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1 Introduction

This document describes the Cinterion® PLSx3-X and PLSx3-X3 hardware design differences, including:

- Changes from PLSx3-X Rev. 2.2 to PLSx3-X3 Rev. 2.2
- Differences between PLS83-X/X3 Rev. 2.2 and PLS63-X/X3 Rev. 2.2

As US operator projects, PLSx3-X3 variants support different bands from base variants PLSx3-X, as shown in below Table 1. Both variants use the same footprint and PCB layout. Different hardware IDs are implemented to identify different variants.

Table 1: Supported frequent bands

Variants	Technology	2	4	5	12	13	14	25	26	66	71
PLS63/83-X (base	LTE	Х	Х	X	Х	X	X	X	X	X	x
variants)	WCDMA	Х	Х	Х							
PLS63/83-X3	LTE	Х	х		Х		Х			Х	
	WCDMA										

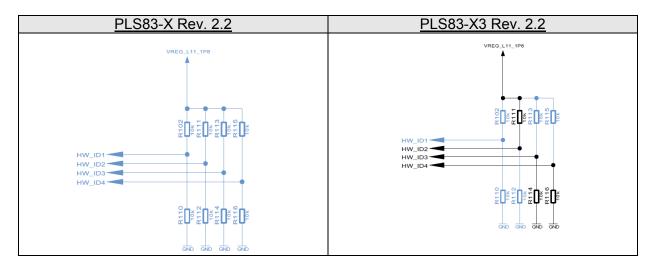
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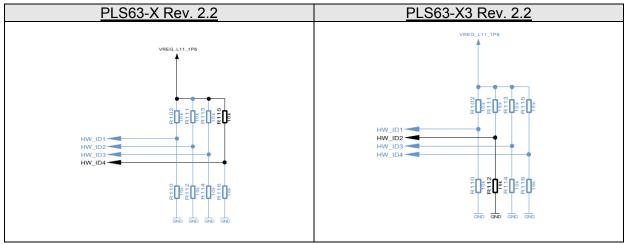
This section describes the differences on the baseband part.

Schematic Differences

The following section highlights the schematic differences on baseband between PLSx3-X Rev. 2.2 and PLSx3-X3 Rev. 2.2. Different hardware IDs are implemented to identify different variants.

Note: Components in black are populated, components in blue are not populated.





PLS83-X/X3 Rev. 2.2 is designed with a Cat. 4 processor, while PLS63-X/X3 is based on a Cat. 1 processor, the two processors are pin-pin compatible.

PLS83-X/X3 Rev. 2.2	PLS63-X/X3 Rev. 2.2
Cat. 4 processor	Cat. 1 processor
U100: 60000001376	U100: 60000001377

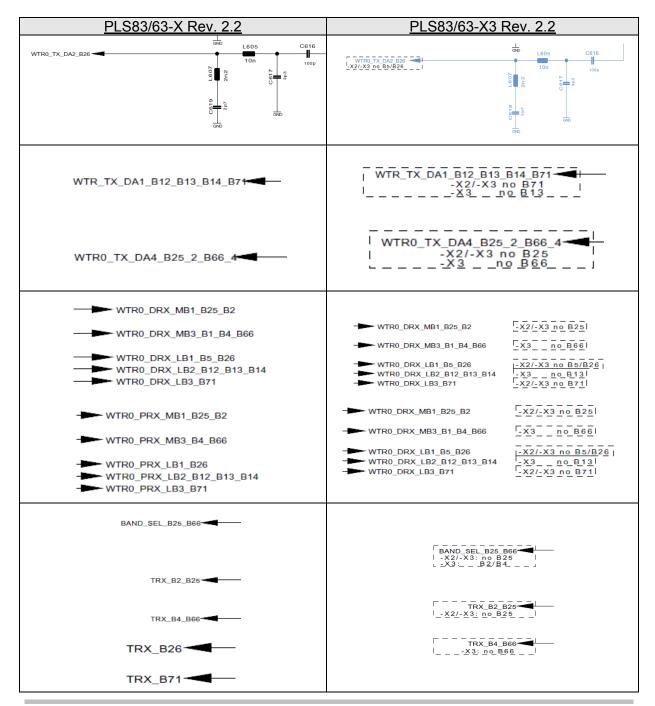
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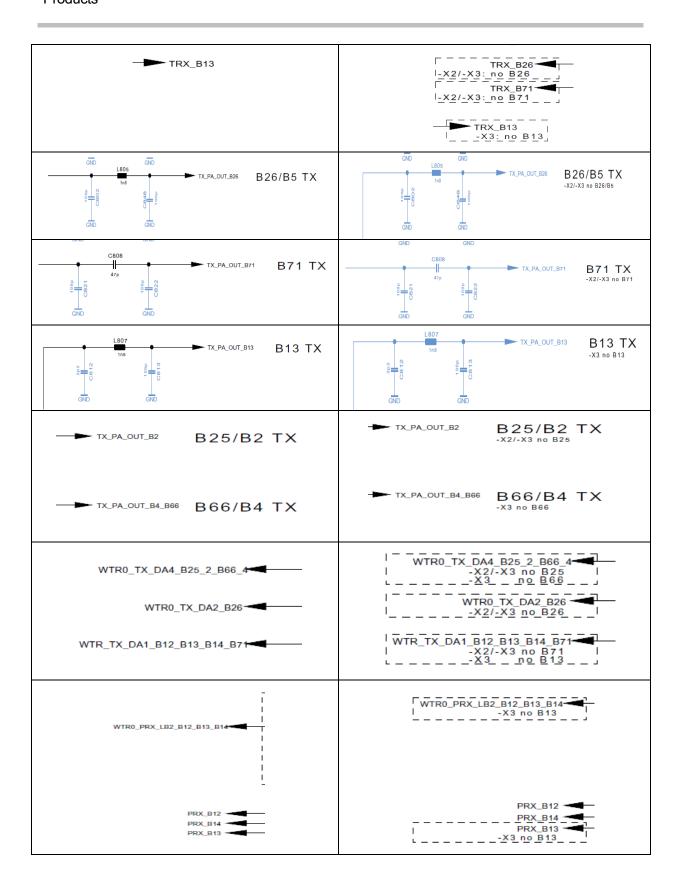
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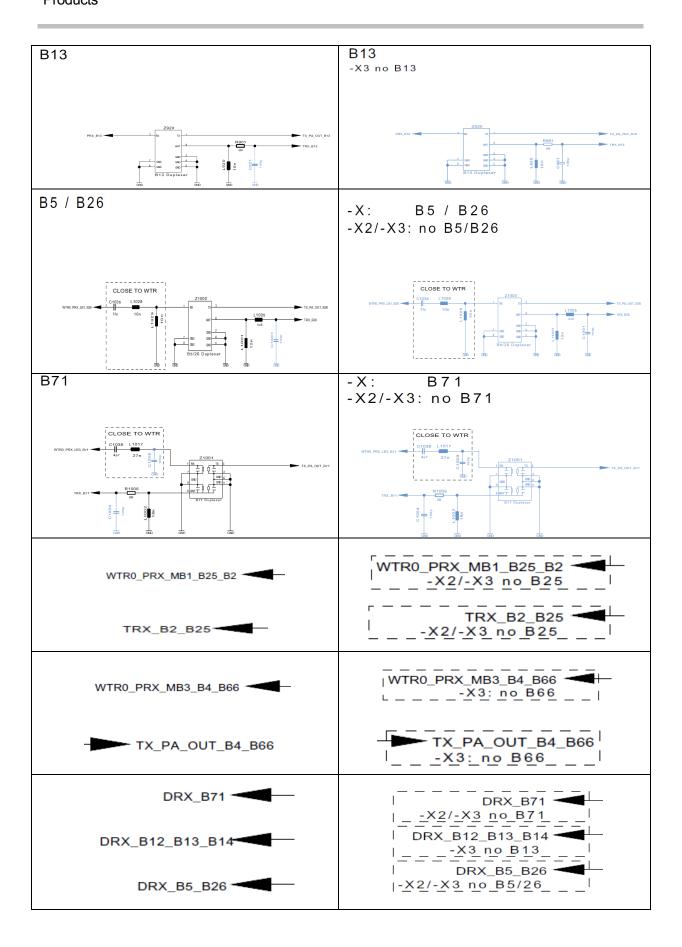
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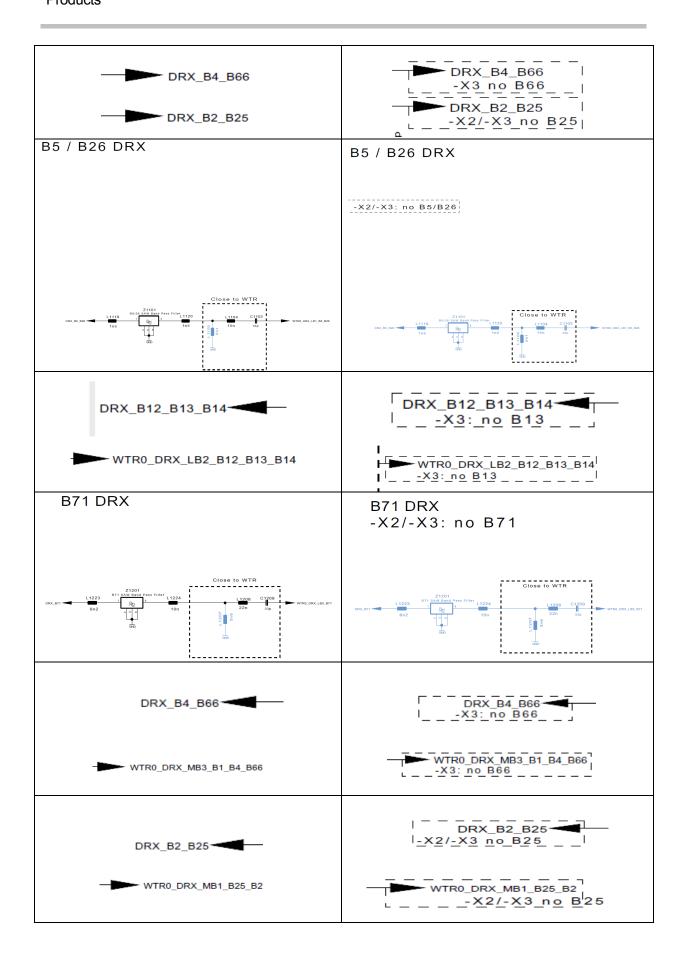
The following section highlights the schematic differences on RF between PLSx3-X Rev. 2.2 and PLSx3-X3 Rev. 2.2. The non-supporting bands are disabled in schematic RF part.

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