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#### Introduction:

This document contains 2 CRs, Rel-4 with mirror CR to Work Item "TEI4", that have been agreed by TSG CN WG1, and are forwarded to TSG CN Plenary meeting #19 for approval.

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[7]	3GPP TS 04.06: "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Mobile Station - Base Station System (MS - BSS) interface Data Link (DL) layer specification".
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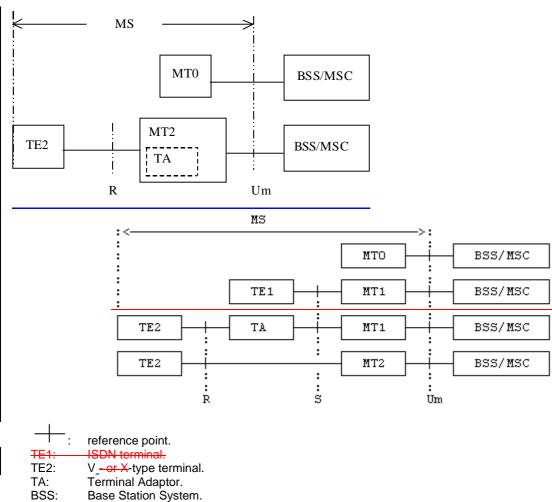
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#### 3 Reference Configuration

The reference configuration for PLMN (in A/Gb mode) access interfaces is shown in figure 1.



MSC: Mobile Switching Centre.

Figure 1: PLMN Access Reference Configuration (in A/Gb mode)

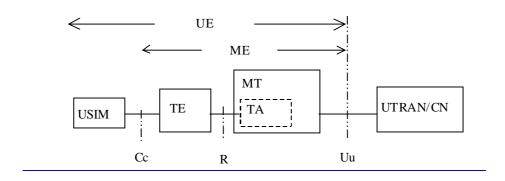
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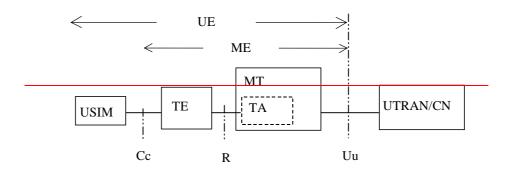
- MT0 includes functions belonging to the functional group MT, with support of no terminal interfaces.
- MT1 includes functions belonging to the functional group MT, and with an interface that complies with the GSM recommmended subset of the ISDN user network interface specifications.
- MT2 includes functions belonging to the functional group MT, and with an interface that complies with the 3GPP TS 27.00z series Terminal Adaptation Function specifications. Accordingly, the interchange circuit mapping at the MT2 to TE interface shall comply with the ITU-T V.24 [42] recommendation; while the physical implementation shall conform either to the ITU-T V.28 [43], or to the IrDA IrPHY Physical signalling standard specification [44], or to the PCMCIA 2.1[45], or to the PC-Card 3.0[45], electrical specification or to later revisions.

The MT plus any TE/(TE + TA) constitutes the Mobile Station, MS.

The terminal equipment functional groups TE1, TE2 and TA are conceptually the same functional groups as those in the

The reference configuration for PLMN (Iu mode) access interfaces is shown in figure 2.





TA: reference point.
TA: Terminal Adaptor.
MT: Mobile Termination.
ME: Mobile Equipment.
UE: User Equipment

UTRAN: UMTS Radio Access Network.

CN: Core Network.

Figure 2: PLMN Access Reference Configuration (lu mode)

There is no reference point identified for the TA Function. The TA Function is considered as a part of the Mobile Termination and with an interface that complies with the 3GPP TS 27.00z series Terminal Adaptation Function specifications.

# 3.1 Mobile Termination (MT)

The MT performs the following functions, which performs the following functions:

- radio transmission termination;
- radio transmission channel management;
- terminal capabilities, including presentation of a man-machine interface to a user;
- speech encoding/decoding;
- error protection for all information sent across the radio path. This includes FEC (forward error correction) and, for signalling and user data (except for transparent data services), ARQ (automatic request for retransmission);
- flow control of signalling and mapping of user signalling to/from PLMN access signalling;
- flow control of user data (except for transparent data services) and mapping of flow control for asynchronous transparent data services;
- rate adaptation of user data (see 3GPP TS 04.21[14]) and data formatting for the transmission SAP (3GPP TS 25.322);

- multiple terminal support;
- mobility management.

### 3.2 Void

# 4 Physical Realisation

In a PLMN, the reference point Um/Uu is an interface point, i.e. it is always implemented as a physical interface (according to 3GPP Technical Specifications in the 04, 05, 24 and 25 series). The <u>R</u> reference points <u>S</u> and <u>R</u> may be optionally implemented as physical interfaces. The implementation of interfaces at these this reference points is according to Technical Specifications 3GPP TS 27.001, 27.002 and 27.003.

Figure 3 gives examples of configurations illustrating combinations of physical interfaces at the R reference points R and S. The examples shown are not exhaustive, but only serve to illustrate possible implementations of the respective functional blocks.

Example (a) of figure 3 illustrates a fully integrated MS including data terminal functions within the mobile station equipment.

Example (b) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a TE1 in accordance with Technical Specifications 3GPP TS 27.002 and 27.003 (and ITU T Recommendation I.420). In this example the speech service is offered via the TE1.

Example (c) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a TE2 by a ITU-TV series interface according to Technical Specifications 3GPP TS 27.002 and 27.003.

Example (d) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a MT2 PCMCIA card to a TE2 by a PCMCIA 2.1 interface according to the Technical Specifications 3GPP TS 27.002 and 27.003.

Example (e) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a TE2 by means of an ISDN TA to the MT equipment.

Example (f) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a speech only MS.

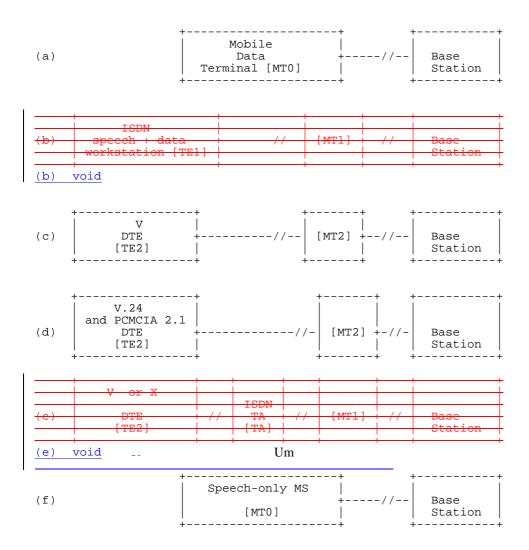


Figure 3: Examples of physical implementations

# Annex <A> (informative): Change history

Change history									
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12-2000	NP-10	NP-000673	001	2	CR 24.002 on Adaptations for UMTS	3.0.0	3.1.0		
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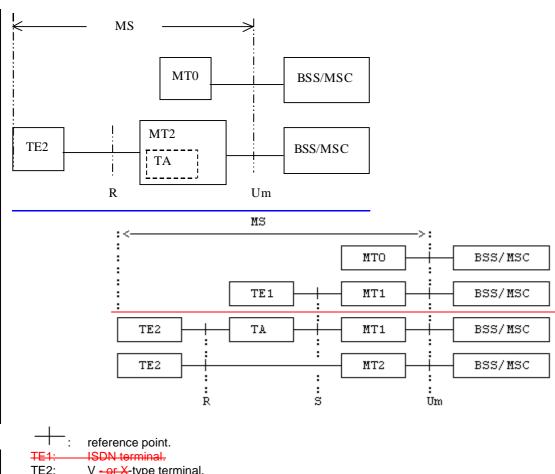
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TE2: V - or X-type terminal. Terminal Adaptor. TA:

**GERAN:** GSM/EDGE Radio Access Network.

CN: Core Network. Base Station System. Mobile Switching Centre.

Figure 1: PLMN Access Reference Configuration (in A/Gb mode and GERAN lu mode)

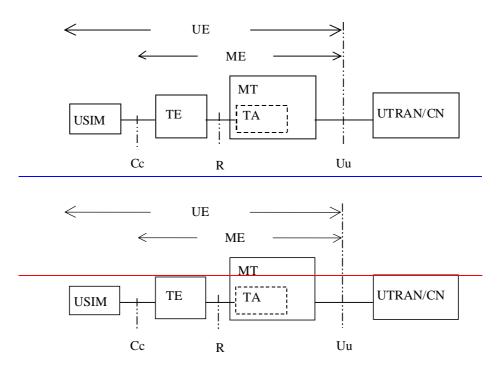
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- terminal capabilities, including presentation of a man-machine interface to a user;
- speech encoding/decoding;
- error protection for all information sent across the radio path. This includes FEC (forward error correction) and, for signalling and user data (except for transparent data services), ARQ (automatic request for retransmission);
- flow control of signalling and mapping of user signalling to/from PLMN access signalling;
- flow control of user data (except for transparent data services) and mapping of flow control for asynchronous transparent data services;

- rate adaptation of user data (see 3GPP TS 44.021[14]) and data formatting for the transmission SAP (3GPP TS 25.322);
- multiple terminal support;
- mobility management.

## 3.2 Void

# 4 Physical Realisation

In a PLMN, the reference point Um/Uu is an interface point, i.e. it is always implemented as a physical interface (according to 3GPP Technical Specifications in the 44, 45, 24 and 25 series). The <u>R</u> reference points <u>S</u> and <u>R</u> may be optionally implemented as physical interfaces. The implementation of interfaces at these this reference points is according to Technical Specifications 3GPP TS 27.001, 27.002 and 27.003.

Figure 3 gives examples of configurations illustrating combinations of physical interfaces at the R reference points R and S. The examples shown are not exhaustive, but only serve to illustrate possible implementations of the respective functional blocks.

Example (a) of figure 3 illustrates a fully integrated MS including data terminal functions within the mobile station equipment.

Example (b) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a TE1 in accordance with Technical Specifications 3GPP TS 27.002 and 27.003 (and ITU T Recommendation I.420). In this example the speech service is offered via the TE1.

Example (c) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a TE2 by an ITU-T\_V series interface according to Technical Specifications 3GPP TS 27.002 and 27.003.

Example (d) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a MT2 PCMCIA card to a TE2 by a PCMCIA 2.1 interface according to the Technical Specifications 3GPP TS 27.002 and 27.003.

Example (e) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a TE2 by means of an ISDN TA to the MT equipment.

Example (f) of figure 3 illustrates the connection of a speech only MS.

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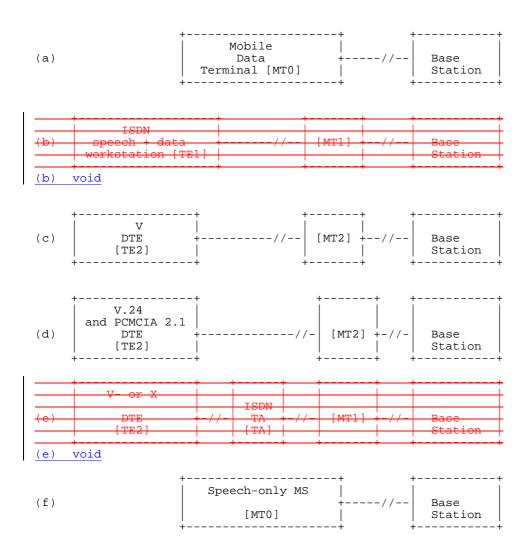


Figure 3: Examples of physical implementations