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# 1 Overview

## 1.1 Scope of this document

These technical requirements form a compatibility standard for mobile broadband wireless access systems. The requirements ensure that a compliant access terminal can obtain service through any access network conforming to this standard, thus providing a framework for the rapid development of cost-effective, interoperable multivendor mobile broadband wireless access systems. This compatibility standard is targeted for use in a wide variety of licensed frequency bands.

This specification includes provisions for future service additions and expansion of system capabilities. The architecture defined by this specification permits such expansion without the loss of backward compatibility to older access terminals.

## 1.2 Requirements language

Compatibility, as used in connection with this standard, is understood to mean: Any access terminal can obtain service through any access network conforming to this standard. Conversely, all access networks conforming to this standard can service access terminals.

“Shall” and “shall not” identify requirements to be followed strictly to conform to the standard and from which no deviation is permitted. “Should” and “should not” indicate that one of several possibilities is recommended as particularly suitable, without mentioning or excluding others, that a certain course of action is preferred but not necessarily required, or that (in the negative form) a certain possibility or course of action is discouraged but not prohibited. “May” and “need not” indicate a course of action permissible within the limits of the standard. “Can” and “cannot” are used for statements of possibility and capability, whether material, physical, or causal.

1.3 Architecture reference model

The architecture reference model is presented in Figure 1-1. The reference model includes the air interface between the access terminal and the access network. The protocols used over the air interface are defined in this document.

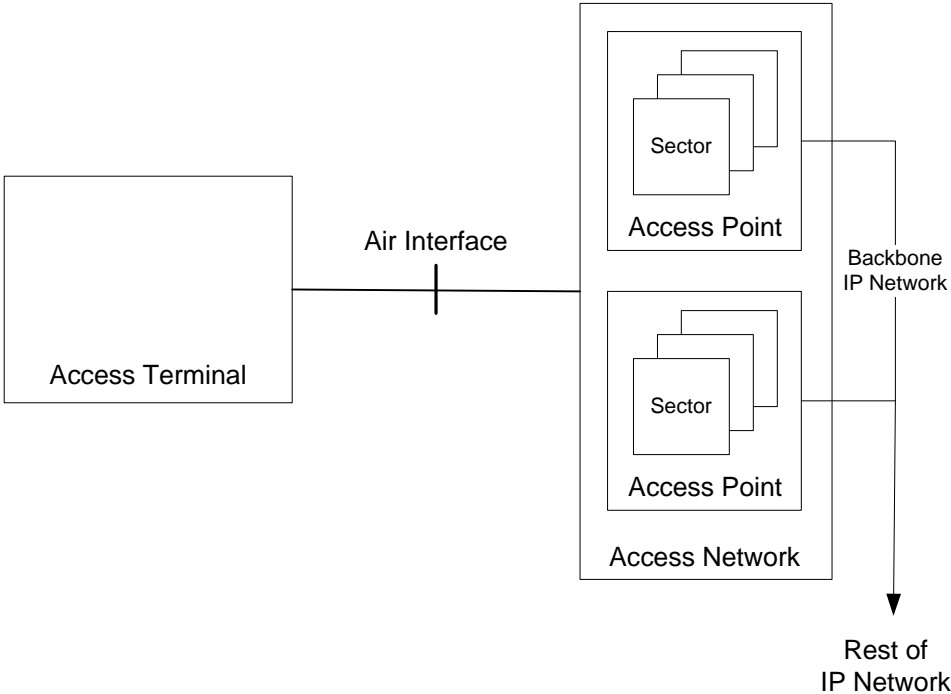


Figure 1-1 Architecture reference model

The functional units of the reference architecture in Figure 1-1 are:

- Access Network (AN)** The network equipment providing Layer 3 connectivity between an IP network (typically the Internet) and the access terminals.
- Access Point (AP)** The device in the access network that communicates over the air interface, via one or more sectors, with the access terminals. Access points coordinate the management of attributes for the air interface.
- Access Terminal (AT)** A device providing data connectivity to a user. An access terminal may be connected to a computing device such as a laptop personal computer or it may be a self-contained data device such as a personal digital assistant.
- Sector** One set of physical layer channels transmitted between the access network and the access terminals within a given frequency assignment. A sector consists of a reverse link channel and a forward link channel.

1.4 Protocol architecture

The air interface is layered, with interfaces defined for each layer (and for each protocol within each layer). This architecture allows future modifications to a layer or to a protocol to be isolated.

1.4.1 Layers

Figure 1-2 describes the layering architecture for the air interface. Each layer consists of one or more protocols that perform the layer’s functionality. Each of these protocols can be individually negotiated.

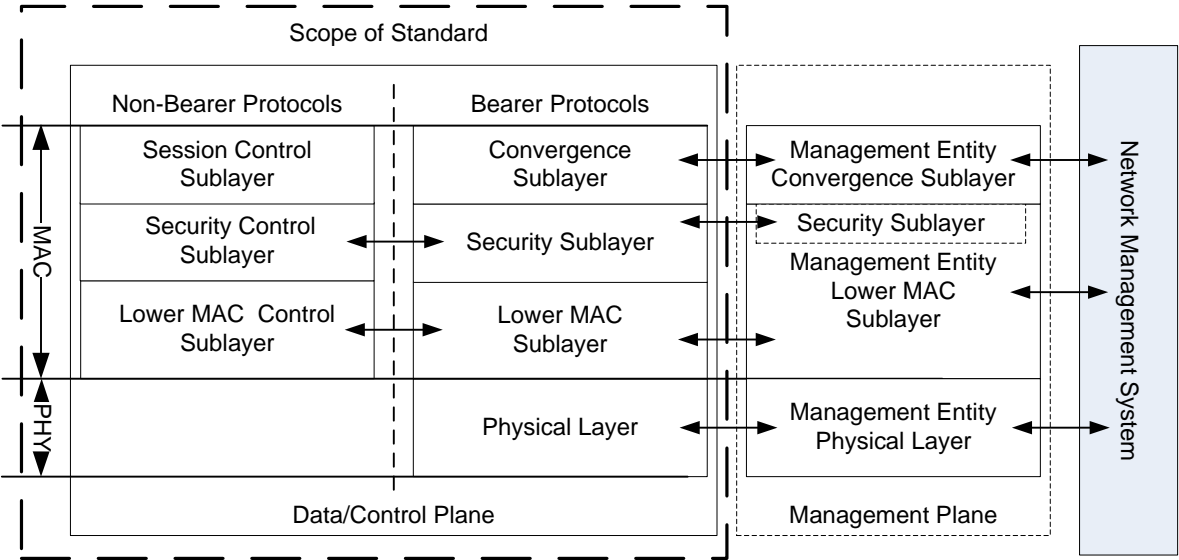


Figure 1-2 Air interface layering architecture

The protocols and layers specified in Figure 1-2 are:

Session Control Sublayer

The Session Control Sublayer provides address management, protocol negotiation, protocol configuration, and state maintenance services. The Session Control Sublayer is a non-bearer layer and, therefore, it does not carry payload on behalf of other layers. The Session Control Sublayer is defined in Chapter 2.

Convergence Sublayer

The Convergence Sublayer provides protocols and transports used to transport messages and data, and provides multiplexing of distinct transports. For example, it provides the Signaling Transport for transporting air interface protocol messages and the Data Transport for transporting user data. The Convergence Sublayer is defined in Chapter 3.

Security Control Sublayer

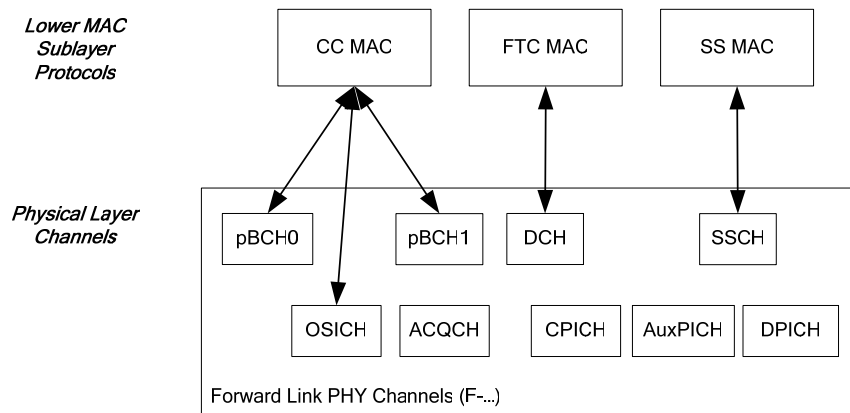
The Security Control Sublayer provides key exchange for use by the Security Sublayer. The Security Control Sublayer is defined in Chapter 4.

1	Security Sublayer	The Security Sublayer provides authentication, and encryption services. The Security Sublayer is defined in Chapter 5.
2		
3	Lower MAC Control Sublayer	The Lower Medium Access Control (MAC) Control Sublayer provides air-link connection establishment and maintenance services. The Lower MAC Control Sublayer is defined in Chapter 6.
4		
5		
6		
7	Lower MAC Sublayer	The Lower MAC Sublayer defines the procedures used to receive and to transmit over the Physical Layer. The Lower MAC Sublayer is defined in Chapter 7.
8		
9		
10	Physical Layer	The Physical Layer provides the channel structure, frequency, power output, modulation, and encoding specifications for the Forward and Reverse Channels. The Physical Layer is defined in Chapter 8.
11		
12		

Each layer may contain one or more protocols or transports. Protocols use signaling messages, in-band messages, blocks, or headers to convey information to their peer protocols at the other side of the air-link. When protocols send messages they use the Signaling Network Protocol (SNP) to transmit these messages. Transports send messages using the Signaling Network Protocol. Blocks are information conveyed to a peer protocol using an encapsulation that is specific to a Physical Layer Channel. For example, the Lower MAC Control Sublayer Overhead Messages Protocol uses the SystemInfo block to carry information to its peer protocol at the access terminal on the forward primary broadcast channel 0 (pBCH0).

## 1.5 Physical layer channels

The hierarchies between the Lower MAC Sublayer Protocols and the Physical Layer Channels for the forward and reverse links are shown in Figure 1-3 and Figure 1-4. The following is a brief description of each Physical Layer Channel. A more complete description is provided in Chapter 9. When the context is clear, the complete qualified name is usually omitted (e.g., Quick Paging Channel as opposed to Forward Quick Paging Channel or Data Channel as opposed to Reverse Data Channel).



**Figure 1-3 Forward channel structure**

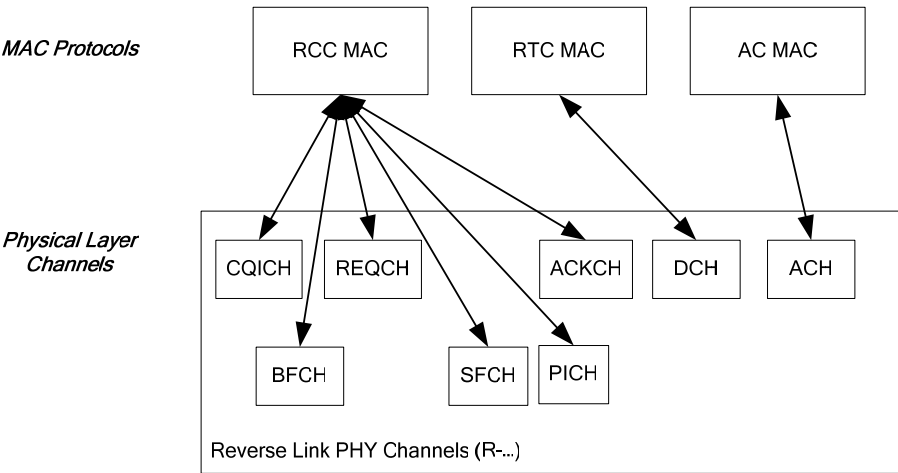


Figure 1-4 Reverse channel structure

1.5.1 Forward physical channels

- Forward Acquisition Channel (F-ACQCH)  
Carries an acquisition pilot for an access terminal to use to acquire the system.
- Forward Auxiliary Pilot Channel (F-AuxPICH)  
Carries auxiliary pilots for channel estimation from multiple transmit antennas. The Forward Primary Broadcast Channel 1 (F-pBCH1) indicates whether the F-AuxPICH is present.
- Forward Common Pilot Channel (F-CPICH)  
Carries the common pilot.
- Forward Data Channel (F-DCH)  
Carries information for a specific access terminal. A Forward Data Channel assignment is assigned to an access terminal by a Forward Shared Signaling Channel (F-SSCH) assignment. Also carries broadcast information including pages and sector specific messages.
- Forward Dedicated Pilot Channel (F-DPICH)  
Carries the dedicated pilot. This channel is present in BlockHopping mode, which is indicated over the Forward Primary Broadcast Channel 0 (F-pBCH0).
- Forward Other Sector Interference Pilot Channel (F-OSICH)  
Carries information about the interference from other sectors to be received by all access terminals.
- Forward Primary Broadcast Channel 0 (F-pBCH0)  
Carries information about the system to be received by all access terminals.

## Forward Primary Broadcast Channel 1 (F-pBCH1)

Carries information about the sector to be received by all access terminals.  
Also carries quick pages.

## Forward Shared Signaling Channel (F-SSCH)

Carries forward and reverse link data channel assignments, access grants, power control commands, and acknowledgement information for Reverse Data Channel (R-DCH) receptions.

### 1.5.2 Reverse physical channels

#### Reverse Access Channel (R-ACH)

Used by access terminals to initiate communication with the access network. The Reverse Access Channel is also used by access terminals to obtain timing corrections.

#### Reverse Acknowledgement Channel (R-ACKCH)

Carries acknowledgement information of a Forward Data Channel (F-DCH) reception.

#### Reverse Beam Feedback Channel (R-BFCH)

Carries information about the beam index and the quality of the forward link channel.

#### Reverse Channel Quality Indicator Channel (R-CQICH)

Carries information about the quality of the forward link channel of a sector as received by an access terminal. The Reverse Channel Quality Indicator Channel also carries information about the desired forward link serving sector.

#### Reverse Data Channel (R-DCH)

Carries information from an access terminal. The Reverse Data Channel is assigned to an access terminal by a Forward Shared Signaling Channel (F-SSCH) assignment.

#### Reverse Pilot Channel (R-PICH)

Carries the pilot.

#### Reverse Request Channel (R-REQCH)

Carries information about the buffer level at different quality of service classes for an access terminal. The Reverse Request Channel also carries information about the desired reverse link serving sector.

#### Reverse Subband Feedback Channel (R-SFCH)

Carries information about the quality of a subband of the forward link channel.



## 1.6 Protocols

### 1.6.1 Interfaces

This standard defines a set of interfaces for communications between protocols in the same entity and between a protocol executing in one entity and the same protocol executing in the other entity.

In the following the generic term “entity” is used to refer to the access terminal and the access network.

Protocols in this specification have four types of interfaces:

Headers, messages, and blocks

Used for communications between a protocol executing in one entity and the same protocol executing in the other entity.

Commands

Used by a protocol to obtain a service from another protocol within the same entity. For example, *AccessChannelMAC.Deactivate* causes the Access Channel MAC Protocol to abort any access attempt currently in progress.

Indications

Used by a protocol to convey information regarding the occurrence of an event to another protocol within the same entity. Any protocol can register to receive these indications. For example, the access terminal Control Channel MAC Protocol returns a “Supervision Failed” indication when it is unable to receive the sector parameters message for a certain amount of time. This notification is then used by the Lower MAC Control Sublayer Air Link Management Protocol to close the connection.

Static Public Data

Used to share information in a controlled way between protocols/transports. Static public data is shared between protocols/transports in the same layer, as well as between protocols/transports in different layers. Static public data is independent of the InUse SessionConfigurationToken and is supported by all subtypes of a protocol. For example the UATI is static public data for the Session Control Sublayer.

Dynamic Public Data

Used to share information in a controlled way between protocols/transports. Dynamic public data is shared between protocols/ transports in the same layer, as well as between protocols/transports in different layers. Dynamic public data is a function of the InUse SessionConfigurationToken and is defined separately for each subtype of a protocol. For example the protocol subtype is always dynamic public data for a protocol.

Commands and indications are written in the form of *Protocol.Command* and *Protocol.Indication*. For example, *AccessChannelMAC.Activate* is a command activating the Access Channel MAC, and *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* is an indication provided by the Lower MAC Control Sublayer Idle State Protocol indicating that the connection is now open. When the context is clear, the *Protocol* part is dropped (e.g., within the Idle State Protocol, *Activate* refers to *IdleState.Activate*).

Commands are always written in the imperative form, since they direct an action. Indications are always written in the past tense since they notify of events that have happened (e.g., *OpenConnection* for a command and *ConnectionOpened* for an indication).

1 Headers, messages, and blocks are binding on all implementations. Commands, indications, and  
2 public data are used as devices to help ensure a clear and precise specification. Access terminals and  
3 access networks can be compliant with this specification while choosing a different implementation  
4 that exhibits identical behavior.

## 5 **1.6.2 States**

6 When protocols exhibit different behavior as a function of the environment (e.g., if a connection is  
7 opened or not, if a session is opened or not, etc.), this behavior is captured in a set of states and events  
8 leading to a transition between states.

9 Unless otherwise specifically mentioned, the state of the access network refers to the state of a  
10 protocol engine in the access network as it applies to a particular access terminal. Since the access  
11 network communicates with multiple access terminals, multiple independent instantiations of a  
12 protocol will exist in the access network, each with its own independent state machine.

13 Unless otherwise specifically shown, the state transitions due to failure are not shown in the figures  
14 for the state transition diagrams.

15 Typical events leading to a transition from one state to another are the receipt of a message, a  
16 command from a higher layer protocol, an indication from a lower layer protocol, or the expiration of  
17 a timer.

18 When a protocol is not functional at a particular time (e.g., the Access Channel MAC protocol at the  
19 access terminal when the access terminal has an open connection), the protocol is placed in a state  
20 called the Inactive state. This state is common for most protocols.

21 Other common state names are Open, indicating that the session or connection (as applicable to the  
22 protocol) is open, and Close, indicating that the session or connection is closed.

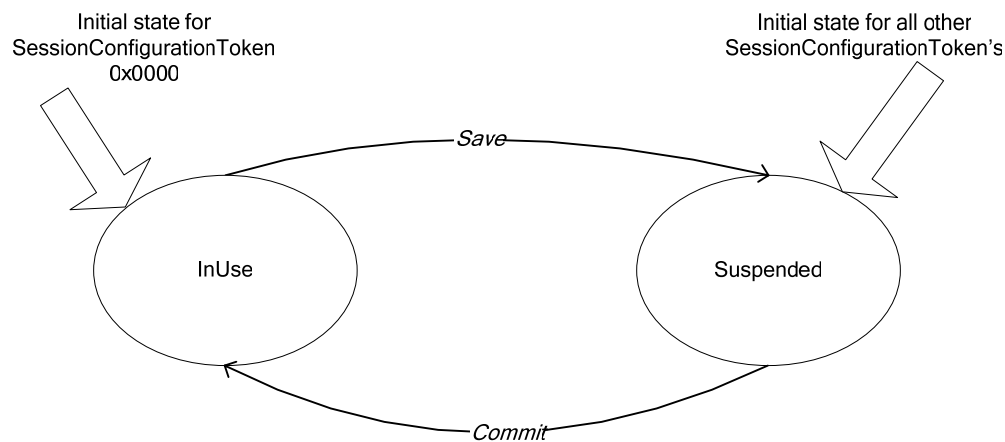
23 If a protocol has a single state other than the Inactive state, that state is usually called the Active state.  
24 If a protocol has more than one state other than the Inactive state, all of these states are considered  
25 active, and are given individual names (e.g., the Address Management Protocol at the access network  
26 has three states: Inactive, Setup, and Open).

## 27 **1.6.3 SessionConfigurationToken**

28 The SessionConfigurationToken is a 16 bit value that defines a complete set of protocol and transport  
29 instances that can be used to communicate between the access terminal and the access network.

30 A SessionConfigurationToken is InUse if the set of protocol and transport instances specified by the  
31 SessionConfigurationToken are currently being used to communicate between the access terminal and  
32 the access network. Otherwise, a SessionConfigurationToken is Suspended. Only one  
33 SessionConfigurationToken shall be InUse at a time.

34 The Session Configuration Protocol executes its save and commit procedures to swap the InUse  
35 SessionConfigurationToken with a Suspended SessionConfigurationToken as shown in Figure 1-5.



**Figure 1-5 SessionConfigurationToken state diagram**

#### 1.6.4 InUse and Suspended protocol/transport instances

A protocol or transport instance is InUse if it is currently being used to communicate between the access terminal and the access network. Otherwise, a protocol or transport instance is Suspended. Only one protocol instance of a protocol type shall be InUse at a time. Each transport maps to a Transport defined in the Packet Consolidation Protocol. Only one transport instance corresponding to a Transport shall be InUse at a time. A protocol or transport instance shall correspond to exactly one SessionConfigurationToken.

The Session Configuration Protocol executes its save and commit procedures to swap the InUse protocol and transport instances associated with the current InUse SessionConfigurationToken with the Suspended protocol and transport instances associated with a Suspended SessionConfigurationToken.

Once the access terminal and access network agree upon using a new SessionConfigurationToken, the InUse protocol or transport instances associated with the current InUse SessionConfigurationToken are saved and the Suspended protocol or transport instances associated with the new SessionConfigurationToken are swapped in.

##### 1.6.4.1 Protocol initialization and swap

The initialization procedures for a protocol/transport instance are invoked upon creation of the protocol/transport instance. A protocol/transport instance shall be created before it can become an InUse or Suspended protocol/transport instance.

The swap procedures for a Suspended protocol/transport instance are invoked when the Session Configuration Protocol performs its commit procedure to change the InUse SessionConfigurationToken.

If the swap procedure for a Suspended protocol/transport instance sets the state of the InUse protocol instance to a particular initial state, the procedures associated with entering the initial state are executed upon entering the initial state.

### 1.6.5 Procedures and messages

Each protocol/transport specifies procedures, blocks, and messages corresponding to the InUse protocol/transport instances.

### 1.6.6 Common commands

Most protocols support the following two commands:

- *Activate*, which commands the protocol to transition from the Inactive state to some other state.
- *Deactivate*, which commands the protocol to transition to the Inactive state. Some protocols do not transition immediately to the Inactive state, due to requirements on orderly cleanup procedures.

Other common commands are *Open* and *Close*, which command protocols to perform session open/close or connection open/close related functions.

### 1.6.7 Attribute negotiation

The Generic Attribute Update Protocol provides a means to update protocol attributes. The protocol uses an AttributeUpdateRequest message, an AttributeUpdateAccept message, and an AttributeUpdateReject message to negotiate a mutually acceptable configuration. Only the protocol attributes of the InUse protocol and transport instances may be configured.

Protocols are associated with a Type that denotes the type of the protocol (e.g., Access Channel MAC Protocol) and with a Subtype that denotes a specific instance of a protocol (e.g., the Default Access Channel MAC Protocol).

1.6.8 Protocol overview

Figure 1-6 presents the protocol and transport types defined for each of the layers shown in Figure 1-2. The following is a brief description of each protocol and transport. A more complete description is provided in the introduction section of each layer.

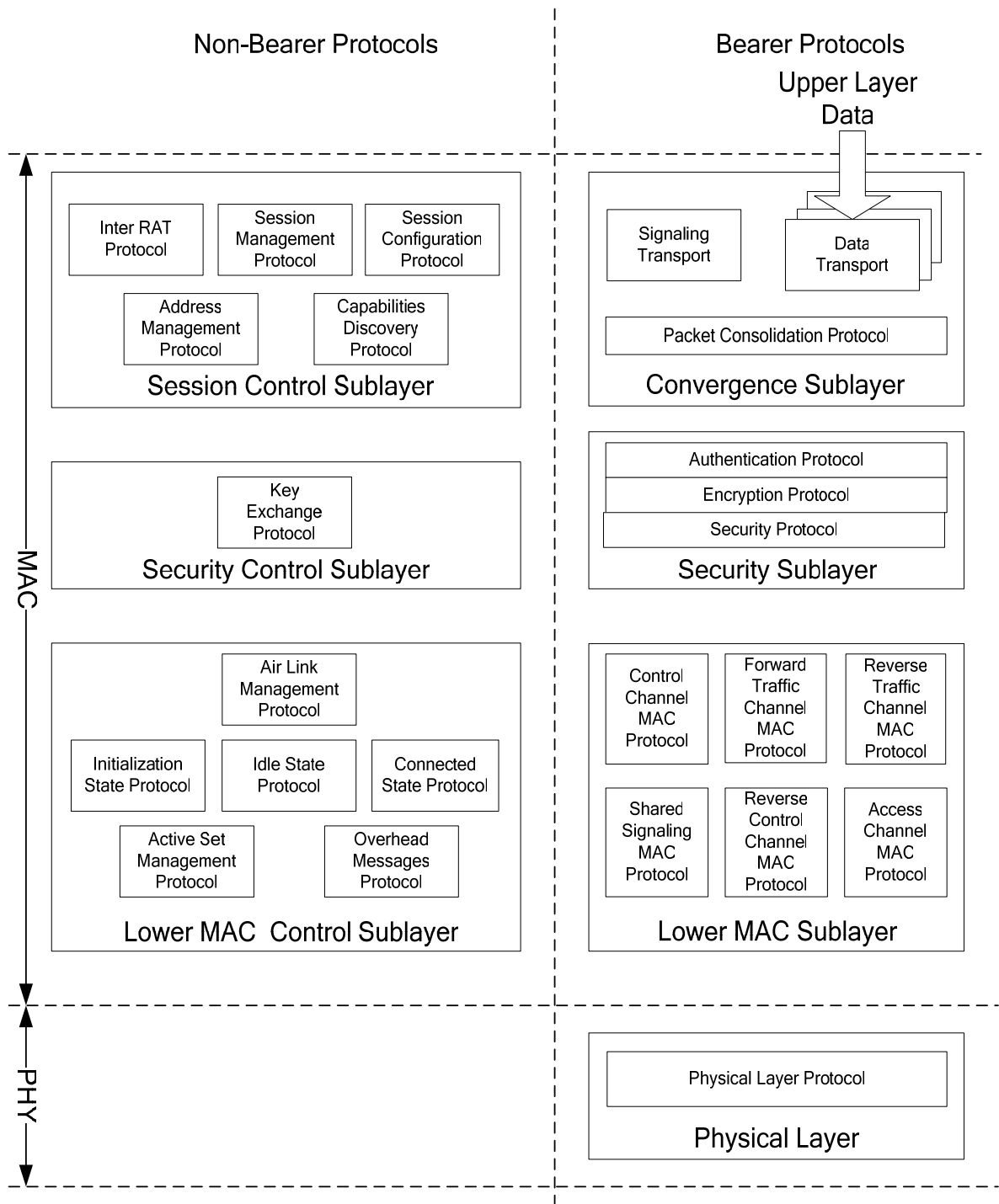


Figure 1-6 Protocol and transport types

- 1       ■ Session Control Sublayer:
  - 2           □ Session Management Protocol: Provides means to control the activation and the
  - 3           deactivation of the Address Management Protocol, Capabilities Discovery Protocol
  - 4           and the Session Configuration Protocol. It also provides a session keep-alive
  - 5           mechanism.
  - 6           □ Address Management Protocol: Provides unicast access terminal identifier (UATI)
  - 7           management.
  - 8           □ Capabilities Discovery Protocol: Provides means for the access network to discover
  - 9           the capabilities of the access terminal.
  - 10          □ Session Configuration Protocol: Provides means for negotiation of the
  - 11          SessionConfigurationToken used in the session.
  - 12          □ Inter RAT Protocol: Provides the means to send messages for other radio access
  - 13          technologies.
- 14       ■ Convergence Sublayer:
  - 15           □ Signaling Transport: Provides message transmission services, including
  - 16           fragmentation mechanisms, along with reliable and best-effort delivery mechanisms
  - 17           for signaling messages.
  - 18           □ Data Transport: Provides two route instances for packets for a higher layer packet
  - 19           flow, as well as retransmission and duplicate detection for the packet flow of each
  - 20           route instance. It also provides procedures to enable and disable the Data Transport
  - 21           data flow.
  - 22           □ Packet Consolidation Protocol: Adds the Packet Consolidation Protocol header to
  - 23           transport packets prior to transmission; and, after reception, removes the Packet
  - 24           Consolidation Protocol header and forwards the transport packets to the correct
  - 25           transport. Provides transmit prioritization and packet encapsulation for the
  - 26           Convergence Sublayer.
- 27       ■ Security Control Sublayer:
  - 28           □ Key Exchange Protocol: Provides the procedures followed by the access network and
  - 29           the access terminal to exchange security keys for authentication and encryption.
- 30       ■ Security Sublayer:
  - 31           □ Authentication Protocol: Provides the procedures followed by the access network and
  - 32           the access terminal for authenticating traffic.
  - 33           □ Encryption Protocol: Provides the procedures followed by the access network and the
  - 34           access terminal for encrypting traffic.
  - 35           □ Security Protocol: Provides procedures for generating a cryptosync based on the
  - 36           information fetched from the Lower MAC Sublayer that can be used by the
  - 37           Authentication Protocol and the Encryption Protocol.
- 38       ■ Lower MAC Control Sublayer:
  - 39           □ Air Link Management Protocol: Provides the overall state machine management that
  - 40           an access terminal and an access network follow during a connection.

- ❑ Initialization State Protocol: Provides the procedures that an access terminal follows to acquire a network and that an access network follows to support network acquisition.
- ❑ Idle State Protocol: Provides the procedures that an access terminal and an access network follow when a connection is not open.
- ❑ Connected State Protocol: Provides the procedures that an access terminal and an access network follow when a connection is open.
- ❑ Active Set Management Protocol: Provides the means to maintain the active set between the access terminal and the access network.
- ❑ Overhead Messages Protocol: Provides broadcast messages and blocks containing information that is mostly used by Lower MAC Control Sublayer protocols.
- Lower MAC Sublayer:
  - ❑ Control Channel MAC Protocol: Provides the procedures followed by the access network to transmit, and by the access terminal to receive, the Control Channels.
  - ❑ Access Channel MAC Protocol: Provides the procedures followed by the access terminal to transmit, and by the access network to receive, the Access Channel.
  - ❑ Shared Signaling MAC Protocol: Provides (1) the procedures followed by the access network to transmit, and by the access terminal to receive, the physical layer channels controlled by this protocol.
  - ❑ Forward Traffic Channel MAC Protocol: Provides the procedures followed by the access network to transmit, and by the access terminal to receive, the Forward Traffic Channel.
  - ❑ Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol: Provides the procedures for the access terminal to transmit, and the access network to receive, the Reverse Control Channels.
  - ❑ Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol: Provides the procedures followed by the access terminal to transmit, and by the access network to receive, the Reverse Traffic Channel.
- Physical Layer:
  - ❑ Physical Layer Protocol: Provides channel structure, frequency, power output, and modulation specifications for the forward and reverse links.

## 1.7 Default transports

This document defines two default transports that all compliant access terminals and access networks support:

- Default Signaling Transport: Provides the means to carry messages between a protocol/transport in one entity and the same protocol/transport in the other entity. The Default Signaling Transport consists of a messaging protocol (Signaling Network Protocol) and a link layer protocol that provides message fragmentation, retransmission, and duplicate detection (Signaling Link Protocol).

- Default Data Transport: Consists of a link layer protocol that provides fragmentation, retransmission, and duplicate detection (Radio Link Protocol); a Route Selection Protocol that provides two route instances for a higher layer packet flow; and a Flow Control Protocol that provides flow control of data traffic.

The transports used are negotiated as part of session negotiation.

The air interface can support up to 8 parallel transports. The first transport (Transport0) always carries Signaling. Other transport can be used to carry, for example, the Default Data Transport to support different Quality of Service (QoS) requirements for data or other transports.

## 1.8 Sessions and connections

A session refers to a shared state between the access terminal and the access network. This shared state stores the protocols and protocol configurations that were negotiated and are used for communications between the access terminal and the access network.

Other than to open a session, an access terminal cannot communicate with an access network without having an open session.

A connection is a particular state of the air-link in which the access terminal is assigned a Forward Traffic Channel, a Reverse Traffic Channel, and associated Shared Signaling.

During a single session, the access terminal and the access network can open and close a connection multiple times.

## 1.9 Security

The air interface supports a Security Sublayer, which can be used for authentication and encryption of access terminal traffic transported by the Control Channel, the Access Channel, the Forward Traffic Channel, and the Reverse Traffic Channel.

## 1.10 Physical Layer modes

The Physical Layer consists of two different duplexing modes, two different forward link hopping modes, two different synchronization modes and two different multi-carrier modes. The possible duplexing modes are Time Division Duplexing (TDD) and Frequency Division Duplexing (FDD). The different forward link hopping modes are SymbolRateHopping and BlockHopping. The possible synchronization modes are SemiSynchronous and Asynchronous. The possible multi-carrier modes are MultiCarrierOn and MultiCarrierOff.

### 1.10.1 MIMO support

The air interface supports two modes of operation for the Lower MAC Sublayer and Physical Layer

- Single-input-single-output (SISO) mode, and
- Multiple-input-multiple-output (MIMO) mode.

The MIMO mode is divided into two sub-modes: multiple codeword (MCW) and single codeword (SCW).



### 1.10.1.1 Access terminal requirements

All terminals shall support SISO mode. A MIMO-capable terminal shall support either the MIMO SCW or MCW sub-mode. The MIMO mode requires at least two antennas at the access network and at least two antennas at the access terminal.

### 1.11 Definitions

Cell	A group of one or more sectors that transmit from a common geographical location.
Dedicated Resource	An access network resource required to provide data service to the access terminal that is granted to the access terminal only after access terminal authentication has completed successfully. Power control and rate control are not considered dedicated resources.
Effective Isotropically Radiated Power (EIRP)	The product of the power supplied to the antenna and the antenna gain in a direction relative to an isotropic antenna.
Effective Radiated Power (ERP)	The product of the power supplied to the antenna and its gain relative to a half-wave dipole in a given direction.
Empty Procedure	A procedure that performs no operations.
Forward Link PHY Frame	The forward link PHY frame consists of $N_{\text{FRAME}, F}$ OFDM symbols, see 8.1.1.1.
Global Positioning System (GPS)	A US government satellite system that provides location and time information to users. See Navstar GPS Space Segment/Navigation User Interfaces ICD-GPS-200 for specifications.
NULL	A value which is not in the specified range of the field.
OFDM Symbol	An OFDM symbol is comprised of $n$ individually modulated subcarriers which carry complex-valued data, where $n$ is computed as a function of the system bandwidth.
PHY Frame Index	An integer value $f$ such that $f = (n \times s) + m$ , where $n$ is the number of PHY frames in a superframe, $s$ is the superframe index, and $m$ is the offset of the frame in the current superframe, where $0 \leq m < n$ . The current frame index is specific to a sector and link.
Reverse Link PHY Frame	The reverse link PHY frame consists of $N_{\text{FRAME}, R}$ OFDM symbols, where $N_{\text{FRAME}, R}$ is as defined in Chapter 8.

**Subnet Mask (of length  $n$ )**

A 128-bit value whose binary representation consists of  $n$  consecutive ‘1’s followed by  $128-n$  consecutive ‘0’s.

**Superframe**

One of the fundamental units of transmission on the forward and reverse links. On the Forward Link, a superframe consists of  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  OFDM symbols followed by  $N_{\text{FDD, FL PHY Frames}}$  Forward Link PHY Frames in FDD mode and  $N_{\text{TDD, FL PHY Frames}}$  Forward Link PHY Frames in TDD mode. On the Reverse Link, a superframe consists of  $N_{\text{FDD, RL PHY Frames}}$  RL PHY Frames in FDD mode and  $N_{\text{TDD, RL PHY Frames}}$  RL PHY Frames in TDD mode.  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  is defined in Chapter 8;  $N_{\text{FDD, FL PHY Frames}}$ ,  $N_{\text{TDD, FL PHY Frames}}$ ,  $N_{\text{FDD, RL PHY Frames}}$  and  $N_{\text{TDD, RL PHY Frames}}$  are defined in Chapter 7.

**Superframe Index**

An integer value  $s$  such that:  $s = \lfloor t / x \rfloor$ , where  $t$  represents System Time in seconds and  $x$  represents the time for a superframe in seconds as defined in Chapter 9. Whenever the document refers to the System Time in superframes, it is referring to the value  $s$ .

**System Time**

The time reference used by the system measured in seconds. System time is defined in 1.15.

**System Bandwidth**

The bandwidth allocated for this system measured in hertz. This is an input parameter to the system.

**Universal Coordinated Time (UTC)**

An internationally agreed-upon time scale maintained by the Bureau International de l’Heure (BIH) used as the time reference by nearly all commonly available time and frequency distribution systems.

**1.12 Abbreviations and acronyms**

ACK	Acknowledgment
ALMP	Air Link Management Protocol
AMP	Address Management Protocol
AN	Access network
ASMP	Active Set Management Protocol
AT	Access terminal
ATA	Access terminal assignment
ATI	Access terminal identifier
BATI	Broadcast access terminal identifier
BCD	Binary-coded decimal
BE	Best effort
BPSK	Binary phase shift keying
CC	Control channel
CDMA	Code division multiple access
CQI	Channel quality indicator

CRC	Cyclic redundancy check
CSP	Connected State Protocol
EIRP	Effective isotropically radiated power
F-ACQCH	Forward Acquisition Channel
F-AuxPICH	Forward Auxiliary Pilot Channel
F-CPICH	Forward Common Pilot Channel
F-DCH	Forward Data Channel
F-DPICH	Forward Dedicated Pilot Channel
F-pBCH	Forward Primary Broadcast Channel
F-OSICH	Forward Other Sector Interference Channel
F-SSCH	Forward Shared Signaling Channel
FCP	Flow control protocol
FCS	Frame check sequence
FDD	Frequency Division Duplex
FER	Frame error ratio
FFT	Fast Fourier Transform
FIFO	First in first out
FL	Forward link
FLAB	Forward link assignment block
FTC	Forward traffic channel
FWD	Forward
GPS	Global positioning system
H-ARQ	Hybrid automatic retransmission request
HW	Hardware
IFFT	Inverse Fast Fourier Transform
IFT	Inverse Fourier Transform
IP	Internet protocol
LAN	Local area network
LSB	Least significant bit
MAC	Medium access control
MATI	Multicast access terminal identifier
MCC	Mobile Country Code
MCW	Multiple codeword
MIMO	Multiple input multiple output
MNC	Mobile Network Code
MSB	Most significant bit
N <sub>fft</sub>	FFT size
N/A	Not applicable

NAK	Negative acknowledgement
OFDM	Orthogonal frequency division multiplexing
OMP	Overhead Messages Protocol
OSICH	Other sector interference channel
PBRI	Pruned Bit-Reversal Interleaver
PCP	Packet Consolidation Protocol
PDU	Protocol data unit
PER	Packet error rate
PF	Packet format
PHY	Physical layer
PN	Pseudo noise (code sequence)
QAM	Quadrature amplitude modulation
QoS	Quality of service
QPSK	Quadrature phase shift keying
R-ACH	Reverse Access Channel
R-ACKCH	Reverse Acknowledgement Channel
R-BFCH	Reverse Beam Feedback Channel
R-CQICH	Reverse Channel Quality Indicator Channel
R-DCH	Reverse Data Channel
R-PIH	Reverse Pilot Channel
R-REQCH	Reverse Request Channel
R-SFCH	Reverse Subband Feedback Channel
RD	Reliable delivery
REV	Reverse
RF	Radio frequency
RLAB	Reverse link assignment block
RLP	Radio link protocol
ROHC	Robust header compression
RSP	Route selection protocol
RTC	Reverse traffic channel
RX	Receive or receiver
SCP	Session Configuration Protocol
SCW	Single codeword
SDMA	Space Division Multiple Access
SID	System Identifier
SISO	Single input single output
SLP	Signaling link protocol
SMP	Session Management Protocol

SNP	Signaling network protocol
SS	Shared signaling
SYNC	Synchronization
T2P	Traffic to pilot transmit power ratio
TCP	Transmission control protocol
TDD	Time Division Duplex
TL	Time limited
TX	Transmit or transmitter
UATI	Unicast access terminal identifier
UTC	Universal Temps Coordinate (See Universal Coordinated Time)
WLAN	Wireless LAN

### 1.13 Notation

$A[i]$	The $i^{\text{th}}$ element of array $A$ . The first element of the array is $A[0]$ .
$\langle e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n \rangle$	<p>A <i>structure</i> with elements ‘<math>e_1</math>’, ‘<math>e_2</math>’, ..., ‘<math>e_n</math>’.</p> <p>Two structures <math>E = \langle e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n \rangle</math> and <math>F = \langle f_1, f_2, \dots, f_m \rangle</math> are equal if ‘<math>m</math>’ is equal to ‘<math>n</math>’ and <math>e_i</math> is equal to <math>f_i</math> for <math>i=1, \dots, n</math>.</p> <p>Given <math>E = \langle e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n \rangle</math> and <math>F = \langle f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n \rangle</math>, the assignment “<math>E = F</math>” denotes the following set of assignments: <math>e_i = f_i</math>, for <math>i=1, \dots, n</math>.</p>
$S.e$	The member of the structure ‘ $S$ ’ that is identified by ‘ $e$ ’.
$M[i:j]$	<p>Bits <math>i^{\text{th}}</math> through <math>j^{\text{th}}</math> inclusive (<math>i \geq j</math>) of the binary representation of variable <math>M</math>.</p> <p><math>M[0:0]</math> denotes the least significant bit of <math>M</math>.</p>
$ $	Concatenation operator. ( $A   B$ ) denotes variable $A$ concatenated with variable $B$ .
$\times$	Indicates multiplication.
$\lfloor x \rfloor$	Indicates the largest integer less than or equal to $x$ : $\lfloor 1.1 \rfloor = 1, \lfloor 1.0 \rfloor = 1$ .
$\lceil x \rceil$	Indicates the smallest integer greater than or equal to $x$ : $\lceil 1.1 \rceil = 2, \lceil 2.0 \rceil = 2$ .
$ x $	Indicates the absolute value of $x$ : $ -17 =17,  17 =17$ .
$\oplus$	Indicates exclusive OR (modulo-2 addition).
$\min(x, y)$	Indicates the minimum of $x$ and $y$ .
$\max(x, y)$	Indicates the maximum of $x$ and $y$ .
$x \bmod y$	Indicates the remainder after dividing $x$ by $y$ : $x \bmod y = x - (y \times \lfloor x/y \rfloor)$ .

Unless otherwise specified, the format of field values is unsigned binary.

Unless indicated otherwise, this standard presents numbers in decimal form. Binary numbers are distinguished in the text by the use of single quotation marks. Hexadecimal numbers are distinguished by the prefix '0x'.

Unless specified otherwise, each field of a packet shall be transmitted in sequence such that the most significant bit (MSB) is transmitted first and the least significant bit (LSB) is transmitted last. The MSB is the left-most bit in the figures in this document. If there are multiple rows in a table, the top-most row is transmitted first. If a table is used to show the sub-fields of a particular field or variable, the top-most row consists of the MSBs of the field. Within a row in a table, the left-most bit is transmitted first. Notations of the form "repetition factor of N" or "repeated N times" mean that a total of N versions of the item are used.

#### 1.14 Malfunction detection

The access terminal shall have a malfunction timer that is separate from and independent of all other functions and that runs continuously whenever power is applied to the transmitter of the access terminal. The timer shall be reset and restarted periodically if the access terminal is functioning properly. If the timer expires, the access terminal shall cease transmission. The maximum time allowed for expiration of the timer is two seconds.

#### 1.15 System time

System Time counts the number of seconds that have elapsed since the start of System Time on a per sector basis.

In a synchronous access network, all sector air interface transmissions are referenced to a common system-wide timing reference that uses the Global Positioning System (GPS) time, which is traceable to and synchronous with Universal Coordinated Time (UTC). GPS and UTC differ by an integer number of seconds, specifically the number of leap second corrections added to UTC since January 6, 1980. The start of System Time is January 6, 1980 00:00:00 UTC, which coincides with the start of GPS time.

In a synchronous access network, System Time keeps track of leap second corrections to UTC but does not use these corrections for physical adjustments to the System Time clocks.

In an asynchronous access network, System Time need not be traceable and synchronous to a common timing reference.

#### 1.16 Revision number

Access terminals and access networks complying with the requirements of this specification shall set their revision number to 0x01.

## 2 Session Control Sublayer

### 2.1 Introduction

#### 2.1.1 General overview

The Session Control Sublayer contains protocols used to negotiate a session between the access terminal and the access network. The Session Control Sublayer consists of non-bearer protocols and does not modify transmitted or received packets.

A session is a shared state maintained between the access terminal and the access network, including information such as:

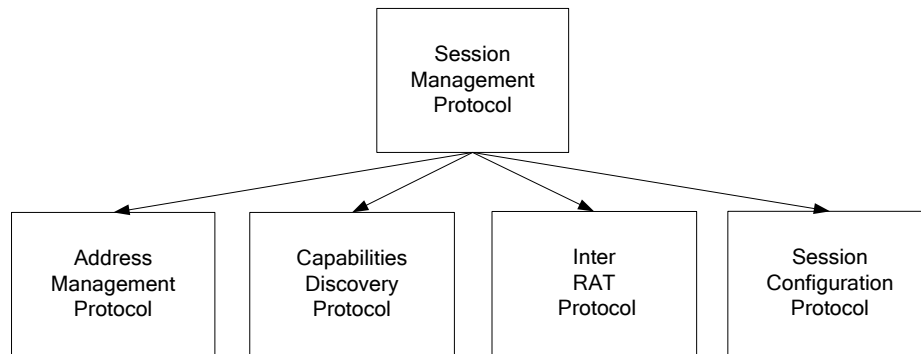
- A Unicast address assigned to the access terminal (UATI).
- The set of protocols and applications used by the access terminal and the access network to communicate over the air-link.
- Configuration settings for these protocols and applications (e.g., authentication keys, parameters for Lower MAC Sublayer Protocols, etc.).

During a single session, the access terminal and the access network can open and close a connection multiple times. Therefore, sessions will be closed rarely and only on occasions, such as when the access terminal leaves the coverage area or during prolonged periods in which the access terminal is unavailable.

The Session Control Sublayer contains the following protocols:

- Session Management Protocol: Provides the means to control the activation of the other Session Control Sublayer protocols. In addition, this protocol ensures that the session is still valid and manages closing of the session.
- Address Management Protocol: Specifies procedures for the initial UATI assignment and maintains the access terminal addresses.
- Session Configuration Protocol: Provides the means to negotiate the *SessionConfigurationToken*'s used during the session.
- Capabilities Discovery Protocol: Provides the means for the access network to discover the capabilities of the access terminal.
- Inter RAT Protocol: Provides the means to send messages for other radio access technologies.

The relationship between the Session Control Sublayer protocols is illustrated in Figure 2-1.



**Figure 2-1 Session Control Sublayer protocols**

## 2.2 Default Session Management Protocol

### 2.2.1 Overview

The Default Session Management protocol provides the means to control the activation of the Address Management Protocol, the Capabilities Discovery Protocol, Inter RAT Protocol and the Session Configuration Protocol, in that order, before a session is established. This protocol also periodically ensures that the session is still valid and manages closing the session.

This protocol uses the Signaling Transport to transmit and receive messages.

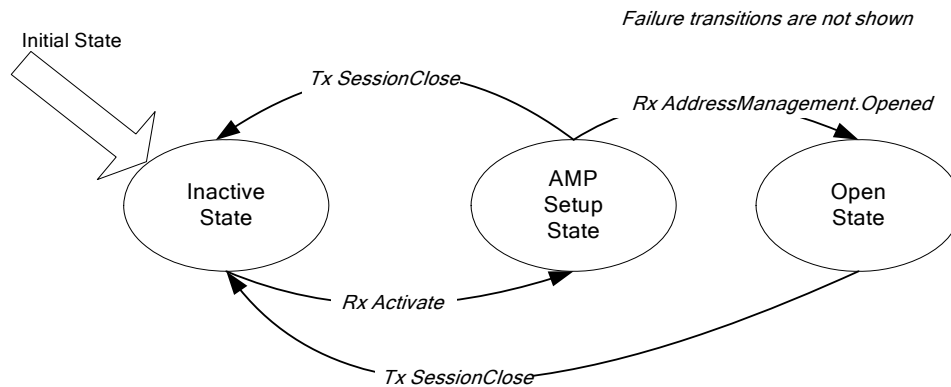
The actual behavior and message exchange in each state of this protocol are mainly governed by protocols that are activated by the Default Session Management Protocol. These protocols return indications, which trigger the state transitions of this protocol.

This protocol can be in one of four states:

- Inactive State: This state applies only to the access terminal. In this state, there are no communications between the access terminal and the access network.
- AMP Setup State: In this state, the access terminal and access network perform exchanges governed by the Address Management Protocol, and the access network assigns a UATI to the access terminal.
- Open State: In this state, a session is open.
- Close State: This state applies only to the access network. In this state, the access network waits for the close procedure to complete.

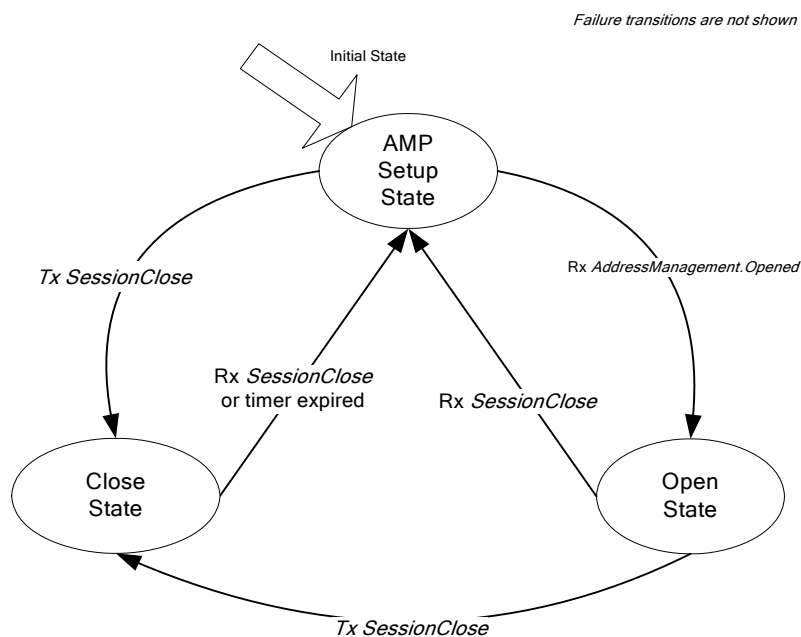


Figure 2-2 provides an overview of the access terminal states and state transitions.



**Figure 2-2 Session Management Protocol state diagram (access terminal)**

Figure 2-3 provides an overview of the access network states and state transitions.



**Figure 2-3 Session Management Protocol state diagram (access network)**

## 2.2.2 Primitives

### 2.2.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

## 2.2.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *SessionOpened*
- *SessionClosed*

## 2.2.3 Public data

### 2.2.3.1 Static public data

- SessionSeed

### 2.2.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 2.2.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 2.2.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the instance of this protocol in the access terminal and access network shall perform the following:

- The value of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol at the access network shall enter the AMP Setup State.
- The protocol at the access terminal shall enter the Inactive State.

### 2.2.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap, the protocol in the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Open State

## 2.2.5 Procedures

### 2.2.5.1 Processing the Activate command

If the access terminal receives the *Activate* command in the Inactive State, it shall transition to the AMP Setup State.

If the access terminal receives the *Activate* command in any state other than the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

The access network shall ignore the command.

The list of events that causes an *Activate* command to be sent to this protocol is outside the scope of this specification.

### 2.2.5.2 Processing the Deactivate command

If the access terminal receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

1 If the access terminal receives a *Deactivate* command in any state other than the Inactive State, the  
2 access terminal shall perform the following:

- 3       ■ Send a SessionClose message to the access network.
- 4       ■ Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- 5       ■ Transition to the Inactive State.

6 If the access network receives a *Deactivate* command in the Close State, the command shall be  
7 ignored.

8 If the access network receives a *Deactivate* command in any state other than the Close State, the  
9 access network shall send a SessionClose message and transition to the Close State.

10 The list of events that causes a *Deactivate* command to be sent to this protocol is outside the scope of  
11 this specification.

### 12 **2.2.5.3 Processing the SessionOpen message**

13 If the access network receives the SessionOpen message in any state other than AMP Setup state, it  
14 shall ignore the message.

15 If the access network receives the SessionOpen message in the AMP Setup state, it shall issue an  
16 *AddressManagement.Activate* command.

### 17 **2.2.5.4 Processing the SessionClose message**

18 The access terminal shall ignore a SessionClose message, if the access terminal receives the message  
19 in the Inactive State.

20 If the access terminal receives a SessionClose message in any state other than the Inactive State, the  
21 access terminal shall perform the following:

- 22       ■ Send a SessionClose message to the access network.
- 23       ■ Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- 24       ■ Transition to the Inactive State.

25 If the access network receives a SessionClose message in the Close State, the access network shall  
26 process it as specified in 2.2.5.11.

27 If the access network receives a SessionClose message in any state other than the Close State, the  
28 access network shall perform the following:

- 29       ■ Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- 30       ■ Transition to the AMP Setup State.

### 31 **2.2.5.5 Processing failed indications**

32 The access terminal shall ignore an *AddressManagement.Failed* or a *SessionConfiguration.Failed*  
33 indication, if the access terminal receives the indication in the Inactive State.

If the access terminal receives a *SessionConfiguration.Failed* indication while in any state other than the Inactive State, then the access terminal shall perform the following:

- Send a *SessionClose* message to the access network.
- Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- Transition to the Inactive State.

If the access terminal receives an *AddressManagement.Failed* indication while in any state other than the Inactive State, then the access terminal shall perform the following:

- Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- Transition to the Inactive State.

If the access network receives an *AddressManagement.Failed* or a *SessionConfiguration.Failed* indication, the access network shall perform the following:

- Send a *SessionClose* message to the access terminal.
- Transition to the Close State.

#### 2.2.5.6 Processing the *FTCMAC.SessionLost* indication

The access terminal shall ignore a *FTCMAC.SessionLost* indication, if the access terminal receives the indication in the Inactive State.

If the access terminal receives a *FTCMAC.SessionLost* in any state other than the Inactive State, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- Transition to the Inactive State.

#### 2.2.5.7 Procedures for closing the session

The access terminal or access network shall perform the following to close the session:

- Issue an *AirLinkManagement.CloseConnection* command.
- Issue an *AddressManagement.Deactivate* command.
- Issue a *CapabilitiesDiscovery.Deactivate* command.
- Issue a *InterRAT.Deactivate* command.
- Issue a *SessionConfiguration.Deactivate* command.
- Return a *SessionClosed* indication.

#### 2.2.5.8 Inactive state

This state only applies to the access terminal. In this state there are no communications between the access terminal and the access network. The access terminal does not maintain any session-related state and the access network may be unaware of the access terminal's existence within its coverage area when the access terminal's Session Management Protocol is in this state.

1 Upon entering this state the access terminal shall perform the following:

- 2 ■ Set public data *SessionSeed* to the 32-bit pseudorandom number generated using output
- 3 of the pseudorandom number generator specified in 10.7.

#### 4 **2.2.5.9 AMP setup state**

5 In this state the Session Management Protocol in the access terminal sends a request to the access  
6 network asking for the session to be opened and waits for the Address Management Protocol to  
7 respond.

##### 8 **2.2.5.9.1 Access terminal requirements**

9 Upon entering the AMP Setup State, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- 10 ■ Send SessionOpen message to the access network
- 11 ■ Send an *AddressManagement.Activate* command to the Address Management Protocol

12 If the access terminal receives an *AddressManagement.Opened* indication, it shall perform the  
13 following:

- 14 ■ Issue a *CapabilitiesDiscovery.Activate* command.
- 15 ■ Issue a *InterRAT.Activate* command.
- 16 ■ Issue a *SessionConfiguration.Activate* command.
- 17 ■ Return a *SessionOpened* indication.
- 18 ■ Transition to the Open State.

##### 19 **2.2.5.9.2 Access network requirements**

20 Upon entering the AMP Setup State, the access network is waiting for a SessionOpen message.

21 When the access network receives a SessionOpen message, it shall issue an  
22 *AddressManagement.Activate* command to the Address Management Protocol.

23 If the access network receives an *AddressManagement.Opened* indication, it shall perform the  
24 following:

- 25 ■ Issue a *CapabilitiesDiscovery.Activate* command.
- 26 ■ Issue a *InterRAT.Activate* command.
- 27 ■ Issue a *SessionConfiguration.Activate* command.
- 28 ■ Return a *SessionOpened* indication.
- 29 ■ Transition to the Open State.

#### 30 **2.2.5.10 Open state**

31 In the Open State, the access terminal has an assigned UATI and the access terminal and the access  
32 network have a session.

The access terminal and the access network shall support the keep-alive mechanism defined in 2.2.5.10.1.

#### 2.2.5.10.1 Keep-alive functions

The access terminal and the access network shall monitor the traffic on the transports, directed to or from the access terminal. If either the access terminal or the access network detects a period of inactivity of at least  $\text{SessionCloseTimer}/N_{\text{SMPKeepAlive}}$  minutes, it may send a KeepAliveRequest message. The recipient of the message shall respond by sending the KeepAliveResponse message. When a KeepAliveResponse message is received, the access terminal shall not send another KeepAliveRequest message for at least  $\text{SessionCloseTimer}/N_{\text{SMPKeepAlive}}$  minutes.

If the access terminal does not detect any traffic from the access network directed to it for a period of at least SessionCloseTimer minutes, it shall perform the following:

- Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- Transition to the Inactive State.

If the access network does not detect any traffic from the access terminal directed to it for a period of at least SessionCloseTimer minutes, it should perform the following:

- Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- Transition to the AMP Setup State.

If the value of SessionCloseTimer is set to zero, the access terminal and the access network shall not send or expect keep-alive messages, and shall disable the transitions occurring as a consequence of not receiving these messages.

#### 2.2.5.11 Close state

The Close State is associated only with the protocol in the access network. In this state, the protocol in the access network waits for a SessionClose message from the access terminal or an expiration of a timer.

The access network shall set the Close State timer upon entering this state. The value of this timer shall be set to  $T_{\text{SMPMinClose}}$ .

When the access network receives a SessionClose message or when the Close State timer expires, the protocol shall:

- Perform the procedures for closing the session in 2.2.5.7.
- Transition to the AMP Setup State.

While in this state, if the access network receives any packet from the access terminal which is addressed by the UATI assigned during this session and contains anything but a SessionClose message, it shall stay in the Close State and perform the following:

- Discard the packet.
- Respond with a SessionClose message.

## 2.2.6 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

### 2.2.6.1 SessionOpen

The access terminal sends the SessionOpen message to initiate a session with the access network.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
SessionSeed	32

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x00.

**SessionSeed** This field shall be set to the value of the public data *SessionSeed* associated with the access terminal's session.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.2.6.2 SessionClose

The sender sends the SessionClose message to terminate the session.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
CloseReason	8
MoreInfoLen	8
MoreInfo	8 × MoreInfoLen

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x01.

**CloseReason** The sender shall set this field to the close reason as shown in Table 2-1.

**Table 2-1 Encoding of CloseReason field**

Field Value	Meaning	MoreInfoLen	MoreInfo
0x00	Normal Close	0	N/A
0x01	Close Reply	0	N/A
0x02	Protocol Error	0	N/A
0x03	Protocol Negotiation Error	variable	Zero or more Type followed by Subtype followed by offending attribute records.

0x04	Session Configuration Failure	2	<i>SessionConfigurationToken</i>
0x05	Session Lost	0	N/A
0x06	Session Unreachable	0	N/A
0x07	All session resources busy	0	N/A
All other values are reserved			

**MoreInfoLen** Length in octets of the MoreInfo field.

**MoreInfo** Additional information pertaining to the closure. The format of this field is determined by the particular close reason.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast		<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.2.6.3 KeepAliveRequest

The sender sends the KeepAliveRequest to verify that the peer is still alive.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x02.

<b>Channels</b>	CC	FTC	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast		<b>Security</b>	Required	

### 2.2.6.4 KeepAliveResponse

The sender sends the KeepAliveResponse message as an answer to the KeepAliveRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x03.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast		<b>Security</b>	Required



## 2.2.7 Interface to other protocols

### 2.2.7.1 Commands sent

This protocol issues the following commands:

- *AddressManagement.Activate*
- *CapabilitiesDiscovery.Activate*
- *InterRAT.Activate*
- *SessionConfiguration.Activate*
- *AddressManagement.Deactivate*
- *CapabilitiesDiscovery.Deactivate*
- *InterRAT.Deactivate*
- *SessionConfiguration.Deactivate*
- *AirLinkManagement.CloseConnection*

### 2.2.7.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *AddressManagement.Failed*
- *SessionConfiguration.Failed*
- *AddressManagement.Opened*
- *FTCMAC.SessionLost*

## 2.2.8 Configuration attributes

The negotiable attributes for this protocol are listed in Table 2-2. The access terminal shall use as defaults the values in Table 2-2 that are listed in ***bold italics***.

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Session Management Protocol.

**Table 2-2 Configurable attributes**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0xff	SessionCloseTimer	<b><i>0x0CA8</i></b>	Default is 54 hours.
		0x0000 to 0xFFFF	0x0000 means disable keep-alive messages; all other values are in minutes.

## 2.2.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>SMPType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>SMPDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
N <sub>SMPKeepAlive</sub>	Maximum number of keep-alive transactions within SessionCloseTimer.	3
T <sub>SMPMinClose</sub>	Minimum recommended timer setting for Close State	300 seconds

## 2.2.10 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol and the following parameters.

### 2.2.10.1 SessionSeed parameter

**Table 2-3 Format of the parameter record for the SessionSeed parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
SessionSeed	32

**ParameterType** This field shall be set to 0x00 for this parameter record.

**Length** This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets, excluding the Length field.

**SessionSeed** This field shall be set to the value of the SessionSeed associated with the access terminal's session.

## 2.3 Default Address Management Protocol

### 2.3.1 Overview

The Default Address Management Protocol provides the following functions:

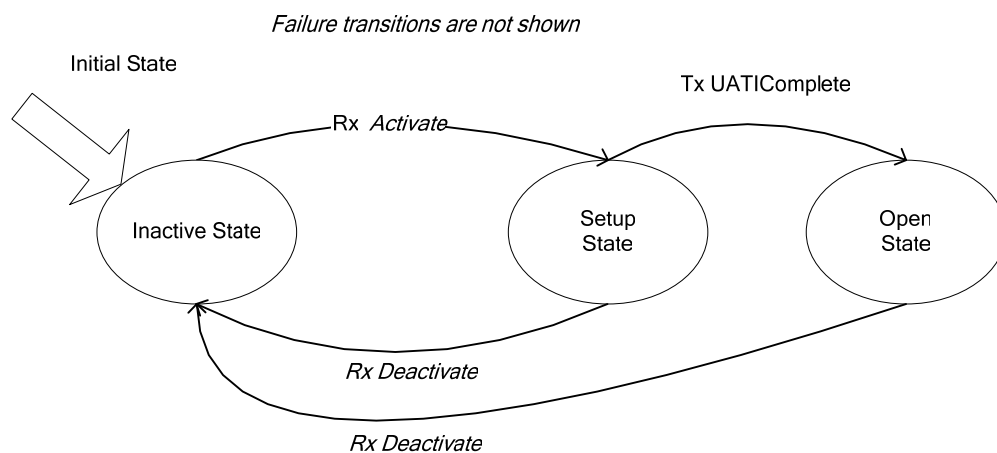
- Initial UATI assignment
- Maintaining the access terminal Unicast address as the access terminal moves between subnets.

This protocol uses the Signaling Transport to transmit and receive messages.

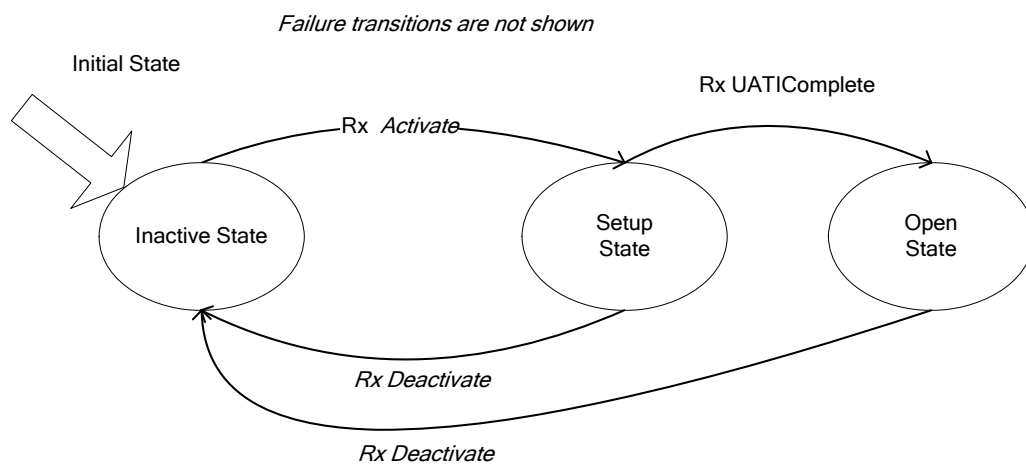
This protocol operates in one of three states:

- Inactive State: In this state there are no communications between the access terminal and the access network.
- Setup State: In this state the access terminal and the access network perform a UATIAssignment/UATIDeactivate exchange to assign the access terminal a UATI.
- Open State: In this state the access terminal has been assigned a UATI. The access terminal and access network may also perform a UATIUpdateRequest/UATIAssignment/UATIDeactivate or a UATIAssignment/UATIDeactivate exchange respectively, so that the access terminal obtains a new UATI.

The protocol states and the messages and events causing the transition between the states are shown in Figure 2-4 and Figure 2-5.



**Figure 2-4 Address Management Protocol state diagram (access terminal)**



**Figure 2-5 Address Management Protocol state diagram (access network)**

## 2.3.2 Primitives

### 2.3.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*
- *UpdateUATI*
- *RetrieveHWID*

### 2.3.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *Opened*
- *UATIRelaxed*
- *UATIAssigned*
- *Failed*
- *SubnetChanged*

## 2.3.3 Public data

### 2.3.3.1 Static public data

- ReceiveATIList
- TransmitUATI

### 2.3.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 2.3.4 Connection endpoints

The following Connection Endpoints are defined (to be used by the SLP protocol):

- The addresses specified by entries in the ReceiveATIList list whose ATIType is equal to '10' (i.e., UATI) all define the same connection endpoint.
- Each unique <ATI, SectorID> defines a separate connection endpoint. The ATI is an entry in the ReceiveATIList with ATIType equal to '00' (i.e., BATI), and the SectorID is defined in the SectorParameters message in the Lower MAC Control Sublayer.

## 2.3.5 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 2.3.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the protocol in the access terminal and access network shall perform the following:

- The value of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol at the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Inactive State.

### 2.3.5.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap, the protocol in the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Open State.

## 2.3.6 Procedures

### 2.3.6.1 Processing the Activate command

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in the Inactive State:

- The access terminal shall transition to the Setup State.
- The access network shall transition to the Setup State.

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in any state other than the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

### 2.3.6.2 Processing the Deactivate command

If the protocol receives the *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

If the protocol receives the *Deactivate* command in any state other than the Inactive State, the protocol shall transition to the Inactive State and return a *UATIReleased* indication.

### 2.3.6.3 Processing the UpdateUATI command

The access network and access terminal shall ignore the *UpdateUATI* command when it is received in any state other than the Open State.

If the access terminal receives an *UpdateUATI* command in the Open State, it shall send a *UATIUpdateRequest* message.

If the access network receives an *UpdateUATI* command in the Open State, it may send a *UATIAssignment* message.

A comprehensive list of events causing the *UpdateUATI* command is beyond the scope of this specification.

#### 2.3.6.4 Processing the RetrieveHWID command

The access terminal shall ignore the *RetrieveHWID* command in all states. The access network shall ignore the *RetrieveHWID* command when it is received in any state other than the Open State.

If the access network receives a *RetrieveHWID* command in the Open State, it may send a *HardwareIDRequest* message.

#### 2.3.6.5 UATIAssignment message validation

Each time that the access network sends a new UATIAssignment message, it shall increment the value of the MessageSequence field.

The access terminal shall initialize a receive pointer for the UATIAssignment message validation,  $V(R)$ , to 255 when it sends a UATIUpdateRequest message and the ReceiveList is empty or contains only a BATI entry (i.e., ATIType==‘00’). When the access terminal receives a UATIAssignment message, it shall validate the message, using the procedure defined in 10.8 (S is equal to 8). The access terminal shall discard the message if it is invalid.

#### 2.3.6.6 Processing HardwareIDRequest message

Upon reception of a HardwareIDRequest message, the access terminal shall respond with a HardwareIDResponse message. The access terminal shall set the HardwareID record of the HardwareIDResponse message to the unique ID that has been assigned to the terminal by the manufacturer.

#### 2.3.6.7 Inactive state

In this state, there are no communications between the access terminal and the access network. The access terminal does not have an assigned UATI, and the access network does not maintain a UATI for the access terminal and may be unaware of the access terminal’s existence within its coverage area.

##### 2.3.6.7.1 Access terminal requirements

Upon entering the Inactive State, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- Clear the ReceiveATIList
- Add the following entry to the ReceiveATIList:  
<ATIType = ‘00’, ATI = NULL>.
- Set TransmitUATI to NULL.
- Set UATI to NULL.
- Set UATISubnetMask to NULL.
- Disable the Address timers.

If the access terminal receives an *Activate* command, it shall transition to the Setup State.

### 2.3.6.7.2 Access network requirements

Upon entering the Inactive State, the access network shall perform the following:

- Set the value of the access terminal's UATI to NULL.
- Set the value of the access terminal's UATISubnetMask to NULL.

The access network shall transition to the Setup State if it receives an *Activate* command.

### 2.3.6.8 Setup state

In this state, the access network assigns a UATI to the access terminal.

#### 2.3.6.8.1 Access terminal requirements

Upon entering the Setup State, the access terminal expects a UATIAssignment message.

If the access terminal does not receive a UATIAssignment message within  $T_{\text{ADMPATResponse}}$  seconds after entering the Setup state, it shall return a *Failed* indication and transition to the Inactive State.

If the access terminal receives a UATIAssignment message, the access terminal shall validate the message sequence number as defined in 10.8. If the message is valid, it shall perform the following:

- Set its UATI and UATISubnetMask to the UATI and UATISubnetMask fields specified in the message.
- Add the following entry to the ReceiveATIList:  
<ATIType = '10', ATI = UATI[31:0]>.
- Set the TransmitUATI to UATI.
- Return an *Opened* indication.
- Return a *UATIAssigned* indication.
- Send a UATIComplete message.
- Transition to the Open State.

#### 2.3.6.8.2 Access network requirements

In this state the access network shall perform the following:

- Assign a Unicast Access Terminal Identifier (UATI) to the access terminal for the session.
- Send a UATIAssignment message

When the access network receives the corresponding UATIComplete message with the MessageSequence field that is equal to the MessageSequence field of the UATIAssignment message sent, it shall perform the following:

- Return *Opened* indication.
- Return *UATIAssigned* indication.
- Transition to Open State.

If the access network does not receive the corresponding UATIComplete message in response to the UATIAssignment message, it may re-transmit the UATIAssignment message. If the access network does not receive the UATIComplete message after an implementation-specific number of re-transmissions of the UATIAssignment message, it shall return a *Failed* indication and transition to the Inactive State.

### 2.3.6.9 Open state

In this state the access terminal has been assigned a UATI.

#### 2.3.6.9.1 Access terminal requirements

If the access terminal receives a *ActiveSetManagement.IdleHO* indication or a *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*, and then receives an *OverheadMessages.Updated* indication, and if either of the following two conditions is true, it shall send a UATIUpdateRequest message:

- The UATISubnetMask is not equal to the SubnetMask of the sector in the active set, or
- The result of bitwise logical AND of the UATI and its subnet mask specified by UATISubnetMask is different from the result of bitwise logical AND of SectorID and its subnet mask specified by SubnetMask (where SectorID and SubnetMask correspond to the sector in the active set).

If the access terminal receives an *UpdateUATI* command, it shall process the command as specified in 2.3.6.3.

Upon sending a UATIUpdateRequest message, the access terminal shall start a UATIResponse timer with a timeout value of  $T_{\text{ADMPATResponse}}$  seconds. The access terminal shall disable this timer if either of the following conditions is true:

- The UATISubnetMask is equal to the SubnetMask of the sector in the active set, and the result of bitwise logical AND of the UATI and its subnet mask specified by UATISubnetMask is the same as the result of bitwise logical AND of SectorID and its subnet mask specified by SubnetMask (where SectorID and SubnetMask correspond to the sector in the active set), or
- The access terminal receives a UATIAssignment message.

If the UATIResponse timer expires, the access terminal shall return a *Failed* indication and transition to the Inactive State.

If the access terminal receives a UATIAssignment message, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- Set its UATI and UATISubnetMask to the UATI and UATISubnetMask fields in the message.
- Add the following entry to the ReceiveATIList:  
<ATIType = '10', ATI = UATI[31:0]>.
- Set the TransmitUATI to UATI.
- Return a *UATIAssigned* indication.
- Send a UATIComplete message.



- 1       ■ Reset and start an Address timer with a timeout value of  $T_{\text{ADMPAddress}}$  for the added entry
- 2       to the ReceiveATIList.

3       The access terminal shall perform the following when an Address timer corresponding to an entry in  
4       the ReceiveATIList expires:

- 5       ■ Disable the Address timer for that entry.
- 6       ■ Delete all of the entries in the ReceiveATIList that are older than the entry whose
- 7       Address timer has expired. An entry X in the list is considered older than another entry Y,
- 8       if the entry X has been added to the list prior to the entry Y.

### 9       **2.3.6.9.2 Access network requirements**

10      The access network may send a UATIAssignment message at any time in this state. The following are  
11      some of the possible triggers for sending a UATIAssignment message:

- 12      ■ Receiving *ActiveSetManagement.ActiveSetUpdated* indication.
- 13      ■ Receiving an *UpdateUATI* command.
- 14      ■ Receiving a valid UATIUpdateRequest message.

15      The access network may return a *SubnetChanged* indication and send a UATIAssignment message  
16      after reception of a *ActiveSetManagement.ActiveSetUpdated* indication. The triggers for returning a  
17      *SubnetChanged* indication after reception of a *ActiveSetManagement.ActiveSetUpdated* indication are  
18      outside the scope of this specification.

19      When the access network sends a UATIAssignment message, it shall perform the following:

- 20      ■ Assign a Unicast Access Terminal Identifier (UATI) to the access terminal for the session
- 21      and include it in a UATIAssignment message.

22      When the access network receives a UATIComplete message with the MessageSequence field that is  
23      equal to the MessageSequence field of the UATIAssignment message that it has sent, it shall return a  
24      *UATIAssigned* indication.

25      If the access network does not receive the UATIComplete message in response to the corresponding  
26      UATIAssignment message within a certain time interval that is specified by the access network<sup>1</sup>, it  
27      should re-transmit the UATIAssignment message. If the access network does not receive the  
28      UATIComplete message after an implementation-specific number of re-transmissions of the  
29      UATIAssignment message, it shall return a *Failed* indication and transition to the Inactive State.

## 30      **2.3.7 Message formats**

### 31      **2.3.7.1 UATIUpdateRequest**

32      The access terminal sends the UATIUpdateRequest message to request that a UATI is reassigned to it  
33      by the access network.

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<sup>1</sup> The value of this timeout is determined by the access network, and the specification of the timeout value is outside the scope of this document.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
TransmitUATI	128

- 1 MessageID The access terminal shall set this field to 0x00.
- 2 TransactionID The access terminal shall increment this value modulo 256 for each new
- 3 UATIUpdateRequest message sent.
- 4 TransmitUATI The current value of the TransmitUATI.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.3.7.2 UATIAssignment

8 The access network sends the UATIAssignment message to assign or re-assign a UATI to the access terminal.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8
UATISubnetMask	8
SessionSeed	32
UATI	128

- 11 MessageID The access network shall set this field to 0x01.
- 12 MessageSequence The access network shall set this to 1 higher than the MessageSequence field
- 13 of the last UATIAssignment message (modulo 256) that it has sent to this
- 14 access terminal.
- 15 UATISubnetMask The access network shall set this field to the number of consecutive 1's in the
- 16 subnet mask of the subnet to which the assigned UATI belongs.
- 17 SessionSeed This field shall be set to the value of the public data
- 18 *SessionManagement.SessionSeed* associated with the access terminal's
- 19 session.
- 20 UATI The access network shall set this field to the UATI that it is assigning to the
- 21 access terminal.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.3.7.3 UATIComplete

The access terminal sends this message to notify the access network that it has received the UATIAssignment message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x02.

**MessageSequence** The access terminal shall set this field to the MessageSequence field of the UATIAssignment message whose receipt this message is acknowledging.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.3.7.4 HardwareIDRequest

The access network uses this message to query the access terminal of its Hardware ID information.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x03.

**TransactionID** The access network shall increment this value for each new HardwareRequest message sent.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.3.7.5 HardwareIDResponse

The access terminal sends this message in response to the HardwareIDRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
HardwareIDType	24
HardwareIDLength	8
HardwareIDValue	8 × HardwareIDLength

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x04.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field the TransactionID field of the corresponding HardwareIDRequest message.

**HardwareIDType** The access terminal shall set this field according to Table 2-4.

**Table 2-4 HardwareIDType encoding**

HardwareIDType field value	Meaning
0x000030	48-bit extended unique identifier (EUI-48)
0x000040	64-bit extended unique identifier (EUI-64)
0x010000	Electronic Serial Number (ESN)
0x00NNNN	Hardware ID “NNNN” from [3]
0xFFFFF	Null
All other values	Invalid

**HardwareIDLength** If HardwareIDType is not set to 0xFFFFF, the access terminal shall set this field to the length in octets of the HardwareIDValue field; otherwise the access terminal shall set this field to 0x00.

**HardwareIDValue** The access terminal shall set this field to the unique ID (specified by HardwareIDType) that has been assigned to the terminal by the manufacturer.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

## 2.3.8 Interface to other protocols

### 2.3.8.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

### 2.3.8.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *ActiveSetManagement.IdleHO*
- *ActiveSetManagement.ActiveSetUpdated*
- *InitializationState.NetworkAcquired*
- *OverheadMessages.Updated*
- *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*

## 2.3.9 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

## 2.3.10 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>ADMPType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>ADMPDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
T <sub>ADMPATResponse</sub>	Time to receive UATIAssignment after sending UATIUpdateRequest	120 seconds
T <sub>ADMPAddress</sub>	The duration of time that the access terminal declares an address match if it receives a message that is addressed using either the old or the new UATI	180 seconds

## 2.3.11 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol and the following parameters.

### 2.3.11.1 UATI parameter

**Table 2-5 Format of the parameter record for the MessageSequence parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
MessageSequence	8
UATISubnetLength	8
UATI	128

ParameterType	This field shall be set to 0x02 for this parameter record.
Length	This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.
MessageSequence	This field shall be set to the MessageSequence field of the last UATIAssignment message that was sent by the source access network.
UATISubnetLength	This field shall be set to the number of consecutive 1's in the subnet mask of the subnet to which the assigned UATI belongs.
UATI	This field shall be set to the UATI that it is assigned to the access terminal.

## 2.4 Default Session Configuration Protocol

### 2.4.1 Overview

The Default Session Configuration Protocol provides for the negotiation and configuration of the set of *SessionConfigurationToken*'s used during a session.

This protocol uses the Signaling Transport to transmit and receive messages.

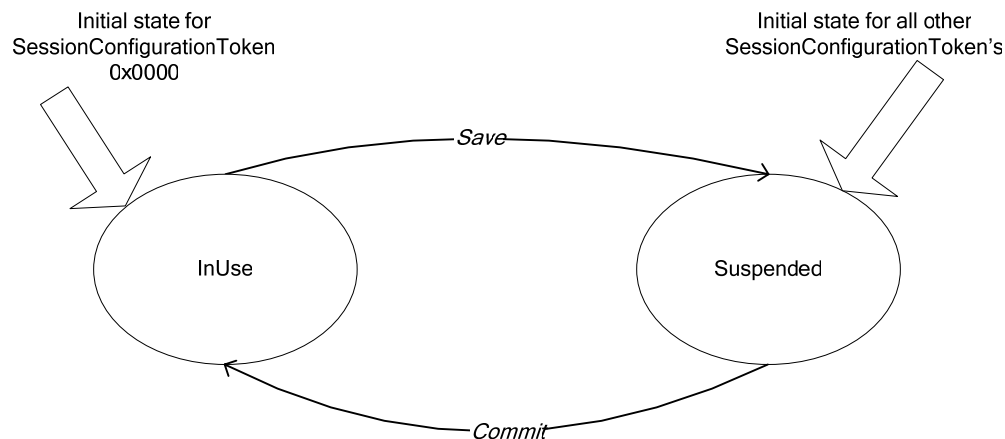
The *SessionConfigurationToken* is a 16-bit value that defines a complete set of protocol and transport instances that can be used to communicate between the access terminal and the access network. A protocol instance consists of a protocol subtype, dynamic public data and attribute values. A transport instance consists of a transport subtype, dynamic public data and attribute values. A transport instance is bound to a Transport in the Packet Consolidation Protocol. A listing of *SessionConfigurationToken*'s, including the subtype, dynamic public data and attribute values for each protocol and transport instance defined by the *SessionConfigurationToken* can be found in 11.5.

A *SessionConfigurationToken* is InUse if the set of protocol and transport instances specified by the *SessionConfigurationToken* are currently being used to communicate between the access terminal and the access network. Otherwise, a *SessionConfigurationToken* is Suspended. Only one *SessionConfigurationToken* shall be InUse at a time.

A protocol or transport instance is InUse if it is currently being used to communicate between the access terminal and the access network. Otherwise, a protocol or transport instance is Suspended.

Only one protocol instance of a protocol type shall be InUse at a time<sup>2</sup>. Only one transport instance corresponding to a Transport in the Packet Consolidation Protocol shall be InUse at a time. A protocol or transport instance shall correspond to exactly one *SessionConfigurationToken*.

The Session Configuration Protocol executes its Save and Commit procedures to swap the InUse protocol and transport instances associated with the current InUse *SessionConfigurationToken* with the Suspended protocol and transport instances associated with a Suspended *SessionConfigurationToken*. A state diagram for the *SessionConfigurationToken* is shown in Figure 2-6.



**Figure 2-6 SessionConfigurationToken state diagram**

The access network and the access terminal shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to negotiate the configurable attributes of the protocol and transport instances of the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken*. The access network and the access terminal shall not configure the attributes or protocol subtypes of a Suspended *SessionConfigurationToken*.

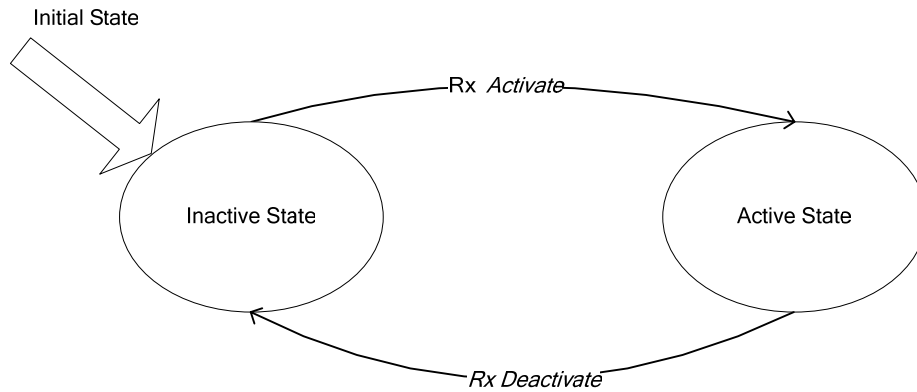
This protocol operates in one of two states:

- Inactive State: In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command. There are no communications between the access terminal and the access network.
- Active State: In this state the access network may query the access terminal as to which *SessionConfigurationToken*'s are supported and may change the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken*.

<sup>2</sup>The Session Configuration Protocol shall have two protocol instances that are temporarily InUse at the same time when a Suspended *SessionConfigurationToken* is swapped with the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken* while the connection is in the Closed state.

The protocol states and the messages and events causing the transition between the states are shown in Figure 2-7.

*Failure transitions are not shown*



**Figure 2-7 Session Configuration Protocol state diagram**

## 2.4.2 Primitives

### 2.4.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

### 2.4.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *Reconfigured*
- *Failed*

## 2.4.3 Public data

### 2.4.3.1 Static public data

- *SessionConfigurationToken*
- *ConfigurationLock*

### 2.4.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol



## 2.4.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 2.4.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the protocol in the access terminal and access network shall perform the following:

- The protocol at the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Inactive State.
- The access network and the access terminal shall set the ConfigurationLock to UnLocked.
- The access terminal and the access network shall set the *SessionConfigurationToken* to 0x0000.

### 2.4.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap, the protocol in the access terminal and the access network shall perform the following:

- The protocol at the access network and the access terminal shall execute its Commit procedure for the *SessionConfigurationToken* in the static public data.
- The protocol at the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Active State.

## 2.4.5 Procedures

The access terminal and the access network shall maintain a parameter called ConfigurationLock.

### 2.4.5.1 Processing the Activate command

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the protocol shall transition to the Active State.

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in the Active State, the command shall be ignored.

### 2.4.5.2 Processing the Deactivate command

If the protocol receives the *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

If the protocol receives this command in the Active State, it shall transition to the Inactive State.

### 2.4.5.3 Commit procedure

The access terminal and the access network shall perform the procedures specified in this section when directed by the Session Configuration Protocol to execute the Commit procedures for the specified *SessionConfigurationToken*.

The Session Configuration Protocol shall direct all of the protocol instances specified by the *SessionConfigurationToken*, except for the Session Configuration Protocol instance, to perform the following in the order specified:

- Restore the dynamic public data and attributes of the protocol instance.
- The Suspended protocol instance shall become the InUse instance for this protocol type.
- The protocol instance shall perform its Swap Procedure.

The Session Configuration Protocol shall direct all of the transport instances specified by the *SessionConfigurationToken* to perform the following in the order specified:

- Restore the dynamic public data and attributes of the transport instance.
- The Suspended transport instance shall become the InUse transport instance.
- The transport instance shall perform its Swap procedure.

#### 2.4.5.4 Save Procedure

The access terminal and the access network shall perform the procedures specified in this section when directed by the Session Configuration Protocol to execute the Save procedure for the specified *SessionConfigurationToken*.

The Session Configuration Protocol shall direct all of the protocol instances specified by the *SessionConfigurationToken*, except for the Session Configuration Protocol instance, to perform the following in the order specified:

- Store the dynamic public data and attributes of the protocol instance.
- The InUse protocol instance shall become Suspended.

The Session Configuration Protocol shall direct all of the transport instances specified by the *SessionConfigurationToken* to perform the following in the order specified:

- Store the dynamic public data and attributes of the transport instance.
- The InUse transport instance shall become Suspended.

#### 2.4.5.5 Inactive state

Upon entering this state, the protocol shall set the *SessionConfigurationToken* to 0x0000.

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the protocol shall transition to the Active State

#### 2.4.5.6 Active state

##### 2.4.5.6.1 Access terminal requirements

While in this state, the access terminal may send a *TokenUpdateRequest* message to request the access network to change the value of the *SessionConfigurationToken* if the value of the *ConfigurationLock* parameter is UnLocked. The access terminal shall not send a *TokenUpdateRequest* message if the value of the *ConfigurationLock* parameter is Locked.

If the access terminal receives a *TokenAssignment* message requesting to update the value of the *SessionConfigurationToken* in this state, the access terminal shall validate the message sequence number as defined in 10.8. If the message is valid, the access terminal shall perform the following in the order specified:

- If the *SessionConfigurationToken* specified by the *TokenAssignment* message is the same as the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken*, the Session Configuration Protocol shall send a *TokenComplete* message.

- 1       ■ Otherwise if the *SessionConfigurationToken* does not specify a Suspended  
2       *SessionConfigurationToken*, the access terminal shall return a *Failed* indication and  
3       transition to the Inactive state.
- 4       ■ Otherwise, if the *SessionConfigurationToken* specified by the TokenAssignment message  
5       is different from the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken* the access terminal shall perform  
6       the following:
  - 7       □ Send a TokenComplete message.
  - 8       □ Issue an *AirLinkManagement.CloseConnection* command.
  - 9       □ If the Air Link Management Protocol is in the Connected State, wait to receive a  
10       *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed* indication.
  - 11       □ Execute the Save procedure for the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken*.
  - 12       □ Store the dynamic public data and attributes of the InUse Session Configuration  
13       Protocol instance.
  - 14       □ Set the *SessionConfigurationToken* static public data to the value specified in the  
15       TokenAssignment message.
  - 16       □ Restore the dynamic public data and attributes of the Suspended Session  
17       Configuration Protocol instance specified by the new *SessionConfigurationToken*.
  - 18       □ Return a *Reconfigured* indication.
  - 19       □ The Session Configuration Protocol instance specified by the new  
20       *SessionConfigurationToken* shall execute its Swap procedure and shall become the  
21       InUse instance for this protocol type.
  - 22       □ This Session Configuration Protocol instance shall become Suspended.

23   If the access terminal receives a LockConfiguration message, then the access terminal shall respond  
24   with a ConfigurationLockAck message and shall set ConfigurationLock to Locked. If the access  
25   terminal receives an UnLockConfiguration message, then the access terminal shall respond with an  
26   UnLockConfigurationAck message and shall set ConfigurationLock to UnLocked.

#### 27   **2.4.5.6.2 Access network requirements**

28   While in this state, the access network may send a TokenAssignment message to change the value of  
29   the *SessionConfigurationToken* if the value of the ConfigurationLock parameter is UnLocked. The  
30   access network shall not send a TokenAssignment message if the value of the ConfigurationLock  
31   parameter is Locked.

32   Upon receiving a TokenComplete message in response to the TokenAssignment message, the access  
33   network shall perform the following:

- 34       ■ If the *SessionConfigurationToken* specified by the TokenAssignment message is different  
35       from the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken*, the access network shall perform the  
36       following:
  - 37       □ Issue an *AirLinkManagement.CloseConnection* command.
  - 38       □ If the Air Link Management Protocol is in the Connected State, wait to receive a  
39       *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed* indication.
  - 40       □ Execute the Save procedure for the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken*.

- ❑ Store the dynamic public data and attributes of the InUse Session Configuration Protocol instance.
- ❑ Set the *SessionConfigurationToken* static public data to the value specified in the TokenAssignment message.
- ❑ Restore the dynamic public data and attributes of the Suspended Session Configuration Protocol instance specified by the new *SessionConfigurationToken*.
- ❑ Return a *Reconfigured* indication.
- ❑ The Session Configuration Protocol instance specified by the new *SessionConfigurationToken* shall execute its Swap procedure and shall become the InUse instance for this protocol type.
- ❑ This Session Configuration Protocol instance shall become Suspended.

## 2.4.6 Message formats

### 2.4.6.1 TokensSupportedRequest

The access network sends the TokensSupportedRequest message to discover the set of *SessionConfigurationToken*'s supported by the access terminal.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8

MessageID                      The access network shall set this field to 0x00.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.4.6.2 TokensSupportedResponse

The access terminal sends the TokensSupportedResponse message in response to the TokensSupportedRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TokenCount	8

TokenCount occurrences of the following field:

{
SessionConfigurationToken                      16
}

MessageID                      The access terminal shall set this field to 0x01.

**TokenCount** The access terminal shall set this field to the number of *SessionConfigurationToken* fields included in this message. The access terminal shall include *TokenCount* occurrences of the following field with the message.

**SessionConfigurationToken**

The access terminal shall set this field to a *SessionConfigurationToken* supported by the access terminal.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.4.6.3 TokenUpdateRequest

The access terminal sends the *TokenUpdateRequest* message to request a new InUse *SessionConfigurationToken* assignment from the access network.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
TokenCount	8

*TokenCount* occurrences of the following field:

{	
SessionConfigurationToken	16
}	

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x02.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall increment this value modulo 256 for each new *TokenUpdateRequest* message sent.

**TokenCount** The access terminal shall set this field to the number of *SessionConfigurationToken* fields included in this message, where the *SessionConfigurationToken* values are in descending order of preference. The access terminal shall include *TokenCount* occurrences of the following field with the message.

**SessionConfigurationToken**

The access terminal shall set this field to a *SessionConfigurationToken* supported by the access terminal.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 2.4.6.4 TokenAssignment

The access network sends the TokenAssignment message to change the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken*.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8
SessionConfigurationToken	16

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x03.

**MessageSequence** The access network shall increment this value modulo 256 for each new TokenUpdateRequest message sent to this access terminal.

**SessionConfigurationToken** The access network shall set this field to the *SessionConfigurationToken* that it is assigning to the access terminal.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 2.4.6.5 TokenComplete

The access terminal sends the TokenComplete message to notify the access network that it has received the TokenAssignment message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x04.

**MessageSequence** The access terminal shall set this field to the MessageSequence field of the TokenAssignment message whose receipt this message is acknowledging.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.4.6.6 LockConfiguration

The access network sends the LockConfiguration message to set the ConfigurationLock parameter in the access terminal to Locked.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x05.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to the TransactionID field of the last LockConfiguration message sent by the access network. If this is the first LockConfiguration message sent by the access network, the access network shall set this field to zero.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.4.6.7 LockConfigurationAck

The access terminal sends the LockConfigurationAck message to acknowledge the receipt of a LockConfiguration message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x06.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to the TransactionID field of the LockConfiguration message that is being acknowledged.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.4.6.8 UnLockConfiguration

The access network sends the UnLockConfiguration message to set the ConfigurationLock parameter in the access terminal to UnLocked.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x07.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to the TransactionID field of the last UnLockConfiguration message sent by the access network. If this is the first UnLockConfiguration message sent by the access network, the access network shall set this field to zero.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 2.4.6.9 UnLockConfigurationAck

The access terminal sends the UnLockConfigurationAck message to acknowledge the receipt of an UnLockConfiguration message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x08.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to the TransactionID field of the UnLockConfiguration message that is being acknowledged.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

## 2.4.7 Interface to other protocols

### 2.4.7.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following command:

- *AirLinkManagement.CloseConnection*



### 2.4.7.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indication:

- *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*

### 2.4.8 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

### 2.4.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>SCPT</sub> Type	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>SCPD</sub> Default	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000

### 2.4.10 Session State information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol and the following parameters.

#### 2.4.10.1 ConfigurationLock parameter

**Table 2-6 Format of the parameter record for the ConfigurationLock parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
ConfigurationLock	8

**ParameterType** This field shall be set to 0x01 for this parameter record.

**Length** This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.

**ConfigurationLock** This field shall be set to 0x00 if the value of the ConfigurationLock is UnLocked and it shall be set to 0x01 if the value of the ConfigurationLock is set to Locked.

## 2.4.10.2 SessionConfigurationToken parameter

**Table 2-7 Format of the parameter record for the ConfigurationToken parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
SessionConfigurationToken	16

- ParameterType      This field shall be set to 0x02 for this parameter record.
- Length      This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.
- SessionConfigurationToken      This field shall be set to the value of the InUse *SessionConfigurationToken* assigned to the access terminal.

## 2.5 Default Capabilities Discovery Protocol

### 2.5.1 Overview

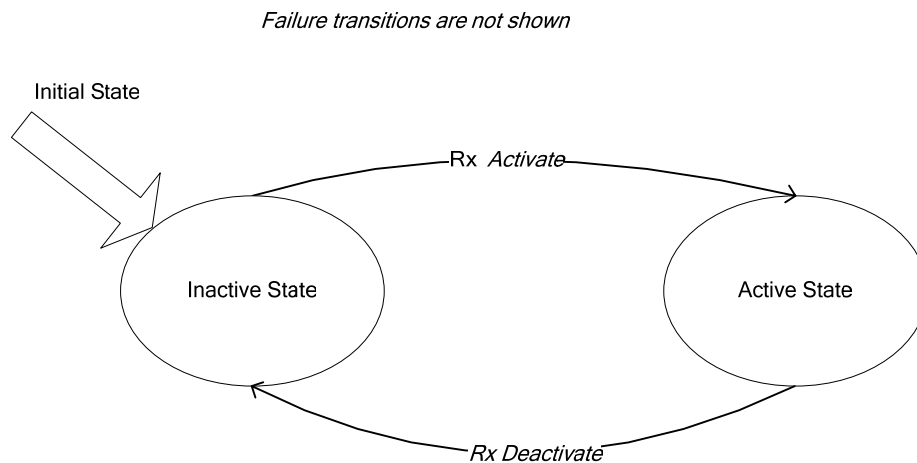
The Default Capabilities Discovery Protocol allows the access network to discover the capabilities of the access terminal.

This protocol uses the Signaling Transport to transmit and receive messages.

This protocol operates in one of two states:

- Inactive State: In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command. There are no communications between the access terminal and the access network.
- Active State: In this state the access terminal and the access network perform a CapabilitiesRequest/CapabilitesResponse exchange.

The protocol states and the messages and events causing the transition between the states are shown in Figure 2-8.



**Figure 2-8 Session Capabilities Discovery Protocol state diagram**

## 2.5.2 Primitives

### 2.5.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

### 2.5.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

## 2.5.3 Public data

### 2.5.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

### 2.5.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol
- All the attributes listed in 2.5.8.

## 2.5.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 2.5.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the protocol in the access terminal and access network shall perform the following:

- The value of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol at the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Inactive State

### 2.5.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap, the protocol in the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Active State.

## 2.5.5 Procedures

### 2.5.5.1 Processing the Activate command

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the protocol shall transition to the Active State.

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in the Active State, the command shall be ignored.

### 2.5.5.2 Processing the Deactivate command

If the protocol receives the *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

If the protocol receives the *Deactivate* command in the Active State, the protocol shall transition to the Inactive State

### 2.5.5.3 Inactive state

In this state, there are no communications between the access terminal and the access network.

In this state the protocol waits for the *Activate* command. See 2.5.5.1 for processing of the *Activate* command.

### 2.5.5.4 Active state

In this state the access terminal and the access network perform a CapabilitiesRequest/CapabilitiesResponse exchange.

## 2.5.6 Message formats

### 2.5.6.1 CapabilitiesRequest

The access network sends the CapabilitiesRequest message to discover the capabilities of the access terminal.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
AttributeCount	8

AttributeCount occurrences of the following field:

{	
AttributeID	16
}	

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x00.

**TransactionID** The access network shall increment this value for each new CapabilitiesRequest message sent.

**AttributeCount** The access network shall set this field to the number of AttributeID fields included in this message. The sender shall set this field to 0x00 to request the value of all attributes defined in 2.5.8. The access network shall include AttributeCount occurrences of the following field with the message.

**AttributeID** The access network shall set this field to the AttributeID for which this request is generated.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC
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<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
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<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast
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<b>Security</b>	Required
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## 2.5.6.2 CapabilitiesResponse

The access terminal sends the CapabilitiesResponse message in response to the CapabilitiesRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
AttributeCount	8

AttributeCount occurrences of the following field:

{	
AttributeRecord	Attribute dependent
}	

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x01.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this value to the TransactionID field of the corresponding CapabilitiesResponse message.

**AttributeCount** The access terminal shall set this field to the number of AttributeRecord fields included in this message. The access terminal shall include AttributeCount occurrences of the following field with the message.

**AttributeRecord** An attribute record containing a single attribute value. The format of the AttributeRecord is given in 10.3. The access terminal shall not include more than one attribute record with the same attribute identifier.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

## 2.5.7 Interface to other protocols

### 2.5.7.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

### 2.5.7.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

## 2.5.8 Configuration attributes

The access terminal and the access network shall not use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Capabilities Discovery Protocol.

### 2.5.8.1 Simple attributes

The negotiable simple attributes for this protocol are listed in Table 2-8. The access terminal shall use as defaults the values in Table 2-8 that are listed in ***bold italics***.

**Table 2-8 Configurable attributes**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x0000	NumRxAntennas	<b><i>0x0001</i></b>	1 receive antennas supported at the access terminal
		0x0001 to 0x0004	Number of receive antennas supported at the access terminal
		All other values	Reserved
0x0001	MaxPacketFormatFwd	<b><i>0x0001</i></b>	1 is the maximum Packet Format that can be supported by the access terminal on the forward link.
		0x0000 to 0x000f	Number of the maximum Packet Format that can be supported by the access terminal on the forward link.
		All other values	Reserved
0x0002	MaxPacketFormatRev	<b><i>0x0001</i></b>	1 is the maximum Packet Format that can be supported by the access terminal on the reverse link.
		0x0000 to 0x0009	Number of the maximum Packet Format that can be supported by the access terminal on the reverse link.
		All other values	Reserved
0x0003	MaxMIMOAssignmentFwd	<b><i>0x0000</i></b>	The access terminal does not support MIMO mode.
		0x0008 to 0x0800	The maximum number of sub-carriers that can be assigned to the access terminal on the forward link in units of carriers, when in MIMO mode.
		All other values	Reserved

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x0004	NumCarriers	<b>0x0001</b>	1 is the maximum number of carriers supported by the Access Terminal in multi-carrier mode.
		0x0001-0x0004	Maximum number of carriers supported by the access terminal in multi-carrier mode.
		All other values	Reserved
0x0005	MaxInterlaceAssignmentFwd	<b>0x0001</b>	1 is the maximum number of interlaces on which the access terminal can simultaneously receive MAC packets.
		0x0001 to 0x0006 (FDD)	The maximum number of interlaces on which the access terminal can simultaneously receive MAC packets.
		0x0001 to 0x000c (TDD)	
		All other values	Reserved
0x0006	MaxInterlaceAssignmentRev	<b>0x0001</b>	The maximum number of interlaces on which the access terminal can simultaneously transmit MAC packets.
		0x0001 to 0x0006 (FDD)	The maximum number of interlaces on which the access terminal can simultaneously transmit MAC packets.
		0x0001 to 0x000c (TDD)	
		All other values	Reserved
0x0007	MaxPacketSizeFwd	<b>0x0001</b>	Maximum MAC packet size of 1 kbits can be received by the access terminal per interlace on the forward link.
		0x0001 to 0x0190	The maximum packet size that can be received by the access terminal per interlace on the forward link in units of kbits.
		All other values	Reserved



Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x0008	MaxPacketSizeRev	<b>0x0001</b>	A maximum MAC packet size of 1 kbits that can be transmitted by the access terminal per interlace on the reverse link.
		0x0001 to 0x0064	The maximum packet size that can be transmitted by the access terminal per interlace on the reverse link in units of kbits.
		All other values	Reserved
0x0009	SCWLayersSupported	<b>0x0000</b>	The access terminal does not support SCW transmission.
		0x0001 to NumRx Antennas	The maximum number of layers that the access terminal can support in MIMO SCW transmission.
		All other values	Reserved
0x000a	MCWLayersSupported	<b>0x0000</b>	The access terminal does not support MCW transmission.
		0x0001 to NumRx Antennas	The maximum number of layers that the access terminal can support in MIMO MCW transmission
		All other values	Reserved
0x000b	STTDsupport	<b>0x0000</b>	The access terminal does not support STTD transmission.
		0x0001	The access terminal supports STTD transmission.
		All other values	Reserved
0x000c	HalfDuplexSupportRequired	<b>0x0000</b>	The access terminal does not require half duplex support from the access network.
		0x0001	The access terminal requires half duplex support from the access network.
		All other values	Reserved

### 2.5.8.2 Complex attributes

The following complex attributes and default values are defined (see 10.3 for attribute record definition).

### 2.5.8.2.1 Support *PP*RAT attribute

*PP* is the two-digit hexadecimal RAT type according to 11.4, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
RATSupported	8	0x00
SupportedRATParametersLength	8	0x00
SupportedRATParameters	SupportedRATParametersLength × 8	N/A

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x01*PP*.

**RATSupported** The sender shall set this field to 0x00 if the RAT *PP* is not supported. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to 0x01 if the RAT *PP* is supported. All other values are reserved.

**SupportedRATParametersLength** The sender shall set this field to the length of the SupportedRATParameters record in units of octets. If the RATSupported field is set to 0x00, the sender shall set this field to 0x00. If the RATSupported field is set to 0x01, the sender shall set this field to 0x00 for RAT type 0x00 to 0x05.

**SupportedRATParameters** If SupportedRATParametersLength is 0x00, the sender shall omit this record.

### 2.5.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>CDPType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>CDPDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000

### 2.5.10 Session state information

This protocol does not define any parameter record to be included in a Session State Information record (see 10.10).

## 2.6 Default Inter Radio Access Technology (RAT) Protocol

### 2.6.1 Overview

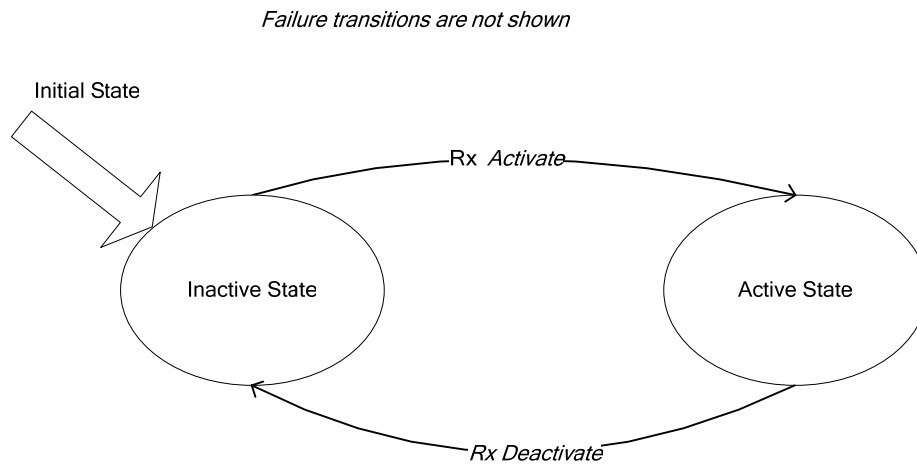
The Default Inter RAT Protocol allows the access network and access terminal to send messages for other radio access technologies.

This protocol uses the Signaling Transport to transmit and receive messages.

This protocol operates in one of two states:

- Inactive State: In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command. There are no communications between the access terminal and the access network.
- Active State: In this state the access terminal or the access network may send a InterRATBlob message.

The protocol states and the messages and events causing the transition between the states are shown in Figure 2-9.



**Figure 2-9 Inter RAT Protocol state diagram**

### 2.6.2 Primitives

#### 2.6.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

#### 2.6.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

## 2.6.3 Public data

### 2.6.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

### 2.6.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 2.6.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 2.6.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the protocol in the access terminal and access network shall perform the following:

- The protocol at the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Inactive State

### 2.6.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap, the protocol in the access terminal and the access network shall enter the Active State.

## 2.6.5 Procedures

### 2.6.5.1 Processing the Activate command

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the protocol shall transition to the Active State.

If the protocol receives the *Activate* command in the Active State, the command shall be ignored.

### 2.6.5.2 Processing the Deactivate command

If the protocol receives the *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

If the protocol receives the *Deactivate* command in the Active State, the protocol shall transition to the Inactive State

### 2.6.5.3 Inactive state

In this state, there are no communications between the access terminal and the access network.

In this state the protocol waits for the *Activate* command. See 2.6.5.1 for processing of the *Activate* command.

### 2.6.5.4 Active state

In this state the access terminal or the access network may send an InterRATBlob message.

## 2.6.6 Message formats

### 2.6.6.1 InterRATBlob

The access network or access terminal sends this message when it has an other radio access technology's message to send.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TechnologyType	8
TechnologyBlobLength	8
TechnologyBlob	8 × TechnologyBlobLength

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x00.

**TechnologyType** The sender shall include this field to indicate the type of technology as specified in 11.4.

**TechnologyBlobLength** The sender shall set this field to the length, in octets, of the TechnologyBlob.

**TechnologyBlob** The sender shall set this field to the message for the other technology. The interpretation of this field is beyond the scope of this specification.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

## 2.6.7 Interface to other protocols

### 2.6.7.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

### 2.6.7.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

## 2.6.8 Configuration attributes

This protocol does not have any configurable attributes.

## 2.6.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>IRATPType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>IRATPDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000

## 2.6.10 Session state information

This protocol does not define any parameter record to be included in a Session State Information record (see 10.10).

## 3 Convergence Sublayer

### 3.1 Introduction

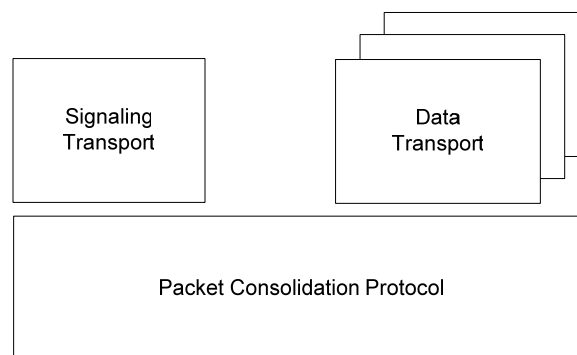
#### 3.1.1 General Overview

The Convergence Sublayer contains protocols and transports used to transport messages and data between the access terminal and the access network.

The Convergence Sublayer contains the following protocols and transports:

- Signaling Transport: Provides the means to carry messages between a protocol/transport in one entity and the same protocol/transport in the other entity. The Default Signaling Transport consists of a messaging protocol (Signaling Network Protocol) and a link layer protocol that provides message fragmentation, retransmission, and duplicate detection (Signaling Link Protocol).
- Data Transport: Provides the means to carry upper layer data. The Default Data Transport consists of a link layer protocol that provides fragmentation, retransmission, and duplicate detection (Radio Link Protocol); a Route Selection Protocol that provides two route instances for a higher layer packet flow; and a Flow Control Protocol that provides flow control of data traffic.
- Packet Consolidation Protocol: Provides multiplexing of distinct transports, transmit prioritization and packet encapsulation. The Default Packet Consolidation Protocol provides 8 Transports. Each Transport defined by the Default Packet Consolidation Protocol maps to a data-bearing transport such as the Signaling or Data Transport. The first Transport (Transport 0) always carries Signaling, and the other Transports can be used to carry, for example, the Default Packet Transport to support different Quality of Service (QoS) requirements for data or other transports.

The relationship between the Convergence Sublayer protocols is illustrated in Figure 2-1.



**Figure 3-1 Convergence Sublayer protocols**

## 3.2 Default Signaling Transport

### 3.2.1 Introduction

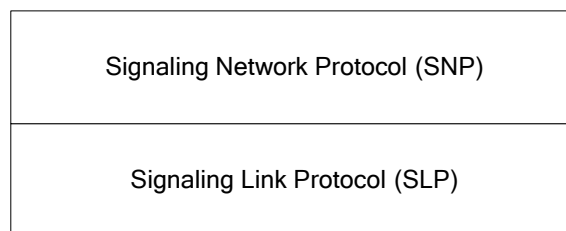
#### 3.2.1.1 General overview

The Default Signaling Transport is used to transport messages that manage air interface protocol objects in the access network and access terminal. The Default Signaling Transport encompasses the Signaling Network Protocol (SNP) and the Signaling Link Protocol (SLP). Protocols use SNP to exchange messages. SNP is also used for transport-specific control messages.

SNP provides a one octet header that defines the Type of the protocol with which the message is associated. The SNP uses the header to route the message to the appropriate protocol or transport instance.

SLP provides message fragmentation, reliable and best-effort message delivery and duplicate detection for messages that are delivered reliably.

The relationship between SNP and SLP is illustrated in Figure 3-2.



**Figure 3-2 Default signaling layer protocols**

#### 3.2.1.2 Public data

##### 3.2.1.2.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

##### 3.2.1.2.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this transport
- $N_{\text{SLPRequestLevelRev}}$



3.2.1.3 Data encapsulation

Figure 3-3 and Figure 3-4 illustrate the relationship between a message, SNP packets, SLP packets, and Packet Consolidation Protocol payloads. Figure 3-3 shows a case where SLP does not fragment the SNP packet. Figure 3-4 shows a case where the SNP packet is fragmented into more than one SLP payload.

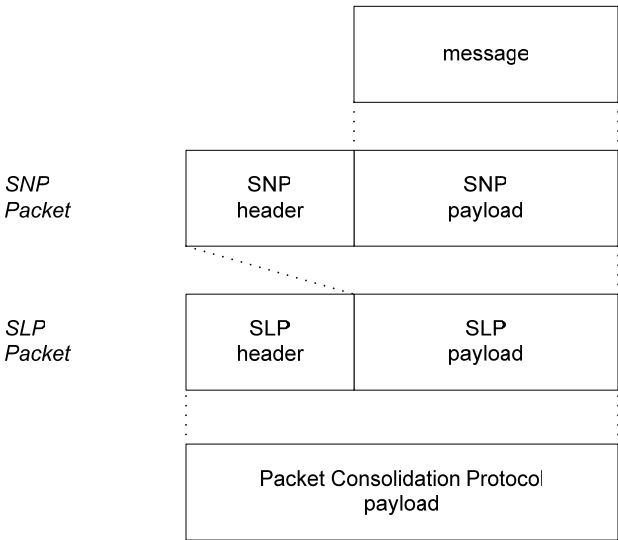


Figure 3-3 Message encapsulation (non-fragmented)

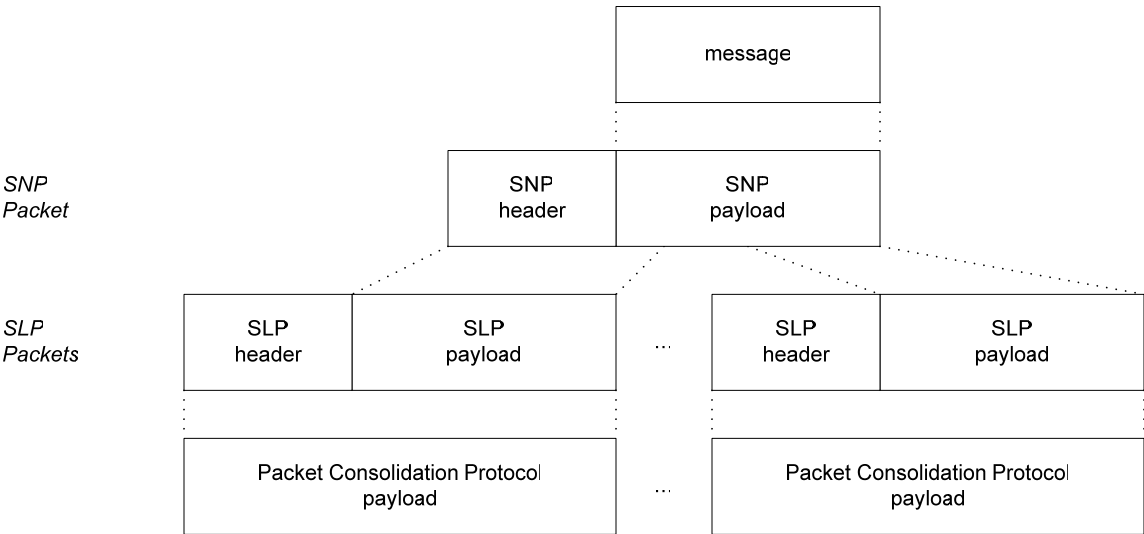


Figure 3-4 Message encapsulation (fragmented)

## 3.2.2 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 3.2.2.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the instance of the Signaling Transport in the access terminal and access network shall set the value of the attributes for this transport to the default values specified for each attribute.

### 3.2.2.2 Protocol swap

This protocol defines an empty swap procedure.

## 3.2.3 General signaling requirements

### 3.2.3.1 General requirements

The following requirements are common to all protocols that carry messages using SNP and that provide for message extensibility. The access terminal and the access network shall abide by the following rules when generating and processing any signaling message carried by SNP:

- Messages shall be an integer number of octets in length.
- The fields of the message shall be generated in the order specified by the message format definition. Within each field, the most significant bit of the field shall be generated and processed first.
- Message identifiers shall be unambiguous for each protocol Type and for each Subtype for all protocols compatible with the Air Interface, defined by MinimumRevision and above.
- For future revisions, the transmitter shall add new fields only at the end of a message. The transmitter shall not add fields if their addition makes the parsing of previous fields ambiguous for receivers whose protocol revision is equal to or greater than MinimumRevision.
- The receiver shall discard all unrecognized messages.
- The receiver shall discard all unrecognized fields.
- The receiver shall discard a message if any of the fields in the message is set to a value outside of the defined field range, unless the receiver is specifically directed to ignore this field. A field value is outside of the allowed range if a range was specified with the field and the value is not in this range, or the field is set to a value that is defined as invalid. The receiver shall discard a field in a message if the field is set to a reserved value.

### 3.2.3.2 Message information

Each message definition contains information regarding channels on which the message can be transmitted, whether the message requires SLP reliable or best-effort delivery, and the addressing modes applicable to the message. This information is provided in the form of a table, an example of which is given in Figure 3-5.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

**Figure 3-5 Sample message information**

The following values are defined:

- Channels: This information field indicates the MAC Protocols in the data path on which this message can be transmitted. The sender of the message shall send the message only on the MAC Protocol(s) indicated by this information field. Values are:
  - FTC for Forward Traffic Channel MAC,
  - RTC for Reverse Traffic Channel MAC.
- SLP: Signaling Link Protocol requirements. The sender of the message shall send the message only using the SLP in the mode(s) indicated by this information field. Values are:
  - Best Effort: the message is sent once and is subject to erasure, and
  - Reliable: erasures are detected and the message is retransmitted one or more times, if necessary.
- Addressing: Addressing modes for the message. The sender of the message shall send the message only with an address type(s) indicated by this information field. Values are:
  - Broadcast if a broadcast address can be used with this message, and
  - Unicast if a unicast address can be used with this message.
- Security: Security modes for the message. The sender of the message shall send the message only with a security type(s) indicated by this information field. Values are:
  - Required: if SecurityEnabled public data of the Security Protocol is set to '1', then the message shall be sent with IsSecure field of the Lower MAC header set to '1'. Any message received when SecurityEnabled public data of the Security Protocol is set to '1' and the IsSecure field of the Lower MAC header is set to '0' shall be discarded, and
  - Optional: the message is always processed.

## 3.2.4 Signaling Network Protocol

### 3.2.4.1 Overview

The Signaling Network Protocol (SNP) routes messages to protocols and transports specified by the Type field provided in the SNP header.

The actual protocol indicated by the Type is defined by the InUse SessionConfigurationToken. For example, Type 0x11 is associated with the Session Management Protocol. The specific Session Management Protocol used (and, therefore, the Session Management protocol generating and processing the messages delivered by SNP) is defined by the InUse SessionConfigurationToken.

The Type field forms a single octet header.

The remainder of the message following the SNP header is processed by the protocol specified by the Type.

SNP is a protocol associated with the Default Signaling Transport.

### 3.2.4.2 Primitives

#### 3.2.4.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

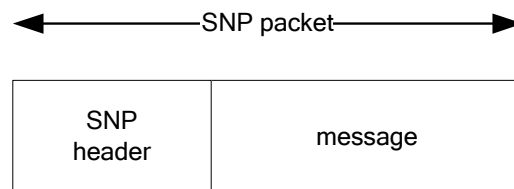
#### 3.2.4.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

#### 3.2.4.3 Protocol data unit

The protocol data unit for this protocol is an SNP packet. Each SNP packet consists of one message sent by a protocol using SNP.

The protocol constructs an SNP packet by adding the SNP header (see 3.2.4.6) in front of the payload. The structure of the SNP packet is shown in Figure 3-6.



**Figure 3-6 SNP packet structure**

### 3.2.4.4 Procedures

SNP receives messages for transmission from multiple protocols and transports. SNP shall add the SNP header to each message and forward it for transmission to SLP.

SNP receives messages from SLP. SNP shall route these messages to their associated protocols and transports according to the value of the Type field in the SNP header.

If an SNP message is to be transmitted on the Forward Traffic Channel or on the Reverse Traffic Channel, and if a connection is not open, SNP shall issue an *AirLinkManagement.OpenConnection*

command. SNP should queue all messages requiring transmission in the Forward Traffic Channel or in the Reverse Traffic Channel until the protocol receives an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication.

### 3.2.4.5 Type definitions

Type definitions associated with the default protocol stack are presented in Table 3-1. The constant name and protocol layer are provided for informational purposes.

**Table 3-1 Default protocol stack type values**

Type	Protocol	Constant Name
0x00	Physical Layer Protocol	N <sub>PHYType</sub>
0x01	Control Channel MAC Protocol	N <sub>CCMPTType</sub>
0x02	Access Channel MAC Protocol	N <sub>ACMPTType</sub>
0x03	Forward Traffic Channel MAC Protocol	N <sub>FTCMPTType</sub>
0x04	Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol	N <sub>RTCMPTType</sub>
0x05	Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol	N <sub>RCCMPTType</sub>
0x06	Shared Signaling MAC Protocol	N <sub>SSMPTType</sub>
0x07	Air Link Management Protocol	N <sub>ALMPTType</sub>
0x08	Initialization State Protocol	N <sub>ISPTType</sub>
0x09	Idle State Protocol	N <sub>IDPTType</sub>
0x0a	Connected State Protocol	N <sub>CSPTType</sub>
0x0b	Active Set Management Protocol	N <sub>ASMPTType</sub>
0x0c	Overhead Messages Protocol	N <sub>OMPTType</sub>
0x0d	Authentication Protocol	N <sub>APTType</sub>
0x0e	Encryption Protocol	N <sub>EPTType</sub>
0x0f	Security Protocol	N <sub>SPTType</sub>
0x10	Key Exchange Protocol	N <sub>KEPTType</sub>
0x11	Session Management Protocol	N <sub>SMPTType</sub>
0x12	Address Management Protocol	N <sub>ADMPTType</sub>
0x13	Session Configuration Protocol	N <sub>SCPTType</sub>
0x14	Capabilities Discovery Protocol	N <sub>CDPTType</sub>
0x15	InterRAT Protocol	N <sub>IRATPTType</sub>
0x16	Packet Consolidation Protocol	N <sub>PCPTType</sub>
0x17	Transport 0	N <sub>TPT0Type</sub>
0x18	Transport 1	N <sub>TPT1Type</sub>
0x19	Transport 2	N <sub>TPT2Type</sub>
0x1a	Transport 3	N <sub>TPT3Type</sub>
0x1b	Transport 4	N <sub>TPT4Type</sub>
0x1c	Transport 5	N <sub>TPT5Type</sub>
0x1d	Transport 6	N <sub>TPT6Type</sub>
0x1e	Transport 7	N <sub>TPT7Type</sub>

### 3.2.4.6 SNP packet header

The SNP shall place the following header in front of every message that it sends:

Field	Length (bits)
Type	8

Type                      Protocol Type. This field shall be set the Type value for the protocol associated with the encapsulated message.

### 3.2.4.7 Message formats

No messages are defined for this protocol.

### 3.2.4.8 Interface to other protocols

#### 3.2.4.8.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following command:

- *AirLinkManagement.OpenConnection*

#### 3.2.4.8.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *IdleState.ConnectionOpened*

## 3.2.5 Signaling Link Protocol

### 3.2.5.1 Overview

The purpose of the Signaling Link Protocol (SLP) is to provide best effort and reliable delivery for SNP packets. SLP provides retransmission and duplicate detection for messages using reliable delivery. SLP provides fragmentation and re-assembly for SNP packets. SLP does not ensure in-order delivery of SNP packets.

The delivery flow variable  $P$  takes value “BE” or ‘0’ for best effort delivery, and value “RD” or ‘1’ for reliable delivery. The reliable delivery flow provides two sequence spaces variables  $Q_{Tx}$  and  $Q_{Rx}$  for transmission and reception of SNP packets respectively. The transmitter toggles the sequence space variable  $Q_{Tx}$  between ‘0’ and ‘1’ to indicate a reset. The receiver sequence space variable  $Q_{Rx}$  tracks the value of  $Q_{Tx}$  and detects when the transmitter has performed a reset. For best effort delivery flow, the SequenceSpace field in the SLP header takes value ‘0’ to indicate no sequence number or packet framing fields in the SLP header, and value ‘1’ to indicate the presence of the sequence number and packet framing fields in the SLP header.

SLP is a protocol associated with the Default Signaling Transport.

### 3.2.5.2 Primitives

#### 3.2.5.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

#### 3.2.5.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

#### 3.2.5.3 Protocol data unit

The transmission unit of this protocol is an SLP packet.

#### 3.2.5.4 Procedures

Unless explicitly specified, SLP requirements for the access terminal and the access network are identical; and are, therefore, presented in terms of transmitter and receiver.

SLP receives SNP packets for transmission and forms an SLP packet by prepending the SLP packet header defined in 3.2.5.5 with a number of received contiguous octets. The policy SLP follows in determining the number of octets to send in an SLP packet is beyond the scope of this specification. It is subject to the following requirements:

- The size of an SLP packet shall not exceed the maximum payload length that can be carried by the Packet Consolidation Protocol given the target channel and current transmission rate on that channel.
- The SLP payload shall contain octets from no more than one SNP packet.

SLP shall construct the SLP payload(s) from an SNP packet. If the SNP packet exceeds the current maximum SLP payload size, then the sender shall fragment the SNP packet. If the sender does not fragment the SNP packet, then the SNP packet is the SLP payload. If the sender does fragment the SNP packet, then each SNP packet fragment is an SLP payload.

SLP makes use of the ResetRequest, ResetAck, and ReceiverStatus messages to perform control related operations.

SLP is an Ack and Nak-based protocol with a sequence space size of  $2^{\text{SequenceLength}}$  bytes.

All operations and comparisons performed on SLP packet sequence numbers shall be carried out in unsigned modulo  $2^J$  arithmetic, where  $J$  represents the value of SequenceLength. For any SLP octet sequence number  $X$ , the sequence numbers in the range  $[X+1, X+2^{J-1}-1]$  shall be considered greater than  $X$  and the sequence numbers in the range  $[X-2^{J-1}, X-1]$  shall be considered smaller than  $X$ .

#### 3.2.5.4.1 Initialization and reset

The SLP initialization procedure initializes the SLP variables and data structures in one end of the link. The SLP reset procedure guarantees that SLP state variables on both sides are synchronized. The reset procedure includes initialization.

If the protocol receives an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication then the access terminal and the access network shall perform the initialization procedures defined in 3.2.5.4.1.1.1 and 3.2.5.4.1.1.2 for both the reliable and best effort flows.

The SLP shall set the sequence space variables  $Q_{Tx}$  and  $Q_{Rx}$  to '0' after reception of an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication. The SLP shall toggle the value of the sequence space variables  $Q_{Tx}$  and  $Q_{Rx}$  between '0' and '1' for every subsequent reset.

### 3.2.5.4.1.1 Initialization procedure

#### 3.2.5.4.1.1.1 Initialization procedure for the SLP transmitter

When SLP transmitter performs the initialization procedure it shall:

- Reset the send state variable  $V(S)_P$  to zero.
- Clear the retransmission queue.

#### 3.2.5.4.1.1.2 Initialization procedure for the SLP receiver

When SLP receiver performs the initialization procedure it shall:

- Reset the receive state variables  $V(R)_P$  and  $V(N)_P$  to zero.
- Clear the re-assembly buffer.

### 3.2.5.4.1.2 Reset procedure

The reset procedure shall only be used to reset the reliable delivery flows.

#### 3.2.5.4.1.2.1 Reset procedure for the initiating side when it is an SLP transmitter

If the side initiating a reset procedure for the reliable delivery flow is an SLP transmitter, then it shall:

- Perform the SLP transmitter initialization procedure defined in 3.2.5.4.1.1.1 for the reliable delivery flow.
- Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{Tx}$ .

The SLP transmitter shall not reset again until it receives a ReceiverStatus message with a SequenceSpace field equal to the new value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{Tx}$  from the SLP receiver.

The SLP transmitter shall ignore any received ResetRequest messages until it receives a ReceiverStatus message with a SequenceSpace field with the new value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{Tx}$  from the SLP receiver.

#### 3.2.5.4.1.2.2 Reset procedure for initiating side when it is an SLP receiver

If the side initiating a reset procedure for the reliable delivery flow is an SLP receiver, then it shall enter the SLP Reset state.



1 Upon entering the SLP Reset state, SLP shall:

- 2       ■ Perform the SLP receiver initialization procedure defined in 3.2.5.4.1.1.2 for the reliable  
3       delivery flow.
- 4       ■ Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{Rx}$ .
- 5       ■ Send a ResetRequest message
- 6       ■ Ignore all SLP data octets received while in the SLP Reset state for the reliable delivery  
7       flow with SequenceSpace field not equal to the sequence space variable  $Q_{Rx}$ .
- 8       ■ If a ResetAck message is received with a TransactionID field equal to the TransactionID  
9       sent in the ResetRequest message, SLP shall leave the Reset state.
- 10      ■ If an SLP data octet is received with a SequenceSpace field equal to the sequence space  
11      variable  $Q_{Rx}$ , SLP shall leave the SLP Reset state.

12 If a ResetAck is received while not in the SLP Reset state, the message shall be ignored.

13 The SLP receiver may determine that the ResetRequest was lost if it does not leave the SLP Reset  
14 state within an implementation-dependent time interval based on  $T_{SLPWaitAck}$  and an estimate of the  
15 round-trip delay. If the SLP receiver determines that the ResetRequest was lost, then the SLP receiver  
16 shall send a new ResetRequest message.

#### 17 **3.2.5.4.1.2.3 Reset procedure for the responding side when it is an SLP receiver**

18 Upon receiving an SLP data octet for the reliable delivery flow with a SequenceSpace field not equal  
19 to the sequence space variable  $Q_{Rx}$ , SLP shall:

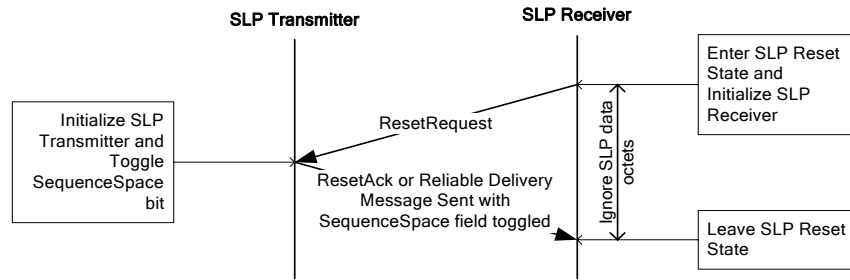
- 20       ■ Perform the SLP receiver initialization procedure defined in 3.2.5.4.1.1.2 for the reliable  
21       delivery flow.
- 22       ■ Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{Rx}$ .

#### 23 **3.2.5.4.1.2.4 Reset procedure for the responding side when it is a SLP transmitter**

24 If the side responding to a reset procedure for the reliable delivery flow is an SLP transmitter, then  
25 upon receiving a ResetRequest message, SLP shall perform the following procedures:

- 26       ■ If the sequence space variable  $Q_{Tx}$  is not equal to the value of the SequenceSpace field in  
27       the ResetRequest message, then SLP shall:
  - 28       □ Perform the SLP transmitter initialization procedure defined in 3.2.5.4.1.1.1 for the  
29       reliable delivery flow.
  - 30       □ Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{Tx}$ .
- 31       ■ Respond with a ResetAck message.

### 3.2.5.4.1.2.5 SLP Reset message flows



**Figure 3-7 SLP reset procedure initiated by SLP receiver data transfer**

### 3.2.5.4.2 SLP transmit procedures

The SLP transmitter shall maintain a SequenceLength-bit variable  $V(S)_P$  for all transmitted SLP octets (see Figure 3-8), where the delivery flow  $P$  takes on the value “BE” or ‘0’ for best effort delivery and “RD” or ‘1’ for reliable delivery.  $V(S)_P$  is the sequence number of the next SLP octet to be sent on delivery flow  $P$ . The sequence number field (SEQ) in each new SLP packet transmitted shall be set to  $V(S)_P$ , corresponding to the sequence number of the first octet in the payload. The sequence number of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  octet in the payload (with the first octet being octet 0) is implicitly given by  $\text{SEQ} + i$ .  $V(S)_P$  shall be incremented for each octet contained in the SLP payload.

If the SLP payload contains the beginning of an SNP packet, then the sender shall set the SLP header First field to ‘1’; otherwise, the sender shall set the SLP header First field to ‘0’.

If the SLP payload contains the end of an SNP packet, then the sender shall set the SLP header Last field to ‘1’; otherwise, the sender shall set the SLP header Last field to ‘0’.

#### 3.2.5.4.2.1 Best effort delivery transmit procedures

If the SLP payload contains the beginning of an SNP packet and the end of an SNP packet, the sender shall set the SLP header SequenceSpace field to ‘0’; otherwise, the sender shall set the SLP header SequenceSpace field to ‘1’.

#### 3.2.5.4.2.2 Reliable delivery transmit procedures

If a ReceiverStatus message is received with the SequenceSpace field not equal to the value of  $Q_{Tx}$ , the message shall be ignored.

If the SLP transmitter is an access terminal, and if a *RTCMAC.ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed* indication is received for octets sent with the sequence space not equal to the value of  $Q_{Tx}$ , then the indication shall be ignored.

Upon receiving a ReceiverStatus message, SLP shall transmit the missing octet(s) (if any) conveyed by the ReceiverStatus message if those octets have not been retransmitted  $N_{\text{SLPAttempt}} - 1$  times before. If the  $V(R)_{RD}$  conveyed in the ReceiverStatus message is smaller than  $V(S)_{RD} - 1$ , then the SLP transmitter may re-transmit one or more of the octets with sequence numbers from  $V(R)_{RD}$  to  $V(S)_{RD} - 1$ , inclusive, if those octets have not been retransmitted  $N_{\text{SLPAttempt}} - 1$  times before.

The SLP transmitter shall meet the following requirements for each octet transmitted:

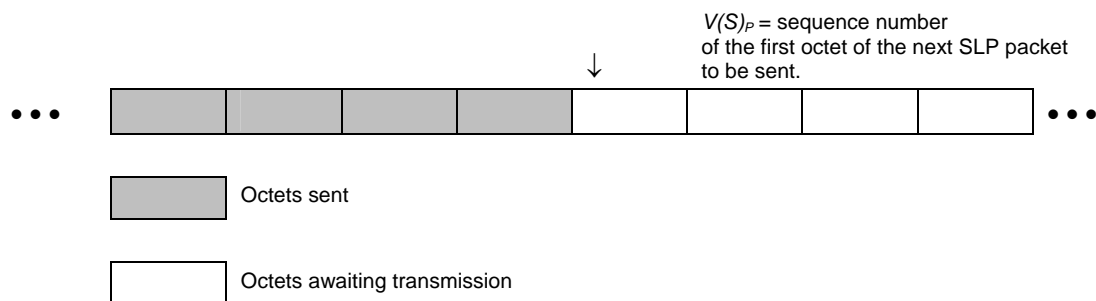
1. After transmitting an octet, the SLP transmitter shall start a wait Ack timer for time  $T_{SLPWaitAck}$ .
2. If the SLP transmitter receives a ReceiverStatus message acknowledging the octet before the wait Ack timer expires, the SLP transmitter shall disable the timer.
3. If the timer expires and the octet has not been retransmitted  $N_{SLPAttempt}-1$  times before, the SLP transmitter shall retransmit the octets and repeat steps 1 and 2.

If the SLP transmitter is the access network, and the ReceiverStatus record includes any sequence number greater than or equal to  $V(S)_{RD}$ , SLP shall perform the reset procedures specified in 3.2.5.4.1.2.1 for forward link reliable delivery flow.

If the SLP transmitter is the access terminal, and the ReceiverStatus record includes any sequence number greater than or equal to  $V(S)_{RD}$ , SLP shall perform the reset procedures specified in 3.2.5.4.1.2.1 for reverse link reliable delivery flow.

If SLP has already transmitted  $2^{SequenceLength-1}$  SLP octets, SLP shall transmit an SLP packet with sequence number  $n$ , only after receiving acknowledgments for the SLP packets transmitted with sequence number  $n - 2^{SequenceLength-1}$  and below, or after determining that these SLP packets could not be delivered.

Reliable delivery SLP packets shall be stored in the buffer when they are first transmitted and may be deleted from the buffer, when they are acknowledged or when SLP determines that they could not be delivered.



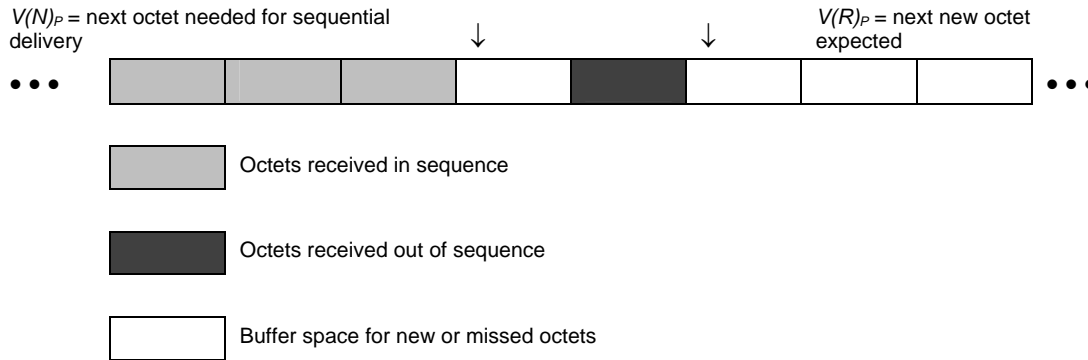
**Figure 3-8 SLP transmit sequence number variable**

Upon receiving a *RTCMAC.ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed* indication for reverse link the SLP transmitter in the access terminal shall transmit the requested octet(s) if the requested octets have not been retransmitted  $N_{SLPAttempt}-1$  times before.

### 3.2.5.4.3 SLP receive procedures

The SLP receiver shall maintain an independent re-assembly buffer for each Connection Endpoint as defined by the Address Management Protocol.

The SLP receiver shall maintain two SequenceLength-bit variables for receiving,  $V(R)_P$  and  $V(N)_P$  (see Figure 3-9), where  $P$  is “BE” or ‘0’ for best effort delivery and “RD” or ‘1’ for reliable delivery.  $V(R)_P$  contains the sequence number of the next octet expected to arrive.  $V(N)_P$  contains the sequence number of the first missing octet, as described below.



**Figure 3-9 SLP receive sequence number variables**

In addition, the SLP receiver shall keep track of the status of each octet in its re-assembly buffer indicating whether the octet was received or not. Use of this status is implied in the following procedures.

#### 3.2.5.4.3.1 Best effort delivery receive procedures

If the SequenceSpace field in the SLP header is ‘0’, SLP shall pass the complete SNP packet to the SNP. Otherwise, in the following,  $X$  denotes the sequence number of a received octet. For each received octet, SLP shall perform the following procedures:

- If  $X < V(R)_{BE}$ :
  - SLP shall perform the initialization procedure defined in 3.2.5.4.1.1.2 for the best effort flow.
- SLP shall store the received octet in the re-assembly buffer.
- SLP shall set  $V(R)_{BE}$  to  $X+1$ .
- SLP shall pass all complete SNP packets in the re-assembly buffer, that have not been passed to the SNP, from the beginning of the re-assembly buffer upward, to the SNP.

The SLP receiver shall meet the following requirements for each SLP packet received on a best effort flow:

- If the SLP packet is not carrying the last segment of a fragmented SNP packet, the SLP receiver shall start a wait next segment timer for time  $T_{SLPWaitNextSegment}$ . If the wait next segment timer is currently enabled, the SLP receiver shall reset and restart the timer.
- If the SLP packet is carrying the last segment of a fragmented SNP packet, the SLP receiver shall disable the timer.
- If the timer expires and the last segment of a fragmented SNP packet has not been received, the SLP receiver shall perform the initialization procedures defined in 3.2.5.4.1.1.2 for the best effort flow.

### 3.2.5.4.3.2 Reliable delivery receive procedures

The SLP receiver informs the SLP transmitter of the status of octets in its receive buffer by sending a ReceiverStatus message. The ReceiverStatus message shall convey all missing data from  $V(N)_{RD}$  onwards that has not been conveyed in a ReceiverStatus message  $N_{SLPAttempt}-1$  times before, and  $V(R)_{RD}$ . The ReceiverStatus message may convey missing data that has been conveyed in  $N_{SLPAttempt}-1$  previous ReceiverStatus messages. The ReceiverStatus message shall not convey status of octets with sequence number less than  $V(N)_{RD}$ .

In the following,  $X$  denotes the sequence number of a received octet. For each received octet, SLP shall perform the following procedures:

- The SLP receiver shall send a ReceiverStatus message for the octet such that the message arrives at the SLP transmitter before the  $T_{SLPWaitAck}$  timer expires.
- If  $X < V(N)_{RD}$ , the octet shall be discarded as a duplicate.
- If  $V(N)_{RD} \leq X < V(R)_{RD}$ , and the octet is not already stored in the re-assembly buffer, then:
  - SLP shall store the received octet in the re-assembly buffer.
  - SLP shall pass all complete SNP packets in the re-assembly buffer, that have not been passed to the SNP, from the beginning of the re-assembly buffer upward, to the SNP.
  - If  $X = V(N)_{RD}$ , then SLP shall set  $V(N)_{RD}$  to (LAST+1) where LAST is the sequence number of the last contiguous octet in the re-assembly buffer.
- If  $V(N)_{RD} < X < V(R)_{RD}$ , and the octet has already been stored in the re-assembly buffer, then the octet shall be discarded as a duplicate.
- If  $X = V(R)_{RD}$ , then:
  - SLP shall store the received octet in the re-assembly buffer.
  - SLP shall pass all complete SNP packets in the re-assembly buffer, that have not been passed to the SNP, from the beginning of the re-assembly buffer upward, to the SNP.
  - If  $V(R)_{RD} = V(N)_{RD}$ , then SLP shall increment  $V(N)_{RD}$  and  $V(R)_{RD}$ .
  - If  $V(R)_{RD} \neq V(N)_{RD}$ , then SLP shall increment  $V(R)_{RD}$ .
- If  $X > V(R)_{RD}$ , then:
  - SLP shall store the octet in the re-assembly buffer.
  - SLP shall pass all complete SNP packets in the re-assembly buffer, that have not been passed to the SNP, from the beginning of the re-assembly buffer upward, to the SNP.
  - SLP shall include a Nak for the missing SLP octets from  $V(R)_{RD}$  to  $X-1$ , inclusive in the ReceiverStatus message.
  - SLP shall set  $V(R)_{RD}$  to  $X+1$ .

The SLP receiver shall include all missing octets in each ReceiverStatus message sent. If  $N_{SLPAttempt}-1$  Naks have been sent for a missing octet, the SLP shall set  $V(N)_{RD}$  to the sequence number of the next missing octet, or to  $V(R)_{RD}$  if there are no remaining missing octets. If the SLP receiver determines that a missing octet shall not be retransmitted, the SLP shall set  $V(N)_{RD}$  to the sequence number of the

next missing octet, or to  $V(R)_{RD}$  if there are no remaining missing octets. The SLP may determine that a missing octet shall not be retransmitted based on the arrival time of the first octet received after the missing octet, the number of attempts for each octet  $N_{SLPAttempt}$  and the retransmission time  $T_{SLPWaitAck}$ . Further recovery is the responsibility of the protocol sending the missing SNP packet(s).

### 3.2.5.5 SLP packet header

The SLP packet header, which precedes the SLP payload, has the following format:

Field	Length (bits)
ReliableDelivery	1
SequenceSpace	1
First	0 or 1
Last	0 or 1
SEQ	0 or SequenceLength
OctetAlignmentPad	0 or 6

**ReliableDelivery** Reliable or best effort delivery flag. The sender shall set this flag to '1' to for the reliable delivery flow. Otherwise the sender shall set this flag to '0'.

**SequenceSpace** Sequence space flag for reliable delivery, and sequence space and framing present flag for best effort delivery. If the ReliableDelivery field is set to '1', the sender shall set this flag to the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{Tx}$ . If the ReliableDelivery field is set to '0', the sender shall set this flag to '1' if the First, Last and SEQ fields are included in the SLP packet header. Otherwise, the sender shall set this flag to '0'.

**First** The sender shall include this field if the ReliableDelivery field is set to '1', or the ReliableDelivery field is set to '0' and the SequenceSpace field is set to 1. Otherwise the sender shall omit this field. If the payload of this SLP packet is the first segment of a SNP packet, then the sender shall set this field to '1'. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.

**Last** The sender shall include this field if the ReliableDelivery field is set to '1', or the ReliableDelivery field is set to '0' and the SequenceSpace field is set to 1. Otherwise the sender shall omit this field. If the payload of this SLP packet is the last segment of a SNP packet, then the sender shall set this field to '1'. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.

**SEQ** The sender shall include this field if the ReliableDelivery field is set to '1', or the ReliableDelivery field is set to '0' and the SequenceSpace field is set to 1. Otherwise the sender shall omit this field. The sender shall set this field to the SLP sequence number of the first octet in the SLP payload.

**OctetAlignmentPad** Octet alignment padding. The sender shall include this field and set it to '000000' if the ReliableDelivery field is set to '0' and SequenceSpace field is set to '0'. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this field.

### 3.2.5.6 Message formats

#### 3.2.5.6.1 ResetRequest

The SLP receiver in the access terminal or the access network sends the ResetRequest message to reset its peer SLP transmitter.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
Reserved	7
SequenceSpace	1

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x00.

**TransactionID** The sender shall increment this field for every new ResetRequest message it sends.

**Reserved** The sender shall set this field to '0000000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

**SequenceSpace** The sender shall set this flag to the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{Rx}$ .

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#### 3.2.5.6.2 ResetAck

The SLP transmitter in the access terminal or the access network sends the ResetAck message to complete the SLP reset procedure.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x01.

**TransactionID** The sender shall set this field to the TransactionID of the associated ResetRequest message.

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<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.2.5.6.3 ReceiverStatus

The access terminal and the access network send the ReceiverStatus message to acknowledge the receipt of one or more SLP octets or to request the retransmission of one or more SLP octets for the reliable delivery flow.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
Reserved0	7
SequenceSpace	1
ReportCount	8

ReportCount occurrences of the following 4 fields:

{

Reserved1	4
FirstErasedOctet	SequenceLength
Reserved2	4
WindowLen	SequenceLength

}

Reserved3	4
VR	SequenceLength

MessageID	The sender shall set this field to 0x02.
Reserved0	The sender shall set this field to '0000000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.
SequenceSpace	The sender shall set this flag to the value of the sequence space variable $Q_{Rx}$ .
ReportCount	The sender shall set this field to the number of Report records included in this message. The sender shall include ReportCount occurrences of the following four fields with the message.
Reserved1	The sender shall set this field to '0000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.
FirstErasedOctet	The sender shall set this field to the sequence number of the first SLP octet erased in a sequence of erased octets.
Reserved2	The sender shall set this field to '0000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.
WindowLen	The sender shall set this field to the length of the erased window in octets.
Reserved3	The sender shall set this field to '0000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.
VR	The sender shall set this field to $V(R)_{RD}$ .



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### 3.2.5.7 Interface to other protocols

#### 3.2.5.7.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

#### 3.2.5.7.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *IdleState.ConnectionOpened*
- *ActiveSetManagement.IdleHO*
- *ActiveSetManagement.ActiveSetUpdated*
- *RTCMAC.ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed* along with parameters indicating the missing octets.

### 3.2.5.8 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
SequenceLength	Length of the sequence number in the SLP header	20
N <sub>SLPRequestLevelRev</sub>	QoSFlow field is set to '00' for signaling requests in the R-REQCH for a reverse Link SLP packet	'00'
N <sub>SLPAttempt</sub>	Maximum Number of attempts for sending a reliable-delivery SLP packet	3
T <sub>SLPWaitAck</sub>	Retransmission timer for a reliable delivery SLP packet	200 ms
T <sub>SLPWaitNextSegment</sub>	Wait timer for the next segment of a best effort delivery SLP packet	10 seconds

### 3.2.6 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

### 3.2.7 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

This transport defines the following parameter records in addition to the configuration attributes for this transport.

### 3.2.7.1 SignalingLinkState parameter

**Table 3-2 Format of the parameter record for the SignalingLinkState parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
QTxState	1
QRxState	1
Reserved	6

ParameterType	This field shall be set to 0x01 for this parameter record.
Length	This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.
QTxState	This field shall be set to the value of the sequence state variable $Q_{Tx}$ .
QRxState	This field shall be set to the value of the sequence state variable $Q_{Rx}$ .
Reserved	This field shall be set to '000000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

## 3.3 Default Data Transport

### 3.3.1 Introduction

#### 3.3.1.1 General overview

The Default Data Transport provides multiple packet streams that can be used to carry packets between the access terminal and the access network. Each packet stream is called a Link Flow. Each Link Flow provides two routes for transmission and reception of higher layer payloads. These routes are named Route A and Route B and can be carried using a single receiver-transmitter pair. Each route is associated with a transmitter-receiver pair. Figure 3-10 shows the association between a forward Link Flow and the transmitters and receivers for its two routes. Figure 3-11 shows the reference architecture for a reverse Link Flow.

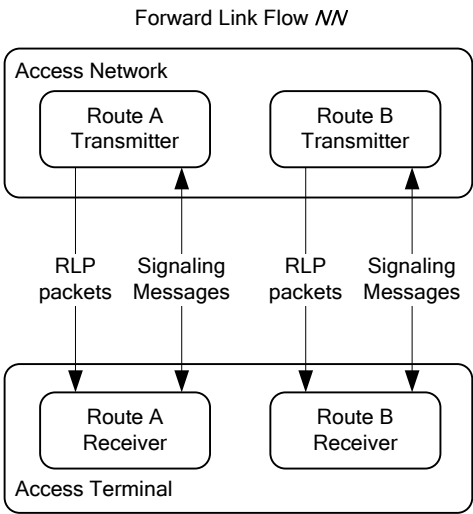


Figure 3-10 Reference architecture for a forward link flow

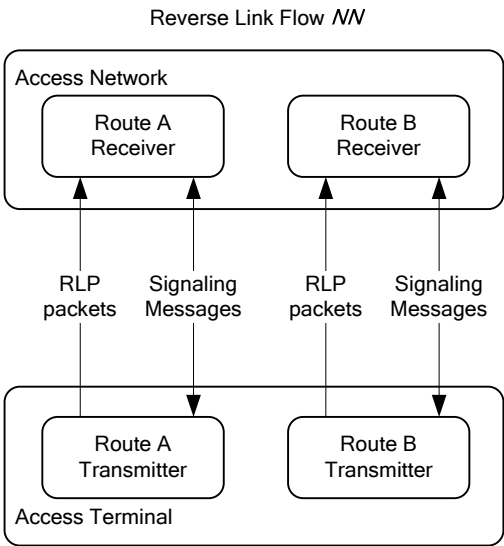
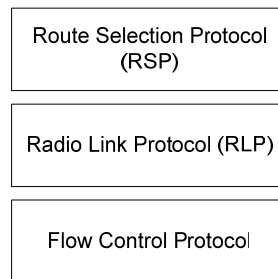


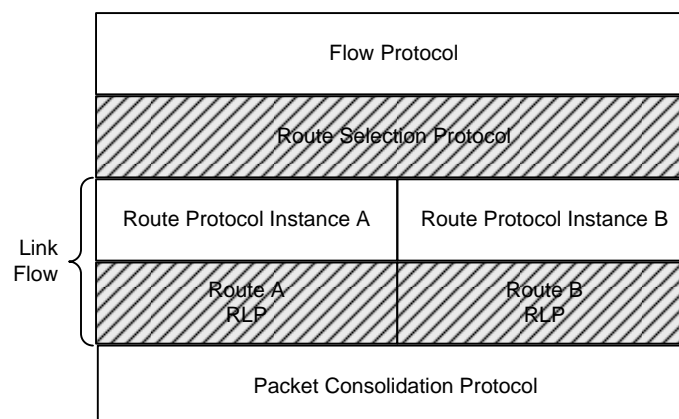
Figure 3-11 Reference architecture for a reverse link flow

The relationship between the Default Data Transport protocols is illustrated in Figure 3-12.



**Figure 3-12 Default data transport protocols**

Figure 3-13 illustrates the relationship for each Link Flow between the Default Data Transport and the higher layer protocols supported by the Default Data Transport. The Flow Protocol and the Route Protocol are referred to as higher layer protocols. The protocols defined in the Default Data Transport are shown shaded. The Route Selection Protocol routes Flow Protocol PDUs to either instance A or instance B of the Route Protocol. Instance A of the Route Protocol is bound to Route A of the Link Flow. Instance B of the Route Protocol is bound to Route B of the Link Flow.



**Figure 3-13 Relationship between default data transport and higher layer protocols**

The Default Data Transport provides:

- The Route Selection Protocol, which routes Flow Protocol PDUs over either Route A or Route B of a Link Flow.
- The Radio Link Protocol (RLP), which provides retransmission (if needed) and duplicate detection of higher layer packets transmitted on each route.
- The Flow Control Protocol, which provides flow control for the Default Data Transport.
- The ability to negotiate protocol parameters for all protocols in the Default Data Transport.

### 3.3.1.2 Public data

#### 3.3.1.2.1 Static public data

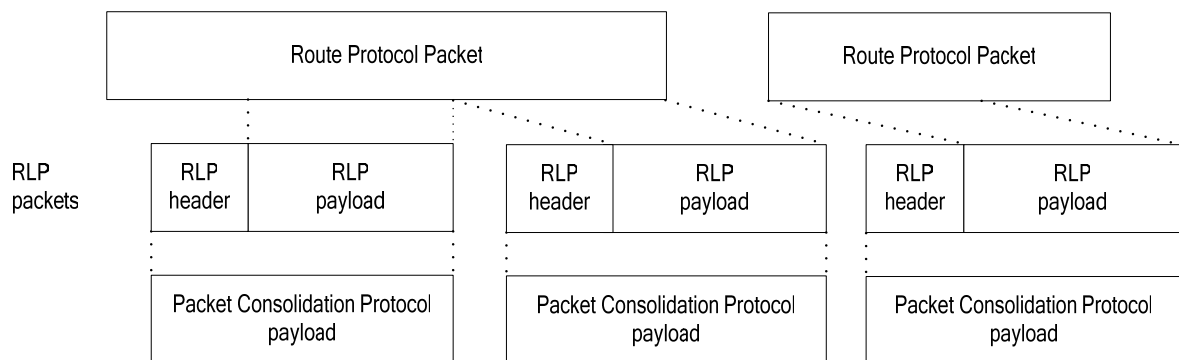
This protocol does not define any static public data.

#### 3.3.1.2.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this transport
- Flow $NN$ RequestLevelRev, where  $NN$  is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$  inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

### 3.3.1.3 Data encapsulation

Figure 3-14 illustrates the relationship between packets from the Route Protocol, RLP packets, and Packet Consolidation Protocol payload.



**Figure 3-14 Default data transport encapsulation**

The Default Data Transport uses the Signaling Transport to transmit and receive messages.

## 3.3.2 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 3.3.2.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the instance of the Data Transport (i.e., corresponding to the Transport defined in the Packet Consolidation Protocol to which this transport is bound) in the access terminal and access network shall perform the following:

- The value of the attributes for this transport instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The Flow Control Protocol associated with the instance of the Data Transport at the access terminal and access network shall enter the Close State<sup>3</sup>.

<sup>3</sup> Forward and reverse link Reservations 0xff initialized in the Open state so that data can be sent without having to perform a state transition.

- Forward and reverse link Reservations with ReservationLabel 0xff shall enter the Open state. All other Reservations shall enter the Close state.
- The Route Selection Protocol shall enter the A Open B Draining state.

### 3.3.2.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap, the instance of the Data Transport (i.e., corresponding to the Transport defined in the Packet Consolidation Protocol to which this transport is bound) in the access terminal and access network shall perform the following:

- The Route Selection Protocol shall enter the A Open B Draining state.

## 3.3.3 Route Selection Protocol

### 3.3.3.1 Overview

The Route Selection Protocol provides means to select either instance A or instance B of the Route Protocol. The Route Selection Protocol routes Flow Protocol PDUs to the selected instance of the Route Protocol. Instance A of the Route Protocol is bound to Route A of the Link Flow. Instance B of the Route Protocol is bound to Route B of the Link Flow. The Route Selection Protocol is a protocol associated with the Default Data Transport.

### 3.3.3.2 Primitives

#### 3.3.3.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

#### 3.3.3.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

### 3.3.3.3 Protocol data unit

The Route Selection Protocol routes Flow Protocol PDUs to the Route Protocol without modifying them. Hence, the transmission unit of this protocol is the same as a Flow Protocol PDU. The Flow Protocol for a forward Link Flow *NN* is identified by the ProtocolID field of the Flow*NN*FlowProtocolParametersFwd attribute. The Flow Protocol for a reverse Link Flow *NN* is identified by the ProtocolID field of the Flow*NN*FlowProtocolParametersRev attribute.

### 3.3.3.4 Procedures

#### 3.3.3.4.1 General requirements

If the Flow*NN*SimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd attribute of forward Link Flow *NN* is 0x0000, then forward Link Flow *NN* delivers Flow Protocol PDUs in order. If the Flow*NN*SimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd attribute of forward Link Flow *NN* is 0x0001, then forward Link Flow *NN* may deliver Flow Protocol PDUs out of order.



### 3.3.3.4.2.1.2 Transmitter requirements

The access terminal shall route Flow Protocol PDUs to Route A. The access terminal shall not route Flow Protocol PDUs to Route B.

### 3.3.3.4.2.1.3 Receiver requirements

The access terminal shall pass Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route A to the Flow Protocol.

If the FlowNNSimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd attribute for Link Flow *NN* is 0x0001, then the access terminal shall pass Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route B of the Link Flow to the Flow Protocol if the access terminal has not received an ActivateRoute message requesting to activate Route B since the last time it entered this state.

If the FlowNNSimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd attribute for Link Flow *NN* is 0x0000, then the access terminal shall pass Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route B of the Link Flow to the Flow Protocol if the access terminal has not passed Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route A of the Link Flow to the Flow Protocol since the last time the access terminal entered this state and if the access terminal has not received an ActivateRoute message requesting to activate Route B since the last time it entered this state. If the FlowNNSimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd attribute for Link Flow *NN* is 0x0000, then the access terminal shall discard Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route B of the Link Flow if the access terminal has passed Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route A of the Link Flow to the Flow Protocol since the access terminal entered this state.

### 3.3.3.4.2.2 A Open B Activating state

#### 3.3.3.4.2.2.1 State transitions

Upon receiving a RouteSelect message requesting to select Route B, the access terminal shall respond with a RouteSelectAck message, and shall transition to the A Draining B Open state.

Upon receiving Flow Protocol PDU on Route B of any Link Flow, the access terminal shall store the Flow Protocol PDU received from Route B for processing in the A Draining B Open state and shall transition to the A Draining B Open state.

Upon receiving a RouteSelect message requesting to select Route A, the access terminal shall respond with a RouteSelectAck message, and shall transition to the A Open B Draining state.

#### 3.3.3.4.2.2.2 Transmitter requirements

The access terminal shall route Flow Protocol PDUs to Route A. The access terminal shall not route Flow Protocol PDUs to Route B.

#### 3.3.3.4.2.2.3 Receiver requirements

The access terminal shall pass Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route A to the Flow Protocol.



### 3.3.3.4.2.3 A Draining B Open state

#### 3.3.3.4.2.3.1 State transitions

Upon receiving an ActivateRoute message requesting to activate Route A, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- The Route Selection Protocol shall issue a *RadioLinkProtocol.InitializeRoute* command with Route A as the argument.
- The access terminal shall initialize the Route Protocol bound to Route A.
- After the Radio Link Protocol and the Route Protocol are initialized, the access terminal shall send respond with an ActivateRouteAck message, and shall transition to the A Activating B Open state.

Upon receiving a RouteSelect message for Route B, the access terminal shall respond with a RouteSelectAck message.

#### 3.3.3.4.2.3.2 Transmitter requirements

The access terminal shall route Flow Protocol PDUs to Route B. The access terminal shall not route Flow Protocol PDUs to Route A.

#### 3.3.3.4.2.3.3 Receiver requirements

The access terminal shall pass Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route B to the Flow Protocol.

If the FlowNNSimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd attribute for Link Flow *NN* is 0x0001, then the access terminal shall pass Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route A of the Link Flow to the Flow Protocol if the access terminal has not received an ActivateRoute message requesting to activate Route A since the last time it entered this state.

If the FlowNNSimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd attribute for Link Flow *NN* is 0x0000, then the access terminal shall pass Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route A of the Link Flow to the Flow Protocol if the access terminal has not passed Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route B of the Link Flow to the Flow Protocol since the access terminal entered this state and if the access terminal has not received an ActivateRoute message requesting to activate Route A since the last time it entered this state. If the FlowNNSimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd attribute for Link Flow *NN* is 0x0000, then the access terminal shall discard Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route A of the Link Flow if the access terminal has passed Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route B of the Link Flow to the Flow Protocol since the last time the access terminal entered this state.

### 3.3.3.4.2.4 A Activating B Open state

#### 3.3.3.4.2.4.1 State transitions

Upon receiving a RouteSelect message requesting to select Route A, the access terminal shall respond with a RouteSelectAck message, and shall transition to the A Open B Draining state.

Upon receiving Flow Protocol PDU on Route A of any Link Flow, the access terminal shall store the Flow Protocol PDU received on Route A for processing in the A Open B Draining state and shall transition to the A Open B Draining state.

Upon receiving a RouteSelect message requesting to select Route B, the access terminal shall respond with a RouteSelectAck message, and shall transition to the A Draining B Open state.

#### 3.3.3.4.2.4.2 Transmitter requirements

The access terminal shall route Flow Protocol PDUs to Route B. The access terminal shall not route Flow Protocol PDUs to Route A.

#### 3.3.3.4.2.4.3 Receiver requirements

The access terminal shall pass Flow Protocol PDUs received on Route B to the Flow Protocol.

#### 3.3.3.4.3 Access network requirements

Upon sending an ActivateRoute message requesting to activate Route A, the access network shall issue a *RadioLinkProtocol.InitializeRoute* command with Route A as the argument and initialize the Route Protocol bound to Route A.

Upon sending an ActivateRoute message requesting to activate Route B, the access network shall issue a *RadioLinkProtocol.InitializeRoute* command with Route B as the argument and initialize the Route Protocol bound to Route B.

#### 3.3.3.5 Message formats

##### 3.3.3.5.1 RouteSelect

The access network sends this message to transition the access terminal to the A Open B Draining or the A Draining B Open state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
Route	1
Reserved	7

MessageID The access network shall set this field to 0x00.

TransactionID The access network shall set this field to one more (modulo 256) than the TransactionID field of the last RouteSelect message sent by the access network.

Route The access network shall set this field to '0' to transition the access terminal to the A Open B Draining state. The access network shall set this field to '1' to transition the access terminal to the A Draining B Open state.

Reserved The access network shall set this field to '0000000'. The access terminal shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.3.5.2 RouteSelectAck

The access terminal sends this message to acknowledge the receipt of a RouteSelect message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x01.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to the TransactionID field to the RouteSelect message whose receipt is being acknowledged by this message.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.3.5.3 ActivateRoute

The access network sends this message to transition the access terminal to the A Activating B Open state or the A Open B Activating state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
Route	1
Reserved	7

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x02.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to one more (modulo 256) than the TransactionID field of the last ActivateRoute message sent by the access network.

**Route** The access network shall set this field to '0' to transition the access terminal to the A Activating B Open state. The access network shall set this field to '1' to transition the access terminal to the B Activating A Open state.

**Reserved** The access network shall set this field to '0000000'. The access terminal shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.3.5.4 ActivateRouteAck

The access terminal sends this message to acknowledge the receipt of an ActivateRoute message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x03.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to the TransactionID field to the ActivateRoute message whose receipt is being acknowledged by this message.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.3.6 Interface to other protocols

#### 3.3.3.6.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following commands:

- *RadioLink.InitializeRoute* with the argument indicating which Route is to be initialized.

#### 3.3.3.6.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

### 3.3.3.7 Protocol numeric constants

This protocol does not define any protocol numeric constants.

## 3.3.4 Radio Link Protocol

### 3.3.4.1 Overview

The Radio Link Protocol (RLP) provides one or more packet streams with an acceptably low erasure rate for efficient operation of higher layer protocols (e.g., TCP). When used as part of the Default Data Transport, the protocol carries one or more packet streams from the higher layer. RLP is a protocol associated with the Default Data Transport.

### 3.3.4.2 Primitives

#### 3.3.4.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *InitializeRoute* with argument indicating which Route is to be initialized.

#### 3.3.4.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

#### 3.3.4.3 Protocol data unit

The transmission unit of this protocol is an RLP packet.

#### 3.3.4.4 Procedures

A forward Link Flow is defined to be activated if the Flow $NN$ ActivatedFwd attribute is set to 0x0001, where  $NN$  is the hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$  inclusive.

A reverse Link Flow is defined to be activated if the Flow $NN$ ActivatedRev attribute is set to 0x0001.

A Link Flow is defined to be deactivated if it is not activated.

Each Route of the Link Flow receives packets for transmission from the corresponding instance of the Route Protocol and forms an RLP packet by prepending the RLP packet header defined in 3.3.4.4.3 with a number of received contiguous octets.

The Route Protocol for a forward Link Flow  $NN$  is identified by the ProtocolID field of the Flow $NN$ RouteProtocolParametersFwd attribute. The Route Protocol for a reverse Link Flow  $NN$  is identified by the ProtocolID field of the Flow $NN$ RouteProtocolParametersRev attribute.

If the Route Protocol is NULL<sup>4</sup>, then the transmitter shall set Route Protocol packets to Flow Protocol packets routed along the Route. If the Route Protocol is NULL, then the receiver shall set Flow Protocol packets to Route Protocol packets received on the Route.

If the Flow $NN$ OutOfOrderDeliveryToRouteProtocolFwd attribute of forward Link Flow  $NN$  is 0x0000, then each Route of forward Link Flow  $NN$  delivers packets of the corresponding instance of the Route Protocol in order. If the Flow $NN$ OutOfOrderDeliveryToRouteProtocolFwd attribute of forward Link Flow  $NN$  is 0x0001, then each Route of forward Link Flow  $NN$  may deliver packets of the corresponding instance of the Route Protocol out of order.

The policy RLP follows in determining the number of octets to send in an RLP packet is beyond the scope of this specification. It is subject to the following requirements:

- The size of an RLP packet shall not exceed the maximum payload length that can be carried by a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet given the target channel and current transmission rate on that channel.

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<sup>4</sup> Route Protocol being NULL means that a Route Protocol has not been negotiated.

- An RLP packet shall contain octets from no more than one Route Protocol packet.

RLP makes use of the ResetRxRequest, ResetRxAck, ResetTxIndication, ResetTxAck, and ReceiverStatus in-band messages to perform control related operations.

The access network shall not initiate modification of the ReservationKKQoSListFwd or the ReservationKKQoSListRev attributes. If the access network receives an AttributeUpdateRequest message requesting to set the ReservationKKQoSListFwd or the ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute to its default value, then the access network shall respond with an AttributeUpdateAccept message.

The access terminal shall not initiate modification of the ReservationKKQoSUsedFwd or the ReservationKKQoSUsedRev attributes.

The access terminal uses the AttributeUpdateRequest message with the ReservationKKQoSListFwd attributes to add, modify, or remove the QoS for forward Reservation KK. The access terminal requests one or more QoSAttributeSets in order of preferences for forward Reservation KK. The access terminal uses the AttributeUpdateRequest message with the ReservationKKQoSListRev attributes to add, modify, or remove the QoS for reverse Reservation KK. The access terminal requests one or more QoSAttributeSets in order of preferences for reverse Reservation KK. Each QoSAttributeSet contains a group of detailed QoS parameters.

The access network stores the requested QoSAttributeSets in the AttributeUpdateRequest message for the ReservationKKQoSListFwd attribute and grants one. The access network informs the access terminal which QoSAttributeSet it granted by the QoSAttributeSet\_ID of the ReservationKKQoSUsedFwd attribute in an AttributeUpdateRequest message.

The access network stores the requested QoSAttributeSets in the AttributeUpdateRequest message for the ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute and grants one. The access network informs the access terminal which QoSAttributeSet it granted by the QoSAttributeSet\_ID of the ReservationKKQoSUsedRev attribute in an AttributeUpdateRequest message.

If the access terminal sends a new AttributeUpdateRequest for the ReservationKKQoSListFwd attribute, the new requested ReservationKKQoSListFwd attribute shall replace the previous requested ReservationKKQoSListFwd attribute for forward Reservation KK. If the access terminal sends a new AttributeUpdateRequest for the ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute, the new requested ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute shall replace the previous requested ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute for reverse Reservation KK. In any new requested ReservationKKQoSListFwd or ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute for Reservation KK, the access terminal shall not re-use values for QoSAttributeSet\_ID from the previous two ReservationKKQoSListFwd or ReservationKKQoSListRev attributes respectively, negotiated for Reservation KK.

The access network may change the granted QoSAttributeSet\_ID to another QoSAttributeSet\_ID in the group of QoSAttributeSet\_IDs most recently requested by the access terminal. The access network shall inform the access terminal of the new granted QoSAttributeSet\_ID.

The access network shall not initiate modification of the ReservationKKPacketFilterFwd attribute. If the access network receives an AttributeUpdateRequest message requesting to set the ReservationKKPacketFilterFwd attribute to its default value, then the access network shall respond with an AttributeUpdateAccept message. If the FilterSpecType is set to 0x02 according to Table 3-5, then the packet filter for ReservationKKPacketFilterFwd shall match all packets that do not match a packet filter with a lower value FilterPrecedence field.

The access network may send a FlowQoSdetect message to inform the access terminal that it should add a new Reservation or modify the ReservationKKQoSListFwd or ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute for an existing Reservation KK. If the access terminal determines that the FlowQoSdetect message corresponds to a Reservation that it has not already added or modified, the access terminal should send an AttributeUpdateRequest message for the ReservationKKQoSListFwd or ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute in response to the FlowQoSdetect message.

When forward Link Flow NN is activated, the access network and the access terminal shall not update the following attributes:

- FlowNNFlowProtocolParametersFwd
- FlowNNRouteProtocolParametersFwd
- FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd
- FlowNNDataUnitFwd
- FlowNNSimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd
- FlowNNOutOfOrderDeliveryToRouteProtocolFwd

When reverse Link Flow NN is activated, the access network and the access terminal shall not update the following attributes:

- FlowNNFlowProtocolParametersRev
- FlowNNRouteProtocolParametersRev
- FlowNNSequenceLengthRev
- FlowNNDataUnitRev

The ProtocolID field of the FlowNNFlowProtocolParametersFwd attribute shall be set to a value that is supported by the access terminal as indicated in the ATSupportedFlowProtocolParametersPP attribute. The ProtocolID field of the FlowNNFlowProtocolParametersRev attribute shall be set to a value that is supported by the access terminal as indicated in the ATSupportedFlowProtocolParametersPP attribute. The ProtocolID field of the FlowNNRouteProtocolParametersFwd attribute shall be set to a value that is supported by the access terminal as indicated in the ATSupportedRouteProtocolParametersPP attribute. The ProtocolID field of the FlowNNRouteProtocolParametersRev attribute shall be set to a value that is supported by the access terminal as indicated in the ATSupportedRouteProtocolParametersPP attribute.

The fields of the ProtocolParameters record of the FlowNNFlowProtocolParametersFwd attribute shall be set to values that are in accordance with those supported by the AT as indicated in the SupportedProtocolsParametersValues record of the ATSupportedFlowProtocolParametersPP attribute. The fields of the ProtocolParameters record of the FlowNNFlowProtocolParametersRev attribute shall be set to values that are in accordance with those supported by the AT as indicated in the SupportedProtocolsParametersValues record of the ATSupportedFlowProtocolParametersPP attribute.

The fields of the ProtocolParameters record of the FlowNNRouteProtocolParametersFwd attribute shall be set to values that are in accordance with those supported by the AT as indicated in the SupportedProtocolsParametersValues record of the ATSupportedRouteProtocolParametersPP attribute. The fields of the ProtocolParameters record of the FlowNNRouteProtocolParametersRev attribute shall be set to values that are in accordance with those supported by the AT as indicated in

the SupportedProtocolsParametersValues record of the ATSupportedRouteProtocolParametersPP attribute.

If the FlowNNDataUnitFwd attribute of forward Link Flow NN is 0x0000, then the data unit for the Link Flow shall be octets. Otherwise the data unit for the Link Flow shall be RLP packet payloads. If the FlowNNDataUnitRev attribute of reverse Link Flow NN is 0x0000, then the data unit for the Link Flow shall be octets. Otherwise the data unit for the Link Flow shall be RLP packet payloads.

#### 3.3.4.4.1 Initialization and reset

The RLP initialization procedure initializes the RLP variables and data structures in one end of the link. The RLP reset procedure guarantees that RLP state variables on both sides are synchronized. The reset procedure includes initialization.

If the protocol receives an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication, then the access terminal and the access network shall perform the initialization procedures defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.1 and 3.3.4.4.1.1.2 for both routes of all activated Link Flows.

The access network shall perform the initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.1 for both routes of forward Link Flow NN when forward Link Flow NN is activated. The access terminal shall perform the initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.2 for both routes of forward Link Flow NN when forward Link Flow NN is activated.

The access terminal shall perform the initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.1 for both routes of reverse Link Flow NN when reverse Link Flow NN is activated. The access network shall perform the initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.2 for both routes of reverse Link Flow NN when reverse Link Flow NN is activated.

Upon receiving an *InitializeRoute* command, the access terminal shall perform the initialization procedures defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.1 for the specified Route for all activated Link Flows. Upon receiving an *InitializeRoute* command, the access network shall perform the initialization procedures defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.1 for the specified Route of all activated Link Flows.

Each Link Flow provides sequence spaces variables  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  and  $Q_{NN,Rx}$  at the transmitter and receiver respectively. The transmitter toggles the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  between '0' and '1' to indicate a reset. The receiver sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Rx}$  tracks the value of  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  and detects when the transmitter has performed a reset.

The RLP shall set the sequence space variables  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  and  $Q_{NN,Rx}$  to '0' after reception of an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication. The RLP shall toggle the value of the sequence space variables  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  and  $Q_{NN,Rx}$  between '0' and '1' for every subsequent reset.

#### 3.3.4.4.1.1 Initialization procedure

##### 3.3.4.4.1.1.1 Initialization procedure for the RLP transmitter

When RLP transmitter performs the initialization procedure it shall:

- Reset the send state variable  $V(S)_{NN,P}$  to zero, where NN indicates the Link Flow, and P indicates the Route which is being initialized.
- Clear the retransmission queue.



### 3.3.4.4.1.1.2 Initialization procedure for the RLP receiver

When RLP receiver performs the initialization procedure it shall:

- Reset the receive state variables  $V(R)_{NN,P}$  and  $V(N)_{NN,P}$  to zero.
- Clear the resequencing buffer.

### 3.3.4.4.1.2 Reset procedure

#### 3.3.4.4.1.2.1 Reset procedure for the initiating side when it is an RLP transmitter

If the side initiating a reset procedure is an RLP transmitter for the Route of the Link Flow (or all Link Flows) being reset, then it shall:

- Perform the RLP transmitter initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.1 for the Route of the Link Flow being reset.
- Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  for the Route of the Link Flow being reset.
- Send a ResetTxIndication message.

The RLP transmitter shall not reset again until it receives a ReceiverStatus message with a SequenceSpace field equal to the new value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  from the RLP receiver, or a ResetTxAck message with a TransactionID field equal to the TransactionID sent in the ResetTxIndication message.

The RLP transmitter shall ignore any received ResetRxRequest messages until it receives a ReceiverStatus message with a SequenceSpace field with the new value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  from the RLP receiver, or a ResetTxAck message with a TransactionID field equal to the TransactionID sent in the ResetTxIndication message.

The RLP transmitter may determine that the ResetTxIndication was lost if it does not receive a ReceiverStatus message with a SequenceSpace field equal to the new value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  from the RLP receiver, or a ResetTxAck message, within an implementation-dependent time interval based on  $T_{RLPResponse}$  and an estimate of the round-trip delay. If the RLP transmitter determines that the ResetTxIndication was lost, then the RLP transmitter shall send a new ResetTxIndication message.

#### 3.3.4.4.1.2.2 Reset procedure for initiating side when it is an RLP receiver

If the side initiating a reset procedure is an RLP receiver for the Route of the Link Flow being reset, then it shall enter the RLP Reset State. Upon entering the RLP Reset state, RLP shall:

- Perform the RLP receiver initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.2 for the Route of the Link Flow being reset.
- Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Rx}$ .
- Send a ResetRxRequest message.
- Ignore all RLP data units received for the Route of the Link Flow being reset while in the RLP Reset state with SequenceSpace field not equal to the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Rx}$ .

- If a ResetRxAck message is received for the Route of the Link Flow being reset with a TransactionID field equal to the TransactionID sent in the ResetRxRequest message, RLP shall leave the RLP reset state.
- If an RLP data unit is received with a SequenceSpace field equal to the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Rx}$ , RLP shall leave the RLP Reset state.

If a ResetAck is received for a Route while the Route is not in the RLP Reset state, the message shall be ignored.

The RLP receiver may determine that the ResetRxRequest was lost if it does not leave the RLP Reset state within an implementation-dependent time interval based on  $T_{RLPResponse}$  and an estimate of the round-trip delay. If the RLP receiver determines that the ResetRxRequest was lost, then the RLP receiver shall send a new ResetRxRequest message.

#### 3.3.4.4.1.2.3 Reset procedure for the responding side when it is an RLP receiver

If the side responding to a reset procedure is an RLP receiver for the Route of the Link Flow being reset, then upon receiving a ResetTxIndication message, RLP shall perform the following procedures:

- If the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Rx}$  is not equal to the value of the SequenceSpace field in the ResetTxIndication message, then RLP shall:
  - Perform the RLP receiver initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.2 for the Route of the Link Flow being reset.
  - Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Rx}$ .
- Respond with a ResetTxAck message.

Upon receiving an RLP data unit for the Route of the Link Flow with a SequenceSpace field not equal to the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Rx}$ , RLP shall:

- Perform the RLP receiver initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.2 for the Route of the Link Flow being reset.
- Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Rx}$ .

#### 3.3.4.4.1.2.4 Reset procedure for the responding side when it is an RLP transmitter

If the side responding to a reset procedure is an RLP transmitter for the Route of the Link Flow being reset, then upon receiving a ResetRxRequest message, RLP shall perform the following procedures:

- If the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Tx}$  is not equal to the value of the SequenceSpace field in the ResetRxRequest message, then RLP shall:
  - Perform the RLP transmitter initialization procedure defined in 3.3.4.4.1.1.1 for the Route of the Link Flow being reset.
  - Toggle the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Tx}$ .
- Respond with a ResetRxAck message.

### 3.3.4.4.1.2.5 RLP reset message flows

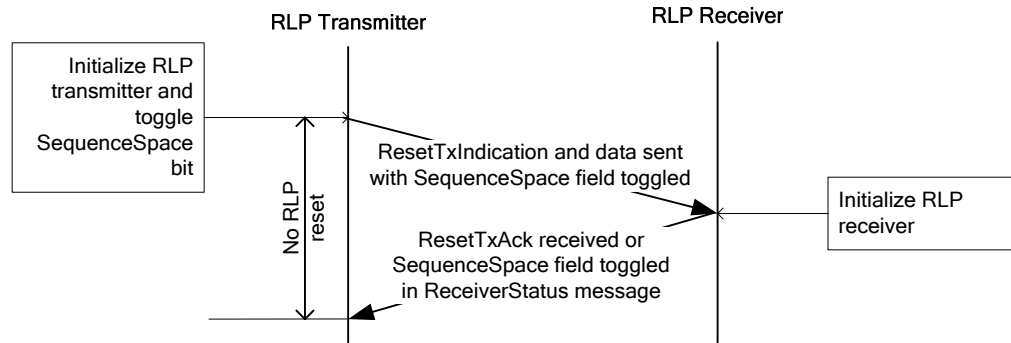


Figure 3-16 RLP reset procedure initiated by RLP transmitter

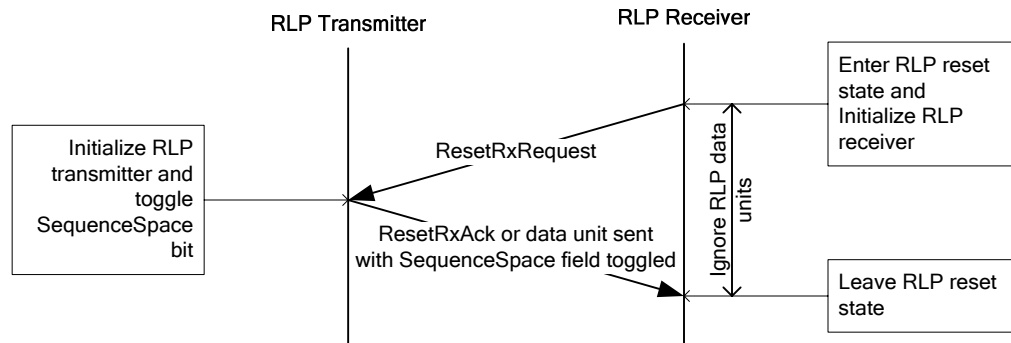


Figure 3-17 RLP reset procedure initiated by RLP receiver

### 3.3.4.4.2 Data transfer

RLP is an Ack and/or Nak-based protocol with a sequence space of SequenceLength bits, where SequenceLength is indicated by the FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd and FlowNNSequenceLengthRev attribute for forward and reverse Link Flow NN, respectively.

All operations and comparisons performed on RLP packet sequence numbers shall be carried out in unsigned modulo  $2^S$  arithmetic, where S represents the value of SequenceLength. For any RLP octet sequence number  $N$ , the sequence numbers in the range  $[N+1, N+2^{S-1}-1]$  shall be considered greater than  $N$  and the sequence numbers in the range  $[N-2^{S-1}, N-1]$  shall be considered smaller than  $N$ .

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1 RLP transmit procedures

The RLP transmitter shall maintain a SequenceLength-bit variable  $V(S)_{NN,P}$  for all transmitted RLP data units (see Figure 3-18), where NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$  inclusive, and P is the Route indicator that takes values of either A or B.  $V(S)_{NN,P}$  is the sequence number of the next RLP data unit to be sent on Route P of Link Flow NN. The sequence number field (SEQ) in each new RLP packet transmitted shall be set to  $V(S)_{NN,P}$ , corresponding to the sequence number of the first data unit in the packet. If the data unit is octets, then the sequence number of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  octet in the packet (with the first octet being octet 0) is implicitly given by  $\text{SEQ}+i$ .  $V(S)_{NN,P}$  shall be incremented for each data unit contained in the packet.

If an RLP data unit is to be transmitted on the Forward Traffic Channel or on the Reverse Traffic Channel, and if a connection is not open, RLP shall issue an *AirLinkManagement.OpenConnection* command. RLP should queue all data units requiring transmission in the Forward Traffic Channel or in the Reverse Traffic Channel until the protocol receives an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication.

If FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd is 0x0000, then the access network will follow the procedures in 3.3.4.4.2.1.1 when transmitting an RLP packet. If FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd is not 0x0000, then the access network will follow the procedures in 3.3.4.4.2.1.2 when transmitting an RLP packet.

If FlowNNSequenceLengthRev is 0x0000, then the access terminal will follow the procedures in 3.3.4.4.2.1.1 when transmitting an RLP packet. If FlowNNSequenceLengthRev is not 0x0000, then the access terminal will follow the procedures in 3.3.4.4.2.1.2 when transmitting an RLP packet.

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1.1 Transmit procedures for flows with SequenceLength of zero

If the FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd or the FlowNNSequenceLengthRev is 0x0000, the RLP transmitter shall set the First and Last fields of the RLP header to '1'.

If the FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd is 0x0000, then the FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd shall be set to 0x0000. If the FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd is 0x0000, then the FlowNNOOutOfOrderDeliveryToRouteProtocolFwd shall be set to 0x0001.

If the FlowNNSequenceLengthRev is 0x0000, then the FlowNNAckNakEnableRev shall be set to 0x0000. If the FlowNNSequenceLengthRev is 0x0000, then the FlowNNRTCMACNakEnableRev attribute should be set to 0x0000.

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1.2 Transmit procedures for flows with non-zero SequenceLength

The RLP transmitter should allow sufficient time before deleting an RLP packet payload transmitted for the first time.

If a ReceiverStatus message is received with the SequenceSpace field not equal to the value of  $Q_{NN,Tx}$ , the message shall be ignored.

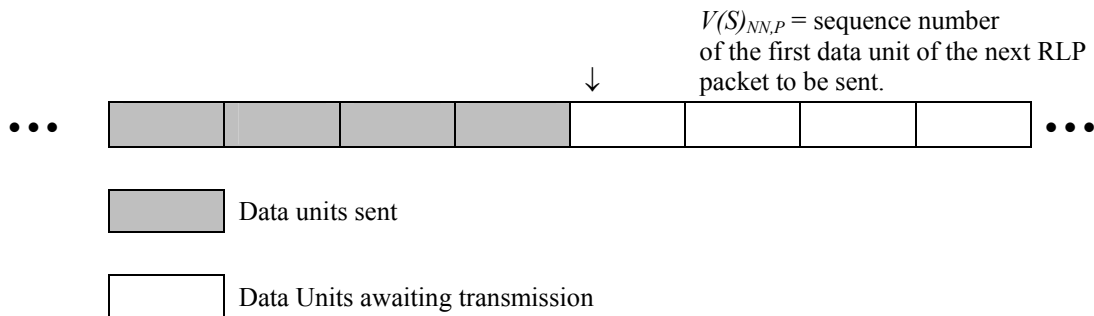
Upon receiving a ReceiverStatus message, RLP shall transmit the missing data unit(s) (if any) conveyed by the ReceiverStatus message if those data units are available and if those data units have not been retransmitted before in response to a ReceiverStatus message. Upon receiving a ReceiverStatus message, RLP may transmit the missing data unit(s) (if any) conveyed by the ReceiverStatus message if those data units are available and if those data units have been retransmitted before in response to a ReceiverStatus message.

If the RLP transmitter is the access network and if FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is not 0x0000 or 0x0001, then the access network may determine that transmitted data units have been lost if it does not receive a ReceiverStatus message acknowledging the receipt of the data units within an implementation-dependent time interval based on the AckTimer and an estimate of the round-trip delay. If the RLP transmitter is the access network and if FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is not 0x0000 or 0x0001 and the access network determines that transmitted data units were lost, then the access network shall re-transmit the data units if they have not been re-transmitted in response to a ReceiverStatus message. If the RLP transmitter is the access network and if FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is not 0x0000 or 0x0001 and the access network determines that

transmitted data units were lost, then the access network may re-transmit the data units if they have been re-transmitted in response to a ReceiverStatus message.

If the RLP transmitter is the access terminal and if FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is not 0x0000 or 0x0001, then the access terminal may determine that transmitted data units have been lost if it does not receive a ReceiverStatus message acknowledging the receipt of the data units within an implementation-dependent time interval based on the AckTimer and an estimate of the round-trip delay. If the RLP transmitter is the access terminal and if FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is not 0x0000 or 0x0001 and the access terminal determines that transmitted data units were lost, then the access terminal shall re-transmit the data units if they have not been re-transmitted in response to a ReceiverStatus message. If the RLP transmitter is the access terminal and if FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is not 0x0000 or 0x0001 and the access terminal determines that transmitted data units were lost, then the access terminal may re-transmit the data units if they have been re-transmitted in response to a ReceiverStatus message.

If the RLP transmitter is the access network, and the ReceiverStatus record includes any sequence number greater than or equal to  $V(S)_{NN,P}$ , RLP shall perform the reset procedures specified in 3.3.4.4.1.2.1 for Route  $P$  of forward Link Flow  $NN$ . If the RLP transmitter is the access terminal, and the ReceiverStatus record includes any sequence number greater than or equal to  $V(S)_{NN,P}$ , RLP shall perform the reset procedures specified in 3.3.4.4.1.2.1 for Route  $P$  of reverse Link Flow  $NN$ . If the ReceiverStatus record does not include any sequence number greater than or equal to  $V(S)_{NN,P}$  but the requested data units are not available for retransmission, RLP shall ignore the ReceiverStatus record for data units that are not available.



**Figure 3-18 RLP transmit sequence number variable**

Upon receiving a *RTCMAC.ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed* indication for reverse Link Flow  $NN$ , the RLP transmitter in the access terminal shall transmit the requested data unit(s) if and only if all of the following conditions are satisfied:

- FlowNNRTCMACNakEnableRev attribute is set to 0x0001.
- The requested data units have not been retransmitted before.
- The requested data units are available.
- The sequence space for the data units sent is equal to the value of  $Q_{NN,Tx}$ .

If FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is 0x0001, then the transmitter at the access network for each Route of Link Flow  $NN$  shall meet the following requirements:

- After transmitting a packet, the RLP transmitter shall start a flush timer for time FlushTimer, where FlushTimer is a parameter of the FlowNNTimersFwd attribute.
- If the RLP transmitter sends another packet before the flush timer expires, the RLP transmitter shall reset and restart the timer.
- If the timer expires, the RLP transmitter shall disable the flush timer and the RLP transmitter should send an RLP packet that contains at least the data unit with sequence number  $V(S)_{NN,P}-1$ .

If FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is 0x0001, then the transmitter at the access terminal for each Route of Link Flow  $NN$  shall meet the following requirements:

- After transmitting a packet, the RLP transmitter shall start a flush timer for time FlushTimer, where FlushTimer is a parameter of the FlowNNTimersRev attribute.
- If the RLP transmitter sends another packet before the flush timer expires, the RLP transmitter shall reset and restart the timer.
- If the timer expires, the RLP transmitter shall disable the flush timer and the RLP transmitter should send an RLP packet that contains at least the data unit with sequence number  $V(S)_{NN,P}-1$ .

The RLP transmitter should not transmit more than  $2^{\text{SequenceLength}-1}$  first-time data units in any AbortTimer interval, where SequenceLength is the length of the SEQ field in the RLP header for the corresponding Link Flow.

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3 Reservation State Maintenance

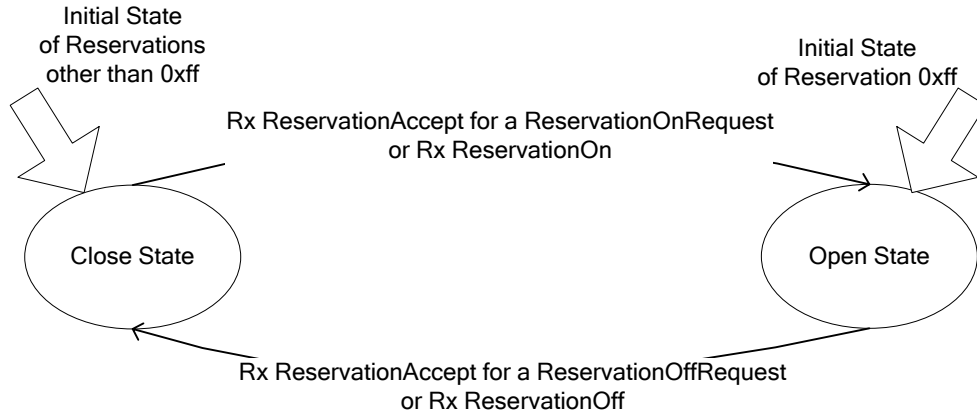
The ReservationLabel parameter of the FlowNNReservationFwd or FlowNNReservationRev attribute indicates the higher layer flows associated with Link Flow  $NN$ . Each ReservationLabel shall be associated with no more than one forward Link Flow. Each ReservationLabel shall be associated with no more than one reverse Link Flow.

Each Reservation can be in one of the following two states:

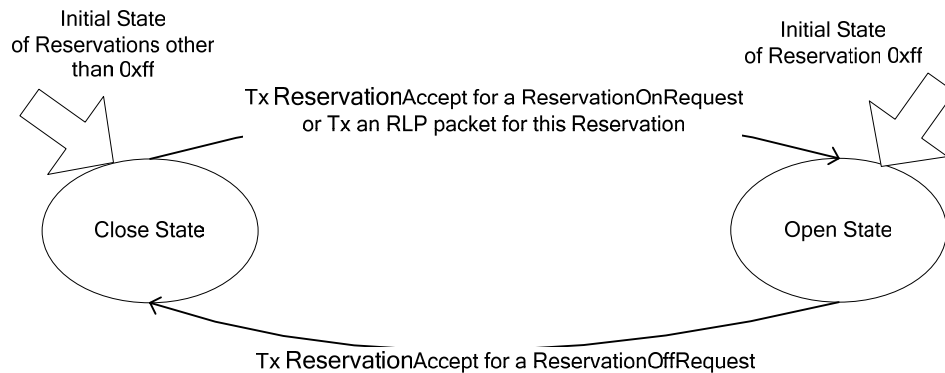
- Close State
- Open State

The transmitter should transmit a higher layer packet using the Link Flow associated with the higher layer flow if the associated Link Flow is activated and if the Reservation is in the Open state. The transmitter should transmit a higher layer packet belonging to a higher layer flow that is not associated with any Link Flow using the Link Flow with ReservationLabel 0xff. The transmitter may transmit a higher layer packet belonging to a higher layer flow identified by a Reservation that is in the Close state using the Link Flow with ReservationLabel 0xff. The transmitter may transmit a higher layer packet belonging to a higher layer flow identified by a Reservation that is bound to a deactivated Link Flow using the Link Flow with ReservationLabel 0xff.

Figure 3-19 and Figure 3-20 show the state transition diagram at the access terminal and the access network. State transitions that may be caused by *IdleState.ConnectionOpened*, *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*, and *ActiveSetManagement.ConnectionLost* indications are not shown.



**Figure 3-19 Reservation state diagram (access terminal)**



**Figure 3-20 Reservation state diagram (access network)**

### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3.1 State independent requirements

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3.1.1 Access terminal requirements

Upon receiving a RevReservationOn message, the access terminal shall:

- Respond with a ReservationAccept message within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of receiving the RevReservationOn message.
- Set the TransactionID field of the ReservationAccept message to that of the RevReservationOn message.

Upon receiving a RevReservationOff message, the access terminal shall:

- Respond with a ReservationAccept message within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of receiving the RevReservationOff message.
- Set the TransactionID field of the ReservationAccept message to that of the RevReservationOff message.

Upon receiving a FwdReservationOn message, the access terminal shall:

- Respond with a FwdReservationAck message within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of reception of the FwdReservationOn message.
- Set the TransactionID field of the FwdReservationAck message to that of the FwdReservationOn message.

Upon receiving a FwdReservationOff message, the access terminal shall

- Respond with a FwdReservationAck message within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of receiving the FwdReservationOff message.
- Set the TransactionID field of the FwdReservationAck message to that of the FwdReservationOff message.

#### **3.3.4.4.2.1.3.1.2 Access network requirements**

The access network may re-send a FwdReservationOn message if it does not receive a FwdReservationAck message containing the same TransactionID within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of sending the FwdReservationOn message.

The access network may re-send a FwdReservationOff message if it does not receive a FwdReservationAck message containing the same TransactionID within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of sending the FwdReservationOff message.

The access network may send a RevReservationOn message to transition the state of the reverse link Reservation of the access terminal to the Open state. The access network may re-send a RevReservationOn message if it does not receive a ReservationAccept message containing the same TransactionID within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of sending the RevReservationOn message.

The access network may send a RevReservationOff message to transition the state of the reverse link Reservation of the access terminal to the Close state. The access network may re-send a RevReservationOff message if it does not receive a ReservationAccept message containing the same TransactionID within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of sending the RevReservationOff message.

If the access network receives a ReservationOnRequest message, it shall:

- Send either a ReservationAccept message or a ReservationReject message within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of reception of the ReservationOnRequest message.
- Set the TransactionID field of the ReservationAccept or ReservationReject message to that of the ReservationOnRequest message.



If the access network receives a ReservationOffRequest message, it shall:

- Send a ReservationAccept or a ReservationReject message within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of reception of the ReservationOffRequest message.
- Set the TransactionID field of the ReservationAccept or ReservationReject message to that of the ReservationOffRequest message.

### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3.2 Close state

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3.2.1 Access terminal requirements

The access terminal shall not transmit PDUs from higher layer flows belonging to this Reservation using any Link Flow other than the Link Flow associated with ReservationLabel 0xff.

The access terminal may send a ReservationOnRequest message to request transition of the Reservation to the Open state<sup>5</sup>. The access terminal may re-send a ReservationOnRequest message if it does not receive a corresponding ReservationAccept or ReservationReject message within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of sending the ReservationOnRequest message. If the ReservationOnRequest message contains a Reservation bound to a reverse Link Flow, then the Reservation shall transition to the Open state when the access terminal receives the corresponding ReservationAccept message.

Upon receiving a RevReservationOn message, the access terminal shall transition the Reservation to the Open state. Upon receiving an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication, the access terminal shall transition the Reservations to the Open State whose corresponding ReservationKKIdleStateRev attribute is 0x0002, where *KK* is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel in the range 0x00 to 0xff inclusive.

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3.2.2 Access network requirements

If the Reservation entered this state as a result of any condition other than the following conditions, then the access network shall send a FwdReservationOff message upon entering this state:

- The access network transmitted a ReservationAccept message in response to a ReservationOffRequest message requesting to transition the Reservation to the Close state, or
- ReservationKKIdleStateFwd attribute of the Reservation is 0x0001 or 0x0002, and the Reservation transitioned to the Close state because the Connection was closed or lost.

Upon sending a ReservationAccept message for a Reservation Label bound to a forward Link Flow in response to a ReservationOnRequest message, the access network shall transition the Reservation to the Open state.

<sup>5</sup> Note that the ReservationOnRequest message supports requests for multiple Reservations on both the forward and reverse links. This arrangement allows requests for groups of Reservations (e.g., for bidirectional higher layer application flows) to be combined in the same ReservationOnRequest message.

Upon sending a FwdReservationOn message, the access network shall transition the Reservation to the Open state. Upon receiving an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication, the access network shall transition the Reservations to the Open state whose corresponding ReservationKKIdleStateFwd attribute is 0x0002, where *KK* is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel in the range 0x00 to 0xff inclusive.

### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3.3 Open state

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3.3.1 Access terminal requirements

The access terminal may transmit PDUs from higher layer flows belonging to this Reservation using the Link Flow to which the Reservation is bound.

The access terminal may send a ReservationOffRequest message to request the transition of a Reservation to the Close state. The access terminal may re-send a ReservationOffRequest message if it does not receive a ReservationAccept or ReservationReject message within the time period specified by  $T_{RLPResponse}$  of sending the ReservationOffRequest message. If the ReservationOffRequest message contains a Reservation bound to a reverse Link Flow, then the access terminal shall transition the Reservation to the Close state when the access terminal receives a ReservationAccept message.

Upon receiving a RevReservationOff message, the access terminal shall transition the Reservation to the Close state.

Upon receiving a *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed* or *ActiveSetManagement.ConnectionLost* indication, the access terminal shall transition to the Close state Reservations whose corresponding ReservationKKIdleStateRev attribute is 0x0001 or 0x0002, where *KK* is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.

#### 3.3.4.4.2.1.3.3.2 Access network requirements

The access network may transmit PDUs from higher layer flows belonging to this Reservation using the Link Flow to which the Reservation is bound.

Upon sending a ReservationAccept message for a ReservationLabel bound to a forward Link Flow in response to a ReservationOffRequest message, the access network shall transition the Reservation to the Close state.

Upon receiving a *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed* or *ActiveSetManagement.ConnectionLost* indication, the access network shall transition to the Close state Reservations whose corresponding ReservationKKIdleStateFwd attribute is 0x0001 or 0x0002, where *KK* is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.

If, for any *KK*, all of the following conditions are true, the access network shall take action within  $T_{Turnaround}$ , where  $T_{Turnaround}$  is equal to 2 seconds, such that at least one of the following conditions would no longer be true (e.g., by modifying the value of ReservationKKQoSUsedFwd or by transitioning forward Reservation *KK* to the Close state):

- ReservationKKQoSListFwd is set to a non-default value.
- Forward Reservation *KK* is in the Open state.

- ReservationKKQoSUsedFwd is set to the default value, or the QoSAttributeSet\_ID field in ReservationKKQoSUsedFwd is not equal to the value of any QoSAttributeSet\_ID field in the corresponding ReservationKKQoSListFwd attribute.

If, for any  $KK$ , all of the following conditions are true, the access network shall take action within  $T_{\text{Turnaround}}$ , where  $T_{\text{Turnaround}}$  is equal to 2 seconds, such that at least one of the following conditions would no longer be true (e.g., by modifying the value of ReservationKKQoSUsedRev or by transitioning reverse Reservation  $KK$  to the Close state):

- ReservationKKQoSListRev is set to a non-default value.
- Reverse Reservation  $KK$  is in the Open state.
- ReservationKKQoSUsedRev is set to the default value or the QoSAttributeSet\_ID field in ReservationKKQoSUsedRev is not equal to the value of any QoSAttributeSet\_ID field in the corresponding ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute.

#### 3.3.4.4.2.2 RLP receive procedures

If SecurityEnabled public data of the Security Protocol is set to '1', then the RLP receiver shall discard any data unit received for which the IsSecure field of the Lower MAC header is set to '0'.

If FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd is 0x0000, then the access network will follow the procedures in 3.3.4.4.2.2.1 when receiving an RLP packet. If FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd is not 0x0000, then the access network will follow the procedures in 3.3.4.4.2.2.2 when receiving an RLP packet.

If FlowNNSequenceLengthRev is 0x0000, then the access terminal will follow the procedures in 3.3.4.4.2.2.1 when receiving an RLP packet. If FlowNNSequenceLengthRev is not 0x0000, then the access terminal will follow the procedures in 3.3.4.4.2.2.2 when receiving an RLP packet.

##### 3.3.4.4.2.2.1 Receive procedures for flows with a SequenceLength of zero

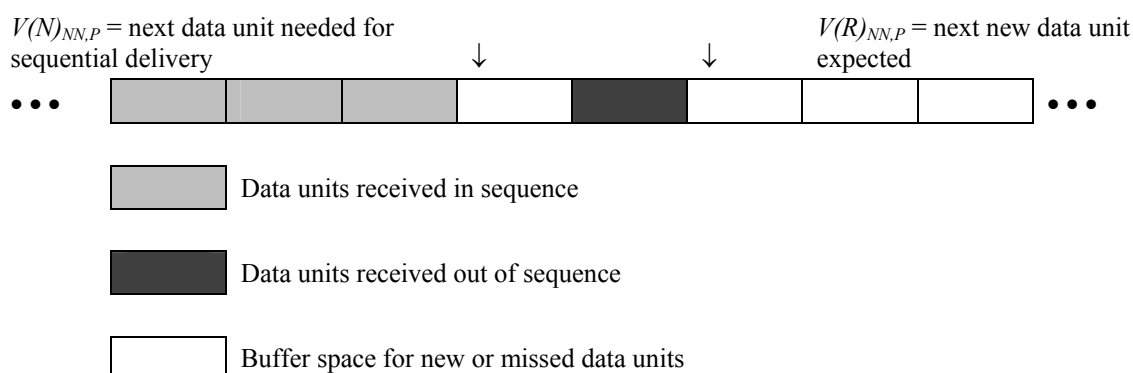
If the FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd or the FlowNNSequenceLengthRev is 0x0000, then the RLP receiver shall perform the following:

- If the First and Last fields of the RLP header are '1', the RLP receiver shall pass the complete Route Protocol packet to the Route Protocol layer.
- Otherwise, the RLP receiver shall discard the packet.

##### 3.3.4.4.2.2.2 Receive procedures for flows with a non-zero SequenceLength

The RLP receiver shall maintain two SequenceLength-bit variables for receiving,  $V(R)_{NN,P}$  and  $V(N)_{NN,P}$  (see Figure 3-21), where  $NN$  is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$  inclusive, and  $P$  is the Route indicator that takes values of either A or B.  $V(R)_{NN,P}$  contains the sequence number of the next data unit expected to arrive.  $V(N)_{NN,P}$  contains the sequence number of the first missing data unit, as described below.

In addition, the RLP receiver shall keep track of the status of each data unit in its resequencing buffer indicating whether the data unit was received or not. Use of this status is implied in the following procedures. The RLP receiver informs the RLP transmitter of the status of data units in its receive buffer by sending a ReceiverStatus message. The ReceiverStatus message shall convey status of all missing data from  $V(N)_{NN,P}$  onwards that has not been conveyed in a previous ReceiverStatus message and  $V(R)_{NN,P}$ . The ReceiverStatus message may convey status of missing data that has been conveyed in previous ReceiverStatus messages. The ReceiverStatus message shall not convey status of data units with a sequence number less than  $V(N)_{NN,P}$ .



### Figure 3-21 RLP receive sequence number variables

In the following,  $X$  denotes the sequence number of a received data unit. For each received data unit, RLP shall perform the following procedures in order:

- If the RLP receiver is an access terminal and FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is 0x0002, then RLP shall send a ReceiverStatus message within AckTimer interval of receiving the data unit.
- If the RLP receiver is an access network and FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is 0x0002, then RLP shall send a ReceiverStatus message within AckTimer interval of receiving the data unit.
- If the RLP receiver is an access terminal and FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is 0x0003 and the Last field of the RLP header is '0', then RLP shall send a ReceiverStatus message within AckTimer interval of receiving the data unit.
- If the RLP receiver is an access network and FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is 0x0003 and the Last field of the RLP header is '0', then RLP shall send a ReceiverStatus message within AckTimer interval of receiving the data unit.
- If the RLP receiver is an access terminal and FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is 0x0003 and the Last field of the RLP header is '1', then RLP shall send a ReceiverStatus message upon receiving the data unit.
- If the RLP receiver is an access network and FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is 0x0003 and the Last field of the RLP header is '1', then RLP shall send a ReceiverStatus message upon receiving the data unit.
- If  $X < V(N)_{NNP}$ , the data unit shall be discarded as a duplicate.

- 1     ■ If  $V(N)_{NN,P} \leq X < V(R)_{NN,P}$ , and the data unit is not already stored in the resequencing  
2     buffer, then:
  - 3     □ RLP shall store the received data unit in the resequencing buffer.
  - 4     □ If  $X = V(N)_{NN,P}$  and if in-order delivery of Route Protocol packets is required, then  
5     RLP shall pass all contiguous complete Route Protocol packets in the resequencing  
6     buffer that have not been passed to the Route Protocol, from the beginning of the  
7     resequencing buffer upward to the Route Protocol. RLP shall then set  $V(N)_{NN,P}$  to  
8     (LAST+1) where LAST is the sequence number of the last contiguous data unit in the  
9     resequencing buffer.
  - 10    □ If  $X = V(N)_{NN,P}$  and if in-order delivery of Route Protocol packets is not required, then  
11    RLP shall pass all complete Route Protocol packets in the resequencing buffer that  
12    have not been passed to the Route Protocol layer, from the beginning of the  
13    resequencing buffer upward to the Route Protocol. RLP shall then set  $V(N)_{NN,P}$  to  
14    (LAST+1) where LAST is the sequence number of the last contiguous data unit in the  
15    resequencing buffer.
- 16    ■ If  $V(N)_{NN,P} < X < V(R)_{NN,P}$  and the data unit has already been stored in the resequencing  
17    buffer, then the data unit shall be discarded as a duplicate.
- 18    ■ If  $X = V(R)_{NN,P}$ , then:
  - 19    □ If  $V(R)_{NN,P} = V(N)_{NN,P}$ , then RLP shall increment  $V(N)_{NN,P}$  and  $V(R)_{NN,P}$  and shall pass  
20    all complete Route Protocol packets in the resequencing buffer that have not been  
21    passed to the Route Protocol, from the beginning of the resequencing buffer upward  
22    to the Route Protocol.
  - 23    □ If  $V(R)_{NN,P} \neq V(N)_{NN,P}$ , then RLP shall increment  $V(R)_{NN,P}$  and shall store the data unit  
24    in the resequencing buffer. If in-order delivery of Route Protocol packets is not  
25    required, then RLP shall pass all complete Route Protocol packets in the  
26    resequencing buffer that have not been passed to the Route Protocol, from the  
27    beginning of the resequencing buffer upward to the Route Protocol.
- 28    ■ If  $X > V(R)_{NN,P}$ , then:
  - 29    □ RLP shall store the data unit in the resequencing buffer.
  - 30    □ If in-order delivery of Route Protocol packets is not required, then RLP shall pass all  
31    complete Route Protocol packets in the resequencing buffer that have not been  
32    passed to the Route Protocol, from the beginning of the resequencing buffer upward  
33    to the Route Protocol.
  - 34    □ If the RLP receiver is an access network, then RLP shall set an RLP abort timer to  
35    AbortTimer, where AbortTimer is a parameter of the FlowNNTimersRev attribute,  
36    for each missing RLP data unit from  $V(R)_{NN,P}$  to  $X-1$ , inclusive. If the RLP receiver is  
37    an access terminal, then RLP shall set an RLP abort timer to AbortTimer where  
38    AbortTimer is a parameter of the FlowNNTimersFwd attribute, for each missing RLP  
39    data unit from  $V(R)_{NN,P}$  to  $X-1$ , inclusive.
  - 40    □ RLP shall set  $V(R)_{NN,P}$  to  $X+1$ .
  - 41    □ If the RLP receiver is an access terminal and if the FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd  
42    attribute is not 0x0000, then RLP shall send a ReceiverStatus message. If the RLP  
43    receiver is an access network and if the FlowNNAckNakEnableRev attribute is not  
44    0x0000, then RLP shall send a ReceiverStatus message.

If a missing data unit has not arrived when its RLP abort timer expires and if in-order delivery of Route Protocol packets is required, then RLP shall pass all complete Route Protocol packets that have not been passed to the Route Protocol, from the beginning of the resequencing buffer upward up to the next missing data unit to the Route Protocol. RLP may pass to the Route Protocol partially received packets with an indication of partial packet delivery.

If the RLP receiver is the access network and if FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is not 0x0000, then the access network may determine that a ReceiverStatus message or the retransmitted data units have been lost if it does not receive the data units within an implementation-dependent time interval based on an estimate of the round-trip delay and if other packets were received from the access terminal. If the RLP receiver is the access network and if FlowNNAckNakEnableRev is not 0x0000 and the access network determines that a ReceiverStatus message or the retransmitted data units were lost, and the abort timer for the retransmitted data units has not expired, then the access network shall transmit a ReceiverStatus message.

If the RLP receiver is the access terminal and if FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is not 0x0000, then the access terminal may determine that a ReceiverStatus message or the retransmitted data units have been lost if it does not receive the data units within an implementation-dependent time interval based on an estimate of the round-trip delay and if other packets were received from the access network. If the RLP receiver is the access terminal and if FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd is not 0x0000 and the access terminal determines that a ReceiverStatus message or the retransmitted data units were lost, and the abort timer for the retransmitted data units has not expired, then the access terminal shall transmit a ReceiverStatus message.

RLP shall set  $V(N)_{NN,P}$  to the sequence number of the next missing data unit, or to  $V(R)_{NN}$  if there are no remaining missing data units. Further recovery is the responsibility of higher layer protocols.

### 3.3.4.4.3 In-band message transfer

The access network shall send the in-band messages in 3.3.4.6 on forward Link Flow  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ .  
The access network shall not send an in-band message on forward Link Flows 0x00 to  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ .

The access terminal shall send the in-band messages in 3.3.4.6 on reverse link Flow  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ .  
The access terminal shall not send an in-band message on reverse Link Flows 0x00 to  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ .

The access network and access terminal shall not send an in-band message using the Signaling Transport. The access network and access terminal shall discard an in-band message received from the Signaling Transport.

All in-band messages shall apply only to the instance of the Default Data Transport sending and receiving the message. All in-band messages shall apply only to the Route that the message is sent and received on.

#### 3.3.4.4.4 RLP packet header

The RLP packet header, which precedes the RLP payload, has the following format:

Field	Length (bits)
LinkFlowNumber	4
Route	1
SequenceSpace	1
First	1
Last	1
SEQ	0, 8, 16, or 24

**LinkFlowNumber** The identifier for this Link Flow.

**Route** If this RLP packet is sent on Route A, then the sender shall set this field to '0'. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '1'.

**SequenceSpace** The sender shall set this flag to the value of the sequence space variable  $Q_{NN,Tx}$ .

**First** If the payload of this RLP packet is the first segment of a Route Protocol packet, then the sender shall set this field to '1'. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.

**Last** If the payload of this RLP packet is the last segment of a Route Protocol packet, then the sender shall set this field to '1'. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.

**SEQ** The RLP sequence number of the first data unit in the RLP payload<sup>6</sup>. If this RLP packet is being sent on the forward link, the length of this field is indicated by the FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd attribute corresponding to this flow. If this RLP packet is being sent on the reverse link, the length of this field is indicated by the FlowNNSequenceLengthRev attribute corresponding to this flow.

<sup>6</sup> When data unit is set to RLP payload, the RLP packet contains one data unit.

### 3.3.4.5 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

#### 3.3.4.5.1 ReservationOnRequest

The access terminal sends this message to request transition of one or more Reservations to the Open State.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ReservationCount	8

ReservationCount occurrences of the following three fields:

{

Reserved1	7
Link	1
ReservationLabel	8

}

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x04.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to one more (modulo 256) than the TransactionID field of the last ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message sent by the access terminal. If this is the first ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message sent by the access terminal, then the access terminal shall set this field to zero.

**ReservationCount** The access terminal shall set this field to the number of ReservationLabel fields in this message. The sender shall include ReservationCount occurrences of the following three fields with the message.

**Reserved1** The access terminal shall set this field to '0000000'. The access network shall ignore this field.

**Link** If this request is for a forward Reservation, then the access terminal shall set this field to '1'. If this request is for a reverse Reservation, then the access terminal shall set this field to '0'.

**ReservationLabel** The access terminal shall set this field to the Reservation for which this request is generated.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast

<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Security</b>	Required



### 3.3.4.5.2 ReservationOffRequest

The access terminal sends this message to request transition of one or more Reservations to the Close State.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ReservationCount	8

ReservationCount occurrences of the following three fields:

{	
Reserved1	7
Link	1
ReservationLabel	8
}	

- MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x05.
- TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to one more (modulo 256) than the TransactionID field of the last ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message sent by the access terminal. If this is the first ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message sent by the access terminal, then the access terminal shall set this field to zero.
- ReservationCount** The access terminal shall set this field to the number of ReservationLabel fields in this message. The sender shall include ReservationCount occurrences of the following three fields with the message.
- Reserved1** The access terminal shall set this field to '0000000'. The access network shall ignore this field.
- Link** If this request is for a forward Reservation, then the access terminal shall set this field to '1'. If this request is for a reverse Reservation, then the access terminal shall set this field to '0'.
- ReservationLabel** The access terminal shall set this field to the Reservation for which this request is generated.

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<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
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<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast
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<b>Security</b>	Required
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### 3.3.4.5.3 ReservationAccept

The access network sends this message to acknowledge reception of and allow the state transition requested by a ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message. The access terminal sends this message to acknowledge reception of and accept the state transition requested by a RevReservationOn or RevReservationOff message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x06.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to the TransactionID field of the ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message to which the access network is responding. The access terminal shall set this field to the TransactionID field of the RevReservationOn or RevReservationOff message to which the access terminal is responding.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC    RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.4.5.4 ReservationReject

The access network sends this message to acknowledge reception of and deny the state transition requested by a ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ReservationCount	8

ReservationCount occurrences of the following three fields:

{

Reserved1	7
AllowableLink	1
AllowableReservationLabel	8

}

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x07.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to the TransactionID field of the ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message to which the access network is responding.

- 1 ReservationCount The access network shall set this field to the number of ReservationLabel  
2 fields in this message. The sender shall include ReservationCount  
3 occurrences of the following three fields with the message.
- 4 Reserved1 The access network shall set this field to '0000000'. The access terminal  
5 shall ignore this field.
- 6 AllowableLink If the Reservation for which the access network would have allowed the state  
7 transition requested in the ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest  
8 message is a forward Reservation, then the access network shall set this field  
9 to '1'. If the Reservation for which the access network would have allowed  
10 the state transition requested in the ReservationOnRequest or  
11 ReservationOffRequest message is a reverse Reservation, then the access  
12 network shall set this field to '0'.
- 13 AllowableReservationLabel  
14 The access network shall set this field to the Reservation for which the access  
15 network would have allowed the state transition requested in the  
16 ReservationOnRequest or ReservationOffRequest message.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.4.5.5 RevReservationOn

The access network sends this message to transition an activated reverse Reservation to the Open state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ReservationCount	8

ReservationCount occurrences of the following field:

{
ReservationLabel
}

- 23 MessageID The access network shall set this field to 0x08.
- 24 TransactionID The access network shall set this field to one more (module 256) than the  
25 TransactionID field of the last RevReservationOn or RevReservationOff  
26 message sent by the access network. If this is the first RevReservationOn or  
27 RevReservationOff message sent by the access network, then the access  
28 network shall set this field to zero.

**ReservationCount** The access network shall set this field to the number of ReservationLabel fields in this message. The sender shall include ReservationCount occurrences of the following field with the message.

**ReservationLabel** The access network shall set this field to the Reservation that is to be transitioned to the Open state.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.4.5.6 RevReservationOff

The access network sends this message to transition an activated reverse link Reservation to the Close state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ReservationCount	8

ReservationCount occurrences of the following field:

{

ReservationLabel	8
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}

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x09.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to one more (module 256) than the TransactionID field of the last RevReservationOn or RevReservationOff message sent by the access network. If this is the first RevReservationOn or RevReservationOff message sent by the access network, then the access network shall set this field to zero.

**ReservationCount** The access network shall set this field to the number of Reservation fields in this message. The sender shall include ReservationCount occurrences of the following field with the message.

**ReservationLabel** The access network shall set this field to the Reservation which is to be transitioned to the Close state.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.4.5.7 FwdReservationOn

The access network sends this message to inform the access terminal when a forward Reservation transitions to the Open state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ReservationCount	8

ReservationCount occurrences of the following field:

{
ReservationLabel
}

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x0a.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to one more (module 256) than the TransactionID field of the last FwdReservationOn or FwdReservationOff message sent by the access network. If this is the first FwdReservationOn or FwdReservationOff message sent by the access network, then the access network shall set this field to zero.

**ReservationCount** The access network shall set this field to the number of ReservationLabel fields in this message. The sender shall include ReservationCount occurrences of the following field with the message.

**ReservationLabel** The access network shall set this field to the Reservation which is to be transitioned to the Open state.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.4.5.8 FwdReservationOff

The access network sends this message to inform the access terminal when a forward Reservation transitions to the Close state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ReservationCount	8

ReservationCount occurrences of the following field:

{
ReservationLabel
}

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x0b.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to one more (module 256) than the TransactionID field of the last FwdReservationOn or FwdReservationOff message sent by the access network. If this is the first FwdReservationOn or FwdReservationOff message sent by the access network, then the access network shall set this field to zero.

**ReservationCount** The access network shall set this field to the number of ReservationLabel fields in this message. The sender shall include ReservationCount occurrences of the following field with the message.

**ReservationLabel** The access network shall set this field to the Reservation which is to be transitioned to the Close state.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.4.5.9 FwdReservationAck

The access terminal sends this message to acknowledge reception of the FwdReservationOn or the FwdReservationOff message and to accept the related state transition.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x0c.

TransactionID The access terminal shall set this field to the TransactionID field of the FwdReservationOn or FwdReservationOff message to which the access network is responding.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.4.5.10 AttributeValueRequest

The sender sends an AttributeValueRequest message to request the value of an attribute.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
AttributeCount	8

AttributeCount instances of the following field:

{
AttributeID
16
}

MessageID The sender shall set this field to 0x55.

AttributeCount The sender shall set this field to the number of AttributeID fields included in this message.

AttributeID The sender shall set this field to the AttributeID for which this request is generated.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.4.5.11 FlowQoSdetect

The access network sends this message to inform the access terminal that it should add a new Reservation or modify the ReservationKKQoSListFwd or ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute for an existing Reservation KK. The access network may include a packet filter specification in the message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
Reserved1	6
Link	1
ReservationIncluded	1
ReservationLabel	0 or 8

Field	Length (bits)
ReservationPriority	8
QoSAttributeSetCount	8

QoSAttributeSetCount occurrences of the following record:

{	
QoSAttributeSetLength	8
QoSAttributeSet	QoSAttributeSetLength ×8

}	
FilterSpecCount	8

FilterSpecCount occurrences of the following record:

{	
FilterSpecType	8
FilterSpecLength	8
FilterSpec	FilterSpecLength × 8

}

- 1    **MessageID**                      The access network shall set this field to 0x0d.
- 2    **Reserved1**                      The access network shall set this field to '000000'. The access terminal shall
- 3    ignore this field.
- 4    **Link**                              If this message is for a forward Reservation, then the access network shall set
- 5    this field to '1'. If this message is for a reverse Reservation, then the access
- 6    network shall set this field to '0'.
- 7    **ReservationIncluded**           The access network shall set this field to '1' to modify an existing
- 8    Reservation. The access network shall set this field to '0' to add a new
- 9    Reservation.
- 10   **ReservationLabel**                If ReservationIncluded is '0', then the access network shall omit this field.
- 11    Otherwise, the access network shall set this field to the Reservation for which
- 12    this message is generated.
- 13   **ReservationPriority**              The access network shall set this field to indicate the priority to be assigned
- 14    to the reservation. The value 0x00 indicates the highest priority and the value
- 15    0xff indicates the lowest priority.
- 16   **QoSAttributeSetCount**           The access network shall set this field to the number of QoSAttributeSets
- 17    associated with this reservation. Each QoSAttributeSet contains one set of
- 18    acceptable QoS parameters. If multiple QoS attribute sets are included, the
- 19    sender shall include the QoS attribute sets in descending order of preference.
- 20    The sender shall include QoSAttributeSetCount occurrences of the following
- 21    two fields with the message.



**QoSAttributeSetLength**

The access network shall set this field to the length, in octets, of the QoSAttributeSet.

**QoSAttributeSet**

The QoS parameters requested for the reservation. The access network shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.7.1.

**FilterSpecCount**

The access network shall set this field to the number of FilterSpecs associated with this reservation. The sender shall include FilterSpecCount occurrences of the following three fields with the message.

**FilterSpecType**

The access network shall set this field to an identifier for the Filter Specification Type according to Table 3-5.

**FilterSpecLength**

The access network shall set this field to the length of the FilterSpec field in units of octets.

**FilterSpec**

If FilterSpecType is 0x01, then the access network shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.11.1. If FilterSpecType is 0x02, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.11.2. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this record.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

**3.3.4.6 In-band message formats****3.3.4.6.1 ResetRxRequest**

The RLP receiver in the access terminal or the access network sends the ResetRxRequest message to reset its peer RLP transmitter.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ResetAllFlows	1
LinkFlowNumber	4
SequenceSpace	1
Reserved	2

**MessageID**

The sender shall set this field to 0xf0.

**TransactionID**

The sender shall increment this field for every new ResetRxRequest message it sends. If this is the first ResetRxRequest message sent by the sender, then the sender shall set this field to zero.

- 1   ResetAllFlows           The sender shall set this field to '1' to reset all Link Flows. Otherwise the  
2                           sender shall set this field to '0'.
- 3   LinkFlowNumber        The sender shall set this field to the Link Flow that is reset. The sender shall  
4                           set this field to '0000' if the ResetAllFlows field is set to '1'. The receiver  
5                           shall ignore this field if the ResetAllFlows field is set to '1'.
- 6   SequenceSpace         The sender shall set this flag to the value of the sequence space variable  
7                            $Q_{NN,Rx}$ . The sender shall set this field to '0' if the ResetAllFlows field is set to  
8                           '1'. The receiver shall ignore this field if the ResetAllFlows field is set to '1'.
- 9   Reserved               The sender shall set this field to '00'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

### 3.3.4.6.2 ResetRxAck

The RLP transmitter in the access terminal or the access network sends the ResetRxAck message in response to the ResetRxRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

- 14   MessageID            The sender shall set this field to 0xf1.
- 15   TransactionID         The sender shall set this field to the TransactionID of the associated  
16                           ResetRxRequest message.

### 3.3.4.6.3 ResetTxIndication

The RLP transmitter in the access terminal or the access network sends the ResetTxIndication message to reset its peer RLP receiver.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ResetAllFlows	1
LinkFlowNumber	4
SequenceSpace	1
Reserved	2

- 21   MessageID            The sender shall set this field to 0xf2.
- 22   TransactionID         The sender shall increment this field for every new ResetTxIndication  
23                           message it sends. If this is the first ResetTxIndication message sent by the  
24                           sender, then the sender shall set this field to zero.

- 1    ResetAllFlows            The sender shall set this field to '1' to reset all Link Flows. Otherwise the  
2                                   sender shall set this field to '0'.
- 3    LinkFlowNumber        The sender shall set this field to the Link Flow that is reset. The sender shall  
4                                   set this field to '0000' if the ResetAllFlows field is set to '1'. The receiver  
5                                   shall ignore this field if the ResetAllFlows field is set to '1'.
- 6    SequenceSpace        The sender shall set this flag to the value of the sequence space variable  
7                                    $Q_{NN,Rx}$ . The sender shall set this field to '0' if the ResetAllFlows field is set to  
8                                   '1'. The receiver shall ignore this field if the ResetAllFlows field is set to '1'.
- 9    Reserved                The sender shall set this field to '00'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

#### 11    3.3.4.6.4 ResetTxAck

12    The RLP receiver in the access terminal or the access network sends the ResetTxAck message in  
13    response to the ResetTxIndication message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

- 15    MessageID              The sender shall set this field to 0xf3.
- 16    TransactionID          The sender shall set this field to the TransactionID of the associated  
17                                   ResetTxIndication message.

#### 18    3.3.4.6.5 ReceiverStatus

19    The access terminal and the access network send the ReceiverStatus message to acknowledge the  
20    receipt of one or more RLP data units or to request the retransmission of one or more RLP data units.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
LinkFlowNumber	4
SequenceSpace	1
LatestDataUnit	1
Reserved0	1
TimeStampIncluded	1
Reserved1	0 or 4
TimeStamp	0 or 12
SequenceLength	8
ReportCount	8

Field	Length (bits)
ReportCount occurrences of the following record:	
{	
FirstErasedDataUnit	SequenceLength
WindowLen	SequenceLength
}	
VR	SequenceLength

1	MessageID	The sender shall set this field to 0xf4.
2	LinkFlowNumber	The sender shall set this field to the Link Flow for which this ReceiverStatus
3		is being sent.
4	SequenceSpace	The sender shall set this flag to the value of the sequence space variable
5		$Q_{NN,Rx}$ .
6	Reserved0	The sender shall set this field to '0'. The receiver shall ignore this field.
7	LatestDataUnit	If the latest data unit in the receive buffer is the data unit with sequence
8		number $V(R) - 1$ , then the sender shall set this field to '1'. Otherwise, the
9		sender shall set this field to '0'.
10	TimeStampIncluded	If the value of the Flow $NN$ AckNakEnableFwd attribute is 0x0002 or 0x0003,
11		then the access terminal shall set this field to '1'. Otherwise, the access
12		terminal shall set this field to '0'. If the value of the
13		Flow $NN$ AckNakEnableRev attribute is 0x0002 or 0x0003, then the access
14		network shall set this field to '1'. Otherwise, the access network shall set this
15		field to '0'. $NN$ is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number.
16	Reserved1	If TimeStampIncluded is '0', then the sender shall omit this field. Otherwise,
17		the sender shall set this field to '0000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.
18	TimeStamp	If TimeStampIncluded is '0', then the sender shall omit this field. Otherwise,
19		the sender shall set this field to the 12 least significant bits of the system
20		time, in units of frames, when the latest data unit in the receive buffer was
21		received.
22	SequenceLength	The sender shall set this field to the length of the sequence number as
23		indicated by the Flow $NN$ SequenceLengthFwd or
24		Flow $NN$ SequenceLengthRev attribute for forward or reverse Link Flow $NN$ ,
25		respectively in units of bits.
26	ReportCount	The sender shall set this field to the number of Report records included in
27		this message. The sender shall include ReportCount occurrences of the
28		following two fields with the message.
29	FirstErasedDataUnit	The sender shall set this field to the sequence number of the first RLP data
30		unit erased in a sequence of erased data units.

WindowLen            The sender shall set this field to the length of the erased window in data units.

VR                    The sender shall set this field to  $V(R)_{NN,P}$ .

### 3.3.4.7 Interface to other protocols

#### 3.3.4.7.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following command:

- *AirLinkManagement.OpenConnection*

#### 3.3.4.7.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *IdleState.ConnectionOpened*
- *RTCMAC.ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed* along with parameters indicating the Link Flow number and missing octets.
- *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*
- *ActiveSetManagement.ConnectionLost*

### 3.3.4.8 RLP packet priorities

For a given Link Flow, the sender shall assign higher priority to packets containing retransmitted transport traffic than packets containing only first time transmissions. If FlowNNTransmitAbortTimerRev is not set to 0x0000, then the access terminal should transmit a higher layer data unit within FlowNNTransmitAbortTimerRev time of the higher layer data unit being received. The access terminal may use the FlowNNTransmitAbortTimerRev attribute to determine the priority of reverse RLP packets.

### 3.3.4.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
$N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}$	Maximum total number of activated and deactivated Link Flows.	15
$T_{\text{RLPResponse}}$	Time period within which the access network is to respond to ReservationOnRequest, ReservationOffRequest and ResetRequest messages.	1 second

### 3.3.5 Flow Control Protocol

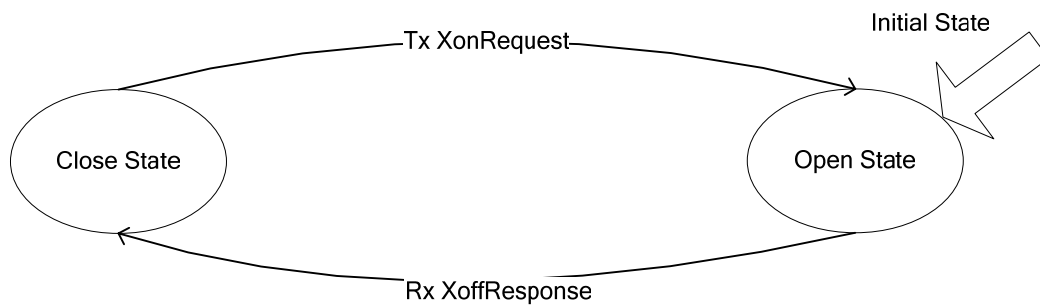
#### 3.3.5.1 Overview

The Flow Control Protocol provides procedures and messages used by the access terminal and the access network to perform flow control for the forward link of the Default Data Transport.

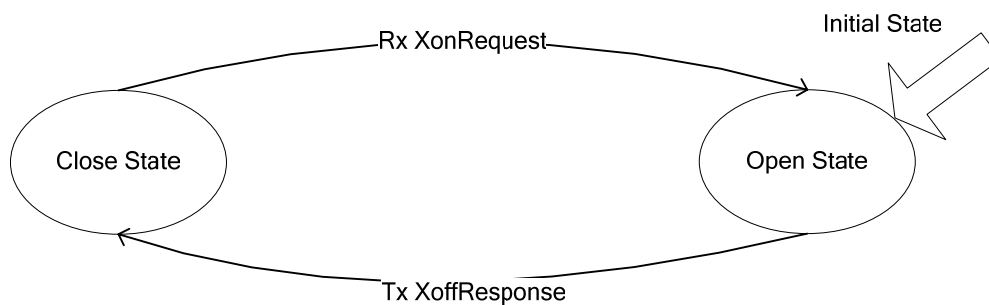
This protocol can be in one of the following states:

- Close State: in this state, the Default Data Transport for the access network does not send any RLP packets.
- Open State: in this state, the Default Data Transport for the access network can send RLP packets.

Figure 3-22 and Figure 3-23 show the state transition diagram at the access terminal and the access network.



**Figure 3-22 Flow control protocol state diagram (access terminal)**



**Figure 3-23 Flow control protocol state diagram (access network)**

The flow control protocol is a protocol associated with the Default Data Transport.

#### 3.3.5.2 Primitives

##### 3.3.5.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

### 3.3.5.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

### 3.3.5.3 Protocol data unit

The transmission unit of this protocol is a message. This is a control protocol and, therefore, it does not carry payload on behalf of other layers or protocols.

### 3.3.5.4 Procedures

All messages for the flow control protocol shall apply only to the instance of the Default Data Transport sending and receiving the message.

#### 3.3.5.4.1 Transmission and processing of RestartNetworkInterface message

The access network may send a RestartNetworkInterface message to direct the access terminal to restart the interface between the Data Transport and the higher layer.

Upon receiving a RestartNetworkInterface message, the access terminal shall send a RestartNetworkInterfaceAck message within the time period specified by  $T_{FCResponse}$ , and shall restart the interface between the Data Transport and the higher layer. The access terminal may also restart higher layer protocols.

#### 3.3.5.4.2 Close state

In this state, the access network shall not send any RLP packets. In this state, the access network may send RLP in band messages.

##### 3.3.5.4.2.1 Access terminal requirements

The access terminal shall send an XonRequest message when it is ready to receive RLP packets from the access network.

The access terminal shall transition to the Open State when it sends an XonRequest message.

##### 3.3.5.4.2.2 Access network requirements

If the access network receives an XonRequest message, it shall:

- Send an XonResponse message within the time period specified by  $T_{FCResponse}$  after reception of the XonRequest message to acknowledge reception of the message.
- Transition to the Open State.

### 3.3.5.4.3 Open state

In this state, the access terminal and the access network may send or receive any RLP packets.

#### 3.3.5.4.3.1 Access terminal requirements

The access terminal may re-send an XonRequest message if it does not receive an XonResponse message or an RLP packet (corresponding to this instance of the Default Data Transport) within the time period specified by  $T_{FCResponse}$  after sending the XonRequest message.

The access terminal may send an XoffRequest message to request the access network to stop sending RLP packets. The access terminal shall transition to the Close state when it receives an XoffResponse message with a TransactionID field equal to the TransactionID sent in the XoffRequest message.

The access terminal may re-send an XoffRequest message if it does not receive an XoffResponse message within the time period specified by  $T_{FCResponse}$  after sending the XoffRequest message.

#### 3.3.5.4.3.2 Access network requirements

If the access network receives an XoffRequest message, it shall

- Send an XoffResponse message within the time period specified by  $T_{FCResponse}$  after reception of the XoffRequest message to acknowledge reception of the message.
- Transition to the Close State.

If the access network receives an XonRequest message, it shall send an XonResponse message within the time period specified by  $T_{FCResponse}$  after reception of the XonRequest message to acknowledge reception of the message.

### 3.3.5.5 Message formats

#### 3.3.5.5.1 XonRequest

The access terminal sends this message to request transition to the Open State.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x0e.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall increment this field for each new XonRequest or XoffRequest message sent. If this is the first XonRequest or XoffRequest message sent by the access terminal, then the access terminal shall set this field to zero.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required



### 3.3.5.5.2 XonResponse

The access network sends this message to acknowledge reception of the XonRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x0f.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to the value of the TransactionID field of the corresponding XonRequest message.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.5.5.3 XoffRequest

The access terminal sends this message to request transition to the Close State.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x10.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall increment this field for each new XonRequest or XoffRequest message sent. If this is the first XonRequest or XoffRequest message sent by the access terminal, then the access terminal shall set this field to zero.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.5.5.4 XoffResponse

The access network sends this message to acknowledge reception of the XoffRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x11.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to the value of the TransactionID field of the corresponding XoffRequest message.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.5.5.5 RestartNetworkInterface

The access network sends this message to request the access terminal to restart the network interface.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x12.

**TransactionID** The access network shall increment this value for each new RestartNetworkInterface message sent.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.5.5.6 RestartNetworkInterfaceAck

The access terminal sends this message to acknowledge reception of a RestartNetworkInterface message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x13.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this value to the value of the TransactionID field of the corresponding RestartNetworkInterface message.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 3.3.5.6 Interface to other protocols

#### 3.3.5.6.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

#### 3.3.5.6.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

### 3.3.5.7 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
T <sub>FCResponse</sub>	Time period within which the access terminal and access network are to respond to flow control messages.	200 ms

### 3.3.6 Configuration attributes for the default data transport

The access terminal shall support default values of all attributes.

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Data Transport.

#### 3.3.6.1 Simple attributes

The negotiable simple attribute for this protocol is listed in Table 3-3. The access terminal and the access network shall use as defaults the values in Table 3-3 that are listed in ***bold italics***.

**Table 3-3 Configurable values**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0xfffc	MaxAbortTimer	<b><i>0x01f4</i></b>	Maximum abort timer defaults to 500 ms.
		0x0000 to 0x2710	Maximum abort timer in units of ms.
		All other values	Reserved
0xfe0f	Flow0FAckNakEnableFwd	<b><i>0x0000</i></b>	RLP receivers associated with forward Link Flow 0x0F do not transmit ReceiverStatus messages.
		All other values	Reserved.
0xfeNN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the forward Link Flow in the range 0x00 to N <sub>LinkFlowMax</sub> -2 inclusive.	FlowNNAckNakEnableFwd NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to N <sub>LinkFlowMax</sub> -2 inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	RLP receivers associated with forward Link Flow NN do not transmit ReceiverStatus messages.
		<b><i>0x0001</i></b>	RLP receivers associated with forward Link Flow NN transmit a ReceiverStatus message when missing data units are detected.
		0x0002	RLP receivers associated with forward Link Flow NN transmit a ReceiverStatus message when missing data units are detected. RLP receivers associated with forward Link Flow NN send ReceiverStatus messages within AckTimer interval of receiving a data unit.

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
		0x0003	<p>RLP receivers associated with forward Link Flow <i>NN</i> transmit a ReceiverStatus message when missing data units are detected.</p> <p>RLP receivers associated with forward Link Flow <i>NN</i> send ReceiverStatus messages within AckTimer interval of receiving a data unit.</p> <p>The receivers are required to send a ReceiverStatus message immediately upon receiving an RLP packet carrying the last segment of a higher layer packet.</p>
		All other values	Reserved.
0xfd0f	Flow0FAckNakEnableRev	0x0000	RLP receivers associated with reverse Link Flow 0x0F do not transmit ReceiverStatus messages.
		All other values	Reserved.
0xfd <i>NN</i> <i>NN</i> is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive.	Flow <i>NN</i> AckNakEnableRev <i>NN</i> is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	RLP receivers associated with reverse Link Flow <i>NN</i> do not transmit ReceiverStatus messages.
		0x0001	RLP receivers associated with reverse Link Flow <i>NN</i> transmit a ReceiverStatus message when missing data units are detected.
		0x0002	<p>RLP receivers associated with reverse Link Flow <i>NN</i> transmit a ReceiverStatus message when missing data units are detected.</p> <p>RLP receivers associated with reverse Link Flow <i>NN</i> send ReceiverStatus messages within AckTimer interval of receiving a data unit.</p>
		0x0003	<p>RLP receivers associated with reverse Link Flow <i>NN</i> transmit a ReceiverStatus message when missing data units are detected.</p> <p>RLP receivers associated with reverse Link Flow <i>NN</i> send ReceiverStatus messages within AckTimer interval of receiving a data unit.</p> <p>The receivers are required to send a ReceiverStatus message immediately upon receiving an RLP packet carrying the last segment of a higher layer packet.</p>
		All other values	Reserved.

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0xfc0f	Flow0FRTCMACNakEnableRev	0x0000	RLP is to ignore <i>RTCMAC.ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed</i> indication.
		All other values	Reserved.
0xfcNN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x00 to N <sub>LinkFlowMax</sub> -2 inclusive.	FlowNNRTCMACNakEnableRev NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to N <sub>LinkFlowMax</sub> -2 inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0001	RLP is to retransmit data units when a <i>RTCMAC.ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed</i> indication is received.
		0x0000	RLP is to ignore <i>RTCMAC.ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed</i> indication.
		All other values	Reserved
0xfbKK KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.	ReservationKKIdleStateFwd KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.	0x0000	Reservation does not change states when a Connection is closed.
		0x0001	Reservation transitions to the Close state when a Connection is closed.
		0x0002	Reservation transitions to the Open state when a Connection is opened and transitions to the Close state when a Connection is closed.
		All other values	Reserved
0xfaKK KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.	ReservationKKIdleStateRev KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.	0x0000	Reservation does not change states when a Connection is closed.
		0x0001	Reservation transitions to the Close state when a Connection is closed.
		0x0002	Reservation transitions to the Open state when a Connection is opened and transitions to the Close state when a Connection is closed.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf800	Flow00ActivatedFwd	0x0001	Forward Link Flow 0x00 is activated.
		0x0000	Forward Link Flow 0x00 is not activated.
		All other values	Reserved

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0xf80f	Flow0FActivatedFwd	<b>0x0001</b>	Forward Link Flow 0x0F is activated.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf8NN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the forward Link Flow in the range 0x01 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive.	FlowNNActivatedFwd NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	<b>0x0000</b>	Forward Link Flow NN is not activated.
		0x0001	Forward Link Flow NN is activated.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf700	Flow00ActivatedRev	<b>0x0001</b>	Reverse Link Flow 0x00 is activated.
		0x0000	Reverse Link Flow 0x00 is not activated.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf70f	Flow0FActivatedRev	<b>0x0001</b>	Reverse Link Flow 0x0F is activated.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf7NN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x01 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive.	FlowNNActivatedRev NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	<b>0x0000</b>	Reverse Link Flow NN is not activated.
		0x0001	Reverse Link Flow NN is activated.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf60f	Flow0FSequenceLengthFwd	<b>0x0001</b>	Forward Link Flow 0x0F has a 8-bit sequence number.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf6NN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the forward Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive.	FlowNNSequenceLengthFwd NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	Forward Link Flow NN has a 0-bit sequence number.
		0x0001	Forward Link Flow NN has a 8-bit sequence number.
		0x0002	Forward Link Flow NN has a 16-bit sequence number.
		<b>0x0003</b>	Forward Link Flow NN has a 24-bit sequence number.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf50f	Flow0FSequenceLengthRev	<b>0x0001</b>	Reverse Link Flow 0x0F has a 8-bit sequence number.
		All other values	Reserved

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0xf5NN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive.	FlowNNSequenceLengthRev NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	Reverse Link Flow NN has a 0-bit sequence number.
		0x0001	Reverse Link Flow NN has a 8-bit sequence number.
		0x0002	Reverse Link Flow NN has a 16-bit sequence number.
		0x0003	Reverse Link Flow NN has a 24-bit sequence number.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf20f	Flow0FDataUnitFwd	0x0001	Data unit for forward Link Flow 0x0F is RLP packet payload.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf2NN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the forward Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive.	FlowNNDataUnitFwd NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	Data unit for forward Link Flow NN is octets.
		0x0001	Data unit for forward Link Flow NN is RLP packet payload.
		All other values	Reserved.
0xf10f	Flow0FDataUnitRev	0x0001	Data unit for reverse Link Flow 0x0F is RLP packet payload.
		All other values	Reserved
0xf1NN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ inclusive.	FlowNNDataUnitRev NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	Data unit for reverse Link Flow NN is octets.
		0x0001	Data unit for reverse Link Flow NN is RLP packet payload.
		All other values	Reserved.
0xeeNN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the forward Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ inclusive.	FlowNNSimultaneousDeliveryOnBothRoutesFwd NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	Forward Link Flow NN delivers Flow Protocol payload in-order.
		0x0001	Forward Link Flow NN may deliver Flow Protocol payload out-of-order.
		All other values	Reserved.



Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0xee0f	Flow0FOutOfOrderDeliveryToRouteProtocolFwd	0x0001	Each Route of forward Link Flow 0x0F may deliver Route Protocol payload out-of-order.
		All other values	Reserved
0xedNN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the forward Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive.	FlowNNOutOfOrderDeliveryToRouteProtocolFwd NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	Each Route of forward Link Flow NN delivers Route Protocol payload in-order.
		0x0001	Each Route of forward Link Flow NN may deliver Route Protocol payload out-of-order.
		All other values	Reserved.
0xe1NN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ inclusive.	FlowNNRequestLevelReverse NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0002	QoSFlow field is set to '10' for signaling requests in the R-REQCH for the reverse Link Flow NN.
		0x0000, 0x0001, 0x0003	Value of the QoSFlow field for signaling requests in the R-REQCH for the reverse Link Flow NN.
		All other values	Reserved.
0xe9NN NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ inclusive.	FlowNNTransmitAbortTimerReverse NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.	0x0000	Maximum delay for transmission of a higher layer data unit for reverse Link Flow NN is not specified.
		0x0001 to 0x1388	Maximum delay for transmission of a higher layer data unit for reverse Link Flow NN in units of ms.
		All other values	Reserved.

### 3.3.6.2 Complex attributes

The following complex attributes and default values are defined (see 10.3 for attribute record definition).

### 3.3.6.2.1 FlowNNTimersFwd attribute

NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the forward Link Flow in the range 0x00 to N<sub>LinkFlowMax</sub>-1, inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
AbortTimer	16	0x01f4
FlushTimer	16	0x012c
AckTimer	16	0x0064

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x01NN, where NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to N<sub>LinkFlowMax</sub>-1, inclusive.

**AbortTimer** The sender shall set this field to the value of the RLP abort timer for this forward Link Flow in units of ms. The sender shall not set this field to a value greater than MaxAbortTimer.

**FlushTimer** The sender shall set this field to the value of the RLP flush timer for this forward Link Flow in units of ms. The value of the RLP flush timer shall be less than or equal to that of the corresponding abort timer.

**AckTimer** The sender shall set this field to the value of the RLP Ack timer for this forward Link Flow in units of ms.

### 3.3.6.2.2 FlowNNTimersRev attribute

NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x00 to N<sub>LinkFlowMax</sub>-1, inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
AbortTimer	16	0x01f4
FlushTimer	16	0x012c
AckTimer	16	0x0064

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x02NN, where NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to N<sub>LinkFlowMax</sub>-1, inclusive.

- 1 **AbortTimer** The sender shall set this field to the value of the RLP abort timer for this  
 2 reverse Link Flow in units of ms. The sender shall not set this field to a value  
 3 greater than MaxAbortTimer.
- 4 **FlushTimer** The sender shall set this field to the value of the RLP flush timer for this  
 5 reverse Link Flow in units of ms. The value of the RLP flush timer shall be  
 6 less than or equal to that of the corresponding abort timer.
- 7 **AckTimer** The sender shall set this field to the value of the RLP Ack timer for this  
 8 reverse Link Flow in units of ms.

### 9 3.3.6.2.3 FlowNNReservationFwd attribute

10 NN is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the forward Link Flow in the range 0x00 to  
 11 N<sub>LinkFlowMax</sub>-2, inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default for NN = 0x00	Default for NN > 0x00
Length	8	N/A	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A	N/A
ReservationCount	8	0x01	0x00

ReservationCount occurrences of the following field:

{
ReservationLabel
}

- 13 **Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the  
 14 length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.
- 15 **AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x03NN, where NN is the two-digit  
 16 hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to N<sub>LinkFlowMax</sub>-2 inclusive.
- 17 **ReservationCount** The sender shall set this field to the number of reservations associated with  
 18 this Link Flow. The sender shall include ReservationCount occurrences of  
 19 the following field with the message.
- 20 **ReservationLabel** The sender shall set this field to the ReservationLabel of the reservation  
 21 associated with this Link Flow.

### 3.3.6.2.4 Flow*NN*ReservationRev attribute

*NN* is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number of the reverse Link Flow in the range 0x00 to  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$ , inclusive, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default for <i>NN</i> = 0x00	Default for <i>NN</i> >= 0x00
Length	8	N/A	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A	N/A
ReservationCount	8	0x01	0x00

ReservationCount occurrences of the following field:

{
ReservationLabel
}

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x04*NN*, where *NN* is the two-digit hexadecimal Link Flow number in the range 0x00 to  $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-2$  inclusive.

**ReservationCount** The sender shall set this field to the number of reservations associated with this Link Flow. The sender shall include ReservationCount occurrences of the following field with the message.

**ReservationLabel** The sender shall set this field to the ReservationLabel of the reservation associated with this Link Flow

### 3.3.6.2.5 ATSupportedFlowProtocolParameters*PP* attribute

*PP* is the two-digit hexadecimal ProtocolID number for the Flow Protocol according to Table 3-6, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
ProtocolSupported	8	0x01 for <i>PP</i> = 0x00 and 0x01. 0x00 otherwise.
SupportedProtocolParametersValuesLength	8	0x00
SupportedProtocolParametersValues	SupportedProtocolParametersValuesLength × 8	N/A

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

- 1    **AttributeID**                      The sender shall set this field to 0x0d*PP*.
- 2    **ProtocolSupported**            The sender shall set this field to 0x00 if the Flow Protocol *PP* is not  
3                                      supported. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to 0x01 if the Flow  
4                                      Protocol *PP* is supported. All other values are reserved.
- 5    **SupportedProtocolParametersValuesLength**  
6                                      The sender shall set this field to the length of the  
7                                      SupportedProtocolParametersValues record in units of octets. If the  
8                                      ProtocolSupported field is set to 0x00, the sender shall set this field to 0x00.  
9                                      If the ProtocolSupported field is set to 0x01, the sender shall set this field to  
10                                     0x00 for Flow Protocol ProtocolID 0x00, 0x01 and 0x03. If the  
11                                     ProtocolSupported field is set to 0x01, the sender shall set this field  
12                                     according to 3.3.6.2.5.1 for Route Protocol ProtocolID 0x02.
- 13   **SupportedProtocolParametersValues**  
14                                      If ProtocolID is 0x02 and ProtocolSupported is 0x01, then the sender shall  
15                                      set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.5.1. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this  
16                                      record.

17   **3.3.6.2.5.1 Definition of SupportedProtocolParametersValues record when the Flow**  
18   **Protocol or Route Protocol is ROHC**

Field	Length (bits)
MaxSupportedMaxCID	16
LargeCIDSUPPORTED	1
MaxSupportedMRRU	16
MaxSupportedDelayedDecompressionDepth	8
TimerBasedCompressionSupported	1
SupportedProfileCount	8

SupportedProfileCount occurrences of the following field:

{	
SupportedProfile	16
}	
Reserved	0 - 7 (as needed)

- 20   **MaxSupportedMaxCID**  
21                                      The sender shall set this field to the maximum MAX\_CID parameter  
22                                      supported.
- 23   **LargeCIDSUPPORTED**            The sender shall set this field to '0' if large CID representation is not  
24                                      supported according to [11]. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '1' if  
25                                      large CID representation is supported.
- 26   **MaxSupportedMRRU**            The sender shall set this field to the MRRU supported by the decompressor  
27                                      according to [11]. Default value is 0x0000 (no segmentation).

**MaxSupportedDelayedDecompressionDepth**

The sender shall set this field to the maximum supported value of delayed decompression depth at the access terminal RoHC de-compressor.

**TimerBasedCompressionSupported**

The sender shall set this field to '1' if the compressor at the access terminal supports timer based compression mode. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.

**SupportedProfileCount**

The sender shall set this field to the number of ROHC profiles supported. The sender shall include SupportedProfileCount occurrences of the following field with the message.

**SupportedProfile**

The sender shall set this field to the ROHC profile supported by the compressor and decompressor. IANA ROHC profile identifier definitions can be found at [15].

**Reserved**

The sender shall add reserved bits to make the length of the entire record an integer number of octets. The sender shall set these bits to '0'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

**3.3.6.2.6 ATSupportedRouteProtocolParametersPP attribute**

*PP* is the two-digit hexadecimal ProtocolID number for the Route Protocol according to Table 3-7, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
ProtocolSupported	8	0x01 for <i>PP</i> = 0x00. 0x00 otherwise.
SupportedProtocolParametersValuesLength	8	0x00
SupportedProtocolParametersValues	SupportedProtocolParametersValuesLength × 8	N/A

**Length**

Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID**

The sender shall set this field to 0x0e*PP*.

**ProtocolSupported**

The sender shall set this field to 0x00 if the Route Protocol *PP* is not supported. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to 0x01 if the Route Protocol *PP* is supported. All other values are reserved

**SupportedProtocolParametersValuesLength**

The sender shall set this field to the length of the SupportedProtocolParametersValues record in units of octets. If the ProtocolSupported field is set to 0x00, the sender shall set this field to 0x00. If the ProtocolSupported field is set to 0x01, the sender shall set this field to 0x00 for Flow Protocol ProtocolID 0x00. If the ProtocolSupported field is set to 0x01, the sender shall set this field according to 3.3.6.2.5.1 for Route Protocol ProtocolID 0x02.

**SupportedProtocolParametersValues**

If ProtocolID is 0x02 and ProtocolSupported is 0x01, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.5.1. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this record.

**3.3.6.2.7 ReservationKKQoSListFwd attribute**

KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
ReservationPriority	8	0xff
QoSAttributeSetCount	8	0x00

QoSAttributeSetCount occurrences of the following record:

{		
QoSAttributeSetLength	8	N/A
QoSAttributeSet	QoSAttributeSetLength × 8	N/A
}		

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x05KK, where KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.

**ReservationPriority** The sender shall set this field to indicate the priority to be assigned to the reservation. The value 0x00 indicates the highest priority and the value 0xff indicates the lowest priority.<sup>7</sup>

<sup>7</sup> The ReservationPriority field may be used by the access terminal to indicate the relative importance of reservations for purposes such as admission control.

**QoSAttributeSetCount** The sender shall set this field to the number of QoSAttributeSets associated with this reservation. Each QoSAttributeSet contains one set of acceptable QoS parameters. If multiple QoS attribute sets are included, the sender shall include the QoS attribute sets in descending order of preference. The sender shall include QoSAttributeSetCount occurrences of the following two fields with the message.

**QoSAttributeSetLength** The sender shall set this field to the length, in octets, of the QoSAttributeSet.

**QoSAttributeSet** The QoS parameters requested for the reservation. The sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.7.1.

### 3.3.6.2.7.1 Definition of QoSAttributeSet

Field	Length (bits)
QoSAttributeSet_ID	8
Traffic_Class	8
Peak_Rate	16
Bucket_Size	16
Token_Rate	16
Max_Latency	16
Max_Packet_Loss_Rate	8
Packet_Size	16
Max_Jitter	16

**QoSAttributeSet\_ID** The sender shall set this field to an identifier for the QoSAttributeSet. The sender shall not set this field to 0x00.

**Traffic\_Class** The sender shall include this field to indicate the traffic class as specified in Table 3-4.



**Table 3-4 Traffic Class**

Value	Description
'000'	Unknown
'001'	Conversational <sup>8</sup>
'010'	Streaming <sup>9</sup>
'011'	Interactive <sup>10</sup>
'100'	Background <sup>11</sup>
'101'-'111'	Reserved

**Peak\_Rate** This field specifies the peak traffic rate as specified in [12], [13], and [14] in units of 256 bytes per second. The sender shall set this field to the unsigned value  $n$  (range from 1 to 65535), where the peak rate =  $n \times 256$  bytes per second. If the sender doesn't want to specify the peak rate, the sender shall set this field to zero.

**Bucket\_Size** This field specifies the token bucket size as specified in [12], [13], and [14] in units of 256 bytes. The sender shall set this field to the unsigned value  $n$  (range from 1 to 65535), where the bucket size =  $n \times 256$  bytes. If the sender doesn't want to specify the token bucket size, the sender shall set this field to zero.

**Token\_Rate** This field specifies the token rate as specified in [12], [13], and [14] in units of 256 bytes per second. The sender shall set this field to the unsigned value  $n$  (range from 1 to 65535), where the token rate =  $n \times 256$  bytes per second. If the sender doesn't want to specify the token rate, the sender shall set this field to zero.

**Max\_Latency** The maximum latency in units of milliseconds. The maximum latency specifies the maximum acceptable delay from the time that an octet of user data is submitted to the transmitter until the receiver receives the octet. It is measured between the sender and the receiver. The sender shall set this field to the unsigned value  $n$  (range from 1 to 65535), where the maximum latency =  $n$  milliseconds. If the sender doesn't want to specify the maximum latency, the sender shall set this field to zero.

**Max\_Packet\_Loss\_Rate** This field indicates the maximum higher layer packet loss rate. The sender shall set this field to an unsigned value  $n$  (range from 1 to 31), where the maximum packet loss rate =  $10^{(-n/4)}$ . If the sender doesn't want to specify the maximum loss rate, the sender shall set this field to zero. When Max\_Packet\_loss\_Rate is used the Packet\_Size shall also be specified.

<sup>8</sup> Conversational traffic class has a low latency, medium error rate service requirement

<sup>9</sup> Streaming traffic class has a high latency, medium error rate service requirement

<sup>10</sup> Interactive traffic class has a low latency, low error rate service requirement

<sup>11</sup> Background traffic class has a high latency, low error rate service requirement

**Packet\_Size:** This field indicates the median packet size, in units of bytes. The sender shall set this field to the unsigned value  $n$  (range from 1 to 65535), where the median packet size =  $n$  bytes. If the sender doesn't want to specify the median packet size, the sender shall set this field to zero.

**Max\_Jitter** The maximum jitter in units of milliseconds. The maximum jitter specifies the maximum acceptable latency variation from the time that a packet is received until the time that the next packet is received as measured at the receiver. The sender shall set this field to the unsigned value  $n$  (range from 1 to 65535), where the maximum jitter =  $n$  milliseconds. The sender shall set this field to zero to indicate the traffic flow sensitivity to variation in delay is not specified.

### 3.3.6.2.8 ReservationKKQoSListRev attribute

*KK* is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
ReservationPriority	8	<i>0xff</i>
QoSAttributeSetCount	8	<i>0x00</i>

QoSAttributeSetCount occurrences of the following record:

{		
QoSAttributeSetLength	8	N/A
QoSAttributeSet	QoSAttributeSetLength × 8	N/A
}		

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x06*KK*, where *KK* is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.

**ReservationPriority** The sender shall set this field to indicate the priority to be assigned to the reservation. The value 0x00 indicates the highest priority and the value 0xff indicates the lowest priority.

**QoSAttributeSetCount** The sender shall set this field to the number of QoSAttributeSets associated with this reservation. Each QoSAttributeSet contains one set of acceptable QoS parameters. If multiple QoS attribute sets are included, the sender shall include the QoS attribute sets in descending order of preference. The sender shall include QoSAttributeSetCount occurrences of the following two fields with the message.

**QoSAttributeSetLength** The sender shall set this field to the length, in octets, of the QoSAttributeSet.

QoSAttributeSet      The QoS parameters requested for the reservation. The sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.7.1.

### 3.3.6.2.9 ReservationKKQoSUsedFwd attribute

KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
QoSAttributeSet_ID	8	0x00

Length      Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

AttributeID      The sender shall set this field to 0x07KK, where KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.

QoSAttributeSet\_ID      The sender may set this field to the identifier assigned by the corresponding ReservationKKQoSListFwd message of the QoSAttributeSet that has been granted; or the sender may set this field to 0x00 to indicate that requested QoSAttributeSet is invalid.

### 3.3.6.2.10 ReservationKKQoSUsedRev attribute

KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
QoSAttributeSet_ID	8	0x00

Length      Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

AttributeID      The sender shall set this field to 0x08KK, where KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.

QoSAttributeSet\_ID      The sender may set this field to the identifier assigned by the corresponding ReservationKKQoSListRev message of the QoSAttributeSet that has been granted; or the sender may set this field to 0x00 to indicate that requested QoSAttributeSet is invalid.

### 3.3.6.2.11 ReservationKKPacketFilterFwd attribute

KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
FilterPrecedence	16	0xff
FilterSpecCount	8	0x00

FilterSpecCount occurrences of the following record:

{

FilterSpecType	8	N/A
FilterSpecLength	8	N/A
FilterSpec	FilterSpecLength × 8	N/A

}

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x0fKK, where KK is the two-digit hexadecimal ReservationLabel.

**FilterPrecedence** The sender shall set this field to indicate the precedence of the packet filter for ReservationKKPacketFilterFwd among all packet filters defined by the ReservationKKPacketFilterFwd attributes of all active forward Reservations associated with the access terminal. The evaluation precedence index is in the range of 0x0000 to 0xffff. The higher the value of the FilterPrecedence field, the lower the precedence of that packet filter. If a given packet matches more than one of the currently active packet filters, the packet is mapped to the Reservation corresponding to the packet filter of highest precedence. A given precedence level may be used only once per access terminal, except 0xffff which is used as an indication of no precedence.

**FilterSpecCount** The sender shall set this field to the number of FilterSpecs associated with this reservation. The sender shall include FilterSpecCount occurrences of the following three fields with the message.

**FilterSpecType** The sender shall set this field to an identifier for the Filter Specification Type according to Table 3-5.

**Table 3-5 FilterSpecType for Packet Filter**

Value	FilterSpecType
0x00	IP version 4 [4]
0x01	IP version 6 [5]
0x02	Match all
All other values	Reserved

**FilterSpecLength** The sender shall set this field to the length of the FilterSpec field in units of octets.

**FilterSpec** If FilterSpecType is 0x00, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.11.1. If FilterSpecType is 0x01, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.11.2. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this record.

### 3.3.6.2.11.1 Definition of FilterSpec record for IPv4

Field	Length (bits)
IPv4_Source_Address_Included	1
IPv4_Destination_Address_Included	1
Source_Port_Range_Included	1
Destination_Port_Range_Included	1
Packet_Length_Included	1
Protocol_Type_Included	1
Type_of_Service_Included	1
IPSec_SPI_Included	1
Protocol_Type	0 or 8
IPv4_Source_Address_Prefix_Length	0 or 8
IPv4_Destination_Address_Prefix_Length	0 or 8
IPv4_Source_Address	0 or 32
IPv4_Destination_Address	0 or 32
Source_Port_Lower	0 or 16
Source_Port_Upper	0 or 16
Destination_Port_Lower	0 or 16
Destination_Port_Upper	0 or 16
Packet_Length_Lower	0 or 16
Packet_Length_Upper	0 or 16
IPSec_SPI	0 or 32
Type_of_Service	0 or 8
Type_of_Service_Mask	0 or 8

1	IPv4_Source_Address_Included	
2		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the Source Address
3		field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
4	IPv4_Destination_Address_Included	
5		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the Destination
6		Address field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
7	Source_Port_Range_Included	
8		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match a range of Source Port numbers
9		in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
10	Destination_Port_Range_Included	
11		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match a range of Destination Port
12		numbers in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
13	Packet_Length_Included	
14		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match a range of IP packet lengths.
15		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
16	Protocol_Type_Included	
17		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the Protocol field in
18		the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
19	Type_of_Service_Included	
20		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the Type of Service
21		field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
22	IPSec_SPI_Included	
23		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the IPSec Security
24		Parameter Index (SPI) field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set
		this field to '0'.
25	Protocol_Type	
26		If Protocol_Type_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
27		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the value of the Protocol field to
28		match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this field in the range from 0x00
		to 0xff.
29	IPv4_Source_Address_Prefix_Length	
30		The IPv4_Source_Address up to the IPv4_Source_Address_Prefix_Length is
31		matched against the Source Address in the IP packet. If
32		IPv4_Source_Address_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
33		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field in the range from 0x01 to 0x10.
34	IPv4_Destination_Address_Prefix_Length	
35		The IPv4_Destination_Address up to the
36		IPv4_Destination_Address_Prefix_Length is matched against the Destination
37		Address in the IP packet. If IPv4_Destination_Address_Included is '0', then
38		the sender shall omit this field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field in the
39		range from 0x01 to 0x10.

1	IPv4_Source_Address	If IPv4_Source_Address_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
2		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the value of the Source Address
3		field to match in the IP packet.
4	IPv4_Destination_Address	
5		If IPv4_Destination_Address_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this
6		field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the value of the Destination
7		Address field to match in the IP packet.
8	Source_Port_Lower	If Source_Port_Range_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
9		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the lowest value of the Source
10		Port Number to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this field in the
11		range from 0x0000 to 0xffff.
12	Source_Port_Upper	If Source_Port_Range_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
13		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the highest value of the Source
14		Port Number to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this field in the
15		range from Source_Port_Lower to 0xffff.
16	Destination_Port_Lower	
17		If Destination_Port_Range_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this
18		field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the lowest value of the
19		Destination Port Number to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this
20		field in the range from 0x0000 to 0xffff.
21	Destination_Port_Upper	
22		If Destination_Port_Range_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this
23		field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the highest value of the
24		Destination Port Number to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this
25		field in the range from Destination_Port_Lower to 0xffff.
26	Packet_Length_Lower	If Packet_Length_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
27		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the shortest packet length IP
28		packet to match. The sender shall set this field in the range from 0x0000 to
29		0xffff.
30	Packet_Length_Upper	If Packet_Length_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
31		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the highest packet length IP
32		packet to match. The sender shall set this field in the range from
33		Packet_Length_Lower to 0xffff.
34	IPSec_SPI	If IPSec_SPI_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field. Otherwise,
35		the sender shall set this field to the value of the IPSec Security Parameter
36		Index (SPI) to match in the IP packet.
37	Type_of_Service	If Type_of_Service_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
38		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the value of the Type of Service
39		field to match in the IP packet.

### Type\_of\_Service\_Mask

If Type\_of\_Service\_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the bits of the Type\_of\_Service field to match against the actual value of the corresponding field in the IP packets. The mask contains ones in the bit positions to be used in the matching operation.

### 3.3.6.2.11.2 Definition of FilterSpec record for IPv6

Field	Length (bits)
IPv6_Source_Address_Included	1
IPv6_Destination_Address_Included	1
Source_Port_Range_Included	1
Destination_Port_Range_Included	1
Packet_Length_Included	1
Traffic_Class_Included	1
Flow_Label_Included	1
IPSec_SPI_Included	1
IPv6_Source_Address_Prefix_Length	0 or 8
IPv6_Destination_Address_Prefix_Length	0 or 8
IPv6_Source_Address	0 or 128
IPv6_Destination_Address	0 or 128
Source_Port_Lower	0 or 16
Source_Port_Upper	0 or 16
Destination_Port_Lower	0 or 16
Destination_Port_Upper	0 or 16
Packet_Length_Lower	0 or 16
Packet_Length_Upper	0 or 16
IPSec_SPI	0 or 32
Traffic_Class	0 or 8
Traffic_Class_Mask	0 or 8
Reserved	0 or 4
Flow_Label	0 or 20

### IPv6\_Source\_Address\_Included

The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the Source Address field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.

### IPv6\_Destination\_Address\_Included

The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the Destination Address field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.



1	Source_Port_Range_Included	
2		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match a range of Source Port numbers
3		in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
4	Destination_Port_Range_Included	
5		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match a range of Destination Port
6		numbers in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
7	Packet_Length_Included	
8		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match a range of IP packet lengths.
9		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
10	Traffic_Class_Included	
11		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the Traffic Class
12		field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
13	Flow_Label_Included	
14		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the Flow Label
		field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.
15	IPSec_SPI_Included	
16		The sender shall set this field to '1' to match the value of the IPSec Security
17		Parameter Index (SPI) field in the IP packet. Otherwise, the sender shall set
		this field to '0'.
18	IPv6_Source_Address_Prefix_Length	
19		If IPv6_Source_Address_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
20		Otherwise, the IPv6_Source_Address up to the
21		IPv6_Source_Address_Prefix_Length is matched against the Source Address
22		in the IP packet. The sender shall set this field in the range from 0x01 to
23		0x80.
24	IPv6_Destination_Address_Prefix_Length	
25		If IPv6_Destination_Address_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this
26		field. Otherwise, the IPv6_Destination_Address up to the
27		IPv6_Destination_Address_Prefix_Length is matched against the Destination
28		Address in the IP packet. The sender shall set this field in the range from
29		0x01 to 0x80.
30	IPv6_Source_Address	
31		If IPv6_Source_Address_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this
32		field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the value of the Source
		Address field to match in the IP packet.
33	IPv6_Destination_Address	
34		If IPv6_Destination_Address_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this
35		field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the value of the Destination
36		Address field to match in the IP packet.
37	Source_Port_Lower	
38		If Source_Port_Range_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
39		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the lowest value of the Source
40		Port Number to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this field in the
		range from 0x0000 to 0xffff.

1	Source_Port_Upper	If Source_Port_Range_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
2		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the highest value of the Source
3		Port Number to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this field in the
4		range from Source_Port_Lower to 0xffff.
5	Destination_Port_Lower	
6		If Destination_Port_Range_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this
7		field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the lowest value of the
8		Destination Port Number to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this
9		field in the range from 0x0000 to 0xffff.
10	Destination_Port_Upper	
11		If Destination_Port_Range_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this
12		field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the highest value of the
13		Destination Port Number to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this
14		field in the range from Destination_Port_Lower to 0xffff.
15	Packet_Length_Lower	If Packet_Length_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
16		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the shortest packet length IP
17		packet to match. The sender shall set this field in the range from 0x0000 to
18		0xffff.
19	Packet_Length_Upper	If Packet_Length_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
20		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the highest packet length IP
21		packet to match. The sender shall set this field in the range from
22		Packet_Length_Lower to 0xffff.
23	IPSec_SPI	If IPSec_SPI_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field. Otherwise,
24		the sender shall set this field to the value of the IPSec Security Parameter
25		Index (SPI) to match in the IP packet.
26	Traffic_Class	If Traffic_Class_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
27		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the value of the Traffic Class field
28		to match in the IP packet. The sender shall set this field in the range from
29		0x00 to 0xff.
30	Traffic_Class_Mask	If Traffic_Class_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
31		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the bits of the Traffic_Class field
32		to match against the actual value of the corresponding field in the IP packets.
33		The mask contains ones in the bit positions to be used in the matching
34		operation.
35	Reserved	If Flow_Label_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
36		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0000'. The receiver shall ignore
37		this field.
38	Flow_Label	If Flow_Label_Included is '0', then the sender shall omit this field.
39		Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the value of the Flow Label field
40		to match in the IP packet.

**3.3.6.2.12 FlowNNFlowProtocolParametersFwd attribute**

NN is the two-digit hexadecimal forward Link Flow identifier, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
ProtocolID	8	0x01
ProtocolParametersLength	8	0x00
ProtocolParameters	ProtocolParametersLength × 8	N/A

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x09NN, where NN is the two-digit hexadecimal forward Link Flow number.

**ProtocolID** The sender shall set this field to an identifier for the Flow Protocol according to Table 3-6.

**Table 3-6 ProtocolID for Flow Protocol**

Value	Protocol
0x00	NULL
0x01	Internet Protocol (IP) version 4 [4] and version 6 [5]
0x02	Robust Header Compression (ROHC) [11]
0x03	IEEE 802.3 / DIX Ethernet [17]
All other values	Reserved

**ProtocolParametersLength** The sender shall set this field to the length of the ProtocolParameters field in units of octets.

**ProtocolParameters** If ProtocolID is 0x02, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.12.1. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this record.

### 3.3.6.2.12.1 Definition of ProtocolParameters record when the Flow Protocol or Route Protocol is ROHC

Field	Length (bits)
MaxCID	16
LargeCIDs	1
FeedbackForIncluded	1
FeedbackFor	0 or 5
MRRU	16
DelayedDecompressionDepth	8
ProfileCount	8

ProfileCount occurrences of the following field:

{	
Profile	16
}	
Reserved	0 – 7 (as needed)

- MaxCID** The sender shall set this field to the MAX\_CID parameter for this ROHC Channel. The sender shall not set this field to a value greater than MaxSupportedMaxCID.
- LargeCIDs** If the LARGE\_CIDS parameter for this ROHC Channel is false, then the sender shall set this field to '0'. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '1'. The sender shall not set this field to '1' if LargeCIDsSupported is not set to '1'.
- FeedbackForIncluded** If ROHC feedback associated with another Link flow (ROHC channel) is sent on this Link flow (ROHC channel), then this field shall be set to '1'. Otherwise, this field shall be set to '0'.
- FeedbackFor** If FeedbackForIncluded is set to '0', then the sender shall omit this field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the Link flow number (ROHC channel) to which ROHC feedback sent on this Link flow (ROHC channel) refers.
- MRRU** The sender shall set this field to the MRRU parameter for this ROHC channel. The sender shall not set this field to a value larger than MaxSupportedMRRU.
- DelayedDecompressionDepth** The sender shall set this field to the maximum number of packets that can be buffered and thus possibly be delayed decompressed by the decompressor according to [11] for this ROHC channel. If the value of this field is 0x00, then delayed decompression shall not be enabled. The sender shall not set this field to a value greater than MaxSupportedDelayedDecompressionDepth.

- ProfileCount** The sender shall set this field to the number of ROHC profiles supported by the decompressor. The sender shall include ProfileCount occurrences of the following field with the message.
- Profile** The sender shall set this field to the ROHC profile supported by the decompressor according to [11]. The sender shall not set this field to a value that is not included in the list of supported Profiles.
- Reserved** The sender shall add reserved bits to make the length of the entire record an integer number of octets. The sender shall set these bits to '0'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

### 3.3.6.2.13 FlowNNFlowProtocolParametersRev attribute

NN is the two-digit hexadecimal forward Link Flow identifier, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
ProtocolID	8	0x01
ProtocolParametersLength	8	0x00
ProtocolParameters	ProtocolParametersLength × 8	N/A

- Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.
- AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x0aNN, where NN is the two-digit hexadecimal forward Link Flow number.
- ProtocolID** The sender shall set this field to an identifier for the Flow Protocol according to Table 3-6.
- ProtocolParametersLength** The sender shall set this field to the length of the ProtocolParameters field in units of octets.
- ProtocolParameters** If ProtocolID is 0x02, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.13.1. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this record.

### 3.3.6.2.13.1 Definition of ProtocolParameters record when the Flow Protocol or Route Protocol is ROHC

Field	Length (bits)
MaxCID	16
LargeCIDs	1
FeedbackForIncluded	1
FeedbackFor	0 or 5
MRRU	16
TimerBasedCompression	1
ProfileCount	8

ProfileCount occurrences of the following field:

{	
Profile	16
}	
Reserved	0 – 7 (as needed)

- MaxCID** The sender shall set this field to the MAX\_CID parameter for this ROHC Channel. The sender shall not set this field to a value greater than MaxSupportedMaxCID.
- LargeCIDs** If the LARGE\_CIDS parameter for this ROHC Channel is false, then the sender shall set this field to '0'. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '1'. The sender shall not set this field to '1' if LargeCIDsSupported is not set to '1'.
- FeedbackForIncluded** If ROHC feedback associated with another Link flow (ROHC channel) is sent on this Link flow (ROHC channel), then this field shall be set to '1'. Otherwise, this field shall be set to '0'.
- FeedbackFor** If FeedbackForIncluded is set to '0', then the sender shall omit this field. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the Link flow number (ROHC channel) to which ROHC feedback sent on this Link flow (ROHC channel) refers.
- MRRU** The sender shall set this field to the MRRU parameter for this ROHC channel. The sender shall not set this field to a value larger than MaxSupportedMRRU.
- TimerBasedCompression** The sender shall set this field to '0' if timer based compression according to [11] is not enabled for this ROHC channel. The sender shall set this field to '1' if timer based compression according to [11] is enabled for this ROHC channel. If TimerBasedCompressionSupported is set to '0', then the sender shall not set this field to '1'.

- ProfileCount** The sender shall set this field to the number of ROHC profiles supported by the decompressor. The sender shall include ProfileCount occurrences of the following field with the message.
- Profile** The sender shall set this field to the ROHC profile supported by the decompressor according to [11]. The sender shall not set this field to a value that is not included in the list of supported Profiles.
- Reserved** The sender shall add reserved bits to make the length of the entire record an integer number of octets. The sender shall set these bits to '0'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

### 3.3.6.2.14 FlowNNRouteProtocolParametersFwd attribute

NN is the two-digit hexadecimal forward Link Flow number, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
ProtocolID	8	0x00
ProtocolParametersLength	8	0x00
ProtocolParameters	ProtocolParametersLength × 8	N/A

- Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.
- AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x0bNN, where NN is the two-digit hexadecimal forward Link Flow number.
- ProtocolID** The sender shall set this field to field to an identifier for the Route Protocol according to Table 3-7.

**Table 3-7 ProtocolID for Route Protocol**

Value	Protocol
0x00	NULL
0x02	The Route Protocol is Robust Header Compression (ROHC) [11]
All other values	Reserved

- ProtocolParametersLength** The sender shall set this field to the length of the ProtocolParameters field in units of octets.

ProtocolParameters If ProtocolID is 0x02, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.12.1. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this record.

### 3.3.6.2.15 FlowNNRouteProtocolParametersRev attribute

NN is the two-digit hexadecimal forward Link Flow number, where hexadecimal digits A through F are specified in upper case letters.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	16	N/A
ProtocolID	8	0x00
ProtocolParametersLength	8	0x00
ProtocolParameters	ProtocolParametersLength × 8	N/A

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x0cNN, where NN is the two-digit hexadecimal forward Link Flow number.

**ProtocolID** The sender shall set this field to field to an identifier for the Route Protocol according to Table 3-7.

**ProtocolParametersLength** The sender shall set this field to the length of the ProtocolParameters field in units of octets.

**ProtocolParameters** If ProtocolID is 0x02, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 3.3.6.2.13.1. Otherwise, the sender shall omit this record

## 3.3.7 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

This transport defines the following parameter records in addition to the configuration attributes for this transport.

### 3.3.7.1 FlowControlState parameter

**Table 3-8 Format of the parameter record for the FlowControlState parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
FlowControlState	8



- 1    ParameterType        This field shall be set to 0x01 for this parameter record.
- 2    Length                This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets  
3                            excluding the Length field.
- 4    FlowControlState      This field shall be set to 0x00 if the state of the Flow Control Protocol  
5                            associated with the access terminal's session is Close. Otherwise, this field  
6                            shall be set to 0x01. All of the other values for this field are reserved.

### 7    3.3.7.2 ReservationState parameter

8    **Table 3-9 Format of the parameter record for the ReservationState parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
OpenReservationCount	8

OpenReservationCount occurrences of the following record:

{

Reserved	7
Link	1
ReservationLabel	8

}

- 9    ParameterType        This field shall be set to 0x02 for this parameter record.
- 10   Length                This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets  
11                            excluding the Length field.
- 12   OpenReservationCount
- 13                            This field shall be set to the number of Reservations that are in the Open  
14                            state. The sender shall include OpenReservationCount occurrences of the  
15                            following three fields with the message.
- 16   Reserved              This field shall be set to '0000000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.
- 17   Link                    This field shall be set to '1' for a forward link Reservation, and to '0' for a  
18                            reverse link Reservation.
- 19   ReservationLabel      This field shall be set to the ReservationLabel.

### 3.3.7.3 RouteState parameter

**Table 3-10 Format of the parameter record for the RouteState parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
RouteSelectionProtocolState	2
NextRouteSelectTransactionID	8
NextActivateRouteTransactionID	8
Reserved	6

ParameterType	This field shall be set to 0x03 for this parameter record.
Length	This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.
RouteSelectionProtocolState	This field shall be set to indicate the state of Route Selection Protocol according to Table 3-11.
NextRouteSelectTransactionID	This field shall be set to the TransactionID field of the next RouteSelect message that will be sent.
NextActivateRouteTransactionID	This field shall be set to the TransactionID field of the next ActivateRoute message that will be sent.
Reserved	This field shall be set to '000000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

**Table 3-11 RouteSelectionProtocolState encoding**

State	Value
A Open B Draining	'00'
A Open B Activating	'01'
A Draining B Open	'10'
A Activating B Open	'11'

### 3.3.7.4 RadioLinkState parameter

**Table 3-12 The format of the parameter record for the RadioLinkNNState parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
QtxStateVector	$N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}$
QRxState	$N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}$
Reserved	0 – 7 (as needed)

ParameterType	This field shall be set to 0x04 for this parameter record.
Length	This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.
QTxStateVector	This field shall be set to the vector of binary values of the sequence state variables $[Q_{00,Tx}, Q_{01,Tx}, \dots, Q_{LFMax,Tx}]$ , where $LFMax$ is equal to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ .
QRxStateVector	This field shall be set to the vector of binary values of the sequence state variables $[Q_{00,Rx}, Q_{01,Rx}, \dots, Q_{LFMax,Rx}]$ , where $LFMax$ is equal to $N_{\text{LinkFlowMax}}-1$ .
Reserved	The sender shall add reserved bits to make the length of the entire record an integer number of octets. The sender shall set these bits to '0'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

## 3.4 Default Packet Consolidation Protocol

### 3.4.1 Overview

The Default Packet Consolidation Protocol provides the following functions:

- Multiplexing of transports for one access terminal. Each transport maps to a Transport in the Packet Consolidation Protocol. Transport 0 is always assigned to the Signaling Transport. The other Transports can be assigned to transports with different Quality of Service (QoS) requirements, or other types of transports.
- Provision of configuration messages that map transports to Transports.
- Packet consolidation on the transmit side and packet de-multiplexing on the receive side.
- Prioritization of the transmission of packets.

Table 3-13 specifies the values of Transport Subtypes for transports defined in this specification.

**Table 3-13 Transport subtypes for transports defined in this specification**

Value	Meaning
0x0000	Default Signaling Transport.
0x0001	Default Packet Transport.
0xffff	Transport not used
All other values are reserved.	

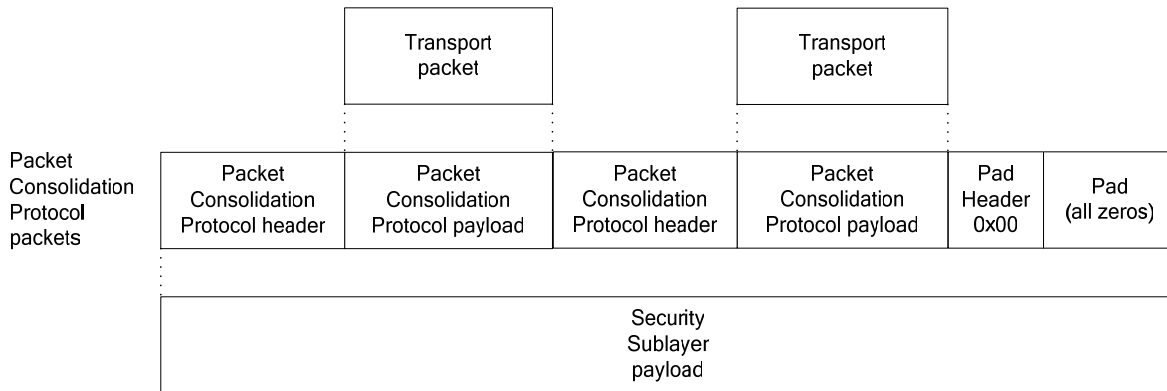
The Default Packet Consolidation Protocol provides the ability to multiplex up to 8 transports using the Transport field in the Packet Consolidation Protocol header. Transport 0 is always reserved for a Signaling Transport.

This protocol uses the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to map transports to Transports.

Packet Consolidation Protocol packets contain one or more transport packets. The protocol places the Packet Consolidation Protocol header defined in 3.4.8 in front of each transport packet and enough padding to create a maximum length packet. The header added by this protocol for a consolidated packet is 16 bits in length per transport packet and 8 bits in length for padding.

### 3.4.2 Data encapsulation

Figure 3-24 illustrates the relationship between a transport packet, a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet, and a Security Sublayer payload for a Packet Consolidation packet containing two transport packets and padding.



**Figure 3-24 Packet Consolidation Protocol encapsulation**

### 3.4.3 Primitives

#### 3.4.3.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

### 3.4.3.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

### 3.4.4 Public data

#### 3.4.4.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

#### 3.4.4.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

### 3.4.5 Protocol data unit

The Protocol Data Unit for this protocol is a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet. Packet Consolidation Protocol packets contain transport packets destined to or from the same access terminal address.

### 3.4.6 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

#### 3.4.6.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the value of the attributes for this protocol instance in the access terminal and access network shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.

#### 3.4.6.2 Protocol swap

This protocol defines an empty swap procedure.

### 3.4.7 Procedures

This protocol receives transport packets for transmission from up to 8 different transports. All transmitted packets are forwarded to the Security Sublayer. All Packet Consolidation Protocol packets forwarded to the Security Sublayer shall be octet aligned.

The protocol receives Packet Consolidation Protocol packets from the Security Sublayer and removes the Packet Consolidation Protocol header. The transport packet obtained in this manner is forwarded to the transport indicated by the Transport field of the Packet Consolidation Protocol header.

The maximum size transport packet the protocol can encapsulate depends on the Physical Layer channel on which this packet will be transmitted and on the specific security protocols negotiated.

The access terminal and the access network may use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol messages in 10.9 to map a transport to a Transport that is not already assigned to another Transport.

The access terminal and the access network shall not use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to map a transport to a Transport that is already assigned to another Transport.

Once the access terminal and the access network agree upon the mapping of a new transport to a Transport, the access terminal and access network shall create an instance of the agreed upon transport and add the instance of the transport to that Transport.

This protocol receives the following information with every transmitted transport packet:

- Destination channel: Forward Unicast Traffic Channel, Forward Broadcast Traffic Channel, or Reverse Traffic Channel.
- Priority number of the transport packet. This field is determined by the FlowNNRequestLevelRev public data of the Data Transport and the constant  $N_{SLPRequestLevelRev}$  of the Signaling Transport. In this protocol, the use of the priority level is defined only for access terminal transmissions.
- Forced Single Encapsulation: Whether or not the transport packet can be encapsulated with other transport packets in the same Packet Consolidation Protocol packet. (Applicable only on the Forward Data Channel)

#### 3.4.7.1 Destination channels

Associated with a transport packet received by this protocol there shall be a parameter indicating the destination channel on which the packet is to be transmitted.

Associated with a transport packet received by this protocol there may be a parameter indicating a transmission deadline.

#### 3.4.7.2 Priority order

The priority used by the access network to derive Packet Consolidation Protocol packets from transport packets is beyond the scope of this specification.

The priority used by the access terminal to derive Packet Consolidation Protocol packets from transport packets shall follow the following rules.

- Packets with lower priority number, as determined by the FlowNNRequestLevelRev public data of the Packet Transport or the constant  $N_{SLPRequestLevelRev}$  of the Signaling Transport shall have higher priority for transmission.
- For packets with the same priority number, the packet that was received first by the protocol shall have higher priority for transmission.

Transmission of packets that have higher priority shall take precedence over transmission of packets with lower priority within the constraints imposed by lower layer protocols.

#### 3.4.7.3 Forced single encapsulation

If a Forward Traffic Channel Transport packet is marked as Forced Single Encapsulation, the access network shall encapsulate it without any other transport packets in a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet. The Packet Consolidation Protocol shall also pass an indication down to the physical layer with the Packet Consolidation Protocol packet, instructing the physical layer to ensure that the Physical Layer packet containing this packet does not contain any other Packet Consolidation Protocol packet. Forced Single Encapsulation applies only to the Forward Traffic Channel MAC Layer packets.

Forced Single Encapsulation is used for test services that require a one to one mapping between transport packets and Physical Layer packets.

#### 3.4.7.4 Transmit procedures

The transmitter shall create a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet by adding the Packet Consolidation Protocol header, defined in 3.4.8 in front of every transport packet, concatenating the result and adding enough padding to fill the Security Sublayer payload. The resulting packet length shall not exceed the maximum payload that can be carried on the Physical Layer Channel, given the transmission rate that will be used to transmit the packet and the headers added by the lower layers.

The transmitter shall forward the Packet Consolidation Protocol packet for transmission to the Security Sublayer.

##### 3.4.7.4.1 Pad

When creating a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet, the access network and the access terminal shall add sufficient padding so that the packet fills the Security Sublayer payload and set the padding bits to '0'. When receiving a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet, the access network and the access terminal shall ignore the padding bits.

#### 3.4.7.5 Access network procedures

##### 3.4.7.5.1 Control channel

This protocol does not transmit over the Control Channel.

##### 3.4.7.5.2 Broadcast forward traffic channel

All transport packets sent in a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet should be destined to all MAC IDs.

##### 3.4.7.5.3 Unicast forward traffic channel

All transport packets sent in a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet should be destined to one MAC ID.

#### 3.4.8 Packet Consolidation Protocol header

The sender adds the following header in front of every transport packet encapsulated in a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet:

Field	Length (bits)
IsTransport	1
Transport	3
Length	14

IsTransport This field shall be set to 1.

Transport                      The sender shall set this field to the Transport number associated with the transport sending the transport packet following the header.

Length                        This field shall be set to the length of the transport packet in octets.

The transport packet shall be at least one byte. The header value 0x00 shall indicate the beginning of the Pad, and the receiver shall ignore a Packet Consolidation Protocol packet beyond the 0x00 header. The Packet Consolidation Protocol packet format is described in Figure 3-24. In case the transport packets together with the Packet Consolidation Protocol headers fill the entire available payload, the pad and pad header shall be omitted.

### 3.4.9 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

### 3.4.10 Interface to other protocols

#### 3.4.10.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

#### 3.4.10.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

### 3.4.11 Configuration attributes

The following complex attribute and default values are defined (see 10.3 for attribute record definition).

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Data Transport.



### 3.4.11.1 TransportConfiguration attribute

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
Transport0	16	0x0000
Transport1	16	0xffff
Transport2	16	0xffff
Transport3	16	0xffff
Transport4	16	0xffff
Transport5	16	0xffff
Transport6	16	0xffff
Transport7	16	0xffff

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to 0x00.

**Transport0** The sender shall set this field to the subtype of the transport used over Transport 0.

**Transport1** The sender shall set this field to the subtype of the transport used over Transport 1.

**Transport2** The sender shall set this field to the subtype of the transport used over Transport 2.

**Transport3** The sender shall set this field to the subtype of the transport used over Transport 3.

**Transport4** The sender shall set this field to the subtype of the transport used over Transport 4.

**Transport5** The sender shall set this field to the subtype of the transport used over Transport 5.

**Transport6** The sender shall set this field to the subtype of the transport used over Transport 6.

**Transport7** The sender shall set this field to the subtype of the transport used over Transport 7.

The sender shall set the Transport*N* fields to one of the non-reserved values for the Transport Subtype as specified in Table 3-13.

### 3.4.12 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>STRType</sub>	Type field for this protocol.	Table 3-1
N <sub>STRDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000

### 3.4.13 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of only the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 4 Security Control Sublayer

### 4.1 Introduction

#### 4.1.1 General overview

The Security Control sublayer provides the following functions:

- **Key Exchange:** Provides the procedures followed by the access network and by the access terminal to exchange security keys for authentication and encryption.

The Security Control Sublayer uses the Key Exchange Protocol to provide these functions.

### 4.2 Default Key Exchange Protocol

#### 4.2.1 Overview

The Default Key Exchange Protocol provides a method for simultaneous generation of the session key at the access terminal and the access network. The session key is derived from a PairwiseMasterKey that is negotiated by higher layer protocols and assumed available at the access terminal and the access network. This protocol supports cases where there may be multiple PairwiseMasterKeys. The procedure for deriving the PairwiseMasterKey is considered to be out of scope for this document.

The session key is used to derive the MIC Key, Authentication Key and Encryption Key. The MIC key is used to verify the four way exchange messages of this protocol. The Authentication Key may be used to authenticate packets (see the Authentication Protocol for details), and the Encryption Key may be used to encrypt packets (see the Encryption Protocol for details).

This protocol also provides methods and messages to change session (security) key after a session has been established.

#### 4.2.2 Primitives

##### 4.2.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

##### 4.2.2.2 Return indications

- *KeyExchangeCompleted*

#### 4.2.3 Public data

##### 4.2.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

#### 4.2.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol
- FLAuthKey and its length
- RLAuthKey and its length
- FLEncKey and its length
- RLEncKey and its length
- KeyChange

#### 4.2.4 Protocol data unit

The transmission unit of this protocol is a message. This is a control protocol and, therefore, it does not carry payload on behalf of other layers or protocols.

This protocol uses the Signaling Application to transmit and receive messages.

#### 4.2.5 Protocol initialization and swap

##### 4.2.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization, the value of the attributes for this protocol instance in the access terminal and the access network shall be set to the following default values specified for each attribute.

- Set SKey[i] to zero and its length to 384, for values of i from 0 through 7.
- Set FLAuthKey[i] to zero and its length to 128, for values of i from 0 through 7.
- Set RLAuthKey[i] to zero and its length to 128, for values of i from 0 through 7.
- Set FLEncKey[i] to zero and its length to 128, for values of i from 0 through 7.
- Set RLEncKey[i] to zero and its length to 128, for values of i from 0 through 7.
- Set ATNonce to NULL.
- Set ANNonce to NULL.
- Set LastValidTransactionID to 255.
- Set KeyChange to '0'.

##### 4.2.5.2 Protocol swap

- Set LastValidTransactionID to 255 upon protocol swap.

#### 4.2.6 Procedures

The Default Key Exchange Protocol uses the KeyRequest, KeyResponse, ANKeyComplete, and ATKeyComplete messages to derive secret session keys, verify that the access terminal and the access network have derived the same session keys, and to exchange security capabilities.

This protocol is able to swap the current session key that is in use with another key that has already been derived from the PMK. This is done using the KeyChange bit included in the MAC header, as well as KeyChangeRequest and KeyChangeAck messages.

## 4.2.6.1 Access terminal requirements

### 4.2.6.1.1 Processing the KeyRequest message

Upon receiving the KeyRequest message, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- The access terminal shall declare the message to be valid if the TransactionID of the message does not match the TransactionID of any outstanding KeyRequest message.
- If the KeyRequest message is not valid, then the access terminal shall send an ATKeyComplete message with ResultCode set to 'Transaction ID Invalid', declare failure, and stop performing the rest of the key exchange procedure.
- The access terminal shall identify the PairwiseMasterKey that satisfies PairwiseMasterKeyID = HMAC-SHA1-128 (PairwiseMasterKey, "PMK\_Name" | SessionSeed).
  - PairwiseMasterKeyID is a field of the received KeyRequest message, "PMK\_Name" is the ASCII encoded value of the string.
  - HMAC-SHA1-128 function is specified in [10].
  - SessionSeed is public data of the Session Management Protocol
  - The notation "|" implies concatenation.
- If the access terminal cannot identify a valid PairwiseMasterKey that satisfies the above Equation, then the access terminal shall declare failure and shall send an ATKeyComplete message with ResultCode set to 0x03, declare failure, and stop performing the rest of the key exchange procedure.
- If ATNonce is NULL, then the access terminal should set ATNonce to PRF(Random number, "Init\_Counter", PhyFrameIndex, 256),
  - Random number is a 256-bit random number generated according to the pseudorandom number generator specified in 10.7.
  - "Init\_Counter" is the ASCII encoded value of the string.
  - PhyFrameIndex is the 64-bit representation of System Time (40-bit PhyFrameIndex padded by 24 '0' on the MSB side).
  - PRF function is specified in 4.2.6.4.
- If ATNonce is not NULL, then the access terminal shall set ATNonce to  $(ATNonce + 1) \bmod 2^{256}$ .
- The access terminal shall compute SKey[i] the session key in the following way:
 

SKey[i] = PRF(PairwiseMasterKey, "Pairwise\_Key\_Expansion", SessionSeed|Nonce1|Nonce2, 384).

  - Where i is the SessionKeyIndex field of the corresponding KeyRequest message, Nonce1 = Min(ATNonce, ANNonce), Nonce2 = Max(ATNonce, ANNonce),
  - ANNonce is the ANNonce field of the received KeyRequest message, PairwiseMasterKey is the key associated with the PairwiseMasterKeyID field of the KeyRequest message.
  - "Pairwise\_Key\_Expansion" is the ASCII encoded value of the string.

- SessionSeed is public data of the Session Management Protocol.
- PRF function is specified in 4.2.6.4.
- The access terminal shall generate MIC Key, Authentication Key and Encryption Key as specified in 4.2.6.3.
- The access terminal shall send a KeyResponse message.

#### 4.2.6.1.2 Processing the ANKeyComplete message

After receiving an ANKeyComplete message with a TransactionID field that matches the TransactionID field of the associated KeyRequest message, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- The access terminal shall generate a MessageIntegrityCode as HMAC-SHA1-128(MICKey[i], *Message*), where *Message* is the received ANKeyComplete message with the MessageIntegrityCode field set to zero, *i* is the SessionKeyIndex field of the corresponding KeyRequest message, and the HMAC-SHA1-128 function is specified in [10].
- The access terminal shall set LastValidTransactionID to the TransactionID field of the ANKeyComplete message and send an ATKeyComplete message with the ResultCode field set to 0x00, unless one of the following conditions holds. In that case, the access terminal shall declare failure and send an ATKeyComplete message with the appropriate ResultCode.
  - If the MessageIntegrityCode computed in the previous step does not match the MessageIntegrityCode field of the ANKeyComplete message.
  - If the supported tokens sent by the access network in the ANKeyComplete message include a token that the access terminal supports and prefers to use to the token currently in use (SessionConfigurationToken in the public data of the Session Configuration Protocol).
- If the access terminal sends a ATKeyComplete message with ResultCode field set to 0x00, and the key exchange was performed for SessionKeyIndex set to the configuration attribute SessionKeyIndexInUse, the access terminal shall generate a *FirstKeyComplete* indication.

#### 4.2.6.1.3 Processing the KeyChangeRequest message

The access terminal shall initiate the key change by sending a KeyChangeRequest message only when (internal state variable) KeyChangeInitiated='0'.

- The access terminal shall start a supervision timer for 500 ms. The access terminal shall abort the key change process by setting SessionKeyIndexPending to 0xff if the timer expires.
- The access terminal shall set TransactionID equal to the stored value of KeyChangeTransactionID
- The access terminal shall set SessionKeyIndexPending to the value of the proposed SessionKeyIndex.

Upon receipt of a KeyChangeRequest message, the access terminal shall verify that KeyChangeInitiated='0'. If not, the access terminal shall abort any key exchange in progress by

canceling the timer and setting SessionKeyIndexPending to 0xff. If the access terminal proceeds with the key change process,

- The access terminal shall respond with KeyChangeAck message and set KeyChangeInitiated='1'.
- The access terminal shall copy TransactionID and KeyIndexPending from the KeyChangeRequest message that caused the generation of this KeyChangeAck message.

#### 4.2.6.1.4 Processing the KeyChangeAck message

Upon receipt of KeyChangeAck message, the access terminal shall verify that KeyChangeInitiated='0'. If not, the access terminal shall ignore this message. Otherwise,

- The access terminal shall set KeyChangeInitiated to '1'.
- The access terminal shall set SessionKeyIndexInUse to the value of SessionKeyIndexPending and set SessionKeyIndexPending to 0xff.
- The access terminal shall toggle the KeyChange bit during next packet transmission.
- The access terminal shall update the values of MIC Key, Authentication Key and Encryption key following the procedure specified in 4.2.6.3 before the next packet is processed for transmission.

When the access terminal notices that KeyChange bit in the MAC Header is set to '1',

- The access terminal shall set SessionKeyIndexInUse to the value of SessionKeyIndexPending and set SessionKeyIndexPending to 0xff.
- The access terminal shall update the values of MIC Key, Authentication Key and Encryption key following the procedure specified in 4.2.6.3 before the received packet is processed.
- The access terminal shall also set KeyChangeInitiated to '0' (completing the key change process).

#### 4.2.6.2 Access network requirements

The access network shall initiate the key exchange by sending a KeyRequest message. The access network shall choose a nonce, ANNonce as follows:

- If ANNonce is NULL, then the access network should set ANNonce to
  - $\text{PRF}(\text{Random number}, \text{"Init\_Counter"}, \text{AP SectorID} \parallel \text{PhyFrameIndex}, 256)$ .
  - Random number is a 256-bit random number generated according to the pseudorandom number generator specified in 10.7.
  - "Init\_Counter" is the ASCII encoded value of the string, and Time is the 64-bit representation of System Time (40-bit PhyFrameIndex padded by 24 '0' on the MSB side).
  - PRF function is specified in 4.2.6.4.
- Otherwise, the access network shall set the ANNonce to  $(\text{ANNonce} + 1) \bmod 2^{256}$ .

#### 4.2.6.2.1 Processing the KeyInitiateRequest message

Upon receiving the KeyInitiateRequest message, the access network shall perform the following:

- The access terminal shall identify the PairwiseMasterKey that satisfies  $\text{PairwiseMasterKeyID} = \text{HMAC-SHA1-128}(\text{PairwiseMasterKey}, \text{"PMK\_Name"} \parallel \text{SessionSeed})$ .
  - PairwiseMasterKeyID is a field of the received KeyRequest message, "PMK\_Name" is the ASCII encoded value of the string.
  - SessionSeed is public data of the Session Management Protocol.
  - HMAC-SHA1-128 function is specified in [10].
  - The notation " $\parallel$ " implies concatenation.

If the access network can identify a valid PairwiseMasterKey that satisfies the above equation, then the access network may initiate a session key exchange by sending a KeyRequest message.

#### 4.2.6.2.2 Processing the KeyResponse message

After receiving a KeyResponse message with a TransactionID field that matches the TransactionID field of the associated KeyRequest message, the access network shall perform the following:

- The access network shall compute  $\text{SKey}[i]$ , the session key as follows:
  - $\text{SKey}[i] = \text{PRF}(\text{PairwiseMasterKey}, \text{"Pairwise\_Key\_Expansion"}, \text{SessionSeed} \parallel \text{Nonce1} \parallel \text{Nonce2}, 384)$ .
  - Where  $i$  is the SessionKeyIndex field of the corresponding KeyRequest message,
  - "Pairwise\_Key\_Expansion" is the ASCII encoded value of the string,  $\text{Nonce1} = \text{Min}(\text{ATNonce}, \text{ANNonce})$ ,  $\text{Nonce2} = \text{Max}(\text{ATNonce}, \text{ANNonce})$ .
  - ATNonce is the ATNonce field of the KeyResponse message, and the PRF function is specified in 4.2.6.4.
  - SessionSeed is public data of the Session Management Protocol.
- The access network shall generate MIC Key, Authentication Key and Encryption Key as specified in 4.2.6.3.
- The access network shall generate a MessageIntegrityCode as HMAC-SHA1-128 ( $\text{MICKey}[i], \text{Message}$ ), where *Message* is the received KeyResponse message with the MessageIntegrityCode field set to zero,  $i$  is the SessionKeyIndex field of the corresponding KeyRequest message, and the HMAC-SHA1-128 function is specified in [10].
- The access network shall send an ANKeyComplete message and increment LastValidTransactionID unless one of the following conditions holds. In that case, the access network shall declare failure and send an ANKeyComplete message with the appropriate ResultCode.
  - If the MessageIntegrityCode computed in the previous step does not match the MessageIntegrityCode field of KeyResponse message.



- If the supported tokens sent by the access terminal in the KeyResponse message contain a token that the access network supports and prefers to use to the token currently in use (SessionConfigurationToken in the public data of the Session Configuration Protocol).

#### 4.2.6.2.3 Processing the ATKeyComplete message

If the access network receives an ATKeyComplete message with ResultCode field set to a value other than 0x00, the access network shall declare failure and stop performing the rest of the key exchange procedure.

If the access network receives a ATKeyComplete message with ResultCode field set to 0x00, and the key exchange was performed for SessionKeyIndex set to the configuration attribute SessionKeyIndexInUse, the access network shall generate a *FirstKeyComplete* indication.

#### 4.2.6.2.4 Processing the KeyChangeRequest message

The access network shall initiate the key change by sending a KeyChangeRequest message only if no key change request initiated by the access network is in progress.

- The access network shall start a timer for 500 ms and abort the key change process by setting SessionKeyIndexPending to 0xff if the timer expires.
- The access network shall set TransactionID equal to the stored value of KeyChangeTransactionID
- The access network shall set SessionKeyIndexPending to the 3-bit value of the proposed SessionKeyIndex.

Upon receipt of KeyChangeRequest message, the access network shall verify that KeyChangeInitiated='0'. If not, the access network shall ignore this message. Otherwise,

- The access network shall respond with KeyChangeAck message and set KeyChangeInitiated='1'.
- The access network shall copy TransactionID and KeyIndexPending from the KeyChangeRequest message that caused the generation of this KeyChangeAck message.

#### 4.2.6.2.5 Processing the KeyChangeAck message

Upon receipt of KeyChangeAck message, the access network shall verify that KeyChangeInitiated='0'. If not, the access network shall ignore this message. Otherwise,

- The access network shall set KeyChangeInitiated to '1'.
- The access network shall set SessionKeyIndexInUse to the value of SessionKeyIndexPending and set SessionKeyIndexPending to 0xff.
- The access network shall toggle the KeyChange bit during next packet transmission. The access network shall update the values of MIC Key, Authentication Key and Encryption key following the procedure specified in 4.2.6.3 before the next packet is processed for transmission.

When the access network notices that KeyChange bit has been toggled,

- The access network shall set SessionKeyIndexInUse to the value of SessionKeyIndexPending and set SessionKeyIndexPending to 0xff.
- The access network shall update the values of MIC Key, Authentication Key, and Encryption key following the procedure specified in 4.2.6.3 before the received packet is processed.
- The access network shall also set KeyChangeInitiated to '0' (completing the key change process).

#### 4.2.6.3 MIC Key, Authentication Key, and Encryption Key generation

The keys used for message integrity code, authentication and encryption are generated from the session key using the procedures specified in this section.

The access network and the access terminal shall compute and store a MIC Key, Authentication Key, and Encryption Key derived from each session key. The keys derived from SKey[*i*] are referred to by the subscript *i*. The Encryption and Authentication Protocols at the access network and the access terminal shall use the Authentication Key and Encryption Key derived from the SKey with index *I* set to the SessionKeyIndexInUse.

The MIC Key, Authentication Key and Encryption Key attributes are computed in the following way.

- The access network and the access terminal shall set the MICKey[*i*] to SKey[*i*][127:0], where *i* is the session key index. [MICkey is not mentioned with the other keys above.]
- The access network and the access terminal shall set FLAuthKey[*i*] and RLAuthKey[*i*] to SKey[*i*][255:128], where *i* is the session key index.
- The access network and the access terminal shall set FLEncKey[*i*], and RLEncKey[*i*] to SKey[*i*][383:256], where *i* is the session key index.

#### 4.2.6.4 Pseudorandom function, PRF(*K*, *A*, *B*, *Len*)

A pseudorandom function (PRF) is used in a number of places in this document.

Len shall be no greater than 255\*160.

The output of the pseudorandom function is obtained by executing the following pseudo-code:

- R = NULL
- **for** *i* = 0 **to** (*Len*+159)/160 **do**
  - R = R | HMAC-SHA1-160(*K*, *A* | *Y* | *B* | *i*),
  - *Y* is a single octet containing the value zero.
  - *i* is a single octet containing the parameter.
  - HMAC-SHA1-160 function is specified in [10].

The output of the PRF function shall be set to the *Len* most significant bits of R.

#### 4.2.6.5 HMAC-SHA1-128(K, Message)

The HMAC-SHA1 procedure as specified in [10], shall be performed with the following input parameters:

- The key input parameter of HMAC-SHA1 shall be set to K.
- The key\_len parameter of HMAC-SHA1 shall be set to the length of K in units of octets.
- The data parameter of HMAC-SHA1 shall be set to Message.
- The data\_len parameter of HMAC-SHA1 shall be set to the length of Message in units of octets.

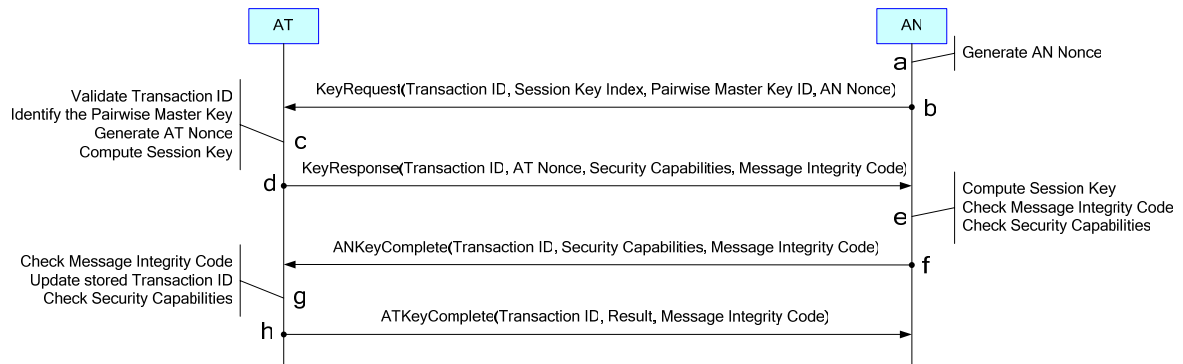
The output of the HMAC-SHA1-128 function shall be set to the 128 Most Significant Bits of the output of the HMAC-SHA1 procedure.

### 4.2.7 Message format and flows

#### 4.2.7.1 Message flows

##### 4.2.7.1.1 Message flow for Default Key Exchange Protocol

This section describes the message flow for the Default Key Exchange Protocol. Figure 4-1 shows the message exchanges for the Default Key Exchange Protocol.

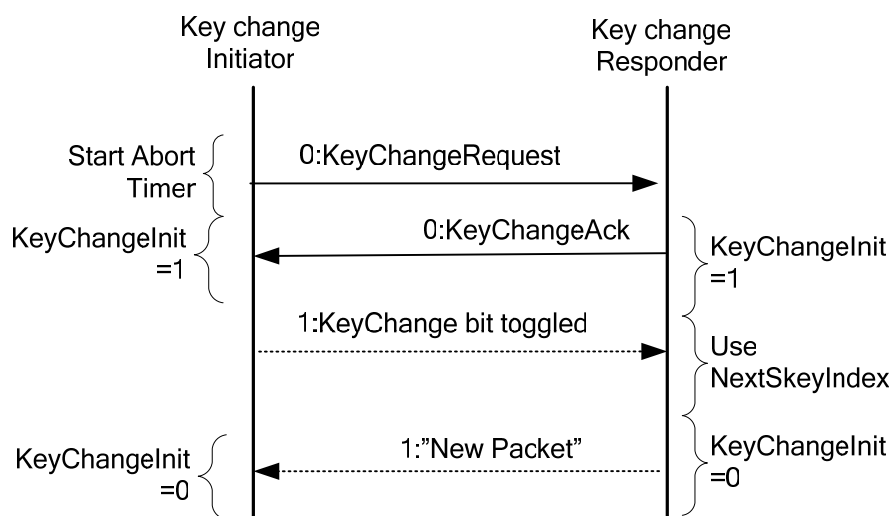


**Figure 4-1 Default Key Exchange Protocol message flow**

#### 4.2.7.1.2 Message flow for Security Key Change Protocol

This section describes the message flow for the Security Key Change Protocol.

Message flow needed to execute key change is shown in Figure 4-2. Key change may be negotiated by the access terminal or the access network. Solid lines in Figure 4-2 indicate the messages exchanged between the communicating peers. The value of the KeyChange bit is assumed to be '0'. The dotted lines do not indicate messages related to the Key Exchange Protocol. They show the exchange of regular packets after the KeyChange bit is toggled and actual key change is executed.



**Figure 4-2 Security Key Change Protocol**

#### 4.2.7.2 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

##### 4.2.7.2.1 KeyInitiateRequest

The access terminal may send the KeyInitiateRequest message to request the access network to initiate a session key exchange. The access network may or may not initiate a key exchange in response to this message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
SessionKeyIndex	16
PairwiseMaskterKeyID	128

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x00.

**SessionKeyIndex** The access terminal shall set this field to the ID of the SKey for which this key exchange is being initiated.

**PairwiseMasterKeyID** The access terminal shall set this field to HMAC-SHA1-128 (PMK, "PMK\_Name" | SessionSeed), where "PMK\_Name" is the ASCII encoded value of the string.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC
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<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
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<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast
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<b>Security</b>	Optional
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#### 4.2.7.2.2 KeyRequest

The access network sends the KeyRequest message to initiate the session key exchange.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
SessionKeyIndex	16
PairwiseMaskterKeyID	128
ANNonce	256

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x01.

**TransactionID** The access network shall increment this value for each new KeyRequest message sent.

**SessionKeyIndex** The access network shall set this field to the ID of the SKey for which this key exchange is being initiated.

**Reserved** The access network shall set this field to '00000'. The access terminal shall ignore this field.

**PairwiseMasterKeyID** The access network shall set this field to HMAC-SHA1-128 (PMK, "PMK\_Name" | SessionSeed), where "PMK\_Name" is the ASCII encoded value of the string.

**ANNonce** The access network shall set this field to the nonce chosen by the access network.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC
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<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
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<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast
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<b>Security</b>	Optional
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### 4.2.7.2.3 KeyResponse

The access terminal sends the KeyResponse message in response to the KeyRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ATNonce	256
TokenCount	8

TokenCount occurrences of the following field:

SupportedToken	16
MessageIntegrityCode	128

- MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x02.
- TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to the value of the TransactionID field of the KeyRequest message to which the access terminal is responding.
- ATNonce** The access terminal shall set this field to the nonce chosen by the access terminal.
- TokenCount** The access terminal shall set this field to the number of tokens supported by the access terminal.
- SupportedToken** The access terminal shall set this field to a token supported by the access terminal.
- MessageIntegrityCode** The access terminal shall set this field to HMAC-SHA1-128(MICKey[i], *Message*), where *Message* is set to all fields of this message with this field set to zero, and *i* is SessionKeyIndex field of the corresponding KeyRequest message.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC
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<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast
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<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
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<b>Security</b>	Optional
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#### 4.2.7.2.4 ANKeyComplete

The access network sends the ANKeyComplete message in response to the KeyResponse message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ResultCode	8
TokenCount	8

TokenCount occurrences of the following field:

SupportedToken	16
MessageIntegrityCode	128

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x03.

**TransactionID** The access network shall set this field to the value of the TransactionID field of the corresponding KeyRequest message.

**ResultCode** The access network shall set this field according to Table 4-1.

**Table 4-1 Definition of result field**

Value	Meaning
0x00	Security capabilities verification and message integrity code successful
0x01	Message integrity code failed
0x02	Message integrity code successful, but capabilities verification failed.
0x03	Pairwise MasterKey not found.
0x04	Transaction ID invalid.
All other values	Reserved

**TokenCount** The access network sets this field to the number of tokens that the access network supports and includes in this message.

**SupportedToken** The access network shall set this field to a token supported by the access network.

**MessageIntegrityCode** The access network shall set this field to HMAC-SHA1-128(MICKey[i], Message), where Message is set to all fields of this message with this field set to zero, and *i* is the SessionKeyIndex field of the corresponding KeyRequest message.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast

<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Security</b>	Optional

#### 4.2.7.2.5 ATKeyComplete

The access terminal sends the ATKeyComplete message in response to the ANKeyComplete message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
ResultCode	8
MessageIntegrityCode	0 or 128
LastTransactionID	0 or 8

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x04.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall set this field to the value of the TransactionID field of the corresponding KeyRequest message.

**ResultCode** The access terminal shall set this field according to Table 4-2.

**Table 4-2 Definition of result field**

Value	Meaning
0x00	Security capabilities verification and message integrity code successful
0x01	Message integrity code failed
0x02	Message integrity code successful, but capabilities verification failed.
0x03	Pairwise MasterKey not found.
0x04	Transaction ID invalid.
All other values	Reserved

**MessageIntegrityCode** If the Result field is 0x01 or 0x03, the access terminal shall omit this field. Otherwise, the access terminal shall set this field to HMAC-SHA1-128(MICKey[i], *Message*), where *Message* is set to all fields of this message with this field set to zero, and *i* is the SessionKeyIndex field of the corresponding KeyRequest message.

**LastTransactionID** If the MessageIntegrityCode field is set to '0x04', then the access terminal shall set this field to the value of the LastValidTransactionID parameter. Otherwise, the access terminal shall omit this field.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Optional



#### 4.2.7.2.6 KeyChangeRequest

The KeyChangeRequest message format is as follows:

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
SessionKeyIndexPending	16

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x05.

**TransactionID** The sender shall set this value to one more than the last valid key change TransactionID.

**SessionKeyIndexPending** The sender shall set this value to the index of proposed session key.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	RTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	

<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 4.2.7.2.7 KeyChangeAck

The KeyChangeAck message format is as follows:

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
SessionKeyIndexPending	16

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x06.

**TransactionID** The sender shall set this value to the TransactionID field of the corresponding KeyChangeRequest message.

**SessionKeyIndexPending** The sender shall set this value to the index of the proposed session key.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	RTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	

<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Security</b>	Required

## 4.2.8 Interface to other protocols

### 4.2.8.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

### 4.2.8.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

## 4.2.9 Configuration attributes

The configurable, simple attributes for this protocol are listed in Table 4-3.

The access terminal shall use as defaults the values in Table 4-3 that are listed in *bold italics*.

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Key Exchange Protocol. The access terminal or access network shall not use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update the SessionKeyIndexInUse attribute.

**Table 4-3 Configurable values**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x00	SessionKeyIndexInUse	<i>0x00</i>	SKey <sub>0</sub> is used
		0x01	SKey <sub>1</sub> is used
		0x02	SKey <sub>2</sub> is used
		0x03	SKey <sub>3</sub> is used
		0x04	SKey <sub>4</sub> is used
		0x05	SKey <sub>5</sub> is used
		0x06	SKey <sub>6</sub> is used
		0x07	SKey <sub>7</sub> is used
		0x08 – 0xff	Reserved
0x01	SessionKeyIndexPending	0x00	SKey <sub>0</sub> is pending.
		<i>0x01</i>	SKey <sub>1</sub> is pending
		0x02	SKey <sub>2</sub> is pending
		0x03	SKey <sub>3</sub> is pending
		0x04	SKey <sub>4</sub> is pending
		0x05	SKey <sub>5</sub> is pending
		0x06	SKey <sub>6</sub> is pending
		0x07	SKey <sub>7</sub> is pending
		0x08 – 0xfe	Reserved
		0xff	Pending Skey is not defined

#### 4.2.10 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>KEPT</sub> <sub>type</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>KEPG</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0001

#### 4.2.11 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

This protocol defines the following parameter record in addition to the configuration attributes for this protocol.

##### 4.2.11.1 SKey parameter

**Table 4-4 Format of the parameter record for the SKey parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
SKey <sub>0</sub> Included	1
SKey <sub>1</sub> Included	1
SKey <sub>2</sub> Included	1
SKey <sub>3</sub> Included	1
SKey <sub>4</sub> Included	1
SKey <sub>5</sub> Included	1
SKey <sub>6</sub> Included	1
SKey <sub>7</sub> Included	1
SKey <sub>0</sub>	0 or 384
SKey <sub>1</sub>	0 or 384
SKey <sub>2</sub>	0 or 384
SKey <sub>3</sub>	0 or 384
SKey <sub>4</sub>	0 or 384
SKey <sub>5</sub>	0 or 384
SKey <sub>6</sub>	0 or 384
SKey <sub>7</sub>	0 or 384

**ParameterType** This field shall be set to 0x01 for this parameter record.

**Length** This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.

**SKey<sub>0</sub>Included** If SKey<sub>0</sub> is zero, then this field shall be set to '0'. Otherwise, this field shall be set to '1'.

1	SKey <sub>1</sub> Included	If SKey <sub>1</sub> is zero, then this field shall be set to '0'. Otherwise, this field shall
2		be set to '1'.
3	SKey <sub>2</sub> Included	If SKey <sub>2</sub> is zero, then this field shall be set to '0'. Otherwise, this field shall
4		be set to '1'.
5	SKey <sub>3</sub> Included	If SKey <sub>3</sub> is zero, then this field shall be set to '0'. Otherwise, this field shall
6		be set to '1'.
7	SKey <sub>4</sub> Included	If SKey <sub>4</sub> is zero, then this field shall be set to '0'. Otherwise, this field shall
8		be set to '1'.
9	SKey <sub>5</sub> Included	If SKey <sub>5</sub> is zero, then this field shall be set to '0'. Otherwise, this field shall
10		be set to '1'.
11	SKey <sub>6</sub> Included	If SKey <sub>6</sub> is zero, then this field shall be set to '0'. Otherwise, this field shall
12		be set to '1'.
13	SKey <sub>7</sub> Included	If SKey <sub>7</sub> is zero, then this field shall be set to '0'. Otherwise, this field shall
14		be set to '1'.
15	SKey <sub>0</sub>	If SKey <sub>0</sub> Included is '0', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field
16		shall be set to the value of the session key with key index 0x00.
17	SKey <sub>1</sub>	If SKey <sub>1</sub> Included is '0', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field
18		shall be set to the value of the session key with key index 0x01.
19	SKey <sub>2</sub>	If SKey <sub>2</sub> Included is '0', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field
20		shall be set to the value of the session key with key index 0x02.
21	SKey <sub>3</sub>	If SKey <sub>3</sub> Included is '0', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field
22		shall be set to the value of the session key with key index 0x03.
23	SKey <sub>4</sub>	If SKey <sub>4</sub> Included is '0', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field
24		shall be set to the value of the session key with key index 0x04.
25	SKey <sub>5</sub>	If SKey <sub>5</sub> Included is '0', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field
26		shall be set to the value of the session key with key index 0x05.
27	SKey <sub>6</sub>	If SKey <sub>6</sub> Included is '0', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field
28		shall be set to the value of the session key with key index 0x06.
29	SKey <sub>7</sub>	If SKey <sub>7</sub> Included is '0', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field
30		shall be set to the value of the session key with key index 0x07.

#### 4.2.11.2 Nonce parameter

**Table 4-5 Format of the parameter record for the Nonce parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
NULLATNonce	1
NULLANNonce	1
Reserved	6
ATNonce	0 or 256
ANNonce	0 or 256

ParameterType	This field shall be set to 0x02 for this parameter record.
Length	This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.
NULLATNonce	If ATNonce is NULL, then this field shall be set to '1'. Otherwise, this field shall be set to '0'.
NULLANNonce	If ANNonce is NULL, then this field shall be set to '1'. Otherwise, this field shall be set to '0'.
Reserved	This field shall be set to '000000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.
ATNonce	If NULLATNonce is '1', then this field shall be omitted. Otherwise, this field shall be set to the value of the ATNonce.
ANNonce	If NULLANNonce is '1', then this field shall be omitted. This field shall be set to the value of the ANNonce.

#### 4.2.11.3 LastValidTransactionID parameter

**Table 4-6 Format of the parameter record for the LastValidTransactionID parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
LastValidTransactionID	8

ParameterType	This field shall be set to 0x03 for this parameter record.
Length	This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets, excluding the Length field.
LastValidTransactionID	This field shall be set to the value of the LastValidTransactionID parameter.

#### 4.2.11.4 PMK parameter

**Table 4-7 Format of the parameter record for the PMK parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
PMKCount	8
PMKCount occurrences of the following two fields:	
PMKLength	8
PMK	$\text{PMKLength} \times 8$

ParameterType	This field shall be set to 0x04 for this parameter record.
Length	This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.
PMKCount	This field shall be set to the number of occurrences of the PMK field in this parameter record.
PMKLength	This field shall be set to the length of the PMK field in units of octets.
PMK	This field shall be set to a PairwiseMasterKey.

## 5 Security Sublayer

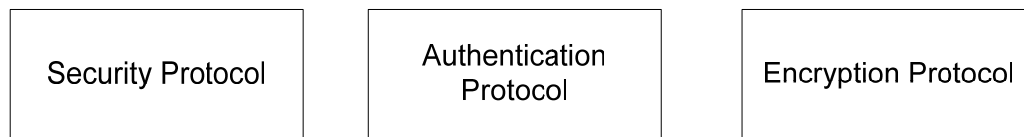
### 5.1 Introduction

#### 5.1.1 General overview

The Security Sublayer provides the following functions:

- **Cryptosync Generation:** Provides a cryptosync for use by the Authentication and Encryption protocols in the Security Sublayer
- **Authentication:** Provides the procedures followed by the access network and the access terminal for authenticating traffic.
- **Encryption:** Provides the procedures followed by the access network and the access terminal for encrypting traffic.

The Security Sublayer uses the Authentication Protocol, Encryption Protocol, and Security Protocol to provide these functions. In particular, the Security Protocol provides the cryptosync needed by the authentication and encryption protocols, the Authentication Protocol provides authentication, and the Encryption Protocol provides encryption. Figure 5-1 shows the protocols within the Security Sublayer.



**Figure 5-1 Security Sublayer protocols**

#### 5.2 Packet encapsulation for the protocol instances

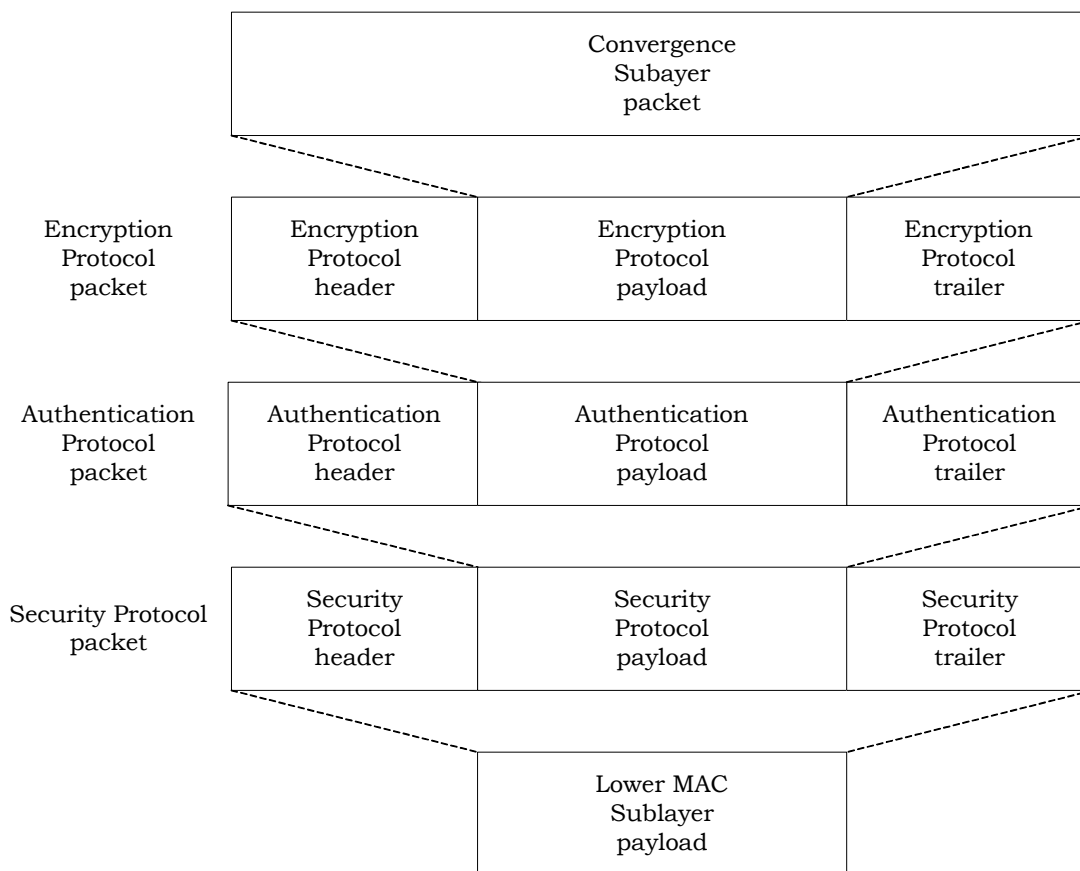
In the transmit direction, the Security Sublayer receives a Convergence Sublayer Packet, accompanied by a IsSecure field. The Security Sublayer processes this packet and delivers a Lower MAC Payload to the Lower MAC Sublayer, accompanied by the IsSecure field.

In the receive direction, the Security Sublayer receives a Lower MAC Sublayer Packet, accompanied by a IsSecure field. The Security Sublayer processes this packet and delivers a Convergence Sublayer Packet to the Convergence Sublayer, accompanied by a IsSecure field.

Packet encapsulation for the Security Sublayer operates in a different way for the secure and unsecure packets, as described in next.

### 5.2.1 Packet encapsulation with IsSecure set

When the IsSecure field is set to '1', Figure 5-2 illustrates the relationship between a Convergence Sublayer packet, an Encryption Protocol packet, an Authentication Protocol packet, a Security Sublayer packet, and the Lower MAC Sublayer payload. The order of Authentication and Encryption is such that it can avoid unnecessary decryption when authentication fails.



**Figure 5-2 Security Sublayer data encapsulation for IsSecure=1**

The Security Sublayer headers or trailers may or may not be present (or equivalently, have a size of zero) if the SessionConfigurationToken specifies the Default Security Protocol or if the configured Security Protocols do not require a header or trailer.

The Encryption Protocol may add a trailer to hide the actual length of the plaintext or padding to be used by the encryption algorithm. The Encryption Protocol Header may contain variables such as an initialization vector (IV) to be used by the Encryption Protocol.

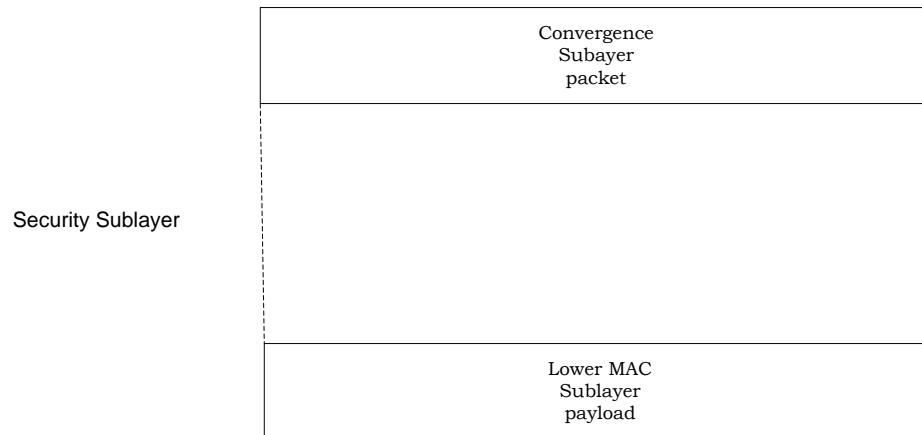
The Authentication Protocol header or trailer may contain the Message Authentication Code that is used to authenticate the portion of the Authentication Protocol Packet that is authenticated.

The Security Protocol header or trailer may contain variables needed by the authentication and encryption protocols (e.g., cryptosync, time-stamp, etc.).



### 5.2.2 Packet encapsulation with IsSecure not set

If the IsSecure field is set to zero, the relation between a Convergence Sublayer Packet and a Lower MAC Sublayer payload is as shown in Figure 5-3. The packet does not pass through the Security Protocol, Authentication Protocol and Encryption Protocol.



**Figure 5-3 Security Sublayer data encapsulation for IsSecure=0**

### 5.2.3 Security Sublayer data transmit operation overview

When a Convergence Sublayer Packet with IsSecure=0 is delivered to the Security Sublayer, the Security Sublayer sets the Lower MAC Sublayer payload to the Convergence Sublayer Packet.

When a Convergence Sublayer packet with IsSecure=1 is delivered to the Security Sublayer, the following steps are performed by the protocols in the Security Sublayer in the order specified in the following:

- The Security Protocol generates a cryptosync for the channel for which the Convergence Sublayer packet is destined. This value is called TheCryptosync for referencing it in the following steps.
- The Convergence Sublayer packet and TheCryptosync are delivered to the Encryption Protocol.
- The Encryption Protocol uses TheCryptosync, the encryption key, and other parameters specified by the Encryption Protocol (if any) to encrypt the Convergence Sublayer packet and construct the Encryption Protocol packet.
- The Encryption Protocol delivers the Encryption Protocol packet and TheCryptosync to the Authentication Protocol.
- The Authentication Protocol uses TheCryptosync, authentication key, and other parameters specified by the Authentication Protocol to construct the Authentication Protocol packet.
- The Authentication Protocol delivers the Security Sublayer packet to the Security Protocol.
- The Security Protocol delivers the Security Sublayer packet and other specified parameters (if any) to the Lower MAC Sublayer.

## 5.2.4 Security Sublayer data receive operation overview

When a Lower MAC Sublayer payload with IsSecure=0 is delivered to the Security Sublayer, the Security Sublayer sets the Convergence Sublayer Packet to the Lower MAC Sublayer payload.

When the Security Sublayer receives a Lower MAC Sublayer Packet payload with IsSecure=1, the following steps are performed by the protocols in the Security Sublayer in the order specified below:

- The Security Protocol constructs the cryptosync using information from the Lower MAC Sublayer and the Security Sublayer Protocol header and trailer (if any). For the purpose for referencing this value of cryptosync in the following steps, denote this value as TheCryptosync.
- The Security Protocol removes the Security Protocol header and trailer (if any) and delivers TheCryptosync and the Security Protocol payload to the Authentication Protocol.
- The Authentication Protocol uses TheCryptosync, authentication key, Authentication Protocol payload, Authentication Protocol header and trailer, and other parameters specified by the Authentication Protocol (if any) to verify the authentication signature. If the authentication signature passes, the Authentication Protocol delivers the Authentication Protocol payload to the Encryption Protocol; otherwise, the Authentication Protocol Packet is discarded.
- The Encryption Protocol uses TheCryptosync and the encryption key to decrypt the Encryption Protocol packet. The decrypted payload is then delivered to the Convergence Sublayer.

## 5.3 Default Encryption Protocol

### 5.3.1 Overview

The Default Encryption Protocol does not alter the Convergence Sublayer packet payload and does not add an Encryption Protocol header or trailer. It transfers packets between the Authentication Protocol and the Security Protocol.

### 5.3.2 Primitives

#### 5.3.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

#### 5.3.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

### 5.3.3 Public data

#### 5.3.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

#### 5.3.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

### 5.3.4 Protocol data unit

The protocol data unit for this protocol is an Encryption Protocol Packet.

### 5.3.5 Protocol initialization and swap

#### 5.3.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization, the value of the attributes for this protocol instance in the access terminal and the access network shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.

#### 5.3.5.2 Protocol swap

This protocol defines an empty swap procedure.

### 5.3.6 Procedures

On the transmit side, this protocol shall receive a Convergence Sublayer packet, and it shall forward the packet to Authentication Protocol.

On the receive side, this protocol shall receive an Authentication Protocol packet, and it shall forward the packet to Convergence Sublayer.

### 5.3.7 Default Encryption Protocol header and trailer

The Default Encryption Protocol does not add a header or a trailer.

### 5.3.8 Message formats

No messages are defined for this protocol.

### 5.3.9 Interface to other protocols

#### 5.3.9.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

#### 5.3.9.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

### 5.3.10 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

### 5.3.11 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>EPT</sub> Type	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>EP</sub> Default	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000

### 5.3.12 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 5.4 Default Security Protocol

### 5.4.1 Overview

The Default Security protocol performs the following tasks:

- Procedures to enter a secure mode of operation, where the access network and access terminal may secure all unicast air interface packets.
- On the transmission side,
  - This protocol generates the cryptosync based on information provided by the Lower MAC Sublayer and makes the cryptosync publicly available. The cryptosync may be used by the negotiated Authentication Protocol and Encryption Protocol.
  - This protocol transfers packets from the Authentication Protocol to the Lower MAC Sublayer.
- On the receiving side,
  - This protocol generates the cryptosync based on information provided by the Lower MAC Sublayer and makes the cryptosync publicly available. The cryptosync may be used by the negotiated Authentication Protocol and Encryption Protocol.
  - This protocol transfers packets from the Lower MAC Sublayer to the Authentication Protocol

### 5.4.2 Primitives

#### 5.4.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

#### 5.4.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

### 5.4.3 Public data

#### 5.4.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

#### 5.4.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol
- Cryptosync for Security Sublayer packets associated with the FL

- 1           ■ Cryptosync for Security Sublayer packets associated with the RL
- 2           ■ SecurityEnabled

#### 3   **5.4.4 Protocol data unit**

4   The protocol data unit for this protocol is a Security Sublayer packet.

#### 5   **5.4.5 Protocol initialization and swap**

##### 6   **5.4.5.1 Protocol Initialization**

7   Upon initialization, the value of the attributes for this protocol instance in the access terminal and the  
8   access network shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.

##### 9   **5.4.5.2 Protocol swap**

10   This protocol defines an empty swap procedure.

#### 11   **5.4.6 Procedures**

##### 12   **5.4.6.1 Secure State Procedures**

13   This protocol shall be said to be in a secure mode of operation (SecurityEnabled mode) if the  
14   SecurityEnabled public data is set to 1.

15   In the SecurityEnabled mode at the access terminal

- 16           ■ This protocol shall set the IsSecure bit to ‘1’ on all transmitted packets

17   In the SecurityEnabled mode at the access network

- 18           ■ This protocol shall set the IsSecure bit to ‘1’ on all unicast packets transmitted to the  
19           access terminal.

20   After establishing a session, the access terminal and access network shall use the following message  
21   exchange to enter a secure mode of operation. This specification does not define a method to exit the  
22   secure mode of operation.

##### 23   **5.4.6.1.1 Access Terminal Procedures**

24   The access terminal may request transition to a SecurityEnabled mode by sending a  
25   EnableSecurityRequest message. The access terminal shall not send a EnableSecurityRequest  
26   message before receiving a *KeyExchange.FirstKeyComplete* indication.

27   If the access terminal receives a EnableSecurityAssignment message, the access terminal shall

- 28           ■ set the SecurityEnabled public data to ‘1’
- 29           ■ send a EnableSecurityConfirm message. Note that the receipt of the  
30           EnableSecurityConfirm message at the access network is ignored. The access network  
31           reacts to the IsSecure bit that is set to ‘1’ in the MAC header of the packet that carries  
32           this message.

### 5.4.6.1.2 Access Network Procedures

The access network may transition to a SecurityEnabled mode by sending a EnableSecurityAssignment message. The access network may send a EnableSecurityAssignment message in response to a received EnableSecurityRequest message.

The access network shall not send a EnableSecurityAssignment message before receiving a *KeyExchange.FirstKeyComplete* indication.

Upon sending a EnableSecurityAssignment message, the access network shall

- Set a timer for  $T_{SPSecurityConfirmWait}$  duration.
- If any packet is received with the IsSecure bit set to '1', set the public data SecurityEnabled to '1' and disable the timer
- If the timer expires, retransmit the EnableSecurityAssignment message

### 5.4.6.2 Generation of the Cryptosync

The Security Protocol shall compute the Cryptosync for the channel on which the Security Sublayer packet is to be sent, or on the channel on which the Security Sublayer packet is received as shown in Table 5-1.

**Table 5-1 Subfield of the Cryptosync**

Subfield	Length (bits)
MACID	12
PilotPN	12
ConnectCount	16
CryptoAttribute	16
PhyFrameIndex	40

MACID	This field shall be set to the MACID of the sending sector in the FL and target sector in the RL with zero padding on the MSB side if needed. A MACID larger than 12 bits is not supported.
PilotPN	This field shall be set to the PilotPN of the sending sector in the FL or, target sector in the RL with zero padding on the MSB side if needed.
ConnectCount	This field shall be set to the current value of ConnectCount, as defined in the public data of the Idle State Protocol.
CryptoAttribute	This field is encoded as specified in Table 5-2.

**Table 5-2 Encoding of the CryptoAttribute Field**

Bit location	Name	Meaning
0 (LSB)	ISFL	IsFL='1' implies FL; IsFL='0' implies RL
1	ISSticky	IsSticky='1' implies channel assignment is sticky; IsSticky='0' implies assignment is non-sticky.
Others	Reserved	Not defined

PHY Frame Index      This field shall be set to the value of the PHY Frame Index as defined in the Overview chapter (“Definitions” section), with bits of zero padding on the MSB side if necessary. The PHY frame index shall be measured at the beginning of the packet transmission, with respect to the sector that is receiving or transmitting the packet.

### 5.4.6.3 Transmit procedures

When this protocol receives an Authentication Protocol packet from the Authentication Protocol,

- it shall construct a Security Sublayer packet by adding a Security Protocol header and trailer (if any)
- compute the Cryptosync associated with the Security Sublayer packet as shown in Table 5-2.
- deliver the packet for transmission to the Lower MAC Sublayer

### 5.4.6.4 Receive procedures

When this protocol receives a Security Sublayer packet from the Lower MAC Sublayer, the protocol shall

- construct an Authentication Protocol packet by removing the Security Protocol header and trailer (if any),
- compute the Cryptosync associated with the Lower MAC Sublayer packet as shown in Table 5-2.
- deliver the Authentication Protocol packet together with the computed value of the cryptosync to the Authentication Protocol.

### 5.4.7 Header and trailer

The Default Security Protocol does not add a header or a trailer.

## 5.4.8 Message formats

### 5.4.8.1 EnableSecurityRequest

The access terminal sends this message to request transition to a secure mode.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8

MessageID The sender shall set this field to 0x00.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Optional

### 5.4.8.2 EnableSecurityAssignment

The access network sends this message to indicate transition to a secure state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8
ResponseStatus	8

MessageID The sender shall set this field to 0x01.

MessageSequence The sender shall set this to the MessageSequence of the EnableSecurityRequest message it last received.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Optional

### 5.4.8.3 EnableSecurityConfirm

The access terminal sends this message to confirm transition to a secure state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8

MessageID The sender shall set this field to 0x01.



MessageSequence      The sender shall set this to the MessageSequence of the EnableSecurity assignment message it last received.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

## 5.4.9 Interface to other protocols

### 5.4.9.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

### 5.4.9.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications

- *KeyExchange.FirstKeyComplete*

## 5.4.10 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

## 5.4.11 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>SPT</sub> Type	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>SPG</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
T <sub>SPSecurityConfirmWait</sub>	Duration the access network waits before retransmitting the EnableSecurityAssignment.	1 s
T <sub>SPSecurityResponseWait</sub>	Duration the initiator waits for a EnableSecurityResponse message	1 s

## 5.4.12 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 5.5 Default Authentication Protocol

### 5.5.1 Overview

The Default Authentication Protocol provides a method for authentication of packets by applying (on the transmit side) and checking (on the receive side) the HMAC-SHA-1 message authentication function to *message bits* that are composed of the Authentication Protocol payload, CryptoSync, together with FLAuthKey or RLAuthKey, as appropriate.

## 5.5.2 Primitives

### 5.5.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

### 5.5.2.2 Return indications

- *Failed*

## 5.5.3 Public data

### 5.5.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

### 5.5.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 5.5.4 Protocol data unit

The protocol data unit for this protocol is an Authentication Protocol packet.

## 5.5.5 Protocol initialization and swap

### 5.5.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization, the value of the attributes for this protocol instance in the access terminal and the access network shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.

### 5.5.5.2 Protocol swap

This protocol defines an empty swap procedure.

## 5.5.6 Procedures

On the transmit side: When this protocol receives an Encryption Protocol Packet, it shall add the Authentication Protocol Header defined in 5.5.6.2 in front of the Encryption Protocol Packet and shall forward the newly generated Authentication Protocol Packet to the Security Protocol.

On the receive side: When this protocol receives a Security Sublayer packet from the Security Protocol, it shall check the message authentication code in the Authentication Protocol Header. If the message authentication code passes, this protocol removes the Authentication Protocol Header and shall forward the newly generated Authentication Protocol Packet to the Encryption Protocol.

### 5.5.6.1 Access terminal requirements

#### 5.5.6.1.1 Transmit Procedures

Upon reception of an Encryption Protocol packet destined for transmission the access terminal shall compute the packet authentication code (PAC) as follows:

- The access terminal shall construct the AuthKey as follows:
  - If the Key Exchange Protocol does not define RLAAuthKey as public data, this protocol shall discard the packet.
  - Otherwise, this protocol shall perform the following:
    - If the length of RLAAuthKey is equal to the length of AuthKey, then AuthKey shall be RLAAuthKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of RLAAuthKey is greater than the length of AuthKey, then AuthKey shall be the  $N_{\text{APAuthKeyLength}}$  least significant bits of RLAAuthKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of RLAAuthKey is less than the length of AuthKey this protocol shall discard the packet.
- The access terminal shall construct the cryptosync as described by the Security Protocol.
- The access terminal shall construct the *message bits* for computing the PAC as shown in Table 5-3.

**Table 5-3 Message bits for AT PAC computation**

Field	Length(bits)
AuthKey	$N_{\text{APAuthKeyLength}}$
Authentication Protocol Payload	Variable
Cryptosync	96

- The access terminal shall pad the *message bits* constructed in the previous step, as specified in [1], and compute the 160-bit *message digest* as specified in [1]. The PAC field shall be set to the  $N_{\text{APMessageAuthCodeLength}}$  least significant bits of the *message digest*.

#### 5.5.6.1.2 Receive Procedures

Upon reception of an Authentication Protocol packet, the access terminal shall compute and verify the Lower MAC Sublayer packet authentication code (PAC) given in the authentication protocol header as follows:

- The access terminal shall construct the AuthKey as follows:
  - If the Key Exchange Protocol does not define FLAuthKey as public data, this protocol shall discard the packet.
  - Otherwise, the access terminal shall perform the following:
    - If the length of FLAuthKey is equal to the length of AuthKey, then AuthKey shall be FLAuthKey.

- Otherwise, if the length of FLAuthKey is greater than the length of AuthKey, then AuthKey shall be the  $N_{\text{APAuthKeyLength}}$  least significant bits of FLAuthKey.
- Otherwise, if the length of FLAuthKey is less than the length of AuthKey, this protocol shall discard the packet.

□ The access terminal shall use the cryptosync provided by the Security Protocol.

- The access terminal shall construct the message bits for computing the PAC as shown in Table 5-3.
- The access terminal shall pad the *message bits* constructed in the previous step, as specified in [1], and compute the 160-bit *message digest* as specified in [1]. The PAC field shall be set to the  $N_{\text{APMessageAuthCodeLength}}$  least significant bits of the *message digest*.

If the PAC computed in the previous step matches the PAC field in the Protocol Header, then the Protocol shall deliver the Authentication Sublayer Payload to the Encryption Protocol. Otherwise, the Protocol shall issue a *Failed* indication and shall discard the Security Sublayer packet.

## 5.5.6.2 Access network requirements

### 5.5.6.2.1 Transmit Procedures

Upon reception of an Encryption Protocol packet destined for transmission the access network shall compute the packet authentication code (PAC) as follows:

- The access terminal shall construct AuthKey as follows:
  - If the Key Exchange Protocol does not define FLAuthKey as public data, the access terminal shall discard the packet.
  - Otherwise, the access network shall perform the following:
    - If the length of FLAuthKey is equal to the length of AuthKey, then AuthKey shall be FLAuthKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of FLAuthKey is greater than the length of AuthKey, then AuthKey shall be the  $N_{\text{APAuthKeyLength}}$  least significant bits of FLAuthKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of FLAuthKey is less than the length of AuthKey, then the access network shall discard the packet.
- The access terminal shall construct the *message bits* for computing the PAC as shown in Table 5-4.

**Table 5-4 Message bits for AN PAC computation**

Field	Length(bits)
AuthKey	$N_{\text{APAuthKeyLength}}$
Authentication Protocol Payload	Variable
Cryptosync	96

- The access network shall pad the *message bits* constructed in the previous step, as specified in [1], and compute the 160-bit *message digest* as specified in [1]. The PAC field shall be set to the  $N_{APMessageAuthCodeLength}$  least significant bits of the *message digest*.

#### 5.5.6.2.2 Receive Procedures

Upon reception of an Authentication Protocol packet the access network shall compute and verify the Lower MAC Sublayer Packet Authentication Code (PAC) given in the authentication protocol header as follows:

- The access network shall construct the AuthKey as follows:
  - If the Key Exchange Protocol does not define RLAAuthKey as public data, the access network shall discard the packet.
  - Otherwise, the access network shall perform the following:
    - If the length of RLAAuthKey is equal to the length of AuthKey, then AuthKey shall be RLAAuthKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of RLAAuthKey is greater than the length of AuthKey, then AuthKey shall be the  $N_{APAuthKeyLength}$  least significant bits of RLAAuthKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of RLAAuthKey is less than the length of AuthKey, then the access network shall discard the packet.
  - The access network shall use the cryptosync provided by the Security Protocol.
- The access network shall construct the message bits for computing PAC as shown in Table 5-4.
- The access network shall pad the *message bits* constructed in the previous step, as specified in [1], and compute the 160-bit *message digest* as specified in [1]. The PAC shall be set to the  $N_{APMessageAuthCodeLength}$  least significant bits of the *message digest*.

If the PAC computed in the previous step matches the PAC field in the Protocol Header, then the Protocol shall deliver the Authentication Protocol Payload to the Encryption Protocol. Otherwise, the Protocol shall issue a *Failed* indication and shall discard the Security Sublayer packet.

### 5.5.7 Header and trailer

#### 5.5.7.1 Header

The Default Authentication Protocol header is defined as follows:

Field	Length (bits)
PAC	0 or $N_{APMessageAuthCodeLength}$

**PAC** Packet Authentication Code. This field shall be computed as specified in 5.5.6.1. This field shall be included if UATIIncluded bit associated with the packet is '1' or the configuration attribute AuthenticationMode is equal to '1'.

### 5.5.7.2 Trailer

The Default Authentication Protocol does not add a trailer.

### 5.5.8 Message formats

No messages are defined for this protocol.

### 5.5.9 Interface to other protocols

#### 5.5.9.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

#### 5.5.9.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

### 5.5.10 Configuration attributes

This protocol defines the following configuration attributes.

The access terminal and the access network shall not use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Authentication Protocol. The AuthenticationMode attribute shall be defined by the SessionConfigurationToken of the Session Configuration Protocol.

**Table 5-5 Configurable values**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x00	AuthenticationMode	0x00	Only packets with UATIIncluded=1 and IsSecure=1 in the Lower MAC header are authenticated.
		0x01	All packets with IsSecure=1 in the Lower MAC header are authenticated
		0x02 – 0xff	Reserved

### 5.5.11 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>APType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1 (0x06)
N <sub>APG</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
N <sub>APMessageAuthCodeLength</sub>	Number of bits in the message authentication code	0x0060
N <sub>APAuthKeyLength</sub>	Length of the authentication key	0x00A0

## **5.5.12 Session state information**

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## **5.6 Generic Encryption Protocol**

### **5.6.1 Overview**

The Generic Encryption Protocol uses the AES (or, Rijndael) procedures defined in [16] in order to encrypt the Convergence Sublayer packets and decrypt the Authentication Protocol packets.

### **5.6.2 Primitives**

#### **5.6.2.1 Commands**

This protocol does not define any commands.

#### **5.6.2.2 Return indications**

This protocol does not return any indications.

### **5.6.3 Public data**

#### **5.6.3.1 Static public data**

This protocol does not define any static public data.

#### **5.6.3.2 Dynamic public data**

- Subtype for this protocol

### **5.6.4 Protocol data unit**

The protocol data unit for this protocol is an Encryption Protocol Packet.

## **5.6.5 Protocol initialization and swap**

### **5.6.5.1 Protocol initialization**

Upon initialization, the value of the attributes for this protocol instance in the access terminal and the access network shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.

### **5.6.5.2 Protocol swap**

This protocol defines an empty swap procedure.

## **5.6.6 Procedures**

On the transmit side: When this protocol receives a Convergence Sublayer packet and the cryptosync from the Security Protocol, it shall follow the transmit procedures specified in 5.6.6.3.

On the receive side: When this protocol receives a Security Sublayer packet and the cryptosync from the Security Protocol, it shall follow the receive procedures specified in 5.6.6.4.

### 5.6.6.1 Constructing the encryption key for the FL

The Generic Encryption Protocol shall construct the encryption keys for the FL as follows:

- the protocol shall construct the encryption key for the Forward Link Channels, FLEncryptionKey, as follows:
  - If the Key Exchange Protocol does not define FLEncKey as public data, this protocol shall discard all packets.
  - Otherwise, this protocol shall perform the following:
    - If the length of FLEncKey is equal to 128, then FLEncryptionKey shall be set to FLEncKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of FLEncKey is greater than 128, then FLEncryptionKey shall be the 128 most significant bits of FLEncKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of FLEncKey is less than 128, this protocol shall discard all packets.

### 5.6.6.2 Constructing the encryption key for the RL

The Generic Encryption Protocol shall construct the encryption keys for the RL as follows:

- The protocol shall construct the encryption key for the Reverse Link Channels, RLEncryptionKey, as follows:
  - If the Key Exchange Protocol does not define RLEncKey as public data, this protocol shall discard all packets.
  - Otherwise, the protocol shall perform the following:
    - If the length of RLEncKey is equal to 128, then RLEncryptionKey shall be set to RLEncKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of RLEncKey is greater than 128, then RLEncryptionKey shall be the 128 most significant bits of RLEncKey.
    - Otherwise, if the length of RLEncKey is less than 128, this protocol shall discard all packets.

### 5.6.6.3 Transmit procedures

The protocol shall construct the Encryption Protocol packet from the Convergence Sublayer packet that is destined for FL or RL by performing the following for each of the channels:

- The protocol shall call the ESP\_AES procedure specified in [16] with its inputs set as follows:
  - Set *key* to the EncryptionKey for the channel under consideration (e.g., FLEncryptionKey).
  - Set *fresh* to the value of the cryptosync provided by the Security Protocol.
  - Set *freshsize* to 96.



- ❑ Set *buf* to the address of the beginning of the memory space that contains the Convergence Sublayer packet.
- ❑ Set *bit\_offset* to zero.
- ❑ Set *bit\_count* to the length of the Convergence Sublayer Packet in bits.
- After the ESP\_AES procedure is returned, the protocol shall set the Encryption Protocol packet to the output of the ESP\_AES procedure that starts at the memory space specified by *buf* and is of the same size as the Convergence Sublayer packet.

#### 5.6.6.4 Receive procedures

If the Encryption Protocol packet is received on the FL or RL, then the receiver shall construct the Convergence Sublayer packet from the Encryption Protocol packet by performing the following for each of the channels:

- The protocol shall call the ESP\_AES procedure specified in [16] with its inputs set as follows:
  - ❑ Set *key* to the EncryptionKey for the channel under consideration (e.g., FLEncryptionKey).
  - ❑ Set *fresh* to the value of the cryptosync provided by the Security Protocol.
  - ❑ Set *freshsize* to 96.
  - ❑ Set *buf* to the address of the beginning of the memory space that contains the Encryption Protocol packet.
  - ❑ Set *bit\_offset* to zero.
  - ❑ Set *bit\_count* to the length of the Encryption Protocol Packet in bits.
- After the ESP\_AES procedure is returned, the protocol shall set the Convergence Sublayer packet to the output of the ESP\_AES procedure which starts at the memory space specified by *buf* and is of the same size as the Encryption Protocol packet.

#### 5.6.7 Generic Encryption Protocol header and trailer

The Generic Encryption Protocol does not add a header or a trailer.

#### 5.6.8 Message formats

No messages are defined for this protocol.

#### 5.6.9 Interface to other protocols

##### 5.6.9.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

##### 5.6.9.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

### 5.6.10 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

### 5.6.11 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>EPT</sub> Type	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>EPG</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0001

### 5.6.12 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 6 Lower MAC Control Sublayer

### 6.1 Introduction

#### 6.1.1 General overview

The Lower MAC Control sublayer controls the state of the air-link by managing the states of individual Lower MAC sublayer protocols, and by providing individual MAC Sublayer protocols with operating parameters. The protocols in this sublayer are control protocols, and do not carry data on the behalf of other protocols. The protocols in this sublayer use the Signaling Transport to transmit and receive messages (with the exception of the Overhead Messages Protocol that sends some information blocks using the Lower MAC Sublayer).

The access terminal and the access network maintain a connection whose state dictates the form in which communications between these entities can take place. The connection can be either of the following three states:

- *Closed Connection and no assigned MAC ID*: The access terminal is not assigned any dedicated air-link resources. Communications between the access terminal and the access network are conducted over the R-ACCH, F-pBCH0, F-pBCH1, F-SSCH, and F-DCH physical layer channels.
- *Closed Connection and assigned MAC ID*: This is an intermediate state between a closed connection and an open connection. The access terminal is assigned a MAC ID and associated resources on the forward and reverse links. These resources are used by the access terminal to request a connection, and by the access network to indicate grant or rejection of a connection, possibly based on the identity of the access terminal. This state corresponds to the BindUATI state of the Idle State Protocol.
- *Open Connection and assigned MAC ID*: Opening of the connection indicates that the access network has granted dedicated resources on the forward and reverse links based on the identity of the access terminal. This state corresponds to the Open State of the Connected State Protocol.

The Lower MAC Control Sublayer provides the following connection-related functions:

- Manages initial acquisition of the network.
- Manages opening and closing of connections.
- Maintains an approximate access terminal location in either connection states.
- Manages the radio link between the access terminal and the access network when a connection is open.
- Performs supervision both when the connection is open and when it is closed.

The Lower MAC Control Sublayer performs these functions through the following protocols:

- *Air Link Management Protocol*: This protocol maintains the overall connection state in the access terminal and the access network. The protocol can be in one of three states, corresponding to whether the access terminal has yet to acquire the network (Initialization State), has acquired the network but the connection is closed (Idle State), or has an open connection with the access network (Connected State). This protocol activates one of the following three protocols as a function of its current state.
- *Initialization State Protocol*: This protocol performs the actions associated with acquiring an access network.
- *Idle State Protocol*: This protocol performs the actions associated with an access terminal that has acquired the network, but does not have an open connection. Mainly, these are keeping track of the access terminal's approximate location in support of efficient Paging (using the Active Set Management protocol), the procedures leading to the opening of a connection, and support of access terminal power conservation.
- *Connected State Protocol*: This protocol performs the actions associated with an access terminal that has an open connection. These actions primarily include managing the radio link between the access terminal and the access network, including the management of tune away and selected interlace operation, and the procedures leading to the close of the connection.

In addition to the above protocols, which deal with the state of the connection, the Lower MAC Control sublayer also contains the following protocols:

- *Active Set Management Protocol*: This protocol performs the actions associated with keeping track of an access terminal's location and maintaining the radio link between the access terminal and the access network.
- *Overhead Messages Protocol*: This protocol broadcasts and receives essential parameters over the Control Channel MAC and the Forward Traffic Channel MAC. This protocol also performs supervision on the parameters, and generates SupervisionFailed indications when overhead parameters are not current.

## 6.1.2 Data encapsulation

This sublayer does not encapsulate data on the behalf of other layers or protocols.

## 6.2 Default Air Link Management Protocol

### 6.2.1 Overview

The Default Air Link Management Protocol provides the following functions:

- General state machine and state-transition rules to be followed by an access terminal and an access network for the Lower MAC Control Sublayer.
- Activation and deactivation of Lower MAC Control Sublayer protocols applicable to each protocol state.
- Responding to supervision failures indications from other Protocols, and associated state transitions of Lower MAC Sublayer Protocols and Lower MAC Control Sublayer Protocols.

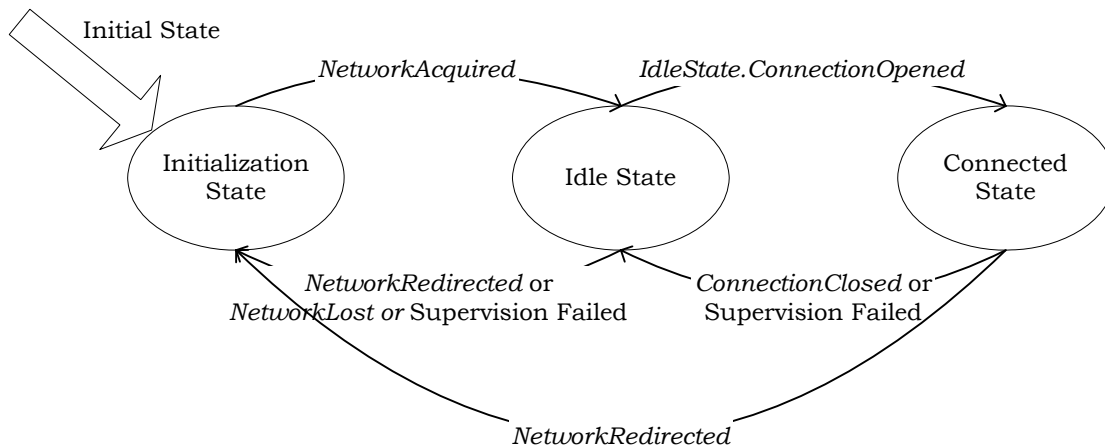
- Mechanism through which the access network can redirect the access terminal to another network.

The actual behavior and message exchange in each state is mainly governed by protocols that are activated by the Default Air Link Management Protocol. These protocols return indications which trigger the state transitions of this protocol. These protocols also share data with each other in a controlled fashion, by making that data public.

This protocol can be in one of three states:

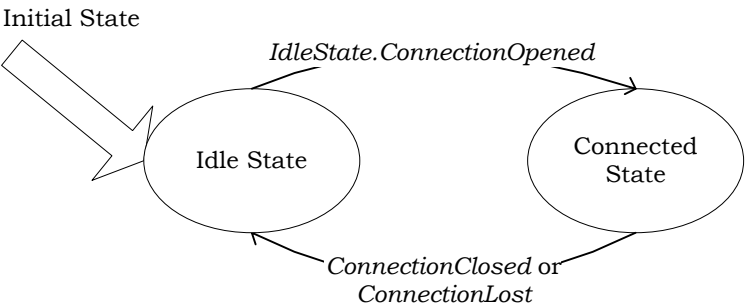
- *Initialization State*: In this state the access terminal acquires an access network. The protocol activates the Initialization State Protocol to execute the procedures relevant to this state. The access network maintains a single instance of this state and consequently, executes a single instance of the Initialization State Protocol.
- *Idle State*: In this state the connection is closed. The protocol activates the Idle State Protocol to execute the procedures relevant to this state.
- *Connected State*: In this state the connection is open. The protocol activates the Connected State Protocol to execute the procedures relevant to this state.

Figure 6-1 provides an overview of the access terminal states and state transitions. All transitions are caused by indications returned from protocols activated by the Default Air Link Management Protocol.



**Figure 6-1 Air Link Management Protocol state diagram (access terminal)**

Figure 6-2 provides an overview of the access network states and state transitions.



**Figure 6-2 Air Link Management Protocol state diagram (access network)**

Table 6-1 provides a summary of the Lower MAC Control Sublayer and Lower MAC Sublayer protocols that are active in each state.

**Table 6-1 Active protocols per Air Link Management Protocol state**

Initialization State	Idle State	Connected State
Overhead Messages Protocol	Overhead Messages Protocol	Overhead Messages Protocol
Initialization State Protocol	Idle State Protocol	Connected State Protocol
Control Channel MAC Protocol <sup>12</sup>	Active Set Management Protocol	Active Set Management Protocol
	Control Channel MAC Protocol	Control Channel MAC Protocol
	Shared Signaling MAC Protocol	Shared Signaling MAC Protocol
	Forward Traffic Channel MAC Protocol	Forward Traffic Channel MAC Protocol
	Access Channel MAC Protocol <sup>13</sup>	Access Channel MAC Protocol <sup>14</sup>
	Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol <sup>15</sup>	Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol
	Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol <sup>16</sup>	Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol

<sup>12</sup> Activated by the Initialization State Protocol

<sup>13</sup> Only during connection setup

<sup>14</sup> Only during handoff to an asynchronous sector

<sup>15</sup> Only during connection setup

<sup>16</sup> Only during connection setup

## 6.2.2 Primitives

### 6.2.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *OpenConnection*
- *CloseConnection*

### 6.2.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

## 6.2.3 Public data

### 6.2.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

### 6.2.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 6.2.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 6.2.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Initialization State.

Upon initialization at the access network,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Idle State.

### 6.2.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap at the access terminal,

- The protocol shall enter the Initialization State.

Upon swap at the access network,

- The protocol shall enter the Idle State.

Upon creation of the InUse instance of this protocol, the access network shall have a single InUse instance of this protocol operating in the Initialization State at the access network, serving all access terminals.

## 6.2.5 Procedures

### 6.2.5.1 Command processing

#### 6.2.5.1.1 OpenConnection

If the protocol receives the *OpenConnection* command in the Initialization State, the access terminal shall queue the command and execute it when the access terminal enters the Idle State.

The access network shall ignore the command in the Initialization State.

If the protocol receives this command in the Idle State:

- Access terminal shall issue an *IdleState.OpenConnection* command.
- Access network shall issue an *IdleState.OpenConnection* command.

If the protocol receives this command in the Connected State the command shall be ignored.

#### 6.2.5.1.2 CloseConnection

If the protocol receives the *CloseConnection* command in the Connected State:

- Access terminal shall issue a *ConnectedState.CloseConnection* command.
- Access network shall issue a *ConnectedState.CloseConnection* command.

If the protocol receives this command in any other state it shall be ignored.

### 6.2.5.2 Initialization state

In the Initialization State the access terminal has no information about the serving access network. In this state the access terminal selects a serving access network and obtains time synchronization from the access network.

#### 6.2.5.2.1 Access terminal requirements

The access terminal shall enter the Initialization State when the Default Air Link Management Protocol is instantiated. This may happen on events such as network redirection and initial power-on. A comprehensive list of events causing the Default Air Link Management Protocol to enter the Initialization State is beyond the scope of this specification.

The access terminal shall issue an *InitializationState.Activate* command upon entering this state. If the access terminal entered this state because the protocol received a Redirect message and a Channel Record was received with the message, the access terminal shall provide the Channel Record with the command.

If the protocol receives an *InitializationState.NetworkAcquired* indication the access terminal shall issue an *InitializationState.Deactivate* command<sup>17</sup> and transition to the Idle State.

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<sup>17</sup> Some of the *Deactivate* commands issued by this protocol are superfluous (because the commanded protocol already put itself in the Inactive State) but are specified here for completeness.



### 6.2.5.2.2 Access network requirements

No operations are defined for this state.

### 6.2.5.3 Idle state

In this state the access terminal has acquired the access network but does not have an open connection with the access network.

#### 6.2.5.3.1 Access terminal requirements

The access terminal shall issue the following commands upon entering this state:

- *IdleState.Activate*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Activate*

If the access terminal had a queued *OpenConnection* command, it shall issue an *IdleState.OpenConnection* command.

If the protocol receives an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication, the access terminal shall:

- Issue a *IdleState.Deactivate* command
- Transition to the Connected State

If the protocol receives an *IdleState.ConnectionFailed*, a *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed*, or a *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed* indication, the access terminal shall:

- Issue a *IdleState.Close* command
- Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.Close* command
- Issue a *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Deactivate* command

If the protocol receives a Redirect message, a *ActiveSetManagement.NetworkLost*, an *OverheadMessages.SupervisionFailed*, or a *ControlChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed* indication, the access terminal shall:

- Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Issue an *OverheadMessages.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ControlChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *IdleState.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *AccessChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Transition to the Initialization State

### 6.2.5.3.2 Access network requirements

The access network shall issue the following commands upon entering this state:

- *IdleState.Activate*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Activate*

If the protocol receives an *IdleState.ConnectionFailed* indication, or a *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed* indication, the access terminal shall:

- Issue an *IdleState.Close* command
- Issue a *ReverseTrafficChannel.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.Close* command
- Issue a *IdleState.Deactivate* command

If the protocol receives an *IdleState.ConnectionOpened* indication, the access network shall:

- Issue a *IdleState.Deactivate* command
- Transition to the Connected State

The access network may send the access terminal a Redirect message to redirect it from the current serving network and optionally, provide it with information directing it to another network. If the access network sends a Redirect message it shall:

- Issue a *ReverseTrafficChannel.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ReverseControlChannel.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *IdleState.Deactivate* command.
- Transition to the Initialization State

### 6.2.5.4 Connected state

In the Connected State, the access terminal and the access network have an open connection.

#### 6.2.5.4.1 Access terminal requirements

##### 6.2.5.4.1.1 General requirements

The access terminal shall issue the following commands upon entering this state:

- *ConnectedState.Activate*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Open*

If the protocol receives a *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*, an *OverheadMessages.SupervisionFailed*, a *ControlChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed*, a *ActiveSetManagement.AssignmentRejected*, or a *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed* indication, the access terminal shall:

- Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.Close* command
- Perform the cleanup procedure defined in 6.2.5.4.1.2
- Transition to the Idle State

If the protocol receives a Redirect message, the access terminal shall:

- Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.Deactivate* command
- Issue an *OverheadMessages.Deactivate* command
- *ForwardTrafficChannel.Deactivate*
- *SharedSignalingMAC.Deactivate*
- Perform the cleanup procedure defined in 6.2.5.4.1.2
- Transition to the Initialization State

#### 6.2.5.4.1.2 Connected state cleanup procedures

The access terminal shall issue the following commands when it exits this state:

- *ReverseTrafficChannel.Deactivate*
- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Deactivate*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Close*
- *ConnectedState.Deactivate*

#### 6.2.5.4.2 Access network requirements

##### 6.2.5.4.2.1 General requirements

The access network shall issue the following commands upon entering this state:

- *ConnectedState.Activate*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Open*

If the protocol receives a *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*, or *ActiveSetManagement.ConnectionLost* indication, the access network shall:

- Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.Close* command
- Perform the cleanup procedures defined in 6.2.5.4.2.2
- Transition to the Idle State

The access network may send the access terminal a Redirect message to redirect it from the current serving network and optionally, provide it with information directing it to another network. If the access network sends a Redirect message it shall:

- Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.Deactivate* command
- Perform the cleanup procedures defined in 6.2.5.4.2.2
- Transition to the Idle State

#### 6.2.5.4.2.2 Connected state cleanup procedures

The access network shall issue the following commands when it exits this state:

- *ReverseTrafficChannel.Deactivate*
- *ReverseControlChannel.Deactivate*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Close*
- *ConnectedState.Deactivate*

### 6.2.6 Message formats

#### 6.2.6.1 Redirect

The access network sends the Redirect message to redirect the access terminal(s) away from the current network; and, optionally, the access network provides it with information directing it to one of a set of different networks.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
StayAwayDuration	16
NumChannel	8
RedirectReason	8
NumChannel instances of the following field	
Channel	ChannelRecordType Dependent

- MessageID**                      The access network shall set this field to 0x00.
- StayAwayDuration**            The access network shall set this field to the duration, in units of seconds, for which the access terminal shall not make an access attempt at the sector sending this message.
- RedirectReason**                The sender shall set this field to reflect the redirect reason, as shown in Table 6-2.

**Table 6-2 Encoding of the RedirectReason field**

Field value	Description
0x00	Reserved
0x01	Network Busy
0x02	Authentication or billing failure
0x03	Desired QoS unavailable
0x04	No route to host
0x05	Network Maintenance
0xff	General Failure
All other values are reserved	

**NumChannel** The access network shall set this field to the number of Channel records it is including in this message.

**Channel** This field shall be set to the channel that the access terminal should reacquire. The channel shall be specified using the standard Channel Record definition, see 10.1.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Broadcast Unicast

<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Security</b>	Required

## 6.2.7 Interface to other protocols

### 6.2.7.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following commands:

- *InitializationState.Activate*
- *InitializationState.Deactivate*
- *IdleState.Activate*
- *IdleState.Deactivate*
- *IdleState.Close*
- *IdleState.OpenConnection*
- *ConnectedState.Activate*
- *ConnectedState.Deactivate*
- *ConnectedState.CloseConnection*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Activate*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Deactivate*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Close*
- *ActiveSetManagement.Open*

- *OverheadMessages.Deactivate*
- *ControlChannelMAC.Deactivate*
- *AccessChannelMAC.Deactivate*
- *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Deactivate*
- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Deactivate*

### 6.2.7.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *InitializationState.NetworkAcquired*
- *IdleState.ConnectionOpened*
- *IdleState.ConnectionFailed*
- *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*
- *ActiveSetManagement.ConnectionLost*
- *ActiveSetManagement.NetworkLost*
- *ActiveSetAssignment.AssignmentRejected*
- *OverheadMessages.SupervisionFailed*
- *ControlChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed*
- *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed*
- *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.SupervisionFailed*

### 6.2.8 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

### 6.2.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>ALMPType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>ALMPDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000

### 6.2.10 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 6.3 Default Idle State Protocol

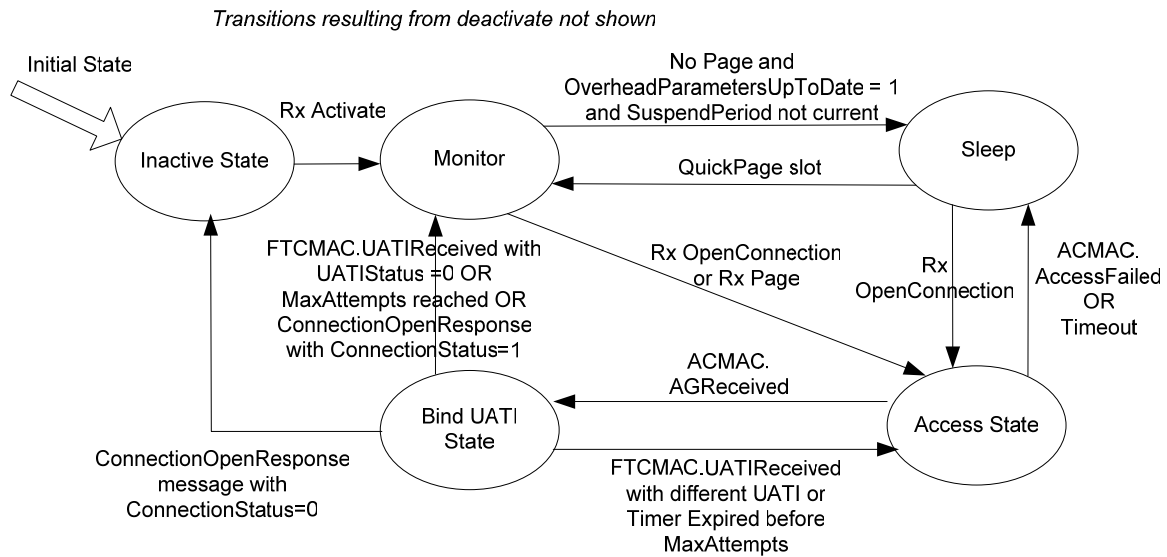
### 6.3.1 Overview

The Default Idle State Protocol provides the procedures and messages used by the access terminal and the access network when the access terminal has acquired a network and a connection is not open.

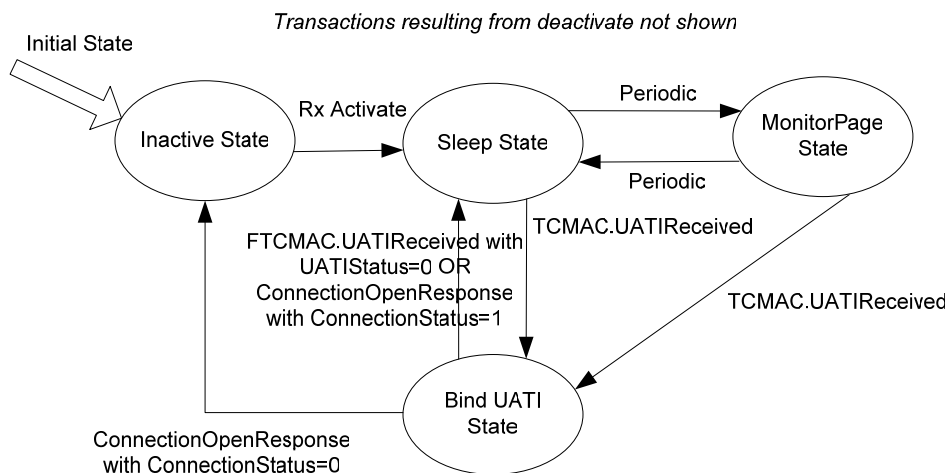
This protocol operates in one of the following four states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state the protocol waits for an *Activate* command.
- *Sleep State*: In this state the access terminal may shut down part of its subsystems to conserve power. The access terminal does not monitor any Forward Channel, and the access network is not allowed to transmit unicast packets to it.
- *Monitor State*: In this state the access terminal listens for Pages and QuickPages and if necessary, updates the parameters received from the Overhead Messages Protocol. The access network may transmit unicast packets to the access terminal in this state.
- *Access State*: In this state the access terminal sends access preambles to the access network and receives an access grant from the network. This state is not defined for the access network.
- *BindUATI State*: In this state the access terminal sends an ATIdentifier (UATI or SessionSeed) to the access network and waits for an acknowledgement in the form of a *ForwardTrafficChanneMAC.UATIReceived* indication or a *ConnectionGrant* message. In this state, the access network sends a packet with the MAC header field *UATIInfoIncluded* set to '1' to the access terminal and may send a *ConnectionGrant* message to the access terminal.

Protocol states and events causing the transition between the states are shown in Figure 6-3 and Figure 6-4.



**Figure 6-3 Default Idle State Protocol (access terminal)**



**Figure 6-4 Default Idle State Protocol state (access network)**

This protocol supports periodic network monitoring by the access terminal, allowing for significant power savings. The following access terminal operation modes are supported:

- Continuous operation, in which the access terminal continuously monitors the Control Channel.
- Suspended mode operation, in which the access terminal monitors the Control Channel continuously for a period of time and then proceeds to operate in the slotted mode. Suspended mode follows operation in the Air Link Management Protocol Connected State and allows for quick network-initiated reconnection.
- Slotted mode operation, in which the access terminal monitors only selected superframes and sleeps in between. The slotted mode supports staggered operation, where the time interval between the superframes monitored by the terminal increases with time. For the first WakeCount1 sleep instances, the sleep period may be Period1 superframes, and for the next WakeCount2-WakeCount1 sleep instances, the sleep period may be Period2 superframes, and for subsequent sleep instances, the sleep period may be Period3 superframes.
- This protocol supports connection set up: this procedure is always performed at the initiative of the access terminal.<sup>18</sup> It consists of the following steps:
  - Access terminal sending an access preamble on R-ACH.
  - Access network sends an access grant on F-SSCH.
  - Access terminal sends a packet on the R-DCH. This packet contains the UATI or SessionSeed in the MAC header and ConnectionOpenRequest message in the payload.
  - Access network sends a response packet on the F-DCH. The response packet contains the UATI or SessionSeed in the MAC header and ConnectionOpenResponse message in the payload.

<sup>18</sup> The access network may transmit a Page message to the access terminal directing it to initiate the procedure.



## 6.3.2 Primitives

### 6.3.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*
- *OpenConnection*
- *Close*

### 6.3.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *ConnectionOpened*
- *ConnectionFailed*
- *RegistrationRadiusUpdated*

## 6.3.3 Public data

### 6.3.3.1 Static public data

- PageTimes array
- ConnectCount
- RQuickPage

### 6.3.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 6.3.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 6.3.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal and the access network:

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.
- The protocol shall set ConnectCount to zero.

### 6.3.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap at the access terminal and access network:

- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

## 6.3.5 Procedures

### 6.3.5.1 Command processing

#### 6.3.5.1.1 Activate

When the protocol at the access terminal or the access network receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State:

- If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the access terminal shall select its operating carrier as follows. If PreferredPagingCarrierEnabled is set to '1', the access terminal and the access network shall set  $C = \text{PreferredPagingCarrier}$ . Otherwise, the access terminal and access network shall calculate  $C$  as the result of applying the hash function (see 10.4) using the following parameters:

- $\text{Key} = \text{SessionSeed}$
- $\text{Decorrelate} = 6 \times \text{SessionSeed}[11:0]$
- $N = \text{NumCarriers}$

where SessionSeed is given as public data of the Session Management Protocol. The access terminal shall set its carrier to  $\text{CarrierID} = \text{mod}(C, \text{NumCarriers})$ , where NumCarriers is the number of carriers in the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.

When the protocol at the access terminal receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State:

- If the access terminal entered the Idle State upon sending a ConnectionClose message with CloseReason set to "Deregistration Request", the access terminal shall transition to the Sleep State
- otherwise, the access terminal shall transition to the Monitor State.

When the protocol at the access network receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State:

- The access network shall transition to the Sleep State.<sup>19</sup>

When the protocol at the access terminal or the access network receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive state.

- If the previous state of the Air-Link management protocol was the Connected State, and the multi-carrier mode public data of the Physical Layer is set to MultiCarrierOn, the protocol shall

If the protocol receives this command in any other state the command shall be ignored.

<sup>19</sup> Since the transitions happen asynchronously, this requirement guarantees that the access network will not transmit unicast packets to the access terminal over the Control Channel when the access terminal is not monitoring the channel.

### 6.3.5.1.2 Deactivate

When the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State it shall be ignored.

When the protocol receives this command in any other state:

- The access terminal shall transition to the Inactive State.
- The access network shall transition to the Inactive State.

### 6.3.5.1.3 OpenConnection

When the protocol receives an *OpenConnection* command in the Inactive State, the Access State or the BindUATI State, the command shall be ignored.

When the protocol receives this command in the Sleep State:

- The access terminal shall transition to the Access State.
- The access network shall queue the command and execute it when it is in the Monitor State.

When the protocol receives this command in the Monitor State:

- The access terminal shall transition to the Access State.
- The access network shall send a QuickPage and a Page.

### 6.3.5.1.4 Close

When the protocol receives a *Close* command in the Inactive State it shall be ignored.

When the protocol receives a *Close* command in any other state:

- The access terminal shall transition to the Monitor State.
- The access network shall transition to the Sleep State.

## 6.3.5.2 General overview of paging

Paging is implemented using the F-pBCH1 and F-DCH physical layer channels. The F-pBCH1 channel occurs at the beginning of a superframe, and contains a QuickPaging block. This QuickPaging block may have one of two possible formats.

1. QuickPage block with full ATI results in a one step page.
2. QuickPage block with LSBs of the ATI results in a two step page.

In case the QuickPaging block has the full ATI of the access terminal, a *ControlChannelMAC.PageReceived* indication is generated, completing a one step page process.

In case the QuickPaging block has the LSBs of the ATI of the access terminal, a *ControlChannelMAC.QuickPageReceived* indication is generated, and a QuickPage is considered to be received.

Upon receipt of a QuickPage, the access terminal monitors the F-DCH for the full ATI, and if the ATI is detected, a *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.PageReceived* indication is generated, completing a two-step page process.

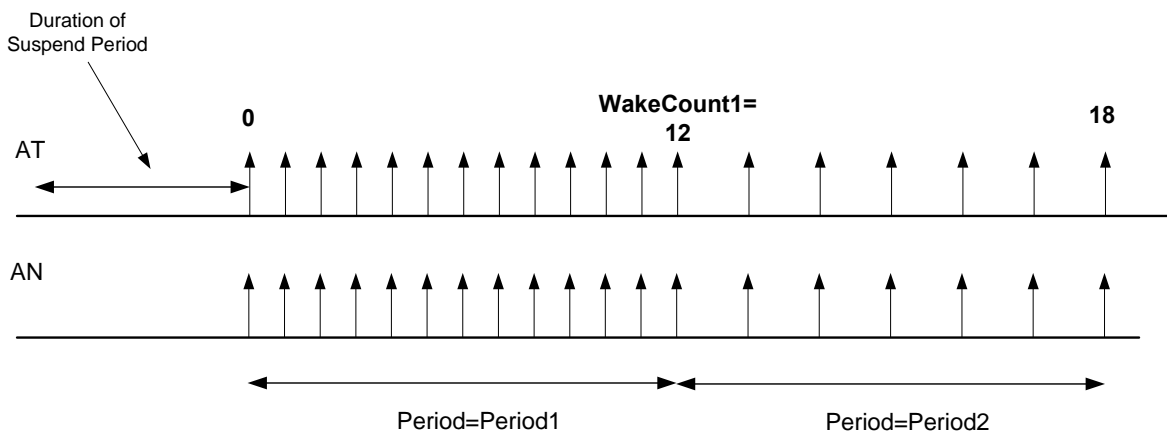
### 6.3.5.3 General overview of sleep cycle

This section is for informative purposes, and describes which superframes may be used for sending pages by the access network, and receiving pages by the access terminal.

The Default Idle State Protocol allows the implementation of staggered mode sleep, where the terminal sleep period increases with time, from a sleep period of Period1 superframes for the first WakeCount1 sleep periods to Period2 superframes for the next WakeCount2 sleep periods, and finally to Period3 superframes for the remaining sleep periods. Staggered sleep presents the design problem that the access terminal and access network may be unable to synchronize timing for staggering, and therefore may increase the sleep period at different times. This may result in missed pages, where the access network is in monitor state (because it is using a smaller sleep period) while the access terminal is in sleep state (because it is using a larger sleep period). To prevent missed pages, this protocol makes the following design choices:

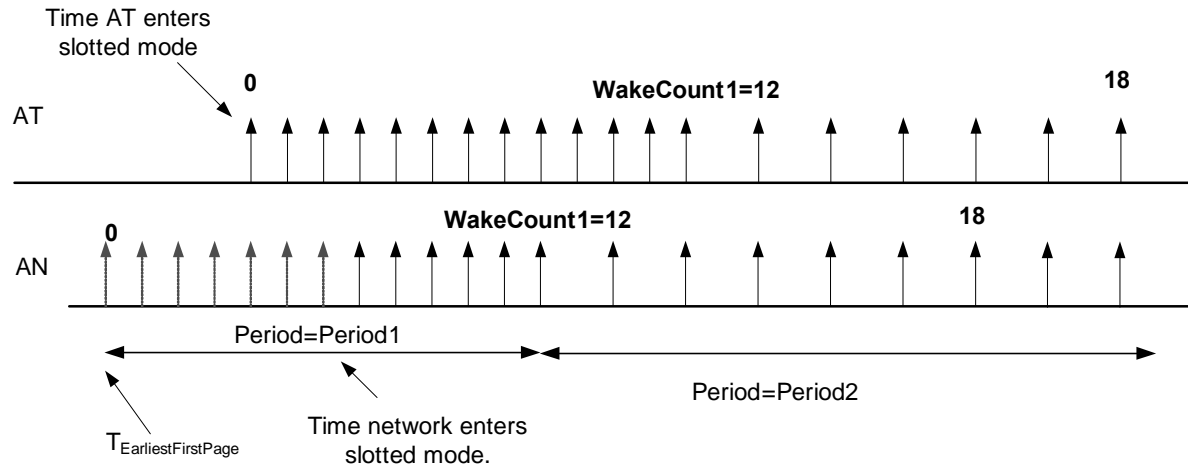
- The sleep times Period2 and Period3 shall be some multiple of a power of two of Period1. For example, if Period1 is 6 superframes, Period2 may be 24 superframes and Period3 may be 96 superframes. Such setting of the Periods guarantees that the access network is in the monitor state only when the access terminal is also in the monitor state, as shown below.
- The access network initializes with a staggered sleep cycle at a time that is conservative.

Staggered sleep operation is discussed in more detail below. In case the access terminal has advertised a suspend period in a ConnectionClose message, and the access network has received this message, the access network can synchronize slotted mode operation with the access terminal, i.e., the access network and access terminal can enter the monitor state in the same superframe. This synchronous operation is shown in Figure 6-5.



**Figure 6-5 Slotted mode operation when access terminal and access network are synchronized**

In case the access network has not received a suspend period from the access terminal, the access network may begin slotted operation at a time that is different from the time the access terminal enters slotted mode. The access network begins to count pages starting at time EarliestFirstPage, where the access network has determined that EarliestFirstPageTime is the earliest time the access terminal could have entered slotted mode.



**Figure 6-6 Slotted mode operation when access terminal and access network are not synchronized**

### 6.3.5.4 General procedures

#### 6.3.5.4.1 Paging cycle offset

$R$  (the paging cycle offset) shall be obtained as follows. Since the paging cycle occurs only once every two superframes, the following procedure is designed to return even values.

- If PreferredControlChannelCycleEnabled is equal to '0', then  $R$  is the result of applying the hash function (see 10.4) using the following parameters, and multiplying the result by 2:
  - Key = SessionSeed
  - Decorrelate =  $6 \times \text{SessionSeed}[11:0]$
  - $N = \text{Max}(\text{Period1}, \text{Period2}, \text{Period3}, 1)$
 where SessionSeed is given as public data of the Session Management Protocol.
- If PreferredControlChannelCycleEnabled is equal to '1', then  $R$  is set to twice the PreferredControlChannelCycle.

#### 6.3.5.4.2 RQuickPage calculation

The parameter RQuickPage is used by the Lower MAC Sublayer to determine if a quick page is received, and RQuickPage shall be decided as follows.

- If PreferredQuickPageEnabled is equal to '0', then *RQuickPage* is the result of applying the hash function (see 10.4) using the following parameters:

- Key = SessionSeed
- Decorrelate =  $6 \times \text{SessionSeed}[23:12]$
- $N = 2^{N_{QP\_BLK}}$

where SessionSeed is given as public data of the Session Management Protocol and  $N_{QP\_BLK}$  is a numeric constant of the Control Channel MAC Protocol.

If PreferredQuickPageEnabled is equal to '1', then RQuickPage is set to PreferredRQuickPage.

#### 6.3.5.4.3 Paging period calculation

The access network and the access terminal shall compute *Period<sub>i</sub>* according to Table 6-3.

**Table 6-3 Computation of *Period<sub>i</sub>* from *SlotCycle<sub>i</sub>***

<i>SlotCycle<sub>i</sub></i>	<i>Period<sub>i</sub></i>
0x00 to 0x1f	$\text{SlotCycleBase} * 2^{\text{SlotCycle}_i}$ superframes
0x20 to 0xff	Reserved

#### 6.3.5.4.4 Procedure for page time calculation

Given a value for StartTime (an argument to this procedure), this procedure shall return an array PageTimes[j].

The following formula shall be called the QuickPage formula, and shall be used to determine the PageTimes array:

$$[T+R] \bmod \text{Period} = 0,$$

where R is defined in 6.3.5.4, and values for Period are given in the steps below.

The PageTimes array shall be calculated by the following procedure, using a temporary variable x. This procedure follows the general description in 6.3.5.2.

1. Set x as the minimum value of T that is greater than StartTime and satisfies the QuickPage formula with Period=Period1.
2. For  $0 \leq j < \text{WakeCount1}$ , set  $\text{PageTimes}[j] = x + j * \text{Period1}$ .
3. Set x as the minimum value of T that is greater than PageTimes[WakeCount1-1] and satisfies the QuickPage formula with Period=Period2.

4. For  $\text{WakeCount1} \leq j < \text{WakeCount2}$ , set  $\text{PageTimes}[j] = x + (j - \text{WakeCount1}) * \text{Period2}$ .
5. Set  $x$  as the minimum value of  $T$  that is greater than  $\text{PageTimes}[\text{WakeCount2} - 1]$  and satisfies the QuickPage formula with  $\text{Period} = \text{Period2}$ .
6. For  $\text{WakeCount2} \leq j$ , set  $\text{PageTimes}[j] = x + (j - \text{WakeCount2}) * \text{Period3}$ .

The access network transmits pages for the access terminal in superframe index  $T$ , where  $T$  takes values  $\text{PageTimes}[j]$ ,  $j=0,1,2, \dots$ . The access network may also transmit the QuickPages for the access terminal in superframes that occur  $\text{FastRepageInterval}$  superframes after values in the  $\text{PageTimes}$  array.

#### 6.3.5.5 Inactive state

When the protocol is in the Inactive State it waits for an *Activate* command and at the access terminal, sets internal variable  $\text{NumAccessAttempts}$  to zero.

#### 6.3.5.6 Sleep state

When the access terminal is in the Sleep State it may stop monitoring the access network by issuing the following commands:

- *ControlChannelMAC.Deactivate*
- *SharedSignalingMAC.Deactivate*
- *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.Deactivate*

The access terminal may shut down processing resources to reduce power consumption.

#### 6.3.5.6.1 Access terminal procedures

If the access terminal has a queued *OpenConnection* command, it shall transition to the Access State.

If the access terminal entered the Idle State as upon sending a *ConnectionClose* message with *CloseReason* set to “Deregistration Request”, this specification does not specify rules for entering the Monitor State. Otherwise, the access terminal shall transition to the monitor state for any one of the following reasons:

- *Update of overhead messages*: To determine the time of transition to the monitor state, the access terminal may rely on the *ExtendedChannelInfoExpiryTime*, that is public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The exact algorithm used by the access terminal to update overhead messages is beyond the scope of this specification.
- *To receive pages*: The access terminal shall transition to the monitor state in superframes specified by the  $\text{PageTimes}$  array.
- *To receive fast repages*: If there was a paging error on the last page read by the access terminal (say in superframe  $T$ ), and  $T$  is an entry in the  $\text{PageTimes}$  array, then the access terminal shall transition to the monitor state in superframe  $T + \text{FastRepageInterval}$ .

### 6.3.5.6.2 Access network procedures

Upon entering the Monitor State from the Inactive State, the access network shall:

- Invoke the procedure in 6.3.5.4.4 to determine the PageTimes array. While invoking this procedure, the access network shall set StartTime such that the access terminal does not miss any pages.

In order to set StartTime above, the access network may use the following procedure. If the access network has received a suspend period from the access terminal, it may set StartTime to the superframe number that contains the last part of the suspend period. If the access network did not receive a suspend period, it may set StartTime to the superframe number where the last packet was received from the access terminal.

If the access network entered the Idle State as upon receiving a ConnectionClose message with CloseReason set to “Deregistration Request”, the access network shall not enter the Monitor State.

Otherwise, the access network shall enter the monitor state at one of the following two times:

- The smallest entry in the PageTimes array that is greater than the current superframe number (for routine pages).
- The sum of FastRepageInterval and the largest entry in the PageTimes array that is less than or equal to the current superframe number (for fast repages).

The setting of which one of the two times above is selected is beyond the scope of this specification, and may depend on the implementation of the fast repage mechanism at the access network.

When the access network is in the Sleep State, it is prohibited from sending unicast packets to the access terminal.

If the access network receives a *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.UATIReceived* indication in the Sleep State, it shall transition to the BindUATI State.

### 6.3.5.7 Monitor state

The access terminal shall enter the Monitor State either to receive a Page, QuickPage or other messages from the access network.

When the access network is in the Monitor State, it may send unicast packets to the access terminal.

#### 6.3.5.7.1 Access terminal requirements

Upon entering the Monitor State, the access terminal shall:

- Issue *ControlChannelMAC.Activate*
- Issue *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.Activate*
- Issue *SharedSignalingMAC.Activate*
- Issue *OverheadMessages.Activate*
- Set internal variable NumAccessAttempts to zero



Upon entering the Monitor State from the Inactive State, or if the BindUATI state has been entered since the last visit to the Monitor State, the access terminal shall:

- Invoke the procedure specified in 6.3.5.4.4 to determine the PageTimes array. While invoking this procedure, the access terminal shall set StartTime to the superframe number when the access terminal entered the monitor state.

The access terminal shall comply with the following requirements when in the Monitor State:

- If the current superframe number is in the PageTimes array the Idle State Protocol shall
  - Determine if there is a paging error in the current superframe, where the paging error event is defined in the Control Channel MAC.

The access terminal shall transition to the Access State if any of the following conditions are met:

- The access terminal receives a *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.PageReceived* indication
- The access terminal receives a *ControlChannelMAC.PageReceived* indication
- The access terminal receives a PageUATI message where the Upper96UATI field matches the upper 96 bits of the UATI public data field of the Address Management Protocol
- The access terminal has a queued *OpenConnection* command

The access terminal may transition to the Sleep State if all of the following conditions are met:

- OverheadParametersUpToDate=1
- At least one transmission of pBCH1 has been read in this visit to the Monitor State.
- Transitioning to sleep state will not cause the access terminal to miss a page in the current superframe.
- Access terminal has not advertised a suspend period that is current (see 6.4.5.2.4.1). The suspend period is current if the time advertised in the associated ConnectionClose message is greater than the current system time.<sup>20</sup>

### 6.3.5.7.2 Access network requirements

The access network shall comply with the following requirements in the Monitor State:

- If the access network receives a *FTCMAC.UATIRceived* indication, it shall transition to the BindUATI State. This requirement shall take precedence over other requirements applicable to this state.
- If the access network has a queued *OpenConnection* command, the access network shall
  - Send the access terminal a Page (procedures for sending a Page are defined in the Control Channel MAC and the Forward Traffic Channel MAC. The Forward Traffic Channel MAC is used to send the page only if the page does not fit in the Control Channel MAC due to resource limitations.).

<sup>20</sup> The access terminal monitors the Control Channel continuously during a suspend period thus avoiding the delay in opening access-network-initiated connections due to the sleep period.

- ❑ If the access terminal has sleep period greater than one superframe, and the page is sent over the Forward Traffic Channel MAC, then the access network shall send the page in the superframe after the superframe where the QuickPage was sent.
- ❑ After the page is sent, transition to the Sleep State
- If the access network does not have a queued *OpenConnection* command, the access terminal shall
  - ❑ Transition to the Sleep State.

### 6.3.5.8 Access state

The access terminal and the access network use the Access State to provide a MAC ID to the access terminal.

#### 6.3.5.8.1 Access terminal requirements

The access terminal shall comply with the following requirements.

- Upon entering the Access State the access terminal shall:
  - ❑ Issue a *ControlChannelMAC.Activate* command
  - ❑ Issue a *SharedSignalingMAC.Activate* command
  - ❑ Issue a *AccessChannelMAC.Activate* command
  - ❑ Issue a *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.Activate* command
  - ❑ Issue a *OverheadMessages.Activate* command
  - ❑ Issue a *AccessChannelMAC.AttemptAccess* command
  - ❑ Issue a *ActiveSetManagement.SendPilotReport* command
  - ❑ Set a state timer for  $T_{IDPATSetup}$  seconds
  - ❑ If NumAccessAttempts is '0', generate a ConnectionOpenRequest message
- If the state timer expires or the protocol receives an *AccessChannelMAC.AccessFailed* indication, the access terminal shall set internal variable NumAccessAttempts to 0, return a *ConnectionFailed* indication and transition to the Sleep State.
- If the access terminal receives a *AccessChannelMAC.AccessGrantReceived* indication, it shall:
  - ❑ Increment public data ConnectCount by 1
  - ❑ Issue a *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Activate* command
  - ❑ Issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Activate* command
  - ❑ Transition to the BindUATI State

#### 6.3.5.8.2 Access network requirements

The Idle State Protocol for the Access Network shall not enter the Access State.

### 6.3.5.9 BindUATI state

#### 6.3.5.9.1 Access terminal requirements

The access terminal shall comply with the following requirements.

- Upon entering the BindUATI State the access terminal shall:
  - Start a state timer for  $T_{IDSTABind}$  seconds.
  - Increment internal variable NumAccessAttempts by 1.
  - Transmit a ConnectionOpenRequest message with the RegistrationRadiusFlag field set to the public data RegistrationRadiusFlag of the Active Set Management Protocol.
- If the state timer expires, and NumAccessAttempts is less than MaxAccessAttempts, the access terminal shall transition to the Access State.
- If the state timer expires and NumAccessAttempts is greater than or equal to MaxAccessAttempts the access terminal shall execute the cleanup procedures given in 6.3.5.9.1.3.

##### 6.3.5.9.1.1 Processing the FTCMAC.UATIReceived indication

The access terminal shall process this indication according to the following rules.

The access terminal shall declare the indication valid if the ATIdentifier that accompanies the indication matches the ATIdentifier last transmitted by the access terminal.

- If the indication is not valid, the access terminal shall perform the following:
  - If NumAccessAttempts is less than MaxAccessAttempts, the access terminal shall transition to the Access State, otherwise
  - The access terminal shall execute the cleanup procedures given in 6.3.5.9.1.3.
- If the access terminal receives a valid indication with UATISStatus equal to 0x1, it shall execute the cleanup procedures given in 6.3.5.9.1.3.
- If the access terminal receives a valid indication with UATISStatus equal to 0x0 it shall reset the state timer.

##### 6.3.5.9.1.2 Processing the ConnectionOpenResponse message

On receiving a ConnectionOpenResponse message and a *FTCMAC.UATIReceived* indication in the same packet, the access terminal shall declare the ConnectionOpenResponse message to be invalid if the UATISStatus field with the indication is set to 0x2.

Otherwise, it shall declare the ConnectionOpenResponse message to be valid.

On receiving a valid ConnectionOpenResponse message with ConnectionStatus set to 0x0, the access terminal shall:

- Return a *ConnectionOpened* indication
- Set NumAccessAttempts to 0
- Transition to the Inactive State

On receiving a valid ConnectionOpenResponse message with ConnectionStatus set to 0x1, the access terminal shall:

- Set NumAccessAttempts to 0.
- Generate a *RegistrationRadiusFlagUpdated* indication accompanied by the RegistrationRadius field of the ConnectionOpenResponse message.
- Transition to the Monitor State.

#### 6.3.5.9.1.3 Cleanup procedures for the BindUATI state

The access terminal shall do the following when this procedure is invoked:

- Set NumAccessAttempts to 0
- Issue a *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Issue a *AccessChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
- Return a *ConnectionFailed* indication
- Transition to the Sleep State.

#### 6.3.5.9.2 Access network requirements

Upon entering the BindUATI State, the access network shall:

- Send a packet with the header field UATIInfoIncluded set to '1'. The setting of UATISStatus in the MAC header is beyond the scope of this specification.
- If the access network sets UATISStatus to 1 (does not accept the connection), it shall:
  - Return a *ConnectionFailed* indication
  - Issue a *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
  - Issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Deactivate* command
  - Transition to the Sleep State.
- If the access network accepts the connection request (sends a ConnectionOpenResponse message with ConnectionStatus set to 0), the Idle State Protocol shall return a *ConnectionOpened* Indication and transition to the Inactive State. The access network should set the RegistrationRadiusFlag field of the ConnectionOpenResponse message to '0' only if the RegistrationRadiusFlag field of the ConnectionOpenRequest message was set to 0.

Note that activation of the Reverse Traffic Channel MAC and the Reverse Control Channel MAC at the access network is performed by the Access Channel MAC Protocol in the Lower MAC Sublayer.

#### 6.3.6 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

### 6.3.6.1 ConnectionOpenRequest

The access terminal sends the ConnectionRequest message to the access network to request the opening of a connection.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
ConnectRequestReason	2
RegistrationRadiusFlag	1
Reserved	5

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x00.

**ConnectRequestReason** The access terminal shall set this field according to Table 6-4.

**Table 6-4 Encoding of the ConnectRequestReason field**

Field value	Description
0x0	Response to page
1	Registration Attempt
2	Terminal initiated data transfer
All other values are reserved	

**RegistrationRadiusFlag** The access terminal shall set this field based on RegistrationRadiusFlag that is public data of the Active Set Management Protocol.

**Reserved** This field shall be ignored by the receiver.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.3.6.2 ConnectionOpenResponse

The access network sends the ConnectionOpenResponse message to the access terminal in response to a ConnectionOpenRequest message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
ConnectionStatus	1
RegistrationRadiusFlag	1
Reserved	6

MessageID The access network shall set this field to 0x01.

ConnectionStatus The access terminal shall set this field according to Table 6-5.

**Table 6-5 Encoding of the ConnectionStatus field**

Field value	Description
0	Connection opened
1	Registration successful, connection closed
All other values are reserved	

RegistrationRadiusFlag The setting of this field at the access network is beyond the scope of this specification.

Reserved This field shall be ignored by the receiver.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.3.6.3 PageUATI

The access network may send the PageUATI message to direct the access terminal to request a connection.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
UATI	128

MessageID The access network shall set this field to 0x02.

UATI The access network shall set this field to the UATI of the access terminal, where the UATI is public data of the Address Management Protocol.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Broadcast Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.3.6.4 PreferredChannelRequest

The access terminal sends this message to request a connection on a channel that is different from the channel where the access preamble was sent. Sending the PreferredChannelRequest message during connection initiation is optional.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8
PreferredChannelCount	8
PreferredChannelCount occurrences of the following field:	
PreferredChannel	ChannelRecordType Dependent

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x03.

**TransactionID** The access terminal shall increment this value for each new ConnectionRequest message sent.

**PreferredChannelCount** The access terminal shall set this field to the number of occurrences of the PreferredChannel field in this message.

**PreferredChannel** The access terminal shall set this field to the Channel record specification for the channel on which the access terminal prefers to be assigned a Traffic Channel.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast

<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.3.7 Interface to other protocols

#### 6.3.7.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following commands:

- *ActiveSetManagement.SendPilotReport*
- *OverheadMessages.Activate*
- *OverheadMessages.Deactivate*
- *ControlChannelMAC.Activate*
- *ControlChannelMAC.Deactivate*
- *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.Activate*
- *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Activate*

- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Activate*
- *AccessChannelMAC.AttemptAccess*

### 6.3.7.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *AccessChannelMAC.AccessGrantReceived*
- *AccessChannelMAC.AccessFailed*
- *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.UATIReceived*
- ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.UATIReceived indications
- *ControlChannelMAC.PageReceived*
- *ControlChannelMAC.QuickPageReceived*
- *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.PageReceived*

### 6.3.8 Configuration attributes

The following complex attributes and default values are defined (see 10.3 for attribute record definition).

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Idle State Protocol.

#### 6.3.8.1 Preferred control channel cycle attribute

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
PreferredControlChannelCycleEnabled	1	'0'
PreferredControlChannelCycle	0 or 15	N/A
PreferredQuickPageEnabled	1	0
PreferredRQuickPage	0 or 15	N/A
PreferredPagingCarrierEnabled	1	0
PreferredPagingCarrier	7	N/A
Reserved	7 or 0	N/A

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** This field shall be set to 0x00.

**PreferredControlChannelCycleEnabled** This field shall be set to '1' if PreferredControlChannelCycle field is included in this attribute; otherwise, the sender shall set this field to '0'.



**PreferredControlChannelCycle**

If PreferredControlChannelCycleEnabled is set to '1', this field shall specify the superframe in which the access terminal transitions out of the Sleep State (see 6.3.5.6) in order to monitor the Control Channel. This field shall be omitted if PreferredControlChannelCycleEnabled is set to '0'.

**PreferredQuickPageEnabled**

This field shall be set to '1' if the PreferredQuickPageCycle field is included in this attribute; otherwise, this field shall be set field to '0'.

**PreferredRQuickPage**

PreferredQuickPageEnabled is set to '1', this field shall be set to specify the response of the access terminal to a QuickPage packet (see 6.3.5.4.2). This field shall be omitted this field if PreferredQuickPageEnabled is set to '0'.

**Reserved**

The length of this field shall be such that the attribute value is octet-aligned. This field shall be set to zero.

**6.3.8.2 SlottedMode attribute**

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
SlotCycleBase	8	0x1
SlotCycle1	8	0x9
SlotCycle2	8	0x9
SlotCycle3	8	0x9
WakeCount1	8	0x0
WakeCount2	8	0x0
Reserved	0	N/A

**Length**

Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID**

The sender shall set this field to 0x01.

**SlotCycleBase**

The sender shall set this field to the SlotCycleBase that is used in calculating Period<sub>j</sub>. SlotCycleBase shall take only even values.

**SlotCycle1**

The sender shall set this field to SlotCycle1.

**SlotCycle2**

The sender shall set this field to SlotCycle2. SlotCycle2 shall be greater than or equal to SlotCycle1.

**SlotCycle3**

The sender shall set this field to SlotCycle3. SlotCycle3 shall be greater than or equal to SlotCycle2.

**WakeCount1**

The sender shall set this field to WakeCount1.

WakeCount2 The sender shall set this field to WakeCount2. WakeCount2 shall be greater or equal to than WakeCount1.

Reserved The sender shall set this field to '0000'. The receiver shall ignore this field.

### 6.3.8.3 FastRepage attribute

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
FastRepageEnabled	8	0
FastRepageInterval	16	0

Length Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

AttributeID The sender shall set this field to 0x03.

FastRepageEnabled The sender shall set this field to 0x01 if FastRepage is enabled

FastRepageInterval This sender shall set this field to zero if FastRepageEnabled is not equal to 0x01. Otherwise, the sender shall set this field to the interval at which the access network pages the access terminal when the access network receives no response to the page. The unit for this field shall be superframes. This field shall not take odd values. A fast repage is performed only once for each missed page.

### 6.3.8.4 MaxAccessAttempts attribute

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
MaxAccessAttempts	8	0x03

MaxAccessAttempts The sender shall set this field to the maximum number of visits to the Access State before the access attempt is stopped.

## 6.3.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value	Comments
N <sub>IDPType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1	
N <sub>IDPDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000	
T <sub>IDSTABind</sub>	Maximum access terminal time in the BindUATI State	2.5 seconds	

### 6.3.10 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of the PageTimes array and the parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 6.4 Default Connected State Protocol

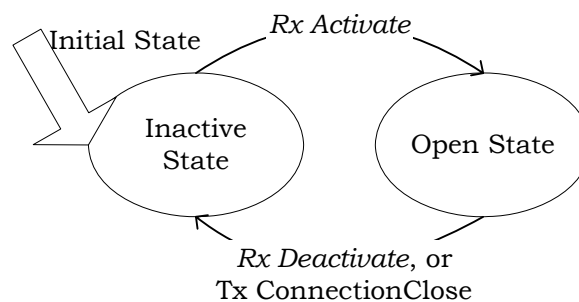
### 6.4.1 Overview

The Default Connected State Protocol provides procedures and messages used by the access terminal and the access network while a connection is open.

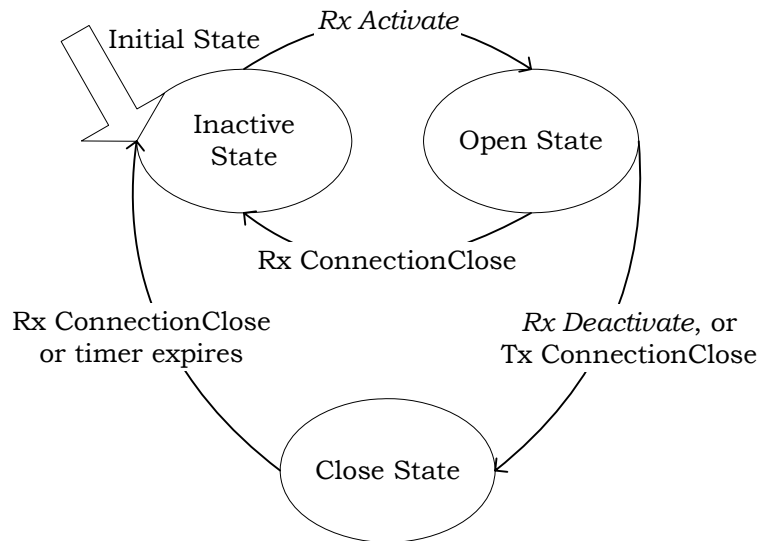
This protocol can be in one of three states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state the protocol waits for an *Activate* command.
- *Open State*: In this state the access terminal can use the Reverse Traffic Channel and the access network can use the Forward Traffic Channel and Control Channel to send application traffic to each other.
- *Close State*: This state is associated only with the access network. In this state the access network waits for connection resources to be safely released.

Figure 6-7 and Figure 6-8 show the state transition diagrams at the access terminal and the access network respectively.



**Figure 6-7 Default Connected State Protocol state diagram (access terminal)**



**Figure 6-8 Default Connected State Protocol state diagram (access network)**

## 6.4.2 Primitives

### 6.4.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*
- *CloseConnection*<sup>21</sup>

### 6.4.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *ConnectionClosed*
- *RegistrationRadiusUpdated*
- *TunedAway*
- *TunedBack*

## 6.4.3 Public data

### 6.4.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data

<sup>21</sup> The *CloseConnection* command performs the same function as the *Deactivate* command and is provided for clarity in the specification.

### 6.4.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol
- RLImplicitDeassignEnabled (configuration attribute)
- FLImplicitDeassignEnabled (configuration attribute)
- TuneAwayState
- SelectedInterlaceMode
- SelectedInterlaceAssignment

## 6.4.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 6.4.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal and the access network:

- The value for each attribute for this protocol instance shall be set to the default value for that attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

### 6.4.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap at the access terminal and access network:

- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

## 6.4.5 Procedures

### 6.4.5.1 Command processing

#### 6.4.5.1.1 Activate

When the protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State:

- The access terminal shall transition to the Open State.
- The access network shall transition to the Open State.

When the protocol receives this command in any other state it shall be ignored.

#### 6.4.5.1.2 Deactivate

When the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State it shall return a *ConnectionClosed* indication.

When the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Close State the command shall be ignored.

When the protocol receives this command in the Open State:

- Access terminal shall send a *ConnectionClose* message to the access network and perform the cleanup procedures defined in 6.4.5.2.4.2.
- Access network shall send a *ConnectionClose* message to the access terminal and transition to the Close State.

### 6.4.5.1.3 CloseConnection

The access terminal and the access network shall process the *CloseConnection* command following the same procedures used for the *Deactivate* command, see 6.4.5.1.2.

### 6.4.5.2 Open state

In the Open State, the access terminal and the access network maintain a connection and can use it to exchange application traffic on the Reverse Traffic Channel, Forward Traffic Channel, and Control Channel.

#### 6.4.5.2.1 TuneAway procedures

Tune away defines a repetitive set of time periods during which the access terminal and access network do not exchange any transmission. The beginning and end of tune away is determined by the TuneAway attribute and the TuneAwayRequest and TuneAwayResponse messages.

Further, the access terminal and access network may operate on multiple tune away schedules. Each tune away schedule is specified by a separate TuneAway attribute, but may share the same TuneAwayRequest and TuneAwayResponse messages.

The tune away operation is controlled through a variable TunedAwayStatus, that is public data of the protocol. This variable takes the value '1' if the access terminal has tuned away, and value '0' otherwise. If the TunedAwayStatus is set to '1':

- The access terminal may stop monitoring the forward channels and shall stop transmitting on the reverse channels.
- The access network may stop monitoring the reverse channels and shall stop transmitting to this access terminal on the forward channels.

##### 6.4.5.2.1.1 TuneAway time calculations

The following formulas determine the beginning and end of tune away periods for a tune away schedule as a function of the TuneAway attribute and the TuneAwayRequest message. In the following calculations, the current TuneAway attribute is used, and the TuneAwayRequest message with MessageSequence matching the last received TuneAwayResponse message is used.

Consider tune away schedule N and consider a given serving sector. Let  $t_0$  be the system time at the beginning of StartSuperframeNumberN. Then, tuneaway period number n for a sector with given SectorOffset begins at

$$\text{TuneAwayTime}N_n = t_0 + \text{StartOffset}N + \text{SectorOffset} + (n-1)*\text{TuneAwayPeriodicity}N$$

and ends at

$$\text{TuneBackTime}N_n = \text{TuneAwayTime}N_n + \text{TuneAwayDuration}N$$

Since a TuneAwayTime and a TuneBackTime may be misaligned with PHYFrame boundaries, actual tune away and tune back operations obey the following parameters.

TuneAwayFrame $N_n$  shall be set to the frame number of the reverse link frame that contains time instance TuneAwayTime $N_n$ . In case TuneAwayTime $N_n$  lies on a frame boundary of frames  $j$  and  $j+1$ , TuneAwayFrame $N_n$  shall be set to  $j$ .

TuneBackFrame $N_n$  shall be set to the frame number of the reverse link frame that contains time instance TuneBackTime $N_n$ . In case TuneBackTime $N_n$  lies on a frame boundary of frames  $j$  and  $j+1$ , TuneBackFrame $N_n$  shall be set to  $j+1$ .

For each tune away schedule, the access terminal may be in one of three states:

- *Disabled State:* In this state, the access terminal does not tune away for the TuneAwayPattern.
- *Camped State:*
- *TunedAway State:*

In addition to the above per schedule state, the access terminal shall also perform State transitions for a tune away schedule.

#### Access Terminal

The access terminal shall enter the disabled state for a tune away schedule  $N$  if

- no valid TuneAwayResponse message has been received
- the access terminal sends a TuneAwayRequest message with the TuneAwayEnabled $N$  field set to '0'.

The access terminal shall enter the Camped state for a tune away schedule  $N$  if

- if the access terminal receives a TuneAwayResponse message with the TuneAwayEnabled $N$  field set to '1'.
- At the beginning of frame number TuneBackFrame $N_n$

The access terminal shall enter the TuneAway state for a tune away schedule  $N$

- At the end of frame number TuneAwayFrame $N_n$  - 1

#### Access Network

The access network shall enter the disabled state for a tune away schedule  $N$  if

- no TuneAwayResponse message for tune away schedule  $N$  has been sent
- the access network sends a TuneAwayResponse message with the TuneAwayEnabled $N$  field set to '0'.

The access network shall enter the Camped state for a tune away schedule N if

- if the access network sends a TuneAwayResponse message with the TuneAwayEnabledN field set to '1'.
- At the beginning of frame number TuneBackFrameN<sub>n</sub>

The access network shall enter the TuneAway state for a tune away schedule N

- At the end of frame number TuneAwayFrameN<sub>n</sub> - 1

#### 6.4.5.2.1.2 Procedures for setting TunedAwayStatus

The access terminal and access network shall set the public data TunedAwayStatus as follows:

- If any of the tune away schedules is in TuneAway state, this protocol shall set TunedAwayStatus to '1'.
- For each QuickChannelInfo block that was missed during the time spent with TunedAwayStatus being '1', this protocol shall set a QuickChannelInfoMissed timer to expire at the end of the first frame to follow the next QuickChannelInfo block.
- If none of the tune away schedules is in TuneAway state, and the QuickChannelInfoMissed timer is not active, this protocol shall set TunedAwayStatus to '0'.
- If the QuickChannelInfoMissed timer expires, and if none of the tune away schedules is in TuneAway state, this protocol shall set TunedAwayStatus to '0'.

This protocol shall generate the following indications:

- If TunedAwayStatus changes from '1' to '0', the this protocol shall generate a TunedBack indication.
- If TunedAwayStatus changes from '0' to '1', the this protocol shall generate a TunedAway indication.

#### 6.4.5.2.2 SelectedInterlace operation procedures

The access terminal and access network may operate in one of two modes: SelectedInterlaceOn or SelectedInterlaceOff.

- *SelectedInterlaceOn* mode: In this mode, the access network sends certain SSCH blocks to the access terminal only on a set of interlaces called the SelectedInterlaceSet. Details may be found in the Lower MAC Sublayer.
- *SelectedInterlaceOff* mode: In this mode, no restrictions are placed on the access network and access terminal.

##### 6.4.5.2.2.1 State transitions for selected interlace operation

The access network shall enter the SelectedInterlaceOn mode after

- sending a SelectedInterlaceResponse message with SelectedInterlaceEnabled set to '1'.

The access terminal shall enter the SelectedInterlaceOn mode after

- receiving a SelectedInterlaceResponse message with SelectedInterlaceEnabled set to '1'.



The access terminal shall enter the SelectedInterlaceOff mode after

- Receiving a SelectedInterlacesAssignment message with SelectedInterlacesEnabled equal to '0'.
- When the desired serving sector is not the same as the serving sector

The access network shall enter the SelectedInterlaceOff mode after

- Receiving a SelectedInterlaceAckRequest message with the SelectedInterlacesEnabled field equal to '0'
- The serving sector for the access terminal changes

If the access terminal receives a SelectedInterlacesAssignment message with SelectedInterlacesEnabled equal to '0', the access terminal shall respond with a SelectedInterlacesAck message.

To change the selected interlace assignment to an access terminal, the access network should first disable selected interlace mode, and then send a SelectedInterlaceAssignment message.

#### 6.4.5.2.2 Procedures in selected interlace states

On entering the SelectedInterlaceOn state

- the access terminal and access network shall generate a *SelectedInterlaceEnabled* indication.
- Place the most recent SelectedInterlaceAssignment message in the public data.

On entering the SelectedInterlaceOn state

- the access terminal and access network shall generate a *SelectedInterlaceDisabled* indication.

#### 6.4.5.2.3 Channel measurement procedures

The access network may obtain channel measurement reports from the access terminal by sending a ChannelMeasurementReportRequest message.

If an access terminal receives a ChannelMeasurementReportRequest message, the access terminal may respond with a ChannelMeasurementReport message. Channel measurements are based on the F-CPICH.

#### 6.4.5.2.4 Access terminal requirements

##### 6.4.5.2.4.1 General requirements

The access terminal shall comply with the following requirements when in the Open State:

- The access terminal shall receive the Control Channel and the Forward Traffic Channel.
- The access terminal may request a MIMO mode on the Forward Traffic Channel by sending a MIMORequest message.
- The access terminal shall monitor the overhead messages as specified in the Overhead Messages Protocol (see 6.5.5.4.2).

- If the access terminal receives a `ConnectionClose` message, it shall generate a *RegistrationRadiusUpdated* indication accompanied by the `RegistrationRadiusFlag` contained in the message.
- If the access terminal receives a `ConnectionClose` message, it shall send a `ConnectionClose` message with `CloseReason` set to “Close Reply” and execute the cleanup procedures defined in 6.4.5.2.4.2.
- If the access terminal sends a `ConnectionClose` message, it may advertise, as part of the `ConnectionClose` message, that it shall be monitoring the Control Channel continuously, until a certain time following the closure of the connection. This period is called a suspend period, and can be used by the access network to accelerate the process of sending a unicast packet (and specifically, a Page message or `ActiveSetAssignment` message) to the access terminal. The suspend period shall be said to be current from the time the access terminal sends the `ConnectionClose` message to the time given in the `SuspendTime` field of the `ConnectionClose` message.

#### 6.4.5.2.4.2 Cleanup procedures

If the access terminal executes cleanup procedures it shall:

- Return a *ConnectionClosed* indication.
- Transition to the Inactive State.

#### 6.4.5.2.5 Access network requirements

##### 6.4.5.2.5.1 General requirements

The access network shall comply with the following requirements when in the Open State:

- Access network shall receive the Reverse Traffic Channel and may transmit on the Forward Traffic Channel.
- If access network receives a `ConnectionClose` message, it shall consider the connection closed, and it should execute the cleanup procedures defined in 6.4.5.2.5.2.
- If access network requires closing the connection, it shall transmit a `ConnectionClose` message, and transition to the Close State.

##### 6.4.5.2.5.2 Cleanup procedures

When the access network performs cleanup procedures it shall:

- Return a *ConnectionClosed* indication.
- Transition to the Inactive State.

### 6.4.5.3 Close state

The Close State is associated only with the access network. In this state the access network waits for a replying ConnectionClose message from the access terminal or for the expiration of the “CSP Close Timer” defined below.

Upon entering this state, the access network shall set a “CSP Close Timer” for  $T_{\text{CSPClose}}$  seconds. If the access network receives a ConnectionClose message in this state, or if the timer expires, it shall execute the cleanup procedures defined in 6.4.5.2.5.2, it may close all connection-related resources assigned to the access terminal, and it should transition to the Inactive State.

### 6.4.6 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

#### 6.4.6.1 ConnectionClose

The access terminal and the access network send the ConnectionClose message to close the connection.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
CloseReason	3
SuspendEnable	1
SuspendTime	0 or 34
RegistrationRadiusFlag	1
Reserved	variable

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x00.

**CloseReason** The sender shall set this field to reflect the close reason, as shown in Table 6-6.

**Table 6-6 Encoding of the CloseReason field**

Field value	Description
‘000’	Normal Close; Reason Unspecified
‘001’	Close Reply
‘010’	Connection Error
‘011’	Deregistration Request
‘100’	Normal close requested by access terminal because the connection was opened for registration.
All other values are reserved	

**SuspendEnable** The access terminal shall set this field to '1' if it will enable a suspend period following the close of the connection. The access network shall set this field to '0' if the CloseReason field is set to "Deregistration Request". The access network shall set this field to '0'.

**SuspendTime** Suspend period end time. This field is included only if the SuspendEnable field is set to '1'. The access terminal shall set this field to the absolute system time of the end of its suspend period in units of superframes.

**RegistrationRadiusFlag** This field shall be by the access terminal to RegistrationRadiusFlag that is public data of the Active Set Management Protocol.

**Reserved** The length of this field shall be such that the entire message is octet-aligned. The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 6.4.6.2 MIMOResponse

This message shall be sent by the access terminal to the access network to indicate its MIMO capabilities.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
SupportedMIMOMode	2
Reserved	6

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x01.

**SupportedMIMOModes** The access terminal shall set this field to indicate the MIMO modes it supports, as shown in Table 6-7.

**Table 6-7 Encoding of the SupportedMIMOModes field**

Field value	Description
'00'	MIMO not supported
'01'	Transmit Diversity
'10'	Single Code Word
'11'	Multiple Code Word

**Reserved** The access terminal shall set this field to all zeros.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.4.6.3 SelectedInterlaceRequest

This message shall be sent by the access terminal to request a selected interlace mode with a particular sector.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
PilotPN	12
InterlacesRequested	4

**MessageID** This field shall be set to 0x02

**PilotPN** This field shall be set to the PilotPN of the sector to which this message is directed. The access network shall ignore this message if the PilotPN does not match the PilotPN of the sector that received the message.

**InterlacesRequested** The access terminal shall set this field to indicate a requested number of interlaces requested.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.4.6.4 SelectedInterlaceAssignment

This message shall be sent by the access network to assign a selected interlace mode to an access terminal.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
PilotPN	12
SelectedInterlacesEnabled	1
NumAssignedInterlaces	4
NumAssignedInterlaces instances of the following field	
InterlaceID	3
Reserved	Variable

**MessageID** This field shall be set to 0x03.

**PilotPN** This field shall be set to the PilotPN of the sector that sent this message.

**SelectedInterlacesEnabled**

If this field is set to '1' the access terminal shall operate in SelectedInterlace mode. If this field is set to '0' the access terminal shall not operate in SelectedInterlace mode.

**NumAssignedInterlaces**

The access network shall set this field to the number of assigned interlaces, or to 0 if the SelectedInterlacesAssigned field is set to '0'.

**InterlaceID**

This field shall be set to an interlace assigned to the access terminal for SelectedInterlace operation.

**Reserved**

The length of this field shall be such that the entire message is octet-aligned. The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

**6.4.6.5 SelectedInterlaceAck**

This message shall be sent by the access terminal to acknowledge transition to SelectedInterlacesOff state.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
PilotPN	12
SelectedInterlaceEnabled	1
Reserved	3

**MessageID**

This field shall be set to 0x04.

**PilotPN**

This field shall be set to the PilotPN of the sector to which this message is directed. The access network shall ignore this message if the PilotPN does not match the PilotPN of the sector that received the message.

**SelectedInterlaceEnabled**

The access terminal shall set this field to '1' if it has selected interlace mode enabled, and to '0' otherwise.

**Reserved**

The length of this field shall be such that the entire message is octet-aligned. The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.4.6.6 TuneAwayRequest

This message shall be sent by the access terminal to control tune away operations.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	16
TuneAwayEnabledMap	$N_{\text{CSPTuneAwayMaxSched}}$
NumPilots	3
NumPilots instances of the following field	
ActiveSetIndex	3
SectorOffset	24
Reserved	Variable

**MessageID** This field shall be set to 0x05.

**MessageSequence** The access terminal shall set this field to the sequence number of this message. The sequence number of this message is 1 more than the sequence number of the last TuneAwayRequest message (modulo 65536) sent by this access terminal. If this is the first TuneAway message sent by the access terminal, it shall set this field to 0x00.

**TuneAwayEnabledMap** Bit position  $N$  of this field shall be set to TuneAwayEnabled $N$ . TuneAwayEnabled $N$  shall be set to '1' if the terminal will tune away at periodic intervals corresponding to tune away schedule  $N$ . TuneAwayEnabled $N$  shall be set to '0' if the terminal will not tune away corresponding to tune away schedule  $N$ .

**NumPilots** This field shall be set to the number of pilots included in the message.

**ActiveSetIndex** This field shall be used to identify Active Set members, as indexed in the ActiveSetAssignment message of the Active Set Management Protocol.

**SectorOffset** This field shall be set to the time, in units of 1 microsecond, that the terminal adds to the StartSuperframeOffset attribute when this Active Set member is the serving sector.

**Reserved** The length of this field shall be such that the entire message is octet-aligned. The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast

<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.4.6.7 TuneAwayResponse

This message shall be sent by the access network to control tune away operations.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	16
TuneAwayEnabledMap	$N_{CSPTuneAwayMaxSched}$
Reserved	Variable

**MessageID** This field shall be set to 0x06.

**MessageSequence** The access network shall set this the last received TuneAwayRequest message sent to this access terminal.

**TuneAwayEnabledMap** Bit position  $N$  of this field shall be set to TuneAwayEnabled $N$ . TuneAwayEnabled $N$  shall be set to '1' if the access network will tune away at periodic intervals corresponding to tune away schedule  $N$ . TuneAwayEnabled $N$  shall be set to '0' if the access network will not tune away corresponding to tune away schedule  $N$ .

**Reserved** The length of this field shall be such that the entire message is octet-aligned. The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.4.6.8 ChannelMeasurementReportRequest

The access network sends this message to request a ChannelMeasurementReport from one or more access terminals.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
PilotPN	12
CarrierID	2
StartPHYFrame	40
NumChannels	3
MeasurementsPerMessage	8
NumMeasurementsRequested	8
Reserved	4

**MessageID** This field shall be set to 0x07.



- 1 PilotPN This field shall be set to the PilotPN of the sector requesting the  
2 measurement report.
- 3 CarrierID This field shall be set to the carrier on which the measurements are  
4 requested.
- 5 StartPHYFrame This field shall be set to the frame number of the PHYFrame where access  
6 terminals are required to begin measurements.
- 7 NumChannels This field shall be set to the number of channels to be measured by the access  
8 terminal. Each measured channel corresponds to a different transmit antenna  
9 at the sector being measured.
- 10 MeasurementsPerMessage This field shall determine the number of measurements (in terms of  
11 PHYFrames measured) to be included in one ChannelMeasurementReport  
12 message.  
13
- 14 NumMeasurementsRequested This field shall determine the total number of measurements to be made by  
15 the access terminal.  
16
- 17 Reserved This field shall be set to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.  
18

<b>Channels</b>	FTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Broadcast      Unicast

<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Security</b>	Required

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### 6.4.6.9 ChannelMeasurementReport

The access terminal sends this message to report channel measurements.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
PilotPN	12
CarrierID	2
StartPHYFrameNumber	40
MeasurementInterval	8
NumMeasurements	8
NumMeasurements instances of the following record{	
NumChannels	3
NumChannels instances of the following record{	
NumTaps	3
NumTaps instances of the following record{	
TapOffset	5
RealGain	8
ImagGain	8
}}}	
Reserved	Variable

- MessageID** This field shall be set to 0x08.
- PilotPN** This field shall be set to the PilotPN of the sector for which the measurement was performed.
- CarrierID** This field shall be set to the carrier on which the measurements are performed.
- StartPHYFrameNumber** This field shall be set to the frame number of the PHYFrame where access terminal made the first measurement reported in this message.
- MeasurementInterval** This field shall determine the number of PHYFrames between measurements made by the access terminal.
- NumMeasurements** This field shall be set to the number of measurements included in this message. Each measurement corresponds to a different PHYFrame.
- NumChannels** This field determines the number of channels measured by the access terminal. The access terminal shall set this field to equal to the NumChannels field in the received ChannelMeasurementReportRequest message.
- NumTaps** This field shall be set to the number of taps being reported.

1 TapOffset This field shall be set to a offset for which the channel was measured.

2 RealGain This field shall be set the real component of the measured channel gain on  
3 the corresponding TapOffset.

4 ImagGain This field shall be set the imaginary component of the measured channel gain  
5 on the corresponding TapOffset.

6 Reserved The length of this field shall be such that the entire message is octet-aligned.  
7 The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast

<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Security</b>	Required

## 6.4.7 Interface to other protocols

### 6.4.7.1 Commands

This protocol sends the following commands:

- *OverheadMessages.Activate*
- *ControlChannelMAC.Activate*

### 6.4.7.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

## 6.4.8 Configuration attributes

The following configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Connected State Protocol.

### 6.4.8.1 Simple attributes

The negotiable simple attribute for this protocol is listed in Table 6-8. The access terminal and the access network shall use as defaults the values in Table 6-8 that are listed in ***bold italics***.

**Table 6-8 Configurable values**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x00	RLImplicitDeassignEnabled	<b><i>0x00</i></b>	Reverse link assignments are expired at the beginning of tune away
		0x01	Reverse link assignments are not expired at the beginning of tune away
		0x02-0xff	Reserved

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x01	FLImplicitDeassignEnabled	0x00	Forward link assignments are expired at the beginning of tune away
		0x01	Forward link assignments are not expired at the beginning of tune away
		0x02-0xff	Reserved

### 6.4.8.2 Complex attributes

The following complex attributes and default values are defined (see 10.3 for attribute record definition).

### 6.4.8.3 TuneAwayScheduleN attribute

N takes values from 0 through  $N_{\text{CSPTuneAwayMax}} - 1$ .

This complex attribute shall determine the periodicity, duration and offset of tuneaways that the access terminal may perform. Such tuneaways may be used for handoff candidate search or alternate technology page reception.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
StartSuperframeNumber	34	0
StartSuperframeOffset	16	0
TuneAwayDuration	24	0
TuneAwayPeriodicity	24	0x989680
Reserved	6	0

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The sender shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The sender shall set this field to  $0x0(N+2)$ , where N takes values from 0 through  $N_{\text{CSPTuneAwayMax}} - 1$ .

**StartSuperframeNumber** To compute the tuneaway cycles, it shall be assumed that the first tuneaway occurred in this superframe.

**StartSuperframeOffset** This field is a measure of time in units of 1 micro second. To compute the tuneaway cycles, it shall be assumed that the first tuneaway begins StartSuperframeOffset time after the beginning of superframe number StartSuperframeNumber.

TuneAwayDuration	This field determines the duration of the tune away in units of 1 micro second.
TuneAwayPeriod	This field determines the time between the start of successive tuneaways in units of 1 microsecond.
Reserved	This field shall be set to all zeros.

#### 6.4.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value	Comments
N <sub>CSPType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1	
N <sub>CSPDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000	
N <sub>CSP TuneAwayMaxSched</sub>	Maximum number of tune away schedules	0x04	
T <sub>CSPClose</sub>	Access network timer waiting for a responding ConnectionClose message	1.5 seconds	

#### 6.4.10 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of the parameter records.

This protocol defines the following parameter record in addition to the configuration attributes for this protocol.

##### 6.4.10.1 ConnectedState parameter

The following parameter shall be included in the Session State Information record only if the Session State Information is being transferred while the connection is open.

**Table 6-9 The Format of the parameter record for the ActiveSetManagement parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
SelectedInterlaceAssignmentMessageLength	8
SelectedInterlaceAssignmentMessage	Variable
TuneAwayResponseMessageLength	8
TuneAwayResponseMessage	Variable

ParameterType This field shall be set to 0x01 for this parameter record.

Length This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.

**SelectedInterlaceAssignmentMessageLength**

This field shall be set to the length of the last SelectedInterlaceAssignment message that was sent by the source access network.

**SelectedInterlaceAssignmentMessage**

Last SelectedInterlaceAssignment message that was sent by the source access network.

**TuneAwayResponseMessageLength**

This field shall be set to the length of the last TuneAwayResponse message that was sent by the source access network.

**TuneAwayResponseMessage**

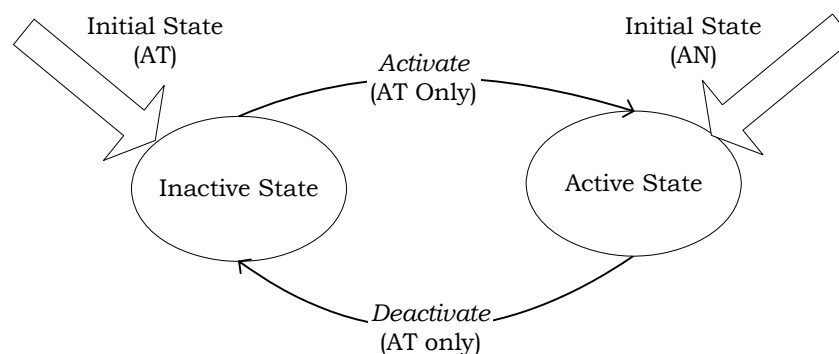
Last TuneAwayResponse message that was sent by the source access network.

**6.5 Overhead Messages Protocol****6.5.1 Overview**

The Overhead Messages Protocol is responsible for the transmission, reception and supervision of the SystemInfo block, the QuickChannelInfo block, the ExtendedChannelInfo message and the SectorParameters message. The SystemInfo and QuickChannelInfo blocks are broadcast by the access network directly over the Control Channel MAC Protocol. The ExtendedChannelInfo and SectorParameters messages are broadcast using the Signaling Transport.

This protocol can be in one of two states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command. This state corresponds only to the access terminal and occurs when the access terminal has not acquired an access network or is not required to receive overhead messages.
- *Active State*: In this state the access network transmits and the access terminal receives overhead messages.



**Figure 6-9 Overhead Messages Protocol state diagram**

## 6.5.2 Primitives

### 6.5.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

### 6.5.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *SupervisionFailed*
- *QuickChannelInfoUpdated*
- *ExtendedChannelInfoUpdated*
- *SectorParametersUpdated*
- *OverheadMessagesUpdated*

## 6.5.3 Public data

### 6.5.3.1 Static public data

This protocol defines the following static public data:

- An OverheadParameterList that shall contain for each PilotPN in the active set, the following entries. When multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn in the public data of the Physical Layer Protocol, each of the following entries shall be maintained independently for each carrier, indexed by CarrierID. Other protocols may refer to a field of a block or message as FieldName(CarrierID). For example, FLChannelTreeIndex(2) refers to the FLChannelTreeIndex on carrier 2.
  - received SystemInfo block,
  - received QuickChannelInfo block with associated QuickChannelInfoExpiryTime,
  - received ExtendedChannelInfo block with associated ExtendedChannelInfoExpiryTime,
- Currently valid SectorParameters messages indexed by the sector's PilotPN
- QuickChannelInfoUpToDate
- OverheadParametersUpToDate
- ExtendedChannelInfoUpToDate
- SectorParametersUpToDate

### 6.5.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 6.5.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 6.5.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal:

- The value for each attribute for this protocol instance shall be set to the default value for that attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State

Upon initialization at the access network:

- The value for each attribute for this protocol instance shall be set to the default value for that attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State

### 6.5.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap at the access terminal the protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon swap at the access network the protocol shall enter the Active State.

## 6.5.5 Procedures

### 6.5.5.1 Extensibility requirements

Further revisions of the access network may add new overhead messages.

The access terminal shall discard overhead messages with a MessageID field it does not recognize.

Further revisions of the access network may add new fields to existing overhead messages. These fields shall be added to the end of the message, prior to the Reserved field, if such a field is defined.

The access terminal shall ignore fields it does not recognize.

### 6.5.5.2 Command processing

The access network shall ignore all commands.

#### 6.5.5.2.1 Activate

If this protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State:

- The access terminal shall transition to the Active State.
- The access network shall ignore it.

If this protocol receives the command in the Active State, it shall be ignored.



### 6.5.5.2.2 Deactivate

If this protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, it shall be ignored.

If this protocol receives the command in the Active State:

- Access terminal shall transition to the Inactive State.
- Access network shall ignore it.

### 6.5.5.3 Inactive state

This state corresponds only to the access terminal and occurs when the access terminal has not acquired an access network or is not required to receive overhead messages. In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command.

### 6.5.5.4 Active state

#### 6.5.5.4.1 Access network requirements

If the access network is ready to provide service, it shall broadcast the SystemInfo block, QuickChannelInfo block, ExtendedChannelInfo message and SectorParameters message as specified below. The SystemInfo block, QuickChannelInfo block, ExtendedChannelInfo message and the SectorParameters message shall be public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.

##### 6.5.5.4.1.1 Procedure for transmission of the SystemInfo block

The SystemInfo block shall be transmitted every  $N_{\text{pBCH0\_Period}}$  superframes. The SystemInfo block shall be carried by the Control Channel MAC Protocol over the pBCH0 physical channel, and shall not pass through the Signaling Transport.  $N_{\text{pBCH0\_Period}}$  is defined in the Physical Layer Protocol. If the multi-carrier mode is MultiCarrierOn, the SystemInfo block shall be transmitted on each carrier, and all contents of the SystemInfo block except the CarrierID, FLReservedInterlaces and NumFLReservedSubbands shall be identical for all carriers. The multi-carrier mode is public data of the physical layer protocol.

##### 6.5.5.4.1.2 Procedure for transmission of the QuickChannelInfo block

The QuickChannelInfo block shall be transmitted in every superframe with an odd superframe index. The QuickChannelInfo block shall be carried by the Control Channel MAC Protocol, over the pBCH1 physical channel, and shall not pass through the Signaling Transport.. The information carried in the QuickChannelInfo block transmitted in superframe  $m=2k+1$  describes the structure of

- all frames except the first frame of superframe  $2k+1$ , and
- all frames of superframe  $2k+2$
- the first frame in superframe  $2k+3$ .

The access network shall change the contents of the QuickChannelInfo block in accordance with the QuickChannelInfoValidity field of the block.

If the multi-carrier mode is MultiCarrierOn, the QuickChannelInfo block shall be transmitted on each carrier. The multi-carrier mode is public data of the physical layer protocol.

#### 6.5.5.4.1.3 Procedure for transmission of the ExtendedChannelInfo message

The ExtendedChannelInfo message shall be broadcast over the Forward Traffic Channel MAC. The message shall begin transmission in superframes with superframe numbers divisible by  $N_{OMPExtendedChannelInfo}$ . The ExtendedChannelInfo message may be delivered in one superframe, or in a set of consecutive superframes. If transmission of an ExtendedChannelInfo message begins in superframe  $n$  and spans  $k$  superframe,

- The ExtendedChannelInfo message shall describe the structure of superframes  $n+k$  through  $n+k+ValidityPeriod$ , where *ValidityPeriod* is a field of the ExtendedChannelInfo message.
- The structure of superframes  $n$  through  $n+k-1$  shall be described by the last ExtendedChannelInfo message transmitted before superframe  $n$ .

If the multi-carrier mode is *MultiCarrierOn*, the ExtendedChannelInfo message shall be transmitted on each carrier. The multi-carrier mode is public data of the physical layer protocol.

#### 6.5.5.4.1.4 Procedure for transmission of the SectorParameters message

The access network should send a SectorParameters message over the Forward Traffic Channel MAC in superframe numbers that are divisible by  $N_{OMPSectorParameters}$ . The access network shall set the *SectorSignature* field of the ExtendedChannelInfo message to the *SectorSignature* field of the next SectorParameters message.

If the multi-carrier mode is *MultiCarrierOn*, the SectorParameters message shall be transmitted on each carrier. The multi-carrier mode is public data of the physical layer protocol.

#### 6.5.5.4.2 Access terminal requirements

Upon entering the Active State, the access terminal shall invoke the procedure for determining if the OverheadMessages are up-to-date, as specified in 6.5.5.4.2.5, and the procedure for generating TriggerCode based pilot reports, as specified in 6.5.5.4.2.6,. When in the Active State, the access terminal shall perform supervision on the QuickChannelInfo, ExtendedChannelInfo and the SectorParameters messages as specified in 6.5.5.4.3.1, 6.5.5.4.3.2 and 6.5.5.4.3.3, respectively.

If the access terminal receives a *ActiveSetManagement.IdleHO* indication or if it receives a *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed* indication, the access terminal shall invoke the procedures for determining if the OverheadMessages are up-to-date, as specified in 6.5.5.4.2.5.

When the access terminal receives a ExtendedChannelInfo message from a sector, it shall perform the procedures in 6.5.5.4.2.1.

When the access terminal receives a SectorParameters message from a sector, it shall perform the procedures in 6.5.5.4.2.4.

#### 6.5.5.4.2.1 Procedure for processing SystemInfo block

The access terminal shall place the received SystemInfo block, indexed by PilotPN and CarrierID, in the public data.

#### 6.5.5.4.2.2 Procedure for processing the QuickChannelInfo block

The access terminal shall place the received QuickChannelInfo block, indexed by PilotPN and CarrierID in the public data.

When the access terminal receives a QuickChannelInfo block from a sector, it shall perform the following:

- If the QuickChannelInfo block is received in superframe  $n$ , at the first end of the first frame (frame 0) of superframe  $n$ , the access terminal shall:
  - If the received QuickChannelInfo block differs from the stored block in the public data in any field except the QuickChannelInfoValidity field, the access terminal shall generate a *QuickChannelInfoUpdated* indication.
  - Store the block, indexed by PilotPN and CarrierID, in the public data
  - If the QuickChannelInfoValidity field is set to  $m$ , the access terminal shall set QuickChannelInfoExpiryTime to the end of the first frame of superframe  $2 \cdot 4^m \left\lceil n / (2 \cdot 4^m) \right\rceil + 1$ .

#### 6.5.5.4.2.3 Procedure for processing the ExtendedChannelInfo message

When the access terminal receives a ExtendedChannelInfo message from a sector, it shall perform the following:

- The access terminal shall determine the superframe number  $n$  when the access network started ExtendedChannelInfo transmission, and the superframe number  $n+k-1$  when the access network ended (or will end) ExtendedChannelInfo block transmission. For example, if transmission of the ExtendedChannelInfo block spans superframes 16 and 17, then  $n=16$  and  $k=2$ .
- At the beginning of superframe  $n+k$ , the access terminal shall perform the following operations:
  - If the received ExtendedChannelInfo message differs from the ExtendedChannelInfo message in the public data (for the same PilotPN and CarrierID) in any fields except the SystemTime, SectorParametersSignature or ValidityPeriod, the access terminal shall generate an *ExtendedChannelInfoUpdated* indication.
  - Store the ExtendedChannelInfo message, indexed by PilotPN and CarrierID in the public data.
  - Set the ExtendedChannelInfoExpiryTime for the message in the public data to  $n+ValidityPeriod$
- When the access terminal adds a ExtendedChannelInfo block to the public data, it shall process the stored SectorParameters messages according to the following rules:
  - If the public data contains a SectorParameters message with the same PilotPN as the sector that transmitted the ExtendedChannelInfo block, the access terminal shall compare the SectorParametersSignature in the ExtendedChannelInfo block with the SectorParametersSignature in the stored SectorParameters message. If the signatures do not match, the access terminal shall purge the SectorParameters message from the public data

#### 6.5.5.4.2.4 Procedure for processing the SectorParameters message

When the access terminal receives a SectorParameters message, it shall perform the following:

- If the public data contains a SectorParameters message with the same SectorID as the received message, the access terminal shall compare the SectorParametersSignature of the received message with the SectorParametersSignature in the stored SectorParameters message. If the signatures do not match, the access terminal shall:
  - Replace the SectorParameters message in the public data with the received SectorParameters message.
  - If the sector is a member of the Active Set, return a *SectorParametersUpdated* and *OverheadMessagesUpdated* indication.
- If the public data does not contain a SectorParameters message with the SectorID of the received message, the access terminal shall:
  - Add the received SectorParameters message to the public data.
  - If the sector is a member of the Active Set, return a *SectorParametersUpdated* and *OverheadMessagesUpdated* indication.
  - If necessary, the access terminal may delete old SectorParameters messages corresponding to sectors not in the Active Set.

#### 6.5.5.4.2.5 Procedure for checking if parameters are up-to-date

When this set of procedures is invoked, the access terminal determines ExtendedChannelInfoUpToDate and SectorParametersUpToDate as follows:

QuickChannelInfoUpToDate shall be set to '1' if all of the following conditions are satisfied for the following members of the Active Set: RLSS, FLSS, DRLSS, DFLSS (as indicated by the public data of the Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol). This field shall be set to '0' otherwise.

- A QuickChannelInfo block for this member of the Active Set is available in the public data.
- The QuickChannelInfo block that is currently in the public data of the protocol has a validity time that is greater than or equal to the current time.

ExtendedChannelInfoUpToDate shall be set to '1' if all of the following conditions are satisfied for the following members of the Active Set: RLSS, FLSS, DRLSS, DFLSS (as indicated by the public data of the Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol). This field shall be set to '0' otherwise.

- An ExtendedChannelInfo message for this member of the Active Set is available in the public data.
- The ExtendedChannelInfo message that is currently in the public data of the protocol has a validity time that is greater than or equal to the current time.

SectorParametersUpToDate shall be set to '1' if all of the following conditions are satisfied for all members of the Active Set, and shall be set to '0' otherwise.

- A SectorParameters message with the same PilotPN as this member of the Active Set is available in the public data.

- 1       ■ An ExtendedChannelInfo block for this member of the Active Set is available in the
- 2       public data.
- 3       ■ The SectorParametersSignature in the last received ExtendedChannelInfo block is the
- 4       same as the SectorParametersSignature in the stored SectorParameters message.

5 OverheadParametersUpToDate shall be set to the logical “and” of SectorParametersUpToDate and  
 6 ExtendedChannelInfoUpToDate. The OverheadParametersUpToDate field is used by the Idle State  
 7 Protocol.

#### 8 **6.5.5.4.2.6 Procedure for ZoneCode-based registration**

9 The access terminal shall store a list of RegistrationZoneCodes associated with subnets visited by the  
 10 access terminal for future comparisons and for future use. This list is called the  
 11 RegistrationZoneCodeList. Each entry in the RegistrationZoneCodeList shall include the subnet and  
 12 the RegistrationZoneCode. Other protocols may cache information keyed by (Subnet,  
 13 RegistrationZoneCode) pairs. If other protocols cache information keyed by (Subnet,  
 14 RegistrationZoneCode) pairs, then these protocols shall delete such information when the (Subnet,  
 15 RegistrationZoneCode) pair is deleted from the RegistrationZoneCodeList.

16 The access terminal shall be capable of storing exactly  $N_{\text{OMPMinZoneSignatureListSize}}$  entries in the  
 17 RegistrationZoneCodeList. If the (Subnet, RegistrationZoneCode) pair from the SectorParameters  
 18 message from some sector in the Active Set is not included in the RegistrationZoneCodeList, then the  
 19 access terminal shall add the entry to the RegistrationZoneCodeList. The access terminal shall  
 20 generate a *ActiveSetManagement.SendPilotReport* command when it adds an entry to the  
 21 RegistrationZoneCodeList. If there are more entries in the RegistrationZoneCodeList than the  
 22 supported size of the RegistrationZoneCodeList, the access terminal shall delete the oldest entries  
 23 first. The access terminal shall delete an entry from the RegistrationZoneCodeList when the entry has  
 24 stayed in the RegistrationZoneCodeList for  $2^{(\text{RegistrationZoneMaxAge} + 3)} \times 1.28$  seconds.

#### 25 **6.5.5.4.3 Supervision procedures**

##### 26 **6.5.5.4.3.1 Supervision of QuickChannelInfo block**

27 The access terminal shall use the following procedure to supervise the QuickChannelInfo block:

- 28       ■ The access terminal shall set a QuickChannelInfo supervision timer for  $T_{\text{OMPECISupervision}}$ .
- 29       ■ If QuickChannelInfoUpToDate becomes ‘1’ while the timer is active, the access terminal
- 30       shall reset the timer. If QuickChannelInfoUpToDate becomes ‘0’ while the timer is
- 31       inactive, the access terminal shall start the timer.
- 32       ■ If the timer expires, the access terminal shall return a *SupervisionFailed* indication and
- 33       disable the timer.

34 Delayed reception of the QuickChannelInfo block may also cause a supervision failure at the Lower  
 35 MAC Sublayer.

#### 6.5.5.4.3.2 Supervision of ExtendedChannelInfo message

The access terminal shall use the following procedure to supervise the ExtendedChannelInfo message:

- The access terminal shall set a ExtendedChannelInfo supervision timer for  $T_{\text{OMPECISupervision}}$ .
- If ExtendedChannelInfoUpToDate becomes '1' while the timer is active, the access terminal shall reset the timer. If ExtendedChannelInfoUpToDate becomes '0' while the timer is inactive, the access terminal shall start the timer.
- If the timer expires, the access terminal shall return a *SupervisionFailed* indication and disable the timer.

#### 6.5.5.4.3.3 Supervision of SectorParameters message

Upon entering the Active State, the access terminal shall start the following procedure to supervise the SectorParameters message:

- The access terminal shall set a SectorParameters supervision timer for  $T_{\text{OMPSPSupervision}}$ .
- If SectorParametersUpToDate becomes '1' while the timer is active, the access terminal shall reset the timer. If SectorParametersUpToDate becomes '0' while the timer is inactive, the access terminal shall start the timer.
- If the timer expires, the access terminal shall return a *SupervisionFailed* indication and disable the timer.

### 6.5.6 Message and block formats

In the interpretation of these messages, the symbol 'n' is used to denote the value of a bitfield. For example, the field CPLength is assigned two bits, and takes values  $N_{\text{FFT}} \cdot (1+n)/16$ , where n is the 2 bit field that takes the value 0, 1, 2 or 3.

### 6.5.6.1 SystemInfo block

The SystemInfo block shall be transmitted directly by the Control Channel MAC Protocol over the pBCH0 channel, and shall not pass through other sublayers. The SystemInfo block shall have the following format.

Field	Length (bits)
MaximumRevision	4
MinimumRevision	4
CarrierID	2
NumCarriers	2
SystemTimeLSB	12
CPLength	2
NumGuardSubcarriers	3
BlockHoppingEnabled	1
N_FLBurst	2
N_RLBurst	2
FLReservedInterlaces	4
NumFLReservedSubbands	4

- MinimumRevision** This field shall be set to the minimum revision number that the sector can support.
- MaximumRevision** This field shall be set to the maximum revision number that the sector can support.
- CarrierID** This field shall be set to the CarrierID of the carrier this block is transmitted on.
- NumCarriers** This field shall determine the number of carriers available at this sector. This field shall take the value  $(n+1)$ .
- SystemTimeLSB** This field shall be set to the twelve lower bits of the superframe number at the time the SystemInfo block starts transmission.
- CPLength** This field shall determine the cyclic prefix length in units of chips. This field shall take the value  $N_{\text{FFT}} \cdot (1+n)/16$ , where  $n$  is equal to the 2 bit field that takes the value 0, 1, 2 or 3.
- NumGuardSubcarriers** This field shall take the value  $N_{\text{GUARD,PR}} - 32 \cdot n$ . Here  $N_{\text{GUARD,PR}}$  is a numeric constant of the Physical Layer Protocol.
- BlockHoppingEnabled** This field shall be set to '1' if block hopping is enabled. This field shall be set to '0' if symbol rate hopping is enabled.

- 1 N\_FLBurst This field shall determine the number of forward link frames that comprise a  
 2 forward link burst in TDD mode. This field shall take the value (n+1). This  
 3 field shall be ignored in FDD mode.
- 4 N\_RLBurst This field shall determine the number of forward link frames that comprise a  
 5 reverse link burst in TDD mode. This field shall take the value (n+1). This  
 6 field shall be ignored in FDD mode.
- 7 FLReservedInterlaces This field shall be determine what interlaces contain reserved bandwidth on  
 8 the forward link.

**Table 6-10 Interpretation of FLReservedInterlaces**

Value	Interpretation: Reserved FL bandwidth on the following interlaces
0000	None
0001	0
0010	0, 1
0011	0, 1, 2
0100	0, 1, 2, 3
0101	0, 1, 2, 3, 4
0110	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
0111	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
1000	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
1001	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
1010	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
1011	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10
1100	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11
1101	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
1110	0, 3
1111	0, 6

- 10 NumFLReservedSubbands  
 11 The interpretation of this field is provided in the Physical Layer.



### 6.5.6.2 QuickChannelInfo block

The QuickChannelInfo block shall be transmitted directly by the Control Channel MAC Protocol over the pBCH1 channel, and shall not pass through other sublayers. The QuickChannelInfo block shall have the following format:

Field	Length (bits)
QuickChannelInfoValidity	3
FLFirstRestrictedSetSubband	$2 + \log_2 (N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512)$
FLNumRestrictedSetSubbands	2
FLChannelTreeIndex	4
FLSectorHopSeed	4
FLIntraCellCommonHopping	1
FLDPISectorOffset	2
FLDPISectorScramble	1
FLNumSDMADimensions	2
FLNumSubbands	1
FLDiversityHoppingMode	1
NumPilots	1
EffectiveNumAntennas	3
NumCommonPilotTransmitAntennas	1
EnableCommonPilotStaggering	1
EnableAuxPilotStaggering	1
SSCHNumHopports	3
SSCHNumBlocks	3
SSCHModulationSymbolsPerBlock	2

#### QuickChannelInfoValidity

If this field takes the value  $m$  and the current superframe number is  $n$ , the access network shall keep all fields of the QuickChannelInfo block (except the QuickChannelInfoValidity field) unchanged from superframes  $m$  till superframe  $2 \cdot 4^m \lceil n / (2 \cdot 4^m) \rceil$ .

#### FLFirstRestrictedSetSubband

This field shall be set to the index of the first restricted subband on the forward link.

#### FLNumRestrictedSetSubbands

This field shall be set to the number of restricted subbands on the forward link. This field shall be set to 0 if no subbands are restricted. Otherwise, subbands FLFirstRestrictedSetSubband through FLFirstRestrictedSetSubband+FLNumRestrictedSetSubbands-1 shall be considered to be restricted subbands, with possible rollover at subband zero.

1	FLChannelTreeIndex	This field shall be used by the Lower MAC Sublayer.
2	FLSectorHopSeed	This field shall be used by the PHY Layer to determine the hopping pattern.
3	FLIntraCellCommonHopping	
4		This field shall be used by the PHY Layer to determine the hopping pattern.
5	FLDPISectorOffset	This field shall be set to the relative offset of pilots as defined in the
6		F-DPICH section in the Physical Layer.
7	FLDPISectorScramble	This field shall determine the scrambling of pilots as defined in the sector
8		and cell specific scrambling sections in the Physical Layer.
9	FLNumSDMADimensions	
10		This field shall determine the number of spatial dimensions on the forward
11		link. This field shall take the value $n+1$ .
12	FLNumSubbands	This field shall determine the number of subbands on the forward link. If
13		$n=0$ , this field shall be set to $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/128$ and if $n=1$ , this field shall be
14		set to $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/256$ .
15	FLDiversityHoppingMode	
16		This field shall be used by the Physical Layer to determine the hop pattern
17		for the sector. This field shall be set to '1' if DiversityHoppingMode is On,
18		and to '0' if DiversityHoppingMode is Off.
19	NumPilots	This field shall determine the nominal number of pilots in F-CPICH as being
20		$N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/16$ or $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/8$ , depending on whether the field is set to
21		'0' or '1', respectively.
22	EffectiveNumAntennas	
23		This field shall determine the effective number of antennas, and shall take the
24		value $n+1$ . The access network shall set this field to four or below when the
25		BlockHoppingEnabled field of the SystemInfo block is set to '0'.
26	NumCommonPilotTransmitAntennas	
27		This field shall determine the number of common pilot transmit antennas,
28		and shall take the value $n+1$ .
29	EnableCommonPilotStaggering	
30		This parameter is set to '1' if common pilot staggering is enabled. This
31		parameter is set to '0' if common pilot staggering is not enabled.
32	EnableAuxPilotStaggering	
33		This parameter is set to '1' if auxiliary pilot staggering is enabled. This
34		parameter is set to '0' if auxiliary pilot staggering is not enabled.

SSCHNumHopports This field shall determine the number of hop-ports allocated to F-SSCH. This field shall be interpreted as follows:

**Table 6-11 Interpretation of SSCHNumChannels**

Value	Interpretation when MultiCarrierOn	Interpretation when MultiCarrierOff
000	48	$48 \times N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512$
001	64	$64 \times N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512$
010	80	$80 \times N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512$
011	96	$96 \times N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512$
100	128	$128 \times N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512$
101	160	$160 \times N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512$
110	208	$208 \times N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512$
111	256	$256 \times N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/512$

SSCHNumBlocks This field shall determine the number of blocks carried by the F-SSCH. This field shall take the value  $2^{(n+1)}$ .

SSCHModulationSymbolsPerBlock

This field shall determine the number of modulation symbols for each block carried by the F-SSCH. This field shall take the value

**Table 6-12 Interpretation of SSCHModulationSymbolsPerBlock**

Value	Interpretation
00	45
01	60
10	90
11	180

### 6.5.6.3 ExtendedChannelInfo

The ExtendedChannelInfo message provides the configuration for the Physical Layer and Lower MAC Sublayer operation. The message consists of several groups, and a group consists of fields, as defined in the following:

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
ValidityPeriod	16
SectorInformation Group	See 6.5.6.3.1
PowerControl Group	See 6.5.6.3.2
AccessParameters Group	See 6.5.6.3.3

MessageID This field shall be set to 0x00.

SectorInformation Group

This field is defined in 6.5.6.3.1.

ValidityPeriod This field shall take the value  $(1+n) \cdot N_{\text{OMPExtendedChannelInfo}}$  superframes, and shall determine the time till when the parameters in the ExtendedChannelInfo message are valid.

PowerControl Group This field is defined in 6.5.6.3.2.

AccessParameters Group

This field is defined in 6.5.6.3.3.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC
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<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
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<b>Addressing</b>	Broadcast	Unicast
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<b>Security</b>	Optional
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### 6.5.6.3.1 SectorInformation group

The SectorInformation group shall consist of the following fields.

**Table 6-13 SectorInformation group**

Field	Length (bits)
PilotPN	12
CarrierID	2
SystemTime	34
SectorParametersSignature	16
RLChannelTreeIndex	4
RLSectorHopSeed	4
RLIntraCellCommonHopping	1
BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex	4
RPICHEnabled	1
RLDPISectorOffset	2
RLDPISectorScramble	1
RLNumSDMADimensions	2
RLRestrictedSetBitmap	16
RLNumSubbands	1
RLDiversityHoppingMode	1
NumRLControlSubbands	3
HalfDuplexModeSupported	1
ReverseLinkSilenceDuration	4
ReverseLinkSilencePeriod	4
TransmitPower	6
CommonPilotPower	4
AuxPilotPower	4
PreamblePilotPower	4

**PilotPN** This field shall be set to the PilotPN of the sector this message refers to. The sector this message refers to may be different from the sector transmitting this message.

**CarrierID** This field shall be set to the CarrierID field transmitted on the SystemInfo block on this carrier.

**SystemTime** This field shall be set to the time at the sector this message refers to at the beginning of the superframe in which the ExtendedChannelInfo block started transmission.

1	SectorParametersSignature	
2		The access terminal shall set this field to the SectorParametersSignature of
3		the last SectorParameters message that began transmission before or at the
4		same time as this ExtendedChannelInfo message.
5	RLChannelTreeIndex	This field shall be used by the Lower MAC Sublayer .
6	RLSectorHopSeed	This field shall be used by the PHY Layer to determine the hopping pattern.
7	RLIntraCellCommonHopping	
8		This field shall be used by the PHY Layer to determine the hopping pattern.
9	RLDPISectorOffset	This field shall be set to the relative offset of pilots as defined in the
10		R-DPICH section in the Physical Layer.
11	RLDPISectorScramble	This field shall be set to the scrambling of pilots as defined in the sector and
12		cell specific scrambling sections of the Physical Layer.
13	RLNumSDMADimensions	
14		This field shall determine the number of spatial dimensions on the reverse
15		link. This field shall take the value $n+1$ .
16	RLRestrictedSetBitmap	
17		Bit position $j$ in this bitfield shall be set to 1 if subband $j$ is restricted on the
18		reverse link.
19	RLNumSubbands	This field shall determine the number of subbands on the forward link. If
20		$n=0$ , this field shall be set to $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/128$ and if $n=1$ , this field shall be
21		set to $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/256$ .
22	RLDiversityHoppingMode	
23		This field shall be used by the Physical Layer to determine the hop pattern
24		for the sector. This field shall be set to '1' if DiversityHoppingMode is on,
25		and to '0' if DiversityHoppingMode is off.
26	BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex	
27		This field shall refer to the code book index, the code book comprising of
28		transmit weights for SDMA and precoding.
29	NumRLControlSubbands	
30		This field shall determine the number of control subbands on the reverse link
31		and shall take the value $(n+1)$ .
32	HalfDuplexModeSupported	
33		This field shall be set to '1' if the access network supports half duplex
34		terminals, and shall be set to '0' otherwise. If half-duplex terminals are
35		supported, the access network should assign MAC IDs and channel
36		assignments in a manner that enables half-duplex terminal operation. A half-
37		duplex access terminal is not required to monitor forward link transmissions
38		on a PHYFrame where it is scheduled to make a reverse link transmission.

### ReverseLinkSilenceDuration

The access network shall set this field to specify the duration of the Reverse Link Silence Interval. This field shall take the value  $2^n$  frames. In a region with asynchronous sectors, the access network should set this field to a value larger than the timing offset between sectors.

### ReverseLinkSilencePeriod

The access network shall set this field to specify the periodicity of occurrence the Reverse Link Silence Interval. This field shall take the value

$$\text{ReverseLinkSilencePeriod} = (1+n) \cdot 144000$$

The Reverse Link Silence Interval is defined as the time interval of duration ReverseLinkSilenceDuration frames that starts at superframe index  $m$  that satisfies the following equation:

$$m \bmod (\text{ReverseLinkSilencePeriod} - 1) = 0$$

### TransmitPower

This field shall be set to the transmit power of the sector in units of dBm.

### CommonPilotPower

The field shall be determine the power spectral density of the F-CPICH during the FL PHY frame relative to the F-ACQCH. This field shall take the value  $(-4 + n \cdot 0.5)$  dB.

### AuxPilotPower

The field shall determine the power spectral density of the F-AuxPICH relative to the F-ACQCH. This field shall take the value  $(-4 + n \cdot 0.5)$  dB.

### PreamblePilotPower

The field shall determine the power spectral density of the F-CPICH during the superframe preamble relative to the F-ACQCH. This field shall take the value  $(-4 + n \cdot 0.5)$  dB.

## 6.5.6.3.2 PowerControl group

Field	Length (bits)
MACIDRange	3
FLPCReportInterval	4
PowerControlStepUp	2
PowerControlStepDown	2
RDCHGainMin	6
RDCHGainMax	2
ErasureGain0	4
ErasureGain1	4
ErasureGain2	4
ErasureGain3	4
ACKStepUp	1

**MACIDRange** This field shall be set to indicate the range of assigned MACID values in the sector. For example, a MACIDRange of 63 indicates that the sector has not assigned MACID values 64 and above. The field shall be interpreted as follows.

**Table 6-14 Interpretation of MACIDRange**

Value	Interpretation
000	63
001	127
010	255
011	511
100	1023
101	2047
110 to 111	reserved

**FLPCReportInterval** This field shall take the value  $(n+1)$ .

**PowerControlStepUp** This field shall be set to the power increase at the access terminal when it receives a power up command from the access network.

**PowerControlStepDown** This field shall be set to the power decrease at the access terminal when it receives a power down command from the access network.

**Table 6-15 Interpretation of PowerStepUp and PowerStepDown fields**

Value	Interpretation
00	0.25 dB
01	0.5 dB
10	1.0 dB
11	1.5 dB

**RDCHGainMin** This field shall be set to the lower limit of the delta value at the access terminal. This field shall take the value  $(0.25 \cdot n - 4)$  dB.

**RDCHGainMax** This field shall be set to the upper limit of the delta value at the access terminal. This field shall take the value  $(RTCGainMin + 9 + 2 \cdot n)$  dB.

**EraseGain<sub>j</sub>** This field shall determine the transmit power of erasure sequences, and shall take the value  $n-4$  dB.

**ACKStepUp** This field shall determine the step size used by the access terminal to increase the acknowledgement transmission power. A value of '0' shall correspond to 0 dB, and '1' shall correspond to ACKStepUpSize (a configuration attribute of the RCC MAC).



### 6.5.6.3.3 AccessParameters group

Field	Length (bits)
AccessCycleDuration	2
AccessSequencePartition	5
MaxProbesPerSequence	4
ProbeRampUpStepSize	4
RDCHInitialPacketFormat	6
PilotStrengthSegmentation	2
OpenLoopAdjust	8
$N_{ACMPCClass}$ values of the following field	
AccessRetryPersistence	3

**AccessCycleDuration** This field shall determine the duration of the access cycle in units of Control Segment Periods (as defined by the Physical Layer). The AccessCycleDuration shall be set according to the value of the field as follows.

Value	Interpretation in units of Control Segment Periods
00	1
01	2
10	3
11	4

**AccessSequencePartition** This field shall indicate the partition of the access sequence space to allow the access terminal to signal pilot power and buffer status information with the access sequence. The interpretation of this field is in the Access Channel MAC Protocol.

**MaxProbesPerSequence** This field shall determine the maximum number of probe sequences that can be part of one access sequence. This field shall take the value  $n+1$ .

**ProbeRampUpStepSize** This field shall determine the power ramp up used for probes within a probe sequence. This field shall take the value  $0.5 \cdot (1+n)$  dB.

**RDCHInitialPacketFormat** This field shall be set to the packet format that is used on the first transmission the access terminal makes on the R-DCH after getting an access grant.

**PilotStrengthSegmentation** This field shall determine PilotThreshold1 and PilotThreshold2 used by the Access Channel MAC Protocol.

AccessRetryPersistence This field shall determine the persistence probability for determining access sequence backoff. If this field is set to  $n$ , the access terminal shall use  $2^{-n}$  as the retry persistence.

OpenLoopAdjust This field shall determine the nominal power to be used by access terminal in the open loop power estimate. The value of this field shall be  $70+n$  dB.

#### 6.5.6.4 SectorParameters

The SectorParameters message is used to convey sector specific information to the access terminals.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
CountryCode	12
SectorID	128
SubnetMask	8
SectorParametersSignature	16
Latitude	22
Longitude	23
RegistrationRadius	11
LeapSeconds	8
LocalTimeOffset	11
RegistrationZoneCodeIncluded	1
RegistrationZoneCode	12
RegistrationZoneMaxAge	4
GloballySynchronous	1
SynchronousWithNextPilot	1
ChannelCount	5

ChannelCount occurrences of the following record{

Channel	ChannelRecordType Dependent
NeighborCount	5

NeighborCount occurrences of the following record{

NeighborPilotPN	12
CarrierID	2
TransmitPower	6
GloballySynchronous	1
SynchronousWithNextPilot	1

}}

NumOtherTechnologies	2
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NumOtherTechnologies occurrences of the following fields

TechnologyType	6
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Field	Length (bits)
TechnologyNeighborListLength	8
TechnologyNeighborList	TechnologyNeighborListLength x 8
Reserved	Variable

1	MessageID	The access network shall set this field to 0x01.
2	CountryCode	The access network shall set this field to the three-digit BCD (binary coded decimal) encoded representation of the Mobile Country Code (as specified in [6]) associated with this sector.
3		
4		
5	SectorID	Sector Address Identifier. The access network shall set the value of the SectorID according to the rules specified in 10.11. The access terminal shall not assume anything about the format of the SectorID other than the (SectorID, OFDMA Channel) pair uniquely identifies a sector.
6		
7		
8		
9	SubnetMask	Sector Subnet identifier. The access network shall set this field to the number of consecutive 1's in the subnet mask of the subnet to which this sector belongs.
10		
11		
12	SectorParametersSignature	SectorParameters message signature. The access network shall change this field if the contents of the SectorParameters message changes.
13		
14		
15	Latitude	The latitude of the sector. The access network shall set this field to this sector's latitude in units of 0.25 second, expressed as a two's complement signed number with positive numbers signifying North latitudes. The access network shall set this field to a value in the range -1296000 to 1296000 inclusive (corresponding to a range of -90° to +90°).
16		
17		
18		
19		
20	Longitude	The longitude of the sector. The access network shall set this field to this sector's longitude in units of 0.25 second, expressed as a two's complement signed number with positive numbers signifying East longitude. The access network shall set this field to a value in the range -2592000 to 2592000 inclusive (corresponding to a range of -180° to +180°).
21		
22		
23		
24		
25	RegistrationRadius	If access terminals are to perform distance based registration, the access network shall set this field to the non-zero "distance" beyond which the access terminal is to send a new PilotReport message (see Default Active Set Management Protocol, 6.6). If access terminals are not to perform distance based registration, the access network shall set this field to 0.
26		
27		
28		
29		
30	LeapSeconds	The number of leap seconds that have occurred since the start of system time.
31	LocalTimeOffset	The access network shall set this field to the offset of the local time from System Time. This value will be in units of minutes, expressed as a two's complement signed number.
32		
33		

1	RegistrationZoneIncluded	
2		The access network shall set this field to '1' if the RegistrationZoneCode and
3		RegistrationZoneMaxAge are included in the message.
4	RegistrationZoneCode	The access network shall include this field if RegistrationZoneIncluded is set
5		to '1'.
6	RegistrationZoneMaxAge	
7		The access network shall include this field if RegistrationZoneIncluded is set
8		to '1'.
9	SynchronousSystem	The access network shall set this field to '1' if all sectors in the deployment
10		are synchronous. The access network shall set this field to '0' otherwise.
11	ChannelCount	The access network shall set this field to the number of neighbor carriers
12		available to the access terminal on this sector.
13	Channel	Channel record specification for each channel. See 10.1 for the Channel
14		record format.
15	NeighborCount	The access network shall set this field to the number of records specifying
16		neighboring sectors information included in this message for this channel.
17	NeighborPilotPN	The access network shall set this field to the PilotPN of a neighboring sector
18		that the access terminal should add to its Neighbor Set.
19	NeighborCarrierID	The access network shall set this field to the CarrierID of the neighboring
20		pilot.
21	TransmitPower	This field shall be set to the transmit power of the sector in units of dBm.
22	GloballySynchronous	The access network shall set this field to '1' if the sector transmitting this
23		pilot is synchronous to system time. Rules for determining if a sector is
24		synchronous to system time are given in the synchronization and timing
25		section of the physical layer, 9.4.2.
26	SynchronousWithNextPilot	
27		The access network shall set this field to '1' if this sector is synchronous with
28		the next sector listed in the message. The access network shall set this field to
29		'0' if this sector is the last sector listed in the message, or if this sector is not
30		synchronous with the next sector listed in the message. Rules for determining
31		if two sectors are synchronous are given in the synchronization and timing
32		section of the physical layer, 9.4.2.
33	NumOtherTechnologies	
34		This field shall be set to the number of other technologies included in the
35		message. Other technology neighbors are included in this message to assist
36		the access terminal in inter-technology handoff.
37	TechnologyType	This field shall be set to the type of technology, and shall be interpreted as
38		defined in the Common Algorithms Chapter 10 and Table 11-3.

**TechnologyNeighborListLength**

This field shall be set the length, in bytes, of the neighbor list information for the other technology.

**TechnologyNeighborList**

This field shall be set to the neighbor list information for the other technology. The interpretation of this field is beyond the scope of this specification.

**Reserved**

The number of bits in this field is equal to the number needed to make the message length an integer number of octets. The access network shall set this field to zero. The access terminal shall ignore this field.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Broadcast      Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Optional

**6.5.7 Interface to other protocols****6.5.7.1 Commands**

This protocol sends no commands.

**6.5.7.2 Indications**

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *ActiveSetManagement.IdleHO*
- *ConnectedState.ConnectionClosed*

**6.5.8 Configuration attributes**

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

**6.5.9 Protocol numeric constants**

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>OMPT</sub> Type	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>OMP</sub> Default	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
T <sub>OMPQCIS</sub> Supervision	QuickChannelInfo supervision timer	0 s
T <sub>OMPECIS</sub> Supervision	ExtendedChannelInfo supervision timer	0 s
T <sub>OMPSPS</sub> Supervision	SectorParameters supervision timer	4 s
N <sub>OMPE</sub> ExtendedChannelInfo	The recommended time between two consecutive ExtendedChannelInfo message transmissions	16 superframes
N <sub>OMP</sub> SectorParameters	The recommended time between two consecutive SectorParameters message transmissions	64 superframes

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>OMPMinZoneSignatureListSize</sub>	Minimum number of entries supported by the access terminal in the RegistrationZoneCodeList	8

## 6.5.10 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 6.6 Default Active Set Management Protocol

### 6.6.1 Overview

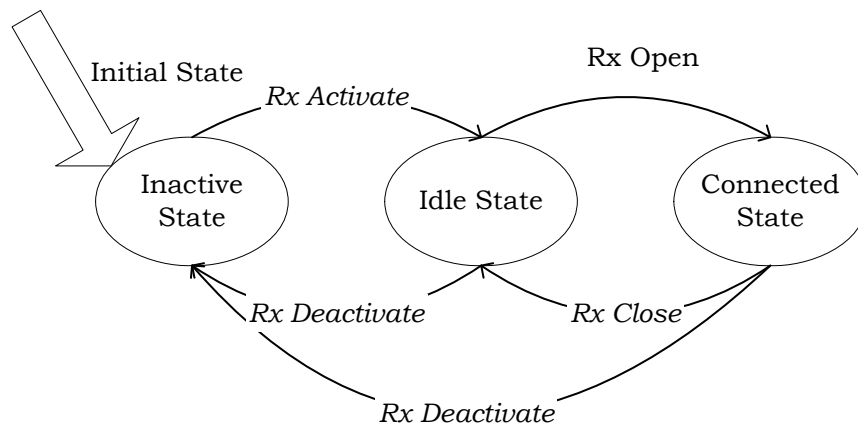
The Default Active Set Management Protocol provides the procedures and messages used by the access terminal and the access network to keep track of the access terminal's approximate location and to maintain the radio link as the access terminal moves between the coverage areas of different sectors.

This protocol can be in one of three states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command.
- *Idle State*: This state corresponds to the Air Link Management Protocol Idle State. In this state, the access terminal autonomously maintains the Active Set. PilotReport messages from the access terminal to the access network are generated based on the distance between the access terminal's current serving sector and the serving sector at the time the access terminal last sent an update. The generation of such PilotReport messages causes transition from the Idle State to the Connected State.
- *Connected State*: In this state, the access network dictates the access terminal's Active Set. PilotReport messages from the access terminal to the access network are based on changing radio link conditions.

Transitions between states are driven by commands received from other Lower MAC Control sublayer protocols and the transmission and reception of the ActiveSetAssignment message.

The protocol states, messages and commands causing the transition between the states are shown in Figure 6-10.



**Figure 6-10 Default Active Set Management Protocol state diagram**

This protocol uses parameters that are provided as public data by the Overhead Messages Protocol, configured attributes, or protocol constants.

Table 6-16 lists all of the protocol parameters obtained from the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.

**Table 6-16 Active Set Management Protocol parameters that are public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol**

RU Parameter	Comment
Latitude	Latitude of sector in units of 0.25 second.
Longitude	Longitude of sector in units of 0.25 second.
IdleHandoffRadius	Distance between the serving sector and the sector in which location was last reported that triggers a new report. If this field is set to zero, then distance triggered reporting is disabled.
NumNeighbors	Number of neighbors specified in the message.
NeighborPN	PilotPN of each neighbor.
NeighborChannelIncluded	Set to '1' if a Channel Record is included for the neighbor.
NeighborChannel	Neighbor Channel Record specifying network type and frequency.

## 6.6.2 Primitives

### 6.6.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*
- *Open*
- *Close*
- *SendPilotReport*

### 6.6.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *ConnectionLost* (access network only)
- *NetworkLost*
- *IdleHO*
- *ActiveSetUpdated*
- *AssignmentRejected*

## 6.6.3 Public data

### 6.6.3.1 Static public data

This protocol defines the following static public data:

- Active Set
- Current ActiveSetAssignment message
- PilotIncrement specified in the PilotSearch Configuration Attribute
- A list of measured PilotStrengths, and RxPowers indexed by PilotPN
- RegistrationRadiusFlag

### 6.6.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 6.6.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 6.6.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal and the access network

- The value for each attribute for this protocol instance shall be set to the default value for that attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the inactive state



## 6.6.4.2 Protocol swap

- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

## 6.6.5 Procedures

### 6.6.5.1 Command processing

#### 6.6.5.1.1 Activate

If the protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the access network shall transition to the Idle State.

If the protocol at the access terminal receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the protocol shall transition to the Idle State, and generate a PilotReport message.

If this command is received in any other state, it shall be ignored.

#### 6.6.5.1.2 Deactivate

If the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, it shall be ignored.

If the protocol receives this command in any other state, the access terminal and the access network shall transition to the Inactive State.

#### 6.6.5.1.3 Open

If the protocol receives an *Open* command in the Idle State,

- The access terminal shall transition to the Connected State.
- The access network shall transition to the Connected State.

If this command is received in any other state, it shall be ignored.

#### 6.6.5.1.4 Close

If the protocol receives a *Close* command in the Connected State, the access terminal and the access network shall transition to the Idle State.

If this command is received in any other state, it shall be ignored.

### 6.6.5.2 Processing the RegistrationRadiusUpdated indications

The RegistrationRadiusFlag determines the Idle State registration procedure at the access terminal. A flag value of 1 implies that registration is performed when the access terminal travels a distance more than RegistrationDistance distance. A flag value of 0 implies that registration is performed when the access terminal moves to a sector with a different latitude and longitude. The value of the flag at the access terminal is set based on ConnectionOpenResponse and ConnectionClose messages received by the access terminal.

Upon receiving a *IdleState.RegistrationRadiusUpdated* indication or a *ConnectedState.RegistrationRadiusUpdated* indication, the Active Set Management Protocol at the access terminal shall set the RegistrationRadiusFlag public data to the RegistrationRadiusFlag value provided with the indication.

### 6.6.5.3 Pilots and pilot sets

The access terminal estimates the strength of the Forward Channel transmitted by each sector in its neighborhood. This estimate is based on measuring the strength of the Forward Pilot Channel (specified by the pilot's PilotPN and the pilot's Channel), henceforth referred to as the pilot.

When this protocol is in the Connected State, the access terminal uses pilot strengths to decide when to generate PilotReport messages.

When this protocol is in the Idle State, the access terminal uses pilot strengths to decide which sector's Control Channel it monitors.

The following pilot sets are defined to support the Active Set Management process:<sup>22</sup>

- *Active Set*: The set of pilots associated with the sectors currently serving the access terminal. When a connection is open, a sector is considered to be serving an access terminal when there is a MAC ID assigned to the access terminal in that sector. When a connection is not open, a sector is considered to be serving the access terminal when the access terminal is monitoring that sector's control channel for page reception and distance based registration. Parameters for Active Set member sectors in connected state are sent as part of the ActiveSetAssignment message, and placed in the public data of the Active Set Management Protocol.
- *Candidate Set*: The pilots that are not in the Active Set, but are received by the access terminal with sufficient strength to indicate that the sectors transmitting them are good candidates for inclusion in the Active Set.
- *Neighbor Set*: The set of pilots that are not in either one of the two previous sets, but are likely candidates for inclusion in the Active Set.
- *Remaining Set*: The set of all possible pilots on the current channel assignment, excluding the pilots that are in any of the three previous sets.

At any given instant a pilot in the current Channel is a member of exactly one set.

The access terminal maintains all four sets. The access network maintains only the Active Set.

The access terminal complies with the following rules when searching for pilots, estimating the strength of a given pilot, and moving pilots between sets.

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<sup>22</sup> In this context, a pilot identifies a sector.

### 6.6.5.3.1 Pilot search

The access terminal shall continually search for pilots in the Connected State and whenever it is monitoring any channel in the Idle State. The access terminal shall search for pilots in all pilot sets.

The access terminal should use the same search priority for pilots in the Active Set and Candidate Set. In descending order of search rate, the access terminal shall search, most often, the pilots in the Active Set and Candidate Set, then shall search the pilots in the Neighbor Set, and lastly shall search the pilots in the Remaining Set.

### 6.6.5.3.2 Pilot strength measurement

The access terminal shall measure the strength of every pilot it searches. The strength estimate formed by the access terminal shall be computed as the ratio of received pilot energy per chip,  $E_c$ , to total received spectral density,  $I_0$  (signal and noise). The access terminal shall place the measured ratios in its public data. Note that the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol also contains this measured value, 6.5.

In addition, the access terminal shall also measure the received power (RxPower in dBm) from each acquisition pilot at the antenna input and place the result in the public data. If the access terminal has more than one receive antenna, the power shall be averaged across all antennas. If a pilot is not being measured, the RxPower shall be assumed to be negative infinity. The access terminal should update the measured power every superframe.

### 6.6.5.3.3 Pilot drop timer maintenance

For each pilot, the access terminal shall maintain a pilot drop timer.

If DynamicThresholds is equal to '0', the access terminal shall perform the following:

- The access terminal shall start a pilot drop timer for each pilot in the Candidate Set or the Active Set whenever the strength becomes less than the value specified by PilotDrop. The access terminal shall consider the timer to be expired after the time specified by PilotDropTimer.
- The access terminal shall reset and disable the timer whenever the strength of the pilot becomes greater than the value specified by PilotDrop.

If DynamicThresholds is equal to '1', the access terminal shall perform the following:

- The access terminal shall start a pilot drop timer for each pilot in the Candidate Set whenever the strength of the pilot becomes less than the value specified by PilotDrop. The access terminal shall consider the timer value to be expired after the time specified by PilotDropTimer. The access terminal shall reset and disable the timer if the strength of the pilot becomes greater than the value specified by PilotDrop.

- For each pilot in the Active Set, the access terminal shall sort pilots in the Active Set in order of increasing strengths, i.e.,  $PS_1 < PS_2 < PS_3 < \dots < PS_{N_A}$ , where  $N_A$  is the number of the pilots in the Active Set. The access terminal shall start the timer whenever the strength  $PS_i$  satisfies the following inequality:

$$10 \times \log_{10} PS_i < \max \left( \frac{\text{SoftSlope}}{8} \times 10 \times \log_{10} PS_{N_A} + \frac{\text{DropIntercept}}{2}, -\frac{\text{PilotDrop}}{2} \right)$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, N_A - 1$$

The access terminal shall reset and disable the timer whenever the above inequality is not satisfied for the corresponding pilot.

Sections 6.6.5.3.5 and 6.6.5.7.3 specify the actions the access terminal takes when the pilot drop timer expires.

#### 6.6.5.3.4 Active set management

The access terminal shall support a maximum Active Set size of  $N_{\text{ASMPActive}}$  pilots.

Rules for maintaining the Active Set are specific to each protocol state (see 6.6.5.6.1 and 6.6.5.7.1).

#### 6.6.5.3.5 Candidate set management

The access terminal shall support a maximum Candidate Set size of  $N_{\text{ASMPCandidate}}$  pilots.

The access terminal shall add a pilot to the Candidate Set if one of the following conditions is met:

- Pilot is not already in the Active Set or Candidate Set and the strength of the pilot exceeds the value specified by PilotAdd.
- Pilot is deleted from the Active Set, its pilot drop timer has expired, DynamicThresholds is equal to '1', and the pilot strength is above the threshold specified by PilotDrop.
- Pilot is deleted from the Active Set but its pilot drop timer has not expired.

The access terminal shall delete a pilot from the Candidate Set if one of the following conditions is met:

- Pilot is added to the Active Set.
- Pilot's drop timer has expired.
- Pilot is added to the Candidate Set; and, as a consequence, the size of the Candidate Set exceeds  $N_{\text{ASMPCandidate}}$ . In this case, the access terminal shall delete the weakest pilot in the set. Pilot A is considered weaker than pilot B:
  - If pilot A has an active drop timer but pilot B does not.
  - If both pilots have an active drop timer and pilot A's drop timer is closer to expiration than pilot B's.
  - If neither of the pilots has an active drop timer and pilot A's strength is less than pilot B's.

### 6.6.5.3.6 Neighbor set management

The access terminal shall support a minimum Neighbor Set size of  $N_{ASMPNeighbor}$  pilots.

- The access terminal shall maintain a counter, AGE, for each pilot in the Neighbor Set as follows.

The access terminal shall perform the following in the order specified:

- If a pilot is added to the Active Set or Candidate Set, it shall be deleted from the Neighbor Set.
- If a pilot is deleted from the Active Set, but not added to the Candidate Set, then it shall be added to the Neighbor Set with the AGE of 0.
- If a pilot is deleted from the Candidate Set, but not added to the Active Set, then it shall be added to the Neighbor Set with the AGE of 0.
- If the size of the Neighbor Set is greater than the maximum Neighbor Set supported by the access terminal, the access terminal shall delete enough pilots from the Neighbor Set such that the size of the Neighbor Set is the maximum size supported by the access terminal. The pilots with higher AGE are deleted first<sup>23</sup>.
- If the access terminal receives an *OverheadMessages.SectorParametersUpdated* indication, then:
  - The access terminal shall increment the AGE for every pilot in the Neighbor Set.
  - For each pilot in the neighbor list given as public data by the Overhead Messages Protocol that is a member of the Neighbor Set, the access terminal shall perform the following:
    - The access terminal shall set the AGE of this neighbor list pilot to the minimum of its current AGE and NeighborMaxAge.
  - For each pilot in the neighbor list given as public data by the Overhead Messages Protocol (in the order specified in the neighbor list) that is a member of the Remaining Set, the access terminal shall perform the following:
    - If the addition of this neighbor list pilot to the Neighbor Set would not cause the size of the Neighbor Set size to increase beyond the maximum Neighbor Set size supported by the access terminal, then the access terminal shall add this neighbor list pilot to the Neighbor Set with its AGE set to NeighborMaxAge.
    - If the addition of this neighbor list pilot would cause the size of the Neighbor Set to increase beyond the maximum Neighbor Set size supported by the access terminal and the Neighbor Set contains at least one pilot with AGE greater than NeighborMaxAge associated with the pilot's channel, then the access terminal shall delete the pilot in the Neighbor Set for which the difference between its AGE and the NeighborMaxAge associated with that pilot's channel (i.e., AGE - NeighborMaxAge) is the greatest and shall add this neighbor list pilot to the Neighbor Set with its AGE set to NeighborMaxAge associated with the pilot's channel.

<sup>23</sup> The order in which pilots of the same AGE are deleted does not matter in this case.

- If the addition of this neighbor list pilot would cause the size of the Neighbor Set to increase beyond the maximum Neighbor Set size supported by the access terminal and the Neighbor Set does not contain a pilot with AGE greater than NeighborMaxAge associated with the pilot's channel, the access terminal shall not add this neighbor list pilot to the Neighbor Set.

#### 6.6.5.3.7 Remaining set management

The access terminal shall initialize the Remaining Set to contain all of the pilots whose PN offset index is an integer multiple of PilotIncrement and are not already members of any other set.

The access terminal shall add a pilot to the Remaining Set if it deletes the pilot from the Neighbor Set and if the pilot was not added to the Active Set or Candidate Set.

The access terminal shall delete the pilot from the Remaining Set if it adds it to another set.

#### 6.6.5.4 Message sequence numbers

The access network shall validate all received PilotReport messages as specified in 6.6.5.4.1.

The access terminal shall validate all received ActiveSetAssignment messages as specified in 6.6.5.4.2.

The PilotReport message and the ActiveSetAssignment message carry a MessageSequence field that serves to flag duplicate or stale messages.

The MessageSequence field of the PilotReport message is independent of the MessageSequence field of the ActiveSetAssignment message.

##### 6.6.5.4.1 PilotReport message validation

When the access terminal first sends a PilotReport message, it shall set the MessageSequence field of the message to zero. Subsequently, the access terminal shall increment this field each time it sends a PilotReport message.

The access network shall consider all PilotReport messages it receives in the Idle State as valid.

The access network shall initialize the receive pointer,  $V(R)$ , to the MessageSequence field of the first PilotReport message it received in the Idle State, and the access network shall subsequently set it to the MessageSequence field of each received PilotReport message.

When the access network receives a PilotReport message in the Connected State, it shall validate the message using the procedure defined in 10.8. The access network shall discard the message if it is invalid.

##### 6.6.5.4.2 ActiveSetAssignment message validation

The access network shall set the MessageSequence field of the ActiveSetAssignment message it sends in the Idle State to zero. Subsequently, each time the access network sends a new ActiveSetAssignment message in the Connected State, it shall increment this field. If the access

network is sending the same message multiple times, it shall not change the value of this field between transmissions.<sup>24</sup>

The access terminal shall initialize the receive pointer,  $V(R)$ , to the MessageSequence field of the first ActiveSetAssignment message that it receives in the Connected State.

When the access terminal receives an ActiveSetAssignment message in the Connected State, it shall validate the message using the procedure defined in 10.8. The access terminal shall discard the message if it is invalid.

#### 6.6.5.4.3 AttributeOverride message validation

The access network shall set the MessageSequence field of the first AttributeOverride message that it sends after the Active Set Management Protocol enters the Connected State to zero. Subsequently, each time the access network sends a new AttributeOverride message in the Connected State, it shall increment this field. If the access network is sending the same message multiple times, it shall not change the value of this field between transmissions.<sup>25</sup>

The access terminal shall initialize the receive pointer,  $V(R)$ , to the MessageSequence field of the first AttributeOverride message that it receives in the Connected State.

When the access terminal receives a subsequent AttributeOverride message, it shall validate the message using the procedure defined in 10.8. The access terminal shall discard the message if it is invalid.

#### 6.6.5.5 Inactive state

Upon entering this state, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- The access terminal shall set the Active Set, the Candidate Set, and the Neighbor Set to NULL.
- The access terminal shall initialize the Remaining Set to contain all of the pilots whose PN offset index is an integer multiple of PilotIncrement and are not already members of any other set.
- The access terminal shall set  $(xL, yL)$ , the longitude and latitude of the sector in whose coverage area the access terminal last sent a PilotReport message, to (NULL, NULL).

<sup>24</sup> The access network may send a message multiple times to increase its delivery probability.

<sup>25</sup> The access network may send a message multiple times to increase its delivery probability.

### 6.6.5.6 Idle state

In this state, PilotReport messages from the access terminal are based on the distance between the sector where the access terminal last sent a PilotReport message and the sector currently in its active set, or on the time elapsed since the last PilotReport message was sent.

Upon entering this state, the access terminal shall perform the following:

- Stop using the parameters specified in the AttributeOverride message in the set management procedures and start using values specified by the SetManagementSameChannelParameters and the SetManagementDifferentChannelParameters attributes, whichever are applicable, in the set management procedures.

#### 6.6.5.6.1 Active set maintenance

The access network shall not initially maintain an Active Set for the access terminal in this state.

If the access network receives an *Open* command, it shall initialize the Active Set to the set of pilots in the ActiveSetAssignment message that it sends in response to the command (see 6.6.5.1.3).

The access terminal shall initially keep an Active Set of size one when it is in the Idle State. The Active Set pilot shall be the pilot associated with the Control Channel that the access terminal is currently monitoring. The access terminal shall return an *IdleHO* indication when the Active Set changes in the Idle State.

The access terminal shall not change its Active Set pilot at a time that causes it to miss a QuickPage packet. Other rules governing when to replace this Active Set pilot are beyond the scope of this specification.

If the access terminal receives an ActiveSetAssignment message, it shall set its Active Set to the list of pilots specified in the message.

#### 6.6.5.6.2 Pilot channel supervision in the idle state

The access terminal shall perform pilot channel supervision in the Idle State as follows:

- The access terminal shall monitor the pilot strength of the pilot in its active set, all of the pilots in the candidate set, and all of the pilots in the neighbor set that are on the same frequency.
- If the strength of all of the pilots that the access terminal is monitoring goes below the value specified by PilotDrop, the access terminal shall start a pilot supervision timer. The access terminal shall consider the timer to be expired after the time specified by PilotDropTimer.
- If the strength of at least one of the pilots goes above the value specified by PilotDrop while the pilot supervision timer is counting down, the access terminal shall reset and disable the timer.
- If the pilot supervision timer expires, the access terminal shall return a *NetworkLost* indication.



### 6.6.5.6.3 Processing access related indications in the Idle State

The following operation shall be performed at the access terminal if the *SharedSignalingMAC.AccessGrantReceived* Indication is received, and at the access network, if the *AccessChannelMAC.AccessProbeReceived* indication is received.

The Active Set Management Protocol at the access terminal shall construct the following ActiveSetAssignment block and place it in the public data. The fields in the block shall be decided based on the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol, the received access grant, or the InitialSetupConfigurationAttribute.

The Active Set Management Protocol at the access network shall construct the following ActiveSetAssignment block and place it in the public data. The fields in the block shall be decided based on the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol, the transmitted access grant, or the default values for the InitialSetupConfigurationAttribute.

Field	Length (bits)	Value
ChannelIncluded	1	1
Channel	ChannelRecordType Dependent	Channel of the current Active Set Member
CQIReportingMode	2	InitialSetupAttribute
VCQIReportInterval	4	InitialSetupAttribute
VCQIMeasureInterval	2	InitialSetupAttribute
EnhancedPilotReportEnabled	1	InitialSetupAttribute
EnhancedPilotReportRatio	4	InitialSetupAttribute
EnhancedPilotReportThreshold	4	InitialSetupAttribute
MinRequestInterval	2	InitialSetupAttribute
CQIReportInterval	2	InitialSetupAttribute
CQIReportPhase	3	InitialSetupAttribute
CQIPilotInterval	2	InitialSetupAttribute
CQIPilotPhase	3	InitialSetupAttribute
BFCHReportRate	3	InitialSetupAttribute
SFCHReportRate	3	InitialSetupAttribute
BFCHPowerOffset	3	InitialSetupAttribute
NumBFCHBits	2	InitialSetupAttribute
SFCHPowerOffset	3	InitialSetupAttribute
NumSFCHBits	2	InitialSetupAttribute
MandatoryCQICHCTRLReportingPeriod	3	InitialSetupAttribute
NumPilots	4	1
NumPilots occurrences of the following record:		
PilotPN	12	Pilot PN of sector that sent Access Grant
ActiveSetIndex	3	0
GloballySynchronous	1	From OMP

Field	Length (bits)	Value
SynchronousWithNextPilot	1	0
ControlSegment	2	Public data of Access Channel MAC
MAC ID	11	From AccessGrant in public data of SS MAC
AccessSequenceIDIncluded	1	0
AccessSequenceID	0	N/A
MIMOMode	1	0

#### 6.6.5.6.4 Pilot report rules

The access terminal shall send PilotReport messages to update its location with the access network.

The access terminal shall not send a PilotReport message if the connection timer is active.

The access terminal shall comply with the following rules regarding PilotReport messages:

- The access terminal shall send a PilotReport message upon receiving a *SendPilotReport* command.
- The access terminal shall send a PilotReport message whenever it receives a PilotReportRequest message.
- The access terminal shall include in the PilotReport message the pilot PN, pilot strength, and drop timer status for every pilot in the Active Set and Candidate Set.
- The access terminal shall send a PilotReport message if the IdleStateRegistrationTimeout attribute is nonzero, and the last PilotReport message was sent more than IdleStateRegistrationTimeout time ago.
- If the RegistrationRadiusFlag is set to '0', the access terminal shall send a PilotReport message if the sector that is currently providing coverage to the access terminal has a latitude and longitude that is different from the latitude and longitude of the sector where the access terminal last sent a PilotReport message.
- If the RegistrationRadiusFlag is set to '1', the access terminal shall send a PilotReport message if the computed value  $r$  is greater than the value provided in the RegistrationRadius field of the SectorParameters message transmitted by the sector in which the access terminal last sent a PilotReport message.

If  $(x_L, y_L)$  are the longitude and latitude of the sector in whose coverage area the access terminal last sent a PilotReport message, and  $(x_C, y_C)$  are the longitude and latitude of the sector currently providing coverage to the access terminal, then  $r$  is given by<sup>26</sup>

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{\left[ (x_C - x_L) \times \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{180} \times \frac{y_L}{14400}\right) \right]^2 + [y_C - y_L]^2}{16}}$$

The access terminal shall compute  $r$  with an error of no more than  $\pm 5\%$  of its true value when  $|y_L/14400|$  is less than 60 and with an error of no more than  $\pm 7\%$  of its true value when  $|y_L/14400|$  is between 60 and 70.<sup>27</sup>

### 6.6.5.7 Connected state

In this state, PilotReport messages from the access terminal are based on changes in the radio link between the access terminal and the access network, obtained through pilot strength measurements at the access terminal.

The access network determines the contents of the Active Set through ActiveSetAssignment messages.

#### 6.6.5.7.1 Active set maintenance

##### 6.6.5.7.1.1 Access network

Whenever the access network sends an ActiveSetAssignment message to the access terminal, it shall add to the Active Set any pilots listed in the message that are not currently in the Active Set. The access network shall place the most recently transmitted ActiveSetAssignment message in the public data of the Active Set Management Protocol.

The access network shall delete a pilot from the Active Set if the pilot was not listed in a ActiveSetAssignment message and if the access network received the ActiveSetComplete message, acknowledging that ActiveSetAssignment message.

The access network should send an ActiveSetAssignment message to the access terminal in response to changing radio link conditions, as reported in the access terminal's PilotReport messages.

The access network should only specify a pilot in the ActiveSetAssignment message if it has allocated the required resources in the associated sector. This means that the sector specified by the pilot is ready to receive data from the access terminal and is ready to transmit queued data to the access terminal should the access terminal point its CQI at that sector.

<sup>26</sup> The  $x$ 's denote longitude and the  $y$ 's denote latitude.

<sup>27</sup>  $x_L$  and  $y_L$  are given in units of 1/4 seconds.  $x_L/14400$  and  $y_L/14400$  are in units of degrees.

If the access network adds or deletes a pilot in the Active Set, it shall send an *ActiveSetUpdated* indication.

#### 6.6.5.7.1.2 Access terminal

If the access terminal receives a valid ActiveSetAssignment message (see 6.6.5.4.2), it shall replace the contents of its current Active Set with the pilots specified in the message. The access terminal shall process the message as defined in 6.6.5.7.5.

#### 6.6.5.7.2 ResetReport message

The access network may send a ResetReport message to reset the conditions under which PilotReport messages are sent from the access terminal. Access terminal usage of the ResetReport message is specified in the following section.

#### 6.6.5.7.3 Pilot strength report rules

The access terminal sends a PilotReport message to the access network in this state to request addition or deletion of pilots from its Active Set. If DynamicThresholds is equal to '0', the access terminal shall include in the PilotReport message the pilot PN, pilot strength, and drop timer status for every pilot in the Active Set and Candidate Set. If DynamicThresholds is equal to '1', then the access terminal shall include in the PilotReport message the pilot PN, pilot strength, and drop timer status for every pilot in the Active Set, for each pilot in the Candidate Set whose strength is above the values specified by PilotAdd, and for each pilot in the Candidate set whose strength, PS, satisfies the following inequality:

$$10 \times \log_{10} PS > \frac{\text{SoftSlope}}{8} \times 10 \times \log_{10} PS_{N_A} + \frac{\text{AddIntercept}}{2}$$

The access terminal shall send a PilotReport message if any one of the following occurs:

- The access terminal receives a PilotReportRequest message. The access terminal shall set the DetailedInfoIncluded field of the PilotReport message to 1 if it receives a PilotRequest message with the ReportFormat set to 0x01.
- The Default Active Set Management Protocol receives a *SendPilotReport* command.
- If DynamicThresholds is equal to '0' and the strength of a Neighbor Set or Remaining Set pilot is greater than the value specified by PilotAdd.
- If DynamicThresholds is equal to '1' and the strength of a Neighbor Set or Remaining Set pilot, PS, satisfies the following inequality:

$$10 \times \log_{10} PS > \max \left( \frac{\text{SoftSlope}}{8} \times 10 \times \log_{10} PS_{N_A} + \frac{\text{AddIntercept}}{2}, -\frac{\text{PilotAdd}}{2} \right)$$

- If DynamicThresholds is equal to '0' and the strength of a Candidate Set pilot is greater than the value specified by PilotCompare above an Active Set pilot, and a PilotReport message carrying this information has not been sent since the last ResetReport message was received.
- If DynamicThresholds is equal to '0' and the strength of a Candidate Set pilot is above PilotAdd, and a PilotReport message carrying this information has not been sent since the last ResetReport message was received.

- If DynamicThresholds is equal to '1' and
  - The strength of a Candidate Set pilot, PS, satisfies the following inequality:

$$10 \times \log_{10} PS > \frac{\text{SoftSlope}}{8} \times 10 \times \log_{10} PS_{N_A} + \frac{\text{AddIntercept}}{2}$$

- A PilotReport message carrying this information has not been sent since the last ResetReport message was received.

- If DynamicThresholds is equal to '1' and
  - The strength of a Candidate Set pilot is greater than the value specified by PilotCompare above an Active Set pilot, and
  - The strength of a Candidate Set pilot, PS, satisfies the following inequality:

$$10 \times \log_{10} PS > \frac{\text{SoftSlope}}{8} \times 10 \times \log_{10} PS_{N_A} + \frac{\text{AddIntercept}}{2}$$

- A PilotReport message carrying this information has not been sent since the last ResetReport message was received.

- The pilot drop timer of an Active Set pilot has expired, and a PilotReport message carrying this information has not been sent since the last ResetReport message was received.

- If the Active Set Size is greater than one, and

- EnhancedPilotReportEnabled=1, and
- The strength of a pilot in the active set has changed by more than EnhancedPilotReportThreshold since the last PilotReport was sent.

- If the Active Set Size is one, and

- EnhancedPilotReportEnabled=1, and
- The strongest current non-active pilot (for example, pilot j) has strength more than the EnhancedPilotReportRatio fraction of the total interference, and
- The strength of pilot j is more than EnhancedPilotReportThreshold away than the strength of the second strongest pilot at the time the last pilot report was sent (regardless of whether the second strongest pilot at that time was pilot j or some other pilot).

#### 6.6.5.7.4 VCQI report rules

The access terminal shall send a VCQI report every VCQIReportInterval superframes, where VCQIReportInterval shall be part of the ActiveSetAssignment message. If the VCQIReportInterval is set to zero, the access terminal shall not send any VCQI reports. The VCQI report shall be a VCQIReport if the CQIReportingMode of the ActiveSetAssignment message is set to SISO. The VCQI report shall be a VCQIReportMIMO if the CQIReportingMode of the ActiveSetAssignment message is set to MIMO SCW or MIMO SCW.

#### 6.6.5.7.5 Processing the ActiveSetAssignment message in the connected state

The access terminal shall process a valid ActiveSetAssignment message (see 6.6.5.4.2) as follows:

- The access terminal shall return an *ActiveSetUpdated* indication.
- The access terminal shall update its Active Set as defined in 6.6.5.7.1.2.
- The access terminal shall tune to the frequency defined by the Channel record, if this record is included in the message.
- The Active Set Management Protocol at the access terminal shall inform the physical layer about the synchronous status of sectors in the ActiveSetAssignment message according to the following rules. Two sectors shall be said to be synchronous if any of the following conditions are met:
  - Both sectors have the GloballySynchronous bit set to '1'.
  - Both sectors are listed adjacent to each other in the ActiveSetAssignment message, and the sector listed first has the SynchronousWithNextSector bit set to '1'.

In all other cases, the Active Set Management Protocol shall inform the physical layer that the two sectors are not synchronous.

- The access terminal shall place the ActiveSetAssignment message in the public data.
- The access terminal shall send the access network an ActiveSetComplete message specifying the MessageSequence value received in the ActiveSetAssignment message.

#### 6.6.5.7.6 Processing the ActiveSetComplete message

The access network should set a transaction timer when it sends an ActiveSetAssignment message. If the access network sets a transaction timer, it shall reset the timer when it receives an ActiveSetComplete message containing a MessageSequence field equal to the one sent in the ActiveSetAssignment message.

If the timer expires, the access network should return an *ActiveSetManagement.ConnectionLost* indication.

#### 6.6.5.7.7 Transmission and processing of the AttributeOverride message

The access network may send the AttributeOverride message to the access terminal to override the parameters specified in the SetManagementSameChannelParameters and SetManagementDifferentChannelParameters configuration attributes.

If the value of the SetManagementOverrideAllowed attribute is 0x01, then upon receiving a valid AttributeOverride message (see 6.6.5.4.3), the access terminal shall start using the values specified in the message.

The access terminal shall discard the values of the SetManagementSameChannelParameters and SetManagementDifferentChannelParameters in the AttributeOverride message if the SetManagementOverrideAllowed attribute is set to 0x00.

When the access terminal receives a valid AttributeOverride message (see 6.6.5.4.3), it shall send the access network an AttributeOverrideResponse message specifying the MessageSequence value received in the AttributeOverride message.

## 6.6.6 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

### 6.6.6.1 PilotReport

The access terminal sends the PilotReport message to notify the access network of its current location and provide it with an estimate of its surrounding radio link conditions.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8
ReferencePilotPN	12
ReferencePilotStrength	8
ReferenceKeep	1
NumPilots	5

NumPilots occurrences of the following record:

PilotPN	12
ChannelIncluded	1
Channel	0 or ChannelRecord Type Dependent
PilotStrength	8
Keep	1
ExtendedChannelInfoAvailable	1
DetailedInfoIncluded	1
FineTimingOffset	0 or 16
SuperframeOffset	0 or 16
SectorID	0 or 128

Reserved	Variable
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**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x00.

**MessageSequence** The access terminal shall set this field to the sequence number of this message. The sequence number of this message is 1 more than the sequence number of the last PilotReport message (modulo 256) sent by this access terminal. If this is the first PilotReport message sent by the access terminal, it shall set this field to 0x00.

**ReferencePilotPN** The access terminal shall set this field to the access terminal's time reference (the reference pilot), relative to the zero offset pilot PN sequence in units of 64 PN chips.

1	ReferencePilotStrength	The access terminal shall set this field to $\lfloor -2 \times 10 \times \log_{10} PS \rfloor$ , where PS is
2		the strength of the reference pilot, measured as specified in 6.6.5.3.2. If this
3		value is less than 0, the access terminal shall set this field to '00000000'. If
4		this value is greater than '11111111', the access terminal shall set this field
5		to '11111111'.
6	ReferenceKeep	If the pilot drop timer corresponding to the reference pilot has expired, the
7		access terminal shall set this field to '0'; otherwise, the access terminal shall
8		set this field to '1'.
9	NumPilots	The access terminal shall set this field to the number of pilots that follow this
10		field in the message.
11	PilotPN	The PN offset in resolution of 1 chip of a pilot in the Active Set or Candidate
12		Set of the access terminal that is not the reference pilot.
13	ChannelIncluded	The access terminal shall set this field to '1' if the channel for this pilot offset
14		is not the same as the current channel. Otherwise, the access terminal shall
15		set this field to '0'.
16	Channel	The access terminal shall include this field if the ChannelIncluded field is set
17		to '1'. The access terminal shall set this to the channel record corresponding
18		to this pilot (see 10.1). Otherwise, the access terminal shall omit this field for
19		this pilot offset.
20	PilotStrength	The access terminal shall set this field to $\lfloor -2 \times 10 \times \log_{10} PS \rfloor$ , where PS is
21		the strength of the pilot (PilotStrength) in the above field, measured as
22		specified in 6.6.5.3.2. If this value is less than 0, the access terminal shall set
23		this field to '00000000'. If this value is greater than '11111111', the access
24		terminal shall set this field to '11111111'.
25	Keep	If the pilot drop timer corresponding to the pilot in the above field has
26		expired, the access terminal shall set this field to '0'; otherwise, the access
27		terminal shall set this field to '1'.
28	ExtendedChannelInfoAvailable	
29		If the access terminal has a ExtendedChannelInfo block for the sector, and
30		the ExtendedChannelInfo block is valid, as defined by the Overhead
31		Messages Protocol, the access terminal shall set this field to '1'. Otherwise
32		the access terminal shall set this field to '0'.
33	DetailedInfoIncluded	The setting for this field is described in the rules for transmission of a
34		PilotReport message.
35	FineTimingOffset	This field shall be included if DetailedInfoIncluded is set to '1'. If the
36		beginning of a superframe m from the pilot being reported is during
37		superframe n of the reference pilot, this field shall be the time between the
38		beginning of superframes n and m, in units of microseconds. The all ones
39		value of this field is reserved, and indicates that timing information is not
40		available.



**SuperframeOffset** This field shall be included if DetailedInfoIncluded is set to '1'. This field shall be set to the value  $2^{15} + m - n$ , where m and n are described in the discussion of the FineTimingOffset. The all ones value of this field is reserved, and indicates that timing information is not available.

**SectorID** This field shall be set to the SectorID of the sector that transmits the pilot being reported.

**Reserved** The number of bits in this field is equal to the number needed to make the message length an integer number of octets. This field shall be set to all zeros.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable <sup>28</sup>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required	

### 6.6.6.2 VCQIReportSISO

The access terminal shall send this message if the CQIReportingMode is set to SISO.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
NumPilots	3
NumPilots Occurrences of the following record	
{	
ActiveSetIndex	3
NumInterlaces	4
NumInterlaces instances of the following record{	
InterlaceID	4
NumSubbands	4
NumSubbands occurrences of the following record	
SubbandID	4
VCQI	4
}}	
Reserved	variable

**MessageID** The access terminal shall set this field to 0x01.

**NumPilots** The access terminal shall set this field to the number of sectors for which the report is being sent.

<sup>28</sup> This message is sent reliably when it is sent over the Reverse Traffic Channel.

ActiveSetIndex	The access terminal shall set this field to the ActiveSetIndex corresponding to the sector for which VCQI is being reported.
NumInterlaces	The access terminal shall set this field to the number of interlaces being reported.
InterlaceID	The access terminal shall set this field to the interlace number corresponding to the following record.
NumSubbands	The number of subbands for which the report is being sent. The access terminal may report VCQI for only some of the subbands.
SubbandID	This field shall be set to the subband corresponding to the following VCQI.
VCQI	This field shall be set to the VCQIValueSISO for this subband and interlace. VCQIValueSISO is defined in the CQICH Physical Layer Channel Procedures for the Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol.
Reserved	The number of bits in this field is equal to the number needed to make the message length an integer number of octets. This field shall be set to all zeros.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 6.6.6.3 VCQIReportMIMO

The access terminal shall send this message if CQIReportingMode is set to SCW MIMO or MCW MIMO.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
NumPilots	3
NumPilots Occurrences of the following record{	
ActiveSetIndex	3
NumInterlaces	4
NumInterlaces instances of the following record{	
InterlaceID	4
NumSubbands	4
NumSubbands occurrences of the following record{	
SubbandID	4
NumEffectiveAntennas	2

Field	Length (bits)
NumEffectiveAntennas occurrences of the following field {	
VCQI	4
}}}}	
Reserved	Variable

1	MessageID	The access terminal shall set this field to 0x02.
2	NumPilots	The access terminal shall set this field to the number of sectors for which the
3		report is being sent.
4	ActiveSetIndex	The access terminal shall set this field to the ActiveSetIndex corresponding
5		to the sector for which VCQI is being reported.
6	NumInterlaces	The access terminal shall set this field to the number of interlaces being
7		reported.
8	InterlaceID	The access terminal shall set this field to the interlace number corresponding
9		to the following record.
10	NumSubbands	The number of subbands for which the report is being sent. The access
11		terminal may report the VCQI for only some of the subbands.
12	SubbandID	This field shall be set to the subband corresponding to the following VCQI.
13	NumEffectiveAntennas	
14		This field shall be set as determined to the value in the QuickChannelInfo
15		block for this sector, stored in the public data of the Overhead Parameters
16		Protocol.
17	VCQI	If CQIReportingMode is set to SCW MIMO, this field shall be set to the
18		VCQIValueSCW for this interlace, subband and rank.
19		If CQIReportingMode is set to MCW MIMO, this field shall be set to the
20		VCQIValueMCW for this interlace, subband and layer. VCQIValueSCW
21		and VCQIValueMCW are defined in the CQICH Physical Layer Channel
22		Procedures for the Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol.
23	Reserved	The number of bits in this field is equal to the number needed to make the
24		message length an integer number of octets. This field shall be set to all
25		zeros.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast

<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 6.6.6.4 ActiveSetAssignment

The access network sends the ActiveSetAssignment message to manage the access terminal's Active Set.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8
NumChannels	3

NumChannels instances of the following record{

ChannelIncluded	1
Channel	0 or ChannelRecord Type Dependent
CQIReportingMode	2
VCQIReportInterval	4
VCQIMeasureInterval	2
EnhancedPilotReportEnabled	1
EnhancedPilotReportRatio	4
EnhancedPilotReportThreshold	4
MinRequestInterval	2
CQIReportInterval	2
CQIReportPhase	2
CQIPilotInterval	2
CQIPilotPhase	2
BFCHReportRate	3
SFCHReportRate	3
BFCHPowerOffset	3
NumBFCHBits	2
SFCHPowerOffset	3
NumSFCHBits	2
MandatoryCQICHCTRLReportingPeriod	3
NumPilots	3

NumPilots occurrences of the following record{

PilotPN	12
ActiveSetIndex	3
GloballySynchronous	1
SynchronousWithNextPilot	1

Field	Length (bits)
ControlSegment	2
MAC ID	11
AccessSequenceIDIncluded	1
AccessSequenceID	0 or 4
MIMOMode	1
}}	

- 1    **MessageID**                      The access network shall set this field to 0x03.
- 2    **MessageSequence**            The access network shall set this field to 1 higher than the MessageSequence  
3                                      field of the last ActiveSetAssignment message (modulo  $2^S$ ,  $S=8$ ) sent to this  
4                                      access terminal.
- 5    **NumChannels**                    The access network shall set this field to the number of Channels included in  
6                                      the message. For each channel, the access network shall use the NumPilots  
7                                      field to determine the number of pilots included in the Active Set for that  
8                                      channel.
- 9    **ChannelIncluded**                The access network shall set this field to '1' if the Channel record is included  
10                                      for these pilots. Otherwise, the access network shall set this field to '0'.
- 11   **Channel**                            The access network shall include this field if the ChannelIncluded field is set  
12                                      to '1'. The access network shall set this to the channel record corresponding  
13                                      to this pilot (see 10.1). Otherwise, the access network shall omit this field for  
14                                      this pilot offset.
- 15   **CQIReportingMode**              This field shall specify the configuration of MIMO CQI reports sent by the  
16                                      access terminal.

CQIReportingMode	Interpretation
00	SISO
01	Single Code Word CQI Report
10	Multiple Code Word CQI Report
11	Reserved

- 18   **VCQIReportInterval**            The access network shall set this field to the interval at which the access  
19                                      terminal shall send a VCQIReport message, in units of 0.25 seconds.
- 20   **VCQIMeasureInterval**          The access network shall set this field to control VCQI reports. This field  
21                                      shall take the value  $(2*n+1)$  superframes.
- 22   **VCQIMeasureThreshold**  
23                                      The access network shall set this field to control VCQI reports.
- 24   **MinVCQIReportInterval**  
25                                      The access network shall set this field to control VCQI reports.

**MaxVCQIReportInterval**

The access network shall set this field to control VCQI reports.

**EnhancedPilotReportEnabled**

The access network shall use this field to determine if enhanced pilot reports shall be triggered.

**EnhancedPilotReportRatio**

The access network shall set this field to control pilot reports for the case when EnhancedPilotReportEnabled is set to '1'. This 4-bit field shall be interpreted in steps of -0.5 dB. For example, a value of 0010 shall correspond to -1.0 dB.

**EnhancedPilotReportThreshold**

The access network shall set this field to control pilot reports for the case when EnhancedPilotReportEnabled is set to '1', in units of 1 dB.

**MinRequestInterval**

The access network shall set this field to specify the minimum number of frames between two request transmissions by the access terminal. For example, if the field is set to zero, the access terminal may send a request transmission in frames that are one control period segment apart.

**CQIReportInterval**

This field shall determine the periodicity at which an access terminal shall report a CQI value. For example, a value of 4 shall mean that every fourth control segment period shall contain a CQI report.

**Table 6-17 Interpretation of CQIReportInterval**

<b>CQIReportInterval</b>	<b>Periodicity of CQI report in number of control segment periods</b>
00	1
01	2
10	3
11	4

**CQIReportPhase**

This field shall determine the phase of the CQI reports that are transmitted with periodicity CQIReportInterval. The access terminal shall transmit CQI report in control segment period number CQIReportPhase in superframe 0. For example, if CQIReportInterval is 2 and CQIReportPhase is 1, the access terminal shall transmit CQI in control segments number 1, 3, 5... starting at superframe 0. If CQIReportInterval is 2 and CQIReportPhase is 0, the access terminal shall transmit CQI in control segments number 0, 2, 4... starting at superframe 0.

**CQIPilotInterval**

This field shall determine the periodicity at which an access terminal shall report a default CQICH Pilot. For example, a value of 3 shall mean that every third CQI report shall be set to a CQIPilot report.

**Table 6-18 Interpretation of CQIPilotInterval**

<b>CQIPilotInterval</b>	<b>Periodicity of default CQI report in number of CQIReportIntervals</b>
00	2
01	4
10	6
11	8

<b>CQIPilotPhase</b>	This field shall determine the phase of the CQICH Pilot reports that are transmitted with periodicity CQIPilotInterval. The access terminal shall transmit CQICH Pilot report in CQI report number CQICH PilotPhase in superframe 0.
<b>BFCHReportRate</b>	This field shall be set to the number of R-BFCH reports per super-frame. The values 5 through 7 (101 through 111) are reserved.
<b>SFCHReportRate</b>	This field shall be set to the number of R-SFCH reports per super-frame. The values 5 through 7 (101 through 111) are reserved.
<b>BFCHPowerOffset</b>	This field shall determine the power offset of the R-BFCH relative to the R-CQICH. This field shall take the value n dB.
<b>NumBFCHBits</b>	This field shall determine the number and type of bits sent on the R-BFCH. If this field is set to '11' the access terminal shall send all bits. If this field is set to '10', the access terminal sets the fields corresponding to the CQI value to 0. The values '00' and '01' are reserved.
<b>SFCHPowerOffset</b>	This field shall determine the power offset of the R-SFCH relative to the R-CQICH. This field shall take the value n dB.
<b>NumSFCHBits</b>	This field shall determine the number and type of bits sent on the R-SFCH. If this field is set to '11' the access terminal shall send all bits. If this field is set to '10', the access terminal sets the fields corresponding to the CQI value to 0. The values '00' and '01' are reserved.
<b>MandatoryCQICHCTRLReportingPeriod</b>	This field shall determine the reporting period in multiples of CQIReportInterval, where the AT is mandated to transmit R-CQICHCTRL report in the R-CQICH channel. The value '000' is reserved.
<b>NumPilots</b>	The access network shall set this field to the number of pilots included in this message.
<b>PilotPN</b>	The access network shall set this field to the PilotPN of a pilot included in the message.
<b>ActiveSetIndex</b>	The access network shall set this field to enable CQI reporting to different sectors in the active set.

GloballySynchronous	The access network shall set this field to '1' if the sector transmitting this pilot is synchronous to global time. Rules for determining if a sector is synchronous to global system time are given in the synchronization and timing section of the physical layer (9.3.3).
SynchronousWithNextPilot	The access network shall set this field to '1' if this sector is synchronous with the next sector listed in the message. The access network shall set this field to '0' if this sector is the last sector listed in the message, or if this sector is not synchronous with the next sector listed in the message. Rules for determining if two sectors are synchronous are given in the synchronization and timing section of the physical layer (9.3.3).
ControlSegment	The access network shall set this field to the control segment used for sending reverse link control to the sector. This field shall be set to the same value for all synchronous sectors in the active set.
MAC ID	The access network shall set this field to the MAC ID assigned to the user in this sector.
AccessSequenceIDIncluded	The access network shall set this field to '1' if an AccessSequenceID is included with the message.
AccessSequenceID	This field shall be set to the access sequence that the access terminal shall use to acquire reverse link timing for this sector. This field shall take values from zero to eight.
MIMOEnabled	The access network shall set this field to 1 if the terminal is required to use a MIMO mode on this sector. The access network shall set this field to 0 if the terminal is required to use a SISO mode on this sector.
Reserved	The number of bits in this field is equal to the number needed to make the message length an integer number of octets. This field shall be set to all zeros.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 6.6.6.5 ActiveSetComplete

The access terminal sends the ActiveSetComplete message to provide an acknowledgment for the ActiveSetAssignment message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8



MessageID The access terminal shall set this field to 0x04.

MessageSequence The access terminal shall set this field to the MessageSequence field of the ActiveSetAssignment message whose receipt this message is acknowledging.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 6.6.6.6 ResetReport

The access network sends the ResetReport message to reset the PilotReport transmission rules at the access terminal.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8

MessageID The access network shall set this field to 0x05.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 6.6.6.7 AttributeOverride

The access network may send this message in order to override the configured values for the attributes includes in this message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8

One or more instances of the following record:

AttributeRecord	variable
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MessageID The access network shall set this field to 0x06.

MessageSequence The access network shall set this to 1 higher than the MessageSequence field of the last AttributeOverride message (modulo 2<sup>S</sup>, S=8) sent to this access terminal.

The access network shall include one or more instances of the following record:

**AttributeRecord** The access network shall set this record to the attribute record that the access terminal is to use to override the values of the configured attribute specified by the AttributeID of this record. See 10.3 for the format of the attributes. The access network shall not include more than one AttributeRecord with the same AttributeID in this message. The access network shall include exactly one instance of attribute values per AttributeID. The valid attribute records that can be included in this message are SetManagementSameChannelParameters and SetManagementDifferentChannelParameters.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	BestEffort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 6.6.6.8 AttributeOverrideResponse

The access terminal sends the AttributeOverrideResponse message to provide an acknowledgment for the AttributeOverride message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
MessageSequence	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x07.

**MessageSequence** The access terminal shall set this field to the MessageSequence field of the AttributeOverride message whose receipt this message is acknowledging.

<b>Channels</b>	RTC	<b>SLP</b>	BestEffort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 6.6.6.9 PilotReportRequest

The access network sends a PilotReportRequest message to request the access terminal to send a PilotReport message.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
ReportFormat	8

**MessageID** The access network shall set this field to 0x08.

**ReportFormat** The access network shall set this field to indicate the format of the PilotReport it is requesting from the access terminal. The valid values for this field are 0x00 and 0x01.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Best Effort
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

## 6.6.7 Interface to other protocols

### 6.6.7.1 Commands

This protocol sends the following commands:

### 6.6.7.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *OverheadMessages.SectorParametersUpdated*
- *SharedSignalingMAC.AccessGrantReceived*
- *ConnectedState.RegistrationRadiusUpdated*
- *IdleState.RegistrationRadiusUpdated*

## 6.6.8 Configuration attributes

The following complex attributes and default values are defined (see 10.3 for attribute record definition). The access terminal should not initiate modification of the following attributes.

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Active Set Management Protocol.

### 6.6.8.1 SearchParameters attribute

Field	Length (bits)	Default Value
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
PilotIncrement	4	4

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The access network shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The access network shall set this field to 0x00.

**PilotIncrement** The access network shall set this field to the pilot PN sequence increment, in units of PN chips, that access terminals are to use for searching the Remaining Set. The access network should set this field to the largest increment such that the pilot PN sequence offsets of all its neighbor access networks are integer multiples of that increment. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values for this field.

### 6.6.8.2 SetManagementSameChannelParameters attribute

The access terminal shall use these attributes if the pilot being compared is on the same channel as the active set pilots' channel.

Field	Length (bits)	Default Value
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
PilotAdd	6	0x0e
PilotCompare	6	0x05
PilotDrop	6	0x12
PilotDropTimer	4	3
DynamicThresholds	1	0
SoftSlope	0 or 6	N/A
AddIntercept	0 or 6	N/A
DropIntercept	0 or 6	N/A
NeighborMaxAge	4	0
Reserved	variable	N/A

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The access network shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The access network shall set this field to 0x01.

**PilotAdd** This value is used by the access terminal to trigger a PilotReport in the Connected State. The access network shall set this field to the pilot detection threshold, expressed as an unsigned binary number equal to  $\lfloor -2 \times 10 \times \log_{10} E_c/I_0 \rfloor$ . The value used by the access terminal is  $-0.5$  dB times the value of this field. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**PilotDrop** This value is used by the access terminal to start a pilot drop timer for a pilot in the Active Set or the Candidate Set. The access network shall set this field to the pilot drop threshold, expressed as an unsigned binary number equal to  $\lfloor -2 \times 10 \times \log_{10} E_c/I_0 \rfloor$ . The value used by the access terminal is  $-0.5$  dB times the value of this field. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**PilotCompare** Active Set versus Candidate Set comparison threshold, expressed as a 2's complement number. The access terminal transmits a PilotReport message when the strength of a pilot in the Candidate Set exceeds that of a pilot in the Active Set by this margin. The access network shall set this field to the threshold Candidate Set pilot to Active Set pilot ratio, in units of 0.5 dB. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**PilotDropTimer** Timer value after which an action is taken by the access terminal for a pilot that is a member of the Active Set or Candidate Set, and whose strength has not become greater than the value specified by PilotDrop. If the pilot is a member of the Active Set, a PilotReport message is sent in the Connected State. If the pilot is a member of the Candidate Set, it will be moved to the Neighbor Set. The access network shall set this field to the drop timer value shown in Table 6-19 corresponding to the pilot drop timer value to be used by access terminals. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**Table 6-19 Pilot drop timer values**

<b>PilotDropTimer</b>	<b>Timer Expiration (seconds)</b>	<b>PilotDropTimer</b>	<b>Timer Expiration (seconds)</b>
0	< 0.1	8	27
1	1	9	39
2	2	10	55
3	4	11	79
4	6	12	112
5	9	13	159
6	13	14	225
7	19	15	319

**DynamicThresholds** This field shall be set to '1' if the following three fields are included in this record. Otherwise, this field shall be set to '0'.

**SoftSlope** This field shall be included only if DynamicThresholds is set to '1'. This field shall be set to an unsigned binary number, which is used by the access terminal in the inequality criterion for adding a pilot to the Active Set or dropping a pilot from the Active Set. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**AddIntercept** This field shall be included only if DynamicThresholds is set to '1'. This field shall be set to a 2's complement signed binary number in units of dB. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**DropIntercept** This field shall be included only if DynamicThresholds is set to '1'. This field shall be set to a 2's complement signed binary number in units of dB. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**NeighborMaxAge** The access network shall set this field to the maximum AGE value beyond which the access terminal is to drop members from the Neighbor Set. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**Reserved** The access network shall set this field to zero. The access terminal shall ignore this field. The length of this field shall be such that the entire record is octet-aligned.

### 6.6.8.3 SetManagementDifferentChannelParameters attribute

The access terminal shall use these attributes if the pilot being compared is on a channel that is different from the active set pilots' channel.

Field	Length (bits)	Default Value
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
PilotAdd	6	0x0e
PilotCompare	6	0x05
PilotDrop	6	0x12
PilotDropTimer	4	3
DynamicThresholds	1	0
SoftSlope	0 or 6	N/A
AddIntercept	0 or 6	N/A
DropIntercept	0 or 6	N/A
NeighborMaxAge	4	0
Reserved	variable	N/A

**Length** Length of the complex attribute in octets. The access network shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** The access network shall set this field to 0x02.

**PilotAdd** This value is used by the access terminal to trigger a PilotReport in the Connected State. The access network shall set this field to the pilot detection threshold, expressed as an unsigned binary number equal to  $\lfloor -2 \times 10 \times \log_{10} E_c/I_0 \rfloor$ . The value used by the access terminal is  $-0.5$  dB times the value of this field. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

**PilotDrop** This value is used by the access terminal to start a pilot drop timer for a pilot in the Active Set or the Candidate Set. The access network shall set this field to the pilot drop threshold, expressed as an unsigned binary number equal to  $\lfloor -2 \times 10 \times \log_{10} E_c/I_0 \rfloor$ . The value used by the access terminal is  $-0.5$  dB times the value of this field. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.

1	PilotCompare	Active Set versus Candidate Set comparison threshold, expressed as a 2's complement number. The access terminal transmits a PilotReport message
2		when the strength of a pilot in the Candidate Set exceeds that of a pilot in the
3		Active Set by this margin. The access network shall set this field to the
4		threshold Candidate Set pilot to Active Set pilot ratio, in units of 0.5 dB. The
5		access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.
6		
7	PilotDropTimer	Timer value after which an action is taken by the access terminal for a pilot
8		that is a member of the Active Set or Candidate Set, and whose strength has
9		not become greater than the value specified by PilotDrop. If the pilot is a
10		member of the Active Set, a PilotReport message is sent in the Connected
11		State. If the pilot is a member of the Candidate Set, it will be moved to the
12		Neighbor Set. The access network shall set this field to the drop timer value
13		shown in Table 6-19 corresponding to the pilot drop timer value to be used
14		by access terminals. The access terminal shall support all of the valid values
15		specified by this field.
16	DynamicThresholds	This field shall be set to '1' if the following three fields are included in this
17		record. Otherwise, this field shall be set to '0'.
18	SoftSlope	This field shall be included only if DynamicThresholds is set to '1'. This
19		field shall be set to an unsigned binary number, which is used by the access
20		terminal in the inequality criterion for adding a pilot to the Active Set or
21		dropping a pilot from the Active Set. The access terminal shall support all of
22		the valid values specified by this field.
23	AddIntercept	This field shall be included only if DynamicThresholds is set to '1'. This
24		field shall be set to a 2's complement signed binary number in units of dB.
25		The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this
26		field.
27	DropIntercept	This field shall be included only if DynamicThresholds is set to '1'. This
28		field shall be set to a 2's complement signed binary number in units of dB.
29		The access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this
30		field.
31	NeighborMaxAge	The access network shall set this field to the maximum AGE value beyond
32		which the access terminal is to drop members from the Neighbor Set. The
33		access terminal shall support all of the valid values specified by this field.
34	Reserved	The access network shall set this field to zero. The access terminal shall
35		ignore this field. The length of this field shall be such that the entire record is
36		octet-aligned.

#### 6.6.8.4 InitialSetupAttribute

This attribute shall be used to construct an ActiveSetAssignment locally at the access terminal. This ActiveSetAssignment shall be used between the times the protocol receives an *AccessChannelMAC.AccessGrantReceived* indication and an ActiveSetAssignment message. The access terminal should use default values for this attribute and the use of non-default values is not recommended.

Field	Length (bits)	Default
AttributeID	8	N/A
CQIReportingMode	2	00
VCQIReportInterval	4	0000
VCQIMeasureInterval	2	00
EnhancedPilotReportEnabled	1	0
EnhancedPilotReportRatio	4	0000
EnhancedPilotReportThreshold	4	1111
MinReportInterval	2	01
CQIReportInterval	2	00
CQIReportPhase	3	000
CQIPilotInterval	2	00
CQIPilotPhase	3	000
BFCHReportRate	3	000
SFCHReportRate	3	000
BFCHPowerOffset	3	000
NumBFCHBits	2	11
SFCHPowerOffset	3	000
NumSFCHBits	2	11
MandatoryCQICHCTRLReportingPeriod	3	111

AttributeID This field shall be set to 0x03

The remaining fields shall be interpreted as in the ActiveSetAssignment message.



### 6.6.8.5 AttributeOverrideAllowed

The configurable simple attribute for this protocol is listed in Table 6-20. Only the access network may include this simple attribute in a ConfigurationRequest message.

The access terminal and access network shall use as defaults the values in Table 6-20 that are listed in ***bold italics***.

**Table 6-20 Configurable values**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x03	SetManagementOverrideAllowed	<b><i>0x00</i></b>	The SetManagementSameChannelParameters and SetManagementDifferentChannelParameters attributes in the AttributeOverride message are discarded.
		0x01	The SetManagementSameChannelParameters and SetManagementDifferentChannelParameters attributes in the AttributeOverride message are acted upon.
		0x02-0xff	Reserved

### 6.6.8.6 IdleStateRegistrationTimeOut attribute

The default value of this attribute shall be 0x0000.

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x04	IdleStateRegistrationTimeOut	<b><i>0x0000</i></b>	Timer based registration disabled
		0x0001-0xffff	Timer based registration timeout in units of seconds

### 6.6.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>ASMPType</sub>	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>ASMPDefault</sub>	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
N <sub>ASMPActive</sub>	Maximum size of the Active Set	8
N <sub>ASMPCandidate</sub>	Maximum size of the Candidate Set	6
N <sub>ASMPNeighbor</sub>	Minimum size of the Neighbor Set	20

## 6.6.10 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

This protocol defines the following parameter record in addition to the configuration attributes for this protocol.

### 6.6.10.1 ActiveSetManagement parameter

The following parameter shall be included in the Session State Information record only if the Session State Information is being transferred while the connection is open.

**Table 6-21 The Format of the parameter record for the ActiveSetManagement parameter**

Field	Length (bits)
ParameterType	8
Length	8
ASAMessageSequence	8
ASAMessageLength	16
ASAMessage	Variable
PRMessageSequence	8
PRMessageLength	8
PRMessage	Variable
NumPilots	8
NumPilots occurrences of the following fields	
Reserved	7
PilotPN	12
SectorID	128

**ParameterType** This field shall be set to 0x01 for this parameter record.

**Length** This field shall be set to the length of this parameter record in units of octets excluding the Length field.

**ASAMessageSequence** This field shall be set to the MessageSequence field of the last ActiveSetAssignment message that was sent by the source access network.

**ASAMessageLength** This field shall be set to the length of the last ActiveSetAssignment message that was sent by the source access network.

**ASAMessage** Last ActiveSetAssignment message that was sent by the source access network.

**PRMessageSequence** This field shall be set to the MessageSequence field of the last PilotReport message that was received by the source access network.

1	PRMessageLength	This field shall be set to the length of the last PilotReport message that was
2		received by the source access network.
3	PRMessage	This field shall be set to the last PilotReport message that was received by
4		the source access network.
5	NumPilots	This field shall be set to the NumPilots field in the last ActiveSetAssignment
6		message that was sent by the source access network.
7	Reserved	This field shall be set to '000 0000'.
8	PilotPN	This field shall be set to the corresponding PilotPN field in the last
9		ActiveSetAssignment message that was sent by the source access network.
10	SectorID	This field shall be set to the SectorID corresponding to the sector associated
11		with the PilotPN specified above.

## 12 6.7 Default Initialization State Protocol

### 13 6.7.1 Overview

14 The Default Initialization State Protocol provides the procedures and messages required for an access  
15 terminal to acquire a serving network. This protocol imposes the following two requirements on an  
16 access terminal

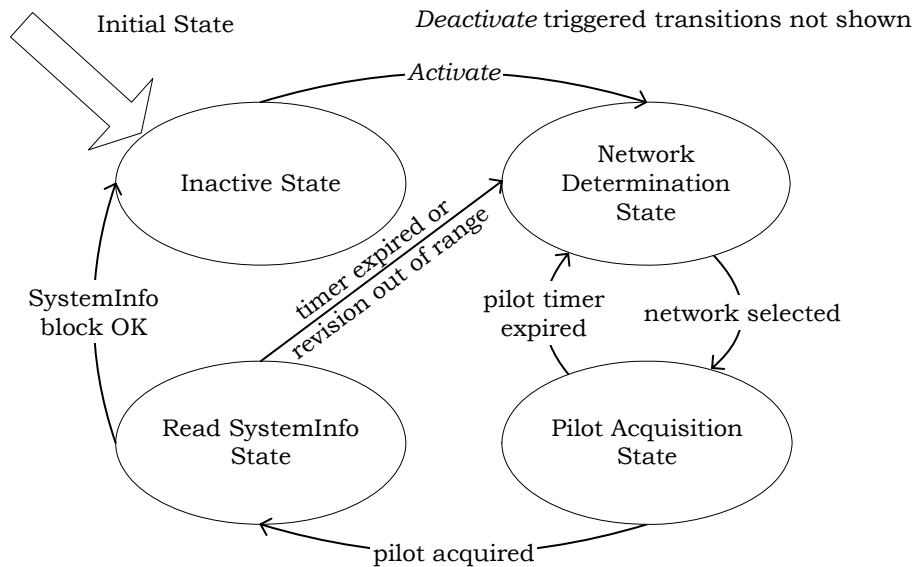
- 17 ■ The access terminal follows channel information provided in a Redirect message of the  
18 Air Link Management Protocol.
- 19 ■ Prevents the access terminal from attempting to connect to access networks with out of  
20 range Revision number (as defined through MaximumRevision and MinimumRevision).

21 At the access network, this protocol does not define any states.

22 At the access terminal, this protocol operates in one of the following four states:

- 23 ■ *Inactive State*: In this state the protocol waits for an *Activate* command.
- 24 ■ *Network Determination State*: In this state the access terminal chooses an access network  
25 on which to operate.
- 26 ■ *Pilot Acquisition State*: In this state the access terminal acquires a Forward Pilot Channel.
- 27 ■ *Read SystemInfo State*: In this state the access terminal reads the SystemInfo block and  
28 determines if the MaximumRevision and MinimumRevision fields in the SystemInfo  
29 block can be supported by the access terminal.

Protocol states and events causing transition between states are shown in Figure 6-11.



**Figure 6-11 Default Initialization State Protocol state diagram (access terminal)**

## 6.7.2 Primitives and public data

### 6.7.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate* (an optional Channel Record can be specified with the command)
- *Deactivate*

### 6.7.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *NetworkAcquired*

## 6.7.3 Public data

### 6.7.3.1 Static public data

- Selected channel
- System time
- PilotPN of the selected sector
- The following fields of the SystemInfo block:
  - MaximumRevision
  - MinimumRevision

### 6.7.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

## 6.7.4 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

### 6.7.4.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal:

- The value for each attribute for this protocol instance shall be set to the default value for that attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon initialization at the access network:

- The value for each attribute for this protocol instance shall be set to the default value for that attribute.

### 6.7.4.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap at the access terminal, the protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

The access network shall define an empty swap procedure.

## 6.7.5 Procedures

The access network need not keep state for this protocol.

### 6.7.5.1 Command processing

The access network shall ignore all commands.

#### 6.7.5.1.1 Activate

If the protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the access terminal shall transition to the Network Determination State.

If the protocol receives this command in any other state, the access terminal shall ignore it.

#### 6.7.5.1.2 Deactivate

If the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the access terminal shall ignore it.

If the protocol receives this command in any other state, the access terminal shall transition to the Inactive State.

### 6.7.5.2 Inactive state

In the Inactive State the access terminal waits for the protocol to receive an *Activate* command.

### 6.7.5.3 Network determination state

In the Network Determination State, the access terminal selects an OFDMA Channel (see 10.1) on which to try and acquire the access network.

If a Channel Record was provided with the *Activate* command, the access terminal should select the system and channel specified by the record. Such a record may be provided by the access network when the Initialization State Protocol is activated due to a redirect message received by the Air Link Management Protocol.

The specific mechanisms to provision the access terminal with a list of preferred networks and with the actual algorithm used for network selection are beyond the scope of this specification.

Upon selecting a OFDMA Channel the access terminal shall enter the Pilot Acquisition State.

### 6.7.5.4 Pilot acquisition state

In the Pilot Acquisition State, the access terminal acquires the F-ACQCH of the selected OFDMA Channel.

Upon entering the Pilot Acquisition State, the access terminal shall tune to the selected OFDMA Channel and shall search for the pilot. If the access terminal acquires the pilot, it shall enter the Read SystemInfo State.<sup>29</sup> If the access terminal fails to acquire the pilot within  $T_{ISPPilotAcq}$  seconds of entering the Pilot Acquisition State, it shall enter the Network Determination State.

### 6.7.5.5 Read SystemInfo state

Upon entering this state, the access terminal shall issue the *ControlChannelMAC.Activate* and *OverheadMessages.Activate* commands.

If the access terminal fails to receive the SystemInfo block within  $T_{ISPSyncAcq}$  seconds of entering the Synchronization State, the access terminal shall issue *ControlChannelMAC.Deactivate* and *OverheadMessages.Deactivate* commands and shall enter the Network Determination State. While attempting to receive the SystemInfo block, the access terminal shall discard any other messages received on the Control Channel.

When the access terminal receives a SystemInfo block:

- If the access terminal's revision number is not in the range defined by the MinimumRevision and MaximumRevision fields (inclusive) specified in the message, the access terminal shall issue *ControlChannelMAC.Deactivate* and *OverheadMessages.Deactivate* commands and enter the Network Determination State.

<sup>29</sup> The Access Terminal Minimum Performance Requirements contains specifications regarding pilot acquisition performance.

- Otherwise, the access terminal shall:
  - Set the access terminal time to the time specified in the SystemInfo block. The time specified in the block is the time at the beginning of the superframe where the message transmission started. Note that this time is accurate only to the twelve least significant digits, and is enough for the access terminal to read the ExtendedChannelInfo message (on the Forward Traffic Channel MAC) that contains the complete time.
  - Return a *NetworkAcquired* indication.
  - Enter the Inactive State.

### 6.7.6 Message formats

No messages are defined for this protocol.

### 6.7.7 Interface to other protocols

#### 6.7.7.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following commands:

- *ControlChannelMAC.Activate*
- *ControlChannelMAC.Deactivate*
- *OverheadMessages.Activate*
- *OverheadMessages.Deactivate*

#### 6.7.7.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

### 6.7.8 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

### 6.7.9 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value	Comments
N <sub>ISPT</sub> Type	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1	
N <sub>ISPD</sub> Default	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000	
T <sub>ISPP</sub> PilotAcq	Time to acquire pilot in access terminal	60 seconds	
T <sub>ISPS</sub> SyncAcq	Time to acquire SystemInfo block in access terminal	5 seconds	

### **6.7.10 Session state information**

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.



## 7 Lower MAC Sublayer

### 7.1 Introduction

#### 7.1.1 General overview

The Lower MAC Sublayer contains rules for the formulation of Lower MAC Sublayer packets for transmission over physical channels and interpretation of Lower MAC Sublayer packets provided from Physical Layer channels. In particular, the Lower MAC Sublayer contains the rules governing the operation of the Forward Traffic Channel and the Reverse Traffic Channel. In addition to these data channels, the Lower MAC Sublayer specifies rules for controlling and processing physical layer signaling channels on both the forward and reverse links, as described below. This section presents the protocols for the Lower MAC Sublayer. Each of these protocols can be independently negotiated at the beginning of the session. A description of the various physical channels controlled by each protocol may be found in the Overview chapter of this specification.

The Lower MAC Sublayer contains the following protocols:

- *Control Channel MAC Protocol*: This protocol contains the rules governing the operation of transmissions over the following Physical Layer channels: the other-sector interference channel (F-OSICH), and the two primary broadcast channels (F-pBCH0 and F-pBCH1).
- *Access Channel MAC Protocol*: This protocol contains the rules governing access terminal (AT) transmission timing and power characteristics for the F-ACH physical layer channel.
- *Shared Signaling MAC Protocol*: This protocol contains the rules governing the operation of the F-SSCH physical layer channel. The protocol handles H-ARQ, power control, channel assignment, and access grant delivery.
- *Forward Traffic Channel MAC Protocol*: This protocol contains the rules governing the operation of the F-DCH physical layer channel.
- *Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol*: This protocol contains the rules governing the operation of the R-REQCH, R-CQICH, R-BFCH, R-SFCH, R-ACKCH, and R-PICH physical layer channels.
- *Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol*: This protocol contains the rules governing the operation of the R-DCH physical layer channel.

#### 7.1.2 Data encapsulation

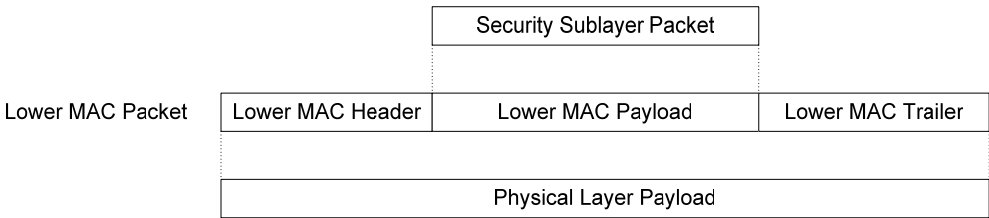
In the transmit direction at the access network, the Lower MAC Sublayer receives Security Sublayer packets, uses the Forward Traffic Channel MAC to add layer-related headers and trailers, and forwards the resulting packet to the Physical Layer for transmission on the F-DCH.

In the transmit direction at the access terminal, the Lower MAC Sublayer receives Security Sublayer packets, uses the Reverse Traffic Channel MAC to add layer-related headers and trailers, and forwards the resulting packet to the Physical Layer for transmission on the R-DCH.

In the receive direction at the access terminal, the Lower MAC Sublayer receives Lower MAC packets from the Physical Layer F-DCH, uses the Forward Traffic Channel MAC to remove layer-related headers and trailers, and forward the contained Security Sublayer packets to the Security Sublayer.

In the receive direction at the access network, the Lower MAC Sublayer receives Lower MAC packets from the Physical Layer R-DCH, uses the Reverse Traffic Channel MAC to remove layer-related headers and trailers, and forwards the contained Security Sublayer packets to the Security Sublayer.

Figure 7-1 illustrates the relationship between Security Sublayer packets, Lower MAC packets, and Physical Layer packets. The content and formulation of Lower MAC headers and trailers is specified for each Lower MAC Sublayer protocol in this chapter.



**Figure 7-1 Lower MAC Sublayer packet encapsulation**

### 7.1.3 Superframe timing

Forward and reverse link transmissions are divided into units of superframes. Superframes are further divided into units of PHY Frames. Frequency Division Duplex (FDD) and Time Division Duplex (TDD) superframe timing are described in the following sections.

Both forward and reverse link transmissions support H-ARQ. To provide time for the transmission and reception of acknowledgements, PHY Frames on the forward and reverse links are grouped into sets of PHY Frames called “interlaces,” and successive H-ARQ transmissions of MAC packets are confined to a single interlace. The Lower MAC Sublayer chapter of this specification uses a PHY Frame indexing scheme that is convenient for the descriptions herein, but may not be consistent with indexing schemes used in other layers and sublayers in the specification. Refer to the FTC and RTC MAC Protocols for the exact specification of H-ARQ operation.

#### 7.1.3.1 FDD

##### 7.1.3.1.1 Superframe timing

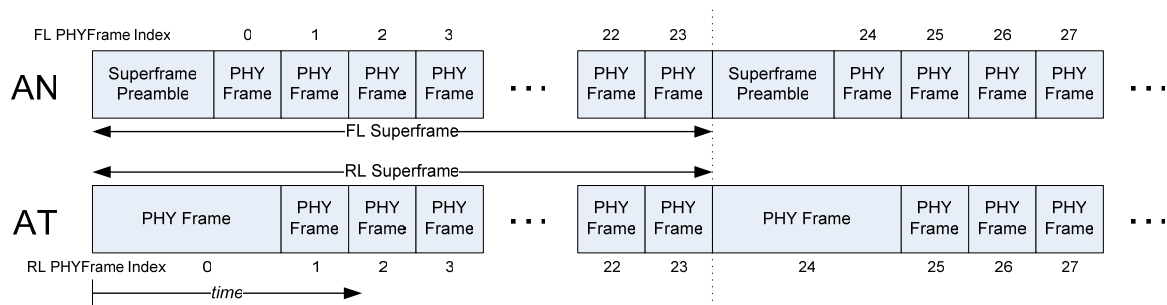
An FDD forward link superframe consists of a superframe preamble followed by  $N_{FDD,FLPHYFrames}$  FL PHY Frames, and an FDD reverse link superframe consists of  $N_{FDD,RLPHYFrames}$  RL PHY Frames, where  $N_{FDD,FLPHYFrames}$  represents the number of FDD FL PHY Frames per FL superframe and  $N_{FDD,RLPHYFrames}$  represents the number of FDD RL PHY Frames per RL superframe. These are constants in the system and  $N_{FDD,FLPHYFrames} = N_{FDD,RLPHYFrames} = 24$ .

The first RL PHY Frame of each RL superframe is lengthened by the duration of the FL superframe preamble to ensure superframe timing alignment between the forward link and reverse link.

Each superframe shall be uniquely identified by a superframe index that is incremented every superframe.

- Each FL PHY Frame shall be uniquely identified by a FL PHY Frame Index. The FL PHY Frame Index of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  FL PHY Frame,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}}-1$ , in the  $j^{\text{th}}$  superframe,  $j = 0, 1, \dots$ , shall be given by  $j * N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}} + i$ .
- Each RL PHY Frame shall be uniquely identified by a RL PHY Frame Index. The RL PHY Frame Index of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  RL PHY Frame,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}}-1$ , in the  $j^{\text{th}}$  superframe,  $j = 0, 1, \dots$ , shall be given by  $j * N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}} + i$ .

Henceforth, a PHY Frame (FL or RL) with PHY Frame index  $k$  is referred to as (FL or RL) PHY Frame  $k$ . The exact timing details are provided by the Physical Layer Specification. The structure of FDD forward link and reverse link superframes with  $N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 24$  and  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 24$  is shown in Figure 7-2.

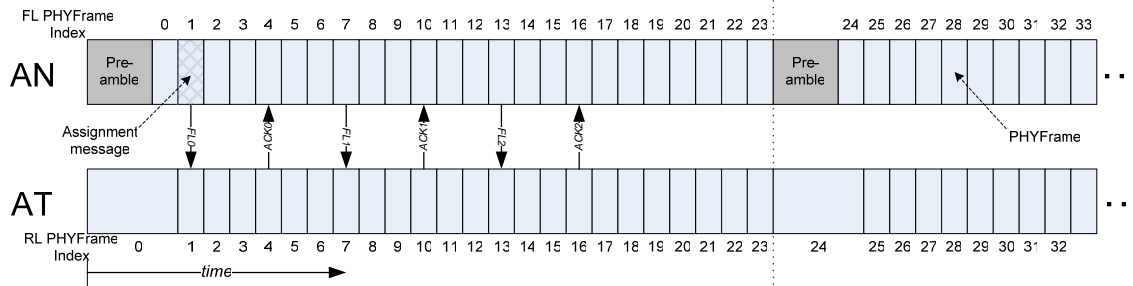


**Figure 7-2 FDD superframe timing**

#### 7.1.3.1.2 H-ARQ interlace structure

There are six interlaces on both the forward and reverse links, and PHY Frame  $k$  is a member of interlace  $k \bmod 6$ . Forward link assignments that arrive in FL PHY Frame  $k$  shall apply to the interlace containing FL PHY Frame  $k$  and starting with FL PHY Frame  $k$ . A FL transmission of a MAC packet on FL PHY Frame  $k$  is acknowledged on RL PHY Frame  $k+3$ . HARQ retransmissions associated with the MAC packet that starts in PHY Frame  $k$  occur in PHY Frames  $k+6n$  where  $n$  is the retransmission index,  $n=0,1, \dots$ .

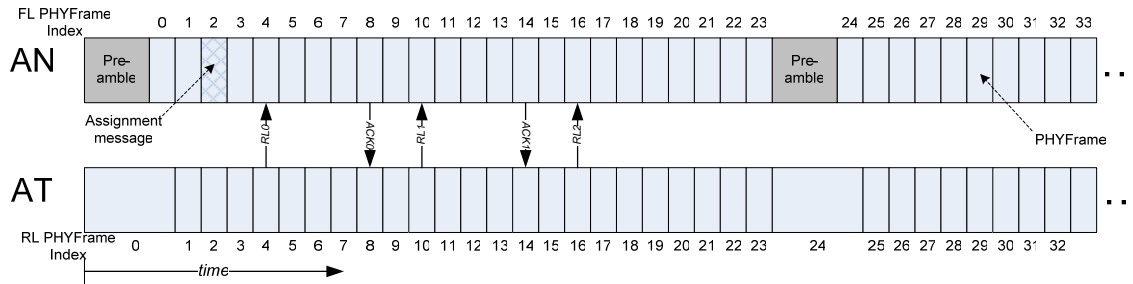
Figure 7-3 shows examples of the timing relationship between FL packet transmissions and the associated acknowledgement transmissions for the FDD mode with  $N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 24$  and  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 24$ .



**Figure 7-3 FDD FL H-ARQ interlace structure**

Reverse link assignments that arrive in FL PHY Frame  $k$  shall apply to the interlace containing RL PHY Frame  $k+2$  and starting with RL PHY Frame  $k+2$ . A RL transmission of a MAC packet on RL PHY Frame  $k$  is acknowledged on FL PHY Frame  $k+4$ . HARQ retransmissions associated with the MAC packet that starts in PHY Frame  $k$  occur in PHY Frames  $k+6n$  where  $n$  is the retransmission index,  $n=0,1, \dots$ .

Figure 7-4 shows the timing relationship between the RL packet transmissions and the associated acknowledgment transmissions for the FDD mode with  $N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 24$  and  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 24$ .



**Figure 7-4 FDD RL H-ARQ interlace structure**

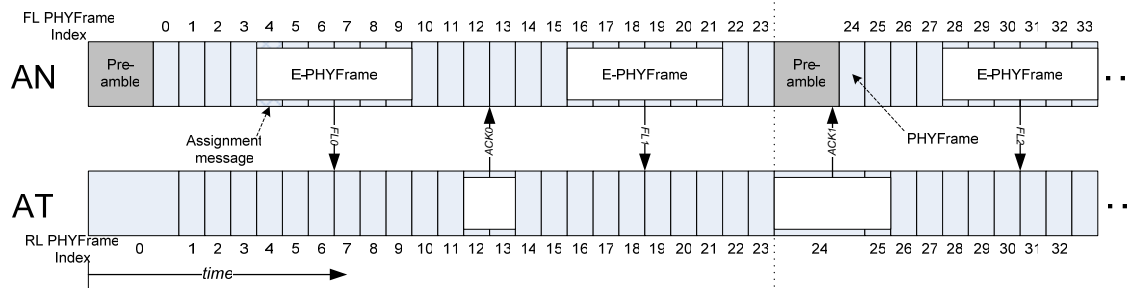
### 7.1.3.1.3 H-ARQ interlace structure for Extended Transmission Duration Assignments

For FDD, in addition to the standard H-ARQ interlace structure, the system supports the use of “Extended Transmission Duration” assignments. Such assignments utilize extended PHY Frames (denoted E-PHY Frames, where E-PHY Frame  $k$  consists of PHY Frames  $k$  through  $k+5$ ) and alter the timing of transmissions and corresponding ACK transmissions relative to the standard assignments. Extended Transmission Duration assignments create a potential for resource assignment collisions with standard assignments, and the AN should manage resource assignments to prevent such collisions.

Forward link assignments that arrive in FL PHY Frame  $k$  shall apply to the E-PHY Frame and the associated Extended Transmission Duration interlace starting with FL PHY Frame  $k$ . Note that with Extended Transmission Duration assignments, the associated interlace can begin in any FL PHY Frame. A FL transmission of a MAC packet using an Extended Transmission Duration assignment

that starts on FL PHY Frame  $k$  continues for six consecutive PHY Frames (an E-PHY Frame). The E-PHY Frame is acknowledged using a combination of RL PHY Frames  $k+8$  and  $k+9$ . HARQ retransmissions associated with the MAC packet that starts in FL PHY Frame  $k$  occur in FL PHY Frames  $k+12n$  where  $n$  is the retransmission index.

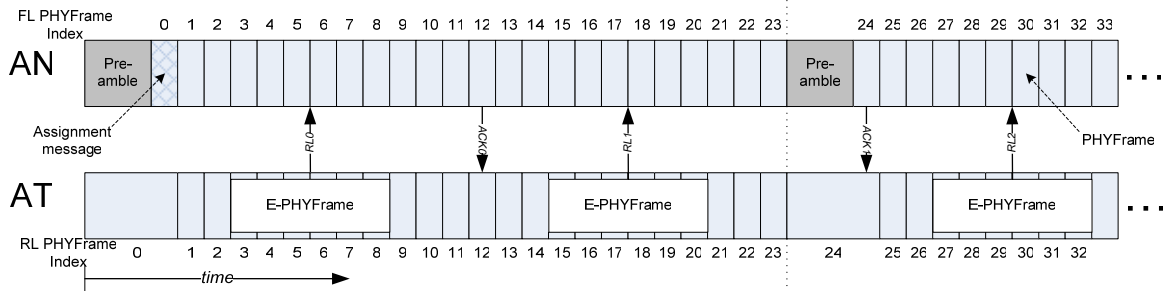
Figure 7-5 shows examples of the timing relationship between FL packet transmissions and the associated acknowledgement transmissions for the FDD mode with  $N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 24$  and  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 24$ .



**Figure 7-5 FDD FL H-ARQ interlace structure for Extended Transmission Duration Assignments**

Reverse link assignments that arrive in FL PHY Frame  $k$  shall apply to the E-PHY Frame and the associated Extended Transmission Duration interlace starting with RL PHY Frame  $k+3$ . A RL transmission of a MAC packet using an Extended Transmission Duration assignment that starts on RL PHY Frame  $k$  continues for six consecutive PHY Frames (an E-PHY Frame). The E-PHY Frame is acknowledged on FL PHY Frame  $k+9$ . HARQ retransmissions associated with the MAC packet that starts in PHY Frame  $k$  occur in PHY Frames  $k+12n$  where  $n$  is the retransmission index.

Figure 7-6 shows examples of the timing relationship between RL packet transmissions and the associated acknowledgement transmissions for the FDD mode with  $N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 24$  and  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 24$ .



**Figure 7-6 FDD RL H-ARQ interlace structure for Extended Transmission Duration Assignments**

### 7.1.3.2 TDD

TDD mode has two associated variables called  $N_{FL\_BURST}$  and  $N_{RL\_BURST}$  (parameters of the Overhead Messages Protocol) that determine FL and RL partitioning. Specifically, the  $N_{FL\_BURST}:N_{RL\_BURST}$  partitioning refers to a partitioning wherein  $N_{FL\_BURST}$  FL PHY Frames are transmitted on the FL followed by  $N_{RL\_BURST}$  RL PHY Frames on the RL and so on in time.

A TDD forward link superframe consists of a superframe preamble and  $N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames}$  FL PHY Frames, and a TDD reverse link superframe consists of  $N_{TDD,RLPHYFrames}$  RL PHY Frames where  $N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames}$  is the number of FL PHY Frames per FL superframe, and  $N_{TDD,RLPHYFrames}$  is the number of RL PHY Frames per RL superframe.  $N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames}$  and  $N_{TDD,RLPHYFrames}$  are computed as follows:

$$N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames} = N_{FL\_BURST} \left\lceil \frac{24}{N_{FL\_BURST} + N_{RL\_BURST}} \right\rceil$$

$$N_{TDD,RLPHYFrames} = N_{RL\_BURST} \left\lceil \frac{24}{N_{FL\_BURST} + N_{RL\_BURST}} \right\rceil$$

The HARQ structure for the special case  $N_{FL\_BURST} = N_{RL\_BURST} = 1$ , or the 1:1 partitioning is described first. Then the 2:1 partitioning, followed by a general  $N_{FL\_BURST}:N_{RL\_BURST}$  partitioning is described. Note that while the general partition description does reduce to the 1:1 partitioning with  $N_{FL\_BURST} = N_{RL\_BURST} = 1$ , the 2:1 partitioning does not follow from the general partitioning because some optimizations have been used in the 2:1 partitioning to reduce H-ARQ retransmission latency on the FL.

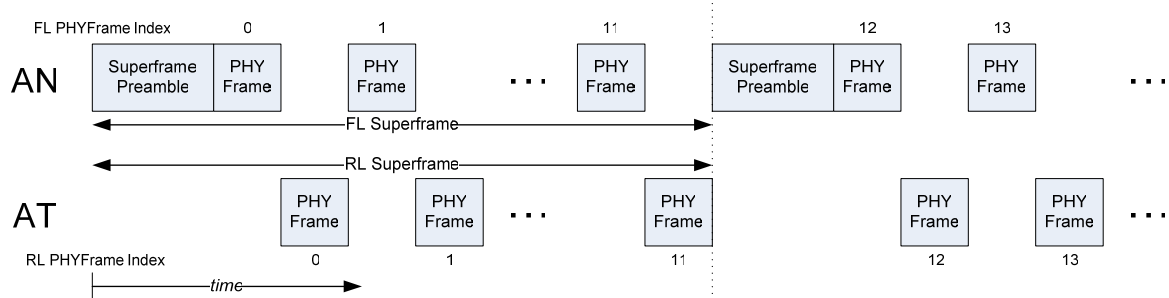
#### 7.1.3.2.1 Superframe timing for 1:1 partitioning

In the TDD mode, FL and RL transmissions alternate in time. Excluding the superframe preamble at the beginning of each FL superframe, the transmissions alternate between FL PHY Frames and RL PHY Frames throughout the superframe. An appropriate amount of guard interval is inserted between each FL-RL transition.

Each superframe shall be uniquely identified by a superframe index that is incremented every superframe.

- Each FL PHY Frame shall be uniquely identified by a FL PHY Frame Index. The FL PHY Frame Index of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  FL PHY Frame,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames}-1$ , in the  $j^{\text{th}}$  superframe,  $j = 0, 1, \dots$ , shall be given by  $j*N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames} + i$ .
- Each RL PHY Frame shall be uniquely identified by a RL PHY Frame Index. The RL PHY Frame Index of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  RL PHY Frame,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, N_{TDD,RLPHYFrames}-1$ , in the  $j^{\text{th}}$  superframe,  $j = 0, 1, \dots$ , shall be given by  $j*N_{TDD,RLPHYFrames} + i$ .

Henceforth, a PHY Frame (FL or RL) with PHY Frame index  $k$  is referred to as (FL or RL) PHY Frame  $k$ . The exact timing details are provided by the Physical Layer specification. The structure of the TDD forward link and reverse link superframes with  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 12$  and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 12$  is shown in Figure 7-7.

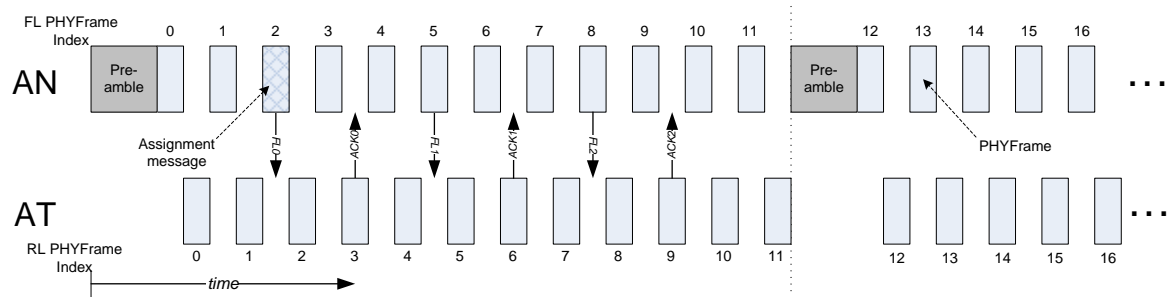


**Figure 7-7 TDD superframe timing for 1:1 partitioning**

#### 7.1.3.2.2 H-ARQ interlace structure for 1:1 partitioning

There are three interlaces on both the forward and reverse links. Forward link assignments that arrive in FL PHY Frame  $k$  shall apply to the interlace containing FL PHY Frame  $k$  and starting with FL PHY Frame  $k$ . A FL transmission of a MAC packet on FL PHY Frame  $k$  is acknowledged on RL PHY Frame  $k+1$ . HARQ retransmissions associated with the MAC packet that starts in PHY Frame  $k$  occur in PHY Frames  $k+3n$  where  $n$  is the retransmission index,  $n=0,1, \dots$ .

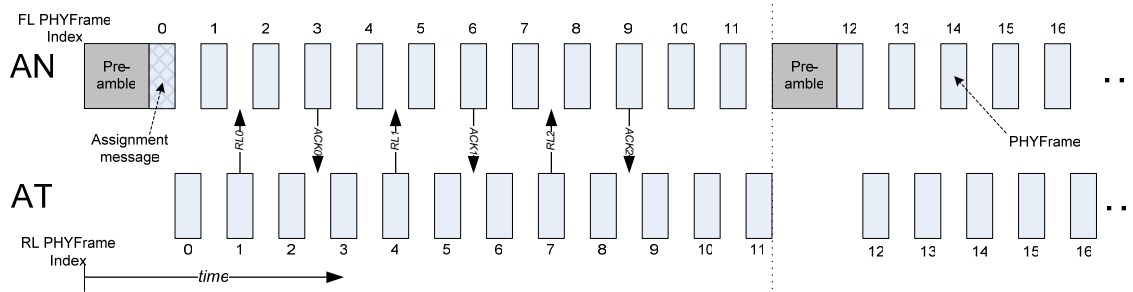
Figure 7-8 shows the timing relationship between the FL packet transmissions and the associated acknowledgment transmissions for the TDD mode with  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 12$  and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 12$ .



**Figure 7-8 TDD FL H-ARQ interlace structure for 1:1 partitioning**

Reverse link assignments that arrive in FL PHY Frame  $k$  shall apply to the interlace containing RL PHY Frame  $k+1$  and starting with RL PHY Frame  $k+1$ . A RL transmission of a MAC packet on RL PHY Frame  $k$  is acknowledged on FL PHY Frame  $k+2$ . HARQ retransmissions associated with the MAC packet that starts in PHY Frame  $k$  occur in PHY Frames  $k+3n$  where  $n$  is the retransmission index.

Figure 7-9 shows the timing relationship between the RL packet transmissions and the associated acknowledgment transmissions for the TDD mode with  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 12$  and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 12$ .



**Figure 7-9 TDD RL H-ARQ interlace structure for 1:1 partitioning**

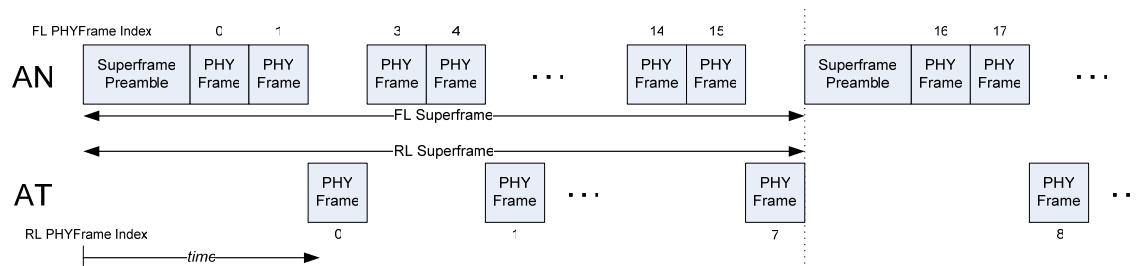
### 7.1.3.2.3 Superframe timing for 2:1 partitioning

In the TDD 2:1 mode, FL and RL transmissions alternate in time, with 2 FL PHY Frames followed by 1 RL PHY Frame in time. Excluding the superframe preamble at the beginning of each FL superframe, the transmissions alternate between FL PHY Frames and RL PHY Frames throughout the superframe. An appropriate amount of guard interval is inserted between each FL-RL transition.

Each superframe shall be uniquely identified by a superframe index that is incremented every superframe.

- Each FL PHY Frame shall be uniquely identified by a FL PHY Frame Index. The FL PHY Frame Index of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  FL PHY Frame,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} - 1$ , in the  $j^{\text{th}}$  superframe,  $j = 0, 1, \dots$ , shall be given by  $j * N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} + i$ .
- Each RL PHY Frame shall be uniquely identified by a RL PHY Frame Index. The RL PHY Frame Index of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  RL PHY Frame,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} - 1$ , in the  $j^{\text{th}}$  superframe,  $j = 0, 1, \dots$ , shall be given by  $j * N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} + i$ .

Henceforth, a PHY Frame (FL or RL) with PHY Frame index  $k$  is referred to as (FL or RL) PHY Frame  $k$ . The exact timing details are provided by the Physical Layer specification. The structure of the TDD forward link and reverse link superframes with  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 16$  and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 8$  is shown in Figure 7-10.



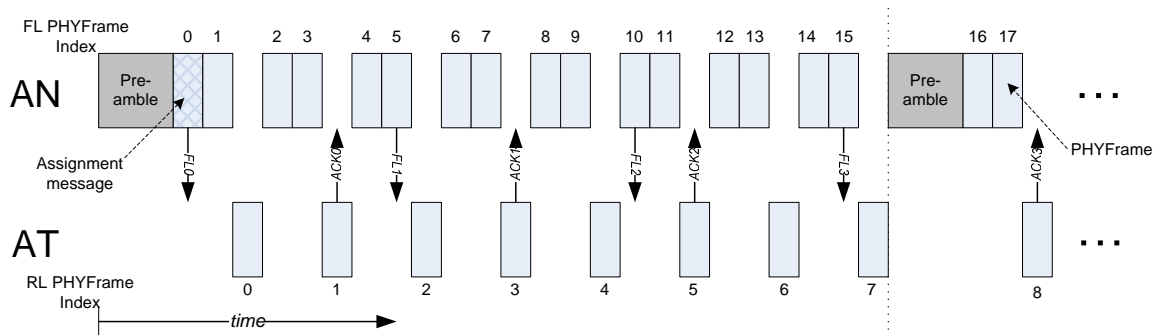
**Figure 7-10 TDD superframe timing for 2:1 partitioning**



### 7.1.3.2.4 H-ARQ interlace structure for 2:1 partitioning

There are five interlaces on the forward and two interlaces on the reverse link. Forward link assignments that arrive in FL PHY Frame  $k$  shall apply to the interlace containing FL PHY Frame  $k$  and starting with FL PHY Frame  $k$ . A FL transmission of a MAC packet FL PHY Frame  $k$  is acknowledged in RL PHY Frame  $\lfloor k/2 \rfloor + 1$ . HARQ retransmissions associated with the MAC packet that starts in PHY Frame  $k$  occur in PHY Frames  $k+5n$  where  $n$  is the retransmission index,  $n=0,1, \dots$ .

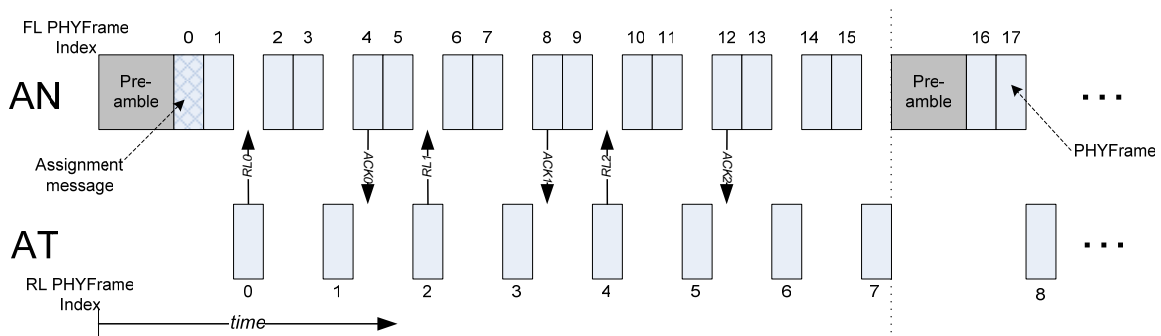
Figure 7-11 shows the timing relationship between the FL packet transmissions and the associated acknowledgment transmissions for the TDD mode with  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 16$  and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 8$ .



**Figure 7-11 TDD FL H-ARQ interlace structure for 2:1 partitioning**

Reverse link assignments that arrive in FL PHY Frame  $k$  shall apply to the interlace containing RL PHY Frame  $\lfloor k/2 \rfloor$  and starting with the same RL PHY Frame. Note that due to assignment demodulation requirements at the AT, Assignment messages are only sent in FL PHY Frames with an even index. A RL transmission of a MAC packet on RL PHY Frame  $j$  is acknowledged on FL PHY Frame  $2j + 4$ . HARQ retransmissions associated with the MAC packet that starts in PHY Frame  $k$  occur in PHY Frames  $k+2n$  where  $n$  is the retransmission index.

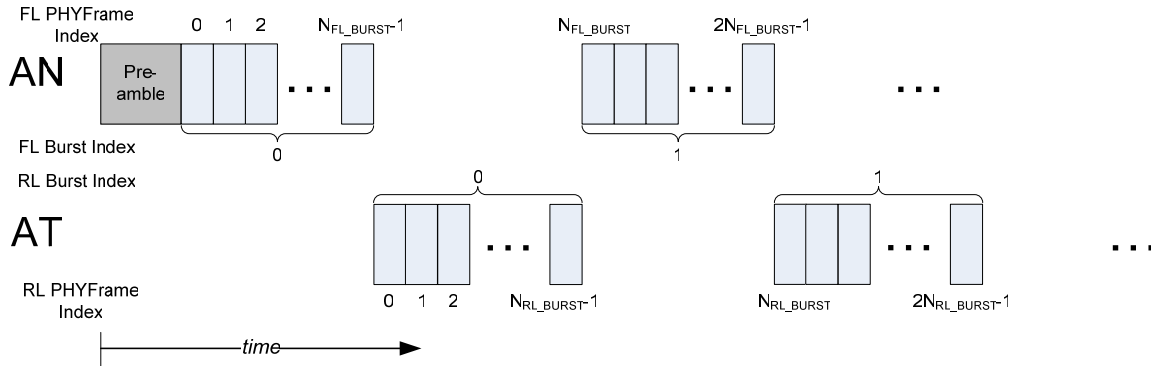
Figure 7-12 shows the timing relationship between the RL packet transmissions and the associated acknowledgment transmissions for the TDD mode with  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} = 16$  and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} = 8$ .



**Figure 7-12 TDD RL H-ARQ interlace structure for 2:1 partitioning**

### 7.1.3.2.5 Superframe timing and interlace structure for Generalized TDD partitioning

In addition to the 1:1 and 2:1 FL/RL TDD partitioning structures, the system supports a general TDD partitioning.<sup>30</sup> For convenience, let a FL burst be a set of  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  PHY Frames that are transmitted continuously in time on the FL, and a RL burst be a set of  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$  PHY Frames that are transmitted continuously in time on the RL resulting in a  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}:N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$  partitioning. FL and RL bursts then alternate in time, as shown in Figure 7-13. Let the “burst index” be an index of bursts, for example, FL Burst  $i$  consists of FL PHY Frames  $i \cdot N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  through  $(i+1)N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} - 1$ .



**Figure 7-13 TDD Superframe Structure for other partitionings**

Assignment, acknowledgement, and retransmission timing can then be specified using the following formulas, where  $i$  is the FL Burst Index, and  $j$  is the RL Burst index.

Assignments:

FL PHY Frames in  $i$  are assigned in FL burst  $i$ .

RL PHY Frames in  $j$  are assigned in FL burst  $i=j$  if  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} > 1$  or  $i=j-1$  if  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} = 1$ .

Note that for RL assignments, if  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} \geq N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$ , then an assignment in the  $k$ th PHY Frame of the FL burst applies to the interlace containing  $k$ th PHY Frame of the relevant RL burst. However, if  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} < N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$ , the assignment will contain additional bits enabling the AT to determine the interlace of the assignment.

Acknowledgement:

FL PHY Frames in  $i$  are acknowledged in RL burst  $j=i+1$ .

RL PHY Frames in  $j$  are acknowledged in FL burst  $i=j+2$ .

See 7.6.6.3.10.2 for the details of the ACK channelization within the relevant burst.

Retransmissions:

FL PHY Frames in  $i$  are retransmitted in FL burst  $i+2$  if  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} > 1$  or  $i+3$  if  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} = 1$ .

RL PHY Frames in  $j$  are retransmitted in RL burst  $j+2$  if  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} > 1$  or  $j+3$  if  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} = 1$ .

Note that retransmissions occur in the same PHY Frame within a burst. Thus, if a transmission occurs in the second PHY Frame of the burst, then all retransmissions shall also occur in the second PHY Frame of the relevant subsequent bursts.

<sup>30</sup> Note that this generalized partitioning reduces to the 1:1 partitioning described above in section 7.1.3.2.1, but does not reduce to the 2:1 partitioning of section 7.1.3.2.3. The 2:1 partitioning has been optimized on the FL to minimize retransmission latency.

Resulting number of interlaces:

$2 \cdot N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  FL interlaces if  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} > 1$  or  $3 \cdot N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  FL interlaces if  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} = 1$ .

$2 \cdot N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$  RL interlaces if  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} > 1$  or  $3 \cdot N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$  RL interlaces if  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} = 1$ .

## 7.1.4 Common definitions and terms

### 7.1.4.1 Channel trees

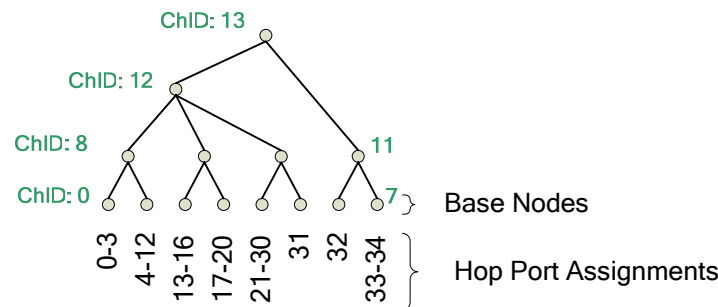
A channel tree is used to specify sets of hop-ports that are associated with each channel identification number (ChID). A set of hop-ports is said to be “mapped to a node” and a node “maps” a set of hop-ports. The following terms are used in association with channel trees in this specification:

- **Hop-port.** The fundamental unit of channel assignment. Each hop-port maps to one unique subcarrier. The mapping of hop-ports to subcarriers varies with time according to hopping rules specified in the Physical Layer specification.
- **Node.** A node corresponds to a single ChID.
- **Children, Descendants.** Nodes that map a subset of the hop-ports mapped by a node.
- **Parents, Ancestors.** Nodes that map a superset of the hop-ports mapped by a node.
- **Base-nodes.** Nodes with no children. Base-nodes are assigned specific Physical Layer resources – in this case, hop-ports.
- **MinHopPortsPerNode.** The minimum number of hop-ports mapped to a node.

The indices of hop-ports follows a conventioned used throughout the Lower MAC Sublayer. Namely, hop-port indices are allocated sequentially starting from index 0. The base nodes are ordered in a left-to-right ordering as drawn, and hop-port indices are allocated sequentially starting from index 0 to the base nodes from left to right.

For example, the channel tree in Figure 7-14 has 14 nodes, numbered from 0 to 13. The base-nodes are ChIDs 0 – 7. There are a total of 35 hop-ports available. Consider the node associated with ChID 10. This node has parent ChID 12 and children ChIDs 4 and 5. The node maps 11 hop-ports, namely hop-ports 21-31.

Because nodes define orthogonal channel assignments, the use of a node in the tree can restrict use of other nodes. Thus, if a node is in use, then all descendants and ancestors of the node are unavailable for use and are called “restricted” nodes.



**Figure 7-14 Example channel tree**

### 7.1.4.2 Power density

The Lower MAC Layer computes the power settings of Physical Layer channels and passes these settings to the Physical Layer for use. In some cases, “power density” is used to communicate transmission power levels, as defined below:

**Power density**                      The expected power per modulation symbol

where “modulation symbol” refers to frequency domain (pre-IFFT) symbols, as defined in the Physical Layer specification. The “expected” power is used to cover the case of transmissions using non-constant modulus signal constellations. In all cases, the density shall be computed according to the parameters of the modulation symbols in the particular channel being specified.

## 7.2 Default Control Channel MAC Protocol

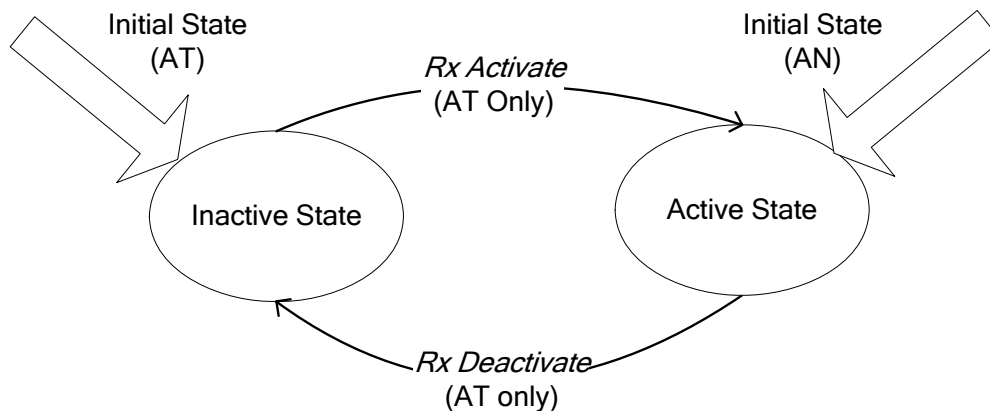
### 7.2.1 Overview

The Default Control Channel MAC Protocol provides the procedures and messages required for an access network (AN) to transmit and for an access terminal to receive the Control Channel. The protocol controls transmissions over the following Physical Layer channels: the other- sector interference channel (OSICH), and the primary broadcast channels (pBCH0 and pBCH1).

This specification assumes that the access network has one instance of this protocol for each sector in the network.

This protocol can be in one of two states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command. This state applies only to the access terminal and occurs when the access terminal has not acquired an access network or is not monitoring the Control Channel.
- *Active State*: In this state, the access network transmits and the access terminal receives the Control Channel.



**Figure 7-15 Default Control Channel MAC Protocol state diagram**

## 7.2.2 Primitives

### 7.2.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

### 7.2.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *SupervisionFailed*
- *PageReceived*
- *QuickPageReceived*

## 7.2.3 Public data

### 7.2.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

### 7.2.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol.

## 7.2.4 Protocol data unit

The transmission unit of this protocol is defined separately for the three physical channels used by the protocol (pBCH0, pBCH1, and OSICH), as defined in 7.2.6.1, 7.2.6.2, and 7.2.6.3.

## 7.2.5 Protocol initialization and swap

### 7.2.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon initialization at the access network,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State.

### 7.2.5.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap at the access terminal, the protocol instance shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon swap at the access network, the protocol instance shall enter the Active State.

### 7.2.6 Procedures

The following sections specify procedures for transmission and reception of the F-pBCH0, F-pBCH1, and F-OSICH Physical Layer channels.

#### 7.2.6.1 Procedures for transmission and reception of the F-pBCH1 Physical Layer channel

If multi-carrier mode is MultiCarrierOn, this protocol shall deliver a separate payload for transmission on each carrier. An F-pBCH1 channel transmission consists of the following payload:

Field	Length (bits)
LoadControl	2
ControlDataInterferenceOffset	4
BlockType0	2
QuickPage block	0 or $N_{QP\_BLK}$
QuickChannelInfo block	0 or as specified by Overhead Messages Protocol
BlockType1	0 or 2
QuickPage block	0 or $N_{QP\_BLK}$
QuickChannelInfo block	0 or as specified by Overhead Messages Protocol
BlockType2	0 or 2
QuickPage block	0 or $N_{QP\_BLK}$
QuickChannelInfo block	0 or as specified by Overhead Messages Protocol
BlockType3	0 or 2
QuickPage block	0 or $N_{QP\_BLK}$
QuickChannelInfo block	0 or as specified by Overhead Messages Protocol
Reserved	Variable

**LoadControl** This field shall determine the class of access terminals that are allowed to make an access attempt in the superframe.

### ControlDataInterferenceOffset

This field shall determine the interference offset between the Reverse Control Channel and the Reverse Traffic channel in units of 0.5 dB

### BlockType<sub>j</sub>

This field shall indicate the type of payload carried by the transmission. The block type '00' is reserved.

### QuickPage block

This field shall be included if BlockType preceding it is set to '01'. The transmitter shall construct the QuickPage block in accordance with the reception procedure 7.2.6.1.1.

### QuickChannelInfo block

This field shall be included if BlockType preceding it is set to '10'. The transmitter shall obtain the QuickChannelInfo block from the Overhead Messages Protocol.

### Reserved

The transmitter shall set the number of reserved bits to zero so that the packet given to the physical layer is  $N_{CCMPpBCH1Bits}$  bits in length.

The fields above obey the following rules:

- BlockType<sub>j</sub> shall take the value '01' if it is followed by a QuickPage block.
- BlockType<sub>j</sub> shall take the value '10' if it is followed by a QuickChannelInfo block.
- The number of BlockType<sub>j</sub> fields shall be in accordance with  $N_{CCMPpBCH1Bits}$ .
- If a QuickChannelInfo block is included, it shall be the last block included.

The above rule makes it possible to carry, for example, two QuickPage and one QuickChannelInfo block in the same pBCH1 transmission. However, it disallows two QuickPage and two QuickChannelInfo blocks in the same pBCH1 transmission.

The transmitter shall set one of the BlockType fields to '10' in superframes with an even superframe index. The transmitter shall set at least one of the BlockType to '01' in superframes with an odd superframe index. At the transmit side, the protocol shall deliver the packet for transmission on F-pBCH1.

The receiver shall use 7.2.6.1.1 to parse the received QuickPage block. The receiver shall forward the received QuickChannelInfo block and reserved bits to the Overhead Messages Protocol.

#### 7.2.6.1.1 Procedure for reception of the QuickPage block

The access terminal shall declare the QuickPage block to be in error if there is an error on the F-pBCH1 channel that contains a QuickPage block (this error information may be used by the Idle State Protocol). The access terminal shall process only those QuickPage blocks that occur in superframes with superframe number contained in the PageTimes array that is public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The access terminal shall ignore QuickPage blocks in other superframes.

The QuickPage block may contain multiple QuickPages or a single Page (as decided by the access network). The access terminal shall process each received QuickPage block as described below.

The format of the QuickPage block shall depend on the first three bits (NumPages field) in the block. NumPages is the number of pages or quick pages in the QuickPage block. The access terminal performs the following actions upon receiving a QuickPage block.

- If NumPages=0 the QuickPage block shall be ignored.
- If NumPages=1 and the ATI in the QuickPage block matches the ReceiveATIList of the Address Management Protocol, the protocol shall issue a *PageReceived* indication.
- If  $1 < \text{NumPages} \leq 6$ , and the least significant bits of RQuickPage that is public data of the Idle State Protocol match one of the RQuickPage $i$  fields in the QuickPage block, the protocol shall generate a *QuickPageReceived* indication.
- If NumPages=7, the protocol shall generate a *QuickPageReceived* indication if one of the following conditions hold:
  - The least significant bits of RQuickPage match one of the RQuickPage $i$  fields in the QuickPage block.
  - RQuickPage7 is not equal to RQuickPage8, and the 4 least significant bits of RQuickPage are larger than RQuickPage8.

**Table 7-1 QuickPage format with NumPages=0**

Field	Length (bits)	Value
NumPages	3	0x0
Reserved	$N_{QP\_BLK} - 3$	

**Table 7-2 QuickPage format with NumPages=1**

Field	Length (bits)	Value
NumPages	3	0x1
ATI	32	ATI of paged terminal
Reserved	$N_{QP\_BLK} - 35$	

**Table 7-3 QuickPage format with NumPages=2**

Field	Length (bits)	Value
NumPages	3	0x2
RQuickPage1	16	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage2	16	RQuickPageLSBs
Reserved	$N_{QP\_BLK} - 35$	



**Table 7-4 QuickPage format with NumPages=3**

Field	Length (bits)	Value
NumPages	3	0x3
RQuickPage1	10	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage2	10	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage3	10	RQuickPageLSBs
Reserved	$N_{QP\_BLK} - 33$	

**Table 7-5 QuickPage format with NumPages=4**

Field	Length (bits)	Value
NumPages	3	0x4
RQuickPage1	8	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage2	8	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage3	8	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage4	8	RQuickPageLSBs
Reserved	$N_{QP\_BLK} - 33$	

**Table 7-6 QuickPage format with NumPages=5**

Field	Length (bits)	Value
NumPages	3	0x5
RQuickPage1	6	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage2	6	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage3	6	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage4	6	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage5	6	RQuickPageLSBs
Reserved	$N_{QP\_BLK} - 33$	

**Table 7-7 QuickPage format with NumPages=6**

Field	Length (bits)	Value
NumPages	3	0x6
RQuickPage1	5	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage2	5	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage3	5	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage4	5	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage5	5	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage6	5	RQuickPageLSBs
Reserved	$N_{QP\_BLK} - 33$	

**Table 7-8 QuickPage format with NumPages=7**

Field	Length (bits)	Value
NumPages	3	0x7
RQuickPage1	4	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage2	4	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage3	4	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage4	4	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage5	4	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage6	4	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage7	4	RQuickPageLSBs
RQuickPage8	4	RQuickPageLSBs
Reserved	$N_{QP\_BLK} - 35$	

### 7.2.6.2 Procedures for transmission and reception of the F-pBCH0 Physical Layer channel

An F-pBCH0 channel transmission has the following payload.

Field	Length (bits)
SystemInfo block	Specified by Overhead Messages Protocol
Reserved	Variable

**SystemInfo block** The transmitter shall obtain the SystemInfo block from the Overhead Messages Protocol.

**Reserved** The transmitter shall set the number of reserved bits to make the transmitted packet (including the CRC added by the Physical Layer) octet aligned.

At the transmit side, every  $N_{pBCH0\_Period}$  superframes, the protocol shall deliver the packet to the F-pBCH0 for transmission (where  $N_{pBCH0\_Period}$  is defined in the Physical Layer). If multi-carrier mode is MultiCarrierOn, the this protocol shall deliver a separate packet for each carrier.

At the receive side, the protocol shall forward the received payload to the Overhead Messages Protocol.

### 7.2.6.3 Procedures for transmission and reception of the F-OSICH Physical Layer channel

The Access Network shall forward OSI value to the Physical Layer for transmission over the F-OSICH Physical Layer channel. The computation of the OSI value is beyond the scope of this specification. If multi-carrier mode is MultiCarrierOn, the this protocol shall deliver a separate packet for each carrier.

An F-OSICH channel transmission has the following payload.

Field	Length (bits)
OSIValue	2
Reserved	Variable

OSIValue      The value shall indicate the level of interference at the sector.

The Access Terminal shall monitor the OSICH channels of each sector in the OSIMonitorSet (see 7.7.6.4.1.6.1) and provide the received values to the Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol.

#### 7.2.6.4 Command processing

##### 7.2.6.4.1 Activate

If this protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the access terminal shall transition to the Active State

If this protocol receives this command in the Active State, the command shall be ignored.

##### 7.2.6.4.2 Deactivate

If this protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

If this protocol receives this command in the Active State, the access terminal shall transition to the Inactive State

##### 7.2.6.5 Inactive state

This state applies only to the access terminal.

When the protocol is in the Inactive State, the access terminal waits for an *Activate* command.

##### 7.2.6.6 Active state

In this state, the access network transmits, and the access terminal monitors, the channels associated with the Control Channel MAC.

##### 7.2.6.6.1 Access terminal requirements

###### 7.2.6.6.1.1 F-pBCH0 supervision

Upon entering the active state, the access terminal shall set the F-pBCH0 supervision timer for  $T_{CCMPSupervision0}$ . If an F-pBCH0 MAC packet is received while the timer is active, the timer is reset and restarted. If the timer expires, the protocol returns a *SupervisionFailed* indication and disables the timer.

### 7.2.6.6.1.2 F-pBCH1 supervision

Upon entering the active state, the access terminal shall set the F-pBCH1 supervision timer for  $T_{\text{CCMPSupervision1}}$ . If an F-pBCH1 MAC packet is received while the timer is active, the timer is reset and restarted. If the timer expires, the protocol returns a *SupervisionFailed* indication and disables the timer.

## 7.2.7 Header and trailer formats

The headers and trailers for the F-pBCH0, F-pBCH1 and F-OSICH are described in the sections procedures for transmission and reception for the respective channels.

## 7.2.8 Interface to other protocols

### 7.2.8.1 Commands

This protocol does not issue any commands.

### 7.2.8.2 Indications

This protocol does not register to receive any indications.

## 7.2.9 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

## 7.2.10 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
$N_{\text{CCMPType}}$	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
$N_{\text{CCMPDefault}}$	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
$T_{\text{CCMPSupervision0}}$	F-pBCH0 supervision timer value	12 F-pBCH0 cycles
$T_{\text{CCMPSupervision1}}$	F-pBCH1 supervision timer value	12 superframes
$N_{\text{QP\_BLK}}$	Number of bits in the QuickPagingBlock	35 bits
$N_{\text{CCMPpBCH1Bits}}$	Number of bits in the pBCH1 payload	52

## 7.2.11 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 7.3 Default Access Channel MAC Protocol

### 7.3.1 Overview

The Default Access Channel MAC Protocol provides the procedures and messages required for an access terminal to transmit, and an access network to receive, the Access Probe. An access probe may be used for initial access or handoff within an Active Set. The access network responds to an access probe with an Access Grant over the Shared Signaling MAC Protocol.

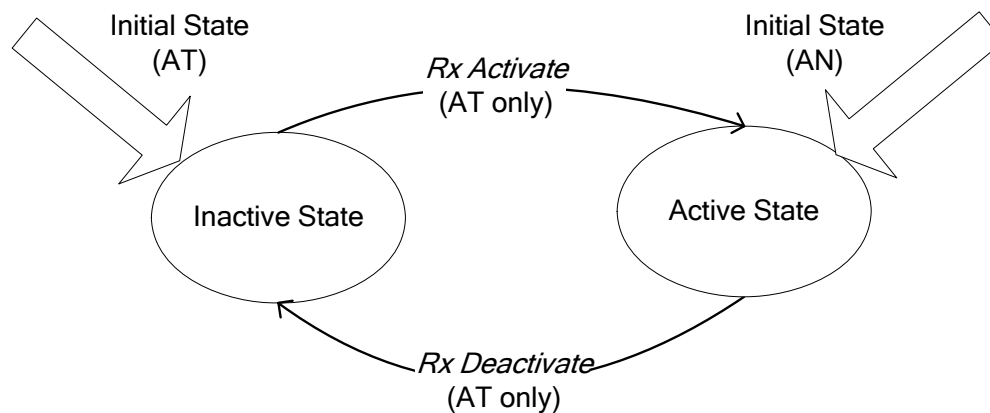
This specification assumes that the access network has one instance of this protocol for each sector in the network.

This protocol can be in one of two states at the access terminal:

- *Inactive State*: In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command. This state occurs when the access terminal has not acquired an access network.
- *Active State*: In this state, the access terminal may transmit on the Access Channel.

This protocol can be in only one state at the access network.

- *Active State*: In this state, the access network monitors the Access Channel.



**Figure 7-16 Default Access Channel MAC Protocol state diagram**

This protocol uses the following parameters and attributes.

Parameter Name	Where Defined	Comments
AccessCycleDuration	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
AccessSequencePartition	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
MaxProbesPerSequence	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
ProbeRampUpStepSize	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
PilotStrengthSegmentation	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
OpenLoopAdjust	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo

Parameter Name	Where Defined	Comments
AccessRetryPersistence ( $N_{ACMPAPersist}$ values)	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
ReverseLinkSilencePeriod	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
ReverseLinkSilenceDuration	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
LoadControl	CC MAC	pBCH1
MaxProbeSequences	Configuration Attribute	
PageResponseBackoff	Configuration Attribute	
MaxProbeSequenceBackoff	Configuration Attribute	
RertyPersistenceOverride	Configuration Attribute	
TerminalAccessClass	Configuration Attribute	
RequestThreshold1	Configuration Attribute	
RequestThreshold2	Configuration Attribute	

## 7.3.2 Primitives

### 7.3.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*
- *AttemptAccess*

### 7.3.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *AccessGrantReceived*
- *TransmissionAborted*
- *AccessProbeReceived*
- *AccessFailed*

## 7.3.3 Public data

### 7.3.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

### 7.3.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol
- AccessSequenceID
- PilotPN
- AccessCarrier
- ProbePower

### 7.3.4 Protocol data unit

This protocol does not carry any payload on behalf of other protocols.

### 7.3.5 Protocol initialization and swap

#### 7.3.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon initialization at the access network,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State.

#### 7.3.5.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap at the access terminal, the protocol instance shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon swap at the access network, the protocol instance shall enter the Active State.

### 7.3.6 Procedures

#### 7.3.6.1 Command processing

The access network shall ignore all commands.

##### 7.3.6.1.1 Activate

If this protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State,

- The access terminal shall transition to the Active State.
- The access network shall ignore this command.

If this protocol receives the command in the Active State, the command shall be ignored.

### 7.3.6.1.2 Deactivate

If this protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

If this protocol at the access terminal receives the command in the Active State, the access terminal shall

- Immediately cease transmitting on the Access Channel if it is in the process of sending a probe.
- Return a *TransmissionAborted* indication if it was in the process of sending an access probe.
- Clear all public data.
- Transition to the Inactive State.

The access network shall ignore this command.

### 7.3.6.1.3 AttemptAccess

If the access terminal receives an *AttemptAccess* command, it shall invoke the procedure for processing an *AttemptAccess* command.

### 7.3.6.2 Access channel structure

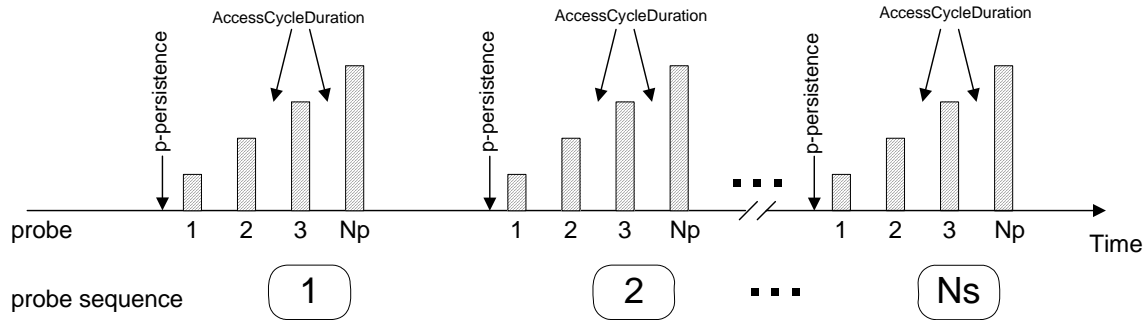
Figure 7-17 illustrates the access probe structure and the access probe sequences. In the figure,  $N_s$  probe sequences are shown, where each probe sequence has  $N_p$  probes. The Access Channel MAC Protocol transmits access probes by instructing the Physical Layer to transmit a probe. With the instruction, the Access Channel MAC Protocol provides the Physical Layer with a power level, *AccessSequenceID*, *PilotPN* of the sector to which the access probe is to be transmitted and an *AccessCarrier* field. The Physical Layer allows the transmission of access probes only once every Control Segment Period frames.

Each probe in a sequence is transmitted at increased power until any of the following conditions are met:

- The access terminal receives an access grant,
- Transmission is aborted because the protocol received a *Deactivate* command, or
- Maximum number of probes per sequence (*MaxProbesPerSequence*) has been transmitted. After a maximum number of probes has been transmitted, a new probe sequence may resume from a lower power level.

Prior to the transmission of the first probe of all probe sequences, the access terminal performs a persistence test (see section 7.3.6.4.1.3) that is used to control congestion on the Access Channel. This persistence test may return a zero value in some cases, depending on the cause for access.





**Figure 7-17 Access probe sequences.  $N_s$  sequences with  $N_p$  probes per sequence**

### 7.3.6.3 Inactive state

This state applies only to the access terminal.

In this state, the access terminal waits for an *Activate* command.

### 7.3.6.4 Active state

In this state, the access terminal is allowed to transmit on the Access Channel and the access network is monitoring the Access Channel.

#### 7.3.6.4.1 Access terminal requirements

##### 7.3.6.4.1.1 Procedure for processing the *AttemptAccess* command

The access terminal shall process only one *AttemptAccess* command at a time.

*AttemptAccess* commands shall cause an exiting probe transmission to end, and a new probe transmission to begin.

If any of the following events occurs while the *AttemptAccess* command is being processed, the access terminal shall invoke the procedure for ending probe transmission 7.3.6.4.1.2.

- The access terminal receives an access grant on the carrier on which the last access probe was transmitted (*SSMAC.AccessGrantReceived* indication).
- The access grant timer expires.
- The protocol receives an *IdleState.IdleHO* indication.
- The protocol receives a new *AttemptAccess* command (this command shall be processed after the current probe transmission ends).

When the procedure for processing the *AttemptAccess* command is invoked, the access terminal shall perform the following initial steps:

- Set *ProbeSequenceNumber* to 1.
- Set *ProbeNumber* to 1.
- Set *TerminalAccessRetryPersistence* to the *TerminalAccessClass* number field of the *AccessRetryPersistence* values. For example, if the *TerminalAccessClass* is 0, the field shall be set to the first *AccessRetryPersistence* value in the *AccessParametersGroup*.

- Set PilotPN to the Active Set public data field of the Idle State Protocol, or if a PilotPN was specified with the *AttemptAccess* command, set PilotPN to the specified value.
- Wait till the beginning of the next Control Segment Period (as defined in the Physical Layer).

After performing the initial steps, the access terminal shall perform the following steps to transmit probes:

1. If ProbeSequenceNumber is greater than MaxProbeSequences, it shall set an access grant timer for  $T_{ACMPANProbeTimeout}$  duration and not perform additional steps.
2. Determine the AccessSequenceID by invoking procedure 7.3.6.4.1.4.
3. Add the AccessSequenceID to the public data.
4. If ProbeNumber is greater than MaxProbesPerSequence it shall:
  - a. Set ProbeNumber to 1.
  - b. Increment ProbeSequenceNumber by 1.
  - c. Determine the AccessCarrier by monitoring the LoadControl bits on the different carriers. For the remainder of the procedures, the access terminal shall use overhead parameters corresponding to the selected AccessCarrier.
  - d. Add the AccessCarrier to the public data.
5. If ProbeNumber is 1, it shall determine DelayToNextProbe by invoking the procedure for determining probe sequence backoff time 7.3.6.4.1.3. Otherwise, it shall set DelayToNextProbe to the AccessCycleDuration.
6. Start a timer for DelayToNextProbe frames. After the timer is expired, the access terminal shall proceed to the next step. This timer shall be decremented only in frames that satisfy the following requirements:
  - a. The ReverseLinkSilenceDuration and ReverseLinkSilencePeriod for the current sector is not active in the frame.
  - b. The superframe containing that frame has the LoadControl bits transmitted on the Control Channel MAC set to a value less than or equal to the TerminalAccessClass configuration attribute.
7. Calculate the InitialProbePower using the procedures given in 7.3.6.4.1.5.
8. Transmit a probe using AccessSequenceID, PilotPN, AccessCarrier, and power calculated as:
 
$$\text{ProbePower} = \text{InitialAccessPower} + \text{ProbeRampUpStepSize} * (\text{ProbeNumber} - 1)$$
9. Increment ProbeNumber and return to step 1.

#### 7.3.6.4.1.2 Procedure for ending probe transmissions

If the access terminal receives an access grant (*SSMAC.AccessGrantReceived* indication), it shall:

- Terminate the probe transmission procedure.
- Return an *AccessGrantReceived* indication.
- Place the Received Access Grant in the public data.
- Place the ProbePower (the power at which the last probe was transmitted) in the public data
- Clear the AccessSequenceID from the public data.
- Terminate this procedure.

If the access grant timer expires, it shall:

- Return an *AccessFailed* indication.
- Clear the public data.
- Terminate this procedure.

If the protocol receives an *ActiveSetManagement.IdleHO* indication, it shall:

- Return an *AccessFailed* indication.
- Terminate the probe transmission procedure.
- Clear the public data.
- Terminate this procedure.

#### 7.3.6.4.1.3 Procedure for determining probe sequence backoff time

This procedure shall compute the persistence interval in units of Control Segment Periods. If the following returns an integer value *n*, this procedure shall return a probe sequence backoff time of *n* Control Segment Periods.

If the access attempt was made in response to a page and ProbeSequenceNumber is 1, the persistence interval shall be set as follows:

- If the access terminal detected only one QuickPage bit set in the superframe where the access terminal received the page, the persistence interval shall be set to zero.
- If the access terminal detected more than one QuickPage bit set in the superframe where the access terminal received the page, the persistence interval shall be set to a random integer drawn uniformly between 0 and PageResponseBackoff\*3.

Otherwise, if the access attempt was made in response to an *OpenConnection* command from the Air Link Management Protocol at the access terminal and the ProbeSequenceNumber is 1, then the persistence interval shall be set to zero.

Otherwise, the persistence interval shall be set as follows:

- Generate a geometric random variable  $n$  with parameter  $p = \text{TerminalAccessRetryPersistence}$ , i.e., the random variable takes value  $n$  with probability  $p(1-p)^n$ .
- Set the persistence interval to the minimum of  $n$  and  $\text{MaxProbeSequenceBackoff}$ .

#### 7.3.6.4.1.4 Procedure for determining AccessSequenceID

The sequences available for initial access shall be divided into  $N_{\text{ACMPNumPartitions}}$  partitions. The access terminal shall determine the partition to be used for the access attempt based on the observed pilot power and buffer level. Once the partition is determined, the access terminal shall select the AccessSequenceID using a uniform probability distribution over the partition. Note that of the  $N_{\text{ACMPNumSequences}}$  available for access, sequences 0, 1, 2 ...,  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}-1$  are reserved for active set operations, and sequences  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}$  through  $N_{\text{ACMPNumSequences}}$  are available for initial access.

##### 7.3.6.4.1.4.1 Partitioning the access sequence space

The size of each partition shall be determined by the AccessSequencePartition field in the SystemInfo block. Partition number  $N$  shall consist of AccessSequenceIDs ranging from PartitionNLower to PartitionNUpper. PartitionNLower and PartitionNUpper are determined using PartitionNSize (see Table 7-9 for a description of PartitionNSize) and the following algorithm.

- Partition1Lower =  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}$
- For  $N$  between 1 and 8
  - Set PartitionNUpper =  $\min(N_{\text{ACMPNumSequences}} - 1, \text{PartitionNLower} + \text{PartitionNSize})$
  - Set Partition(N+1)Lower =  $\min(N_{\text{ACMPNumSequences}} - 1, \text{PartitionNUpper} + 1)$
- Partition9Upper =  $N_{\text{ACMPNumSequences}} - 1$

The mapping of AccessSequencePartition to the values of PartitionNSize contained in Table 7-9.

**Table 7-9 Access sequence partitions**

AccessSequence Partition	PartitionNSize (N from 1 to 9)									
	N	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
00000		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	remaining
00001		S2	S2	S2	S2	S2	S2	S2	S2	remaining
00010		S3	S3	S3	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	remaining
00011		S1	S1	S1	S3	S3	S3	S1	S1	remaining
00100		S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S1	S3	S3	remaining
00101		S3	S1	S1	S3	S1	S1	S3	S1	remaining
00110		S1	S3	S1	S1	S3	S1	S1	S3	remaining
00111		S1	S1	S3	S1	S1	S3	S1	S1	remaining
01000		S3	S3	S1	S3	S1	S1	S1	S1	remaining
01001		S1	S1	S1	S3	S3	S1	S3	S1	remaining

Where the constants S1 through S3 are interpreted as,

**Table 7-10 Constants for interpreting the access sequence partition table**

Constant	Value
S1	$\text{floor}(N_{\text{ACMPNumSequences}}/18)$
S2	$S1 * 2$
S3	$S1 * 4$

#### 7.3.6.4.1.4.2 Determining AccessSequenceID in Access State of Idle State Protocol

If the access probe transmission procedure is invoked when the Idle State Protocol is in the Access State, the Access Channel MAC Protocol shall select a partition space based on PilotLevel and RequestLevel as defined in Table 7-11. The access terminal shall then select an AccessSequenceID using a uniform probability distribution over sequences in the selected partition.

**Table 7-11 Mapping the BufferLevel and PilotLevel to access sequence segment**

PilotLevel	RequestLevel		
	1	2	3
1	1	2	3
2	4	5	6
3	7	8	9

The access terminal shall select its RequestLevel based on the number of bits it needs to transmit on the ReverseTrafficChannelMAC. The Request Level shall be set as follows:

- RequestLevel shall be set to 1 for RequestThreshold1 or fewer bytes.
- RequestLevel shall be set to 2 for RequestThreshold1+1 to RequestThreshold2 bytes.
- RequestLevel shall be set to 3 for more than RequestThreshold2 bytes.

To determine the PilotLevel, the access terminal shall first interpret the PilotStrengthSegmentation field of the Overhead Messages Protocol to compute PilotThreshold1 and PilotThreshold2 as shown in Table 7-12.

**Table 7-12 Interpreting the PilotStrengthSegmentation Field**

PilotStrengthSegmentation	PilotThreshold1	PilotThreshold2
00	-5 dB	-2 dB
01	-6 dB	-3 dB
10	-7 dB	-4 dB
11	-6 dB	-2 dB

The access terminal shall select its PilotLevel based on the ratio (measured in dB) of the acquisition pilot power from the sector where the access attempt is being made to the total power received in the acquisition channel time slot (acquisition pilot power plus interference power).

- If this ratio is below PilotThreshold1, the PilotLevel is set to 1.
- If the ratio is not below PilotThreshold1 and is below PilotThreshold2, the PilotLevel is set to 2.
- Otherwise the PilotLevel is set to 3.
- In case the partition of the sequence space is not available (because, for example, the AccessSequencePartition field of the Access Parameters has not been read), the AccessSequenceID shall be selected uniformly from between ( $N_{ACMPNumSequences}-S1-1$ ) and ( $N_{ACMPNumSequences}-1$ ). From Table 7-9 it may be observed that the minimum size of Partition 9 is S1, and the procedure in this paragraph always selects a sequence in Partition 9.

The acquisition pilot power referred to above is the received power of the second OFDM symbol of the F-ACQCH, as described in the Physical Layer specification (OFDM symbol with index 6 from the superframe preamble). See 9.3.2.4.4. The acquisition channel time slot refers to the same symbol, i.e., the OFDM symbol with index 6 from the superframe preamble.

#### 7.3.6.4.1.4.3 Determining AccessSequenceID outside Access State of Idle State Protocol

The access probe transmission procedure when the Idle State Protocol is not in Access State is for the purpose of

- handoff between different synchronous subsets, or
- handoff between sectors having different frequencies
- timing and power correction for a sector

The AccessSequenceID shall depend on the identity of the handoff target sector, as follows.

The AccessSequenceID for the purpose of handoff shall be set as follows

- If the ActiveSetAssignment message has AccessSequenceID included set to 0 for the target sector, the AccessSequenceID shall be set using the PilotLevel and RequestLevel fields described in 7.3.6.4.1.4.2.

$$\text{AccessSequenceID} = \left\lfloor N_{ACMPSpecialSequences} / 2 \right\rfloor + 3 * (\text{PilotLevel} - 1) + \text{RequestLevel} - 1.$$

- If the ActiveSetAssignment message has AccessSequenceID included set to 1 for the target sector, the AccessSequenceID shall be set to the AccessSequenceID field for the target sector in the ActiveSetAssignment message.

The AccessSequenceID for the purpose of timing or power correction shall be set as follows

- The AccessSequenceID shall be set using the PilotLevel field described in 7.3.6.4.1.4.2.

$$\text{AccessSequenceID} = 3 * (\text{PilotLevel} - 1).$$

#### 7.3.6.4.1.5 Procedure for determining InitialAccessPower

The parameter InitialAccessPower shall be determined based on the OpenLoopAdjust parameter and the received power of the pilot from the sector where the access attempt is being made.

$$\text{InitialAccessPower} = - \text{MeanRxPower (dBm)} + \text{OpenLoopAdjust}$$

where the MeanRxPower shall be updated throughout the access procedure based on the received traffic channel acquisition pilot power, as measured at the receive antenna of the access terminal.

#### 7.3.6.4.2 Access network requirements

If the access network receives an access probe, it shall generate an *AccessProbeReceived* indication, and place the AccessSequenceID in its public data.

If the protocol receives a *SharedSignalingMAC.AccessGrantSent* indication, it shall issue the following commands:

- *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Activate*
- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Activate*

The access network should monitor and control the load on the R-ACH. The access network may control the load by adjusting the LoadControl bits.

#### 7.3.7 Header formats

This protocol does not define any headers.

#### 7.3.8 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

#### 7.3.9 Interface to other protocols

##### 7.3.9.1.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following commands (access network only):

- *ReverseTrafficChannelMAC.Activate*
- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.Activate*
- *ForwardTrafficChannelMAC.Activate*

##### 7.3.9.1.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *SharedSignalingMAC.AccessGrantSent*
- *SharedSignalingMAC.AccessGrantReceived*

### 7.3.10 Configuration attributes

The negotiable simple attributes for this protocol are listed in Table 7-13. The access terminal and the access network shall use as default the values in Table 7-13 listed in ***bold italics***.

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Access Channel MAC Protocol.

**Table 7-13 Configurable values**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0xff	RetryPersistenceOverride	<b><i>0xff</i></b>	The access terminal shall use the persistence probability value as specified by the appropriate AccessRetryPersistence field of the AccessParameters message.
		0x3f	The access terminal shall use zero as the persistence probability.
		0x00 to 0x3e	The access terminal shall use $2^{-n/4}$ as the persistence probability.
		0x40 to 0xfe	Reserved
0xfe	TerminalAccessClass	<b><i>0x00-0x03</i></b>	The access class of the user. This parameter controls the AccessRetryPersistence used by the terminal.
0xfd	MaxProbeSequences	<b><i>0x03</i></b>	The maximum number of probe sequences that can be transmitted as part of one access attempt.
		<i>0x01, 0x02, 0x04 to 0x0f</i>	Other allowed values for this parameter.
		<i>Other values</i>	reserved
0xfc	PageResponseBackoff	<b><i>0x01</i></b>	Expedited response to pages not enabled
		<i>0x00,</i>	Expedited response to pages enabled
		<i>0x02 to 0xff</i>	reserved
0xfb	MaxProbeSequenceBackoff	<b><i>0x08</i></b>	Maximum backoff between probe sequences
		<i>0x09 to 0x20</i>	Other allowed values
		<i>Other values</i>	reserved



Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0xfa	RequestThreshold1	<b>0x30</b>	Used to determine the RequestLevel when making an access attempt in idle state.
		<i>Other values</i>	Other allowed values
0xfa	RequestThreshold2	<b>0x40</b>	Used to determine the RequestLevel when making an access attempt in idle state.
		<i>Other values</i>	Other allowed values

### 7.3.11 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
$N_{ACMPType}$	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
$N_{SIACMP}$	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
$N_{ACMPAPersist}$	Number of different persistence values	4
$N_{ACMPSequenceSpace}$	Number of available access sequences	1024
$N_{ACMPNumPartitions}$	Number of partitions of the access sequence space	9
$N_{ACMPSpecialSequences}$	Number of access sequences reserved for handoff or power and timing correction.	18
$T_{ACMPANProbeTimeout}$	Maximum time to send an acknowledgment for a probe at the access network	5 PHYFrames

### 7.3.12 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 7.4 Default Shared Signaling Channel MAC Protocol

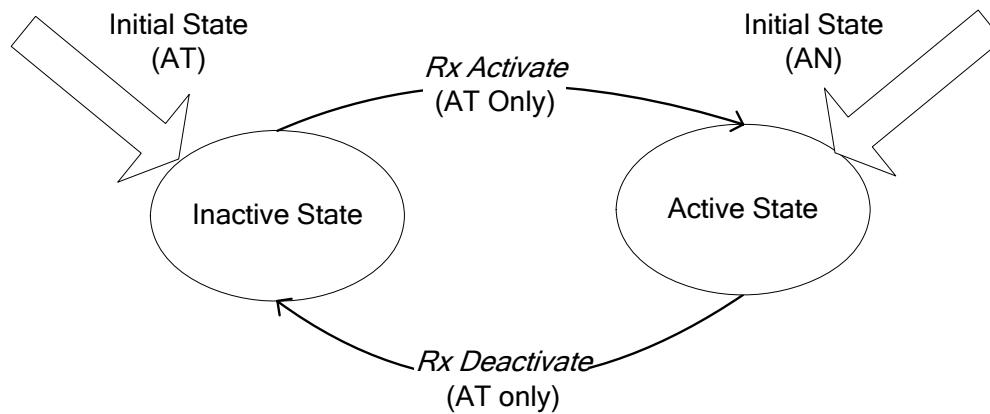
### 7.4.1 Overview

The Default Shared Signaling MAC Protocol provides the procedures and messages required for Lower MAC Sublayer signaling. This includes access network transmissions on the F-SSCH Physical Layer channels.

This specification assumes that the access network has one instance of this protocol for each sector in the network. However, any implementation that behaves identically is compliant.

This protocol can be in one of two states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state, the protocol waits for an *Activate* command. This state applies only to the access terminal and occurs when the access terminal has not acquired an access network or is not monitoring the F-SSCH.
- *Active State*: In this state, the access network transmits and the access terminal receives the F-SSCH.



**Figure 7-18 Default Shared Signaling Channel MAC Protocol state diagram**

This protocol shall use the following parameters and attributes.

Parameter Name	Where Defined	Comments
SSCHNumHopports	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
EffectiveNumAntennas	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
FLFirstRestrictedSetSubband	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
FLNumRestrictedSetSubbands	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
FLChannelTreeIndex	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
RLChannelTreeIndex	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
FLPCReportInterval	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
MACIDRange	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
AccessCarrier	Access Channel MAC Protocol	Public data
AccessSequenceID	Access Channel MAC Protocol	Public data
FLSS	RCC MAC Protocol	Public data
DFLSS	RCC MAC Protocol	Public data
RLSS	RCC MAC Protocol	Public data
DRSS	RCC MAC Protocol	Public data
TuneAwayStatus	Connected State Protocol	Public data

Parameter Name	Where Defined	Comments
SelectedInterlaceMode	Connected State Protocol	Public data
SelectedInterlaceAssignment	Connected State Protocol	Public data
MultiCarrierOn	Physical Layer Protocol	Public data

## 7.4.2 Primitives

### 7.4.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

### 7.4.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *AccessGrantSent*
- *AccessGrantReceived*
- *SupervisionFailed*

## 7.4.3 Public data

### 7.4.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

### 7.4.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol
- AccessGrant message most recently transmitted or received by the protocol
- ActiveCarriers: For each MACID, the public data shall store ActiveCarriers, four bits which specify the carriers in which the access terminal can operate. If the  $i^{\text{th}}$  bit for a particular access terminal is equal to '1', that indicates the access terminal can operate in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  carrier. (Note that ActiveCarriers is only relevant when multi-carrier mode is equal to MultiCarrierOn.)
- REQCarrier: For each MACID, the public data shall store REQCarrier, two bits which specify on which carrier the access terminal shall send requests. The two bits represent an integer from 0 to 3, which directly specifies the carrier index. (Note that this is only relevant when multi-carrier mode is equal to MultiCarrierOn.)

## 7.4.4 Protocol data unit

This protocol does not carry payload on the behalf of other protocols.

## 7.4.5 Protocol initialization and swap

### 7.4.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon initialization at the access network,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State.

### 7.4.5.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap at the access terminal, the protocol instance shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon swap at the access network, the protocol instance shall enter the Active State.

## 7.4.6 Procedures

The following sections specify procedures for transmission and reception of signals on the F-SSCH Physical Layer channel.

### 7.4.6.1 Command processing

The access network shall ignore all commands.

#### 7.4.6.1.1 Activate

If this protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the access terminal shall transition to the Active State.

If this protocol receives this command in the Active State, the command shall be ignored.

#### 7.4.6.1.2 Deactivate

If this protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

If this protocol receives this command in the Active State, the access terminal shall transition to the Inactive State.

### 7.4.6.2 Inactive state

This state applies only to the access terminal.

When the protocol is in the Inactive State, the access terminal waits for an *Activate* command.

### 7.4.6.3 Active state

In this state, the access network transmits, and the access terminal monitors, the Physical Layer channels managed by this MAC protocol.

#### 7.4.6.3.1 Access network requirements

##### 7.4.6.3.1.1 Hop-port assignment for the F-SSCH

The F-SSCH is a physical layer channel, and is present in all FL PHY Frames.

In the following, restricted hop-ports are those belonging to restricted subbands, as specified by FLFirstRestrictedSetSubband and FLNumRestrictedSetSubbands, and those that are not in the usable hop-ports, as specified by the PHY Layer Protocol.

If multi-carrier mode is equal to MultiCarrierOff, then the F-SSCH operates over SSCHNumHopports hop-ports. The particular hop-port to be used for F-SSCH shall be determined as follows.

Let the hop-ports be indexed from  $0..N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}-1$ , where  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  is defined in the Physical Layer Protocol, and let  $q$  be a hop-port index. Let  $y=N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} \times \text{MinHopPortsPerNode}/\text{SSCHNumHopports}$ , where MinHopPortsPerNode is defined in 7.1.4.1, and let  $K$  be the number of hop-ports already allocated to F-SSCH by the following algorithm.

1. Set  $K=0$ , and  $q=0$ .
2. Let the base node mapped by hop-port  $q$  be specified by base node  $Q$ . The access network shall check if the following condition holds: a) Base node  $Q$  maps to no hop-ports that are restricted, and maps to no hop-ports that have been already allocated to the F-SSCH.  
If this condition is satisfied, the access network shall allocate all the hop-ports mapped by base node  $Q$  to F-SSCH, and shall increment  $K$  by the number of hop-ports mapped by base node  $Q$ . Proceed to step 4.  
If this condition is not satisfied, proceed to step 3:
3. Increment  $q$  by 1. If  $q > N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}-1$ , let  $q=0$ ; Return to step 2.
4. If  $K \geq \text{SSCHNumHopports}$ , all necessary hop-ports for F-SSCH have been allocated, and this algorithm shall end.  
If  $K < \text{SSCHNumHopports}$ , let  $q=q+y$ . If  $q > N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}-1$ , let  $q=0$ . Return to step 2.

If multi-carrier mode is equal to MultiCarrierOn, then the F-SSCH shall operate over  $\text{SSCHNumHopports}_j$  in carrier  $j$ , where  $\text{SSCHNumHopports}_j$  is the value of SSCHNumHopports sent in the overhead parameters message of carrier  $j$ . Note that  $\text{SSCHNumHopports}_j$  may be different for each carrier. The hop-ports to be used for the F-SSCH in carrier  $j$  shall be determined using the algorithm given above, where SSCHNumHopports refers to  $\text{SSCHNumHopports}_j$ .

The Physical Layer Protocol shall be passed the set of hop-ports to be used for F-SSCH on each carrier.

### 7.4.6.3.1.2 Blocks for the F-SSCH

The F-SSCH can send multiple blocks. The fields of each block are defined in the descriptions of the blocks that follow the table. Exceptions are the following commonly used fields:

MACID	Sector-specific access terminal identifier.
ChID	Field used to identify a set of hop-ports. Mapping of ChID to hop-ports is defined in 7.5.6.6 and 7.7.6.7.
PF	Field used to identify packet formats, and is defined in 7.5.6.7.

The length of the ChID field for the forward link,  $N_{FL\_CHID}$ , and for the reverse link,  $N_{RL\_CHID}$ , are determined by the forward link channel tree and reverse link channel tree, respectively, whose indices are specified by FLChannelTreeIndex and RLChannelTreeIndex. The parameter  $N_{EFF\_TX\_ANT}$  is also used in the tables. This parameter is equal to the parameter EffectiveNumAntennas. Its value is constrained to be less than or equal to 4.

**Table 7-14 F-SSCH blocks**

BLOCK Name	Header (binary)	Length (bits)	Fields [#bits]
AccessGrant	0000	$17 + N_{RL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{RL\_CHID}$ ] TimingAdjust [6]
NS-FLAB	0000	$20 + N_{FL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{FL\_CHID}$ ] PF [6] Duration [2] ExtendedTransmission [1]
NS-MCWFLAB1	0001	$19 + N_{FL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{FL\_CHID}$ ] PFLayer1 [5] Duration [2] Extended Transmission [1]
NS-MCWFLAB2	0010	$11 + 4*(N_{EFF\_TX\_ANT}-1)$	MACID [11] PFLayer2 [4] ... PFLayer $N_{EFF\_TX\_ANT}$ [4]
NS-SCWFLAB	0011	$21 + N_{FL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{FL\_CHID}$ ] PF [5] NumLayers [2] Duration [2] Extended Transmission [1]

BLOCK Name	Header (binary)	Length (bits)	Fields [#bits]
FLAB	0100	$19 + N_{FL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{FL\_CHID}$ ] PF [6] Extended Transmission [1] Supplemental [1]
MCWFLAB1	0101	$18 + N_{FL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{FL\_CHID}$ ] PFLayer1 [4] Extended Transmission [1] Supplemental [1]
MCWFLAB2	0110	$11 + 4*(N_{EFF\_TX\_ANT}-1)$	MACID [11] PFLayer2 [4] ... PFLayer $N_{EFF\_TX\_ANT}$ [4]
SCWFLAB	0111	$20 + N_{FL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{FL\_CHID}$ ] PF [5] NumLayers [2] Extended Transmission [1] Supplemental [1]
RLAB	1000	$18 + N_{RL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{RL\_CHID}$ ] PF [5] Extended Transmission [1] Supplemental [1]
NS-RLAB	1001	$19 + N_{RL\_CHID}$	MACID [11] ChID [ $N_{RL\_CHID}$ ] PF [5] Duration [2] Extended Transmission [1]
CCB	1010	17	MACID [11] ActiveCarriersChange [4] REQCarrierChange [2]

#### 7.4.6.3.1.2.1 AccessGrant

A block that is sent in response to a detected access sequence transmission that allocates a MACID to the access terminal and an initial ChID for use by the access terminal. The Access Grant block is scrambled with a hash of the AccessSequenceID to allow the access terminal to discern which blocks are its intended access grant blocks. A TimingAdjust field is provided to inform the access terminal of the timing offset to use for subsequent RL transmissions. The access terminal shall advance its transmission timing by the amount:  $\text{offset} = (\text{TimingAdjust} - 31) * N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} / 128$  chips, where TimingAdjust is interpreted as an unsigned integer.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.2.2 NS-FLAB

Non-sticky Forward Link Assignment Block. If the MACID in this block is not the broadcast MACID, this block informs the access terminal that holds the specific MACID that hop-ports specified by the ChID field have been assigned to the access terminal, and informs that access terminal of the PF that should be used on its assigned hop-ports. The PF field is described in 7.5.6.7.1. The duration of the assignment is specified in the duration field, resulting in a duration of 3,6,9, or 12 PHY frames. If the MACID in this message is the broadcast MACID, then all access terminals are assigned the hop-ports specified by the ChID field, with the given packet format.

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an NS-FLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY Frames, and the duration field specifies the number of standard PHY Frames to be used for transmission for this assignment. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an FLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY Frames (6 contiguous standard PHY Frames), and the duration field specifies the number of extended PHY Frames to be used for transmission for this assignment.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.2.3 NS-MCWFLAB

NS-MCWFLAB1 Non-sticky Multiple Code Word MIMO Forward Link Assignment Block, part one. This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID that hop-ports specified by the ChID field have been assigned to the access terminal. It also informs the access terminal, via the PFLayer1 field, which packet format should be used on the first MIMO layer. See the Physical Layer specification for the definition of MIMO layers. The packet format field (PFLayer1) is described in 7.5.6.7.2. The packet formats that should be used on the remaining layers are specified in MCWFLAB2.

The duration of the assignment is specified in the duration field, resulting in a duration of 3,6,9, or 12 PHY frames (standard or extended).

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an NS-MCWFLAB1 assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY frames, and the duration field specifies the number of standard PHY frames to be used for transmission on this assignment. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an NS-MCWFLAB1 assigns an hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY frames, and the duration field specifies the number of extended PHY frames to be used for transmission on this assignment.

NS-MCWFLAB2 Non-sticky Multiple Code Word MIMO Forward Link Assignment Block, part two. This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID of the packet formats to be used for MIMO layer 2, up through  $N_{\text{EFF\_TX\_ANT}}$ , via the fields PFLayer2 ... PFLayer $N_{\text{EFF\_TX\_ANT}}$ . The packet format field (PFLayer $_i$ ) is described in 7.5.6.7.2.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.2.4 NS-SCWFLAB

Non-sticky Single Code Word MIMO Forward Link Assignment Block.. This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID that hop-ports specified by the ChID field have been assigned to the access terminal. It also informs the access terminal, via the PF field, which packet format should be used. The PF field is described in 7.5.6.7.3. The NumLayers field indicates the



number of MIMO layers that shall be transmitted on the assignment. See the Physical Layer specification for the definition of MIMO layers.

The duration of the assignment is specified in the duration field, resulting in a duration of 3, 6, 9, or 12 PHY frames (standard or extended).

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an NS-SCWFLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY frames, and the duration field specifies the number of standard PHY frames to be used for transmission for this assignment. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an NS-SCWFLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY frames, and the duration field specifies the number of extended PHY frames to be used for transmission for this assignment.

#### **7.4.6.3.1.2.5 FLAB**

Forward Link Assignment Block. This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID that hop-ports specified by the ChID field have been assigned to the access terminal, and informs that access terminal of the PF that should be used on its assigned hop-ports. The PF field is described in 7.5.6.7.1.

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an NS-FLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY Frames. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an FLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY Frames.

The access network shall set the Supplemental field in the message to '1', if the assigned hop-ports should be added to the existing access terminal assignment on the interlace to be occupied by the given assignment, and to '0', if the assignment should replace any existing assignment on the interlace to be occupied by the given assignment.

Note that an existing extended transmission duration assignment should only be supplemented with another extended transmission duration assignment (i.e., an FLAB with the Extended Transmission field set to '1'), and an existing standard (i.e., non-extended) assignment should only be supplemented with another standard assignment (i.e., an FLAB with the Extended Transmission field set to '0').

#### 7.4.6.3.1.2.6 MCWFLAB

**MCWFLAB1** Multiple Code Word MIMO Forward Link Assignment Block , part one. This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID that hop-ports specified by the ChID field have been assigned to the access terminal. It also informs the access terminal, via the PFLayer1 field, which packet format should be used on the first MIMO layer. See the Physical Layer specification for the definition of MIMO layers. The packet format field (PFLayer1) is described in 7.5.6.7.2. The packet formats that should be used on the remaining layers are specified in MCWFLAB2.

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', a MCWFLAB1 assigns hop-ports a channel for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY Frames. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', a MCWFLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY Frames.

The access network shall set the Supplemental field in the message to '1', if the assigned hop-ports should be added to the existing access terminal assignment on the interlace to be occupied by the given assignment, and to '0', if the assignment should replace any existing assignment on the interlace to be occupied by the given assignment.

Note that an existing extended transmission duration assignment should only be supplemented with another extended transmission duration assignment (i.e., an MCWFLAB1 with the Extended Transmission field set to '1'), and an existing standard (i.e., non-extended) assignment should only be supplemented with another standard assignment (i.e., an MCWFLAB1 with the Extended Transmission field set to '0'.)

**MCWFLAB2** Multiple CodeWord MIMO Forward Link Assignment Block, part two. This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID of the packet formats to be used for MIMO layer 2, up through  $N_{\text{EFF\_TX\_ANT}}$ , via the fields PFLayer2 ... PFLayer $N_{\text{EFF\_TX\_ANT}}$ . The packet format field (PFLayer $i$ ) is described in 7.5.6.7.2.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.2.7 SCWFLAB

**Single Code Word MIMO Forward Link Assignment Block.** This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID that hop-ports specified by the ChID field have been assigned to the access terminal. It also informs the access terminal, via the PF field, which packet format should be used. The PF field is described in 7.5.6.7.3. The NumLayers field indicates the number of MIMO layers that shall be transmitted on the assignment. See the Physical Layer specification for the definition of MIMO layers.

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', a SCWFLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY Frames. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', a SCWFLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY Frames.

The access network shall set the Supplemental field in the message to '1', if the assignment should be added to the existing access terminal assignment on the interlace to be occupied by the given

assignment, and to '0', if the assignment should replace any existing assignment on the interlace to be occupied by the given assignment.

Note that an existing extended transmission duration assignment should only be supplemented with another extended transmission duration assignment (i.e., an SCWFLAB with the Extended Transmission field set to '1'), and an existing standard (i.e., non-extended) assignment should only be supplemented with another standard assignment (i.e., an SCWFLAB with the Extended Transmission field set to '0').)

#### **7.4.6.3.1.2.8 RLAB**

Reverse Link Assignment Block. This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID that hop-ports specified by the ChID field have been assigned to the access terminal, and informs the access terminal, via the PF field, of the packet format to be used for transmission on its assignment. The PF field is described in 7.7.6.8.

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an RLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY frames. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an RLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY frames.

The access network shall set the Supplemental field in the message to '1', if the assignment should be added to the existing access terminal assignment on the interlace to be occupied by the given assignment, and to '0', if the assignment should replace any existing assignment on the interlace to be occupied by the given assignment.

Note that an existing extended transmission duration assignment should only be supplemented with another extended transmission duration assignment (i.e., an RLAB with the Extended Transmission field set to '1'), and an existing standard (i.e., non-extended) assignment should only be supplemented with another standard assignment (i.e., an RLAB with the Extended Transmission field set to '0').)

#### **7.4.6.3.1.2.9 NS-RLAB**

Non-sticky Reverse Link Assignment Block.. This block informs the access terminal that holds a specific MACID that hop-ports specified by the ChID field have been assigned to the access terminal, and informs the access terminal, via the PF field, of the packet format to be used for transmission on its assignment. The PF field is described in 7.7.6.8.

The duration of the assignment is specified in the duration field, resulting in a duration of 3,6,9, or 12 PHY frames (standard or extended).

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an NS-RLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY frames, and the duration field specifies the number of standard PHY frames to be used for transmission for this assignment. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an NS-RLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY frames, and the duration field specifies the number of extended PHY frames to be used for transmission for this assignment.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.2.10 CCB

ChangeCarrierBlock. This block only applies when multi-carrier mode is MultiCarrierModeON. It notifies the access terminal that it should change the carriers on which it is operating. The ActiveCarriersChange field indicates the carriers on which the AT should now operate. This field is a four bit field. When the  $i^{\text{th}}$  bit is equal to '1', this indicates that the access terminal should operate on the  $i^{\text{th}}$  carrier. When this block is sent, ActiveCarriers, for the MACID specified in the MACID field, shall be updated to the value in the ActiveCarriersChange field.

The REQCarrierChange field notifies the access terminal that it should change the carrier on which it is sending requests to the carrier specified by the index value in this field. When this block is sent, REQCarrier, for the MACID specified in the MACID field, shall be updated to the value in the REQCarrierChange field. In addition, when this block is sent, other sectors in the access terminal's Active Set shall be notified of the updated values of the ActiveCarriers and REQCarrier for the access terminal.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.3 General rules for F-SSCH

In addition to the above blocks, the F-SSCH shall also transmit ACK bits for RL traffic and power control bits.

Hop-ports allocated from different F-SSCH blocks constitute assignments of different types. Note however, that MCWFLAB1 and MCWFLAB2 allocate hop-ports for the same assignment type. Similarly, NS-MCWFLAB1 and NS-MCWFLAB2 allocate hop-ports for the same assignment type.

The access network should not send an assignment block to an access terminal with the supplemental bit set to '1' for an interlace where the access terminal has an no assignment of the same type on that interlace, as such blocks shall be ignored.

The access network should not send an assignment to an access terminal for an interlace, with the supplemental bit set to '1' which does not change the access terminal's assignment for that interlace; such blocks shall be ignored. (See the FTC-MAC protocol and RTC-MAC protocol for assignment management rules.)

If the access network wants to assign more hop-ports (for an assignment of a single type) to an access terminal via F-SSCH on a single PHY Frame than can be specified by a single ChID, the access network should send multiple Link Assignment Blocks of the same type to the access terminal's MACID. Except for the ChID field, all of the fields in these Link Assignment Blocks should be identical. In the case of MCWFLABs, only 1 MCWFLAB2 need be sent, since this information is common to all the MCWFLAB1s that are sent to a particular user in the same PHY Frame. Similarly, for the case of NS-MCWFLABs, only 1 NS-MCWFLAB2 need be sent, since this information is common to all the NS-MCWFLAB1s that are sent to a particular user in the same PHY frame.

The access network shall not transmit any F-SSCH blocks, ACK bits, or power control bits intended for an access terminal while TuneAwayStatus is equal to '1'. NS-FLABs with broadcast MACIDs may still be sent since these blocks are not directed to a particular access terminal.

If the access terminal has SelectedInterlaceMode set to '1', and SelectedInterlaceAssignment contains the PilotPN of the current sector, then the access network shall not send any blocks on F-SSCH to this access terminal over the interlaces specified in SelectedInterlaceAssignment. Additionally, the access network shall only send assignment blocks to this access terminal if the Extended Transmission field

is equal to '0'. NS-FLABs with broadcast MACIDs may still be sent on the restricted interlaces, and may have the Extended Transmission field set to '1', since these blocks are not directed to a particular access terminal.

If multi-carrier mode is MultiCarrierON, the access network shall not send any F-SSCH blocks, ACKs, or power control bits over F-SSCH intended for a particular MACID on carriers that are not marked as active carriers in the ActiveCarriers parameter of the public data for that MACID.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.4 Framing F-SSCH blocks

The framing of blocks in SSCH packets follows a specific format as defined in 7.4.6.3.1.2. An SSCH packet consists of a 4-bit header followed by the block, followed by reserved bits which are used to make all the SSCH packets the same size. The PHY shall add the CRC to each packet.

**Table 7-15 F-SSCH Block Structure**

Field	Length (bits)
Header	4
Block	variable
Reserved	variable

**Header** A field that identifies the subsequent Block fields. See table in 7.4.6.3.1.2 for Header values and the respective blocks and block lengths.

**Block** See table in 7.4.6.3.1.2.

**Reserved** The access network shall set this field to zero. The access terminal shall ignore this field. The length of this field shall be such that the total number of bits in the SSCH packets is  $21 + N_{FL\_CHID} + 4$  header bits.

For each PHY Frame, the access network shall decide the specific blocks to be sent on SSCH and shall compute the power density at which each SSCH block is transmitted, for use by the Physical Layer. The framed blocks shall be passed to the Physical Layer in order of decreasing transmit power density. Algorithms for choosing which blocks to be sent, and computing the transmit power density for each block are beyond the scope of this specification.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.5 Procedures for sending an access grant

The access network should send an access grant message when it receives an *AccessChannelMAC.AccessProbeReceived* indication.

If the AccessSequenceID placed in the public data of the AccessChannelMAC is the  $0, \dots, N_{ACMPSpecialSequences} - 1$  AccessSequenceID, then the AccessGrant shall contain the MACID that was used to generate the Physical Layer sequence corresponding to the received access probe, and may contain ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>. Refer to the Access Channel MAC Protocol for the procedures for determining AccessSequenceID.

If the AccessSequenceID placed in the public data of the AccessChannelMAC is higher than  $N_{ACMPSpecialSequences} - 1$ , then the AccessGrant shall contain a MAC ID that is not in use in the system. Based on the space to which the received AccessSequenceID corresponds, the access network may

decide the ChID in the access grant. When the access grant is sent, the protocol shall generate a *SharedSignalingMAC.AccessGrantSent* indication.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.6 Procedures for the power control bits

For each access terminal that contains the sector in the active set, and whose MACID is within MACIDRange, the access network shall transmit one bit on F-SSCH every FLPCReportInterval frames.

Each PHY Frame, the access network shall determine the value of the power control bits for all MACIDs within MACIDRange, and the power at which each is to be transmitted, for use by the Physical Layer. The MAC Layer Protocol shall pass the power control bits in order of increasing MACID to the Physical Layer Protocol. The algorithms for determining the value of this bit and the power at which it is to be transmitted are outside the scope of this specification.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.7 Procedures for sending ACKs

Acknowledgements for RL traffic are sent on F-SSCH. The timing for sending ACKs is given in 7.1.3.

The access terminal's ACKNode for a particular assignment on a particular interlace shall be the base node mapped by the left most hop-port in the access terminals assignment on the carrier which has the most hop-ports for that assignment. If more than one carrier meets this criteria, then the carrier in this subset that has the smallest carrier index shall be the carrier on which the ACKNode is chosen.

Each PHY frame, the access network shall transmit ACKs intended for certain access terminals. In order to positively acknowledge a particular access terminal, the Access network shall set the bit corresponding to access terminal's ACKNode to '1', and shall set the bits corresponding to the rest of the base nodes in the access terminal's assignment to '0'. After the bits corresponding to the base nodes for the users receiving acknowledgements have been set in this way, the bits corresponding to all other base nodes shall be set to '0'. The MAC Layer Protocol shall pass to the Physical layer protocol the sequence of bits corresponding to all base nodes: the base nodes for each carrier shall be ordered from left to right, and the carriers shall be ordered via increasing carrier index. The access network shall also determine the power used to transmit each of these bits, for use by the Physical Layer. Algorithms for determining this power are outside the scope of this specification. In addition, for every positive acknowledgement, the MAC shall pass to the Physical layer a valid MACID corresponding to the acknowledged AT which is needed for MACID scrambling.

#### 7.4.6.3.1.8 Procedures for maintaining ActiveCarriers and REQCarriers at the AN

The access network shall initialize ActiveCarriers for a particular MACID to be the carrier specified by AccessCarrier.

When the access network sends a CCB block in the F-SSCH to a particular access terminal, ActiveCarriers (for the MACID specified in the MACID field of the CCB) shall be updated to the value in the ActiveCarriersChange field of the CCB. The value of ActiveCarriers for a particular access terminal may also change if another sector indicates the necessary change.

The access network shall initialize REQCarrier for a particular MACID to be the carrier specified by AccessCarrier.

When the access network sends a CCB block in the F-SSCH to a particular access terminal, REQCarrier (for the MACID specified in the MACID field of the CCB) shall be updated to the value in the REQCarrierChange field of the CCB. The value of REQCarrier for a particular access terminal may also change if another sector indicates the necessary change.

#### 7.4.6.3.2 Access terminal requirements

When this protocol is in active state, the following apply:

If the access terminal has an outstanding access probe and the AccessSequenceID is  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}/2$  through  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}-1$ , then the access terminal shall, at least, demodulate all F-SSCH packets, as well as the relevant ACK and power control bits, in the F-SSCH of the access terminal's DFLSS each PHY Frame. If the access terminal has no outstanding access probe with AccessSequenceID  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}/2$  through  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}-1$ , then the access terminal shall demodulate all F-SSCH packets, as well as the relevant ACK and power control bits, in the F-SSCHs of its FLSS, DFLSS, RLSS, and DRLSS (see 7.6.6.3 for definitions of FLSS, DFLSS, RLSS, DFLSS) every PHY Frame. An access terminal that has a DFLSS in a different synchronous subset than its FLSS, and is not capable of demodulating the F-SSCH in both its DFLSS and its FLSS, should immediately issue an access probe with AccessSequenceID  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}/2$  through  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}-1$ .

If multi-carrier mode equals MultiCarrierON, the access terminal shall demodulate F-SSCH packets, ACKs and power control bits, on those carriers specified by its ActiveCarriers parameter in the public data.

If the access terminal has its parameter TuneAwayStatus in the public data of the Connected State Protocol set to '1', the access terminal need not monitor any F-SSCH.

The following are potential error events and specified actions:

- Each block that does not correctly pass CRC shall be discarded.

The access terminal shall perform the following actions on the remaining blocks/bits:

- If the access terminal's ACK bit has an ACK value of 1, then the access terminal has received a positive ACK signal for its assignment on the corresponding interlace. Otherwise, the access terminal has received an implicit negative ACK signal for the assignment on the corresponding interlace. Actions contingent upon the reception of a positive or negative acknowledgement shall be performed as specified in the RTC MAC Protocol.
- The access terminal shall determine its transmit power based on its power control bits received on F-SSCH as specified in the RCC MAC Protocol.
- For each sector in the active set, if an AccessGrant block is received, the access terminal shall:
  - If all the following are true
    - the access terminal has no assigned MACID on the sector,
    - and the AccessSequenceID used to scramble the AccessGrant matches the AccessSequenceID in the public data of the Access Channel MAC Protocol,

- and the PilotPN of the sector that transmitted the AccessGrant matches the PilotPN in the public data of the Access Channel MAC Protocol,
  - and if multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the carrier on which the AccessGrant is received matches the AccessCarrier in the public data of the Access Channel MAC Protocol,
- the access terminal shall:
- Return an *AccessGrantReceived* indication specifying the applicable sector.
  - Place the received AccessGrant in the public data.
  - In the Physical Layer, adjust the timing for the sector that transmitted the access grant.
  - Instruct the RCC MAC to initialize the transmit power as described in 7.6.6.3.4.

□ If all of the following are true:

- the MAC ID in the AccessGrant matches a MACID assigned to the access terminal on the sector,
- the AccessSequenceID used to scramble AccessGrant matches the AccessSequenceID in the public data of the Access Channel MAC Protocol,
- the PilotPN of the sector that transmitted the AccessGrant matches the PilotPN in the public data of the Access Channel MAC Protocol
- and if multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the carrier on which the AccessGrant is received matches the AccessCarrier in the public data of the Access Channel MAC Protocol,

the access terminal shall:

- Return an *AccessGrantReceived* indication specifying the applicable sector.
- Place the received AccessGrant in the public data.
- In the Physical Layer, adjust the timing for the sector that transmitted the access grant.
- Instruct the RCC MAC to initialize the transmit power as described in 7.6.6.3.4.

□ The access terminal shall invoke the procedures for processing an access grant in the access terminal Assignment Management section of the RTC MAC Protocol, unless the ChID field is equal to ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, in which case the access grant will not be passed to the RTC MAC Protocol for further processing.

- If an FLAB is received, the access terminal shall invoke the procedures for processing an FLAB in the access terminal Assignment Management section of the RTC MAC Protocol.
- If a NS-FLAB is received, the access terminal shall invoke the procedures for processing a NS-FLAB in the access terminal Assignment Management section of the RTC MAC Protocol.
- If an RLAB is received, the access terminal shall invoke the procedures for processing an RLAB in the access terminal Assignment Management sections of the RTC MAC Protocol.



- 1       ■ If an NS-RLAB is received, the access terminal shall invoke the procedures for  
2       processing an NS-RLAB in the access terminal Assignment Management sections of the  
3       RTC MAC Protocol.
- 4       ■ If an MCWFLAB is received (part 1 or part 2), the access terminal shall invoke the  
5       procedures for processing a MCWFLAB in the access terminal Assignment Management  
6       section of the FTC MAC Protocol.
- 7       ■ If an NS-MCWFLAB is received (part 1 or part 2), the access terminal shall invoke the  
8       procedures for processing a NS-MCWFLAB in the access terminal Assignment  
9       Management section of the FTC MAC Protocol.
- 10      ■ If a SCWFLAB is received, the access terminal shall invoke the procedures for  
11      processing an SCWFLAB in the access terminal Assignment Management section of the  
12      FTC MAC Protocol.
- 13      ■ If a NS-SCWFLAB is received, the access terminal shall invoke the procedures for  
14      processing an NS-SCWFLAB in the access terminal Assignment Management section of  
15      the FTC MAC Protocol.

#### 16   **7.4.6.3.2.1 Procedures for maintaining ActiveCarriers and REQCarrier at the AT**

17   The access terminal shall initialize ActiveCarriers to be the carrier specified by AccessCarrier.

18   The access terminal shall initialize REQCarrier to be the carrier specified by AccessCarrier 1.

19   If multi-carrier mode is equal to MultiCarrierOFF, then the access terminal shall ignore all CCB  
20   blocks sent on F-SSCH.

21   If multi-carrier mode is equal to MultiCarrierON, then the following apply:

22   When the access terminal receives a CCB block in the F-SSCH, the access terminal shall update  
23   ActiveCarriers to the value in the ActiveCarriersChange field of the CCB.

24   When the access terminal receives a CCB block in the F-SSCH, REQCarrier shall be updated to the  
25   value in the REQCarrierChange field of the CCB.

#### 26   **7.4.6.3.3 Supervision Procedures**

27   The access terminal shall return a *SupervisionFailed* indication if the F-SSCH channel is not received  
28   for a time period of length  $T_{SSCMSupervision}$ .

#### 29   **7.4.7 Header and trailer formats**

30   This protocol does not carry higher-layer payload, and thus header and trailer formats are not defined.

#### 31   **7.4.8 Interface to other protocols**

##### 32   **7.4.8.1.1 Commands**

33   This protocol does not issue any commands.

### 7.4.8.1.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indication:

- *AccessChannelMAC.AccessProbeReceived*

### 7.4.9 Configuration attributes

No configuration attributes are defined for this protocol.

### 7.4.10 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>SSCMPT</sub> Type	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>SSCMPD</sub> Default	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
MACID <sub>BROADCAST</sub>	Broadcast MACID	0x0
N <sub>SSCMS</sub> Supervision	Supervision timer	1 s

### 7.4.11 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 7.5 Default Forward Traffic Channel MAC Protocol

### 7.5.1 Overview

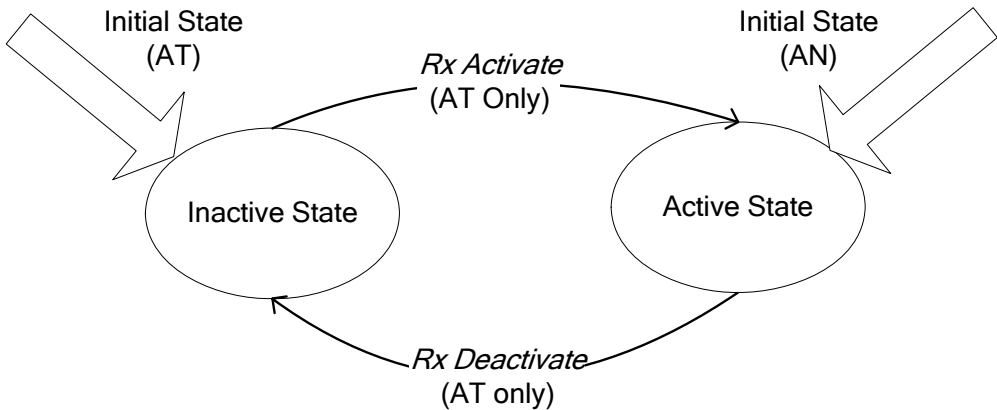
The Default Forward Traffic Channel MAC Protocol provides the procedures and messages required for an access network to transmit, and an access terminal to receive, the Forward Traffic Channel.

The access network maintains an instance of this protocol for every assigned MAC ID.

This protocol at the access terminal operates in one of two states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state, the access terminal cannot receive any packets on the Forward Traffic Channel. When the protocol is in this state, it waits for an *Activate* command.
- *Active State*: In this state, the access terminal receives the forward traffic channel based on link assignment blocks received from SS MAC.

The protocol states and allowed transitions between the states are shown in Figure 7-19. The rules governing these transitions are provided in 7.5.6.3 and 7.5.6.4.



**Figure 7-19 Default Forward Traffic Channel MAC Protocol state diagram**

This protocol shall use the following parameters and attributes:

Parameter Name	Where Defined	Comments
FLChannelTreeIndex	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
FLNumSDMADimensions	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
FLImplicitDeassignEnabled	Connected State Protocol	Public data
SelectedInterlaceMode	Connected State Protocol	Public data
TuneAwayStatus	Connected State Protocol	Public data
FLSS	RCC MAC Protocol	Public data
DFLSS	RCC MAC Protocol	Public data
MultiCarrierOn	Physical Layer Protocol	Public data

**7.5.2 Primitives**

**7.5.2.1 Commands**

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

**7.5.2.2 Return indications**

This protocol returns the following indication:

- *ForwardTrafficPacketsMissed*
- *SupervisionFailed*

- *PageReceived*
- *UATIReceived*
- *SessionLost*

### 7.5.3 Public data

#### 7.5.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

#### 7.5.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol.

### 7.5.4 Protocol data unit

The transmission unit of this protocol is a Forward Traffic Channel Lower MAC Sublayer packet. Each packet consists of one Security Sublayer packet.

### 7.5.5 Protocol initialization and swap

#### 7.5.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

Upon initialization at the access network.

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State.

#### 7.5.5.2 Protocol Swap

Upon swap, the protocol instance shall enter the Inactive State.

### 7.5.6 Procedures

This protocol constructs a Forward Traffic Channel Lower MAC Sublayer packet out of the Security Sublayer packet by adding the Lower MAC Sublayer header and trailer as defined in 7.5.7. The protocol then sends the packet for transmission to the Physical Layer.

### 7.5.6.1 Command processing

#### 7.5.6.1.1 Activate

If this protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the access terminal and the access network shall transition to the Active State.

If this protocol receives the command in any other state, the command shall be ignored.

#### 7.5.6.1.2 Deactivate

If the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Active State:

- The access terminal shall cease monitoring the Forward Traffic Channel and shall transition to the Inactive State.
- The access network should cease transmitting the Forward Traffic Channel to this access terminal and should transition to the Inactive State.

If this command is received in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

### 7.5.6.2 Forward traffic channel addressing

Transmission on the Forward Traffic Channel is multiplexed in time and frequency. An assignment on the Forward Traffic Channel shall be specified by a set of hop-ports and an interlace. Each hop-port is specified by a hop-port index as well as a carrier index. If the duplex mode is FDD, then the interlace may be composed of standard PHY Frames or extended PHY Frames, (as specified by the assignment blocks received from the SS MAC protocol). Extended PHY Frames are defined in 7.1.3.1.3.

The duration of an assignment of hop-ports may or may not be pre-specified. Assignments whose durations are pre-specified are known as non-sticky assignments, and assignments whose durations are not pre-specified are known as sticky assignments.

The set of hop-ports assigned for a particular interlace for a particular access terminal via sticky assignment blocks (received from SS MAC) is referred to as a “Forward Link Access Terminal Assignment” or FL-ATA. Sticky assignment blocks include the following three types: FLABs, SCWFLABs, and MCWFLABs. (See 7.4.6.3.1 for complete definitions of these block types.) A FL-ATA for a particular interlace may only be assigned via a single type of sticky assignment block. A FL-ATA that has been assigned via a particular type of assignment block is also associated with that type. More precisely, a FL-ATA may be of type FLAB, SCWFLAB, or MCWFLAB. The access terminal may have multiple FL-ATAs, one for each nonoverlapping interlace (note that overlapping interlaces can be created only by the use of extended PHY Frames).

A non-sticky assignment block with a unicast MACID field (referred to as a non-sticky unicast assignment block) assigns hop-ports for a particular access terminal for a particular interlace. The set of hop-ports assigned for a particular access terminal for a particular interlace via non-sticky unicast assignment blocks (received from SS MAC) is referred to as a “Forward Link Non-Sticky Access Terminal Unicast Assignment” or FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>. Non-sticky unicast assignment blocks include the following three types: NS-FLABs, NS-SCWFLABs, and NS-MCWFLABs (all with unicast MACID fields). See 7.4.6.3.1 for complete definitions of these block types. A FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> for a particular interlace may only be assigned via a single type of non-sticky unicast assignment block. A

FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> that has been assigned via a particular type of assignment block is also associated with that type. More precisely, a FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> may be of type NS-FLAB, NS-SCWFLAB, or NS-MCWFLAB. An access terminal may have multiple FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s, one for each nonoverlapping interlace.

A non-sticky assignment block with a broadcast MACID field (referred to as a non-sticky broadcast assignment block) assigns hop-ports for multiple access terminals. The set of hop-ports used by a particular access terminal on a particular interlace, assigned via non-sticky broadcast assignment blocks is referred to as a “Forward Link Non Sticky Access Terminal Broadcast Assignment” or FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>. Non-sticky broadcast assignment blocks include only NS-FLABs. An access terminal may have multiple FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>s, one for each nonoverlapping interlace.

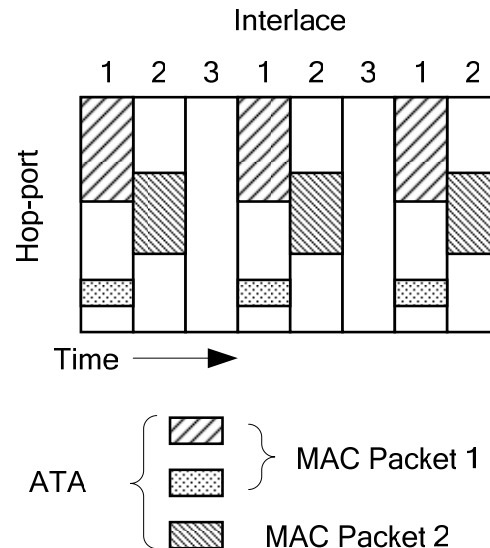
Sets of hop-ports assigned in assignment blocks received from SS MAC are specified using the channel tree that is currently in use for the FL. The channel tree that is in use is specified by FLChannelTreeIndex. Channel trees are specified in 7.5.6.6.

Packets transmitted over the Forward Traffic Channel are transmitted over the F-DCH physical layer channel. F-DCH is the primary channel for user data transmission, and access terminals are assigned F-DCH resources (FL-ATAs/-FL-NS-ATAs) via assignment blocks that are sent over the F-SSCH.

The following rules apply regarding the coexistence of FL-ATAs/FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>s/FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s:

- An access terminal shall have no more than one FL-ATA per interlace. If duplex mode is FDD, then additionally, an access terminal shall not have any FL-ATAs that overlap in time.
- An access terminal shall have no more than one FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> per interlace. If duplex mode is FDD, then additionally, an access terminal shall not have any FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s that overlap in time.
- An access terminal shall have no more than one FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> per interlace per carrier. If duplex mode is FDD, then additionally, an access terminal shall not have any FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>s that overlap in time on the same carrier.
- An access terminal shall not have an a non-empty FL-ATA and a non-empty FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> in the same interlace. If duplex mode is FDD, then additionally, an access terminal shall not have a non-empty FL-ATA and a non-empty FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> that overlap in time.

The FL-ATA for an interlace can be accumulated via multiple assignment blocks of the same type, sent over multiple PHY Frames, as specified in 7.5.6.4.1.1.1. The FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> for an interlace may be accumulated over multiple assignment blocks of the same type, but these blocks must be sent in the same PHY Frame, as specified in 7.5.6.4.1.1.1. Similarly, The FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for an interlace may be accumulated over multiple assignment blocks of the same type, but these blocks must be sent in the same PHY frame, as specified in 7.5.6.4.1.1.1. All hop-ports in an FL-ATA/FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>/FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for a particular interlace shall be combined for transmission over the Physical Layer channel (F-DCH). Different interlaces shall always carry separate MAC packets with independent H-ARQ termination. An example is illustrated in Figure 7-20.



**Figure 7-20 F-DCH addressing example**

### 7.5.6.3 Inactive state

When the protocol is in the Inactive State, the access terminal and the access network wait for an *Activate* command.

### 7.5.6.4 Active state

In the Active State, the access network shall transmit over the F-DCH using the FL-ATAs or FL-NS-ATAs, and PFs selected by the access network and signaled to the access terminal over the F-SSCH Physical Layer channel. The access terminal processes assignment blocks from the SS MAC protocol to maintain its FL-ATAs/FL-NS-ATAs, configures the Physical Layer for reception of packets according to the ATAs, and controls transmission of ACK/NACK information via the RCC MAC Protocol based on pass or fail of the MAC packet, as indicated by the PHY. The MACID assigned to the access terminal for each sector in its active set shall be given in the ActiveSetAssignment message that is public data of the Active Set Management Protocol. Assignment and H-ARQ logic for the access terminal and access network are specified in 7.5.6.4.1 and 7.5.6.4.2, respectively.

#### 7.5.6.4.1 Access terminal requirements

An access terminal shall keep a variable NumLayers for each interlace, which shall be initialized to zero when this protocol enters the Active state. On reception of a SCWFLAB/NS-SCWFLAB for a particular interlace from the SS MAC protocol that is not discarded due to assignment management rules given in 7.5.6.4.1.2, NumLayers for that interlace shall be set to the NumLayers field of the SCWFLAB/NS-SCWFLAB. On reception of a MCWFLAB/NS-MCWFLAB for a particular interlace from the SS MAC protocol that is not discarded due to assignment management rules given in 7.5.6.4.1.2, NumLayers for that interlace shall be set to the number of non-zero packet formats given in the MCWFLAB/NS-MCWFLAB. NumLayers for a particular interlace shall also be modified to reflect rank adjustments sent in the FL MAC header.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.1 Access terminal assignment management for sticky assignments

In this section, the term FLAB will be used to indicate all types of sticky FL assignment blocks, including FLAB, MCWFLAB, and SCWFLAB, unless otherwise specified. Similarly, the term NS-FLAB will be used to indicate all types of non-sticky FL assignment blocks, including NS-FLAB, NS-MCWFLAB, and NS-SCWFLAB, unless otherwise specified.

The access terminal shall maintain and manage its FL-ATAs by monitoring FLABs and NS-FLABs delivered from the SS MAC protocol.

The logic in this section assumes that all of the FLABs/NS-FLABs are being sent from the same serving sector, the FLSS (see 7.6.6.3 for the definition of FLSS). The logic for access terminal assignment management during handoff is found in 7.5.6.4.1.3.

If FLImplicitDeassignEnabled is equal to '1', then upon receiving a *TunedAway* indication from the Connected State Protocol, the access terminal shall expire all its FL-ATAs.

If SelectedInterlaceMode is equal to '1', then the access terminal shall ignore all FLABs that have the Extended Transmission field set to '1'.

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an FLAB assigns an interlace consisting of standard PHY Frames, as shown in 7.1.3.1.2. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an FLAB assigns an interlace consisting of extended PHY Frames, as shown in 7.1.3.1.3.

##### 7.5.6.4.1.1.1 Simultaneous assignments

If multiple FLABs for the access terminal's MACID are received from the SS MAC Protocol in the same PHY frame, and one of the FLABs has a ChIDs set to ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, then all FLABs except for the latter shall be discarded. This rule trumps all those which follow in this section.

If multiple FLABs of the same type, which have the access terminal's MACID, are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY Frame, and all the FLABs have the same values in all the fields except the ChID field, then the access terminal shall treat these FLABs as a single FLAB assigning the union of the hop-ports mapped by the constituent ChIDs.

If multiple FLABs of the same type, which have the access terminal's MACID, are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY Frame, and all of the FLABs do not have the same values for all fields (excluding the ChID field) then the access terminal shall assume an error has occurred, and shall ignore all of these FLABs.

If multiple FLABs, which have the access terminal's MACID, are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY frame, and all of the FLABs are not of the same type, the access terminal shall assume an error has occurred, and shall ignore all of these FLABs.



#### 7.5.6.4.1.1.2 Supplemental and non-supplemental assignments

The following assumes that an FLAB/FLABs have been received from the SS MAC with the MACID matching that of the access terminal.

If the Supplemental field of an FLAB for a particular interlace, is equal to '1', then the new FL-ATA on that interlace shall be the union of hop-ports included in the old FL-ATA on that interlace and the hop-ports specified by the new ChID, provided the old FL-ATA and the new FLAB are of the same type, and the old FL-ATA is non-empty. The PF specified in the received FLAB shall be used in place of any PFs that may have been specified in any previous assignment of ChIDs (hop-ports) on the interlace.

If the Supplemental field of an FLAB for a particular interlace is equal to '0', then the FL-ATA for the relevant interlace shall be cleared before adding the hop-ports specified by the ChID in the FLAB to the FL-ATA for the interlace.

If the duplex mode is FDD, and the supplemental field of an FLAB for a particular interlace is equal to '0', then the following apply. If the extended transmission field of the FLAB is equal to '1', all FL-ATAs shall be expired except for the FL-ATA, should there be one, which is an extended transmission duration assignment and does not overlap in time with the new assignment. The hop-ports specified by the ChID in the FLAB shall then be given to the FL-ATA in the corresponding interlace.

If the duplex mode is FDD, and the supplemental field of an FLAB, for a particular interlace, is equal to '0', then if the extended transmission field of the FLAB is equal to '0', all FL-ATAs that are extended transmission duration assignments shall be expired. The hop-ports specified by the ChID in the FLAB shall be given to the FL-ATA in the corresponding interlace.

If an FLAB is received for a particular interlace with the supplemental field set to '1' when the FL-ATA is empty on that interlace, then the access terminal shall ignore this FLAB.

If an FLAB is received for a particular interlace with the supplemental field set to '1', and the current FL-ATA on that interlace has a different type then the FLAB, the access terminal shall ignore this FLAB.

If an FLAB is received for a particular interlace with the supplemental field set to '1' that does not change the access terminal's FL-ATA for that interlace, then the access terminal shall ignore this FLAB.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.1.3 Decrementing Assignments

If duplex mode is TDD, then the access terminal shall decrement its FL-ATAs as follows. If an FLAB or NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID with an assignment for a particular interlace, then all of the hop-ports in the FL-ATA for that interlace that intersect with hop-ports specified by the ChID included in the FLAB/NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> shall be expired (removed from the FL-ATA) for that interlace.

If duplex mode is FDD, then the access terminal shall decrement its FL-ATAs as follows: If an FLAB or NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID with an assignment for a particular interlace, all FL-ATAs that intersect with the ChID and corresponding interlace shall have their overlapping hop-ports removed. Even if the ChID and corresponding

interlace overlaps with an FL-ATA for only part of the FL-ATAs interlace (as would be the case if the access terminal has an extended transmission duration assignment and the FLAB/NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is assigning resources in a standard PHY Frame interlace), the overlapping hop-ports shall be removed from the FL-ATA.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.1.4 Deassigning Assignments

If an FLAB is received for a particular interlace, for the access terminal's MACID, that assigns the reserved ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, then the FL-ATA on that interlace shall be expired.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.1.5 Overlapping NS broadcast assignments and sticky assignments

If an access terminal receives (from SS MAC) a NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> for a particular interlace such that its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> on that interlace overlaps with its (sticky) FL-ATA on that interlace, then the access terminal shall update its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> according to the NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub>, and shall remove any overlapping hop-ports (between the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> and FL-ATA) from the FL-ATA on that interlace for the duration of that particular FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>.

If duplex mode is FDD, the following apply. If an access terminal receives (from SS MAC) a NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> the access terminal shall update its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> according to the NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub>. If an access terminal gets a NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> that has the Extended Duration field set to '1', such that its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> on that interlace overlaps with one or more of its (sticky) FL-ATAs, the intersecting hop-ports shall be removed from each overlapping FL-ATA for the duration of that particular FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>. If an access terminal gets a FL-NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> that has the Extended Duration field set to '0', such that its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> overlaps in time and frequency with one or two FL-ATAs that use interlaces of extended PHY Frames, then the intersecting hop-ports shall be removed from each of these FL-ATAs for the duration of that particular FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.1.6 Time overlapping NS unicast and sticky assignments

If the access terminal receives a unicast NS-FLAB of any type with its MACID for a particular interlace, while it already has a non-empty FL-ATA on that interlace, the access terminal shall keep the resulting FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> and clear the FL-ATA on that interlace.

Furthermore, if duplex mode is FDD, and if the access terminal receives a unicast NS-FLAB of any type with its MACID, that has the Extended Transmission field set to '1', the access terminal shall expire all FL-ATAs that it has, unless the FL-ATA is also an extended transmission duration assignment, and occupies an interlace whose extended PHY Frame does not overlap with the extended PHY Frame of the new non-sticky unicast assignment. If the access terminal gets an NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> with the Extended Transmission field set to '0', then all FL-ATAs that are extended duration assignments shall be expired.

If the access terminal receives, in the same PHY Frame, a NS-FLAB giving it a non-empty FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>, and an FLAB giving it a non-empty FL-ATA, then it shall ignore the FLAB.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.1.7 Multi-code word assignments

If the access terminal receives a MCW-FLAB1 with its MACID from the SS MAC Protocol with the supplemental field set to '0', then there should be a MCW-FLAB2 with its MACID received in the same PHY Frame: otherwise, the access terminal shall ignore the MCW-FLAB1. If the access terminal receives a MCW-FLAB1 with its MACID from the SS MAC protocol with the supplemental

bit set to '1', then if no MCW-FLAB2 with its MACID is received in the same PHY Frame, the access terminal shall use the current packet formats for layers 2 and above (provided there is an existing FL-ATA of type MCWFLAB). Otherwise, if a MCWFLAB2 with its MACID is received in the same PHY frame, the access terminal shall update the packet formats for layers 2 and above according to the MCWFLAB2.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.1.8 Inband packet format switch

If the access terminal receives an InBandPacketFormatSwitch message, it shall update its packet format for the specified interlace, and use this updated packet format to try to decode all subsequent packets on that interlace, provided the InBandPacketFormatSwitch message is consistent with the assignment type on that interlace. If the InBandPacketFormatSwitch message is not consistent with the assignment type on that interlace, the access terminal shall ignore the InBandPacketFormatSwitch message..

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2 Access terminal assignment management for non-sticky assignments

In this section the term NS-FLAB will be used to indicate all types of non-sticky FL assignment blocks, including NS-FLAB, NS-MCWFLAB, and NS-SCWFLAB, unless otherwise specified. The term NS-FLAB shall also be used for both broadcast and unicast NS-FLABs, unless otherwise specified. Note that unicast NS-FLABs may be any type, but broadcast NS-FLABs may not be NS-SCWFLABs or NS-MCWFLABs. Additionally, the term FLAB will be used to indicate all types of sticky FL assignment blocks, including FLAB, MCWFLAB, and SCWFLAB, unless otherwise specified.

The access terminal shall maintain and manage its FL-NS-ATAs by monitoring FLABs and NS-FLABs delivered from the SS MAC protocol. (Unless otherwise specified, FL-NS-ATA includes both FL-NS-ATA<sub>BCS</sub> and FL-NS-ATA<sub>UCS</sub>).

The logic in this section assumes that all of the FLABs/NS-FLABs are being sent from the FLSS. The logic for access terminal assignment management during handoff is found in 7.5.6.4.1.3.

If FLImplicitDeassignEnabled is equal to '1', then upon receiving a *TunedAway* indication from the Connected State Protocol, the access terminal shall expire all its FL-NS-ATAs.

If SelectedInterlaceMode is equal to '1', then the access terminal shall ignore all NS-FLABs that have the Extended Transmission field set to '1'.

When the access terminal receives a non-sticky forward link assignment block with broadcast MACID (NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub>) from the SS MAC Protocol for a particular interlace, the access terminal shall then temporarily maintain a FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> (non-sticky broadcast assignment) for that interlace. Similarly, when the access terminal receives, from the SS MAC Protocol, a non-sticky forward link assignment block with unicast MACID (NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub>) for a particular interlace, where the MACID matches its MACID, the access terminal shall temporarily maintain a FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> (non-sticky access terminal unicast assignment) for that interlace.

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an NS-FLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY Frames as shown in 7.1.3.1.2. The duration field specifies the number of standard PHY Frames to be used for transmission of this assignment. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an NS-FLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY Frames, as shown in 7.1.3.1.3. The duration field specifies the number of extended PHY Frames to be used for transmission of this assignment.

If multi-carrier mode is equal to MultiCarrierOn, the access terminal shall maintain a FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for each active carrier. Active Carriers are specified by the ActiveCarriers parameter in the public data of the SS MAC Protocol.

The access terminal shall give up its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for a particular interlace after it has kept it for the assignment duration specified in the corresponding NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub>. Similarly, the access terminal shall give up its FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> for a particular interlace after it has kept it for the assignment duration specified in the corresponding NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub>.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2.1 Simultaneous assignments

If multiple NS-FLAB<sub>UCS</sub> for the access terminal's MACID are received from the SS MAC Protocol in the same PHY frame, and one of the NS-FLAB<sub>UCS</sub> has ChID set to ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, then all the NS-FLAB<sub>UCS</sub> except for the latter shall be discarded. This rule trumps all those which follow in this section.

If multiple NS-FLAB<sub>BCS</sub> are received from the SS MAC Protocol in the same PHY Frame and carrier, and the values of all the fields, except for the ChID field, are the same, the access terminal shall treat these NS-FLAB<sub>BCS</sub> as a single NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub>, assigning the union of the hop-ports mapped by the constituent ChIDs. If multiple NS-FLAB<sub>BCS</sub> are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY Frame and carrier, and the fields other than the ChID field are not the same, the access terminal shall consider an error has occurred and ignore these blocks.

If multiple NS-FLAB<sub>UCS</sub> of the same type are received from the SS MAC Protocol in the same PHY-frame, for the access terminal's MACID, and the values of all the fields, except for the ChID field, are the same, the access terminal shall treat these NS-FLAB<sub>UCS</sub> as a single NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> assigning the union of the hop-ports mapped by the constituent ChIDs. If multiple NS-FLAB<sub>UCS</sub> of the same type are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY Frame, for the access terminal's MACID, and the fields other than the ChID field are not the same, the access terminal shall consider an error has occurred and shall ignore these blocks.

If multiple NS-FLAB<sub>UCS</sub> are received from the SS MAC Protocol in the same PHY frame for the access terminal's MACID, and these NS-FLAB<sub>UCS</sub> are not of the same type, then the access terminal shall consider an error has occurred and ignore these blocks.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2.2 Deassigning Assignments

If an NS-FLAB for a particular interlace is received with the access terminal's MACID, and assigns the reserved ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, then the FL-NS-ATA on that interlace shall be expired.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2.3 Time Overlapping broadcast assignments

If a NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> is received from the SS MAC Protocol for a particular interlace and carrier, and the access terminal already has a FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for that interlace and carrier, then the new assignment block takes precedence: the access terminal shall stop trying to decode on the old FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for that interlace (shall clear this FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>), and shall update its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for that interlace according to the new NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub>.

If duplex mode is FDD, the following apply. If an NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> is received from the SS MAC Protocol for a particular carrier that has the Extended Transmission field set to '1', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>s on that carrier shall be expired, unless there is an FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> that is an extended transmission duration assignment whose extended PHY Frames do not overlap with those of the new assignment. If an NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> is received from the SS MAC protocol for a particular carrier that has the Extended Transmission field set to '0', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>s on that carrier that are extended transmission duration assignments shall be expired. The access terminal shall update its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> according to the new NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub>.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2.4 Time Overlapping unicast assignments

If a NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received from the SS MAC protocol for a particular interlace with the access terminal's MACID, and the access terminal already has a FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> for that interlace, then the new assignment block takes precedence: the access terminal shall stop trying to decode on the old FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> for that interlace (shall clear this FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>), and shall update its FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> for that interlace according to the new FL-NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub>.

If duplex mode is FDD, the following apply. If an NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received from the SS MAC Protocol, that has the access terminal's MACID and has the Extended Transmission field set to '1', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s shall be expired, unless there is an FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> that is an extended transmission duration assignment whose extended PHY Frames do not overlap with those of the new assignment. If an NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received that has the access terminal's MACID, and has the Extended Transmission field set to '0', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s that are extended transmission duration assignments shall be expired. The access terminal shall update its FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> according to the new NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub>.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2.5 Overlapping broadcast and unicast assignments

If the access terminal receives a NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> from the SS MAC protocol for a particular interlace such that its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> on that interlace overlaps with its FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> on that interlace, then the most recent assignment block takes precedence; that is, the access terminal shall expire the old FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> assignment, and update its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> according to the new NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub>.

Furthermore, if duplex mode is FDD, and if the access terminal receives an NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> from the SS MAC protocol with the Extended Transmission field set to '1', the access terminal shall expire all FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s that overlap in frequency with the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>, unless the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> is also an extended transmission duration assignment, and occupies an interlace whose extended PHY Frame does not overlap with the extended PHY Frame of the new non-sticky broadcast assignment. If the access terminal receives an NS-FLAB<sub>BC</sub> from the SS MAC protocol with the Extended Transmission field set to '0', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s that are extended duration assignments and overlap in frequency with the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> shall be expired.

If the access terminal receives a NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> with its MACID, from the SS MAC protocol, for a particular interlace such that its FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> on that interlace overlaps with its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> on that interlace, then the most recent assignment takes precedence, that is, the access terminal shall expire the old assignment, the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>, and update its FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> according to the new NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub>

Furthermore, if duplex mode is FDD, and if the access terminal receives an NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> with its MACID from the SS MAC protocol with the Extended Transmission field set to '1', the access terminal shall expire all FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>s that overlap in frequency with the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>, unless the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> is also an extended transmission duration assignment, and occupies an interlace whose extended PHY Frame does not overlap with the extended PHY Frame of the new non-sticky unicast assignment. If the access terminal receives an NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> with its MACID from the SS MAC Protocol with the Extended Transmission field set to '0', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>s that are extended transmission duration assignments and overlap in frequency with the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> shall be expired.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2.6 Time Overlapping NS unicast and sticky assignments

If an access terminal receives an FLAB with its MACID from the SS MAC protocol for a particular interlace while it already has a FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> on that interlace, then it shall give up the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> on that interlace and only try to decode on the FL-ATA for that interlace.

Furthermore, if duplex mode is FDD, and if the access terminal receives an FLAB with its MACID from the SS MAC protocol with the Extended Transmission field set to '1', the access terminal shall expire all FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s that it has, unless the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> is also an extended transmission duration assignment, and occupies an interlace whose extended PHY Frame does not overlap with the extended PHY Frame of the new assignment. If the access terminal receives an FLAB with its MACID from the SS MAC protocol with the Extended Transmission field set to '0', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s that are extended duration assignments shall be expired.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2.7 Overlapping NS broadcast and sticky assignments

If duplex mode is TDD, the following apply. If the Access terminal gets an FLAB such that its updated FL-ATA on an interlace overlaps with its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for that interlace, the access terminal shall expire the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>.

If duplex mode is FDD, the following apply. If the Access terminal gets an FLAB such that its updated FL-ATA on an interlace overlaps (in time and frequency) with a FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>, the access terminal shall expire the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.2.8 Overlapping assignments from other ATs

If an FLAB or NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received from the SS MAC protocol that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID with an assignment for a particular interlace, and if the hop-ports specified by the ChID in the FLAB/NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> intersect with the access terminal's FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> on that interlace, then the access terminal shall expire its FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> for that interlace.

Furthermore, if duplex mode is FDD, and if an FLAB/NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received from the SS MAC protocol that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID and has the Extended Transmission field set to '1', the access terminal shall expire all FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>s whose hop-ports overlap with the new assignment, unless the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> is also an extended transmission duration assignment, and occupies an interlace whose extended PHY Frame does not overlap with the

extended PHY Frame of the new assignment. If an FLAB/NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received from the SS MAC protocol that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID and has the Extended Transmission field set to '0', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>UCS</sub> that are extended transmission duration assignments, and have hop-ports that overlap with the new assignment, shall be expired.

If an FLAB or NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received from the SS MAC protocol that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID with an assignment for a particular interlace, and if the hop-ports specified by the ChID in the FLAB/NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> intersect with the access terminal's FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> on that interlace, then the access terminal shall expire its FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> for that interlace.

Furthermore, if duplex mode is FDD, and if an FLAB/NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received from the SS MAC protocol that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID and has the Extended Transmission field set to '1', the access terminal shall expire all FL-NS-ATA<sub>BCS</sub> whose hop-ports overlap with the new assignment, unless the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> is also an extended transmission duration assignment, and occupies an interlace whose extended PHY Frame does not overlap with the extended PHY Frame of the new assignment. If an FLAB/NS-FLAB<sub>UC</sub> is received from the SS MAC protocol that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID and has the Extended Transmission field set to '0', then all FL-NS-ATA<sub>BCS</sub> that are extended transmission duration assignments, and have hop-ports that overlap with the new assignment, shall be expired.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.3 Access terminal assignment management during handoff

If an *FLSSChanged* indication from the RCC MAC protocol is received, the access terminal shall clear all FL-ATAs and FL-NS-ATAs associated with the old FLSS.

If the access terminal receives an FLAB/NS-FLAB with the access terminal's MACID, that has the supplemental field set to '0', from the DFLSS, while the DFLSS is different from the FLSS, the access terminal shall issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.ChangeFLSS* command to change from the FLSS to the DFLSS. If the access terminal then receives an *FLSSChanged* indication from the RCC MAC Protocol, the access terminal shall process the *FLSSChanged* indication as specified above, and in addition shall update the appropriate FL-ATA/FL-NS-ATA according to the new FLAB/NS-FLAB.

The access terminal shall ignore all FLABs or NS-FLABs that come from sectors other than its current FLSS or its DFLSS.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.4 Access terminal channel processing for sticky assignments

The access terminal may attempt to decode a MAC packet on each interlace with a non-empty FL-ATA (contains one or more hop-ports). The access terminal may attempt to detect erasure sequences that are transmitted by the access network whenever a MAC packet is not available for transmission. Note that if duplex mode is FDD, erasures may be sent on standard PHY Frames or extended PHY Frames. Exact algorithms for detecting erasure sequences and start-of-packet for MAC packets that span multiple PHY Frames are beyond the scope of this specification.

When an access terminal's FL-ATA on an interlace changes, the access terminal shall terminate any existing packet decoding on the interlace and restart packet decoding attempts on the interlace (as long as the new ATA is non-empty).

If a MAC packet on the FL-ATA is successfully decoded, as indicated by the PHY, the access terminal shall reset the supervision timer and transmit a positive ACK via the RCC MAC to the access network. Refer to 7.1.3 for detailed interlace structure and acknowledgment timing for both FDD and TDD modes. The payload of the packet is then passed up to the Security Sublayer for further processing.

If a MAC packet on the FL-ATA fails to decode successfully, as indicated by the PHY, and the access terminal determines that the packet has been transmitted for the maximum number of PHY Frames for the relevant PF (see 7.5.6.7), then the access terminal shall expire the FL-ATA for the interlace in which the packet failed. For an access terminal that is in MIMO MCW mode, the maximum number of PHY Frames is the maximum over all of the specified PFs. Exact algorithms to estimate the number of H-ARQ packet transmissions that have been sent prior to successful decode are beyond the scope of this specification.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.5 Access terminal channel processing for non-sticky assignments

For each interlace with a non-empty FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>, the access terminal may attempt to decode a MAC packet. The access terminal shall not attempt to detect erasure sequences for FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>. If a MAC packet on the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> is successfully decoded, as indicated by the PHY, the access terminal shall reset the supervision timer, transmit a positive ACK via the RCC MAC to the access network, and expire the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>. Refer to 7.1.3 for detailed interlace structure and acknowledgment timing for both FDD and TDD modes. The payload of the packet is then passed up to the Security Sublayer for further processing.

For each interlace with a non-empty FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>, the access terminal may attempt to decode a MAC packet. The access terminal shall not attempt to detect erasure sequences for FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub>. Even if a MAC packet on the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> is successfully decoded, as indicated by the PHY, the access terminal shall not transmit a positive ACK message via the RCC MAC to the access network.

#### 7.5.6.4.1.6 Header Processing

If a MAC packet on the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> is successfully decoded, as indicated by the PHY, the packet shall be processed according to the following rules:

- The access terminal shall parse the packet according to the header and trailer specified for unicast transmissions.
- The access terminal shall pass the payload of the packet to the Security Sublayer for further processing
- If the UATIIncluded header field of the packet is equal to '1',
  - The access terminal shall generate a *UATIReceived* indication accompanied by the contents of the MAC header.
  - If the FailureCode header field of the packet is set to SessionLost, and the SessionLostStatus header field of the packet is set to 0xff, the access terminal shall generate a *SessionLost* indication.

If a MAC packet on the FL-NS-ATA<sub>BC</sub> is successfully decoded, as indicated by the PHY, the packet shall be processed according to the following rules:

- The access terminal shall parse the packet according to the header and trailer specified for broadcast transmissions.



- 1       ■ The access terminal shall forward the Security Sublayer packet = to the Security Sublayer  
2       if either of the following two conditions are met:
  - 3       □ If the ATIType field and the ATI field of the first ATI Record in the Lower MAC  
4       Sublayer header is equal to the ATIType and ATI fields of any member of the  
5       Address Management Protocol's ReceiveATIList.
  - 6       □ If the ATIType of any of the ATI Record in the MAC Layer header of a Security  
7       Sublayer packet is equal to '00' (i.e., BATI) and the ReceiveATIList includes a  
8       record with ATIType set to '00'.
- 9       ■ If the ATIType field and the ATI field of any ATI Record in the Lower MAC Sublayer  
10      header of a is equal to the ATIType and ATI fields of any member of the Address  
11      Management Protocol's ReceiveATIList, and the OpenConnectionRequired field  
12      associated with any of the matching ATI field is set to "1", then this protocol shall return  
13      an *PageReceived* indication. This indicates that the access terminal has been paged.
- 14      ■ Otherwise, the access terminal shall discard the received packet.

#### 15   7.5.6.4.2 Access network requirements

16   The access network shall keep a variable NumLayers for each interlace, which shall be initialized to  
17   zero when this protocol enters the Active state. On transmission of a SCWFLAB/NS-SCWFLAB for  
18   a particular interlace via the SS MAC protocol, NumLayers for that interlace shall be set to the  
19   NumLayers field of the SCWFLAB/NS-SCWFLAB. On transmission of a MCWFLAB/NS-  
20   MCWFLAB for a particular interlace via the SS MAC protocol, NumLayers for that interlace shall be  
21   set to the number of non-zero packet formats given in the MCWFLAB/NS-MCWFLAB. NumLayers  
22   for a particular interlace shall also be modified to reflect rank adjustments sent in the FL MAC  
23   header.

#### 24   7.5.6.4.2.1 Access network assignment management

25   If FLImplicitDeassignEnabled is equal to '1', then upon receiving a *TunedAway* indication from the  
26   Connected State Protocol, the access network shall expire all the FL-ATAs and FL-NS-ATAs for that  
27   access terminal.

28   If the FLNumSDMADimensions > 1, then the access network shall ensure that assignments to  
29   different ATs that contain hop-ports that map to the same subcarriers have the same F-DPICH format,  
30   as described in 7.5.6.7.

#### 31   7.5.6.4.2.2 F-DCH transmissions associated with sticky assignments

32   The access network may formulate and transmit a MAC packet on an interlace according to the  
33   FL-ATA on the interlace and the PF selected for transmission. The MAC shall pass the Physical  
34   Layer Protocol the set of hop ports specified by the FL-ATA, and shall specify whether or not the  
35   assignment is an Extended Transmission Duration Assignment (see 7.1.3.1.3). The access network  
36   informs the access terminal of its assignment using signaling blocks as described in 7.4.6.3.1.2.

37   If TuneAwayStatus is equal to '1', then the access network shall not send any MAC packets on any  
38   ATAs on any interlaces to this access terminal.

If a positive ACK addressed to the access terminal's MACID is received that corresponds to the transmitted packet, transmission of the MAC packet shall terminate, and the interlace is immediately available for the next packet. If the access network transmits a packet for the maximum number of transmissions of the PF selected for this MAC packet without receiving an ACK, the access network shall expire the FL-ATA for the interlace, and shall return a *ForwardTrafficPacketsMissed* indication along with parameters that uniquely identify the lost packet. The method of uniquely identifying the packet is out of the scope of this specification.

The access network should not send multiple MAC packets to the same MACID over different FL-ATAs on the same interlace, or on time overlapping interlaces.

If no packet is available for transmission in a given PHY Frame (standard or extended), then an erasure sequence shall be transmitted on the FL-ATA, or a subset of the FL-ATA, for that PHY Frame (as specified in the Physical Layer specification), or the access network shall expire the FL-ATA for the interlace.

#### 7.5.6.4.2.3 F-DCH transmissions associated with non-sticky assignments

The access network may formulate and transmit a MAC packet on an interlace according to the NS-ATA on the interlace and the PF selected for transmission. The MAC shall pass the Physical Layer Protocol the set of hop ports specified by the FL-NS-ATA, and shall specify whether or not the assignment is an Extended Transmission Duration Assignment (see 7.1.3.1.3). The access network shall not start an F-DCH transmission containing a page in the first frame of a superframe. (A page can be sent using an FTC MAC packet transmission to a broadcast MACID wherein the MAC header includes the UATI field. See 7.5.7.2).

The number of H-ARQ retransmissions over a FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> is equal to the duration of the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>, as specified by the duration field in the non-sticky assignment block (see 7.4.6.3.1.2). Note that the maximum number of retransmissions may be more than 6, which is the number specified in 7.5.6.7.1.

If TuneAwayStatus is equal to '1', then the access network shall not send any MAC packets on any FL-NS-ATA<sub>UCS</sub> on any interlaces to this access terminal. MAC packets being sent on FL-NS-ATA<sub>BCS</sub> may still be sent.

The access terminal should not send multiple MAC packets to the same MACID over different FL-NS-ATA<sub>UCS</sub> on the same interlace, or on time overlapping interlaces. The access terminal should not send multiple MAC packets over different FL-NS-ATA<sub>BCS</sub> on the same carrier, if they are on the same interlace, or on time overlapping interlaces. The access terminal should not send MAC packets to the same MACID over both an FL-ATA and a FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub> on the same interlace, or on time overlapping interlaces.

If a positive ACK corresponding to the access terminal's MACID is received that corresponds to the transmitted packet on a FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>, transmission of the MAC packet shall terminate, and the access network shall expire the FL-NS-ATA<sub>UC</sub>. If no ACK is received for this packet, the access network shall return a *ForwardTrafficPacketsMissed* indication along with parameters that uniquely identify the lost packet. The method of uniquely identifying the packet is out of the scope of this specification.

FL-NS-ATAs shall be expired after the specified duration (see 7.4.6.3.1.2), if not already expired.

### 7.5.6.5 Supervision procedures

The access terminal shall maintain a supervision timer of duration *InactivityTimeout*. This timer shall be reset as described in 7.5.6.4.1.4 and 7.5.6.4.1.5. The access terminal shall issue a *SupervisionFailed* indication when the supervision timer expires.

### 7.5.6.6 Channel trees

A channel tree defines the mapping of each ChID to a set of hop-ports. A channel tree on the FL is indexed by the *FLChannelTreeIndex* and the number of subcarriers mapped by the channel tree,  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$ , a parameter that is defined by the Physical Layer protocol. See 7.1.4.1 for common terms used for describing channels trees in this specification. Hop-ports shall be numbered numerically from 0.

$Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  equals *FLNumSDMADimensions*.

The set of hop-ports specified by a ChID shall be the union of usable hop-ports mapped by all base-nodes that are descendants of the node specified by ChID, where usable hop-ports are defined by the Physical Layer Protocol.

The number of hop-ports indexed by the tree shall equal  $Q_{\text{SDMA}} * N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$ , and the total number of nodes in the tree shall be a function of  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  and  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$ .

Note that when multi-carrier mode is equal to *MultiCarrierModeOn*, there is an independent channel tree per carrier, and the channel tree in use for the carrier is signaled on the overhead channels of that carrier. Further, when a specific ChID or set of hop-ports is communicated with other protocols in this specification, the associated carrier must also be communicated.

#### 7.5.6.6.1 FL channel tree index 0

Channel trees associated with *FLChannelTreeIndex* 0 are illustrated in Figure 7-25 for  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = 512, 1024, \text{ and } 2048$ . For  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = 512$ , all nodes above the dashed line marked with  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = 512$  are included in the channel tree; For  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = 1024$ , all nodes above the dashed line marked with  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = 1024$  are included in the channel tree; For  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = 2048$ , all nodes above the dashed line marked with  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = 2048$  are included in the channel tree.

*MinHopPortsPerNode* equals 16 for *FLChannelTreeIndex* 0.

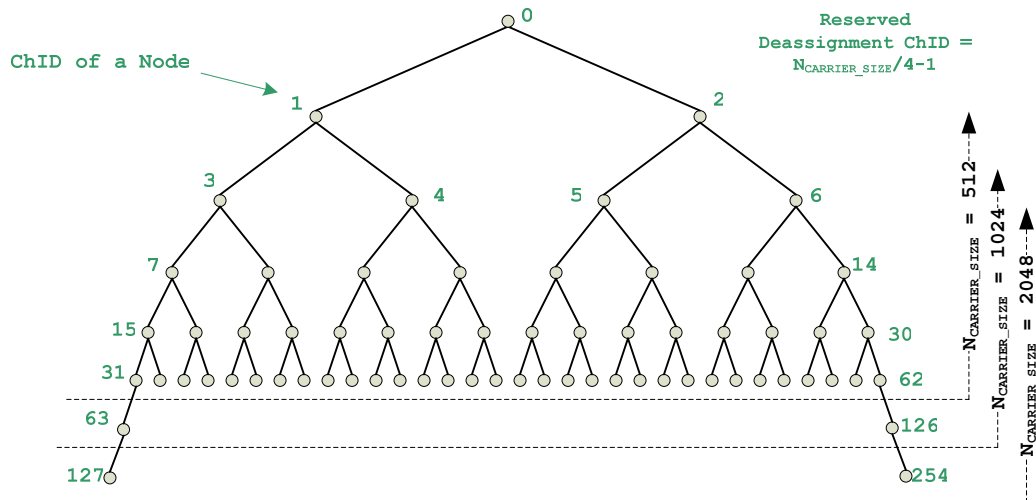
The figure shows only  $1/Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  of the total tree, and there are  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  identical versions of the illustrated tree each with unique ChIDs and mapping unique hop-ports. For example, if the total tree is composed of  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  identical trees indexed by  $q=1, \dots, Q_{\text{SDMA}}$ , then ChIDs of nodes on the  $q$ th tree can be obtained from the illustrated tree by adding  $q * N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} / (\text{MinHopPortsPerNode} / 2)$  to the ChID of the illustrated tree. The number of hop-ports indexed by the tree shall equal  $Q_{\text{SDMA}} N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$ , and the total number of nodes in the tree shall be a function of  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$ . Namely, the base-nodes are defined by the intervals  $\text{ChID} = i * N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} / (\text{MinHopPortsPerNode} / 2) + \{ N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} / \text{MinHopPortsPerNode} - 1, N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} / (\text{MinHopPortsPerNode} / 2) - 2 \}$ ,  $i=0, 1, \dots, Q_{\text{SDMA}}-1$ . Thus, for  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}=512$  and  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}=4$ , there are 128 base-node ChIDs, 31 through 62, 95 through 126, 159 through 190, and 223 through 254. For nodes on the same level of a channel tree, the ChID associated with a node increases

from left to right with step of 1. One deassignment ChID,  $\text{ChID}_{\text{DEASSIGN}}$ , is set to  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/(\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}/2) - 1$ .

The mapping of hop-ports to each base-node is described as follows. Each base-node maps to  $\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}$  hop-ports, the first  $\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}$  hop-ports (indices 0 to  $\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}-1$ ) to the base-node with the lowest ChID, the second  $\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}$  hop-ports to the next base-node, etc., until all hop-ports are mapped. See Table 7-16 for an example of this mapping for  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}=512$ ,  $\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}=16$ , and  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}=4$ .

**Table 7-16 Base node ChID to Hop-port Mapping Example**  
( $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}=512$ ,  $\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}=16$ , and  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}=4$ )

Base node ChID	Hop-ports mapped
31	0-15
32	16-31
...	...
62	496-511
95	512-527
96	528-543
...	...
126	1008-1023
...	...
254	2047



**Figure 7-21 FL channel trees with index 0**

### 7.5.6.7 Packet formats

A packet format (PF) specifies the spectral efficiency, maximum number of transmissions, and the modulation format to be used for each transmission of a data packet. Each packet format is indexed by a packet format index. The modulation format is specified by the number of bits in each modulation symbol, which is denoted by modulation order. Modulation orders of 2, 3, 4, and 6 corresponding to QPSK, 8PSK, 16QAM and 64QAM modulations respectively. These modulations are described in detail in the Physical Layer specification. The size of the MAC packet that is provided to the Physical Layer is a function of the packet format as well as the set of hop-ports that are assigned to the data packet (to be transmitted on the F-DCH Physical Layer channel.) The computation of the packet size as a function of the set of hop-ports and the packet format is described in the Physical Layer.

#### 7.5.6.7.1 SISO mode packet formats (SSMAC)

The packet format consists of six bits. The first bit of the PF indicates the transmission mode. If the first bit is equal to '0' then the default mode is used for transmission. If the first bit is equal to '1' then the STTD mode is used for transmission. The second bit of the PF indicates the F-DPICH format as described in the F-DPICH section of the physical layer protocol. If the second bit is equal to '0', F-DPICH format 0 is used. If the second bit is equal to '1', F-DPICH format 1 is used. The remaining four bits index the spectral efficiency, maximum number of transmissions, and the modulation format to be used for each transmission of a data packet. The indexing is described in Table 7-17.

**Table 7-17 FL packet formats – SISO mode**

Packet Format Index	Spectral efficiency on 1 <sup>st</sup> transmission	Max number of transmissions	Modulation order for each transmission					
			1	2	3	4	5	6+
0	0.2	6	2	2	2	2	2	2
1	0.5	6	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	1.0	6	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	1.5	6	3	2	2	2	2	2
4	2.0	6	4	3	3	3	3	3
5	2.5	6	6	4	4	4	4	4
6	3.0	6	6	4	4	4	4	4
7	4.0	6	6	6	4	4	4	4
8	5.0	6	6	6	4	4	4	4
9	6.0	6	6	6	4	4	4	4
10	7.0	6	6	6	4	4	4	4
11	8.0	6	6	6	6	4	4	4
12	9.0	6	6	6	6	4	4	4
13	10.0	6	6	6	6	6	4	4
14	11.0	6	6	6	6	6	4	4
15	NULL							

PF index 15 is used to indicate NULL, or no PF, and is useful in MCW assignments that utilize fewer than the maximum number of layers for transmission (see 7.4.6.3.1).

#### 7.5.6.7.2 MIMO MCW mode packet formats

The packet format consists of five bits. The first bit of the PF along with the parameter NumLayers (for the interlace being assigned) indicates the F-DPICH format as described in the F-DPICH section of the physical layer protocol. If NumLayers is equal to '1' or '2', then the F-DPICH format used is F-DPICH format 0 if the first bit is equal to '0' or F-DPICH format 1 if the first bit is equal to '1'. If NumLayers is equal to '3', the F-DPICH format used is F-DPICH format 0 (the first bit is ignored). If NumLayers is equal to '4', the F-DPICH format used is F-DPICH format 2 (the first bit is ignored). The remaining four bits index the spectral efficiency, maximum number of transmissions, and the modulation format to be used for each transmission of a data packet. The indexing is described in Table 7-17.

#### 7.5.6.7.3 MIMO SCW mode packet formats

The packet format consists of five bits. The first bit of the PF along with the parameter NumLayers (for the interlace being assigned) indicates the F-DPICH format as described in the F-DPICH section of the physical layer protocol. If NumLayers is equal to '1' or '2', then the F-DPICH format used is F-DPICH format 0 if the first bit is equal to '0' or F-DPICH format 1 if the first bit is equal to '1'. If NumLayers is equal to '3', the F-DPICH format used is F-DPICH format 0 (the first bit is ignored). If NumLayers is equal to '4', the F-DPICH format used is F-DPICH format 2 (the first bit is ignored). The remaining four bits index the spectral efficiency, maximum number of transmissions, and the modulation format to be used for each transmission of a data packet. The indexing is described in Table 7-17.

## 7.5.7 Header and trailer formats

### 7.5.7.1 Header and trailer for unicast transmissions

The access network shall formulate a unicast packet for transmission over the Forward Traffic Channel using the following header and trailer:

#### 7.5.7.1.1 Header

Field	Length (bits)
UATIInfoIncluded	1
IsSecure	1
KeyChange	1
InBandControlIncluded	1
Reserved	4
ATIdentifier	0 or 128
UATISStatus	0 or 4
FailureCode	0 or 4
SessionLostStatus	0 or 8
0 or more of the following fields	
InBandControl	8

**UATIInfoIncluded** The access network shall set this field to 1 if a UATI is included, and to zero otherwise.

**IsSecure** The access network shall set this field to '1' if the packet is secured by the Authentication and Encryption protocols. The access network shall set this field to '0' otherwise.

**KeyChange** This field shall be set by the Security Sublayer at the transmitter and communicated to the Security Sublayer along with the payload at the receiver.

**InBandControlIncluded** Used to signal the existence of in-band control bits. The access network shall set this field to '1' if the InBandControl field is present. Otherwise, the access network shall set this field to '0'. InBandControl messages are defined in 7.5.7.1.3.

**Reserved** The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

**ATIdentifier** If UATIIncluded is 1, the access network shall set this field to the last ATIdentifier sent by the access terminal. Otherwise, the access network shall omit this field.

**UATISStatus** The access network shall include this field if UATIInfoIncluded is set to 1.

**Table 7-18 Encoding of the UATISStatus field**

Field value	Description
0x0	Reset timer
0x1	Expire timer
0x2	Ignore
All other values are reserved	

**FailureCode** The access network shall include this field if UATIInfoIncluded is set to 1 and BindUATITimerStatus is set to 1.

**Table 7-19 Encoding of the FailureCode field**

Field value	Description
0x00	General failure
0x01	Token not supported
0x02	Network Busy
0x03	Authentication or billing failure
0x04	Desired QoS unavailable
0x05	No route to host
0x06	Network maintenance
0x07	Connection closed due to terminal request
0x08	SessionLost
All other values are reserved	

**SessionLostStatus** The access network shall include this field if UATIInfoIncluded is 1. This field shall be set to 0x00 if the FailureCode field is included and not set to SessionLost. This field shall be set to 0xff if the FailureCode field is included and set to SessionLost.

**InBandControl** Included only if InBandControl set to '1'. InBandControl messages are defined in 7.5.7.1.3.

### 7.5.7.1.2 Trailer

This protocol does not add a trailer.



### 7.5.7.1.3 FLInBandControl

#### 7.5.7.1.3.1 InBandPacketFormatSwitchSISO block

This block allows the access network to change the packet format being used for forward link transmissions. The block has the following format

Field	Length (bits)
ContinuationBit	1
BlockFormat	2
PacketFormat	6
Reserved	7

**ContinuationBit** The access network shall set the continuation bit to 0 if this is the last FLInBandControl block in the MAC header. Otherwise, the access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 1.

**BlockFormat** The access network shall indicate an InBandPacketFormat level block by setting the format indicator bits to 00.

**PacketFormat** The access network shall set this field to indicate the packet format that is to be used on subsequent transmissions on the same interlace.

**Reserved** The access network shall set this field to zero. The access terminal shall ignore this field.

#### 7.5.7.1.3.2 InBandPacketFormatSwitchMIMOSCW block

This block allows the access network to change the packet format being used for forward link transmissions. The block has the following format

Field	Length (bits)
ContinuationBit	1
BlockFormat	2
PacketFormat	5
NumLayers	2
Reserved	5

**ContinuationBit** The access network shall set the continuation bit to 0 if this is the last FLInBandControl block in the MAC header. Otherwise, the access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 1.

**BlockFormat** The access network shall indicate an InBandPacketFormat level block by setting the format indicator bits to 01.

**PacketFormat** The access network shall set this field to indicate the packet format that is to be used on subsequent transmissions on the same interlace.

**NumLayers** The access network shall set this field to indicate the number of layers that is to be used on subsequent transmission on the same interlace.

**Reserved** The access network shall set this field to zero. The access terminal shall ignore this field.

### 7.5.7.1.3.3 InBandPacketFormatSwitchMIMOMCW block

This block allows the access network to change the packet format being used for forward link transmissions. The block has the following format

Field	Length (bits)
ContinuationBit	1
BlockFormat	2
PacketFormat $i$	4
PacketFormat2	4
PacketFormat3	4
PacketFormat4	4
Reserved	5

**ContinuationBit** The access network shall set the continuation bit to 0 if this is the last FLInBandControl block in the MAC header. Otherwise, the access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 1.

**BlockFormat** The access network shall indicate an InBandPacketFormat level block by setting the format indicator bits to 01.

**PacketFormat $i$**  The access network shall set this field to indicate the packet format that is to be used on layer  $i$  of subsequent transmissions on the same interlace.

**Reserved** The access network shall set this field to zero. The access terminal shall ignore this field.

### 7.5.7.2 Header and trailer for broadcast transmissions

The access network shall formulate a broadcast packet for transmission using the following header and trailer:

#### 7.5.7.2.1 Header

Field	Length (bits)
IsSecure	1
NumATIRecords	4
NumATIRecords number of the following 2 fields	
ATIRecord	2 or 34
OpenConnectionRequired	0 or 1
Reserved	0-7

- IsSecure** The access network shall set this field to '1' if the packet is secured by the Authentication and Encryption protocols. The access network shall set this field to '0' otherwise.
- ATI Record** Access Terminal Identifier Record. The access network shall set this field to the record specifying the access terminal's address. This record is defined in the Common Algorithms chapter (10) of this specification.
- OpenConnectionRequired** If this field is set to '1', and the ATI record field matches as specified in 7.2.6.6.1.1, the terminal attempts to open a connection. This field may trigger a *PageReceived* indication at the access terminal.
- Reserved** The length of this field shall be such that the entire message is octet-aligned. The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

#### 7.5.7.2.2 Trailer

This protocol does not add a trailer.

### 7.5.8 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

### 7.5.9 Interface to other protocols

#### 7.5.9.1 Commands sent

- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.ChangeFLSS*

### 7.5.9.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *PhysicalLayer.ForwardDataCompleted*
- *ConnectedState.TunedAway*
- *RCCMAC.FLSSChanged*

### 7.5.10 Configuration attributes

The negotiable attributes for this protocol are listed in Table 7-20. The access terminal shall use as defaults the values in Table 7-20 that are listed in ***bold italics***.

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Session Management Protocol.

**Table 7-20 Configurable attributes**

Attribute ID	Attribute	Values	Meaning
0x00	InactivityTimeout	0x0000, 0x0100-0xffff	Reserved
		<b><i>0x0002</i></b>	InactivityTimeout=2 seconds
		0x0001-0x00ff	InactivityTimeout in seconds

### 7.5.11 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
N <sub>FTCMPT</sub> Type	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
N <sub>FTCMPD</sub> Default	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
MACID <sub>BROADCAST</sub>	Broadcast MACID	0x0

### 7.5.12 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 7.6 Default Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol

### 7.6.1 Overview

The Reverse Control Channel MAC defines the procedures for transmissions on the following Physical Layer channels: R-CQICH, R-BFCH, R-SFCH, R-PICH, R-REQCH, and R-ACKCH.

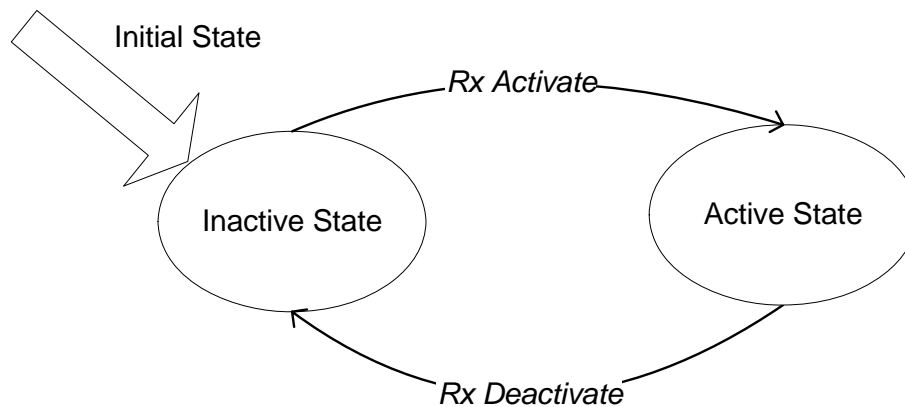
The R-CQICH is used by the access terminal to transmit the FL quantized channel quality from different sectors to the access network. The R-SFCH is a feedback channel, that is used by the access terminal to transmit the quantized FL channel quality measured for a subband in the FL serving sector (FLSS). The R-BFCH is a feedback channel, that is used by the access terminal to transmit the beam index defined in the Appendix, as well as supplemental channel quality information to enable SDMA transmission. SDMA transmission is defined in the Physical Layer Protocol. The R-PICH is a broadband pilot channel, and the R-REQCH is used by the access terminal to request resources. The R-ACKCH is used by the access terminal to acknowledge the FL MAC packets.

The access network maintains an instance of this protocol for every access terminal.

This protocol operates in one of two states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state, the access terminal is not assigned a MACID and shall not transmit on the Reverse Traffic Channel. When the protocol is in this state, it waits for an *Activate* command.
- *Active State*: In this state, the access terminal is assigned a MACID and may transmit data on the Reverse Traffic Channel.

The protocol states and the indications and events causing the transition between the states are shown in Figure 7-22.



**Figure 7-22 Default Reverse Control Channel MAC Protocol state diagram**

This protocol shall use the following parameters and attributes.

Parameter Name	Where Defined	Comments
CQIReportingMode	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
CQIReportInterval	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
CQIReportPhase	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
CQIPilotReportInterval	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
CQIPilotReportPhase	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
BFCHReportRate	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
SFCHReportRate	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
BFCHPowerOffset	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
NumBFCHBits	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
SFCHPowerOffset	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
NumSFCHBits	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
MandatoryCQICHCTRLReportingPeriod	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
FLNumSDMADimensions	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
RLSupplementalPilot	ASMP	Public data
ActiveSetIndex	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
MultiCarrierOn	Physical Layer Protocol	Public data
ActiveCarriers	SS MAC Protocol	Public data
REQCarrier	SS MAC Protocol	Public data
EffectiveNumAntennas	OMP	QuickChannelInfo block
MinRequestInterval	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
RLSupplementalPilot	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg
ProbePower	ACMP	public data
PowerControlStepUp	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
PowerControlStepDown	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
ACKChannelGain <sub>j</sub> , j = 0 to 9	Configuration Attribute	
AckStepUpSize	Configuration Attribute	
ACKExtendedFrameGain	Configuration Attribute	
REQChannelGain	Configuration Attribute	
CtrlAccessOffset	Configuration Attribute	
PICHPowerOffset	Configuration Attribute	
VCQIMeasureInterval	ASMP	ActiveSetAssignmentMsg

## 7.6.2 Primitives

### 7.6.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *ChangeFLSS*
- *ChangeRLSS*
- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

### 7.6.2.2 Return indications

The protocol returns the following indications:

- *FLSSChanged*
- *RLSSChanged*
- *DFLSSChanged*
- *DRLSSChanged*

## 7.6.3 Public data

### 7.6.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

### 7.6.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol
- FLSS
- RLSS
- DFLSS
- DRLSS

## 7.6.4 Protocol data unit

This is a control protocol and does not carry any payload on the behalf of other protocols.

## 7.6.5 Protocol initialization and swap

### 7.6.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State.

Upon initialization at the access network,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State.

### 7.6.5.2 Protocol swap

Upon swap, the protocol instance shall enter the Inactive State.

## 7.6.6 Procedures

### 7.6.6.1 Command processing

#### 7.6.6.1.1 Activate

If the protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the access terminal and the access network shall perform the following:

- Transition to the Active State

If the protocol receives this command in any other state, the command shall be ignored.

#### 7.6.6.1.2 Deactivate

If the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Active State:

- The access terminal shall cease transmitting the Reverse Control Channel and shall transition to the Inactive State.
- The access network shall cease monitoring the Reverse Control Channel from this access terminal and shall transition to the Inactive State.

If the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

#### 7.6.6.2 Inactive State

The access terminal shall not transmit on the physical channels governed by this protocol.

#### 7.6.6.3 Active State

The access terminal shall transmit on the physical channels governed by this protocol according to the procedures in this section. This section makes frequent use of the following terms defined for each active access terminal:

Active Set	The set of sectors for which the access terminal has an assigned MACID.
DFLSS	(Desired Forward Link Serving Sector) The sector within the active set that the access terminal autonomously determines is the best sector for forward link data transmissions.



1	DRLSS	(Desired Reverse Link Serving Sector)
2		The sector within the active set that the access terminal autonomously
3		determines is the best sector for reverse link data transmissions.
4	FLSS	(Forward Link Serving Sector) The last DFLSS from which the access
5		terminal successfully received a sticky FLAB with supplemental field '0', or
6		a non-sticky FLAB with a unicast MACID (see 7.5.6.4.1.2.1).
7	RLSS	(Reverse Link Serving Sector) The last DRLSS from which the access
8		terminal successfully received an RLAB with supplemental field '0' or a
9		non-sticky RLAB with a unicast MACID (see 7.7.6.4.1.1.1).
10	Desired Subband	The subband that the access terminal autonomously determines is the best
11		segment for forward link data transmission.
12	SSCH Subbands	Subbands where F-SSCH is transmitted.
13	Control Segment	Set of hop-ports in selected RL PHY Frames, used by the access terminal to
14		transmit R-CQICH, R-REQCH, R-PICH, R-SFCH, and R-SBCH.
15	TDM2 Power Density	Power density of the second OFDM symbol in the F-ACQCH in the Physical
16		Layer Protocol.

#### 17 7.6.6.3.1 Synchronous Subsets

18 The sectors of the active set are members of one or more synchronous subsets in one or more  
 19 ChannelBand, defined in Chapter 1. Sectors within a synchronous subset are determined to be  
 20 synchronous according to the most recent Active Set Assignment message received by the access  
 21 terminal.

- 22 ■ The RLSS and FLSS of the access terminal shall be members of the same synchronous  
 23 subset in the same ChannelBand.
- 24 ■ The DRLSS shall be member of the same synchronous subset as the RLSS.
- 25 ■ The Control Segment for all sectors in the synchronous sub-set shall be identical.
- 26 ■ A synchronous subset that does not contain the FLSS, but that is in the same  
 27 ChannelBand as the FLSS, is referred to as a NonSynchronous subset.
- 28 ■ The access terminal shall not transmit R-CQICH, R-BFCH, R-SFCH, R-PICH, and  
 29 R-REQCH on Control Segment of synchronous subsets that are not in the ChannelBand  
 30 of the FLSS.
- 31 ■ The access terminal may transmit only the R-CQICH on the Control Segment of each  
 32 NonSynchronousSubset. The access terminal shall not transmit R-BFCH, R-SFCH,  
 33 R-PICH, and R-REQCH on the Control Segment of a NonSynchronousSubset.

#### 34 7.6.6.3.2 Serving Sector Maintenance

35 If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn,

- 36 ■ the RLSS shall be the same for all carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers, and
- 37 ■ the FLSS shall be the same for all carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers, and

- the DesiredFLSS shall be the same for all carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers, and
- the DesiredFLSS shall be the same for all carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers.

When this protocol receives a *ChangeFLSS* command, it shall perform the following:

- If the FLSS in the *ChangeFLSS* command is a member of a NonSynchronousSubset,
  - the protocol shall update the RLSS in the Public data of this protocol, to be equal to the FLSS in the *ChangeFLSS* command,
  - issue a *RLSSChanged* indication,
  - the protocol shall update the DRLSS in the Public data of this protocol, to be equal to the FLSS in the *ChangeFLSS* command,
  - issue a *DRLSSChanged* indication.
- Otherwise
  - The protocol shall update the FLSS in the Public data, to be equal to the FLSS in the *ChangeFLSS* command,
  - issue a *FLSSChanged* indication,
  - the protocol shall update the DFLSS in the Public data of this protocol, to be equal to the FLSS in the *ChangeFLSS* command,
  - issue a *DFLSSChanged* indication.

When this protocol receives a *ChangeRLSS* command, it shall perform the following:

- If the RLSS in the *ChangeRLSS* command is a member of a NonSynchronousSubset, the protocol shall ignore the *ChangeRLSS* command.
- Otherwise,
  - it shall update the RLSS in the Public data of this protocol,
  - issue a *RLSSChanged* indication,
  - it shall update the DRLSS in the Public data of this protocol,
  - issue a *DRLSSChanged* indication.

### 7.6.6.3.3 Reverse Link CQI Reporting Modes

The RCC MAC Protocol has multiple reporting modes. The access terminal's reporting mode shall be set based upon the CQIReportingMode. The access terminal's CQIReportingMode can be one of the following:

- the Single Code Word CQI Reporting Mode (CQISCW),
- the Multiple Code Word CQI Reporting Mode (CQIMCW),
- the SISO CQI Reporting Mode (CQISISO).

### 7.6.6.3.4 Access terminal procedures for power control

For the purposes of determining the RL channel quality, the access terminal shall monitor the FL power control bits from all sectors in each synchronous subset for which R-CQICH is transmitted on the corresponding Control Segment. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the access

terminal shall independently monitor the FL power control bit sent on carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers.

For each sector and carrier, the access terminal shall interpret the first FL power control bit intended for the access terminal in the SS MAC, following an R-CQICH message, according to the following interpretation rules:

- If the FL power control bit value is equal to 1, then the access terminal shall interpret the FL power control bit as indicating that the R-CQICH transmission was erased at the corresponding sector and carrier; otherwise, the access terminal shall interpret the FL power control bit as indicating that the last R-CQICH transmission was not erased at the corresponding sector and carrier,
- If an R-CQICH report has not occurred since the previous FL power control bit from a given sector and carrier, intended for the access terminal, then the current FL power control bit from the corresponding sector and carrier does not indicate an R-CQICH erasure.

Following the above rules, the access terminal shall compute the estimated erasure rates for all sectors and carriers, for each synchronous subset for which R-CQICH is transmitted on the corresponding Control Segment.

If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOff, the access terminal shall initialize an independent parameter  $P_{CTRL}$  for each synchronous subset. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the access terminal shall initialize an independent parameter  $P_{CTRL}$  for each synchronous subset, for each carrier indicated by ActiveCarriers. The initial value of the  $P_{CTRL}$  is computed as

$$P_{CTRL} = \text{ProbePower} + \text{CtrlAccessOffset}$$

Independent ProbePower parameters are maintained for each synchronous subset. Each ProbePower parameter refers to the mean output power of the Access Channel preamble for the corresponding synchronous subset, at the end of the last successful Access Channel probe.. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, independent ProbePower parameters are maintained for each synchronous subset, for each carrier indicated by ActiveCarriers. In this case, each ProbePower parameter refers to the mean output power of the Access Channel preamble for the corresponding synchronous subset and carrier, at the end of the last successful Access Channel probe.

Define PCSector(NonSynchronousSubset) as the sector with the lowest estimated erasure rate in the NonSynchronousSubset. PCSector(NonSynchronousSubset) is defined for each NonSynchronousSubset for which R-CQICH is transmitted and erasure rate is measured.

The access terminal shall adjust the appropriate  $P_{CTRL}$  in response to FL power control bit intended for the access terminal that is sent in the SS MAC of the RLSS and PCSector(NonSynchronousSubset) for each NonSynchronousSubset. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the access terminal shall independently adjust appropriate  $P_{CTRL}$  for each carrier indicated by ActiveCarriers, in response to FL power control bit for the corresponding carrier.

Each  $P_{CTRL}$  is adjusted independently according to the following rule.

- When the power control bit transmitted in the appropriate SS MAC is '1', the access terminal shall increase the corresponding  $P_{CTRL}$  by  $PowerControlStepUp$  dB ; otherwise the access terminal shall decrease the corresponding  $P_{CTRL}$  by  $PowerControlStepDown$  dB.

The mean output power of reverse control channels for the RLSS and  $PCSector(NonSynchronousSubset)$ , and if the multi-carrier mode is set to  $MultiCarrierOn$ , for each carrier indicated by  $ActiveCarriers$ , shall be independently derived from the corresponding  $P_{CTRL}$ , as described below.

The R-CQICH transmit power shall be computed for the RLSS and  $PCSector(NonSynchronousSubset)$  sectors as

$$P_{CQICH} = P_{CTRL}$$

The R-PICH transmit power shall be computed for the RLSS as

$$P_{PICH} = P_{CTRL} + PICHPowerOffset$$

The RBFCH transmit power shall be computed for the RLSS as

$$P_{BFCH} = P_{CTRL} + BFCHPowerOffset$$

The R-SFCH transmit power shall be computed only for the RLSS as

$$P_{SFCH} = P_{CTRL} + SFCHPowerOffset$$

The R-REQCH transmit power shall be computed only for the RLSS as:

$$P_{REQ} = P_{CTRL} + RequestChannelGain$$

The R-ACKCH transmit power shall be computed only for the RLSS as

$$P_{ACK} = P_{CTRL} + ACKChannelGain + \\ ACKChannelGainAdjustment + ACKEnhancedFrameGain$$

The access terminal shall use the estimated erasure rate seen by the sector for which the Acknowledgment is intended, and shall set the  $ACKChannelGain$  to  $ACKChannelGain_j$  when the estimated erasure rate is between  $j*10\%$  and  $(j+1)*10\%$ , where  $j$  can take the integer values 0,1,2,...,8,9. The value of the  $ACKChannelGainAdjustment$  (dB) shall always be greater than or equal to 0 dB. The access terminal shall only use a non-zero  $ACKChannelGainAdjustment$  value if the access terminal is able to detect an ACK-to-NACK error event reliably with accuracy higher than 99 percent.  $ACKChannelGainAdjustment$  shall be set to zero at the beginning of every MAC packet transmission and shall increase by  $ACKStepUp$  dB every time an ACK-to-NACK error event is detected by the access terminal. The access terminal shall use a non-zero  $ACKExtendedFrameGain$  value if the access terminal is transmitting an acknowledgement for a FL MAC packet sent on an E-PHY Frame.

If the access terminal is unable to transmit the Physical Layer channels corresponding to the RCC MAC protocol and the RTC MAC protocol at the specified power due to access terminal's transmit power constraint, the access terminal shall transmit at the maximum transmit power. In this scenario, the access terminal may independently decide the relative transmission priority of these channels. In this scenario, the access terminal may independently decide to gate-off the transmission of one or more physical layer channels corresponding to RCC MAC protocol and RTC MAC protocol.

The access terminal shall not modify the power control variable  $P_{CTRL}$  after *ConnectedState.TunedAway* indication and until the *ConnectedState.TunedBack* indication. The access terminal shall not transmit the Physical Layer channels corresponding to the RCC MAC protocol and shall not monitor the FL power control bits after *ConnectedState.TunedAway* indication and until the *ConnectedState.TunedBack* indication.

#### 7.6.6.3.5 Procedures for the R-CQICH Physical Layer channel

The access terminal measures the FL channel quality on the SSCH subbands and transmits the quantized channel quality to the access network using the R-CQICH. The computation and signaling method are a function of the access terminal's CQIReportingMode, CQIReportInterval, CQIReportPhase, CQIPilotReportInterval, CQIPilotReportPhase and MandatoryCQICHCTRLReportingPeriod.

If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the CQIReportingMode, CQIReportInterval, CQIPilotReportInterval, and MandatoryCQICHCTRLReportingPeriod are identical across carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers.

The RCC MAC Protocol shall provide the Physical Layer Protocol with the  $P_{CQICH}$ , RLCTRLCarrier, SectorID, and MACID for each R-CQICH transmission. The SectorID and MACID may correspond to different sectors depending on the CQI report and synchronous subset, as discussed in 7.6.6.3.5.1. The  $P_{CQICH}$  is determined according to the rules in 7.6.6.3.4. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the RLCTRLCarrier indicates the carrier, where the given R-CQICH is transmitted. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOff, the RLCTRLCarrier is not defined.

##### 7.6.6.3.5.1 Reporting Rules

A detailed description of the different CQI reports referred to in this section, can be found in 7.6.6.3.5.2.

The access terminal shall transmit R-CQICH on the Control Segment of the synchronous subset containing the RLSS. In addition, the access terminal may transmit R-CQICH on the Control Segments of each NonSynchronousSubset. If DFLSS is different from FLSS, the access terminal shall transmit R-CQICH at least on the control segment corresponding to the DFLSS, or issue command ACMAC.AttemptAccess(DFLSS).

If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the access terminal shall transmit independent R-CQICH on the carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers. For the synchronous subset containing the FLSS, the SectorID, MACID, and RLCTRLCarrier shall correspond to the current FLSS, unless (RL PHY Frame Index – CQIPilotReportPhase) mod CQIPilotReportInterval = 0. For NonSynchronousSubsets, the SectorID and MACID shall correspond to the first sector of the synchronous subset (Indicated by the field PilotPN) listed in the last ActiveSetAssignment message received by the access terminal.

If (RL PHY Frame Index – CQIPilotReportPhase) mod CQIPilotReportInterval = 0, the SectorID and MACID, shall correspond to the first sector listed for each synchronous subset in the last ActiveSetAssignment message received by the access terminal.

The access terminal shall not transmit the R-CQICH after *ConnectedState.TuneAway* indication and until the *ConnectedState.TuneBack* indication.

If (RL PHY Frame Index – CQIPilotReportPhase) mod CQIPilotReportInterval = 0 then the CQICH Pilot shall be reported. If (RL PHY Frame Index – CQIPilotReportPhase) mod CQIPilotReportInterval  $\neq$  0 and (RL PHY Frame Index – CQIReportPhase) mod CQIReportInterval = 0 then CQICHCTRL, CQICHSCW, or CQICHMCW shall be reported.

The CQIReportIndex shall be computed from the CQIReportInterval and CQIReportPhase as  $CQIReportIndex = (RL\ PHY\ Frame\ Index - CQIReportPhase) / CQIReportInterval$ .

If CQIReportIndex mod MandatoryCQICHCTRLReportingPeriod = 0 and (RL PHY Frame Index – CQIPilotReportPhase) mod CQIPilotReportInterval  $\neq$  0, then CQICHCTRL shall be reported.

If (RL PHY Frame Index – CQIPilotReportPhase) mod CQIPilotReportInterval  $\neq$  0 and the CQI is reported for a sector other than the FLSS, then CQICHCTRL shall be reported.

If (RL PHY Frame Index – CQIPilotReportPhase) mod CQIPilotReportInterval  $\neq$  0 and DFLSS  $\neq$  FLSS then CQICHCTRL shall be reported.

If  $2 < EffectiveNumAntennas \leq 4$ , the CQICHMCW report consists of 2 parts. The CQICHMCW report with the MCWIndex field set to 0, is the first part. However, if  $EffectiveNumAntennas \leq 2$ , the CQICHMCW report consists of only the first part. The CQICHMCW report is not defined if  $EffectiveNumAntennas > 4$ .

Provided the above rules are not violated, then the AT may determine which CQI reports to use consistent with its CQIReportingMode.

### 7.6.6.3.5.2 CQI Report

The CQI reports for the each CQIReportingMode and R-CQICH are shown in Table 7-21.

**Table 7-21 CQI Reports for each CQIReportingMode**

	CQIReportingMode		
	CQISISO	CQISCW	CQIMCW
<b>CQI Report</b>	CQICH Pilot	CQICH Pilot	CQICH Pilot
	CQICHCTRL	CQICHCTRL	CQICHCTRL
		CQICHSCW	CQICHMCW

The format for the CQICHPilot report is shown in Table 7-22.

**Table 7-22 Format for CQICHPilot report**

Field	Length (bits)
ReservedValue	10

ReservedValue      The ReservedValue is set to 0.

The format for the CQICHCTRL is shown in Table 7-23.

**Table 7-23 Format for CQICHCTRL report**

Field	Length (bits)
FormatType	1
CQIValueSISO	4
DFLSSFlag	1
ActiveSetIndex	3
Reserved	1

FormatType      This bit is set to the value 0.

CQIValueSISO      Indicates FL SISO CQI value. See 7.6.6.3.5.3 for details.

DFLSSFlag      If the ActiveSetIndex is the current DFLSS, the DFLSSFlag bit shall be set to 1; otherwise, the DFLSSFlag bit shall be set to 0. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the DFLSSFlag shall be the same for the CQICHCTRL report transmitted on all carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers.

ActiveSetIndex      Indicates the sector to which the CQIValueSISO corresponds. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the ActiveSetIndex shall be the same for the CQICHCTRL report transmitted on all carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers.

Reserved      This field is set to the value 0.

The format for the CQISCW is in Table 7-24.

**Table 7-24 Format for CQICHSCW report**

Field	Length (bits)
FormatType	1
CQIValueSCW	5
Rank	2
Reserved	2

FormatType      This bit is set to the value 1.

**CQIValueSCW** Indicates FL MIMO SCW CQI value for the reported Rank. See 7.6.6.3.5.3 for details.

**Rank** Indicates the desired number of MIMO layers in the FL MIMO SCW transmission.

**Reserved** This field is set to the value 0.

If  $2 < \text{EffectiveNumAntennas} \leq 4$ , the CQICHMCW report consists of 2 parts. The format for the first part is shown in Table 7-25, and the format for the 2<sup>nd</sup> part is shown in Table 7-26. However, if  $\text{EffectiveNumAntennas} \leq 2$ , the CQICHMCW report consists of only the first part, shown in Table 7-25. The CQICHMCW report is not defined if  $\text{EffectiveNumAntennas} > 4$ .

**Table 7-25 Format of first part of CQICHMCW report**

Field	Length (bits)
FormatType	1
MCWIndex	1
CQIValueMCWLayer1	4
CQIValueMCWLayer2	4

**FormatType** This bit is set to the value 1.

**MCWIndex** This bit is set to the value 0 to indicate the CQI report is the first part of the CQICHMCW report.

**CQIValueMCWLayer1** Indicates the FL MIMO MCW layer 1 CQI value. See 7.6.6.3.5.3 for details.

**CQIValueMCWLayer2** Indicates the FL MIMO MCW layer 2 CQI value. See 7.6.6.3.5.3 for details.

**Table 7-26 Format of second part of CQICHMCW report**

Field	Length (bits)
FormatType	1
MCWIndex	1
CQIValueMCWLayer3	4
CQIValueMCWLayer4	4

**FormatType** This bit is set to the value 1.

**MCWIndex** This bit is set to the value 1 to indicate the CQI report is the second part of the CQICHMCW report.

**CQIValueMCWLayer3** Indicates the FL MIMO MCW layer 3 CQI value. See 7.6.6.3.5.3 for details.



CQIValueMCWLayer4

Indicates the FL MIMO MCW layer 4 CQI value. See 7.6.6.3.5.3 for details.

### 7.6.6.3.5.3 CQIValue

Depending on the CQIReportingMode, the CQIValue can indicate the field CQIValueSISO in CQICHCTRL report, the field CQIValueSCW in CQICHSCW report, or the fields CQIValueMCWLayer1, CQIValueMCWLayer2, CQIValueMCWLayer3, and CQIValueMCWLayer4 in CQICHMCW report.

In the BlockHopping mode, the access terminal computes CQIValue assuming the FL PHY Frames are transmitted using beam index 0, in the code book specified by the BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex. The beam index 0 assumes no preferred transmit precoding matrix. See Appendix for details.

Based on an unrestricted observation interval, the access terminal shall report the highest tabulated CQIValue such that a packet transmitted by the access network to the access terminal over all of the hop-ports on the SSCH subbands, and the corresponding RLCTRLCarrier if the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, sent at TDM2 Power Density using the specified packet format and the specified number of FL-PHY Frames, terminating 1 PHY Frame before the start of the PHY Frame that the R-CQICH is transmitted, would result in a packet error probability  $\leq 0.01$ . The CQI mappings are shown in Table 7-27.

**Table 7-27 CQI Mapping to the FL Packet Format and Number of FL-PHY Frames**

4-bit CQI Value	5-bit CQI Value	FL Packet Format	Number of FL-PHY Frames
0	0	N/A	0
	1	0	2
1	2	1	4
	3	2	3
2	4	2	1
	5	2	2
3	6	2	3
4	7	3	5
5	8	4	4
	9	4	3
6	10	10	2
	11	5	1
7	12	6	2
	13	8	2
8	14	11	1
	15	12	3
9	16	13	5
	17	14	4
10	18	9	4
	19	13	3
11	20	10	2
12	21	11	2
13	22	12	1
14	23	13	2
15	24	14	2
	25	N/A	N/A
	26	N/A	N/A
	27	N/A	N/A
	28	N/A	N/A
	29	N/A	N/A
	30	N/A	N/A
	31	N/A	N/A

#### 7.6.6.3.5.4 VCQI Support

In this section, if the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the subband indices used for VCQI support, shall only include the indices corresponding to the carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers.

Define CQIValueSISOSubband[Interlace] to indicate the FL SISO CQI value for the given subband and FL interlace; CQIValueSCWSubband[Interlace][Rank] to indicate the FL SCW CQI value for the given subband, FL interlace and Rank; CQIValueMCWSubband[Interlace][Layer] to indicate the FL MCW CQI value for each MIMO layer.

Based on an unrestricted observation interval, the access terminal shall compute the CQIValueSISOSubband[Interlace], CQIValueSCWSubband[Interlace][Rank] or the CQIValueMCWSubband[Interlace][Layer] depending on the CQIReportingMode, such that a packet transmitted by the access network to the access terminal over all of the hop-ports on the subband, sent at TDM2 Power Density using the specified packet format and the specified number of FL-PHY Frames, terminating 1 PHY Frame before the start of the PHY Frame where CQIValueSISOSubband[Interlace], CQIValueSCWSubband[Interlace][Rank] or the CQIValueMCWSubband[Interlace][Layer] is computed, would result in a packet error probability  $\leq 0.01$ . The CQI mappings are shown in Table 7-27.

If the CQIReportingMode is SISO, the access terminal shall compute the report VCQIValueSISO[Interlace][subband] by averaging the CQIValueSISOSubband computed for that particular interlace and subband, over an averaging interval specified by VCQIMeasureInterval, terminating 1 PHY Frame before the VCQI message is reported.

If the CQIReportingMode is SCW, the access terminal shall compute the report VCQIValueSCW[Interlace][subband][Rank] for each Rank, by averaging the CQIValueSCWSubband[Interlace][Rank] computed for that particular subband and Rank, over an averaging interval specified by VCQIMeasureInterval, terminating 1 PHY Frame before the VCQI message is reported.

If the CQIReportingMode is MCW, the access terminal shall compute the report VCQIValueMCW[Interlace][subband][Layer] by averaging the CQIValueMCWSubband[Interlace][Layer] computed for that particular subband and MIMO layer, over an averaging interval specified by VCQIMeasureInterval, terminating 1 PHY Frame before the VCQI message is reported.

#### 7.6.6.3.6 Procedures for the R-SFCH Physical Layer channel

The access terminal uses the R-SFCH to transmit the subband index and the quantized FL channel quality corresponding to the reported subband index and the FLSS.

The RCC MAC Protocol shall provide the Physical Layer Protocol with the  $P_{SFCH}$ , RLCTRLCarrier, SectorID and MACID for each R-SFCH transmission. The SectorID and MACID correspond to the FLSS. The  $P_{SFCH}$  is determined according to the rules in 7.6.6.3.4. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the RLCTRLCarrier indicates the carrier where the R-SFCH is transmitted. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOff, the RLCTRLCarrier is not defined.

### 7.6.6.3.6.1 Reporting Rules

The access terminal shall transmit the R-SFCH only on the Control Segment of the synchronous subset containing the FLSS.

The access terminal shall send the R-SFCH reports so that the SFCHReportRate requirement is satisfied. The access terminal shall not transmit R-SFCH report, if SFCHReportRate is equal to the value 0.

If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, R-SFCH shall be transmitted on the carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers.

The access terminal shall not transmit the R-SFCH after *ConnectedState.TunedAway* indication and until the *ConnectedState.TunedBack* indication.

### 7.6.6.3.6.2 SFCH Report

The SFCH report for the each CQIReportingMode are shown in Table 7-28.

**Table 7-28 SFCH Report for each CQIReportingMode**

	CQIReportingMode		
	CQISISO	CQISCW	CQIMCW
<b>SFCH Report</b>	SFCHSISO	SFCHSCW	Not defined

The format for the SFCHSISO report is shown in Table 7-29.

**Table 7-29 Format for SFCHSISO report**

Field	Length (bits)
SubBandIndex	4
SubBandCQIValueSISO	4
Reserved	2

**SubBandIndex** Indicates the subband for which the SubBandCQIValueSISO is reported. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the two MSBs of this field is set to value 0.

**SubBandCQIValueSISO** If NumSFCHBits is equal to 11, this field indicates the CQI Value for the reported SubBandIndex. See 7.6.6.3.6.3 for details. If NumSFCHBits is set to 10, this field is set to the value 0.

**Reserved** This field is set to the value 0.

The format for the SFCHSCW report is shown in Table 7-30.

**Table 7-30 Format for SFCHSCW report**

Field	Length (bits)
SubBandIndex	4
SubBandCQIValueSCW	4
SubBandRank	2

**SubBandIndex** Indicates the Subband for which the SubBandCQIValueSCW is reported. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the two MSBs of this field is set to value 0.

**SubBandCQIValueSCW** If NumSFCHBits is equal to 11, this field indicates the CQI Value for the FL MIMO SCW transmission for the reported Rank and the reported SubBandIndex. See 7.6.6.3.6.3 for details. If NumSFCHBits is equal to 10, then this field is set to the value 0.

**SubBandRank** Indicates the desired number of MIMO layers in the FL MIMO SCW transmission for the reported SubBandIndex.

#### 7.6.6.3.6.3 SubBandCQIValue

Depending on the CQIReportingMode, the SubBandCQIValue can indicate the field SubBandCQIValueSISO in SFCHSISO report, the field SubBandCQIValueSCW in SFCHSCW report.

The access terminal may autonomously choose to include single user transmit processing gains, such as STTD or transmission on a preferred precoding matrix, in the SubBandCQIValue. STTD and precoding are defined in the Physical Layer Protocol.

The access terminal shall not incorporate any form of multi-user transmit processing losses, such as SDMA losses, in the SubBandCQIValue. SDMA is defined in the Physical Layer Protocol.

Based on an unrestricted observation interval, the access terminal shall report the highest tabulated SubBandCQIValue such that a packet transmitted by the access network to the access terminal over all of the hop-ports on the subband corresponding to the SubBandIndex, sent at TDM2 Power Density using the specified packet format and the specified number of FL-PHY Frames, terminating 1 PHY Frame before the start of the PHY Frame that the R-SFCH is transmitted, would result in a packet error probability  $\leq 0.01$ . The CQI mappings are shown in Table 7-27.

#### 7.6.6.3.7 Procedures for the R-BFCH Physical Layer channel

The access terminal uses the R-BFCH to transmit the beam index, and the CQI value offset necessary for SDMA transmission for the current FLSS. SDMA is defined in the Physical Layer Protocol. A description of the beam code books, indexed by the BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex is provided in 12.

The RCC MAC Protocol shall provide the Physical Layer Protocol with the  $P_{\text{BFCH}}$ ,  $\text{RLCTRLCarrier}$ ,  $\text{SectorID}$  and  $\text{MACID}$  for each R-BFCH transmission. The  $\text{SectorID}$  and  $\text{MACID}$  correspond to the FLSS. The  $P_{\text{BFCH}}$  is determined according to the rules in 7.6.6.3.4. If the multi-carrier mode is set to  $\text{MultiCarrierOn}$ , the  $\text{RLCTRLCarrier}$  indicates the carrier, where the R-BFCH is transmitted. If the multi-carrier mode is set to  $\text{MultiCarrierOff}$ , the  $\text{RLCTRLCarrier}$  is not defined.

#### 7.6.6.3.7.1 Reporting Rules

The access terminal shall transmit the R-BFCH only on the Control Segment of the synchronous subset containing FLSS.

The access terminal shall send the  $\text{BFCHBeamIndex}$  report so that the  $\text{BFCHReportRate}$  requirement is satisfied. The access terminal shall not transmit R-BFCH report if  $\text{BFCHReportRate}$  is equal to the value 0.

If the multi-carrier mode is set to  $\text{MultiCarrierOn}$ , R-BFCH shall be transmitted on the carriers, indicated by  $\text{ActiveCarriers}$ .

The access terminal shall not transmit the R-BFCH after *ConnectedState.TunedAway* indication and until the *ConnectedState.TunedBack* indication.

#### 7.6.6.3.7.2 BFCH Report

The BFCH reports are sent using the  $\text{BFCHBeamIndex}$  report.

The format for the  $\text{BFCHBeamIndex}$  report is shown in Table 7-31.

**Table 7-31 Format for  $\text{BFCHBeamIndex}$**

Field	Length (bits)
BeamIndex	6
SDMADeltaCQI	3
Reserved	1

**BeamIndex** If the  $\text{SFCHReportRate}$  is not 0, the BeamIndex indicates the desired beam index from the code book specified by the  $\text{BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex}$ , for the SubBandIndex specified reported in R-SFCH (see 7.6.6.3.6).

If the  $\text{SFCHReportRate}$  is 0, the BeamIndex indicates the desired beam index from the code book specified by the  $\text{BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex}$ , for the SSCH subbands for which the CQI value is computed in R-CQICH (see 7.6.6.3.5.3).

1	SDMADeltaCQI	If NumBFCHBits is equal to 11, FLNumSDMADimensions > 1,
2		SFCHReportRate is not 0 and BeamIndex field corresponds to an SDMA
3		beam, the SDMADeltaCQI indicates the integer offset that is to be subtracted
4		from the SubBandCQIValue in R-SFCH (see 7.6.6.3.6) to obtain the
5		SDMACQIValue. See 7.6.6.3.7.3 for details on SDMACQIValue.
6		
7		If NumBFCHBits is equal to 11, FLNumSDMADimensions > 1,
8		SFCHReportRate is 0 and BeamIndex field corresponds to an SDMA beam,
9		the SDMADeltaCQI indicates the integer offset that is to be subtracted from
10		the CQIValue in R-CQICH (see 7.6.6.3.5.3). See 7.6.6.3.7.3 for details on
11		SDMACQIValue.
12		
13		If NumBFCHBits field is equal to 10 or if FLNumSDMADimensions = 1, or
14		if the BeamIndex field corresponds to an SDMA beam, the SDMADeltaCQI
15		field is equal to the value 0.
16	Reserved	This bit is set to the value 0.

### 7.6.6.3.7.3 SDMACQIValue

The SDMACQIValue is to be used by the Access Network for SDMA transmission.

In this section, the parameters used to compute SDMACQIValue are to be interpreted as integers. If SDMACQIValue is computed to be a number smaller than 0, the SDMACQIValue shall be made equal to 0. SDMACQIValue shall be interpreted as a 4-bit CQI value if the CQIReportingMode is CQISISO or CQIMCW, and as a 5-bit CQI value if the CQIReportingMode is CQISCW. The CQI mappings to be used for SDMACQIValue are shown in Table 7-27.

If the SFCHReportRate is 0, the SDMACQIValue is computed as follows.

- If the CQIReportingMode is CQISISO,  $\text{SDMACQIValue} = \text{CQIValueSISO} - \text{SDMADeltaCQI}$ , where CQIValueSISO is a field in the CQICHCTRL report of the R-CQICH, described in 7.6.6.3.5.
- If the CQIReportingMode is CQISCW,  $\text{SDMACQIValue} = \text{CQIValueSCW} - \text{SDMADeltaCQI}$ , where CQIValueSCW is a field in the CQICHSCW report of the R-SFCH, described in 7.6.6.3.5.
- If the CQIReportingMode is CQIMCW, the SDMACQIValue for each MIMO layer 'k' defined as  $\text{SDMACQIValue} = \text{CQIValueMCWLayer}'k' - \text{SDMADeltaCQI}$ , where CQIValueMCWLayer'k' is a field in the CQICHMCW report of the R-SFCH, described in 7.6.6.3.5.

If the SFCHReportRate is not 0, the SDMACQIValue is computed as follows.

- If the CQIReportingMode is CQISISO,  $\text{SDMACQIValue} = \text{SubBandCQIValueSISO} - \text{SDMADeltaCQI}$ , where SubBandCQIValueSISO is a field in the SFCHSISO report of the R-SFCH, described in 7.6.6.3.6.
- If the CQIReportingMode is CQISCW,  $\text{SDMACQIValue} = \text{SubBandCQIValueSISO} - \text{SDMADeltaCQI}$ , where SubBandCQIValueSCW is a field in the SFCHSCW report of the R-SFCH, described in 7.6.6.3.6.

Based on an unrestricted observation interval, the access terminal shall report the lowest tabulated SDMA $\Delta$ CQI, such that the packet transmitted by the access network to the access terminal over all of the hop-ports on the SubBandIndex reported in the R-SFCH (see 7.6.6.3.6) or on the SSCH subbands used in R-CQICH (see 7.6.6.3.5) depending on the SFCHReportRate, sent at TDM2 Power Density using the specified packet format and the specified number of FL-PHY Frames corresponding to SDMA $\Delta$ CQIValue, terminating 1 PHY Frame before the start of the PHY Frame that the R-CQICH is transmitted, would result in a packet error probability  $\leq 0.01$ .

#### 7.6.6.3.8 Procedures for the R-PICH Physical Layer channel

The access terminal uses the R-PICH to transmit the broadband pilot.

The access terminal shall transmit the R-PICH only on the Control Segment of the synchronous subset containing the FLSS.

The access terminal shall only be permitted to transmit the R-PICH if RLSupplementalPilot bit is equal to 1.

The RCC MAC Protocol shall provide the Physical Layer Protocol with  $P_{PICH}$ , RLCTRLCarrier, SectorID and MACID for each R-PICH transmission. The SectorID and MACID correspond to the FLSS. The  $P_{PICH}$  is determined according to the rules in 7.6.6.3.4. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the RLCTRLCarrier indicates the carrier, where the R-PICH is transmitted. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOff, the RLCTRLCarrier is not defined. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, independent R-PICH shall be transmitted on independent carriers indicated by ActiveCarriers.

The access terminal shall not transmit the R-PICH after *ConnectedState.TunedAway* indication and until the *ConnectedState.TunedBack* indication.

#### 7.6.6.3.9 Procedures for the R-REQCH Physical Layer channel

The access terminal shall transmit the R-REQCH only on the on the Control Segment of the synchronous subset containing the FLSS.

The RCC MAC Protocol shall provide the Physical Layer Protocol with the  $P_{REQCH}$ , RLCTRLCarrier, SectorID and MACID. The SectorID and MACID correspond to the FLSS. The  $P_{REQCH}$  is determined according to the rules in 7.6.6.3.4. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the RLCTRLCarrier is equal to the REQCarrier, that indicates the carrier on which the R-REQCH is transmitted. If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOff, the RLCTRLCarrier is not defined.

The access terminal shall not transmit the R-REQCH after *ConnectedState.TunedAway* indication and until the *ConnectedState.TunedBack* indication.

The access terminal shall wait a minimum of MinRequestInterval RL PHY Frames in between consecutive R-REQCH transmissions to DRLSS. For instance, if the MinRequestInterval corresponds to two RL PHY Frames and the access terminal last transmits R-REQCH to the DRLSS on RL PHY Frame with RL PHY Frame Index  $k$ , then the access terminal shall only be permitted to transmit R-REQCH to that same sector again on an RL PHY Frame with RL PHY Frame Indices  $\geq k + 2$ .



The R-REQCH message format is shown in Table 7-32.

**Table 7-32 R-REQCH message format**

Field	Length (bits)
QoS Flow	2
MaxNumSubCarriers	2
DRLSS	3
Reserved	3

**QoSFlow** These bits specify the RLP QoS flow corresponding to the request. The access terminal shall indicate the QoS of the highest QoS flow that contains data available for transmission. The QoS priority order shall be 00 highest, 01 second, 10 third, and 11 lowest.

**MaxNumSubCarriers** These bits specify the maximum number of subcarriers the access terminal can currently support. The access terminal shall specify the highest value from Table 7-33 such that both the buffer level of the QoS flow given by the QoSFlow bits and the number of subcarriers that the access terminal can support at RDCHGain using the available transmit power are satisfied.

**Table 7-33 MaxNumSubCarriers lookup table**

Num Subcarriers supportable at RDCHGain (Subcarriers)	Buffer size of QoSFlow (Bytes)	MaxNumSubCarriers Field
$X < 16$	$X < 50$	00
$16 \leq X < 32$	$X < 100$	01
$32 \leq X < 64$	$X < 200$	10
Otherwise	Otherwise	11

**DRLSS** This field shall be set to the 3-bit ActiveSetIndex corresponding to the access terminal's DRLSS.

**Reserved** The Reserved bits shall be set to 0.

#### 7.6.6.3.10 Procedures for the R-ACKCH Physical Layer channel

##### 7.6.6.3.10.1 Definitions

The following definitions will be used in this section, and apply to a specified RL PHY Frame.

**RACKCTRLCarrier** Indicates the carrier where the acknowledgement is transmitted.

**NumACK** Number of FL PHY Frames acknowledged.

1	NumACKIndex	Index for each of the NumACK acknowledgements. The acknowledgements
2		are assumed to be ordered so that so that the acknowledgment corresponding
3		to the FL PHY Frame index $k$ has a smaller NumACKIndex than the ACK
4		corresponding to FL PHY Frame Index $k+m$ , where $m > 1$ . NumACKIndex
5		satisfies $0 \leq \text{NumACKIndex} \leq \text{NumACK}-1$ .
6	NumRACKBaseNodes	For the RACKCTRLCarrier, $\text{NumRACKBaseNodes} = \lceil N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} /$
7		$\text{MinHopPortsPerNode} \rceil * \text{FLNumSDMADimensions} * \text{NumACK}$ .
8	BaseNodeIndex	Index for a base-node in the carrier. The base-nodes are assumed to be
9		ordered in increasing order so that base-node mapped by the left-most hop-
10		port in the carrier has BaseNodeIndex = 0, and the base-node mapped by the
11		right-most hop-port in the carrier has BaseNodeIndex = $(\lceil N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} /$
12		$\text{MinHopPortsPerNode} \rceil * \text{FLNumSDMADimensions}) - 1$
13	SpatialOrder	Number of MIMO-MCW layers.

#### 7.6.6.3.10.2 ACK Reporting Rules

The access terminal shall not transmit the R-ACKCH after *ConnectedState.TunedAway* indication and until the *ConnectedState.TunedBack* indication.

In the FDD mode, for the FL transmission of a MAC packet on FL PHY Frame Index  $k$ , the access terminal shall send an ACK on the RL PHY Frame with RL PHY Frame Index  $k+3$ , resulting in NumACK = 1.

In the FDD mode, for the FL transmission of a MAC packet using an E-PHY Frame that starts on FL PHY Frame Index  $k$ , the access terminal shall send an ACK on the RL PHY Frames with RL PHY Frame Indices  $k+8$  and  $k+9$ , resulting in NumACK = 1.

Define  $A = \lceil N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} / N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} \rceil$  and  $B = \lfloor N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} / N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} \rfloor$  in TDD mode. The parameters  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  and  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$  are defined in the Default Physical Layer Protocol. The access terminal shall send ACKs according to the following rules:

- If  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} \leq N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$ , for the FL transmission of MAC packet sent on FL PHY Frame Index  $k$ , the access terminal shall send an ACK on RL PHY Frame with RL PHY Frame Index  $(q+1)N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} + f$ , where  $q = \lfloor k / N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} \rfloor$  and  $f = k \bmod N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$ . This results in NumACK = 1 for the first  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  RL PHY Frames, and NumACK = 0 for the remaining RL PHY Frames, in the appropriate RL burst.
- If  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} > N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$ , for the FL transmission of MAC packet sent on FL PHY Frame Index  $k$ , the access terminal shall send an ACK on RL PHY Frame with RL PHY Frame Index  $(q+1)N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} + r$ , where  $q = \lfloor k / N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} \rfloor$  and  $r = \lfloor f / A \rfloor$ . This results in NumACK = A, in the first  $\lfloor N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} / A \rfloor$  RL PHY Frames, and NumACK = B in the subsequent RL PHY Frames, in the appropriate RL burst.

The RACKVal, RACKBaseNodeIndex, and RACKCTRLCarrier computation are described in 7.6.6.3.10.2.1. The  $P_{\text{ACKCH}}$  is determined according to the rules in 7.6.6.3.4.

If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOff, the MAC shall provide the PHY with NumRACKBaseNodes,  $P_{\text{ACKCH}}$  and RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKVal, for each acknowledgement sent on the RL PHY Frame.

If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, the parameters NumRACKBaseNodes, RACKBaseNodeIndex,  $P_{ACKCH}$  and RACKVal are defined for the corresponding RACKCTRLCarrier.

If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, and the acknowledgement is for FL MIMO-MCW transmission restricted to one carrier or for FL MIMO-SCW or SISO transmission, the MAC shall provide the PHY with NumRACKBaseNodes,  $P_{ACKCH}$ , RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKVal, for one RACKCTRLCarrier, sent on the RL PHY Frame.

If the multi-carrier mode is set to MultiCarrierOn, and the acknowledgement is for FL MIMO-MCW transmission across multiple carriers, the MAC may provide the PHY with NumRACKBaseNodes,  $P_{ACKCH}$  and RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKVal, for multiple RACKCTRLCarriers.

#### 7.6.6.3.10.2.1 RACKVal, RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKCTRLCarrier Computation

For each acknowledgement transmitted in the RL PHY Frame, the RACKVal, RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKCTRLCarrier are determined as follows.

1. For the SISO and MIMO-SCW acknowledgement, the RACKVal, RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKCTRLCarrier are determined as follows.
  - a. If the FL transmission of MAC packet passes CRC, the RACKVal is set to the value 1; otherwise RACKVal is equal to the value 0.
  - b. The RACKCTRLCarrier shall be the carrier with the most hop-ports in the ATA. If more than one carrier has the most hop-ports in the ATA, the RACKCTRLCarrier shall be the carrier corresponding to the lowest carrier index.
  - c. The RACKBaseNodeIndex =  $[(N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} / \text{MinHopPortsPerNode} * \text{FLNumSDMADimensions}) * \text{NumACKIndex}] + \text{BaseNodeIndex}$ , where the BaseNodeIndex corresponds to the base-node mapped by the lowest-indexed hop-port in the ATA in the RACKCTRLCarrier.
2. For MIMO-MCW acknowledgement, RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKCTRLCarrier for MIMO layer 0 is chosen according to rules 1b and 1c. If the FL MIMO layer 0 transmission of a MAC packet passes CRC, then the corresponding RACKVal shall be equal to the value 1, otherwise the corresponding RACKVal shall be equal to the value 0.
3. In the MIMO-MCW mode, for the MIMO layer  $k$  ( $k > 0$ ), the RACKVal, RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKCTRLCarrier are computed as follows. Initialize  $k = 1$ .
  - a. If RACKBaseNodeIndex  $<$  NumRACKBaseNodes -1, increment RACKBaseNodeIndex by 1 and go to step 3c; otherwise go to step 3b.
  - b. If RACKBaseNodeIndex  $>$  NumRACKBaseNodes -1, determine RACKCTRLCarrier by incrementing the carrier index by 1, determine RACKBaseNodeIndex for MIMO layer  $k$  according to rule 1c for the updated RACKCTRLCarrier, and go to step 3c.
  - c. If the FL MIMO layer ' $k$ ' transmission of a MAC packet passes CRC, then the corresponding RACKVal shall be equal to the value 1, otherwise the corresponding RACKVal shall be equal to the value 0. Go to step 3d.

- d. Increment  $k$  by 1. Go to step 3a if  $k < \text{SpatialOrder}$ ; otherwise declare RACKCTRLCarrier and RACKBaseNodeIndex computation to be complete.

The MIMO-MCW acknowledgement shall have SpatialOrder total number of RACKBaseNodeIndex and RACKVal, counted across one or more RACKCTRLCarriers.

## 7.6.7 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

## 7.6.8 Interface to other protocols

### 7.6.8.1.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following command:

- ACMAC.AttemptAccess(DFLSS)

### 7.6.8.1.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *ConnectedState.TunedAway*
- *ConnectedState.TunedBack*

## 7.6.9 Configuration attributes

The following complex attributes and default values are defined (see 10.3 for attribute record definition).

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Session Management Protocol.

### 7.6.9.1 PowerControl attribute

Field	Length (bits)	Default Value
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
CtrlAccessOffset	8	152
REQChannelGain	8	128
ACKChannelGain0	8	152
ACKChannelGain1	8	160
ACKChannelGain2	8	168
ACKChannelGain3	8	176
ACKChannelGain4	8	182
ACKChannelGain5	8	188

Field	Length (bits)	Default Value
ACKChannelGain6	8	196
ACKChannelGain7	8	204
ACKChannelGain8	8	212
ACKChannelGain9	8	224
ACKStepUpSize	8	136
PICHPowerOffset	8	128
ACKExtendedFrameGain	8	128

1	Length	Length of the complex attribute in octets. The access network shall set this
2		field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.
3	AttributeID	This field shall be set to 0x00.
4	ValueID	This field identifies this particular set of values for the attribute. The access
5		network shall increment this field for each complex attribute-value record for
6		a particular attribute.
7	CtrlAccessOffset	This field is set to the gain of the R-CQICH over the R-ACH. The value of
8		this field is $(n-128)*0.125$ dB.
9	REQChannelGain	This field is set to the gain of the R-REQCH over the R-CQICH. The value
10		of this field is $(n-128)*0.125$ dB.
11	ACKChannelGain <sub>j</sub>	This field is used to determine the gain of the R-ACKCH over the R-CQICH.
12		The value of this field is $(n-128)*0.125$ dB and shall be used when the
13		erasure rate is between $j*10\%$ and $(j+1)*10\%$ .
14	ACKStepUpSize	This field is used to determine the gain of the R-ACKCH over the R-CQICH.
15		The value of this field is $n*0.125$ dB.
16	PICHPowerOffset	This field is set to the gain of the R-PICH over the R-CQICH. The value of
17		this field is $(n-128)*0.125$ dB.
18	AckExtendedFrameGain	
19		This field is set to the gain of the R-ACKCH over the R-CQICH. The value
20		of this field is $(n-128)*0.125$ dB.

### 7.6.10 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
$N_{RCCMPType}$	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
$N_{RCCMPDefault}$	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000

### 7.6.11 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

## 7.7 Default Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol

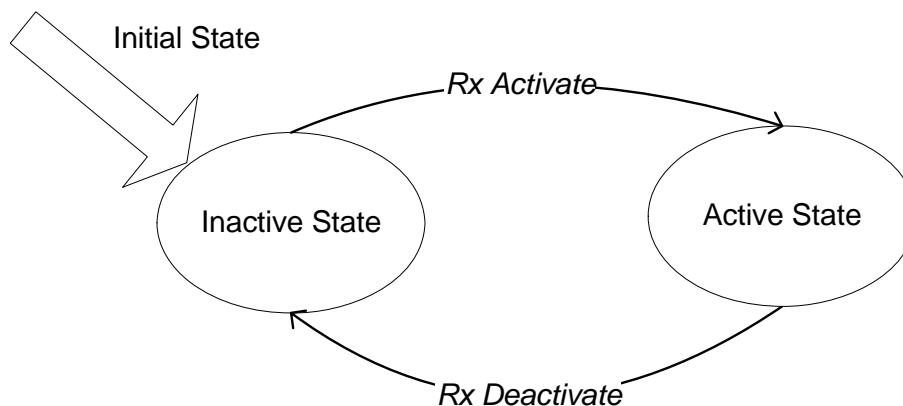
### 7.7.1 Overview

The Default Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol provides the procedures and messages required for an access terminal to transmit, and for an access network to receive, the Reverse Traffic Channel. The access network maintains an instance of this protocol for every access terminal.

This protocol operates in one of two states:

- *Inactive State*: In this state, the access terminal is not assigned a MACID and cannot transmit on the Reverse Traffic Channel. When the protocol is in this state, it waits for an *Activate* command.
- *Active State*: In this state, the access terminal is assigned a MACID and may transmit data on the Reverse Traffic Channel.

The protocol states and the indications and events causing the transition between the states are shown in Figure 7-23.



**Figure 7-23 Default Reverse Traffic Channel MAC Protocol state diagram**

This protocol shall use the following parameters and attributes.

Parameter Name	Where Defined	Comments
RLChannelTreeIndex	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
RLControlSegmentDuration	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
PowerControlStepUp	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
PowerControlStepDown	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
ControlDataInterferenceOffset	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
RDCHGainMin	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
RDCHGainMax	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
RDCHInitialPacketFormat	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
ErasureGain <sub>j</sub> , j=0, 1, 2, 3	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
RLNumSDMADimensions	OMP	ExtendedChannelInfo
ReverseLinkSilenceDuration	OMP	Public data
ReverseLinkSilencePeriod	OMP	Public data
RLImplicitDeassignEnabled	Connected State Protocol	Public data
SelectedInterlaceMode	Connected State Protocol	Public data
TuneAwayStatus	Connected State Protocol	Public data
MultiCarrierOn	Physical Layer Protocol	Public data
ControlDataTargetOffset	Configuration Attribute	
UpDecisionThresholdMin	Configuration Attribute	
DownDecisionThresholdMin	Configuration Attribute	
ChanDiffMax	Configuration Attribute	
ChanDiffMin	Configuration Attribute	
UpDecisionValue	Configuration Attribute	
DownDecisionValue	Configuration Attribute	
DataGainStepUp	Configuration Attribute	
DataGainStepDown	Configuration Attribute	
RDCHGainAdjustmentThreshold	Configuration Attribute	
N <sub>OSIMonitorSet</sub>	Configuration Attribute	
OSIMonitorThreshold	Configuration Attribute	
OSI2SequenceMax	Configuration Attribute	

## 7.7.2 Primitives

### 7.7.2.1 Commands

This protocol defines the following commands:

- *Activate*
- *Deactivate*

### 7.7.2.2 Return indications

This protocol returns the following indications:

- *ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed*
- *SupervisionFailed*
- *UATIReceived*

### 7.7.3 Public data

#### 7.7.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

#### 7.7.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

### 7.7.4 Protocol data unit

The transmission unit of this protocol is a Reverse Traffic Channel Lower MAC Sublayer packet. Each packet contains one Security Sublayer packet.

### 7.7.5 Protocol initialization and swap

#### 7.7.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon initialization at the access terminal,

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State.

Upon initialization at the access network

- The values of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- The protocol shall enter the Active State.

#### 7.7.5.2 Protocol Swap

Upon swap, the protocol instance shall enter the Inactive State.

### 7.7.6 Procedures

The protocol constructs a Reverse Traffic Channel Lower MAC Sublayer packet out of the Security Sublayer packet by adding the Lower MAC Sublayer header and trailer as defined in 7.7.7.

The protocol then sends the packet for transmission to the Physical Layer.



### 7.7.6.1 Command processing

#### 7.7.6.1.1 Activate

If the protocol receives an *Activate* command in the Inactive State, the access terminal and the access network shall perform the following:

- Transition to the Active State
- Internal variables of the protocol shall be initialized as mentioned in the definition of these variables.

If the protocol receives this command in any other state, the command shall be ignored.

#### 7.7.6.1.2 Deactivate

If the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Active State:

- The access terminal shall cease transmitting the Reverse Traffic Channel and shall transition to the Inactive State.
- The access network shall cease monitoring the Reverse Traffic Channel from this access terminal and shall transition to the Inactive State.

If the protocol receives a *Deactivate* command in the Inactive State, the command shall be ignored.

### 7.7.6.2 Reverse traffic channel addressing

Transmission on the Reverse Traffic Channel is multiplexed in time and frequency. An assignment on the Reverse Traffic Channel shall be specified by a set of hop-ports and an interlace. Each hop-port is specified by a hop-port index as well as a carrier index. If the duplex mode is FDD, then the interlace may be composed of standard PHY Frames, or extended PHY Frames (as specified by the assignment blocks received from the SS MAC protocol). Extended PHY Frames are defined in 7.1.3.1.3.

The duration of an assignment of hop-ports may or may not be pre specified. Assignments whose durations are pre-specified are known as non-sticky assignments, and assignments whose durations are not pre-specified are known as sticky assignments.

The set of hop-ports assigned for a particular interlace for a particular access terminal via sticky assignment blocks (RLABs) is referred to as the “Reverse Link Access Terminal Assignment” or RL-ATA for an interlace. An access terminal can have multiple RL-ATAs, one for each nonoverlapping interlace (note that overlapping interlaces can be created only by the use of extended PHY Frames).

The set of hop-ports assigned for a particular interlace for a particular access terminal via non-sticky assignment blocks (NS-RLABs) is referred to as the “Reverse Link Non-Sticky Access Terminal Assignment” or RL-NS-ATA for an interlace. An access terminal can have multiple RL-NS-ATAs, one for each nonoverlapping interlace

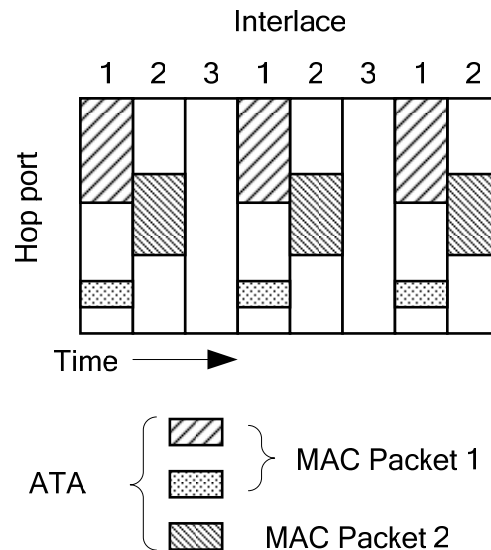
Sets of hop-ports in assignment blocks (from SS MAC) are specified using the channel tree specified by RLChannelTreeIndex. Channel tree tables are specified in 7.7.6.7.

Packets transmitted over the Reverse Traffic Channel are transmitted over the R-DCH Physical Layer channel. Access terminals are assigned R-DCH resources (RL-ATAs, RL-NS-ATAs) via assignment blocks (RLABs, NS-RLABs) and AccessGrants that are sent over the F-SSCH.

The following rules apply regarding the coexistence of RL-ATAs and RL-NS-ATAs:

- An access terminal shall have no more than one RL-ATA per interlace. If duplex mode is FDD, then additionally, an access terminal shall not have any RL-ATA's that overlap in time.
- An access terminal shall have no more than one RL-NS-ATA per interlace. If duplex mode is FDD, then additionally, an access terminal shall not have any RL-NS-ATA's that overlap in time.
- An access terminal shall not have a non-empty RL-ATA and RL-NS-ATA on the same interlace. If duplex mode is FDD, then additionally, an access terminal shall not have a non-empty RL-ATA that overlaps in time with a non-empty RL-NS-ATA.

The RL-ATA for an interlace can be accumulated via multiple (sticky) assignment blocks as specified in 7.7.6.4.1.1. The RL-NS-ATA for an interlace can be accumulated via multiple (non-sticky) assignment blocks as specified in 7.7.6.4.1.4. All hop-ports in the RL-ATA/RL-NS-ATA for an access terminal in a single interlace shall be combined for transmission over the Physical Layer channel (R-DCH). Different interlaces shall always carry separate MAC packets with independent HARQ termination. An example is illustrated in Figure 7-24.



**Figure 7-24 R-DCH addressing example**

### 7.7.6.3 Inactive state

When the protocol is in the Inactive State, the access terminal and the access network wait for an *Activate* command.

#### 7.7.6.4 Active state

In the Active State, the access terminal shall transmit over the R-DCH using the RL-ATAs or RL-NS-ATAs and PFs selected by the access network and signaled to the access terminal over the F-SSCH Physical Layer channel. The access terminal processes blocks from the SS MAC Protocol to maintain its RL-ATA and RL-NS-ATA, and configures the Physical Layer for transmission of packets according to the RL-ATA/RL-NS-ATA. The access network controls transmission of ACK/NACK information via the SS MAC Protocol (over the F-SSCH Physical Layer channel) based on pass or fail of the MAC packet, as determined by the PHY.

The MACID assigned to the access terminal for each sector in its active set shall be given in the ActiveSetAssignment message that is public data of the Active Set Management Protocol.

OSI2SequenceNum and PilotPNStrongest are an access terminal's locally maintained parameters. The initial value of OSI2SequenceNum shall be equal to 1, and the initial value of PilotPNStrongest shall be equal to -1.

RDCHGain is an access terminal's locally maintained parameter, whose initial value shall be equal to RDCHGainMin.

Assignment and H-ARQ logic for the access network and access terminal are specified in 7.7.6.4.1 and 7.7.6.4.2.

#### 7.7.6.4.1 Access terminal requirements

##### 7.7.6.4.1.1 Access terminal assignment management for sticky assignments

The access terminal shall maintain and manage its RL-ATA by monitoring RLABs, and NS-RLABs, as well as AccessGrants received from the SS MAC protocol. For transmission on this channel after an access grant, the access terminal shall use the packet format defined by RDCHInitialPacketFormat. After receiving an RLAB/NS-RLAB, the access terminal shall switch to the packet format specified in the RLAB/NS-RLAB.

If RLImplicitDeassignEnabled is equal to '1', then upon receiving a *TunedAway* indication from the Connected State Protocol, the access terminal shall expire all its RL-ATA's.

If SelectedInterlaceMode is equal to '1', then the access terminal shall ignore all RLABs that have the Extended Transmission field set to '1'.

In this section, it is assumed that all the RLABs/NS-RLABs/AccessGrants are being sent from the same serving sector, the RLSS (see 7.6.6.3 for the definition of RLSS). The logic for access terminal assignment management during handoff is found in 7.7.6.4.1.3.

If the extended transmission field is set to '0', an RLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY frames as shown in 7.1.3.1.2. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an RLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of extended PHY frames, as shown in 7.1.3.1.3.

#### 7.7.6.4.1.1.1 Simultaneous assignments

If multiple RLABs for the access terminal's MACID are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY frame, and one of the RLABs has a ChID set to ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, then all RLABs except for the latter shall be discarded. This rule trumps all those which follow in this section.

If multiple RLABs for the access terminal's MACID are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY frame, and if all the values in all the fields except the ChID field are the same, then the access terminal shall treat these RLABs as a single RLAB assigning the union of the hop-ports mapped by the constituent ChIDs.

If multiple RLABs for the access terminal's MACID are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY frame, and if all the values in all the fields except the ChID field are not the same, then the access terminal shall treat these RLABs as errors and shall ignore them.

#### 7.7.6.4.1.1.2 Supplemental and non-supplemental assignments

If an RLAB is received from the SS MAC protocol for the access terminal's MACID, then the hop-ports associated with the ChID and interlace assigned by the RLAB shall be added to the RL-ATA (refer to 7.4.6.3.1.2 for the RLAB format and interpretation), according to the following rules.

If the Supplemental field of the RLAB for a particular interlace (see the SS MAC specification) is equal to '1', then the new RL-ATA on that interlace is the union of hop-ports included in the old RL-ATA on that interlace and hop-ports specified by the new ChID, provided the old RL-ATA is non-empty. The PF specified in the received RLAB shall be used in place of any PFs that may have been specified in any previous assignment of ChIDs (hop-ports) on the interlace.

If the Supplemental field of the RLAB is equal to '0', then the RL-ATA for the relevant interlace shall be cleared before adding the hop-ports specified by the ChID in the RLAB to the RL-ATA for the interlace. If duplex mode is FDD, then all RL-ATAs that overlap in time with the new assignment shall be cleared before adding the hop-ports specified by the ChID in the RLAB to the RL-ATA for the interlace.

The access terminal shall ignore this RLAB if any of the following conditions are satisfied:

- If the Supplemental field of the RLAB for a particular interlace is equal to '1', and the access terminal has an empty RL-ATA on that interlace, or
- If an RLAB is received from the SS MAC protocol for the access terminal's MACID and the resulting combined RL-ATA has hop-ports that belong to two sub-channel trees (see 7.7.6.7), or
- If an RLAB is received from the SS MAC for the access terminal's MACID for a particular interlace that does not change the access terminal's RL-ATA for that interlace.

#### 7.7.6.4.1.1.3 Decrementing assignments

If an RLAB or NS-RLAB is received from the SS MAC Protocol for a particular interlace that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID, then all of the hop-ports in the RL-ATA on that interlace that intersect with hop-ports specified by the ChID included in the RLAB/NS-RLAB shall be expired (removed from the RL-ATA) for that interlace. If duplex mode is FDD, and an RLAB/NS-RLAB is received from the SS MAC protocol for a particular interlace that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID, then for each RL-ATA that overlaps in time and

frequency with the hop-ports specified by this new assignment, the intersecting hop-ports shall be removed from the RL-ATA.

If an access grant for a particular interlace is received from the SS MAC Protocol, that has a MACID that does not belong to the access terminal, then any intersecting hop-ports between the access terminal's RL-ATA on that interlace, and the hop-ports mapped by the ChID in the AccessGrant, shall be removed from the RL-ATA.

If duplex mode is FDD, then if an access grant is received from the SS MAC Protocol that has a MACID that does not belong to the access terminal, then for each RL-ATA that overlaps in time and frequency with the assignment given in the AccessGrant, the intersecting hop-ports shall be removed from the RL-ATA.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.1.4 Deassigning assignments**

If an RLAB is received from the SS MAC protocol for the access terminal's MACID that assigns the reserved ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, then the RL-ATA on that interlace shall be expired.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.1.5 Time overlapping sticky and non-sticky assignments**

If the access terminal receives, from SS MAC, a NS-RLAB with its MACID for a particular interlace, while it already has a non-empty RL-ATA on that interlace, the access terminal shall keep the resulting RL-NS-ATA, and clear the RL-ATA on that interlace.

Furthermore, if duplex mode is FDD, and the access terminal receives, from the SS MAC, a NS-RLAB with its MACID, then the access terminal shall clear any RL-ATA that overlaps in time with the new RL-NS-ATA.

If the access terminal receives, in the same PHY frame, a NS-RLAB giving it a non-empty RL-NS-ATA, and an RLAB giving it a non-empty RL-ATA, then the access terminal shall ignore the RLAB.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.2 Access terminal assignment management for non-sticky assignments**

The access terminal shall maintain and manage its RL-NS-ATAs by monitoring RLABs and NS-RLABs, as well as AccessGrants delivered from the SS MAC Protocol.

If RLImplicitDeassignEnabled is equal to '1', then upon receiving a *TunedAway* indication from the Connected State Protocol, the access terminal shall expire all its RL-NS-ATA's.

If SelectedInterlaceMode is equal to '1', then the access terminal shall ignore all NS-RLABs that have the Extended Transmission field set to '1'.

In this section, it is assumed that all the RLABs/NS-RLABs/AccessGrants are being sent from the same serving sector, the RLSS (see 7.6.6.3 for the definition of RLSS). The logic for access terminal assignment management during handoff is found in 7.7.6.4.1.3.

If the extended transmission field is equal to '0', an NS-RLAB assigns hop-ports for a particular interlace consisting of standard PHY frames as shown in 7.1.3.1.2. The duration field specifies the number of standard PHY frames to be used for transmission of this assignment. If the Extended Transmission field is equal to '1', an NS-RLAB assigns hop-ports for an interlace consisting of

extended PHY frames, as shown in 7.1.3.1.3. The duration field specifies the number of extended PHY frames to be used for transmission of this assignment.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.2.1 Simultaneous assignments**

If multiple NS-RLABs for the access terminal's MACID are received from the SS MAC Protocol in the same PHY frame, and one of the NS-RLABs has a ChIDs set to ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, then all NS-RLABs except for the latter shall be discarded. This rule trumps all those which follow in this section.

If multiple NS-RLABs for the access terminal's MACID are received from the SS MAC protocol in the same PHY frame, if all the values all the fields except the ChID field are the same, then the access terminal shall treat these NS-RLABs as a single NS-RLAB assigning the union of the hop-ports mapped by the constituent ChIDs.

If multiple NS-RLABs for the access terminal's MACID are received from the SS MAC Protocol in the same PHY frame, and if all the values in all the fields except the ChID field are not the same, then the access terminal shall treat these NS-RLABs as errors and shall ignore them.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.2.2 Deassigning assignments**

If an NS-RLAB is received from the SS MAC protocol for the access terminal's MACID that assigns the reserved ChID<sub>DEASSIGN</sub>, then the RL-NS-ATA on that interlace shall be expired.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.2.3 Time overlapping non-sticky assignments**

If a NS-RLAB is received from the SS MAC Protocol for a particular interlace with the access terminal's MACID, and the access terminal already has a RL-NS-ATA for that interlace, then the new assignment block takes precedence: the access terminal shall stop trying to decode on the old RL-NS-ATA for that interlace (shall clear this RL-NS-ATA), and shall update its RL-NS-ATA for that interlace according to the new NS-RLAB.

If duplex mode is FDD, and a NS-RLAB is received from the SS MAC Protocol with the access terminal's MACID that assigns a non-empty RL-NS-ATA, then all RL-NS-ATAs that overlap in time with the new RL-NS-ATA shall be expired.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.2.4 Time overlapping sticky and non-sticky assignments**

If the access terminal receives, from SS MAC, a RLAB with its MACID for a particular interlace, while it already has a non-empty RL-NS-ATA on that interlace, the access terminal shall keep the resulting RL-ATA, and clear the RL-NS-ATA on that interlace.

Furthermore, if duplex mode is FDD, and the access terminal receives, from the SS MAC, an RLAB with its MACID, then the access terminal shall clear any RL-NS-ATA that overlaps in time with the new RL-ATA.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.2.5 Overlapping assignments from other ATs**

If an RLAB or NS-RLAB is received from the SS MAC Protocol for a particular interlace that contains a MACID other than the access terminal's MACID, then if the hop-ports specified by the ChID included in the RLAB/NS-RLAB overlap with the RL-NS-ATA on that interlace, the

RL-NS-ATA shall be expired. If duplex mode is FDD, then all RL-NS-ATAs that intersect in time and frequency with the new assignment shall be expired.

If an access grant for a particular interlace is received from the SS MAC Protocol, that has a MACID that does not belong to the access terminal, and assigns hop-ports that intersect with the access terminal's RL-NS-ATA on that interlace, then the access terminal shall expire the RL-NS-ATA.

If duplex mode is FDD, then if an access grant is received from the SS MAC Protocol that has a MACID that does not belong to the access terminal, then for each RL-NS-ATA that overlaps in time and frequency with the given assignment in the AccessGrant, the RL-NS-ATA shall be expired.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.3 Access terminal assignment management during handoff**

If an *RLSSChanged* indication from the RCC MAC Protocol is received, the access terminal shall clear all RL-ATAs and RL-NS-ATAs associated with the old RLSS.

If the access terminal receives an RLAB/NS-RLAB with the access terminal's MACID, that has the supplemental field set to '0', from the DRLSS, while the DRLSS is different from the RLSS, the access terminal shall issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.ChangeRLSS* command to change from the RLSS to the DRLSS. If the access terminal then receives an *RLSSChanged* indication from the RCC MAC Protocol, the access terminal shall process the *RLSSChanged* indication as specified above, and in addition shall update the appropriate RL-ATA/RL-NS-ATA according to the new RLAB/NS-RLAB.

If the access terminal receives an access grant with its MACID, the access terminal shall issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.ChangeFLSS* command to change the FLSS to the sector from which the access grant was sent, and shall also issue a *ReverseControlChannelMAC.ChangeRLSS* command to change the RLSS to the sector from which the access grant was sent. If the access terminal then receives an *RLSSChanged* indication from the RCC Protocol, the access terminal shall process the *RLSSChanged* indication as specified above, and in addition shall update the appropriate RL-ATA in accordance with the AccessGrant.

The access terminal shall ignore all RLABs or NS-RLABs that come from sectors other than its current RLSS or its DRLSS.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.4 Access terminal transmission logic for sticky assignments**

The access terminal may formulate and transmit a MAC packet on a PHY Frame on an interlace according to the RL-ATA on the interlace and the PF selected for transmission. The MAC shall pass the Physical Layer Protocol the set of hop ports specified by the RL-ATA, and shall specify whether or not the assignment is an Extended Transmission Duration Assignment (see 7.1.3.1.3). The power for transmission of a particular MAC packet is computed as specified in 7.7.6.4.1.6. The access network informs the access terminal of its assignment using signaling messages as described in the SS MAC Protocol specification.

If TuneAwayStatus is equal to '1', then the access terminal shall not send any MAC packets on any interlaces.

If a positive ACK signal corresponding to the RL-ATA is received (via the SS MAC Protocol) that corresponds to the transmitted packet, transmission of the MAC packet shall terminate, and the interlace is immediately available for the next packet. If the access terminal transmits a packet for the

maximum number of transmissions of the PF selected for this MAC packet the access terminal shall automatically terminate transmission of the packet. If no ACK is received for this packet, the access terminal shall expire its RL-ATA, and return a *ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed* indication along with parameters that uniquely identify the lost packet. The method of uniquely identifying the packet is out of the scope of this specification.

If an RLAB/NS-RLAB for a particular interlace is received from the SS MAC protocol that leaves the RL-ATA on that interlace non-empty, and if the access terminal is currently transmitting a packet on that interlace, then the access terminal shall return a *ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed* indication along with parameters that uniquely identify the lost packet and shall cease transmitting this packet. The method of uniquely identifying the packet is out of the scope of this specification. The access terminal shall then update its RL-ATA in accordance with the new RLAB/NS-RLAB.

If no packet is available for transmission in a given PHY Frame, then an erasure sequence shall be transmitted in the hop-ports, or subset of hop-ports, assigned to the access terminal in that PHY Frame as specified in section Physical Layer specification. The power for transmission of an erasure sequence is computed as specified in 7.7.6.4.1.6. If duplex mode is FDD, the PHY Frame may be either a standard PHY Frame or an extended PHY Frame.

#### **7.7.6.4.1.5 Access terminal transmission logic for non-sticky assignments**

The access terminal may formulate and transmit a MAC packet on a PHY Frame on an interlace according to the RL-NS-ATA on the interlace and the PF selected for transmission. The MAC shall pass the Physical Layer Protocol the set of hop ports specified by the RL-NS-ATA, and shall specify whether or not the assignment is an Extended Transmission Duration Assignment (see 7.1.3.1.3). The power for transmission of a particular MAC packet is computed as specified in 7.7.6.4.1.6. The access network informs the access terminal of its assignment using signaling messages as described in the SS MAC Protocol specification.

The number of H-ARQ retransmissions over a RL-NS-ATA is equal to the duration of the RL-NS-ATA, as specified by the duration field in the non-sticky assignment block (see 7.4.6.3.1.2). Note that the maximum number of retransmissions may be more than 6, which is the number specified in 7.7.6.8.

If TuneAwayStatus is equal to '1', then the access terminal shall not send any MAC packets on any interlaces.

If a positive ACK signal corresponding to the RL-NS-ATA is received (via the SS MAC Protocol) that corresponds to the transmitted packet, transmission of the MAC packet shall terminate, and the access terminal shall expire the RL-NS-ATA. If no ACK is received for this packet, the access terminal shall return a *ReverseTrafficPacketsMissed* indication along with parameters that uniquely identify the lost packet. The method of uniquely identifying the packet is out of the scope of this specification.



#### 7.7.6.4.1.6 R-DCH power control

During the transmission of the reverse link data, the power of the R-DCH,  $P_{DCH}$ , shall be:

$$P_{DCH} = P_{CTRL} - 10\log_{10}(N_{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}) + 10\log_{10}(N_c) + RDCHGain \\ - ControlDataTargetOffset - ControlDataInterferenceOffset$$

where  $P_{CTRL}$  is the reference value used by the access terminal in adjusting the mean output power of the reverse control channels and is given in 7.6.6.3.4,  $N_c$  is the number of hop-ports in the RL-ATA/RL-NS-ATA for this transmission,  $N_{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}$  is the number of subcarriers allocated for reverse control channels,  $ControlDataInterferenceOffset$  is a field in the *OverheadParameterList* of the *Overhead Messages Protocol*,  $ControlDataTargetOffset$  is a configuration attribute of the protocol, and  $RDCHGain$  is as specified in 7.7.6.4.1.7. The R-DCH power shall further be subject to the access terminal's transmit power limitation and shall remain constant for the entire transmission of each PHY Frame.

If no packet is available for transmission in a given PHY Frame, then an erasure sequence shall be transmitted with the following power:

$$P_{ERASURE} = P_{CTRL} - 10\log_{10}(N_{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}) + 10\log_{10}(N_{c,erasure}) + ErasureGain_i \\ - ControlDataTargetOffset - ControlDataInterferenceOffset$$

where  $N_{c,erasure}$  is the number of subcarriers over which the erasure sequence is transmitted, and is always set to 16.  $ErasureGain_i$ ,  $i=0,1,2,3$  is given in the *OverheadParameterList* of the *Overhead Messages Protocol*.  $ErasureGain_0$  is used when  $N_c > 64$  and the erasure is being sent over a single PHY frame.  $ErasureGain_1$  is used when  $N_c > 64$  and the erasure is being sent over an extended PHY frame.  $ErasureGain_2$  is used when  $N_c \leq 64$  and the erasure is being sent over a single PHY frame.  $ErasureGain_3$  is used when  $N_c \leq 64$  and the erasure is being sent over an extended PHY frame.

The reverse link erasure power shall further be subject to the access terminal's transmit power limitation and shall remain constant for the entire transmission of each PHY Frame. If the access terminal does not have enough power to send at  $P_{ERASURE}$  due to power limitations, then it shall send at its maximum power.

#### 7.7.6.4.1.6.1 OSIMonitorSet update

The access terminal shall update the *OSIMonitorSet* at the beginning of every superframe of the *RLServingSector*. After each update, the *OSIMonitorSet* shall contain a list of *PilotPN*'s of the sectors whose *PilotStrength* is larger than or equal to the *OSIMonitorThreshold*, where *PilotPN* and *PilotStrength* are fields in the *OverheadParameterList* of the *Overhead Messages Protocol* and *OSIMonitorThreshold* is a configuration attribute of the protocol. The *OSIMonitorSet* shall exclude the *PilotPN* of the *RLServingSector*. In addition, if the size of the list, *OSIMonitorSetSize*, is larger than or equal to  $N_{OSIMonitorSet}$  (where  $N_{OSIMonitorSet}$  is a configuration attribute of the protocol), only  $N_{OSIMonitorSet}$  *PilotPN*'s with strongest *PilotStrength* shall be kept.

#### 7.7.6.4.1.7 RDCHGain determination

After each OSIMonitorSet update, the access terminal shall create an OSI vector whose  $i^{\text{th}}$  element, i.e.,  $OSI_i$ , corresponds to the most current OSIValue from the sector whose PilotPN is indicated by the  $i^{\text{th}}$  entry of the OSIMonitorSet. In addition, the access terminal shall create a ChanDiff vector whose  $i^{\text{th}}$  element, i.e.,  $ChanDiff_i$ , corresponds to:

$$ChanDiff_i = \frac{RxPower_{RL,SS}}{TransmitPower_{RL,SS}} \times \frac{TransmitPower_i}{RxPower_i}$$

where  $RxPower_{RL,SS}$  and  $RxPower_i$ , contained in the public data of the Active Set Management Protocol, correspond to the average received power (across antenna) of the F-ACQCH of the RLServingSector, and the average received power (across antenna) of the F-ACQCH of the sector whose PilotPN is indicated by the  $i^{\text{th}}$  entry of the OSIMonitorSet, respectively.  $TransmitPower_{RL,SS}$  and  $TransmitPower_i$ , specified in the OverheadParameterList of the Overhead Messages Protocol, correspond to the average transmit power of the F-ACQCH of the RLServingSector, and the average transmit power of the F-ACQCH of the sector whose PilotPN is indicated by the  $i^{\text{th}}$  entry of the OSIMonitorSet, respectively. The above calculation shall be done in a linear unit. The access terminal shall determine RDCHGain as follows:

If the OSIMonitorSet is empty, the access terminal shall set RDCHGain to RDCHGainMax, OSI2SequenceNum to 1 and PilotPNStrongest to -1. RDCHGainMax is a field in the OverheadParameterList of the Overhead Messages Protocol.

If the OSIMonitorSet is not empty, the access terminal shall compute the RDCHGain as follows:

- The access terminal shall first compute a Decision Threshold vector, whose  $i^{\text{th}}$  element, i.e.,  $DecisionThreshold_i$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq OSIMonitorSetSize$ , is given by:

$$DecisionThreshold_i = \begin{cases} \max\{UpDecisionThresholdMin, (1-a)b_i\} & \text{if } OSI_i = 0 \\ \max\{DownDecisionThresholdMin, (a)(1-b_i)\} & \text{if } OSI_i = 1 \\ 1 & \text{if } OSI_i = 2 \end{cases}$$

where UpDecisionThresholdMin and DownDecisionThresholdMin are configuration attributes of the protocol. Variables  $a$  and  $b_i$  are determined as follows:

$$a_i = \frac{\min\{RDCHGain, RDCHGainMax\} - RDCHGainMin}{RDCHGainMax - RDCHGainMin}, \text{ and}$$

$$b_i = \frac{\min\{ChanDiff_i, ChanDiffMax\} - ChanDiffMin}{ChanDiffMax - ChanDiffMin},$$

where ChanDiffMax and ChanDiffMin are configuration attributes of the protocol.

- 1        ■ The access terminal shall produce a Decision vector whose  $i^{\text{th}}$  element, i.e.,  $Decision_i$ ,  
 2         $1 \leq i \leq OSIMonitorSetSize$ , is given by:

$$3 \quad Decision_i = \begin{cases} UpDecisionValue & \text{if } x_i \leq DecisionThreshold_i \text{ and } OSI_i = 0 \\ -DownDecisionValue & \text{if } x_i \leq DecisionThreshold_i \text{ and } OSI_i = 1 \text{ or } 2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

4        where  $0 \leq x_i \leq 1$  is a uniform random variable (generated using the procedure specified in  
 5        the Common Algorithm Section) and UpDecisionValue and DownDecisionValue are  
 6        configuration attributes of the protocol.

- 7        ■ The access terminal shall then compute a weighted decision,  $D_w$ , according to:

$$8 \quad D_w = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{OSIMonitorSetSize} \frac{1}{ChanDiff_i} Decision_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{OSIMonitorSetSize} \frac{1}{ChanDiff_i}}$$

9        The access terminal shall find the sector with the lowest ChanDiff in the OSIMonitorSet and call that  
 10        sector as sector k. Then the access terminal shall set the variable OSIStrongest to the OSI value of  
 11        sector k and PilotPNCURRENT to the PilotPN of sector k. Then, the access terminal shall update  
 12        OSI2SequenceNum and PilotPNStrongest as follows:

$$13 \quad OSI2SequenceNum = \begin{cases} OSI2SequenceNum + 1, & \text{if } PilotPNCURRENT = PilotPNStrongest \text{ and} \\ & OSI2SequenceNum < OSI2SequenceNumMax - 1 \text{ and} \\ & OSIStrongest = 2 \\ OSI2SequenceMax, & \text{if } PilotPNCURRENT = PilotPNStrongest \text{ and} \\ & OSI2SequenceNum = OSI2SequenceNumMax - 1 \text{ and} \\ & OSIStrongest = 2 \\ 2, & \text{if } PilotPNCURRENT \neq PilotPNStrongest \text{ and} \\ & OSI2SequenceNum = OSI2SequenceNumMax - 1 \text{ and} \\ & OSIStrongest = 2 \\ 1, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$14 \quad PilotPNStrongest = \begin{cases} PilotPNCURRENT, & \text{if } OSIStrongest = 2 \\ -1, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

15        where OSI2SequenceNumMax is a configuration attribute of the protocol.

- The access terminal shall increase RDCHGain by DataGainStepUp dB if  $D_w$  is greater than or equal to RDCHGainAdjustmentThreshold and shall decrease RDCHGain by DataGainStepDown\*OSI2SequenceNum dB if  $D_w$  is less than or equal to - RDCHGainAdjustmentThreshold, where DataGainStepUp and DataGainStepDown are fields in the OverheadParameterList of the Overhead Messages Protocol and RDCHGainAdjustmentThreshold is a configuration attribute of the protocol. Furthermore, the RDCHGain shall always lie between RDCHGainMin and RDCHGainMax. That is, the access terminal shall set RDCHGain to RDCHGainMin if the resulting RDCHGain is smaller than RDCHGainMin and to RDCHGainMax if the resulting RDCHGain is larger than RDCHGainMax.

#### 7.7.6.4.2 Access network requirements for sticky assignments

For each interlace with a non-empty RL-ATA (contains one or more hop-ports), the access network may attempt to decode a MAC packet transmitted on the interlace. The access network may attempt to detect erasure sequences that are transmitted by the access terminal whenever a MAC packet is not available for transmission. Exact algorithms for detecting erasure sequences and the start-of-packet for MAC packets that span multiple PHY Frames are beyond the scope of this specification.

If TunedAwayStatus is equal to '1', then the access network should not attempt to decode any packets from that access terminal.

If RLImplicitDeassignEnabled is equal to '1', then upon receiving a *TunedAway* indication from the Connected State Protocol, the access network shall expire any RL-ATAs for that access terminal.

If a MAC packet is successfully decoded, as indicated by the PHY, the access network shall transmit a positive ACK on the F-SSCH channel via the SS MAC Protocol. If a MAC packet fails to decode and the access network determines that the packet has been transmitted for the maximum number of PHY Frames for the relevant PF, then the access network shall expire the RL-ATA for that interlace. Refer to 7.1.3 for detailed interlaced structure and acknowledgment timing for both FDD and TDD modes.

Exact algorithms to determine the number of H-ARQ attempts prior to successful decode are beyond the scope of this specification.

If a MAC packet is successfully decoded, the payload of the packet is then passed up to the Security Sublayer for further processing. If the MAC packet has a UATIInfoIncluded header field set to '1', this protocol shall generate a *UATIReceived* indication, accompanied by the MAC header of the received packet.

If the RLNumSDMADimensions > 1, then the access network shall ensure that assignments to different ATs that contain hop-ports that map to the same subcarriers have the same F-DPICH format, as described in 7.7.6.8.

#### 7.7.6.4.3 Access network requirements for non-sticky assignments

For each interlace with a non-empty RL-NS-ATA (contains one or more hop-ports), the access network may attempt to decode a MAC packet transmitted on the interlace.

If TunedAwayStatus is equal to '1', then the access network should not attempt to decode any packets from that access terminal.

If `RLImplicitDeassignEnabled` is equal to '1', then upon receiving a *TunedAway* indication from the Connected State Protocol, the access network shall expire any RL-NS-ATAs for that access terminal.

If a MAC packet is successfully decoded, as indicated by the PHY, the access network shall transmit a positive ACK on the F-SSCH channel via the SS MAC Protocol, and shall expire the RL-NS-ATA.

Exact algorithms to determine the number of H-ARQ attempts prior to successful decode are beyond the scope of this specification.

If a MAC packet is successfully decoded, the payload of the packet is then passed up to the Security Sublayer for further processing. If the MAC packet has a `UATIInfoIncluded` header field set to '1', this protocol shall generate a *UATIReceived* indication, accompanied by the MAC header of the received packet.

If the `RLNumSDMADimensions` > 1, then the access network shall ensure that (non-sticky) assignments to different ATs that contain hop-ports that map to the same subcarriers have the same F-DPICH format, as described in section 7.7.6.8.

The RL-NS-ATA shall expire after the specified duration (see 7.4.6.3.1.2), if it is not already expired.

#### 7.7.6.5 Reverse link silence interval

The access terminal shall not transmit on any Reverse Channel if the transmission of the Reverse channel would overlap with the Reverse Link Silence Interval<sup>31</sup>. This rule shall override any requirement for transmission stated elsewhere in this section or in the Reverse Control Channel MAC.

The Reverse Link Silence Interval is defined by `ReverseLinkSilenceDuration` and `ReverseLinkSilencePeriod` in the Overhead Messages Protocol.

#### 7.7.6.6 Supervision procedures

The access terminal shall generate a *SupervisionFailed* indication when it does not receive a reverse traffic channel assignment during a time period of length  $T_{\text{RTCSupervision}}$  while it has sent non-empty request bits during all request channel transmissions during the time period.

#### 7.7.6.7 Channel trees

A channel tree defines the mapping of each `ChID` to a set of hop-ports and the grouping of hop-ports into port-sets. A channel tree on the RL is indexed by `RLChannelTreeIndex` and the number of subcarriers mapped by the channel tree, `NCARRIER_SIZE`, a parameter that is defined by the Physical Layer protocol. See 7.1.4.1 for common terms used for describing channels trees in this specification. Hop-ports shall be numbered numerically from 0.

$Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  equals `RLNumSDMADimensions`.

<sup>31</sup> This implies that the access terminal must not even start transmission on the Reverse Traffic Data Channel if the transmission of the Reverse Traffic Channel packet would overlap with the Reverse Link Silence Interval.

The set of hop-ports specified by a ChID shall be the union of all hop-ports mapped by all base-nodes that are descendants of the node specified by ChID, minus unusable hop-ports, which are defined by the Physical Layer Protocol.

Hop-ports may be grouped into disjoint port-sets for frequency reuse purposes.

The number of hop-ports indexed by the tree shall equal  $Q_{SDMA}N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$ , and the total number of nodes in the tree shall be a function of  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$  and  $Q_{SDMA}$ , where  $Q_{SDMA}$  is the RL multiplexing factor.

Note that when multi-carrier mode is equal to MultiCarrierModeOn, there is an independent channel tree per carrier, and the channel tree in use for the carrier is signaled on the overhead channels of that carrier. Further, when a specific ChID or set of hop-ports is communicated with other protocols in this specification, the associated carrier must also be communicated.

#### 7.7.6.7.1 RL channel tree index 0

Channel trees associated with RLChannelTreeIndex 0 are illustrated in Figure 7-25 for  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} = 512, 1024$ , and  $2048$ . For  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} = 512$ , all nodes above the dashed line marked with  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} = 512$  are included in the channel tree; For  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} = 1024$ , all nodes above the dashed line marked with  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} = 1024$  are included in the channel tree; For  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} = 2048$ , all nodes above the dashed line marked with  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} = 2048$  are included in the channel tree.

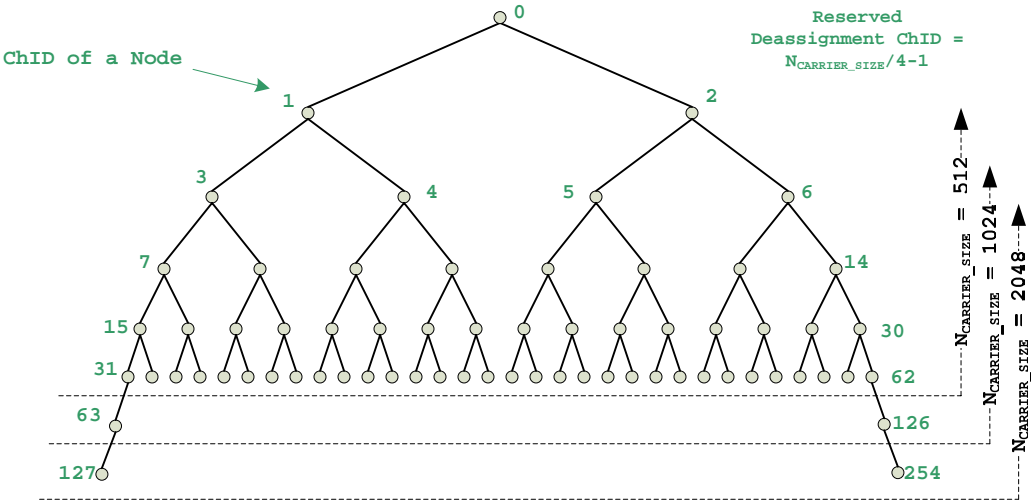
MinHopPortsPerNode equals 16 for RLChannelTreeIndex 0.

The figure shows only  $1/Q_{SDMA}$  of the total tree, and there are  $Q_{SDMA}$  identical versions of the illustrated tree each with unique ChIDs and mapping unique hop-ports. For example, if the total tree is composed of  $Q_{SDMA}$  identical trees indexed by  $q=1, \dots, Q_{SDMA}$ , then ChIDs of nodes on the  $q$ th tree can be obtained from the illustrated tree by adding  $q \cdot N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} / (\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}/2)$  to the ChID of the illustrated tree. The number of hop-ports indexed by the tree shall equal  $Q_{SDMA}N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$ , and the total number of nodes in the tree shall be a function of  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$ . Namely, the base-nodes are defined by the intervals  $\text{ChID} = i \cdot N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} / (\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}/2) + \{ N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} / \text{MinHopPortsPerNode} - 1, N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} / (\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}/2) - 2 \}, i=0, 1, \dots, Q_{SDMA}-1$ . Thus, for  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}=512$  and  $Q_{SDMA}=4$ , there are 128 base-node ChIDs, 31 through 62, 95 through 126, 159 through 190, and 223 through 254. For nodes on the same level of a channel tree, the ChID associated with a node increases from left to right with step of 1. One deassignment ChID,  $\text{ChID}_{DEASSIGN}$ , is set to  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} / (\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}/2) - 1$ .

The mapping of hop-ports to each base-node is described as follows. Each base-node maps to MinHopPortsPerNode hop-ports, the first MinHopPortsPerNode hop-ports (indices 0 to MinHopPortsPerNode-1) to the base-node with the lowest ChID, the second MinHopPortsPerNode hop-ports to the next base-node, etc., until all hop-ports are mapped. See Table 7-34 for an example of this mapping for  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}=512$ , MinHopPortsPerNode=16, and  $Q_{SDMA}=4$ .

**Table 7-34 Base node ChID to Hop-port Mapping Example**  
( $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}=512$ ,  $\text{MinHopPortsPerNode}=16$ , and  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}=4$ )

Base node ChID	Hop-ports mapped
31	0-15
32	16-31
...	...
62	496-511
95	512-527
96	528-543
...	...
126	1008-1023
...	...
254	2047



**Figure 7-25 RL channel trees with index 0**

**7.7.6.8 Packet formats**

A packet format (PF) specifies the pilot pattern, spectral efficiency, maximum number of transmissions, and the modulation format to be used for each transmission of a data packet. The packet format consists of five bits. The first bit of the PF indicates the F-DPICH format as described in the F-DPICH section of the physical layer protocol. If the first bit is equal to ‘0’, F-DPICH format 0 is used. If the first bit is equal to ‘1’, F-DPICH format 1 is used. The remaining four bits index the spectral efficiency, maximum number of transmissions, and the modulation format to be used for each transmission of a data packet. The indexing is described in Table 7-35.

The modulation format is specified by the number of bits in each modulation symbol, which is denoted by modulation order. Modulation orders of 2, 3, and 4 correspond to QPSK, 8PSK, and 16QAM modulations, respectively. The size of the MAC packet that is provided to the Physical Layer is a function of the packet format as well as the set of hop-ports that are assigned to the data packet (to be transmitted on the R-DCH Physical Layer channel).

**Table 7-35 RL packet formats**

Packet format index	Spectral efficiency on 1 <sup>st</sup> transmission	Max number of transmissions	Modulation order for each transmission					
			1	2	3	4	5	6+
0	0.25	6	2	2	2	2	2	2
1	0.50	6	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	1.0	6	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	1.5	6	3	2	2	2	2	2
4	2.0	6	3	3	2	2	2	2
5	2.67	6	4	4	3	3	3	3
6	4.0	6	4	4	3	3	3	3
7	6.0	6	4	4	4	3	3	3
8	8.0	6	4	4	4	4	4	3

### 7.7.7 Header and trailer and formats

The access network shall formulate a packet for transmission over the Reverse Traffic Channel using the following header and trailer:

#### 7.7.7.1 Header

Field	Length (bits)
UATIInfoIncluded	1
IsSecure	1
KeyChange	1
InBandControlIncluded	1
Reserved	4

The following five fields shall be included if UATIInfoIncluded is '1'

SessionConfigurationToken	0 or 16
ATIdentifierType	0 or 1
ATIdentifier	0 or 128
ConnectCount	0 or 12
AccessReason	0 or 2
Reserved	0 or 1

The following field shall be included if InBandControlIncluded is '1'

RLInBandControl	0 or N x 8
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1	UATIInfoIncluded	Used to signal the existence of access terminal fields in the header. These
2		include SessionConfigurationToken, ATIdentifierType, and ATIdentifier. The
3		access network shall set this field to '1' if these fields are present. Otherwise,
4		the access network shall set this field to '0'.
5	IsSecure	The access terminal shall set this field to '1' if the packet is secured by the
6		Authentication and Encryption protocols. The access terminal shall set this
7		field to '0' otherwise.
8	KeyChange	This field shall be set by the Security Sublayer at the transmitter and
9		communicated to the Security Sublayer along with the payload at the
10		receiver.
11	InBandControlIncluded	
12		Used to signal the existence of in-band control bits. The access network shall
13		set this field to '1' if the InBandControl field is present. Otherwise, the
14		access network shall set this field to '0'.
15	Reserved	This field shall be set to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.
16	SessionConfigurationToken	
17		This field shall be set to the SessionConfiguration public data of the Session
18		Configuration Protocol.
19	ATIdentifierType	Used to signal the type of identifier to be signaled in the ATIdentifier field.
20		The access terminal shall set this field to '1' if the ATIdentifier field contains
21		a 128-bit UATI. Otherwise, the access terminal shall set this field to '0',
22		indicating that ATIdentifier field contains the SessionSeed.
23	ATIdentifier	Used to signal the access terminal identifier record. If the ATIdentifier field
24		is 1 then this field shall be set to TransmitUATI public data of the Address
25		Management Protocol. Otherwise, the lower bits of this field shall be set to
26		the SessionSeed public data of the SessionManagementProtocol and the
27		upper bits shall be set to zero.
28	ConnectCount	This field shall be set to the ConnectCount field that is public data of the Idle
29		State Protocol.
30	ExpireMACIDRequest	If this field is set to '1', the MACID associated with this access terminal shall
31		be expired by the access network after this message is received.
32	AccessReason	This field shall be set to '00' if the access attempt was made in response to a
33		page received by the access terminal. This field shall be set to '01' otherwise.
34	Reserved	This field shall be set to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.
35	RLInBandControl	The RL in-band bits are used to transmit power control, buffer level, and
36		packet latency information to the access network RL scheduler. The
37		RLInBandControl blocks are given in 7.7.7.2.1.

### 7.7.7.2 Trailer

This protocol does not specify a trailer.

#### 7.7.7.2.1 RLIInBandControl

There are three possible RLIInBandControl blocks. Multiple RLIInBandControl blocks may be sent in one MAC Header.

##### 7.7.7.2.1.1 InBandPowerControl block

The first InBandPowerControl block, shown below, transmits RL power control information. The access terminal may include more than one InBandPowerControl block in a MAC packet. The  $j^{th}$  InBandPowerControl block shall refer to the  $j^{th}$  carrier in the ActiveCarrier public data of the SSCH MAC Protocol (The ActiveCarrier public data shall be assumed to be sorted according to increasing carrier values).

Field	Length (bits)
ContinuationBit	1
BlockFormat	1
MaxSubCarriers	3
RDCHGainIndex	3

**ContinuationBit** The access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 0 if this is the last RLIInBandControl block in the MAC header. Otherwise, the access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 0.

**BlockFormat** The access terminal shall indicate an RL power control block by setting the format indicator bit to 0.

**MaxSubCarriers** The access terminal shall specify MaxSubCarriers, the maximum number of subcarriers that the access terminal can transmit at RDCHGain based on transmit power constraints with the following values:

Maximum Number of Supportable Subcarriers at RDCHGain	MaxSubCarriers
16	000
32	001
64	010
128	011
256	100
512	101
1024	110
2048	111

RDCHGainIndex      The access terminal shall set RDCHGain to a 3-bit value between 0 and 7 as a linear interpolation between RDCHGainMin and RDCHGainMax as  $\text{RDCHGainIndex} = \text{floor}[(7.5 / (\text{RDCHGainMax} - \text{RDCHGainMin})) * (\text{RDCHGain} - \text{RDCHGainMin})]$ .

#### 7.7.7.2.1.2 InBandBufferLevel block

The second RLIInBandControl block, shown below, transmits RL buffer level information. This block is used to provide the scheduler with a more accurate buffer level than the R-REQCH, as well as providing an in-band request channel. Multiple InBandBufferLevel blocks may be sent in one MAC packet for different QoS flows:

Field	Length (bits)
ContinuationBit	1
BlockFormat	2
BufferLevel	3
QoS	2

ContinuationBit      The access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 0 if this is the last RLIInBandControl block in the MAC header. Otherwise, the access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 1.

BlockFormat      The access terminal shall indicate an RL buffer level block by setting the format indicator bits to 10.

BufferLevel      The access terminal shall specify the RLP QoS flow to which the buffer level corresponds. The buffer level is specified as follows:

RLP Buffer Level (Bytes)	BufferLevel (3bits)
$X = 0$	000
$0 < X < 50$	001
$50 \leq X < 400$	010
$400 \leq X < 1000$	011
$1000 \leq X < 2000$	100
$2000 \leq X < 3000$	101
$3000 \leq X < 9000$	110
$9000 \leq X$	111

QoS      The access terminal shall set the QoS to indicate one of the four negotiated QoS streams.

### 7.7.7.2.1.3 InBandLatencyInfo block

The third RLIInBandControl block, shown in the following table, is used to transmit packet latency. Multiple InBandLatencyInfo blocks may be sent in one MAC packet for different QoS flows.

Field	Length (bits)
ContinuationBit	1
BlockFormat	2
LatencyLevel	3
QoS	2

**ContinuationBit** The access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 0 if this is the last RLIInBandControl block in the MAC header. Otherwise, the access terminal shall set the continuation bit to 1.

**BlockFormat** The access terminal shall indicate an RL latency level block by setting the format indicator bits to 11.

**LatencyLevel** The latency level is the largest latency of any packet in the specified QoS flow not including the bits sent in the same MAC packet as the RLIInBandBits. The latency is specified in the number of RL-PHY Frames for which the packet has been waiting at the time the RLIInBandBit packet starts transmission. The LatencyLevel value is given by the following lookup table.

Latency of RLP head of line packet (PHY Frames)	LatencyLevel (3 bits)
$X < 4$	000
$4 \leq X < 10$	001
$10 \leq X < 20$	010
$20 \leq X < 40$	011
$40 \leq X < 80$	100
$80 \leq X < 150$	101
$150 \leq X < 300$	110
$300 \leq X$	111

**QoS** The access terminal shall specify the QoS flow to which the latency corresponds.

### 7.7.8 Message formats

The protocol uses the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes.

## 7.7.9 Interface to other protocols

### 7.7.9.1.1 Commands

This protocol issues the following commands:

- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.ChangeFLSS*
- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.ChangeRLSS*

### 7.7.9.1.2 Indications

This protocol registers to receive the following indications:

- *ConnectedState.TunedAway*
- *ReverseControlChannelMAC.RLSSChanged*

## 7.7.10 Configuration attributes

The following complex attributes and default values are defined (see 10.3 for attribute record definition).

Unless specified otherwise, the access terminal and the access network shall use the Generic Attribute Update Protocol in 10.9 to update configurable attributes belonging to the Default Session Management Protocol.

### 7.7.10.1 PowerParameters attribute

Field	Length (bits)	Default Value
Length	8	N/A
AttributeID	8	N/A
ControlDataTargetOffset	8	192
UpDecisionThresholdMin	8	3
DownDecisionThresholdMin	8	7
ChanDiffMax	8	50
ChanDiffMin	8	0
UpDecisionValue	8	160
DownDecisionValue	8	80
DataGainStepUp	8	8
DataGainStepDown	8	8
RDCHGainAdjustmentThreshold	8	136
N <sub>OSIMonitorSet</sub>	8	2
OSIMonitorThreshold	8	2
OSI2SequenceMax	3	4

Length                      Length of the complex attribute in octets. The access network shall set this field to the length of the complex attribute excluding the Length field.

1	AttributeID	This field shall be set to 0x00.
2	ControlDataTargetOffset	
3		This field is set to the difference (in dB) between the resulting C/I for the R-
4		CQICH and that of R-DCH assuming RDCHGain of 0 dB. The value of this
5		field is set to $(n-128) * 2^{-2}$ dB.
6	UpDecisionThresholdMin	
7		This field is used to control parameters internal to the RTC MAC power
8		control algorithm. The value of this field is set to $\min(1, 2^{-7} * n)$ .
9	DownDecisionThresholdMin	
10		This field is used to control parameters internal to the RTC MAC power
11		control algorithm. The value of this field is set to $\min(1, 2^{-7} * n)$ .
12	ChanDiffMax	This field is set to maximum value of ChanDiff used in determining
13		RDCHGain. The value of this field is set to $2 * n$ .
14	ChanDiffMin	This field is set to minimum value of ChanDiff used in determining
15		RDCHGain. The value of this field is set to $n$ .
16	UpDecisionValue	This field is used to control parameters internal to the RTC MAC power
17		control algorithm. The value of this field is set to $(n-128) * 2^{-5}$ .
18	DownDecisionValue	This field is used to control parameters internal to the RTC MAC power
19		control algorithm. The value of this field is set to $(n-128) * 2^{-5}$ .
20	DataGainStepUp	This field is used to control parameters internal to the RTC MAC power
21		control algorithm. The value of this field is set to $n * 2^{-5}$ dB.
22	DataGainStepDown	This field is used to control parameters internal to the RTC MAC power
23		control algorithm. The value of this field is set to $n * 2^{-5}$ dB.
24	RDCHGainAdjustmentThreshold	
25		This field is used to control parameters internal to the RTC MAC power
26		control algorithm. The value of this field is set to $(n-128) * 2^{-5}$ dB.
27	N <sub>OSIMonitorSet</sub>	This field is set to the size of the OSI Monitor Set.
28	OSIMonitorThreshold	This field is set to a threshold such that only sectors with pilot signal to
29		interference ratios above the threshold shall be added to the OSI monitor set.
30		The value of this field is set to $-15 - n$ dB.
31	OSI2SequenceMax	This field is set to control parameters internal to the RTC MAC power
32		control algorithm.

### 7.7.11 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
$N_{\text{RTCMPTType}}$	Type field for this protocol	
$N_{\text{RTCMPDefault}}$	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
$N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}}$	Number of FL PHY Frames per FDD FL superframe	12
$N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}}$	Number of RL PHY Frames per FDD RL superframe	6
$N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}}$	Number of FL PHY Frames per TDD FL superframe	6
$N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}}$	Number of RL PHY Frames per TDD FL superframe	3
$T_{\text{RTCSupervision}}$	Supervision timer	2 s

### 7.7.12 Session state information

The Session State Information record (see 10.10) consists of parameter records.

The parameter records for this protocol consist of the configuration attributes of this protocol.

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## 8 Physical Layer

### 8.1 Default Physical Layer Protocol

#### 8.1.1 Overview

This chapter contains the specification for the Default (Subtype 0) Physical Layer Protocol and the Subtype 1 Physical Layer Protocol.

#### 8.1.2 Primitives

##### 8.1.2.1 Commands

This protocol does not define any commands.

##### 8.1.2.2 Return indications

This protocol does not return any indications.

#### 8.1.3 Public data

##### 8.1.3.1 Static public data

This protocol does not define any static public data.

##### 8.1.3.2 Dynamic public data

- Subtype for this protocol

#### 8.1.4 Protocol data unit

The transmission unit of this protocol is the Physical Layer packet. Each Physical Layer packet contains one MAC Layer packet.

### 8.1.5 Protocol initialization and swap procedures

#### 8.1.5.1 Protocol initialization

Upon creation, the instance of this protocol in the access terminal and access network shall perform the following:

- The value of the attributes for this protocol instance shall be set to the default values specified for each attribute.
- This protocol shall determine the values of the following parameters
  - Duplexing mode (FDD or TDD)
  - Synchronization mode (Semi-synchronous or Asynchronous)
  - Multi-carrier mode (MultiCarrierOn or MultiCarrierOff)

## 8.1.6 Protocol swap

- Upon swap, the protocol shall enter the Inactive State.

## 8.1.7 Procedures

Procedures for the Instance of the protocol are described in chapter 9.

## 8.1.8 Message formats

### 8.1.8.1 TimingCorrection

The access network shall send the timing correction message to correct the reverse link timing of the access terminal.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
NumSectors	2
NumSectors instances of the following fields	
SectorID	12
TimingCorrection	16

MessageID	The access network shall set this field to 0x02.
NumSectors	The access network shall set this field to the number of sector records in the message.
SectorID	The access network shall set this field to the PilotPN of the sector.
TimingCorrection	The access network shall set this field to the timing correction on the sector. The first bit of the field shall be set to '0' if a timing advance command and to '1' for a timing retard command. The next 15 bits shall determine the magnitude of timing correction in units of 1/8 chips.

## 8.1.9 Interface to other protocols

### 8.1.9.1 Commands

These protocols do not issue any commands.

### 8.1.9.2 Indications

These protocols do not register to receive any indications.

## 8.1.10 Configuration attributes

This protocol does not define any configuration attributes.

### 8.1.11 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
$N_{PHYType}$	Type field for this protocol	Table 3-1
$N_{PHYDefault}$	Subtype field for this protocol	0x0000
SystemBandwidth	Bandwidth occupied by the signal in Hz	5E6 to 20E6
$T_{CHIP}$	Basic unit of time for generating the OFDM waveform	Defined in Table 8-1
$N_{FFT}$	Number of subcarriers in an OFDM symbol	Defined in Table 8-2
$N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$	Number of subcarriers in one carrier	512 in MultiCarrierOn mode $N_{FFT}$ in MultiCarrierOff mode
$N_{CARRIERS}$	Number of carriers	$N_{FFT}/N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$ (= 1 in MultiCarrierOff mode)
$T_{CP,PR}$	Cyclic prefix duration for the superframe preamble	$N_{FFT}T_{CHIP}/4$
$N_{GUARD,PR}$	Number of guard subcarriers in the superframe preamble	Any multiple of $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}/8$ , ranging from $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}/8$ through $7N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}/8$ . This field shall be set by the access network, and is determined blindly by the access terminal.
$T_{WGI}$	Duration of windowing guard interval	$N_{FFT}T_{CHIP}/32$
$N_{PREAMBLE}$	Number of OFDM symbols in the superframe preamble	8
$N_{FRAME,F}$	Number of OFDM symbols in a forward link PHY Frame	8
$N_{FRAME,R}$	Number of OFDM symbols in a reverse link PHY Frame	8
$N_{BLOCK}$	Number of subcarriers in a tile.	16 in BlockHopping mode (FL) 1 in SymbolRateHopping mode (FL) 16 for the RL
$T_{G,TDD,F}$	Guard time between a forward link PHY Frame and the subsequent reverse link PHY frames	$3N_{FFT}T_{CHIP}/4$
$T_{G,TDD,R}$	Guard time between a reverse link PHY Frame and the subsequent forward link PHY frames	$5N_{FFT}T_{CHIP}/32$
$N_{pBCH0\_Period}$	Number of superframes over which F-pBCH0 is encoded	16
$N_{MaxErasureHopPorts,F}$	Maximum number of hop-ports to be used for transmitting a single erasure sequence on the forward link	16
$N_{MaxErasureHopPorts,R}$	Maximum number of hop-ports to be used for transmitting a single erasure sequence on the reverse link	16
MaxPacketSize	Largest packet size that is encoded as a single block	8192

Constant	Meaning	Value
$N_{\text{CRC,pBCH}}$	Number of CRC bits to be used for pBCH0 and pBCH1 packets.	12
$N_{\text{CRC,SSCH}}$	Number of CRC bits to be used for SSCH packets.	16
$N_{\text{CRC,Data}}$	Number of CRC bits to be used for F-DCH and R-DCH packets.	16
$N_{\text{BLOCK, R-ACKCH}}$	Number of subcarriers in a R-ACKCH tile.	8
$N_{\text{R-ACKCH-SUBTITLE-DURATION}}$	Number of OFDM symbols in a R-ACKCH subtitle	2

**Table 8-1 Chip duration as a function of SystemBandwidth**

SystemBandwidth $W$	$T_{\text{CHIP}}$ in $\mu\text{s}$
$W \leq 5 \text{ MHz}$	1/4.9152
$5 \text{ MHz} < W \leq 10 \text{ MHz}$	1/9.8304
$10 \text{ MHz} < W \leq 20 \text{ MHz}$	1/19.6608

**Table 8-2 FFT size as a function of SystemBandwidth**

SystemBandwidth $W$	$N_{\text{FFT}}$
$W \leq 5 \text{ MHz}$	512
$5 \text{ MHz} < W \leq 10 \text{ MHz}$	1024
$10 \text{ MHz} < W \leq 20 \text{ MHz}$	2048

### 8.1.12 Session state information

This protocol does not define any parameter record to be included in a Session State Information record.

## 9 Default Physical Layer

### 9.1 Physical layer modes

The physical layer specification consists of two different duplexing modes, two different forward link hopping modes, two different synchronization modes and two different multi-carrier modes. The possible duplexing modes are Time Division Duplexing (TDD) and Frequency Division Duplexing (FDD). The different forward link hopping modes are SymbolRateHopping and BlockHopping. The forward link hopping mode to be used is given by the BlockHoppingEnabled field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The possible synchronization modes are SemiSynchronous and Asynchronous. The possible multi-carrier modes are MultiCarrierOn and MultiCarrierOff.

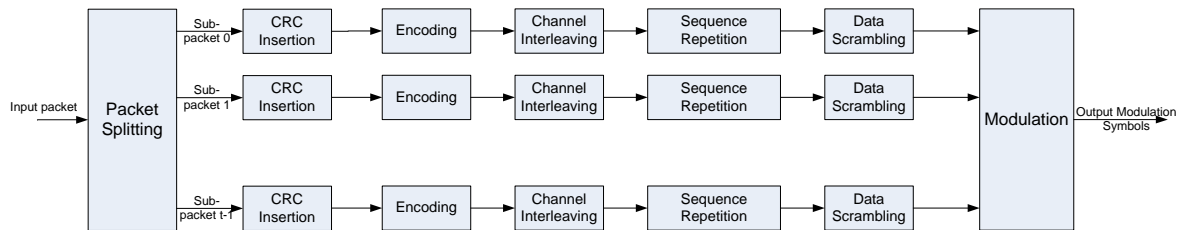
Parts of the physical layer specification are described separately for different duplexing modes, different forward-link hopping modes, synchronization modes and/or multi-carrier modes. Except in these cases, the specification shall apply to all values of the corresponding mode.

The TDD mode has two associated variables called  $N_{FL\_BURST}$  and  $N_{RL\_BURST}$  which determine the time partitioning between forward and reverse links. The values of these variables are given by the  $N\_FLBurst$  and  $N\_RLBurst$  fields respectively, which are part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.

In the MultiCarrierOn mode, the total transmission bandwidth is divided into a multiplicity of carriers, as specified in 9.3.2.2. The number of carriers is given by  $N_{CARRIERS}$ . For convenience of exposition, the same terminology is sometimes used in the MultiCarrierOff mode as well. In this case, the total transmission bandwidth is divided into  $N_{CARRIERS} = 1$  carriers.

### 9.2 Encoding and modulation

This section describes the core encoding and modulation procedures, shown in Figure 9-1, that shall be used for constructing several of the physical layer channels. The procedures described in this section, namely packet-splitting, CRC insertion, encoding, channel interleaving, sequence repetition, scrambling, and modulation, together constitute a method for converting a k-bit packet (generated by an appropriate MAC protocol) into sequences of modulation symbols (one sequence per sub-packet), for any value of k that satisfies at least one of the following two conditions: (1) k is less than MaxPacketSize (2) k is a multiple of 8.



**Figure 9-1 Encoding and modulation structure**

## 9.2.1 Packet-splitting and CRC insertion

If the packet size  $k$  is larger than  $MaxPacketSize$ , the packet shall be split into  $t$  sub-packets, indexed from 0 to  $t-1$ , where  $t = \lceil k / MaxPacketSize \rceil$ . Let  $k_i$  denote the size in bits of sub-packet  $i$ . Define integers  $t_0 = (k/8) \bmod t$  and  $t_1 = t - t_0$ . Define two other integers  $b_0 = 8 \lceil k / (8t) \rceil$  and  $b_1 = 8 \lfloor k / (8t) \rfloor$ . The first  $t_0$  sub-packets shall consist of  $b_0$  bits, i.e.,  $k_0 = k_1 = \dots = k_{t_0-1} = b_0$ , while the last  $t_1$  sub-packets shall consist of  $b_1$  bits, i.e.,  $k_{t_0} = k_{t_0+1} = \dots = k_{t-1} = b_1$ . The bits are distributed to the different sub-packets in order, i.e., bits 0 through  $k_0-1$  form sub-packet 0, bits  $k_0$  through  $k_0+k_1-1$  form sub-packet 1, etc.

Each of the sub-packets so generated shall then be appended by a CRC as described in chapter 10. The number of CRC bits, denoted by  $N_{CRC}$ , to be appended is variable and is specified separately in the description of each physical layer channel using this procedure. The sizes of the resulting sub-packets at the end of this procedure are therefore given by  $k_i' = k_i + N_{CRC}$ , for  $i$  ranging from 0 through  $t-1$ .

At the receiver, a packet shall be declared to be in error if any of the constituent sub-packets are in error.

The operations described in Sections 9.2.2, 9.2.3, 9.2.4, and 9.2.5, namely encoding, channel interleaving, sequence repetition and scrambling operate independently on each of the sub-packets and are described only for the case  $t=1$ . The operation described in 9.2.6, namely modulation, operates jointly on all sub-packets and is described for all values of  $t$ .

## 9.2.2 Core encoders

The air-link shall support two basic encoding structures, namely a rate 1/5 parallel turbo code and a rate 1/3 convolutional code. The rate 1/5 turbo code shall be used for values of  $k$  larger than 128, while the rate 1/3 convolutional code shall be used for values of  $k$  less than or equal to 128.

### 9.2.2.1 Rate 1/3 convolutional encoding

The core rate-1/3 code is a non-systematic non-recursive convolutional code. The outputs of the convolutional code are punctured or repeated to achieve the desired number of convolutional encoder output bits.

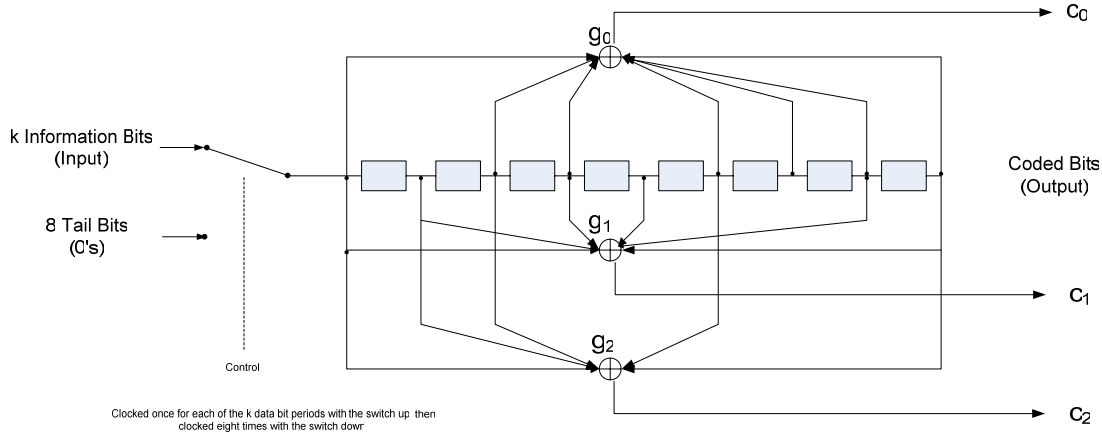
The transfer function for the convolutional code shall be:

$$G(D) = [g_0(D) \ g_1(D) \ g_2(D)]$$

where  $g_0(D) = 1 + D^2 + D^3 + D^5 + D^6 + D^7 + D^8$ ,  $g_1(D) = 1 + D + D^3 + D^4 + D^7 + D^8$ , and  $g_2(D) = 1 + D + D^2 + D^5 + D^8$ , where  $D$  represents the delay operator.

The sequence of information bits shall be appended with a tail of eight 0s and input to the convolutional encoder. This code generates three code bits for each bit input to the encoder. Thus a total of  $3(k+8) = 3k+24$  coded bits are generated for a  $k$ -bit input packet. These code bits shall be output so that the code bit ( $c_0$ ) encoded with generator function  $g_0$  shall be output first, the code bit ( $c_1$ ) encoded with generator function  $g_1$  shall be output second, and the code bit ( $c_2$ ) encoded with generator function  $g_2$  shall be output last. The state of the convolutional encoder, upon initialization,

shall be the all-zero state. The first code bit output after initialization shall be a code bit encoded with generator function  $g_0$ . The encoder for this code is illustrated in Figure 9-2.



**Figure 9-2 Rate 1/3 convolutional encoder**

### 9.2.2.2 Rate 1/5 turbo encoding

The core turbo encoder is a rate 1/5 code that employs two systematic, recursive, convolutional encoders connected in parallel, with an interleaver—the turbo interleaver—preceding the second recursive convolutional encoder. The two recursive convolutional codes are called the constituent codes of the turbo code. The outputs of the constituent encoders are punctured or repeated to achieve the desired number of turbo encoder output bits.

The transfer function for the constituent code shall be:

$$G(D) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{n_0(D)}{d(D)} & \frac{n_1(D)}{d(D)} \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $d(D) = 1 + D^2 + D^3$ ,  $n_0(D) = 1 + D + D^3$ , and  $n_1(D) = 1 + D + D^2 + D^3$ , where  $D$  represents the delay operator.

The turbo encoder shall generate an output bit sequence that is identical to the one generated by the encoder shown in Figure 9-3. Initially, the states of the constituent encoder registers in this figure are set to zero. Then, the constituent encoders are clocked with the switches in the positions noted.

The encoded data output bits are generated by clocking the constituent encoders  $k$  times with the switches in the up positions, where  $k$  is the number of input bits into the turbo encoder. The constituent encoder outputs for each bit period shall be output in the sequence  $X, Y_0, Y_1, Y'_0, Y'_1$  with the  $X$  output first. (The bit  $X'$  shall not be part of the output sequence.)

1 The turbo encoder shall generate 18 tail output bits following the encoded data output bits. This tail  
2 output bit sequence shall be identical to the one generated by the encoder shown in Figure 9-3. The  
3 tail output bits are generated after the constituent encoders have been clocked  $k$  times with the  
4 switches in the up position. The first 9 tail output bits are generated by clocking Constituent Encoder  
5 1 three times with its switch in the down position while Constituent Encoder 2 is not clocked. The  
6 constituent encoder outputs for each bit period shall be output in the sequence  $X$ ,  $Y_0$ ,  $Y_1$ , with the  $X$   
7 output first. The last 9 tail output bits are generated by clocking Constituent Encoder 2 three times  
8 with its switch in the down position while Constituent Encoder 1 is not clocked. The constituent  
9 encoder outputs for each bit period shall be output in the sequence  $X'$ ,  $Y'_0$ ,  $Y'_1$ , with the  $X'$  output  
10 first. The tail bit sequence ensures that both constituent encoders achieve the all-zeros state at the end  
11 of the encoding process.



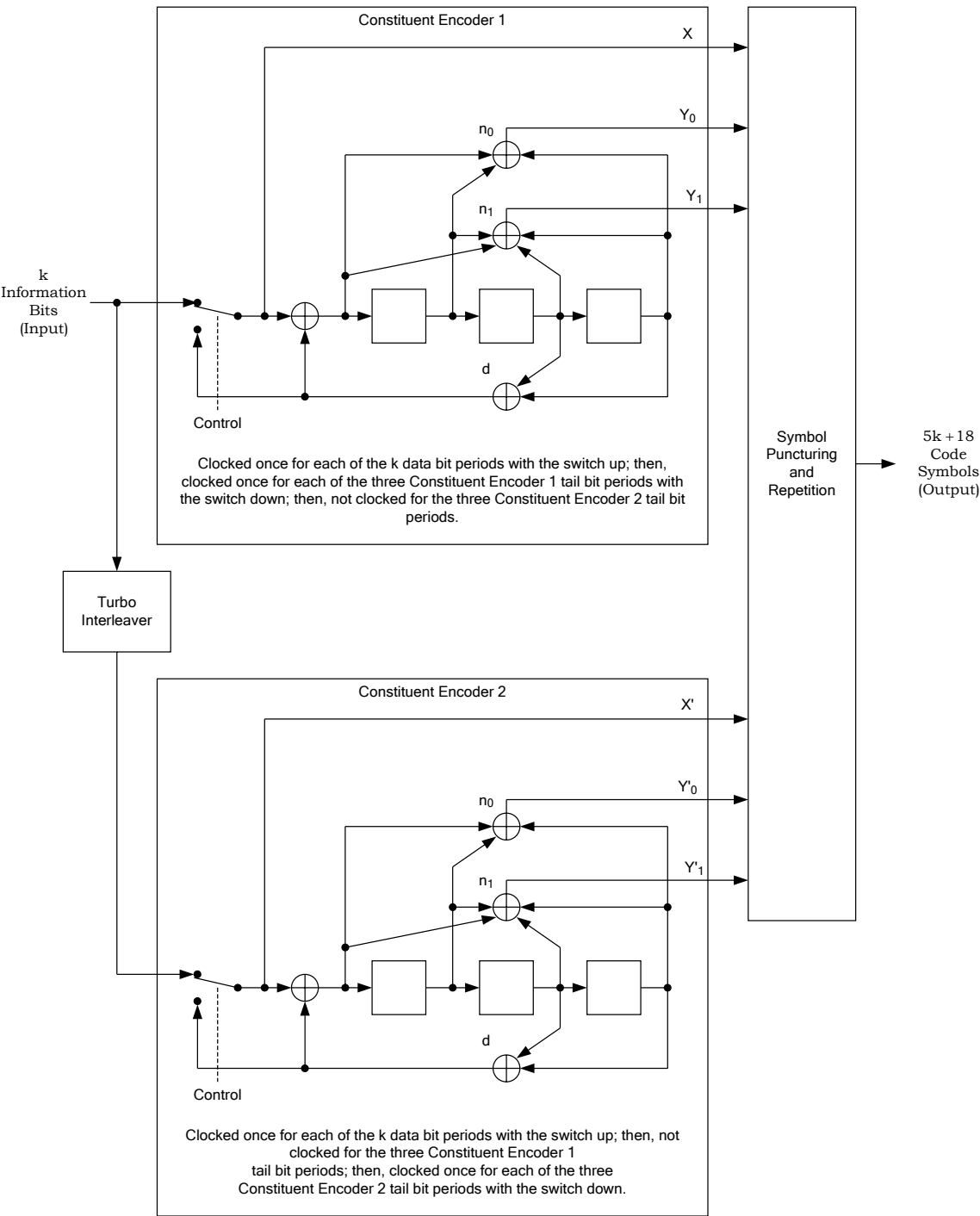


Figure 9-3 Turbo encoder

### 9.2.2.2.1 Turbo Interleaving

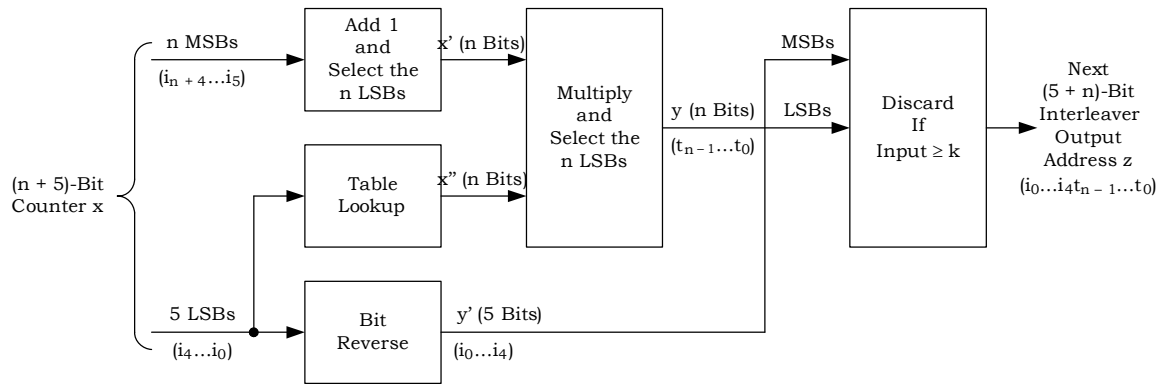
The turbo interleaver, which is part of the turbo encoder, shall block interleave the turbo encoder input data that is fed to Constituent Encoder 2.

The turbo interleaver shall be functionally equivalent to an approach where the entire sequence of turbo interleaver input bits are written sequentially into an array at a sequence of addresses, and then the entire sequence is read out from a sequence of addresses that is defined by the procedure described in the following.

Let the sequence of input addresses be from 0 to  $k - 1$ . Then, the sequence of interleaver output addresses shall be equivalent to those generated by the procedure illustrated in Figure 9-4 and described in the following.<sup>32</sup>

1. Determine the turbo interleaver parameter,  $n$ , where  $n$  is the smallest integer such that  $k \leq 2^{n+5}$ .
2. Initialize an  $(n + 5)$ -bit counter  $x$  to 0.
3. Let  $x' = (\lfloor x/32 \rfloor + 1) \bmod 2^n$ .  $x'$  is generated by extracting the  $n$  most significant bits (MSBs) from the counter, adding one to form a new value, and then discarding all except the  $n$  least significant bits (LSBs) of this value.
4. Obtain the  $n$ -bit output of the table lookup defined in Table 9-1 with a read address equal to the five LSBs of the counter  $x$ , and call this output  $x''$ . Note that this table depends on the value of  $n$ .
5. Multiply the values  $x'$  and  $x''$  obtained in Steps 3 and 4, and discard all except the  $n$  LSBs to get a number  $y$ .  $y = x'x'' \bmod 2^n$ .
6. Bit-reverse the five LSBs of the counter  $x$  to get a five-bit number  $y'$ .
7. Form a tentative output address  $z$  that has its MSBs equal to the value  $y'$  obtained in Step 6 and its LSBs equal to the value  $y$  obtained in Step 5.
8. Accept the tentative output address  $z$  as an output address if it is less than  $k$ ; otherwise, discard it.
9. Increment the counter and repeat Steps 3 through 8 until all  $k$  interleaver output addresses are obtained.

<sup>32</sup> This procedure is equivalent to one where the counter values are written into a  $2^5$ -row by  $2^n$ -column array by rows, the rows are shuffled according to a bit-reversal rule, the elements within each row are permuted according to a row-specific linear congruential sequence, and tentative output addresses are read out by column. The linear congruential sequence rule is  $x(i + 1) = (x(i) + c) \bmod 2^n$ , where  $x(0) = c$  and  $c$  is a row-specific value from a table lookup.



**Figure 9-4 Turbo interleaver output address calculation procedure**

**Table 9-1 Turbo interleaver lookup table definition**

Table Index	n = 2 Entries	n = 3 Entries	n = 4 Entries	n = 5 Entries	n = 6 Entries	n = 7 Entries	n = 8 Entries	n = 9 Entries
0	3	1	5	27	3	15	3	13
1	3	1	15	3	27	127	1	335
2	3	3	5	1	15	89	5	87
3	1	5	15	15	13	1	83	15
4	3	1	1	13	29	31	19	15
5	1	5	9	17	5	15	179	1
6	3	1	9	23	1	61	19	333
7	1	5	15	13	31	47	99	11
8	1	3	13	9	3	127	23	13
9	1	5	15	3	9	17	1	1
10	3	3	7	15	15	119	3	121
11	1	5	11	3	31	15	13	155
12	1	3	15	13	17	57	13	1
13	1	5	3	1	5	123	3	175
14	1	5	15	13	39	95	17	421
15	3	1	5	29	1	5	1	5
16	3	3	13	21	19	85	63	509
17	1	5	15	19	27	17	131	215
18	3	3	9	1	15	55	17	47
19	3	5	3	3	13	57	131	425
20	3	3	1	29	45	15	211	295
21	1	5	3	17	5	41	173	229
22	3	5	15	25	33	93	231	427
23	1	5	1	29	15	87	171	83
24	3	1	13	9	13	63	23	409

Table Index	n = 2 Entries	n = 3 Entries	n = 4 Entries	n = 5 Entries	n = 6 Entries	n = 7 Entries	n = 8 Entries	n = 9 Entries
25	1	5	1	13	9	15	147	387
26	3	1	9	23	15	13	243	193
27	1	5	15	13	31	15	213	57
28	3	3	11	13	17	81	189	501
29	1	5	3	1	5	57	51	313
30	1	5	15	13	15	31	15	489
31	3	3	5	13	33	69	67	391

### 9.2.3 Channel interleaving

The turbo or convolutional encoding shall be followed by channel interleaving, which consists of bit demultiplexing followed by bit permuting.

#### 9.2.3.1 Bit demultiplexing

The output bits generated by the rate-1/3 convolutional encoder shall be reordered according to the following procedure:

1. All of the convolutional encoder output bits shall be demultiplexed into three sequences denoted  $V_0$ ,  $V_1$ ,  $V_2$ . The encoder output bits shall be sequentially distributed from the  $V_0$  sequence to the  $V_2$  sequence with the first bit going to the  $V_0$  sequence, the second bit going to the  $V_1$  sequence, the third to the  $V_2$  sequence, the fourth to the  $V_0$  sequence, etc.
2. The  $V_0$ ,  $V_1$ , and  $V_2$  sequences shall be ordered according to  $V_0V_1V_2$ . That is, the  $V_0$  sequence shall be first, the  $V_1$  sequence shall be second, and the  $V_2$  sequence shall be last.

The output bits generated by the rate-1/5 turbo encoder shall be reordered according to the following procedure:

1. All of the turbo encoder output data bits (i.e., the  $5k$  bits output in the first  $k$  clock periods) shall be demultiplexed into five sequences denoted  $U$ ,  $V_0$ ,  $V_1$ ,  $V'_0$ , and  $V'_1$ . The encoder output bits shall be sequentially distributed from the  $U$  sequence to the  $V'_1$  sequence with the first encoder output bit going to the  $U$  sequence, the second to the  $V_0$  sequence, the third to the  $V_1$  sequence, the fourth to the  $V'_0$  sequence, the fifth to the  $V'_1$  sequence, the sixth to the  $U$  sequence, etc.
2. The 18 tail bits numbered 0 through 17 (i.e., the 18 bits generated during the last six clock periods) shall be distributed as follows: Tail bits numbered 0, 3, 6, 9, 12, and 15 shall go to the  $U$  sequence, the tail bits numbered 1, 4, and 7 shall go to the  $V_0$  sequence, the tail bits numbered 2, 5, and 8 shall go to the  $V_1$  sequence, the tail bits numbered 10, 13, and 16 shall go to the  $V'_0$  sequence, and the tail bits numbered 11, 14, and 17 shall go to the  $V'_1$  sequence. In other words, the tail bits of each non-systematic stream are allocated to the corresponding sequence.

3. The  $U$ ,  $V_0$ ,  $V_1$ ,  $V'_0$ , and  $V'_1$  sequences shall be ordered according to  $UV_0V'_0V_1V'_1$ . That is, the  $U$  sequence shall be first and the  $V'_1$  sequence shall be last.

### 9.2.3.2 Bit permuting

The demultiplexed bits shall be permuted in three separate interleaver blocks with rate-1/5 coding and in one block with rate-1/3 coding. For the rate 1/5 turbo code, the permuter input blocks shall consist of the  $U$  sequence, the  $V_0$  sequence followed by the  $V'_0$  sequence (denoted as  $V_0/V'_0$ ), and the  $V_1$  sequence followed by the  $V'_1$  sequence (denoted as  $V_1/V'_1$ ). For the rate-1/3 convolutional code, the permuter input block shall consist of the  $V_0$  sequence followed by the  $V_1$  sequence followed by the  $V_2$  sequence (denoted as  $V_0/V_1/V_2$ ). A Pruned Bit-Reversal Interleaver (PBRI) shall be used for permuting each of the blocks.

The PBRI shall be functionally equivalent to an approach where the entire sequence of input bits in the block are written sequentially into an array at a sequence of addresses, and then the entire sequence is read out from a sequence of addresses that is defined by the procedure described in the following.

Let the number of bits in the input block be  $k_b$ , and let the sequence of input addresses be from 0 to  $k_b - 1$ . Then, the sequence of interleaver output addresses shall be equivalent to those generated by the procedure described in the following.

1. Determine the PBRI parameter,  $n$ , where  $n$  is the smallest integer such that  $k_b \leq 2^n$ .
2. Initialize a counter  $j$  to 0.
3. Form a tentative output address that is equal to the bit-reversed value of  $j$ , using an  $n$ -bit binary representation. For example, if  $n = 4$  and  $j = 3$ , then the bit reversed value of  $j$  is 12.
4. Accept the tentative output address as an output address if it is less than  $k_b$ ; otherwise, discard it.
5. Increment the counter  $j$  and repeat Steps 3 through 5 until all  $k_b$  interleaver output addresses are obtained.

With rate-1/5 turbo coding, the interleaver output sequence shall be the interleaved  $U$  sequence of bits followed by the interleaved  $V_0/V'_0$  sequence of bits followed by the interleaved  $V_1/V'_1$  sequence of bits. With rate-1/3 convolutional coding, the interleaver output sequence shall be the interleaved  $V_0/V_1/V_2$  sequence of bits.

### 9.2.4 Sequence repetition

Let  $x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}$  be the sequence of bits at the output of the channel interleaver. This sequence of bits shall be repeated to create a sequence of output bits  $y_0, y_1, \dots$ . The output buffer  $y_0, y_1, \dots$  is read sequentially by the modulator, described in 9.2.6, until the required number of modulation symbols has been generated. The number of repetitions of the interleaver output sequence  $x_i$  shall be such that the modulator does not reach the end of the output buffer while generating modulation symbols.

The output sequence  $y_0, y_1, \dots$  shall be equivalent to an infinite sequence described by the formula  $y_i = x_{i \bmod n}$ , where  $n$  is the number of bits at the output of the channel interleaver.<sup>33</sup>

### 9.2.5 Data scrambling

The sequence  $y_0, y_1, \dots$  at the output of the sequence repetition stage shall be data-scrambled to randomize the data prior to modulation. The scrambling sequence shall be equivalent to one generated with a 17-tap linear feedback shift register with a generator sequence of  $h(D) = 1 + D^{14} + D^{17}$ , as shown in Figure 9-5. The  $n$ 'th output  $s(n)$  of this shift register shall satisfy  $s(n) = s(n-14) \oplus s(n-17)$ . At the start of the physical layer packet, the shift register shall be initialized to the state  $[b_{16}b_{15}b_{14}b_{13}b_{12}b_{11}b_{10}b_9b_8b_7b_6b_5b_4b_3b_2b_1b_0]$ , which is a bitwise XOR of the vectors  $[r_{10}r_9r_8r_7r_6r_5r_4r_3r_2r_1r_0 \ d_5d_4d_3d_2d_1d_0]$  and  $[t_{10}t_9t_8t_7t_6t_5t_4t_3t_2t_1t_0 \ f_5f_4f_3f_2f_1f_0]$ . Here, the  $r_{10}r_9r_8r_7r_6r_5r_4r_3r_2r_1r_0$  bits shall be the bits of a 11-bit MACID (with  $r_0$  being the LSB and  $r_{10}$  the MSB) that will be specified in the description of each physical layer channel that uses this procedure.

The  $d_5d_4d_3d_2d_1d_0$  bits shall be the 6 LSBs of a packet format index (with  $d_0$  being the LSB and  $d_5$  being the MSB), and will also be specified in the description of each physical layer channel that uses this procedure.<sup>34</sup> If the specified packet format is less than 6 bits, then it shall be padded with 0's in the beginning (i.e., the MSBs shall be set to 0) in order to achieve the desired length. The  $t_{10}t_9t_8t_7t_6t_5t_4t_3t_2t_1t_0$  bits shall be the 11 LSBs of the superframe index of the superframe in which the first modulation symbol of this packet is transmitted. The  $f_5f_4f_3f_2f_1f_0$  bits shall be the PHY Frame index (within the superframe) of the PHY Frame in which the first modulation symbol of this packet is transmitted. An all-zeros PHY Frame index is used if packet transmission begins during the superframe preamble. The initial state shall generate the first scrambling bit.

The first bit in the scrambling sequence is generated by the initial state of the shift register. Each subsequent bit is generated by clocking the shift register once. Every bit at the output of the sequence repetition stage shall be XORed with the corresponding bit of the scrambling sequence to yield a scrambled bit.

The data-scrambling operation can be omitted for some physical layer channels. This shall be specified in the description of the relevant channel.

<sup>33</sup> This procedure is equivalent to repeating the original bits as often as required. The modulator, described in Section 9.2.6, will read this sequence sequentially, and the number of repetitions should be such that the modulator does not reach the end of the repeated sequence before the required number of modulation symbols is generated.

<sup>34</sup> The MACID bits will normally correspond to the MACID of the target user where this makes sense, and will be set to all 0's otherwise. The packet format bits will correspond to the packet format for a data packet, and will be set to all 0's otherwise.

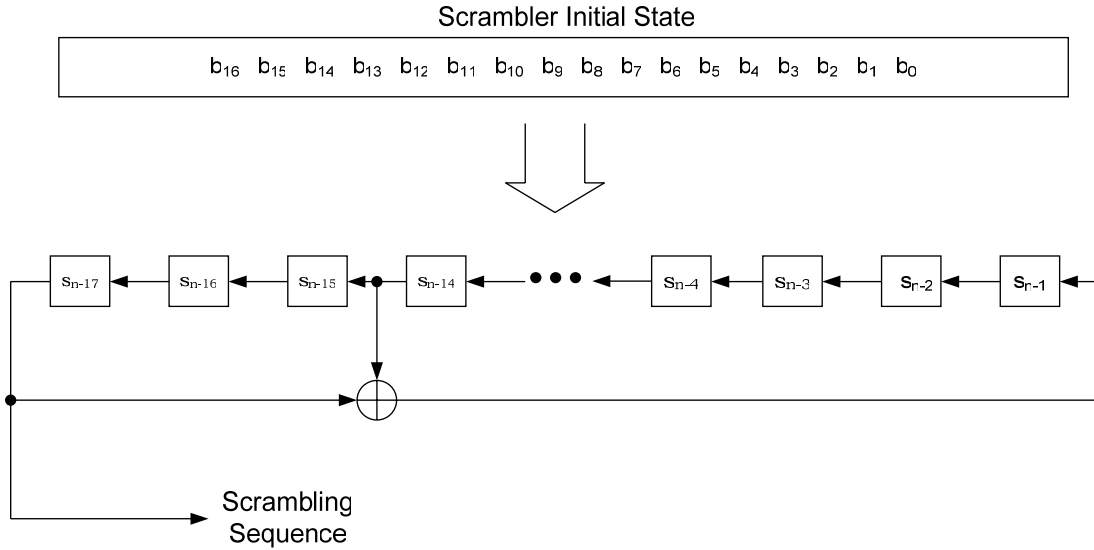


Figure 9-5 Data scrambler

### 9.2.6 Modulation

The outputs of the data-scrambler for all the different sub-packets, where a sub-packet is as defined in 9.2.1, shall be applied to a modulator that outputs complex numbers known as modulation symbols, which are modulated on to OFDM subcarriers. The modulator cycles between the different sub-packets while generating the modulation symbols, i.e., modulation symbol 0 is generated from sub-packet 0, modulation symbol 1 is generated from sub-packet 1, etc. The airlink supports QPSK, 8PSK, 16QAM and 64QAM modulation formats. The number of bits in one modulation symbol is called the modulation order. The modulation order is 2 for QPSK, 3 for 8PSK, 4 for 16QAM and 6 for 64QAM. The airlink also supports multiple modulation formats for a single encoded bit sequence. This section describes the procedure for generating a sequence of modulation symbols of varying modulation formats from an encoded bit sequence (after channel interleaving and scrambling). The number of modulation symbols and the modulation format of each symbol will be specified separately in the specification of each physical layer channel using this procedure.

The sequence of modulation symbols output from the modulator shall be equivalent to those generated by the following approach:

1. Let  $y(0,0), y(0,1), \dots$  be the infinite-length sequence of bits at the output of the scrambler corresponding to sub-packet 0,  $y(1,0), y(1,1), \dots$  the infinite-length sequence of bits at the output of the scrambler for sub-packet 1 and so on. Let  $t$  be the total number of sub-packets. Initialize  $t$  counters, denoted by  $i_0, i_1, \dots, i_{t-1}$ , to 0. Initialize another set of  $t$  counters  $j_0, j_1, \dots, j_{t-1}$ , to 0. Counter  $i_m$  counts the number of modulation symbols that have already been generated for the  $m^{\text{th}}$  sub-packet, while counter  $j_m$  is a pointer to the bits that were last modulated for the  $m^{\text{th}}$  sub-packet. Initialize another counter  $k = 0$ , which counts the total number of modulation symbols generated.
2. Let  $q$  be the desired modulation order of the next modulation symbol. Let  $m = k \bmod t$ . Collect the sequence of  $q$  bits  $y(m, j_m), y(m, j_m+1), \dots, y(m, j_m+q-1)$ . A sequence of bits  $z(0), \dots, z(q-1)$  is obtained by rotating this sequence by the value  $i_m \bmod q$ , i.e.,  $z(p) = y(m, j_m + ((i_m + p) \bmod q))$ .

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9.2.6.2 8-PSK modulation

In the case of 8-PSK modulation, a group of 3 input bits ( $b_0, b_1, b_2$ ) is mapped into a complex modulation symbol ( $m_I(k), m_Q(k)$ ) as specified in Table 9-3. Figure 9-7 shows the signal constellation of the 8-PSK modulator.

Table 9-3 8-PSK modulation table

Input Bits			Modulation Symbols	
$b_0$	$b_1$	$b_2$	$m_I(k)$	$m_Q(k)$
0	0	0	C	S
0	0	1	S	C
0	1	1	-S	C
0	1	0	-C	S
1	1	0	-C	-S
1	1	1	-S	-C
1	0	1	S	-C
1	0	0	C	-S

Note:  $C = \cos(\pi/8) \approx 0.9239$  and  $S = \sin(\pi/8) \approx 0.3827$

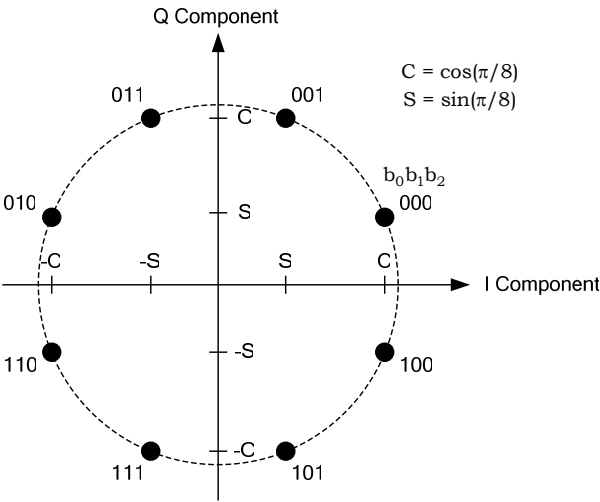


Figure 9-7 Signal constellation for 8-PSK modulation

### 9.2.6.3 16-QAM modulation

In the case of 16-QAM modulation, a group of 4 input bits ( $b_0, b_1, b_2, b_3$ ) is mapped into a complex modulation symbol ( $m_I(k), m_Q(k)$ ), as specified in Table 9-4. Figure 9-8 shows the signal constellation of the 16-QAM modulator.

**Table 9-4 16-QAM modulation table**

Input Bits				Modulation Symbols	
$b_0$	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$	$m_Q(k)$	$m_I(k)$
0	0	0	0	3A	3A
0	0	0	1	3A	A
0	0	1	1	3A	-A
0	0	1	0	3A	-3A
0	1	0	0	A	3A
0	1	0	1	A	A
0	1	1	1	A	-A
0	1	1	0	A	-3A
1	1	0	0	-A	3A
1	1	0	1	-A	A
1	1	1	1	-A	-A
1	1	1	0	-A	-3A
1	0	0	0	-3A	3A
1	0	0	1	-3A	A
1	0	1	1	-3A	-A
1	0	1	0	-3A	-3A

Note:  $A = 1/\sqrt{10} \approx 0.3162$

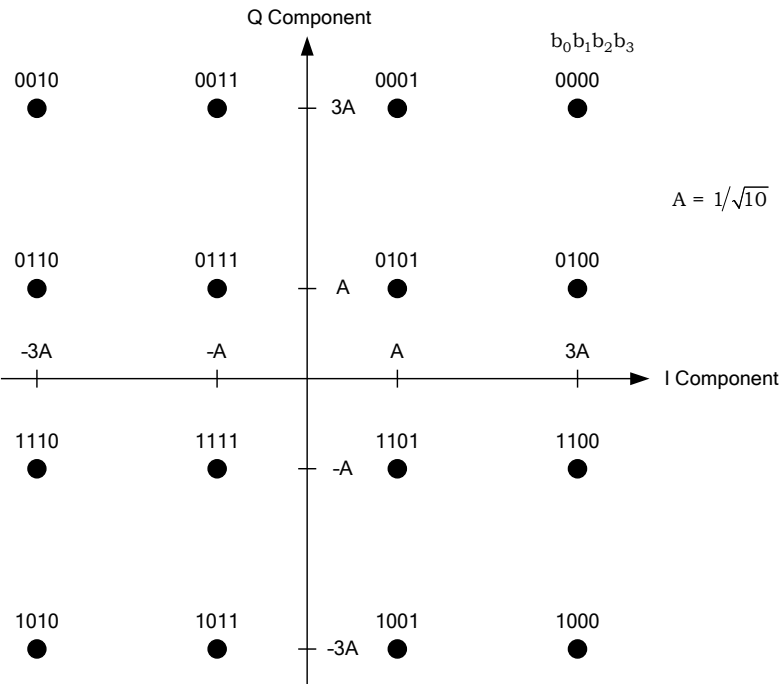


Figure 9-8 Signal constellation for 16-QAM modulation

9.2.6.4 64-QAM modulation

In the case of 64-QAM modulation, a group of 6 input bits ( $b_0, b_1, b_2, b_3, b_4, b_5$ ) is mapped into a complex modulation symbol ( $m_I(k), m_Q(k)$ ) as specified in Table 9-5. Figure 9-9 shows the signal constellation of the 64-QAM modulator.

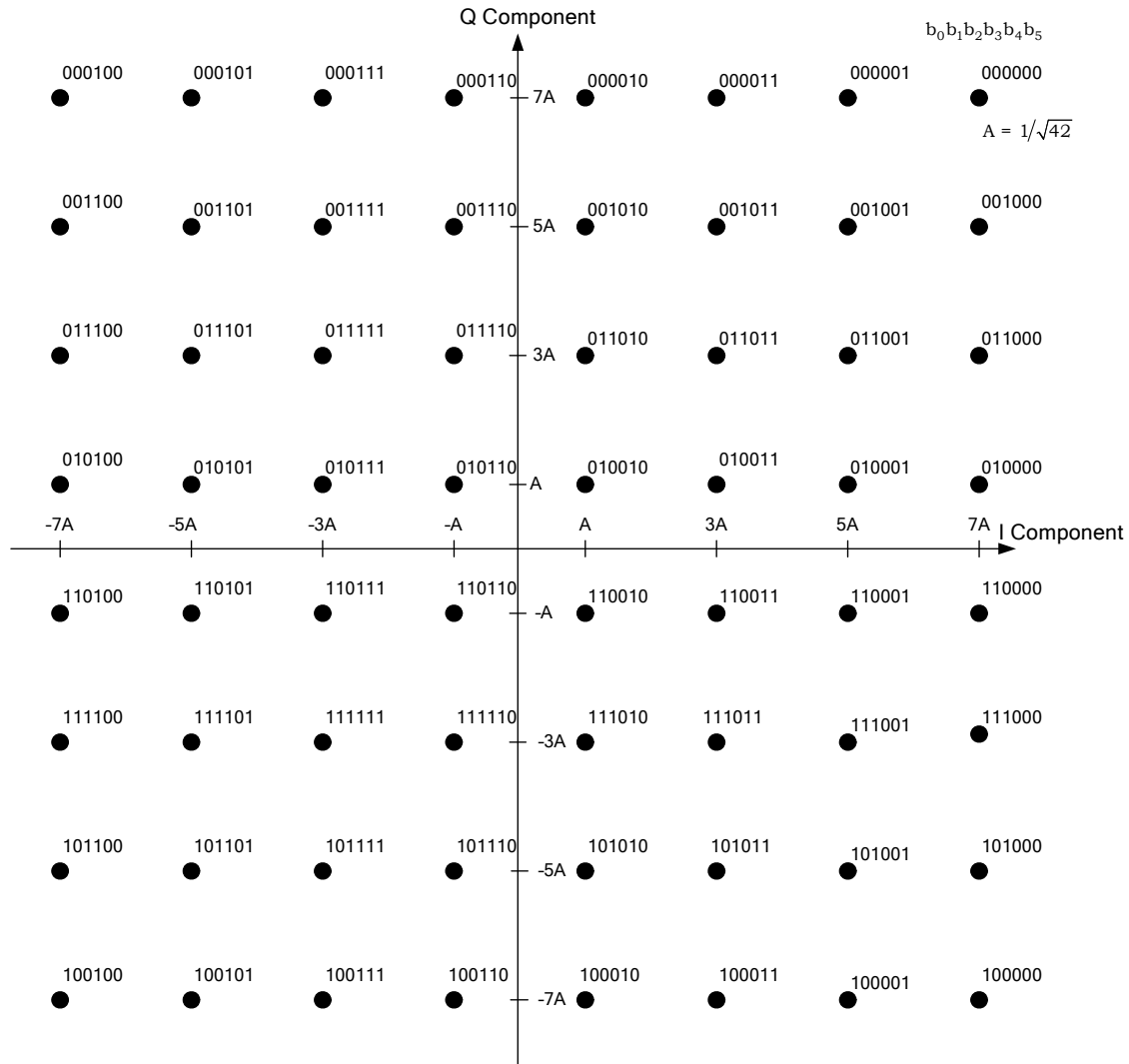
Table 9-5 64-QAM modulation table

Input Bits						Modulation Symbols	
$b_0$	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$	$b_4$	$b_5$	$m_Q(k)$	$m_I(k)$
0	0	0	0	0	0	$7A$	$7A$
0	0	0	0	0	1	$7A$	$5A$
0	0	0	0	1	0	$7A$	$A$
0	0	0	0	1	1	$7A$	$3A$
0	0	0	1	0	0	$7A$	$-7A$
0	0	0	1	0	1	$7A$	$-5A$
0	0	0	1	1	0	$7A$	$-A$
0	0	0	1	1	1	$7A$	$-3A$
0	0	1	0	0	0	$5A$	$7A$
0	0	1	0	0	1	$5A$	$5A$
0	0	1	0	1	0	$5A$	$A$
0	0	1	0	1	1	$5A$	$3A$

Input Bits						Modulation Symbols	
$b_0$	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$	$b_4$	$b_5$	$m_Q(k)$	$m_I(k)$
0	0	1	1	0	0	5A	-7A
0	0	1	1	0	1	5A	-5A
0	0	1	1	1	0	5A	-A
0	0	1	1	1	1	5A	-3A
0	1	0	0	0	0	A	7A
0	1	0	0	0	1	A	5A
0	1	0	0	1	0	A	A
0	1	0	0	1	1	A	3A
0	1	0	1	0	0	A	-7A
0	1	0	1	0	1	A	-5A
0	1	0	1	1	0	A	-A
0	1	0	1	1	1	A	-3A
0	1	1	0	0	0	3A	7A
0	1	1	0	0	1	3A	5A
0	1	1	0	1	0	3A	A
0	1	1	0	1	1	3A	3A
0	1	1	1	0	0	3A	-7A
0	1	1	1	0	1	3A	-5A
0	1	1	1	1	0	3A	-A
0	1	1	1	1	1	3A	-3A
1	0	0	0	0	0	-7A	7A
1	0	0	0	0	1	-7A	5A
1	0	0	0	1	0	-7A	A
1	0	0	0	1	1	-7A	3A
1	0	0	1	0	0	-7A	-7A
1	0	0	1	0	1	-7A	-5A
1	0	0	1	1	0	-7A	-A
1	0	0	1	1	1	-7A	-3A
1	0	1	0	0	0	-5A	7A
1	0	1	0	0	1	-5A	5A
1	0	1	0	1	0	-5A	A
1	0	1	0	1	1	-5A	3A
1	0	1	1	0	0	-5A	-7A
1	0	1	1	0	1	-5A	-5A
1	0	1	1	1	0	-5A	-A
1	0	1	1	1	1	-5A	-3A
1	1	0	0	0	0	-A	7A

Input Bits						Modulation Symbols	
$b_0$	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$	$b_4$	$b_5$	$m_Q(k)$	$m_I(k)$
1	1	0	0	0	1	-A	5A
1	1	0	0	1	0	-A	A
1	1	0	0	1	1	-A	3A
1	1	0	1	0	0	-A	-7A
1	1	0	1	0	1	-A	-5A
1	1	0	1	1	0	-A	-A
1	1	0	1	1	1	-A	-3A
1	1	1	0	0	0	-3A	7A
1	1	1	0	0	1	-3A	5A
1	1	1	0	1	0	-3A	A
1	1	1	0	1	1	-3A	3A
1	1	1	1	0	0	-3A	-7A
1	1	1	1	0	1	-3A	-5A
1	1	1	1	1	0	-3A	-A
1	1	1	1	1	1	-3A	-3A

Note:  $A = \sqrt{1/42} \approx 0.1543$



**Figure 9-9 Signal constellation for 64-QAM modulation**

### 9.3 Access network requirements

This section defines requirements specific to access network (AN) equipment and operation.

#### 9.3.1 Transmitter

The transmitter shall reside in each sector of the access network. These requirements apply to the transmitter in each sector.

Each sector is assigned an integer identifier in the range 0-4095 (including 0 and 4095) called the PilotPN. This identifier may also be referred to as a 12-bit binary number with the leftmost bit being the MSB and the rightmost bit being the LSB.

9.3.2 Modulation characteristics

9.3.2.1 Superframe timing

The forward link transmission is divided into units of superframes. The structure of a forward link superframe shall be as shown in Figure 9-10 for FDD and as shown in Figure 9-11, Figure 9-12, Figure 9-13 for TDD for different values of the parameters  $N_{FL\_BURST}$  and  $N_{RL\_BURST}$ . A superframe shall consist of a superframe preamble followed by a series of  $N_{FDD,FLPHYFrames}$  FL PHY Frames in FDD, and by  $N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames}$  FL PHY Frames in TDD. In TDD mode with parameter  $N_{FL\_BURST}$  and  $N_{RL\_BURST}$ ,  $N_{FL\_BURST}$  FL PHY Frames alternate with the mute time reserved for RL PHY Frames. Here,  $N_{FDD,FLPHYFrames}$  and  $N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames}$ <sup>35</sup> are as defined by the Lower MAC sublayer. The superframe preamble carries the F-CPICH, the F-pBCH, the F-ACQCH, and the F-OSICH. The FL PHY Frames carry the F-CPICH, F-AuxPICH, the F-SSCH and the F-DCH physical channels for SymbolRateHopping mode and the F-DPICH, the F-CPICH, the F-SSCH, and the F-DCH physical channels in BlockHopping mode. The structure of the superframe preamble and each FL PHYFrame shall be as shown in Figure 9-14 for SymbolRateHopping mode and in Figure 9-15 for BlockHopping mode.

Each superframe shall be identified by a superframe index that is incremented every superframe. The superframe index is related to the System Time as described in Chapter 1. Each superframe also has an associated quantity called the PilotPhase, defined as (PilotPN + Superframe Index) mod 4096.

The PHY layer chapter of this specification uses a FL PHY Frame indexing scheme that is convenient for the descriptions herein, but is not necessarily consistent with indexing schemes used in other layers and sublayers in the specification. In this indexing scheme, the FL PHY Frames in a given superframe shall be indexed sequentially from 0 through  $N_{FDD,FLPHYFrames} - 1$  in FDD mode and from 0 through  $N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames} - 1$  in TDD mode. The FL PHY Frame index is sometimes also referred to using its 6-bit binary representation.

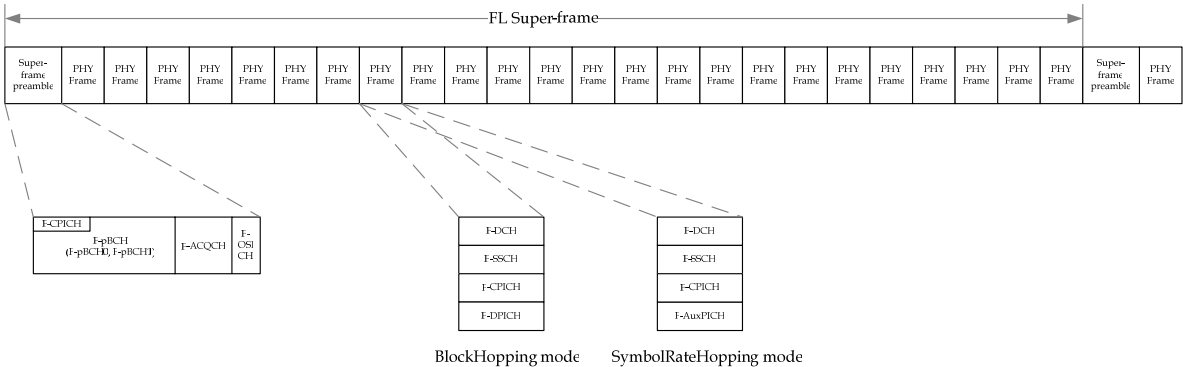


Figure 9-10 Forward link superframe structure: FDD

<sup>35</sup> Note that  $N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames}$  is a function of  $N_{FL\_BURST}$  and  $N_{RL\_BURST}$ .



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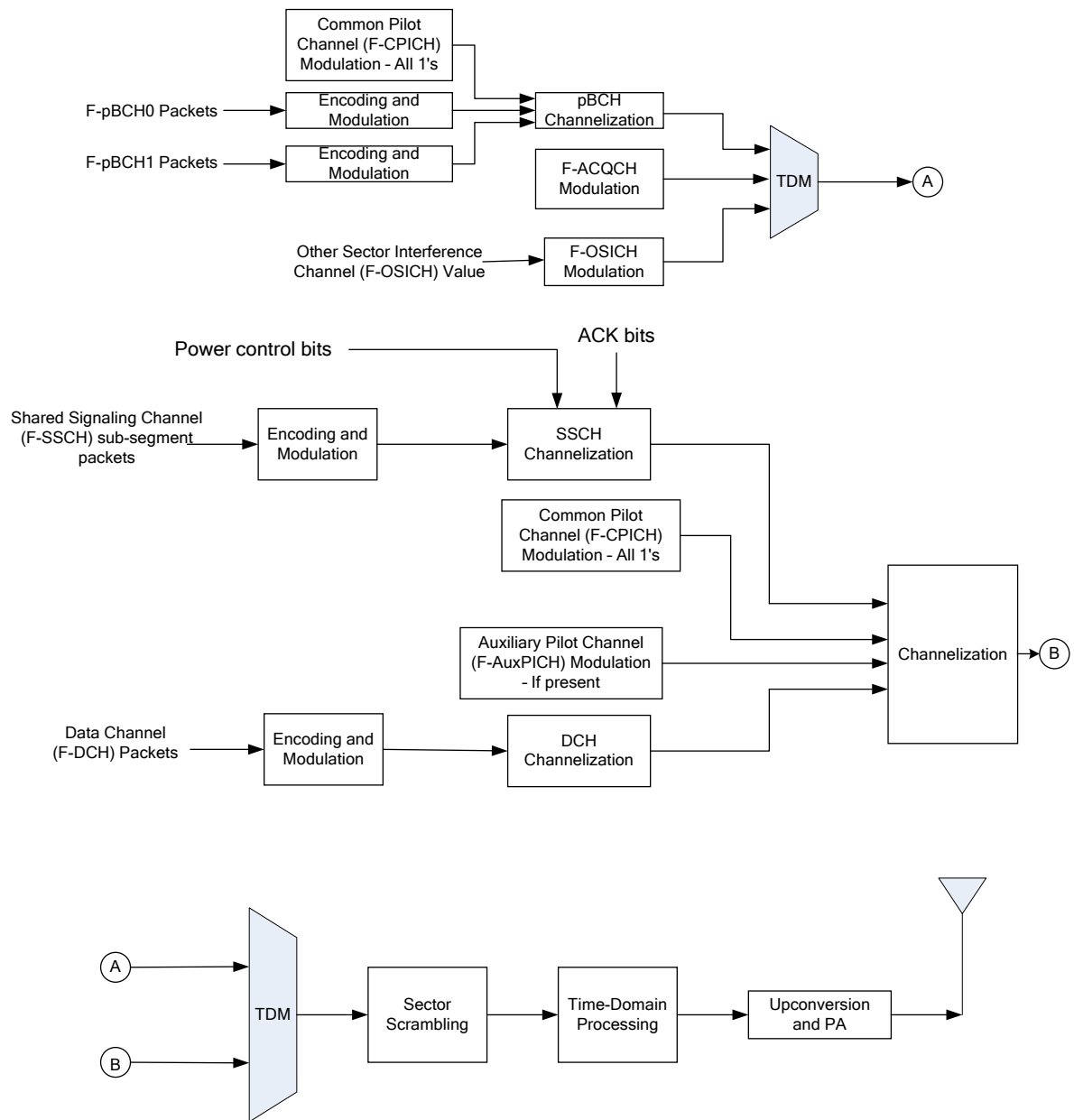


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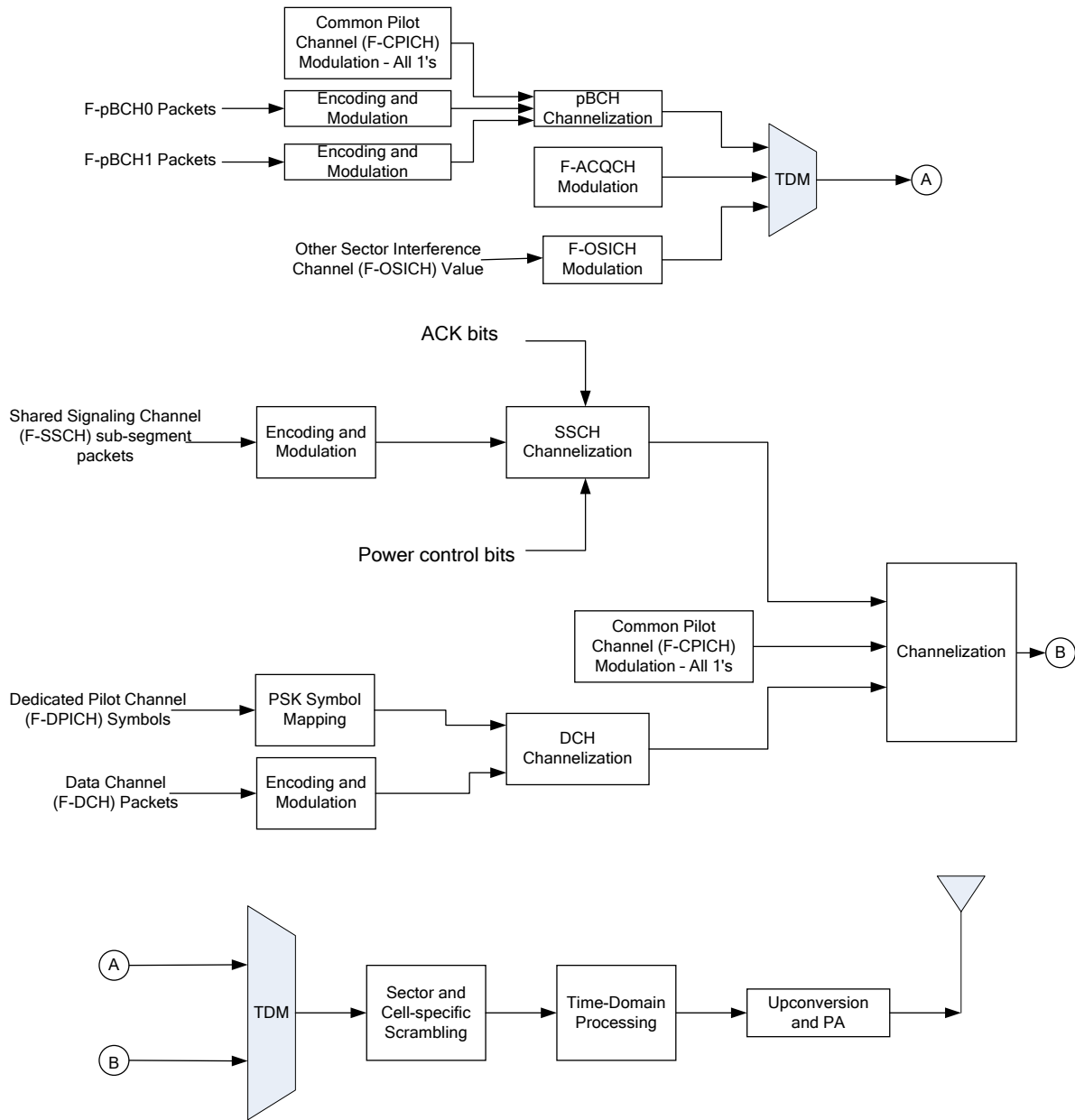


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**Figure 9-14 Forward channel structure: SymbolRateHopping mode**



**Figure 9-15 Forward channel structure: BlockHopping mode**

### 9.3.2.2 OFDM symbol characteristics

The modulation used on the forward link is Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM). Both the superframe preamble as well as each FL PHY Frame shall be further subdivided into units of OFDM symbols. An OFDM symbol consists of  $N_{\text{FFT}}$  individually modulated subcarriers that carry complex-valued data. Complex-valued data is represented in the form  $d = (d_{\text{re}}, d_{\text{im}})$ , where  $d_{\text{re}}$  and  $d_{\text{im}}$  represent the real and imaginary components respectively. The subcarriers in each OFDM symbol shall be numbered 0 through  $N_{\text{FFT}}-1$ .

An additional indexing scheme may be used in MultiCarrierOn mode. The  $N_{\text{FFT}}$  subcarriers are split into  $N_{\text{CARRIERS}}$  contiguous groups, each of which is referred to as a carrier. Each carrier consists of  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  subcarriers, where  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = N_{\text{FFT}} / N_{\text{CARRIERS}}$ . Each carrier has an associated index, sometimes referred to as CarrierIndex, that ranges from 0 through  $N_{\text{CARRIERS}} - 1$ . The carrier with index  $c$  consists of subcarriers indexed  $cN_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  through  $(c+1)N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} - 1$ . In MultiCarrierOff mode, all  $N_{\text{FFT}}$  subcarriers belong to a single carrier having CarrierIndex 0. Furthermore, the subcarriers within each carrier may be indexed from 0 to  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} - 1$  and the phrases “subcarrier  $f$  in carrier  $c$ ” and “subcarrier with index  $f$  within carrier with index  $c$ ” shall be equivalent to “subcarrier  $cN_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + f$ .” These two subcarrier indexing schemes are used interchangeably in the Physical Layer chapter of this specification.

### 9.3.2.2.1 Guard subcarriers

Some of the available subcarriers in an OFDM symbol are designated as guard subcarriers and shall not be modulated, i.e., no energy shall be transmitted on these subcarriers. The number of guard subcarriers in the superframe preamble and in each FL PHY Frame shall be  $N_{\text{GUARD,PR}}$  and  $N_{\text{GUARD}}$  respectively. The quantity  $N_{\text{GUARD}}$  is given by the NumGuardSubcarriers parameter which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The set of guard subcarriers in the superframe preamble shall be the subcarriers numbered 0 through  $N_{\text{GUARD,PR}}/2 - 1$  and the subcarriers numbered  $N_{\text{FFT}} - N_{\text{GUARD,PR}}/2$  through  $N_{\text{FFT}} - 1$ . The set of guard subcarriers in each FL PHY Frame shall be the subcarriers numbered 0 through  $N_{\text{GUARD}}/2 - 1$  and the subcarriers numbered  $N_{\text{FFT}} - N_{\text{GUARD}}/2$  through  $N_{\text{FFT}} - 1$ .

### 9.3.2.2.2 Quasi-guard subcarriers

In MultiCarrierOn mode, additional sub-carriers within each OFDM symbol are designated as quasi-guard subcarriers and shall not be modulated, i.e., no energy shall be transmitted on these subcarriers. The set of quasi-guard subcarriers in the superframe preamble shall be the subcarriers numbered  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} * m - N_{\text{GUARD,PR}}/2$  through  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} * m + N_{\text{GUARD,PR}}/2 - 1$  where  $m = 1, \dots, N_{\text{CARRIERS}} - 1$ . The set of quasi-guard subcarriers in each FL PHY Frame shall be the subcarriers numbered  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} * m - N_{\text{GUARD}}/2$  to  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} * m + N_{\text{GUARD}}/2 - 1$  where  $m = 1, \dots, N_{\text{CARRIERS}} - 1$ . Subcarriers that are not guard or quasi-guard subcarriers are also referred to as usable subcarriers.

### 9.3.2.2.3 OFDM symbol duration

The total OFDM symbol duration, denoted by  $T_{s,PR}$  during the superframe preamble and by  $T_s$  during each FL PHY Frame, consists of four parts:

- A data part with duration  $T_{\text{FFT}}$ , where  $T_{\text{FFT}} = N_{\text{FFT}} T_{\text{CHIP}}$ .
- A flat guard interval, also known as a cyclic prefix, with duration  $T_{\text{CP,PR}}$  in the superframe preamble and duration  $T_{\text{CP}}$  during each FL PHY Frame. Here,  $T_{\text{CP}}$  is given by the CPLength field which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.
- Two windowed guard intervals of duration  $T_{\text{WGI}}$  on the two sides of the OFDM symbol. There is an overlap of  $T_{\text{WGI}}$  between consecutive OFDM symbols (see Figure 9-25).

The effective OFDM symbol duration is  $T_{s,PR} = T_{\text{FFT}} + T_{\text{CP,PR}} + T_{\text{WGI}}$  in the superframe preamble, and  $T_s = T_{\text{FFT}} + T_{\text{CP}} + T_{\text{WGI}}$  in each FL PHY Frame. This effective symbol duration shall henceforth be referred to as the OFDM symbol duration.

### 9.3.2.2.4 Superframe duration

The superframe preamble consists of  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  OFDM symbols. In FDD, each FL PHY Frame consists of  $N_{\text{FRAME,F}}$  OFDM symbols and the total superframe duration is given by

$$T_{\text{SUPERFRAME}} = N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}T_{s,\text{PR}} + N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}}N_{\text{FRAME,F}}T_s.$$

In TDD, each FL PHY Frame consists of  $N_{\text{FRAME,F}}$  OFDM symbols. The mute time between each set of  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  contiguous FL PHY Frames in TDD is equal to the duration of  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$  contiguous RL PHY Frames plus guard times  $T_{\text{G,TDD,R}}$  and  $T_{\text{G,TDD,F}}$ . The total superframe duration is given by

$$T_{\text{SUPERFRAME}} = N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}T_{s,\text{PR}} + N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}}N_{\text{FRAME,F}}T_s + N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}}N_{\text{FRAME,R}}T_s \\ + (T_{\text{G,TDD,F}} + T_{\text{G,TDD,R}}) * (N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}}/N_{\text{RL\_BURST}})$$

### 9.3.2.2.5 Hop-port indexing

During the FL PHY Frame portion of the transmission, the subcarriers in each carrier of each OFDM symbol will also use a second indexing scheme known as hop-port indexing. In this scheme, each carrier in each OFDM symbol consists of  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  individually-modulated hop-ports. Here  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  is equal to  $\text{FLNumSDMADimensions}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol on that carrier. The hop-ports in each carrier are indexed from 0 through  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} - 1$ . The hop-port with index  $p$  in the carrier with  $\text{CarrierIndex } k$  is sometimes represented by the pair  $(k,p)$ . An order is defined on the set of such pairs by saying that  $(k_0,p_0) < (k_1,p_1)$  if either of the following two conditions is satisfied:

1.  $k_0 < k_1$ , or
2.  $k_0 = k_1$  and  $p_0 < p_1$ .

There is a mapping between the  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  hop-ports and the  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  subcarriers in each carrier, called a hop-permutation. The hop-permutation may change as often as every OFDM symbol and is different for different sectors. The sequence of hop-permutations, also called the hopping sequence, is described in 9.3.2.5.1.

### 9.3.2.3 Multiple transmit antennas

Multiple transmit antennas may be present at the sector transmitter. The different transmit antennas shall have the same superframe timing (including the superframe index), the same OFDM symbol characteristics, and the same hop-permutation.

Modulation of some of the physical layer channels (for example the F-AuxPICH and the portion of the F-CPICH that lies in the FL PHY Frames) is specified separately for each transmit antenna. Here the term “transmit antenna” denotes an “effective transmit antenna” which is not necessarily the same as a physical antenna present at the sector.<sup>36</sup> The mapping between effective and physical transmit antennas is beyond the scope of this specification. Note that transmission on a single effective antenna may involve transmission on any or all of the physical antennas. The number of effective transmit antennas in the system is given by the  $\text{EffectiveNumAntennas}$  field, which is part of the

<sup>36</sup> Here, a physical antenna refers to an individual radiating element.

public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The different effective antennas in the system are indexed 0 through  $\text{EffectiveNumAntennas} - 1$ . Any reference to the term “transmit antenna” shall henceforth be interpreted as meaning an effective transmit antenna.

The modulation of some of the physical layer channels (for example all the channels in the superframe preamble, including the portion of the F-CPICH that lies in the superframe preamble) is specified only for a single effective antenna. If multiple effective antennas are present, the modulation symbols corresponding to these channels shall be transmitted only from the effective antenna with index 0.

Finally, the modulation of some of the physical layer channels (for example the F-DPICH) is described in terms of a concept called tile-antennas. A tile-antenna is a linear combination of the effective antennas present in the system. Multiple tile-antennas can be constructed using different linear combinations of the effective antennas. The process of constructing tile-antennas, i.e., the process of transmitting on a linear combination of effective antennas, is known as precoding. The mapping between effective antennas and tile-antennas can be described in terms of a matrix called the precoding matrix.

The physical layer also supports superposition of two waveforms on the same set of subcarriers, potentially using different precoding matrices. This happens when the hop-permutation maps two hop-ports to the same subcarrier, and is known as Space Division Multiple Access (SDMA).

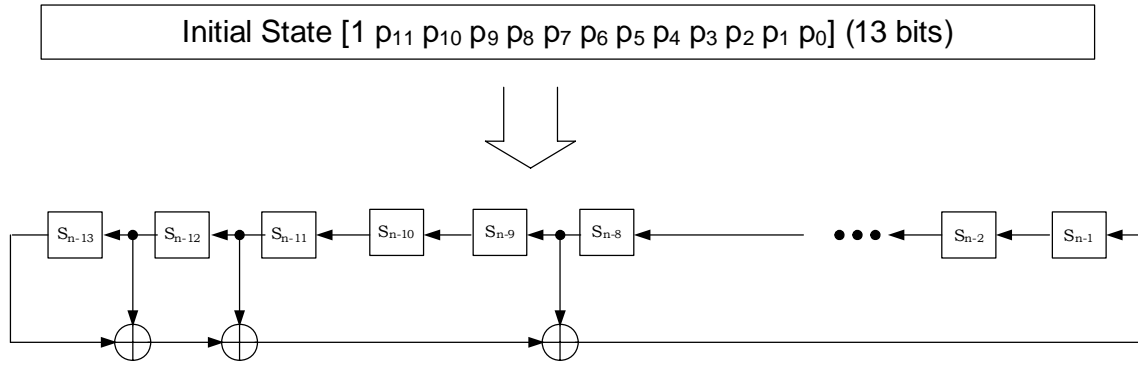
The sector-specific scrambling, cell-specific scrambling and time-domain processing operations, described in 9.3.2.6, 9.3.2.7, and 9.3.2.8, respectively, shall be identical for each of the effective transmit antennas.

### 9.3.2.4 Superframe preamble modulation

The superframe preamble shall consist of  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} = 8$  OFDM symbols, which shall be indexed from 0 through  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} - 1$ . The Common Pilot Channel (F-CPICH) shall be carried on the OFDM symbols with indices 0 and 1. The Primary Broadcast Channel (F-pBCH) shall be carried on the OFDM symbols with indices 0 through 4. The Acquisition Channel (F-ACQCH) shall be carried on the OFDM symbols with indices 5 and 6. Finally, the Other Sector Interference Channel (F-OSICH) shall be carried on the OFDM symbol with index 7.

#### 9.3.2.4.1 Offset<sub>p</sub> definition

A variable  $\text{Offset}_p$  is defined for each carrier and each OFDM symbol in the superframe. This variable shall be determined using a 13-bit PN-register with generator polynomial  $h(D) = 1 + D^8 + D^{11} + D^{12} + D^{13}$ , which is shown in Figure 9-16. For the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k_c$ , the shift-register shall be initialized to the state  $[1 \ p_{11} \ p_{10} \ p_9 \ p_8 \ p_7 \ p_6 \ p_5 \ p_4 \ p_3 \ p_2 \ p_1 \ p_0]$  before the beginning of the superframe. In SemiSynchronous mode, the bits  $p_{11}, p_{10}, p_9, \dots, p_0$  are the 12 bits of the quantity  $(\text{PilotPhase} + k_c) \bmod 4096$ , with  $p_{11}$  being the MSB and  $p_0$  being the LSB. In Asynchronous mode, the bits  $p_{11}, p_{10}, p_9, \dots, p_0$  are the 12 bits of the quantity  $(\text{PilotPN} + k_c) \bmod 4096$ , with  $p_{11}$  being the MSB and  $p_0$  being the LSB.  $\text{Offset}_p$  shall be generated by clocking the shift-register 13 times for every even OFDM symbol in the superframe. More precisely, for the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k_c$  and the OFDM symbol with index  $j$  in the superframe,  $\text{Offset}_p$  shall be chosen to be the value of this register after it has been clocked  $\lfloor j/2 \rfloor * 13$  times. The value of the register shall be read from left to right; i.e., the left-most state shown in Figure 9-16 shall be treated as the MSB and the right-most state shall be treated as the LSB.

Figure 9-16  $\text{Offset}_p$  Determination

### 9.3.2.4.2 F-CPICH

The F-CPICH shall occupy an evenly spaced set of subcarriers in each carrier in the first two OFDM symbols of the superframe preamble. The spacing between neighboring pilot subcarriers for the superframe preamble shall be given by  $D_{p,PR} = 4$ . Let  $\text{Offset}_{p,PR,k}$  be the value of  $\text{Offset}_p$ , as defined in 9.3.2.4.1, for the first two OFDM symbols in the superframe preamble and for the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k$ . For the OFDM symbol with index 0, the subcarrier with index  $i_{sc}$  in this OFDM symbol, where  $i_{sc}$  is such that this subcarrier lies in the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k$ , shall be occupied by the F-CPICH if it is a usable subcarrier and  $i_{sc} \bmod D_{p,PR} = \text{Offset}_{p,PR,k} \bmod D_{p,PR}$ . For the OFDM symbol with index 1, the subcarrier with index  $i_{sc}$  in this OFDM symbol, where  $i_{sc}$  is such that this subcarrier lies in the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k$ , shall be occupied by the F-CPICH if it is a usable subcarrier and  $i_{sc} \bmod D_{p,PR} = (\text{Offset}_{p,PR,k} + D_{p,PR}/2) \bmod D_{p,PR}$ .

Each subcarrier occupied by the F-CPICH shall be modulated with the complex value  $(\sqrt{P}, 0)$ , where  $P$  is the ratio of the power spectral density of the F-CPICH to the power spectral density of the second OFDM symbol in the F-ACQCH. This ratio is given by the PreamblePilotPower field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.

Any subcarrier in the superframe preamble occupied by the F-CPICH will be referred to as a pilot subcarrier.

### 9.3.2.4.3 F-pBCH

The F-pBCH shall be carried on the first five OFDM symbols in the superframe preamble. This channel consists of two sub-channels, namely F-pBCH0 and F-pBCH1.

### 9.3.2.4.3.1 F-pBCH0

One F-pBCH0 packet is transmitted over each carrier. An F-pBCH0 packet in the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k_c$  shall start in every superframe that satisfies  $(\text{PilotPhase} + k_c) \bmod N_{\text{pBCH0\_Period}} = 0$ , and shall be transmitted over a period of 16 superframes. Each F-pBCH0 packet is generated by the CC MAC Protocol and shall be appended with CRC, encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, and modulated using the procedures described in 9.2. A CRC length of  $N_{\text{CRC,pBCH}}$  shall be used for this packet. No data-scrambling operation shall be performed on this packet. QPSK modulation shall be used for all of the modulation symbols. The modulation symbols for the F-pBCH0 packet to be transmitted in the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k_c$  shall be modulated on to OFDM subcarriers using the following procedure:

1. Initialize a superframe counter  $i$  to the superframe index corresponding to the first superframe carrying the F-pBCH0 packet. Initialize a tone counter  $j$  to  $N_{\text{GUARD,PR}}/2$ .
2. If the subcarrier with index  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}k_c + j$  in OFDM symbol index 0 of superframe index  $i$  is not a pilot subcarrier, then a QPSK modulation symbol  $s$  shall be generated using the procedure described in 9.2.6. This modulation symbol shall be modulated with energy  $P$  on the subcarrier with index  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}k_c + j$ , i.e., the value of the subcarrier shall be  $\sqrt{P} s$ . Here,  $P$  is the power density assigned to this packet by the CC MAC Protocol.
3. Increment  $j$ .
4. If  $j = (N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + N_{\text{GUARD,PR}})/4$ , increment  $i$  and set  $j = N_{\text{GUARD,PR}}/2$ .
5. If  $i$  is larger than the superframe index of the last superframe carrying the F-pBCH0 packet, then stop. Otherwise repeat steps 2 through 5.

### 9.3.2.4.3.2 F-pBCH1

One F-pBCH1 packet is transmitted in each carrier in each superframe. Each F-pBCH1 packet is generated by the CC MAC Protocol and shall be appended with CRC, encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, and modulated using the procedures described in 9.2. A CRC length of  $N_{\text{CRC,pBCH}}$  shall be used for this packet. No data-scrambling operation shall be performed on this packet. QPSK modulation shall be used for all of the modulation symbols. The modulation symbols for the F-pBCH1 packet to be transmitted in the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k_c$  in a given superframe shall be modulated on to OFDM subcarriers using the following procedure:

1. At the beginning of the superframe, initialize an OFDM symbol counter  $i$  to 0 and a tone counter  $j$  to  $(N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + N_{\text{GUARD,PR}})/4$ .
2. If the subcarrier with index  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}k_c + j$  in the OFDM symbol with index  $i$  is not a pilot subcarrier, then a QPSK modulation symbol  $s$  shall be generated using the procedure described in 9.2.6. This modulation symbol shall be modulated with energy  $P$  on the subcarrier with index  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}k_c + j$ , i.e., the value of the subcarrier is  $\sqrt{P} s$ . Here,  $P$  is the power density assigned to this packet by the CC MAC Protocol.
3. Increment  $j$ .

4. If  $j = N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} - N_{\text{GUARD\_PR}}/2$  increment  $i$  and set  $j = (N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + N_{\text{GUARD\_PR}})/4$ .

5. If  $i = 5$ , then stop. Else repeat steps 2 through 5.

#### 9.3.2.4.4 F-ACQCH

The Acquisition Channel shall consist of the OFDM symbols with index 5 and 6 in each superframe preamble. In the OFDM symbol with index 5, all usable subcarriers with even-numbered indices shall be modulated with the value  $(\sqrt{2}, 0)$ . All subcarriers with odd-numbered indices shall be unmodulated; i.e., they shall have zero energy. In the OFDM symbol with index 6, all usable subcarriers shall be modulated with the value  $(1, 0)$ .

#### 9.3.2.4.5 F-OSICH

The F-OSICH shall be carried on the last OFDM symbol in each superframe preamble. The F-OSICH carries a three-state quantity  $x$ , taking the values 0, 1, and 2, in each carrier. The value of this quantity for each carrier is determined by the CC MAC Protocol. If  $x = 0$ , all usable subcarriers in the relevant carrier shall be modulated with the value  $(1, 0)$ . If  $x = 1$ , all usable subcarriers in the relevant carrier shall be modulated with the value  $(0, 1)$ . If  $x = 2$ , all usable subcarriers in the relevant carrier shall be modulated with the value  $(-1, 0)$ .

#### 9.3.2.5 FL PHY Frame modulation

The superframe preamble shall be followed by a sequence of FL PHY Frames, each of which has an associated FL PHY Frame index, as described in 9.3.2.1. Each FL PHY Frame shall consist of  $N_{\text{FRAME\_F}}$  OFDM symbols, and its structure shall be as specified in Figure 9-14 (SymbolRateHopping mode) and Figure 9-15 (BlockHopping mode). Each carrier in each OFDM symbol in a FL PHY Frame consists of  $Q_{\text{SDMA}} N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  hop-ports, numbered from 0 through  $Q_{\text{SDMA}} N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} - 1$ , as described in 9.3.2.2.5. The set of hop-ports in each carrier is mapped to the set of subcarriers in this carrier through the hop-permutation.

##### 9.3.2.5.1 Hopping sequence generation

The hop-permutation is used to map the set of hop-ports to the set of subcarriers. The hopping sequence will be described separately for SymbolRateHopping and BlockHopping modes.

In SymbolRateHopping mode, a new pseudorandom hop-permutation is generated every two OFDM symbols.

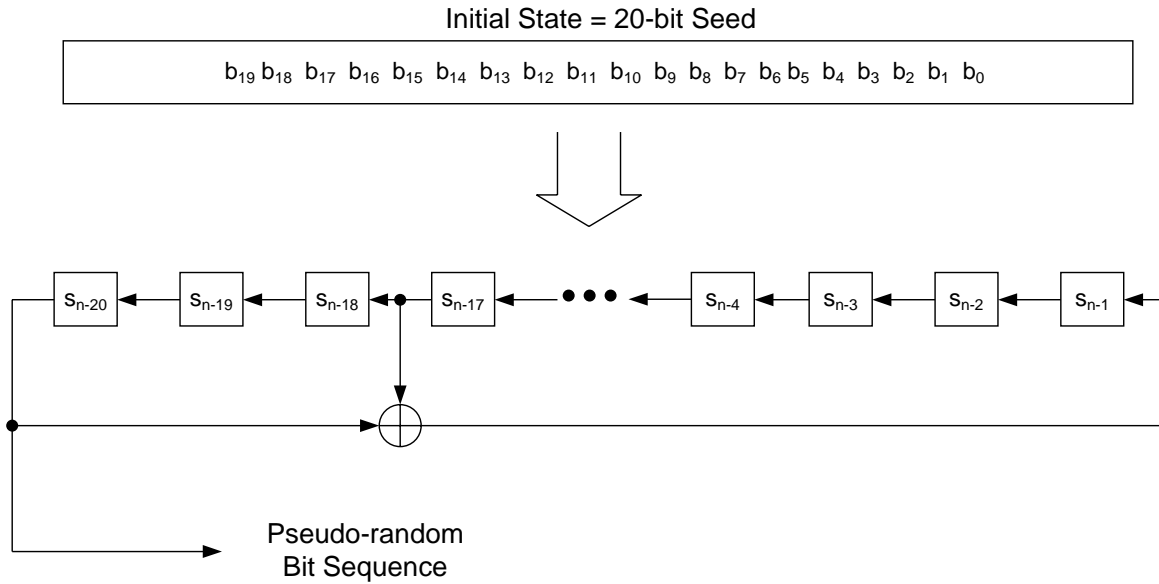
In BlockHopping mode, the set of non-guard hop-ports is divided into groups of  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  consecutive hop-ports, each of which is denoted as a block. The hop-permutation will map a block of hop-ports to a group of subcarriers with consecutive indices. This group of subcarriers will also be referred to as a block. Furthermore, the hop-permutation will remain constant for the duration of the FL PHY Frame. In this design, therefore, a group of hop-ports spanning a FL PHY Frame worth of OFDM symbols in time and  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  hop-ports in hop-port space are mapped to neighboring tones in the time-frequency grid. This group of  $N_{\text{BLOCK}} N_{\text{FRAME\_F}}$  hop-ports shall be referred to as a tile.



### 9.3.2.5.1.1 Common permutation generation algorithm

All permutations used for FL hopping shall be generated using a common permutation generation algorithm. The algorithm takes a 20-bit seed and a permutation size  $M$  as inputs and outputs a permutation of the set  $\{0, 1, \dots, M-1\}$ . The algorithm uses a linear feedback shift register to generate pseudorandom numbers, which in turn are used to generate pseudorandom permutations.

The 20-tap linear feedback shift register shall have a generator sequence of  $h(D) = 1 + D^{17} + D^{20}$ , as shown in Figure 9-17. The  $j$ 'th output  $s(j)$  of this shift register shall satisfy  $s(j) = s(j-17) \oplus s(j-20)$ . The initial state of the register shall generate the first output bit. A pseudorandom number  $x$  in  $\{0, 1, \dots, 2^n-1\}$  for any  $n < 17$  can be generated by clocking the register  $n$  times, with the initial output bit being the LSB of  $x$  and the final ( $n$ 'th) output bit being the MSB of  $x$ .



**Figure 9-17 PN Register for generating pseudorandom bits**

The common permutation generation algorithm shall generate a permutation of size  $M$  as follows:

1. Initialization Steps:
  - a. Let  $n$  be the smallest integer such that  $M \leq 2^n$ .
  - b. Initialize an array  $A$  of size  $M$  with the numbers  $0, 1, 2, \dots, M-1$  (i.e.,  $A[0]=0, A[1]=1, \dots, A[M-1]=M-1$ ).
  - c. Initialize the PN register with the 20-bit seed.
  - d. Initialize counter  $i$  to  $M-1$ .
2. Repeat the following steps until  $i=0$ .
  - a. Find the smallest  $p$  such that  $i < 2^p$ .

- b. Initialize counter  $j$  to 0 and an output  $x$  to  $i+1$ .
- c. Repeat the following steps until  $j=3$  or until  $x \leq i$ .
  - i. Clock the PN register  $n$  times to obtain an  $n$ -bit pseudorandom number. Set  $x$  to be the  $p$  LSBs of that number.
  - ii. Increment  $j$  by 1.
- d. If  $x > i$ , set  $x = x-i$ .
- e. Swap the  $i$ 'th and the  $x$ 'th elements in the array  $A$  (i.e.,  $\text{tmp} = A[x]$ ,  $A[x] = A[i]$ ,  $A[i] = \text{tmp}$ .)
- f. Decrement counter  $i$  by 1.

The resulting array  $A$  is the output permutation  $P$  i.e.,  $P(x)$  is the location of  $x$  in array  $A$ . For example, if  $A$  reads 345201, then  $P(0)=4$ ,  $P(1)=5$ ,  $P(2)=3$ ,  $P(3)=0$ ,  $P(4)=1$ , and  $P(5)=2$ .

### 9.3.2.5.1.2 FL Hop Permutation Generation

FL Hop Permutation Generation is described in this section for both MultiCarrierOff and MultiCarrierOn modes. In MultiCarrierOff mode, the hop permutation depends on several parameters which are obtained from the Overhead Messages Protocol. In MultiCarrierOn mode, the hop permutation on carrier  $c$ , where  $c$  is in  $\{0, 1, \dots, N_{\text{CARRIERS}}-1\}$  depends on several parameters obtained from the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . These parameters may vary from carrier to carrier.<sup>37</sup>

Space Division Multiple Access (SDMA) is supported on the Forward Link. There are a total of  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  hop-ports on carrier  $c$ , which are mapped to the  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  subcarriers corresponding to carrier  $c$ . Here  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  is equal to  $\text{FLNumSDMADimensions}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . The set of hop ports shall be divided into  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  groups, each of which has  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  hop-ports and shall be referred to as an SDMA sub-tree<sup>38</sup>. The sub-trees shall be numbered  $\{0, 1, \dots, Q-1\}$  where  $Q = Q_{\text{SDMA}}$ . The hop port with index  $p$ <sup>39</sup> shall belong to sub-tree with index  $q$ , where  $q = \lfloor p / N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} \rfloor$ . Note that hop-ports in different SDMA sub-trees can get mapped to the same subcarrier.

The set of  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  hop-ports in each carrier in each SDMA sub-tree is divided into  $S$  subbands, where  $S$  shall be determined by  $\text{FLNumSubbands}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . The subbands shall be numbered  $\{0, 1, \dots, S-1\}$  and each subband

<sup>37</sup> A parameter that can vary from carrier to carrier should be indexed by the carrier index  $c$ . However, for convenience of notation, the index  $c$  is dropped and the parameter is assumed to correspond to the carrier of interest. For example,  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  should be interpreted as  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}(c)$  when generating the hop permutation for hop-ports in carrier  $c$ , and should be obtained from the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ .

<sup>38</sup> The term “sub-tree” is used since the  $Q_{\text{SDMA}} N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  hop-ports are part of a “channel tree” defined by the FTC MAC protocol.

<sup>39</sup> Here “hop-port  $p$ ” should be interpreted as “hop-port  $p$  on carrier  $c$ .” The phrase “on carrier  $c$ ” will be omitted for convenience of notation.

shall have  $N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$  hop-ports, where  $N_{\text{SUBBAND}} = N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} / S$ . The hop-port with index  $p$  shall belong to subband with index  $s$ , where  $s = \lfloor (p \bmod N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}) / N_{\text{SUBBAND}} \rfloor$ .

Furthermore, as mentioned previously, the forward link may implement block hopping. For this reason, the set of  $N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$  hop-ports in each subband is divided into a number of blocks<sup>40</sup>, each of which has  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  hop-ports. The blocks shall be numbered  $\{0, 1, \dots, B-1\}$  where  $B = N_{\text{SUBBAND}} / N_{\text{BLOCK}}$ . The hop-port with index  $p$  shall belong to block with index  $b$ , where  $b = \lfloor (p \bmod N_{\text{SUBBAND}}) / N_{\text{BLOCK}} \rfloor$ . The index of the hop port  $p$  within the block which it belongs to shall be denoted as  $r$ , where  $r = p \bmod N_{\text{BLOCK}}$ . Thus, there is a one-to-one correspondence between hop-port  $p$  and the tuple  $(c, q, s, b, r)$ . For the rest of this document, the two notations are used interchangeably and “hop-port  $(c, q, s, b, r)$ ” shall be used to refer to hop-port  $p$  on carrier  $c$ , where  $p = qN_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + sN_{\text{SUBBAND}} + bN_{\text{BLOCK}} + r$ .

The hop-ports within each subband shall be divided into two groups: non-guard hop-ports and guard hop-ports. The guard hop-ports shall be mapped to either the guard subcarriers or the quasi-guard subcarriers. The individual elements of this mapping are not specified since these hop-ports shall not be modulated.

In BlockHopping mode, a hop-port  $(c, q, s, b, r)$  shall be mapped to a guard subcarrier or a quasi-guard subcarrier either if:<sup>41</sup>

$$b > B - 1 - \left\lfloor \frac{N_{\text{GUARD}} / N_{\text{BLOCK}}}{S} \right\rfloor$$

or if:

$$b = B - 1 - \left\lfloor \frac{N_{\text{GUARD}} / N_{\text{BLOCK}}}{S} \right\rfloor \text{ and } \left\lfloor \frac{S}{2} - \frac{1}{4} - s \right\rfloor > \frac{S - [(N_{\text{GUARD}} / N_{\text{BLOCK}}) \bmod S]}{2}$$

The set of guard hop-ports hop ports in SymbolRateHopping mode shall be identical to the set of guard hop-ports in BlockHopping mode. In other words, a hop port  $p$  on carrier  $c$  shall be mapped to a guard or a quasi-guard subcarrier when its equivalent representation  $(c, q, s, b, r)$  using the value of  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  in BlockHopping mode satisfies the above equations.<sup>42</sup>

<sup>40</sup> In SymbolRateHopping mode, contiguous hop-ports are not mapped to contiguous subcarriers. However, the term “block” can still be used if individual hop-ports and subcarriers are thought of as blocks of size 1.

<sup>41</sup> The idea behind these equations is that all subbands have approximately the same number of non-guard hop-ports. When  $(N_{\text{GUARD}} / N_{\text{BLOCK}})$  is a multiple of  $S$ , the first equation ensures that the highest numbered blocks in each subband are mapped to the guard subcarriers. In an asymmetric situation when  $(N_{\text{GUARD}} / N_{\text{BLOCK}})$  is not a multiple of  $S$ , the second equation ensures that the subbands most distant from the center of the carrier have one additional guard hop-port block.

<sup>42</sup> Note that the representation of a hop-port  $p$  as  $(c, q, s, b, r)$  is different for SymbolRateHopping and BlockHopping modes since the value of  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  is different. Strictly speaking, a hop-port  $p$  can be represented as  $(c, q, s, b_{\text{SRH}}, r_{\text{SRH}})$  using the value of  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  in SymbolRateHopping mode and as  $(c, q, s, b_{\text{BH}}, r_{\text{BH}})$  using the value of  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  in BlockHopping mode. For the purpose of computing guard hop-ports,  $(c, q, s, b_{\text{BH}}, r_{\text{BH}})$  is

The hop-ports that are not guard hop-ports shall be referred to as non-guard hop-ports. Note that hop-ports in a block are either all guard hop-ports or all non-guard hop-ports. A hop-port block consisting of only non-guard hop-ports shall be referred to as a non-guard hop-port block. The number of non-guard hop-port blocks in subband  $s$  shall be denoted as  $B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(s)$ . Note that  $B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(s) \leq B$  and a hop-port  $(c, q, s, b, r)$  is non-guard if  $0 \leq b \leq B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(s) - 1$ .

Furthermore, some non-guard hop-ports may be allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment (as described in 9.3.2.5.1.2.1) in any given interlace. The non-guard hop-ports not allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment in a given interlace shall be referred to as usable hop-ports<sup>43</sup> for that interlace.

Let  $H^{ijt}(c, q, s, b, r)$  denote the subcarrier allocated to non-guard hop-port  $(c, q, s, b, r)$  in the OFDM Symbol with index  $t$  in FL PHY Frame  $j$  in superframe  $i$ .  $H^{ijt}$  is referred to as the hop permutation and shall be given by the following equation:

$$H^{ijt}(c, q, s, b, r) = cN_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + \frac{N_{\text{GUARD}}}{2} + N_{\text{BLOCK}} H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ijt}(c, q, s, H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{ijt}(c, q, s, b)) + r$$

Here  $H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{ijt}(c, q, s, b)$  is a permutation of non-guard hop-port blocks  $b$  in the SDMA sub-tree  $q$ , carrier  $c$  and subband  $s$ . The generation of this permutation is described in 9.3.2.5.1.2.4.

$H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ijt}(c, q, s, b')$  is a permutation of all non-guard hop-port blocks in all subbands in carrier  $c$  and SDMA sub-tree  $q$ . The generation of  $H^{ijt}$  is different for different values of FL Diversity Hopping Mode, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . The generation of this permutation is described in 9.3.2.5.1.2.2 and 9.3.2.5.1.2.3.

#### 9.3.2.5.1.2.1 ReservedFLBandwidth Segment

In some FL PHY Frames, a certain set of subbands may be reserved for other uses and therefore shall not be modulated. This set of subbands is known as the ReservedFLBandwidth segment. The number of subbands allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment on a given carrier in a given FL PHY Frame depends only on the interlace index of the FL PHY Frame. The interlace index of PHY Frame  $j$  in superframe  $i$  shall be equal to  $(iN_{\text{FL-PHY-FRAMES-IN-SUPERFRAME}} + j) \bmod N_{\text{INTERLACES}}$ , where  $N_{\text{FL-INTERLACES}}$  is the number of FL interlaces as specified by the lower MAC sublayer and  $N_{\text{FL-PHY-FRAMES-IN-SUPERFRAME}}$  is equal to  $N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}}$  in FDD mode and  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}}$  in TDD mode. The set of interlaces in which the ReservedFLBandwidth segment shall be present is specified by FLReservedInterlaces, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . The number of subbands allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment in these interlaces shall be denoted as  $N_{\text{RESERVED-SUBBANDS}}$ , which shall be equal to NumFLReservedSubbands, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ .

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used in both SymbolRateHopping and BlockHopping modes. For all other purposes, the notation  $(c, q, s, b, r)$  will refer to  $(c, q, s, b_{\text{SRH}}, r_{\text{SRH}})$  in SymbolRateHopping mode and to  $(c, q, s, b_{\text{BH}}, r_{\text{BH}})$  in BlockHopping mode.

<sup>43</sup> Note that “usable hop-ports” refer to hop-ports that can be used by the data segment. Some hop-ports which are not usable are actually used by the ReservedFLBandwidth segment. Contrast this with the definition of “usable subcarriers,” which are defined as subcarriers that can be used either by the data segment or ReservedFLBandwidth segment.

A subband  $s$  in carrier  $c$  shall be allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment if it satisfies the following condition

$$s > S - 1 - N_{\text{RESERVED-SUBBANDS}}$$

Let  $S_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}$  be the subband with the lowest index allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment in carrier  $c$ . (When  $N_{\text{RESERVED-SUBBANDS}} = 0$ ,  $S_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}$  shall be set to  $S$ .) Thus all non-guard hop-ports in subbands  $\{S_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}, S_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}} + 1, \dots, S - 1\}$  shall be allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment. The number of hop-port-blocks allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment in carrier  $c$  equals  $N_{\text{RESERVED-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$ , where

$$N_{\text{RESERVED-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}} = \sum_{k=0}^{N_{\text{RESERVED-SUBBANDS}}-1} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(S_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}} + k).$$

The contiguous set of  $N_{\text{BLOCK}} N_{\text{RESERVED-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$  subcarriers indexed  $f_{\text{MIN-RESERVED}}$  to  $(f_{\text{MIN-RESERVED}} + N_{\text{BLOCK}} N_{\text{RESERVED-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}} - 1)$  shall be allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment, where

$$f_{\text{MIN-RESERVED}} = cN_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + \frac{N_{\text{GUARD}}}{2} + N_{\text{BLOCK}} \sum_{k=0}^{S_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}-1} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k)$$

These subcarriers shall not be modulated i.e., zero power shall be transmitted on them.

#### 9.3.2.5.1.2.2 Generation of $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{\text{ijt}}$ when FLDiversityHoppingMode is off

When FLDiversityHoppingMode is off<sup>44</sup>, the permutation  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{\text{ijt}}(c, q, s, b)$  shall be given by

$$H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{\text{ijt}}(c, q, s, b) = \left[ \sum_{k < s} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k) \right] + b$$

where  $B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k)$  is the number of non-guard hop-port blocks in subband  $k$ .

#### 9.3.2.5.1.2.3 Generation of $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{\text{ijt}}$ when FLDiversityHoppingMode is on

When FLDiversityHoppingMode is on,  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{\text{ijt}}(c, q, s, b)$  is a permutation of the non-guard-hop-port blocks in all subbands in carrier  $c$  of SDMA sub-tree  $q$ . The generation of  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{\text{ijt}}$  will be different for different values of FLSectorHopSeed, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol on carrier  $c$ .  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{\text{ijt}}$  shall be generated as follows:

1. Set  $\alpha = 0$  in BlockHoppingMode and  $\alpha = \lfloor t / 2 \rfloor$  in SymbolRateHoppingMode.

<sup>44</sup> When FLDiversityHoppingMode is off, the subbands are not permuted. Therefore the hop permutation only permutes the different blocks within each subband.

2. When FLSectorHopSeed has a value not equal to 1111 (in binary notation), set  $TMP = [(\alpha * 16 * 4 * 64 * 4096 + \text{FLSectorHopSeed} * 4 * 64 * 4096 + c * 64 * 4096 + j * 4096 + (i \bmod 4096)) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ .
3. When FLSectorHopSeed is equal to 1111 (in binary notation), set  $TMP = [(\alpha * 16 * 4 * 64 * 4096 + \text{FLSectorHopSeed} * 4 * 64 * 4096 + c * 64 * 4096 + j * 4096 + P_{\text{SECTOR}}) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ , where the 12-bit quantity  $P_{\text{SECTOR}}$  shall be computed as described in 9.3.2.5.1.2.4.
4. Set  $SEED_{\text{GLOBAL}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of  $TMP$  in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $SEED_{\text{GLOBAL}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(TMP)] \bmod 2^{20}$ .
5. Determine  $S_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}$  and  $N_{\text{RESERVED-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$  for carrier  $c$  as described in 9.3.2.5.1.2.1. Determine  $B_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}$ , where
 
$$B_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}} = \sum_{k=0}^{S_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}-1} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k)$$
6. Generate a permutation  $\pi$  of size  $B_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}$  using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.3.2.5.1.1 with seed  $SEED_{\text{GLOBAL}}$ .
7.  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{\text{jit}}(c, q, s, b) = P(\beta)^{45}$ , where  $\beta = b + \sum_{k=0}^{s-1} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k)$  and
  - a. If  $\beta \geq B_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}$  then  $P(\beta) = \beta$ .
  - b. If  $\beta < B_{\text{MIN-RESERVED-SUBBAND}}$ , then  $P(\beta) = \pi(\beta)$

#### 9.3.2.5.1.2.4 Generation of $H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{\text{jit}}$

$H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{\text{jit}}(c, q, s, .)$  is a permutation of the non-guard hop-port blocks in subband  $s$  of carrier  $c$  of SDMA sub-tree  $q$ . The generation of  $H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{\text{jit}}$  will be different for different values of FLIntraCellCommonHopping, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol on carrier  $c$ .<sup>46</sup>

The PilotPN of the sector of interest is XORed bitwise with the 12 LSBs of the superframe index  $i$  to obtain a 12-bit number  $[b_{11} b_{10} b_9 b_8 b_7 b_6 b_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0]$  denoted as  $P_{\text{off}}$ . The 12-bit number  $[b_{11} b_{10} b_9 b_8 i_7 i_6 i_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0]$ , where  $i_7 i_6 i_5$  are the bits with indices 7, 6 and 5 respectively in the superframe index  $i$ , is denoted as  $P_{\text{on}}$ . The permutation shall be generated as follows:

1. If FLIntraCellCommonHopping is off, set  $P_{\text{SECTOR}} = P_{\text{off}}$ . Otherwise, set  $P_{\text{SECTOR}} = P_{\text{on}}$ .

<sup>45</sup>  $P(\beta)$  first maps the hop port blocks allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment to a contiguous set of subcarriers. The non-ReservedFLBandwidth hop port blocks are then assigned to the non-ReservedFLBandwidth subcarriers using a pseudo-random permutation  $\pi(.)$

<sup>46</sup> When FLIntraCellCommonHopping is off, two sectors with different values of PilotPN have different hopping sequences. When FLIntraCellCommonHopping is on, sectors within the same cell have the same hopping sequences. For proper use of this mode, the operator should ensure that the PilotPNs of two sectors in the same cell differ only in the bits indexed 5, 6, and 7.

2. Set  $\alpha = 0$  in BlockHoppingMode and  $\alpha = \lfloor t/2 \rfloor$  in SymbolRateHoppingMode.
3. Find  $\text{TMP} = [(\alpha * 4 * 16 * 64 * 4096 + c * 16 * 64 * 4096 + s * 64 * 4096 + j * 4096 + P_{\text{SECTOR}}) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ . Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{SECTOR}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of TMP in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{SECTOR}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ .
4.  $H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{\text{jit}}(c, q, s, .)$  is the permutation of size  $B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(s)$  generated using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.3.2.5.1.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{SECTOR}}$ .

### 9.3.2.5.2 Pilot channels

The pilot channels consist of the Common Pilot Channel (F-CPICH), the Auxiliary Pilot Channel (F-AuxPICH), and the Dedicated Pilot Channel (F-DPICH). A subcarrier occupied by the F-CPICH or the F-AuxPICH will be referred to as a pilot subcarrier. A hop-port occupied by the F-DPICH will be referred to as a DPICH hop-port.<sup>47</sup>

In SymbolRateHopping Mode, all the SISO channels shall be transmitted such that the F-CPICH can be used as an amplitude and phase reference for demodulating these channels. F-DCH transmissions in MIMO and STTD modes shall be such that the F-CPICH and F-AuxPICH can together be used as an amplitude and phase reference for demodulating this channel.

In BlockHopping Mode, all channels in a FL PHY Frame except the F-CPICH (namely the F-DPICH, the F-SSCH and the F-DCH) are transmitted using tile-antennas, where a tile-antenna is as defined in 9.3.2.3. These channels shall be transmitted in such a manner that the F-DPICH in each tile (where a tile is as defined in 9.3.2.5.1) can be used as an amplitude and phase reference for the modulation symbols (of the F-SSCH and the F-DCH) within that tile. Note that different precoding matrices may be used to construct the tile-antennas in different tiles, and hence the F-DPICH symbols in one tile shall not be used as an amplitude or phase reference for demodulating modulation symbols in another tile. The F-CPICH modulation in BlockHopping mode is described using effective antennas instead of tile-antennas.

Modulation of all physical layers in SymbolRateHopping mode is described using effective antennas. Tile-antennas are not used in this mode.

#### 9.3.2.5.2.1 F-CPICH

##### 9.3.2.5.2.1.1 SymbolRateHopping mode

In SymbolRateHopping mode, the Common Pilot Channel (F-CPICH) shall be present in every OFDM symbol of every FL PHY Frame. The set of subcarriers occupied by the F-CPICH shall be spaced evenly in each carrier. This section describes the F-CPICH modulation procedure for a single carrier, and this procedure shall be repeated across all carriers if  $N_{\text{CARRIERS}} > 1$ .

<sup>47</sup> “Pilot subcarriers” and “DPICH hop-ports” are defined separately because F-CPICH and F-AuxPICH modulation is defined in the subcarrier domain, whereas F-DPICH modulation is defined in the hop-port domain.

The F-CPICH configuration is specified in terms of the following quantities, each of which can take a different value for each carrier if  $N_{\text{CARRIERS}} > 1$ .

1.  $N_p$ : This is the nominal number of pilot subcarriers in each OFDM symbol in the carrier of interest.<sup>48</sup> The value of  $N_p$  is given by the NumPilots field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.
2.  $D_p$ : This is the spacing between neighboring pilot subcarriers, and is given by  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/N_p$ .
3.  $\text{Offset}_p$ : This is defined using the procedure described in 9.3.2.4.1.
4.  $N_t$ : This is the number of transmit antennas, given by the EffectiveNumAntennas field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.
5.  $N_{t,\text{CP}}$ : This is the number of transmit antennas to be multiplexed on the F-CPICH. This is given by the NumCommonPilotTransmitAntennas field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.

For each OFDM symbol in an FL PHY Frame, let  $j$  be the index of the OFDM symbol within the superframe (starting with index 0). The subcarrier with index  $i_{\text{sc}}$  in this OFDM symbol, where  $i_{\text{sc}}$  is such that this subcarrier lies in the carrier of interest, shall be occupied by the F-CPICH if it is a usable subcarrier, if it is not allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment, and if one of the following two conditions is satisfied:

- $j$  is even and  $i_{\text{sc}} \bmod D_p = \text{Offset}_p \bmod D_p$ .
- $j$  is odd and  $i_{\text{sc}} \bmod D_p = (\text{Offset}_p + D_p/2) \bmod D_p$ .

Here, the ReservedFLBandwidth segment and the subcarriers allocated to it are as defined in 9.3.2.5.1.2.1.

Each subcarrier occupied by the F-CPICH shall be modulated with the complex value  $(\sqrt{P}, 0)$  on only one of the  $N_t$  transmit antennas. No power shall be transmitted from the remaining antennas on these subcarriers. Here,  $P$  is the ratio of the power spectral density of the F-CPICH to the power spectral density of the second OFDM symbol in the F-ACQCH. This ratio is given by the CommonPilotPower field, which is public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The antenna index used to transmit an F-CPICH subcarrier in OFDM symbol  $j$  in the carrier of interest, denoted by  $\text{ant}_j$ , is given by the following procedure :

1. If EnableCommonPilotStaggering is set to 0, then  $\text{ant}_j = j \bmod N_{t,\text{CP}}$ .
2. If EnableCommonPilotStaggering is set to 1, then  $\text{ant}_j = \lfloor j/2 \rfloor \bmod N_{t,\text{CP}}$ .

Here EnableCommonPilotStaggering is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.

<sup>48</sup> The actual number of pilot subcarriers may be different due to the presence of guard subcarriers.



### 9.3.2.5.2.1.2 BlockHopping mode

In BlockHopping mode, the Common Pilot Channel (F-CPICH) shall be present in the OFDM symbols with indices 2 and 3 (where the indexing within the FL PHY Frame starts from 0) of some of the FL PHY Frames. In FDD mode, an FL PHY Frame with index  $j$  within the superframe with index  $i$  shall carry the F-CPICH if the RL PHY Frame with index  $j+2$  within the superframe with index  $i$  contains a Control Segment. In TDD mode, for each RL PHY Frame with index  $j$  within the superframe with index  $i$  containing a Control Segment, the FL PHY Frame with index  $j'$  within the superframe with index  $i'$  shall carry the F-CPICH, where  $i'$  and  $j'$  are computed as follows:

1. Define  $k = i * N_{TDD,RLPHYFrames} + j$ .
2. Define  $k' = \left( \left\lfloor k / N_{RL\_BURST} \right\rfloor + 1 \right) N_{FL\_BURST} - 2$ .
3. Define  $i' = \left\lfloor k' / N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames} \right\rfloor$  and  $j' = k' \bmod N_{TDD,FLPHYFrames}$ .

RL PHY Frame indexing and RL PHY Frame indices containing a control segment are as defined in 9.4.1.1 and 9.4.1.2.5.

This section describes the F-CPICH modulation procedure for a single carrier, and this procedure shall be repeated across all carriers if  $N_{CARRIERS} > 1$ .

The F-CPICH transmission from each transmit antenna consists of a set of evenly spaced subcarriers in each carrier, with a spacing of  $D_p = 16$ . Let  $N_t$  be the number of antennas in the carrier of interest.  $N_t$  is given by the EffectiveNumAntennas field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. ( $N_t$  can take a different value for each carrier.) The antenna with index  $k$ ,  $0 \leq k < N_t$ , is associated with two numbers  $a_k$  and  $b_k$ , which are as defined in columns 2 and 3 respectively of Table 9-6. A subcarrier with index  $i_{sc}$ , where  $i_{sc}$  is such that this subcarrier belongs to the carrier of interest, is used to transmit the F-CPICH from antenna  $k$  if it is a usable subcarrier, if it is not allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment, and if it satisfies the following condition:

- In the OFDM symbol with index 2 in the FL PHY Frame,  $i_{sc}$  satisfies  $i_{sc} \bmod D_p = a_k$ .
- In the OFDM symbol with index 3 in the FL PHY Frame,  $i_{sc}$  satisfies  $i_{sc} \bmod D_p = b_k$ .

Here, the ReservedFLBandwidth segment and the subcarriers allocated to it are as defined in 9.3.2.5.1.2.1.

Each subcarrier occupied by the F-CPICH shall be modulated on the appropriate antenna with the complex value  $(\sqrt{P}, 0)$ , where  $P$  is the ratio of the power spectral density of the F-CPICH to the power spectral density of the second OFDM symbol in the F-ACQCH. This ratio is given by the CommonPilotPower field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. No power is transmitted on the remaining antennas on this subcarrier.

**Table 9-6 Values of the parameters  $a_k$  and  $b_k$ <sup>49</sup>**

Antenna Index	Frequency Interlace in OFDM Symbol 0 ( $a_k$ )	Frequency Interlace in OFDM Symbol 1 ( $b_k$ )
0	0	7
1	2	9
2	3	10
3	4	11
4	5	12
5	6	13
6	7	14
7	9	2

**9.3.2.5.2.2 F-AuxPICH**

The F-AuxPICH shall not be present in BlockHoppingMode. In SymbolRateHopping mode, the Auxiliary Pilot Channel (F-AuxPICH) shall be present in every OFDM symbol of every FL PHY Frame. The set of subcarriers occupied by the F-AuxPICH shall be spaced evenly in each carrier. This section describes the F-AuxPICH modulation procedure for a single carrier, and this procedure shall be repeated across all carriers if  $N_{\text{CARRIERS}} > 1$ .

The F-AuxPICH configuration is specified in terms of the following quantities, each of which can take a different value for each carrier if  $N_{\text{CARRIERS}} > 1$ .

1.  $N_p$ : This is the nominal number of pilot subcarriers in each OFDM symbol in the carrier or interest. The value of  $N_p$  is given by NumPilots, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.
2.  $D_p$ : This is the spacing between neighboring pilot subcarriers, and is given by  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}/N_p$ .
3.  $\text{Offset}_p$ : This is defined using the procedure described in 9.3.2.4.1.
4.  $N_t$ : This is the number of transmit antennas, given by the EffectiveNumAntennas field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.
5.  $N_{t,\text{CP}}$ : This is the number of transmit antennas to be multiplexed on the F-CPICH. This is given by the NumCommonPilotTransmitAntennas field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.
6.  $N_{t,\text{Aux}}$ : This is given by  $N_t - N_{t,\text{CP}}$ .

<sup>49</sup> The values of  $a_k$  and  $b_k$  are chosen so that the F-CPICH in BlockHopping mode does not collide with the F-DPICH.

For each OFDM symbol in a FL PHY Frame, let  $j$  be the index of the OFDM symbol within the superframe (starting with index 0). The subcarrier with index  $i_{sc}$  in this OFDM symbol, where  $i_{sc}$  is such that this subcarrier lies in the carrier of interest, shall be occupied by the F-CPICH if it is a usable subcarrier, if it is not allocated to the ReservedFLBandwidth segment, if  $N_{t,Aux} > 0$  for this carrier, and if one of the following two conditions is satisfied:

- $j$  is odd and  $i_{sc} \bmod D_p = \text{Offset}_p \bmod D_p$ .
- $j$  is even and  $i_{sc} \bmod D_p = (\text{Offset}_p + D_p/2) \bmod D_p$ .

Each subcarrier occupied by the F-AuxPICH shall be modulated with the complex value  $(\sqrt{P}, 0)$  on only one of the  $N_t$  transmit antennas. No power shall be transmitted from the remaining antennas on these subcarriers. Here,  $P$  is the ratio of the power spectral density of the F-AuxPICH to the power spectral density of the second OFDM symbol in the F-ACQCH. This ratio is given by the AuxPilotPower field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The antenna index used to transmit an F-AuxPICH subcarrier in OFDM symbol  $j$  in the carrier of interest, denoted by  $\text{ant}_j$ , is given by the following procedure:

1. If EnableAuxPilotStaggering is set to 0, then  $\text{ant}_j = (j \bmod N_{t,Aux}) + N_{t,CP}$ .
2. If EnableAuxPilotStaggering is set to 1, then  $\text{ant}_j = (\lfloor j/2 \rfloor \bmod N_{t,Aux}) + N_{t,CP}$ .

Here, EnableAuxPilotStaggering is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The ReservedFLBandwidth segment and the subcarriers allocated to it are as defined in 9.3.2.5.1.2.1.

### 9.3.2.5.2.3 F-DPICH

The Dedicated Pilot Channel (F-DPICH) shall be present in the BlockHopping mode only. The modulation of this channel is described for a single tile, where a tile is as described in 9.3.2.5.1. The modulation procedure shall then be repeated for each such tile in each FL PHY Frame. If multiple tiles are mapped to the same set of subcarriers, the F-DPICH waveforms corresponding to these tiles shall be superimposed.

Each tile in each FL PHY Frame is assigned either to the F-SSCH or the F-DCH by the appropriate MAC protocol (SS MAC in the case of SSCH and FTC MAC in the case of the F-DCH), or is not assigned to any channel. The configuration of the F-DPICH is determined by which of these channels this tile is assigned to and the configuration of this channel. If this tile is not assigned to either the F-SSCH or the F-DCH, then no F-DPICH symbols shall be transmitted in this tile.

The F-DPICH configuration in each tile consists of the following parameters:

1. The number of tile-antennas  $n_t$  using which it is transmitted: This shall be equal to 1 if this tile is assigned to the F-SSCH. If this tile is assigned to the F-DCH,  $n_t$  shall be equal to the number of tile-antennas used for transmitting the F-DCH over this tile.
2. The energy per modulation symbol per tile-antenna: All the F-DPICH modulation symbols in a given tile shall have the same energy from a given tile-antenna (this energy may be different for different tile-antennas). The F-DPICH power density over a tile is not specified if this tile is assigned to the F-SSCH. If the tile is assigned to the F-DCH, the energy of each F-DPICH modulation symbol on a given tile-antenna shall be equal to

the power density assigned to the F-DCH on that tile for that tile-antenna by the FTC MAC protocol.

3. F-DPICH format: The F-DPICH in a tile can have three different formats, labeled Format 0, Format 1 and Format 2. Format 0 shall always be used for tiles assigned to the F-SSCH. For F-DCH tiles, the F-DPICH format to be used is determined by the FTC MAC protocol, with the following constraints:
  - a. Format 0 is defined only for tiles that are transmitted over up-to 3 antennas, i.e.,  $n_t \leq 3$ .
  - b. Format 1 is defined only for tiles that are transmitted over up-to 2 antennas, i.e.,  $n_t \leq 2$ .
4. FLDPISectorOffset: This is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol, and takes on integer values between 0 and 3. The value used shall correspond to the carrier containing the tile of interest.
5. FLDPIUserOffset: This is an integer that depends on the hop-ports contained in the tile of interest. Let  $p_{\min}$  be the smallest hop-port index (within the carrier) contained in the tile of interest. FLDPIUserOffset is then given by  $\lfloor p_{\min} / N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} \rfloor$ .

In order to aid the description of the F-DPICH formats, the hop-ports in each tile are numbered from 0 to  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}-1$  in increasing order, and the OFDM symbols in each tile from 0 to  $N_{\text{FRAME},F}-1$  in increasing order.

#### 9.3.2.5.2.3.1 F-DPICH format 0

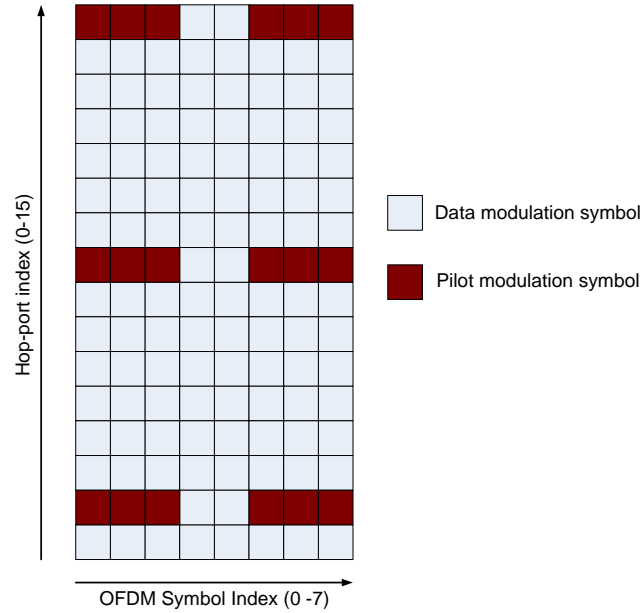
In this format, the F-DPICH occupies 18 modulation symbols in each tile in each FL PHY Frame. In this format, a hop-port with index  $i_{\text{hp}}$  of the OFDM symbol with index  $t$  (both measured within the tile) is occupied by the F-DPICH if  $i$  is in the set  $\{1, 8, 15\}$  and if  $t$  is in the set  $\{0, 1, 2, 5, 6, 7\}$ . The set of hop-ports occupied by the F-DPICH for this format is illustrated in Figure 9-18.

The complex value of the F-DPICH modulation symbol at this location on the tile-antenna with index  $k$  is given by

$$S_{i_{\text{hp}},t,k} = \sqrt{P} \exp\left(\frac{j2\pi}{3}(k + \text{FLDPISectorOffset} + \text{FLDPIUserOffset})t\right) \text{ if } t < 4, \text{ and}$$

$$S_{i_{\text{hp}},t,k} = \sqrt{P} \exp\left(\frac{j2\pi}{3}(k + \text{FLDPISectorOffset} + \text{FLDPIUserOffset})(t - 2)\right) \text{ if } t \geq 4.$$

where  $j$  denotes the complex number  $(0,1)$ , and  $P$  denotes the energy per modulation symbol on tile-antenna  $k$  used by the F-DPICH.



**Figure 9-18 F-DPICH Format 0**

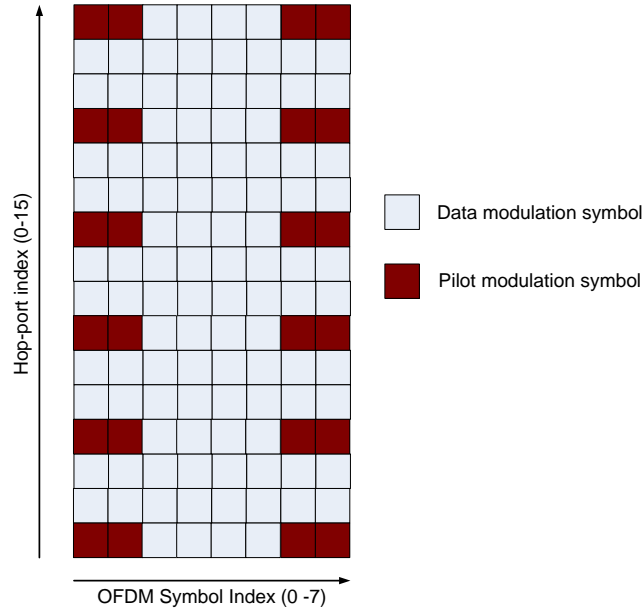
### 9.3.2.5.2.3.2 F-DPICH Format 1

In this format, the F-DPICH occupies 24 modulation symbols in each tile in each FL PHY Frame. In this format, a hop-port with index  $i_{hp}$  of the OFDM symbol with index  $t$  (both measured within the tile) is occupied by the F-DPICH if  $i_{hp}$  is in the set  $\{0,3,6,9,12,15\}$  and if  $t$  is in the set  $\{0,1,6,7\}$ . The set of hop-ports occupied by the F-DPICH for this format is illustrated in Figure 9-19.

The complex value of the F-DPICH modulation symbol at this location on the tile-antenna with index  $k$  is given by

$$S_{i_{hp},t,k} = \sqrt{P} \exp(j\pi(k + FLDPISectorOffset + FLDPIUserOffset)t),$$

where  $j$  denotes the complex number  $(0,1)$ , and  $P$  denotes the energy per modulation symbol on tile-antenna  $k$  used by the F-DPICH.



**Figure 9-19 F-DPICH Format 1**

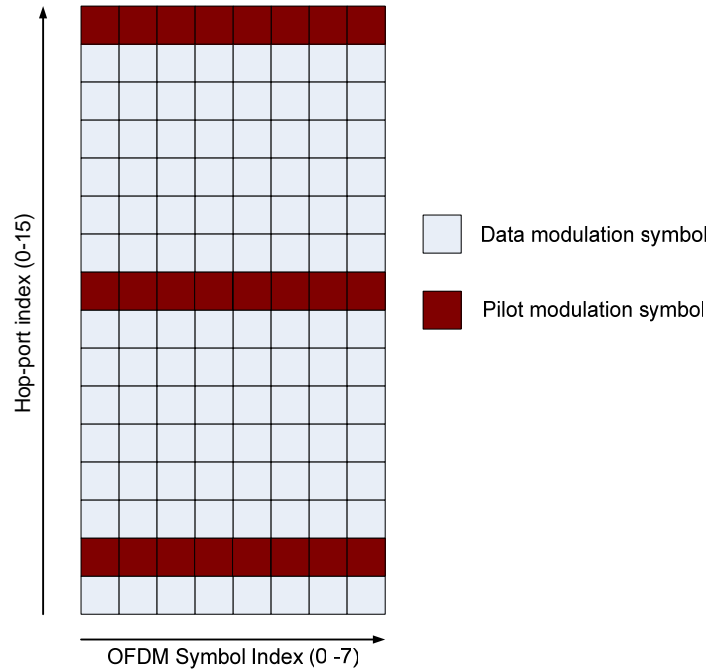
### 9.3.2.5.2.3 F-DPICH Format 2

In this format, the F-DPICH occupies 24 modulation symbols in each tile in each FL PHY Frame. In this format, a hop-port with index  $i_{hp}$  of the OFDM symbol with index  $t$  (both measured within the tile) is occupied by the F-DPICH if  $i_{hp}$  is in the set  $\{1,8,15\}$  and for all values of  $t$ . The set of hop-ports occupied by the F-DPICH for this format is illustrated in Figure 9-20.

The complex value of the F-DPICH modulation symbol at this location on the tile-antenna with index  $k$  is given by

$$S_{i_{hp},t,k} = \sqrt{P} \exp\left(\frac{j\pi}{2}(k + FLDPISectorOffset + FLDPIUserOffset)t\right),$$

where  $j$  denotes the complex number (0,1), and  $P$  denotes the energy per modulation symbol on tile-antenna  $k$  used by the F-DPICH.



**Figure 9-20 F-DPICH Format 2**

### 9.3.2.5.3 F-SSCH

The Shared Signaling Channel (F-SSCH) shall be present in each FL PHY Frame and shall include three segments populated over  $N_{\text{SSCH-HP}}$  hop-ports that are specified by the SS MAC Protocol. In the BlockHopping mode,  $N_{\text{SSCH-HP}}$  shall be an integer multiple of  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$ . In MultiCarrierOn mode, there will be an F-SSCH (including all three segments) on every carrier. This section describes the F-SSCH modulation procedure for a single carrier.

#### 9.3.2.5.3.1 Encoded block segment

This segment shall occupy  $N_{\text{SSCH-S1}}$  modulation symbols and shall carry  $N_{\text{SSCH-M}}$  packets generated by the SS MAC Protocol. The  $i$ -th packet of size  $k_i$  (before CRC insertion) will be transmitted at power density  $P_i$  specified by the SS MAC Protocol. The number  $N_{\text{SSCH-S1}}$  is given by

$$N_{\text{SSCH-S1}} = \text{SSCHNumBlocks} * \text{SSCHModulationSymbolsPerBlock},$$

where  $\text{SSCHNumBlocks}$  is the maximum number of packets in the encoded block segment of F-SSCH ( $N_{\text{SSCH-M}} \leq \text{SSCHNumBlocks}$ ) and  $\text{SSCHModulationSymbolsPerBlock}$  is the number of modulation symbols per packet.  $\text{SSCHNumBlocks}$  and  $\text{SSCHModulationSymbolsPerBlock}$  are integers and are part of public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The  $i$ -th packet is appended with CRC, encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, data-scrambled, and modulated using the procedure described in 9.2 with  $\text{SSCHModulationSymbolsPerBlock}$  modulation symbols per packet. A MACID of 0 and a packet format index of 0 shall be used to generate the initial state of the data-scrambler. A CRC length of  $N_{\text{CRC,SSCH}}$  shall be used for this packet.

If  $i$ -th packet to be transmitted on the encoded block segment of F-SSCH is an Access Grant block, as specified by the SS MAC Protocol, the sequence of modulation symbols of this block shall be scrambled based on the 10-bit value of the AccessSequenceID which shall be defined by the AC

MAC Protocol. Let  $n$  be the number of modulation symbols corresponding to the  $i$ -th packet which is an Access Grant block with the AccessSequenceID given by a 10-bit integer  $m$ .  $n$  is given by  $n = \text{SSCHModulationSymbolsPerBlock}$ .

First, a sequence  $[B_{0,i}, \dots, B_{2n-1,i}]$  of  $2n$  bits shall be generated using 20-bit shift register which shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{20} + D^{17} + D^{12} + D^{10} + 1$ , i.e., the  $k$ -th output  $B_{k,i}$  of the register shall satisfy  $B_{k,i} = B_{k-20,i} \oplus B_{k-17,i} \oplus B_{k-12,i} \oplus B_{k-10,i}$ . The initial state  $[B_{-1,i}, B_{-2,i}, \dots, B_{-20,i}]$  shall be given by the  $[0\ 0\ 0\ 0\ f_5\ f_4\ f_3\ f_2\ f_1\ f_0\ a_9\ a_8\ a_7\ a_6\ a_5\ a_4\ a_3\ a_2\ a_1\ a_0]$ . Here  $[a_9\ a_8\ a_7\ a_6\ a_5\ a_4\ a_3\ a_2\ a_1\ a_0]$  is the 10-bit AccessSequenceID, with LSB  $a_0$  and MSB  $a_9$  and  $[f_5\ f_4\ f_3\ f_2\ f_1\ f_0]$  is the 6-bit index of the FL PHY Frame within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$  and MSB  $f_5$ . Next, the scrambling QPSK sequence  $[A_{0,i}, \dots, A_{n-1,i}]$  will be generated as follows:

$$A_{k,i} = e^{j\pi(2*B_{2k,i} + B_{2k+1,i})/2}$$

The  $k$ -th modulation symbol of the  $i$ -th packet which is an Access Grant block shall be multiplied by the QPSK symbol  $A_{k,i}$ ,  $0 \leq k < n$ .

Modulation symbols of all  $N_{\text{SSCH-M}}$  packets shall be scaled and concatenated in a sequence so that the set of modulation symbols of the  $i$ -th packet (in the order of symbols generated by the modulator) shall be scaled by  $\sqrt{P_i}$  and followed by the set of modulation symbols of the  $(i+1)$ -th packet (in the order of symbols generated by the modulator) scaled by  $\sqrt{P_{i+1}}$ ,  $0 \leq i < N_{\text{SSCH-M}}$ . To this sequence, a sequence of symbols with complex value (0,0) will be appended so that the resulting sequence denoted  $S_M$  is of length  $N_{\text{SSCH-S1}}$ .

### 9.3.2.5.3.2 Acknowledgement segment

This segment shall occupy  $N_{\text{SSCH-S2}} = 3N_{\text{SSCH-ACK}}$  modulation symbols where  $N_{\text{SSCH-ACK}}$  is the length of the sequence of acknowledgement bits provided by the SS MAC Protocol. The SS MAC Protocol shall provide a power density  $P_i$  ( $0 \leq i < N_{\text{SSCH-ACK}}$ ) and a valid MACID for every non-zero bit. If the  $i$ -th bit of the sequence is non-zero, then the MACID corresponding to  $i$ -th bit shall be converted into a scrambling sequence of three symbols ( $c_{i,0}\ c_{i,1}\ c_{i,2}$ ) as follows:

1. Obtain an 9-bit sequence ( $b_{i,0}\ b_{i,1}, \dots, b_{i,8}$ ) as 9 LSBs (starting with the LSB) of a binary representation (from LSB to MSB) of the number  $(k * 2654435761) \bmod 2^{20}$  where  $k$  has 11-bit with representation  $[m_{10}\ m_9\ m_8\ m_7\ m_6\ m_5\ m_4\ m_3\ m_2\ m_1\ m_0]$  with LSB  $m_0$  and MSB  $m_{10}$  which is the 11-bit MACID.
2. Map sets ( $b_{i,3j}\ b_{i,3j+1}\ b_{i,3j+2}$ ) onto modulation symbols  $c_{i,j}$  according to Table 9-3 (8-PSK mapping),  $0 \leq j < 3$ .



The  $i$ -th acknowledgement bit shall be mapped to a sequence  $(s_{i,0} \ s_{i,1} \ s_{i,2})$  of three modulation symbols as follows:

$$0: s_{i,0} = s_{i,1} = s_{i,2} = (0,0);$$

$$1: s_{i,j} = \sqrt{P_i} \ c_{i,j}, \ 0 \leq j \leq 2.$$

The resulting modulation symbols shall be concatenated into a sequence of modulation symbols

$$S_{ACK} = (s_{0,0}, s_{0,1}, s_{0,2}, s_{1,0}, s_{1,1}, s_{1,2}, \dots, s_{i,0}, s_{i,1}, s_{i,2}, \dots, s_{N_{SSCH-ACK}-1,0}, s_{N_{SSCH-ACK}-1,1}, s_{N_{SSCH-ACK}-1,2})$$

of size  $N_{SSCH-S2}$ .

### 9.3.2.5.3.3 Power Control segment

This segment shall carry power control bits for every access terminal with MACID  $k$  satisfying the following equation:

$$k \bmod \text{FLPCReportInterval} = i \bmod \text{FLPCReportInterval}$$

where  $k$  is less or equal to  $\text{MACIDRange}$ ,  $i = s \cdot N_F + f$ , with  $N_F$  the number of FL PHY Frames in a superframe<sup>50</sup>,  $s$  the Superframe index and  $f$  the index of the current FL PHY Frame in the current Superframe starting from 0, and  $\text{FLPCReportInterval}$  is an integer and is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol.  $\text{MACIDRange}$  is a power of 2 and is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. The properly ordered sequence  $[a_0 \ a_1 \ a_2 \dots \ a_{N_{SSCH-S3}-1}]$  of power control bits is provided by the SS MAC protocol. These sequence is permuted to a sequence  $[b_0 \ b_1 \ b_2 \dots \ b_{N_{SSCH-S3}-1}]$  according to the following procedure:

1. Compute a 12-bit quantity  $B_{\text{SECTOR}}$  which is the bit-wise XOR of the 12-bit PilotPN and the 12 LSBs of the superframe index  $s$ .
2. Find  $\text{TMP} = [(7*64*4096 + f*4096 + B_{\text{SECTOR}})* 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ . Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{PCS}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of TMP in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{PCS}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ .
3. Generate a permutation  $H$  of size  $N_{SSCH-S3}$  using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.3.2.5.1.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{PCS}}$ .
4.  $b_{H(k)} = a_k$  for all  $k$  satisfying  $0 \leq k < N_{SSCH-S3}$ .

The sequence  $[b_0 \ b_1 \ b_2 \dots \ b_{N_{SSCH-S3}-1}]$  is mapped to modulation symbols using BPSK modulation and scaled according to the power density  $P_i$  assigned to these modulation symbols by the SS MAC Protocol. The sequence  $S_{\text{PC}}$  of these modulation symbols can be written as follows:

$$S_{\text{PC}} = \left( \sqrt{P_0} (-1)^{b_0}, \sqrt{P_1} (-1)^{b_1}, \dots, \sqrt{P_{N_k}} (-1)^{b_k}, \dots, \sqrt{P_{N_{SSCH-S3}-1}} (-1)^{b_{N_{SSCH-S3}-1}} \right)$$

<sup>50</sup>  $N_F$  is equal to  $N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}}$  in FDD mode and is equal to  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}}$  in TDD mode.

where  $N_{SSCH-S3} = \lfloor \text{MACIDRange} / \text{FLPCReportInterval} \rfloor + 1$  if  $(i \bmod \text{FLPCReportInterval}) < (\text{MACIDRange} \bmod \text{FLPCReportInterval})$  and  $N_{SSCH-S3} = \lfloor \text{MACIDRange} / \text{FLPCReportInterval} \rfloor$  otherwise.

The sequences  $S_M$ ,  $S_{ACK}$  and  $S_{PC}$  shall be concatenated into a single sequence

$$S_{SSCH} = (S_M, S_{ACK}, S_{PC})$$

of scaled modulation symbols of size  $N_{SSCH} = N_{SSCH-S1} + N_{SSCH-S2} + N_{SSCH-S3}$ . The sequence  $S_{SSCH}$  shall be mapped onto the  $N_{SSCH-HP}$  hop-ports assigned to F-SSCH according to the following procedure:

1. Let  $p_0, p_1, \dots, p_{N_{SSCH-HP}-1}$  be the set of  $N_{SSCH-HP}$  hop-ports specified by the SS MAC Protocol. In the BlockHopping mode: generate a sequence  $q_0, q_1, \dots, q_{N_{SSCH-HP}-1}$  so that  $q_k = p_{n(k)}$ , where  $n(k) = (k \bmod M) \cdot N_{BLOCK} + \lfloor k / M \rfloor$  and  $M = N_{SSCH-HP} / N_{BLOCK}$ . In the SymbolRateHopping mode:  $q_k = p_k$ .
2. Initialize a port counter  $i$  to 0, an OFDM symbol counter  $n$  to 0, and an F-SSCH sequence index<sup>51</sup>  $k$  to 0.
3. Let  $n_{sc}$  be the subcarrier index corresponding to hop-port  $q_i$  for the  $n$ -th OFDM symbol in the FL PHY Frame. If the subcarrier with index  $n_{sc}$  is not a pilot subcarrier and if  $q_i$  is not a DPICH hop-port, then
  - a. modulate this subcarrier with the complex value of the  $k$ -th entry of  $S_M$  if  $k < N_{SSCH}$  and modulate this subcarrier with the complex value (0,0) otherwise. The modulation shall be done on the antenna with index 0 in SymbolRateHopping mode, and on the tile-antenna with index 0 in BlockHopping mode.
  - b. increment  $k$ .
4. Increment  $i$ .
5. If  $i \bmod M = 0$  then
  - a. if  $n < N_{FRAME,F}$  then reduce  $i$  by  $M$  and increment  $n$ ;
  - b. otherwise set  $n$  to 0.
6. If  $i = N_{SSCH-HP}$ , then stop. Otherwise, repeat steps 3 through 6.

#### 9.3.2.5.4 F-DCH

The Data Channel (F-DCH) shall be present in each FL PHY Frame. The F-DCH consists of one or more packets with different target access terminals, as well as erasure sequences. Each data packet as well as erasure sequence transmission spans one or more FL PHY Frames. The set of FL PHY Frames on which this packet is transmitted is determined by the FTC MAC Protocol. Each data

<sup>51</sup> F-SSCH sequence index refers to the current position within the sequence  $S_{SSCH}$ .

packet and erasure sequence is also assigned a set of hop-ports in each FL PHY Frame of transmission by the FTC MAC Protocol. Note that these hop-ports may span more than one carrier. Each data packet is further associated with a packet format index, which is also assigned by the FTC MAC Protocol.

If some of the hop-ports assigned to two or more data packets or erasure sequences are mapped to the same subcarriers by the hopping sequence, then the AN shall superimpose the waveforms of these data packets.

#### 9.3.2.5.4.1 SISO mode

Each F-DCH packet is generated by the FTC MAC Protocol, and is split, appended with CRC, encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, data-scrambled and modulated according to the procedure described in 9.2. A CRC length of  $N_{CRC,Data}$  is used for this packet. The MACID of the target access terminal, and the packet format index assigned to this packet, shall be used to generate the initial state of the data-scrambler described in 9.2.5. The size of the input packet generated by the FTC MAC Protocol shall be equal to  $8 \lfloor \rho n_0 N_f / 8 \rfloor - N_{CRC,Data}$ , where  $\rho$  denotes the spectral efficiency at the first transmission corresponding to the packet format of the packet (defined by the FTC MAC Protocol),  $n_0$  denotes the number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the first FL PHY Frame of transmission, and  $N_f$  is equal to  $6N_{FRAME,F}$  if this packet is part of an extended duration transmission and is equal to  $N_{FRAME,F}$  otherwise. The FTC MAC protocol determines whether or not a packet is part of an extended duration transmission. Here, a usable hop-port is as defined in 9.3.2.5.1.2. This packet shall be modulated on to the hop-ports assigned to this packet according to the following procedure:

1. Initialize a port counter  $i$  to 0, a frame counter  $f$  to 0, and an OFDM symbol counter  $j$  to 0.
2. Arrange the set of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission in increasing order, where the ordering of hop-ports is as defined in 9.3.2.2.5. Let the resulting sequence be denoted by  $(k_0, p_0), (k_1, p_1), \dots, (k_{n-1}, p_{n-1})$ , where  $n$  is the total number of hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. The notation for a hop-port is as in 9.3.2.2.5, i.e.,  $k_i$  denotes the CarrierIndex and  $p_i$  denotes the hop-port index in that carrier.
3. Let  $n_{sc}$  be the subcarrier index corresponding to the hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  in the  $j$ 'th OFDM symbol in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. Let  $q$  be the modulation order to be used for the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission, which is a function of the packet format. If  $n_{sc}$  is not a pilot subcarrier and if  $(k_i, p_i)$  is not a DPICH hop-port, then a modulation symbol  $s$  with modulation order  $q$  is generated by the modulator according to the procedure described in 9.2.6. This modulation symbol shall be modulated with energy  $P$  on hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$ , i.e., the value of the corresponding subcarrier shall be  $\sqrt{P} s$ , where  $P$  is the specified power density for this assignment in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission (generated by the FTC MAC Protocol). The modulation shall be done on the antenna with index 0 in SymbolRateHopping mode, and on the tile-antenna with index 0 in BlockHopping mode. In SymbolRateHopping mode, the power density  $P$  is constant over the entire FL PHY Frame, while in BlockHopping mode, a different power density  $P$  may be used for each tile in the assignment.
4. Increment  $i$ . If  $i = n$ , increment  $j$  and set  $i = 0$ .

5. If  $j = N_{\text{FRAME},F}$ , increment  $f$  and set  $j = 0$ .
6. If the last PHY Frame of transmission has been completed (as determined by the FTC MAC Protocol), then stop. Else repeat steps 2 through 6.

#### 9.3.2.5.4.2 STTD mode

In the STTD mode, each F-DCH packet is generated by the FTC MAC Protocol, and is split, appended with CRC, encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, data-scrambled and modulated according to the procedure described in 9.2. A CRC length of  $N_{\text{CRC},\text{Data}}$  is used for this packet. The MACID of the target access terminal, and the packet format index assigned to this packet, shall be used to generate the initial state of the data-scrambler described in 9.2.5. The size of the input packet generated by the FTC MAC Protocol shall be equal to  $8 \lfloor \rho n_0 N_f / 8 \rfloor - N_{\text{CRC},\text{Data}}$ , where  $\rho$  denotes the spectral efficiency at the first transmission corresponding to the packet format of the packet (defined by the FTC MAC Protocol),  $n_0$  denotes the number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the first FL PHY Frame of transmission, and  $N_f$  is equal to  $6N_{\text{FRAME},F}$  if this packet is part of an extended duration transmission and is equal to  $N_{\text{FRAME},F}$  otherwise. The FTC MAC protocol determines whether or not a packet is part of an extended duration transmission. Here, a usable hop-port is as defined in 9.3.2.5.1.2. This packet shall be modulated on to the hop-ports assigned to this packet according to the following procedure:

1. Initialize a port counter  $i$  to 0, a frame counter  $f$  to 0, and an OFDM symbol counter  $j$  to 0.
2. Arrange the set of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission in increasing order, where the ordering of hop-ports is as defined in 9.3.2.2.5. Let the resulting sequence be denoted by  $(k_0, p_0), (k_1, p_1), \dots, (k_{n-1}, p_{n-1})$ , where  $n$  is the total number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. The notation for a hop-port is as in 9.3.2.2.5, i.e.,  $k_i$  denotes the CarrierIndex and  $p_i$  denotes the hop-port index in that carrier.
3. Let  $n_{\text{sc}}$  be the subcarrier index corresponding to the hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  in the  $j$ 'th OFDM symbol in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. Let  $q$  be the modulation order to be used for the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission, which is a function of the packet format. If  $n_{\text{sc}}$  is not a pilot subcarrier and if  $(k_i, p_i)$  is not a DPICH hop-port, then a modulation symbol  $s$  with modulation order  $q$  is generated by the modulator according to the procedure described in 9.2.6. Label this modulation symbol  $s_{i,j}$ .
4. Increment  $i$ . If  $i = n$ , increment  $j$  and set  $i = 0$ .
5. If  $j = N_{\text{FRAME},F}$ , set  $j = 0$ . Else repeat steps 3 through 5.
6. Collect the set of hop-ports in the FL PHY Frame into a list of pairs as follows:<sup>52</sup>
  - a. Start with an empty list.

<sup>52</sup> This list is grouping hop-ports that are adjacent to each other into pairs. The different conditions are necessary to account for F-DPICH format 0, which uses up an odd number of adjacent hop-ports.

- 1                   b. For each value of  $i'$ ,  $0 \leq i' < n$ , and for each even value of  $j'$ ,  $0 \leq j' < N_{\text{FRAME},F}$ , add  
2                   the pair  $((i', j'), (i', j'+1))$  to the list if the hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  is a DPICH hop-port in  
3                   neither OFDM symbol  $j'$  nor OFDM symbol  $j'+1$  OFDM symbol in the FL PHY  
4                   Frame.
- 5                   c. For each value of  $i'$ ,  $0 \leq i' < n$  and for each even value of  $j'$ ,  $0 \leq j' < N_{\text{FRAME},F}$ , add the  
6                   pair  $((i', j'+1), (i', j'+2))$  to the list if the hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  is a DPICH hop-port in  
7                   OFDM symbol  $j'$  in the FL PHY Frame but is not a DPICH hop-port in OFDM  
8                   symbol  $j'+1$  in the FL PHY Frame.
- 9                   7. Each pair in the list formed in step 6 is of the form  $((i', j'), (i', j'+1))$ . For each such pair in  
10                   the list, do the following:<sup>53</sup>
  - 11                   a. If the hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  does not correspond to a pilot subcarrier in either of OFDM  
12                   symbols  $j'$  and  $j'+1$  in the FL PHY Frame, let  $s_{i', j'}$  and  $s_{i', j'+1}$  denote the modulation  
13                   symbols allocated in step 3 to this hop-port in OFDM symbols  $j'$  and  $j'+1$   
14                   respectively. For this case, the following steps shall be carried out:
    - 15                   i. In SymbolRateHopping mode,  $\sqrt{P/2s_{i', j'}}$  shall be transmitted on antenna index  
16                   0 on hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  of OFDM symbol  $j'$ . In BlockHopping mode,  $\sqrt{P/2s_{i', j'}}$   
17                   shall be transmitted on tile-antenna index 0 on hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  of OFDM symbol  
18                    $j'$ .
    - 19                   ii. In SymbolRateHopping mode,  $\sqrt{P/2s_{i', j'+1}}$  shall be transmitted on antenna  
20                   index 1 on hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  of OFDM symbol  $j'$ . In BlockHopping mode,  
21                    $\sqrt{P/2s_{i', j'+1}}$  shall be transmitted on tile-antenna index 1 on hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  of  
22                   OFDM symbol  $j'$ .
    - 23                   iii. In SymbolRateHopping mode,  $-\sqrt{P/2s_{i', j'+1}}^*$  shall be transmitted on antenna  
24                   index 0 of hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  of OFDM symbol  $j'+1$ . In BlockHopping mode,  
25                    $-\sqrt{P/2s_{i', j'+1}}^*$  shall be transmitted on tile-antenna index 0 of hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$   
26                   of OFDM symbol  $j'+1$ .
    - 27                   iv. In SymbolRateHopping mode,  $\sqrt{P/2s_{i', j'}}^*$  shall be transmitted on the antenna  
28                   index 1 of hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$  of OFDM symbol  $j'+1$ . In BlockHopping mode,  
29                    $\sqrt{P/2s_{i', j'}}^*$  shall be transmitted on the tile-antenna index 1 of hop-port  $(k_{i'}, p_{i'})$   
30                   of OFDM symbol  $j'+1$ .

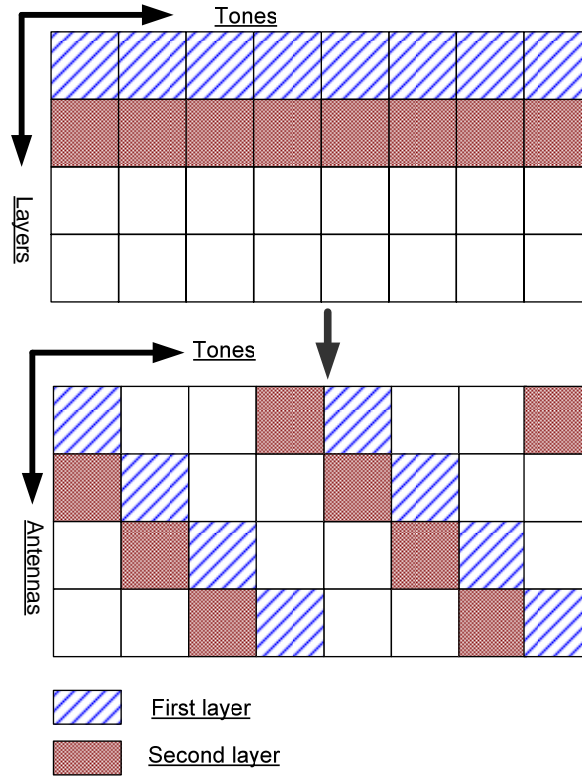
<sup>53</sup> The different hop-port pairs in the list formed in step 6 now undergo an STTD transformation, which maps two input symbols into two output symbols. However, in some cases, one of the hop-port pairs may map to a pilot (F-CPICH or F-AuxPICH) subcarrier. In this case, that pair of hop-ports does not undergo the STTD transformation.

- b. If the hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  corresponds to a pilot subcarrier in OFDM symbols  $j'$  but not in OFDM symbol  $j'+1$  in the FL PHY Frame, let  $s_{i',j'+1}$  denote the modulation symbols allocated in step 3 to this hop-port in OFDM symbol  $j'+1$ . In SymbolRateHopping mode,  $\sqrt{P}s_{i',j'+1}$  shall be transmitted on antenna index 0 of hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  of OFDM symbol  $j'+1$ . In BlockHopping mode,  $\sqrt{P}s_{i',j'+1}$  shall be transmitted on tile-antenna index 0 of hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  of OFDM symbol  $j'+1$ . The F-DCH shall not modulate hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  in OFDM symbol  $j'$ .
  - c. If the hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  corresponds to a pilot subcarrier in OFDM symbols  $j'+1$  but not in OFDM symbol  $j'$  in the FL PHY Frame, let  $s_{i',j'}$  denote the modulation symbols allocated in step 3 to this hop-port in OFDM symbols  $j'$ . In SymbolRateHopping mode,  $\sqrt{P}s_{i',j'}$  shall be transmitted on antenna index 0 of hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  of OFDM symbol  $j'$ . In BlockHopping mode,  $\sqrt{P}s_{i',j'}$  shall be transmitted on tile-antenna index 0 of hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  of OFDM symbol  $j'$ . The F-DCH shall not modulate hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  in OFDM symbol  $j'+1$ .
8. Increment  $f$ . If the last PHY Frame of transmission has been completed (as determined by the FTC MAC Protocol), then stop. Else repeat steps 2 through 8.

#### 9.3.2.5.4.3 MIMO MCW mode

In the MCW mode, multiple codewords with, in general, different packet formats are transmitted simultaneously on the same set of subcarriers. Each codeword (as well as the associated modulation symbols) is denoted by a data layer. The modulation symbols corresponding to these codewords are transmitted on the different antennas via a scheme called Cyclic Spatial Multiplexing. This scheme is illustrated in Figure 9-21 for the case of  $N_t = 4$  transmit antennas,  $N_l = 2$  data layers. The figure shows transmission on 8 consecutive hop-ports. The antennas are indexed from 0 to 3 while the subcarriers are indexed from 0 to 7. The  $N_l$  layers are mapped to the space frequency domain in a cyclic fashion such that each layer is transmitted from all antennas, i.e., the first modulation symbol of the first layer is transmitted on the antenna-tone pair (0,0), the second modulation symbol on (1,1), third on (2,2), and so on. Similarly, the first modulation symbol of the second layer is transmitted on (1,0), the second on (2,1), the third on (3,2), and so on. The total assigned power is initially distributed equally among the different layers. This power shall be split equally among the different antennas in SymbolRateHopping mode. Different tile-antennas may have different powers in BlockHopping mode.

The MIMO MCW mode supports early termination for each layer, i.e., after each FL PHY Frame. The access terminal may acknowledge the first  $N_{\text{dec}}$  layers, where  $N_{\text{dec}}$  ranges from 0 to  $N_l$ . If the first  $N_{\text{dec}}$  layers have been acknowledged, then these layers are no longer transmitted and the total assigned power is distributed equally among the remaining layers.



**Figure 9-21 Cyclic spatial multiplexing**

#### 9.3.2.5.4.3.1 Transmitter structure

Let  $N_l$  denote the number of layers in the MCW transmission, as determined by the FTC MAC protocol. Let  $n_t$  denote the number of antennas used for the MCW transmission in SymbolRateHopping mode, and the number of tile-antennas used in BlockHopping mode. In SymbolRateHopping mode,  $n_t$  is given by the EffectiveNumAntennas field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. In BlockHopping mode,  $n_t$  shall be equal to  $N_l$ .

Each layer consists of a packet that is generated by the FTC MAC Protocol, and is split, appended with CRC, encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, data-scrambled and modulated according to the procedure described in 9.2. A CRC length of  $N_{CRC,Data}$  is used for this packet. The MACID of the target access terminal, and the packet format index assigned to this packet, shall be used to generate the initial state of the data-scrambler described in 9.2.5. The size of the input packet generated by the FTC MAC Protocol in each layer shall be equal to  $8 \lfloor \rho n_0 N_f / 8 \rfloor - N_{CRC,Data}$ , where  $\rho$  denotes the spectral efficiency at the first transmission corresponding to the packet format for that layer (defined by the FTC MAC Protocol),  $n_0$  denotes the number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the first FL PHY Frame of transmission and  $N_f$  is equal to  $6N_{FRAME,F}$  if this packet is part of an extended duration transmission and is equal to  $N_{FRAME,F}$  otherwise. The FTC MAC protocol determines whether or not a packet is part of an extended duration transmission. Here, a usable hop-port is as defined in 9.3.2.5.1.2. The packet in the  $l^{th}$  layer,  $l$  ranging from 0 to  $N_l-1$ , shall be modulated on to the hop-ports assigned to the access terminal according to the following procedure:

1. Initialize a port counter  $i$  to 0, a frame counter  $f$  to 0, and an OFDM symbol counter  $j$  to 0. Also initialize a modulation counter  $m$  to 0.

2. Arrange the set of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission in increasing order, where the ordering of hop-ports is as defined in 9.3.2.2.5. Let the resulting sequence be denoted by  $(k_0, p_0), (k_1, p_1), \dots, (k_{n-1}, p_{n-1})$ , where  $n$  is the total number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. The notation for a hop-port is as in 9.3.2.2.5, i.e.,  $k_i$  denotes the CarrierIndex and  $p_i$  denotes the hop-port index in that carrier.
3. Let  $n_{sc}$  be the subcarrier index corresponding to the hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  in the  $j$ 'th OFDM symbol in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. Let  $q$  be the modulation order to be used for the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission, which is a function of the packet format. If  $n_{sc}$  is not a pilot subcarrier and if  $(k_i, p_i)$  is not a DPICH hop-port, then a modulation symbol  $s$  with modulation order  $q$  is generated by the modulator for this packet according to the procedure described in 9.2.6. In SymbolRateHopping mode, this modulation symbol shall be modulated with energy  $P$  on hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  on the antenna with index  $(m+1) \bmod n_t$ , i.e., the value of the corresponding subcarrier on this antenna shall be  $\sqrt{P} s$ . Here  $P$  is the power density per antenna assigned to this set of packets on the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission (generated by the FTC MAC Protocol). The same power density shall be used on all antennas. In BlockHopping mode, this modulation symbol shall be modulated with energy  $P$  on hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  on the tile-antenna with index  $(m+1) \bmod n_t$ , i.e., the value of the corresponding subcarrier on this tile-antenna shall be  $\sqrt{P} s$ . Here  $P$  is the power density assigned to this set of packets on tile-antenna  $(m+1) \bmod n_t$  in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission (generated by the FTC MAC Protocol). Different power densities may be used for different tile-antennas. Also, in SymbolRateHopping mode, the power density  $P$  is constant over the entire FL PHY Frame, while in BlockHopping mode, a different power density  $P$  may be used for each tile in the assignment.
4. Increment  $i$ . If  $n_{sc}$  is not a pilot, increment  $m$ .
5. If  $i = n$ , increment  $j$  and set  $i = 0$ .
6. If  $j = N_{FRAME,F}$ , increment  $f$  and set  $j = 0$ . Also set  $m = 0$ .
7. If the last PHY Frame of transmission for this layer has been completed (as determined by the FTC MAC Protocol), then stop. Else repeat steps 2 through 7.

#### 9.3.2.5.4.4 MIMO SCW mode

In SCW mode, the access network does not transmit multiple coded streams on the same set of subcarriers (i.e., two different packets occupy disjoint sets of subcarriers). The overall spectral efficiency is determined by the packet format and the number of layers  $N_l$ , which is defined in this case as the number of simultaneously transmitted modulation symbols and is determined by the FTC MAC Protocol. The Cyclic Spatial Multiplexing structure described in 9.3.2.5.4.3 and illustrated in Figure 9-21 is also used for this mode, i.e., the set of antennas used to transmit the modulation symbols changes cyclically from subcarrier to subcarrier.

Let  $n_t$  denote the number antennas used for the SCW transmission in SymbolRateHopping mode, and the number of tile-antennas used in BlockHopping mode. In SymbolRateHopping mode,  $n_t$  is given by the EffectiveNumAntennas field, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol. In BlockHopping mode,  $n_t$  shall be equal to  $N_l$ .



Each F-DCH packet is generated by the FTC MAC Protocol, and is split, appended with CRC, encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, data-scrambled, and modulated according to the procedure described in 9.2. A CRC length of  $N_{CRC,Data}$  is used for this packet. The MACID of the target access terminal, and the packet format index assigned to this packet, shall be used to generate the initial state of the data-scrambler described in 9.2.5. The size of the input packet generated by the FTC MAC Protocol shall be equal to  $8 \lfloor \rho n_0 N_f / 8 \rfloor N_l - N_{CRC,Data}$ , where  $\rho$  denotes the spectral efficiency at the first transmission corresponding to the packet format of the packet (defined by the FTC MAC Protocol),  $n_0$  denotes the number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the first FL PHY Frame of transmission, and  $N_f$  is equal to  $6N_{FRAME,F}$  if this packet is part of an extended duration transmission and is equal to  $N_{FRAME,F}$  otherwise. The FTC MAC protocol determines whether or not a packet is part of an extended duration transmission. Here, a usable hop-port is as defined in 9.3.2.5.1.2. This packet shall be modulated on to the hop-ports assigned to the packet according to the following procedure:

1. Initialize a port counter  $i$  to 0, a frame counter  $f$  to 0, and an OFDM symbol counter  $j$  to 0. Also initialize a modulation symbol counter  $m$  to 0.
2. Arrange the set of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission in increasing order, where the ordering of hop-ports is as defined in 9.3.2.2.5. Let the resulting sequence be denoted by  $(k_0, p_0), (k_1, p_1), \dots, (k_{n-1}, p_{n-1})$ , where  $n$  is the total number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHYFrame of transmission. The notation for a hop-port is as in 9.3.2.2.5, i.e.,  $k_i$  denotes the CarrierIndex and  $p_i$  denotes the hop-port index in that carrier.
3. Let  $n_{sc}$  be the subcarrier index corresponding to the hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  in the  $j$ 'th OFDM symbol in the  $f$ 'th PHYFrame of transmission. Let  $q$  be the modulation order to be used for the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission, which is a function of the packet format. If  $n_{sc}$  is not a pilot subcarrier and if  $(k_i, p_i)$  is not a DPICH hop-port, then generate  $N_l$  modulation symbols  $s_0, s_1, \dots, s_{N_l-1}$  with modulation order  $q$  from the  $r$ 'th sub-packet according to the procedure described in 9.2.6.
4. In SymbolRateHopping mode, the modulation symbol  $s_l$ ,  $l$  ranging from 0 to  $N_l-1$ , is transmitted with energy  $P$  on hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  on the antenna with index  $(m+l) \bmod n_t$ , i.e., the value of the corresponding subcarrier shall be  $\sqrt{P} s$ . Here  $P$  is the power density per antenna assigned to this set of packets on the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission (generated by the FTC MAC Protocol). The same power density shall be used on all antennas. In BlockHopping mode, the modulation symbol  $s_l$ ,  $l$  ranging from 0 to  $N_l-1$ , is transmitted with energy  $P$  on hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  on the tile-antenna with index  $(m+l) \bmod n_t$ , i.e., the value of the corresponding subcarrier shall be  $\sqrt{P} s$ . Here  $P$  is the power density assigned to this set of packets on tile-antenna  $(m+l) \bmod n_t$  in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission (generated by the FTC MAC Protocol). Different power densities may be used for different tile-antennas. Also, in SymbolRateHopping mode, the power density  $P$  is constant over the entire FL PHY Frame, while in BlockHopping mode, a different power density  $P$  may be used for each tile in the assignment.
5. Increment  $i$ . If  $n_{sc}$  is not a pilot, increment  $m$ .
6. If  $i = n$ , increment  $j$  and set  $i = 0$ .

7. If  $j = N_{\text{FRAME},F}$ , increment  $f$ . Also set  $j = m = 0$ .
8. If the last PHY Frame of transmission has been completed (as determined by the FTC MAC Protocol), then stop. Else repeat steps 2 through 8.

#### 9.3.2.5.4.5 Erasure sequence

An erasure sequence spans one or more consecutive FL PHY Frames of transmission on a set of hop-ports determined by the FTC MAC Protocol. The erasure sequence shall be modulated on to the hop-ports assigned to this sequence according to the following procedure:

1. Construct a one-bit packet, with the bit in the packet being set to zero. This packet is encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, scrambled, and modulated according to the procedure described in 9.2<sup>54</sup>. The MAC ID of the target access terminal, and a packet format index of 0, shall be used to generate the initial seed of the scrambler. QPSK modulation shall be used for all of the modulation symbols in the packet.
2. Initialize a port counter  $i$  to 0, a frame counter  $f$  to 0, and an OFDM symbol counter  $j$  to 0.
3. Arrange the set of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission in increasing order, where the ordering of hop-ports is as defined in 9.3.2.2.5. Here, a usable hop-port is as defined in 9.3.2.5.1.2. Let the resulting sequence be denoted by  $(k_0, p_0), (k_1, p_1), \dots, (k_{n-1}, p_{n-1})$ , where  $n$  is the total number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. The notation for a hop-port is as in 9.3.2.2.5, i.e.,  $k_i$  denotes the CarrierIndex and  $p_i$  denotes the hop-port index in that carrier.
4. Let  $n_{sc}$  be the subcarrier index corresponding to the hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  in the  $j$ 'th OFDM symbol in the PHY Frame. If  $n_{sc}$  is not a pilot subcarrier and if  $(k_i, p_i)$  is not a DPICH hop-port, then a QPSK modulation symbol  $s$  is generated by the modulator according to the procedure described in 9.2.6. This modulation symbol shall be modulated with energy  $P$  on hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$ , i.e., the value of the corresponding subcarrier shall be  $\sqrt{P}s$ , where  $P$  is the power density assigned to this erasure sequence (generated by the FTC MAC Protocol). The modulation shall be done on the antenna with index 0 in SymbolRateHopping mode, and on the tile-antenna with index 0 in BlockHopping mode.
5. Increment  $i$ . If  $i = n$ , or if  $i = N_{\text{MaxErasureHopports},F}$ , increment  $j$  and set  $i = 0$ .
6. If  $j = N_{\text{FRAME},F}$ , increment  $f$  and set  $j = 0$ .
7. If the last PHY Frame of transmission has been completed (as determined by the FTC MAC Protocol), then stop. Else repeat steps 3 through 7.

<sup>54</sup> The operations before scrambling and modulation are all trivial operations; i.e., they result in an all-zeros sequence. The erasure sequence is equivalent to scrambling an all-zeros sequence of the required length, followed by QPSK modulation.

### 9.3.2.6 Sector-specific scrambling

Each OFDM symbol in the superframe preamble as well as in every FL PHY Frame shall be scrambled by a sector-specific scrambling sequence. The scrambling operation shall be performed independently on each carrier. The rest of this section describes the scrambling operation for the carrier  $k$ , where  $k=0,1,\dots,N_{\text{CARRIERS}}-1$ . The scrambling sequence for the carrier  $k$  consists of a complex number for every subcarrier in the carrier  $k$  in every OFDM symbol in the superframe. The scrambling operation shall consist of multiplying the unscrambled complex symbol on each subcarrier by the corresponding entry in the scrambling sequence, unless both conditions (a) and (b) are true: (a) The subcarrier corresponds to a F-DPICH hop-port (via the hop-permutation), and (b)  $\text{FLDPISectorScramble}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $k$ , is set to 0. For subcarriers for which these conditions (a) and (b) are true, the scrambling operation shall consist of leaving the subcarrier unchanged; and a cell-specific scrambling sequence, as described in 9.3.2.7, shall be used to scramble the subcarrier.

Each complex number in the sector-specific scrambling sequence is generated from two bits, denoted by  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$ , using the following mapping:

1. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (0,0)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .
2. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (0,1)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .
3. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (1,0)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .
4. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (1,1)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

The sector-specific scrambling sequence for the carrier  $k$  shall be generated using two 20-bit registers, called the I-register and the Q-register, as shown in Figure 9-22 and Figure 9-23, respectively. The I-register shall have a generator polynomial  $h_I(D) = D^{20} + D^{19} + D^{16} + D^{14} + 1$  i.e., the  $n$ 'th output  $I(n)$  of the register shall satisfy  $I(n) = I(n-20) \oplus I(n-19) \oplus I(n-16) \oplus I(n-14)$ . The Q-register shall have a generator polynomial  $h_Q(D) = D^{20} + D^{18} + D^{15} + D^{14} + 1$  i.e., the  $n$ 'th output  $Q(n)$  of the register shall satisfy  $Q(n) = Q(n-20) \oplus Q(n-18) \oplus Q(n-15) \oplus Q(n-14)$ . Each entry in the sector-specific scrambling sequence shall be generated using  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits which are respectively the outputs of the I-register and the Q-register after they have been appropriately initialized and clocked as in the following description.

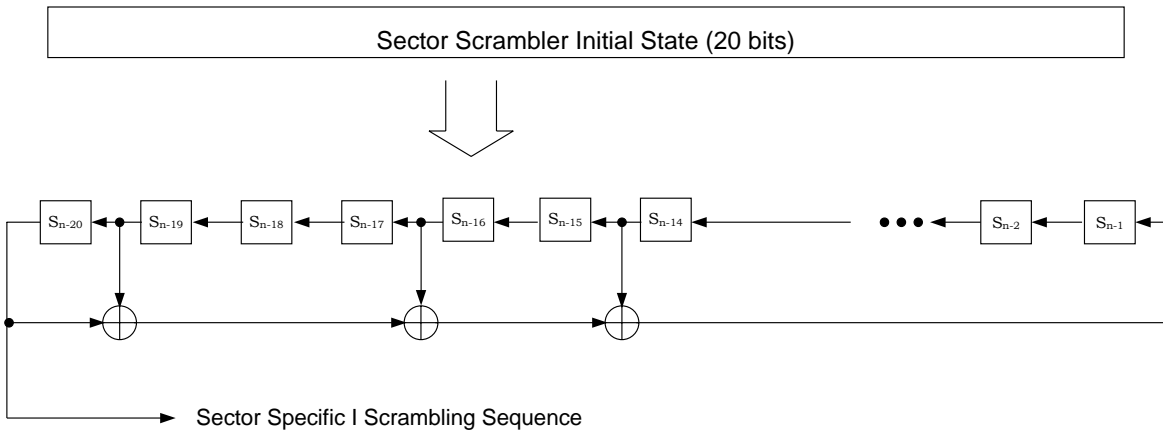
At the start of every superframe, define  $\text{PilotPNSectorScramb}$  to be identical to  $\text{PilotPhase}$  in SemiSynchronous mode and identical to  $\text{PilotPN}$  in Asynchronous mode. (Thus, for a given sector,  $\text{PilotPNSectorScramb}$  is fixed in Asynchronous mode, but changes every superframe in SemiSynchronous mode.) Let  $p_{11}, p_{10}, \dots, p_0$  be the 12 bits of  $(\text{PilotPNSectorScramb} + k) \bmod 4096$  for a given superframe, with  $p_{11}$  being the MSB and  $p_0$  being the LSB. At the beginning of each superframe, the I and Q registers shall both be initialized to the state  $[11111111p_{11}p_{10}p_9p_8p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0]$ . The I and Q registers shall then be clocked  $5N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  times in the superframe to generate the  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits for all of the subcarriers belonging to the carrier

k in the OFDM symbols with indices 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 in the superframe. The  $i$ 'th entry in the scrambling sequence (generated after  $i$  clock periods) is used to scramble the subcarrier with index  $i \bmod N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  in the carrier k, in the OFDM symbol with index  $\lfloor i / N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} \rfloor$  in the superframe.

The initial state of the I and Q registers shall be used to generate the scrambling sequence entry corresponding to the subcarrier with index 0 in the carrier k in the OFDM symbol with index 0.

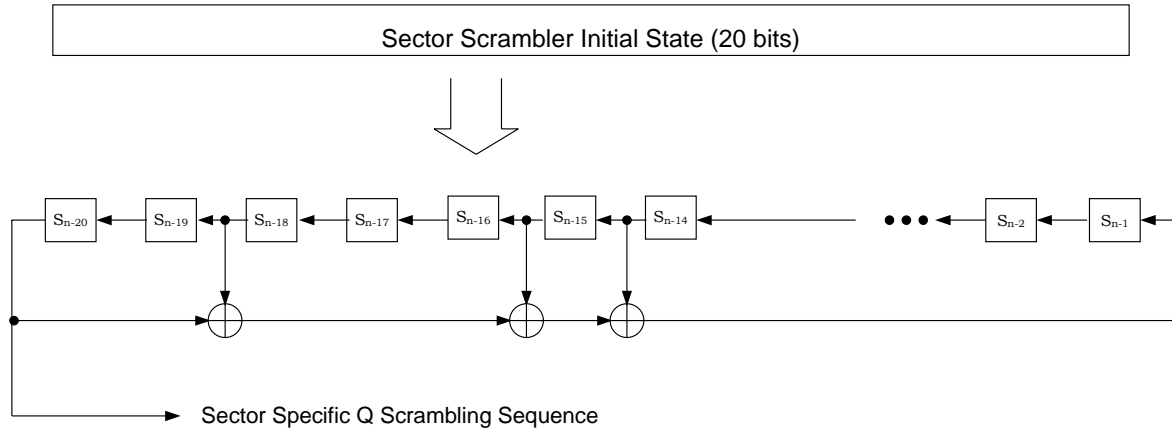
At the start of each of the OFDM symbols with indices 5,6,7 in the superframe, both the I and the Q registers shall be initialized. The initialization state shall be the same for both the I and the Q registers. The initialization state shall be the state  $[11111101p_1p_0p_1p_0p_1p_0p_1p_0p_1p_0]$ ,  $[11111110p_3p_2p_1p_0p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0]$ , and  $[11111100p_{11}p_{10}p_9p_8p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0]$ , at the start of the OFDM symbols indexed 5,6 and 7 respectively.<sup>55</sup> For each of these OFDM symbols, the entry in the scrambling sequence corresponding to the subcarrier with index  $i$  in the carrier k ( $i$  varying from 0 to  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} - 1$ ) shall be generated by clocking the I and Q registers  $i$  times, following their initialization. The  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits shall be, respectively, the outputs of the I and Q-registers. For each of these OFDM symbols indexed 5,6,7 in the superframe, the initial state (at the start of the OFDM symbol) of the I and Q registers shall be used to generate the scrambling sequence entry corresponding to the subcarrier with index 0 in the carrier k.

At the start of OFDM symbol with index 8 in the superframe, the I and Q registers shall both be initialized to the state  $[11111000p_{11}p_{10}p_9p_8p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0]$ . The I and Q registers shall then be clocked  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  times for each remaining OFDM symbol in the superframe to generate the  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  entries for all the subcarriers belonging to the carrier k in all the remaining OFDM symbols. The  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  entries generated from the I and Q registers after  $i$  clock periods, are used to scramble the subcarrier with index  $i \bmod N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  in the carrier k, in the OFDM symbol with index  $\lfloor i / N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} \rfloor + 8$  in the superframe. The initial state of the I and Q registers shall be used to generate the scrambling sequence entry corresponding to the subcarrier with index 0 in the carrier k, in the OFDM symbol with index 8.



**Figure 9-22 Sector-specific scrambler – I sequence**

<sup>55</sup> The OFDM Symbols with indices 5 and 6 are TDM pilots used in acquisition.



**Figure 9-23 Sector-specific scrambler – Q sequence**

### 9.3.2.7 Cell-specific scrambling for F-DPICH

The operations in this section shall be carried out independently for each carrier, and are described for the carrier with index  $k$ , where  $k=0,1,\dots,N_{\text{CARRIERS}}-1$ . The operations in this section shall be carried out for the carrier with index  $k$  if and only if  $\text{FLDPISectorScramble}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $k$ , is set to 0. Cell-specific scrambling symbols shall be generated only for subcarriers that correspond to F-DPICH hop-ports (via the hop-permutation), as defined in 9.3.2.5.2.3. These subcarriers are henceforth referred to as F-DPICH subcarriers. Each F-DPICH subcarrier in the carrier  $k$  shall be given an “F-DPICH-index” according to the following procedure:

1. At the start of each superframe, initialize to zero an OFDM symbol counter  $i$ , a subcarrier counter  $j$ , and an F-DPICH-index counter  $p$ .
2. If the subcarrier with index  $j$  in the carrier  $k$ , in the OFDM symbol with index  $i$  in the superframe, is an F-DPICH subcarrier, then set the F-DPICH-index of that subcarrier to  $p$  and increment  $p$  by 1.
3. Increment  $j$  by 1. If  $j=N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$ , set  $j$  to 0 and increment  $i$  by 1.
4. Repeat steps 2 and 3 until  $i$  equals the number of OFDM symbols in the superframe.

The cell-specific scrambling sequence consists of a complex number for every F-DPICH subcarrier. The scrambling operation shall consist of multiplying the unscrambled complex symbol on each F-DPICH subcarrier by the corresponding entry in the scrambling sequence. Each complex number in the cell-specific scrambling sequence is generated from two bits, denoted by  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$ , using the following mapping:

1. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (0,0)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .
2. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (0,1)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

3. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (1,0)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

4. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (1,1)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

The cell-specific scrambling sequence for the carrier  $k$  shall be generated using two 20-bit registers, called the I-register and the Q-register, as shown in Figure 9-22 and Figure 9-23, respectively. The I-register shall have a generator polynomial  $h_I(D) = D^{20} + D^{19} + D^{16} + D^{14} + 1$  i.e., the  $n$ 'th output  $I(n)$  of the register shall satisfy  $I(n) = I(n-20) \oplus I(n-19) \oplus I(n-16) \oplus I(n-14)$ . The Q-register shall have a generator polynomial  $h_Q(D) = D^{20} + D^{18} + D^{15} + D^{14} + 1$  i.e., the  $n$ 'th output  $Q(n)$  of the register shall satisfy  $Q(n) = Q(n-20) \oplus Q(n-18) \oplus Q(n-15) \oplus Q(n-14)$ . Each entry in the cell-specific scrambling sequence shall be generated using  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits which are respectively the outputs of the I-register and the Q-register after they have been appropriately initialized and clocked as in the following description.

Let CellPilotPN be the 12 bit number obtained from the PilotPN by setting its 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> bits to zero (where the bits are numbered starting from 0, with the 0<sup>th</sup> bit denoting the LSB). For the superframe with index  $i$ , let SFInd be set equal to  $i$  in SemiSynchronous mode and set equal to zero in Asynchronous mode. For the superframe with index  $i$ , let  $b_{11}, b_{10}, \dots, b_0$  be the 12 bits of  $(\text{CellPilotPN} + \text{SFInd} + k) \bmod 4096$ , with  $b_{11}$  being the MSB and  $b_0$  being the LSB. At the start of the first OFDM symbol in the superframe, both the I and the Q registers shall be initialized to the state  $[11110000b_{11}b_{10}b_9b_8b_7b_6b_5b_4b_3b_2b_1b_0]$ . The outputs of the I and Q registers after they are both clocked  $i$  times, shall respectively be the  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits of the scrambling sequence that are used to scramble the F-DPICH subcarrier with F-DPICH-index  $i$ . The initial states of the I and Q registers shall generate the scrambling bits corresponding to the F-DPICH subcarrier with F-DPICH-index 0.

### 9.3.2.8 Time-domain processing

The sequence of OFDM symbols at the output of the sector scrambler shall be converted to a complex baseband waveform according to the procedure described in Figure 9-24. This procedure consists of an Inverse Fourier Transform (IFT) operation, a windowing operation, and an overlap-and-add operation.

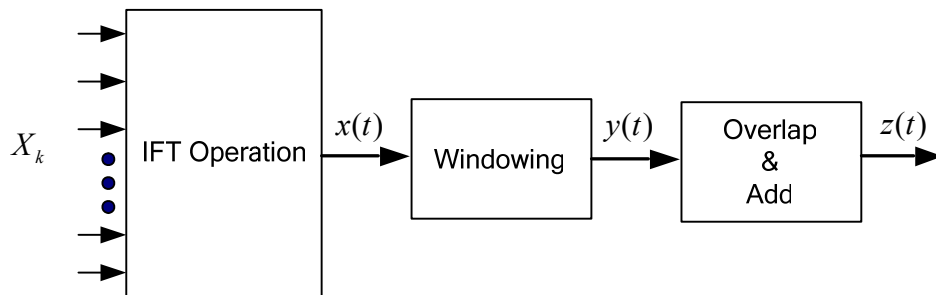


Figure 9-24 Time-domain processing

### 9.3.2.8.1 Symbol start time

The start time  $T_{\text{START,SF}}$  of the superframe with index  $i$  is given by the product of  $i$  with the superframe duration  $T_{\text{SUPERFRAME}}$ , where  $T_{\text{SUPERFRAME}}$  is as defined in 9.3.2.2.4.

In FDD, the start time of the  $k$ -th OFDM symbol in the superframe,  $k$  ranging from 0 to  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} + N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}}N_{\text{FRAME,F}} - 1$ , is given by  $T_{\text{START,SF}} + kT_{\text{s,PR}}$  if  $k$  is less than  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$ , and is given by  $T_{\text{START,SF}} + N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}T_{\text{s,PR}} + (k - N_{\text{PREAMBLE}})T_{\text{s}}$ , otherwise. Here  $T_{\text{START,SF}}$  is the start time of the superframe, and  $N_{\text{FDD,FLPHYFrames}}$  is defined by the Lower MAC sublayer.

In TDD mode, the start time of the  $k$ -th OFDM symbol in the superframe,  $k$  ranging from 0 to  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} + N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}}N_{\text{FRAME,F}} - 1$  is given by  $T_{\text{START,SF}} + kT_{\text{s,PR}}$  if  $k$  is less than  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$ , and is given by  $T_{\text{START,SF}} + N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}T_{\text{s,PR}} + (k - N_{\text{PREAMBLE}})T_{\text{s}} + \lfloor (k - N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}) / (N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} N_{\text{FRAME,F}}) \rfloor * (N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} N_{\text{FRAME,R}}T_{\text{s}} + T_{\text{G,TDD,F}} + T_{\text{G,TDD,R}})$ , otherwise. Here  $T_{\text{START,SF}}$  is the start time of the superframe, while  $T_{\text{s,PR}}$  and  $T_{\text{s}}$  are as defined in 9.3.2.2.3, and  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}}$  is defined by the Lower MAC sublayer.

### 9.3.2.8.2 IFT operation

Let  $X_k$  be the value of the complex modulation symbol on the  $k$ 'th subcarrier of an OFDM symbol,  $k$  ranging from 0 to  $N_{\text{FFT}}-1$ . The IFT of the OFDM symbol is given by the infinite duration signal:

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{\text{FFT}}}} \sum_{k=0}^{N_{\text{FFT}}-1} X_k e^{j2\pi(k - N_{\text{FFT}}/2)(t - T_{\text{CP,PR}} - T_{\text{START}})/(N_{\text{FFT}}T_{\text{CHIP}})}$$

during the superframe preamble and by:

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{\text{FFT}}}} \sum_{k=0}^{N_{\text{FFT}}-1} X_k e^{j2\pi(k - N_{\text{FFT}}/2)(t - T_{\text{CP,PR}} - T_{\text{START}})/(N_{\text{FFT}}T_{\text{CHIP}})}$$

during each FL PHY Frame, where  $T_{\text{START}}$  denotes the start time of the OFDM symbol,  $T_{\text{CP,PR}}$  and  $T_{\text{CP}}$  are as defined in 9.3.2.2.3, and  $j$  denotes the complex number  $(0,1)$ .

### 9.3.2.8.3 Windowing

The signal  $x(t)$  at the output of the IFT shall be multiplied by the window function  $w(t)$ , where  $w(t)$  is given by the equation:

$$w(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & , t < T_{\text{START}} - T_{\text{WGI}} \\ 0.5 - 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t + T_{\text{WGI}} - T_{\text{START}})}{T_{\text{WGI}}}\right) & , T_{\text{START}} - T_{\text{WGI}} \leq t < T_{\text{START}} \\ 1 & , T_{\text{START}} \leq t < T_{\text{START}} + T_{\text{CP,PR}} + T_{\text{FFT}} \\ 0.5 + 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t - T_{\text{START}} - T_{\text{CP,PR}} - T_{\text{FFT}})}{T_{\text{WGI}}}\right) & , T_{\text{START}} + T_{\text{CP,PR}} + T_{\text{FFT}} \leq t < T'_{\text{s,PR}} \\ 0 & , t \geq T'_{\text{s,PR}} \end{cases}$$

during the superframe preamble, and by the equation:

$$w(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & , t < T_{START} - T_{WGI} \\ 0.5 - 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t + T_{WGI} - T_{START})}{T_{WGI}}\right) & , T_{START} - T_{WGI} \leq t < T_{START} \\ 1 & , T_{START} \leq t < T_{START} + T_{CP} + T_{FFT} \\ 0.5 + 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t - T_{START} - T_{CP} - T_{FFT})}{T_{WGI}}\right) & , T_{START} + T_{CP} + T_{FFT} \leq t < T'_s \\ 0 & , t \geq T'_s \end{cases}$$

during each FL PHY Frame, where  $T_{START}$  denotes the start time of the OFDM symbol. The quantities  $T_{FFT}$ ,  $T_s$ ,  $T'_s$ ,  $T_{s,PR}$  and  $T_{s,PR}'$  are as defined in 9.3.2.2.3.

The windowed signal  $y(t)$  is given by  $y(t) = x(t)w(t)$ .

#### 9.3.2.8.4 Overlap and add operation

The windowed IFTs  $y(t)$  corresponding to all of the OFDM symbols shall be added together to create the final complex baseband waveform  $z(t)$ . In this procedure, neighboring OFDM symbols overlap for duration  $T_{WGI}$ , as illustrated in Figure 9-25.

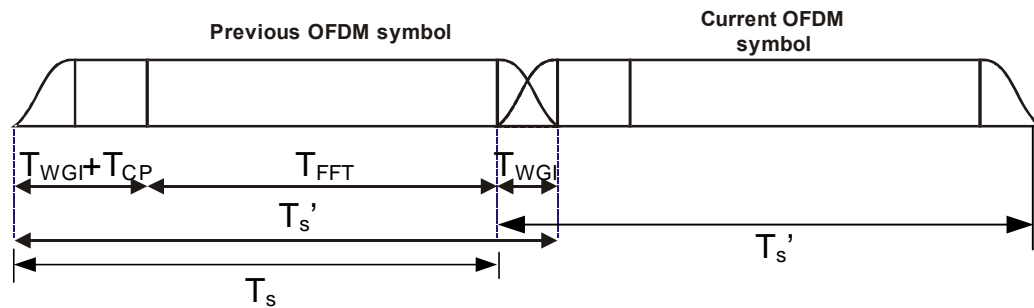


Figure 9-25 Overlap and add operation

### 9.3.3 Synchronization and timing

#### 9.3.3.1 Timing reference source

Each sector shall use a time-base reference from which all time-critical transmission components, including superframe boundaries, PHY Frame boundaries, and superframe indices, shall be derived. In SemiSynchronous mode, the time-base reference of any two sectors shall be time-aligned to each other with a maximum error of PilotIncrement times  $T_{SUPERFRAME}/4$ , where PilotIncrement is a configuration attribute of the Active Set Management Protocol.

There is also a notion of two sectors being synchronous with each other. If two sectors are referred to as being synchronous with each other, their time-base references shall be time-aligned to each other with a maximum error of  $10\mu s$ .



In Asynchronous mode, there is no requirement for the alignment of the time-base references of two sectors.

### 9.3.3.2 Sector transmission time

Each sector shall radiate the superframe boundary aligned to its time-base reference. Time measurements are made at the sector antenna connector. If a sector has multiple radiating antenna connectors for the same channel, time measurements are made at the antenna connector having the earliest radiated signal.

The rate of change for timing corrections shall not exceed 102 nanoseconds (ns) per 200 milliseconds (ms).

## 9.4 Access terminal requirements

### 9.4.1 Modulation characteristics

This section describes the transmission from an access terminal (AT) to a subset of the set of sectors in its active set, where the Active Set is public data of the Active Set Management Protocol. This subset consists of sectors that are synchronous with each other. Moreover, the subset is a maximal subset, i.e., all sectors that are synchronous with the sectors in this subset are contained in this subset. This subset will be referred to as  $AS_{\text{SYNCH}}$ . The different synchronous subsets  $AS_{\text{SYNCH}}$  can be constructed using the last instance of the Active Set Add Message. Transmission from the access terminal to two different synchronous subsets of the active set shall be independent of each other, and shall each follow the procedures specified in this section.

#### 9.4.1.1 Superframe timing

The reverse link transmission shall be divided into units of superframes. The duration of a reverse link superframe shall be the same as the duration of a forward link superframe, and the reverse link superframe shall be time-aligned with the forward link superframe as described in 9.4.2. Each reverse-link superframe is identified by a superframe index that is the same as the index of the time-aligned forward link superframe.

The structure of a reverse link superframe shall be as shown in Figure 9-26 for FDD and as shown in Figure 9-27, Figure 9-28, and Figure 9-29 for TDD with different values of  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  and  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$ . Each superframe consists of  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}}$  RL PHY Frames in FDD and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}}$  RL PHY Frames in TDD. Here  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}}$  and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}}$ <sup>56</sup> are defined by the Lower MAC sublayer. The structure of the superframe preamble and each RL PHY Frame shall be as shown in Figure 9-30.

The PHY layer chapter of this specification uses a RL PHY Frame indexing scheme that is convenient for the descriptions herein, but is not necessarily consistent with indexing schemes used in other layers and sublayers in the specification. In this indexing scheme, the RL PHY Frames in a given superframe shall be indexed sequentially from 0 through  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}} - 1$  in FDD mode and from 0 through  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} - 1$  in TDD mode. The RL PHY Frame index is sometimes also referred to using its 6-bit binary representation.

<sup>56</sup> Note that  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}}$  is a function of  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  and  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$ .



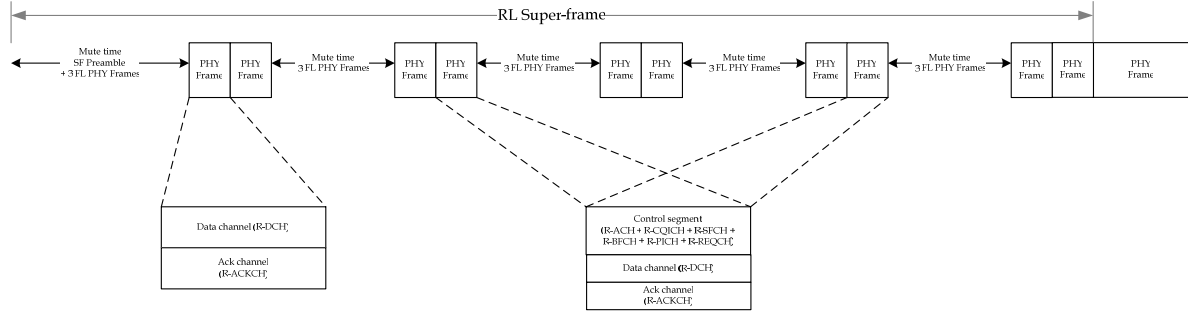
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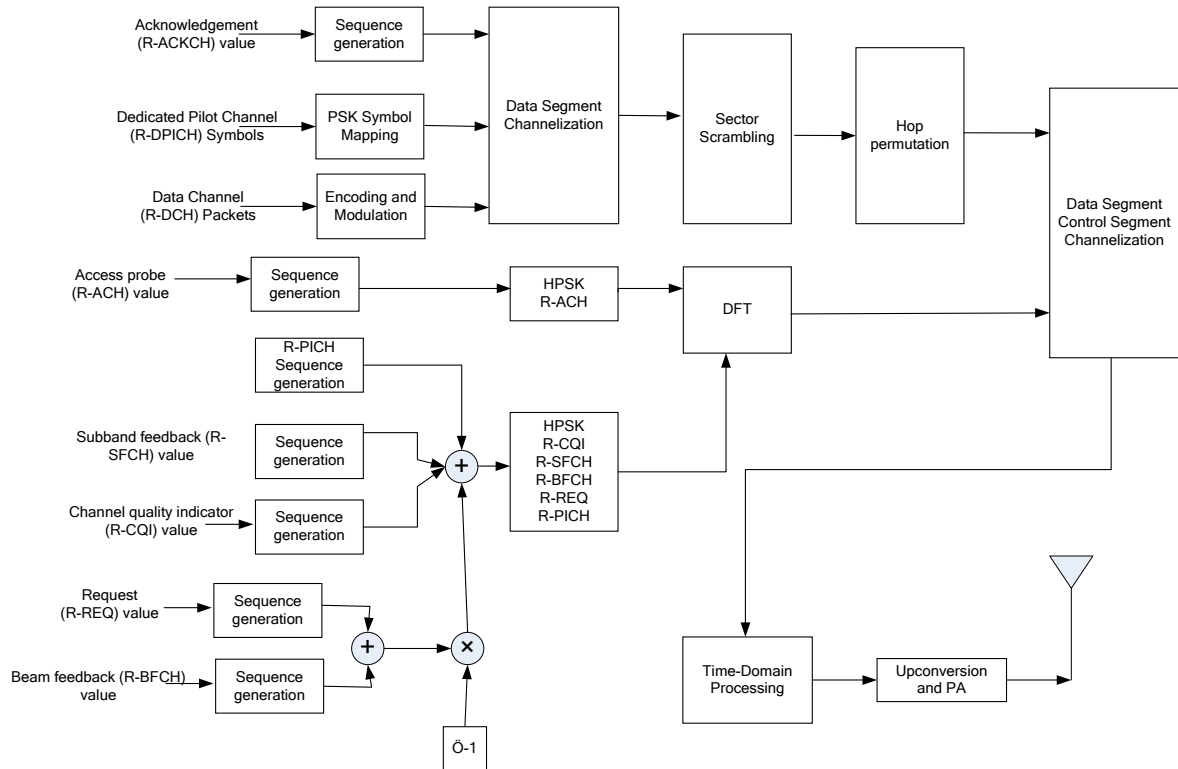
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**Figure 9-29 Reverse link superframe structure ( $N_{FL\_BURST}=3$ ,  $N_{RL\_BURST}=2$ )**



**Figure 9-30 Reverse channel structure**

#### 9.4.1.2 OFDM symbol characteristics

The modulation used on the reverse link is Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM); i.e., each RL PHY Frame is subdivided into units of OFDM symbols. An OFDM symbol consists of  $N_{FFT}$  individually modulated subcarriers that carry complex-valued data. Complex-valued data is represented in the form  $d = (d_{re}, d_{im})$ , where  $d_{re}$  and  $d_{im}$  represent the real and imaginary components respectively. The subcarriers in each OFDM symbol shall be numbered 0 through  $N_{FFT}-1$ .

An additional indexing scheme may be used in MultiCarrierOn mode. The  $N_{\text{FFT}}$  subcarriers are split into  $N_{\text{CARRIERS}}$  contiguous groups, each of which is referred to as a carrier. Each carrier consists of  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  subcarriers, where  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} = N_{\text{FFT}} / N_{\text{CARRIERS}}$ . Each carrier has an associated index, sometimes referred to as CarrierIndex, that ranges from 0 through  $N_{\text{CARRIERS}} - 1$ . The carrier with index  $c$  consists of subcarriers indexed  $cN_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  through  $(c+1)N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} - 1$ . In MultiCarrierOff mode, all  $N_{\text{FFT}}$  subcarriers belong to a single carrier having CarrierIndex 0. Furthermore, the subcarriers within each carrier may be indexed from 0 to  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} - 1$  and the phrases “subcarrier  $f$  in carrier  $c$ ” and “subcarrier with index  $f$  within carrier with index  $c$ ” shall be equivalent to “subcarrier  $cN_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + f$ .” These two subcarrier indexing schemes are used interchangeably in the Physical Layer chapter of this specification.

#### 9.4.1.2.1 Guard subcarriers

Some of the available subcarriers in an OFDM symbol are designated as guard subcarriers and shall not be modulated; i.e., no energy shall be transmitted on these subcarriers. The number of guard subcarriers in each OFDM symbol shall be  $N_{\text{GUARD}}$ , and the set of guard subcarriers shall be the subcarriers numbered 0 through  $N_{\text{GUARD}}/2 - 1$  and the subcarriers numbered  $N_{\text{FFT}} - N_{\text{GUARD}}/2$  through  $N_{\text{FFT}} - 1$ .

The number of guard subcarriers  $N_{\text{GUARD}}$  for the reverse link shall be the same as the number of guard subcarriers on the forward link, and is given by NumGuardSubcarriers, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for any sector. The AT shall use the value corresponding to any sector in AS<sub>SYNCH</sub>. (All sectors in AS<sub>SYNCH</sub> have the same value of  $N_{\text{GUARD}}$ .)

#### 9.4.1.2.2 Quasi-guard subcarriers

In multi-carrier mode, additional sub-carriers within each OFDM symbol are designated as quasi-guard subcarriers and shall not be modulated, i.e., no energy shall be transmitted on these subcarriers. The set of quasi-guard subcarriers in each RL PHY Frame shall be the subcarriers numbered  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} * m - N_{\text{GUARD}}/2$  through  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} * m + N_{\text{GUARD}}/2 - 1$  where  $m = 1, \dots, N_{\text{CARRIERS}} - 1$ .

Any subcarrier that is not a guard or a quasi-guard subcarrier is referred to as a usable subcarrier.

#### 9.4.1.2.3 OFDM symbol duration

The total OFDM symbol duration, denoted by  $T_s$ , consists of four parts:

- A data part with duration  $T_{\text{FFT}}$ , where  $T_{\text{FFT}} = N_{\text{FFT}} T_{\text{CHIP}}$ .
- A flat guard interval, also known as a cyclic prefix. The duration of this interval shall be given by  $T_{\text{CP}}$  for all the OFDM symbols in TDD mode, and in all but the first  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  OFDM symbols of each superframe in FDD mode. In FDD mode, the duration of the flat guard interval in the first  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  OFDM symbols of each superframe shall be given by  $T_{\text{CP,PR}}$ . Here,  $T_{\text{CP}}$  and  $T_{\text{CP,PR}}$  are as defined in 9.3.2.2.3, while  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  is as defined in 9.3.2.2.4.
- Two windowed guard intervals, of duration  $T_{\text{WGI}}$  each., on the two sides of the OFDM symbol. The windowed guard interval duration is the same as on the forward link. There is an overlap of  $T_{\text{WGI}}$  between consecutive OFDM symbols (see Figure 9-37).

The effective OFDM symbol duration is given by  $T_{s,\text{PR}} = T_{\text{FFT}} + T_{\text{CP,PR}} + T_{\text{WGI}}$  for the first  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  OFDM symbols of each superframe in FDD mode, and by  $T_s = T_{\text{FFT}} + T_{\text{CP}} + T_{\text{WGI}}$  in all other cases. This effective OFDM symbol duration will henceforth be referred to as the OFDM symbol duration.

#### 9.4.1.2.4 Superframe duration

In FDD mode, each RL PHY Frame consists of  $N_{\text{FRAME,R}}$  OFDM symbols, with the exception of the RL PHY Frame with index 0 in a superframe. The RL PHY Frame with index 0 in a superframe consists of  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  additional OFDM symbols, each having a duration of  $T_{\text{s,PR}}$ . The superframe duration on the reverse link is therefore equal to

$$T_{\text{SUPERFRAME}} = N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} T_{\text{s,PR}} + N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}} N_{\text{FRAME,R}} T_{\text{s}}.$$

This duration is exactly equal to the forward link superframe duration.

In TDD mode, each RL PHY Frame consists of  $N_{\text{FRAME,R}}$  OFDM symbols. The mute time between adjacent sets of contiguous RL PHY Frames within a superframe in TDD equals the duration of  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} N_{\text{FRAME,F}}$  OFDM symbols plus guard time  $T_{\text{G,TDD,F}}$  and  $T_{\text{G,TDD,R}}$ . The mute time at the beginning of the reverse superframe equals the duration of the superframe preamble  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} T_{\text{s,PR}}$  plus  $N_{\text{FRAME,F}}$  OFDM symbols and guard time  $T_{\text{G,TDD,F}}$ . The total superframe duration is given by

$$T_{\text{SUPERFRAME}} = N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} T_{\text{s,PR}} + N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} * N_{\text{FRAME,F}} T_{\text{s}} + N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} * N_{\text{FRAME,R}} T_{\text{s}} + (T_{\text{G,TDD,F}} + T_{\text{G,TDD,R}}) * (N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}} / N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}).$$

Here  $T_{\text{s}}$  is as defined in 9.3.2.2.4 while  $N_{\text{TDD,FLPHYFrames}}$  and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}}$  are as defined by the Lower MAC sublayer.

#### 9.4.1.2.5 Control and data segments

Each RL PHY Frame in both FDD and TDD modes shall contain the Data Segment.

As shown in Figure 9-26, in FDD mode an RL PHY Frame with index  $j$  within the superframe shall contain the Control Segment in every carrier if  $j \bmod 6 = 5$ .

In TDD mode, an RL PHY Frame with index  $j$  within the superframe with index  $i$  shall contain the Control Segment in every carrier if

$$(i * N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} + j) \bmod (k * N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}) = k * N_{\text{RL\_BURST}} - 1$$

where  $k$  is the smallest integer such that  $k * (N_{\text{FL\_BURST}} + N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}) \geq 6$ . The RL PHY Frames containing the control segment for TDD mode with different sets of parameters  $N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}$  and  $N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$  are shown in Figure 9-27 and Figure 9-28. In both TDD and FDD, on the  $m^{\text{th}}$  carrier, the Control Segment occupies  $N_{\text{CTRL\_SUBBANDS}}$  subbands where  $N_{\text{CTRL\_SUBBANDS}}$  is equal to  $\text{NumRLControlSubbands}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Message Protocol on carrier  $m$ .

The Control Segment Period is defined as 6 RL PHY Frames in FDD mode and defined as  $k * N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}$  in TDD mode.

The Data Segment carries the R-DCH, R-DPICH, and R-ACKCH while the Control Segment carries the R-CQICH, the R-SFCH, the R-BFCH, the R-REQCH, the R-PICH, and the R-ACH.

#### 9.4.1.2.6 Hop-port indexing

The subcarriers in each carrier of each OFDM symbol will also use a second indexing scheme known as hop-port indexing. In this scheme, each carrier in each OFDM symbol consists of  $Q_{SDMA}N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$  individually-modulated hop-ports. Here  $Q_{SDMA}$  is equal to  $RLNumSDMADimensions$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol on that carrier. The hop-ports in each carrier are indexed from 0 through  $Q_{SDMA}N_{CARRIER\_SIZE} - 1$ . The hop-port with index  $p$  in the carrier with CarrierIndex  $k$  is sometimes represented by the pair  $(k,p)$ . An order is defined on the set of such pairs by saying that  $(k_0,p_0) < (k_1,p_1)$  if either of the following two conditions is satisfied:

1.  $k_0 < k_1$ , or
2.  $k_0 = k_1$  and  $p_0 < p_1$ .

There is a mapping between the  $Q_{SDMA}N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$  hop-ports and the  $N_{CARRIER\_SIZE}$  subcarriers in each carrier, called a hop-permutation, which changes every RL PHY Frame and is different for different sectors. The sequence of hop-permutations, also called the hopping sequence, is described in 9.4.1.3.

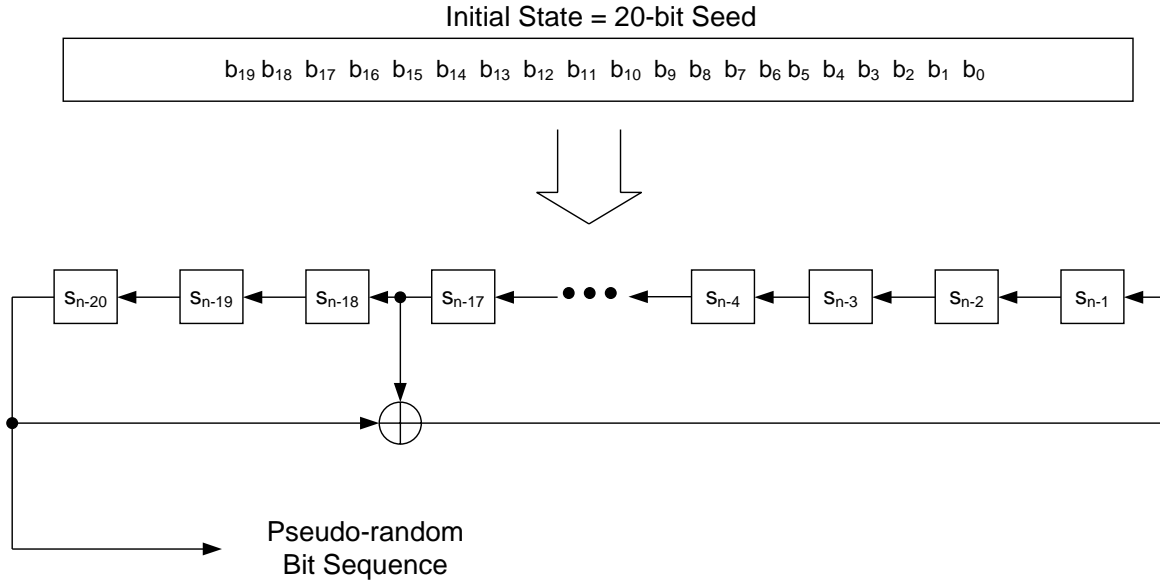
#### 9.4.1.3 Hopping sequence generation

The hopping sequence will be described as a mapping from the set of hop-ports to the set of subcarriers. The reverse link implements block hopping. In this scheme, the set of non-guard hop-ports is divided into groups of  $N_{BLOCK}$  consecutive hop-ports, each of which is denoted as a block. The hop-permutation will map a block of hop-ports to a group of subcarriers with consecutive indices. This group of subcarriers will also be referred to as a block. Furthermore, the hop permutation will remain constant for the duration of the RL PHY Frame. In this design, therefore, a group of hop-ports spanning a RL PHY Frame worth of OFDM symbols in time and  $N_{BLOCK}$  hop-ports in hop-port space are mapped to neighboring tones in the time-frequency grid. This group of  $N_{BLOCK}N_{FRAME,R}$  hop-ports shall be referred to as a tile for all RL PHY Frames except those with index 0 in FDD mode. RL PHY Frames with index 0 within a superframe span  $(N_{FRAME,R} + N_{PREAMBLE})$  OFDM symbols in FDD mode. For these RL PHY Frames, the group of  $N_{BLOCK}(N_{FRAME,R} + N_{PREAMBLE})$  hop-ports shall be referred to as a tile.

##### 9.4.1.3.1 Common permutation generation algorithm

Some of the permutations used for RL hopping shall be generated using a common permutation generation algorithm. The algorithm takes a 20-bit seed and a permutation size  $M$  as inputs and outputs a permutation of the set  $\{0, 1, \dots, M-1\}$ . The algorithm uses a linear feedback shift register to generate pseudorandom numbers, which in turn are used to generate pseudorandom permutations.

The 20-tap linear feedback shift register shall have a generator sequence of  $h(D) = 1 + D^{17} + D^{20}$ , as shown in Figure 9-31. The  $j$ 'th output  $s(j)$  of this shift register shall satisfy  $s(j) = s(j-17) \oplus s(j-20)$ . The initial state of the register shall generate the first output bit. A pseudorandom number  $x$  in  $\{0, 1, \dots, 2^n-1\}$  for any  $n < 17$  can be generated by clocking the register  $n$  times, with the initial output bit being the LSB of  $x$  and the final ( $n$ 'th) output bit being the MSB of  $x$ .



**Figure 9-31 PN Register for generating pseudorandom bits**

The common permutation generation algorithm shall generate a permutation of size M as follows:

1. Initialization Steps:

- a. Let n be the smallest integer such that  $M \leq 2^n$ .
  - b. Initialize an array A of size M with the numbers 0, 1, 2, ..., M-1 (i.e.,  $A[0]=0$ ,  $A[1]=1$  ...,  $A[M-1]=M-1$ )
  - c. Initialize the PN register with the 20-bit seed.
  - d. Initialize counter i to M-1.
2. Repeat the following steps until i=0.
- a. Find the smallest p such that  $i < 2^p$ .
  - b. Initialize counter j to 0 and an output x to i+1.
  - c. Repeat the following steps until j=3 or until  $x \leq i$ .
  - d. Clock the PN register n times to obtain an n-bit pseudorandom number. Set x to be the p LSBs of that number.
  - e. Increment j by 1.
  - f. If  $x > i$ , set  $x = x-i$ .
  - g. Swap the i'th and the x'th elements in the array A (i.e.,  $\text{tmp} = A[x]$ ,  $A[x] = A[i]$ ,  $A[i] = \text{tmp}$ .)

- h. Decrement counter  $i$  by 1.
3. The resulting array  $A$  is the output permutation  $P$ ; i.e.,  $P(x)$  is the location of  $x$  in array  $A$ . For example, if  $A$  reads 345201, then  $P(0)=4$ ,  $P(1)=5$ ,  $P(2)=3$ ,  $P(3)=0$ ,  $P(4)=1$ , and  $P(5)=2$ .

### 9.4.1.3.2 RL Hop Permutation Generation

RL Hop Permutation Generation is described in this section for both MultiCarrierOff and MultiCarrierOn modes. In MultiCarrierOff mode, the hop permutation depends on several parameters which are obtained from the Overhead Messages Protocol. In MultiCarrierOn mode, the hop permutation on carrier  $c$ , where  $c$  is in  $\{0, 1, \dots, N_{\text{CARRIERS}} - 1\}$  depends on several parameters obtained from the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . These parameters may vary from carrier to carrier.<sup>57</sup>

Space Division Multiple Access (SDMA) is supported on the Reverse Link. There are a total of  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  hop-ports on carrier  $c$ , which are mapped to the  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  subcarriers corresponding to carrier  $c$ . Here  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  is equal to  $\text{RLNumSDMADimensions}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . The set of hop ports shall be divided into  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  groups, each of which has  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  hop-ports and shall be referred to as an SDMA sub-tree<sup>58</sup>. The sub-trees shall be numbered  $\{0, 1, \dots, Q - 1\}$  where  $Q = Q_{\text{SDMA}}$ . The hop port with index  $p$ <sup>59</sup> shall belong to sub-tree with index  $q$ , where  $q = \lfloor p / N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} \rfloor$ . Note that hop-ports in different SDMA sub-trees can get mapped to the same subcarrier.

The set of  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  hop-ports in each carrier in each SDMA sub-tree is divided into  $S$  subbands, where  $S$  shall be equal to  $\text{RLNumSubbands}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . The subbands shall be numbered  $\{0, 1, \dots, S - 1\}$  and each subband shall have  $N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$  hop-ports, where  $N_{\text{SUBBAND}} = N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} / S$ . The hop-port with index  $p$  shall belong to subband with index  $s$ , where  $s = \lfloor (p \bmod N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}) / N_{\text{SUBBAND}} \rfloor$ .

Furthermore, as mentioned previously, the reverse link implements block hopping. For this reason, the set of  $N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$  hop-ports in each subband is divided into a number of blocks, each of which has  $N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  hop-ports. The blocks shall be numbered  $\{0, 1, \dots, B - 1\}$  where  $B = N_{\text{SUBBAND}} / N_{\text{BLOCK}}$ . The hop-port with index  $p$  shall belong to block with index  $b$ , where  $b = \lfloor (p \bmod N_{\text{SUBBAND}}) / N_{\text{BLOCK}} \rfloor$ .

The index of the hop port  $p$  within the block which it belongs to shall be denoted as  $r$ , where  $r = p \bmod N_{\text{BLOCK}}$ . Thus, there is a one-to-one correspondence between hop-port  $p$  and the tuple  $(c, q, s, b, r)$ . For the rest of this document, the two notations are used interchangeably and “hop-port ( $c$ ,

<sup>57</sup> A parameter that can vary from carrier to carrier should be indexed by the carrier index  $c$ . However, for convenience of notation, the index  $c$  is dropped and the parameter is assumed to correspond to the carrier of interest. For example,  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}$  should be interpreted as  $Q_{\text{SDMA}}(c)$  when generating the hop permutation for hop-ports in carrier  $c$ , and should be obtained from the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ .

<sup>58</sup> The term “sub-tree” is used since the  $Q_{\text{SDMA}} N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  hop-ports are part of a “channel tree” defined by the RTC MAC protocol.

<sup>59</sup> Here “hop-port  $p$ ” should be interpreted as “hop-port  $p$  on carrier  $c$ .” The phrase “on carrier  $c$ ” will be omitted for convenience of notation.



q, s, b, r)” shall be used to refer to hop-port p on carrier c, where

$$p = qN_{CARRIER\_SIZE} + sN_{SUBBAND} + bN_{BLOCK} + r.$$

The hop-ports within each subband shall be divided into two groups: non-guard hop-ports and guard hop-ports. The guard hop-ports shall be mapped to either the guard subcarriers or the quasi-guard subcarriers. The individual elements of this mapping are not specified since these hop-ports shall not be modulated.

A hop-port (c, q, s, b, r) shall be mapped to a guard subcarrier or a quasi-guard subcarrier either if:<sup>60</sup>

$$b > B - 1 - \left\lfloor \frac{N_{GUARD} / N_{BLOCK}}{S} \right\rfloor$$

or if:

$$b = B - 1 - \left\lfloor \frac{N_{GUARD} / N_{BLOCK}}{S} \right\rfloor \text{ and } \left| \frac{S}{2} - \frac{1}{4} - s \right| > \frac{S - [(N_{GUARD} / N_{BLOCK}) \bmod S]}{2}$$

The hop-ports that are not guard hop-ports shall be referred to as non-guard hop-ports. Note that hop-ports in a block are either all guard hop-ports or all non-guard hop-ports. A hop-port block consisting of only non-guard hop-ports shall be referred to as a non-guard hop-port block. The number of non-guard hop-port blocks in subband s shall be denoted as  $B_{NON-GUARD}(s)$ . Note that  $B_{NON-GUARD}(s) \leq B$  and a hop-port (c, q, s, b, r) is non-guard if  $0 \leq b \leq B_{NON-GUARD}(s) - 1$ . Also note that  $B_{NON-GUARD}(s)$  does not depend on the carrier index c.

Furthermore, some non-guard hop-ports may be allocated to the control segment (as described in 9.4.1.3.2.1) in any given interlace. The non-guard hop-ports not allocated to the control segment in a given interlace shall be referred to as usable hop-ports<sup>61</sup> for that interlace.

Let  $H^{ij}(c, q, s, b, r)$  denote the subcarrier allocated to non-guard hop-port (c, q, s, b, r) in RL PHY Frame j in superframe i.  $H^{ij}$  is referred to as the hop permutation and shall be given by the following equation:

$$H^{ij}(c, q, s, b, r) = cN_{CARRIER\_SIZE} + \frac{N_{GUARD}}{2} + N_{BLOCK} H_{GLOBAL}^{ij}(c, q, s, H_{SECTOR}^{ij}(c, q, s, b)) + r$$

<sup>60</sup> The idea behind these equations is that all subbands have approximately the same number of non-guard hop-ports. When  $(N_{GUARD} / N_{BLOCK})$  is a multiple of S, the first equation ensures that the highest numbered blocks in each subband are mapped to the guard subcarriers. In an asymmetric situation when  $(N_{GUARD} / N_{BLOCK})$  is not a multiple of S, the second equation ensures that the subbands most distant from the center of the carrier have one additional guard hop-port block.

<sup>61</sup> Note that “usable hop-ports” refer to hop-ports that can be used by the data segment. Some hop-ports which are not usable are actually used by the control segment. Contrast this with the definition of “usable subcarriers,” which are defined as subcarriers that can be used either by the data segment or control segment.

Here  $H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{ij}(c, q, s, b)$  is a permutation of non-guard hop-port blocks  $b$  in the SDMA sub-tree  $q$ , carrier  $c$  and subband  $s$ . The generation of this permutation is described in 9.4.1.3.2.4.

$H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}(c, q, s, b')$  is a permutation of all non-guard hop-port blocks in all subbands in carrier  $c$  and SDMA sub-tree  $q$ . The generation of  $H^{ij}$  is different for different values of  $\text{RLDiversityHoppingMode}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . The generation of this permutation is described in 9.4.1.3.2.2 and 9.4.1.3.2.3.

#### 9.4.1.3.2.1 Control Segment Hopping

The generation of the permutation  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}$  depends on whether the CDM control segment is present in RL PHY Frame  $j$ . The RL PHY Frames which contain a CDM control segment are specified in 9.4.1.2.5.

If the control segment is present in a RL PHY Frame, then an integer number of hop-port subbands shall be allocated to the control segment in each carrier. This number, denoted  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}$  shall be equal to  $\text{NumRLControlSubbands}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . All non-guard hop-ports in the subbands that satisfy

$$\left| \frac{S}{2} - \frac{1}{4} - s \right| < \frac{N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}}{2}$$

shall be allocated to the control segment. If the control segment is absent in a RL PHY Frame, then  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}$  shall be equal to zero, and consequently no hop-ports shall be allocated to the control segment.

Let  $S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}$  be the subband with the lowest index allocated to the control segment in carrier  $c$ . (When  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}} = 0$ ,  $S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}$  shall be set to  $S/2$ .) Thus all non-guard hop-ports in subbands  $\{S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}, S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} + 1, \dots, S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} + N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}} - 1\}$  shall be allocated to the control segment. The number of hop-port-blocks allocated to the control segment in carrier  $c$  equals  $N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$ , where

$$N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}} = \sum_{k=0}^{N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}-1} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} + k).$$

These hop-ports shall be mapped to a contiguous set of subcarriers as follows.

1. Find  $\text{TMP} = [(\text{RLSectorHopSeed} * 4 * 64 * 4096 + c * 64 * 4096 + j * 4096 + (i \bmod 4096)) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ . Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{CONTROL}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of  $\text{TMP}$  in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{CONTROL}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ . Here  $\text{RLSectorHopSeed}$  is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ .
2. Set  $S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} = \min(\text{SEED}_{\text{CONTROL}} \bmod S, S - N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}})$ .

3. Generate a permutation  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}$  as described in 9.4.1.3.2.2. The contiguous set of  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}}$  subcarriers indexed  $f_{\text{MIN-CTRL}}$  to  $(f_{\text{MIN-CTRL}} + N_{\text{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}} - 1)$  shall be allocated to the control segment, where  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}} = N_{\text{BLOCK}} N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$  and

$$f_{\text{MIN-CTRL}} = c N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} + \frac{N_{\text{GUARD}}}{2} + N_{\text{BLOCK}} \sum_{k: H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(k) < S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k)$$

#### 9.4.1.3.2.2 Generation of $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}$ when RLDiversityHoppingMode is off

The permutation  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}(c, q, s, b)$  shall be generated for carrier  $c$  as follows when RLDiversityHoppingMode is off:

1. Determine  $S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$  and  $S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}$  for carrier  $c$  as described in 9.4.1.3.2.1.
2. Generate a permutation  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}$ <sup>62</sup> which shall satisfy  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(s) = s$  except for the following subbands:
  - a.  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} + k) = S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} + k$  for  $0 \leq k \leq N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBAND}} - 1$
  - b. If  $|S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} - S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}| \geq N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}$ , then  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} + k) = S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} + k$  for  $0 \leq k \leq N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}} - 1$ .
  - c. If  $0 \leq S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} - S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} < N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}$ , then  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} + k) = S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} + N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}} + k$  for  $0 \leq k < S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} - S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$
  - d. If  $0 \leq S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} - S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} < N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}$ , then  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} + N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}} - 1 - k) = S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} - 1 - k$  for  $0 \leq k < S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} - S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}$

$$H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}(c, q, s, b) = \left[ \sum_{k: H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(k) < H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(s)} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k) \right] + b$$

<sup>62</sup>  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}$  maps the control segment to a contiguous pseudo-random set of subbands. The data subbands displaced by the control segment are then mapped to the center of the carrier. All other subbands are left unchanged. Thus, the permutation will be the identity permutation i.e.,  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(s) = s$  for all  $s$  when the control segment is absent.

### 9.4.1.3.2.3 Generation of $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}$ when RLDiversityHoppingMode is on

When RLDiversityHoppingMode is on,  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}(\mathbf{c}, \mathbf{q}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{b})$  is a permutation of the non-guard-hop-port blocks in all subbands in carrier  $\mathbf{c}$  of SDMA sub-tree  $\mathbf{q}$ . The generation of  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}$  will be different for different values of RLSectorHopSeed, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $\mathbf{c}$ .  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}$  shall be generated as follows:

1. Determine  $S_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$ ,  $S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}$  and  $N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$  for carrier  $\mathbf{c}$  as described in 9.4.1.3.2.1. Generate a permutation  $H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}$  as described in 9.4.1.3.2.2. Determine  $B_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$  and  $B_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}$ , where

$$B_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}} = \sum_{k: H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(k) < H_{\text{SUBBAND}}^{ij}(S)} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k) \text{ and}$$

$$B_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} = \sum_{k=0}^{S_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}-1} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k)$$

2. If RLSectorHopSeed is not equal to 1111 (in binary notation), set  $\text{TMP} = [(\text{RLSectorHopSeed} * 4 * 64 * 4096 + \mathbf{c} * 64 * 4096 + \mathbf{j} * 4096 + (\mathbf{i} \bmod 4096)) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ .
3. When RLSectorHopSeed is equal to 1111, set  $\text{TMP} = [(\text{RLSectorHopSeed} * 4 * 64 * 4096 + \mathbf{c} * 64 * 4096 + \mathbf{j} * 4096 + P_{\text{SECTOR}}) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ , where the 12-bit quantity  $P_{\text{SECTOR}}$  shall be computed as described in 9.4.1.3.2.4.
4. Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{GLOBAL}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of TMP in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{GLOBAL}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ .
5. Generate a permutation  $\pi$  of size  $\left[ \sum_{k=0}^{S-1} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k) \right] - N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$  using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.4.1.3.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{GLOBAL}}$ .

6.  $H_{\text{GLOBAL}}^{ij}(\mathbf{c}, \mathbf{q}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{b}) = P(\beta)^{63}$ , where  $\beta = b + \sum_{k=0}^{s-1} B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(k)$  and

- a. If  $B_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} \leq \beta < B_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} + N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$ , then  $P(\beta) = (\beta - B_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}) + B_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$
- b. If  $\beta < B_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}}$ , then
  - i.  $P(\beta) = \pi(\beta)$  if  $\pi(\beta) < B_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$
  - ii.  $P(\beta) = \pi(\beta) + N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$  if  $\pi(\beta) \geq B_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$

<sup>63</sup>  $P(\beta)$  first maps the hop port blocks allocated to the control segment to a contiguous set of subcarriers. The non-control hop port blocks are then assigned to the non-control subcarriers using a pseudo-random permutation  $\pi(\cdot)$

c. If  $\beta \geq B_{\text{MIN-CTRL-SUBBAND}} + N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$ , then

i.  $P(\beta) = \pi(\beta - N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}})$  if  $\pi(\beta - N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}) < B_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$

ii.  $P(\beta) = \pi(\beta - N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}) + N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}$  if  $\pi(\beta - N_{\text{CTRL-HOP-PORT-BLOCKS}}) \geq B_{\text{SWAP-LOCATION}}$

#### 9.4.1.3.2.4 Generation of $H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{ij}$

$H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{ij}(c, q, s, .)$  is a permutation of the non-guard hop-port blocks in subband  $s$  of carrier  $c$  of SDMA sub-tree  $q$ . The generation of  $H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{ij}$  will be different for different values of RLIntraCellCommonHopping, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ .<sup>64</sup>

The PilotPN of the sector of interest is XORed bitwise with the 12 LSBs of the superframe index  $i$  to obtain a 12-bit number  $[b_{11} b_{10} b_9 b_8 b_7 b_6 b_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0]$  denoted as  $P_{\text{off}}$ . The 12-bit number  $[b_{11} b_{10} b_9 b_8 i_7 i_6 i_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0]$ , where  $i_7 i_6 i_5$  are the bits with indices 7,6 and 5 respectively in the superframe index  $i$ , is denoted as  $P_{\text{on}}$ . The permutation shall be generated as follows:

1. If RLIntraCellCommonHopping is off, set  $P_{\text{SECTOR}} = P_{\text{off}}$ . Otherwise, set  $P_{\text{SECTOR}} = P_{\text{on}}$ .
2. Find  $\text{TMP} = [(4 * 4 * 16 * 64 * 4096 + q * 4 * 16 * 64 * 4096 + c * 16 * 64 * 4096 + s * 64 * 4096 + j * 4096 + P_{\text{SECTOR}}) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ . Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{SECTOR}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of TMP in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{SECTOR}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ .
3.  $H_{\text{SECTOR}}^{ij}(c, q, s, .)$  is the permutation of size  $B_{\text{NON-GUARD}}(s)$  generated using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.4.1.3.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{SECTOR}}$ .

#### 9.4.1.4 R-ACKCH

The R-ACKCH is used to acknowledge FL PHY Frames transmitted on the F-DCH.

##### 9.4.1.4.1 R-ACKCH subcarrier allocation

In each RL PHY Frame, the R-ACKCH shall be allocated a number of contiguous subcarrier groups for the duration for the RL PHY Frame. Each such group of contiguous subcarriers shall comprise of  $N_{\text{BLOCK, R-ACKCH}}$  subcarriers and shall be referred to as an R-ACKCH block. The group of  $N_{\text{BLOCK, R-ACKCH}}$  subcarriers spanning  $N_{\text{BLOCK, R-ACKCH}}$  subcarriers in frequency and  $N_{\text{FRAME,R}}$  OFDM Symbols in time shall be referred to as an R-ACKCH tile.

<sup>64</sup> When RLIntraCellCommonHopping is off, two sectors with different values of PilotPN have different hopping sequences. When RLIntraCellCommonHopping is on, sectors within the same cell have the same hopping sequences. For proper use of this mode, the operator should ensure that the PilotPNs of two sectors in the same cell differ only in the bits indexed 5,6, and 7.

The number of R-ACKCH tiles allocated to the R-ACKCH in carrier  $c$  shall be  $N_{\text{TILES}}$ , where  $N_{\text{TILES}} = 0$  if NumRACKBaseNodes = 0 and

$$N_{\text{TILES}} = \max \left( \frac{2 \text{NumRACKBaseNodes}}{N_{\text{R-ACKCH-SUBTILE-DURATION}} N_{\text{BLOCK,R-ACKCH}}}, \frac{N_{\text{FRAME,R}}}{N_{\text{R-ACKCH-SUBTILE-DURATION}}} \right)$$

otherwise. Here NumRACKBaseNodes shall be specified by the RCC MAC protocol. The constant  $N_{\text{R-ACKCH-SUBTILE-DURATION}}$  is the number of OFDM symbols allocated to each subtile, where the definition of subtile is as described in 9.4.1.4.2.

The set of R-ACKCH tiles in each carrier  $c$  of RL PHY Frame  $j$  in superframe with index  $i$  shall be indexed from 0 to  $N_{\text{TILES}} - 1$  and shall be determined according to the following procedure:

1. Compute  $P_{\text{off}}$  as described in 9.4.1.3.2.4. Compute  $\text{TMP} = [(4*4*64*4096 + c*64*4096 + j*4096 + P_{\text{off}}) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ . Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of TMP in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ .
2. Generate a permutation  $H_{\text{RACKCH-SUBBANDS}}^{ij}$  of size  $S$  using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.4.1.3.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH}}$ . Here  $S = N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} / N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$  is the number of subbands in the carrier.
3. Generate a permutation  $H_{\text{RACKCH-BLOCKS}}^{ij}$  of size  $B$  using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.4.1.3.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH}}$ . Here  $B = N_{\text{SUBBAND}} / N_{\text{BLOCK}}$  is the number of hop-port blocks in a subband.
4. Initialize counters  $i$  and  $t_{\text{TILE}}$  to 0. Also initialize counters  $j_0, j_1, \dots, j_{S-1}$  to 0.
5. Repeat the following steps till  $t_{\text{TILE}} = N_{\text{TILES}}$ .
  - a. Set  $s = H_{\text{RACKCH-SUBBANDS}}^{ij}(i)$  and  $b = H_{\text{RACKCH-BLOCKS}}^{ij}(j_s)$ . Set  $\text{FLAG}_{\text{RACKCH}}$  to TRUE.
  - b. Increment  $i$  and  $j_s$  by 1. If  $i = S$ , then set  $i$  to 0.
  - c. Set  $\text{FLAG}_{\text{RACKCH}}$  to FALSE if any one of the following three conditions is satisfied:
    - i. Hop port  $(c, 0, s, b, 0)$  is a guard hop-port.
    - ii. Subband  $s$  is allocated to the control segment.
    - iii. The bit with index  $s$  of the RLRestrictedSetBitmap is set to 1, Here RLRestrictedSetBitmap is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ .
  - d. If  $\text{FLAG}_{\text{RACKCH}}$  is TRUE, then
    - i. Allocate the set of subcarriers  $H^{ij}(c, 0, s, b, 0)$  to  $[H^{ij}(c, 0, s, b, 0) + N_{\text{BLOCK,RACKCH}} - 1]$  to the R-ACKCH for the duration of the RL PHY Frame for all RL PHY Frames other than those with index 0 in FDD mode. Here  $H^{ij}$  is the hop permutation for RL PHY Frame  $j$  in superframe with index  $i$ , as described in 9.4.1.3.2.

- ii. For RL PHY Frames with index 0 within the superframe in FDD mode, allocate the set of subcarriers  $H^{ij}(c, 0, s, b, 0)$  to  $[H^{ij}(c, 0, s, b, 0) + N_{\text{BLOCK, RACKCH}} - 1]$  only for the OFDM symbols indexed  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  through  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} + N_{\text{FRAME, R}} - 1$  in the PHY Frame.
- iii. The R-ACKCH tile index of this tile shall be  $t_{\text{TILE}}$ .
- iv. Increment  $t_{\text{TILE}}$  by 1.

#### 9.4.1.4.2 R-ACKCH indexing

Each R-ACKCH tile shall further be divided into a number of R-ACKCH subtiles, each of which spans  $N_{\text{BLOCK, R-ACKCH}}$  subcarriers in frequency and  $N_{\text{R-ACKCH SUBTILE-DURATION}}$  OFDM symbols in time. The subtiles in each R-ACKCH tile shall be indexed from 0 to  $N_{\text{SUBTILES}} - 1$ , where  $N_{\text{SUBTILES}} = (N_{\text{FRAME, R}} / N_{\text{R-ACKCH SUBTILE-DURATION}})$ . The OFDM Symbol with index  $t$  shall belong to subtile with index  $k_{\text{SUBTILE}}$ , where  $k_{\text{SUBTILE}} = \lfloor t / N_{\text{R-ACKCH SUBTILE-DURATION}} \rfloor$ . Each subtile allocated to the R-ACKCH is thus indexed by the tuple  $(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}})$  where  $c$  is the carrier containing the tile,  $t_{\text{TILE}}$  is the R-ACKCH tile index within the carrier and  $k_{\text{SUBTILE}}$  is the subtile index within that tile.

Each sub-tile has a total of  $L = N_{\text{BLOCK, R-ACKCH}} N_{\text{R-ACKCH SUBTILE-DURATION}}$  subcarriers. Exponential sequences of length  $L$ , may be used to modulate these subcarriers. The combination of a sub-tile and a specific exponential sequence of length  $L$  shall be referred to as an “R-ACKCH resource.” An R-ACKCH resource indexed by the tuple  $(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  shall correspond to the usage of exponential sequence  $E_{\omega}^L$  to modulate the subtile  $(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}})$ . Here the sequence  $E_{\omega}^L$  is a sequence of length  $L$ , whose  $i$ 'th element  $E_{\omega}^L(i)$  is given by  $E_{\omega}^L(i) = e^{-2\pi j \omega i / L}$  where  $0 \leq i < L$ , and  $j$  denotes the complex number  $(0,1)$ .

#### 9.4.1.4.3 R-ACKCH resource assignment

R-ACKCH transmissions are determined by an RACKBaseNodeIndex and a corresponding RACKVal specified by the RCC MAC protocol. An AT may be assigned zero, one or more RACKBaseNodeIndices in any RL PHY Frame.

An AT which is assigned an RACKBaseNodeIndex  $D_{\text{R-ACKCH}}$  shall be assigned  $N_{\text{SUBTILES}}$  R-ACKCH resources according to the following procedure:

1. Set  $g = \lfloor D_{\text{R-ACKCH}} / N_{\text{TILES}} \rfloor$  and  $u = D_{\text{R-ACKCH}} \bmod N_{\text{TILES}}$ .
2. Compute  $\text{TMP} = [(3*64*4*64*4096 + (g \bmod 64)*4*64*4096 + c*64*4096 + j*4096 + (i \bmod 4096)) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ . Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-ROWS}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of TMP in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-ROWS}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ .
3. Generate a permutation  $H^{ij}_{\text{RACKCH-ROWS}}$  of size  $N_{\text{TILES}}$  using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.4.1.3.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-ROWS}}$ .
4. Compute  $\text{TMP} = [(2*64*4*64*4096 + (g \bmod 64)*4*64*4096 + c*64*4096 + j*4096 + (i \bmod 4096)) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ . Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-COLS}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of TMP in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-COLS}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ .

5. Generate a permutation  $H_{\text{RACKCH-COLS}}^{ij}$  of size  $N_{\text{SUBTILES}}$  using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.4.1.3.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-COLS}}$ .
6. Compute  $\text{TMP} = [(1*4*64*4096 + c*64*4096 + j*4096 + (i \bmod 4096)) * 2654435761] \bmod 2^{32}$ . Set  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-CODES}}$  to be the 20 LSBs of the bit-reversed value of TMP in a 32-bit representation, i.e.,  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-CODES}} = [\text{Bit-Reverse}(\text{TMP})] \bmod 2^{20}$ .
7. Generate a permutation  $H_{\text{RACKCH-CODES}}^{ij}$  of size  $L/2$  using the common permutation generation algorithm described in 9.4.1.3.1 with seed  $\text{SEED}_{\text{RACKCH-CODES}}$ .
8. Initialize a counter  $k$  to 0. Repeat the following steps until  $k = N_{\text{SUBTILES}}$ .
  - a. Compute  $t = (u-k) \bmod N_{\text{TILES}}$
  - b. Set  $t_{\text{TILE}} = H_{\text{RACKCH-ROWS}}^{ij}(t)$ ,  $k_{\text{SUBTILE}} = H_{\text{RACKCH-COLS}}^{ij}(k)$  and  $\omega = 2 * H_{\text{RACKCH-CODES}}^{ij}((g + t_{\text{TILE}}N_{\text{SUBTILES}} + k_{\text{SUBTILE}}) \bmod (L/2))$ .
  - c. Assign the R-ACKCH resource  $(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  to the AT.
  - d. Increment  $k$  by 1.

#### 9.4.1.4.4 R-ACKCH modulation

An AT shall transmit a sequence  $X_{\text{ACK}}(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  on each R-ACKCH resource  $(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  assigned to it. The sequence  $X_{\text{ACK}}(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  is an ON-OFF transmission specified by a bit RACKVal defined by the RCC MAC Protocol for each RACKBaseNodeIndex assigned to the AT. When RACKVal is equal to 1, the sequence  $X_{\text{ACK}}(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  shall be

$$X_{\text{ACK}}(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega) = \sqrt{P_{\text{RACKCH}} N_{\text{FFT}} / N_{\text{BLOCK-RACKCH}}} E_{\omega}^L$$

where  $E_{\omega}^L$  is the exponential sequence of length  $L$  as defined in 9.4.1.4.2. and  $P_{\text{RACKCH}}$  is the power allocated to the R-ACKCH by the RCC MAC Protocol. When RACKVal is equal to 0, the sequence  $X_{\text{ACK}}(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  shall be a sequence of  $L$  zeros.

The sequence  $X_{\text{ACK}}(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  shall be used to modulate the  $L$  subcarriers in the subtile  $(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}})$  according to the following procedure:

1. Initialize an OFDM symbol counter  $t$  to  $t_{\text{START}}$ , where  $t_{\text{START}}$  is the lowest indexed OFDM Symbol in the subtile. Initialize a subcarrier counter  $f$  to  $f_{\text{START}}$ , where  $f_{\text{START}}$  is the lowest indexed subcarrier in the subtile. Initialize a modulation symbol counter  $i$  to 0.
2. Repeat the following steps till  $i = L$ .
  - a. Modulate the subcarrier  $f$  in OFDM Symbol  $t$  with modulation symbol  $X_{\text{ACK}}^i(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$ . Here  $X_{\text{ACK}}^i(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$  is the  $i^{\text{th}}$  element in the sequence  $X_{\text{ACK}}(c, t_{\text{TILE}}, k_{\text{SUBTILE}}, \omega)$ .
  - b. Increment  $f$  by 1. If  $f = f_{\text{START}} + N_{\text{BLOCK, R-ACKCH}}$ , set  $f$  to  $f_{\text{START}}$  and increment  $t$  by 1.
  - c. Increment  $i$  by 1.



### 9.4.1.5 Control segment modulation

The Control Segment carries the Access Channel (R-ACH), the Channel Quality Indicator Channel (R-CQICH), the Subband Feedback Channel (R-SFCH), the Beam Feedback Channel (R-BFCH), the Request Channel (R-REQCH) and the Pilot Channel (R-PICH).

The Control Segment is modulated in a Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) fashion; i.e., transmissions from different access terminals are not orthogonal to each other. In MultiCarrierOff mode various channels in the Control Segment are generated in time domain, then added up and are converted to the frequency domain using a Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) operation. The frequency domain sequence is then mapped to the subcarriers in the Control Segment assigned to the access terminal. In MultiCarrierOn mode various channels in the Control Segment are generated in time domain per carrier. These are then added up per carrier and are converted to the frequency domain using a Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) operation, also per carrier. The frequency domain sequence is then mapped to the subcarriers in the Control Segment assigned to the access terminal.

In the frequency domain, in the  $c^{\text{th}}$  carrier, the Control Segment consists of  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}$  contiguous subbands where  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBBANDS}}$  is equal to NumRLControlSubbands, which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $c$ . A hopping sequence for the Control Segment, described in 9.4.1.3.2.1, is used while mapping the frequency-domain sequence to subcarriers. The Control Segment hopping sequence maps R-ACH, R-CQICH, R-BFCH, R-SFCH, R-REQCH and R-PICH to the Control Segment per carrier as specified by the RCC MAC Protocol. The MAC protocol also specifies the carrier on which the above channels are modulated and the power allocated per channel.

#### 9.4.1.5.1 Time-domain sequence generation

The following description is applicable to the time domain sequence generation in MultiCarrierOff mode and to the time domain sequence per carrier in MultiCarrierOn mode. Define  $N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}}$ , such that  $N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} = 2^k$  where  $k$  is the smallest integer such that  $2^k \geq N_{\text{CTRL\_SUBBANDS}}$ . In the following,  $N_{\text{CTRL\_SUBCARRIERS}}$ , defined in 9.4.1.3.2.1, is the number of subcarriers allocated to the control segment in the carrier of interest and  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  is the number of subcarriers in each carrier. The sections discuss the modulation procedure for a specific carrier and for an individual instance of the channels specified by the AC MAC and RCC MAC Protocol. There could be more than one instance of the channels R-CQICH, R-BFCH and R-SFCH as specified by the RCC MAC Protocol. The described modulation procedure is repeated for every instance using the corresponding 10-bit value, MAC ID and PilotPN provided by the RCC MAC Protocol for these channels.

##### 9.4.1.5.1.1 Walsh sequence definition

Walsh sequences are used in the generation of the time-domain sequences for several physical layer channels carried in the Control Segment. A Walsh sequence  $W_i^N$ , where  $N$  is a power of 2 and  $i$  is a non-negative integer less than  $N$ , is a length  $N$  binary sequence taking on  $\{-1, 1\}$  which is given by the  $i$ -th column of the  $N \times N$  Hadamard matrix  $W^N$ . The  $N \times N$  Hadamard matrix  $W^N$  is conventionally defined by the following recursive relationship:

$$W^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad W^{2N} = \begin{bmatrix} W^N & W^N \\ W^N & -W^N \end{bmatrix}$$

### 9.4.1.5.1.2 R-ACH binary sequence

The sequence  $X_{ACH}$  of R-ACH is obtained from the  $i$ -th Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  of length 1024, by repeating each entry of this sequence  $N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times and scaling it to achieve the appropriate power  $P$ . The index  $i$  of the sequence is defined by the AC MAC Protocol. The resulting sequence is scrambled with a binary sequence  $S_{ACH}$  of length  $1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}$ . Let  $W_{k,i}^{1024}$  be the  $k$ -th element of the Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  with  $k$  within 0 and 1023, then  $X_{ACH}$  is given by

$$X_{ACH} = \sqrt{\frac{PN_{CARRIER\_SIZE}}{N_{CTRL\_SUBCARRIER}}} \left( \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{ACH}^0} * W_{0,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{ACH}^{N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{0,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \dots \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{ACH}^{1023 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{ACH}^{1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right)$$

$1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}$

where  $P$  is the total power allocated by the AC MAC Protocol to transmit this sequence. The last  $N_{CTRL\_FFT} * N_{SUBBAND}$  elements of  $X_{ACH}$  are set to zero.

$$X_{ACH} = \sqrt{\frac{PN_{CARRIER\_SIZE}}{N_{CTRL\_SUBCARRIER}}} \left( \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{ACH}^0} * W_{0,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{ACH}^{N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{0,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \dots \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{N_{SUBBAND} * N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right)$$

$1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}$

The binary scrambling sequence  $S_{ACH}$  is generated as follows.

First, a binary sequence  $F_{ACH}$  of the length  $n = 512$  shall be generated using a 20-bit shift register that shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{20} + D^{17} + D^{12} + D^{10} + 1$ ; i.e., the  $k$ -th output  $F_{ACH}^k$  of the register shall satisfy  $F_{ACH}^k = F_{ACH}^{k-20} \oplus F_{ACH}^{k-17} \oplus F_{ACH}^{k-12} \oplus F_{ACH}^{k-10}$ . Here the initial state  $[F_{ACH}^{-1}, \dots, F_{ACH}^{-20}]$  is given  $[100f_4 f_3 f_2 f_1 f_0 p_{11} p_{10} p_9 p_8 p_7 p_6 p_5 p_4 p_3 p_2 p_1 p_0]$ . Here  $[p_{11} p_{10} p_9 p_8 p_7 p_6 p_5 p_4 p_3 p_2 p_1 p_0]$  is the 12-bit PilotPhase of the sector which is the target of the access probe for a given superframe, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$  and  $[f_4 f_3 f_2 f_1 f_0]$  are the 5 LSBs of the binary representation for the index of the RL PHY Frame within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$ . Finally, the sequence  $S_{ACH}$  is obtained by repeating the  $n$  elements of  $F_{ACH}$   $2 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times:

$$S_{ACH} = \left[ \underbrace{F_{ACH}^0 F_{ACH}^0 \dots F_{ACH}^0 F_{ACH}^0}_{2 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}} F_{ACH}^0 F_{ACH}^1 \dots F_{ACH}^1 F_{ACH}^1 \dots \dots \dots \underbrace{F_{ACH}^{n-1} F_{ACH}^{n-1} \dots F_{ACH}^{n-1} F_{ACH}^{n-1}}_{2 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right]$$

In the absence of an R-ACH transmission request by AC MAC Protocol,  $X_{ACH}$  shall be an all-zero sequence of the same length.

### 9.4.1.5.1.3 R-CQICH binary sequence

The sequence  $X_{CQI}$  of R-CQICH is obtained from the  $i$ -th Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  of length 1024, by repeating each entry of this sequence  $N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times and scaling it to achieve the appropriate power  $P$ . The index  $i$  of the sequence takes on values from 0 to 1023 and is defined by ten-bit CQI value  $(b_9, b_8, b_7, b_6, \dots, b_1, b_0)$ :

$$i = \sum_{l=0}^9 b_l 2^l$$

The CQI value  $(b_9, b_8, b_7, b_6, \dots, b_1, b_0)$  is defined by the RCC MAC Protocol. The resulting sequence is scrambled with a binary sequence  $S_{CQI}$ . Let  $W_{k,i}^{1024}$  be the  $k$ -th element of the Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  with  $k$  within 0 and 1023, then  $X_{CQI}$  is given by

$$X_{CQI} = \sqrt{\frac{PN_{CARRIERSIZE}}{N_{CTRL\_SUBCARRIER}}} \left( \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{CQI}^0} * W_{0,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{CQI}^{N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{0,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \dots \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{CQI}^{1023*N_{CTRL\_FFT}}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{CQI}^{1023*N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right)$$

where  $P$  is the total power allocated by the RCC MAC Protocol to transmit this sequence. The binary scrambling sequence  $S_{CQI}$  is generated as follows. First, a binary sequence  $F_{CQI}$  of the length  $n = 512$  shall be generated using a 20-bit shift register that shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{20} + D^{17} + D^{12} + D^{10} + 1$ ; i.e., the  $k$ -th output  $F_{CQI}^k$  of the register shall satisfy

$F_{CQI}^k = F_{CQI}^{k-20} \oplus F_{CQI}^{k-17} \oplus F_{CQI}^{k-12} \oplus F_{CQI}^{k-10}$ . Here the initial state  $[F_{CQI}^{-1}, \dots, F_{CQI}^{-20}]$  is given by  $[000f_4 f_3 f_2 f_1 f_0 p_{11} p_{10} p_9 p_8 p_7 p_6 p_5 p_4 p_3 p_2 p_1 p_0]$ . Here  $[p_{11} p_{10} p_9 p_8 p_7 p_6 p_5 p_4 p_3 p_2 p_1 p_0]$  is the 12-bit PilotPhase for the current superframe, corresponding to the PilotPN specified by the RCC MAC for this channel, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$ . Also,  $[f_4 f_3 f_2 f_1 f_0]$  are the 5 LSBs of the binary representation for the index of the RL PHY Frame within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$ . Finally, the sequence  $S_{CQI}$  is obtained by repeating  $n$  elements of  $F_{CQI}$   $2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times:

$$S_{CQI} = \left[ \underbrace{F_{CQI}^0 F_{CQI}^0 \dots F_{CQI}^0 F_{CQI}^0}_{2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}} F_{CQI}^1 F_{CQI}^1 \dots F_{CQI}^1 F_{CQI}^1 \dots \dots \dots \underbrace{F_{CQI}^{n-1} F_{CQI}^{n-1} \dots F_{CQI}^{n-1} F_{CQI}^{n-1}}_{2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right]$$

In the absence of a R-CQICH transmission request by the RCC MAC protocol, the sequence  $X_{CQI}$  shall be the all-zero sequence of the same length.

### 9.4.1.5.1.4 R-BFCH binary sequence

The sequence  $X_{BFCH}$  of R-BFCH is obtained from the  $i$ -th Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  of length 1024, by repeating each entry of this sequence  $N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times and scaling it to achieve the appropriate power  $P$ . The index  $i$  of the sequence takes on values from 0 to 1023 and is defined by ten-bit value  $(b_9, b_8, b_7, b_6, \dots, b_1, b_0)$ :

$$i = \sum_{l=0}^9 b_l 2^l$$

The value  $(b_9, b_8, b_7, b_6, \dots, b_1, b_0)$  is defined by the RCC MAC Protocol. The resulting sequence is scrambled with a binary sequence  $S_{BFCH}$ . Let  $W_{k,i}^{1024}$  be the  $k$ -th element of the Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  with  $k$  within 0 and 1023, then  $X_{BFCH}$  is given by

$$X_{BFCH} = \sqrt{\frac{PN_{CARRIER\_SIZE}}{N_{CTRL\_SUBCARRIER}}} \left( \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{BFCH}^0} * W_{0,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{BFCH}^{N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{0,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \dots \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{BFCH}^{1023*N_{CTRL\_FFT}}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{BFCH}^{1024*N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right)$$

where  $P$  is the total power allocated by the RCC MAC Protocol to transmit this sequence. The binary scrambling sequence  $S_{BFCH}$  is generated as follows. First, a binary sequence  $F_{BFCH}$  of the length  $n = 512$  shall be generated using a 20-bit shift register that shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{20} + D^{17} + D^{12} + D^{10} + 1$ ; i.e., the  $k$ -th output  $F_{BFCH}^k$  of the register shall satisfy

$F_{BFCH}^k = F_{BFCH}^{k-20} \oplus F_{BFCH}^{k-17} \oplus F_{BFCH}^{k-12} \oplus F_{BFCH}^{k-10}$ . Here the initial state  $[F_{BFCH}^{-1}, \dots, F_{BFCH}^{-20}]$  is given by  $[0 \ 0 \ 1 \ f_4 \ f_3 \ f_2 \ f_1 \ f_0 \ p_{11} \ p_{10} \ p_9 \ p_8 \ p_7 \ p_6 \ p_5 \ p_4 \ p_3 \ p_2 \ p_1 \ p_0]$ . Here  $[p_{11} \ p_{10} \ p_9 \ p_8 \ p_7 \ p_6 \ p_5 \ p_4 \ p_3 \ p_2 \ p_1 \ p_0]$  is the 12-bit PilotPhase for the current superframe, corresponding to the PilotPN specified by the RCC MAC for this channel, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$ . Also,  $[f_4 \ f_3 \ f_2 \ f_1 \ f_0]$  are the 5 LSBs of the binary representation for the index of the RL PHY Frame within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$ . Finally, the sequence  $S_{BFCH}$  is obtained by repeating  $n$  elements of  $F_{BFCH}$   $2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times:

$$S_{BFCH} = \left[ \underbrace{F_{BFCH}^0 \ F_{BFCH}^0 \ \dots \ F_{BFCH}^0 \ F_{BFCH}^0}_{2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \ F_{BFCH}^1 \ F_{BFCH}^1 \ \dots \ F_{BFCH}^1 \ F_{BFCH}^1 \ \dots \dots \ F_{BFCH}^{n-1} \ F_{BFCH}^{n-1} \ \dots \ F_{BFCH}^{n-1} \ F_{BFCH}^{n-1} \right]$$

In the absence of a R-BFCH transmission request by the RCC MAC protocol, the sequence  $X_{BFCH}$  shall be the all-zero sequence of the same length.

#### 9.4.1.5.1.5 R-SFCH binary sequence

The sequence  $X_{SFCH}$  of R-SFCH is obtained from the  $i$ -th Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  of length 1024, by repeating each entry of this sequence  $N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times and scaling it to achieve the appropriate power  $P$ . The index  $i$  of the sequence takes on values from 0 to 1023 and is defined by ten-bit value  $(b_9, b_8, b_7, b_6, \dots, b_1, b_0)$ :

$$i = \sum_{l=0}^9 b_l 2^l$$

The value  $(b_9, b_8, b_7, b_6, \dots, b_1, b_0)$  is defined by the RCC MAC Protocol. The resulting sequence is scrambled with a binary sequence  $S_{SFCH}$ . Let  $W_{k,i}^{1024}$  be the  $k$ -th element of the Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  with  $k$  within 0 and 1023, then  $X_{SFCH}$  is given by

$$X_{SFCH} = \sqrt{\frac{PN_{CARRIER\_SIZE}}{N_{CTRL\_SUBCARRIER}}} \left( \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{SFCH}^0} * W_{0,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{SFCH}^{N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{0,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \dots \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{SFCH}^{1023*N_{CTRL\_FFT}}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{SFCH}^{1024*N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right)$$

where  $P$  is the total power allocated by the RCC MAC Protocol to transmit this sequence. The binary scrambling sequence  $S_{SFCH}$  are generated as follows. First, a binary sequence  $F_{SFCH}$  of the length  $n = 512$  shall be generated using a 20-bit shift register that shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) =$

1  $D^{20} + D^{17} + D^{12} + D^{10} + 1$ ; i.e., the  $k$ -th output  $F_{SFCH}^k$  of the register shall satisfy  
 2  $F_{SFCH}^k = F_{SFCH}^{k-20} \oplus F_{SFCH}^{k-17} \oplus F_{SFCH}^{k-12} \oplus F_{SFCH}^{k-10}$ . Here the initial state  $[F_{SFCH}^{-1}, \dots, F_{SFCH}^{-20}]$  is given by  
 3  $[010f_4f_3f_2f_1f_0p_{11}p_{10}p_9p_8p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0]$ . Here  $[p_{11}p_{10}p_9p_8p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0]$  is the 12-bit  
 4 PilotPhase for the current superframe, corresponding to the PilotPN specified by the RCC MAC for  
 5 this channel, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$ . Also,  $[f_4f_3f_2f_1f_0]$  are the 5 LSBs of the binary  
 6 representation for the index of the RL PHY Frame within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$ .  
 7 Finally, the sequence  $S_{SFCH}$  is obtained by repeating  $n$  elements of  $F_{SFCH}$   $2 \cdot N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times:

$$8 \quad S_{SFCH} = \left[ \underbrace{F_{SFCH}^0 F_{SFCH}^0 \dots F_{SFCH}^0 F_{SFCH}^0}_{2 \cdot N_{CTRL\_FFT}} F_{SFCH}^1 F_{SFCH}^1 \dots F_{SFCH}^1 F_{SFCH}^1 \dots \dots \dots \underbrace{F_{SFCH}^{n-1} F_{SFCH}^{n-1} \dots F_{SFCH}^{n-1} F_{SFCH}^{n-1}}_{2 \cdot N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right]$$

9 In the absence of an R-SFCH transmission request by the RCC MAC protocol, the sequence  $X_{SFCH}$   
 10 shall be all-zero sequence of the same length.

#### 11 9.4.1.5.1.6 R-REQCH binary sequence

12 The sequence  $X_{REQ}$  of R-REQCH is obtained from the  $i$ -th Walsh sequence  $W_i^{1024}$  of length 1024, by  
 13 repeating each entry of this sequence  $N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times and scaling it to achieve the appropriate power  
 14  $P$ . The index  $i$  of the sequence takes on values from 0 to 1023 and is defined by the ten-bit vector  
 15  $(b_9, b_8, b_7, b_6, \dots, b_1, b_0)$ :

$$16 \quad i = \sum_{l=0}^9 b_l 2^l$$

17 The ten-bit vector  $(b_9, b_8, b_7, b_6, \dots, b_1, b_0)$  is defined by the RCC MAC Protocol. The resulting sequence  
 18 is scrambled with a binary sequence  $S_{REQ}$ . Let  $W_{k,i}^{1024}$  be the  $k$ -th element of the Walsh sequence  
 19  $W_i^{1024}$  with  $k$  within 0 and 1023, then  $X_{REQ}$  is given by

$$20 \quad X_{REQ} = \sqrt{\frac{PN_{CARRIERSIZE}}{N_{CTRL\_SUBCARRIER}}} \left( \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{REQ}^0} * W_{0,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{REQ}^{N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{0,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \dots \underbrace{(-1)^{S_{REQ}^{1023 \cdot N_{CTRL\_FFT}}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024} \dots (-1)^{S_{REQ}^{1023 \cdot N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} * W_{1023,i}^{1024}}_{N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right)$$

21 where  $P$  is the total power allocated by the RCC MAC Protocol to transmit this sequence. The binary  
 22 scrambling sequence  $S_{REQ}$  are generated as follows. First, a binary sequence  $F_{REQ}$  of the length  
 23  $n = 512$  shall be generated using 20-bit shift register shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{20}$   
 24  $+ D^{17} + D^{12} + D^{10} + 1$ , i.e., the  $k$ -th output  $F_{REQ}^k$  of the register shall satisfy

$$25 \quad F_{REQ}^k = F_{REQ}^{k-20} \oplus F_{REQ}^{k-17} \oplus F_{REQ}^{k-12} \oplus F_{REQ}^{k-10}. \text{ Here the initial state } [F_{REQ}^{-1}, \dots, F_{REQ}^{-20}] \text{ is given by}$$

$$26 \quad [101f_4f_3f_2f_1f_0p_{11}p_{10}p_9p_8p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0].$$

27 Here  $[p_{11}p_{10}p_9p_8p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0]$  is the 12-bit PilotPhase for the current superframe,  
 28 corresponding to the PilotPN specified by the RCC MAC for this channel, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$ .  
 29 Also,  $[f_4f_3f_2f_1f_0]$  are the 5 LSBs of the binary representation for the index of the RL PHY Frame

within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$ . Finally, the sequence  $S_{REQ}$  is obtained by repeating the  $n$  elements of  $F_{REQ}$   $2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times:

$$S_{REQ} = \left[ \underbrace{F_{REQ}^0 F_{REQ}^0 \dots F_{REQ}^0 F_{REQ}^0}_{2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}} F_{REQ}^1 F_{REQ}^1 \dots F_{REQ}^1 F_{REQ}^1 \dots \dots \dots \underbrace{F_{REQ}^{n-1} F_{REQ}^{n-1} \dots F_{REQ}^{n-1} F_{REQ}^{n-1}}_{2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right]$$

In the absence of an R-REQCH transmission request by the RCC MAC protocol, the sequence  $X_{REQ}$  shall be all-zero sequence of the same length.

#### 9.4.1.5.1.7 R-PICH binary sequence

The sequence  $X_{PICH}$  of R-PICH is obtained from a binary sequence of length  $1024*N_{CTRL\_FFT}$ , which takes values on  $\{-1,1\}$ . The binary sequence is further scaled to achieve the appropriate power  $P$ , according to the following equation:

$$X_{PICH} = \sqrt{\frac{PN_{CARRIER\_SIZE}}{N_{CTRL\_SUBCARRIER}}} \left( (-1)^{S_{PICH}^0}, (-1)^{S_{PICH}^1} \dots (-1)^{S_{PICH}^{1024*N_{CTRL\_FFT}-2}}, (-1)^{S_{PICH}^{1024*N_{CTRL\_FFT}-1}} \right),$$

where  $P$  is the total power allocated by the RCC MAC Protocol to transmit this sequence and wherein the binary sequence  $S_{PICH}$  is generated as follows. First, a binary sequence  $F_{PICH}$  of the length  $n = 512$  which shall be generated using 20-bit shift register which shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{20} + D^{17} + D^{12} + D^{10} + 1$ ; i.e., the  $k$ -th output  $F_{PICH}^k$  of the register shall satisfy  $F_{PICH}^k = F_{PICH}^{k-20} \oplus F_{PICH}^{k-17} \oplus F_{PICH}^{k-12} \oplus F_{PICH}^{k-10}$ . Here the initial state  $[F_{PICH}^{-1}, \dots, F_{PICH}^{-20}]$  is given by  $[110f_4 f_3 f_2 f_1 f_0 p_{11} p_{10} p_9 p_8 p_7 p_6 p_5 p_4 p_3 p_2 p_1 p_0]$ . Here  $[p_{11} p_{10} p_9 p_8 p_7 p_6 p_5 p_4 p_3 p_2 p_1 p_0]$  is the 12-bit PilotPhase for the current superframe, corresponding to the PilotPN specified by the RCC MAC for this channel, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$ . Also,  $[f_4 f_3 f_2 f_1 f_0]$  are the 5 LSBs of the binary representation for the index of the RL PHY Frame within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$ . Finally, the sequence  $S_{PICH}$  is obtained by repeating the first  $n$  elements of  $F_{PICH}$   $2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  times:

$$S_{PICH} = \left[ \underbrace{F_{PICH}^0 F_{PICH}^0 \dots F_{PICH}^0 F_{PICH}^0}_{2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}} F_{PICH}^1 F_{PICH}^1 \dots F_{PICH}^1 F_{PICH}^1 \dots \dots \dots \underbrace{F_{PICH}^{n-1} F_{PICH}^{n-1} \dots F_{PICH}^{n-1} F_{PICH}^{n-1}}_{2*N_{CTRL\_FFT}} \right]$$

#### 9.4.1.5.2 Multiplexing of R-CQICH, R-BFCH, R-SFCH, R-REQCH and R-PICH

If multiple instances of the channels R-CQICH, R-BFCH and R-SFCH are defined by the RCC MAC Protocol, then the resulting modulation sequences are superimposed. For example,  $X_{CQI}$  from now on refers to the sequence obtained by superimposing the modulated sequence for every instance of the R-CQICH channel. The same holds for  $X_{SFCH}$  and  $X_{BFCH}$ .

R-CQICH, R-BFCH, R-SFCH, R-REQCH, and R-PICH are I-Q multiplexed within the Control Segment. The combined complex-valued time domain sequence  $X_{CTRL}$  of these channels is given by the following equation:

$$X_{CTRL} = (X_{CQICH} + X_{SFCH} + X_{PICH}) + j*(X_{REQCH} + X_{BFCH})$$

### 9.4.1.5.3 HPSK scrambling

All the channels within the Control Segment with an assigned MACID undergo sector-specific and MACID scrambling (this refers to R-CQICH, R-BFCH, R-SFCH, R-REQCH, and R-PICH). R-ACH may undergo sector-specific scrambling or sector-specific and MACID scrambling depending on the access sequence ID defined by the AC MAC Protocol.

The sector-specific scrambling sequence  $Y_{SS,ACH}$  of the length  $1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT}$  is generated according to:

$$Y_{SS,ACH} = (Y_{SS,ACH}^0 Y_{SS,ACH}^1 \dots Y_{SS,ACH}^{1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT} - 1}), \quad Y_{SS,ACH}^0 = 1, \quad Y_{SS,ACH}^k = Y_{SS,ACH}^{k-1} e^{j\pi/2 * (2 * S_{SS,ACH}^{k-1} - 1)}$$

where the binary scrambling sequence  $S_{SS,ACH}$  of the length  $(1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT} - 1)$  shall be generated using a 20-bit shift register which shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{20} + D^{17} + D^{12} + D^{10} + 1$ , i.e., the k-th output  $S_{SS,ACH}^k$  of the register shall satisfy  $S_{SS,ACH}^k = S_{SS,ACH}^{k-20} \oplus S_{SS,ACH}^{k-17} \oplus S_{SS,ACH}^{k-12} \oplus S_{SS,ACH}^{k-10}$ ,

where the initial state  $[S_{SS,ACH}^{-1}, \dots, S_{SS,ACH}^{-20}]$  is given by

$[0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ f_4 \ f_3 \ f_2 \ f_1 \ f_0 \ p_{11} \ p_{10} \ p_9 \ p_8 \ p_7 \ p_6 \ p_5 \ p_4 \ p_3 \ p_2 \ p_1 \ p_0]$ . Here  $[p_{11} \ p_{10} \ p_9 \ p_8 \ p_7 \ p_6 \ p_5 \ p_4 \ p_3 \ p_2 \ p_1 \ p_0]$  is the 12-bit PilotPhase of the target sector for the access probe for the current superframe, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$  and  $[f_4 \ f_3 \ f_2 \ f_1 \ f_0]$  are the 5 LSBs of the binary representation for the index of the PHY Frame within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$ .

The sector-specific and MACID scrambling sequence  $Y_{SM,ACH}$  of the length  $1024 * N_{CTRL}$  is given by:

$$Y_{SM,ACH} = (Y_{SM,ACH}^0 Y_{SM,ACH}^1 \dots Y_{SM,ACH}^{1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT} - 1}), \quad Y_{SM,ACH}^0 = 1, \quad Y_{SM,ACH}^k = Y_{SM,ACH}^{k-1} e^{j\pi/2 * (2 * S_{SM,ACH}^{k-1} - 1)}$$

where the binary scrambling sequence  $S_{SM,ACH}$  of the length  $(1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT} - 1)$  shall be generated using 28-bit shift register which shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{28} + D^{25} + 1$ , i.e., the k-th output  $S_{SM,ACH}^k$  of the register shall satisfy  $S_{SM,ACH}^k = S_{SM,ACH}^{k-28} \oplus S_{SM,ACH}^{k-25}$ . Here the initial state

$[S_{SM,ACH}^{-1}, \dots, S_{SM,ACH}^{-28}]$  is given by

$[f_4 \ f_3 \ f_2 \ f_1 \ f_0 \ m_{10} \ m_9 \ m_8 \ m_7 \ m_6 \ m_5 \ m_4 \ m_3 \ m_2 \ m_1 \ m_0 \ p_{11} \ p_{10} \ p_9 \ p_8 \ p_7 \ p_6 \ p_5 \ p_4 \ p_3 \ p_2 \ p_1 \ p_0]$ . Here  $[f_4 \ f_3 \ f_2 \ f_1 \ f_0]$  are the 5 LSBs of the binary representation for the index of the RL PHY Frame within the current superframe, with LSB  $f_0$ .  $[p_{11} \ p_{10} \ p_9 \ p_8 \ p_7 \ p_6 \ p_5 \ p_4 \ p_3 \ p_2 \ p_1 \ p_0]$  is the 12-bit PilotPhase of the target Sector of the access probe for the current superframe, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$  and  $[m_{10} \ m_9 \ m_8 \ m_7 \ m_6 \ m_5 \ m_4 \ m_3 \ m_2 \ m_1 \ m_0]$  is the 11-bit MACID corresponding to the target Sector of the access probe.

The sector-specific and MACID scrambling sequence  $Y_{SM}$  of the length  $1024 * N_{CTRL}$  is given by:

$$Y_{SM} = (Y_{SM}^0 Y_{SM}^1 \dots Y_{SM}^{1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT} - 1}), \quad Y_{SM}^0 = 1, \quad Y_{SM}^k = Y_{SM}^{k-1} e^{j\pi/2 * (2 * S_{SM}^{k-1} - 1)}$$

where the binary scrambling sequence  $S_{SM}$  of the length  $(1024 * N_{CTRL\_FFT} - 1)$  shall be generated using 28-bit shift register which shall have a generator polynomial  $h(D) = D^{28} + D^{25} + 1$ , i.e., the k-th output  $S_{SM}^k$  of the register shall satisfy  $S_{SM}^k = S_{SM}^{k-28} \oplus S_{SM}^{k-25}$ . Here the initial state  $[S_{SM}^{-1}, \dots, S_{SM}^{-28}]$  is given by

[ $f_4 f_3 f_2 f_1 f_0 m_{10} m_9 m_8 m_7 m_6 m_5 m_4 m_3 m_2 m_1 m_0 p_{11} p_{10} p_9 p_8 p_7 p_6 p_5 p_4 p_3 p_2 p_1 p_0$ ]. Here [ $p_{11} p_{10} p_9 p_8 p_7 p_6 p_5 p_4 p_3 p_2 p_1 p_0$ ] is the 12-bit PilotPhase for the current superframe, corresponding to the PilotPN specified by the RCC MAC for all channels except the R-ACH within this control segment<sup>65</sup>, with LSB  $p_0$  and MSB  $p_{11}$ . Also, [ $f_4 f_3 f_2 f_1 f_0$ ] are the 5 LSBs of the binary representation for the index of the RL PHY Frame within the current superframe with LSB  $f_0$  and [ $m_{10} m_9 m_8 m_7 m_6 m_5 m_4 m_3 m_2 m_1 m_0$ ] is the 11-bit MACID specified by the RCC MAC.

#### 9.4.1.5.4 Control Segment complex-valued signal in the time domain

The time domain sequence  $Z$  of length  $N_{\text{FRAME},R} * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}}$  transmitted over the Control Channel segment is given by the following equation:

$$Z = \left( Y_{SM}^0 * X_{CTRL}^0, Y_{SM}^1 * X_{CTRL}^1, \dots, Y_{SM}^{1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1} * X_{CTRL}^{1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1} \right) + \left( Y_{SS,ACH}^0 * X_{ACH}^0, Y_{SS,ACH}^1 * X_{ACH}^1, \dots, Y_{SS,ACH}^{1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1} * X_{ACH}^{1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1} \right)$$

if the access sequence ID  $> N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}$  and the equation

$$Z = \left( Y_{SM}^0 * X_{CTRL}^0, Y_{SM}^1 * X_{CTRL}^1, \dots, Y_{SM}^{1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1} * X_{CTRL}^{1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1} \right) + \left( Y_{SM,ACH}^0 * X_{ACH}^0, Y_{SM,ACH}^1 * X_{ACH}^1, \dots, Y_{SM,ACH}^{1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1} * X_{ACH}^{1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1} \right)$$

if the access sequence ID  $\leq N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}$  where the access sequence ID is as defined by the AC MAC Protocol and used to modulate R-ACH, and  $N_{\text{ACMPSpecialSequences}}$  is a constant of the AC MAC protocol.

In the above equations,  $X_{CTRL}^l$  and  $X_{ACH}^l$  refer to the  $l$ -th entry of the vectors  $X_{CTRL}$  and  $X_{ACH}$  respectively, with  $l$  taking values from 0 to  $1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} - 1$ .

#### 9.4.1.5.5 DFT operation

The following description is applicable per carrier in MultiCarrierOn. The scrambled sequence  $Z$  of length  $1024 * N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}}$  generated in the previous section shall be broken up into  $N_{\text{FRAME},R}$  different subsequences of length  $N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} * N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$ . The first  $N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} * N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$  elements of the sequence  $Z$  form the first subsequence  $Z_0$ , the next  $N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} * N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$  elements form the second sequence  $Z_1$ , etc. Each of these subsequences shall be converted to a frequency domain sequence through a Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) operation, modulated and transmitted on the corresponding OFDM symbol. The DFT of an  $N$ -length sequence  $X$  with elements  $x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{N-1}$  is given by another  $N$ -length sequence  $Y$  with elements  $y_0, y_1, \dots, y_{N-1}$ . The elements of  $Y$  are related to the elements of  $X$  via the relationship

$$y_i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} x_k e^{-j2\pi(k - \frac{N}{2})i/N}.$$

<sup>65</sup> Note that the RCC MAC protocol specifies the same PilotPN and MACID for all channels in the control segment except possibly the R-ACH.



Let  $F_l$  denote the DFT of the  $N_{\text{CTRL\_FFT}} * N_{\text{SUBBAND}}$ -length subsequence  $Z_l$ ,  $0 \leq l < N_{\text{FRAME,R}} - 1$ . Let  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}}$  be the number of hop-ports allocated to the Control Segment. The first  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}}$  elements of the sequence  $F_l$  are allocated to these hop ports, i.e., the  $t$  elements of the sequence  $F_l$ ,  $t$  ranging from 0 to  $N_{\text{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}} - 1$ , shall be modulated on to subcarriers with index  $f_{\text{MIN-CTRL}}$  to  $f_{\text{MIN-CTRL}} + N_{\text{CTRL-SUBCARRIERS}} - 1$  where  $f_{\text{MIN-CTRL}}$  is as defined in 9.4.1.3.2.1 of the  $l$ 'th OFDM symbol in the RL PHY Frame. The remaining elements of the sequence  $F_l$  are discarded.

#### 9.4.1.6 Data segment modulation

The Data Segment carries the R-DPICH and the R-DCH. A subcarrier occupied by the R-DPICH shall be referred to as a pilot subcarrier.

##### 9.4.1.6.1 R-DPICH

The Dedicated Pilot Channel (R-DPICH) shall be present in each tile that is assigned to the R-DCH (for this AT). The modulation of this channel is described for a single tile, where a tile is as described in 9.4.1.3. The modulation procedure shall then be repeated for each such tile that is assigned to the R-DCH (for this AT) in every RL PHY Frame. The configuration of the R-DPICH in a given tile is determined by the configuration of the R-DCH in this tile. If there is no R-DCH present in a tile, R-DPICH shall also not be transmitted.

The R-DPICH configuration in each tile consists of the following parameters:

1. The energy per modulation symbol: All the R-DPICH modulation symbols in a given tile shall have the same energy, which shall be the same as the energy used to transmit R-DCH modulation symbols in this tile. This energy is assigned by the RTC MAC protocol.
2. R-DPICH format: The R-DPICH in a tile can have two different formats, labeled Format 0 and Format 1. The R-DPICH format to be used is determined by the RTC MAC protocol.
3. RLDPISectorOffset: This is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol, and takes on integer values between 0 and 3. The value used shall correspond to the carrier containing the tile of interest.
4. RLDPIUserOffset: This is an integer that depends on the hop-ports contained in the tile of interest. Let  $p_{\min}$  be the smallest hop-port index (within the carrier) contained in the tile of interest. RLDPIUserOffset is then given by  $\lfloor p_{\min} / N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} \rfloor$ .

In order to aid the description of the R-DPICH formats, the hop-ports in each tile are numbered from 0 to  $N_{\text{BLOCK}} - 1$  in increasing order. Also, for all RL PHY Frames, except for the RL PHY Frame with index 0 in the superframe in FDD mode, the OFDM symbols in each tile are numbered from 0 to  $N_{\text{FRAME,R}} - 1$  in increasing order. For the RL PHY Frame with index 0 in FDD mode, the OFDM symbols in each tile are numbered from 0 to  $N_{\text{FRAME,R}} + N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} - 1$  in increasing order.

##### 9.4.1.6.1.1 R-DPICH Format 0

In this format, the R-DPICH occupies 18 modulation symbols in a tile in all RL PHY Frames, except those with index 0 within the superframe in FDD mode. In an RL PHY Frame with index 0 within the superframe in FDD mode, the R-DPICH occupies 36 modulation symbols within each tile. A hop-

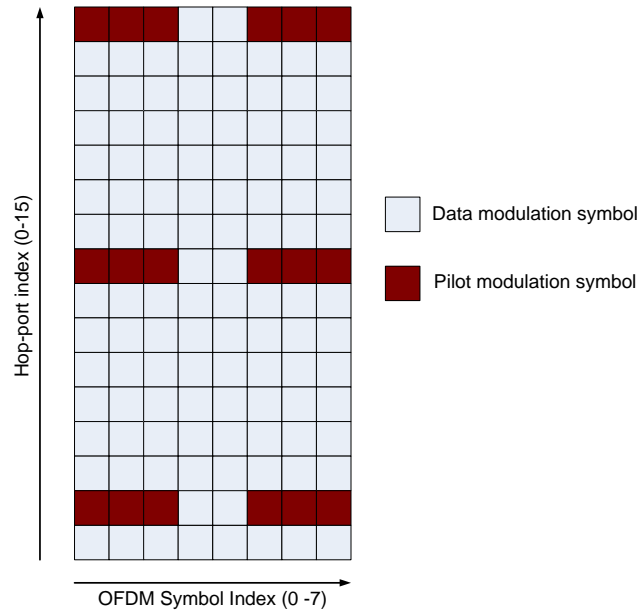
port with index  $i_{hp}$  of the OFDM symbol with index  $t$  (both measured within the tile) is occupied by the R-DPICH if  $i_{hp}$  is in the set  $\{1,8,15\}$ , if  $t' = t \bmod N_{FRAME,R}$  is in the set  $\{0,1,2,5,6,7\}$ , and if this hop-port is not mapped to a subcarrier assigned to the R-ACKCH. The set of hop-ports occupied by the R-DPICH for this format is illustrated in Figure 9-32, for the case when none of the hop-ports in the tile are assigned to the R-ACKCH.

The complex value of the R-DPICH modulation symbol at this location is given by

$$S_{i_{hp},t} = \sqrt{P} \exp\left(\frac{j2\pi}{3}(RLDPISectorOffset + RLDPIUserOffset)t'\right) \text{ if } t' < 4, \text{ and}$$

$$S_{i_{hp},t} = \sqrt{P} \exp\left(\frac{j2\pi}{3}(RLDPISectorOffset + RLDPIUserOffset)(t'-2)\right) \text{ if } t' \geq 4.$$

where  $j$  denotes the complex number  $(0,1)$  and  $P$  is the energy per modulation symbol used by the R-DPICH.



**Figure 9-32 R-DPICH Format 0**

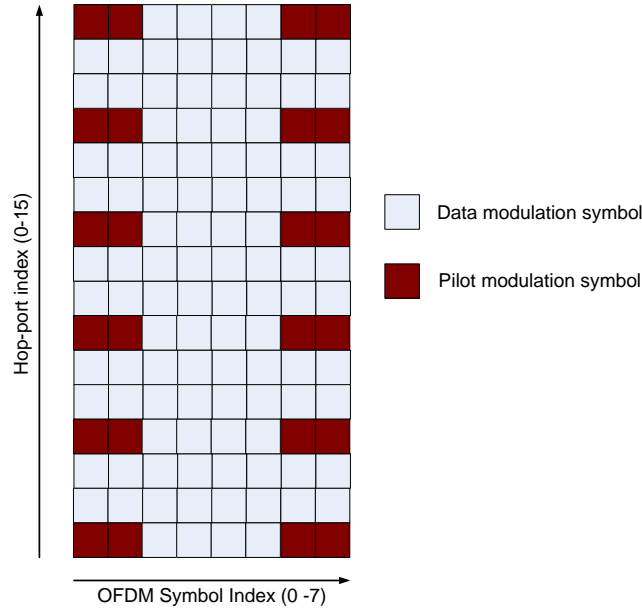
#### 9.4.1.6.1.1.2 R-DPICH Format 1

In this format, the R-DPICH occupies 24 modulation symbols in a tile in all RL PHY Frames, except those with index 0 within the superframe in FDD mode. In an RL PHY Frame with index 0 within the superframe in FDD mode, the R-DPICH occupies 48 modulation symbols in each tile. In this format, a hop-port with index  $i_{hp}$  of the OFDM symbol with index  $t$  (both measured within the tile) is occupied by the R-DPICH if  $i_{hp}$  is in the set  $\{0,3,6,9,12,15\}$ , if  $t' = t \bmod N_{FRAME,R}$  is in the set  $\{0,1,6,7\}$ , and if this hop-port is not mapped to a subcarrier assigned to the R-ACKCH. The set of hop-ports occupied by the R-DPICH for this format is illustrated in Figure 9-33, for the case when none of the hop-ports in the tile are assigned to the R-ACKCH.

The complex value of the R-DPICH modulation symbol at this location is given by

$$S_{i_{hp},t} = \sqrt{P} \exp(j\pi(RLDPISectorOffset + RLDPIUserOffset)t'),$$

where  $j$  denotes the complex number (0,1) and  $P$  is the energy per modulation symbol used by the R-DPICH.



**Figure 9-33 R-DPICH Format 1**

#### 9.4.1.6.2 R-DCH

The R-DCH consists of either a data packet or an erasure sequence, both of which can span one or more RL PHY Frames. The set of RL PHY Frames on which this packet or erasure sequence is transmitted is determined by the RTC MAC Protocol. Each data packet and erasure sequence is also assigned a set of hop-ports in each PHY Frame of transmission by the RTC MAC Protocol. Note that this set of hop-ports can span multiple carriers. Each data packet is further associated with a packet format index, which is also assigned by the RTC MAC Protocol.

##### 9.4.1.6.2.1 Data packet transmission

Each R-DCH packet is generated by the RTC MAC Protocol, and is split, appended with CRC, encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, data-scrambled and modulated according to the procedure described in 9.2. A CRC length of  $N_{CRC,Data}$  is used for this packet. The MACID of the access terminal corresponding to its Reverse Link Serving Sector (RLSS), and the packet format index assigned to this packet, shall be used to generate the initial state of the data-scrambler described in 9.2.5. The size of the input packet generated by the RTC MAC Protocol shall be equal to  $8 \lfloor \rho n_0 N_f / 8 \rfloor - N_{CRC,Data}$ , where  $\rho$  denotes the spectral efficiency at the first transmission corresponding to the packet format of the packet (defined by the RTC MAC Protocol),  $n_0$  denotes the number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the first RL PHY Frame of transmission, and  $N_f$  is equal to  $6N_{FRAME,R}$  if this packet is part of an extended duration transmission and is equal to  $N_{FRAME,R}$  otherwise. The RTC

MAC protocol determines whether or not a packet is part of an extended duration transmission. Here, a usable hop-port is as defined in 9.4.1.3.2. This packet shall be modulated on to the hop-ports assigned to this packet according to the following procedure:

1. Initialize a port counter  $i$  to 0, a frame counter  $f$  to 0, and an OFDM symbol counter  $j$  to 0.
2. Arrange the set of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission in increasing order, where the ordering of hop-ports is as defined in 9.4.1.2.6. Let the resulting sequence be denoted by  $(k_0, p_0), (k_1, p_1), \dots, (k_{n-1}, p_{n-1})$ , where  $n$  is the total number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. The notation for a hop-port is as in 9.3.2.2.5, i.e.,  $k_i$  denotes the CarrierIndex and  $(k_i, p_i)$  denotes the hop-port index in that carrier.
3. Let  $n_{sc}$  be the subcarrier index corresponding to the hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$  in the  $j$ 'th OFDM symbol in the  $f$ 'th RL PHY Frame of transmission. Let  $q$  be the modulation order to be used for the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission, which is a function of the packet format. If  $n_{sc}$  is not assigned to the R-ACKCH and if  $(k_i, p_i)$  is not a DPICH hop-port, then a modulation symbol  $s$  with modulation order  $q$  is generated by the modulator according to the procedure described in 9.2.6. This modulation symbol shall be modulated with energy  $PN_{FFT}/n$  on hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$ , i.e., the value of the corresponding subcarrier shall be  $\sqrt{PN_{FFT}/n} s$ , where  $P$  is the power specified for this assignment in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission (generated by the RTC MAC Protocol).
4. Increment  $i$ . If  $i = n$ , increment  $j$  and set  $i = 0$ .
5. Increment  $f$  and set  $j = 0$  if any of the following two conditions is satisfied:
  - If this is an RL PHY Frame with index 0 within the superframe and the duplexing mode is FDD, and if  $j = N_{FRAME,R} + N_{PREAMBLE}$ .
  - For any other RL PHY Frame (including all RL PHY Frames in TDD mode), if  $j = N_{FRAME,R}$ .
6. If the last RL PHY Frame of transmission has been completed (as determined by the RTC MAC Protocol), then stop. Else repeat steps 2 through 6.

#### 9.4.1.6.2.2 Erasure sequence

An erasure sequence spans one or more consecutive RL PHY Frames of transmission on a set of hop-ports determined by the RTC MAC Protocol. The erasure sequence shall be modulated on to the hop-ports assigned to this sequence according to the following procedure:

1. Construct a one-bit packet, with the bit in the packet being set to zero. This packet is encoded, channel interleaved, repeated, scrambled, and modulated according to the procedure described in 9.2<sup>66</sup>. The MAC ID of the access terminal corresponding to its RL Serving Sector, and a packet format index of 0 shall be used to generate the initial seed of

<sup>66</sup> The operations before scrambling and modulation are all trivial operations, i.e., they result in an all-zeros sequence. The erasure sequence is equivalent to scrambling an all-zeros sequence of the required length, followed by QPSK modulation.

- the scrambler. QPSK modulation shall be used for all of the modulation symbols in the packet.
2. Initialize a port counter  $i$  to 0, an OFDM symbol counter  $j$  to 0, and a PHY Frame counter  $f$  to 0.
  3. Arrange the set of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission in increasing order, where the ordering of hop-ports is as defined in 9.3.2.2.5. Let the resulting sequence be denoted by  $(k_0, p_0), (k_1, p_1), \dots, (k_{n-1}, p_{n-1})$ , where  $n$  is the total number of usable hop-ports assigned to this packet in the  $f$ 'th PHY Frame of transmission. The notation for a hop-port is as in 9.3.2.2.5, i.e.,  $k_i$  denotes the CarrierIndex and  $p_i$  denotes the hop-port index in that carrier.
  4. Let  $n_{sc}$  be the subcarrier index corresponding to the hop-port  $p_i$  in the  $j$ 'th OFDM symbol in the  $f$ 'th RL PHY Frame of transmission. If  $n_{sc}$  is not assigned to the R-ACKCH and if  $(k_i, p_i)$  is not a DPICH hop-port, then a QPSK modulation symbol  $s$  is generated by the modulator according to the procedure described in 9.2.6. This modulation symbol shall be modulated with energy  $PN_{FFT}/n$  on hop-port  $(k_i, p_i)$ . That is, the value of the corresponding subcarrier shall be  $\sqrt{PN_{FFT}/n} s$ , where  $P$  is the assigned power to this erasure sequence (generated by the RTC MAC Protocol).
  5. Increment  $i$ . If  $i = n$ , or if  $i = N_{MaxErasureHopports,R}$ , increment  $j$  and set  $i = 0$ .
  6. Increment  $f$  and set  $j = 0$  if any of the following two conditions is satisfied:
    - If this is an RL PHY Frame with index 0 within the superframe and the duplexing mode is FDD, and if  $j = N_{FRAME,R} + N_{PREAMBLE}$ .
    - For any other RL PHY Frame (including all RL PHY Frames in TDD mode), if  $j = N_{FRAME,R}$ .
  7. If the last RL PHY Frame of transmission has been completed (as determined by the RTC MAC Protocol), then stop. Else repeat steps 3 through 7.

#### 9.4.1.6.3 Sector-specific scrambling

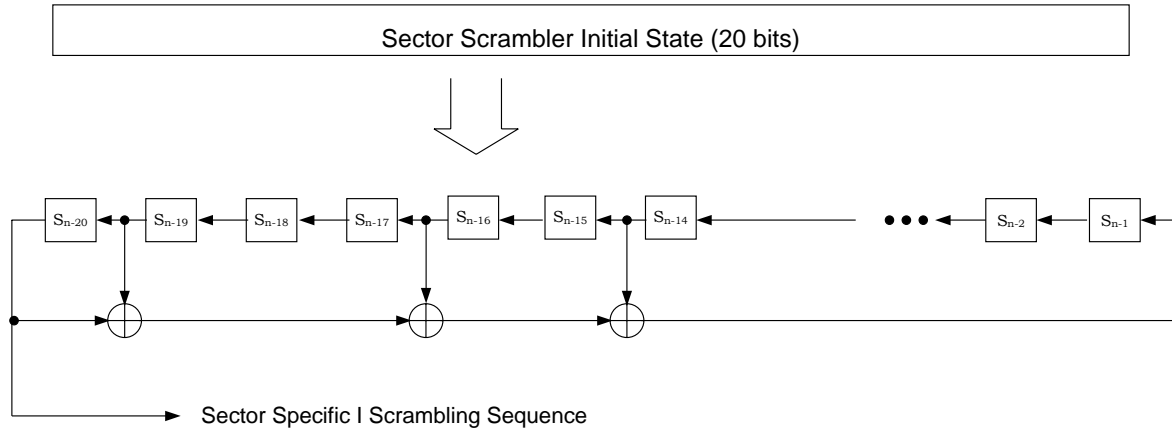
Each OFDM symbol in the superframe shall be scrambled by a sector-specific scrambling sequence. The scrambling operation shall be performed independently on each carrier. The rest of this section describes the scrambling operation for the carrier  $k$ , where  $k=0,1,\dots, N_{CARRIERS} - 1$ . The scrambling sequence for the carrier  $k$  consists of a complex number for every subcarrier in the carrier  $k$  in every OFDM symbol in the superframe. The scrambling operation shall consist of multiplying the unscrambled complex symbol on each subcarrier by the corresponding entry in the scrambling sequence, unless the subcarrier is allocated to the control segment, or both conditions (a) and (b) are true: (a) The subcarrier corresponds to a R-DPICH hop-port (via the hop-permutation), and (b)  $RLDPISectorScramble$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $k$ , is set to 0. For subcarriers for which these conditions (a) and (b) are true, the scrambling operation shall consist of leaving the subcarrier unchanged; and a cell-specific scrambling sequence, as described in 9.4.1.6.4, shall be used to scramble the subcarrier. If the subcarrier is allocated to the control segment, the scrambling operation shall consist of leaving the subcarrier unchanged.

Each complex number in the sector-specific scrambling sequence is generated from two bits, denoted by  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$ , using the following mapping:

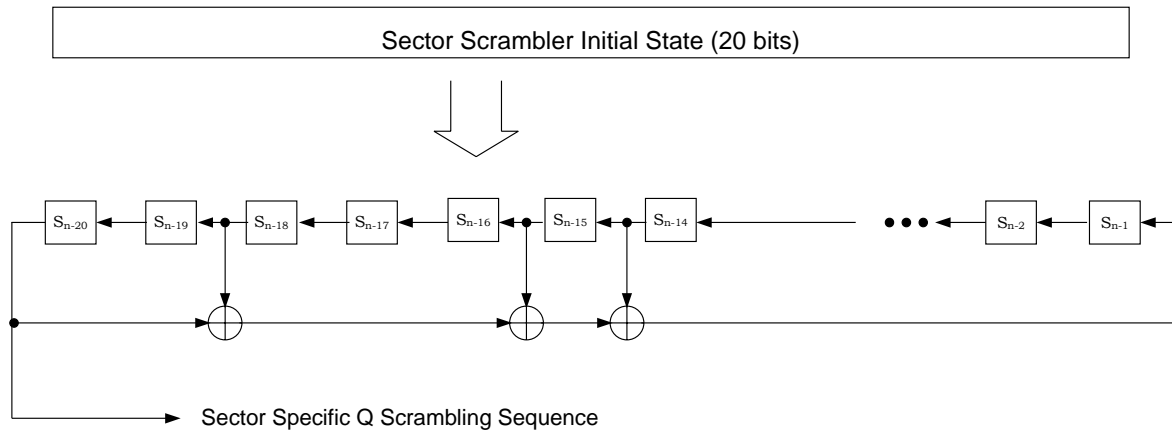
1. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (0,0)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .
2. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (0,1)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .
3. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (1,0)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .
4. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (1,1)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

The sector-specific scrambling sequence for the carrier  $k$  shall be generated using two 20-bit registers, called the I-register and the Q-register, as shown in Figure 9-34 and Figure 9-35, respectively. The I-register shall have a generator polynomial  $h_I(D) = D^{20} + D^{19} + D^{16} + D^{14} + 1$  i.e., the  $n$ 'th output  $I(n)$  of the register shall satisfy  $I(n) = I(n-20) \oplus I(n-19) \oplus I(n-16) \oplus I(n-14)$ . The Q-register shall have a generator polynomial  $h_Q(D) = D^{20} + D^{18} + D^{15} + D^{14} + 1$  i.e., the  $n$ 'th output  $Q(n)$  of the register shall satisfy  $Q(n) = Q(n-20) \oplus Q(n-18) \oplus Q(n-15) \oplus Q(n-14)$ . Each entry in the sector-specific scrambling sequence shall be generated using  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits which are respectively the outputs of the I-register and the Q-register after they have been appropriately initialized and clocked as in the following description.

At the start of every superframe, define  $\text{PilotPNSectorScramb}$  to be identical to  $\text{PilotPhase}$  in SemiSynchronous mode and identical to  $\text{PilotPN}$  in Asynchronous mode. (Thus, for a given sector,  $\text{PilotPNSectorScramb}$  is fixed in Asynchronous mode, but changes every superframe in SemiSynchronous mode.) Let  $p_{11}, p_{10}, \dots, p_0$  be the 12 bits of  $(\text{PilotPNSectorScramb} + k) \bmod 4096$  for a given superframe, with  $p_{11}$  being the MSB and  $p_0$  being the LSB. At the beginning of each superframe, the I and Q registers shall both be initialized to the state  $[11111111p_{11}p_{10}p_9p_8p_7p_6p_5p_4p_3p_2p_1p_0]$ . The I and Q registers shall then be clocked  $N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  times for each OFDM symbol in the superframe to generate the  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits for all of the subcarriers belonging to the carrier  $k$  in every OFDM symbol. The  $i$ 'th entry in the scrambling sequence (generated after  $i$  clock periods) is used to scramble the subcarrier with index  $i \bmod N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$  in the carrier  $k$ , in the OFDM symbol with index  $\lfloor i / N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}} \rfloor$  in the superframe. The initial state of the I and Q registers shall be used to generate the scrambling sequence entry corresponding to the subcarrier with index 0 in the carrier  $k$  in the OFDM symbol with index 0.



**Figure 9-34 Sector-specific scrambler for the data segments – I sequence**



**Figure 9-35 Sector-specific scrambler for the data segments – Q sequence**

#### 9.4.1.6.4 Cell-specific scrambling for R-DPICH

The operations in this section shall be carried out independently for each carrier, and shall be described for the carrier with index  $k$ , where  $k=0,1,\dots,N_{\text{CARRIERS}}-1$ . The operations in this section shall be carried out for the carrier with index  $k$  if and only if  $\text{RLDPISectorScramble}$ , which is part of the public data of the Overhead Messages Protocol for carrier  $k$ , is set to 0. Cell-specific scrambling symbols shall be generated only for subcarriers that correspond to R-DPICH hop-ports (via the hop-permutation), as defined in 9.4.1.6.1. These subcarriers are henceforth referred to as R-DPICH subcarriers. Each R-DPICH subcarrier in the carrier  $k$  shall be given an “R-DPICH-index” according to the following procedure:

1. At the start of each superframe, initialize to zero an OFDM symbol counter  $i$ , a subcarrier counter  $j$ , and an R-DPICH-index counter  $p$ .
2. If the subcarrier with index  $j$  in the carrier  $k$ , in the OFDM symbol with index  $i$  in the superframe, is an R-DPICH subcarrier, then set the R-DPICH-index of that subcarrier to  $p$  and increment  $p$  by 1.

3. Increment  $j$  by 1. If  $j = N_{\text{CARRIER\_SIZE}}$ , set  $j$  to 0 and increment  $i$  by 1.

4. Repeat steps 2 and 3 until  $i$  equals the number of OFDMSymbols in the superframe.

The cell-specific scrambling sequence consists of a complex number for every R-DPICH subcarrier. The scrambling operation shall consist of multiplying the unscrambled complex symbol on each R-DPICH subcarrier by the corresponding entry in the scrambling sequence. Each complex number in the cell-specific scrambling sequence is generated from two bits, denoted by  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$ , using the following mapping:

1. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (0,0)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

2. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (0,1)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

3. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (1,0)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

4. The bit combination  $(s_I, s_Q) = (1,1)$  is mapped to the complex number  $\left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$ .

The cell-specific scrambling sequence for the carrier  $k$  shall be generated using two 20-bit registers, called the I-register and the Q-register, as shown in Figure 9-34 and Figure 9-35, respectively. The I-register shall have a generator polynomial  $h_I(D) = D^{20} + D^{19} + D^{16} + D^{14} + 1$  i.e., the  $n$ 'th output  $I(n)$  of the register shall satisfy  $I(n) = I(n-20) \oplus I(n-19) \oplus I(n-16) \oplus I(n-14)$ . The Q-register shall have a generator polynomial  $h_Q(D) = D^{20} + D^{18} + D^{15} + D^{14} + 1$  i.e., the  $n$ 'th output  $Q(n)$  of the register shall satisfy  $Q(n) = Q(n-20) \oplus Q(n-18) \oplus Q(n-15) \oplus Q(n-14)$ . Each entry in the cell-specific scrambling sequence shall be generated using  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits which are respectively the outputs of the I-register and the Q-register after they have been appropriately initialized and clocked as in the following description.

Let CellPilotPN be the 12 bit number obtained from the PilotPN by setting its 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> bits to zero (where the bits are numbered starting from 0, with the 0<sup>th</sup> bit denoting the LSB). For the superframe with index  $i$ , let SFInd be set equal to  $i$  in SemiSynchronous mode and set equal to zero in Asynchronous mode. For the superframe with index  $i$ , let  $b_{11}, b_{10}, \dots, b_0$  be the 12 bits of  $(\text{CellPilotPN} + \text{SFInd} + k) \bmod 4096$ , with  $b_{11}$  being the MSB and  $b_0$  being the LSB. At the start of the first OFDM symbol in the superframe, both the I and the Q registers shall be initialized to the state  $[11110000b_{11}b_{10}b_9b_8b_7b_6b_5b_4b_3b_2b_1b_0]$ . The outputs of the I and Q registers after they are both clocked  $i$  times, shall respectively be the  $s_I$  and  $s_Q$  bits of the scrambling sequence that are used to scramble the R-DPICH subcarrier with R-DPICH-index  $i$ . The initial states of the I and Q registers shall generate the scrambling bits corresponding to the R-DPICH subcarrier with R-DPICH-index 0.



### 9.4.1.7 Time-domain processing

The sequence of OFDM symbols at the output of the sector scrambler shall be converted to a baseband waveform according to the procedure described in Figure 9-36. This procedure consists of an Inverse Fourier Transform (IFT) operation, a windowing operation, and an overlap-and-add operation.

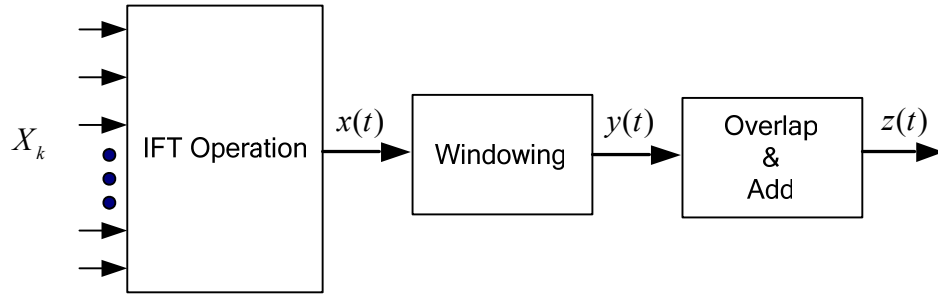


Figure 9-36 Time-domain processing

#### 9.4.1.7.1 Symbol start time

The start time of the superframe with index  $i$  is given by the product of  $i$  with the superframe duration  $T_{\text{SUPERFRAME}}$ , where  $T_{\text{SUPERFRAME}}$  is as defined in 9.4.1.2.4.

In FDD, the start time of the  $k$ -th symbol in the superframe,  $k$  ranging from 0 to  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}} + N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}}N_{\text{FRAME,R}} - 1$ , is given by  $T_{\text{START,SF}} + kT_{\text{s,PR}}$  if  $k$  is less than  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$ , and is given by  $T_{\text{START,SF}} + N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}T_{\text{s,PR}} + (k - N_{\text{PREAMBLE}})T_{\text{s}}$ , otherwise. Here  $T_{\text{START,SF}}$  is the start time of the superframe,  $T_{\text{s}}$  and  $T_{\text{s,PR}}$  are as defined in 9.4.1.2.3, and  $N_{\text{FDD,RLPHYFrames}}$  is defined by the Lower MAC sublayer.

In TDD, the start time of the  $k$ -th symbol in the superframe,  $k$  ranging from 0 to  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}} * N_{\text{FRAME,R}} - 1$ , is given by  $T_{\text{START,SF}} + N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}T_{\text{s,PR}} + N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}N_{\text{FRAME,F}}T_{\text{s}} + T_{\text{G,TDD,F}} + kT_{\text{s}} + \lfloor k / (N_{\text{RL\_BURST}}N_{\text{FRAME,R}}) \rfloor * (N_{\text{FL\_BURST}}N_{\text{FRAME,F}}T_{\text{s}} + T_{\text{G,TDD,F}} + T_{\text{G,TDD,R}})$ , where  $T_{\text{START,SF}}$  is the start time of the superframe,  $T_{\text{s}}$  is as defined in 9.4.1.2.3, and  $N_{\text{TDD,RLPHYFrames}}$  is defined by the Lower MAC sublayer.

#### 9.4.1.7.2 IFT operation

Let  $X_k$  be the value of the complex modulation symbol on the  $k$ 'th subcarrier of an OFDM symbol,  $k$  ranging from 0 to  $N_{\text{FFT}} - 1$ . The IFT of the OFDM symbol is given by the infinite duration signal:

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{\text{FFT}}}} \sum_{k=0}^{N_{\text{FFT}}-1} X_k e^{j2\pi(k - N_{\text{FFT}}/2)(t - T_{\text{CP,PR}} - T_{\text{START}})/(N_{\text{FFT}}T_{\text{CHIP}})}$$

during the first  $N_{\text{PREAMBLE}}$  OFDM symbols in the superframe preamble in FDD, and in all other cases (including all the OFDM symbols for TDD) by the equation:

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{\text{FFT}}}} \sum_{k=0}^{N_{\text{FFT}}-1} X_k e^{j2\pi(k - N_{\text{FFT}}/2)(t - T_{\text{CP}} - T_{\text{START}})/(N_{\text{FFT}}T_{\text{CHIP}})}$$

where  $T_{START}$  denotes the start time of the OFDM symbol,  $T_{CP}$  and  $T_{CP,R}$  are as defined in 9.4.1.2.2, and  $j$  denotes the complex number (0,1).

### 9.4.1.7.3 Windowing

The signal  $x(t)$  at the output of the IFT shall be multiplied by the window function  $w(t)$ , where  $w(t)$  is given by the equation:

$$w(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & , t < T_{START} - T_{WGI} \\ 0.5 - 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t + T_{WGI} - T_{START})}{T_{WGI}}\right) & , T_{START} - T_{WGI} \leq t < T_{START} \\ 1 & , T_{START} \leq t < T_{START} + T_{CP,PR} + T_{FFT} \\ 0.5 + 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t - T_{START} - T_{CP,PR} - T_{FFT})}{T_{WGI}}\right) & , T_{START} + T_{CP,PR} + T_{FFT} \leq t < T'_{s,PR} \\ 0 & , t \geq T'_{s,PR} \end{cases}$$

during the first  $N_{PREAMBLE}$  OFDM symbols in the superframe preamble in FDD, and in all other cases (including all the OFDM symbols for TDD) by the equation:

$$w(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & , t < T_{START} - T_{WGI} \\ 0.5 - 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t + T_{WGI} - T_{START})}{T_{WGI}}\right) & , T_{START} - T_{WGI} \leq t < T_{START} \\ 1 & , T_{START} \leq t < T_{START} + T_{CP} + T_{FFT} \\ 0.5 + 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(t - T_{START} - T_{CP} - T_{FFT})}{T_{WGI}}\right) & , T_{START} + T_{CP} + T_{FFT} \leq t < T'_s \\ 0 & , t \geq T'_s \end{cases}$$

during each RL PHY Frame, where  $T_{START}$  denotes the start time of the OFDM symbol. The quantities  $T_{FFT}$ ,  $T_s$ ,  $T'_s$ ,  $T_{s,PR}$  and  $T'_{s,PR}$  are as defined in 9.4.1.2.2.

The windowed signal  $y(t)$  is given by  $y(t) = x(t)w(t)$ .

#### 9.4.1.7.4 Overlap and add operation

The windowed IFTs  $y(t)$  corresponding to all of the OFDM symbols shall be added together to create the final complex baseband waveform  $z(t)$ . In this procedure, neighboring OFDM symbols overlap for a duration  $T_{WGI}$  as illustrated in Figure 9-37.

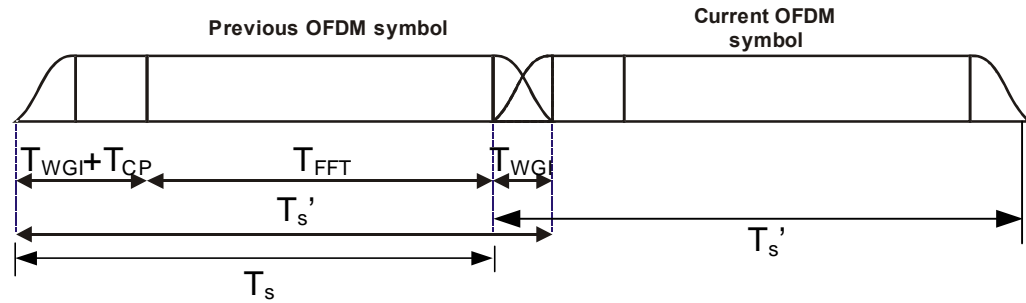


Figure 9-37 Overlap and add operation

#### 9.4.2 Synchronization and timing

The access terminal shall establish a time reference that is used to derive timing for all time-critical transmission components, including superframe boundaries, PHY Frame boundaries, etc. The access terminal initial time reference shall be established from the acquired Acquisition Channel (F-ACQCH) and from the SystemTimeLSB field transmitted as part of the Primary Broadcast Channel (F-pBCH). The initial access terminal time reference shall coincide with the time of occurrence, as measured at the access terminal antenna connector, of the earliest arriving multipath component of the forward link waveform. To elaborate, the beginning of the reverse link superframe with index  $i$  shall coincide with the beginning of the forward link superframe with index  $i$ , where the beginning of both superframes are measured at the access terminal antenna connector. The inaccuracy in this time-alignment shall be within  $\pm 1\mu s$ .

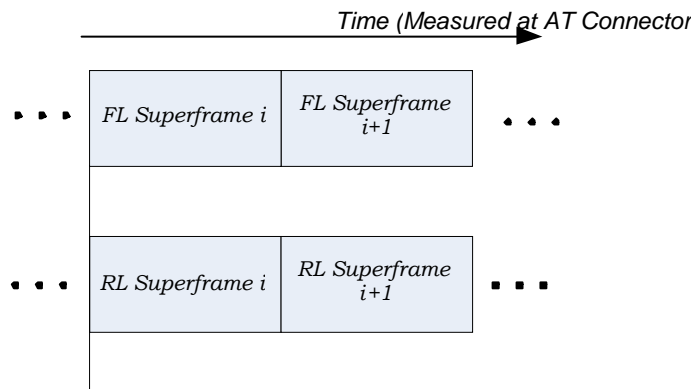


Figure 9-38 Relationship between forward link and reverse link timings

After the initial time reference has been established, the access terminal shall advance and retard timing in response to the AccessGrant message of the SS MAC Protocol and the TimingCorrection message of this protocol, as specified in the following. The TimingCorrection message shall be

declared in error if it contains two SectorIDs within the same synchronous subgroup. Otherwise, the access terminal shall use the TimingCorrection field corresponding to the SectorID in  $AS_{SYNCH}$ . If no such SectorID is present, the access terminal shall not retard or advance the timing for that  $AS_{SYNCH}$ .

To advance timing by a period of  $k$  chips, the access terminal shall move its time reference earlier by a period of  $kT_c$ , where  $T_c$  is the chip duration. To retard timing by a period of  $k$  chips, the access terminal shall move its time reference later by a period of  $kT_c$ , where  $T_c$  is the chip duration.

If the Reverse Link Serving Sector (RLSS) is contained within  $AS_{SYNCH}$ , the access terminal shall also move its time reference when the RLSS changes from one sector to another sector within  $AS_{SYNCH}$ . If, at the access terminal connector, the time of arrival of the superframe boundary from the new RLSS is later than the time of arrival of the superframe boundary from the previous RLSS (for the same superframe index), then the access terminal shall move its time reference earlier (i.e., advance its timing) by the difference in the times of arrival between the two sectors. If the time of arrival of the superframe boundary from the new RLSS is earlier than the time of arrival of the superframe boundary from the previous RLSS (for the same superframe index), then the access terminal shall move its time reference later (i.e., retard its timing) by the difference in the times of arrival between the two sectors.<sup>67</sup>

The access terminal shall maintain independent time references for transmission to asynchronous APs.

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<sup>67</sup> This ensures that the time of arrival of the access terminal signal at the RLSS remains unchanged, even though the RLSS itself changes. The assumption is that the forward link propagation delay is the same as the reverse link propagation delay.

## 10 Common Algorithms and Data Structures

### 10.1 Channel record

The Channel record defines an access network (AN) channel frequency and the type of system on that frequency. This record contains the following fields:

Field	Length (bits)
ChannelRecordType	3
ChannelRecordLength	5
ChannelRecord	ChannelRecordLength× 8

**ChannelRecordType** The access network shall set this field to an identifier for the Channel Record Type according to Table 3-5.

**Table 10-1 ChannelRecordType for Channel Record**

Value	ChannelRecordType
0x0	Band Class
0x1	Frequency Specified
All other values	Reserved

**ChannelRecordLength** The access network shall set this field to the length of the ChannelRecord field in units of octets.

**ChannelRecord** If ChannelRecordType is 0x0, then the access network shall set this record as defined in 10.1.1. If ChannelRecordType is 0x1, then the sender shall set this record as defined in 10.1.2.

#### 10.1.1 Definition of ChannelRecord record for Band Class

Field	Length (bits)
BandClass	5
ChannelNumber	11

**BandClass** The access network shall set this field to the band class number corresponding to the frequency assignment of the channel specified by this record.

**ChannelNumber** The access network shall set this field to the channel number corresponding to the frequency assignment of the channel specified by this record.

### 10.1.2 Definition of ChannelRecord record for Frequency Specified

Field	Length (bits)
ForwardLinkFrequency	28
ReverseLinkFrequency	28

**ForwardLinkFrequency** The access network shall set this field to the value of the frequency of the forward link channel in units of 100 Hz.

**ReverseLinkFrequency** The access network shall set this field to the value of the frequency of the reverse link channel in units of 100 Hz.

### 10.2 Access terminal identifier record

The Access Terminal Identifier record provides a unicast, multicast, or broadcast access terminal (AT) address. This record contains the following fields:

Field	Length (bits)
ATIType	2
ATI	0 or 32

**ATIType** Access Terminal Identifier Type. This field shall be set to the type of the ATI, as shown in Table 10-2.

**ATI** Access Terminal Identifier. The field is included only if ATIType is not equal to '00'. This field shall be set as shown in Table 10-2.

**Table 10-2 ATIType field encoding**

ATIType	ATIType Description	ATI Length (bits)
'00'	Broadcast ATI (BATI)	0
'01'	Multicast ATI (MATI)	32
'10'	Unicast ATI	32
'11'	Reserved	32

### 10.3 Attribute record

The attribute record defines a value for a given attribute.

An attribute can be one of the following two types:

- Simple attribute if it contains a single value.
- Complex attribute if it contains multiple values that together form a complex value for a particular attribute identifier.

The type of the attribute is determined by the attribute identifier.

The format of a simple attribute is given by:

Field	Length (bits)
Length	8
AttributeID	Protocol Specific
AttributeValue	Attribute dependent
Reserved	Variable

**Length** Length in octets of the attribute record, excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** Attribute identifiers are unique in the context of the protocol being configured.

**AttributeValue** A suggested value for the attribute. In general, attribute value lengths are an integer number of octets. Attribute values have an explicit or implicit length indication (e.g., fixed length or null terminated strings) so that the recipient can successfully parse the record.

**Reserved** The length of this field is the smallest value that will make the attribute record octet aligned. The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

The format of a complex attribute is given by:

Field	Length (bits)
Length	8
AttributeID	Protocol Specific
An appropriate number of instances of the following record:	
AttributeValue	Attribute dependent
Reserved	Variable

**Length** Length in octets of the attribute record, excluding the Length field.

**AttributeID** Attribute identifiers are unique in the context of the protocol being configured.

**AttributeValue** A suggested value for the attribute. In general, attribute value lengths are an integer number of octets. Attribute values have an explicit or implicit length indication (e.g., fixed length or null terminated strings) so that the recipient can successfully parse the record.

**Reserved** The length of this field is the smallest value that will make the attribute record octet aligned. The sender shall set this field to zero. The receiver shall ignore this field.

## 10.4 Hash function

The hash function takes three arguments:

- Key** This argument shall be 32 bits; typically, the access terminal's ATI.
- N** The number of resources.
- Decorrelate** An argument used to de-correlate values obtained for different applications for the same access terminal.

Define:

- Word  $L$  to be bits 0-15 of  $Key$
- Word  $H$  to be bits 16-31 of  $Key$

where bit 0 is the least significant bit of  $Key$ .

The hash value is computed as follows<sup>68</sup>:

$$R(L, H, N, Decorrolate) = \lfloor N \times ((40503 \times (L \oplus H \oplus Decorrolate)) \bmod 2^{16}) / 2^{16} \rfloor.$$

## 10.5 Computation of the CRC bits

This section describes the computation of CRC bits for a stream of data bits.

The CRC shall be calculated using the standard CRC-CCITT generator polynomial:

$$g(x) = x^{16} + x^{12} + x^5 + 1$$

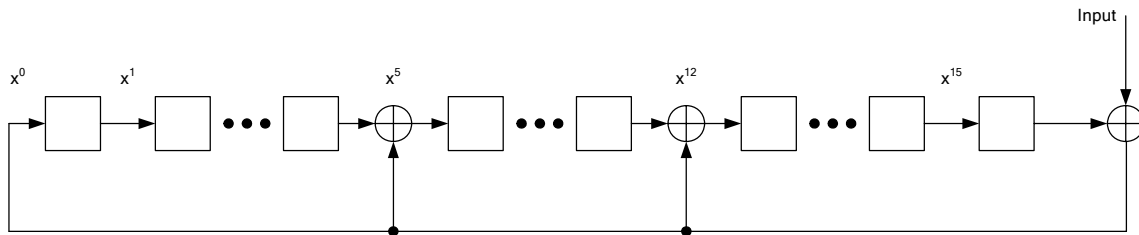
The CRC shall be equal to the value computed according to the following procedure as shown in Figure 10-1:

- All shift-register elements shall be initialized to '0's.
- The register shall be clocked once for each data bit. The bit stream shall be read from MSB to LSB.
- When all the data bits are exhausted, the values remaining in the shift registers constitute the 16-bit CRC.
- If less than a 16-bit CRC is to be used, the most significant bits of the 16-bit CRC shall be used.

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<sup>68</sup> This formula is adapted from Knuth, D. N., *Sorting and Searching*, vol. 3 of *The Art of Computer Programming*, 3 vols. (Reading, MA: Addison-Wesley, 1973), pp. 508-513. The symbol  $\oplus$  represents bitwise exclusive-or function (or modulo 2 addition) and the symbol  $\lfloor \rfloor$  represents the "largest integer smaller than" function.





**Figure 10-1 CRC calculation**

## 10.6 Length pad

When an access network or access terminal is required to use the length pad as described in this section, then it shall supply a sequence of  $N-1$  zeros (0) followed by a single one (1), where  $N$  is the total length of the required length pad.

## 10.7 Pseudorandom number generator

### 10.7.1 General procedures

When an access terminal is required to use the pseudo random number generator described in this section, then the access terminal shall implement the linear congruential generator defined by:

$$z_n = a \times z_{n-1} \bmod m$$

where  $a = 7^5 = 16807$  and  $m = 2^{31} - 1 = 2147483647$ .  $z_n$  is the output of the generator.<sup>69</sup>

The access terminal shall initialize the random number generator as defined in 10.7.2.

The access terminal shall compute a new  $z_n$  for each subsequent use.

The access terminal shall use the value  $u_n = z_n / m$  for those applications that require a binary fraction  $u_n$ ,  $0 < u_n < 1$ .

The access terminal shall use the value  $k_n = \lfloor N \times z_n / m \rfloor$  for those applications that require a small integer  $k_n$ ,  $0 \leq k_n \leq N-1$ .

<sup>69</sup> This generator has full period, ranging over all integers from 1 to  $m-1$ ; the values 0 and  $m$  are never produced. Several suitable implementations can be found in Park, Stephen K. and Miller, Keith W., "Random Number Generators: Good Ones are Hard to Find," *Communications of the ACM*, vol. 31, no. 10, October 1988, pp. 1192-1201.

## 10.7.2 Initialization

The access terminal shall initialize the random number generator by setting  $z_0$  to

$$z_0 = (\text{HardwareID} \oplus \chi) \bmod m$$

where HardwareID is the least 32 bits of the hardware identifier associated with the access terminal, and  $\chi$  is a 32-bit, time-varying physical measure available to the access terminal. If the initial value so produced is found to be zero, the access terminal shall repeat the procedure with a different value of  $\chi$ .

## 10.8 Sequence number

When the order in which protocol messages are delivered is important, air interface protocols use a sequence number to verify this order.

The sequence number has  $s$  bits. The sequence space is  $2^s$ . All operations and comparisons performed on sequence numbers shall be carried out in unsigned modulo  $2^s$  arithmetic. For any message sequence number  $N$ , the sequence numbers in the range  $[N+1, N+2^{s-1}-1]$  shall be considered greater than  $N$ , and the sequence numbers in the range  $[N-2^{s-1}, N-1]$  shall be considered smaller than  $N$ .

### 10.8.1 Sequence number initialization

Upon entering into the initial state, the sequence number on the sender side shall be initialized to 0. The sequence number on the receiver,  $V(R)$ , shall be initialized to  $2^s-1$ .

### 10.8.2 Sequence number validation

The receiver of the message maintains a receive pointer  $V(R)$  whose initialization is defined in 10.8.1. When a message arrives, the receiver compares the sequence number of the message with  $V(R)$ . If the sequence number is greater than  $V(R)$ , the message is considered a valid message and  $V(R)$  is set to this sequence number. Otherwise, the message is considered an invalid message.

## 10.9 Generic Attribute Update Protocol

### 10.9.1 Introduction

The Generic Attribute Update Protocol provides a means to update protocol attributes. The protocol defines an AttributeUpdateRequest message, an AttributeUpdateAccept message, and an AttributeUpdateReject message to negotiate a mutually acceptable configuration.

The initiator uses the AttributeUpdateRequest message to provide the responder with a proposed value for each attribute. The responder uses the AttributeUpdateAccept message to accept the proposed values. If the responder is an access network and if any of the attribute values in the received AttributeUpdateRequest message is not acceptable to it, then the access network sends the AttributeUpdateReject message, and the access terminal and access network continue to use the previously negotiated values for the attributes.

The access terminal shall not send an AttributeUpdateReject message.

## 10.9.2 Procedures

### 10.9.2.1 Initiator requirements

The initiator shall include one attribute value for each attribute included in the AttributeUpdateRequest message.

After sending an AttributeUpdateRequest message, the initiator should continue to use previously negotiated values for attributes listed in the message until it receives either an AttributeUpdateAccept message or an AttributeUpdateReject message. However, the initiator should be prepared for the responder to begin using attribute values proposed by the initiator in the AttributeUpdateRequest message.

If the initiator receives an AttributeUpdateAccept message, then it shall pair the received message with the associated AttributeUpdateRequest message using the TransactionID field of the messages. The initiator shall use the attribute values in the AttributeUpdateRequest message as the configured attribute values. If the access terminal receives an AttributeUpdateReject message, then it shall use the previously configured values of the attributes included in the corresponding AttributeUpdateRequest message.

If the initiator does not receive the corresponding AttributeUpdateAccept or AttributeUpdateReject message in response to the AttributeUpdateRequest message, it should re-transmit the AttributeUpdateRequest message.

While the initiator is waiting for a response to an AttributeUpdateRequest message, it shall not transmit another AttributeUpdateRequest message with a different TransactionID field that requests reconfiguration of an attribute included in the original AttributeUpdateRequest message.

### 10.9.2.2 Responder requirements

After receiving an AttributeUpdateRequest message, the responder shall respond within time  $T_{\text{Turnaround}}$ , unless specified otherwise by the protocol which uses the Generic Attribute Update Protocol.

If the responder is an access terminal, then:

- The responder shall send an AttributeUpdateAccept message.
- Upon sending an AttributeUpdateAccept message, the responder shall begin using the accepted attribute values.

If the responder is an access network, then:

- If the responder finds the proposed value for each attribute in the AttributeUpdateRequest message to be acceptable, then the responder shall send an AttributeUpdateAccept message. Upon sending an AttributeUpdateAccept message, the responder shall begin using the accepted attribute values.
- If the responder does not recognize an attribute or does not find a proposed attribute value to be acceptable, then it shall send an AttributeUpdateReject message.
- If the responder sends an AttributeUpdateReject message, then it shall continue to use the previously configured values of the attributes found in the corresponding AttributeUpdateRequest message.

### 10.9.3 Message formats

No protocol or transport shall define a message with the same MessageID value as the AttributeUpdateRequest, AttributeUpdateAccept, and AttributeUpdateReject messages of the Generic Attribute Update Protocol.

#### 10.9.3.1 AttributeUpdateRequest

The sender sends an AttributeUpdateRequest message to offer a set of attribute-values for a given attribute.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

One or more instances of the following record

AttributeRecord	Attribute dependent
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**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x52. The value of this field is the same for all protocols using this message.

**TransactionID** The sender shall increment this value for each new AttributeUpdateRequest message sent.

**AttributeRecord** The format of this record is specified in 10.3.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC    RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

#### 10.9.3.2 AttributeUpdateAccept

The sender sends an AttributeUpdateAccept message in response to an AttributeUpdateRequest message to accept the offered attribute values.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	8
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x53. The value of this field is the same for all protocols using this message.

**TransactionID** The sender shall set this value to the TransactionID field of the corresponding AttributeUpdateRequest message.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC    RTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 10.9.3.3 AttributeUpdateReject

The access network sends an AttributeUpdateReject message in response to an AttributeUpdateRequest message to reject the offered attribute values.

Field	Length (bits)
MessageID	Protocol dependent
TransactionID	8

**MessageID** The sender shall set this field to 0x54. The value of this field is the same for all protocols using this message.

**TransactionID** The sender shall set this value to the TransactionID field of the corresponding AttributeUpdateRequest message.

<b>Channels</b>	FTC	<b>SLP</b>	Reliable
<b>Addressing</b>	Unicast	<b>Security</b>	Required

### 10.9.4 Protocol numeric constants

Constant	Meaning	Value
$T_{\text{Turnaround}}$	Maximum time to respond to an AttributeUpdateRequest message.	2 sec

### 10.10 Session state information record

The Session State Information is to be used for transferring the session parameters corresponding to the InUse and Suspended protocol and transport instances from a source access network to a target access network. Session parameters are the attributes and the internal parameters that define the state of each protocol. The format of this record is shown in Table 10-3. If an attribute is not contained in the Session State Information record, the target access network shall assume that the missing attributes have the default values (specified for each attribute in each protocol). The sender shall include all of the Parameter Records associated with the ProtocolType and ProtocolSubtype in the same Session State Information Record.

**Table 10-3 Format of the session state information record**

Field	Length (bits)
FormatID	8
ProtocolType	8
ProtocolSubtype	16
One or more instances of the following Parameter Record:	
ParameterType	8
ParameterType-specific record	Variable

FormatID	This field identifies the format of the rest of the fields in this record and shall be set to 0x00.
ProtocolType	This field shall be set the Type value (see Table 3-1) for the protocol associated with the encapsulated session parameters.
ProtocolSubtype	This field shall be set to the protocol subtype value (see Table 11-1) for the protocol associated with the encapsulated session parameters.
ParameterType	This field shall be set according to Table 10-4.

**Table 10-4 Encoding of the DataType field**

Field Value	Meaning
0x00	The ParameterType-specific record consists of a Complex or a Simple Attribute as defined in 10.3.
All other values	ParameterType-specific records are protocol dependent.

**ParameterType-specific record**

If the ParameterType field is set to 0x00, then this record shall be set to the simple or complex attribute (see 10.3) associated with the protocol identified by the (ProtocolType, ProtocolSubtype) pair. Otherwise, the structure of this record shall be as specified by the protocol which is identified by the (ProtocolType, ProtocolSubtype) pair.

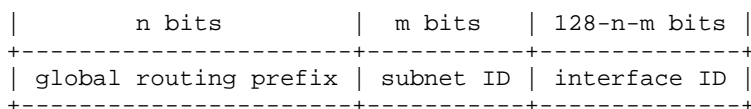
**10.11 SectorID provisioning**

The SectorID is an IPv6 address from one of the following four address pools: Global Unicast, Site-Local Unicast, Link-Local Unicast, and Reserved.

This section describes the rules for assigning SectorID values to sectors in order to ensure that the value of the SectorID is unique across operator networks, when the SectorID is a Global Unicast address, Site-Local Unicast address, a Link-Local Unicast address, or a Reserved address. If the SectorID is a Global Unicast address, then the value of the SectorID is globally unique.

**10.11.1 Overview of relevant formats****10.11.1.1 Global unicast IPv6 address format**

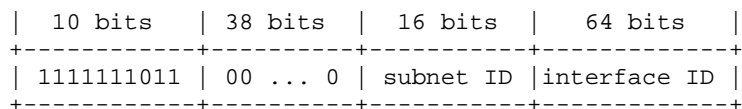
Global Unicast addresses have the following format:

**Figure 10-2 Global unicast IPv6 address format**

For all Global Unicast addresses, except those that start with binary 000, the Interface ID is required to be 64-bits long and to be constructed in Modified EUI-64 format.

### 10.11.1.2 Site-local unicast IPv6 address format

Addresses that start with binary 1111111011 are Site-Local Unicast addresses. However, only Site-Local Unicast addresses of the following format have been defined:

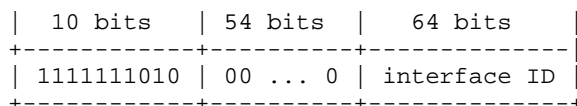


**Figure 10-3 Site-local unicast IPv6 address format**

The Interface ID is required to be 64-bits long and to be constructed in Modified EUI-64 format.

### 10.11.1.3 Link-local unicast IPv6 address format

Addresses that start with binary 1111111010 are Link-Local Unicast addresses. However, only Link-Local addresses of the following format have been defined:

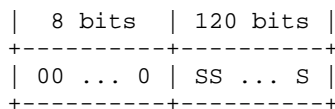


**Figure 10-4 Link-local unicast IPv6 address format**

The Interface ID is required to be 64-bits long and to be constructed in Modified EUI-64 format.

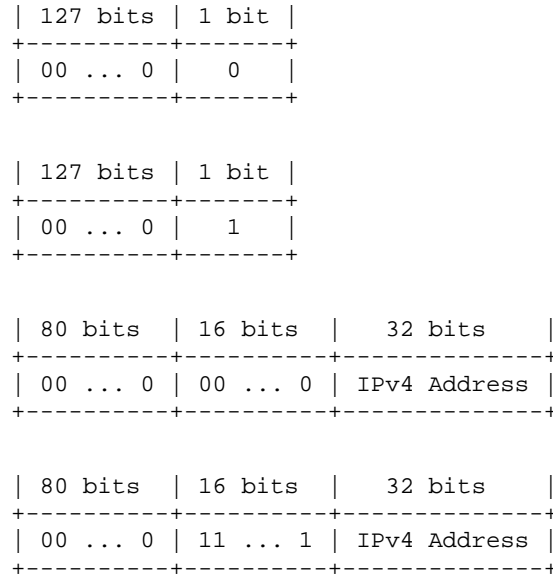
### 10.11.1.4 Reserved IPv6 address format

Reserved addresses have the following format:



**Figure 10-5 Format of the reserved IPv6 addresses**

However, the Unspecified address, the Loopback address, and the Embedded IPv4 addresses have been chosen from the Reserved Address pool. Therefore, the following values shall be excluded from the Reserved IPv6 address category for SectorID values:

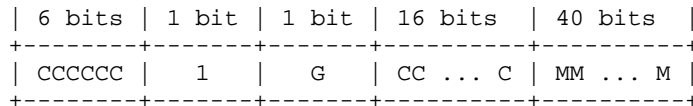


**Figure 10-6 IPv6 values that are to be avoided**

#### 10.11.1.5 Modified EUI-64 format

The Modified EUI-64 Format may take on one of two formats: the universally unique format and the locally unique (non-universally unique) format.

If the Modified EUI-64 value is universally unique, then it has the following format:

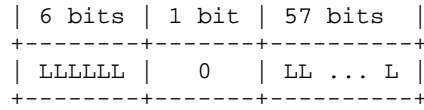


**Figure 10-7 Universally unique modified EUI-64**

The “C” bits are a company identifier assigned to the manufacturer. The “M” bits are the bits chosen by the manufacturer to ensure that the values assigned by the manufacturer are unique. The “G” bit is the group/individual bit.



If the Modified EUI-64 value is locally unique, then it has the format:



**Figure 10-8 Locally unique modified EUI-64**

where the L bits comprise the local node identifier that is chosen such that it is unique on the link.

### 10.11.2 SectorID construction

The access network shall construct the SectorID to be either a Globally Unique SectorID or a Locally Unique SectorID as described in the following:

- If a Globally Unique SectorID is used, the SectorID is universally unique by construction.
- If a Locally Unique SectorID is used, it is the responsibility of the network to ensure the uniqueness of the SectorID throughout the networks that the access terminal can visit.

#### 10.11.2.1 Construction of globally unique SectorID

There are multiple methods by which a network can be uniquely identified. Networks connected to IPv6 networks are uniquely identified using an IPv6 subnet prefix. Networks connected to the ANSI-41 core are uniquely identified using a System Identifier (SID). Networks connected to the GSM/UMTS core are uniquely identified using a Mobile Country Code (MCC) and a Mobile Network Code (MNC). Networks connected to IPv4 networks are uniquely identified using an IPv4 subnet prefix.

It is likely that different operators will have different preferences when it comes to the type of unique identifier to use. Therefore, the following proposal allows the operator to use an IPv6 unique identifier, an ANSI-41 unique identifier, a GSM/UMTS unique identifier, or an IPv4 unique identifier, while ensuring that the SectorID is unique across operator networks.

##### 10.11.2.1.1 SectorID based on an IPv6 unique identifier

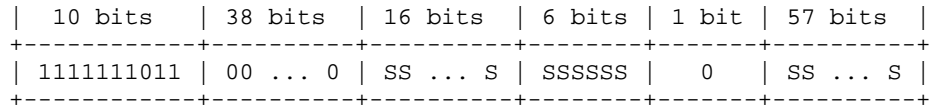
When the SectorID is based on an IPv6 unique identifier, the SectorID shall be any Global Unicast IPv6 Address that has been assigned to the operator and that does not start with binary 00000000. The Global Unicast IPv6 addresses that start with binary 00000000 are excluded because they conflict with the Reserved addresses.

An Operator that has not been assigned any IPv6 addresses but has been assigned at least one globally unique IPv4 address may construct a Global Unicast IPv6 address using the 6to4 method described in [7].

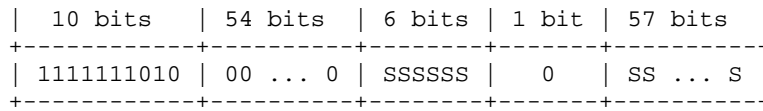
##### 10.11.2.1.2 SectorID not based on an IPv6 unique identifier

When the SectorID is not based on an IPv6 unique identifier, the SectorID shall be a Site-Local Unicast IPv6 Address, a Link-Local Unicast IPv6 Address, or a Reserved IPv6 Address. When the SectorID is a Site-Local Unicast IPv6 Address or a Link-Local Unicast IPv6 Address, the interface ID shall be a locally unique Modified EUI-64 value.

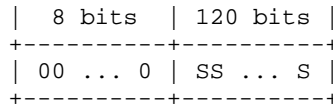
As is shown in the following for Site-Local Unicast, Link-Local Unicast, and Reserved, there are certain bits of the addresses that must take on fixed values in order to meet the IPv6 address requirements. The remaining bits (denoted by “S”) are used to create unique SectorID values. Therefore, the number of bits available for creating the unique SectorID is 79, 63, and 120 bits for Site-Local Unicast, Link-Local Unicast, and Reserved, respectively.



**Figure 10-9 “S” bits in the site-local unicast IPv6 address format**

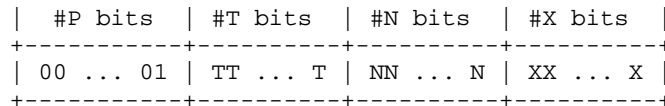


**Figure 10-10 “S” bits in the link-local unicast IPv6 address format**



**Figure 10-11 “S” bits in the reserved IPv6 address format**

The “S” bits are further broken down into the following sub-fields



**Figure 10-12 Sub-fields of the “S” bits**

where the “T” bits identify the type of unique identifier (IPv4, GSM/UMTS, or ANSI-41), the “N” bits are the operator’s unique identifier, and the “X” bits are operator-selected bits (i.e., bits selected by the operator).

The “P” bits, which are a run of zero or more 0’s followed by one 1, allow for flexible positioning of the unique identifier within the IPv6 address. The number of “P” bits shall be less than or equal to 64. This value is to ensure that the addresses in the Reserved IPv6 address format category for SectorID do not collide with the Locally Unique SectorIDs (because the number of leading zeros in the SectorID in the Reserved IPv6 address format category is less than 72).

The “T” bits shall be chosen such that the values are prefix free.

The following sections specify how the “T” bits, the “N” bits, and the “X” bits are assigned for each of the unique identifier types defined in this document (that is, ANSI-41, GSM/UMTS, and IPv4).

### 10.11.2.1.2.1 ANSI-41 method

Ignoring bits in the SectorID that shall take on fixed values in order to meet IPv6 requirements, the SectorID format is as follows:

#P bits	2 bit	15 bits	#X bits
00 ... 01	00	SID	XX ... X
PP ... P	TT ... T	NN ... N	XX ... X

**Figure 10-13 Assignment of the “T” bits, the “N” bits, and the “X” bits for the ANSI-41 method**

The “T” bits shall be set to the binary value ‘00’. The “N” bits shall be set to “SID”, which is the ANSI-41 System Identifier that has been assigned to the operator. The “X” bits shall be set by the operator and shall be chosen to ensure that the SectorID values and corresponding UATI values are unique within the operator’s network. Therefore, there are up to 61, 45, and 102 operator-settable bits for Site-Local Unicast, Link-Local Unicast, and Reserved addresses, respectively.

### 10.11.2.1.2.2 GSM/UMTS method

Ignoring bits in the SectorID that must take on fixed values in order to meet IPv6 requirements, the SectorID format is as follows:

#P bits	2 bits	12 bits	12 bits	#X bits
00 ... 01	01	MCC	MNC	XX ... X
PP ... P	TT ... T	NN ... N		XX ... X

**Figure 10-14 Assignment of the “T” bits, the “N” bits, and the “X” bits for the GSM/UMTS method**

The “T” bits shall be set to the binary value ‘01’. The “N” bits shall be set to “MCC” and “MNC”, which are the binary-coded decimal versions of a Mobile Country Code and Mobile Network Code pair that have been assigned to the operator. The “X” bits shall be set by the operator and shall be chosen to ensure that the SectorID values and corresponding UATI values are unique within the operator’s network. Therefore, there are up to 52, 36, and 93 operator-settable bits for Site-Local Unicast, Link-Local Unicast, and Reserved addresses, respectively.

10.11.2.1.2.3 IPv4 unique identifier

Ignoring bits in the SectorID that must take on fixed values in order to meet IPv6 requirements, the SectorID format is as follows:

PP ... P	2 bits	#N bits	#X bits
00 ... 01	10	IPv4 Subnet Prefix	XX ... X
PP ... P	TT ... T	NN ... N	XX ... X

Figure 10-15 Assignment of the “T” bits, the “N” bits, and the “X” bits for the IPv4 method

The “T” bits shall be set to the binary value ‘10’. The “N” bits are set to “IPv4 Subnet Prefix”, which is a prefix of a globally unique IPv4 subnet assigned to the operator. The “X” bits shall be set by the operator and shall be chosen to ensure that the SectorID values and corresponding UATI values are unique within the operator’s network. Therefore, there are 52, 36, and 93 operator-settable bits for Site-Local Unicast, Link-Local Unicast, and Reserved addresses, respectively, assuming that “IPv4 Subnet Prefix” is a 24-bit prefix identifying an IPv4 class C subnet.

## 11 Assigned Names and Numbers

### 11.1 Protocols

Table 11-1 shows the Protocol Types and Protocol Subtypes assigned to the protocols defined in this specification.

**Table 11-1 Protocol types and subtypes**

Protocol Type		Protocol Subtype	
Name	ID	Name	ID
Physical Layer	0x00	Default Physical Layer	0x0000
Control Channel MAC	0x01	Default Control Channel MAC	0x0000
Access Channel MAC	0x02	Default Access Channel MAC	0x0000
Forward Traffic Channel MAC	0x03	Default Forward Traffic Channel MAC	0x0000
Reverse Traffic Channel MAC	0x04	Default Reverse Traffic Channel MAC	0x0000
Reverse Control Channel MAC	0x05	Default Reverse Control Channel MAC	0x0000
Shared Signaling MAC	0x06	Default Shared Signaling MAC	0x0000
Air Link Management	0x07	Default Air Link Management	0x0000
Initialization State	0x08	Default Initialization State	0x0000
Idle State	0x09	Default Idle State	0x0000
Connected State	0x0a	Default Connected State	0x0000
Active Set Management	0x0b	Default Active Set Management	0x0000
Overhead Messages	0x0c	Overhead Messages	0x0000
Authentication	0x0d	Default Authentication	0x0000
Encryption	0x0e	Default Encryption	0x0000
Encryption	0x0e	Generic Encryption	0x0001
Security	0x0f	Default Security	0x0000
Key Exchange	0x10	Default Key Exchange	0x0000
Session Management	0x11	Default Session Management	0x0000
Address Management	0x12	Default Address Management	0x0000
Session Configuration	0x13	Default Session Configuration	0x0000
Capabilities Discovery	0x14	Default Capabilities Discovery	0x0000
Inter RAT Protocol	0x15	Default Inter RAT Protocol	0x0000
Packet Consolidation	0x16	Default Packet Consolidation	0x0000
Transport 0	0x17	Transport Subtype per 11.2	See 11.2
Transport 1	0x18	Transport Subtype per 11.2	See 11.2
Transport 2	0x19	Transport Subtype per 11.2	See 11.2
Transport 3	0x1a	Transport Subtype per 11.2	See 11.2
Transport 4	0x1b	Transport Subtype per 11.2	See 11.2

Protocol Type		Protocol Subtype	
Name	ID	Name	ID
Transport 5	0x1c	Transport Subtype per 11.2	See 11.2
Transport 6	0x1d	Transport Subtype per 11.2	See 11.2
Transport 7	0x1e	Transport Subtype per 11.2	See 11.2

## 11.2 Transport subtype assignments

A transport subtype identifies the transport that is bound to a Transport of the Packet Consolidation Protocol. Table 11-2 shows the transport subtype defined in this specification.

**Table 11-2 Transport subtypes assignments**

Value	Name
0x0000	Default Signaling Transport
0x0001	Default Data Transport
0x0002	Test Transport
0xffff	Transport not used
All other values reserved	

## 11.3 Messages

Protocol/Transport		Message	
Subtype Name	Type ID	Name	ID
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	ActivateRoute	0x02
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	ActivateRouteAck	0x03
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	ActiveSetAssignment	0x03
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	ActiveSetComplete	0x04
Default Key Exchange	0x10	ANKeyComplete	0x03
Default Key Exchange	0x10	ATKeyComplete	0x04
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	AttributeOverride	0x06
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	AttributeOverrideResponse	0x07
All subtypes with configurable attributes	N/A	AttributeUpdateAccept	0x53
All subtypes with configurable attributes	N/A	AttributeUpdateReject	0x54
All subtypes with configurable attributes	N/A	AttributeUpdateRequest	0x52
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	AttributeValueRequest	0x55
Default Capabilities Discovery	0x14	CapabilitiesRequest	0x00
Default Capabilities Discovery	0x14	CapabilitiesResponse	0x01
Default Connected State	0x0a	ChannelMeasurementReport	0x08

Protocol/Transport		Message	
Subtype Name	Type ID	Name	ID
Default Connected State	0x0a	ChannelMeasurementReportRequest	0x07
Default Connected State	0x0a	ConnectionClose	0x00
Default Idle State	0x09	ConnectionOpenRequest	0x00
Default Idle State	0x09	ConnectionOpenResponse	0x01
Overhead Messages	0x0c	ExtendedChannelInfo	0x00
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	FlowQoSdetect	0x0d
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	FwdReservationAck	0x0c
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	FwdReservationOff	0x0b
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	FwdReservationOn	0x0a
Default Address Management	0x12	HardwareIDRequest	0x03
Default Address Management	0x12	HardwareIDResponse	0x04
Default Inter RAT	0x15	InterRATBlob	0x00
Default Session Management	0x11	KeepAliveRequest	0x02
Default Session Management	0x11	KeepAliveResponse	0x03
Default Key Exchange	0x10	KeyChangeAck	0x06
Default Key Exchange	0x10	KeyChangeRequest	0x05
Default Key Exchange	0x10	KeyInitiateRequest	0x00
Default Key Exchange	0x10	KeyRequest	0x01
Default Key Exchange	0x10	KeyResponse	0x02
Default Session Configuration	0x13	LockConfiguration	0x05
Default Session Configuration	0x13	LockConfigurationAck	0x06
Default Connected State	0x0a	MIMOResponse	0x01
Default Idle State	0x09	PageUATI	0x02
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	PilotReport	0x00
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	PilotReportRequest	0x08
Default Idle State	0x09	PreferredChannelRequest	0x03
Default Signaling	0x17	ReceiverStatus	0x02
Default Air Link Management	0x07	Redirect	0x00
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	ReservationAccept	0x06
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	ReservationOffRequest	0x05
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	ReservationOnRequest	0x04
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	ReservationReject	0x07
Default Signaling	0x17	ResetAck	0x01
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	ResetReport	0x05
Default Signaling	0x17	ResetRequest	0x00
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	RestartNetworkInterface	0x12

Protocol/Transport		Message	
Subtype Name	Type ID	Name	ID
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	RestartNetworkInterfaceAck	0x13
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	RevReservationOff	0x09
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	RevReservationOn	0x08
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	RouteSelect	0x00
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	RouteSelectAck	0x01
Overhead Messages	0x0c	SectorParameters	0x01
Default Connected State	0x0a	SelectedInterlaceAck	0x04
Default Connected State	0x0a	SelectedInterlaceAssignment	0x03
Default Connected State	0x0a	SelectedInterlaceRequest	0x02
Default Session Management	0x11	SessionClose	0x01
Default Session Management	0x11	SessionOpen	0x00
Default Physical Layer	0x00	TimingCorrection	0x02
Default Session Configuration	0x13	TokenAssignment	0x03
Default Session Configuration	0x13	TokenComplete	0x04
Default Session Configuration	0x13	TokensSupportedRequest	0x00
Default Session Configuration	0x13	TokensSupportedResponse	0x01
Default Session Configuration	0x13	TokenUpdateRequest	0x02
Default Connected State	0x0a	TuneAwayRequest	0x05
Default Connected State	0x0a	TuneAwayResponse	0x06
Default Address Management	0x12	UATIAssignment	0x01
Default Address Management	0x12	UATIComplete	0x02
Default Address Management	0x12	UATIUpdateRequest	0x00
Default Session Configuration	0x13	UnlockConfiguration	0x07
Default Session Configuration	0x13	UnlockConfigurationAck	0x08
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	VCQIReportMIMO	0x02
Default Active Set Management	0x0b	VCQIReportSISO	0x01
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	XoffRequest	0x10
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	XoffResponse	0x11
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	XonRequest	0x0e
Default Data	0x18 – 0x1e	XonResponse	0x0f



## 11.4 Other RAT Types

A RAT Type ID identifies the type of the radio access technology. Table 11-3 shows the RAT types defined in this specification.

**Table 11-3 RAT Types**

RAT Type ID	RAT Type
0x00	L2TP
0x01	802.11
0x02	CDMA2000 1x
0x03	CDMA2000 1xEV
0x04	GSM
0x05	WCDMA
All other values	Reserved

## 11.5 Session Configuration Tokens

### 11.5.1 SessionConfigurationToken 0x0000

Table 11-4 shows the Protocol Types and Subtypes for SessionConfigurationToken 0x0000. All attributes for SessionConfigurationToken 0x0000 shall be set to the default values defined by the protocol or transport Subtype.

**Table 11-4 Protocol types and subtypes**

Protocol Type		Protocol Subtype	
Name	ID	Name	ID
Physical Layer	0x00	Default Physical Layer	0x0000
Control Channel MAC	0x01	Default Control Channel MAC	0x0000
Access Channel MAC	0x02	Default Access Channel MAC	0x0000
Forward Traffic Channel MAC	0x03	Default Forward Traffic Channel MAC	0x0000
Reverse Traffic Channel MAC	0x04	Default Reverse Traffic Channel MAC	0x0000
Reverse Control Channel MAC	0x05	Default Reverse Control Channel MAC	0x0000
Shared Signaling MAC	0x06	Default Shared Signaling MAC	0x0000
Air Link Management	0x07	Default Air Link Management	0x0000
Initialization State	0x08	Default Initialization State	0x0000
Idle State	0x09	Default Idle State	0x0000
Connected State	0x0a	Default Connected State	0x0000
Active Set Management	0x0b	Default Active Set Management	0x0000
Overhead Messages	0x0c	Overhead Messages	0x0000
Authentication	0x0d	Default Authentication	0x0000
Encryption	0x0e	Default Encryption	0x0000

Protocol Type		Protocol Subtype	
Name	ID	Name	ID
Security	0x0f	Default Security	0x0000
Key Exchange	0x10	Default Key Exchange	0x0000
Session Management	0x11	Default Session Management	0x0000
Address Management	0x12	Default Address Management	0x0000
Session Configuration	0x13	Default Session Configuration	0x0000
Capabilities Discovery	0x14	Default Capabilities Discovery	0x0000
Inter RAT Protocol	0x15	Default Inter RAT Protocol	0x0000
Packet Consolidation	0x16	Default Packet Consolidation	0x0000
Transport 0	0x17	Default Signaling Transport	0x0000
Transport 1	0x18	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 2	0x19	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 3	0x1a	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 4	0x1b	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 5	0x1c	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 6	0x1d	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 7	0x1e	Transport not used	0xffff

### 11.5.2 SessionConfigurationToken 0x0001

Table 11-5 shows the Protocol Types and Subtypes for SessionConfigurationToken 0x0001. All attributes for SessionConfigurationToken 0x0001 shall be set to the default values defined by the protocol or transport Subtype.

**Table 11-5 Protocol types and subtypes**

Protocol Type		Protocol Subtype	
Name	ID	Name	ID
Physical Layer	0x00	Default Physical Layer	0x0000
Control Channel MAC	0x01	Default Control Channel MAC	0x0000
Access Channel MAC	0x02	Default Access Channel MAC	0x0000
Forward Traffic Channel MAC	0x03	Default Forward Traffic Channel MAC	0x0000
Reverse Traffic Channel MAC	0x04	Default Reverse Traffic Channel MAC	0x0000
Reverse Control Channel MAC	0x05	Default Reverse Control Channel MAC	0x0000
Shared Signaling MAC	0x06	Default Shared Signaling MAC	0x0000
Air Link Management	0x07	Default Air Link Management	0x0000
Initialization State	0x08	Default Initialization State	0x0000
Idle State	0x09	Default Idle State	0x0000
Connected State	0x0a	Default Connected State	0x0000

Protocol Type		Protocol Subtype	
Name	ID	Name	ID
Active Set Management	0x0b	Default Active Set Management	0x0000
Overhead Messages	0x0c	Overhead Messages	0x0000
Authentication	0x0d	Default Authentication	0x0000
Encryption	0x0e	Generic Encryption	0x0001
Security	0x0f	Default Security	0x0000
Key Exchange	0x10	Default Key Exchange	0x0000
Session Management	0x11	Default Session Management	0x0000
Address Management	0x12	Default Address Management	0x0000
Session Configuration	0x13	Default Session Configuration	0x0000
Capabilities Discovery	0x14	Default Capabilities Discovery	0x0000
Inter RAT Protocol	0x15	Default Inter RAT Protocol	0x0000
Packet Consolidation	0x16	Default Packet Consolidation	0x0000
Transport 0	0x17	Default Signaling Transport	0x0000
Transport 1	0x18	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 2	0x19	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 3	0x1a	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 4	0x1b	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 5	0x1c	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 6	0x1d	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 7	0x1e	Transport not used	0xffff

### 11.5.3 SessionConfigurationToken 0x0002

Table 11-6 shows the Protocol Types and Subtypes for SessionConfigurationToken 0x0002. All attributes for SessionConfigurationToken 0x0002 shall be set to the default values defined by the protocol or transport Subtype except for the attributes defined in Table 11-7.

**Table 11-6 Protocol types and subtypes**

Protocol Type		Protocol Subtype	
Name	ID	Name	ID
Physical Layer	0x00	Default Physical Layer	0x0000
Control Channel MAC	0x01	Default Control Channel MAC	0x0000
Access Channel MAC	0x02	Default Access Channel MAC	0x0000
Forward Traffic Channel MAC	0x03	Default Forward Traffic Channel MAC	0x0000
Reverse Traffic Channel MAC	0x04	Default Reverse Traffic Channel MAC	0x0000
Reverse Control Channel MAC	0x05	Default Reverse Control Channel MAC	0x0000
Shared Signaling MAC	0x06	Default Shared Signaling MAC	0x0000

Protocol Type		Protocol Subtype	
Name	ID	Name	ID
Air Link Management	0x07	Default Air Link Management	0x0000
Initialization State	0x08	Default Initialization State	0x0000
Idle State	0x09	Default Idle State	0x0000
Connected State	0x0a	Default Connected State	0x0000
Active Set Management	0x0b	Default Active Set Management	0x0000
Overhead Messages	0x0c	Overhead Messages	0x0000
Authentication	0x0d	Default Authentication	0x0000
Encryption	0x0e	Generic Encryption	0x0001
Security	0x0f	Default Security	0x0000
Key Exchange	0x10	Default Key Exchange	0x0000
Session Management	0x11	Default Session Management	0x0000
Address Management	0x12	Default Address Management	0x0000
Session Configuration	0x13	Default Session Configuration	0x0000
Capabilities Discovery	0x14	Default Capabilities Discovery	0x0000
Inter RAT Protocol	0x15	Default Inter RAT Protocol	0x0000
Packet Consolidation	0x16	Default Packet Consolidation	0x0000
Transport 0	0x17	Default Signaling Transport	0x0000
Transport 1	0x18	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 2	0x19	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 3	0x1a	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 4	0x1b	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 5	0x1c	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 6	0x1d	Transport not used	0xffff
Transport 7	0x1e	Transport not used	0xffff

For this session Configuration Token, the following attributes shall be set to the specified values:

**Table 11-7 Configuration Attributed that shall be set to non-default values**

Protocol Subtype		Configuration Attribute		
Name	ID	Name	ID	Value
Default Authentication	0x0000	AuthenticationMode	0x00	0x01

## 12 Precoding and SDMA Codebooks

Precoding and SDMA are defined in Chapter 9 as a mapping between effective antennas and tile antennas. A particular mapping is defined by a precoding matrix. The columns of the precoding matrix define a set of spatial beams that can be used by AN. The AN uses only one column, of the precoding matrix in SISO transmission, and multiple columns in STTD or MIMO transmissions.

The AT may choose to feedback a preferred precoding matrix to be used by AN for future transmissions. The set of such precoding matrices forms a codebook. In this chapter a number of precoding/SDMA codebooks are listed and the corresponding values of BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex are defined in the Overhead Messages protocol. Some of the precoding matrices in a codebook are grouped into clusters. Matrices in a single cluster typically span only part of the space. If the AT feeds back a beam index within a cluster, the AN treats this as an indication that it may schedule other ATs on different clusters.

The BeamIndex field, in the BFCHBeamIndex report, indexes a beam in a codebook specified by BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex. The BeamIndex may indicate one or more of the following: A no preferred precoding or SDMA matrix, a preferred SISO precoding or SDMA transmission on a spatial beam, a preferred STTD precoding or SDMA transmission on two spatial beams, and a preferred MIMO precoding or SDMA transmission on a set of spatial beams (more than one column of the precoding matrix).

It shall be understood that, if the codebook supports MIMO, only the 0<sup>th</sup> to (SpatialOrder-1)<sup>th</sup> columns of the precoding matrix are to be used, where SpatialOrder is defined in the Forward Traffic Channel MAC protocol. If a spatial beam  $\mathbf{w} = [w_0 \ w_1 \ \cdots \ w_{N_{EFT\_TX\_ANT}-1}]^T$ , is used to transmit a modulation symbol  $s$ , then  $w_j s$  is transmitted on effective antenna  $j$ , where  $N_{EFT\_TX\_ANT}$  is equal to the parameter EffectiveNumAntenna maintained in the overhead messages protocol, and T is the matrix transpose.

In the sequel  $i$  indicates the imaginary part in a complex number.

### 12.1 BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex = 0000

This codebook is only valid for SISO transmission and  $N_{EFT\_TX\_ANT}=4$ .

BeamIndex=0: The AT does not prefer a specific precoding matrix and rather prefers a random matrix that is chosen by AN. The random matrix may change at a rate chosen by AN.

#### 12.1.1 Cluster 1 :

BeamIndex=1:  $[0.5 \ 0.5i \ -0.5 \ -0.5i]^T$

#### 12.1.2 Cluster 2:

BeamIndex=2:  $[0.5 \ -0.5i \ -0.5 \ 0.5i]^T$

## 12.2 BFCHBeamCodeBookIndex = 0001

This codebook is valid for SISO and MIMO transmissions, and only if  $N_{\text{EFT\_TX\_ANT}}=4$ .

Let **BeamMat**=

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.5000 & 0.5000 & 0.5000 & 0.5000 \\ 0.3536 + 0.3536i & -0.3536 + 0.3536i & 0.3536 - 0.3536i & -0.3536 - 0.3536i \\ 0.0000 + 0.5000i & -0.0000 - 0.5000i & 0.0000 - 0.5000i & -0.0000 + 0.5000i \\ -0.3536 + 0.3536i & 0.3536 + 0.3536i & -0.3536 - 0.3536i & 0.3536 - 0.3536i \end{bmatrix}$$

The codebook is defined as follows:

BeamIndex=0: The AT does not prefer a specific precoding matrix and rather prefers a random matrix that is chosen by AN. The random matrix may change at a rate chosen by AN.

BeamIndex=1: Zero<sup>th</sup> column in **BeamMat**

BeamIndex=2: First column in **BeamMat**

BeamIndex=3: Second column in **BeamMat**

BeamIndex=4: Third column in **BeamMat**

### 12.2.1 Precoding Matrices

BeamIndex=5 to BeamIndex=35: If the BeamIndex is equal to  $j$ , define  $\text{seed}_{k,j} = (2\pi [\text{BIT\_REVERSE}([(4*j+k)*2654435761] \bmod 2^{32})] \bmod 2^{20}) / 2^{20}$ ,  $k=0,1,2,3$ . The corresponding precoding matrix,  $\mathbf{U}_j$ , is a random unitary matrix defined as  $\mathbf{U}_j = \mathbf{\Lambda}_j \mathbf{D}$ , where  $\mathbf{\Lambda}_j$  is

a diagonal matrix on the form  $\begin{bmatrix} e^{i\phi_0} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\phi_1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{i\phi_2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & e^{i\phi_3} \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\phi_k = \text{seed}_{k,j}$  is a uniform random variable

between 0 and  $2\pi$ , and  $\mathbf{D}$  is the 4x4 DFT matrix, i.e.,

$$\mathbf{D} = \{D_{m,n}, m, n = 0, \dots, 3\}, D_{m,n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} e^{j2\pi mn/4}.$$

### 12.2.2 Cluster 1:

BeamIndex=36 to BeamIndex=49: If the BeamIndex is equal to  $j$ , define  $\text{seed}_{k,j} = (2\pi [\text{BIT\_REVERSE}([(2*j+k)*2654435761] \bmod 2^{32})] \bmod 2^{20}) / 2^{20}$ ,  $k=0,1$ . The corresponding precoding matrix is defined as  $\mathbf{BeamMat}(:,0:1) * \mathbf{U}_j$ , where  $\mathbf{BeamMat}(:,0:1)$  is the

zero<sup>th</sup> and first columns of **BeamMat**,  $\mathbf{U}_j = \mathbf{\Lambda}_j \mathbf{D}$ ,  $\mathbf{\Lambda}_j = \begin{bmatrix} e^{j\phi_0} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{j\phi_1} \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\phi_k = \text{seed}_{k,j}$  is a uniform

1 random variable between 0 and  $2\pi$ , and  $\mathbf{D}$  is the 2x2 DFT matrix, i.e.,

$$2 \quad \mathbf{D} = \{D_{m,n}, m, n = 0, 1\}, D_{m,n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{j2\pi mn/2}.$$

### 3 **12.2.3 Cluster 2:**

4 BeamIndex=50 to BeamIndex=63: If the BeamIndex is equal to j, define  
 5  $\text{seed}_{k,j} = (2\pi [\text{BIT\_REVERSE}([(2*j+k)*2654435761] \bmod 2^{32})] \bmod 2^{20}) / 2^{20}$ , k=0,1. The  
 6 corresponding precoding matrix is defined as  $\mathbf{BeamMat}(:,2:3) * \mathbf{U}_j$ , where  $\mathbf{BeamMat}(:,2:3)$  is the

7 second and third columns of  $\mathbf{BeamMat}$ ,  $\mathbf{U}_j = \mathbf{\Lambda}_j \mathbf{D}$ ,  $\mathbf{\Lambda}_j = \begin{bmatrix} e^{j\phi_0} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{j\phi_1} \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\phi_k = \text{seed}_{k,j}$  is a uniform

8 random variable between 0 and  $2\pi$ , and  $\mathbf{D}$  is the 2x2 DFT matrix, i.e.,

$$9 \quad \mathbf{D} = \{D_{m,n}, m, n = 0, 1\}, D_{m,n} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{j2\pi mn/2}.$$

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