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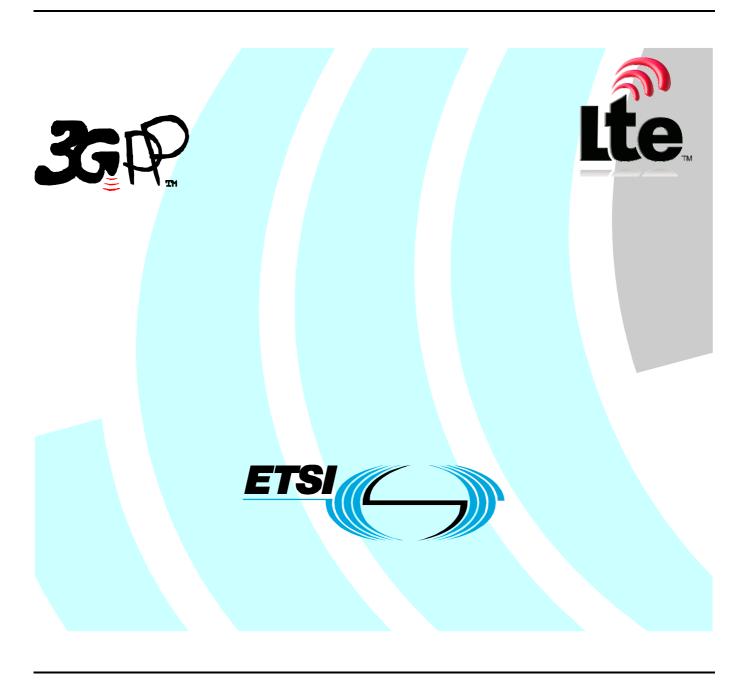
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1 Scope

The present document describes the Sv interface between the Mobility Management Entity (MME) or Serving GPRS Support Node (SGSN) and 3GPP MSC server enhanced for SRVCC. Sv interface is used to support Inter-RAT handover from VoIP/IMS over EPS to CS domain over 3GPP UTRAN/GERAN access or from UTRAN (HSPA) to 3GPP UTRAN/GERAN access.

If there is no specific indication, the term "MSC server" denotes 3GPP MSC server enhanced for SRVCC as defined in 3GPP TS 23.216 [2].

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- [1] 3GPP TR 21.905: "Vocabulary for 3GPP Specifications". [2] 3GPP TR 23.216: "Single Radio Voice Call Continuity (SRVCC)". 3GPP TS 29.274: "Evolved GPRS Tunnelling Protocol for Control Plane (GTPv2-C)". [3] [4] 3GPP TS 23.003: "Numbering, addressing and identification". 3GPP TS 23.007: "Restoration Procedures". [5] 3GPP TS 33.401: "3GPP System Architecture Evolution (SAE): Security architecture". [6] [7] 3GPP TS 24.008: "Mobile radio interface Layer 3 specification; Core network protocols; Stage 3". [8] 3GPP TS 48.008: "Mobile Switching Centre – Base Station System (MSC - BSS) interface; Layer 3 specification". [9] 3GPP TS 25.413: "UTRAN Iu interface Radio Access Network Application Part (RANAP) signalling". [10] 3GPP TS 33.102: "3G Security; Security architecture". [11] 3GPP TS 29.002: "Mobile Application Part (MAP) specification; Stage 3".

3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in 3GPP TR 21.905 [1] and the following apply. A term defined in the present document takes precedence over the definition of the same term, if any, in 3GPP TR 21.905 [1].

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3.2 Symbols

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

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3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the abbreviations given in 3GPP TR 21.905 [1] and the following apply. An abbreviation defined in the present document takes precedence over the definition of the same abbreviation, if any, in 3GPP TR 21.905 [1].

STN-SR Session Transfer Number for SRVCC: see 3GPP TS 23.003 [4].

MME/SGSN MME or SGSN.

4 General Description

This document describes the Sv interface related procedures, message parameters and protocol specifications. The Sv messages are based on GTP. The message format, IE coding, and protocol error handling for Sv is per GTP as specified in 3GPP TS 29.274 [3].

5 Sv Messages and Information Elements

5.1 Introduction

The Sv application defines a set of messages between the MME/SGSN and MSC Server to provide SRVCC as defined in 3GPP TS 23.216 [2]. The Sv message header is defined in 3GPP TS 29.274 [3]. The messages to be used and the information elements are described in the following sections.

5.2 Sv Messages

5.2.1 General

Sv Message Type value is defined in 3GPP TS 29.274 [3]. The message format is coded as per GTP in 3GPP TS 29.274 [3].

Table 5.2.1: Message types for Sv interface

Message Type value (Decimal)	Message	Reference
0	Reserved	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
1	Echo Request	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
2	Echo Response	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
3	Version Not Supported Indication	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
4-24	Reserved for S101 interface	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
25	SRVCC PS to CS Request	5.2.2
26	SRVCC PS to CS Response	5.2.3
27	SRVCC PS to CS Complete Notification	5.2.4
28	SRVCC PS to CS Complete Acknowledge	5.2.5
29	SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Notification	5.2.6
30	SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Acknowledge	5.2.7
31	For future Sv interface use	-
32-255	Reserved for GTPv2	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]

5.2.2 SRVCC PS to CS Request

A SRVCC PS to CS Request message shall be sent across Sv interface from the MME/SGSN to the target MSC server as part of the MME/SGSN SRVCC procedure in 3GPP TS 23.216 [2].

Table 5.2.2 specifies the presence requirements and conditions of the IEs in the message.

Table 5.2.2: Information Elements in a SRVCC PS to CS Request

Information elements	Р	Condition / Comment	IE Type	Ins.
IMSI	М	None	IMSI	0
MME/SGSN Sv		This IE specifies the address for control plane message	IP-Address	0
Address for Control	IVI	which is chosen by the source MME/SGSN	ii -Addiess	U
Plane		Which is chosen by the source winte, occiv		
MME/SGSN Sv TEID	М	This IE specifies the tunnel for control plane message	TEID-C	0
for Control Plane	'''	which is chosen by the source MME/SGSN. The target MM		
lor control r land		Ishall include this TEID in the GTP header of all related		
		control plane messages which are related to the requested		
		bearer.		
MSISDN	М	The MME/SGSN shall include MSISDN IE	MSISDN	0
STN-SR	М	The MME/SGSN shall include STN-SR IE	STN-SR	0
MM Context for E-	С	The MME shall include mobile station classmarks,	MM Context for E-	0
UTRAN SRVCC		supported codecs, and CS Security key in MM Context for	UTRAN SRVCC	
		SRVCC for E-UTRAN SRVCC.		
		The derivation of the CS security keys shall follow the		
		procedures defined 3GPP TS 33.401[7].		
MM Context for	С	The SGSN shall include mobile station classmarks,	MM Context for	0
UTRAN SRVCC		supported codecs, and CS Security key in MM Context for	UTRAN SRVCC	
		SRVCC for UTRAN (HSPA) SRVCC.		
		The derivation of the CS security keys shall follow the		
		procedures defined 3GPP TS 33.102[Z].		
Source to Target	М	The MME or SGSN shall include Source to Target	Source to Target	0
Transparent		Transparent Container IE	Transparant	
Container			Container IE	
Target RNC ID	С	This IE shall be used to identify the target access for	Target RNC ID	0
		SRVCC handover to UTRAN (note 1).		
Target Cell ID	С	This IE shall be used to identify the target access for	Target Global Cell	0
		SRVCC handover to GERAN (note 1).	ID	
Private Extension	_	None	Private Extension	VS
		SRVCC Handover procedure, either Target RNC ID or Targ	et Cell ID shall be	ļ
present in the	nis m	nessage		

5.2.3 SRVCC PS to CS Response

A SRVCC PS to CS Response message shall be sent across Sv interface as a response to SRVCC PS to CS Request by the MSC server during SRVCC procedure in 3GPP TS 23.216 [2].

Table 5.2.3 specifies the presence requirements and conditions of the IEs in the message.

Cause IE indicates if the SRVCC PS to CS request has been accepted, or not. The request has not been accepted by the target MSC server if the Cause IE value differs from "Request accepted".

Table 5.2.3: Information Elements in a SRVCC PS to CS Response

Information elements	Р	Condition / Comment	IE Type	Ins.
Cause	М		Cause	0
SRVCC rejected Cause	0	This IE may be sent if Cause value is differs from "Request accepted". MSC Server may include additional information to indicate the reason for rejecting SRVCC PS to CS request	SRVCC Cause	0
MSC Server Sv Address for Control Plane	0	If the Cause IE contains the value" Request accepted", the target MSC server may include MSC server Sv Address for Control Plane IE in SRVCC PS to CS Response message if target MSC Server decides to use different IP address for the subsequent communication. The source MME/SGSN shall store this MSC server address and use it when sending subsequent control plane messages to this GTP-C tunnel.		0
MSC Server Sv TEID for Control Plane	С	The target MSC server shall include MSC server Sv Tunnel Endpoint Identifier for Control Plane IE in SRVCC PS to CS Response message if the Cause IE contains the value "Request accepted". The source MME/SGSN shall include this TEID-C in the GTP-C header of all subsequent uplink control plane messages from the source MME/SGSN to the target MSC servers.	TEID-C	0
Target to Source	С	If the Cause IE contains the value "Request accepted ",	Target to Source	0
Transparent Container		this IE is included to carry the Handover command from the target access network.	Transparant Container IE	
Private Extension	0	None	Private Extension	VS

5.2.4 SRVCC PS to CS Complete Notification

A SRVCC PS to CS Complete Notification message shall be sent across Sv interface to the source MME/SGSN to indicate the SRVCC handover with CS Domain has been successfully finished during SRVCC procedure in 3GPP TS 23.216 [2].

Table 5.2.4 specifies the presence requirements and conditions of the IEs in the message.

Table 5.2.4: Information Elements in a SRVCC PS to CS Complete Notification

Information elements	P	Condition / Comment	IE Type	Ins.
IMSI	M	None	IMSI	0
Private Extension	0	None	Private Extension	VS

5.2.5 SRVCC PS to CS Complete Acknowledge

A SRVCC PS to CS Complete Acknowledge message shall be sent across Sv interface as a response to SRVCC PS to CS Complete Notification during SRVCC handover with CS Domain in 3GPP TS 23.216 [2].

Table 5.2.5 specifies the presence requirements and conditions of the IEs in the message.

Table 5.2.5: Information Elements in a SRVCC PS to CS Complete Acknowledge

Information elements	Р	Condition / Comment	IE Type	Ins.
Cause	М	None	Cause	0
Private Extension	0	None	Private Extension	VS

5.2.6 SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Notification

A SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Notification message shall be sent across Sv interface from the MME/SGSN to the target MSC server to request the cancellation of an ongoing SRVCC handover.

Table 5.2.6 specifies the presence requirements and conditions of the IEs in the message.

Table 5.2.6: Information Elements in a SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Notification

Information elements	Р	Condition / Comment	IE Type	Ins.
IMSI	M	None	IMSI	0
Cancel Cause		MME/SGSN indicates the reason for Handover cancellation	SRVCC Cause	0
Private Extension	0	None	Private Extension	VS

5.2.7 SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Acknowledge

A SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Acknowledge message shall be sent across Sv interface as a response to SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Notification.

Table 5.2.7 specifies the presence requirements and conditions of the IEs in the message.

Table 5.2.7: Information Elements in a SRVCC PS to CS Cancel Acknowledge

Information elements	Р	Condition / Comment	IE Type	Ins.
Cause	М	None	Cause	0
Private Extension	0	None	Private Extension	VS

5.3 Path Management Messages

5.3.1 Introduction

The following GTP-C v2 messages support path management for the Sv interface:

- Echo Request
- Echo Response
- Version Not Supported

These messages are defined for GTP-Cv2 and the handling and definition shall also be as defined in GTP-Cv2, see 3GPP TS 29.274 [3].

5.3.2 Echo Request message

3GPP TS 29.274 [6] specifies the information elements included in the Echo Request message.

5.3.3 Echo Response message

3GPP TS 29.274 [3] specifies the information elements included in the Echo Response message.

5.3.4 Version Not Supported message

3GPP TS 29.274 [3] specifies the detailed handling and information elements included in the Version Not Supported message.

5.4 Reliable Delivery of Signalling Messages

This is performed as according to GTPv2 in 3GPP TS 29.274 [3].

5.5 Error Handling

This is performed as according to GTPv2 in 3GPP TS 29.274 [3].

5.6 Restoration and Recovery

This is performed as according to GTPv2 in 3GPP TS 23.007 [5].

6 Sy Information Elements

6.1 General

IE type value used in Sv Message is defined in TS 29.274 [3]. The IE format is coded as per GTP in TS 29.274 [3].

Table 6.1 shows the IEs used for SRVCC. Within information elements, certain fields may be described as spare. These bits shall be transmitted with the value set to 0. To allow for future features, the receiver shall not evaluate these bits.

IE Type value	Information elements	Comment / Reference
(Decimal)		
0	Reserved	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
1	International Mobile Subscriber Identity (IMSI)	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
2	Cause	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
3	Recovery (Restart Counter)	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
4-50	Reserved for S101 interface	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
51	STN-SR	6.2
52	Source to Target Transparent Container	6.3
53	Target to Source Transparent Container	6.4
54	MM Context for E-UTRAN SRVCC	6.5
55	MM Context for UTRAN SRVCC	6.6
56	SRVCC Cause	6.7
57	Target RNC ID	6.8
58	Target Global Cell ID	6.9
59-70	For future Sv interface use	-
71-73	Reserved for GTPv2	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
74	IP Address	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
75	Mobile Equipment Identity (MEI)	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
76	MSISDN	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
77-83	Reserved for GTPv2	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
84	TEID-C	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
85-89	Reserved for GTPv2	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
90	Fully Qualified Tunnel Endpoint Identifier (F-TEID)	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
91-2544	Reserved for GTPv2	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]
255	Private Extension	3GPP TS 29.274 [3]

Table 6.1-1: Information Elements for SRVCC

6.2 STN-SR

STN-SR is transferred via GTP tunnels. The sending entity copies the value part of the STN-SR into the Value field of the STN-SR IE. STN-SR is defined in 3GPP TS 23.003 [4].

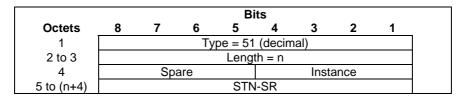


Figure 6.2-1: STN-SR

6.3 Source to Target Transparent Container

The Source to Target Transparent Container contains RAN/BSS parameters that are necessary for the target radio access network to setup radio bearer. When target network is GERAN, this container carries the *Old BSS to New BSS Information* IE defined in 3GPP TS 48.008 [8]. When target network is UTRAN, this container carries the *Source RNC to Target RNC Transparent Container* IE defined in 3GPP TS 25.413 [9]. The Transparent container field includes the IE value part as it is specified in the respective specification.

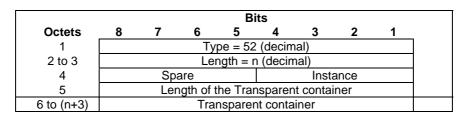


Figure 6.3-1: Source to Target Transparent Container

6.4 Target to Source Transparent Container

The Transparent container field includes the IE value part as it is specified in the respective specification.

				В	its					
Octets	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1		
1	Type = 53 (decimal)									
2 to 3			•	Leng	th = n	•				
4	Spare Instance									
5	Length of the Transparent container									
6 to (n+4)			Tra	nspare	nt conta	iner				

Figure 6.4-1: Target to Source Transparent Container

6.5 MM Context for E-UTRAN SRVCC

The MM Context information element contains mobile station classmarks, supported codec list, and the security parameters that are necessary for the MSC server to setup the ciphering connection (and integrity protection for 3G) with the target access for SRVCC. CS ciphering keys parameters: CK_{SRVCC} , IK_{SRVCC} , and eKSI for E-UTRAN SRVCC are defined in 3GPP TS 33.401 [6]. Mobile Station Classmark 2, Mobile Station Classmark 3, and Supported Codec List information Elements indicates the supported encryption algorithm for GERAN access and CS supported codec. The coding of Mobile Station Classmarks and Supported Codec List fields include the IE value part as it is specified in 3GPP TS 24.008 [7].

				В	its				
Octets	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
1 [Ту	pe = 54	l (decin	nal)			
2 to 3				Leng	th = n				
4		Sp	are			Inst	ance		
5			Spare				eKSI		
6 to 21				CKs	RVCC				
22 to 37				IKs	RVCC				
38		Lengt	h of the	Mobile	Station	n Classi	mark 2		
39 to a			Mobile	e Statio	n Class	mark 2			
b		Lengt	h of the	Mobile	Station	n Classi	mark 3		
(b+1) to c			Mobile	e Statio	n Class	mark 3			
d		Le		the Sup			List		
(d+1) to			Su	pported	Codec	List			
(n+4)									

Figure 6.5-1: MM Context for E-UTRAN SRVCC

6.6 MM Context for UTRAN SRVCC

The MM Context information element contains mobile station classmarks, supported codec list, and the security parameters that are necessary for the MSC server to setup the ciphering connection (and integrity protection for 3G) with the target access for SRVCC. Kc is only sent when SRVCC is toward GERAN. Kc is defined in 3GPP TS 33.102 [10].

Mobile Station Classmark 2, Mobile Station Classmark 3, and Supported Codec List information Elements indicates the supported encryption algorithm for GERAN access and CS supported codec. The coding of Mobile Station Classmarks and Supported Codec List fields include the IE value part as it is specified in 3GPP TS 24.008 [7]

Bits								
Octets	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
1			Ту	pe = 55	(decim	al)		
2 to 3				Leng	th = n			
4		Sp	are			Inst	ance	
5 to 12			С	iphering	Key (K	(c)		
13		Lengt	h of the	Mobile	Station	Classr	mark 2	
14 to a			Mobile	Station	n Classi	mark 2		
b		Lengt	h of the	Mobile	Station	Classr	mark 3	
(b+1) to c		Mobile Station Classmark 3						
d		Length of the Supported Codec List						
(d+1) to			Su	oported	Codec	List		
(n+4)								

Figure 6.6-1: MM Context for UTRAN SRVCC

6.7 SRVCC Cause

SRVCC Cause IE is coded as this is depicted in Figure 6.7-1.

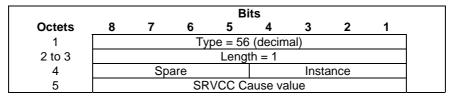


Figure 6.7-1: SRVCC Cause

The SRVCC Cause value indicates the reason for cancellation or the rejection of the SRVCC PS to CS Request.

Table 6.7-1: SRVCC Cause values

Cause value (decimal)	Meaning
0	Reserved. Shall not be sent and if received the Cause shall be treated as an
	invalid IE
1	Unspecified
2	Handover/Relocation cancelled by source system
3	Handover /Relocation Failure with Target system
4	Handover/Relocation Target not allowed
5	Unknown Target ID
6	Target Cell not available
7	No Radio Resources Available in Target Cell
8	Failure in Radio Interface Procedure
9-255	Spare. This value range is reserved for SRVCC Cause values

6.8 Target RNC ID

This IE shall contain the identity of the target RNC. The encoding of this IE is defined in 3GPP TS 29.002 [11].

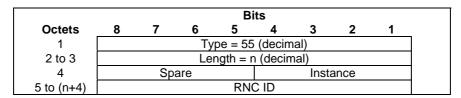


Figure 6.8-1: Target RNC ID

6.9 Target Global Cell ID

This IE shall contain the identity of the target GSM Cell ID. The encoding of this IE is defined in 3GPP TS 29.002 [11].

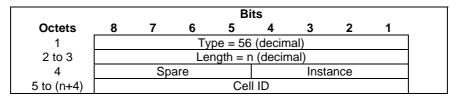


Figure 6.9-1: Target Cell ID

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