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INTRODUCTION

This document is one of a series produced to facilitate the interconnection of automation system components. It is related to other standards in the set as defined by the “three-layer” fieldbus reference model described in IEC 61158-1.

Throughout the set of fieldbus standards, the term “service” refers to the abstract capability provided by one layer of the OSI Basic Reference Model to the layer immediately above. Thus, the data-link layer service defined in this document is a conceptual architectural service, independent of administrative and implementation divisions.

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1 Scope

1.1 General

This part of IEC 61158 provides common elements for basic time-critical messaging communications between devices in an automation environment. The term “time-critical” is used to represent the presence of a time-window, within which one or more specified actions are required to be completed with some defined level of certainty. Failure to complete specified actions within the time window risks failure of the applications requesting the actions, with attendant risk to equipment, plant and possibly human life.

This International Standard defines in an abstract way the externally visible service provided by the Type 19 fieldbus data-link layer in terms of

- a) the primitive actions and events of the service;
- b) the parameters associated with each primitive action and event, and the form which they take; and
- c) the interrelationship between these actions and events, and their valid sequences.

The purpose of this document is to define the services provided to

- the Type 19 fieldbus application layer at the boundary between the application and data-link layers of the fieldbus reference model, and
- systems management at the boundary between the data-link layer and systems management of the fieldbus reference model.

1.2 Specifications

The principal objective of this document is to specify the characteristics of conceptual data-link layer services suitable for time-critical communications, and thus supplement the OSI Basic Reference Model in guiding the development of data-link protocols for time-critical communications. A secondary objective is to provide migration paths from previously-existing industrial communications protocols.

This document may be used as the basis for formal DL-Programming-Interfaces. Nevertheless, it is not a formal programming interface, and any such interface will need to address implementation issues not covered by this specification, including:

- a) the sizes and octet ordering of various multi-octet service parameters, and
- b) the correlation of paired request and confirm, or indication and response, primitives.

1.3 Conformance

This document does not specify individual implementations or products, nor do they constrain the implementations of data-link entities within industrial automation systems.

There is no conformance of equipment to this data-link layer service definition standard. Instead, conformance is achieved through implementation of the corresponding data-link protocol that fulfils the Type 19 data-link layer services defined in this document.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

NOTE All parts of the IEC 61158 series, as well as IEC 61784-1 and IEC 61784-2 are maintained simultaneously. Cross-references to these documents within the text therefore refer to the editions as dated in this list of normative references.

ISO/IEC 7498-1, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – Basic Reference Model: The Basic Model*

ISO/IEC 7498-3, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – Basic Reference Model: Naming and addressing*

ISO/IEC 10731, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – Basic Reference Model – Conventions for the definition of OSI services*

3 Terms, definitions, symbols, abbreviations and conventions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms, definitions, symbols, abbreviations and conventions apply.

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3.1 Reference model terms and definitions

This document is based in part on the concepts developed in ISO/IEC 7498-1 and ISO/IEC 7498-3, and makes use of the following terms defined therein:

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3.1.2	DL-address-mapping	[7498-1]
3.1.3	called-DL-address	[7498-3]
3.1.4	calling-DL-address	[7498-3]
3.1.5	centralized multi-end-point-connection	[7498-1]
3.1.6	DL-connection	[7498-1]
3.1.7	DL-connection-end-point	[7498-1]
3.1.8	DL-connection-end-point-identifier	[7498-1]
3.1.9	DL-connection-mode transmission	[7498-1]
3.1.10	DL-connectionless-mode transmission	[7498-1]
3.1.11	correspondent (N)-entities	[7498-1]
	correspondent DL-entities (N=2)	
	correspondent Ph-entities (N=1)	

3.1.12	DL-duplex-transmission	[7498-1]
3.1.13	(N)-entity	[7498-1]
	DL-entity (N=2)	
	Ph-entity (N=1)	
3.1.14	DL-facility	[7498-1]
3.1.15	flow control	[7498-1]
3.1.16	(N)-layer	[7498-1]
	DL-layer (N=2)	
	Ph-layer (N=1)	
3.1.17	layer-management	[7498-1]
3.1.18	DL-local-view	[7498-3]
3.1.19	DL-name	[7498-3]
3.1.20	naming-(addressing)-domain	[7498-3]
3.1.21	peer-entities	[7498-1]
3.1.22	primitive name	[7498-3]
3.1.23	DL-protocol	[7498-1]
3.1.24	DL-protocol-connection-identifier	[7498-1]
3.1.25	DL-protocol-data-unit	[7498-1]
3.1.26	DL-relay	[7498-1]
3.1.27	reset	[7498-1]
3.1.28	responding-DL-address	[7498-3]
3.1.29	routing	[7498-1]
3.1.30	segmenting	[7498-1]
3.1.31	(N)-service	[7498-1]
	DL-service (N=2)	
	Ph-service (N=1)	
3.1.32	(N)-service-access-point	[7498-1]
	DL-service-access-point (N=2)	
	Ph-service-access-point (N=1)	
3.1.33	DL-service-access-point-address	[7498-3]
3.1.34	DL-service-connection-identifier	[7498-1]
3.1.35	DL-service-data-unit	[7498-1]
3.1.36	DL-simplex-transmission	[7498-1]
3.1.37	DL-subsystem	[7498-1]
3.1.38	systems-management	[7498-1]
3.1.39	DL-user-data	[7498-1]

3.2 Service convention terms and definitions

This document also makes use of the following terms defined in ISO/IEC 10731 as they apply to the data-link layer:

- 3.2.1 acceptor
- 3.2.2 asymmetrical service
- 3.2.3 confirm (primitive);
requestor.deliver (primitive)
- 3.2.4 deliver (primitive)
- 3.2.5 DL-confirmed-facility
- 3.2.6 DL-facility
- 3.2.7 DL-local-view
- 3.2.8 DL-mandatory-facility
- 3.2.9 DL-non-confirmed-facility
- 3.2.10 DL-provider-initiated-facility
- 3.2.11 DL-provider-optional-facility
- 3.2.12 DL-service-primitive;
primitive
- 3.2.13 DL-service-provider
- 3.2.14 DL-service-user
- 3.2.15 DL-user-optional-facility
- 3.2.16 indication (primitive);
acceptor.deliver (primitive)
- 3.2.17 multi-peer
- 3.2.18 request (primitive);
requestor.submit (primitive)
- 3.2.19 requestor
- 3.2.20 response (primitive);
acceptor.submit (primitive)
- 3.2.21 submit (primitive)
- 3.2.22 symmetrical service

3.3 Data-link service terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.3.1 communication cycle

fixed time period between two master synchronization telegrams in which real-time telegrams are transmitted in the RT channel and non real-time telegrams are transmitted in the IP channel

3.3.2**cycle time**

duration of a communication cycle

3.3.3**cyclic communication**

periodic exchange of telegrams

3.3.4**cyclic data**

part of a telegram, which does not change its meaning during cyclic operation of the network

3.3.5**device**

a slave in the communication network, (e.g., a power drive system as defined in the IEC 61800, I/O stations as defined in the IEC 61131)

3.3.6**device status**

four adjacent octets inside the acknowledge telegram containing status information for each device

3.3.7**DL-segment****link****local link**

single DL-subnetwork in which any of the connected DLEs may communicate directly, without any intervening DL-relaying, whenever all of those DLEs that are participating in an instance of communication are simultaneously attentive to the DL-subnetwork during the period(s) of attempted communication

3.3.8**DLSAP**

distinctive point at which DL-services are provided by a single DL-entity to a single higher-layer entity

Note 1 to entry: Definition derived from ISO/IEC 7498-1:1994, Clause 5.

3.3.9**DL(SAP)-address**

either an individual DLSAP-address, designating a single DLSAP of a single DLS-user, or a group DL-address potentially designating multiple DLSAPs, each of a single DLS-user

Note 1 to entry: This terminology is chosen because ISO/IEC 7498-3 does not permit the use of the term DLSAP-address to designate more than a single DLSAP at a single DLS-user.

3.3.10**(individual) DLSAP-address**

DL-address that designates only one DLSAP within the extended link

Note 1 to entry: A single DL-entity may have multiple DLSAP-addresses associated with a single DLSAP.

3.3.11**element**

part of IDNs – each IDN has 7 elements, whereas each one has a specific meaning (e.g., number, name, data)

**3.3.12
extended link**

DL-subnetwork, consisting of the maximal set of links interconnected by DL-relays, sharing a single DL-name (DL-address) space, in which any of the connected DL-entities may communicate, one with another, either directly or with the assistance of one or more of those intervening DL-relay entities

Note 1 to entry: An extended link may be composed of just a single link.

**3.3.13
frame**

denigrated synonym for DLPDU

**3.3.14
group DL-address**

DL-address that potentially designates more than one DLSAP within the extended link

Note 1 to entry: A single DL-entity may have multiple group DL-addresses associated with a single DLSAP. A single DL-entity also may have a single group DL-address associated with more than one DLSAP.

**3.3.15
identification number
IDN**

designation of operating data under which a data block is preserved with its attribute, name, unit, minimum and maximum input values, and the data

**3.3.16
master**

node, which assigns the other nodes (i.e., slaves) the right to transmit

**3.3.17
node**

single DL-entity as it appears on one local link

**3.3.18
protocol**

convention about the data formats, time sequences, and error correction in the data exchange of communication systems

**3.3.19
receiving DLS-user**

DL-service user that acts as a recipient of DL-user-data

Note 1 to entry: A DL-service user can be concurrently both a sending and receiving DLS-user.

**3.3.20
sending DLS-user**

DL-service user that acts as a source of DL-user-data

**3.3.21
service channel
SVC**

non-real-time transmission of information upon master request during RT channel

**3.3.22
slave**

node, which is assigned the right to transmit by the master

3.3.23 topology

physical network architecture with respect to the connection between the stations of the communication system

3.4 Symbols and abbreviations

AT	Acknowledge telegram
CA	Procedure command acknowledgment
CC	Cross communication between participants
DA	Destination address
DAT	Duration of acknowledge telegram
DL-	Data-link layer (as a prefix)
DLC	DL-connection
DLCEP	DL-connection-end-point
DLE	DL-entity (the local active instance of the data-link layer)
DLL	DL-layer
DLPCI	DL-protocol-control-information
DLPDU	DL-protocol-data-unit
DLM	DL-management
DLME	DL-management entity (the local active instance of DL-management)
DLMS	DL-management service
DLS	DL-service
DLSAP	DL-service-access-point
DLSDU	DL-service-data-unit
FIFO	First-in first-out (queuing method)
HS	service channel handshake (see AHS and MHS)
IDN	Identification number
INFO	service channel information
MC	motion control or motion controller (see also NC)
NC	numerical control (also control unit or controller)
OSI	Open systems interconnection
Ph-	Physical layer (as a prefix)
PhE	Ph-entity (the local active instance of the physical layer)
PhL	Ph-layer
QoS	Quality of service
RE	Resource element
RT	real-time
RTC	real-time channel
SA	source address
SI	Sub Index
SVC	Service Channel
XX	address of a device

3.5 Common conventions

This document uses the descriptive conventions given in ISO/IEC 10731.

The service model, service primitives, and time-sequence diagrams used are entirely abstract descriptions; they do not represent a specification for implementation.

Service primitives, used to represent service user/service provider interactions (see ISO/IEC 10731), convey parameters that indicate information available in the user/provider interaction.

This document uses a tabular format to describe the component parameters of the DLS primitives. The parameters that apply to each group of DLS primitives are set out in tables throughout the remainder of this document. Each table consists of up to six columns, containing the name of the service parameter, and a column each for those primitives and parameter-transfer directions used by the DLS:

- the request primitive's input parameters;
- the request primitive's output parameters;
- the indication primitive's output parameters;
- the response primitive's input parameters; and
- the confirm primitive's output parameters.

NOTE The request, indication, response and confirm primitives are also known as requestor.submit, acceptor.deliver, acceptor.submit, and requestor.deliver primitives, respectively (see ISO/IEC 10731).

One parameter (or part of it) is listed in each row of each table. Under the appropriate service primitive columns, a code is used to specify the type of usage of the parameter on the primitive and parameter direction specified in the column:

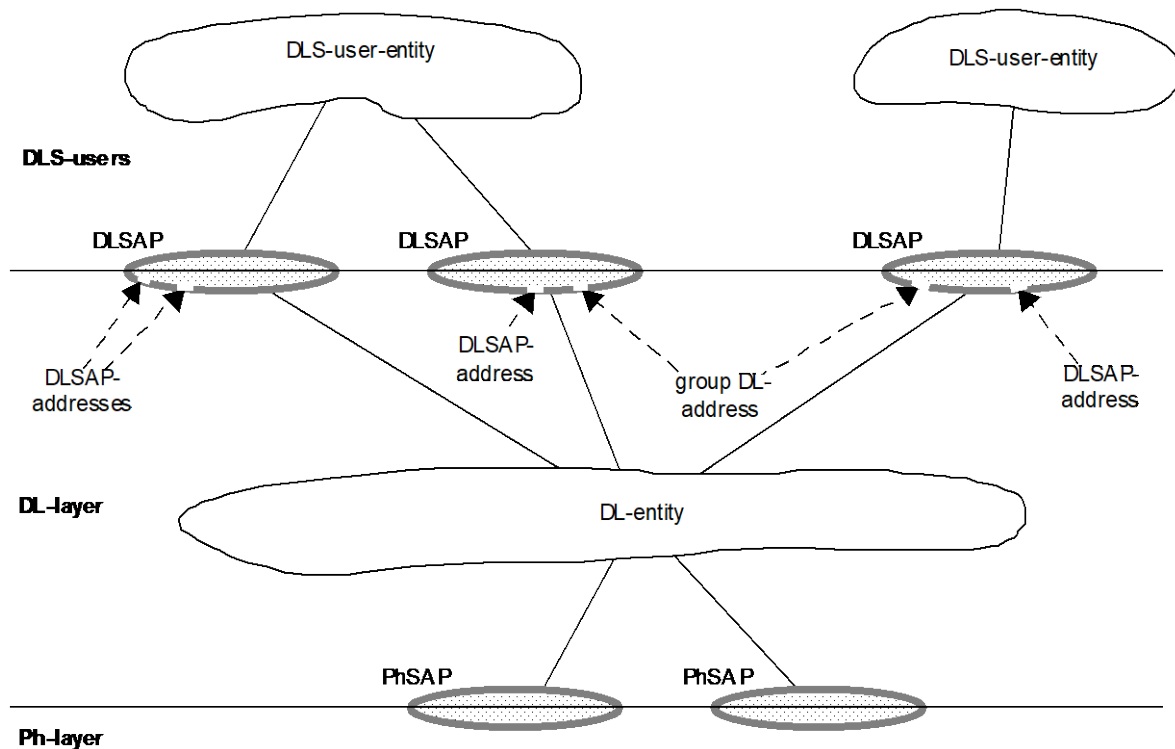
- M** – parameter is mandatory for the primitive.
- U** – parameter is a User option, and may or may not be provided depending on the dynamic usage of the DLS-user. When not provided, a default value for the parameter is assumed.
- C** – parameter is conditional upon other parameters or upon the environment of the DLS-user.
- (blank)** – parameter is never present.

Some entries are further qualified by items in brackets. These may be

- a) a parameter-specific constraint
 - (=) indicates that the parameter is semantically equivalent to the parameter in the service primitive to its immediate left in the table;
- b) an indication that some note applies to the entry
 - (n) indicates that the following note n contains additional information pertaining to the parameter and its use.

In any particular interface, not all parameters need be explicitly stated. Some may be implicitly associated with the DLSAP at which the primitive is issued.

Figure 1 shows the relationships of DLSAPs, DLSAP-addresses and group DL-addresses.



NOTE 1 DLSAPs and PhSAPs are depicted as ovals spanning the boundary between two adjacent layers.

NOTE 2 DL-addresses are depicted as designating small gaps (points of access) in the DLL portion of a DLSAP.

NOTE 3 A single DL-entity can have multiple DLSAP-addresses and group DL-addresses associated with a single DLSAP.

Figure 1 – Relationships of DLSAPs, DLSAP-addresses and group DL-addresses

In the diagrams which illustrate these interfaces, dashed lines indicate cause-and-effect or time-sequence relationships, and wavy lines indicate that events are roughly contemporaneous.

4 Data-link services and concepts

4.1 Overview

4.1.1 General

The data-link layer specifies Type 19 services for reading and writing data from devices in a Type 19 network (see Table 1). The mechanisms for using these services are related to the Type 19 specific Identification Numbers (IDN). There are four different types of services:

- Service channel services (confirmed, non-cyclic),
- Hot-Plug services (confirmed and unconfirmed, non-cyclic),
- Real-time channel setup services (confirmed, non-cyclic),
- Real-time services (unconfirmed, cyclic).