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Additional improvements for synchronous MBS transmission in MR

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Introduction

This contribution proposes some additional improvements for synchronous MBS transmission defined in the baseline document [1].

Details

In the current baseline document [1], the synchronous MBS transmission method is defined in 6.3.23.3. To work the method surely, following improvements should be defined additionally.

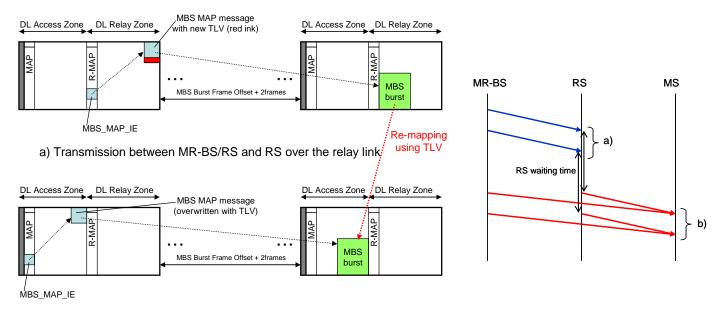
MBS burst mapping information

After the pre-transmission of MBS burst, the RS performs synchronized transmission of the MBS burst. At the time, the RS needs to perform re-mapping the MBS burst from the DL_Relay_Zone to the DL_Access_Zone. And, all the RS need to use same region and burst profile for the MBS burst in the DL_Access_Zone.

To achieve the re-mapping of MBS burst, a new TLV for MBS_MAP message needs to be defined. The TLV is only used for the pre-transmission between the MR-BS and the RS.

The TLV is used for each MBS_DATA_IE and/or Extended_MBS_DATA IE. The MBS_MAP message includes the same number of this TLV as the total number of MBS_DATA_IE and/or Extended_MBS_DATA IE. And the order of this TLV corresponds to the order of MBS_DATA_IE and/or Extended_MBS_DATA IE.

At the pre-transmission over the relay link, the MR-BS sets the mapping information (MBS DIUC, OFDMA Symbol Offset, Subchannel offset, Boosting, No. OFDMA Symbols, No. Subchannels, Repetition Coding Indication) indicating the MBS region in the DL_Relay_Zone in the MBS_DATA_IE and/or the Extended_MBS_DATA IE. When the RS received MBS_MAP message including this TLV, it receives the MBS burst from the MBS region in the DL_Relay_Zone of the frame which is transmitted after MBS Burst Frame Offset + 2 frames, then performs re-mapping the MBS burst in the DL_Access_Zone of the synchronized transmission frame according to the mapping information of this TLV. For the synchronized transmission over the access link, the RS overwrites the mapping information of MBS_DATA_IE and/or the Extended_MBS_DATA IE with this TLV and removes this TLV from the MBS_MAP message. Other information of the MBS_MAP message except the mapping information are reused for the synchronized transmission over the access link.



b) Transmission between MR-BS/RS and MS over the access link

Fig 1 MBS burst re-mapping from DL Relay Zone to DL Access Zone

Proposed Text Change

6.3.23.2 Multi-BS Access

[Modify text in 6.3.23.3:]

6.3.23.3 MBS in MR network

For MR networks, MBS transmission within an MBS zone shall be synchronized. In Multi-MR-BS-MBS case, MR-BSs should be synchronized in network level as described in section 6.3.23.2.

If there is only one RS connecting with the MR-BS, that RS shall report its processing delay (in units of a frame), DR, to the MR-BS as a capability parameter in the SBC-REQ message. When an MBS transmission is necessary, the MR-BS shall first send the MBS data over the relay downlink as a pre-transmission, and then after DR frames, the MR-BS and RS shall synchronously transmit this MBS data over the access link.

If there are multiple RSs in the MBS zone at various hop counts from the MR-BS and/or with different processing delays, each RS shall report its processing delay, DR, to the MR-BS as a capability parameter in the SBC-REQ message. The MR-BS shall determine the maximum cumulative delay, DM, of all RSs in the MBS zone based on their positions in the tree and their individual processing delays. The MR-BS shall then calculate the required waiting time, Wi, for each RS based on the value of DM and each RS's cumulative delay and notify each RS of its waiting time via an SBC-RSP message. If the MR-BS detects that the waiting time has changed for a particular RS, it may send an unsolicited SBC-RSP message to that RS to update its waiting time.

When an MBS transmission is necessary, the MR-BS shall forward the MBS data over the relay downlink as a pre-transmission DM frames before transmitting this MBS data over the access link. Each RS in the MBS zone shall forward the MBS data it receives over the relay downlink. Finally, once the MR-BS has waited DM

frames and each RS has waited its specified waiting time, Wi, the MR-BS and RSs shall synchronously transmit the MBS data over the access link.

At the pre-transmission over the relay link, the MR-BS sets the mapping information (MBS DIUC, OFDMA Symbol Offset, Subchannel offset, Boosting, No. OFDMA Symbols, No. Subchannels, Repetition Coding Indication) in the MBS_DATA_IE and/or the Extended MBS_DATA_IE to indicate the MBS region in the DL_Relay_Zone. When the RS received MBS_MAP message including this TLV, it receives the MBS burst from the MBS region in the DL_Relay_Zone of the frame which is transmitted after MBS_Burst_Frame Offset + 2 frames, then performs re-mapping the MBS burst in the DL_Access_Zone of the synchronized transmission frame according to the mapping information of this TLV. For the synchronized transmission over the access link, the RS overwrites the mapping information of MBS_DATA_IE and/or the Extended_MBS_DATA_IE with values of this TLV and removes this TLV from the MBS_MAP message. Other information of the MBS_MAP message except the mapping information are reused for the synchronized transmission over the access link.

11.8 SBC-REQ/RSP management message encodings

[Insert the following text in 11.8.3.7.21:]

11.8.3.7.21 RS Downlink Processing Delay

This TLV indicates the time delay for an RS to forward timing-related messages such as MOB_PAG-ADV, MOB_TRF-IND to its subordinate RS or MS. When MBS data synchronization with pre-defined relative transmission time is supported, it also indicates the time delay for RS to forward MBS MAP message and MBS data burst. The value is defined as a maximum fixed delay which includes PHY processing delay and MAC scheduling and queuing delay. When the RS received timing-related messages or data over the relay link, it shall forwards the message or data after this delay time.

Type	Length	Value	Scope
TBA	1	RS Downlink Processing Delay (unit: frame)	SBC-REQ

[Insert the following text in 11.8.3.7.22:]

11.8.3.7.22 RS waiting time for MBS

When MBS data synchronization with pre-defined relative transmission time is supported, this TLV indicates the waiting time for synchronized MBS transmission. When the RS received MBS_MAP message or MBS burst over the relay link, it transmits the message or burst over the access link after this waiting time.

Type	Length	Value	Scope
TBA	1	RS waiting time for MBS (unit: frame)	SBC-RSP

[Insert new subclause in 11.22:]

11.22 Multicast Broadcast Service Map (MBS_MAP) message encodings

11.22.1 MBS burst relay zone to access zone mapping information

This TLV is included in the MBS_MAP message and transmitted from the MR-BS to the RS over the relay link in order to indicate mapping information for the MBS burst over the access link. This TLV is used and corresponded to each MBS_DATA_IE and/or Extended_MBS_DATA_IE. MBS_MAP message includes the same number of this TLV as the total number of MBS_DATA_IE and/or Extended_MBS_DATA_IE. And the order of this TLV corresponds to the order of MBS_DATA_IE and/or Extended_MBS_DATA_IE.

Type	Length	<u>Value</u>		<u>Scope</u>
<u>TBA</u>	<u>5</u>	Bit #0-3:	MBS DIUC	MBS_MAP
		Bit #4-11:	OFDMA Symbol Offset	
		Bit #12-17:	Subchannel offset	
		Bit #18-20:	Boosting	
		Bit #21-27:	No. OFDMA Symbols	
		Bit #28-33:	No. Subchannels	
		Bit #34-35:	Repetition Coding Indication	
		Bit #36-39:	Reserved	
		Note: The definition of each value is same as MBS_DATA_IE and extended MBS_DATA_IE.		

References

[1] IEEE 802.16j-06/026r4 P802.16j baseline document