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TSG-RAN WG2 thanks TSG-RAN WG3 for their LS on this issue and their work spent on the matter.

However, TSG-RAN-WG2 sees benefits with a measurement of the UL transport channel BLER in the Node-B if combining of radio links is done in a Node-B or a DRNC.

For that case TSG-RAN WG2 thinks it can be useful for a SRNC to know how much a certain radio link contributes to the total quality on a transport channel.

TSG-RAN WG2 would like TSG-RAN WG3 to take the above mentioned case into consideration before removing UL transport channel BLER from the Node-B.

TSG-RAN WG2 would also like to ask TSG-RAN WG1 about the feasibility of making UL transport channel BLER measurements before a certain combination point in e.g. the Node-B.