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| ***Title:*** | Draft CR on R16 NR positioning measurement requirements | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | NR\_pos-Core | | | | |  | ***Date:*** | | | 2022-02-10 |
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| ***Category:*** | F |  | | | | | ***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-15 (Release 15) Rel-16 (Release 16) Rel-17 (Release 17) Rel-18 (Release 18)* | |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | | 1. The applicability of UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement requirements for PRS/SRS proximity condition is missing. 2. The applicability of UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement requirements for SRS reconfiguration is missing. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | 1. Clarify the applicability of UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement requirements for PRS/SRS proximity condition. 2. Clarify the applicability of UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement requirements for SRS reconfiguration. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | The R16 NR positioning measurement requirements are incomplete. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 9.9.4 | | | | | | | | |
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| ***This CR's revision history:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

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### 9.9.4 UE Rx-Tx time difference measurements

#### 9.9.4.1 Introduction

The requirements in this clause shall apply, provided the UE has received *nr-Multi-RTT-RequestLocationInformation* message from LMF via LPP [34] requesting the UE to measure and report one or more UE Rx-Tx time difference measurements defined in TS 38.215 [4].

#### 9.9.4.2 Requirements Applicability

The requirements in clause 9.9.4 apply for periodic and triggered UE Rx-Tx time difference measurements, provided:

- UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement related side conditions given in clause 10.1.25 are met for a corresponding band.

- SRS is configured on at least one of the PCell, PSCell and SCell.

- The UE transmits SRS within [-160, 160] msec of at least one DL PRS resource of each of the TRPs in the assistance data.

#### 9.9.4.3 Measurement Capability

UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement capability is as indicated by the UE in *NR-Multi-RTT-ProvideCapabilities,* according to TS 37.355 [34].

#### 9.9.4.4 Measurement Reporting Requirements

This requirement assumes that the measurement report is not delayed by other LPP signalling on the DCCH. This measurement reporting delay excludes a delay uncertainty resulted when inserting the measurement report to the TTI of the uplink DCCH. The delay uncertainty is: 2 x TTIDCCH where TTIDCCH is the duration of subframe or slot or subslot when the measurement report is transmitted on the PUSCH with subframe or slot or subslot duration. This measurement reporting delay excludes any delay caused by no UL resources for UE to send the measurement report.

The UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement values contained in measurement reports shall be based on the measurement report mapping requirements specified in clause 10.1.25.

The UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement accuracy for all measured DL PRS resourcesshall be fulfilled according to the accuracy requirements specified in clause 10.1.25.

#### 9.9.4.5 Measurement Period Requirements

When physical layer receives last of *NR-Multi-RTT-ProvideAssistanceData* message and *NR-Multi-RTT-RequestLocationInformation* message from LMF via LPP [34]*,* UE shall be able to measure multiple (up to the UE capability specified in clause 9.9.4.3) UE Rx-Tx time difference measurements as defined in TS 38.215 [4] in configured positioning frequency layers within the measurement period ms.

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where is the index of positioning frequency layer,

is the measurement period for UE Rx-Tx time difference measurements in positioning frequency layer *i* as further defined in this clause,

L is total number of positioning frequency layers, and

is the periodicity of the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement in positioning frequency layer *i* as defined further in this clause.

Where

is the carrier-specific scaling factor for NR PRS-based measurement in the positioning frequency layer *i* as defined in clause 9.1.5.2,

is the scaling factor for Rx beam sweeping, and =1 if positioning frequency layer *i* is in FR1 and =8 if positioning frequency layer *i* is in FR2,

is the time duration of available PRS resources in the positioning frequency layer *i*, to be measured during , and is calculated in the same way as PRS duration K defined in clause 5.1.6.5 of TS 38.214 [26]. For calculation of , only the PRS resources unmuted and fully or partially overlapped with MG are considered.

is the maximum number of DL PRS resources of positioning frequency layer i configured in a slot,

is UE capability combination per band where N is a duration of DL PRS symbols in ms corresponding to *durationOfPRS-ProcessingSysmbols* in TS 37.355 [34] processed every T ms corresponding to *durationOfPRS-ProcessingSymbolsInEveryTms* in TS 37.355 [34] for a given maximum bandwidth supported by UE corresponding to *supportedBandwidthPRS* in clause 4.2.7.2 of TS 37.355 [34],

is UE capability for number of DL PRS resources that it can process in a slot corresponding to *maxNumOfDL-PRS-ResProcessedPerSlot* as specified in clause 6.4.3 of TS 37.355 [34],

is the number of UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement samples and = 4,

is the measurement duration for the last UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement sample in the positioning layer i, including the sampling time and processing time,  *= +*  ,

is periodicity of UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement in positioning frequency layer *i*:

where

corresponds to durationOfPRS-ProcessingSymbolsInEveryTms in TS 37.355 [34],

, the least common multiple between and

is the measurement gap repetition periodicity in positioning frequency layer i.

is the PRS resource periodicity in positioning frequency layer *i*. If the positioning frequency layer *i* has more than one DL PRS resource sets with different PRS periodicities with muting, , the least common multiple of among DL PRS resource sets is used to derive , where

is the periodicity of PRS resource sets given by the higher-layer parameter *DL-PRS-Periodicity*.

is the scaling factor considering PRS resource muting. , where is the muting repetition factor given by the higher-layer parameter *DL-PRS-MutingBitRepetitionFactor*, and is the size of the bitmap .

Note: For the purpose of calculating TPRS,i, only the PRS resources fully or partially covered by the MG are considered.

The time starts from the first MG instance aligned with DL PRS resources in the assistance data after both the *NR-Multi-RTT-RequestLocationInformation* message and *NR-Multi-RTT-ProvideAssistanceData* message from LMF via LPP [34] are delivered to the physical layer of UE.

Note: No per-positioning frequency layer requirement is applied in scenarios when multiple positioning frequency layers are configured.

The UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement period is restarted if HO occurs during the measurement period and after SRS reconfiguration on the target cell is complete.

The measurement requirements do not apply for a PRS resource:

- if the PRS resource is across two sampling duration of N within duration or

- if time span of the PRS resource instance (including at least the minimum number of repetitions specified in the accuracy requirements) is greater than UE reported capability N.

If during the measurement period of one or more positioning frequency layers, the MG pattern is reconfigured either per UE request or not per UE request, the measurement period can be longer.

The requirements in this section apply, provided no PRS symbols are dropped during the measurement period TUERxTx,Total within measurement gaps due to collisions with other signals; otherwise, a longer measurement period may be used.

When PRS-RSRP is configured for multi-RTT, the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurements and PRS-RSRP measurements are performed over the same measurement period.

The requirements in clause 9.9.4 do not apply if the PRS configuration given by higher layer paramters *NR-DL-PRS-AssistanceData* exceeds any of the UE measurement capabilities given by *NR-DL-PRS-ResourcesCapability* in *NR-Multi-RTT-ProvideCapabilities*, and it is up to UE implementation which PRS resources are measured, subject to UE measurement capabilities*.*

When PSCell or SCell addition or release does not cause SRS reconfiguration during the measurement period, UE continues the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement, and the measurement period requirements apply.

When PSCell or SCell addition or release causes SRS reconfiguration during the measurement period, UE shall restart the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement after the SRS reconfiguration on the target cell is complete.

When SRS is reconfigured without serving cell change during the measurement period, UE shall restart the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement after the SRS reconfiguration is complete.If UE uplink transmission timing changes due to the network-configured Timing Advance command during the UE Rx-Tx measurement period, then the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement period is restarted after uplink transmission timing changes, and the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement period requirements in this clause shall not apply.

If UE uplink transmission timing changes due to the change in the NTA\_offset defined in Table 7.1.2-2 during the UE Rx-Tx measurement period, then the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement period is restarted after uplink transmission timing changes, and the UE Rx-Tx time difference measurement period requirements in this clause shall not apply.

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