3GPP TSG-RAN WG2 Meeting #119 electronic R2-2xxxxxx

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# 1 Opening of the meeting

**This e-Meeting**

- This e-Meeting follows 3GPP principles for e-Meetings.

- RAN2 119 electronic has full decision power, i.e. full decision power to make agreements and approvals according to RAN WG2 terms of reference, without any need to ratify decisions at a later RAN2 or other meeting.

## 1.1 Call for IPR

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| The attention of the delegates of this Working Group is drawn to the fact that **3GPP Individual Members have the obligation** under the IPR Policies of their respective Organizational Partners **to inform their respective Organizational Partners of Essential IPRs** they become aware of.  The delegates were asked to take note that they were hereby invited:   * to investigate whether their organization or any other organization owns IPRs which were, or were likely to become Essential in respect of the work of 3GPP. * to notify their respective Organizational Partners of all potential IPRs, e.g., for ETSI, by means of the IPR Statement and the Licensing declaration forms (https://www.etsi.org/images/files/IPR/etsi-ipr-form.doc) |

NOTE: IPRs may be declared to the Director-General or Chairman of the SDO, but not to the RAN WG2 Chairman.

## 1.2 Network usage conditions

1/ To avoid email system overload, please don’t attach files and documents to emails e.g. for offline email discussions, but instead use files placed on the ftp server instead. Inbox/Drafts folder is used for AT-meeting offline discussions.

## 1.3 Other

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| In accordance with the Working Procedures it is reaffirmed that:  (i) compliance with all applicable antitrust and competition laws is required;  (ii) timely submissions of work items in advance of TSG or WG meetings are important to allow for full and fair consideration of such matters; and  (iii) the chairman will conduct the meeting with strict impartiality and in the interests of 3GPP |

Note on (i): In case of question please contact your legal counsel.

Note on (ii): WIDs don’t need to be submitted to the RAN2 meeting and will typically not be discussed here either.

# 2 General

## 2.1 Approval of the agenda

## 2.2 Approval of the report of the previous meeting

## 2.3 Reporting from other meetings

## 2.4 Instructions

Tdoc limitations (reminder)

Tdoc limitations doesn’t apply to Rapporteur Input, i.e.

- Assigned summary rapporteur input of the summary.

- Email / offline discussions outcomes by discussion rapporteur,

- WI rapporteurs input for WI planning etc,

- TS rapporteur input for TS maintenance

- Assigned Editor of Running CRs input to update the running CR and input of one tdoc to facilitate addressing of CR open issues.

- Contact Company of a LSin that triggers RAN2 action may submit one tdoc to facilitate the LS reply. This only applies to one of the contact companies in case there are several (default the first).

Tdoc limitations doesn’t apply to Input created at the meeting, revisions, assigned documents etc.

Tdoc limitations doesn’t apply to shadow / mirror CRs (Cat A).

Tdoc limitations applies to all other submitted tdocs.

Rel-18

For R2 119-e, no offline decision making for Rel-18, only online decisions. Any exception to this must be pre-agreed.

Rel-17 CR

General, all correction CRs / draft CRs:

1. Rapporteurs of Rel-17 WI CRs are asked to continue their volunteer responsibility, even if the WI is closed, at least for the durations of R2 119-e (later meetings TBD).
2. Unless otherwise explicitly agreed/indicated, max one Cat F CR per TS per WI shall be produced as outcome of the meeting. Exception: NBC aspects, if any, may need to be in a separate CR per WI (decided case by case). Note that Impact analysis is required per CR.
3. For smaller / editorial corrections, Companies are asked to coordinate directly with Rapporteurs of Rel-17 WI CRs, rather than submitting separate correction tdocs.
4. General: Please refer to TS contents, in order to illustrate issues and wanted corrections. Proposals that are vague and unspecific may be deprioritized / not treated.

Rel-17 UE capabilities

For R2 119-e, the intention is to finalize UE capabilities for Rel-17

There is no specific coordination for EUTRA UE capabilities.

For NR UE capabilities the following applies:

1: As previously, work on mega CRs (one mega CR for TS 38.306 and one for TS 38.331). This work is done under Agenda Item AI 6.0.2

2: Coordinate centrally incorporation in CRs of RAN1 / RAN4 features for all Rel17 WIs. This work is done under Agenda Item AI 6.0.2 and changes are done directly to the mega CRs. There could be exceptions, case by case, where RAN1 / RAN4 features are treated under a WI-specific Agenda Item instead.

3: RAN2 should only implement in the CRs the features / feature groups from the RAN1 and RAN4 feature list without any FFS that impacts ASN.1 (no highlighted yellow, [] and/or marked as FFS/TBD). Also UE Capabilities that are dependent on such FFS features should not be implemented.

4: R2 Features and capabilities developed only in R2, are developed and corrected individually per WI, under WI-specific Agenda Items. Draft CRs (running CRs) for 38.331 and 38.306 are produced. The 306 CRs shall include an annex containing the RAN2 determined UE capabilities in the feature list format (similar to annex containing RAN2 agreements) for easy compilation into the TR38.822 in the later stage.

5. At the end of R2 119-e, endorsed WI specific UE capability CRs will be merged into the mega CRs, and the mega CRs will be provided to TSG RAN. Any exception to this need to be decided case by case.

## 2.5 Others

# 3 Incoming liaisons

Note: LSs are moved to the respective agenda items if any.

# 4 EUTRA Rel-16 and earlier

Only essential corrections. No documents should be submitted to 4. Please submit to 4.x

## 4.1 NB-IoT and eMTC corrections Rel-16 and earlier

(NB\_IOTenh3-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Jun 18; Completed: June 20; WID: RP-200293); REL-15 and Earlier NB-IoT WIs are in scope but not listed explicitly (long list).

(LTE\_eMTC5-Core; LTE\_eMTC5-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Jun 18; Completed: June 20; WID: RP192875;), REL-15 and Earlier eMTC WIs are in scope but not listed explicitly (long list).

## 4.2 V2X and Side-link corrections Rel-15 and earlier

REL-15 and Earlier WIs are in scope but not listed explicitly (long list).

## 4.3 Positioning corrections Rel-16 and earlier

(LTE\_NavIC-Core, LTE TEI16 Positioning), REL-15 and Earlier WIs are in scope but not listed explicitly (long list).

Documents in this agenda item will be handled by email. No web conference is planned for this agenda item.

## 4.4 Other LTE corrections Rel-16 and earlier

(LTE\_feMob-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-16; started: Jun 18; Completed: June 20; WID: RP-190921)

(LTE\_terr\_bcast-Core, LTE\_DL\_MIMO\_EE-Core, LTE\_high\_speed\_enh2-Core; LTE TEI16 Non-positioning)

(Documents relating to Rel-16 LTE but for which there is no existing RAN WI/SI, e.g. LSs from CT/SA requesting RAN2 action)

Including TEI16, TEI15 etc corrections and issues that do not fit under any other topic.

For LTE mobility enhancements, only corrections that are LTE-specific should be submitted to this AI. Corrections that impact or are common with NR mobility enhancements should be submitted to 5.1.X instead.

# 5 NR Rel-15 and Rel-16

Essential corrections only.

Tdoc Limitation: 11 tdocs in total for all sub agenda items.

## 5.1 Common

Includes the following WIs and input that doesn’t fit elsewhere.

(NR\_newRAT-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-15; started: Mar. 17; closed: Jun. 19: WID: RP-191971)

(NR\_IAB-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-16; started: Dec 18; target Aug 20; WID: RP-200840)

(NR\_unlic-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Dec 18; Closed June 20; WID: RP-192926).

(NR\_IIOT-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-16; started: Mar 19; Completed: Jun 20; WID: RP-200797)

(NR\_UE\_pow\_sav-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Mar 19; Completed Jun 20; WID: RP-200494).

(NR\_2step\_RACH-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Dec 18; Completed: June 20; WID: RP-200085).

(SRVCC\_NR\_to\_UMTS-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-16; started: Dec 18; Completed; Mar 20; WID: RP-190713)

(RACS-RAN-Core, leading WG: RAN2; REL-16; started: Mar 19; completed: Jun 20; WID: RP-191088)

(NG\_RAN\_PRN-Core; leading WG: RAN3; REL-16; started: Mar 19; completed: June 20; WID: RP-200122)

(NR\_eMIMO-Core, leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Jun 18; target; Aug 20; WID: RP-200474;)

(NR\_CLI\_RIM; leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Dec 18; Completed: Jun 20; WID: RP-191997;)

(NR\_L1enh\_URLLC-Core, leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; Completed: June 20; WID: RP-191584)

(LTE\_NR\_DC\_CA\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-16; started: Jun 18; Target Aug 20; WI RP-200791)

(NR\_Mob\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-16; started: Jun 18; Completed June 20; WID: RP-192277).

(NR\_HST, NR\_RRM\_enh-Core, NR\_RF\_FR1, NR\_RF\_FR2\_req\_enh, NR\_n66\_BW, LTE\_NR\_B41\_Bn41\_PC29dBm-Core, NR\_CSIRS\_L3meas,)

(NR TEI16).

LTE mob enh corrections that are common with NR mobility enhancements should be submitted to this AI.

### 5.1.1 Stage 2 and Organisational

Incoming LSs, etc. You should discuss your stage 2 CRs with the specification rapporteurs before submission. Includes impact to 38.300, 36.300, 37.340

### 5.1.2 User Plane corrections

User Plane corrections will be handled in a break out session

#### 5.1.2.1 MAC

#### 5.1.2.2 RLC PDCP SDAP BAP

#### 5.1.2.3 Other

User plane related corrections that should be handled in User plane break out session.

### 5.1.3 Control Plane corrections

#### 5.1.3.1 NR RRC

In case a correction need to mirrored for both NR RRC and LTE RRC, the corrections should be submitted under one single AI, i.e. the sub-AIs below this.

##### 5.1.3.1.1 Connection control

Including L1 Parameters, L2 Parameters, Connection establishment and release, Connection reconfiguration (also reconfig with sync, Handover), Connection resume and release with RRC\_INACTIVE state, Security procedures, re-establishment, RRC processing delay requirements etc.

##### 5.1.3.1.2 Other

#### 5.1.3.2 LTE changes

LTE-specific changes for these WIs. Changes that are applied to both LTE and NR shall be treated together under respective Agenda item other than this one.

#### 5.1.3.3 UE capabilities

#### 5.1.3.4 Idle and inactive mode procedures

This agenda item addresses the idle and inactive behaviour specified in 38.304 or 36.304. Other aspects related to inactive (e.g. state transitions, out of coverage, etc) are covered under RRC agenda items

## 5.2 NR V2X

(5G\_V2X\_NRSL-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Mar 19; target; Aug 20; WID: RP-200129).

CR rapporteurs will take care of miscellaneous CRs to collect small changes. Please contact / coordinate with CR rapporteur company first for small changes (e.g. non-controversial clarification/correction, editorial correction, etc.).

### 5.2.1 General and Stage-2 corrections

Including incoming LSs, rapporteur inputs, etc.

### 5.2.2 Control plane corrections

This agenda item may utilize a summary document on RRC (Huawei).

### 5.2.3 User plane corrections

This agenda item may utilize a summary document on MAC (LG).

## 5.3 NR Positioning Support

(NR\_newRAT-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-15; started: Mar. 17; closed: Jun. 19: WID: RP-191971)

(NR\_pos-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-16; started: Mar 19; target; Jun 20; WID: RP-200218).

(NR TEI16 Positioning)

Documents in this agenda item will be handled by email. No web conference is planned for this agenda item.

### 5.3.1 General and Stage 2 corrections

Including incoming LSs, Including impact to 36.305 and 38.305. Stage 2 corrections shall be discussed with the specification rapporteur (Sven Fischer sfischer@qti.qualcomm.com) before submission. Stage 2 CRs not discussed with the specification rapporteur will not be treated.

This agenda item may use a summary document (decision to be made based on submitted tdocs).

### 5.3.2 RRC corrections

Including impact to 36.331, 38.331, and 38.306.

### 5.3.3 LPP corrections

### 5.3.4 MAC corrections

## 5.4 SON MDT support for NR

(NR\_SON\_MDT-Core; leading WG: RAN3; REL-16; started: Jun 19; Completed June 20; WID: RP-191776).

### 5.4.1 General and stage-2 corrections

Including incoming LSs, TS 37.320 corrections

### 5.4.2 TS 38.314 corrections

### 5.4.3 RRC corrections

# 6 NR Rel-17

## 6.0 General

These AIs includes Aspects that does not fit under other morre specific AIs, multi-WI aspects,

### 6.0.1 RRC

Including general or multi-WI aspects, if any

### 6.0.2 UE capabilities

Feature lists from other groups and UE cap Mega CRs will be treated under this AI. Specific issues may be reallocated to WI-specific AIs.

### 6.0.3 User Plane related aspects

E.g. cross WI coordination on MAC CEs.

This AI will be handled in a break-out session.

### 6.0.4 Other

E.g. Gaps Coordination etc

## 6.1 NR Multicast

(NR\_MBS-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-201038)

Tdoc Limitation: 5 tdocs

It is encouraged to contribute with draft CRs or provide TP(s) for the affected specifications in the Annex of the contribution to facilitate the inclusion in the rapporteur CR.

### 6.1.1 Organizational and Stage-2

LS ins. CR Rapporteurs baseline correction CRs. For smaller corrections, text clarifications etc please contact CR Rapporteur before/instead of submitting a separate Tdoc.

Impact to stage-2 TS, and discussions on system level issues that need resolution, if any.

### 6.1.2 RRC corrections

### 6.1.3 Other CP corrections

Including corrections to TS 38.304, features / UE caps developed in RAN2 (complementary to AI 6.0.2).

### 6.1.4 MAC corrections

### 6.1.5 Other UP Corrections

Including corrections to PDCP, RLC and SDAP.

## 6.2 MR DC CA further enhancements

(LTE\_NR\_DC\_enh2-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-201040)

Tdoc Limitation: 5 tdocs

No documents should be submitted to 6.2. Please submit to.6.2.x

Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications etc - please contact the Rapporteur before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 6.2.1 Organizational and Stage-2 corrections

Including LSs and any rapporteur inputs.

Including Stage-2 corrections related to DCCA WI.

### 6.2.2 Efficient activation deactivation mechanism for one SCG and SCells

No documents should be submitted to 6.2.2. Please submit to.6.2.2.x

#### 6.2.2.1 MAC PDCP corrections

Including essential corrections to SCG activation/deactivation for MAC/PDCP.

#### 6.2.2.2 RRC corrections

Including essential corrections to SCG activation/deactivation for RRC and related UE capabilities.

### 6.2.3 Conditional PSCell change addition

No documents should be submitted to 6.2.2. Please submit to.6.2.2.x

#### 6.2.3.1 Corrections to CPAC network aspects

Including essential corrections to of CPAC on network aspects (e.g. network communication via inter-node messages) handled by RAN2 and any aspects that require RAN3 interaction.

#### 6.2.3.2 Corrections to CPAC UE signalling

Including essential corrections to CPAC that relate to RRC signalling between network and UE and related UE capabilities.

Including essential corrections to CHO + MR-DC (done as part of TEI17).

Including report of email discussion [Post118-e][227][DCCA] Resolving E022 and E023 for CPAC (Huawei)

### 6.2.4 Temporary RS for SCell activation

Including essential corrections to of temporary RS for SCell activation..

## 6.3 Multi SIM

(LTE\_NR\_MUSIM-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-212610)

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications etc - please contact the Rapporteur before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 6.3.1 Organizational

Including LSs and any rapporteur inputs (e.g. from ASN.1 ad-hoc meeting).

### 6.3.2 Paging collision avoidance and paging with service indication

Including essential corrections to paging collision avoidance and paging with service indication and related UE capabilities.

### 6.3.3 NW switching for multi-SIM with or without leaving RRC\_CONNECTED

Including essential corrections to procedures for NW switching for multi-SIM with or without leaving RRC\_CONNECTED and related UE capabilities.

## 6.4 NR IAB enhancements

(NR\_IAB\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-211548)

Time budget: NA

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

### 6.4.1 Organizational and Stage-2

LS ins. CR Rapporteurs baseline correction CRs. For smaller corrections, text clarifications etc please contact CR Rapporteur. Impact to stage-2 TS, and discussions on system level issues that need resolution if any

### 6.4.2 Control Plane

### 6.4.3 User Plane

## 6.5 NR IIoT URLLC

(NR\_IIOT\_URLLC\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-210854)

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

### 6.5.1 Organizational

Including LSs, rapporteur correction CR, and any rapporteur inputs (e.g. from ASN.1 ad-hoc meeting).

### 6.5.2 Control Plane

A single CR with miscelaneous corrections is encouraged. Small editorial corrections should be sent directly to rapporteur. Big open issues can be discussed with contributions with CR in the appendix of the contribution

### 6.5.3 User Plane

A single CR with miscelaneous corrections is encouraged. Small editorial corrections should be sent directly to rapporteur. Big open issues can be discussed with contributions with CR in the appendix of the contribution

## 6.6 Small Data enhancements

(NR\_SmallData\_INACTIVE-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-212594)

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

### 6.6.1 Organizational

Including LSs, rapporteur correction CR and any rapporteur inputs (e.g. from ASN.1 ad-hoc meeting).

### 6.6.2 User plane common aspects

A single CR with miscelaneous corrections is encouraged. Small editorial corrections should be sent directly to rapporteur. Big critical issues can be discussed in a contribution with CR in the appendix of the contribution

### 6.6.3 Control plane common aspects

A single CR with miscelaneous corrections is encouraged. Small editorial corrections should be sent directly to rapporteur.

Big critical issues can be discussed in a contribution with CR in the appendix of the contribution

## 6.7 NR Sidelink relay

(NR\_SL\_Relay-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-212601)

WI has been declared 100% complete

Tdoc Limitation: 4 tdocs

### 6.7.1 Organizational

Incoming LSs, TS updates, rapporteur inputs. This AI is reserved for rapporteur and organizational inputs. For LSes that need action or have impact beyond taking into account by CR rapporteurs: One tdoc by contact company (one company) to address the LS and potential reply is considered Rapporteur Input and may be provided. Related documents and proposed responses from companies other than the contact company should be submitted to the corresponding technical agenda item.

### 6.7.2 Essential corrections

No documents should be submitted to 6.7.2. Please submit to 6.7.2.x.

#### 6.7.2.1 Stage 2 corrections

Including impact to 38.300.

#### 6.7.2.2 Control plane corrections

Including connection management, SI delivery, paging, access control for remote UE, and service continuity.

#### 6.7.2.3 User plane corrections

Including SRAP aspects and QoS.

#### 6.7.2.4 Discovery and re- selection

Including 5G ProSe Direct Discovery for the non-relaying case. Re-using LTE discovery and re/selection as baseline.

## 6.8 RAN slicing

(NR\_Slice -Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-212534)

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

Proposals that do not provide relevant Stage-3 details will not be treated.

### 6.8.1 Organizational

Including LSs and any rapporteur inputs .

### 6.8.2 Cell reselection

Including corrections to slice-specific cell reselection.

### 6.8.3 RACH

Including corrections to RAN slicing-specific RACH prioritization (i.e. aspects that are **not** discussed as part of the common RACH prioritization agenda).

## 6.9 UE Power Saving

(NR\_UE\_pow\_sav\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-212632)

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

### 6.9.1 Organizational and Stage-2

LS ins. CR Rapporteurs baseline correction CRs. For smaller corrections, text clarifications etc please contact CR Rapporteur. Impact to stage-2 TS, and discussions on system level issues that need resolution if any

### 6.9.2 Control Plane

### 6.9.3 User Plane

## 6.10 NR Non-Terrestrial Networks (NTN)

(NR\_NTN\_solutions-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-211557)

Tdoc Limitation: 5 tdocs

### 6.10.1 Organizational

LSs, rapporteur inputs and other organizational documents. Rapporteur inputs and other pre-assigned documents in this AI do not count towards the tdoc limitation.

#### 6.10.1.1 LS in

For LSes that need action: one tdoc by contact company to address the LS and potential reply is considered.

Rapporteur input may be provided.

#### 6.10.1.2 Rapporteur inputs

CR Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications, etc - please contact the CR rapporteurs before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 6.10.2 User Plane

#### 6.10.2.1 MAC corrections

#### 6.10.2.2 Other

Contributions on any other UP issues.

### 6.10.3 Control Plane

#### 6.10.3.1 Idle inactive mode corrections

Contributions on 38.304 impacts.

#### 6.10.3.2 RRC corrections

##### 6.10.3.2.1 SMTC and gaps

SMTC and gaps related corrections

##### 6.10.3.2.2 CHO

CHO related corrections

##### 6.10.3.2.3 Other

Contributions on any other RRC issues.

## 6.11 NR positioning enhancements

(NR\_pos\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-17; WID: RP-210903)

Tdoc Limitation: 6 tdocs

### 6.11.1 Organizational

Rapporteur input. Incoming LS etc. This AI is reserved for rapporteur and organizational inputs. For LSes that need action or have impact beyond taking into account by CR rapporteurs: One tdoc by contact company (one company) to address the LS and potential reply is considered Rapporteur Input and may be provided. Related documents and proposed responses from companies other than the contact company should be submitted to the corresponding technical agenda item.

### 6.11.2 Essential corrections

No documents should be submitted to 6.11.2. Please submit to 6.11.2.x.

#### 6.11.2.1 Latency enhancements

Enhancements of signalling, and procedures for improving positioning latency of the Rel-16 NR positioning methods, for DL and DL+UL positioning methods.

#### 6.11.2.2 RRC\_INACTIVE

Methods, measurements, signalling and procedures to support positioning for UEs in RRC\_ INACTIVE state, for UE-based and UE-assisted positioning solutions. UL and DL+UL NR positioning methods and gNB positioning measurements for UEs in RRC\_INACTIVE are treated at lower priority.

#### 6.11.2.3 On-demand PRS

Specify UE-initiated and LMF-initiated on-demand transmission and reception of DL PRS for DL and DL+UL positioning for UE-based and UE-assisted positioning solutions.

#### 6.11.2.4 GNSS positioning integrity

Signalling and procedures to support GNSS positioning integrity determination.

#### 6.11.2.5 A-GNSS enhancements

Including support of BDS B2a and B3I signals and support of NavIC.

#### 6.11.2.6 Accuracy enhancements

Input on the accuracy enhancement objectives led by RAN1.

## 6.12 Reduced Capability

(NR\_redcap-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-17; WID: RP-211574)

Tdoc Limitation: 4 tdocs

### 6.12.1 Organizational

LSs, rapporteur inputs and other organizational documents. Rapporteur inputs and other pre-assigned documents in this AI do not count towards the tdoc limitation.

#### 6.12.1.1 LS in

For LSes that need action: one tdoc by contact company to address the LS and potential reply is considered.

Rapporteur input may be provided.

#### 6.12.1.2 Rapporteur inputs

CR Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications, etc - please contact the CR rapporteurs before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 6.12.2 Control Plane

#### 6.12.2.1 NCD-SSB aspects

Corrections/clarifications on NCD-SSB aspects

#### 6.12.2.2 Other RRC corrections

Contributions on any other RRC issues.

#### 6.12.2.3 Idle inactive mode corrections

Contributions on 38.304 issues

### 6.12.3 User Plane

#### 6.12.3.1 MAC aspects

## 6.13 SON MDT

(NR\_ENDC\_SON\_MDT\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN3; REL-17; WID: RP-201281)

Tdoc Limitation: 4 tdocs

WI is declared 100% complete

### 6.13.1 Organizational and Stage-2

LS in etc. CR Rapporteurs to provide input CRs, and Provide resolution proposals for smaller and editorial corrections. For Editorial corrections please discuss with CR Rapporteur. Stage-2 corrections and system level discussions, if needed

### 6.13.3 SON Corrections

### 6.13.4 MDT Corrections

## 6.14 NR QoE

(NR\_QoE-Core; leading WG: RAN3; REL-17; WID: RP-211406)

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

### 6.14.1 Organizational

Including incoming LSs, rapporteur inputs, etc.

Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications etc - please contact the Rapporteur before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 6.14.2 Corrections

Including essential corrections to QoE measurements.

### 6.14.3 UE capabilities

Corrections to features / UE caps developed in RAN2. Note that this AI is complementary to AI 6.0.2. Please use draft CRs for 38.331 and 38.306 to help with CR merging.

## 6.15 NR Sidelink enhancements

(NR\_SL\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-17; WID: RP-202846)

Tdoc Limitation: 4 tdocs

Note some agenda item(s) may use pre-meeting discussion based on a summary document.

### 6.15.1 Organizational

Including incoming LSs, rapporteur inputs, etc.

### 6.15.2 Stage 2 corrections

### 6.15.3 Control plane corrections

### 6.15.4 User plane corrections

## 6.16 NR Non-Public Network enhancements

(WI NG\_RAN\_PRN\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN3; REL-17; WID: RP-202363)

Tdoc Limitation: 1

## 6.17 NR feMIMO

(NR\_feMIMO-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-17; WID: RP-212535)

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

### 6.17.1 Organizational

LS in, CR Rapporteurs to provide baseline correction CRs. For smaller corrections, text clarifications etc please contact CR Rapporteur

### 6.17.2 RRC centric Corrections

### 6.17.3 MAC centric Corrections

## 6.18 RACH indication and partitioning

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

Expected to cover WIs SDT, CovEnh, RedCap, RAN slicing. RA specific aspects from the different WI should be covered in this AI given the RA experts are all there.

### 6.18.1 Common signalling framework

A single CR with miscelaneous corrections is encouraged. Small editorial corrections should be sent directly to rapporteur. Big open issues can be discussed in a contributions with CR in the appendix of the contribution

### 6.18.2 Common aspects of RACH procedure

A single CR with miscelaneous corrections is encouraged. Small editorial corrections should be sent directly to rapporteur. Big open issues can be discussed with contributions with CR in the appendix of the contribution

## 6.19 Coverage Enhancements

(NR\_cov\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-17; WID: RP-211566)

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdoc

Common aspects related to RACH indication (in MSG1) / RACH partitioning shall be submitted to 6.18

### 6.19.1 Organizational

Rapporteur input, incoming LS etc. CR Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications, etc - please contact the CR rapporteurs before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 6.19.2 General

All aspects.

## 6.20 Extending NR operation to 71GHz

(NR\_ext\_to\_71GHz-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-17; WID: RP-212637)

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications etc - please contact the Rapporteur before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 6.20.1 Organizational

Including LSs and any rapporteur inputs.

### 6.20.2 Control plane corrections

Including essential control plane corrections to NR operation up to 71GHz.

### 6.20.3 User plane corrections

Including essential user plane corrections to NR operation up to 71GHz.

## 6.21 TEI17

### 6.21.1 TEI proposals

Including incoming LSes. Only TEI proposals in progress and Very Essential new proposals (if any at all), co-signed by at least one operator.

Tdoc Limitation: 1 tdoc

### 6.21.2 Corrections

Corrections CRs (Correction to TEI or TEI + other WI code) or detailed modifications to agreed proposals

## 6.22 NR and MR-DC measurement gap enhancements

(NR\_MG\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN4; REL-17; WID: RP-211591)

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

CR Rapporteur to provide baseline correction CR. For smaller corrections, text clarifications etc please contact CR editor.

## 6.23 Uplink Data Compression (UDC)

(NR\_UDC\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-17; WID: RP-211203)

Tdoc Limitation: 1 tdocs

## 6.24 NR R17 Other

Includes items and topics without specific R2 Agenda Item. Includes LS in for R17 items not in a specific R2 Agenda Item.

### 6.24.1 RAN4 led Items

### 6.24.2 RAN1 led Items

### 6.24.3 Other

# 7 Rel-17 EUTRA Work Items

## 7.1 Common

(NB\_IOTenh4\_LTE\_eMTC6-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-17; WID: RP-211340)

(UPIP\_EN-DC\_UE; leading WG: RAN3; REL-17; WID: RP‑213669)

(LTE TEI17)

No documents should be submitted to 7.1. Please submit to 7.1.X

### 7.1.1 Organizational and Stage-2

General LSs and documents for which there is no RAN WI.

Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications etc - please contact the Rapporteur before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 7.1.2 Control Plane Corrections

### 7.1.3 User Plane Corrections

## 7.2 NB-IoT and eMTC support for NTN

Tdoc Limitation: 5 tdocs

### 7.2.1 Organizational

LSs, rapporteur inputs and other organizational documents. CR Rapporteurs may provide baseline correction CRs containing smaller corrections, text clarifications, etc - please contact the CR rapporteurs before providing contributions on those aspects.

### 7.2.2 User Plane

Impacts to 36.321, 36.322, 36.323, 37.324

### 7.2.3 RRC

Impacts to 36.331

### 7.2.4 Idle Inactive mode

Impacts to 36.304

### 7.2.5 UE capabilities

### 7.2.6 Other

# 8 Rel-18

## 8.1 NR network-controlled repeaters

(FS\_NR\_NetConRepeater; leading WG: RAN1; REL-18; WID: RP-221229)

Time budget: 0.5 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 1 tdocs

### 8.1.1 Organizational

Including LSs and any rapporteur inputs.

### 8.1.2 General

Including Identification and authorization of network-controlled repeaters.

## 8.2 Expanded and improved NR positioning

(FS\_NR\_pos\_enh2; leading WG: RAN1; REL-18; WID: RP-221814)

Time budget: 1.5 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

### 8.2.1 Organizational

Including incoming LSs and rapporteur inputs.

### 8.2.2 Sidelink positioning

Study of positioning architecture and signalling procedures (e.g. configuration, measurement reporting, etc) to enable sidelink positioning covering both UE based and network based positioning. Considering relative positioning, ranging and absolute positioning.

### 8.2.3 RAT-dependent integrity

Study methodologies, procedures, signalling, etc for determination of positioning integrity for both UE-based and UE-assisted positioning. Focus on reuse of concepts and principles being developed for RAT-Independent GNSS positioning integrity, where possible. Identification of error sources may require input from RAN1.

### 8.2.4 LPHAP

Study the requirements on LPHAP as developed by SA1 and evaluate whether existing RAN functionality can support these power consumption and positioning requirements. Based on the evaluation, and, if found beneficial, study potential enhancements to help address any limitations.

## 8.3 Network energy savings for NR

(xx-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-18; WID: RP-213554)

Time budget: 1 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

### 8.3.1 Organizational

*LS, workplan, etc*

### 8.3.2 gNB and UE supporting techniques

*Contributions should focus on how to achieve more efficient operation dynamically and/or semi-statically and finer granularity adaptation of transmissions and/or receptions in one or more of network energy saving techniques in time, frequency, spatial, and power domains, with potential support/feedback from UE, and potential UE assistance information*

## 8.4 Further NR mobility enhancements

(NR\_Mob\_enh2-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-18; WID: RP-221799)

Time budget: 2 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 4 tdocs

Focus to consolidate the performance aspects to improve and the cases to address.

### 8.4.1 Organizational

Including LSs and any rapporteur inputs (e.g. work plan). Including input on work splits and tasks for other groups (LS outs), which is expected dependent also on other progress (treated last).

### 8.4.2 L1 L2 Mobility

#### 8.4.2.1 Target Performance Enhancements

This part has high priority during the first meeting. Establish a latency model and determine which parts pf latency / stept are expected to be enhanced, Focus first on intra-freq-intra-DU, then establish understanding as to which enhancements that can be applicable for inter-DU, inter-freq scenarios etc. Can discuss scenario applicability in general. Can discuss also other performance metrics than latency if applicable.

#### 8.4.2.2 Candidate Solutions

A first attempt to identify/list candidate solutions.

### 8.4.3 NR-DC with selective activation cell of groups

Consolidate the aspects to improve.

### 8.4.4 Other

## 8.5 XR Enhancements for NR

(FS\_NR\_XR\_enh; leading WG: RAN2; REL-18; WID: [RP-220285](https://www.3gpp.org/ftp/tsg_ran/TSG_RAN/TSGR_95e/Docs/RP-220285.zip))

Time budget: 2 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 3 Tdocs

### 8.5.1 Organizational

Including LSs and any rapporteur inputs (e.g. work plan, draft TR)

### 8.5.2 XR-awareness

Including discussion on XR traffic characteristics (e.g. QoS, PDB, PDU size and periodicity, jitter, etc.) and how RAN is aware of those. Contributions should take the existing SA2/SA4 decisions into account.

### 8.5.3 XR-specific power saving

Including discussion on how the XR traffic characteristics (e.g. QoS, PDB, PDU size and periodicity, jitter, etc.) impact power saving and what kind of power saving aspects are needed.

### 8.5.4 XR-specific capacity improvements

Including discussion on how scheduler is impacted by XR traffic in UL/DL and what kinds of scheduling mechanisms are required.

## 8.6 IoT NTN enhancements

(xx-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-18; WID: RP-221806)

Time budget: 1 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

### 8.6.1 Organizational

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### 8.6.2 Performance Enhancements

### 8.6.3 Mobility Enhancements

### 8.6.4 Enhancements to discontinuous coverage

## 8.7 NR NTN enhancements

(xx-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-18; WID: RP-221819)

Time budget: 1 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

### 8.7.1 Organizational

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### 8.7.2 Coverage Enhancements

### 8.7.3 Network verified UE location

### 8.7.4 NTN-TN and NTN-NTN mobility and service continuity enhancements

## 8.8 NR support for UAV

(xx-Core; leading WG: RAN1; REL-18; WID: RP-213600)

Time budget: 0.5 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 2

### 8.8.1 Organizational

### 8.8.2 Measurement reporting

*Contributions should focus on enhancement to measurement reports, for example UE-triggered measurement report based on configured height thresholds, Reporting of height, location and speed in measurement report, Flight path reporting, Measurement reporting based on a configured number of cells (i.e. larger than one) fulfilling the triggering criteria simultaneously*

*Note: Work done in LTE is a starting point for this objective. NR-specific enhancements can be considered, if needed, while overall the LTE and NR solutions should be harmonized as much as possible.*

### 8.8.3 Subscription-based aerial-UE identification

Contributions should focus on signaling required to support subscription-based aerial-UE identification

*Note: Work done in LTE is a starting point for this objective. NR-specific enhancements can be considered, if needed, while overall the LTE and NR solutions should be harmonized as much as possible.*

### 8.8.4 UAV identification broadcast

*Study and specify, if needed, enhancements for UAV identification broadcast*

NOTE: This Agenda Item will not be treated in this meeting

## 8.9 Enhanced NR Sidelink Relay

(NR\_SL\_relay\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-18; WID: RP-221262)

Time budget: 1 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 3 tdocs

### 8.9.1 Organizational

Including incoming LSs and rapporteur inputs.

### 8.9.2 UE-to-UE relay

Single-hop Layer-2 and Layer-3 UE-to-UE relay for unicast. Focus for this meeting is on the common L2/L3 parts: relay discovery and (re)selection. Tdocs on other aspects of the objective may be submitted but will not be treated at this meeting.

### 8.9.3 Service continuity enhancements for L2 UE-to-network relay

Inter-gNB direct/indirect path switching; intra-gNB indirect/indirect path switching; and inter-gNB indirect/indirect path switching, to be supported by reuse of solutions for the other scenarios.

### 8.9.4 Multi-path relaying

Study the benefit and potential solutions for multi-path support to enhance reliability and throughput. Includes the cases where a UE is connected to the same gNB using one direct path and one indirect path via 1) Layer-2 UE-to-Network relay, or 2) via another UE (where the UE-UE inter-connection is assumed to be ideal).

## 8.10 IDC enhancements for NR and MR-DC

(NR\_IDC\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-18; WID: RP-221281)

Time budget: 1 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

This WI expects to address interference between 3GPP (including various MR-DC architectures, i.e. NR-DC and EN-DC) and non-3GPP RAT (e.g. WiFi). Note: Enhancements to FDM solution is prioritized. LTE IDC solution should be considered as the baseline for the solutions developed in this WI.

### 8.10.1 Organizational

LS in. Rapporteur Input

### 8.10.2 FDM solution enhancements

Enhancements to FDM solution, to allow more granular indication of affected frequencies (e.g. granularity of BWP or PRB level).

### 8.10.3 TDM solution

Introduction of TDM solution (e.g. indication of UE preferred TDM pattern for UL/DL).   
Note: The TDM solution is considered complementary to the FDM solution.

## 8.11 Enhancements of NR Multicast and Broadcast Services

(NR\_MBS\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN2; REL-18; WID: RP-221458)

Time budget: 0.5 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

### 8.11.1 Organizational

LS in, rapporteur input etc.

### 8.11.2 Multicast reception in RRC\_INACTIVE

Specify support of multicast reception by UEs in RRC\_INACTIVE state [RAN2, RAN3], PTM configuration for UEs receiving multicast in RRC\_INACTIVE state [RAN2]. Study the impact of mobility and state transition for UEs receiving multicast in RRC\_INACTIVE. (Seamless/lossless mobility is not required) [RAN2, RAN3]

### 8.11.3 Shared processing for MBS broadcast and Unicast reception

Specify Uu signalling enhancements to allow a UE to use shared processing for MBS broadcast and unicast reception, i.e., ‎including UE capability and related assistance information reporting regarding simultaneous unicast reception in RRC\_CONNECTED and MBS broadcast reception from the same or different operators [RAN2]

## 8.12 Mobile IAB (Integrated Access and Backhaul) for NR

( NR\_mobile\_IAB -Core; leading WG: RAN3; REL-18; WID: RP-221815)

Time budget: 0.5 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

### 8.12.1 Organizational

Ls in Rapporteur input etc

### 8.12.2 Mobility Enhancements

Enhancements for mobility of an IAB-node together with its served UEs, including aspects related to group mobility. No optimizations for the targeting of surrounding UEs. [RAN3, RAN2]

### 8.12.3 Other

Define Procedures for migration/topology adaptation to enable IAB-node mobility, including inter-donor migration of the entire mobile IAB-node (full migration) [RAN3, RAN2]. Mitigation of interference due to IAB-node mobility, including the avoidance of potential reference and control signal collisions (e.g. PCI, RACH). [RAN3, RAN2]. Also At the beginning of the work period, RAN3, RAN2 should discuss the potential complexity of a scenario where a mobile IAB node connects to a stationary (intermediate) IAB node, with respect to the scenario where a mobile IAB node connects directly to an IAB-donor.

## 8.13 Further enhancement of data collection for SON MDT in NR and EN-DC

(NR\_ENDC\_SON\_MDT\_enh2-Core; leading WG: RAN3; REL-18; WID: RP-221825)

Includes LS in’s related to AI/ML for NG-RAN

Time budget: 1 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 4 tdocs

### 8.13.1 Organizational

Ls in Rapporteur input.

### 8.13.2 Data collection for MRO for MR DC SCG failure and Inter-system handover for voice fallback.

Focus on UE impact

### 8.13.3 Miscellaneous SON MDT enhancements

Determine and consolidate RAN2 impacts for Support of SON/MDT enhancements for [RAN3, RAN2]: MR-DC CPAC, Successful PScell change report, Successful Handover Report (e.g. inter-RAT), NPN, RACH report, fast MCG recovery, NR-U (MRO and UL MLB)

### 8.13.4 Other

E.g. Support of signaling based logged MDT override protection to address the scenario where the signaling based MDT is configured in E-UTRAN when [RAN2, RAN3]: UE reselects to NR while logged measurements are collected, UE reselects to NR after logged measurements are collected and before uploading the logged MDT report.

## 8.14 Enhancement on NR QoE management and optimizations for diverse services

(NR\_QoE\_enh-Core; leading WG: RAN3; REL-18; WID: [RP-221803](https://www.3gpp.org/ftp/tsg_ran/TSG_RAN/TSGR_96/Docs/RP-221803.zip))

Time budget: 0.5 TU

Tdoc Limitation: 2 tdocs

### 8.14.1 Organizational

Including LSs and any rapporteur inputs (e.g. work plan

### 8.14.2 QoE measurements in RRC\_IDLE INACTIVE

including discussion on QoE measurements for RRC\_IDLE/INACTIVE for MBS broadcast services.

### 8.14.3 Rel-17 leftover topics for QoE

Including discussion on Rel-17 leftover topics: Whether/how RRC should support per-slice QoE measurement configuration, RAN-visible QoE aspects, or QoE reporting for overload scenario?

### 8.14.4 Other topics

Including any other QoE enhancement discussion (e.g. service type aspects, QoE in NR-DC, QoE continuity).

NOTE: This agenda item will not be treated in this meeting.

## 8.15 R18 Other

Misc Impacts from Other RAN WGs and TSGs (incl MC Enhancements). LS ins for Rel-18 topics that has no RAN WI.

Time budget: 0.5 TU

Tdoc Limitation: -