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Introduction

Configuration Management (CM), in general, provides the operator with the ability to assure correct and effective operation of the 3G-network as it evolves. CM actions have the objective to control and monitor the actual configuration on the NEs and NRs, and they may be initiated by the operator or functions in the OSs or NEs.

CM actions may be requested as part of an implementation programme (e.g. additions and deletions), as part of an optimisation programme (e.g. modifications), and to maintain the overall Quality of Service. The CM actions are initiated either as a single action on a Network Element (NE) of the 3G-network or as part of a complex procedure involving actions on many NEs.

The Itf-N interface for Configuration Management is built up by a number of Integration Reference Points (IRPs) and a related Name Convention, which realise the functional capabilities over this interface. The basic structure of the IRPs is defined in 3GPP TS 32.101 [1] and 3GPP TS 32.102 [2]. For CM, a number of IRPs (and the Name Convention) are defined herein, used by this as well as other technical specifications for telecom management produced by 3GPP.

Due to the growing number of specifications to model new services and Resource Models for Configuration Management (CM), as well as the expected growth in size of each of them from 3GPP Release 4 onwards, a new structure of the specifications is already needed in Release 4. This structure is needed for several reasons, but mainly to enable more independent development and release for each part, as well as a simpler document identification and version handling. Another benefit would be that it becomes easier for bodies outside 3GPP, such as the ITU-T, to refer to telecom management specifications from 3GPP. The new structure of the specifications does not lose any information or functionality supported by the Release 1999. The restructuring also includes defining new IRPs for the Network Resource Model (NRM) parts of R99 Basic CM IRP (Generic, Core Network and UTRAN NRM). These IRPs are named "Network Resources IRP".

Further, the Notification IRP (in Release 1999: 32.106-1 to -4) and the Name convention for Managed Objects (in Release 1999: 32.106-8) have been moved to a separate number series used for specifications common between several management areas (e.g. CM, FM, PM).

Finally, in addition to the restructuring mentioned above, the need to define some new functionality and IRPs for CM compared to Release 1999, has also been identified. Firstly, a new Bulk CM IRP, and secondly an a GERAN Network Resources IRP, have been created. Thirdly, the Generic, UTRAN and GERAN Network Resources IRPs have been extended with support for GSM-UMTS Inter-system handover (ISH), and the 32.600 (Concept and High-level Requirements) has been modified to cover the high-level Bulk CM and ISH requirements.

Table 1: Mapping between Release '99 and the new specification numbering scheme

R99 Old no.	Old (R99) specification title	Rel-4 New no.	New (Rel-4) specification title
32.106-1	3G Configuration Management: Concept and Requirements	32.600	3G Configuration Management: Concept and High-level Requirements
32.106-1	<Notification IRP requirements from 32.106-1 and 32.106-2>	32.301	Notification IRP: Requirements
32.106-2	Notification IRP: IS	32.302	Notification IRP: Information Service
32.106-3	Notification IRP: CORBA SS	32.303	Notification IRP: CORBA SS
32.106-4	Notification IRP: CMIP SS	32.304	Notification IRP: CMIP SS
32.106-8	Name convention for Managed Objects	32.300	Name Convention for Managed Objects
32.106-1	<Basic CM IRP IS requirements from 32.106-1 and 32.106-5>	32.601	Basic CM IRP: Requirements
32.106-5	Basic CM IRP IM (Intro & IS part)	32.602	Basic CM IRP: Information Service
32.106-6	Basic CM IRP CORBA SS (IS related part)	32.603	Basic CM IRP: CORBA SS
32.106-7	Basic CM IRP CMIP SS (IS related part)	32.604	Basic CM IRP: CMIP SS
32.106-8	Name convention for Managed Objects	32.300	Name Convention for Managed Objects
-	-	32.611	Bulk CM IRP: Requirements
-	-	32.612	Bulk CM IRP: Information Service
-	-	32.613	Bulk CM IRP: CORBA SS
-	-	32.614	Bulk CM IRP: CMIP SS
		32.615	Bulk CM IRP: XML file format definition
32.106-1	<Basic CM IRP Generic NRM requirements from 32.106-1 and 32.106-5>	32.621	Generic Network Resources IRP: Requirements
32.106-5	Basic CM IRP IM (Generic NRM part)	32.622	Generic Network Resources IRP: NRM
32.106-6	Basic CM IRP CORBA SS (Generic NRM related part)	32.623	Generic Network Resources IRP: CORBA SS
32.106-7	Basic CM IRP CMIP SS (Generic NRM related part)	32.624	Generic Network Resources IRP: CMIP SS
32.106-1	<Basic CM IRP CN NRM requirements from 32.106-1 and 32.106-5>	32.631	Core Network Resources IRP: Requirements
32.106-5	Basic CM IRP IM (CN NRM part)	32.632	Core Network Resources IRP: NRM
32.106-6	Basic CM IRP CORBA SS (CN NRM related part)	32.633	Core Network Resources IRP: CORBA SS
32.106-7	Basic CM IRP CMIP SS (CN NRM related part)	32.634	Core Network Resources IRP: CMIP SS
32.106-1	<Basic CM IRP UTRAN NRM requirements from 32.106-1 and 32.106-5>	32.641	UTRAN Network Resources IRP: Requirements
32.106-5	Basic CM IRP IM (UTRAN NRM part)	32.642	UTRAN Network Resources IRP: NRM
32.106-6	Basic CM IRP CORBA SS (UTRAN NRM related part)	32.643	UTRAN Network Resources IRP: CORBA SS
32.106-7	Basic CM IRP CMIP SS (UTRAN NRM related part)	32.644	UTRAN Network Resources IRP: CMIP SS
		32.651	GERAN Network Resources IRP: Requirements
		32.652	GERAN Network Resources IRP: NRM
		32.653	GERAN Network Resources IRP: CORBA SS
		32.654	GERAN Network Resources IRP: CMIP SS

1 Scope

The purpose of this *GERAN Network Resources IRP: CORBA Solution Set* is to define the mapping of the IRP information model (see 3GPP TS 32.652 [4]) to the protocol specific details necessary for implementation of this IRP in a CORBA/IDL environment.

2 References

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

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- [1] 3GPP TS 32.101: "3G Telecom Management principles and high level requirements".
- [2] 3GPP TS 32.102: "3G Telecom Management architecture".
- [3] 3GPP TS 32.600: "3G Configuration Management".
- [4] 3GPP TS 32.652: "GERAN Network Resources IRP: NRM".
- [5] Void.
- [6] Void.
- [7] Void.
- [8] Void.
- [9] 3GPP TS 32.303: "Notification IRP: CORBA Solution Set".
- [10] 3GPP TS 32.111-3: "Alarm IRP: CORBA Solution Set".

3 Definitions and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For terms and definitions please refer to 3GPP TS 32.101 [1], 3GPP TS 32.102 [2], 3GPP TS 32.600 [3] and 3GPP TS 32.652 [4].

3.2 Abbreviations

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

CORBA	Common Object Request Broker Architecture
DN	Distinguished Name
IS	Information Service
IDL	Interface Definition Language (OMG)

IRP	Integration Reference Point
MO	Managed Object
MOC	Managed Object Class
NRM	Network Resource Model
OMG	Object Management Group
SS	Solution Set

4 Architectural features

The overall architectural feature of GERAN Network Resources IRP is specified in 3GPP TS 32.652[4]. This clause specifies features that are specific to the CORBA SS.

4.1 Notifications

Notifications are sent according to the Notification IRP: CORBA SS (see 3GPP TS 32.303 [9]).

5 Mapping

5.1 General mappings

The IS parameter name `managedObjectInstance` is mapped into DN.

Attributes modelling associations as defined in the NRM (here also called “reference attributes”) are in this SS mapped to attributes. The names of the reference attributes in the NRM are mapped to the corresponding attribute names in the MOC. When the cardinality for an association is 0..1 or 1..1 the datatype for the reference attribute is defined as an `MOReference`. The value of an MO reference contains the distinguished name of the associated MO. When the cardinality for an association allows more than one referred MO, the reference attribute will be of type `MOReferenceSet`, which contains a sequence of MO references.

If a reference attribute is changed, an `AttributeValueChange` notification is emitted.

5.2 GERAN NRM Managed Object Class (MOC) mapping

5.2.1 MOC `BssFunction`

Table 2: Mapping from NRM MOC `BssFunction` attributes to SS equivalent MOC `BssFunction` attributes

NRM Attributes of MOC <code>BssFunction</code> in 3GPP TS 32.652 [4]	SS Attributes	SS Type	Qualifier
<code>bssFunctionId</code>	<code>bssFunctionId</code>	string	Read-Only, M
<code>userLabel</code>	<code>userLabel</code>	string	Read-Write, M

5.2.2 MOC BtsSiteMgr

Table 3: Mapping from NRM MOC BtsSiteMgr attributes to SS equivalent MOC BtsSiteMgr attributes

NRM Attributes of MOC BtsSiteMgr in 3GPP TS 32.652 [4]	SS Attributes	SS Type	Qualifier
btsSiteMgrId	btsSiteMgrId	string	Read-Only, M
userLabel	userLabel	string	Read-Write, M
latitude	latitude	integer	Read-Write, O
longitude	longitude	integer	Read-Write, O

5.2.3 MOC GsmCell

Table 4: Mapping from NRM MOC GsmCell attributes to SS equivalent MOC GsmCell attributes

NRM Attributes of MOC GsmCell in 3GPP TS 32.652 [4]	SS Attributes	SS Type	Qualifier
gsmCellId	gsmCellId	string	Read-Only, M
userLabel	userLabel	string	Read-Write, M
cellIdentity	cellIdentity	integer	Read-Write, M
cellAllocation	cellAllocation	GenericNRIRP System::AttributesTypes::IntegerSet	Read-Write, M
ncc	ncc	integer	Read-Write, M
bcc	bcc	integer	Read-Write, M
lac	lac	integer	Read-Write, M
rac	rac	integer	Read-Write, O
racc	racc	integer	Read-Write, O
tsc	tsc	integer	Read-Write, M
rxLevAccessMin	rxLevAccessMin	integer	Read-Write, M
msTxPwrMaxCCH	msTxPwrMaxCCH	integer	Read-Write, M
hoppingSequenceNumber	hoppingSequenceNumber	integer	Read-Write, M
plmnPermitted	plmnPermitted	integer	Read-Write, M

5.2.4 MOC GsmRelation

Table 5: Mapping from NRM MOC GsmRelation attributes to SS equivalent MOC GsmRelation attributes

NRM Attributes of MOC GsmRelation in 3GPP TS 32.652 [4]	SS Attributes	SS Type	Qualifier
gsmRelationId	gsmRelationId	string	Read-Only, M
relationType	relationType	string	Read-Write, M
adjacentCell	adjacentCell	string	Read-Write, M
bcchFrequency	bcchFrequency	integer	Read- Only, O
ncc	ncc	integer	Read- Only, O
bcc	bcc	integer	Read- Only, O
lac	lac	integer	Read- Only, O

5.2.5 MOC ExternalGsmCell

Table 6: Mapping from NRM MOC ExternalGsmCell attributes to SS equivalent MOC ExternalGsmCell attributes

NRM Attributes of MOC ExternalGsmCell in 3GPP TS 32.652 [4]	SS Attributes	SS Type	Qualifier
externalGsmCellId	externalGsmCellId	string	Read-Only, M
userLabel	userLabel	string	Read-Write, M
cellIdentity	cellIdentity	integer	Read-Write, M
bcchFrequency	bcchFrequency	integer	Read-Write, M
ncc	ncc	integer	Read-Write, M
bcc	bcc	integer	Read-Write, M
lac	lac	integer	Read-Write, M
rac	rac	integer	Read-Write, O
racc	racc	integer	Read-Write, O

6 Rules for management information model extensions

This clause discusses how the models and IDL definitions provided in the present document can be extended for a particular implementation and still remain compliant with 3GPP SA5's specifications.

6.1 Allowed extensions

Vendor-specific MOCs may be supported. The vendor-specific MOCs may support new types of attributes. The 3GPP SA5-specified notifications may be issued referring to the vendor-specific MOCs and vendor-specific attributes. New MOCs shall be distinguishable from 3GPP SA5 MOCs by name. 3GPP SA5-specified and vendor-specific attributes may be used in vendor-specific MOCs. Vendor-specific attribute names shall be distinguishable from existing attribute names.

NRM MOCs may be subclassed. Subclassed MOCs shall maintain the specified behaviour of the 3GPP SA5's superior classes. They may add vendor-specific behaviour with vendor-specific attributes. When subclassing, naming attributes cannot be changed. The subclassed MOC shall support all attributes of its superior class. Vendor-specific attributes cannot be added to 3GPP SA5 NRM MOCs without subclassing.

When subclassing, the 3GPP SA5-specified containment rules and their specified cardinality shall still be followed. As an example, `ManagementNode` (or its subclasses) shall be contained under `SubNetwork` (or its subclasses). Also, in Rel-4, there may only be 0 or 1 `ManagementNode` (or its subclasses) contained under `SubNetwork` (or its subclasses).

Managed Object Instances may be instantiated as CORBA objects. This requires that the MOCs be represented in IDL. 3GPP SA5's NRM MOCs are not currently specified in IDL, but may be specified in IDL for instantiation or subclassing purposes. However, management information models should not require that IRPManagers access the instantiated managed objects other than through supported methods in the present document (3GPP TS 32.623-3).

Extension rules related to notifications (Notification categories, Event Types, Extended Event Types etc.) are for further study in 3GPP's Releases 5.

6.2 Extensions not allowed

The IDL specifications in the present document cannot be edited or altered. Any additional IDL specifications shall be specified in separate IDL files.

IDL interfaces (note: not MOCs) specified in the present document may not be subclassed or extended. New interfaces may be defined with vendor-specific methods.

Annex A (normative): CORBA IDL, NRM Definitions

```
#ifndef GeranNetworkResourcesNRMDefs_idl
#define GeranNetworkResourcesNRMDefs_idl

#pragma prefix "3gppsa5.org"

/**
 * This module defines constants for each MO class name and
 * the attribute names for each defined MO class.
 */
module GeranNetworkResourcesNRMDefs
{

    /**
     * Definitions for MO class BssFunction
     */
    interface BssFunction
    {
        const string CLASS = "BssFunction";

        // Attribute Names
        //
        const string bssFunctionId = "bssFunctionId";
        const string userLabel = "userLabel";
    };

    /**
     * Definitions for MO class BtsSiteMgr
     */
    interface BtsSiteMgr
    {
        const string CLASS = "BtsSiteMgr";

        // Attribute Names
        //
        const string btsSiteMgrId = "btsSiteMgrId";
        const string userLabel = "userLabel";
        const string latitude = "latitude";
        const string longitude = "longitude";
    };

    /**
     * Definitions for MO class GsmCell
     */
    interface GsmCell
    {
        const string CLASS = "GsmCell";

        // Attribute Names
        //
        const string gsmCellId = "gsmCellId";
        const string userLabel = "userLabel";
        const string cellIdentity = "cellIdentity";
    };
};
```

```
    const string cellAllocation = "cellAllocation";
    const string ncc = "ncc";
    const string bcc = "bcc";
    const string lac = "lac";
    const string rac = "rac";
    const string racc = "racc";
    const string tsc = "tsc";
    const string rxLevAccessMin = "rxLevAccessMin";
    const string msTxPwrMaxCCH = "msTxPwrMaxCCH";
    const string hoppingSequenceNumber = "hoppingSequenceNumber";
    const string plmnPermitted = "plmnPermitted";
};

/**
 * Definitions for MO class GsmRelation
 */
interface GsmRelation
{
    const string CLASS = "GsmRelation";

    // Attribute Names
    //
    const string gsmRelationId = "gsmRelationId";
    const string relationType = "relationType";
    const string adjacentCell = "adjacentCell";
    const string bcchFrequency = "bcchFrequency";
    const string ncc = "ncc";
    const string bcc = "bcc";
    const string lac = "lac";
};

/**
 * Definitions for MO class ExternalGsmCell
 */
interface ExternalGsmCell
{
    const string CLASS = "ExternalGsmCell";

    // Attribute Names
    //
    const string externalGsmCellId = "externalGsmCellId";
    const string userLabel = "userLabel";
    const string cellIdentity = "cellIdentity";
    const string bcchFrequency = "bcchFrequency";
    const string ncc = "ncc";
    const string bcc = "bcc";
    const string lac = "lac";
    const string rac = "rac";
    const string racc = "racc";
};

};

#endif
```

Annex B (informative): Change history

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