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Title : Liaison statement on the decoding of the TFCI in UL radio frames

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During its seventh meeting, RAN WG3 discussed a scenario where the TFCI field in the UL data frame is not decoded correctly but the error is not detected by the Node B, and all the transport blocks delivered by the Node B contain unusable data (and present a CRC checksum failure).

RAN WG3 would like to know if the probability that Node B cannot detect somehow (e.g. from the decoding of the associated DPDCH) that the TFCI has been misinterpreted is high enough to be worth of consideration in UTRAN user plane procedures.