

# 802.11 MAC/PHY (80211MP)

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# 1 Scope

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This Bluetooth document contains the Test Suite Structure (TSS) and Test Cases (TC) to test the 802.11 MAC/PHY. The objective of this Test Suite is to provide a basis for conformance tests for a device or sub-system giving a high probability of air interface interoperability between different manufacturer's implementations. The following revisions are applicable to this document.

## 2 Normative References

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### 2.1 References

This Bluetooth document incorporates, by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this Bluetooth document only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. The normative references listed below represent the most current versions as of the date of publication of this document. The most current version of a listed reference should be used unless a specific version is noted in the list.

- [1] Bluetooth Test Strategy and Terminology Overview
- [2] Specification of the Bluetooth System, Core System Package version 3.0+HS, Volume 5, Part A; 802.11 PAL Specification
- [3] ICS Proforma for 802.11 PAL
- [4] Specification of the Bluetooth System, Core System Package version 3.0+HS, Volume 2, Part E; HCI Specification
- [5] IEEE 802.11-2007 Standard and Amendment 1
- [6] UNH-IOL 802.11 Base STA MAC Test Suite v3.2  
<http://www.iol.unh.edu/services/testing/wireless/testsuites/>
- [7] UNH-IOL 802.11 Base AP MAC Test Suite v3.4  
<http://www.iol.unh.edu/services/testing/wireless/testsuites/>
- [8] Specification of the Bluetooth System, Core System Package version 4.1 or later, Volume 5, Part A; 802.11 PAL Specification
- [9] ICS Proforma for 802.11 MAC/PHY

## 3 Definitions and Abbreviations

### 3.1 Definitions

For the purpose of this Bluetooth document, the definitions given in [1], [2], and [5] apply.

Mathematical conventions used in this document comply with the definitions given in given in [1].

### 3.2 Abbreviations

For the purpose of this Bluetooth document, the abbreviations found in [1], [2], [5] and the following abbreviations apply:

HCI	Host Controller Interface
ICS	Implementation Conformance Statement
IUT	Implementation Under Test
LT	Lower Tester
LT2	Second Lower Tester
PAL	Protocol Adaption Layer
PLH	Physical Link Handle
PLH2	Second Physical Link Handle
UP	User Priority
UT	Upper Tester



## 4 Test Suite Structure (TSS)

### 4.1 Test Strategy

The test objectives are to verify functionality within the 802.11 MAC and PHY layers and enable interoperability between High Speed 802.11 controllers on different devices. The testing approach is to cover mandatory and optional requirements in the protocol specification and to match these to the support of the IUT as described in the 802.11 Controller ICS proforma.

Conformance testing is the appropriate test method to meet these intents. The basis for the test approach is the general concepts and conformance testing principles defined in ISO/IEC 9646-1 and ISO/IEC 9646-2; both are part of the OSI Conformance Testing Methodology and Framework (CTMF).

The conformance test equipment shall provide an implementation of the Radio, MAC Controller and PAL conforming to the relevant specifications to perform the test cases defined in this Test Suite. For some test cases, it is necessary to stimulate the IUT using HCI primitives. In practice, these primitives could be supported using a Physical HCI or another interface supported by the IUT together with test code. Messages going into or out of this interface must be viewable to the test system as HCI commands and events.

The MAC/PHY test suite contains Valid Behavior (BV) tests complemented with Invalid Behavior (BI) tests where required. The test coverage mirrored in the test suite structure is the result of a process that started with catalogued specification requirements that were logically grouped and assessed for testability enabling coverage in defined test cases.

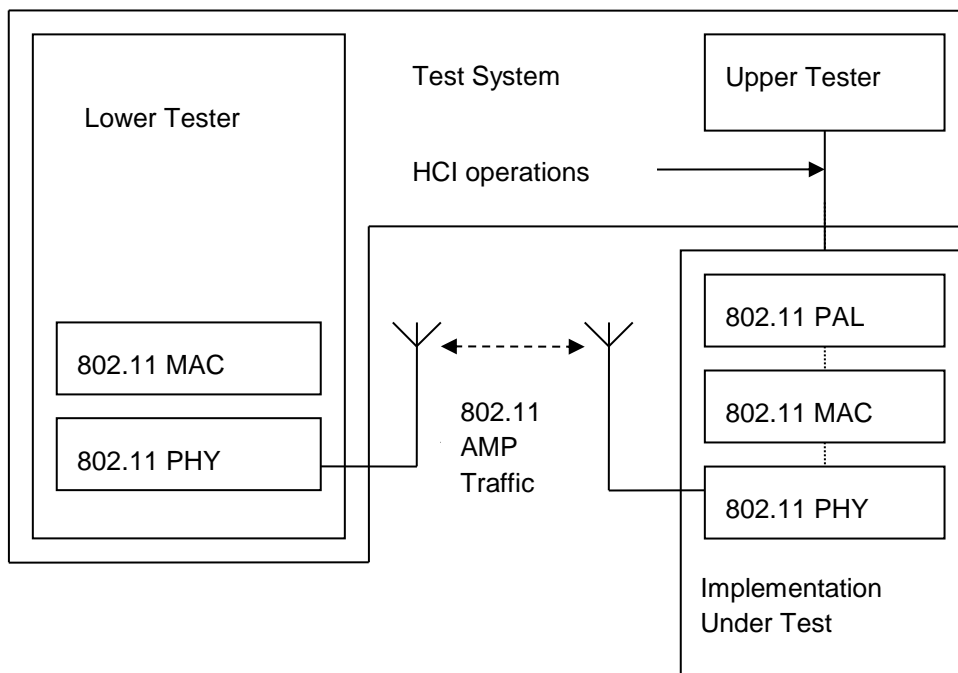


Figure 4.1: Test system architecture

## 4.2 Test Groups

The test groups are organized into three levels. The first level defines the protocol groups representing the protocol services. The second level separates the protocol services in functional modules. The last level in each branch contains the standard ISO subgroups Valid Behavior (BV) and Invalid Behavior (BI).

### 4.2.1 Protocol Groups

The protocol group identifies the kind of test for 802.11 Protocol Adaptation Layer test cases:

#### 4.2.1.1 MAC/PHY

- Acknowledgement and Duration (AD)
- Null Data frame processing (ND)
- RTS/CTS signaling (RC)
- Deauthentication (DEAU)
- Defragmentation (DF)
- Authentication Frame Processing (AFP)
- Association Response Processing (ARSP)
- Association Request (AREQ)
- Duplication Detection (DUP)
- CTS-to-Self (CS)
- Multi rate support (MRS)
- General Frame Processing (GFP)
- Disassociation Processing (DAP)
- Recovery and Retry Processing (RT)

### 4.2.2 Test subgroups

#### 4.2.2.1 Valid Behavior (BV) tests

This sub group provides testing to verify that the IUT reacts in conformity with the Bluetooth® Core Specification, after receipt or exchange of valid Protocol Data Units (PDUs). Valid PDUs and HCI events and commands mean that the exchange of messages and the content of the exchanged messages are considered as valid.

#### 4.2.2.2 Invalid Behavior (BI) tests

This sub group provides testing to verify that the IUT reacts in conformity with the Bluetooth® Core Specification, after receipt of a syntactically or semantically invalid PDU and HCI events and commands.



### 4.2.3 Conformance

When conformance is claimed, all capabilities indicated as mandatory for this Specification shall be supported in the specified manner (process-mandatory). This also applies for all optional and conditional capabilities for which support is indicated. All mandatory capabilities, and optional and conditional capabilities for which support is indicated, are subject to verification as part of the Bluetooth Qualification Program.

The Bluetooth Qualification Program may employ tests to verify implementation robustness. The level of implementation robustness that is verified varies from one Specification to another and may be revised for cause based on interoperability issues found in the market.

Such tests may verify:

- That claimed capabilities may be used in any order and any number of repetitions that is not excluded by the Specification, OR
- That capabilities enabled by the implementations are sustained over durations expected by the use case, OR
- That the implementation gracefully handles any quantity of data expected by the use case, OR
- That in cases where more than one valid interpretation of the Specification exist, the implementation complies with at least one interpretation and gracefully handles other interpretations, OR
- That the implementation is immune to attempted security exploits.

A single execution of each of the required tests is required in order to constitute a pass verdict. However, it is noted that in order to provide a foundation for interoperability, it is necessary that a qualified implementation consistently and repeatedly pass any of the applicable tests.

In any case, where a member finds an issue with the Test Plan Generator, the Test Case as described in the Test Suite, or with the Test System utilized, the Member is required to notify the responsible party via an errata request such that the issue may be addressed.

### 4.3 Pass/Fail Verdict Conventions

Each test case has an Expected Outcome section, which outlines all the detailed pass criteria conditions that shall be met by the IUT to merit a Pass Verdict.

The convention in this test suite is that, unless there is a specific set of fail conditions outlined in the test case, the IUT fails the test case as soon one of the pass criteria conditions cannot be met. If this occurs the outcome of the test shall be the Fail Verdict.



## 5 Test Cases (TC)

### 5.1 Introduction

#### 5.1.1 Test Case Identification Conventions

Test cases shall be assigned unique identifiers per the conventions in [1]. The convention used here is **<spec abbreviation>/<IUT role>/<class>/<feat>/<func>/<subfunc>/<cap>/<xx>-<nn>-<y>**.

Bolded ID parts shall appear in the order prescribed. Non-bolded ID parts (if applicable) shall appear between the bolded parts. The order of the non-bolded parts may vary from test suite to test suite, but shall be consistent within each individual test suite.

Identifier Abbreviation	Spec Identifier <spec abbreviation>
80211MP	802.11 MAC/PHY Spec
Identifier Abbreviation	Feature Identifier <feat>
AD	Acknowledgement and Duration
AFP	Authentication Frame Processing
AREQ	Association Request
ARSP	Association Response Processing
CS	CTS-to-Self
DAP	Disassociation Processing
DEAU	Deauthentication
DF	Defragmentation
DUP	Duplication Detection
GFP	General Frame Processing
IEP	Information element processing
MRS	Multi rate support
ND	Null Data frame processing
RC	RTS/CTS signaling
RT	Recovery and Retry Processing

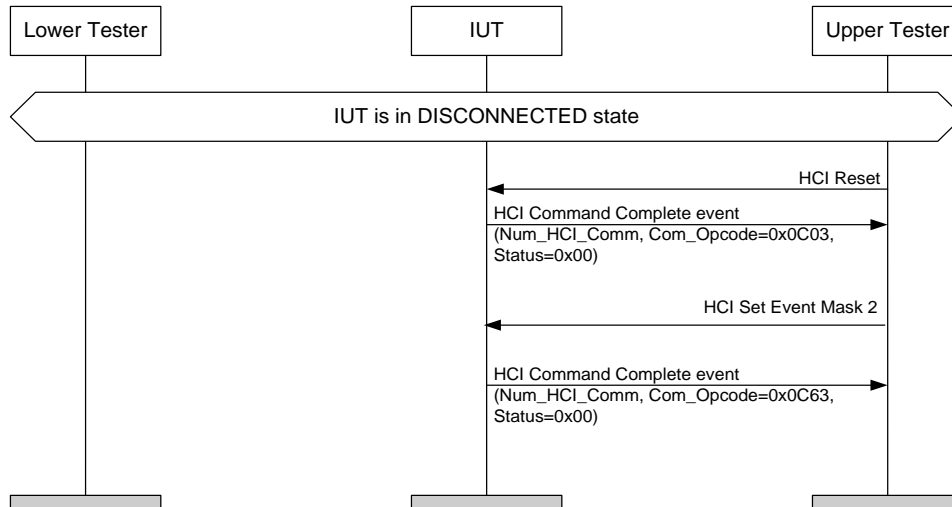
Table 5.1: 802.11 MP TC Feature Naming Convention

### 5.1.2 Lower Layer Assumptions

In the MSCs in this document, there are certain 802.11 frames which may occur outside the scope of any particular test. These include, but are not limited to, probe requests, probe responses, data frame retransmissions, and action frames. The presence of these frames shall not be used to affect the Pass or Fail verdict of any test, unless specifically stated as such.

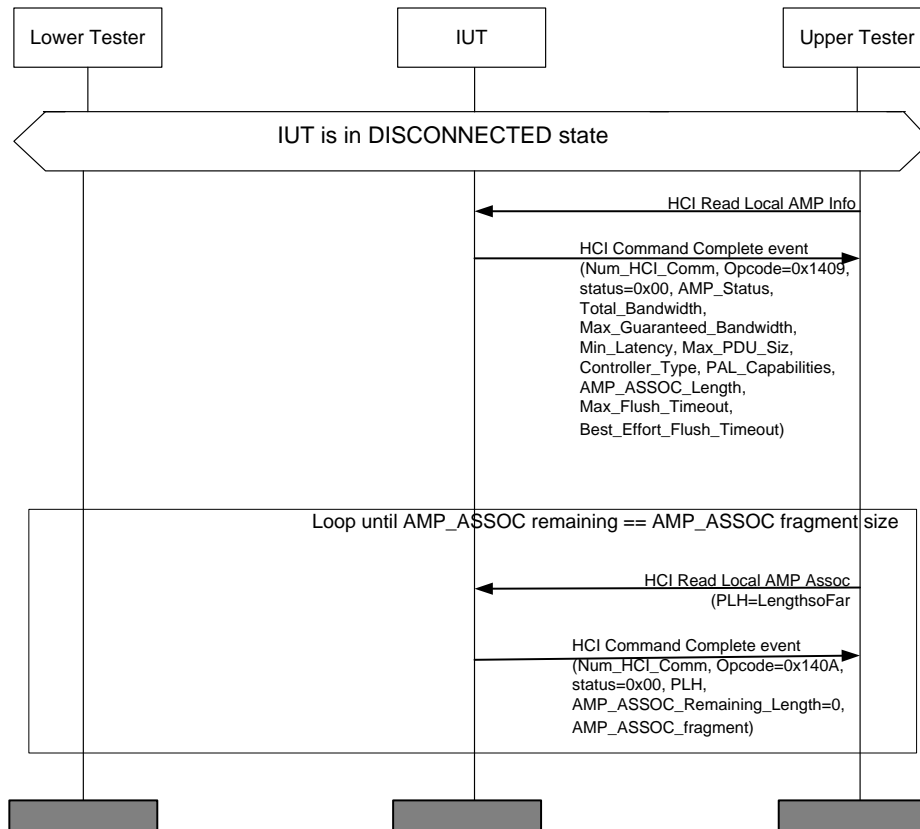
The 802.11 AMP device may support the simultaneous use of multiple protocols. However, this document assumes the IUT is not actively participating in any operations other than those described herein.

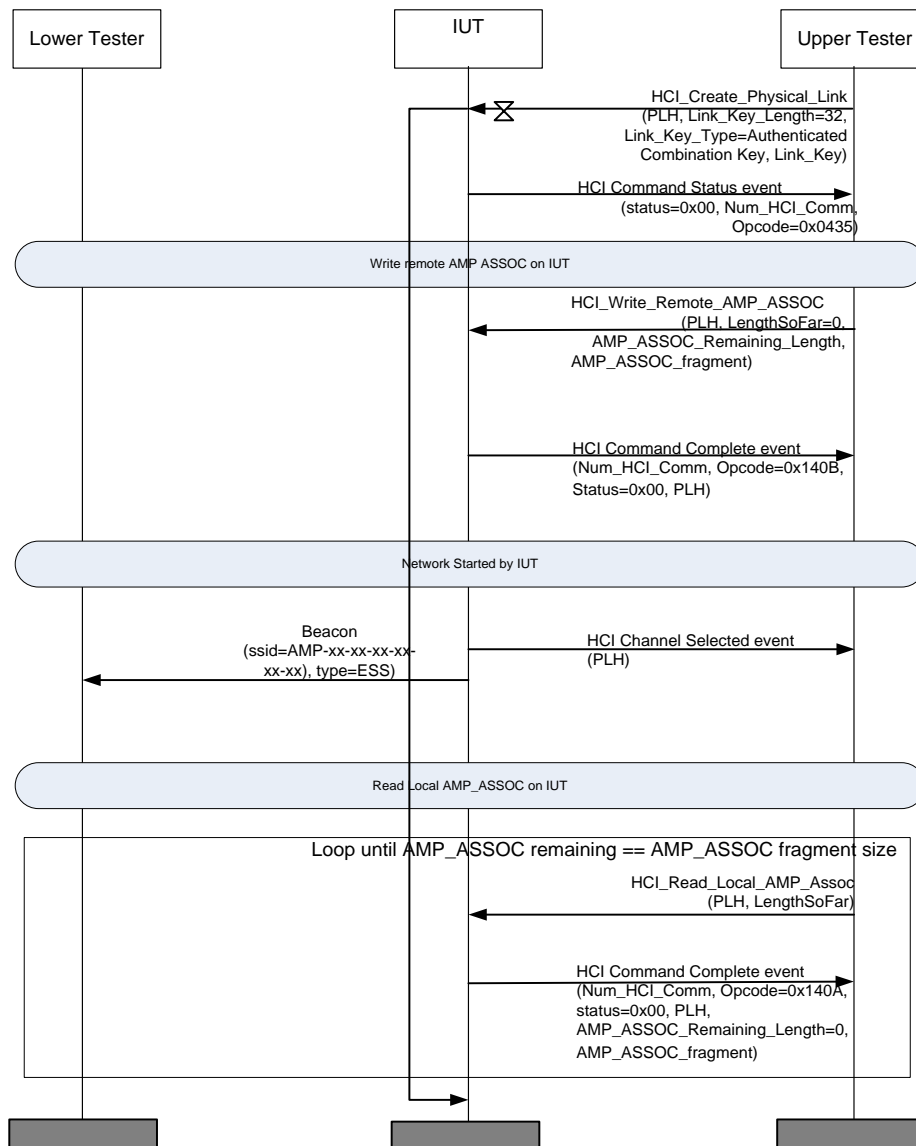
### 5.1.3 Initialization

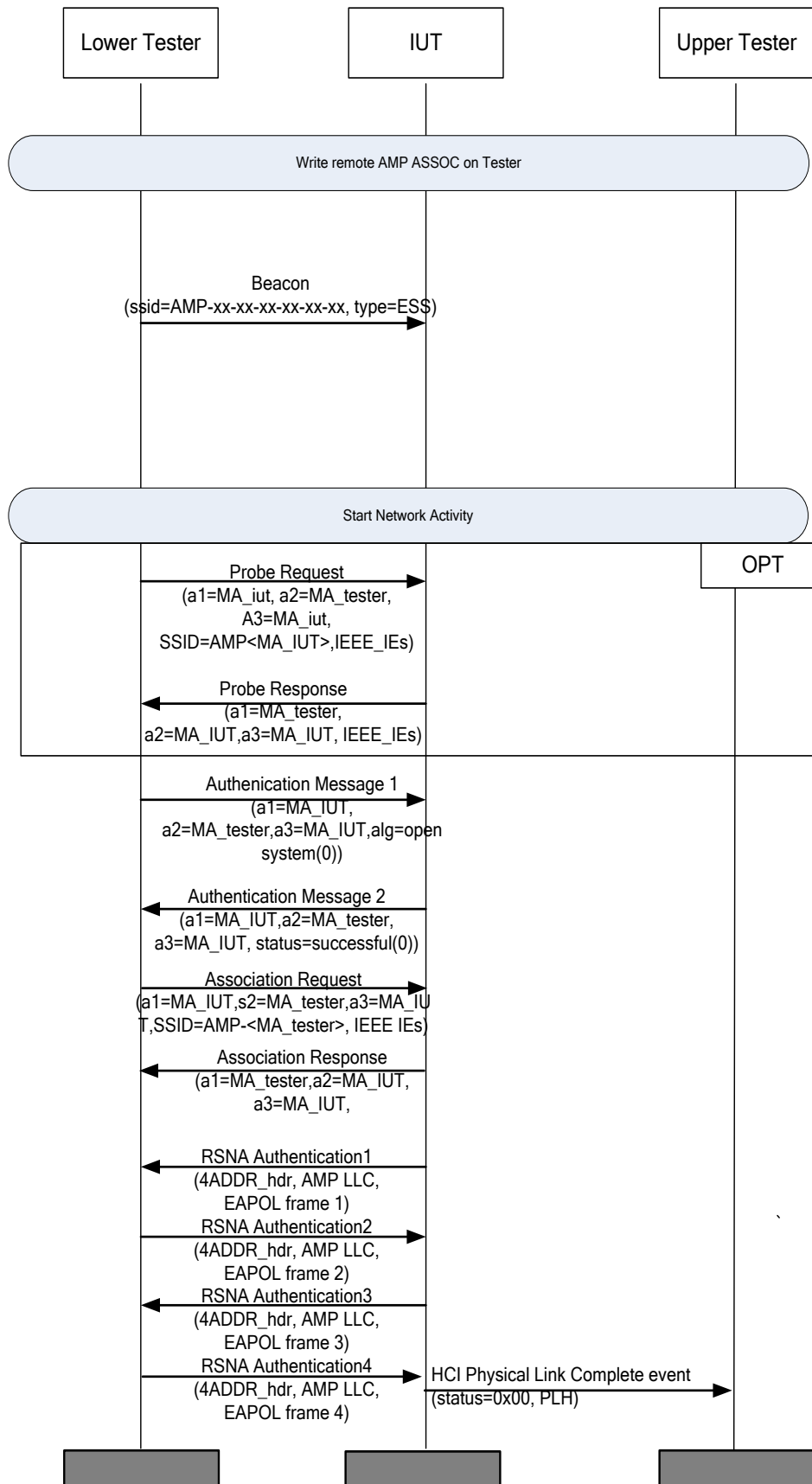


## 5.1.4 Preambles

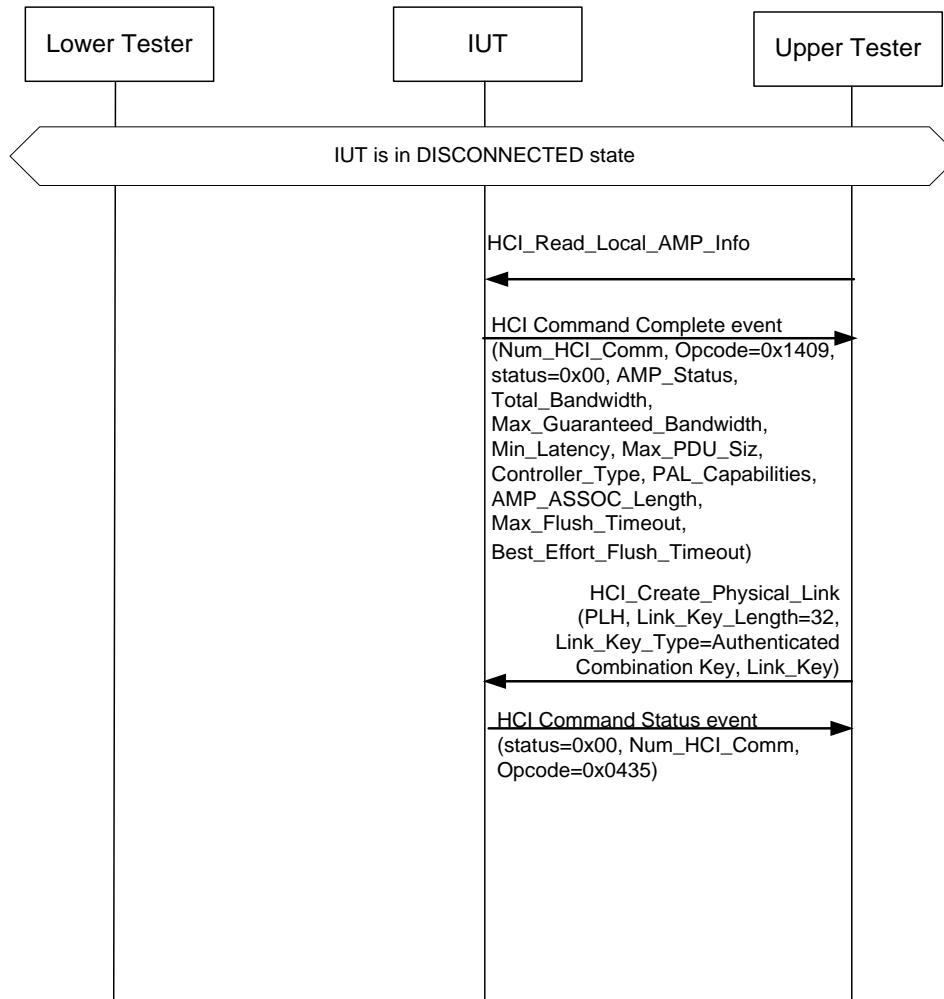
### 5.1.4.1 Physical Link Initiated by IUT Preamble

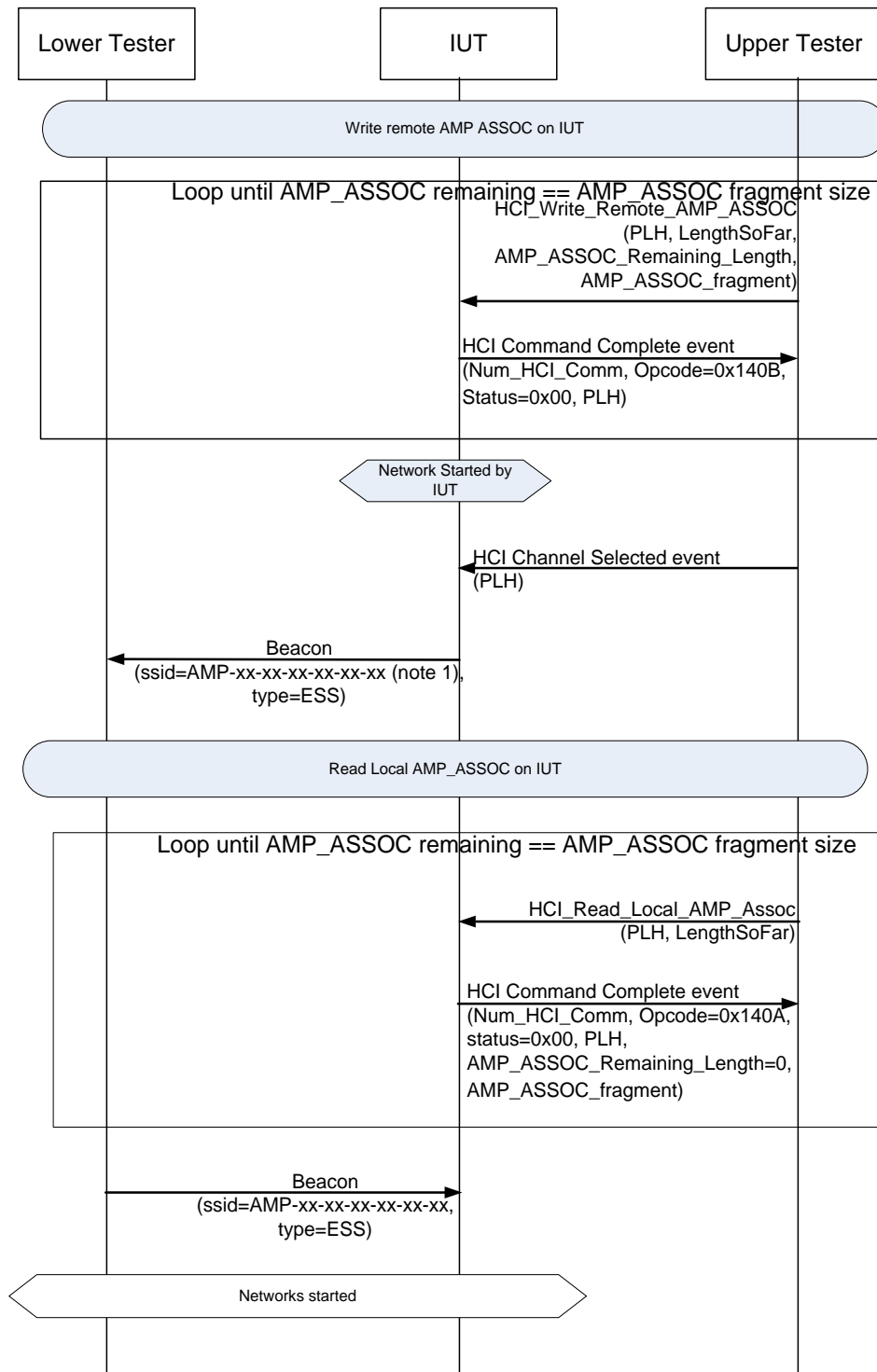


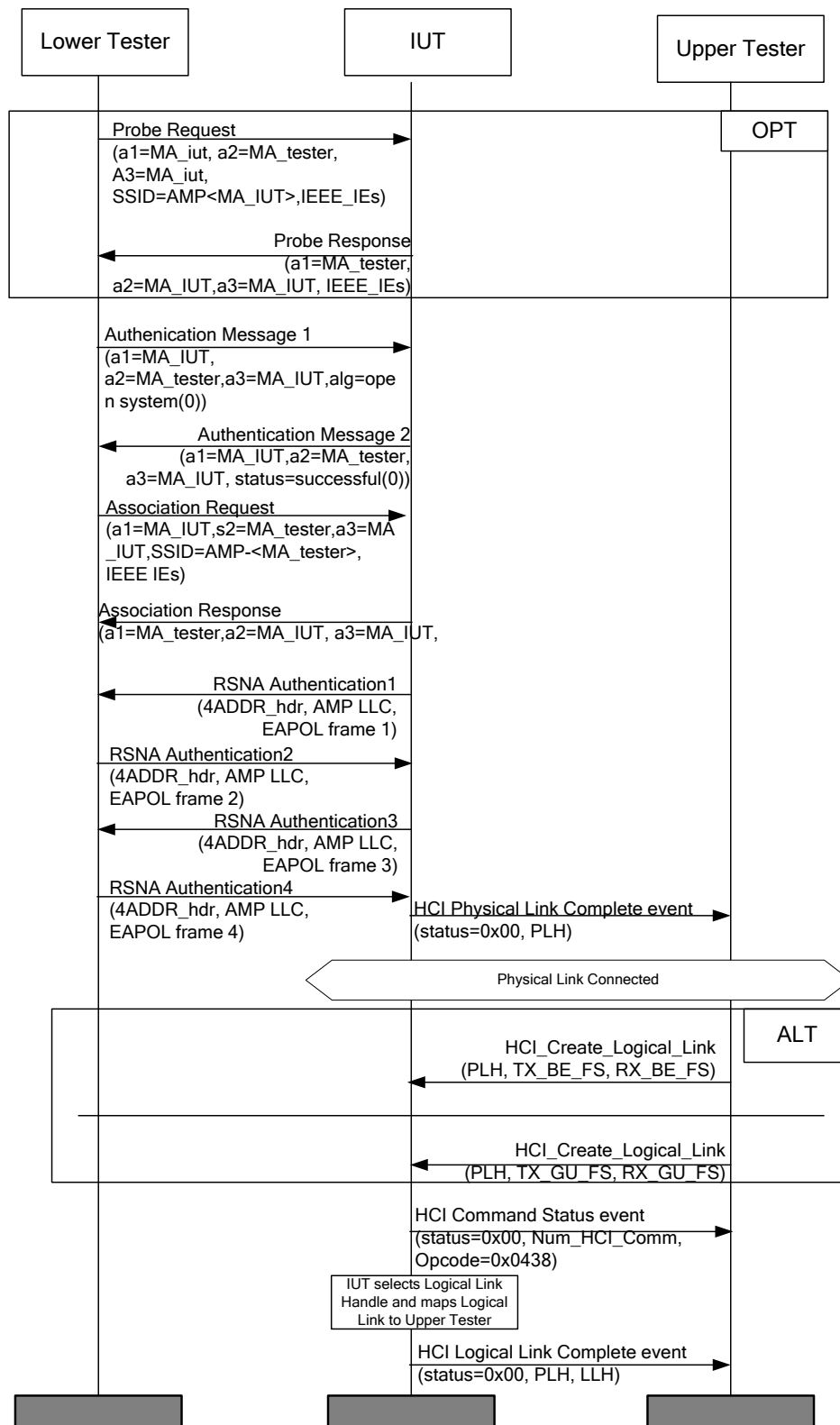




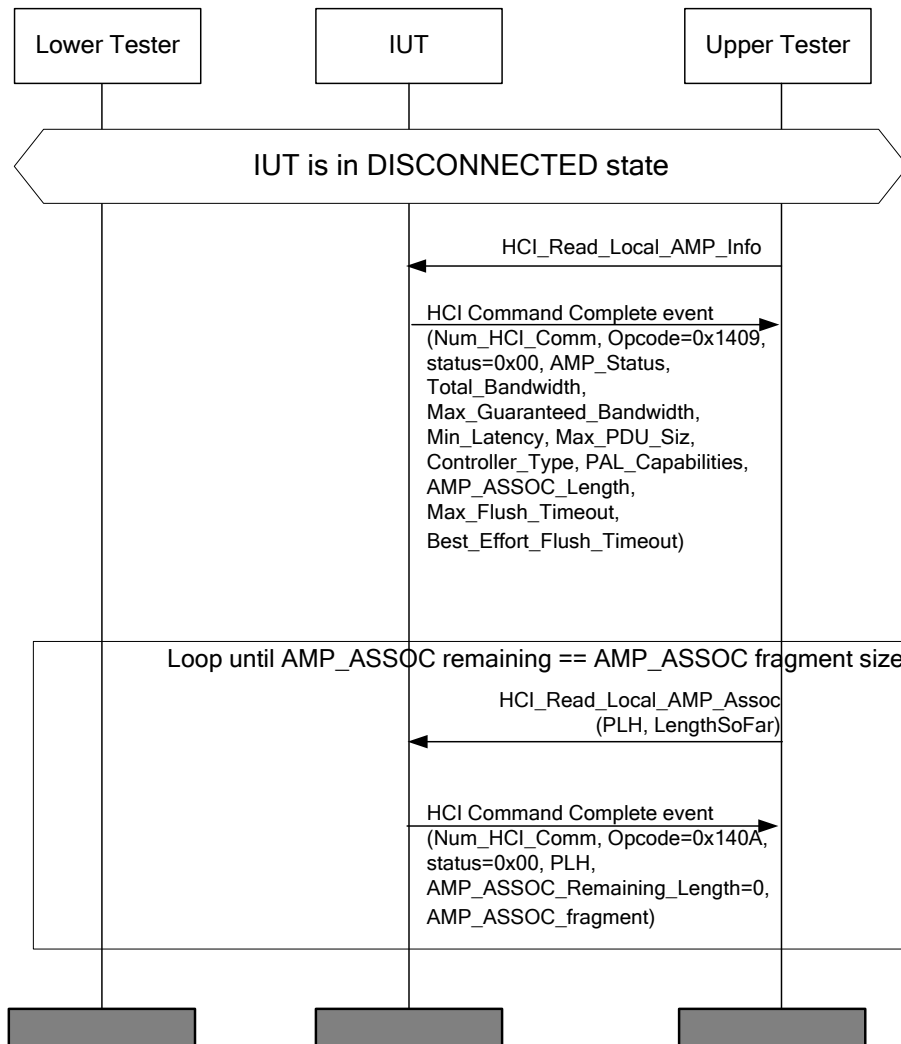


**5.1.4.2 Preamble for establishment of Logical Link initiated by IUT**





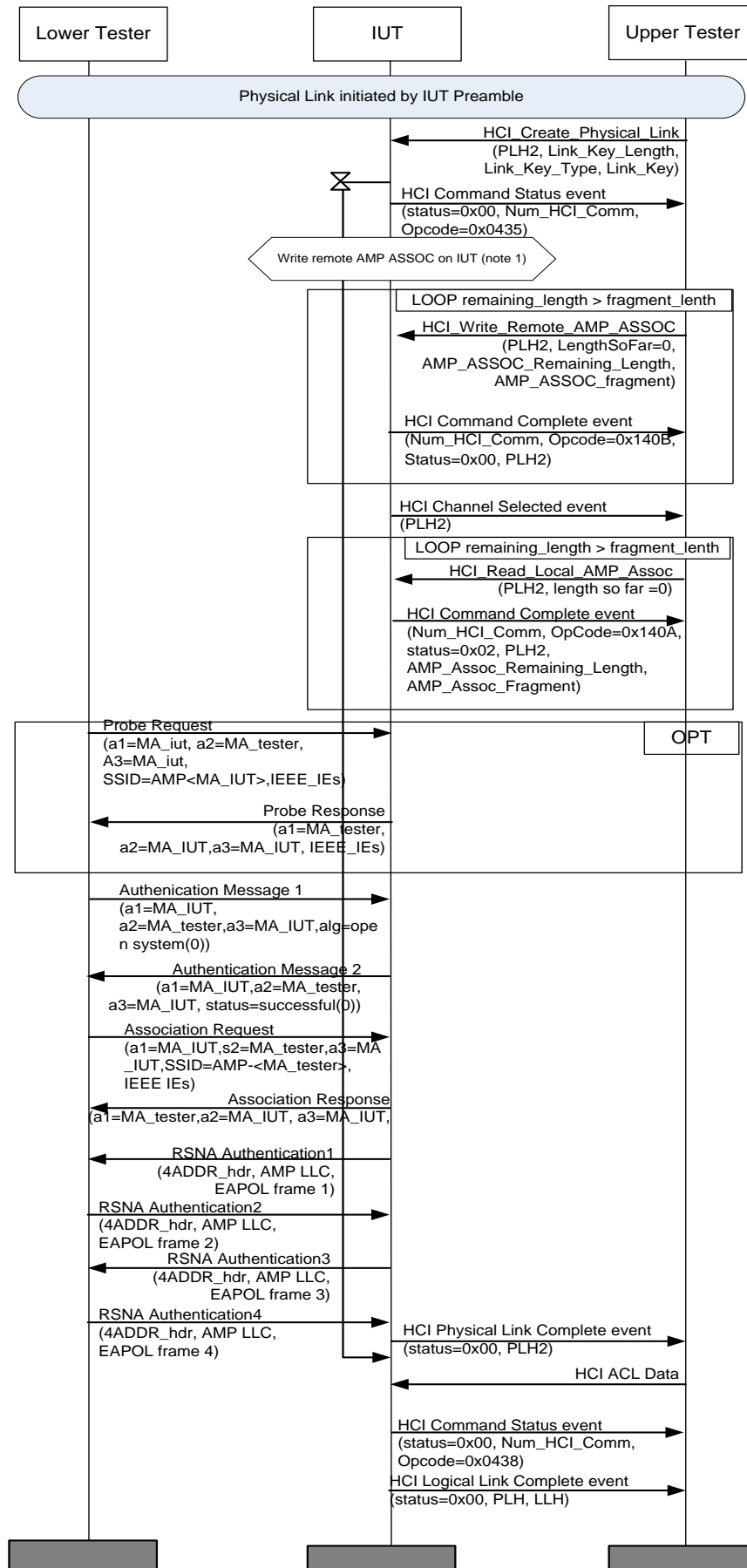
### 5.1.4.3 Preamble for Reading Local AMP Info and Local AMP ASSOC



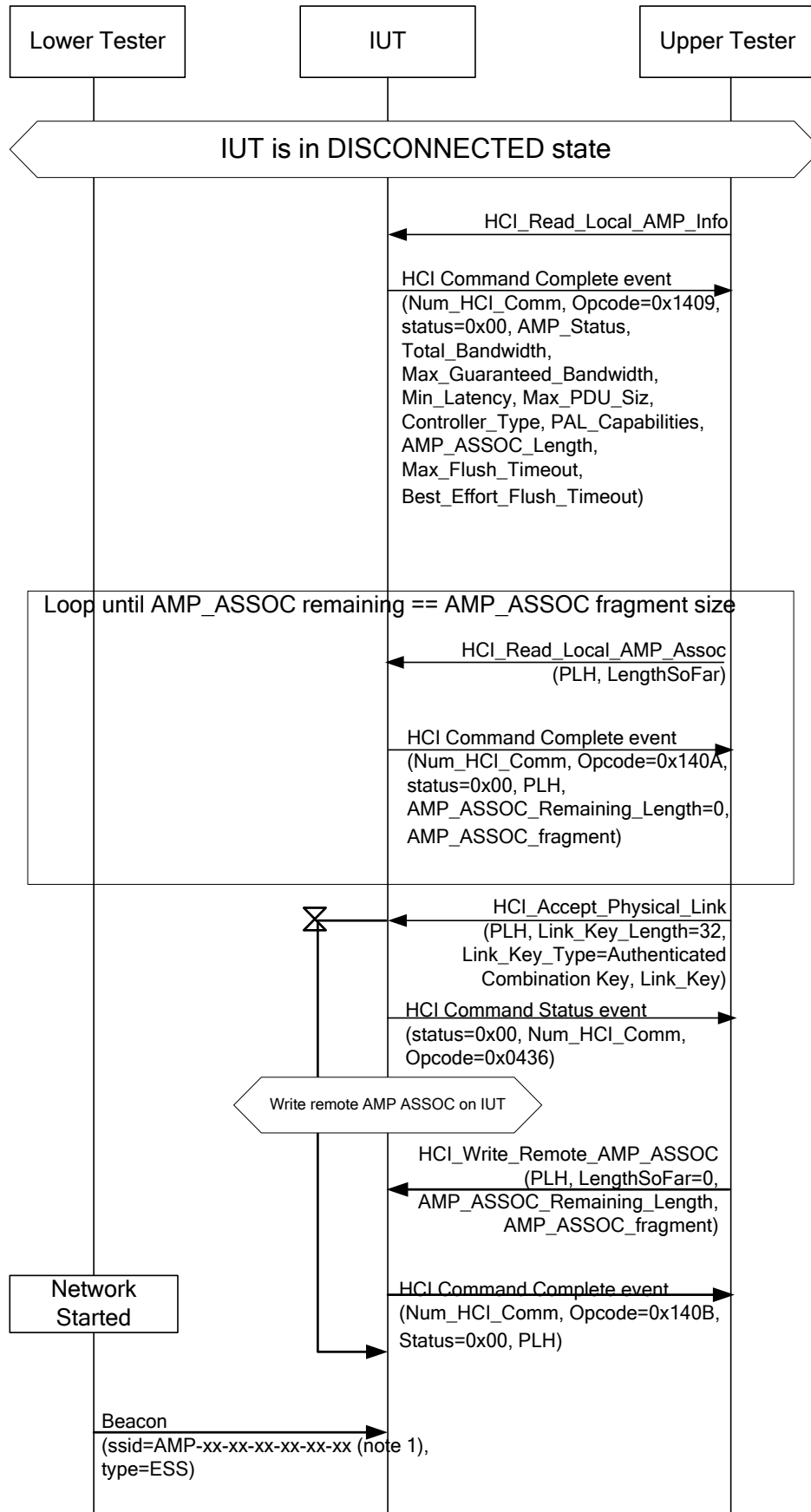
### 5.1.4.4 Preamble for Establishing 2 Physical Links with a best effort logical link on each

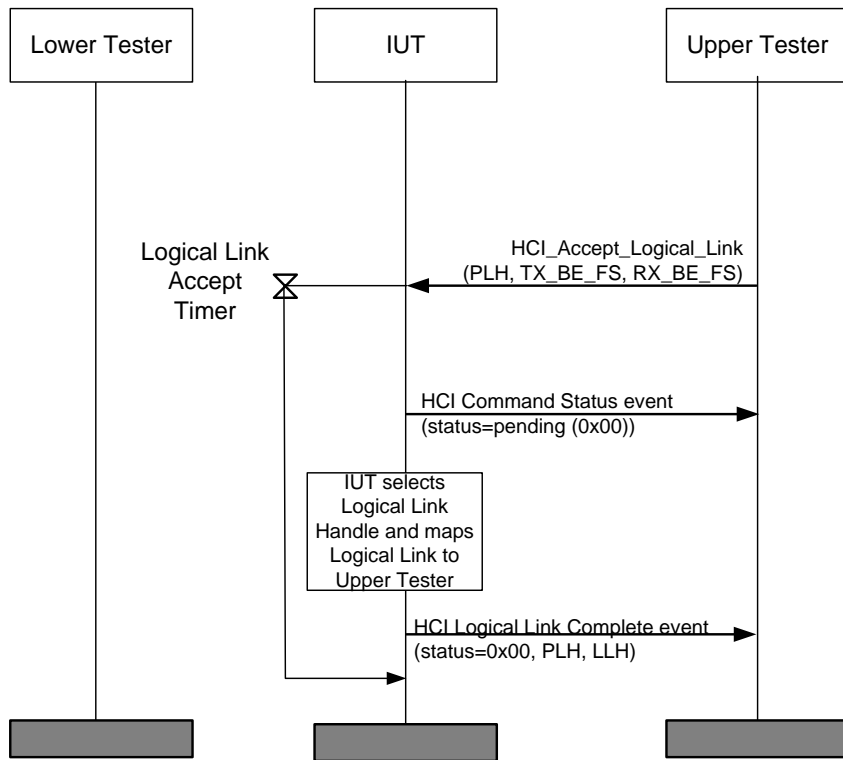
Run 5.1.4.2 using the BE logical link option before this procedure.

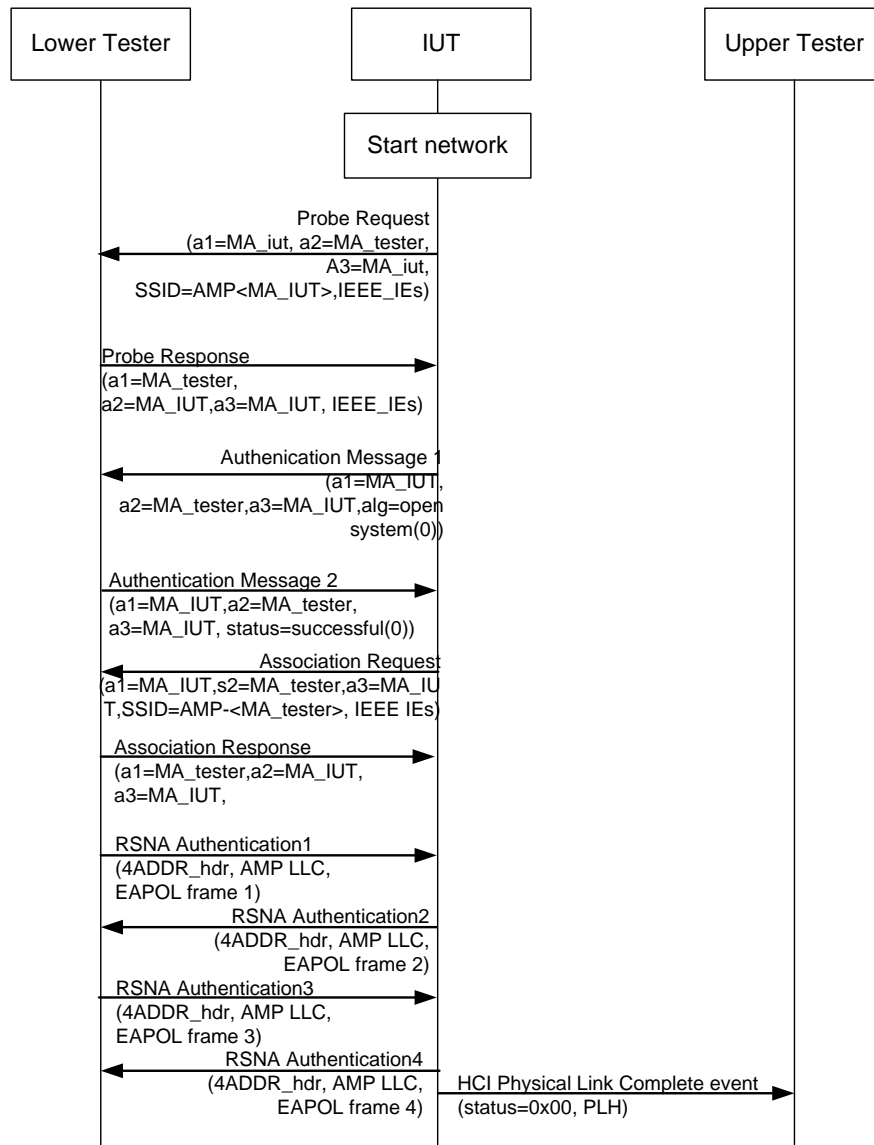
When executing the following procedure, the tester uses a different MAC address in the AMP\_ASSOC and in the address fields of 802.11 headers to that used in preamble 5.1.4.2.



## 5.1.4.5 Accept Physical Link and create best effort logical link preamble

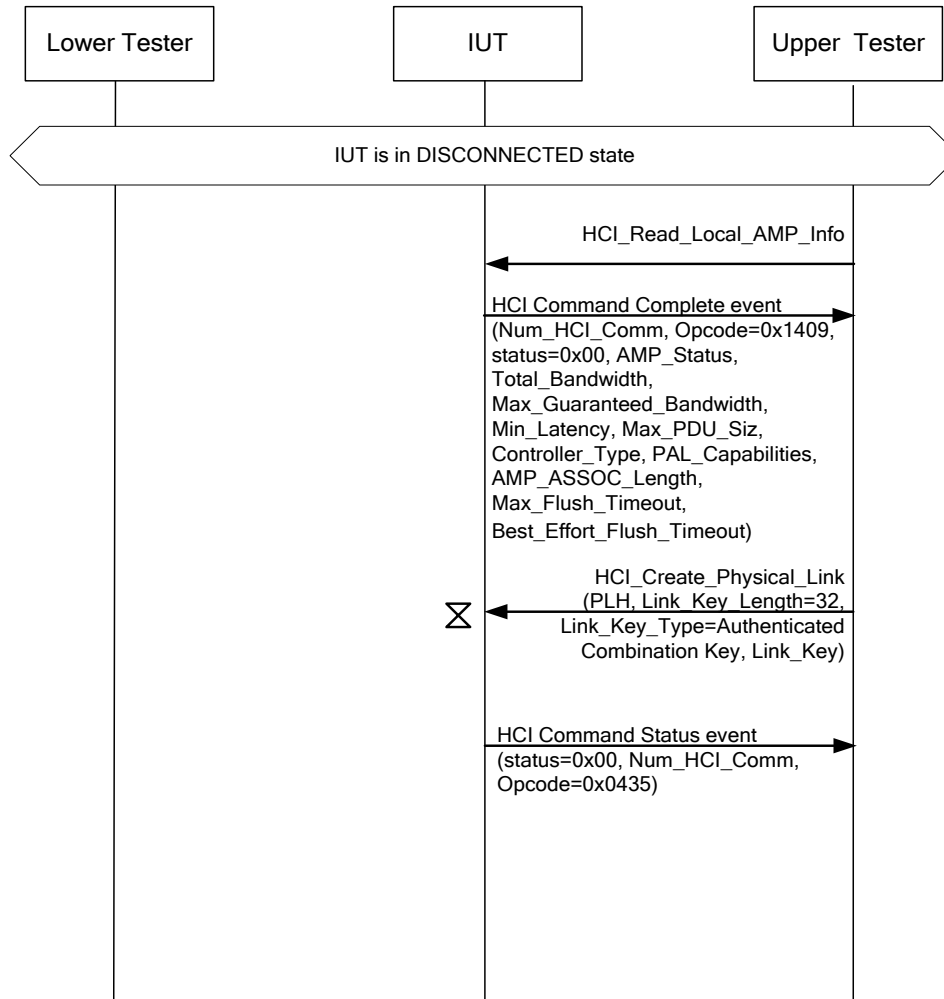


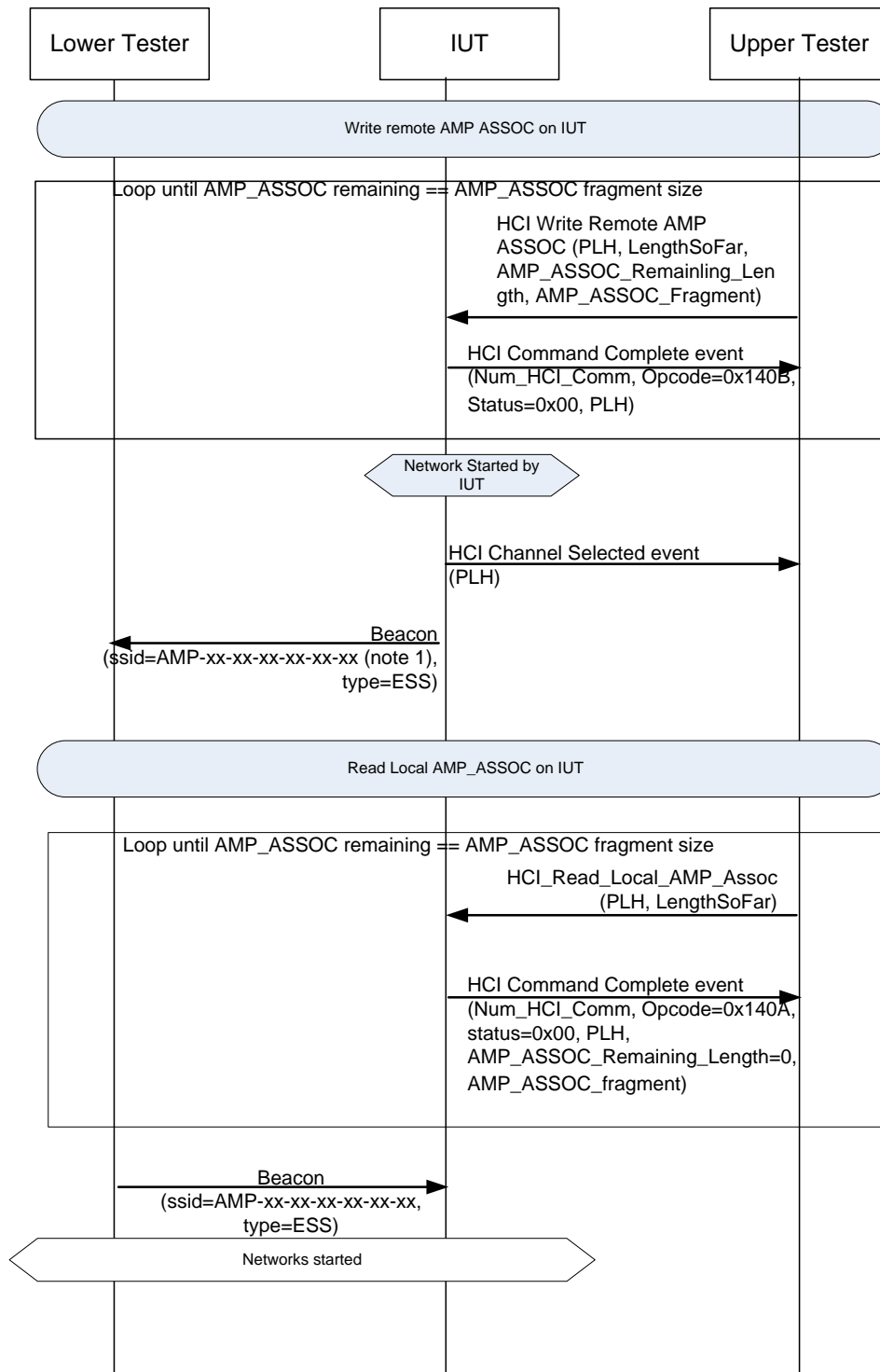


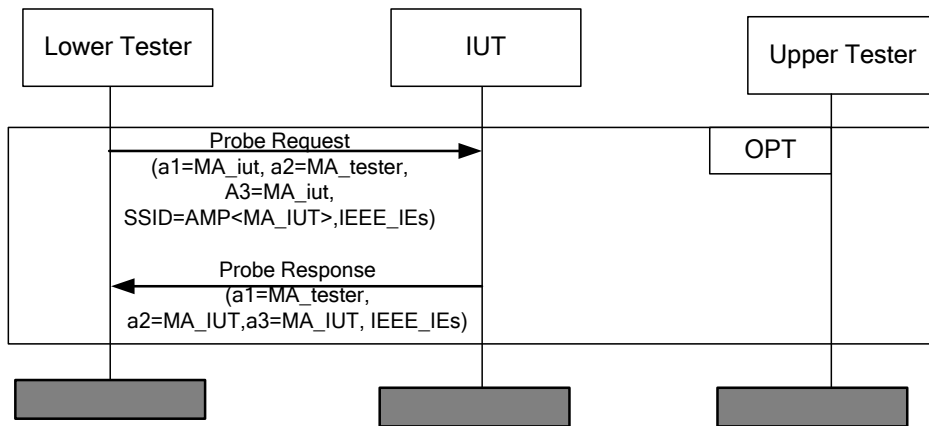




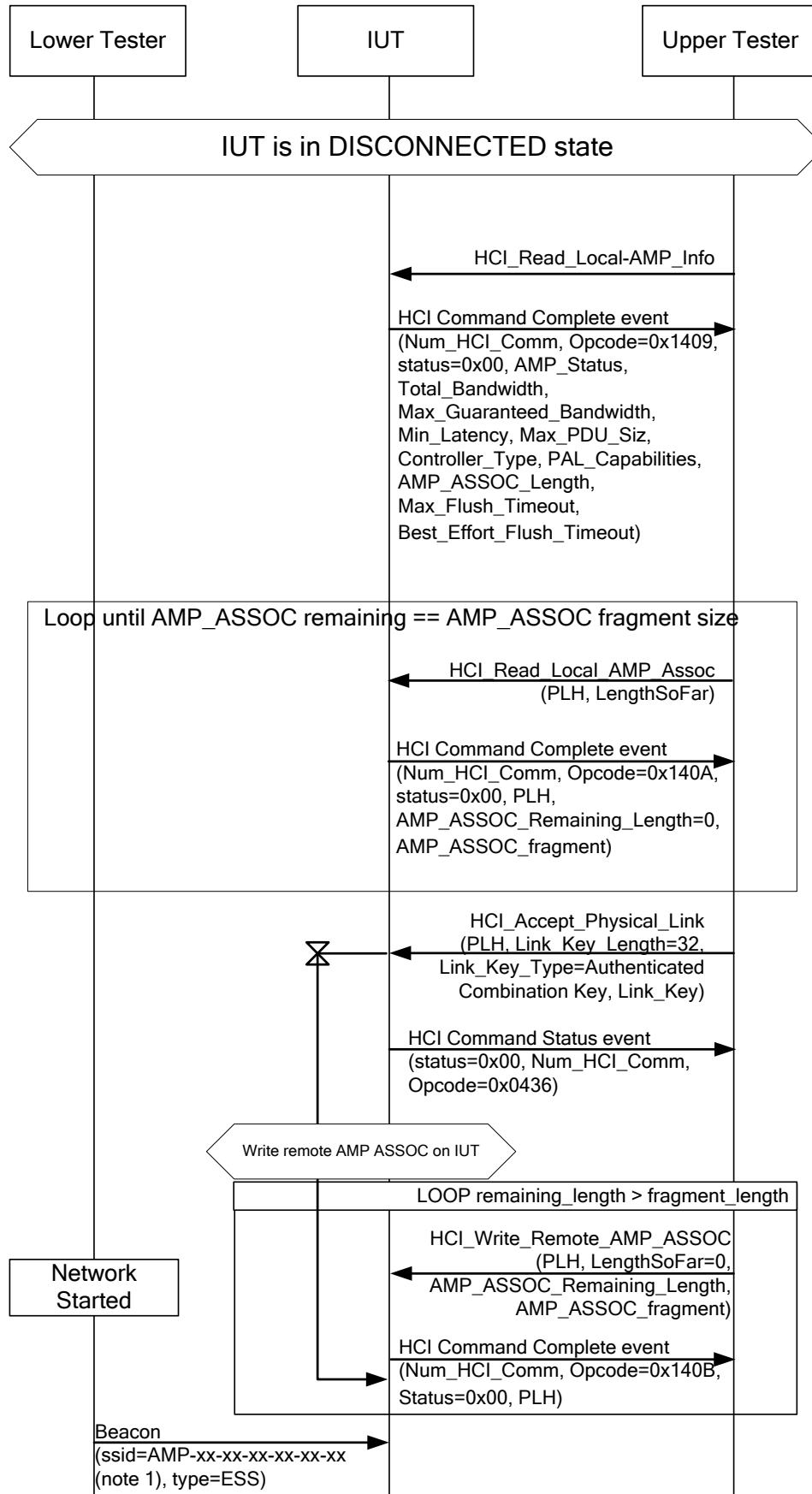
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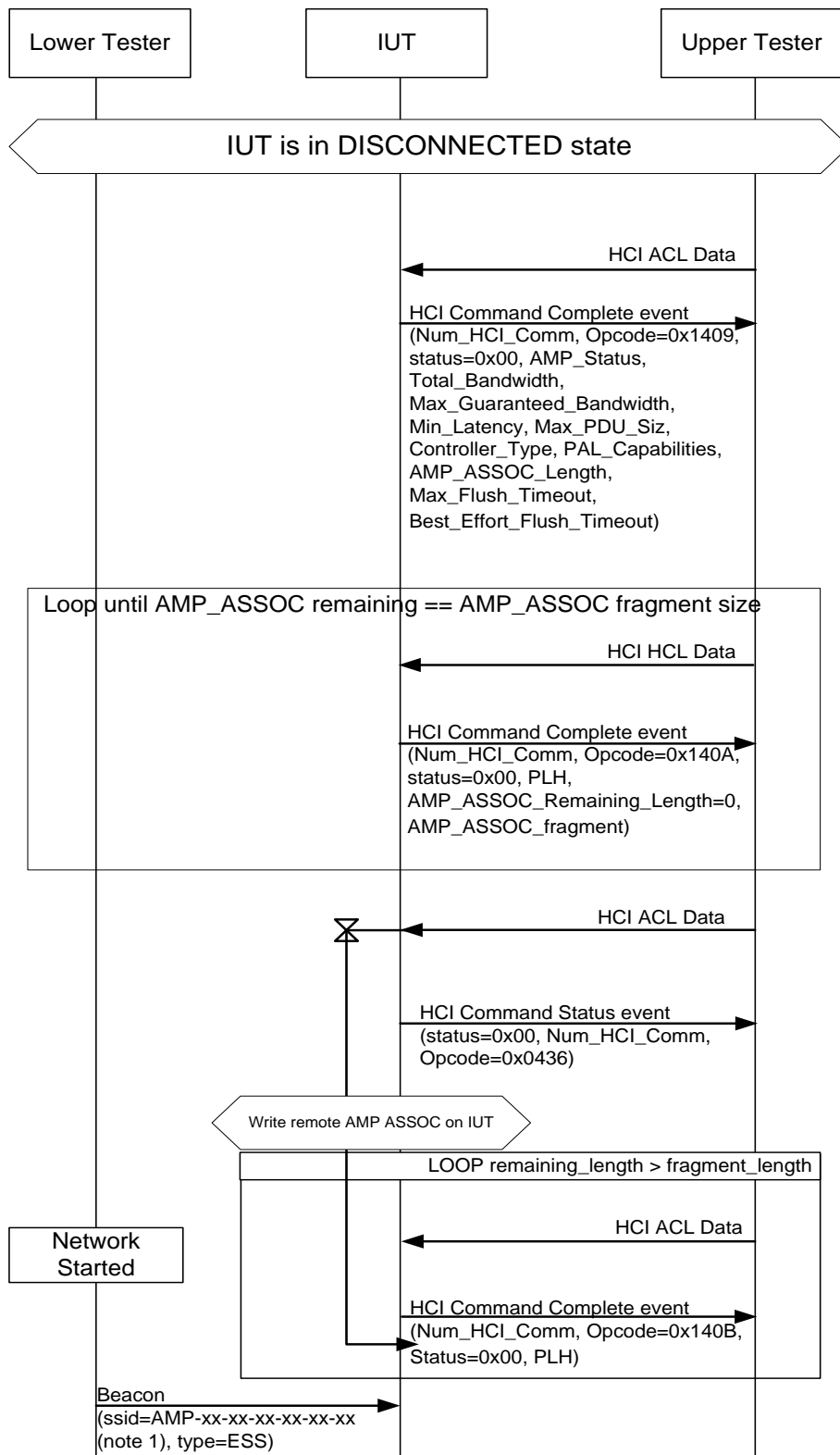


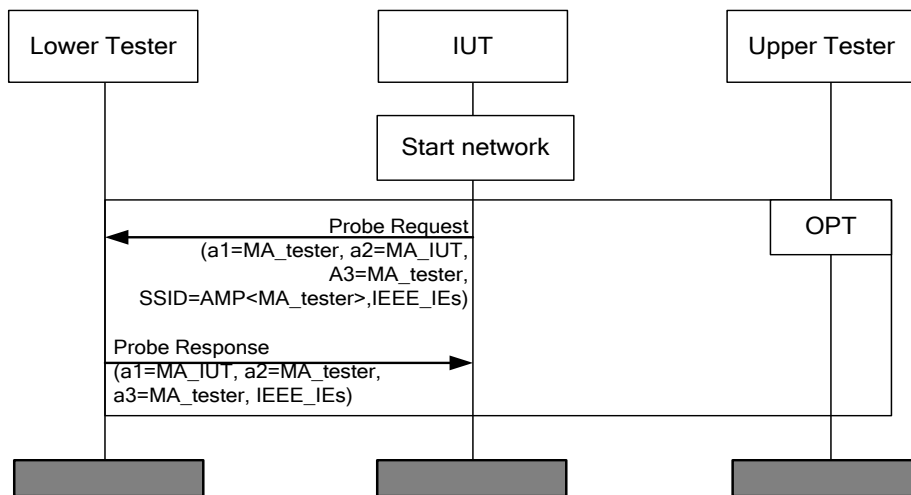




## 5.1.4.7 Discover and accept network preamble







## 5.2 Stimulus Frames

Some tests require specialized frame headers or frame content to be used by the LT as stimulus to trigger certain activity (or non-activity) by the IUT. Table 5.2 lists such frames.

Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame1	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, Sequence number = N  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length.
Frame2	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, MoreFrag = 1, Sequence number = N, FragmentNumber = 0  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00..0xFF, to fill a fragment of 750 octets
Frame3	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, MoreFrag = 0, Sequence number = N, FragmentNumber = 1  Payload: Incrementing data 0x00.0xFF, to fill a fragment of 750 octets
Frame4	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length. FCS is invalid.
Frame5	CTS-to-Self	Header: Valid control frame, A1 = MA_LT, duration field set to 32767
Frame6	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = (MA_IUT   MA_LT)  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length.

Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame7	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame control protocol type is 1. Payload: None.
Frame8	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame control protocol field is 0. Frame control protected bit is 0. Frame control ToDS bit is 0. All other bits in frame control field are set to 1. Payload: None. Valid FCS.
Frame9	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Payload: None. FCS is invalid.
Frame10	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame Control field: Zero bits: Order, Protected, PM, Retry, MoreFrag, Protocol One bits: MoreData, FromDS, ToDS Payload: None. Valid FCS.
Frame11	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame Control field: Zero bits: Order, Protected, MoreData, PM, MoreFrag, Protocol One bits: Retry, FromDS, ToDS Payload: None. Valid FCS.
Frame12	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame Control field: Zero bits: Order, Protected, MoreData, PM, Retry, MoreFrag, Protocol One bits: FromDS, ToDS Payload: None. Valid FCS.
Frame13	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame Control field: Zero bits: Order, Protected, PM, MoreFrag, Protocol One bits: MoreData, Retry, FromDS, ToDS Payload: None. Valid FCS.

Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame14	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame Control field: Zero bits: Order, Protected, PM, Retry, Protocol One bits: MoreData, MoreFrag, FromDS, ToDS Payload: None. Valid FCS.
Frame15	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame Control field: Zero bits: Order, Protected, MoreData, PM, Protocol One bits: Retry, MoreFrag, FromDS, ToDS Payload: None. Valid FCS.
Frame16	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame Control field: Zero bits: Order, Protected, MoreData, PM, Retry, Protocol One bits: MoreFrag, FromDS, ToDS Payload: None. Valid FCS.
Frame17	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame type is Data, subtype is Null Data. Frame Control field: Zero bits: Order, Protected, PM, Protocol One bits: MoreData, Retry, MoreFrag, FromDS, ToDS Payload: None. Valid FCS.
Frame18	MPDU	Header: Deauthentication Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT Frame Control field: 0. Valid FCS
Frame19	MPDU	Header: Deauthentication Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT Frame Control field: 0. Invalid FCS
Frame20	MPDU	Header: Deauthentication Management Frame, A1 = FF:FF:FF:FF:FF:FF, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT Frame Control field: 0. Valid FCS



Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame21		Header: Deauthentication Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_IUT Frame Control field: 0. Valid FCS
Frame22	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT. Frame Control Protocol Version is 1, Frame type is Data, subtype is Data+CF-ACK Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF.
Frame23	MPDU	Header: Control Frame with 2 addresses, A1=MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, Frame Control Type=01, Subtype=0111
Frame24	MPDU	Header: Control Frame with 3 addresses, A1=MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_IUT, Frame Control Type=01, Subtype=0111
Frame25	MPDU	802.11 Beacon frame with A1=ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff. A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT, bits 5 through 15 of the Capability Information field set to 1.
Frame26	MPDU	802.11 Beacon frame with A1=ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff. A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT, no supported rates in the Supported Rates and in the Extended Supported Rates information elements.
Frame27	MSDU	802.11 QoS data frame (frame control is set to 0x0208). A1 and A3=MA_IUT, A2 and A4=MA_LT. Payload: 0 bytes
Frame28	MSDU	802.11 data frame with FromDS bit set to 0, A1= MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT and A3 field is set to a MAC address that is neither MA_IUT nor MA_LT. Payload: 500 bytes set to AMP_LLC first and then counting up from 0x00.
Frame29	MSDU	802.11 data frame with, A1 and A3=MA_IUT, A2 and A4 =MA_LT. The Order bit in the Frame Control field is set to 1. Payload: 500 bytes set to AMP_LLC first and then counting up from 0x00.
Frame30	MSDU	802.11 data frame with, A1 and A3=MA_IUT, A2 and A4 =MA_LT. ToDS and FromDS bits are set to 1. Payload: 60 bytes set to AMP_LLC first and then counting up from 0x00.
Frame31	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 0110. Payload: 0 Bytes

Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame32	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 0110. Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF
Frame33	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 0111. Payload: 0 Bytes
Frame34	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 0111. Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF
Frame35	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1101. Payload: 0 Bytes
Frame36	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1101. Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF
Frame37	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1110. Payload: 0 Bytes
Frame38	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1110. Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF
Frame39	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1111. Payload: 0 Bytes
Frame40	MPDU	802.11 management frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1111. Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF
Frame41	MSDU	802.11 data frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1101. A1 and A3=MA_IUT, A2 and A4 =MA_LT. ToDS and FromDS bits are set to 1. Payload: 2 Bytes both set to 0
Frame42	MSDU	802.11 data frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1100. A1 and A3=MA_IUT, A2 and A4 =MA_LT. ToDS and FromDS bits are set to 1. Payload: 2 Bytes both set to 0

Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame43	MPDU	802.11 frame with Type in Frame Control field set to 11 and Subtype in Frame Control field set to one of (0000, 0001, 0010, 0100, 1000, and 1111). Payload: 0 Bytes
Frame44	MPDU	802.11 frame with Type in Frame Control field set to 11 and Subtype in Frame Control field set to one of (0000, 0001, 0010, 0100, 1000, and 1111). Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF
Frame45	MSDU	802.11 data frame A1 and A3=MA_IUT, A2 and A4 =MA_LT. ToDS and FromDS bits are set to 1. Payload: 2000 Bytes set to AMP_LLC first and then counting up from 0x00.
Frame 46	MSDU	802.11 data frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1000. A1 and A3=MA_IUT, A2 and A4 =MA_LT. ToDS is set to 0 and FromDS bits is set to 1. Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF
Frame 47	MSDU	802.11 data frame with Subtype in Frame Control field set to 1000. A1 and A3=MA_IUT, A2 and A4 =MA_LT. ToDS is set to 1 and FromDS bits is set to 0. Payload: 255 bytes set to values 0x00 through 0xFF
Frame 48	MPDU	802.11 Probe Request where the SSID information element has a length greater than 32 bytes.
Frame49	MPDU	802.11 Probe Request where the SSID information element has a length greater than 32 bytes.
Frame50	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT Payload: 1500 Bytes set to Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, for the rest of the length.
Frame51	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT Payload: 500 Bytes set to Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, for the rest of the length.
Frame52	MMPDU	Header: Association Response Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT Payload : Capability, AID, Supported Rates, Extended Supported Rates

Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame53	MMPDU	Header: Association Response Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT Payload : Capability, Status, AID, Supported Rates, Extended Supported Rates, Reserved IE (254 255 0x00...0xFF), Reserved IE (255 255 0x00...0xFF)
Frame54	MMPDU	Header: Association Response Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT Payload : Capability, Status, AID, Supported Rates, Supported Rates (repeated), Extended Supported Rates
Frame55	MMPDU	Header: Association Response Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT Payload : Capability, Status, AID, Extended Supported Rates
Frame56	MMPDU	Header: Association Response Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_LT Payload : Capability, Status, AID, Supported Rates, Extended Supported Rates (50 9 0x02 0x04 0x0c 0x12 0x18 0x30 0x48 0x60 0x6c)
Frame57	MMPDU	Header: Association Request Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_IUT Payload : Capability, SSID, Supported Rates, Extended Supported Rates, RSN
Frame58	MMPDU	Header: Association Request Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_IUT Payload : Capability, SSID, Listen Interval, Supported Rates, Extended Supported Rates, RSN, Reserved IE (254 255 0x00...0xFF), Reserved IE (255 255 0x00...0xFF)
Frame59	MMPDU	Header: Association Request Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_IUT Payload : Capability, SSID, Listen Interval, Supported Rates, Extended Supported Rates (50 9 0x02 0x04 0x0c 0x12 0x18 0x30 0x48 0x60 0x6c), RSN
Frame60	MMPDU	Header: Association Request Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_IUT Payload : Capability, SSID, Listen Interval, Supported Rates (4 0), Extended Supported Rates, RSN
Frame61	MMPDU	Header: Association Request Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2=MA_LT, A3=MA_IUT Payload : Capability, SSID, Listen Interval, Supported Rates (4 0), Extended Supported Rates, RSN Invalid FCS

Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame62	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, Retry = 1, Sequence number = N  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length.
Frame63	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to 750 octets, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF up to maximum frame length (i.e., the concatenation of the data from Frame 2 and Frame 3)
Frame64	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, MoreFrag = 0, Sequence number = N, FragmentNumber = 1  Payload: Decrementing data 0xFF..0x00, to fill a fragment of 750 octets
Frame65	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, Retry = 1, Sequence number = N + 1  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length.
Frame66	MPDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, MoreFrag = 0, Retry = 1, Sequence number = N, FragmentNumber = 1  Payload: Incrementing data 0x00..0xFF, to fill a fragment of 750 octets
Frame67	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT2, Retry = 1, Sequence number = N  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length.
Frame68	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT2, Retry = 1, Sequence number = N + 1  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length.
Frame69	MSDU	Header: Valid 4-address frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT2, Sequence number = N + 1  Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length.
Frame 70	MMPDU	Header: Disassociation Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, A3 = MA_IUT
Frame 71	MMPDU	Header: Disassociation Management Frame, A1 = MA_IUT, A2 = MA_LT, A3 = MA_IUT Invalid FCS

Frame label	Frame type	Description
Frame 72	MSDU	Header: A1 = MA_LT, A2 = MA_IUT Payload: Valid LLC with PAL SNAP, ACL data header, L2CAP header, incrementing data 0x00...0xFF, up to the maximum frame length.

*Table 5.2: Specialized frame headers*

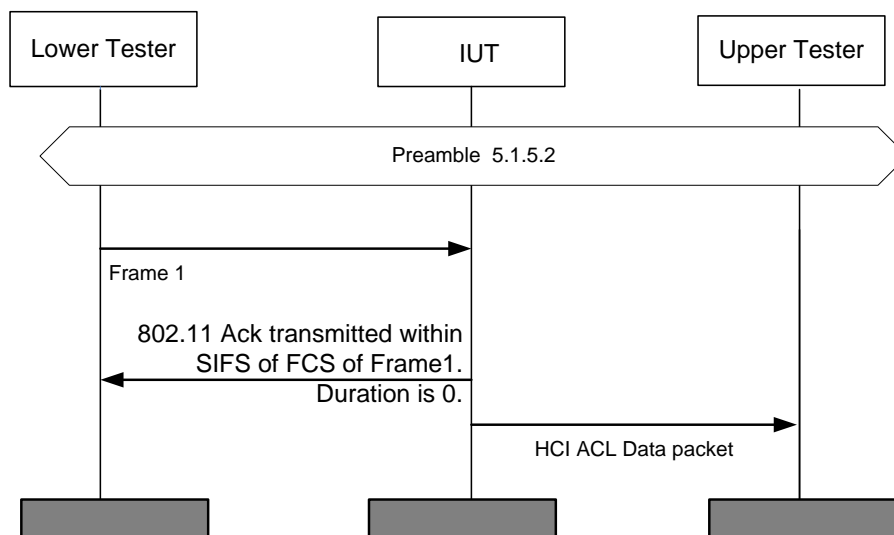
## 6 MAC-PHY Testing

### 6.1 Acknowledgement and Duration (AD)

This section describes tests relating to 802.11 acknowledgement and duration fields.

#### 6.1.1 80211MP/AD/BV-01-C Duration field zero

- **Test Purpose**  
Verify that the IUT generates 802.11 Acknowledgement control frames at the proper time and with the proper contents.
- **Reference**  
[\[6\]](#) Test 1.1.9
- **Initial Condition**  
The preamble in Section [5.1.4.2](#) has been completed.
- **Test Procedure**  
The preamble in Section [5.1.4.2](#) has been completed.



- **Expected Outcome**

Pass verdict

An 802.11 Acknowledgement control frame should be generated SIFS after the FCS of Frame1 arrives at the IUT.

The ACK frame has a Duration field with a value of zero (0).

#### 6.1.2 80211MP/AD/BV-02-C Duration field non-zero

- **Test Purpose**  
Send a stream of 802.11 fragments to the IUT and ensure the 802.11 Acknowledgement frames are formatted correctly.

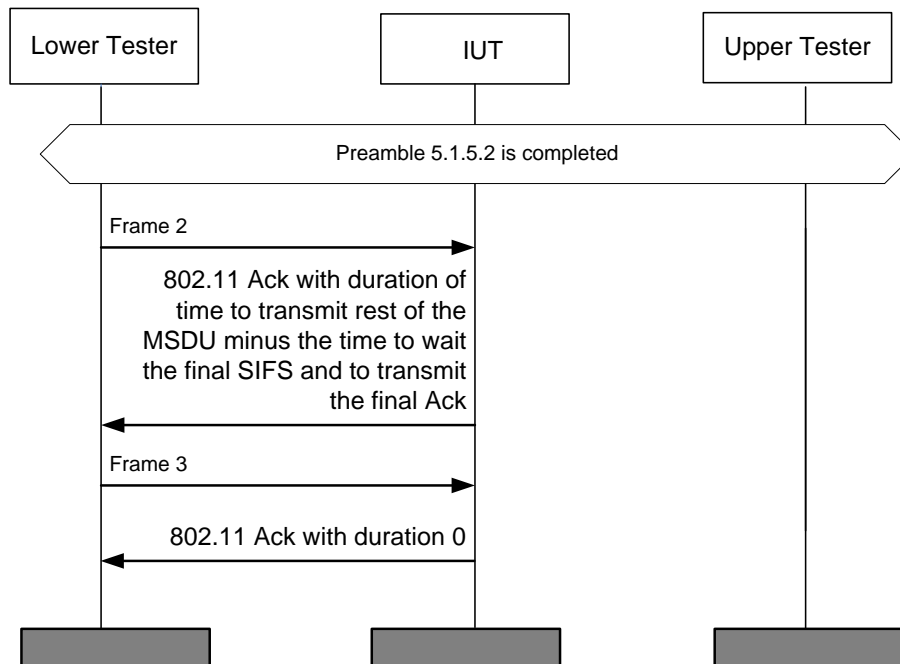
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.9

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

An 802.11 Acknowledgement control frame is generated SIFS after the FCS of each of the fragments received by the IUT.

The ACK frame following Frame2 has a non-zero Duration field equal to the time to transmit the data frame, minus the time to transit the ACK frame and to wait for SIFS, with fractional time rounded up to the nearest microsecond.

The ACK frame following Frame3 has a Duration field set to zero.

### 6.1.3 80211MP/AD/BV-03-C Large duration value

- Test Purpose

Send fragments preceded by a CTS-to-self frame with a large duration. Ensure ACK duration fields are correctly set.

- Reference

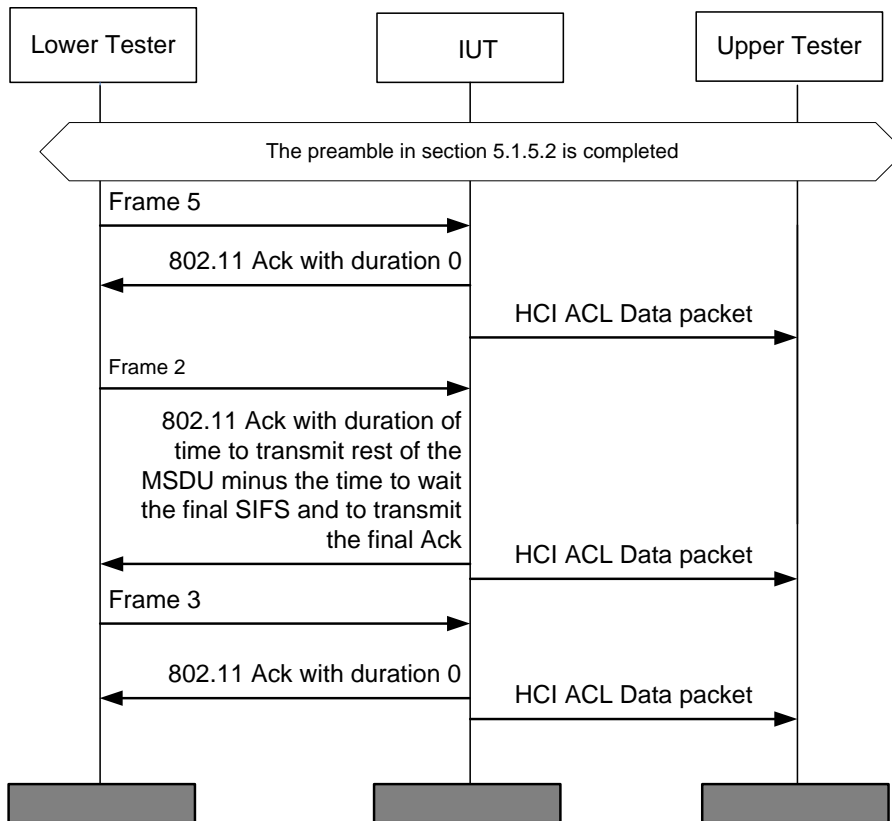
[6] Test 1.1.9



- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT shall generate an ACK frame in response to both fragments.

The first ACK shall contain a duration corresponding to the time until the second ACK should be received. This is the airtime of the data phase of the second fragment, plus SIFS, plus the time to transmit the second ACK.

The second ACK shall contain a duration field of zero.

## 6.1.4 80211MP/AD/BI-01-C FCS validation

- Test Purpose

Send frames with valid and invalid FCS fields to the IUT and ensure there are no ACK frames sent in response to frames with invalid FCS.

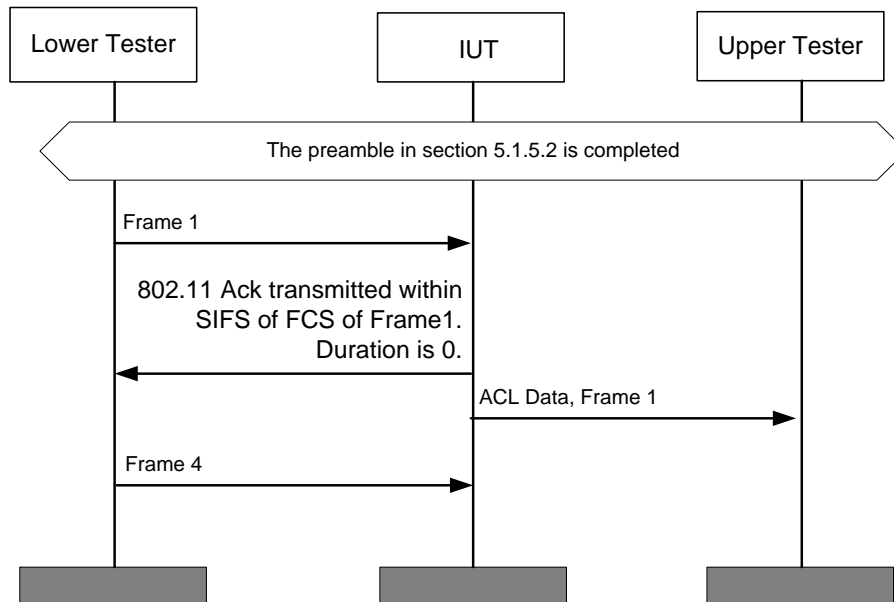
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.9

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

An 802.11 Acknowledgement control frame is generated SIFS after the FCS each time Frame1 is received by the IUT. The ACK frame has a Duration field set to zero.

There are no responses from the IUT to any of the Frame4 frames.

### 6.1.5 80211MP/AD/BI-02-C Non-authenticated source

- Test Purpose

Send frames using a TA which is not the same TA as the AMP peer.

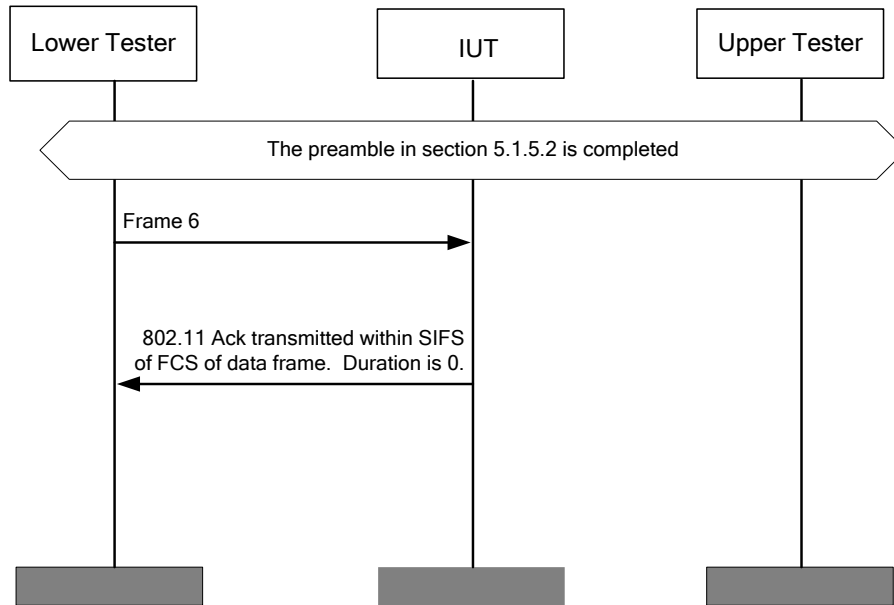
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.9

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT shall transmit an ACK frame at a time SIFS after the FCS field of the Frame6 is received. The Duration field shall be zero. The IUT may generate an 802.11 deauthentication and/or 802.11 disassociation frame in response to the unauthenticated link supervision request frame.

## 6.2 Null data frame processing (ND)

This section describes testing related to null data frames.

### 6.2.1 80211MP/ND/BV-01-C Process properly formatted null data frames

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT can properly process null data frames.

- Reference

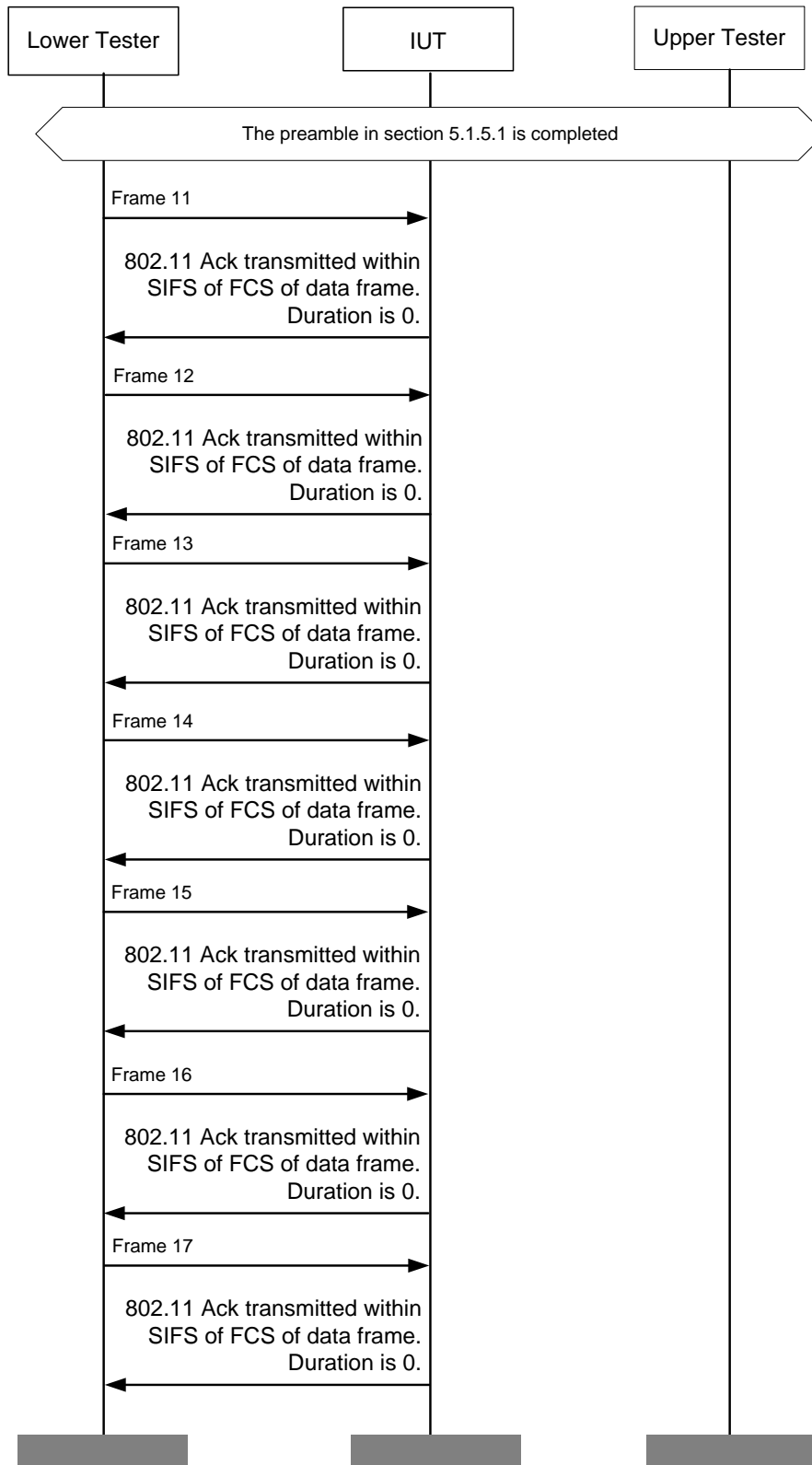
[6] Test case 1.1.2

[7] Test case 1.1.2

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.1 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT shall transmit an ACK frame in response to each of the stimulus frames.

### 6.2.2 80211MP/ND/BI-01-C Reject improperly formatted null data frames

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT ignores improperly formed null data frames.

- Reference

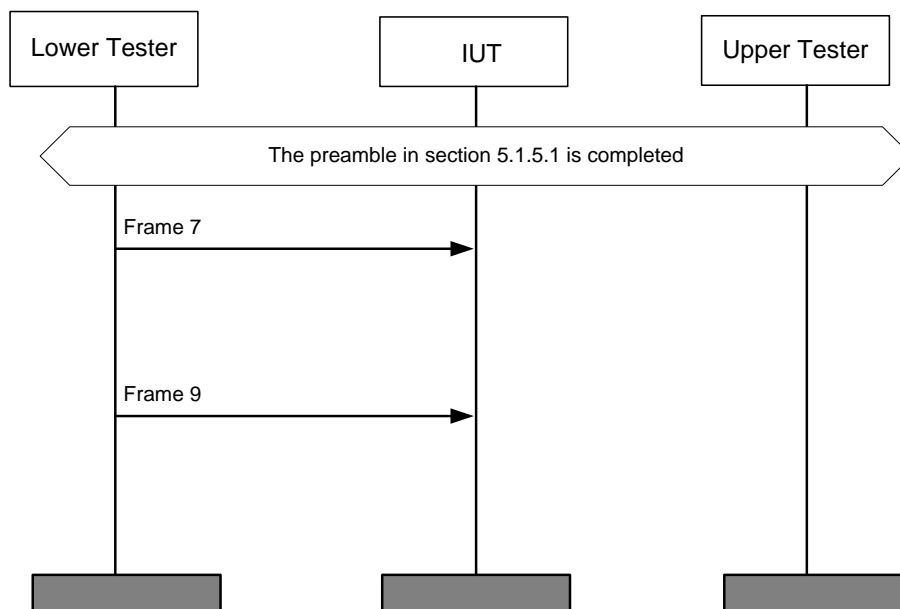
[6] Test case 1.1.2

[7] Test case 1.1.2

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.1 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT shall not transmit an ACK frame in response to any of the stimulus frames.

## 6.3 RTS/CTS signaling (RC)

This section describes testing related to RTS/CTS signaling and proper duration values therein.

### 6.3.1 80211MP/RC/BV-01-C RTS/CTS with proper duration in CTS

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT is able to receive and respond to RTS/CTS protected frames, regardless of whether it uses RTS/CTS signaling for its own data frames.

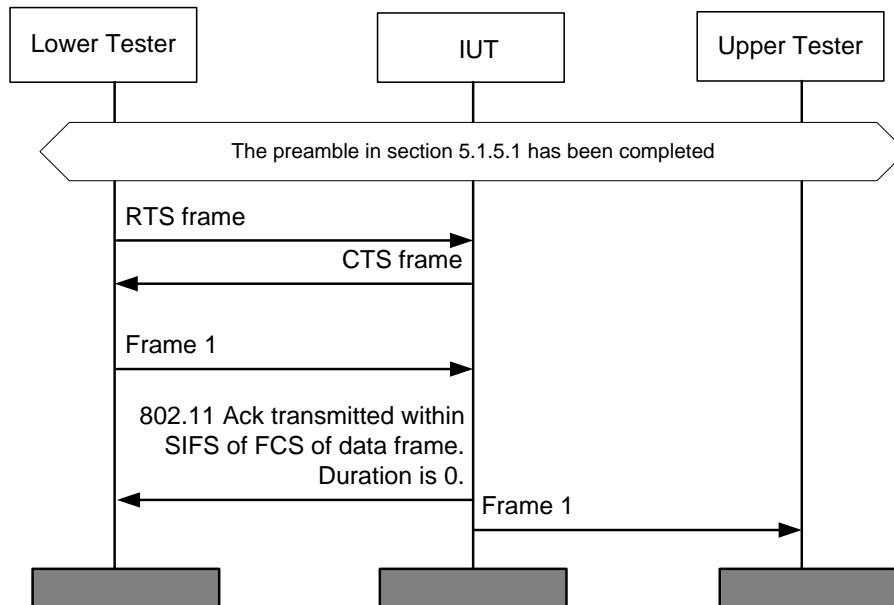
- References

[6] Test 1.2.2

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.1 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

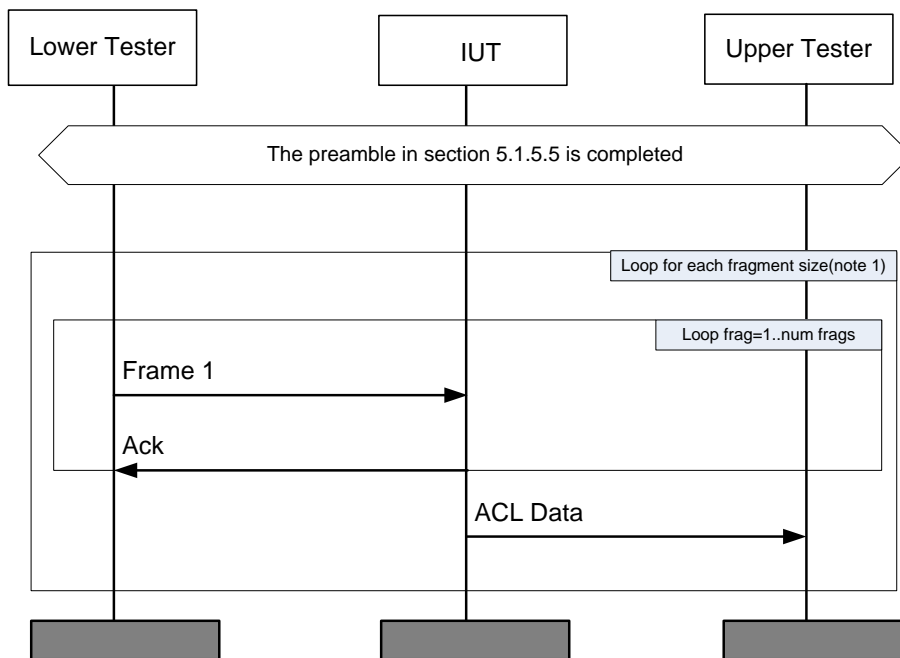
Pass verdict

Verify Frame1 is indicated to the UT.

## 6.4 Defragmentation Tests (DF)

### 6.4.1 80211MP/DF/BV-01-C Receive fragmented frames

- Test Purpose  
Verify IUT defragments received fragmented frames correctly
- Reference  
[6], Test 1.1.10  
[7] Test 1.1.10
- Initial Condition  
The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.
- Test Procedure



Frame1 is defined in Table 5.2. Note 1: After the MSDU has been transmitted at a given fragment size, increment the fragment size by 100 bytes and repeat until the fragment size is greater than or equal to the total length of Frame1.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

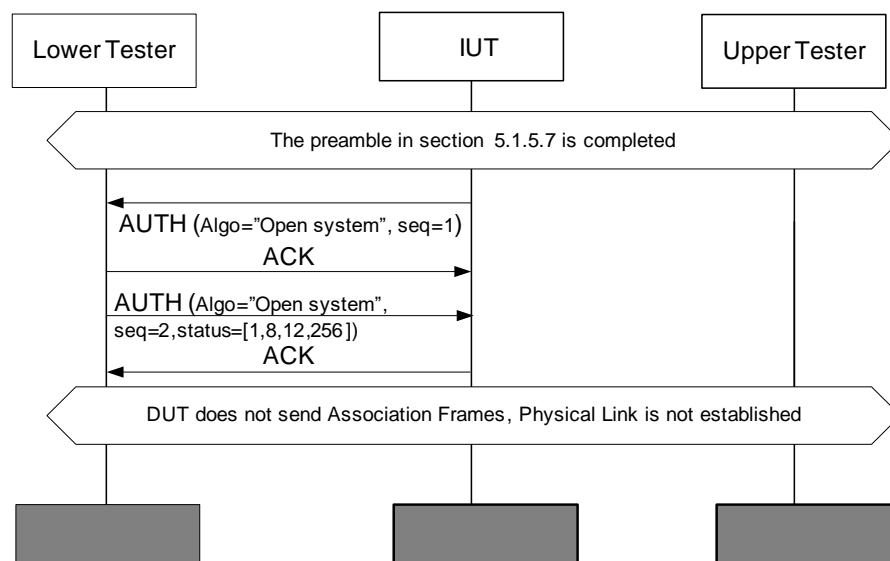
On reception of each complete MSDU an ACL data packet is sent from the IUT to the UT.

The frame received by the UT contains the same content as was sent by the LT, after the 802.11 and PAL headers have been removed and an ACL header added.

## 6.5 Authentication Frame Processing (AFP)

### 6.5.1 80211MP/AFP/BI-01-C authentication frames with failure status code

- **Test Purpose**  
Verify that the IUT handles authentication request frames and responds appropriately.
- **Reference**  
[\[6\]](#) Test 1.1.4
- **Initial Condition**  
The preamble in [5.1.4.6](#) has been completed.
- **Test Procedure**



1. The 802.11 traffic shall be monitored by a sniffer.
2. Repeat test with Status code 1,8,12 and 256.

- **Expected Outcome**

Pass verdict

IUT does not respond with Association frame and Physical link between IUT and LT is not established. Verify that IUT does not cause a "blue screen" or hang.

### 6.5.2 80211MP/AFP/BI-02-C Authentication Frame Processing – invalid transaction sequence number

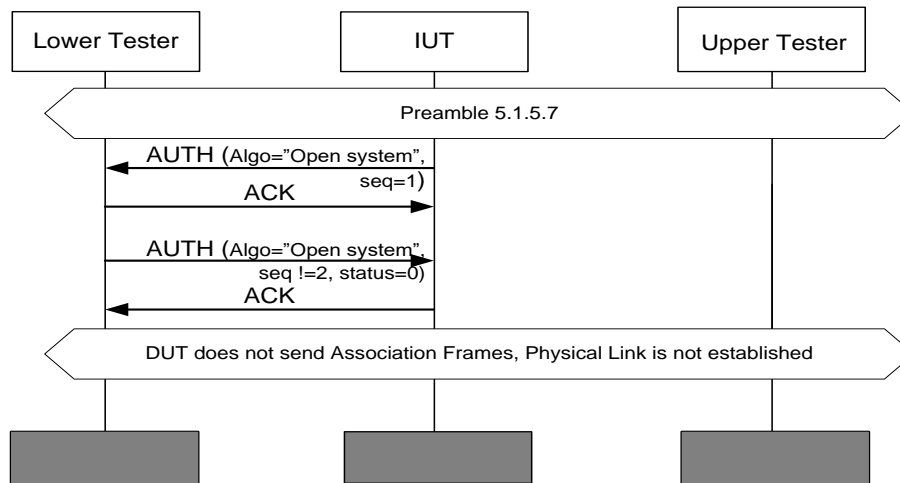
- **Test Purpose**  
Verify that the IUT handles receipt of authentication frames with invalid transaction sequence number and does not have a system failure.
- **Reference**  
[\[6\]](#) Test 1.1.4



- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.7 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



The 802.11 traffic shall be monitored by a sniffer.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT does not respond with Association frame and Physical link between IUT and TS is not established. Verify that IUT does not cause a "blue screen" or hang.

### 6.5.3 80211MP/AFP/BI-03-C authentication frames with invalid algorithm number

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT handles authentication request frames and responds appropriately.

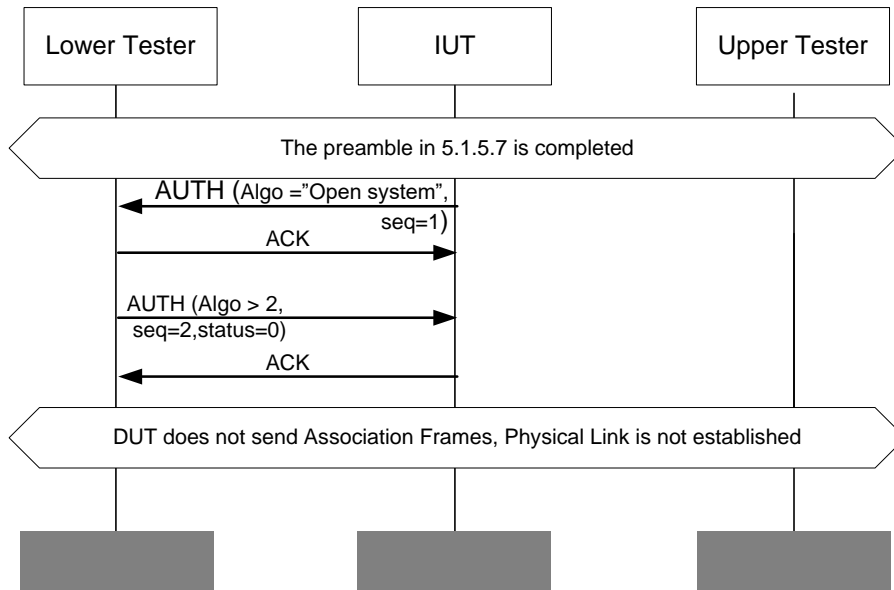
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.4

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.7 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



The 802.11 traffic shall be monitored by a sniffer.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT does not respond with Association frame and Physical link between IUT and TS is not established. Verify that IUT does not cause a “blue screen” or hang.

## 6.6 Association Response testing (ARSP)

Tests the processing of association responses.

### 6.6.1 80211MP/ARSP/BI-01-C Association responses with status values other than successful

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT is able to correctly process association responses with status values other than “successful”.

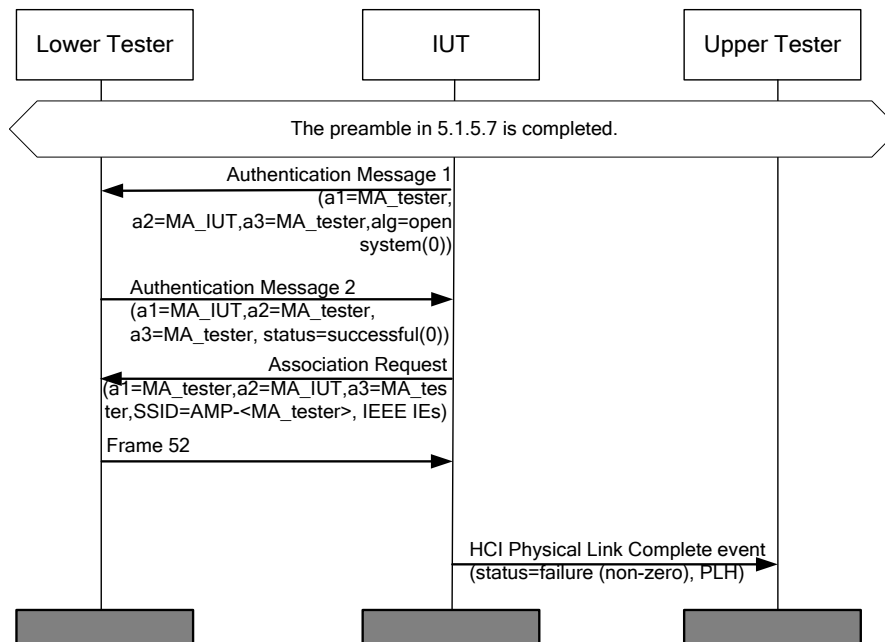
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.7 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



IUT attempts to associate. LT responds with Frame 52 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

Repeat test with Status code 1,12 and 256.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT sends an HCI Physical Link Complete event with failure status (i.e. a non-zero HCI error code).

## 6.6.2 80211MP/ARSP/BI-02-C Unrecognized payload of Association Response frames

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT is able to correctly process association responses containing unrecognized information elements.

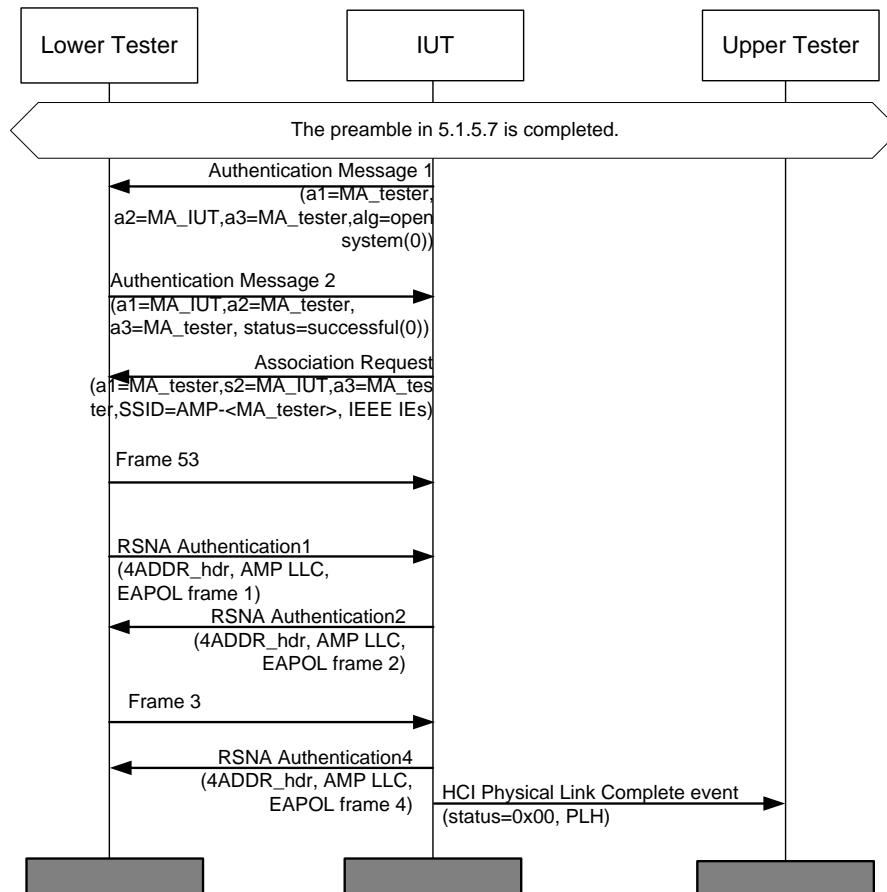
- Reference

[\[6\]](#) Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.7](#) has been completed.

- Test Procedure



IUT attempts to associate. LT responds with Frame 53 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

An HCI Physical Link Complete event with status of 0x00 shall be sent to the UT from the IUT.

### 6.6.3 80211MP/ARSP/BI-03-C Duplicate valid info elements in Assoc Response

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT is able to correctly process association responses with duplicate valid information elements.

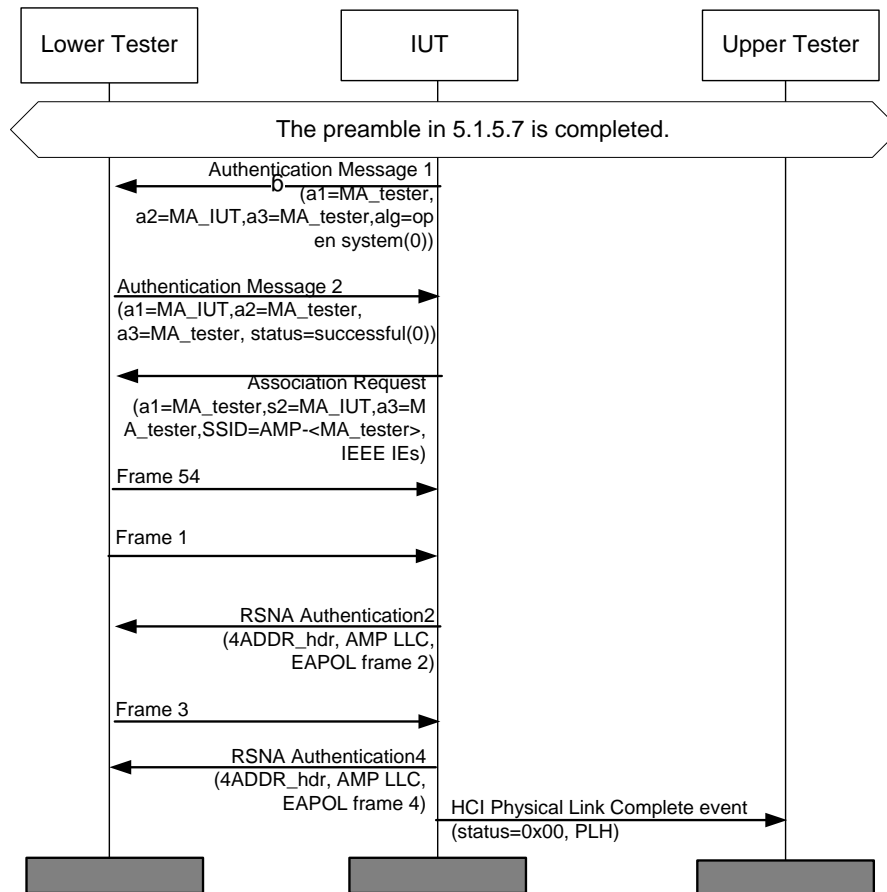
- Reference

[\[6\]](#) Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.7](#) has been completed.

- Test Procedure



IUT attempts to associate. LT responds with Frame 54 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

An HCI Physical Link Complete event with status of 0x00 shall be sent to the UT from the IUT.

## 6.6.4 80211MP/ARSP/BI-04-C Missing supported rates IE in Association Response

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT is able to correctly process association responses with a missing supported rates information element.

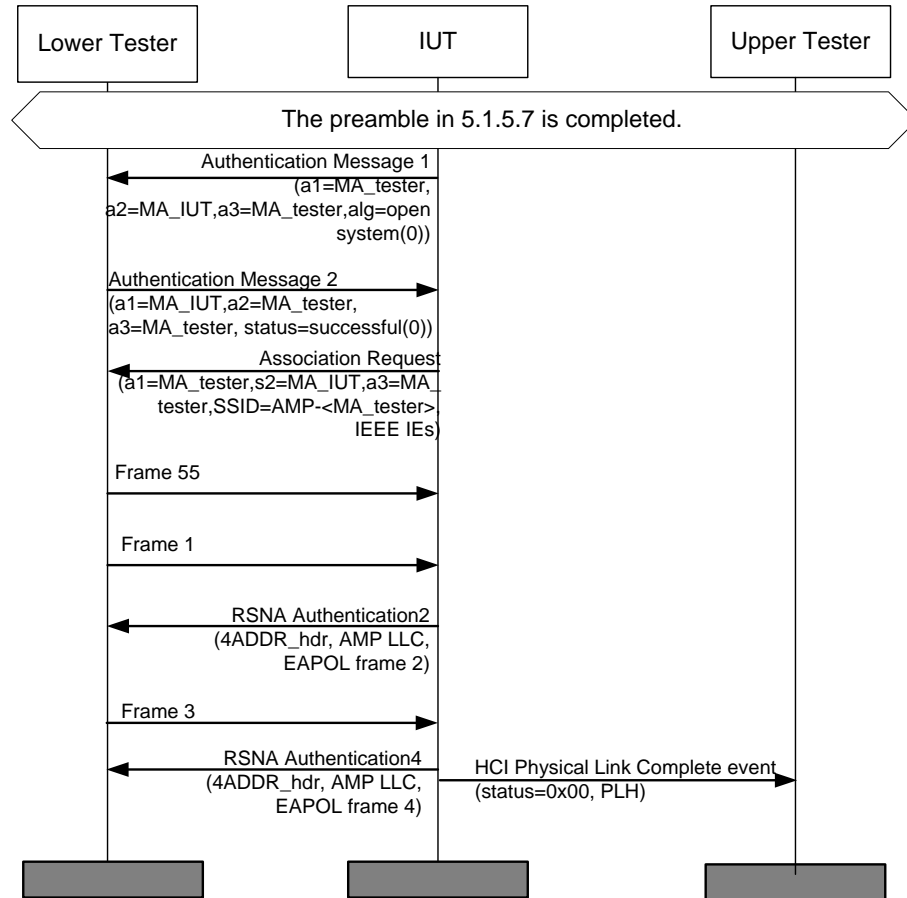
- Reference

[\[6\]](#) Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.7](#) has been completed.

- Test Procedure



IUT attempts to associate. LT responds with Frame 55 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

An HCI Physical Link Complete event with status of 0x00 shall be sent to the UT from the IUT.

### 6.6.5 80211MP/ARSP/BI-05-C Association response with more than eight rates in the supported rates IE

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT is able to handle association responses with more than eight rates in the supported rates information element.

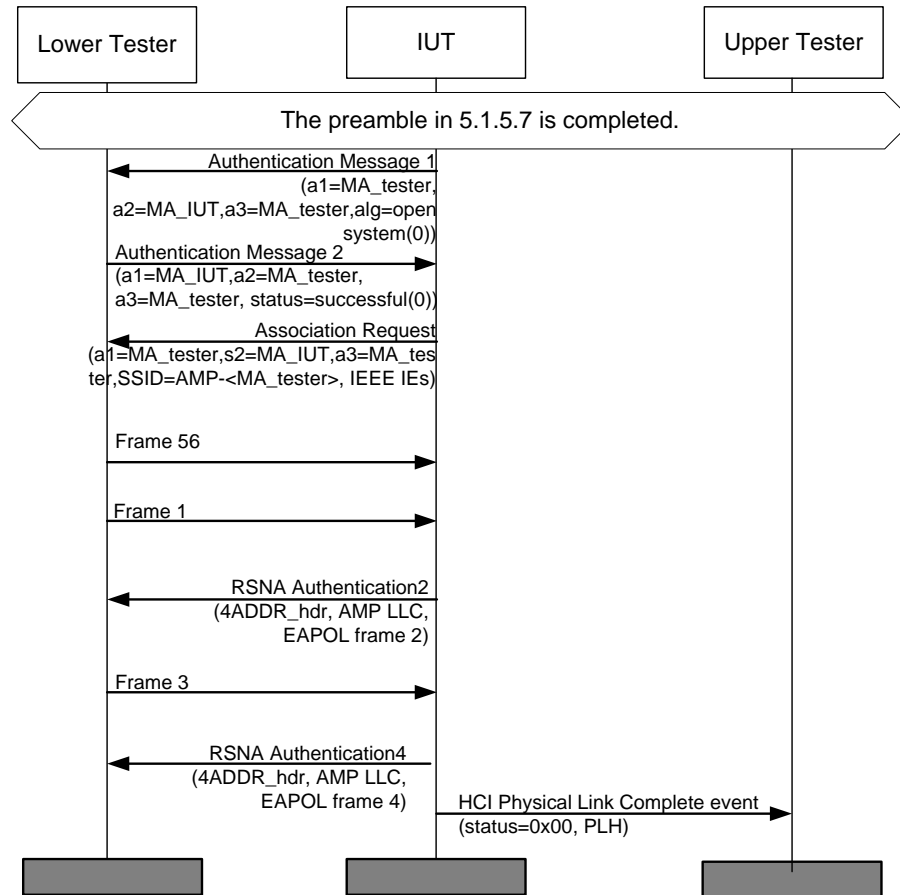
- Reference

[\[6\]](#) Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.7](#) has been completed.

- Test Procedure



IUT attempts to associate. LT responds with Frame 56 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

An HCI Physical Link Complete event with status of 0x00 shall be sent to the UT from the IUT.

## 6.7 Association Request Processing (AREQ)

### 6.7.1 80211MP/AREQ/BV-01-C Association request processing

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly handles received association request frames and generates association responses properly.

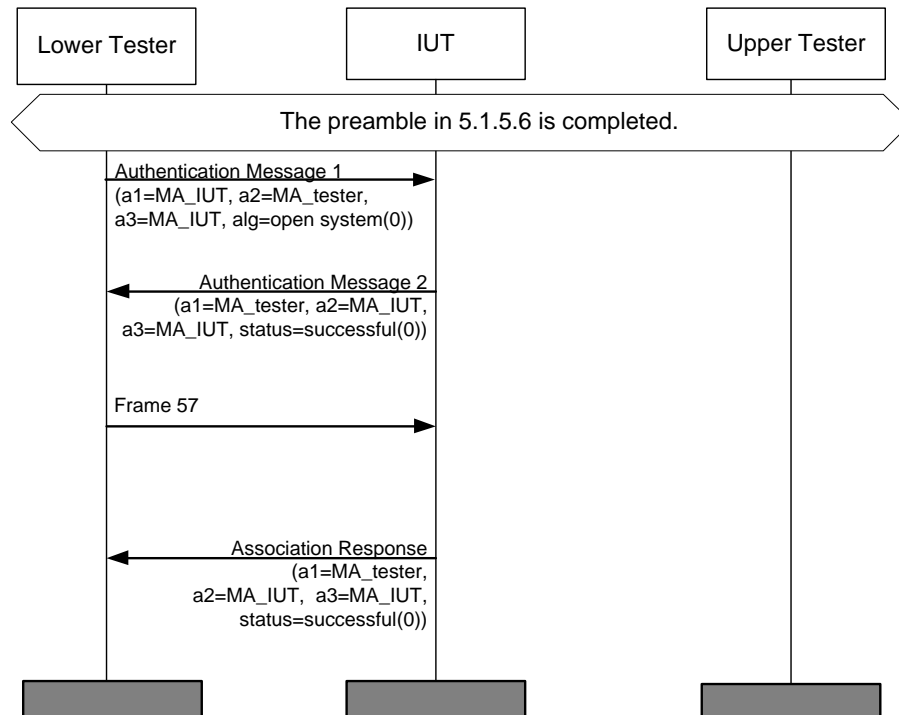
- Reference

[\[7\]](#) Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.6](#) has been completed.

- Test Procedure



IUT attempts to associate. LT responds with Frame 57 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

Repeat test with listen interval 2, 3, 4, and 5.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT sends association response with status code of 0 (success).

## 6.7.2 80211MP/AREQ/BV-02-C Generate association responses

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly handles received association request frames and generates association responses properly.

- Reference

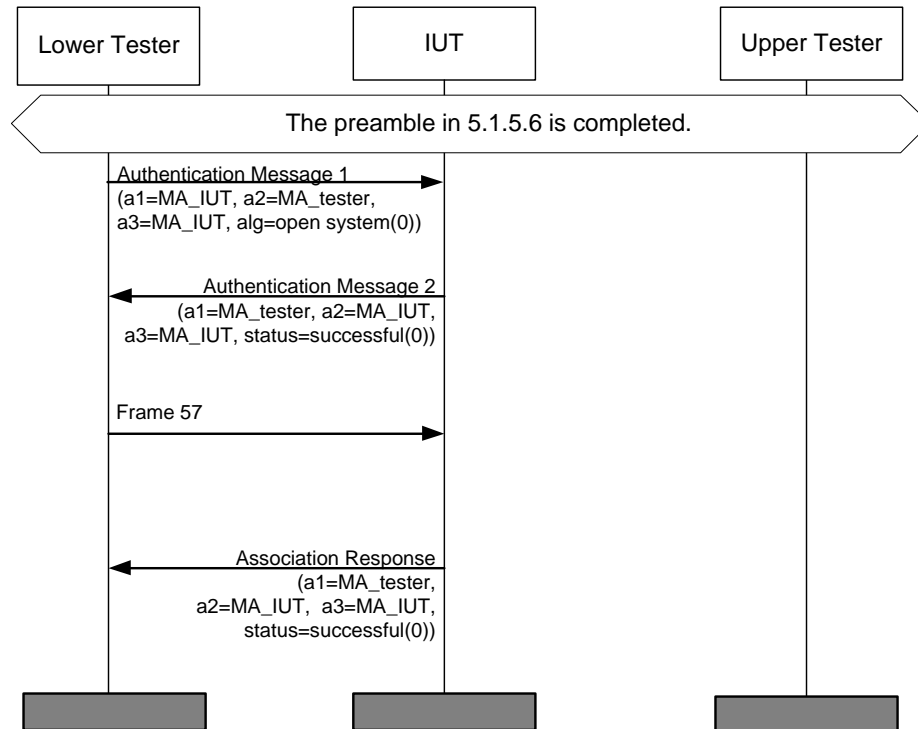
[\[7\]](#), Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.6](#) has been completed.



- Test Procedure



LT attempts to associate by sending Frame 58 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT sends association response with status code of 0 (success).

### 6.7.3 80211MP/AREQ/BV-03-C Assoc request with more than eight rates in supported rates IE

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly handles received association request frames and generates association responses properly.

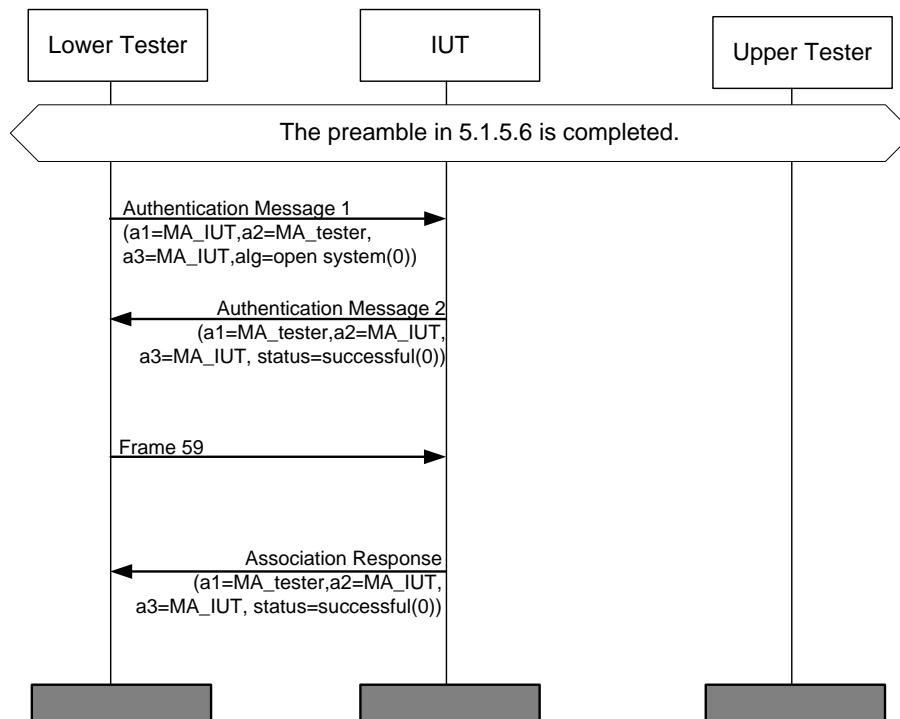
- Reference

[\[7\]](#), Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.6](#) has been completed.

- Test Procedure



LT attempts to associate by sending Frame 59 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT sends association response with status code of 0 (success).

#### 6.7.4 80211MP/AREQ/BI-01-C Assoc request with no rates in supported rates IE

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly handles received association request frames with no rates encoded in supported rates information element and generates association responses properly.

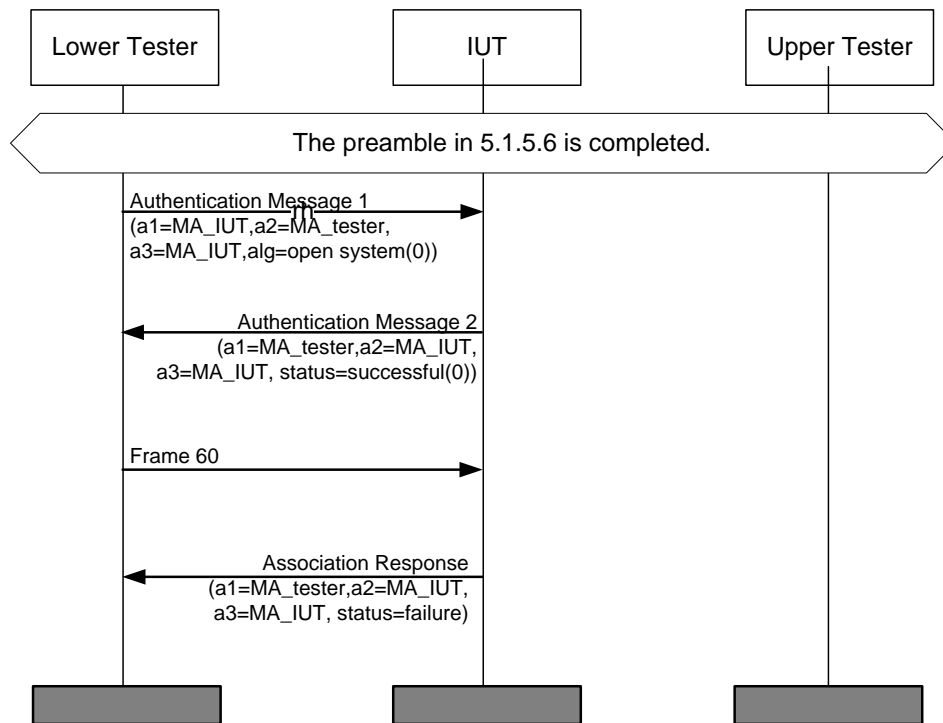
- Reference

[\[7\]](#), Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.6](#) has been completed.

- Test Procedure



LT attempts to associate by sending Frame 60 defined in [Table 5.2](#).

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT sends association response with status code indicating failure.

### 6.7.5 80211MP/AREQ/BI-02-C Assoc request with invalid FCS

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT ignores erroneous association requests.

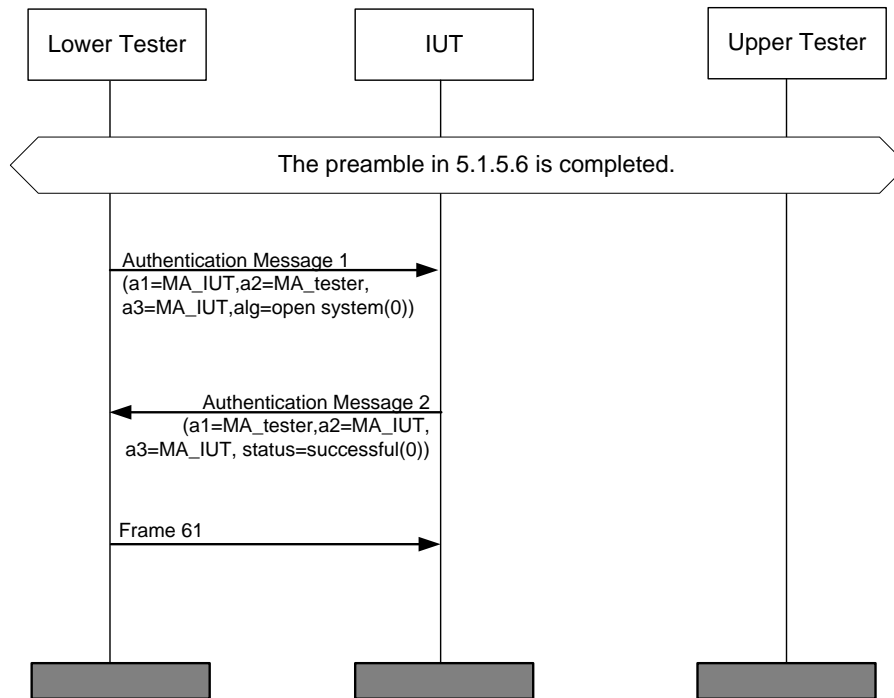
- Reference

[\[7\]](#) Test 1.1.5

- Initial Condition

The preamble in [5.1.4.6](#) has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT does not ACK frame and does not send association response.

## 6.8 Duplicate Frame processing (DUP)

### 6.8.1 80211MP/DUP/BV-01-C Filtering of retried frames

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly detects and filters duplicate frames.

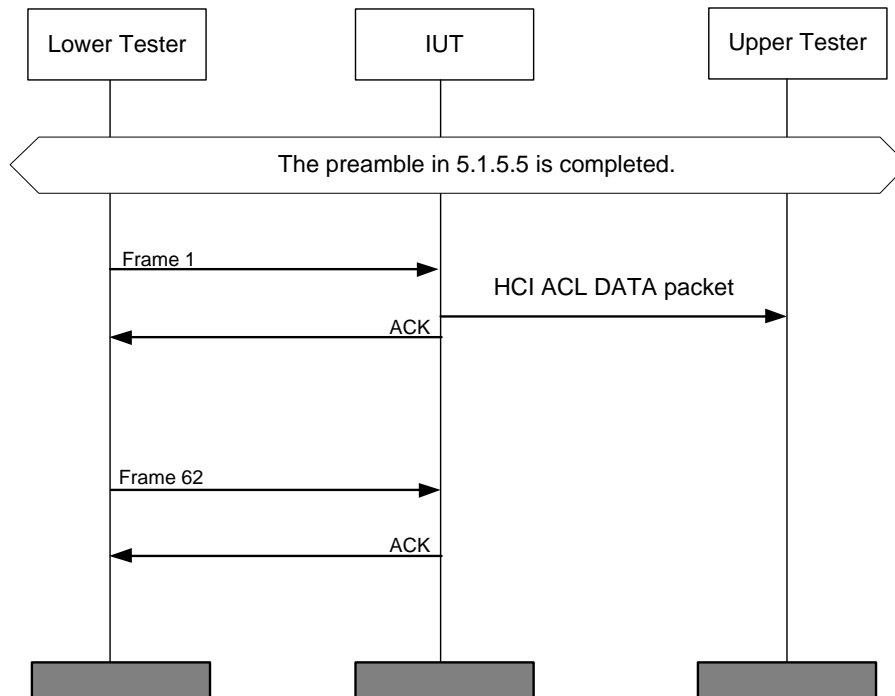
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.11

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



LT sends Frame 1 followed by Frame 62.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT ACKs Frame 1.

IUT indicates received Frame 1 to UT.

IUT ACKs Frame 62.

IUT does not indicate received Frame 62 to UT.

## 6.8.2 80211MP/DUP/BV-02-C Process fragments from two sets

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly detects and filters incomplete frame fragments.

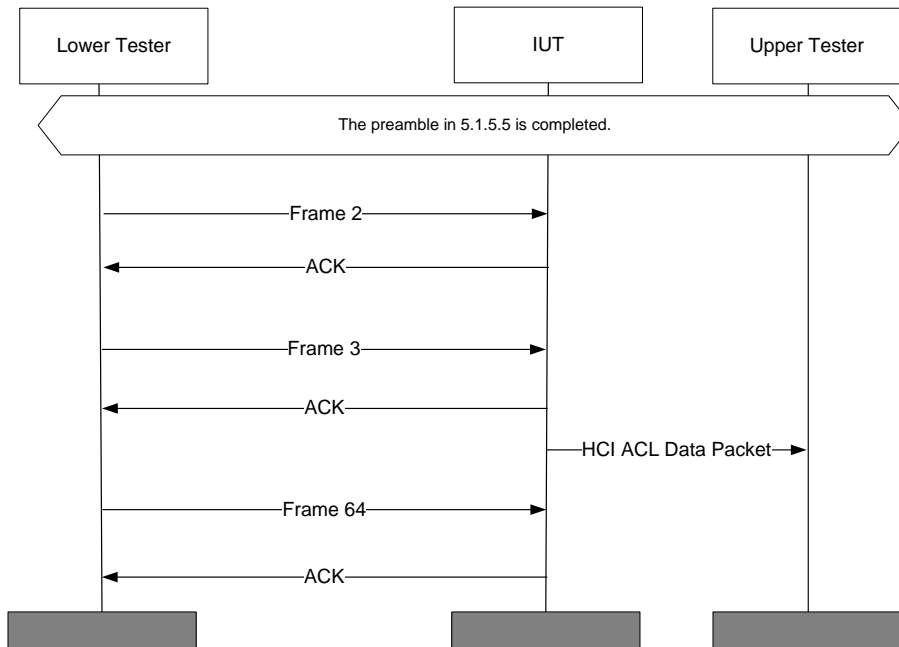
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.11

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



LT sends Frame 2 followed by Frame 3 followed by Frame 64.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

IUT ACKs Frame 2.

IUT does not indicate received Frame 2 to UT.

IUT ACKs Frame 3.

IUT indicates received defragmented Frame 63 to UT.

IUT ACKs Frame 64.

IUT does not indicate received Frame 64 (or any MSDU) to UT.

### 6.8.3 80211MP/DUP/BV-03-C Wrap of sequence number field

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT correctly receives subsequent frames with retry bit set.

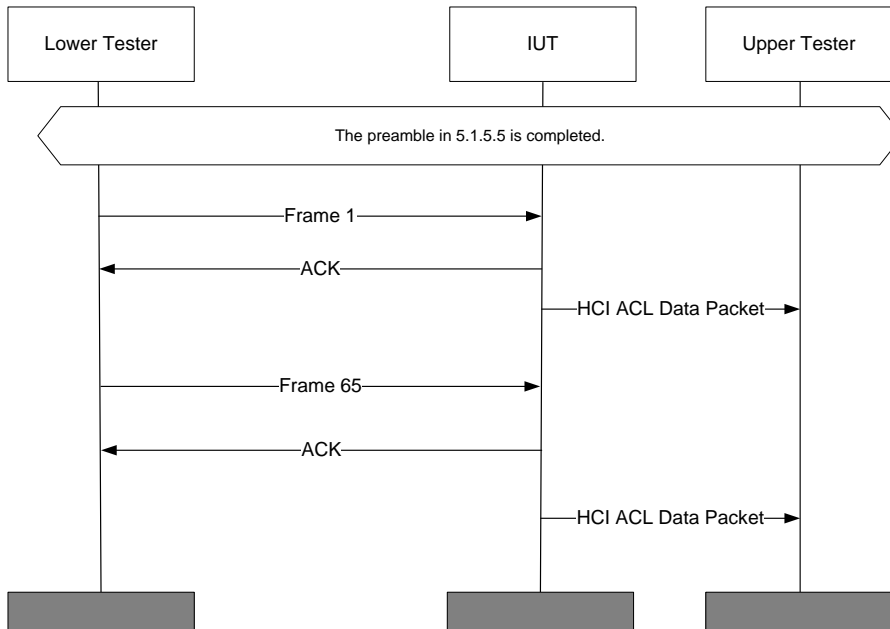
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.11

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



LT sends Frame 1 followed by Frame 65.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

1. IUT ACKs Frame 1.
2. IUT indicates received Frame 1 to UT.
3. -UT ACKs Frame 65.
4. IUT indicates received Frame 65 to UT.

#### 6.8.4 80211MP/DUP/BV-04-C Processing of independent, identical frames

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly processes two consecutive frames with same sequence number and no retry bit set.

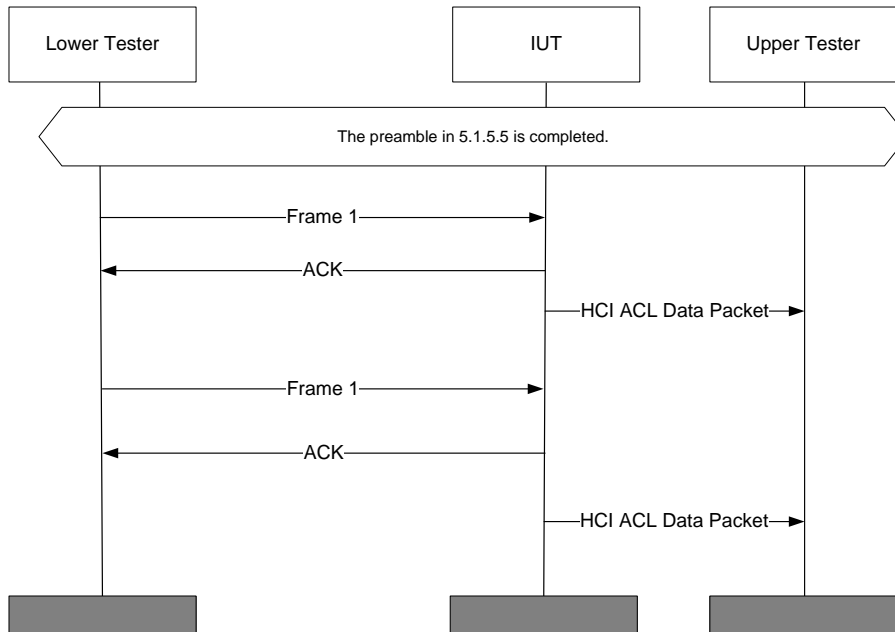
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.11

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



LT sends Frame 1 twice.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

1. IUT ACKs Frame 1.
2. UT indicates received Frame 1 to UT.
3. UT ACKs the second instance of Frame 1.
4. UT indicates received Frame 1 to UT.

### 6.8.5 80211MP/DUP/BV-05-C Process fragments with retry bit set

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly receives retransmissions of missing MPDUs.

- Reference

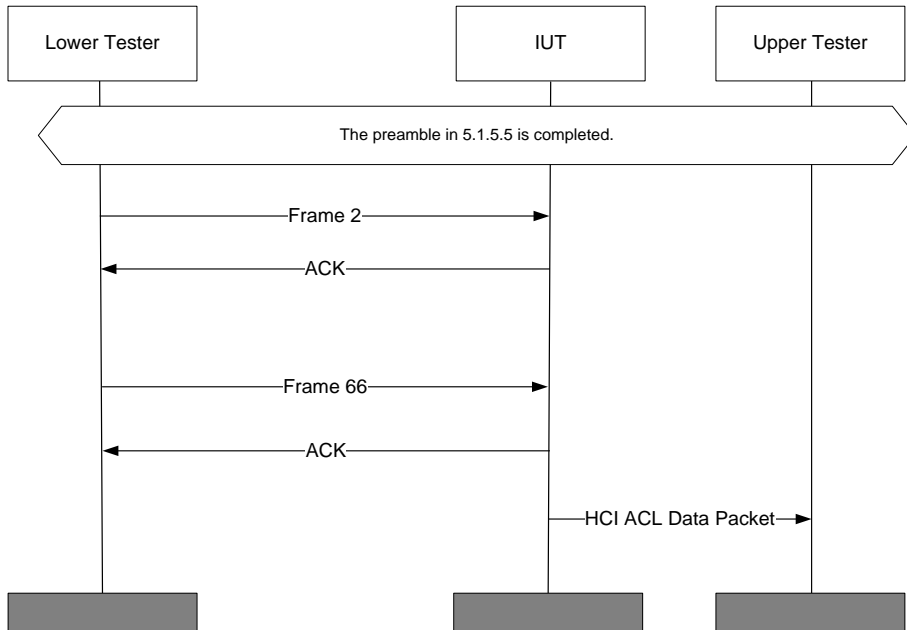
[6] Test 1.1.11

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.



- Test Procedure



LT sends Frame 2 followed by Frame 66.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

1. IUT ACKs Frame 2.
2. IUT does not indicate received Frame 2 to UT.
3. IUT ACKs Frame 66.
4. IUT indicates received defragmented Frame 63 to UT.

### 6.8.6 80211MP/DUP/BV-06-C MSDUs with distinct TA fields

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly handles sequence numbers in distinct traffic streams.

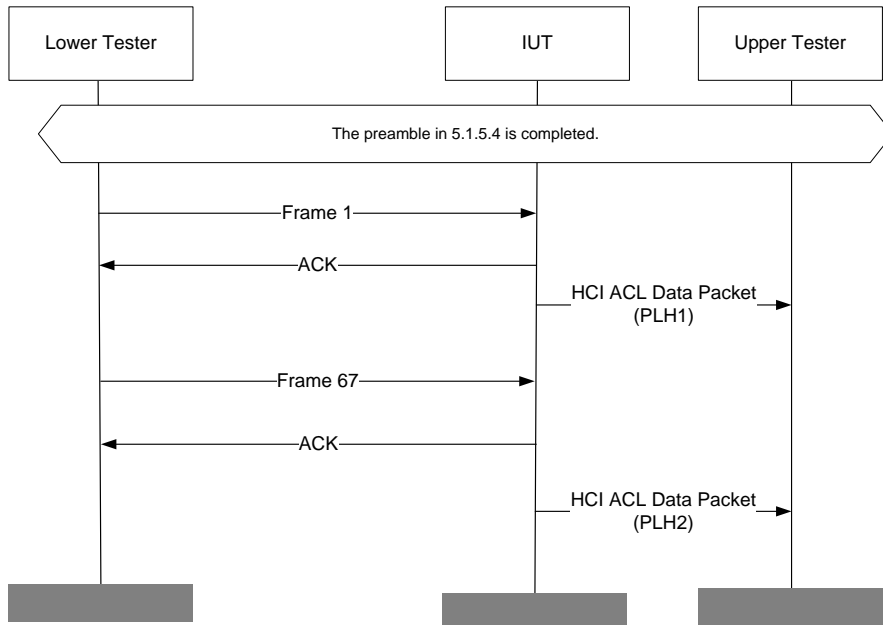
- Reference

[7] Test 1.1.13

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.4 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



LT sends Frame 1 followed by Frame 67.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

1. IUT ACKs Frame 1.
2. IUT indicates received Frame 1 to UT.
3. IUT ACKs Frame 67.
4. IUT indicates received Frame 67 to UT.

### 6.8.7 80211MP/DUP/BV-07-C MSDUs with different TA and sequence number field and retry bit

- Test Purpose

Verify IUT properly handles sequence numbers and retry bit in distinct traffic streams.

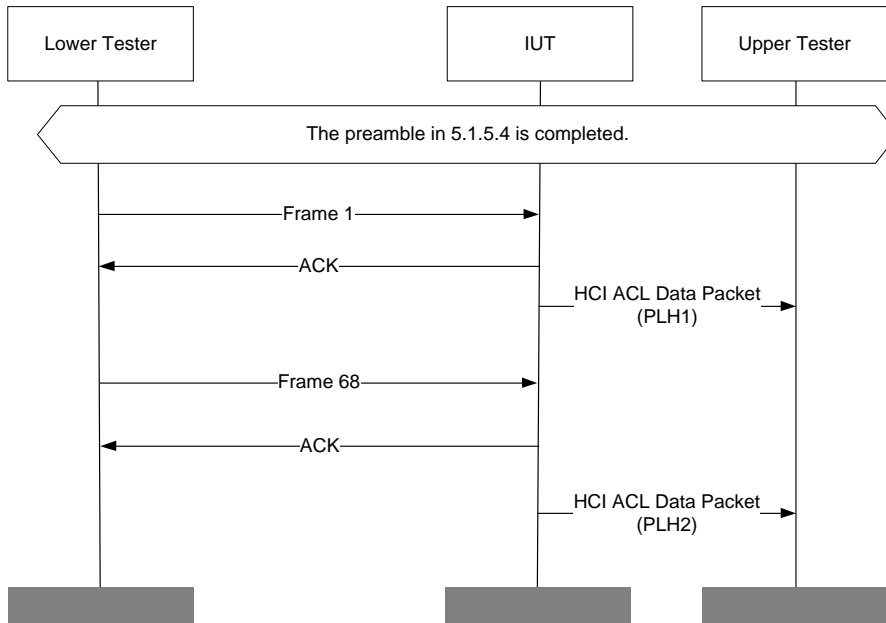
- Reference

[7] Test 1.1.13

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.4 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



LT sends Frame 1 followed by Frame 68.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

1. IUT ACKs Frame 1.
2. UT indicates received Frame 1 to UT.
3. UT ACKs Frame 68.
4. UT indicates received Frame 68 to UT.

## 6.9 CTS to Self (CS)

### 6.9.1 80211MP/CS/BV-01-C CTS-to-self Recognition

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT will delay transmission of data frames based on CTS-to-Self frame reception.

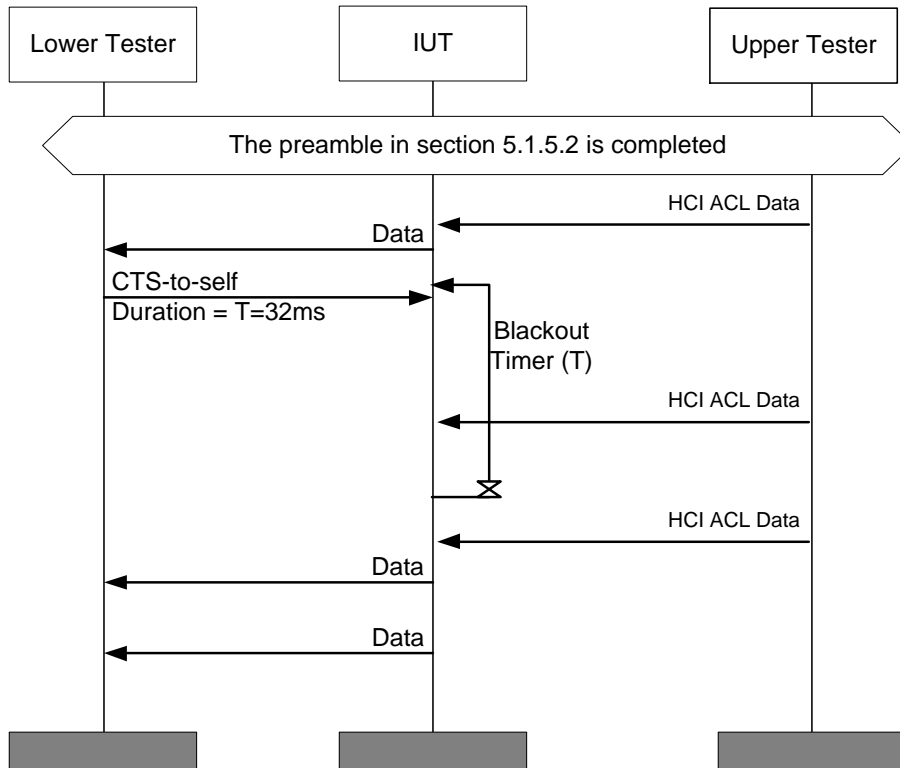
- Reference

[7] Test 1.1.12

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



The AMP HCI ACL Data Packets shall be sent to the IUT at a rate much greater than CTS-to-Self Duration, in order to queue frames during the blackout period.

The 802.11 traffic shall be monitored by a sniffer with a good timing precision. The transmission of the CTS-to-Self packet from the LT will be noted using the sniffer's time base. The transmission of the next 802.11 packet from the IUT will be noted using the sniffer's time base.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

Using an 802.11 packet sniffer check that the IUT does not transmit an 802.11 Data Frame within 32ms duration after the sniffer records the transmission of the CTS-to-self frame by the LT.

## 6.10 Multi-rate support (MRS)

### 6.10.1 80211MP/MRS/BV-01-C Multi-rate support

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT correctly receives all PHY-mandatory and supported rates.

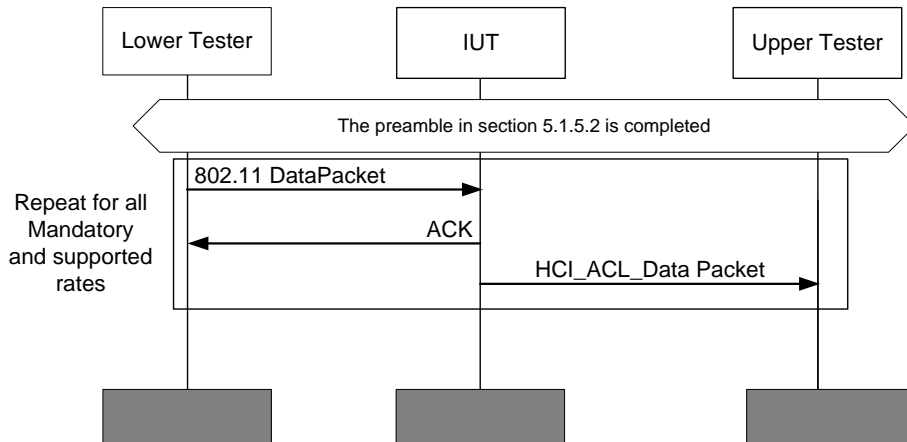
- Reference

[6] Test 1.2.4

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



1. Mandatory rates are 1, 2, 5.5, 11, 6, 12, and 24 Mbps.
2. Supported rates for the implementation are given in the PAL ICS.
3. The 802.11 traffic shall be monitored by a sniffer.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

1. IUT should ACK all packets received at mandatory and supported rates.
2. IUT should indicate to HCI the ACL Data frame to the upper tester that a packet was received.

## 6.11 General Data Frame Processing (GFP)

Verify that the IUT responds as expected in the following test cases.

### 6.11.1 80211MP/GFP/BI-01-C: IUT receives an 802.11 data frame with invalid Protocol Version

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives an 802.11 MSDU with a Frame Control field Protocol Version greater than 0 and does not transmit an ACK in response.

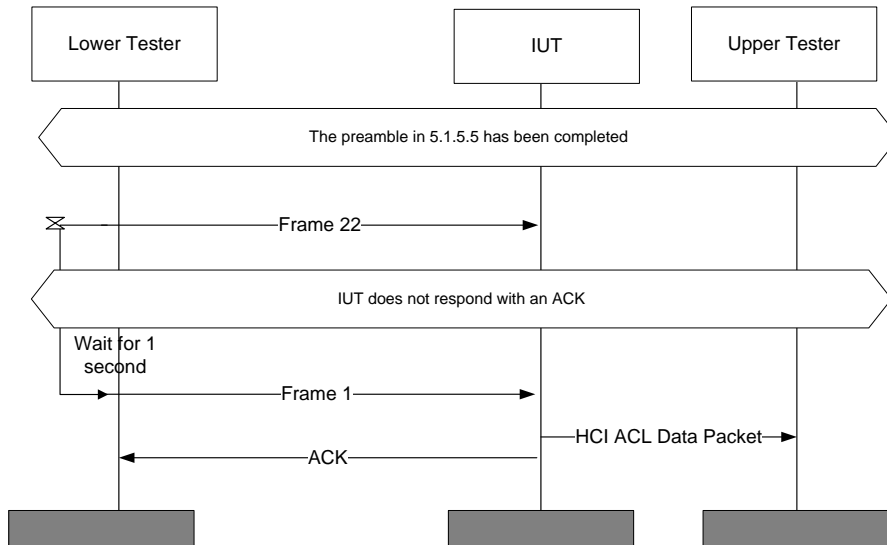
- References

[6], Test 1.1.1 Part a

- Initial Condition

The preamble in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

In response to Frame 22, the IUT shall not respond with an ACK. There shall be no corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.2 80211MP/GFP/BI-02-C: IUT receives an 802.11 control frame of reserved subtype, one with and one without an address-3 field

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives an 802.11 control frame with a subtype field in the Frame Control field set to a reserved value and does not generate an ACK in response.

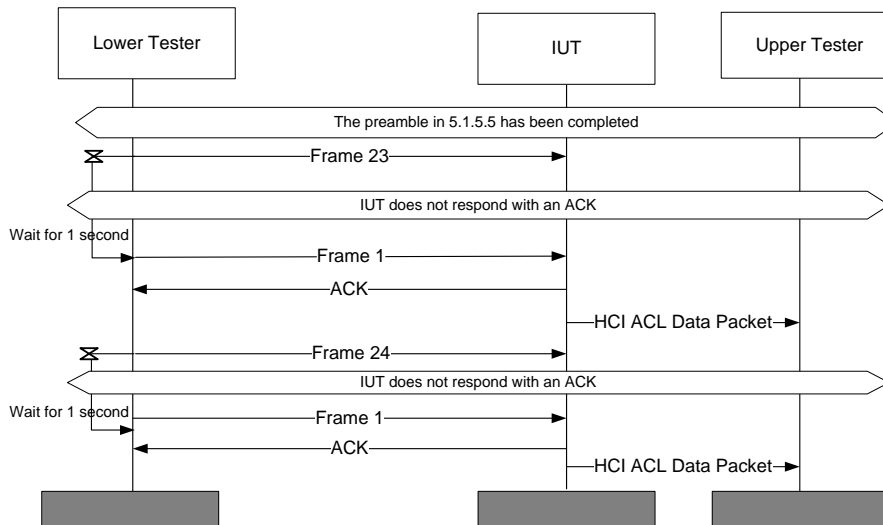
- Reference

[6], Test 1.1.1 Part a

- Initial Condition:

The preamble in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

In response to Frame 23, the IUT shall not respond with an ACK. There shall be no corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends the first Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

In response to Frame 24, the IUT shall not respond with an ACK. There shall be no corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends the second Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.3 80211MP/GFP/BI-03-C: IUT receives an 802.11 Beacon with no supported rates in Supported Rates/Extended Supported Rates IE (invalid beacon frame)

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives an invalid 802.11 beacon while already connected, and is subsequently able to successfully receive data.

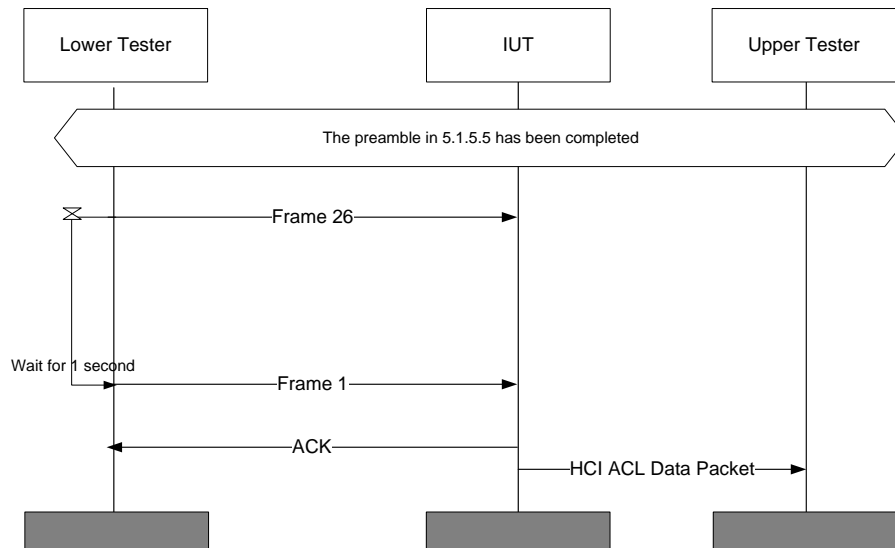
- Reference

[6], Test 1.1.1 Part a

- Initial Conditions:

The preamble in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

There shall be no HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT corresponding to Frame 26.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

#### 6.11.4 80211MP/GFP/BI-05-C: IUT receives 802.11 Management and Data frames from the LT where Subtype field is set to a reserved value.

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives the reserved frame from the LT and responds back with an acknowledgement.

- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.1 Part b

- Initial Condition:

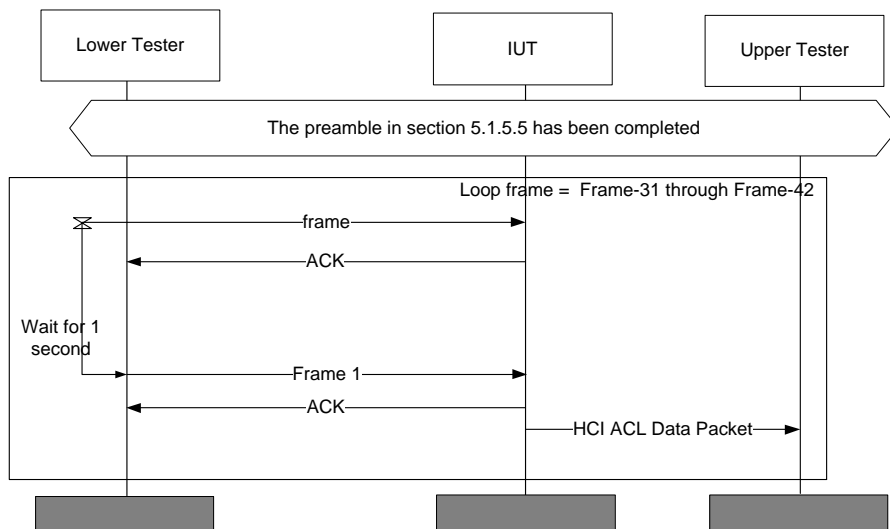
The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure

For each frame, Frame 31 through Frame 34 and Frame 37 through Frame 41,

1. Send the frame from the LT.
2. Observe the medium.
3. The LT waits for a second.
4. The LT sends Frame 1 to IUT.
5. Observe the medium.





- Expected Outcome

#### Pass verdict

In response to each of the stimulus frames (Frame 31 through Frame 34 and Frame 37 through Frame 41), the IUT shall respond with an ACK. There shall not be a corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.5 80211MP/GFP/BI-06-C: IUT receives reserved 802.11 frames from the LT

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives reserved 802.11 frames from the LT and continues to function without system failure. The IUT may or may not respond with an acknowledgement.

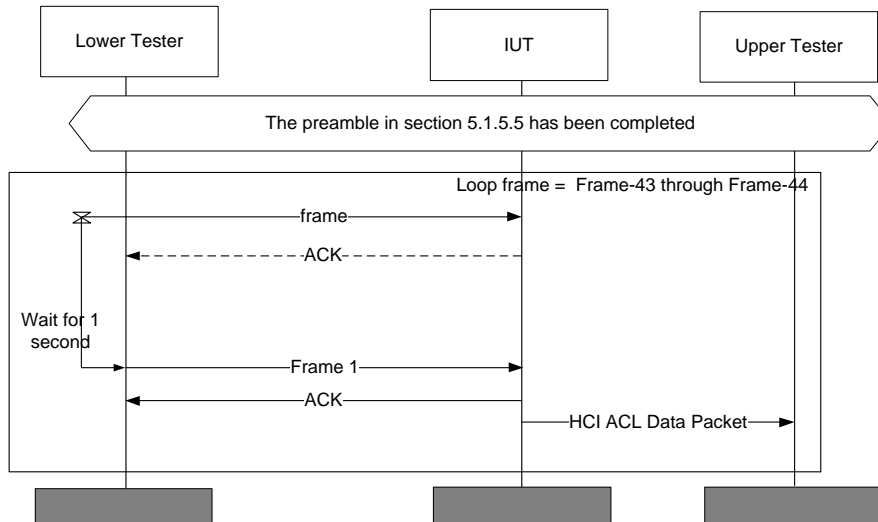
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.1 Part C

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

In response to each of the stimulus frames (Frame 43 and Frame 44), the IUT may respond with an ACK. There shall not be corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.6 80211MP/GFP/BI-07-C: IUT receives a Probe Request from the LT, where the Probe Request includes an SSID element with a length that is greater than 32-bytes

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT can receive a malformed Probe Request from the LT and continue to function without system failure.

- Reference

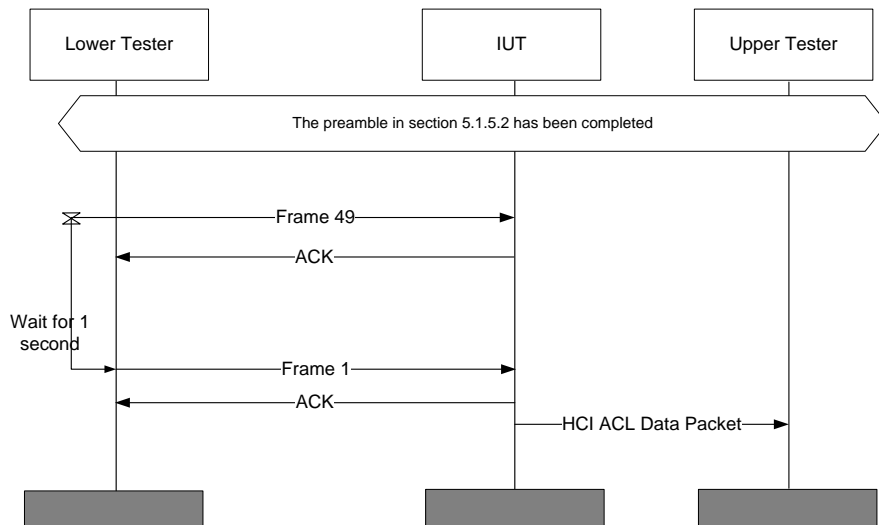
[7] Test 1.1.1 Part b

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure

1. Send Frame 49 from the LT.
2. Observe the medium.
3. The LT waits for a second then LT sends Frame 1 to IUT.
4. Observe the medium.



- Expected Outcome

#### Pass verdict

In response to Frame 49, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. There shall be no corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.7 80211MP/GFP/BV-01-C: IUT receives an 802.11 Beacon with bits 5 through 15 set to 1 in the Capability Information field

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives an 802.11 beacon and does not respond with an ACK.

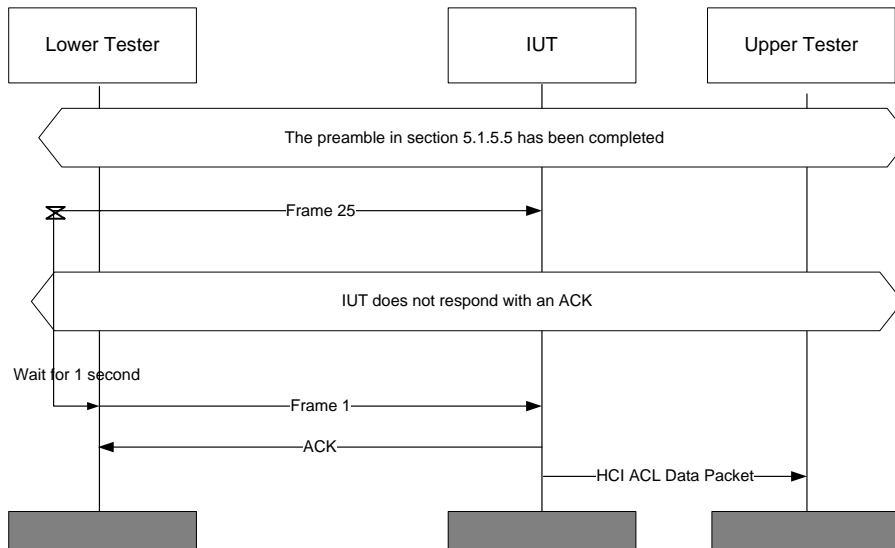
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.1 Part a

- Initial Conditions:

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

In response to Frame 25, the IUT shall not respond with an ACK. There shall be no corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.8 80211MP/GFP/BV-02-C: IUT receives an 802.11 data frame where the Subtype in Frame Control set to 0x08 and the frame has a zero byte payload

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives an 802.11 QoS data frame and responds with an ACK.

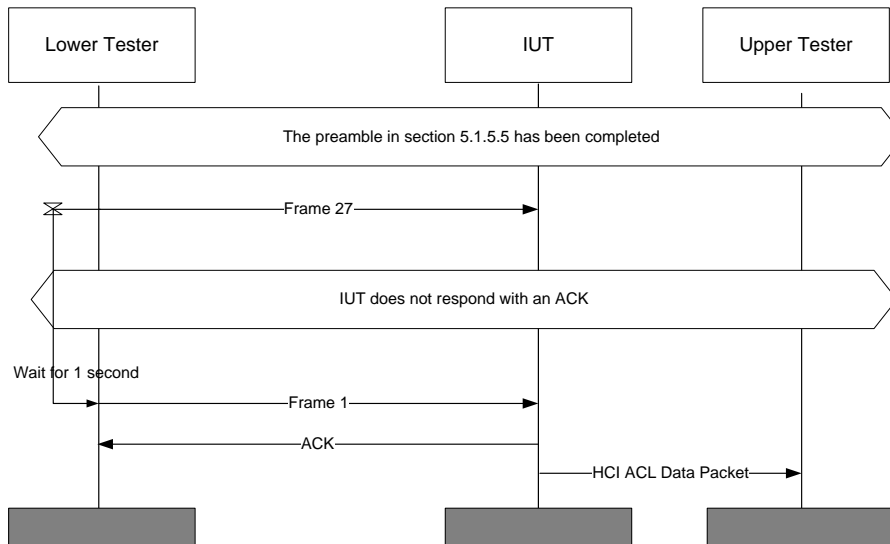
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.1 Part b

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

In response to Frame 27, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. There shall be no corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.9 80211MP/GFP/BV-03-C: IUT receives an 802.11 data frame from LT with the Order bit in the Frame Control field set to 1.

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT acknowledges the data frame it receives from the LT and a corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication is forwarded to the UT.

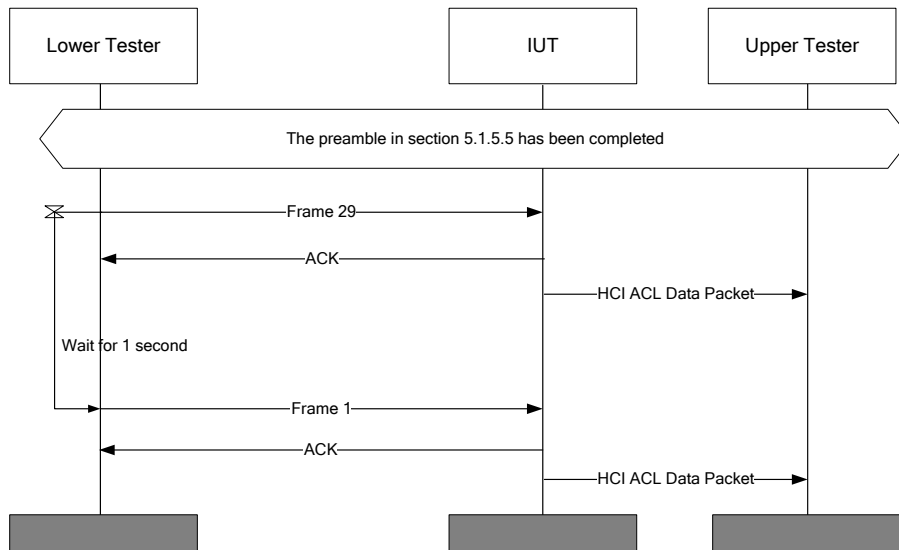
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.1 Part b

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

In response to Frame 29, the IUT shall respond with an ACK, there shall be a corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.10 80211MP/GFP/BV-04-C: IUT receives an 802.11 data frame from the LT with a payload length less than 64 bytes

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives the 802.11 data frame from the LT and responds with an acknowledgement. In addition verify that the UT receives a corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication.

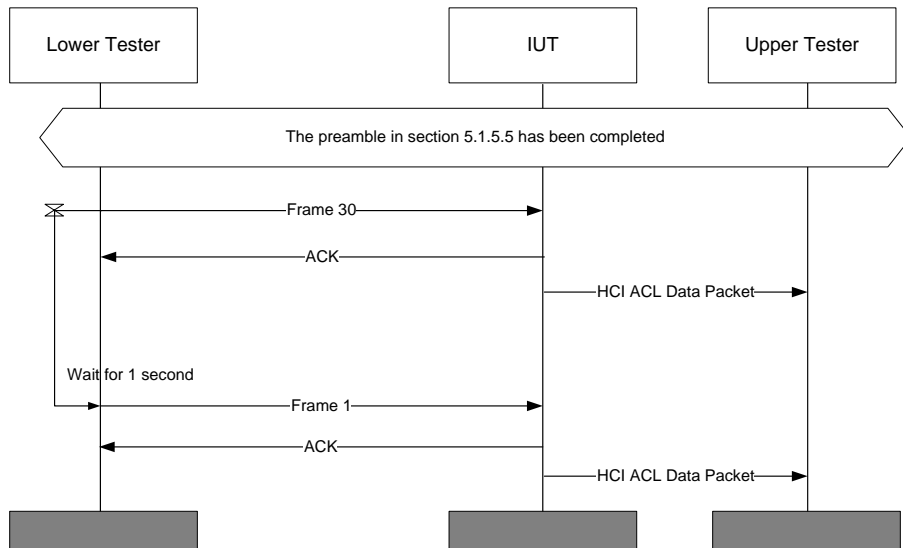
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.1 Part b

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

In response to Frame 30, the IUT shall respond with an ACK, there shall be a corresponding HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

### 6.11.11 80211MP/GFP/BV-05-C: IUT receives an 802.11 data packet from the LT with a payload larger than the fragmentation threshold.

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT can receive fragments of an 802.11 data frame with a payload larger than the fragmentation threshold and acknowledge each received fragment(s).

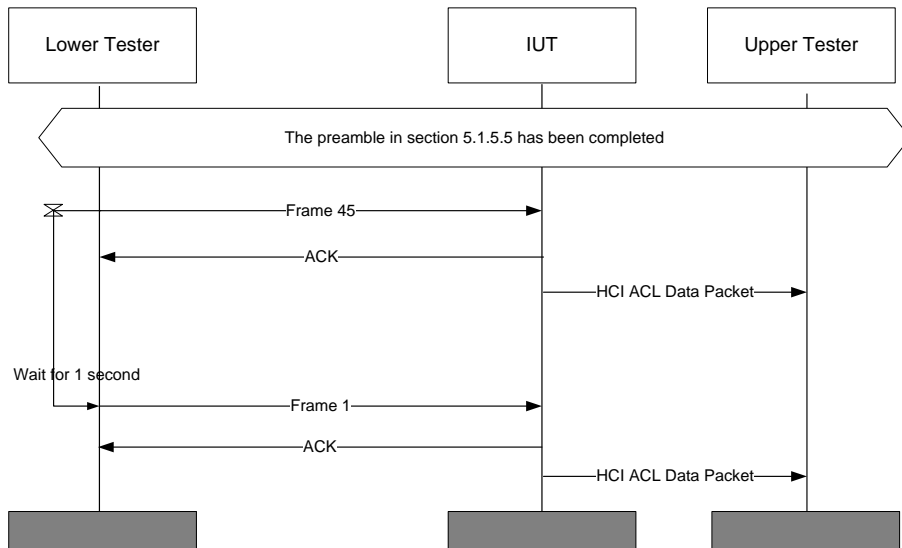
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.1 Part b

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

In response to each fragment of the stimulus Frame 45, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. There shall be one HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT, when all the fragments corresponding to Frame 45 are received by the IUT.

After the one second wait, when the LT sends Frame 1 to the IUT, the IUT shall respond with an ACK. In addition, there shall be an HCI ACL Data Packet indication at the UT.

## 6.12 Deauthentication tests (DEAU)

### 6.12.1 80211MP/DEAU/BV-01-C Acceptor Receives Deauthentication with selected reason codes

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT destroys logical and physical links when a deauthentication frame is received with any reason code.

- References

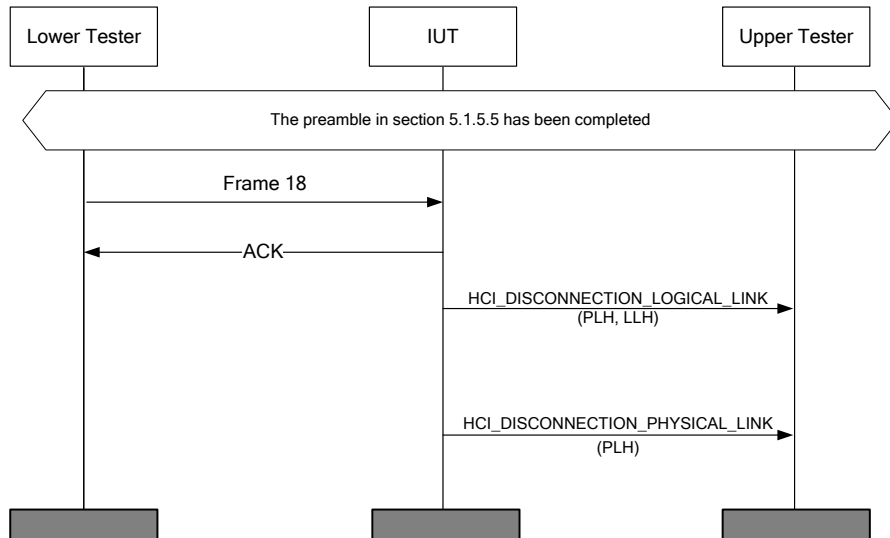
[6] Test 1.1.3 Part a

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.



- Test Procedure



The LT sends an 802.11 deauthentication frame to the IUT.

The above procedure is repeated for each reason code in the set {0, 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 23, 24, 36, 37, 38, 39, 45} inserted into the deauthentication frame.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

For each iteration of the test, verify the following:

On reception of Frame18 the IUT sends an HCI\_DISCONNECTION\_LOGICAL\_LINK event and an HCI\_DISCONNECTION\_PHYSICAL\_LINK event to the UT.

### 6.12.2 80211MP/DEAU/BV-02-C Acceptor Receives Deauthentication sent to broadcast address

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT accepts and tears down the Physical link when it receives a deauthentication frame sent to the broadcast MAC address.

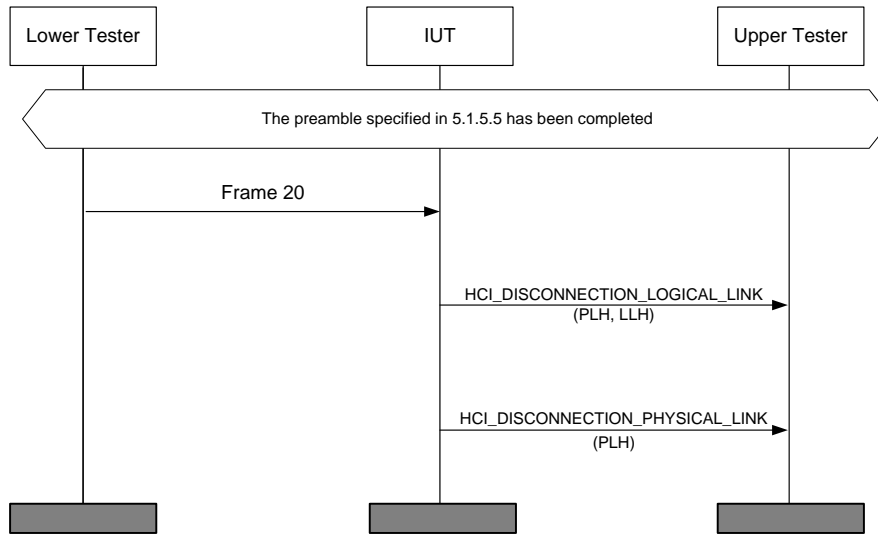
- References

[6] Test 1.1.1 Part b

- Initial Condition

The preamble specified in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

On reception of the deauthentication frame the IUT sends a HCI\_DISCONNECTION\_LOGICAL\_LINK event and a HCI\_DISCONNECTION\_PHYSICAL\_LINK event to the UT

### 6.12.3 80211MP/DEAU/BV-03-C Link Initiator Receives Deauthentication

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT as initiator accepts and tears down the Physical link when it receives a deauthentication frame.

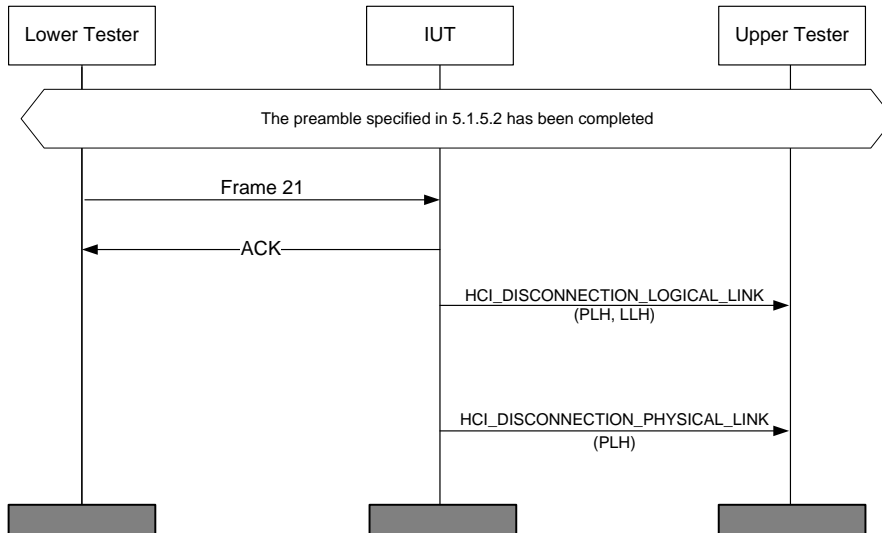
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.3

- Initial Condition

The preamble specified in 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



The LT sends a Frame 21 to the IUT with the Reason code = 1

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

On reception of the deauthentication frame the IUT sends a HCI\_DISCONNECTION\_LOGICAL\_LINK event and HCI\_DISCONNECTION\_PHYSICAL\_LINK event to the UT.

#### 6.12.4 80211MP/DEAU/BI-01-C Reject Deauthentication with invalid FCS

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT ignores and does not acknowledge an 802.11 deauthentication frame with an invalid FCS.

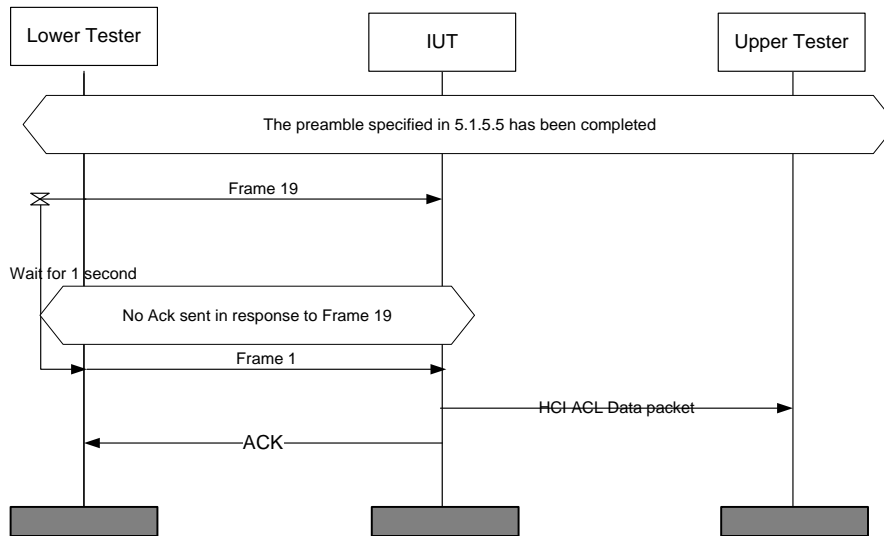
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.3 Part c

- Initial Condition

The preamble specified in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

On reception of Frame19 the IUT does not send an 802.11 ACK to the LT within 1 second.

On reception of Frame 1, the IUT sends an 802.11 ACK to the LT and sends an ACL data packet to the UT.

### 6.12.5 80211MP/DEAU/BI-02-C Acceptor Receives Deauthentication with reserved reason

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT destroys logical and physical links when a deauthentication frame is received with an invalid reason.

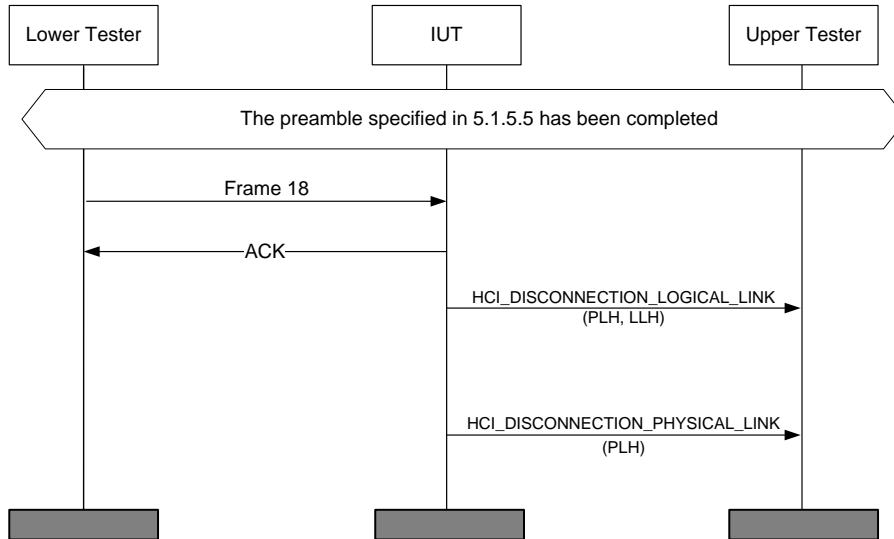
- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.3 Part a

- Initial Condition

The preamble specified in 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure



The LT sends Frame18 to the IUT with a reason code of 0.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

After reception of Frame 18 the IUT sends a HCI\_DISCONNECTION\_LOGICAL\_LINK event and HCI\_DISCONNECTION\_PHYSICAL\_LINK event to the UT.

## 6.13 Disassociation Processing (DAP)

### 6.13.1 80211MP/DAP/BV-01-C IUT receives a valid disassociation frame

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives a disassociation from the LT and stops transmitting data frames to the LT.

- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.6 Part A

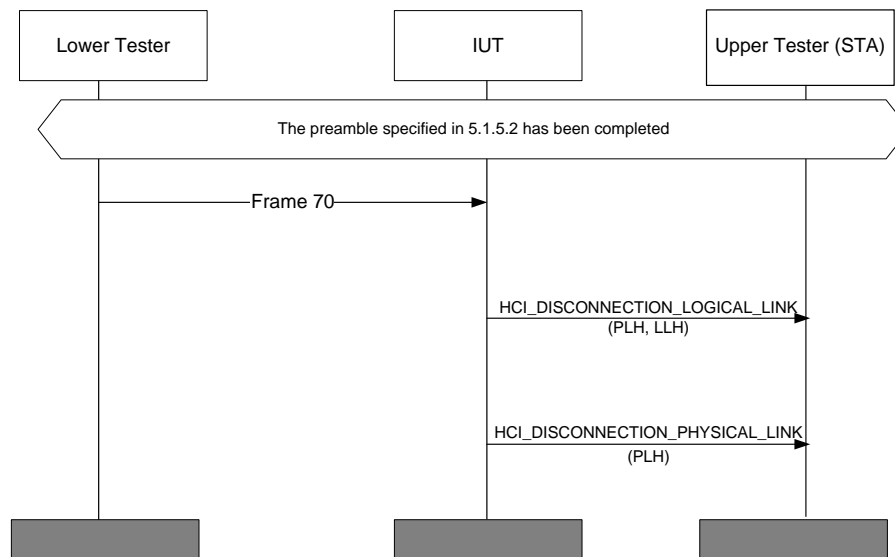
- Initial Condition

The preamble specified in 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure

The LT shall send a set of disassociation frames to the IUT, with one of the set of reason codes listed below.

Observe the medium.



The above procedure is repeated for each reason code in the set {4, 8, 10, 11, 34, 255}.

- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT shall not indicate any ACL data frames to the UT, irrespective of the reason code received in the disassociation frame from the LT, after the disassociation frame is received.

The IUT generates a Disconnection Logical Link Complete event for each logical link and a Disconnection Physical Link Complete event.

### 6.13.2 80211MP/DAP/BI-01-C IUT receives a Disassociation frame with incorrect FCS

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT receives a disassociation frame from the LT with an invalid FCS and ignores it.

- Reference

[6] Test 1.1.6 Part a

- Initial Condition

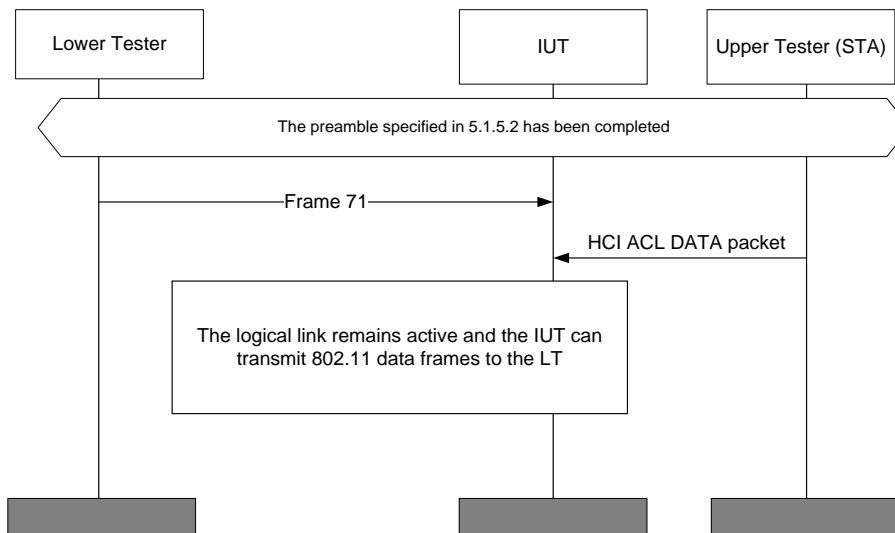
The preamble specified in 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure

The LT sends a disassociation frame with an invalid FCS to the IUT.

UT sends an ACL data frame after invalid disassociation frame is sent and IUT is able to send it to the LT.

Observe the medium.



- Expected Outcome

#### Pass verdict

The IUT shall ignore the received disassociation frame with invalid FCS.

The IUT is able to send ACL data frames after the invalid disassociation frame is received.

The IUT shall not generate a disconnection event to the UT.

## 6.14 Recovery Procedure and Retransmit Limits (RT)

### 6.14.1 80211MP/RT/BV-01-C: IUT Retransmit RTS frame dot11ShortRetryLimit times

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT retransmits an RTS frame at least once when the LT does not respond with a corresponding CTS frame.

- Reference

[6] Test 1.2.1

- Initial Condition

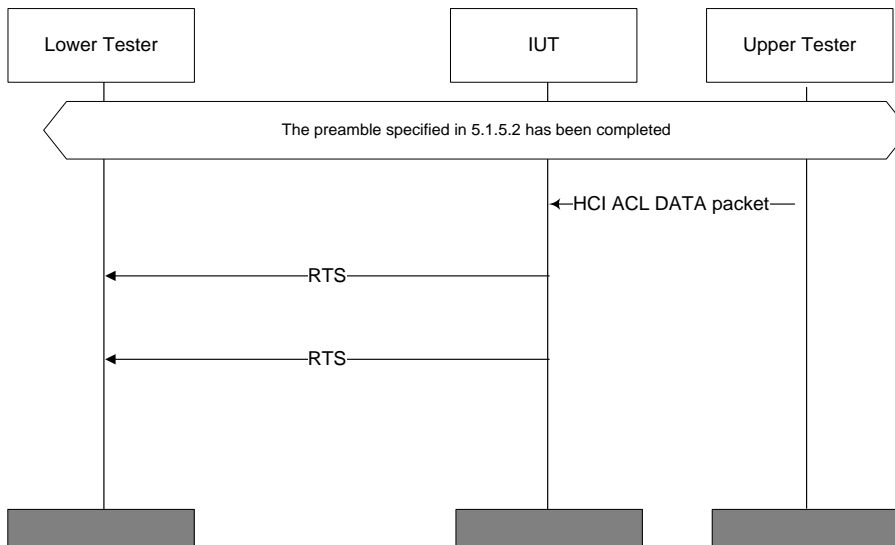
The preamble specified in 5.1.4.2 has been completed.

- Test Procedure

The UT sends Frame 1.

The LT does not respond to the RTS frame(s) it receives from the IUT.

Observe the medium.



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT shall retransmit the RTS frame at least once.

The IUT shall not transmit Frame 1 because no CTS is received.

#### 6.14.2 80211MP/RT/BV-02-C Retransmit unacknowledged long data frame

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT retransmits an unacknowledged 802.11 data frame at least once.

- Reference

[6] Test 1.2.1 Part b

- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

- Test Procedure

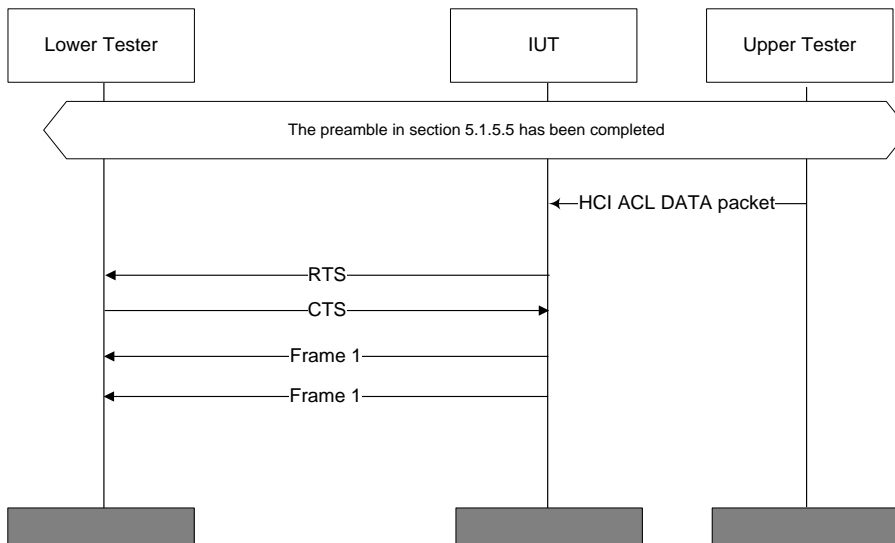
The UT sends ACL\_HCI DATA Packet to the IUT.

When the IUT sends an 802.11 RTS to the LT, the LT responds with an 802.11 CTS frame.

When the IUT sends Frame 1 to the LT, the LT does not respond with an 802.11 ACK frame.

Observe the medium.





- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT shall perform an 802.11 RTS/CTS handshake with the LT.

The IUT shall retransmit Frame 1 at least once.

### 6.14.3 80211MP/RT/BV-03-C: IUT retransmits unacknowledged short data frame

- Test Purpose

Verify that the IUT retransmits an unacknowledged short 802.11 data frame at least once.

- Reference

[6] Test 1.2.1 Part c

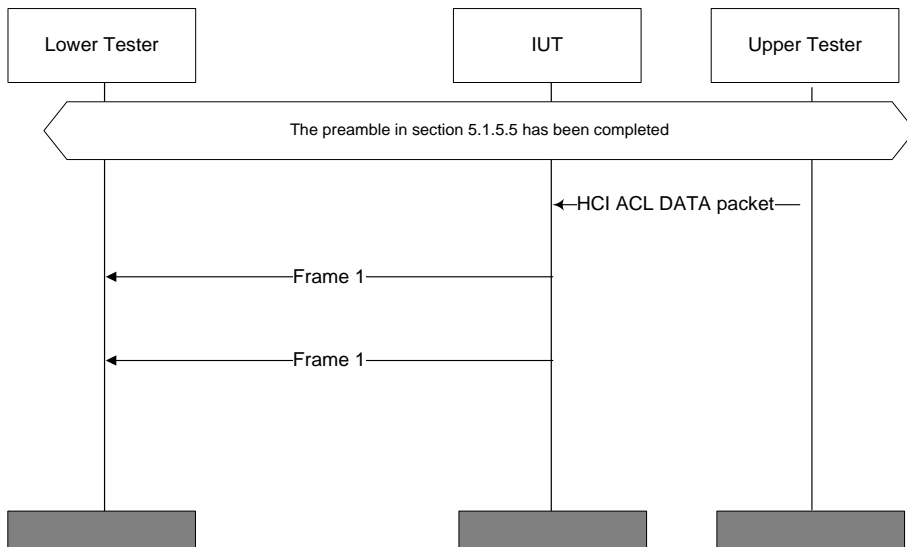
- Initial Condition

The preamble in Section 5.1.4.5 has been completed.

The LT shall send an Activity Report indicating no interference in order that the IUT may turn off RTS signaling.

- Test Procedure

1. UT sends Frame 1 to IUT.
2. The LT does not respond with an 802.11 ACK to Frame 1 it received from the IUT.
3. Observe the medium.



- Expected Outcome

Pass verdict

The IUT shall retransmit Frame 1 at least once.

## 7 Test Case Mapping

The Test Case Mapping Table (TCMT) maps test cases to specific capabilities in the ICS. Profiles, protocols and services may define multiple roles, and it is possible that a product may implement more than one role. The product shall be tested in all roles for which support is declared in the ICS document.

The columns for the TCMT are defined as follows:

**Item:** contains an y/x reference, where y corresponds to the table number and x corresponds to the feature number as defined in the ICS Proforma for the 802.11 MAC/PHY (80211MP) [9]. If the item is defined with Protocol, Profile or Service abbreviation before y/x, the table and feature number referenced are defined in the abbreviated ICS proforma document.

**Feature:** recommended to be the primary feature defined in the ICS being tested or may be the test case name.

**Test Case(s):** the applicable test case identifiers required for Bluetooth Qualification if the corresponding y/x references defined in the Item column are supported.

For purpose and structure of the ICS/IXIT proforma and instructions for completing the ICS/IXIT proforma refer to the Bluetooth ICS and IXIT proforma document.

Item	Feature	Test Case
802.11 MP1/1	Acknowledgement and Duration	80211MP/AD/BV-01-C 80211MP/AD/BV-02-C 80211MP/AD/BI-01-C 80211MP/AD/BV-03-C 80211MP/AD/BI-02-C
802.11 MP 1/2	Null data frame processing	80211MP/ND/BI-01-C 80211MP/ND/BV-01-C
802.11 MP 1/3	RTS/CTS signaling	80211MP/RC/BV-01-C
802.11 MP 1/4	Defragmentation Tests	80211MP/DF/BV-01-C
802.11 MP 1/5	Authentication Frame Processing	80211MP/AFP/BI-01-C 80211MP/AFP/BI-02-C 80211MP/AFP/BI-03-C
802.11 MP 1/6	Association Response testing	80211MP/ARSP/BI-01-C 80211MP/ARSP/BI-02-C 80211MP/ARSP/BI-03-C 80211MP/ARSP/BI-04-C 80211MP/ARSP/BI-05-C

Item	Feature	Test Case
802.11 MP 1/7	Association Request Processing (AREQ)	80211MP/AREQ/BV-01-C 80211MP/AREQ/BV-02-C 80211MP/AREQ/BV-03-C 80211MP/AREQ/BI-01-C 80211MP/AREQ/BI-02-C
802.11 MP 1/8	Duplicate Frame processing	80211MP/DUP/BV-01-C 80211MP/DUP/BV-02-C 80211MP/DUP/BV-03-C 80211MP/DUP/BV-04-C 80211MP/DUP/BV-05-C 80211MP/DUP/BV-06-C 80211MP/DUP/BV-07-C
802.11 MP 1/9	CTS to Self (CS)	80211MP/CS/BV-01-C
802.11 MP 1/10	Multi-rate support (MRS)	80211MP/MRS/BV-01-C
802.11 MP 1/11	General Data Frame Processing (GFP)	80211MP/GFP/BI-01-C 80211MP/GFP/BI-02-C 80211MP/GFP/BV-01-C 80211MP/GFP/BI-03-C 80211MP/GFP/BV-02-C 80211MP/GFP/BV-03-C 80211MP/GFP/BV-04-C 80211MP/GFP/BI-05-C 80211MP/GFP/BI-06-C 80211MP/GFP/BV-05-C 80211MP/GFP/BI-07-C
802.11 MP 1/12	De-authentication tests (DEAU)	80211MP/DEAU/BV-01-C 80211MP/DEAU/BV-02-C 80211MP/DEAU/BV-03-C 80211MP/DEAU/BI-01-C 80211MP/DEAU/BI-02-C
802.11 MP 1/13	Disassociation Processing	80211MP/DAP/BV-01-C 80211MP/DAP/BI-01-C

Item	Feature	Test Case
802.11 MP1/14	Recovery Procedure and Retransmit Limits	80211MP/RT/BV-01-C 80211MP/RT/BV-02-C 80211MP/RT/BV-03-C

*Table 7.1: Test Case Mapping*

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