

Liaison statement: CPICH SIR measurements in UTRA FDD

Source: TSG RAN WG1

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CC: TSG RAN WG2**

1. Introduction.

The question if CPICH SIR measurements should be included for UE in RAN specifications has been discussed intensively in several WGs. The remaining open issue seems to be whether possible benefits for handover and cell selection outweigh the increase in UE complexity.

It's the opinion of WG1 that the issue should be resolved by WG2 and WG4. Currently the WG1 specification 25.215 does not cover the CPICH SIR measurement. The CR on the CPICH measurement was presented to WG1#9 on the inclusion of the measurement. WG1 agreed the CR conditionally, If WG2 and WG4 agree to include the measurement, WG1 will take the necessary action.

WG1 proposes that the CR 25215-017 should be approved by TSG RAN if there is agreement between WG2 and WG4. In other case the CR should be rejected and other TSG RAN specifications adjusted accordingly.