

**Work Item Description**

**Multiple MMS Relay/Server Architecture**

**1 3GPP Work Area**

	Radio Access
X	Core Network
X	Services

**2 Linked work items**

- *Multimedia Messaging Service (MMS) Enhancements*

**3 Justification**

By the time Release 6 is in the market, some operators may have more than one MMS Relay/Server in their networks. With multiple MMS Relay/Servers within an MMSE the existing MMS protocol interfaces may not fulfil the requirements of such an architecture. Therefore this item is planned to be included in the expected work on MMS.

**4 Objective**

Analyse the impacts of multiple MMS Relay/Servers in one MMSE on the MMS Reference Architecture.  
Investigate potential alternative architectures that support multiple MMS Relay/Servers within one MMSE which ensures backwards compatibility.

**5 Service Aspects**

To be determined

**6 MMI Aspects**

There shall not be any MMI impacts.

**7 Charging Aspects**

To be determined

**8 Security Aspects**

To be determined

**9 Impacts**

<b>Affects:</b>	<b>USIM</b>	<b>ME</b>	<b>AN</b>	<b>CN</b>	<b>Others</b>
<b>Yes</b>					X
<b>No</b>	X		X	X	
<b>Don't know</b>		X			

**10 Expected Output and Time scale (to be updated at each plenary)**

<b>New specifications</b>						
Spec No.	Title	Prime resp. WG	2ndary resp. WG(s)	Presented for information at plenary#	Approved at plenary#	Comments
ab.xyz	Technical Report: Feasibility Study on Multiple MMS Relay/Server Architecture	T2	-	T#23	T#24	
<b>Affected existing specifications</b>						
Spec No.	CR	Subject		Approved at plenary#		Comments

**11 Work item rapporteur**

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**12 Work item leadership**

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**13 Supporting Companies**

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**14 Classification of the WI (if known)**

	Feature (go to 14a)
X	Building Block (go to 14b)
	Work Task (go to 14c)

14a The WI is a Feature: List of building blocks under this feature

This building block belongs to the parent feature “MMS Enhancements”