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Programming Guide

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Conventions used in this Programming Guide

Throughout this Programming Guide the term "test set" refers to an Agilent Technologies 8960 Series 10 wireless communications test set with the GPRS mobile test application installed.

Purpose of this Programming Guide

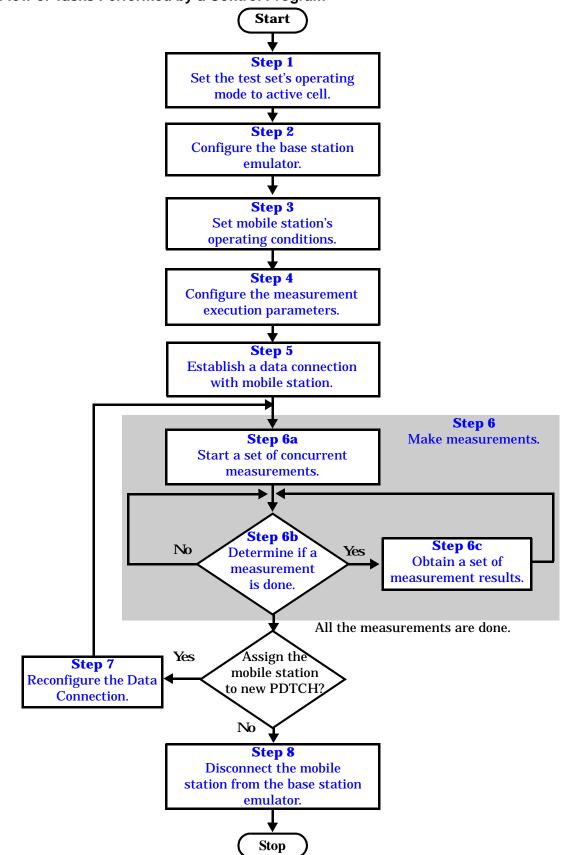
The test set represents state-of-the-art technology in one-box-testers and contains many powerful test capabilities which are accessible through easy-to-use GPIB programming commands. The purpose of this Programming Guide is to teach you how to write a basic control program, using the test set's GPIB command set. This program will perform fundamental manufacturing tests on a mobile station with the test set operating in active cell mode.

How this Programming Guide is Organized

The Programming Guide is organized around a typical set of tasks a control program would normally perform when testing a mobile station in a manufacturing environment. The set of tasks is shown in "Figure 1. Typical Flow of Tasks Performed by a Control Program" on page 15.

Typically in a manufacturing environment:

- steps 1, 2, 3, and 4 are done once each time a production run is started,
- steps 5 and 8 are done once for each mobile station tested during the production run,
- steps 6 and 7 are done iteratively for each mobile station tested during the production run. The number of iterations for these steps is dependent upon how many mobile station operating conditions are being tested (that is, number of channels, number of power levels, and so fourth).





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How to use this Programming Guide

This Programming Guide is divided into 9 sections. Sections 1 through 8 (Step 1 through Step 8) should be read in sequence. Each section, in order, describes one of the tasks to be performed by the control program and shows how to accomplish that task using the test set's GPIB command set. As you progress through each section your understanding of how the test set's GPIB interface operates will increase as you see the control program evolve.

The last section of the Programming Guide presents a "Comprehensive Programming Example" on page 49 which uses all of the topics discussed in sections 1 through 8 together in one program to give you a sense of how to tie everything together.

About the Programming Examples Presented in This Programming Guide

Programming Language:

The programming examples presented in this guide are written in the HP BASIC programming language, also known as Rocky Mountain BASIC or RMB.

Syntax Used in Programming Examples:

• The programming examples use the shortened form of the command syntax to reduce test time by minimizing GPIB bus transactions. The shortened form of a command is defined by use of capital letters in the command syntax. For example, for the command syntax:

SETup:TXPower:CONTinuous <ON|1|OFF|2>

the shortened form would be:

SET:TXP:CONT <ON | 1 | OFF | 2>

• The programming examples do not include optional nodes. Optional nodes in the command syntax are defined by enclosing the node inside the [] brackets. For example, the command syntax:

CALL:PDTCH[:ARFCn][:SELected] <numeric value>

appears in the programming examples as:

CALL:PDTCH <numeric value>

• The programming examples make extensive use of compound commands using the ; and the ;: separators. Refer to the test set's reference documentation for details on the definition and use of these command separators.

Step 1: Set the Test Set's Operating Mode to Active Cell

Background

The test set contains a base station emulator with the primary purpose of providing the call processing necessary for parametric measurements on the RF signals of a mobile station with GPRS capability.

An important characteristic of the test set's base station emulator is its operating mode. The operating mode sets the way in which the base station emulator interacts with the mobile station. Active cell mode is used when emulating a normal cell.

This Programming Guide focuses on programming the test set's base station emulator in active cell operating mode.

Overview of Active Cell Operating Mode

Active cell is the only operating mode currently available. It provides active signaling between the mobile station and the base station emulator.

Active Cell Features

The basic features provided by the base station emulator when the operating mode is set to active cell are:

- Generation of a BCH (broadcast channel).
- Support for Routing Area and Location Area updates.
- Support for the Agilent proprietary BLER data connection.
- The ATTACH procedure is supported.
- The DETACH procedure is supported.
- · Packet data transfers on the uplink and downlink are supported.
- All measurements supported in the test application are available.
- The base station emulator automatically controls the test set's receiver.

Step 2: Configure the Base Station Emulator

- "The Base Station Emulator"
- "Configuring the Broadcast Channel Parameters"
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The Base Station Emulator

In active cell operating mode the base station emulator, using the test set's GMSK modulated source, generates a downlink (base station to mobile station direction) broadcast channel (BCH) which represents a cell. The mobile station can "camp" to this signal, just as it would camp to a cell on a real network, and performs an attach procedure to register the mobile station with the network. A Packet Data Traffic Channel (PDTCH) can then be established using an Agilent proprietary data connection designed to accommodate block error rate reports from the mobile station. You can also make transmitter measurements using this data connection. Data is transferred in both the downlink and uplink directions. Measurements can be made, using the base station emulator's measurement receiver, under essentially identical conditions to that which the mobile station would experience on a real network.

The base station emulator emulates a cell in any one of the following GSM frequency bands:

- PGSM Primary (band) GSM, also known as GSM900
- EGSM Extension (band) GSM (includes PGSM)
- DCS Also known as DCS1800

NOTE The term GSM is used to refer to any combination of, or all of, the supported bands. It is not used as a shortened term for PGSM.

To configure the base station emulator, you must configure the BCH and PDTCH as described in the following sections. It may not be necessary to configure all the parameters all the time. The test set's default settings allow a properly functioning mobile station to successfully camp on the cell under most circumstances.

In a manufacturing environment it may be desirable to explicitly configure parameters to ensure that the required settings have not been changed by someone setting a parameter's value through the test set's front panel.

Configuring the Broadcast Channel Parameters

The BCH parameters are configured using the CALL processing subsystem commands shown in the following table.

Table 1. Broadcast Channel Settable Parameters

Parameter	Command Syntax	Footnote
Cell Band	CALL[:CELL[1]]:BAND <pgsm dcs="" egsm="" =""></pgsm>	
Cell Power	CALL[:CELL[1]]:POWer:AMPLitude <numeric value="">[<suffix>]</suffix></numeric>	

Configuring the Packet Data Traffic Channel Parameters

The PDTCH parameters are configured using the CALL processing subsystem commands shown in the following table.

Table 2. Packet Dat	a Traffic Channel	Settable Parameters
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Parameter	Command Syntax	Footnote
Packet Data Traffic Channel Band	CALL: <pdtch pdtchannel="" ="">:BAND <pgsm dcs="" egsm="" =""></pgsm></pdtch>	1
Packet Data Traffic Channel Number	CALL: <pdtch pdtchannel>[:ARFCn][:SELected] <numeric value=""> OR</numeric></pdtch pdtchannel>	2
(ARFCN)	CALL: <pdtch pdtchannel="" ="">[:ARFCn]:<pgsm dcs="" egsm="" =""> <numeric value=""></numeric></pgsm></pdtch>	
Data Connection Type	CALL:FUNCtion:DATA:TYPE <bler></bler>	3
Power Reduction Downlink Level	CALL: <pdtch pdtchannel>:PREDuction:LEVel<1 2> <numeric value>[<suffix>]</suffix></numeric </pdtch pdtchannel>	4
Downlink Burst Power Reduction Selection	CALL: <pdtch pdtchannel="" ="">:PREDuction:BURSt<1 2> <prl1 prl2="" =""></prl1></pdtch>	5

Table Footnotes

- 1. The PDTCH band setting becomes the selected band (see Note 2).
- 2. Sets the PDTCH channel for the PDTCH band selected with the PDTCH Band command (see Note 1).
- 3. The BLER data connection type is Agilent proprietary. It allows block error rate measurements to be made.
- 4. Assigns power reduction level values to PRL1 and PRL2.
- 5. Assigns either PRL1 or PRL2 power reduction levels to a downlink burst.

Programming Example

The following program example illustrates the use of the base station emulator BCH and PDTCH configuration commands.

```
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:BAND EGSM;POW:AMPL -60"
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH 1023"
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:FUNC:DATA:TYPE BLER"
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH:PRED:LEV1 2 DB"
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH:PRED:LEV2 10 DB"
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH:PRED:BURS1 PRL2"
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH:PRED:BURS2 PRL1"
```

Step 3: Set the Mobile Station's Operating Conditions

Mobile Station Uplink Burst Transmit Power Level

The mobile station's uplink burst transmit power level is specified by the test set in a command sent to the mobile station. In this way, the test set emulates a base station, which sends transmit level change commands to a mobile. The test set also uses the mobile station's uplink burst TX level parameter to determine the power to expect from the mobile station when making measurements on the mobile station's transmitter.

Overview

You can set the mobile station's operating conditions using the CALL processing subsystem commands shown in the following table.

Parameter	Command Syntax	Footnote
Uplink Burst TX Level	CALL: <pdtch pdtchannel>:MS:TXLevel[:SELected]:BURSt<n> <numeric value=""> OR</numeric></n></pdtch pdtchannel>	1,2
	CALL: <pdtch pdtchannel>:MS:TXLevel:<pgsm egsm dcs>:BURSt<n><numeric value=""></numeric></n></pgsm egsm dcs></pdtch pdtchannel>	

Table 3. Settable Mobile Station Operating Conditions

Table Footnotes

- 1. The Packet Data Traffic Channel band setting is the selected band.
- 2. There is only one uplink burst available for this release. Therefore, it is not necessary to specify a value in your code for <n>. It defaults to 1.

Programming Example

The following example illustrates how to set the mobile station's operating conditions. The first line sets the mobile station's transmit power level for the currently active band to 14. The second line sets the power level when the DCS band becomes the active band.

```
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH:MS:TXL:BURS 14"
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH:MS:TXL:DCS:BURS 8
```

Step 4: Configure the Measurement Execution Parameters

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Measurement Execution Parameters

Measurement execution parameters allow you to control the conditions under which a measurement operates. Not all measurements use all the execution parameters shown below. Additionally, some measurements have parameters that are specific to the measurement such as offset frequency lists or filter settings. Each measurement has its own set of parameters which are unique to it and have no affect on the execution of other measurements. Refer to the GPIB syntax listing in the reference documentation for a detailed list of execution parameters for individual measurements. The general set of measurement execution parameters and their generic categories are:

• Measurement Averaging (used by most measurements)

Multi-Measurement Count Multi-Measurement Count State

- Measurement Triggering (used by most measurements)
 - Trigger Arm Trigger Source Trigger Delay Trigger Qualifier
- Measurement Synchronization (used by some measurements)

Burst Synchronization

Measurement Timeouts (used by all measurements)

Measurement Timeout Measurement Timeout State

• Measurement Specific (execution parameters specific to an individual measurement)

Overview of the SETup subsystem

The SETup subsystem allows you to configure the measurement parameters. Each individual measurement parameter can be set and queried using the associated SETup subsystem command. The general hierarchy of the SETup subsystem command structure is as follows:

SETup:<measurement mnemonic>:<measurement parameter> <parameter setting/value>

For example, the SETup subsystem is used below to set a timeout value for the transmit power measurement:

SET:TXP:TIM 5

The following table shows the measurements available in the test application and their associated <measurement mnemonic> used in the SETup command syntax.

Measurement	<measurement mnemonic=""></measurement>
Transmit Power	TXPower
Power vs Time	PVTime
Phase & Frequency Error	PFERror
Output RF Spectrum	ORFSpectrum

Table 4. Measurement Mnemonics used in the SETup Subsystem

Configuring Measurement Averaging Parameters

Table 1. Measurement Averaging Parameters

Parameter	Command Syntax
Measurement Count Number and State	SETup: <measurement mnemonic="">:COUNt[:SNUMber] <numeric value=""></numeric></measurement>
Measurement Count State	SETup: <measurement mnemonic="">:COUNt:STATe <on 1 off 0></on 1 off 0></measurement>
Measurement Count Number	SETup: <measurement mnemonic="">:COUNt:NUMBer <numeric value=""></numeric></measurement>

Configuring Multi-Measurement Count State and Count Number Simultaneously

The multi-measurement count state can be set to ON and the multi-measurement count number can be set to some value using a single command. For example:

OUTPUT Test_set; "SET:TXP:COUN 10"

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would set the multi-measurement count state to ON and set the number of averages to 10 for the transmit power measurement.

Multi-Measurement Count State Parameter

The Multi-Measurement Count State parameter is used to turn measurement averaging on and off.

Multi-Measurement Count Number Parameter

The Multi-Measurement Count Number parameter sets the number of measurement samples taken during each measurement cycle when the COUNt:STATe parameter is set to ON.

Configuring Measurement Triggering Parameters

Table 2. Measurement Triggering Parameters

Parameter	Command Syntax
Trigger Arm	SETup: <measurement mnemonic="">:CONTinuous <on 1 off 0></on 1 off 0></measurement>
Trigger Source	SETup: <measurement mnemonic="">:TRIGger:SOURce <auto immediate protocol rise></auto immediate protocol rise></measurement>
Trigger Delay	SETup: <measurement mnemonic="">:TRIGger:DELay <numeric value="">[<suffix>]</suffix></numeric></measurement>
Trigger Qualifier	SETup: <measurement mnemonic="">:TRIGger:QUALifier <on 1 off 0></on 1 off 0></measurement>

Trigger Arm Parameter

The Trigger Arm parameter allows you to set whether a measurement either:

- make one measurement then stop (single), or
- automatically re-arm upon completion of one measurement and repeat the process (continuous).

For example,

OUTPUT Test_set; "SET: TXP: CONT OFF"

would set the trigger arming to single for the transmit power measurement.

NOTE If you are using the test set remotely, set the trigger arm to single (CONTinuous OFF) for each measurement or, a single command (SET:CONT:OFF) or the *RST command can be used to set the trigger arm to single for all measurements.

Trigger Source Parameter

The Trigger Source parameter selects the source of the measurement trigger signal.

OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:TXP:TRIG:SOUR AUTO"

would set the trigger source to AUTO for the transmit power measurement.

Trigger Delay Parameter

The Trigger Delay parameter controls the delay between the trigger event (the point in time at which the trigger signal is received) and the start of sampling. Negative values indicate that the sampling occurs prior to the trigger event.

OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:TXP:TRIG:DEL 10 US"

would set the trigger delay to 10 μ s for the transmit power measurement.

Trigger Qualifier Parameter

The Trigger Qualifier parameter allows you to enable or disable automatic trigger re-arming following a trigger event which occurred when no valid signal (burst) was present.

OUTPUT Test_set; "SET:TXP:TRIG:QUAL ON"

would turn the trigger qualifier on for the transmit power measurement.

Configuring the Burst Synchronization Parameter

Burst Synchronization Parameter

The burst synchronization parameter allows you to specify where in the sampled data stream the test set starts analyzing the captured data. Burst synchronization occurs after the measurement data is captured. The burst synchronization parameter's setting determines how the measurement's time reference is developed from the sampled data.

Not all measurements have synchronization choices and not all synchronization choices are available in measurements that use synchronization. Measurement synchronization and measurement triggering are independent from each other and may be used in any combination.

The command syntax for setting the burst synchronization parameter is:

SETup:<measurement mnemonic>:BSYNc <MIDamble | AMPLitude | NONE>

The burst synchronization is set to midamble for the power versus time measurement in the following example:

OUTPUT Test_set; "SET: PVT: BSYN MID"

Configuring Measurement Timeout Parameters

Table 3. Measurement Timeout Parameters

Parameters	Command Syntax
Measurement Timeout Time and State	SETup: <meas-mnemonic>:TIMeout[:STIMe] <numeric value="">[<suffix>]</suffix></numeric></meas-mnemonic>
Measurement Timeout State	SETup: <meas-mnemonic>:TIMeout:STATe <on 1 off 0></on 1 off 0></meas-mnemonic>
Measurement Timeout Time	SETup: <meas-mnemonic>:TIMeout:TIME <numeric value="">[<suffix>]</suffix></numeric></meas-mnemonic>

Configuring Measurement Timeout State and Timeout Time Simultaneously

The measurement timeout state can be set to ON and the measurement timeout time can be set to some value using a single complex command.

OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:TXP:TIM:STIM 10"

would set the measurement timeout state to ON and set the measurement timeout time to 10 seconds for the transmit power measurement. Note that in this example the optional command mnemonic :STIMe has been included for purposes of clarity.

Measurement Timeout State Parameter

The Measurement Timeout State parameter allows you to enable or disable measurement timeouts.

OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:PVT:TIM:STAT ON"

would enable measurement timeouts for the power versus time measurement.

Measurement Timeout Time Parameter

The Measurement Timeout Time parameter allows you to set the maximum time that a measurement executes before failing with a timeout error (when the TIMEout:STATe parameter is set to ON).

OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:TXP:TIM:TIME 10 S"

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would set the measurement timeout time to 10 seconds for the transmit power measurement.

Configuring Measurement Specific Parameters

Some measurements have parameters that are specific to the measurement. Refer to the GPIB syntax listings for a detailed list of execution parameters for individual measurements. Some of the possible programming techniques that you can use to configure measurement specific execution parameters are described below.

Sending Comma-Separated Parameter Configuration Lists to the Test Set

Numerous parameters may be necessary to configure a measurement. For example, the output RF spectrum measurement can require up to 22 frequency offsets for the modulation part of the measurement and up to 8 frequency offsets for the switching part of the measurement. You send these offsets as comma separated lists. There are a variety of techniques that you can use to send these lists. Some of these techniques are shown below.

1. Include each individual parameter in the command itself. For example:

```
OUTPUT Test_set; "SET: ORFS: SWIT: FREQ .4MHZ,.6MHZ,-.4MHZ,-.6MHZ"
```

- 2. Store the parameter values in a data structure and send the command with the data structure appended to it. For example:
 - Using a string variable:

```
DIM Swit_offs$[255]
Swit_offs$=".4MHZ,.6MHZ,-.4MHZ,-.6MHZ,1.2MHZ,-1.2MHZ"
OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:ORFS:SWIT:FREQ "&Swit_offs$
```

• Using numeric arrays:

```
OPTION BASE 1
REAL Swit_offs(8),Mod_offs(22)
!
DATA 400,-400,600,-600,1200,-1200,1800,-1800
DATA 1,-1,1.2,-2,.25,-.25,.4,-.4,.6,-.6,.8,-.8
DATA 1,-1,1.2,-1.2,1.4,-1.4,1.6,-1.6,1.8,-1.8
!
READ Swit_offs(*)
READ Mod_offs(*)
!
Swit_img:IMAGE K,7(K,"KHZ,"),K,"KHZ"
Mod_img:IMAGE K,21(K,"MHZ,"),K,"KHZ"
OUTPUT Test_set USING Swit_img;"SET:ORFS:SWIT:FREQ",Swit_offs(*)
OUTPUT Test_set USING Mod_img;"SET:ORFS:MOD:FREQ",Mod_offs(*)
```

Programming Example

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The following example illustrates configuring the measurement execution parameters for the output RF spectrum, transmit power, and phase and frequency error measurements.

```
! Configure ORFS Measurement:
L
OUTPUT Test_set; "SET:ORFS:SWIT:COUN 5" ! Examples of using complex
OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:ORFS:MOD:COUN 10"
                                             ! commands to set multi-meas
                                             ! state and count at same time.
OUTPUT Test_set; "SET: ORFS: TRIG: SOUR AUTO" ! Set trig source to AUTO.
OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:ORFS:CONT OFF"! Set trig mode to single.OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:ORFS:TIM 60"! Set timeout time to 60 sec.
! Put switching and modulation offsets to be tested into string variables.
Swit offs$="400KHZ,-400KHZ,600KHZ,-600KHZ,1200KHZ,-1200KHZ,1800KHZ,-1800KHZ"
Mod_offs$=".2MHZ,-.2MHZ,.4MHZ,-.4MHZ,.6MHZ,-.6MHZ,.8MHZ,-.8MHZ,1MHZ,-1MHZ"
OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:ORFS:SWIT:FREQ ``&Swit_offs$
OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:ORFS:MOD:FREQ "&Mod_offs$
!
! Configure TX Power Measurement:
L
OUTPUT Test set; "SET: TXP: COUN 3; CONT OFF; TIM 20"
OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:TXP:TRIG:SOUR RISE;QUAL ON"
!
! Configure Phase & Frequency Error Measurement:
!
OUTPUT Test set; "SET: PFER: COUN 8; CONT OFF; TIM 30; BSYN MID"
OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:PFER:TRIG:SOUR PROT;QUAL ON"
```

Step 5: Establish a Data Connection with the Mobile Station

- "Data Connection Status Synchronization" on page 31
- "Process for Establishing a Data Connection" on page 33

Data Connection Status Synchronization

When the control program requires that a data connection be established between the mobile station and the test set, it must also be able to obtain knowledge about the status of the connection. The control program issues the commands necessary to initiate the connection process to the test set. The control program must then be able to determine when the connection has transitioned through various states successfully so that it can proceed. The control program must also be able to determine that the transition has not been successful so appropriate action can be taken.

Data Connection States

At any instant in time a data connection is in one of the following states:

- Idle
- Attaching*
- Detaching*
- Attached
- Starting*
- Ending^{*}
- Transferring

The states marked by a * are referred to as transitory states because the amount of time which the connection spends in any of these states is limited. Therefore, the connection is not allowed to stay in a transitory state forever.

CALL:STATus:DATA? Query

The CALL:STATus:DATA? query immediately returns the state of the data connection at the time the query is received.

Response	Meaning
IDLE	The connection is in the Idle state.
ATTG	The connection is in the Attaching transitory state.
DET	The connection is in the Detaching transitory state.
ATT	The connection is in the Attached state.
STAR	The connection is in the Starting transitory state.
END	The connection is in the Ending transitory state.
TRAN	The connection is in the Transferring state.

Table 5. Responses Returned from the CALL:STAT:DATA? Query

Using the CALL:STATus[:DATA]? query for Connection State Synchronization

The most common technique used to determine if a process has completed (either successfully or unsuccessfully), is to repeatedly query the connection state using the CALL:STATus:DATA? query command inside a program loop. The return value from each query is checked to determine if the process is proceeding or has reached the desired state.

There are, however, some inherent problems associated with this technique:

- The rapid polling of the instrument increases bus traffic and places increased demand on the instrument's processors to respond to the constant stream of queries.
- The control program must handle failure conditions. For example: if a call origination process is started but the call never leaves the Idle state, the control program must incorporate some technique to prevent the program from staying in the loop forever waiting for a transition out of the Idle state.

You can avoid rapidly polling the test set by attaching the :SEQuential synchronization command to the command used to initiate the data connection. This will force the test set to complete this command before executing any other commands. Therefore, the status of the data connection is stable and only needs to be queried once to determine if the connection succeeded or failed.

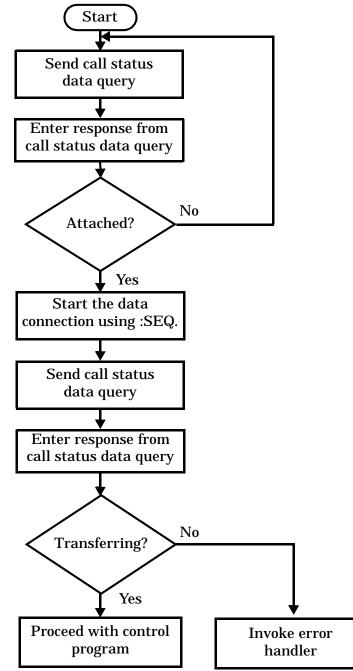
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Process for Establishing a Data Connection

Use the CALL:FUNCtion:DATA:STARt command in conjunction with the :SEQuential synchronization command to establish a data connection.

The recommended process for establishing a data connection is shown in the following figure.

Figure 1. Process for Establishing a Data Connection



Programming Example

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The following programming example illustrates the process for establishing a data connection.

```
REPEAT
                                  ! Loop to determine when connection state
                                  ! is Attached
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:STAT:DATA?" ! Query state of data connection
ENTER Test_set;Conn_stat$
! <code to prevent infinite looping>
UNTIL Conn_stat$="ATT"
1
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:FUNC:DATA:STAR:SEQ" ! Start the data connection
!
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:STAT:DATA?"
ENTER Test_set;Conn_stat$
IF Conn_stat$<>"TRAN" THEN
! <put error handler here>
END IF
! Data Connection is established so proceed with control program
```

Step 6: Make Measurements

- "Measurement Concurrency"
- "Programming Example"
- "Things That Can Go Wrong"

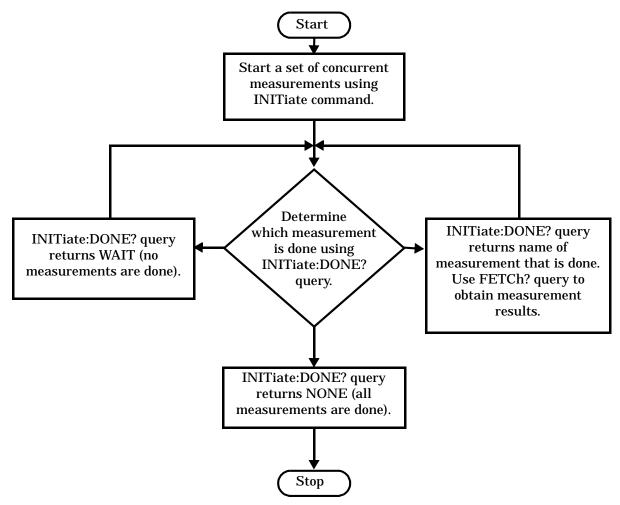
Measurement Concurrency

The multiple signal path, DSP based, multiple processor architecture of the test set allows the test set to make concurrent measurements. This means that:

- multiple measurements can execute and finish at the same time.
- individual measurement completion is not influenced by other measurement processes.
- availability of measurement results is not dependent upon the sequence that the measurements were requested in.
- results from measurements that take few processor cycles are available without having to wait for measurements that take many processor cycles.

"Figure 1. Process for Making Measurements" on page 36 shows the recommended process for making concurrent measurements using the test set's command set.





Programming Example

The following programming example shows you how to make a transmit power measurement and a phase and frequency error measurement concurrently using the process shown in "Figure 1. Process for Making Measurements" on page 36.

```
! Step 6a: Start Set of Concurrent Measurements:
!
OUTPUT Test set;"INIT:TXP;PFER"
!
! Step 6b: Determine If A Measurement Is Done:
!
LOOP
  OUTPUT Test set;"INIT:DONE?"
 ENTER Test_set;Meas_done$
!
! Step 6c: Obtain Measurement Results
!
  SELECT Meas_done$
    CASE "TXP"
      OUTPUT Test_set;"FETC:TXP:POW?"
      ENTER Test_set;Avg_tx_power
    CASE "PFER"
      OUTPUT Test_set;"FETC:PFER:RMS?"
      ENTER Test_set;Max_rms_phas_er
  END SELECT
EXIT IF Meas_done$="NONE"
END LOOP
```

Things That Can Go Wrong

Measurement Integrity Always Returns a Value of 6

A measurement integrity value of 6 indicates that some characteristic of the input signal is under range. Typically this is the amplitude (power) of the signal. This low amplitude causes the level of the DSP sampler to be below a threshold required by the test set to produce results with the accuracy specified for the test set.

Possible Cause One of the most likely causes of a measurement underrange condition is signal loss caused by either the test fixture or cabling.

Suggested Workaround You can compensate for fixture or cable loss by using the RF IN/OUT port's amplitude offset parameters. Twenty different offsets can be set up for twenty different frequencies. To set the frequencies use the command:

SYSTem:CORRection:SFRequency (comma separated numeric values)<suffix>

Similarly, to then set the offsets for these frequencies, use the following command syntax:

SYSTem:CORRection:SGAin (comma separated numeric values)<suffix>

Refer to the reference documentation for details about how to use these commands properly.

Step 6a: Start Set Of Concurrent Measurements

Starting Measurements

The INITiate command is used to start measurements. Each individual measurement can be started using the INITiate command. For starting measurements, the syntax of the INITiate command is as follows:

INITiate:<measurement mnemonic>[:ON]

The following table shows the measurements available in the test application and their associated <measurement mnemonic> used in the INITiate command syntax.

Measurement	<measurement mnemonic=""></measurement>
Transmit Power	TXPower
Power vs Time	PVTime
Phase & Frequency Error	PFERror
Output RF Spectrum	ORFSpectrum

Table 6. Measurement Mnemonics Used In The INITiate Subsystem

Programming Example

The following command starts the transmitter power measurement.

OUTPUT Test_set;"INIT:TXP"

Using Compound Commands to Start Multiple Measurements

More than one measurement can be started using a single INITiate command. For example:

OUTPUT Test_set;"INIT:TXP;PFER"

starts the transmit power measurement and the phase and frequency error measurement. These measurements then run concurrently.

Step 6b: Determine if a Measurement Is Done

Background

After a set of concurrent measurements have been started, you can set up your control program to determine when individual measurement results are available. This enables you to request results for a completed measurement while other measurements are still running.

Overview

Use the INITiate:DONE? query command to determine which measurement has completed.

This command is a query only and returns only one response per query. The responses returned and their meaning are shown in the following table.

Once a measurement is reported as being complete via the INITiate:DONE? query it is removed from the done list (it is not reported again). To use the INITiate:DONE? query properly, your control program should immediately fetch a measurement's results once it is reported as being complete.

Response	Meaning
ТХР	The transmit power measurement is done.
PVT	The power versus time measurement is done.
PFER	The phase and frequency error measurement is done.
ORFS	The output RF spectrum measurement is done.
WAIT	There are one or more measurements that are in progress, but none of those measurements are done yet.
NONE	No measurements are in progress.

Table 7. Responses Returned from INITiate:DONE? Query

For an example of how the INIT:DONE? query is used, see "Programming Example" on page 37.

Step 6c: Obtain a Set of Measurement Results

Background

In order to minimize bus traffic and reduce test time, the test set's measurements are designed to return multiple measured values in response to a single measurement request.

For example, if a transmit power measurement with averaging is initiated there are five measurement results available. These are:

- 1. Measurement integrity value
- 2. Average value
- 3. Minimum value
- 4. Maximum value
- 5. Standard deviation value

The test set can return the measurement results in a variety of formats to suit your needs. For example, the transmitter power measurement results can be returned as:

• Measurement integrity and average value,

or

• Average value and minimum value and maximum value and standard deviation value,

or

Average value only,

or

• Minimum value only,

or

Maximum value only,

or

• Standard deviation value only,

or

• Measurement integrity value only.

The formats available for individual measurements are specifically defined in the reference documentation and can be found in the FETCh? subsystem's GPIB command syntax.

Overview

After a measurement is initiated, the measurement results can be queried using the FETCh? subsystem. The general structure of the FETCh? command is as follows:

FETCh:<measurement mnemonic>:<result format>?

The following table shows the measurements available in the test application and their associated <measurement mnemonic> used in the FETCh? command syntax.

The command syntax used to obtain the various measurement result formats (<result format>) for each measurement can be found in the test set's FETCh? subsystem's GPIB command syntax reference information.

Measurement	<measurement mnemonic=""></measurement>
Transmit Power	TXPower
Power vs Time	PVTime
Phase & Frequency Error	PFERror
Output RF Spectrum	ORFSpectrum

Table 8. Measurement Mnemonics Used In The FETCh? Subsystem

Programming Example

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The following command returns the minimum value from the set of samples taken during the transmit power measurement (when averaging is turned on and number of samples taken >1).

OUTPUT Test_set; "FETCh:TXP:POW:MIN?"

Step 7: Reconfigure the Data Connection

Process for Reconfiguring a Data Connection

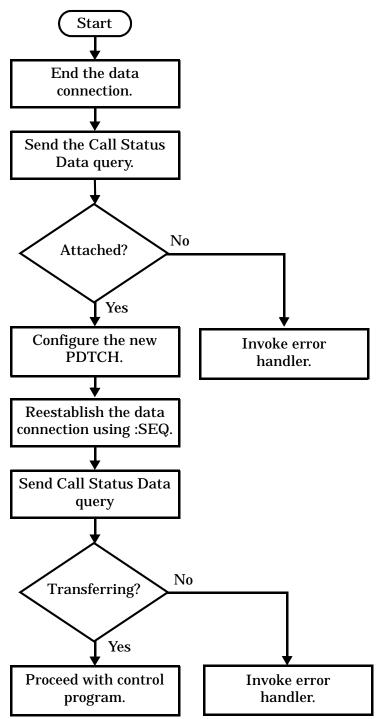
If you want to test the mobile station using different parameters, such as channel number, channel band, or mobile station transmit level, you must reconfigure the data connection.

To reconfigure a data connection you must:

- first end the data connection,
- use the PDTCH commands to setup the new channel, and
- reestablish the data connection using the CALL:FUNCtion:DATA:STARt:SEQuential command.

This process is shown in more detail "Figure 1. Process for Reconfiguring the Data Connection" on page 44 and the "Programming Example" on page 45.





Programming Example

The following example illustrates how to reconfigure the data connection. Notice the packet data traffic channel commands are used to change several parameters.

```
! Existing conditions: a mobile station is connected to the test
! set, operating mode is set to active cell and a data connection
! is in the transferring state.
! Step 1: End the data connection
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:FUNC:DATA:STOP"
OUTPUT Test_set; "CALL:STAT:DATA?"
ENTER Test_set;Conn_stat$
IF Conn_stat$<>"ATT" THEN
!<put error handler here>
END IF
! Step 2: Change the packet data traffic channel band, number, and
          MS TX Level
!
OUTPUT Test set; "CALL: PDTCH: BAND DCS"
OUTPUT Test_set; "CALL: PDTCH 556"
OUTPUT Test set; "CALL: PDTCH: MS: TXL: BURS 4"
OUTPUT Test set; "CALL: FUNC: DATA: STAR: SEQ"! Reestablish the data connection
                                  !No other commands will be processed
                                  !until this operation completes
                                  !because the :SEQ has been attached.
! Step #2: Check connection status
OUTPUT Test_set; "CALL:STAT:DATA?"
ENTER Test set;Conn stat$
IF Conn_stat$<>"TRAN" THEN
! <put error handler here>
END IF
! Data Connection is established
```

Step 8: Disconnect the Mobile Station from the Base Station Emulator

- "Data Connection Status Synchronization"
- "End the Data Connection"
- "Initiate the GPRS detach procedure from the Mobile Station"

Data Connection Status Synchronization

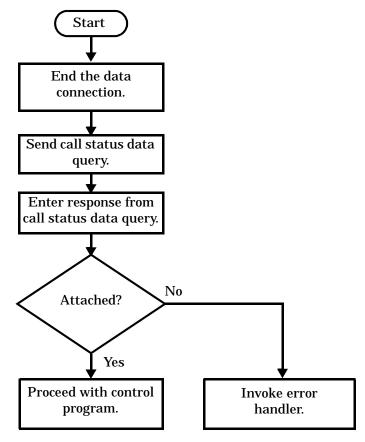
After you have completed the testing of the phone, the last step will be to disconnect the data connection established between the mobile station and the test set. As detailed in "Step 5: Establish a Data Connection with the Mobile Station" on page 31, the control program must also be able to obtain knowledge about the status of the connection. The control program issues the commands to the test set necessary to begin the disconnect process. It must able to determine what state the connection is in so that it can proceed or take appropriate action if the disconnect is not progressing correctly.

End the Data Connection

The recommended process for ending the data connection is shown in the following figure.

Use the CALL:FUNCtion:DATA:STOP command.

Figure 1. Process for Stopping ETSI Test Mode



Programming Example

The programming example below illustrates how to return the data connection status to "Attached" by ending the data connection and how to maintain synchronization with the control program.

```
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:FUNC:DATA:STOP" ! End the data connection.

OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:STAT:DATA?" ! Send call status data query.

ENTER Test_set;Conn_stat$

IF Conn_stat$<>"ATT" THEN ! Check if exit was successful

! <put error handler here>

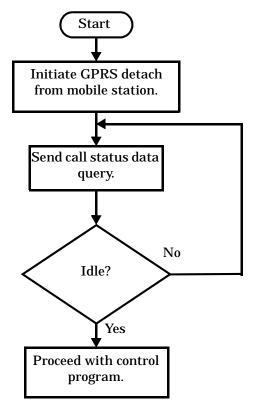
END IF

! The data connection has been ended. Proceed with control program.
```

Initiate the GPRS detach procedure from the Mobile Station

There is no facility in the test set to initiate a call disconnect from the mobile station. This must be done manually or through a test bus built into the mobile station.





Programming Example

This example is one way to do data connection synchronization while ending the data connection.

```
! Manually initiate a GPRS Detach or send commands via a bus
DISP "Initiate a GPRS Detach."
REPEAT ! Loop to determine when connection state
! is Idle
OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:STAT:DATA?" ! Query state of data connection
ENTER Test_set;Conn_stat$
! <code to prevent infinite looping>
UNTIL Conn_stat$="IDLE"
!
! Data Connection is established so proceed with control program
```

This section contains an example program for making measurements using the test set. The program follows the task flow shown in "Figure 1. Typical Flow of Tasks Performed by a Control Program" on page 15.

Example Program

```
! Prog Name: P1 ex.txt Rev: A.0.1 Date Code: 07 September 2000
10
20
     1
30
     ! Configure the BASIC environment, dimension and initialize variables.
40
     ! These actions are unrelated to programming the Agilent Technologies 8960.
50
    1
60
    OPTION BASE 1
    COM /Address/Test_set
70
     ! Allocate arrays to hold ORFS switching & modulation frequency offsets.
80
90
     DIM Swit_offs$[255],Mod_offs$[255]
100
     ! Allocate arrays to hold measurement results.
110
     REAL Txpower(4)
120
     Test_set=714 ! Test set's GPIB address.
130
     PRINTER IS CRT
140
     CLEAR SCREEN
150
160
     ! Reset test set to start from a known state. Not always necessary to do full
170
     ! preset in a manufacturing environment but desireable in programming example.
180
190
     OUTPUT Test_set;"*RST"
200
     !
     ! Turn on the GPIB debugger. This is optional but very helpful for debugging
210
220
     ! GPIB commands when developing new code.
230
     !
240
     OUTPUT Test_set; "SYST:COMM:GPIB:DEB:STAT ON"
250
     1
260
     ! Check error message queue and STOP if any errors present. This ensures that
270
     ! the example program starts with no error conditions present in the test set.
280
     1
290
     CALL Chk_err_msg_que
300
     1
     310
320
     ! Step 1: Set Test Set's Operating Mode to Active Cell
     •
330
340
     1
350
     ! Active Cell operating mode is the only mode available in this release.
     ! There is no GPIB command to specify operating mode in this release.
360
370
     •
380
390
     ! Step 2: Configure the Base Station Emulator
     400
410
     1
420
     OUTPUT Test set;"CALL:BAND PGSM; POW: AMPL -60"! Set active broadcast band to
430
                                            ! PGSM and cell power to -60 dBm.
440
     OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH 45"
                                       ! Set packet data traffic channel to 45
450
     OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:FUNC:DATA:TYPE BLER" ! Set ETSI Test Mode Type to BLER
460
470
     ! Assign values to the power reduction levels
480
     OUTPUT Test set; "CALL: PDTCH: PRED: LEV1 12 DB"
490
     OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH:PRED:LEV2 3 DB"
500
     510
     ! Assign power levels to the downlink bursts
```

```
520
     OUTPUT Test_set; "CALL: PDTCH: PRED: BURS1 PRL2"
530
    OUTPUT Test set; "CALL: PDTCH: PRED: BURS2 PRL1"
540
     !
     550
560
     ! Step 3: Set the Mobile Station's Operating Conditions
     570
580
     !
590
     ! Assign a power level to the uplink burst
600
    OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH:MS:TXL:BURS 14"
610
     1
     620
630
     ! Step 4: Configure the Measurement Execution Parameters
     640
650
660
     ! Configure ORFS Measurement:
670
     1
680
    OUTPUT Test_set; "SET: ORFS: SWIT: COUN 5" ! Examples of using complex commands to
690
    OUTPUT Test set; "SET: ORFS: MOD: COUN 10" ! set multi-meas state and count at
700
                                      ! same time.
710
    OUTPUT Test_set; "SET: ORFS: TRIG: SOUR AUTO" ! Set trig source to AUTO.
720
    OUTPUT Test set; "SET: ORFS: CONT OFF"
                                        ! Set trig mode to single.
730
    OUTPUT Test_set;"SET:ORFS:TIM 20"
                                        ! Set timeout time to 20 seconds.
740
     ! Put switching and modulation offsets to be tested into string variables.
750
     Swit_offs$="400KHZ,-400KHZ,600KHZ,-600KHZ,1200KHZ,-1200KHZ,1800KHZ,-1800KHZ"
    Mod_offs$=".2MHZ,-.2MHZ,.4MHZ,-.4MHZ,.6MHZ,-.6MHZ,.8MHZ,-.8MHZ,1MHZ,1MHZ,-1MHZ"
760
770
     OUTPUT Test set; "SET: ORFS: SWIT: FREQ "&Swit offs$
780
     OUTPUT Test set; "SET: ORFS: MOD: FREQ "&Mod offs$
790
     1
800
     ! Configure TX Power Measurement:
810
820
    OUTPUT Test set; "SET: TXP: COUN 3; CONT OFF; TIM 20"
830
    OUTPUT Test set; "SET: TXP: TRIG: SOUR AUTO; QUAL ON"
840
     1
850
     ! Configure Phase & Frequency Error Measurement:
860
     !
    OUTPUT Test set;"SET:PFER:COUN 8;CONT OFF;TIM 30;BSYN MID"
870
880
    OUTPUT Test set; "SET: PFER: TRIG: SOUR AUTO; QUAL ON"
890
     1
    900
910
     ! Step 5: Establish a Data Connection with the Mobile Station
     •
920
930
     !
940
    ! This example assumes the MS has initiated a GPRS attach.
950
     ! The following code will query the test set for the connection status 50
     ! times and then stop the program if an attached state is not reached. This
960
970
    ! should give adequate time for the MS to attach.
980
     !
990
    Tries=1
1000 LOOP
1010
      OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:STAT:DATA?" ! Query the connection's state
      ENTER Test_set;Conn_state$
1020
1030 EXIT IF Conn state$="ATT"
1040
      IF Tries=50 THEN
```

1050 BEEP 1060 DISP "" 1070 PRINT "GPRS attach did not complete. Program terminated." 1080 STOP 1090 END IF 1100 IF Conn_state\$="ATTG" THEN 1110 DISP "GPRS attach has started." 1120 END IF 1130 Tries=Tries+1 1140 END LOOP 1150 DISP "" 1160 FOR Traf_chan=15 TO 115 STEP 50 ! Test channels 15, 65, and 115 1170 OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:PDTCH ``;Traf_chan FOR Ms pwr lvl=5 TO 15 STEP 5 ! Test power levels 5, 10, and 15 1180 OUTPUT Test set; "CALL: PDTCH: MS: TXL: BURS1 "; Ms pwr lvl 1190 1200 OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:FUNC:DATA:STAR:SEQ" ! Starts Data Connection 1210 ! No other commands will be processed 1220 ! until this operation completes ! because the :SEQ has been attached 1230 OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:STAT:DATA?" 1240 1250 ENTER Test set;Conn state\$ IF Conn_state\$<>"TRAN" THEN 1260 1270 PRINT "Data connection failed. Terminated program." STOP 1280 1290 END IF 1300 ! 1310 1320 ! Step 6: Make Measurements 1340 ! 1350 ! Step 6a: Start a set of concurrent measurements: 1360 ! 1370 OUTPUT Test_set;"INIT:TXP;PFER;ORFS" 1380 1 1390 ! Step 6b: Determine if a measurement is done: 1400 ! 1410 LOOP 1420 OUTPUT Test set;"INIT:DONE?" 1430 ENTER Test_set;Meas_done\$ 1440 ! 1450 ! Step 6c: Obtain measurement results: Each measurement illustrates a different way of reading in results. There is no one right way. The 1460 ! 1470 ! method used is application dependent. Note that the examples do not 1480 ! show all possible ways. 1490 ! 1500 SELECT Meas_done\$ 1510 ! 1520 CASE "TXP" ! TX Power measurement done. OUTPUT Test_set; "FETC:TXP:INT?; POW:ALL?" 1530 1540 ENTER Test_set;Integrity,Txpower(*) IF (Integrity=0) THEN ! Always check integrity value. 1550 1560 PRINT "TX Power results: TCH =";Traf chan; "and TXL =";Ms pwr lvl 1570 PRINT USING "5X,""Minimum:"",M2D.2D,"" dBm""";Txpower(1)

```
PRINT USING "5X,""Maximum:"",M2D.2D,"" dBm""";Txpower(2)
1580
1590
               PRINT USING "5X,""Average:"",M2D.2D,"" dBm""";Txpower(3)
1600
               PRINT USING "5X,""Std Dev:"",M2D.2D,"" dB""";Txpower(4)
1610
             ELSE
1620
               GOSUB Bad_measurement
1630
             END IF
1640 !
1650
           CASE "PFER" ! Phase & Frequency Error measurement done.
1660
             OUTPUT Test_set; "FETC: PFER: ALL?"
1670
             ENTER Test_set; Integrity, Rms_phas_err, Peak_phas_err, Worst_freq_err
1680
             IF (Integrity=0) THEN
1690
               PRINT "PFERror results: TCH =";Traf_chan;"and TXL =";Ms_pwr_lvl
1700
               PRINT USING "5X,""RMS Phase Error:"",M2D.2D,"" deg""";Rms_phas_err
               PRINT USING "5X,""Peak Phase Error:"",M2D.2D,"" deg""";Peak_phas_err
1710
               PRINT USING "5X,""Worst Freq Error:"",M3D.2D,"" Hz""";Worst freq err
1720
1730
             ELSE
1740
               GOSUB Bad measurement
1750
             END IF
1760 !
1770
           CASE "ORFS" ! ORFS measurement done.
1780
           !
           ! This code illustrates a more 'generic' approach to reading measurement
1790
1800
           ! results. By using the capabilities designed into high-level
           ! measurements, routines that access measurement results do not have to
1810
           ! explicitly know what the measurement execution conditions were. That
1820
           ! information can be determined at the time the measurement results are
1830
1840
           ! gueried.
1850
           !
1860
             OUTPUT Test_set;"FETC:ORFS:INT?"
                                                    ! Check measurement integrity.
1870
             ENTER Test_set; Integrity
             IF (Integrity=0) THEN
1880
1890
               OUTPUT Test set; "SET: ORFS: SWIT: FREQ: POIN?" ! Get number of offsets
1900
                                                           ! tested.
1910
               ENTER Test set; Points
1920
               IF Points THEN ! Only query if one or more offsets tested.
1930
                 ALLOCATE Orfs_swit_res(Points), Orfs_swit_offs(Points)
                  OUTPUT Test set; "SET: ORFS: SWIT: FREQ?" ! Get measurement offsets.
1940
1950
                 ENTER Test_set;Orfs_swit_offs(*)
                 OUTPUT Test_set; "FETC:ORFS:POW?;:FETC:ORFS:SWIT?" ! Get results.
1960
1970
                 ENTER Test_set;Tx_power,Orfs_swit_res(*)
1980
                  PRINT "ORFS Swit Results: TCH ="; Traf chan; "and TXL ="; Ms pwr lvl
                 PRINT USING "19X,""TX Power ="",M2D.2D,"" dBm""";Tx_power
1990
2000
                 PRINT "
                           Offset(kHz)
                                                 Level(dBm)"
                 PRINT "
                             _____
                                                   ____″
2010
2020 Orfs_image: IMAGE 6X,M4D.2D,12X,M4D.2D
2030
                 FOR J=1 TO Points
2040
                   PRINT USING Orfs image; (Orfs swit offs(J)/1.E+3), Orfs swit res(J)
2050
                 NEXT J
2060
                 DEALLOCATE Orfs_swit_res(*),Orfs_swit_offs(*)
2070
               END IF
2080
               OUTPUT Test set; "SET: ORFS: MOD: FREQ: POIN?" ! Get number of offsets
2090
                                                          ! tested.
2100
               ENTER Test_set; Points
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2110
             IF Points THEN ! Only query if one or more offsets tested.
2120
              ALLOCATE Orfs_mod_res(Points), Orfs_mod_offs(Points)
2130
              OUTPUT Test_set; "SET: ORFS: MOD: FREQ?" ! Get measurement offsets.
2140
               ENTER Test_set;Orfs_mod_offs(*)
2150
               OUTPUT Test_set; "FETC:ORFS:POW?;:FETC:ORFS:MOD?" ! Get results.
2160
              ENTER Test_set;Tx_power,Pwr_30khz,Orfs_mod_res(*)
              PRINT "ORFS Mod Results: TCH =";Traf_chan;"and TXL =";Ms_pwr_lvl
2170
2180
              PRINT USING "18X,""30 KHz BW Power ="",M2D.2D,"" dBm""";Pwr_30khz
2190
              PRINT "
                       Offset(kHz)
                                          Level(dB)"
2200
              PRINT "
                        _____
                                          ____/
2210
              FOR J=1 TO Points
2220
                PRINT USING Orfs_image;(Orfs_mod_offs(J)/1.E+3),Orfs_mod_res(J)
2230
              NEXT J
              DEALLOCATE Orfs_mod_res(*),Orfs_mod_offs(*)
2240
2250
             END IF
2260
           ELSE
2270
             GOSUB Bad measurement
2280
           END IF
         END SELECT
2290
2300
        EXIT IF Meas_done$="NONE"
2310
        END LOOP ! If 'WAIT' is returned from 'INIT:DONE?' query, it just falls
2320
                ! through the loop.
2330
     !
2350 ! Step 7: Reconfigure the Data Connection
2370
    !
2380 OUTPUT Test set; "CALL: FUNC: DATA: STOP" ! Ends the Data Connection
2390 OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:STAT:DATA?"
                                 ! Check connection status
2400 ENTER Test_set;Conn_state$
2410 IF Conn state$<>"ATT" THEN
2420
     PRINT "Data Connection was not stopped"
2430
     STOP
2440 END IF
2450 !
2460
      NEXT Ms pwr lvl
2470 NEXT Traf_chan
2480
    1
2500 ! Step 8: Disconnect the Mobile Station From the BSE
    2510
2520
    !
2530 ! Data Connction was stopped at the end of the FOR loop above.
2540 !
    ! MS must initiate GPRS detach
2550
2560 DISP "Initiate a GPRS Detach"
2570 Tries=1
2580 LOOP
2590
     OUTPUT Test_set;"CALL:STAT:DATA?"
2600
     ENTER Test_set;Conn_state$
2610 EXIT IF Conn state$="IDLE"
2620
     IF Tries=50 THEN
2630
       DISP ""
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2640
         PRINT "GPRS detach did not occur. Program terminated"
2650
         STOP
2660 END IF
2670
       IF Conn_state$="DET" THEN
2680
         DISP "GPRS detach is in process."
2690
       END IF
2700 Tries=Tries+1
2710 END LOOP
2720 PRINT "Program completed."
2730 STOP
2740 !
2750 Bad_measurement: !
2760 PRINT "Measurement error: "&Meas_done$
2770 PRINT "Measurement Integrity value ="; Integrity
2780 RETURN
2790
     !
2800 END ! End of program
2810 !
2820 SUB Chk_err_msg_que
2830 COM /Address/Test_set
2840 DIM Error message$[255]
2850 Error_flag=0
2860
      LOOP
2870
        OUTPUT Test_set;"SYST:ERR?"
2880
       ENTER Test_set;Error_number,Error_message$
     EXIT IF Error_number=0
2890
         IF Error number=-350 THEN
2900
2910
           Error_flag=1
2920
           PRINT "Error Message Queue overflow. Error messages have been lost."
2930
         ELSE
2940
           Error_flag=1
2950
           PRINT Error number, Error message$
2960
        END IF
2970
       END LOOP
       IF NOT Error_flag THEN
2980
2990
        PRINT "No errors in Error Message Queue."
3000
         SUBEXIT
3010
       END IF
3020
       STOP
3030 SUBEND
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