Status report of RAN WG2

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Meeting statistics

- 3 RAN2 meetings held since last RAN meeting
 - July 99 hosted by ETSI
 - August 99 hosted by ETSI
 - September 99 hosted by Telelogic
- 3 joint meetings held since last RAN meeting
 - joint R2/R3/N1/S2/S2 on handover
 - joint R2/S2 on architecture items
 - joint R2/S2 on LCS
- About 90 regular attendants

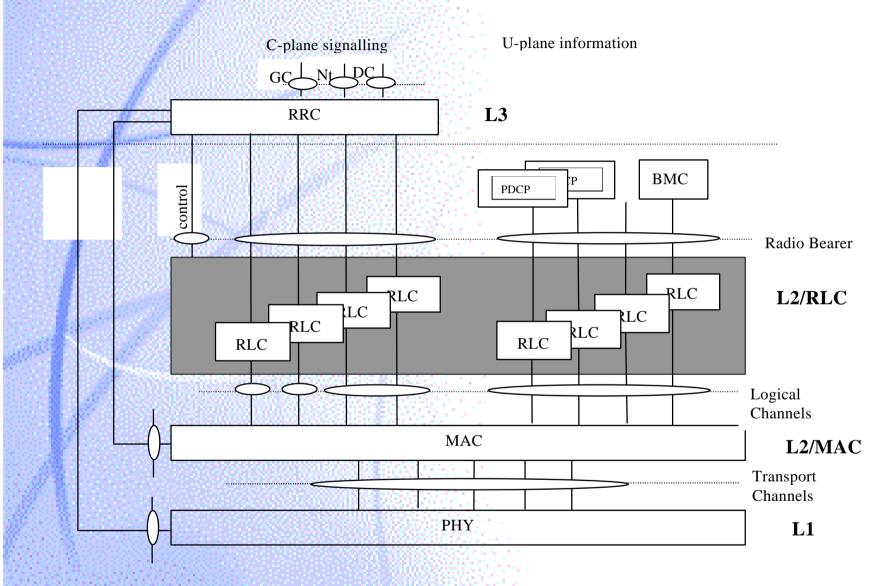


Summary of results (Technical Specs)

- RP-99460: 21 CRs to TS 25.301 v3.1.0, CRs 4 to 6, 8 to 25
- RP-99461: 14 CRs to TS 25.302 v3.0.0, CRs 1 to 14
- RP-99462: 14 CRs to TS 25.303 v3.0.0, CRs 1 to 9, 12 to 16
- RP-99464: 18 CRs to TS 25.321 v3.0.0, CRs 1 to 6, 10 to 21
- RP-99464: 25.304 presented for approval
- RP-99465: 24.322 presented for approval
- RP-99524: 25.331 presented for approval
 - RP-99524 replaces RP-99468
- RP-99466: new document 25.323 on PDCP protocol
- RP-99467: new document 25.324 on BMC protocol



Latest Radio Interface architecture





Summary of results (Technical reports)

- RP-99469 3GPP TR 25.921:Guidelines and principles for protocol description and error handling
- RP-99470 3GPP TR 25.922: Radio Resource
 Management Strategies
- RP-99471 3GPP TR 25.923: Location Services (LCS)
 - Document scope has been modified. It is requested that the document be moved into a <u>Technical Specification</u>
- RP-99472 3GPP TR 25.924: ODMA
- RP-99473 3GPP TR 25.925: Broadcast/Multicast services



Not yet complete items essential for release'99

- Items with dependency with other WGs:
 - UE capabilities management
 - Support of CN signalling (N(SD))
 - SRNS relocation
 - Routing of CN signalling messages
 - Outer Loop Power control for downlink
- Items started but yet to complete:
 - Ciphering
 - Methodology for description of RRC specification
 - Encoding of RRC messages
 - Protocol error handling
 - LCS
 - BMC and PDCP protocols

Not complete items not essential for rel99 and under discussion for rel99

- Gated transmission
- Slow TPC



Items agreed to be for release'00

- FAUSCH
- Asymmetric reconfiguration
- Hybrid ARQ
- Multiplexing in the PDCP layer
- UE speed estimation



Location Services

- Agreement with SA2 on way forward:
 - SA2 to produce a System Stage 2, with UTRAN as "black box"
 - RAN WG2 to write UTRAN stage 2, based on Technical Report 25,923
 - need to change from TR to TS
- UTRAN stage 2 well progressed, more work needed
- First selection of Position Method
 - OTDOA
 - Network Assisted GPS
- LS RP-99507 to be presented



Hooks and Extensions

- One hook identified and incorporated
 - CN Type on BCCH
- First list of extensions identified in H&E Workshop
- Request from 3GPP2 to maintain "Up to date" specification
 - Incorporation of CRs by WG2 after each meeting
- Work on extensions to progress in next coming meetings
 - Description methodology, in RRC ad-hoc 19-21st October
 - Extensions in next coming RAN2 meeting
- Time plan needed for RAN approval of results
- LS RP-99508 to be presented

Broadcast services

- Only SMSCB shall be supported in rel 99
- Agreement with SA2 on way forward
 - Common Technical Report shall be used, 25.925
- Agreement in RAN2 on mechanism for SMSCB
 - New logical channel created
 - Scheduling in the RNC
- New protocol started, Broadcast/Multicast Control (BMC) protocol
 - TS 25.324
 - Proposed to be approved in December by RAN



Compression of IP headers

- Request from SA2 to add a new function in UTRAN, L3CE
- L3CE renamed into PDCP, Packet Data Convergence Protocol
- Agreement in RAN2 on architecture for PDCP
 - model for rel 99 is 1 RAB / 1 PDCP / 1 RLC
 - rel 00 shall allow for n RAB / 1 PDCP / 1 RLC
- New protocol started, PDCP protocol
 - TS 25.323
 - Proposed to be approved in December by RAN



Other items

Extension of scope of 25.331



Future meetings

- RAN2 ad-hoc on 25.331 19 21 October
- RAN2 #8 02 05 November
- RAN2 #9 06 10 December
- RAN #6
 13 15 December
 - RAN2 #10 17 21 January
 - RAN2 #11 28 Feb 03 March
- RAN #7 13 15 March
 - RAN2 #12 10 14 April
 - RAN2 #13 22 26 May
- RAN #8 05 07 June
 - RAN2 #14 03 07 July
 - RAN2 #15
 21 25 August
- RAN #9 25 27 September
 - RAN2 #16 02 06 October
 - RAN2 #17 13 17 November
- RAN #10 11 13 December

