# LTE Video Quality Measurements with R&S CMWrun Application Note

#### Products:

- R&S<sup>®</sup>CMW500
- R&S<sup>®</sup>VTC
- I R&S<sup>®</sup>VTE
- R&S<sup>®</sup>CMWrun

This application note shows how to determine the quality of a video streamed by an LTE mobile with R&S<sup>®</sup>CMW500 Radio Communication Tester and R&S<sup>®</sup>VTE Video Analyzer. The R&S<sup>®</sup>CMWrun Test Software with CMW-KT051 General Purpose and CMW-KT105 AV Difference Analysis option allows the user to easily automate these tests.



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## 1 Introduction

The increasing demand for hi-res video applications for mobile phones and tablets makes it necessary to maintain the necessary data rate even under non ideal RF and IP transmission conditions. The video test system described in this application note consists of an R&S<sup>®</sup>CMW500 Wideband Radio Communication Tester and an R&S<sup>®</sup>VTE or R&S<sup>®</sup>VTC Video Tester that is controlled by the R&S<sup>®</sup>CMWrun Measurement Software with an additional VTx feature. The figure below shows this compact, but complete Video over LTE test solution. The R&S<sup>®</sup>CMW acts as an LTE base station sending a video to the DUT via RF under fading or IP impairment conditions. From the mobile device's MHL / HDMI socket the decoded video signal is fed to the R&S<sup>®</sup>VTE or R&S<sup>®</sup>VTC Video Analyzer.



Fig. 1-1: Video Test System

The CMW-KT051 option contains functions for degrading the video data stream with fading and IP impairment, while the CMW-KT105 option contains functions for configuring and analyzing the video with an R&S<sup>®</sup>VTx Video Tester.



One characteristic for video quality is the channel capacity (kbps) over SNR (Signal to Noise Ratio) dependency.

Fig. 1-2: Channel Capacity vs. SNR

With no disturber such as fading a picture fails as soon as the channel capacity drops below the threshold. With e.g. EVA 5Hz or EPA 70 Hz the picture failure point is located at significantly higher SNRs, making the signal much more sensitive to signal quality.

The following abbreviations are used in the following text for R&S<sup>®</sup> test equipment:

- The R&S<sup>®</sup>CMWrun Measurement Software is referred to as CMWrun.
- The R&S<sup>®</sup>CMW500 Wideband Communication Tester is referred to as CMW.
- The R&S<sup>®</sup>VTE Video Analyzer is referred to as VTE.
- The R&S<sup>®</sup>VTC Video Analyzer is referred to as VTC.
- The R&S<sup>®</sup>VTE or R&S<sup>®</sup>VTC Video Analyzer are referred to as VTx.
- R&S<sup>®</sup> stands for Rohde & Schwarz GmbH & Co KG.

## 2 Overview



Fig. 2-1: A/V Distortion Analysis

The VTx video analyzer series A/V Distortion Analysis feature compares the video and audio output signal of a DUT with a reference Signal recorded earlier. For recording the reference signal, use the same video material and signal path. The A/V Distortion Analysis does not evaluate the absolute video and audio quality, but the deviation to a recorded reference. Using a reference signal has the advantage that all scaling happening along the video processing chain is excluded from the test. Instead the performance of the DUT is evaluated and all influence caused by erratic behavior of the DUT or disturbances can reliably be identified.

VTx AV Distortion Analysis allows 3 different methods of referencing:

- SELF REFERENCED: Every transmitted single image is compared to the one transmitted before. This requires no reference recording and is used for testing e.g. image stabilizers.
- STILL PICTURE: The DUT plays a fixed image in an endless loop. This image is saved once as reference. This method is appropriate for e.g. identifying pixel errors.
- LOOP APL / LOOP APL SECTION / LOOP TIME CODE: Any A/V sequence with maximally 15 to 60 seconds refresh rate can be used as reference, which is kept the VTx memory during the analysis. The DUT plays the A/V sequence in an endless loop for continuous testing. The example in the following chapter uses LOOP - TIME CODE referencing.

In order to analyze single pixels, a frame is scaled to 720x576 pixels and transformed to the Y / Cb / Cr 4:2:0 format. This assures constant speed for the following analysis and is independent from the number of input pixels. When the input pixels are filled with RGB (red/green/blue) color information, they are equivalently recalculated in brightness Y and two color difference components Cb and Cr. Then the color difference information is under sampled twice in horizontal and vertical direction

(4:2:0), because the human eye can detect brightness much better than color information. This transformation has no effect on image deviance identification.

The video output signal of a defective DUT can differ from the reference sequence in multitude manner. Each case can be reliably be detected:

- I DIFFERING PIXELS IN A FRAME
- I UNEXPECTED SINGLE FRAME
  - Picture Freeze
  - Black Frames
  - Dropped Frames
- ALTERNATING AUDIO LEVEL
- I DEVIATING SYNCHRONIZATION
  - Fluctuating single image refresh rate (rendering rate)
  - Delay between video and audio changes

Besides deviance quantizing, R&S A/V Distortion Analysis has the capability to interpret how intense the errors are detected by humans:

- MOS-V (Mean Opinion Score Video)
- I VISIBLE ERROR
- I PICTURE FAILURE POINT
- I AUDIO FAILURE POINT

The capabilities above allow easy test sequence automation for specifying visible and audible errors as fail criteria.

A further feature of the VTx A/V Distortion Analysis is to recognize so called overlays during reference sequence recording. Overlays can be control panels of the playing device, status information or logos that cover part of the video content during playback. This allows the measurement to focus on the actual video content without being disturbed by unexpected overlay content.

## 3 Hardware Configuration

Connect the CMWrun PC to both instruments via LAN switch. Connect the mobile device to the CMW CH1 in/out connector via RF cable or OTA (Over the Air) with a CMW-Z10 shielded chamber.



Fig. 3-1: Video Distortion Measurement Setup

To avoid conflicts, the IP addresses assigned to the computer and the two testers must use a different subnet than the Data Application Unit (DAU) installed in the CMW.

## 4 Software Configuration

For this application the controller PC must have CMWrun 1.7.8 or higher installed. Additionally, the CMW-KT105 VTx AV Distortion Tests and the CMW-KT051 General Purpose options need to be activated.



Fig. 4-1: VTx AV Distortion Functions

The CMW-KT105 VTx Distortion Tests option contains two functions:

- SETAVREFERENCE Configures the referencing process of the test video. When running the test plan, the reference video is synchronized and the reference video information is evaluated. This test item needs to be performed at least once for a specific mobile & media file combination. As soon as a different media file is played or a different DUT is used, the reference file must be generated again to ensure valid and precise test results.
- MEASUREAVDISTORTION Configures the settings and the execution steps for the video measurements. When running the test plan, video quality measurements by assessment between the reference video and the incoming video are performed. If a reference file already has been recorded, you can set it here and skip the preceding SetAVReference test item.

## 4.1 Test Results

The REFERENCE VIDEO INFORMATION is displayed in the MEASUREMENT REPORT sub tab.

## 4.2 Measure Video

Configure the settings and the execution steps for the video measurements. When running the test plan, video quality measurements by assessment between the reference and the incoming video are performed.

### 4.2.1 Test Configuration

The test case parameters for the picture failure point measurement are grouped in the **TEST PROPERTIES** dialog, see Fig. 3-7.

### **Reference Setup**

Configure desired setup.

- CURRENT SETUP Only available if the SETREFERENCEVIDEO test module has been executed. The reference file information is used for the VTx setup.
- LOAD FROM FILE Uses a previously saved reference file for the video measurement. Select the input type. Click LOAD to select the reference file. In this setup the SETREFERENCEVIDEO test module does not have to be executed first.

nest Properties	23	🔲 Abort 🔰 Step	Idle
Current Setup	MHL -	asureAVDistortion	الله الله الله الله الله الله الله الله
Load	Load Reference File	MeasureAVDistortion	×
Failure Point Visible Error	Connection Select remote conn TCPIP::VTE-100102::inst	ection: 0::INSTR	
V Picture Failure Point	Connecting RohdeSchwarz,RS VTE,2	2115.7300k02/100102,1.60.0.3	20000 ms
🗌 Audio Failure Point	File List on Instrument Filename		
Result	apl-lip-sync-50hz.avr audio-boat-apl.avr		

Fig. 4-2: Load Reference Setup File from instrument e.g. VTx

## **Failure Point**

I VISIBLE ERROR -

Failure Point						
Visible Er	ror	Setti	ng			
Í	Define Visible Error C	riteria	×			
🔽 Picturi						
	Threshold SSIM	0.000				
	Threshold PSNR	35.0	dB			
Result Displays the	Duration	120	ms			
	Default Analog Video					
Pixel B	🔽 Default Digital Video					
Pixel E						
🔲 Pixel E		OK				

#### Fig. 4-3: Visible Area Failure

The following visible error criteria can be varied (see figure 4-3):

- **THRESHOLD SSIM** Structural Similarity. Range: 0 to 100
- THRESHOLD PSNR Peak Signal to Noise Ratio. Range: 0 to 100 dB
- **DURATION** Range: 20 to 999 ms
- PICTURE FAILURE POINT The picture failure point (PFP) is analyzed based on the testing conditions and the assessment criteria. The picture failure point results are determined by the number of periods with visible error. The picture failure point condition is configured with following parameters:
- LENGTH OF PERIOD Range: 1 s to 60 s
- **TOTAL NUMBER OF PERIOD(S)** Range: 1 to 99
- **GAP BETWEEN PERIODS** Range: 0 s to 60 s
- ALLOWED PERIODS WITH VISIBLE ERROR Minimum value: 0; maximum value < "Total Number of Period(s)"

### Result

Configure the result items that are displayed in the test results. Select the video quality assessment criteria for testing with limit configuration. The selected items are measured during the test and the results are compared with the limit value. The selected items are displayed in the report.

Result					
Displays the worst va	lue in the rep	oort.			
	Limit		Limit		
Pixel Error Y	1000	🔽 PSNR Y	25.0	dB	
V Pixel Error Cb	1000	V PSNR Cb	25.0	dB	
Pixel Error Cr	1000	V PSNR Cr	25.0	dB	
🔽 SSIM	0.600	🔽 Mos-V	2.00		
OK Cancel					

Fig. 4-4: Test Properties dialog for MeasureVideo test module

## 4.2.2 Test Results

The following results are displayed in the **MEASUREMENT REPORT** sub tab:

- Reference video information
- Summary of the picture failure point result
- Results selected under **RESULT** (Fig. 4-4)

#### MeasureVideo: Reference Video Information

Parameters			Value	Unit	Status
Reference file @ D:\VTE\UserData\Ski.avr					
Video resolution (H x V)			1920x1080		
Loop length			34.30	Sec	
Number of frames			1029		
File size			611	MB	
					Passed

#### MeasureVideo: Video Distortion Measurement

Test Item	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Measured	Unit	Status
Picture Failure Point @ Length of period 10, Total Nuber of period(s) 3, Allowed periods 1					
Picture Failure					Passed
Video parameter result @ Worst value					
Pixel Error Y		1000	0		Passed
Pixel Error Cb		1000	0		Passed
Pixel Error Cr		1000	0		Passed
PSNR Y	25.0		100.0	dB	Passed
PSNR Cb	25.0		100.0	dB	Passed
PSNR Cr	25.0		100.0	dB	Passed
SSIM	0.600		1.000		Passed
Mos-V	2.00		5.00		Passed

Fig. 4-5: MeasureVideo tab, Measurement Report sub tab (test results)

## 5 CMWrun Test Plan

Before running a test plan, it is necessary to define the remote addresses of the involved devices CMW and VTx. Select menu **Resources**  $\rightarrow$  **SCPI Connections** .... In SCPI Connections check the desired device and press **Configure**....

sCPI Connections	<u> </u>
Globals	
D Alias CMW500	Resource Name         Timeout           TCPIP::CMW50050-101440::inst.         20000           TCPIP::VTE-100102::inst0:INS.         20000
Reporting     Demo Mode     Add     Delete     (	Resource Name Composer
onsep d13.rstp d13_CHRedir.rstp B_B7_BW10MHz.rstp B_B7_BW20MHz.rstp and13_CHRedir.rstp Hz.rstp rstp	

Fig. 5-1: Edit Resource Name of device

Keep the Alias default name VTx, because this is used in the demo later on. Enter the Resource Name, e.g. VTE-100102 (with correct pre- and postfix). The default Timeout (20 s) should be sufficient for most applications. Press Test Connection to check if the device is present.

Band22.rstp	scPI Connections		X
Band43.rstp Band43.includeTimel	Globals		
Band43_mcluderinnen Band7.rstp 7 Tx BLEBSearch N	D Alias	Resource Name	Timeout
TestSet_ATcmdDem	CMW500	TCPIP::CMW50050-101440::ins	20000
_ChannelScan.rstp Tx BLERSearch No	VTx	TCPIP::VTE-100102::inst0::INS	20000
Success	a land	×	▼ uccessive timeouts
Conne succe	ection to Rohde&Schwarz,R&S VTE, sssfull!	2115.7300k02/100102,1.60.0.3	Test Connection
		ОК	IK Cancel

Fig. 5-2: Test Connection to device

## 5.1 Configuring LTE SISO Example with Fading

CMWrun version 1.7.8 and higher contains an LTE End2End example with SISO connection and fading. This example allows an easy setup and demonstrates the use of E2E (CMW-KT051 General Purpose) and video analysis (CMW-KT105 VTx AV Distortion) functions.



Fig. 5-3: LTE E2E SISO Fading example

In CMWrun select the menu item TEST PLANS  $\rightarrow$  INSTALLED  $\rightarrow$  LTE  $\rightarrow$  LTE\_END2END\_BAND17\_SISO\_VIDEOANALYSIS\_VTE\_FADING.RSTP and save it as e.g. LTE\_E2E\_BND13\_SISO\_VIDANA\_VTE\_FAD.

The test steps are described below.

### 5.1.1 BasicInitializing



Fig. 5-4: Basic Initializing menu

- RESET INSTRUMENTS If checked, all instruments in the SCPI Connections list are reset.
- **REPORT INSTRUMENT OPTIONS** If checked, the hard- and software options of the instruments from the SCPI Connections appear in the test report.
- INDIVIDUAL TEST PLAN COMMENT Allows to add a comment which appears in the test plan.

#### 5.1.2 AttenuationTables

Compensates input and output cable losses. Only active when **APPLY** is checked. In this example setup the cable loss is 1.5 dB for downlink and uplink.



Fig. 5-5: Set Attenuation Table

## 5.1.3 LTE Call Setup (Configure BS)

Configures the UE (User Equipment) calling parameters. Please note that the base station is only configured in this step and will be turned ON later.

🏇 LTE Call Setup	
Duplex Mode FDD	Call Direction Mobile -> CMW
RF Settings	DL Power Levels
Band Band13 💌	RS EPRE [dBm/15kHz] -75.0
Downlink Uplink	Advanced
Connector 1 RF1 COM	
2 RF3 OUT @2nd Ch. 👻	PUSCH Close Loop Target Power [dBm]
	PUSCH Open Loop Nom. Power [dBm]
RF Channel 5230 Redirection 23230	Advanced
Frequency [MHz] 751.0	
Cell Bandwidth 10.0 MHz	Network
Sig Instance	Default IMSI 00101012345678
	Cut IMEI First 15
Connection	Dutlefe Network
Connection Type Advanced	Dutinio
Scheduling Type User def. Channels 💌	Physical Cell Setup
User Def. Channels	Physical Cell ID 0
# RB 50	Cyclic Prefix Normal -
Start RB 0	Advanced
Stream 1	Auvanceu
Modulation 16-QAM - QPSK -	I meout
TBS Idx. 14 💭 9 💭	
	Call Process [s] 30
	OK Cancel

#### Fig. 5-6: LTE Call Setup

The connection parameters used here (Resource Blocks 50, 16-QAM, TBS Index 14) allow 14.111 Mbps maximum throughput.

### 5.1.4 SCPICommandList (Turn CMW Fading ON)

Contains SCPI command for turning ON the CMW500 internal fading. This must be done before the call is established or else the call may be dropped by the DUT unexpectedly.

## 5.1.5 LTECallSetup (Turn BS ON)

Turns on the base station and then notifies the operator to power ON the DUT, attaches to the mobile and reports the DUT info.



Fig. 5-7: Base station ON and mobile attach

#### 5.1.6 E2E Setup

In this dialog the IP address of the End 2 End data application is configured. The IPv4 address is automatically determined by the CMW500 network.

6	E2E_Setup	🏇 End 2 End Setup	
	UserNotifica SetAVRefere SCPIComma E2E_SetPac E2E_SetDel E2E_SetJitte	IP Address Settings IPv4	IPv6 ⊚ Prefix Config
	UserNotifica LTECallDisc	Current DAU IP Settings	
estplan [	Details Yield	IP Address Subnet Mask Gateway IP DNS Primary IPv4 Address DNS Secondary IPv4 Address	
		PING DUT for Setup Test	OK Cancel

Fig. 5-8: End 2 End Setup

### 5.1.7 UserNotificationBox (Start Video on Mobile)

Notifies the operator to start the video player on the mobile device (select video streaming app, e.g. Daroon Player, VLC for Andriod, etc.).

UserNotificationBox	🏇 User Notifica	tion Box	×
Popup			
	Settings		
🕂 – 9 SCPICommandList	Box Caption	>>	
<u>10</u> E2E_SetPacketLoss	box caption		
	Box Message	Start the Video: rtsp://172.22.1.201/xxxxx.mov	
estplan Details Yield Mea:		OK Ca	ncel

Fig. 5-9: User Notification Box

Start the video streaming player on the mobile. Select and play one of the videos from CMW500 network server RTSP:://172.22.1.201.

Note: The video files from the CMW-KT105 option (TALK-360P\_25Hz\_200KBPS.MOV, TALK-480P\_25Hz\_1MBPS.MOV, TALK-720P\_25Hz\_10MBPS.MOV and TALK-720P\_25Hz\_5MBPS.MOV) must be copied to the CMW network drive DAU SAMBA SERVER (Z:)\MULTIMEDIA directory first. It is necessary that the media player on the LTE device can play the video in LOOPED MODE (not supported by all media players).

File Edit View Favori	ites Tools	Help			
🕞 Back 🕤 🌍 🔹 👔	🏂 🔎 Se	earch 🎼 Folders 🛄 🔹			
Address 😼 instrument on 🤅	CMW50050-12	25980			
		Name	Туре	Total Size	Free Space
System Tasks	۲	Hard Disk Drives			
Other Places	*	FIRMWARE (C:)	Local Disk	17.9 GB	11.2 GB
		😂 DATA (D:)	Local Disk	244 GB	196 GB
Details	۲	Network Drives			
		smb-share on 'DAU Samba Server (172.22.1.10)' (2:)	Network Drive	133 GB	125 GB

Fig. 5-10: CMW DAU network drive for multimedia files

## 5.1.8 SetAVReference

Configures the input, synchronization area to extract the time code from the reference frames for comparison with the corresponding target frames.

ieneral					TC Window
Input	MHL	•			Inner window will be used for detecting time code
leference Setup					
Synchronization Loop	Time Code	•			
Allowed Missing Frames	20				
TC Window Top		0	80	%	
TC Window Bottom		0	100	%	
TC Window Left	0		5	%	
TC Window Right		-0-	95	%	
<b>teference File</b>	me MyRe	ference.av	r		

Fig. 5-11: Set AV Reference

In this example, a mobile with an MHL connector is used. It is convenient to use **LOOP** – **TIME CODE** synchronization with a mobile device, since frames can get lost, making the reference measurement useless. The lower 20% of a frame are usually used to insert the time code (usually invisible for the viewer).

When a particular video file is used for the first time, it is convenient to save it as reference file (\*.avr). Check the **SAVE** check box and press **SET FILENAME**.

Save Referen	ave Reference File					
- Connectio	n					
Selec	ct remote connection:					
TCPIF	2::VTE-100102::inst0::INSTR					
Conne	cting 20000 ms					
Rohde	Schwarz,RS VTE,2115.7300k02/100102,1.60.0.3					
File List Or	n Instrument					
No	Filename					
1	apl-lip-sync-50hz.avr					
2	audio-boat-apl.avr					
3	boat-apl.avr					
4	dvb-apl-50hz.avr					
5	flowerga.avr					
6	Samsung.avr					
7	sdafsdf.avr					
8	still.avr					
9	test.avr					
10	test2.avr					
11	timecode.avr					
Filenam	e MyReference					
	Save					

Fig. 5-12: Save Reference File

The file is saved in D:\VTE\USERDATA\ (VTE) or D:\VTC\USERDATA\ (VTC). The information about reference video also appears in the measurement report.

SetReferenceVideo: Reference Video Information

Parameters	Value	Unit	Status
Loop - Time Code			
Video resolution (H x V)	1920x1080		
Loop length	34.30	Sec	
Number of frames	1029		
File size	611	MB	
			Passed

Fig. 5-13: Reference Video Information

## 5.1.9 SCPICOMMANDLIST (Enables EP5Low fading on CMW)

÷	9	SCPIComma	ndListset and enable fading EP5 Low	,
		T🔽 Send 🛛	🏇 Send SCPI Command	
÷	10	E2E_SetPa	C-Win-r	
÷	11	E2E_SetDe	settings	
<b>.</b>	12	E2E_SetJit	Instrument: < Default >	
<b></b>	13	MeasureAV	SCPI Command List:	
÷	14	UserNotific	CONFigure: LTE: SIGN: EADing: ESIMulator: STANdard EP5Low	_
÷	15	LTECallDis	CONFigure:LTE:SIGN:FADing:FSIMulator:ENABle ON	

Fig. 5-14: Enables EPA 5Hz Low fading

The CMW allows numerous internal fading standards:

PCC		♦SCC1					
Path: Inf	Path: Internal Fading/Fading Simulator/Profile						
<b>±</b>	RF Powe	er Uplink					
⊡⊡Inte	rnal Fad	ling					
<b>₽</b>	Fading S	Simulator					
	Enab	le					
	Profi	le		EPA 5Hz Low	•		
	Resta	art Event		EPA 5Hz Low			
	Start	Seed		EPA 5Hz Medium EPA 5Hz High			
	⊞ Inser	tion Loss		EVA 5Hz Low			
	Dopp	ler Frequency M	ode	EVA 5Hz Medium			
	Donn	EVA 5Hz High					
Doppier requeitcy				EVA /UHz Low			
	Eadina M		EVA /UHZ Medium				
⊡ Dov	vnlink Po	ETU 30Hz Low	•				

Fig. 5-15: CMW internal fading standards

Please refer to the CMW user manual for the appropriate SCPI commands.

## 5.1.10 E2E\_SetPacketLossRate

IP impairment function that simply 'loses' a defined amount of data blocks.

E2E_SetPacketLossRate	✤ E2E Set Packet Loss Rate
E2E_SetDelay     E2E_SetDelay     E2E_SetUtter	Set Packet Loss Rate
<ul> <li></li></ul>	Index 1
	Port Range Start 0
estplan Details Yield Measurem	Port Range Stop 0
rtion	OK Cancel

Fig. 5-16: E2E Set Packet Loss Rate

## 5.1.11 E2E\_SetDelay

IP impairment function that delays the video data blocks by a defined duration.

E2E_SetDelay	🏇 E2E Set Delay 📒						
12 E2E_SetJitter 	Set Delay						
H 14 UserNotification H 15 LTECallDiscon	Index 1						
	Port Range Start 0						
estplan Details Yield	Port Range Stop 0						
t Loss Rate	OK Cance	3					

Fig. 5-17: E2E Set Delay

## 5.1.12 E2E\_SetJitter

IP impairment function that alternates the video data block delay according to a defined sequence.

E2E_SetJitter	🏇 E2E Set Jitter	×
	Set Jitter	
imiter in the second s	Index 1	
	Port Range Start 0	×
estplan Details Yield	Port Range Stop 0	×. V
t Range Start 0		IK Cancel

Fig. 5-18: E2E Set Jitter

The E2E functions are activated by checking SetPacketLossRate, SetDelay and SetJitter.



The corresponding parameters are set in the **PARAMETER TABLE**.

LTE_End2End_Band17_SISO_VideoAnalysis_VTE_fading.rstp * × SetAVReference ×								
🕨 Run 🔲 Abort 関 St	ep 📃	Idle		🤪 Par	ameters	📲 Resour	rces 🔻 📝 E	dit 👳
Parameter	Step#	Туре	Value			Min.	Max.	Unit
PacketLossRate	10	Double	3			0	100	%
Delay	11	Double	0.04			0	10	seconds
Jitter	12	Double	1			0	10	seconds

Fig. 5-19: Parameter Table

The E2E function parameter can be identified easily by adding an according comment.

÷	10	E2E_SetPacketLossRate
÷	11	E2E_SetDelay
÷	12	E2E_SetJitter

3 % Packet Loss Rate 40 ms Delay 1 sec Jitter

Fig. 5-20: E2E Functions with Comments

#### 5.1.13 MeasureAVDistortion

Configures the used reference, failure points and the test limits.

HeasureAVDistortion							
	nest Properties				x		
⊞ <u>15</u> L	Reference Setu	p					
	Current Setup						
	Coad from File	h	nput MHL		-		
		Load					
	Eailure Point						
					_		
	Visible Error		Sett	ng			
					_		
estplan De	V Picture Failure Po	oint	Sett	ng			
					_		
	Audio Failure Poi	nt	Sett	ng			
	Besult						
	Displays the worst value	ue in the rep	ort.				
		Limit		Limit			
ohde &	Pixel Error Y	1000	🔽 PSNR Y	40.0	dB		
	Pixel Error Cb	1000	🔽 PSNR Cb	40.0	dB		
	Pixel Error Cr	1000	V PSNR Cr	40.0	dB		
	SSIM	0.600	🔽 Mos-V	4.50			
			OK				
					ancel		

Fig. 5-21: Measure AV Distortion

## 5.1.13.1 Reference Setup

Determines if the current setup of the VTx is used or if a defined Reference File is loaded. If a reference file is available the preceding test SetAVReference does not need to be carried out.

### 5.1.13.2 Failure Point

#### I VISIBLE ERROR

Def	Define Visible Error Criteria						
	Threshold SSIM	0.000					
	Threshold PSNR	35.0	dB				
	Duration	120	ms				
	<ul> <li>Default Analog Video</li> <li>Default Digital Video</li> </ul>						
	ОК						

Fig. 5-22: Visible Error Failure

Following visible error criteria can be varied (see figure 5-22):

- THRESHOLD SSIM Structural Similarity. Range: 0 to 100
- THRESHOLD PSNR Peak Signal to Noise Ratio. Range: 0 to 100 dB
- DURATION Range: 20 to 999 ms
- PICTURE FAILURE POINT The picture failure point (PFP) is analyzed based on the testing conditions and the assessment criteria. The PFP results are determined by the number of periods with visible error.

Picture Failure Point Definition		×
Length of Period	10	s
Total Number of Period(s)	3	
Gap between Period	0	s
Allowed Periods with Visible Error	1	
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Fig. 5-23: Picture Failure Point

The PFP condition is configured with following parameters:

- LENGTH OF PERIOD Range: 1 s to 60 s
- TOTAL NUMBER OF PERIOD(s) Range: 1 to 99
- GAP BETWEEN PERIODS Range: 0 s to 60 s
- ALLOWED PERIODS WITH VISIBLE ERROR Minimum value: 0; maximum value
   "Total Number of Period(s)"

#### 5.1.13.3 Result

The checked items are measured during the test and the results compared to the limit values.

Besult				
Displays the worst va	lue in the rep	port.		
	Limit		Limit	
V Pixel Error Y	1000	🔽 PSNR Y	40.0	dB
Pixel Error Cb	1000	📝 PSNR Cb	40.0	dB
V Pixel Error Cr	1000	📝 PSNR Cr	40.0	dB
🔽 SSIM	0.600	🔽 Mos-V	4.50	

Fig. 5-24: Result Items

## 5.1.14 USERNOTIFICATIONBOX (Stop video playback on DUT)

This notifies the user to stop the video player on the mobile phone.

- 14 UserNotification	вох	🏇 User Notifica	tion Box
	nect	Collines	
		settings	
		Box Caption	<< <user notification="">&gt;&gt;</user>
		Box Message	Stop the "Video Player in DUT"
autolau Dataila <u>Vield</u>	Mai		
estplan Details	Mea		
	_		
Pixel Error Cb	1000		
Pixel Error Cr	1000		
SSIM	0.60		
			OK Cancel

Fig. 5-25: User Notification Box

## 5.1.15 LTECallDisconnect

CMW terminates the call and turns OFF the base station emulation.



Fig. 5-26: LTE Call Disconnect

## 5.2 Running the Test

The test can be started either by clicking on the Run button or pressing F5.



Fig. 5-27: Run Test

After the instruments have been reset and configured, a message appears, telling you to power OFF and the ON again the DUT. This ensures that the LTE call procedure always starts from a defined point.

Connect DUT	×
0000000 000000000000000000000000000000	
Please power of	f and on mobile!
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Fig. 5-28: Power mobile OFF and ON

A message appears to inform you that the appropriate video for the test can now be started / streamed for playback.

1MA253_LTE_E2E_Bnd13_SISO_VidAna_VTE_fad - << <user notification<="" th=""></user>
Start the Video: rtsp://172.22.1.201/xxxxx.mov
ОК



For this example the **DAROON** player was used. Select Streams and add the full path and name to the favorites list, e.g. **RTSP://172.22.1.201/TALK-720P\_25Hz\_5MBPS.MOV** and start the video.

Now the video is referenced under ideal conditions (no fading or ip impairment) which is also stated with the following message:



Fig. 5-30: Synchronizing video for reference measurement

After the reference video has been recorded, the disturbing effects, like fading, IP packet loss rate, delay and jitter are turned ON. In this example all effects run simultaneously. Other test cases might vary only one effect for obtaining the correlation between video quality and e.g. delay.

During the A/V distortion measurement a timer display the current time remaining.

ResultUpdateForm	Martin Martin Card
	Please wait
Remaining	04
test time U Mir	is ZI Secs
Detail information	

Fig. 5-31: Remaining test time

After the test, please stop the video player on the mobile phone.

1MA253_LTE_E2E_Bnd13_SISO_VidAna_VTE_fad - <	< <user notification<="" th=""></user>
Stop the "Video Player in DUT"	
	ОК

Fig. 5-32: Stop video player on mobile phone

As was shown with this example, it is very straight forward to run even complex video test scenarios using a CMWrun test plan.

	Measurement Report	ROHDE&SCHWARZ
Report Info:	Date:	8/5/2014 12:30:57 PM
Device Under Test: Serial No. (Dec. IMEI): Testplan: User: Comment:	n/a 990003358866818 C:\Usersigerlac_o\Documents\CMWrun Files\My Test Plans\1MA253_LTE_E2E_Bnd13_SIS\ getlac_o	D_VidAna_VTE_fad.rstp
Comment: Test Executive: Instrument ID 1: Options:	R&S CMWrun 1.7.8 Rohde&Schwarz, CMW, 1201.0002k50/124980,3.2.50 H051F, H052F, H054B, H055H, H090A, H100A, H10A, H200A, H200A, H210A, H210A, H2 H300B, H400B, H405B, H450B, H550B, H570B, H570B, H570D, H590D, H600B, H605A, He k0936, K0, K988, K988, K988, K988, K4100, K4150, K4700, K4410, K4420, KC001, KC016 KC008, KC009, KC010, KC011, KC012, KC013, KC015, KC016, KC017, KC016, KC026, KC028, KC098, KC010, KC011, KC012, KC013, KC015, KC016, KC017, KC016, KC026, KC066, KC KC027, KC031, KC033, KC036, KC030, KC030, KC015, KC016, KC016, KC016, KC042, KC031, KC032, KC028, KC204, KC033, KC204, KC207, KC208, KC207, KC208, KC401, KC402, KC414, KC420, KC KC221, KC232, KC233, KC244, KC426, KC427, KC428, KC437, KC431, KC432, KC KC251, KC520, KC520, KC520, KC506, KC507, KC508, KC509, KC510, KC511, KC42, KC501, KC502, KC503, KC504, KC505, KC506, KC507, KC508, KC508, KC501, KC572, KC KC561, KC550, KC501, KC502, KC506, KC567, KC556, KC568, KC567, KC552, KC KC561, KC550, KC501, KC502, KC506, KC507, KC508, KC508, KC507, KF437, KF438, KF440 KC500, KC500, KC501, KF502, KF503, KF504, KF503, KF504, KF503, KF504, KF507, KF508, KF406, KF500, KF501, KF50, KF501, KF502, KF501, KF503, KF504, KF507, KF508, KF508, KF507, KF508, KF508	204, H2204, H2304, H2704, H300B, 128, H6804, H6614, H6908, K8036, 1, KC003, KC004, KC005, KC006, KC007, 071, KC023, KC004, KC005, KC006, KC007, 071, KC023, KC024, KC224, KC220, 244, KC215, KC214, KC222, KC223, 406, KC407, KC405, KC426, KC437, 433, KC444, KC455, KC426, KC437, 433, KC444, KC455, KC464, KC437, KC407, KC408, KC420, KC421, 433, KC444, KC455, KC568, KC560, 573, KC585, KE100, KE200, KE400, 1, K640, KT402, KF410, KK453, KK454, KF441, KF402, KF412, KF43, KF44, KF441, KF402, KF412, KF53, KF546, KF547, KF517, KF57, KF578, KF546, KF547, KF547, KF542, KF545, KF546, KF547, KF547, KF578, KF547, KK454, KF547, KF578, KF547, KK454, KK557, KF577, KK578, KK579, KF546, KF547, KF577, KK578, KK579, KF546, KF547, KF577, KK578, KK579, KF546, KF547, KF577, KK578, KK574, KK451, KM651, K650, KM700, KM700, KM700, KM700, C12, KM400, KM610, KM400, KM400, C12, KM400, KM400, KM400, KM400, C12, KM400, KM610, KM400, KM400, C12, KM400, KM400, KM400, KM400, C12, KM400, KM400, KM400, KM400, C12, KM400, KM400, KM400, KM400, C140, KC42, KC42, KC42, KC42, KC42, C142, KC43, KC43, KC43, KC44, KC441, C11, KC302, KC43, KC44, KC441, C11, KC302, KC43, KC441, KC441, KC412, C142, KC43, KC444, KC441, KC441, KC412, C142, KC434, KC444, KC441, KC414, KC414, C142, KC434, KC444, KC444, KC441, KC414, KC414, C142, KC434, KC444, KC444, KC444, KC441, C141, KC420, KC444, KC444, KC444, KC441, C142, KC434, KC444, KC444, KC441, KC414, KC4
Instrument ID 2: Options: Summary:	KS880, KS881, KS881, KS881, KS881, KS883, KS888, KS888, KS888, KS890, KS890, KS88 KT010, KT011, KT012, KT013, KT014, KT016, KT017, KT019, KT020, KT021, KT022, KT023, KT035, KT035, KT035, KT035, KT054, KT054, KT054, KT054, KT055, KT035, KT055, KT057, KT058, KT056, KT00, KT100, KT100, KT110, KT110, KT1156, KT137, KT161, KT400, KT405, KT050, KT050, KT307, KT310, KT300, KT350, KT360, KT3700, KT350, KT3707, KT050, KT050, KT307, KT310, KT300, KT350, KT404, KT42, KT400, KT405, KT050, KT307, KT050, KT910, KT910, KT910, KT300, KT350, KT400, KT405, KT407, KT161, KT410, KT110, KT110, KT110, KT110, KT110, KT110, KT112, KT120, KT1	<ul> <li>N.KS90, KT001, KT002, KT003, KT004, KT004, KT007, KT005, KT051, KT051, KT051, KT051, KT051, KT057, KT057, KT057, KT050, KT</li></ul>
Summary. Test Start Time: Test End Time: Total Test Time: Weighted Test Time: Test Nems Passed:	8/5/2014 12:30:57 FM 8/5/2014 1:44:54 FM 01:13:57 01:13:57 13	
Test Items Passed: Test Items Passed: Test Items Failed: Number of Test Items:	0.3307 13 0 13	

In the last step a measurement report (similar to this one) is generated.

#### Basic Initiation: Initialization of Instrument.

instrument reset: CMW - Done I

#### Attenuation Tables: Read Tables

Frequency Dependent Attenuation Correction		Table	
Connector (Read)			
RF1 COM /N			
RF1 COM OUT			
RF1 OUT			
RF2 COM IN			
RF2 COM OUT			

#### Attenuation Tables: Set Tables

Francisco Devendent Attenuation Correction		Tabla	
Frequency Dependent Attenuation Correction		rapie	
Connector (Set)			
RF1 COM /N		"Const_1p50dB"	
RF1 COM OUT		"Const_1p50dB"	
RF1 OUT			
RF2 COM ///			
RF2 COM OUT			



#### LTE Call Setup: Base Station Configuration

LTE FDD, Band13 DL Channel 5230, DL Frequency 751, DL Cell Bandwidth 10.0 MHz UL Channel 23230, UL Frequency 782, UL Cell Bandwidth 10.0 MHz Connection Type: Data Application Call Direction: Mobile -> CMW

#### SCPI Command List: Send

-> ROUTe:LTE:SIGN1:SCENario:SCFading:INTernal:FFADer RF1C,RX1,RF1C,TX1

#### LTE Call Setup: Base Station Enable

Base Station Enabled in 24.9s

#### LTE Call Setup: Power On Mobile Box

#### LTE Call Setup: Attach Process

Attach Process		Timeout	Elapsed Time	Unit	Status
Attached		120	38.1	S	Passed
LTE Call Setup: DUT Info					
Test Item	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Measured	Unit	Status
DUT Info					
IMEI			990003358866818		Passed
End2EndSetup: End 2 End Setup					
DAU data connection process			Elapsed Time	Unit	Status
Mobile IP address: 172.22.1.100; RAN: LTE @ Band 13 / UL ch.: 23230 - DL ch.: 5230	)				
PING check to mobile IP address:			0.2200748	s	

#### SetAVReference: Reference Video Information

Parameters		Value	Unit	Status
Loop - Time Code				
Video resolution (H x V)				
Loop length			Sec	
Number of frames		1185		
File size		703	MB	
				Passed

Reference file is saved. - DAVTE\UserDataWyReference.avr

#### SCPI Command List: Send

--> CONFigure:LTE:SIGN:FADing:FSIMulator:STANdard EP5Low --> CONFigure:LTE:SIGN:FADing:FSIMulator:ENABle ON

#### MeasureAVDistortion: Reference Video Information

Parameters			Value	Unit	Status			
Reference file @ D:IVTE/UserData/MyReference.avr								
Video resolution (H × V)			0x0					
Loop length			39.50	Sec				
Number of frames			1185					
File size			703	MB				
					Passed			

MeasureAVDistortion: Video Distortion Measurement

Test Item	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Measured	Unit	Status					
Picture Failure Point @ Length of period 10 sec, Total Nuber of period(s) 3, Allowed periods 1										
Picture Failure					Passed					
Video parameter result @ Worst value										
Pixel Error Y		1000	0		Passed					
Pixel Error Cb		1000	0		Passed					
Pixel Error Cr		1000	0		Passed					
PSNR Y	40.0		100.0	dB	Passed					
PSNR Cb	40.0		100.0	dB	Passed					
PSNR Cr	40.0		100.0	dB	Passed					
SSIM	0.600		1.000		Passed					
Mos-V	4.50		5.00		Passed					

#### LTE Call Disconnect: Base Station disable

Base Station disabled in 1.1s

## 6 Literature

[1] Application Note 7BM84, "R&S<sup>®</sup>Time Code Inserter: AV Distortion Analysis of Every Video Format"

[2] Application Note 7BM87, "R&S A/V Distortion Analysis – Inspecting Output Quality of Audio and Video Devices"

[3] Application Note 1MA119 "R&S VTx Manual"

## 7 Ordering Information

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Wideband Radio Communication Tester							
R&S <sup>®</sup> CMW500	Wideband Radio Communication Tester	1201.0002K50					
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CMW-S550B	Basic Interconnection, flexible link, for non-signaling, signaling and IQ access	1202.4801.03					
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CMW-B450D	Data Application Unit, H450A	1202.8759.05					
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CMW-KS500	LTE FDD Release 8, SISO, signaling/network emulation	1203.6108.02					
CMW-KS510	LTE Release 8, SISO, signaling / network emulation, advanced functionality	1203.9859.02					
Video Analyzer							
R&S®VTE	Video Test Center	2115.7400.02					
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Measurement Software							
CMWPC	PC based CMW applications	1201.0002.90					
CMW-KT051	R&S <sup>®</sup> CMWrun sequencer tool, CMWrun generic proposal	1203.4157.02					
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