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## Information technology - JPEG 2000 image coding system: High-throughput JPEG 2000

## Summary

The computational complexity of the block-coding algorithm of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1 can be a challenge in some applications.

Rec. ITU-T T. 814 | ISO/IEC 15444-15 specifies a high-throughput (HT) block-coding algorithm that can be used in place of the block-coding algorithm specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1.

The HT block-coding algorithm increases decoding and encoding throughput and allows mathematically lossless transcoding to and from the block-coding algorithm specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1. This is achieved at the expense of some loss in coding efficiency and substantial elimination of quality scalability.

The HT block-coding algorithm adopts a coding pass structure like that of the block-coding algorithm of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1. No more than three coding passes are required for any given code-block in the final codestream, and arithmetic coding is replaced with a combination of variable length coding tools, adaptive run-length coding and simple bit-packing. The algorithm involves three passes: a significance propagation pass (HT SigProp coding pass), a magnitude refinement pass (HT MagRef coding pass) and a cleanup pass (HT cleanup coding pass).

The HT MagRef coding pass is identical to that of the block-coding algorithm of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, operating in the bypass mode, except that code bits are packed into bytes with a little-endian bit order. That is, the first code bit in a byte appears in its LSB, as opposed to its MSB.

The HT SigProp coding pass is also very similar to that of the block-coding algorithm of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, operating in the BYPASS mode, with the following two differences:

- code bits are again packed into bytes of the raw bit-stream with a little-endian bit order, instead of bigendian bit packing order; and
- the significance bits associated with a set of four stripe columns are emitted first, followed by the associated sign bits, before advancing to the next set of stripe columns, instead of inserting any required sign bit immediately after the same sample's magnitude bit.
The HT cleanup coding pass is, however, significantly different from that of the block-coding algorithm of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, and most of ITU-T T. 814 | ISO/IEC 15444-15 is devoted to its description.

Aside from the block-coding algorithm itself and the parsing of packet headers, the HT block-coding algorithm preserves the syntax and semantics of other parts of the codestream specified in Rec. ITU-T T.800|ISO/IEC 15444-1.
Recommendation ITU-T T. 814 (2019) is a common text with ISO/IEC 15444-15:2019, both in their first edition.

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## INTERNATIONAL STANDARD

## ITU-T RECOMMENDATION

## Information technology - JPEG 2000 image coding system: High-throughput JPEG 2000

## 1 Scope

This Recommendation | International Standard specifies an alternate block-coding algorithm that can be used in place of the block-coding algorithm specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1. This alternate block-coding algorithm offers a significant increase in throughput at the expense of slightly reduced coding efficiency, while a) allowing mathematically lossless transcoding to and from codestreams that use the block-coding algorithm specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, and b) preserving codestream syntax and features specified in Rec. ITU-T T.800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1.

Recommendation ITU-T T. 814 (2019) is a common text with ISO/IEC 15444-15:2019, both in their first edition.

## 2 Normative references

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### 2.1 Identical Recommendations | International Standards

- Recommendation ITU-T T. 800 (2019) | ISO/IEC 15444-1:2019, Information technology - JPEG 2000 image coding system: Core coding system.


### 2.2 Paired Recommendations | International Standards equivalent in technical content

- Recommendation ITU-T H. 273 (2016), Coding-independent code points for video signal type identification.
- ISO/IEC 23001-8:2016, Information technology - MPEG systems technologies - Part 8: Codingindependent code points.


### 2.3 Additional references

- ISO/IEC 15076-1, Image technology colour management - Architecture, profile format and data structure - Part 1: Based on ICC.1:2010.


## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this Recommendation | International Standard, the terms and definitions given in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1 apply.

## 4 Abbreviations

For the purposes of this Recommendation | International Standard, the abbreviations and symbols defined in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1 and the following apply.

AZC All Zero Context
CUP Cleanup coding Pass
CPF Corresponding Profile
CxtVLC Context adaptive Variable Length Code
EMB Exponent Max Bound
FRAG Fragmented
HT High-Throughput
HTJ2K High-Throughput JPEG 2000

## ISO/IEC 15444-15:2019 (E)

HTIRV High-Throughput Irreversible
HTREV High-Throughput Reversible
LSB Least-Significant Bit
MAGB Magnitude Bound
MagRef Magnitude Refinement
MagSgn Magnitude and Sign
MRP MagRef coding pass
MSB Most-Significant Bit
SigProp Significance Propagation
U-VLC Unsigned residual VLC
VLC Variable Length Coding

## 5 Conventions and symbols

For the purposes of this Recommendation | International Standard, the symbols defined in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1 and the following apply:

Dcup[n] Byte n of an HT Cleanup segment
Dref[n] Byte $n$ of an HT Refinement segment
Hblk Height of a code-block, measured in samples
Lcup Length in bytes of HT Cleanup segment
Lref Length in bytes of HT Refinement segment
MEL Adaptive run-length coding algorithm
MEL_E MEL Exponent Table
Pcup HT Cleanup segment prefix length
QH Height of a code-block, measured in quads
QW Width of a code-block, measured in quads
Scup HT Cleanup segment suffix length
SPP HT SigProp coding Pass
u_ext U-VLC extension component
u_pfx U-VLC prefix component
u_sfx U-VLC suffix component
Wblk Width of a code-block, measured in samples
Z_blk Number of passes that can be processed within an HT Set

## 6 Conformance

### 6.1 HTJ2K codestream

A high-throughput JPEG 2000 (HTJ2K) codestream shall conform to Annex A.

### 6.2 HTJ2K decoding algorithm

The HTJ2K decoding algorithm processes an HTJ2K codestream as specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1 together with any additional signalled capability, with the exception of HT code-blocks, as defined in Annex B, in which case the following applies:

- the HT code-blocks are processed according to clause 7; and
- the resulting number of magnitude bits $N_{b}$, the magnitude bits $\operatorname{MSB}_{i}(b)$ and the sign bits $s_{b}$ are processed according to Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, together with any additional signalled capability.
NOTE 1 - If the two most significant bits of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ are 0 for a codestream, all code-blocks are HT code-blocks and the decoding procedures defined in Annexes C and D of Rec. ITU-T T. $800 \mid$ ISO/IEC 15444-1 are not used.
NOTE 2 - The processing of HT code-blocks specified herein is compatible with the additional capabilities specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 801 | ISO/IEC 15444-2.

NOTE 3 - The symbols $N_{b}, M S B_{i}(b)$ and $s_{b}$ are defined in Rec. ITU-T T. $800 \mid$ ISO/IEC 15444-1.

### 6.3 JPH file

A JPH file shall conform to Annex D.

## $7 \quad$ HT block-decoding algorithm

### 7.1 Retrieving bit-streams from HT segments

### 7.1.1 General

This clause specifies the process for extracting bit-streams from an HT set and its associated parameters $Z_{\_} \_1 k$ and S_blk, as defined in Annex B.
If Z_blk equals 0 , no HT segments are available for the code-block, and so all sample output values for the block shall be 0 .

There are at most two HT segments available to the HT block-decoding algorithm:

- The HT cleanup segment holds the coded bytes belonging to the HT cleanup coding pass (CUP);
- The HT refinement segment holds the coded bytes belonging to the HT significance propagation (SigProp) coding pass and, optionally, an HT magnitude refinement (MagRef) coding pass. The HT refinement segment is available if and only if $z_{\_} \_b l k$ is greater than 1 , while an HT MagRef coding pass is available if and only if $z_{-} b l k$ is equal to 3 .
NOTE 1 - Multiple sets of HT cleanup and HT refinement segments can be found within the codestream for a given code-block, but the decoding procedure described here processes only Z_blk coding passes, whose coded bytes are found within one HT cleanup segment and, if $Z_{\_} \mathrm{blk}$ is greater than 1 , the one HT refinement segment that follows this HT cleanup segment.
As illustrated in Figure 1, the HT segments are comprised of byte-streams, each an ordered sequence of bytes. From each byte-stream, a bit-stream, which is an ordered sequence of bits, can be unpacked as follows:
- The magnitude and sign (MagSgn) bit-stream is recovered from the MagSgn byte-stream, which extends forward from byte 0 of the HT cleanup segment for a total of Pcup bytes, with prefix length, Pcup $=$ Lcup - Scup; where Lcup is the length (in bytes) of the HT cleanup segment, and Scup is a suffix length.
- The adaptive run-length coding algorithm (MEL) bit-stream is recovered from the MEL byte-stream, which extends forward from byte Pcup of the HT cleanup segment, for at most Scup bytes.
- The variable length coding (VLC) bit-stream is recovered from the VLC byte-stream, which extends backward from the last byte of the HT cleanup segment, for at most Scup bytes. The VLC and MEL bytestreams may overlap.
- If $Z_{-}$blk is greater than 1 , the SigProp bit-stream is recovered from the SigProp byte-stream, which extends forwards from byte 0 of the HT refinement segment, for at most Lref bytes, where Lref is the length of the HT refinement segment.
- If $Z_{\_}$bl $k$ is equal to 3, the MagRef bit-stream is recovered from the MagRef byte-stream, which extends backwards from the end (byte Lref-1) of the HT refinement segment, for at most Lref bytes. The MagRef and SigProp byte-streams may overlap.


Figure 1 - HT segments and their byte-streams
The HT cleanup segment:

- shall have length Lcup such that $2 \leq \operatorname{Lcup}<65535$;
- shall not contain any consecutive pair of bytes whose value, as a big-endian 16-bit unsigned integer, exceeds $0 \times \mathrm{xF} 8 \mathrm{~F}$;
- shall not terminate with a byte whose value is $0 \times \mathrm{xFF}$.

The HT refinement segment:

- shall have length Lref satisfying $0 \leq$ Lref $<2047$;
- shall also contain no consecutive pair of bytes whose value, as a big-endian 16-bit unsigned integer, exceeds $0 \times \mathrm{FF} 8 \mathrm{~F}$;
- shall not terminate with a byte whose value is $0 \times F F$.

The suffix length Scup is found from the last two bytes of the HT cleanup segment as follows:

$$
\text { Scup }=(16 \times \text { Dcup }[\text { Lcup-1] })+(\text { Dcup }[\text { Lcup-2] \& 0x0F })
$$

where Dcup [ $n$ ] denotes byte $n$ of the HT cleanup segment, and where $n$ takes value from 0 to Lcup-1.
After Scup is recovered from its last two bytes, Dcup [ n ] is accessed using the following procedure:

```
Procedure: modDcup
Returns: Modified Dcup array
State: Dcup, pos
if (pos == Lcup - 1)
    return 0xFF
else if (pos == Lcup - 2)
    return Dcup[pos] | 0x0F
else
    return Dcup[pos]
```

NOTE 2 - This procedure overwrites the last byte and the four least-significant bits (LSBs) of the second-last byte of the HT cleanup segment with 1 s .

The value of Scup obtained in this way, shall satisfy:

$$
2 \leq \text { Scup } \leq \min (\text { Lcup, } 4079)
$$

Furthermore, the codestream shall be constructed such that, if Scup < Lcup, so that Pcup >0, byte Pcup-1 of the HT cleanup segment shall not have the value $0 \times F F$.

NOTE 3 - The importMagSgnBit procedure in clause 7.1.2 effectively synthesizes a byte equal to $0 x F F$ to replace any byte equal to $0 \times \mathrm{FF}$ that might have been discarded during encoding to satisfy this constraint.

Details of the procedures to be used in recovering each bit-stream from its respective byte-stream are provided in clauses 7.1.2 to 7.1.6.

Similar to the HT cleanup segment, Dref [ $n$ ] denotes byte $n$ of the HT refinement segment, where $n$ takes values from 0 to Lref-1, except that no modification is made to the bytes of the HT refinement segment.

The procedure error () denotes a state resulting from a codestream that does not conform to this specification, and for which behaviour is undefined.

### 7.1.2 Magsgn bit-stream recovery

HT MagSgn bits are retrieved from the HT MagSgn byte-stream, as required by other elements of the decoding procedure, using the importMagSgnBit procedure in the following. This procedure is part of a state machine with state variables MS_pos, MS_bits, MS_tmp and MS_last that are initialized using the initMS procedure, prior to first use of the importMagSgnBit procedure for an HT code-block.

```
Procedure: initMS
State: MS_pos, MS_bits, MS_tmp, MS_last
MS_pos = 0
MS_bits = 0
MS_tmp = 0
MS_last = 0
```

```
Procedure: importMagSgnBit
Returns: next MagSgn bit
State: MS_pos, MS_bits, MS_tmp, MS_last
if (MS_bits == 0)
    MS_bits = (MS_last == 0xFF) ? 7 : 8
    if (MS_pos < Pcup)
        MS_tmp = modDcup(Dcup, MS_pos)
        if ((MS_tmp & (1<<MS_bits)) != 0)
            error()
    else if (MS pos == Pcup)
        MS_tmp = 0xFF
    else
        error()
    MS_last = MS_tmp
    MS_pos = MS_pos + 1
bit = MS_tmp & 1
MS_tmp = MS_tmp >> 1
MS_bits = MS_bits - 1
return bit
```

NOTE 1 - These procedures effectively unpack bits from the HT MagSgn byte-stream in little-endian order, skipping over stuffing bits that appear in the MSB position of any byte that follows a byte equal to $0 \times F \mathrm{~F}$.
NOTE 2 - The value of Pcup can be as small as 0 .
NOTE 3 - The procedure in the foregoing effectively appends at most one byte equal to $0 \times F F$ to the HT MagSgn byte-stream, which is sufficient to allow recovery of all required HT MagSgn bits if the codestream conforms to this Specification.

NOTE 4 - The importMagSgnBit procedure is designed such that the MSB of a byte that follows a byte equal to $0 \times \mathrm{xFF}$ is 0 , unless that byte does not contribute to the MagSgn bit-stream. This is intended to simplify decoder implementations.

### 7.1.3 MEL bit-stream recovery

MEL bits are retrieved from the MEL byte-stream, as required by other elements of the decoding procedure, using the importMELBit procedure in the following. This procedure is part of a state machine with state variables MEL_pos, MEL_bits, MEL_tmp that are initialized using the initMEL procedure, prior to first use of the importMELBit procedure for an HT code-block.

```
Procedure: initMEI
State: MEL_pos, MEL_bits, MEL_tmp
MEL_pos = Pcup
MEL bits = 0
MEL_tmp = 0
```

```
Procedure: importMELBit
Returns: next MEL bit
State: MEL_pos, MEL_bits, MEL_tmp
if (MEL_bits == 0)
    MEL_bits =(MEL_tmp == 0xFF) ? 7 : 8
        if (MEL_pos < Lcup)
        MEL_tmp = modDcup(Dcup,MEL_pos)
        MEL_pos = MEL_pos + 1
        else
            MEL_tmp = 0xFF
MEL_bits = MEL_bits - 1
bit = (MEL_tmp >> MEL_bits) & 1
return bit
```

NOTE - These procedures effectively unpack bits from the MEL byte-stream in big-endian order, skipping over stuffing bits that appear in the MSB position of any byte that follows a byte equal to $0 \times F F$.

### 7.1.4 HT VLC bit-stream recovery

HT VLC bits are retrieved from the HT VLC byte-stream, as required by other elements of the decoding procedure, using the importVLCBit procedure in the following. This procedure is part of a state machine with state variables VLC_pos, VLC_bits, VLC_tmp and VLC_last that are initialized using the initVLC procedure in the following, prior to first use of the importVLCBit procedure for an HT code-block.

```
Procedure: initVLC
State: VLC_pos, VLC_bits, VLC_tmp, VLC_last
VLC_pos = Lcup-3
VLC_last = modDcup(Dcup ,Lcup-2)
VLC_tmp = VLC_last >> 4
VLC_bits = ((VLC_tmp & 7) < 7) ?4:3
```

```
Procedure: importVLCBit
Returns: next VLC bit
State: VLC_pos, VLC_bits, VLC_tmp, VLC_last
if (VLC bits == 0)
    if (VLC_pos >= Pcup)
        VLC_tmp = modDcup(Dcup, VLC_pos)
    else
        error()
    VLC_bits = 8
    if (VLC_last > 0x8F) and ((VLC_tmp & 0x7F) == 0x7F)
        VLC_bits = 7
    VLC_last = VLC_tmp
    VLC_pos = VLC_pos - 1
bit = VLC tmp & 1
VLC_tmp = VLC_tmp >> 1
VLC_bits = VLC_bits - 1
return bit
```

NOTE - These procedures effectively unpack bits from the HT VLC byte-stream in little-endian order, while consuming bytes in reverse order, skipping over stuffing bits that appear in the MSB position of any byte whose 7 LSBs are all 1s if the byte that was last consumed was larger than $0 \times 8 \mathrm{~F}$, and also skipping over the 12 bits that were replaced with 1 s after using them to find the Scup value.

### 7.1.5 HT SigProp bit-stream recovery

If z blk is greater than or equal to 2, HT SigProp bits are retrieved from the HT SigProp byte-stream, as required by other elements of the decoding procedure, using the importSigPropBit procedure in the following. This procedure is part of a state machine with state variables SP_pos, SP_bits, SP_tmp and SP_last that are initialized using the initSP procedure in the following, prior to first use of the importSigPropBit procedure for an HT code-block.

```
Procedure: initSP
State: SP_pos, SP_bits, SP_tmp, SP_last
SP pos = 0
SP_bits = 0
SP_tmp = 0
SP last = 0
```

```
Procedure: importSigPropBit
Returns: next SigProp bit
State: SP_pos, SP_bits, SP_tmp, SP_last
if (SP_bits == 0)
    SP_bits = (SP_last == 0xFF) ? 7 : 8
    if (SP_pos < Lref)
        SP_tmp = Dref[SP_pos]
        SP_pos = SP_pos + 1
        if ((SP_tmp & (1<<SP_bits)) != 0)
            error()
        else
        SP_tmp = 0
        SP_last = SP_tmp
bit = SP_tmp & 1
SP_tmp = SP_tmp >> 1
SP_bits = SP_bits - 1
return bit
```

NOTE 1 - These procedures are similar to those used to import bits from the HT MagSgn byte-stream, except that a separate set of state variables is used, and any bytes required from beyond the Dref buffer are taken to be $0-$ no byte equal to $0 \times \mathrm{FF}$ is synthesized by the decoder.
NOTE 2 - The importSigPropBit procedure is designed such that the MSB of a byte that follows a byte equal to $0 \times F F$ is 0 , unless that byte is not involved in the SigProp decoding process. This property can simplify decoder implementations.

### 7.1.6 HT MagRef bit-stream recovery

If Z_blk is equal to 3, HT MagRef bits are retrieved from the HT MagRef byte-stream, as required by other elements of the decoding procedure, using the importMagRefBit procedure in the following. This procedure is part of a state machine with state variables $M R \_p o s, M R \_b i t s, M R \_t m p$ and $M R \_l a s t$ that are initialized using the initMR procedure in the following, prior to first use of the importMagRefBit procedure for an HT code-block.

```
Procedure: initMR
State: MR_pos, MR_bits, MR_tmp, MR_last
MR_pos = Lref - 1
MR_bits = 0
MR_last = 0xFF
MR_tmp = 0
```

```
Procedure: importMagRefBit
Returns: next HT MagRef bit
State: MR_pos, MR_bits, MR_tmp, MR_last
if (MR_bits == 0)
    if (MR_pos >= 0)
        MR_tmp = Dref[MR_pos]
        MR_pos = MR_pos - 1
    else
        MR_tmp = 0
    MR_bits = 8
    if (MR_last > 0x8F) and ((MR_tmp & 0x7F) == 0x7F)
        MR_bits = 7
    MR_last = MR_tmp
bit = MR_tmp & 1
MR_tmp = MR_tmp >> 1
MR_bits = MR_bits - 1
return bit
```

NOTE - These procedures are similar to those used to import bits from the VLC byte-stream, except that there are no initial bits to skip and the initialization conditions are such that the MSB of the last byte in the HT MagRef byte-stream will be skipped if its seven LSBs are all 1. Also, any bytes required from before the start of the Dref buffer are taken to be 0 .

### 7.2 Quad-based scanning pattern

Figure 2 illustrates the quad-based scanning pattern that is followed when decoding an HT cleanup coding pass. The HT code-block samples are arranged within an array of quads where $Q W$ is the width of the code-block, measured in quads, QH is the height of the code-block measured in quads, and

$$
\begin{aligned}
& Q W=\left\lceil\frac{W b l k}{2}\right\rceil \\
& Q H=\left\lceil\frac{\mathrm{Hb} l \mathrm{k}}{2}\right\rceil
\end{aligned}
$$

where Wbl k and Hblk are the width and height of the HT code-block, measured in samples.
If Wblk is not divisible by 2 , the HT code-block is padded with an extra column of samples on the right, so that each quad spans two sample columns. Similarly, if Hb 1 k is not divisible by 2 , the HT code-block is padded with an extra row of samples on the bottom, so that each quad spans two sample rows and includes exactly four samples. All padded samples shall have output values equal to 0 .


Figure 2 - Quad-based scanning pattern used in the HT cleanup pass

Throughout this clause, the symbol $q$ is used to identify quads, as an index that takes values in the range

$$
0 \leq q<\mathrm{QW} \times \mathrm{QH}
$$

Following the quad-based scan of Figure 2, locations $n$ within the HT code-block take values in the range

$$
0 \leq n<4 \times Q W \times Q H
$$

which can also be written as

$$
n=4 q+j
$$

where:
$j=0$ identifies the top-left sample within its quad;
$j=1$ identifies the bottom-left sample within its quad;
$j=2$ identifies the top-right sample within its quad; and
$j=3$ identifies the bottom-right sample within its quad.

### 7.3 HT cleanup decoding algorithm

### 7.3.1 Overview

Figure 3 illustrates the operation of the HT cleanup decoding algorithm.


B1: Compute contexts, as described in clause 7.3.5.
B2: Decode MEL symbols, as described in clause 7.3.3.
B3: Decode CxtVLC codewords, as described in clause 7.3.5.
B4: Compute $\gamma_{\boldsymbol{q}}$ from $\rho_{\boldsymbol{q}}$, as described in clause 7.3.7.
B5: Form exponent predictors, as described in clause 7.3.7.
B6: Compute MagSgn bit counts $m_{\boldsymbol{n}}$ and implicit-1 flags $i_{\boldsymbol{n}}$, as described in clauses 7.3.2 and 7.3.8.
B7: Decode U-VLC codewords, as described in clause 7.3.6.
B8: Decode MagSgn values, as described in clause 7.3.8.
B9: Extract byte-streams from HT cleanup segment, as described in clause 7.1.1.
B10: Extract MagSgn bit-stream from bit-stuffed MagSgn byte-stream, as described in clause 7.1.2.
B11: Extract MEL bit-stream from bit-stuffed MEL byte-stream, as described in clause 7.1.3.
B12: Extract VLC bit-stream from bit-stuffed VLC byte-stream, as described in clause 7.1.4.
C 1 : HT cleanup segment.
C2: MagSgn bit-stream.
C3: MEL bit-stream.
C4: VLC bit-stream.

D1: Retrieved neighbouring significance patterns.
D2: Generated significance patterns.
D3: Retrieved neighbouring magnitude exponents.
D4: Generated magnitude exponents.
D5: Generated code-block samples.
M1: Storage for code-block samples and derived quantities, with quad-based scanning, as described in clause 7.2.
N1: First line-pair of code-block only.
S1: De-interleave quad-pair VLC bits, as described in clause 7.3.4
Figure 3 - Operation of the HT cleanup decoding algorithm (informative). Each block in the diagram refers to the clause that defines its operation

### 7.3.2 Significance, exponents, predictors, MagSgn values and EMB pattern bits

This clause introduces notation and formulae that are used to describe the block-decoding procedures associated with the HT cleanup coding pass, as presented in clauses 7.3.3 to 7.3.8.

The HT cleanup coding pass produces magnitude values $\mu_{n}$, along with sign values $s_{n} \in\{0,1\}$ for each sample of the HT code-block, where $s_{n}=1$ corresponds to a negative value, and all values with zero magnitude shall have $s_{n}=0$.

Sample magnitudes shall satisfy

$$
0 \leq \mu_{n}<2^{74}
$$

NOTE 1 - The upper bound here comes from the combination of a) the maximum number of bit-planes (37) for any given subband (see clause B. 10.5 of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1), and b) the maximum value of SPrgn (37) allowed in HTJ2K codestreams (see clause A.5).

The significance of a sample $\sigma_{n} \in\{0,1\}$ identifies whether its magnitude is 0 ; it satisfies:

$$
\sigma_{n}= \begin{cases}0 & \text { if } \mu_{n}=0 \\ 1 & \text { if } \mu_{n}>0\end{cases}
$$

Padded samples that have been added to HT code-blocks with odd width or height, as explained in clause 7.2 , shall have $\sigma_{n}=0$. The significance of an entire quad $q$ is denoted $\bar{\sigma}_{q} \in\{0,1\}$, indicating whether any sample in the quad is significant, and satisfies:

$$
\bar{\sigma}_{q}=\sigma_{4 q}\left|\sigma_{4 q+1}\right| \sigma_{4 q+2} \mid \sigma_{4 q+3}
$$

The significance pattern for a quad $q$, denoted $\rho_{q}$, is a 4-bit value comprised of the 1-bit significance values associated with each of the quad's samples; that is,

$$
\rho_{q}=\sigma_{4 q}+2 \sigma_{4 q+1}+4 \sigma_{4 q+2}+8 \sigma_{4 q+3}
$$

For significant samples $\left(\sigma_{n}=1\right)$ the magnitude and sign values are encapsulated within an HT MagSgn value $v_{n}$ that is defined as follows:

$$
v_{n}=2\left(\mu_{n}-1\right)+s_{n}
$$

The magnitude exponent $E_{n}$ for a sample is derived from its magnitude as follows:

$$
E_{n}=\min \left\{E \in \mathbb{N} \mid\left(2 \mu_{\mathrm{n}}-1\right)<2^{\mathrm{E}}\right\}
$$

Table 1 provides a detailed elaboration of the relationship between sample magnitude $\mu$ and exponent $E$. No magnitude exponent shall have a value larger than 75 .

Table 1 - Mapping of sub-band sample magnitudes to magnitude exponents

| $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{\boldsymbol{p}}$ | $\boldsymbol{E}_{\boldsymbol{p}}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 |
| 3 to 4 | 3 |
| 5 to 8 | 4 |
| 9 to 16 | 5 |
| $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |
| $2^{73}+1$ to $2^{74}$ | 75 |

For significant samples, the HT MagSgn value $v_{n}$ is determined by unpacking $m_{n}$ bits from the HT MagSgn bit-stream, as explained in clause 7.3 .8 and adding $i_{n} \cdot 2^{m_{n}}$, where $i_{n} \in\{0,1\}$. For insignificant samples, $m_{n}=0$, while for significant samples $m_{n}$ is obtained by subtracting a 1-bit quantity $k_{n} \in\{0,1\}$ from a common exponent bound $U_{q}$ for the quad $q$ to which location $n$ belongs. These quantities are linked by the following relationships:

$$
\begin{gathered}
m_{n}=\sigma_{n} \cdot U_{q}-k_{n} \\
i_{n} \leq k_{n} \leq \sigma_{n}
\end{gathered}
$$

where the magnitude exponents of all samples in a quad $q$ satisfy

$$
E_{n} \leq U_{q} \text { for } n \in\{4 q, 4 q+1,4 q+2,4 q+3\}
$$

The decoder determines the quad's $U_{q}$ value by adding an unsigned residual value $u_{q}$ to an exponent predictor $\kappa_{q}$.
The value of $u_{q}$ is decoded in two steps, the first of which decodes an "unsigned residual offset" value $u_{q}^{\text {off }} \in\{0,1\}$ that indicates whether $u_{q}$ is 0 , while the second step decodes the value of $u_{q}-1$ for quads in which $u_{q}^{\text {off }}=1$, meaning that the unsigned residual is non-zero.

The exponent max bound (EMB) pattern information for a quad $q$ consists of two 4-bit patterns, $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$, whose bits are the quantities $i_{n}$ and $k_{n}$ introduced in the foregoing. That is,

$$
\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}=k_{4 q}+2 k_{4 q+1}+4 k_{4 q+2}+8 k_{4 q+3}
$$

and

$$
\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}=i_{4 q}+2 i_{4 q+1}+4 i_{4 q+2}+8 i_{4 q+3}
$$

The significance pattern $\rho_{q}, E M B$ known bit pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ and EMB known-1 pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$ are decoded together with $u_{q}^{\text {off }}$, based on a single variable length codeword for the quad $q$.

In this Specification, $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$ are both 0 if $u_{q}^{\text {off }}=0$. Moreover, if $u_{q}^{\text {off }}=1$, the value of $U_{q}$ shall be equal to the maximum of the magnitude exponents $E_{n}$, of the quad's samples.

NOTE 2 - The EMB patterns $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$ provide information about whether individual magnitude exponents $E_{n}$ are equal to the quad's maximum magnitude exponent. The variable length codewords for a quad may provide the decoder with EMB information for some, none or all samples in the quad; the known bit pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ identifies which samples have such information. The known-l pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$ provides the EMB information itself; each bit $i_{n}$ in this pattern is 1 if $k_{n}=1$ and $E_{n}$ is equal to the maximum exponent for the quad.

### 7.3.3 MEL symbol decoding procedure

The HT cleanup coding pass decoding procedure involves at most one MEL symbol $s_{q}^{\text {mel }}$ for each quad $q$, that is retrieved by decoding the MEL bit-stream using the decodeMELS ym procedure in the following. This procedure is part of a state machine with state variables MEL_k, MEL_run and MEL_one that are initialized using the initMELDecoder procedure in the following, prior to first use of the decodeMELSym procedure for an HT code-block.

The MEL decoding procedure uses an exponent table MEL_E [ ], whose entries are listed in Table 2.

Procedure: initMELDecoder
State: MEL_k, MEL_run, MEL_one

MEL_k = 0
MEL run = 0
MEL_one $=0$

```
Procedure: decodeMELSym
Returns: next MEL symbol s}\mp@subsup{\boldsymbol{s}}{}{\mathrm{ mel}
State: MEL_k, MEL_run, MEL_one
if (MEL_run == 0) and (MEL_one == 0)
    eval = MEL_E[MEL_k]
    bit = importMELBit
    if (bit == 1)
        MEL run = 1 << eval
        MEL_k = min(12,MEL_k+1)
    else
        MEL_run = 0
        while (eval > O)
            bit = importMELBit
            MEL_run = 2 * MEL_run + bit
            eval = eval - 1
            MEL_k = max(0,MEL_k-1)
            MEL_one = 1
if (MEL_run > 0)
    MEL_run = MEL_run - 1
    return 0
else
    MEL_one = 0
    return 1
```

Table 2 - MEL Exponent Table MEL_E [k]

| k | exponent MEL_E | k | exponent MEL_E |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 0 | 7 | 2 |
| 1 | 0 | 8 | 2 |
| 2 | 0 | 9 | 3 |
| 3 | 1 | 10 | 3 |
| 4 | 1 | 11 | 4 |
| 5 | 1 | 12 | 5 |
| 6 | 2 |  |  |

### 7.3.4 Quad-pair interleaved decoding for the VLC bit-stream

This clause describes the quad-pair interleaving structure that shall be followed when decoding bits from the VLC bitstream to produce significance patterns $\rho_{g}$, unsigned residuals $u_{g}$ and EMB patterns $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$. The decoding procedures themselves are described in clauses 7.3.5 and 7.3.6.

Figure 4 illustrates the sequence of decoding steps. For each pair of horizontally adjacent quads, the variable length decoding procedure identified as CxtVLC is performed first, for each of the quads; as described in clause 7.3.5, this consumes between 0 and 7 bits from the VLC bit-stream. Next, the variable length U-VLC prefix decoding process is performed for each of the two quads. As described in clause 7.3.6, this consumes between 0 and 3 bits from the VLC bitstream for each of the quads, and uniquely determines the number of U-VLC suffix bits that shall occur for each of the two quads. Any U-VLC suffix bits associated with the first quad in the pair are retrieved from the VLC bit-stream before those associated with the second quad. Finally, the decoder extracts any U-VLC extension bits for the quad-pair, extracting first the extension bits for the first quad in the pair and then the extension bits for the second quad in the pair. As explained in clause 7.3.6, the number of extension bits for a quad is 0 or 4 , and is determined by the value of the corresponding U-VLC suffix.
U-VLC extensions shall have zero length in cases where the sample magnitudes $\mu_{n}$ cannot exceed $2^{36}$.
EXAMPLE - If the parameter $B$ specified in clause 8.7.3 is less than or equal to 36 , a decoder can rely upon the fact that there will be no U-VLC extensions.


Figure 4 - Quad-pair interleaving of VLC decoding steps
(Arrows identify dependencies)
If QW is odd, the final quad-pair on each row only has a first quad. For such quad-pairs, the decoder shall not perform any of the decoding steps suggested in the foregoing for the missing second quad.

### 7.3.5 Decoding of significance and EMB patterns and unsigned residual offsets

This clause describes the context-adaptive variable length decoding procedure that is used to decode the significance pattern $\rho_{q}$, the unsigned residual offset $u_{q}^{\text {off }}$ and the EMB patterns $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$ for each quad $q$.
The decoding procedure depends upon a context value $c_{q}$ that is computed from the significance of a set of neighbouring samples, as shown in Figure 5.


Figure 5 - Significance neighbourhood information used to form coding contexts $c_{q}$ for quads found in noninitial $(q \geq Q W)$ and initial $(q<Q W)$ line-pairs within a HT code-block
The superscript labels (nw, n, ne, nf, w, sw, f, and sf) are used to identify the relevant neighbours
The neighbours used in the first row of quads for the HT code-block, where $q<Q W$, are denoted

$$
\left(\sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{sw}}, \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{w}}, \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{sf}}, \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{f}}\right)=\left\{\begin{array}{cc}
\left(\sigma_{4 q-1}, \sigma_{4 q-2}, \sigma_{4 q-3}, \sigma_{4 q-4}\right) & \text { if } q>0 \\
(0,0,0,0) & \text { if } q=0
\end{array}\right.
$$

and in this case the context value is computed as follows:

$$
\begin{equation*}
c_{q}=\left(\sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{f}} \mid \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{sf}}\right)+2 \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{w}}+4 \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{sw}} \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

The neighbours used in non-initial quad rows of the HT code-block, where $q \geq Q W$, are denoted

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{n}}=\sigma_{4(q-Q \mathrm{~W})+1}, \\
& \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{nW}}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
\sigma_{4(q-Q W)-1} & \text { if } \bmod (q, Q \mathrm{~W}) \neq 0 \\
0 & \text { otherwise }
\end{array} \text { and } \sigma_{q(q-Q \mathrm{~W})+3}^{\mathrm{nf}}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
\sigma_{4(q-Q \mathrm{~W})+5} & \text { if } \bmod (q+1, Q \mathrm{~W}) \neq 0 \\
0 & \text { otherwise }
\end{array}\right.\right.
\end{aligned}
$$

and in this case the context value is computed as follows:

$$
\begin{equation*}
c_{q}=\left(\sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{nw}} \mid \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{n}}\right)+2\left(\sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{w}} \mid \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{sw}}\right)+4\left(\sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{ne}} \mid \sigma_{q}^{\mathrm{nf}}\right) \tag{2}
\end{equation*}
$$

Quads $q$ for which $c_{q}=0$ are identified as all zero context (AZC) quads and receive special treatment in the decoding process, which is represented by the decodeSigEMB procedure in the following. This procedure relies upon the decodeMELS ym procedure, as well as a decodeCxtVLC procedure in the following, which is used for non-AZC quads and for AZC quads that are determined to be significant because the decodeMELSym procedure returns a 1 .

The decodecxtVLC procedure itself is based on a separate prefix code for each context $c_{q}$. Prefix codes are further differentiated based on quad-type - i.e., whether the quad being decoded belongs to the first row of quads for the HT code-block ( $q<Q W$ ) or not. Bits from the VLC bit-stream are imported using the importVLCbit procedure described in clause 7.1, until one of the codewords of the prefix code is matched, revealing the tuple ( $\rho_{q}, u_{q}^{\text {off }}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$ ) as the decoded result. Annex C provides the code tables CxtVLC_table_0 and CxtVLC_table_1, corresponding to each quadtype. The function test_match returns true if a codeword prefix cwd, length len and context $c_{q}$ match the $w, l_{w}$ and $c_{q}$ fields of an entry in the table. The function get_match returns the ( $\rho_{q}, u_{q}^{\mathrm{off}}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$ ) values from the matching entry.

```
Procedure: decodeCxtVLC
Input: quad index q and context cq
Returns: ( }\mp@subsup{\rho}{q}{},\mp@subsup{u}{q}{\mathrm{ off }},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{\textrm{k}},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{1})\mathrm{ tuple for quad q
if (q < QW)
    table = CxtVLC_table_0
else
    table = CxtVLC_table_1
len = 1
cwd = importVLCbit
while (!test_match(table, cq,cwd,len))
    bit = importVLCbit
    cwd = cwd | (bit << len)
    len = len + 1
( }\mp@subsup{\rho}{q}{},\mp@subsup{u}{q}{\mathrm{ off }},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{\textrm{k}},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{1})=\mathrm{ get_match(table, c}\mp@subsup{c}{q}{},\textrm{cwd},\mathrm{ len)
return ( }\mp@subsup{\rho}{q}{},\mp@subsup{u}{q}{\mathrm{ off }},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{\textrm{k}},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{1}
```

```
Procedure: decodeSigEMB
Input: quad index q and context }\mp@subsup{c}{q}{
Returns: ( }\mp@subsup{\rho}{q}{},\mp@subsup{u}{q}{\mathrm{ off }},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{\textrm{k}},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{1})\mathrm{ tuple for quad q
if (cq}==0
    sym = decodeMELSym
    if (sym == 0)
        return }(\mp@subsup{\rho}{q}{},\mp@subsup{u}{q}{\mathrm{ off }},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{\textrm{k}},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{1})=(0,0,0,0
( }\mp@subsup{\rho}{q}{},\mp@subsup{u}{q}{\mathrm{ off }},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{\textrm{k}},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{1})=\mathrm{ decodeCxtVLC
return ( }\mp@subsup{\rho}{q}{},\mp@subsup{u}{q}{\mathrm{ off }},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{\textrm{k}},\mp@subsup{\overline{\epsilon}}{q}{1}
```


### 7.3.6 Decoding of unsigned residuals

This clause describes the procedure used to decode the unsigned residual value $u_{q}$ for a quad $q$ in which the decoded value of $u_{q}^{\text {off }}$ is 1 . If $u_{q}^{\text {off }}=0$, the unsigned residual $u_{q}$ is 0 and no further unsigned residual decoding is required for the quad.
When $u_{q}^{\text {off }}=1$, the value of $u_{q}$ is decoded with the aid of a U-VLC variable length decoding procedure that involves up to three steps. The first step is to decode the variable length U-VLC prefix. For certain prefix values, a second step is required, in which a U-VLC suffix is decoded. The number of U-VLC suffix bits that need to be decoded from the VLC bit-stream is determined entirely by the U-VLC prefix value. If the U-VLC suffix value is greater than 27 , a third step is required, in which 4 bits are imported from the VLC bit-stream to form a U-VLC extension code. The U-VLC prefix, suffix and extension decoding steps for each pair of quads are interleaved, as described in clause 7.3.4.
Table 3 provides the complete U-VLC code that is used as-is to decode the $u_{q}$ value for quads belonging to a non-initial line-pair of the HT code-block - i.e., whenever $q \geq Q W$. The same method is used to decode the $u_{q}$ values for quad-pairs belonging to the initial line-pair of the HT code-block, where quads $q_{1}$ and $q_{2}$ of the quad-pair do not both have $u_{q_{1}}^{\text {off }}=1$ and $u_{q_{2}}^{\text {off }}=1$. The final decoded value for $u_{q}$ in these cases is:

$$
\begin{equation*}
u=u \_p f x+u \_s f x+4 * u \_e x t \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $u \_p f x$ is decoded using the decodeUPrefix procedure, then $u \_s f x$ is decoded using the decodeUSuffix procedure, then $u_{\text {_ext }}$ is decoded using the decodeUExtension procedure, all of which appear in the following.

Table 3 - U-VLC code used to encode unsigned residuals $\boldsymbol{u}>\mathbf{0}$. The prefix string here is matched against bits from the VLC bit-stream from left to right, consuming $l_{p}(u)$ bits. The suffix and extension words are unsigned integers with $l_{s}(u)$ and $l_{e}(u)$ bits that are imported from the VLC bit-stream in little-endian order (i.e., least significant bit first)

| $u$ | Prefix |  | Suffix | Extension | $l_{p}(\boldsymbol{u})$ | $l_{s}(\boldsymbol{u})$ | $\boldsymbol{l}_{\boldsymbol{e}}(\boldsymbol{u})$ | $\boldsymbol{l}_{\boldsymbol{p}}(\boldsymbol{u})+\boldsymbol{l}_{s}(\boldsymbol{u})+\boldsymbol{l}_{\boldsymbol{e}}(\boldsymbol{u})$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | cwd | u_pfx | u_sfx | u_ext |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | "1" | 1 | -- | -- | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 2 | "01" | 2 | -- | -- | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 3 | "001" | 3 | ( $u-3$ ) | -- | 3 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| 4 | "001" | 3 | ( $u-3$ ) | -- | 3 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| 5 | "000" | 5 | ( $u-5$ ) | -- | 3 | 5 | 0 | 8 |
| 6 | "000" | 5 | ( $u-5$ ) | -- | 3 | 5 | 0 | 8 |
| ... | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | -- | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ |
| 32 | "000" | 5 | 27 | -- | 3 | 5 | 0 | 8 |
| 33 | "000" | 5 | $28+\bmod ($ (u-33),4) | $\lfloor(u-33) / 4\rfloor$ | 3 | 5 | 4 | 12 |
| 34 | "000" | 5 | $28+\bmod ($ (u-33),4) | $\lfloor(u-33) / 4\rfloor$ | 3 | 5 | 4 | 12 |
| $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 12 |
| 74 | "000" | 5 | 29 | 10 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 12 |

```
Procedure: decodeUPrefix
Returns: U-VLC prefix value u_pfx
bit = importVLCBit
if (bit == 1) return 1
bit = importVLCBit
if (bit == 1) return 2
bit = importVLCBit
return (bit == 1)? 3:5
```

```
Procedure: decodeUSuffix
Input: U-VLC prefix value u_pfx
Returns: U-VLC suffix value u_sfx
if (u pfx < 3) return 0
val = importVLCBit
if (u_pfx == 3) return val
for (i=1; i < 5; i++)
    bit = importVLCBit
    val = val + (bit << i)
return val
```

```
Procedure: decodeUExtension
Input: U-VLC suffix value u_sfx
Returns: U-VLC extension value u_ext
if (u_sfx < 28) return 0
val = importVLCBit
for (i=1; i < 4; i++)
    bit = importVLCBit
    val = val + (bit << i)
return val
```

For quads belonging to the first line-pair of the HT code-block (i.e., when $q<Q W$ ), the process used to decode a nonzero $u_{q}$ value (i.e., when $u_{q}^{\text {off }}$ is 1 ) is modified where quads $q_{1}$ and $q_{2}$ of a quad-pair are found to have both $u_{q_{1}}^{\text {off }}=1$ and $u_{q_{2}}^{\text {off }}=1$. In this case, a single MEL symbol $s_{q_{1} q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}$ is decoded for the quad-pair by invoking the decodeMELSym procedure. For clarity, this is done after the decodeCxtVLC steps have been performed for the quad-pair to which quad $q$ belongs. The decoding of $u_{q_{1}}$ and $u_{q_{2}}$ then proceeds in one of two ways, depending upon the value of the decoded MEL symbol $s_{q_{1} q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}$. If $s_{q_{1} q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=1$, the decodeUPrefix, decodeUSuffix and decodeUExtension procedures are used to decode prefix, suffix and extension values $u \_p f x, u \_s f x$ and $u_{\_} e x t$, exactly as in the foregoing, for each quad, and the decoded $u_{q}$ values are found from

$$
\begin{equation*}
u=2+u \_p f x+u \_s f x+4 * u \_e x t \tag{4}
\end{equation*}
$$

Otherwise, if $s_{q_{1} q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=0$, the first quad's unsigned residual $u_{q_{1}}$ is found using Formula (3), but decoding of the second quad's unsigned residual $u_{q_{2}}$ depends upon the decoded $u_{q_{1}}$ values. Specifically, where $u_{q_{1}}>2$, the U-VLC prefix decoding step for $u_{q_{2}}$ is replaced by using importVLCBit directly to import a single bit $u_{\text {bit }}$ from the VLC bit-stream and setting $u \_p f x=u_{\text {bit }}+1$; the decoded $u_{q_{2}}$ value is then

$$
u_{q_{2}}=u_{\mathrm{bit}}+1
$$

Where $u_{q_{1}} \leq 2$ the decoding of $u_{q_{2}}$ proceeds in the same way as $u_{q_{1}}$, using Formula (3).
NOTE - When $u_{q_{1}}^{\text {off }}=u_{q_{2}}^{\text {off }}=1$ and $s_{q_{1} q_{2}}^{\text {mel }}=0$, the condition $u_{q_{1}}>2$ means that the decodeUPrefix procedure for the first quad returns $u \_p f x>2$, or equivalently, that the first quad's U-VLC prefix has length 3 .

### 7.3.7 Determination of predictors and exponent bounds

This clause describes the procedure by which a decoder computes exponent predictors $\kappa_{q}$ for each quad $q$, and combines these with the unsigned residual values $u_{q}$ to deduce exponent bounds $U_{q}$.

For the first row of quads in an HT code-block ( $q<Q W$ ), the exponent predictor satisfies

$$
\kappa_{q}=1
$$

For all other quads, $\kappa_{q}$ is computed from the magnitude exponents of neighbouring decoded samples from the preceding line in the HT code-block, as illustrated in Figure 6. Specifically, the exponents that are used are:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& E_{q}^{\mathrm{n}}=E_{4(q-Q \mathrm{~W})+1}, \\
& E_{q}^{\mathrm{nW}}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
E_{4(q-Q \mathrm{~W})-1} & \text { if } \bmod (q, Q W) \neq 0 \\
0 & \text { otherwise }
\end{array} \text { and } E_{q(q-Q \mathrm{~W})+3}^{\mathrm{nf}}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
E_{4(q-Q \mathrm{~W})+5} & \text { if } \bmod (q+1, Q W) \neq 0 \\
0 & \text { otherwise }
\end{array}\right.\right.
\end{aligned}
$$

The decoder derives these exponents from decoded sample magnitudes $\mu_{n}$, using the procedure expounded via Table 1 .


Figure 6 - Neighbourhood information used to form exponent predictors for quads in non-initial line-pairs of a block

These exponents are converted to an exponent predictor $\kappa_{q}$, using

$$
\begin{equation*}
\kappa_{q}=\max \left\{1, \gamma_{q} \cdot\left(\max \left\{E_{q}^{\mathrm{nw}}, E_{q}^{\mathrm{n}}, E_{q}^{\mathrm{ne}}, E_{q}^{\mathrm{nf}}\right\}-1\right)\right\}, \tag{5}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $\gamma_{q} \in\{0,1\}$ indicates whether quad $q$ has more than one significant sample. Specifically,

$$
\gamma_{q}= \begin{cases}0 & \text { if } \rho_{q} \in\{0,1,2,4,8\}  \tag{6}\\ 1 & \text { otherwise }\end{cases}
$$

The exponent bound $U_{q}$ for quad $q$ is obtained from

$$
U_{q}=\kappa_{\mathrm{q}}+u_{q}
$$

The decoded unsigned residual $u_{q}$ shall have the smallest non-negative value that is consistent with the constraint

$$
U_{q} \geq E_{n} \text { for each } n \in\{4 q, 4 q+1,4 q+2,4 q+3\}
$$

where $E_{n}$ is the magnitude exponent associated with each decoded sample magnitude $\mu_{n}$.

### 7.3.8 Unpacking the HT MagSgn bit-stream

Using the exponent bound $U_{q}$, significance pattern $\rho_{q}$ and EMB patterns $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$ for each quad, the decoder determines the number of bits $m_{n}$ according to

$$
m_{n}=\sigma_{n} \cdot U_{q}-k_{n} \text { for each } n \in\{4 q, 4 q+1,4 q+2,4 q+3\}
$$

and then recovers the HT MagSgn values for each sample, following the scanning pattern in Figure 2, by using procedure decodeMagSgnValue that appears in the following. Here, $\sigma_{n}, k_{n}$ and $i_{n}$ are the individual bits of the 4-bit patterns $\rho_{q}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}$, respectively, as explained in clause 7.3.2.

```
Procedure: decodeMagSgnValue
Input: number of mag-sign bits \(m_{n}\) and known-1 value \(i_{n}\) for a sample \(n\)
Returns: HT MagSgn value \(v_{n}\) for the sample
val \(=0\)
for (i=0; i \(<m_{n}\); i++)
    bit = importMagSgnBit
    val = val + (bit \(\ll\) i)
val \(=\operatorname{val}+\left(i_{n} \ll m_{n}\right)\)
return val
```

From the decoded HT MagSgn values $v_{n}$, the decoder recovers magnitude values $\mu_{n}$ and sign bits $s_{n}$ as follows:

$$
\mu_{n}=\left\{\begin{array}{cc}
\left\lfloor v_{n} / 2\right\rfloor+1 & \text { if } m_{n} \neq 0 \\
0 & \text { if } m_{n}=0
\end{array} \quad s_{n}=\left\{\begin{array}{cc}
\bmod \left(v_{n}, 2\right) & \text { if } m_{n} \neq 0 \\
0 & \text { if } m_{n}=0
\end{array}\right.\right.
$$

NOTE - Before the decodeMagSgnValue procedure can be used to reconstruct HT MagSgn values within a current non-initial row of quads, samples from the preceding row of quads must be decoded and at least some of them converted to magnitude exponents, so as to enable computation of $\kappa_{q}$ and $U_{q}$ values for the current non-initial row of quads.

### 7.4 HT SigProp decoding procedure

This clause describes the procedure for decoding an HT SigProp coding pass, which is performed when $\mathrm{Z} \_\mathrm{bl} \mathrm{k}$ is greater than 1. The decoder uses significance information $\sigma_{n}$ produced by decoding the HT cleanup pass, together with the HT SigProp bit-stream, to recover binary refinement values $r_{n} \in\{0,1\}$ and refinement indicators $z_{n} \in\{0,1\}$ for each sample in the HT code-block. Prior to performing the HT SigProp decoding procedure, the $r_{n}$ and $z_{n}$ values for all samples in the HT code-block are set to 0 . The decoder then progressively updates these values, depending on the significance information from the HT cleanup pass, as well as the bits found within the HT SigProp bit-stream. During this process, additional sign values $s_{n}$ are also decoded for samples where $r_{n}=1$.
HT SigProp decoding follows the same four-line stripe-oriented scanning pattern as the block decoder defined in REC. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, which is illustrated in Figure 7. In this Specification, however, the location $n$ that is used to identify individual samples conforms to the notation introduced in clause 7.2 , corresponding to the quad-based scanning order. In following the stripe-oriented scan of Figure 7, the decoder shall skip any location that lies outside the HT code-block, which means that the last stripe in the block is truncated, if necessary, to Hblk $-4 \cdot\lfloor(\mathrm{Hblk}-1) / 4\rfloor$ lines.

To facilitate the explanation, two neighbourhoods of the sample at location $n$ are introduced: a propagation neighbourhood $\mathcal{N}_{n}$; and a scan-causal neighbourhood $\overline{\mathcal{N}}_{n}$.

If bit 3 of the SPcod or SPcoc field is 0 (see clause A.4), the propagation neighbourhood $\mathcal{N}_{n}$ for a sample consists of all locations within the HT code-block that are immediate neighbours of the sample with location $n$; for clarity, there are eight such neighbours, for all samples apart from those that lie on the boundaries of the HT code-block.

If bit 3 of the SPcod or SPcoc field is 1 (see clause A.4), the propagation neighbourhood $\mathcal{N}_{n}$ for a sample consists of all locations within the same stripe or a previous stripe, that are immediate neighbours of the sample with location $n$.

NOTE 1 - Samples on the last line of a stripe have at most six propagation neighbours in this case, while samples on other lines within a stripe have at most eight propagation neighbours.
The scan-causal neighbourhood $\overline{\mathcal{N}}_{n}$ is the subset of $\mathcal{N}_{n}$ corresponding to samples that appear earlier than the sample with location $n$ in the stripe-oriented scan.

NOTE 2 - As illustrated in Figure 7, the location of a sample in the stripe-oriented scan affects the number of samples that belong to its scan-causal neighbourhood.


Figure 7 - Stripe-oriented scan illustrating scan-causal neighbourhoods $\overline{\mathcal{N}}_{\boldsymbol{n}}$ for a sample $\mathbf{n}$, where sample indices are ordered according to the quad-based scanning convention of Figure 2.
In the example, the HT code-block has height $\mathrm{H}=7$, so the last stripe (b) in the stripe-oriented scan has only three lines, whereas stripe (a) has four

The HT SigProp decoding procedure involves a magnitude decoding step and a sign decoding step, that are interleaved on a quad-column basis. Following the stripe-oriented scan of Figure 7, the decoder performs the magnitude decoding step by invoking the decodeSigPropMag procedure in the following, for four stripe columns (a column-group), after which it passes through the same samples a second time, in the same order, performing the sign decoding step using the decodeSigPropSign procedure in the following. The process is repeated for all column-groups in a stripe, before proceeding with the next stripe. If the HT code-block width $W b l k$ is not divisible by 4 , the number of columns in the final column-group of each stripe is reduced to $\bmod (W b l k, 4)$.

```
Procedure: decodeSigPropMag
Input: sample location }n\mathrm{ , significance values }\sigma\mathrm{ and existing refinement values r
Side effects: May change }\mp@subsup{z}{n}{}\mathrm{ and }\mp@subsup{r}{n}{
mbr = 0
if ( }\mp@subsup{\sigma}{n}{}== 0
    for each m}\in\mp@subsup{\mathcal{N}}{n}{
        mbr = mbr | }\mp@subsup{\sigma}{m}{
    for each m}\in\mp@subsup{\overline{\mathcal{N}}}{n}{
        mbr = mbr | rm
if (mbr != 0)
    set }\mp@subsup{z}{n}{}=
    set }\mp@subsup{r}{n}{}=\mathrm{ importSigPropBit
```

```
Procedure: decodeSigPropSign
Input: sample location \(n\) and refinement value \(r_{n}\)
Side effects: May change sign value \(s_{n}\)
if \(\left(r_{n}!=0\right)\)
    set \(s_{n}=\) importSigPropBit
```


### 7.5 HT MagRef decoding procedure

This clause describes the procedure for decoding an HT MagRef coding pass, which is performed when $\mathrm{Z} \_\mathrm{blk}$ is equal to 3 . The decoder uses significance information $\sigma_{n}$ produced by decoding the HT cleanup pass, together with the HT MagRef bit-stream, to recover binary refinement values $r_{n} \in\{0,1\}$ and refinement indicators $z_{n} \in\{0,1\}$ for each sample in the HT code-block. Prior to performing the HT MagRef decoding procedure, $r_{n}$ and $z_{n}$ for each sample have the values determined by the HT SigProp decoding procedure, which shall be performed first.

HT MagRef decoding follows the same four-line stripe-oriented scanning pattern as the HT SigProp coding pass, as illustrated in Figure 7. Again, however, the location $n$ that is used to identify individual samples here conforms to the notation introduced in clause 7.2 , corresponding to the quad-based scanning order.

The HT MagRef decoding procedure involves only a magnitude decoding step that is performed by applying the decodeMagRefValue procedure in the following to each sample, following the four-line stripe-oriented scan.

```
Procedure: decodeMagRefValue
Input: sample location \(n\) and significance value \(\sigma_{n}\)
Side effects: May change \(z_{n}\) and \(r_{n}\)
if \(\left(\sigma_{n}!=0\right)\)
    set \(z_{n}=1\)
    set \(r_{n}=\) importMagRefBit
```


### 7.6 Sample output values

This clause describes the process whereby a decoder converts decoded magnitude values $\mu_{n}$, sign values $s_{n}$, refinement values $r_{n}$ and refinement indicators $z_{n}$ into values for processing by the inverse quantization procedure defined in Annex E of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, after the application of any applicable region of interest transformation, as described in Annex H of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1. Following the notation in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1, these values are the number of magnitude bits $N_{b}(x, y)$, the magnitude bits $\operatorname{MSB}_{i}(b, x, y)$ and the sign bits $s_{b}(x, y)$, where $(x, y)$ identifies a location within sub-band $b$, and $1 \leq i \leq N_{i}(x, y)$.

The procedure here depends upon the quantity $\mathrm{S} \_\mathrm{blk}$ that identifies the number of skipped magnitude bit-planes associated with the HT cleanup coding pass, as described in Annex B. In what follows, $b$ identifies the sub-band to which a decoded HT code-block belongs, and ( $x_{n}, y_{n}$ ) denotes the sub-band-based coordinates of the sample with location $n$ in this decoded HT code-block.

The number of decoded magnitude bit-planes is found from

$$
N_{b}\left(x_{n}, y_{n}\right)=\mathrm{S} \_\mathrm{blk}+1+z_{n}
$$

while the sign bits are assigned as

$$
s_{b}\left(x_{n}, y_{n}\right)=s_{n}
$$

For each $i$ in the range $1 \leq i \leq \mathrm{S}_{-} \mathrm{blk}+1$, the magnitude bit $\mathrm{MSB}_{\mathrm{i}}(b, x, y)$ is given by

$$
\operatorname{MSB}_{\mathrm{i}}\left(b, x_{n}, y_{n}\right)=\bmod \left(\left\lfloor\frac{\mu_{n}}{2^{\mathrm{S} \_\mathrm{blk}+1-i}}\right\rfloor, 2\right)
$$

Finally, if $z_{n}$ is non-zero,

$$
\operatorname{MSB}_{\mathrm{S}_{-} b l \mathrm{k}+2}\left(b, x_{n}, y_{n}\right)=r_{n}
$$

## 8 Constrained codestream sets

### 8.1 Overview

Clause 8 defines sets of HTJ2K codestreams, each conforming to one or more specified constraints.
These sets partition the space of all possible HTJ2K codestreams as a function of implementation throughput and complexity. They are provided to simplify the task of creating profiles and defining decoder capabilities.

EXAMPLE - In order to reduce implementation complexity, a profile definition can specify that only HTJ2K codestreams that belong to the HTONLY set specified in clause 8.2 are permitted.

### 8.2 HTONLY, HTDECLARED and MIXED sets

The HTONLY set is the set of HTJ2K codestreams where all code-blocks are HT code-blocks.
The HTDECLARED set is the set of HTJ2K codestreams where all code-blocks within a given tile-component are either a) HT code-blocks, or b) code-blocks as specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1.

The MIXED set is the set of all HTJ2K codestreams that are not in the HTDECLARED set.
NOTE 1 - A codestream that belongs to the HTONLY set also belongs to the HTDECLARED set, but the converse is not true. In particular, an HTJ2K codestream where all code-blocks conform to Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC $15444-1$ belong to the HTDECLARED set, but not the HTONLY set.
NOTE 2 - Decoding of HTJ2K codestreams that belong to the HTONLY set does not require decoding of code-blocks that conform to Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1.

### 8.3 SINGLEHT and MULTIHT sets

The SINGLEHT set is the set of HTJ2K codestreams where at most one HT set is ever present for each HT code-block.
The MULTIHT set is the set of all HTJ2K codestreams that are not in the SINGLEHT set.
NOTE - Although a decoder is not required to decode more than one HT set for any HT code-block, parsing is more complex for codestreams in the MULTIHT set.

EXAMPLE - The use of multiple non-empty HT sets in a code-block results in redundancy. This can be used, for instance, in content distribution systems to avoid the need for decoding and re-encoding code-blocks when transcoding to different coded data rates. The resulting transcoded codestream, however, normally contains at most one HT set per HT code-block.

### 8.4 RGN and RGNFREE sets

The RGNFREE set is the set of HTJ2K codestreams that do not contain any RGN marker segment.
The RGN set is the set of all HTJ2K codestreams that are not in the RGNFREE set.
NOTE 1 - Whether an HTJ2K codestream contains RGN marker segments impacts HT cleanup magnitude bounds as described in clause 8.7.3.
NOTE 2 - RGN marker segments are typically used in the progressive communication of images that contain defined spatial regions of interest; however, the HT block-coder does not provide an effective mechanism for progressive coding.
NOTE 3 - The presence of RGN marker segments complicates the dequantization procedure that is applied after block decoding.

### 8.5 HOMOGENEOUS and HETEROGENEOUS sets

The HOMOGENEOUS set is the set of HTJ2K codestreams where:

- none of the functional marker segments, e.g., COD, COC, RGN, QCD, QCC, and POC, are present in any tile-part header; and
- no PPT marker segment is present.

The HETEROGENEOUS set is the set of all HTJ2K codestreams that are not in the HOMOGENEOUS set.
NOTE - Decoder configuration information can be retrieved entirely from the main header if the HTJ2K codestream belongs to the HOMOGENEOUS set. Conversely, decoding codestreams that belong to the HETEROGENEOUS set can require a decoder to be reconfigured between tiles, which cannot be done until after its first tile-part is encountered.

### 8.6 LOCAL and FRAG sets

The LOCAL set is the set of HTJ2K codestreams where:

- the exponents PPx and PPy satisfy $\mathrm{PPx}+\mathrm{PPy} \leq 16$, except in the lowest resolution level within each tilecomponent, where $\mathrm{PPx}+\mathrm{PPy} \leq 14$; and
- either (i) the codestream has only one quality layer, as identified via the SGcod parameter, or (ii) the progression order value for the SGcod, SPcoc, and Ppoc parameters is in the range 2 to 4 (see Table A. 16 at Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1).

The FRAG set is the set of all HTJ2K codestreams that are not in the LOCAL set.
NOTE 1 - The first condition in the foregoing limits the extent to which co-located code-blocks from sub-bands with different orientations can be separated within the codestream. The second condition prevents individual code-block byte-streams from being fragmented across non-consecutive packets within the codestream. Together, these conditions can reduce the amount of compressed data re-ordering needed when decoding a codestream.
NOTE 2 - Fragmentation is typically used in combination with quality scalability; however, the HT block-coder does not provide an effective mechanism for progressive coding.

### 8.7 Bounded magnitude sets

### 8.7.1 Overview

Clause 8.7 defines sets that correspond to bounds on the magnitudes $\mu_{n}$ that are produced by the HT cleanup decoding procedure. The bounds depend upon whether an irreversible spatial wavelet transformation is employed, so there are two types of bounded magnitude sets: those in which an irreversible transform is associated with HT code-blocks; and those where only reversible transforms are associated with HT code-blocks.

NOTE - Unlike the block-decoding algorithm specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, the HT block-coding algorithm does not allow decoders to discard bits in order to accommodate limitations to their internal working precision. As a result, the magnitude bound affects implementation complexity. At the time of this writing, a reasonable magnitude bound for CPU-based implementations is $B=31$, where the interpretation of $B$ is found in clause 8.7.3.

### 8.7.2 HTIRV and HTREV sets

The high-throughput reversible (HTREV) set is the set of HTJ2K codestreams where every tile-component that contains one or more HT code-blocks signals a reversible transform.

The high-throughput irreversible (HTIRV) set is the set of all HTJ2K codestreams that are not in the HTREV set.
NOTE 1 - The use of reversible transforms impacts the MAGBp sets, as described in clause 8.7.3.
NOTE 2 - In transcoding operations that reduce image resolution by discarding the $k$ highest resolution levels from each tilecomponent, the magnitude bound $B$ is increased by $k$ for codestreams in the HTIRV set, while no such adjustment is made for codestreams in the HTREV set.

### 8.7.3 MAGBp sets

Each MAGB $_{\mathrm{P}}$ set specified in Table 4 is associated with a value of the parameter $B$, and consists of the HTJ 2 K codestreams where all HT Cleanup magnitudes $\mu_{n}$ of a given sub-band $b$ are smaller than $\mu_{\text {bound }}$, where:
$\mu_{\text {bound }}=2^{B}$, if $B>31$ or the sub-band's transformation type is not an irreversible transform; or
$\mu_{\text {bound }}=2^{\min \left\{31, B+\left[n_{b}\right]-1\right\}}$ where $n_{b}$ is the sub-band decomposition level, otherwise.
NOTE 1 - If no RGN marker segment is present in the codestream, then all magnitudes $\mu_{n}$ necessarily satisfy $\mu_{n}<2^{37}$. If RGN marker segments are present in an HTJ2K codestream, then all magnitudes $M$ necessarily satisfy $\mu_{n}<2^{74}$.
NOTE 2 - If the arbitrary decomposition extensions specified in Annex F of Rec. ITU-T T. 801 |ISO/IEC 15444-2 is used, the subband decomposition level $n_{b}$ can be an even or an odd integer multiple of $1 / 2$. The expression $\left\lceil n_{b}\right\rceil$ ensures that $\mu_{\text {bound }}$ is always an integer power of 2.
EXAMPLE - A decoder can increase throughput by using a hardware-accelerated implementation if the HT cleanup magnitudes are below a given threshold, i.e., if the HTJ2K codestream belongs to a set where parameter B is below a certain threshold; and reverting to a slower software implementation otherwise.

Table 4 - HT cleanup magnitudes bound codestream sets

| ${\text { Set } \text { MAGBP }_{3}}^{\text {Parameter B }}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| MAGB $_{0}$ | 8 |
| MAGB $_{1}$ | 9 |
| MAGB $_{2}$ | 10 |
| MAGB $_{3}$ | 11 |
| MAGB $_{4}$ | 12 |
| MAGB $_{5}$ | 13 |
| MAGB $_{6}$ | 14 |
| MAGB $_{7}$ | 15 |
| MAGB $_{8}$ | 16 |
| MAGB $_{9}$ | 17 |
| MAGB $_{10}$ | 18 |
| MAGB $_{11}$ | 19 |
| MAGB $_{12}$ | 20 |
| MAGB $_{13}$ | 21 |
| MAGB | 14 |
| MAGB | 15 |

### 8.8 CPF sets

The set $\mathrm{CPF}_{N}$ consists of all HTJ2K codestreams that can be obtained using the following procedure.

- Let C1 be an Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1 codestream conforming to profile $N$.
- Let C2 be an HTJ2K codestream.
- Block transcoding. Each code-block in C2 is either unchanged from C1 or transcoded to an HT code-block by decoding and then re-encoding such that it conforms to Annex B. The final HT cleanup pass of each transcoded code-block corresponds to the final cleanup pass from the original code-block in C1, except where this cleanup pass involve sample magnitudes $\mu_{n}$ that are inconsistent with constraints imposed on C 2 , in which case the smallest number of original coding passes necessary to avoid such inconsistency are discarded. If, after any such discarding, the original code-block in C1 has a SigProp pass that follows the final cleanup pass, the transcoded code-block in C2 has a corresponding HT SigProp pass. Similarly, if the original code-block in C 1 has a MagRef pass that follows the final non-discarded cleanup pass, the transcoded code-block in C2 has a corresponding HT MagRef pass.
NOTE 1 - Constraints on C2 are signalled using the CAP marker segment, as specified in clause A.3, and the PRF marker segment, as specified in Rec. ITU-T T.800|ISO/IEC 15444-1.
- Packetization. For each packet of C1, there shall be a corresponding packet of C 2 and vice-versa. The code-block-coding passes within each packet in C 2 shall be identical to the coding passes included within each packet in C 1 , with the exception only of those coding passes from C 1 that are discarded as specified in the foregoing.
- Marker segment generation. All functional, fixed information and pointer marker segments from C1 are preserved in C2, except that the values of the SPcod/SPcoc parameter in COD/COC marker segments are modified to reflect the use of HT block coding, the SIZ, CAP and PRF marker segments are modified or introduced according to the requirements of Annex A, and SOT, PLT, PLM and TLM marker segments are updated to reflect the lengths of the transcoded code-blocks. No new marker segments are introduced into C2 that were not present in C1, apart from the CAP marker segment, and, optionally, a PRF marker segment.
- Codestream ordering. For each tile-part header of C 1 , there is a corresponding tile-part header in C 2 , and vice-versa, and all tile-part headers and packets for C 2 appear in the same order as the corresponding tilepart headers and packets in C 1 .
NOTE 2 - There is no one-to-one mapping between the set $C P F_{N}$ and the set of Rec. ITU-T T. $800 \mid$ ISO/IEC 15444-1 codestreams with profile number $N$ since the termination of codeword segments is not uniquely defined in either this Specification, or in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1.


## $9 \quad$ Media types

Annex E specifies media types as defined in IETF RFC 6838

## Annex A

## HTJ2K codestream syntax

(This annex forms an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard.)

## A. 1 General

This annex specifies the extensions and constraints to the codestream syntax specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1 necessary to support HT code-blocks.

Table A. 1 lists the marker segments affected by this Specification.

Table A. 1 - Marker segments affected by this Specification (informative)

| Extensions to marker segments specified in <br> Rec. ITU-T T.800 \| ISO/IEC 15444-1 | CAP, COD, COC |
| :--- | :--- |
| Constraints to marker segments specified in <br> Rec. ITU-T T.800 \| ISO/IEC 15444-1 | SIZ, RGN |
| Marker segments specified in this <br> Recommendation \| International Standard | CPF |

Unless specified otherwise in clauses A. 2 to A.6, an HTJ2K codestream syntax shall conform to Annex A of Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1, together with any other signalled capability.

In the tables of this annex, the symbol " r " denotes bits that are reserved, and the symbol " x " denotes bits whose value can be either 0 or 1 .

For HTJ2K codestreams conforming to this Specification, the value of each bit denoted with an "r" shall be 0 .
NOTE - The behaviour of implementations that conform to this Specification is left unspecified when processing an HTJ2K codestream where the value of any bit denoted with an " r " is not 0 .

## A. 2 SIZ marker segment

Bit 14 of Rsiz shall be equal to 1 .

## A. 3 CAP marker segment

## A.3.1 General

The CAP marker segment shall be present.
The value of Pcap ${ }^{15}$ shall be equal to 1 .
NOTE 1 - Pcap ${ }^{15}$ is the $15^{\text {th }}$ most significant bit of the Pcap field.
Table A. 2 defines values for the Ccap ${ }^{15}$ field.
NOTE 2 - The Ccap ${ }^{15}$ field contains information that allows a decoder to fast-fail gracefully, optimize its throughput, or generally simplify its operations, without requiring the codestream to be processed in its entirety.

Table A. 2 - Ccap ${ }^{15}$ syntax and semantics

|  | Values (bits) |  |  | Capability |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | MSB |  | LSB |  |
| 00 xx | XXXX | xXXX | XXXX | All code-blocks are HT code-blocks. |
| 10xx | XXXX | XXXX | XXXX | Each tile-component either consists entirely of HT code-blocks, or consists entirely of code-blocks conforming to Rec. ITU-T T. 800 \| ISO/IEC 15444-1. |
| 11 xx | XXXX | XXXX | XXXX | Code-blocks within a tile-component can either be HT code-blocks, or conform to Rec. ITU-T T. 800 \| ISO/IEC 15444-1. |
| 01 xx | xxxx | XXXX | XXXX | Reserved for future use by ITU-T \| ISO/IEC |
| xx0x | xxxx | xxxx | xXXX | Zero or one HT set is present for any HT code-block. |
| xx1x | XXXX | XXXX | XXXX | More than one HT sets can be present for an HT code-block, indicating that the codestream, when decoded, can result in different quality reconstructions (see Annex B). |
| xxx0 | XXXX | XXXX | xXXX | No region-of-interest marker present |
| xxx1 | xxxx | xxxx | XXXX | Region-of-interest marker can be present |
| XXXX | 0 xxx | xxxx | xxxx | Homogeneous codestream |
| XXXX | 1 xxx | xxxx | XXXX | Heterogeneous codestream |
| XXXX | xxxx | xx0x | xxxx | HT code-blocks only used with reversible transforms |
| XXXX | XXXX | xx1x | XXXX | HT code-blocks can be used with irreversible transforms |
| XXXX | xXXX | xxxp | pppp | Bits $p^{i}$ specify the HT cleanup magnitude bound |
| XXXX | xrrr | rrxx | XXXX | Reserved for future use by ITU-T \| ISO/IEC |

## A.3.2 Bits 14-15 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$

If Bits 14 and 15 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ are 0 , then:

- the codestream shall belong to the HTONLY set specified in clause 8.2; and
- bits 6 and 7 of all SPcod or SPcoc values are equal to 0 .

If bit 14 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 0 and bit 15 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 1 , then:

- the codestream shall belong to the HTDECLARED set specified in clause 8.2; and
- bit 7 of all SPcod or SPcoc values is equal to 0 .

If bit 14 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 1 and bit 15 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 1 , then the codestream may belong to the MIXED set specified in clause 8.2.

NOTE - A codestream that belongs to the HTONLY set can still contain SPcod or SPcoc values where both bits 6 and 7 are equal to 1 .

## A.3.3 Bit 13 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$

If bit 13 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 0 , then the codestream shall belong to the SINGLEHT set specified in clause 8.3.
If bit 13 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 1 , then the codestream may belong to the MULTIHT set specified in clause 8.3.

## A.3.4 Bit 12 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$

If bit 12 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 0 , then the codestream shall belong to the RGNFREE set specified in clause 8.4.
If bit 12 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 1 , then the codestream may belong to the RGN set specified in clause 8.4.

## A.3.5 Bit 11 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$

If bit 11 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 0 , then the codestream shall belong to the HOMOGENEOUS set specified in clause 8.5
If bit 11 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 1 , then the codestream may belong to the HETEROGENEOUS set specified in clause 8.5.

## A.3.6 Bit 5 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$

If bit 5 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 0 , then:

- the codestream shall belong to the HTREV set specified in clause 8.6; and
- tile-components for which an irreversible transform is signalled shall have bit 6 of the SPcod or SPcoc value equal to 0 .

If bit 5 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ is 1 , then the codestream may belong to the HTIRV set specified in clause 8.6.

## A.3.7 Bits 0-4 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$

The codestream shall belong to the $M A G B_{P}$ set specified in clause 8.7.3, with the parameter $B$ equal to:

$$
B=\left\{\begin{aligned}
8, & P=0 \\
P+8, & P<20 \\
4(P-19)+27, & 20 \leq P<31 \\
74, & P=31
\end{aligned}\right.
$$

where

$$
P=\sum_{i=0}^{4} \operatorname{Ccap}_{i}^{15} \cdot 2^{i}, \text { and }
$$

Ccap ${ }_{\mathrm{i}}^{15}$ is bit $i$ of Ccap ${ }^{15}$ with $i=0$ corresponding to the LSB.
NOTE - Upper bounds on the HT cleanup magnitudes $\mu_{n}$ can also be determined from quantization parameters found in QCD and QCC marker segments, possibly modified by the presence of RGN marker segments. These bounds can be smaller than the bound signalled by bits 0-4 of Ccap ${ }^{15}$.

## A. 4 COD and COC marker segments

The COD and COC marker segments defined in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1 are modified as follows.
For a given SPcod or SPcoc value, if bit 6 is equal to 0 :

- no code-blocks within the corresponding tile-component shall be HT code-blocks; and
- the semantics of the SPcod or SPcoc value are as defined in Table A. 19 at Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1.

Table A. 3 - SPcod and SPcoc parameters semantics when bits 6 and 7 are 1 and 0, respectively

| Value (bits) |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| MSB LSB |  |
| $01 r r$ Orrr | Code-block style |
| $01 r r$ Nrrr vertically causal context |  |

For a given SPcod or SPcoc value, if bit 6 is equal to 1 and bit 7 is equal to 0 :

- all code-blocks within the corresponding tile-component shall be HT code-blocks as defined in Annex B; and
- the semantics of the SPcod or SPcoc value shall be as defined in Table A.3.

Table A. 4 - SPcod and SPcoc parameters semantics when bits 6 and 7 are 1


For a given SPcod or SPcoc value, if bit 6 is equal to 1 and bit 7 is equal to 1 :

- zero or more of the code-blocks within the corresponding tile-component shall be HT code-blocks as defined in Annex B, and the remaining code-blocks shall conform to Rec. ITU-T T.800|ISO/IEC 15444-1;
- if a code-block is an HT code-block, and given its first non-zero length codeword segment:
- the first bit of that codeword segment length, as defined in clause B.10.7.1 of ITU-T T.800|ISO/IEC $15444-1$, shall be 0 ; and
- Lblock, as defined in clause B.10.7.1 of ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1, shall be greater than 3.
- Rec. ITU-T T.800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1 code-blocks shall use neither selective arithmetic coding bypass nor termination on each coding pass; and
- the semantics of the SPcod or SPcoc value shall be as defined in Table A.4.

NOTE - An HT code-block can be differentiated from a Rec. ITU-T T.800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1 code-block by processing the codeblock assuming it conforms to Annex B. Failure of such processing indicates that the code-block might conform to Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1.

## A. 5 RGN marker segment

If the RGN marker segment is present, the value of the SPrgn parameter shall be less than or equal to 37 .

## A. 6 CPF marker segment

Function: The corresponding profile (CPF) marker segment is provided to facilitate the reversible transcoding of HTJ2K codestreams to and from codestreams that conform to Rec. ITU-T T.800| ISO/IEC 15444-1.
Zero or one CPF marker segment shall be present in an HTJ2K codestream.
If the CPF marker segment is present, the HTJ2K codestream shall be in the set $C P F_{X}$, as specified in clause 8.8 , with $X$ equal to the CPFnum parameter of the CPF marker segment.

NOTE - An HTJ2K codestream that contains a CPF marker segment is subject to the constraints specified in the Ccap ${ }^{15}$ field of the CAP marker segment, and by any profile signalled in the PRF marker segment.
CPFnum shall be equal to the value found in bits 0 to 11 of Rsiz of the corresponding codestream, unless that value is 4095, in which case CPFnum shall be equal to the PRFnum value found in the PRF marker segment of the corresponding codestream.

CPFnum is computed from the $P c p f^{i}$ integers as follows:

$$
\text { CPFnum }=-1+\sum_{i=1}^{N} \operatorname{Pcpf}^{i} \cdot 2^{16 \cdot(i-1)}
$$

Usage: Optional. If present, the CPF marker segment shall appear after the SIZ marker segment, CAP marker segment and, if present, the PRF marker segment, but before any other marker segments defined in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1.

Length: Variable. See Figure A.1.


Figure A. 1 - Corresponding profiles syntax
CPF Marker Code.
Lcpf Length in bytes of the CPF marker segment (not including the marker). Lcpf is given by the following formula:

$$
L \text { cpf }=2+2 N
$$

where N , the number of Pcpf ${ }^{i}$ values used to express CPFnum, is given by:

$$
N=\left\lfloor\frac{\log _{2}(1+\text { CPFnum })}{16}\right\rfloor+1
$$

Pcpf ${ }^{i} \quad P c p f^{i}$ are 16-bit integers that encode CPFnum. $P c^{1} f^{N}$ shall not be zero.

Table A. 5 - Corresponding profile parameter values

| Parameter | Size (bits) | Value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CPF | 16 | 0xFF59 |
| Lcpf | 16 | $4-65534$ |
| Pcpf $^{i}$ | 16 | $0 x 0000-0 x F F F F$ |

## Annex B

## HT data organization

(This annex forms an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard.)

## B. 1 HT sets

As illustrated in Figure B.1, an HT code-block consists of:

- $3 \cdot P_{0}$ coding passes, called placeholder passes, for which no codeword segment bytes appear in the codestream;
- followed by groups of coding passes, called HT sets, each of which consists of three coding passes, except for the last HT set, which consists of 1, 2 or 3 coding passes.
NOTE - In many cases, the first coding pass contribution from a code-block to any packet will include an HT cleanup pass and have non-zero length. However, placeholder passes can be used to preserve quality layer boundaries from a codestream that was encoded using the block-coding algorithm from Rec. ITU-T T.800| ISO/IEC 15444-1 and was subsequently transcoded. Similarly, placeholder passes can be used to provide suggested quality layer boundaries to use when transcoding the HT block-coding algorithm representation to one that uses the block-coding algorithm from Rec. ITU-T T.800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1.

The coding passes within an HT set are defined as follows:

- The first coding pass is an HT cleanup coding pass;
- If present, the second coding pass is an HT SigProp coding pass;
- If present, the third coding pass is an MagRef coding pass.


Figure B. 1 - HT code-block structure. The solid vertical lines indicate HT set boundaries. The dotted lines indicate coding pass boundaries. (a) are HT cleanup segments, (b) are HT refinement segments, (c) are placeholder passes and (d) are HT sets.

## B. 2 HT segments

As illustrated in Figure B.1, coding passes are arranged in HT segments based on a set $T$ of coding pass indices.
Each index in the set $T$ defines one HT segment and corresponds to the last coding pass of the HT segment.

$$
\mathrm{T}=\bigcup_{k \in \mathbb{N}}\left(3 P_{0}+T_{k}\right), \text { where } T_{k}=\left\lceil\frac{3 k}{2}\right\rceil
$$

An HT cleanup segment is an HT segment that contains an HT cleanup coding pass.
An HT refinement segment is an HT segment that contains an HT SigProp coding pass.

## B. 3 Packets, Z_blk and S_blk

The packet, as defined in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1, that contains the first HT cleanup coding pass for a codeblock shall include only one HT cleanup coding pass.

NOTE 1 - This packet can contain at most two additional coding passes: HT SigProp coding pass and HT MagRef coding pass.
Each codeword segment for a given code-block in a packet terminates with either:

- a coding pass of the code-block with an index in set T defined in clause B.2; or
- the last coding pass of the code-block included in the packet.

The bytes of an HT segment are obtained by concatenating the bytes of its constituent codeword segments, and the length of an HT segment is the sum of the lengths of those codeword segments.

Except for the first HT cleanup segment of a code-block, the length of an HT cleanup segment shall be either 0 or greater than 1.

The length of the first HT cleanup segment of a code-block shall be greater than 1.
If the length of an HT cleanup segment within an HT set is 0 , then the length of any HT refinement segment in the same HT set shall be 0 .

NOTE 2 - HT sets that contain only zero-length HT segments can be used to skip bit-planes between non-empty HT sets.
Given an HT set, Z_blk is defined as follows:

- $\quad Z_{\_} \quad b l k=0$, if the length of the HT cleanup segment is 0 ;
- $\quad Z_{\_} \mathrm{bl} k=1$, if the HT cleanup segment is the only segment of the HT set whose length is not 0 ;
- Z_blk is the number of coding passes in the HT set, otherwise.

NOTE 3 - As detailed in clause 7.1.1, Z_blk is the number of coding passes processed by the decoder. The condition where Z_blk is equal to 1 allows multiple HT cleanup coding passes to be included for a code-block, without including any SigProp or MagRef code bytes, while avoiding any concern that the empty coding passes might be decoded, impacting reconstructed image quality.

Given an HT set, the number of skipped magnitude bit-planes S_blk is defined as follows:

$$
\text { S_blk }=P+P_{0}+S \_s k i p
$$

where $P$ is the number of zero-bit-planes recovered from the packet that contains the first contribution for the code-block, and S_skip is the number of HT sets preceding the given HT set.
NOTE 4 - The first contribution for the code-block can consist only of placeholder passes.

## Annex C

## CxtVLC tables

(This annex forms an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard.)
Annex C specifies the CxtVLC_table_0 and CxtVLC_table_1 coding tables that are used by the decodeCxtVLC procedure.

The values of a coding table are specified using the bracket notation $\{\{\ldots\},\{\ldots\}\}$, where inner pair of brackets are separated by commas and each inner pair of brackets specifies the values of the fields of an entry. The values of the fields are separated by commas and appear in the following order: $c_{q}, \rho_{q}, u_{q}^{\text {off }}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{k}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}, w, l_{w}$.
Hexadecimal notation is indicated by prefixing the hexadecimal number by " $0 x$ ". For example, $0 x 41$ represents an eightbit string having only its second and its last bits (counted from the most to the LSB) equal to 1.

Numerical values not enclosed in single quotes and not prefixed by "0x" are decimal values.
The field $w$ represents the codeword as a little-endian integer, meaning that the LSB of the integer $w$ appears first in the VLC bit-stream, followed by the second LSB and so forth, for a total number of bits indicated by field $l_{w}$.

CxtVLC_table_0 is specified as follows:

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CxtVLC_table_0 = {{0, 0x1, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x06, 4},
{0, 0x1, 0x1, 0x1, 0x1, 0x3F, 7},
{0, 0x2, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x00, 3},
{0, 0x2, 0x1, 0x2, 0x2, 0x7F, 7},
{0, 0x3, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x11, 5},
{0, 0x3, 0x1, 0x2, 0x2, 0x5F, 7},
{0, 0x3, 0x1, 0x3, 0x1, 0x1F, 7},
{0, 0x4, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x02, 3},
{0, 0x4, 0x1, 0x4, 0x4, 0x13, 6},
{0, 0x5, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0E, 5},
{0, 0x5, 0x1, 0x4, 0x4, 0x23, 6},
{0, 0x5, 0x1, 0x5, 0x1, 0x0F, 7},
{0, 0x6, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x03, 6},
{0, 0x6, 0x1, 0x0, 0x0, 0x6F, 7},
{0, 0x7, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x2F, 7},
{0, 0x7, 0x1, 0x2, 0x2, 0x4F, 7},
{0, 0x7, 0x1, 0x2, 0x0, 0x0D, 6},
{0, 0x8, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x04, 3},
{0, 0x8, 0x1, 0x8, 0x8, 0x3D, 6},
{0, 0x9, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x1D, 6},
{0, 0x9, 0x1, 0x0, 0x0, 0x2D, 6},
{0, 0xA, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x01, 5},
{0, 0xA, 0x1, 0x8, 0x8, 0x35, 6},
{0, 0xA, 0x1, 0xA, 0x2, 0x77, 7},
{0, 0xB, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x37, 7},
{0, 0xB, 0x1, 0x1, 0x1, 0x57, 7},
{0, 0xB, 0x1, 0x1, 0x0, 0x09, 6},
{0, 0xC, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x1E, 5},
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{0, 0xC, 0x1, 0xC, 0xC, 0x17, 7},
{0, 0xC, 0x1, 0xC, 0x4, 0x15, 6},
{0, 0xC, 0x1, 0xC, 0x8, 0x25, 6},
{0, 0xD, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x67, 7},
{0, 0xD, 0x1, 0x1, 0x1, 0x27, 7},
{0, 0xD, 0x1, 0x5, 0x4, 0x47, 7},
{0, 0xD, 0x1, 0xD, 0x8, 0x07, 7},
{0, 0xE, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x7B, 7},
{0, 0xE, 0x1, 0x2, 0x2, 0x4B, 7},
{0, 0xE, 0x1, 0xA, 0x8, 0x05, 6},
{0, 0xE, 0x1, 0xE, 0x4, 0x3B, 7},
{0, 0xF, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x5B, 7},
{0, 0xF, 0x1, 0x9, 0x9, 0x1B, 7},
{0, 0xF, 0x1, 0xB, 0xA, 0x6B, 7},
{0, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0xC, 0x2B, 7},
{0, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0x8, 0x39, 6},
{0, 0xF, 0x1, 0xE, 0x6, 0x73, 7},
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{1, 0x4, 0x1, 0x4, 0x4, 0x2B, 6},
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{1, 0x5, 0x1, 0x4, 0x4, 0x33, 6},
{1, 0x5, 0x1, 0x5, 0x1, 0x7F, 7},
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{1, 0x7, 0x1, 0x2, 0x2, 0x5F, 7},
{1, 0x7, 0x1, 0x2, 0x0, 0x03, 6},
{1, 0x8, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x02, 4},
{1, 0x8, 0x1, 0x8, 0x8, 0x1D, 6},
{1, 0x9, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x2D, 6},
{1, 0x9, 0x1, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0D, 6},
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$\{1,0 x A, 0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 35,6\}$,
$\{1,0 x A, 0 x 1,0 x 8,0 x 8,0 \times 15,6\}$, $\{1,0 x A, 0 x 1,0 x A, 0 x 2,0 x 6 \mathrm{~F}, 7\}$,
$\{1,0 x B, 0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 2 F, 7\}$,
$\{1,0 x B, 0 \times 1,0 \times 1,0 \times 1,0 \times 4 \mathrm{~F}, 7\}$,
$\{1,0 x B, 0 x 1,0 x 1,0 x 0,0 x 11,6\}$,
$\{1,0 x C, 0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 01,5\}$,
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$\{2,0 x 1,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0 E, 4\}$,
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$\{2,0 \times 2,0 \times 1,0 \times 2,0 \times 2,0 x 3 F, 7\}$,
$\{2,0 x 3,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 2 B, 6\}$,
$\{2,0 x 3,0 x 1,0 x 1,0 x 1,0 x 33,6\}$,
$\{2,0 \times 3,0 \times 1,0 \times 3,0 \times 2,0 \times 7 \mathrm{~F}, 7\}$,
$\{2,0 x 4,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0 A, 4\}$,
$\{2,0 x 4,0 x 1,0 x 4,0 x 4,0 x 0 B, 6\}$,
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$\{2,0 \times 7,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 1 \mathrm{~F}, 7\}$,
$\{2,0 \times 7,0 \times 1,0 \times 2,0 \times 2,0 x 6 \mathrm{~F}, 7\}$,
$\{2,0 \times 7,0 \times 1,0 x 3,0 x 1,0 \times 11,6\}$,

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$\{7,0 x B, 0 x 1,0 x B, 0 x 8,0 x 7 B, 7\}$,
$\{7,0 x C, 0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 39,6\}$,
$\{7,0 x C, 0 x 1,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 19,6\}$,
$\{7,0 x D, 0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0,0 x 0 C, 5\}$,
$\{7,0 x D, 0 x 1,0 x D, 0 x 1,0 x 47,7\}$,
$\{7,0 x D, 0 x 1,0 x 1,0 x 1,0 x 07,7\}$,
$\{7,0 x D, 0 x 1,0 x 5,0 x 4,0 x 09,6\}$,

```
{7, 0xD, 0x1, 0xD, 0x8, 0x1B, 7},
{7, 0xE, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x31, 6},
{7, 0xE, 0x1, 0xE, 0x2, 0x3B, 7},
{7, 0xE, 0x1, 0x2, 0x2, 0x5B, 7},
{7, 0xE, 0x1, 0xA, 0x8, 0x3E, 6},
{7, 0xE, 0x1, 0xE, 0x4, 0x0B, 7},
{7, 0xF, 0x0, 0x0, 0x0, 0x00, 3},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0xF, 0x6B, 7},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0x7, 0x2B, 7},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0xB, 0x4B, 7},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0x3, 0x11, 6},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0x7, 0x6, 0x21, 6},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0xA, 0x01, 6},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0x2, 0x0A, 5},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xB, 0x9, 0x1E, 6},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0xC, 0x0E, 6},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0x8, 0x12, 5},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0x5, 0x2E, 6},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0x1, 0x02, 5},
{7, 0xF, 0x1, 0xF, 0x4, 0x1C, 5}}
```


## Annex D

## JPH file format

(This annex forms an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard.)

## D. 1 General

The JPH file format conforms to the JP2 file format specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, unless specified otherwise in this annex.

## D. 2 JP2 Header box

In contrast to the JP2 file format, if the UnkC field is non-zero it is not required that a Colour Specification box be present within the JP2 Header box.

If the JP2 Header box does not contain a Colour Specification box:

- the colourspace of the image data is unspecified; and
- no Typ ${ }^{i}$ field shall be equal to 0 .


## D. 3 File Type box

The BR field shall be equal to ' $j p h \backslash 040$ '.
The MinV field shall be 0 .
One CLi field shall be equal to the value 'jph $\backslash 040$ '.

## D. 4 Colour Specification box

## D.4.1 Additional METH values

This standard defines the METH values listed in Table D.1.

Table D. 1 - Additional METH values

| Value | Meaning |
| :--- | :--- |
| $0-2$ | As specified in Rec. ITU-T T.800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1. $\left.. ~$| Any International Color Consortium (ICC) method. This Colour Specification box indicates that the colourspace of the |
| :--- |
| codestream is specified by an embedded input ICC profile. Contrary to the Restricted ICC method defined in the JP2 file |
| format, this method allows for any input ICC profile, described in ISO/IEC 15076-1. | \right\rvert\,

## D.4.2 Any International Color Consortium method

When the METH field is equal to 3, the Colour Specification box shall be organized as specified in Figure D. 1 and Table D.2.


Figure D. 1 - Organization of the contents of a Colour Specification box when METH = 3

Table D. 2 - Format of the contents of the Colour Specification box

| Field name | Size (bits) | Value |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| PROFILE | Variable | ICC input profile as defined by ISO/IEC 15076-1, specifying the <br> transformation between the decompressed code values and the PCS. <br> Any input ICC profile, regardless of profile class, may be contained <br> within this field. |

NOTE - This method is equivalent to the Any ICC method specified in Rec. ITU-T T. 801 | ISO/IEC 15444-2.

## D.4.3 Parameterized colourspace

When the METH field is equal to 5, the Colour Specification box shall be organized as specified in Table D. 3 and Figure D.2.

| $\stackrel{y}{y}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U } \\ & \text { y } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $$ | $\sum_{0}^{\infty}$ | $$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

Figure D. 2 - Organization of the contents of a Colour Specification box when METH = 5

Table D. 3 - Format of the contents of the Colour Specification box

| Field name | Size (bits) | Value |
| :---: | :---: | :--- |
| COLPRIMS | 16 | One of the ColourPrimaries enumerated values specified in Rec. <br> ITU-T H.273 \| ISO/IEC 23001-8 |
| TRANSFC | 16 | One of the TransferCharacteristics enumerated values specified in <br> Rec. ITU-T H.273 \| ISO/IEC 23001-8 |
| MATCOEFFS | 16 | One of the MatrixCoefficients enumerated values specified in Rec. <br> ITU-T H.273 \| ISO/IEC 23001-8 |
| VIDFRNG | 1 | Value of the VideoFullRangeFlag specified in Rec. ITU-T H.273 $\mid$ <br> ISO/IEC 23001-8 |
| VIDFRNG_RSVD | 7 | Reserved for future use by ITU-T \| ISO/IEC |

## D. 5 Contiguous codestream box

The Contiguous Codestream box shall contains a valid and complete HTJ2K codestream as specified in clause 6.1.
NOTE - Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1 specifies that, when displaying the image, all codestreams after the first codestream found in the file are ignored, and that Contiguous Codestream boxes can be found anywhere in the file except before the JP2 Header box.

## D. 6 Channel Definition box

## D.6.1 Single alpha channel

In contrast to the JP2 file format, which supports multiple alpha channels, JPH only supports a single alpha channel.
If the Channel Definition box is present, at most one Typ ${ }^{i}$ field shall be equal to 1 or 2 , and the corresponding Asoc ${ }^{i}$ field shall be equal to 0 .

## D.6.2 Multiple channels per colour

In contrast to the JP2 file format, multiple channels can be associated with the same colour.
There may be more than one channel with the same Typ ${ }^{i}$ and Asoc ${ }^{i}$ value pair.
EXAMPLE - Multiple channels of the same colour in a Bayer pattern can be described using the same Typ ${ }^{i}$ and Asoc ${ }^{i}$ value pair, and but different component registration position, as carried in the optional CRG marker segment.

## D.6.3 Application-specified colour

This standard defines the additional Typ ${ }^{i}$ values listed in Table D.4.

Table D. 4 - Additional Typ ${ }^{i}$ field value

| Value |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| 3 | The colour associated with this channel is application-defined. |

When Typ is equal to 3 , the value of $A s c^{i}{ }^{i}$ shall be between 0 and $2^{16}-1$ and is application-defined.
Asoc ${ }^{i}$ values are application-specific.

## Annex E

## Media type specifications and registrations

(This annex forms an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard.)

## E. 1 General

Many Internet protocols are designed to carry arbitrary labelled content. The mechanism used to label such content is a media type, which is defined in IETF RFC 6838 and consists of a top-level type, a subtype, and in some instances, optional parameters.

The media type specifications of clauses E. 2 and E. 3 have a matching registration in the Internet Assigned Numbers Authority central registry, as specified in IETF RFC 6838.

## E. 2 JPH file

## E.2.1 General

The image/jph media type refers to content that consists of a single JPH file as specified in Annex D.

## E.2.2 Registration

```
Type name: image
Subtype name: jph
Required parameters: N/A
Optional parameters: N/A
Encoding considerations: See Section 4.1 of RFC 3745.
Security considerations: See Section 3 of RFC 3745.
Interoperability considerations: N/A
Published specification: Rec. ITU-T T.814 | ISO/IEC 15444-15
Applications: Multimedia and scientific
Fragment identifier considerations: N/A
Restrictions on usage: N/A
Additional information:
    Deprecated alias names for this type: N/A
    Magic number(s): See Section 4.4 of RFC 3745
    File extension(s): jph
    Macintosh File Type Code(s): N/A
Object Identifiers: N/A
Contact name: ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 29/WG 1 Convenor
Contact email address: sc29-sec@itscj.ipsj.or.jp
Intended usage: COMMON
Change controller: ITU-T & ISO/IEC JTC 1
```


## E. 3 Single HTJ2K codestream

## E.3.1 General

The image/jphc media type refers to content that consists of a single HTJ2K codestream, as specified in clause 6.1.

## E.3.2 Registration

```
Type name: image
Subtype name: jphc
Required parameters: N/A
Optional parameters: N/A
Encoding considerations: binary
Security considerations: HTJ2K codestreams contain structures of variable length
and have an extensible syntax. Both of these aspects present potential security
risks for implementations. In particular, variable length structures present buffer
overflow risks and extensible syntax could result in the triggering of adverse
actions.
Interoperability considerations: HTJ2K codestreams do not contain information on
the colourspace of the image. This information is implied or provided out-of-band.
Published specification: Rec. ITU-T T.814 | ISO/IEC 15444-15
Applications: Multimedia and scientific
Fragment identifier considerations: N/A
Restrictions on usage: N/A
Additional information:
    Magic number(s): Starts with the following 4-byte sequence: 0xFF 0x4F 0xFF 0x51
    File extension(s): jhc
    Macintosh File Type Code(s): N/A
    Object Identifiers: N/A
Contact name: ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 29/WG 1 Convenor
Contact email address: sc29-sec@itscj.ipsj.or.jp
Intended usage: COMMON
Change controller: ITU-T & ISO/IEC JTC 1
```


## Annex F

## HT block encoding procedures

(This annex does not form an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard.)

## F. 1 Overview

An HT block encoder can produce multiple sets of HT cleanup, SigProp and MagRef coding passes, selecting some or all of these to be included in the generated codestream; it can also generate partial sets of coding passes, or no coding passes at all, for a given code-block. For most applications, at most three coding passes are included in the codestream for each code-block, belonging to one HT set. Rate control strategies, including those that employ post-compression ratedistortion optimization principals, can be employed to determine which coding passes are included within the codestream. Moreover, rate and complexity control strategies can be employed to determine which coding passes are produced by an encoder, from which to select the passes that are included in the codestream.

When transcoding content from a codestream whose code-blocks were encoded according to the algorithm defined in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1, it is sufficient to encode at most one HT cleanup, HT SigProp and HT MagRef coding pass for each code-block, corresponding to the final cleanup pass and any subsequent SigProp and MagRef passes from the original coded representation of that code-block. Specifically, such an approach is sufficient to exactly preserve all quantized sample values from the original codestream. Beyond this, it can be desirable to preserve the code-block truncation points associated with multiple quality layers in the original codestream. This can be done by including "placeholder passes," as explained in Annex B.

Beyond the use of placeholder passes, an encoder can choose to generate and include multiple HT sets for any given codeblock, as explained in Annex B; this mechanism can be used to provide representations of a code-block at multiple precisions, which can be selectively extracted from quality layers. An encoder can also choose to include multiple HT cleanup passes without generating or including any intervening HT SigProp or MagRef code bytes, since the HT SigProp and MagRef coding passes that are associated with a zero length HT refinement segment are not processed by the decoder; in such cases $Z_{Z}$ blk is 1 .
In applications where encoded quality (or compressed size) are driven entirely by quantization parameter selection - the most common rate control paradigm employed by image and video codecs, - it is sufficient for the HT block encoder to produce only one HT cleanup pass for each code-block, yielding a representation that has no quality scalability attributes, but retains all other features from the Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1 family of standards.

The most substantial element of the HT block-coding algorithm is the HT cleanup pass, since the other passes are derived with only minor modifications from the HT SigProp and HT MagRef passes defined in Rec. ITU-T T. 800 |ISO/IEC 15444-1, operating in the arithmetic coder bypass mode. The main purpose of this annex is to provide an overview of the HT cleanup pass coding algorithm from the perspective of an encoder, whereas the main body of this Specification is concerned with a normative description of the decoding process. To facilitate the description, Figure F. 1 provides a block diagram of the HT cleanup encoding process. This can be compared with Figure 3, which provides a corresponding block diagram for the HT cleanup decoding process.


B1: Compute contexts.
B2: Encode MEL symbols.
B3: Encode CxtVLC codewords.
B4: Compute magnitude exponent bound $U_{q}$, residual $u_{q}$ and EMB pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}$.
B5: Form exponent predictors.
B6: Compute $\gamma_{q}$ from $\rho_{q}$.
B7: Compute MagSgn bit counts $m_{n}$.
B8: Encode unsigned residuals $u_{q}$ to U-VLC codewords.
B9: Pack $m_{n}$ MagSgn LSBs from each location $n$.
B10: Bit-stuffing to produce MagSgn byte-stream from MagSgn bit-stream.
B11: Bit-stuffing to produce MEL byte-stream from MEL bit-stream.
B12: Bit-stuffing to produce VLC byte-stream from VLC bit-stream.
B13: Combine byte-streams to produce HT cleanup segment.
C1: Generated HT cleanup segment.
C2: Generated MagSgn bit-stream.
C3: Generated MEL bit-stream.
C4: Generated VLC bit-stream.
D1: Retrieved neighbouring significance patterns.
D2: Retrieved significance patterns.
D3: Retrieved magnitude exponents.
D4: Retrieved neighbouring magnitude exponents.
D5: Retrieved MagSgn values.
M1: Storage for code-block significance, exponents and MagSgn values.
N1: First line-pair of code-block only.
S1: Interleave quad-pair VLC bits.
Figure F. 1 - HT cleanup pass encoder overview
Some features of the coding algorithm are summarized in the following. These features can be readily identified within the encoding and decoding block diagrams of Figure F. 1 and Figure 3.

- Sub-band samples within a code-block are processed in $2 \times 2$ quads $q$, each of which is assigned a 4-bit significance pattern $\rho_{q}$ that indicates the significance of each sample in the quad.
- Significance patterns are coded using a combination of two different techniques: an adaptive run-length code (MEL code) and a set of non-adaptive VLC codes (CxtVLC codes).
- Exponent bounds $U_{q}$ are coded via "unsigned prediction residuals" $u_{q}$ on a quad-by-quad basis.
- The predictors $\kappa_{n}$ are derived from magnitude exponents of certain previously coded samples, which themselves depend upon the MagSgn values of earlier samples in the code-block.
- The significance pattern $\rho_{q}$ and unsigned prediction residuals $u_{q}$ for a quad are coded jointly, using a VLC coding scheme that involves two sub-codes, one of which ( CxtVLC code) is dependent on a neighbourhood significance context $c_{q}$ and best suited to table-lookup approaches, while the other (U-VLC code) is amenable to direct computation if required.
- The VLC code bits for pairs of $2 \times 2$ quads are interleaved in a manner that facilitates joint encoding or decoding of 8 samples at a time, while allowing 4 -sample quads to be encoded or decoded individually if desired.
- The CxtVLC also encodes a variable amount of additional information about the magnitude exponents of each sample in the quad. This information, known as EMB pattern information, is combined with the exponent bound $U_{q}$ and significance pattern $\rho_{q}$ to determine the number of sign and least significant magnitude bits from each sample of each quad that are packed into a MagSgn bit stream.

An important property of the HT cleanup pass is that it involves three byte-streams that grow in different directions. Three separate bit-streams (MEL, VLC and MagSgn) are subjected to bit-stuffing and packed into the corresponding three bytestreams in a way that avoids the appearance of false marker codes in the range $0 \times \operatorname{xFF} 90$ to $0 \times \mathrm{xFFFF}$. Care is required to combine the byte-streams into the single HT cleanup segment in such a way that it is free from false marker codes and does not terminate with a byte equal to $0 \times \mathrm{xFF}$, which are fundamental requirements for all codeword segments that conform to Rec. ITU-T T. 800 | ISO/IEC 15444-1. The adoption of separate bit-steams provides considerable flexibility that can be exploited by implementations of the algorithm, to minimize memory, maximize concurrency, or fully utilize vector processing capabilities of a particular architecture.
Clauses F. 2 to F. 4 provide first an overview of the relevant quantities and relationships for an encoder, then a description of the encoding steps, and finally a discussion of bit-stuffing, termination and byte-stream concatenation operations to produce valid HT segments.

## F. 2 Bit-planes, exponents, MagSgn and EMB patterns

Each HT cleanup pass is associated with a particular bit-plane $p$, wherein the magnitude of sample $X_{n}$ is taken to be

$$
\mu_{p, n}=\left\lfloor\frac{\left|X_{n}\right|}{2^{p} \Delta_{n}}\right\rfloor
$$

and the sample is considered significant if $\mu_{p, n} \neq 0$. Here $\Delta_{n}$ is the quantization step size that applies to the sub-band to which the code-block belongs, possibly modified to account for an encoded region-of-interest. In the latter case, samples belonging to the region of interest use a quantization step size that is smaller than the nominal value for the sub-band by a factor of $2^{\text {SPrgn }}$, where SPrgn is recorded within the RGN marker segment.

The sample's magnitude exponent $E_{p, n}$ is given by

$$
\begin{equation*}
E_{p, n}=\min \left\{E \in \mathbb{N} \left\lvert\, \mu_{p, n}-\frac{1}{2}<2^{E-1}\right.\right\} \tag{F.1}
\end{equation*}
$$

An encoder can compute all such exponents in advance of the other coding steps, by counting (scanning) the number of leading zeros in a binary representation of $2 \mu_{p, n}-1$. Moreover, it is possible to efficiently compute exponents for multiple bit-planes $p$ at once, if desired.
A sample is significant if and only if its magnitude exponent is non-zero. The HT cleanup pass algorithm explicitly codes significance information, after which it is only necessary to code the sign $s_{n}$ and the value of $\mu_{p, n}-1$ for each significant sample. This information is combined within "MagSgn" values

$$
v_{p, n}=s_{n}+2\left(\mu_{p, n}-1\right)<2^{E_{p, n}}
$$

For the remainder of this annex, the bit-plane specific sub-script $p$ is dropped, to simplify notation.
For each quad $q$ that contains at least one significant sample, an upper bound on the magnitude exponents within that quad is identified as $U_{q}$. These bounds are encoded via corresponding unsigned residuals $u_{q}$, with respect to exponent predictors $\kappa_{q}$, so that

$$
U_{q}=u_{q}+\kappa_{q} \geq E_{n} \text { for all } n \in\{4 q, 4 q+1,4 q+2,4 q+3\}
$$

This bound is required to be tight if $u_{q}>0$, which implies that

$$
\begin{equation*}
U_{q}=\max \left\{E_{q}^{\max }, \kappa_{q}\right\}, \tag{F.2}
\end{equation*}
$$

where

$$
\begin{equation*}
E_{q}^{\max }=\max \left\{E_{4 q}, E_{4 q+1}, E_{4 q+2}, E_{4 q+3}\right\} . \tag{F.3}
\end{equation*}
$$

$E_{q}^{\max }$ and $U_{q}$ are equal when $u_{q}>0$, which corresponds to the condition that the unsigned residual offset bit $u_{q}^{\text {off }}=1$.
The complete 4-bit EMB pattern for quad $q$, denoted $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}$, identifies those samples within the quad whose magnitude exponent is equal to $E_{q}^{\text {max }}$, and hence also equal to $U_{q}$, when $u_{q}>0$. Specifically,

$$
\begin{equation*}
\bar{\epsilon}_{q}=\epsilon_{4 q}+2 \epsilon_{4 q+1}+4 \epsilon_{4 q+2}+8 \epsilon_{4 q+3} \tag{F.4}
\end{equation*}
$$

where the binary EMB flags $\epsilon_{n}$ are defined by

$$
\epsilon_{n}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
u_{q}^{\text {off }} & \text { if } E_{n}=E_{q}^{\max }  \tag{F.5}\\
0 & \text { otherwise }
\end{array}, \text { for all } n \in\{4 q, 4 q+1,4 q+2,4 q+3\}\right.
$$

The complete EMB pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}=0$ if $u_{q}^{\text {off }}=0$. Moreover, if $u_{q}^{\text {off }}=1, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}$ must be non-zero, since at least one of the quad's samples must have exponent $E_{n}$ equal to the quad's maximum exponent $E_{q}^{\max }$. It follows that the value of the $u_{q}^{\text {off }}$ flag is implied by $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}$, which is valuable in reducing the size of lookup tables used by the encoder's CxtVLC encoding process, as described in the following.
While the encoder can form the complete EMB pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}$ directly, the decoder recovers only a subset of the EMB pattern information via the CxtVLC decoding process described in clause 7.3.5. In particular, the bits of the complete EMB pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}$ that are recovered by the decoder are identified by the EMB known-bit pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$, whose binary digits are denoted $k_{n}$, as explained in clause 7.3.2. The encoder deduces the known-bit pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ from the complete EMB pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}$ during the CxtVLC encoding process, using this to determine the number of bits to be packed to the MagSgn bitstream.

## F. 3 Cleanup pass encoding steps

This clause provides a description of the individual encoding steps that are found in the block diagram of Figure F.1. The reader is reminded that this description is informative only; various encoder implementations may achieve the same behaviour using different steps, or applying these steps in a different order, potentially using less memory, computation or other resources.

As a first step, the encoder converts sample magnitude values $\mu_{n}$ to magnitude exponents $E_{n}$, following Formula (F.1). At the same time, the significance pattern $\rho_{q}$ is determined for each quad $q$, along with the derivative quantity $\gamma_{q} \in\{0,1\}$ that indicates whether or not quad $q$ has more than one significant sample, following Formula (6).

For the first row of quads in a code-block, the exponent predictors are set to $\kappa_{q}=1$, while for all other quads, predictors are set according to Formula (5).

The encoder forms maximum magnitude exponents $E_{q}^{\max }$ for each quad $q$, according to Formula (F.3) then exponent bounds $U_{q}$ according to Formula (F.2). From these, the unsigned exponent residuals are found using

$$
u_{q}=U_{q}-\kappa_{q}
$$

and the unsigned residual offset flags $u_{q}^{\text {off }} \in\{0,1\}$ are found from

$$
u_{q}^{\text {off }}= \begin{cases}0 & \text { if } u_{q}=0 \\ 1 & \text { if } u_{q}>0\end{cases}
$$

The encoder can then evaluate the full EMB pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}$ for each quad $q$, using Formula (F.4) and Formula (F.5).
Context labels $c_{q}$ are formed using Formula (1) for the first row of quads in a code-block and Formula (2) for all other quads in the code-block.
The CxtVLC encoding process is readily achieved using a table lookup approach, with 11 bit indices formed from

$$
n_{q}=\bar{\epsilon}_{q}+16 \cdot \rho_{q}+256 \cdot c_{q}
$$

and table entries containing the triplet $\left(w, l_{w}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}\right)$, where $w$ is the VLC codeword, $l_{w}$ the codeword length, and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ the EMB known-bit pattern that will be recovered by the decoder. All valid CxtVLC codewords have lengths in the range 1 to 7, but it is convenient to assign empty codewords ( $l_{w}=0$ ) to all other entries. In particular, this means that the case $\rho_{q}=c_{q}=0$, corresponding to an insignificant AZC quad, does not need to be treated specially, since the CxtVLC coding of this case will not emit any bits to the CxtVLC bit-stream.

Each bit in the $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}$ pattern can be 1 only if the corresponding bit in $\rho_{q}$ is 1 , so the lookup table indexed by $n_{q}$ consists mostly of invalid entries that will not be accessed. Thus, more compact representations are possible.
Separate CxtVLC encoding tables are required for each quad-type: one for the first row of quads in a code-block; and one for all other quads. These encoding tables can be derived from the CxtVLC 7 -tuples $\left(c_{q}, \rho_{q}, u_{q}^{\text {off }}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{k}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}, w, l_{w}\right)$ tabulated in Annex C. In particular, for a given lookup index $n_{q}$, the encoding table's triplet ( $w, l_{w}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{\mathrm{k}}$ ), can be derived by copying the data from any matching 7 -tuple $\left(c_{q}, \rho_{q}, u_{q}^{\text {off }}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{k}, \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}, w, l_{w}\right)$. A match occurs whenever the following conditions are met:

$$
c_{q}=\left\lfloor\frac{n_{q}}{256}\right\rfloor, \rho_{q}=\bmod \left(\frac{n_{q}}{16}, 16\right), \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{1}=\bmod \left(n_{q}, 16\right) \& \bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{k}
$$

In the in the foregoing, $A \& B$ indicates the logical AND of the two 4-bit quantities $A$ and $B$.
NOTE 1 - There can in general be multiple matching 7 -tuples, and hence multiple valid codewords that an encoder can elect to use. For maximum coding efficiency, the encoder bases its encoding table on the matching 7 -tuple whose EMB known-bit pattern $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{k}$ has the most set bits.

The encoder combines the $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{k}$ pattern produced by its CxtVLC table lookup with the computed magnitude exponent bound $U_{q}$ and significance pattern $\rho_{q}$ to determine the number of MagSgn bits $m_{n}$ that need to be emitted for each sample. Specifically, the encoder forms

$$
m_{n}=\sigma_{\mathrm{n}} \cdot U_{q}-k_{n},
$$

noting that $\sigma_{n}$ and $k_{n}$ are the individual bits within the 4-bit patterns $\rho_{q}$ and $\bar{\epsilon}_{q}^{k}$.
The encoder generates the MagSgn bit-stream by passing the bit-count $m_{n}$ and MagSgn value $v_{n}$ to the emitMagSgnBits procedure defined in clause F.4, for each sample in turn, following the quad-based scanning order of Figure 2. The emitMagSgnBits procedure emits the $m_{n}$ LSBs of $v_{n}$ to the MagSgn bit-stream.

The MEL bit-stream is formed by applying the encodeMEL procedure in the following to a sequence of binary MEL symbols $s_{q}^{\text {mel }}$ and binary mask values $m_{q}^{\text {mel }}$, where $m_{q}^{\text {mel }}$ indicates whether symbol $s_{q}^{\text {mel }}$ is to be coded. For non-initial quad rows, and for the first quad in each quad-pair within the first row of quads for the code-block, these values are set according to

$$
m_{q}^{\text {mel }}=\left\{\begin{array}{ll}
1 & \text { if } c_{q}=0 \\
0 & \text { if } c_{q} \neq 0
\end{array} \text { and } s_{q}^{\text {mel }}= \begin{cases}1 & \text { if } c_{q}=0 \text { and } \rho_{q} \neq 0 \\
0 & \text { otherwise }\end{cases}\right.
$$

For the second quad $q_{2}$ in a quad-pair $\left(q_{1}, q_{2}\right)$ within the first row of quads in the code-block, the $m_{q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}$ and $s_{q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}$ values are set using

$$
m_{q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
1 & \text { if } c_{q}=0 \\
m_{q_{1}, q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}} & \text { if } c_{q} \neq 0
\end{array} \text { and } \quad s_{q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
1 & \text { if } c_{q}=0 \text { and } \rho_{q} \neq 0 \\
s_{q_{1}, q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}} & \text { otherwise }
\end{array}\right.\right.
$$

where

$$
m_{q_{1}, q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=u_{q_{1}}^{\text {off }} \cdot u_{q_{2}}^{\text {off }} \text { and } s_{q_{1}, q_{2}}^{\text {mel }}= \begin{cases}1 & \text { if } \min \left\{u_{q_{1}}, u_{q_{2}}\right\}>2 \\ 0 & \text { otherwise }\end{cases}
$$

Before encoding anything for a code-block, the MEL encoding state is initialized using the initMELEncoder procedure in the following, after which the encodeMEL procedure can be called with the symbol and mask values explained in the foregoing. The MEL_E exponent table used by these procedures is found in Table 2.

```
Procedure: initMELEncoder
State: MEL_k, MEL_run, MEL_t
```

MEL_k
MEL_run $=0$
MEL_t $=1 \ll$ MEL_E[MEL_k]

```
Procedure: encodeMEL
Inputs: symbol }\mp@subsup{s}{q}{\mathrm{ mel }}\in{0,1} and mask mmelme{0,1
State: MEL_k, MEL_run, MEL_t
if ( }\mp@subsup{m}{q}{\textrm{mel}}==1
    if ( }\mp@subsup{S}{q}{\mathrm{ mel }}==0
        MEL_run = MEL_run + 1
        if (MEL_run >= MEL_t)
            emitMELBit(1)
            MEL run = 0
            MEL_k = min(12,MEL_k+1)
            eval = MEL_E[MEL_k]
            MEL_t = 1 << eval
    else
        emitMELBit(0)
        eval = MEL_E[MEL_k]
        while (eval > 0)
            eval = eval - 1
            msb = (MEL_run >> eval) & 1
            emitMELBit(msb)
        MEL_run = 0
        MEL_k = max(0,MEL_k-1)
        eval = MEL_E[MEL_k]
        MEL_t = 1 << eval
```

Once all MEL symbols have been encoded, the termMEL procedure is called.

```
Procedure:
termMEI
State: MEL_k, MEL_run, MEL_t
if(MEL_run > 0)
    emitMELBit(1)
```

NOTE 2 - The emitMELBit procedure is defined in clause F.4.
The encoder generates the VLC bit-stream by packing CxtVLC codewords and U-VLC codeword components (prefix, suffix and extension) from quad-pairs, following the interleaving procedure shown in Figure 4, and passing all codeword bits to the emitVLCBits procedure defined in clause F.4.

In the first row of quads for a code-block, if a quad-pair has $m_{q_{1}, q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=1$ and $s_{q_{1}, q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=1$, the U -VLC codeword prefix, suffix and extension components for both quads in the pair are obtained by passing $u_{q_{1}}-2$ and $u_{q_{2}}-2$ as the $u_{\text {_in }}$ input to the encodeUVLC procedure in the following. In all other cases, the U-VLC codeword components for a quad are obtained by passing $u_{q}$ directly as the $u_{-}$in input to encodeUVLC, except where a quad-pair $\left(q_{1}, q_{2}\right)$ in the first row of quads has $m_{q_{1}, q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=1, s_{q_{1}, q_{2}}^{\mathrm{mel}}=0$ and $u_{q_{1}}>2$. In this last case, it is certain that $u_{q_{2}} \in\{1,2\}$ and the U-VLC components for quad $q_{2}$ are assigned as $u_{\_} \mathrm{pfx}=u_{q_{2}}-1$, $u_{\_} \mathrm{sfx}=0$ and $u_{\_} \mathrm{ext}=0$.

```
Procedure: encodeUVLC
Input: u_in
Returns: u_pfx, u_sfx and u_ext
if (u_in == 0)
    set u_pfx, u_sfx and u_ext all to empty codewords (no bits)
else
    find u pfx, u_sfx and u ext from the entry in Table 3 for which u = u in
```


## F. 4 Bit-stuffing and byte-stream termination procedures

The HT cleanup pass encoding steps produce bits for the MEL, VLC and MagSgn bit-streams of the cleanup pass, which are packed into corresponding byte-streams and then assembled into an HT cleanup segment. HT SigProp and MagRef coding passes, where used, produce bits for a SigProp or a MagRef bit-stream, which are packed into corresponding bytestreams and assembled into an HT refinement segment. All bit packing operations are subjected to bit stuffing procedures that avoid the appearance of false marker codes within any given byte-stream. While the decoder only needs to read bytes from already constructed HT segments, the encoder is responsible for combining byte-streams into final HT segments, noting that some byte-streams grow forwards while others grow backwards. This would typically be done at the end, once all component byte-streams for a code-block have been generated. During this process, the encoder is responsible for terminating the byte-streams in such a way as to avoid the introduction of false marker codes at byte-stream interfaces, while ensuring correct decoding. This clause provides procedures that can be used for these purposes.

To generate the MagSgn byte-stream, an encoder can use the emitMagSgnBits procedure in the following, after initializing state variables with the initMSPacker procedure. The emitMagSgnBits procedure assumes the existence of a buffer (array) denoted MS_buf, with sufficient length to accommodate all generated MagSgn bytes for the code-block. The maximum number of such bytes can be bounded, based on the precision of quantized sub-band samples, but the determination of such bounds is beyond the scope of this discussion. Once all MagSgn bits have been emitted for a code-block, the MagSgn byte-stream is terminated by invoking the termMSPacker procedure.

```
MS pos = 0
MS_bits = 0
MS_max = 8
MS_tmp = 0
```

Procedure: initMSPacker
State: MS_pos, MS_bits, MS_max, MS_tmp

```
Procedure: emitMagSgnBits
Input: val = vn and len = m}
State: MS_pos, MS_bits, MS_max, MS_tmp
while (len > 0)
    bit = val & 1
    val = val >> 1
    len = len - 1
    MS_tmp = MS_tmp | (bit << MS_bits)
    MS_bits = MS_bits + 1
    if (MS_bits == MS_max)
        MS_buf[MS_pos] = MS_tmp
        MS_pos = MS_pos + 1
        MS_max = (MS_tmp == 0xFF) ? 7:8
        MS_tmp = 0
        MS_bits = 0
```

```
Procedure: termMSPacker
State: MS_pos, MS_bits, MS_max, MS_tmp
if (MS_bits > 0)
    while (MS_bits < MS_max)
        MS_tmp = MS_tmp | (1 << MS_bits)
        MS_bits = MS_bits + 1
    if (MS_tmp != 0xFF)
        MS_buf[MS_pos] = MS_tmp
        MS_pos = MS_pos + 1
else if (MS_max == 7)
    MS_pos = MS_pos - 1 // this discards an already emitted trailing FF
```

An encoder can pad the HT cleanup segment's prefix with additional bytes that are not consumed by the importMagSgnBit procedure, and hence do not contribute to the MagSgn bit-stream. Padding can be useful for avoiding buffer underflow in applications with constant data rate constraints. In such a scenario, a recommended strategy is to pad the prefix with pairs of bytes in the range $0 \times F F 80$ to $0 \times F F 8 F$, since these do not introduce false marker codes, yet they can be distinguished from bytes that contain valid data for the MagSgn bit-stream and hence easily removed without any actual decoding.

To generate the VLC byte-stream, the encoder can use the procedure emitVLCBits in the following, after initializing state variables with the initVLCPacker procedure. The emitVLCBits procedure assumes the existence of a buffer (array) denoted VLC_buf, with sufficient length to accommodate all generated VLC bytes for the code-block, which can readily be bounded. This array is written forwards here, but needs to be reversed when forming the HT cleanup segment.

```
Procedure: initVLCPacker
State: VLC_pos, VLC_bits, VLC_tmp, VLC_last
VLC_bits = 4
VLC_tmp = 15
VLC_buf[0] = 255
VLC_pos = 1
VLC_last = 255
```

```
Procedure: emitVLCBits
Input: cwd and len, where cwd is a len-bit codeword in little-endian bit order
State: VLC_pos, VLC_bits, VLC_tmp, VLC_last
while (len > 0)
    bit = cwd \& 1
    cwd \(=\) cwd \(\gg 1\)
    len \(=\) len - 1
    VLC_tmp \(=\) VLC_tmp | (bit \(\ll\) VLC_bits)
    VLC_bits = VLC_bits + 1
    if ((VLC_last \(\left.>0 \times 8 F) \& \&\left(V L C \_t m p==0 \times 7 F\right)\right)\)
        VLC_bits \(=\) VLC_bits +1
    if (VLC_bits == 8)
        VLC_buf [VLC_pos] = VLC_tmp
        VLC_pos = VLC_pos + 1
        VLC_last \(=\) VLC_tmp
        VLC_tmp \(=0\)
        VLC_bits \(=0\)
```

To generate the MEL byte-stream, the encoder can use the procedure emitMELBit in the following, after initializing state variables with the initMELPacker procedure. The emitMELBit procedure assumes the existence of a buffer (array) denoted MEL_buf, with sufficient length to accommodate all generated MEL bytes for the code-block, which can readily be bounded.

NOTE - The emitMELBit procedure is invoked only from the encodeMEL procedure.

```
MEL pos = 0
MEL_rem = 8
MEL tmp = 0
```

Procedure: initMELPacker
State: MEL_pos, MEL_rem, MEL_tmp

```
Procedure: emitMELBit
Input: bit
State: MEL_pos, MEL_rem, MEL_tmp
MEL_tmp = 2*MEL_tmp + bit
MEL_rem = MEL_rem - 1
if (MEL_rem == 0)
    MEL_buf[MEL_pos] = MEL_tmp
    MEL_pos = MEL_pos + 1
    MEL_rem = (MEL_tmp == 0xFF) ? 7:8
    MEL_tmp = 0
```

Once all VLC bits and MEL bits have been emitted for a code-block, the termMELandVLCPackers procedure is invoked, as shown in the following. Here, the MEL and VLC byte-streams are not separately terminated, but their state variables are manipulated by the termMELandVLCPackers procedure. This is not the only termination procedure that can be used; more aggressive termination schemes can result in the occasional saving of one or even more bytes, by considering larger potential overlaps between the MEL and VLC bit-streams. After invoking the termMELandVLCPackers procedure, the HT cleanup segment is formed by concatenating the MS_pos byte long terminated MagSgn byte-stream, the MEL_pos byte long terminated MEL byte-stream and a reversed copy of the VLC_pos byte long VLC byte-stream, yielding an array Dcup with Lcup bytes, the last 2 bytes of which are modified to reflect the suffix length Scup = MEL_pos + VLC_POS, as follows:

```
Dcup[Lcup-1] = Scup >> 4
Dcup[Lcup-2] = (Dcup[Lcup-2] & 0xF0) | (Scup & 0x0F)
```

Procedure: termMELandVLCPackers
State: MEL_pos, MEL_rem, MEL_tmp, VLC_pos, VLC_buf, VLC_bits, VLC_last
MEL_tmp $=$ MEL_tmp $\ll$ MEL_rem

VLC_mask $=0 \times F F>\left(8-V L C \_b i t s\right) \quad / /$ if VLC_bits is 0, VLC_mask $=0$
if ((MEL_mask | VLC_mask) == 0)
return // last MEL byte cannot be FF, since then MEL_rem would be < 8
fuse $=$ MEL_tmp | VLC_tmp
if ( (( ( fuse ^ MEL_tmp) \& MEL_mask) | ((fuse ^ VLC_tmp) \& VLC_mask)) == 0) \&\&
(fuse ! = 0xFF))
MEL_buf[MEL_pos] = fuse
else
MEL_buf[MEL_pos] = MEL_tmp // MEL_tmp cannot be 0xFF here
VLC_buf [VLC_pos] = VLC_tmp
VLC_pos = VLC_pos +1
MEL_pos = MEL_pos + 1

To generate the SigProp byte-stream, the encoder passes magnitude and sign bits, as required, to the emitSPBit procedure, after initializing state variables with the initSPPacker procedure. The emitSPBit procedure assumes the existence of a buffer (array) denoted SP_buf, with sufficient length to accommodate all generated SigProp bytes, which can readily be bounded.

```
Procedure: initSPPacker
State: SP_pos, SP_bits, SP_max, SP_tmp
SP_pos = 0
SP bits = 0
SP_max = 8
SP_tmp = 0
```

Procedure: emitSPBit
Input: bit
State: SP_pos, SP_bits, SP_max, SP_tmp
SP_tmp $=$ SP_tmp | (bit $\ll$ SP_bits)
SP_bits = SP_bits +1
if (SP_bits == SP_max)
SP_buf[SP_pos] = SP_tmp
$S P$ pos $=S P$ pos +1
$S P$ max $=\left(S P \_t m p==0 x F F\right) ? 7: 8$
SP tmp $=0$
SP_bits $=0$

To generate the MagRef byte-stream, the encoder passes magnitude refinement bits, as required, to the emitMRBit procedure, after initializing state variables with the initMRPacker procedure. The emitMRBit procedure assumes the existence of a buffer (array) denoted MR buf, with sufficient length to accommodate all generated MagRef bytes, which can readily be bounded.

```
Procedure: initMRPacker
State: MR_pos, MR_bits, MR_tmp, MR_last
MR_pos = 0
MR_bits = 0
MR_tmp = 0
MR_last = 255
```

```
Procedure: emitMRBit
Input: bit
State: MR_pos, MR_bits, MR_tmp, MR_last
MR_tmp \(=\) MR_tmp | (bit \(\ll\) MR_bits)
MR_bits \(=\) MR_bits +1
if ( \(\left(M R \_\right.\)last \(\left.\left.>0 \times 8 F\right) \& \&\left(M R \_t m p==0 \times 7 F\right)\right)\)
    MR bits \(=\) MR bits \(+1 \quad / /\) this must leave MR bits equal to 8
if (MR_bits == 8)
    MR_buf [MR_pos] = MR_tmp
    MR_pos = MR_pos +1
    MR_last \(=M R \_t m p\)
    \(M R \_t m p=0\)
    MR_bits \(=0\)
```

To generate an HT refinement segment that involves no MagRef information, the encoder can terminate the SigProp bytestream by invoking the termSPPacker procedure in the following, after which the terminated SP_pos byte long SigProp byte-stream becomes the HT refinement segment.

```
Procedure: termSPPacker
State: SP_pos, SP_bits, SP_max, SP_tmp
if (SP_tmp ! = 0)
    SP_buf[SP_pos] \(=S P \_t m p\)
    SP_pos \(=\) SP_pos +1
    \(S P_{\text {_max }}=\left(S P_{-} \mathrm{tmp}==0 x F F\right) ? 7: 8\)
if (SP_max \(==7\) )
    SP_buf[SP_pos] \(=0 \times 00\)
    \(S P \_p o s=S P \_p o s+1 / /\) this prevents the appearance of a terminal FF
```

To generate an HT refinement segment that contains the bits produced by both HT SigProp and HT MagRef coding passes, the encoder can invoke the termSPandMRPackers procedure in the following, after which the HT refinement segment is formed by concatenating the SP_pos byte long terminated SigProp byte-stream and a reversed copy of the MR_pos byte long MagRef byte-stream. In this case, neither the SigProp nor MagRef byte-streams are separately terminated, but their state variables are manipulated by the termSPandMRPackers procedure. This is not the only termination procedure that can be used; more aggressive termination schemes can result in the occasional saving of one or even more bytes, by considering larger potential overlaps between the SigProp and MagRef bit-streams.

```
Procedure: termSPandMRPackers
State: SP_pos, SP_bits, SP_max, SP_tmp, MR_pos, MR_buf, MR_bits, MR_last
SP_mask = 0xFF >> (8-SP_bits) // if SP_bits is 0, SP_mask = 0
SP_mask = SP_mask | ((1<<SP_max) & 0x80) // Augments SP_mask to cover any stuff bit
MR_mask = 0xFF >> (8-MR_bits) // if MR_bits is 0, MR_mask = 0
if ((SP_mask | MR_mask) == 0)
    return // last SP byte cannot be FF, since then SP_max would be 7
fuse = SP_tmp | MR_tmp
if ((((fuse ^ SP_tmp) & SP_mask) | ((fuse ^ MR_tmp) & MR_mask)) == 0)
    SP_buf[SP_pos] = fuse // fuse always < 0x80 here; no false marker risk
else
    SP_buf[SP_pos] = SP_tmp // SP_tmp cannot be 0xFF
    MR_buf[MR_pos] = MR_tmp
    MR_pos = MR_pos + 1
SP_pos = SP_pos + 1
```


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