered in TAI-1
- If pc_CSfallback, the UE has a valid TMSI (TMSI-1) and is registered in LAI-1.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

9.2.2.2.6.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.2.2.6.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|-----|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a DETACH REQUEST with Detach Type "re-attach not required" and with EMM cause IE "GPRS services not allowed" | <-- | DETACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a DETACH ACCEPT message? | --> | DETACH ACCEPT | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS releases RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| | EXCEPTION: Steps 4a1 to 4a2 describe behaviour that depends on the UE capability; the "lower case letter" identifies a step sequence that take place if a capability is supported | | | | |
| 4a1 | IF pc_CSfallback, the SS transmits a Paging message with TMSI-1 to the UE. (FFS) | <-- | Paging | - | - |
| 4a2 | Check: Does the UE perform CS fallback (FFS)? | - | - | 1 | P |
| 5 | Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "non-Suitable cell ". Set the cell type of cell 3 to the "Serving cell " | | | - | - |
| 6 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 2 | F |
| 7 | The UE is powered off or switched off. | - | - | - | - |
| 8 | The UE is powered on or switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 9 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 3 | P |
| 10 | The SS starts an authentication procedure | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 11 | The UE responds properly to the authentication procedure | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 12 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 13 | The UE responds to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 14 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 15 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |

Editor's note: The definitions for "Non-Suitable cell", "Suitable neighbour cell" and "Serving cell" are FFS and should be specified in TS36.508.

Editor's note: In step 6, there is no requirement for a UE to transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message within 30s.

9.2.2.2.6.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.2.2.6.3.3-1: Message DETACH REQUEST (step 1, Table 9.2.2.2.6.3.2-1)

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Table 9.2.2.2.6.3.3-2: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 8, Table 9.2.2.2.6.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-4 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | IMSI | | |

Table 9.2.2.2.6.3.3-3: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (step 13, Table 9.2.2.2.6.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-1 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| TAI list | TAI-3 | | |
| GUTI | GUTI-3 | | |

9.2.2.2.7 Detach / re-attach not required / GPRS services and non-GPRS services not allowed

9.2.2.2.7.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives DETACH REQUEST message with the Detach type IE = 're-attach not required' and
with the EMM cause IE = 'GPRS services and non-GPRS services not allowed'}
  then { UE sends DETACH ACCEPT message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in EMM-DEREGISTERED state and in EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED status}
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering a new tracking area}
  then { UE does not send ATTACH REQUEST message }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in Power off, in EMM-DEREGISTERED state and in EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED status}
ensure that {
  when { UE is powered on or switched on}
  then { UE sends ATTACH REQUEST message }
}
```

9.2.2.2.7.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirement covered in the present TC is specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses 5.5.2.3.2.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.2.3.2]

...

When receiving the DETACH REQUEST message and the Detach type IE indicates "re-attach not required", the UE shall deactivate the EPS bearer context(s) including the EPS default bearer context locally without peer-to-peer signalling between the UE and the MME. The UE shall then send a DETACH ACCEPT message to the network and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

...

If the detach type IE indicates "re-attach not required", the UE shall take the following actions depending on the received EMM cause code:

...

#8 (GPRS services and non-GPRS services not allowed);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI, TAI list and KSI. The UE shall consider the USIM as invalid for EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed. The UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs and shall enter the state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

If A/Gb mode or Iu mode is supported in the UE, the UE shall handle the MM parameters update status, TMSI, LAI and ciphering key sequence number and the GMM parameters GMM state, RAI, P-TMSI, P-TMSI signature, GPRS ciphering key sequence number and GPRS update status as specified in 3GPP TS 24.008 [6] for the case when a DETACH REQUEST is received with this cause value and with detach type set to "re-attach not

required". The USIM shall also be considered as invalid for non-EPS services until switching off or the UICC containing the USIM is removed.

9.2.2.2.7.3 Test description

9.2.2.2.7.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 and Cell 3
- Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1(MCC1/MNC1/TAC1)
- Cell 3 belongs to TAI-3(MCC1/MNC2/TAC1).
- Cell 1 is set to the "Serving cell" and Cell 3 is set to the "non-Suitable cell"

UE:

- The UE has a valid GUTI (GUTI-1), a valid TMSI (TMSI-1) and is registered in TAI-1 and LAI-1

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

9.2.2.2.7.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.2.2.7.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a DETACH REQUEST message with the Detach Type IE 're-attach not required' and with EMM cause IE 'GPRS services and non-GPRS services not allowed' | <-- | DETACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE send DETACH ACCEPT message? | --> | DETACH ACCEPT | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS releases RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 4 | Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "non-Suitable cell ". Set the cell type of cell 3 to the "Serving cell " | | | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 2 | F |
| 6 | The UE is powered off or switched off. | | | - | - |
| 7 | The UE is powered on or switched on. | | | - | - |
| 8 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 3 | P |
| 9 | The SS starts an authentication procedure | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 10 | The UE responds properly to the authentication procedure | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 11 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 12 | The UE responds properly to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 13 | The SS transmits ATTACH ACCEPT message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 14 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 3 | P |

Editor's note: The definitions for "Non-Suitable cell", "Suitable neighbour cell" and "Serving cell" are FFS and should be specified in TS36.508.

Editor's note: In step 5, there is no requirement for a UE to transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message within 30s.

9.2.2.2.7.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.2.2.7.3.3-1: Message DETACH REQUEST (step 1, Table 9.2.2.2.7.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 9.2.2.2.7.3.3-2: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 8, Table 9.2.2.2.7.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-4 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | IMSI | | |

Table 9.2.2.2.7.3.3-3: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (step 13, Table 9.2.2.2.7.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-4 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS attach result | combined EPS/IMSI attach | | |
| TAI list | TAI-3 | | |
| GUTI | GUTI-3 | | |
| LAI | LAI-3 | | |
| MS identity | TMSI-3 | | |

9.2.2.2.8 Detach / re-attach not required / PLMN not allowed

9.2.2.2.8.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives DETACH REQUEST message with the Detach type IE = 're-attach not required' and
    with the EMM cause IE = 'PLMN not allowed' }
  then { UE sends DETACH ACCEPT message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in EMM-DEREGISTERED.PLMN-SEARCH state and in EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED status }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering the same PLMN identity }
  then { UE does not send ATTACH REQUEST message }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE in EMM-DEREGISTERED.PLMN-SEARCH state and in EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED status }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering a new PLMN identity }
  then { UE sends ATTACH REQUEST message }
}
```

(4)

```
with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects the PLMN identity which is stored by the UE in the 'forbidden PLMN list' }
  then { UE does not send TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message }
}
```

9.2.2.2.8.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirement covered in the present TC is specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clause 5.5.2.3.2.
[TS24.301 clause 5.5.2.3.2]

...

When receiving the DETACH REQUEST message and the Detach type IE indicates "re-attach not required", the UE shall deactivate the EPS bearer context(s) including the EPS default bearer context locally without peer-to-peer signalling between the UE and the MME. The UE shall then send a DETACH ACCEPT message to the network and enter state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

...

If the detach type IE indicates "re-attach not required", the UE shall take the following actions depending on the received EMM cause code:

...

#11 (PLMN not allowed);

The UE shall set the EPS update status to EU3 ROAMING NOT ALLOWED (and shall store it according to subclause 5.1.3.3) and shall delete any GUTI, last visited registered TAI, TAI list and KSI. The UE shall delete the list of equivalent PLMNs and enter the state EMM-DEREGISTERED.PLMN-SEARCH.

The UE shall store the PLMN identity in the "forbidden PLMN list".

The UE shall perform a PLMN selection according to 3GPP TS 23.122 [3].

If A/Gb mode or Iu mode is supported in the UE, the UE shall handle the MM parameters update status, TMSI, LAI and ciphering key sequence number and the GMM parameters GMM state, RAI, P-TMSI, P-TMSI signature, GPRS ciphering key sequence number and GPRS update status as specified in 3GPP TS 24.008 [6] for the case when a DETACH REQUEST is received with this cause value and with detach type set to "re-attach not required".

9.2.2.2.8.3 Test description

9.2.2.2.8.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 3:
 - Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1(MCC1/MNC1/TAC1),
 - Cell 2 belongs to TAI-2(MCC1/MNC1/TAC2)
 - Cell 3 belongs to TAI-3(MCC1/MNC2/TAC1).
- Cell 1 is set to the "Serving cell". Cell 2 and Cell 3 are set to the "non-Suitable cell"

UE:

- The UE has a valid GUTI (GUTI-1) and is registered in TAI-1
- The UE does not store any PLMN identities in the "forbidden PLMN list".

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Generic RB established (state 3) on Cell 1 according to [18].

9.2.2.2.8.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.2.2.8.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The SS transmits a DETACH REQUEST message with the Detach Type IE "re-attach not required" and with EMM cause IE "PLMN not allowed" | <-- | DETACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a DETACH ACCEPT message? | --> | DETACH ACCEPT | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS releases RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 4 | Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "non-Suitable cell ". Set the cell type of cell 2 to the "Serving cell " | | | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 2 | F |
| 6 | Set the cell type of cell 2 to the "Serving cell ". Set the cell type of cell 3 to the "Suitable neighbour cell " | | | - | - |
| 7 | Check: Does the UE transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN to Cell 3. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | 3 | P |
| 8 | The SS starts an authentication procedure | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 9 | The UE responds properly to the authentication procedure | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 10 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 11 | The UE responds properly to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 12 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 13 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | 3 | P |
| 14 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 15 | Set the cell type of cell 3 to the "non-Suitable cell ". Set the cell type of cell 2 to the "Serving cell " | | | - | - |
| 16 | Check: Does the UE transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message on Cell 2 in the next 30 seconds? | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST | 4 | F |

Editor's note: The definitions for "Non-Suitable cell", "Suitable neighbour cell" and "Serving cell" are FFS and should be specified in TS36.508.

Editor's note: In step 5, there is no requirement for a UE to transmit an ATTACH REQUEST message within 30s.

Editor's note: In step 16, there is no requirement for a UE to transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE message within 30s.

9.2.2.2.8.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.2.2.8.3.3-1: Message DETACH REQUEST (step 1, Table 9.2.2.2.8.3.2-1)

FFS

Table 9.2.2.2.8.3.3-2: Message ATTACH REQUEST (step 7, Table 9.2.2.2.8.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-4 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Old GUTI or IMSI | IMSI | | |

Table 9.2.2.2.7.3.3-3: Message ATTACH ACCEPT (step 12, Table 9.2.2.2.8.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-1 | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| TAI list | TAI-3 | | |
| GUTI | GUTI-3 | | |

9.2.3 Tracking area updating procedure (S1 mode only)

9.2.3.1 Normal and periodic tracking area updating

9.2.3.1.1 Normal tracking area update / accepted

9.2.3.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in state EMM-REGISTERED and EMM-IDLE mode}
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering a new tracking area already included in the TAI list }
  then { UE does not send TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in state EMM-REGISTERED and EMM-IDLE mode}
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering a new tracking area not included in the TAI list }
  then { UE sends TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message with "EPS update type = TA updating"}
}
```

9.2.3.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses 5.5.3.1, 5.5.3.2.2 and 5.5.3.2.4.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.3.1]

The tracking area updating procedure is always initiated by the UE and is used for the following purposes:

- normal tracking area updating to update the registration of the actual tracking area of a UE in the network;

...

[TS24.301 clause5.5.3.2.2]

The UE in state EMM-REGISTERED shall initiate the tracking area updating procedure by sending a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to the MME,

- when the UE detects entering a tracking area that is not in the list of tracking areas that the UE previously registered in the MME;

...

After sending the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to the MME, the UE shall start timer T3430 and enter state EMM-TRACKING-AREA-UPDATING-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.3.2.2). If timer T3402 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3402. If timer T3411 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3411.

In the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message the UE shall include a GUTI and the last visited registered TAI, the update type indicating the type of the tracking area updating. If the UE's TIN indicates "P-TMSI" the UE shall map the valid P-TMSI and RAI into the old GUTI. If a UE in EMM-IDLE mode has uplink user data pending when it initiates the tracking area updating procedure, or uplink signalling not related to the tracking area updating procedure, it may also set an "active" flag in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to indicate the request to establish the user plane to the network and to keep the NAS signalling connection after the completion of the tracking area updating procedure.

When the tracking area updating procedure is initiated in EMM-IDLE mode, the UE may also include an EPS bearer context status IE in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message, indicating which EPS bearer contexts are active in the UE.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.2.4]

...

Upon receiving a TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the UE shall stop timer T3430, reset the routing area updating attempt counter, enter state EMM-REGISTERED and set the EPS update status to EU1 UPDATED. If the message contains a GUTI, the UE shall use this GUTI as new temporary identity for EPS services and shall store the new GUTI. If no GUTI was included by the MME in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the old GUTI shall be used. If the UE receives a new TAI list in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the UE shall consider the new TAI list as valid and the old TAI list as invalid; otherwise, the UE shall consider the old TAI list as valid.

...

If the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message contained a GUTI, the UE shall return a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message to the MME to acknowledge the received GUTI.

9.2.3.1.1.3 Test description

9.2.3.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 4
- Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1, Cell2 belongs to TAI-2 and Cell4 belongs to TAI-4.

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE shall be in state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

Editor's note: The preamble clause should refer to a state according to TS 36.508.

9.2.3.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.3.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 1. | | | - | - |
| 1 | Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "Serving cell". Set the cell type of cell 2 to the "Suitable neighbour cell". Set the cell type of cell 4 to the "Suitable neighbour cell" | | | - | - |
| 2 | The UE is powered up or switched on. | | | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmits ATTACH REQUEST message with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The SS starts an authentication procedure | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 5 | The UE responds to the authentication procedure | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 6 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 7 | The UE responds to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 8 | The SS sends ATTACH ACCEPT message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. EPS Attach result = 'EPS only'. GUTI = 'GUTI-1'. TAI list = 'TAI-1 and TAI-2' | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 9 | The UE sends ATTACH COMPLETE message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| 10 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 11 | Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "non-Suitable cell". Set the cell type of cell 2 to the "Serving cell" | | | - | - |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message in the next 30 seconds? | | | 1 | F |
| | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 4. | | | - | - |
| 13 | Set the cell type of cell 2 to the "non-Suitable cell". Set the cell type of cell 4 to the "Serving cell" | | | - | - |
| 14 | Check: Does the UE transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message? EPS update type = 'TA updating'. GUTI = 'GUTI-1'. Last visited registered TAI = 'TAI-2' | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST | 2 | P |
| 15 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 16 | The UE responds to the NAS security mode command procedure. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 17 | The SS transmits a TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message. EPS update result = 'TA only'. GUTI = 'GUTI-2'. TAI list = 'TAI-4' | <-- | TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT | - | - |
| 18 | Check: Does the UE transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message? | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE | 2 | P |
| 19 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 20 | The SS sends a Paging message with S-TMSI2 associated with GUTI-2. | - | - | - | - |
| 21 | Check: Does the UE initiates RRC Connection establishment? | | | 2 | P |

Editor's note: For each test step with transmission of a NAS message, the differences compared with the default message contents as defined in 36.508 shall be specified as specific message contents. Then, the related information in the procedure description should be removed.

Editor's note: The definitions for "Non-Suitable cell", "Suitable neighbour cell" and "Serving cell" are FFS and should be specified in TS36.508.

9.2.3.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's note: See editor's note in previous subclause.

9.2.3.1.2 Normal tracking area update / accepted / "Active" flag set

9.2.3.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in state EMM-SERVICE-REQUEST-INITIATED and EMM-CONNECTED }
ensure that {
  when { UE detects entering a new tracking area already not included in the TAI list }
  then { UE sends TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { UE in state EMM-REGISTERED and EMM-CONNECTED }
ensure that {
  when { UE sends TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE to NW }
  then { UE establishes the user plane and keeps the NAS signalling connection }
}
```

9.2.3.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses 5.5.3.1, 5.5.3.2.2, 5.5.3.2.4 and 5.6.1.5.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.3.1]

The tracking area updating procedure is always initiated by the UE and is used for the following purposes:

- normal tracking area updating to update the registration of the actual tracking area of a UE in the network;

...

[TS24.301 clause5.5.3.2.2]

The UE in state EMM-REGISTERED shall initiate the tracking area updating procedure by sending a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to the MME,

- i) when the UE detects entering a tracking area that is not in the list of tracking areas that the UE previously registered in the MME;

..

After sending the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to the MME, the UE shall start timer T3430 and enter state EMM-TRACKING-AREA-UPDATING-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.3.2.2). If timer T3402 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3402. If timer T3411 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3411.

In the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message the UE shall include a GUTI and the last visited registered TAI, the update type indicating the type of the tracking area updating. If the UE's TIN indicates "P-TMSI" the UE shall map the valid P-TMSI and RAI into the old GUTI. If a UE in EMM-IDLE mode has uplink user data pending when it initiates the tracking area updating procedure, or uplink signalling not related to the tracking area updating procedure, it may also set an "active" flag in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to indicate the request to establish the user plane to the network and to keep the NAS signalling connection after the completion of the tracking area updating procedure.

...

When the tracking area updating procedure is initiated in EMM-IDLE mode, the UE may also include an EPS bearer context status IE in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message, indicating which EPS bearer contexts are active in the UE.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.2.4]

...

If the "active" flag is included in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message, the MME shall re-establish the radio and S1 bearers for all active EPS bearer contexts.

Upon receiving a TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the UE shall stop timer T3430, reset the tracking area updating attempt counter, enter state EMM-REGISTERED and set the EPS update status to EU1 UPDATED. If the message contains a GUTI, the UE shall use this GUTI as new temporary identity for EPS services and shall store the new GUTI. If no GUTI was included by the MME in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the old GUTI shall be used. If the UE receives a new TAI list in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the UE shall consider the new TAI list as valid and the old TAI list as invalid; otherwise, the UE shall consider the old TAI list as valid.

...

If the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message contained a GUTI, the UE shall return a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message to the MME to acknowledge the received GUTI.

...

[TS24.301 clause 5.6.1.5]

...

- e) Tracking area updating procedure is triggered

The UE shall abort the service request procedure, stop timer T3417 and perform the tracking area updating procedure. The "active" flag shall be set in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message.

...

- j) Transmission failure of SERVICE REQUEST message indication with TAI change from lower layers

If the current TAI is not in the TAI list, the service request procedure shall be aborted to perform the tracking area updating procedure. The "active" flag shall be set in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message.

If the current TAI is still part of the TAI list, the UE shall restart the service request procedure.

...

9.2.3.1.2.3 Test description

9.2.3.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell A (TAI-1:MCC1/MNC1/TAC1)
- Cell B (TAI-2:MCC1/MNC1/TAC2)
- Cell A is set to the "Serving cell" and Cell B is set to the "Non-suitable cell".

UE:

- The UE has a valid GUTI (GUTI-1) and is registered on TAI-1.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle Mode (state 2) on Cell A according to [18].

9.2.3.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.3.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|---|--|------------------|-------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Force the UE to initiate uplink user data.(Note1) | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits SERVICE REQUEST message. | --> | SERVICE REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS does not perform a radio bearer establishment procedure.(Note2) | - | - | - | - |
| | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell B. | | | - | - |
| 4 | Set the cell type of cell A to the "Non-suitable cell". Set the cell type of cell B to the "Serving cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does the UE transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message with "Active" flag? | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 7 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 8 | The UE responds to the NAS security mode command procedure. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 9 | The SS transmits a TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message. | <-- | TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does the UE transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message? | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 11 | The SS waits 10seconds (T3440). | | | | |
| 12 | Check: does the test result of the above procedure indicate that UE is in EMM_CONNECTED state?(FFS) | - | - | 2 | P |
| Note1: This could be done by e.g. MMI or by AT command. | | | | | |
| Note2: The SS does not send any AS or NAS messages to UE. | | | | | |

9.2.3.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.3.1.2.3.3-1: Message TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST (step 3, Table 9.2.3.1.2.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-27 | | | |
|--|------------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS update type "Active" flag | '1'B | Bearer establishment requested "TA updating" Old GUTI is included by UE if valid, IMSI otherwise. | |
| EPS update type value Old GUTI | '000'B GUTI-1 | | |

Table 9.2.3.1.2.3.3-2: Message TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT (step 6, Table 9.2.3.1.2.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-24 | | | |
|--|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS update result | '000'B | "TA updated" | |
| GUTI | GUTI-2 | | |
| TAI list | | | |
| Length of tracking area identity list contents | '00001000'B | 8 octets | |
| Number of elements | '00000'B | 1 element | |
| Type of list | '00'B | "list of TACs belonging to one PLMN, with non-consecutive TAC values" | |
| Partial tracking area identity list | TAI-2 | | |

9.2.3.1.5 Periodic tracking area update / accepted

9.2.3.1.5.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { UE in state EMM-REGISTERED and EMM-IDLE mode}
ensure that {
  when { the periodic tracking area updating timer T3412 expires }
  then { UE sends TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message with EPS update type = "Periodic updating" }
}
```

9.2.3.1.5.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clauses 5.3.2, 5.5.3.2.1, 5.5.3.2.2 and 5.5.3.2.4.

[TS24.301 clause5.3.2]

Periodic tracking area updating is used to periodically notify the availability of the UE to the network. The procedure is controlled in the UE by the periodic tracking area update timer (timer T3412). The value of timer T3412 is sent by the network to the UE in the ATTACH ACCEPT message and can be sent in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message. The UE shall apply this value in all tracking areas of the list of tracking areas assigned to the UE, until a new value is received.

The timer T3412 is reset and started with its initial value, when the UE goes from EMM-CONNECTED to EMM-IDLE mode. The timer T3412 is stopped when the UE enters EMM-CONNECTED mode.

When timer T3412 expires, the periodic tracking area updating procedure shall be started and the timer shall be set to its initial value for the next start.

If the UE is in another state than EMM-REGISTERED.NORMAL-SERVICE when the timer expires the periodic tracking area updating procedure is delayed until the UE returns to EMM-REGISTERED.NORMAL-SERVICE.

The network supervises the periodic tracking area update procedure of the UE by means of the Mobile Reachable timer. The Mobile Reachable timer shall be longer than T3412. By default, the Mobile Reachable timer is 4 minutes greater than T3412. The network behaviour upon expiry of the Mobile Reachable timer is network dependent, but typically the network stops sending paging messages to the UE on the first expiry, and may take other appropriate actions.

The Mobile Reachable timer shall be reset and started with its initial value, when the MME releases the NAS signalling connection for the UE. The Mobile Reachable timer shall be stopped when an NAS signalling connection is established for the UE.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.3.2.1]

The periodic tracking area updating procedure is controlled in the UE by timer T3412. When timer T3412 expires, the periodic tracking area updating procedure is started. Start and reset of timer T3412 is described in subclause 5.5.3.2.

[TS24.301 clause5.5.3.2.2]

The UE in state EMM-REGISTERED shall initiate the tracking area updating procedure by sending a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to the MME,

...

- ii) when the periodic tracking area updating timer T3412 expires;

...

After sending the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to the MME, the UE shall start timer T3430 and enter state EMM-TRACKING-AREA-UPDATING-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.3.2.2). If timer T3402 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3402. If timer T3411 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3411.

In the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message the UE shall include a GUTI and the last visited registered TAI, the update type indicating the type of the tracking area updating. If the UE's TIN indicates "P-TMSI" the UE shall map the valid P-TMSI and RAI into the old GUTI. If a UE in EMM-IDLE mode has uplink user data pending when it initiates the tracking area updating procedure, or uplink signalling not related to the tracking area updating procedure, it may also set an "active" flag in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to indicate the request to establish the user plane to the network and to keep the NAS signalling connection after the completion of the tracking area updating procedure.

When the tracking area updating procedure is initiated in EMM-IDLE mode, the UE may also include an EPS bearer context status IE in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message, indicating which EPS bearer contexts are active in the UE.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.2.4]

...

Upon receiving a TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the UE shall stop timer T3430, reset the routing area updating attempt counter, enter state EMM-REGISTERED and set the EPS update status to EU1 UPDATED. If the message contains a GUTI, the UE shall use this GUTI as new temporary identity for EPS services and shall store the new GUTI. If no GUTI was included by the MME in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the old GUTI shall be used. If the UE receives a new TAI list in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the UE shall consider the new TAI list as valid and the old TAI list as invalid; otherwise, the UE shall consider the old TAI list as valid.

...

If the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message contained a GUTI, the UE shall return a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message to the MME to acknowledge the received GUTI.

9.2.3.1.5.3 Test description

9.2.3.1.5.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1 (FDD or TDD).
- Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE shall be in state EMM-DEREGISTERED.

Editor's note: The preamble clause should refer to a state according to TS 36.508.

9.2.3.1.5.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.3.1.5.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is powered up or switched on. | | | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS starts an authentication procedure | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE responds to the authentication procedure | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | The UE responds to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 7 | The SS transmits an ATTACH ACCEPT message with GUTI-1 and with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. The value of the timer T3412 in this message is 6minutes. EPS Attach result = "EPS only". GUTI = "GUTI-1". T3412 value = "6minutes" | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message with the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| 9 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 10 | Check: Does during 6 minutes after step 7 the UE send TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message after the timer T3412 expired. EPS update type = "Periodic updating" | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 11 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 12 | The UE responds to the NAS security mode command procedure | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 13 | The SS sends TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT. EPS update result = "TA only". GUTI = "GUTI-2" | <-- | TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT | - | - |
| 14 | Check: Does the UE send TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message? | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 15 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | | | - | - |
| 16 | The SS sends Paging message with S-TMSI2 associated with GUTI-2. | <-- | | - | - |
| 17 | Check: Does the UE initiates RRC Connection establishment? | - | | 1 | P |

Editor's note: For each test step with transmission of a NAS message, the differences compared with the default message contents as defined in 36.508 shall be specified as specific message contents. Then, the related information in the procedure description should be removed.

Editor's note: It is not clear in step 10 if the verdict P is assigned if the UE transmits the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message at any time in the next 6 minutes, or if the UE transmits 6 minutes another test step.

9.2.3.1.5.3.3 Specific message contents

Editor's note: See editor's note in previous subclause.

9.2.3.2 Combined tracking area updating

9.2.3.2.1 Combined tracking area update / successful

9.2.3.2.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { a combined EPS/IMSI attached UE in state EMM-REGISTERED and EMM-IDLE mode}
ensure that {
  when { UE enters a tracking area included in the TAI list }
  then { UE does not transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message }
}
```

(2)

```
with { a combined EPS/IMSI attached UE in state EMM-REGISTERED and EMM-IDLE mode}
ensure that {
  when { UE enters a tracking area not included in the TAI list }
  then { UE transmits a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message with "EPS update type = combined TA/LA updating" }
}
```

(3)

```
with { UE has sent a combined TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message containing a GUTI and/or a mobile identity }
  then { UE transmits a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message and enters EMM-REGISTERED state }
}
```

9.2.3.2.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the present TC are specified in: TS 24.301, clauses 5.5.3.1, 5.5.3.2.2, 5.5.3.2.4, 5.5.3.3.1, 5.5.3.3.2, 5.5.3.3.4.1 and 5.5.3.3.4.2.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.1]

The tracking area updating procedure is always initiated by the UE and is used for the following purposes:

- normal tracking area updating to update the registration of the actual tracking area of a UE in the network;

...

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.2.2]

The UE in state EMM-REGISTERED shall initiate the tracking area updating procedure by sending a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to the MME,

- i) when the UE detects entering a tracking area that is not in the list of tracking areas that the UE previously registered in the MME;

...

After sending the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to the MME, the UE shall start timer T3430 and enter state EMM-TRACKING-AREA-UPDATING-INITIATED (see figure 5.5.3.2.2). If timer T3402 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3402. If timer T3411 is currently running, the UE shall stop timer T3411.

In the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message the UE shall include a GUTI and the last visited registered TAI, the update type indicating the type of the tracking area updating. If the UE's TIN indicates "P-TMSI" the UE shall map the valid P-TMSI and RAI into the old GUTI. If a UE in EMM-IDLE mode has uplink user data pending when it initiates the tracking area updating procedure, or uplink signalling not related to the tracking area updating procedure, it may also set an "active" flag in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message to indicate the request to establish the user plane to the network and to keep the NAS signalling connection after the completion of the tracking area updating procedure.

When the tracking area updating procedure is initiated in EMM-IDLE mode, the UE may also include an EPS bearer context status IE in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message, indicating which EPS bearer contexts are active in the UE.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.2.4]

...

Upon receiving a TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the UE shall stop timer T3430, reset the routing area updating attempt counter, enter state EMM-REGISTERED and set the EPS update status to EU1 UPDATED. If the message contains a GUTI, the UE shall use this GUTI as new temporary identity for EPS services and shall store the new GUTI. If no GUTI was included by the MME in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the old GUTI shall be used. If the UE receives a new TAI list in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the UE shall consider the new TAI list as valid and the old TAI list as invalid; otherwise, the UE shall consider the old TAI list as valid.

...

If the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message contained a GUTI, the UE shall return a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message to the MME to acknowledge the received GUTI.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.3.1]

Within a combined tracking area updating procedure the messages TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT and TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE carry information for the tracking area updating and the location area updating.

The combined attach procedure basically follows the normal tracking area updating procedure described in subclause 5.5.3.2.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.3.2]

To initiate a combined tracking area updating procedure the UE sends the message TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST to the network, starts timer T3430 and changes to state EMM-TRACKING-AREA-UPDATING-INITIATED. The value of the EPS update type IE in the message shall indicate "combined TA/LA updating" unless explicitly specified otherwise.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.3.4.1]

Depending on the value of the EPS update result IE received in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, two different cases can be distinguished:

- 1) The EPS update result IE value indicates "combined TA/LA": Tracking and location area updating is successful;

...

A TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message shall be returned to the network if the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message contains a GUTI and/or a mobile identity.

[TS24.301 clause 5.5.3.3.4.2]

The description for normal tracking area update as specified in subclause 5.5.3.2.4 shall be followed. In addition, the following description for location area updating applies.

The TMSI reallocation may be part of the combined tracking area updating procedure. The TMSI allocated is then included in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message together with the location area identification (LAI). In this case the MME shall change to state EMM-COMMON-PROCEDURE-INITIATED and shall start the timer T3450 as described in subclause 5.4.1. The LAI may be included in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message without TMSI.

The UE, receiving a TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, stores the received location area identification, resets the location update attempt counter, sets the update status to U1 UPDATED and enters MM state MM IDLE.

How to handle the old TMSI stored in the UE depends on the mobile identity included in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message.

- If the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message contains an IMSI, the UE is not allocated any TMSI, and shall delete any old TMSI accordingly.
- If the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message contains a TMSI, the UE shall use this TMSI as new temporary identity. The UE shall delete its old TMSI and shall store the new TMSI. In this case, a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message is returned to the network to confirm the received TMSI.
- If neither a TMSI nor an IMSI has been included by the network in the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message, the old TMSI, if any is available, shall be kept.

The network receiving a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message stops timer T3450, changes to state EMM-REGISTERED and considers the new TMSI as valid.

9.2.3.2.1.3 Test description

9.2.3.2.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1, Cell 2 and Cell 4
- Cell 1 belongs to TAI-1, Cell2 belongs to TAI-2 and Cell4 belongs to TAI-4.
- Cell A (UTRA FDD or UTRA TDD or GSM or CDMA2000).

UE:

- The test USIM contains GUTI-1 and a valid TAI-1 for EPS service, and EPS update status is "EU1: UPDATED".
- The test USIM contains TMSI-1 and a valid LAI-1 for CS service, and Location update status is " U1: UPDATED".

Preamble:

- The UE is in state switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.2.3.2.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.2-1: Main Behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|--|------------------|-------------------------------|-----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 1 | Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "Serving cell". Set the cell type of cell 2 to the "Suitable neighbour cell". Set the cell type of cell 4 to the "Suitable neighbour cell". | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE is powered up or switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 3 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message with a PDN CONNECTIVITY REQUEST message to request PDN connectivity to the default PDN. | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The SS starts an authentication procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 5 | The UE responds to the authentication procedure. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 6 | The SS starts a NAS security mode command procedure to perform NAS integrity protection. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 7 | The UE responds to the NAS security mode command procedure. | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | - | - |
| 8 | The SS transmits ATTACH ACCEPT message including a ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message. EPS Attach result = "combined EPS/IMSI attach" | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 9 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message including an ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| 10 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 11 | Set the cell type of cell 1 to the "non-Suitable cell". Set the cell type of cell 2 to the "Serving cell" | - | - | - | - |
| 12 | Check: Does the UE transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message in the next 30seconds? | - | - | 1 | F |
| 13 | Check: Does the test results of CALL generic procedure [18] indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state on cell 2 with PagingUE-Identity = S-TMSI1? | - | - | 1 | - |
| | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 4. | - | - | - | - |
| 14 | Set the cell type of cell 2 to the " non-Suitable cell ". Set the cell type of cell 4 to the " Serving cell" | - | - | - | - |
| 15 | Check: Does the UE transmit a combined TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message as specified? | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST | 2 | P |
| 16 | The SS sends TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message. Note: GUTI present and MS identity not present | <-- | TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT | - | - |
| 17 | Check: Does the UE transmit a TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message. | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE | 2,3 | P |
| 18 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 19 | Check: Does the test results of CALL generic procedure [18] indicate that the UE is in E-UTRA EMM-REGISTERED state on cell 4 with PagingUE-Identity = S-TMSI2? | - | - | 2 | - |
| | The following messages are sent and shall be received on cell 1. | - | - | - | - |
| 20 | Set the cell type of cell 4 to the " non-Suitable cell ". Set the cell type of cell 1 to the " Serving cell" | - | - | - | - |
| 21 | Check: Does the UE transmit a combined | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE | 2 | P |

| | | | | | |
|----|--|-----|-------------------------------|-----|---|
| | TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message? | | REQUEST | | |
| 22 | The SS sends TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message. Note: GUTI not present and MS identity present | <-- | TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT | - | - |
| 23 | Check: Does the UE send TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE message. | --> | TRACKING AREA UPDATE COMPLETE | 2,3 | P |
| 24 | The SS releases the RRC connection. | - | - | - | - |
| 25 | The SS pages the UE with S-TMSI2 associated with GUTI-2 (or TMSI-3) for non-EPS service. | - | - | - | - |
| 26 | Check: Does the UE initiates a connection on cell A? (FFS) | - | - | 2 | P |

Editor's note: The definitions for "Non-Suitable cell", "Suitable neighbour cell" and "Serving cell" are FFS and should be specified in TS36.508.

Note 1: It is assumed in the test procedure sequence that the UE initially has a valid GUTI.

Note 2: NAS security procedures are not checked in this TC.

9.2.3.2.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.3-1: Message TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST (step 15, Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-27 | | | |
|--|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| MS network capability | (FFS) | Cf TS 24.008 clause 10.5.5.12 | |
| EPS update type | 001 | "combined TA/LA updating" The combined EPS attach procedure is used by a CS fallback capable UE to attach for both EPS and non-EPS services. | |
| Spare half octet | 0000 | | |
| Old GUTI | GUTI-1 | Old GUTI is included by UE if if valid, IMSI otherwise. | |
| NAS key set identifier _{ASME} | FFS | | |
| NAS key set identifier _{SGSN} | FFS | | |
| Last visited registered TAI | TAI-2 | If available, the last TAI is included by UE and will be used to establish a good list of TAIs in subsequent ATTACH ACCEPT message. | |
| EPS bearer context status | Not checked | | |
| Old P-TMSI signature | Not present | | |
| Nonce _{UE} | FFS | | |
| Old LAI (FFS) | LAI-1 | | |
| TMSI status (FFS) | 1 | "valid TMSI available" | |

Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.3-2: Message TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT (step 16, Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-24 | | | |
|--|---|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS update result | 001 | "combined TA/LA" | |
| Spare half octet | 0000 | | |
| T3412 value | Not present | | |
| GUTI | GUTI-2 | This IE may be included to assign a new GUTI | |
| TAI list | | | |
| Length of tracking area identity list contents | 00001000 | 8 octets | |
| Number of elements | 000001 | 1 element | |
| Type of list | 000 | One PLMN with non-consecutive TACs | |
| Partial tracking area identity list | PLMN = PLMN1 TAC 1 = TAC-4 | TAI-4 | |
| EPS bearer context status | Same value as in TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message | | |
| ISR indication | FFS | | |
| LAI | LAI-2 | | |
| MS identity | Not Present | SS doesn't provide TMSI | |
| T3402 value | Not present | | |
| Equivalent PLMNs | Not present | | |
| EMM cause (FFS) | Not present | | |

Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.3-3: Message TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST (step 21, Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-27 | | | |
|--|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| MS network capability | (FFS) | Cf TS 24.008 clause 10.5.5.12 | |
| EPS update type | 001 | "combined TA/LA updating" The combined EPS attach procedure is used by a CS fallback capable UE to attach for both EPS and non-EPS services. | |
| Spare half octet | 0000 | | |
| Old GUTI | GUTI-2 | Old GUTI is included by UE if if valid, IMSI otherwise. | |
| NAS key set identifierASME | FFS | | |
| NAS key set identifierSGSN | FFS | | |
| Last visited registered TAI | TAI-4 | If available, the last TAI is included by UE and will be used to establish a good list of TAIs in subsequent ATTACH ACCEPT message. | |
| EPS bearer context status | Not checked | | |
| Old P-TMSI signature | Not present | | |
| NonceUE | FFS | | |
| Old LAI (FFS) | LAI-2 | | |
| TMSI status (FFS) | 1 | "valid TMSI available" | |

Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.3-4: Message TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT (step 22, Table 9.2.3.2.1.3.2-1)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-24 | | | |
|--|---|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| EPS update result | 001 | "combined TA/LA" | |
| Spare half octet | 0000 | | |
| T3412 value | Not present | | |
| GUTI | Not present | The SS doesn't assign a new GUTI | |
| TAI list | | | |
| Length of tracking area identity list contents | 00001000 | 8 octets | |
| Number of elements | 000001 | 1 element | |
| Type of list | 000 | One PLMN with non-consecutive TACs | |
| Partial tracking area identity list | PLMN = PLMN1 TAC 1 = TAC-1 | TAI-1 | |
| EPS bearer context status | Same value as in TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message | | |
| ISR indication | FFS | | |
| LAI | Not present | | |
| MS identity | TMSI-3 | SS provides a new TMSI | |
| T3402 value | Not present | | |
| Equivalent PLMNs | Not present | | |
| EMM cause (FFS) | Not present | | |

9.3 EMM connection management procedures (S1 mode only)

9.3.1 Service Request Procedure

9.3.1.1 Service Request initiated by UE for user data

9.3.1.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state and EMM-IDLE mode }
ensure that {
  when { UE has user data pending }
  then { UE sends a SERVICE REQUEST message and enters EMM-REGISTERED state and EMM-CONNECTED mode }
}

```

9.3.1.1.2 Conformance requirements

The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clause 5.1.2, 5.6.1.1, 5.6.1.2 and 5.6.1.3.

[TS 24.301 clause 5.1.2]

The service request procedure can only be initiated if no UE initiated EMM specific procedure is ongoing.

[TS 24.301 clause 5.6.1.1]

The purpose of the service request procedure is to transfer the EMM mode from EMM-IDLE to EMM-CONNECTED mode and establish the radio and S1 bearers when uplink user data is to be sent.

...

This procedure is used when:

...

- the UE or the network has user data pending and the UE is in EMM-IDLE mode;

....

The UE shall invoke the service request procedure when:

....

- b) the UE, in EMM-IDLE or EMM-CONNECTED mode, has pending user data to be sent and no radio bearer is established.

[TS 24.301 clause 5.6.1.2]

The UE initiates the service request procedure by sending a SERVICE REQUEST message to the MME, starts the timer T3417, and enters the state EMM-SERVICE-REQUEST-INITIATED and EMM-CONNECTED mode.

[TS 24.301 clause 5.6.1.3]

The UE shall treat the indication from the lower layers that the user plane radio bearer is set up as successful completion of the procedure.

Upon successful completion of the procedure, the UE shall stop the timer T3417 and enter the state EMM-REGISTERED.

9.3.1.1.3 Test description

9.3.1.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

- USIM inserted/present, K, CK, IK stored.

Editor's note: is there any different with other test cases on this aspect?

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle Mode according to [18].

9.3.1.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.3.1.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--|--|------------------|-----------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | Force the UE to initiate transmission of uplink data, (Note 1) | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does the UE transmit a SERVICE REQUEST message? | --> | SERVICE REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 3 | The SS performs a radio bearer establishment procedure. (Note 2) | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Check: Does the UE establish an RRC connection? (Note 2) | - | - | 1 | P |
| Note 1: This could be done by e.g. MMI or by AT command. Note 2: After a correct SERVICE MESSAGE is received then the SS performs the Radio Bearer Establishment procedure. The UE transmission of the RRCConnectionReconfigurationComplete message indicates the completion of the radio bearer establishment procedure and that the UE has changed EMM mode from EMM-IDLE to EMM-CONNECTED. | | | | | |

9.3.1.1.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS

9.3.1.2 Service Request initiated by UE for uplink signalling

9.3.1.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { UE in EMM-REGISTERED state and EMM-IDLE mode }
ensure that {
  when { UE has uplink signalling pending }
  then { UE sends a SERVICE REQUEST message and enters EMM-REGISTERED state and EMM-CONNECTED mode }
}

```

9.3.1.2.2 Conformance requirements

The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: 3GPP TS 24.301 clause 5.6.1.1, 5.6.1.2 and 5.6.1.3.

[TS 24.301 clause 5.6.1.1]

...

The UE shall invoke the service request procedure when:

...

- c) the UE, in EMM-IDLE mode, has uplink signalling pending.

...

[TS 24.301 clause 5.6.1.2]

The UE initiates the service request procedure by sending a SERVICE REQUEST message to the MME, starts the timer T3417, and enters the state EMM-SERVICE-REQUEST-INITIATED.

...

[TS 24.301 clause 5.6.1.3]

The UE shall treat the indication from the lower layers that the user plane radio bearer is set up as successful completion of the procedure.

Upon successful completion of the procedure, the UE shall stop the timer T3417 and enter the state EMM-REGISTERED.

9.3.1.2.3 Test description

9.3.1.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Registered, Idle Mode (State 2) according to [18].

9.3.1.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.3.1.2.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|--|--|------------------|---|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The operator initiates the activation of a new EPS bearer context based on the default PDN, in order to initiate transmission of uplink signalling (Note 1). | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | Check: Does UE transmit a SERVICE REQUEST message? | --> | SERVICE REQUEST | 1 | P |
| 3 | The UE transmits a BEARER RESOURCE ALLOCATION REQUEST message. | --> | BEARER RESOURCE ALLOCATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The SS transmits a ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message activating a new EPS bearer context. This message is included in a <i>RRConnectionReconfiguration</i> message to setup the new radio bearer associated with the dedicated EPS bearer context activated by the NAS message. | <-- | ACTIVATE DEDICATED EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST | - | - |
| 5 | Check: Does UE transmit a <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message? (Note 2) | - | - | 1 | P |
| 6 | The UE transmits an ACTIVATE DEDICATE EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT message. | --> | ACTIVATE DEDICATE EPS BEARER CONTEXT ACCEPT | - | - |
| Note 1: This can be done using MMI or an AT command (FFS). Note 2: After a correct SERVICE REQUEST message is received then the SS performs the Radio Bearer Establishment procedure. The UE transmission of the <i>RRConnectionReconfigurationComplete</i> message indicates the completion of the radio bearer establishment procedure and that the UE has changed EMM mode from EMM-IDLE to EMM-CONNECTED. | | | | | |

9.3.1.2.3.3 Specific message contents

FFS.

9.4 NAS Security

9.4.1 Integrity protection: Correct functionality of EPS NAS integrity algorithm (SNOW3G)

9.4.1.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```
with { succesful completion of EPS authentication and key agreement (AKA) procedure }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a an integrity protected SECURITY MODE COMMAND message instructing to start
integrity protection using algorithm SNOW3G }
  then { UE transmits an integrity protected SECURITY MODE COMPLETE using SNOW3G and starts
applying the NAS Integrity protection in both UL and DL }
```

(2)

```
with { Integrity protection succesfull started by executing Security Mode Procedure}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives an IDENTITY REQUEST message without integrity protected }
  then { UE foes not transmit an IDENTITY RESPONSE message }
}
```

9.4.1.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301 clause 4.4.3.1, 4.4.3.2, 5.4.3.1, 5.4.3.2 and 5.4.3.3.

[TS 24.301, clause 4.4.3.1]

Integrity protected signalling is mandatory for the NAS messages once a valid NAS security context exists and the NAS security mode control procedure has been successfully completed in the network and the UE. Integrity protection of all NAS signalling messages is the responsibility of the NAS layer. It is the network which activates integrity protection.

[TS 24.301, clause 4.4.3.2]

Once integrity protection is activated, the receiving EMM or ESM entity in the UE shall not process any NAS signalling messages unless they have been successfully integrity checked by the NAS layer. If NAS signalling messages, having not successfully passed the integrity check, are received, then the NAS layer in the UE shall discard that message. If any NAS signalling message is received, as not integrity protected even though the integrity protection has been activated in the UE by the network, then the NAS layer shall discard this message.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.1]

The purpose of the NAS security mode command (SMC) procedure is to take the new key set into use, initialise and start NAS signalling security between the UE and the MME, which performs integrity and replay protection as well as enciphering and deciphering of NAS signalling messages.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether the SMC procedure can be combined or concatenated with the attach and tracking area update procedures for optimisation purposes.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.2]

The MME initiates the NAS security mode setup command procedure by sending a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to the UE and starting timer T3460.

The MME shall integrity protect the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message with the NAS integrity key based on K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} indicated in the message.

...

The MME shall include the replayed security capabilities of the UE (including the security capabilities with regard to NAS, RRC and UP (user plane) ciphering as well as NAS, RRC integrity, and other possible target network security capabilities, i.e. UTRAN/GERAN if UE included them in the message to network), the replayed NONCEUE if the UE

included it in the message to the network, the selected NAS ciphering and integrity algorithms and the Key Set Identifier (KSI_{ASME} or KSI_{SGSN}).

Additionally, the MME may request the UE to include its IMEISV in the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message.

NOTE: The AS and NAS security capabilities will be the same, i.e. if the UE supports one algorithm for NAS it is also supported for AS.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.3]

Upon receipt of the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message, the UE shall check whether the security mode command can be accepted or not. This is done by performing the integrity check of the message and by checking that the received UE security capabilities and the received UE nonce have not been altered compared to what the UE provided in the initial layer 3 message that triggered this procedure.

If the security mode command can be accepted and the KSI_{ASME} was included in the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message, the UE shall send a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message integrity protected with the selected NAS integrity algorithm and the NAS integrity key based on the K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} . If the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message includes KSI_{SGSN} , MME nonce and UE nonce, the UE shall generate K'_{ASME} from both nonces as indicated in 3GPP TS 33.401 [11] to check whether the SECURITY MODE COMMAND can be accepted or not. If the MME selected a NAS ciphering algorithm different from the "null ciphering algorithm", the UE shall cipher the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message with the selected NAS ciphering algorithm and the NAS ciphering key based on the K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} or fresh K'_{ASME} .

From now on the UE shall cipher and integrity protect all NAS signalling messages with the selected NAS ciphering and NAS integrity algorithms.

If the MME indicated in the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message that the IMEISV is requested, the UE shall include its IMEISV in the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message.

9.4.1.3 Test description

9.4.1.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.4.1.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.4.1.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a NAS SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. Snow3G is algorithm for integrity protection. It is integrity protected. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a NAS SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message and establish the initial security configuration? | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 7 | The SS transmits with an ATTACH ACCEPT message | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| 9 | The SS Transmits an IDENTITY REQUEST message [Integrity protected] | <- | IDENTITY REQUEST | - | - |
| 10 | Check: does the UE transmit an IDENTITY RESPONSE message [Integrity Protected]? | -> | IDENTITY RESPONSE | 1 | P |
| 11 | The SS Transmits an IDENTITY REQUEST message [not Integrity protected] | <- | IDENTITY REQUEST | - | - |
| 12 | Check: does the UE transmits an IDENTITY RESPONSE message within the next 5 seconds? | -> | IDENTITY RESPONSE | 2 | F |

Editor's note: The "establishment of initial security configuration" is not described by any action neither in the TP, nor in the conformance requirements. If these statements are purely explanatory, they should be indicated as notes or removed.

Editor's note: Does "[Security protected]" mean that it is FFS if the message is security protected, or shall it be security protected?

9.4.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.4.1.3.3-1: SECURITY MODE COMMAND (Step 5)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-19 | | | |
|--|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Selected NAS security algorithms | | | |
| - Type of integrity protection algorithm | 001 | EPS integrity algorithm 128-EIA1[SNOW3G] | |

9.4.2 Integrity protection: Correct functionality of EPS NAS integrity algorithm (AES)

9.4.2.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

with { succesful completion of EPS authentication and key agreement (AKA) procedure }


```

ensure that {
  when { UE receives an integrity protected SECURITY MODE COMMAND message, to start integrity
  protection using algorithm AES }
  then { UE sends SECURITY MODE COMPLETE, integrity protected with AES and starts applying the NAS
  Integrity protection in both UL and DL}

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(2)

```

with { Integrity protection succesfull started by executing Security Mode Procedure}
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a IDENTITY REQUEST message (requested identification parameter is not IMSI),
  without integrity protected }
  then { UE Does not transmit IDENTITY Response}
}

```

9.4.2.2 Conformance requirements

Same Conformance requirements as in clause 9.4.1.2

9.4.2.3 Test description

9.4.2.3.1 Pre-test conditions

Same Pre-test conditions as in clause 9.4.1.3.1

9.4.2.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Same Test procedure sequence as in table 9.4.1.3.2.1, except the integrity protection algorithm is AES.

9.4.2.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.4.2.3.3-1: SECURITY MODE COMMAND (Step 6)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-19 | | | |
|--|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Selected NAS security algorithms - Type of integrity protection algorithm | 010 | EPS integrity algorithm 128-EIA2 (AES) | |

9.4.3 Ciphering and Deciphering: Correct functionality of EPS NAS encryption algorithm (SNOW3G)

9.4.3.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { succesful completion of EPS authentication and key agreement (AKA) procedure }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a SECURITY MODE COMMAND instructing to start ciphering using algorithm SNOW3G }
  then { UE sends a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message ciphered with SNOW3G and starts applying the
  NAS ciphering in both UL and DL}
}

```

9.4.3.2 Conformance requirements

References: The conformance requirements covered in the current TC are specified in: TS 24.301 clause 5.4.3.1, 5.4.3.2 and 5.4.3.3.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.1]

The purpose of the NAS security mode command (SMC) procedure is to take the new key set into use, initialise and start NAS signalling security between the UE and the MME, which performs integrity and replay protection as well as enciphering and deciphering of NAS signalling messages.

Editor's note: It is FFS whether the SMC procedure can be combined or concatenated with the attach and tracking area update procedures for optimisation purposes.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.1]

The MME initiates the NAS security mode setup command procedure by sending a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to the UE and starting timer T3460.

The MME shall integrity protect the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message with the NAS integrity key based on K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} indicated in the message.

...

The MME shall include the replayed security capabilities of the UE (including the security capabilities with regard to NAS, RRC and UP (user plane) ciphering as well as NAS, RRC integrity, and other possible target network security capabilities, i.e. UTRAN/GERAN if UE included them in the message to network), the replayed NONCEUE if the UE included it in the message to the network, the selected NAS ciphering and integrity algorithms and the Key Set Identifier (KSI_{ASME} or KSI_{SGSN}).

Additionally, the MME may request the UE to include its IMEISV in the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message.

NOTE: The AS and NAS security capabilities will be the same, i.e. if the UE supports one algorithm for NAS it is also be supported for AS.

[TS 24.301, clause 5.4.3.3]

Upon receipt of the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message, the UE shall check whether the security mode command can be accepted or not. This is done by performing the integrity check of the message and by checking that the received UE security capabilities and the received UE nonce have not been altered compared to what the UE provided in the initial layer 3 message that triggered this procedure.

If the security mode command can be accepted and the KSI_{ASME} was included in the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message, the UE shall send a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message integrity protected with the selected NAS integrity algorithm and the NAS integrity key based on the K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} . If the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message includes KSI_{SGSN} , MME nonce and UE nonce, the UE shall generate K'_{ASME} from both nonces as indicated in 3GPP TS 33.401 [11] to check whether the SECURITY MODE COMMAND can be accepted or not. If the MME selected a NAS ciphering algorithm different from the "null ciphering algorithm", the UE shall cipher the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message with the selected NAS ciphering algorithm and the NAS ciphering key based on the K_{ASME} indicated by the KSI_{ASME} or fresh K'_{ASME} .

From now on the UE shall cipher and integrity protect all NAS signalling messages with the selected NAS ciphering and NAS integrity algorithms.

If the MME indicated in the SECURITY MODE COMMAND message that the IMEISV is requested, the UE shall include its IMEISV in the SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message.

9.4.3.3 Test description

9.4.3.3.1 Pre-test conditions

System Simulator:

- Cell 1

UE:

None.

Preamble:

- The UE is in state Switched OFF (state 1) according to [18].

9.4.3.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Table 9.4.3.3.2-1: Main behaviour

| St | Procedure | Message Sequence | | TP | Verdict |
|----|---|------------------|-------------------------|----|---------|
| | | U - S | Message | | |
| 1 | The UE is switched on. | - | - | - | - |
| 2 | The UE transmits an ATTACH REQUEST message | --> | ATTACH REQUEST | - | - |
| 3 | The SS transmits an AUTHENTICATION REQUEST message to initiate the EPS authentication and AKA procedure. | <-- | AUTHENTICATION REQUEST | - | - |
| 4 | The UE transmits an AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE message and establishes mutual authentication. | --> | AUTHENTICATION RESPONSE | - | - |
| 5 | The SS transmits a SECURITY MODE COMMAND message to activate NAS security. Snow3G is ciphering algorithm. | <-- | SECURITY MODE COMMAND | - | - |
| 6 | Check: does the UE transmit a SECURITY MODE COMPLETE message ciphered with SNOW3G and establish the initial security configuration? | --> | SECURITY MODE COMPLETE | 1 | P |
| 7 | The SS transmits with an ATTACH ACCEPT message | <-- | ATTACH ACCEPT | - | - |
| 8 | The UE transmits an ATTACH COMPLETE message | --> | ATTACH COMPLETE | - | - |
| 9 | The SS Transmits an IDENTITY REQUEST message [Ciphered] | <-- | IDENTITY REQUEST | - | - |
| 10 | Check: does the UE transmit an IDENTITY RESPONSE message [Ciphered]? | --> | IDENTITY RESPONSE | 1 | P |

Editor's note: The "establishment of initial security configuration" is not described by any action neither in the TP, nor in the conformance requirements. If these statements are purely explanatory, they should be indicated as notes or removed.

Editor's note: Does "[Ciphered]" mean that it is FFS if the message is ciphered, or shall it be ciphered?

9.4.1.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.4.1.3.3-1: SECURITY MODE COMMAND (Step 5)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-19 | | | |
|--|--------------|--|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Selected NAS security algorithms | | | |
| - Type of ciphering algorithm | 001 | EPS encryption algorithm 128-EEA1 [SNOW3G] | |

9.4.4 Ciphering and Deciphering: Correct functionality of EPS NAS encryption algorithm (AES)

9.4.4.1 Test Purpose (TP)

(1)

```

with { succesful completion of EPS authentication and key agreement (AKA) procedure }
ensure that {
  when { UE receives a SECURITY MODE COMMAND, to start encryption using algorithm AES}
  then { UE sends SECURITY MODE COMPLETE, encrypted with AES and starts applying the NAS
encryption in both UL and DL }
}

```

9.4.4.2 Conformance requirements

Same Conformance requirements as in clause 9.4.3.2

9.4.4.3 Test description

9.4.4.3.1 Pre-test conditions

Same Pre-test conditions as in clause 9.4.3.3.1

9.4.4.3.2 Test procedure sequence

Same Test procedure sequence as in Table 9.4.3.3.2-1, except the integrity ciphering algorithm is AES.

9.4.4.3.3 Specific message contents

Table 9.4.1.3.3-1: SECURITY MODE COMMAND (Step 6)

| Derivation path: 36.508 table 4.7.2-19 | | | |
|---|--------------|---|-----------|
| Information Element | Value/Remark | Comment | Condition |
| Selected NAS security algorithms - Type of ciphering algorithm | 002 | EPS encryption algorithm 128-EEA2 (AES) | |

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