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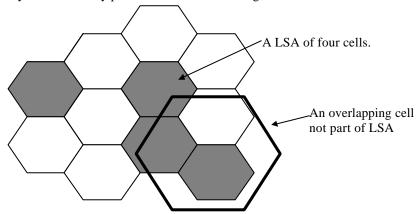


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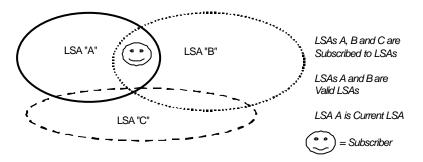


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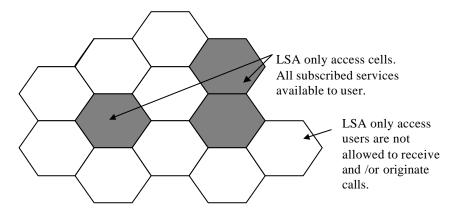


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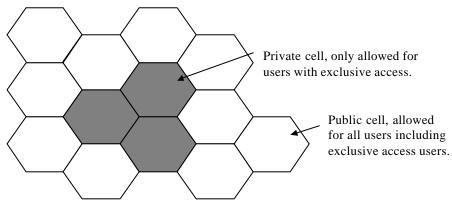


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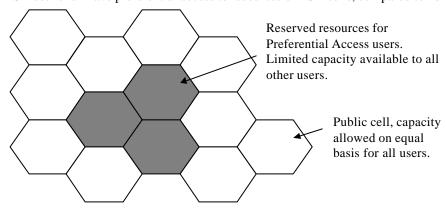


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For the purposes of the present document, the following abbreviations apply:

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### 4 Description

The localised service area concept shall give the operator the basis to offer subscribers different services (e.g. tariffs or access rights) depending on the location of the subscriber.

## 4.1 Defining subscriber information for localised service area

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- a very small localised service area ("home area" covering one or several cells dedicated e.g. to a residential subscriber or a company); or
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Thus it is possible to use the various radio network configurations.

The definition of location areas and the definition of localised service areas may be independent of each other.

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Following service features are building blocks for SoLSA based services. It is up to the operator to decide which service features are required for a specific service.

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- Localised service area support in idle mode (camping).
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# 4.2.3 Localised service area support in active mode (handover)

The PLMN shall determine, which cells, belonging to the LSA, are to be favoured during active mode.

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### 5 Impact on other services

## 5.1 General

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It shall be possible to assign different LSAs for one or more MSP profile(s).

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No interaction.

NOTE: Operators should consider using tools such as ODB and CAMEL to control call forwarding functionality provided in conjunction with any SoLSA services.

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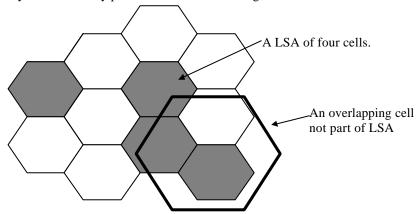


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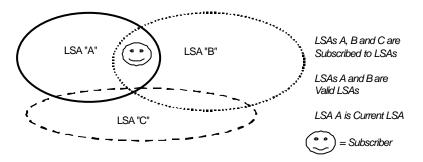


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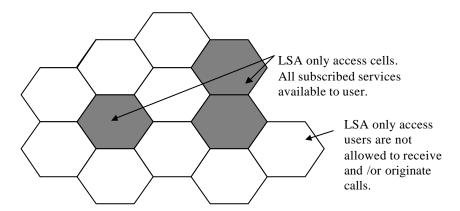


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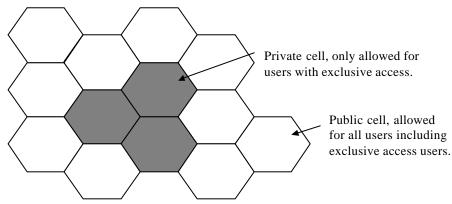


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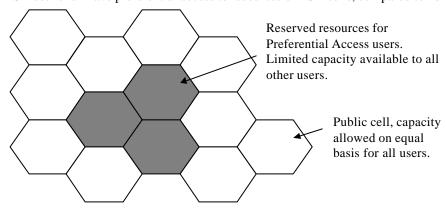


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