RAN 4 Report RP-040404

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Summary

- 1 RAN WG4 meeting after the last RAN meeting
- Joint adhoc held with RAN 3 on RET
- Usual number of delegates (around 80)
- ~200 input contributions
- Corrections to the specification (cat B & F numbers)
 - Release 99 0 CRs
 - Release 4 0 CRs
 - Release 5 5 CRs
 - Release 6 12 CRs
- There will be one WG meeting before the next plenary.

R99 – Rel-5 Highlights

R99

- Continue to see a number of issues raised by T1 on RAN 4 specifications
 - Looking forward to joint session in the near future
 - No major issues found
 - Clarification CRs in Rel-6
- Proposal to remove "test cases" from 25.133
 - CR to be discussed at next RAN 4 meeting
 - Guidance on test cases will continue to be given to T1 from RAN 4

Rel-6 Highlights

- Request to study UE receiver blocking specifications for the US region
 - Email group started
- RET some work transferred from RAN 3
 - See RAN 3 report and WI status report for more detail
- TEI
 - Further discussions on cell search requirements no CR yet.
 - TGPL2 agree to remove. LS sent to other WGs
 - UE antenna testing COST work completed, recommend work started again in RAN 4
 - Discussion on outer loop power control continue
 - CR on Windup test to be completed at next RAN 4 meeting

Work and Study Items

| WI name | WI acronym | % | Finish date |
|---|-----------------------------|----|----------------|
| Multiple Input Multiple Output Antennas - RF Radio Transmission/ Reception, System Performance Requirements and Conformance Testing | RInImp-MIMO-RF | 5 | December 2005 |
| Improved Receiver Performance Requirements for HSDPA | RInImp-HSPerf | | June 2005 |
| Performance Requirements of Receive Diversity for HSDPA | RInImp-UERxHSPerf- RxDiv | 75 | March 2005 |
| Improved Minimum Performance Requirements for HSDPA UE categories 7 and 8 | RInImp-HSPerf-10code | 25 | June 2005 |
| FDD Enhanced Uplink: RF Radio Transmission/ Reception, System Performance Requirements and Conformance Testing | EDCH-RF | 20 | June 2005 |
| UMTS 2.6 GHz | RInImp-UMTS2600 | 15 | June 2005 |
| UE Performance Requirements for MBMS | MBMS-RAN-RF | 10 | September 2005 |
| 7.68Mcps TDD option: RF Radio Transmission/ Reception, System Performance Requirements and Conformance Testing | VHCRTDD-RF | 5 | March 2006 |

Highlights

U-TDOA

Clarification sort from RAN on WI status for RAN 4 LMU performance specification

MIMO

No contributions

UE Receive Diversity for HSDPA

 Simulation work near completion, excellent participation, 8 sets of results. 10 code implement margin under consideration.

Improved Minimum Performance Requirements for HSDPA UE categories 7 and 8

- Simulation assumptions agreed
- Work progressing via email

Highlights

Enhanced uplink

- Work underway but slow progress
- Conference calls started to speed things up

2.6 GHz

- Work underway
- Some disagreements over scope of work
 - Chairman asked interested companies to input contributions to plenary

MBMS performance requirements

- Work underway
- Concerns over progress in other working group
- Completion date moved out to Sept 05

7.68 mcps TDD

- TR skeleton presented
- Concerns over links with 2.6 GHz WI raised



Future Meetings

- 26 08 10 December 2004
- 34 14-18 February 2005
- 27 09 11 March 2005
- 35 09-13 May 2005
- 28 1 3 June 2005
- 36 29 Aug 02 Sept 2005
- 29 21 23 September 2005
- 37 07-11 November 2005
- 30 30 Nov. 2 Dec. 2005

Athens, Greece

Scottsdale, US

Tokyo, Japan

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