**3GPP TSG- Meeting # *rev2***

**25 May to 03 June 2020, E-meeting**

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| **CHANGE REQUEST** | | | | | | | | |
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|  | **28.552** | **CR** | **0216** | **rev** | **1** | **Current version:** | **16.5.0** |  |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME |  | Radio Access Network | **X** | Core Network |  |

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| ***Title:*** | Add measurements related to UL packet delay between NG-RAN and UE | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | Intel | | | | | | | | | |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | S5 | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | 5G\_SLICE\_ePA | | | | |  | ***Date:*** | | | 2020-05-15 |
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| ***Category:*** | **B** |  | | | | | ***Release:*** | | | Rel-16 |
|  | *Use one of the following categories:* ***F*** *(correction)* ***A*** *(mirror corresponding to a change in an earlier release)* ***B*** *(addition of feature),* ***C*** *(functional modification of feature)* ***D*** *(editorial modification)*  Detailed explanations of the above categories can be found in 3GPP [TR 21.900](http://www.3gpp.org/ftp/Specs/html-info/21900.htm). | | | | | | | | *Use one of the following releases: Rel-8 (Release 8) Rel-9 (Release 9) Rel-10 (Release 10) Rel-11 (Release 11) Rel-12 (Release 12) Rel-13 (Release 13) Rel-14 (Release 14) Rel-15 (Release 15) Rel-16 (Release 16)* | |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | | The integrated UL packet delay in NG-RAN, i.e., the delay between NG-RAN and UE (including the delay at gNB-CU-UP, on F1-U and on gNB-DU for split scenario and the delay over Uu interface) is one significant part of the e2e delay that has direct impact to users’ experience for some types of services (e.g., URLLC).  Besides the average integrated delay in NG-RAN which can reflect whether or not the users experience can be met on average, it is very useful for operator to know how many (percents of) data packets are with satfistfied delay perfomance, and how many are not with satisfied performance and how far they are from the satisfied performance. Therefore, the distribution of integrated UL delay in NG-RAN needs to be monitored. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | Added measurements on distribution of UL packet delay between NG-RAN and UE | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | The distribution of UL packet delay between NG-RAN and UE cannot be monitored. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 5.1.1.1.z (new) | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Other specs*** | |  | **X** | Other core specifications | | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | |
| ***affected:*** | |  | **X** | Test specifications | | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | |
| ***(show related CRs)*** | |  | **X** | O&M Specifications | | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | |
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| ***Other comments:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

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| **1st Modified Section** |

##### 5.1.1.1.z Distribution of UL delay between NG-RAN and UE

a) This measurement provides the distribution of UL packet delay between NG-RAN and UE, which is the delay incurred in NG-RAN (including the delay at gNB-CU-UP, on F1-U and on gNB-DU) and the delay over Uu interface. This measurement is split into subcounters per 5QI and subcounters per S-NSSAI.

b) DER (n=1).

c) The measurement is obtained by the following method:

The gNB performs the GTP PDU packet delay measurement for QoS monitoring per the GTP PDU monitoring packets received from UPF, and records the following time stamps and information included in the GTP-U header of each GTP PDU monitoring response packet (packet i) sent to UPF (see 23.501 [4] and 38.415 [31]):

- The UL Delay Result from UE to NG-RAN indicating the uplink delay measurement result which is the sum of the delay incurred in NG-RAN (including the delay at gNB-CU-UP, on F1-U and on gNB-DU) and the delay over Uu interface (see 38.415 [31], and the UL Delay Result is denoted by in the present document);

- The 5QI and S-NSSAI associated to the GTP PDU monitoring response packet.

The gNB increments the corresponding bin with the delay range where the falls into by 1 for the subcounters per 5QI and subcounters per S-NSSAI.

d) Each measurement is an integer representing the number of GTP PDUs measured with the delay within the range of the bin.

e) DRB.DelayUlNgranUeDist.*5QI.Bin,* where *Bin* indicates a delay range which is vendor specific, and *5QI* identifies the 5QI;   
DRB.DelayUlNgranUeDist.*SNSSAI.Bin,* where *Bin* indicates a delay range which is vendor specific, and *SNSSAI* identifies the S-NSSAI.

f) NRCellCU (for non-split and 2-split scenario);  
GNBCUUPFunction (for 3-split scenario).

g) Valid for packet switched traffic.

h) 5GS.

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| **End of Modified Sections** |