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# MOP for Huawei MW\_LOF Alarm Troubleshooting

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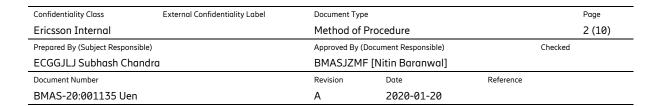
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### A. Introduction

This document outlines the step-by-step process involved in MOP for MW\_LOF Alarm Troubleshooting.

### B. PRECHECK

- Need to check the node reachability status of the node on which the alarm is observed and opposite end.
- Check the current alarms at both the ends for any hardware related alarms such as HARD\_BAD, HARD\_ERR, BD\_STATUS, BD\_OFFLINE, WRG\_BD\_TYPE etc. If the alarm exists then need to arrange field support with spare hardware such as IF board, ODU, IF cable and tested login accessories.
- If both the nodes are reachable then need to proceed to the next step else need to arrange filed support with spare hardware such as IF board, ODU, IF cable and tested login accessories.
- Please note that the method of procedure is prepared as the current scenario, available devices, and deployed software version. So, activity steps and impact can vary depending upon the scenario.





## Current Alarms before activity

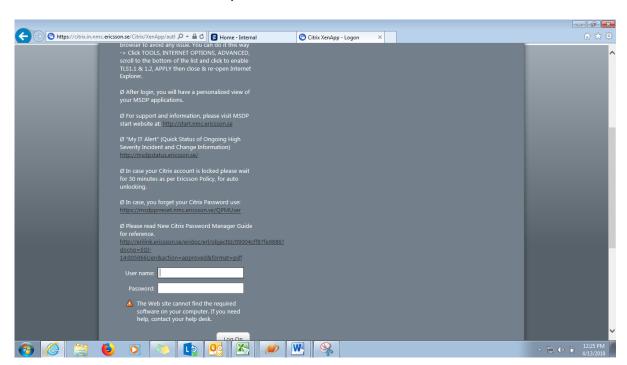


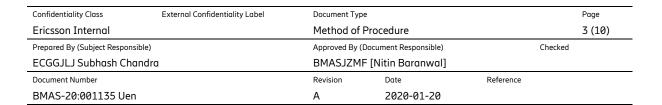
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### Steps for MW LOF Alarm Clearance: -

1. Login MSDP through below mentioned link. https://citrix.in.nmc.ericsson.se/

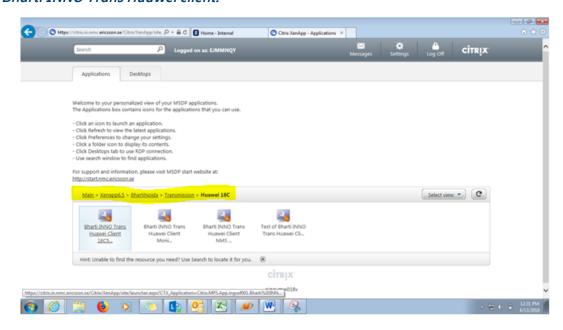
### 2. Provide CITRIX username and password.



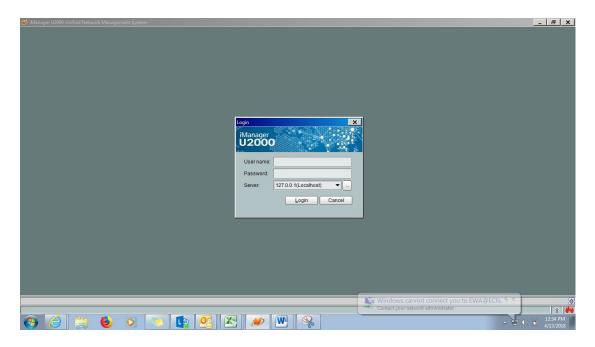




# 3. Click on "Xenapp6.5 >> BhartiNoida >> Transmission >> Huawei 16C/17C/18C >> Bharti INNO Trans Huawei client.



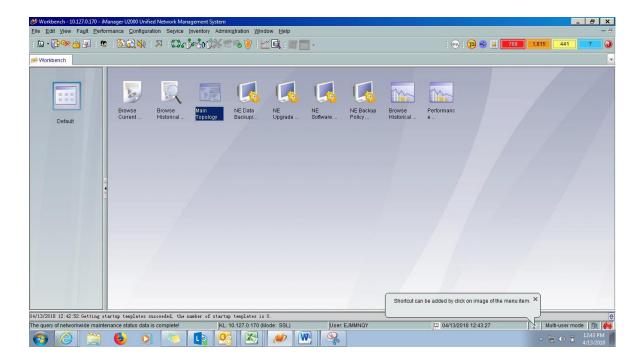
4. Now Huawei is launched enter the credentials and server IP of the circle must log in.



5. Click on "Main Topology" to open the Topology.

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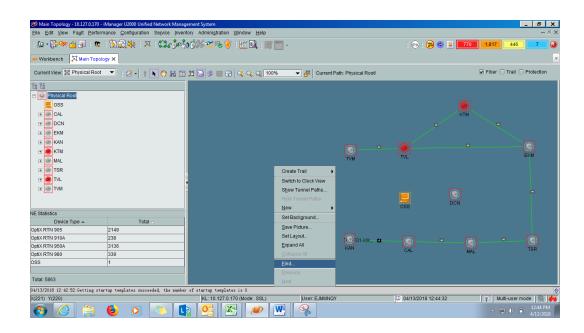




6. Right Click on the server and click on "FIND" to find the node.







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The MW\_LOF alarm indicates MW Link is down

## **Traffic Impact:**

When the MW\_LOF alarm occurs, the services that travel along the faulty BOARD are interrupted

### **Possible Causes:**

- 1. Certain other alarms occur, such as VOLT\_LOS and IF\_CABLE\_OPEN.
- 2. Check the IF parameters (such as IF working mode, channel bandwidth, and modulation scheme) specified for the local station do not match the IF parameters specified for the opposite station.
- 3. The radio frequency of the local station does not match the radio frequency of the opposite station.
- 4. The transmit unit of the opposite station is faulty.

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- 5. The receive unit of the local station is faulty.
- 6. The receive power of the RF unit at the local station is abnormal.
- 7. Interference signals exist on the link.

Detailed Steps:

Cause 1: Match all MW parameters at both the ends.

Cause 2- If there is BER\_SD alarm check for the interference

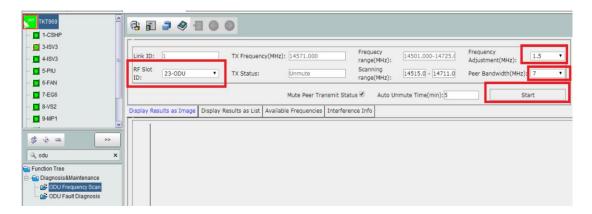
A-perform ODU scan, if interference, discuss with Circle Team.

B-if no interference, Proceed for next step.

Steps for performing the Interference and ODU frequency scan are described below:

Note: Interference will interrupt service

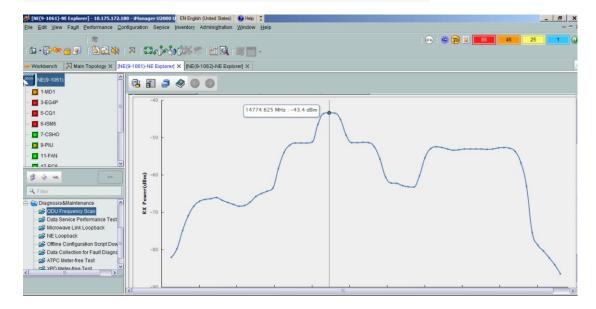
- 1. Open the NE explorer>> Diagnosis&Maintenance>> ODU Frequency Scan
- 2. Select the ODU for which the scan needs to be performed, then select the Frequency adjustment scheme from Frequency adjustment TAB and then select the Bandwidth from bandwidth TAB on which the link is configured.
- 3. After selecting the above parameters click "START" tab and wait till the scan is completed and click query



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4. Interference check: After the result is displayed on performing the steps stated above need to firstly check the if MW link have interference, if have, try to change the frequency to avoid the interference after discussion with circle team; if does not have, please go to the next step



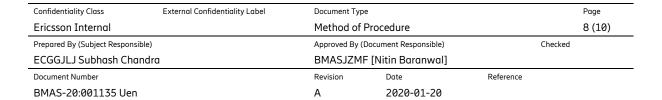
Perform RF/IF loopback to verify same. If the alarm clears after applying loop, then need to carry out the same activity at connecting end.

Steps for performing the IF and RF loopback are described below:

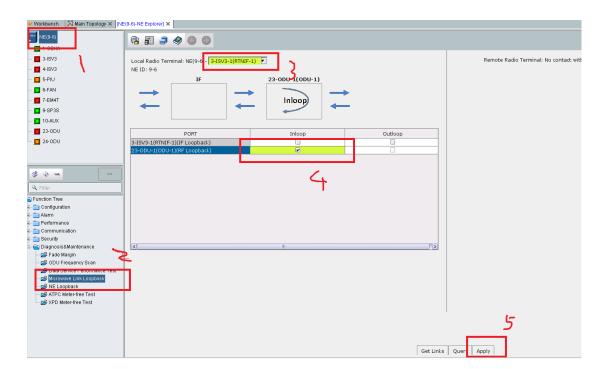
Note: loopback will interrupt service

Before inloop, should mute all other ODUs in same link, except the one will inloop

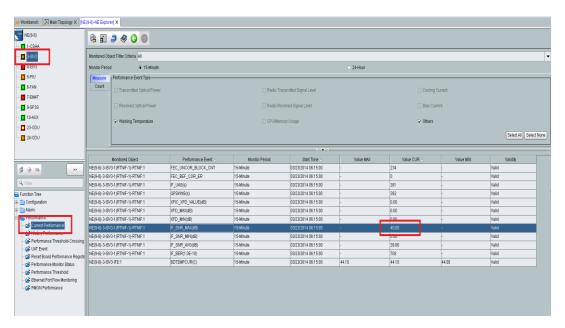
Select the NE, do inloop as described in below picture;







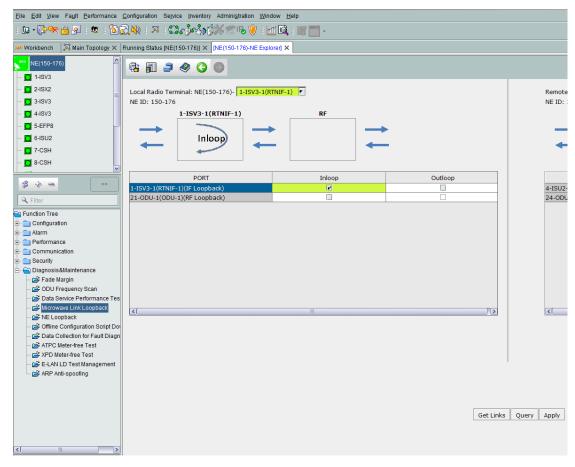
Then check the MSE(Or SNR) current; if the MSE is lower than 32dB (if your U2000 shows MSE, the value should be negative),go to the step 3; f the MSE is bigger than 32dB, means these side does not have problem, need check the other side;

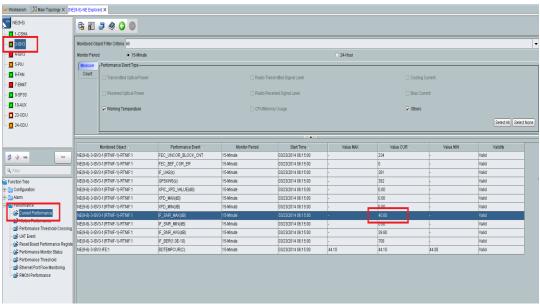


Then do the IF board port inloop, if the MSE is big than 37dB (if your U2000 shows MSE, the value should be negative), means the ODU has problem, need replace the ODU; if the MSE is less than 37dB, means the IF board has problem, need replace the IF board

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## Cause 3: A certain board is faulty.

Then Perform a cold reset on the alarmed board. Then, check whether the alarm is cleared.

If	Then
The alarm is cleared	The fault is rectified. End the alarm handling.
The alarm persists	Replace the board if RF /IF loopback fails

## Cause 4: Link is misaligned

If the IF and RF loopback is OK, need to check the RSL level at both the ends.

If the RSL is degraded, then need to align the field support for link alignment and adjustment.

If the node is not managed then need to perform the above mentioned steps locally through LCT.

# D. Post Activity Health Check:

Please check alarm will be clear and services also restored after confirmation from all stakeholders.

### E. Fallback Procedure:

Need to shift the board to another free slot and configure the services manually.