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1. Introduction

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The remedy below proposes the following:

- 1) Reduce minimum number of 16m subframes to one subframe instead of two.
- 2) Introduce a new set of frame configurations with a DL length of 1 for a 5:3 TDD split
- 3) Introduce backward compatible frame configurations for 6:2 TDD split.
- 4) Introduce a special 4 symbol subframe configuration such that both a 16m pre-amble and 16m MIMO midamble can be included in the same sub-frame

2. Proposed Text Changes in P802.16m/D3

[Remedy 1: Insert the following entries into Table 771 on the page 313. Replace “*” with next available “No” and “Frame configuration index” as appropriate]

Table 765 – Frame Configuration and Indexing (5/10/20MHz channel bandwidth).

No.	BW	CP	Frame configuration index	Duplex	D:U	Subframe provision			Subframe Type							TTG /RTG (μs)	
						DL offset	DL length	UL length	#0	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6		#7
...
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	5:3	2	1	3	DL Type1	Not used	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	5:3	1	1	3	DL Type1	Not used	Not used	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	1	1	2	DL Type1	Not used	Not used	Not used	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	1	2	2	DL Type1	DL Type1	Not used	Not used	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	1	3	2	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	Not used	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	1	4	2	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	1	5	2	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	105.714 / 60

*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	2	1	2	DL Type1	Not used	Not used	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	2	2	2	DL Type1	DL Type1	Not used	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	3	3	2	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	Not used	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	Not used	105.714 / 60
*	5/10/20	1/8	*	TDD	6:2	4	4	2	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	DL Type1	UL Type1	UL Type1	Not used	Not used	105.714 / 60

[Remedy 2: Modify the text in section 16.3.5.4.2 MIMO mid-amble on page 341]

MIMO midamble is used for PMI selection in closed loop MIMO. For OL MIMO, midamble can be used to calculate CQI. MIMO midamble shall be transmitted every frame on the second last DL AAI subframe. The midamble signal occupies the ~~first~~ [last](#) OFDMA symbol [in the first](#) DL type-1 or type-2 AAI subframe [of a frame](#). ~~For the type 1 AAI subframe case, the remaining 5 consecutive symbols form a type 3 AAI subframe. For the type 2 AAI subframe case, the remaining 6 consecutive symbols form a type 1 AAI subframe.~~