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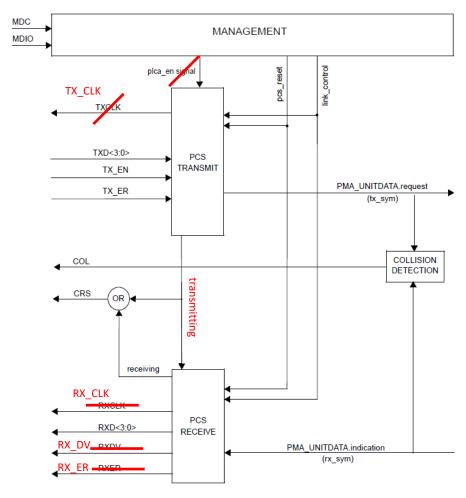


Figure 147-2—PCS reference diagram

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Collision detection shall be disabled when operating in full-duplex mode

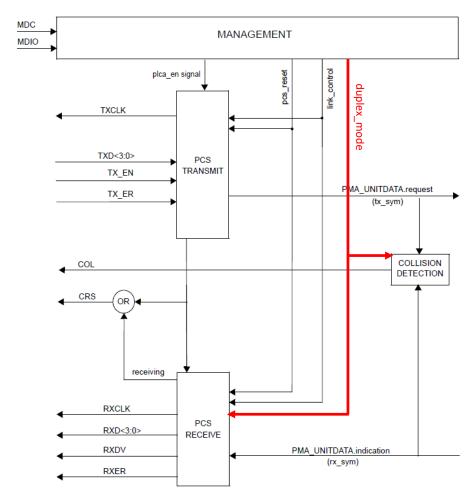
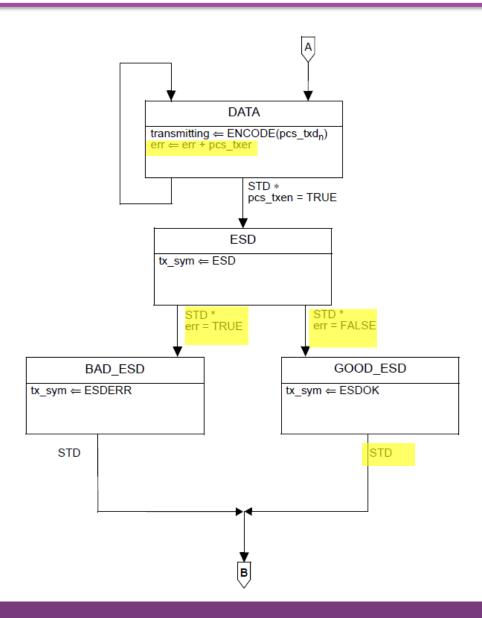


Figure 147–2—PCS reference diagram



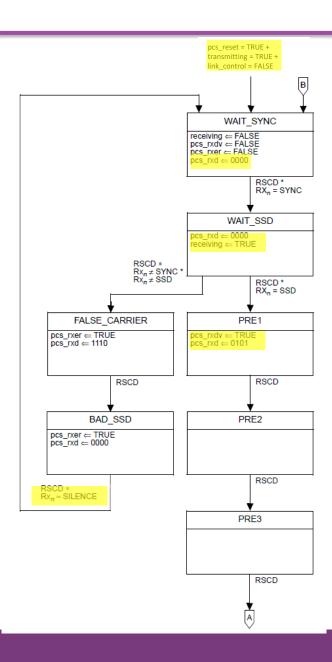
 In order to support full-duplex mode, the PCS RX block should be configured accordingly

147.2.3.1 Variables

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duplex_mode

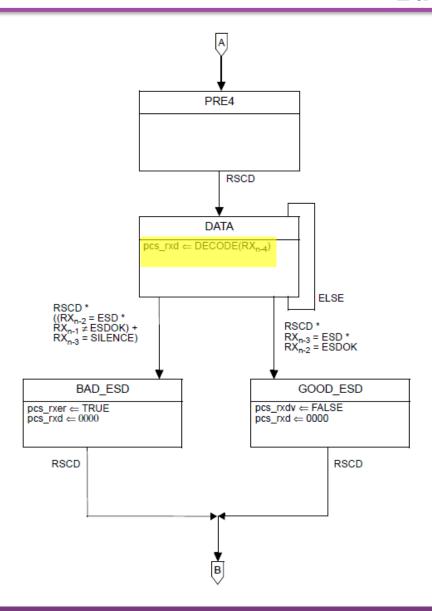
indicates whether the PHY is configured for full-duplex operation (DUPLEX_FULL) or half-duplex operation (DUPLEX_HALF). This ariable is set after bit 8 in MDIO register 0 defined in table 22-7



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pcs_reset = TRUE + (transmitting = TRUE * duplex_mode = DUPLEX_HALF) link control = FALSE WAIT_SYNC receiving ← FALSE pcs_rxdv ← FALSE pcs_rxer ← FALSE $pcs_rxd \leftarrow 0000$ RSCD * RX_n = SYNC WAIT SSD pcs rxd ← 0000 receiving ← TRUE $RSCD * Rx_n \neq SYNC * Rx_n \neq SSD$ RSCD * RX_n = SSD FALSE_CARRIER PRE1 pcs_rxer ← TRUE pcs_rxd ← 1110 $pcs_rxdv \leftarrow TRUE$ pcs_rxd ← 0101 RSCD RSCD BAD_SSD PRE2 pcs_rxer ← TRUE pcs_rxd ← 0000 RSCD RSCD * $Rx_n = SILENCE$ PRE3 RSCD

In order to support full-duplex mode, the PCS RX block should behave accordingly



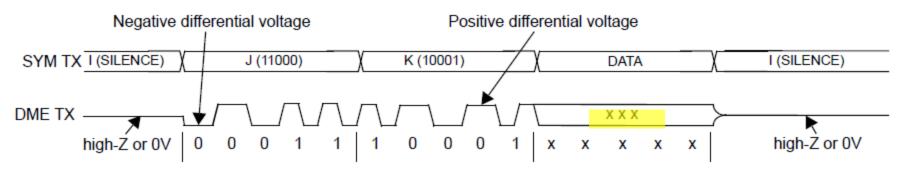
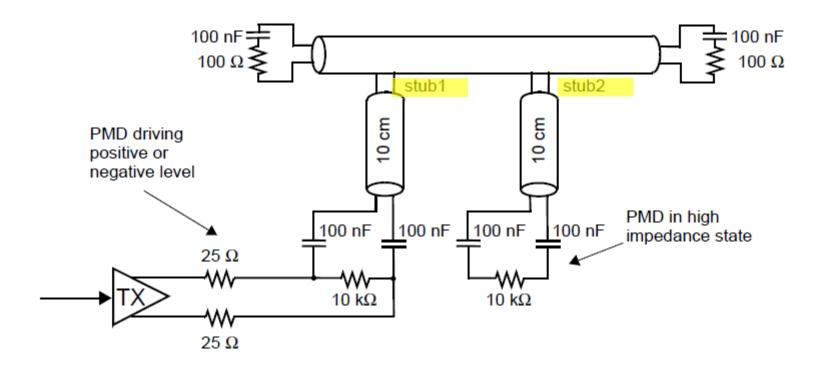


Figure 0-5—Example DME encoding of 5B symbols



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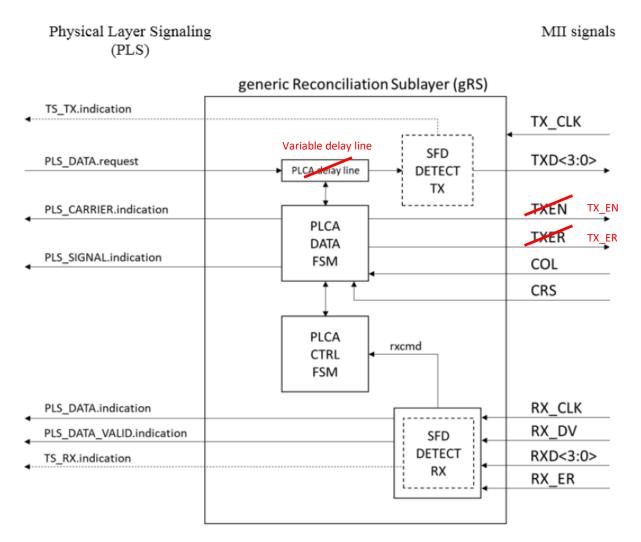


Figure 148–2—PLCA functions within the generic Reconciliation Sublayer (gRS)

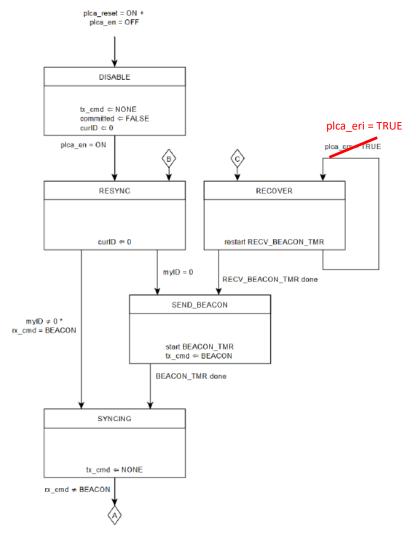
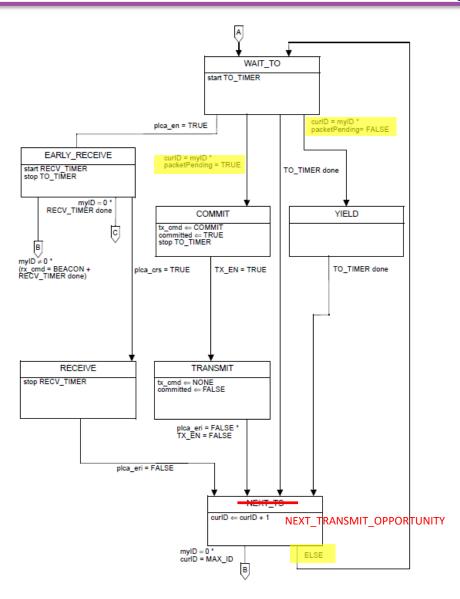


Figure 148-3—PLCA Control state diagram (part 1 of 2)

In figure 148-3, the transition from RECOVER state to RECOVER state should be done whenever some activity is sensed on the media ("plca_eri"), not only when a good receiving is ongoing ("plca_crs"). This to avoid collision when BEACON is sent

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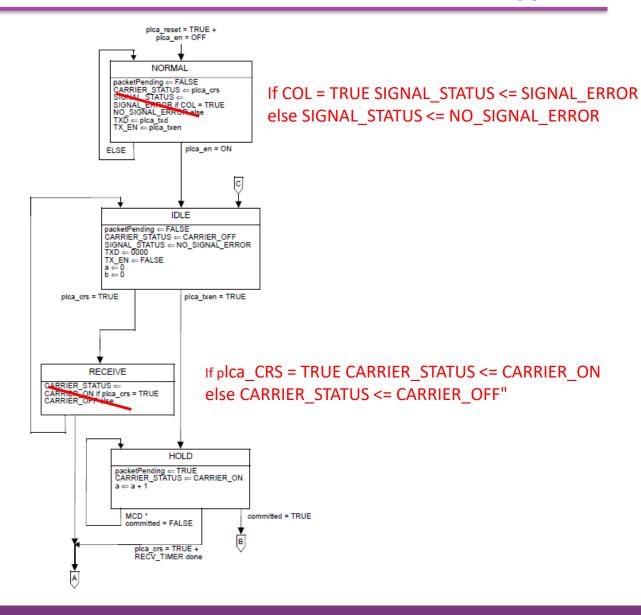
148.4.5.2:

 MAX_ID can be left unconfigured on slave devices, myID shall not depend on it

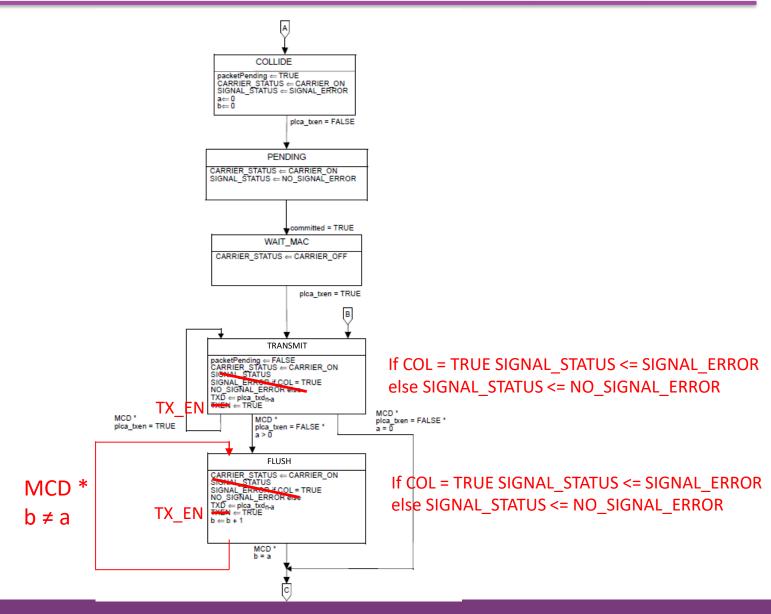
myID

ID representing the PLCA transmit opportunity assigned to the PHY. Generated by the management interface (register TBD). May also be set by the Auto-Negotiation protocol as described in Clause 98. The special value '0' is assigned to the master node, indicating the PHY shall generate BEACON signals.

Values: integer value from 0 (master) to MAX_ID255.



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Thank You!