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## Foreword

This Technical Specification (TS) has been produced by the Special Mobile Group (SMG).

The present document defines the Radio Resource LCS Protocol (RRLP) to be used between the Mobile Station (MS) and the Serving Mobile Location Centre (SMLC).

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- y the third digit is incremented when editorial only changes have been incorporated in the specification.

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# 1 Scope

The present document contains the definition of the Radio Resource LCS Protocol (RRLP) to be used between the Mobile Station (MS) and the Serving Mobile Location Centre (SMLC).

Clause 2 defines the functionality of the protocol. Clause 3 describes the message structure, and clause 4 the structure of components. Clause 5 contains the ASN.1 description of the components.

## 1.1 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.
- A non-specific reference to an ETS shall also be taken to refer to later versions published as an EN with the same number.
- For this Release 1998 document, references to GSM documents are for Release 1998 versions (version 7.x.y).

- [1] GSM 01.04: "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Abbreviations and acronyms".
- [2] GSM 03.71: "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Location Services (LCS); (Functional description) - Stage 2"
- [3] GSM 09.02: "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Mobile Application Part (MAP) specification".
- [4] ITU-T Recommendation X.691: "Specification of packet encoding rules for Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1)".
- [5] ITU-T Recommendation X.680: "Specification of Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1)".
- [6] GSM 03.32: "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Universal Geographic Area Description".

## 1.2 Abbreviations

Abbreviations used in the present document are listed in GSM 01.04 or in GSM 03.71.

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# 2 Functionality of Protocol

## 2.1 General

The present document defines one generic RRLP message that is used to transfer Location Services (LCS) related information between the Mobile Station (MS) and the Serving Mobile Location Centre (SMLC). Usage of the RRLP protocol on a general level is described in the reference [2] that includes Stage 2 description of LCS.

One message includes one of the following components:

- Measure Position Request

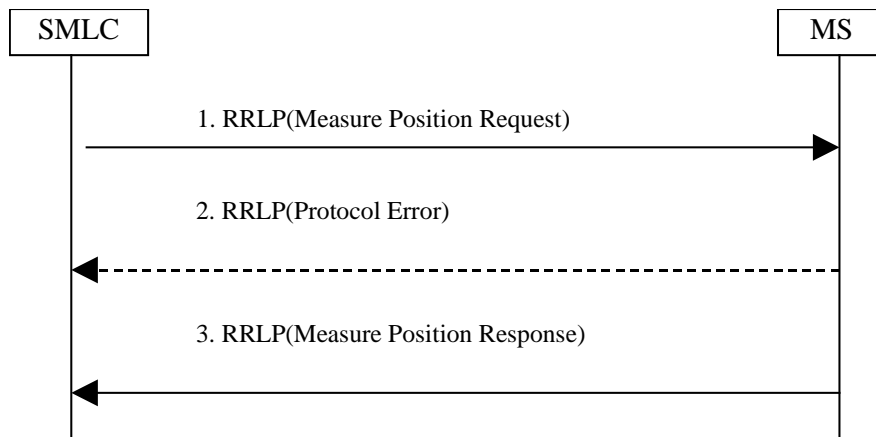
- Measure Position Response
- Assistance Data
- Assistance Data Acknowledgement
- Protocol Error

Next subchapters describe the usage of these components.

Segmentation of components and messages is not supported in the RRLP level. The lower transport levels take care of segmentation.

## 2.2 Position Measurement Procedure

This procedure is the same that is described on a more general level in the reference [2] in the chapter "E-OTD and GPS Positioning Procedures" in subchapters "Positioning for BSS based SMLC" and "Positioning for NSS based SMLC". The purpose of this procedure is to enable the SMLC to request for position measurement data or location estimate from the MS, and the MS to respond to the request with measurements or location estimate.



**Figure 2.1: Position Measurement procedure**

1. The SMLC sends the Measure Position Request component in a RRLP message to the MS. The component includes QoS, other instructions, and possible assistance data to the MS. The RRLP message contains a reference number of the request.
2. The MS sends a RRLP message containing the Protocol Error component to the SMLC, if there is a problem that prevents the MS to receive a complete and understandable Measure Position Request component. The RRLP message contains the reference number included in the Measure Position Request received incomplete. The Protocol Error component includes a more specific reason. When the SMLC receives the Protocol Error component, it may try to resend the Measure Position Request (go back to the step 1), abort location, or send a new measure Position Request (e.g. with updated assistance data).
3. The MS tries to perform the requested location measurements, and possibly calculates its own position. When the MS has location measurements, location estimate, or an error indication (measurements/location estimation not possible), it sends the results in the Measure Position Response component to the SMLC. The RRLP message contains the reference number of the request originally received in the step 1. If there is a problem that prevents the SMLC to receive a complete and understandable Measure Position Response component, the SMLC may decide to abort location, or send a new Measure Position Request component instead.

## 2.3 Assistance Data Delivery Procedure

This procedure is the same that is described on a more general level in the reference [2] in the chapter "E-OTD and GPS Positioning Procedures" in subchapters "Assistance Data Delivery from BSS based SMLC" and "Assistance Data Delivery from NSS based SMLC". The purpose of this procedure is to enable the SMLC to send assistance data to the MS related to position measurement and/or location calculation. Notice that RRLP protocol is not used by the MS to request assistance data, only to deliver it to the MS.

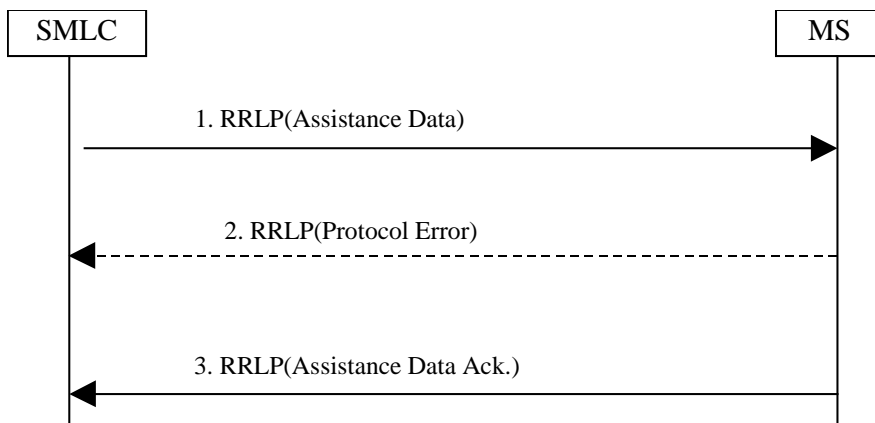


Figure 2.2: Assistance Data Delivery procedure

1. The SMLC sends the Assistance Data component to the MS. The component includes assistance data for location measurement and/or location calculation. The RRLP message contains a reference number of the delivery.
2. The MS sends a RRLP message containing the Protocol Error component to the SMLC, if there is a problem that prevents the MS to receive a complete and understandable Assistance Data component. The RRLP message contains the reference number included in the Assistance Data component received incomplete. The Protocol Error component includes a more specific reason. When the SMLC receives the Protocol Error component, it may try to resend the Assistance Data (go back to the step 1), abort delivery, send a new measure Assistance Data (e.g. with updated assistance data), or abort the delivery.
3. When the MS has received the complete Assistance Data component, it send the Assistance Data Acknowledgement component to the SMLC. The RRLP message contains a reference number of the Assistance Data originally received in the step 1.

## 2.4 Error Handling Procedures

### 2.5 General

In this subchapter it is described how a receiving entity behaves in cases when it receives erroneous data or detects that certain data is missing.

#### 2.5.1 Message Too Short

When MS receives a RRLP message, that is too short to contain all mandatory IEs, the MS sends a Protocol Error component with indication "Message Too Short". If the Reference Number can be found, it is included. If the Reference Number is not available, the Reference Number of the RRLP message carrying the Protocol Error component is set to '0'. The original sending entity that receives the Protocol Error, may then resend the original message, or abort the procedure.

#### 2.5.2 Unknown Reference Number

A SMLC detects that it has received a RRLP message with an unknown Reference Number, when



- A Measure Position Response, Assistance Data Acknowledgement, or Protocol Error component is received with a Reference Number that the SMLC has not sent in a Measure Position Request, or Assistance Data components during a pending Position Measurement or Assistance Data Delivery procedures.

The SMLC shall discard the message.

### 2.5.3 Missing Information Element or Component Element

When MS receives a RRLP message, that does not contain IEs or component elements expected to be present, the MS sends a Protocol Error component with indication "Missing Information Element or Component Element". If the Reference Number can be found, it is included. If the Reference Number is not available, the Reference Number of the RRLP message carrying the Protocol Error component is set to '0'. The SMLC that receives the Protocol Error, may then resend the original message, or abort the procedure.

### 2.5.4 Incorrect Data

When MS receives a RRLP message, that contains IEs or elements of components that are syntactically incorrect, the MS sends a Protocol Error component with indication "Incorrect Data". If the Reference Number can be found, it is included. If the Reference Number is not available, the Reference Number of the RRLP message carrying the Protocol Error component is set to '0'. The SMLC that receives the Protocol Error, may then resend the original message, or abort the procedure.

### 2.5.5 Repeated Component

When after the reception of a Measure Position Request component, but before responding with a Measure Position Response or a Protocol Error component, the MS receives a new RRLP message with the Measure Position Request component, it acts as follows:

- If the old and new Measure Position Request components have the same Reference Number, the MS ignores the later component.
- If the the old and new Measure Position Request components have different Reference Numbers, the MS aborts activity for the former component, and starts to acts according to the later component, and sends a response to that.

When after the reception of an Assistance Data component, but before responding with an Assistance Data Acknowledgement or a protocol Error component, the MS receives a new RRLP message with the Assistance Data component, it acts as follows:

- If the old and new an Assistance Data components have the same Reference Number, the MS ignores the later component.
- If the the old and new Measure Position Request components have different Reference Numbers, the MS ignores the former component, and sends an acknowledgement to the latter component.

### 2.5.6 Void

### 2.5.7 Missing Component

When the SMLC sends a Measure Position Request component to the MS, it starts a timer. If the timer expires before the SMLC receives a Measure Position Response or Protocol Error component from the MS with the same Reference Number as in sent component, it may abort location attempt or send a new Measure Position Response.

When the SMLC sends a Assistance Data component to the MS, it starts a timer. If the timer expires before the SMLC receives a Assistance Data Acknowledgement or Protocol Error component from the MS with the same Reference Number as in the sent component, it may abort delivery attempt or send a new Assistance Data.

### 2.5.8 Unforeseen Component

When the MS receives an Assistance Data component, that it is not expecting, MS may discard it.

## 3 Message Structure

### 3.1 General Format of RRLP Message

The general format of the RRLP message is given below, and based on:

- ITU-T Recommendation X.680 (Specification of Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1));
- ITU-T Recommendation X.691 (Specification of packet encoding rules for Abstract Syntax Notation One);

and is consistent with these ITU-T recommendations. Also further definitions in this document are based on ASN.1/94 defined in ITU-T X.680 recommendations (ASN.1 1994). BASIC-PER, unaligned variant is used. Both RRLP ASN.1 modules, RRLP-Messages and RRLP-Components, are based on recommendations presented above.

ASN.1 identifiers have the same name as the corresponding parameters (information elements of the RRLP message, components, elements of components, fields of component elements etc) in other parts of this specification, except for the differences required by the ASN.1 notation (blanks between words are removed, the first letter of the first word is lower-case and the first letter of the following words are capitalized, e.g. "Reference Number" is mapped to "referenceNumber"). In addition some words may be abbreviated as follows:

- msr    measure
- req    request
- rsp    response
- nbr    number
- ack    acknowledgement

Ellipsis Notation shall be used in the same way as described in GSM 09.02 and shall be supported on the radio interface by the MS and the network for all operations defined in this specification.

```

RRLP-Messages
-- { RRLP-messages }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

IMPORTS
    MsrPosition-Req, MsrPosition-Rsp, AssistanceData,
    ProtocolError
FROM
    RRLP-Components      -- { RRLP-Components }
;

PDU ::= SEQUENCE {
    referenceNumber      INTEGER (0..7),
    component            RRLP-Component
}

RRLP-Component ::= CHOICE {
    msrPositionReq      MsrPosition-Req,
    msrPositionRsp      MsrPosition-Rsp,
    assistanceData      AssistanceData,
    assistanceDataAck   NULL,
    protocolError       ProtocolError,
    ...
}

END

```

The message consists of two information elements, that are further described in the following subchapters.

## 3.2 Reference Number IE

This element is mandatory, and appears only once per RRLP message. It has the range from 0 to 7. Value 0 is reserved for indicating unknown Reference Number. Its ASN.1 definition is in 3.1. This element contains the reference number that can be used as follows:

- In the Position Measurement procedure the SMLC can select any number within the range 1- 7 that it is not already using with the particular MS. The Reference Number serves as an identification of the Measure Position request component that it sends to the MS. When the MS responds either with the Measure Position Response component, or the Protocol Error component, it uses the same Reference number value to identify to which Measure Position Request it is responding, if the Reference Number has been obtained. If the MS has not been able to decode the Reference Number (e.g. IE missing), it uses '0' as the Reference number. This mechanism helps for example in the cases where the SMLC sends a Measure Position Request to the MS, and before it receives the Response, it needs to send another Request (e.g. assistance data changes). Then the SMLC can identify to which Request the Response is related to.
- In the Assistance Data Delivery procedure the SMLC can select any number within the range 1 – 7 that it is not already using with the MS. The Reference Number serves as an identification of the Assistance Data component that it sends to the MS. When the MS responds either with the or Assistance Data Acknowledgement component or the Protocol Error component, it uses the same Reference number value to identify to which Assistance Data component it is responding, if the Reference Number has been obtained. If the MS has not been able to decode the Reference Number (e.g. IE missing), it uses '0' as the Reference number.

## 3.3 Component IE

This element is mandatory, and appears only once per RRLP message. It contains the actual component to be transferred.

Different components are described further in Chapter 4. This IE contains only one component, i.e. it is not possible to include two or more components.

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# 4 Components

This ASN.1 module contains the definitions of the components and datatypes defined in the components.

```

RRLP-Components
-- { RRLP-Components }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

IMPORTS
    Ext-GeographicalInformation
FROM
    MAP-LCS-DataTypes {
        ccitt identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)
        gsm-Network (1) modules (3) map-LCS-DataTypes (25) version5 (5)}

    ExtensionContainer
FROM MAP-ExtensionDataTypes {
    ccitt identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)
    gsm-Network (1) modules (3) map-ExtensionDataTypes (21) version4 (4)}
;

-- Add here other ASN.1 definitions presented below
-- in chapters 4 and 5.

END

```

## 4.1 Measure Position Request

This component is used by the SMLC to request location measurements or a location estimate from the MS. It includes QoS, other instructions, and possible assistance data to the MS. This component is defined as follows:

```
-- add this definition to RRLP-Components module

-- Measurement Position request component
MsrPosition-Req ::= SEQUENCE {
    positionInstruct      PositionInstruct,
    referenceAssistData ReferenceAssistData OPTIONAL,
    msrAssistData         MsrAssistData         OPTIONAL,
    systemInfoAssistData SystemInfoAssistData  OPTIONAL,
    gps-AssistData        GPS-AssistData        OPTIONAL,
    extensionContainer    ExtensionContainer    OPTIONAL,
    ...
}
```

The elements of this component are defined in Chapter 5.

## 4.2 Measure Position Response

This component is used by the MS to respond to a Measure Position Request from the SMLC with location measurements, a location estimate, or an error indication. This component is defined as follows:

```
-- add this definition to RRLP-Components module

-- Measurement Position response component
MsrPosition-Rsp ::= SEQUENCE {
    multipleSets          MultipleSets          OPTIONAL,
    referenceIdentity      ReferenceIdentity      OPTIONAL,
    otd-MeasureInfo       OTD-MeasureInfo       OPTIONAL,
    locationInfo          LocationInfo          OPTIONAL,
    gps-MeasureInfo       GPS-MeasureInfo       OPTIONAL,
    locationError         LocationError         OPTIONAL,
    extensionContainer     ExtensionContainer     OPTIONAL,
    ...
}
```

The elements of this component are defined in Chapter 5.

## 4.3 Assistance Data

This component is used by the SMLC to deliver assistance data for location measurement and/or location calculation. This component is defined as follows:

```
-- add this definition to RRLP-Components module

-- Assistance Data component
AssistanceData ::= SEQUENCE {
    referenceAssistData ReferenceAssistData OPTIONAL,
    msrAssistData         MsrAssistData         OPTIONAL,
    systemInfoAssistData SystemInfoAssistData  OPTIONAL,
    gps-AssistData        GPS-AssistData        OPTIONAL,
    extensionContainer    ExtensionContainer    OPTIONAL,
    ...
}
```

The elements of this component are defined in Chapter 5.

## 4.4 Assistance Data Acknowledgement

This component does not have any information contents. Its presence indicates that the MS has received the complete Assistance Data component.

## 4.5 Protocol Error

This component is used by the receiving entity (SMLC or MS) to indicate to the sending entity, that there is a problem that prevents the receiving entity to receive a complete and understandable component. This component is defined as follows:

```
-- add this definition to RRLP-Components module

-- Protocol Error component
ProtocolError ::= SEQUENCE {
    errorCause          ErrorCodees,
    extensionContainer  ExtensionContainer  OPTIONAL,
    ...
}
```

The elements of this component are defined in Chapter 5.

---

# 5 Elements of Components

## 5.1 ASN.1 Description

The following ASN.1 code defines the elements of components. See the Annex A for further description of the contents of components and their elements.

```
-- add these definitions to RRLP-Components module
-- Position instructions
PositionInstruct ::= SEQUENCE {
    -- Method type
    methodType          MethodType,
    positionMethod      PositionMethod,
    measureResponseTime MeasureResponseTime,
    useMultipleSets     UseMultipleSets,
    environmentCharacter EnvironmentCharacter  OPTIONAL
}

-- Method type + accuracy,
-- whether accuracy is mandatory or not is depended on method type
MethodType ::= CHOICE {
    msAssisted          EstAccuracyOpt,          -- accuracy is optional
    msBased             Ext-GeographicalInformation, -- accuracy is mandatory
    msBasedPref         Ext-GeographicalInformation -- accuracy is mandatory
}

-- Accuracy of the location estimation
EstAccuracyOpt ::= SEQUENCE {
    estAccuracy         Ext-GeographicalInformation  OPTIONAL
}

-- Geographical Area Description based GSM 03.32
-- References to GSM 03.32 are handled as in GSM 09.02
-- Ext-GeographicalInformation is imported from
-- MAP-LCS-Datatypes.

-- Position Method
PositionMethod ::= ENUMERATED {
    eotd (0),
    gps (1),
    gpsOrEOTD (2)
}
```

```

-- Measurement request response time
MeasureResponseTime ::= INTEGER (0..7)

-- useMultiple Sets, FFS!
UseMultipleSets ::= ENUMERATED {
    multipleSets (0),      -- multiple sets are allowed
    oneSet (1)            -- sending of multiple is not allowed
}

-- Environment characterization
EnvironmentCharacter ::= ENUMERATED {
    badArea (0),          -- bad urban or suburban, heavy multipath and NLOS
    notBadArea (1),      -- light multipath and NLOS
    mixedArea (2),       -- not defined or mixed environment
    ...
}

-- E-OTD reference BTS for Assistance data IE
ReferenceAssistData ::= SEQUENCE {
    bcchCarrier    BCCHCarrier,    -- BCCH carrier
    bsic           BSIC,           -- BSIC
    timeSlotScheme TimeSlotScheme, -- Timeslot scheme
    btsPosition    BTSPosition
}

BTSPosition ::= Ext-GeographicalInformation

-- RF channel number of BCCH
BCCHCarrier ::= INTEGER (0..1023)

-- Base station Identity Code
BSIC ::= INTEGER (0..63)

-- Timeslot scheme
TimeSlotScheme ::= ENUMERATED {
    equalLength (0),
    variousLength (1)
}

-- Time slot (modulo)
ModuloTimeSlot ::= INTEGER (0..3)

-- E-OTD measurement assistance data IE
-- The total number of neighbors in this element (MsrAssistData)
-- and in SystemInfoAssistData element (presented neighbors
-- can be at a maximum 15!)
MsrAssistData ::= SEQUENCE {
    msrAssistList SeqOfMsrAssistBTS
}
SeqOfMsrAssistBTS ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..15)) OF MsrAssistBTS

MsrAssistBTS ::= SEQUENCE {
    bcchCarrier    BCCHCarrier,    -- BCCH carrier
    bsic           BSIC,           -- BSIC
    multiFrameOffset MultiFrameOffset, -- multiframe offset
    timeSlotScheme TimeSlotScheme, -- Timeslot scheme
    roughRTD       RoughRTD,       -- rough RTD value

    -- Location Calculation Assistance data is moved here
    calcAssistanceBTS CalcAssistanceBTS OPTIONAL
}

-- Multiframe offset
MultiFrameOffset ::= INTEGER (0..51)

-- Rough RTD value between one base station and reference BTS
RoughRTD ::= INTEGER (0..1250)

-- E-OTD Measurement assistance data for system information List IE
-- The total number of base stations in this element (SystemInfoAssistData
-- presented neighbors) and in MsrAssistData element can be at a maximum 15.
SystemInfoAssistData ::= SEQUENCE {
    systemInfoAssistList SeqOfSystemInfoAssistBTS
}
SeqOfSystemInfoAssistBTS ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..32)) OF SystemInfoAssistBTS

```

```

-- whether n.th is present or not ?
SystemInfoAssistBTS ::= CHOICE {
    notPresent    NULL,
    present       AssistBTSData
}

-- Actual assistance data for system information base station
AssistBTSData ::= SEQUENCE {
    bsic          BSIC,          -- BSIC
    multiFrameOffset MultiFrameOffset, -- multiframe offset
    timeSlotScheme TimeSlotScheme, -- Timeslot scheme
    roughRTD      RoughRTD,     -- rough RTD value

    -- Location Calculation Assistance data
    calcAssistanceBTS CalcAssistanceBTS OPTIONAL
}

-- E-OTD Location calculation assistance data,
-- CalcAssistanceBTS element is optional not subfields
CalcAssistanceBTS ::= SEQUENCE {
    fineRTD      FineRTD,      -- fine RTD value between base stations
    referenceWGS84 ReferenceWGS84 -- reference coordinates
}

-- Coordinates of neighbour BTS, WGS-84 ellipsoid
ReferenceWGS84 ::= SEQUENCE {
    relativeNorth RelDistance, -- relative distance (south negative)
    relativeEast  RelDistance, -- relative distance (west negative)
    relativeAlt   RelativeAlt  -- relative altitude
}

-- Fine RTD value between this BTS and the reference BTS
FineRTD ::= INTEGER (0..255)

-- Relative north/east distance
RelDistance ::= INTEGER (-200000..200000)

-- Relative altitude
RelativeAlt ::= INTEGER (-4000..4000)

-- Measure position response IEs
-- Reference Identity
-- Multiple sets
MultipleSets ::= SEQUENCE {
    -- number of reference sets
    nbrOfSets          INTEGER (2..3),

    -- This field actually tells the number of reference BTSs
    nbrOfReferenceBTSs INTEGER (1..3),

    -- This field is conditional and included optionally only if
    -- nbrOfSets is 3 and number of reference BTSs is 2.
    referenceRelation ReferenceRelation OPTIONAL
}

-- Relation between refence BTSs and sets
ReferenceRelation ::= ENUMERATED {
    secondBTSThirdSet (0), -- 1st BTS related to 1st and 2nd sets
    secondBTSSecondSet (1), -- 1st BTS related to 1st and 3rd sets
    firstBTSFirstSet (2) -- 1st BTS related to 1st set
}

-- Reference BTS Identity, this element contains number of
-- BTSs told nbrOfReferenceBTSs field in Multiple sets element)
ReferenceIdentity ::= SEQUENCE {
    -- Reference BTS list
    refBTSList SeqOfReferenceIdentityType
}
SeqOfReferenceIdentityType ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..3)) OF ReferenceIdentityType

-- Cell identity
ReferenceIdentityType ::= CHOICE {
    bsicAndCarrier BSICAndCarrier, -- BSIC and Carrier
    ci              CellID,        -- Cell ID, LAC not needed
    requestIndex   RequestIndex,  -- Index to Requested Neighbor List
    systemInfoIndex SystemInfoIndex, -- Index to System info list
}

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}   ciAndLAC           CellIDAndLAC   -- CI and LAC
}

BSICAndCarrier ::= SEQUENCE {
    carrier BCCHCarrier,
    bsic     BSIC
}

RequestIndex ::= INTEGER (1..16)

SystemInfoIndex ::= INTEGER (1..32)

CellIDAndLAC ::= SEQUENCE {
    referenceLAC   LAC,           -- Location area code
    referenceCI    CellID -- Cell identity
}

CellID ::= INTEGER (0..65535)
LAC ::= INTEGER (0..65535)

-- OTD-MeasureInfo
OTD-MeasureInfo ::= SEQUENCE {
    -- Measurement info elements, OTD-MsrElement is repeated number of times
    -- told in nbrOfReferenceBTSS in MultipleSets, default value is 1
    otdMsrFirstSets      OTD-MsrElementFirst,

    -- if more than one sets are present this element is repeated
    -- NumberOfSets - 1 (-1 = first set)
    otdMsrRestSets       SeqOfOTD-MsrElementRest      OPTIONAL
}

SeqOfOTD-MsrElementRest ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..2)) OF OTD-MsrElementRest

-- OTD measurent information for 1 set
OTD-MsrElementFirst ::= SEQUENCE {
    refFrameNumber      INTEGER (0..42431), -- Frame number modulo 42431
    referenceTimeSlot    ModuloTimeSlot,
    qualityPresent       QualityPresent,
    taCorrection         INTEGER (0..960)    OPTIONAL, -- TA correction

    -- measured neighbors in OTD measurements
    otd-FirstSetMsrs    SeqOfOTD-FirstSetMsrs OPTIONAL
}
SeqOfOTD-FirstSetMsrs ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..10)) OF OTD-FirstSetMsrs

-- OTD measurent information 2 and 3 sets if exist
OTD-MsrElementRest ::= SEQUENCE {
    refFrameNumber      INTEGER (0..42431), -- Frame number modulo 42432
    referenceTimeSlot    ModuloTimeSlot,
    qualityPresent       QualityPresent,
    taCorrection         INTEGER (0..960)    OPTIONAL, -- TA correction

    -- measured neighbors in OTD measurements
    otd-MsrsOfOtherSets SeqOfOTD-MsrsOfOtherSets OPTIONAL
}
SeqOfOTD-MsrsOfOtherSets ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..10)) OF OTD-MsrsOfOtherSets

-- Quality Type
QualityPresent ::= CHOICE {
    defaultQuality      DefaultQuality,
    specifiedQualityType SpecifiedQualityType
}

DefaultQuality ::= INTEGER (0..7)

-- Quality type of Reference quality
SpecifiedQualityType ::= SEQUENCE {
    qualityType      QualityType,
    quality          SpecifiedQuality
}

SpecifiedQuality ::= INTEGER (0..31)

-- Defines how to intepret the quality field
QualityType ::= ENUMERATED {
    highQuality(0), -- range 10 - 320m, resolution 10m

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    lowQuality(1), -- range 50 - 1600m, resolution 50m
    snrEstimate(2), -- range -30 - +30dB, resolution 2 dB
    ...
}

OTD-FirstSetMsrs ::= OTD-MeasurementWithID

-- Neighbour info in OTD measurements 0-10 times in TD measurement info
OTD-MsrsOfOtherSets ::= CHOICE {
    identityNotPresent OTD-Measurement,
    identityPresent    OTD-MeasurementWithID
}

-- For this OTD measurement identity is same as the identity of BTS
-- in the first set with same sequence number
OTD-Measurement ::= SEQUENCE {
    nborTimeSlot ModuloTimeSlot,
    nborQuality   NborQuality,
    otdValue      OTDValue
}

-- This measurement contains the BTS identity and measurement
OTD-MeasurementWithID ::= SEQUENCE {
    neighborIdentity NeighborIdentity,
    nborTimeSlot     ModuloTimeSlot,
    nborQuality       NborQuality,
    otdValue          OTDValue
}

NborQuality ::= CHOICE {
    defaultQuality DefaultQuality,
    quality         SpecifiedQuality
}

NeighborIdentity ::= CHOICE {
    bsicAndCarrier BSICAndCarrier, -- BSIC and Carrier
    ci              CellID,        -- Cell ID, LAC not needed
    multiFrameCarrier MultiFrameCarrier, -- MultiFrameOffset and BSIC
    requestIndex    RequestIndex, -- Index to Requested Neighbor List
    systemInfoIndex SystemInfoIndex, -- Index to System info list
    ciAndLAC        CellIDAndLAC   -- CI and LAC
}

-- BSIC & carrier pair
BsicCarrier ::= SEQUENCE {
    bsic BSIC,
    bcchCarrier BCCHCarrier
}

-- Multiframe and carrier
MultiFrameCarrier ::= SEQUENCE {
    bcchCarrier BCCHCarrier,
    multiFrameOffset MultiFrameOffset
}

-- OTD measurement value for neighbour
OTDValue ::= INTEGER (0..39999)

-- Location information IE
LocationInfo ::= SEQUENCE {
    refFrame INTEGER (0..65535), -- Reference Frame number
    gpsTOW   INTEGER (0..14399999) OPTIONAL, -- GPS TOW
    fixType  FixType,
    posEstimate Ext-GeographicalInformation
}

FixType ::= INTEGER {
    twoDFix (0),
    threeDFix (1)
} (0..1)

-- GPS-Measurement information
GPS-MeasureInfo ::= SEQUENCE {
    -- Measurement info elements
    -- user has to make sure that in this element is number of elements

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-- defined in reference BTS identity
gpsMsrSetList SeqOfGPS-MsrSetElement
}
SeqOfGPS-MsrSetElement ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..3)) OF GPS-MsrSetElement

-- OTD measurement information 1-3 times in message
GPS-MsrSetElement ::= SEQUENCE {
    refFrame      INTEGER (0..65535)  OPTIONAL,  -- Reference Frame number
    gpsTOW        GPSTOW24b,          -- GPS TOW
    gps-msrList   SeqOfGPS-MsrElement
}

-- 24 bit presentation for GPSTOW
GPSTOW24b ::= INTEGER (0..14399999)

-- measured neighbors in OTD measurements
SeqOfGPS-MsrElement ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(4..12)) OF GPS-MsrElement

GPS-MsrElement ::= SEQUENCE {
    satelliteID  SatelliteID,          -- Satellite identifier
    cNo          INTEGER (0..63),      -- carrier noise ratio
    doppler      INTEGER (-32768..32767), -- doppler, mulltiply by 0.2
    wholeChips   INTEGER (0..1022),   -- whole value of the code phase measurement
    fracChips    INTEGER (0..1024),   -- fractional value of the code phase measurement
    mpathIndic   MpathIndic,         -- multipath indicator
    pseuRangerMSErr INTEGER (0..63)   -- index
}

-- Multipath indicator
MpathIndic ::= ENUMERATED {
    notMeasured (0),
    low (1),
    medium (2),
    high (3)
}

-- Location error IE
LocationError ::= SEQUENCE {
    locErrorReason  LocErrorReason
}

LocErrorReason ::= ENUMERATED {
    unDefined (0),
    notEnoughBTSS (1),
    notEnoughSats (2),
    locDataMissing (3),
    notSupported (4),
    notProcessed (5),
    ...
}

-- exception handling:
-- an unrecognized value shall be treated the same as value 0

-- Protocol Error Causes
ErrorCodes ::= ENUMERATED {
    unDefined (0),
    missingComponet (1),
    incorrectData (2),
    missingIEorComponentElement (3),
    messageTooShort (4),
    unknowReferenceNumber (5),
    ...
}

-- exception handling:
-- an unrecognized value shall be treated the same as value 0

-- GPS assistance data IE
GPS-AssistData ::= SEQUENCE {
    controlHeader  ControlHeader
}

-- Control header of the GPS assistance data
ControlHeader ::= SEQUENCE {
    gpsWeek        INTEGER (0..1023), -- GPS week number

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-- Field type Present information
referenceTime      ReferenceTime      OPTIONAL,
refLocation        RefLocation        OPTIONAL,
dgpsCorrections   DGPSCorrections    OPTIONAL,
navigationModel    NavigationModel    OPTIONAL,
ionosphericModel   IonosphericModel   OPTIONAL,
utcModel           UTCModel           OPTIONAL,
almanac            Almanac            OPTIONAL,
acquisAssist       AcquisAssist       OPTIONAL
}

ReferenceTime ::= CHOICE {
  gpsTimepresent   GPSTimePresent,
  gsmTimepresent   GSMTIMEPresent
}

GPSTimePresent ::= SEQUENCE {
  -- an estimate of current GPS time of week
  gpsTOW           GPSTOW23b
}

GSMTIMEPresent ::= SEQUENCE {
  -- GPSTOW is a valid relationship of GPS and GSM time
  gpsTOW           GPSTOW23b,
  gsmTime          GSMTIME
}

-- GPSTOW, range 0-604799.92, resolution 0.08 sec, 23-bit presentation
GPSTOW23b ::= INTEGER (0..7559999)

GSMTIME ::= SEQUENCE {
  frameNumber      FrameNumber,
  timeSlot         TimeSlot,
  bitNumber        BitNumber
}

-- Frame number
FrameNumber ::= INTEGER (0..2097151)

-- Time slot number
TimeSlot ::= INTEGER (0..7)

-- Bit number
BitNumber ::= INTEGER (0..156)

-- Reference Location IE
RefLocation ::= SEQUENCE {
  threeDLocation   Ext-GeographicalInformation
}

-- DGPS Corrections IE
DGPSCorrections ::= SEQUENCE {
  -- N_SAT can be read from number of elements of satList

  status           INTEGER (0..7),      -- value definitions in 04.72
  dgpsRefTime      INTEGER (0..604799),  -- DGPS reference time

  satList          SeqOfSatElement
}
SeqOfSatElement ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..16)) OF SatElement

-- number of correction for satellites
SatElement ::= SEQUENCE {
  satelliteID      SatelliteID,
  -- defines scale factor for resolution,
  -- 0 = 0.02/0.002 and 1 = 0.32/0.032
  scaleFactor      INTEGER (0..1),

  -- User Differential Range Error
  udre             INTEGER (0..3),

  -- Pseudo Range Correction, range is
  -- -655.34 - +655.34, if scale factor is 0.02
  -- -10485.44 - +10485.44, if scale factor is 0.32
  pseudoRangeCor  INTEGER (-32767..32767),

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-- Pseudo Range Rate Correction, range is
-- -0.254 - +0.254, if scale factor is 0.002
-- -4.064 - +4.064, if scale factor is 0.032
rangeRateCor    INTEGER (-127..127)
}

SatelliteID ::= INTEGER (1..32) -- identifies satellite

-- Navigation Model IE
NavigationModel ::= SEQUENCE {
    navModelList    SeqOfNavModelElement
}
-- navigation model satellite list
SeqOfNavModelElement ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..16)) OF NavModelElement

NavModelElement ::= SEQUENCE {
    satelliteID    SatelliteID,
    satStatus      SatStatus      -- satellite status
}

-- the Status of the navigation model
SatStatus ::= CHOICE {
    -- New satellite, new Navigation Model - uncompressed
    newSatelliteAndModelUC    UncompressedEphemeris,

    -- Existing satellite, Existing Navigation Model
    oldSatelliteAndModel      NULL,

    -- Existing satellite, new Navigation Model - uncompressed
    newNavModelUC            UncompressedEphemeris,

    -- Existing satellite, new Navigation Model - compressed
    newNavModelC            CompressedEphemeris
}

-- Uncompressed satellite emhemeris and clock corrections
-- For further information see GSM 04.31
UncompressedEphemeris ::= SEQUENCE {
    ephemIODE    INTEGER (0..255),
    ephemToe     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemCrc     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemCrs     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemCic     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemCis     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemCuc     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemCus     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemE       INTEGER (0..4294967295),
    ephemM0      INTEGER (0..4294967295),
    ephemAPowerHalf    INTEGER (0..4294967295),
    ephemDeltaN  INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemOmegaA0    INTEGER (0..4294967295),
    ephemOmegaADot    INTEGER (0..16777215),
    ephemI0      INTEGER (0..4294967295),
    ephemIDot    INTEGER (0..16383),
    ephemW       INTEGER (0..4294967295),
    ephemToc     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemAF0     INTEGER (0..4194303),
    ephemAF1     INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemAF2     INTEGER (0..255)
}

-- Compressed satellite emhemeris and clock corrections
-- For further information see GSM 04.31
CompressedEphemeris ::= SEQUENCE {
    ephemIODE    INTEGER (0..15),
    ephemToe     INTEGER (0..127),
    ephemCrc     INTEGER (0..4095),
    ephemCrs     INTEGER (0..4095),
    ephemCic     INTEGER (0..511),
    ephemCis     INTEGER (0..511),
    ephemCuc     INTEGER (0..2047),
    ephemCus     INTEGER (0..2047),
    ephemE       INTEGER (0..65535),
    ephemM0      INTEGER (0..4194303),
    ephemAPowerHalf    INTEGER (0..8191),
    ephemDeltaN  INTEGER (0..2047),

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ephemOmegaA0    INTEGER (0..16383),
ephemOmegaADot  INTEGER (0..4095),
ephemIO         INTEGER (0..32767),
ephemIDot       INTEGER (0..2047),
ephemW          INTEGER (0..2097151),
ephemToc        INTEGER (0..127),
ephemAF0        INTEGER (0..127),
ephemAF1        INTEGER (0..7),
ephemAF2        INTEGER (0..1)
}

-- Ionospheric Model IE
IonosphericModel ::= SEQUENCE {
    alfa0         INTEGER (0..255),
    alfa1         INTEGER (0..255),
    alfa2         INTEGER (0..255),
    alfa3         INTEGER (0..255),
    beta0         INTEGER (0..255),
    beta1         INTEGER (0..255),
    beta2         INTEGER (0..255),
    beta3         INTEGER (0..255)
}

-- Universal Time Coordinate Model
UTCModel ::= SEQUENCE {
    utcA0         INTEGER (0..4294967295),
    utcA1         INTEGER (0..16777215),
    utcDeltaTls   INTEGER (0..255),
    utcTot        INTEGER (0..255),
    utcWnt        INTEGER (0..255),
    utcWNlsf      INTEGER (0..255),
    utcDN         INTEGER (0..255),
    utcDeltaTlsf  INTEGER (0..255)
}

-- Almanac, Long term model
-- NOTE: These parameters are subset of the ephemeris
-- NOTE: But with reduced resolution and accuracy
Almanac ::= SEQUENCE {
    almanacToa    INTEGER (0..255),    -- Once per message

    -- navigation model satellite list.
    -- The size of almanacList is actually NumSats_Total field
    almanacList   SeqOfAlmanacElement
}
SeqOfAlmanacElement ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..64)) OF AlmanacElement

-- Almanac info once per satellite
AlmanacElement ::= SEQUENCE {
    satelliteID   SatelliteID,
    almanacKsii   INTEGER (0..65535),
    almanacE      INTEGER (0..65535),
    almanacM0     INTEGER (0..16777215),
    almanacAPowerHalf  INTEGER (0..16777215),
    almanacOmega0  INTEGER (0..16777215),
    almanacOmegaDot  INTEGER (0..65535),
    almanacW      INTEGER (0..16777215),
    almanacAF0    INTEGER (0..2047),
    almanacAF1    INTEGER (0..2047)
}

-- Acquisition Assistance
AcquisAssist ::= SEQUENCE {

    timeRelation  TimeRelation,

    -- Acquisition assistance list
    -- The size of Number of Satellites is actually Number of Satellites field
    acquisList    SeqOfAcquisElement
}
SeqOfAcquisElement ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..16)) OF AcquisElement

-- the relationship between GPS time and air-interface timing
TimeRelation ::= SEQUENCE {
    --
    gpsTOW        GPSTOW23b,        -- 23b presentation

    -- frame number, earlier defined differently

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    frameNumber      FrameNumber,
    timeSlot         TimeSlot,      -- time slot
    bitNumber        BitNumber      -- Bit number
}

-- data occuring per number of satellites
AcquisElement ::= SEQUENCE {
    svid              INTEGER (1..64),    -- SVID = PRNID -1

    -- Doppler 0th order term,
    -- -5.120 - 5.117.5 Hz (= -2048 - 2047 Hz with 2,5 Hz resolution)
    doppler0          INTEGER (-2048..2047),

    -- Doppler 1st order term, -1 - 0.5 resolution ?
    doppler1          INTEGER (0..63) OPTIONAL,

    dopplerUncertainty  INTEGER (0..7),    -- doppler uncertainty

    codePhase          INTEGER (0..1022),  -- Code Phase
    intCodePhase        INTEGER (0..19),    -- Integer Code Phase
    gpsBitNumber        INTEGER (0..3),     -- GPS bit number
    codePhaseSearchWindow  INTEGER (0..15),  -- Code Phase Search Window

    -- azimuth angle, 0 - 348.75 deg (= 0 - 31 with 11.25 deg resolution)
    azimuth            INTEGER (0..31) OPTIONAL,

    -- elevation angle, 0 - 78.75 deg (= 0 - 7 with 11.25 deg resolution )
    elevation           INTEGER (0..7)  OPTIONAL
}
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## Annex A (informative): Description of Components

### A.1 Introduction

This annex describes the contents of components.

### A.2 Measure Position Request

#### A.2.1 General

The Measure Position Request is a RRLP component from the SMLC to the MS. This component is common to both E-OTD and GPS location methods. As a response to this component, the MS performs E-OTD or GPS measurements and possibly calculates its own position, if the MS and/or the network support these options. It contains the following elements.

**Table A.1: Measure Position Request component content**

| Element   | Type/Reference  | Presence |
|---|---|----------|
| Positioning Instructions                                      | Positioning Instructions 2.2.1                                      | M        |
| E-OTD Reference BTS for Assistance Data                       | E-OTD Reference BTS for Assistance Data 2.2.2                       | O        |
| E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data                             | E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data 2.2.3                             | O        |
| E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List | E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List 2.2.4 | O        |
| GPS Assistance Data   | GPS Assistance Data 4.2.4   | O        |

#### A.2.2 Elements

##### A.2.2.1 Positioning Instructions Element

The purpose of Positioning Instructions element is to express the allowed/required location method(s), and to provide information required QoS. This element is mandatory in the Measure Position Request message, and contains the following fields:

##### Method Type

This field indicates whether MS based or assisted version is allowed/requested. If the Methods field includes more than one method, the Method Type applies to all of them. This field is mandatory, and has the following values:

'0': MS assisted

'1': MS based

'2': MS based is preferred, but MS assisted is allowed

##### Positioning Methods

This field indicates which location method or methods should be used. This field is mandatory.

'0': E-OTD

'1': GPS

'2': E-OTD or GPS (i.e. both can be reported)

### Response Time

This field indicates the desired response time. In case of periodic location request this time applies only to the first response. This field is mandatory.

The response time is  $2^N$  seconds, where N is the value in this field. Thus the desired maximum response time can be 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, or 128 seconds.

Range: 0-7

### Accuracy

This field indicates the required accuracy of the location estimate. This field is mandatory when Method Type is '1' or '2', and optional when Method Type is '0'.

This field is 7 bit Uncertainty Code as defined in GSM 03.32.

### Multiple Sets

This field indicates whether MS is requested to send multiple *E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets*. The maximum number of measurement sets is three. This field is mandatory. MS is expected to include the current measurement set. Additionally MS may include historical measurement sets, or measure new additional sets if the response time allows that:

'0': multiple IEs can be send

'1': sending of multiple sets is not allowed

### Environment Characterization

Environment Characterization field provides the MS with information about expected multipath and NLOS in the current area. This field is optional.

'0': possibly heavy multipath and NLOS conditions (e.g. bad urban or urban)

'1': no or light multipath and usually LOS conditions (e.g. suburban or rural)

'2': not defined or mixed environment

'3': reserved for future use

## A.2.2.2 E-OTD Reference BTS for Assistance Data Element

The RTD and 51 multiframe offset values in the E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data element, the E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List element, and the E-OTD Location Calculation Assistance Data element are calculated relative to the BTS indicated in this element, if present. Also the E-OTD Measurement Assistance data for System Information List element, if present, refers to the System Information Neighbor List of this reference BTS.

### BCCH Carrier

This field indicates the absolute RF channel number of BCCH of the reference BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 – 1023

### BSIC

This field indicates the BSIC (Base Station Identity Code) of the reference BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 - 63



### Time Slot Scheme

The Time Slot Scheme field indicates the type of transmission scheme the reference BTS is using. If the MS measures BTSs signals from time slots other than 0 or 4, and it is informed about the burst length schemes used by BTSs, then it can compensate for the possible error. (This is necessary if the MS averages bursts from different time slots, and the BTS uses varying lengths of bursts.) This field is mandatory.

'0' = all time slots are 156.25 bits long

'1' = time slots 0 and 4 are 157 bits long and other time slots are 156 bits long

### BTS Position

This field contains the BTS position in the format defined in GSM 03.32. This field is mandatory. The allowed shapes are:

- Ellipsoid point
- Ellipsoid point with altitude.

## A.2.2.3 E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data Element

This element identifies BTSs that are used for E-OTD measurements. This element helps the MS to make measurements from neighbor BTS (even below decoding level). This element is optional in the Measure Position Request component. The presence of this element means that the MS should try to measure the E-OTD values between the reference BTS and the BTSs identified in this element.

This element is used to deliver E-OTD measurement assistance data for those BTSs, that are not included in the System Information Neighbor List of the reference BTS, if necessary. Notice that the E-OTD location calculation assistance data in the E-OTD Location Calculation Assistance Data element is expressed referring to the BTSs listed in this element, if this element is present. If the E-OTD Location Calculation Assistance Data element is present in this component, either the E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data element, or the E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List element, or both must be present as well.

The RTD and 51 multiframe offset values are calculated relative to the BTS indicated in the E-OTD Reference BTS for Assistance Data element. This element contains the following fields.

### Number of BTSs

This field indicates how many BTSs are included in this IE. This field is mandatory. The maximum number of BTSs in this message for whom the assistance data can be given is 16 (reference BTS and 15 neighbour BTSs). Thus the sum of **Number of BTSs** field in this IE and total amount of **E-OTD Neighbor present** bits with value '1' in **E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List IE** can be at a maximum 15

Range: 1 to 15.

The following fields are repeated for the number of BTSs included in the Number of BTSs field.

### BCCH Carrier

This field indicates the absolute RF channel number of BCCH of the particular BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 – 1023

### BSIC

This field indicates the BSIC (Base Station Identity Code) of the particular BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 - 63

**Multiframe Offset**

This field indicates the frame difference between the start of the 51 multiframe frames arriving from this BTS and the reference BTS. The multiframe offset is defined as  $T_{\text{BTS}} - T_{\text{Ref}}$ , where  $T_{\text{BTS}}$  is the time of the start of the 51 multiframe in the BTS in question, and  $T_{\text{Ref}}$  is the time of the start of the 51 multiframe in the reference BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 - 51

**Time Slot Scheme**

The Time Slot Scheme field indicates the type of transmission scheme the particular BTS is using. If the MS measures BTSs signals from time slots other than 0 or 4, and it is informed about the burst length schemes used by BTSs, then it can compensate for the possible error. (This is necessary if the MS averages bursts from different time slots, and the BTS uses varying lengths of bursts.) This field is mandatory.

'0' = all time slots are 156.25 bits long

'1' = time slots 0 and 4 are 157 bits long and other time slots are 156 bits long

**Rough RTD**

This field indicates the rough RTD value between this BTS and reference BTS. The used resolution is 1 bits. This RTD value is the RTD value of TS0s (i.e. the difference in starting of TS0), not only the RTD between starts of bursts. The RTD is defined as  $T_{\text{BTS}} - T_{\text{Ref}}$ , where  $T_{\text{BTS}}$  is the time of the start of TS0 in the BTS in question, and  $T_{\text{Ref}}$  is the time of the start of the TS0 in the reference BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 - 1250

NOTE: Accurate RTD values are needed for MS based E-OTD, i.e. when the MS calculates its own position. This field includes only the rough RTD values and the possible E-OTD location Calculation Assistance Data IE includes the accurate corrections for rough values (like Rough RTD and RTD Remainder in Broadcast Assistance Data message). This saves bits when MS-based E-OTD is not required.

The following fields tell the coordinates of neighbor BTSs that are used for E-OTD measurements, and also fine RTD values. This information allows the MS to calculate its own location. These fields (Fine RTD, Relative north, Relative east and Relative altitude) are optional. All of Fine RTD, Relative north, and Relative east fields must be present, if some of them is included.

**Fine RTD**

This field indicates the fine RTD value between this BTS and reference BTS. It provides the 1/256 bit duration resolution to the value expressed in the corresponding Rough RTD field. This RTD value is the RTD value of TS0s (i.e. the difference in starting of TS0), not only the RTD between starts of bursts. The RTD is defined as  $T_{\text{BTS}} - T_{\text{Ref}}$ , where  $T_{\text{BTS}}$  is the time of the start of TS0 in the BTS in question, and  $T_{\text{Ref}}$  is the time of the start of the TS0 in the reference BTS. This field is optional.

Range: 0 - 255

**Relative North**

This field indicates the distance of the neighbor BTS from the reference BTS in north- (negative values mean south) direction. This field is optional. The units are 0.03 seconds. The used reference ellipsoid is WGS 84 ellipsoid.

Range: -200000...200000

**Relative East**

This field indicates the distance of the neighbor BTS from the reference BTS in east (negative values mean west) direction. This field is optional. The units are 0.03 seconds. The used reference ellipsoid is WGS 84 ellipsoid.

Range: -200000 ... 200000

**Relative Altitude**

This field indicates the altitude of the neighbor BTS relative to the reference BTS in meters. This field is optional.

Range: -4000 .. 4000 meters

### A.2.2.4 E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List Element

This element identifies those BTSs in the System Information Neighbor List that are used for E-OTD measurements. The System Information Neighbor Lists, to which this assistance data is given, are System Information Neighbor Lists that are sent in the dedicated mode. This element helps the MS to make measurements from those neighbor BTS (even below decoding level). This element is optional in the Measure Position Request component. The presence of this element means that the MS must use the BTSs identified here to the E-OTD measurements.

Notice that the E-OTD location calculation assistance data in the E-OTD Location Calculation Assistance Data element is expressed referring to the BTSs listed in this element, if this element is present. If the E-OTD Location Calculation Assistance Data element is present in this message, either the E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data element, or the E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List element, or both must be present as well.

The RTD and 51 multiframe offset values are calculated relative to the reference BTS. This element contains the following fields.

**Number of Neighbors**

This field indicates how many neighbors are included in this IE.

Range: 1-32

The following fields are repeated for the number indicated in the Number of Neighbors field.

**E-OTD Neighbor present**

This field indicates whether the information concerning a certain BTS in the Neighbor List is present. Altogether no more than 15 BTS can have the indication "Neighbor is included". The maximum number of BTSs in this message for whom the assistance data can be given is 16 (reference BTS and 15 neighbour BTSs). Thus the sum of total amount of **E-OTD Neighbor present** bits with value '1' in this IE and **Number of BTSs** field in **E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data IE** can be at a maximum 15

'0' Neighbor not included

'1' Neighbor is included

The following fields (BSIC, Multiframe Offset, Time Slot Scheme and Rough RTD) are included if E-OTD neighbor present field is set to '1'.

**BSIC**

This field indicates the BSIC (Base Station Identity Code) of the particular BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 - 63

**Multiframe Offset**

This field indicates the frame difference between the start of the 51 multiframe frames arriving from this BTS and the reference BTS. The multiframe offset is defined as  $T_{BTS} - T_{Ref}$ , where  $T_{BTS}$  is the time of the start of the 51 multiframe in the BTS in question, and  $T_{Ref}$  is the time of the start of the 51 multiframe in the reference BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 - 51

**Time Slot Scheme**

The Time Slot Scheme field indicates the type of transmission scheme the particular BTS is using. If the MS measures BTSs signals from time slots other than 0 or 4, and it is informed about the burst length schemes used by BTSs, then it

can compensate for the possible error. (This is necessary if the MS averages bursts from different time slots, and the BTS uses varying lengths of bursts.) This field is mandatory.

'0' = all time slots are 156.25 bits long

'1' = time slots 0 and 4 are 157 bits long and other time slots are 156 bits long

### **Rough RTD**

This field indicates the RTD value between this BTS and the reference BTS. The used resolution is 1 bit. This RTD value is the RTD value of TS0s (i.e. the difference in starting of TS0), not only the RTD between starts of bursts. The RTD is defined as  $T_{\text{BTS}} - T_{\text{Ref}}$ , where  $T_{\text{BTS}}$  is the time of the start of TS0 in the BTS in question, and  $T_{\text{Ref}}$  is the time of the start of the TS0 in the reference BTS. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 - 1250

The following fields tell the coordinates of neighbor BTSs that are used for E-OTD measurements, and also fine RTD values. This information allows the MS to calculate its own location. These fields (Fine RTD, Relative north, Relative east and Relative altitude) are optional. All of Fine RTD, Relative north, and Relative east fields must be present, if some of them is included.

### **Fine RTD**

This field indicates the fine RTD value between this BTS and reference BTS. It provides the 1/256 bit duration resolution to the value expressed in the corresponding Rough RTD field. This RTD value is the RTD value of TS0s (i.e. the difference in starting of TS0), not only the RTD between starts of bursts. The RTD is defined as  $T_{\text{BTS}} - T_{\text{Ref}}$ , where  $T_{\text{BTS}}$  is the time of the start of TS0 in the BTS in question, and  $T_{\text{Ref}}$  is the time of the start of the TS0 in the reference BTS. This field is optional.

Range: 0 - 255

### **Relative North**

This field indicates the distance of the neighbor BTS from the reference BTS in north- (negative values mean south) direction. This field is optional. The units are 0.03 seconds. The used reference ellipsoid is WGS 84 ellipsoid.

Range: -200000...200000

### **Relative East**

This field indicates the distance of the neighbor BTS from the reference BTS in east (negative values mean west) direction. This field is optional. The units are 0.03 seconds. The used reference ellipsoid is WGS 84 ellipsoid.

Range: -200000 ... 200000

### **Relative Altitude**

This field indicates the altitude of the neighbor BTS relative to the reference BTS in meters. This field is optional.

Range: -4000 .. 4000 meters

## A.3 Measure Position Response

### A.3.1 General

The Measure Position Response is a RRLP component from the MS to the network. It is the response to the Measure Position Request. It contains the following elements. One of the three elements containing measurement data or location estimate (*E-OTD Measurement Information*, *Location Information* or *GPS Measurement Information*) or *Location Information Error* element must be included.

**TableA.2: Measure Position Response component content**

| Element                       | Type/Reference                      | Presence |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Multiple Sets                 | Multiple Sets 3.2.1                 | O        |
| Reference BTS Identity        | Reference BTS Identity 3.2.2        | O        |
| E-OTD Measurement Information | E-OTD Measurement Information 3.2.3 | O        |
| Location Information          | Location Information 3.2.4          | O        |
| GPS Measurement Information   | GPS Measurement Information 3.2.5   | O        |
| Location Information Error    | Location Information Error 3.2.6    | C        |

### A.3.2 Elements

#### A.3.2.1 Multiple Sets Element

This element indicates how many E-OTD Measurement Information sets or GPS Measurement Information sets, and Reference BTID Identities are included to this element. This element is optional. If this element is absent, a single measurement set is included.

##### Number of E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets

This field indicates the number of *Number of E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information* sets included to this component. This field is mandatory. If both types of measurement elements are present, then there are the equal number of them, and each pair has the same reference BTS.

Range: 2 - 3

##### Number of Reference BTS

This field indicates the number of reference BTSs used in this component. This field is mandatory.

Range: 1-3

##### Reference BTS relation to Measurement Elements

This field indicates how the reference BTSs listed in this element relate to measurement sets later in this component. This field is conditional and included only if Number of E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets is '3' and Number of Reference BTSs is '2'.

'0' = First reference BTS is related to first and second E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets, and second reference BTS is related to third E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets.

'1' = First reference BTS is related to first and third E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets, and second reference BTS is related to second E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets.

'2' = First reference BTS is related to first E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets, and second reference BTS is related to second and third E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets.

If this field is not included, the relation between reference BTS and Number of E-OTD/GPS Measurement Information Sets is as follows:

- If there are three sets and three reference BTSs -> First reference BTS relates to first set, second reference BTS relates to second set, and third reference BTS relates to third set.
- If there are two sets and two reference BTS -> First reference BTS relates to first set, and second reference BTS relates to second set.
- If there is only one reference BTS and 1-3 sets -> this reference BTS relates to all sets.

### A.3.2.2 Reference BTS Identity Element

This element identifies the reference BTS(s). This element is conditional to the number of reference BTSs. It is mandatory, if there is more than one reference BTS, and optional otherwise. If this element is not included, the Reference BTS, used in other elements, is the current serving BTS of MS. If this element is included, the BTSs defined here are used as Reference BTSs in all other elements.

*The following fields are repeated for the number of reference BTSs included in the Number of Reference BTS field.*

#### CellIdType

This field indicates is the identity method of the Reference BTS. This field is mandatory within this element.

- '0' = Cell identity is told using BSIC and BCCH carrier.
- '1' = Cell identity is told using CI, and the LAC is the same as the current serving BTS.
- '2' = Cell identity is told using an index referring to the BTS listed in the Measure Position Request component (the indicated reference BTS is 1)
- '3' = Cell identity is told using an index referring to the BTS listed in the BCCH allocation list (System Information Neighbor Lists) of the serving BTS.
- '4' = Cell identity is told using CI, and the LAC.

#### Reference LAC

This field indicates the Location Area Code of the reference BTS. The purpose of the Location Area Code is to identify a location area. This field is conditional, and included, if CellIdType field is '4'.

Range: 0 - 65535

#### Reference CI

This field indicates the Cell Identity value of the reference BTS. The purpose of the Cell Identity value is to identify a cell within a location area. This field is conditional, and included, if CellIdType field is '1' or '4'.

Range: 0 – 65535

#### Reference BCCH Carrier

This field indicates the absolute RF channel number of the BCCH of the reference base station. BCCH carrier field is conditional and is included only if CellIdType is set '0'.

Range: 0 - 1023

#### Reference BSIC

This field indicates the BSIC (Base Station Identity Code of the base station).

BSIC field is conditional and is included only if CellIdType is set '0' or '3'.

Range: 0 - 63

### Request Index

This field indicates an index identifying the reference BTS by referring to the BTSs listed in the Measure Position Request component (the indicated reference BTS in the Measure Position Request component has the index value 1, and possible next BTS '2', and so on )

This field is conditional and included only if CellIdType is set to '2'.

Range: 1-16

### System Info Index

This field indicates an index identifying the reference BTS by referring to the BCCH allocation list (System Information Neighbor List) of the serving BTS .

This field is conditional and included only if CellIdType is set to '3'.

Range: 1-32

## A.3.2.3 E-OTD Measurement Information Element

The purpose of the E-OTD Measurement Information element is to provide OTD measurements of signals sent from the reference and neighbor based stations. The length of this element depends on the number of neighbor cells for which OTD measurements have been collected. This element is optional in the Measure Position Response component. It is included in the Measure Position Response component, if the network has requested the mobile to perform the MS assisted E-OTD method.

Following six fields are repeated for each reference BTS told in the Multiple Sets element.(if Multiple Sets element is included ). If Multiple Sets element is not included, the default value for sets is one (i.e. the following fields are present only once).

The E-OTD and 51 multiframe offset values are reported relative to the reference BTS as defined in the previous clauses.

### Reference Frame Number

This field indicates the frame number of the last measured burst from the reference BTS modulo 42432. This information can be used as a time stamp for the measurements. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 – 42431

### Reference Time Slot

Reference Time Slot indicates the time slot modulo 4 relative to which the MS reports the reference BTS measurements. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 to 3

**Note:** If MS does not know timeslot scheme, the MS reports the used timeslot. MS can only report results based on one time slot (N) or two time slots (N and N+4). If the MS knows the timeslot scheme, it can make measurements from several timeslots and reports that the used timeslot is zero (and makes correction).

### Quality Type

Quality Type field defines the used quality type of Reference Quality field and Neighbor Quality field. This field is optional.

If this field is absent, the default encoding is following

Std of TOA measurements from the BTS. Encoding on 3 bits, with the following non linear encoding:

|     |              |
|-----|--------------|
| 000 | 0-19 meters  |
| 001 | 20-39 meters |
| 010 | 40-79 meters |

|     |                  |
|-----|------------------|
| 011 | 80-159 meters    |
| 100 | 160-319 meters   |
| 101 | 320-639 meters   |
| 110 | 640-1319 meters  |
| 111 | over 1320 meters |

'0': Std of TOA measurements from the BTS. Values are expressed in tens of meters, range from 10 to 320 meters. Value 320 means that the Std is 320 m or more.

'1': Std of TOA measurements from the BTS. Values are expressed in multiples of 50 meters, range from 50 to 1600 meters. Value 1600 means that the Std is 1600 m or more.

'2': SNR estimate. Range is -30 ... +33 dB, by steps of 2 dB.

'3': Reserved.

### Reference Quality

Reference Quality field includes the quality of the E-OTD measurements from the reference BTS. This field is mandatory. The Reference Quality field can be used to evaluate the reliability of E-OTD measurements in the SMLC and in weighting of the E-OTD values in the location calculation.

Range: Conditional to *Quality Type*

### TA Correction

This field indicates the estimate of the time difference between the moment that the MS uses to adjust its internal timing for reception and transmission (e.g. corresponding to maximum energy) and the estimate of the reception of the first arriving component from the serving BTS. This value can be used as a correction by the SMLC to the Timing Advance (TA) value when the distance between the MS and the serving BTS is estimated based on TA.

The value *TACor* in this field corresponds to the TA Correction in bit periods as follows:

$$\text{TA Correction in bit periods} = \text{TACor}/64 - 8.$$

TA Correction has the resolution of 1/64 bit period, and the range -8 ... +7 bit periods. Negative TA Correction in bits indicates that the first signal component from the serving BTS is estimated to arrive before the moment used for communication. This field is optional.

Range: 0-960

The following fields are repeated for each measurement set.

### Number of Measured Neighbors

This field indicates the number of different neighbor BTSs. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 - 10

NOTE: If the MS can not measure any neighbor BTSs, then this value is set to '0'.

*The following fields are repeated for the number of BTSs included in the Number of Measured Neighbors field.*

### Neighbor Identity Present

The presence of this field is conditional, it shall not be present in the first set. It is mandatory for the other sets. This field indicates whether the identity information (i.e. CellIDType and possibly Neighbor CI / Neighbor BCCH Carrier / Neighbor BSIC / Neighbor Multiframe Offset / Request Index / System Info Index fields) concerning a certain BTS is present or whether the BTS identity is given as reference to the first measurement set.

'0' Identity information not included, and identity of this BTS is same as the identity of BTS in first set with same sequence number



'1' Identity information is included

### CellIdType

This field indicates is the identity method of the cell. This field is conditional, and included if Neighbor Identity Present is '1'. If CellIdType field is not present, the following fields can not be present either: Neighbor CI, Neighbor BCCH Carrier, Neighbor BSIC, Neighbor Multiframe Offset, Request Index, System Info Index.

'0' = Cell identity is told using BSIC and BCCH carrier.

'1' = Cell identity is told using CI, and the LAC is the same as the current serving BTS.

'2' = Cell identity is told using 51 Multiframe offset and BCCH carrier.

'3' = Cell identity is told using an index referring to the BTS listed in the Measure Position Request component (the indicated reference BTS is 1)

'4' = Cell identity is told using an index referring to the BTS listed in the BCCH allocation list (System Information Neighbor Lists) of the serving BTS.

'5' = Cell identity is told using CI, and the LAC.

NOTE: The MS can decide which of these methods to use. The CellIdType '3' and '4' are preferred.

### Neighbor LAC

This field indicates the Location Area Code of the neighbor BTS. The purpose of the Location Area Code is to identify a location area. This field is conditional, and included, if CellIdType field is '5'.

Range: 0 - 65535

### Neighbor CI

This field indicates the Cell Identity of the particular neighbor cell. The purpose of the Cell Identity value is to identify a cell within a location area.

Neighbor CI field is conditional and is included only if CellIdType is set '1' and the CI value of the given cell is available.

Range: 0 - 65535

### Neighbor BCCH Carrier

This field indicates the absolute RF channel number of the BCCH of the neighbor base station. BCCH carrier field is conditional and is included only if CellIdType is set '0' or '2'.

Range: 0 - 1023

### Neighbor BSIC

This field indicates the BSIC (Base Station Identity Code of the base station).

BSIC field is conditional and is included only if CellIdType is set '0' or '4'.

Range: 0 - 63

### Neighbor Multiframe Offset

This field indicates the frame difference between the start of the 51 multiframe frames arriving from this BTS and the reference BTS. The multiframe offset is defined as  $T_{BTS} - T_{Ref}$ , where  $T_{BTS}$  is the time of the start of the 51 multiframe in the BTS in question, and  $T_{Ref}$  is the time of the start of the 51 multiframe in the reference BTS. This field is conditional and included only if CellIdType is set to '2'.

Range: 0 - 51

### Request Index

This field indicates an index identifying the reference BTS by referring to the BTSs listed in the Measure Position Request component (the indicated reference BTS in the Measure Position Request component has the index value 1, and possible next BTS '2', and so on )

This field is conditional and included only if CellIdType is set to '3'.

Range: 1-16

### System Info Index

This field indicates an index identifying the reference BTS by referring to the BCCH allocation list (System Information Neighbor List) of the serving BTS .

This field is conditional and included only if CellIdType is set to '4'.

Range: 1-32

### Neighbor Time Slot

Neighbor Time Slot indicates the time slot modulo 4 relative to which the MS reports the neighbor BTS measurements. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 to 3

NOTE: If the MS does not know the timeslot scheme, the MS reports the used timeslot. MS can only report a result based on one time slot (N) or two time slots (N and N+4). If the MS knows the timeslot scheme, the MS can make measurements from several timeslots and reports that the used timeslot is zero (and makes correction).

### Neighbor Quality

Neighbor Quality field includes the quality of the E-OTD measurements from neighbor BTS. This field is mandatory. The Neighbor Quality field can be used to evaluate the reliability of E-OTD measurements in the SMLC and in weighting of the OTD values in location calculation.

Range: Conditional to *Quality Type*

### OTD

This field indicates the measured OTD value between the receptions of signals from the reference and the neighbor BTS. The OTD is defined as  $T_{Nbor} - T_{Ref}$  (modulo burst length) where  $T_{Nbor}$  is the time of arrival of signal from the neighbor BTS, and  $T_{Ref}$  is the time of arrival of signal from the reference BTS. The reporting resolution of the OTD value is 1/256 bit. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 – 39999

## A.3.2.4 Location Information Element

The purpose of Location Information element is to provide the location estimate from the MS to the network, if the MS is capable of determining its own position. Optionally, the element may contain the velocity parameters computed by the MS.

This element is optional. This element contains the following fields.

### Reference Frame

This field specifies the reference BTS Reference Frame number for which the location estimate is valid. This field is mandatory.

**Table A.3: Reference Frame field contents**

| Parameter       | # of Bits | Resolution | Range     | Units  |
|-----------------|-----------|------------|-----------|--------|
| Reference Frame | 16        | ---        | 0 - 65535 | frames |

**GPS TOW**

This field specifies the GPS TOW for which the location estimate is valid. This field is optional.

**Table A.4: GPS TOW field contents**

| Parameter | # of Bits | Resolution | Range        | Units |
|-----------|-----------|------------|--------------|-------|
| GPS TOW   | 24        | 1 ms       | 0 – 14399999 | ms    |

The 24 bits of GPS TOW are the least significant bits. The most significant bits shall be derived by the Serving Mobile Location Center to unambiguously derive the GPS TOW.

**Fix Type**

This field contains an indication as to the type of measurements performed by the MS: 2D or 3D. This field is mandatory.

'0' = 2D fix

'1' = 3D fix

**Position Estimate**

This field contains the calculated position estimate in the format defined in GSM 03.32. The allowed shapes are:

- Ellipsoid Point;
- Ellipsoid point with uncertainty circle;
- Ellipsoid point with uncertainty ellipse;
- Ellipsoid point with altitude;
- Ellipsoid point with altitude and uncertainty ellipse.

**A.3.2.5 GPS Measurement Information Element**

The purpose of the GPS Measurement Information element is to provide GPS measurement information from the MS to the SMLC. This information includes the measurements of code phase and Doppler, which enables the network-based GPS method where position is computed in the SMLC. The proposed contents are shown in table A.5 below, and the individual fields are described subsequently.

This element is included in the Measure Position Response component if the network has requested the mobile to perform mobile-assisted location measurements using a GPS location method.

Following fields are repeated number of times told in Number of E-OTD/GPS Measurement Sets field if Multiple Sets element is included. If Multiple Sets element is not included, the default value for sets is one (i.e. the following fields are present only once).

**Table A.5: GPS Measurement Information element content**

| Element fields                   | Presence | Occurrences  |
|----------------------------------|----------|--------------|
| Reference Frame                  | O        | 1            |
| GPS TOW                          | M        | 1            |
| # of Satellites ( <i>N_SAT</i> ) | M        | 1            |
| Measurement Parameters           | M        | <i>N_SAT</i> |

The following paragraphs describe the content of each information field of this element.

### Reference Frame

**Table A.6: Reference Frame field contents**

| Parameter       | # of Bits | Resolution | Range     | Units  |
|-----------------|-----------|------------|-----------|--------|
| Reference Frame | 16        | ---        | 0 - 65535 | frames |

### GPS TOW

This field specifies the GPS TOW for which the location estimate is valid. This field is mandatory.

**Table A.7: GPS TOW field contents**

| Parameter | # of Bits | Resolution | Range        | Units |
|-----------|-----------|------------|--------------|-------|
| GPS TOW   | 24        | 1 ms       | 0 - 14399999 | ms    |

The 24 bits of GPS TOW are the least significant bits. The most significant bits shall be derived by the Serving Mobile Location Center to unambiguously derive the GPS TOW.

### Number of Measurements

This field specifies the number of measurements for which measurements are provided in the component. This value represents the number of measurements that were measured by the MS. This value of  $N_{MEAS}$  determines the length of the payload portion of the component. Typical range for  $N_{MEAS}$  is four to a maximum of 12. This field is mandatory and occurs once per set.

### Measurement Parameters

This field contains information about the measurements of code phase and Doppler, which enables the network-based method where position is computed in the SMLC. This field is mandatory and occurs  $N_{MEAS}$  times per message.

**Table A.8: Measurement Parameters field contents**

| Parameter             | # of Bits | Resolution                  | Range                     | Units |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| Satellite ID          | 6         | ---                         | 0 - 63                    | ---   |
| C/N <sub>0</sub>      | 6         | 1                           | 0 - 63                    | dB-Hz |
| Doppler               | 16        | 0.2                         | ±6553.6                   | Hz    |
| Whole Chips           | 10        | 1                           | 0 - 1022                  | chips |
| Fractional Chips      | 10        | 2 <sup>-10</sup>            | 0 - (1-2 <sup>-10</sup> ) | chips |
| Multipath Indicator   | 2         | see table A.9               | TBD                       | ---   |
| Pseudorange RMS Error | 6         | 3 bit mantissa<br>3 bit exp | 0.5 - 112                 | m     |

### Satellite ID

This field identifies the particular satellite for which the measurement data is valid. This values 0 - 63 represent satellite PRNs 1 - 64, respectively..

### C/N<sub>0</sub>

This field contains the estimate of the carrier-to-noise ratio of the received signal from the particular satellite used in the measurement. It is given in whole dBs and has a range of 0 to 63. Typical levels observed by MS-based GPS units will be in the range of 20 - 50 dB.

### Doppler

This field contains the Doppler measured by the MS for the particular satellite signal. This information can be used to compute the 3-D velocity of the MS. The Doppler range is sufficient to cover the potential range of values measured by the MS.

**Whole Chips**

This field contains the whole value of the code-phase measurement made by the MS for the particular satellite signal at the time of measurement.

**Fractional Chips**

This field contains the fractional value of the code-phase measurement made by the MS for the particular satellite signal at the time of measurement. The resolution of the fractional portion is approximately 0.3 m.

**Multipath Indicator**

This field contains the Multipath Indicator value. This parameter is specified according to the representation described in table A.9.

**Table A.9: Multipath Indicator values and associated indications**

| Value | Multipath Indication        |
|-------|-----------------------------|
| 00    | Not measured                |
| 01    | Low, MP error < 5m          |
| 10    | Medium, 5m < MP error < 43m |
| 11    | High, MP error > 43m        |

Range: 0 - 3

**Pseudorange RMS Error**

This field contains a Pseudorange RMS Error value.

Range: 0.5 m – 112 m

NOTE: This parameter is specified according to a floating-point representation as described in table A.10.

**Table A.10: Pseudorange RMS Error representation**

| Index | Mantissa | Exponent | Floating-Point value, $x_i$ | Pseudorange value, P   |
|-------|----------|----------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| 0     | 000      | 000      | 0.5                         | $P < 0.5$              |
| 1     | 001      | 000      | 0.5625                      | $0.5 \leq P < 0.5625$  |
| l     | x        | y        | $0.5 * (1 + x/8) * 2^y$     | $x_{i-1} \leq P < x_i$ |
| 62    | 110      | 111      | 112                         | $104 \leq P < 112$     |
| 63    | 111      | 111      | --                          | $112 \leq P$           |

**A.3.2.6 Location Information Error Element**

The purpose of Location Information Error element is to provide the indication of error and the reason for it, when the MS can not perform the required location or the network can not determine the position estimate. This element is optional. This element has the following fields.

**Error Reason**

This field indicates the reason for error. This field is optional.

'0': There were not enough BTSs to be received when performing mobile based E-OTD.

'1': There were not enough GPS satellites to be received, when performing GPS location.

'2': Location calculation assistance data missing.

'3': Requested method not supported.

'4': Undefined error.

'5': Location request denied by the user.

'6': Location request not processed by the user and timeout.

## A.4 Assistance Data

### A.4.1 General

The Assistance Data is a RRLP component from the network to the MS. It is used by the network to provide assistance data to enable MS-based E-OTD or MS-based Assisted GPS capabilities in the MS. It contains the following elements.

**Table A.11: Assistance Data component content**

| Element   | Type/Reference  | Presence |
|---|---|----------|
| E-OTD Reference BTS for Assistance Data                       | E-OTD Reference BTS for Assistance Data 2.2.3                       | C        |
| E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data                             | E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data 2.2.4                             | C        |
| E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List | E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List 2.2.5 | C        |
| GPS Assistance Data   | GPS Assistance Data 4.2.4   | C        |

### A.4.2 Elements

#### A.4.2.1 E-OTD Reference BTS for Assistance Data Element

This element is conditional. It is as described in 2.2.3. If the network can provide assistance data, and data for E-OTD has been requested, this element is included.

#### A.4.2.2 E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data Element

This element is conditional. It is as described in 2.2.4. If the network can provide assistance data, and data for E-OTD has been requested, this element is included.

#### A.4.2.3 E-OTD Measurement Assistance Data for System Information List Element

This element is conditional. It is as described in 2.2.5. If the network can provide assistance data, and data for E-OTD has been requested, this element is included.

### A.4.2.4 GPS Assistance Data Element

The GPS Assistance Data element contains a single GPS assistance message that supports both network-assisted and network-based GPS methods. This element can contain one or more of the fields listed in table A.12 below, which support both MS-based and network-based GPS methods. As table A.12 shows, only the Control Header field is mandatory. Other fields are conditionally present based on the value of the Fields Present IE in the Control Header.

**Table A.12: Fields in the GPS Assistance Data element**

| Parameter              | Presence |
|------------------------|----------|
| Control Header         | M        |
| Reference Time         | O        |
| Reference Location     | O        |
| DGPS Corrections       | O        |
| Navigation Model       | O        |
| Ionospheric Model      | O        |
| UTC Model              | O        |
| Almanac                | O        |
| Acquisition Assistance | O        |

#### Control Header

These fields are used for control in the GPS assistance protocol. They are shown in table A.13 below.

**Table A.13: GPS Control Header (Fields occurring once per message)**

| Parameter           | Bits | Scale Factor | Range    | Units     | Presence |
|---------------------|------|--------------|----------|-----------|----------|
| GPS Week            | 10   | 1            | 0 – 1023 | weeks     | M        |
| Field Types Present | 8    | 1            | ---      | bit field | M        |

#### GPS Week

This field specifies the GPS week number of the assistance being provided. GPS Week eliminates one-week ambiguities from the time of the GPS assistance. GPS Week field is mandatory unless only Acquisition Assistance is provided in this message; in this case it is optional (as indicated in Field Types Present).

#### Reference Time

These fields specify the relationship between GPS time and air-interface timing of the BTS transmission in the serving cell. These fields occur once per message; some are mandatory and some are conditional, as shown in table A.14 below.

**Table A.14: Reference Time (Fields occurring once per message)**

| Parameter        | # Bits | Scale Factor | Range                    | Units     | Incl. |
|------------------|--------|--------------|--------------------------|-----------|-------|
| GSM Time Present | 1      | ---          | Boolean                  | ---       | M     |
| GPS TOW          | 23     | 0.08         | 0-604799.92              | sec       | M     |
| FNm              | 21     | 1            | 0 – (2 <sup>21</sup> -1) | frames    | C     |
| TN               | 3      | 1            | 0 – 7                    | timeslots | C     |
| BN               | 8      | 1            | 0 – 156                  | bits      | C     |

#### GSM Time Present

This field indicates whether or not GSM air-interface timing information for the serving cell is present in this message. The MS shall interpret a value of “1” to mean that GSM timing information is present, and “0” to mean that only the GPS TOW field is provided. This field is mandatory.

#### GPS TOW

The GPS TOW (time-of-week) is a mandatory field and is specified with 80 msec resolution. When GSM Time Present is "1", GPS TOW and FNm/TN/BN IEs provide a valid relationship between GPS and GSM time. When GSM Time Present is "0", GPS TOW is simply an estimate of current GPS time of week.

### FNm/TN/BN

These fields specify the state of the GSM frame number, timeslot number, and bit number, respectively, of the serving cell at the time that correspond to GPS TOW. The frame number field is given modulo  $2^{21}$ , i.e., the MSB of the GSM frame number is truncated. The MS shall interpret FNm as the most recent of the two possible frame numbers that FNm could represent. These fields are conditionally present when GSM Time Present is "1".

### Reference Location

The Reference Location field contains a 3-D location (without uncertainty) specified as per GSM 03.32. The purpose of this field is to provide the MS with a priori knowledge of its location in order to improve GPS receiver performance. This field is present when Reference Location Present bit in Field Types Present is "1".

### DGPS Corrections

These fields specify the DGPS corrections to be used by the MS. These fields are present when DGPS Corrections Present bit in Field Types Present is "1". All fields are mandatory when DGPS Corrections are present in the GPS Assistance Data.

**Table A.15: DGPS Corrections**

| Parameter   | # Bits | Scale Factor   | Range                  | Units      | Incl. |
|---|--------|----------------|------------------------|------------|-------|
| The following fields occur once per message                 |        |                |                        |            |       |
| N_SAT   | 4      | 1              | 1 – 16                 | ---        | M     |
| Status/Health   | 3      | 1              | 0 – 7                  | ---        | M     |
| DGPS Reference Time   | 20     | 1              | 0 – 604799             | sec        | M     |
| The following fields occur once per satellite (N_SAT times) |        |                |                        |            |       |
| SatID   | 5      | ---            | 1 – 32                 | ---        | M     |
| SF  | 1      | ---            | 0 – 1                  | ---        | M     |
| UDRE  | 2      | ---            | 0 – 3                  | ---        | M     |
| PRC   | 16     | 0.02<br>(0.32) | ±655.34<br>(±10485.44) | meters     | M     |
| RRC   | 8      | 0.002 (0.032)  | ±0.254<br>(±4.064)     | meters/sec | M     |

### N\_SAT

This field indicates the number of satellites for which differential corrections are available. Corrections for up to 16 satellites can be included in the message.

### Status/Health

This field indicates the status of the differential corrections contained in the broadcast message. The values of this field and their respective meanings are shown below in table A.16.

**Table A.16: Values of Status/Health IE**

| Code | Indication                  |
|------|-----------------------------|
| 000  | UDRE Scale Factor = 1.0     |
| 001  | UDRE Scale Factor = 0.75    |
| 010  | UDRE Scale Factor = 0.5     |
| 011  | UDRE Scale Factor = 0.3     |
| 100  | UDRE Scale Factor = 0.2     |
| 101  | UDRE Scale Factor = 0.1     |
| 110  | No data available           |
| 111  | Data is invalid - disregard |



The first six values in this field indicate valid differential corrections. When using the values described below, the "UDRE Scale Factor" value is applied to the UDRE values contained in the message. The purpose is to indicate an estimate in the amount of error in the corrections.

The value "110" indicates that the source of the differential corrections (e.g., reference station or external DGPS network) is currently not providing information. The value "111" indicates that the corrections provided by the source are invalid, as judged by the source. In either case, the message shall contain no corrections for individual satellites. Any MS that receives DGPS Corrections in a GPS Assistance Data IE shall contain the appropriate logic to properly interpret this condition and look for the next IE.

#### DGPS Reference Time

This field indicates the baseline time for which the corrections are valid.

#### SatID

This field identifies the satellite for which the corrections are applicable. The values ranging from 0 to 31 represent satellite PRNs ranging from 1 to 32, respectively.

#### Scale Factor (SF)

This field indicates the resolution of the pseudorange and range-rate corrections for the particular satellite. Table A.17 below shows the meaning of the values for this field.

**Table A.17: Definition of Scale Factor IE**

| Value | PRC Resolution | RRC Resolution |
|-------|----------------|----------------|
| 0     | 0.02           | 0.002          |
| 1     | 0.32           | 0.032          |

#### User Differential Range Error (UDRE)

This field provides an estimate of the uncertainty ( $1-\sigma$ ) in the corrections for the particular satellite. The value in this field shall be multiplied by the UDRE Scale Factor in the common Corrections Status/Health field to determine the final UDRE estimate for the particular satellite. The meanings of the values for this field are described in table A.18 below.

**Table A.18: Values of UDRE IE**

| Value | Indication                  |
|-------|-----------------------------|
| 00    | $UDRE \leq 1.0$ m           |
| 01    | $1.0$ m < $UDRE \leq 4.0$ m |
| 10    | $4.0$ m < $UDRE \leq 8.0$ m |
| 11    | $8.0$ m < UDRE              |

#### Pseudo-Range Correction (PRC)

This field indicates the correction to the pseudorange for the particular satellite at the GPS Reference Time,  $t_0$ . The value of this field is given in meters (m) and the resolution depends on the value of Scale Factor, as shown in table A.17 above. The method of calculating this field is described in [3].

#### Pseudo-Range Rate Correction (RRC)

This field indicates the rate-of-change of the pseudorange correction for the particular satellite. The value of this field is given in meters per second (m/sec) and the resolution depends on the value of Scale Factor, as shown in table A.17 above. For some time  $t_1 > t_0$ , the corrections are estimated by

$$PRC(t_1) = PRC(t_0) + RRC(t_0) \cdot (t_1 - t_0) ,$$

and the MS uses this to correct the pseudorange it measures at  $t_1$ ,  $PR_m(t_1)$ , by

$$PR(t_1) = PR_m(t_1) + PRC(t_1) .$$

## Navigation Model

This set of fields contain information required to manage the transfer of precise navigation data to the GPS-capable MS. This information includes control bit fields as well as satellite ephemeris and clock corrections. This field is present when Navigation Model Present bit in Field Types Present is "1". The individual fields are given in table A.19 below, and the conditions for their presence is discussed below.

**Table A.19: Navigation Model (per-satellite fields - <sup>(1)</sup> = Positive range only)**

| Parameter  | #Bits             |                | Scale Factor     | Units                 | Incl. |
|--|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------------|-------|
| Navigation Model Flow Control (once per message)               |                   |                |                  |                       |       |
| Num_Sats_Total   | 4                 |                | 1                | ---                   | M     |
| Satellite and Format Identification (once per satellite)       |                   |                |                  |                       |       |
| SatID  | 6                 |                | ---              | ---                   | M     |
| Satellite Status   | 2                 |                | ---              | Boolean               | M     |
| Satellite Ephemeris and Clock Corrections (once per satellite) |                   |                |                  |                       |       |
|  | <b>Uncompr'd</b>  | <b>Compr'd</b> |                  |                       |       |
| IODE   | 8 <sup>(1)</sup>  | 4              | 1                | ---                   | C     |
| t <sub>oe</sub>  | 16 <sup>(1)</sup> | 7              | 2 <sup>4</sup>   | Sec                   | C     |
| C <sub>rc</sub>  | 16                | 12             | 2 <sup>-5</sup>  | Meters                | C     |
| C <sub>rs</sub>  | 16                | 12             | 2 <sup>-5</sup>  | Meters                | C     |
| C <sub>ic</sub>  | 16                | 9              | 2 <sup>-29</sup> | Radians               | C     |
| C <sub>is</sub>  | 16                | 9              | 2 <sup>-29</sup> | Radians               | C     |
| C <sub>uc</sub>  | 16                | 11             | 2 <sup>-29</sup> | Radians               | C     |
| C <sub>us</sub>  | 16                | 11             | 2 <sup>-29</sup> | Radians               | C     |
| e  | 32 <sup>(1)</sup> | 16             | 2 <sup>-33</sup> | ---                   | C     |
| M <sub>0</sub>   | 32                | 22             | 2 <sup>-31</sup> | Semi-circles          | C     |
| (A) <sup>1/2</sup>   | 32 <sup>(1)</sup> | 13             | 2 <sup>-19</sup> | Meters <sup>1/2</sup> | C     |
| Δn   | 16                | 11             | 2 <sup>-43</sup> | Semi-circles/sec      | C     |
| OMEGA <sub>0</sub>   | 32                | 14             | 2 <sup>-31</sup> | Semi-circles          | C     |
| OMEGAdot   | 24                | 12             | 2 <sup>-43</sup> | Semi-circles/sec      | C     |
| l <sub>0</sub>   | 32                | 15             | 2 <sup>-31</sup> | Semi-circles          | C     |
| ldot   | 14                | 11             | 2 <sup>-43</sup> | Semi-circles/sec      | C     |
| ω  | 32                | 21             | 2 <sup>-31</sup> | Semi-circles          | C     |
| t <sub>oc</sub>  | 16 <sup>(1)</sup> | 7              | 2 <sup>4</sup>   | Sec                   | C     |
| af <sub>0</sub>  | 22                | 7              | 2 <sup>-31</sup> | Sec                   | C     |
| af <sub>1</sub>  | 16                | 3              | 2 <sup>-43</sup> | sec/sec               | C     |
| af <sub>2</sub>  | 8                 | 1              | 2 <sup>-55</sup> | sec/sec <sup>2</sup>  | C     |

### Num\_Sats\_Total

This field specifies the number of satellites that are included in the provided Navigation Model. A range of 1-16 is available. This field is mandatory when the Navigation Model field is included in the message.

### SatID

This field identifies the satellite for which the assistance is applicable. This value is the same as the PRN number provided in the navigation message transmitted by the particular satellite. The range is 0 to 63, with 0-31 indicating GPS satellites 1-32, respectively, and 32-63 indicating satellites in future augmentation systems (e.g., WAAS or EGNOS). This field is mandatory for each included satellite.

### Satellite Status

This field is a two-bit value that indicates the status of the Navigation Model for the particular satellite specified by SatID. This field is mandatory for each included satellite. The MS shall interpret the combinations of the two bits as follows:

**Table A.20: Satellite Status (per-satellite field)**

| MSB | LSB | Interpretation  |
|-----|-----|---|
| 0   | 0   | New satellite, new Navigation Model - uncompressed      |
| 0   | 1   | Existing satellite, same Navigation Model               |
| 1   | 0   | Existing satellite, new Navigation Model - uncompressed |
| 1   | 1   | Existing satellite, new Navigation Model - compressed   |

This Satellite Ephemeris and Clock Corrections fields includes the parameters that accurately model the orbit and clock state of the particular satellite. For the particular satellite, these fields are conditional based on the value of Satellite Status for that satellite. The fields are absent when Satellite Status is "01", and present for all other values.

There are two possible formats for the Satellite Ephemeris and Clock Corrections for each satellite that is present:

**Uncompressed:** This is standard GPS format, as specified in [7]. Unless otherwise noted in table A.19, all uncompressed parameters are encoded in two's-complement format.

**Compressed:** The same parameters with the same resolution are provided in this format, but the dynamic ranges have been reduced. The compressed format can be used to update the Navigation Model for a visible satellite from a previous IODE to the current IODE. It is possible to send a compressed update for any satellite-specific IODE pair, but the dynamic ranges have been optimized for 24 hours or less. As shown in table A.19, the compressed model has almost 50% fewer bits than the full (uncompressed) model. Except for the IODE,  $t_{oe}$  and  $t_{oc}$  parameters, all compressed parameters are encoded in two's-complement format. The compression algorithm is specified in Annex B.

### Ionospheric Model

The Ionospheric Model contains fields needed to model the propagation delays of the GPS signals through the ionosphere. The information elements in this field are shown in table A.21 below. Proper use of these fields allows a single-frequency GPS receiver to remove approximately 50% of the ionospheric delay from the range measurements. The Ionospheric Model is valid for the entire constellation and changes slowly relative to the Navigation Model. This field is present when Ionospheric Model Present bit in Field Types Present is "1". All of the fields must be included when Ionospheric Model is present.

**Table A.21: Ionospheric Model (occurs once per message, when present)**

| Parameter  | # Bits | Scale Factor | Units                          | Incl. |
|------------|--------|--------------|--------------------------------|-------|
| $\alpha_0$ | 8      | $2^{-30}$    | seconds                        | C     |
| $\alpha_1$ | 8      | $2^{-27}$    | sec/semi-circle                | C     |
| $\alpha_2$ | 8      | $2^{-24}$    | sec/(semi-circle) <sup>2</sup> | C     |
| $\alpha_3$ | 8      | $2^{-24}$    | sec/(semi-circle) <sup>3</sup> | C     |
| $\beta_0$  | 8      | $2^{11}$     | seconds                        | C     |
| $\beta_1$  | 8      | $2^{14}$     | sec/semi-circle                | C     |
| $\beta_2$  | 8      | $2^{16}$     | sec/(semi-circle) <sup>2</sup> | C     |
| $\beta_3$  | 8      | $2^{16}$     | sec/(semi-circle) <sup>3</sup> | C     |

### UTC Model

The UTC Model field contains a set of parameters needed to relate GPS time to Universal Time Coordinate (UTC). This field is present when UTC Model Present bit in Field Types Present is "1". All of the fields in the UTC Model are mandatory when the field is present.

**Table A.22: UTC Model (occurs once per message, when present)**

| Parameter         | # Bits | Scale Factor     | Units   | Incl. |
|-------------------|--------|------------------|---------|-------|
| A <sub>0</sub>    | 32     | 2 <sup>-30</sup> | seconds | C     |
| A <sub>1</sub>    | 24     | 2 <sup>-50</sup> | sec/sec | C     |
| Δt <sub>LS</sub>  | 8      | 1                | seconds | C     |
| t <sub>ot</sub>   | 8      | 2 <sup>12</sup>  | seconds | C     |
| WN <sub>t</sub>   | 8      | 1                | weeks   | C     |
| WN <sub>LSF</sub> | 8      | 1                | weeks   | C     |
| DN                | 8      | 1                | days    | C     |
| Δt <sub>LSF</sub> | 8      | 1                | seconds | C     |

**Almanac**

These fields specify the coarse, long-term model of the satellite positions and clocks. These fields are given in table A.23 below. With one exception (δ<sub>i</sub>), these parameters are a subset of the ephemeris and clock correction parameters in the Navigation Model, although with reduced resolution and accuracy. The almanac model is useful for receiver tasks that require coarse accuracy, such as determining satellite visibility. The model is valid for up to one year, typically. Since it is a long-term model, the field should be provided for all satellites in the GPS constellation. All fields in the Almanac are mandatory when the Almanac is present.

The Almanac also is useful as an acquisition aid for network-based GPS methods. Given a recent Almanac (<3-4 weeks old), the MS only needs Reference Time and Reference Location information to quickly acquire the signals and return measurements to the network.

The parameters Num\_Sats\_Total and SatID shall be interpreted in the same manner as described under table A19.

**Table A.23: Almanac**

| Parameter                                     | # Bits | Scale Factor     | Units                 | Incl. |
|---|--------|------------------|-----------------------|-------|
| The following fields occur once per message   |        |                  |                       |       |
| Num_Sats_Total                                | 6      | 1                | ---                   | M     |
| t <sub>oa</sub>                               | 8      | 2 <sup>12</sup>  | sec                   | M     |
| The following fields occur once per satellite |        |                  |                       |       |
| SatID   | 6      | ---              | ---                   | M     |
| δ <sub>i</sub>                                | 16     | 2 <sup>-21</sup> | semi-circles          | M     |
| e   | 16     | 2 <sup>-21</sup> | dimensionless         | M     |
| M <sub>0</sub>                                | 24     | 2 <sup>-23</sup> | semi-circles          | M     |
| A <sup>1/2</sup>                              | 24     | 2 <sup>-11</sup> | meters <sup>1/2</sup> | M     |
| OMEGA <sub>0</sub>                            | 24     | 2 <sup>-23</sup> | semi-circles          | M     |
| OMEGADOT                                      | 16     | 2 <sup>-38</sup> | semi-circles/sec      | M     |
| ω   | 24     | 2 <sup>-23</sup> | semi-circles          | M     |
| af <sub>0</sub>                               | 11     | 2 <sup>-20</sup> | seconds               | M     |
| af <sub>1</sub>                               | 11     | 2 <sup>-38</sup> | sec/sec               | M     |

**Acquisition Assistance**

The Acquisition Assistance field of the GPS Assistance Data Information Element contains parameters that enable fast acquisition of the GPS signals in network-based GPS positioning. Essentially, these parameters describe the range and derivatives from respective satellites to the Reference Location at the Reference Time. Table A.24 illustrates the assistance data occurring once per message and table A.25 illustrates the assistance data occurring per number of satellites for which acquisition assistance is being provided.

This field is optional. The field would probably appear when the Method Type field of the Positioning Instructions IE is set to 0 (MS-Assisted) and the Positioning Methods field of the Position Instructions IE is set to 1 (GPS).

**Table A.24: GPS Acquisition Assist - Parameters appearing once per message**

| Parameter            | Range       | Bits                    | Resolution | Incl.    | Notes |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------------------|------------|----------|-------|
| Number of Satellites | 0 – 15      | 4                       |            | M        |       |
| Reference Time       | GPS         | <b>0 – 604799.92sec</b> | 23         | 0.08 sec | M     |
|                      | Frame #     | <b>0 – 2097151</b>      | 21         |          | O     |
|                      | Timeslots # | <b>0 – 7</b>            | 3          |          | O     |
|                      | Bit #       | <b>0 – 156</b>          | 8          |          | O     |

**Table A.25: GPS Acquisition Assist - Parameters appearing [number of satellites] times per message**

| Parameter                            | Range   | Bits | Resolution   | Incl. | Notes |
|--------------------------------------|---|------|--------------|-------|-------|
| SVID/PRNID                           | 1 – 64 (0 – 63 )  | 6    |              | M     |       |
| Doppler (0 <sup>th</sup> order term) | -5,120 Hz to 5,117.5 Hz                                   | 12   | 2.5 Hz       | M     |       |
| Doppler (1 <sup>st</sup> order term) | --1 – 0.5   | 6    |              | O     |       |
| Doppler Uncertainty                  | 12.5 Hz – 200 Hz<br>[2 <sup>-n</sup> (200) Hz, n = 0 – 4] | 3    |              | O     |       |
| Code Phase                           | 0 – 1022 chips  | 10   | 1 chip       | M     |       |
| Integer Code Phase                   | 0-19  | 5    | 1 C/A period | M     |       |
| GPS Bit number                       | 0 – 3   | 2    |              | M     |       |
| Code Phase Search Window             | 1 – 192 chips   | 4    |              | M     |       |
| Azimuth                              | 0 – 348.75 deg  | 5    | 11.25 deg    | O     |       |
| Elevation                            | 0 – 78.75 deg   | 3    | 11.25 deg    | O     |       |

**Number of Satellites**

This field contains the number of satellites identified in this information element. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0 – 15

**Reference Time**

The Reference Time field of the GPS Acquisition Assistance Data IE specifies the relationship between GPS time and air-interface timing of the BTS transmission in the serving cell.

**The GPS** subfield specifies the GPS TOW for which the location estimate is valid. This subfield is mandatory when the GPS Acquisition Assistance Data Information Element is included.

Range: 0 – 604799.92 sec

The **Frame #** subfield specifies the GSM frame number of the BTS transmissions for the serving cell that occur at the given GPS TOW. This subfield is optional when the GPS Acquisition Assistance Data Information Element is included.

Range: 0 – 2097151

The **Timeslots #** subfield specifies the GSM timeslot of the BTS transmissions for the serving cell that occur at the given GPS TOW. This subfield is optional when the GPS Acquisition Assistance Data Information Element is included.

Range: 0 – 7

The **Bit #** subfield specifies the GSM and bit number of the BTS transmissions for the serving cell that occur at the given GPS TOW. This subfield is optional when the GPS Acquisition Assistance Data Information Element is included.

Range: 0 – 156

**SVID/PRNID**

This field identifies the particular satellite for which the measurement data is supplied. This value is the same as the PRN number provided in the navigation message transmitted by the particular satellite.

The range is 0 to 63, where SVID = PRNID - 1

#### **Doppler (0<sup>th</sup> order term)**

This field contains the Doppler (0<sup>th</sup> order term) value. This field is mandatory.

Range: 5,120 Hz to 5,117.5 Hz

#### **Doppler (1<sup>st</sup> order term)**

This field contains the Doppler (1<sup>st</sup> order term) value. This field is optional.

Range: -1.0 to 0.5 Hz / s

#### **Doppler Uncertainty**

This field contains the Doppler uncertainty value. This field is optional.

Range: 12.5 Hz – 200 Hz

#### **Code Phase**

This field contains code phase. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0-1022 chips

#### **Integer Code Phase**

This field contains integer code phase. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0-19

#### **GPS Bit Number**

This field contains GPS bit number. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0-3

#### **Code Phase Search Window**

This field contains the code phase search window. This field is mandatory.

Range: 0-15 (i.e. 1-192 chips according to following table)

**Table A.26: Code Phase Search Window Parameter Format**

| <b>CODE_PHASE_WIN</b> | <b>Code Phase Search Window (GPS chips)</b> |
|-----------------------|---|
| '0000'                | 1023  |
| '0001'                | 1   |
| '0010'                | 2   |
| '0011'                | 3   |
| '0100'                | 4   |
| '0101'                | 6   |
| '0110'                | 8   |
| '0111'                | 12  |
| '1000'                | 16  |
| '1001'                | 24  |
| '1010'                | 32  |
| '1011'                | 48  |
| '1100'                | 64  |
| '1101'                | 96  |
| '1110'                | 128   |
| '1111'                | 192   |

**Azimuth**

This field contains the azimuth angle. This field is optional.

Range: 0 – 348.75 degrees.

#### **Elevation**

This field contains the elevation angle. This field is optional.

Range: 0 – 78.75 degrees

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## A.5 Assistance Data Acknowledgement

### A.5.1 General

The MS sends the Assistance Data Acknowledgement component to the SMLC to indicate that it has received the whole Assistance Data component.

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## A.6 Protocol Error

### A.6.1 General

This component is used by the receiving entity (SMLC or MS) to indicate to the sending entity, that there is a problem that prevents the receiving entity to receive a complete and understandable component.

This component has the following values:

'0': Undefined

'1': Missing Component

'2': Incorrect Data

'3': Missing Information Element or Component Element

'4': Message Too Short

'5': Unknown Reference Number

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## Annex B (normative): Navigation Model Compression Algorithm

This subannex describes the calculations used to compress and differentially encode the ephemeris and clock correction parameters in the Navigation Model. These calculations are illustrated by pseudocode, in which the following definitions are used:

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IODE0 = Past version of Navigation Model;
IODE1 = Current version of Navigation Model;
μ = 3.986005 x 1014 (constant);

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The encoding algorithm is given below.

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ΔIODE = (IODE1 - IODE0); account for [0,239] roll-over
if (ΔIODE <16) && (IODE1 <240) && (IODE0 <240),
    Send 4-bit ΔIODE value
else,
    Send 0000 and IODE1

Δtoe = ([toe(IODE1) - toe(IODE0)] % (7200/16 sec))

if |Δtoe| ≤ (22 -1),
    Send 3-bit Δtoe value AND
    the 4-bit number of 2hr intervals lapsed
else,
    Send 1<<2 and toe(IODE1)

ΔCrc = Crc(IODE1) - Crc(IODE0)
if |ΔCrc| ≤ (211 -1),
    Send 12-bit ΔCrc value
else,
    Send 1<<11 and Crc(IODE1)
ΔCrs = Crs(IODE1) - Crs(IODE0)
if |ΔCrs| ≤ (211 -1),
    Send 12-bit ΔCrs value
else,
    Send 1<<11 and Crs(IODE1)
ΔCic = Cic(IODE1) - Cic(IODE0)
if |ΔCic| ≤ (29 -1),
    Send 9-bit ΔCic value
else,
    Send 1<<8 and Cic(IODE1)
ΔCis = Cis(IODE1) - Cis(IODE0)
if |ΔCis| ≤ (28 -1),
    Send 9-bit ΔCis value
else,
    Send 1<<8 and Cis(IODE1)
ΔCuc = Cuc(IODE1) - Cuc(IODE0)
if |ΔCuc| ≤ (210 -1),
    Send 11-bit ΔCuc value
else,
    Send 1<<10 and Cuc(IODE1)
ΔCus = Cus(IODE1) - Cus(IODE0)
if |ΔCus| ≤ (210 -1),
    Send 11-bit ΔCus value
else,
    Send 1<<10 and Cus(IODE1)
Δe = e(IODE1) - e(IODE0)
if |Δe| ≤ (215 -1),
    Send 16-bit Δe value
else,
    Send 1<<15 and e(IODE1)
Δt = toe(IODE1) - toe(IODE0)
n0 = (μ/[A1/2(IODE0)]3)1/2
ΔM0 = M0(IODE1) - [M0(IODE0) + (n0 + Δn(IODE0))·Δt]
if |ΔM0| ≤ (221 -1),
    Send 22-bit ΔM0 value
else,

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    Send 1<<21 and  $M_0(\text{IODE}_1)$ 
 $\Delta A^{1/2} = A^{1/2}(\text{IODE}_1) - A^{1/2}(\text{IODE}_0)$ 
    if  $|\Delta A^{1/2}| \leq (2^{12} - 1)$ ,
        Send 13-bit  $\Delta A^{1/2}$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<12 and  $A^{1/2}(\text{IODE}_1)$ 
 $\Delta(\Delta n) = \Delta n(\text{IODE}_1) - \Delta n(\text{IODE}_0)$ 
    if  $|\Delta(\Delta n)| \leq (2^{10} - 1)$ ,
        Send 11-bit  $\Delta(\Delta n)$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<10 and  $\Delta n(\text{IODE}_1)$ 
 $\Delta t = t_{oc}(\text{IODE}_1) - t_{oc}(\text{IODE}_0)$ 
 $\Delta \text{OMEGA}_0 = \text{OMEGA}_0(\text{IODE}_1) -$ 
         $[\text{OMEGA}_0(\text{IODE}_0) + \text{OMEGAdot}(\text{IODE}_0) \cdot \Delta t]$ 
    if  $|\Delta \text{OMEGA}_0| \leq (2^{13} - 1)$ ,
        Send 14-bit  $\Delta \text{OMEGA}_0$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<13 and  $\text{OMEGA}_0(\text{IODE}_1)$ 

 $\Delta \text{OMEGAdot} = \text{OMEGAdot}(\text{IODE}_1) - \text{OMEGAdot}(\text{IODE}_0)$ 
    if  $|\Delta \text{OMEGAdot}| \leq (2^{11} - 1)$ ,
        Send 12-bit  $\Delta \text{OMEGAdot}$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<11 and  $\text{OMEGAdot}(\text{IODE}_1)$ 
 $\Delta I_0 = I_0(\text{IODE}_1) - I_0(\text{IODE}_0)$ 
    if  $|\Delta I_0| \leq (2^{14} - 1)$ ,
        Send 15-bit  $\Delta I_0$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<14 +  $I_0(\text{IODE}_1)$ 
 $\Delta \text{Idot} = \text{Idot}(\text{IODE}_1) - \text{Idot}(\text{IODE}_0)$ 
    if  $|\Delta \text{Idot}| \leq (2^{10} - 1)$ ,
        Send 11-bit  $\Delta \text{Idot}$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<10 and  $\text{Idot}(\text{IODE}_1)$ 
 $\Delta \omega = \omega(\text{IODE}_1) - \omega(\text{IODE}_0)$ 
    if  $|\Delta \omega| \leq (2^{20} - 1)$ ,
        Send 21-bit  $\Delta \omega$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<20 and  $\omega(\text{IODE}_1)$ 
 $\Delta t_{oc} = ([t_{oc}(\text{IODE}_1) - t_{oc}(\text{IODE}_0)] \% (7200/16 \text{ sec}))$ 

    if  $|\Delta t_{oc}| \leq (2^2 - 1)$ ,
        Send 3-bit  $\Delta t_{oc}$  value AND
        the 4-bit number of 2hr intervals lapsed
    else,
        Send 1<<2 and  $t_{oc}(\text{IODE}_1)$ 
 $\Delta t = t_{oc}(\text{IODE}_1) - t_{oc}(\text{IODE}_0)$ 
 $\Delta a f_0 = a f_0(\text{IODE}_1) -$ 
         $[a f_0(\text{IODE}_0) + a f_1(\text{IODE}_0) \cdot \Delta t + a f_2(\text{IODE}_0) \cdot \Delta t^2 / 2]$ 
    if  $|\Delta a f_0| \leq (2^5 - 1)$ ,
        Send 7-bit  $\Delta a f_0$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<6 and  $a f_0(\text{IODE}_1)$ 

 $\Delta a f_1 = a f_1(\text{IODE}_1) - [a f_1(\text{IODE}_0) + a f_2(\text{IODE}_0) \cdot \Delta t]$ 
    if  $|\Delta a f_1| \leq (2^2 - 1)$ ,
        Send 3-bit  $\Delta a f_1$  value
    else,
        Send 1<<2 and  $a f_1(\text{IODE}_1)$ 

    if  $a f_2(\text{IODE}_1) == 0$ ,
        Send  $\Delta a f_2 = 0$ 
    else,
        Send 1 and  $a f_2(\text{IODE}_1)$ 

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## Annex C (informative): Change History

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