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The present document has been prepared under the Commission's standardisation request C(2015) 5376 final [i.10] to provide one voluntary means of conforming to the essential requirements of Directive 2014/53/EU on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of radio equipment and repealing Directive 1999/5/EC [i.1].

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The present document is part of a set of standards developed by ETSI that are designed to fit in a modular structure to cover radio equipment within the scope of the Radio Equipment Directive [i.1]. The present document is produced following the guidance in ETSI EG 203 336 [i.2] as applicable.

1 Scope

The present document applies to the following radio equipment type:

- 1) GSM base stations.

Table 1-1: GSM Base Station System frequency bands

GSM band	Direction of transmission	GSM Base Station System relevant frequency bands
P-GSM 900	Transmit	935 MHz to 960 MHz
	Receive	890 MHz to 915 MHz
E-GSM 900	Transmit	925 MHz to 960 MHz
	Receive	880 MHz to 915 MHz
R-GSM 900	Transmit	921 MHz to 960 MHz
	Receive	876 MHz to 915 MHz
ER-GSM 900	Transmit	918 MHz to 960 MHz
	Receive	873 MHz to 915 MHz
DCS 1 800	Transmit	1 805 MHz to 1 880 MHz
	Receive	1 710 MHz to 1 785 MHz
GSM 450	Transmit	460,4 MHz to 467,6 MHz
	Receive	450,4 MHz to 457,6 MHz
GSM 480	Transmit	488,8 MHz to 496 MHz
	Receive	478,8 MHz to 486 MHz

The present document contains requirements aiming to demonstrate that that radio equipment both effectively uses and supports the efficient use of radio spectrum in order to avoid harmful interference.

In regards to interference to systems operating in adjacent bands guidance for single carrier BTS and multicarrier BTS is provided in ECC Report 146 [i.3].

2 References

2.1 Normative references

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- [2] ETSI TS 151 021 (V12.3.0) (01-2015): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Base Station System (BSS) equipment specification; Radio aspects (3GPP TS 51.021 version 12.3.0 Release 12)".
- [3] ETSI TS 145 002 (V12.4.0) (04-2015): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Multiplexing and multiple access on the radio path (3GPP TS 45.002 version 12.4.0 Release 12)".
- [4] ETSI TS 145 004 (V12.0.0) (10-2014): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Modulation (3GPP TS 45.004 version 12.0.0 Release 12)".

- [5] ETSI TS 145 005 (V12.5.0) (04-2015): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Radio Transmission and reception (3GPP TS 45.005 version 12.5.0 Release 12)".
- [6] ETSI TS 145 010 (V12.0.0) (10-2014): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Radio subsystem synchronization (3GPP TS 45.010 version 12.0.0 Release 12)".
- [7] ETSI EN 300 019-1-0 (V2.1.2) (09-2003): "Environmental Engineering (EE); Environmental conditions and environmental tests for telecommunications equipment; Part 1-0: Classification of environmental conditions; Introduction".
- [8] ETSI EN 300 019-1-3 (V2.4.1) (04-2014): "Environmental Engineering (EE); Environmental conditions and environmental tests for telecommunications equipment; Part 1-3: Classification of environmental conditions; Stationary use at weather protected locations".
- [9] ETSI EN 300 019-1-4 (V2.2.1) (04-2014): "Environmental Engineering (EE); Environmental conditions and environmental tests for telecommunications equipment; Part 1-4: Classification of environmental conditions; Stationary use at non-weather protected locations".
- [10] ETSI TS 124 022 (V12.0.0) (10-2014): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Universal Mobile Telecommunications System (UMTS); Radio Link Protocol (RLP) for circuit switched bearer and teleservices (3GPP TS 24.022 version 12.0.0 Release 12)".
- [11] ETSI TS 148 020 (V12.0.0) (10-2014): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Rate adaption on the Base Station System - Mobile-services Switching Centre (BSS-MSC) interface (3GPP TS 48.020 version 12.0.0 Release 12)".
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- [13] Recommendation ITU-R SM.329-12 (09-2012): "Unwanted emissions in the spurious domain".
- [14] ETSI EN 300 019-2-3 (V2.3.1) (04-2013): "Environmental Engineering (EE); Environmental conditions and environmental tests for telecommunications equipment; Part 2-3: Specification of environmental tests; Stationary use at weather protected locations".
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- [17] IEC EN 60721-2-1 (ed.2.0, 06-2013): "Classification of environmental conditions - Part 2-1: Environmental conditions appearing in nature - Temperature and humidity".
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- [19] IEC EN 60721-3-0 (ed.1.1, 10-2002): "Classification of environmental conditions - Part 3: Classification of groups of environmental parameters and their severities - Introduction".
- [20] ETSI EN 301 908-1 (V11.1.1) (07-2016): "IMT cellular networks; Harmonised Standard covering the essential requirements of article 3.2 of the Radio Equipment Directive 2014/53/EU; Part 1: Introduction and common requirements".
- [21] ETSI TS 145 008 (V12.4.0) (01-2015): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Radio subsystem link control (3GPP TS 45.008 version 12.4.0 Release 12)".

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- [i.1] Directive 2014/53/EU of the European parliament and of the council of 16 April 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of radio equipment and repealing Directive 1999/5/EC.
- [i.2] ETSI EG 203 336: "Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); Guide for the selection of technical parameters for the production of Harmonised Standards covering article 3.1(b) and article 3.2 of Directive 2014/53/EU".
- [i.3] ECC Report 146, 6th July 2010: "Compatibility between GSM MCBTS and other services (TRR, RSBN/PRMG, HC-SDMA, GSM-R, DME, MIDS, DECT) operating in the 900 and 1800 MHz frequency bands".
- [i.4] ETSI TS 144 060 (V12.5.0) (07-2015): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); General Packet Radio Service (GPRS); Mobile Station (MS) - Base Station System (BSS) interface; Radio Link Control / Medium Access Control (RLC/MAC) protocol (3GPP TS 44.060 version 12.5.0 Release 12)".
- [i.5] CEPT/ERC/Recommendation 74-01E (01-2011): "Unwanted emissions in the spurious domain".
- [i.6] ETSI TR 100 028 (all parts) (V1.4.1) (12-2001): "Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); Uncertainties in the measurement of mobile radio equipment characteristics".
- [i.7] ETSI TS 145 001 (V12.1.0) (01-2015): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Physical layer on the radio path; General description (3GPP TS 45.001 version 12.1.0 Release 12)".
- [i.8] ETSI TR 145 050 (V12.2.0) (04-2015): "Digital cellular telecommunications system (Phase 2+); Background for Radio Frequency (RF) requirements (3GPP TR 45.050 version 12.2.0 Release 12)".
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- [i.10] Commission Implementing Decision C(2015) 5376 final of 4.8.2015 on a standardisation request to the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation and to the European Telecommunications Standards Institute as regards radio equipment in support of Directive 2014/53/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council.
- [i.11] ETSI TR 100 028-2: "ElectroMagnetic Compatibility and Radio Spectrum Matters (ERM); Uncertainties in the measurement of mobile radio equipment characteristics Part 2".

3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in ETSI TR 121 905 [i.9] and the following apply:

8-PSK: Modulation type as defined in ETSI TS 145 004 [4], clause 3.

16-QAM: Modulation type as defined in ETSI TS 145 004 [4], clause 4 for EGPRS2-A and clause 5 for EGRPS2-B.

32-QAM: Modulation type as defined in ETSI TS 145 004 [4], clause 4 for EGPRS2-A and clause 5 for EGRPS2-B.

ancillary RF amplifier: piece of equipment, which when connected by RF coaxial cables to the BTS, has the primary function to provide amplification between the transmit and/or receive antenna connector of a BTS and an antenna without requiring any control signal to fulfil its amplifying function

AQPSK: Modulation type as defined in ETSI TS 145 004 [4], clause 6.

base station RF bandwidth: instantaneous bandwidth in which a BTS belonging to a multicarrier BTS class transmits or transmits and receives multiple carriers simultaneously

Base Station System Test Equipment (BSSTE): See annex B in ETSI TS 151 021 [2].

BSS: BTS or integrated BSS

NOTE: If a separate BSC is required to perform tests on a BTS, the BSC may be regarded as test equipment and the environmental conditions of the BSC need not be controlled.

carrier frequency: centre of the ARFCN under test

circuit switched logical channels: all the standard GSM logical channels, including traffic channels (TCH), common control channels (RACH) and dedicated control channels (SDCCH, SACCH)

E-GSM: extended GSM 900 band (includes P-GSM band)

ECSD: any subset of the E-TCH traffic channels and related control channels

EGPRS: any subset of the packet traffic channels PDTCH/MCS-1 to MCS-9 and related control channels

EGPRS2: any of EGPRS2-A and EGPRS2-B

EGPRS2-A: packet traffic channels utilizing any subset of the packet traffic channels MCS-1 to 6 and PDTCH/UAS-7 to UAS-11 in uplink, together with MCS-1 to 4 and PDTCH/DAS-5 to DAS-12 in downlink, and related control channels

NOTE: In addition, MCS-7 and MCS-8 may be used in downlink when either the USF or the PAN or both are addressed to one or more EGPRS mobile stations.

EGPRS2-B: packet traffic channels utilizing any subset of the packet traffic channels MCS-1 to 4 and PDTCH/UBS-5 to UBS-12 in uplink, together with MCS-1 to 4 and PDTCH/DBS-5 to DBS-12 in downlink, and related control channels

NOTE: In addition, MCS-6 to MCS-9, DAS-5, DAS-6, DAS-8, DAS-9, DAS-10 pad, DAS-11, and DAS-12pad may be used in downlink under the conditions specified in ETSI TS 144 060 [i.4].

enclosure port: physical boundary of the apparatus through which electromagnetic fields may radiate or impinge

environmental profile: range of environmental conditions under which equipment within the scope of the present document is required to comply with the provisions of the present document

ER-GSM 900: extended Railway GSM 900 band (includes R-GSM band)

GMSK: Modulation type as defined by ETSI TS 145 004 [4], clause 2.

GPRS: any subset of the packet traffic channels PDTCH/CS-1 to CS-4 and related control channels

GSM: unless otherwise specified, references to GSM include GSM 400, GSM 900, ER-GSM 900 and DCS 1 800

GSM 400: unless otherwise specified, references to GSM 400 include GSM 450 and GSM 480 band

GSM 900: unless otherwise specified, references to GSM 900 include P-GSM, E-GSM and R-GSM band

GSM-R: GSM Railway communication, operated in the R-GSM or ER-GSM band, respectively

Local Area (LA) multicarrier BTS: class of multicarrier BTS with both multicarrier transmitter and multicarrier receiver, characterized by requirements derived from pico cell scenarios

manufacturer: in the present document, a reference to a manufacturer also applies to an agent of the manufacturer

maximum base station RF bandwidth: maximum bandwidth in which a BTS belonging to a multicarrier BTS class transmits or transmits and receives multiple carriers simultaneously

maximum transmit filter bandwidth: maximum bandwidth of the duplexer or the transmit filter used in a BTS belonging to a multicarrier BTS class transmitting carriers simultaneously

Medium Range (MR) multicarrier BTS: class of multicarrier BTS with both multicarrier transmitter and multicarrier receiver, characterized by requirements derived from micro cell scenarios

micro-BTS: low-power BTS with performance requirements defined in ETSI TS 145 005 [5]

NOTE: In the present document, this also includes a BSS which incorporates a micro-BTS.

minimum carrier frequency spacing: minimum spacing between the centre frequencies of simultaneously transmitted or received GSM carriers of a BTS belonging to a multicarrier BTS class

NOTE: The minimum carrier frequency spacing is 600 kHz.

multicarrier BTS: BTS, characterized by the ability to, in addition to single carrier operation, process two or more carriers in common active components simultaneously

multicarrier BTS equipped with multicarrier receiver: subgroup of multicarrier BTS, characterized by the ability to, in addition to single carrier operation, process two or more carriers in common active components simultaneously, in both multicarrier transmitter and multicarrier receiver

normal BTS: any BTS or BSS as defined by ETSI TS 145 005 [5] which is not a micro-BTS, pico-BTS or multicarrier BTS

operating band: transmit and receive operating bands together comprise the frequency band supported by the BSS

NOTE: As defined in clause B.1.2.

P-GSM: primary GSM 900 band

packet switched logical channels: all the General Packet Radio Services (GPRS) packet data logical channels, including packet traffic channels (PDTCH and PACCH) and packet common control channels (PRACH)

pico-BTS: low-power BTs with performance requirements defined in ETSI TS 145 005 [5]

NOTE: In the present document, this also includes a BSS which incorporates a pico-BTS.

port: particular interface, of the specified equipment (apparatus), with the electromagnetic environment

QPSK: Modulation type as defined ETSI TS 145 004 clause 5 [4], used in EGPRS2-B.

R-GSM: railways GSM 900 band (includes P-GSM band and E-GSM band)

radio digital unit: equipment which contains base band and functionality for controlling radio unit

radio equipment: equipment which contains radio digital unit and radio unit

radio unit: equipment which contains transmitter and receiver

relevant RX band (or relevant receive band): receive band for the frequency band of BTS declared by the manufacturer

NOTE: As defined in clause 1.

relevant TX band (or relevant transmit band): transmit band for the frequency band of BTS declared by the manufacturer

NOTE: As defined in clause 1.

SCPIR_UL: As defined in ETSI TS 145 005 [5], clause 1.3.

sub-block: contiguous allocated block of spectrum for use by the same Base Station

NOTE: There may be multiple instances of sub-blocks within an RF bandwidth.

sub-block bandwidth: bandwidth of one sub-block

sub-block gap: frequency gap between two consecutive sub-blocks within an RF bandwidth, where the RF requirements in the gap are based on co-existence for un-coordinated operation

VAMOS mode: As defined in ETSI TS 145 001 [i.7], clause 13.1.

VAMOS sub-channel: As defined in ETSI TS 145 001 [i.7], clause 13.1.

Wide Area (WA) multicarrier BTS: class of multicarrier BTS with either multicarrier transmitter only, or both multicarrier transmitter and receiver, characterized by requirements derived from macro cell scenarios

3.2 Symbols

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

Δf	frequency offset from the edge of the relevant TX band when measuring spurious emissions
f_o	frequency of wanted signal
$RF_{BW Max}$	maximum Base Station RF bandwidth

3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the abbreviations given in ETSI TR 121 905 [i.9] and the following apply:

AM	Amplitude Modulation
AMR	Adaptive Multi-Rate
AFS	AMR Full-rate Speech
AHS	AMR Half-rate Speech
AQPSK	Adaptive Quadrature Phase Shift Keying
ARFCN	Absolute Radio Frequency Channel Number
B	Bottom
BCCH	BroadCast Control CHannel
BER	Bit Error Ratio
BLER	Block Error Ratio
BS	Base Station
BSC	Base Station Controller
BSS	Base Station System
BSSTE	Base Station System Test Equipment
BTS	Base Transceiver Station
BTTI	Basic Transmission Time Interval
BW	BandWidth
DAS	EGPRS2 Downlink Level A modulation and coding Scheme
DBS	EGPRS2 Downlink Level B modulation and coding Scheme
DC	Direct Current
DCS	Digital Cellular System
DTX	Discontinuous Transmission