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| ***Title:***  | Add MDT signalling activation and deactivation mechanisms in a split architecture for NR |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | Add MDT signalling activation and deactivation mechanisms in a split architecture for NR |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | -Add MDT signalling activation and deactivation mechanisms in a split architecture for NR |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** |  |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | 4.1.2.17.X, 4.1.4.X |
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***First change***

##### 4.1.2.17.X Handling of signalling based MDT activation in a split architecture



Figure 4.1.2.17.x.1: Example of MDT activation in 5GC and NG-RAN after UE attachment in a split architecture

When AMF send Trace Start to gNB-CU-CP, the gNB-CU-CP decides if gNB-CU-UP and gNB-DU should be involved in the MDT measurement. It means that the gNB-CU-CP shall send the TRACE START message to gNB-CU-UP or gNB-DU if these nodes should be involved in the MDT measurement.

In cas of the split architecture, the configuration parameters that shall be included in the message are same as in the case of non-split architecture, see clause 4.1.2.17.3.

The overall description for signalling based MDT activation procedure in the case of split architecture can be found in 3GPP TS 38.401 [44].

***Next change***

#### 4.1.4.12 NG-RAN deactivation mechanisms

There are two different events that deactivate a Trace Session:

1. When NG-RAN node receives the DEACTIVATE TRACE message using NG interface, it shall deactivate the Trace Session for the indicated Trace Reference.

2. When the NG-RAN node releases the UE context the Trace Recording Session shall be stopped and the Trace Session is deactivated at the NG-RAN node.

If the NG-RAN node is not able to deactivate the trace session due to ongoing handover of the UE to another NG-RAN node, the NG-RAN node shall inform the AMF with the TRACE FAILURE INDICATION message using NG interface.

In case of an immediate MDT trace session and the UE being in connected mode in a split architecture, the AMF shall send trace session deactivation toward the gNodeB-CU-CP. The gNB-CU-CP shall send trace session deactivation towards gNB-CU-UP and/or gNodeB-DU if the trace sessions in the gNB-CU-UP and/or gNB-DU have been activated by the gNB-CU-CP. The gNB-CU-CP shall also deactivate the corresponding MDT RRC measurements in the UE and shall discard the given trace session context.

Note: Signaling based deactivation does not apply for logged MDT trace sessions. The logged MDT trace session terminates when logging duration expires.

***End of changes***