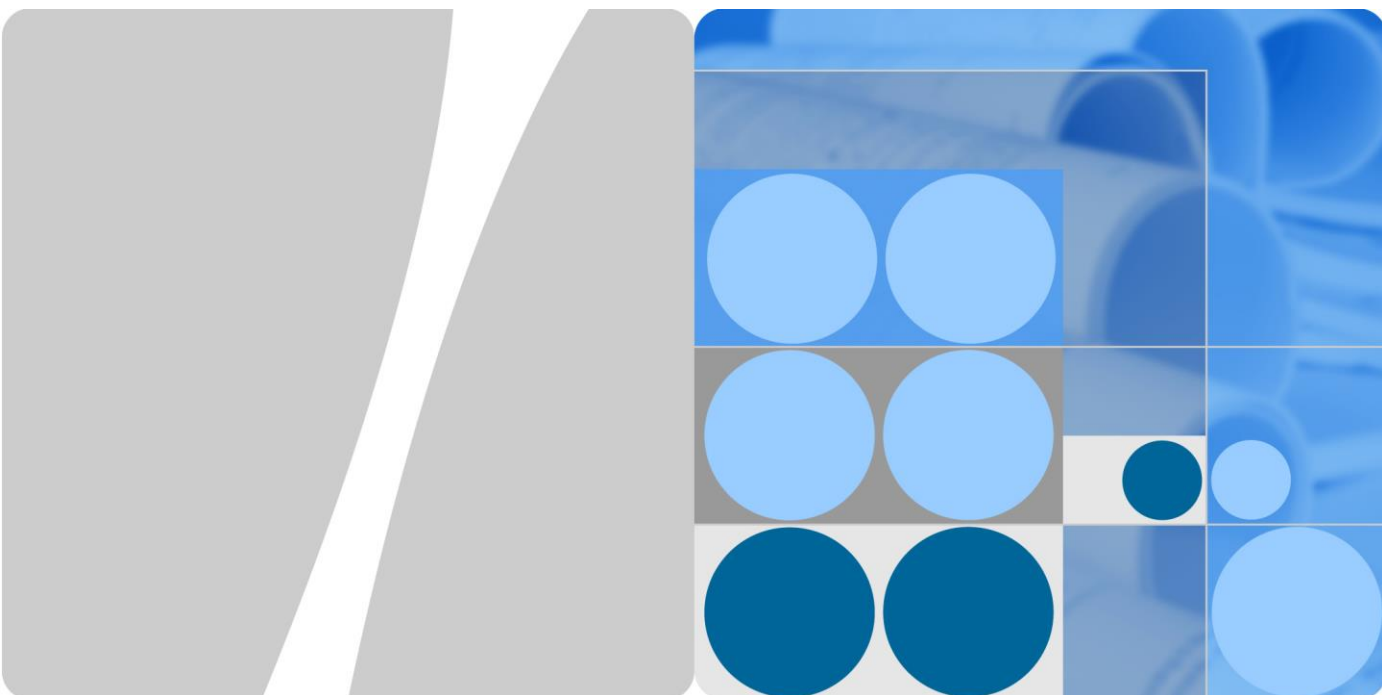


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About This Document

Summary

This document provides information about the major functions, supported services, system architecture, and technical references of HiLink E3131 HSPA+ USB Stick (hereinafter referred to as the HiLink E3131).

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2 Features	The supported features and technical specifications of the HiLink E3131.
3 Services and Applications	The services and applications of the HiLink E3131.
4 System Architecture	The architecture of the HiLink E3131.
5 Technical Reference	The technical references of the HiLink E3131.
6 Packing List	The items contained in the package of the HiLink E3131.

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1 Overview

HiLink E3131 HSPA+ USB Stick(hereinafter referred to as the E3131) as a high speed network access terminal product, in order to meet the requirement from different operators, the sub-products E3131h-1, E3131h-2 and E3131i-2 are included, which support different frequency bands, the detailed as below:

- E3131h-1 HSPA+/UMTS 2100 MHz,
EDGE/GPRS/GSM 850/900/1800/1900 MHz
- E3131h-2/E3131i-2 HSPA+/UMTS 2100/900 MHz,
EDGE/GPRS/GSM 850/900/1800/1900 MHz

The HiLink E3131 supports the following standards:

- High-speed Packet Access Plus (HSPA+)
- Universal Mobile Telecommunications System (UMTS)
- Enhanced data rates for GSM Evolution Global Evolution (EDGE)
- General packet radio service (GPRS)
- Global system for mobile communications (GSM)
- Wideband Code Division Multiple Access (WCDMA)

The HiLink E3131 provides the following services:

- HSPA+ packet data service
- HSUPA packet data service
- HSDPA/UMTS packet data service
- EDGE/GPRS packet data service

You can connect the HiLink E3131 with the USB interface of a computer. In the service area of the HSPA+/UMTS/EDGE/GPRS/GSM network, you can surf the Internet and send/receive emails. The HiLink E3131 is fast, reliable, and easy to operate. Thus, mobile users can experience many new features and services with the HiLink E3131. These features and services will enable a large number of users to use the HiLink E3131 and the average revenue per user (ARPU) of operators will increase substantially.

Figure 1-1 shows the profile of the HiLink E3131.

Figure 1-1 HiLink E3131 profile



2 Features

2.1 Main Features

The HiLink E3131 mainly supports the following features:

- WCDMA/HSPA/HSPA+ 2100 MHz (E3131h-1), 900/2100 MHz(E3131h-2/E3131i-2), GSM/GPRS/EDGE 850/900/1800/1900 MHz
- Equalizer and receive diversity
- HSPA+ data service of up to 21.6 Mbit/s
- HSUPA data service of up to 5.76 Mbit/s
- WCSMA PS domain data service of up to 384 kbit/s
- EDGE PS domain data service of up to 236.8 kbit/s
- GPRS PS domain data service of up to 85.6 kbit/s
- Micro Secure Digital Memory (microSD) Card
- USB Stick, easy to connect
- Plug-and-Play
- Standard USB interface (Type A)
- External antenna interface
- Windows XP SP3, Windows Vista SP1/SP2, Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 8.1 (Note: Does not support windows RT); Mac OS X10.7, 10.8 and 10.9 with latest upgrades
- HiLink features (Driver free, Zero installation, Auto connect)

2.2 Technical Specifications

2.2.1 Hardware

Table 2-1 Hardware specifications

Item	Specifications
Technical standard	GSM/GPRS/EGPRS WCDMA/HSDPA R5, HSUPA R6, HSPA+ R7
Operating frequency	WCDMA/HSPA+/HSPA 2100 MHz: 1920 MHz~1980 MHz (Uplink)/2110 MHz~2170 MHz (Downlink) WCDMA/HSPA+/HSPA 900 MHz: 880 MHz~915 MHz (Uplink)/925 MHz~960 MHz (Downlink) GSM/GPRS/EDGE 850 MHz: 824 MHz ~849 MHz (Uplink)/869 MHz ~894 MHz (Downlink) GSM/GPRS/EDGE 900 MHz: 880 MHz~915 MHz (Uplink)/925 MHz~960 MHz (Downlink) GSM/GPRS/EDGE 1800 MHz: 1710 MHz~1785 MHz (Uplink)/1805 MHz~1880 MHz (Downlink) GSM/GPRS/EDGE 1900 MHz: 1850 MHz~1910 MHz (Uplink)/1930 MHz~1990 MHz (Downlink)
External interfaces	USB 2.0 High Speed
	SIM/USIM card: standard 6-pin SIM card interface
	External antenna interface
	microSD Card Slot
LED	Indicating the status of the HiLink E3131
Maximum transmitter power	WCDMA/HSPA+ 2100/900 MHz: 24 dBm +1/-3 (Power Class 3)
	GSM/GPRS 850/900 MHz: +33 dBm (Power Class 4)
	GSM/GPRS 1800/1900 MHz: +30 dBm (Power Class 1)
	EDGE 850/900 MHz:+27 dBm (Power Class E2)
	EDGE 1800/1900 MHz: +26 dBm (Power Class E2)
Static receiver sensitivity	WCDMA/HSPA+ 2100/900 MHz: Compliant with 3GPP TS 25.101(R7)
	GSM/GPRS/EDGE 850/900/1800/1900 MHz: Compliant with 3GPP TS 05.05
Maximum power consumption	< 3.0 W

Item	Specifications
Power supply	5 V / 500 mA
Dimensions (D x W x H)	85.4 mm × 27 mm × 12.5mm
Weight	< 30g
Temperature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operating: -10°C to +45°C • Storage: -20°C to +70°C
Humidity	5% to 95%
Notes: 3GPP = The 3rd Generation Partnership Project EGPRS = enhanced GPRS LED = light-emitting diode MSC = mobile switching center SIM = subscriber identity module TS = technical specification USIM = UMTS subscriber identity module	

2.2.2 Software Specifications

Table 2-2 Software specifications

Item	Description
Basic specifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Driver free • Zero installation • Auto connect, auto reconnect • Display the device information by website
PIN management	PIN unlock
Special SMS reminding	Support the display of unread service messages (Customizing service number required)
Device information display	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connection status • Signal • Operator name • Network mode • Roam status

Item	Description
System requirement	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Windows XP SP3, Windows Vista SP1/SP2, Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 8.1 (Note: Does not support windows RT); Mac OS X10.7, 10.8 and 10.9 with latest upgrades• Your computer's hardware system should meet or exceed the recommended system requirements for the installed version of OS• Display resolution: 800 × 600 or above
Notes: PIN = personal identification number PUK = PIN unblocking key	

3 Services and Applications

3.1 Packet Data Service

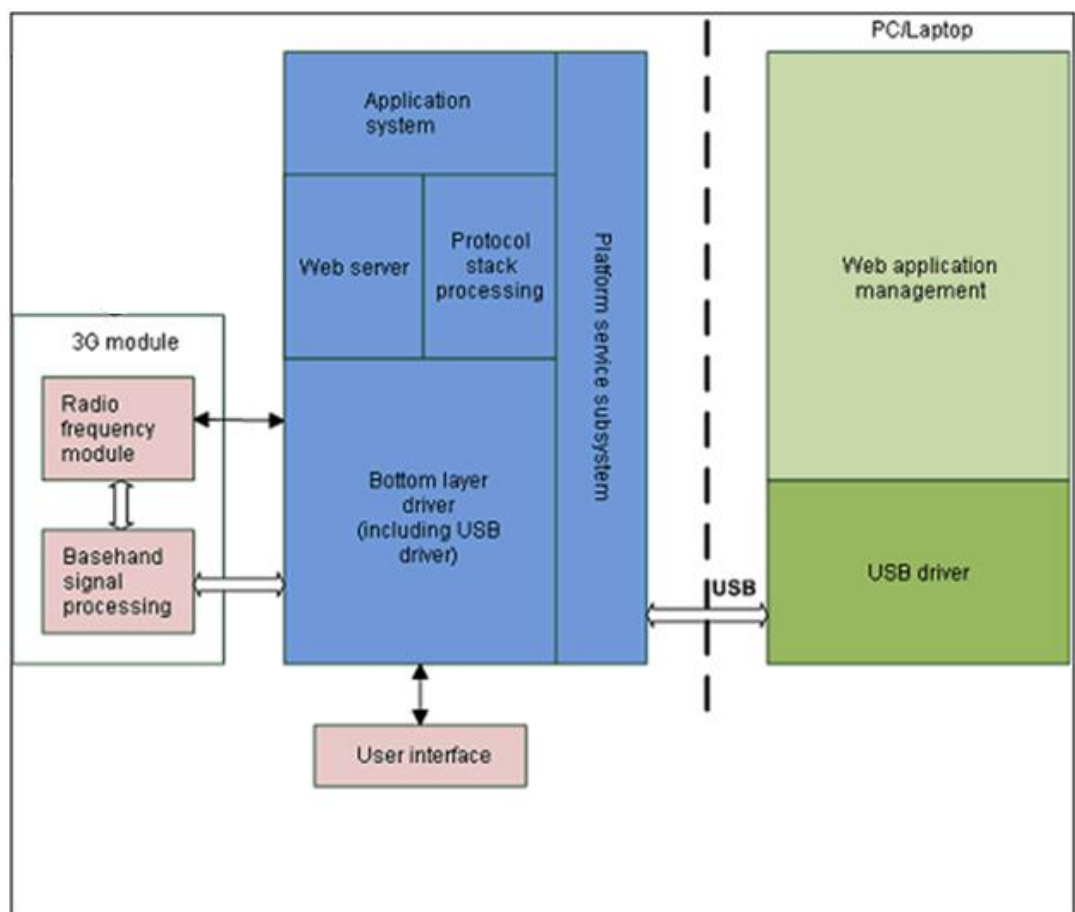
The HiLink E3131 supports the data service based on HSPA+/HSUPA/HSDPA/UMTS/EDGE/GPRS

After you connect the HiLink E3131 to a PC with the USB interface, the HiLink E3131 will connect the network automatically. Then you can send or receive E-mail, access the network through wireless connection, and download files through wireless data channels.

4 System Architecture

4.1 System Architecture

Figure 4-1 System architecture



4.2 Functional Modules

Radio Frequency Module

It sends/receives radio signals and modulates/demodulates the radio frequency (RF) signals and baseband signals.

Baseband Signal Processing

It processes WCDMA/GSM/GPRS baseband digital signals, including:

- Modulating/Demodulating WCDMA/HSPA/HSPA+ baseband signals
- Modulating/Demodulating EDGE/GPRS/GSM baseband signals
- Encoding/Decoding WCDMA/HSPA/HSPA+ channel
- Encoding/Decoding EDGE/GPRS/GSM channel

Bottom Layer Driver

It drives peripherals, including USB, microSD and SIM/USIM card and so on.

Platform Service Subsystem

It initializes programs, diagnoses the running of the system, downloads data and serves as a watchdog.

Protocol Stack System

It processes protocols of WCDMA (UMTS)/HSPA/HSPA+/GSM/GPRS/EDGE.

User Interface

It provides interfaces to connect peripherals. Interfaces are for LED, microSD and SIM/USIM.

User Driver within OS

It is used for achieving the interaction between application and device.

Application Management

The application for accessing the network.

5 Technical Reference

5.1 Layer 1 Specifications (Physical)

- Examples of Channel Coding and Multiplexing TR 25.944
- Physical Layer–General Description TS 25.201
- Physical Channels and Mapping of Transport Channels onto Physical Channels (FDD) TS 25.211
- Multiplexing and Channel Coding (FDD) TS 25.212
- Spreading and Modulation (FDD) TS 25.213
- Physical Layer–Procedures (FDD) TS 25.214
- Physical Layer–Measurements (FDD) TS 25.215
- 3GPP HSDPA overall description 25.308
- 3GPP UE radio access capabilities 25.306

5.2 Layer 2 Specifications (MAC/RLC)

- MAC Protocol Specification TS 25.321
- RLC Protocol Specification TS 25.322

5.3 Layer 3 Specifications (RRC)

- UE Interlayer Procedures in Connected Mode TS 25.303
- UE Procedures in Idle Mode TS 25.304
- RRC Protocol Specification TS 25.331

5.4 Layer 3 NAS/Core Network (MM/CM)

- Architectural Requirements for Release 1999 TS 23.121
- NAS Functions Related to Mobile Station (MS) in Idle Mode TS 23.122
- Mobile Radio Interface Signaling Layer 3–General Aspects TS 24.007
- Mobile Radio Interface Layer 3 Specification–Core Network TS 24.008
- PP SMS Support on Mobile Radio Interface TS24.011

5.5 GSM Protocol Specifications

- Mobile Radio Interface Layer 3 Specification, Radio Resource Control Protocol TS 04.18
- Mobile Station–Base Station System (MS–BSS) interface; Data Link (DL) Layer Specification TS 04.06
- Digital Cellular Telecommunications System (Phase 2+); Multiplexing and Multiple Access on the Radio Path TS 05.02
- Technical Specification Group GERAN; Channel coding TS 05.03
- Digital Cellular Telecommunications System (Phase 2+); Radio Subsystem Link Control TS 05.08
- Digital Cellular Telecommunications System (Phase 2+); Radio Subsystem Synchronization TS 05.10

5.6 GPRS Protocol Specifications

- Overall Description of the GPRS Radio Interface; stage 2 TS 3.64
- Mobile Radio Interface Layer 3 Specification TS 04.08
- Mobile Radio Interface Layer 3 Specification: Radio Resource Control Protocol TS 04.18
- General Packet Radio Service (GPRS): Mobile Station (MS)–Base Station System (BSS) interface; Radio Link Control/Medium Access Control (RLC/MAC) protocol TS 04.60
- Mobile Station–Serving GPRS Support Node (MS–SGSN) Logical Link Control (LLC) Layer Specification TS 04.64
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- Modulation TS 05.04
- Radio Transmission and Reception TS 05.05
- General Packet Radio Service (GPRS); Stage 1 TS 22.060
- Mobile Execution Environment (MexE) TS 23.057
- General Packet Radio Service (GPRS) Service description; stage 2 TS 23.060

5.7 General Specifications

- UE Capability Requirements TR 21.904
- UE Radio Access Capabilities TR 25.926
- Vocabulary TR 25.990
- Radio Interface Protocol Architecture TS 25.301
- Services Provided by the Physical Layer TS 25.302
- Synchronization in UTRAN Stage 2 TS 25.402

5.8 Performance/Test Specifications

- UE Radio Transmission and Reception (FDD) TS 25.101
- Common Test Environments for User Equipment (UE) TS 34.108
- Special Conformance Testing Functions TS 34.109
- Terminal Conformance Specification TS 34.121
- User Equipment (UE) Conformance Specification; Part 1: Protocol Conformance TS 34.123-1
- User Equipment (UE) Conformance Specification; Part 2: Protocol Conformance TS 34.123-2

5.9 SIM Specifications

- SIM and IC Card Requirements TS 21.111
- 3rd Gen. Partnership Proj Tech. Spec. Group Terminals; SIM App. Toolkit (USAT) TS 31.111

6 Packing List

This chapter describes the items contained in the package of the HiLink E3131.

Table 6-1 Packing list of the HiLink E3131

Item	Quantity	Remarks
HiLink E3131 HSPA+ USB Stick	1	Standard
HiLink E3131 HSPA+ USB Stick Quick Start	1	Standard
Safety Information	1	Standard
USB external cable	1	Optional
microSD Card	1	Optional

A Acronyms and Abbreviations

3GPP	3rd Generation Partnership Project
APN	Access Point Name
ARPU	Average Revenue Per User
BSS	Base Station Subsystem
CM	Connection Management
CS domain	Circuit Switched domain
EDGE	Enhanced Data Rates for GSM Evolution
EGPRS	Enhanced GPRS
FDD	Frequency Division Duplex
GERAN	GSM/EDGE Radio Access Network
GPRS	General Packet Radio Service
GSM	Global System for Mobile Communications
HSPA+	High-Speed Packet Access Plus
HSUPA	High-Speed Uplink Packet Access
HSDPA	High-Speed Downlink Packet Access
LED	Light Emitting Diode
MAC	Medium Access Control
MexE	Mobile Execution Environment
MM	Mobility Management
Modem	Modulator Demodulator
MS	Mobile Station
MSC	Mobile Switching Center
NAS	Non-Access Stratum
OS	Operating System
PC/SC	Personal Computer/Smart Card
PIN	Personal Identification Number

PnP	Plug and Play
PP	Point-to-Point
PS domain	Packet Switched domain
PUK	PIN Unblocking Key
RF	Radio Frequency
RLC	Radio Link Control
RRC	Radio Resource Control
SGSN	Serving GPRS Support Node
SIM	Subscriber Identity Module
SMS	Short Messaging Service
SNDCP	Subnetwork Dependent Convergence Protocol
TR	Technical Report
TS	Technical Specification
UE	User Equipment
UMTS	Universal Mobile Telecommunications System
USAT	USIM Application Toolkit
USB	Universal Serial Bus
USIM	UMTS Subscriber Identity Module
UTRAN	UMTS Terrestrial Radio Access Network
WCDMA	Wideband Code Division Multiple Access