3GPP TSG-RAN WG2 Meeting #109bis-e R2-2003859

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| *For* [***HE******LP***](http://www.3gpp.org/3G_Specs/CRs.htm#_blank)*on using this form: comprehensive instructions can be found at* [*http://www.3gpp.org/Change-Requests*](http://www.3gpp.org/Change-Requests)*.* | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME | **X** | Radio Access Network | **X** | Core Network |  |

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| ***Title:*** | Clarification on codebook-HARQ-ACK-r13 capability for CA with more than 5CCs | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | Nokia, Nokia Shanghai Bell, Qualcomm Incorporated | | | | | | | | | |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | R2 | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | LTE\_CA\_enh\_b5C-Core | | | | |  | ***Date:*** | | | 2020-04-28 |
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| ***Category:*** | **A** |  | | | | | ***Release:*** | | | 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:*** | | To indicate a method which UE supports to determine HARQ-ACK codebook size, the UE signals the capability: *codebook-HARQ-ACK-r13 (*see: TS36.331) as follows:   * first bit of the capability set to "1" implies the UE supports the DAI-based codebook size determination * second bit is set to "1" if the UE supports the codebook determination based on the number of configured CCs.   To support Rel-13 CA aggregation enhancements, RAN1#82bis agreed (see: [report](https://www.3gpp.org/ftp/TSG_RAN/WG1_RL1/TSGR1_82b/Report/)):   * eNodeB can configure by RRC signaling an eCA UE to determine HARQ-ACK codebook size according to either (a) or (b) as follows:   a) DAI based solution (…)  b) Number of configured CCs based solution (…)   * Both solution (a) and solution (b) are mandatory feature as UE capability from RAN1 recommendation point of views for UEs supporting more than 5 CCs   The requirement added on codebook-HARQ-ACK-r13 in this specification, that was supposed to follow the recommendation, does not clearly reflect the intention of the RAN1 agreement:  “For both solutions, it is mandatory for UEs of this release of the specification if carrier aggregation with more than 5 DL component carriers is supported. “ | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | The following change is made:   * The description for codebook-HARQ-ACK-r13 is clrified to reflect the intention of the RAN1#82bis agreement better: * Both solution (a) and solution (b) are mandatory feature as UE capability from RAN1 recommendation point of views for UEs supporting more than 5 CCs   **Impact analysis**  Impacted functionality: This is a clarification related to UE capability  Inter-operability:   1. If the network is implemented according to the CR and the UE is not the UE may use single HARQ-ACK codebook size determination method that won’t allow more than 5 CCs configuration. 2. If the UE is implemented according to the CR and the network is not there is no interoperability issue. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | Different interpretations regarding support of HARQ-ACK codebook size determination methods exist. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 4.3.4.42 | | | | | | | | |
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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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| ***This CR's revision history:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

*Modified Subclause*

#### 4.3.4.42 *codebook-HARQ-ACK-r13*

This first bit of this bitmap defines whether HARQ ACK codebook size determination based on the DAI-based solution as specified in TS 36.213 [22] is supported by the UE. If the UE supports carrier aggregation with more than 5 DL component carriers, it is mandatory to support HARQ ACK codebook size determination based on the DAI-based solution. .

The second bit of this bitmap defines whether HARQ ACK codebook size determination based on the number of configured CCs as specified in TS 36.213 [22] is supported by the UE. If the UE supports carrier aggregation with more than 5 DL component carriers, it is mandatory to support HARQ ACK codebook size determination based on the number of configured CCs.

*End of Modified Subclause*