

SIB1 (Coreset 0)

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What is a Coreset?

- Coreset is a set of RE (in time and frequency) that is used to carry PDCH/DCI
- More about Coresets later
- Currently we focus on Coreset 0
- MIB (SSB) -----> SIB1

Presence of a Coreset-0

- Determined from MSB
 - If $K_{ssb} \leq 23$ (for FR1) or $K_{ssb} \leq 11$ (for FR2)
 - Coreset-0 is present
- Otherwise Coreset-0 is not present
 - *PDCCH-ConfigCommon* will be used
- The SIB1 SCS information is also present in MIB

Coreset 0

- Coreset 0 is the control information that is decoded after decoding SSB
 - Coreset 0 contains the DCI which contains the location of SIB1.
- The location of Coreset 0 (in a cryptic manner) is provided in MIB
 - pdcch-ConfigSIB1
 - ControlResourceSetZero (4 bits)
 - SearchSpaceZero (4 bits)
- Once the MIB is decoded, based on the above IE, the UE has to
 - find location of coreset0
 - decode coreset0 which has SIB1

```
-- ASN1START
-- TAG-PDCCH-CONFIGSIB1-START

PDCCH-ConfigSIB1 ::=          SEQUENCE {
    controlResourceSetZero      ControlResourceSetZero,
    searchSpaceZero             SearchSpaceZero
}

-- TAG-PDCCH-CONFIGSIB1-STOP
-- ASN1STOP
```

```
-- ASN1START
-- TAG-CONTROLRESOURCESETZERO-START

ControlResourceSetZero ::=          INTEGER (0..15)

-- TAG-CONTROLRESOURCESETZERO-STOP
-- ASN1STOP
```

```
-- ASN1START
-- TAG-SEARCHSPACEZERO-START

SearchSpaceZero ::=          INTEGER (0..15)

-- TAG-SEARCHSPACEZERO-STOP
-- ASN1STOP
```

Location of Coreset0 (partially)

MIB->pdccch-ConfigSIB1->ControlResourceSetZero (4 bits)

- 4 bits are used as index in tables 13-1 through 13-10 [38.213]
 - See examples of tables in the next slide
- How do you choose the (correct) table?
 - SCS of PBCH (you have just decoded it)
 - SCS of PDCCH (MIB information)
 - The frequency band
 - Minimum BW supported is given per frequency band (corresponding to scs of PDCCH) in 38.101-1 (and 38.101-2)
 - You get the frequency band when the UE locks-on to SSB.
 - See Table 5.3.5-1 in 38.101-1 (and 38.101-2)

Table 13-1: Set of resource blocks and slot symbols of CORESET for Type0-PDCCH search space set when {SS/PBCH block, PDCCH} SCS is {15, 15} kHz for frequency bands with minimum channel bandwidth 5 MHz or 10 MHz

Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{RB}^{CORESET}$	Number of Symbols $N_{symb}^{CORESET}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	24	2	0
1	1	24	2	2
2	1	24	2	4
3	1	24	3	0
4	1	24	3	2
5	1	24	3	4
6	1	48	1	12
7	1	48	1	16
8	1	48	2	12
9	1	48	2	16
10	1	48	3	12
11	1	48	3	16
12	1	96	1	38
13	1	96	2	38
14	1	96	3	38
15	Reserved			

Table 13-2: Set of resource blocks and slot symbols of CORESET for Type0-PDCCH search space set when {SS/PBCH block, PDCCH} SCS is {15, 30} kHz for frequency bands with minimum channel bandwidth 5 MHz or 10 MHz

Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{RB}^{CORESET}$	Number of Symbols $N_{symb}^{CORESET}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	24	2	5
1	1	24	2	6
2	1	24	2	7
3	1	24	2	8
4	1	24	3	5
5	1	24	3	6
6	1	24	3	7
7	1	24	3	8
8	1	48	1	18
9	1	48	1	20
10	1	48	2	18
11	1	48	2	20
12	1	48	3	18
13	1	48	3	20
14	Reserved			
15	Reserved			

Table 13-3: Set of resource blocks and slot symbols of CORESET for Type0-PDCCH search space set when {SS/PBCH block, PDCCH} SCS is {30, 15} kHz for frequency bands with minimum channel bandwidth 5 MHz or 10 MHz

Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{RB}^{CORESET}$	Number of Symbols $N_{symb}^{CORESET}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	48	1	2
1	1	48	1	6
2	1	48	2	2
3	1	48	2	6
4	1	48	3	2
5	1	48	3	6
6	1	96	1	28
7	1	96	2	28
8	1	96	3	28
9	Reserved			
10	Reserved			
11	Reserved			
12	Reserved			
13	Reserved			
14	Reserved			
15	Reserved			

Table 13-4: Set of resource blocks and slot symbols of CORESET for Type0-PDCCH search space set when {SS/PBCH block, PDCCH} SCS is {30, 30} kHz for frequency bands with minimum channel bandwidth 5 MHz or 10 MHz

Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{RB}^{CORESET}$	Number of Symbols $N_{symb}^{CORESET}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	24	2	0
1	1	24	2	1
2	1	24	2	2
3	1	24	2	3
4	1	24	2	4
5	1	24	3	0
6	1	24	3	1
7	1	24	3	2
8	1	24	3	3
9	1	24	3	4
10	1	48	1	12
11	1	48	1	14
12	1	48	1	16
13	1	48	2	12
14	1	48	2	14
15	1	48	2	16


Table 13-6: Set of resource blocks and slot symbols of CORESET for Type0-PDCCH search space set when {SS/PBCH block, PDCCH} SCS is {30, 30} kHz for frequency bands with minimum channel bandwidth 40MHz

Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{RB}^{CORESET}$	Number of Symbols $N_{symb}^{CORESET}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	24	2	0
1	1	24	2	4
2	1	24	3	0
3	1	24	3	4
4	1	48	1	0
5	1	48	1	28
6	1	48	2	0
7	1	48	2	28
8	1	48	3	0
9	1	48	3	28
10	Reserved			
11	Reserved			
12	Reserved			
13	Reserved			
14	Reserved			
15	Reserved			

Summary of the SCS, Minimum BW and table

SSB SCS (KHz)	PDCCH SCS (KHz)	Minimum BW (MHz)	Table # in 38.213
15	15	5 or 10	13-1
15	30	5 or 10	13-2
30	15	5 or 10	13-3
30	30	5 or 10	13-4
30	15	40	13-5
30	30	40	13-6
120	60	-----	13-7
120	120	----	13-8
240	60	----	13-9
240	120	----	13-10

For example,
Band 78,
SSB SCS =30
PDCCH =30



Minimum BW from
38.101-1 is 10

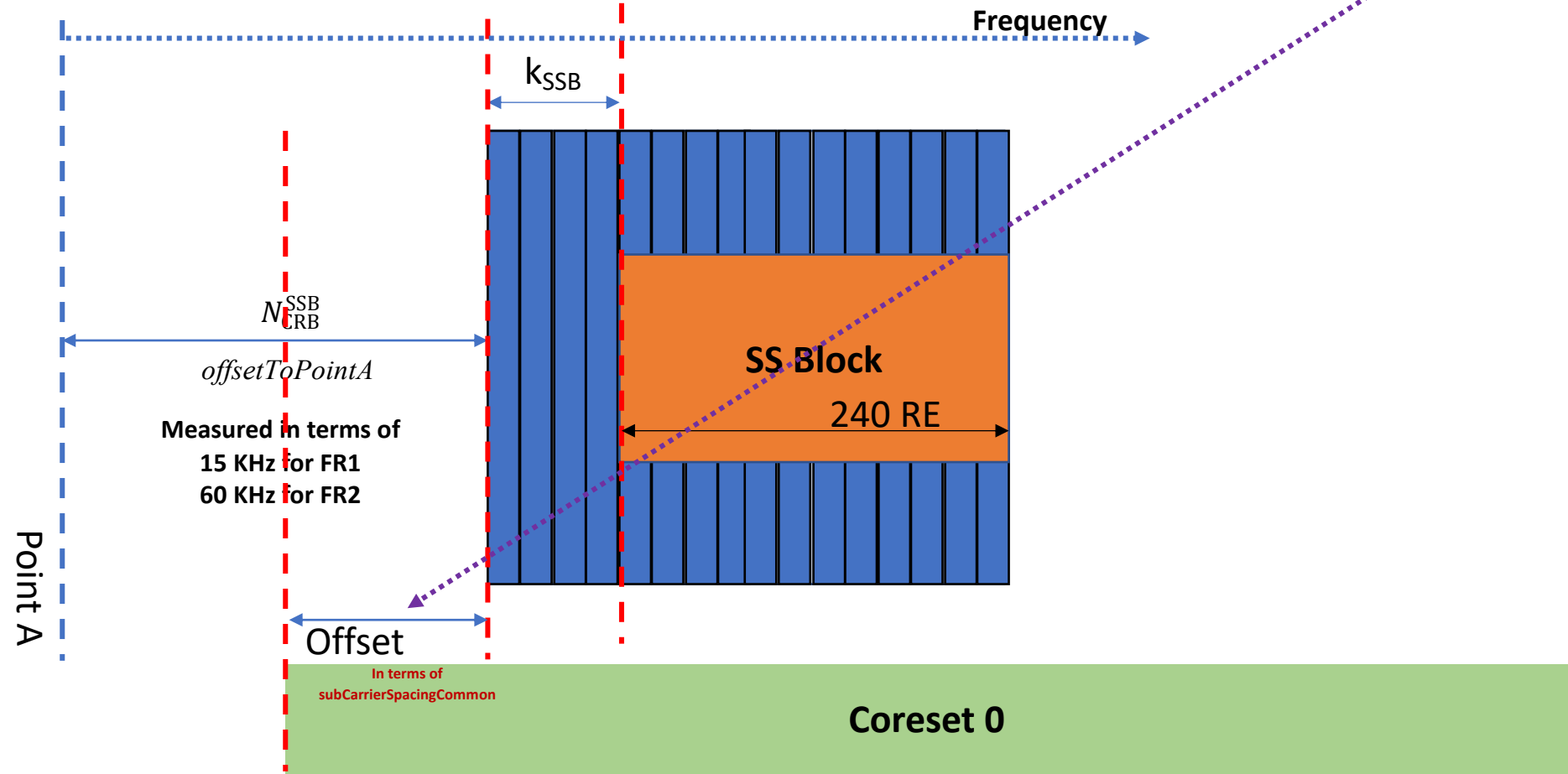
From the previous procedure, the size of the coreset and its relative location can be found out.

Example:

- 30 KHz SCS for both SSB and PDCCH, Band n78
- ControlResourceSetZero = 4 (from MIB)
 - Table 13.4, row index =4
- So the coreset has 24 RB and spans 2 symbols.
- It is at an offset of 4 RBs from SSB

The offset in Tables 13-1 through 13-10 is defined with respect to the SCS of the CORESET for Type0-PDCCH CSS set, provided by *subCarrierSpacingCommon*, from the smallest RB index of the CORESET for Type0-PDCCH CSS set to the smallest RB index of the common RB overlapping with the first RB of the corresponding SS/PBCH block. In

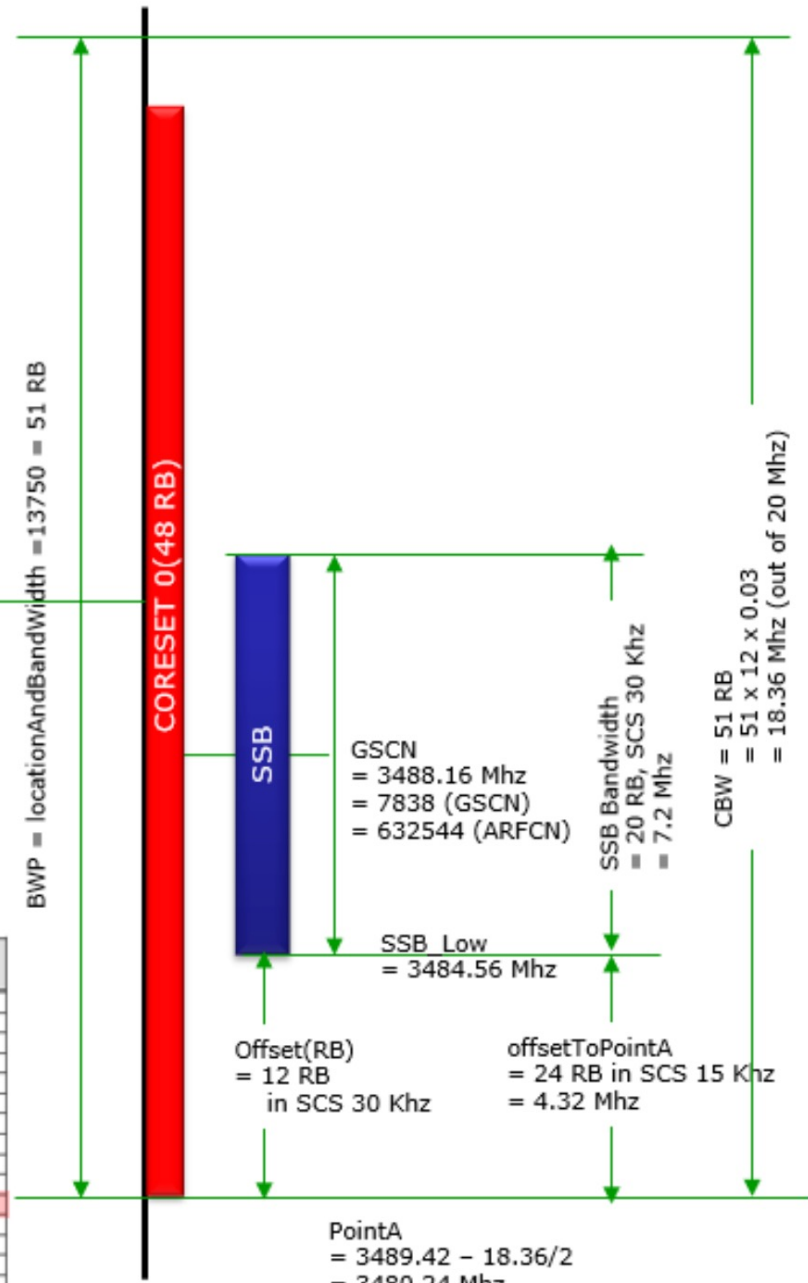
Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{RB}^{CORESET}$	Number of Symbols $N_{sym}^{CORESET}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	24	2	0
1	1	24	2	1
2	1	24	2	2
3	1	24	2	3
4	1	24	2	4
5	1	24	3	0



MIB.pdcch-ConfigSIB1.controlResourceSetZero = 10 , MIB.ssb-SubcarrierOffset= 0

```
SIB1 :=
servingCellConfigCommon {
  downlinkConfigCommon {
    frequencyInfoDL {
      frequencyBandList {
        {
          freqBandIndicatorNR 78
        }
      },
      offsetToPointA 24,
      scs-SpecificCarrierList {
        {
          offsetToCarrier 0,
          subcarrierSpacing kHz30,
          carrierBandwidth 51
        }
      }
    },
    initialDownlinkBWP {
      genericParameters {
        locationAndBandwidth 13750,
        subcarrierSpacing kHz30
      }
    }
  }
}
```

Center Freq
= 632628 (ARFCN)
= 3489.42 (Mhz)



SSB/PDCCH SCS = {30,30}, Index 10 in Table 13-4

< 38.213-Table 13-4 >

Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{\text{CORESET}}^{\text{RB}}$	Number of Symbols $N_{\text{CORESET}}^{\text{sym}}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	24	2	0
1	1	24	2	1
2	1	24	2	2
3	1	24	2	3
4	1	24	2	4
5	1	24	3	0
6	1	24	3	1
7	1	24	3	2
8	1	24	3	3
9	1	24	3	4
10	1	48	1	12
11	1	48	1	14
12	1	48	1	16
13	1	48	2	12
14	1	48	2	14
15	1	48	2	16

From: https://www.sharetechnote.com/html/5G/5G_CommonSearchSpace_Type0_PDCCH.html

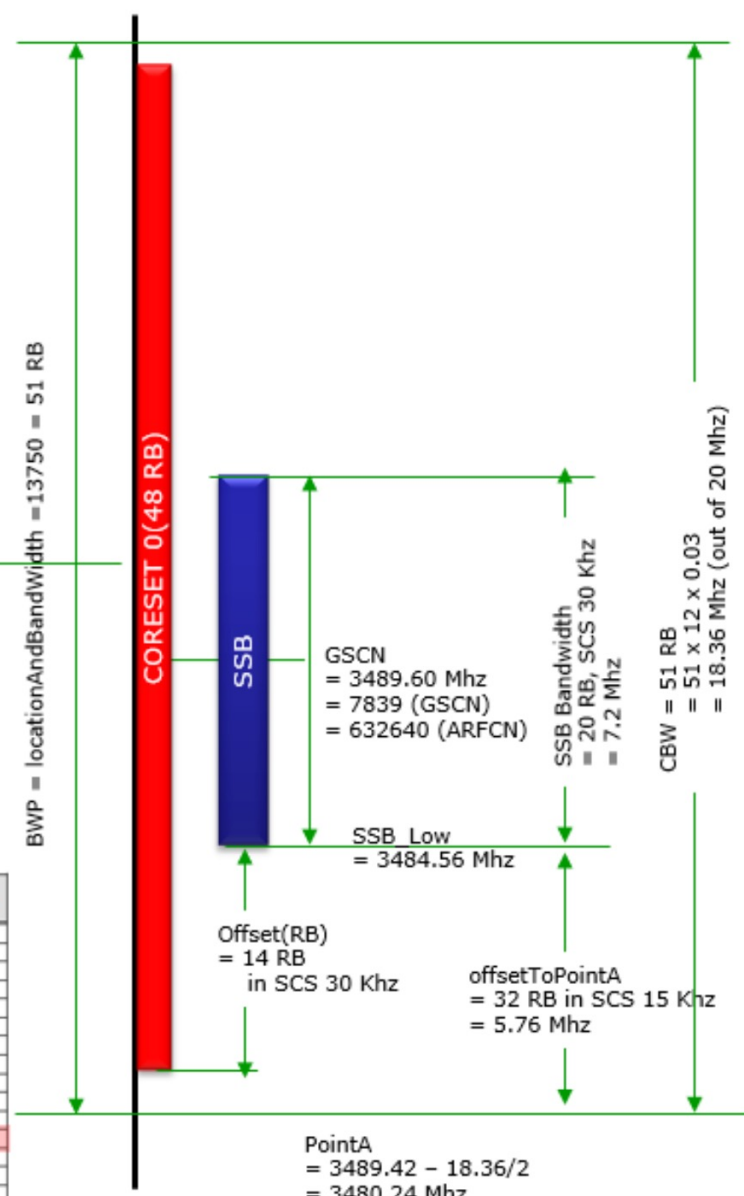
Example 02 > SSB/PDCCH SCS = {30,30}, Index 11 in Table 13-4

Following illustration is based on a SA log from [Amarisoft](https://www.amarisoft.com). GSCN and Center Frequency is set as hardware configuration of the equipment.

MIB.pdcch-ConfigSIB1.controlResourceSetZero = 11 , MIB.ssb-SubcarrierOffset= 0

```
SIB1 :=
servingCellConfigCommon {
  downlinkConfigCommon {
    frequencyInfoDL {
      frequencyBandList {
        {
          freqBandIndicatorNR 78
        }
      },
      offsetToPointA 32,
      scs-SpecificCarrierList {
        {
          offsetToCarrier 0,
          subcarrierSpacing kHz30,
          carrierBandwidth 51
        }
      }
    },
    initialDownlinkBWP {
      genericParameters {
        locationAndBandwidth 13750,
        subcarrierSpacing kHz30
      }
    }
  }
}
```

Center Freq
= 632628 (ARFCN)
= 3489.42 (Mhz)



< 38.213-Table 13-4 >

Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{RB}^{CORESET}$	Number of Symbols $N_{sub}^{CORESET}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	24	2	0
1	1	24	2	1
2	1	24	2	2
3	1	24	2	3
4	1	24	2	4
5	1	24	3	0
6	1	24	3	1
7	1	24	3	2
8	1	24	3	3
9	1	24	3	4
10	1	48	1	12
11	1	48	1	14
12	1	48	1	15
13	1	48	2	12
14	1	48	2	14
15	1	48	2	16

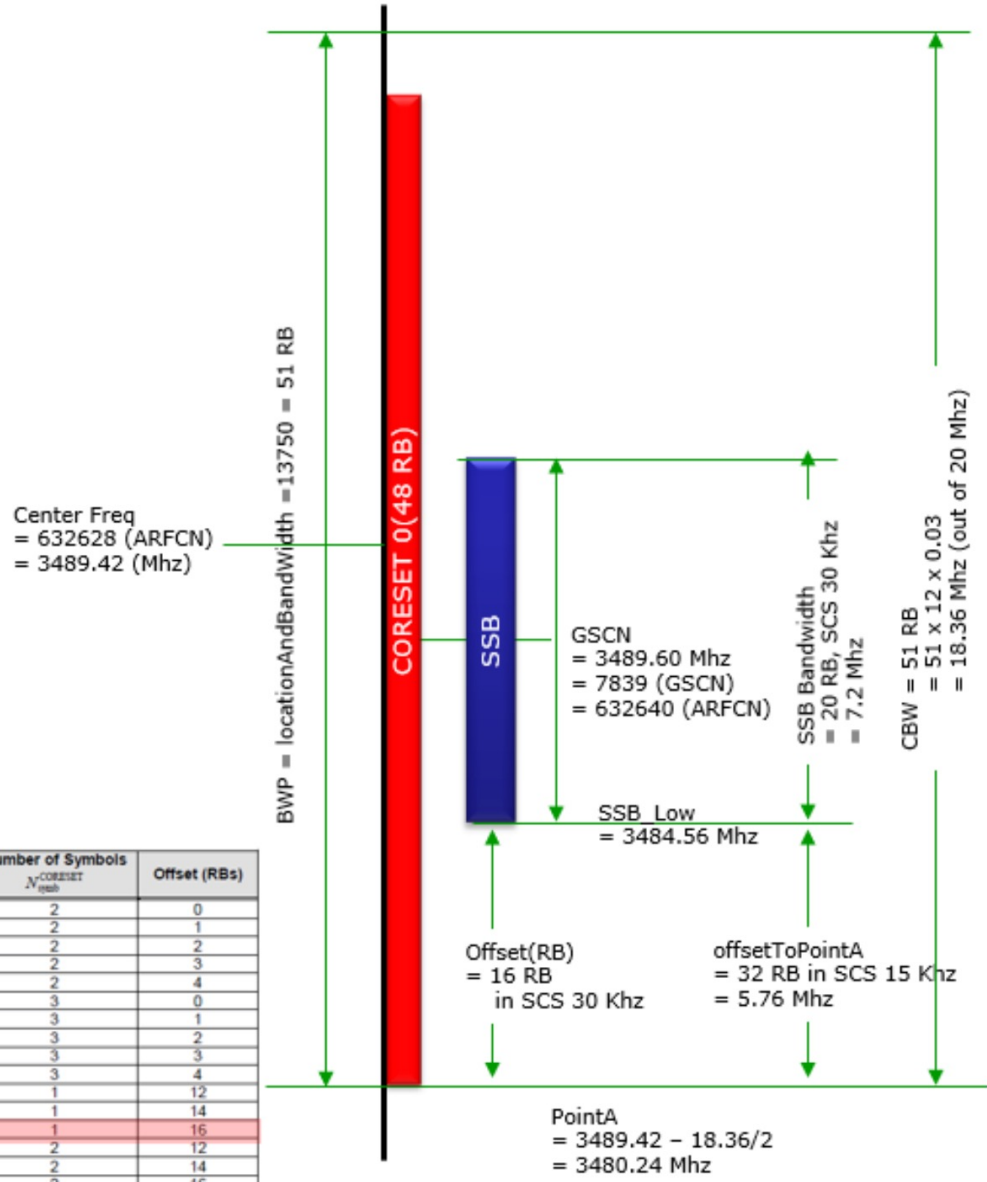
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Example 03 > SSB/PDCCH SCS = {30,30}, Index 12 in Table 13-4

Following illustration is based on a SA log from [Amarisoft](http://Amarisoft.com). GSCN and Center Frequency is set as hardware configuration of the equipment.

MIB.pdcch-ConfigSIB1.controlResourceSetZero = 12 , MIB.ssb-SubcarrierOffset= 0

```
SIB1 :=
servingCellConfigCommon {
  downlinkConfigCommon {
    frequencyInfoDL {
      frequencyBandList {
        {
          freqBandIndicatorNR 78
        }
      },
      offsetToPointA 32,
      scs-SpecificCarrierList {
        {
          offsetToCarrier 0,
          subcarrierSpacing kHz30,
          carrierBandwidth 51
        }
      }
    },
    initialDownlinkBWP {
      genericParameters {
        locationAndBandwidth 13750,
        subcarrierSpacing kHz30
      }
    }
  }
}
```



< 38.213-Table 13-4 >

Index	SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern	Number of RBs $N_{CORESET}^{RB}$	Number of Symbols $N_{CORESET}^{SYM}$	Offset (RBs)
0	1	24	2	0
1	1	24	2	1
2	1	24	2	2
3	1	24	2	3
4	1	24	2	4
5	1	24	3	0
6	1	24	3	1
7	1	24	3	2
8	1	24	3	3
9	1	24	3	4
10	1	48	1	12
11	1	48	1	14
12	1	48	1	16
13	1	48	2	12
14	1	48	2	14
15	1	48	2	16

From: https://www.sharetechnote.com/html/5G/5G_CommonSearchSpace_Type0_PDCCH.html

Time location

- From the previous table we also find the value of
 - Coresetmultiplexingpattern
- From the value of Coresetmultiplexingpattern, and frequency range (Fr1/Fr2) we choose a table from 13-11 to 13-15
- The index is chosen from the other 4 bits
 - SearchSpaceZero
- From this table, we can derive the slot locations and other parameters (next slide)

Example table

Table 13-11: Parameters for PDCCH monitoring occasions for Type0-PDCCH CSS set - SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern 1 and FR1

Index	O	Number of search space sets per slot	M	First symbol index
0	0	1	1	0
1	0	2	1/2	{0, if i is even}, $\{N_{\text{symb}}^{\text{CORESET}}, \text{ if } i \text{ is odd}\}$
2	2	1	1	0
3	2	2	1/2	{0, if i is even}, $\{N_{\text{symb}}^{\text{CORESET}}, \text{ if } i \text{ is odd}\}$
4	5	1	1	0
5	5	2	1/2	{0, if i is even}, $\{N_{\text{symb}}^{\text{CORESET}}, \text{ if } i \text{ is odd}\}$
6	7	1	1	0
7	7	2	1/2	{0, if i is even}, $\{N_{\text{symb}}^{\text{CORESET}}, \text{ if } i \text{ is odd}\}$
8	0	1	2	0
9	5	1	2	0
10	0	1	1	1
11	0	1	1	2
12	2	1	1	1
13	2	1	1	2
14	5	1	1	1
15	5	1	1	2

i : SSB block index

Slot # of Coreset 0 (Multiplexing pattern =1)

- Two consecutive slots starting at slot index n_0
 - UE **monitors both of these** slots. BS **need not** send the SIB1 in both.

- For SSBlock with index i

$$n_0 = \left(O \cdot 2^\mu + \lfloor i \cdot M \rfloor \right) \bmod N_{\text{slot}}^{\text{frame}, \mu}$$

- The SFN index is

- Even frames if

$$\left\lfloor \frac{\left(O \cdot 2^\mu + \lfloor i \cdot M \rfloor \right)}{N_{\text{slot}}^{\text{frame}, \mu}} \right\rfloor \bmod 2 = 0$$

- Odd frame if

$$\left\lfloor \frac{\left(O \cdot 2^\mu + \lfloor i \cdot M \rfloor \right)}{N_{\text{slot}}^{\text{frame}, \mu}} \right\rfloor \bmod 2 = 1.$$

From the table
(see previous
slide)

- The index of the starting symbol in a slot is provided in the table (previous slide)

Example (with SSB) 3.5 GHz

Assumptions

$L_{max} = 8$ (Assume all of them are there)

First half frame

Periodicity of 10ms

SearchSpaceZero = 0

ControlResourceSet = 0

Case C	30 KHz	< 3GHz	Paired	{2,8}+14.n	N=0,1
		> 3GHz < 6 GHz			N=0,1,2,3
		< 2.4GHz	Unpaired		N=0,1
		>2.4 < 6 GHz			N=0,1,2,3

SLOTS in which SSB is present: 0, 1, 2, 3 (Two instances in each slot)

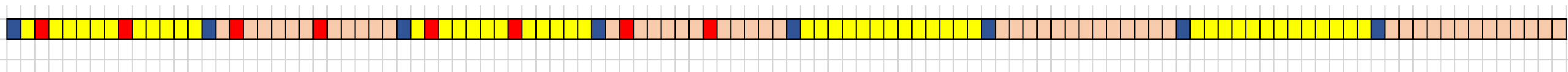
ControlResourceSet = 0 → 24 RB and 2 symbols and multiplexing pattern = 1;

SearchSpaceZero = 0 → M=1, O=0 and starting symbol = 0

→ $N_0 = (0+i) \bmod 14$ → $N_0 = i$.

→ $\text{Floor}(i/14) \bmod 2 = 0$ → Even SFN.

So SIB1 will be there in Slots 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 (possible locations) and Even SF.



Red: SSB

Blue: SIB1

Coreset0 has the control information for SIB1

- SIB1 is in PDSCH
- Coreset0 (PDCCH) provides the location of SIB1 in PDSCH

Slot # of Coreset 0 (Multiplexing pattern =2,3)

Example

- One slot
- Periodicity equals the periodicity of the SS block
- Slot (n_c) and SFN provided in the table itself

Table 13-15: PDCCH monitoring occasions for Type0-PDCCH CSS set - SS/PBCH block and CORESET multiplexing pattern 3 and {SS/PBCH block, PDCCH} SCS {120, 120} kHz

Index	PDCCH monitoring occasions (SFN and slot number)	First symbol index ($k = 0, 1, \dots, 15$)
0	$SFN_C = SFN_{SSB,i}$ $n_C = n_{SSB,i}$	4, 8, 2, 6 in $i = 4k, i = 4k + 1, i = 4k + 2, i = 4k + 3$
1		Reserved
2		Reserved
3		Reserved
4		Reserved
5		Reserved
6		Reserved
7		Reserved
8		Reserved
9		Reserved
10		Reserved
11		Reserved
12		Reserved
13		Reserved
14		Reserved
15		Reserved

What information is there in SIB1?

- Cell specific SIB (System information block)
- Has information about PRACH
- Has information about other important System parameters (SI messages)
 - See next slides.

Periodicity

- DL-SCH channel
- SIB1 is transmitted with a periodicity of 160 ms.
 - Variable transmission repetition periodicity within 160 ms as specified in TS 38.213 [13], clause 13
- Transmitted in PDSCH
 - The scheduling of which is done in Coreset0.
 - Format 1-0 (more about it later, when we do control channel)

SIB1

- MIB and SIB1 are called the Minimum System Information
- SIB1 is in the PDSCH
 - Scheduled by DCI 1-0 in Coreset 0
- Transmitted every 20 ms in FR1
- Contains critical cell information and also information for other SIBs.

Contents of SIB1

- Cell selection information
- Cell access related information
- Connection establishment failure
- Si-scheduling info
- Serving cell Config Common
- IMS Emergency Support Flag
- eCall Over IMS Support Flag
- UE -Timer and Constants
- UAC-Barring Information
- Use Full Resume ID Flag

```

-- ASN1START
-- TAG-SIB1-START

SIB1 ::= SEQUENCE {
    cellSelectionInfo          SEQUENCE {
        q-RxLevMin            Q-RxLevMin,
        q-RxLevMinOffset      INTEGER (1..8)           OPTIONAL, -- Need S
        q-RxLevMinSUL         Q-RxLevMin           OPTIONAL, -- Need R
        q-QualMin             Q-QualMin            OPTIONAL, -- Need S
        q-QualMinOffset       INTEGER (1..8)       OPTIONAL, -- Need S
    }
    cellAccessRelatedInfo     CellAccessRelatedInfo,
    connEstFailureControl     ConnEstFailureControl OPTIONAL, -- Need R
    si-SchedulingInfo         SI-SchedulingInfo     OPTIONAL, -- Need R
    servingCellConfigCommon   ServingCellConfigCommonSIB OPTIONAL, -- Need R
    ims-EmergencySupport      ENUMERATED {true}     OPTIONAL, -- Need R
    eCallOverIMS-Support     ENUMERATED {true}     OPTIONAL, -- Cond Absent
    ue-TimersAndConstants     UE-TimersAndConstants OPTIONAL, -- Need R

    uac-BarringInfo          SEQUENCE {
        uac-BarringForCommon  UAC-BarringPerCatList OPTIONAL, -- Need S
        uac-BarringPerPLMN-List UAC-BarringPerPLMN-List OPTIONAL, -- Need S
        uac-BarringInfoSetList UAC-BarringInfoSetList,
        uac-AccessCategory1-SelectionAssistanceInfo CHOICE {
            plmnCommon        UAC-AccessCategory1-SelectionAssistanceInfo,
            individualPLMNList SEQUENCE (SIZE (2..maxPLMN)) OF UAC-AccessCategory1-SelectionAssistanceInfo
        }
    }
    useFullResumeID          ENUMERATED {true}     OPTIONAL, -- Need N

    lateNonCriticalExtension  OCTET STRING       OPTIONAL,
    nonCriticalExtension      SEQUENCE{}          OPTIONAL
}

UAC-AccessCategory1-SelectionAssistanceInfo ::= ENUMERATED {a, b, c}

-- TAG-SIB1-STOP
-- ASN1STOP

```

```

-- ASN1START
-- TAG-SERVINGCELLCONFIGCOMMONSIB-START

ServingCellConfigCommonSIB ::= SEQUENCE {
    downlinkConfigCommon      DownlinkConfigCommonSIB,
    uplinkConfigCommon        UplinkConfigCommonSIB
    supplementaryUplink        UplinkConfigCommonSIB
    n-TimingAdvanceOffset     ENUMERATED { n0, n25600, n39936 }
    ssb-PositionsInBurst      SEQUENCE {
        inOneGroup            BIT STRING (SIZE (8)),
        groupPresence         BIT STRING (SIZE (8))
    },
    ssb-PeriodicityServingCell ENUMERATED {ms5, ms10, ms20, ms40, ms80, ms160},

    tdd-UL-DL-ConfigurationCommon TDD-UL-DL-ConfigCommon
    ss-PBCH-BlockPower            INTEGER (-60..50),
    ...
}

-- TAG-SERVINGCELLCONFIGCOMMONSIB-STOP
-- ASN1STOP

```

```

-- ASN1START
-- TAG-DOWNLINK-CONFIG-COMMON-SIB-START

DownlinkConfigCommonSIB ::= SEQUENCE {
    frequencyInfoDL          FrequencyInfoDL-SIB,
    initialDownlinkBWP       BWP-DownlinkCommon,
    bcch-Config              BCCH-Config,
    pcch-Config              PCCH-Config,
    ...
}

BCCH-Config ::= SEQUENCE {
    modificationPeriodCoeff ENUMERATED {n2, n4, n8, n16},
    ...
}

PCCH-Config ::= SEQUENCE {
    defaultPagingCycle      PagingCycle,
    nAndPagingFrameOffset  CHOICE {
        oneT                NULL,
        halfT                INTEGER (0..1),
        quarterT            INTEGER (0..3),
        oneEighthT          INTEGER (0..7),
        oneSixteenthT       INTEGER (0..15)
    },
    ns                      ENUMERATED {four, two, one},
    firstPDCCH-MonitoringOccasionOfPO CHOICE {
        sCS15KHZoneT        SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPO-perPF)) OF INTEGER (0..139),
        sCS30KHZoneT-SCS15KHZhalfT SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPO-perPF)) OF INTEGER (0..279),
        sCS60KHZoneT-SCS30KHZhalfT-SCS15KHZquarterT SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPO-perPF)) OF INTEGER (0..559),
        sCS120KHZoneT-SCS60KHZhalfT-SCS30KHZquarterT-SCS15KHZoneEighthT SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPO-perPF)) OF INTEGER (0..1119),
        sCS120KHZhalfT-SCS60KHZquarterT-SCS30KHZoneEighthT-SCS15KHZoneSixteenthT SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPO-perPF)) OF INTEGER (0..2239),
        sCS120KHZquarterT-SCS60KHZoneEighthT-SCS30KHZoneSixteenthT SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPO-perPF)) OF INTEGER (0..4479),
        sCS120KHZoneEighthT-SCS60KHZoneSixteenthT SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPO-perPF)) OF INTEGER (0..8959),
        sCS120KHZoneSixteenthT SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPO-perPF)) OF INTEGER (0..17919)
    }
} OPTIONAL, -- Need R
...

```

```

-- ASN1START
-- TAG-UPLINK-CONFIG-COMMON-START

UplinkConfigCommonSIB ::= SEQUENCE {
    frequencyInfoUL          FrequencyInfoUL-SIB,
    initialUplinkBWP         BWP-UplinkCommon,
    timeAlignmentTimerCommon TimeAlignmentTimer
}

-- TAG-UPLINK-CONFIG-COMMON-STOP

```

```

-- ASN1START
-- TAG-FREQUENCY-INFO-UL-SIB-START

FrequencyInfoUL-SIB ::= SEQUENCE {
    frequencyBandList        MultiFrequencyBandListNR-SIB
    absoluteFrequencyPointA ARFCN-ValueNR
    scs-SpecificCarrierList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxSCSs)) OF SCS-SpecificCarrier,
    p-Max                    P-Max
    frequencyShift7p5khz    ENUMERATED {true}
    ...
}

```

```

BWP-UplinkCommon ::= SEQUENCE {
    genericParameters        BWP,
    rach-ConfigCommon       SetupRelease { RACH-ConfigCommon }
    pusch-ConfigCommon      SetupRelease { PUSCH-ConfigCommon }
    pucch-ConfigCommon      SetupRelease { PUCCH-ConfigCommon }
}

```

SIB1 messages

SIB1 field descriptions

cellSelectionInfo

Parameters for cell selection related to the serving cell.

ims-EmergencySupport

Indicates whether the cell supports IMS emergency bearer services for UEs in limited service mode. If absent, IMS emergency call is not supported by the network in the cell for UEs in limited service mode.

q-QualMin

Parameter "Q_{qualmin}" in TS 38.304 [20], applicable for serving cell. If the field is not present, the UE applies the (default) value of negative infinity for Q_{qualmin}.

q-QualMinOffset

Parameter "Q_{qualminoffset}" in TS 38.304 [20]. Actual value Q_{qualminoffset} = field value [dB]. If the field is not present, the UE applies the (default) value of 0 dB for Q_{qualminoffset}. Affects the minimum required quality level in the cell.

q-RxLevMin

Parameter "Q_{rxlevmin}" in TS 38.304 [20], applicable for serving cell.

q-RxLevMinOffset

Parameter "Q_{rxlevminoffset}" in TS 38.304 [20]. Actual value Q_{rxlevminoffset} = field value * 2 [dB]. If absent, the UE applies the (default) value of 0 dB for Q_{rxlevminoffset}. Affects the minimum required Rx level in the cell.

q-RxLevMinSUL

Parameter "Q_{rxlevminSUL}" in TS 38.304 [20], applicable for serving cell

servingCellConfigCommon

Configuration of the serving cell.

uac-AccessCategory1-SelectionAssistanceInfo

Information used to determine whether Access Category 1 applies to the UE, as defined in TS 22.261 [25]. A UE compliant with this version of the specification shall ignore this field.

uac-BarringForCommon

Common access control parameters for each access category. Common values are used for all PLMNs, unless overwritten by the PLMN specific configuration provided in *uac-BarringPerPLMN-List*. The parameters are specified by providing an index to the set of configurations (*uac-BarringInfoSetList*). UE behaviour upon absence of this field is specified in clause 5.3.14.2.

ue-TimersAndConstants

Timer and constant values to be used by the UE.

useFullResumeID

Indicates which resume identifier and Resume request message should be used. UE uses full I-RNTI and *RRCResumeRequest1* if the field is present, or short I-RNTI and *RRCResumeRequest* if the field is absent.

Cell selection information

- q-RxLevMin

- Minimum required RX level in the cell (dBm).

- Field: INTEGER (-70..-22)
- The IE Q-RxLevMin is used to indicate for cell selection/ re-selection the required minimum received RSRP level in the (NR) cell.
- Actual value $Q = \text{field value} * 2$ [dBm].

- $Q_{rxlevminoffset}$

- Offset to the required RX level

- q-QualMin (q-QualMinOffset)

- Minimum required quality level in the cell (dB).

$$S_{rxlev} = Q_{rxlevmeas} - (Q_{rxlevmin} + Q_{rxlevminoffset}) - P_{compensation} - Q_{offset_{temp}}$$

$$S_{qual} = Q_{qualmeas} - (Q_{qualmin} + Q_{qualminoffset}) - Q_{offset_{temp}}$$

$Q_{rxlevmeas}$	Measured cell RX level value (RSRP)
$Q_{qualmeas}$	Measured cell quality value (RSRQ)

The cell selection criterion S is fulfilled when:

$$S_{rxlev} > 0 \text{ AND } S_{qual} > 0$$

What is the difference between RSRP and RSRQ?

CellAccessRelatedInfo

```
CellAccessRelatedInfo ::= SEQUENCE {  
    plmn-IdentityList  
    cellReservedForOtherUse  
    ...  
}
```

```
PLMN-IdentityInfoList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxPLMN)) OF PLMN-IdentityInfo
```

```
PLMN-IdentityInfo ::= SEQUENCE {  
    plmn-IdentityList  
    trackingAreaCode  
    ranac  
    cellIdentity  
    cellReservedForOperatorUse  
    ...  
}
```

```
TrackingAreaCode ::= BIT STRING (SIZE (24))
```

```
RAN-AreaCode ::= INTEGER (0..255)
```

```
PLMN-Identity ::= SEQUENCE {  
    mcc  
    mnc  
}  
  
MCC ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (3)) OF MCC-MNC-Digit  
MNC ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (2..3)) OF MCC-MNC-Digit  
MCC-MNC-Digit ::= INTEGER (0..9)
```

```
CellIdentity ::= BIT STRING (SIZE (36))
```

ConnEstFailureControl

```
ConnEstFailureControl ::= SEQUENCE {  
    connEstFailCount          ENUMERATED {n1, n2, n3, n4},  
    connEstFailOffsetValidity ENUMERATED {s30, s60, s120, s240, s300, s420, s600, s900},  
    connEstFailOffset        INTEGER (0..15)  
}
```

Handles re-connection timers and additional offsets for power controls

SI-SchedulingInfo

- Minimum System Information (Minimum SI)
 - MIB and SIB1
 - Sufficient for UE to lock on to cell
- Other system information
 - Consists of all SiB and information not in Minimum SI

```
-- ASN1START
-- TAG-OTHER-SI-INFO-START

SI-SchedulingInfo ::=
    schedulingInfoList
    si-WindowLength
    si-RequestConfig
    si-RequestConfigSUL
    systemInformationAreaID
    ...
}

SchedulingInfo ::=
    si-BroadcastStatus
    si-Periodicity
    sib-MappingInfo
}

SEQUENCE {
    SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxSI-Message)) OF SchedulingInfo,
    ENUMERATED {s5, s10, s20, s40, s80, s160, s320, s640, s1280},
    SI-RequestConfig
    SI-RequestConfig
    BIT STRING (SIZE (24))
}

SEQUENCE {
    ENUMERATED {broadcasting, notBroadcasting},
    ENUMERATED {rf8, rf16, rf32, rf64, rf128, rf256, rf512},
    SIB-Mapping
}
```

```
SIB-Mapping ::=
    SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxSIB)) OF SIB-TypeInfo

SIB-TypeInfo ::=
    type
    valueTag
    areaScope
}

-- Configuration for Msg1 based SI Request
SI-RequestConfig ::=
    rach-OccasionsSI
    rach-ConfigSI
    ssb-perRACH-Occasion
}
    SEQUENCE {
        SEQUENCE {
            RACH-ConfigGeneric,
            ENUMERATED {oneEighth, oneFourth, oneHalf, one, two, four, eight, sixteen}
        }
        si-RequestPeriod
        si-RequestResources
    }
    ENUMERATED {one, two, four, six, eight, ten, twelve, sixteen}
    SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxSI-Message)) OF SI-RequestResources

SI-RequestResources ::=
    ra-PreambleStartIndex
    ra-AssociationPeriodIndex
    ra-ssb-OccasionMaskIndex
}

SEQUENCE {
    INTEGER (0..63),
    INTEGER (0..15)
    INTEGER (0..15)
}

OPTIONAL, -- Cond SIB-TYPE
OPTIONAL -- Need S
OPTIONAL, -- Need R
OPTIONAL, -- Need R
OPTIONAL, -- Need R
OPTIONAL -- Need R
```

Handles Scheduling other SIB messages
(System Information)

<http://howltestuffworks.blogspot.com/2019/10/5g-nr-system-information.html>

ServingCellConfigCommon

All the important cell parameters are in this.

```
ServingCellConfigCommonSIB ::= SEQUENCE {
  downlinkConfigCommon      DownlinkConfigCommonSIB,
  uplinkConfigCommon        UplinkConfigCommonSIB
  supplementaryUplink        UplinkConfigCommonSIB
  n-TimingAdvanceOffset     ENUMERATED { n0, n25600, n39936 }
  ssb-PositionsInBurst      SEQUENCE {
    inOneGroup               BIT STRING (SIZE (8)),
    groupPresence            BIT STRING (SIZE (8))
  },
  ssb-PeriodicityServingCell ENUMERATED {ms5, ms10, ms20, ms40, ms80, ms160},

  tdd-UL-DL-ConfigurationCommon TDD-UL-DL-ConfigCommon
  ss-PBCH-BlockPower            INTEGER (-60..50),
  ...
}
```

```
TDD-UL-DL-ConfigCommon ::= SEQUENCE {
  referenceSubcarrierSpacing SubcarrierSpacing,
  pattern1                  TDD-UL-DL-Pattern,
  pattern2                  TDD-UL-DL-Pattern
  ...
}
```

```
TDD-UL-DL-Pattern ::= SEQUENCE {
  dl-UL-TransmissionPeriodicity ENUMERATED {ms0p5, ms0p625, ms1, ms1p25, ms2, ms2p5, ms5, ms10},
  nrofDownlinkSlots              INTEGER (0..maxNrofSlots),
  nrofDownlinkSymbols            INTEGER (0..maxNrofSymbols-1),
  nrofUplinkSlots                 INTEGER (0..maxNrofSlots),
  nrofUplinkSymbols              INTEGER (0..maxNrofSymbols-1),
  ...,
  [[
  dl-UL-TransmissionPeriodicity-v1530 ENUMERATED {ms3, ms4}
  ]]
}
```

- TDD configuration
 - Details in later class

- Freq configuration
- Resource grid

```
DownlinkConfigCommonSIB ::= SEQUENCE {
    frequencyInfoDL
    initialDownlinkBWP
    bcch-Config
    pcch-Config
    ...
}
```

```
FrequencyInfoDL-SIB ::= SEQUENCE {
    frequencyBandList
    offsetToPointA
    scs-SpecificCarrierList
}
```

```
MultiFrequencyBandListNR-SIB ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE (1.. maxNrofMultiBands)) OF NR-MultiBandInfo
NR-MultiBandInfo ::= SEQUENCE {
    freqBandIndicatorNR OPTIONAL, -- Cond OptULNotSIB2
    nr-NS-PmaxList OPTIONAL -- Need S
}
```

```
FreqBandIndicatorNR ::= INTEGER (1..1024)
```

```
SCS-SpecificCarrier ::= SEQUENCE {
    offsetToCarrier
    subcarrierSpacing
    carrierBandwidth
    ...
    [[
    txDirectCurrentLocation INTEGER (0..4095)
    ]]
}
```

Point A (Common reference point) and offset to carrier

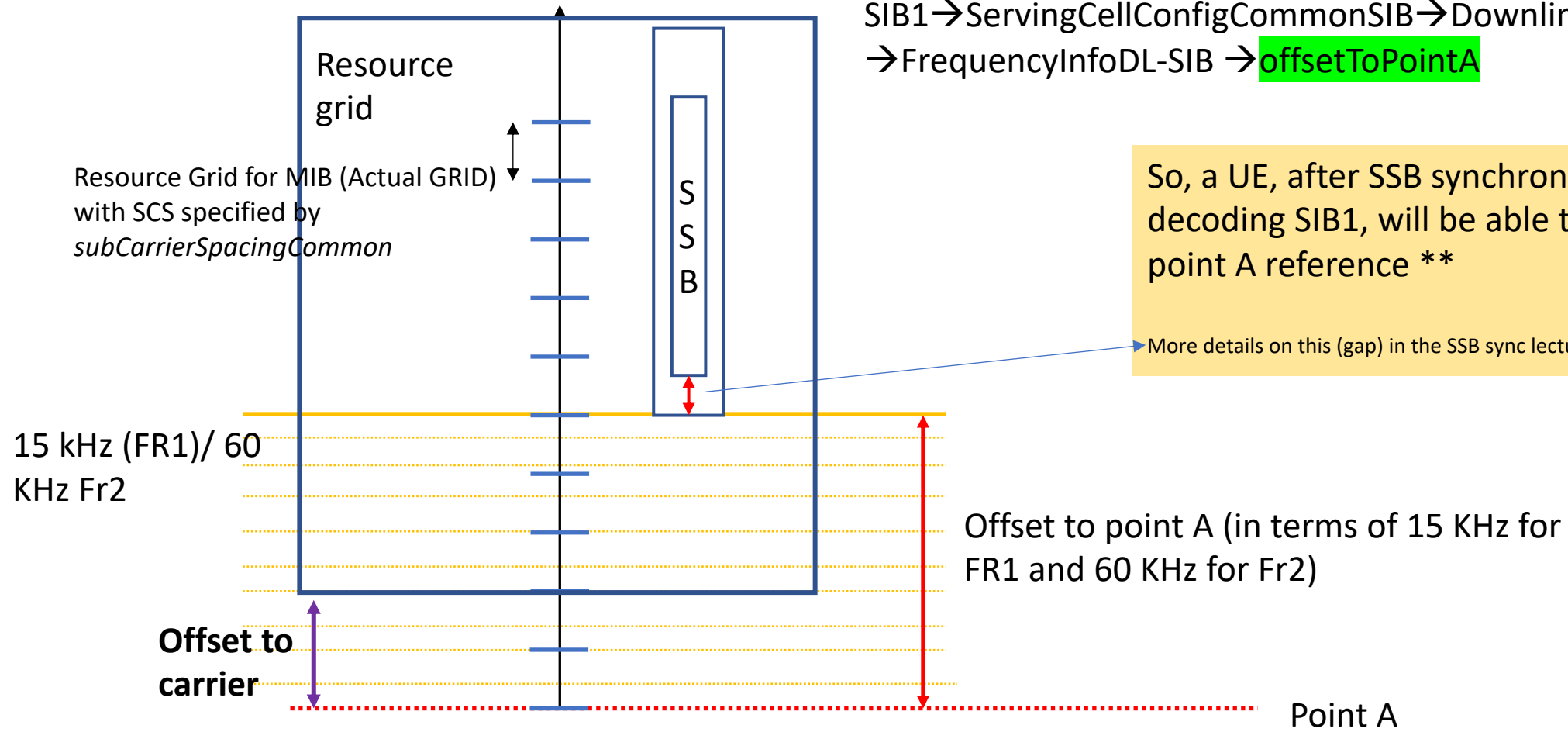
```

FrequencyInfoDL-SIB ::=
  frequencyBandList
  offsetToPointA
  scs-SpecificCarrierList
}

SEQUENCE {
  MultiFrequencyBandListNR-SIB,
  INTEGER (0..2199),
  SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxSCSs)) OF SCS-SpecificCarrier
}

```

SIB1 → ServingCellConfigCommonSIB → DownlinkConfigCommonSIB
 → FrequencyInfoDL-SIB → **offsetToPointA**



So, a UE, after SSB synchronization and decoding SIB1, will be able to identify the point A reference **

More details on this (gap) in the SSB sync lecture

**This is for Pcell. For other cells, absoluteFrequencyPointA is used and is specified in terms of ARFCN

```

BWP-DownlinkCommon ::=
    genericParameters
    pdcch-ConfigCommon
    pdsch-ConfigCommon
    ...
}
SEQUENCE {
    BWP,
    SetupRelease { PDCCH-ConfigCommon }
    SetupRelease { PDSCH-ConfigCommon }
}

```

```

BWP ::=
    locationAndBandwidth
    subcarrierSpacing
    cyclicPrefix
}
SEQUENCE {
    INTEGER (0..37949),
    SubcarrierSpacing,
    ENUMERATED { extended }
}

```

- Resource-Indicator-Value (RIV) format (details later).
- Provides location and BW

```

PDSCH-ConfigCommon ::=
    pdsch-TimeDomainAllocationList
    ...
}
SEQUENCE {
    PDSCH-TimeDomainResourceAllocationList
}

```

```

PDCCH-ConfigCommon ::=
    controlResourceSetZero
    commonControlResourceSet
    searchSpaceZero
    commonSearchSpaceList
    searchSpaceSIB1
    searchSpaceOtherSystemInformation
SEQUENCE {
    ControlRes
    ControlRes
    SearchSpac
    SEQUENCE (
    SearchSpac
    SearchSpac
}

```

```

PDSCH-TimeDomainResourceAllocationList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxNrofDL-Allocations)) OF PDSCH-TimeDomainResourceAllocation
PDSCH-TimeDomainResourceAllocation ::= SEQUENCE {
    k0 INTEGER(0..32) OPTIONAL,
    mappingType ENUMERATED {typeA, typeB},
    startSymbolAndLength INTEGER (0..127)
}

```

UplinkConfigCommonSIB

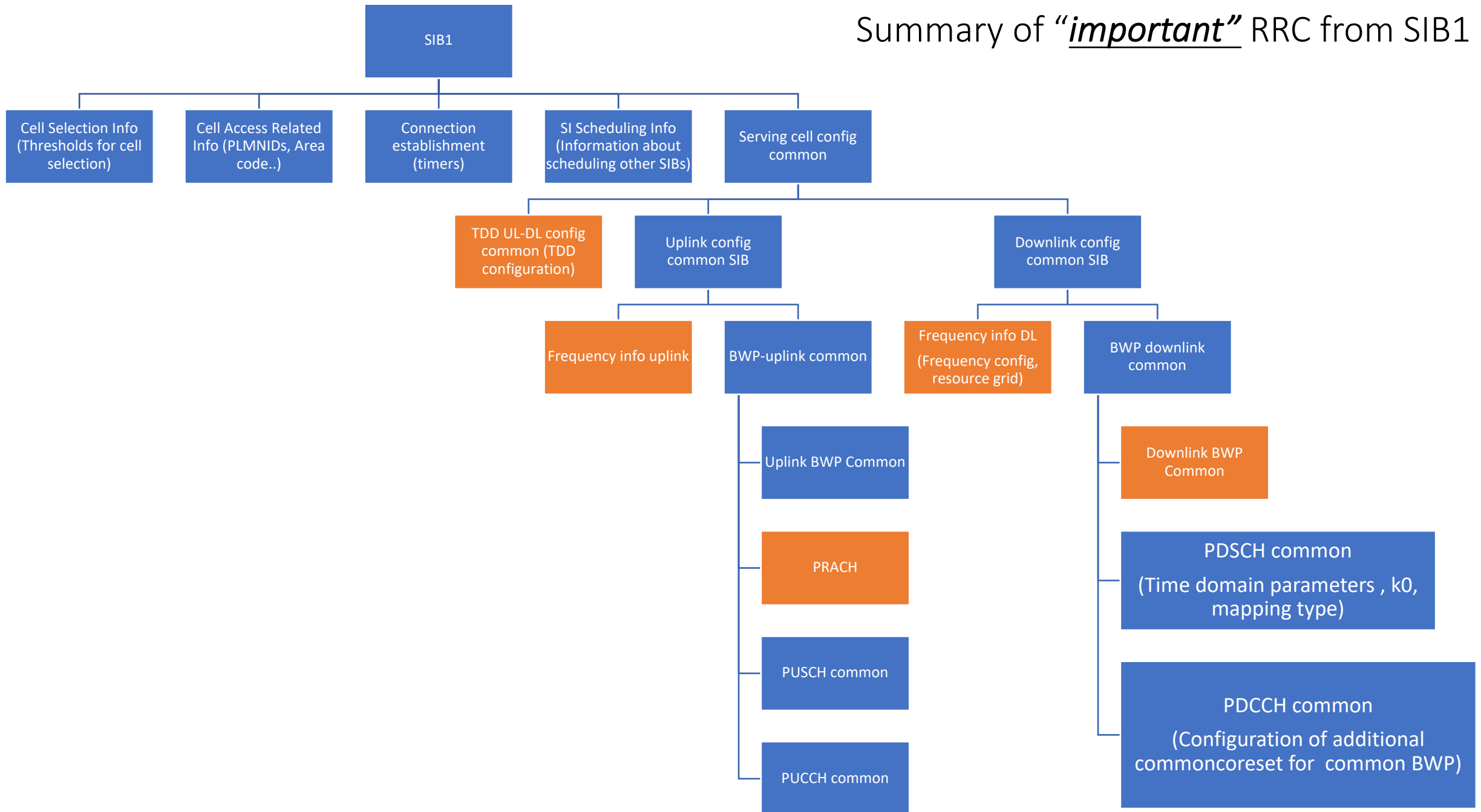
```
UplinkConfigCommonSIB ::= SEQUENCE {  
    frequencyInfoUL          FrequencyInfoUL-SIB,  
    initialUplinkBWP        BWP-UplinkCommon,  
    timeAlignmentTimerCommon TimeAlignmentTimer  
}
```

```
FrequencyInfoUL-SIB ::= SEQUENCE {  
    frequencyBandList      MultiFrequencyBandListNR-SIB  
    absoluteFrequencyPointA ARFCN-ValueNR  
    scs-SpecificCarrierList SEQUENCE (SIZE (1..maxSCSs)) OF SCS-SpecificCarrier,  
    p-Max                  P-Max  
    frequencyShift7p5khz  ENUMERATED {true}  
    ...  
}
```

```
BWP-UplinkCommon ::= SEQUENCE {  
    genericParameters      BWP,  
    rach-ConfigCommon     SetupRelease { RACH-ConfigCommon }  
    pusch-ConfigCommon     SetupRelease { PUSCH-ConfigCommon }  
    pucch-ConfigCommon     SetupRelease { PUCCH-ConfigCommon }  
    ...  
}
```

PRACH

Summary of "important" RRC from SIB1



Questions

- How does the UE know if the system is TDD/FDD?
 - Does SIB1 have any details on this?