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1 Introduction

1.1 Purpose

This document describes the mechanical, electrical, environmental, design and performance criteria and voluntary supplier compliance requirements for USB connectors, cable and fabricated cable assemblies. In addition, this document provides detailed requirements for the design, approval and implementation of application specific USB connectors and fabricated cable assemblies.

1.2 Scope

The information provided in this document serves as a guideline for design, development and voluntary compliance testing of USB connectors and fabricated cables assemblies, as well as defining mechanical, electrical, environmental and performance characteristics. As such, it defines how USB connectors, cable and fabricated cables assemblies are to be implemented and how manufacturers and/or fabricators will interact with the voluntary compliance requirements.

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ASTM-D-4565	<i>Standard Test Methods for Physical and Environmental Performance Properties of Insulations and Jackets for Telecommunications Wire and Cable</i> . This specification is available through the World Wide Web site http://www.astm.org/
ASTM-D-4566	<i>Standard Test Methods for Electrical Performance Properties of Insulations and Jackets for Telecommunications Wire and Cable</i> . This specification is available through the World Wide Web site http://www.astm.org/
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A2LA	The American Association for Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA) is a non-profit, professional membership society. A2LA coordinates and manages a broad-spectrum, nationwide laboratory accreditation system and offers training and continuing education in laboratory practices and management. A2LA offers accreditation to private, independent (for hirer), in-house and government testing laboratories in the following fields: acoustics and vibration; biological; chemical; construction materials; electrical; environmental; geotechnical; mechanical; calibration; and, nondestructive and thermal.
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
Approved Integrators List (AIL)	A listing available to USB-IF member companies at http://www.usb.org listing cable and connector products that have successfully completed a Voluntary Compliance Testing program conducted in accordance with the most current version of the USB Specification's Electrical, Mechanical and Environmental Performance Standards as shown in Chapter 6, Chapter 7 and this document.
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials.
ASUPS	The acronym for Application Specific USB Product Specification. An ASUPS describes the unique characteristics of a special purpose nonstandard USB connector or cable assembly specification.
C of C	Certificate of Compliance.
Characteristic	A physical, chemical, visual or any other measurable property of a product or material.
Contact Point	One electrical contact of a multi-contact connector.
CTR	Conformance Test Report
Defect	Any nonconformance of the unit of product with specified requirements.
Defective Unit	A unit of product that contains one or more defects.
DWG	USB-IF Device Working Group
EIA	Electronic Industries Association.
EMI/RFI	Electro-magnetic Interference/Radio Frequency Interference.
Full-speed	The USB 'Full-speed' data signaling rate is 12 Mb/s.
High-speed	The USB 'High-speed' data signaling rate is 480 Mb/s.
Low-speed	The USB 'Low-speed' data signaling rate is 1.5 Mb/s.
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology.
Power Pair	The non-twisted pair of electrical conductors in a USB cable used to carry power from the 'host controller' and/or a 'self-powered hub' to the device. Where the 'Red' conductor is Vbus and the 'Black' conductor is Ground.
Signal Pair	The twisted pair of electrical conductors in a USB cable used to carry data from the 'host controller' and/or a 'self-powered hub' to the device. Where the 'Green' conductor is Dplus (D+) and the 'White' conductor is Dminus (D-).
TID	Test Identification Number
Universal Serial Bus	Universal Serial Bus is a serial interconnect bus that supports transfer rates up to 480 M/bs for a maximum of 127 USB devices. (Please see USB 2.0)
USB Devices	USB devices can be: 'Hubs' that provide attachment points for USB; or, 'Functions' that provide capabilities to the system, such as an ISDN connection, a digital joystick, a printer, speakers, et cetera.
CNLA	Chinese National Laboratory Accreditation
USB Host	The USB interface to the host computer system is referred to as the Host Controller. The Host Controller may be implemented in a combination of hardware, firmware or software. A 'root hub' is integrated within the host system to provide one or more attachment points. Additional information concerning the 'USB host' may be found in Section 4.9 and Chapter 10 of the USB Specification USB 2.0.

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Term	Description
USB Topology	The USB connects USB devices with the USB host. The USB physical interconnection is a tiered star topology. A 'hub' is at the center of each star. Each wire segment is a point-to-point connection between the 'host' and a 'hub' or 'function,' or a 'hub' connected to another 'hub' or 'function.'
USB	The acronym for Universal Serial Bus. (Please see Universal Serial Bus)
USB-IF	USB Implementers Forum is a nonprofit industry organization made up of original equipment manufacturers (OEMs), component manufacturers and firmware/software developers who are actively involved in the advancement of USB technology. (Please see http://www.usb.org)

2 Management Overview

This section is an overview of the contents of this document and provides a brief summary of each of the subsequent sections. It does not establish any requirements or guidelines.

Section 3 describes USB Electrical, Mechanical and Environmental Compliance Standards.

Section 4 describes the acceptance testing criteria and test procedures for USB connectors and fabricated cable assemblies.

Section 5 Certification, Acceptance and Submission

Appendices:

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3 USB Electrical, Mechanical and Environmental Compliance Standards

USB cable, connectors and fabricated cable assemblies must meet or exceed the requirements specified by the most current version of Chapter 6 of the USB Specification and applicable Supplements (please see Table 3-1c, USB Electrical, Mechanical and Environmental Compliance Standards).