**3GPP TSG RAN WG2 Meeting #111-e R2-200xxxx  
E-Conference, 17th – 28th August 2020**

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| *CR-Form-v11.4* | | | | | | | | |
| **CHANGE REQUEST** | | | | | | | | |
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|  | **38.331** | **CR** | **xxxx** | **rev** | **-** | **Current version:** | **16.1.0** |  |
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| *For* [***HE******LP***](http://www.3gpp.org/3G_Specs/CRs.htm#_blank)*on using this form: comprehensive instructions can be found at* [*http://www.3gpp.org/Change-Requests*](http://www.3gpp.org/Change-Requests)*.* | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME | **X** | Radio Access Network | **X** | Core Network |  |

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| ***Title:*** | NR-DC UE capabilities | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | Qualcomm Incorporated | | | | | | | | | |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | R2 | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | LTE\_NR\_DC\_CA\_enh-Core | | | | |  | | ***Date:*** | | 2020-08-30 |
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| ***Category:*** | **F** |  | | | | | | ***Release:*** | | Rel-16 |
|  | *Use one of the following categories:* ***F*** *(correction)* ***A*** *(mirror corresponding to a change in an earlier release)* ***B*** *(addition of feature),* ***C*** *(functional modification of feature)* ***D*** *(editorial modification)*  Detailed explanations of the above categories can be found in 3GPP [TR 21.900](http://www.3gpp.org/ftp/Specs/html-info/21900.htm). | | | | | | | | *Use one of the following releases: Rel-8 (Release 8) Rel-9 (Release 9) Rel-10 (Release 10) Rel-11 (Release 11) Rel-12 (Release 12)* *Rel-13 (Release 13) Rel-14 (Release 14) Rel-15 (Release 15) Rel-16 (Release 16)* | |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | | Implement the following change according to RAN2#111-e agreement.   * Introduce 1-bit async NR-DC UE capability. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | Addition of 1-bit async NR-DC UE capability.  **Impact Analysis**:  Impacted functionality:  NR dual connectivity  Inter-operability:  No inter-operability problem. The CR confirms introduction of UE capability for a new feature. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | The UE cannot indicate its support for asynchronous NR-DC. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 6.3.3 | | | | | | | | |
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|  | | **Y** | **N** |  | | |  | | | |
| ***Other specs*** | |  | **X** | Other core specifications | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | | |
| ***affected:*** | |  | **X** | Test specifications | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | | |
| ***(show related CRs)*** | |  | **X** | O&M Specifications | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | | |
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| ***Other comments:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |
| ***This CR’s revision history*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

6.3.3 UE capability information elements

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– *CA-ParametersNRDC*

The IE *CA-ParametersNRDC* contains dual connectivity related capabilities that are defined per band combination.

***CA-ParametersNRDC* information element**

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-- TAG-CA-PARAMETERS-NRDC-START

CA-ParametersNRDC ::= SEQUENCE {

ca-ParametersNR-ForDC CA-ParametersNR OPTIONAL,

ca-ParametersNR-ForDC-v1540 CA-ParametersNR-v1540 OPTIONAL,

ca-ParametersNR-ForDC-v1550 CA-ParametersNR-v1550 OPTIONAL,

ca-ParametersNR-ForDC-v1560 CA-ParametersNR-v1560 OPTIONAL,

featureSetCombinationDC FeatureSetCombinationId OPTIONAL

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CA-ParametersNRDC-v1610 ::= SEQUENCE {

-- R1 18-1: Semi-static power sharing mode1 between MCG and SCG cells of same FR for NR dual connectivity

intraFR-NR-DC-PwrSharingMode1-r16 ENUMERATED {supported} OPTIONAL,

-- R1 18-1a: Semi-static power sharing mode 2 between MCG and SCG cells of same FR for NR dual connectivity

intraFR-NR-DC-PwrSharingMode2-r16 ENUMERATED {supported} OPTIONAL,

-- R1 18-1b: Dynamic power sharing between MCG and SCG cells of same FR for NR dual connectivity

intraFR-NR-DC-DynamicPwrSharing-r16 ENUMERATED {short, long} OPTIONAL,

asyncNRDC-r16 ENUMERATED {supported} OPTIONAL

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-- TAG-CA-PARAMETERS-NRDC-STOP

-- ASN1STOP

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| ***CA-ParametersNRDC* field descriptions** |
| ***ca-ParametersNR-forDC (with and without suffix)***  If this field is present for a band combination, it reports the UE capabilities when NR-DC is configured with the band combination. If no version of this field (i.e., with and without suffix) is present for a band combination, the *ca-ParametersNR* field versions (with and without suffix) in *BandCombination* are applicable to the UE configured with NR-DC for the band combination. |
| ***featureSetCombinationDC***  If this field is present for a band combination, it reports the feature set combination supported for the band combination when NR-DC is configured. If this field is absent for a band combination, the *featureSetCombination* in *BandCombination* (without suffix) is applicable to the UE configured with NR-DC for the band combination. |