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LTE Air Interface

3 Hr. 14 Min.



LEARNING OBJECTIVE:

Upon completing the course, the participant will be able to:

- Understand the need of 4G
- Understand the LTE Architecture, Roaming Scenarios and Interworking
- > Dig deep into the Air Interface and understand the Channel concept
- Examine the Call flows

COURSE OBJECTIVE:

This Course covers the fundamentals of LTE wherein we will discuss about the need of 4G, Key requirements, Architecture and functionality of each network element. We will further look into the LTE Air Interface and Call flows. Finally we will also understand enhanced features and channel concept in detail.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

This course is designed to provide a general overview for strategic or technical managers, consultants, communications professionals, network professionals and others who plan to work in LTE wireless network.

TARGET AUDIENCE:

RF Engineers, LTE Planners and Optimizers, Drive Test Engineers.

INSTRUCTIONAL METHODS:

Lectures in Classroom, Virtual Classroom trainings, discussion, Questions & Answers. All participants will also receive comprehensive course materials.

COURSE OUTLINE:

- 1. LTE Introduction
- 1.1 Overview and objectives
- 1.2 User expectations
- 1.3 Operator Expectations
- 1.4 Mobile Broadband Evolution

- 1.5 Technology Comparison
- 1.6 3G vs 4G Technology Comparison
- 1.7 Requirements of LTE
- 1.8 LTE vs UMTS Network Architecture
- 1.9 LTE Network Architecture
- 1.10 OFDM



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- 1.11 Overview of LTE Air Interface
- 1.12 Kev features of LTE
- 1.13 FDD and TDD
- 1.14 FDD and TDD Bands
- **1.15** Terminals, Modules and Fixed Wireless Terminals
- 1.16 LTE UE categories
- 1.17 LTE Specification Work part 1
- 1.18 LTE Specification Work part 2
- 1.19 LTE Standard Specification

2. EPS Architecture

- 2.1 SAE targets
- 2.2 Architecture Evolution
- 2.3 EPS Network Architecture
- 2.4 Functionality of e-node B and UE
- 2.5 Functionality of MME
- 2.6 Functionality of S-GW
- 2.7 Functionality of P-GW
- 2.8 Functionality of PCRF
- 2.9 Functionality of HSS
- 2.10 Roaming in Basic System Architecture
 Configuration
- 2.11 EPS Roaming Architecture
- 2.12 EPS Inter Working with 2G/3G networks
- 2.13 3GPP and Non-3GPP inter working
- 2.14 EPS inter working with Non 3GPP access technology
- 2.15 EPS Inter working with CDMA networks

3. Mobility Management

3.1 EPS Network Identities

- 3.2 Tracking Area update Concept
- 3.3 EPS Mobility management States
- **3.4 EPS Connection Management States**
- 3.5 RRC States in E-UTRAN
- 3.6 EPS Bearer Service Architecture
- 3.7 EPS Bearer Services : Default Bearer
- 3.8 EPS Bearer Services: Dedicated Bearer
- 3.9 SAE Bearer OoS Awareness
- 3.10 SAE Bearer QoS attributes
- 3.11 QoS Class Identifier (QCI)
- 3.12 LTE/ SAE Handover
- 3.13 LTE /SAE handover Principles
- 3.14 Handover Preparation
- 3.15 Handover Execution
- 3.16 Handover Completion
- 3.17 Inter-system Handovers
- 3.18 Differences in E-UTRAN and UTRAN mobility
- 3.19 Policy and charging Control
- 3.20 Basic policy and Charging Control
- 3.21 PCC in roaming with PMIP: home Routed
- 3.22 PCC in Roaming: Local Breakout

4. Air Interface (OFDM)

- 4.1 Duplexing and multiple Access
- 4.2 LTE Multiple Access background
- 4.3 OFDM principle
- 4.4 OFDM: Nutshell
- 4.5 OFDM: frequency time representation
- 4.6 OFDM and FFT/IFFT
- 4.7 Motivation for OFDMA in LTE
- 4.8 Solution to ISI: Cyclic Prefix

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- 4.9 Cyclic prefix: Normal and extended
- 4.10 OFDM Transmitter and receiver
- 4.11 OFDM Key parameters -
- 4.12 SCFDMA
- 4.13 OFDMA vs SCFDMA
- 4.14 SCFDMA Transmitter and receiver Design
- 4.15 LTE resource grid, Resource block, PRB
- 4.16 The usage of RE
- 4.17 LTE Duplexing FDD/ TDD
- 4.18 LTE frame Structure
- 4.19 TDD radio frame Configuration
- 4.20 Special Sub frame configuration
- 4.21 OFDMA Challenges

5. MIMO

- **5.1 Aspirations**
- 5.2 Conventional vs New Antenna design
- 5.3 MIMO system Model
- **Multiple Antenna arrangement**
- 5.4 MIMI design criterion
- **5.4 Physical channel processing example**

6. Protocol, Interfaces & Channels

- 6.1 LTE interfaces
- 6.2 LTE Interfaces and protocols
- **6.3 LTE Channel Architecture**
- **6.4 LTE downlink Channels**
- **6.5 LTE Uplink Channels**

7. Radio Procedure

- 7.1 LTE Measurements
- 7.2 CQI measurements
- 7.3 Handover Measurements
- 7.4 HO events
- 7.5 Timing Advance
- 7.6 Cell Search
- 7.7 Network & cell selection
- 7.8 PLMN selection
- 7.9 Cell selection and Reselection
- 7.10 random Access Initial Access
- 7.11 Random Access Procedure
- 7.12 Paging
- 7.13 Power Control

8. Radio Resource Management

- 8.1 Relationship between Scheduling, Link adaptation
- 8.2 Scheduling
- 8.3 Scheduling and Multiuser Diversity
- 8.4 A typical Single cell Cellular Radio system
- 8.5 Scheduling Schemes
- 8.6 Link Adaptation
- 8.7 CQI Table
- 8.8 Link Adaptation and Spectral Efficiency
- 8.9 HARO Procedure



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Evaluation and feedback of the participants

Maximum number of participants:

15

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