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For improving the reliability of the channel assignment, the CA message verification with CSICH was proposed and accepted in AH 14 meeting. For using the CSICH as the verification, information of the CSICH is the availability of each PCPCH. When an UE receives the CA message, the UE checks the assigned channel was occupied or not by using CSICH information. If the assigned channel was occupied in the previous frame information, then UE can know the CA message error occurred. By the discussions of the Ad Hoc 14, we propose the CA as a method of the CPCH with CSICH verification method. In this contribution, CSICH monitoring, random function, and Maximum available data rate with availability of each PCPCH in CSICH concepts are included also.

After discussions in Ad Hoc 14, there were several comments for clarifications. So, we changed some parts by their comments.

In the last plenary, there was a comment about the clarification of access resource combination. So, we changed those part related the access resource combination selection and use.

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Reason for change: For dual mode CPCH, the CPCH procedures will be changed. The dual mode is the operation of the channel assignment and the UE channel selection method.

Clauses affected: 2 and 6.2 of TS25.214

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1 Scope

The present document specifies and establishes the characteristics of the physical layer procedures in the FDD mode of UTRA.

2 References

The following documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of the present document.

- References are either specific (identified by date of publication, edition number, version number, etc.) or non-specific.
- For a specific reference, subsequent revisions do not apply.
- For a non-specific reference, the latest version applies.

[1] TS 25.211: "Physical channels and mapping of transport channels onto physical channels (FDD)"

[2] TS 25.212: "Multiplexing and channel coding (FDD)"

[3] TS 25.213: "Spreading and modulation (FDD)"

[4] TS 25.215: "Physical layer – Measurements (FDD)"

[5] [TS 25.331: "RRC Protocol Specification"](#)

- 7.1 Select a new uplink access slot as next available access slot, i.e. next access slot in the sub-channel group used, as selected in 1
- 7.2 Randomly selects a new signature from the available signatures within the given ASC. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections is chosen with equal probability.
- 7.3 Increase the preamble transmission power by $\Delta P_0 = \text{Power_Ramp_Step}$ [dB].
- 7.4 Decrease the Preamble Retransmission Counter by one.
- 7.5 If the Preamble Retransmission Counter > 0 then repeat from step 6. Otherwise pass L1 status ("No ack on AICH") to the higher layers (MAC) and exit the physical random access procedure.
- 8 If a negative acquisition indicator corresponding to the selected signature is detected in the downlink access slot corresponding to the selected uplink access slot, pass L1 status ("Nack on AICH received") to the higher layers (MAC) and exit the physical random access procedure.
- 9 Transmit the random access message three or four uplink access slots after the uplink access slot of the last transmitted preamble depending on the AICH transmission timing parameter. Transmission power of the random access message is modified from that of the last transmitted preamble with the specified offset ΔP_{p-m} .
- 10 Pass L1 status "RACH message transmitted" to the higher layers and exit the physical random access procedure.

6.1.1 RACH sub-channels

A RACH sub-channel defines a sub-set of the total set of access slots. There are a total of 12 RACH sub-channels. RACH sub-channel # i ($i = 0, \dots, 11$) consists of the following access slots:

- Access slot # i transmitted in parallel to P-CCPCH frames for which $\text{SFN mod } 8 = 0$ or $\text{SFN mod } 8 = 1$.
- Every 12th access slot relative to this access slot.

The access slots of different RACH sub-channels are also illustrated in Table 7.

Table 7: The available access slots for different RACH sub-channels

	Sub-channel Number											
SFN modulo 8	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
0	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7				
1	12	13	14						8	9	10	11
2				0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
3	9	10	11	12	13	14						8
4	6	7					0	1	2	3	4	5
5			8	9	10	11	12	13	14			
6	3	4	5	6	7					0	1	2
7						8	9	10	11	12	13	14

6.2 CPCH Access Procedures

For each CPCH physical channel in a CPCH set allocated to a cell the following physical layer parameters are included in the System Information message:

- UL Access Preamble (AP) scrambling code.
- UL Access Preamble signature set
- The Access preamble slot sub-channels group
- AP- AICH preamble channelization code.
- UL Collision Detection(CD) preamble scrambling code.
- CD Preamble signature set

- CD preamble slot sub-channels group
- CD-AICH preamble channelization code.
- CPCH UL scrambling code.
- CPCH UL channelization code. (variable, data rate dependant)
- DPCCH DL channelization code.([512] chip)

NOTE: There may be some overlap between the AP signature set and CD signature set if they correspond to the same scrambling code.

The following are access, collision detection/resolution and CPCH data transmission parameters:

Power ramp-up, Access and Timing parameters (Physical layer parameters)

- 1) $N_{AP_retrans_max}$ = Maximum Number of allowed consecutive access attempts (retransmitted preambles) if there is no AICH response. This is a CPCH parameter and is equivalent to Preamble_Retrans_Max in RACH.
[RACH/CPCH parameter]
- 2) $P_{RACH} = P_{CPCH}$ = Initial open loop power level for the first CPCH access preamble sent by the UE.
[RACH/CPCH parameter]
- 3) ΔP_0 = Power step size for each successive CPCH access preamble.
[RACH/CPCH parameter]
- 4) ΔP_1 = Power step size for each successive RACH/CPCH access preamble in case of negative AICH. A timer is set upon receipt of a negative AICH. This timer is used to determine the period after receipt of a negative AICH when ΔP_1 is used in place of ΔP_0 .
[RACH/CPCH parameter]
- 5) T_{cpch} = CPCH transmission timing parameter: This parameter is identical to PRACH/AICH transmission timing parameter.
[RACH/CPCH parameter]
- 6) $L_{pc-preamble}$ = Length of power control preamble (0 or 8 slots)
[CPCH parameter]

NOTE: It is FFS if ΔP_0 for the CPCH access may be different from ΔP_0 for the RACH access as defined in section 6.1.

The overall CPCH -access procedure consists of two parts:in the physical layer is:

- ~~1) The UE MAC function selects a CPCH transport channel from the channels available in the assigned CPCH set. The CPCH channel selection includes a dynamic persistence algorithm (similar to RACH) for the selected CPCH channel.~~
- ~~2) The UE MAC function builds a transport block set for the next TTI using transport formats which are assigned to the logical channel with data to transmit. The UE MAC function sends this transport block set to the UE PHY function for CPCH access and uplink transmission on the selected CPCH transport channel.~~
- 1) Upon receipt of a Status-REQ message from the MAC layer, the UE shall start monitoring the CSICH to determine the availability of the transport formats in the transport format subset included in the Status-REQ message. UTRAN transmits availability of each PCPCH or maximum available data rate with availability of each PCPCH over the CSICH in case CA is active. Upper layers will supply the UE with information to map the transport formats to the PCPCHs. The UE shall send a Status-CNF message to the MAC layer containing the transport format subset listing the transport formats of the requested subset which are currently indicated as 'available'.

The actual access procedure is then:

2) Upon receipt of the Access-REQ message from the MAC layer, which contains an identified transport format from the available ones, the following sequence of events occur. The use of step 2a or 2b depends on whether availability of each PCPCH or the Maximum available data rate along with the availability of each PCPCH is transmitted over CSICH. Note that in the first case, each access resource combination (AP signatures and access subchannel group) maps to each PCPCH resource and in the second case each access resource combination maps to each data rate.

2a) (In case CA is not Active) The UE shall test the value(s) of the most recent transmission of the CSICH Status Indicator(s) corresponding to the PCPCH channel(s) for the identified transport format included in the Access-REQ message. If this indicates that no channel is 'available' the UE shall abort the access attempt and send a failure message to the MAC layer. The UE shall also retain the availability status of the each PCPCH for further verification in a later phase.

2b) (In case CA is active) The CSICH Status Indicators indicate the maximum available data rate along with individual PCPCH availability. The UE shall test the value of the most recent transmission of the Status Indicator(s). If this indicates that the maximum available data rate is less than the requested data rate, the UE shall abort the access attempt and send a failure message to the MAC layer. The PHY provides the availability information to the MAC. The UE shall also retain the availability status of the each PCPCH for further channel assignment message verification in a later phase in case of success.

3) The UE sets the preamble transmit power to the value P_{CPCH} which is supplied by the MAC layer for initial power level for this CPCH access attempt.

4) The UE sets the AP Retransmission Counter to $N_{\text{AP_Retrans_Max}}$ ~~(value TBD).~~

~~5) The UE randomly selects a CPCH AP signature from the signature set for this selected CPCH channel. The random function is TBD.~~

~~6) The UE Derives the available CPCH AP access slots in the next two frames, defined by SFN and SFN+1 in the AP access slot sub-channel group with the help of SFN and table 7 in section 6.1. The UE randomly selects one access slot from the available access slots in the next frame, defined by SFN, if there is one available. If there is no access slot available in the next frame, defined by SFN then, randomly selects one access slot from the available access slots in the following frame, defined by SFN+1. Random function is TBD.~~

5a) In the case CA is not active, the uplink access slot and signature to be used for the CPCH-AP transmission are selected in the following steps:

a) The UE selects randomly one PCPCH from the set of available PCPCH channel(s) as indicated on the CSICH and supporting the identified transport format included in the Access-REQ message. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections is chosen with equal probability.

b) The UE randomly selects a CPCH-AP signature from the set of available signatures in the access resource combination corresponding to the selected PCPCH in step a). The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections is chosen with equal probability.

c) Using the AP access slot sub-channel group of the access resource combination corresponding to selected PCPCH in step a), the UE derives the available CPCH-AP access slots in the next two frames, defined by SFN and SFN+1 with the help of SFN and table 7 in section 6.1. The UE randomly selects one access slot from the available access slots in the next frame, defined by SFN, if there is one available. If there is no access slot available in the next frame, defined by SFN then, randomly selects one access slot from the available access slots in the following frame, defined by SFN+1. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections is chosen with equal probability.

5b) In the case CA is active, the uplink access slot and signature to be used for the CPCH-AP transmission are selected in the following steps:

- a) The UE randomly selects a CPCH-AP signature from the set of available signatures in the access resource combination corresponding to the transport format identified in the Access-REQ message. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections is chosen with equal probability.
- b) Using the AP access slot sub-channel group of the access resource combination corresponding to the transport format identified in the Access-REQ message, the UE derives the available CPCH-AP access slots in the next two frames, defined by SFN and SFN+1 with the help of SFN and table 7 in section 6.1. The UE randomly selects one access slot from the available access slots in the next frame, defined by SFN, if there is one available. If there is no access slot available in the next frame, defined by SFN then, randomly selects one access slot from the available access slots in the following frame, defined by SFN+1. The random function shall be such that each of the allowed selections is chosen with equal probability.
- 67) The UE transmits the AP using the ~~selected MAC supplied~~-uplink access slot ~~and~~, signature, and ~~MAC supplied~~ initial preamble transmission power. The following sequence of events occur based on whether availability of each PCPCH or the Maximum available data rate along with the availability of each PCPCH is transmitted over CSICH.
- 6a) (In case CA is not Active) The UE shall test the value of the most recent transmission of the Status Indicator corresponding to the identified CPCH transport channel immediately before AP transmission. If this indicates that the channel is 'not available' the UE shall abort the access attempt and send a failure message to the MAC layer. Otherwise the UE transmits the AP using the UE selected uplink signature and access slot, and the initial preamble transmission power from step 3, above.
- 6b) (In case CA is active) The Status Indicator indicates the maximum available data rate as well as the availability of each PCPCH. The UE shall test the value of the Status Indicator. If this indicates that the maximum available data rate is less than the requested data rate, the UE shall abort the access attempt and send a failure message to the MAC layer. Otherwise the UE shall transmit the AP using the UE selected uplink access slot, the MAC supplied signature and initial preamble transmission power from step 3, above.
- 78) If the UE does not detect the positive or negative acquisition indicator corresponding to the selected signature in the downlink access slot corresponding to the selected uplink access slot, the UE shall test the value of the most recent transmission of the Status Indicator corresponding to the selected PCPCH immediately before AP transmission. If this indicates that the PCPCH is 'not available' the UE shall abort the access attempt and send a failure message to the MAC layer. Otherwise the following steps shall be executed:
- Selects the ~~next-new~~ uplink access slot from ~~among~~ the available access slots, i.e, next access slot in the sub-channel group used, in the CPCH-AP sub-channel group, as selected in 4.1. There must be a minimum distance of three or four (per Tcpch parameter) access slots from the uplink access slot in which the last preamble was transmitted depending on the CPCH/AICH transmission timing parameter. ~~[NOTE: Use of random function here to select access slot is FFS for RACH and CPCH.]~~
 - Increases the preamble transmission power with the specified offset ΔP . Power offset ΔP_0 is used unless the negative AICH timer is running, in which case ΔP_1 is used instead..
 - Decrease the ~~Preamble-AP~~ Retransmission Counter by one.
 - If the ~~Preamble-AP~~ Retransmission Counter < 0 , the UE aborts the access attempt and sends a failure message to the MAC layer.
- 89) If the UE detects the AP-AICH_nak (negative acquisition indicator) corresponding to the selected signature in the downlink access slot corresponding to the selected uplink access slot, the UE aborts the access attempt and sends a failure message to the MAC layer. The UE sets the negative AICH timer to indicate use of ΔP_1 use as the preamble power offset until timer expiry
- 94) Upon reception of AP-AICH ack with matching signature, the access segment ends and the contention resolution segment begins. In this segment, the UE randomly selects a CD ~~signature~~-signature from the CD signature set and also select one-CD access slot sub-channel from the CD sub-channel group supported in the cell-and transmits a CD Preamble, then waits for a CD/~~CA~~-AICH and the channel assignment (CA) (in case CA is active) message from the Node B.
- 104) If the UE does not receive a CD/~~CA~~-AICH in the designated slot, the UE aborts the access attempt and sends a failure message to the MAC layer.

1142) If the UE receives a CD/~~CA~~-AICH in the designated slot with a signature that does not match the signature used in the CD Preamble, the UE aborts the access attempt and sends a failure message to the MAC layer.

12a13) (In case CA is not Active) If the UE receives a ~~CD-AICH~~CDI from the CD/CA-ICH with a matching signature, the UE transmits the power control preamble $\tau_{cd-p-pc-p}$ ms later as measured from initiation of the CD Preamble. . The transmission of the message portion of the burst starts immediately after the power control preamble.

12b) (In case CA is active) If the UE receives a CDI from the CD/CA-ICH with a matching signature and CA message that points out to one of the PCPCH's (mapping rule is in [5]) that were indicated to be free by the last received CSICH broadcast, the UE transmits the power control preamble $\tau_{cd-p-pc-p}$ ms later as measured from initiation of the CD Preamble. The transmission of the message portion of the burst starts immediately after the power control preamble. If the CA message received points out the channel that was indicated to be busy on the last status information transmission received on the CSICH, the UE shall abort the access attempt and send a failure message to the MAC layer.

. NOTE: If the $L_{pc-preamble}$ parameter indicates a zero length preamble, then there is not power control preamble and the message portion of the burst starts $\tau_{cd-p-pc-p}$ ms after the initiation of the CD Preamble

1314) During CPCH Packet Data transmission, the UE and UTRAN perform inner-loop power control on both the CPCH UL and the DPCCH DL.

1415) If the UE detects loss of DPCCH DL during transmission of the power control preamble or the packet data, the UE halts CPCH UL transmission, aborts the access attempt and sends a failure message to the MAC layer.

1516) If the UE completes the transmission of the packet data, the UE sends a success message to the MAC layer.

7 Procedures in Packet Data Transfer