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APID	Application Process Identifier
APNH	Asia and Pacific in Northern Hemisphere
CADU	Channel Access Data Unit
CVCDU	Coded Virtual Channel Data Unit
CCSDS	Consultative Committee for Space Data Systems
CGMS	Co-ordination Group for Meteorological Satellite
CP_PDU	CCSDS Path Protocol Data Unit
DES	Data Encryption Standard
ECB	Electronic Code Book (DES mode)
ENH	Extended Northern Hemisphere
FD	Full Disk
GRIB	Gridded Binary
GTS	Global Telecommunication System
HRIT	High Rate Information Transmission
IDCS	Internal Data Collection System
IMPS	Image Preprocessing Subsystem
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
JPEG	Joint Photographic Expert Group
KARI	Korea Aerospace Research Institute
KMA	Korea Meteorological Agency
LSB	Least Significant Bit
LSH	Limited Southern Hemisphere
MAC	Media Access Control
MSB	Most Significant Bit
NWP	Numerical Weather Prediction
M_PDU	Multiplexing Protocol Data Unit
OSI	Open Systems Interconnection
RF	Radio Frequency
S/C	Spacecraft
SDUS	Small-scale Data Utilization Station
TP_PDU	Transport Protocol Data Unit
VCDU	Virtual Channel Data Unit

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 IDENTIFICATION

The COMS system will basically follow the global specification of the Coordination Group of Meteorological Satellites (CGMS) [AD1] in the low/high rate information transmission services (LRIT/HRIT).

This document is COMS HRIT Mission Specification which presents the communication procedures for the COMS HRIT services in both global and COMS mission specific characteristics.

The data communication structure will be described in the view of HRIT generation system (LHGS).The HRIT receiving system, medium-scaled data utilization station (MDUS), can interpret them in reverse.

This document is parts of KARI's COMS GS documents and more detail information will be prepared by KMA, who is responsible for the COMS LRIT/HRIT services.

1.2 DOCUMENT OVERVIEW

This document is consisted as follows,

Chapter 1: Introduction
Chapter 2: COMS HRIT Communication Model
Chapter 3: Application Layer
Chapter 4: Presentation Layer
Chapter 5: Session Layer
Chapter 6: Transport Layer
Chapter 7: Network Layer
Chapter 8: Data Link Layer
Chapter 9: Physical Layer
Chapter 10: APPENDIX A – COMS HRIT DATA STRUCTURE OF EACH LAYER

1.3 APPLICABLE DOCUMENT

[AD1] CGMS, Coordination Group for Meteorological Satellites LRIT/HRIT Global Specification, CGMS03 Issue 2.6

1.4 REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

[RD1] ISO: 'Information Processing System - Open System Interconnection - Basic Reference Model' ISO standard 7498, Feb. 1982.
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[RD3] KMA, 'COMS-1: Requirements for Proposal in Meteorological Observation Mission', KMA/COMS/URD/001, Apr. 2004.
[RD4] KARI, C1-FX-0809-0776, Sep. 2008.
[RD5] KMA, COMS MI 사용자용 conversion table 서비스 방안, COMS GS LHGS-002, 24 Apr. 2007.
[RD6] CCSDS: 'Time code formats', CCSDS recommendation 301.0-B-1 April 1990
[RD7] ISO: 'Information Technology - Digital Compression and Coding of Continuous-tone Still Image - Requirements and Guidelines, Compliance Testing and Extensions' ISO standards 10918-1, 10918, DIS 10913-3
[RD8] Data Encryption Standard (DES) Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS) PUB 46-2, U.S. Dept. of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology, 30/12/93
[RD9] CCSDS: 'Telemetry channel coding', CCSDS recommendation 101.0-B-4, May 1999.

2. COMS HRIT COMMUNICATION MODEL

The COMS HRIT dissemination service is based on the Open Systems Interconnection (OSI) Reference Model in [RD1] and the CCSDS AOS in [RD2].

Table 1 presents the functionalities of the each OSI layer from the view of dissemination system.

Table 1. OSI Layer Functionalities for the COMS HRIT Service

OSI 7 layers	Layer functionalities	COMS GS systems involved
Application layer	Acquisition of application data	IMPS, IDCS, EDES
Presentation layer	Image segmentation, HRIT file structuring	LHGS
Session layer	Compression (if required) Encryption (if required)	LHGS
Transport layer	Determination of APID Split of files into source packet	LHGS
Network layer	Determination of VCID	LHGS
Data link layer	Multiplexing, Error of block unit detection, Reed-Solomon encoding Randomization Attachment of sync marker	LHGS
Physical layer	Serialization, Viterbi encoding, Modulation	DATS

Figure 1 shows hierarchical data structures of each layer of the LHGS/MDUS systems through the COMS HRIT dissemination services. Remained sections in this document will describe details of each layer in top-down direction in the corresponding chapter.

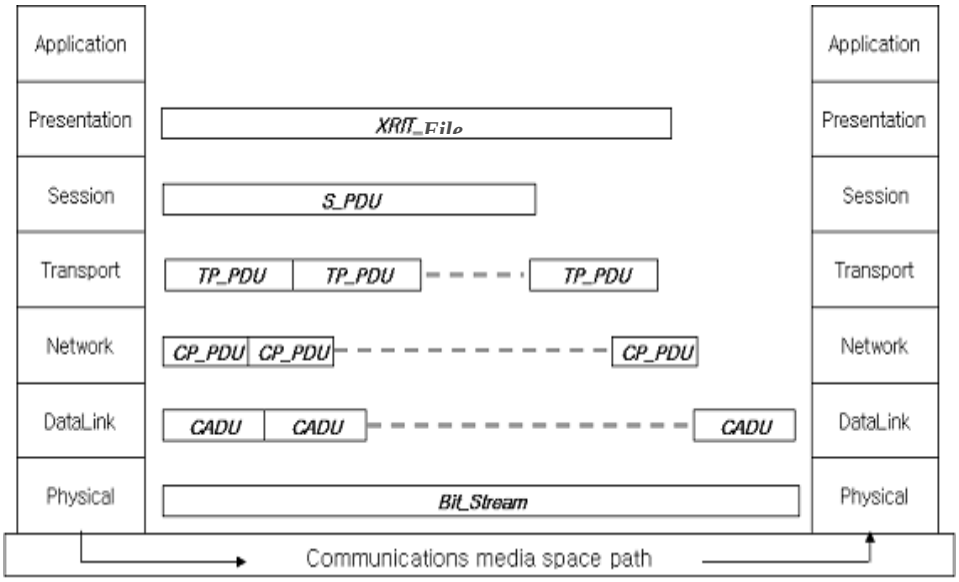


Figure 1. COMS LHGS/MDUS Communication Models

3. APPLICATION LAYER

The COMS LHGS is provided specific application data from external systems in the Application Layer as follows,

- Image data : COMS MI_1B_BLOCK files from IMPS
- Additional data:
  Alphanumeric text files from IDCS
  Encryption key messages from IDCS

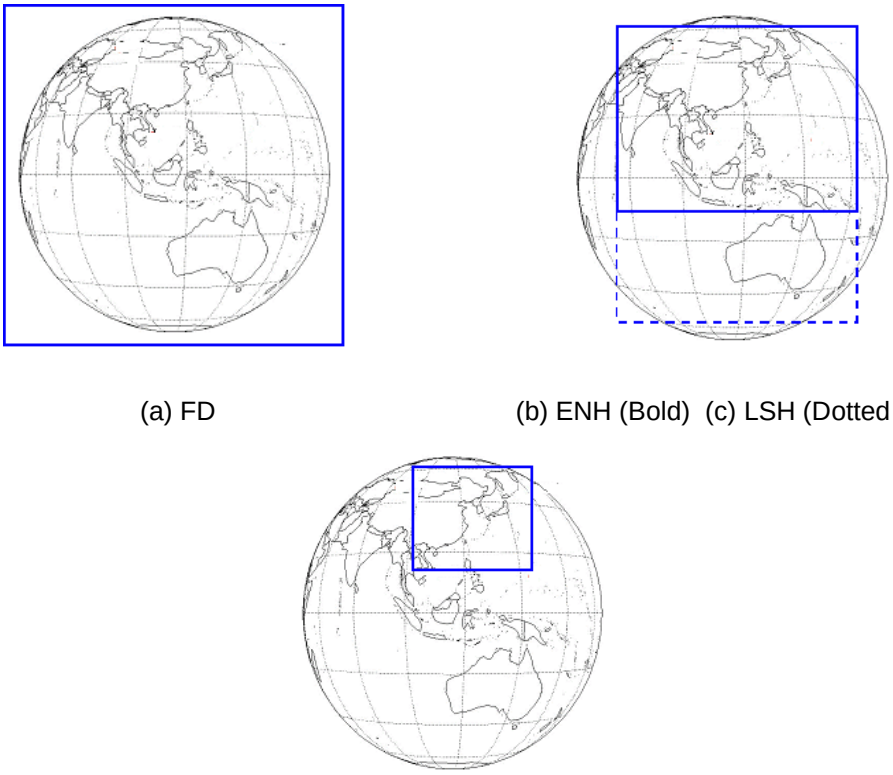
3.1 Image Data

The COMS MI is an ITT imager which has been proven through GOES series and MTSAT-2. The MI raw data received on ground is pre-processed in blocks of several lines to follow real-time operation requirements. The MI_1B_BLOCK is geometrically and radiometrically preprocessed MI image data delivered from IMPS to generate HRIT files.

The MI_1B_BLOCK will have following observation modes,

- FD : Full disk
- ENH : Extended Northern Hemisphere
- LSH: Limited Southern Hemisphere
- APNH : Asia and Pacific in Northern Hemisphere

The MI will also perform LA (Local Area) observation with the size of 1000 x 1000 km around Korean Peninsula but processed LA images are not in the dissemination lists using S/C according to [RD3].



(a) FD (b) ENH (Bold) (c) LSH (Dotted Line)

(d) APNH

Figure 2. Observation Modes in COMS HRIT Image Data (Source: [RD3])

The MI_1B_BLOCK images have one visible and four infrared channels (SWIR, WV, IR1, IR2). Every image is GEOS projection image at COMS geosynchronous orbit, 128.2 degrees east. The MI_1B_BLOCK images of HRIT are 10-bit full resolution of MI images in all channels and observation modes.

Table 2 presents image sizes in each band and observation mode. The size of image is in order of width x height.

Table 2. Image Size in COMS HRIT Image Data [RD4]

Observation modes	Visible channel	IR channels
FD	11,000 x 11,000	2,750 x 2,750
ENH	7,736 x 6,176	1,934 x 1,544
LSH	7,736 x 3,184	1,934 x 796
APNH	4,056 x 3,060	1,014 x 765

3.2 Alphanumeric Text

The alphanumeric text is a service operational message such as MI observation schedule, its corresponding LRIT/HRIT dissemination schedule, newsletters and coefficients/algorithms update information. This text messages is conform to the KMA's policy.

3.3 Encryption Key Message

The encryption key message is certain sets of encrypted user keys which are required for description process at MDUS. This text messages is conform to the KMA's policy.

4. PRESENTATION LAYER

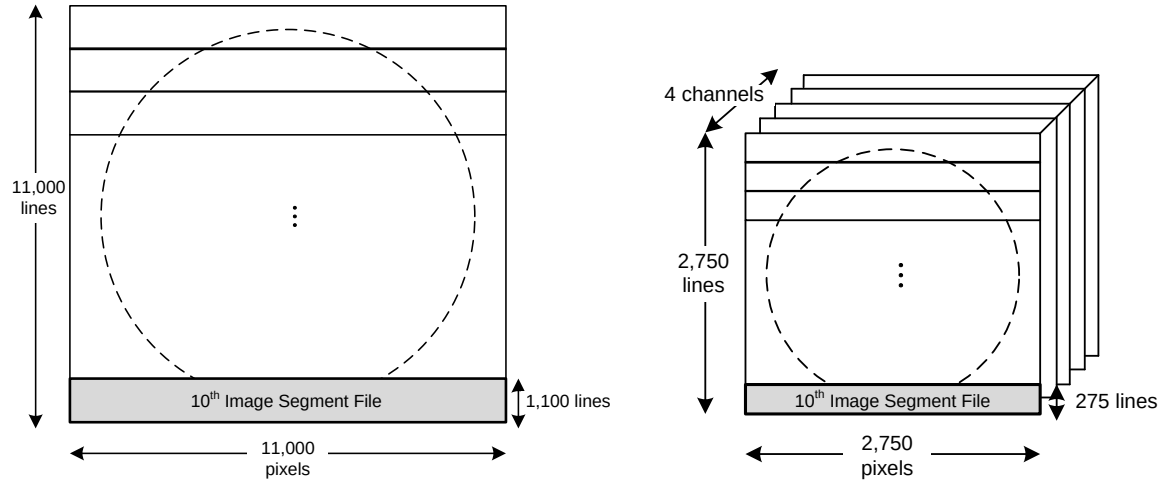
The Presentation Layer handles image segmentation and HRIT file formatting. Both main functionalities and COMS HRIT file/header types will be explained in this chapter.

4.1 Segmentation of COMS HRIT Image Files

In case of MI_1B_Block, the files are gone through image segmentation process before being formatted into HRIT file. As one MI_1B_BLOCK pixel file has smaller line numbers rather than one segment, several MI_1B_BLOCK files are collected for generating one image segement.

Image segmentation is performed for COMS HRIT dissemination services in real-time and for high flexibility with the HRIT compression/encryption schemes. Compression and encryption is processed with the unit of segment. The whole HRIT images are composed of a number of HRIT files (image segment files).

Figure 3 shows the image segment structure of COMS HRIT FD. The column direction will be from West to East and the line direction will be from North to South.



(a) Visible channel (b) IR channels

Figure 3. Segmentation of COMS HRIT Image (FD)

Table 3 presents image segment information of each observation mode. APNH image is not segmented.

Table 3. Segment Information of COMS HRIT Images

Observation modes	Segment files	1 segment size	
		Visible channel	IR channels
FD	10	11,000 x 1,100	2,750 x 275
ENH	4	7,736 x 1,544	1,934 x 386
LSH	2	7,736 x 1,592	1,934 x 398
APNH	1	4,056 x 3,060	1,014 x 765

4.2 Structure of COMS HRIT File

In the Prsentation Layer, the application data from external systems in Chapter 3 is formatted into HRIT files. Figure 4 shows the COMS HRIT file structure. An HRIT file is composed of one or more header records and one data field. The primary header record defines file type and size of the complete HRIT file. The secondary header records include various information relating with the data field.

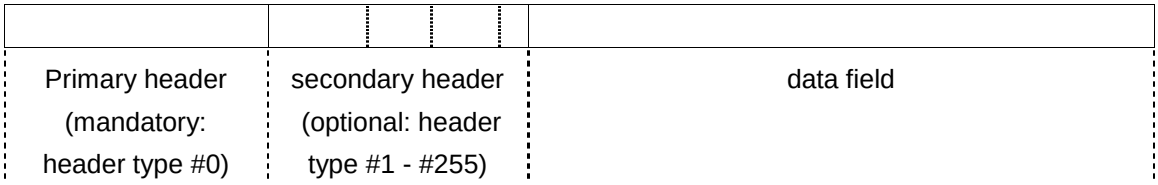


Figure 4. COMS HRIT File Structure

4.3 File Type of COMS HRIT File

Table 4 describes COMS HRIT file types. For the moment, three kinds of files mentioned in chapter 3 are contained in the data field of each HRIT file.

Global file types (0 ~ 127) have been defined for global uses accorindg to [AD1] and mission specific file types (128~255) have been reserved for the future COMS HRIT service expansion.

Table 4. COMS HRIT File Types

File type code	File type	Application data in the data field
Global file types		
0	Image data	COMS MI Image Data (FD, APNH , ENH, LSH) in GEOS projection
1	GTS message	(Not used)
2	Alphanumeric text	Administrative messages including observation/dissemination timetables and newletter
3	Encryption key Message	Encrypted keys supporing COMS encryption scheme
4 ... 127	Reserved	(For further global use)
Mission specific file type		
128 ... 255	Reserved	(For further mission specific use)

4.4 Header Records of COMS HRIT File

Table 5 shows COMS HRIT header types including primary and secondary header records. The header types from #0 to # 127 have already been defined in [AD1] and remained header types (from # 128 to # 255) are defined for the COMS HRIT missions.

Table 5. COMS HRIT Header Types

Code	Header types	Structure
Global header types		
0	Primary header	
1	Image structure	
2	Image navigation	
3	Image data function	
4	Annotation	
5	Time stamp	
6	Ancillary text	(not used)
7	Key header	
8 ... 127	Reserved	(for further global usage)
Mission specific header types		
128	Image segment definition	Image segment file information
129	Encryption key message	(not used)
130	Image compensation info.	
131	Image observation time header	
132	Image quality info. header	
133 ... 255	Reserved	(for further mission specific use)

4.4.1 Header Type #0 – Primary Header

The structure of the COMS HRIT header type #0 is described in Table 6. This header provides the file type of size of total HRIT file (header records + data field). The padding data with the value of “0x00” will be filled at the end of data field to be line with 64 bits alignment of DES encryption when the encryption is applied.

Table 6. Primary Header

Primary Header Record
Header_Type ::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 0 Header_Record_Length ::= unsigned integer (2bytes), fixed value, set to 16 File_Type_Code ::= unsigned integer (1byte), file type in Table 4 0 : Image data file 1 : GTS Message (not used) 2 : Alphanumeric text file 3 : Encryption key message Total_Header_Length ::= unsigned integer (4bytes), variable, total size of all header records. Data_Field_Length ::= unsigned integer (8bytes), variable, total size of the HRIT file data file in bits, the value is finalized after the compression/encryption of data field

4.4.2 Header Type #1 - Image Structure

The structure of the COMS HRIT header type #1 is described in Table 7. This header provides number of bits per pixel (NB), number of columns (NC), number of lines (NL) of the image structure, and compression flag.

Table 7. Image Structure

Image Structure Record	
Header_Type	::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 1
Header_Record_Length	::= unsigned integer (2bytes), fixed value, set to 9
NB	::= unsigned integer (1byte), number of bits per pixel
NC	::= unsigned integer (2bytes) number of columns
NL	::= unsigned integer (2bytes) number of lines
Compression_Flag	::= unsigned integer (1byte), compression method 0 : No compression 1 : Lossless compression 2 : Lossy compression

Explanations:

NB

The value of NB will be 10 bits for HRIT image data.

NC

The value of NC wil be :

Visible channel image

FD : 11,000
ENH: 7, 736
LSH: 7,736
APNH: 4,056

Infrared channel image

FD: 2,750
ENH: 1,934
LSH: 1,934
APNH: 1,014

NL

The value of NL wil be the line number of one segment size:

Visible channel image

FD : 1,100
ENH: 1,544
LSH: 1,592
APNH: 3,060

Infrared channel image

FD: 275
ENH: 386
LSH: 398
APNH: 765

Compression_Flag

The value of flag will be defined according to the compression methods [RD7].

4.4.3 Header Type #2 - Image Navigation

The structure of the COMS HRIT header type #2 is described in Table 8. This header provides the information of image projection.

Table 8. Image Navigation

Image Navigation Record
Header_Type ::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 2 Header_Record_Length ::= unsigned integer (2bytes), fixed value, set to 51 Projection_Name ::= character (32bytes), projection names defined in [AD 1] "GEOS(<sub_lon>)" , CFAC ::= integer (4bytes), column scaling factor defined in [AD 1] LFAC ::= integer (4bytes), line scaling factor as defined in [AD 1] COFF ::= integer (4bytes), column offset as defined in [AD 1] LOFF ::= integer (4bytes), line offset as defined in [AD 1]

Explanations:

Projection_Name is “GEOS(128.2)”.

CFAC, LFAC, COFF, LOFF are identical for separate HRIT segment files.

Example values are as follows in case of FD,

Visible channel image

COFF = 5.50000000000E+03
CFAC = 4.09325140000E+07
LOFF = 5.50000000000E+03
LFAC = -4.09325140000E+07

Infrared channel image

COFF = 1.37500000000E+03
CFAC = 1.02331285000E+07
LOFF = 1.37500000000E+03
LFAC = -1.02331285000E+07

4.4.4 Header Type #3 - Image Data Function

The structure of the COMS HRIT header type #3 is described in Table 9. This header provides the physical meaning of image pixels. It is the MI conversion table in piecewise linear format to define images which require establishing a relationship between their pixel count and physical units such as temperature or albedo.

Table 9. Image Data Function

Image Data Function record
Header_Type ::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 3 Header_Record_Length ::= unsigned integer (2bytes), variable value, max. 65535 Data_Definition_Block ::= character [ ], variable size and contents in accordance with [AD1]

Explanations:

Data_Definition_Block

Example is a conversion table in piecewise linear format as follows in [RD5]

```
CHANNEL:=IR1
$HALFTONE:=16
_NAME:=INFRARED
_UNIT:=KELVIN
0:=330.06
30:=327.69
60:=325.29
89:=322.92
117:=320.60
144:=318.32
171:=316.01
197:=313.74
```

4.4.5 Header Type #4 – Annotation Text

The structure of the COMS HRIT header type #4 is described in Table 10. This header provides the annotation record to allow more quick and easy detection of file contents. Image data shall be satisfied with chapter 4.1 and other files are set up appropriately.

Table 10. Annotation

Annotation Record
Header_Type ::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 4 Header_Record_Length ::= unsigned integer (2bytes), variable value, max. 67 Annotation_Text ::= character [ ] used as file name

Explanations:

Annotation_Text

The file name of HRIT files is contained.

Examples are as follows,

IMG_APNH_01_IR1_20000912_061700_02.hrit for image data
ADD_ANT_00_20000912_052500_00.hrit for alphanumeric text
ADD_ENCMEG_00_20000912_052500_00.hrit for encryption key message

Refer to section 4.5 for the formats of file name. ,

4.4.6 Header Type #5 – Time Stamp

The structure of the COMS HRIT header type #5 is described in Table 11. This header provides time information after compression and encryption processing in the Session Layer.

Table 11. Time Stamp

Time Stamp Record	
Header_Type	::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 5
Header_Record_Length	::= unsigned integer (2bytes), fixed value, set to10
CDS_P_Field	::= unsigned integer (1byte), P-Field fixed value according to [RD6] bit 0 (MSB) = '0' bits 1-3 = '100' bits 4-7 = '0000'
CDS_T_Field	::= unsigned integer (6bytes) 6 octets T-field according to [RD6]

Explanations:

According to CCSDS time format, the time code can be represented using Preamble (P) Field and Time Specification (T) Field. The P_Field defines the strcture of T-Field and detailed information on the code.

CDS_P_Field

When bit 1-3 of P_Field is '100', it indicates that the time code is identified with CCSDS Binary Day Count Code (CDS).

CDS_T_Field

16 bits	Contiguous day counter from 1 January 1958 starting with 0
32 bits	Miliseconds of day

Submiliseconds segment is not used.

4.4.7 Header Type #6 – Ancillary Text

The header type #6 will be used for the COMS HRIT service expansion.

4.4.8 Header Type #7 – Key Header

The structure of the COMS HRIT header type #7 is described in Table 12. This header provides the number of used encryption key.

Table 12. Key Header

Key Header Record

Header_Type	::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 7
Header_Record_Length	::= unsigned integer (2bytes), fixed value, set to 7
Key_Number	::= unsigned integer (4bytes), index of the used encryption key

Explanations:

Key_Number
The key number of used cryption key is contained. The key numbers for user stations are managed by KMA and the key groups will be regenerated regulary for security.

This value is '00 00 00 00' when encryption is not applied.

4.4.9 Header Type #128 – Image Segmentation Identification

The structure of the COMS HRIT header type #128 is described in Table 13. This header provides information of the region for image-segmentation.

Table 13. Image Segment Identification

Image Segment Identification Record	
Header_Type	::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 128
Header_Record_Length	::= unsigned integer (2bytes), fixed value, set to 7
Image_Segm_Seq_No	::= unsigned integer (1byte),image segment sequence number
Total_No_Image_Segm	::= unsigned integer (1byte), total number of Image segments
Line_No_Image_Segm	::= unsigned integer (2bytes), line number of the image segment

Explanations:

Image_Segm_Seq_No
FD : 1 ~ 10
ENH : 1 ~ 4
LSH: 1 ~ 2
APNH: 1

Total_No_Image_Segm
FD : 10
ENH : 4
LSH: 2
APNH: 1

Line_No_Image_Segm

The first line number of the each segment

4.4.10 Header Type #129 – Encryption Key Message Header

Not used for COMS HRIT services.

4.4.11 Header Type #130 – Image compensation information header

COMS HRIT Header Type #130 is described in Table 14. This header includes the image navigation parameters, such as COFF, LOFF, CFAC, LFAC for the entire image data.

Table 14. Image Compensation info. Header

Image Compensation Info. Header Record	
Header_Type	::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 130
Header_Record_Length	::= unsigned integer (2bytes), variable value, max. 65535
Image_Compensation _Info	::= character [ ], txt.

Explanations:

CFAC, LFAC, COFF, and LOFF are identical for separate HRIT segment files.
Example values are as follows,
Visible channel image
COFF = 5.50000000000E+03
CFAC = 4.09325140000E+07
LOFF = 5.50000000000E+03
LFAC = -4.09325140000E+07
Infrared channel image
COFF = 1.37500000000E+03
CFAC = 1.02331285000E+07
LOFF = 1.37500000000E+03
LFAC = -1.02331285000E+07

4.4.12 Header Type #131 – Image observation time header

The structure of COMS HRIT Header Type # 131 is described in Table 15. This header includes the observation time of image data in the MJD (Modified Julian Day) format.

Table 15. Image Observation Time Header

Image Observation Time Header Record	
Header_Type	::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 131
Header_Record_Length	::= unsigned integer (2bytes), variable value, max. 65535
Image_Observation_Time	::= character [ ], txt.

Explanations:

Image_Observation_Time
Example values is as follows,
Ex) 52535.123456

4.4.13 Header Type #132 - Image quality information header

The structure of the COMS HRIT Header Type # 132 is described in Table 16. This header represents error pixel number of the whole image.

Table 16. Image Quality Info. Header

Image Quality Info. Header Record	
Header_Type	::= unsigned integer (1byte), fixed value, set to 132
Header_Record_Length	::= unsigned integer (2bytes), variable value, max. 65535
Image_Quality Info.	::= character [ ], txt..

Explanations:

Image_Quality Info.
Ex) 1.02300000000E+03

4.5 File Name

The file name of character strings is stored in the Annotation Header (Header Type # 4). The name of image data files disseminated via HRIT is defined as follows.

4.5.1 File Name of Image Data

The example of HRIT file name of image data is,
ex) IMG_FD_01_VIS_20000912_061700_09.hrit

The HRIT file name of image data is used as follows,

	File type	Observation Mode	Sequence #	Spectral Channel	Dissemination Time	Segment File #	Extension
	IMG_	AB_	NN_	CH_	YYYYMMDD_hhmmss_	NN	.xrit
size	4 bytes (fixed)	Maximum 8 bytes	3 bytes (fixed)	Maximum 5 bytes	16 bytes (fixed)	2 bytes (fixed)	5bytes (fixed)
ex)	IMG_	FD_	01_	VIS_	20000912_061700	09	.hrit

The observation mode can be one of followings,
: FD_
: APNH_
: ENH_
: LSH_

The sequence number has maximum two digits to indicate dissemination order of each observation mode a day.

The spectral channel can be one of followings,
: VIS_
: SWIR_
: WV_
: IR1_
: IR2

The segment file number can be determined accoriding to the observation mode,
: 01 ~ 10 (FD)
: 01 ~ 04 (ENH)
: 01 ~ 02 (LSH)
: 01 (APNH)

4.5.2 File Name of Additional Data

The example of HRIT file name of additional data is,
ex) ADD_ENCMEG_00_20000912_052500_00.hrit

The HRIT file name of additional data is used as follows,

	File type	Abbreviation of Additional Data	Sequence #	Dissemination Time	Segment File #	Extension

	ADD_	AB _	NN_	YYYYMMDD_hhmmss_	NN	.xrit
size	4 bytes (fixed)	Maximum 8 bytes	3 bytes (fixed)	16 bytes(fixed)	2 bytes (fixed)	5bytes (fixed)
ex)	ADD_	ENHMEG _	00_	20000912_052500_	00	.hrit

The abbreviation of additional data can be one of followings,
: ANT_
: ENHMEG_

4.6 File Type vs. Header Implementation

Table 17 defines the COMS HRIT mission specific use of header record types within certain HRIT file types.

Table 17. Use of Header Records vs. File Type

File types	Header record types												
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	128	129	130	131	132
0: Image data file	●	●	◎	◎	◎	◎		◎	◎		○	◎	○
1: GTS message													
2: Alphanumeric text file	●				◎	◎		◎					
3: Encryption key message	●				◎	◎		◎					

● **As requested by** [AD 1] ◎ **KMA mandatory use** ○ **KMA optional use**

0 Primary header
1 Image structure
2 Image navigation
3 Image data function
4 Annotation
5 Time stamp
6 Ancillary text
7 Key header
128 Image segment identification
129 Encryption Key message header
130 Image compensation info. header
131 Image observation time header
132 Image quality information header

5. SESSION LAYER

The Session Layer generates S_PDU by applying to each HRIT file from the Presentation Layer in the order of compression and encryption.

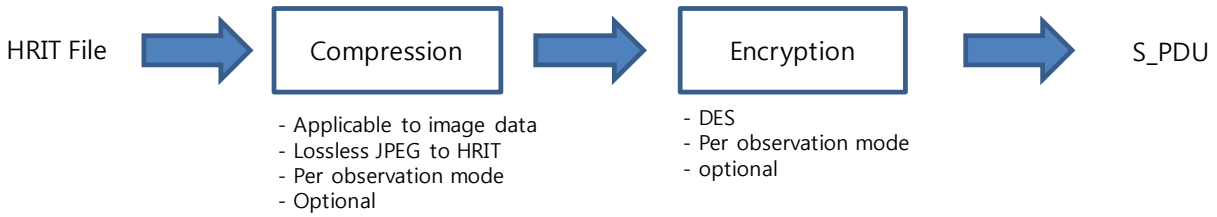


Figure 5. Session Layer Processing

The output is S_PDU containing the compressed and encrypted data field as shown in next figure.

Figure 6. Session Layer Output (S_PDU)

5.1 JPEG Compression

The JPEG is chosen as the compression for the COMS HRIT service. KMA can choose one of lossy and lossless schemes and basically lossless JPEG is applied for COMS HRIT service.

The Compression_Flag of Header_Type #1 is set from 0 to 2 as below.

Header Type #1 - Compression_Flag of Image Structure

No compression: 0
JPEG lossless compression: 1
JPEG lossy compression: 2

5.2 DES Encryption

The encryption and decryption of COMS HRIT are based on a processing in accordance with the ECB (Electronic Code Book) mode of DES (Data Encryption Standard) [RD8]. The HRIT file is encrypted using an encyption master key managed by KMA. The inverser process, decryption, is also processed at MDUS at S/W level managed by KMA.

6. TRANSPORT LAYER

The Transport Layer generates TP_File with S_PDUs from session layer as byte unit and splits it into one or more CP_PDU with size of 8190 bytes. The CP_PDU is the CCSDS Path Protocol Data Unit [RD2].

6.1 Transport File (TP_File)

In the Transport Layer, 10 byte TP_header is attached to the beginning of S_PDU and serveral bits (1~7) are filled at the end of S_PDU to make it in byte units. The structure of TP_File is shown in Figure 7 and TP_Header is described as belows.

TP_Header		S_PDU	Filler
File Counter 16 bits	File Length 64 bits	1 ~ (2^{64}-1) bits	0~7 bits

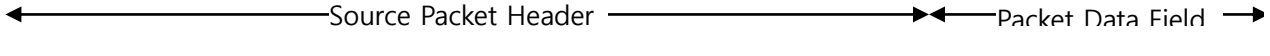
Figure 7. Transport File Structure

TP_Header (10 bytes)
- File_Counter (2 bytes)
  - VIS : 0 ~ 9
  - SWIR : 10 ~ 19
  - WV : 20 ~ 29
  - IR1 : 30 ~ 39
  - IR2 : 40 ~ 49
  - Others: 255
- File_Length (8 bytes): file length [bits]

File_Counter is allocated in order to classify easily TP_File when processing them in the unit of file. As maximum number of COMS HRIT segment files is 10 files, 10 sequence numbers is allocated for each spectral band. Others counters are for the additional data.

6.2 Source Packet (CP_PDU)

The CP_PDU, output of the Transport Layer, is composed of Source Packet Header and Packet Data Field. The data field is composed of maximum 8190 bytes of TP_File and CRC. If the size of TP_File is not multiples of 8190 bytess, the length of last CP_PDU can be less than others. The structure of CP_PDU is shown in Figure 8.



Packet Identification				Packet Sequence Control		Packet Length	Data Field	
Version #	Type	Secondary Header Flag	APID	Sequence Flag	Packet Sequence Count		Application Data Field	CRC
3 bits	1 bit	1 bit	11 bit	2 bits	14 bits	16 bits	Var.	16 bits
2 octets				2 octets		2 octets	Max. 8190 octets	2 octets

Figure 8. Source Packet Structure

Source packet header is described as below.

Source Packet Header (6 bytes)
- Version (3 bits) : 0 (fixed)
- Type (1 bit) : 0 (fixed)
- Secondary Header Flag (1 bit) : 1 (include header)
  0 (not include header)
- APID (11 bits)
- Sequence Flag (2 bits) : 11 (single data)
  01 (first segment)
  00 (continued segment)
  10 (last segment)
- Packe Seqence Counter (14 bits)
- Paket Length (16 bits)

APID of COMS HRIT is defined as Table 18. **APID** is allocated to each channel of image data and additional. Fill packet is defined as 2047.

Table 18. APID of COMS HRIT

Application Process Identifier (APID)	Application
1024 : VIS 1056 : SWIR 1088 : WV 1120 : IR1 1152 : IR2 1184 : Alpha-numeric text 1216 : Encryption key message	COMS HRIT application data
1217 - 2015	Reserved for COMS HRIT service expansion
2016 - 2046	Reserved by CCSDS
2047	Fill Packets

Sequence Flag distinguishes each file and indicates file is composed of one packet or consecutive packet. In case of consecutive packet, **Sequence Flag** is able to distinguish first and middle, last packet.

Packe Seqence Counter calculates number of packet and reiterates from 0 to 16383. **Packet Length** is the value which subtracts 1 from the size of data right after header.

CRC attaching to the last part of CP_PDU is calculated by $g(x) = x^{16} + x^{12} + x^5 + 1$ [AD 1].

7. NETWORK LAYER

The only function of Network Layer is to generat Virtucal Channel ID (VCID) for each APID. According to [AD]1, The VCID is calculated by dividing APID by 32. The APIDs in Table 18 are mapped to VCIDs of Table 19. They are distributed between 0 ~ 62.

Table 19. VCID of COMS HRIT

Virtucal Channel ID (VCID)	Application
32d : VIS 33d: SWIR 34d : WV 35d : IR1 36d : IR2 37d : Alphanumeric text 38d : Encryption key message	HRIT application data
63d	Fill Packets

The CP_PDU in Figure 8 is transparently routed as multiple CCSDS Packets (M_SDU) to the Data Link Layer.

8. DATA LINK LAYER

The Data Link Layer of the CCSDS AOS space link is composed of following two sub-layers.
- Virtual channel link control (VCLC) sub-layer
- Virtual channel access (VCA) sub-layer

The VCLD sub-layer provides the multiplexing service based on the VCID from the Network Layer. It fills M_SDUs into multiplexing protocoal data units (M_PDU).

The VCA sub-layer generates the virtual channel data units (VCDU) from M_PDUs and produces finally Channel Access Data Units (CADUs) by applying Reed-Solomon coding to control HRIT dissemination errors, data randomization, and attachment of synchronization marker. Fill VCDUs may have to generate for continuous data delivery to the lower layer.

The Data link Layer transfers CADUs to the Physical Layer.

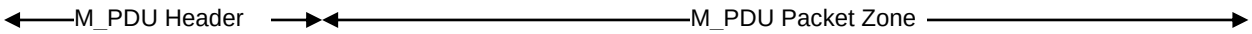
8.1 M_PDU

The M_PDU is composed of 884 bytes of multiple M_SDUs from the Transport Layer and 2 byte M_PDU Header. The M_PDU Header is defined as below.

M_PDU Header (2 bytes)
Spare (5 bits) : 0 (fixed)
First Headr Point (11 bits)

First Header Point is the point which indicates the location of header of M_SDU. In case the consecutive M_SDUs are filled in the packet zone, it is 07FFh. Unless 07FFh, that means other M_SDU begins in the packt zone. When M_PDU has no more M_SDU, a fill packet is generated to comple the M_PDU in the size of 884 bytes. Refer to section of 5.3.8.2.2.3 [RD2] for fill packet generation.

The Structure of M_PDU is described in Figure 9 and the M_PDUs are passed to the VCA sub-layer service in (M_PDU, VCDU-ID).



Spare 5 bits	First Header Pointer 11 bit	End of M_SDU # (k-1)	M_SDU # (k)	M_SDU # (k+1)	…	Starting of M_SDU # (l)
2 octets		884 octects				

Figure 9. M_PDU Structure

8.2 VCDU

The M_PDUs are assembled in to VCDU according to [AD1].
The VCDU structure is shwon in Figure 10 and VCDU primary header is defined as belows.

VC_Header (6 bytes)
Version_No (2 bits): 1 (fixed)
VCDU_ID
S/C ID (8 bits): C3h (11000011) [AD 2]
ID version for AOS (version 01: fixed)

VCID (6 bits): APID/32 (63d for Fill VCDUs)
VCDU Counter (24 bits)
Singal Field (7 bits): 0 (fixed)

VCDU Counter is the number of VCDU and reiterates from 0 to 16777215. **Signal Field** is not used and fixed in 0.

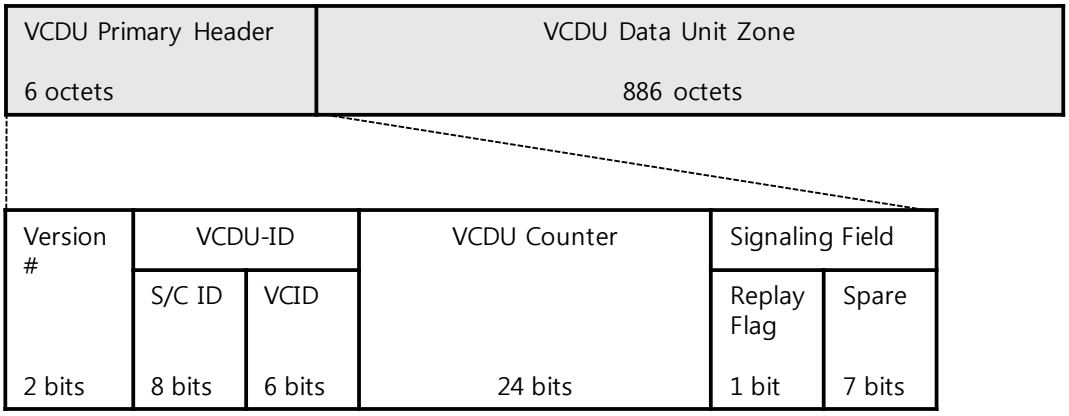


Figure 10. VCDU Structure

8.3 CVCDU

The CVCDU is formed with VCDU and the attachement of Reed-Solomon check symboces.
The Reed-Solomon (RS) code with an interleaving depth of 4 is applied to COMS HRIT services (255/223, 4). The RS code performs 64 bytes error detection and correction for CVCDU. The structure of CVCUD is shown in Figure 11.

Figure 11. CVCDU Structure

The randiomization is applied to one CVCDU through the bitwise exclusive-OR process with the following polynomial to prevent random errors during HRIT transmission.

The pseudo-noise sequence is generated with this polynomial [AD],
$h(x) = x^8 + x^7 + x^5 + x^3 + 1$

8.4 CADU

The CADU is made of attachment of synchronization word (1ACFFCIDh') followed by randomized CVCDU. The structure of CADU is described in Figure 12.

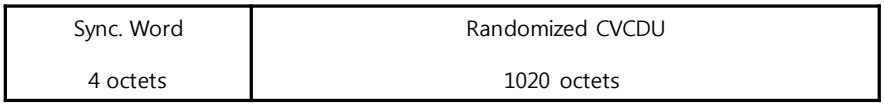


Figure 12. CADU Structure

The packetized data rate of CADU level is less than 3Mbps (including 3Mbps).

9. PHYSICAL LAYER

The Physical Layer of COMS HRIT performs the convolutional coding(r=1/2, K=7) of the serialized data stream and its modulation onto the RF up-link signal.
The COMS system follows basically the convolutional coding of [RD9], except symbol inversion on output path of G2.

The parameter sets of the physical layer are specified in the Table 20.

Table 20. Parameters of HRIT Communication Link

Parameters	Values
Downloading frequency	1695.4 MHz
Bandwidth	≤ 5.2 MHz
Information data rate*	3 Mbps
Satellite EIRP	55.0 dBm
Minimum G/T of ground antenna (MDUS)	11.1 dB/K
Maximum BER	10-8
Coding	Reed-Solomon (255/223, 4) and Convolutional coding (1/2, K=7)
Pulse shaping	Root-Raised Cosine with 0.5 of roll-off factor
Polarization	Linear in East-West direction
Modulation	NRZ-L/QPSK
Length of one CADU	1024 bytes

* Information data rate is the HRIT CADU data rate prior to convolutional encoding. Therefore, COMS HRIT transmission data rate is 6Mbps after convolutional encoding.

APPENDIX A – COMS HRIT DATA STRUCTURE OF EACH LAYER

Following Figure describes the layer structure of COMS HRIT on the base of the data size.

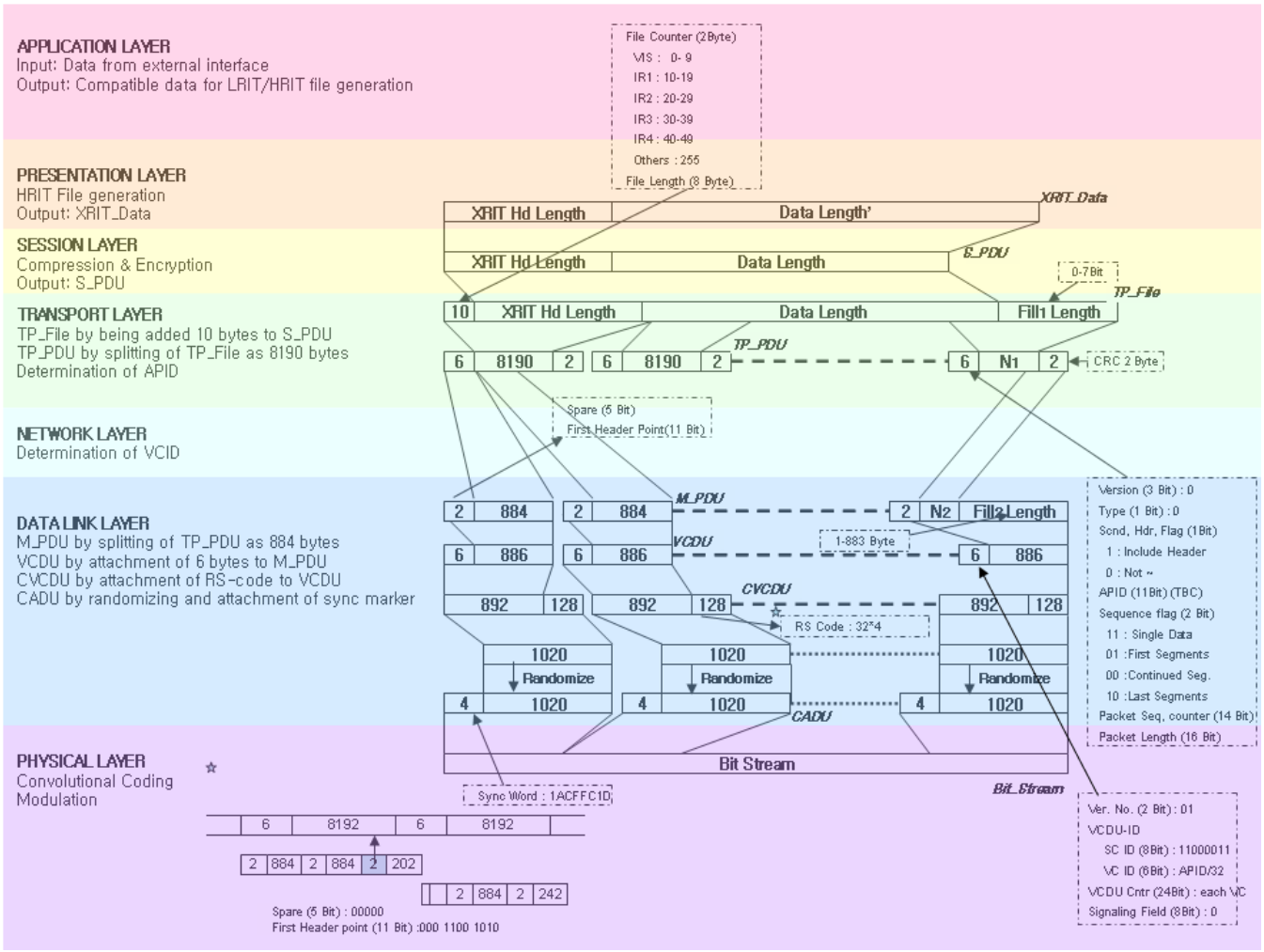


Figure 13. COMS HRIT Data Process of Each Layer