ISO/IEC SC25/WG3 Liaison Report

- Customer Premises Cabling –

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ISO/IEC SC25/WG3 Meeting Virtual: 24th February – 6th March 20224 - Customer Premises Cabling -Key Items:

1. Generic single-pair cabling has developed, with three new classes of cabling in 11801-1 Amd1, which has been approved for publication.

- 2. The cable heating and bundling technical specification amendment to include up to 2A SPE was published October 2024.
- 3. It will be required that cabling with current carrying capacity bellow 2A is assessed, labelled and identified according to the administration requirements of 14763-2, and it has been clarified that SP cabling is intended to carry up to 2A.
- 4. The 11801-6 standard for Distributed Cablings Systems is waiting for a circulation of a CDV.
- 5. The Planning and installation standard 14762-2 is being updated to included considerations of single pair cabling and 2A remote powering, including cable heating considerations.
- 6. Work has begun to collate potential topics for a 2nd amendment to ISO 11801-1.
- 7. ISO/IEC 14763-3 optical fiber testing was approved for publication on 19th March 2024, and early work on a next edition/revision/amendment has begun.
- 8. Technical report ISO/IEC TR 11801- 9911 to provide guidance on 0.75A legacy classes cable sharing with single pair cabling was published November 2024.
- 9. Technical report ISO/IEC TR 11801- 9906 to provide guidance on application specific single pair cabling was published January 2025.
- 10. The Physical Network Security 24383 draft gives requirements for multiple levels of security begins work on the next CD.
- 11. Cabling Sustainability 14763-5 is at FDIS and will be published Q1 2025.
- 12. The ISO 14763-5 Standard defining skillsets for installers has begun work on a second working draft.
- 13. TR11801-9903 Models will be updated to include common and mixed mode parameters and is waiting for a DTS.
- 14. A project to update the Grounding and bonding standard ISO 30129 moves to a FDIS.

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Process Model



Publications

ISO/IEC TS 29125 AMD:2024 Ttelecommunications cabling requirements for remote powering of terminal equipment – October 2024

- This amendment updates the cable heating and bundling technical specifications to include single pair cabling up to 2A.

ISO/IEC TR 11801-9911 Guidelines for the use of balanced single pair applications within a balanced 4-pair cabling system – November 2024.

- This provides guidelines for the use of single par cable systems within a balanced 4Pr cabling systems (cable sharing).

ISO/IEC TR 11801-9906 Balanced 1-pair cabling channels up to 600 MHz for single pair Ethernet (SPE) – January 2025

- This technical report provide application specific cabling and component specifications for all IEEE 802.3 single pair Ethernet applications.

Generic Cabling for Single-pair Applications

- Amendments to generic cabling standards were reviewed:
 - ISO/IEC 11801-1 General
 - ISO/IEC 11801-6 Distributed building services
- 3 classes of single-pair cabling are being developed.
 - T1-A, 20 MHz, 1000m (Generic cabling including support of 802.3cg)
 - Split into 1000m, 400m, 250m & 100m Sub classes
 - T1-B 600MHz 100m (Generic cabling including support of other IEEE SPE)
 - T1-C Additionally 1250MHz, 100m to present additional generic opportunities
- ISO/IEC <u>11801-1 Amd1</u>, saw no technical changes during comment resolution on the CDV and was approved for publication without going through the FDIS stage. Publication is expected Q2 2025.
 - No changes were made to the use of assessment of the cabling to establish current carrying capacity and clear identification of cabling rated below 2A.
- A 7th CD of ISO/IEC <u>11801-6 Amd1</u> (Distributed Building Systems) will be circulated and is only waiting resolution of the topics in ISO/IEC 11801-1 Amd 1.

Single pair integration into ISO 14763-2 and TS 29125

- Work continues to address the changes that will be needed for single pair cabling within the planning and installation standard ISO 14763-2.
- This will include:-
 - Consideration of cable heating in bundles for 2A powering
 - There will be significant length derating as result considering thermal rise
 - 2A may also greatly reduce the number of cable is in a bundle.
 - Changes to the RP levels of powering class to reflect single pair currents
 - Identification and administration of cabling rated below 2A.
- ISO/IEC TS 29125 AMD2:2-2024 which includes cable heating and bundling considerations for single pair up to 2A was published in October 2024.

ISO 14763-3 Optical testing

- Following publication of the 2024 edition of the ISO 14763-3 standard for testing of optical fibre cabling, SC25 WG3 is conducting preliminary work to review content for the next update to this document.
- Possible Topics include:-
 - PON testing (Power Meter, OTDR)*
 - PON Optical return Loss requirements and testing*
 - Addition of Reference connectors (MPO16)
 - Testing of Breakout Links/ Components
 - Review the test methods and guidance on test equipment and MPO connectors
 - 3 Jumper test Method discussion
- Work will continue at the next SC25 WG3 to define what content will be included at the next update.

ISO 11801-1 Amd 2

 With the imminent publication ISO/11801-1 Amd.1, SC25 WG3 is conducting preliminary work to review content for the next update to 11801-1.

Possible topics include:-

- Updates to Optical cabling classes definitions
- Harmonisation of distances for 4pr cabling alignment between cabling in our 11801 series and 14763-2
- 100Mb SPE specified to 60 MHz.
- Link Length Equations for SPE
- Update current vs reach tables to include 2A
- Inclusion of MPO16 as a connector
- PON guidance including optical return loss
- Work will continue at the next SC25 WG3 to define what content will be included at the next update.

ISO/IEC 24383 Physical Network Security

- Comment resolution began on the 10th CDISO/IEC 24383 for physical network security including guidelines for customer premises in these areas:
 - Security planning
 - Security systems
 - Intelligent building systems
 - Administration systems
- The draft specifies requirements for 4 levels of security:
 - Open (to be based on 14763-2)
 - Restricted
 - Secure
 - Highly Secure
- A 11th CD for ISO/IEC 24383 will be following an interim series of meetings to complete comment resolution

ISO/IEC 14763-5 Cabling Sustainability

- The standard for physical network sustainability requirements ISO/IEC 14763-5 work continues to develop guidelines for customer premises in these areas:
 - Eco-friendly cabling materials and cabling systems
 - Equipment and accessories that consider the environment
 - System resilience and lifecycles (installation and operation)
 - Skill sets, training and management of construction technicians
- The standard is currently circulating as FDIS and publication is expected Q1 2025.

Modelling technical reports

- The project for ISO/IEC TR11801-9903 Modelling is moving forward as a CD to add mixed mode and common mode parameters to for the 16 port model of a 4-pair system.
- SC25 WG3 is moving forward with a project to provide guidance on Salz SNR modeling, to help development of cabling to support existing and future applications.
 - This will be included either as an Annex to TR11801-9903 or as a separate document.

Other items

- A project continues to update the Grounding and bonding standard ISO 30129, is waiting for circulation of the FDIS.
- A standard for the skillsets required for ICT installers ISO 14763-3, is preparing a 2nd working draft.
- SC25 WG3 agreed to put information regarding PON support into in AMD1 of 11801-1, and will continue to add content as part of a second amendment to ISO 11801-1, and also to the testing document 14763-3.

Upcoming Meetings

- October 13-16th 2025, TBD
- March 16 27th 2026, Virtual
- October 13-16th 2025, Paris
- November 16-19th 2026, Hamburg
- April 5-16th 2027, Virtual

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