

1 | Appendix

"In any conflict, discover the one who rubs his hands ... You'll see that it's never the one who fights !" - Marc Roussel

Chirp Spread Spectrum (Proprietary) ([CSS](#)) Carrier Frequency ([CF](#)) Forward error correction ([FEC](#)) Path loss ([PL](#)) Link Symmetry ([LS](#)) Base Station ([BS](#)) [CSS](#) Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum ([DSSS](#)) Ultra narrow band ([UNB](#)) Data Rate ([DR](#)) Adaptive Data Rate ([ADR](#)) Coding Rate ([CR](#)) Bandwidth ([BW](#))

Preamble		Sync msg	PHY Header	PHDR-CRC	PHY Payload															
Modulation	length	Sync msg	PHY Header	PHDR-CRC	MAC Header			MAC Payload										MIC	CRC Type	Polynomial
	length	Sync msg	PHY Header	PHDR-CRC	MType	RFU	Major	Frame Header										Frame Payload	CRC Type	Polynomial
	length	Sync msg	PHY Header	PHDR-CRC	MType	RFU	Major	Dev Address		FCtrl		FCnt	FOpts	FPort	Frame Payload	CRC Type	Polynomial			
	length	Sync msg	PHY Header	PHDR-CRC	MType	RFU	Major	NwkID	NwkAddr	ADR	ADRACK-Req	ACK	FPending /RFU	FOptsLen	FCnt	FOpts	FPort	Frame Payload	CRC Type	Polynomial
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- 0) **Modulation** :
 - Lora: 8 Symbols, 0x34 (Sync Word)
 - FSK: 5 Bytes, 0xC194C1 (Sync Word)
- 1) **Length** :
 - The Payload length (Bytes)
 - **The Code rate**
 - Optional 16bit CRC for payload
- 4) **Phy Header** : CRC It contains CRC of Physical Layer Header
- 5) **MType** : is the message type (uplink or a downlink)
 - whether or not it is a confirmed message (reqst ack)
 - 000 Join Request
 - 001 Join Accept
 - 010 Unconfirmed Data Up
 - 011 Unconfirmed Data Down
 - 100 Confirmed Data Up
 - 101 Confirmed Data Down
 - 110 RFU
 - 111 Proprietary
- 6) **RFU** : Reserved for Future Use
- 7) **Major** : is the LoRaWAN version; currently, only a value of zero is valid
 - 00 LoRaWAN R1
 - 01-11 RFU
- 8) **NwkID** : the short address of the device (Network ID): 31th to 25th
- 9) **NwkAddr** : the short address of the device (Network Address): 24th to 0th
- 10) **ADR** : Network server will change the data rate through appropriate MAC commands
 - 1 To change the data rate
- 11) **ADRACKreq** : (Adaptive Data Rate ACK Request): if network doesn't respond in 'ADR-ACK-DELAY' time, end-device switch to next lower data rate.
 - 1 if (ADR-ACK-CNT) >= (ADR-ACK-Limit)
 - 0 otherwise
- 12) **ACK** : (Message Acknowledgement): If end-device is the sender then gateway will send the ACK in next receive window else if gateway is the sender then end-device will send the ACK in next transmission.
 - 1 if confirmed data message
 - 0 otherwise
- 13) **FPending**↓ /**RFU** ↑ : (Only in downlink), if gateway has more data pending to be send then it asks end-device to open another receive window ASAP
 - 1 to ask for more receive windows
 - 0 otherwise
- 14) **FOptsLen** : is the length of the FOpts field in bytes 0000 to 1111
- 15) **FCnt** : 2 type of frame counters
 - FCntUp: counter for uplink data frame, MAX-FCNT-GAP
 - FCntDown: counter for downlink data frame, MAX-FCNT-GAP
- 16) **FOpts** : is used to piggyback MAC commands on a data message
- 17) **FPort** : a multiplexing port field
 - 0 the payload contains only MAC commands
 - 1 to 223 Application Specific
 - 224 & 225 RFU
- 18) **FRMPayload** : (Frame Payload) Encrypted (AES, 128 key length) Data
- 19) **MIC** : is a cryptographic message integrity code
 - computed over the fields MHDR, FHDR, FPort and the encrypted FRMPayload.
- 20) **CRC** : (only in uplink),
 - CCITT $x^{16} + x^{12} + x^5 + 1$
 - IBM $x^{16} + x^{15} + x^5 + 1$

Characteristics	$CF_{[Hz]}$	6LoWPAN	LoRaWAN	SigFox	NB-IoT	INGENU	TE
Modulation	2.4G 915M 868M	O-QPSK BPSK BPSK	- LoRa LoRa/GFSK	- BPSK,GFSK BPSK,GFSK	QPSK QPSK n-tone /4-QPSK 1-tone	RPMA, CDMA	2-F 2-F 2-F
Chwidth $_{[KHz]}$			500 - 125		180		
Channels	2.4G 915M 868M	16 10 1	- 64+8, 8 10	- \times 360+40	- \times \times	40 \times \times	\times \times \times
$CF_{[MHz]}$	2.4G 915M 868M	\times 902-929 868-868.6	- 902-928 863-870 and 780	- 902 868.18-868.22	- \times \times	\times \times \times	ISM 915 868
$BW_{[Hz]}$	2.4G 915M 868M	5M 2M 600M	- 125K-500K 125K-250K	- \times 0.1K-1.2K	200K \times \times	1M \times \times	\times \times \times
$DR_{[bps]}$	2.4G 915M 868M	250M 40M 20M	- 980-22K LoRa: 0.3K-37.5K FSK: 50K	- \times 0.1K,0.6K	- 234.7, 204.8 \times	78K, 19,5K \times \times	\times \times 62.5
$CR_{[dBm]}$	2.4G 915M 868M	-85 -92 -92	- \times -137	- \times -137	- \times \times	\times \times \times	\times \times \times
$ChipR_{[chip/s]}$	2.4G 915M 868M						
Range	2.4G 915M 868M						
		10-100 m	5-15 Km	10-50 Km	1Km	15-? Km	1Km
Handover	2.4G 915M 868M	\times \times \times	- \times Multi BS	- \times Multi BS	- \times \times	\times \times \times	\times \times \times
msg/day	2.4G 915M 868M	\times \times \times	- \times Unlimited	- \times 140,4	- \times Unlimited	\times \times \times	\times \times \times
PLB	2.4G 915M 868M	\times \times \times	- \times 51 - 243	- \times 12,8	- \times 1600B	\times \times 10KB	\times \times \times
Coding/Spreading		DSSS	CSS	UNB	\times	DSSS	UNB
Proprietary		\times	\times	\checkmark	\times	\times	\times
Topology		\times	Star, Stars	Star	\times	Star, Tree	Star
ADR		\times	\checkmark	\times	\times	\checkmark	\times
Security		\times	AES 128b	\times	\times	AES 256B	\times
LS		\times	\checkmark	\times	\times	\times	\times
FEC		\times	AES 128b	\times	\times	\checkmark	\times
Battery		1-2 years	<10 years	<10 years	<10 years		
Cost		Free	35e	25e	1020e		
Standar		IETF	LoRa Alliance		3GPP		
Duplex			Half		Half		
Mob support			High,Simple		High,complex		
Mob latency			Low		High (1.6-10s)		
$Tx_{[dBm]}$			+14 - +27		20/23		
Real-Time			Class C		\times		
Scalability			1M, 100K		55 k		
$Linkbudget_{[dB]}$			157		154		
$Sensitivity_{[dBm]}$			-124 - (-134)		-141		
Multi-hop supporter			\times		\times		
Addressing			Broadcast, Unicast		Unicast, Both		
Peak current			32 mA		120-300 mA		
Sleep current			1 A		5 A		

Table 1.1. LPWAN Characteristics [1], [lopes_design_2019], [raza_low_22], [2]

Characteristics	$CF_{[Hz]}$	ZigBee	LoRaWAN	SigFox	NB-IoT	INGENU	TELENSA
Modulation	2.4G 915M 868M	O-QPSK BPSK BPSK					
Channels	2.4G 915M 868M	16 10 1					
$CF_{[MHz]}$	2.4G 915M 868M	2.4835 902, 928 868, 868.6					
$BW_{[Hz]}$	2.4G 915M 868M						
$DR_{[b/s]}$	2.4G 915M 868M	250 kbps 40 kbps 20 kbps					
$CR_{[dBm]}$	2.4G 915M 868M						
$ChipR_{[chip/s]}$	2.4G 915M 868M	2M 600K 300K					
Handover	2.4G 915M 868M						
msg/day	2.4G 915M 868M						
$PL\ B$	2.4G 915M 868M						
Coding							
Proprietary							
Topology							
ADR							
Security							
LS							
FEC							
Range							
Battery							
Cost							
Standar	IEEE 802.15.4						

Table 1.2. LPWAN Characteristics [border_reseaux_2014]

Standard Modulation	802.15.4k	802.15.4g	Weightless-W	Weightless-N	Weightless-P	DASH 7 Alliance
	DSSS, FSK	MR-[FSK, OFDMA, OQPSK]	16-QAM, BPSK, QPSK, DBPSK	UNB DBPSK	GMSK, offset-QPSK	GFSK
<i>BW</i>	ISM S UB -GH Z, 2.4GHz	ISM S UB -GH Z, 2.4GHz	TV white spaces 470-790MHz	ISM S UB -GH Z EU (868MHz), US (915MHz)	S UB -GH Z ISM or licensed	UB -GH Z 433MHz, 868MHz, 915MHz
<i>DR</i>	1.5 bps-128 kbps	4.8 kbps-800 kbps	1 kbps-10 Mbps	30 kbps-100 kbps	200 bps-100kbps	9.6,55.6,166.7 kbps
Range	5 km (URBAN)	up to several kms	5 km (URBAN)	3 km (URBAN)	2 km (URBAN)	0-5 km (URBAN)
MAC	CSMA/CA, CSMA/CA or A LOHA with PCA	CSMA/CA	TDMA/FDMA	slotted A LOHA	TDMA/FDMA	CSMA/CA
Topology	star	tar, mesh, peer-to-peer	star	star	star	tree, star
<i>PL</i>	2047B	2047B	>10B	20B	>10B	256B
Security	AES 128b	AES 128b	AES 128b	AES 128b	AES 128/256b	AES 128b
Forward error correction	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓

Table 1.3. [raza_low_22]

Phy protocol	IEEE 802.15.4	BLE	EPCglobal	Z-Wave	LTE-M	ZigBee
Standard		IEEE 802.15.1				IEEE 802.15.4, ZigBee Alliance
<i>BW</i> (MHz)	868/915/2400	2400	860-960	868/908/2400	700-900	
MAC	TDMA, CSMA/CA	TDMA	ALOHA	CSMA/CA	OFDMA	
<i>DR</i> (bps)	20/40/250 K	1024K	varies 5-640K	40K	1G (up), 500M (down)	
Throughput				9.6, 40, 200kbps		
Scalability	65K nodes	5917 slaves	-	232 nodes	-	
Range	10-20m	10-100m				
Addressing	8 16bit	16bit				

Table 1.4. IoT cloud platforms and their characteristics [al-fuqaha_internet_24]

	802.15.4	802.15.4e	802.15.4g	802.15.4f
<i>CF</i>	2.4Ghz (DSSS + oQPSK)	2.4Ghz (DSSS + oQPSK, CSS+DQPSK)	2.4Ghz (DSSS + oQPSK, CSS+DQPSK)	2.4Ghz (DSSS + oQPSK, CSS+DQPSK)
	868Mhz (DSSS + BPSK)	868Mhz (DSSS + BPSK)	868Mhz (DSSS + BPSK)	868Mhz (DSSS + BPSK)
	915Mhz (DSSS + BPSK)	915Mhz (DSSS + BPSK)	915Mhz (DSSS + BPSK)	915Mhz (DSSS + BPSK) 3~10Ghz (BPM+BPSK)
<i>DR</i>	Upto 250kbps	Upto 800kbps	Up to 800kbps	Mac and Phy Enhancements
Differ-ences	-	Time sync and channel hopping	Phy Enhancements	
<i>PL</i>	127 bytes	N/A	Up to 2047 bytes	N/A
Range	1 – 75+ m	1 – 75+ m	Upto 1km	N/A
Goals	General Low-power	Industrial segments	Smart utilities	Active RFID
Products	Sensing/Actuating			
	Many	Few	Connode (6LoWPAN)	LeanTegra PowerMote

Table 1.5. IEEE 802.15.4 standards [sarwar_iot_2015]

Feature	Wi-Fi	802.11p	UMTS	LTE	LTE-A
Channel MHz	20	10	5	1.4, 3, 5, 10, 15, 20	<100
Frequency band(s) GHz	2.4 , 5.2	5.86-5.92	0.7-2.6	0.7-2.69	0.45-4.99
<i>BR</i> Mb/s	6-54	3–27	2	<300	<1000
Range km	<0.1	<1	<10	<30	<30
Capacity	Medium	Medium	✗	✓	✓
Coverage	Intermittent	Intermittent	Ubiquitous	Ubiquitous	Ubiquitous
Mobility support km/h	✗	Medium	✓	<350	<350
QoS support	EDCA Enhanced Distributed Channel Access	EDCA Enhanced Distributed Channel Access	QoS classes and bearer selection	QCI and bearer selection	QCI and bearer selection
Broadcast/multi-cast support	Native broadcast	Native broadcast	Through MBMS	Through eMBMS	Through eMBMS
V2I support	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
V2V support	Native (ad hoc)	Native (ad hoc)	✗	✗	Through D2D
Market penetration	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓
<i>DR</i>	<640 kbps	250 kbps	106–424 kbps	✓	✓

Table 1.6. An example table.

Spreading Factor (<i>SF</i>)/ <i>BW</i>	125kHz					250kHz				
-	[varsier_capacity_2017]		[3]		[4]					
-	Sensitivity	<i>BR</i>	Rx wind	<i>SINR</i>	<i>PS</i>	Sensitivity	<i>BR</i>	Rx wind	<i>SINR</i>	Sensitivity
-	[dBm]	[kb/s]	[ms]	[dB]	Byte	[dBm]	[kb/s]	[ms]	[dB]	[dBm]
6	-118				242+13	-115				-111
7	-123	5.468	5.1	-7.5	242+13	-120				-116
8	-126	3.125	10.2	-10	242+13	-123				-119
9	-129	1.757	20.5	-12.5	115+13	-125				-122
10	-132	0.976	41.0	-15	51+13	-128				-125
11	-133	0.537	81.9	-17.5	51+13	-130				-128
12	-136	0.293	163.8	-20	51+13	-133				-130

Table 1.7. Receiver sensitivity [dBm]

[__evaluation__] Nous avons vu en effet plus haut qu’il a été démontré que la méthode CSMA est plus efficace pour le traitement des faibles trafics, tandis que TDMA est nettement plus appropriée pour supporter les trafics intensesj. *PS*

<i>DR</i>	Modulation			<i>PS</i>	<i>BR</i>
	<i>SF</i>	<i>BW</i> [kHz]	<i>CR</i>	Byte	x kbit/s
0	12	125	4/6	51+13	0.25
1	11	125	4/6	51+13	0.44
2	10	125	4/5	51+13	0.98
3	9	125	4/5	115+13	1.76
4	8	125	4/5	242+13	3.125
5	7	125	4/5	242+13	5.47
6	7	125	4/5	242+13	11
7		125	4/5	242+13	50

Table 1.8. oioioi

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*"A quote in a speech, article or book is
the hands of a soldier. It speaks wi*

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