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# Space data and information transfer systems — Space link extension (SLE) — Return-all-frames service

## 1 Scope

This International Standard specifies a return-all-frames (RAF) service for a space link extension (SLE) service. The RAF service is an SLE transfer service that delivers all telemetry frames to a mission user from one space link physical channel.

It defines, in an abstract manner, the RAF service in terms of:

- a) the operations necessary to provide the service;
- b) the parameter data associated with each operation;
- c) the behaviours that result from the invocation of each operation; and
- d) the relationship between, and the valid sequence of, the operations and resulting behaviours.

The scope and field of application are furthermore detailed in subclauses 1.1 and 1.2 of the enclosed CCSDS publication.

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## 2 Requirements

Requirements are the technical recommendations made in the following publication (reproduced on the following pages), which is adopted as an International Standard:

CCSDS 911.1-B-1, April 2002, *Space link extension — Return all frames service specification*.

For the purposes of international standardization, the modifications outlined below shall apply to the specific clauses and paragraphs of publication CCSDS 911.1-B-1.

*Pages i to vii*

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Add the following information to the references indicated:

- [1] Document CCSDS 910.4-B-1, May 1996, is equivalent to ISO 15396:1998.
- [2] Document CCSDS 101.0-B-5, June 2001, is equivalent to ISO 11754:2003<sup>1)</sup>.

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1) Document CCSDS 101.0-B-5, June 2001, has been cancelled and replaced by CCSDS 101.0-B-6, October 2002. CCSDS 101.0-B-6 is currently under ISO vote for approval as the third edition of ISO 11754.

- [3] Document CCSDS 102.0-B-5, November 2000, is equivalent to ISO 13419:2003.
- [4] Document CCSDS 701.0-B-3, June 2001, is equivalent to ISO 13420:—<sup>2)</sup>.
- [5] Document CCSDS 301.0-B-3, January 2001, is equivalent to ISO 11104:2003.
- [7] ISO/IEC 8824:1990, has been cancelled and replaced by ISO/IEC 8824-1:2003.
- [8] ISO/IEC 9594-2:1998, has been cancelled and replaced by ISO/IEC 9594-2:2001.

### **3 Revision of publication CCSDS 911.1-B-1**

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## **SPACE LINK EXTENSION— RETURN ALL FRAMES SERVICE SPECIFICATION**

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## CCSDS RECOMMENDATION FOR SLE RETURN ALL FRAMES SERVICE

**FOREWORD**

This document is a technical **Recommendation** for use in developing ground systems for space missions and has been prepared by the **Consultative Committee for Space Data Systems** (CCSDS). The Space Link Extension Return All Frames Service described herein is intended for missions that are cross-supported between Agencies of the CCSDS.

This **Recommendation** specifies a data service that extends certain of the space-to-ground communications services previously defined by CCSDS (references [2], [3], and [4]) within the framework established by the CCSDS Space Link Extension Reference Model (reference [1]). It allows implementing organizations within each Agency to proceed with the development of compatible, derived Standards for the ground systems that are within their cognizance. Derived Agency Standards may implement only a subset of the optional features allowed by the **Recommendation** and may incorporate features not addressed by the **Recommendation**.

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