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Summary

This revision of Recommendation X.440 is a consolidation of Recommendation X.440 (09/92) and Amendment 1 (11/95).

This Recommendation defines an OSI Message Handling System protocol that is intended to be used in the exchange of voice encoded messages in a store and forward manner as specified in Recommendation F.440.

The protocol specified in this Recommendation is based on the ITU-T X.400-series Recommendations and ISO/IEC 10021 Parts 1 to 7.

Source

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Message handling systems: Voice messaging system

1 Scope

This Recommendation is one of a set of ITU-T Recommendations for Message Handling. The entire set provides a comprehensive blueprint for a message handling system (MHS) realized by any number of cooperating open systems.

The purpose of an MHS is to enable users to exchange messages on a store-and-forward basis. A message submitted on behalf of one user, the originator, is conveyed by the message transfer system (MTS) and subsequently delivered to the agents of one or more additional users, the recipients. Access units (AU) link the MTS to other non-MHS services such as Teletex or the Telephone Service. Effectively, an AU enables a subscriber of a non-MHS service to become an indirect user of MHS. An MHS direct user is assisted in the preparation, storage, and rendering of messages by a user agent (UA). Optionally, it is assisted in the storage of messages by a message store (MS). The MTS comprises a number of message transfer agents (MTA) which collectively perform the store-and-forward message transfer function.

This Recommendation defines the message handling application called a *voice messaging system* which specifies *voice messaging* (VMG), a form of message handling tailored for exchange of (voice) encoded information between users, a new message content type and associated procedures known as P_{vm} . It is designed to meet the requirements of users of CCITT Recommendation G.726 (1990) 32 kbit/s ADPCM and other commonly used voice syntaxes.

This Recommendation is one of a series on message handling. ITU-T Rec. X.402 | ISO/IEC 10021-2 constitutes the introduction to the series and identifies the other documents in it.

The architectural basis and foundation for message handling are defined in still other ITU-T Recommendations | International Standards. ITU-T Rec. X.402 | ISO/IEC 10021-2 identifies those documents as well.

2 Normative references

The following ITU-T Recommendations and other references contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this Recommendation. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All Recommendations and other references are subject to revision: all users of this Recommendation are therefore encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent edition of the Recommendations and other references listed below. A list of the currently valid ITU-T Recommendations is regularly published.

2.1 Identical Recommendations | International Standards

- ITU-T Recommendation X.402 (1999) | ISO/IEC 10021-2:2003, Information technology – *Message Handling Systems (MHS): Overall architecture.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.411 (1999) | ISO/IEC 10021-4:2003, Information technology – *Message Handling Systems (MHS): Message transfer system: Abstract service definition and procedures.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.413 (1999) | ISO/IEC 10021-5:1999, Information technology – *Message Handling Systems (MHS): Message store – Abstract service definition.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.419 (1999) | ISO/IEC 10021-6:2003, Information technology – *Message Handling Systems (MHS): Protocol specifications.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.420 (1999) | ISO/IEC 10021-7:2003, Information technology – *Message Handling Systems (MHS): Interpersonal messaging system.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.500 (1997) | ISO/IEC 9594-1:1998, Information technology – *Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Overview of concepts, models and services.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.501 (1997) | ISO/IEC 9594-2:1998, Information technology – *Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Models.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.509 (1997) | ISO/IEC 9594-8:1998, Information technology – *Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Authentication Framework.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.511 (1997) | ISO/IEC 9594-3:1998, Information technology – *Open systems Interconnection – The Directory: Abstract service definition.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.518 (1997) | ISO/IEC 9594-4:1998, Information technology – *Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Procedures for distributed operation.*

- ITU-T Recommendation X.519 (1997) | ISO/IEC 9594-5:1998, *Information technology – Open systems Interconnection – The Directory: Protocol specifications.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.520 (1997) | ISO/IEC 9594-6:1998, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Selected attribute types.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.521 (1997) | ISO/IEC 9594-7:1998, *Information technology – Open systems Interconnection – The Directory: Selected object classes.*

2.2 Paired Recommendations | International Standards equivalent in technical content

- CCITT Recommendation X.208 (1988), *Specification of Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1).*
ISO/IEC 8824:1990, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – Specification of Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1).*
- CCITT Recommendation X.209 (1988), *Specification of basic encoding rules for Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1)*
ISO/IEC 8825:1990, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – Specification of Basic Encoding Rules for Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1).*
- ITU-T Recommendation F.400/X.400 (1999), *Message handling system and service overview.*
ISO/IEC 10021-1:1999, *Information technology – Text communication – Message Handling Systems (MHS) – Part 1: System and Service Overview.*
- CCITT Recommendation X.407 (1988), *Message handling systems: Abstract service definition Conventions.*
ISO/IEC 10021-3:1990, *Information technology – Text Communication – Message-oriented Text Interchange Systems (MOTIS) – Part 3: Abstract service definition Conventions.*

2.3 Additional references

- CCITT Recommendation F.440 (1992), *The voice messaging service.*
- CCITT Recommendation G.721 (1988), *32 kbit/s Adaptive Differential Pulse Coding Modulation (ADPCM).*
- CCITT Recommendation G.726 (1990), *40, 32, 24, 16 kbit/s Adaptive Differential Pulse Code Modulation (ADPCM).*
- CCITT Recommendation G.728 (1992), *Coding of speech at 16 kbit/s using low-delay code excited linear prediction.*
- CCITT Recommendation X.403 (1988), *Message Handling Systems: Conformance Testing.*
- CCITT Recommendation X.408 (1988), *Message handling systems: Encoded information type conversion rules.*

3 Definitions

For the purposes of this Recommendation, the following definitions apply.

3.1 Common definitions for MHS

This Recommendation uses terms defined in ITU-T Rec. F.400/X.400 and ISO/IEC 10021-1, ITU T Rec. X.402 | ISO/IEC 10021-2 and ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

- a) access unit;
- b) body;
- c) content;
- d) distribution list;
- e) encoded information types;
- f) envelope;
- g) message handling system;
- h) message-oriented text interchange system;
- i) message store;
- j) message transfer agent;
- k) message transfer system;

- m) recipient;
- n) submission identifier;
- o) submission time;
- p) synopsis;
- q) telematic agent;
- r) user;
- s) user agent.

3.2 Common definitions for Abstract Syntax Notation One

This Recommendation uses the full extent of the Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1) as defined in CCITT Rec. X.208 and ISO/IEC 8824.

3.3 Voice service definitions

This Recommendation uses terms defined in CCITT Rec. F.440.

- a) VM forwarding;
- b) Voice message;
- c) Voice messaging;
- d) Voice messaging notification;
- e) Voice messaging user;
- f) Telephone service access unit.

3.4 Voice Messaging System Definitions

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

3.4.1 voice messaging system message store: A Voice Messaging System Message Store is a specialized message store for the purposes of voice messaging

3.4.2 voice messaging system: The Voice Messaging System is the functional object by means of which all users communicate with one another in voice messaging.

3.4.3 voice messaging system user agent: A Voice Messaging System User Agent is a specialized user agent for the purposes of voice messaging.

4 Abbreviations

This Recommendation uses the following abbreviations:

ADPCM	Adaptive differential pulse code modulation
AU	Access Unit
ASN.1	Abstract Syntax Notation One
DL	Distribution List
EIT	Encoded Information Types
IA5	International Alphabet No. 5
IPM	Interpersonal messaging
MD	Management Domain
MHS	Message Handling System
MOTIS	Message-oriented Text Interchange System
MS	Message Store
MTA	Message Transfer Agent
MTS	Message Transfer System
NRN	Non-receipt (Forwarded) Notification

PICS	Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement
RN	Receipt Notification
SN	Service Notification
TSAU	Telephone Service Access Unit
UA	User Agent
UTC	Coordinated Universal Time
VM	Voice Message
VMG	Voice Messaging
VMGE	Voice Messaging Environment
VMGS	Voice Messaging System
VMGS-MS	Voice Messaging System Message Store
VMGS-UA	Voice Messaging System User Agent
VMGS-user	Voice Messaging System user
VN	Voice Notification

5 Conventions

5.1 Terms

Throughout the rest of this Recommendation, terms that refer to ASN.1 types are written with upper-case letters for all words that actually appear in the ASN.1 type (for example, OR Name).

- Voice Messaging System User:** The voice messaging system user (VMGS-user) is normally a person, not an application or computer process. A VMGS-user may be a direct user or indirect user. In MHS, direct users interact with the MHS through a User Agent or Message Store while indirect users interact with the MHS an Access Unit. For brevity, the term user is used throughout the rest of this Recommendation with the meaning of VMGS-user.
- Subject Voice Message:** The term *subject Voice Message*, abbreviated as **subject VM** refers to a specific VMG information object, a VM as defined in clause 8, that is either being held, processed or forwarded by a Voice Messaging application entity. This is not to be confused with the Subject VM field found in a VM notification, see 9.1.1.
- VM Forwarding:** The term identifies the VMG message forwarding behaviour of VMGS-UAs and VMGS-MSs. It covers both manual and automatic forwarding aspects. This term is further refined in 17.3.3.

5.2 ASN.1

ASN.1 definitions appear both in the main text and in the annexes. In case of inconsistency between a definition presented in the text, and a definition presented in an annex forming an integral part of this Recommendation, the definition in the annex shall be used. ASN.1 notation is defined in CCITT Rec. X.208 and ISO/IEC 8824.

This Recommendation uses ASN.1-based descriptive conventions:

- to define the information objects of Voice Messaging, and other data types and values of all kinds, and the ASN.1 itself;
- to define the functional objects of Voice Messaging, the OBJECT and REFINE macros of CCITT Rec. X.407 and ISO/IEC 10021-3;
- to define the abstract service of Voice Messaging, the PORT and ABSTRACT-operation and ERROR macros of CCITT Rec. X.407 and ISO/IEC 10021-3;
- to define the protocol extensions, the VM-EXTENSION macro of this Recommendation;
- to define extended body part types, the EXTENDED-BODY-PART-TYPE macro of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7;
- to define MS Auto-actions, the AUTO-ACTION macro of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5;
- to define MS attributes, the ATTRIBUTE macro of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

ASN.1 tags are implicit throughout the ASN.1 modules defined in any annex; the module is definitive in that respect.

NOTE – The use of ASN.1 to describe a class or piece of information does not in itself imply that information is transported between open systems. The fact that the information, by virtue of its description in ASN.1 and of ASN.1's basic encoding rules, has a concrete

transfer syntax may be immaterial. Information actually conveyed between systems is designated as such by its inclusion in an application protocol.

5.2.1 Conventions for attribute types in Table 1

This Recommendation uses the conventions listed below in its definition of attribute types for the MS abstract services.

For the column headed *Single-/Multi-valued*, the following values can occur:

- S: Single-valued;
- M: Multi-valued.

For the column headed *Support level by MS and UA* (where UA refers only to a UA that accesses an MS), the following values can occur:

- M: Mandatory;
- O: Optional.

For the columns headed *Presence in delivered VM*, *Presence in delivered RN*, *Presence in delivered NRN* and *Presence in delivered SN*, the presence of each attribute type is described by one of the following values:

- P: *Always present* in the entry because it is mandatory for generation by the MS or it is a mandatory or defaulted parameter in the relevant abstract operation.
- C: *Conditionally present* in the entry. It will be present because it is supported by the MS and subscribed to by the user and it was present in an optional parameter in the relevant abstract operation.
- *Always absent*, otherwise.

For the columns headed *Available for list*, *alert* and *Available for summarize*, the following values can occur:

- N: no
- Y: yes

NOTE – All attributes are available to the fetch abstract operation, subject to support by the implementation and subscription.

5.2.2 Conventions for attribute types in Table 2

This Recommendation uses the conventions listed below in its definition of attribute types for the MS abstract services.

For the column headed *Generated by* the following values can occur:

- MD: MessageDelivery abstract-operation;
- MS: MessageStore;
- RD: ReportDelivery abstract-operation.

6 Information objects

The information objects that users exchange in voice messaging are of two kinds: voice messages (VM), and voice notifications (VN). Specific details of the information objects used in the Voice Messaging System are defined in this clause and in clauses 7, 8, and 9.

```
InformationObject ::= CHOICE {  
    vm                [0] VM,  
    vn                [1] VN }
```

7 Common data types

Information items of several kinds appears both in voice messages and voice notifications. These common items are defined below.

7.1 VM Identifier

A VM Identifier is an information item that unambiguously, globally and forever uniquely identifies a VM.

It comprises an OR Name and a string which may, for example, contain a time or sequence number or other sufficient information to make this VM unique.

```
VMIdentifier ::= SET {  
    user                [0] ORName,
```

user-relative-reference [1] LocalReference }

NOTE – OR Name is defined in 8.5.5/X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.

The VM Identifier shares the same value set with the IPM Identifier defined in ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7. Therefore a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS that is capable of handling both IPMs and VMs shall make sure that the Local Reference is unique both for IPMs and VMs.

A VM Identifier has the following components:

- a) **user:** Identifies the user who originates the VM. One of the user's OR Names.
- b) **user-relative-reference:** Unambiguously identifies the VM, distinguishing it from all other VMs that the user who is identified by the User component originates. A Printable String value shall be of a size from zero to a prescribed number of characters (see Annex G). A length of zero is discouraged.

LocalReference ::= PrintableString (SIZE (0..ub-vmg-local-reference))

7.2 OR Descriptor

An OR Descriptor is an information item that is defined in the IPM protocol specifications (7.1.3 of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7). It identifies the user or DL by either its OR Name, free-form-name or telephone number, all of which are text encoded. In VM, it is most likely that the ORDescriptor will identify a user by a telephone number.

7.3 Spoken Name

The Spoken Name parameter carries an audio encoding of an associated name. It may be associated with the VMOriginatorField, RecipientField, or VNOriginatorField. The encoding of the value is per the VoiceEncodingType parameter in a VM or the VNVoiceEncodingParameter in a VN. Its size is constrained in seconds of duration.

SpokenName ::= OCTET STRING
-- Encoding is defined by voice-encoding-type
-- or vn-voice-encoding-type.
-- Maximum 10 seconds.

NOTE – The value is padded to end on an octet boundary.

7.4 Extensions

A mechanism is provided which allows for future extensions to this Recommendation.

ExtensionField ::= SEQUENCE {
type [0] VM-EXTENSION,
criticality [1] Criticality DEFAULT FALSE,
value [2] ANY DEFINED BY type DEFAULT NULL:NULL }

An Extension field can be marked critical (Criticality set to TRUE) or non-critical (Criticality set to FALSE) for acceptance of the message. An extension marked as non-critical may be ignored or discarded, while an extension marked as critical must be known and performed for acceptance of a VM.

Criticality ::= BOOLEAN

As a notation support for future definitions of extensions, a MACRO is defined.

VM-EXTENSION MACRO ::=
BEGIN
TYPE NOTATION ::= DataType Critical | empty
VALUE NOTATION ::= value (VALUE OBJECT IDENTIFIER)
DataType ::= type (X) Default
Default ::= "DEFAULT" value (X) | empty
Critical ::= "CRITICAL" | empty
END -- of extension

8 Voice message

A Voice Message (VM) is a member of the primary class of information objects conveyed between users in Voice Messaging.

NOTE 1 – The term *message* when used throughout the rest of this Recommendation is a synonym for Voice Message whose spoken components are encoded per CCITT Rec. G.726 (1990) 32 kbit/s ADPCM.

```
VM ::= SEQUENCE {
    heading      Heading,
    body         Body }
```

A Voice Message consists of the following components:

- a) **Heading:** A set of Heading Fields (or Fields), each an information item that gives a characteristic of the Voice Message.
- b) **Body:** A sequence of one or more body parts.

```
Body ::= SEQUENCE {
    primary-body-part      PrimaryBodyPart,
    additional-body-parts  AdditionalBodyParts OPTIONAL }
```

```
PrimaryBodyPart ::= CHOICE {
    vm-body-part          [0] VBodyPart,
    forwarded-VM          [1] VMBodyPart }
```

```
AdditionalBodyParts ::= SEQUENCE OF VM-ExternallyDefinedBodyPart
```

NOTE 2 – VM-Externally Defined Body Part is defined in 8.2.3.

The Body has one Primary Body Part that contains a voice information object. This body part is either the VMGS-user's recorded message itself or a forwarded VM. An example of the encoding of a Voice information object is a 32 kbit/s ADPCM Encoded Message defined by CCITT Rec. G.726 (1990).

NOTE 3 – The scope of a voice information object type is rather large and includes, for example, Privately Defined types.

The following rules comply with the requirements stated in clause 3/F.440:

- c) When a VM is first created, the Primary Body Part shall contain one Voice Body Part.
- d) When a VM is forwarded, its structure shall comply with the rules given in 17.3.3.

The Primary Body Part has one of two basic forms:

- the Primary Body Part contains a voice information object;
- the Primary Body Part contains a forwarded Voice Message.

Additionally, other body parts may be present in a message related to the Primary Body Part but of a different type. Examples of related body parts might be non-voice encoded information, such as drawings/graphics to be used in conjunction with the VM. A VM, generated as a result of VM Forwarding, may contain an additional voice encoded body part for each instance of forwarding.

The structure of a Voice Message is depicted in Figure 1.

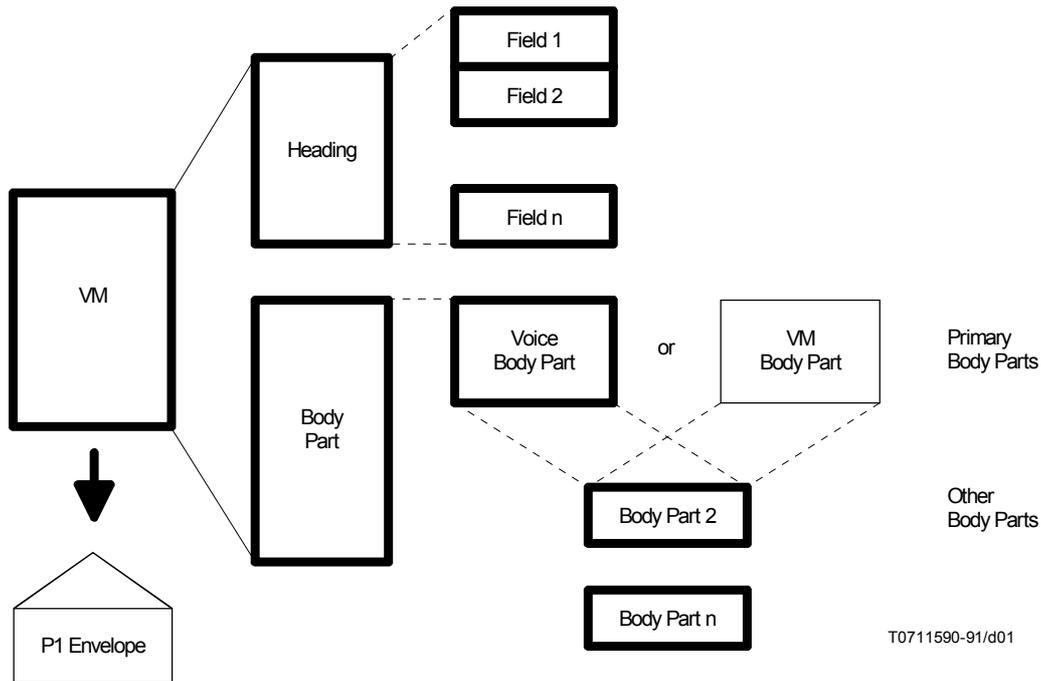


Figure 1/X.440 – Voice message structure

8.1 Heading fields

The fields that may appear in the Heading of a VM are defined and described below.

Heading ::= SEQUENCE {	
this-VM	ThisVMField,
originator	[0] VMOriginatorField OPTIONAL,
recipients	[1] RecipientsField OPTIONAL,
obsoleted-vm	[2] ObsoletedVMField OPTIONAL,
vm-subject	[3] VMSpokenSubjectField OPTIONAL,
expiry-time	[4] ExpiryTimeField OPTIONAL,
importance	[5] ImportanceField DEFAULT {normal}, -- from IPM
sensitivity	[6] SensitivityField OPTIONAL, -- from IPM
message-forwarded	[7] MessageForwarded DEFAULT FALSE,
vm-forwarding-permitted	[8] MessageForwardingPermitted DEFAULT TRUE,
language	[9] LanguageField OPTIONAL,
voice-encoding-type	[10] VoiceEncodingType DEFAULT {id-vmg-g721-32k-adpcm},
vm-creation-time	[11] VMCreationTime OPTIONAL,
vn-receiver-field	[12] VNReceiverField OPTIONAL,
vmgs-user-security-elements	[13] VMGSUserSecurityElementsField OPTIONAL,
heading-extensions	[14] HeadingExtensionsField OPTIONAL }

8.1.1 This VM

The field, This VM, identifies the VM. It comprises a VM Identifier which provides a globally and forever unique identification for the VM.

ThisVMField ::= VMIdentifier

NOTE – VM Identifier is defined in 7.1.

8.1.2 Originator

Identifies the VM's originator. It may comprise an OR Descriptor and optionally a voice encoded version of that name. If the Originator field is not present in the VM Heading, then the P1 envelope shall be used to determine the originator of the VM (see 8.2.1.1.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4).

- 2) The *Voice Notification Security* bit string may assume any of the following values simultaneously. The absence of the Voice Notification Security bit string implies that no Voice Notification Security requests are made.
- d) **proof:** When submitting the VN to the MTS, content-integrity-check shall be requested in the Message-submission-argument as defined in 8.2.1.1.1.28 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.
 - e) **non-repudiation:** When submitting the VN to the MTS, content-integrity-check shall be requested in the Message-submission-argument as defined of 8.2.1.1.1.28 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4 with a non-repudiable certificate.

**VNotificationSecurity ::= BIT STRING {
proof (0),
non-repudiation (1) } (SIZE (0..ub-bit-options))**

- 3) The *Voice Reception Security* bit string may assume any of the following values simultaneously. The absence of the Voice Reception Security field implies that no Voice Reception Security requests are made.
- f) **proof:** When submitting the VN to the MTS, content-integrity-check (possibly in the message token), or the message-origin-authentication-check (depending on the security policy in force) shall be requested. A notification shall contain the security elements and shall be signed on submission to the MTS, using content-integrity-check (possibly in the message token) or message-origin authentication-check (depending on the security policy in force) in the Message-submission-argument as defined in 8.2.1.1.1.26, 8.2.1.1.1.28 and 8.2.1.1.1.29 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.
 - g) **non-repudiation:** When submitting the VN to the MTS, a non-repudiable content-integrity-check (possibly in the message token) or a message-origin-authentication-check (depending on the security policy in force) shall be requested. A notification shall contain the security elements and shall be signed on submission to the MTS, using non-repudiable content-integrity-check (possibly in the message token) or message-origin-authentication-check (depending on the security policy in force) in the Message-submission-argument as defined in 8.2.1.1.1.26, 8.2.1.1.1.28 and 8.2.1.1.1.29 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.

**VMReceptionSecurity ::= BIT STRING {
proof (0),
non-repudiation (1) } (SIZE (0..ub-bit-options))**

NOTE 2 – Some security services are available only if the MTA supports secure messaging.

- 4) The *VM Notification Extensions* field contains notification extensions to the VNotificationRequestsField subfield. There are no extensions defined in this Recommendation.

VMNotificationExtensions ::= SET OF VMNotificationExtensionsSubField

VMNotificationExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

8.1.3.3 Attendant-assisted delivery request

The Attendant-Assisted Delivery Request field allows for the originator of the subject VM to request call assistance services of a Telephone Service attendant. The absence of this field means that Attendant-Assisted Delivery is not requested by the originator.

**AttendantAssistedDeliveryRequest ::= INTEGER {
person-to-person (0),
anyone (1) }**

The Attendant-Assisted Delivery Request field may assume the values:

- a) **person-to-person:** Allows the originator to request person-to-person delivery to the recipient. The Telephone Service attendant will use the RecipientSpokenName component of the RecipientField to ask for the intended person.
- b) **anyone:** Allows the originator to request an attendant to assist in the delivery of the message to anyone at the named recipient's OR-address.

8.1.3.4 Recipient extensions

The Recipient Extensions contains extensions to the Recipients subfield.

RecipientExtensionsField ::= SET OF RecipientExtensionsSubField

RecipientExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

There are no extensions defined in this Recommendation. Support requirements for any future extensions shall be in accordance with the corresponding element of service to which the heading extension applies.

8.1.4 Obsoleted VM

The Obsoleted VM field identifies one or more VMs that the present VM obsoletes. It is a sequence of subfields, each a VM Identifier.

ObsoletedVMField ::= SEQUENCE OF ObsoletedVMSubfield

ObsoletedVMSubfield ::= VMIdentifier

8.1.5 VM (Spoken) subject

The VM Subject field indicates the message subject of the VM Primary Body Part. It is encoded per the algorithm identified in the Voice-Encoding-Type field. The field contains a brief audio description of the subject VM. Its size is expressed in seconds.

NOTE 1 – A duration of twenty seconds is the upper limit set in Annex G.

SpokenSubject ::= OCTET STRING

-- *Encoding is defined by voice-encoding-type;*

-- *Maximum 20 seconds.*

NOTE 2 – The value is padded to end on an octet boundary.

NOTE 3 – The algorithm used to encode this value is indicated by the *Voice Encoding Type* field, see 8.1.12.

8.1.6 Expiry time

This field indicates when the originator considers this VM to lose its validity. It comprises a date and time (UTC).

NOTE – Expiry Time field is defined in 7.2.11 of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7.

8.1.7 Importance

This field conveys the originator's perceived importance for this message. It may convey one of the levels of importance: low, normal or high. The absence of this element of protocol implies that the originator considers this message to be of **normal** importance.

NOTE – *Importance* field is defined in 7.2.8 of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7.

8.1.8 Sensitivity

The Sensitivity field conveys the originator's perceived sensitivity that recipients are to consider in effect for this message. It conveys one of 3 levels of sensitivity: personal, private, company-confidential. The absence of this element of protocol implies that this message is not considered to be sensitive.

NOTE – *Sensitivity* field is defined in 7.2.15 of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7.

8.1.9 Message forwarded

The Message Forwarded field is used to indicate whether the message was forwarded. Absence of this field shall be interpreted as the value FALSE, i.e. not forwarded.

MessageForwarded ::= BOOLEAN -- Default False

If this field has the value TRUE, it indicates to a receiving UA that the security elements in the inner envelope of the Primary Body Part need to be examined.

NOTE – Rules regarding the use of this field are contained in 17.3.3.1, 17.3.3.2 and 17.3.3.3.

8.1.10 VMessage forwarding permitted

The VMessage Forwarding Permitted field, a Boolean, indicates that the forwarding of this message is permitted by the originator if this field is set to TRUE. Absence of the field shall be interpreted as the value TRUE.

A recipient of a message with the VM Forwarding Permitted field set to FALSE shall originate VNs as requested, and shall not forward this message.

MessageForwardingPermitted ::= BOOLEAN -- Default TRUE, forwarding is permitted

8.1.11 Language

The Language field indicates the internationally recognized language and optionally the local usage that was used by the originator when creating the message. The absence of this field shall be interpreted as unspecified by the originator.

LanguageField ::= SEQUENCE OF Language -- from IPM

The codes used in the language-code and national-usage fields are defined in ISO 639-2 and ISO 3166, respectively.

NOTE 1 – The syntax of the Language field is imported from Annex H of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7. It is defined to be a 5-character field where the first 2 characters indicates the language-code and the last 2 characters indicates the national-usage. The middle character position is a space character as a separator. Usage of the national-usage section of the field is optional.

NOTE 2 – If the language of the spoken message is English as spoken by a Canadian, then the language-code value would be "en", and the national-usage value would be "CA".

NOTE 3 – The type LanguageField is encoded as a Sequence to allow for future growth of the protocol to handle VMs of multiple voice encoded body parts.

NOTE 4 – For this information to be useful for human usage, the receiving system may need to present a spoken version of this information to the user. For example, the value "CA" would be heard in the local language as "canadian" or "Canada".

8.1.12 Voice encoding type

Indicates the voice standard used to encode the contents of the Primary Body Part and any other voice encoded data type contained in the subject VM. It is represented by a single object identifier.

NOTE 1 – This object identifier implements the element of service *VM Encoding Algorithm Identifier (E.10)* defined in Recommendation F.440 (1992).

VoiceEncodingType ::= OBJECT IDENTIFIER -- default CCITT's G.726 32 kbit/s ADPCM

The following standard values have object identifiers defined in this Recommendation:

- 32 kbit/s-ADPCM: ITU-T Rec. G.726 (1990);
- PRIVATE: UNDEFINED OCTETS;
- UNDEFINED: UNDEFINED OCTETS.

The absence of this field shall be interpreted as having the default value set to 32 kbit/s-ADPCM.

The actual mapping of 32 kbit/s-ADPCM transmission encoding onto ASN.1 octets is for further study.

NOTE 2 – The voice encoding referred to by the object identifier is that in which both the Voice Body Part, and those Heading fields whose values are spoken are encoded, notwithstanding the fact that these types are defined as an ASN.1 ANY.

The value of the Voice Body Part Type field shall be used in the Encoded Information Types in the MTS abstract operations (see also 17.1.1). This enables a UA to signal to the MTS which Voice standard the VM's Primary Body Part complies with. The MTS shall make use of this information, if the recipient UA has registered delivery restrictions on Encoded Information Types, to decide if it can deliver the VM or to provide conversion services.

8.1.13 VM creation time

Indicates the date and time of creation of the spoken message. It comprises a UTC time.

VMCreationTime ::= UTCTime

8.1.14 VN receiver

Identifies the recipient to whom VNs are to be sent. This is created by the originator of the VM when the Recipient of a requested notification is different from the Originator of the message. It consists of a sequence of OR Name, VM Identifier and First Recipient.

This field shall not be present if Voice Notification Requests are not made.

This field shall be present in a forwarded message when the forwarding Voice messaging system user agent (VMGS-UA) or Voice messaging system message store (VMGS-MS) forwards the message. This field may be present when the forwarding VMGS-UA accepts the message. Rules related to the construction of this field are given in 17.3.3.

NOTE 1 – For brevity, the term user agent (UA) is used throughout the rest of this Recommendation with the meaning of VMGS-UA, and the term message store (MS) is used throughout the rest of this Recommendation with the meaning of VMGS-MS.

VNReceiverField ::= SEQUENCE {
 vn-receiver-name [0] ORName,
 original-vm-identifier [1] VMIdentifier OPTIONAL,
 first-recipient [2] FirstRecipientField OPTIONAL }

The *first-recipient* field shall not be present if more than one recipient contains Voice Notification Requests.

The *original-vm-identifier* and the *first-recipient* fields shall not be present when the Primary Body Part is a Voice Body Part (that is, when the original originator first creates the VM).

NOTE 2 – The Original VM Identifier and First Recipient fields are included in order to allow the recipient to construct the VN for a forwarded VM. See 9.1 (more specifically 9.1.3) and 17.3.1.1 for rules related to the construction of a VN; see 17.3.3.4 for rules related to the First Recipient field when constructing a forwarded VM. OR Name is defined in 8.5.5 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4. First Recipient Field is defined in 9.1.3.

8.1.15 VMGS-user security elements

The *VMGS-user security elements* field allows a user to exchange security elements having an end-to-end significance.

```
VMGSUserSecurityElementsField ::= SEQUENCE {  
  vmgs-user-security-element      [0] VMGSUserSecurityElement OPTIONAL,  
  vm-encrypted-primary-bodypart  [1] BOOLEAN OPTIONAL,  
  vmgs-user-security-extensions  [2] VMGSUserSecurityExtensions OPTIONAL }  
  
VMGSUserSecurityElement      ::= BIT STRING (SIZE (0..ub-vmgs-user-security-elements))  
  
VMGSUserSecurityExtensions  ::= SEQUENCE OF VMGSUserSecurityExtension  
  
VMGSUserSecurityExtension   ::= ExtensionField
```

8.1.16 Heading extensions

The Heading extensions allows for future extensions to the Heading.

```
HeadingExtensionsField ::= SET OF HeadingExtensionsSubField  
  
HeadingExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField
```

There is no Extensions to the Heading defined in this Recommendation. Support requirements for any future extensions shall be in accordance with the corresponding element of service that the heading extension applies.

8.2 Body part types

The types of body parts that may appear in the Body of a VM are defined and described below.

8.2.1 Voice body part

A Voice Body Part carries a single voice encoded message (object).

```
VBodyPart ::= SEQUENCE {  
  voice-parameters              [0] VoiceParameters OPTIONAL,  
  voice-data                    [1] VoiceData }  
  
VoiceParameters ::= SEQUENCE {  
  voice-message-duration        [0] VMDuration OPTIONAL,  
  voice-encoding-type           [1] VoiceEncodingType OPTIONAL, -- for use in IPM  
  other-parameters             [2] VMSupplementaryInformation OPTIONAL,  
  extension-parameters        [3] VBPPParameterExtensions OPTIONAL }  
  
VMDuration ::= INTEGER, -- size indicated in seconds  
  
VBPPParameterExtensionsField ::= SET OF VBPEExtensionsSubField  
  
VBPEExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField  
  
VoiceData ::= OCTET STRING      -- defined by VoiceEncodingType
```

NOTE 1 – The value is padded to end on an octet boundary.

The *VoiceParameters* component of the **VBodyPart** shall be used as follows:

- a) **voice-message-duration:** The duration of the voice encoded data component in seconds.
- b) **voice-encoding-type:** An object identifier which identifies the voice encoding applied to the data portion of this body part. It is intended for use within IPM where voice encoded body parts are not restricted to be of the same encoding within the body of the message. If used in VM, it shall have the same value as the voice-encoding-type field carried in the Heading.
- c) **other-parameters:** Encoded as *VMSupplementaryInformation*. It conveys additional information necessary for decoding and processing the voice encoded data component of this body part. Its usage is subject to bilateral or local agreements.
- d) **extension-parameters:** Conveys parameter extensions needed for processing the voice encoded data component of this body part.

NOTE 2 – There are no *extension-parameters* defined in this Recommendation.

The reference definition of the encoded voice object used is that used by G.726 32 kbit/s ADPCM. The object identifier used in the default is defined in Annex A. By employing the use of object identifiers, this Recommendation does not draw a distinction between voice, or audio or music quality encoded objects.

The *VoiceData* component of the **VBodyPart** carries the digital encoding of the voice message. The encoding of the contents of this component is identified in the Voice Encoding Type field, see 9.1.5.

This Recommendation identifies two encoding for voice object. Annex H provides guidelines for mapping these encodings, 32 kbit/s ADPCM and 16 kbit/s LDCLP, onto MHS protocol. It is provided to assist developers in creating a consistent way of mapping between the two environments.

8.2.2 VM body part

A VM Body Part contains a forwarded VM, and optionally, its delivery envelope. The delivery envelope shall be present when MHS security services are employed. When a VM is forwarded, its structure shall comply with the rules given in 17.3.3.2.

```
VMBodyPart ::= SEQUENCE {  
  parameters [0] MessageParameters OPTIONAL,  
  data [1] MessageData }  
  
MessageParameters ::= SET {  
  delivery-time [0] MessageDeliveryTime OPTIONAL,  
  delivery-envelope [1] OtherMessageDeliveryFields OPTIONAL,  
  -- delivery-time and delivery-envelope shall both be present or both shall be absent.  
  other-parameters [2] VMSupplementaryInformation OPTIONAL }  
  
MessageData ::= VM  
  
VMSupplementaryInformation ::= IA5String (SIZE (1..ub-supplementary-info-length))
```

NOTE – Primary Body Part is defined in clause 8. Message Delivery Time and Other Message Delivery Fields are defined in 8.3.1.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.

The VM Supplementary Information field is intended to convey additional pre-registered information when performing VM Forwarding.

The structure of a VM Body Part which results from VM Forwarding is depicted in Figure 2.

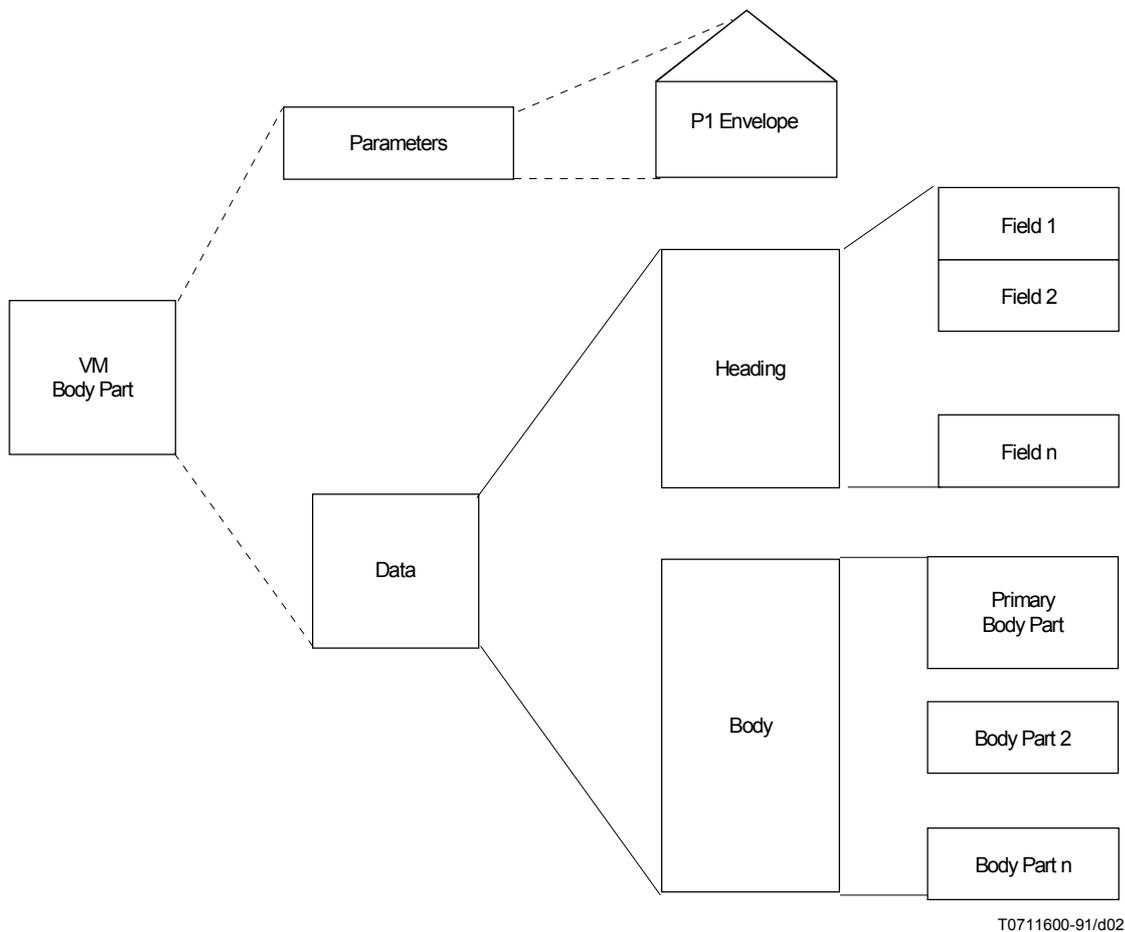


Figure 2/X.440 – VM body (Forwarded) part structure

8.2.3 VM externally defined body parts

Additional body parts, that relate to the Primary Body Part, may be carried together with a Voice Body Part. For submission of the original VM, the body parts shall not be or include voice encoded information objects.

Additional body parts are externally defined and represent information objects whose semantics and abstract syntax are denoted by an object identifier which the body part carries. They have Parameters and Data components.

VM-ExternallyDefinedBodyPart ::= ExternallyDefinedBodyPart -- from IPMS

NOTE – The IPMS Externally Defined Body Part type is defined in 7.3.12 of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7.

9 Voice notifications

A Voice Notification (VN) is a member of a secondary class of information object conveyed between users in voice messaging.

NOTE 1 – The term notification is used throughout the rest of this Recommendation as a synonym for voice notification.

NOTE 2 – Voice messaging information objects are defined in clause 8.

VN ::= CHOICE {

receipt-notification	[0] ReceiptNotificationFields, -- referred to as RN
service-notification	[1] ServiceNotificationFields, -- referred to as SN
non-receipt-notification	[2] NonReceiptNotificationFields -- referred to as NRN --}

- receipt notification (RN): A VN that reports its originator's acceptance of a VM.
- service notification (SN): A VN that reports its originator's software did not support all of the requested EOSs although the message was received by the recipient.
- non-receipt notification (NRN): A VN that reports its originator's refusal to accept a VM and that the subject VM has been forwarded without accepting the message or discarded.

NOTE 3 – RN, SN, and NRN are used in the User Agent section of this Recommendation. However, according to a user's local policy, a UA may delegate to its MS the responsibility for responding to requested VNs.

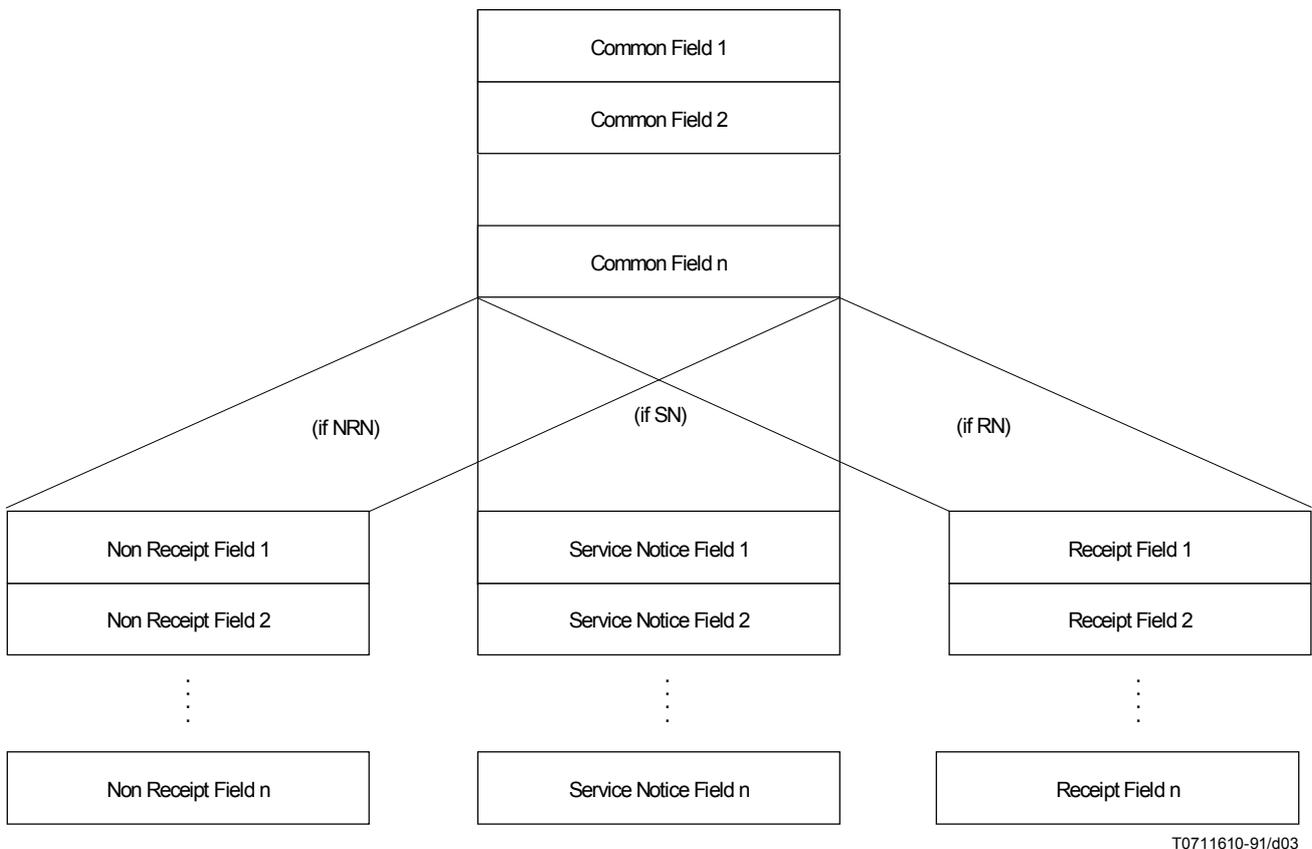
The VM to which a VN refers is called the subject VM (see 17.3.3).

If VM Forwarding has not occurred, then the recipient of the VN is the Originator of the subject VM, or, if present, the OR Name indicated in the VN Receiver field. However, if VM Forwarding has occurred, then the recipient of the VN may be either the originator of the VM or the originator of the forwarded VM.

There shall be at most one recipient specified for a VN. There shall be at most one RN and SN originated for each subject VM by each recipient from whom these notifications are requested. A NRN may be originated subsequent to a SN, in accordance with c of 17.3.3.1. One NRN is originated, if and only if requested, by each recipient that forwards a VM. In accordance with the provision of 17.3.3, the subject VM originator shall receive at most one RN or SN for each recipient from whom these notifications were requested. This is true regardless of how many times the VM is forwarded. However, the originator may receive multiple NRNs as a consequence of VM Forwarding.

A VN consists of fields of information specific to Receipt, Service or Non-Receipt Notification. Additionally, each VN type contains the Common fields which are described below. Figure 3 illustrates the structure of a voice notification.

The specific notification type conveyed by the VNP is also identified in the P1 PerMessageIndicators field as specified in Figure 2 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.



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Figure 3/X.440 – Voice notification structure

9.1 Common fields

The Common fields used in the Voice Notifications are defined and described below. The data type which follows is carried in a RN as *rn-common-fields*, in a SN as *sn-common-fields* and in a NRN as *nrn-common-fields*.

```

CommonFields ::= SET {
  subject-vm
  vn-originator
  first-recipient
  notice-creation-time
  vn-voice-encoding-type
  conversion-indication
  notification-security-elements
  orig-vm-spoken-subject
  subject-vm-other-recipients
  SubjectVMField,
  [1] VNOriginatorField,
  [2] FirstRecipientField OPTIONAL,
  [3] NoticeCreationTimeField,
  [4] VNVoiceEncodingType,
  [5] ConversionEITsField OPTIONAL,
  [6] SecurityElementsField OPTIONAL,
  [7] VMSpokenSubjectField OPTIONAL,
  [8] RecipientField OPTIONAL,

```

**vn-supplementary-info
notifications-extensions**

**[9] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL,
[10] NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }**

NOTE – The Common fields appear in the RN, SN and NRN fields defined below.

9.1.1 Subject VM

The Subject VM field contains the VM Identifier either passed in the VN Receiver field, if the subject VM has been forwarded, or the This VM field, if not.

SubjectVMField ::= VMIdentifier

NOTE – VM Identifier is defined in 7.1. Subject VM is defined in 5.1 b.

9.1.2 VN originator

The VN Originator contains the OR Name component of the Originator field for the UA constructing the notification. Additionally, it may contain a voice encoded representation of this originator and the identity of the VM application entity that initiated the notice.

**VNOriginatorField ::= SEQUENCE {
originator-name [0] VMOriginatorField,
vn-initiator [1] VNInitiatorField OPTIONAL }**

NOTE – OR Name is defined in 8.5.5 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4. The VMOriginatorField parameter is defined in 8.1.2. The audio encoded component of the VMOriginator field, the SpokenName, is defined in 7.3.

The VN Initiator field can take one of the following values:

- internal-UA** means that the UA generated the VN either for local reasons or because the generation had been delegated to it by the user.
- internal-MS** means that the MS generated the VN either for local reasons or because the generation had been delegated to it by the user.
- external-UA** means that the generation of the VN was requested by the user via the abstract operation Originate VN (see 12.1.2).
- internal-tsau** means that the TSAU generated the VN either for local reasons or because the generation had been delegated to it by the user.

**VNInitiatorField ::= ENUMERATED {
internal-ua (0),
external-ua (1),
internal-ms (2),
internal-tsau (3) }**

Origination of a Receipt Notification implies that the message has been accepted, regardless of the value of this field.

The value of this field shall be consistent with the choice (UA/MS, user) of the Reason Code field for SNs and NRNs.

9.1.3 First recipient

The First Recipient field contains the OR Name of the first recipient in a forwarding chain. This field, together with other fields, is used by the recipient of the notification to correlate the notification and the original message.

FirstRecipientField ::= ORName

NOTE – OR Name is defined in 8.5.5 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4. If the receiver of this VN desires the audio version of this recipient it is extracted from a locally held copy of the original subject VM.

If the originator of the VN is not the preferred recipient specified by the VBodyPart originator, then the First Recipient field shall be present in the VN (see 17.3 and more specifically 17.3.1.1).

9.1.4 Notice creation time

Notice Creation Time contains the date and time, in UTC format, at which the notification for the subject VM was generated.

NoticeCreationTimeField ::= UTCTime

9.1.5 VN voice encoding type

The VN Voice Encoding Type field conveys the identity of the voice encoding algorithm used to encode spoken data element fields contained in this notification as well as any additional information needed to decode any spoken data elements by the recipient of this VN. If conversion was performed on the subject VM that this VN references, then its value can be different from the *Voice Encoding Type* field found in the subject VM.

VNVoiceEncodingType ::= VoiceEncodingType

NOTE – Its syntax is specified in 8.1.12.

9.1.6 Conversion indication

The Conversion Indication common field identifies the EITs contained in the subject VM upon delivery to the VN's originator. Its value is an EIT descriptor. This field is present only if the subject VM was subjected to MTA conversion services for delivery to the VN originator.

The encoding of this field is found in 8.1.4 of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7, and more specifically in 19.4 below.

9.1.7 Notification security elements

The Notification Security Elements field is used to provide "proof/non repudiation of content received", and "Voice security" services.

```
SecurityElementsField ::= SEQUENCE {  
  original-content [0] Content OPTIONAL, -- from PI  
  original-content-integrity-check [1] ContentIntegrityCheck OPTIONAL, -- from PI  
  vmgs-user-security-elements [2] VMGSUserSecurityElementsField OPTIONAL,  
  security-extensions [3] SecurityExtensionsField OPTIONAL }
```

```
SecurityExtensionsField ::= SET OF SecurityExtensionsSubField
```

```
SecurityExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField
```

NOTE – The *VMGS-user Security Elements* field is defined in 8.1.15. Content and Content Integrity Check are defined in, respectively, 8.2.1.1.1.37 and 8.2.1.1.1.28 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4. Security services are available only if the MTA supports secure messaging.

Subclause 17.1.2 below specifies how these fields are filled in.

9.1.8 Original VM spoken subject

The Original VM Spoken Subject field conveys the value of the *VM Subject* field received in the subject VM. The subject VM is the cause of this VN being generated. If the *VM Subject* field is not provided in the subject VM, then this notification field shall not have a value.

NOTE – *VM Subject* field which contains voice encoded information is defined in 8.1.5.

9.1.9 Subject VM other recipients

The *Subject VM Other Recipients* conveys the identities of the other intended recipients of the subject VM that prompted this notification. If the subject VM was originally addressed to only one recipient and VM Forwarding was not performed, then this field shall be omitted. If the original subject VM had undergone VM Forwarding, then the union of all recipients shall be present in the value of this field.

```
SubjectVMOtherRecipients ::= SEQUENCE OF RecipientField
```

NOTE – Recipient Field is defined in 8.1.3.1.

9.1.10 VN supplementary information

The VN Supplementary Information field carried in a notification, if present, may be encoded in either IA5 or voice. When present, the duration of (audio encoded) *Spoken Supplementary Information* is not to exceed the upper bounds set as follows.

When VN Supplementary Information contains voice encoded information voice, the encoding is that of the original subject VM. If subject VM had been subject to conversion prior to delivery then the *SpokenSupplementaryInfo* field shall be absent.

```
VNSupplementaryInfo ::= SEQUENCE {  
  supplementary-info [0] VMSupplementaryInformation OPTIONAL,  
  v-supplementary-info [1] SpokenSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL }
```

```
SpokenSupplementaryInfo ::= OCTET STRING
```

-- *Encoding is defined by vn-voice-encoding-type;*

-- *Maximum 20 seconds.*

NOTE 1 – The value is padded to end on an octet boundary.

NOTE 2 – *VM Supplementary Information* field is defined in 8.2.2.

9.1.11 Notifications extensions

The Notification Extensions allows for future extensions to the VN.

NotificationExtensionsField ::= SET OF NotificationExtensionsSubField

NotificationExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

There are no extensions to the VN defined in this Recommendation. Support requirements for any future extensions shall be in accordance with the corresponding element of service to which the heading extension applies.

Extensions shall not be critical in VNs.

9.2 Receipt notifications

A Receipt Notification (RN) indicates that the subject VM has been accepted by a recipient. It is generated, if, and only if, the originator has requested one and the subject VM has been accepted by the user.

The exact procedures which constitute acceptance of message are a local matter; for example, the UA may construct the RN as soon as it passes the message to the user or it may wait for an external stimulus from the user that the message has been accepted and therefore can generate the RN.

An RN may be generated as a result of VM Forwarding. RNs generated as a result of VM Forwarding is described in 17.3.3 and in 18.4.2 when a VMGS-MS is involved.

An RN is composed of Receipt Notification Fields which consist of VN common fields, and may consist of supplementary information, receipt extension fields and the subject VM.

The structure of an RN is defined as follows:

ReceiptNotificationFields ::= SEQUENCE {
 rn-common-fields **[0] CommonFields,**
 rn-extensions **[1] NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }**

9.2.1 RN common fields

The RN Common Fields carried in this notification are those fields relevant to Receipt notices as specified in 17.3.1.1. The structure of this data type is found in 9.1.

9.2.2 Receipt notification extensions

The Receipt Notification Extensions allows for future extensions to the RN.

There are no extensions to the RN defined in this Recommendation. Support requirements for any future extensions shall be in accordance with the corresponding element of service to which the heading extension applies.

Extensions shall not be critical in RNs.

NOTE – The structure of NotificationExtensionsField is defined in 9.1.11.

9.3 Service notifications

A Service Notification (SN) is sent by a UA, if and only if the originator has requested one. It conveys the semantic that the VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS has been presented the subject VM although the subject VM contained *Optional Additional* elements of service that were not available to the recipient.

NOTE – This notice is not supported in IPM.

Service Notification fields are defined and described below.

ServiceNotificationFields ::= SEQUENCE {
 sn-common-fields **[0] CommonFields,**
 sn-reason-code-field **[1] SNReasonCode,**
 sn-extensions **[2] NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }**

9.3.1 SN common fields

The SN Common Fields carried in this notification are those fields relevant to a Service Notification as specified in 17.3.2.1. The structure of this data type is found in 9.1.

9.3.2 Service notification reason

Generally, the Service Notification Reason indicates that the subject VM was passed to the VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS generating this notice and that one or more requested elements of service are not available to that user. If the SN Reason

Field has the value "unspecified", additional information may be carried in any combination of a Diagnostic field or the VN Supplementary Info field. Depending on the security policy in force, the security error diagnostic code may or may not be present. Any SN Reason Code value set to **TRUE** indicates that this requested optional element of service is not available to the VMGS-user. The receiving VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS may be authorized to initiate a SN on behalf of the receiving user.

```

SNReasonCode ::= SEQUENCE {
    sn-reason [0] SNReasonField,
    sn-diagnostic [1] SNDiagnosticField OPTIONAL }

```

-- Service Notification Basic Reason Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS or VMGS-TSAU. These codes are those specified in Annex B/F.440 for the Element of Service "VM Notification Request".

```

SNReasonField ::= BIT STRING {
    unspecified (0),
    auto-forwarding-ind (1),
    language-ind (2),
    obsoleting-ind (3),
    attendant-assisted-delivery-request (4),
    expiry-date-ind (5),
    body-part-encryption-ind (6) } (SIZE (1..ub-sn-reasons))

```

-- Service Notification Diagnostic Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS

```

SNDiagnosticField ::= INTEGER {
    -- This field may be used to further specify the error signalled in sn-ua-ms-basic-code.
    -- Additional information may be indicated in sn-supplementary-information.

```

-- general diagnostic codes

```

language-national-usage-problem (1),
    -- used if the national usage of the language included is incompatible

```

```

vm-language-not-understood (2),
    -- language not understood by this recipient

```

```

vm-unsupported-voice-encoding (3),
    -- recipient does not support the VM's encoding

```

-- security error diagnostic codes

```

local-security-not-supported (4) } (1..ub-vn-reason-code)

```

9.3.3 Service notification extensions

The Service Notification Extensions allows for future extensions to the SN.

There are no extensions to the SN defined in this Recommendation. Support requirements for any future extensions shall be in accordance with the corresponding element of service to which the heading extension applies.

Extensions shall not be critical in SNs.

NOTE – SN Extensions, which is defined to be the field NotificationExtensionsField, is defined in 9.1.11.

9.4 Non-receipt notifications

A Non-Receipt Notification (NRN) is sent by a UA, if and only if the originator has requested one, when the UA determines that it cannot accept the message, or decides to forward the VM and the Voice Notification Requests contained in the VM, to another UA.

Non-Receipt Notification fields are defined and described below.

```

NonReceiptNotificationFields ::= SEQUENCE {
    nrn-common-fields [0] CommonFields,
    nrn-reason-codes [1] VNRNReasonCodeField,
    nrn-extensions [2] NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }

```

9.4.1 NRN common fields

The NRN Common Fields carried in this notification are those fields relevant to a Non-Receipt Notification as specified in 17.3.3.6. The structure of NRNCommonFields is found in 9.1.

9.4.2 Non-receipt reason codes

A VN Non-Receipt Reason Codes field indicates why the subject VM could not be accepted by the user of the UA originating the VN. If any Basic Code field has the value "unspecified", additional information may be carried in any combination of a Diagnostic field or the VN Supplementary Information field. Depending on the security policy in force, the security error diagnostic may or may not be present.

```
VNRNReasonCodeField ::= CHOICE {  
  nrn-ua-ms-reason-code      [0] VNRNUAMSReasonCodeField,  
  nrn-user-reason-code       [1] VNRNUserReasonCodeField,  
  nrn-tsau-reason-code       [2] VNRNTSAUReasonCodeField }
```

-- NRN Reason Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS.

```
VNRNUAMSReasonCodeField ::= SEQUENCE {  
  nrn-ua-ms-basic-codes      [0] VNRNUAMSBasicCodeField,  
  nrn-ua-ms-diagnostics      [1] VNRNUAMSDiagnosticField OPTIONAL }
```

-- VN NRN Basic Reason Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS.

```
VNRNUAMSBasicCodeField ::= INTEGER {  
  unspecified (0),  
  auto-forwarded (1),  
  can-not-pass-to-mhs-user (2),  
  delivery-timeout (3),  
  message-discarded (4),  
  subscription-terminated (5),  
  forwarding-error (6),  
  security-error (7),  
  message-forwarded (8),  
  voice-encoding-not-supported (9) } (0..ub-vn-reason-code)
```

-- NRN Diagnostic Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS or TSAU.

```
VNRNUAMSDiagnosticField ::= INTEGER {  
  -- This field may be used to further specify the error  
  -- signalled in the field "nrn-ua-ms-basic-codes".  
  -- Additional information may be  
  -- indicated in the "vn-supplementary-info" field.  
  protocol-violation (0) -- this is a place holder  
 } (0..ub-vn-reason-code)
```

-- NRN Reason Codes from a VMGS-User.

```
VNRNUserReasonCodeField ::= SEQUENCE {  
  vn-user-basic-codes        [0] VNRNUserBasicCodeField,  
  vn-user-diagnostics        [1] VNRNUserDiagnosticField OPTIONAL }
```

-- VN NRN Basic Reason Codes from a VMGS-User.

```
VNRNUserBasicCodeField ::= INTEGER {  
  unspecified (0),  
  user-defined-reason (1) -- this is a place holder  
 } (0..ub-vn-reason-code)
```

-- VN NRN Basic Reason Codes from a VMGS-User.

```
VNRNUserDiagnosticField ::= INTEGER  
  -- Contains the reason passed by the user when the value  
  -- of "nrn-user-basic-code" is "user-defined-reason".  
  -- Additional information may be indicated in the  
  -- "vn-supplementary-info" field. The values used in this field  
  -- are outside the scope of this Recommendation.
```

-- NRN Reason Codes from a TSAU-User.

```
VNRNTSAUReasonCodeField ::= SEQUENCE {  
  nrn-user-basic-codes      [0] VNRNTSAUBasicCodeField,
```

nrn-user-diagnostics [1] VNRNTSAUDiagnosticField OPTIONAL }

VNRNTSAUReasonBasicCodeField ::= INTEGER {
attendant-assisted-delivery-failure (0),
unknown-telephone-number (1),
attendant-assisted-delivery-not-provided (2),
delivery-timeout (3),
security-error (4),
message-forwarded (5),
unspecified (6),
inappropriate-voice-encoding (7),
telephone-number-unreachable (8),
recipient-refused-message (9),
no-answer-on-every-attempt (10),
busy-on-every-attempt (11),
no-answer-or-busy-on-every-attempt (12),
sensitivity-not-supported (13),
importance-not-supported (14),
busy-on-every-attempt (15)
-- TSAU providers may define additional values above (1000). }

VNRNTSAUDiagnosticField ::= INTEGER {
person-to-person-spoken-name-not-provided (0),
person-unavailable (1),
number-not-in-service (2),
message-expired (3),
importance-not-conveyed (4)
} (0..ub-vn-reason-code)

9.4.3 NRN extensions

The NRN Extensions field allows for future extensions to the structure of an NRN.

There are no extensions to the NRN defined in this Recommendation. Support requirements for any future extensions shall be in accordance with the corresponding element of service to which the heading extension applies.

Extensions shall not be critical in NRNs.

NOTE – NRN Extensions, which is defined to be the field NotificationExtensionsField, is defined in 9.1.11.

10 Primary object types

The environment in which Voice Messaging takes place can be modelled as an abstract object which is hereafter referred to as the Voice Messaging Environment (VMGE).

vmge OBJECT ::= id-ot-vmge

When refined (i.e. functionally decomposed), the VMGE can be seen to comprise lesser objects which interact by means of ports.

vmge-refinement REFINE vmge AS
vmgs
 origination [S] PAIRED WITH vmgs-user
 reception [S] PAIRED WITH vmgs-user
 management [S] PAIRED WITH vmgs-user
 vmgs-user RECURRING
::= id-ref-primary

The lesser objects are referred to as the primary objects of Voice Messaging. They include a single, central object, the Voice Messaging System (VMGS), and numerous peripheral objects called Voice Messaging System users (users). The structure of the VMGE is depicted in Figure 4.

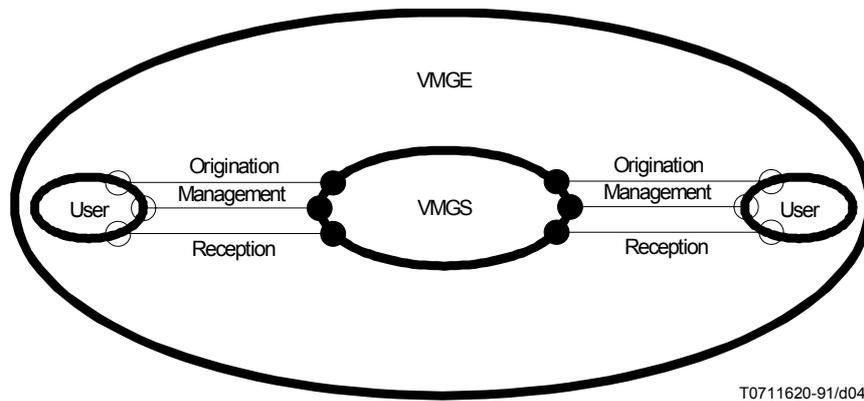


Figure 4/X.440 – The voice messaging environment

The primary object types are defined and described below. The types of ports by means of which they interact are discussed in clause 11.

10.1 Voice messaging system user

A Voice Messaging System user (VMGS-user) is typically a human that engages in Voice Messaging. Such a person is referred to by the term "user" in this Recommendation as identified earlier in 7.1. A user originates, receives, or both originates and receives Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6. Hence, a VMGS-user object is defined as follows:

```

vmgs-user OBJECT
  PORTS {
    origination          [C],
    reception            [C],
    management           [C]
  }
  ::= id-ot-vmgs-user

```

The VMGE comprises any number of users.

NOTE – Voice messaging is typically an activity between two or more humans. The primary access device is anticipated to be a telephone hand set. This does not preclude the possibility of human interaction with the information processing systems which are performing voice messaging adjunct services, or more direct interaction of a human user with the VMGS. These information processes are referred to as Voice applications.

10.2 Voice messaging system

The Voice Messaging System is the object by means of which all users communicate a voice message (VM) with one another in Voice Messaging. Users may choose to use interpersonal messaging systems to exchange voice encoded messages which is described in ITU-T Rec. X.420. As the primary communication object for Voice Messaging, VMGS supplies the services of message origination, reception, and management through *ports*. The VMGS object is defined as follows:

```

vmgs OBJECT
  PORTS {
    origination          [S],
    reception            [S],
    management           [S]
  }
  ::= id-ot-vmgs

```

The VMGE comprises exactly one VMGS.

11 Primary port types

The primary objects of Voice Messaging are joined to and interact with one another by means of ports. These ports, which the VMGS supplies, are referred to as the primary ports of Voice Messaging. They are of the types defined below.

NOTE – In clause 15, the VMGS is decomposed into still lesser objects, among which is the MTS. This fact is anticipated here by the inclusion of certain MTS capabilities in the VMGS Abstract Service.

11.1 Origination port

An Origination Port is the means by which a single user conveys to the VMGS messages containing Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6. Through such a port the user originates a Voice Message and a Voice Notification. A Voice Notification is a Receipt Notification (RN), a Non-Receipt Notification (NRN), and a Service Notification (SN). The abstract operations available at the origination port are defined as:

```
origination PORT
  CONSUMER INVOKES {
    OriginateVM,
    OriginateVN }
::= id-pt-origination
```

The VMGS supplies one Origination Port to each user (with the exception of indirect users served by TSAUs (see 15.3)).

11.2 Reception port

A Reception Port is the means by which the VMGS conveys to a single user messages containing Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6. Through such a port the user receives Voice Messages and Voice Notifications. In addition, the user may receive Delivery and Non-Delivery reports through such a port. The abstract operations available at the reception port are defined to be:

```
reception PORT
  SUPPLIER INVOKES {
    ReceiveReport,
    ReceiveVM,
    ReceiveVN }
::= id-pt-reception
```

The VMGS supplies one Reception Port to each user.

11.3 Management port

A Management Port is the means by which a single user changes personally managed information that is recorded within the VMGS. The specific types of information is defined in clause 6. By means of such a port the user enables and disables auto-discard, -acknowledgement, and -SNs, and -forwarding. The abstract operations available at the management port are defined as:

```
management PORT
  CONSUMER INVOKES {
    ChangeAutoDiscard,
    ChangeAutoAcknowledgements,
    ChangeAutoSNotice,
    ChangeAutoForwarding }
::= id-pt-management
```

12 Abstract operations

What follows defines the abstract service that characterizes Voice Messaging, and describes the environment in which that service is supplied and consumed. It does both using the abstract service definition conventions of CCITT Rec. X.407 and ISO/IEC 10021-3.

The VMGS Abstract Service is the set of capabilities that the VMGS provides to each user by means of one Origination Port, one Reception Port and one Management Port. These capabilities are modelled as abstract operations, which may encounter abstract errors when invoked.

The purpose of the VMGS Abstract Service definition is not to prescribe the interface between the VMG-user and the VMGS-UA, but rather to clarify the meaning and intended use of the Information Objects. A user interface need not provide commands in one-to-one correspondence to the service's abstract operations, nor indeed even divide the labour between the user and the VMGS as the service does.

The abstract operations available at the Origination Port and Reception Port are defined and described below. The abstract errors they may provoke are the subject of clause 13.

The VMGS Abstract Service involves neither abstract bind nor abstract unbind operations.

The VMGS authenticates (i.e. establishes the identity of) the typical user before offering the VMGS Abstract Service to him. By this means it can verify, e.g., that the user is a VMG subscriber. Authentication, where required, is implicit (rather than explicit) in the definition of the VMGS Abstract Service.

NOTE – In clause 15, the VMGS is decomposed into objects among which is the MTS. The text here reflects this fact by its inclusion of various MTS-defined information items in the VMGS Abstract Service.

12.1 Origination abstract operations

The abstract operations available at an origination port are invoked by the user and performed by the VMGS.

12.1.1 Originate VM

The Originate VM abstract operation originates a message whose content is a VM.

```

OriginateVM ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
  ARGUMENT SET {
    envelope           [0] MessageSubmissionEnvelope,
    content            [1] VM }
  RESULT SET {
    submission-identifier [0] MessageSubmissionIdentifier,
    submission-time      [1] MessageSubmissionTime }
  ERRORS {
    SubscriptionError,
    RecipientImproperlySpecified }

```

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- a) **Envelope:** A message submission envelope as defined by the MTS Abstract Service. The UA supplies all but the following envelope components, which the user provides:
 - 1) The desired per-message options (i.e. priority, per-message indicators, deferred delivery time, and extensions).
 - 2) The OR Names of the preferred recipients and the per-recipient options (i.e. originator report request, explicit conversion, and extensions) desired for each.
- b) **Content:** The VM being originated. If application to application security services are required, the user shall supply the value for the Voice Application Security Elements field.

This abstract operation has the following results:

- c) **Submission-identifier:** The message submission identifier the MTS assigns to the submission.
- d) **Submission-time:** The date and time the message was directly submitted.

12.1.2 Originate voice notifications

The Originate VN abstract operation originates a message whose content is a VN. A VN may be either a RN, NRN or SN.

```

OriginateVN ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
  ARGUMENT SET {
    envelope           [0] MessageSubmissionEnvelope,
    content            [1] VNType }
  RESULT SET {
    submission-identifier [0] MessageSubmissionIdentifier,
    submission-time      [1] MessageSubmissionTime }
  ERRORS {
    SubscriptionError,
    RecipientImproperlySpecified }

  VNType ::= CHOICE {
    [0] RN,
    [1] NRN,
    [2] SN }

```

A user may, if notifications are requested, invoke an Originate VN abstract operation to indicate to the UA that it should accept, refuse or forward the subject VM, or generate a SN. The exact type of VN to be generated (RN or NRN or SN) is determined from the VN structure conveyed in the Content argument.

A VN shall be originated only by an actual recipient of the subject VM from whom a VN is requested by means of the Voice Notification Request field of the subject VM's Recipient field.

The user shall not have previously originated a VN in response to the subject VM requested voice notice type, by means of either the present abstract operation or auto-acknowledgement.

A user may delegate the task of generating VNs to the UA. In this case, this abstract operation is not present at the abstract interface between the UA and the user, that is, the operation is not available at the Origination Port. In this case the UA behaves as described in 17.3.

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- a) **Envelope:** A message submission envelope as defined by the MTS Abstract Service. The UA supplies all but the following envelope components, which the user provides:
 - 1) The desired per-message options (i.e. priority, per-message indicators, and extensions). Implicit conversion shall be prohibited; priority is that of the subject VM.
 - 2) The OR Names of the preferred recipients and the per-recipient options (i.e. explicit conversion and extensions) desired for each. The preferred recipient of the VN is the originator of the subject VM or, if present, the OR Name indicated in the VN Receiver field. Reports shall not be requested.
- b) **Content:** The VN type (RN/NRN/SN) being originated.
 - 1) The user shall supply the value for the VN type being originated as part of the notification structure.
 - 2) If UA-to-UA security services are required, the user shall supply the value for the VM Application Security Elements field and in accordance with the user's security policy.

The VN shall be constructed as described in 17.3.

This abstract operation has the following results:

- c) **Submission-identifier:** The message submission identifier the MTS assigns to the submission.
- d) **Submission-time:** The date and time the message was directly submitted.

12.2 Reception abstract operations

The abstract operations available at a Reception Port are invoked by the VMGS and performed by the user.

NOTE – As abstractly defined, the VMGS provides no storage for received messages because the provisioning of said storage does not impact that user's ability to communicate with other VMGS-users. Thus the provision of storage is a local matter.

12.2.1 Receive Report

The Receive Report abstract operation receives a report.

```

ReceiveReport ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
  ARGUMENT SET {
    envelope
    undelivered-object          [0] ReportDeliveryEnvelope,
                                [1] InformationObject OPTIONAL }
  RESULT
  ERRORS { }

```

A report may be received as a result of either:

- a) The invocation of an Originate-VM abstract operation of a VM or by forwarding.
- b) A message whose content was a VN that was originated as a result of a previously received message. The VN could be any of RN, SN or NRN.

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- c) **Envelope:** A report delivery envelope, whose make-up the MTS Abstract Service defines.
- d) **Undelivered-object:** The content of the message whose status is being reported. A VM or VN.

If the report was provoked by a previous Originate VM abstract operation invocation, the argument shall be present if, and only if, P1 content return was requested.

This abstract operation has no results.

12.2.2 Receive VM

The Receive VM abstract operation receives a message whose content is a VM.

```

ReceiveVM ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
  ARGUMENT SET {
    envelope
    content                      [0] MessageDeliveryEnvelope,
                                [1] VM }
  RESULT
  ERRORS { }

```

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- a) **Envelope:** The message's delivery envelope.
- b) **Content:** The VM that is the message's content.

This abstract operation has no results.

When the received VM contains a VM Body Part (that is, when the original VM has been forwarded), it may be necessary to scan several levels of nested Heading fields in order to determine the correct original value for optional Heading fields (see 8.2.2 for the nested structure of a forwarded VM and 17.3.3 for rules related to Heading fields).

12.2.3 Receive VN

The Receive VN abstract operation receives a message whose content is a VN. The VN is provoked by a VM originated with the Originate VM abstract operation. A voice notification may be a RN, NRN or SN.

```
ReceiveVN ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
    envelope           [0] MessageDeliveryEnvelope,
    content            [1] VN }
RESULT
ERRORS { }
```

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- a) **Envelope:** The message's delivery envelope.
- b) **Content:** The VN that is the message's content. A voice notification may be a RN, NRN or SN.

This abstract operation has no results.

12.3 Management abstract operations

12.3.1 Change auto-discard

The Change auto-discard abstract operation enables or disables auto-discard, the automatic discard by the Voice Messaging System of expired or obsolete messages delivered to, but not yet received by the user.

```
ChangeAutoDiscard ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
    auto-discard-expired-VM [0] BOOLEAN,
    auto-discard-obsolete-VM [1] BOOLEAN }
RESULT
ERRORS { }
```

When it auto-discards a message, the Voice Messaging System originates a NRN on the user's behalf if, and only if, one was requested by the originator. This request is indicated by means of the V-notification-requests component of the subject VM's VNotificationRequestsField.

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- a) **auto-discard-expired-VM:** Whether or not *expired* VMs are to be automatically discarded by the Voice Messaging System. A Boolean.
- b) **auto-discard-obsolete-VM:** Whether or not *obsolete* VMs are to be automatically discarded by the Voice Messaging System. A Boolean.

This abstract operation does not have any results.

12.3.2 Change auto-acknowledgement

The Change auto-acknowledgement abstract operation enables or disables auto-acknowledgement, the automatic origination of RNs by the VMGS-MS on the user's behalf. The automatic origination of RNs occurs on delivery of VMs that request RNs of the user. This request is conveyed by means of the V-notification-requests component of the subject VM's VNotificationRequestsField.

```
ChangeAutoAcknowledgements ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
    auto-acknowledge-VM           [0] BOOLEAN,
    auto-acknowledge-suppl-recipient-info [1] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL }
RESULT
ERRORS { SubscriptionError }
```

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- a) **auto-acknowledge-VM:** Whether or not the VMs are to be auto-acknowledged. This is a mandatory, Boolean argument.
- b) **auto-acknowledge-suppl-recipient-info:** The *supplemental receipt-information* receipt field of each RN provoked by auto-acknowledgment.

The conditional argument, *auto-acknowledge-suppl-receipt-info*, shall be present if, and only if, the auto-acknowledge-VMs argument has the value *true*.

This abstract operation does not have any results.

12.3.3 Change auto-forwarding

The Change auto-forwarding abstract operation enables or disables auto-forwarding, i.e. the automatic forwarding of VMs by the Voice Messaging System to pre-specified users or DLs. Such forwarding occurs after delivery of the VM.

```

ChangeAutoForwarding ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
    auto-forward-VM           [0] BOOLEAN,
    auto-forward-recipients   [1] SEQUENCE OF RecipientField OPTIONAL,
    auto-forward-heading      [2] Heading OPTIONAL,
    auto-forward-comment      [2] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL }
RESULT
ERRORS {
    SubscriptionError,
    RecipientImproperlySpecified }

```

The Body for each VM, namely the VM originated as a result of auto-forwarding, comprises a single body part of type *message*, as in the IPMS. The content of the message represented by that body part is the forwarded VM.

When it auto-forwards a VM, the VMG application entity originates a NRN on the user's behalf if, and only if, one was requested of the recipient by means of the V-notification-requests component of the subject VM's V Notification Requests Field.

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- a) **auto-forward-VM:** Whether or not VMs are to be auto-forwarded. This is a mandatory, Boolean argument.
- b) **auto-forward-recipients:** The user or DLs to which VMs are to be auto-forwarded. Optionally, the recipient spoken name may be included. A sequence of OR names.

The conditional argument, auto-forward-recipients, shall be present if, and only if, the auto-forward-VMs argument has a value of **true**.

- c) **auto-forward-heading:** The VM heading that is to be used for each forwarded VM. The heading's *auto-forwarded* field shall have the value *true*.

The conditional argument, auto-forward-heading, shall be present if, and only if, the auto-forward-VMs argument has the value **true**.

- d) **auto-forward-comment:** The value that is to be supplied as the auto-forward comment non-receipt field of each NRN conveyed to the originator of an auto-forwarded VM.

The conditional argument, auto-forward-comment, shall be present if, and only if, the auto-forwarded-VMs agreement has the value **true**.

This abstract operation does not have any results.

NOTE – This abstract operation is intended to define the essence of auto-forwarding, and sophisticated auto-forwarding capabilities, e.g., like those of an MS.

12.3.4 Change auto-SNotice

The Change auto-SNotice abstract operation enables or disables auto-SNotice, the automatic origination of SNs by the Voice Messaging System on the user's behalf. The automatic origination of SNs occurs on delivery of VMs that request SNs of the user. This request is conveyed by means of the V-notification-requests component of the subject VM's V Notification Requests Field.

```

ChangeAutoSNotice ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
    auto-SNotice             [0] BOOLEAN,
    auto-service-status-info [1] EOSSupportIndicator,
    auto-SN-suppl-recipient-info [2] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL }
RESULT
ERRORS { SubscriptionError }

```

```

EOSSupportIndicator ::= BIT STRING {
    unspecified                (0),
    auto-forwarding-ind        (1),
    language-ind               (2),
    obsoleting-ind             (3),
    attendant-assisted-delivery-request (4),
    expiry-date-ind            (5),
    body-part-encryption-ind    (6) } (SIZE (2..ub-sn-reasons)) -- setting any bit on, indicates
                                                                    -- non-support

```

This abstract operation has the following arguments:

- a) **auto-SNotice:** Determines whether or not the SNs are to be automatically generated. This is a mandatory, Boolean argument.
- b) **auto-service-status-info:** The value for SN Reason Field to be included in each SN provoked by auto-SNotice. The conditional argument, *auto-service-status-info*, shall be present if, and only if, the auto-SNotice argument has the value **true**.
- c) **auto-SN-suppl-recipient-info:** The value that is to be supplied as the comment of each SN conveyed to the originator of the subject VM. The conditional argument, *auto-SN-suppl-recipient-info*, shall be present if, and only if, the **auto-SNotice** argument has the value **true**.

This abstract operation does not have any results.

12.4 Performance of management operations

A UA shall perform the abstract operation it makes available at its management port as specified below. The UA alters one or more of its state variable (see below) in the performance of each operation.

NOTE – In response to the invocation of these abstract operations, a UA reports abstract errors as appropriate. Specification of the precise circumstances under which each error should be repeated is beyond the scope of this Recommendation.

12.4.1 Change auto-discard

To assist it in providing the abstract operation, a UA maintains the following state variables:

- a) **Auto-discard-expired-VMs:** A Boolean that indicates whether or not *auto-discard* is in effect for expired VMs.
- b) **Auto-discard-obsolete-VMs:** A Boolean that indicates whether or not *auto-discard* is in effect for obsolete VMs.

A UA shall perform the *change auto-discard* abstract operation by recording the values of the *auto-discard-expired-VMs* and *auto-discard-obsolete-VMs* arguments in the corresponding named state variables.

12.4.2 Change auto-acknowledgment

To assist it in providing this abstract operation, a UA maintains the following state variables:

- a) **auto-acknowledge-VMs:** A Boolean that indicates whether or not *auto-acknowledge* is in effect.
- b) **auto-acknowledge-suppl-receipt-info:** The supplemental receipt information field of each RN provoked by *auto-acknowledgment*.

A UA shall perform the *change auto-acknowledgment* abstract operation by recording the value of the *auto-acknowledge-VMs* argument in the correspondingly named state variable. If the value is **true**, it also shall record the value of the *auto-acknowledge-suppl-receipt-info* argument in the correspondingly named state variable.

12.4.3 Change auto-forwarding

To assist it in providing this abstract operation, a UA maintains the following state variables:

- a) **auto-forward-VMs:** A Boolean that indicates whether or not *auto-forwarding* is in effect.
- b) **auto-forward-recipients:** A sequence of OR names that identify the users and DLs to which VMs are being auto-forwarded.
- c) **auto-forward-heading:** The VM heading of each forwarded VM provoked by auto-forwarding. Its auto-forwarded field has the value **true**.
- d) **auto-forward-comment:** The auto-forward comment non-receipt field of each NRN conveyed to the originator of an auto-forwarded VM.

A UA shall perform the *change auto-forwarding* abstract operation by recording the value of the *auto-forward-VMs* argument in the correspondingly named state variable. If the value is **true**, it also shall record the value of the *auto-*

forward-recipients, *auto-forward-heading*, and *auto-forward-comment* arguments in the correspondingly named state variables.

12.4.4 Change auto-SNotice

To assist it in providing this abstract operation, a UA maintains the following state variables:

- a) **auto-SNotice:** A Boolean that indicates whether or not *auto-SNotices* is in effect.
- b) **auto-service-status-info:** The value to be used to determine the SN information to the originator of the subject VM when the SN is automatically generated.
- c) **auto-SN-suppl-recipient-info:** The value that is to be supplied as the comment of each SN conveyed to the originator of the subject VM.

A UA shall perform the *change auto-SNotice* abstract operation by recording the value of the *auto-SNotice* argument in the correspondingly named state variable. If the value is **true**, the UA also shall record the values of the *auto-service-status-info* and *auto-SN-suppl-recipient-info* arguments in the correspondingly named state variables.

13 Abstract errors

The abstract errors that may be reported in response to the invocation of the abstract operations available at the Origination Port, Reception Port and Management Ports are defined and described below or as part of the MTS Abstract Service definition.

The set of abstract errors represented below is intended to be illustrative, rather than exhaustive.

13.1 Subscription error

The **subscription error** abstract error reports that the user has not subscribed to one or more of the elements of service in his invocation of the abstract operation whose performance is aborted.

```
SubscriptionError ::= ABSTRACT-ERROR
    PARAMETER SET {
        problem                [0] SubscriptionProblem }
```

This abstract error has the parameter:

- **problem:** The subscription-related problem encountered.

```
SubscriptionProblem ::= ENUMERATED {
    vm-eos-not-subscribed    (0),
    mts-eos-not-subscribed   (1) }
```

This parameter may assume any one of the following values:

- i) **vm-eos-not-subscribed:** A VM element of service is not subscribed.
- ii) **mts-eos-not-subscribed:** A MTS element of service is not subscribed.

13.2 Recipient improperly specified

The Recipient Improperly Specified abstract error reports that one or more of the OR Names supplied as arguments of the abstract operation whose performance is aborted, or as components of its arguments, are invalid.

This abstract error is defined by the MTS Abstract Service.

14 Other capabilities

In addition to the capabilities embodied in the VMGS Abstract Service, defined above, the VMGS shall transparently extend to each user the other MS (see ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5) and MTS (see ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4) capabilities identified below. (The enumeration of these capabilities necessarily anticipates the fact, stated in clause 15, that MSs and the MTS are among the VMGS' component parts.)

The following additional capabilities shall be provided:

- a) **Submission:** Capabilities of the MS' or MTS' submission port not embodied in the VMGS Abstract Service, e.g., the ability to cancel delivery of a previously originated message whose content is a VM (but not a VN), if deferred delivery was selected.

- b) **Delivery:** Capabilities of the MTS' delivery port not embodied in the VMGS Abstract Service, e.g., the ability to temporarily control the kinds of information objects the MTS conveys to the user's UA.
- c) **Administration:** The capabilities of the MS's or MTS's administration port.
- d) **Retrieval:** The capabilities of the MS' retrieval port.

In addition to the above and as a local matter, the VMGS may provide to users additional capabilities neither defined nor limited by this Recommendation. Among such capabilities are those of the Directory.

NOTE – The required capabilities above are excluded from the formal definition of the VMGS Abstract Service for purely pragmatic reasons, in particular, because their inclusion would largely and needlessly reproduce the definitions of the MS and MTS abstract operations upon which the capabilities are based.

15 Secondary object types

The VMGS can be modelled as comprising lesser objects which interact with one another by means of (additional) ports.

vmgs-refinement REFINE vmgs AS	
mts	
submission	[S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua, vmg-ms
delivery	[S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua, vmg-ms
administration	[S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua, vmg-ms
vmg-ua RECURRING	
origination	[S] VISIBLE
reception	[S] VISIBLE
management	[S] VISIBLE
vmg-ms RECURRING	
submission	[S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua
retrieval	[S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua
administration	[S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua
tsau RECURRING	
origination	[S] VISIBLE
reception	[S] VISIBLE
management	[S] VISIBLE
::= id-ref-secondary	

These lesser objects are referred to as the secondary objects of Voice Messaging. They include a single, central object, the MTS, and numerous peripheral objects: Voice messaging system user agents (VMGS-UA), Voice messaging system message stores (VMGS-MS), and Telephone service access unit(s) (TSAU).

The structure of the VMGS is depicted in Figure 5. As shown by the figure, VMGS-UAs, VMGS-MSs, and TSAUs are the instruments by means of which the VMGS provides the VMGS Abstract Service to users.

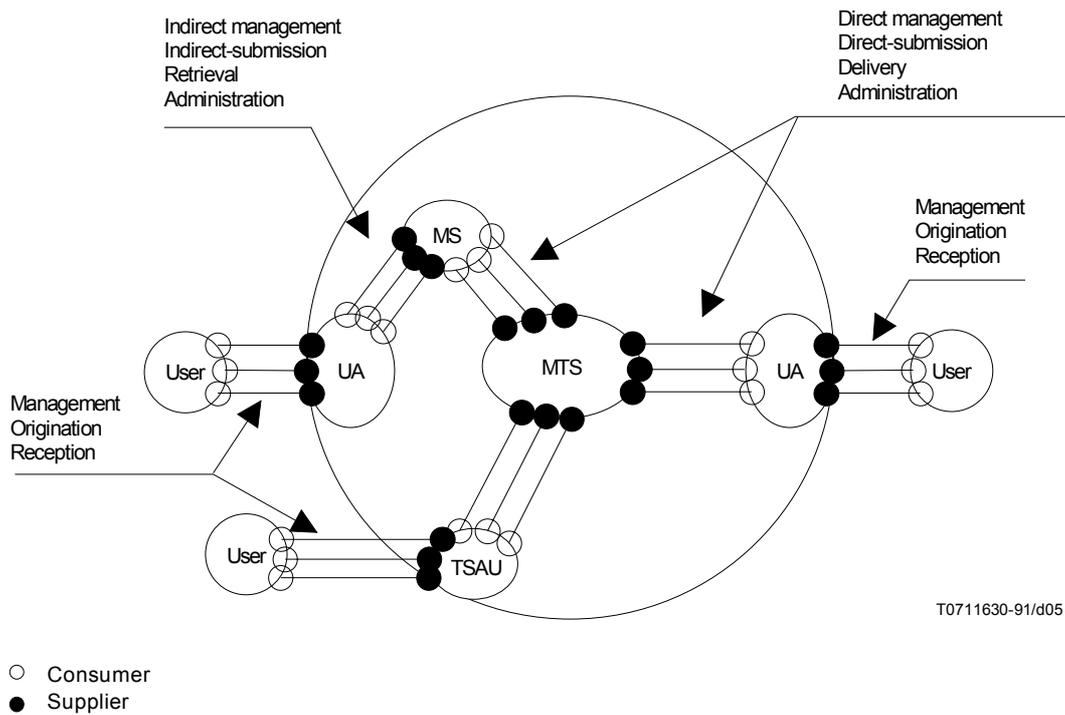


Figure 5/X.440 – The voice messaging system

The secondary object types are defined and described below. The types of ports by means of which they interact are discussed in clause 16.

The refinement above encompasses all possible interconnections of all possible objects. It ignores the possible absence of objects of a particular type (e.g., TSAU), and specific logical configurations of the MS. The latter are identified in ITU-T Rec. X.402 | ISO/IEC 10021-2.

The MTS supplies import and export ports. However, since those ports are not formally defined (in ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4), they are not included in the formal refinement above.

15.1 VMGS user agent

An VMGS user agent (VMGS-UA) is a UA tailored so as to better assist a single user to engage in Voice Messaging. It helps the user originate, receive, or both originate and receive messages containing Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6.

```

vmg-ua OBJECT
PORTS {
  origination           [S],
  reception            [S],
  management          [S],
  submission          [C],
  delivery            [C],
  retrieval           [C],
  administration     [C] }
::= id-ot-vmg-ua

```

The VMGS comprises any number of VMGS-UAs.

NOTE – As noted above, the term user agent (UA) is used throughout this Recommendation with the meaning of VMGS-UA.

15.2 VMGS message store

An VMGS message store (VMGS-MS) is an MS tailored so as to better assist a single UA engaged in Voice Messaging. It helps it submit, take delivery of, or both submit and take delivery of messages containing Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6.

```

vmg-ms OBJECT
PORTS {
  submission          [S],
  retrieval           [S],
}

```

```

administration      [S],
submission         [C],
delivery           [C],
administration     [C] }
 ::= id-ot-vmg-ms

```

The VMGS comprises any number of VMGS-MSs.

NOTE – As noted above, the term message store (MS) is used throughout this Recommendation with the meaning of VMGS-MS.

15.3 Telephone service access unit

A Telephone Service access unit (TSAU) is an AU that enables a Telephone System direct user be an indirect user of Voice Messaging from a Telephone network's terminal. A TSAU helps the user originate, receive, or both originate and receive messages containing Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6.

```

tsau OBJECT
PORTS {
  origination      [S],
  reception        [S],
  management      [S] }
 ::= id-ot-tsau

```

NOTE 1 – The TSAU consumes *Import* and *Export*. However, since they are not formally defined in ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4, they are not included in this formal definition of a TSAU.

NOTE 2 – It is unlikely that a TSAU will be able to handle non-voice encoded body parts on reception from VM direct users. In other words, sending a message consisting of non-voice encoded body parts may cause MTS Non-Delivery reports to be returned.

15.4 Message transfer system

In the present context, the Message Transfer System (MTS) conveys Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6 between UAs, MSs and AUs.

The VMGS comprises a single MTS.

16 Secondary port types

The secondary objects of Voice Messaging are joined to and interact with one another by means of ports. These ports, which MSs and the MTS supply, are referred to as the secondary ports of Voice Messaging. They are of the types identified below.

The capabilities embodied in one Submission Port, one Retrieval Port, and one Administration Port constitute the MS Abstract Service. They are defined in ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

The capabilities embodied in one Submission Port, one Delivery port, and one Administration Port constitute the MTS Abstract Service. They are defined in ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.

NOTE – By means of the abstract bind operation which guards its ports, an MS or the MTS typically authenticates another secondary object before offering its abstract service to that object.

16.1 Submission port

In the present context, a Submission Port is the means by which a UA (directly or indirectly) or an MS (directly) submits messages containing Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6.

An MS supplies one Submission Port to its UA.

The MTS supplies one Submission Port to each UA configured without an MS and to each MS.

16.2 Delivery port

In the present context, a Delivery Port is the means by which a UA or MS takes delivery of reports concerning, and messages containing, Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6.

The MTS supplies one Delivery Port to each UA configured without an MS and to each MS.

16.3 Retrieval port

In the present context, a Retrieval Port is the means by which a UA retrieves reports concerning, and messages containing, Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6.

An MS supplies one Retrieval Port to its UA.

16.4 Administration port

The MTS supplies one Administration Port to each UA configured without an MS and to each MS.

16.5 Import port

In the present context, an Import Port is the means by which the MTS imports reports concerning, and messages containing, VM Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6.

The MTS supplies one Import Port to each AU.

16.6 Export port

In the present context, an Export Port is the means by which the MTS exports messages containing VM Information Objects of the types defined in clause 6.

The MTS supplies one Export Port to each AU. For each TSAU, the MTS exports P1 reports, VMs and VNs.

16.7 Management port

In the present context, a Management Port is the means by which a single user changes personally managed information that is on file with the Voice Messaging System. By means of such a port the user enables and disables auto-discard, -acknowledgement, and -VSNotice, and -forwarding. These managed Information Objects are of the types defined in clause 6.

17 User agent operation

A UA must employ the MTS in a particular way in order to (correctly) provide the VMGS Abstract Service to its user. If the user is equipped with an MS, the latter contributes to the provision of the abstract service and, therefore, is subject to the same rules.

The rules that govern the operation of a UA (and MS) are the subject of what follows.

NOTE – The purpose of the following is not to dictate nor constrain the implementation of a UA application entity, but rather to specify the effect to be achieved between the UA and an MTA.

17.1 Performance of origination operations

A UA shall perform the abstract operations it makes available at its Origination Port as prescribed below.

In the performance of these operations, the UA invokes the following abstract operation of the MTS Abstract Service (which, for what follows, are unqualified as to their source):

- Message Submission.

In response to the invocation of this abstract operation, a UA reports abstract errors as appropriate. Specification of the precise circumstances under which each abstract error should be reported is beyond the scope of this Recommendation.

NOTE – Probe Submission is not used in Voice Messaging.

17.1.1 Originate VM

A UA shall perform the Originate VM abstract operation by invoking Message Submission with the arguments indicated below, and by returning to its user the results indicated below.

The **arguments** of Message Submission shall be as follows:

- a) *Envelope*: The components of this argument that constitute per-message fields shall be as follows. Those components not explicitly mentioned below shall be as specified by the user through the Originate VM Envelope argument:
 - 1) **Originator-name**: The OR Name of the UA's user.

- 2) **Content-type** and **Original-encoded-information-types**: Determined from Originate VM's Content argument as specified in 19.2 and 19.4, respectively.
- 3) **Content-identifier** and **Content-correlator**: Specified or omitted as a local matter.
- 4) The *security arguments* on message submission are subject to the security policy in force. When the security policy specifies the support of *Content Integrity* message transfer security element of service, and when *VNotificationSecurity* is requested, the UA shall generate and submit the **content-integrity-check** Security Argument as defined in 8.2.1.1.1.28 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.

The components of the *Envelope* argument that constitute *per-recipient fields* shall also be as specified through this abstract operation.

To prevent an unknown number of VNs from being sent to the message's original originator as a result of forwarding, the originator may set, if available, ***dl-expansion prohibited*** to **Prohibited** when requesting any VNs.

- b) *Content*: Determined from Originate VM's Content argument (identified as a VM) as specified in 19.1.
 - 1) If **proof** or **non-repudiation** for a notification is requested, the UA shall set the *VNotificationSecurity* field accordingly for each recipient as required.
 - 2) If **proof** or **non-repudiation** of content received advice is requested, the UA shall set the *VMReceptionSecurity* field accordingly for each recipient as required.

The **results** of Originate VM shall be as follows:

- c) *Submission-identifier*: Message Submission's Message-submission-identifier result.
- d) *Submission-time*: Message Submission's Message-submission-time result.

How the UA uses the result of Message Submission's **content-identifier** or **content-correlator** is a local matter.

The inclusion of Message Submission *extensions* among Originate VM's results is proper and may be the subject for future standardization.

17.1.2 Originate VN

A UA shall perform the Originate VN abstract operation, if the UA makes it available to its user, by invoking Message Submission with the arguments indicated below, and by returning to its user the results indicated below. This abstract operation is only performed in response to a request made by the subject VM's originator.

NOTE 1 – *Subject VM* is defined in clause 9 and subclause 17.3.3.

A user may delegate the task of generating VNs to the UA. In this case, this abstract operation is not present at the abstract interface between the UA and the user, that is, the operation is not available at the Origination Port. In this case, the UA behaves as if the abstract operation would have been invoked. The UA may not accept the VM at will, but shall accept the VM when the VM is made available to the user, or when it forwards a VM with content changed. In this context, "content changed" means that the forwarding UA adds or removes body parts from the VM being forwarded, in accordance with 17.3.3.

The **arguments** of Message Submission shall be as follows:

- a) *Envelope*: The components of this argument that constitute per-message fields shall be as follows. Those components not explicitly mentioned below shall be as specified by the Originate VN Envelope argument:
 - 1) **Originator-name**: The OR Name of the UA's user.
 - 2) **Content-type** and **Original-encoded-information-types**: Determined from the VN as specified in 19.2 and 19.4, respectively.
 - 3) **Content-identifier** and **Content-correlator**: Specified or omitted as a local matter.
 - 4) **Deferred-delivery-time**: Omitted.
 - 5) **Priority**: Same as that of the subject VM.
 - 6) **PerMessageIndicators**: If supported by the MTA, the notification type shall to be set to Type 1 for RN, to Type 2 for NRN or Type 3 for SN.

NOTE 2 – MTA support for setting the notification type indication may become mandatory in a future version of MHS.

- b) *Content*: Determined from Originate VN's Content argument (identified as a RN, SN or NRN) as specified in 19.1.
 - 1) If in the subject VM, *VMReceptionSecurity* is set to *non-repudiation* and *VNotificationSecurity* is set to *non-repudiation* and the **content-integrity-check** security argument *is present* in the delivery envelope of the subject VM, then the **content-integrity-check** security argument is copied into the **content-integrity-check** field of the VN. The UA shall submit the VN with a non-repudiable security element **content-integrity-check** (possibly in the message token) or a **message-origin-authentication-check** (depending on the security policy in force).

- 2) If in the subject VM, *VMReceptionSecurity* is set to *non-repudiation* and *VNotificationSecurity* is set to *non-repudiation* and the **content-integrity-check** security argument is **not present** in the P1 delivery envelope of the subject VM, then the Content of the subject message shall be copied into the **original-content** field of the VN. The UA shall submit the VN with a non-repudiable security element **content-integrity-check** (possibly in the message token) or a **message-origin-authentication-check** (depending on the security policy in force).
- 3) If in the subject VM, *VMReceptionSecurity* is set to *proof* and *VNotificationSecurity* is set to *proof* and the *content-integrity-check* security argument **is present** in the delivery envelope of the subject VM, then the *content-integrity-check* security argument is copied into the **content-integrity-check** field of the VN. The UA shall submit the VN with the security element **content-integrity-check** (possibly in the message token) or a **message-origin-authentication-check** (depending on the security policy in force).
- 4) If in the subject VM, *VNotificationSecurity* is set to *proof* the UA shall submit the VN with the security element **content-integrity-check** (possibly in the message token) or the **message-origin-authentication-check**, according to the security policy in force.
- 5) If in the subject VM, *VNotificationSecurity* is set to *non-repudiation* the UA shall submit the VN with a non-repudiable security argument **content-integrity-check** (possibly in the message token) or a **message-origin-authentication-check**, according to the security policy in force.
- 6) If in the subject VM, *VMReceptionSecurity* is set to *proof* and *VNotificationSecurity* is set to *proof* and the **content-integrity-check** security argument **is not present** in the delivery envelope of the subject VM, then the Content of the subject VM is copied into the **original-content** field of the VN. The UA shall submit the VN with the security element **content-integrity-check** (possibly in the message token) or a **message-origin-authentication-check** (depending on the security policy in force).
- 7) If the UA's MTA does not support secure messaging and *VMReceptionSecurity* or *VNotificationSecurity* services are requested, the VN shall contain an appropriate Reason Code.
- 8) *Content-integrity-check* of the subject VM shall always be checked for validity by the receiving UA before a VN is created.

The **results** of Originate VN shall be as follows:

- c) *Submission-identifier*: Message Submission's Message-submission-identifier result.
- d) *Submission-time*: Message Submission's Message-submission-time result.

How the UA employs the result of Message Submission's **Content-identifier** or **Content-correlator** is a local matter.

17.2 Invocation of reception operations

A UA shall invoke the abstract operations available at its Reception Port as specified below.

The UA invokes these operations in response to the MTS's invocation of the following abstract operations of the MTS Abstract Service (which, for what follows, are unqualified as to their source):

- a) Report Delivery;
- b) Message Delivery.

The abstract operations of a Reception Port report have neither results nor errors.

17.2.1 Receive report

Whenever the MTS invokes Report Delivery at a UA's Delivery Port, the UA shall invoke the Receive Report abstract operation with the following arguments:

- a) *Envelope*: Report Delivery's Envelope argument.
- b) *Undelivered-object*: Determined from Report Delivery's Returned-content argument as specified in 19.1.

If the report was provoked by a previous Originate VM abstract operation invocation, the argument shall be present if, and only if, content return was requested through P1's *per message indicators*. Otherwise, the argument shall be absent.

NOTE – Return-of-Contents is discouraged in P1 Delivery Reports per ITU-T Rec. F.400/X.400 and not provided in any VN defined in this Recommendation unless specifically requested for secure notifications as provided in 17.1.2.

How the UA employs the **Content-identifier** or the **Content-correlator** component of Report Delivery's Envelope argument is a local matter.

17.2.2 Receive VM

When the MTS invokes Message Delivery at a UA's Delivery Port, and its Content argument encodes a VM as specified in clause 8, the UA shall invoke the Receive VM abstract operation with the following arguments:

- a) *Envelope*: Message Delivery's Envelope argument.
- b) *Content*: Determined from Message Delivery's Content argument as specified in 19.1 (but no longer marked as a VM).

NOTE – Even in the case of forwarding, the user accepts the message through the Receive VM operation.

17.2.3 Receive VN

Whenever the MTS invokes Message Delivery at a UA's Delivery Port, and its Content argument encodes a VN as specified in 19.1, the UA shall invoke the Receive VN abstract operation with the following arguments:

- a) *Envelope*: Message Delivery's Envelope argument.
- b) *Content*: Determined from Message Delivery's Content argument as specified in 19.1.

17.3 Internal procedures

A UA shall perform, as specified below, the internal procedures that relate to *acceptance of the VM, refusal of the VM and forwarding*.

A user may instruct its UA to accept or refuse the VM of incoming messages based on certain criteria. In addition, a user may instruct its UA to forward incoming messages based on certain criteria.

Because of forwarding, redirection or DL-expansion, it is possible for a UA to receive the same VM more than once. Mechanisms for detecting such duplicate receptions are not required, but may be a matter of local implementation by the UA. If these mechanisms exist, and notifications are requested, the UA shall not generate duplicate notifications for the duplicate messages. If they do not exist, and notifications are requested, the UA shall originate the requested VNs, as appropriate.

The procedures involve the following abstract operations of the MTS Abstract Service (which, for what follows, are unqualified as to their source):

- a) Message Submission;
- b) Message Delivery.

As implied by the above, in the course of the procedures, the UA has occasion to invoke Message Submission. What it does with the results of this abstract operation is a local matter.

The UA shall consider as a candidate for each procedure individually every message for which all of the following conditions hold:

- c) The MTS has conveyed the message to the UA by invoking Message Delivery at the UA's Delivery Port;
- d) The UA has not conveyed the message to the user by invoking Receive VM at the UA's Reception Port;
- e) The message contains a VM (rather than a VN).

With reference to item d above, the message might be detained in the UA, e.g., as might be typical because of the user's unavailability.

Upon the transfer of responsibility of a VM from the MTS to its MTS-user, SNs shall be actioned, provided that a SN was requested and that the delivered message satisfies SN creation criteria.

17.3.1 Acceptance of the VM

A UA is said to have accepted the VM when responsibility for the message is successfully passed from the UA to the VMG-user. The UA shall follow the procedures below for each candidate message with respect to whose content the following condition holds:

- The VM requests a RN by means of the Voice Notification Request field of the appropriate Recipients Sub field in the VM's Recipients field.

The UA may forward a message that it has accepted the VM. See also 17.3.3 on forwarding.

17.3.1.1 Construction of RN

The UA shall construct a RN if, and only if, one is requested by means of the Voice Notification Requests field of the appropriate Recipients Sub field in the VM's Recipients field and in accordance with 17.3.1.

The RN shall have the following **common fields**:

- a) *Subject VM*: The VM's *This VM* field or, if present, the *Original VM Identifier* in the VN Receiver field.

- b) *VN Originator*: The OR Name of the UA which submits the VN. If the UA is a preferred recipient of the subject VM, the value shall be precisely that which is the Recipient field of the subject VM.
- c) *Notice Creation Time*: The current date and time.
- d) *VN Voice Encoding Type*: The encoding algorithm used to create any spoken component of this VN. It may also indicate any additional parameters needed by the recipient to decode the spoken information.
- e) Optionally, *Conversion Indication*: The converted encoded information types component of the message delivery's envelope argument.
- f) Optionally, *Notification Security Elements Field*: Notification Security elements carried in any component field shall follow the rules of b in 17.1.2.
- g) Optionally, *Original VM Spoken Subject*: The value of the subject VM's spoken subject field.
- h) Optionally, *Subject VM Other Recipients*: The OR Names (and when present in the subject-VM, the spoken encoding of the recipient name) of the other recipients that the subject VM was sent to.
- i) Optionally, *Supplementary Information* that adds information to the reason given.
- j) Optionally, *First Recipient*: The OR Name of the UA which the originator of the VM specified as *recipient* in the subject VM's heading or, if present, the First Recipient field in the VN Receiver field. If the Recipient Spoken Name component is present, then it is included and its encoding is indicated in the *spoken-name-encoding-field*. If the VN Receiver field is not present, the First Recipient OR Name is the OR Name of the UA creating the VM, unless the MTA has performed redirection or DL-expansion. In case of redirection, the correct First Recipient OR Name must be obtained from the Intended Recipient Name field of the P1 envelope (see 8.3.1.1.1.4 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4). In case of DL-expansion, the correct First Recipient OR Name must be obtained from the DL Expansion History field of the Delivery envelope (see 8.3.1.1.1.7 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4).
- k) Optionally, *Notifications Extensions*: Extensions relevant to notifications.

17.3.1.2 Submission of RN

The UA shall submit the RN above by invoking Message Submission with the following arguments:

- a) *Envelope*: The components of this argument shall be as prescribed for performance of the Originate VN abstract operation with the following exceptions:
 - 1) **Priority**: As specified by subject VMs Message Delivery Envelope's *priority* argument.
 - 2) **Per-message-indicators**: The RN indication bit and the conversion-prohibited shall be among the values specified. The setting of other bits is a local matter.
 - 3) **Per-recipient-fields**: A single field whose Recipient-name component shall be the Originator-name component of Message Delivery's Envelope argument.
- b) *Content*: Determined from the RN as specified in 19.1.

17.3.2 VM Service Notification (SN) generation

A UA shall generate a VM Service Notification when a message is accepted by the intended user even though the UA does not support all elements of service in the message and an SN was requested by the originator of the subject VM. The UA shall follow the procedures below for each candidate message under the following conditions:

- a) The VM requests an SN of the UA's user by means of the *VN Requests* field of the subject VM's *Recipients Sub field*.
- b) The VM is not forwarded.
- c) The UA does not support one or more requested additional elements of service on reception.

NOTE – See also 17.3.3 on forwarding.

17.3.2.1 Construction of SN

The UA shall construct an SN if, and only if, one is requested by means of the *VN Requests* field of the subject VM's *Recipients Sub field* and in accordance with 17.3.2.

The SN shall have the common fields prescribed for Construction of RN (see 17.3.1.1).

The SN shall have the following fields:

- a) *SN Reason Code*: Identifies the requested element of service that was not available to the intended recipient. It may also include a diagnostic code to further explain the reason value.
- b) Optionally, *SN Extensions*: Extensions relevant to an SN.

17.3.2.2 Submission of SN

The UA shall submit the SN created as per the above by invoking Message Submission. Its Envelope argument shall be as prescribed for Acceptance of the VM (see 17.3.1) except that the PerMessageIndicators bit for SN Notification type shall be set. Its Content argument is determined from the SN as specified in 19.1.

17.3.2.3 Handling of received VM

The handling of a received VM for which the UA generates a SN (or not) is a local matter and is not defined in this Recommendation.

17.3.3 VM Forwarding

The procedures defined in this subclause describe **VM Forwarding**.

NOTE – For brevity, the term **forwarding** is used in this Recommendation as a synonym for VM Forwarding.

A user may instruct its UA to forward received messages based on local criteria. A user may also instruct its UA to automatically forward requests for notifications together with the forwarded message.

In order to forward a VM, the UA creates a new VM with a new Heading and encapsulates in the Primary Body Part the received subject VM (Heading and Body), and optionally, components of the P1 envelope of the received message, using the body part type VM Body Part (see 8.2.2). The term forwarded-VM refers to the outermost element of the message structure, the VM Body Part, of the new VM being forwarded by the UA and contains all or part of the original subject VM.

Figure 6 illustrates forwarding with an example.

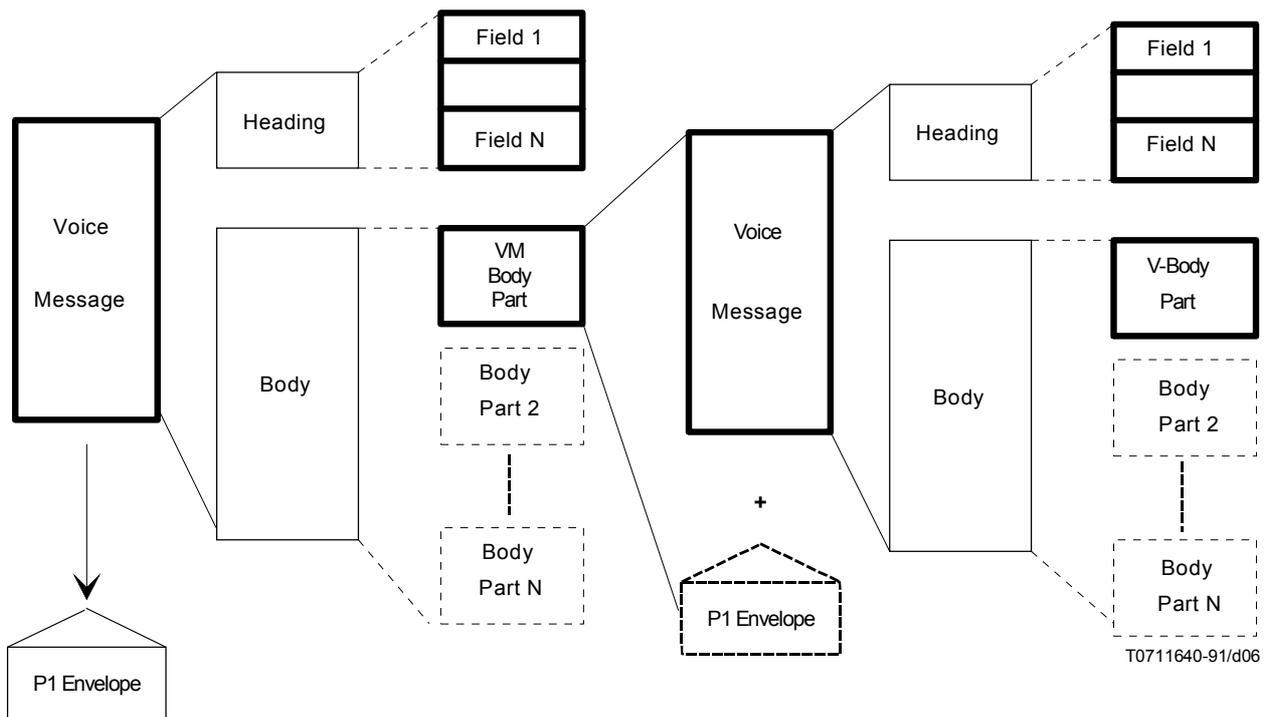


Figure 6/X.440 – Forwarded VM structure

The term **forwarding VM** refers to the new VM that is being created, and that will include all or part of the subject VM, in accordance with 5.1.

The following rules apply to the creation of the Heading fields of the forwarding VM:

- Optional fields whose values are changed with respect to the values present in the subject VM shall be present;
- Heading fields whose values are unchanged shall be copied from the subject VM Heading to the forwarding VM Heading if the field is present in the subject VM Heading and the value in the field is other than the value specified as DEFAULT in 8.1;
- Other fields need not be copied.

VM Forwarding is done by the MS if the UA has an MS, otherwise by the UA.

VM Forwarding may take two forms:

- a) forwarding of message not accepted or accessed by the user;
- b) forwarding of message when accepted by the user.

VM Forwarding may take place even if no notifications have been requested. This is equivalent to form b above.

A message may be forwarded to one or more recipients. However, the request for VNs for any recipient depends upon the form of VM Forwarding actioned.

The UA shall, subject to the instructions given by the user, forward messages as follows.

17.3.3.1 VM Forwarding of message without accepting the VM

VM Forwarding of a message without accepting the VM implies the following:

- a) The *Primary Body Part* of the new message is the content of the subject message unchanged. The delivery envelope of the received VM shall be included if security notifications are requested.
- b) If the *VN Requests* field of the subject VM's *Recipients Sub* field requests Receipt Notification (RN) or Service Notification (SN), the *VN Request* is forwarded unchanged with the new message to one, and only one, of the recipients of the new message. The value of the *Message Forwarded* field shall be set to **TRUE**.
- c) If **forwarding fails** (i.e a Non-delivery report on the forwarded message is returned) within a given period of time (either specified by the originator in Expiry Time or as a local decision in the MS or UA, with priority given to the Expiry Time), the UA may send a NRN back to the originator provided a NRN was requested. The ability to generate this NRN may be hindered if the message was deleted when VM Forwarding is actioned.

NOTE 1 – Return-of-Contents is discouraged in P1 Delivery Reports per ITU-T Rec. F.400/X.400 and not provided in any VN defined in this Recommendation unless specifically requested for secure notifications as provided in 17.1.2.

- d) If the *VN Requests* field of the subject *Recipients Sub* field requests NRN, the Non-Receipt Notification shall be sent back to the originator of the subject VM.

The delivery envelope of the received message shall be included in the new VM if the received VM's Primary Body Part is not a Forwarded VM. Body parts shall not be added or deleted during VM Forwarding. However, supplementary information may be added through the *other-parameters* component of the VM Body Part.

A message may be forwarded to multiple recipients as specified in a and b except that the VN-request shall be passed to only one recipient. The recipient to which the VN-request is passed shall also have the P1 element of protocol, *DL expansion indication*, set to *DL expansion prohibited*.

If a MTS Non-Delivery Notification is returned for the recipient to which VN-request was forwarded, then the forwarding UA shall fulfil the VN-request itself. For example, the UA may choose to accept responsibility itself or to not accept responsibility which in turn will determine if an RN or NRN should be created, had one been requested.

NOTE 2 – Since the F.400-series Recommendations discourage the use of *Return of content* element of service, there is an implication that the forwarding UA has retained the identity of the recipient to which the VN-request was forwarded.

NOTE 3 – Failure of the MTS to deliver a forwarded-VM to the intended recipient to which VN-request was *not* passed, *would not* cause VN-request to be acted upon. For example, failure of the MTS to deliver a forwarded-VM because an intended recipient of the forwarded-VM is actually a distribution list, does not cause VN's to be generated.

The originator of a message may prohibit VM Forwarding by setting the *Message Forwarding Permitted* field to FALSE. In this case, if the receiving UA cannot accept the VM and the NRN is requested, the receiving UA shall submit a NRN with appropriate reason code. If the receiving UA cannot accept the VM and the NRN is not requested, then a NRN shall not be submitted.

If VM Forwarding is permitted by the originator, then it is possible to forward a message more than once.

17.3.3.2 Forwarding of message after accepting the message

Forwarding a message after accepting the message implies the following:

- a) The *Primary Body Part* of the new message is the content of the subject message changed or unchanged. This type of forwarding is less restricted and may include removal or addition of body parts. However, the forwarded VM Body Part shall not be removed.

NOTE 1 – If the delivery envelope of the received message is included in the forwarded message, and if that envelope contained security fields, and if body parts are added or removed, then the security fields may no longer be valid.

- b) The addition and removal of Additional-Body-Parts is permitted. However, not more than one voice encoded body part (*AdditionalBodyParts*) may be added to the resulting forwarded message per instance of forwarding.

NOTE 2 – The addition of more than one voice encoded body part per instance of forwarding is not permitted. However, a forwarded-VM may contain more than one voice encoded body part. Voice encoded information contained in a forwarded-VM that is added during forwarding may be encoded differently from the original subject VM.

- c) *Message Forwarded* shall not be requested.
- d) If the *Notifications Requests Field* of the subject VM requests Receipt Notification, a RN shall be sent back to the addressee specified in the field VNReceiver, or to the originator of the VM, if no VN Receiver is specified. Receipt notification may be requested either with or without a request for the return of the subject VM.
- e) A *Non-Receipt Notification*, NRN, **shall not** be sent back to the originator of the message.

NOTE 3 – By scanning the successive nested Headings of a forwarded VM, the final recipient UA can determine, from the setting of the *Message Forwarded* indication field, which UA or MS in the forwarding chain accepted the message.

17.3.3.3 Prevention of loops

The UA may use the *Message Forwarded* field of the heading to initially detect that loop suppression must be performed. The UA shall suppress forwarding if the VM about to be forwarded contains a forwarded VM that the UA previously created. In other words, *VM forwarding* shall be suppressed whenever the UA that is about to forward the same subject VM determines that it had forwarded this same message earlier to someone else. It may need to check through a nested series of VM body parts to make this determination.

The UA shall consider itself to have created a forwarding VM if, and only if, the OR Name component of a This VM field in the forwarded VM matches the OR Name of the UA's user.

NOTE – Forwarding a VM of the kind described above would constitute a VM Forwarding "loop".

17.3.3.4 Construction of Forwarding VM

The UA shall construct a forwarding VM whose Primary Body Part comprises a body part of type VM Body Part. Additionally, other body parts may be added, and body parts may be removed.

The Heading shall have the following components:

- a) *This VM*: New value generated.
- b) *Originator*: OR Name of the forwarding user.
- c) *Recipients*: The recipients to which the VM is being forwarded.

If the message is *not* accepted, the following rules relating to the components of the VM Heading apply:

- d) *VN Requests* (sub-field of Recipients): The UA may forward the VM to several recipients by simply adding recipients to the Recipients field. If the UA does not accept the message, and if VN Requests are present in the subject VM, the UA shall set identical VN Requests for one, and only one, of the recipients, and notifications are not requested of any other recipient.

NOTE – VMGS-MS also follow these rules, see 18.4.

- e) *Expiry Time*: may be set to a value different from the value indicated in the subject VM.
- f) All other Heading fields shall follow the general rules in 17.3.3.

If the VM is accepted, the VM Heading shall comply with a, b and c above and with the following rules:

- g) Other fields may be added (including VN Requests).

Other fields apart from those especially mentioned above may, but need not, be copied from the Heading of the subject VM to the Heading of the forwarding VM. There is one exception, the *Original VM Identifier* shall not be present.

VN Requests set for any recipient is at the discretion of the VMG-user. The VN Receiver field is set to the forwarding user or to some OR address other than the originator of the forwarded VM.

The *PrimaryBodyPart* shall be of type VM Body Part and shall have the following components:

- h) *Parameters*: Specified or omitted in the field MessageParameters as a local matter.
- i) *Data*: The VM to be forwarded in the field MessageData.

The *AdditionalBodyParts* shall be of type VM Externally Defined BodyPart and shall have the components relevant to the encoded information object being carried in that body part.

17.3.3.5 Submission of a Forwarding VM

The UA shall submit the forwarding VM it constructed above by invoking Message Submission with the following arguments:

- a) *Envelope*: The components of this argument shall be as follows:

- 1) **Originator-name:** The OR Name of the UA's user.
 - 2) **Content-type** and **Original-encoded-information-types:** Determined from the VM as specified in 19.2 and 19.4, respectively.
 - 3) **Content-identifier:** Specified or omitted as a local matter.
 - 4) **Priority:** As specified by the subject VM's Message Delivery's Envelope argument unless forwarding of message occurs after accepting the message. In this case, the setting of Priority is at the user's discretion.
 - 5) **Per-message-indicators** and **Extensions:** A local matter, except that the NRN bit will be set.
 - 6) **DeferredDeliveryTime:** Omitted.
 - 7) **Per-recipient-fields:** The Recipient-name components shall be the OR Name(s) that the message shall be forwarded to. Their other components are a local matter.
- b) *Content:* Determined from the VM as specified in 19.1.

17.3.3.6 Construction of NRN

The UA shall construct a NRN if, and only if, one is requested by means of the Voice Notification Requests field of the subject VM's Recipients field and the user is not willing to accept the message.

The NRN shall have the common fields as prescribed for non-acceptance of the message (see 17.3.3.1).

The NRN shall also have the following fields:

- a) *Non-receipt UA/MS Reason Code:* The reason why the subject message was not received by the intended recipient's MS or UA. This information is conveyed in the field VNRNUAMSReasonCodeField.
- b) Optionally, *Non-receipt User Reason Code:* The reason why the subject message was not received by the intended recipient. This information is conveyed in the field VNRNUserReasonCodeField.
- c) Optionally, *Non-receipt TSAU Reason Code:* The reason why the subject message was not received by the intended recipient associated with a TSAU. This information is conveyed in the field VNRNTSAUReasonCodeField.
- d) Optionally, *NRN Extensions:* The set of NRN extension sub fields that are to be associated with the VN.

17.3.3.7 Submission of NRN

The UA shall submit the NRN (if any) above by invoking Message Submission. Message Submission's *Envelope* argument shall be as prescribed for acceptance of the VM (see 17.3.1) except that the *notification type* shall be set to type 2 (NRN), its *Content* argument determined from the NRN as specified in 19.1.

NOTE – If the OR Name in the field VNReceiverField is not valid, then the UA may be unable to submit the VN. Guidelines regarding the use of the VNReceiverField are found in j of 17.3.1.1.

18 Message Store operation

ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5 defines the abstract service for a general content independent Message Store (MS). The MS is an optional system component in an MHS. The MS is associated with a single user's UA. The user can submit messages through it and retrieve messages that have been delivered to the MS. In addition, the MS can perform certain predefined auto actions on the UA's behalf.

NOTE – Because the MS is an optional system component in an MHS, use of the word "shall" with respect to MS specifications is to be construed as mandating a provision of an MS or the services it provides, if an MS is provided.

All the abstract operations, general attribute types and general auto actions types defined in ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5 are also available for use by Voice messages.

An MS may optionally offer additional support for the Voice messaging specific attribute types and auto actions, which would qualify it as a voice messaging specific MS (Voice MS). These additional definitions are given in what follows.

18.1 Binding to the MS

Binding to the MS is described in 7.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5. Attention should be given to the following points when using the MS for voice messaging.

18.1.1 Abstract-bind argument

The following parameters from 7.1.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5 have special meaning in this Recommendation:

- a) Fetch-restrictions:

The name of the object identifier for the Voice content type is **id-mct-pvm**, the value is defined in Annex A.

b) Allowed-EITs:

The names of the object identifiers so far standardized in this Recommendation are defined in Annex A. See also 8.1.12.

18.1.2 Abstract-bind result

The following parameter from 7.1.2 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5 has special meaning for this Recommendation:

– Available-auto-actions.

NOTE – The use of the general auto action **auto-forward** is discouraged for use with VMs. Instead the Voice messaging specific auto actions **vm-forwarding-with-RN** and **vm-forwarding-with-NRN** and **vm-forwarding-without-notification** should be used as defined in 18.4.

18.2 Creation of Information Objects

An MS shall satisfy the following requirements related to the information objects it maintains:

- a) The MS shall maintain a separate information object for each message containing a VM or VN that is delivered to it.
- b) The MS shall maintain as a separate information object not only each message containing a forwarding VM [pursuant to item a)] but also each message containing a forwarded VM (recursively).
- c) The MS shall assign sequence numbers to the messages in the hierarchy formed by a forwarding VM and its forwarded VMs.

The general (content independent) attributes that may occur in a stored-messages information-base are documented in ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5. All content-independent MS attributes can be used for the content defined in this Recommendation. The Voice specific attributes for stored-messages are defined in 18.6. All general attribute types classified as "mandatory" in Table 1 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5 shall be supported.

18.2.1 Mapping of an MHS message containing a VM into a VMGS-MS

When a VM or VN gets delivered into the VMGS-MS, a corresponding MS entry is generated in the stored-messages information-base. The MS generates some attributes for administration purposes such as Sequence number, a Creation Time for the entry, the V-Bodypart Length, etc. It then generates attributes based on protocol elements in the MHS Envelope, in the Heading and one attribute containing the whole Voice object, e.g., the message. The attribute Voice Encoding Type signals which Voice Standard has been used to encode the message. Similarly, other Body Parts will be mapped into one or several additional attributes.

NOTE – In what follows, reference is made to an "MHS message". This is not to be confused with the term "message", which refers to a VM.

Figure 7 describes how an MHS message with a VM is mapped into a corresponding MS entry.

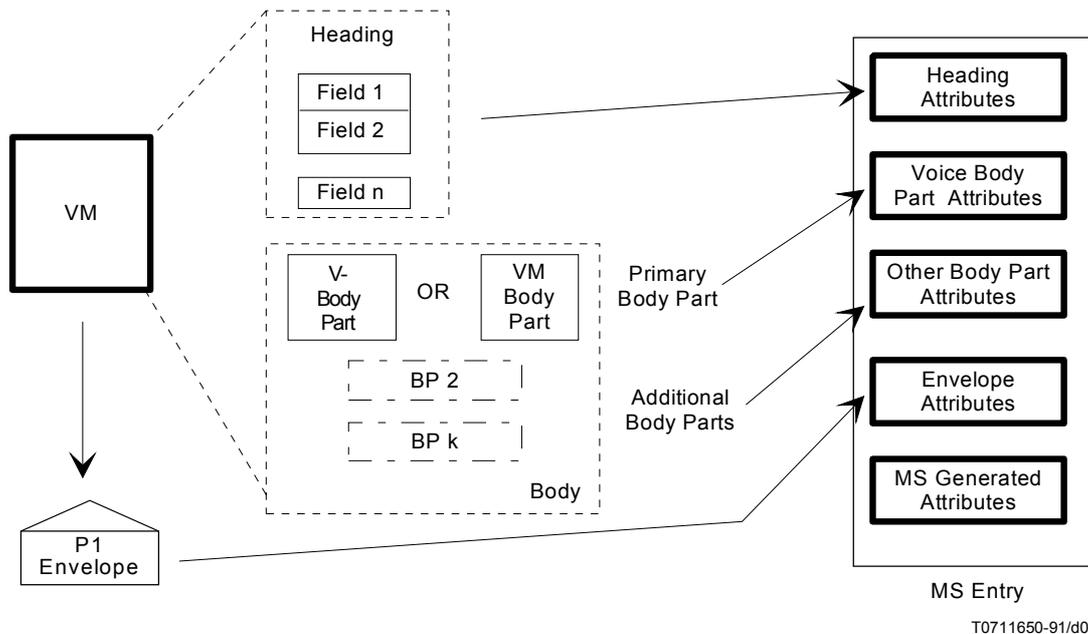
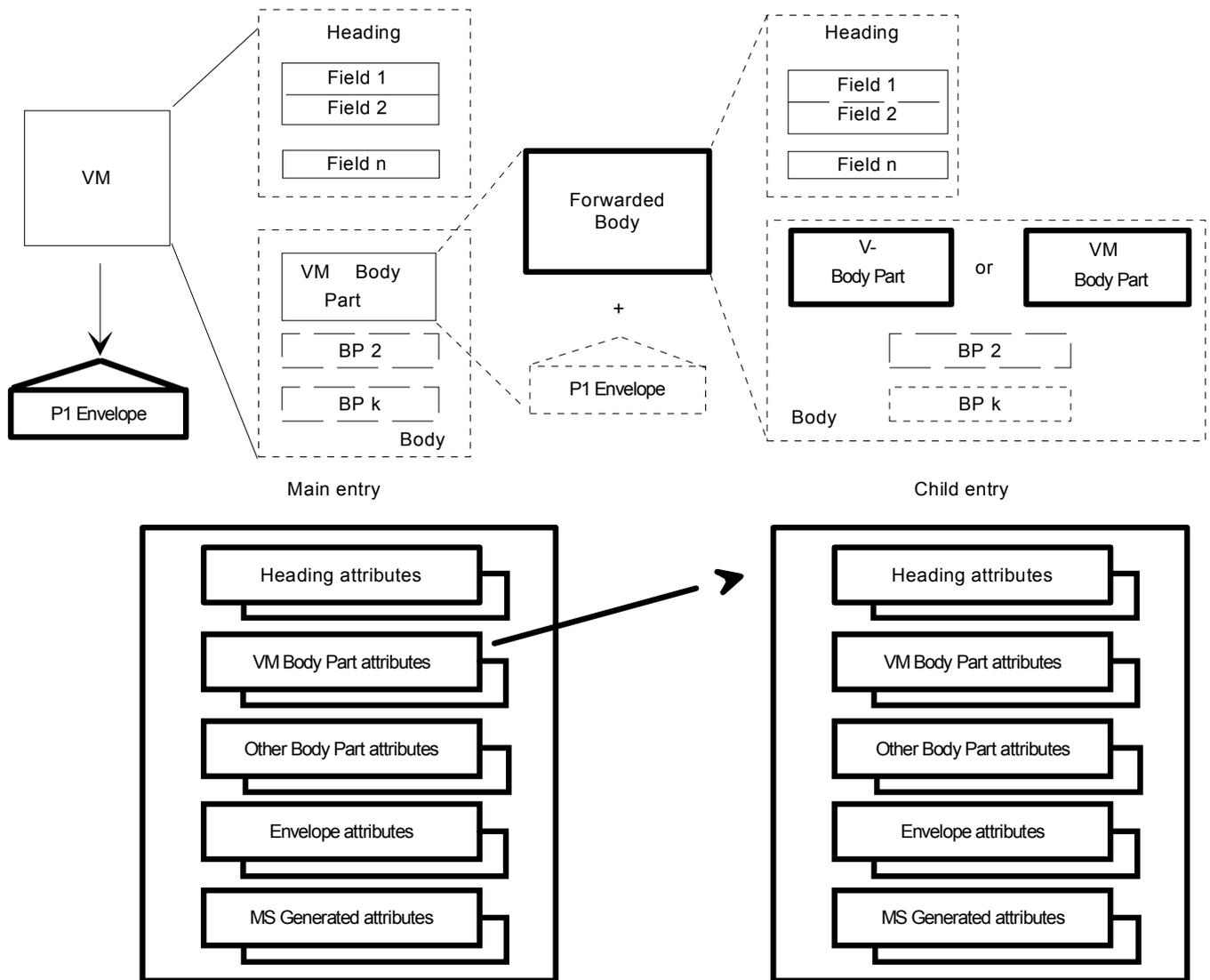


Figure 7/X.440 – MHS message containing a VM mapped into a VMGS-MS

18.2.2 Mapping of forwarded messages in MS

A forwarded VM is mapped into the Message Store as one main entry and one or more linked child entries. The final child entry will contain the original VM (with its message and any additional body parts).

The MS Structure of a forwarded message such as the message in Figure 6 is depicted in Figure 8.



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Figure 8/X.440 – Forwarded message mapped into an MS

18.3 Maintenance of attributes

An MS shall satisfy the following requirements related to MS attributes:

- a) For each VM or VN it holds, the MS shall support the attributes as required in 18.6.
- b) For each VM it holds, the MS shall give the following meanings to the defined values of the MS-status attribute:
 - 1) **new**: No attribute values have been conveyed to the UA.
 - 2) **listed**: At least one attribute value has been conveyed to the UA, and at least one body part value has not been conveyed to the UA.
 - 3) **processed**: All body parts have been conveyed to the UA or the MS has performed an auto action and the definition of that auto action causes a change to the entry's status.
- c) For each VN it holds, the MS shall give the following meanings to the defined values of the MS-status attribute:
 - 1) **new**: No attribute values have been conveyed to the UA.
 - 2) **listed**: At least one attribute value has been conveyed to the UA, and at least one attribute value has not been conveyed to the UA.
 - 3) **processed**: All attributes have been conveyed to the UA or the MS has performed an auto action and the definition of that auto action causes a change to the entry's status.
- d) The MS-status attribute shall reflect the state of affairs prior to an abstract operation invocation that alters its value.

- e) The Content Type attribute of each message containing a VM or VN that is delivered to the MS shall have as value the Object Identifier *id-mct-pvm* (see Annex A).

18.4 Voice Messaging MS auto forward action types

The concept of auto actions is described in 6.5 and clause 12 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5. This defines two general auto action types, which can potentially be used for all content-types. However, the "auto-forward" auto action defined there is not well-suited for the VM content-type and its use for Voice messaging is discouraged. Instead, a specific auto action, called **vm-auto-forward-actions**, is defined below for VM Forwarding. Also, VM offers MS users a new auto action for the automatic generation of VN's Service Notification. This new auto action, called **vm-auto-sn-action**, is defined in 18.5.

The auto-alert auto action defined in 12.2 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5 can be used for Voice messaging without any restrictions.

Auto actions are registered and deregistered using the Register-MS abstract operation as described in 8.6 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

The *vm-auto-forward-actions* auto action is described in this subclause. The operation of this auto action may be affected by the implementation of a security policy. Body Parts may not be added or removed through *vm-auto-forward-actions*.

The MS auto action, described below, together with its abstract syntax using the AUTO-ACTION macro is defined in 6.5 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

NOTE 1 – Substrings in filters cannot be defined for composite attributes (attributes with further ASN.1 structure in the attribute value) in 1992 and later versions of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

NOTE 2 – This version of this Recommendation does not provide for matching on voice encoded information objects.

The *vm-auto-forward-actions* allows the MS to perform VM Forwarding. The forwarding of VMs occurs in one of three ways:

- the **vm-forwarding-with-NRN**, which means that the VM responsibility is forwarded and an NRN VN is returned to the originator. See a of 18.4.1;
- the **vm-forwarding-with-RN**, which means that the VM responsibility is accepted and an RN VN is returned to the originator. See b of 18.4.2;
- the **vm-forward-without-VNs**, which means that no VNs were requested and that no VN is returned to the originator. See a of 18.4.3.

If Voice Security Requests are present, then the VM-auto-forward actions defined above may be prohibited, subject to the security policy in force. If Voice Security Requests are present, then the VM-auto-forward action of a shall not be performed.

The *VM-auto-forward-actions* allows one or more sets of *VMActionRegistrationParameters* to be registered with the MS, each identified by its registration-identifier. Each *VMActionRegistrationParameter* value specifies criteria to determine whether it applies to a delivered VM, and if so, a copy of the message is VM-auto-forwarded and the status of the entry is set to processed, and an RN or NRN may be generated when requested, using the Message-submission abstract operation. In cases a and b above, a VN is also returned to the originator using the Message-submission abstract operation. The delivered VM may be automatically deleted afterwards. The ASN.1 definition of the **vm-auto-forward-actions** AUTO ACTION is as follows:

```

vm-auto-forward-actions AUTO-ACTION
  REGISTRATION PARAMETER IS VMActionRegistrationParameter
  ::= id-act-vm-auto-actions

VMActionRegistrationParameter ::= SEQUENCE {
  filter                                [0] Filter OPTIONAL,
  vm-supplementary-information          [1] VMSupplementaryInformation OPTIONAL,
  delete-after-forwarding               [2] BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE,
  vm-auto-forwarding-mode               CHOICE {
  vm-forwarding-with-message-not-accepted [3] ForwardWithNonReceipt,
  vm-forwarding-with-message-accepted    [4] ForwardWithMessageAccepted,
  vm-forwarding-with-no-VNs              [5] ForwardWithoutVNs } }

```

NOTE 3 – The data types Filter, Per Message Auto Forward Fields and Per Recipient Auto Forward Fields are defined in 12.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

The common parameters of the Voice Forward Registration Parameter have the following meanings:

- Filter*: This is a set of criteria which a new entry representing a delivered VM shall satisfy for the MS abstract service provider to auto forward it using this set of parameters.

The absence of this parameter indicates that all new entries are to be examined for potential auto actions, e.g., auto forwarding.

- b) *Vm-supplementary-information*: This parameter can contain text to be included in the *other-parameters* field of a forwarded VM.
- c) *Delete-after-forwarding*: This parameter indicates whether an MS entry should be deleted or not, once the auto-forward submission has succeeded. If not specified, no deletion takes place.

NOTE 4 – If the message is deleted upon successful auto-forward submission and the forwarded message is non-delivered, it is not possible to reconstruct the entry in the MS. The F.400-Series of Recommendations discourages the use of the Return of Contents feature in an MTS Non-Delivery report. Thus the creation of an NRN may not be possible.

- d) *VM-auto-forwarding-mode*: This is a choice between:
 - 1) **VM-forwarding-with-NRN**;
 - 2) **VM-forwarding-with-RN**;
 - 3) **VM-forwarding-without-notification**.

The remaining parameters are described separately below for these three cases.

18.4.1 VM-Forwarding-with-NRN

The *vm-forwarding-with-NRN* case enables the MS abstract service provider to automatically forward any VM to one or more recipients that has been delivered into the stored-messages information base and indicate to the originator of the subject VM that the message was not accepted. An assumption for this case is that a NRN has been requested.

The following limitations apply to *vm-forwarding-with-NRN*, when compared to the general rules for forwarding contained in:

- a) The MS shall construct and forward a VM whose primary body part comprises a body part of type VM body part as described in clause 8; the other-parameters component of the VM (Forwarded) Body Part will contain any registered supplementary information; the original delivery envelope shall be included, and the components of the original Heading shall be copied to the Heading of the submitted VM according to the rules in 17.3.3 with the following exceptions:
 - 1) the **recipient** parameter value is set to the next recipient;
 - 2) the **message-forwarded** parameter value is set to TRUE.
- b) The *vm-forwarding-with-NRN* auto action type shall only be performed once for a particular VM by the same MS.
- c) If VN requests are present in the subject VM, the MS shall set identical VN requests for only the first recipient named in the per-recipient-arguments field of this parameter. VN requests shall not be made of any other recipients.

If the VM Heading contains a request to return a Non-Receipt Notification (NRN), the MS generates an NRN according to the rules described in 17.3.3.6, using the Message-submission abstract operation. The value **nrn-sent** is added in the V Notification Indicator attributes.

The following ASN.1 data type defines the parameters specific to this case:

```
ForwardWithMessageNonReceipt ::= SET {
  COMPONENTS OF PerMessageAutoForwardFields, -- from MS auto-forward Abstract Operation
  per-recipient-no-accept-arguments    [3] SEQUENCE OF
  PerRecipientNoAcceptArguments,
  notification-argument                [4] NotificationArguments OPTIONAL }

PerRecipientNoAcceptArguments ::= SEQUENCE {
  per-recipient-field                    [0] PerRecipientAutoForwardFields,
  heading-next-recipient                 [1] RecipientField }

NotificationArguments ::= SET {
  COMPONENTS OF PerMessageAutoForwardFields, -- from MS auto-forward Abstract Operation
  per-recipients-field                   [3] COMPONENTS OF per RecipientAutoForwardFields
  WITH RecipientName ABSENT }
```

- a) *PerMessageAutoForwardFields*

This is a set of arguments registered to be used for each message submission abstract operation (see 8.2.1.1.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4). Any argument which is not registered, not mandatory, and not specifically mentioned below, will be absent from each message submission.

If conversion-with-loss-prohibited is registered with the value "zero" indicating that conversion-with-loss is allowed [as defined in Figure 2/X.411 (part 21 of 41)] either by explicit registration of the value, or if it is not registered and thus assumes this value by default, the value used for each Message-submission abstract-operation shall be the value

of the corresponding Message-delivery argument. If conversion-with-loss-prohibited is registered with the value "one" indicating that conversion-with-loss is prohibited, this value shall be used for each Message-submission abstract-operation.

If implicit-conversion-prohibited is registered with the value "zero", indicating that implicit-conversion is allowed, or if no value is registered, the value used for each Message-submission abstract-operation shall be the value of the corresponding Message-delivery argument. If implicit-conversion-prohibited is registered with the value "one", indicating that implicit-conversion is prohibited, this value shall be used for each Message-submission abstract-operation.

If the following arguments are not registered, their presence as message submission arguments depends upon the presence of the corresponding message delivery arguments, their values being transformed where appropriate: *content-confidentiality-algorithm-identifier*, *message-origin-authentication-check*, *message-security-label* and *priority*.

DL-expansion-prohibited shall have the fixed value DL-expansion-prohibited in the Message-submission abstract-operation.

Certain message submission arguments may not be registered. These are: *proof-of-submission-request*, *original-encoded-information-types* and *content-type*.

b) *PerRecipientNoAcceptArguments*

This is a set of arguments registered to be used for each message submission abstract operation (see 8.2.1.1.1 of UIT-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4). Any argument which is not registered, not mandatory, and not specifically mentioned below, will be absent from each message submission.

If the following arguments are not registered, their presence as message submission arguments depends upon the presence of the corresponding message delivery arguments, their values being transformed where appropriate: *message-token* and *content-integrity-check*.

The following argument has a fixed value:

- 1) *originator-report-request*: This shall have either the value non-delivery-report or the value report.

Only one recipient is allowed for this case.

c) *Notification-argument*

This contains a subset of the parameters as in a) and b) above, but the actual values can differ from the values in the forwarded VM.

Notification-argument is used in the submission abstract operation of any VN generated by the MS.

NOTE – The Recipient Name component is not used because a VN may be sent to the originator of the subject VM or to the user identified in the VN-Receiver-field.

18.4.2 VM-Forwarding-with-RN

The *vm-forwarding-with-RN* case enables the MS abstract service provider to automatically forward to one or more preferred recipients, and automatically generate an RN if requested, any VM that has been delivered into the stored-messages information base. An assumption for this case is that an RN has been requested and that the MS has accepted responsibility for the subject VM even though it is being forwarded to another recipient.

The following limitations apply to *vm-forwarding-with-RN*, when compared to the general rules for forwarding contained in 17.3.3:

- a) The MS shall construct and forward a VM whose primary body part comprises a body part of type VM body part as described in 17.3.3.4; body parts may be added, the original delivery envelope shall be included, and the components of the original Heading shall be copied to the Heading of the submitted VM according to the rules in 17.3.3 with the following exceptions:
 - 1) the **recipient** parameter value is set to the next recipient;
 - 2) the **message-forwarded** parameter value is set to TRUE.
- b) The *vm-forwarding-with-RN* auto action type shall only be performed once for a particular VM by the same MS.
- c) At least one preferred recipient shall be specified for the forwarding auto action. Additional recipients may be specified. Setting of VN request bits is at the discretion of the user and the VN-Receiver-field is set to indicate that VNs are not returned to the originator of the subject VM.

If the VM Heading contains a request to return a Receipt Notification (RN) the MS generates an RN according to the rules described in 17.3.3.1, using the Message-submission abstract operation. The value *rn-sent* is added in the V Notification Indicator attributes.

The following ASN.1 data type defines the parameters specific to this case:

```

ForwardWithRespAccepted ::= SET {
  COMPONENTS OF PerMessageAutoForwardFields, -- from MS auto-forward Abstract Operation
  per-recipient-arguments [3] SEQUENCE SIZE (1..ub-recipients) OF
    Per RecipientArguments, -- P1 + VMP information
  notification-argument [4] NotificationArguments OPTIONAL -- RN arguments }

PerRecipientArguments ::= SEQUENCE {
  per-recipients-p1-info [0] PerRecipientAutoForwardFields,
    -- P1 Per Recipient information
  vm-heading-fields [1] HeadingFields OPTIONAL, -- VMP Per Recipient information
  new-vn-receiver-name [2] ORName } -- for all VMP recipients

HeadingFields ::= SEQUENCE {
  next-recipient [0] RecipientField,
  next-recipient-vn-requests-field [1] VNotificationRequestsField OPTIONAL,
  next-message-forwarding-permitted [2] MessageForwardingPermitted DEFAULT
    FALSE }

```

a) *PerMessageAutoForwardFields*

This is a set of arguments registered to be used for each message submission abstract operation (see 8.2.1.1.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4). Any argument which is not registered, not mandatory, and not specifically mentioned below, will be absent from each message submission.

If conversion-with-loss-prohibited is registered with the value "zero" indicating that conversion-with-loss is allowed [as defined in Figure 2/X.411 (part 21 of 41)], either by explicit registration of the value, or if it is not registered and thus assumes this value by default, the value used for each Message-submission abstract-operation shall be the value of the corresponding Message-delivery argument. If conversion-with-loss-prohibited is registered with the value "one" indicating that conversion-with-loss is prohibited, this value shall be used for each Message-submission abstract-operation.

If implicit-conversion-prohibited is registered with the value "zero", indicating that implicit-conversion is allowed, or if no value is registered, the value used for each Message-submission abstract-operation shall be the value of the corresponding Message-delivery argument. If implicit-conversion-prohibited is registered with the value "one", indicating that implicit-conversion is prohibited, this value shall be used for each Message-submission abstract-operation.

If the following arguments are not registered, their presence as message submission arguments depends upon the presence of the corresponding message delivery arguments, their values being transformed where appropriate: *content-confidentiality-algorithm-identifier*, *message-origin-authentication-check*, *message-security-label* and *priority*.

DL-expansion-prohibited shall have the fixed value DL-expansion prohibited in the Message-submission abstract-operation.

Certain message submission arguments may not be registered. These are: *proof-of-submission-request*, *original-encoded-information-types* and *content-type*.

b) *PerRecipientArguments*

This set of arguments registers the values to be used for each recipient of a forwarded message. Messages are forwarded to one or more preferred recipients.

1) **PerRecipientAutoForwardFields**

This is a set of arguments registered to be used for each message submission abstract operation (see 8.2.1.1.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4). Any argument which is not registered, not mandatory, and not specifically mentioned below, will be absent from each message submission.

If the following arguments are not registered, their presence as message submission arguments depends upon the presence of the corresponding message delivery arguments, their values being transformed where appropriate: *message-token* and *content-integrity-check*.

The following argument has a fixed value:

- *originator-report-request*: this shall have either the value non-delivery-report or the value report.
- Multiple recipients are allowed for this case.

2) **New VN receiver name** (same for all recipients)

- *new-vn-receiver-name* to replace *vn-receiver-field* in heading.

3) **HeadingFields**

- *next-recipient* to replace *recipient* in Recipients Sub Field. This field is mandatory.
- *next-recipient-vn-requests-field* to replace *vn-requests-field* in Recipients Sub Field. This field is optional.
- *next-message-forwarding-permitted* to replace *message-forwarding-permitted* in Recipients Sub Field. This field is optional.

- c) *Notification-argument*: This contains a subset of the parameters as in a) and b) above, but the actual values can differ from the values in the forwarded VM.

Notification-argument is used in the submission abstract-operation of any VN generated by the MS.

NOTE – The Recipient Name component is not used because a VN may be sent to the originator of the subject VM or to the user identified in the VN-Receive-field.

18.4.3 **VM-Forwarding-without-notification**

The *vm-forwarding-without-notification* case enables the MS abstract service provider to automatically forward any VM that has been delivered into the stored-messages information base. An assumption for this case is that neither an NRN nor a RN has been requested.

The following limitations apply to *vm-forwarding-without-notification*, when compared to the general rules for forwarding contained in 17.3.3:

- a) The MS shall construct and forward a VM whose primary body part comprises a body part of type VM body part as described in 8.2.2. The original delivery envelope may be included. Components of the original Heading shall be copied to the Heading of the submitted VM according to the rules in 18.4.2, to the forwarded VM with the following exceptions:
- 1) The *recipient* parameter value is set to the next recipient.
 - 2) Any registered values for Heading fields shall replace the old values in the new Heading.
 - 3) The **message-forwarded** parameter value is set to TRUE.
 - 4) If VNs are requested of any recipient, then the *VN-receiver* field, as defined in 8.1.14, is set to indicate that VNs are not returned to the originator of the subject VM.
- b) At least one preferred recipient shall be specified for the forwarding auto action. Additional recipients may be specified.

The following ASN.1 data type defines the parameters specific to this case:

```
ForwardWithoutVNs ::= SET {  
  COMPONENTS OF PerMessageAutoForwardFields, -- from MS auto-forward Abstract Operation  
  per-recipient-no-vn-arguments [3] SEQUENCE SIZE (1..ub-recipients) OF  
  PerRecipientArguments -- PI + VM information }
```

a) **PerMessageAutoForwardFields**

The description is the same as in a) of 18.4.1;

b) **PerRecipientArguments**

The description is the same as in b) of 18.4.2;

Multiple recipients are allowed for this case.

18.5 **Voice messaging MS auto service notification action type**

VM offers MS users a new auto action for the automatic generation of an SN. This new auto action, called **vm-auto-sn-action** is defined below for interacting with a VMGS-MS. This is a new auto action that is not defined in ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

NOTE 1 – VM's service notification provides the element of service E.15 defined in CCITT Rec. F.440.

The *vm-auto-sn-action* allows one or more sets of *VNSNActionRegistrationParameters* to be registered with the MS; each is identified by its registration-identifier. Each instance of *VNSNActionRegistrationParameter* specifies criteria to be used by a VMGS-MS to determine whether it applies to a delivered VM. If so and the originator of the subject VM requests an SN, the MS is instructed to automatically generate an SN using the Message-submission abstract operation.

The service-notification case enables the MS abstract service provider to automatically generate a requested SN for any VM that has been delivered into the stored-messages information base. Once an SN is successfully generated by the MS, the value **sn-sent** is added in the V Notification Indicator attribute. The MS only generates a single SN for this named recipient. SNs shall be acted upon by a VMGS-MS before engaging in VM Forwarding.

NOTE 2 – The delivery of a message into a VMGS-MS and generation of a SN is independent of VM Forwarding actions.

The following limitations apply to MS auto SN generation, when compared to the general rules for generating a SN contained in 17.3.2:

- a) The MS shall construct a VN whose structure is a SN as described in 17.3.2. Components of the original Heading shall be copied to the Common Fields component of the SN according to the rules in 17.3 and 17.3.2.1, with the following exceptions:
 - The "recipient" parameter value is set to the value of vn-receiver-name of the vn-receiver-field. If the vn-receiver-field is absent, then the parameter is set to the value of the originator-field.

The following AUTO-ACTION and ASN.1 data type defines the parameters specific to this case:

```
vm-auto-sn-action AUTO-ACTION
REGISTRATION PARAMETER IS VNSNActionRegistrationParameter
::= id-act-vn-sn-auto-action
```

```
VNSNActionRegistrationParameter ::= SEQUENCE {
filter [0] Filter OPTIONAL,
vn-service-notice-info [1] ServiceNotificationInfo }
```

The *Filter* specifies the criteria upon which the MS is to invoke this auto-action. The data type *Filter* is defined in 12.1 of UIT-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

The *ServiceNotificationInfo* to be registered has the following arguments:

- a) **SN Notification Argument**
This argument registers the set of possible SN reasons that may be generated by an MS. Its syntax is that of the *SNReasonCode* field. The description is found in 9.3.2.
- b) **VN Supplementary Info**
This argument registers the value to be used in *VNSupplementaryInfo* field for SNs generated automatically by the MS. Its syntax is that of the *VNSupplementaryInfo* field. The description is found in 9.1.10.
- c) **Extensions**
This argument is used to pass additional elements of protocol not specified in this version of this Recommendation. The syntax of this field is that of *NotificationExtensionsField*. The description is found in 9.1.11.

```
ServiceNotificationInfo ::= SET {
sn-notification-argument [4] SNReasonCode,
sn-supplementary-info [5] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL,
extensions [6] NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }
```

18.6 Message store attributes

As described in UIT-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5, an MS maintains and provides access to certain attributes of each information object it holds. An attribute comprises a type and, depending upon the type, one or more values. Attributes that may assume several values simultaneously (all pertaining to one object) are termed multi-valued, those that may assume just one value, single-valued. Some attributes pertain to information objects of all kinds, others only to those of, for example, VM messaging kind.

The following subclauses define the MS attributes specific to voice messaging. These subclauses also stipulate if support for any VM specific attribute is mandatory or optional, see Table 1.

All of the attributes defined in this Recommendation, except those corresponding to extended body part types (which cannot be enumerated), are listed alphabetically, for reference, in the first column of Table 1. This table records their presence in a delivered message entry. None of them will appear in a delivered report entry. Additional, unnamed attributes are described in 18.6.4.5. Table 2 identifies the source of each attribute value and describes how the VM attributes are generated.

NOTE – See 5.2.1 and 5.2.2 for an elaboration of the legend of the tables.

Table 1/X.440 – Summary of the VM specific MS attribute types

Attribute	Single-/Multi-valued	Support level by MS and UA	Presence in delivered VM	Presence in delivered RN	Presence in delivered NRN	Presence in delivered SN	Available for list, alert	Available for summarize
body	S	M	P	–	–	–	N	N
conversion-indication	S	M	–	C	C	C	Y	N
expiry-time	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
externally-defined-body-part-types	M	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
first-recipient	S	O	C	C	C	C	Y	N
heading	S	M	P	–	–	–	N	N
heading-extensions	M	M	C	–	–	–	Y	N
importance	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	Y
language	M	O	C	–	–	–	Y	Y
message-data	S	O	C	–	–	–	N	N
message-parameters	S	O	C	–	–	–	N	N
notification-security-elements	S	O	–	C	C	C	Y	N
notification-creation-time	S	O	–	P	P	P	Y	N
notification-extensions	M	O	–	C	C	C	Y	N
nrn-extensions	M	O	–	–	C	–	Y	N
nrn-tsau-reason-code	M	O	–	–	C	–	Y	N
nrn-ua-ms-reason-code	M	O	–	–	C	–	Y	N
nrn-user-reason-code	M	O	–	–	C	–	Y	N
obsoleted-vm	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
originator	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
orig-vm-spoken-subject	S	O	–	C	C	C	Y	N
recipient-extensions-for-this-recipient	M	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
rn-extensions	M	O	–	C	–	–	Y	N
sensitivity	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
sn-extensions	M	O	–	–	–	P	Y	N
sn-reason-code	S	O	–	–	–	P	Y	N
subject-vm	S	M	–	P	P	P	Y	N
subject-vm-other-recipients	M	O	–	C	C	C	N	N
this-vm	S	M	P	–	–	–	Y	N
this-recipient	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
v-body-message-length	S	M	–	–	–	–	N	Y
v-body-part	S	M	P	–	–	–	N	N

Table 1/X.440 – Summary of the VM specific MS attribute types (concluded)

Attribute	Single-/Multi-valued	Support level by MS and UA	Presence in delivered VM	Presence in delivered RN	Presence in delivered NRN	Presence in delivered SN	Available for list, alert	Available for summarize
vm-bodypart-sequence-number	S	M	–	–	–	–	N	N
vm-creation-time	S	M	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vm-encrypted-primary-bodypart	S	O	C	–	–	–	–	N
vm-entry-type	S	M	P	P	P	P	Y	Y
vm-forwarded-indication	S	M	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vm-forwarding-permitted	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vm-notification-indicator	S	O	–	–	–	–	Y	N
vm-notification-extension-requests-for-this-recipient	M	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vm-notification-requests-for-this-recipient	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vm-notification-security-requests-for-this-recipient	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vm-originator-spoken-name	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	Y
vm-reception-security-requests-for-this-recipient	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vm-spoken-subject	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	Y
vm-synopsis	S	O	P	–	–	–	N	N
vm-this-recipient-spoken-name	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	Y
vmgs-user-security-element	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vmgs-user-security-extensions	M	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vn-initiator	S	O	–	P	P	P	Y	N
vn-originator-text	S	O	–	P	P	P	Y	N
vn-originator-spoken-name	M	O	–	C	C	C	Y	N
vn-receiver-field	S	O	C	–	–	–	Y	N
vn-supplementary-information	S	O	–	C	C	C	N	N
vn-voice-encoding-type	S	M	–	P	P	P	Y	Y
voice-encoding-type	S	M	C	–	–	–	Y	N
voice-message-duration	S	M	P	–	–	–	Y	Y
voice-message-other-parms	S	M	C	–	–	–	Y	Y

Table 2/X.440 – Generation of the VM specific MS attribute types

Attribute-type-name	Source parameters	Generated by	Generation rules
body	Body	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
conversion-indication	ConversionEITsField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN
expiry-time	ExpiryTimeField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
externally-defined-body-part-types	AdditionalBodyParts	MD	From each component of the SEQUENCE, one value is generated from the value of the ExternallyDefinedData components direct-reference and one is generated from the value of the ExternallyDefinedParameters components direct-reference, if present.
first-recipient	FirstRecipient	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
heading	Heading	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
heading-extensions	HeadingExtensionsSubField	MD	A value is generated from each value of the SET.
importance	ImportanceField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
language	Language	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
message-data	MessageData	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
message-parameters	MessageParameters	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
notification-creation-time	NoticeCreationTimeField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
notification-extensions	NotificationExtensionsSubField	MD	A value is generated from each value of the SET.
notification-security-elements	SecurityElementsField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
nrn-extensions	NRNExtensionsSubField	MD	A value is generated from each value of the SET when found in a VN.
nrn-tsau-reason-code	VNRNTSAUReasonCodeField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
nrn-ua-ms-reason-code	VNRNUAMSReasonCodeField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
nrn-user-reason-code	VNRNUSERReasonCodeField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
obsoleted-vm	ObsoletedVMFields	MD	A value is generated from each value of the SEQUENCE.
originator	Originator	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
orig-vmg-spoken-subject	VMSpokenSubjectField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
recipient-extensions-for-this-recipient	RecipientExtensions	MD	A value is generated from each value of the SET in the recipient-sub-field for this recipient.
rn-extensions	RNExtensions	MD	A value is generated from each value of the SET when found in a VN.
sensitivity	SensitivityField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
sn-extensions	SNExtensionsSubField	MD	A value is generated from each member of the SET when found in a VN.

Table 2/X.440 – Generation of the VM specific MS attribute types (continued)

Attribute-type-name	Source parameters	Generated by	Generation rules
sn-reason-code	SNUAMSReasonBasic Code	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
subject-vm	SubjectVM	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
subject-vmg-other-recipients	RecipientField	MD	A value is generated from each member of the SET when found in a VN.
this-vm	ThisVM	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
this-recipient	Recipient	MD	The attribute-value is the value of the parameter in the recipient-sub-field for this recipient.
v-body-message-length	None	MS	The total length of the subject-VM.
v-body-part	VBodyPart	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
vm-body-part	NONE	MS	The value is the sequence-number of the entry created for the forwarded VM.
vm-creation-time	VMCreationTime	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
vm-entry-type	NONE	MS	Provided by the MS when it creates the entry in the MS information base. If the information object is an VM, the value is set to "vm". If the information object is a VN, the value is set according to the type of the VN, e.g., m, sn, nrr.
vm-message-forwarded-indication	MessageForwarded	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value. If the source parameter is missing, an attribute with the default value shall be generated.
vm-forwarding-permitted	MessageForwarding Permitted	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found. If the source parameter is missing, an attribute with the default value shall be generated.
vm-notification-indicator	NONE	MS	A value is added when an VN is submitted from the MS. A default value of no notifications sent is set when the entry is created.
vm-notification-requests-for-this-recipient	VNotificationRequests	MD	The attribute-value is the value of the parameter in the recipient-sub-field for this recipient.
vm-notification-security-requests-for-this-recipient	VMNotification Security	MD	The attribute-value is the value of the parameter in the recipient-sub-field for this recipient.
vm-originator-spoken-name	OriginatorSpokenName	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in VN.
vm-reception-security-requests-for-this-recipient	VMReceptionSecurity	MD	The attribute-value is the value of the parameter in the recipient-sub-field for this recipient.
vm-spoken-subject	VMSpokenSubject Field	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in VN.
vm-synopsis	see 18.6.1.2	MS	see 18.6.1.2
vm-this-recipient-spoken-name	RecipientSpoken Name	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
vmgs-user-security-element	VMGSUserSecurity Element	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.

Table 2/X.440 – Generation of the VM specific MS attribute types (concluded)

Attribute-type-name	Source parameters	Generated by	Generation rules
vm-user-security-extensions	VMGSUserSecurity Extensions	MD	A value is generated from each value of the SET.
vn-initiator	VNInitiator	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
vn-originator-spoken-name	OriginatorSpokenName	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
vn-originator-text	ORDescriptor	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value component of the VMOriginatorField found in the VN.
vn-receiver-field	VNReceiverField	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
vn-supplementary-information	VNSupplementary	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
vn-voice-encoding-type	VNVoiceEncodingType	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value when found in a VN.
voice-encoding-type	VoiceEncodingType	MD	The value of the parameter is the attribute value.
voice-message-duration	VMDuration	MD	The attribute-value is the value of the voice-message-duration component of the VoiceParameters field.
voice-message-other-parameters	VMSupplementary Information	MD	The attribute-value is the value of the other-parameters component of the VoiceParameters field.

18.6.1 Summary attributes

Some attributes summarize a Voice Messaging information object. These attributes are defined and described below.

18.6.1.1 VM Entry Type

The MS VM Entry Type attribute identifies an information object's type.

vm-entry-type ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX EntryType
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-sat-vmg-entry-type

EntryType ::= ENUMERATED {
voice-message (0),
receipt-notification (1),
non-receipt-notification (2),
service-notification (3) }

This attribute may assume any one of the following values:

- a) **voice-message**: The information object is a VM.
- b) **receipt-notification**: The information object is an RN.
- c) **non-receipt-notification**: The information object is an NRN.
- d) **service-notification**: The information object is an SN.

An MS that supports this attribute shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM or VN.

18.6.1.2 VM Synopsis

The MS VM Synopsis attribute gives the structure, characteristics, size, and processing status of a VM at the granularity of individual body parts.

vm-synopsis ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMSynopsis
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-sat-vm-synopsis

The synopsis of a VM comprises a synopsis of each of its body parts. The synopses appear in the order in which the body parts appear.

VMSynopsis ::= SEQUENCE OF BodyPartSynopsis

The synopsis of a body part takes either of two forms depending upon whether the body part is of type Message or Non-message. This enables the synopsis of a forwarding VM to encompass the body parts of each forwarded VM (recursively), as well as those of the forwarding VM itself.

```

BodyPartSynopsis ::= CHOICE {
  message [0] MessageBodyPartSynopsis,
  non-message [1] NonMessageBodyPartSynopsis }

MessageBodyPartSynopsis ::= SEQUENCE {
  number [0] SequenceNumber,
  synopsis [1] VMSynopsis }

NonMessageBodyPartSynopsis ::= SEQUENCE {
  type [0] OBJECT IDENTIFIER,
  parameters [1] ExternallyDefinedParameters OPTIONAL,
  bp-size [2] INTEGER, -- in octets
  processed [3] BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE }

```

The synopsis of a Message body part has the following components:

- a) MS Number: The sequence number that the MS assigns to the entry that the Message body part represents.
- b) MS Synopsis: The synopsis of the VM that forms the content of the message that the body part represents.

The synopsis of a body part of type other than Message has the following components. For purposes of this synopsis, the body part is considered to be of type Externally Defined, whether or not it was so conveyed to the MS:

- c) MS Type: The body part's extended type, i.e. the Direct-reference component of the body part's Data component.
- d) MS Parameters: The body part's format and control parameters, i.e. the body part's Parameters component.
- e) MS Size: The size in octets of the encoding component of the body part's Data component when the basic encoding rules of CCITT Rec. X.209 and ISO/IEC 8825 are followed. If those rules permit several (e.g., both primitive and constructed) encodings of the component, the size may reflect any one of them.
- f) MS Processed (default *false*): An indication of whether the body part has been conveyed to the UA by means of the MS Fetch abstract operation. A default of *false* indicates that the body part has not been conveyed.

An MS that supports this attribute shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM.

As a consequence of its variability, the value of the Size component should be considered only an estimate of the body part's size.

18.6.2 Voice notification indicator

The Voice Notification Indicator attribute contains information about whether any Voice Notifications have been sent in response to a VM, and if so which type of Voice Notifications were sent. The MS creates this attribute for each new VM and maintains the attribute values, depending on the user invoked or auto actions performed.

```

vm-notification-indicator ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNotificationIndicator
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::=id-sat-vm-notification-indicator

VNotificationIndicator ::= VIndicatorBits DEFAULT { } -- default is NO Notifications Sent

VIndicatorBits ::= BIT STRING {
  rn-sent (0),
  sn-sent (1),
  nrn-sent (2) } (SIZE (1..ub-bit-options))

```

Each value of this attribute may assume one of the following values:

- a) **rn-sent**: This value means that the MS has generated and sent a Receipt Notification (RN) in response to a request for an RN.
- b) **sn-sent**: This value means that the MS has generated and sent a Service Notification (SN) in response to a request for an SN.

- c) **nrn-sent**: This value means that the MS has generated and sent a Non-Receipt Notification (NRN) in response to a request for an NRN.

The MS ensures that when a VN is generated the appropriate bit shall be set correctly. The default for this attribute is no-notifications have been sent, i.e. all bits are set to zero.

18.6.3 Heading attributes

Some attributes are derived from the Heading of a VM. These attributes are defined and described below.

18.6.3.1 Heading

The Heading attribute is the (entire) Heading of a VM.

heading ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX Heading
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-heading

An MS that supports this attribute shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM.

18.6.3.2 Heading fields

Some attributes bear the names of Heading fields and have those fields as their values. Some attributes bear the names of Heading fields and have sub-fields of those fields as their values. See 8.1 for semantics.

this-vm ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ThisVMField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-this-VM

originator ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX COMPONENTS OF ORDescriptor
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-originator

obsoleted-vm ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ObsoletedVMField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-obsoleted-vm

expiry-time; ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ExpiryTimeField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY ORDERING
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-expiry-time

importance ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ImportanceField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-importance

sensitivity ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SensitivityField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-sensitivity-field

vm-forwarded-indication ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX MessageForwarded
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-forwarded-indication

vm-forwarding-permitted ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX MessageForwardingPermitted
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-forwarding-permitted

language ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX Language
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-hat-language

voice-encoding-type; ATTRIBUTE -- *Identifies the Encoding of the voice object*
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VoiceEncodingType
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-hat-voice-encoding-type

vm-creation-time ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMCreationTime
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY ORDERING
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-hat-vm-creation-time

vn-receiver-field ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNReceiverField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-hat-vn-receiver

Voice Messaging user security element attributes from the originator of the subject message:

vmgs-user-security-element ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMGSUserSecurityElement
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-hat-vmgs-user-security-elements

vm-encrypted-primary-bodypart ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX BOOLEAN
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-hat-vm-encrypted-primary-bodypart

vmgs-user-security-extensions ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMGSUserSecurityExtensions
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-hat-vmgs-user-security-extensions

Voice encoded attributes from the originator of the subject message:

vm-spoken-subject ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMSpokenSubjectField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-hat-vm-spoken-subject

vm-originator-spoken-name ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX OriginatorSpokenName
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-hat-vm-originator-spoken-name

vm-this-recipient-spoken-name ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX RecipientSpokenName
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-hat-vm-this-recipient-spoken-name

Heading extensions:

heading-extensions ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX HeadingExtensionsSubField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-hat-heading-extensions

An MS that supports one of these attributes shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM whose Heading contains the field or sub-field whose name the attribute bears.

18.6.3.3 Recipient sub-field

Some attributes bear the names of Recipient fields and have sub-fields of those fields as their values. See 8.1.30 for semantics.

this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX COMPONENTS OF ORDescriptor
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-rat-this-recipient

vm-notification-requests-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNotificationRequests
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-vm-notification-requests-for-this-recipient

vm-notification-security-requests-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNotificationSecurity
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-vm-notification-security-requests-for-this-recipient

vm-reception-security-requests-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMReceptionSecurity
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-vm-reception-security-requests-for-this-recipient

vm-notification-extension-requests-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMNotificationExtensionsSubField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-vm-notification-extension-requests-for-this-recipient

Extensions specific to this recipient:

recipient-extensions-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX RecipientExtensionsSubField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-recipient-extensions-for-this-recipient

An MS that supports one of these attributes shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM whose Heading Recipients field contains the field whose name the attribute bears. It shall maintain one attribute value for each sub-field.

18.6.4 Body attributes

Some attributes are derived from the Body of a VM. These attributes are defined and described below.

18.6.4.1 Body

The Body attribute is the (entire) Body of a VM.

body ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX Body
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-body

An MS that supports this attribute shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM.

18.6.4.2 Body analyses

Some attributes have as their values information about the body parts contained in the body of the message.

The voice message length attribute is created by the Message Store when it receives a VM. Its value indicates the length, in octets, of the subject Voice Body carried in the Primary Body Part of the message.

v-body-message-length ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VoiceMessageLength
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY ORDERING
SINGLE VALUE

::= id-bat-v-body-message-length

VoiceMessageLength ::= INTEGER -- in octets

The VM Message Length gives the number of octets occupied by the voice encoded message.

The voice message duration attribute is extracted from the Parameters segment of the subject voice message body part. Its value indicates the duration, in seconds, of the encoded voice message.

voice-message-duration ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMDuration
MATCHES FOR ORDERING
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-voice-message-duration

The other parameters attribute contains additional information that may be used by the recipient VMG-user when processing the voice encoded information.

voice-message-other-parms ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMSupplementaryInformation
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY SUBSTRINGS
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-voice-message-other-parms

18.6.4.3 Primary Body Parts

Some attributes bear the names of the Primary Body Part types and have such body parts as their values. See clause 8 for semantics.

v-body-part ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VBodyPart
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-v-body-part

An MS holds each forwarded VM (i.e. each Message body part) as an information object in its own right, separate from the forwarding VM (stored as a separate child entry in the stored-messages information base). That information object is a message whose content is a VM. The VM Body Parts attribute below, therefore, has as its values the sequence numbers the MS assigns to those child entries. See 8.2.2 for semantics.

vm-bodypart-sequence-number ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SequenceNumber -- sequence number of the forwarded VM entry.
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-vm-bodypart-sequence-number

An MS that supports one of these attributes shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM. It shall maintain one attribute value for such a body part.

Some attributes bear the names of the Parameters and Data components of a VM Body Part and have the Parameters and Data components as their values.

message-parameters ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX MessageParameters
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-message-parameters

message-data ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX MessageData
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-message-data

An MS that supports these attributes shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM whose Body contains a VM Body Part.

18.6.4.4 VM Externally Defined Body Part Types

The VM Externally Defined Body Part Types attribute identifies the externally defined body part types represented in a VM.

externally-defined-body-part-types ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX OBJECT IDENTIFIER
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-bat-externally-defined-body-part-types

An MS that supports this attribute shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM whose Body contains one or more Externally Defined body parts. It shall maintain one attribute value for every such type present. The value shall denote type as specified in 7.3.12 of ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7.

NOTE – Some Externally Defined body part types are defined in ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7. Each value of this attribute identifies both an extended body part type represented in IPM or VM, and the attribute type generated for the data component(s) of the body part(s) of that body part type, as specified in C.3.6 in ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7. Although this Recommendation provides a mechanism for defining extended body parts in the future, no additional VM extension body parts are defined.

18.6.4.5 Externally Defined Body Parts

Some attributes have as their values the encoding components (see 8.2.3) or the ASN.1 Externals that constitute the Data components of Externally Defined Body Parts. To each externally defined body part type there are two corresponding attributes.

The first attribute is denoted by the object identifier that is the *direct-reference* component (again see 8.2.3) of the External which constitutes the *DATA* component of a Body Part of that Type. The first attribute contains only the Externally Defined Body Part which is encoded as a VMExternallyDefinedBodyPart (see 8.2.3).

The second attribute is denoted by the object identifier that is the *direct-reference* component of the External which constitutes the *PARAMETERS* component of a Body Part of that Type. The content of this second attribute is that Parameters component.

Where a Parameters type is defined for an extended body part type, the sequence of values in the attribute generated from the Data components of body parts of a given extended body part type corresponds to the sequence of values in the attribute generated from the Parameters components of the same body parts. Thus the value created for the Data component of a body part occupies the same position in the first attribute as the value created for the Parameters component occupies in the second attribute.

An MS that supports one of these body parts shall maintain the first attribute, and if defined, the second attribute for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VM whose Body contains one or more body parts of the type that corresponds to that attribute. It shall maintain one value of the first attribute and, if defined, the second for each body part.

The Externally Defined Body Part Type attribute determines the Externally Defined Body Part attributes for a particular VM.

NOTE – Some Externally Defined body part types are defined in ITU-T Rec. X.420 | ISO/IEC 10021-7. In principal the externally defined body part attributes cannot be enumerated because the corresponding types cannot be so enumerated.

18.6.5 Notification attributes

Some attributes are derived from a VN. These attributes are defined and described below.

18.6.5.1 Common fields

Some attributes bear the names of Common fields and have those fields as their values. See 9.1 for semantics.

subject-vm ATTRIBUTE

WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SubjectVMField

MATCHES FOR EQUALITY

SINGLE VALUE

::= id-nat-subject-vm

vn-originator-text ATTRIBUTE

WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX COMPONENTS OF ORDescriptor -- subcomponent of VNOriginatorField

MATCHES FOR EQUALITY

SINGLE VALUE

::= id-nat-vn-originator

vn-originator-spoken-name ATTRIBUTE

WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX OriginatorSpokenName

SINGLE VALUE

::= id-nat-vn-originator

vn-initiator ATTRIBUTE

WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNInitiatorField

MATCHES FOR EQUALITY

SINGLE VALUE

::= id-nat-vn-initiator

first-recipient ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX FirstRecipientField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-first-recipient

notification-creation-time ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX NoticeCreationTimeField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY ORDERING
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-notification-creation-time

notification-security-elements ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SecurityElementsField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-notification-security-elements

conversion-indication ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ConversionEITsField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-conversion-indication

orig-vm-spoken-subject ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMSpokenSubjectField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-orig-vm-spoken-subject

subject-vm-other-recipients ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX RecipientField
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-nat-subject-vm-other-recipients

vn-supplementary-info ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNSupplementaryInfo
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-vn-supplementary-info

vn-voice-encoding-type ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNVoiceEncodingType
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-vn-voice-encoding-type

Some attributes bear the names of notification fields and have sub-fields of the Common fields of a notification as their values.

notification-extensions ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX NotificationExtensionsSubField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-nat-notification-extensions

An MS that supports one of these attributes shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is a VN that contains the field or sub-field whose name the attribute bears.

18.6.5.2 Receipt Notification fields

Some attributes bear the names of RN VN fields and have those fields as their values. Some attributes bear the names of notification fields and have sub-fields of the RN fields of a notification as their values. Other than the VN common attributes and rn-extensions field, no other attributes are defined for VM. See 9.2 for semantics.

rn-extensions ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX RNExtensionsSubField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-nat-rn-extensions

NOTE – No RN extensions are defined in this version of this Recommendation.

An MS that supports one of these attributes shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is an RN that contains the field whose name the attribute bears. It shall maintain one attribute value for each field or sub-field.

18.6.5.3 Service Notification fields

Some attributes bear the names of SN VN fields and have those fields as their values. Some attributes bear the names of notification fields and have sub-fields of the SN fields of a notification as their values. See 9.3 for semantics.

sn-reason-code ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SNReasonCode
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-sn-ua-ms-basic-reason-code

SN extensions are defined as follows:

sn-extensions ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SNExtensionsSubField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-nat-sn-extensions

NOTE – No SN extensions are defined in this version of this Recommendation.

An MS that supports one of these attributes shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is an SN that contains the field whose name the attribute bears. It shall maintain one attribute value for each field or sub-field.

18.6.5.4 Non-Receipt Notification fields

Some attributes bear the names of NRN VN fields and have those fields as their values. Some attributes bear the names of notification fields and have sub-fields of the NRN fields of a notification as their values. See 9.4 for semantics.

nrn-ua-ms-reason-code ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNRNUAMSReasonCodeField
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-nrn-ua-ms-reason-basic-code

nrn-user-reason-code ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNRNUserReasonCodeField
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-nrn-user-reason-basic-code

nrn-tsau-reason-code ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNRNTSAUReasonCodeField
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-nrn-tsau-reason-code

NRN extensions are defined as follows:

nrn-extensions ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX NRNExtensionsSubField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-nat-nrn-extensions

NOTE – No NRN extensions are defined in this version of this Recommendation.

An MS that supports one of these attributes shall maintain it for an information object that it holds if, and only if, that object is a message whose content is an NRN that contains the field whose name the attribute bears. It shall maintain one attribute value for each field or sub-field.

18.7 Procedures for Voice Messaging MS

The procedures for a general MS are specified in clauses 14 and 15 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5. This reference gives complementary information for MS systems that also explicitly support VMG.

18.7.1 Additional procedures for message delivery

How the MS consumes the MTS abstract service is described in clause 14 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5. The following text describes additional information about the procedures needed for Voice messaging.

Addition to 14.1.1 item 2 a of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5:

- If auto forwarding criteria are registered by the Register-MS abstract operation, the new entry shall be matched against the criteria specified. The matching shall always start with any registrations against the "vm-forward-with-NRN" and "forwarding-without-notifications" auto actions. If this results in forwarding being performed, no further forwarding with-NRN shall be performed by the same MS. Further, registered criteria against "vm-forward-with-

RN" shall be examined, possibly resulting in one or several forwardings being performed. Requested notifications shall be returned for each forwarding that is performed. If a forwarding does not succeed, e.g., through a non-delivery, a NRN notification may be returned to the originator. When a VN is submitted, a value reflecting the type of VN shall be added to the "vm-notification-indicator" attribute.

19 Message contents

As has already been seen, various secondary objects (e.g., UAs) have occasion to convey the VMG Information Objects of clause 6 as the contents of messages. What follows specifies precisely how they shall do this.

The rules governing the transmittal of such messages and probes, and the semantics and abstract and transfer syntaxes of their contents, constitute Voice Messaging.

19.1 Content

A secondary object that submits a message containing a VM or VN shall supply, as the octets of the Octet String that constitutes the content of the message, the result of encoding the Information Object of clause 6 in accordance with the Basic Encoding Rules of CCITT Rec. X.209 and ISO/IEC 8825.

19.2 Content type

A secondary object that submits a message containing a VM or VN shall assign the integer "40" to the Content Type. The object identifier *id-mct-pvm* defined in Annex A is provided for use with a VMGS-MS. The integer "40" shall be used if the MTA conforms to ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4.

A secondary object that receives a message containing a VM or VN shall accept the integer "40" as the P1 Content Type.

NOTE – Future versions of this Recommendation may require support for the object identifier *id-mct-pvm* identifying the Content Type.

19.3 Content length

A secondary object, submitting a message containing a VM or VN, shall specify as the length of the message's content the size in octets of the encoding of the instance in question of the Information Object of clause 6 (a choice of a VM or a VN) when the Basic Encoding Rules of CCITT Rec. X.209 and ISO/IEC 8825 are followed. If those rules permit several (e.g., both primitive and constructed) encodings of that Information Object, the content length may reflect any one of them.

19.4 Encoded information types

A secondary object that submits a message containing a VM or VN shall specify the Encoded Information Types (EIT) of the message as follows.

In the case of a VN, the basic EITs shall be unspecified.

In the case of a VM, the EITs shall be the logical union of the EITs of the VM's body parts specified in accordance with the following rules:

- a) Voice Body Part: The EIT (if any) of the Voice Body Part shall have the same values as the Heading field Voice Body Part Type.
- b) VM Body Part (Forwarded Message): The EITs (if any) of a VM Body Part shall be those of the forwarded message.
- c) Additional body parts: The EIT of additional body parts (if any) shall be the logical union of the individual body parts EITs.

An Externally Defined body part whose extended type corresponds to a basic type shall be indicated using the built-in EIT.

The Voice Body Part Type may be indicated in the external EITs.

A secondary object that submits a message containing a VM or VN to an MTA that conforms to ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4 in its 1988 version shall use the object identifier *id-mct-pvm* (see Annex A) for all "original-encoded-information-types".

20 Port realization

The manner in which an MS or the MTS concretely realizes the secondary ports it supplies is specified in ITU-T Rec. X.419 | ISO/IEC 10021-6.

The manner in which a UA, MS, or AU concretely realizes the primary ports it supplies is beyond the scope of this Recommendation.

21 Conformance

The requirements that a secondary object (excluding the MTS) and its implementor shall meet when the latter claims the former's conformance to this Recommendation are identified below. A number of the conformance requirements distinguishes between support upon origination and support upon reception.

21.1 Origination versus reception

A UA or AU shall be said to support upon origination a particular Heading field, Heading extension, VM Body Part type or Externally Defined Body Part type if, and only if, the UA or AU accepts, preserves, and emits, in full accord with this Recommendation, that particular Heading field, Heading extension, VM Body type or Externally Defined Body Part type, whenever a user calls upon the UA or AU to convey a VM or VN containing them to the MTS or the user's MS (the latter only in the case of a UA).

A UA or AU shall be said to support upon reception a particular Heading field, Heading extension, VM Body Part type or Externally Defined Body Part type if, and only if, the UA or AU accepts, preserves, and emits, in full accord with this Recommendation, that particular Heading field, Heading extension, VM Body Part type or Externally Defined Body Part type, whenever the MTS or a user's MS (the latter only in the case of a UA) calls upon the UA or AU to convey to the user a VM or VN containing them.

21.2 Requirements of a VMG conformance statement

The implementor of a VM application entity (UA, MS or AU) shall separately state the following for both origination and reception. This may be done by including a completed VM PICS in accordance with the VM PICS-proforma contained in Recommendation X.485.

- a) The Heading fields for which it claims conformance.
- b) The body part types for which it claims conformance.
- c) In the case of an MS or a UA with MS, the Voice Messaging-specific MS attributes for which it claims conformance.
- d) In the case of an MS or a UA with MS, whether it supports the Voice messaging-specific auto actions.

21.2.1 Static requirements

A UA, MS or AU shall satisfy the following static requirements:

- a) A UA, MS or AU shall implement the Heading fields and the body part types for which conformance is claimed.
- b) An MS or UA with MS shall support the Voice messaging-specific MS attribute-types for which conformance is claimed, but including as a minimum those designated mandatory in 18.6. In addition, it shall support the mandatory attributes identified in Table 1 of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.
- c) A UA, MS or AU shall concretely realize its abstract ports as specified in clause 20.
- d) A UA or MS shall be able to both submit and receive messages of the content types of 19.2. An AU shall be able to both import and export such messages.
- e) An MS, or UA accessing an MS, shall conform to at least one of the MS Access protocols specified in ITU-T Rec. X.419 | ISO/IEC 10021-6.

21.2.2 Dynamic requirements

A VM application entity (UA, MS or AU) shall satisfy the following dynamic requirements:

- a) A UA or MS shall follow the rules of operation specified in 15.1 or clause 18, respectively.
- b) A UA, MS or AU shall submit and receive messages whose contents are as specified in clause 19.
- c) A UA, MS or AU shall register with the MTS its ability to accept delivery of messages of both of the VMG content type of 19.2 and EITs as specified in 19.4.

Annex A

VM Object Identifiers – Reference definition

This annex defines for reference purposes various Object Identifiers cited in the ASN.1 modules of subsequent annexes. It uses ASN.1.

All Object Identifiers which this Recommendation assigns are assigned in this annex. The annex is definitive for all but those for ASN.1 modules, the object VMG application (VMGE) itself and the VMGS' use of Directories. The definitive assignments for the former occur in the modules themselves; other references to them appear in IMPORT statements. For the VMGS' use of Directories object identifiers, this annex only defines a base object identifier.

```
VMGSObjectIdentifiers { joint-iso-itu-t
    mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) object-identifiers(0) }
DEFINITIONS IMPLICIT TAGS ::=
BEGIN
```

-- Prologue

-- Exports everything

IMPORTS -- nothing --;

```
    ID ::= OBJECT IDENTIFIER
```

-- VM Messaging (definitive)

```
    id-vmgs ID ::= { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) } -- This is definitive
```

-- Categories

```
    id-mod          ID ::= {id-vmgs 0} -- vm auto-action indentifier types
    id-act          ID ::= {id-vmgs 1} -- vm auto-action indentifier types
    id-bat          ID ::= {id-vmgs 2} -- body attributes
    id-bp          ID ::= {id-vmgs 3} -- vm body part types
    id-dir          ID ::= {id-vmgs 4} -- vm use of directories
    id-for          ID ::= {id-vmgs 5} -- vm action indicator types
    id-hat          ID ::= {id-vmgs 6} -- heading attributes
    id-ipe          ID ::= {id-vmgs 7} -- ipm's vm extensions
    id-mct          ID ::= {id-vmgs 8} -- message content types
    id-mod          ID ::= {id-vmgs 9} -- modules
    id-nat          ID ::= {id-vmgs 10} -- notification attributes
    id-nt          ID ::= {id-vmgs 11} -- vm notification types
    id-ot          ID ::= {id-vmgs 12} -- object types
    id-pt          ID ::= {id-vmgs 13} -- port types
    id-rat          ID ::= {id-vmgs 14} -- recipient attributes
    id-ref          ID ::= {id-vmgs 15} -- refinements
    id-sat          ID ::= {id-vmgs 16} -- summary attributes
    id-syn          ID ::= {id-vmgs 17} -- vm synopsis type
    id-vmg          ID ::= {id-vmgs 18} -- reserved
```

-- Modules

```
    id-mod-object-identifiers ID ::= {id-mod 0}
    id-mod-functional-objects ID ::= {id-mod 1}
    id-mod-information-objects ID ::= {id-mod 2}
    id-mod-abstract-service ID ::= {id-mod 3}
    id-mod-message-store-attributes ID ::= {id-mod 4}
    id-mod-upper-bounds ID ::= {id-mod 5}
    id-mod-vmg-directory-cl-att ID ::= {id-mod 6}
    id-mod-message-store-auto-actions ID ::= {id-mod 7}
```

-- Object types

```
    id-ot-vmge ID ::= {id-ot 0}
    id-ot-vmgs-user ID ::= {id-ot 1}
    id-ot-vmgs ID ::= {id-ot 2}
    id-ot-vmg-ua ID ::= {id-ot 3}
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id-ot-vmg-ms	ID ::= {id-ot 4}
id-ot-tsau	ID ::= {id-ot 5}
<i>-- Port types</i>	
id-pt-origination	ID ::= {id-pt 0}
id-pt-reception	ID ::= {id-pt 1}
id-pt-management	ID ::= {id-pt 2}
<i>-- Refinements</i>	
id-ref-primary	ID ::= {id-ref 0}
id-ref-secondary	ID ::= {id-ref 1}
<i>-- VM-Notification Types (for use in P1 notification extension field)</i>	
id-nt-vmg-rn	ID ::= {id-nt 0}
id-nt-vmg-sn	ID ::= {id-nt 1}
id-nt-vmg-nrn	ID ::= {id-nt 2}
<i>-- Message content type</i>	
id-mct-pvm	ID ::= {id-mct 0} -- Pvm
<i>-- VM Body Part type (and P1 EIT)</i>	
id-bp-g721-32k-adpcm	ID ::= {id-bp 0} -- Recommendation G.726 32 kbit/s ADPCM -- encoding
id-bp-private-octet	ID ::= {id-bp 1}
id-bp-undefined-octet	ID ::= {id-bp 2}
id-bp-g728-16k-ld-celp	ID ::= {id-bp 3} -- Recommendation G.728 16 kbit/s LD-CELP -- encoding
<i>-- VMGS Specific Register Auto Actions</i>	
id-act-vmg-auto-forward	ID ::= {id-act 0}
id-act-vn-sn-auto-action	ID ::= {id-act 1}
<i>-- VM Synopsis (MS)</i>	
id-syn-removed	ID ::= {id-syn 0}
id-syn-place-holder	ID ::= {id-syn 1}
<i>-- MESSAGE STORE ATTRIBUTES</i>	
<i>-- Summary attributes</i>	
id-sat-vmg-entry-type	ID ::= {id-sat 0}
id-sat-vm-synopsis	ID ::= {id-sat 1}
id-sat-vm-notification-indicator	ID ::= {id-sat 2}
<i>-- Heading attributes</i>	
id-hat-heading	ID ::= {id-hat 0}
id-hat-this-vm	ID ::= {id-hat 1}
id-hat-originator	ID ::= {id-hat 2}
id-hat-vm-originator-spoken-name	ID ::= {id-hat 3}
id-hat-vm-this-recipient-spoken-name	ID ::= {id-hat 4}
id-hat-vm-creation-time	ID ::= {id-hat 5}
id-hat-obsolete-vm	ID ::= {id-hat 6}
id-hat-vm-spoken-subject	ID ::= {id-hat 7}
id-hat-expiry-time	ID ::= {id-hat 8}
id-hat-importance	ID ::= {id-hat 9}
id-hat-sensitivity-field	ID ::= {id-hat 10}
id-hat-vm-forwarded-indication	ID ::= {id-hat 11}
id-hat-language	ID ::= {id-hat 12}
id-hat-vm-forwarding-permitted	ID ::= {id-hat 13}
id-hat-voice-encoding-type	ID ::= {id-hat 14}
id-hat-vm-creation-time	ID ::= {id-hat 15}
id-hat-vm-encrypted-primary	ID ::= {id-hat 16}
id-hat-vmgs-user-security	ID ::= {id-hat 17}
id-hat-vmgs-user-security-extensions	ID ::= {id-hat 18}
id-hat-vn-receiver	ID ::= {id-hat 19}

id-hat-heading-extensions	ID ::= {id-hat 20}	
<i>-- Per Recipient attributes</i>		
id-rat-this-recipient		ID ::= {id-rat 0}
id-rat-vm-notification-extension-requests-for-this-recipient		ID ::= {id-rat 1}
id-rat-vm-notification-requests-for-this-recipient		ID ::= {id-rat 2}
id-rat-vm-notification-security-requests-for-this-recipient		ID ::= {id-rat 3}
id-rat-vm-reception-security-requests-for-this-recipient		ID ::= {id-rat 4}
id-rat-recipient-extensions-for-this-recipient		ID ::= {id-rat 5}
<i>-- Body attributes</i>		
id-bat-body	ID ::= {id-bat 0}	
<i>-- Originator's subject-VM Bodypart</i>		
id-bat-voice-message-duration	ID ::= {id-bat 1}	
id-bat-voice-message-other-parms	ID ::= {id-bat 2}	
id-bat-v-body-message-length	ID ::= {id-bat 3}	
id-bat-v-body-part	ID ::= {id-bat 4}	
<i>-- Forwarded VM Bodypart or Additional Bodyparts</i>		
id-bat-vm-bodypart-sequence-number	ID ::= {id-bat 5}	
id-bat-message-parameters	ID ::= {id-bat 6}	
id-bat-message-data	ID ::= {id-bat 7}	
id-bat-externally-defined-body-part-types	ID ::= {id-bat 8}	
id-bat-ipm-parameters	ID ::= {id-bat 9}	
id-bat-ipm-data	ID ::= {id-bat 10}	
<i>-- Notification attributes</i>		
id-nat-subject-vm	ID ::= {id-nat 0}	
id-nat-vn-originator	ID ::= {id-nat 1}	
id-nat-subject-vm-other-recipients	ID ::= {id-nat 2}	
id-nat-first-recipient	ID ::= {id-nat 3}	
id-nat-notification-creation-time	ID ::= {id-nat 4}	
id-nat-notification-security-elements	ID ::= {id-nat 5}	
id-nat-notification-extensions	ID ::= {id-nat 6}	
id-nat-conversion-indication	ID ::= {id-nat 7}	
id-nat-vn-initiator	ID ::= {id-nat 8}	
id-nat-orig-vmg-spoken-subject	ID ::= {id-nat 9}	
id-nat-vn-originator-spoken-name	ID ::= {id-nat 10}	
id-nat-vn-originator-text	ID ::= {id-nat 11}	
id-nat-vn-voice-encoding-type	ID ::= {id-nat 12}	
id-nat-vn-supplementary-information	ID ::= {id-nat 13}	
<i>-- RN attributes</i>		
id-nat-rn-extensions	ID ::= {id-nat 14}	
<i>-- SN attributes</i>		
id-nat-sn-extensions	ID ::= {id-nat 15}	
id-nat-sn-ua-ms-basic-reason-code	ID ::= {id-nat 16}	
<i>-- NRN attributes</i>		
id-nat-nrn-extensions	ID ::= {id-nat 17}	
id-nat-nrn-tsau-reason-code	ID ::= {id-nat 18}	
id-nat-nrn-ua-ms-reason-basic-code	ID ::= {id-nat 19}	
id-nat-nrn-user-reason-basic-code	ID ::= {id-nat 20}	
<i>-- MESSAGE STORE ATTRIBUTES – END</i>		
END -- of VMGSObjectIdentifiers		

Annex B

VM Abstract Information Objects – Reference definition

This annex defines for reference purposes the abstract information objects of Voice Messaging. It defines a Body Part for VMGS that includes a body part reference number while importing the IPM externally defined MACRO for specifying non-VM body parts. It also defines a VM-EXTENSION macro.

```
VMGSInformationObjects { joint-iso-itu-t
  mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) information-objects(2) }

DEFINITIONS IMPLICIT TAGS ::=
BEGIN

-- Prologue

-- Exports everything

IMPORTS

-- VMGS Upper bounds

  ub-vmg-local-reference, ub-vn-reason-code, ub-vmgs-spoken-name,
  ub-vmg-spoken-subject, ub-vmgs-user-security-elements, ub-vmg-spoken-
  supplemental-info
  ----
  FROM VMGSUpperBounds { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) upper-
  bounds(5) }

-- VMGS Object Identifiers

  id-vmg-g721-32k-adpcm
  ----
  FROM VMGSObjectIdentifiers { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) object-
  identifiers(0) }

-- MTS Upper Bounds

  ub-bit-options, ub-integer-options, ub-recipients, ub-supplementary-info-length
  ----
  FROM MTSUpperBounds { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) mts(3) modules(0) upper-bounds(3) }

-- MTS Abstract Service

  Content, ContentIntegrityCheck, MessageDeliveryTime, ORAddress, ORName,
  OtherMessageDeliveryFields
  ----
  FROM MTSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) mts(3) modules(0) mts-abstract
  service(1) }

-- IPM Abstract Service

  EXTENDED-BODY-PART-TYPE, ExternallyDefinedBodyPart, Sensitivity,
  ImportanceField, ORDDescriptor, ConversionEITsField
  ----
  FROM IPMSInformationObjects { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) ipms(1) modules(0)
  information-objects(2) }

-- IPM Heading Extensions

  Language
  ----
  FROM IPMSHeadingExtensions { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) ipms(1) modules(0) heading-
  extensions(6) };

-- END Imports

-- ABSTRACT INFORMATION OBJECTS

-- Overview

  InformationObject ::= CHOICE {
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    vm
    vn
    [0] VM,
    [1] VN }

-- Common data types

-- Extensions

    ExtensionField ::= SEQUENCE {
        type
        criticality
        value
    [0] VM-EXTENSION,
    [1] Criticality DEFAULT FALSE,
    [2] ANY DEFINED BY type DEFAULT NULL:NULL }

    Criticality ::= BOOLEAN

-- VMGS Extension MACRO

    VM-EXTENSION MACRO ::=
    BEGIN

        TYPE NOTATION
        VALUE NOTATION
        ::= DataType Critical | empty
        ::= value(VALUE OBJECT IDENTIFIER)

        DataType
        Default
        Critical
        ::= type (X) Default
        ::= "DEFAULT" value (X) | empty
        ::= "CRITICAL" | empty

    END -- of extension

-- VM Messages

    VM ::= SEQUENCE {
        heading
        body
    Heading,
    Body }

-- Heading Field Component Types

-- VM Identifier

    VMIdentifier ::= SET {
        user
        user-relative-reference
    [0] ORName,
    [1] LocalReference }

-- Local Reference

    LocalReference ::= PrintableString (SIZE (0..ub-vmg-local-reference))

-- Originator

    VMOriginatorField ::= SET {
        COMPONENTS OF ORDescriptor, -- from IPM
        originator-spoken-name
    [3] SpokenName OPTIONAL }

-- Spoken Name

    SpokenName ::= OCTET STRING
    -- Encoding is defined by voice-encoding-type
    -- or vn-voice-encoding-type.
    -- Maximum 10 seconds.
    -- NOTE – The value is padded to end on an octet boundary

-- Recipient

    RecipientField ::= SEQUENCE {
        recipient-name
        spoken-name
    COMPONENTS OF ORDescriptor, -- from IPM
    [2] SpokenName OPTIONAL }

-- Heading Fields

    Heading ::= SEQUENCE {
        this-VM
        originator
        recipients
        obsoleted-vm
        vm-subject
        expiry-time
    ThisVMField,
    [0] VMOriginatorField OPTIONAL,
    [1] RecipientsField OPTIONAL,
    [2] ObsoletedVMField OPTIONAL,
    [3] VMSpokenSubjectField OPTIONAL,
    [4] ExpiryTimeField OPTIONAL,

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importance	[5] ImportanceField DEFAULT {normal}, -- from IPM
sensitivity	[6] SensitivityField OPTIONAL, -- from IPM
message-forwarded	[7] MessageForwarded DEFAULT FALSE,
vm-forwarding-permitted	[8] MessageForwardingPermitted DEFAULT TRUE,
language	[9] LanguageField OPTIONAL,
voice-encoding-type	[10] VoiceEncodingType DEFAULT { id-vmg-g721-32k-adpcm },
vm-creation-time	[11] VMCreationTime OPTIONAL,
vn-receiver-field	[12] VNReceiverField OPTIONAL,
vmgs-user-security-elements	[13] VMGSUserSecurityElementsField OPTIONAL,
heading-extensions	[14] HeadingExtensionsField OPTIONAL }

-- This VM field

ThisVMField ::= VMIdentifier

-- Recipients

RecipientsField ::= SET OF RecipientsSubField (SIZE (1..ub-recipients))

RecipientsSubField ::= SEQUENCE {

recipient	[0] RecipientField,
vn-requests-field	[1] VNotificationRequestsField,
attendant-assisted-delivery-request	[2] AttendantAssistedDeliveryRequest DEFAULT { }, -- default NONE
recipient-extensions	[3] RecipientExtensionsField OPTIONAL }

-- VMGS Notification Requests

VNotificationRequestsField ::= SEQUENCE {

vm-notification-requests	[0] VNotificationRequests DEFAULT { }, -- default NONE
vm-notification-security-requests	[1] VNotificationSecurity DEFAULT { }, -- default NONE
vm-reception-security-requests	[2] VMReceptionSecurity DEFAULT { }, -- default NONE
vm-notification-extension-requests	[3] VMNotificationExtensions DEFAULT { } } -- default NONE

VNotificationRequests ::= BIT STRING {

receipt-notice	(0),
service-notice	(1),
non-receipt-notice	(2) } (SIZE (0..ub-bit-options))

VNotificationSecurity ::= BIT STRING {

proof (0),	
non-repudiation (1) } (SIZE (0..ub-bit-options))	-- NOTE – These requests are for further study per -- CCITT Rec. F.440.

VMReceptionSecurity ::= BIT STRING {

proof (0),	
non-repudiation (1) } (SIZE (0..ub-bit-options))	-- NOTE – These requests are for further study per -- CCITT Rec. F.440.

VMNotificationExtensions ::= SET OF VMNotificationExtensionsSubField

VMNotificationExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

-- Attendant Assisted Delivery Request Indication

AttendantAssistedDeliveryRequest ::= INTEGER {

person-to-person (0),	
anyone (1) }	

-- Recipient Extensions

RecipientExtensionsField ::= SET OF RecipientExtensionsSubField

RecipientExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

-- Auto Forwarded indication

MessageForwarded ::= BOOLEAN -- Default False

-- Voice Encoding Types – identifies "Voice" Standard used to encode a VM data type that carries
-- voice encoded information.

VoiceEncodingType ::= OBJECT IDENTIFIER -- Default CCITT's G.726 32 kbit/s ADPCM

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-- Message Forwarding Permitted
    MessageForwardingPermitted ::= BOOLEAN -- Default TRUE, forwarding is permitted

-- Expiry time
    ExpiryTimeField ::= UTCTime

-- Obsoleted VM
    ObsoletedVMField ::= SEQUENCE OF ObsoletedVMSubfield
    ObsoletedVMSubfield ::= VMIdentifier

-- VMG User Security Elements
    VMGSUserSecurityElementsField ::= SEQUENCE {
        vmgs-user-security-element [0] VMGSUserSecurityElement OPTIONAL,
        vm-encrypted-primary-bodypart [1] BOOLEAN OPTIONAL,
        vmgs-user-security-extensions [2] VMGSUserSecurityExtensions OPTIONAL }
    VMGSUserSecurityElement ::= BIT STRING (SIZE (0..ub-vmgs-user-security-elements))
    VMGSUserSecurityExtensions ::= SEQUENCE OF VMGSUserSecurityExtension
    VMGSUserSecurityExtension ::= ExtensionField

-- VM Spoken Subject Field
    SpokenSubject ::= OCTET STRING
        -- Encoding is defined by voice-encoding-type;
        -- Maximum 20 seconds.
        -- NOTE – The value is padded to end on an octet boundary.

-- Spoken Language Identifier
    LanguageField ::= SEQUENCE OF Language -- from IPM

-- VM Creation Date/Time
    VMCreationTime ::= UTCTime

-- VN Receiver Field
    VNReceiverField ::= SEQUENCE {
        vn-receiver-name [0] ORName,
        original-vmg-identifier [1] VMIdentifier OPTIONAL,
        first-recipient [2] FirstRecipientField OPTIONAL }

-- Heading Extensions
    HeadingExtensionsField ::= SET OF HeadingExtensionsSubField
    HeadingExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

-- VM body
    Body ::= SEQUENCE {
        primary-body-part PrimaryBodyPart,
        additional-body-parts AdditionalBodyParts OPTIONAL }
    PrimaryBodyPart ::= CHOICE {
        vm-body-part [0] VBodyPart,
        forwarded-VM [1] VMBodyPart }
    AdditionalBodyParts ::= SEQUENCE OF VM-ExternallyDefinedBodyPart

-- VM body part
    VBodyPart ::= SEQUENCE {
        voice-parameters [0] VoiceParameters OPTIONAL,
        voice-data [1] VoiceData }
    VoiceParameters ::= SEQUENCE {
        voice-message-duration [0] VMDuration OPTIONAL,
        voice-encoding-type [1] VoiceEncodingType OPTIONAL, -- for use in IPM
        other-parameters [2] VMSupplementaryInformation OPTIONAL,

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extension-parameters [3] VBPPParameterExtensions OPTIONAL }

VMDuration ::= INTEGER, -- size indicated in seconds

VBPPParameterExtensionsField ::= SET OF VBPEExtensionsSubField

VBPEExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

VoiceData ::= OCTET STRING -- defined by VoiceEncodingType

-- NOTE – The value is padded to end on an octet boundary.

-- Forwarded VM body part

VMBodyPart ::= SEQUENCE {
 parameters [0] MessageParameters OPTIONAL,
 data [1] MessageData }

MessageParameters ::= SET {
 delivery-time [0] MessageDeliveryTime OPTIONAL,
 delivery-envelope [1] OtherMessageDeliveryFields OPTIONAL,
 -- *delivery-time* and *delivery-envelope* shall both be present or both shall be absent.
 other-parameters [2] VMSupplementaryInformation OPTIONAL }

MessageData ::= VM

-- VM Externally Defined Body Parts

VM-ExternallyDefinedBodyPart ::= ExternallyDefinedBodyPart -- from IPMS --

-- Supplementary Info

VMSupplementaryInformation ::= IA5String (SIZE (1..ub-supplementary-info-length))

-- VM Notifications (VNs)

VN ::= CHOICE {
 receipt-notification [0] ReceiptNotificationFields, -- Referred to as RN
 service-notification [1] ServiceNotificationFields, -- Referred to as SN
 non-receipt-notification [2] NonReceiptNotificationFields -- Referred to as NRN -- }

-- Common fields

CommonFields ::= SET {
 subject-vm SubjectVMField,
 vn-originator [1] VNOriginatorField,
 first-recipient [2] FirstRecipientField OPTIONAL,
 notice-creation-time [3] NoticeCreationTimeField,
 vn-voice-encoding-type [4] VNVoiceEncodingType,
 conversion-indication [5] ConversionEITsField OPTIONAL,
 notification-security-elements [6] SecurityElementsField OPTIONAL,
 orig-vm-spoken-subject [7] VMSpokenSubjectField OPTIONAL,
 subject-vm-other-recipients [8] RecipientField OPTIONAL,
 vn-supplementary-info [9] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL,
 notifications-extensions [10] NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }

-- Subject VM Identifier

SubjectVMField ::= VMIdentifier

-- VM Notification Originator

VNOriginatorField ::= SEQUENCE {
 originator-name [0] VMOriginatorField,
 vn-initiator [1] VNInitiatorField OPTIONAL }

-- First Recipient

FirstRecipientField ::= ORName

-- Notification Time

NoticeCreationTimeField ::= UTCTime

-- VN Initiator

VNInitiatorField ::= ENUMERATED {

internal-ua (0),
external-ua (1),
internal-ms (2),
internal-tsau (3) }

-- Subject VM Other Recipients

SubjectVMOtherRecipients ::= SEQUENCE OF RecipientField

-- Voice Notification Supplementary Information

VNSupplementaryInfo ::= SEQUENCE {
 supplementary-info [0] **VMSupplementaryInformation OPTIONAL,**
 v-supplementary-info [1] **SpokenSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL }**

SpokenSupplementaryInfo ::= OCTET STRING

-- Encoding is defined by vn-voice-encoding-type;
-- Maximum 20 seconds.

-- NOTE – The value is padded to end on an octet boundary.

-- Security Elements

SecurityElementsField ::= SEQUENCE {
 original-content [0] **Content OPTIONAL, -- from PI**
 original-content-integrity-check [1] **ContentIntegrityCheck OPTIONAL, -- from PI**
 vmgs-user-security-elements [2] **VMGSUserSecurityElementsField OPTIONAL,**
 security-extensions [3] **SecurityExtensionsField OPTIONAL }**

SecurityExtensionsField ::= SET OF SecurityExtensionsSubField

SecurityExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

-- Voice Encoding of Spoken information in this VN

VNVoiceEncodingType ::= VoiceEncodingType

-- Notification Extensions

NotificationExtensionsField ::= SET OF NotificationExtensionsSubField

NotificationExtensionsSubField ::= ExtensionField

-- Receipt Notification fields

ReceiptNotificationFields ::= SEQUENCE {
 rn-common-fields [0] **CommonFields,**
 rn-extensions [1] **NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }**

-- Service notification fields

ServiceNotificationFields ::= SEQUENCE {
 sn-common-fields [0] **CommonFields,**
 sn-reason-code-field [1] **SNReasonCode,**
 sn-extensions [2] **NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }**

-- Service Notification Reason Codes from a UA or MS or TSAU

SNReasonCode ::= SEQUENCE {
 sn-reason [0] **SNReasonField,**
 sn-diagnostic [1] **SNDiagnosticField OPTIONAL }**

-- Service Notification Basic Reason Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS or VMGS-TSAU. These codes
-- are those specified in Annex B/F.440 for the Element of Service "VM Notification
-- Request".

SNReasonField ::= BIT STRING {
 unspecified (0),
 auto-forwarding-ind (1),
 language-ind (2),
 obsoleting-ind (3),
 attendant-assisted-delivery-request (4),
 expiry-date-ind (5),
 body-part-encryption-ind (6) } (SIZE (1..ub-sn-reasons))

-- Service Notification Diagnostic Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS

SNDiagnosticField ::= INTEGER {
-- This field may be used to further specify the error signalled in sn-ua-ms-basic-code. Additional
-- information may be indicated in sn-supplementary-information.

-- General diagnostic codes

language-national-usage-problem (1),
-- used if the national usage of the language included is incompatible
vm-language-not-understood (2),
-- language not understood by this recipient
vm-unsupported-voice-encoding (3),
-- recipient does not support the VM's encoding

-- security error diagnostic codes
local-security-not-supported (4)
} (1..ub-vn-reason-code)

-- Non-Receipt Notification Fields

NonReceiptNotificationFields ::= SEQUENCE {
nrn-common-fields [0] CommonFields,
nrn-reason-codes [1] VNRNReasonCodeField,
nrn-extensions [2] NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }

VNRNReasonCodeField ::= CHOICE {
nrn-ua-ms-reason-code [0] VNRNUAMSReasonCodeField,
nrn-user-reason-code [1] VNRNUserReasonCodeField,
nrn-tsau-reason-code [2] VNRNTSAUReasonCodeField }

-- NRN Reason Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS

VNRNUAMSReasonCodeField ::= SEQUENCE {
nrn-ua-ms-basic-codes [0] VNRNUAMSBasicCodeField,
nrn-ua-ms-diagnostics [1] VNRNUAMSDiagnosticField OPTIONAL }

-- VN NRN Basic Reason Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS

VNRNUAMSBasicCodeField ::= INTEGER {
unspecified (0),
auto-forwarded (1),
can-not-pass-to-mhs-user (2),
delivery-timeout (3),
message-discarded (4),
subscription-terminated (5),
forwarding-error (6),
security-error (7),
message-forwarded (8),
voice-encoding-not-supported (9)
} (0..ub-vn-reason-code)

-- NRN Diagnostic Codes from a VMGS-UA or VMGS-MS or TSAU.

VNRNUAMSDiagnosticField ::= INTEGER {
-- This field may be used to further specify the error signalled in the field "nrn-ua-ms-basic-codes".
-- Additional information may be indicated in the "vn-supplementary-info" field.
protocol-violation (0) -- this is a place holder
} (0..ub-vn-reason-code)

-- NRN Reason Codes from a VMGS-User

VNRNUserReasonCodeField ::= SEQUENCE {
vn-user-basic-codes [0] VNRNUserBasicCodeField,
vn-user-diagnostics [1] VNRNUserDiagnosticField OPTIONAL }

-- VN NRN Basic Reason Codes from a VMGS-User.

VNRNUserBasicCodeField ::= INTEGER {
unspecified (0),
user-defined-reason (1) -- this is a place holder
} (0..ub-vn-reason-code)

-- VN NRN Basic Reason Codes from a VMGS-User.

VNRNUserDiagnosticField ::= INTEGER

*-- Contains the reason passed by the user when the value of "nrn-user-basic-code" is "user-defined-
-- reason". Additional information may be indicated in the "vn-supplementary-info" field. The values used
-- in this field are outside the scope of this Recommendation.*

-- NRN Reason Codes from a TSAU-User

VNRNTSAUReasonCodeField ::= SEQUENCE {
 nrn-user-basic-codes [0] **VNRNTSAUBasicCodeField,**
 nrn-user-diagnostics [1] **VNRNTSAUDiagnosticField OPTIONAL }**

VNRNTSAUReasonBasicCodeField ::= INTEGER {
 attendant-assisted-delivery-failure (0),
 unknown-telephone-number (1),
 attendant-assisted-delivery-not-provided (2),
 delivery-timeout (3),
 security-error (4),
 message-forwarded (5),
 unspecified (6),
 inappropriate-voice-encoding (7),
 telephone-number-unreachable (8),
 recipient-refused-message (9),
 no-answer-on-every-attempt (10),
 busy-on-every-attempt (11),
 no-answer-or-busy-on-every-attempt (12),
 sensitivity-not-supported (13),
 importance-not-supported (14),
 busy-on-every-attempt (15)
 -- TSAU providers may define additional values above (1000). }
}

VNRNTSAUDiagnosticField ::= INTEGER {
 person-to-person-spoken-name-not-provided (0),
 person-unavailable (1),
 number-not-in-service (2),
 message-expired (3),
 importance-not-conveyed (4)
 } (0..ub-vn-reason-code)

END *-- of VMGSInformationObjects*

Annex C

VM Message Store attributes – Reference definition

This annex defines for reference purposes the MS attributes specific to VMGS. It uses the ATTRIBUTE macro of UIT-T Rec. X.501 | ISO/IEC 9594-2.

```
VMGSMessageStoreAttributes { joint-iso-itu-t
    mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) message-store-attributes(4) }

DEFINITIONS IMPLICIT TAGS ::=
BEGIN

-- Prologue

-- Exports everything.

IMPORTS

-- VMGS Object Identifiers

id-bat-body, id-bat-externally-defined-body-part-types, id-bat-message-data,
id-bat-message-duration, id-bat-message-parameters, id-bat-message-other-params,
id-bat-body-message-length, id-bat-v-body-part, id-bat-vm-bodypart-sequence-number,
id-hat-vm-creation-time, id-hat-expiry-time, id-hat-heading,
id-hat-heading-extensions, id-hat-importance,
id-hat-language, id-hat-obsolete-vm, id-hat-originator,
id-hat-sensitivity-field, id-hat-this-VM, id-hat-forwarded-indication,
id-hat-forwarding-permitted, id-hat-vm-encrypted-primary-bodypart,
id-hat-vm-originator-spoken-name, id-hat-vm-spoken-subject,
id-hat-vm-this-recipient-spoken-name, id-hat-vmgs-security-elements,
id-hat-vmgs-user-security-extensions, id-hat-vn-receiver,
id-hat-voice-encoding-type, id-nat-conversion-indication,
id-nat-first-recipient, id-nat-notification-extensions,
id-nat-notification-security-elements, id-nat-notification-creation-time,
id-nat-nrn-extensions, id-nat-nrn-tsau-reason-code, id-nat-nrn-ua-ms-reason-basic-code,
id-nat-nrn-user-reason-basic-code, id-nat-orig-vm-spoken-name, id-nat-orig-vmg-spoken-subject,
id-nat-rn-extensions, id-nat-sn-extensions, id-nat-sn-reason-code,
id-nat-spoken-subject, id-nat-subject-vm, id-nat-subject-vmg-other-recipients,
id-nat-vn-initiator, id-nat-vn-originator-text,
id-nat-vn-originator-spoken-name, id-nat-vn-supplementary-info,
id-nat-vn-voice-encoding-type,
id-rat-message-forwarding-permitted, id-rat-recipient-extensions-for-this-recipient,
id-rat-this-recipient, id-rat-vm-notification-requests-for-this-recipient,
id-rat-vm-notification-extension-requests-for-this-recipient,
id-rat-vm-notification-security-requests-for-this-recipient,
id-rat-vm-reception-security-requests-for-this-recipient,
id-sat-vmg-entry-type, id-sat-vmg-synopsis

----
FROM VMGSObjectIdentifiers { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) object-identifiers(0)
}

-- MTS Upper Bounds

ub-bit-options, ub-integer-options, ub-supplementary-info-length
----
FROM MTSUpperBounds { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) mts(3) modules(0) upper-bounds(3)
}

-- MS Abstract Service

SequenceNumber
----
FROM MSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) ms(4) modules(0) abstract-
service(1) }

-- VMGS Information Objects

Body, BodyPartReference, DateAndTimeOfPreparationField, ExtensionField,
FirstRecipientField, Heading, HeadingExtensionsSubField, MessageData,
```

MessageForwarded, MessageForwardingPermitted, MessageParameters,
 NoticeCreationTimeField, NotificationExtensionsSubField, NRNExtensionsSubField,
 NRNReasonCodeField, ObsoletedVMSubfield, OriginatorSpokenName, ReceiptNotificationFields,
 Recipient, RecipientExtensionsSubField, RecipientSpokenName, RecipientsSubField,
 RNExtensionsSubField, SecurityElementsField, SecurityExtensionsSubField,
 SNEExtensionsSubField, SNReasonCodeField, SpokenSupplementaryInfo, SubjectVMField,
 ThisVMField, VMBodyPart, VMCreationTime, VMDuration, VMGSUserSecurityElements,
 VMGSUserSecurityExtensions, VMSpokenSubjectField, VMSupplementaryInformation,
 VMNotificationExtensionsSubField, VNInitiatorField, VNOriginatorSpokenName,
 VNotificationRequests,
 VNotificationSecurity, VNReceiverField, VNRNUAMSBasicCodeField,
 VNRNUAMSDiagnosticCodeField,
 VNRNUUserBasicCodeField, VNRNUUserDiagnosticField, VoiceEncodingType,
 VReceptionSecurity

FROM VMGSInformationObjects { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9)
 information-objects(2) }

-- IPMS Information Objects

ConversionEITsField, ExternallyDefinedParameters, ExpiryTimeField, ImportanceField,
 ORDescriptor, SensitivityField

FROM IPMSInformationObjects { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) ipms(1) modules(0)
 information-objects(2) }

-- IPM Heading Extensions

Language

FROM IPMSHeadingExtensions { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) ipms(1) modules(0) heading-
 extensions(6) }

-- Directory Information Framework

ATTRIBUTE

FROM InformationFramework { joint-iso-itu-t ds(5) modules(1) informationFramework(1)
 };

-- END imports

-- MESSAGE STORE ATTRIBUTES

-- Summary Attributes

-- VM Entry Type

vm-entry-type ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX EntryType
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-sat-vmg-entry-type

EntryType ::= ENUMERATED {
 voice-message (0),
 receipt-notification (1),
 non-receipt-notification (2),
 service-notification (3) }

-- VM Synopsis

vm-synopsis ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMSynopsis
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-sat-vm-synopsis

VMSynopsis ::= SEQUENCE OF BodyPartSynopsis

BodyPartSynopsis ::= CHOICE {
 message [0] MessageBodyPartSynopsis,
 non-message [1] NonMessageBodyPartSynopsis }

```

MessageBodyPartSynopsis ::= SEQUENCE {
    number [0] SequenceNumber,
    synopsis [1] VMSynopsis }

NonMessageBodyPartSynopsis ::= SEQUENCE {
    type [0] OBJECT IDENTIFIER,
    parameters [1] ExternallyDefinedParameters OPTIONAL,
    bp-size [2] INTEGER, -- in octets
    processed [3] BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE }

```

-- VM Notification Indicator

```

vm-notification-indicator ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNotificationIndicator
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::=id-sat-vm-notification-indicator

```

VNotificationIndicator ::= VIndicatorBits DEFAULT { } -- default is NO Notifications Sent

```

VIndicatorBits ::= BIT STRING {
    rn-sent (0),
    sn-sent (1),
    nrn-sent (2) } (SIZE (1..ub-bit-options))

```

-- Heading Attributes

-- Heading

```

heading ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX Heading
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-heading

```

-- Heading Subfield Attributes

```

this-vm ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ThisVMField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-this-VM

```

```

originator ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX COMPONENTS OF ORDescriptor
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-originator

```

```

obsoleted-vm ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ObsoletedVMField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-obsoleted-vm

```

```

expiry-time; ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ExpiryTimeField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY ORDERING
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-expiry-time

```

```

importance ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ImportanceField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-importance

```

```

sensitivity ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SensitivityField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-sensitivity-field

```

```

vm-forwarded-indication ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX MessageForwarded

```

MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-forwarded-indication

vm-forwarding-permitted ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX MessageForwardingPermitted
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-forwarding-permitted

language ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX Language
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-hat-language

voice-encoding-type; ATTRIBUTE -- Identifies the Encoding of the voice object
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VoiceEncodingType
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-voice-encoding-type

vm-creation-time ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMCreationTime
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY ORDERING
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-creation-time

vn-receiver-field ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNReceiverField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vn-receiver

-- User Security Attributes

vmgs-user-security-element ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMGSUserSecurityElement
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vmgs-user-security-elements

vm-encrypted-primary-bodypart ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX BOOLEAN
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-encrypted-primary-bodypart

vmgs-user-security-extensions ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMGSUserSecurityExtensions
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-hat-vmgs-user-security-extensions

-- Originator-Generated Spoken Attributes

vm-spoken-subject ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMSpokenSubjectField
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-spoken-subject

vm-originator-spoken-name ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX OriginatorSpokenName
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-originator-spoken-name

vm-this-recipient-spoken-name ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX RecipientSpokenName
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-hat-vm-this-recipient-spoken-name

-- Heading Extensions

heading-extensions ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX HeadingExtensionsSubField

MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-hat-heading-extensions

-- Recipient Sub-field

this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX COMPONENTS OF ORDescriptor
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-rat-this-recipient

vm-notification-requests-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNotificationRequests
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-vm-notification-requests-for-this-recipient

vm-notification-security-requests-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNotificationSecurity
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-vm-notification-security-requests-for-this-recipient

vm-reception-security-requests-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMReceptionSecurity
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-vm-reception-security-requests-for-this-recipient

vm-notification-extension-requests-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMNotificationExtensionsSubField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-vm-notification-extension-requests-for-this-recipient

recipient-extensions-for-this-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX RecipientExtensionsSubField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-rat-recipient-extensions-for-this-recipient

-- Body Attributes

-- Body

body ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX Body
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-body

-- Body Analyses

v-body-message-length ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VoiceMessageLength
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY ORDERING
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-v-body-message-length

VoiceMessageLength ::= INTEGER -- in octets

voice-message-duration ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMDuration
MATCHES FOR ORDERING
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-voice-message-duration

voice-message-other-parms ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMSupplementaryInformation
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY SUBSTRINGS
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-voice-message-other-parms

-- PRIMARY BODY PARTS

-- Subject Voice Message

v-body-part ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VBodyPart
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-v-body-part

-- Forwarded Voice Message(s)

vm-bodypart-sequence-number ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SequenceNumber -- *sequence number of the forwarded VM entry.*
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-vm-bodypart-sequence-number

message-parameters ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX MessageParameters
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-message-parameters

message-data ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX MessageData
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-bat-message-data

-- EXTERNALLY DEFINED BODY Part Types

externally-defined-body-part-types ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX OBJECT IDENTIFIER
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-bat-externally-defined-body-part-types

-- Description of the externally-defined-body-part-types attribute syntax for parameter portion only

VMExternallyDefinedBodyPartParameterAttribute ::= ExternallyDefinedBodyPart -- *from IPMS*

-- Notification Attributes

-- Common Fields

subject-vm ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SubjectVMField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-subject-vm

vn-originator-text ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX COMPONENTS OF ORDescriptor -- *subcomponent of VNOriginatorField*
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-vn-originator

vn-originator-spoken-name ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX OriginatorSpokenName
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-vn-originator

vn-initiator ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNInitiatorField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-vn-initiator

first-recipient ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX FirstRecipientField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-first-recipient

notification-creation-time ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX NoticeCreationTimeField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY ORDERING

SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-notification-creation-time

notification-security-elements ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SecurityElementsField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-notification-security-elements

conversion-indication ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX ConversionEITsField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-conversion-indication

orig-vm-spoken-subject ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VMSpokenSubjectField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-orig-vm-spoken-subject

subject-vm-other-recipients ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX RecipientField
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-nat-subject-vm-other-recipients

vn-supplementary-info ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNSupplementaryInfo
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-vn-supplementary-info

vn-voice-encoding-type ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNVoiceEncodingType
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-vn-voice-encoding-type

notification-extensions ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX NotificationExtensionsSubField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-nat-notification-extensions

-- Receipt Notification Fields

rn-extensions ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX RNExtensionsSubField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-nat-rn-extensions

-- Service Notification Fields for any VMGS-user

sn-reason-code ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SNReasonCode
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-sn-ua-ms-basic-reason-code

sn-extensions ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX SNExtensionsSubField
 MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
 MULTI VALUE
 ::= id-nat-sn-extensions

-- Non-receipt Fields

nrn-ua-ms-reason-code ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNRNUAMSReasonCodeField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-nrn-ua-ms-reason-basic-code

nrn-user-reason-code ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNRNUserReasonCodeField
 SINGLE VALUE
 ::= id-nat-nrn-user-reason-basic-code

nrn-tsau-reason-code ATTRIBUTE
 WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX VNRNTSAUReasonCodeField

SINGLE VALUE
::= id-nat-nrn-tsau-reason-code

nrn-extensions ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE-SYNTAX NRNExtensionsSubField
MATCHES FOR EQUALITY
MULTI VALUE
::= id-nat-nrn-extensions

END -- *of VMGSMessageStoreAttributes*

Annex D

Message Store VMGS Auto-Action types – Reference definition

This annex, which supplements Annex C, defines the MS auto-action registration ASN.1 types specific to Voice Messaging. The definitions contained herein use the Auto-Action macro of ITU-T Rec. X.413 | ISO/IEC 10021-5.

```
VMGSAutoActionTypes { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6)
  vmgs(8) modules(9) message-store-auto-actions(7) }
DEFINITIONS ::=
BEGIN

-- Prologue

-- Exports everything.

IMPORTS

-- VMGS Object Identifiers
  id-act-vmg-auto-forward, id-act-vn-sn-auto-action
  ----
  FROM VMGSObjectIdentifiers { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) object-
    identifiers(0) }

-- VMGS Information Objects
  VMSupplementaryInformation, RecipientField, ActionRequestField
  VNotificationRequestsField, MessagePassingAllowed
  ----
  FROM VMGSInformationObjects { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9)
    information-objects(2) }

-- MS Abstract Service
  AUTO-ACTION, Filter
  ----
  FROM MSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) ms(4) modules(0) abstract-
    service(1) }

-- MS General Auto Actions
  PerMessageAutoForwardFields, PerRecipientAutoForwardFields
  ----
  FROM MSGeneralAutoActionTypes { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) ms(4) modules(0)
    general-auto-action-types(3) }

-- MTS Upper Bounds
  ub-recipients
  ----
  FROM MTSUpperBounds { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) mts(3) modules(0) upper-bounds(3)
  }

-- MTS Abstract Service Definition
  ORName
  ----
  FROM MTSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) mts(3) modules(0) mts-abstract-
    service(1) };

-- END Imports

-- Auto-Action Types

-- VMGS Auto Action Registration
  vm-auto-forward-actions AUTO-ACTION
  REGISTRATION PARAMETER IS VMActionRegistrationParameter
  ::= id-act-vm-auto-actions

  VMActionRegistrationParameter ::= SEQUENCE {
```

filter [0] Filter OPTIONAL,
 vm-supplementary-information [1] VMSupplementaryInformation OPTIONAL,
 delete-after-forwarding [2] BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE,
 vm-auto-forwarding-mode CHOICE {
 vm-forwarding-with-message-not-accepted [3] ForwardWithNonReceipt,
 vm-forwarding-with-message-accepted [4] ForwardWithMessageAccepted,
 vm-forwarding-with-no-VNs [5] ForwardWithoutVNs } }

-- Auto Action Registration Parameters for NonReceipt with Message not Accepted

ForwardWithMessageNonReceipt ::= SET {
 COMPONENTS OF PerMessageAutoForwardFields, -- from MS auto-forward Abstract Operation
 per-recipient-no-accept-arguments [3] SEQUENCE OF
 PerRecipientNoAcceptArguments,
 notification-argument [4] NotificationArguments OPTIONAL }
PerRecipientNoAcceptArguments ::= SEQUENCE {
 per-recipient-field [0] PerRecipientAutoForwardFields,
 heading-next-recipient [1] RecipientField }
NotificationArguments ::= SET {
 COMPONENTS OF PerMessageAutoForwardFields, -- from MS auto-forward Abstract Operation
 per-recipients-field [3] PerRecipientAutoForwardFields }

-- Auto Action Registration Parameters for NonReceipt with Message Accepted

ForwardWithRespAccepted ::= SET {
 COMPONENTS OF PerMessageAutoForwardFields, -- from MS auto-forward Abstract Operation
 per-recipient-arguments [3] SEQUENCE SIZE (1..ub-recipients) OF
 PerRecipientArguments, -- P1 + VMP information
 notification-argument [4] NotificationArguments OPTIONAL -- RN arguments -- }
PerRecipientArguments ::= SEQUENCE {
 per-recipients-p1-info [0] PerRecipientAutoForwardFields,
 -- P1 Per Recipient information
 vm-heading-fields [1] HeadingFields OPTIONAL, -- VMP Per Recipient information
 new-vn-receiver-name [2] ORName } -- for all VMP recipients
HeadingFields ::= SEQUENCE {
 next-recipient [0] RecipientField,
 next-recipient-vn-requests-field [1] VNotificationRequestsField OPTIONAL,
 next-message-forwarding-permitted [2] MessageForwardingPermitted DEFAULT FALSE }

-- Auto Action Registration Parameters for MS auto Forwarding without RN or NRN.

ForwardWithoutVNs ::= SET {
 COMPONENTS OF PerMessageAutoForwardFields, -- from MS auto-forward Abstract Operation
 per-recipient-no-vn-arguments [3] SEQUENCE SIZE (1..ub-recipients) OF
 PerRecipientArguments -- P1 + VM information -- }

-- Auto Action Registration Parameters for auto generation of Service Notification.

vm-auto-sn-action AUTO-ACTION
REGISTRATION PARAMETER IS VNSNAActionRegistrationParameter
::= id-act-vn-sn-auto-action
VNSNAActionRegistrationParameter ::= SEQUENCE {
 filter [0] Filter OPTIONAL,
 vn-service-notice-info [1] ServiceNotificationInfo }
ServiceNotificationInfo ::= SET {
 sn-notification-argument [4] SNReasonCode,
 sn-supplementary-info [5] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL,
 extensions [6] NotificationExtensionsField OPTIONAL }

END -- of VMGSAutoActionTypes

Annex E

VMGS functional objects – Reference definition

This annex defines for reference purposes the functional objects of Voice Messaging. It uses the OBJECT and REFINE macros of CCITT Rec. X.407 and ISO/IEC 10021-3.

```

VMGSFunctionalObjects { joint-iso-itu-t
    mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) functional-objects(1) }
DEFINITIONS IMPLICIT TAGS ::=
BEGIN

-- Prologue

-- Exports everything.

IMPORTS

-- VMGS Abstract Service

    origination, reception, management
    ----
    FROM VMGSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) abstract-service(3) }

-- VMGS Object Identifiers

    id-ot-vmge, id-ot-vmgs, id-ot-vmg-ms, id-ot-vmg-ua,
    id-ot-vmgs-user, id-ot-tsau,
    id-ref-primary, id-ref-secondary
    ----
    FROM VMGSObjectIdentifiers { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) object-
    identifiers(0) }

-- MS Abstract Service

    retrieval
    ----
    FROM MSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) ms(4) modules(0) abstract-
    service(1) }

-- MTS Abstract Service

    administration, delivery, mTS, submission
    ----
    FROM MTSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) mts(3) modules(0) mts-abstract-
    service(1) }

-- Abstract service definition conventions

OBJECT, REFINE
    ----
    FROM AbstractServiceNotation { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) asdc(2) modules(0)
    notation(1) };

-- END imports

-- "Root" Object Type

    vmge OBJECT ::= id-ot-vmge

-- Primary Refinement

    vmge-refinement REFINE vmge AS
        vmgs
        origination [S] PAIRED WITH vmgs-user
        reception [S] PAIRED WITH vmgs-user
        management [S] PAIRED WITH vmgs-user
    vmgs-user RECURRING
    ::= id-ref-primary
```

-- Primary Object Types

-- VMGS User

```
vmgs-user OBJECT
  PORTS {
    origination      [C],
    reception        [C],
    management       [C] }
 ::= id-ot-vmgs-user
```

-- VMGS Messaging System

```
vmgs OBJECT
  PORTS {
    origination      [S],
    reception        [S],
    management       [S] }
 ::= id-ot-vmgs
```

-- Secondary Refinement

```
vmgs-refinement REFINE vmgs AS
  mTS
    submission      [S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua, vmg-ms
    delivery         [S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua, vmg-ms
    administration  [S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua, vmg-ms
  vmg-ua RECURRING
    origination      [S] VISIBLE
    reception        [S] VISIBLE
    management       [S] VISIBLE
  vmg-ms RECURRING
    submission      [S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua
    retrieval        [S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua
    administration  [S] PAIRED WITH vmg-ua
  tsau RECURRING
    origination      [S] VISIBLE
    reception        [S] VISIBLE
    management       [S] VISIBLE
 ::= id-ref-secondary
```

-- Secondary Object Types

-- VMGS User Agent

```
vmg-ua OBJECT
  PORTS {
    origination      [S],
    reception        [S],
    management       [S],
    submission       [C],
    delivery          [C],
    retrieval         [C],
    administration   [C] }
 ::= id-ot-vmg-ua
```

-- VMGS Message Store

```
vmg-ms OBJECT
  PORTS {
    submission      [S],
    retrieval        [S],
    administration  [S],
    submission       [C],
    delivery         [C],
    administration   [C] }
 ::= id-ot-vmg-ms
```

-- Telephone Service Access Unit

```
tsau OBJECT
  PORTS {
    origination      [S],
    reception        [S],
```

```
management [S] }  
 ::= id-ot-tsau  
 END -- of VMGS-Functional-Objects
```

Annex F

VMGS abstract service – Reference definition

This annex defines for reference purposes the VMGS Abstract Service. It uses the PORT and ABSTRACT-OPERATION and ABSTRACT-ERROR macros of CCITT Rec. X.407 and ISO/IEC 10021-3.

```
VMGSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6)  
  vmgs(8) modules(9) abstract-service(3) }  
DEFINITIONS IMPLICIT TAGS ::=  
BEGIN  
  
-- Prologue  
  
-- Exports everything.  
  
  IMPORTS  
  
-- VMGS Information Objects  
  InformationObject, RecipientField, VMP, VNP  
  ----  
  FROM VMGSInformationObjects { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9)  
    information-objects(2) }  
  
-- VMGS Object Identifiers  
  id-pt-origination, id-pt-reception id-pt-management  
  ----  
  FROM VMGSObjectIdentifiers { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) object-  
    identifiers(0) }  
  
-- MTS Abstract Service  
  MessageDeliveryEnvelope, MessageSubmissionEnvelope,  
  MessageSubmissionIdentifier, MessageSubmissionTime,  
  RecipientImproperlySpecified, ReportDeliveryEnvelope  
  ----  
  FROM MTSAbstractService { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) mts(3) modules(0) mts-abstract-  
    service(1) }  
  
-- Abstract service definition conventions  
  ABSTRACT-ERROR, ABSTRACT-OPERATION, PORT  
  ----  
  FROM AbstractServiceNotation { joint-iso-itu-t mhs-motis(6) asdc(2) modules(0)  
    notation(1) };  
  
-- Primary Port Types  
  
-- Origination  
  origination PORT  
  CONSUMER INVOKES {  
    OriginateVM,  
    OriginateVN }  
  ::= id-pt-origination  
  
-- Reception  
  reception PORT  
  SUPPLIER INVOKES {  
    ReceiveReport,  
    ReceiveVM,  
    ReceiveVN }  
  ::= id-pt-reception  
  
-- Management  
  management PORT  
  CONSUMER INVOKES {  
    ChangeAutoDiscard,
```

**ChangeAutoAcknowledgements,
ChangeAutoSNotice,
ChangeAutoForwarding }
::= id-pt-management**

-- *ABSTRACT OPERATIONS*

-- *Origination Abstract Operations*

-- *Originate VM*

OriginateVM ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
 envelope [0] MessageSubmissionEnvelope,
 content [1] VM }
RESULT SET {
 submission-identifier [0] MessageSubmissionIdentifier,
 submission-time [1] MessageSubmissionTime }
ERRORS {
 SubscriptionError,
 RecipientImproperlySpecified }

-- *Originate VN*

OriginateVN ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
 envelope [0] MessageSubmissionEnvelope,
 content [1] VNType }
RESULT SET {
 submission-identifier [0] MessageSubmissionIdentifier,
 submission-time [1] MessageSubmissionTime }
ERRORS {
 SubscriptionError,
 RecipientImproperlySpecified }

VNType ::= CHOICE {
 [0] RN,
 [1] NRN,
 [2] SN }

-- *Reception Abstract Operations*

-- *Receive Report*

ReceiveReport ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
 envelope [0] ReportDeliveryEnvelope,
 undelivered-object [1] InformationObject OPTIONAL }
RESULT
ERRORS { }

-- *Receive VM*

ReceiveVM ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
 envelope [0] MessageDeliveryEnvelope,
 content [1] VM }
RESULT
ERRORS { }

-- *Receive VNP*

ReceiveVN ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
 envelope [0] MessageDeliveryEnvelope,
 content [1] VN }
RESULT
ERRORS { }

-- *Change auto-discard*

ChangeAutoDiscard ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
 auto-discard-expired-VM [0] BOOLEAN,

```

    auto-discard-obsolete-VM      [1] BOOLEAN }
RESULT
ERRORS { }

```

-- Change auto-acknowledgements

```

ChangeAutoAcknowledgements ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
    auto-acknowledge-VM           [0] BOOLEAN,
    auto-acknowledge-suppl-recipient-info [1] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL }
RESULT
ERRORS { SubscriptionError }

```

-- Change auto-forwarding

```

ChangeAutoForwarding ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
    auto-forward-VM               [0] BOOLEAN,
    auto-forward-recipients       [1] SEQUENCE OF RecipientField OPTIONAL,
    auto-forward-heading          [2] Heading OPTIONAL,
    auto-forward-comment          [2] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL }
RESULT
ERRORS {
    SubscriptionError,
    RecipientImproperlySpecified }

```

-- Change auto-SNotice

```

ChangeAutoSNotice ::= ABSTRACT-OPERATION
ARGUMENT SET {
    auto-SNotice                  [0] BOOLEAN,
    auto-service-status-info      [1] EOSSupportIndicator,
    auto-SN-suppl-recipient-info [2] VNSupplementaryInfo OPTIONAL }
RESULT
ERRORS { SubscriptionError }

```

```

EOSSupportIndicator ::= BIT STRING {
    unspecified                (0),
    auto-forwarding-ind        (1),
    language-ind               (2),
    obsoleting-ind             (3),
    attendant-assisted-delivery-request (4),
    expiry-date-ind            (5),
    body-part-encryption-ind    (6) } (SIZE (2..ub-sn-reasons))
-- setting any bit on indicates non-support

```

-- Subscription Error

```

SubscriptionError ::= ABSTRACT-ERROR
PARAMETER SET {
    problem                      [0] SubscriptionProblem }

```

-- Subscription Problem

```

SubscriptionProblem ::= ENUMERATED {
    vm-eos-not-subscribed      (0),
    mts-eos-not-subscribed     (1) }

```

END -- of VMGSAbstractService

Annex G

VMGS upper bounds parameters – Reference definition

This annex defines for reference purposes the upper bounds of various variable-length information items whose abstract syntaxes are defined in the ASN.1 modules of prior annexes.

```
VMGSUpperBounds { joint-iso-itu-t
  mhs-motis(6) vmgs(8) modules(9) upper-bounds(5) }
DEFINITIONS ::=
BEGIN
-- Prologue
-- Exports everything.
IMPORTS -- nothing -- ;
-- Upper bounds
ub-sn-reasons INTEGER ::= 32
ub-vmg-local-reference INTEGER ::= 64
ub-vmgs-user-security-elements INTEGER ::= 1024
END -- of VMGSUpperBounds
```

Annex H

Mapping of G.726 (1990) and G.728 (1992) into the data component of a voice body part

H.1 Illustrative mapping of the analogue/digital converted data

The mapping of the analogue/digital converted data specified in CCITT Recs G.726 (1990) and G.728 onto the octet structure of OSI was left for further study in the 1992 edition of this Recommendation. This annex proposes the appropriate mapping of the voice communications data elements onto an 8-bit OCTET structure defined in OSI.

H.2 Support for CCITT Rec. G.726 – 32 kbit/s ADPCM

This Recommendation is defined to convey voice encoded objects conforming to 32 kbit/s G.726 by reference. However, a reference to CCITT Rec. G.726 was omitted from the initial publication.

H.2.1 Bit mapping for CCITT Rec. G.726 – 32 kbit/s ADPCM

CCITT Rec. G.726 specifies that the digital encoding of the voice data is to be represented in 4-bit per word. OSI's octet structure is an 8-bit per word encoding. To achieve adequate economy of data exchange over OSI's voice messaging protocols specified in this Recommendation and in ITU-T Rec. X.420, the following mapping shall be followed between the MHS user and the MHS user agent when building a voice body part by mapping a pair of juxtaposed G.726 words onto (or from) one OSI OCTET. To achieve octet alignment, the last OCTET unit shall be padded with zeros. See Figure H.1

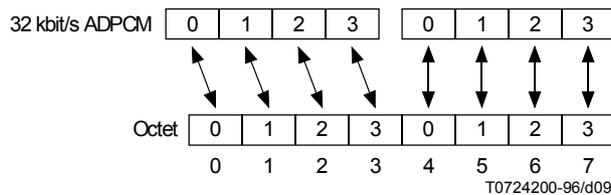


Figure H.1/X.440 – 32 kbit/s ADPCM/OSI mapping

NOTE – The significance of the OSI high or low bits is not considered in this mapping. The intention is to convey the voice encoded 4-bit words in an 8-bit word. If the packing is not performed, then the number of octets it takes to move a 32 kbit/s ADPCM message will be equivalent to exchanging 64 kbit/s voice encodings.

H.3 Support for CCITT Rec. G.728 – 16 kbit/s LD-CELP

This Recommendation is to be extended to convey voice encoded objects conforming to CCITT Rec. G.728 by reference.

H.3.1 Bit mapping for CCITT Rec. G.728 – 16 kbit/s LD-CELP

G.728 16 kbit/s using low-delay code excited linear prediction (LD-CELP) specifies that the digital encoding of the voice data is to be represented in 10-bit per word. OSI's octet structure is an 8-bit per word encoding. To achieve an adequate economy of data exchange over OSI's voice messaging protocols specified in this Recommendation and in ITU-T Rec. X.420, the following mapping shall be followed between the MHS user and the MHS user agent when using a voice body part by mapping four (4) G.728 words onto (or from) five (5) OSI octets. Additionally, a new object identifier needs to be defined to indicate that the data portion of the voice body part contains 16 kbit/s LD-CELP encoded data. To achieve OCTET alignment, the last five octet unit shall be padded with zeros. See Figure H.2.

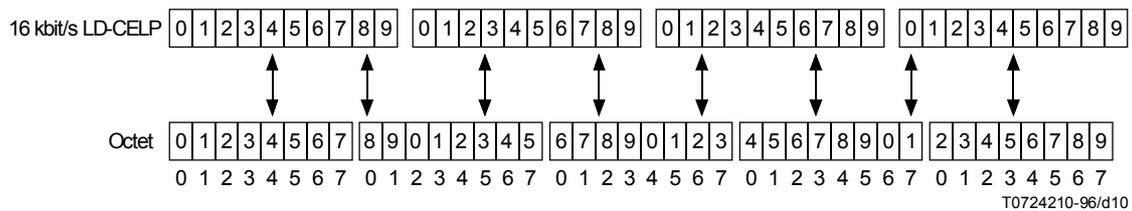


Figure H.2/X.440 – 16 kbit/s LD-CELP/OSI mapping

NOTE – The significance of the OSI high or low bits is not considered in this mapping. The intention is to convey the voice encoded 10-bit words in an 8-bit word. If this kind of blocking is not performed, then the number of octets it takes to move a 16 kbit/s LD-CELP message will be equivalent to exchanging 64 kbit/s voice encodings.

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