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In TS 25.215, a value of 8 was used as an assumption for the maximum number of simultaneous compressed mode pattern sequences.

Further analysis has shown that this value can be reduced according to the measurement needs and thus the UE and network complexity can be reduced.

The maximum values are chosen according to the following scenario:

The following measurements that have different timing alignment requirements and therefore might need separate compressed mode pattern sequences can be required simultaneously:

- GSM RSSI measurements
- GSM cell search for synchronisation
- GSM cell synchronisation refreshing
- FDD inter-frequency measurements
- TDD measurements

With the addition of one pattern sequence reserved for the measurement purpose "other measurements" of TS 25.331, this leads to these total numbers of parallel compressed mode pattern sequences:

Supported modes/systems	Maximum number of parallel CM pattern sequences supported by the UE
FDD	2
FDD+TDD	3
FDD+GSM	5
FDD+TDD+GSM	6

The rules how to allocate these pattern sequences to the different measurement purposes will be documented in TS 25.331.

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5.2.10 Propagation delay

Definition	Propagation delay is defined as one-way propagation delay as measured during PRACH access:				
	Propagation delay = $(T_{RX} - T_{TX} - 2560)/2$, where				
	T _{TX} = The time of AICH access slot (n-2-AICH transmission timing), where 0≤(n-2-AICH				
	Transmission Timing)≤14 and AICH_Transmission_Timing can have values 0 or 1.				
	T _{RX} = The time of reception of the beginning (the first significant path) of the PRACH message				
	from the UE at PRACH access slot n.				
	Note: The definition of "first significant path" needs further elaboration.				
Range/mapping	The Propagation delay is given with the resolution of 3 chips with the range [0,, 765] chips.				
	The Propagation delay shall be reported in the unit PROP_DELAY where:				
	PROP_DELAY_000: 0 chip ≤ Propagation delay < 3 chip				
	PROP_DELAY_001: 3 chip ≤ Propagation delay < 6 chip				
	PROP_DELAY_002: 6 chip ≤ Propagation delay < 9 chip				
	PROP_DELAY_252: 756 chip ≤ Propagation delay < 759 chip				
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6 Measurements for UTRA FDD

6.1 UE measurements

6.1.1 Compressed mode

6.1.1.1 Use of compressed mode/dual receiver for monitoring

A UE shall, on higher layers commands, monitor cells on other frequencies (FDD, TDD, GSM). To allow the UE to perform measurements, higher layers shall command that the UE enters in compressed mode, depending on the UE capabilities.

In case of compressed mode decision, UTRAN shall communicate to the UE the parameters of the compressed mode.

A UE with a single receiver shall support downlink compressed mode.

Every UE shall support uplink compressed mode, when monitoring frequencies which are close to the uplink transmission frequency (i.e. frequencies in the TDD or GSM 1800/1900 bands).

All fixed-duplex UE shall support both downlink and uplink compressed mode to allow inter-frequency handover within FDD and inter-mode handover from FDD to TDD.

Monitoring frequencies outside TDD and GSM 1800/1900 bands without uplink compressed mode is a UE capability.

UE with dual receivers can perform independent measurements, with the use of a "monitoring branch" receiver, that can operate independently from the UTRA FDD receiver branch. Such UE do not need to support downlink compressed mode.

The UE shall support one single measurement purpose within one compressed mode transmission gap. The measurement purpose of the gap is signalled by higher layers.

The following section provides rules to parametrise the compressed mode.

6.1.1.2 Parameterisation of the compressed mode

In response to a request from higher layers, the UTRAN shall signal to the UE the compressed mode parameters.

A transmission gap pattern sequence consists of alternating transmission gap patterns 1 and 2, each of these patterns in turn consists of one or two transmission gaps. See figure 1.

The following parameters characterize a transmission gap pattern:

- TGSN (Transmission Gap Starting Slot Number): A transmission gap pattern begins in a radio frame, henceforward called first radio frame of the transmission gap pattern, containing at least one transmission gap slot. TGSN is the slot number of the first transmission gap slot within the first radio frame of the transmission gap pattern.
- TGL1 (Transmission Gap Length 1): This is the duration of the first transmission gap within the transmission gap pattern, expressed in number of slots.
- TGL2 (Transmission Gap Length 2): This is the duration of the second transmission gap within the transmission gap pattern, expressed in number of slots. If this parameter is not explicitly set by higher layers, then TGL2 = TGL1.
- TGD (Transmission Gap start Distance): This is the duration between the starting slots of two consecutive transmission gaps within a transmission gap pattern, expressed in number of slots. The resulting position of the second transmission gap within its radio frame(s) shall comply with the limitations of [2]. If this parameter is not set by higher layers, then there is only one transmission gap in the transmission gap pattern.
- TGPL1 (Transmission Gap Pattern Length): This is the duration of transmission gap pattern 1.
- TGPL2 (Transmission Gap Pattern Length): This is the duration of transmission gap pattern 2. If this parameter is not explicitly set by higher layers, then TGPL2 = TGPL1.

The following parameters control the transmission gap pattern sequence start and repetition:

- TGPRC (Transmission Gap Pattern Repetition Count): This is the number of transmission gap patterns within the transmission gap pattern sequence.
- TGCFN (Transmission Gap Connection Frame Number): This is the CFN of the first radio frame of the first pattern 1 within the transmission gap pattern sequence.

In addition to the parameters defining the positions of transmission gaps, each transmission gap pattern sequence is characterized by:

- UL/DL compressed mode selection: This parameter specifies whether compressed mode is used in UL only, DL only or both UL and DL.
- UL compressed mode method: The methods for generating the uplink compressed mode gap are spreading factor division by two or higher layer scheduling and are described in [2].
- DL compressed mode method: The methods for generating the downlink compressed mode gap are puncturing, spreading factor division by two or higher layer scheduling and are described in [2].
- Downlink frame type: This parameter defines if frame structure type 'A' or 'B' shall be used in downlink compressed mode. The frame structures are defined in [2].
- Scrambling code change: This parameter indicates whether the alternative scrambling code is used for compressed mode method 'SF/2'. Alternative scrambling codes are described in [3].
- RPP: Recovery Period Power control mode specifies the uplink power control algorithm applied during recovery period after each transmission gap in compressed mode. RPP can take 2 values (0 or 1). The different power control modes are described in [4].
- ITP: Initial Transmit Power mode selects the uplink power control method to calculate the initial transmit power after the gap. ITP can take two values (0 or 1) and is described in [4].

The UE shall support [8]-simultaneous compressed mode pattern sequences which can be used for different measurements. The maximum number of simultaneous compressed mode pattern sequences depends on the supported modes and systems and is defined in the table below.

Supported modes/systems	Maximum number of parallel CM pattern sequences supported by the UE
FDD	2
FDD+TDD	<u>3</u>
FDD+GSM	<u>5</u>
FDD+TDD+GSM	<u>6</u>

Higher layers will ensure that the compressed mode gaps do not overlap and are not scheduled to overlap the same frame. The behaviour when an overlap occurs is described in [TS 25.302].

In all cases, higher layers have control of individual UE parameters. Any pattern sequence can be stopped on higher layers' command.

The parameters TGSN, TGL1, TGL2, TGD, TGPL1, TGPL2, TGPRC and TGCFN shall all be integers.

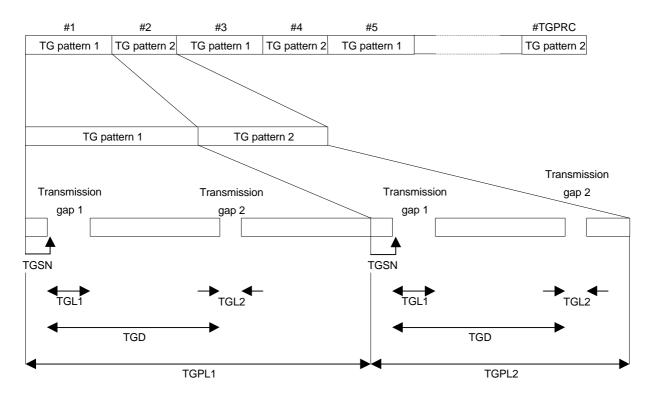


Figure 1: Illustration of compressed mode pattern parameters

6.1.1.3 Parameterisation limitations

In the table below the supported values for the TGL1 and TGL2 parameters are shown.

Measurements performed on	Supported TGL1 values, when TGL2 is not set	Supported TGL1 and TGL2 values when both are set (TGL1, TGL2)
FDD inter-frequency cell	7, 14	(10, 5)
TDD cell	4	-
GSM cell	3, 4, 7, 10, 14	-

Multi-mode terminals shall support all TGL1 and TGL2 values for the supported modes.

Further limitations on the transmission gap position within its frame(s) are given in TS 25.212.