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might indicates a likelihood that something will happen as a result of action taken by some agency the

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1 Scope

The present document specifies requirements for Rel-16 UEs supporting release independent features like:

- additional NR operating bands and power classes on top of Rel-16 of TS 38.101 [2-5] and TS 38.133 [6];

2 References

The following documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of the present document.

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- [1] 3GPP TR 21.905: "Vocabulary for 3GPP Specifications".
- [2] 3GPP TS 38.101-1: "NR; User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception; Part 1: Range 1 Standalone".
- [3] 3GPP TS 38.101-2: "NR; User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception; Part 2: Range 2 Standalone".
- [4] 3GPP TS 38.101-3: "NR; User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception; Part 3: Range 1 and Range 2 Interworking operation with other radios".
- [5] 3GPP TS 38.101-4: "NR; User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception; Part 4: UE performance requirements".
- [6] 3GPP TS 38.133: "NR; Requirements for support of radio resource management".
- [7] 3GPP TS 38.306: "NR; User Equipment (UE) radio access capabilities".

3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in 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 TR 21.905 [1].

release independent: applicable to some frozen releases, starting from a certain release Rel-M

NOTE 1: Normally, a feature is introduced only in the latest open release Rel-N and future releases are based on the previous one so that future releases inherit the requirements of this feature. Introducing a feature "in a release independent way from Rel-M onwards" (M<N) means it was decided by TSG RAN that this feature would be also beneficial in previous, already frozen releases starting with Rel-M until Rel-(N-1). In order to avoid touching TS 38.101 [2-5] or TS 38.133 [6] of these frozen releases, the corresponding requirements are captured in TS 38.307 via pointers to [2-5] or [6] of the release in which the feature was introduced.

NOTE 2: Release independent does not mean applicable to all releases.

3.2 Symbols

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

N Release in which a feature is introduced into TS 38.101 [2-5] or TS 38.133 [6] M Release from which onwards (including release M) a feature is release independent

3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the abbreviations given in 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 TR 21.905 [1].

BW Bandwidth
CA Carrier Aggregation
CC Component carrier
DL Downlink

EN-DC Dual connectivity between E-UTRA and NR

FDD Frequency Division Duplex

FR1 Frequency range 1 FR2 Frequency range 2 NR New radio

PMI Precoding Matrix Indicator

REL Release

SDL Supplementary downlink
SUL Supplementary uplink
TDD Time Division Duplex
UE User Equipment

UL Uplink

4 General

TSG-RAN has agreed for certain features (see the following clauses) to introduce them in a "release independent way".

This means for each feature:

- it is "introduced" in a release N, i.e. TS 38.101 [2-5] and TS 38.133 [6] of release N define certain UE requirements for this feature; the feature is indicated in the tables of the following clauses;
- it is "release independent" starting from a release M (M<N); M for the given feature is provided in the tables of the following clauses;
- UEs supporting this feature have to fulfil additional requirements in release M or higher which are specified in one or more Annexes of TS 38.307 of release N; the applicable Annexes for a given feature are provided in the tables of the following clauses.

The applicable UE Categories are specified in TS 38.306 [7] according to the release to which the UE conforms.

5 Release independent features for NR frequency range 1

5.1 Additional NR operating bands and UE power classes for NR frequency range 1

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional NR operating bands and power classes compared to TS 38.101-1 of Rel-16 [2] are introduced via this clause.

Table 5.1-1: NR operating bands

Feature	Duplex-mode	Release independe nt from	Requirements to be fulfilled (see TS 38.307 of the release in which the band was introduced)
Operating bands	FDD, TDD, SDL, SUL	Rel-15	Table B.4.1-1, Table B.4.3-1

Table 5.1-2: NR UE power class

Feature	Duplex-mode	Release independe nt from	Requirements to be fulfilled (see TS 38.307 of the release in which the power class was introduced)
Power Class 1	FDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.1-1, Table B.4.3-1
Power Class 1.5	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.1-1, Table B.4.3-1
Power Class 2	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.1-1, Table B.4.3-1
Power Class 3	FDD, TDD, SUL	Rel-15	Table B.4.1-1, Table B.4.3-1

5.2 Additional NR CA configurations for NR frequency range 1

5.2.1 Intraband CA

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional NR intraband CA configurations within FR1 compared to TS 38.101-1 of Rel-16 [2] are introduced via this clause.

Table 5.2.1-1: NR intraband CA within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	CA BW Class	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Intra-band contiguous CA configurations within FR1	DL	B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L	FDD,TDD	Rel-15	Table B.3.1-1, Table B.4.2-1
	UL	A,B,C	FDD,TDD	Rel-15	

Table 5.2.1-2: NR intraband non-contiguous CA within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	number of sub-blocks	maximum number of CCs within a sub-block	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Intra-band non-		2	1	FDD, TDD	Rel-15	
contiguous CA configurations within	DL	3	1	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.3.1-1, Table B.4.2-1
FR1		4	1	TDD	Rel-15	5.1.2 1

5.2.2 Interband CA

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional NR interband CA configurations within FR1 compared to TS 38.101-1 of Rel-16 [2] are introduced via this clause.

Table 5.2.2-1: NR interband CA within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	Maximum number of bands	number of CCs	CA BW Classes	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Inter-band CA configurations within NR FR1	DL	4	5	A, B, C	TDD, FDD, SDL and TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	Table B.3.1-1, Table B.4.2-1
	UL	2	2	А	TDD, FDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	

5.3 Additional NR SUL configurations for NR frequency range 1

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional NR SUL configurations within FR1 compared to TS 38.101-1 of Rel-16 [2] are introduced via this clause.

Table 5.3-1: NR SUL within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	number of bands	number of CCs	CA BW Classes	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the SUL configuration was introduced)
Inter-band SUL configurations within NR FR1	DL	1	2	А	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.3-1
	UL	2	2	Α	TDD and SUL	Rel-15	

5.4 Other release independent features for NR frequency range 1

This clause covers requirements for a Rel-15 UE coming from all other release independent features that are not covered under clause 5.1, 5.2 and 5.3, e.g. generic baseband requirements or requirements that are not band/CA/SUL configuration specific.

Table 5.4-1: Additional requirements of other release independent features

Feature	Release independent from	Requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL when the feature was introduced)	Further information				
RRM requirements for high speed train scenario	Rel-15 (NOTE 1)	Table C.1-1	Rel-16 WI NR_HST introduced band independent RRM requirements: see Table C.1-1				
UE demodulation requirements for high speed train scenario		Table C.2-1	Rel-16 WI NR_HST introduced band independent UE demodulation requirements: see Table C.2-1				
NOTE 1: Rel-15 UEs supporting the high speed train are assumed to read the Rel-16 high speed train scenario							

5.5 Additional Inter-band NR-DC configurations for NR frequency range 1

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional NR-DC configurations within FR1 compared to TS 38.101-1 of Rel-16 [2] are introduced via this clause.

Table 5.5.1-1: NR-DC within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	Maximum number of bands	number of CCs	CA BW Classes	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the DC configuration was introduced)
NR-DC configurations within NR FR1	DL	2	2	Α	FDD	Rel-16	

5.6 Other release independent requirements for NR frequency range 1

This clause covers requirements for a Rel-16 UE coming from all other release independent requirements with the corresponding features introduced in Rel-15.

Table 5.6-1: Release independent requirements with the corresponding features introduced in Rel-15

Feature	Release independent from	Requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL when the feature was introduced)	Further information
Precoding matrix indicator (PMI) reporting requirements for Typel-SinglePanel and TypelI Codebooks with more than 8TX and up to 32TX	Rel-15	Table D.1-1, Table D.2-1	Rel-16 NR_perf_enh-Perf WI introduced band independent PMI reporting requirements for 16TX and 32TX TypeI-SinglePanel Codebook, and 16TX TypeII Codebook: see Table D.1-1 and Table D.2-1 respectively.
PDSCH demoulation requirements with LTE CRS rate matching for TDD band	Rel-15	Table E.1-1	Rel-16 NR_perf_enh-Perf WI introduced band independent PDSCH demodulation requirements with LTE CRS rate matching for TDD band: see Table E.1-1.

Release independent features for NR frequency range 2

6.1 Additional NR operating bands and UE power classes for NR frequency range 2

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional NR operating bands and power classes compared to TS 38.101-2 of Rel-16 [3] are introduced via this clause.

Table 6.1-1: NR operating bands

Feature	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	Requirements to be fulfilled (see TS 38.307 of the release in which the band was introduced)
Operating bands	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.1-1

Table 6.1-2: NR UE power class

Feature	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	Requirements to be fulfilled (see TS 38.307 of the release in which the band was introduced)
Power Class 1, 2, 3, 4	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.1-1

6.2 Additional NR CA configurations for NR frequency range 2

6.2.1 Intraband CA

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional NR intraband CA configurations within FR2 compared to TS 38.101-2 of Rel-16 [3] are introduced via this clause.

Table 6.2.1-1: NR intraband contiguous CA within FR2

Feature	DL/UL	CA BW Class	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Intra-band contiguous CA configurations within FR2	DL	B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, O, P, Q	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.3.1-1, Table B.4.2-1
	UL	B, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, O, P, Q	TDD	Rel-15	

Table 6.2.1-2: NR non-contiguous intraband CA within FR2

Feature	DL/UL	number of sub-blocks	maximum number of CCs within a sub-block	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Intra-band non- contiguous CA configurations within	DL	2	4	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.3.1-1, Table B.4.2-1
FR2		3	1	TDD	Rel-15	
		4	1	TDD	Rel-15	
		5	2	TDD	Rel-15	
		6	2	TDD	Rel-15	
		7	2	TDD	Rel-15	
		8	1	TDD	Rel-15	
		9	1	TDD	Rel-15	
		10	1	TDD	Rel-15	

Table 6.2.1-3: NR interband CA within FR2

Feature	DL/UL	Maximum number of bands	CA BW Classes	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Inter-band CA configurations within NR FR2	DL	2	B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, O, P, Q	TDD	Rel-16	Table B.4.2-1
	UL	1	B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, O, P, Q	TDD	Rel-16	

7 Release independent features for NR interworking between NR frequency range 1 and NR frequency range 2

7.1 Additional NR interband CA configurations between frequency range 1 and frequency range 2

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional NR interband CA configurations between FR1 and FR2 compared to TS 38.101-3 of Rel-16 [4] are introduced via this clause.

Table 7.1-1: NR interband CA between FR1 and FR2

Feature	DL/UL	number of bands	maximum number of CCs	CA BW Classes	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Inter-band CA configurations for NR interworking between FR1 and FR2	DL FR1	3	4	A, C	FDD, TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.4-1
	DL FR2	1	4	A, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M	TDD	Rel-15	
	UL FR1	1	1	А	FDD, TDD	Rel-15	
	UL FR2	1	1	A, D, G, H, I, J, K, L,M	TDD	Rel-15	

7.2 Additional Inter-band NR-DC configurations between frequency range 1 and frequency range 2

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional Inter-band NR-DC configurations between FR1 and FR2 compared to TS 38.101-3 of Rel-16 [4] are introduced via this clause.

Table 7.2-1: Inter-band NR-DC between FR1 and FR2

Feature	DL/UL	number of bands	maximum number of CCs	CA BW Classes	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Inter-band DC configurations for NR interworking between FR1 and FR2	DL FR1	3	4	A, C	FDD, TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.5-1
	DL FR2	1	8	A, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M	TDD	Rel-15	
	UL FR1	1	1	A	FDD,	Rel-15	
	UL FR2	1	1	A, D, G, H, I, J, K, L,M	TDD	Rel-15	

8 Release independent features for NR interworking between NR and E-UTRA

8.1 Additional EN-DC configurations

8.1.1 Intraband EN-DC

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional EN-DC intraband configurations within FR1 compared to TS 38.101-3 of Rel-16 [4] are introduced via this clause.

Table 8.1.1-0: EN-DC intraband UE power class

Feature	Duplex-mode	Release independe nt from	Requirements to be fulfilled (see TS 38.307 of the release in which the band was introduced)
Intraband contiguous EN-DC power class 1.5	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.6-1
Intraband contiguous EN-DC power class 2	TDD	Rel-15	
Intraband contiguous EN-DC power class 3	FDD, TDD	Rel-15	
Intraband non-contiguous EN-DC power class 1.5	TDD	Rel-15	
Intraband non-contiguous EN-DC power class 2	TDD	Rel-15	
Intraband non-contiguous EN-DC power class 3	FDD, TDD	Rel-15	

Table 8.1.1-1: EN-DC contiguous intraband configurations within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	maximum number of E- UTRA CCs	maximum number of NR CCs	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
intraband contiguous EN-DC	DL	3	2	FDD, TDD	Rel-15	Table B.3.2-1, Table B.4.6-1
	UL	1	1	FDD, TDD	Rel-15	

Table 8.1.1-2: EN-DC non-contiguous intraband configurations within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	maximum number of sub-blocks	maximum number of E-UTRA CCs	maximum number of NR CCs	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
intraband non- contiguous EN- DC	DL	3	3	1	FDD, TDD	Rel-15	Table B.3.2-2, Table B.4.6-1
	UL	2	1	1	FDD, TDD	Rel-15	

8.1.2 Interband EN-DC

8.1.2.1 Interband EN-DC within frequency range 1

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional EN-DC interband configurations within FR1 compared to TS 38.101-3 of Rel-16 [4] are introduced via this clause.

Table 8.1.2.1-0: EN-DC interband UE power class

Feature	Duplex-mode	Release independe nt from	Requirements to be fulfilled (see TS 38.307 of the release in which the band was introduced)
Interband EN-DC Power Class 2	TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.6-1
Interband EN-DC Power Class 3	FDD, TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	

Table 8.1.2.1-1: EN-DC interband configurations without SUL within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	maximu m number of E- UTRA bands	maximum number of E-UTRA CCs	maximu m number of NR bands	maximum number of NR CCs	Duplex-mode	Release indepen dent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Interband EN-DC	DL	6	6	2	3	FDD, TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.6-1
	UL	1	2	1	2	FDD, TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	

Table 8.1.2.1-2: EN-DC interband configurations with SUL within FR1

Feature	DL/UL	maximu m number of E- UTRA bands	maximum number of E-UTRA CCs	maximu m number of NR bands	maximum number of NR CCs	Duplex-mode	Release indepen dent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Interband EN-DC	DL	2	3	1	1	FDD, TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.6-1
	UL	1	1	2	2	FDD, TDD, FDD and TDD and SUL	Rel-15	

8.1.2.2 Interband EN-DC including frequency range 2

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional EN-DC interband configurations including FR2 compared to TS 38.101-3 of Rel-16 [4] are introduced via this clause.

Table 8.1.2.2-1: EN-DC interband configurations including FR2

Feature	DL/UL	number of E- UTRA bands	maximum number of E-UTRA CCs	number of NR bands	maximum number of NR CCs	Duplex- mode	Release independent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Interband EN-DC	DL	4	6	1	10	TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.6-1
	UL	1	4	1	8	TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	

8.1.2.3 Interband EN-DC including frequency range 1 and frequency range 2

Requirements for a Rel-16 UE for additional EN-DC interband configurations including FR1 and FR2 compared to TS 38.101-3 of Rel-16 [4] are introduced via this clause.

Table 8.1.2.3-1: EN-DC interband configurations including FR1 and FR2

Feature	DL/UL	maximum number of E-UTRA bands	maximum number of E-UTRA CCs	maximum number of NR bands	maximum number of NR CCs	Duplex- mode	Releas e indepe ndent from	requirements to be fulfilled (see 38.307 of the REL in which the CA configuration was introduced)
Interband	DL FR1	4	6	1	2	TDD, FDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	Table B.4.6-1
EN-DC	DL FR2			1	8	TDD	Rel-15	
	UL FR1	1	2	1	1	FDD, TDD, FDD and TDD	Rel-15	
	UL FR2			1	3	TDD,	Rel-15	

Annex A:

Frequency arrangement for overlapping operating bands

The following information is provided in order to assist a UE derive the DL NR-ARFCN and UL NR-ARFCN in a multi-band environment, in which multiple overlapping operating bands may be indicated in the fields <code>freqBandIndicatorNR</code> and <code>MultiFrequencyBandListNR-SIB</code>.

The overlapping bands, independent of release, which may be indicated in a cell are shown in Table A-1 for applicable NR operating bands. The DL NR-ARFCN and UL NR-ARFCN are derived according to TS 38.101-1 Rel-16.

Table A-1: Overlapping bands (multi-band environments) for each NR band

NR Operating Band	Overlapping NR operating bands	Duplex Mode
n2	n25	FDD
n5	n18, n26	FDD
n18	n5, n26	FDD
n25	n2	FDD
n26	n5, n18	FDD
n38	n41, n90	TDD
n41	n38, n90	TDD
n48	n78,n77	TDD
n78	n48,n77	TDD
n77	n48,n78	TDD
n80	n86	SUL
n86	n80	SUL

Annex B (normative): Common Requirements for bands, CA, SUL or DC

B.1 Purpose of annex

The purpose of Annex B is to group the requirements that are common for several bands or CA configurations in this specification and use the common tables as references.

B.2 Common RRM requirements

B.3 Common UE performance requirements

B.3.1 Common UE performance requirements for different CA configurations and combination sets

The requirements and test cases listed in Table B.3.1-1 are specified in Rel-16 version of TS 38.101-4 [5].

Table B.3.1-1: Common UE performance requirements for different CA configurations and combination sets

Section / Clause	Description
5.2A.2.1	PDSCH 2RX demodulation requirements for NR FR1 CA configurations (Note 1)
5.2A.3.1	PDSCH 4RX demodulation requirements for NR FR1 CA configurations (Note 1)
7.2A.2	PDSCH 2RX demodulation requirements for NR FR2 CA configurations (Note 1)
5.2A.2.2	PDSCH 2RX demodulation requirements for NR FR1 intra-band contiguous CA with power imbalance (Note 2)
5.2A.3.2	PDSCH 4RX demodulation requirements for NR FR1 intra-band contiguous CA with power imbalance (Note 2)
6.2A	Channel Quality Indicator (CQI) reporting requirements for NR FR1 CA (Note 3)
8.2A	Channel Quality Indicator (CQI) reporting requirements for NR FR2 CA (Note 3)
NOTE 1: The applicability	of requirements for different CA configurations and bandwidth combination sets is specified in

NOTE 1: The applicability of requirements for different CA configurations and bandwidth combination sets is specified in Section 5.1.1.5 and 7.1.1.5.

B.3.2 Common UE performance requirements for interworking between NR and E-UTRA

The requirements and test cases listed in Table B.3.2-1 and Table B.3.2-2 are specified in Rel-16 version of TS 38.101-4 [5].

NOTE 2: The applicability of PDSCH performance requirements with power imbalance for intra-band contiguous CA is specified in Section 5.1.1.6.

NOTE 3: The applicability of Channel Quality Indicator (CQI) reporting requirements for CA specified in Section 6.1.1.5 and 8.1.1.5.

Table B.3.2-1: Common UE performance requirements for intra-band contiguous EN-DC within FR1

Section / Clause	Description	
9.5B.1.1	PDSCH demodulation for FR1 intra-band contiguous EN-DC with power imbalance (Note 1)	
NOTE 1: The requirements applicability for UE supporting FR1 intra-band and inter-band EN-DC is specified in Section 9.1.1.		

Table B.3.2-2: Common UE performance requirements for intra-band non-contiguous EN-DC within FR1

Section / Clause	Description	
9.5B.1.2	PDSCH demodulation for FR1 intra-band non-contiguous EN-DC with power imbalance (Note 1)	
NOTE 1: The requirements applicability for UE supporting FR1 intra-band and inter-band EN-DC is specified in Section 9.1.1.		

B.4 Common UE RF requirements

B.4.1 Common UE RF requirements for a release independent band

The requirements and test cases listed in Table B.4.1-1 are specified in REL-16 version of TS 38.101-1 [2] or TS 38.101-2 [3].

Table B.4.1-1: Common UE RF requirements for a release independent band

Clause / Clause	Description	
5.2	Operating bands	
5.3	UE Channel bandwidth	
5.4	Channel arrangement	
6.2	Transmitter power	
6.3	Output power dynamics	
6.4	Transmit signal quality	
6.5	Output RF spectrum emissions	
6.6 of [3]	Beam correspondence	
7.3	Reference sensitivity	
7.4	Maximum input level	
7.5	Adjacent Channel Selectivity	
7.6	Blocking characteristics	
7.7 of [2]	Spurious response	
7.8 of [2]	Intermodulation characteristics	
7.9	Spurious emissions	
NOTE: A UE which supports any FR2 band introduced in release N, where N > 15, shall meet the requirements according to the FR2 UE multi-band relaxation factors defined in Table 6.2.1.3-4 of the release N version of [3] for all FR2 bands which it supports.		

B.4.2 Common UE RF requirements for CA configurations within NR frequency range 1 or NR frequency range 2

The requirements and test cases listed in Table B.4.2-1 are specified in in REL-16 version of TS 38.101-1 [2] or TS 38.101-2 [3].

Table B.4.2-1: Common UE RF requirements for a release independent CA configurations within NR frequency range 1 or NR frequency range 2

Clause	Description
5.2A	Operating bands for CA
5.3A	UE channel bandwidth for CA
5.4A	Channel arrangement for CA
6.2A	Transmitter power for CA
6.3A	Output power dynamics for CA
6.4A	Transmit signal quality for CA
6.5A	Output RF spectrum emissions for CA
6.6A of [3]	Beam correspondence for CA
7.3A	Reference sensitivity for CA
7.4A	Maximum input level for CA
7.5A	Adjacent Channel Selectivity for CA
7.6A	Blocking characteristics for CA
7.7A of [2]	Spurious response for CA
7.8A of [2]	Intermodulation characteristics for CA
7.9A of [2]	Spurious emissions for CA

B.4.3 Common UE RF requirements for SUL

The requirements and test cases listed in Table B.4.3-1 are specified in REL-16 version of TS 38.101-1 [2].

Table B.4.3-1: Common UE RF requirements for a release independent SUL

Clause	Description
5.2	Operating bands
5.2C	Operating band combination for SUL
5.4.2.1	NR-ARFCN and channel raster (7.5kHz frequency shift for SUL)
5.5C	Configurations for SUL
6.2C	Transmitter power for SUL
6.4.2.2	Carrier leakage (7.5 kHz shift with the carrier frequency.)
7.3.3	ΔRIB,c
7.3C	Reference sensitivity for SUL
7.6C	Blocking characteristics for SUL

B.4.4 Common UE RF requirements for interband CA configurations between NR frequency range 1 and NR frequency range 2

The requirements and test cases listed in Table B.4.4-1 are specified in in REL-16 version of TS 38.101-3 [4].

Table B.4.4-1: Common UE RF requirements for a release independent interband CA configurations between NR frequency range 1 and NR frequency range 2

Clause	Description
5.2A	Operating bands for CA
5.3A	UE channel bandwidth for CA
5.4A	Channel arrangement for CA
6.2A	Transmitter power for CA
6.3A	Output power dynamics for CA
6.4A	Transmit signal quality for CA
7.3A	Reference sensitivity for CA
7.4A	Maximum input level for CA
7.5A	Adjacent Channel Selectivity for CA
7.6A	Blocking characteristics for CA
7.7A	Spurious response for CA
7.9A	Spurious emissions for CA

B.4.5 Common UE RF requirements for Inter-band NR-DC configurations between frequency range 1 and frequency range 2

The requirements and test cases listed in Table B.4.5-1 are specified in in REL-16 version of TS 38.101-3 [4].

Table B.4.5-1: Common UE RF requirements for a release independent Inter-band NR-DC configurations between frequency range 1 and frequency range 2

Clause	Description
4.2	Applicability of minimum requirements
5.2B	Operating bands for DC
6.2B.5	Configured output power for NR-DC

B.4.6 Common UE RF requirements for NR interworking between NR and E-UTRA

The requirements and test cases listed in Table B.4.6-1 are specified in in REL-16 version of TS 38.101-3 [4].

Table B.4.6-1: Common UE RF requirements for a release independent NR interworking between NR and E-UTRA

Clause	Description
4.2	Applicability of minimum requirements
5.2B	Operating bands for DC
5.3B	UE channel bandwidth for DC
5.4B	Channel arrangement for DC
6.2B	Transmitter power for DC
6.3B	Output power dynamics for DC
6.4B	Transmit signal quality for DC
7.3B	Reference sensitivity level for DC
7.4B	Maximum input level for DC in FR1
7.5B	Adjacent Channel Selectivity for DC in FR1
7.6B	Blocking characteristics for DC in FR1
7.7B	Spurious response for DC in FR1
7.8B	Intermodulation characteristics for DC in FR1
7.9A	Spurious emissions for CA in FR1

Annex C (normative): Common Requirements for high speed train scenario

C.1 Common RRM requirements for high speed train scenario

The requirements and test cases listed in Table C.1-1 are specified in TS 38.133 Rel-16 and TS 36.133 Rel-16.

Table C.1-1: RRM requirements for high speed train scenario

Clause	Description		
4.2.2.2 in TS 38.133	Cell Re-selection requirements for intra-frequency NF cells for high speed train scenario		
9.2.5 in TS 38.133	NR intra-frequency measurements without measurement gaps for high speed train scenario		
9.2.6 in TS 38.133	NR intra-frequency measurements with measurement gaps for high speed train scenario		
4.2.2.5 in TS 38.133	Cell Re-selection measurements of inter-RAT E- UTRAN cells for high speed train scenario		
9.4.2 in TS 38.133	NR – E-UTRAN FDD measurements for high speed train scenario		
9.4.3 in TS 38.133	NR – E-UTRAN TDD measurements for high speed train scenario		
9.5.4 in TS 38.133	L1-RSRP measurement requirements for high speed train scenario		
4.2.2.5.6 in TS 36.133	Cell Re-selection measurements of inter-RAT NR cells for high speed train scenario		
8.1.2.4.21 in TS 36.133	E-UTRAN FDD – NR measurements for high speed train scenario		
8.1.2.4.22 in TS 36.133	E-UTRAN TDD – NR measurements for high speed train scenario		

C.2 Common UE demodulation requirements for high speed train scenario

The requirements and test cases listed in Table C.2-1 are specified in TS 38.101-4 Rel-16.

Table C.2-1: UE demodulation requirements for high speed train scenario

Clause	Description
5.2.2.2.9 test 1-1	TDD PDSCH requirements for HST-SFN for high speed train scenario with 2RX
5.2.3.2.9 test 1-1	TDD PDSCH requirements for HST-SFN for high speed train scenario with 4RX
5.2.2.1.9 test 1-1	FDD PDSCH requirements for HST-SFN for high speed train scenario with 2RX
5.2.3.1.9 test 1-1	FDD PDSCH requirements for HST-SFN for high speed train scenario with 4RX
5.2.2.2.1 test 1-10, 1-11	TDD PDSCH requirements for HST single tap and multi-path for high speed train scenario with 2RX
5.2.3.2.1 test 1-10, 1-11	TDD PDSCH requirements for HST single tap and multi-path for high speed train scenario with 4RX
5.2.2.1.1 test 1-6, 1-7	FDD PDSCH requirements for HST single tap and multi-path for high speed train scenario with 2RX
5.2.3.1.1 test 1-6, 1-7	FDD PDSCH requirements for HST single tap and multi-path for high speed train scenario with 4RX
5.2.2.1.10 test 1-1, test 1-2	FDD PDSCH requirements for HST DPS for high speed train scenario with 2RX
5.2.2.2.10 test 1-1, test 1-2	TDD PDSCH requirements for HST DPS for high speed train scenario with 2RX
5.2.3.1.10 test 1-1, test 1-2	FDD PDSCH requirements for HST DPS for high speed train scenario with 4RX
5.2.3.2.10 test 1-1, test 1-2	TDD PDSCH requirements for HST DPS for high speed train scenario with 4RX

Annex D (normative): Common PMI reporting requirements for 16TX and 32TX

D.1 Common UE PMI reporting requirements for 16TX and 32TX TypeI-SinglePanel Codebook

The requirements and test cases listed in Table D.1-1 are specified in Rel-16 version of TS 38.101-4 [5].

Table D.1-1: UE PMI reporting requirements for 16TX and 32TX Typel-SinglePanel Codebook

Section / Clause	Description
6.3.2.1.3	Multiple PMI with 16TX Typel-SinglePanel Codebook for 2Rx FDD
6.3.2.1.4	Single PMI with 32TX TypeI-SinglePanel Codebook for 2Rx FDD
6.3.2.2.3	Multiple PMI with 16TX Typel-SinglePanel Codebook for 2Rx TDD
6.3.2.2.4	Single PMI with 32TX TypeI-SinglePanel Codebook for 2Rx TDD
6.3.3.1.3	Multiple PMI with 16TX TypeI-SinglePanel Codebook for 4Rx FDD
6.3.3.1.4	Single PMI with 32TX TypeI-SinglePanel Codebook for 4Rx FDD
6.3.3.2.3	Multiple PMI with 16TX Typel-SinglePanel Codebook for 4Rx TDD
6.3.3.2.4	Single PMI with 32TX TypeI-SinglePanel Codebook for 4Rx TDD

D.2 Common UE PMI reporting requirements for 16TX TypeII Codebook

The requirements and test cases listed in Table D.2-1 are specified in Rel-16 version of TS 38.101-4 [5].

Table D.2-1: UE PMI reporting requirements for 16TX Typell Codebook

Section / Clause	Description
6.3.2.1.5	Multiple PMI with 16TX TypeII Codebook for 2Rx FDD
6.3.2.2.5	Multiple PMI with 16TX TypeII Codebook for 2Rx TDD
6.3.3.1.5	Multiple PMI with 16TX TypeII Codebook for 4Rx FDD
6.3.3.2.5	Multiple PMI with 16TX TypeII Codebook for 4Rx TDD

Annex E (normative): Common PDSCH demoulation requirements with LTE CRS rate matching

E.1 Common PDSCH demoulation requirements with LTE CRS rate matching

The requirements and test cases listed in Table E.1-1 are specified in Rel-16 version of TS 38.101-4 [5].

Table E.1-1: UE PDSCH demoulation requirements with LTE CRS rate matching for TDD band

Section / Clause	Description
5.2.2.2.4	PDSCH demoulation requirements with LTE CRS rate matching for 2Rx TDD
5.2.3.2.4	PDSCH demoulation requirements with LTE CRS rate matching for 4Rx TDD

Annex F (informative): Change history

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