

Bitrate header in RTSP

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Background

- Sometimes a user wants to know bitrate range of media source and change transport bitrate.
 - Selecting a suitable bitrate to start with
 - Applying to bandwidth reservation by RSVP
 - Applying to increase access bandwidth
 - Changing transport bitrate according to the user's perception of quality during the playing

Requirement

- A large number of alternative bitrates and their private descriptions will result in a very large SDP offer. Future advanced video codec can provide more and more bitrates within one media file, such as hundreds or thousands of bitrates .
- Can we optimize media description to increase efficiency and flexibility? If there are some alternative bitrates of the same codec, we only offer a default bitrate to the client.

Example

```
m=video 0 RTP/AVP 98
a=rtpmap:98 MP4V-ES/90000
a=fmtp:98 profile-level-id=8;
b=AS:44
a=control:trackID=4
a=X-initpredecbufperiod:98000
b=AS:16
a=control:trackID=3
a=X-initpredecbufperiod:48000
b=AS:104
a=control:trackID=5
a=X-initpredecbufperiod:150000
```

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C->S GET_PARAMATER
rtsp://...../ trackid=4
    bitrate
S->C 200 OK
    bitrate: 44K, 16K, 104K

C->S PLAY rtsp://...../trackid=4
    Bitrate: 104K
S->C 200 OK
    Bitrate: 104K
    x-initpredecbufperiod: 150000
```

Approach

- Inquire—GET_PARAMETER bitrate
bitrate: 512K, 1M, 2M; bitrate: 512K-1.5M
- Change—PLAY Bitrate
Bitrate: 512K

Any questions?

thanks