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New section to add to the OFDMA MAC section:

6.2.7.10.1.3 OFDMA data mapping

MAC data shall be mapped to an OFDMA **Region** (see 6.2.7.10.1.2) using the following algorithm:
1. Segment the data into blocks sized to fit into one FEC block.
2. Each FEC block spans one OFDMA sub-channel in the sub-cannel axis and three OFDMA symbols in the time axis (see figure 153). Map the FEC blocks such that the lowest numbered FEC block occupies the lowest numbered sub-channel in the lowest numbered OFDMA symbol.
3. Continue the mapping such that the OFDMA sub-channel index is increased for each FEC block mapped. When the edge of the **Region** is reached, continue the mapping from the lowest numbered OFDMA sub-channel in the next OFDMA symbol.

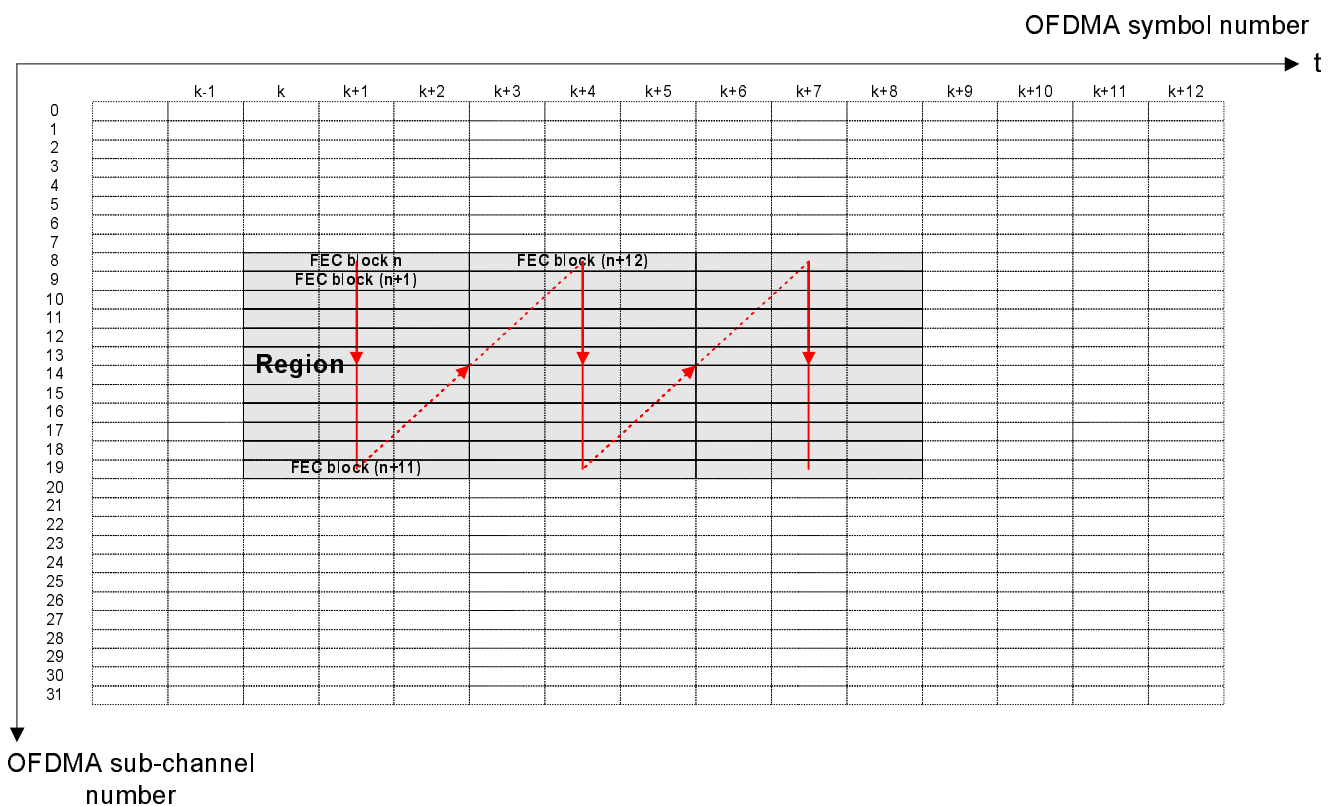Figure 2 below illustrates the order in which FEC blocks are mapped to OFDMA sub-channels and OFDMA symbols.

Figure 1: OFDMA data mapping

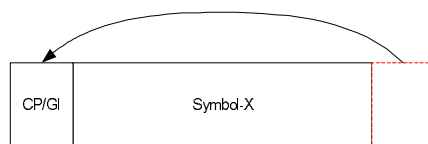Figures to add to the PHY section:
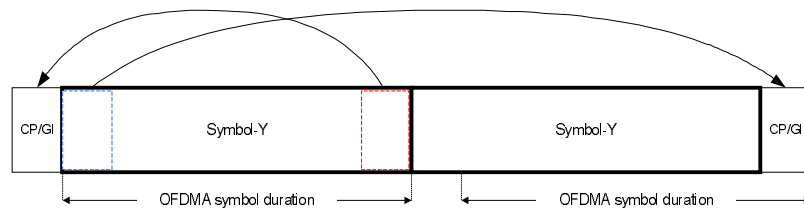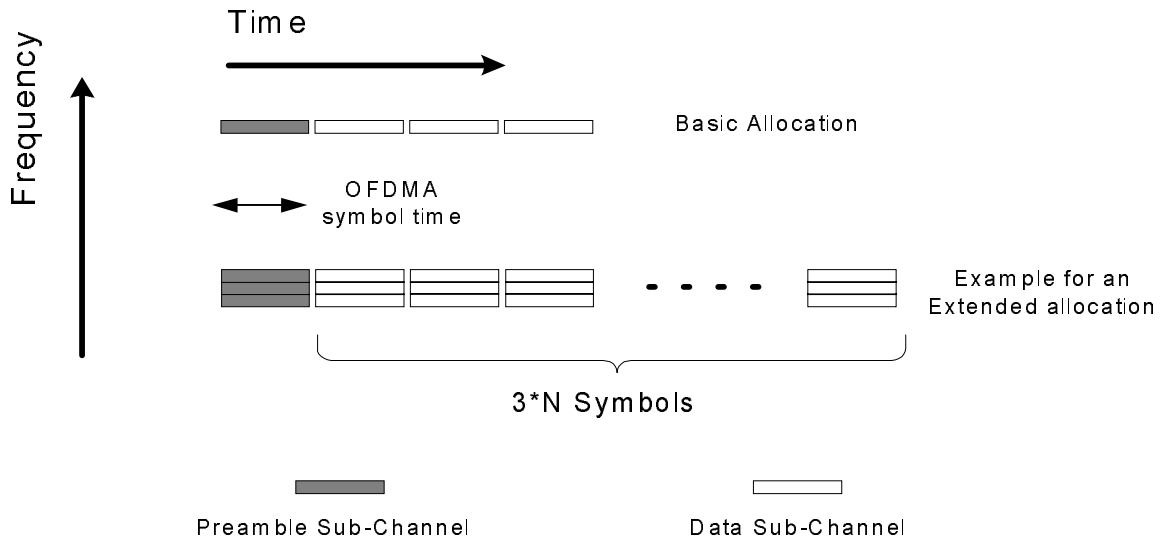
Figure 2: Data/Short ranging symbol format

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Figure 3: Long ranging symbol format

Figure 4: UL bandwidth allocation