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1 Scope

The present document specifies the radio network layer signalling procedures of the control plane between eNBs in E-UTRAN. X2AP supports the functions of X2 interface by signalling procedures defined in this document. X2AP is developed in accordance to the general principles stated in [2] and [3].

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- [3] 3GPP TS 36.420: "Evolved Universal Terrestrial Radio Access Network (E-UTRAN);X2 General Aspects and Principles".
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- [20] 3GPP TS 23.216: "Single Radio Voice Call Continuity (SRVCC)".

3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

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

Elementary Procedure: X2AP protocol consists of Elementary Procedures (EPs). An X2AP Elementary Procedure is a unit of interaction between two eNBs. An EP consists of an initiating message and possibly a response message. Two kinds of EPs are used:

- **Class 1:** Elementary Procedures with response (success or failure),
- **Class 2:** Elementary Procedures without response.

E-RAB: Defined in [2].

3.2 Symbols

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

<symbol> <Explanation>

3.3 Abbreviations

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

DL	Downlink
EARFCN	E-UTRA Absolute Radio Frequency Channel Number
eNB	E-UTRAN NodeB
EP	Elementary Procedure
EPC	Evolved Packet Core
E-RAB	E-UTRAN Radio Access Bearer
E-UTRAN	Evolved UTRAN
GUMMEI	Globally Unique MME Identifier
HFN	Hyper Frame Number
IE	Information Element
MME	Mobility Management Entity
PDCP	Packet Data Convergence Protocol
PLMN	Public Land Mobile Network
S-GW	Serving Gateway
SN	Sequence Number
TAC	Tracking Area Code

UE User Equipment
UL Uplink

4 General

4.1 Procedure specification principles

The principle for specifying the procedure logic is to specify the functional behaviour of the terminating eNB exactly and completely. Any rule that specifies the behaviour of the originating eNB shall be possible to be verified with information that is visible within the system.

The following specification principles have been applied for the procedure text in clause 8:

- The procedure text discriminates between:
 - 1) Functionality which "shall" be executed

The procedure text indicates that the receiving node "shall" perform a certain function Y under a certain condition. If the receiving node supports procedure X but cannot perform functionality Y requested in the initiating message of a Class 1 EP, the receiving node shall respond with the message used to report unsuccessful outcome for this procedure, containing an appropriate cause value.
 - 2) Functionality which "shall, if supported" be executed

The procedure text indicates that the receiving node "shall, if supported," perform a certain function Y under a certain condition. If the receiving node supports procedure X, but does not support functionality Y, the receiving node shall proceed with the execution of the EP, possibly informing the requesting node about the not supported functionality.
- Any required inclusion of an optional IE in a response message is explicitly indicated in the procedure text. If the procedure text does not explicitly indicate that an optional IE shall be included in a response message, the optional IE shall not be included. For requirements on including *Criticality Diagnostics* IE, see section 10.

4.2 Forwards and backwards compatibility

The forwards and backwards compatibility of the protocol is assured by a mechanism where all current and future messages, and IEs or groups of related IEs, include ID and criticality fields that are coded in a standard format that will not be changed in the future. These parts can always be decoded regardless of the standard version.

4.3 Specification notations

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

Procedure	When referring to an elementary procedure in the specification the Procedure Name is written with the first letters in each word in upper case characters followed by the word "procedure", e.g. Handover Preparation procedure.
Message	When referring to a message in the specification the MESSAGE NAME is written with all letters in upper case characters followed by the word "message", e.g. HANDOVER REQUEST message.
IE	When referring to an information element (IE) in the specification the <i>Information Element Name</i> is written with the first letters in each word in upper case characters and all letters in Italic font followed by the abbreviation "IE", e.g. <i>E-RAB ID</i> IE.
Value of an IE	When referring to the value of an information element (IE) in the specification the "Value" is written as it is specified in subclause 9.2 enclosed by quotation marks, e.g. "Value".

5 X2AP services

The present clause describes the services an eNB offers to its neighbours.

5.1 X2AP procedure modules

The X2 interface X2AP procedures are divided into two modules as follows:

1. X2AP Basic Mobility Procedures;
2. X2AP Global Procedures;

The X2AP Basic Mobility Procedures module contains procedures used to handle the UE mobility within E-UTRAN.

The Global Procedures module contains procedures that are not related to a specific UE. The procedures in this module are in contrast to the above module involving two peer eNBs.

5.2 Parallel transactions

Unless explicitly indicated in the procedure specification, at any instance in time one protocol peer shall have a maximum of one ongoing X2AP procedure related to a certain UE.

6 Services expected from signalling transport

Editors Note: More clarification to be added here when definition clearer in 36.401.

The signalling connection shall provide in sequence delivery of X2AP messages. X2AP shall be notified if the signalling connection breaks.

7 Functions of X2AP

The X2AP protocol provides the following functions:

- Mobility Management. This function allows the eNB to move the responsibility of a certain UE to another eNB. Forwarding of user plane data, Status Transfer and UE Context Release function are parts of the mobility management.
- Load Management. This function is used by eNBs to indicate resource status, overload and traffic load to each other.
- Reporting of General Error Situations. This function allows reporting of general error situations, for which function specific error messages have not been defined.
- Resetting the X2. This function is used to reset the X2 interface.
- Setting up the X2. This function is used to exchange necessary data for the eNB for setup the X2 interface and implicitly perform an X2 Reset.
- eNB Configuration Update. This function allows updating of application level data needed for two eNBs to interoperate correctly over the X2 interface.

The mapping between the above functions and X2 EPs is shown in the table below.

Table 7-1: Mapping between X2AP functions and X2AP EPs

Function	Elementary Procedure(s)
Mobility Management	a) Handover Preparation b) SN Status Transfer c) UE Context Release d) Handover Cancel
Load Management	a) Load Indication b) Resource Status Update Initiation c) Resource Status Reporting
Reporting of General Error Situations	Error Indication
Resetting the X2	Reset
Setting up the X2	X2 Setup
eNB Configuration Update	eNB Configuration Update

8 X2AP procedures

8.1 Elementary procedures

In the following tables, all EPs are divided into Class 1 and Class 2 EPs.

Table 8.1-1: Class 1 Elementary Procedures

Elementary Procedure	Initiating Message	Successful Outcome	Unsuccessful Outcome
		Response message	Response message
Handover Preparation	HANDOVER REQUEST	HANDOVER REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE	HANDOVER PREPARATION FAILURE
Reset	RESET REQUEST	RESET RESPONSE	
X2 Setup	X2 SETUP REQUEST	X2 SETUP RESPONSE	X2 SETUP FAILURE
eNB Configuration Update	ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE	ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE ACKNOWLEDGE	ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE FAILURE
Resource Status Reporting Initiation	RESOURCE STATUS REQUEST	RESOURCE STATUS RESPONSE	RESOURCE STATUS FAILURE

Table 8.1-2: Class 2 Elementary Procedures

Elementary Procedure	Initiating Message
Load Indication	LOAD INFORMATION
Handover Cancel	HANDOVER CANCEL
SN Status Transfer	SN STATUS TRANSFER
UE Context Release	UE CONTEXT RELEASE
Resource Status Reporting	RESOURCE STATUS UPDATE
Error Indication	ERROR INDICATION

8.2 Basic mobility procedures

8.2.1 Handover Preparation

8.2.1.1 General

This procedure is used to establish necessary resources in an eNB for an incoming handover.

The procedure uses UE-associated signalling.

8.2.1.2 Successful Operation

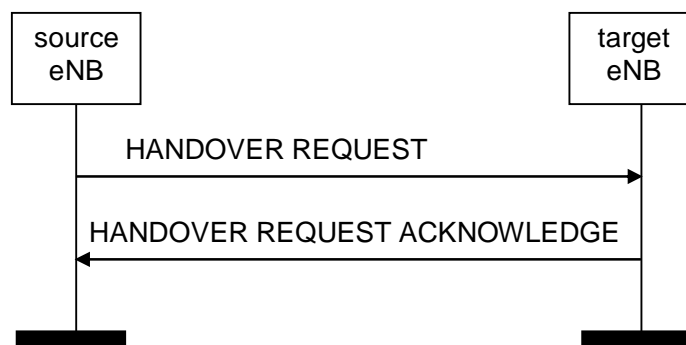


Figure 8.2.1.2-1: Handover Preparation, successful operation

The source eNB initiates the procedure by sending the HANOVER REQUEST message to the target eNB. When the source eNB sends the HANOVER REQUEST message, it shall start the timer $T_{\text{RELOCprep}}$.

The allocation of resources according to the values of the *Allocation and Retention Priority* IE shall follow the principles described for the E-RAB Setup procedure in [4].

If at least one of the requested E-RABs is admitted to the cell, the target eNB shall reserve necessary resources, and send the HANOVER REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE message back to the source eNB. The target eNB shall include the E-RABs for which resources have been prepared at the target cell in the *E-RABs Admitted List* IE. The target eNB shall include the E-RABs that have not been admitted in the *E-RABs Not Admitted List* IE with an appropriate cause value.

At reception of the HANOVER REQUEST message the target eNB shall:

- prepare configuration of the AS security relation between UE and target eNB using the information in *UE Security Capabilities* IE and the *AS Security Information* IE in the *UE Context Information* IE.

For each E-RAB for which the source eNB proposes to do forwarding of downlink data, the source eNB shall include the *DL Forwarding* IE within the *E-RABs To be Setup Item* IE of the HANOVER REQUEST message. For each E-RAB that it has decided to admit, the target eNB may include the *DL GTP Tunnel Endpoint* IE within the *E-RABs Admitted Item* IE of the HANOVER REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE message to indicate that it accepts the proposed forwarding of downlink data for this bearer. This GTP tunnel endpoint may be different from the corresponding *GTP TEID* IE in the *E-RAB To Be Switched in Downlink List* of the PATH SWITCH REQUEST message (see [4]) depending on implementation choice.

For each bearer in the *E-RABs Admitted List* IE, the target eNB may include the *UL GTP Tunnel Endpoint* IE to indicate that it requests data forwarding of uplink packets to be performed for that bearer.

Upon reception of the HANOVER REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE message the source eNB shall stop the timer $T_{\text{RELOCprep}}$, start the timer $T_{\text{X2RELOCoverall}}$ and terminate the Handover Preparation procedure. The source eNB is then defined to have a Prepared Handover for that X2 UE-associated signalling.

If the *Trace Activation* IE is included in the HANOVER REQUEST message then the target eNB shall, if supported initiate the requested trace function as described in [6].

If the *Handover Restriction List* IE is

- contained in the HANOVER REQUEST message, the target eNB shall store the information received in the *Handover Restriction List* IE in the UE context and the target eNB should use this information to determine a target cell for the UE during subsequent handover attempts.
- not contained in the HANOVER REQUEST message, the target eNB shall consider that no access restriction applies to the UE.

If the *Location Reporting Information* IE is included in the HANOVER REQUEST message then the eNB should initiate the requested location reporting functionality as defined in [4].

If the *SRVCC Operation Possible* IE is included in the HANOVER REQUEST message, the target eNB shall store the received "SRVCC Operation Possible" in the UE context and use it as defined in [20].

The HANOVER REQUEST message shall contain the *Subscriber Profile ID for RAT/Frequency priority* IE, if available.

If the *Subscriber Profile ID for RAT/Frequency priority* IE is

- contained in the HANOVER REQUEST message, the target eNB shall store this information and the target eNB should use the information as defined in [15].

Upon reception of *UE History Information* IE in the HANOVER REQUEST message, the eNB shall collect the information defined as mandatory and may collect the information defined as optional in the *UE History Information* IE, for as long as the UE stays in one of its cells, and store the collected information to be used for future handover preparations.

8.2.1.3 Unsuccessful Operation

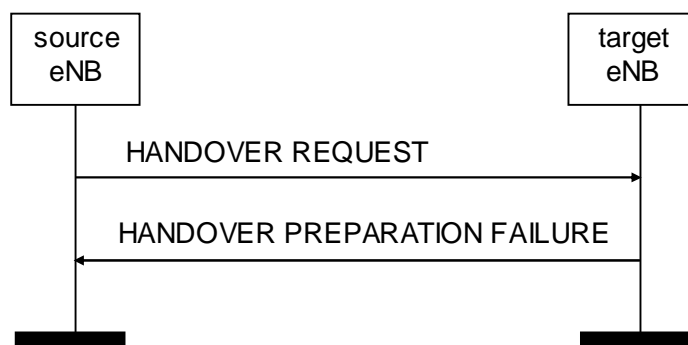


Figure 8.2.1.3-1: Handover Preparation, unsuccessful operation

If the target eNB is not able to accept any of the E-RABs or a failure occurs during the Handover Preparation, the target eNB shall send the HANOVER PREPARATION FAILURE message to the source eNB. The message shall contain the *Cause* IE with an appropriate value.

If the target eNB receives a HANOVER REQUEST message containing *RRC Context* IE that does not include required information as specified in [9], the target eNB shall send the HANOVER PREPARATION FAILURE message to the source eNB.

Interactions with Handover Cancel procedure:

If there is no response from the target eNB to the HANOVER REQUEST message before timer $T_{RELOC_{prep}}$ expires in the source eNB, the source eNB should cancel the Handover Preparation procedure towards the target eNB by initiating the Handover Cancel procedure with the appropriate value for the *Cause* IE. The source eNB shall ignore any HANOVER REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE or HANOVER PREPARATION FAILURE message received after the initiation of the Handover Cancel procedure and remove any reference and release any resources related to the concerned X2 UE-associated signalling.

8.2.1.4 Abnormal Conditions

If the target eNB receives a HANOVER REQUEST message containing several *E-RAB ID* IEs (in the *E-RABs To Be Setup List* IE) set to the same value, the target eNB shall not admit the corresponding E-RABs.

If the target eNB receives a HANOVER REQUEST message containing a *E-RAB Level QoS Parameters* IE which contains a *QCI* IE indicating a GBR bearer (as defined in [13]), and which does not contain the *GBR QoS Information* IE, the target eNB shall not admit the corresponding E-RAB.

8.2.2 SN Status Transfer

8.2.2.1 General

The purpose of the SN Status Transfer procedure is to transfer the uplink PDCP-SN and HFN receiver status and the downlink PDCP-SN and HFN transmitter status from the source to the target eNB during an X2 handover for each respective E-RAB for which PDCP SN and HFN status preservation applies.

The procedure uses UE-associated signalling.

8.2.2.2 Successful Operation

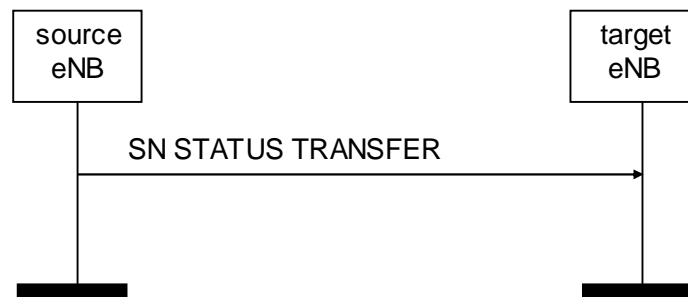


Figure 8.2.2.2-1: SN Status Transfer, successful operation

The source eNB initiates the procedure by stop assigning PDCP SNs to downlink SDUs and stop delivering UL SDUs towards the EPC and sending the SN STATUS TRANSFER message to the target eNB at the time point when it considers the transmitter/receiver status to be frozen.

The *E-RABs Subject To Status Transfer List* IE included in the SN STATUS TRANSFER message contains the E-RAB ID(s) corresponding to the E-RAB(s) for which PDCP SN and HFN status preservation shall be applied.

At that point of time, the source eNB shall either:

- discard the uplink packets received out of sequence for an E-RAB for which PDCP SN and HFN status preservation applies, if the source eNB has not accepted the request from the target eNB for uplink forwarding or if the target eNB has not requested uplink forwarding for the bearer during the Handover Preparation procedure,
- forward the uplink packets received out of sequence for an E-RAB for which PDCP SN and HFN status preservation applies, if the source eNB has accepted the request from the target eNB for uplink forwarding for the bearer during the Handover Preparation procedure,
- send the uplink packets received out of sequence to the EPC for an E-RAB for which PDCP SN and HFN status preservation doesn't apply.

The source eNB may also include in the SN STATUS TRANSFER message the missing and received uplink SDUs in the *Receive Status Of UL PDCP SDUs* IE for each E-RAB for which the source eNB has accepted the request from the target eNB for uplink forwarding.

For each E-RAB for which the *UL COUNT Value* IE is received in the SN STATUS TRANSFER message, the target eNB shall use it and not deliver any uplink packet which has a PDCP SN lower than the value contained in the *PDCP-SN* IE of this IE.

If the *Receive Status Of UL PDCP SDUs* IE is included in the SN STATUS TRANSFER message for at least one E-RAB, the target eNB may use it in a Status Report message sent to the UE over the radio.

If the *DL COUNT Value* IE is received in the SN STATUS TRANSFER message for one E-RAB, the target eNB shall use it to mark with the value contained in the *PDCP-SN* IE of this IE the first downlink packet for which there is no PDCP SN yet assigned.

8.2.2.3 Abnormal Conditions

If the target eNB receives this message for a UE for which no prepared handover exists at the target eNB, the target eNB shall ignore the message.

8.2.3 UE Context Release

8.2.3.1 General

The UE Context Release procedure is initiated by the target eNB to signal to the source eNB that control plane resources for the handed over UE context can be released.

The procedure uses UE-associated signalling.

8.2.3.2 Successful Operation



Figure 8.2.3.2-1: UE Context Release, successful operation

The UE Context Release procedure is initiated by the target eNB. By sending UE CONTEXT RELEASE the target eNB informs success of Handover to source eNB and triggers the release of resources.

Upon reception of the UE CONTEXT RELEASE message, the source eNB can release radio and control plane related resources associated to the UE context. For E-RABs for which data forwarding has been performed, the source eNB should continue forwarding of U-plane data as long as packets are received at the source eNB from the EPC or the source eNB buffer has not been emptied (an implementation dependent mechanism decides that data forwarding can be stopped).

8.2.3.3 Unsuccessful Operation

Not applicable.

8.2.3.4 Abnormal Conditions

If the UE Context Release procedure is not initiated towards the source eNB from any prepared eNB before the expiry of the timer $TX2_{RELOCoverall}$, the source eNB shall release all resources associated to the UE context and request the MME to release the UE context.

If the UE returns to source eNB before the reception of the UE CONTEXT RELEASE message or the expiry of the timer $TX2_{RELOCoverall}$, the source eNB shall stop the $TX2_{RELOCoverall}$ and continue.

8.2.4 Handover Cancel

8.2.4.1 General

The Handover Cancel procedure is used to cancel an already prepared handover or to indicate an unsuccessful handover preparation operation as defined in section 8.2.1.3.

The procedure uses UE-associated signalling.

8.2.4.2 Successful Operation



Figure 8.2.4.2-1: Handover Cancel, successful operation

The source eNB initiates the procedure by sending the HANOVER CANCEL message to the target eNB. The source eNB shall indicate the reason for cancelling the handover by means of an appropriate cause value.

At the reception of the HANOVER CANCEL message, the target eNB shall remove any reference to, and release any resources previously reserved to the concerned UE context.

The *New eNB UE X2AP ID* IE shall be included if it has been obtained from the target eNB.

8.2.4.3 Unsuccessful Operation

Not applicable.

8.2.4.4 Abnormal Conditions

Should the HANOVER CANCEL message refer to a context that does not exist, the target eNB shall ignore the message.

8.3 Global Procedures

8.3.1 Load Indication

8.3.1.1 General

The purpose of the Load Indication procedure is to transfer load and interference co-ordination information between intra-frequency neighboring eNBs.

The procedure uses non UE-associated signalling.

8.3.1.2 Successful Operation

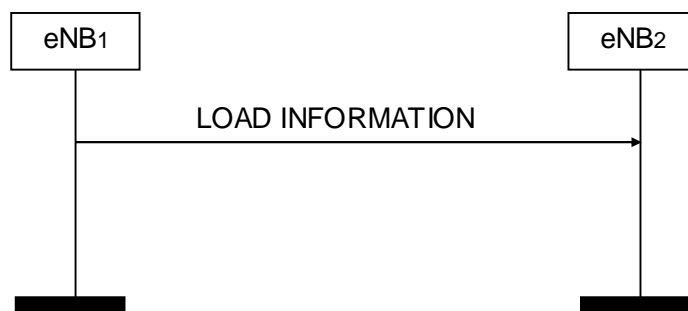


Figure 8.3.1.2-1: Load Indication, successful operation

An eNB initiates the procedure by sending LOAD INFORMATION message to intra-frequency neighbouring eNBs.

If the *UL Interference Overload Indication* IE is received in the LOAD INFORMATION message, it indicates the interference level experienced by the sending eNB on some resource blocks. The receiving eNB may take such information into account when setting its scheduling policy and shall consider the received *UL Interference Overload Indication* IE value valid until reception of a new LOAD INFORMATION message carrying an update of the same IE.

If the *UL High Interference Indication* IE is received in the LOAD INFORMATION message, it indicates, per PRB, the occurrence of high interference sensitivity, as seen from the sending eNB. The receiving eNB should try to avoid scheduling cell edge UEs in its cells for the concerned PRBs. The *Target Cell ID* IE received within the *UL High Interference Information* IE group in the LOAD INFORMATION message indicates the cell for which the corresponding UL High Interference Indication is meant. The receiving eNB shall consider the value of the *UL High Interference Information* IE group valid until reception of a new LOAD INFORMATION message carrying an update.

If the *Relative Narrowband Tx Power (RNTP)* IE is received in the LOAD INFORMATION message, it indicates, per PRB, whether downlink transmission power is lower than the value indicated by the *RNTP Threshold* IE. The receiving eNB may take such information into account when setting its scheduling policy and shall consider the received *Relative Narrowband Tx Power (RNTP)* IE value valid until reception of a new LOAD INFORMATION message carrying an update.

8.3.1.3 Unsuccessful Operation

Not applicable.

8.3.1.4 Abnormal Conditions

Void.

8.3.2 Error Indication

Editor Note: Used by peer node to report detected errors in a received message.

8.3.2.1 General

The Error Indication procedure is initiated by an eNB to report detected errors in one incoming message, provided they cannot be reported by an appropriate failure message.

If the error situation arises due to reception of a message utilising UE associated signalling, then the Error Indication procedure uses UE-associated signalling. Otherwise the procedure uses non UE-associated signalling.

8.3.2.2 Successful Operation

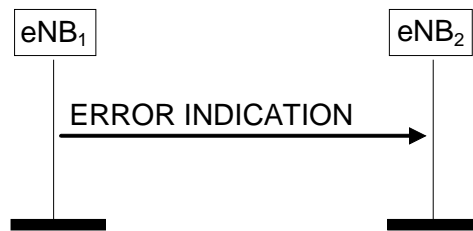


Figure 8.3.2.2-1: Error Indication, successful operation.

When the conditions defined in clause 10 are fulfilled, the Error Indication procedure is initiated by an ERROR INDICATION message sent from the node detecting the error situation.

The ERROR INDICATION message shall contain at least either the *Cause IE* or the *Criticality Diagnostics IE*.

In case the Error Indication procedure is triggered by UE associated signalling the *Old eNB UE X2AP ID IE* and *New eNB UE X2AP ID IE* shall be included in the ERROR INDICATION message. If one or both of *Old eNB UE X2AP ID IE* and *New eNB UE X2AP ID IE* are not correct, the cause shall be set to appropriate value e.g. "unknown Old eNB UE X2AP ID", "unknown New eNB UE X2AP ID" or "unknown pair of UE X2AP ID".

8.3.2.3 Unsuccessful Operation

Not applicable.

8.3.2.4 Abnormal Conditions

Not applicable.

8.3.3 X2 Setup

8.3.3.1 General

The purpose of the X2 Setup procedure is to exchange application level data needed for two eNBs to interoperate correctly over the X2 interface. This procedure erases any existing application level configuration data in the two nodes and replaces it by the one received. This procedure also resets the X2 interface like a Reset procedure would do.

The procedure uses non UE-associated signalling.

8.3.3.2 Successful Operation

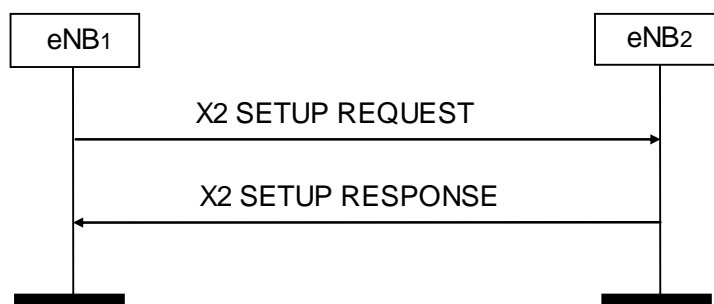


Figure 8.3.3.2-1: X2 Setup, successful operation

An eNB initiates the procedure by sending an X2 SETUP REQUEST message to a candidate eNB. Candidate eNB replies with an X2 SETUP RESPONSE message. The initiating eNB transfers a list of served cells and, if available, a

list of supported GU Group Ids to the candidate eNB. Candidate eNB replies with a list of its served cells and shall include, if available, a list of supported GU Group Ids in the reply.

The initiating eNB may include the *Neighbour Information* IE in the X2 SETUP REQUEST message. The candidate eNB may also include the *Neighbour Information* IE in the X2 SETUP RESPONSE message. The *Neighbour Information* IE shall only include E-UTRAN cells that are direct neighbours of cells in the reporting eNB.

8.3.3.3 Unsuccessful Operation

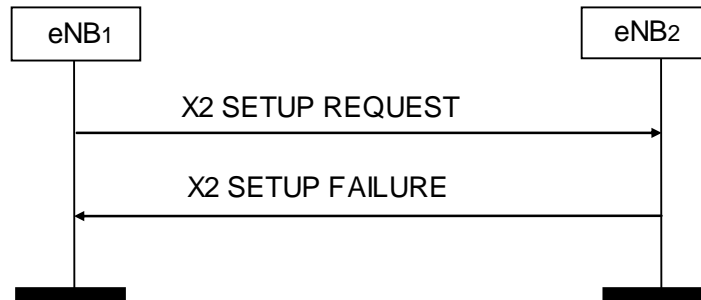


Figure 8.3.3.3-1: X2 Setup, unsuccessful operation

If the candidate eNB can not accept the setup it shall respond with an X2 SETUP FAILURE message with appropriate cause value.

If the X2 SETUP FAILURE messages include the *Time To Wait* IE the eNB shall wait at least for the indicated time before reinitiating the X2 setup towards the same eNB.

8.3.3.4 Abnormal Conditions

If the X2 SETUP REQUEST message is not the first message received for a specific TNL association then this shall be treated as a logical error.

8.3.4 Reset

8.3.4.1 General

The purpose of the Reset procedure is to align the resources in eNB₁ and eNB₂ in the event of an abnormal failure. The procedure resets the X2 interface. This procedure doesn't affect the application level configuration data exchanged during the X2 Setup procedure.

The procedure uses non UE-associated signalling.

8.3.4.2 Successful Operation

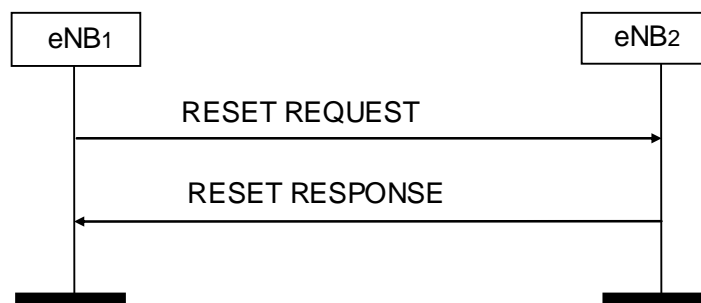


Figure 8.3.4.2-1: Reset, successful operation

The procedure is initiated with a RESET REQUEST message sent from the eNB₁ to the eNB₂. Upon receipt of this message, eNB₂ shall abort any other ongoing procedures over X2 between eNB₁ and eNB₂. The eNB₂ shall delete all the context information related to the eNB₁, except the application level data exchanged during the X2 Setup or eNB

Configuration Update procedures, and release the corresponding resources. After completion of release of the resources, the eNB₂ shall respond with a RESET RESPONSE message.

8.3.4.3 Unsuccessful Operation

Void.

8.3.4.4 Abnormal Conditions

If the RESET REQUEST message is received, any other ongoing procedure (except another Reset procedure) on the same X2 interface shall be aborted.

If Reset procedure is ongoing and eNB receives a RESET REQUEST message from the peer entity on the same X2 interface, the eNB shall respond with RESET RESPONSE message as described in 8.3.4.2.

8.3.5 eNB Configuration Update

8.3.5.1 General

The purpose of the eNB Configuration Update procedure is to update application level data needed for two eNBs to interoperate correctly over the X2 interface.

The procedure uses non UE-associated signalling.

8.3.5.2 Successful Operation

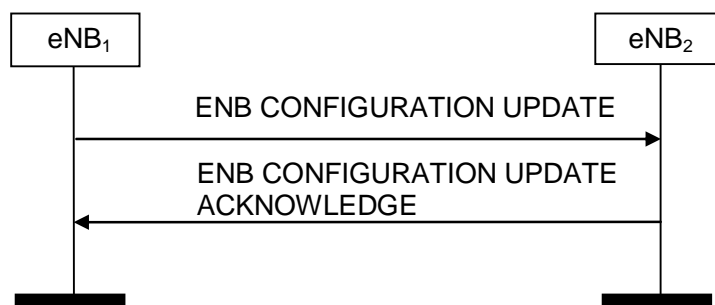


Figure 8.3.5.2-1: eNB Configuration Update, successful operation

An eNB1 initiates the procedure by sending an ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE message to a peer eNB2.

Upon reception of an ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, eNB2 shall update the information for eNB1 as follows:

Update of Served Cell Information:

- If *Served Cells To Add* IE is contained in the ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, eNB2 shall add cell information according to the information in the *Served Cell Information* IE.
- If *Served Cells To Modify* IE is contained in the ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, eNB2 shall modify information of cell indicated by *Old ECGI* IE according to the information in the *Served Cell Information* IE.
- If *Served Cells To Delete* IE is contained in the ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, eNB2 shall delete information of cell indicated by *Old ECGI* IE.

Update of GU Group ID List:

- If *GU Group Id To Add List* IE is contained in the ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, eNB2 shall add the GU Group Id to its GU Group Id List.

- If *GU Group Id To Delete List* IE is contained in the ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, eNB2 shall remove the GU Group Id from its GU Group Id List.

Update of Neighbour Information:

If *Neighbour Information* IE is contained in the ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, eNB2 may use this information to update its neighbour cell relations, or use it for other functions, like PCI selection. The *Neighbour Information* IE shall only include E-UTRAN cells that are direct neighbours of cells in the reporting eNB.

After successful update of requested information, eNB2 shall reply with the ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE ACKNOWLEDGE message to inform the initiating eNB1 that the requested update of application data was performed successfully. In case the peer eNB2 receives an ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE without any IE except for *MessageType* IE it shall reply with ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE ACKNOWLEDGE message without performing any updates to the existing configuration.

The eNB1 may initiate a further eNB Configuration Update procedure only after a previous eNB Configuration Update procedure has been completed.

8.3.5.3 Unsuccessful Operation

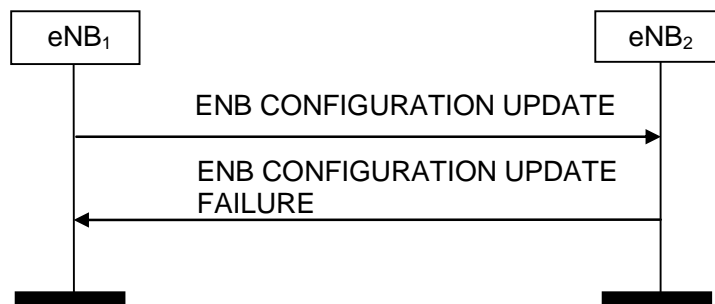


Figure 8.3.5.3-1: eNBConfiguration Update, unsuccessful operation

If the eNB can not accept the update it shall respond with an ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE FAILURE message and appropriate cause value.

If the ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE FAILURE message includes the *Time To Wait* IE the eNB shall wait at least for the indicated time before reinitiating the eNB Configuration Update procedure towards the same eNB. Both nodes shall continue to operate the X2 with the existing configuration data.

8.3.5.4 Abnormal Conditions

If the initiating eNB1 can receive neither ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE ACKNOWLEDGE message nor ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE FAILURE message, the eNB1 may reinitiate the eNB Configuration Update procedure towards the same eNB.

8.3.6 Resource Status Reporting Initiation

8.3.6.1 General

This procedure is used by an eNB to request the reporting of load measurements to another eNB.

The procedure uses non UE-associated signalling.

8.3.6.2 Successful Operation

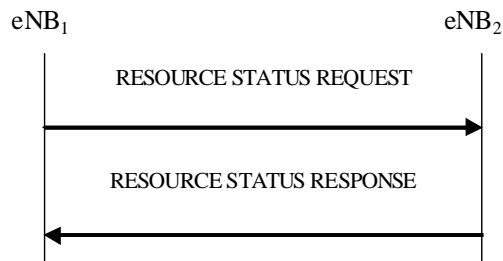


Figure 8.3.6.2-1: Resource Status Initiation, successful operation

The procedure is initiated with a RESOURCE STATUS REQUEST message sent from eNB1 to eNB2. Upon receipt, eNB2 shall initiate the requested measurement according to the parameters given in the request in case the *Registration Request* IE set to "start" and shall terminate the reporting in case the *Registration Request* IE set to "stop".

If the *Reporting Periodicity* IE is included in the RESOURCE STATUS REQUEST message, eNB2 shall use its value as the time interval between two subsequent measurement reports. If this value is not specified, eNB2 shall apply a default value or shall fail the procedure.

If the *Cell Id List* IE is included in the RESOURCE STATUS REQUEST message, eNB2 shall perform and report measurements only for the cells included in the list. If this value is not specified, eNB2 shall report all the cells it controls.

Response message

If eNB2 was able to initiate the measurements as requested by eNB1, it shall respond with the RESOURCE STATUS RESPONSE message.

8.3.6.3 Unsuccessful Operation

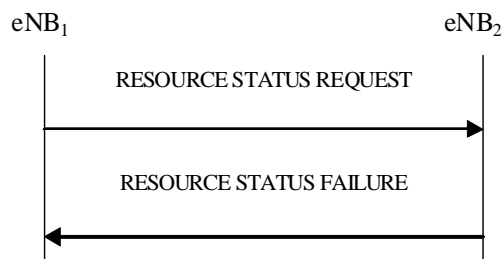


Figure 8.3.6.3-1: Resource Status Initiation, unsuccessful operation

If the requested measurement cannot be initiated, eNB2 shall send a RESOURCE STATUS FAILURE message. The *Cause* IE shall be set to an appropriate value.

8.3.6.4 Abnormal Conditions

Void

8.3.7 Resource Status Reporting

8.3.7.1 General

This procedure is initiated by eNB2 to report the result of measurements requested by eNB1 using the Resource Status Reporting Initiation.

The procedure uses non UE-associated signalling.

8.3.7.2 Successful Operation

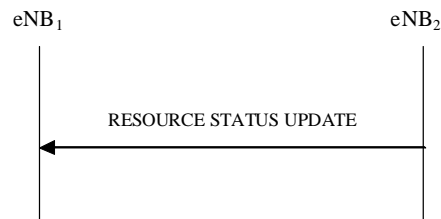


Figure 8.3.7.2-1: Resource Status Reporting, successful operation

Report Contents

The eNB2 shall report the results of the measurements in RESOURCE STATUS UPDATE message for each requested cell.

Editor Note: The report contents are FFS.

9 Elements for X2AP Communication

9.0 General

Subclauses 9.1 and 9.2 describe the structure of the messages and information elements required for the X2AP protocol in tabular format. Subclause 9.3 provides the corresponding ASN.1 definition.

The following attributes are used for the tabular description of the messages and information elements: Presence, Range Criticality and Assigned Criticality. Their definition and use can be found in [4].

9.1 Message Functional Definition and Content

9.1.1 Messages for Basic Mobility Procedures

9.1.1.1 HANDOVER REQUEST

This message is sent by the source eNB to the target eNB to request the preparation of resources for a handover.

Direction: source eNB → target eNB.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Old eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the source eNB	YES	reject
Cause	M		9.2.6		YES	ignore
Target Cell ID	M		ECGI 9.2.14		YES	reject
GUMMEI	M		9.2.16		YES	reject
UE Context Information		1			YES	reject
> MME UE S1AP ID	M		INTEGER (0..2 ³² -1)	MME UE S1AP ID allocated at the MME	–	–
> UE Security Capabilities	M		9.2.29		–	–
>AS Security Information	M		9.2.30		–	–
> UE Aggregate Maximum Bit Rate	M		9.2.12		–	–
> Subscriber Profile ID for RAT/Frequency priority	O		9.2.25		–	–
>E-RABs To Be Setup List		1			–	–
>>E-RABs To Be Setup Item		1 to <maxnoof Bearers>			EACH	ignore
>>> E-RAB ID	M		9.2.23		–	–
>>> E-RAB Level QoS Parameters	M		9.2.9	Includes necessary QoS parameters	–	–
>>> DL Forwarding	O		9.2.5		–	–
>>> UL GTP Tunnel Endpoint	M		GTP Tunnel Endpoint 9.2.1	SGW endpoint of the S1 transport bearer. For delivery of UL PDUs	–	–
> RRC Context	M		OCTET STRING	to transfer UE RAN context, see subclause 10.2.3 in [9].	–	–
>Handover Restriction List	O		9.2.3		–	–
>Location Reporting Information	O		9.2.21	Includes the necessary parameters for location reporting	–	–
UE History Information	M		OCTET STRING	Defined in [4]	YES	ignore
Trace Activation	O		9.2.2		YES	ignore
SRVCC Operation Possible	O		9.2.33		YES	ignore

Range bound	Explanation
maxnoofBearers	Maximum no. of E-RABs. Value is 256

9.1.1.2 HANDOVER REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE

This message is sent by the target eNB to inform the source eNB about the prepared resources at the target.

Direction: target eNB → source eNB.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Old eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the source eNB	YES	ignore
New eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the target eNB	YES	ignore
E-RABs Admitted List		1			YES	ignore
> E-RABs Admitted Item		1 to <maxnoof Bearers>			EACH	ignore
>> E-RAB ID	M		9.2.23		–	–
>> UL GTP Tunnel Endpoint	O		GTP Tunnel Endpoint 9.2.1	Identifies the X2 transport bearer used for forwarding of UL PDUs	–	–
>> DL GTP Tunnel Endpoint	O		GTP Tunnel Endpoint 9.2.1	Identifies the X2 transport bearer. used for forwarding of DL PDUs	–	–
E-RABs Not Admitted List	O		E-RAB List 9.2.28		YES	ignore
Target eNB To Source eNB Transparent Container	M		OCTET STRING	It includes HO info for the UE, see subclause 10.2.2 in [9].	YES	ignore
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

Range bound	Explanation
maxnoofBearers	Maximum no. of E-RABs. Value is 256

9.1.1.3 HANDOVER PREPARATION FAILURE

This message is sent by the target eNB to inform the source eNB that the Handover Preparation has failed.

Direction: target eNB → source eNB.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Old eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the source eNB	YES	ignore
Cause	M		9.2.6		YES	ignore
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

9.1.1.4 SN STATUS TRANSFER

This message is sent by the source eNB to the target eNB to transfer the uplink/downlink PDCP-SN status during a handover.

Direction: source eNB → target eNB.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	ignore
Old eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the source eNB	YES	reject
New eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the target eNB	YES	reject
E-RABs Subject To Status Transfer List		1			YES	ignore
>E-RABs Subject To Status Transfer Item		1 to <maxnoof Bearers>			EACH	ignore
>> E-RAB ID	M		9.2.23		–	–
>>Receive Status Of UL PDCP SDUs	O		BIT STRING (4096)	PDCP Sequence Number = (First Missing SDU Number + bit position) modulo 4096 0: PDCP SDU has not been received. 1: PDCP SDU has been received correctly.	–	–
>> UL COUNT Value	M		COUNT Value 9.2.15	PDCP-SN and Hyper Frame Number of the first missing UL SDU	–	–
>> DL COUNT Value	M		COUNT Value 9.2.15	PDCP-SN and Hyper frame number that the target eNB should assign for the next DL SDU not having an SN yet	–	–

Range bound	Explanation
maxnoofBearers	Maximum no. of E-RABs. Value is 256.

9.1.1.5 UE CONTEXT RELEASE

This message is sent by the target eNB to the source eNB to indicate that resources can be released.

Direction: target eNB → source eNB.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	ignore
Old eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the source eNB	YES	reject
New eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the target eNB	YES	reject

9.1.1.6 HANDOVER CANCEL

This message is sent by the source eNB to the target eNB to cancel an ongoing handover.

Direction: source eNB → target eNB.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	ignore
Old eNB UE X2AP ID	M		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the source eNB	YES	reject
New eNB UE X2AP ID	O		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the target eNB	YES	ignore
Cause	M		9.2.6		YES	ignore

9.1.2 Messages for global procedures

9.1.2.1 LOAD INFORMATION

This message is sent by an eNB to neighbouring eNBs to transfer load and interference co-ordination information.

Direction: eNB₁ → eNB₂.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	ignore
Cell Information	M				YES	ignore
> Cell Information Item		1 to <i>maxCellineNB</i>			EACH	ignore
>>Cell ID	M		ECGI 9.2.14	Id of the source cell	–	–
>>UL Interference Overload Indication	O		9.2.17		–	–
> >UL High Interference Information		0 to <i>maxCellineNB</i>			–	–
>>>UL High Interference Indication	M		9.2.18		–	–
>>>Target Cell ID	M		ECGI 9.2.14	Id of the cell for which the HII is meant	–	–
>> Relative Narrowband Tx Power (RNTP)	O		9.2.19		–	–

Range bound	Explanation
maxCellineNB	Maximum no. cells that can be served by an eNB. Value is 256.

9.1.2.2 ERROR INDICATION

This message is used to indicate that some error has been detected in the eNB.

Direction: eNB1 → eNB2

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	ignore
Old eNB UE X2AP ID	O		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the source eNB	YES	ignore
New eNB UE X2AP ID	O		eNB UE X2AP ID 9.2.24	Allocated at the target eNB	YES	ignore
Cause	O		9.2.6		YES	ignore
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

9.1.2.3 X2 SETUP REQUEST

This message is sent by an eNB to a neighbouring eNB to transfer the initialization information for a TNL association.

Direction: eNB1 → eNB2.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Global eNB ID	M		9.2.22		YES	reject
Served Cells		<i>1 to maxCellineNB</i>		This is all the eNB cells	YES	reject
>Served Cell Information	M		9.2.8		–	–
>Neighbour Information		<i>0 to maxnoofNeighbours</i>			–	–
>>ECGI	M		ECGI 9.2.14	E-UTRAN Cell Global Identifier of the neighbour cell	–	–
>>PCI	M		INTEGER (0..503, ...)	Physical Cell Identifier of the neighbour cell	–	–
>>EARFCN	M		9.2.26	DL EARFCN for FDD and EARFCN for TDD	–	–
GU Group Id List		<i>0 to maxfPools</i>		This is all the pools to which the eNB belongs to	YES	reject
>GU Group Id	M		9.2.20		-	-

Range bound	Explanation
maxCellineNB	Maximum no. cells that can be served by an eNB. Value is 256.
maxnoofNeighbours	Maximum no. of neighbour cells associated to a given served cell. Value is 512.
maxPools	Maximum no. of pools an eNB can belong to. Value is 16 FFS.

9.1.2.4 X2 SETUP RESPONSE

This message is sent by an eNB to a neighbouring eNB to transfer the initialization information for a TNL association.

Direction: eNB2 → eNB1.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Global eNB ID	M		9.2.22		YES	ignore
Served Cells		<i>1 to maxCellineNB</i>		This is all the eNB cells	YES	ignore
>Served Cell Information	M		9.2.8		-	-
>Neighbour Information		<i>0 to maxnoofNeighbours</i>			-	-
>>ECGI	M		ECGI 9.2.14	E-UTRAN Cell Global Identifier of the neighbour cell	-	-
>>PCI	M		INTEGER (0..503, ...)	Physical Cell Identifier of the neighbour cell	-	-
>>EARFCN	M		9.2.26	DL EARFCN for FDD and EARFCN for TDD	-	-
GU Group Id List		<i>0 to maxPools</i>		This is all the pools to which the eNB belongs to	YES	ignore
>GU Group Id	M		9.2.20		-	-
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

Range bound	Explanation
maxCellineNB	Maximum no. cells that can be served by an eNB. Value is 256.
maxnoofNeighbours	Maximum no. of neighbour cells associated to a given served cell. Value is 512.
maxPools	Maximum no. of pools an eNB can belong to. Value is 16 FFS.

9.1.2.5 X2 SETUP FAILURE

This message is sent by the eNB to indicate X2 Setup failure.

Direction: eNB2 → eNB1.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Cause	M		9.2.6		YES	ignore
Time To Wait	O		9.2.32		YES	ignore
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

9.1.2.6 RESET REQUEST

This message is sent from one eNB to another eNB and is used to request the X2 interface between the two eNB to be reset.

Direction: eNB1 → eNB2.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Cause	M		9.2.6		YES	ignore

9.1.2.7 RESET RESPONSE

This message is sent by a eNB as a response to a RESET REQUEST message.

Direction: eNB2 → eNB1.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

9.1.2.8 ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE

This message is sent by an eNB to a peer eNB to transfer updated information for a TNL association.

Direction: eNB1 → eNB2.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Served Cells To Add		<i>0 to maxCellineNB</i>			GLOBAL	reject
>Served Cell Information	M		9.2.8		-	-
>Neighbour Information		<i>0 to maxnoofNeighbours</i>			-	-
>>ECGI	M		ECGI 9.2.14	E-UTRAN Cell Global Identifier of the neighbour cell	-	-
>>PCI	M		INTEGER (0..503, ...)	Physical Cell Identifier of the neighbour cell	-	-
>>EARFCN	M		9.2.26	DL EARFCN for FDD and EARFCN for TDD	-	-
Served Cells To Modify		<i>0 to maxCellineNB</i>			GLOBAL	reject
>Old ECGI	M		ECGI 9.2.14	This is the old E-UTRAN Cell Global Identifier	-	-
>Served Cell Information	M		9.2.8		-	-
>Neighbour Information		<i>0 to maxnoofNeighbours</i>			-	-
>>ECGI	M		ECGI 9.2.14	E-UTRAN Cell Global Identifier of the neighbour cell	-	-
>>PCI	M		INTEGER (0..503, ...)	Physical Cell Identifier of the neighbour cell	-	-
>>EARFCN	M		9.2.26	DL EARFCN for FDD and EARFCN for TDD	-	-
Served Cells To Delete		<i>0 to maxCellineNB</i>			GLOBAL	reject
>Old ECGI	M		ECGI 9.2.14	This is the old E-UTRAN Cell Global Identifier of the cell to be deleted	-	-
GU Group Id To Add List		<i>0 to maxPools</i>			GLOBAL	reject
>GU Group Id	M		9.2.20		-	-
GU Group Id To Delete List		<i>0 to maxPools</i>			GLOBAL	reject
>GU Group Id	M		9.2.20		-	-

Range bound	Explanation
maxCellineNB	Maximum no. cells that can be served by an eNB. Value is 256.
maxnoofNeighbours	Maximum no. of neighbour cells associated to a given served cell. Value is 512.
maxPools	Maximum no. of pools an eNB can belong to. Value is 16 FFS.

9.1.2.9 ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE ACKNOWLEDGE

This message is sent by an eNB to a peer eNB to acknowledge update of information for a TNL association.

Direction: eNB2 → eNB1.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

9.1.2.10 ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE FAILURE

This message is sent by an eNB to a peer eNB to indicate eNB Configuration Update Failure.

Direction: eNB2 → eNB1.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Cause	M		9.2.6		YES	ignore
Time To Wait	O		9.2.32		YES	ignore
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

9.1.2.11 RESOURCE STATUS REQUEST

This message is sent by an eNB1 to neighbouring eNB2 to initiate the requested measurement according to the parameters given in the message.

Direction: eNB1 → eNB2.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Registration Request	M		ENUMERATE D(Start, Stop, ...)		YES	reject
Cell To Report List		0 to maxCellineNB		Cell ID list for which measurement is needed	EACH	ignore
>Cell ID	M		ECGI 9.2.14			
Reporting Periodicity	O		ENUMERATE D (FFS, ...)	Unit: FFS Range:FFS	YES	ignore

Range bound	Explanation
maxCellineNB	Maximum no. cells that can be served by an eNB. Value is 256.

9.1.2.12 RESOURCE STATUS RESPONSE

This message is sent by the eNB2 to indicate that the requested measurements are successfully initiated. Direction: eNB2 → eNB1.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

9.1.2.13 RESOURCE STATUS FAILURE

This message is sent by the eNB2 to indicate requested measurements cannot be initiated.

Direction: eNB2 → eNB1.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	reject
Cause	M		9.2.6		YES	ignore
Criticality Diagnostics	O		9.2.7		YES	ignore

9.1.2.14 RESOURCE STATUS UPDATE

This message is sent by eNB2 to neighbouring eNB1 to report the results of the requested measurements.

Direction: eNB2 → eNB1.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Message Type	M		9.2.13		YES	ignore
Cell Measurement Result		<i>1 to maxCellineNB</i>			EACH	ignore
>Cell ID	M		ECGI 9.2.14			
> Resource Status	O		INTEGER	The content is FFS.		

Range bound	Explanation
maxCellineNB	Maximum no. cells that can be served by an eNB. Value is 256.

9.2 Information Element definitions

9.2.0 General

When specifying information elements which are to be represented by bit strings, if not otherwise specifically stated in the semantics description of the concerned IE or elsewhere, the following principle applies with regards to the ordering of bits:

- The first bit (leftmost bit) contains the most significant bit (MSB);
- The last bit (rightmost bit) contains the least significant bit (LSB);
- When importing bit strings from other specifications, the first bit of the bit string contains the first bit of the concerned information.

9.2.1 GTP Tunnel Endpoint

The *GTP Tunnel Endpoint* IE identifies an X2 transport bearer or the S-GW endpoint of the S1 transport bearer associated to an E-RAB. It contains a Transport Layer Address and a GTP Tunnel Endpoint Identifier. The Transport Layer Address is an IP address to be used for the X2 user plane transport (see [8]) or for the S1 user plane transport (see [19]). The GTP Tunnel Endpoint Identifier is to be used for the user plane transport between eNB and the serving gateway or between eNBs.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Transport Layer Address	M		BIT STRING (1..160, ...)	For details on the Transport Layer Address, see ref. [8], [19]	–	–
GTP TEID	M		OCTET STRING (4)		–	–

9.2.2 Trace Activation

Defines parameters related to trace activation.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Trace Reference	M		OCTET STRING (8)		–	–
Interfaces To Trace		<i>1 to <maxInterfaces></i>			EACH	ignore
>Trace Interface	M		ENUMERATED (s1, x2 Uu, ...)		–	–
>Trace Depth	M		ENUMERATED (minimum, medium, maximum, vendorMinimum, vendorMedium, vendorMaximum, ...)	Defined in [7]	–	–

Range bound	Explanation
maxInterfaces	Maximum no. of Interface. Value is 16.

9.2.3 Handover Restriction List

This IE defines area roaming or access restrictions for handover.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Serving PLMN	M		PLMN Identity 9.2.4		–	–
Equivalent PLMNs		0..<maxnoofEPLMNs>		Allowed PLMNs in addition to Serving PLMN. This list corresponds to the list of 'equivalent PLMNs list' as defined in [17].	–	–
>PLMN Identity	M		9.2.4		–	–
Forbidden TAs		0..<maxnoofEPLMNsPlusOne>		intra E-UTRAN roaming restrictions	–	–
>PLMN Identity	M		9.2.4	The PLMN of forbidden TACs	–	–
>Forbidden TACs		1..<maxnoofForbTACs>			–	–
>>TAC	M		OCTET STRING(2)	The forbidden TAC	–	–
Forbidden LAs		0..<maxnoofEPLMNsPlusOne>		inter-3GPP RAT roaming restrictions	–	–
>PLMN Identity	M		9.2.4		–	–
>Forbidden LACs		1..<maxnoofForbLACs>			–	–
>>LAC	M		OCTET STRING(2)		–	–
Forbidden inter RATs	O		ENUMERATED(ALL, GERAN, UTRAN, ...)	inter-3GPP RAT access restrictions	–	–

Range bound	Explanation
maxnoofEPLMNs	Maximum no. of equivalent PLMN Ids. Value is 15.
maxnoofEPLMNsPlusOne	Maximum no. of equivalent PLMN Ids plus one. Value is 16.
maxnoofForbTACs	Maximum no. of forbidden Tracking Area Codes. Value is 4096.
maxnoofForbLACs	Maximum no. of forbidden Location Area Codes. Value is 4096.

9.2.4 PLMN Identity

This information element indicates the PLMN Identity.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
PLMN Identity	M		OCTET STRING (3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - digits 0 to 9, encoded 0000 to 1001, - 1111 used as filler digit, two digits per octet, - bits 4 to 1 of octet n encoding digit 2n-1 - bits 8 to 5 of octet n encoding digit 2n <p>-The Selected PLMN identity consists of 3 digits from MCC followed by either</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -a filler digit plus 2 digits from MNC (in case of 2 digit MNC) or -3 digits from MNC (in case of a 3 digit MNC).

9.2.5 DL Forwarding

This element indicates that the E-RAB is proposed for forwarding of downlink packets.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
DL Forwarding	M		ENUMERATED (DL forwarding proposed, ...)	

9.2.6 Cause

The purpose of the cause information element is to indicate the reason for a particular event for the whole protocol.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE Type and Reference	Semantics Description
CHOICE <i>Cause Group</i>	M			
> <i>Radio Network Layer</i>				
>>Radio Network Layer Cause	M		ENUMERATED (Handover Desirable for Radio Reasons, Time Critical Handover, Resource Optimisation Handover, Reduce Load in Serving Cell, Partial Handover, Unknown New eNB UE X2AP ID, Unknown Old eNB UE X2AP ID, Unknown Pair of UE X2AP ID, HO Target not Allowed, TX2RELOCoverall Expiry, T _{RELOCprep} Expiry, Cell not Available, No Radio Resources Available in Target Cell, Invalid MME Group ID, Unknown MME Code, Unspecified, ...)	
> <i>Transport Layer</i>				
>>Transport Layer Cause	M		ENUMERATED (Transport Resource Unavailable, Unspecified, ...)	
> <i>Protocol</i>				
>>Protocol Cause	M		ENUMERATED (Transfer Syntax Error, Abstract Syntax Error (Reject), Abstract Syntax Error (Ignore and Notify), Message not Compatible with Receiver State, Semantic Error, Unspecified, Abstract Syntax Error (Falsely Constructed Message),...)	
> <i>Misc</i>				
>>Miscellaneous Cause	M		ENUMERATED	

			(Control Processing Overload, Hardware Failure, O&M Intervention, Not enough User Plane Processing Resources, Unspecified,...)	
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The meaning of the different cause values is described in the following table. In general, "not supported" cause values indicate that the concerned capability is missing. On the other hand, "not available" cause values indicate that the concerned capability is present, but insufficient resources were available to perform the requested action.

Radio Network Layer cause	Meaning
Cell not Available	The concerned cell is not available.
Handover Desirable for Radio Reasons	The reason for requesting handover is radio related.
Handover Target not Allowed	Handover to the indicated target cell is not allowed for the UE in question
Invalid MME Group ID	The target eNB doesn't belong to the same pool area of the source eNB i.e. S1 handovers should be attempted instead.
No Radio Resources Available in Target Cell	The target cell doesn't have sufficient radio resources available.
Partial Handover	Provides a reason for the handover cancellation. The target eNB did not admit all E-RABs included in the HANDOVER REQUEST and the source eNB estimated service continuity for the UE would be better by not proceeding with handover towards this particular target eNB.
Reduce Load in Serving Cell	Load on serving cell needs to be reduced.
Resource Optimisation Handover	The reason for requesting handover is to improve the load distribution with the neighbour cells.
Time Critical Handover	handover is requested for time critical reason i.e. this cause value is reserved to represent all critical cases where the connection is likely to be dropped if handover is not performed.
$T_{RELOCoverall}$ Expiry	The reason for the action is expiry of timer $T_{RELOCoverall}$
$T_{RELOCprep}$ Expiry	Handover Preparation procedure is cancelled when timer $T_{RELOCprep}$ expires.
Unknown MME Code	The target eNB belongs to the same pool area of the source eNB and recognizes the MME Group ID. However, the MME Code is unknown to the target eNB.
Unknown New eNB UE X2AP ID	The action failed because the New eNB UE X2AP ID is unknown
Unknown Old eNB UE X2AP ID	The action failed because the Old eNB UE X2AP ID is unknown
Unknown Pair of UE X2AP ID	The action failed because the pair of UE X2 AP IDs is unknown
Unspecified	Sent when none of the above cause values applies but still the cause is Radio Network Layer related

Transport Network Layer cause	Meaning
Transport resource unavailable	The required transport resources are not available
Unspecified	Sent when none of the above cause values applies but still the cause is Transport Network Layer related

Protocol cause	Meaning
Abstract Syntax Error (Reject)	The received message included an abstract syntax error and the concerned criticality indicated "reject" (see subclause 10.3)
Abstract Syntax Error (Ignore and Notify)	The received message included an abstract syntax error and the concerned criticality indicated "ignore and notify" (see subclause 10.3)
Abstract syntax error (falsely constructed message)	The received message contained IEs or IE groups in wrong order or with too many occurrences (see subclause 10.3)
Message not Compatible with Receiver State	The received message was not compatible with the receiver state (see subclause 10.4)
Semantic Error	The received message included a semantic error (see subclause 10.4)
Transfer Syntax Error	The received message included a transfer syntax error (see subclause 10.2)
Unspecified	Sent when none of the above cause values applies but still the cause is Protocol related

Miscellaneous cause	Meaning
Control Processing Overload	eNB control processing overload
Hardware Failure	eNB hardware failure
Not enough User Plane Processing Resources	eNB has insufficient user plane processing resources available
O&M Intervention	Operation and Maintenance intervention related to eNB equipment
Unspecified	Sent when none of the above cause values applies and the cause is not related to any of the categories Radio Network Layer, Transport Network Layer or Protocol.

9.2.7 Criticality Diagnostics

The *Criticality Diagnostics* IE is sent by the eNB when parts of a received message have not been comprehended or were missing, or if the message contained logical errors. When applicable, it contains information about which IEs were not comprehended or were missing.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
Procedure Code	O		INTEGER (0..255)	Procedure Code is to be used if Criticality Diagnostics is part of Error Indication procedure, and not within the response message of the same procedure that caused the error
Triggering Message	O		ENUMERATED (initiating message, successful outcome, unsuccessful outcome, outcome)	The Triggering Message is used only if the Criticality Diagnostics is part of Error Indication procedure.
Procedure Criticality	O		ENUMERATED (reject, ignore, notify)	This Procedure Criticality is used for reporting the Criticality of the Triggering message (Procedure).
Information Element Criticality Diagnostics		0 to <maxNrOfErrors>		
>IE Criticality	M		ENUMERATED (reject, ignore, notify)	The IE Criticality is used for reporting the criticality of the triggering IE. The value "ignore" shall not be used.
>IE ID	M		INTEGER (0..65535)	The IE ID of the not understood or missing IE
>Type Of Error	M		ENUMERATED (not understood, missing, ...)	

Range bound	Explanation
maxNrOfErrors	Maximum no. of IE errors allowed to be reported with a single message. The value for maxnooferrors is 256.

9.2.8 Served Cell Information

This IE contains cell configuration information of a cell that a neighbour eNB may need for the X2 AP interface.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
PCI	M		INTEGER (0..503, ...)	Physical Cell ID	–	–
Cell ID	M		ECGI 9.2.14		–	–
TAC	M		OCTET STRING(2)	Tracking Area Code	–	–
Broadcast PLMNs		1..<maxnoofBPLMNs>		Broadcast PLMNs	–	–
>PLMN Identity	M		9.2.4		–	–
CHOICE <i>EARFCN-Info</i>	M				–	–
> <i>FDD</i>						
>> EARFCN-FDD		1			–	–
>>>UL EARFCN	M		EARFCN 9.2.26	Corresponds to N _{UL} in ref. [16]	–	–
>>>DL EARFCN	M		EARFCN 9.2.26	Corresponds to N _{DL} in ref. [16]	–	–
> <i>TDD</i>						
>>EARFCN	M		9.2.26	Corresponds to N _{DL} /N _{UL} in ref. [16]	–	–
UL Transmission Bandwidth	M		Transmission Bandwidth 9.2.27		–	–
DL Transmission Bandwidth	M		Transmission Bandwidth 9.2.27		–	–
Subframe Assignment	O		ENUMERATED(sa0, sa1, sa2, sa3, sa4, sa5, sa6,...)	TDD only. Uplink-downlink subframe configuration information defined in ref. [10]. Mandatory for TDD.	–	–

Range bound	Explanation
maxnoofBPLMNs	Maximum no. of Broadcast PLMN Ids. Value is 6.

9.2.9 E-RAB Level QoS Parameters

This IE defines the QoS to be applied to an E-RAB.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
QCI	M		INTEGER (1..256)	QoS Class Identifier defined in [12]. Logical range and coding specified in [13].	–	–
Allocation and Retention Priority	M		9.2.31		–	–
GBR QoS Information	O		9.2.10	This IE applies to GBR bearers only and shall be ignored otherwise.	–	–

9.2.10 GBR QoS Information

This IE indicates the maximum and guaranteed bit rates of a GBR E-RAB for downlink and uplink.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
E-RAB Maximum Bit Rate Downlink	M		Bit Rate 9.2.11	Maximum Bit Rate in DL (i.e. from EPC to E-UTRAN) for the bearer. Details in [12].	–	–
E-RAB Maximum Bit Rate Uplink	M		Bit Rate 9.2.11	Maximum Bit Rate in UL (i.e. from E-UTRAN to EPC) for the bearer. Details in [12].	–	–
E-RAB Guaranteed Bit Rate Downlink	M		Bit Rate 9.2.11	Guaranteed Bit Rate (provided that there is data to deliver) in DL (i.e. from EPC to E-UTRAN) for the bearer. Details in [12].	–	–
E-RAB Guaranteed Bit Rate Uplink	M		Bit Rate 9.2.11	Guaranteed Bit Rate (provided that there is data to deliver) in UL (i.e. from E-UTRAN to EPC) for the bearer. Details in [12].	–	–

9.2.11 Bit Rate

This IE indicates the number of bits delivered by E-UTRAN in UL or to E-UTRAN in DL within a period of time, divided by the duration of the period. It is used, for example, to indicate the maximum or guaranteed bit rate for a GBR E-RAB, or an aggregated maximum bit rate.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
Bit Rate	M		INTEGER (0..10,000,000,000)	The unit is: bit/s

9.2.12 UE Aggregate Maximum Bit Rate

On Handover Aggregate Maximum Bitrate is transferred to the target eNB. The UE Aggregate Maximum Bitrate is applicable for all Non-GBR bearers per UE which is defined for the Downlink and the Uplink direction and provided by the MME to the eNB.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
UE Aggregate Maximum Bit Rate Downlink	M		Bit Rate 9.2.11		–	–
UE Aggregate Maximum Bit Rate Uplink	M		Bit Rate 9.2.11		–	–

9.2.13 Message Type

The *Message Type* IE uniquely identifies the message being sent. It is mandatory for all messages.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
Procedure Code	M		INTEGER (0..255)	"0" = Handover Preparation "1" = Handover Cancel "2" = Load Indication "3" = Error Indication "4" = SN Status Transfer "5" = UE Context Release "6" = X2 Setup "7" = Reset "8" = eNB Configuration Update "9" = Resource Status Update Initiation "10" = Resource Status Reporting '11' = Private Message
Type of Message	M		CHOICE (Initiating Message, Successful Outcome, Unsuccessful Outcome, ...)	

9.2.14 ECGI

The E-UTRAN Cell Global Identifier (ECGI) is used to globally identify a cell (see [2]).

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
PLMN Identity	M		9.2.4		–	–
E-UTRAN Cell Identifier	M		BIT STRING (28)	The leftmost bits of the <i>E-UTRAN Cell Identifier</i> IE value correspond to the value of the <i>eNB ID</i> IE contained in the <i>Global eNB ID</i> IE (defined in section 9.2.22) identifying the eNB that controls the cell	–	–

9.2.15 COUNT Value

This information element indicates the 12 bit PDCP sequence number and the corresponding 20 bit Hyper frame number.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
PDCP-SN	M		INTEGER (0..4095)		–	–
HFN	M		INTEGER (0..1048575)		–	–

9.2.16 GUMMEI

This information element indicates the globally unique MME identity.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
GU Group ID	M		9.2.20		–	–
MME code	M		OCTET STRING (1)		–	–

9.2.17 UL Interference Overload Indication

This IE provides, per PRB, a report on interference overload. The interaction between the indication of UL Interference Overload and UL High Interference is implementation specific.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
UL Interference Overload Indication List		1 to <maxnoofPRBs>		
>UL Interference Overload Indication	M		ENUMERATED (high interference, medium interference, low interference, ...)	Each PRB is identified by its position in the list: the first element in the list corresponds to PRB 0, the second to PRB 1, etc.

Range bound	Explanation
maxnoofPRBs	Maximum no. Physical Resource Blocks. Value is 110.

9.2.18 UL High Interference Indication

This IE provides, per PRB, a 2 level report on interference sensitivity. The interaction between the indication of UL Overload and UL High Interference is implementation specific.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
HII	M		BIT STRING (1..110, ...)	Each position in the bitmap represents a PRB (first bit=PRB 0 and so on), for which value "1" indicates "high interference sensitivity" and value "0" indicates "low interference sensitivity". The maximum number of Physical Resource Blocks is 110

9.2.19 Relative Narrowband Tx Power (RNTP)

This IE provides an indication on DL power restriction per PRB in a cell and other information needed by a neighbour eNB for interference aware scheduling.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
RNTP Per PRB	M		BIT STRING (6..110, ...)	Each position in the bitmap represents a n_{PRB} value (i.e. first bit=PRB 0 and so on), for which the bit value represents $RNTP(n_{PRB})$, defined in [11]. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Value 0 indicates "Tx not exceeding RNTP threshold". Value 1 indicates "no promise on the Tx power is given" 	–	–
RNTP Threshold	M		ENUMERATE D (-∞, -11, -10, -9, -8, -7, -6, -5, -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, ...)	$RNTP_{threshold}$ is defined in [11]	–	–
Number Of Cell-specific Antenna Ports	M		ENUMERATE D (1, 2, 4, ...)	P (number of antenna ports for cell-specific reference signals) defined in [10]	–	–
P_B	M		INTEGER (0..3, ...)	P_B is defined in [11]	–	–
PDCCH Interference Impact	M		INTEGER (0..4, ...)	Measured by Predicted Number Of Occupied PDCCH OFDM Symbols (see [10]). Value 0 means "no prediction is available"	–	–

9.2.20 GU Group Id

The *GU Group Id* IE is the globally unique group id corresponding to a pool area.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
PLMN Id	M		9.2.4		–	–
MME Group Id	M		OCTET STRING(2)		–	–

9.2.21 Location Reporting Information

This information element indicates how the location information should be reported.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
Event	M		ENUMERATED (Change of serving cell, ...)		–	–
Report Area	M		ENUMERATED (ECGI, ...)		–	–

9.2.22 Global eNB ID

This IE is used to globally identify an eNB (see [2]).

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
PLMN Identity	M		9.2.4		–	–
CHOICE <i>eNB ID</i>	M				–	–
> <i>Macro eNB ID</i>			BIT STRING (20)	Equal to the 20 leftmost bits of the value of the <i>E-UTRAN Cell Identifier</i> IE contained in the <i>ECGI</i> IE (see section 9.2.14) identifying each cell controlled by the eNB		
> <i>Home eNB ID</i>			BIT STRING (28)	Equal to the value of the <i>E-UTRAN Cell Identifier</i> IE contained in the <i>ECGI</i> IE (see section 9.2.14) identifying the cell controlled by the eNB		

9.2.23 E-RAB ID

This IE uniquely identifies an E-RAB for a UE.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
E-RAB ID	M		INTEGER (0..15, ...)	

9.2.24 eNB UE X2AP ID

This information element uniquely identifies an UE over the X2 interface within an eNB.

The Old eNB UE X2AP ID is allocated by the source eNB and the New eNB UE X2AP ID is allocated by the target eNB, as defined in [2].

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
eNB UE X2AP ID	M		INTEGER (0..4095)	

9.2.25 Subscriber Profile ID for RAT/Frequency priority

The *Subscriber Profile ID* IE for RAT/Frequency Selection Priority is used to define camp priorities in Idle mode and to control inter-RAT/inter-frequency handover in Active mode [15].

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
Subscriber Profile ID for RAT/Frequency Priority	M		INTEGER (1..256)	

9.2.26 EARFCN

The E-UTRA Absolute Radio Frequency Channel Number defines the carrier frequency used in a cell for a given direction (UL or DL) in FDD or for both UL and DL directions in TDD.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE Type and Reference	Semantics Description
EARFCN			INTEGER (0..maxEARFCN)	The relation between EARFCN and carrier frequency (in MHz) are defined in [16].

Range bound	Explanation
maxEARFCN	Maximum value of EARFCNs. Value is 65535.

9.2.27 Transmission Bandwidth

The *Transmission Bandwidth* IE is used to indicate the UL or DL transmission bandwidth expressed in units of resource blocks " N_{RB} " [16]. The values bw6, bw15, bw25, bw50, bw75, bw100 correspond to the number of resource blocks 'NRB' 6, 15, 25, 50, 75, 100.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE Type and Reference	Semantics Description
Transmission Bandwidth			ENUMERATED (bw6, bw15, bw25, bw50, bw75, bw100,...)	

9.2.28 E-RAB List

The IE contains a list of E-RAB identities with a cause value. It is used for example to indicate not admitted bearers.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description	Criticality	Assigned Criticality
E-RAB List Item		1 to <maxnoofBearers >			EACH	ignore
>E-RAB ID	M		9.2.23		–	–
>Cause	M		9.2.6		–	–

Range bound	Explanation
maxnoofBearers	Maximum no. of E-RABs. Value is 256.

9.2.29 UE Security Capabilities

The *UE Security Capabilities* IE defines the supported algorithms for encryption and integrity protection in the UE. If for the IE *Encryption Algorithms* or IE *Integrity Protection Algorithms* all bits are equal to 0 no algorithms are supported. [Note: FFS if this setting is allowed, e.g. for emergency calls]

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE Type and Reference	Semantics Description
Encryption Algorithms	M		BIT STRING (16, ...)	Each position in the bitmap represents an encryption algorithm: 'first bit' - 128-EEA0, 'second bit' - 128-EEA1, 'third bit' - 128-EEA2, other bits reserved for future use. Value "1" indicates support and value '0' indicates no support of the algorithm. Algorithms are defined in [18]. [FFS if 128-EEA0 shall be included in the bitmap.]
Integrity Protection Algorithms	M		BIT STRING (16, ...)	Each position in the bitmap represents an integrity protection algorithm: 'first bit' - 128-EIA1, 'second bit' - 128-EIA2, other bits reserved for future use. Value "1" indicates support and value '0' indicates no support of the algorithm. Algorithms are defined in [18].

9.2.30 AS Security Information

The *AS Security Information* IE is used to generate the key material to be used for AS security with the UE.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE Type and Reference	Semantics Description
Key eNB	M		BIT STRING (256)	The KeNB* as defined in [18]
Next Hop Chaining Counter	M		BIT STRING (3) [coding and length to be aligned with RAN2]	Next Hop Chaining Counter (NCC) defined in [18]
Key Set Identifier	M		BIT STRING (3) [the inclusion (and coding) of KSI in AS security information and the coding is FFS]	EPS ASME key identifier as defined in [18]

9.2.31 Allocation and Retention Priority

This IE specifies the relative importance compared to other E-RABs for allocation and retention of the E-UTRAN Radio Access Bearer.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
Priority Level	M		INTEGER (0..15)	<p>Desc.: This IE should be understood as 'priority of allocation and retention' (see [12]).</p> <p>Usage: Value 15 means 'no priority'. Values between 1 and 14 are ordered in decreasing order of priority, i.e. 1 is the highest and 14 the lowest. Value 0 shall be treated as a logical error if received.</p>
Pre-emption Capability	M		ENUMERATED (shall not trigger pre-emption, may trigger pre-emption)	<p>Desc.: This IE indicates the pre-emption capability of the request on other E-RABs</p> <p>Usage: The E-RAB shall not pre-empt other E-RABs or, the E-RAB may pre-empt other E-RABs The Pre-emption Capability indicator applies to the allocation of resources for an E-RAB and as such it provides the trigger to the pre-emption procedures/processes of the eNB.</p>
Pre-emption Vulnerability	M		ENUMERATED (not pre-emptable, pre-emptable)	<p>Desc.: This IE indicates the vulnerability of the E-RAB to preemption of other E-RABs.</p> <p>Usage: The E-RAB shall not be pre-empted by other E-RABs or the E-RAB may be pre-empted by other RABs. Pre-emption Vulnerability indicator applies for the entire duration of the E-RAB, unless modified and as such indicates whether the E-RAB is a target of the pre-emption procedures/processes of the eNB</p>

9.2.32 Time to Wait

This IE defines the minimum allowed waiting times.

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
Time to Wait	M		ENUMERATED (1s, 2s, 5s, 10s, 20s, 60s, ...)	

9.2.33 SRVCC Operation Possible

The IE indicates that both the UE and the MME are SRVCC-capable. E-UTRAN behaviour on reception of this is specified in [20].

IE/Group Name	Presence	Range	IE type and reference	Semantics description
SRVCC Operation Possible	M		ENUMERATED(Possible, ...)	

9.3 Message and Information Element Abstract Syntax (with ASN.1)

9.3.1 General

Subclause 9.3 presents the Abstract Syntax of the X2AP protocol with ASN.1. In case there is contradiction between the ASN.1 definition in this subclause and the tabular format in subclause 9.1 and 9.2, the ASN.1 shall take precedence, except for the definition of conditions for the presence of conditional elements, in which the tabular format shall take precedence.

The ASN.1 definition specifies the structure and content of X2AP messages. X2AP messages can contain any IEs specified in the object set definitions for that message without the order or number of occurrence being restricted by ASN.1. However, for this version of the standard, a sending entity shall construct a X2AP message according to the PDU definitions module and with the following additional rules (Note that in the following IE means an IE in the object set with an explicit id. If one IE needed to appear more than once in one object set, then the different occurrences have different IE ids):

- IEs shall be ordered (in an IE container) in the order they appear in object set definitions.
- Object set definitions specify how many times IEs may appear. An IE shall appear exactly once if the presence field in an object has value "mandatory". An IE may appear at most once if the presence field in an object has value "optional" or "conditional". If in a tabular format there is multiplicity specified for an IE (i.e. an IE list) then in the corresponding ASN.1 definition the list definition is separated into two parts. The first part defines an IE container list in which the list elements reside. The second part defines list elements. The IE container list appears as an IE of its own. For this version of the standard an IE container list may contain only one kind of list elements.

If a X2AP message that is not constructed as defined above is received, this shall be considered as Abstract Syntax Error, and the message shall be handled as defined for Abstract Syntax Error in clause 10.

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9.3.2 Usage of Private Message Mechanism for Non-standard Use

The private message mechanism for non-standard use may be used:

- for special operator (and/or vendor) specific features considered not to be part of the basic functionality, i.e. the functionality required for a complete and high-quality specification in order to guarantee multivendor inter-operability.
- by vendors for research purposes, e.g. to implement and evaluate new algorithms/features before such features are proposed for standardisation.

The private message mechanism shall not be used for basic functionality. Such functionality shall be standardised.

9.3.3 Elementary Procedure Definitions

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-- Elementary Procedure definitions

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-- *****

X2AP-PDU-Descriptions {

itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)

eps-Access (21) modules (3) x2ap (2) version1 (1) x2ap-PDU-Descriptions (0) }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

-- *****

--

-- IE parameter types from other modules.

--

-- *****

IMPORTS

 Criticality,

 ProcedureCode

FROM X2AP-CommonDataTypes

ENBConfigurationUpdate,
ENBConfigurationUpdateAcknowledge,
ENBConfigurationUpdateFailure,
ErrorIndication,
HandoverCancel,
HandoverPreparationFailure,
HandoverRequest,
HandoverRequestAcknowledge,
LoadInformation,
PrivateMessage,
ResetRequest,
ResetResponse,
ResourceStatusFailure,
ResourceStatusRequest,
ResourceStatusResponse,
ResourceStatusUpdate,
SNStatusTransfer,
UEContextRelease,
X2SetupFailure, X2SetupRequest,
X2SetupResponse

FROM X2AP-PDU-Contents

id-eNBConfigurationUpdate,

id-errorIndication,

id-handoverCancel,

id-handoverPreparation,

id-loadIndication,

id-privateMessage,

id-reset,

id-resourceStatusReporting,

id-resourceStatusUpdateInitiation,

id-snStatusTransfer,

id-uEContextRelease,

id-x2Setup

FROM X2AP-Constants;

-- *****

--

-- Interface Elementary Procedure Class

--

-- *****

```
X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= CLASS {
    &InitiatingMessage          ,
    &SuccessfulOutcome          OPTIONAL,
    &UnsuccessfulOutcome        OPTIONAL,
    &procedureCode              ProcedureCode UNIQUE,
    &criticality                 Criticality    DEFAULT ignore
}
```

WITH SYNTAX {

```
INITIATING MESSAGE          &InitiatingMessage
[SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME        &SuccessfulOutcome]
[UNSUCCESSFUL OUTCOME      &UnsuccessfulOutcome]
PROCEDURE CODE              &procedureCode
[CRITICALITY                &criticality]
```

}

-- *****

--

-- Interface PDU Definition

--

-- *****


```
X2AP-PDU ::= CHOICE {  
    initiatingMessage InitiatingMessage,  
    successfulOutcome      SuccessfulOutcome,  
    unsuccessfulOutcome    UnsuccessfulOutcome,  
    ...  
}
```

```
InitiatingMessage ::= SEQUENCE {  
    procedureCode  X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&procedureCode      ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}),  
    criticality    X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&criticality          ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}{@procedureCode}),  
    value         X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&InitiatingMessage    ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}{@procedureCode})  
}
```

```
SuccessfulOutcome ::= SEQUENCE {  
    procedureCode  X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&procedureCode      ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}),  
    criticality    X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&criticality          ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}{@procedureCode}),  
    value         X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&SuccessfulOutcome    ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}{@procedureCode})  
}
```

```
UnsuccessfulOutcome ::= SEQUENCE {  
    procedureCode  X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&procedureCode      ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}),  
    criticality    X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&criticality          ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}{@procedureCode}),  
    value         X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE.&UnsuccessfulOutcome  ({X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES}{@procedureCode})  
}
```

}

-- *****

--

-- Interface Elementary Procedure List

--

-- *****

X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {

 X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES-CLASS-1 |

 X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES-CLASS-2 ,

 ...

}

X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES-CLASS-1 X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {

 handoverPreparation |

 reset |

 x2Setup |

 resourceStatusUpdateInitiation |

 eNBConfigurationUpdate ,

 ...

}

```

X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURES-CLASS-2 X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    snStatusTransfer          |
    uEContextRelease         |
    handoverCancel           |
    errorIndication          |
    resourceStatusReporting  |
    loadIndication           |
    privateMessage           ,
    ...
}

```

```

-- *****
--
-- Interface Elementary Procedures
--
-- *****

```

```

handoverPreparation X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE      HandoverRequest
    SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME      HandoverRequestAcknowledge
    UNSUCCESSFUL OUTCOME    HandoverPreparationFailure
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-handoverPreparation
}

```

```
        CRITICALITY                reject
    }

snStatusTransfer X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE              SNStatusTransfer
    PROCEDURE CODE                  id-snStatusTransfer
    CRITICALITY                     ignore
}

uEContextRelease X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE              UEContextRelease
    PROCEDURE CODE                  id-uEContextRelease
    CRITICALITY                     ignore
}

handoverCancel X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE              HandoverCancel
    PROCEDURE CODE                  id-handoverCancel
    CRITICALITY                     ignore
}

errorIndication X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE              ErrorIndication
```

```
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-errorIndication
    CRITICALITY              ignore
}
```

```
reset X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE      ResetRequest
    SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME      ResetResponse
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-reset
    CRITICALITY              reject
}
```

```
x2Setup X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE      X2SetupRequest
    SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME      X2SetupResponse
    UNSUCCESSFUL OUTCOME   X2SetupFailure
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-x2Setup
    CRITICALITY              reject
}
```

```
loadIndication X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE      LoadInformation
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-loadIndication
    CRITICALITY              ignore
}
```

}

```
eNBConfigurationUpdate      X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {  
    INITIATING MESSAGE      ENBConfigurationUpdate  
    SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME      ENBConfigurationUpdateAcknowledge  
    UNSUCCESSFUL OUTCOME    ENBConfigurationUpdateFailure  
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-eNBConfigurationUpdate  
    CRITICALITY              reject  
}
```

```
resourceStatusUpdateInitiation X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {  
    INITIATING MESSAGE      ResourceStatusRequest  
    SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME      ResourceStatusResponse  
    UNSUCCESSFUL OUTCOME    ResourceStatusFailure  
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-resourceStatusUpdateInitiation  
    CRITICALITY              reject  
}
```

```
resourceStatusReporting X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {  
    INITIATING MESSAGE      ResourceStatusUpdate  
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-resourceStatusReporting  
    CRITICALITY              ignore  
}
```

```
privateMessage          X2AP-ELEMENTARY-PROCEDURE ::= {
    INITIATING MESSAGE      PrivateMessage
    PROCEDURE CODE          id-privateMessage
    CRITICALITY              ignore
}
```

END

9.3.4 PDU Definitions

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

```
-- PDU definitions for X2AP.
```

```
--
```

```
-- *****
```

```
X2AP-PDU-Contents {
```

```
itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)
```

```
eps-Access (21) modules (3) x2ap (2) version1 (1) x2ap-PDU-Contents (1) }
```

```
DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
-- *****
```

--
-- IE parameter types from other modules.
--
-- *****

IMPORTS

- AS-SecurityInformation,

- Cause,

- COUNTvalue,
- CriticalityDiagnostics,
- DL-Forwarding,
- ECGI,
- E-RAB-ID,
- E-RAB-Level-QoS-Parameters,
- E-RAB-List,
- GlobalENB-ID,
- GTPtunnelEndpoint,
- GUGroupIDList,
- GUMMEI,
- HandoverRestrictionList,
- LocationReportingInformation,

Neighbour-Information,
PDCP-SN,
PLMN-Identity,
ReceiveStatusofULPDCPSDUs,
Registration-Request,
RelativeNarrowbandTxPower,
ResourceStatus,
RRC-Context,
ServedCell-Information,
ServedCells,
SRVCCOperationPossible,
SubscriberProfileIDforRFP,
TargeteNBtoSource-eNBTransparentContainer,
TimeToWait,
TraceActivation,
TraceDepth,
TraceReference,
TransportLayerAddress,
UEAggregateMaximumBitRate,
UE-HistoryInformation,
UE-S1AP-ID,
UESecurityCapabilities,
UE-X2AP-ID,
UL-HighInterferenceIndicationInfo,

UL-InterferenceOverloadIndication

FROM X2AP-IEs

PrivateIE-Container{ },

ProtocolExtensionContainer{ },

ProtocolIE-Container{ },

ProtocolIE-ContainerList{ },

ProtocolIE-ContainerPair{ },

ProtocolIE-ContainerPairList{ },

ProtocolIE-Single-Container{ },

X2AP-PRIVATE-IES,

X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION,

X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES,

X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR

FROM X2AP-Containers

id-Cause,

id-CellInformation,

id-CellInformation-Item,

id-CellMeasurementResult,
id-CellMeasurementResult-Item,
id-CellToReport,
id-CellToReport-Item,

id-CriticalityDiagnostics,
id-E-RABs-Admitted-Item,
id-E-RABs-Admitted-List,
id-E-RABs-NotAdmitted-List,
id-E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-List,
id-E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-Item,
id-E-RABs-ToBeSetup-Item,
id-GlobalENB-ID,
id-GUGroupIDList,
id-GUGroupIDListToAdd,
id-GUGroupIDListToDelete,
id-GUMMEI-ID,
id-New-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID,
id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID,
id-Registration-Request,
id-ReportingPeriodicity,
id-ServedCells,
id-ServedCellsToAdd,
id-ServedCellsToModify,

id-ServedCellsToDelete,
 id-SRVCCOperationPossible,
 id-TargetCell-ID,
 id-TargeteNBtoSource-eNBTransparentContainer,
 id-TimeToWait,
 id-TraceActivation,
 id-UE-ContextInformation,
 id-UE-HistoryInformation,
 id-UE-X2AP-ID,

maxCellineNB,
 maxnoofBearers,
 maxnoofPDCP-SN

FROM X2AP-Constants;

```
-- *****
--
-- HANDOVER REQUEST
--
-- *****
```

```

HandoverRequest ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{HandoverRequest-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

```

HandoverRequest-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY reject    TYPE UE-X2AP-ID          PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-Cause                        CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE Cause              PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-TargetCell-ID                CRITICALITY reject    TYPE ECGI                PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-GUMMEI-ID                    CRITICALITY reject    TYPE GUMMEI              PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-UE-ContextInformation        CRITICALITY reject    TYPE UE-ContextInformation PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-UE-HistoryInformation        CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE UE-HistoryInformation PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-TraceActivation                CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE TraceActivation     PRESENCE optional } |
    { ID id-SRVCCOperationPossible        CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE SRVCCOperationPossible PRESENCE optional },
    ...
}

```

```

UE-ContextInformation ::= SEQUENCE {
    mME-UE-S1AP-ID                      UE-S1AP-ID,
    uESecurityCapabilities                UESecurityCapabilities,
    aS-SecurityInformation                AS-SecurityInformation,
    uEAggregateMaximumBitRate            UEAggregateMaximumBitRate,

```

```

subscriberProfileIDforRFP      SubscriberProfileIDforRFP      OPTIONAL,
e-RABs-ToBeSetup-List          E-RABs-ToBeSetup-List,
rRC-Context                     RRC-Context,
    handoverRestrictionList      HandoverRestrictionList      OPTIONAL,
locationReportingInformation     LocationReportingInformation     OPTIONAL,
iE-Extensions                   ProtocolExtensionContainer { {UE-ContextInformation-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
...
}

```

```

UE-ContextInformation-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
    ...
}

```

```

E-RABs-ToBeSetup-List ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofBearers)) OF ProtocolIE-Single-Container { {E-RABs-ToBeSetup-ItemIEs} }

```

```

E-RABs-ToBeSetup-ItemIEs      X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-E-RABs-ToBeSetup-Item  CRITICALITY ignore  TYPE E-RABs-ToBeSetup-Item  PRESENCE mandatory },
    ...
}

```

```

E-RABs-ToBeSetup-Item ::= SEQUENCE {
    e-RAB-ID                      E-RAB-ID,
    e-RAB-Level-QoS-Parameters     E-RAB-Level-QoS-Parameters,
    dL-Forwarding                  DL-Forwarding
    OPTIONAL,
}

```

```

    uL-GTPtunnelEndpoint          GTPtunnelEndpoint,
    iE-Extensions                  ProtocolExtensionContainer { {E-RABs-ToBeSetup-ItemExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
    ...
}

```

```

E-RABs-ToBeSetup-ItemExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
    ...
}

```

```

-- *****
--
-- HANDOVER REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE
--
-- *****

```

```

HandoverRequestAcknowledge ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container   {{HandoverRequestAcknowledge-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

```

HandoverRequestAcknowledge-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID
                                     CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE UE-X2AP-ID
                                     PRESENCE mandatory} |

```

```

    { ID id-New-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID
                                     CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE UE-X2AP-ID
                                     PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-E-RABs-Admitted-List
                                     CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE E-RABs-Admitted-List
    PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-E-RABs-NotAdmitted-List
                                     CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE E-RAB-List
    PRESENCE optional } |
    { ID id-TargeteNBtoSource-eNBTransparentContainer
    PRESENCE mandatory } CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE TargeteNBtoSource-eNBTransparentContainer
    { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics
    PRESENCE optional },
    ...
}

```

E-RABs-Admitted-List ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxnoofBearers)) OF ProtocolIE-Single-Container { {E-RABs-Admitted-ItemIEs} }

E-RABs-Admitted-ItemIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

```

    { ID id-E-RABs-Admitted-Item   CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE E-RABs-Admitted-Item   PRESENCE mandatory }
}

```

E-RABs-Admitted-Item ::= SEQUENCE {

```

    e-RAB-ID                       E-RAB-ID,
    uL-GTP-TunnelEndpoint           GTPtunnelEndpoint   OPTIONAL,
    dL-GTP-TunnelEndpoint           GTPtunnelEndpoint   OPTIONAL,
    iE-Extensions                   ProtocolExtensionContainer { {E-RABs-Admitted-Item-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
    ...

```


}

E-RABs-Admitted-Item-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...

}

-- *****

--

-- HANDOVER PREPARATION FAILURE

--

-- *****

HandoverPreparationFailure ::= SEQUENCE {

protocolIEs ProtocolIE-Container {{HandoverPreparationFailure-IEs}},

...

}

HandoverPreparationFailure-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

{ ID id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID CRITICALITY ignore TYPE UE-X2AP-ID PRESENCE mandatory } |

 { ID id-Cause CRITICALITY ignore TYPE Cause PRESENCE
mandatory } |

{ ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics CRITICALITY ignore TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics PRESENCE optional },

```

...
}

-- *****
--
-- SN Status Transfer
--
-- *****

SNStatusTransfer ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container    {{SNStatusTransfer-IEs}},
    ...
}

SNStatusTransfer-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY reject    TYPE UE-X2AP-ID
      PRESENCE mandatory} |
    { ID id-New-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY reject    TYPE UE-X2AP-ID
      PRESENCE mandatory} |
    { ID id-E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-List  CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-List
      mandatory} ,
    ...
}

E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-List ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxnoofBearers)) OF ProtocolIE-Single-Container { { E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-ItemIEs} }

```

```

E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-ItemIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
  { ID id-E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-Item    CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-Item    PRESENCE mandatory  }
}

```

```

E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-Item ::= SEQUENCE {
  e-RAB-ID                            E-RAB-ID,

  receiveStatusofULPDCPSDU            ReceiveStatusofULPDCPSDU            OPTIONAL,
  uL-COUNTvalue                       COUNTvalue,
  dL-COUNTvalue                       COUNTvalue,
  iE-Extensions                       ProtocolExtensionContainer { {E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-ItemExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
  ...
}

```

```

E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-ItemExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
  ...
}

```

-- *****

--

-- UE Context Release

--

-- *****

```

UEContextRelease ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{UEContextRelease-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

```

UEContextRelease-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY reject  TYPE UE-X2AP-ID          PRESENCE mandatory} |
    { ID id-New-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY reject  TYPE UE-X2AP-ID          PRESENCE mandatory} ,
    ...
}

```

-- *****

--

-- HANDOVER CANCEL

--

-- *****

```

HandoverCancel ::= SEQUENCE {

```

```

    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container    {{HandoverCancel-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

HandoverCancel-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

```

    { ID id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY reject    TYPE UE-X2AP-ID          PRESENCE mandatory} |
    { ID id-New-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE UE-X2AP-ID          PRESENCE optional} |
    { ID id-Cause                        CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE Cause                PRESENCE
mandatory} ,
    ...
}

```

-- *****

--

-- ERROR INDICATION

--

-- *****

ErrorIndication ::= SEQUENCE {

```

    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container    {{ErrorIndication-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

ErrorIndication-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

```

    { ID id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE UE-X2AP-ID          PRESENCE optional} |

```

```

        { ID id-New-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID          CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE UE-X2AP-ID          PRESENCE optional } |
        { ID id-Cause                        CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE Cause                PRESENCE
optional } |
        { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics      CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics PRESENCE optional } ,
        ...
    }

```

```

-- *****
--
-- Reset Request
--
-- *****

```

```

ResetRequest ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{ResetRequest-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

```

ResetRequest-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-Cause          CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE Cause                PRESENCE
mandatory      },
    ...
}

```

```

-- *****

```

```
--  
-- Reset Response  
--  
-- *****  
  
ResetResponse ::= SEQUENCE {  
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container    {{ResetResponse-IEs}},  
    ...  
}  
  
ResetResponse-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {  
    { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics    CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics    PRESENCE optional },  
    ...  
}  
  
-- *****  
--  
-- X2 SETUP REQUEST  
--  
-- *****  
  
X2SetupRequest ::= SEQUENCE {  
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container    {{X2SetupRequest-IEs}},  
    ...  
}
```

```
}

```

```
X2SetupRequest-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

```

```
    { ID id-GlobalENB-ID                CRITICALITY reject    TYPE GlobalENB-ID                PRESENCE mandatory} |

```

```
    { ID id-ServedCells                  CRITICALITY reject    TYPE ServedCells                  PRESENCE mandatory} |

```

```
    { ID id-GUGroupIDList                CRITICALITY reject    TYPE GUGroupIDList                PRESENCE optional},

```

```
...

```

```
}

```

```
-- *****

```

```
--

```

```
-- X2 SETUP RESPONSE

```

```
--

```

```
-- *****

```

```
X2SetupResponse ::= SEQUENCE {

```

```
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container    {{X2SetupResponse-IEs}},

```

```
    ...

```

```
}

```

```
X2SetupResponse-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

```



```

        { ID id-GlobalENB-ID                CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE GlobalENB-ID          PRESENCE mandatory } |
        { ID id-ServedCells                  CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE ServedCells          PRESENCE mandatory } |
optional} { ID id-GUGroupIDList            CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE GUGroupIDList        PRESENCE
optional}}
        { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics       CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics PRESENCE optional },

        ...
    }

```

```

-- *****
--
-- X2 SETUP FAILURE
--
-- *****

```

```

X2SetupFailure ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{X2SetupFailure-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

```

X2SetupFailure-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

```

```

    { ID id-Cause                CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE Cause
      PRESENCE mandatory } |

    { ID id-TimeToWait           CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE TimeToWait
      PRESENCE optional } |

    { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics  CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics
      PRESENCE optional },

    ...
}

```

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

```
-- LOAD INFORMATION
```

```
--
```

```
-- *****
```

```

LoadInformation ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{LoadInformation-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

```

LoadInformation-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-CellInformation          CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CellInformation-List
      PRESENCE mandatory } ,
    ...
}

```

```

}

CellInformation-List ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellInfoNB)) OF ProtocolIE-Container { {CellInformation-ItemIEs} }

```

```

CellInformation-ItemIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-CellInformation-Item    CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CellInformation-Item    PRESENCE mandatory    }
}

```

```

CellInformation-Item ::= SEQUENCE {
    cell-ID                               ECGL,
    ul-InterferenceOverloadIndication     UL-InterferenceOverloadIndication     OPTIONAL,
    ul-HighInterferenceIndicationInfo     UL-HighInterferenceIndicationInfo     OPTIONAL,
    relativeNarrowbandTxPower             RelativeNarrowbandTxPower             OPTIONAL,
    iE-Extensions                         ProtocolExtensionContainer { {CellInformation-Item-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
    ...
}

```

```

CellInformation-Item-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
    ...
}

```

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

```
-- ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE
```

--

.. *****

```
ENBConfigurationUpdate ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{ENBConfigurationUpdate-IEs}},
    ...
}
```

```
ENBConfigurationUpdate-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-ServedCellsToAdd      CRITICALITY reject  TYPE ServedCells          PRESENCE optional} |
    { ID id-ServedCellsToModify   CRITICALITY reject  TYPE ServedCellsToModify  PRESENCE optional} |
    { ID id-ServedCellsToDelete   CRITICALITY reject  TYPE Old-ECGIs           PRESENCE optional} |
    { ID id-GUGroupIDListToAdd     CRITICALITY reject  TYPE GUGroupIDList       PRESENCE optional} |
    { ID id-GUGroupIDListToDelete CRITICALITY reject  TYPE GUGroupIDList       PRESENCE optional},
    ...
}
```

ServedCellsToModify ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellineNB)) OF ServedCellsToModify-Item

```
ServedCellsToModify-Item ::= SEQUENCE {
    old-ecgi                ECGI,
    served-cells            ServedCell-Information,
    neighbour-Info          Neighbour-Information          OPTIONAL,
    iE-Extensions           ProtocolExtensionContainer { { ServedCellsToModify-Item-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,
```

```

...
}

ServedCellsToModify-Item-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
...
}

```

Old-ECGIs ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellineNB)) OF ECGI

```

-- *****
--
-- ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE ACKNOWLEDGE
--
-- *****

```

```

ENBConfigurationUpdateAcknowledge ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{ENBConfigurationUpdateAcknowledge-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

```

ENBConfigurationUpdateAcknowledge-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics          CRITICALITY ignore      TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics          PRESENCE optional      },
    ...
}

```

}

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

```
-- ENB CONFIGURATION UPDATE FAIURE
```

```
--
```

```
-- *****
```

```
ENBConfigurationUpdateFailure ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{ENBConfigurationUpdateFailure-IEs}},
    ...
}
```

```
ENBConfigurationUpdateFailure-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-Cause          CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE Cause          PRESENCE
    mandatory             }|
    { ID id-TimeToWait    CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE TimeToWait        PRESENCE
    optional              }|
    { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics  CRITICALITY ignore   TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics  PRESENCE optional },
    ...
}
```

```
-- *****
```

--

-- Resource Status Request

--

-- *****

```
ResourceStatusRequest ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{ResourceStatusRequest-IEs}},
    ...
}
```

```
ResourceStatusRequest-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-Registration-Request    CRITICALITY reject    TYPE Registration-Request    PRESENCE mandatory } |
    { ID id-CellToReport            CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CellToReport-List        PRESENCE optional } |
    { ID id-ReportingPeriodicity    CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE ReportingPeriod          PRESENCE optional } ,
    ...
}
```

```
CellToReport-List ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellineNB)) OF ProtocolIE-Single-Container { {CellToReport-ItemIEs} }
```

```
CellToReport-ItemIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-CellToReport-Item      CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CellToReport-Item PRESENCE mandatory }
}
```

```

CellToReport-Item ::= SEQUENCE {
    cell-ID                               ECGI,
    iE-Extensions                         ProtocolExtensionContainer { { CellToReport-Item-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,
    ...
}

```

```

CellToReport-Item-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
    ...
}

```

```

ReportingPeriod ::= ENUMERATED { ffs,...}

```

-- The Report Period gives the reporting periodicity in number of ffs ms periods.

-- E.g. value ffs means ffs ms

-- Unit ms, Step ffs ms

```

-- *****

```

```

--

```

```

-- Resource Status Response

```

```

--

```

```

-- *****

```

```

ResourceStatusResponse ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{ResourceStatusResponse-IEs}},

```



```

...
}

ResourceStatusResponse-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics    CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics    PRESENCE optional },
    ...
}

```

```

-- *****
--
-- Resource Status Failure
--
-- *****

```

```

ResourceStatusFailure ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs    ProtocolIE-Container    {{ResourceStatusFailure-IEs}},
    ...
}

```

```

ResourceStatusFailure-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-Cause                CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE Cause                PRESENCE mandatory} |
    { ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics    CRITICALITY ignore    TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics    PRESENCE optional },
    ...
}

```

}

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

```
-- Resource Status Update
```

```
--
```

```
-- *****
```

```
ResourceStatusUpdate ::= SEQUENCE {
    protocolIEs          ProtocolIE-Container  {{ResourceStatusUpdate-IEs}},
    ...
}
```

```
ResourceStatusUpdate-IEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-CellMeasurementResult  CRITICALITY ignore  TYPE CellMeasurementResult-List  PRESENCE mandatory},
    ...
}
```

```
CellMeasurementResult-List ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxCellLineNB)) OF ProtocolIE-Single-Container { {CellMeasurementResult-ItemIEs} }
```

```
CellMeasurementResult-ItemIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {
    { ID id-CellMeasurementResult-Item  CRITICALITY ignore  TYPE CellMeasurementResult-Item  PRESENCE mandatory }
}
```

```
CellMeasurementResult-Item ::= SEQUENCE {
    cell-ID                ECGL,
    resoureStatus          ResourceStatus OPTIONAL,
    iE-Extensions          ProtocolExtensionContainer { {CellMeasurementResult-Item-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
    ...
}
```

```
CellMeasurementResult-Item-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
    ...
}
```

```
-- *****
--
-- PRIVATE MESSAGE
--
-- *****
```

```
PrivateMessage ::= SEQUENCE {
    privateIEs             PrivateIE-Container {{PrivateMessage-IEs}},
    ...
}
```

```
PrivateMessage-IEs X2AP-PRIVATE-IES ::= {  
  
    ...  
  
}
```

END

9.3.5 Information Element definitions

```
-- *****  
--  
-- Information Element Definitions  
--  
-- *****
```

```
X2AP-IEs {  
    itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)  
    eps-Access (21) modules (3) x2ap (2) version1 (1) x2ap-IEs (2) }
```

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

IMPORTS

```
    id-InterfacesToTrace-Item,  
    id-E-RAB-Item,
```

maxnoofBearers, maxCellineNB,
maxEARFCN,
maxInterfaces,

maxnoofBPLMNs,
maxnoofEPLMNs,
maxnoofEPLMNsPlusOne,
maxnoofForbLACs,
maxnoofForbTACs,
maxnoofNeighbours,
maxnoofPRBs,
maxNrOfErrors,
maxPools

FROM X2AP-Constants

Criticality,
ProcedureCode,
ProtocolIE-ID,
TriggeringMessage

FROM X2AP-CommonDataTypes

ProtocolExtensionContainer{ },

```
ProtocolIE-Single-Container{ },

X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION,
X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES
FROM X2AP-Containers;

-- A

AS-SecurityInformation ::= SEQUENCE {
    key-eNB                Key-eNB,
    nextHopChainingCounter NextHopChainingCounter,
    keySetIdentifier       KeySetIdentifier,
    iE-Extensions          ProtocolExtensionContainer { { AS-SecurityInformation-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,
    ...
}

AS-SecurityInformation-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
    ...
}

AllocationAndRetentionPriority ::= SEQUENCE {
    priorityLevel           PriorityLevel,
    pre-emptionCapability   Pre-emptionCapability,
```

```
    pre-emptionVulnerability Pre-emptionVulnerability,  
    iE-Extensions          ProtocolExtensionContainer { {AllocationAndRetentionPriority-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,  
    ...  
}
```

```
AllocationAndRetentionPriority-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {  
    ...  
}
```

-- B

```
BitRate ::= INTEGER (0..10000000000)
```

```
BroadcastPLMNs-Item ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofBPLMNs)) OF PLMN-Identity
```

-- C

```
Cause ::= CHOICE {  
    radioNetwork          CauseRadioNetwork,  
    transport             CauseTransport,  
    protocol              CauseProtocol,  
    misc                  CauseMisc,
```

```
...  
}
```

```
CauseMisc ::= ENUMERATED {  
    control-processing-overload,  
    hardware-failure,  
    om-intervention,  
    not-enough-user-plane-processing-resources,  
    unspecified,  
    ...  
}
```

```
CauseProtocol ::= ENUMERATED {  
    transfer-syntax-error,  
    abstract-syntax-error-reject,  
    abstract-syntax-error-ignore-and-notify,  
    message-not-compatible-with-receiver-state,  
    semantic-error,  
    unspecified,  
    abstract-syntax-error-falsely-constructed-message,  
    ...  
}
```

```
CauseRadioNetwork ::= ENUMERATED {
```



```
handover-desirable-for-radio-reasons,  
time-critical-handover,  
resource-optimisation-handover,  
reduce-load-in-serving-cell,  
  partial-handover,  
  
  unknown-new-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID,  
  
  unknown-old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID,  
  
  unknown-pair-of-UE-X2AP-ID,  
  
  ho-target-not-allowed,  
  
  tx2relocoverall-expiry,  
  
  trelocprep-expiry,  
  
  cell-not-available,  
  
  no-radio-resources-available-in-target-cell,  
  
  invalid-MME-GroupID,  
  
  unknown-MME-Code,  
  
  unspecified,  
  
  ...  
  
}
```

```
CauseTransport ::= ENUMERATED {  
  transport-resource-unavailable,  
  
  unspecified,  
  
  ...  
  
}
```

```
COUNTvalue ::= SEQUENCE {  
    pDCP-SN                PDCP-SN,  
    hFN                    HFN,  
    iE-Extensions          ProtocolExtensionContainer { { COUNTvalue-ExtIEs } OPTIONAL,  
    ...  
}
```

```
COUNTvalue-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {  
    ...  
}
```

```
CriticalityDiagnostics ::= SEQUENCE {  
    procedureCode           ProcedureCode                OPTIONAL,  
    triggeringMessage       TriggeringMessage            OPTIONAL,  
    procedureCriticality    Criticality                   OPTIONAL,  
    iEsCriticalityDiagnostics CriticalityDiagnostics-IE-List OPTIONAL,  
    iE-Extensions          ProtocolExtensionContainer { { CriticalityDiagnostics-ExtIEs } OPTIONAL,  
    ...  
}
```

```
CriticalityDiagnostics-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {  
    ...  
}
```

```
CriticalityDiagnostics-IE-List ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxNrOfErrors)) OF  
    SEQUENCE {  
        iECriticality          Criticality,  
        iE-ID                  ProtocolIE-ID,  
        typeOfError            TypeOfError,  
        iE-Extensions          ProtocolExtensionContainer { {CriticalityDiagnostics-IE-List-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,  
        ...  
    }
```

```
CriticalityDiagnostics-IE-List-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {  
    ...  
}
```

-- D

```
DL-Forwarding ::= ENUMERATED {
```

```
    dL-forwardingProposed,  
    ...  
}
```

```
-- E
```

```
EARFCN ::= INTEGER (0..maxEARFCN)
```

```
EARFCN-FDD ::= SEQUENCE {  
    uL-EARFCN      EARFCN,  
    dL-EARFCN      EARFCN  
}
```

```
EARFCN-Info ::= CHOICE {  
    fDD      EARFCN-FDD,  
    tDD      EARFCN  
}
```

```
ECGI ::= SEQUENCE {  
    pLMN-Identity      PLMN-Identity,  
    eUTRANcellIdentifier EUTRANCellIdentifier,  
    iE-Extensions      ProtocolExtensionContainer { {ECGI-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,  
    ...
```

}

ECGI-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...

}

ENB-ID ::= CHOICE {

macro-eNB-ID BIT STRING (SIZE (20)),

home-eNB-ID BIT STRING (SIZE (28)),

...

}

EncryptionAlgorithms ::= BIT STRING (SIZE (16, ...))

EPLMNs ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofEPLMNs)) OF PLMN-Identity

E-RAB-ID ::= INTEGER (0..15, ...)

E-RAB-Level-QoS-Parameters ::= SEQUENCE {

qCI QCI,

allocationAndRetentionPriority AllocationAndRetentionPriority,

gbrQosInformation GBR-QosInformation
OPTIONAL,

iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { { E-RAB-Level-QoS-Parameters-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,

...

}

E-RAB-Level-QoS-Parameters-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...

}

E-RAB-List ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1.. maxnoofBearers)) OF ProtocolIE-Single-Container { {E-RAB-ItemIEs} }

E-RAB-ItemIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

{ ID id-E-RAB-Item	CRITICALITY ignore	TYPE E-RAB-Item	PRESENCE mandatory },
--------------------	--------------------	-----------------	-----------------------

...

}

E-RAB-Item ::= SEQUENCE {

e-RAB-ID	E-RAB-ID,
cause	Cause,
iE-Extensions	ProtocolExtensionContainer { {E-RAB-Item-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,

...

}

E-RAB-Item-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...

}

```
EventType ::= ENUMERATED{  
    change-of-serving-cell,  
    ...  
}
```

```
EUTRANCellIdentifier ::= BIT STRING (SIZE (28))
```

```
-- F
```

```
ForbiddenInterRATs ::= ENUMERATED {  
    all,  
    geran,  
    utran,  
    ...  
}
```

```
ForbiddenTAs ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofEPLMNsPlusOne)) OF ForbiddenTAs-Item
```

```
ForbiddenTAs-Item ::= SEQUENCE {  
    pLMN-Identity      PLMN-Identity,  
    forbiddenTACs     ForbiddenTACs  
}
```

```
ForbiddenTACs ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofForbTACs)) OF TAC
```

ForbiddenLAs ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofEPLMNsPlusOne)) OF ForbiddenLAs-Item

```
ForbiddenLAs-Item ::= SEQUENCE {  
    pLMN-Identity          PLMN-Identity,  
    forbiddenLACs          ForbiddenLACs  
}
```

ForbiddenLACs ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofForbLACs)) OF LAC

-- G

```
GBR-QosInformation ::= SEQUENCE {  
    e-RAB-MaximumBitrateDL          BitRate,  
    e-RAB-MaximumBitrateUL          BitRate,  
    e-RAB-GuaranteedBitrateDL       BitRate,  
    e-RAB-GuaranteedBitrateUL       BitRate,  
    iE-Extensions                    ProtocolExtensionContainer { { GBR-QosInformation-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,  
    ...  
}
```

GBR-QosInformation-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...
}

GlobalENB-ID ::= SEQUENCE {
 pLMN-Identity PLMN-Identity,
 eNB-ID ENB-ID,
 iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { {GlobalENB-ID-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
 ...
}

GlobalENB-ID-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
 ...
}

GTPtunnelEndpoint ::= SEQUENCE {
 transportLayerAddress TransportLayerAddress,
 gTP-TEID GTP-TEI,
 iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { {GTPtunnelEndpoint-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
 ...
}

GTPtunnelEndpoint-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
 ...
}

GTP-TEI ::= OCTET STRING (SIZE (4))

GUGroupIDList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPools)) OF GU-Group-ID

GU-Group-ID ::= SEQUENCE {
 pLMN-Identity PLMN-Identity,
 mME-Group-ID MME-Group-ID,
 iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { {GU-Group-ID-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
 ...
}

GU-Group-ID-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
 ...
}

GUMMEI ::= SEQUENCE {
 gU-Group-ID GU-Group-ID,
 mMME-Code MME-Code,
 iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { {GUMMEI-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
 ...
}

```
GUMMEI-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
```

```
...
```

```
}
```

```
-- H
```

```
HandoverRestrictionList ::= SEQUENCE {
```

```
    servingPLMN                PLMN-Identity,
```

```
    equivalentPLMNs             EPLMNs                OPTIONAL,
```

```
    forbiddenTAs                ForbiddenTAs          OPTIONAL,
```

```
    forbiddenLAs                ForbiddenLAs          OPTIONAL,
```

```
    forbiddenInterRATs          ForbiddenInterRATs    OPTIONAL,
```

```
    iE-Extensions               ProtocolExtensionContainer { {HandoverRestrictionList-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
```

```
...
```

```
}
```

```
HandoverRestrictionList-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
```

```
...
```

```
}
```

```
HFN ::= INTEGER (0..1048575)
```

-- I

IntegrityProtectionAlgorithms ::= BIT STRING (SIZE (16, ...))

InterfacesToTrace ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxInterfaces)) OF ProtocolIE-Single-Container { { InterfacesToTrace-ItemIEs } }

InterfacesToTrace-ItemIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

{ ID id-InterfacesToTrace-Item CRITICALITY ignore TYPE InterfacesToTrace-Item PRESENCE mandatory }

}

InterfacesToTrace-Item ::= SEQUENCE {

 traceInterface TraceInterface,
 traceDepth TraceDepth,
 iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { { InterfacesToTrace-Item-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,
 ...

}

InterfacesToTrace-Item-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

 ...

}

-- J

-- K

KeySetIdentifier ::= BIT STRING (SIZE(3))

Key-eNB ::= BIT STRING (SIZE(256))

-- L

LAC ::= OCTET STRING (SIZE (2)) --(EXCEPT ('0000'H|'FFFE'H))

LocationReportingInformation ::= SEQUENCE {
 eventType EventType,
 reportArea ReportArea,
 iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { {LocationReportingInformation-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
 ...
}

LocationReportingInformation-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

```
    ...
}

-- M

MME-Group-ID ::= OCTET STRING (SIZE (2))

MME-Code      ::= OCTET STRING (SIZE (1))

-- N

Neighbour-Information ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (0..maxnoofNeighbours)) OF SEQUENCE {
    eCGI          ECGI,
    pCI          PCI,
    eARFCN       EARFCN,
    iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { {Neighbour-Information-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,
    ...
}

Neighbour-Information-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
    ...
}
```

NextHopChainingCounter ::= BIT STRING (SIZE(3))

-- O

-- P

PDPC-SN ::= INTEGER (0..4095)

PCI ::= INTEGER (0..503, ...)

PLMN-Identity ::= OCTET STRING (SIZE(3))

Pre-emptionCapability ::= ENUMERATED {
 shall-not-trigger-pre-emption,
 may-trigger-pre-emption
}

Pre-emptionVulnerability ::= ENUMERATED {
 not-pre-emptable,
 pre-emptable
}

PriorityLevel ::= INTEGER { spare (0), highest (1), lowest (14), no-priority (15) } (0..15)

-- Q

QCI ::= INTEGER (1..256)

-- R

ReceiveStatusofULPDCPSDUs ::= BIT STRING (SIZE(4096))

Registration-Request ::= ENUMERATED {
 start,
 stop,
 ...
}

RelativeNarrowbandTxPower ::= SEQUENCE {

 rNTP-PerPRB BIT STRING (SIZE(6..110, ...)),
 rNTP-Threshold RNTP-Threshold,
 numberOfCellSpecificAntennaPorts ENUMERATED {one, two, four, ...},
 p-B INTEGER (0..3,...),
 pDCCH-InterferenceImpact INTEGER (0..4,...),
 iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { { RelativeNarrowbandTxPower-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,
 ...


```
}
```

```
RelativeNarrowbandTxPower-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {
```

```
...
```

```
}
```

```
ReportArea ::= ENUMERATED{
```

```
ecgi,
```

```
...
```

```
}
```

```
RNTP-Threshold ::= ENUMERATED {
```

```
minusInfinity,
```

```
minusEleven,
```

```
minusTen,
```

```
minusNine,
```

```
minusEight,
```

```
minusSeven,
```

```
minusSix,
```

```
minusFive,
```

```
minusFour,
```

```
minusThree,
```

```
minusTwo,
```

```
minusOne,
```

```
zero,  
one,  
two,  
three,  
...  
}
```

RRC-Context ::= OCTET STRING

ResourceStatus ::= INTEGER

-- S

```
ServedCells ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1.. maxCellineNB)) OF SEQUENCE {  
    servedCellInfo          ServedCell-Information,  
    neighbour-Info          Neighbour-Information          OPTIONAL,  
    iE-Extensions           ProtocolExtensionContainer { {ServedCell-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,  
    ...  
}
```

```
ServedCell-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {  
    ...  
}
```

```
ServedCell-Information ::= SEQUENCE {  
    pCI                PCI,  
    cellId             ECGI,  
    tAC                TAC,  
    broadcastPLMNs     BroadcastPLMNs-Item,  
    eARFCN-Info        EARFCN-Info,  
    uL-Transmission-Bandwidth    Transmission-Bandwidth,  
    dL-Transmission-Bandwidth    Transmission-Bandwidth,  
    subframeAssignment SubframeAssignment    OPTIONAL,  
    iE-Extensions      ProtocolExtensionContainer { {ServedCell-Information-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,  
    ...  
}
```

```
ServedCell-Information-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {  
    ...  
}
```

```
SRVCCOperationPossible ::= ENUMERATED {  
    possible,
```

```
    ...  
  }  
  
SubframeAssignment ::= ENUMERATED {  
    sa0,  
    sa1,  
    sa2,  
    sa3,  
    sa4,  
    sa5,  
    sa6,  
    ...  
}
```

```
SubscriberProfileIDforRFP ::= INTEGER (1..256)
```

```
-- T
```

```
TAC ::= OCTET STRING (SIZE (2))
```

```
TargeteNBtoSource-eNBTransparentContainer ::= OCTET STRING
```

TimeToWait ::= ENUMERATED {

v1s,

v2s,

v5s,

v10s,

v20s,

v60s,

...

}

TraceActivation ::= SEQUENCE {

traceReference

TraceReference,

interfacesToTrace

InterfacesToTrace,

iE-Extensions

ProtocolExtensionContainer { { TraceActivation-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,

...

}

TraceActivation-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...

}

```
TraceDepth ::= ENUMERATED {  
    minimum,  
    medium,  
    maximum,  
    vendorMinimum,  
    vendorMedium,  
    vendorMaximum,  
    ...  
}
```

```
TraceInterface ::= ENUMERATED {  
    s1,  
    x2,  
    uu,  
    ...  
}
```

```
TraceReference ::= OCTET STRING (SIZE (8))
```

```
Transmission-Bandwidth ::= ENUMERATED {  
    bw6,  
    bw15,  
    bw25,  
    bw50,
```

```
        bw75,  
        bw100,  
        ...  
    }
```

```
TransportLayerAddress ::= BIT STRING (SIZE(1..160, ...))
```

```
TypeOfError ::= ENUMERATED {  
    not-understood,  
    missing,  
    ...  
}
```

```
-- U
```

```
UE-HistoryInformation ::= OCTET STRING
```

```
UE-S1AP-ID ::= INTEGER (0.. 4294967295)
```

```
UE-X2AP-ID ::= INTEGER (0..4095) -- Value FFS
```

```
UEAggregateMaximumBitRate ::= SEQUENCE {
```

```

    uEAggregateMaximumBitRateDownlink    BitRate,
    uEAggregateMaximumBitRateUplink      BitRate,
    iE-Extensions                          ProtocolExtensionContainer { { UEAggregate-MaximumBitrate-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,
    ...
}

```

```

UEAggregate-MaximumBitrate-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

```

```

    ...
}

```

```

UESecurityCapabilities ::= SEQUENCE {

```

```

    encryptionAlgorithms                    EncryptionAlgorithms,
    integrityProtectionAlgorithms          IntegrityProtectionAlgorithms,
    iE-Extensions                          ProtocolExtensionContainer { { UESecurityCapabilities-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,
    ...
}

```

```

UESecurityCapabilities-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

```

```

    ...
}

```

```

UL-InterferenceOverloadIndication ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofPRBs)) OF UL-InterferenceOverloadIndication-Item

```

```

UL-InterferenceOverloadIndication-Item ::= ENUMERATED {

```



```
    high-interference,  
    medium-interference,  
    low-interference,  
    ...  
}
```

UL-HighInterferenceIndicationInfo ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxCellineNB)) OF UL-HighInterferenceIndicationInfo-Item

```
UL-HighInterferenceIndicationInfo-Item ::= SEQUENCE {  
    ul-interferenceindication      UL-HighInterferenceIndication,  
    target-Cell-ID                 ECGI,  
    iE-Extensions                 ProtocolExtensionContainer { { UL-HighInterferenceIndicationInfo-Item-ExtIEs } } OPTIONAL,  
    ...  
}
```

```
UL-HighInterferenceIndicationInfo-Item-ExtIEs X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {  
    ...  
}
```

UL-HighInterferenceIndication ::= BIT STRING (SIZE(1..110, ...))

-- V

-- W
-- X
-- Y
-- Z

END

9.3.6 Common definitions

-- *****
--
-- Common definitions
--
-- *****

X2AP-CommonDataTypes {
itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)
eps-Access (21) modules (3) x2ap (2) version1 (1) x2ap-CommonDataTypes (3) }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

-- *****
--

```
-- Extension constants
```

```
--
```

```
-- *****
```

```
maxPrivateIEs                               INTEGER ::= 65535
```

```
maxProtocolExtensions                       INTEGER ::= 65535
```

```
maxProtocolIEs                               INTEGER ::= 65535
```

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

```
-- Common Data Types
```

```
--
```

```
-- *****
```

```
Criticality ::= ENUMERATED { reject, ignore, notify }
```

```
Presence ::= ENUMERATED { optional, conditional, mandatory }
```

```
PrivateIE-ID ::= CHOICE {
```

```
    local                                INTEGER (0.. maxPrivateIEs),
```

```
    global                                OBJECT IDENTIFIER
```

```
}
```

```
ProcedureCode ::= INTEGER (0..255)
```

ProtocolIE-ID ::= INTEGER (0..maxProtocolIEs)

TriggeringMessage ::= ENUMERATED { initiating-message, successful-outcome, unsuccessful-outcome }

END

9.3.7 Constant definitions

-- *****

--

-- Constant definitions

--

-- *****

X2AP-Constants {

itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)

eps-Access (21) modules (3) x2ap (2) version1 (1) x2ap-Constants (4) }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

IMPORTS

ProcedureCode,

ProtocolIE-ID

FROM X2AP-CommonDataTypes;

-- *****

--

-- Elementary Procedures

--

-- *****

id-handoverPreparation

ProcedureCode ::= 0

id-handoverCancel

ProcedureCode ::= 1

id-loadIndication

ProcedureCode ::= 2

id-errorIndication

ProcedureCode ::= 3

id-snStatusTransfer

ProcedureCode ::= 4

id-uEContextRelease

ProcedureCode ::= 5

id-x2Setup

ProcedureCode ::= 6

id-reset

ProcedureCode ::= 7

id-eNBConfigurationUpdate

ProcedureCode ::= 8

id-resourceStatusUpdateInitiation

ProcedureCode ::= 9

id-resourceStatusReporting

ProcedureCode ::= 10

id-privateMessage

ProcedureCode ::= 11

```
-- *****  
--  
-- Lists  
--  
-- *****
```

```
maxEARFCN  
65535  
maxInterfaces INTEGER ::= 16  
maxCelllineNB INTEGER ::= 256  
  
maxnoofBearers INTEGER ::= 256  
maxNrOfErrors  
INTEGER ::= 256  
  
maxnoofPDCP-SN  
INTEGER ::= 16  
-- FFS Value to be checked  
  
maxnoofEPLMNs  
INTEGER ::= 15  
  
maxnoofEPLMNsPlusOne  
INTEGER ::= 16
```

maxnoofForbLACs

INTEGER ::= 4096

maxnoofForbTACs

INTEGER ::= 4096

maxnoofBPLMNs

INTEGER ::= 6

maxnoofNeighbours

INTEGER ::= 512

maxnoofPRBs

INTEGER ::=

110

maxPools

INTEGER ::=

16

-- FFS Value to be checked

-- *****

--

-- IEs

--

-- *****

id-E-RABs-Admitted-Item

ProtocolIE-ID ::= 0

id-E-RABs-Admitted-List

ProtocolIE-ID ::= 1

id-E-RAB-Item

ProtocolIE-ID ::= 2

id-E-RABs-NotAdmitted-List	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 3
id-E-RABs-ToBeSetup-Item	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 4
id-Cause	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 5
id-CellInformation	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 6
id-CellInformation-Item	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 7
id-InterfacesToTrace-Item	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 8
id-New-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 9
id-Old-eNB-UE-X2AP-ID	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 10
id-TargetCell-ID	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 11
id-TargeteNBtoSource-eNBTransparentContainer	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 12
id-TraceActivation	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 13
id-UE-ContextInformation	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 14
id-UE-HistoryInformation	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 15
id-UE-X2AP-ID	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 16
id-CriticalityDiagnostics	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 17
id-E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-List	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 18
id-E-RABs-SubjectToStatusTransfer-Item	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 19
id-ServedCells	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 20
id-GlobalENB-ID ::= 21	ProtocolIE-ID
id-TimeToWait	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 22
id-GUMMEI-ID	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 23
id-GUGroupIDList	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 24
id-ServedCellsToAdd	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 25
id-ServedCellsToModify	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 26

id-ServedCellsToDelete		ProtocolIE-ID ::= 27
id-Registration-Request		
	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 28	
id-CellToReport		
		ProtocolIE-ID ::= 29
id-ReportingPeriodicity		
	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 30	
id-CellToReport-Item		
	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 31	
id-CellMeasurementResult		
	ProtocolIE-ID ::= 32	
id-CellMeasurementResult-Item		
		ProtocolIE-ID ::= 33
id-GUGroupIDListToAdd		
		ProtocolIE-ID ::= 34
id-GUGroupIDListToDelete		
		ProtocolIE-ID ::= 35
id-SRVCCOperationPossible		
		ProtocolIE-ID ::= 36

END

9.3.8 Container definitions

```

-- *****
--
-- Container definitions
--
-- *****

```

```
X2AP-Containers {  
itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)  
eps-Access (21) modules (3) x2ap (2) version1 (1) x2ap-Containers (5) }
```

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

```
-- *****  
--  
-- IE parameter types from other modules.  
--  
-- *****
```

IMPORTS

```
    maxPrivateIEs,  
    maxProtocolExtensions,  
    maxProtocolIEs,  
    Criticality,  
    Presence,  
    PrivateIE-ID,  
    ProtocolIE-ID
```

FROM X2AP-CommonDataTypes;

```
-- *****  
--  
-- Class Definition for Protocol IEs  
--  
-- *****
```

```
X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= CLASS {  
    &id                ProtocolIE-ID          UNIQUE,  
    &criticality       Criticality,  
    &Value,  
    &presence          Presence  
}  
WITH SYNTAX {  
    ID                &id  
    CRITICALITY       &criticality  
    TYPE              &Value  
    PRESENCE          &presence  
}
```

```
-- *****  
--  
-- Class Definition for Protocol IEs  
--
```

-- *****

```

X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR ::= CLASS {
    &id                               ProtocolIE-ID          UNIQUE,
    &firstCriticality                 Criticality,
    &FirstValue,
    &secondCriticality                 Criticality,
    &SecondValue,
    &presence                           Presence
}

```

```

WITH SYNTAX {
    ID                               &id
    FIRST CRITICALITY                 &firstCriticality
    FIRST TYPE                         &FirstValue
    SECOND CRITICALITY                 &secondCriticality
    SECOND TYPE                       &SecondValue
    PRESENCE                          &presence
}

```

-- *****

--

-- Class Definition for Protocol Extensions

--

-- *****

```
X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= CLASS {
    &id                               ProtocolIE-ID          UNIQUE,
    &criticality                       Criticality,
    &Extension,
    &presence                           Presence
}
WITH SYNTAX {
    ID                                 &id
    CRITICALITY                       &criticality
    EXTENSION                          &Extension
    PRESENCE                           &presence
}
```

```
-- *****
--
-- Class Definition for Private IEs
--
-- *****
```

```
X2AP-PRIVATE-IES ::= CLASS {
    &id                               PrivateIE-ID,
    &criticality                       Criticality,
    &Value,
```

```

        &presence                Presence
    }

```

```

WITH SYNTAX {

```

```

    ID                            &id
    CRITICALITY                   &criticality
    TYPE                           &Value
    PRESENCE                       &presence
}

```

```

-- *****
--
-- Container for Protocol IEs
--
-- *****

```

```

ProtocolIE-Container { X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES : IEsSetParam } ::=

```

```

    SEQUENCE (SIZE (0..maxProtocolIEs)) OF

```

```

    ProtocolIE-Field { { IEsSetParam } }

```

```

ProtocolIE-Single-Container { X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES : IEsSetParam } ::=

```

```

    ProtocolIE-Field { { IEsSetParam } }

```

```

ProtocolIE-Field { X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES : IEsSetParam } ::= SEQUENCE {

```

```

    id                            X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES.&id                ({IEsSetParam}),

```

```

    criticality      X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES.&criticality      ({IEsSetParam}{@id}),
    value           X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES.&Value          ({IEsSetParam}{@id})
}

```

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

```
-- Container for Protocol IE Pairs
```

```
--
```

```
-- *****
```

```
ProtocolIE-ContainerPair {X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR : IEsSetParam} ::=
```

```
SEQUENCE (SIZE (0..maxProtocolIEs)) OF
```

```
ProtocolIE-FieldPair {{IEsSetParam}}
```

```
ProtocolIE-FieldPair {X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR : IEsSetParam} ::= SEQUENCE {
```

```
id                X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR.&id                ({IEsSetParam}),
```

```
firstCriticality X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR.&firstCriticality    ({IEsSetParam}{@id}),
```

```
firstValue       X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR.&FirstValue        ({IEsSetParam}{@id}),
```

```
secondCriticality X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR.&secondCriticality  ({IEsSetParam}{@id}),
```

```
secondValue      X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR.&SecondValue       ({IEsSetParam}{@id})
```

```
}
```

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

-- Container Lists for Protocol IE Containers

--

-- *****

ProtocolIE-ContainerList {INTEGER : lowerBound, INTEGER : upperBound, X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES : IEsSetParam} ::=

SEQUENCE (SIZE (lowerBound..upperBound)) OF

ProtocolIE-Container { {IEsSetParam} }

ProtocolIE-ContainerPairList {INTEGER : lowerBound, INTEGER : upperBound, X2AP-PROTOCOL-IES-PAIR : IEsSetParam} ::=

SEQUENCE (SIZE (lowerBound..upperBound)) OF

ProtocolIE-ContainerPair { {IEsSetParam} }

-- *****

--

-- Container for Protocol Extensions

--

-- *****

ProtocolExtensionContainer {X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION : ExtensionSetParam} ::=

SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxProtocolExtensions)) OF

ProtocolExtensionField { {ExtensionSetParam} }

ProtocolExtensionField {X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION : ExtensionSetParam} ::= SEQUENCE {

id

X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION.&id

({ExtensionSetParam}),


```

    criticality                X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION.&criticality    ({ExtensionSetParam}{@id}),
    extensionValue             X2AP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION.&Extension      ({ExtensionSetParam}{@id})
}

```

```
-- *****
```

```
--
```

```
-- Container for Private IEs
```

```
--
```

```
-- *****
```

```
PrivateIE-Container {X2AP-PRIVATE-IES : IEsSetParam} ::=
```

```
    SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPrivateIEs)) OF
```

```
    PrivateIE-Field {{IEsSetParam}}
```

```
PrivateIE-Field {X2AP-PRIVATE-IES : IEsSetParam} ::= SEQUENCE {
```

```
    id                X2AP-PRIVATE-IES.&id                ({IEsSetParam}),
```

```
    criticality        X2AP-PRIVATE-IES.&criticality    ({IEsSetParam}{@id}),
```

```
    value              X2AP-PRIVATE-IES.&Value          ({IEsSetParam}{@id})
```

```
}
```

```
END
```

9.4 Message transfer syntax

X2AP shall use the ASN.1 Basic Packed Encoding Rules (BASIC-PER) Aligned Variant as transfer syntax as specified in ref. [5].

9.5 Timers

$T_{\text{RELOCprep}}$

- Specifies the maximum time for the Handover Preparation procedure in the source eNB.

$TX2_{\text{RELOCoverall}}$

- Specifies the maximum time for the protection of the overall handover procedure in the source eNB.

10 Handling of unknown, unforeseen and erroneous protocol data

Section 10 of [4] is applicable for the purposes of the present document.

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