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| Abstract | This document provides the text for inclusion into the NBA-UWB Technical Framework (for draft 0) |
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***Insert the new sub-clause in MMS UWB packet description in 2.3.2 of [***NBA-UWB-TFD***] as follows:***

* Optional RIF waveform based on contributions [0413, 0651]
  + Optional RIF waveforms consist of a sequence of pseudo-randomized pulses arranged in groups of pulses. Each group contains Nppg={1, 2, 4, 8} pulses which are transmitted at the peak PRF (499.2 MHz); Nppg=1 (1 pulse per group) is equivalent to baseline STS waveform described in section above and specified in 15.2.9 of IEEE 802.15.4z-2020.
  + Within a group, the pulse has a predefined and fixed polarity pattern. Each group is BPSK modulated by a random polarity bit generated using the DRBG based on AES-128 in counter mode as specified in 15.2.9 of IEEE 802.15.4z-2020. Each group of pulses is separated by a guard interval such that the whole RIF is operating at a mean PRF of 124.8 MHz (spreading factor L=4).
  + The length of the RIF in total number of chips is allowed from the set NS={32, 64, 128, 256} in units of 512 chips. The number of random polarity bits that modulate the group is 512∙NS/L/Nppg (example for NS=32, Nppg=4: length of the RIF=512∙32=16384 chips, number of active chips=512∙32/L=4096, number of AES-generated random polarity bits=512∙32/L/Nppg=1024, see figure below).

TRIF= 512∙NS∙Tc

Tgroup

Tguard

Tgroup

Tguard

Nppg

Tc

* + Random polarity bits are decoded individually from each group of pulses over Tint,RF at the time of arrival according to the guidelines described in section 10.3.2 of IEEE 802.15.4z-2020. The security level of the ranging is given by reporting the number of errors vs. the transmitted random polarity bits saccording to the formula in section 6.9.8.2.2 of IEEE 802.15.4z

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