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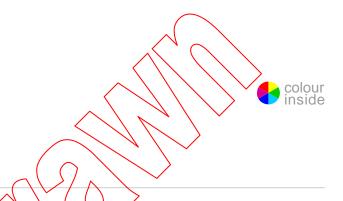
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In this Redline version, a vertical line in the margin shows where the technical content is modified by amendment 1. Additions are in green text, deletions are in strikethrough red text. A separate Final version with all changes accepted is available in this publication.

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This edition constitutes a technical revision.

This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

- general requirements (Clause 5) have been revised and the concept of normalization has been replaced by reference measurements;
- OTDR characterization (6.2) and requirements for cabling interface adapters (6.3) and test cords have been revised and requirements for single-mode fibre test cords (6.3.4) have been removed:
- enhanced three-test-cord reference method has been introduced (9.1.1.2);
- requirements for the attenuation measurement of cords (10.6) have been revised;
- Annex A "Launched modal distribution (LMD)" has been simplified and the new title now reads "Launched modal conditions for testing multimode optical fibre cabling";
- visual inspection criteria for connectors have been reworked (Armex B);
- information on optical time domain reflectometry (Annex C) has been revised;
- examples of calculations of channel and permanent link limits (Annex G) have been revised:
- and information regarding cleaning and inspection of fibre optic connections have been added (Annex H).

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### INTRODUCTION

This International Standard is one of four has been prepared in support of International Standard series ISO/IEC 11801 and other cabling standards.

Figure 1 below shows the inter-relationship between ISO/IEC 11801 series and other International Standards and for cabling systems with related standards.

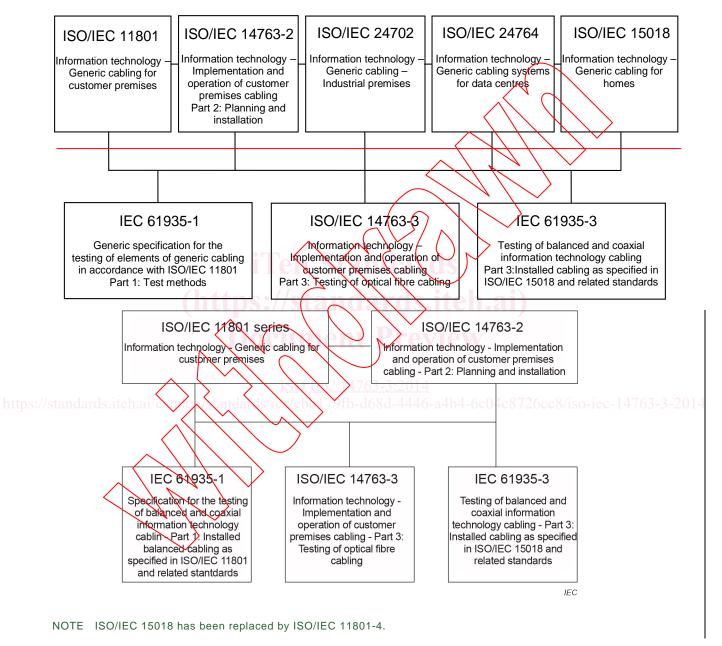


Figure 1 - Relationship of related International Standards

ISO/IEC 14763-3 details the inspection and test procedures for optical fibre cabling,

- a) designed in accordance with premises cabling standards including the ISO/IEC 11801 series, ISO/IEC 24764, ISO/IEC 24702 and ISO/IEC 15018, and
- b) installed according to the requirements and recommendations of ISO/IEC 14763-2.

Users of this International Standard should be familiar with relevant premises cabling standards and ISO/IEC 14763-2.

The quality plan for each installation will define the acceptance tests and sampling levels selected for that installation. Requirements and recommendations for the development of a quality plan are described in ISO/IEC 14763-2.

NOTE JTC 1/SC 25, in cooperation with IEC/TC 86, is currently developing an overall quantitative model to calculate total measurement uncertainty as stated in the reference planes of ISO/IEC 11801-1. When such a model has been verified, it is expected to be incorporated into this standard in form of an Amendment, thereby removing pertinent clauses currently marked "ffs" (for further study).

### INTRODUCTION to the amendment

This document contains information for inspecting end faces of the different kinds of installed fibre optic cabling interfaces and connectors of test cords and recommendations for cleaning these interfaces, and replaces the normative Annex B and deletes the informative Annex H of ISO/IEC 14763-3:2014.

Additional information regarding channel and link testing is provided to Annex E

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