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Foreword

This Technical Specification (TS) has been produced by ETSI Technical Committee Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS).

The present document is part 1 of a multi-part deliverable covering Conformance test specifications for Geonetworking ITS-G5 as identified below:

Part 1: "Test requirements and Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS) proforma";

Part 2: " Test Suite Structure and Test Purposes (TSS & TP)";

Part 3: "Abstract Test Suite (ATS) and Protocol Implementation eXtra Information for Testing (PIXIT)".

1 Scope

The present document provides the Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS) proforma for Conformance test specifications for Geonetworking ITS-G5 as defined in EN 302 636-4-1 [1] in compliance with the relevant requirements and in accordance with the relevant guidance given in ISO/IEC 9646-7 [3].

2 References

References are either specific (identified by date of publication and/or edition number or version number) or non-specific. For specific references, only the cited version applies. For non-specific references, the latest version of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

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2.1 Normative references

The following referenced documents are necessary for the application of the present document.

[1] ETSI EN 302 636-4-1(V1.2.0): "Intelligent Transport System (ITS); Vehicular communications; GeoNetworking; Part 4: Geographical addressing and forwarding for point-to-point and point-to-multipoint communications; Sub-part 1: Media independent functionalities".

[2] ISO/IEC 9646-1 (1995): "Information technology - Open Systems Interconnection - Conformance testing methodology and framework - Part 1: General concepts".

[3] ISO/IEC 9646-7 (1995): "Information technology - Open Systems Interconnection - Conformance testing methodology and framework - Part 7: Implementation Conformance Statements".

2.2 Informative references

Not applicable.

3 Definitions and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in EN 302 636-4-1 [1], ISO/IEC 9646-1 [2] and in ISO/IEC 9646-7 [3] apply.

3.2 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the following abbreviations apply:

CBF	Contention-Based Forwarding
GAC	Geographically-Scoped Anycast
GBC	Geographically-Scoped Broadcast
HL	Hop Limit
HST	Header Subtype
HT	Header Type
ICS	Implementation Conformance Statement
ITS	Intelligent Transportation Systems
ITS-G5	5 GHz wireless communication

IUT	Implementation Under Test
LT	LifeTime
MHL	Maximum Hop Limit
MID	MAC ID
NH	Next Header
PAI	Position Accuracy Indicator
PICS	Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement
PL	Payload Length
RHL	Remaining Hop Limit
SCC	Station Country Code
SHB	Single Hop Broadcast
SN	Sequence Number
ST	Station Type
SUT	System Under Test
TST	Timestamp

4 Conformance requirement concerning PICS

If it claims to conform to the present document, the actual PICS proforma to be filled in by a supplier shall be technically equivalent to the text of the PICS proforma given in annex A, and shall preserve the numbering, naming and ordering of the proforma items.

An ICS which conforms to the present document shall be a conforming PICS proforma completed in accordance with the instructions for completion given in clause A.1.

Annex A (normative): GEONETW PICS Proforma (Media independent)

Notwithstanding the provisions of the copyright clause related to the text of the present document, ETSI grants that users of the present document may freely reproduce the GEONETW PICS proforma in this annex so that it can be used for its intended purposes and may further publish the completed GEONETW PICS.

A.1 Guidance for completing the ICS proforma

A.1.1 Purposes and structure

The purpose of this PICS proforma is to provide a mechanism whereby a supplier of an implementation of the requirements defined in EN 302 636-4-1 [1] may provide information about the implementation in a standardized manner.

The PICS proforma is subdivided into clauses for the following categories of information:

- guidance for completing the ICS proforma;
- identification of the implementation;
- identification of the EN 302 636-4-1 [1];
- global statement of conformance;
- PICS proforma tables.

A.1.2 Abbreviations and conventions

The ICS proforma contained in this annex is comprised of information in tabular form in accordance with the guidelines presented in ISO/IEC 9646-7 [3].

Item column

The item column contains a number which identifies the item in the table.

Item description column

The item description column describes in free text each respective item (e.g. parameters, timers, etc.). It implicitly means "is <item description> supported by the implementation?".

Status column

The following notations, defined in ISO/IEC 9646-7 [3], are used for the status column:

m mandatory - the capability is required to be supported.

o optional - the capability may be supported or not.

n/a not applicable - in the given context, it is impossible to use the capability.

x prohibited (excluded) - there is a requirement not to use this capability in the given context.

o.i qualified optional - for mutually exclusive or selectable options from a set. "i" is an integer which identifies an unique group of related optional items and the logic of their selection which is defined immediately following the table.

ci conditional - the requirement on the capability ("m", "o", "x" or "n/a") depends on the support of other optional or conditional items. "i" is an integer identifying an unique conditional status expression which is defined immediately following the table.

i irrelevant (out-of-scope) - capability outside the scope of the reference specification. No answer is requested from the supplier.

NOTE 1: This use of "i" status is not to be confused with the suffix "i" to the "o" and "c" statuses above.

Reference column

The reference column makes reference to EN 302 636-4-1 [1], except where explicitly stated otherwise.

Support column

The support column shall be filled in by the supplier of the implementation. The following common notations, defined in ISO/IEC 9646-7 [3], are used for the support column:

Y or y supported by the implementation.

N or n not supported by the implementation.

N/A, n/a or - no answer required (allowed only if the status is n/a, directly or after evaluation of a conditional status).

NOTE 2: As stated in ISO/IEC 9646-7 [3], support for a received PDU requires the ability to parse all valid parameters of that PDU. Supporting a PDU while having no ability to parse a valid parameter is non-conformant. Support for a parameter on a PDU means that the semantics of that parameter are supported.

Values allowed column

The values allowed column contains the type, the list, the range, or the length of values allowed. The following notations are used:

- range of values: <min value> .. <max value>
  example: 5 .. 20
- list of values: <value1>, <value2>, ..., <valueN>
  example: 2 ,4 ,6 ,8, 9
  example: '1101'B, '1011'B, '1111'B
  example: '0A'H, '34'H, '2F'H
- list of named values: <name1>(<val1>), <name2>(<val2>), ..., <nameN>(<valN>)
  example: reject(1), accept(2)

- length: size (<min size> .. <max size>)
  example: size (1 .. 8)

Values supported column

The values supported column shall be filled in by the supplier of the implementation. In this column, the values or the ranges of values supported by the implementation shall be indicated.

References to items

For each possible item answer (answer in the support column) within the ICS proforma a unique reference exists, used, for example, in the conditional expressions. It is defined as the table identifier, followed by a solidus character "/", followed by the item number in the table. If there is more than one support column in a table, the columns are discriminated by letters (a, b, etc.), respectively.

EXAMPLE 1: A.5/4 is the reference to the answer of item 4 in table 5 of annex A.

EXAMPLE 2: A.6/3b is the reference to the second answer (i.e. in the second support column) of item 3 in table 6 of annex A.

Prerequisite line

A prerequisite line takes the form: Prerequisite: <predicate>.

A prerequisite line after a clause or table title indicates that the whole clause or the whole table is not required to be completed if the predicate is FALSE.

A.1.3 Instructions for completing the ICS proforma

The supplier of the implementation shall complete the ICS proforma in each of the spaces provided. In particular, an explicit answer shall be entered, in each of the support or supported column boxes provided, using the notation described in clause A.1.2.

If necessary, the supplier may provide additional comments in space at the bottom of the tables or separately.

More detailed instructions are given at the beginning of the different clauses of the ICS proforma.

A.2 Identification of the implementation

Identification of the Implementation Under Test (IUT) and the system in which it resides (the System Under Test (SUT)) should be filled in so as to provide as much detail as possible regarding version numbers and configuration options.

The product supplier information and client information should both be filled in if they are different.

A person who can answer queries regarding information supplied in the ICS should be named as the contact person.

A.2.1 Date of the statement

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A.2.2 Implementation Under Test (IUT) identification

IUT name:

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