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This document describes the WiMOD LR Base Plus Host Controller Interface (HCI) protocol which is part of the WiMOD LR Base Plus firmware. This firmware can be used with the WiMOD LR radio module iM282A.

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1. Introduction

1.1 Overview

The WiMOD LR Base Plus HCI protocol is designed to expose the radio module services to an external host controller. The communication between host and the radio (WiMOD) is based on so called HCI messages which can be sent through a UART interface (see Fig. 1-1). The WiMOD LR Base Plus firmware provides several services for configuration, control and radio link access.

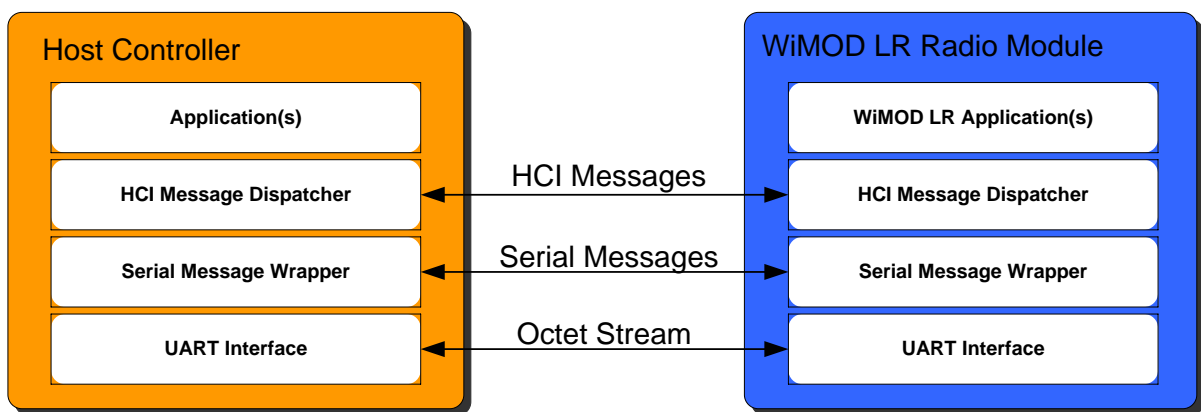


Fig. 1-1: Host Controller Communication

Document Guide

Chapter 2 explains the message flow between host controller and WiMOD LR module and describes the general message format.

Chapter 3 gives a detailed summary of the services provided by the radio module.

Chapter 4 includes several tables with defined constants and some example code.

2. HCI Communication

The communication between the WiMOD LR radio module and a host controller is based on messages. The following chapters describe the general message flow and message format.

2.1 Message Flow

The HCI protocol defines three different types of messages which are exchanged between the host controller and the radio module:

1. Command Messages: always sent from the host controller to the WiMOD LR module to trigger a function.
2. Response Messages: sent from the radio module to the host controller to answer a preceding HCI request message.
3. Event Messages: can be sent from the radio module to the host controller at any time to indicate an event or to pass data which was received over the radio link from a peer device.

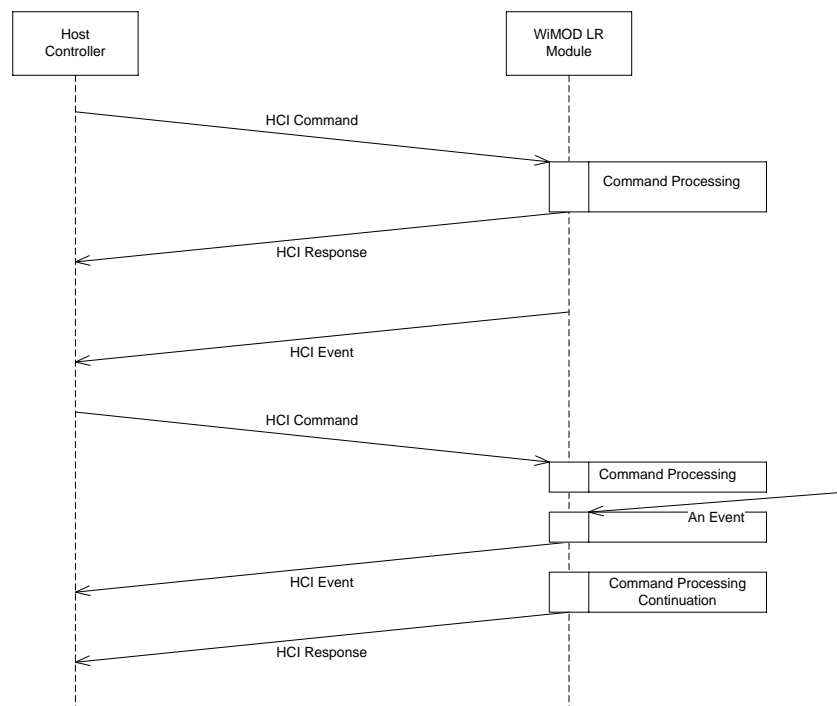


Fig. 2-1: HCI Message Flow

2.2 HCI Message Format

The following figure outlines the message format which is used for communication purposes.

HCI Message

Dst ID	Msg ID	Payload Field
8 Bit	8 Bit	n * 8 Bit

Fig. 2-2: HCI Message Format

2.2.1 Destination Endpoint Identifier (Dst ID)

This field identifies a logical service access point (endpoint) within a device. A service access point can be considered as a large firmware component which implements multiple services which can be called by corresponding HCI messages. This modular approach allows to support up to 256 independent components per device.

2.2.2 Message Identifier (Msg ID)

This field identifies a specific type of message and is used to trigger a corresponding service function or to indicate a service response when sent to the host controller.

2.2.3 Payload Field

The Payload Field has variable length and transports message dependent parameters. The maximum size of this field is 300 Bytes.

2.2.4 Byte Ordering

The Payload Field usually carries data of type integer. Multi-octet integer values (2-Byte, 3-byte and 4-Byte integers) are transmitted in little endian order with least significant byte (LSB) first, unless otherwise specified in the corresponding HCI message information.

2.2.5 Frame Check Sequence Field (FCS)

Following the Payload Field a 16-Bit Frame Check Sequence (FCS) is added to support a reliable packet transmission. The FCS contains a 16-Bit CRC-CCITT cyclic redundancy check which enables the receiver to check a received packet for bit errors. The CRC computation starts from the Destination Endpoint Identifier Field and ends with the last byte of the Payload Field. The CRC ones complement is added before SLIP encoding (see chapter 4.3.3 for CRC16 example).

2.2.6 Communication over UART

The standard host controller communication interface is a UART interface. The WiMOD LR HCI Protocol uses a SLIP (RFC1055) framing protocol when transmitted over asynchronous serial interfaces (UART).

2.2.6.1 SLIP Wrapper

The SLIP layer provides a mean to transmit and receive complete data packets over a serial communication interface. The SLIP coding is according to RFC 1055 [<http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc1055.html>]

The next figure explains how a HCI message is embedded in a SLIP packet.

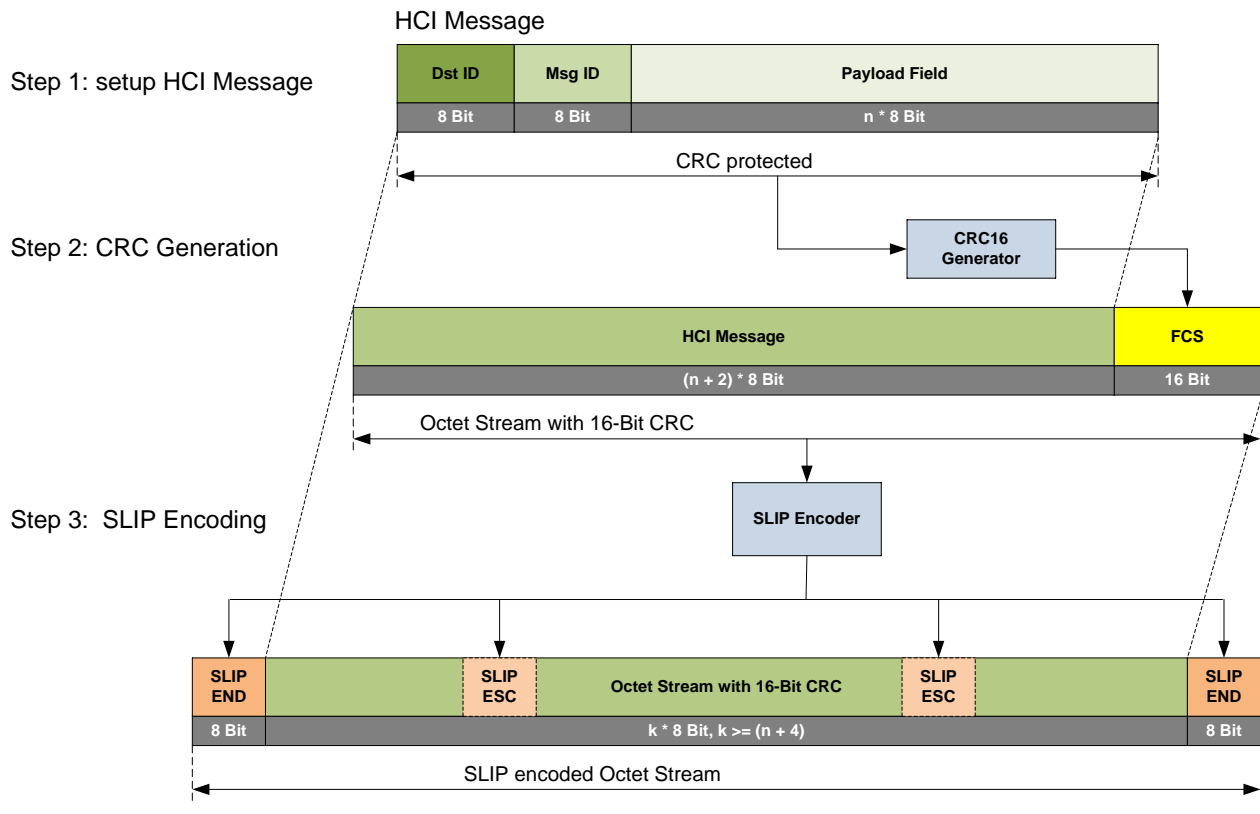


Fig. 2-3: Communication over UART

Note: The variable payload length is not explicitly transmitted over the UART communication link. Indeed it can be derived from the SLIP wrappers receiver unit.

2.2.6.2 Physical Parameters

The default UART settings are:

115200 bps, 8 Data bits, No Parity Bit, 1 Stop Bit

3. Firmware Services

This chapter describes the message format for the firmware services in detail. The services are ordered according to their corresponding endpoint. The following endpoints are defined (see chapter 4.2.1 for defined constants):

- Device Management (DEVMGMT_ID)
- Radio Link Services (RADIOLINK_ID)
- Radio Link Test (RLT_ID)
- Remote Control (REMOTE_CTRL_ID)
- Sensor App (SENSOR_ID)

3.1 Device Management Services

The Device Management endpoint provides general services for module configuration, module identification, and everything which is not related to the data exchange via radio link. The following services are available:

- Ping
- Reset
- Device Information
- Firmware Information
- Radio Configuration
- System Status
- Real Time Clock Support (RTC)
- Automatic Power Saving
- System Operation Modes

3.1.1 Ping

This command is used to check if the serial connection is ok and if the connected radio module is alive. The host should expect a Ping Response within a very short time interval.

Message Flow

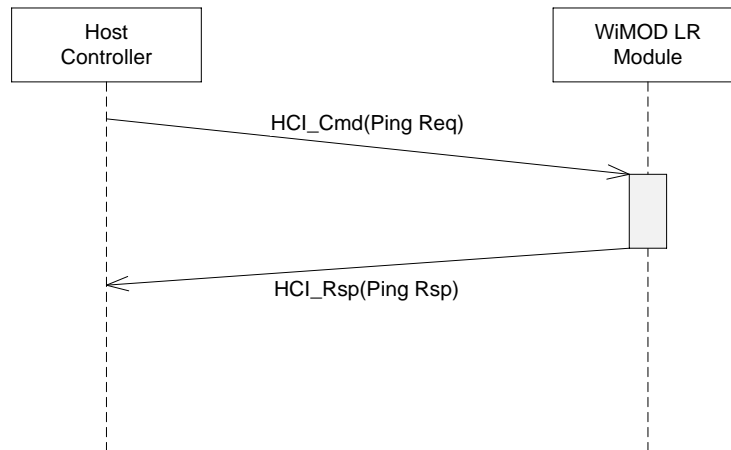


Fig. 3-1: Ping Request

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_PING_REQ	Ping Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_PING_RSP	Ping Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.2 Reset

This message can be used to reset the radio module. The reset will be performed after approx. 200ms.

Message Flow

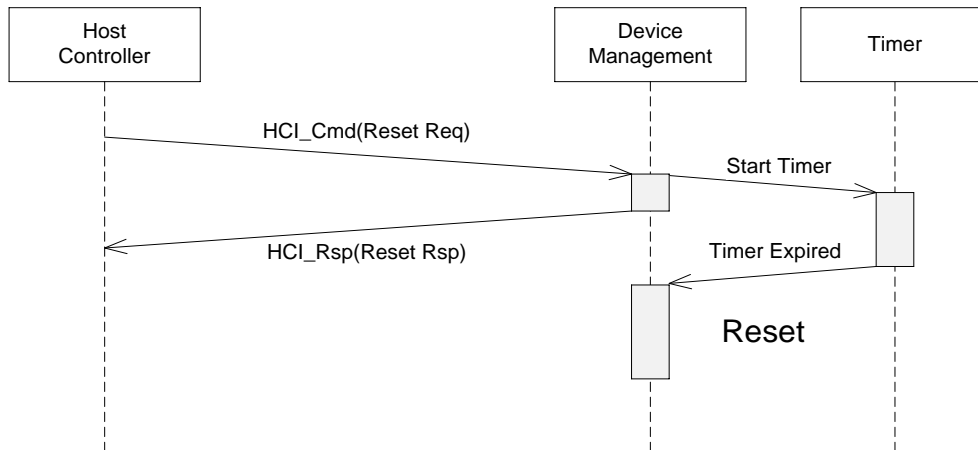


Fig. 3-2: Reset Request

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_RESET_REQ	Reset Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

This message acknowledges the Reset Request message.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_RESET_RSP	Reset Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.3 Device Information

The radio firmware provides a service to readout some information elements for identification purposes.

3.1.3.1 Get Device Information

This message can be used to identify the local connected device. As a result the device sends a response message which contains a Device Information Field.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_DEVICE_INFO_REQ	Get Device Info Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

The response message contains the requested Device Information Element.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_DEVICE_INFO_RSP	Get Device Info Response
Length	1 + 9	1 + 9 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1..9]	Device Information Element	see below

3.1.3.2 Device Information Element

The Device Information Field contains the following elements:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	ModuleType	Radio Module Identifier 0xB0 = iM282A
1	2	Device Address	Device Address for radio communication
3	1	Group Address	Group Address for radio communication
4	1	Reserved	Reserved for future usage
5	4	32 Bit Device ID	Unique Device ID for module identification

3.1.4 Firmware Information

The radio firmware provides some further information to identify the firmware version itself.

3.1.4.1 Get Firmware Information

The following message can be used to identify the radio firmware.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_FW_INFO_REQ	Get FW Information
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

This message contains the requested information element.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_FW_INFO_RSP	Get FW Info Response
Length	1 + n	1 + n octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1..n]	Firmware Information Element	see below

3.1.4.2 Firmware Information Element

The Device Information Field contains the following elements:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	FW Version	Minor FW Version number
1	1	FW Version	Major FW Version number
2	2	Build Count	Firmware Build Counter
4	10	Date	Date of Firmware Image
14	m	Firmware Image	Name of Firmware Image

3.1.5 Radio Configuration

The radio firmware supports several configurable parameters which are stored in the non-volatile flash memory. The configuration parameters are read during start-up to configure the firmware components and hardware units. The following items can be configured:

Item	Description
Radio Mode	Determines if the radio module operates in Standard or Sniffer mode.
Group Address	Used to separate groups of radio modules. This value is compared against the Destination Group Address field of a received radio message to filter radio packets in Standard mode (0xFF = BROADCAST address).
Destination Group Address	Defines the Destination Group Address
Device Address	Used to address a specific radio device. This value is compared against the Destination Device Address field of a received radio message to filter radio packets in Standard mode (0xFFFF = BROADCAST address).
Destination Device Address	Defines the Destination Device Address
Modulation	LoRa, FLRC
RF Carrier Frequency	Defines the used radio frequency.
LoRa Signal Bandwidth	Defines the LoRa signal bandwidth
LoRa Spreading Factor	Defines the LoRa spreading factor
LoRa Error Coding	Defines the radio error coding format
FLRC Signal Bandwidth	Defines the FLRC Bandwidth and Bit Rate
FLRC Error Coding	Defines the FLRC Coding Rate
Error Coding	Defines the radio error coding format
Power Level	Defines the transmit power level
Rx Control	Receiver Control Option
Rx Window Time	Configurable time for radio receive mode after radio packet transmission. Note: Rx Window option must be enabled in the Rx Control parameter. A value of zero (0) disables the receive mode.
LED Control	Bit field to configure LED control options
Misc. Options	Bit field to configure further radio firmware options:
Power Saving Mode	Defines the Power Saving Mode

3.1.5.1 Get Radio Configuration

This message can be used to read the configuration parameters.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RADIO_CONFIG_REQ	Get Radio Config Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

The response message contains the current radio configuration. The Radio Configuration Field is described in more detail below.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RADIO_CONFIG_RSP	Get Radio Config Response
Length	1 + 25	1 + 25 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1..25]	Radio Configuration Field	see Radio Configuration Field

3.1.5.2 Set Radio Configuration

This function can be used to change several radio parameters. The function allows to change parameter directly and to save them optionally in the non-volatile flash memory.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RADIO_CONFIG_REQ	Set Radio Config Request
Length	1 + 25	1 + 25 octets
Payload[0]	Store NVM Flag 0x00 : change configuration only temporary (RAM) 0x01 : save configuration also in NVM	non-volatile memory flag
Payload[1..25]	Radio Configuration Field	see Radio Configuration Field

Response Message

This message acknowledges the Set Radio Configuration Request message.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RADIO_CONFIG_RSP	Get Radio Config Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.5.3 Radio Configuration Field

The Radio Configuration Field contains the following configurable radio parameters.

Note: If a value falls outside the allowed range of values it will be adjusted. The adjustment will not be indicated.

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	Radio Mode	0x00 = Standard mode: Device & Group address used for packet filtering 0x02 = Sniffer mode: radio packet output via HCI without packet filtering
1	1	Group Address	Own group address (0x01 – 0xFE) for packet filtering (0xFF reserved as BROADCAST address)
2	1	Destination Group Address	Used as Destination Group Address for some applications.
3	2	Device Address	Own device address (0x0001 – 0xFFFE) for packet filtering (0xFFFF reserved as BROADCAST address)
5	2	Destination Device Address	Used as Destination Device Address for some applications
7	1	Modulation	0 = LoRa 1 = FLRC
8	1	RF Carrier Frequency Least Significant Bits	Defines the used radio frequency. See 4.1 (2 402 000 137 Hz – 2 479 999 939 Hz)
9	1	RF Carrier Frequency Intermediate Bits	Defines the used radio frequency.
10	1	RF Carrier Frequency Most Significant Bits	Defines the used radio frequency.
11	1	LoRa Signal Bandwidth	2 = 200 kHz 3 = 400 kHz 4 = 800 kHz 5 = 1600 kHz
		FLRC Signal Bandwidth	1 = 0,260 MB/s 0,3 MHz DSB 2 = 0,325 MB/s 0,3 MHz DSB 3 = 0,520 MB/s 0,6 MHz DSB 4 = 0,650 MB/s 0,6 MHz DSB 5 = 1,040 MB/s 1,2 MHz DSB 6 = 1,300 MB/s 1,2 MHz DSB
12	1	LoRa Spreading Factor	5 = SF5 6 = SF6 7 = SF7 8 = SF8 9 = SF9 10 = SF10 11 = SF11 12 = SF12

13	1	LoRa Error Coding	1 = 4/5 2 = 4/6 3 = 4/7 4 = 4/8
		FLRC Error Coding	1 = 1/2 2 = 3/4 3 = 1
14	1	Power Level	-18 = -18 dBm ... 13 = 13 dBm
15	1	Reserved	Reserved
16	1	Rx Control	Receiver Control Option: 0 = Receiver off 1 = Receiver always on (except during packet transmission) 2 = Receiver on for limited time defined by Rx Window parameter
17	2	Rx Window Time	0 = receiver disabled, no Rx Window 1 – 65535 = 1 - 65535 ms
19	1	LED Control	Bit 0: 0 = no GPIO access 1 = toggle LED D3 as "Rx Indicator" Bit 1: 0 = no GPIO access 1 = toggle LED D2 on "Tx Indicator" Bit 2: 0 = no GPIO access 1 = toggle LED D4 as "Alive Indicator" Bit 3: 0 = no GPIO access 1 = toggle LED D1 as "Button Pressed Indicator"

20	1	Misc. Options	<p>Bit 0: 0 = standard RF packet output format 1 = extended RF packet output format: attached RSSI, SNR¹ and Timestamp</p> <p>Bit 1: 0 = RTC disabled 1 = RTC enabled</p> <p>Bit 2: HCI Tx Indication - this message is sent to the host after an RF message was sent over the air. 0 = HCI Tx Indication disabled 1 = HCI Tx Indication enabled</p> <p>Bit 3: HCI Power-Up Indication - this message is sent to the host when the module is ready to communicate after a power-up reset. 0 = HCI Power-Up Indication disabled 1 = HCI Power-Up Indication enabled</p> <p>Bit 4: HCI Button Pressed Indication – this message is sent to the host on reception of a button pressed message via RF (see Remote Control). 0 = HCI Button Pressed Indicator disabled 1 = HCI Button Pressed Indicator enabled</p> <p>Bit 5: 0 = AES Encryption/Decryption off 1 = AES Encryption/Decryption on</p> <p>Bit 6: 0 = Remote Control off 1 = Remote Control on</p>
21	1	Reserved	Reserved
22	1	Power Saving Mode	<p>0 = off 1 = Automatic Power Saving (RTC off recommended!)</p>
23	2	Reserved	Reserved

¹ SNR is only valid for LoRa, otherwise it is set to ,0'.

3.1.5.4 Reset Radio Configuration

This message can be used to restore the default radio settings.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_RESET_RADIO_CONFIG_REQ	Reset Radio Configuration
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

This message acknowledges the Reset Radio Configuration Request message.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_RESET_RADIO_CONFIG_RSP	Reset Radio Config Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.5.5 Default Configuration

The following table lists the default configuration.

Parameter	Value
Radio Mode	0 = Standard Mode
Group Address	0x10
Destination Group Address	0x10
Device Address	0x1234
Destination Device Address	0x1234
Modulation	0 = LoRa
RF Carrier Frequency	2449 999 924 Hz
Signal Bandwidth	2 = 200 kHz
Spreading Factor	11 = SF11
Error Coding	1 = 4/5
Power Level	8 = 8 dBm
Rx Control	1 = Rx always on
Rx-Window Time	4000 = 4000ms
LED Control	7 = Alive Indicator + Rx Indicator + Tx Indicator
Misc. Options	0x07: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- extended RF packet output format enabled- RTC enabled- HCI Tx Indication enabled- HCI Power-Up Indication disabled- HCI Button Pressed Indication disabled- AES Encryption/Decryption off- Remote Control off
Automatic Power Saving	0 = off

3.1.6 System Status

The radio firmware provides some status information elements which can be read at any time.

3.1.6.1 Get System Status

This message can be used to read the current system status.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_SYSTEM_STATUS_REQ	Get System Status Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

This response message contains the requested information elements.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_SYSTEM_STATUS_RSP	Get System Status Response
Length	1 + 39	1 + 39 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1..39]	System Status Field	see below

3.1.6.2 System Status Field

The System Status Field includes the following information elements:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	System Tick Resolution	System Tick Resolution in milliseconds (e.g.: 5 = 5ms)
1	4	System Ticks	System Ticks since last start-up/reset
5	4	RTC Time	RTC Time (see RTC Time Format)
9	2	NVM State	Bit field for non-volatile memory blocks: Bit 0 : System Configuration Block, contains Operation Mode, Device ID Bit 1 : Radio Configuration Block, contains Radio Parameter and AES Key Bit Values : 0 = OK, block ok 1 = ERROR, block corrupt
11	2	Supply Voltage	Measured Supply Voltage in mV
13	2	Extra Status	Reserved Bit Field
15	4	Rx Packets	Number of received radio packets with CRC OK
19	4	Rx Address Match	Number of received radio packets with CRC and Address OK
23	4	Rx CRC Error	Number of received radio packets with CRC Error
27	4	Tx Packets	Number of transmitted radio packets
31	4	Tx Error	Number of not transmitted radio packets
35	4	Reserved	Reserved

3.1.7 Real Time Clock Support (RTC)

The radio module provides an embedded Real Time Clock which can be used to determine the module operating hours or to generate timestamps for every received radio link message.

3.1.7.1 Get RTC Time

This message can be used to read the current RTC time value.

Note: the return value is zero when the RTC is disabled.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RTC_REQ	Get RTC value request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

This message contains the requested RTC value.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RTC_RSP	Get RTC value response
Length	1 + 4	1 + 4 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1..4]	32 Bit time	see RTC Time Format

3.1.7.2 Set RTC Time

This message can be used to set the RTC time to a given value.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RTC_REQ	Set RTC request
Length	4	4 octets
Payload[1..4]	32 Bit time value	see RTC Time Format

Response Message

This message acknowledges the Set RTC Request.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RTC_RSP	Set RTC response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.7.3 RTC Time Format

The RTC time is transmitted as a 32-Bit value. The byte order within the message payload is low byte first (Little-Endian):

Field	Content
Payload [n]	Bits 0 – 7
Payload [n+1]	Bits 8 – 15
Payload [n+2]	Bits 16 – 23
Payload [n+3]	Bits 24 – 31

The time value is code as follows:

Value	Size	Position	Value Range
Seconds	6 Bits	Bit 0 – 5	0 – 59
Minutes	6 Bits	Bit 6 - 11	0 – 59
Months	4 Bits	Bit 12 – 15	1 – 12
Hours	5 Bits	Bit 16 – 20	0 – 23
Days	5 Bit	Bit 21 – 25	1 – 31
Years	6 Bit	Bit 26 – 31	0 – 63 -> 2000 - 2063

3.1.7.4 Set RTC Alarm

This message can be used to set a single or daily RTC alarm.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RTC_ALARM_REQ	Set RTC Alarm Request
Length	4	4 octets
Payload[0]	Options	0x00 : single alarm 0x01 : daily repeated alarm
Payload[1]	Hour	Hour (range from 0 to 23)
Payload[2]	Minutes	Minutes (range from 0 to 59)
Payload[3]	Seconds	Seconds (range from 0 to 59)

Response Message

This message acknowledges the Set RTC Alarm Request.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RTC_ALARM_RSP	Set RTC Alarm Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.7.5 RTC Alarm Indication

This message indicates an RTC Alarm event.

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_RTC_ALARM_IND	RTC Alarm Event Indication
Length	1	1 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.7.6 Get RTC Alarm

This message can be used to get a single or daily RTC alarm configuration.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RTC_ALARM_REQ	Get RTC Alarm Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

This message acknowledges the Get RTC Alarm Request.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RTC_ALARM_RSP	Get RTC Alarm Response
Length	6	6 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1]	Alarm Status	0x00 : no alarm set 0x01 : alarm set
Payload[2]	Options	0x00 : single alarm 0x01 : daily repeated alarm
Payload[3]	Hour	Hour (range from 0 to 23)
Payload[4]	Minutes	Minutes (range from 0 to 59)
Payload[5]	Seconds	Seconds (range from 0 to 59)

3.1.7.7 Clear RTC Alarm

This message can be used to clear a pending RTC alarm.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_CLEAR_RTC_ALARM_REQ	Clear RTC Alarm Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

This message acknowledges the Clear RTC Alarm Request.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_CLEAR_RTC_ALARM_RSP	Clear RTC Alarm Response
Length	1	1 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.8 Set Radio Mode

This message can be used to change the radio mode without changing other configuration parameters.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RADIO_MODE_REQ	Set Radio Mode Req.
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Radio Mode	See Radio Configuration for details

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RADIO_MODE_RSP	Set Radio Mode Rsp.
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.9 Power Saving

The radio firmware provides a low power mode with minimum current consumption which is useful for battery powered devices. It's possible to wake-up the radio module from low power mode by means of some dummy characters over the serial interface. The radio module needs ~3ms (30 SLIP_END (0xC0) characters @115200bps) until the clock system is stable enough to decode the next valid character on the serial interface.

3.1.9.1 Automatic Power Saving

The Automatic Power Saving (APS) can be enabled / disabled via Radio Configuration. If APS is enabled, the module will enter a low power mode whenever it is possible, e.g. after a packet transmission or expiration of an optional configured Rx Window.

Notes:

- #1 the configuration "Rx Always On" will prevent the module to enter the low power mode
- #2 Firmware provides a lower current consumption if RTC is disabled on user level.
(The RTC will still be used internally if needed, e.g. for Rx Window timing etc..)

3.1.10 System Operation Modes

The radio firmware can operate in different System Operation Modes to enable / disable specific features. The System Operation Mode is stored in the non-volatile memory and determined during firmware start-up.

3.1.10.1 Get System Operation Mode

This message is used to read the current System Operation Mode.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_OPMODE_REQ	Get Operation Mode Req.
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_OPMODE_RSP	Get Operation Mode Rsp.
Length	1 + 1	2 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1]	Current System Operation Mode	see below

3.1.10.2 Set System Operation Mode

This message can be used to activate the next System Operation Mode. The mode value is stored in the non-volatile memory and a firmware reset is performed after approx. 200ms.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_OPMODE_REQ	Set Operation Mode Req.
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Next Operation Mode	see below

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_OPMODE_RSP	Set Operation Mode Rsp.
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.10.3 System Operation Modes

The following System Operation Modes are supported:

Value	Description
0	Standard Application Mode / Default Mode

3.1.11 Power-Up Indication

Some module variants require a few milliseconds startup-time after power-up reset before the communication over the serial interface is possible. During that startup-phase the clock-system is configured and calibrated which is a prerequisite for accurate baud rate generation. The Power-UP Indication message can be enabled (see Radio Configuration) to signal to the host controller when the module is ready to receive the first commands over the HCI interface.

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_POWER_UP_IND	Power-UP Indication
Length	0	No payload

3.1.12 AES Key Configuration

The radio firmware can perform an automatic radio packet encryption and decryption (see chap. Radio Link Services for more details).

The implemented cipher is based on the AES 128 bit Counter Mode. The following commands can be used to set and read the required 128 bit AES key.

3.1.12.1 Set AES Key

This message is used to set a new AES key. The key will be stored in the NVM to resist a power cycle.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_AES_KEY_REQ	Set AES Key Req.
Length	16	16 octets
Payload[0..15]	128 bit AES Key	octet sequence

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_AES_KEY_RSP	Set AES Key Rsp.
Length	1	1 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.12.2 Get AES Key

This message is used to read the configured AES key.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_AES_KEY_REQ	Get AES Key Req.
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_AES_KEY_RSP	Get AES Key Rsp.
Length	1 + 16	17 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1..16]	128 bit AES Key	octet sequence

3.1.13 Device HCI Settings

This service can be used to configure HCI Parameters. Configurable HCI Parameters are:

- Baudrate
- baudrate to be used for the serial communication.
- Number of Tx Wakeup Chars
- number of Wakeup characters (SLIP_END = 0xC0) to be sent in the transmitted HCI messages by the end-device.
- Tx Hold Time
- the Tx Hold Time begins with the last transmitted character of a HCI message. Any new HCI message will be transmitted without additional Wakeup Characters during this time.
- Rx Hold Time
- the Rx Hold Time begins with the last received character of a HCI message. Any new HCI message will be transmitted without additional Wakeup Characters during this time.
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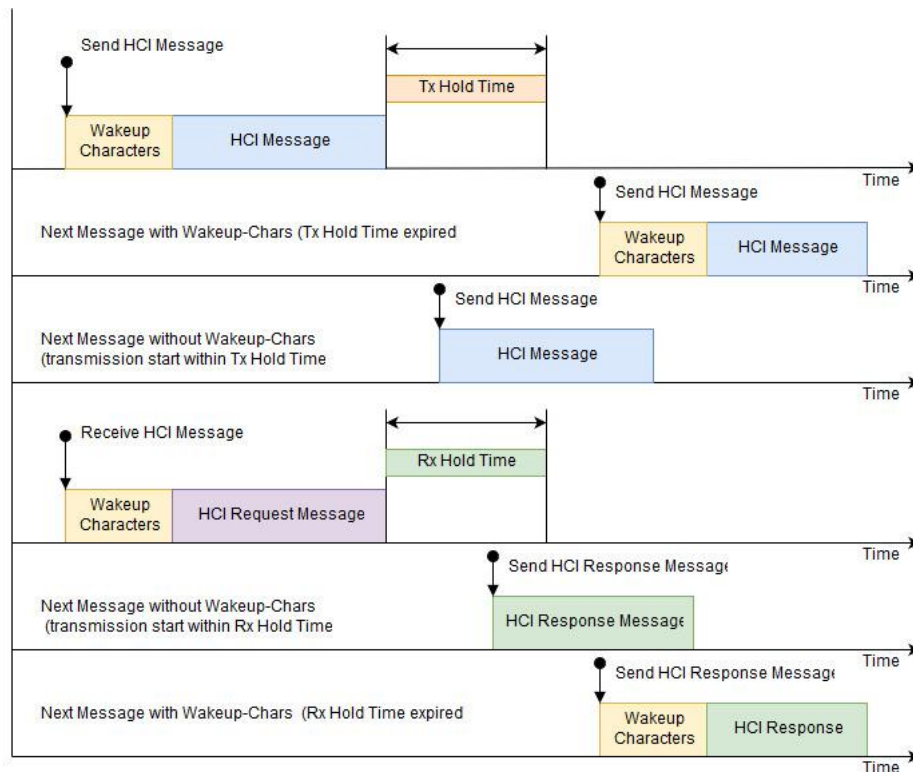


Fig. 3-3: HCI Settings

3.1.13.1 Set HCI Configuration

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_HCI_CFG_REQ	Set Device HCI Settings Request
Length	6	6 octets
Payload[0]	Store in non-volatile memory	0x00 : disabled 0x01 : enabled
Payload[1..5]	HCI Parameter Field	see below

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_HCI_CFG_RSP	Set Device HCI Settings Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.1.13.2 Get HCI Configuration

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_HCI_CFG_REQ	Get Device HCI Settings Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_HCI_CFG_RSP	Get Device HCI Settings Response
Length	6	6 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte
Payload[1..5]	HCI Parameter Field	see below

3.1.13.3 HCI Parameter Field

This field contains all configurable HCI parameters.

Offset	Size	Content	Description
0	1	Baudrate ID	0x03 : 57600 bps 0x04 : 115200 bps
1	2	Number of Wakeup Chars	The number of transmitted Wakeup Characters. The maximal Number of Wakeup Chars corresponds to a maximum time of about 100ms. 57600 bps : range from 0 to 576 115200 bps: range from 0 to 1152
3	1	Tx Hold time	Hold time in ms (range from 0 to 255)
4	1	Rx Hold time	Hold time in ms (range from 0 to 255)

3.1.13.4 Default Configuration

The following table lists the default configuration.

Baudrate ID	0x04 : 115200 bps
Number of Wakeup Chars	0
Tx Hold time	0
Rx Hold time	0

By a factory reset the settings are not restored to the default configuration.

3.1.14 Bootloader

The radio firmware provides a service to activate the Bootloader. After the response there is no HCI communication.

3.1.14.1 Init Bootloader

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_INIT_BOOTLOADER_REQ	Init Bootloader Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

This message contains the requested information element.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	DEVMGMT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	DEVMGMT_MSG_INIT_BOOTLOADER_RSP	Init Bootloader Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Device Management Status Byte

3.2 Radio Link Services

The Radio Link Service Access Point provides functions for transmission and reception of radio link messages. The radio firmware part can operate in different radio modes which are configurable (see Radio Configuration):

- Standard Mode: support for unreliable and confirmed radio message exchange with address filtering, listen before talk and packet encryption/decryption
- Sniffer Mode: forwarding of received radio messages via host interface without address filtering

3.2.1 Unreliable Data Exchange

This service can be used to exchange radio messages in an unreliable way, i.e. it is not guaranteed that a transmitted message will be received on a peer radio device. There is no automatic acknowledgement or retry mechanism implemented combined with this function.

3.2.1.1 Send Unreliable Message

This command can be used to send a radio message either as broadcast message to all other radios in range or to a certain radio device with given address. Depending on the chosen radio settings, the transmission of a single radio message can take several hundred milliseconds. Firmware supports an HCI Tx Indication message which is sent to the host controller when the radio transmission has finished.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_SEND_U_DATA_REQ	Send unreliable radio message request
Length	N	n octets
Payload	Tx Radio Message Field	see below

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_SEND_U_DATA_RSP	Send unreliable radio message response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Radio Link Status Byte

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_U_DATA_TX_IND	unreliable radio message transmission finished
Length	7	7 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Radio Link Status Byte
Payload[1..2]	Tx Event Counter	Incremented for every Tx event
Payload[3..6]	RF Message Airtime	32-Bit Airtime in milliseconds of transmitted radio message

3.2.1.2 Tx Radio Message Field

The following figure outlines the relationship between the HCI message, sent from the host controller and the radio message, sent from the radio module.

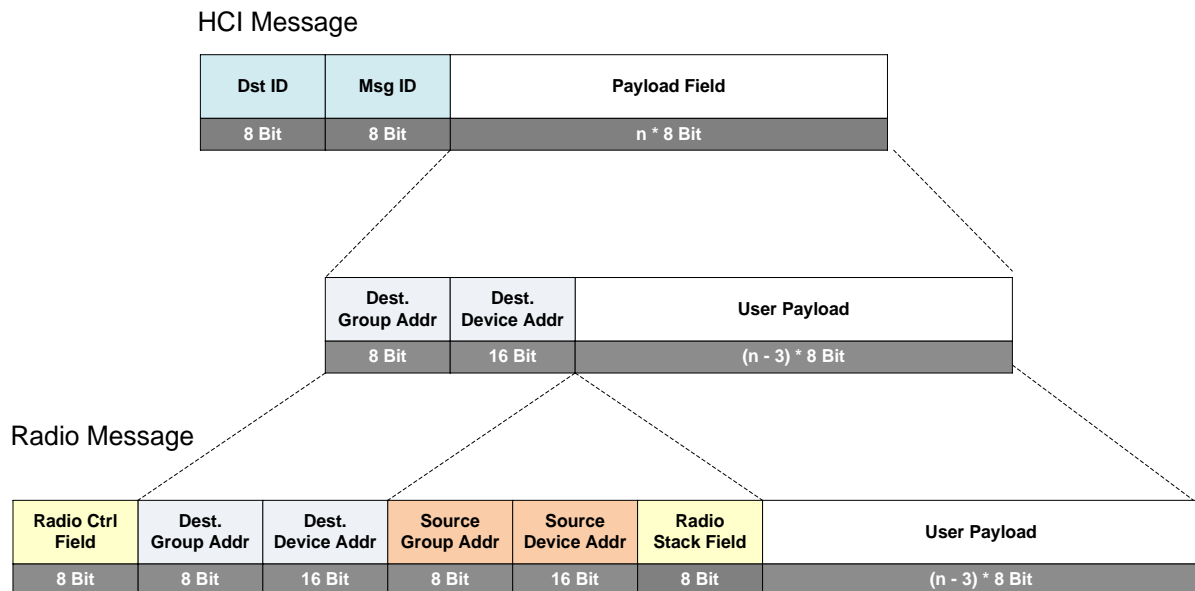


Fig. 3-4: Tx Radio Message and HCI Message(not encrypted format)

The Radio Ctrl Field (see below), Radio Stack Field and Source Address Fields are automatically added by the firmware itself.

The HCI Payload field content is defined as follows:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	Dest. Group Address	Destination Group Address (0xFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
1	2	Dest. Device Address	Destination Device Address (0xFFFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
3	N	User Payload	N bytes user defined payload with $1 \leq N \leq N1$ N1 = 255 – 8 = 247 bytes (LoRa Mode, not encrypted data) N1 = 255 – 12 = 243 bytes (LoRa Mode, encrypted data) N1 = 127 – 8 = 119 bytes (FLRC Mode, not encrypted data) N1 = 127 – 12 = 115 bytes (FLRC Mode, encrypted data)

3.2.1.3 Unreliable Radio Message Reception

The radio module is able to receive messages as long as the receiver is enabled. The receive mode is configurable (see Radio Configuration) and can be:

- disabled (off, Rx-Window = 0)
- always on (except during packet transmission)
- enabled for a limited Rx-Window after a transmitted message

While operating in Standard Mode, the received messages are forwarded to the host controller when they contain a BROADCAST address or the specific device address of the receiver.

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_U_DATA_RX_IND	Unreliable message indication
Length	n	n octets
Payload	Rx Radio Message Field	see below

3.2.1.4 Rx Radio Message Field

The following figure outlines the relationship between the radio message, received on the radio module and the forwarded HCI message.

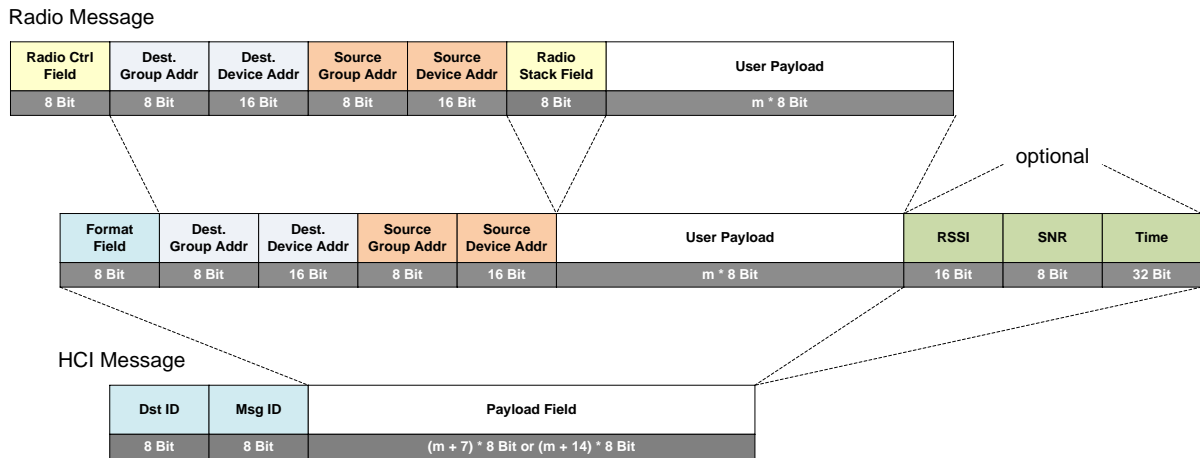


Fig. 3-5: Rx Radio Message and HCI Message(not encrypted format)

The HCI Payload Field has the following content:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	Format & Status Field	Defines the packet output format (see chap. HCI Format & Status Field)
1	1	Dest. Group Address	Destination Group Address (0xFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
2	2	Dest. Device Address	Destination Device Address (0xFFFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
4	1	Source Group Address	Group Address of message sender
5	2	Source Device Address	Device Address of message sender
7	N	Payload	user defined payload
7+N	2	RSSI (optional)	Received Signal Strength Indicator [dBm], signed integer
9+N	1	SNR (optional)	Signal to Noise Ratio [dB], signed integer
10+N	4	Rx Time (optional)	Timestamp from RTC

3.2.1.5 Radio Control Field

The Radio Control Field in each radio packet has the following meaning:

Bit	Name	Description
0	ACK REQUEST BIT	"1" : Acknowledgement requested from peer device This bit is set to: "0" : in unconfirmed radio messages "1" : in confirmed radio messages (see below)
1	ACK BIT	"1" : Indicates an ACK message
2	CIPHER BIT	"1" : Indicates an encrypted radio message
3 - 7	reserved	

3.2.1.6 HCI Format & Status Field

The HCI Format & Status Field has the following meaning:

Bit	Name	Description
0	EXTENDED_OTUPUT	"0" : standard output format, no attachment "1" : extended output format with attached RSSI, SNR and RTC Timestamp
1 - 5	reserved	
6	DECRYPTION_ERROR	"1" : indicates a decryption error
7	ENCRYPTED_DATA	"1" : indicates encrypted data output

3.2.2 Confirmed Data Exchange

This service can be used to exchange radio messages in a more reliable way, i.e. a received radio message will be acknowledged automatically by the peer device. The following figure outlines the sequence of possible HCI messages.

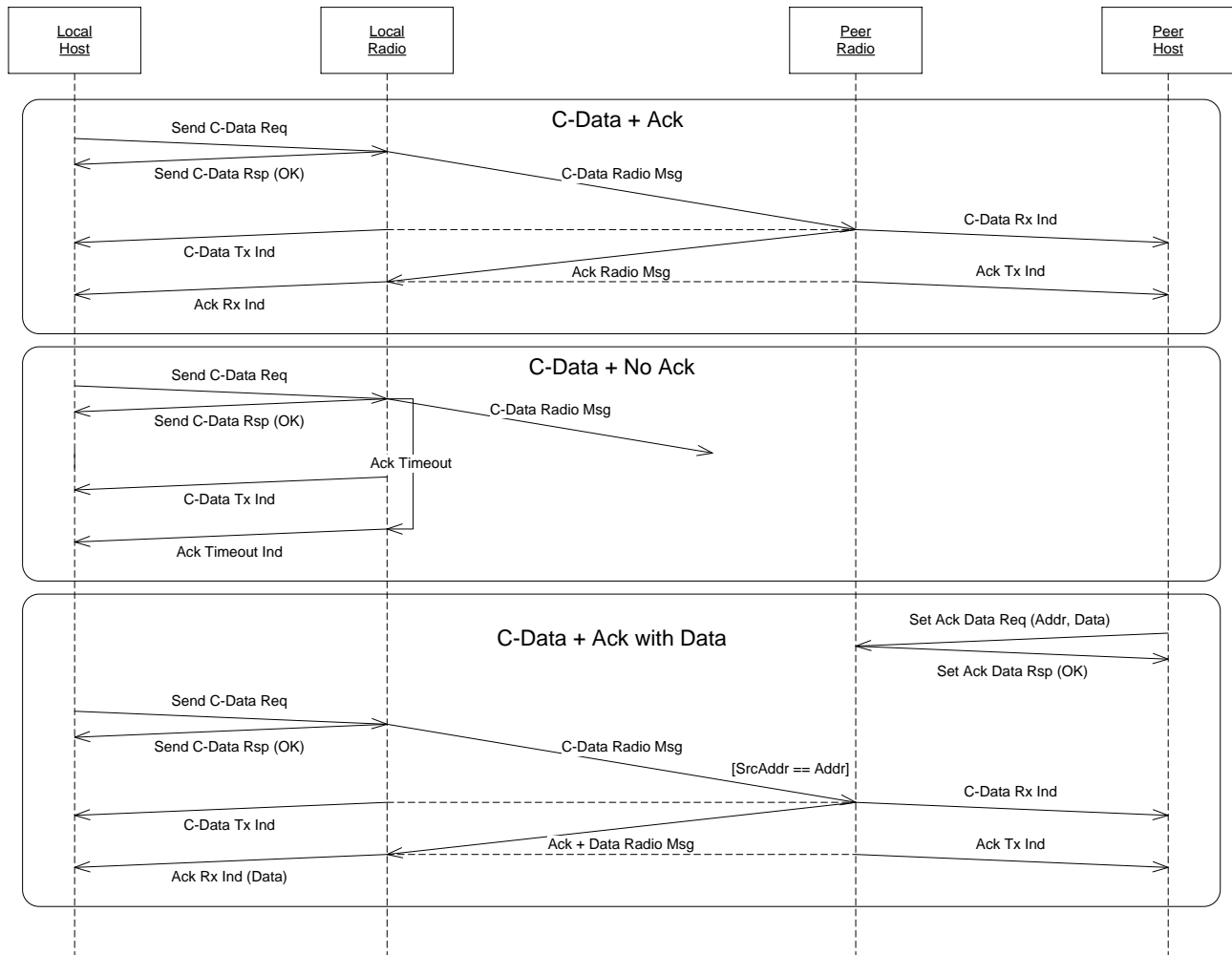


Fig. 3-6: Confirmed Data Exchange

3.2.2.1 Send Confirmed Message

This command can be used to send a radio message to a certain radio device with given address (group cast and broadcast are not supported!). Depending on the chosen radio settings, the transmission of a single radio message can take several hundred milliseconds. An optional HCI Tx Indication message is sent to the host controller when the radio transmission has finished. A further ACK Indication message is sent to the host after reception of an acknowledgement from the peer device. The ACK message may contain optional payload data from the peer side. If no acknowledgement has been received within a given time, an ACK Timeout indication is sent to the host.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_SEND_C_DATA_REQ	Send confirmed radio message request
Length	n	n octets
Payload	Tx Radio Message Field	see chapter Tx Radio Message Field

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_SEND_C_DATA_RSP	Send confirmed radio message response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Radio Link Status Byte

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_C_DATA_TX_IND	confirmed radio message transmission finished
Length	7	7 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Radio Link Status Byte
Payload[1..2]	Tx Event Counter	Incremented for every Tx event
Payload[3..6]	RF Message Airtime	32-Bit Airtime in milliseconds of transmitted radio message

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_ACK_RX_IND	ACK radio message indication
Length	N	n octets
Payload	Rx Radio Message Field with optional payload from peer side	See chapter Rx Radio Message Field

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_ACK_TIMEOUT_IND	ACK Timeout indication
Length	0	No payload

3.2.2.2 Confirmed Radio Message Reception

The radio module is able to receive messages as long as the receiver is enabled. While operating in Standard Mode, the received messages are forwarded to the host controller when they contain the specific device address of the receiver.

Note: The receiver of a confirmed radio message will automatically send an acknowledgement to the initiator side. This ACK message can contain further user payload (see Set ACK Data).

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_C_DATA_RX_IND	confirmed message indication
Length	N	n octets
Payload	Rx Radio Message Field	see chapter Rx Radio Message Field

The following message is sent to the host after transmission of an ACK message.

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_ACK_TX_IND	ACK message transmission finished indication
Length	1	1 octet
Payload	Status Byte	see Radio Link Status Byte

3.2.2.3 Set ACK Data

This message can be used to pre-set a limited number of additional payload octets for the next transmitted ACK message. The payload can be set for a limited number of device addresses which have to match to the source address of a confirmed radio message.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_SET_ACK_DATA_REQ	Set ACK Data request
Length	n	n octets
Payload[0]	Destination Group Address	
Payload[1..2]	Destination Device Address	
Payload[3..10]	Max. 8 Byte Ack Data	

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_SET_ACK_DATA_RSP	Set ACK Data response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Radio Link Status Byte

3.2.3 Sniffer Mode

The Sniffer Mode allows to monitor the radio link between other radio devices which use the same radio settings. The address filtering is disabled and every received packet is forwarded to the host controller using a raw radio packet output format. The Sniffer Mode can be enabled via Radio Configuration service.

Notes:

- #1 other services are disabled while the module operates in Sniffer Mode
- #2 radio packet decryption is not supported in Sniffer mode

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RADIOLINK_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RADIOLINK_MSG_RAW_DATA_RX_IND	Raw radio message indication
Length	n	n octets
Payload	Rx Raw Radio Message Field	see below

3.2.3.1 Rx Raw Radio Message Field

The following figure outlines the relationship between the raw radio message, received on the radio module and the forwarded HCI message.

Radio Message

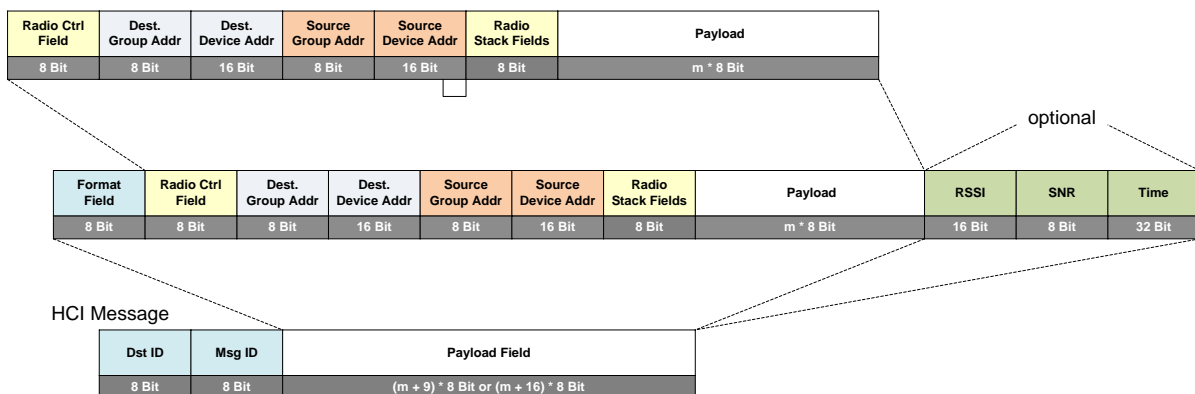


Fig. 3-7: Sniffer Raw Radio Message output format

The HCI Payload Field has the following content:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	Format & Status Field	Defines the packet output format (see chap. HCI Format & Status Field). Note: The ENCRYPTION_DATA bit is not maintained in Sniffer Mode
1	1	Radio Ctrl Field	see 3.2.1.5 Radio Control Field
2	1	Dest. Group Address	Destination Group Address (0xFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
3	2	Dest. Device Address	Destination Device Address (0xFFFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
5	1	Source Group Address	Group Address of message sender
6	2	Source Device Address	Device Address of message sender
8	1	Radio Stack Fields	Reserved for internal usage
9	N	Payload	N bytes message payload, can contain encrypted or not encrypted data (indicated by Radio Ctrl Field)
9+N	2	RSSI (optional)	Received Signal Strength Indicator [dBm]
11+N	1	SNR (optional)	Signal to Noise Ratio [dB]
12+N	4	Rx Time (optional)	Timestamp from RTC

3.2.4 Radio Packet Encryption

The automatic radio packet encryption & decryption can be activated (see Radio Configuration) for every unconfirmed and confirmed radio message.

Note: ACK messages are not encrypted.

The implemented cipher is based on the AES Counter Mode algorithm.

The radio packet format for encrypted messages is outlined in the following figure:

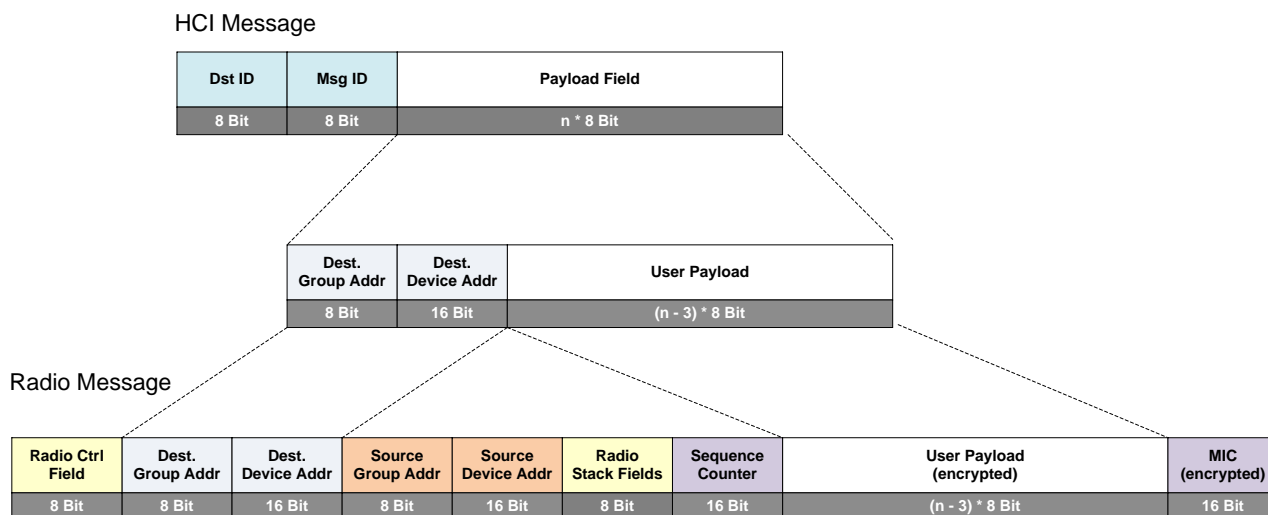


Fig. 3-8: Radio Packet Format for encrypted messages

In addition to the not encrypted message format two new fields are added to the overall packet structure:

- **Sequence Counter**
An automatic incrementing 16 Bit counter used as input for the AES 128 bit counter mode encryption
- **MIC**
A 16 bit message integrity code, used to verify a successful packet decryption on receiver side

Receiver Side:

On receiver side the following scenarios are possible:

- Received message was successfully decrypted:
The forwarded HCI message uses the same output format as for not encrypted messages.
- Decryption on receiver side is disabled:
The forwarded HCI messages includes the sequence counter, encrypted user payload and attached MIC. The HCI Status & format Field indicates that the payload is encrypted.
- Decryption is enabled but a decryption error was detected (MIC error):
The forwarded HCI messages includes the sequence counter, encrypted user payload and attached MIC. The HCI Status & format Field indicates that the payload is encrypted and that a decryption error was detected.

The packet format for those three cases is outlined here:

Successful Decryption

Radio Message

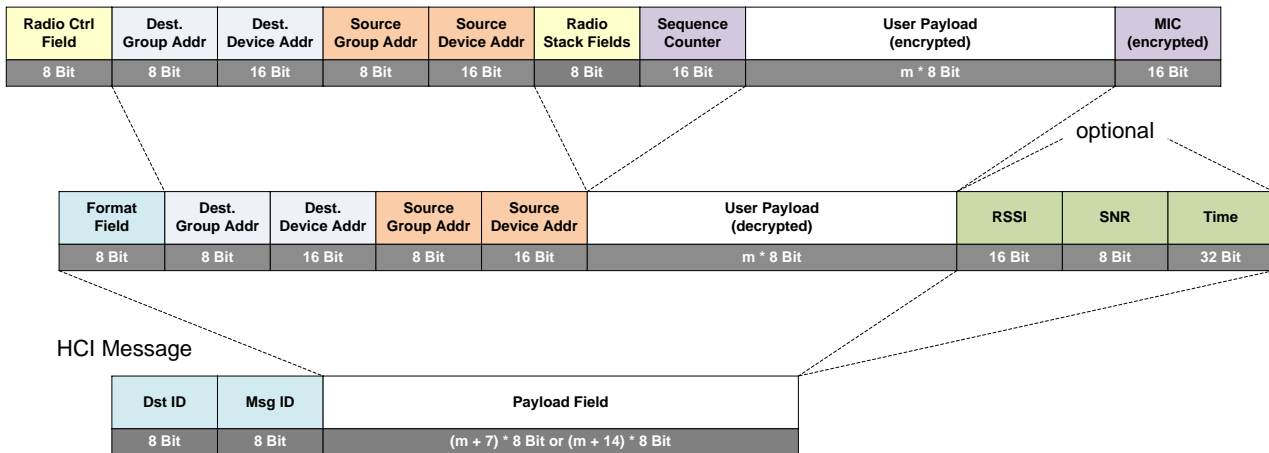


Fig. 3-9: Rx Radio Message and HCI Message (encrypted radio data, decrypted HCI output)

The HCI Payload Field has the following content:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	Format & Status Field	Defines the packet output format (see chap. HCI Format & Status Field)
1	1	Dest. Group Address	Destination Group Address (0xFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
2	2	Dest. Device Address	Destination Device Address (0xFFFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
4	1	Source Group Address	Group Address of message sender
5	2	Source Device Address	Device Address of message sender
7	N	Payload	user defined decrypted payload
7+N	2	RSSI (optional)	Received Signal Strength Indicator [dBm], signed integer
9+N	1	SNR (optional)	Signal to Noise Ratio [dB], signed integer
10+N	4	Rx Time (optional)	Timestamp from RTC

Not Decrypted Output (decryption error or decryption disabled)

Radio Message

Radio Ctrl Field	Dest. Group Addr	Dest. Device Addr	Source Group Addr	Source Device Addr	Radio Stack Fields	Sequence Counter	User Payload (encrypted)	MIC (encrypted)
8 Bit	8 Bit	16 Bit	8 Bit	16 Bit	8 Bit	16 Bit	m * 8 Bit	16 Bit

Format Field	Dest. Group Addr	Dest. Device Addr	Source Group Addr	Source Device Addr	Sequence Counter + Payload (encrypted) + MIC	RSSI	SNR	Time
8 Bit	8 Bit	16 Bit	8 Bit	16 Bit	(m + 4) * 8 Bit	16 Bit	8 Bit	32 Bit

HCI Message

Dst ID	Msg ID	Payload Field
8 Bit	8 Bit	(m + 11) * 8 Bit or (m + 18) * 8 Bit

Fig. 3-10: Rx Radio Message and HCI Message (encrypted radio data, not decrypted HCI output)

The HCI Payload Field has the following content:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	Format & Status Field	Defines the packet output format (see chap. HCI Format & Status Field)
1	1	Dest. Group Address	Destination Group Address (0xFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
2	2	Dest. Device Address	Destination Device Address (0xFFFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
4	1	Source Group Address	Group Address of message sender
5	2	Source Device Address	Device Address of message sender
7	2	Sequence Counter	16 bit Sequence Counter
9	N	Payload	user defined encrypted payload
9+N	2	MIC	Message Integrity Code
11+N	2	RSSI (optional)	Received Signal Strength Indicator [dBm], signed integer
13+N	1	SNR (optional)	Signal to Noise Ratio [dB], signed integer
14+N	4	Rx Time (optional)	Timestamp from RTC

3.3 Radio Link Test

The Radio Link Test feature can be used to analyze the radio link quality in a given environment. The test enables to measure the Packet Error Rate (PER) and RSSI level. The test can be started with several parameters by the Host Controller. The test operation is controlled by the local connected radio module itself. A second module in range is required, which must be configured with same radio settings.

Note: This feature is optional and not available in all firmware versions.

Message Flow

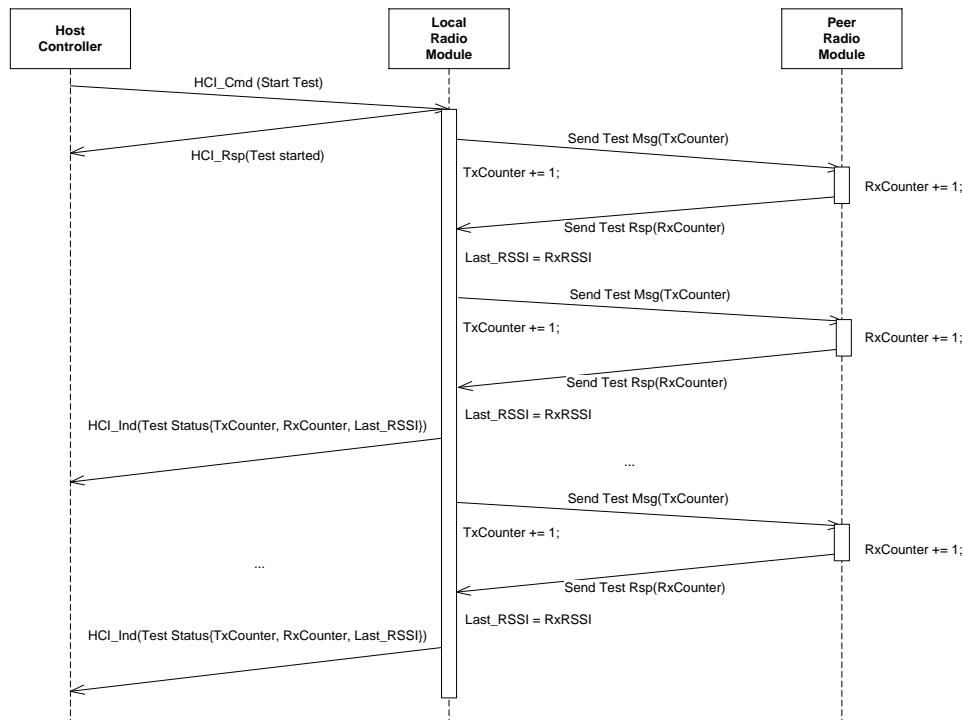


Fig. 3-11: Radio Link Test

During test operation the local connected module sends status messages to the Host Controller containing the packet counters and RSSI values of both devices. The status message includes the following quality values:

- LocalTxCounter - number of transmitted messages by local device
- LocalRxCounter - number of received messages by local device
- PeerTxCounter - number of transmitted messages by peer device
- PeerRxCounter - number of received messages by peer device

The Packet Error Rate(s) can be calculated by means of the following formula:

Downlink PER:

$$\text{DL PER}[\%] = (1 - \text{PeerRxCounter} / \text{LocalTxCounter}) * 100$$

Uplink PER:

$$UL\ PER[\%] = (1 - LocalRxCounter / PeerTxCounter) * 100$$

3.3.1 Start Radio Link Test

This message can be used to start a Radio Link Test session.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RLT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RLT_MSG_START_REQ	Start Test Request
Length	N	n octets
Payload	Radio Link Test Parameter Field	see below

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RLT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RLT_MSG_START_RSP	Start Test Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Radio Link Test Status Byte

3.3.1.1 Radio Link Test Parameter Field

The following test parameter can be configured:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	Dest. Group Address	Destination Group Address
1	2	Dest. Device Address	Destination Device Address
3	1	Packet Size	Number of octets per test message
4	2	NumPackets	Number of test messages per test run
6	1	Test Mode	0x00 = Single test run 0x01 = Repeated test runs (Note : repeated test runs must be stopped by the host controller)

3.3.2 Radio Link Test Status Message

This message is sent from the radio module to the host controller during test operation.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RLT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RLT_MSG_STATUS_IND	Test Status Indication
Length	15	15 octets
Payload	Radio Link Test Status Field	see below

3.3.2.1 Radio Link Test Status Field

The Payload Field content looks as follows:

Offset	Size	Name	Description
0	1	Test Status	0x00 = OK 0x01 = start of new test run
1	2	Local Tx Counter	Number of transmitted packets from local device to peer device
3	2	Local Rx Counter	Number of received packets on local device
5	2	Peer Tx Counter	Number of transmitted packets from peer device to local device
7	2	Peer Rx Counter	Number of packets received on peer device
9	2	Local RSSI	RSSI value [dBm] of last received packet on local device
11	2	Peer RSSI	RSSI value [dBm] of last received packet on peer device
13	1	Local SNR	SNR value [dB] of last received packet on local device
14	1	Peer SNR	SNR value [dB] of last received value on peer device

3.3.3 Stop Radio Link Test

This message can be used to stop the Radio Link Test.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RLT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RLT_MSG_STOP_REQ	Stop Test Request
Length	0	no payload

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	RLT_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	RLT_MSG_STOP_RSP	Stop Test Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Radio Link Test Status Byte

3.4 Remote Control

The Remote Control App simply transmits a specific radio message whenever a certain input pin detects a falling edge. The receiver node can be configured to send a HCI message to a connected host and/or to toggle a specific output pin.

3.4.1 I/O Mapping

The following table lists the input and output signals which are used for this application:

Function	iM282A Modul Pin
Inputs	
Digital Input #1	13
Outputs	
Remote Control Message Received Toggle Event	8

Note: Digital Input #1 (Pushbutton #1 on Demoboard) must be explicitly configured for Remote Control functionality via Radio Settings to avoid conflicts with other features.

3.4.2 Remote Control Button Pressed Indication

This message is sent to a host controller when the corresponding RF message has been received.

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	REMOTE_CTRL_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	REMOTE_CTRL_MSG_BUTTON_PRESSED_IND	Button Pressed Indication
Length	7	7 octets
Payload[0]	Dst. Group Address	Destination RF Group Address
Payload[1..2]	Dst. Device Address	Destination RF Device Address
Payload[3]	Src. Group Address	RF Group Address of initiator
Payload[4..5]	Src. Device Address	RF Device Address of initiator
Payload[6]	Button Bitmap	Bit 0: Digital Input #1 0: Button not pressed 1: Button pressed

3.5 Sensor App

The Sensor App is a simple example application which demonstrates the periodic transmission of a sensor device (Sensor Data Transmitter) to a corresponding sensor data receiver.

3.5.1 I/O Mapping

The following table lists the input and output signals which are used for this application:

Function	iM282A Modul Pin
Inputs	
Enable Data Transmission	15
Digital Input #1	13
Digital Input #2	12
Digital Input #3	14
Analog Input #1	29
Outputs	
Received Digital Input #1 Signal	8
Link Monitor State	9

3.5.2 Set Sensor App Configuration

This message can be used to change Sensor App Configuration.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	SENSOR_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	SENSOR_MSG_SET_CONFIG_REQ	Set Config Request
Length	10	10 octets
Payload[0]	Mode	0 = off 1 = Sensor Data Transmitter 2 = Sensor Data Receiver
Payload[1]	Options	Bit 0: Sensor ACK Message (Sensor Data ACK → Sensor Transmitter) Bit 1: ACK Message output on HCI Bit 2: Sensor Link Monitor Signal enabled Bit 3: Output of Received Digital Input #1 Signal.
Payload[2..5]	Sending Period	Tx - Sensor Data Period in ms
Payload[6..9]	Link Timeout	Rx - Link Timeout in ms

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	SENSOR_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	SENSOR_MSG_SET_CONFIG_RSP	Set Config Response
Length	1	1 octet
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Sensor App Status Byte

3.5.3 Get Sensor App Configuration

This message can be used to read Sensor App Configuration.

Command Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	SENSOR_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	SENSOR_MSG_GET_CONFIG_REQ	Get Config Request
Length	0	No payload

Response Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	SENSOR_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	SENSOR_MSG_GET_CONFIG_RSP	Get Config Response
Length	11	11 octets
Payload[0]	Status Byte	see Sensor App Status Byte
Payload[1]	Mode	0 = off 1 = Sensor Data Transmitter 2 = Sensor Data Receiver
Payload[2]	Options	Bit 0: Sensor ACK Message (Sensor Data ACK → Sensor Transmitter) Bit 1: ACK Message output on HCI Bit 2: Sensor Link Monitor Signal enabled Bit 3: Output of Received Digital Input #1 Signal.
Payload[3..6]	Sending Period	Tx - Sensor Data Period in ms
Payload[7..10]	Link Timeout	Rx - Link Timeout in ms

3.5.4 Sensor App Data Message

This message will be sent from the configured Sensor Data Receiver via HCI to the connected host controller on reception of a corresponding sensor data radio message.

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	SENSOR_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	SENSOR_MSG_SEND_DATA_IND	Sensor Data Indication
Length	20	20.. octets
Payload[0]	Format & Status Field	Defines the packet output format (see chap. HCI Format & Status Field)
Payload[1]	Dest. Group Address	Destination Group Address (0xFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
Payload[2..3]	Dest. Device Address	Destination Device Address (0xFFFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
Payload[4]	Source Group Address	Group Address of message sender
Payload[5..6]	Source Device Address	Device Address of message sender
Payload[7..8]	Voltage	Sensor Values
Payload[9..10]	ADC Value	Sensor Values
Payload[11]	Temperature	Sensor Values
Payload[12]	Digital Inputs	Sensor Values Bit 0: Digital Input #1 Bit 1: Digital Input #2 Bit 2: Digital Input #3 Bit 3: Analog Input #1
Payload[13..14]	RSSI	Received Signal Strength Indicator [dBm], signed integer
Payload[15]	SNR	Signal to Noise Ratio [dB], signed integer
Payload[16..19]	Rx Time	Timestamp from RTC

3.5.5 Sensor App ACK Message

This message will be sent from the configured Sensor Data Transmitter via HCI to the connected host controller on reception of a corresponding sensor ack radio message.

Event Message

Field	Content	Description
Endpoint ID	SENSOR_ID	Endpoint Identifier
Msg ID	SENSOR_MSG_ACK_IND	Sensor Data ACK Indication
Length	15	15.. octets
Payload[0]	Format & Status Field	Defines the packet output format (see chap. HCI Format & Status Field)
Payload[1]	Dest. Group Address	Destination Group Address (0xFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
Payload[2..3]	Dest. Device Address	Destination Device Address (0xFFFF = BROADCAST) of message receiver
Payload[4]	Source Group Address	Group Address of message sender
Payload[5..6]	Source Device Address	Device Address of message sender
Payload[7]	Digital Inputs	Sensor Values Bit 0: Digital Input #1 Bit 1: Digital Input #2 Bit 2: Digital Input #3 Bit 3: Analog Input #1
Payload[8..9]	RSSI	Received Signal Strength Indicator [dBm], signed integer
Payload[10]	SNR	Signal to Noise Ratio [dB], signed integer
Payload[11..14]	Rx Time	Timestamp from RTC

4. Appendix

4.1 Frequency Calculation

The iM282A uses a 52 MHz crystal for its RF oscillator. The carrier frequency f_{RF} is given by:

$$f_{RF} = f_{STEP} * F_{rf}[23,0],$$

where F_{rf} is a 24 bit register value of SX1280 and the frequency synthesizer step given by:

$$f_{STEP} = 52 \text{ MHz} / 2^{18}$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{rf}[23,0] = \text{floor}(f_{RF} / f_{STEP})$$

4.2 List of Constants

4.2.1 List of Endpoint Identifier

Name	Value	Comment
DEVMGMT_ID	0x01	Device Management
RLT_ID	0x02	Radio Link Test
RADIOLINK_ID	0x03	Radio Link Services
REMOTE_CTRL_ID	0x04	Remote Control
SENSOR_ID	0x05	Sensor App

4.2.2 Device Management Identifier

4.2.2.1 Device Management Message Identifier

Name	Value
DEVMGMT_MSG_PING_REQ	0x01
DEVMGMT_MSG_PING_RSP	0x02
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_DEVICE_INFO_REQ	0x03
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_DEVICE_INFO_RSP	0x04
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_FW_INFO_REQ	0x05
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_FW_INFO_RSP	0x06
DEVMGMT_MSG_RESET_REQ	0x07
DEVMGMT_MSG_RESET_RSP	0x08
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_OPMODE_REQ	0x09
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_OPMODE_RSP	0x0A

DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_OPMODE_REQ	0x0B
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_OPMODE_RSP	0x0C
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RTC_REQ	0x0D
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RTC_RSP	0x0E
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RTC_REQ	0x0F
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RTC_RSP	0x10
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RADIO_CONFIG_REQ	0x11
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RADIO_CONFIG_RSP	0x12
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RADIO_CONFIG_REQ	0x13
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RADIO_CONFIG_RSP	0x14
DEVMGMT_MSG_RESET_RADIO_CONFIG_REQ	0x15
DEVMGMT_MSG_RESET_RADIO_CONFIG_RSP	0x16
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_SYSTEM_STATUS_REQ	0x17
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_SYSTEM_STATUS_RSP	0x18
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RADIO_MODE_REQ	0x19
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RADIO_MODE_RSP	0x1A
DEVMGMT_MSG_POWER_UP_IND	0x20
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_AES_KEY_REQ	0x21
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_AES_KEY_RSP	0x22
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_AES_KEY_REQ	0x23
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_AES_KEY_RSP	0x24
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RTC_ALARM_REQ	0x31
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_RTC_ALARM_RSP	0x32
DEVMGMT_MSG_CLEAR_RTC_ALARM_REQ	0x33
DEVMGMT_MSG_CLEAR_RTC_ALARM_RSP	0x34
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RTC_ALARM_REQ	0x35
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_RTC_ALARM_RSP	0x36
DEVMGMT_MSG_RTC_ALARM_IND	0x38
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_HCI_CFG_REQ	0x41
DEVMGMT_MSG_SET_HCI_CFG_RSP	0x42
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_HCI_CFG_REQ	0x43
DEVMGMT_MSG_GET_HCI_CFG_RSP	0x44
DEVMGMT_MSG_INIT_BOOTLOADER_REQ	0xF6
DEVMGMT_MSG_INIT_BOOTLOADER_RSP	0xF7

4.2.2.2 Device Management Status Byte

Name	Value	Description
DEVMGMT_STATUS_OK	0x00	Operation successful
DEVMGMT_STATUS_ERROR	0x01	Operation failed
DEVMGMT_STATUS_CMD_NOT_SUPPORTED	0x02	Command is not supported (check system operation mode)
DEVMGMT_STATUS_WRONG_PARAMETER	0x03	HCI message contains wrong parameter
DEVMGMT_STATUS_WRONG_DEVICE_MODE	0x04	Stack is running in a wrong mode
DEVMGMT_STATUS_DEVICE_BUSY	0x06	Device is busy, command rejected

4.2.3 Radio Link Identifier

4.2.3.1 Radio Link Message Identifier

Name	Value
RADIOLINK_MSG_SEND_U_DATA_REQ	0x01
RADIOLINK_MSG_SEND_U_DATA_RSP	0x02
RADIOLINK_MSG_U_DATA_RX_IND	0x04
RADIOLINK_MSG_U_DATA_TX_IND	0x06
RADIOLINK_MSG_RAW_DATA_RX_IND	0x08
RADIOLINK_MSG_SEND_C_DATA_REQ	0x09
RADIOLINK_MSG_SEND_C_DATA_RSP	0x0A
RADIOLINK_MSG_C_DATA_RX_IND	0x0C
RADIOLINK_MSG_C_DATA_TX_IND	0x0E
RADIOLINK_MSG_ACK_RX_IND	0x10
RADIOLINK_MSG_ACK_TIMEOUT_IND	0x12
RADIOLINK_MSG_ACK_TX_IND	0x14
RADIOLINK_MSG_SET_ACK_DATA_REQ	0x15
RADIOLINK_MSG_SET_ACK_DATA_RSP	0x16

4.2.3.2 Radio Link Status Byte

Name	Value	Description
RADIOLINK_STATUS_OK	0x00	Operation successful
RADIOLINK_STATUS_ERROR	0x01	Operation failed
RADIOLINK_STATUS_CMD_NOT_SUPPORTED	0x02	Command is not supported (check system operation mode)
RADIOLINK_STATUS_WRONG_PARAMETER	0x03	HCI message contains wrong parameter
RADIOLINK_STATUS_WRONG_RADIO_MODE	0x04	Module operates in wrong radio mode
RADIOLINK_STATUS_MEDIA_BUSY	0x05	Transmission not possible due to LBT result: "Media Busy"
RADIOLINK_STATUS_BUFFER_FULL	0x07	No buffer for radio transmission available
RADIOLINK_STATUS_LENGTH_ERROR	0x08	Radio packet length invalid

4.2.4 Radio Link Test Identifier

4.2.4.1 Radio Link Test Message Identifier

Name	Value
RLT_MSG_START_REQ	0x01
RLT_MSG_START_RSP	0x02
RLT_MSG_STOP_REQ	0x03
RLT_MSG_STOP_RSP	0x04
RLT_MSG_STATUS_IND	0x06

4.2.4.2 Radio Link Test Status Byte

Name	Value	Description
RLT_STATUS_OK	0x00	Operation successful
RLT_STATUS_ERROR	0x01	Operation failed
RLT_STATUS_CMD_NOT_SUPPORTED	0x02	Command is not supported (check system operation mode)
RLT_STATUS_WRONG_PARAMETER	0x03	HCI message contains wrong parameter
RLT_STATUS_WRONG_RADIO_MODE	0x04	Module operates in wrong radio mode

4.2.5 Remote Control Identifier

4.2.5.1 Remote Control Message Identifier

Name	Value
REMOTE_CTRL_MSG_BUTTON_PRESSED_IND	0x02

4.2.6 Sensor App Identifier

4.2.6.1 Sensor App Message Identifier

Name	Value
SENSOR_MSG_SET_CONFIG_REQ	0x09
SENSOR_MSG_SET_CONFIG_RSP	0x0A
SENSOR_MSG_GET_CONFIG_REQ	0x0B
SENSOR_MSG_GET_CONFIG_RSP	0x0C
SENSOR_MSG_SEND_DATA_IND	0x06
SENSOR_MSG_ACK_IND	0x08

4.2.6.2 Sensor App Status Byte

Name	Value	Description
SENSOR_STATUS_OK	0x00	Operation successful
SENSOR_STATUS_ERROR	0x01	Operation failed
SENSOR_STATUS_WRONG_DEVICEMODE	0x04	Module operates in wrong radio mode

4.3 Example Code for Host Controller

4.3.1 WiMOD HCI Message Layer

```
//-----  
//  
// File:      WiMOD_HCI_Layer.h  
//  
// Abstract:  WiMOD HCI Message Layer  
//  
// Version:   0.1  
//  
// Date:      18.05.2016  
//  
// Disclaimer: This example code is provided by IMST GmbH on an "AS IS"  
//             basis without any warranties.  
//  
//-----  
  
#ifndef WIMOD_HCI_LAYER_H
```

```
#define WIMOD_HCI_LAYER_H

//-----
//
//  Include Files
//
//-----

#include <stdint.h>

//-----
//
//  General Declarations & Definitions
//
//-----

typedef unsigned char          UINT8;
typedef uint16_t               UINT16;

#define WIMOD_HCI_MSG_HEADER_SIZE      2
#define WIMOD_HCI_MSG_PAYLOAD_SIZE    300
#define WIMOD_HCI_MSG_FCS_SIZE        2

#define LOBYTE(x)                 (x)
#define HIBYTE(x)                 ((UINT16)(x) >> 8)

//-----
//
//  HCI Message Structure (internal software usage)
//
//-----

typedef struct
{
    // Payload Length Information,
    // this field not transmitted over UART interface !!!
    UINT16  Length;

    // Service Access Point Identifier
    UINT8   SapID;

    // Message Identifier
    UINT8   MsgID;

    // Payload Field
    UINT8   Payload[WIMOD_HCI_MSG_PAYLOAD_SIZE];

    // Frame Check Sequence Field
    UINT8   CRC16[WIMOD_HCI_MSG_FCS_SIZE];

}TWiMOD_HCI_Message;

//-----
//
//  Function Prototypes
//
//-----

// Message receiver callback
typedef TWiMOD_HCI_Message* (*TWiMOD_HCI_CbRxMessage)(TWiMOD_HCI_Message*
rxMessage);
```

```
// Init HCI Layer
bool
WiMOD_HCI_Init(const char*          comPort,
               TWiMOD_HCI_CbRxMessage cbRxMessage,
               TWiMOD_HCI_Message*   rxMessage);

// Send HCI Message
int
WiMOD_HCI_SendMessage(TWiMOD_HCI_Message* txMessage);

// Receiver Process
void
WiMOD_HCI_Process();

#endif // WiMOD_HCI_LAYER_H

//-----
// end of file
//-----

//-----
//
// File:      WiMOD_HCI_Layer.cpp
//
// Abstract:  WiMOD HCI Message Layer
//
// Version:   0.1
//
// Date:      18.05.2016
//
// Disclaimer: This example code is provided by IMST GmbH on an "AS IS"
//            basis without any warranties.
//
//-----

//-----
//
// Include Files
//
//-----

#include "WiMOD_HCI_Layer.h"
#include "CRC16.h"
#include "SLIP.h"
#include "SerialDevice.h"
#include <string.h>

//-----
//
// Forward Declaration
//
//-----

// SLIP Message Receiver Callback
static UINT8* WiMOD_HCI_ProcessRxMessage(UINT8* rxData, int rxLength);

//-----
//
// Declare Layer Instance
```

```

//
//-----

typedef struct
{
    // CRC Error counter
    UINT32          CRCErrors;

    // RxMessage
    TWiMOD_HCI_Message*  RxMessage;

    // Receiver callback
    TWiMOD_HCI_CbRxMessage  CbRxMessage;

}TWiMOD_HCI_MsgLayer;

//-----
//
// Section RAM
//
//-----

// reserve HCI Instance
static TWiMOD_HCI_MsgLayer  HCI;

// reserve one TxBuffer
static UINT8                TxBuffer[sizeof( TWiMOD_HCI_Message ) * 2 + 2];

//-----
//
// Init
//
// @brief: Init HCI Message layer
//
//-----

bool
WiMOD_HCI_Init(const char*          comPort,          // comPort
               TWiMOD_HCI_CbRxMessage  cbRxMessage,    // HCI msg receiver
               TWiMOD_HCI_Message*    rxMessage)      // intial rxMessage
{
    // init error counter
    HCI.CRCErrors    =    0;

    // save receiver callback
    HCI.CbRxMessage  =    cbRxMessage;

    // save RxMessage
    HCI.RxMessage    =    rxMessage;

    // init SLIP
    SLIP_Init(WiMOD_HCI_ProcessRxMessage);

    // init first RxBuffer to SAP_ID of HCI message, size without 16-Bit Length
    Field
    SLIP_SetRxBuffer(&rxMessage->SapID, sizeof(TWiMOD_HCI_Message) -
    sizeof(UINT16));

    // init serial device
    return SerialDevice_Open(comPort, Baudrate_115200, DataBits_8, Parity_None);
}

```

```

}

//-----
//
//  SendMessage
//
//  @brief: Send a HCI message (with or without payload)
//
//-----

int
WiMOD_HCI_SendMessage(TWiMOD_HCI_Message* txMessage)
{
    // 1. check parameter
    //
    // 1.1 check ptr
    //
    if (!txMessage)
    {
        // error
        return -1;
    }

    // 2. Calculate CRC16 over header and optional payload
    //
    UINT16 crc16 = CRC16_Calc(&txMessage->SapID,
                             txMessage->Length + WIMOD_HCI_MSG_HEADER_SIZE,
                             CRC16_INIT_VALUE);

    // 2.1 get 1's complement !!!
    //
    crc16 = ~crc16;

    // 2.2 attach CRC16 and correct length, LSB first
    //
    txMessage->Payload[txMessage->Length] = LOBYTE(crc16);
    txMessage->Payload[txMessage->Length + 1] = HIBYTE(crc16);

    // 3. perform SLIP encoding
    //    - start transmission with SAP ID
    //    - correct length by header size

    int txLength = SLIP_EncodeData(TxBuffer,
                                    sizeof(TxBuffer),
                                    &txMessage->SapID,
                                    txMessage->Length + WIMOD_HCI_MSG_HEADER_SIZE
+ WIMOD_HCI_MSG_FCS_SIZE);
    // message ok ?
    if (txLength > 0)
    {
        // 4. send octet sequence over serial device
        if (SerialDevice_SendData(TxBuffer, txLength) > 0)
        {
            // return ok
            return 1;
        }
    }

    // error - SLIP layer couldn't encode message - buffer too small ?
    return -1;
}

```

```

//-----
//
// Process
//
// @brief: read incoming serial data
//
//-----

void
WiMOD_HCI_Process()
{
    UINT8    rxBuf[20];

    // read small chunk of data
    int rxLength = SerialDevice_ReadData(rxBuf, sizeof(rxBuf));

    // data available ?
    if (rxLength > 0)
    {
        // yes, forward to SLIP decoder, decoded SLIP message will be passed to
        // function "WiMOD_HCI_ProcessRxMessage"
        SLIP_DecodeData(rxBuf, rxLength);
    }
}

//-----
//
// WiMOD_HCI_ProcessRxMessage
//
// @brief: process received SLIP message and return new rxBuffer
//
//-----

static UINT8*
WiMOD_HCI_ProcessRxMessage(UINT8* rxData, int rxLength)
{
    // check min length
    if (rxLength >= (WIMOD_HCI_MSG_HEADER_SIZE + WIMOD_HCI_MSG_FCS_SIZE))
    {
        if (CRC16_Check(rxData, rxLength, CRC16_INIT_VALUE))
        {
            // receiver registered ?
            if (HCI.CbRxMessage)
            {
                // yes, complete message info
                HCI.RxMessage->Length = rxLength - (WIMOD_HCI_MSG_HEADER_SIZE +
WIMOD_HCI_MSG_FCS_SIZE);

                // call upper layer receiver and save new RxMessage
                HCI.RxMessage = (*HCI.CbRxMessage) (HCI.RxMessage);
            }
        }
        else
        {
            HCI.CRCErrors++;
        }
    }

    // free HCI message available ?
    if (HCI.RxMessage)

```

```

    {
        // yes, return pointer to first byte
        return &HCI.RxMessage->SapID;
    }

    // error, disable SLIP decoder
    return 0;
}

```

```

//-----
// end of file
//-----

```

4.3.2 SLIP Encoder / Decoder

```

//-----
//
// File:      SLIP.h
//
// Abstract:   SLIP Encoder / Decoder
//
// Version:   0.2
//
// Date:      18.05.2016
//
// Disclaimer: This example code is provided by IMST GmbH on an "AS IS"
//             basis without any warranties.
//
//-----

```

```

#ifndef SLIP_H
#define SLIP_H

```

```

//-----
//
// Include Files
//
//-----

```

```

#include <stdint.h>

```

```

//-----
//
// General Definitions
//
//-----

```

```

typedef uint8_t      UINT8;

```

```

//-----
//
// Function Prototypes
//
//-----

```

```

// SLIP message receiver callback
typedef UINT8*      (*TSLIP_CbRxMessage) (UINT8* message, int length);

```

```

// Init SLIP layer
void
SLIP_Init(TSLIP_CbRxMessage cbRxMessage);

```



```
// Init first receiver buffer
bool
SLIP_SetRxBuffer(UINT8* rxBuffer, int rxBufferSize);

// Encode outgoing Data
int
SLIP_EncodeData(UINT8* dstBuffer, int txBufferSize, UINT8* srcData, int
srcLength);

// Decode incoming Data
void
SLIP_DecodeData(UINT8* srcData, int srcLength);

#endif // SLIP_H

//-----
// end of file
//-----
//
// File:          SLIP.cpp
//
// Abstract:  SLIP Encoder / Decoder
//
// Version:    0.2
//
// Date:       18.05.2016
//
// Disclaimer: This example code is provided by IMST GmbH on an "AS IS"
//            basis without any warranties.
//-----

//-----
//
// Include Files
//
//-----

#include "SLIP.h"

//-----
//
// Protocol Definitions
//
//-----

// SLIP Protocol Characters
#define SLIP_END          0xC0
#define SLIP_ESC          0xDB
#define SLIP_ESC_END      0xDC
#define SLIP_ESC_ESC      0xDD

// SLIP Receiver/Decoder States
#define SLIPDEC_IDLE_STATE    0
#define SLIPDEC_START_STATE   1
#define SLIPDEC_IN_FRAME_STATE 2
#define SLIPDEC_ESC_STATE     3
```

```

//-----
//
// Declare SLIP Variables
//
//-----

typedef struct
{
    // Decoder
    int          RxState;
    int          RxIndex;
    int          RxBufferSize;
    UINT8*       RxBuffer;
    TSLIP_CbRxMessage CbRxMessage;

    // Encoder
    int          TxIndex;
    int          TxBufferSize;
    UINT8*       TxBuffer;
} TSLIP;

//-----
//
// Section RAM
//
//-----

// SLIP Instance
static TSLIP SLIP;

//-----
//
// Section Code
//
//-----

//-----
//
// Init
//
// @brief: init SLIP decoder
//
//-----

void
SLIP_Init(TSLIP_CbRxMessage cbRxMessage)
{
    // init decoder to idle state, no rx-buffer available
    SLIP.RxState      = SLIPDEC_IDLE_STATE;
    SLIP.RxIndex      = 0;
    SLIP.RxBuffer      = 0;
    SLIP.RxBufferSize = 0;

    // save message receiver callback
    SLIP.CbRxMessage = cbRxMessage;

    // init encoder
    SLIP.TxIndex      = 0;
    SLIP.TxBuffer      = 0;
    SLIP.TxBufferSize = 0;
}

```

```

//-----
//
//  SLIP_StoreTxByte
//
//  @brief: store a byte into TxBuffer
//
//-----

static void
SLIP_StoreTxByte(UINT8 txByte)
{
    if (SLIP.TxIndex < SLIP.TxBufferSize)
        SLIP.TxBuffer[SLIP.TxIndex++] = txByte;
}

//-----
//
//  EncodeData
//
//  @brief: encode a messages into dstBuffer
//
//-----

int
SLIP_EncodeData(UINT8* dstBuffer, int dstBufferSize, UINT8* srcData, int
srcLength)
{
    // save start pointer
    int txLength = 0;

    // init TxBuffer
    SLIP.TxBuffer = dstBuffer;

    // init TxIndex
    SLIP.TxIndex = 0;

    // init size
    SLIP.TxBufferSize = dstBufferSize;

    // send start of SLIP message
    SLIP_StoreTxByte(SLIP_END);

    // iterate over all message bytes
    while(srcLength--)
    {
        switch (*srcData)
        {
            case SLIP_END:
                SLIP_StoreTxByte(SLIP_ESC);
                SLIP_StoreTxByte(SLIP_ESC_END);
                break;

            case SLIP_ESC:
                SLIP_StoreTxByte(SLIP_ESC);
                SLIP_StoreTxByte(SLIP_ESC_ESC);
                break;

            default:
                SLIP_StoreTxByte(*srcData);
                break;
        }
    }
}

```

```
    }
    // next byte
    srcData++;
}

// send end of SLIP message
SLIP_StoreTxByte(SLIP_END);

// length ok ?
if (SLIP.TxIndex <= SLIP.TxBufferSize)
    return SLIP.TxIndex;

// return tx length error
return -1;
}

//-----
//
// SetRxBuffer
//
// @brief: configure a rx-buffer and enable receiver/decoder
//-----

bool
SLIP_SetRxBuffer(UINT8* rxBuffer, int rxBufferSize)
{
    // receiver in IDLE state and client already registered ?
    if ((SLIP.RxState == SLIPDEC_IDLE_STATE) && SLIP.CbRxMessage)
    {
        // same buffer params
        SLIP.RxBuffer      = rxBuffer;
        SLIP.RxBufferSize  = rxBufferSize;

        // enable decoder
        SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_START_STATE;

        return true;
    }
    return false;
}

//-----
//
// SLIP_StoreRxByte
//
// @brief: store SLIP decoded rxByte
//-----

static void
SLIP_StoreRxByte(UINT8 rxByte)
{
    if (SLIP.RxIndex < SLIP.RxBufferSize)
        SLIP.RxBuffer[SLIP.RxIndex++] = rxByte;
}

//-----
//
// DecodeData
//
```

```

// @brief: process received byte stream
//
//-----

void
SLIP_DecodeData(UINT8* srcData, int srcLength)
{
    // init result
    int result = 0;

    // iterate over all received bytes
    while(srcLength--)
    {
        // get rxByte
        UINT8 rxByte = *srcData++;

        // decode according to current state
        switch(SLIP.RxState)
        {
            case SLIPDEC_START_STATE:
                // start of SLIP frame ?
                if(rxByte == SLIP_END)
                {
                    // init read index
                    SLIP.RxIndex = 0;

                    // next state
                    SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_IN_FRAME_STATE;
                }
                break;

            case SLIPDEC_IN_FRAME_STATE:
                switch(rxByte)
                {
                    case SLIP_END:
                        // data received ?
                        if(SLIP.RxIndex > 0)
                        {
                            // yes, receiver registered ?
                            if (SLIP.CbRxMessage)
                            {
                                // yes, call message receive
                                SLIP.RxBuffer =
(*SLIP.CbRxMessage)(SLIP.RxBuffer, SLIP.RxIndex);

                                // new buffer available ?
                                if (!SLIP.RxBuffer)
                                {
                                    SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_IDLE_STATE;
                                }
                                else
                                {
                                    SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_START_STATE;
                                }
                            }
                            else
                            {
                                // disable decoder, temp. no buffer
                                SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_IDLE_STATE;
                            }
                        }
                    }
                }
            }
        }
    }
}

```

```

        }
        // init read index
        SLIP.RxIndex = 0;
        break;

    case SLIP_ESC:
        // enter escape sequence state
        SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_ESC_STATE;
        break;

    default:
        // store byte
        SLIP_StoreRxByte(rxByte);
        break;
    }
    break;

case SLIPDEC_ESC_STATE:
    switch(rxByte)
    {
        case SLIP_ESC_END:
            SLIP_StoreRxByte(SLIP_END);
            // quit escape sequence state
            SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_IN_FRAME_STATE;
            break;

        case SLIP_ESC_ESC:
            SLIP_StoreRxByte(SLIP_ESC);
            // quit escape sequence state
            SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_IN_FRAME_STATE;
            break;

        default:
            // abort frame reception
            SLIP.RxState = SLIPDEC_START_STATE;
            break;
    }
    break;

default:
    break;
}
}

//-----
// end of file
//-----

```

4.3.3 CRC16 Calculation

```

//-----
//
// File:      CRC16.h
//
// Abstract:  CRC16 calculation
//
// Version:   0.2
//
// Date:      18.05.2016

```

```

//
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//              basis without any warranties.
//
//-----

#ifndef    __CRC16_H__
#define    __CRC16_H__

//-----
//
//  Section Include Files
//
//-----

#include <stdint.h>

//-----
//
//  Section Defines & Declarations
//
//-----

typedef uint8_t      UINT8;
typedef uint16_t     UINT16;

#define CRC16_INIT_VALUE    0xFFFF    // initial value for CRC algorithm
#define CRC16_GOOD_VALUE    0x0F47    // constant compare value for check
#define CRC16_POLYNOM       0x8408    // 16-BIT CRC CCITT POLYNOM

//-----
//
//  Function Prototypes
//
//-----

// Calc CRC16
UINT16
CRC16_Calc (UINT8*      data,
            UINT16      length,
            UINT16      initVal);

// Calc & Check CRC16
bool
CRC16_Check (UINT8*      data,
             UINT16      length,
             UINT16      initVal);

#endif // __CRC16_H__
//-----
// end of file
//-----
//
//  File:      CRC16.cpp
//
//  Abstract:   CRC16 calculation
//
//  Version:    0.2
//

```

```
// Date:      18.05.2016
//
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//            basis without any warranties.
//
//-----
```

```
//-----
//
// Section Include Files
//
//-----
```

```
#include "crc16.h"
```

```
// use fast table algorithm
#define __CRC16_TABLE__
```

```
//-----
//
// Section CONST
//
//-----
```

```
#ifndef __CRC16_TABLE__
//-----
//
// Lookup Table for fast CRC16 calculation
//
//-----
```

```
const UINT16
```

```
CRC16_Table[] =
```

```
{
    0x0000, 0x1189, 0x2312, 0x329B, 0x4624, 0x57AD, 0x6536, 0x74BF,
    0x8C48, 0x9DC1, 0xAF5A, 0xBED3, 0xCA6C, 0xDBE5, 0xE97E, 0xF8F7,
    0x1081, 0x0108, 0x3393, 0x221A, 0x56A5, 0x472C, 0x75B7, 0x643E,
    0x9CC9, 0x8D40, 0xBFDB, 0xAE52, 0xDAED, 0xCB64, 0xF9FF, 0xE876,
    0x2102, 0x308B, 0x0210, 0x1399, 0x6726, 0x76AF, 0x4434, 0x55BD,
    0xAD4A, 0xBCC3, 0x8E58, 0x9FD1, 0xEB6E, 0xFAE7, 0xC87C, 0xD9F5,
    0x3183, 0x200A, 0x1291, 0x0318, 0x77A7, 0x662E, 0x54B5, 0x453C,
    0xBDCB, 0xAC42, 0x9ED9, 0x8F50, 0xFB6F, 0xEA66, 0xD8FD, 0xC974,
    0x4204, 0x538D, 0x6116, 0x709F, 0x0420, 0x15A9, 0x2732, 0x36BB,
    0xCE4C, 0xDFC5, 0xED5E, 0xFCD7, 0x8868, 0x99E1, 0xAB7A, 0xBAF3,
    0x5285, 0x430C, 0x7197, 0x601E, 0x14A1, 0x0528, 0x37B3, 0x263A,
    0xDECD, 0xCF44, 0xFDDF, 0xEC56, 0x98E9, 0x8960, 0xBBFB, 0xAA72,
    0x6306, 0x728F, 0x4014, 0x519D, 0x2522, 0x34AB, 0x0630, 0x17B9,
    0xEF4E, 0xFEC7, 0xCC5C, 0xDD55, 0xA96A, 0xB8E3, 0x8A78, 0x9BF1,
    0x7387, 0x620E, 0x5095, 0x411C, 0x35A3, 0x242A, 0x16B1, 0x0738,
    0xFFCF, 0xEE46, 0xDCDD, 0xCD54, 0xB9EB, 0xA862, 0x9AF9, 0x8B70,
    0x8408, 0x9581, 0xA71A, 0xB693, 0xC22C, 0xD3A5, 0xE13E, 0xF0B7,
    0x0840, 0x19C9, 0x2B52, 0x3ADB, 0x4E64, 0x5FED, 0x6D76, 0x7CFF,
    0x9489, 0x8500, 0xB79B, 0xA612, 0xD2AD, 0xC324, 0xF1BF, 0xE036,
    0x18C1, 0x0948, 0x3BD3, 0x2A5A, 0x5EE5, 0x4F6C, 0x7DF7, 0x6C7E,
    0xA50A, 0xB483, 0x8618, 0x9791, 0xE32E, 0xF2A7, 0xC03C, 0xD1B5,
    0x2942, 0x38CB, 0x0A50, 0x1BD9, 0x6F66, 0x7EEF, 0x4C74, 0x5DFD,
    0xB58B, 0xA402, 0x9699, 0x8710, 0xF3AF, 0xE226, 0xD0BD, 0xC134,
    0x39C3, 0x284A, 0x1AD1, 0x0B58, 0x7FE7, 0x6E6E, 0x5CF5, 0x4D7C,
    0xC60C, 0xD785, 0xE51E, 0xF497, 0x8028, 0x91A1, 0xA33A, 0xB2B3,
    0x4A44, 0x5BCD, 0x6956, 0x78DF, 0x0C60, 0x1DE9, 0x2F72, 0x3EFB,
    0xD68D, 0xC704, 0xF59F, 0xE416, 0x90A9, 0x8120, 0xB3BB, 0xA232,
    0x5AC5, 0x4B4C, 0x79D7, 0x685E, 0x1CE1, 0x0D68, 0x3FF3, 0x2E7A,
    0xE70E, 0xF687, 0xC41C, 0xD595, 0xA12A, 0xB0A3, 0x8238, 0x93B1,
}
```



```

    0x6B46, 0x7ACF, 0x4854, 0x59DD, 0x2D62, 0x3CEB, 0x0E70, 0x1FF9,
    0xF78F, 0xE606, 0xD49D, 0xC514, 0xB1AB, 0xA022, 0x92B9, 0x8330,
    0x7BC7, 0x6A4E, 0x58D5, 0x495C, 0x3DE3, 0x2C6A, 0x1EF1, 0x0F78,

```

```
};
```

```
#endif
```

```
//-----
```

```
//
```

```
// Section Code
```

```
//
```

```
//-----
```

```
//-----
```

```
//
```

```
// CRC16_Calc
```

```
//
```

```
//-----
```

```
//
```

```
// @brief: calculate CRC16
```

```
//
```

```
//-----
```

```
//
```

```
// This function calculates the one's complement of the standard
```

```
// 16-BIT CRC CCITT polynomial  $G(x) = 1 + x^5 + x^{12} + x^{16}$ 
```

```
//
```

```
//-----
```

```
#ifdef __CRC16_TABLE__
```

```
UINT16
```

```
CRC16_Calc (UINT8*      data,
            UINT16      length,
            UINT16      initVal)
```

```
{
```

```
    // init crc
```

```
    UINT16    crc = initVal;
```

```
    // iterate over all bytes
```

```
    while(length--)
```

```
    {
```

```
        // calc new crc
```

```
        crc = (crc >> 8) ^ CRC16_Table[(crc ^ *data++) & 0x00FF];
```

```
    }
```

```
    // return result
```

```
    return crc;
```

```
}
```

```
#else
```

```
UINT16
```

```
CRC16_Calc (UINT8*      data,
            UINT16      length,
            UINT16      initVal)
```

```
{
```

```
    // init crc
```

```
    UINT16    crc = initVal;
```

```
    // iterate over all bytes
```

```
    while(length--)
```

```
    {
```

```
        int    bits    = 8;
```

```
        UINT8  byte    = *data++;
```

```
        // iterate over all bits per byte
```

```
        while(bits--)\n        {\n            if((byte & 1) ^ (crc & 1))\n            {\n                crc = (crc >> 1) ^ CRC16_POLYNOM;\n            }\n            else\n            {\n                crc >>= 1;\n            }\n\n            byte >>= 1;\n        }\n    }\n\n    // return result\n    return crc;\n}\n#endif\n//-----\n//\n//  CRC16_Check\n//\n//-----\n//\n//  @brief    calculate & test CRC16\n//\n//-----\n//\n//  This function checks a data block with attached CRC16\n//\n//-----\nbool\nCRC16_Check      (UINT8*      data,\n                  UINT16      length,\n                  UINT16      initVal)\n{\n    // calc ones complement of CRC16\n    UINT16 crc = ~CRC16_Calc(data, length, initVal);\n\n    // CRC ok ?\n    return (bool)(crc == CRC16_GOOD_VALUE);\n}\n//-----\n// end of file\n//-----
```

4.4 List of Abbreviations

CCITT	Comité Consultatif International Télégraphique et Téléphonique
CRC	Cyclic Redundancy Check
FW	Firmware
HCI	Host Controller Interface
HW	Hardware
LR	Long Range
LoRa	Long Range
LPM	Low Power Mode
RAM	Random Access Memory
RF	Radio Frequency
RSSI	Received Signal Strength Indicator
RTC	Real Time Clock
SLIP	Serial Line Internet Protocol (RFC1055)
SW	Software
UART	Universal Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter
WiMOD	Wireless Module by IMST

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