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Foreword

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This specification is part of a set that has been developed for converged management solutions.

Introduction

The present document is part of a TS-family covering the 3rd Generation Partnership Project; Technical Specification Group Services and System Aspects; Telecommunication management; as identified below:

28.661	$eq:Generic Radio Access Network (RAN) Network Resource Model (NRM); Integration \\ Reference Point (IRP); Requirements$
28.662	Generic Radio Access Network (RAN) Network Resource Model (NRM); Integration Reference Point (IRP); Information Service (IS)
28.663	Generic Radio Access Network (RAN) Network Resource Model (NRM); Integration Reference Point (IRP); Solution Set (SS) definitions

1 Scope

The present document defines, in addition to the requirements defined in 3GPP TS 32.101 [2], 3GPP TS 32.102 [3] and 3GPP TS 32.600 [4], the Requirements for the common and generic radio access network equipments that may be shared between BSS in GSM, UTRAN and E-UTRAN.

The present document can be used also for managing the equipment that can be shared by several RATs, even in the cases when it is not being shared.

2 References

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

- References are either specific (identified by date of publication, edition number, version number, etc.) or non-specific.
- For a specific reference, subsequent revisions do not apply.
- For a non-specific reference, the latest version applies. In the case of a reference to a 3GPP document (including a GSM document), a non-specific reference implicitly refers to the latest version of that document in the same Release as the present document.
- 3GPP TR 21.905: "Vocabulary for 3GPP Specifications". [1] [2] 3GPP TS 32.101: "Telecommunication management; Principles and high level requirements". [3] 3GPP TS 32.102: "Telecommunication management; Architecture". [4] 3GPP TS 32.600: "Telecommunication management; Configuration Management (CM); Concept and high-level requirements". [5] 3GPP TS 32.150: "Telecommunication management; Integration Reference Point (IRP) Concept and definitions". [6] 3GPP TS 32.107: "Telecommunication management; Fixed Mobile Convergence (FMC) Federated Network Information Model (FNIM)". 3GPP TS 28.620: "Telecommunication management; Fixed Mobile Convergence (FMC) [7] Federated Network Information Model (FNIM) Umbrella Information Model (UIM)".
- [8] 3GPP TS 25.106: "UTRA repeater radio trans mission and reception".

3 Definitions and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in 3GPP TS 32.150 [5], 3GPP TS 32.101 [2], 3GPP TS 32.102 [3] and 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 TS 32.150 [5], 3GPP TS 32.101 [2], 3GPP TS 32.102 [3] and 3GPP TR 21.905 [1], in this order.

3.2 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 3GPP TR 21.905 [1].

BSS Base Station Subsystem
CAPEX Capital Expenditure
E-UTRAN Evolved UTRAN

GSM Global System for Mobile communications

IRP Integration Reference Point
NRM Network Resource Model
RAN Radio Access Network
RAT Radio Access Technology

UTRAN Universal Terrestrial Radio Access Network

4 Requirements

It is common that operators operate more than one RAT. To save CAPEX, some radio equipment can be shared between the different RATs. Radio equipment can also be shared within a RAT. This NRM makes it easy to operate such shared radio equipment and to understand the consequences in all affected RATs when a change is made in a shared equipment.

The following general and high-level requirement applies for the present IRP:

- A. IRP-related requirements in 3GPP TS 32.101 [2].
- B. IRP-related requirements in 3GPP TS 32.102 [3].
- C. IRP-related requirements in 3GPP TS 32.600 [4].

The NRM defined by this IRP:

- D. Shall support communications for telecommunication network management purposes, including management of converged networks.
- E. Is a member of the Federated Network Information Model (FNIM) [6] and its information is derived from FNIM Umbrella Information Model (UIM) [7]

In addition, the following more specific requirements apply:

REQ-GRAN_NRM-CON-001: The NRM defined by this IRP shall contain IOCs and related definitions, supporting equipment that may be shared between BSS, UTRAN and E-UTRAN networks.

REQ-GRAN_NRM-CON-002: The IRPAgent shall support a capability allowing the IRPManager to know which RATs are served by each managed object.

REQ-GRAN_NRM-CON-003: The IRPAgent shall support a capability allowing the IRPManager to perform basic configuration and retrieve inventory information of repeater (see 3GPP TS 25.106 [8]).

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