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Foreword

The present document describes tools used in the Enhanced aacPlus general audio codec for the general audio service within the 3GPP system.

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1 Scope

This Telecommunication Standard (TS) describes the error concealment algorithm, SBR parameter downmix and output resampling for the Enhanced aacPlus general audio codec [3].

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[1] ISO/IEC 14496-3:2001/Amd.1:2003: "Bandwidth Extension".

[2] ISO/IEC 14496-3:2001/Amd.1:2003/DCOR1.

[3] 3GPP TS 26.401: "Enhanced aacPlus general audio codec; General Description".

3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of this TS, the following definitions apply:

band: (as in limiter band, noise floor band, etc.) a group of consecutive QMF subbands

envelope scalefactor: an element representing the averaged energy of a signal over a region described by a frequency band and a time segment

frequency band: interval in frequency, group of consecutive QMF subbands

frequency border: frequency band delimiter, expressed as a specific QMF subband

noise floor: a vector of noise floor scalefactors

noise floor scalefactor: an element associated with a region described by a frequency band and a time segment, representing the ratio between the energy of the noise to be added to the envelope adjusted HF generated signal and the energy of the same

SBR envelope: a vector of envelope scalefactors

SBR frame: time segment associated with one SBR extension data element

SBR range: the frequency range of the signal generated by the SBR algorithm

subband: a frequency range represented by one row in a QMF matrix, carrying a subsampled signal

time border: time segment delimiter, expressed as a specific time slot

time segment: interval in time, group of consecutive time slots

time / frequency grid: a description of SBR envelope time segments and associated frequency resolution tables as well as description of noise floor time segments

time slot: finest resolution in time for SBR envelopes and noise floors. One time slot equals two subsamples in the QMF domain