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## ITU-T RECOMMENDATION

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY – GENERIC CODING OF MOVING PICTURES  
AND ASSOCIATED AUDIO INFORMATION: SYSTEMS

## AMENDMENT 6

## 1) Subclause 2.4.2.3

a) *Replace the following:*

- For audio:

$$R_{x_n} = 2 \times 10^6 \text{ bits per second}$$

*with:*

- For ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS audio:

Number of channels	$R_{x_n}$ [bit/s]
1-2	2 000 000
3-8	5 529 600
9-12	8 294 400
13-48	33 177 600

Channels: channels that require their own decoder buffer in this elementary stream (i.e. individual channel streams in a single channel element or channel pair element and independently switched coupling channel elements).

- For other audio:

$$R_{x_n} = 2 \times 10^6 \text{ bits per second}$$

b) *After the line* The main buffer sizes  $BS_1$  through  $BS_n$  are defined as follows, *replace the following:***Audio**

$$BS_n = BS_{\text{mux}} + BS_{\text{dec}} + BS_{\text{oh}} = 3584 \text{ bytes}$$

The size of the access unit decoding buffer  $BS_{\text{dec}}$ , and the PES packet overhead buffer  $BS_{\text{oh}}$  are constrained by:

$$BS_{\text{dec}} + BS_{\text{oh}} = 2848 \text{ bytes}$$

A portion (736 bytes) of the 3584 byte buffer is allocated for buffering to allow multiplexing. The rest, 2848 bytes, are shared for access unit buffering  $BS_{\text{dec}}$ ,  $BS_{\text{oh}}$  and additional multiplexing.

with:

## Audio

For ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS audio:

Number of channels	BS <sub>n</sub> [bytes]
1-2	3 584
3-8	8 976
9-12	12 804
13-48	51 216

Channels: channels that require their own decoder buffer in this elementary stream (i.e. individual channel streams in a single channel element or channel pair element and independently switched coupling channel elements).

For other audio:

$$BS_n = BS_{mux} + BS_{dec} + BS_{oh} = 3584 \text{ bytes}$$

The size of the access unit decoding buffer BS<sub>dec</sub>, and the PES packet overhead buffer BS<sub>oh</sub> are constrained by:

$$BS_{dec} + BS_{oh} \leq 2848 \text{ bytes}$$

A portion (736 bytes) of the 3584 byte buffer is allocated for buffering to allow multiplexing. The rest, 2848 bytes, are shared for access unit buffering BS<sub>dec</sub>, BS<sub>oh</sub> and additional multiplexing.

## 2) Subclause 2.4.3.5

Add the following table:

**Table 2-16-4 – Splice parameters Table 14**

### 4:2:2 Profile High Level Video

Splice_type	Conditions
0000	splice_decoding_delay = 45 ms; max_splice_rate = 300.0 × 10 <sup>6</sup> bit/s
0001	splice_decoding_delay = 90 ms; max_splice_rate = 300.0 × 10 <sup>6</sup> bit/s
0010-0011	Reserved
0100	splice_decoding_delay = 250 ms; max_splice_rate = 180.0 × 10 <sup>6</sup> bit/s
0101-1011	Reserved
1100-1111	User-defined

## 3) Subclause 2.7.9

Add the following as the last paragraph of Decoder Buffer Size:

In the case of ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS audio elementary stream in a CSPS, the following applies to support 8 channels:

$$BS_n \leq 8976 \text{ bytes}$$

#### 4) New Annex Q

Add the following after Annex P:

### Annex Q

#### T-STD and P-STD buffer models for ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS

(This annex does not form an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard)

##### Q.1 Introduction

The Transport Stream system target decoder model for audio streams is defined in 2.4.2. In this annex, the buffer model for ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS is described.

ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS audio streams can be recognized in an ITU-T Rec. H.222.0 | ISO/IEC 13818-1 multiplex through the presence of stream\_id = 0x110yyyy ('y' = "don't care") and stream\_type = 0x0F as defined in Amendment 5 to ITU-T Rec. H.222.0 | ISO/IEC 13818-1.

##### Q.2 Leak rate from transport buffer

For audio except ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS, the leak rate from Transport Buffer is 2 Mbit/s. This rate is, however, lower than the maximum rate of ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS. Therefore, the leak rate for the ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS stream is set to a different value from ISO/IEC 11172-3 and ISO/IEC 13818-3 audio streams.

ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS elementary stream consists of one or more channels. The maximum rate of each channel is 576 kbit/s where the sampling frequency is 96 kHz. Therefore, the leak rate for ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS is calculated as following equation:

$$R_{x_n} = 1.2 \times R_{\max} \times N \text{ bits per second}$$

where:

$R_{\max}$  is a constant 576 kbit/s as defined in 3.2.2 of ISO/IEC 13818-7. It is an upper bound of the bit rate per channel of AAC ADTS stream corresponding to the maximum value of sampling frequency (i.e.  $F_s = 96$  kHz).

and where:

$N$  is the number of audio channels that require their own decoder buffer in this elementary stream (i.e. individual channel streams in a single channel element or channel pair element and independently switched coupling channel elements).

##### Q.3 Buffer size

For audio except ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS, the main buffer size is 3584 bytes. This size is, however, smaller than the maximum decoder input buffer size of ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS. Therefore, the main buffer size for the ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS stream is set to a different value from ISO/IEC 11172-3 and ISO/IEC 13818-3 audio streams.

The main buffer size for ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS is calculated as follows:

$$BS_n = BS_{\text{mux}} + BS_{\text{dec}} + BS_{\text{oh}}$$

where  $BS_{\text{oh}}$ , PES packet overhead buffering, is defined as:

$$BS_{\text{oh}} = 528 \text{ bytes}$$

and  $BS_{\text{mux}}$ , additional multiplexing buffering, is defined as:

$$BS_{\text{mux}} = 0.004 \text{ s} \times R_{\max} \times N$$

and  $BS_{dec}$ , access unit buffering, is defined as:

$$BS_{dec} = 6144 \text{ bits} \times N$$

where:

$R_{max}$  is a constant 576 kbit/s as defined in 3.2.2 of ISO/IEC 13818-7. It is an upper bound of the bit rate per channel of AAC ADTS stream corresponding to the maximum value of sampling frequency (i.e.  $F_s = 96$  kHz).

and where:

$N$  is the number of audio channels that require their own decoder buffer in this elementary stream (i.e. individual channel streams in a single channel element or channel pair element and independently switched coupling channel elements).

### Q.3.1 $TBS_n$ : same as other audio

In terms of the smoothing buffer, there is no difference in  $TB_n$  between ISO/IEC 13818-7 ADTS and other audio streams. Consequently, it is not necessary to change  $TBS_n$ , which is size of  $TB_n$ .

### Q.3.2 $BS_{mux}$ : different from other audio

$BS_{mux}$ , additional multiplexing buffering, shall be changed to accept up to 4 ms of delay jitter. This is similar to the approach taken for other streams in ITU-T Rec. H.222.0 | ISO/IEC 13818-1.

### Q.3.3 $BS_{dec}$ : different from other audio

$BS_{dec}$ , access unit buffering, is based on the decoder input buffer size of the elementary stream. As defined in 3.2.2 of ISO/IEC 13818-7, total decoder input buffer size is 6144 bit multiplied by the number of channels which each require their decoder input buffer.

### Q.3.4 $BS_{oh}$ : different from other audio

$BS_{oh}$  corresponds to the PES packet header overhead.

In 2.4.2.6:

The delay of any data through the System Target Decoders buffers shall be less than or equal to one second except for still picture video data.

Besides, in 2.7.4:

The Program Stream and Transport Stream shall be constructed so that the maximum difference between coded presentation timestamps referring to each elementary video or audio stream is 0.7 s.

$BS_{oh}$  shall be set to the appropriate size corresponding to the PES packet header overhead when AAC stream is packetized with the above rules. The maximum size of PES packet header is 264 bytes. Therefore,  $BS_{oh} = 528$  bytes, i.e. twice the maximum size of PES packet header, assures that at least two PES packet headers can enter the main buffer regardless of the size of PES packet header. It means that PES packet header with PTS can be inserted at less than 0.7 s intervals even when the data of one second will be in the main buffer.

### Example: sampling frequency is 48 kHz

The size of PES packet header without any optional fields except PTS is 18 bytes. The number of Access Units of one second is about 47. When the data of one second is in the main buffer (i.e. the worst case), PES packet header overhead can fit to the  $BS_{oh}$  with packetizing more than or equal to two Access Units into one packet.

$$\text{number\_of\_AU} = 48 \text{ kHz} / 1024 = 46 \text{ 875 per second}$$

$$(\text{number\_of\_AU} / 2) \times 18 [\text{byte}] = 421 \text{ 875 bytes} < BS_{oh}$$

More frequent PES packet headers can be fit to  $BS_{oh}$ , if the delay of any data through the main buffer is shorter than one second.