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# Recommendation ITU-T G.994.1

## Handshake procedures for digital subscriber line transceivers

### Amendment 8

#### Summary

Amendment 8 to Recommendation ITU-T G.994.1 (2012) includes:

- New handshake carrier set (F43) for the support of G.9701 over coaxial cable
- Add codepoints for the support of Annex X of [ITU-T G.9701]
- Add codepoints for profiles 106c and 212c of [ITU-T G.9701]
- Add codepoint for additional international amateur radio band.

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# Recommendation ITU-T G.994.1

## Handshake procedures for digital subscriber line transceivers

### Amendment 8

#### 1) New handshake carrier set (F43) for the support of G.9701 over coaxial cable

Modify Table 1 as follows:

**Table 1 – Carrier sets for the 4.3125 kHz signalling family**

Carrier set designation	Upstream carrier sets		Downstream carrier sets		Transmission mode
	Frequency indices (N)	Maximum power level/carrier (dBm)	Frequency indices (N)	Maximum power level/carrier (dBm)	
A43 (Notes 1, 3, 4)	9; 17; 25	-1.65	40; 56; 64	-3.65	Duplex only
A43c (Notes 1, 3)	9; 17; 25	-1.65	257; 293; 337	-3.65	Duplex only
B43	37; 45; 53	-1.65	72; 88; 96	-3.65	Duplex only
B43c (Note 1)	37; 45; 53	-1.65	257; 293; 337	-3.65	Duplex only
C43	7; 9	-1.65	12; 14; 64	-3.65	Duplex only
J43	9; 17; 25	-1.65	72; 88; 96	-3.65	Duplex only
V43 (Notes 1, 2)	944; 972; 999	-16.65	257; 383; 511	-3.65	Duplex only
V43P (Note 1)	9; 17; 25	-1.65	257; 383; 511	-3.65	Duplex only
V43I (Note 1)	37; 45; 53	-1.65	257; 383; 511	-3.65	Duplex only
V43-S (Notes 1, 2)	944; 999	-16.65	257; 383	-3.65	Duplex only
V43P-S (Note 1)	17; 25	-1.65	257; 383	-3.65	Duplex only
V43I-S (Note 1)	45; 53	-1.65	257; 383	-3.65	Duplex only
<u>F43</u> (Note 4)	<u>4176; 4224;</u> <u>4272</u>	<u>-28.65</u>	<u>4368; 4440; 4488</u>	<u>-28.65</u>	<u>Duplex only</u>

**Table 1 – Carrier sets for the 4.3125 kHz signalling family**

<p>NOTE 1 – In some jurisdictions, it may be necessary to limit the maximum downstream power level, for example –23.65 dBm/carrier where the PSD is limited to –60 dBm/Hz.</p> <p>NOTE 2 – It is expected that sufficient power back-off is applied to the upstream carriers of short lines to avoid excessive crosstalk into adjacent pairs during ITU-T G.994.1.</p> <p>NOTE 3 – In some jurisdictions, it may be necessary to send either A43 or A43C carrier sets, or both simultaneously, with appropriate shaping, leaving the receiver to select which carrier set to use.</p> <p><del>NOTE 4 – If the bandplan HPE17 or HPE30 is supported, the maximum power level of the subcarriers of the carrier set is reduced. Power level for downstream sub-carrier indices 40, 56, and 64 shall be less than –20.65 dBm, –27.95 dBm, and –30.85 dBm respectively. Power level for upstream sub-carriers indices 9, 17 and 25 shall be less than –3.65 dBm, –17.35 dBm, and –11.7 dBm respectively.</del></p> <p><u>NOTE 4 – This carrier set shall only be used in the coax environment.</u></p>
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2) **Modify Table 2 as follows**

**Table 2 – Mandatory carrier sets**

<b>xDSL Recommendation(s)</b>	<b>Carrier set designation(s)</b>
ITU-T G.992.1 – Annex A, ITU-T G.992.2 – Annexes A/B, ITU-T G.992.3 – Annexes A/I/L, ITU-T G.992.4 – Annexes A/I, ITU-T G.992.5 – Annexes A/I ITU-T G.993.2 where support of a profile requiring US0 (Note 4) <del>ITU-T G.993.2 with support of Annex B bandplan HPE17 or HPE30</del>	A43
ITU-T G.992.5 – Annexes A/I (Note 1), ITU-T G.992.5 – Annexes J/M (Note 2) ITU-T G.993.2 where support of a profile requiring US0 (Notes 1, 4)	A43c
ITU-T G.992.1 – Annex B, ITU-T G.992.3 – Annex B, ITU-T G.992.5 – Annex B ITU-T G.993.2 where support of a profile requiring US0 (Note 4)	B43
ITU-T G.992.5 – Annex B (Note 3)	B43c
ITU-T G.992.1 – Annexes C/H/I, ITU-T G.992.2 – Annex C, ITU-T G.992.3 – Annex C, ITU-T G.992.5 – Annex C ITU-T G.993.2 where support of a profile requiring US0 (Note 4)	C43
ITU-T G.992.3 – Annexes J/M, ITU-T G.992.5 – Annexes J/M	J43 (Note 6)
ITU-T G.993.1 – Using multi-carrier modulation (except Annex C) ITU-T G.993.2 where support of a profile not requiring US0	V43
ITU-T G.993.1 – Annex C using multi-carrier modulation over POTS	V43P
ITU-T G.993.1 – Annex C using multi-carrier modulation over ISDN-BA	V43I
ITU-T G.993.1 – Using single-carrier modulation over POTS	V43P-S
ITU-T G.993.1 – Using single-carrier modulation over ISDN-BA	V43I-S
ITU-T G.993.1 – Using single-carrier modulation over TCM-ISDN	V43-S

**Table 2 – Mandatory carrier sets**

xDSL Recommendation(s)	Carrier set designation(s)
ITU-T G.9701 (AB43)	A43,B43
ITU-T G.9701 (AA43c)	A43,A43c
<a href="#">ITU-T G.9701 Annex X with operation over coax</a>	<a href="#">F43</a>
<p>NOTE 1 – To be used where spectrum management forbids use of the downstream carrier set A43, typically where ITU-T G.992.5 or ITU-T G.993.2 is deployed from a cabinet.</p> <p>NOTE 2 – To be used where spectrum management forbids use of the downstream carrier set J43, typically where ITU-T G.992.5 is deployed from a cabinet.</p> <p>NOTE 3 – To be used where spectrum management forbids use of the downstream carrier set B43, typically where ITU-T G.992.5 is deployed from a cabinet.</p> <p>NOTE 4 – At least one of the carrier sets A43, B43, and C43 shall be transmitted, depending on the US0 band supported.</p> <p>NOTE 5 – If multimode operation is supported, the HSTU shall transmit the carrier sets corresponding to all enabled modes simultaneously.</p> <p>NOTE 6 – If ITU-T G.992.3 or ITU-T G.992.5 Annex B is also supported by the HSTU-R, the upstream carrier set J43 shall be optional and it should not be transmitted as it can interfere with ISDN present on the same line. In this case the carrier set B43 shall be transmitted. In previous versions of Recommendation ITU-T G.994.1, the J43 carrier set was mandatory. Therefore, HSTU-C implementing a previous version of Recommendation ITU-T G.994.1 may not respond appropriately.</p>	

**3) Add codepoints for the support of Annex X of [ITU-T G.9701]**

*Modify Table 11.69 as follows:*

**Table 11.69 – Standard information field – ITU-T G.9701 NPar(2) coding – Octet 1**

Bits		ITU-T G.9701 NPar(2)s – Octet 1						
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
x	x	x	x	x	x	x	1	<a href="#">Annex X operation (Operation in a crosstalk-free environment)</a> Reserved for allocation by ITU-T
x	x	x	x	x	x	1	x	Reserved for allocation by ITU-T
x	x	x	x	x	1	x	x	Support of special probe sequence
x	x	x	x	1	x	x	x	Default CE length
x	x	x	1	x	x	x	x	Default number of symbol periods in TDD frame.
x	x	1	x	x	x	x	x	Reserved for allocation by ITU-T
x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	No parameters in this octet

4) **Modify Table 11.70.0.2 as follows**

**Table 11.70.0.2 – Standard information field – ITU-T G.9701 SPar(2) coding – Octet 3**

Bits							ITU-T G.9701 SPar(2)s – Octet 3	
8	7	6	5	4	3	2 1		
x	x	x	x	x	x	x	1	Number of DS initialization data symbols ( $s_{ds}$ )
x	x	x	x	x	x	1	x	Downstream RMC offset
x	x	x	x	x	1	x	x	CD timeout
x	x	x	x	1	x	x	x	<a href="#">Minimum number of symbols between Downstream RMC to Upstream RMC (min_DRMCds2us)</a> <del>Reserved for allocation by ITU-T</del>
x	x	x	1	x	x	x	x	Reserved for allocation by ITU-T
x	x	1	x	x	x	x	x	Reserved for allocation by ITU-T
x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	No parameters in this octet

5) **Add Table 11.70.16**

**Table 11.70.16 – Standard information field – ITU-T G.9701 min\_DRMCds2us NPar(3) coding – Octet 1**

Bits							ITU-T G.9701 min_DRMCds2us NPar(3)s – Octet 1	
8	7	6	5	4	3	2 1		
x	x	0	0	0	x	x	x	Minimum number of symbols between Downstream RMC to Upstream RMC (min_DRMCds2us) (bits 3 to 1). Valid values are 4 and 5.

6) **Add codepoints for profiles 106c and 212c of [ITU-T G.9701]**

*Modify Table 11.70.1 as follows:*

**Table 11.70.1 – Standard information field – ITU-T G.9701 profiles NPar(3) coding – Octet 1**

Bits							ITU-T G.9701 profiles NPar(3)s – Octet 1	
8	7	6	5	4	3	2 1		
x	x	x	x	x	x	x	1	Profile 106a
x	x	x	x	x	x	1	x	Profile 212a
x	x	x	x	x	1	x	x	Profile 106b
x	x	x	x	1	x	x	x	<del>Reserved for allocation by ITU-T</del> <a href="#">Profile 106c</a>
x	x	x	1	x	x	x	x	<del>Reserved for allocation by ITU-T</del> <a href="#">Profile 212c</a>
x	x	1	x	x	x	x	x	Reserved for allocation by ITU-T
x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	No parameters in this octet



7) Add codepoint for additional international amateur radio band

Modify Table 11.70.8.1

**Table 11.70.8.1 – Standard information field – ITU-T G.9701  
International amateur radio bands NPar(3) coding – Octet 2**

		Bits						
		6	5	4	3	2	1	ITU-T G.9701 International amateur radio bands NPar(3)s – Octet 2
8	7							
x	x	x	x	x	x	x	1	International amateur radio band 21000-21450 kHz
x	x	x	x	x	x	1	x	International amateur radio band 24890-24990 kHz
x	x	x	x	x	1	x	x	International amateur radio band 28000-29700 kHz
x	x	x	x	1	x	x	x	International amateur radio band 50000-54000 kHz
x	x	x	1	x	x	x	x	International amateur radio band <del>70000</del> 69900-70500 kHz
x	x	1	x	x	x	x	x	International amateur radio band 144000-148000 kHz
x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	No parameters in this octet

8) Add Table 11.70.8.2

**Table 11.70.8.2 – Standard information field – ITU-T G.9701  
International amateur radio bands NPar(3) coding – Octet 3**

		Bits						
		6	5	4	3	2	1	ITU-T G.9701 International amateur radio bands NPar(3)s – Octet 3
8	7							
<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>International amateur radio band 5351.5-5366.5 kHz</u>
<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>Reserved for allocation by ITU-T</u>
<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>Reserved for allocation by ITU-T</u>
<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>Reserved for allocation by ITU-T</u>
<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>Reserved for allocation by ITU-T</u>
<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>Reserved for allocation by ITU-T</u>
<u>x</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>No parameters in this octet</u>





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