Low Latency Requirements for SCB.

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For Discussion of issues relating to frame structure in 802.16-2012 OFDMA Phy Mode

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- OFDMA Phy Mode has numerous frame lengths: 2.5msec to 20msec.
 - 2.5msec:
 - low latency for HARQ signalling
 - Large overheads (3 symbol PUSC zone for IR/PR/HARQ/CQI every frame), every frame contains preamble.
 - 20msec:
 - Large latency for HARQ signalling
 - Smaller overheads

Require Frame Structure that allows low latency HARQ but is still high efficiency

- E.g. In TD-LTE, 10msec frames contain 10 1msec sub-frames, arranged as 2 groups of DL sub-frames, 2 of UL sub-frames.
- Need large frame to minimise overheads, but multiple UL and DL regions per frame to reduce HARQ latency.
- Use smaller TTG/RTG than OFDMA default of 50usec.