

**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**

Affects:	USIM	ME	AN	CN	Others
Yes					X
No	X		X	X	
Don't know		X			

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

New specifications						
Spec No.	Title	Prime rsp. WG	2ndary rsp. 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	
Affected existing specifications						
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**

Telefónica Móviles, Comverse, ATT WS, Access

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

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

14b The WI is a Building Block: This building block belongs to the parent feature “MMS Enhancements”