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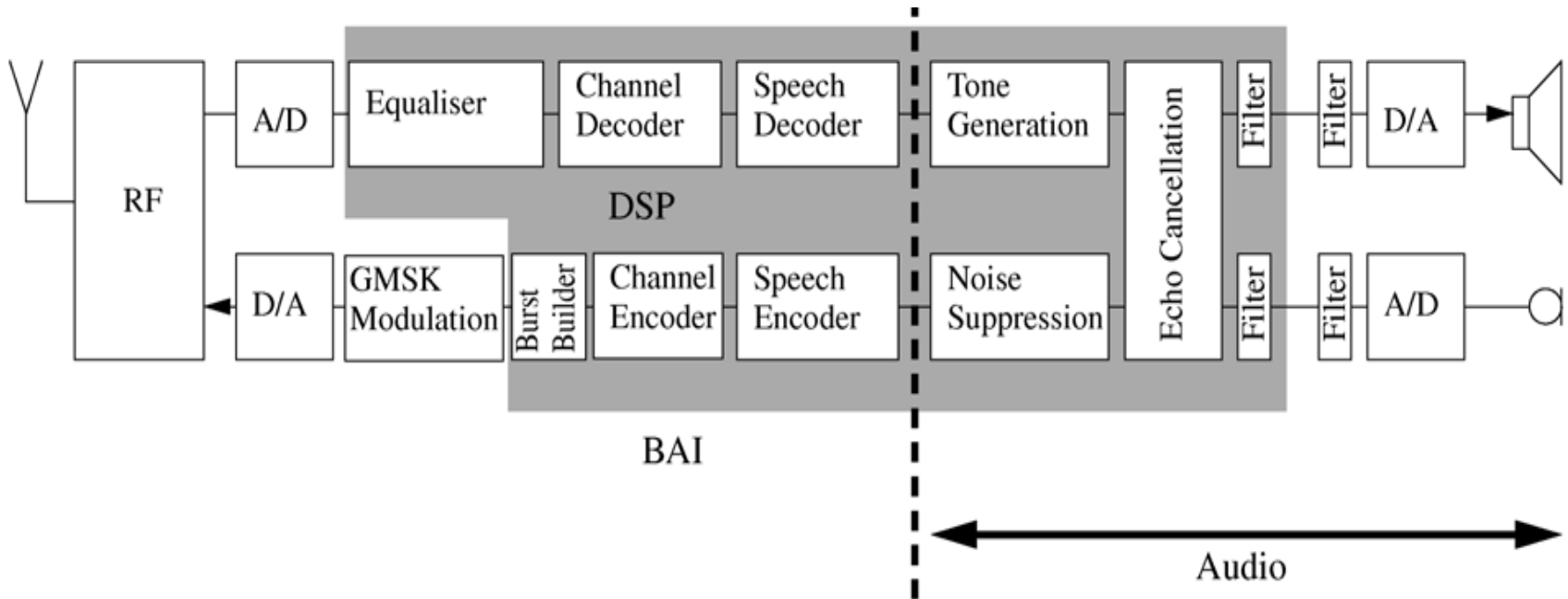
TDMA Noise

Audio in GSM Mobile Phone

The importance of the Audio Quality in mobile phones is often underestimated...

... but the audio quality of the phone is the first impression which the final customer has!

Audio in GSM Mobile Phone



- only audio path is covered from this presentation
- sending direction from MIC to speech encoder
- receiving direction from speech decoder to speaker



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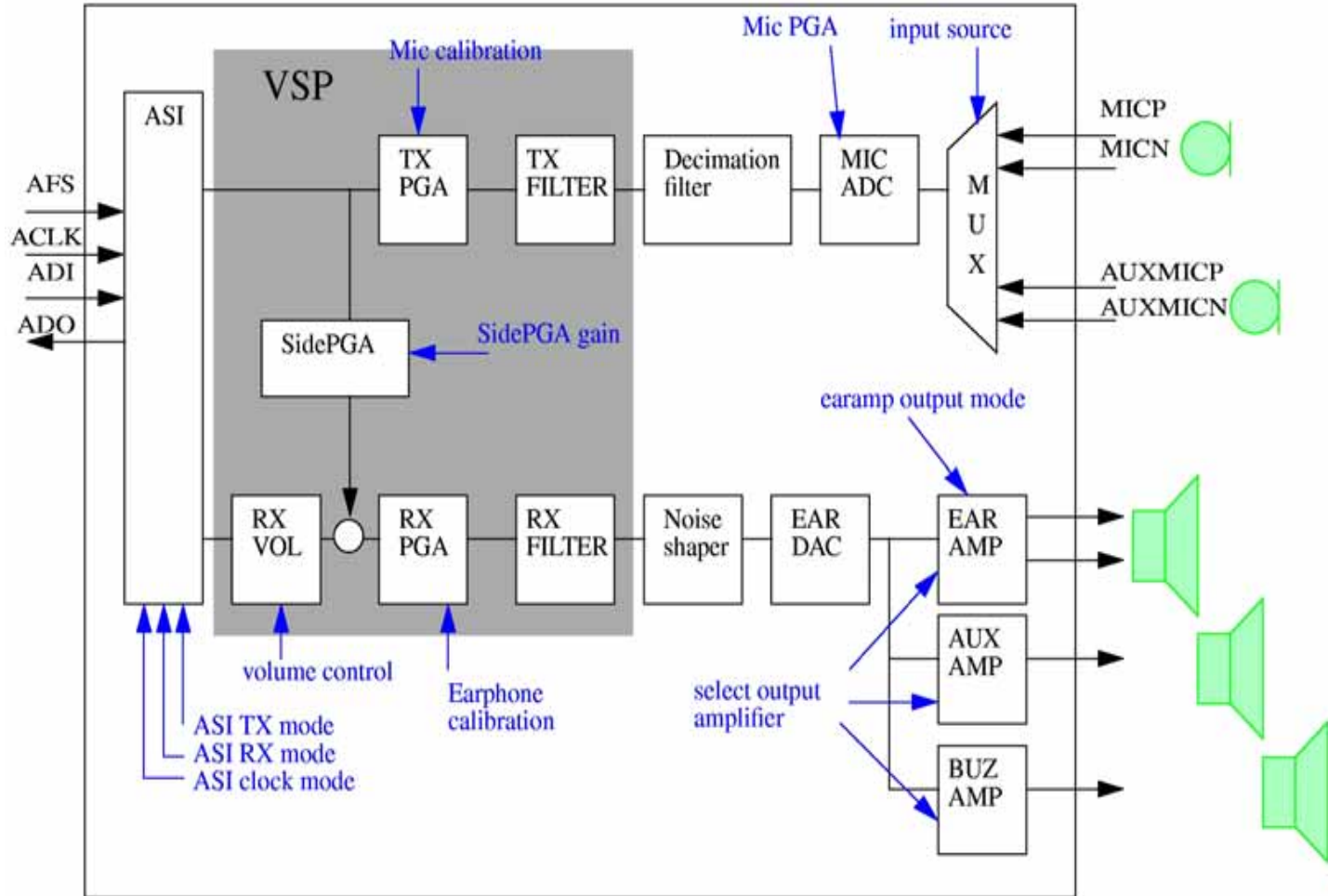
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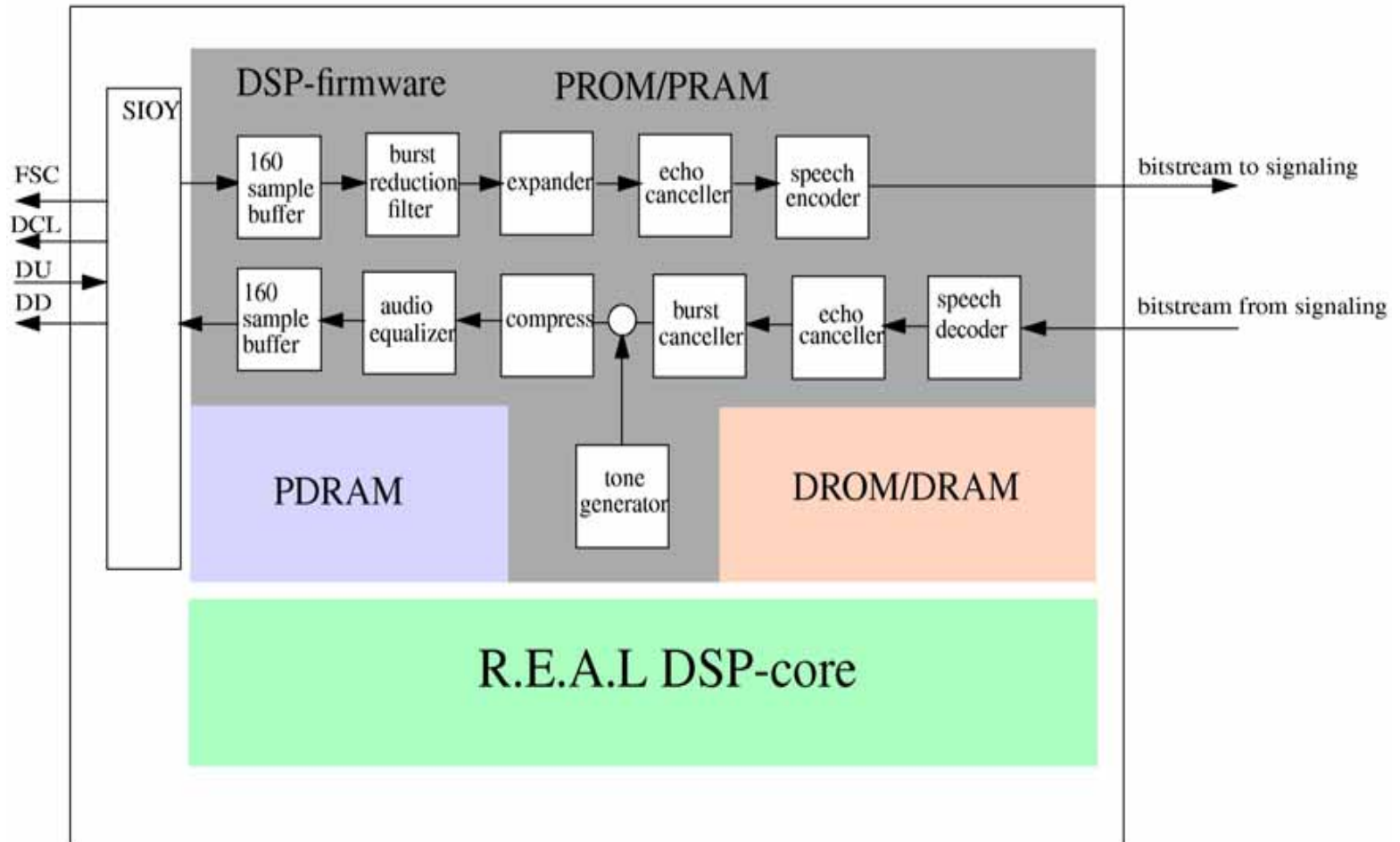
Hardware Components in Audio Path

Baseband Audio Interface : PCF50732



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Baseband Engine R.E.A.L DSP : PCF5087x



Hardware Components in Audio Path










System Solutions with their Baseband Engines&DSP Firmware masks

System Solution	Baseband Engine	DSP Firmware Mask
Sysol1	PCF50872/877	7V1
Sysol2GSM	PCF50877/874	AV3
Sysol2GPRS	PCF50874	CV1/CV3
Sysol3	PCF50874/874-5	CV3
SysolME	PCF50874-6	CV5

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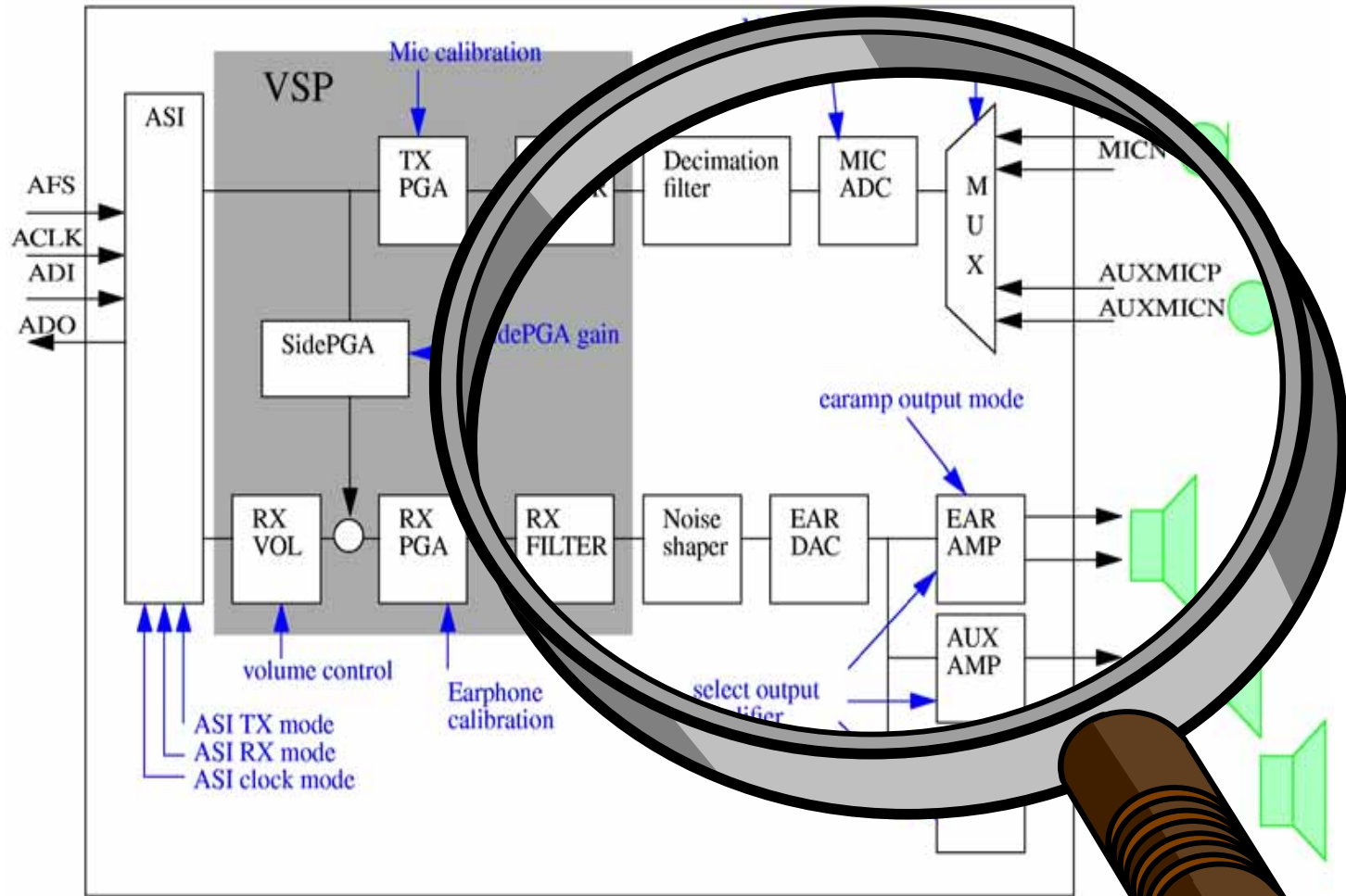
Availability of the different blocks in different DSP Firmware versions

Feature	CV5-mask Multitask	CV3-mask Multitask	CV1-mask Multitask	AV3-mask Multitask	7V1-mask Singletask
Sample buffers	√	√	√	√	√
Burst reduction filter	√	√	√	√	√
Expander (dynamic noise suppressor)	√	√	X	X	X
Echo canceller	√	√	√	√	√
Speech encoder/decoder	FR,EFR,AMR	FR,EFR,AMR	FR,HR,EFR	FR,HR,EFR	FR,HR,EFR
Burst canceller(bad frame)	√	√	√	√	√
Compressor	√	√	√	√	√
Audio equalizer	√	√	√	√	√

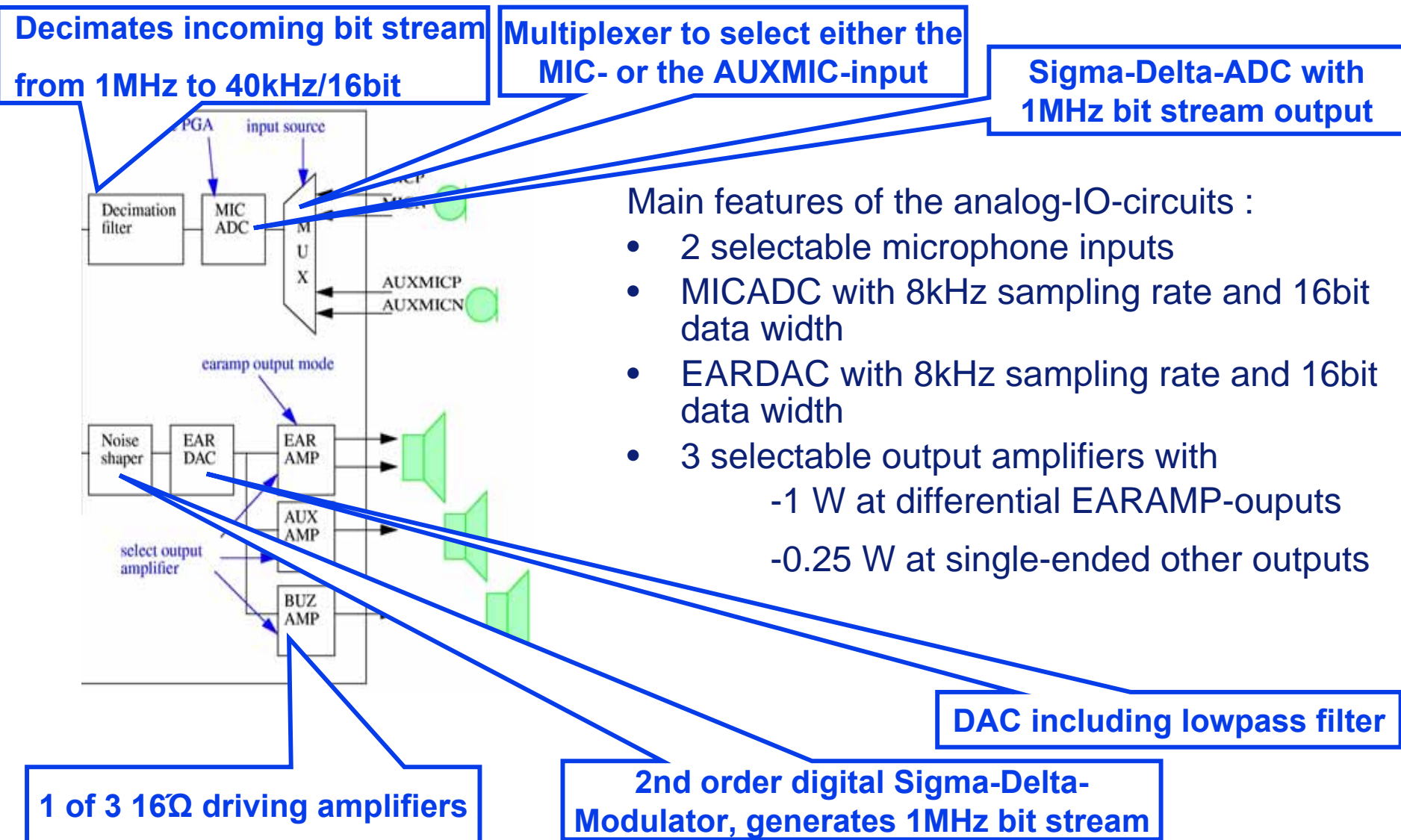
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HW Structure of PCF50732

The Internal Circuits



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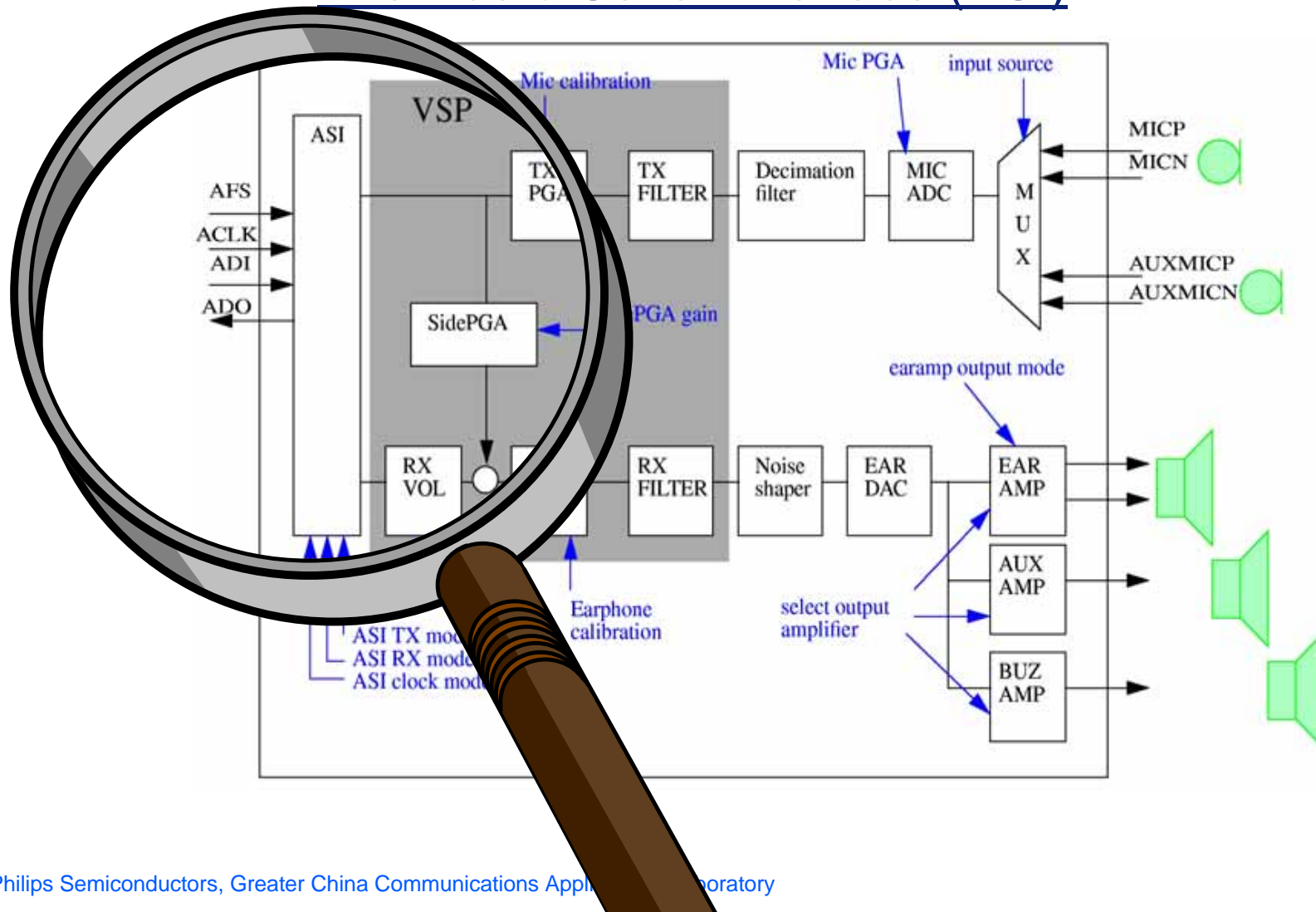


Main features of the analog-IO-circuits :

- 2 selectable microphone inputs
- MICADC with 8kHz sampling rate and 16bit data width
- EARDAC with 8kHz sampling rate and 16bit data width
- 3 selectable output amplifiers with
 - 1 W at differential EARAMP-outputs
 - 0.25 W at single-ended other outputs

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The Audio Serial Interface (ASI)



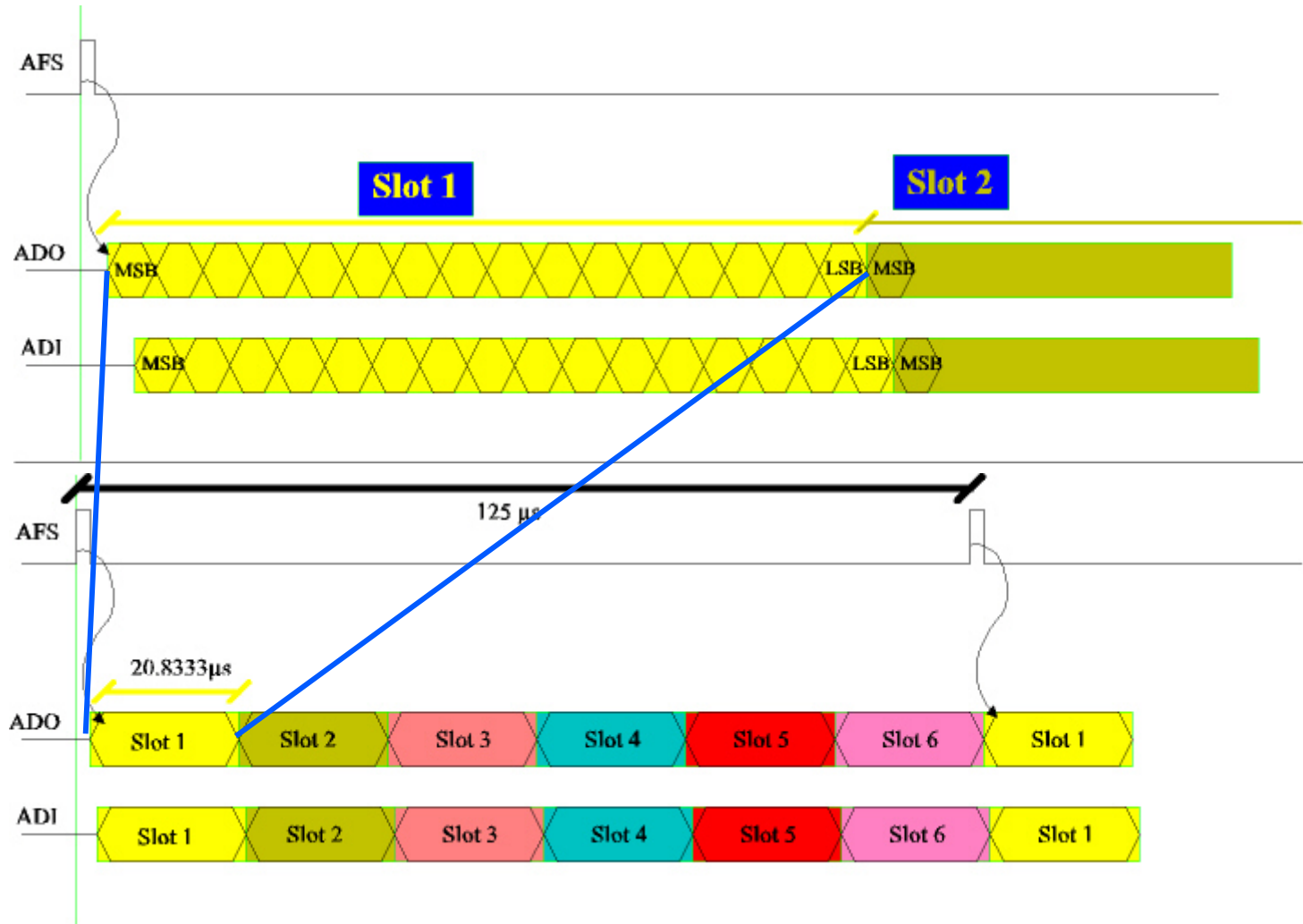
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What is the ASI?

- The ASI is a digital, serial interface to transmit and receive digital audio data
- In Sysol it is parametrized to exchange data conform to IOM-2-standard
- The data were exchanged slot-by-slot. 6 slots are 1 frame. In a slot the data are 16bit wide
- In Sysol only slot 3 (1..6) is used in uplink- and downlink direction
- Multi device: 1 master (DSP), max. 16 slaves
- Adjustable 4 to 16 slots
- Single and double clock mode

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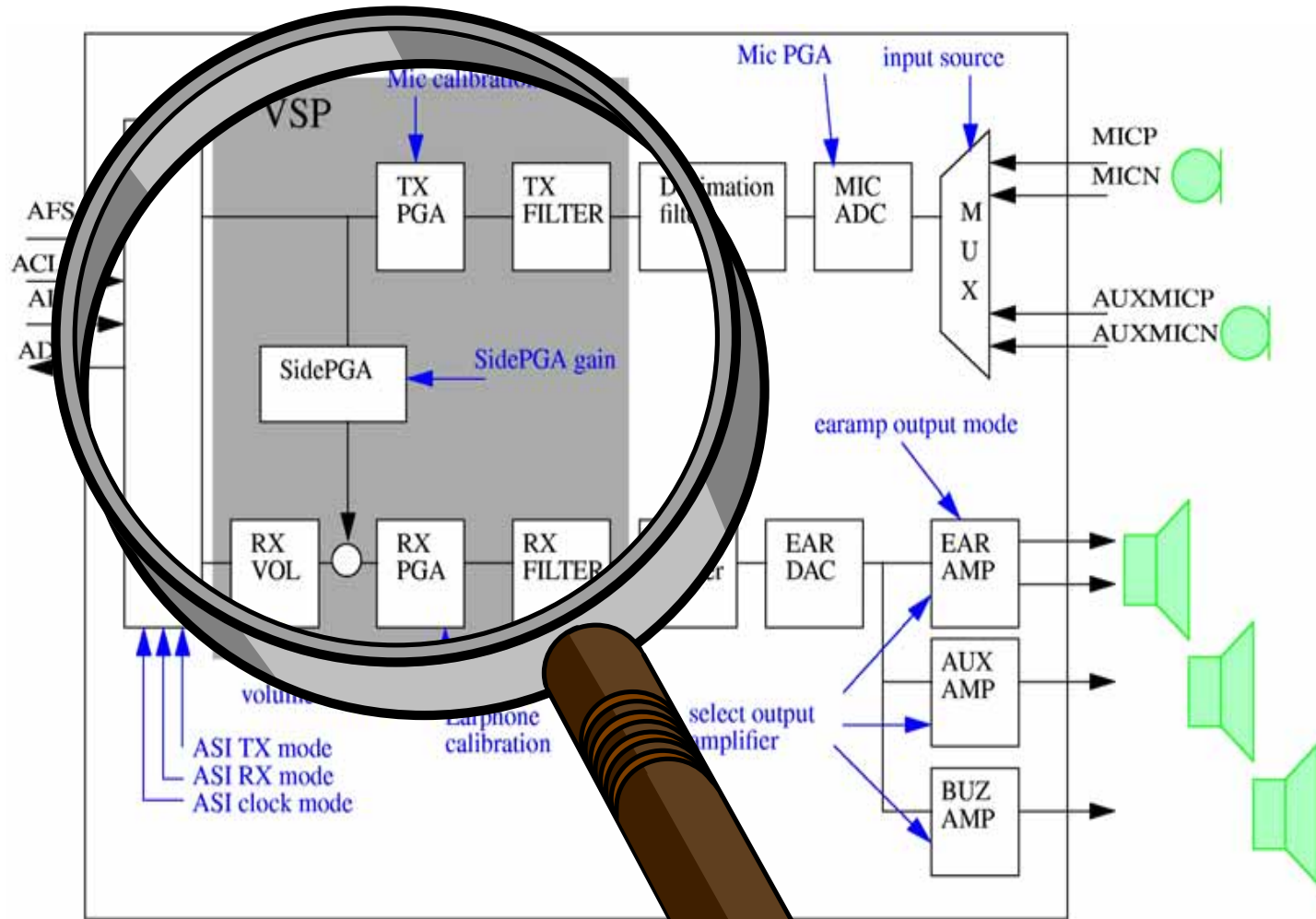
ASI Frame Structure



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VSP in PCF50732

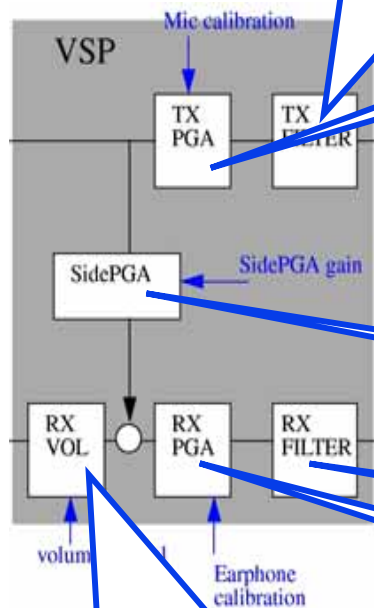
Voice Signal Processor(VSP)



VSP in PCF50732

Digital bandpass filter with passband from 300-3400 Hz

TxPGA controls the optimal matching of the external connected microphone to the signal processing units



VSP is an additional DSP only for processing audio-data
The VSP realizes :

- the shown audio data flow
- 4 digital gains (TxPGA, SidePGA, RxPGA, RxVol)
- digital filtering in Tx- and Rx-direction

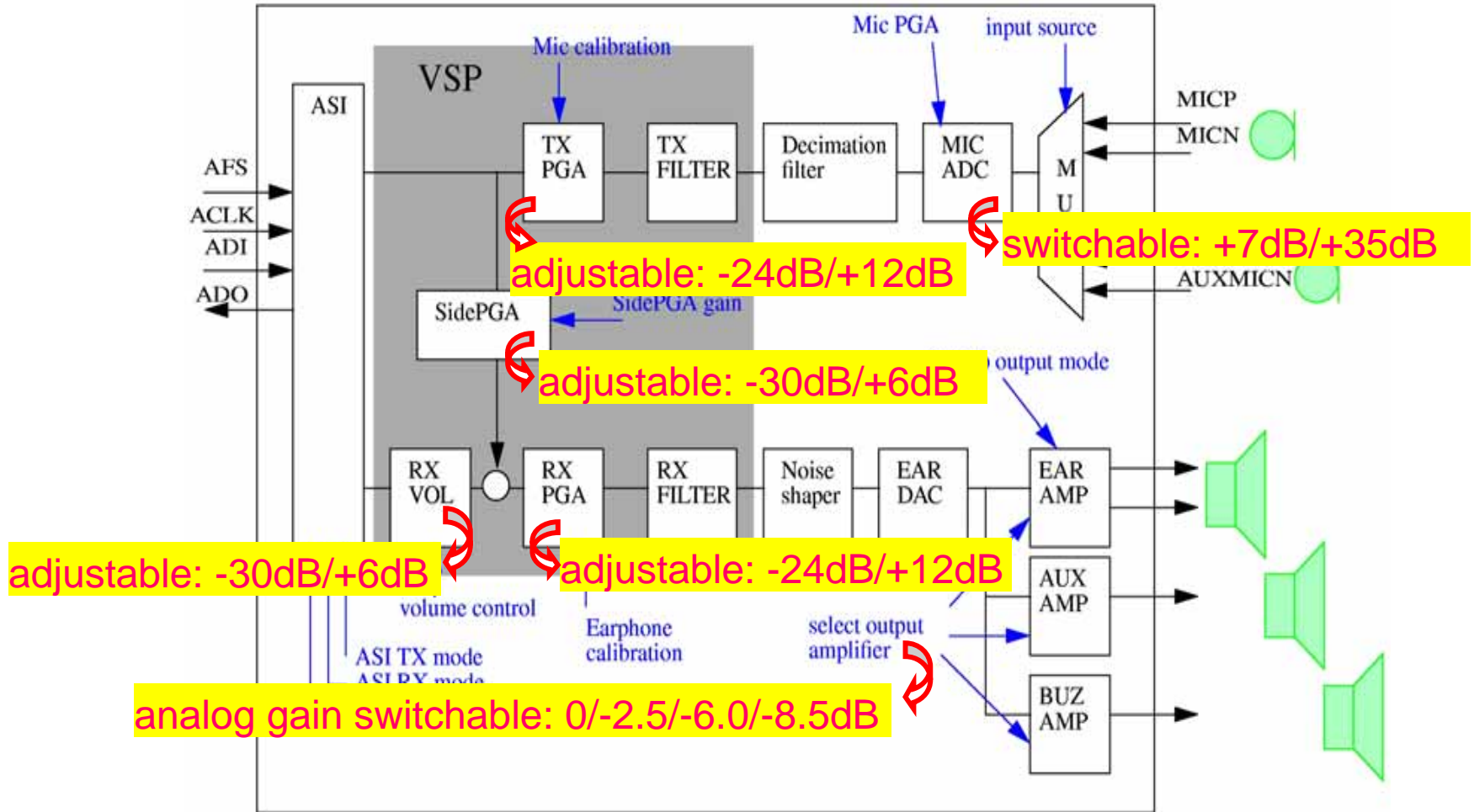
SidePGA loops a part of the microphone signal back to the speaker

Digital bandpass filter with passband from 300-3400 Hz

RxVol sets the volume of the speaker.
One of up to 10 stages could be selected by the user via the MMI.

RxPGA controls the optimal matching of the external connected speaker to the signal processing units

VSP in PCF50732



VSP in PCF50732

There are only 2 limited adjustable analog gains:

- MICHI +7dB/+35dB in TX direction
- Analog (Output) Gain 0dB/-2.5dB/-6.0dB/-8.5dB in RX direction

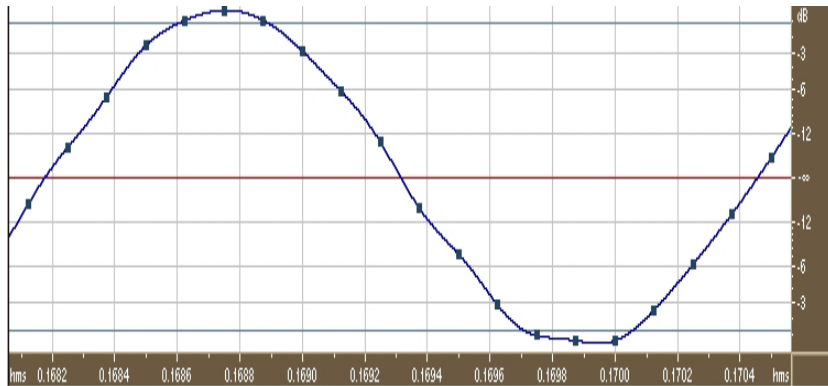
But there are 4 fine adjustable digital gains:

- TxPGA
- RxPGA
- SidePGA
- RxVol

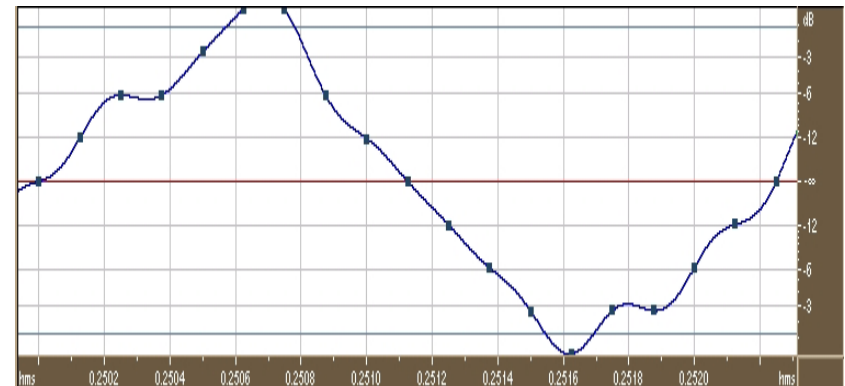
VSP in PCF50732

Please remark that digital gains could lead to resolution or distortion problems !

A sine signal with a level of -60dB was digitally amplified to max



A sine signal with a level of -80dB was digitally amplified to max





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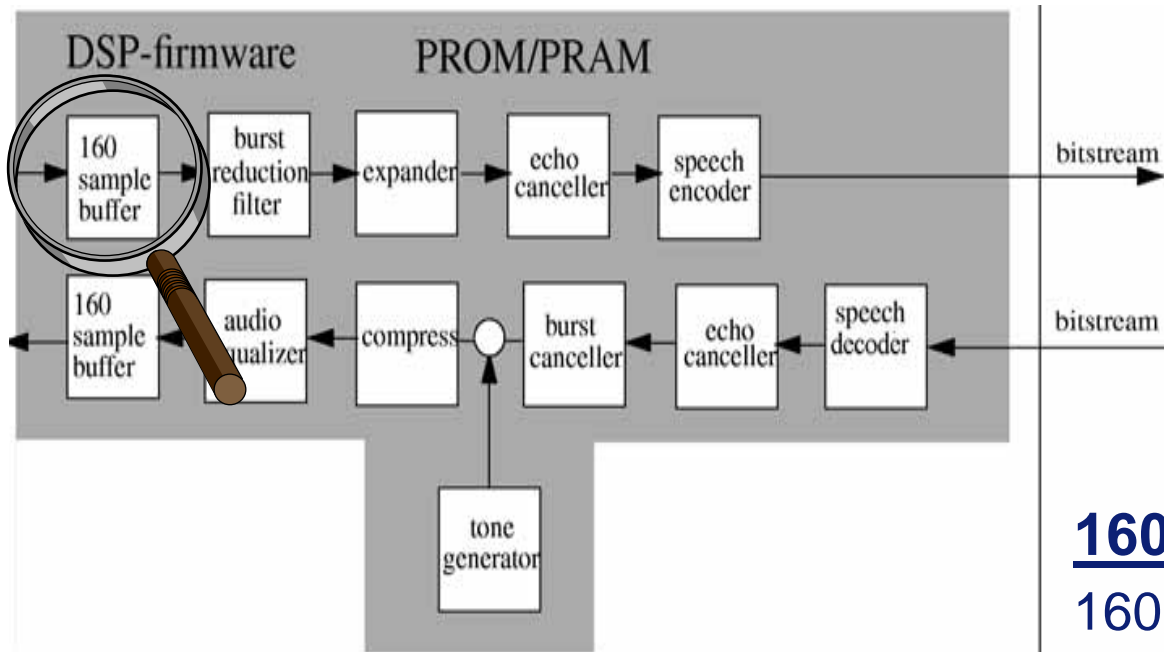


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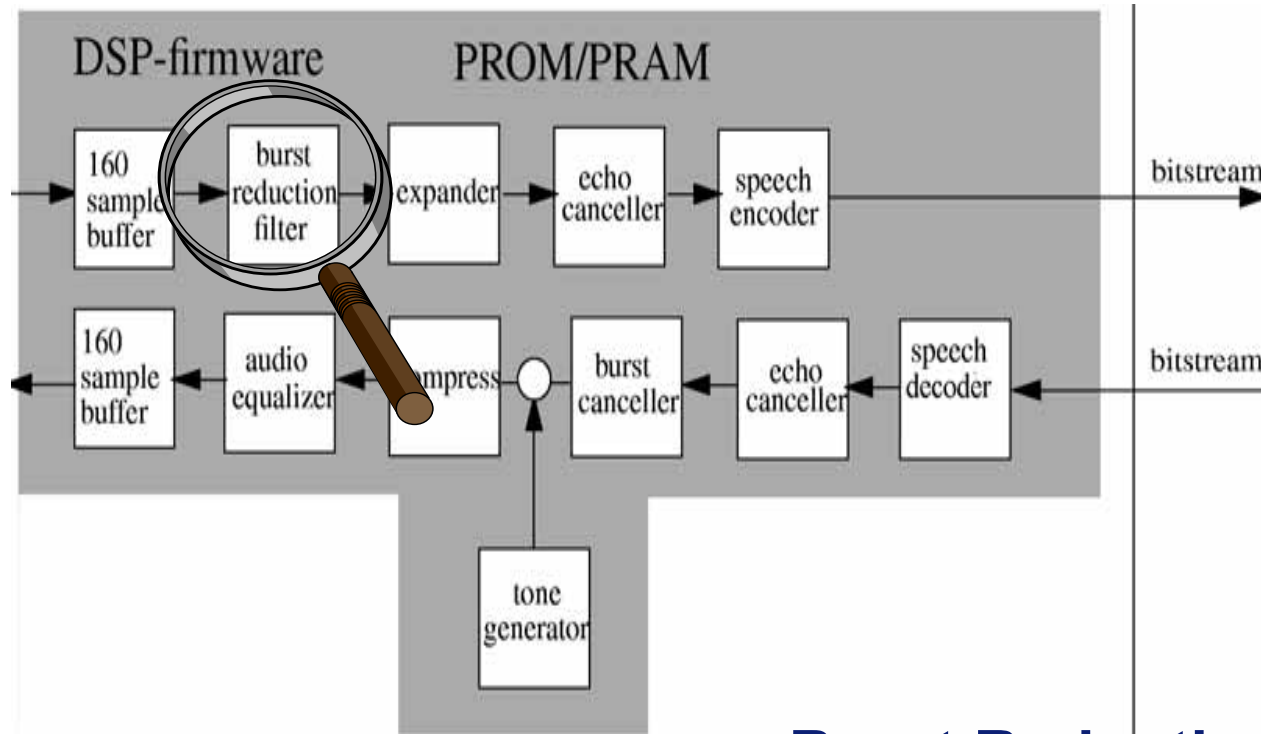
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160 sample buffer:

160 received audio samples (16bit, 8kHz) from BAI are stored into

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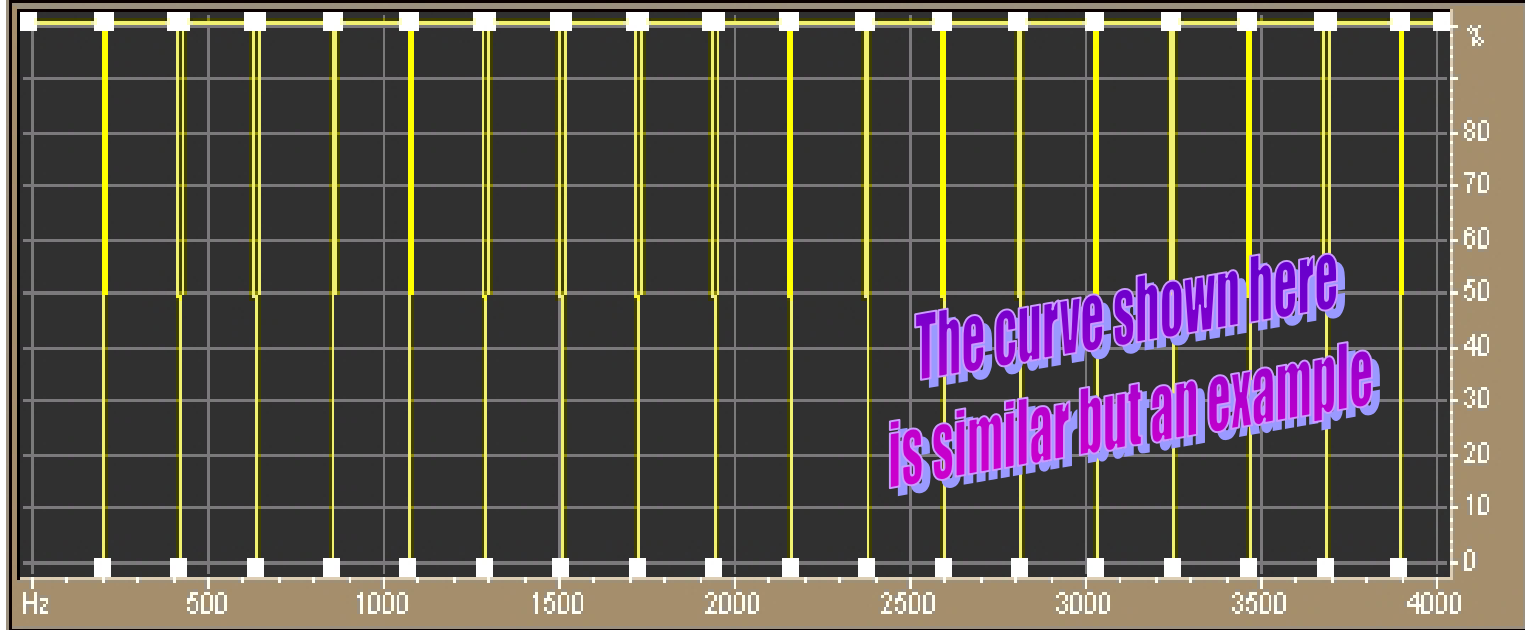


Burst Reduction filter:

Bandstop filter which attenuates the GSM-burst-frequency of 216.7Hz(TDMA noise) and all harmonics.

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Burst Reduction Filter :



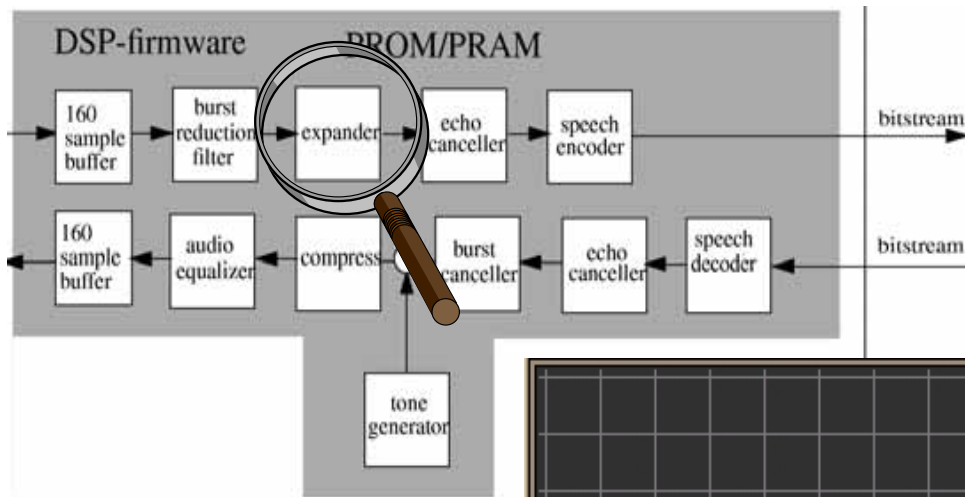
A sine signal with a underlayed GSM-burst-signal (216.7Hz, peaks all 4.6ms, 0.577ms width, -20dB)



The same but filtered @ 216.7 Hz and all harmonics



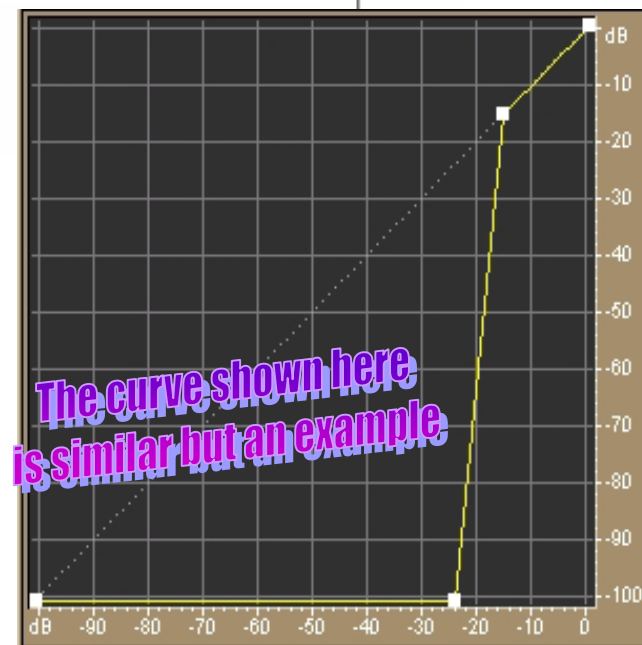
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expander:

Noise suppression by reducing all level under an defined threshold

output signal level / [dB]

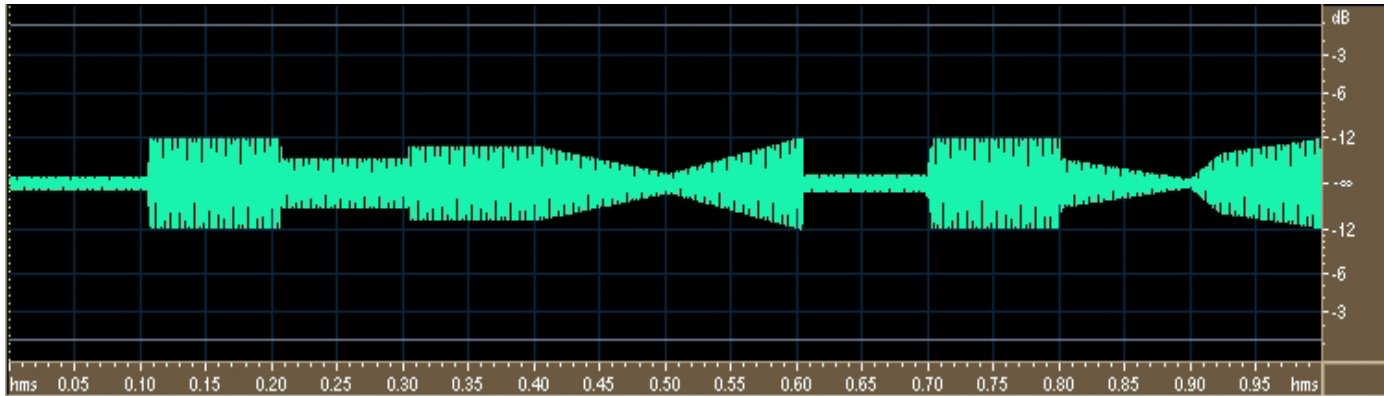


characteristic transmission curve

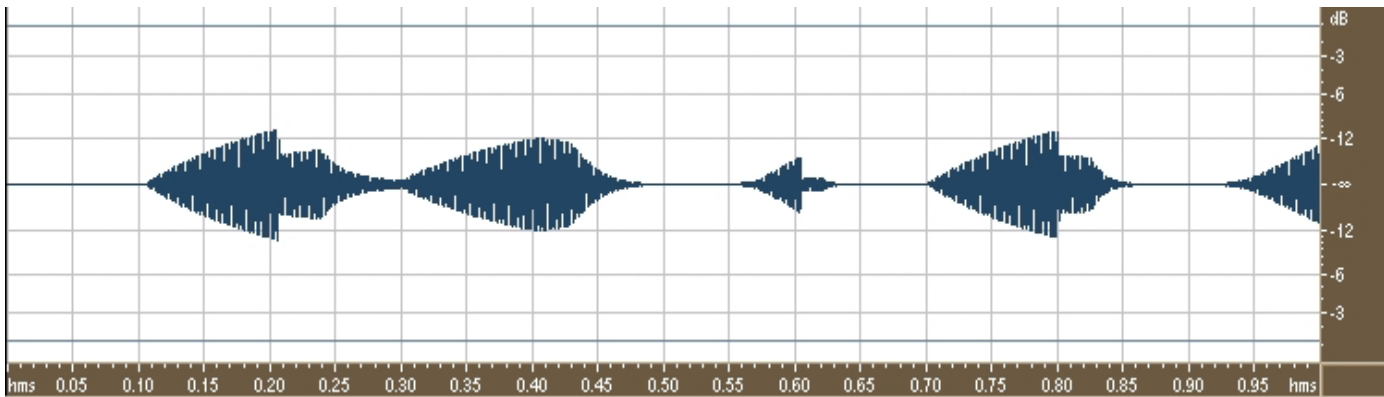
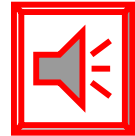
input signal level / [dB]

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Expander :



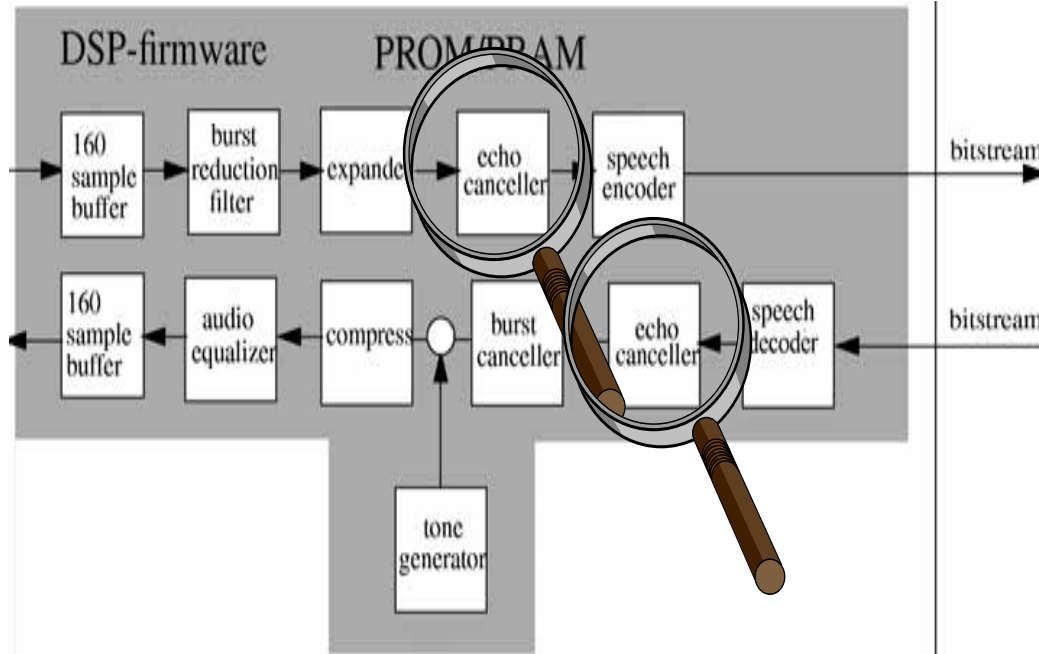
signal
origine:



signal
expanded:



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Echo Cancellor:

Due to the small dimensions of the mobile phone it could be possible that the signal from the loudspeaker is feed back to the microphone.

To prevent this an echo canceling algorithm is implemented.

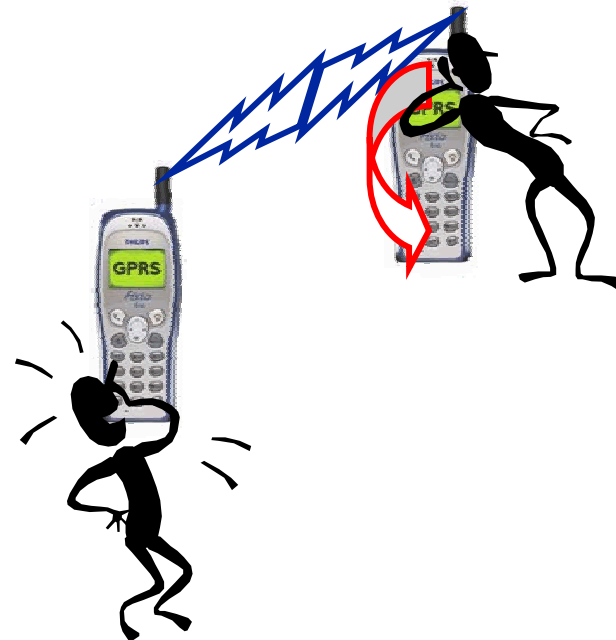
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There are different ways of echo origin possible :

Near End



Far End



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The used algorithm depends on the set mode:

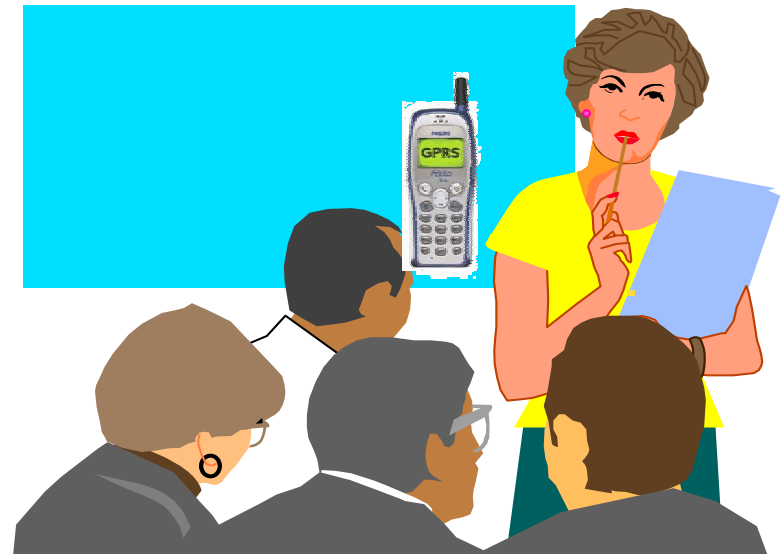
Handset Mode

1 speaker/listener only,
phone closed to
speaker/listeners
mouth/ear.

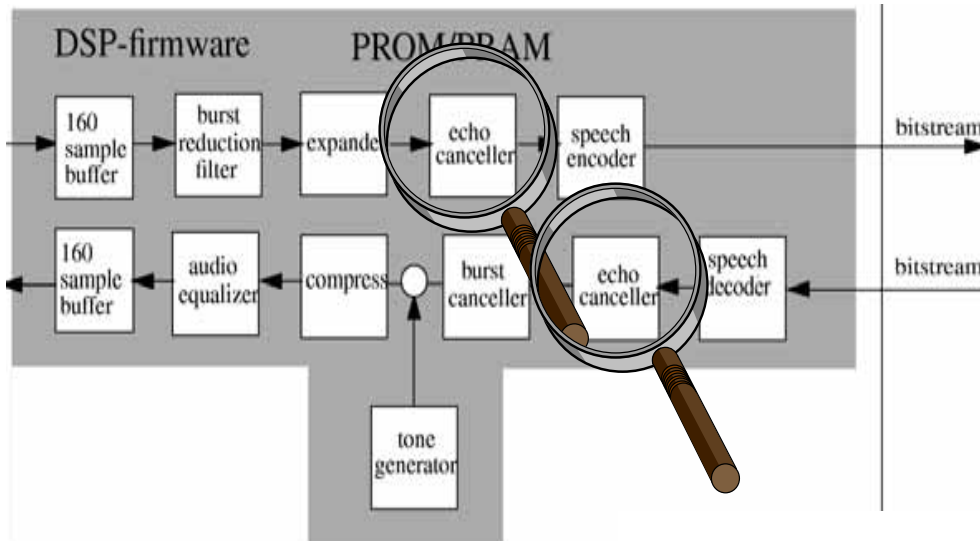


Handsfree Mode

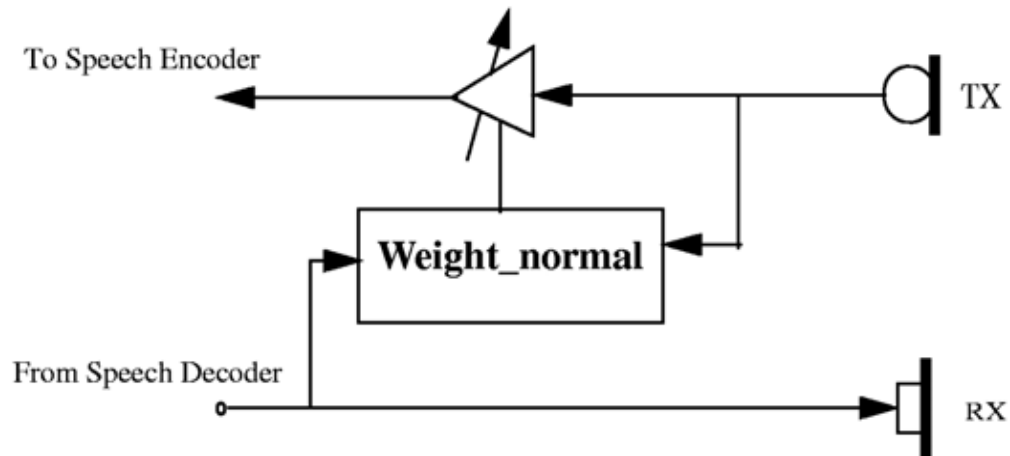
multiple speakers/listeners
phone (microphone/loudspeaker)
far away from speakers/listeners



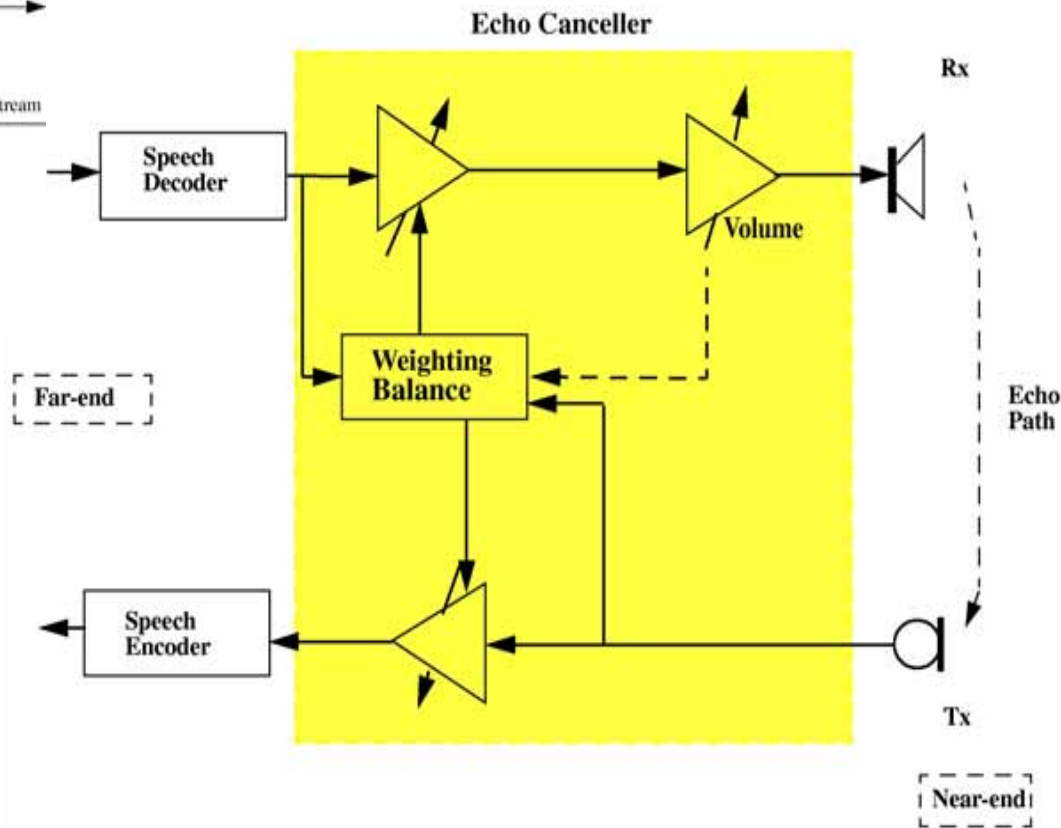
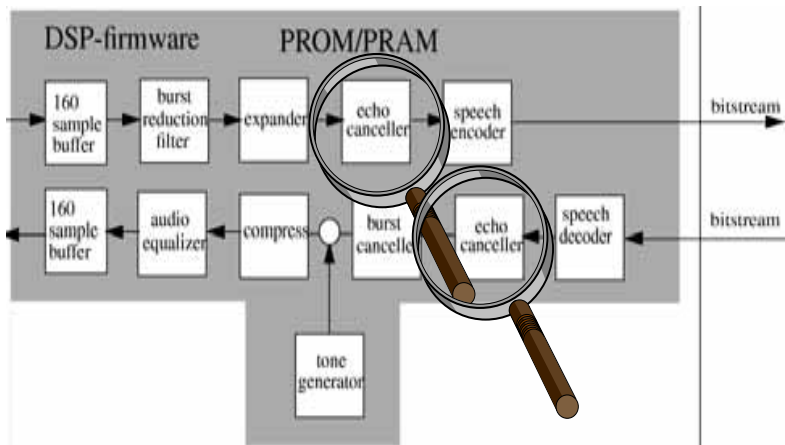
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Algorithm in handset mode:
 Only mic-signal is attenuated in relation to Tx- and Rx-signal strength



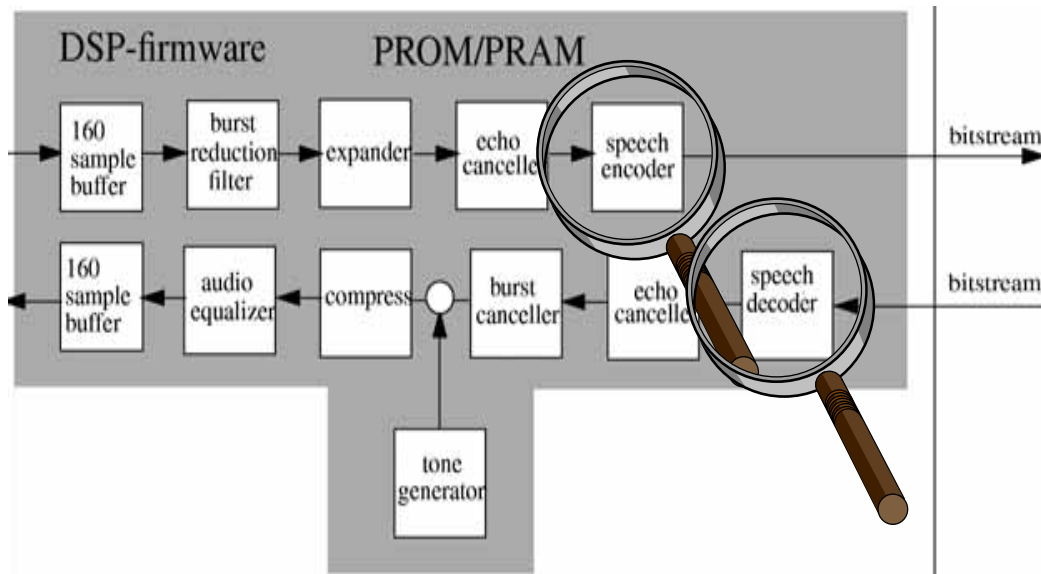
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Algorithm in handsfree mode

Mic- and speaker signal are attenuated in relation to Tx- and Rx-signal strength and set speaker volume.

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Speech Encoder/Decoder

Compresses/decompresses the audio data from/to 104kBit/s to 13kBit/s (FR).

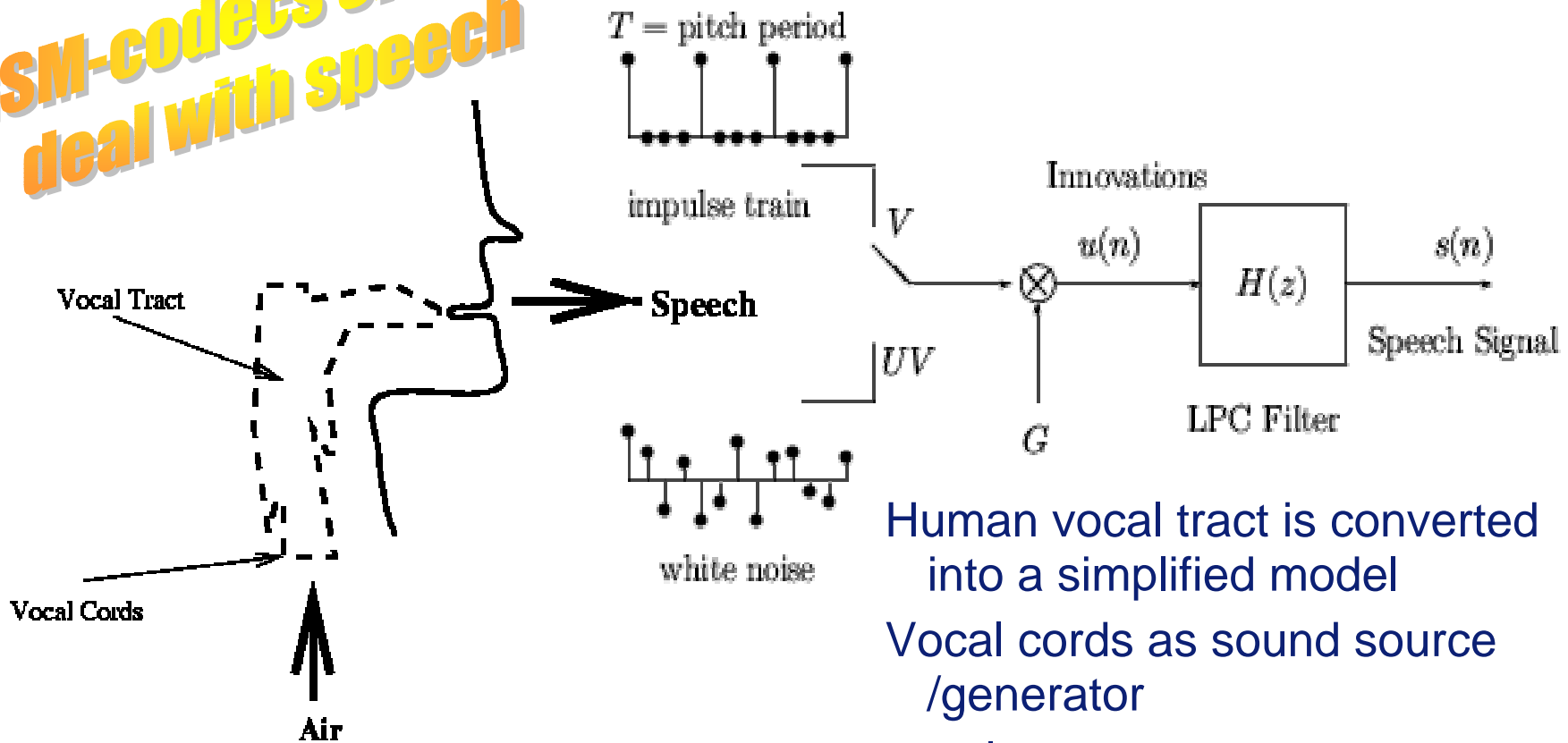
The function of compressing is equivalent to MP3 but the idea behind is different.

There are 4 different codecs specified : FR, EFR, HR, AMR.

GSM-codecs only can deal with speech

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GSM-codecs only can deal with speech



Human vocal tract is converted into a simplified model
 Vocal cords as sound source /generator
 vocal tract as resonator

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GSM-codecs only can deal with speech

Advantages of the Modeling

The model is known on the transmitter- and receiver-side.

Only the parameters of the model had to be transmitted.

Disadvantages of the Modeling

Only speech could be transmitted.

Music Sample(8kHz, 16bit)



Coded/Encoded with HR codec



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4 Different codecs :

- **FR** = full rate codec defined in GSM 06.10, “the classic”, outgoing bitstream 13kBit/s
- **HR** = half rate codec, defined in GSM 06.20
With better coding algorithms the HR-codec reaches the performance of the FR but the bitstream has only 6.5kBit/s
- **EFR** = enhanced full rate, defined in GSM 06.60
With better coding algorithms the audio performance is better than FR but the bitstream remains on 13kBit/s
- **AMR-NB** = adaptive multirate narrow band, defined in GSM 06.90
The data rate varies between 4.75 and 12.2 kBit/s depending on the channel quality

GSM-codecs only can deal with speech

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Audio Samples

- FR (full rate)
- HR (half rate) **(8kHz, 16bit)**
- EFR (enhanced full rate)
- AMR-WB (adaptive multi rate wide band) max. bit rate **(16kHz, 16bit)**
- AMR-WB (adaptive multi rate wide band) min. bit rate

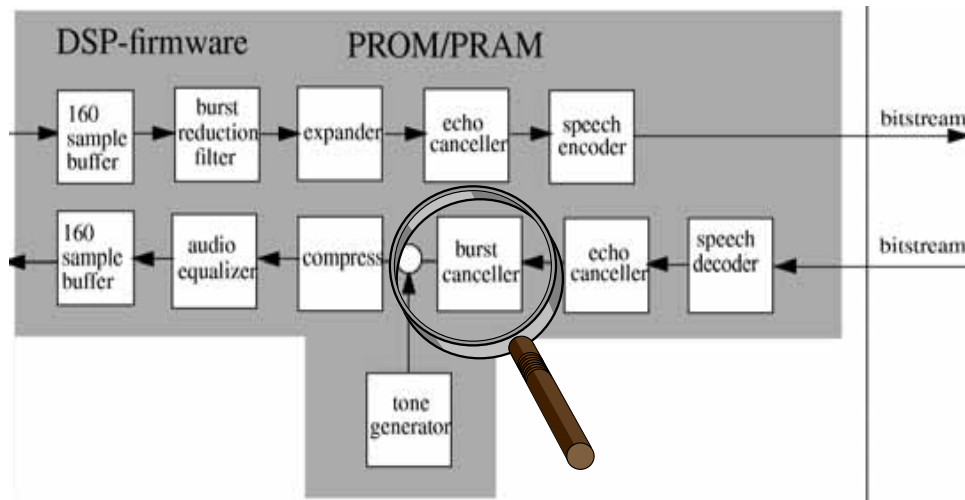
original



encoded/decoded signal



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Burst Canceller

Suppresses received bad audio frames in FR additional to the codec

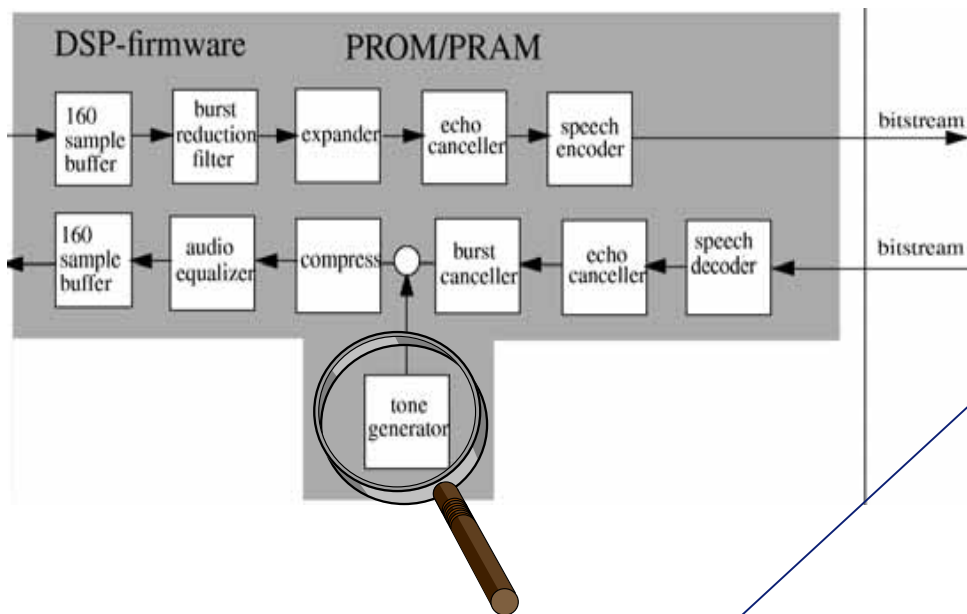
In FR there are only 3 check bits present which can decide if a received audio frame is good or bad.

These are not enough to detect reliable bad frames. So it could happen that distorted signals could reach the loudspeaker.

To prevent this the audio signal is checked for great surges. If an abnormal behaviors is detected the audio signal is set to 0.

Additional a GSM-message (RxQual = BER estimation) is interpreted which is not used in the speech codec but could be used for a better bad frame indication.

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Tone Generator

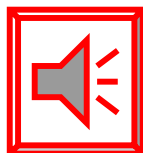
- generates dial-tones
- generates comfort noise

Comfort Noise

In a speech connection very often a period of silence occurs.

If the mobile performs DTX (discontinuous transmission) then the physical data transmission of the speech signal is interrupted.

To prevent silence in the speaker artificial noise is generated in the MS itself.

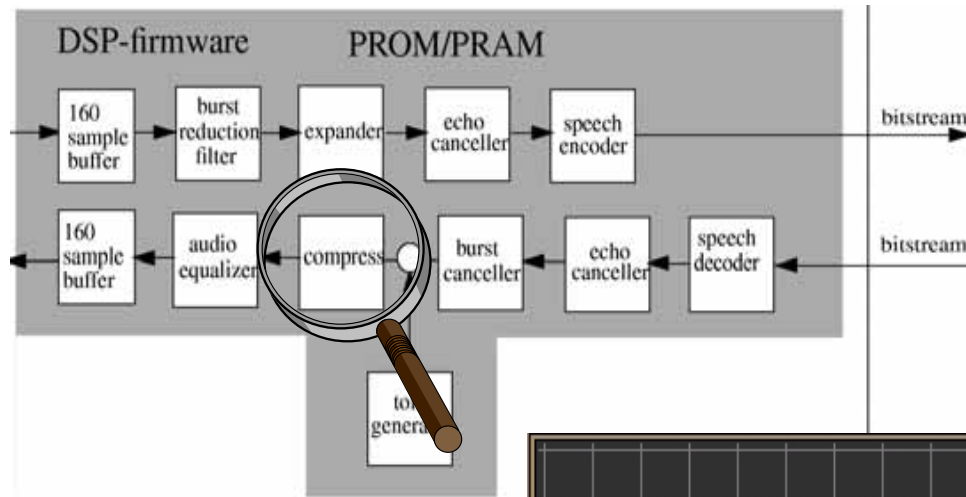


Dial Tones

Every number is defined as 2 mixed sine signals.

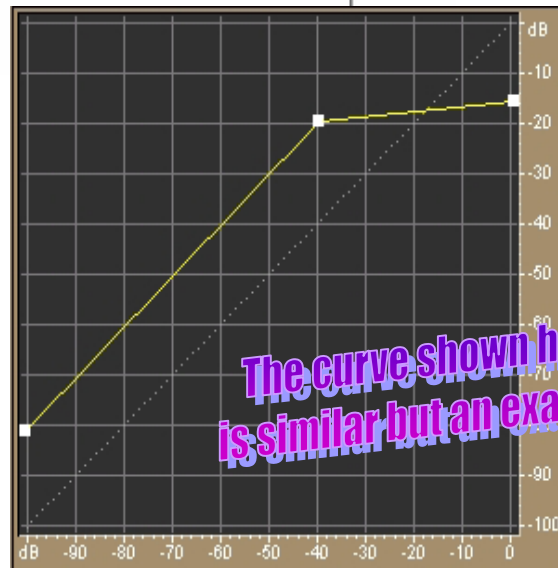
DTMF = Dual Tone Multiple Frequency

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Compressor

Dynamic reduction by reducing all level above a defined threshold



characteristic transmission curve

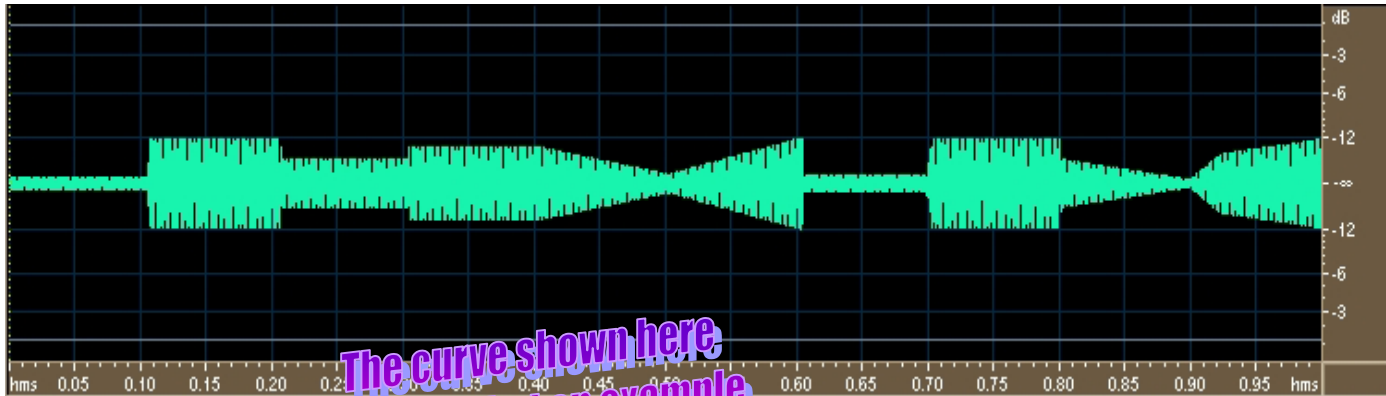
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output signal level [dB]

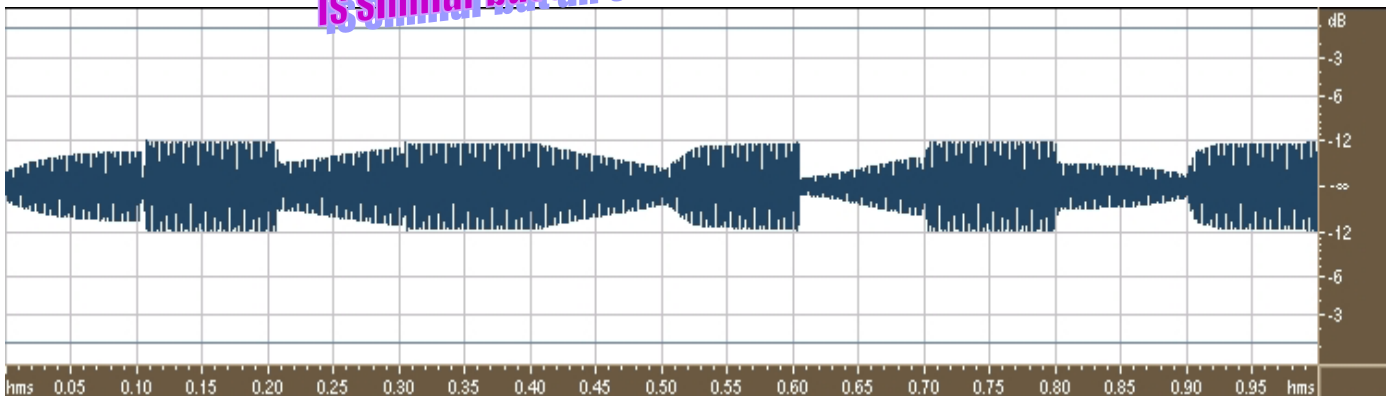
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origine:



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compressed:

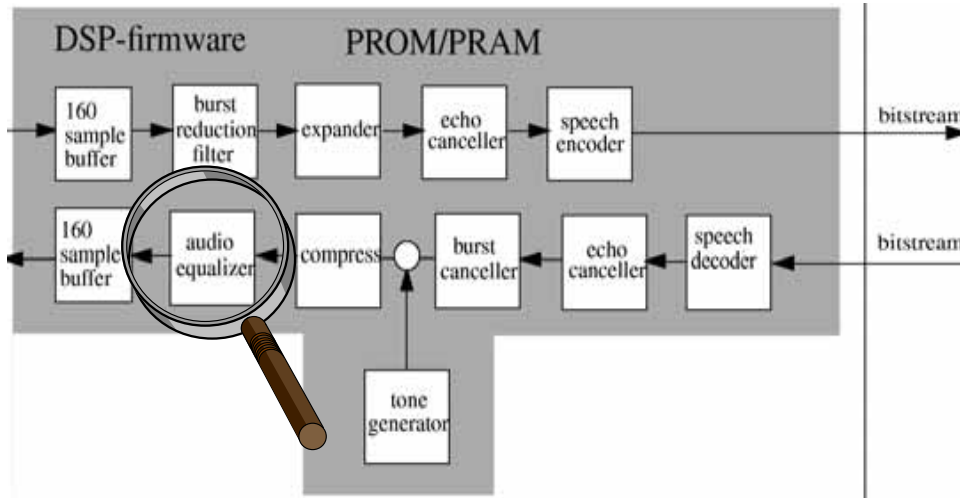


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Audio Equalizer

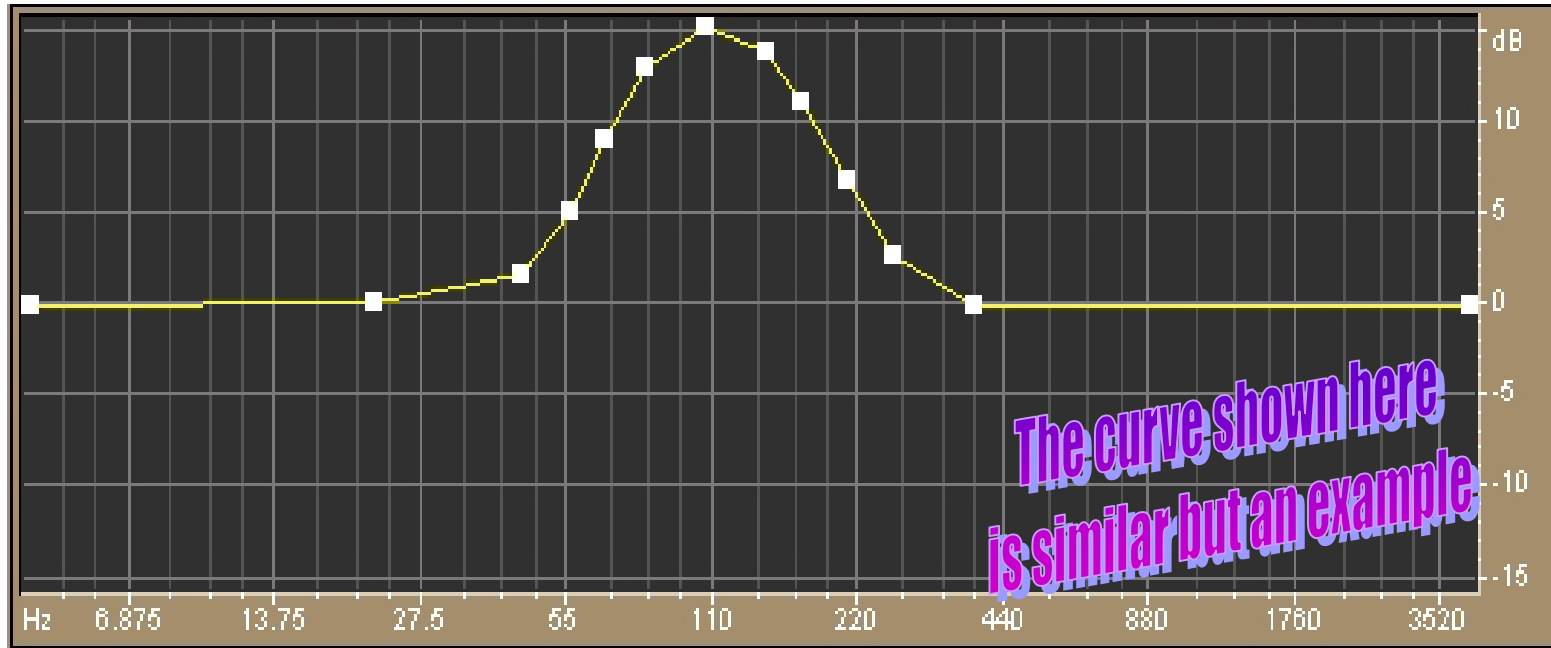
Adapts the acoustic behaviour to the subjective desires of the final customer

We use for instance a bass boost function which amplifies the range below 300Hz



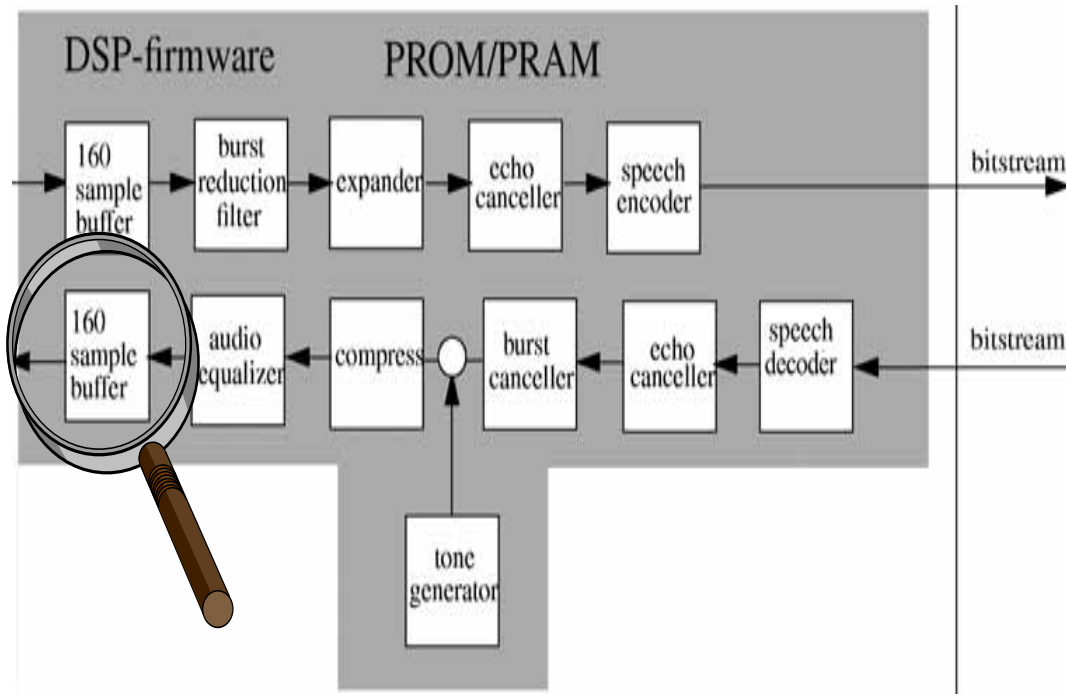
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Audio Equalizer Sample












speech origin :  speech equalized : 

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 160 audio samples
 (16bit, 8kHz) to
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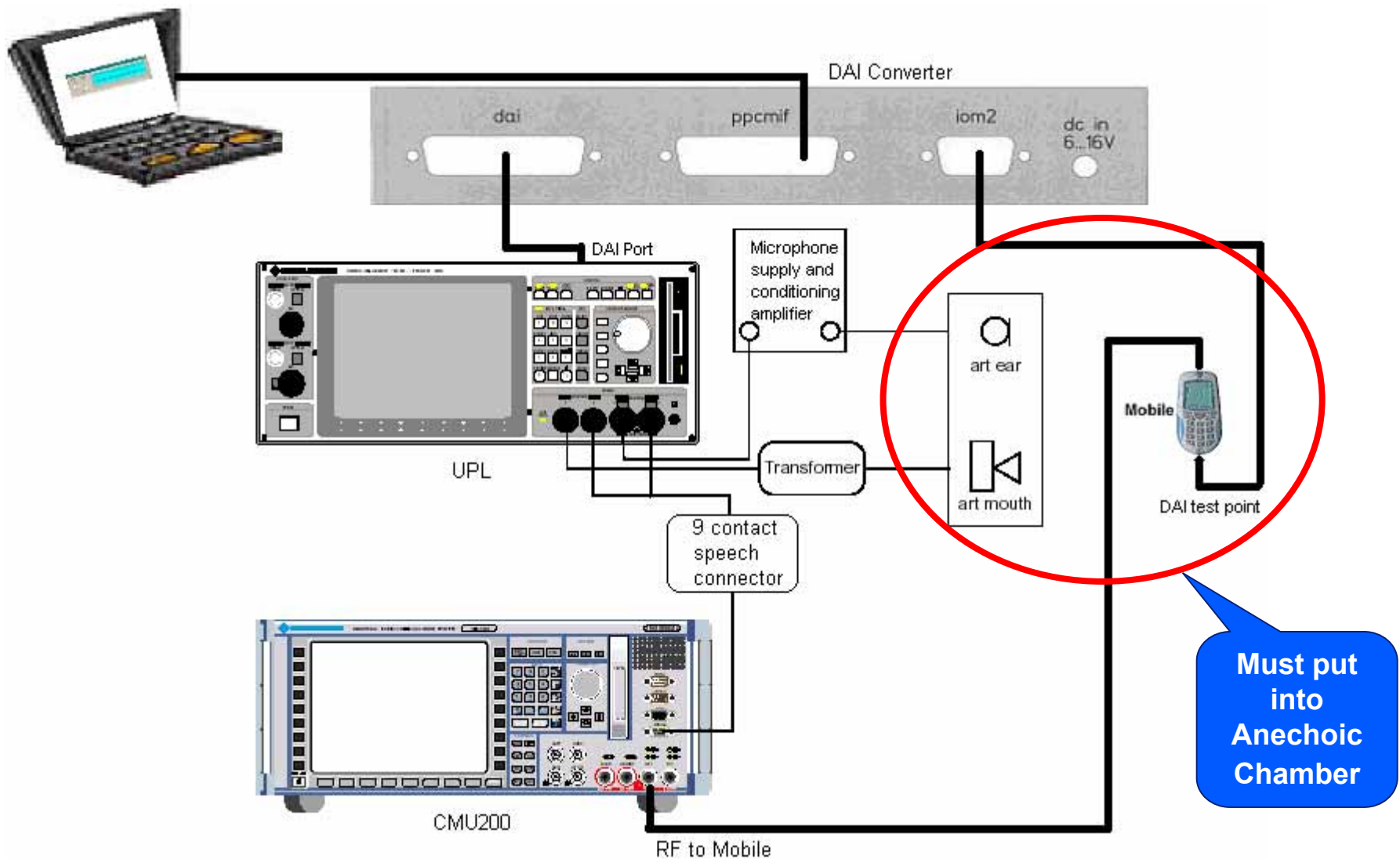
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Acoustic Test Bench

Requirements

- Phone with running phone software
- PC with running TAT-tool which complies to the phone software
- Serial connection between PC and phone
- Phone with accessible IOM-2-interface
- DAI-converter
- Audio Analyzer UPL16 with GSM-test-macro
- CMU200 with B52 option
- Anechoic chamber
- Telephone test head
- Ear Simulator
- Mouth Simulator
- Two channel Microphone Power Supply and Conditioning Amplifier
- Transformer
- Acoustic calibrator
- 9-contact speech connector

Acoustic Test Bench



Acoustic Test Bench

Account for devices (UPL)

- Roles description
UPL16 is the audio generator and analyzer
- Configure
 1. Load configure file from system (DAI test)
\\..F3→C:\GSM→shell→Exit→F11→ Load"r99_tst
→Ready→F6_run→select_type→test...
 2. Load configure file from system (OA test)
\\..F3→C:\ phonetst→shell→Exit→F11→ Load"gsm_tst
→Ready→F6_run→select_type→test...
 3. Load configure file for TDMA noise test
\\..F3→File→A:\RX_NOISE.SAC→Enter→GRAPH test...

Acoustic Test Bench

Account for devices (CMU200)

- Roles description

CMU200 is a full function BS for building a call with MS

- Configure

1. DAI Test(with DAI)

\..signal_off→network→Bit_stream→handset_low

\..call setup→MS signal→DAI→acoustic_device

2. OA Test(without DAI)

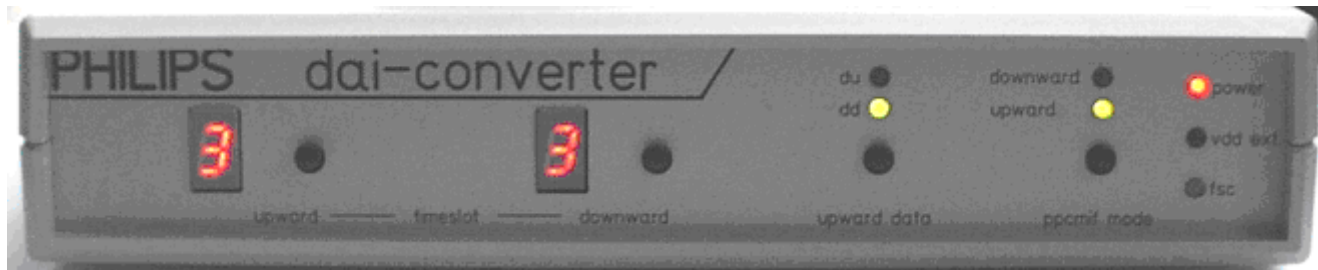
\..signal_off→network→Bit_stream→handset_low

\..call setup→MS signal→DAI→normal

Acoustic Test Bench

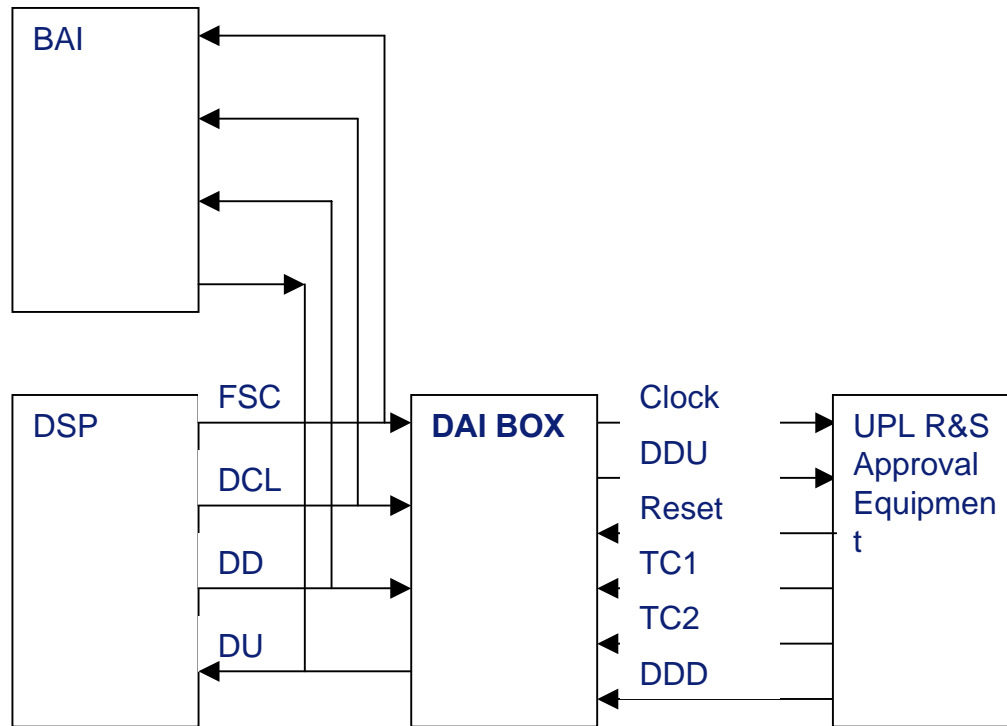
Account for devices (DAI converter)

- Roles description
 - ➔ Dedicated to Audio tests for Final Type Approval
 - ➔ Used to interface between the IOM2 bus from DSP&BAI and the audio analyzer test equipment of Approval (UPL16-B8/B9)
 - ➔ Convert the 16 bit data (slot configuration) on continuous 104 kHz data flow (13 bits)
 - ➔ Management of the reset signal provided by the test bench
- Configure
 1. DC in: 6~16V (typical 7.5V)
 - 2.



Acoustic Test Bench

- Connections DSP-DAI-UPL



Acoustic Test Bench

- Connector of IOM-2 interface

DAI Converter		Mobile Phone IOM-2	
Pin of connector	Signal of DAI	Pin of OM6357	Signal of IOM-2
1	DD	A9	ADO(DU)
3	DU	A8	ADI (DD)
6	DCL	B8	ACLK (DCL)
7	FSC	B9	AFS (FSC)
9	VDDD	C9	VDD1
others	GND	GND	GND

Acoustic Test Bench

Account for devices (Ear Simulator)

- Roles description

Measuring microphone with adapters for connection to the ear piece of the DUT

- Configure

1. DC Supply: 24V
2. Configure for its Amplifier

CH.	Start Hz	Stop kHz	OUT	UNIT
1	20	10	100m	V/Pa
2	0.1	100	1	V/Pa










Acoustic Test Bench

Account for devices (Mouth Simulator)

- Roles description
 - Special loudspeaker for simulation of the mouth
- Configure
 1. Impedance converter, scale 4:1

2.

Transformer Unit: 100Hz~100kHz
Input: 10V RMS Max.
Output: Load 4ohms Min.

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Test Cases in FTA for Audio

There are two kinds test method

- DAI test (use DAI converter)
- OA (Over Air) test(without DAI converter)

The requirements for audio are defined in GSM 11.10, chapter 30
“Speech teleservices”

There are 15 test cases for testing the audio compliance of the MS
defined and 7 of 15 must be fulfilled

GSM 11.10, 30.1: Sending Sensitivity/Frequency Response

GSM 11.10, 30.2: Sending Loudness Rating(SLR)

GSM 11.10, 30.3: Receiving Sensitivity/Frequency Response

GSM 11.10, 30.4: Receiving Loudness Rating(RLR)

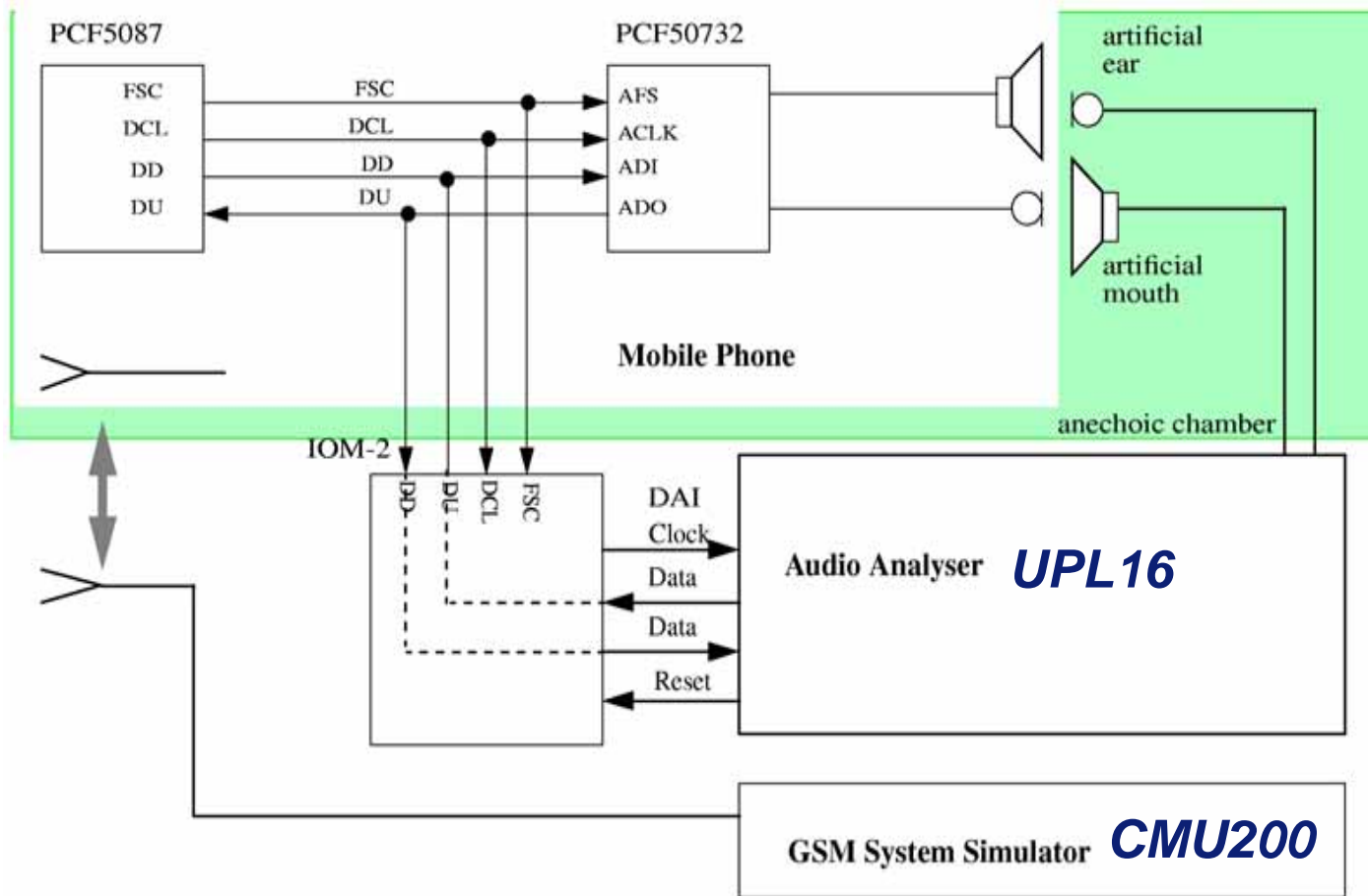
GSM 11.10, 30.5.1: Side Tone Masking Rating (STMR)

GSM 11.10, 30.6.2: Stability Margin

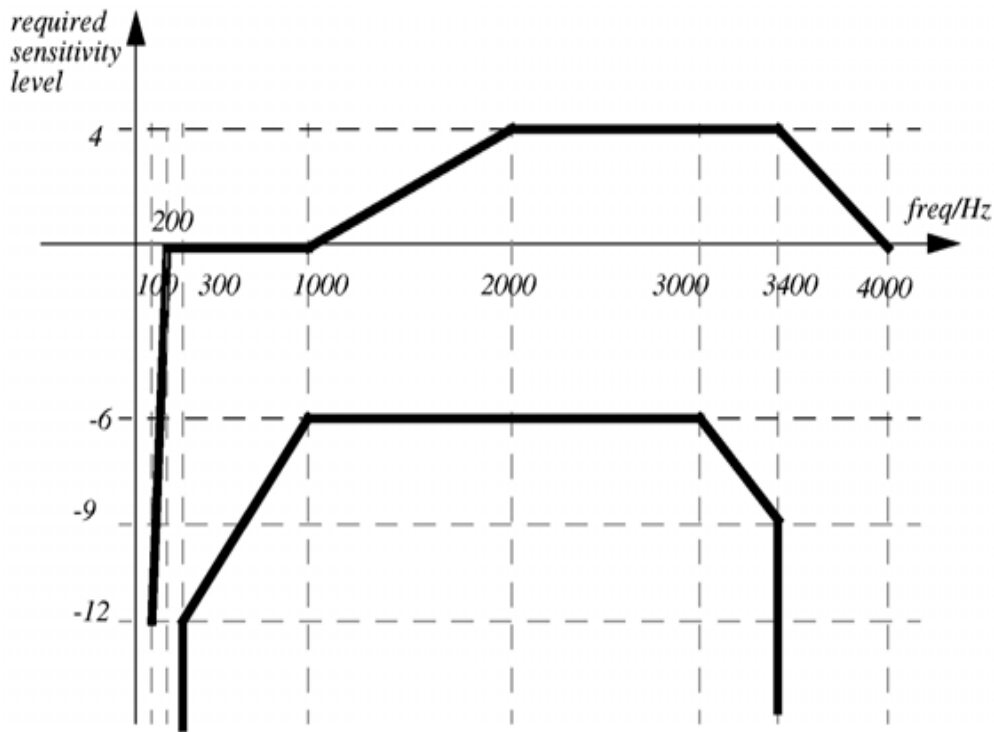
GSM 11.10, 30.7.1: Sending Distortion

Test Cases in FTA for Audio

Test setup which is used in customer support



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

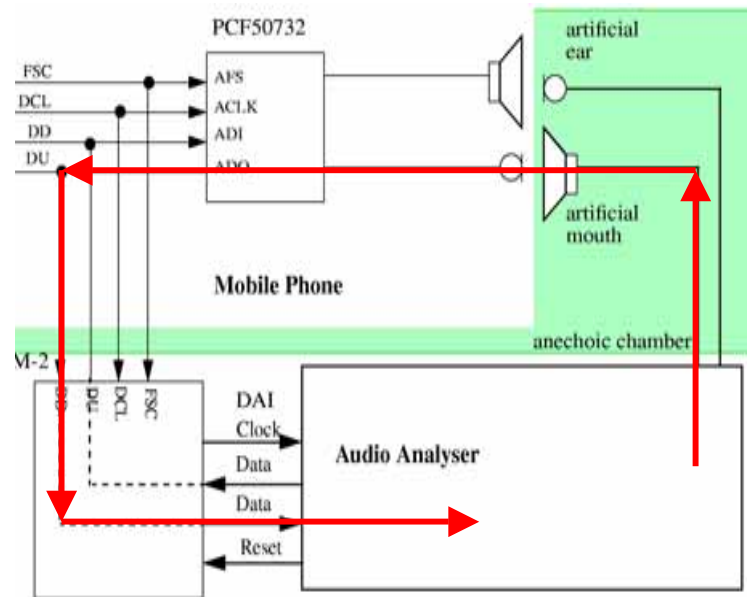


The absolute sensitivity keeps unconsidered.
 The sound pressure on the artificial mouth is 4.7dBPa

voltages are measured in the digital BAI-output signal

*Sending Sensitivity/Frequency Response GSM11.10, 30.1

The frequency of the audio path from MIC to the digital output must fit to pre-defined masks

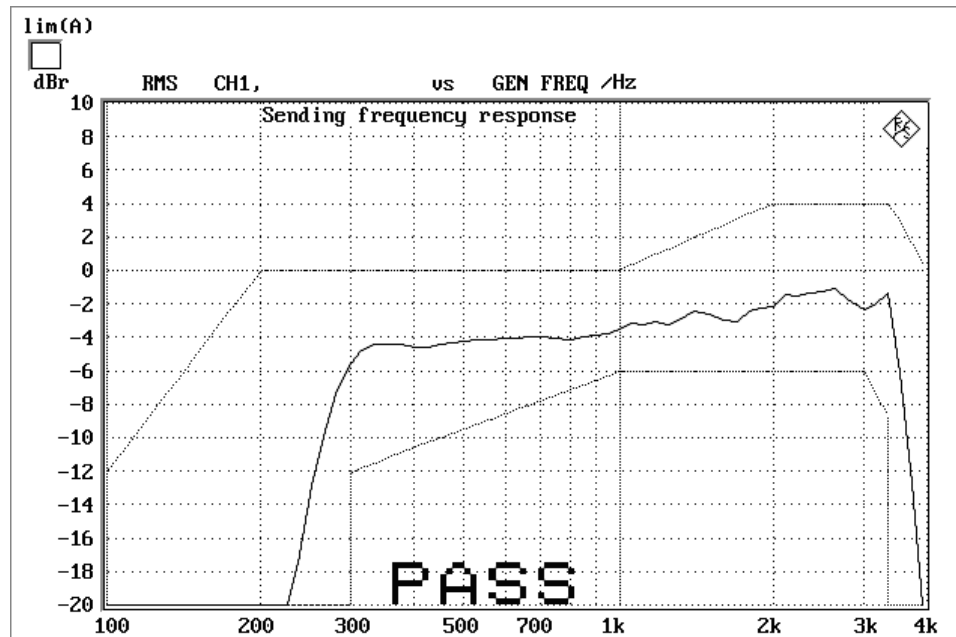


Test Cases in FTA for Audio

Limit lines according to GSM 11.10 table 30.1

Frequency (Hz)	Upper limit (dB)	Lower limit (dB)
100	-12	
200	0	
300	0	-12
1000	0	-6
2000	4	-6
3000	4	-6
3400	4	-9
4000	0	

Test example:



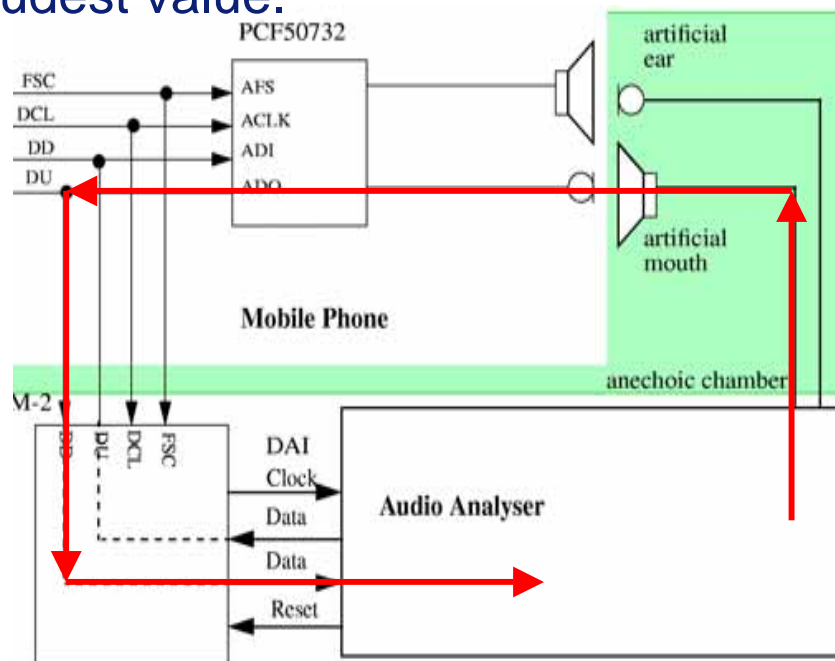
Test Cases in FTA for Audio

*Sending Loudness Rating GSM11.10, 30.2

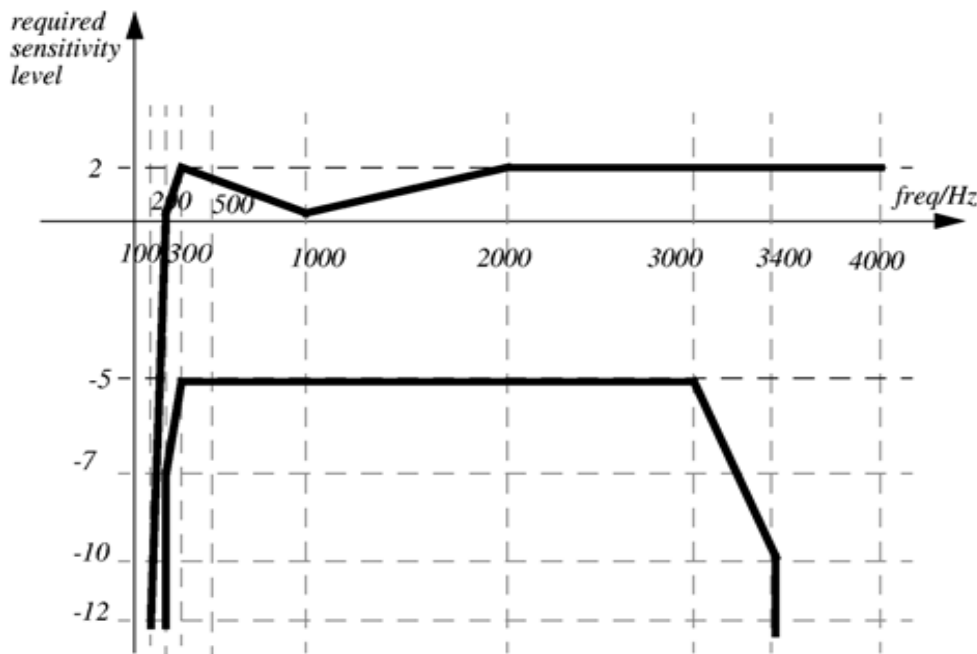
The loudness of the audio path from MIC to the digital output must be $5\text{dB} < \text{SLR} < 11\text{dB}$

The loudness is measured at 14 frequencies, 11dB is the smallest allowed loudness 5dB is the loudest value.

200	1000
250	1250
315	1600
400	2000
500	2500
630	3150
800	4000



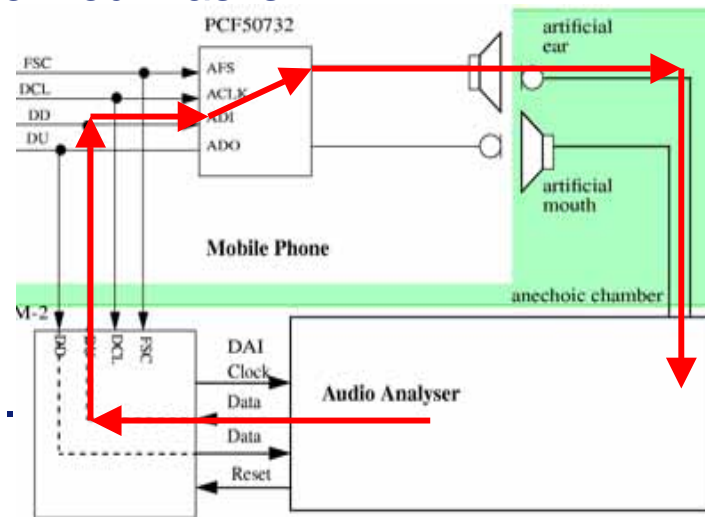
Test Cases in FTA for Audio



*Receiving Sensitivity/Frequency Response GSM11.10, 30.3

The loudness of the audio path from the digital input to the speaker must fit to pre-defined masks.

The absolute sensitivity keeps unconsidered.
 The sound pressure on the digital input is equivalent to -16dBm0
 Voltages are measured with the artificial ear which must be calibrated



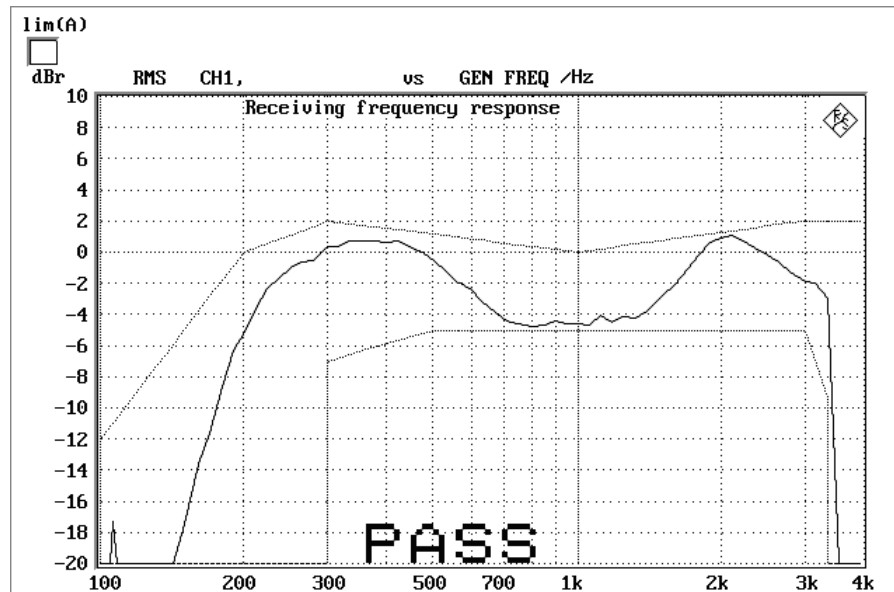
Test Cases in FTA for Audio

Limit lines according to GSM 11.10 table 30.2(ear type1)

Frequency (Hz)	Upper limit (dB)	Lower limit (dB)
100	-12	
200	0	
300	2	-7
500	*	-5
1000	0	-5
3000	2	-5
3400	2	-10
4000	2	

* Intermediate values are obtained when a straight line is drawn between the specified values and a logarithmic frequency scale and a linear dB scale are used.

Test example:



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

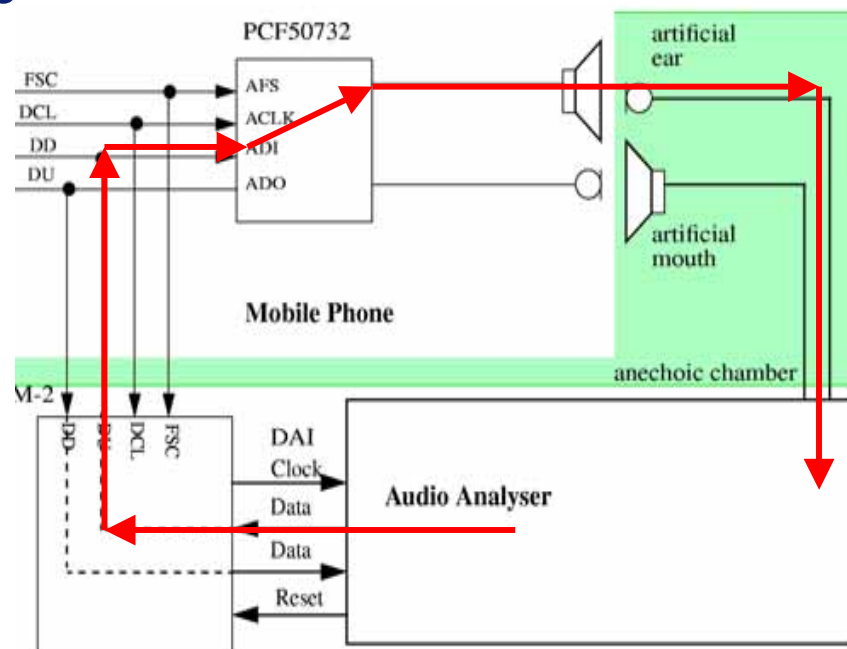
*Receiving Loudness Rating GSM11.10, 30.4

The frequency of the audio path from the digital input to the speaker must be $-1\text{dB} < \text{RLR} < 5\text{dB}$

The loudness is measured at 14 frequencies, 5dB is the smallest allowed loudness and -1dB is the loudest value

For the maximal volume setting RLR shall not be less than -13dB . i.e. not louder than -13dB .

200	1000
250	1250
315	1600
400	2000
500	2500
630	3150
800	4000



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

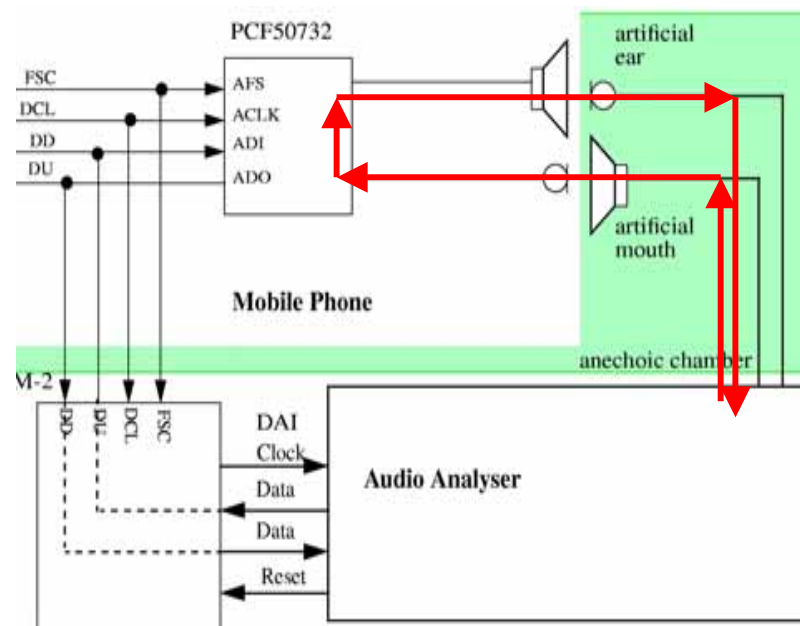
*Sidetone Masking Rating (STMR) GSM11.10, 30.5.1

The attenuation in the sidetone path must be $8\text{dB} < \text{STMR} < 18\text{dB}$, STMR is too high and will lead to an uncomfortable feeling for the user in noisy conditions-> We advice to target 16 or 17 dB

Inside the phone the mic-signal is feed back to the speaker-signal. This path is called sidetone path.

The sound pressure on the artificial mouth is -4.7dBPa .

The loudness is measured at 14 frequencies.



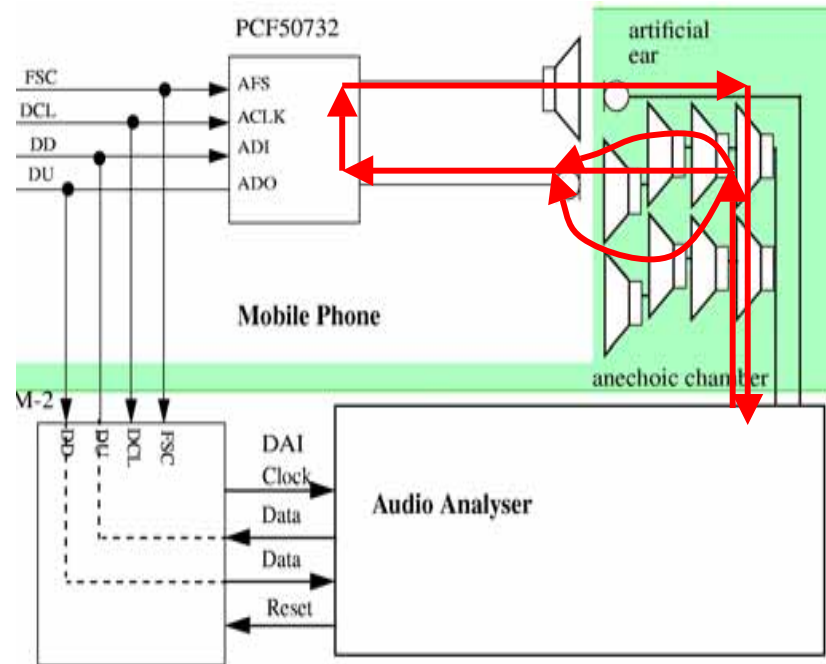
Test Cases in FTA for Audio

Listener Sidetone Rating (STMR) GSM11.10, 30.5.2

The attenuation for interfering signals (white noise sound field) in the sidetone path must be $>15\text{dB}$

Inside the phone the mic-signal is feed back to the speaker-signal. This path is called sidetone path.

8 sound sources produce a homogenic interferer field external sources are needed



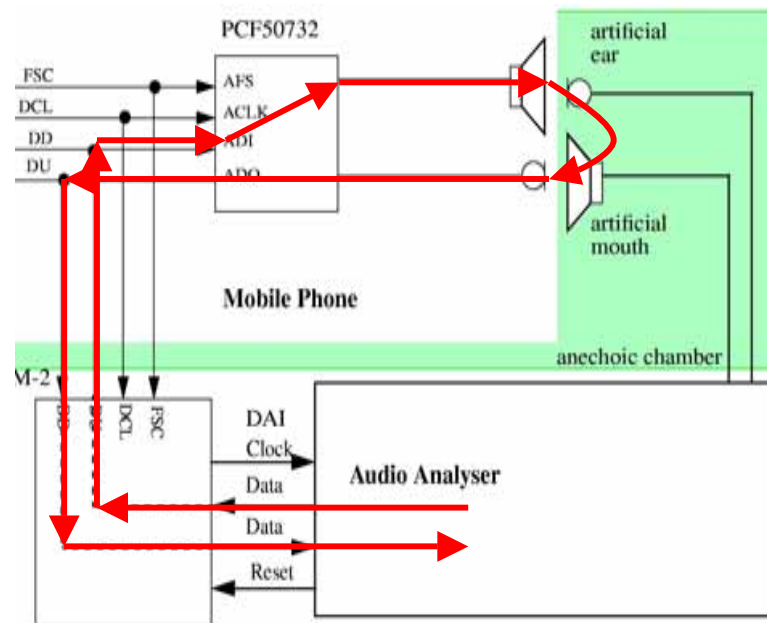
Test Cases in FTA for Audio

Echo Loss (EL) GSM11.10, 30.6.1

The attenuation for speech signals from the speaker to the microphone of the MS >46dB

Due to the small dimensions of the MS it is possible that speech generated from the speaker is feed back to the microphone of the MS

EL is measured with artificial male and female speech signals



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

*Stability Margin GSM11.10, 30.6.2

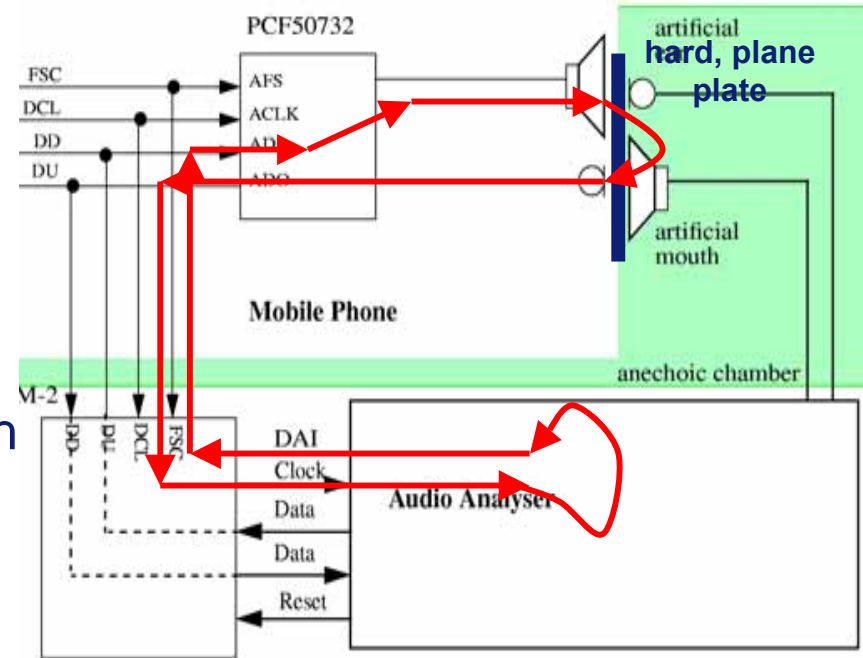
The loop attenuation for feedback loops >6dB

The MS is laying on a hard, plane plate

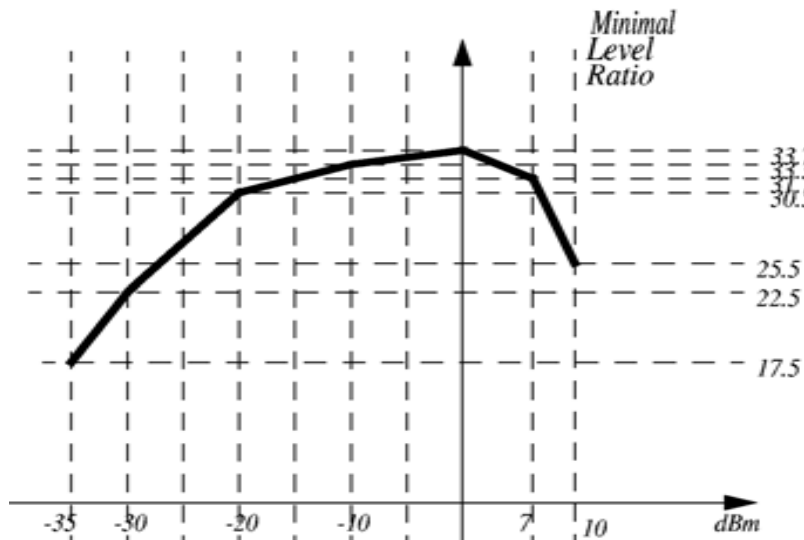
The overall feedback loop gain is adjusted to 6dB

To stimulate the loop a noise signal with a level of -10dBm0 is inserted for 1s

There must be no oscillation after this stimulation



Test Cases in FTA for Audio



*Sending Distortion GSM11.10, 30.7.1

The distortion must lower than limits (but the measured curve must be above the limit curve)

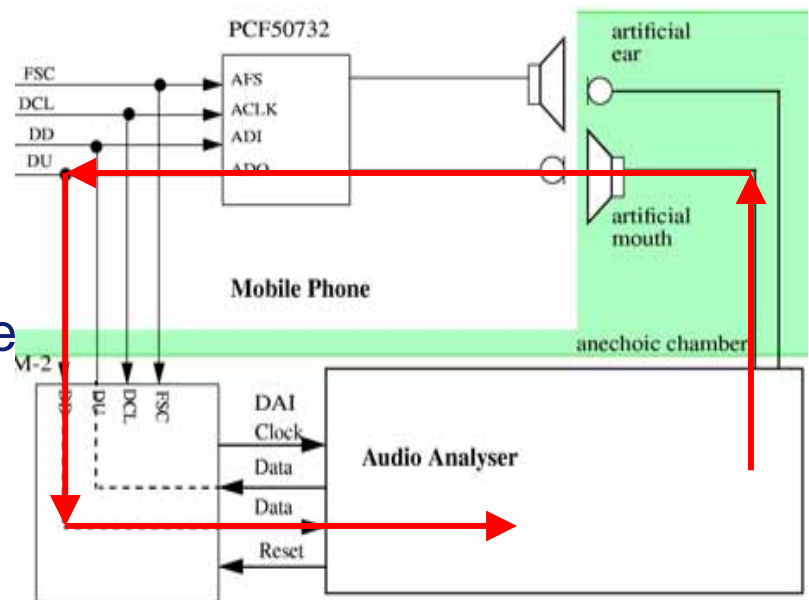
Without DAI, the results will lower 3-5dB

The mouth generates a sine signal with a frequency of 1015Hz

The level of this signal is measured on the digital output of the BAI

The level on the mouth is varied until the measured signal has -10dBm0 (ARL)

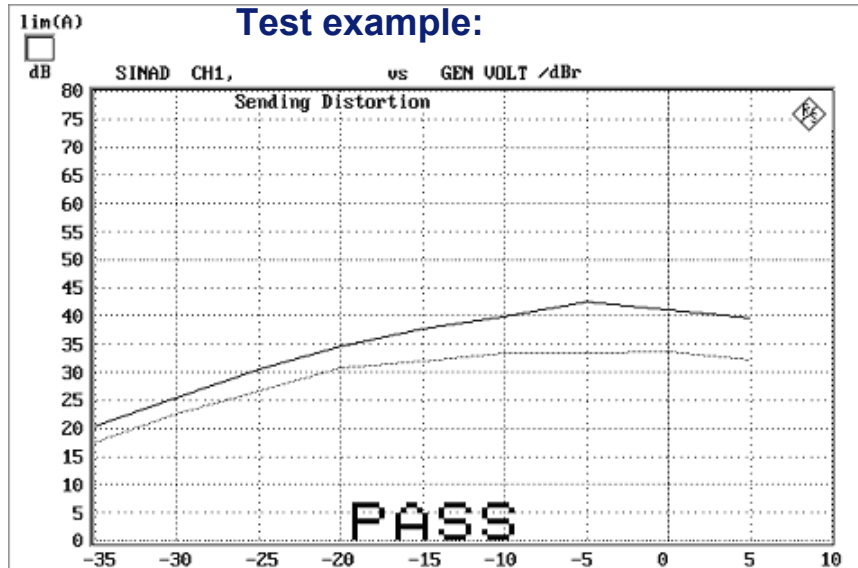
Then the measurement is done with 7 levels relative to ARL



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

Limit lines specified in table 30.3 of GSM 11.10

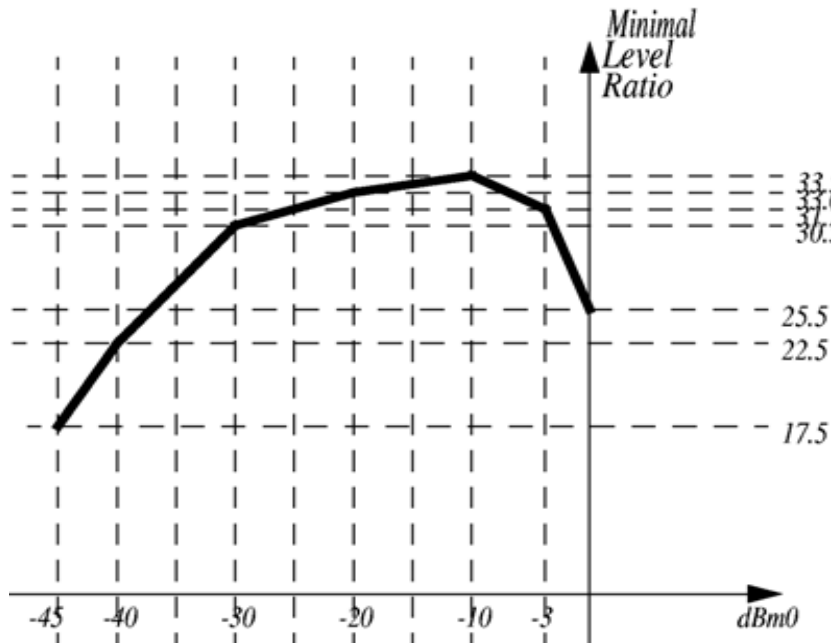
dB relative to ARL	Level ratio
-35 dB	17.5 dB
-30 dB	22.5 dB
-20 dB	30.7 dB
-10 dB	33.3 dB
0 dB	33.7 dB
7 dB	31.7 dB
10 dB	25.5 dB



What can improve the results when the test is Failed:

- The measurement have to be done with DAI and not through the codecs (SINAD 3 to 5 dB better by DAI->R&S information)
- The 216 Hz immunity have to be good enough. As the distortion measurement is performed when radio is in conducted way the 216 Hz level is usually low.
- The most important is to use a very quiet acoustic room.

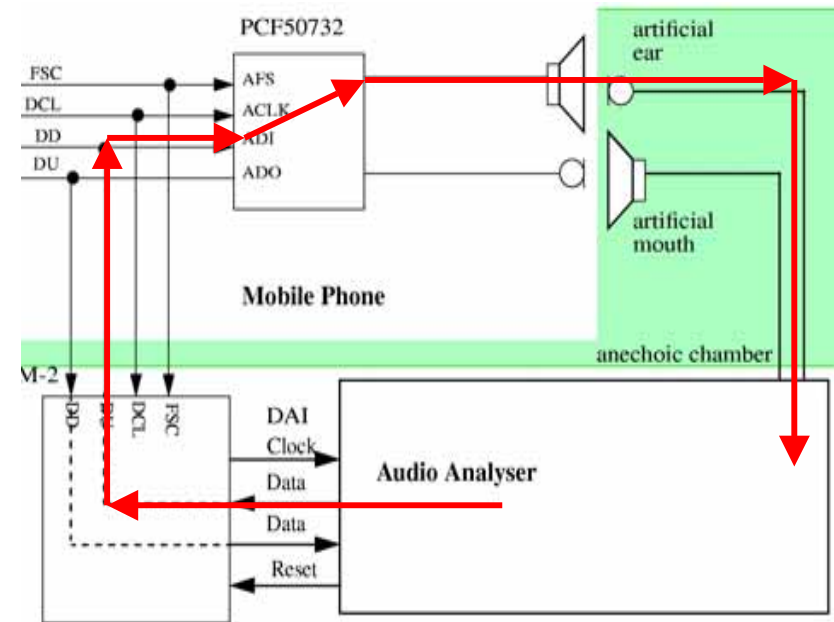
Test Cases in FTA for Audio



Receiving Distortion GSM11.10, 30.7.2

The distortion must lower than limits (but the measured curve must be above the limit curve)

The analyzer generates on its digital output a sine signal with a frequency of 1015Hz at a ARL-level
 The measurement is done with 7 levels relative to ARL



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

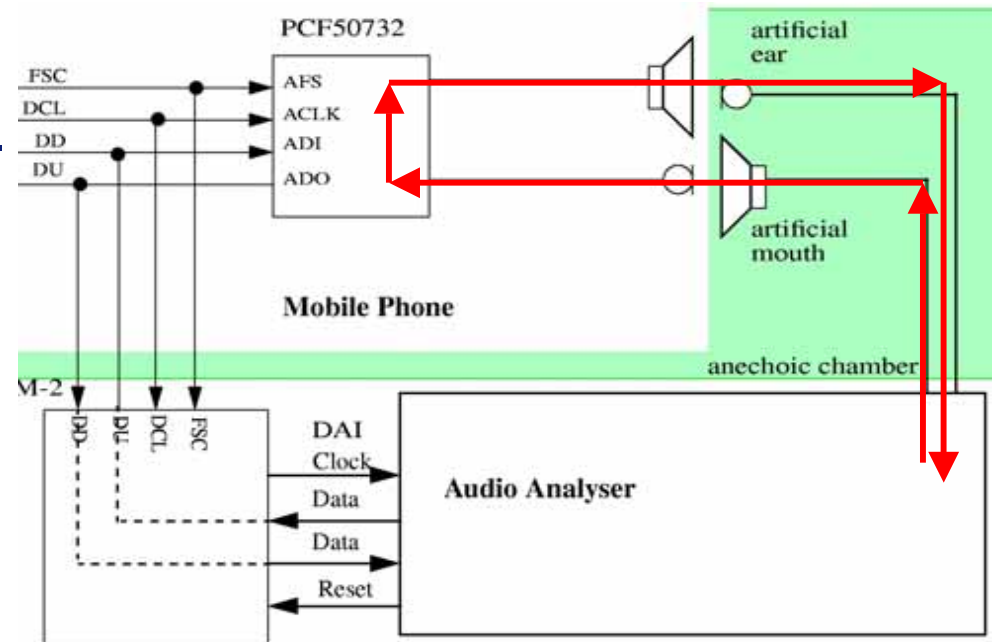
Sidetone Distortion GSM11.10, 30.8

The 3rd harmonic distortion must be smaller than 10% @ 3 frequencies

Inside the phone the mic-signal is feed back to the speaker-signal.

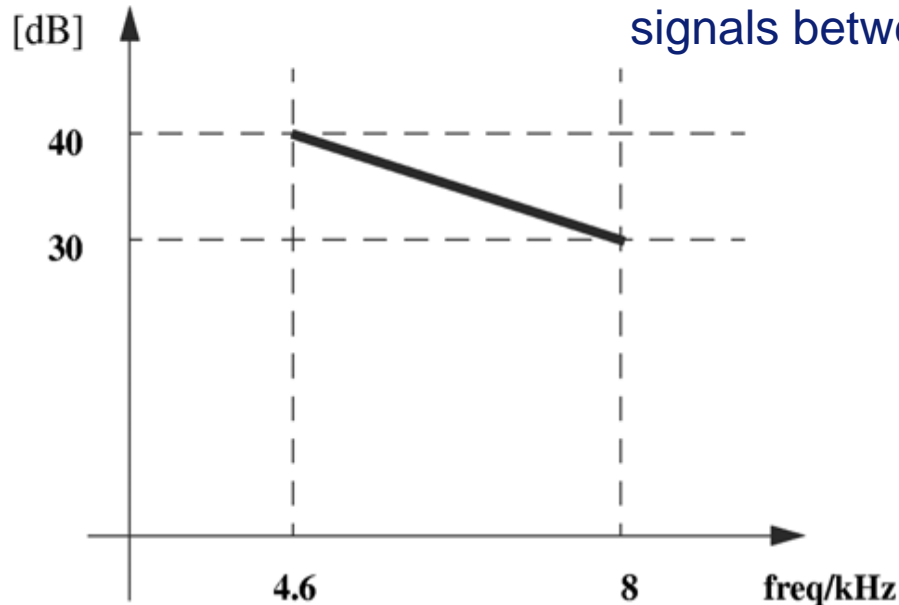
This path is called sidetone path.

The distortion is measured @ 315 Hz, 500 Hz, 1kHz



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

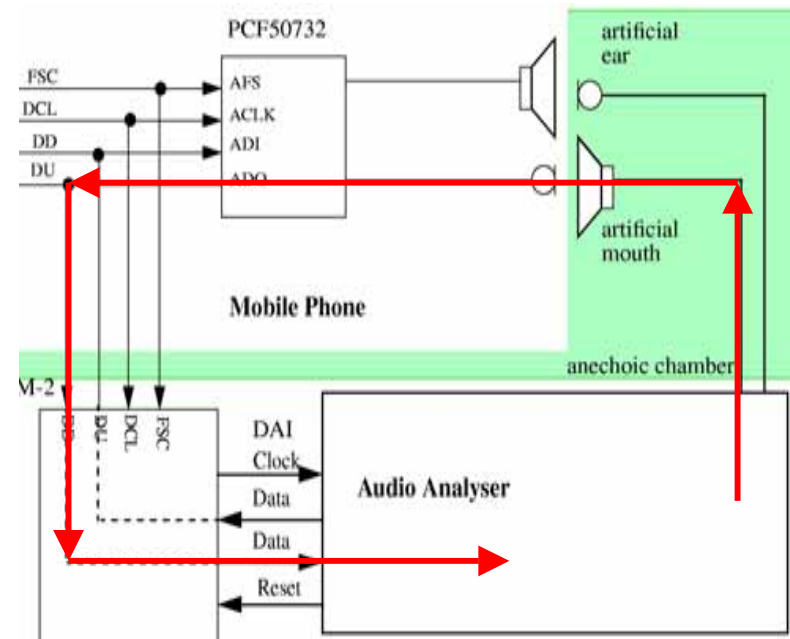
minimum image frequency discrimination



The artificial mouth generates sine signal with 1kHz and -4.7dBPa.
The level of spurious “out-of-band signals must be lower than the upstanding curve.

Out-of-Band-Signals Sending GSM11.10, 30.9.1

The sending path has to be insensitive for spurious signals between 1/2 sample rate and sample rate

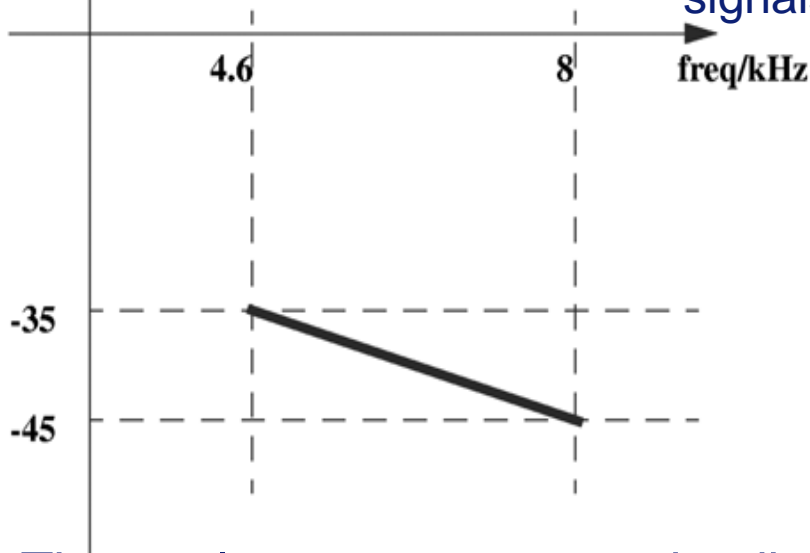


Test Cases in FTA for Audio

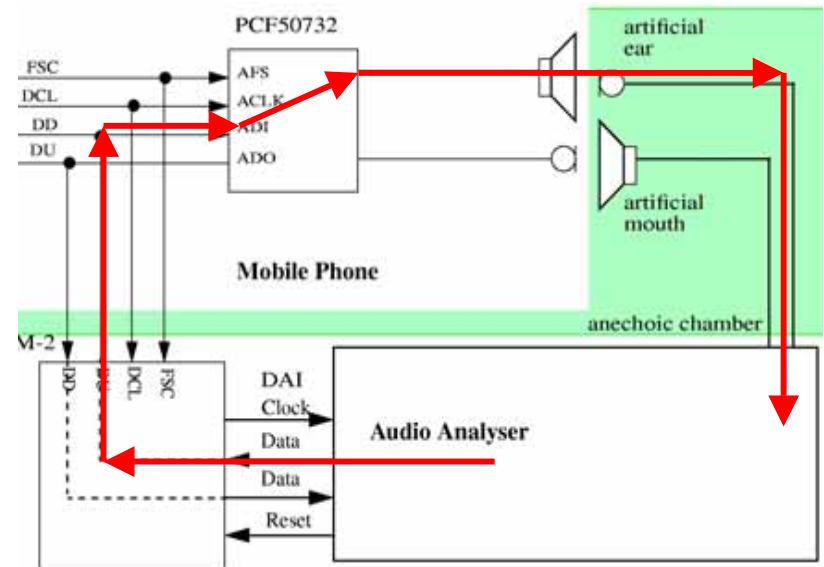
Out-of-Band-Signals Receiving GSM11.10,30.9.2

The receiving path has to be insensitive for spurious signals between 1/2 sample rate and sample rate

minimum image frequency discrimination [dBm0]



The analyzer generates on its digital output a sine signal of 1kHz.
 The level of spurious “out-of-band” signals must be lower than the upstanding curve.



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

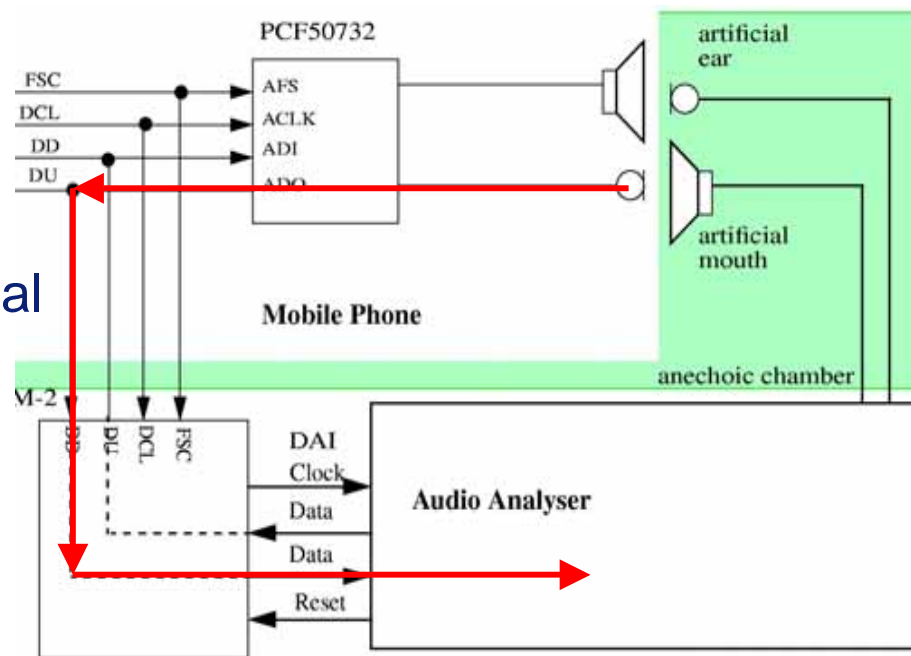
Idle Channel Noise Sending GSM11.10, 30.10.1

The idle noise must be smaller than -64dBm0p

The sending signal is measured in a quiet environment.

The anechoic chamber must be isolated very good from environmental Noise.

The analyzer does not produce any Signal.



Test Cases in FTA for Audio

Idle Channel Noise Receiving GSM11.10, 30.10.2

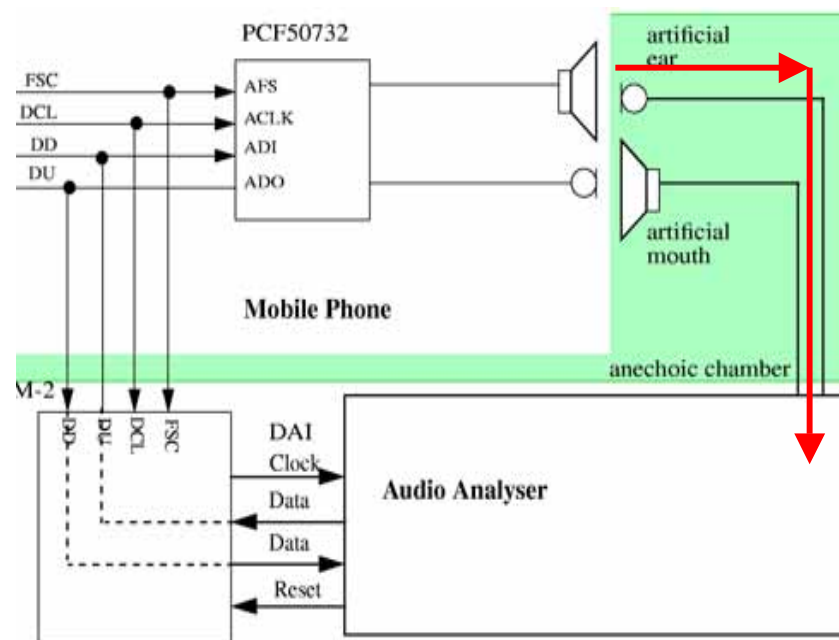
The idle noise must be smaller than -54dBPa @ maximum volume setting, -57dBPa @ nominal volume setting










The receiving signal is measured in a quiet environment.

The anechoic chamber must be isolated very good from environmental noise.

The analyzer does not produce any signal.

The volume of the phone is set to a nominal volume setting which is normally an adjustment in the middle and to maximum.



-  **Audio in GSM Mobile Phone**
-  **Hardware Components in Audio Path**
-  **HW Structure of PCF50732**
-  **VSP in PCF50732**
-  **Audio Firmware in R.E.A.L DSP**
-  **Acoustic Test Bench**
-  **Test Cases in FTA for Audio**
-  **How to Tune the Audio**
-  **TDMA Noise**

How to Tune the Audio

Main Purposes

- the phone has to fulfill the GSM-requirements
- the phone has to fulfill subjective criterias which are defined by the final users

Sometimes it is not easy to fulfill both requirements !!
Sometimes it is not easy to fulfill both requirements !!

How to Tune the Audio TAT Audio Loop: Main Window

Audio test
Audio Registers!

PCF5073-2 AUDIO PART

GENERAL LOOP SWITCH
 Off
 Loop
 TX Only

Mode Frequency generation
 Off
 On
 Free

SidePGA
 Bin: 0100000
 Hex: 0x10
 dB: 0
 TxPGA

RxVol
 User gains
 All gains
 Bin: 100000
 Hex: 0x20
 dB: 0.00
 RxPGA

Filter
 Bin: 0100000
 Hex: x10
 dB: 0
 RxPGA

Equalizer
 VSP

AMP
 L1: 35 dB
 L0: 7 dB

INPUT SWITCH
 MIC
 Norm.
 Aux.
 AUXMIC

AMPCTRL pin polarity
 Set to HIGH
 Set to LOW

Time Slot
 D: Rx 2 Tx 2
 S: Rx 2 Tx 2
 P: Rx 2 Tx 2
 B: Rx 2 Tx 2
 I: Rx 2 Tx 2

Mode VB Chopping
 On
 Off

Filter
 0
 1
 2
 3

VoiceBand Tuning
 dBm: 0

OUTPUT SWITCH
 EARAMP
 AUXAMP
 BUZAMP

EARAMP Differential Mode
 Off
 On

Callouts:

- Set digital gain on the microphone path
- Annul spurious
- Set Gain: L1=35dB L0=7dB
- Select MIC or AUX. MIC
- Enable external amplifier Not used in SSME
- set IOM2 bus config.
- Select Mobile's earpiece
- Select left headset's earpiece
- Select right headset's earpiece, for handsfree
- Set analog gain on the received path
- Adjust frequency response of the received path
- Second stage of digital gain on the received path
- First stage of digital gain on the received path
- Off: Audio Loop mode, RX/TX On: test RX only
- Off: loop is inactive Loop: loop is active TX Only: only TX can be done, Loop is inactive
- Set digital gain of the microphone signal feedback to the speaker

How to Tune the Audio Mode Frequency generation

PCF5073-2 AUDIO PART

Audio Registers!

ADD

ADI

User gains
All gains

100000 BIN
0x20 Hex
0.00 dB

RxVol

010000 Bin
x10 Hex
0 dB

RxPGA

Filter

0-3

Equalizer

VSP

VoiceBand Tuning

0 dBm

OUTPUT SWITCH

On Off
On Off
On Off
On Off

EARAMP
AUXAMP
BUZAMP

Mode Frequency generation

GENERATION

2200 Hz Frequency
0x1000 Level

Off On Free

QUIT (ESC)

AMPCTRL pin polarity
Set to HIGH
Set to LOW

Time Slot

D Rx 2 Tx 2
S Rx 2 Tx 2
P
B Rx 2 Tx 2
I

EARAMP Differential Mode
Off On

Test the received audio path

Generate a sound: Select Frequency, Level, Place GENERATION "On"

How to Tune the Audio

TAT Audio Loop: Audio Registers

The screenshot shows a software window titled "Audio Register" with two main sections for configuring audio registers. The left section is for the "Voiceband control register" and the right section is for the "Voiceband volume register".

Voiceband control register

- Input Source:** 0 (MICAMP, b0000, b0001, AUXMIC)
- Output Amplifier:** b0011 (AUXAMP, b0100, b1000, BUZAMP, b0011, EARAMP)
- Output Mode:** 1 (Single ended, b0000, b0001, Differential)
- AmpCtrl pin polarity:** 1 (Set to LOW, b0000, b0001, Set to HIGH)
- ASI Clock Mode:** 0 (Single clock, b0(0), b0(0), 1+2+3+ Clock)
- Tx gain boost:** 1 (7dB, b0000, b0001, 35dB)

Voiceband volume register

- TXPGA (Mic Calibration):** b010000 (-24 dB -> +12 dB)
- RXPGA (Earphone Calibration):** b010000 (-24 dB -> +12 dB)
- RXVOL (Customer volume Control):** b100000 (-30 dB -> +6 dB)
- SidePGA:** b000000 (-30 dB -> +6 dB)
- Bandgap setting Level:** b000
- Bandgap setting TC:** b000
- Experimental bits:** 0000

At the bottom of the window, there are four buttons: "Read Value From Audio test panel", "Send Value", "Send Value & Quit", and "QUIT (ESC)".

How to Tune the Audio Audio Data Section

Three sections for Half duplex echo suppresser

set audio gains specific to each modes

reduce the 217 Hz harmonics on mic. Path

Side PGA: only for normal and headset mode

Volume level table for modes: normal, headset, different Car Kit

Hands free table for hands free mode

4 equaliser sections for acoustic compensation

Three sections for Acoustic Echo canceller algorithm (full duplex)

AUDIO Section

Normal	Full Duplex Car Kit	Headset	Half Duplex Car Kit	Easy Car Kit	HandsFree
TxPGANormal: 11	TxPGA_SmartFDCK: 30	TxPGAHeadset: 18	TxPGA_HDCK: 39	TxPGA_EasyFDCK: 30	TxPGA_Handsfree: 8
RxPGANormal: F	RxPGA_SmartFDCK: 14	RxPGAHeadset: A	RxPGA_HDCK: E	RxPGA_EasyFDCK: 10	RxPGA_Handsfree: 10
Analog Normal: 1	Analog SmartFDCK: 3	Analog Headset: 2	Analog HDCK: 0	Analog EasyFDCK: 1	Analog Handsfree: 3

Half Duplex Echo Cancel	Full Dup Echo Cancell	Compact Car Kit
Total Attenuation: 4	mode: 211D	mode_CCK: 0
Car Kit Half Duplex	SmoothFactor: FFFA	SmoothFactor_CCK: FFFA
AttCorrection: FD70	Shift: 0	Shift_CCK: 300
AlphaAC: 13D	DtLevel2: FFF9	DtLevel2_CCK: FFFE
FastAlphaAC: 13D	NlmsStepFactor: FFF9	NlmsStepFact_CCK: FFF9
MaxLevelBGR: 6000	Threshold: FFFF	Threshold_CCK: 4000
MinLevelBGR: 3333	AlfaRev: 68	AlfaRev_CCK: 4000
ThrNearEcho: 263F	BetaRev: 7A00	BetaRev_CCK: 4CCC
ThrFarEcho: 1831	GammaNsp: 6000	GammaNsp_CCK: 6000
ThresholdSendIn: 8F5	GammaSp: 4666	GammaSp_CCK: 6000
ThrReceivIn: 1000	Spdet: 7F5C	Spdet_CCK: 6000
CnFactor: 4000	Ycomp: 0	Ycomp_CCK: 0
HandsFree Half Duplex	PtrLs: B7	PtrLs_CCK: A3
AttCorrection: F000	Handfree mode	
AlphaAC: 13D	mode_HF: 5	
FastAlphaAC: 13D	SmoothFactor_HF: FFFA	
MaxLevelBGR: 6000	Shift_HF: 300	
MinLevelBGR: 3333	DtLevel2_HF: FFFC	
ThrNearEcho: 1395	NlmsStepFact_HF: FFF9	
ThrFarEcho: 1831	Threshold_HF: FFFF	
ThresholdSendIn: 8F5	AlfaRev_HF: 68	
ThrReceivIn: 8F5	BetaRev_HF: 6800	
CnFactor: 4000	GammaNsp_HF: 6000	
	GammaSp_HF: 4666	
	Spdet_HF: 7000	
	Ycomp_HF: 0	
	PtrLs_HF: BC	

Volume Levels	Vol Levels HandsFree
Step0: 6	Step0: B
Step1: 8	Step1: E
Step2: C	Step2: 12
Step3: 10	Step3: 16
Step4: 16	Step4: 16
Step5: 20	Step5: 1C
Step6: 2E	Step6: 1C
Step7: 2E	Step7: 24
Step8: 2E	Step8: 24
Step9: 2E	Step9: 2E

Equalizer
Hands Free
Normal
HeadSet
CarKit

How to Tune the Audio

1. Sending Loudness Alignment

Pre-conditions

SidePGA set to 0

Do test 30.2 until loudness reaches the lowest allowed limit

Vary TxPGA and switch AMP

PCF5073-2 AUDIO PART

Audio Registers!

GENERAL LOOP SWITCH
 Off
 Loop-
 TX Only-

TxPGA
 010000 BIN
 0x10 Hex
 0 dB

AMP
 L1
 L0
 35 dB

SidePGA
 000000 Bin
 x00 Hex
 NF dB

RxPGA
 100000 BIN
 0x20 Hex
 0.00 dB

Filter
 0-
 1-
 2-
 3-

Equalizer

VoiceBand Tuning
 0 dBm

OUTPUT SWITCH
 On
 Off
 On
 Off
 On
 Off

INPUT SWITCH == MIC
 Norm.
 Aux. == AUXMIC

AMPCTRL pin polarity
 Set to HIGH
 Set to LOW

Time Slot
 D Rx 2 Tx 2
 S Rx 2 Tx 2
 P Rx 2 Tx 2
 B Rx 2 Tx 2
 I Rx 2 Tx 2

EARAMP Differential Mode
 Off On

EARAMP
 On
 Off == AUXAMP
 On
 Off == BUZAMP

EEPROM Mode
 On
 Off

Mode VB Chopping
 On
 Off

Decoupling Capacitor
 On
 Off

Mutual exclusion with General Loop Switch

Off- Mode Frequency generation
 On-

QUIT (ESC)

How to Tune the Audio

2. Receiving Loudness Alignment

Pre-conditions

SidePGA set to 0

Do test 30.4 until loudness reaches the lowest allowed limit

Vary RxPGA and switch VoiceBand-Tuning

The screenshot shows the 'Audio test' software interface for the PCF5073-2 AUDIO PART. The interface is divided into several sections:

- GENERAL LOOP SWITCH:** A switch with three positions: Off, Loop, and TX Only.
- SidePGA:** A control panel with three fields: Bin (0x000000), Hex (x00), and dB (NF). It is circled in red.
- RxPGA:** A control panel with three fields: Bin (010000), Hex (x10), and dB (0). It is circled in red.
- VoiceBand Tuning:** A control panel with a dBm field set to 0. It is circled in red.
- TxPGA:** A control panel with three fields: BIN (010000), Hex (0x10), and dB (0).
- AMP:** A control panel with a dB field set to 35.
- INPUT SWITCH:** A control panel with two positions: Norm. and Aux.
- AMPCTRL pin polarity:** A control panel with two positions: Set to HIGH and Set to LOW.
- Time Slot:** A control panel with two positions: Rx and Tx, each with a value of 2.
- Decoupling Capacitor:** A control panel with two positions: On and Off.
- EEPROM Mode:** A control panel with two positions: On and Off.
- Filter:** A control panel with three positions: 0-, 1-, 2-, and 3-.
- Equalizer:** A control panel with a VSP label.
- OUTPUT SWITCH:** A control panel with three positions: On, Off, and Buzamp.
- QUIT (ESC):** A button at the bottom right.

How to Tune the Audio

3. Receiving Frequency alignment

Pre-conditions

SidePGA set to 0

Do test 30.3 until loudness reaches the lowest allowed limit

Vary SidePGA

The screenshot shows the 'Audio test' software interface for the PCF5073-2 audio part. The interface is titled 'Audio Registers!' and 'PCF5073-2 AUDIO PART'. A red circle highlights the 'SidePGA' control panel, which includes fields for Bin (000000), Hex (x00), and dB (NF). Other visible controls include TxPGA, RxPGA, RxVol, AMP, Input Switch, AMPCTRL pin polarity, Time Slot, Decoupling Capacitor, Filter, VoiceBand Tuning, Equalizer, and Output Switch. A 'GENERAL LOOP SWITCH' is also present on the left side.

How to Tune the Audio

4. Sidetone Loudness Alignment

Pre-conditions










Do test 30.5.1 until frequency response fits to the masks

Vary Filter

The screenshot shows the 'Audio test' software interface for the PCF5073-2 audio part. The interface is titled 'Audio Registers!' and 'PCF5073-2 AUDIO PART'. It features several control panels and sliders:

- GENERAL LOOP SWITCH:** Includes 'Off', 'Loop', and 'TX Only' options.
- TxPGA:** Controls for BIN (010000), Hex (0x10), and dB (0).
- AMP:** Includes 'L1', 'L0', and '35 dB' settings.
- INPUT SWITCH:** Includes 'MIC' and 'AUXMIC' options.
- AMPCTRL pin polarity:** Includes 'Set to HIGH' and 'Set to LOW' options.
- Time Slot:** Includes 'Rx' and 'Tx' settings for 'D S P' and 'B B I'.
- Decoupling Capacitor:** Includes 'On' and 'Off' options.
- Mode VB Chopping:** Includes 'On' and 'Off' options.
- VoiceBand Tuning:** Includes '0 dBm' setting.
- OUTPUT SWITCH:** Includes 'On' and 'Off' options for 'EARAMP', 'AUXAMP', and 'BUZAMP'.
- Filter:** A slider control currently set to 0, circled in red.
- Equalizer:** Includes 'VSP' label.
- SidePGA:** Controls for Bin (000000), Hex (x00), and dB (NF).
- RxPGA:** Controls for Bin (010000), Hex (x10), and dB (0).
- RxVal:** Controls for Mode (On/Off), BIN (100000), Hex (0x20), and dB (0.00).

A legend at the bottom left indicates 'Mode Frequency generation' with 'Off' and 'On' options. A 'QUIT (ESC)' button is located at the bottom right.

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TDMA Noise

The main work for a transceiver audio part is to assure a good 217 Hz and harmonics (TDMA noise) immunity; this is not controlled by above audio tests.

TDMA Noise: The 217 Hz harmonics components come from the radio part. When the radio Power Amplifier is activated, it generates 900 MHz or 1800 MHz signal during 1/8 of time each 4.615 ms (1 time slot, without considering GPRS feature). The 4.615 ms correspond to 216.684 Hz (Called 217 Hz, also called TDMA noise)

TDMA Noise can transmit to the audio part by three ways.

- Through the supplies**
- Demodulation effect of component through different paths on the board(track coupling)**
- Demodulation effect of component through the radio air interface (from the antenna to microphone for example)**

Following audio test is able to check the immunity to the first two phenomenon mentioned above

TDMA Noise

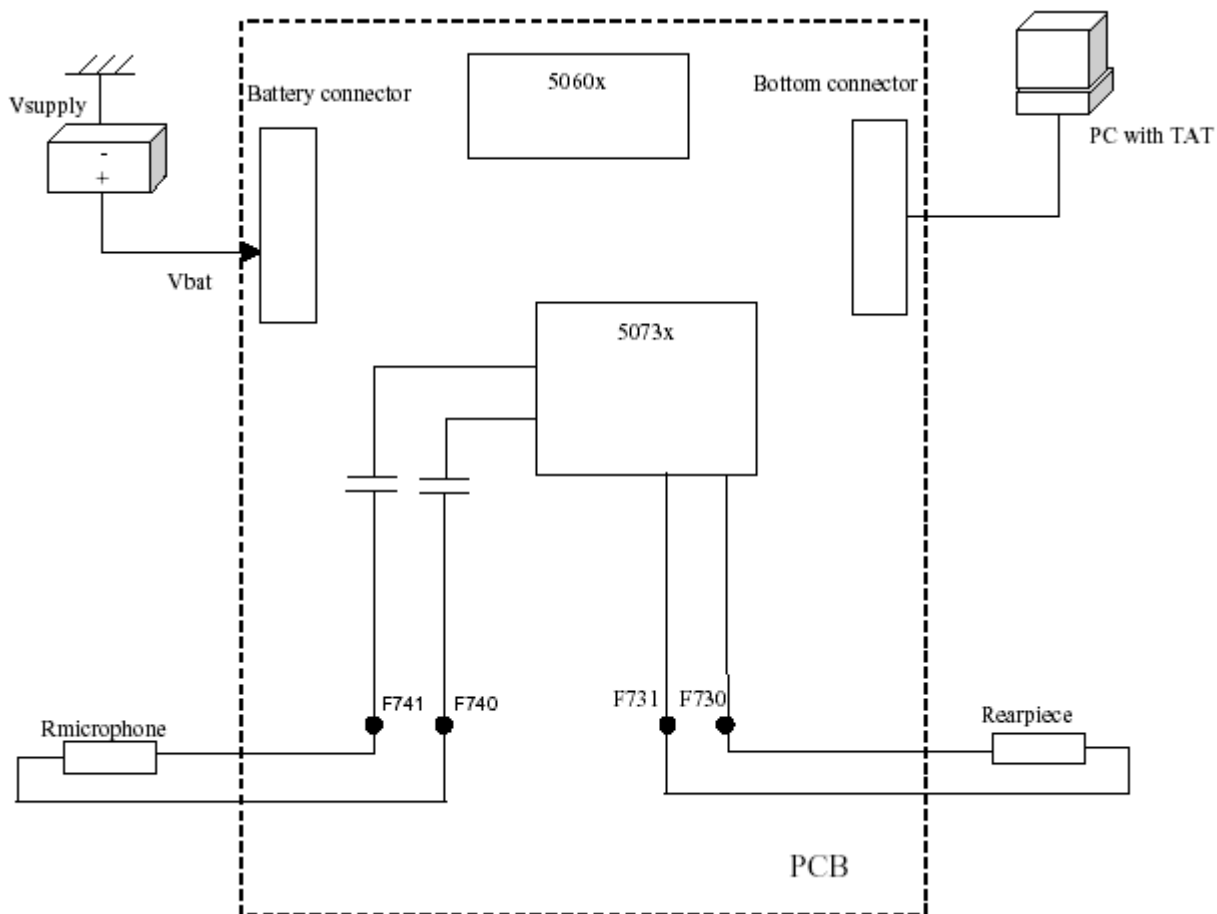
Test equipments

To perform this test the following equipment or equivalent is required

- TAT software
- Dynamic signal analyzer HP 35670A (audio spectrum analyzer able to scan a frequency band width from 0 to 100KHz min)
- Power supply (Fluke PM2813) or 66319B (Hewlett Packard)
- Audio analyser 10 Hz-100kHz UPA3 (Rodhe & Schwartz)

TDMA Noise

Test Setup



TDMA Noise

Audio loop mode

- Set a 2.2Kohms instead microphone and a 16 Ohms resistor instead the speaker
- Activate HFAVDD to 3.05 Volts (regulator panel)
- Set the GPIO2 to 0 (Sys. Ctrl→GPIO/GPON/PWM panel)
- Set the following Gain Values (Audio panel):
Gtx=35dB (MICHI=35dB, TXPGA=0 dB); Grx=0dB (RXVOL=RXPGA=RXANA=0dB)
- Switch on the general switch (audio loop mode)
- Activate the radio part (max power: Level5 for GSM and level0 for DCS)

A spectrum analysis has to be performed and the 217Hz fundamental and harmonics 2,3 and 4 levels but also the noise floor level (at 800Hz between two harmonics) have to be measured twice (once in GSM mode and once in DCS mode) on :

-VBAT

-Between MICN and MICP (F740-F741)

-Between EARN and EARP (F730-F731)

TDMA Noise

Measurement result

- Measurements in GSM mode:

	217Hz	H2	H3	H4	Noise Level 800 Hz	Limit (max) dBV
VBAT						Around -20
Between MICAMP N & P (F740-F741)						-102
Between EARP1 and EARP2 (F730-F731)						-85

- Measurements in DCS mode:

	217Hz	H2	H3	H4	Noise Level 800 Hz	Limit (max) dBV
VBAT						Around -20
Between MICAMP N & P (F740_F741)						-102
Between EARP1 and EARP2 (F730_F731)						-85

TDMA Noise

RX path only

Only the RX part is tested

- Set a 16 Ohms resistor instead the speaker
- Set the following Gain Values (audio panel) :
Grx=0dB (RXVOL=RXPGA=RXANA=0dB)
- Activate HFAVDD to 3.05 Volts (regulator panel)
- Set GPIO2 to 0 and select normal output for Normal mode measurement
or set GPIO2 to 1 and select Buz output for LM 4877 outputs measurement for hands free mode
- Select the mode frequency generation (f =none, level=1000) and activate the switch.
- Activate the radio part (max power)

A spectrum analysis has to be performed and the 217 Hz fundamental and harmonics 2 3 and 4 levels but also the noise floor level (at 800Hz between two harmonics) have to be measured twice (once in GSM mode and once in DCS mode) on:

-Between EARN and EARP (F730-F731)

TDMA Noise

Measurement result

-Measurements in GSM mode:	217Hz	H2	H3	H4	Noise Level 800 Hz	Limit (max) dBV
EARP1 and EARP2 Normal mode(F730-F731)						-105
EARP1 and EARP2 Hands free mode(F730-F731)						-65

-Measurements in DCS mode:	217Hz	H2	H3	H4	Noise Level 800 Hz	Limit (max) dBV
EARP1 and EARP2 Normal mode(F730-F731)						-105
EARP1 and EARP2 Hands free mode(F730-F731)						-65

If the results are above the indicated limits the issue can come from:

- Power supply rejection
- Demodulation phenomenon

To suppress these noise need fine tuning and also depends on different layout and shielding etc., maybe require a mechanic and is the customer's liability

