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## INTRODUCTION

This International Standard is one of a series produced to facilitate the use of communication networks in industrial control systems.

IEC 61918:2018 provides the common requirements for the installation of communication networks in industrial control systems. This installation profile document provides the installation profiles of the communication profiles (CP) of a specific communication profile family (CPF) by stating which requirements of IEC 61918 fully apply and, where necessary, by supplementing, modifying, or replacing the other requirements (see Figure 1).

For general background on fieldbuses, their profiles, and relationship between the installation profiles specified in this document, see IEC 61158-1.

Each CP installation profile is specified in a separate annex of this document. Each annex is structured exactly as the reference standard IEC 61918 for the benefit of the persons representing the roles in the fieldbus installation process as defined in IEC 61918 (planner, installer, verification personnel, validation personnel, maintenance personnel, administration personnel). By reading the installation profile in conjunction with IEC 61918, these persons immediately know which requirements are common for the installation of all CPs and which are modified or replaced. The conventions used to draft this document are defined in Clause 5.

The provision of the installation profiles in one document for each CPF (for example IEC 61784-5-21 for CPF 21), allows readers to work with documents of a convenient size.

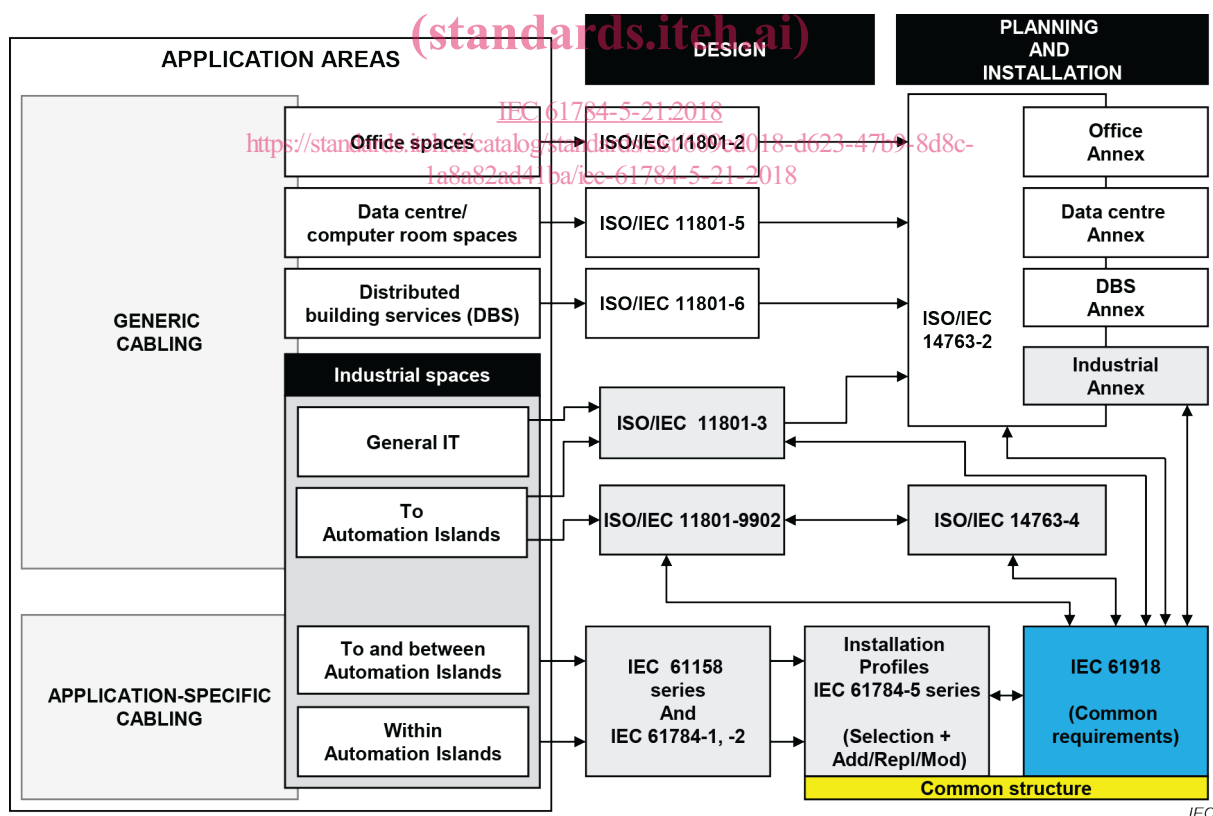


Figure 1 – Standards relationships



## INDUSTRIAL COMMUNICATION NETWORKS – PROFILES –

### Part 5-21: Installation of fieldbuses – Installation profiles for CPF 21

#### 1 Scope

This part of IEC 61784 specifies the installation profile for CPF 21 (FL-net<sup>1</sup>).

The installation profile is specified in Annex A. The annex is read in conjunction with IEC 61918:2018.

#### 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.

IEC 61918:2018, *Industrial communication networks – Installation of communication networks in industrial premises*

The normative references of IEC 61918:2018, Clause 2, apply.

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NOTE For profile specific normative references, see Clause A.2.

#### 3 Terms, definitions and abbreviated terms

For the purposes of this document, the terms, definitions and abbreviated terms given in IEC 61918:2018, Clause 3, apply.

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#### 4 CPF 21: Overview of installation profiles

CPF 21 consists of one communication profile as specified in IEC 61784-2.

The installation requirements for CP 21/1 (FL-net) are specified in Annex A.

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<sup>1</sup> FL-net is the trade name of JEMA/FL-net: The Japan Electrical Manufacturers' Association / the Factory Automation Link network. This information is given for the convenience of users of this document and does not constitute an endorsement by IEC of the trademark holder or any of its products. Compliance does not require use of the trade name. Use of the trade name requires permission of the trade name holder.

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The annex clauses and subclauses of this document supplement, modify, or replace the respective clauses and subclauses in IEC 61918.

Where there is no corresponding subclause of IEC 61918 in the normative annex in this document, the subclause of IEC 61918 applies without modification.

The annex heading letter represents the installation profile assigned in Clause 4. The annex (sub)clause numbering following the annex letter shall represent the corresponding (sub)clause numbering of IEC 61918.

EXAMPLE Subclause A.4.4 in IEC 61784-5-21 means that CP 21/1 specifies the Subclause 4.4 of IEC 61918.

All main clauses of IEC 61918 are cited and apply in full unless otherwise stated in each normative installation profile annex.

If all subclauses of a (sub)clause are omitted, then the corresponding IEC 61918 (sub)clause apply.

If in a (sub)clause it is written "Not applicable", then the corresponding IEC 61918 (sub)clause does not apply.

If in a (sub)clause it is written "*Addition*", then the corresponding IEC 61918 (sub)clause applies with the additions written in the profile.

If in a (sub)clause it is written "*Replacement*", then the text provided in the profile replaces the text of the corresponding IEC 61918 (sub)clause.

NOTE A replacement can also comprise additions.

If in a (sub)clause it is written "*Modification*", then the corresponding IEC 61918 (sub)clause applies with the modifications written in the profile.

If all (sub)clauses of a (sub)clause are omitted but in this (sub)clause it is written "*(Sub)clause x has addition*:" (or "*replacement*:" ) or "(Sub)clause x is not applicable.", then (sub)clause x becomes valid as declared and all the other corresponding IEC 61918 (sub)clauses apply.

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<sup>3</sup> The date should not be used when the edition number is used.

where the name within the angle brackets < > is optional and the angle brackets are not to be included. The m within CP 21/m shall be replaced by the profile number 1.

NOTE The name may be the name of the profile, for example FL-net.

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