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**Amendment 1** 

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## **Summary**

This amendment changes the specification of frame formats from nibbles to octets.

# Change the following text in clause 6.3:

## 6.3 Mapping into $N \times 44736$ kbit/s

## 6.3.1 Frame format

The multiframe format at 44 736 kbit/s, as described in ITU-T Rec. G.704, shall be used. As illustrated in Figure 6-3, each 44 736 kbit/s subframe (M-subframe) contains 672 bits, which may be regarded as  $\frac{168 \text{ nibbles}}{168 \text{ nibbles}}$ , with  $\frac{21 \text{ nibbles}}{168 \text{ nibbles}}$ , with octets  $\frac{11}{168 \text{ nibbles}}$ ,  $\frac{11}{168 \text{ nibbles}}$ . The first octet  $\frac{11}{168 \text{ nibbles}}$  following the first framing bit (X1) of the multiframe is used to carry the concatenation overhead, as defined in G.7043/Y.1343 and illustrated in Figure 6-4. This octet is reserved for all values of N, (N=1...8).

GFP octets are mapped into the nibbles of the subframe with the GFP octet boundaries corresponding to a nibble boundary. At the receiver, the GFP frame delineation must be performed for each of the two possible nibble alignments of the octets in order to identify the proper alignment. Individual GFP frames can cross subframe boundaries, as illustrated in Figure 6-4. This mapping is similar to the HEC-based mapping of ATM into 44 736 kbit/s signals described in ITU-T Rec. G.804, which also uses an octet to nibble mapping.

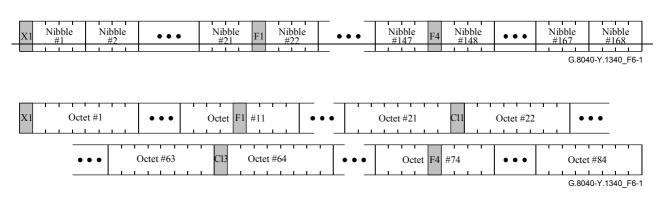


Figure 6-3/G.8040/Y.1340 — Nibble Octet structure for the 44 736 kbit/s signal subframe

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